Rheby

Create: 2023-03-09 20:51:56	**Update:** 2023-12-29 19:31:14	**Print:** 2026-10-30 12:10:42
Country: France **Region:** Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes **Subregion:** Ain **Town:** Villebois		
Difficulty: not as difficult	**Grading:** v3 a3 I	**Total time:** 2h35
Approachtime: 45min	**Tourtime:** 1h30	**Returntime:** 20min
Altitude entry: 370m	**Altitude exit:** 300m	**Delta Altitude:** 70m
Canyon length: 450m	**Highest rapell:** 10m	**Amount rapells:** 8
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:** West	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 3.8 (4)	**Info:** ★ 2.5 (2)	**Belay:** ★ 3 (3)

Specialities:
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Gear:
Ropes: 1x25m

Summary: (machine translated)
Sintered forest stream, attractive

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
Leave the A 40 freeway (Geneva-Lyon) when it turns towards Paris in the direction of Lyon. Now 10 km on the A 42 direction Lyon to leave it via the D 77E. Before Amberieu (en Bugey) one comes on the N 75, drives on this to the south. 9 km further one drives over Rhone and turns shortly afterwards in the direction of the east. On the left bank, Rhone goes up for 5.5 km. Here we leave the N 75 and cross to Villebois on the other side of the Rhone. Here we park near the church.

Approach: (machine translated)
From the church, we follow the dirt road uphill in a northerly, later north-easterly direction. We cross another path and now follow a path until a sign points to the Rhéby canyon. We continue along the path as it swings over a side stream. Continuing north across a clearing in the forest, we reach the entry point.

Tour: (machine translated)
Short but attractive, well to combine with the nearby Trefond-Pernaz and/or Arodin. Prohibited in August and from Nov. 1 to April 14 (as of 2012).

Return: (machine translated)
After the last waterfall (C9) a sign ("sortie canyon") points out to the left. It goes steeply up again to the path on which we came and on this right down to Villebois.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 45.8558 5.4455
Parking Entry and Exit 45.8491 5.4352
Canyon End 45.8572 5.4377

Reports:

2026-10-24 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rhéby Good flow of water, very deep cold pools at the bottom of abseils/toboggans. Spotted a salamander in a pool. Approach and exit well marked with blue paint. Many fallen trees along the exit path. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/224/observations.html)

2026-10-17 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rhéby (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/224/observations.html)

2026-10-05 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rhéby Jamais vu aussi peu d'eau, toutes les cascades en PF à l'exception de la chatière à sec. Cela glisse pas mal par endroit. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/224/observations.html)

2026-09-25 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rhéby Amarrages au topSuper joli, de beaux toboggans (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/224/observations.html)

2026-09-20 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rhéby La rivière commence à sentir mauvais a certains endroits .... Trop peu d' eau (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/224/observations.html)

2026-09-16 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rhéby Aucun problème avec ce débit, ça commence à sentir la vase dans certaine vasque ! Saut ok avec amortie (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/224/observations.html)

2026-09-14 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rhéby Équipement RAS, pas beaucoup d’eau mais le descente reste jolie et agréable.Attention il y a sûrement eu une course ou randonnée avec des marques bleus au sol (flèches) à l’inverse de le direction de la marche d’approche. Le départ est toujours au même endroit (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/224/observations.html)

2026-09-13 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rhéby Siphon ok Tout passe bien amortir avec ce manque d’eau (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/224/observations.html)

2026-09-09 | Jeroen Kirchner | ★ ★ ★ ⯨ |🕮 ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Clear water & afternoon sunlight, very cute. The entrance to the cave is tight and uncomfortable, even unwise to go down with a backpack., could very well be dangerous combined with a high flow. Beautiful arrival in the cave and some fun moments. 4 stars if it wasn't for the return trip.

2026-09-01 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rhéby Descendu a 3 aujourd'hui, tout est Ok, (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/224/observations.html)

2026-07-26 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👎 Not done
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rhéby Première fois dans le Rheby, c’est très joli (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/224/observations.html)

2026-07-26 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rhéby (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/224/observations.html)

2026-07-25 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rhéby Siphon passe Deux trois arbres tombés sur chemin retour (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/224/observations.html)