Clavalite

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Country: Italia / Italy **Region:** Valle d'Aosta / Regione Autonoma Valle d'Aosta **Subregion:** Fénis **Town:** Fénis		
Difficulty: a little difficult	**Grading:** v3 a4 III	**Total time:** 3h56
Approachtime: 10min	**Tourtime:** 3h45	**Returntime:** 1min
Altitude entry: 940m	**Altitude exit:** 610m	**Delta Altitude:** 330m
Canyon length: 1450m	**Highest rapell:** 30m	**Amount rapells:** 15
Transport: Car required	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 4 (3)	**Info:** ★ 3 (2)	**Belay:** ★ 2.5 (2)

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x30m

Summary:
A very pleasant canyon, featuring numerous jumps and natural slides (toboggans), making the descent varied and enjoyable.

Hydrology:

Access:
Take the A5 Turin-Aosta-Mont Blanc motorway and exit at “Nus.”
At the roundabout after the toll booth, turn left, cross the Dora Baltea river, and enter Fénis. Drive up to the upper part of the village (Fraz. Barche) and turn right at the sign for “impianto idroelettrico clavalité.” Park just before the bridge (only one parking space), climbing sign.
Upstream: cross the bridge, then turn right and follow the road that climbs 12 hairpin bends towards Cerise. Pass this hamlet and park where a track branches off to the right.

Approach:
Go down this path on the D side, which passes in front of an old dilapidated chapel, to the bridge.

Tour:
This route would be equipped to pass through the asset or outside with a few MCs. However, there are some basins...

Important note:
At the exit of the route, signs have been posted prohibiting access from below both to the final section of the canyon and to the climbing crag nearby. These signs are only visible at the gates of the power plant and not along the approach road.

□□ Extra care is recommended when planning the descent and checking the current access conditions.

Alpine canyon with very high water flow, navigable at low water since the construction of the hydroelectric plant in 2007.
Without shuttle: About 40 meters before the bridge, a trail begins: trail no. 1 towards Clavalité-Robioz. Approach from the left bank in 1 hour.

Return:
Exit on the left bank at a water intake, just before a small climbing cliff.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 45.7183 7.5019
Canyon End 45.7307 7.5043
Parking at Exit 45.7308 7.5045
Parking at Entry 45.7164 7.4997

Reports:

2026-08-31 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Clavalité DC per Descente ma portata bassa per questo torrente. Molte pozze inghiaiate, moltissime alghe (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/23501/observations.html)

2026-08-01 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Clavalité Ritornati sul Clavalite' dopo circa 15 anni....l'impressione e' che molte vasche si siano riempite di sassi rendendo difficili o i possibili molti tuffi. ....comunque una bella discesa (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/23501/observations.html)

2026-07-23 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Clavalité Très chouette canyon. De l’eau pour s’amuser sans danger. 4-5heures de descente à notre aise. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/23501/observations.html)

2026-07-22 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Clavalité Canyon magnifique a faire dans la région, nous mis 4h30 a le parcourir a 4 personnes, les équipements sont plutôt correct mais certains sont a revoir ou doublé les points, nous étions pas dans une période où il y avait de l'eau mais si il yen a plus attention au cascades mais il y a plusieurs possibilités de rappel guidé des point sont la pour, le début est une marche aquatique ou il n'est pas utile d'équiper des cordes la plus part se désescalade, quand l'encaissement commence c'est là que le canyon devient magnifique et plus technique.!!! Attention il a un barrage en amont qui pourrait lâcher de l'eau (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/23501/observations.html)

2025-09-17 | Marco Heltai | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
English version: “Beautiful canyon, enjoyable to descend, with anchors available everywhere. The only note to mention is the presence of signs at the canyon exit indicating a prohibition, but it is unclear whether this refers to entering the lower area or to the entire section, since the signs are not visible from the outside.”

2025-09-17 | Marco Heltai | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Canyon description: A very pleasant canyon, featuring numerous jumps and natural slides (toboggans), making the descent varied and enjoyable. Important note: At the exit of the route, signs have been posted prohibiting access from below both to the final section of the canyon and to the climbing crag nearby. These signs are only visible at the gates of the power plant and not along the approach road. ◫ Extra care is recommended when planning the descent and checking the current access conditions.

2025-07-08 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Clavalité DC. Eau froide. Équipement convenable mais hétéroclite, il y a de tout, et bcp de mono point. Les MC fixes sont globalement au bout de leur vie. Le canyon est bien plus esthétique que Chalamy, il y a de vrais beaux encaissements, un superbe passage sous le bloc coincé. De très beaux sauts possibles, quelques tob sympa ! Par contre pas mal de marche et désescalades usantes. Navette interminable, 1h à marcher sur la route depuis le bas, pas croiser un seul clodo en fiat panda...On a changé quelques cordes au relais, il reste du boulot. Mérite largement le détour. Descente agréablement partagée avec Roccosifreeski Bises Suze51 (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/23501/observations.html)

2024-08-17 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Clavalité Encore plus beau que Chalamy, il y a de vrais encaissements et tout autant de sauts/toboggans. De nombreux relais permettent de descendre le canyon d'ans l'actif ou hors d'eau.Parcouru en 2h à 2. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/23501/observations.html)

2024-08-16 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Clavalité Canyon majeur, sous-noté à mon gout car mieux que Chalamy. L'équipement n'est pas au standard actuel (monopoint, manque de point, main courante pourries, etc....) mais tout les obstacles se franchissent sans problème et en sécu (quand il faut vraiment tirer un rappel alors c'est du double point inox avec quand c'est nécessaire un relai hors actif). Bel encaissement en