Iragna (Intermedio)

Iragna intermedio, Riale di Iragna

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Country: Schweiz / Switzerland Region: Kanton Tessin / Cantone Ticino Subregion: Bezirk Riviera Town: Iragna		
Difficulty: a little difficult	Grading: v4 a4 IV	Total time: 3h
Approachtime: 40min	Tourtime: 2h	Returntime: 20min
Altitude entry: 560m	Altitude exit: 420m	Delta Altitude: 140m
Canyon length: 350m	Highest rapell: 40m	Amount rapells: 10
Transport: on Foot	Rock type: gneiss	drainage area: km²
Season: June - September	Orientation: Northeast	Best Time: 10-15 o clock
Rating: 🖈 4.6 (18)	Info: 🖈 2.6 (11)	Belay: ★ 2.7 (17)

Specialities:

Gear:

Ropes: 2x 40m

Summary: (machine translated)

Technically challenging, beautiful aquatic canyon with crystal clear water and deep pools; many possible jumps; several rope traverses allow to bypass dangerous places, but problematic at high water levels.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)

From Biasca drive in the direction of Bellinzona. At the main road near Iragna turn right and park at the large parking lot at the beginning of the village (sports field).

Approach: (machine translated)

From the parking lot walk in the direction of the village center/bridge. Then left along the stream --> after the barrier you can see the last rappel (water level control) --> on the left side it goes past the material ropeway --> hiking trail up past the back of the houses --> hiking trail goes over small stone bridge --> signpost --> small house --> stone steps with railing --> iron gate --> chapel --> follow hiking trail until you leave approx. 510Hm --> left narrow trail down to the stream.

Tour: (machine translated)

Wild and attractive canyon for experienced canyoneers. Walk with as little water as possible.\nAt the abseil point in the chute, which is about 15 m long and the end of which cannot be seen, be sure to traverse along the edge to the right to the intermediate level not yet visible from the first abseil point!\nIn general, the ascent of the lower part is connected.

Return: (machine translated)

Either before the last part turn left out onto the path and down along it, or later out onto the stone bridge if you don't want to go all the way to the exit of the second part.

Coordinates:

Canyon End <u>46.3291 8.9618</u> Canyon Start <u>46.3277 8.9578</u>

Parking Entry and Exit 46.3279 8.9682 Waterlevel Meter Site 46.3291 8.9659

Reports: 2024-09-21 | System User | | 🕮 | 🕏 Normal | 🖒 Completed Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Iragna (superieur II) Avons réalisé l'intégrale. DC, glissant +++ mais sublime au possible! (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyondebit/21698/observations.html) 2024-09-19 | System User | | 🕮 | 🕏 Normal | 🖒 Completed Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Iragna (superieur II) A faire en intégralité, rien à jeter dans ce canyon fantastique de A à Z (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyondebit/21698/observations.html) | 2024-09-19 | System User | | 🕮 | 🗘 | 🧮 Normal | 🖒 Completed Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Iragna (superieur II) Privilégier l'intégral. Tronçons homogènes absolument magnifiques. Fait en 6h30 à 2 sans compter un repas chaud et le secours hélico du jour (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/21698/observations.html) 2024-09-18 | Joey CIA | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ∮ | 🏻 | ♣ ★ | 🏯 Normal | 🧀 Completed Everything OK. (machine translated) 2024-09-16 | System User | |□ |♣ | ≋ Normal | ♠ Completed Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Iragna (superieur II) (Quelle: https://www.descentecanyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/21698/observations.html) 2024-09-15 | Jason Walker | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🏳 ★ ★ | 🕹 ★ ★ | 🏯 Normal | 🖒 Completed Not sure the canyon is "technically demanding" compared to others. Perhaps at higher flows actively belaying is nessesary to avoid being washed over the next waterfall. The infinity pools and slippery wet granite would prove very difficult in high flows for sure. At the level I went down at, it was easy. Slides and jumps. A fixed line abseil or two. Super super good. Packed full of guests on the weekends! Picture for flow reference. It hasn't rained here in a while, so perhaps this is actually a low flow, not normal? |2024-09-11 | System User | | 🏻 | 🗗 | 🧮 High | 🖒 Completed Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Iragna (superieur II) Team international brams Wolfgang Andy fait integral (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyondebit/21698/observations.html) 2024-09-11 | Wolfgang | ☆ ☆ ☆ ∮ | 🏻 | 🗘 ★ ★ | 🏯 Normal | 🖒 Completed Four of us walked all 3 parts; well flushed by rain 2 days before, it was a lot of fun. Everything OK (machine translated) 2024-09-07 | Clarissa Linder | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🏳 ★ ★ ★ | 🕁 ★ ★ | 🏯 Normal | 👉 Completed Everything perfect. Superiore+Intermedio+Inferiore combined. (machine translated) 2024-08-30 | System User | | 🕮 | 🕏 Normal | 🖒 Completed Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Iragna (superieur II) Descente à partir de l'intermédiaire. Risque de coincement de corde en bas de la cascade C24 dans la faille (la corde peut être aspirée entre les blocs au pied de la gerbe). Rien d'autre à signaler. (Quelle: https://www.descentecanyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/21698/observations.html) 2024-08-25 | Massimo Loriato | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🏳 ★ ★ ★ | 🕏 Mormal | 🗀 Completed Quite slippery, all anchors in order, clear water with good/low level. Superiore + intermedio + inferiore in 4h30 in a group of 9. 2024-08-24 | System User | | 🕮 | 🕏 Normal | 🖒 Completed Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Iragna (superieur II) DC- Very low waterlevel for this season. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/21698/observations.html) 2024-08-24 | Bina | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ∮ | 🏻 | ♣ 🛊 | 🧮 Low | 🖒 Completed Always beautiful. (machine translated)

2024-08-23 | System User | |□ |♣ | ≋ Normal | ♣ Completed

Parts:

Iragna (superiore superiore superiore), v3 a3 III, ++ Iragna (superiore superiore), v5 a3 III, ++ Iragna (superiore), v5 a4 IV, 20min+3h+20min Iragna (Intermedio), v4 a4 IV, 40min+2h+20min Iragna (Inferiore), v4 a4 II, 20min+2h30+5min