

# Bondasca

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<b>Country:</b> Schweiz / Switzerland <b>Region:</b> Kanton Graubünden <b>Subregion:</b> Region Maloja <b>Town:</b> Bondo		
<b>Difficulty:</b> a little difficult	<b>Grading:</b> v4 a4 IV	<b>Total time:</b> 4h32
<b>Approachtime:</b> 30min	<b>Tourtime:</b> 4h	<b>Returntime:</b> 2min
<b>Altitude entry:</b> 1080m	<b>Altitude exit:</b> 830m	<b>Delta Altitude:</b> 250m
<b>Canyon length:</b> 600m	<b>Highest rapell:</b> 28m	<b>Amount rapells:</b> 17
<b>Transport:</b> on Foot	<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> ★ 3.9 (2)	<b>Info:</b> ★ 0 ()	<b>Belay:</b> ★ 0 ()

## Specialities:

### Gear:

Ropes: 2x40m (1x40m/1x30m)

### Summary: (machine translated)

After the last landslide from Piz Cengalo (2017), this canyon no longer exists in the form described. Form no longer exists, i.e. the tour description is obsolete.

Nice grippy granite rock but always some slippery passages; call EWZ +41 (0) 818243434 (but show little interest); check water level; stands partly exposed; many rappels; no known emergency exit; cold water; 2 siphons.

## Hydrology:

### Access: (machine translated)

Drive into the village of Bondo --> follow the signs to the campsite --> drive over the small bridge (=Bondasca Canyon) --> parking left in front of the campsite --> (commuting possible but not necessary as you only have 30min ascent and the use of the mountain road costs € 9,-).

### Approach: (machine translated)

From the parking lot (approx. 840m) follow the hiking trail at the signs left into the forest up to the road --> here further signs --> (if you follow the road right here, you can look into the canyon at the bridge) --> cross the road from the signs --> continue up the hiking trail until you meet the road for the 2nd time --> follow it to a barrier --> walk down the road here to the bridge below the dam wall --> entry approx. 1080m.

**Tour:** (machine translated)

At the bridge, immediately rappel 20m over the bridge railing into the canyon --> short walking section over rappelled streambed --> E2 over rock --> walking section with iron girder in the stream --> walking section over flat passage in the pool --> E over boulders and water channel approx. 8m --> walking passage up to a large boulder that can be bypassed on the right (downclimb) --> short swimming passage --> walking and climbing passage up to the 1st R15 (right) in the pool --> walking and climbing passage (2m) --> steps 4m left can be bypassed or downclimbed (E3) can be climbed down (E3) --> then you see the stone bridge --> immediately to the left is a bolt C25 in a narrow part of the gorge (the last few meters can also be jumped into the pool) --> short walking and climbing passage to the left single bolt R5 in narrow swimming passage --> canyon becomes slightly wider --> short walking and climbing passage (right rock with tree growth, here possibly emergency exit) --> left bolt (! do not rappel completely here, but rock slab to the left at the top to the optimal stand for rope retrieval. Without traverse 99% rope jamming) for traverse (15m) on large sloping slab + R20 (last meters jump into large pool --> after the pool R4 (right) on large boulder --> R5 (left) or E5 --> then you come to a huge free-standing boulder with a large tree, this right. bypass --> canyon becomes narrower --> R10 (right) cascade into small pool --> R15 (right) in overhang and large hollow --> S2 in large pool (very nice spot) --> short climbing passage (E) in watercourse --> 2 clamping blocks (siphons) which can also be bypassed on the right --> short short canyon passage (E) can be bypassed --> short walk in the watercourse to R6 (right) or S6 in the pool --> C15 (right) (very slippery) --> left bolt for rope traverse approx. 10m to belay R28 (left) in large pool --> right bolt for 20m slide --> right bolt for 20m slide. Walking passages for 20m slippery slab to 2nd belay station R10 over sloping stone slab --> small pools and R20 (left) in large pools --> approx. 150m walking over rock and stone to left stone house (exit left) --> right over bridge to parking lot.

**Return:** (machine translated)

At the stone house left over a small grassy area to the road --> right over the bridge to the parking lot.

**Coordinates:**

Canyon Start [46.3268 9.5646](#)

Canyon End [46.3339 9.5576](#)

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