Palvico

Bubu,Torrente Palvico

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Country: Italia / Italy **Region:** Trentino-Alto Adige **Subregion:** Trento / Provincia autonoma di Trento **Town:** Storo		
Difficulty: a little difficult	**Grading:** v4 a4 III	**Total time:** 2h50
Approachtime: 30min	**Tourtime:** 2h15	**Returntime:** 5min
Altitude entry: 540m	**Altitude exit:** 400m	**Delta Altitude:** 140m
Canyon length: 600m	**Highest rapell:** 45m	**Amount rapells:** 7
Transport: Car optional	**Rock type:** limestone	**Drainage area:** 51.46km²
Season:	**Orientation:** Southwest	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 4.2 (35)	**Info:** ★ 2.8 (29)	**Belay:** ★ 2.9 (33)
Specialities:		

Gear:
Ropes: 2x50m/1x20m

Summary: (machine translated)
Beautiful lime canyon with clean water; short impressive canyon with 45m final rappel; several grottoes and deep pools; well combinable with Rio Val.

Hydrology: (machine translated)
First part with water, but equipped accordingly. For the second, everything depends on the water intake at the dam. Correct level in summer.

Access: (machine translated)
From Torbole --> Riva --> at traffic circle ri. Storno --> road ri. Albola mountain pass --> through small village --> past the lake (Lagodi Ledro) --> through village --> always straight ahead --> road crosses the stream (Palvico) --> entry r. at gravel turnout Km 47.5 --> to chute 2. Car over the curvy road down until in a left bend a stone with Km 50 appears --> here r. narrow road back to the picnic area (parking lot)--> here you can see after a short walking passages the last 50m waterfall and the actual amount of water. If you don't have a 2nd car there is the possibility to take a very steep path (orographically right) back to the upper parking lot after the tour on foot.

Approach: (machine translated)
Enter the creek right next to the gravel turnout at km 47.5.

If you choose the alternative parking lot and park in the hairpin bend, you descend briefly to the dam and enter directly at the weir.

Tour: (machine translated)
The tour begins with walking passages and climbing over large boulders. At a 3m step you will find a fixed rope for downclimbing. This is followed by 2 swimming passages with small slides in a narrowing canyon. Arrived at the grotto, the 10m step can be rappelled or slid. After the big pool in the grotto the canyon opens. Here you have the possibility to bypass the next 10m step via fixed ropes (right) up to an 8m jump (attention water depth!). After the jump (rappel) comes the weir with possible emergency exit.

This is the beginning of the lower part (see alternative canyon start).

On the left side of the wall is the belaystation for the 20m steps. Here you mostly rappel 15m and slide 5m into the deep pool. In the grotto, swim to the next 25m rappel (left or right). Enclosed by high rock walls follows a 6m jump into a large pool. Then there is a narrow 5 m gap which can be rappelled or climbed down. Now you are at the final waterfall (45m). Here you can rappel to the left outside the water or to the right in the water to the large water basin (a 60m rope is recommended for pulling off). After a short walking passages in the shallow streambed, at the end of the tour you can take a running jump of 6m from the dam wall into the last pool.

Return: (machine translated)
Get off at the artificial step on the right and follow the path back to the metal bridge. Cross it and go back to the parking lot (shuttle car).

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 45.8456 10.6016
Parking at Entry 45.8452 10.6008
Parking at Exit 45.8429 10.5864
Canyon End 45.8427 10.5931
Parking at Entry 45.8428 10.5947
Alternative Canyon Start 45.8431 10.5953

Reports:

2026-10-26 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Palvico 5 degrés dans la vallée...le soleil ne rentre pas. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2607/observations.html)

2026-10-26 | Roe_Noerd | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
The water temperature is on the cool side. All traverese ropes and bolts are in good condition. (machine translated)

2026-10-10 | Bene Treml | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Good conditions in the canyon; all belay stations are in good shape. (machine translated)

2026-08-22 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-08-16 | Clarissa Linder | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Everything ok (machine translated)

2026-08-09 | Massimo Loriato | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
AIC meeting 2026 Everything in order and normal flow without any problem.

2026-08-08 | Patrick Summerer | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Very crowded with commercial groups, but definitely worth it! AIC Raduno (machine translated)

2026-08-08 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Palvico Petit Palvico « express » de fin d’après midi en ce dernier jour de Raduno 2026 à Ponte Caffaro…Toujours aussi beau, toujours aussi joueur, quelques groupes avec guides mais qui dans l’ensemble sont très cool… (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2607/observations.html)

2026-08-08 | Elke Osswald | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
At the final waterfall, there is a ledge on the orographic right; according to a guide who leads the Palvico route, a 50-meter rope is sufficient there. (machine translated)

2026-08-07 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-08-06 | Christoph Cramer | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
The jump in front of the water intake is covered with gravel; everything else is fine. We skipped the jump from the dam—it looked low, and we weren't sure about it. (machine translated)

2026-08-04 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-08-03 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Palvico Sur équipe avec des main courantes aux dndroits stratégiques fréquentée par les guides glissant à certains endroits (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2607/observations.html)

2026-08-03 | Peisen | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Great conditions, but very busy; guided tours and raduno groups as well (machine translated)

2026-08-02 | Greta Andreoli | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
What a magnificent river! Everything is perfect! The low water level makes for a peaceful descent, no matter your skill level! (machine translated)

2026-08-02 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Palvico Enchaîné après Rio Val ça permet de