



#### 4. Property Use

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**ABANDONED / IN USE :** Abandoned

**Present** : Abandoned  
**Past** : Used as a dwelling place of prehistoric men

#### 5. Age (Source)

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**PERIOD** : Mesolithic to Chalcolithic periods  
**YEARS** : ---  
**Precise date of Construction** : ---  
**Completion** : ---  
**Subsequent changes** : ---  
**Destruction / Demolition** : ---

#### 6. Ownership / Level of Protection

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**SINGLE / MULTIPLE :** No claimant

**Public** : Archaeological Survey of India / State Archaeology Department / Any Other (Please specify) : Located on the Risipith hillock without any claimant.

**Private** : ---  
**Any other (Please specify)** : ---  
**Name** : ---  
**Address** : ---  
**Phone** : ---

#### 7. Association

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• **WITH EVENTS**

**In History** : ---  
**In Rituals** : ---  
**In Building Construction** : ---  
**Any other (specify)** : ---

• **WITH PERSONS**

**Patron** : ---  
**Architect / Engineer** : ---  
**Any other (specify)** : ---

#### 8. Statement of Significance

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<input type="checkbox"/>	Architectural	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Archaeological	✓ Archaeological
<input type="checkbox"/>	Historical	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Religious	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Any other (specify)	: On the basis of art style, colour composition of the motifs, the paintings can be dated to the Mesolithic-Chalcolithic periods.

## SECTION II: DESCRIPTION

### 9. Physical Description and Decorative Features

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- **Context** : \* **Drawings** (Attach extra sheet if necessary) : No
- Urban / Rural Setting** : Rural setting
- Surroundings** : **Stand in Isolation**  
**Integral part of a Landscape / Street / Complex :** Integral part of the landscape
  
- **Quantification**  
Area Dimension ( L x B x H) : 5.20 mtrs (L) x 5.10mtrs (D) x 2.00 mtrs (H) - Rock Art Shelter  
(m / cm/ feet / inch)
- Number of Blocks : One
- Number of Storys : N.A.
  
- **Spatial Organization**  
Orientation : The rock shelter is oriented east-west and facing towards north-west.
- Plan : N.A.
- Allocation of Spaces : 5.20 mtrs (L) x 5.10 mtrs (D)

### ARCHITECTURAL STYLE

- **Ornamentation**  
Exteriors : N.A.
- Interiors : The shelter preserves paintings in monochrome of dark red and bi-chrome of red and white. The subject matters are stick like human figure, cattle with or without hump, concentric circles, curvilinear, circles like shapes drawn one upon the other and *dambaru* (cattle drum) like shapes.
  
- Movable Collections : ---
- \* **Any Other** (specify) : ---

### 10. Construction Technology

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- Structural System** : Rock shelter
- Building Techniques** : ---
- Material of Construction** : Granite

### 11. Condition Assessment

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**In General Good / Fair** : Fair

- Sign of Deterioration
- Serious Deterioration
- Danger of Disappearance

