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Country: Italia / Italy **Region:** Piemonte **Subregion:** Verbano-Cusio-Ossola **Town:** Mondelli		
Difficulty: difficult	**Grading:** v4 a5 III	**Total time:** 2h30
Approachtime: 15min	**Tourtime:** 2h	**Returntime:** 15min
Altitude entry: 1280m	**Altitude exit:** 1150m	**Delta Altitude:** 130m
Canyon length: 400m	**Highest rapell:** 35m	**Amount rapells:** 6
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:** granite	**Drainage area:** 12.15km²
Season:	**Orientation:** South	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 4.7 (31)	**Info:** ★ 2.8 (20)	**Belay:** ★ 2.9 (26)

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x40m

Summary: (machine translated)
One of the most beautiful aquatic open granite gorges in the area (Domodossola); plenty of opportunities for jumping and slides; Monte Rosa granite; deep, sometimes turbulent pools; clean, cold, clear water; very well equipped; some exposed belay stations, a few difficult emergency exits; best time to visit is after 11 a.m. due to southern exposure; beautiful views of the Monte Rosa massif.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
From Domodossola South take the SS33 main road towards Milano. Then take the Piedimulera/Vogagna/Pallenzeno exit. At the 1st traffic circle turn left towards Vogagna. At the next traffic circle turn right towards Piedimulera and at the 3rd traffic circle go straight on. Then keep right, direction Macugnaga. From here follow the mountain road for about 30min. After the village of Ceppo Morelli, take a sharp right up the very steep mountain road to Mondelli. After several tight serpentine curves, the road ends at the Mondelli parking lot (limited parking).

Approach: (machine translated)
From the parking lot, follow the signs for Passo Mondelli. Before going up to the entry, check the water level at the exit of the intermedio. To do this, go down the path to the left of the beautifully painted house in the direction of Macugnaga until you reach the bridge. After the check, go back to the village and continue up towards Passo Mondelli. Without taking a fork, follow the path until you reach the sign "Cascata Mondelli". Here continue on the left until you reach the stream (entry Mondelli intermedio) at about 1260m.

Tour: (machine translated)
Anyone who has mastered the rope techniques for aquatic canyons should have done this canyon (weather and water level permitting). The canyon offers everything that makes an experienced canyoneer's heart beat faster; abseils in the water, jumps and slides into deep, crystal-clear pools. Very continuous from start to exit. The beautiful pools and the water pressure should not be underestimated, however, as some pools can recede, especially in the lower part of the Mondelli intermedio. The first high rappel can be completely bypassed/downclimbed on the right side. The stands for the subsequent rappels are usually positioned so that you can also rappel outside the water jet. Canyoneers who like to jump and slide will get their money's worth and save about 30 minutes on the descent. The exit is before the bridge at 1150m.

Return: (machine translated)
After the last pool before the bridge (at about 1150m) you should get out on the right. (From here begins the even more demanding lower part of the canyon). Here you go left over the old wooden bridge and shortly back to the village and parking lot.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 45.9784 8.0348
Parking Entry and Exit 45.9733 8.0403
Canyon End 45.9752 8.0358

Reports:

2026-10-05 | Alexelli | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ | | 👍 Completed
With so little water, there are no particular difficulties (machine translated)

2026-09-26 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Mondelli (médian) Toujours aussi beau depuis dix jours, enchaîné avec l'aval ce coup ci (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/21019/observations.html)

2026-09-26 | Ivan I. | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Not much water, everything's perfect (machine translated)

2026-09-23 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Mondelli (médian) Done as part of integrale - upper, middle and lower. Equipment good throughout. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/21019/observations.html)

2026-09-20 | Ivan | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Low water level. All equipment in good condition. A beautiful, varied gorge with several technical sections in the lower part. Fixed ropes to exit the lower section. (machine translated)

2026-09-15 | Wolfgang | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ⯨ |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
That's when the sun came out. Great, as always (machine translated)

2026-09-13 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Mondelli (médian) DC+. Canyon vraiment fun avec des obstacles qui s'enchaînent super bien et des vasques magnifiques. Fait avec la première moitié de la partie inf pour faire durer un peu le plaisir. Hâte d'y retourner pour faire l'intégrale. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/21019/observations.html)

2026-09-11 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Mondelli (médian) (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/21019/observations.html)

2026-09-06 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Mondelli (médian) (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/21019/observations.html)

2026-09-03 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👎 Not done
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Mondelli (médian) Ras comme ricarcoca (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/21019/observations.html)

2026-09-03 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Mondelli (médian) Ras ! Beaucoup de possibilités de sauts et tobs mais pas de piège ! Incroyable ! La cotation devrait être revue à la hausse à notre avis... (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/21019/observations.html)

2026-09-03 | Horst Lambauer | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ⯨ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Everything's in good shape, everything's tip-top. What a wonderful Fun Canyon! (machine translated)

2026-09-01 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Mondelli (médian) Un magnifique canyon, une eau aux couleurs magnifiques et beaucoup de plaisir à faire des sauts et des tobs. Est-ce que quelqu'un a déjà fait la tob sur le bras orographique gauche de la première grande cascade ? (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/21019/observations.html)

2026-09-01 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Mondelli (médian) (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/21019/observations.html)

2026-08-28 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Crazy | 👍 Completed

Parts:
Mondelli sup, v4 a4 II, 45min+2h+10min
Mondelli int, v4 a5 III, 15min+2h+15min
Mondelli inf, v5 a5 IV, 10min+4h+10min