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A GUIDE TO THE GEOLOGY OF THE SINNETT-THORN MOUNTAIN CAVE SYSTEM, PENDLETON COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

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The Sinnett-Thorn Mountain Cave System is located on private property west of the town of Moyers in Pendleton County, West Virginia (Fig. 1). The cave system is comprised of Sinnett Cave (near the top of Thorn Mountain) and Thorn Mountain Cave (near the base of Thorn Mountain). Although Sinnett Cave and Thorn Mountain Cave were once thought to be separate, a small connection between the two caves was established in 1962 (Giles, 1962). Today, the entrances to both Sinnett Cave and Thorn Mountain Cave are guarded by locked metal gates ("bat gates"), and access to the caves may be obtained through the Potomac Speleological Club (see the following website for information about access: <http://www.psc-caves.org>). Additional information about caves and caving may be obtained from the National Speleological Society (<http://www.caves.org>).

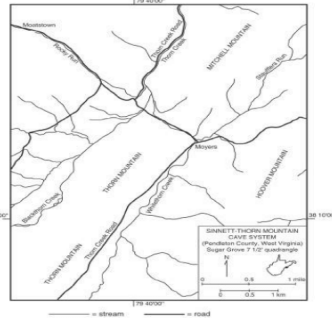


Figure 1. Map showing the vicinity of the Sinnett-Thorn Mountain Cave System (for additional details, see Davies, 1965; Davies, 2001). Geographic features are from the following U. S. Geological Survey 7 1/2' topographic maps: Doe Hill, Moastown, Palo Alto, and Sugar Grove.

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