

28 December 2008 - **3116 Cueva de Cuatro Entradas** – Big Steve; Pedro, Phil P



The aim was to look at possible avens in Covarona that Pedro thought might exist, but could not see as he only had a Premier lamp on previous trips. He thought he knew the way to the cave, but it soon became clear that the forest had developed whilst his memory had declined in the previous 14 years! By chance we reached a small clearing

and Pedro thinking this was the left turn off the track to reach Covarona, started up hill through the spiky jungle with Pete and Steve following. After some 100m or so a cliff face was reached and a cave, not Covarona but a “new” cave! This find enabled Pedro to escape physical harm at the hands of the cut and bleeding team.



Cave proved to have four entrances, the other three being even more difficult to get to or from as Steve found out! Cave is a large fragment that has been dissected by the valley down cutting, there is some scope for extension - the best (although not good) being a high level passage in the upper chamber. The cave was surveyed to be some 174m in length with a small amount of water and draft disappearing down a very small hole at the bottom of a gour slope. Old bones were noted, some calcified, site may pay some archaeology work.

