

Molinera

Valle Molinera

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Country: Italia / Italy Region: Lombardia Subregion: Varese Town: Pino		
Difficulty: a little difficult	Grading: v4 a4 IV	Total time: 7h30
Approachtime: 15min	Tourtime: 7h	Returntime: 15min
Altitude entry: 770m	Altitude exit: 195m	Delta Altitude: 575m
Canyon length: 3500m	Highest rapell: 40m	Amount rapells: 30
Transport:	Rock type:	drainage area: km ²
Season:	Orientation: North	Best Time:
Rating: ★ 3.5 (1)	Info: ★ 0 ()	Belay: ★ 0 ()
Specialities:		
Gear:		
Summary: (machine translated) Time-consuming, not unattractive forest canyon, repeated swimming passages and downclimb, rarely used		
Hydrology:		
Access: (machine translated) From Bellinzona we head for the eastern shore of Lake Maggiore. The approach is the same as the one to the lower parking lot during an ascent of Valle Vira (see there). Then, however, we continue along the lake shore to the Italian-Swiss border. Swiss border. About 150m after the border park the car either on the left on the old bridge over "our" brook or on the right at the "Restorante Bella Vita" (P0 - for approach see Google aerial photo in photo gallery)\n\nwith a second car we make a transfer up to the reservoir "Lago Delio". It goes through Macagno and Musignano (see Google aerial photo in photo gallery). Below the dam wall at the exit of the access road we park the second car (P2).\n\nIf we have only 1 car available, a parking lot in Bassano (P1 - 530m altitude) is a good choice. You can get there by turning left from the SS394 at an acute angle 2km after the border onto the SP58 (see Google aerial photo in photo gallery). Then it makes sense to plan an exit at the "Mulinaccio" (A1 - cf. way back).\n\nThe footpath up to the dam starts in Bassano with the signpost "Monti di Bassano" - "Lago d`Elio" (about 1h to the dam).		
Approach: (machine translated) From the parking lot at the dam (P2 - 915m altitude) around the water basin to the right and about 700m in an easterly direction. After crossing a small stream left (in a northerly direction) pathless down to Molinera (entry E).		
Tour: (machine translated) After a long run-up in the stream the first rappels; then many smaller steps, swimming pools, rappels again, Then a glacial pot with a hole, called "Buco della Vecchia" (hole of the old). It continues like this until (after about 20 rappels) the view falls on the ruins of an old mill ("Mulinaccio"); exit here on the left (A1 - if the car is in Bassano).\n\nnother 200 meters of altitude and about 10 rappels until the exit at the road bridge (A2).		
Return: (machine translated) Intermediate exit to the left at the ruins of the old mill - "Mulinaccio" (390m altitude). From there path (white-red marking) to Bassano (25 min). So you "save" at least 10 rappel and almost 200m height.		

Coordinates:

Canyon Start [46.0835 8.7659](#)

Canyon End [46.1028 8.7541](#)

Alternative Canyon End [46.1036 8.7530](#)

Parking at Entry [46.0822 8.7566](#)

Parking at Exit [46.1033 8.7524](#)

Parking at Exit [46.0959 8.7446](#)

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