

Niguelas Pinnacle

This is a newly developed area (with more scope for development). South Facing. By far the most worthwhile venue in the Niguelas area. The rock is limestone with lots of hidden small finger holds and pockets making for delightful climbing.

From Niguelas follow the track up the Rio Niguelas and fork right at the "Arab Style" house. The track zig zags up through impressive rock scenery passing the Pinnacle (on your left). The road levels off at a col, park just beyond where it widens. A faint path leads from the col to the r.h. end of the climbing 50m.



Niguelas Pinnacle Main Area



1. 3 Just left of the R.H. arete.
2. 3. 2m left and right of a small corner.
3. 4+. 2m left. Start at the corner. Excellent climbing.
4. 6a 1.5 m left of the corner.
5. 6b 1.5m left of the previous route.
6. 6c 2m left of the previous route.
7. 6c 2m left of the previous route.
8. 6c 2m left. The right side of a slight arete.
9. 6c The slight arete.
10. 6c 1.5m left of the arete.
11. 6c+ The right wall of the gully
12. 6c+ Start in the gully. Move onto the r.h. wall which is followed until after the 3rd bolt you join the previous route.

The next routes are 25m left of the gully under a large overhanging block at 25m.

13. 5 Climbs the steep slab. Shares a lower off with the next route.

14. 4+ Climbs the steep slab sharing a lower off with the previous route!

On the big boulder 50m off to the left are three further (hard) routes which are shady in the afternoon.



1. 6b
2. 6b
3. 6b+