

# Gerra

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**Country:** Schweiz / Switzerland **Region:** Kanton Tessin / Cantone Ticino **Subregion:** Bezirk Locarno **Town:** Gambarogno

**Difficulty:** difficult

**Grading:** v5 a2 III

**Total time:** 4h10

**Approachtime:** 25min

**Tourtime:** 3h

**Returntime:** 45min

**Altitude entry:** 870m

**Altitude exit:** 450m

**Delta Altitude:** 420m

**Canyon length:** 1700m

**Highest rapell:** 61m

**Amount rapells:** 13

**Transport:** Car optional

**Rock type:**

**drainage area:** 1.90km<sup>2</sup>

**Season:**

**Orientation:**

**Best Time:**

**Rating:** ★ 0 ()

**Info:** ★ 0 ()

**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

**Specialities:**

**Gear:**

Ropes: 2x 60m

**Summary:** (machine translated)

Manual raw data import from Ropewiki <https://ropewiki.com/Gerra>

2/4 stars

Descent with some big verticals. If entry and exit were shorter, you could do this more often. (machine translated)

**Hydrology:**

**Access:**

**Approach:** (machine translated)

Without moving:

Without shuttle: from the parking lot in the valley first on the asphalt road asphalt road in the direction of Monti di Gerra. In the village of Cheventino it is then possible to take take the road to cut a few hairpin bends. Once in Monti di Gerra, follow the signs for the approach with the shuttle bus. Approx. 1h 30min for 630 m D+

With shuttle:

From the mountain station, follow the flat path that leads towards the mountain pasture, gaining altitude with a few hairpin bends and hairpin bends in altitude and leave the mountain pasture in the direction of Monti di Sant'Abbondio. Ignore a few tributaries until you reach the main branch of the Gerra (46°06'37.9 "N 8°47'58.7 "E). Approx. 25 minutes for 100 m D+.

Car transfer: 6km

**Tour:** (machine translated)

01- C17 (nat dx)  
02- C20 (1 dx)  
03- C15 (1 dx)  
04- C15 (nat dx)  
05- C15 (1 dx)  
06- C50 (2 sx)  
07- C10 (nat centrale)  
08- C8 (2 sx)  
09- C60 (2 sx)  
010- C25 (1 sx)  
011- C30 (nat sx)  
012- C10 (1 dx)  
013- C15 (1 sx)  
014- C10 (nat centrale)

**Commitment:**

No escape routes known.

**Return:** (machine translated)

Way back: After the last vertical section, there is a long path in the streambed, about 800 m, to a flood wall. Here it is you can turn right into the tunnel and soon reach the village and the cars. village and the cars. Approx. 45 minutes for 250 m D-.

**Coordinates:**

Canyon Start [46.1105 8.7997](#)  
Parking at Entry [46.1185 8.8009](#)  
Parking at Exit [46.1226 8.7838](#)  
Canyon End [46.1157 8.7896](#)

**Reports:**

First descent: 01.01.2022 by apertura Gruppo Speleologico CAI Varese