Volkernotgraben

Volkernotgraben, Mühlauer Wasserfall

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Country: Österreich / Austria Region: Steiermark Subregion: Bezirk Liezen Town: Hall		
Difficulty: not as difficult	Grading: v3 a2 III	Total time: 2h55
Approachtime: 45min	Tourtime: 2h	Returntime: 10min
Altitude entry: 1000m	Altitude exit: 850m	Delta Altitude: 150m
Canyon length: 1000m	Highest rapell: 25m	Amount rapells: 10
Transport: on Foot	Rock type: limestone	drainage area: km²
Season: June - October	Orientation:	Best Time:
Rating: 🚖 2.4 (3)	Info: 🖈 3 (2)	Belay: ★ 3 (2)

Specialities:

Dam,

Gear: Ropes: 2x30

Summary: (machine translated)

Nice tour for beginners and children with many short rappels (most of them can also be downclimbed) and pools. There are no serious difficulties on any of the rappels. Nice rappel at the end, can be abseiled several times (bypass route).

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)

Hall /Mühlau. Parking lot before the last houses (the hiking trail to Scheiblingstein and Rohrauerhaus starts on the left)

Approach: (machine translated)

From the parking lot in Mühlau, follow the road on the right, past the last houses, where a forest road begins. At the first crossroads, you can follow the path steeply through the forest (signs "Kreuzmauer", path branches off to the left 20m after the junction) or continue along the forest road (leads past an old game feeding station) At the next hairpin bend in the forest road, you can take a shortcut to the right along a steep path past a wayside shrine. Then flat through two tunnels, and then right along a forest road to the entry below the water intake.

Tour: (machine translated)

Relatively open, sunny scree gorge in the dolomite. The tour was well cleaned by a flood in 2023, boulders are rare and it mostly descends on bedrock. The dam above takes almost all the water in summer. Securing is very good and plentiful (chain anchors and bolts with fixed carabiners). In the upper part there are many small abseils and small slides. When the canyon opens up, a short walking passages before a series of slides up to 2.5m leads to the final waterfall - a beautiful 25m waterfall with an audience.

Entry at Mauer

50m walk

1 - Chain anchor right: 10m or downclimb

20m walk

2 - Chain anchor right: 6m or downclimb

10m

3 - Chain anchor right: 4m + 8m or downclimb

5 pools in a row

50m walk

4 - 1 BH Right: 7m + 4m or downclimb

10m walk

5 - 1 hanger old right + chain anchor left: 6m

20m walk

6 - 1 BH left 18m + 1 stirrup old right: 15m

150m walk/climb

7 -chain anchor left and 1 BH old: 8m

60m walk

8 - underwire old left + 1 bra: 8m

40m walk/climb

9 - 1 bra left and underwire right: 5m

200m walk

Bypass right

6x pools

10 - Chain anchor right: 25 m

Return: (machine translated)

Follow the hiking trail on the right after the exit back to the parking lot (10 min.)

Coordinates:

Canyon Start 47.6377 14.4562

Reports:

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Entry with Mauer 50m walk 1 - Chain anchor right: 10m or downclimb 20m walk 2 - Chain anchor right: 6m or downclimb 10m 3 - Chain anchor right: 4m + 8m or downclimb 5 pools in a row 50m walk 4 - 1 BH Right: 7m + 4m or downclimb 10m walk 5 - 1 hanger old right + chain anchor left: 6m + 20m = 1 BH left 18m + 1 stirrup old right: 15m + 150m = 150m =

2025-07-06 | GeorgB | $\reftrightharpoonup \precedet \precedet | \precedet \$

2nd tour of the day before the thunderstorms arrive. The canyon is well cleaned, belays are new and very plentiful. Unfortunately hardly any water flow, but the rock was not slippery except for the last waterfall. 1.5h for three. Dead animal in one of the pools. (machine translated)

2023-08-12 | Robert Werner | $|\square|$ $|\mathring{\mathbf{t}}|$ | $|\overset{\clubsuit}{\mathbf{t}}|$ Completed One chain stand damaged, rest ok. (machine translated)

2023-03-09 | System User | ☆ ☆ | 🎞 | 🕹 | |

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