

Škurda

Skurda, Skurda - unterer Teil, Kanjon Skurda

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Country: Црна Гора / Montenegro Region: Cetinje Subregion: Town: Cetinje		
Difficulty: a little difficult	Grading: v4 a2 IV	Total time: 6h40
Approachtime: 2h	Tourtime: 4h30	Returtime: 10min
Altitude entry: 600m	Altitude exit: 10m	Delta Altitude: 590m
Canyon length: 2000m	Highest rapell: 40m	Amount rapells: 35
Transport: on Foot	Rock type:	Drainage area: km ²
Season:	Orientation:	Best Time:
Rating: ★ 3.8 (7)	Info: ★ 2.3 (4)	Belay: ★ 2.8 (4)
Specialities:		
Gear:		
Summary: (machine translated) Very beautiful and varied canyon; the upper part is mostly dry; in the lower part the canyon becomes more downclimbed and watery; some downclimbs and jumps; two exit options on the left side; SW exposure; very scenic access above the old town of Kotor with a view of the bay; well-equipped stainless steel belays; watch out for sand vipers/European horned vipers; tributary after the first third; mostly dry in midsummer.		
Hydrology:		
Access: (machine translated) Important: The traffic in Kotor is extremely bad, and the parking is impossible to find. An alternate is to park at the top of the canyon near "Restaurant Nevjesta Jadrana" for free, then walk down a good path for 30 minutes to the canyon start. After the canyon, take a cab back to the top, about €40. From Tivat drive south. At the large traffic circle (after the airport) turn left towards Kotor. In Kotor, go straight on at the small traffic circle until you reach the bridge. Immediately after the bridge, turn right to the parking lot (about €2/hour).		
Approach: (machine translated) (with 2nd car: 1h15min) Once you have parked in the paid parking lot in front of the school sports field, follow the path past the school towards the already visible canyon. After crossing the first bridge, there is a hiking sign "Planinarska transverzala Orjen-Lovćen-Rumija". Past the pump house and stone bridge, follow the beautiful hiking trail in several serpentines up to a stone house at approx. 220 m. At the following serpentine bend with markings, you could choose the path visible on the ridge for the lower entry. To do this, leave the main path here on the left in the direction of the electricity pylons. If you want to enter further up, follow the main path further up. (A little tip: after approx. 400m, just before a rusty electricity pylon, there is a small fork with an H2O sign on the left-hand side of the path. Here you can get drinking water after approx. 20m in the small stone wall tunnel). After the last hairpin bends, you have a wonderful view of the Bay of Kotor and the surrounding mountains from the ridge. From here it becomes flatter. First follow the signs for "Krstac" and "Lovćen". At the next fork in the path, turn left through the forest to the wall from the KuK period and the entry point at the stream at approx. 580m.		

Tour: (machine translated)

The Škurda has over 30 abseiling points, whereby the first third (approx. 1 hour) is mostly waterless. In this part there is also the highest abseil of 40m. At the beginning there are 3 beautiful abseils and a long downclimb. After a small cascade, the canyon becomes more incised and continuous. Here a tributary enters the canyon from the right, bringing most of the water. Several abseils (max. 35m) follow without much distance until you reach the beautiful, incised lower section of the gorge (be careful! after the 35m +10m abseil, there is an entry/exit point marked "EXIT" on the rock on the left). A removable rope traverse can be set up to the last abseiling point of approx. 20m. Then downclimb/descend the last few meters of the canyon to the exit at approx. 10m.

Return: (machine translated)

You leave the canyon on the right-hand side after about 10m and immediately after the pumping station you reach the road/paid parking lot.

Coordinates:

Canyon Start [42.4250 18.7885](#)

Parking Entry and Exit [42.4267 18.7700](#)

Canyon End [42.4269 18.7758](#)

Parking at Entry [42.4195 18.7943](#)

Reports:

2026-05-26 | David Mason | ★★★★★ | 📖★★★★ | 📍★★★★ | 🌊 Low | 🍏 Completed

Good canyon, one of the highlights of Montenegro. The top part is interesting despite the lack of water at first. Doing the bottom part only is very short, just one hour of canyoning. Driving and parking in Kotor is a nightmare! Look at the traffic on Google Maps before you think about driving in. It is better to park at the top, walk down, do the canyon, and take a taxi up. Recommend to finish later in the afternoon after the cruise ships have left, so you can enjoy the town after the canyon. Google the cruise ship schedule.

