

## **Norsk Grotteblad nr 10, Januar 1983**

### **En foreløbig terminologi for grotter**

A Norwegian vocabulary of concepts and terms related to karst caves. This preliminary vocabulary is compiled with the purpose of stimulating a precise communication between Scandinavian cavers when dealing with observations underground. Most of these concepts exist in karst textbooks of different kind, but none of these books contain satisfactory vocabularies. It is the author's opinion that "reading dictionaries" may be a very efficient and easy way to learn fundamental concepts; particularly when the dictionary has cross-references. Some of the concepts and terms were borrowed from work published by Ewers (1982) and from Ford and Ewers (1978). These items are marked with an asterisk (\*).