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Geotope 14. Hilden Fall – The Refreshing.



Red circle: location of the geotope; green tracks: hiking trails; ©BEV: Federal Office for Calibration and Measurement, 2005.

Access:

South of the village of Birnbaum in the Lesachtal via the small village Nostra in southern direction to Lake Wolayer. The fall is located between the Lower and Upper Wolayer Alm.

Description of the Geotope

The waterfall named after General Hilda, a military commander of



World War I, emanates from high up in the rocky cliff. The rushing water is derived from an overflow spring and plunges over a limestone-dolomite wall into a boulder bed slope of the western mountain Maderkopf. The catchment area is the surrounding of the Upper Wolayer Alm. In from Lake addition. water Wolayer contributes to the underground flow. The majority of the latter, however, does not escape above the Hilden Fall but in a huge spring some 200 m to the west.

The Hilden Fall along the trail from the Lower to the Upper Wolayer Alm.