2025-10-07 | System User | 📖 | 📍 | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Skurda Nous avons fait le canyon en entier. 1 h 40 d'entrée, 5 h de canyoning à deux. Tous les points d'ancrage sont bons, l'eau des vasques est claire. Magnifique canyon, avec de nombreux rappels courts, mais parfois magnifiques. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/22191/observations.html>)

2025-05-15 | System User | 📖 | 📍 | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Skurda Just did Skurda lower, pretty canyon, quick access, no shuttle needed. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/22191/observations.html>)

2024-09-27 | System User | 📖 | 📍 | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Skurda The further down the more beautiful. Easy to walk on. Anchors good. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/22191/observations.html>)

2024-08-02 | Marosffy Dániel | ★★★★★ | 📖★★★★ | 📍★★★★ | 🌊 Low | 🍏 Completed

Done from Njegusi Zipline to Kotor, quite a long way (6h in the canyon, plus 1h walk). The middle part carried fresh water, dry otherwise, but nice all the way. Lots of rappels, all low and simple (the first two are longer, up to 40m). Millions of desperate frogs, some water snakes and bathing choughs in the pools. Taxi, cable car and walk down was an acceptable solution for getting back to the start.

2024-07-08 | System User | 📖 | 📍 | 🌊 Low | 🍏 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Skurda Did the canyon from the top 3h30. We walked up in 1h30. Very nice canyon. Waterlevel can be checked at the end, just climb to the last waterfall. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/22191/observations.html>)

2024-07-08 | Bina | ★★★★★ | 📖★★★★ | 📍★★★★ | 🌊 Low | 🍏 Completed

We hiked the canyon from the very top, which is worthwhile if you are doing the Skurda for the first time. The hike up is also very beautiful, very hot in summer, so start early and take plenty of water with you. The beginning was dry, we needed about 30 minutes for the downclimb, but you have a beautiful view. After that, there was always little water flowing down to the bottom. The canyon becomes more and more beautiful and we liked it very much. You can check the water level at the exit of the canyon when you walk to the last pool/rappel (10 min.). (machine translated)

2024-05-18 | Andreas Maier | ★★★★★ | 📖★★★★ | 📍★★★★ | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed

Entered at the center entrance. Skurda in the area still carrying water, all stands in order (machine translated)

2024-04-02 | System User | 📖 | 📍 | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Skurda Approach via Kotor fortress wall (dont miss the gate Spiljarskia at 215m., connect with the little bar for coffee, grappa, goat cheese and/or hard boiled egg), start optional at 580m with clear running water in Spring, but all in all less water than last year. Free parking a bit further in the city, in low-season. 80% glue-in bolts. Watch out for non-certified quicklinks and ropes on the anchors and presence of vipers on the approach. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/22191/observations.html>)

2023-05-02 | System User | 📖 | 📍 | |

Der aktuelle Canyon wurde teilautomatisiert mit Canyon

<https://canyon.carto.net/cwiki/bin/view/Canyons/SkurdaCanyon.html> zusammengeführt.

