Aiglun

Clue d'Aiglun,Estéron

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Country: France **Region:** Provence-Alpes-Côte-d'Azur / Provence-Alpes-Cote d'Azur **Subregion:** Alpes-Maritimes **Town:** Sellagriffon		
Difficulty: a little difficult	**Grading:** v3 a4 IV	**Total time:** 4h5
Approachtime: 45min	**Tourtime:** 3h	**Returntime:** 20min
Altitude entry: 550m	**Altitude exit:** 460m	**Delta Altitude:** 90m
Canyon length: 1200m	**Highest rapell:** 10m	**Amount rapells:** 5
Transport: Car optional	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** 170.00km²
Season: June - September	**Orientation:** South	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 4.1 (6)	**Info:** ★ 2.5 (2)	**Belay:** ★ 2.8 (4)

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 1x 30m

Summary: (machine translated)
Watery great canyon with smaller rappels, some climbing and swimming passages. This is one of a total of 4 canyoning tours along the course of the River Esteron.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
From Nice on the N 202 northwards in the direction of Digne. After about 17 km on the bridge Charles Albert over the Var turn left and the D 17 up to Gilette and on winding road further behind in the Esteron valley to Roquesteron (about 26 km from Var bridge). 3.5 km after Roquesteron turn left onto the D 10, after another 3.5 km cross the bridge at the exit of the Riolan, after another 4.5 km you reach the village of Aiglun. At the western exit of the village there is a large parking lot also for the gorges.
With the second vehicle you go back to the D 17 and there turn left to Sigale. From here along above the Clue de Riolan to the road junction at Pont de Miolans (7 km on the D 17). Here turn left onto the D 2211 and after about 4 km turn left to the village of Sallagriffon. Park the second car in the large parking lot in front of the village.

Approach: (machine translated)
From the parking lot, walk a few more meters towards the village and then take the first dirt road to the right (marked "75"). Via "75a" you reach a ridge that offers a view of the entrance to the Aiglun gorge. You come to an information board. At the "75b" marker, turn right off the hiking trail onto a path and head southwest down to the stream.
If you only have one vehicle, you can reach the entry from the village of Aiglun on a mountain path over the ridge of Mont St Martin (1257 m), see also wikiloc link.

Tour: (machine translated)
With a catchment area of 170 square kilometers, the attractive canyon with its narrow wood-blocked passages is life-threatening when the water swells.
Similar to the neighboring Riolan, the water is regularly cloudy, so that the few climbing options must be sounded out beforehand.
In some places, fixed ropes are used across and above the chute to avoid the arduous and sometimes difficult climbing over the blocked wood in the chute.

Return: (machine translated)
100 m before the road bridge, the sign "Sortie" obligatorily indicates the exit. You climb up a good path (beautiful views!), then see the village of Aiglun at the top and then reach it in a few minutes.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 43.8732 6.9048
Canyon End 43.8631 6.9070
Parking at Entry 43.8827 6.9039
Parking at Exit 43.8588 6.9136

Reports:

2026-09-26 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Aiglun Descendu avec nicobat et math-04.Agréable descente.RAS (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2223/observations.html)

2026-08-12 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Aiglun Le canyon a pris la crue aujourd'hui en fin d'après-midi. Ça risque d'être marron pour quelques jours (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2223/observations.html)

2026-08-04 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Aiglun Tout passe dans l’actif (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2223/observations.html)

2026-08-01 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Aiglun Beaucoup de limon, il faut sonder ou connnaitre le canyon avant de sauter ⚠ (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2223/observations.html)

2026-07-31 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Aiglun Fait avec 6Squal en A/R (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2223/observations.html)

2026-07-28 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 High | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Aiglun Parcour intégral en 2h, avec 2 ados40min d'approche RAS sur l'équipement, attention les sauts car pas de visibilité et nombreux troncs (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2223/observations.html)

2026-07-20 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Aiglun Fait seul en rétro le débit le permettant jusqu' à mi-parcours jusqu' à la fin du premier resserrement ,car arrivé à la grande cascade, absence de mains-courantes suffisamment sécurisées en RG , il me manquait qq cm pour y accéder, prévoir une télesco dans son sac...? Attention beaucoup de troncs , branches d' arbres dans l' eau autant de pièges si on saute .Pour info Hébergement à l' Auberge de Calendal d' Aiglun avec magnifique vue sur la clue .Et + Cascade de Végay (140 m) interdite mais à découvrir absolument (équipée MC pour accéder à la grande chute) 1/2 h à pieds depuis le hameau de Vascognes , accès le plus court . Eau très froide venant de Gréolières.Et++ à ne pas manquer l' incroyable village de Gars où une résurgence miraculeuse de fort débit sort de la falaise et plein d' autres belles choses à voir encore dans ce secteur Aiglun Sallagriffon Les Mujouls St Auban (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2223/observations.html)

2026-07-19 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-07-14 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-07-05 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 High | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Aiglun Débit ludique. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2223/observations.html)

2026-07-05 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Aiglun Débit correct +, nombreux embâcles, arbres ou blocs à éviter. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2223/observations.html)

2026-07-04 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Aiglun Ne connaissant pas le canyon, nous avons un peu varié entre mains courantes et passages dans l'actif. La marche d'approche sans navette se fait bien car versant ouest donc pas eu beaucoup le soleil sur nous, il vaut vraiment le coup car tracé dans la falaise et