Mühltobel (unterer Abschnitt)

Dafinser unten,Unterer Dafinser Mühltobel

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Country: Österreich / Austria **Region:** Vorarlberg **Subregion:** Bezirk Feldkirch **Town:** Dafins		
Difficulty: not as difficult	**Grading:** v3 a2 III	**Total time:** 1h40
Approachtime: 5min	**Tourtime:** 1h30	**Returntime:** 5min
Altitude entry: 660m	**Altitude exit:** 570m	**Delta Altitude:** 90m
Canyon length: 510m	**Highest rapell:** 18m	**Amount rapells:** 8
Transport: Car optional	**Rock type:** limestone	**Drainage area:** 11.80km²
Season:	**Orientation:** West	**Best Time:** 9-13 o'clock
Rating: ☆ 3.8 (16)	**Info:** ★ 2.6 (12)	**Belay:** ★ 2.8 (14)

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x20m

Summary: (machine translated)
Small rappel canyon, not without charm. Mostly slippery.

Hydrology: (machine translated)
https://vowis.vorarlberg.at/stationsInfo/tbl_Abflussstationen.aspx
Water flow mostly moderate, good alternative if there is too much water elsewhere.
No tributaries, no bottlenecks.

Access: (machine translated)
Coming from the A14, take exit 31 (Klaus) and head towards Röthis. We follow the Schlößlestraße until before the bridge over the Frödisch. There is a wood processing plant here, where there are gravel areas with logs to the left and right of the road. Park the first car here (please note the no-stopping signs and company exit!).

Take the second car over the bridge in the direction of Dafins. Park the second car in one of the bays.

Approach: (machine translated)
From the parking lot in the hairpin bends, descend a little to the next haipin bend. Follow the clearly visible path and cross into the valley. Pass two wooden buildings and continue down towards the stream. Beware of the risk of slipping. There are several fixed ropes here to make the descent to the entry easier. After a few minutes you reach the entry point.

Tour: (machine translated)
The tour is quite easy and suitable for beginners.

Starting with approx. 150m of walking passages in the streambed with some woodwork, we come to the first rappel C10. Here, after approx. 7m, there is a jump out of the chute. Jumping is often possible. However, if the water level is very low, be sure to check the pool beforehand. It is not possible to slide out of the chute, as a rock protrudes directly below the waterfall.

After further downclimbing in the tree mikado, we come to a fixed rope R2. This was no longer accessible on the last tour (August 25). However, it can be bypassed on the right by downclimbing. The following C3 can also be downclimbed to the left.

After another 150m of walking passages, we reach a rope traverse on the right to the chain anchor R8. Continue over another rope traverse to the C10 orographic left. After this rappel, go directly to the rope traverse of the maximum rappel C18 on the left.

This is followed by approx. 100m walking passages over several tree trunks. We come to a slide T4. Attention: the arrival pool is not too deep. Alternatively, you can rappel here via a single bolt on the right. The chain anchor to the final abseil C10 is located directly afterwards.

All belays are equipped with chain anchors. Only the rappel at the slide consists of a single bolt.

Return: (machine translated)
After the last waterfall, turn right onto a clearly visible path. Follow this trail a few meters through the forest until you reach the road. Follow this down to the second car or up to the car.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 47.2899 9.6785
Canyon End 47.2906 9.6725
Parking at Exit 47.2905 9.6661
Parking at Entry 47.2924 9.6748

Reports:

2026-09-09 | Herbert von Neumann | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 |⚓ | Normal | Completed
Everything ok (machine translated)

2026-09-02 | Mario Rojer | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | Low | Completed
I've climbed all 3 sections. It's noticeably smoother again in the tricky spots, even though the stream had surprisingly good grip this year. Everything's fine in the lower section. The S3 jump isn't doable! (machine translated)

2026-08-07 | Mario Rojer | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | Low | Completed
Despite the extremely low water level, the grip is still very, very good. We parked a car at the exit and walked to the entry point in 15 minutes. No shuttle needed. A new fixed rope at the second rappel point. At the rappel point before C17, a new anchor and fixed rope leading to the chain anchor have been installed. The tree obstructions at C17 have been cleared again. The T5 is slippery again, but not as deeply as before. Current water level: (machine translated)

2026-06-16 | Bastien P. | ☆ ☆ ☆ ½ |🕮 |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | Low | Completed
We hiked all three parts. Since we only had one vehicle available, we took the bus from Dafins Wanne (exit at the lower part parking lot) to Dafins Morsch, so we started our hike from the middle part. There is a rope traverse at C10, and no log jam at C18. Otherwise, I can only agree with the previous report. (machine translated)