2023-03-09 | System User | ★★★★★ | 📖 | 📍 | |

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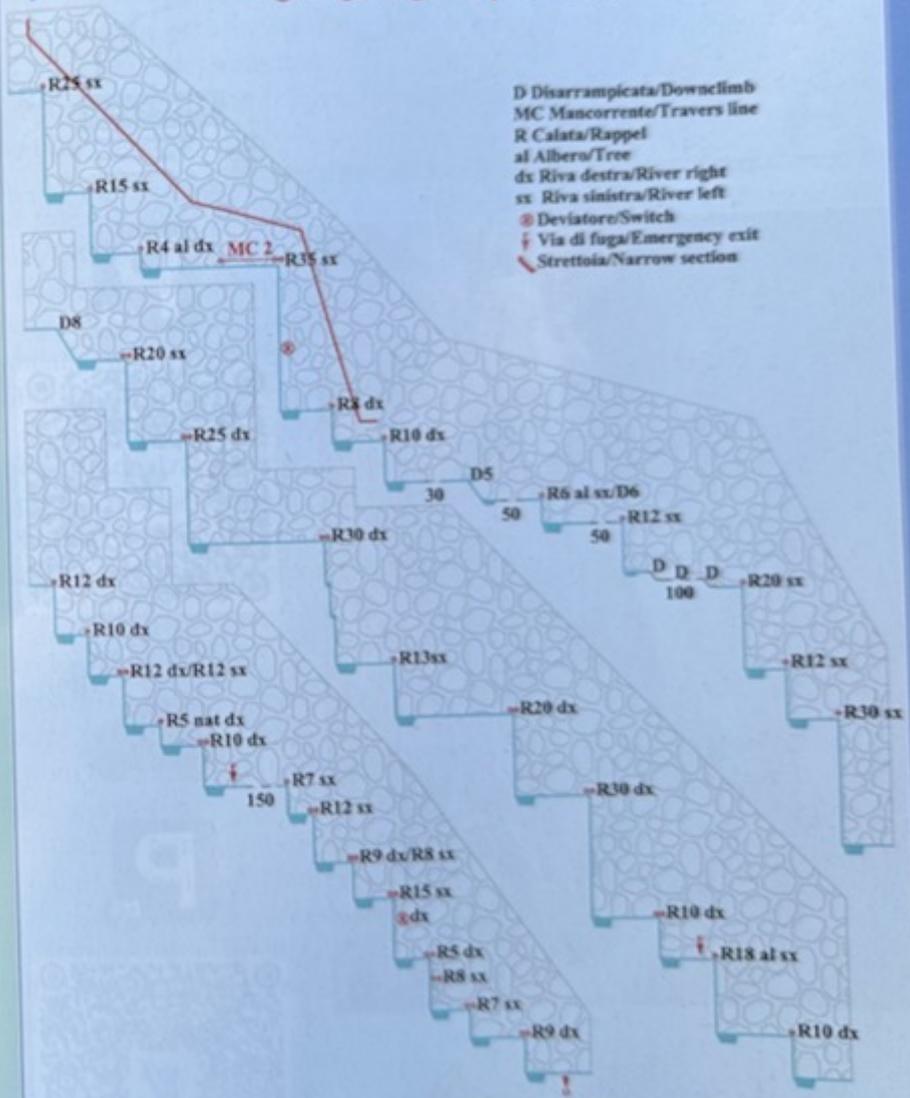
SKURDA Superiore



VERTICAL WATER

IN (600 m) 42,425109°N 18,788466°E
 OUT (150 m) 42,426779°N 18,778800°E
 → 0:40 ↓ 5:00 → 0:30 ♀ 33 (hmax 35 m)

- D Disarrampicata/Downlimb
- MC Mancorrente/Travers line
- R Calata/Rappel
- al Albera/Tree
- dx Riva destra/River right
- sx Riva sinistra/River left
- ⊗ Deviatore/Switch
- ↓ Via di fuga/Emergency exit
- ↖ Strettoia/Narrow section

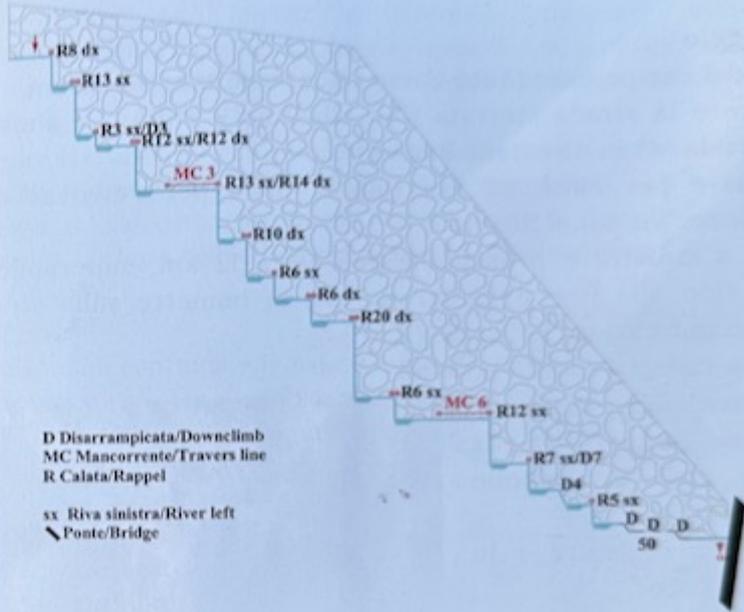




SKURDA Inferiore

IN (150 m) 42,426779°N 18,778800°E
OUT (40 m) 42,426784°N 18,775343°E
→ 0:45 → 2:00 → 0:10 → 13 (hmax 20 m)

VERTICAL WATER



D Disarrampicata/Downclimb
MC Mancorrente/Travers line
R Calata/Rappel

sx Riva sinistra/River left
▲ Ponte/Bridge

