

The Myra stream arises from the legendary Myra gap at the foot of Unterberg

It is fed by an underground lake. Right after Karnerwirt inn, the stream's path is for now blocked by a small dam, the upper dam pond. Then, it falls into the depths as the Myra waterfalls through narrow rocky gorges via countless cataracts.

The clattering of waterwheels used to drive mills and sawmills was once a very common sound in the Myra valley. And until a few years ago, turbines generated electricity in a pump-storage plant.

The Myra waterfalls were made accessible by the Austrian Tourist Club (ÖTK) in 1885 and have been maintained by the Pernitz-Muggendorf Section ever since.



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Route Myra waterfalls and Kreuth

Starting point is the parking lot "Myrafälle" at 460 m above sea level. We pass **Myrastubn inn** and start our hike at the entrance to Myra waterfalls. Following the **yellow marking**, we walk up the **Myra waterfalls** via bridges and stairs until we reach the **upper water reservoir**. Another playground and **Karnerwirt inn** are both located here. If you still have the desire, mood and sufficient fitness, you can hike further uphill to **Kreuth**. Once on the elevated plain called „**Jagasitz**“, we continue walking alternately through meadows and forests with a wonderful view of Schneeberg. To return to Myra waterfalls from here, follow the **blue marking**.

Walking time:

Myra waterfalls – Kreuth – back / about 6 km / app. 2,5 hours

Steinwandklamm ("rocky gorge") – the extended tour (for trained people)

Downhill, following the **yellow marking** into Steinwandgraben up to **snack station Reischer**, 545 m, and the gorge's entrance. After hiking through the blue marked gorge with its bridges, stairs and the so-called **Türkenloch** you get back to the starting point Jagasitz. You then follow the **blue marking** back to Myra waterfalls.

Walking time:

Myra waterfalls – Steinwandklamm – back / about 9 km / app. 4 hours

Water playground at the entrance to Myra waterfalls

Playground at Karnerwirt inn



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Impressions around around the myrafälle waterfalls



The chapel at Jagasitz/Kreuth



Dam wall near the water reservoir at the end of Myra waterfalls

Hausstein

In earlier times, this mountain with an approximately 60 m high rock face, together with the so-called "Hirschwände" ("deer walls"), represented an insurmountable obstacle for intruders. That is why it also served as a place of refuge. Nowadays you can often see sport climbers on the steep rock faces. The viewpoint Hausstein is also easily accessible from the back.

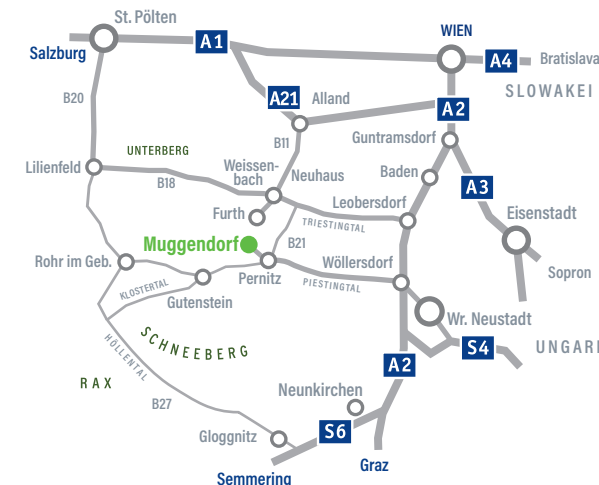


View towards Hausstein

The Hausstein offers a panoramic view



View from Hausstein



Getting there:

Coming from the highway A2, take exit Wöllersdorf & B21 direction Pernitz, there turn right to Muggendorf. At the entrance to Muggendorf, follow the signs leading to the free parking spaces.

Getting there by public transport:

All week, the VOR bus runs every hour from Pernitz train station to Muggendorf and back. More information at anachb.vor.at or QR-link.



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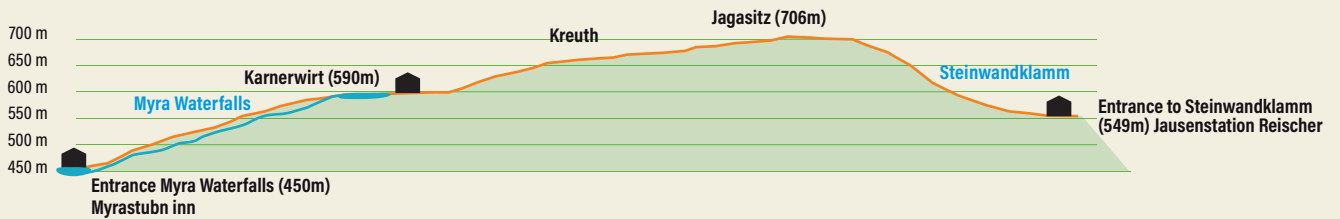
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Welcome to the Myra waterfalls in Muggendorf!

We are delighted that you have chosen to visit us and we hope you have a relaxing, enjoyable day in the hiking and water world around the Myra waterfalls.

Here in Muggendorf, the Myra waterfalls drop a total of 125 metres. Their source is the Myra stream, which rises from the Unterberg, a limestone massif with an abundance of cavities located 7 kilometres away.

Follow the rushing waterfalls along a trail encompassing 26 narrow and winding bridges and numerous overpasses and steps. The 11 themed stations provide you with a chance to find out more about the local flora and fauna and to discover how hydroelectric power was once generated here. The attraction is ideal for families with children, as little ones will love the wildlife enclosure and huge playground complete with exciting climbing frames, a water play area and adventure rafting on the Myrateich pond. Make sure that you walk to the Hausstein rock for spectacular views of the surrounding area.

If you fancy a longer hike, you should take the opportunity and discover the beautiful Steinwandklamm gorge. A circular hike of about 4 hours gives you the chance to explore both natural wonders. Plus, you can take a break to refuel at one of our friendly local inns. The ticket for the Steinwandklamm must be purchased separately.

Enjoy a wonderful, unforgettable day with us in Muggendorf.

