

# Ranasca Nord

Ual da Ranasca Nord

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**Country:** Schweiz / Switzerland **Region:** Kanton Graubünden **Subregion:** Region Surselva **Town:** Pigniu

**Difficulty:** difficult

**Grading:** v5 a4 II

**Total time:** 2h35

**Approachtime:** 30min

**Tourtime:** 2h

**Returntime:** 5min

**Altitude entry:** 1570m

**Altitude exit:** 1370m

**Delta Altitude:** 200m

**Canyon length:** 200m

**Highest rapell:** 65m

**Amount rapells:**

**Transport:**

**Rock type:**

**Drainage area:** km<sup>2</sup>

**Season:**

**Orientation:** Southwest

**Best Time:**

**Rating:** ★ 3.2 (2)

**Info:** ★ 1 (1)

**Belay:** ★ 2 (1)

**Specialities:**

**Gear:**

**Summary:** (machine translated)

Raw data import from Descente Canyons <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon/23248>

**Hydrology:**

**Access:** (machine translated)

From Ilanz in the direction of Pigniu. From Pigniu continue to the dam. Park your car at the parking lot directly in front of the dam.

**Approach:** (machine translated)

Walk back along the road for about half the distance to Pigniu, then follow the forest path to the left via Alp Ranasca. Keep left at the first fork, then follow the path to the neighboring gorge. Immediately after crossing the neighboring stream, keep right and follow the path to a dilapidated old bridge over the Ranasca Nord.

**Tour:**

**Return:** (machine translated)

Shortly before the road to the dam we leave the canyon and follow the road for about 5 minutes to the car

**Coordinates:**

Canyon Start [46.8256 9.1165](#)

Parking Entry and Exit [46.8236 9.1114](#)

Canyon End [46.8228 9.1137](#)

Waypoint [46.8206 9.1172](#)

## Reports:

2025-12-13 | System User | |📖|📍|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Ranasca Nord Only 2 interesting rappels but they are beautiful. The 65m rappel hanging belay needs to be carefully managed. We got a rope stuck and had to retrieve it afterwards from above. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/23248/observations.html>)

2023-10-05 | Christian Balla |★★★★|📖★|📍★★|🌊 High |👍 Completed

From the abseil, which can be seen in the photo, always rope through to the next bolt. There are enough pitons for rope handrails in front of the high waterfall, but it is extremely slippery and therefore better to move along the rope to the rope handrail points. Video of the tour: <https://youtu.be/8tM8okMXVSk?si=SvXko-fEpCYs8Rox> (machine translated)

2023-03-09 | System User |★★|📖|📍||

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