

Rios Garaizar, Joseba (Centro Nacional de Investigación sobre la Evolución Humana (CENIEH). Paseo Sierra de Atapuerca s/n., 09002 Burgos): **Técnicas de caza en el Paleolítico Medio del País Vasco** (Hunting Techniques in the Middle Palaeolithic in the Basque Country) (Orig. es)

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Abstract: We analyse the hunting techniques practiced by Neanderthal societies of the Eastern Cantabrian based on the functional analysis of spearheads from Amalda and Axlor Mousterian levels. This study, which will be complemented with a review of the fauna, the lithic industry and the territory's occupation models, will allow us to interpret the survival strategies of these groups.

Key Words: Middle Palaeolithic. Basque Country. Neanderthal societies. Axlor. Amalda. Hunting. Spearheads. Functional analysis.

Garate Maidagan, Diego (Université Toulouse. CREAP Cartailhac-TRACES-UMR 5806. Maison de la Recherche. 5, allées Antonio Machado. 31058 Toulouse Cedex 9): **Las cuevas decoradas en el macizo de Arbaila. Una visión actualizada de su contexto cronológico tardiglacial** (The cave art of de Arbaila mountains a current situation of its tardiglacial chronological context) (Orig. es)

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Abstract: The decorated caves in the Arbaila massif, which were studied in the middle and in the beginning of the last quarter of 20th century, have not been the focus of subsequent assessment. In the current archaeological situation, even with their specific aspects, they clearly fit into what we know about the graphic activity during the recent Magdalenian on the Cantabrian Coast and the Pyrenees.

Key Words: Parietal art. Late Glacial. Pyrenees. Arbaila. Euskal Herria.

Ruiz Idarraga, Rosa; Berganza, Eduardo (Eusko Ikaskuntza. Paseo de Uribitarte, 10, planta baja. 48009 Bilbo): **Un colgante magdalenense de la cueva de Santa Catalina. Análisis tecnológico y funcional** (A magdalenian pendant from the Santa Catalina cave. Technological and use-wear analysis) (Orig. es)

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Abstract: In this article we describe a detailed technological analysis of a perforated piece of portable art which was recovered from the Santa Catalina site (Lekeitio, Bizkaia). Through the study of its polish marks we can conclude that it was used as a pendant.

Key Words: Upper Magdalenian. Portable art. Technology. Functionality. Basque Country.

Edeso Fito, José Miguel (Univ. del País Vasco (UPV/EHU). Nieves Cano 12. 01006 Vitoria-Gasteiz); **Mujika Alustiza, J. Antonio** (Univ. del País Vasco (UPV/EHU). Fac. de Letras. Tomás y Valiente s/n. 01006 Vitoria-Gasteiz): **Megalitismo y cuevas sepulcrales en Gipuzkoa. Distribución espacial y características generales** (Megalithism and burial caves in Gipuzkoa. Territory distribution and general characteristics) (Orig. es)

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Abstract: We carry out the geospatial analysis of the funeral rituals practiced during Recent Prehistory in Gipuzkoa. They display an unusual distribution in which the cromlech are concentrated in the north-eastern sector, the sepulchral caves in the north-western limestone and the dolmens in the rest of the territory, sometimes next to caves. We propose that their distribution responds to a “preconceived” plan for stockbreeding.

Key Words: Megalithic. GIS. Funeral ritual. Dolmens. Cromlech. Sepulchral caves. Sites. Territorial distribution.

Regalado Bueno, Encarnación (Univ. de Cantabria. Instituto Internacional de Investigaciones Prehistóricas de Cantabria (IIIPC). Edificio Interfacultativo. Avda. de los Castros, s/n. 39005 Santander): **Prospección y estudio de patrimonio arqueológico en la comarca de Uribe Kosta** (Survey and study of archaeological heritage in Uribe Kosta's region) (Orig. es)

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This project was born because of the need to understand and protect a cultural heritage which is endangered by continuous interventions that are currently in progress in Uribe Kosta. The interest of this work lies in the possibility of finding unknown deposits in a region with archaeological potential testified by those presently known.

Key Words: Survey. Late Neolithic. Chalcolithic. Uribe Kosta.