

# Gorges du Llech

Cascade de las Fous, Le Llech

<b>Create:</b> 2023-03-09 20:50:24	<b>Update:</b> 2025-09-17 21:02:46	<b>Print:</b> 2026-05-01 10:05:52
<b>Country:</b> France <b>Region:</b> Occitanie <b>Subregion:</b> Pyrénées-Orientales <b>Town:</b> Prades		
<b>Difficulty:</b> a little difficult	<b>Grading:</b> v3 a4 III	<b>Total time:</b> 3h
<b>Approachtime:</b> 35min	<b>Tourtime:</b> 2h	<b>Returntime:</b> 25min
<b>Altitude entry:</b> 670m	<b>Altitude exit:</b> 500m	<b>Delta Altitude:</b> 170m
<b>Canyon length:</b> 650m	<b>Highest rapell:</b> 15m	<b>Amount rapells:</b> 15
<b>Transport:</b> on Foot	<b>Rock type:</b> gneiss	<b>Drainage area:</b> km <sup>2</sup>
<b>Season:</b>	<b>Orientation:</b> North	<b>Best Time:</b>
<b>Rating:</b> ★ 4.2 (9)	<b>Info:</b> ★ 2.6 (5)	<b>Belay:</b> ★ 2.7 (6)
<b>Specialities:</b>		
<b>Gear:</b> Ropes: 2x20m (1x40m)		
<b>Summary:</b> (machine translated) Very varied fun tour; little rope use; countless jumps and slides; highlight T16; slippery smooth gneiss rock; dark deep pools; many short swimming passages; very aquatic canyon; with a lot of water, individual passages can be dangerous; in the high season, plan for waiting times.		
<b>Hydrology:</b>		
<b>Access:</b> (machine translated) From the town of Prades direction Perpignan (N116) --> at the turnoff (traffic circle) right direction Villerach on the D24b drive up through small village Villerach --> first asphalt then gravel road to the large parking lot (Colle De Forn) --> here you usually share the parking lot with many canyoneers --> about 740Hm.		
<b>Approach:</b> (machine translated) From the large parking lot, follow the gravel road until you come to a signposted (left) parking lot --> continue for about 100m to the next strong (right) bend --> from here it goes steeply down to a ruin --> pass the ruin on the left (small yellow signs) --> then keep left until you reach the streambed (blue markings on the trees) (entry altitude approx. 670Hm).		
<b>Tour:</b> (machine translated) This canyon is very beautiful but has dark pools and many slippery places, at the beginning small walking passages --> then follow countless toboggans that you can easily slide --> the next 2 places you can rappel (2x C14 r.) --> the upper of the 2 rappel you can also slide --> short walking distance --> next slide 8m or li. on the rope traverse to a tree S11 (this place can also be left. T7 --> E3 (r.) --> walking passages with rock windows --> several small slides and climbs in the water (! partly stones in the pool) --> at large boulders jump or rappel (6m) over glued anchors possible (! at much water dangerous current) --> jump or rappel 7m in large pools --> T7 in shallow pools with strong current (at much water r.) --> next slide 8m or r. at the rope railing up to a tree S11 (this place can also be avoided r.) --> T7 --> E3 (r.) --> walking passages with rock windows --> several small slides and climbs in the water (! partly stones in the pool) --> at large boulders jump or rappel (6m) over glued anchors possible (! at much water dangerous current) --> jump or rappel 7m in large pools --> T7 in shallow pools with strong current (! at much water r.) over traverse rope to tree and rappel 12m in big pools) --> T4 (C6 left) --> the highlight of the tour is a slide that first goes 4m shallow and then without seeing the landing 11m in free fall in big deep pools (!slide posture with upper body far back) --> S-curve slide in nice washed out rock pool --> several small toboggans for jumping and sliding --> C15 over chain anchor left. (or R15 right) --> T6, T7 --> S7 (left) --> S7 --> at the last listed jumps and slides it is possible to rappel on the right side if there is a lot of water --> before the last jump there is a rope traverse (left) where the pools can be avoided --> after the last small flat slides there is a bigger pool --> the exit is on the left side at about 500Hm.		

**Return:** (machine translated)

The way to the car is on the left via a very steep path out of the canyon --> at the beginning there is a steel cable, then you follow the blue color markings on the trees or rocks --> after a good 30min you come to the starting point (parking lot).

**Coordinates:**

Canyon Start [42.5797 2.4697](#)

Parking Entry and Exit [42.5847 2.4632](#)

Canyon End [42.5854 2.4691](#)

## Reports:

2026-04-26 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Crazy | 🚫 Not done

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2025-11-11 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed

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2025-10-05 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed

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2025-09-26 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Llech Débit faible pour le Llech, certains obstacles auraient mérité plus pour un passage en sécurité. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/237/observations.html>)

2025-09-21 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Llech Gros orage en début et fin de parcours mais le temps c'est calmé. Amarrage nickel et tout passe bien. Énormément de monde on se serait cru en pleine saison (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/237/observations.html>)

2025-09-14 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed

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2025-09-07 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Llech debit normal pour septembre (donc légèrement faible, on est presque sur l'étiage). personne devant ni derrière en rantrant dans le canyon à 13h (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/237/observations.html>)

2025-08-31 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed

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2025-08-31 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Llech Débit ok. Canyon vraiment très ludique, très belle enchaînement de toboggan et sauts. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/237/observations.html>)

2025-08-27 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed

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2025-08-25 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Llech Fait avant les orages prévus dans l'après midi , débit normal . Les 2 rappels sont sur-équipés de chaînes et de points , mais il y en a un ou deux qui ne sont plus en place. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/237/observations.html>)

2025-08-20 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Llech Tient ses promesses, très fun, très beau ! Attention, dans l'excitation on oublie vite les bases : j'ai pris une main courante câblée qui semblait mener à un saut de 6m environ. J'ai atterri dans 80 cm d'eau. Pas de bobo mais ça surprend. Fait à 2 : approche 30', canyon 45', retour 15' (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/237/observations.html>)

2025-08-15 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed