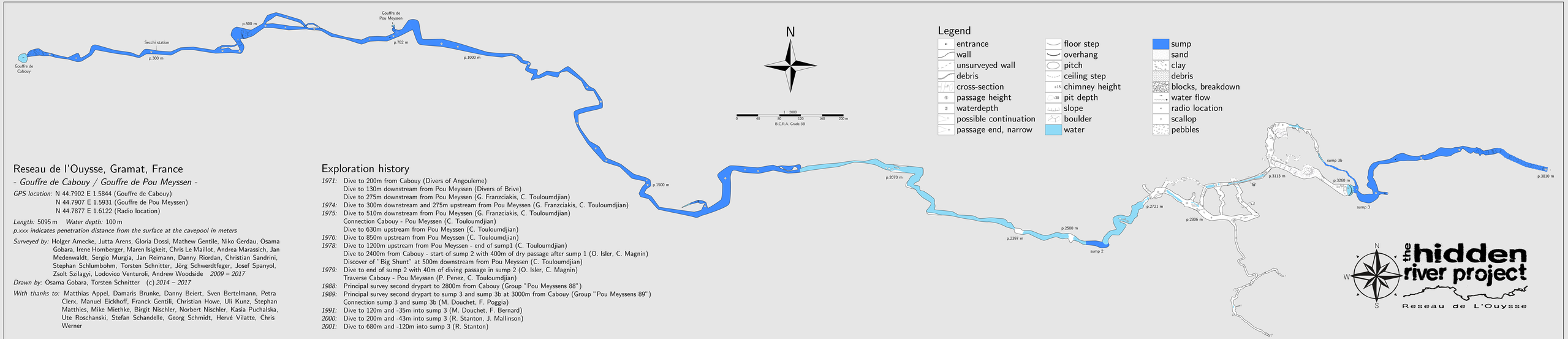

Reseau de l'Ouysse, Gramat, France

- Gouffre de Cabouy / Gouffre de Pou Meyssen -

GPS location: N 44.7902 E 1.5844 (Gouffre de Cabouy)
N 44.7907 E 1.5931 (Gouffre de Pou Meyssen)
N 44.7877 E 1.6122 (Radio location)

Length: 5095 m *Water depth:* 100 m

p.xxx indicates penetration distance from the surface at the cavepool in meters

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Exploration history

1971: Dive to 200m from Cabouy (Divers of Angouleme)
Dive to 130m downstream from Pou Meyssen (Divers of Brive)
Dive to 275m downstream from Pou Meyssen (G. Franzciakis, C. Touloumdjian)
1974: Dive to 300m downstream and 275m upstream from Pou Meyssen (G. Franzciakis, C. Touloumdjian)
1975: Dive to 510m downstream from Pou Meyssen (G. Franzciakis, C. Touloumdjian)
Connection Cabouy - Pou Meyssen (C. Touloumdjian)
Dive to 630m upstream from Pou Meyssen (C. Touloumdjian)
1976: Dive to 850m upstream from Pou Meyssen (C. Touloumdjian)
1978: Dive to 1200m upstream from Pou Meyssen - end of sump1 (C. Touloumdjian)
Dive to 2400m from Cabouy - start of sump 2 with 400m of dry passage after sump 1 (O. Isler, C. Magnin)
Discover of "Big Shunt" at 500m downstream from Pou Meyssen (C. Touloumdjian)
1979: Dive to end of sump 2 with 40m of diving passage in sump 2 (O. Isler, C. Magnin)
Traverse Cabouy - Pou Meyssen (P. Penez, C. Touloumdjian)
1988: Principal survey second drypart to 2800m from Cabouy (Group "Pou Meyssens 88")
1989: Principal survey second drypart to sump 3 and sump 3b at 3000m from Cabouy (Group "Pou Meyssens 89")
Connection sump 3 and sump 3b (M. Douchet, F. Poggia)
1991: Dive to 120m and -35m into sump 3 (M. Douchet, F. Bernard)
2000: Dive to 200m and -43m into sump 3 (R. Stanton, J. Mallinson)
2001: Dive to 680m and -120m into sump 3 (R. Stanton)