



(Figure 51) Installation of bat proof mesh
Cave 5 (above and below)



(Figure 52) Reference: Cave at the historic site of Aurangabad
The cave has become a nesting place for bats, which caused serious damages to mural paintings and sculptures. At the historic sites of Ajanta and Ellora, this situation has greatly improved thanks to the cleaning work and installation of bat proof mesh.



(Figure 53) Old fences around the site Fences are made of simple iron poles and barbed wires.



Tops of iron bars of the fence resemble spears.



(Figure 54) Improved fences around the site Entrance gate and fence at the south entrance of cave 1(left), same fence further up the hill (right), and fence of the management house (above right).