2026-05-24 | Mario Rojer | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ | Low | Completed
Surprisingly, the lower part is absolutely grippy. Currently even grippier than the Kobelache! A superiore descent without the otherwise very slippery sections. The jump is still not feasible. Max. 1.50m depth with gravel. The tree blockage is completely gone, so that you can simply walk or slide down here again. Due to a new temptation, the fixed ropes on the C10 before the C18 have torn away, so that you have to downclimb here. As it currently has good grip, this was not a problem. However, a rope traverse must be installed here again in icy conditions. The C18 is somewhat more difficult to reach due to new blockages. The slide is also currently covered in gravel. Otherwise a very nice stream at the moment! (machine translated)

2026-05-23 | Tobias Beiser | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | Low | Completed
Jump is full of gravel but trees are mostly gone so the canyon is still enjoyable. Good grip in most parts of the canyon. At the end there is a construction site but you can exit just before on the right to get back on the main road towards the parking next to the bridge

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2026-04-04 | Raimund | ☆ ☆ ☆ ½ |🕮 |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | Normal | Completed
Everything OK. (machine translated)

2025-09-14 | Betschart Stefan | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | Normal | Completed
All three parts done. Nice grip and all stands io. You can't jump anywhere because everything is quite full of gravel. (machine translated)

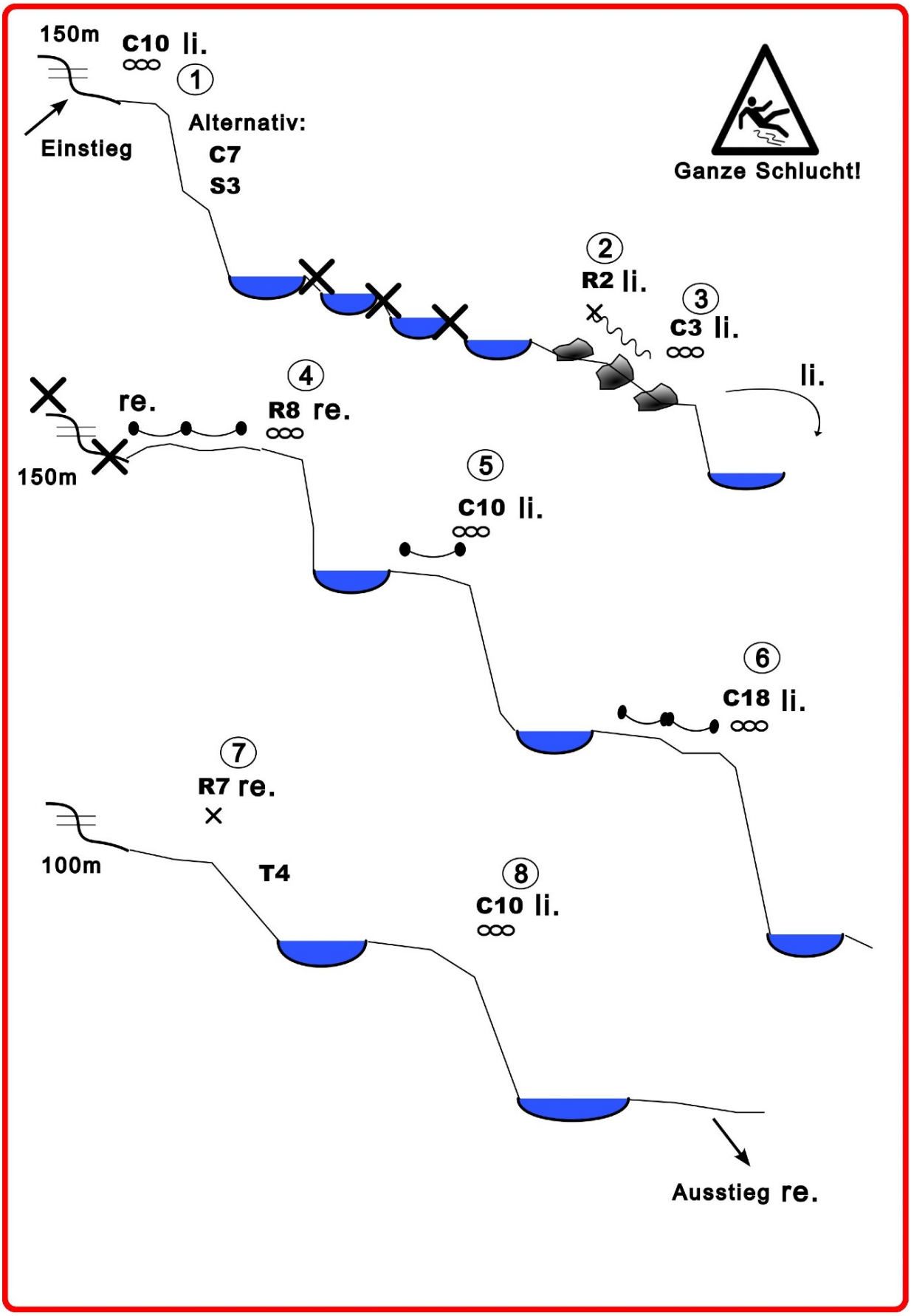
2025-08-23 | Fabian Preiß | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ | High | Completed
Jump at the first rappel currently not feasible, pool gravelled over after flooding. A rope traverse was torn away, we were able to improvise with dead wood, see photo. With less water it will probably be possible without. Otherwise everything is ok but you can see the tracks from the flood and a lot of gravel in the canyon. (machine translated)

