

# Armisa

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<b>Country:</b> Italia / Italy <b>Region:</b> Lombardia <b>Subregion:</b> Sondrio <b>Town:</b> Ponte in Valtellina		
<b>Difficulty:</b> a little difficult	<b>Grading:</b> v3 a4 III	<b>Total time:</b> 3h40
<b>Approachtime:</b> 15min	<b>Tourtime:</b> 2h45	<b>Returntime:</b> 40min
<b>Altitude entry:</b> 720m	<b>Altitude exit:</b> 600m	<b>Delta Altitude:</b> 120m
<b>Canyon length:</b> 1000m	<b>Highest rapell:</b> 15m	<b>Amount rapells:</b> 11
<b>Transport:</b> Car optional	<b>Rock type:</b>	<b>drainage area:</b> km <sup>2</sup>
<b>Season:</b>	<b>Orientation:</b>	<b>Best Time:</b>
<b>Rating:</b> ★ 2.8 (3)	<b>Info:</b> ★ 3 (1)	<b>Belay:</b> ★ 1 (1)
<b>Specialities:</b>		
<b>Gear:</b> Ropes: 2x30m		
<b>Summary:</b> (machine translated) Exposure north; mostly single pitons and slings; several escapes left; watery gneiss gorge; many slippery passages; large catchment area!		
<b>Hydrology:</b>		
<b>Access:</b> (machine translated) about 1h20min From Domaso take the SS38 towards Bormio. At the traffic circle in Montagna take the exit on the right towards Bormio/Tirano. In Porte Valtellina turn right into a small road towards Cassace (at the sign "Trattoria al Sorriso"). Take another sharp right towards Arigna. After that the road goes down over a bridge. After the bridge, turn right and follow the road until you reach a fork, where you turn left and go up the mountain road for about 4.9 km (keep right in Sazzo). Before the village of Arigna there is a small parking place next to a collection point for bottles or you can park the car beforehand at the large gravel parking place opposite the cemetery.		
<b>Approach:</b> (machine translated) About 15min From the parking lot follow the road directly to the small church in the village of Arigna. At the church you pass on the left and behind the house with the number 1 you follow the path keeping left down to the stream at about 720m.		
<b>Tour:</b> (machine translated) ca. 2,5-3h The Armisa is an aquatic not deep discontinuous and vegetated gneiss gorge with many slippery places. Due to walking in the sediment-rich stream, the water clouds quickly. At the beginning of the tour, there are some woody outcroppings that must be skillfully negotiated. Several small steps and drop-offs can ideally be jumped (always check the water depth!). At the most important steps you will also find pitons (mostly single pitons). The abseils are not high, but some of them are directly in the water and should not be underestimated. The greatest difficulty, however, is certainly the locomotion over the slippery rocks and some hidden rocks in the pool. There are several exits on the orographic left that lead directly up to the trail. After the bridge that crosses the canyon, there is a 15m rappel to the left, followed by a short walking passage over a sloping rock ledge to the right, as the rest of the route (three rappels with walking passages) is not very rewarding. If you still decide to continue the descent, you should park a shuttle car further down at Bruga.		
<b>Return:</b> (machine translated) approx. 40min Follow the trail first orographically to the right, then over the bridge and further orographically to the left back up to the village of Arigna.		

**Coordinates:**

Canyon Start [46.1400 9.9927](#)

Canyon End [46.1516 9.9835](#)

**Reports:**

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Very sparsely furnished. Cold water, some showers and (shorter) swims.; overall you are in the water a lot. No high rappels, but technical. Jump checks and hairy abseils done with man belay. Attention: one pool must be rappelled over! Little sun in the stream. Exit rd at the dilapidated bridge. Shuttle takes a long time, although it is only 6 km. (machine translated)

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Info: Teile der Canyonbeschreibung wurden automatisiert übernommen. Konkret die Felder Weblinks, Koordinaten, Rating, Ort, Länge des Canyon, Einfachseil Mindestens von <https://canyon.carto.net/cwiki/bin/view/Canyons/ArmisaCanyon.html> und <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon/21716>

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