

Chärstelenbach

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Pays: Schweiz / Switzerland **Région:** Kanton Uri **Sous-région:** Silenen **Ville:** Bristen

Difficulté: difficile

Niveau: v5 a5 V

Temps total: 9h45

Temps approche: 4h

Temps tour: 5h

Temps de retour: 45min

Altitude d'entrée: 1900m

Altitude de sortie: 1490m

Altitude du delta: 410m

Longueur du canyon: 2200m

Rapelle le plus haut: 35m

Nombre de rapelles: 16

Transport: à pied

Type de roche: limestone

Zone de prise d'eau: 23.00km²

Saison: octobre - novembre

Orientation: Est

Meilleur moment: 8-14 Heures

Évaluation: ★ 5 (1)

Info: ★ 1 (1)

Belay: ★ 2 (1)

Spécialités:

Glacier dans le bassin versant,

Matériel:

Cordes: 2x40m

Lampe frontale, outil de forage,

Résumé: (traduction alternative)

Glacier canyon, very long, very dark, very dangerous.

Hydrologie:

Grosser Gletscher im Einzugsgebiet. Ende Oktober ist um 13:00 noch nicht viel von der Schmelze zu bemerken, um 15:00 aber dann schon fast das doppelte.

Accès: (traduction alternative)

Take the highway from Lucerne in the direction of Gotthard and exit at Amsteg. Cross the village and turn left up the small road through the Maderanertal valley to the village of Bristen. Cross the village and park in the cable car parking lots.

An Alpine cab shuttle is available to shorten the journey from Bristen to Guferen (approx. 2 hours) (road closed to traffic). The price is CHF 100 and the Alpentaxi can only take 6 people!

Approche: (traduction alternative)

Walk up the valley towards the village of Guferen, cross the bed of the Chärstelenbach stream and follow the path on the right bank of the Chärstelenbach stream towards the village of Blindensee. Cross the stream there to switch to the left bank and follow the path towards Hüfihütte. At an altitude of around 2,200 m, you reach the glacier by descending through a couloir and then over limestone slabs to reach the left bank of the glacier at an altitude of around 2,020 m. Follow the left edge of the glacier to about 1985 meters. Go into the hole on the left bank of the glacier to reach the watercourse and the start of the canyon.

Allow 1 hour for the approach to cross the glacier and walk along the limestone slabs on the right bank, then rappel down one of the 80 meters as you dispense with the upper part below the glacier!!!!

Tour: (traduction alternative)

First indentation under the glacier with about 14 waterfalls. After leaving the first indentation, you reach the Hūfisee on the left, follow it on the left and reach the second incised part with about 6 to 7 obstacles (alt. 1670m)

Commitment

A big commitment! No way out except after the first notch at the level of the Hūfisee. 1st committed part because under the glacier with the potential risk of the canyon being blocked by ice and 2nd committed part because of a considerable amount of water!

Period/water character

Autumn canyon to be done when temperatures drop in altitude but before the first snow to facilitate the long approach and reduce the risk of avalanches and glacier crossings.

Notes

An 80m rope is essential to get to the start of the canyon if you don't want to attempt the upper part below the glacier, and a 60m rope will allow you to gain enough distance to recover the ropes in the canyon.

The uphill part has been opened up using caving techniques (fixed ropes) so that you can turn back. Be careful and vigilant when you set off! Icefalls could block this part of the canyon!

Retour: (traduction alternative)

At the exit of the second inlet in the Griesboden district, walk along the watercourse and reach the Riedbödmer district. Walk along the left bank and after about 10 minutes you will reach the approach path and follow it to Guferen and/or Bristen.

Coordonnées:

Départ du Canyon [46.8079 8.8240](#)

Fin du Canyon [46.7982 8.8024](#)

Point de repère [46.8081 8.8229](#)

Parking à l'entrée et à la sortie [46.7664 8.7107](#)

Point de repère [46.7804 8.7756](#)

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Upper part: You can easily get through under the avalanche snow. Watch out for falling rocks from the side. Access via the rocks orographically to the right. If you take the access described in the book, you still need anchors to get into the canyon. All anchors in the canyon have been renewed. The water level is manageable without problems if you start early. Lower part: About 4 times the amount of water. We drilled a new anchor on the third rappel so that the lower parts can be climbed even when there is a lot of water. The rock is also slippery. (traduction alternative)

