

# Canyon de Thures

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| <b>Create:</b> 2023-08-29 22:24:59   | <b>Update:</b> 2025-08-03 22:41:24 | <b>Print:</b> 2026-06-16 10:06:39          |
| <b>Country:</b> Italia / Italy <b>Region:</b> Piemonte <b>Subregion:</b> Torino <b>Town:</b> Cesana Torinese   |                                    |  |
| <b>Difficulty:</b> difficult   | <b>Grading:</b> v5 a5 II           | <b>Total time:</b> 2h25                    |
| <b>Approachtime:</b> 5min  | <b>Tourtime:</b> 2h                | <b>Returntime:</b> 20min                   |
| <b>Altitude entry:</b> 1880m   | <b>Altitude exit:</b> 1730m        | <b>Delta Altitude:</b> 150m                |
| <b>Canyon length:</b> 600m   | <b>Highest rapell:</b> 25m         | <b>Amount rapells:</b> 9                   |
| <b>Transport:</b> Car optional   | <b>Rock type:</b>                  | <b>Drainage area:</b> 28.77km <sup>2</sup> |
| <b>Season:</b>   | <b>Orientation:</b> North          | <b>Best Time:</b>                          |
| <b>Rating:</b> ★ 3 (1)   | <b>Info:</b> ★ 2 (1)               | <b>Belay:</b> ★ 2 (1)                      |
| <b>Specialities:</b>   |                                    |  |
| <b>Gear:</b><br>Ropes: 2x 30m  |                                    |  |
| <b>Summary:</b> (machine translated)<br>A beautiful, mostly very grippy canyon. Unfortunately, there is a longer, uninteresting section over scree in between. The canyon is moderately well equipped. The tour is short but tends to be fresh.  |                                    |  |
| <b>Hydrology:</b>  |                                    |  |
| <b>Access:</b> (machine translated)<br>From Césane at the foot of the Montgenèvre pass, take the road from Bousson along the river. At the Bousson exit, take the road on the right to Thures. Just before Thures, at a leftward hairpin bend where there are garbage cans, go straight along the small road that leads to the hamlet of Rhuelles. The road becomes a good path. Cross Rhuelles and continue straight on. After 1.5 km, the road forks: right leads to the exit, left to the access. |                                    |  |
| <b>Approach:</b>   |                                    |  |
| <b>Tour:</b> (machine translated)<br>Entry C10 from a tree into a small pool<br>C8 over a tree trunk lying in the waterfall<br>C6<br>DES Set 2 or new rakes and use as C2<br>mini slide<br>DES 2<br>Chaos, walk a longer distance and occasionally downclimb<br>C8 into a shallow pool<br>1m Jump - L-jump, the pool is moderately deep<br>DES 5 Lots of dead wood in the water<br>C19<br>C6<br>C3<br>C5<br>DES 5<br>DES 5   |                                    |  |
| <b>Return:</b> (machine translated)<br>Exit at the bridge where the car was parked   |                                    |  |
| <b>Coordinates:</b><br>Canyon Start <a href="#">44.8898 6.8414</a><br>Canyon End <a href="#">44.8944 6.8408</a><br>Parking at Exit <a href="#">44.8950 6.8408</a><br>Parking at Entry <a href="#">44.8899 6.8426</a>   |                                    |  |

## Reports:

2019-09-25 | Christian Balla |  |   |   |  Normal |  Completed

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First descent: 14.08.2015 by Frédéric Lété, Pierre Metzger