Rots de Balme

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Country: France **Region:** Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes **Subregion:** Haute-Savoie **Town:** Magland		
Difficulty: not as difficult	**Grading:** v3 a3 II	**Total time:** 2h5
Approachtime: 15min	**Tourtime:** 1h40	**Returntime:** 10min
Altitude entry: 700m	**Altitude exit:** 620m	**Delta Altitude:** 80m
Canyon length: 1000m	**Highest rapell:** 25m	**Amount rapells:** 6
Transport: Car optional	**Rock type:** limestone	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:** South	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 3.1 (8)	**Info:** ★ 3 (3)	**Belay:** ★ 3 (4)

Specialities:
§ Regulated, Fun canyon,

Gear:
Ropes: 2x 25m

Summary: (machine translated)
Open rappel and slide canyon, also suitable for beginners.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
From Geneva on the A 40 in the direction of Sallanches, Chamonix. Take exit 19 (" ... Flaine") and then turn right onto the N 205 and after about 2 km turn left onto the D 6 to Flaine. Leave one vehicle at the bridge.
With the other one, continue uphill in serpentines. In the third hairpin bend to the right, a small road branches off to the left. Park the second vehicle here (approx. 2 km after the lower parking lot).

Approach: (machine translated)
From the parking lot, follow the hiking trail sign uphill. Before the small wooden bridge, turn left and head down toward the stream.

Tour: (machine translated)
Attractive, varied canyon - heavily frequented, also used commercially. Seasonal bans when water levels are low (see: http://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning.php/208-2145-canyons.html)

Several parts in the upper section, fun stream in the lower part

Return: (machine translated)
At the small water intake, get off the trail on the orographic right and follow the path uphill to the road (Sortie Canyon sign).

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 46.0482 6.6147
Canyon End 46.0428 6.6119
Parking at Exit 46.0446 6.6114
Waypoint 46.0445 6.6109

Reports:

2026-10-12 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-10-01 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rots de Balme Les mains courantes du bas de la première partie sont en mauvaises état, sinon ras, les points en place sont en bonne état, partie basse toujours aussi sympas (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2145/observations.html)

2026-09-27 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rots de Balme Nice short canyon. We can imagine the beauty of it with normal water levels. Wel equipped (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2145/observations.html)

2026-08-23 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-08-15 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rots de Balme Parcouru les deux parties. Canyon assez court au final, on a mis 1h45 à 2 sans se presser du tout.Il y a certes beaucoup de groupes, mais ils arrivent par grappe et une fois qu'on les laisse passer on n'est pas gênés. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2145/observations.html)

2026-08-06 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-07-23 | Zuriza11 | ⭐ ⭐ ⭐ |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Water level is very low in the upper pools. The slides in the lower section are all fine. (machine translated)

2026-07-20 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rots de Balme DC-- ; Une belle première partie et une deuxième partie "Aqualand" qui manque de saveurs. Malheureusement, beaucoup (trop) de guides même avec un départ à 12h : à un moment donnée, nous étions quasiment 20 personnes dans une vasque. A faire hors période touristique. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2145/observations.html)

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2026-07-16 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Rots de Balme De 10h30 à 13h30, fini juste à temps avant les rotations guides (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2145/observations.html)

2026-07-14 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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