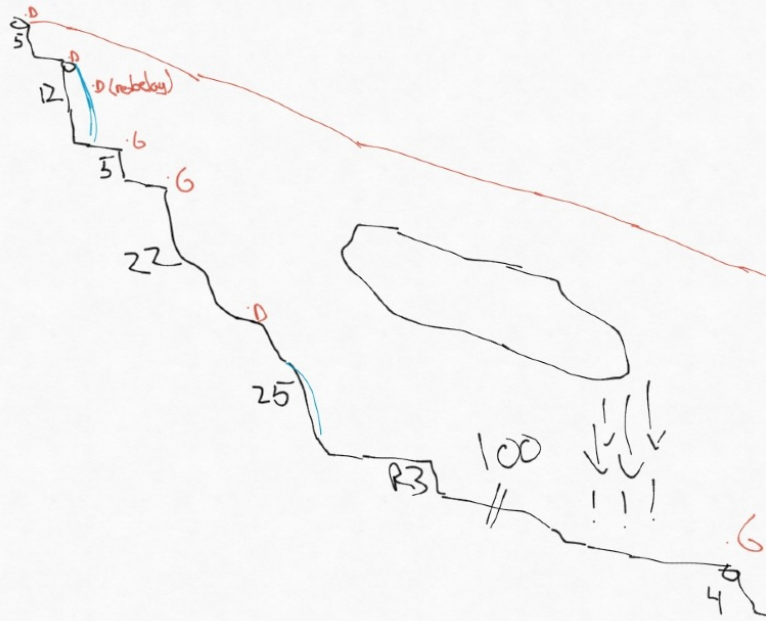
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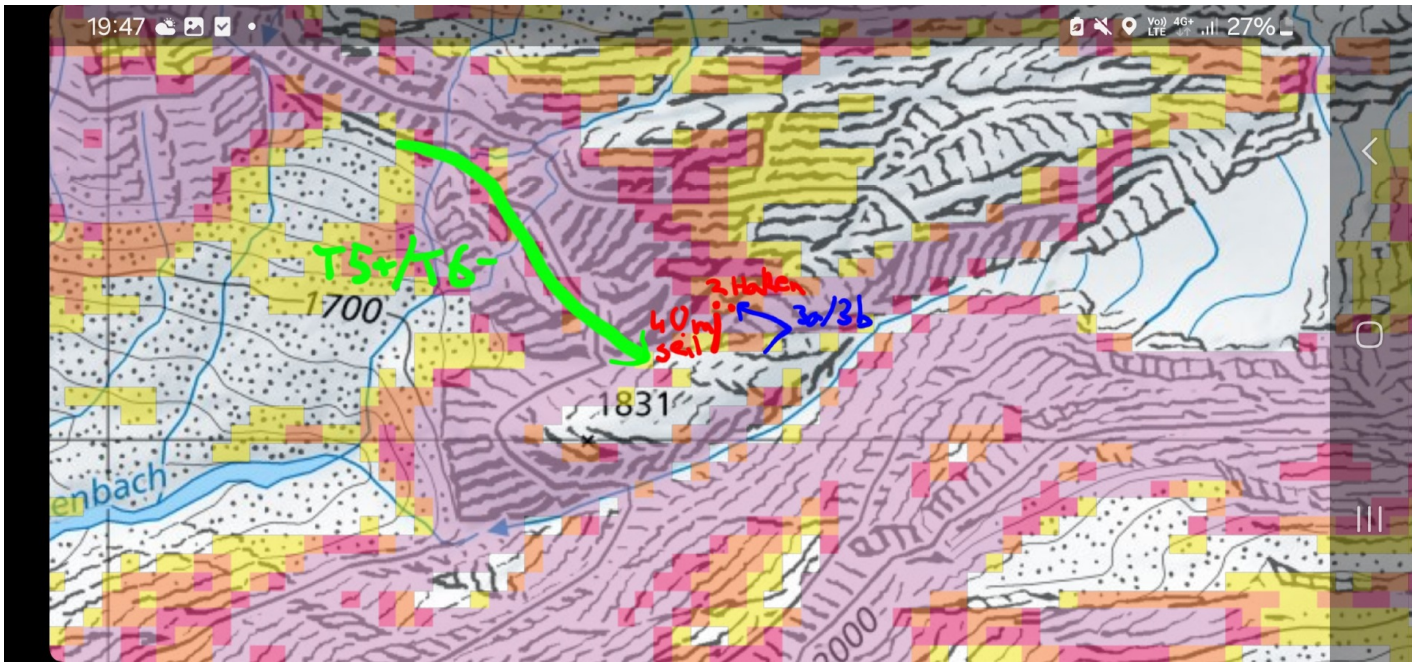
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