2025-08-21 | Mario Rojer | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | High | Completed
As the Kobelache had too much water, we did the lower Mühltobel. Jump is possible, as is the slide before the final abseil. Stream very smooth as usual. Anchors all intact. As always a nice tour. (machine translated)

2025-06-30 | Wolfgang Streicher | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | Low | Completed
Everything ok. Slippery. Little water. Jump possible. Direct access to the lower part - without jump and running route, start directly below the house on the right at the edge of the path - apparently no longer used. Video: https://youtu.be/ihYfvFW-CL0 Photos: https://photos.app.goo.gl/VEqGhiqLo7Ly3TVt7 (machine translated)

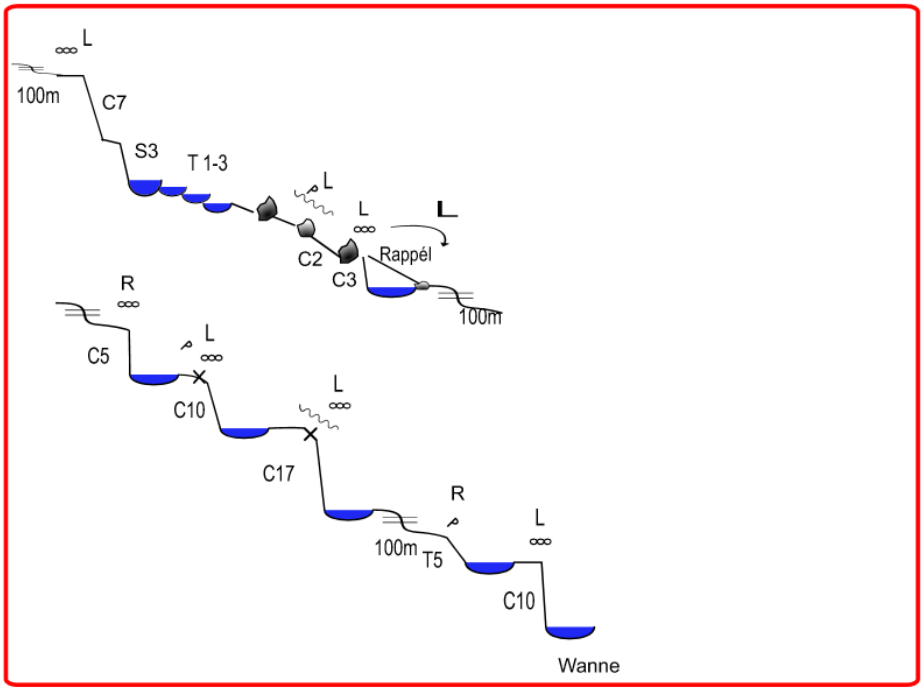
2025-06-19 | Iotama | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | Low | Completed
Low water level, but otherwise everything is great. A zip line is possible in two places (once with an anchor opposite and quite towards the end on a tree opposite) (machine translated)

Parts:
Mühltobel (mittlerer Abschnitt), v4 a3 III, 30min+4h+5min
Mühltobel (unterer Abschnitt), v3 a2 III, 5min+1h30+5min
Mühltobel (oberer Abschnitt), v3 a2 II, 20min+1h+20min



Topo 21.08.2025 von Mario Rojer

Topo Mühltobel (unterer Teil)



Symbole

	Canyonboden mit verkürzter Darstellung	L M R	Seitenangabe, orographisch links, mitte, rechts
	Verkürzte Darstellung (horizontal)	∞	Kettenstand
	Becken	eng	Erläuterung zum markierten Abschnitt
	Rücklauf		Baumstamm
C25	Gefällstufe, Wasserfalll 25m hoch		Brücke
T3	Rutsche 3m		(Not-) Ausstieg
S3	Sprung 3m		Fixseil
R	Umgehung rechts		Laubbaum
L	Umgehung links		Nadelbaum
	Einzelner Bohrhaken, Verbundhaken	△	Achtung Gefahr
×	Normalhaken	×	Verklausung
	Schlinge		Markante Felsblöcke