

# Arzino (inferiore)

Arzino 0

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<b>Country:</b> Italia / Italy <b>Region:</b> Friuli Venezia Giulia <b>Subregion:</b> Pordenone <b>Town:</b> Pozzis		
<b>Difficulty:</b> difficult	<b>Grading:</b> v3 a5 II	<b>Total time:</b> 2h30
<b>Approachtime:</b> 0min	<b>Tourtime:</b> 2h30	<b>Returntime:</b> 0min
<b>Altitude entry:</b> 580m	<b>Altitude exit:</b> 460m	<b>Delta Altitude:</b> 120m
<b>Canyon length:</b> m	<b>Highest rapell:</b> 28m	<b>Amount rapells:</b> 6
<b>Transport:</b> Car required	<b>Rock type:</b>	<b>Drainage area:</b> km <sup>2</sup>
<b>Season:</b>	<b>Orientation:</b> Southeast	<b>Best Time:</b>
<b>Rating:</b> ★ 4 (3)	<b>Info:</b> ★ 3 (1)	<b>Belay:</b> ★ 1 (1)
<b>Specialities:</b>		
<b>Gear:</b> Ropes: 2x30		
<b>Summary:</b> (machine translated) Throw bag useful. Extremely heaving, cold and crystal clear water. Only for experienced canyoneers with white water experience and good rappelling skills. Before the precarious places you always have the possibility to break off and get out, but in the rappel and jumping places you have to know exactly where you are rappelling in and how you can partly avoid the white water contact. For aquatics fans certainly one of the highlights in Friuli, although the canyon itself is rather short and the long river walk at the end somewhat spoils the pleasure.		
<b>Hydrology:</b>		
<b>Access:</b> (machine translated) In Tolmezzo turn onto the SR 512 in the direction of Verzegnis; Immediately after the large bridge over the Tagliamento turn right in the direction of Verzegnis onto the SP1; On the SP1 you now remain for 18.2 km: Here you go past Verzegnis relatively long uphill, over the "mountain pass" and then downhill again; after about 14km you come to some hairpin bends (village of Pozzis), then follows a grade through two small stone tunnels, before you after 18km you come to 2 hairpin bends. Immediately after the 2nd hairpin bend (50m) a forest road leaves to the right and leads to the bridge over the Arzino. Either drive down here and park the car directly at the bridge or drive about 100m further and park at the parking lot directly at the SP1. At the bridge is also the entry to the tour. The shuttle car is parked about 1.3 km further down the SP1, directly after crossing the bridge of the Rio Rugoni. The Rio Rugoni is unmissable because it is a huge gravel field that flows into the Arzino.		
<b>Approach:</b> (machine translated) From the bridge over the Arzino you can go directly to the streambed of the Arzino river. If you want to go the canyon from the top, you go over the bridge and then go upstream for about 10min. But there is only one 5m jump and some downclimb. The topographic view here shows the Arzino from the bridge.		

**Tour:** (machine translated)

Tour description: about 2,5h

The Arzino is a relatively long river that drains a very large area, into which some accessible canyons flow and which finally flows into the Tagliamento. The Arzino is also navigated by kayak and is divided into parts 1-4. This part of the river was named "Arzino 0" by the first climbers, because it is located above the kayak part 1 (see Canyoning Wiki).

Arzino 0 can really only be climbed after a long dry season, because it has a lot of water even in dry summers! The closest gauge station of the Arzino to the canyoning route is called "Arzino, S.Francesco Idro". During our ascent the level was 79cm and at this level the ascent was no problem.

The Arzino 0 should only be climbed by people who have both white water experience (because of the extremely turbulent pools and currents), and are very safe when rappeling, because you have to be really careful not to get into the water, because the water flow is enormous and you can not withstand the water pressure!

Directly after the bridge at the entry follows a small walking passages of about 100m, before it becomes narrower and you are in front of a slot with strong current and white water. Here is an anchor on the or. right side, which you should also use to safely rope the 2m into the current.

Immediately thereafter follows the first challenging place: or. left are 3 pitons to build a rope traverse to be able to rappel the 10 m from the last piton.

If you already have problems at this point or see that there is too much water to continue the canyon, you can get out after swimming through the pool.

Next is a 5-meter jump into a turbulent deep pool, followed by a swim section and a 5-meter rappel section that also opens into a turbulent pool.

After a short swim, the canyon opens again and you come to a place with 3 small conifers and a dry tributary or.left on which you can see a bridge of SP1 above. Here is the next possibility for the emergency exit.

One of the trees was used and described by the first climbers for rappeling into the extremely turbulent channel. However, this spot seemed too dangerous and so during our ascent or. left.

3 pitons were drilled to set up a rope traverse, so that the channel can be bypassed and rappel directly into the turbulent pool. Those who like to jump can rappel only 5m and jump from the ledge 5m into the pool.

ATTENTION, however, in the pool: Directly after the pool follows the next abseil point or. left, which you must first reach! The current here is quite strong! If there were already problems with the current before, the person who ropes into the pool must be secured from above in order not to be washed over the step and to be able to reach the belay safely. Current + partly slippery place!

Once you have reached the stand, another 10m rappel and a swim section follows.

After a small walking passage follows the impressive highlight of the canyon: a 28m rappel or. left from a tree - but be careful! From above you can't see directly where the rope ends and whether you pass next to the waterfall or not. During our ascent it was no problem, but if the first person to rappel realizes that you can't pass the waterfall, you have to stop the rappel immediately and climb up! The waterfall creates an incredible pressure here and should you get into the water, you have real problems. You have the possibility to stop the tour at the walking passages before the 28m rappel.

If you can rappel past the waterfall, you will find yourself at the most impressive spot of the tour where you can experience the pure power of the water up close.

There follows a small swimming spot and a 40-minute river walk before you see or. left the gravel field of the Riu Rugoni and you arrive here directly at the bridge at the parking lot of the shuttle car.

**Return:** (machine translated)

Up the gravel field of the Riu Rugoni and you are directly at the parking lot of the shuttle car

**Coordinates:**

Canyon Start [46.3438 12.9235](#)

Parking at Entry [46.3420 12.9256](#)

Parking at Exit [46.3339 12.9397](#)

Canyon End [46.3344 12.9349](#)

**Reports:**

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Attention: Bringing a drill is strongly recommended! The anchors for the rope traverse were damaged and the stand was now too high to reach. We drilled a new belay (rappel directly in the waterline). Had to take the emergency exit orographic left due to an injury - therefore currently unclear what the condition of the anchors is from this point. (machine translated)

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Info: Teile der Canyonbeschreibung wurden automatisiert übernommen. Konkret die Felder Weblinks, Koordinaten, Rating, Ort von <https://canyon.carto.net/cwiki/bin/view/Canyons/Arzino0Canyon.html>

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Daten importiert von <https://www.canyoning.or.at/index.php/liste-aller-canyons/476-arzino-0>

**Parts:**

Arzino (superiore), v3 a4 II, 5min+2h30+25min

Arzino (inferiore), v3 a5 II, 0min+2h30+0min