Charabotte

Cascade de la Charabotte,Albarine

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Country: France **Region:** Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes **Subregion:** Ain **Town:** Hauteville-Lompnes		
Difficulty: difficult	**Grading:** v5 a2 II	**Total time:** 3h
Approachtime: 10min	**Tourtime:** 2h30	**Returntime:** 20min
Altitude entry: 710m	**Altitude exit:** 540m	**Delta Altitude:** 170m
Canyon length: 150m	**Highest rapell:** 70m	**Amount rapells:** 5
Transport: Car required	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:** Southwest	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 2.1 (2)	**Info:** ★ 0 ()	**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x60m

Summary: (machine translated)
Waterfall rappel canyon, above the access sewage treatment plant.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
After bypassing Geneva on the Swiss N 1 after the border on the A 40 in the direction of Lyon, Dijon, Paris, After 25 km (from the border)take exit 11 (Bellegarde Center) in the direction of Fragny, Seyssel. 6 km further, at the exit of Mons, turn right on the D 992 and go through Seyssel and Culoz (another 23 km), where you continue on the D 904 (direction Bourg-en-Bresse) for an additional 8.5 km until Artemare (a total of 62 km from the border).\nWe continue on the N 04 for another 9 km and then join the N 54, which we follow (on the right) in the direction of Amberieu-le-Bugey. 17 km further on we turn right to Tenay. Here we follow the D 21 in an easterly direction for a few kilometers and then turn onto the D 53 to Chaley. Through Chaley further up the orographic right bank of the Albarine we come to the hamlet of Charabotte. Continue on a small road along the river until it finally crosses it. Before the bridge, park the lower car on the left in the large area.\nBack with the other car until we turn left at the entrance of Chaley. After a few hundred meters, we rejoin the D 21 coming from Tenay.\nTo the left, in the direction of Hauteville-Lompness, we go up. Where the road has eaten through the mountain bar when reaching the height - Belvedere -, immediately after, in the bend to the right, park the second car.

Approach: (machine translated)
From the road bend in a northerly direction on paths to the albarine and the entry.

Tour: (machine translated)
Due to wastewater discharge from the sewage treatment plant located above the entry, the sequence of high waterfalls is relatively rarely walked.\nBefore the road pushes through the mountain bar, a path on the left (northward) descends to the waterfall to below the first cascade (possibly also emergency exit)\nGood to combine with the nearby Canyon de Chaley.

Return: (machine translated)
After the last rappel and a short stretch in the riverbed, turn right onto a path and follow it to the lower vehicle.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 45.9666 5.5665
Canyon End 45.9650 5.5653
Parking at Entry 45.9658 5.5687
Parking at Exit 45.9585 5.5544

Reports:

2026-10-03 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Charabotte Petit filet d eau suffisant pour avoir laver les vasques et canyon Pas d odeur ras Relais en RG frottes bien mais si on gère le débrayage c est safe Bien prendre des cordes de 80 m (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2170/observations.html)

2026-04-25 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Charabotte Partis avec 70m 60m et 55m, très difficile de trouver le départ de la 2eme cachée sous le renfoncement de la première c25!N’avons jamais trouvé le départ de la 15!A lire les commentaires- ce canyon se fait réellement avec 2x80m en zappant la c30 et la c15!Frustration au max (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2170/observations.html)

2026-04-22 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Charabotte Descente de la cascade en rive gauche. Tous les relais sont ok. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2170/observations.html)

2025-09-07 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Charabotte Descendu RG (2024) : beaucoup de frottements...Belle cascade dans un cadre magnifique (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2170/observations.html)

2025-05-01 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Charabotte (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2170/observations.html)

2025-05-01 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Charabotte RAS. Beacoup de friction dans tout rappels. Debrayable du bas tres recommandée. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2170/observations.html)

2025-03-09 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Charabotte C70, C70, C30, C10. Tout en RG. Cordes 2x80. Descente hors actif. Frottements méchants. Débrayables indispensables. Y aller après de fortes pluies. Cadre vraiment magnifique ! Retour par VF ! (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2170/observations.html)

2025-03-01 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Charabotte Descente sur la ligne de gauche avec 2 cordes de 80m pas mal pour permettre les débrayages du bas confort Relais avec cordelette violette pour ressaut de 3m compliqué si pas de pédale Des relais un peu partout bien et mal placés y a de tout (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2170/observations.html)

2024-06-21 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Charabotte RAS si ce n’est qu’il faut bien choisir sa ligne (RD/RG) pour ne pas avoir de problème d’accès, car il y a des points / relais partout. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2170/observations.html)

2024-05-11 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Charabotte Garé au moulin de charabotte, montée par les tunnels du train fantôme. Descente rive gauche en suivant le topo canyon de canyoning-bugey.fr. Rééquipement propre de ce début d'année. Pas trouvé le relai du 1er rappel de 25m. 4h du départ au retour à la voiture. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2170/observations.html)

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