Val Progero (superiore)

Ri della Palme

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Country: Schweiz / Switzerland **Region:** Kanton Tessin / Cantone Ticino **Subregion:** Bezirk Bellinzona **Town:** Bellinzona		
Difficulty: not as difficult	**Grading:** v3 a3 II	**Total time:** 3h
Approachtime: 45min	**Tourtime:** 2h	**Returntime:** 15min
Altitude entry: 545m	**Altitude exit:** 460m	**Delta Altitude:** 85m
Canyon length: m	**Highest rapell:** 17m	**Amount rapells:** 8
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:**	**drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ⭐ 2.7 (4)	**Info:** ⭐ 2.4 (5)	**Belay:** ★ 2.5 (4)
Specialities:		
Gear: Ropes: 2x 20m		

Summary: (machine translated)
Rappel canyon with a somewhat gloomy ambience in places. Not very vertical in the upper parts.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
From Bellinzona, take the road along the right bank of the Ticino in the direction of Tenero and Locarno. Pass through the village of Sementina and about 3 km after Sementina turn right off the main road into the village of Gudo. 300 m after the turn-off from the main road, after the church, go up to the right, immediately turn left again and go straight on for 600 m. You reach a 180° right turn. You reach a 180° rightward haipin bend, after which there is a good parking place on the right.

Approach: (machine translated)
30 m further up the road you will find a signpost on the left "Monts del Laghetto". Follow this path uphill for about half an hour until you reach a junction with signposts. Turn left here and 100 m further on you will find the entry to the lower part at a bridge, about 50 m before the bridge a path branches off steeply uphill. Follow this until you come to the next path, which you follow to the right and cross into the canyon.

Tour: (machine translated)
Mainly less vertical tour, without any cruxes.
Despite the open character of the canyon, only a few emergency exits are obvious.

Return: (machine translated)
Get off at the bridge that marks the entry to the lower part and descend the way you came up.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 46.1828 8.9419
Canyon End 46.1795 8.9438
Parking Entry and Exit 46.1761 8.9444
Waterlevel Meter Site 46.1746 8.9398

Reports:

2024-06-26 | Horst Lambauer | ⭐⭐ | 📖 ★★★ | ⚓ ★★★ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
You can definitely do it if you're already there. But the Inferiore is the nicer part. Stands ok (machine translated)

2024-06-02 | Alex | ⭐⭐⭐ | 📖 ★★★ | ⚓ ★★★ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
rewarding, beautiful, easy to grip. Anchorages: present everywhere and stable. Description: we needed a total of 2.5 hours for the sup and the inf and we did it comfortably. The times in the description are therefore rather too high. (machine translated)

2024-06-02 | Bavarian Canyoning | ⭐⭐⭐ | 📖 ★ | ⚓ ★ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Picks are available, but often deformed due to pushing. At the beginning of the tour you have to reckon with some wood, where you often have to downclimb in between. The rappels are sometimes very slippery and not particularly high, but very beautiful to look at due to the rock. Just the right thing to warm up for the lower part of the canyon. (machine translated)

2024-04-20 | Alex Arnold | ⭐⭐ | 📖 ★ | ⚓ ★ | 〰 High | 👍 Completed
Beautiful in spring (machine translated)

2023-09-28 | Daniel Sturm | | 📖 | ⚓ | |
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2023-04-05 | Daniel Sturm | | 📖 ★★ | ⚓ | | 👎 Not done
Canyon created. (machine translated)