

Pierrefeu amont (I)

Pierrefeu amont, Riou de Pierrefeu

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Country: France Region: Provence-Alpes-Côte-d'Azur / Provence-Alpes-Cote d'Azur Subregion: Alpes-Maritimes Town: Pierrefeu		
Difficulty: a little difficult	Grading: v4 a4 II	Total time: 1h25
Approachtime: 20min	Tourtime: 1h	Returntime: 5min
Altitude entry: 405m	Altitude exit: 310m	Delta Altitude: 95m
Canyon length: m	Highest rapell: 25m	Amount rapells: 1
Transport: on Foot	Rock type:	Drainage area: 13.00km ²
Season: May - October	Orientation: South	Best Time:
Rating: ★ 3.6 (1)	Info: ★ 0 ()	Belay: ★ 0 ()
Specialities:		
Gear: Ropes: 2x 30m		
Summary: (machine translated) Hiking canyon with an attractive rappel and other smaller steps.		
Hydrology:		
Access: (machine translated) From Nice on the N 202 towards Digne. After about 19 km, turn left over the Var, take the D 17 up to Gillette and continue along the Esteron valley. About 11.5 km after Gillette you pass the turn-off to Pierrefeu and after another 500 m you come to the bridge over the Pierrefeu. Look for a place for the lower vehicle beforehand, i.e. not near the bridge! Take the second vehicle back to the junction and drive up towards Pierrefeu. After 2.8 km (from D 17) you will come to a right-hand serpentine and 130 m further on you will find a place to park the second vehicle on the left by the tennis court.		
Approach: (machine translated) Again the 130m back to the mentioned serpentine. The access is signposted from this right serpentine in front of the tennis court (info - board). So the inhabitants of Pierrefeu are not bothered much and also the access to the upper part takes only 20 min. more.		
Tour: (machine translated) Downstream, you soon come to a 25-m rappel (belays on both sides, repeatedly vandalized); then it's downhill in the creek with charming pools to the entry to the lower section.		
Return: (machine translated) Either over the concreted water drainage left out to the road and the lower car or connect the Pierrefeu II (cf. there!).		
Coordinates: Canyon Start 43.8695 7.0778 Canyon End 43.8634 7.0838 Parking Entry and Exit 43.8686 7.0825		

Reports:

2026-06-12 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

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2025-10-12 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal |🚫 Not done

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Pierrefeu Je suis passé en voiture sur la D17 et dans le virage il y a un panneau stipulant "canyon fermé". (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2157/observations.html>)

2025-09-26 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Low |👍 Completed

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2025-08-28 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Low |👍 Completed

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2025-08-23 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Low |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Pierrefeu Bien regarder la carte pour la marche d'approche ... on a fait un peu les sangliers (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2157/observations.html>)

2025-08-11 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Pierrefeu J'ai trouve beaucoup moins devaste par la tempete Alexa que les commentaires laissaient penser. Certes 2/3 sauts en moins et plus de galets mais ca reste plus de 80% du canyon d'origine. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2157/observations.html>)

2025-08-08 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Low |👍 Completed

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2025-08-07 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Pierrefeu Pas refait depuis Alex. Tristesse et désolation !!! (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2157/observations.html>)

2025-08-03 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Low |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Pierrefeu La C25 est vraiment très belle. Mais mérite-t-elle toute cette marche et la logistique avec la navette ? Le canyon commence finalement au niveau du pont. Une descente courte, mais sympathique. Équipement RAS (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2157/observations.html>)

2025-07-25 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Low |👍 Completed

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2025-07-20 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Low |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Pierrefeu Approche a pied par la piste env 1km apres le garage automobile On trouve la sente dans un virage a gauche Arrivée directe en haut de la c25 Le canyon a des restes de la tempete alex mais il reste joli et agréable a faire (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2157/observations.html>)

2025-07-06 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

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Parts:

Pierrefeu amont (I) , v4 a4 II, 20min+1h+5min

Pierrefeu aval (II) , v3 a3 III, 10min+1h+25min