

## Rio Ciorosolin

### Description

Beautiful and challenging canyon in a pristine and wild environment characterized by an incredibly tight stretch. The route, although not very interesting in the first section, is considered as one not to be missed but it is only recommended for experienced canyoneers.

### Zone

Friuli Venezia Giulia - Claut (PN)

### Elevation and length

Entrance	1229 m
Exit	857 m
Height difference	372 m
Length	1800 m
Highest pitch	42 m

### Advised decent period

From July to September

### Exposure

South

### Timings

Approach	1 h
Descent	6 h 30 mins
Return	10 mins

### Shuttle

No

### Anchors

More or less sufficient.

### Advised ropes

2 of 50 m + emergency rope

### Gear

Complete wetsuit and bolting kit

### Escapes

In the first half of the route there may be the possibility to exit at certain points on the left (unchecked). There are no possible exits in the lower part of the canyon.

### Map

Carta Tabacco 1:25000 foglio n° 021 - Dolomiti di sinistra Piave

### Interest

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### Difficulty

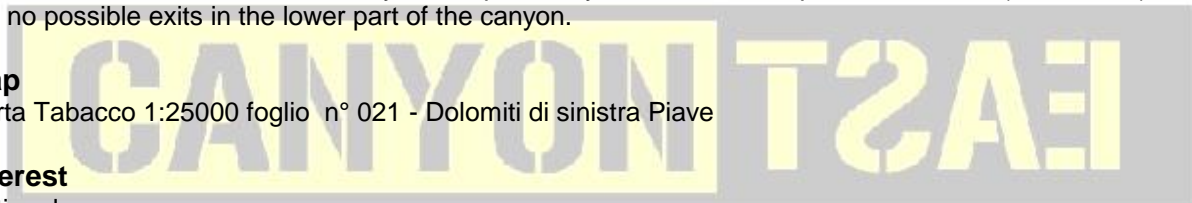
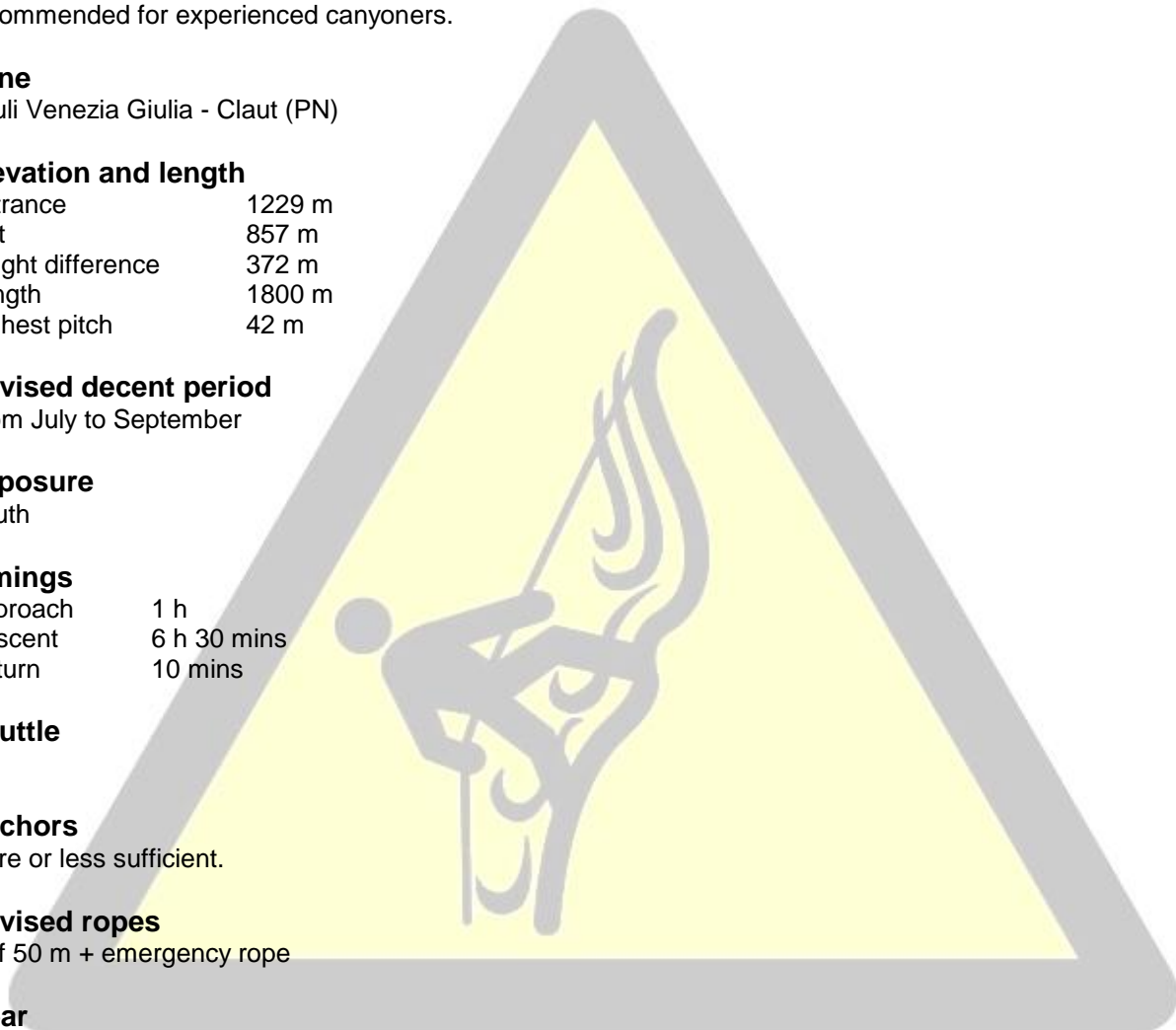
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### Coordinates for upstream (mountain) parking

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### Coordinates of the riverbed access point (start of canyon)

46° 20' 43,6" N      12° 33' 10,2" E



### Approach to the valley (lower car park)

Just before Claut, take a dirt road on the left in the Val Settimana. Follow it for about 10 km and park near the bridge of Ciarter.

### Approach to the canyon (walking)

From the bridge, follow the path CAI (red and white) n° 370 to an altitude of 1229 m where it meets the river. From here, access to the riverbed is easy and the first pitch is encountered after a few hundred meters.

### Description and technical notes

01 - P 11 L  
02 - P 6 L (avoidable)  
03 - P 7 R  
Tributaries enter from the left (encased) and from the right.  
04 - P 25 L (2 parts)  
05 - J 4  
06 - J 2  
07 - J 4  
08 - NA 10 L  
09 - J 2  
10 - MC + P 42 R  
11 - P 19 R  
12 - NA 2 (avoidable)  
13 - P 4 L  
14 - P 12 L  
15 - P 4 L (avoidable)  
16 - NA 3  
17 - D 3  
18 - J 2  
19 - NA 2  
20 - P 12 L  
21 - D 6  
22 - P 10 R  
End of the narrow section  
23 - P 6 R  
Continue for 200 m  
Possibility to exit by avoiding the last two jumps on the left.  
24 - P 6 R  
25 - P 6 R

### Exit

Cross the river Torrente Settimana and walk uphill along the road to the car park (15 minutes).

### Notes

The first descent was made by A. Kaiser and L. Piccini on the 6<sup>th</sup> September 1992.

