

# Buggio

Gola di Buggio, Gole di Buggio

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| <b>Country:</b> Italia / Italy <b>Region:</b> Liguria <b>Subregion:</b> Imperia <b>Town:</b> Buggio  |                                    |                                       |
| <b>Difficulty:</b> easy  | <b>Grading:</b> v2 a2 II           | <b>Total time:</b> 2h35               |
| <b>Approachtime:</b> 25min   | <b>Tourtime:</b> 2h                | <b>Returntime:</b> 10min              |
| <b>Altitude entry:</b> 570m  | <b>Altitude exit:</b> 450m         | <b>Delta Altitude:</b> 120m           |
| <b>Canyon length:</b> 1150m  | <b>Highest rapell:</b> 17m         | <b>Amount rapells:</b> 7              |
| <b>Transport:</b> on Foot  | <b>Rock type:</b>                  | <b>Drainage area:</b> km <sup>2</sup> |
| <b>Season:</b>   | <b>Orientation:</b> South          | <b>Best Time:</b>                     |
| <b>Rating:</b> ★ 3.2 (5)   | <b>Info:</b> ★ 2.7 (3)             | <b>Belay:</b> ★ 3 (2)                 |
| <b>Specialities:</b>   |                                    |                                       |
| <b>Gear:</b><br>Ropes: 2x 20m  |                                    |                                       |
| <b>Summary:</b> (machine translated)<br>Beautiful forest gorge   |                                    |                                       |
| <b>Hydrology:</b>  |                                    |                                       |
| <b>Access:</b> (machine translated)<br>Leave the highway from Imperia towards France at Ventimiglia and take the SS 1 (Aurelia) back east towards Imperia. Approx. 2 km after Ventimiglia, a road branches off to the left heading north towards Dolceacqua. Follow this road via Isolabona, Pigna and then keep left until you reach the village of Buggio, which has long been signposted. Park in the parking lot at the entrance to the village.   |                                    |                                       |
| <b>Approach:</b> (machine translated)<br>From the parking lot, head straight up through the medieval village until you reach the road again. Follow this road in a right-hand direction uphill until you come to an almost 180-degree bend. At this bend, a path branches off to the righthand side via a small stone staircase and leads into the Buggio valley. The path sometimes seems to get lost (it is better to keep left at a fork, but the path on the right also leads back to the main path), but then becomes clear again. Follow this path along the edge of the canyon. After the small faded signs depicting a bird, you come close to the stream. Clear climbing tracks then quickly lead down to the streambed.<br>At the entry point there is a metal sign mounted on a stone (rules of descent). |                                    |                                       |
| <b>Tour:</b> (machine translated)<br>Supplement to the description "Canyons in Liguria II": The second rappel is higher than 15 meters. The 7 m rappel is an overhang, here it goes fully through the beam, not feasible when the water level is high. A jump here is dangerous: the jump surface is smooth and a rock protrudes far into the pool without being visible from above. Slipping would be fatal.<br>After this key section, the gorge is easy, but it is better to downclimb the slides.  |                                    |                                       |
| <b>Return:</b> (machine translated)<br>After the water level gauge, follow the path leading to the right at a sharp angle to the streambed, which quickly leads to the village. There you descend again keeping left to the parking lot.   |                                    |                                       |
| <b>Coordinates:</b><br>Canyon Start <a href="#">43.9689 7.6835</a><br>Canyon End <a href="#">43.9641 7.6862</a><br>Parking Entry and Exit <a href="#">43.9628 7.6850</a>   |                                    |                                       |

