

# Male Vesse aval (III)

Male Vesse aval, Male Vesse

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**Country:** France **Region:** Provence-Alpes-Côte-d'Azur / Provence-Alpes-Cote d'Azur **Subregion:** Alpes-de-Haute-Provence **Town:** Prads Haute Bleone

**Difficulty:** a little difficult

**Grading:** v4 a3 V

**Total time:** 5h45

**Approachtime:** 2h

**Tourtime:** 3h40

**Returntime:** 5min

**Altitude entry:** 1600m

**Altitude exit:** 1250m

**Delta Altitude:** 350m

**Canyon length:** 2600m

**Highest rapell:** 25m

**Amount rapells:** 14

**Transport:**

**Rock type:**

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

**Season:**

**Orientation:** South

**Best Time:**

**Rating:** ★ 3.6 (1)

**Info:** ★ 0 ()

**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

**Specialities:**

**Gear:**

Ropes: 2x30m

**Summary:** (machine translated)

Alpine canyon without higher rappels, lower part of Male Vesse.

**Hydrology:**

**Access:** (machine translated)

From Digne-Les-Bains on the D 900 14 km in the direction of Gap or from Gap 90 km (also on the D 900) in the direction of Digne as far as the village of La Javie. From here, head east on the D 107 and up the Bleone valley to Prads (12.5 km from Javie). Continue along the Bleone. After about 4 km, take the road on the right and continue to the barrier.

**Approach:** (machine translated)

A few meters after the parking lot, you cross the streambed of the Male Vesse, where the water may be hidden under the gravel. About 30 m further on, at a pile of stones about half a meter high, turn left off the track and follow the tracks up into the forest. From now on, follow the cairns that continually point the way. If you lose contact with them, it is essential to find them again. So you walk up through the forest for around 45 minutes; then you come to a cirque ("ebolis" - chute, landslide?). The path branches off here. One leads up to the right in the cirque (the chute), but gets lost in the forest after two cairns. So we take the other one, which leads to a tree lying across the path (literally: crossing the path). Shortly afterwards, you will see another small cairn. Unfortunately, there are only red trail markings on the opposite side of the trees. After about 1 hour and 20 minutes, shortly after a rock face on the right-hand side, we reach another large cirque, which we do not cross, but instead walk steeply up to the right at the cairns in front of the cirque. Here we follow a chain of cairns. We come to a footbridge 130 m above the canyon (directly above the Oscuros). Then, continuing to follow the cairns, we climb to the right, cross a small cirque and a few minutes later we reach another path in which we descend steeply between trees to the streambed.\n(Translation of a French description of this access, as the author reached Male Vesse aval -III- via Male Vesse amont - II -. Caracal describes this route in the opposite direction as an emergency exit after the upper part - "Echappatoire" - see page 51 below).

**Tour:** (machine translated)

The descent begins with a short dark gorge with the highest rappel (C 25), then narrower and wider rappel sections alternate, almost 20 rappels, some slides and possible jumps are offered.

**Return:** (machine translated)

In the wide streambed you reach the crossing slope. Follow this to the right for a few meters to the vehicle.

**Coordinates:**Canyon Start [44.2567 6.4911](#)Canyon End [44.2409 6.4834](#)**Reports:**

2025-07-13 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Male Vesse (Aval) Quelle avanture , c est juste inoubliable, la marche est difficile , mais quelle satisfaction d avoir réalisé cette course , équipements OK,, merci Michel pour l invitation. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2899/observations.html>)

2024-09-15 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Male Vesse (Aval) DC+ toujours un véritable plaisir !! (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2899/observations.html>)

2024-08-31 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Male Vesse (Aval) Fait à la suite de l'amont, incroyable !Etroitures et Oscuros inoubliables. Beaucoup de marche sur la fin. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2899/observations.html>)

2024-08-26 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Male Vesse (Aval) Fait à la suite de l'amont ! Descente intégrale d'exception ! (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2899/observations.html>)

2024-08-25 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Male Vesse (Aval) Accès en suivant les cairns sans soucis en 2h15.Très belle descente à 3 en 3h avec une corde de 60m.L'équipement est correct bien sondé les vasques. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2899/observations.html>)

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2024-08-05 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Male Vesse (Aval) On a tenté le sentier RG que nous n'avons pas trouvé... donc on a coupé a travers bois mais sans trop de succès. Equipement des cascades finales RAS (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2899/observations.html>)

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