Rio Pliz (inferiore)

Rio Pliz,Pliz

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Country: Italia / Italy **Region:** Friuli Venezia Giulia **Subregion:** Udine **Town:** Chiusaforte		
Difficulty: difficult	**Grading:** v5 a2 III	**Total time:** 3h10
Approachtime: 40min	**Tourtime:** 2h15	**Returntime:** 15min
Altitude entry: 700m	**Altitude exit:** 560m	**Delta Altitude:** 140m
Canyon length: 800m	**Highest rapell:** 70m	**Amount rapells:** 6
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 3.4 (9)	**Info:** ★ 2.6 (8)	**Belay:** ★ 2.4 (7)

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x70m (2x50m)

Summary: (machine translated)
Small catchment area; standings need improvement; nice, vertical canyon without longer walking passages; 70m waterfall can be subdivided; clean water; can be combined well with Rio Malimberg (recommendation: first Rio Pliz, then Rio Malimberg); 3mm neoprene is usually sufficient.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
From Hotel Carnia take the SS13 in the direction of Tarvisio. At the exit of Chiusaforte turn right towards "Sella Nevea"/Raccolana. Follow this road straight on, go through the avalanche gallery and continue straight on. About 4 km after the avalanche gallery you will reach the village of "Saletto". Here you turn left (over the bridge) towards "Chiout Cali". At the entrance of the village you cross "Rio Malimberg". Immediately after the bridge park on the right (next to the power house).

Approach: (machine translated)
At the power house after the bridge, you can already see the hiking trail marker 641 (note: on the Tabacco map, the hiking trail is already marked before the bridge. But this is wrong!) Immediately after the power house, follow the access road up to the first house. The path goes between the houses until you come to asphalt again. Continue right here in the direction of the electricity pylons, where there is another trail marker 641. From now on, the trail is clear and you follow this (641) for about 30 minutes steeply through the forest, past the old wooden bridge (Rio Malimberg) to Rio Pliz. At the entry at 700Hm you will find a wooden sign with the inscription "Riu Plis"

Tour: (machine translated)
The Rio Pliz is a very open rappel canyon with a beautiful layer. There are no major difficulties at the abseiling points due to the mostly low water flow.
At the entry of the Rio Pliz inferiore you start with a small downclimb/slide and are immediately in front of the highest point (70m). The stance is OK but exposed on the left side. If you do not have a 70m ropes, the abseiling point can be divided into 20+50m. The route then continues vertically without much distance to the end. Some nice pools provide a welcome cooling in between before you reach the stone bridge/exit at approx. 570m.

Return: (machine translated)
Once you reach the stone bridge at 570m, exit the canyon to the right. From here, follow (right) first the forest road and then the asphalt road to the parking lot at the bridge.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 46.4072 13.3792
Parking Entry and Exit 46.4056 13.3712
Canyon End 46.4055 13.3800

Reports:

2026-06-13 | Marosffy Dániel | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🕮 ★ ★ | ⚓ ★ ★ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
The entire canyon is surprisingly vertival with big steps. The dead goat is on the half way now, the next flood might put it in the hanging pool, that it will not leave for a while.

2026-06-07 | Bernhard | ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🕮 ★ ★ ★ | ⚓ ★ ★ ★ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Great facilities. Fun, high rappels—everything's great (machine translated)

2026-05-03 | Manfred Danglmaier | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ½ | 🕮 ★ ★ ★ | ⚓ ★ ★ ★ | ≋ Low | 👍 Completed
Access partly a bit overgrown, stands very good, the last stand could be renewed, super in the sun, in combination with Malimberg a superiore thing (machine translated)

2025-08-29 | System User | | 🕮 | ⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Pliz Fait après la pluie, seulement partie inférieure, avant de faire Malimberg. Un saut possible au point de départ. Ensuite, succession de rappels bien équipés, mais sur des roches qui attaquent les cordes... (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/22128/observations.html)

2025-07-26 | Péter Bonczi | | 🕮 | ⚓ | ≋ Crazy | 👎 Not done
Water level this morning. Photographed from the exit bridge. (machine translated)

2024-10-13 | System User | | 🕮 | ⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Pliz Sceso solo parte inferiore fino al torrente Raccolana ed anche le calate sotto il ponte sono ben armate (con un armo si superano due salti).Armi praticamente Pro Canyon.Un tronco instabile è stato spostato in una pozza per aiutare a disarrampicare un salto.Avvicinamento non così brutto come leggo, ma dipende dalle esperienze nei sentieri.Vista spettacolosa sulla val Raccolana e nell'altro lato del Pliz ci sono almeno un paio di inforramenti molto interessanti...da esplorare. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/22128/observations.html)

2024-07-15 | System User | | 🕮 | ⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Pliz Approach for a hiking path is in a very bad shape.We did only the lower part.It's a very nice and sunny canyon. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/22128/observations.html)

2024-07-15 | Bina | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🕮 ★ ★ | ⚓ ★ ★ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Considering that the access is supposed to be a hiking trail, it is in very poor condition. According to the pictures, the Pliz has as much water as it did at the exit in April. We really enjoyed the canyon. (machine translated)

2024-04-29 | Anja Rot | ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🕮 ★ ★ ★ | ⚓ ★ ★ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
All good.

2024-04-29 | Rick Paapy | ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🕮 ★ ★ ★ | ⚓ ★ ★ | ≋ Low | 👍 Completed
All anchor good state. Becarefull for sharp rocks and the 2nd waterfall for retrieving your rope!!! Top section looksawesome

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2023-07-22 | Rok | ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🕮 ★ ★ ★ | ⚓ ★ ★ ★ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Currently normal water level. All stands in good condition. If no stand available, can be rappelled from the tree. We have changed a muddy loop (last rappel before the bridge). Approach is growing again a little bit. (machine translated)

2023-04-11 | Daniel Sturm | | 🕮 ★ ★ | ⚓ | | 👎 Not done
Coordinates and description edited. (machine translated)

2023-03-09 | System User | ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🕮 | ⚓ | |
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/RioPlizCanyon.html und https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon/22128

2023-03-09 | System User | ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🕮 | ⚓ | |
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