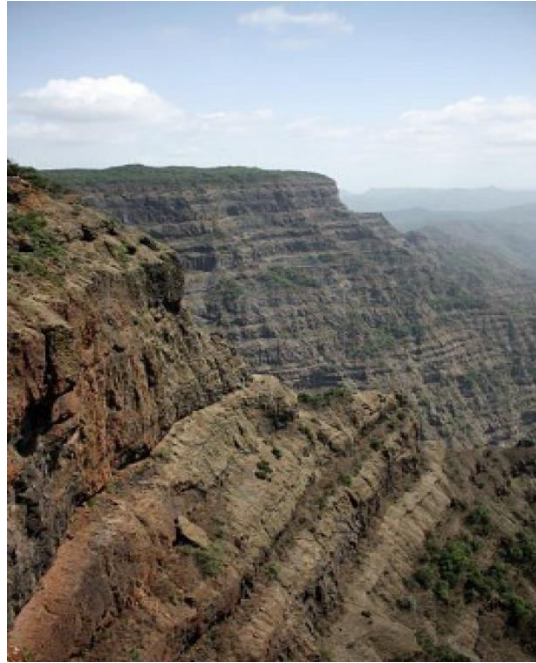


Sacred Groves and Mountains of Telangana

Sacred Mountains

Chintaikot



Chintaikot is a mountain in India. It is located in the Warangal district and the state of Telangana, in the central part of the country, 1200 km south of the capital New Delhi. The top of Chintaikot is 600 meters above sea level.

Chintaikot is a 1,968 ft / 600 m. mountain peak near Bhongir, Andhra Pradesh, India. It Ranks 9th highest mountain in andhra pradesh and the 330th highest mountain in India.

Manyamkonda Hills

Manyam Konda 630 Metres is Height is 120 km from Hyderabad, 20km from Mahaboobnagar. There is a 500 year old temple of Lord Venkateswara situated on a hill top. There is also a temple of Lord Shiva.

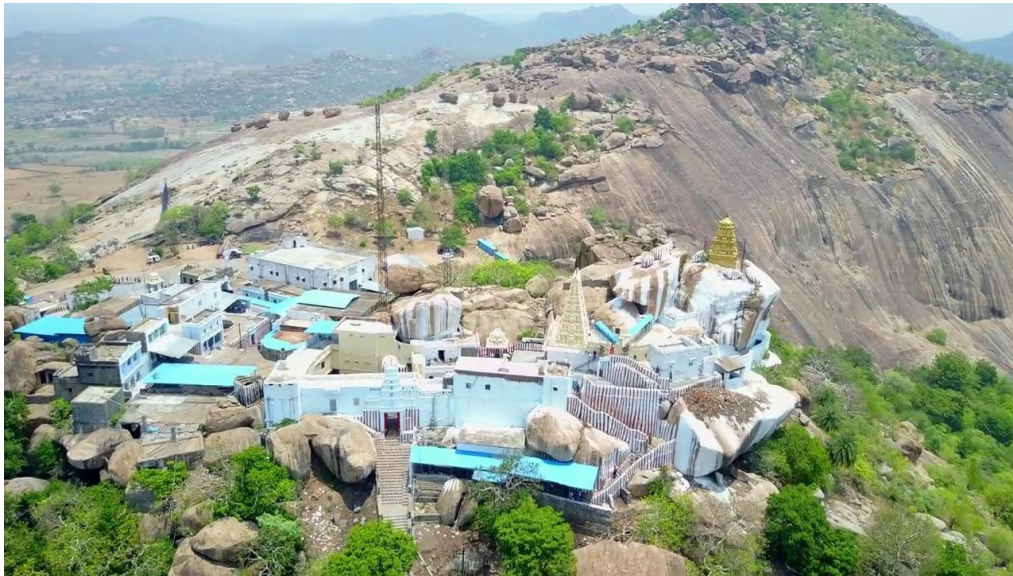


Pillala marri is an important place of interest near Mahabubnagar is a famous banyan tree called Pillalamarri, which is about 8-km from the city. The famous 500 yr. old Banyan tree here, covering an area of over three acres.

There is a shrine of a Muslim saint under the tree. From a distance the tree presents the appearance of a small hillock with green foliage but on reaching nearer, it looks like a large green umbrella under which about thousand people can easily take shelter.



The Lord Venkateswara Swamy temple is the main statue is self formed in the cave. In the ancient days sages spiritual gurus like Narasimha Yogi, Kasirayalu, Ettepu Ramayogi, Veerappaiah, Yanumaddhasu were believed to have meditated here and hence it is known as Munulakonda. With the passage of time it has been referred to as Manyam Konda. Here piligrims can have a glimpse of the ancient caves where the sages gurus were believed to have practiced penance.



Sacred Groves

Sl.No.	Sacred Grove Name
	District - Adilabad
1	Basara -Saraswati Temple Sacred Grove
2	Dankanapally Sacred Grove
3	Ginnedhari Sacred Grove Asifabad
4	Jainath Sacred Grove
5	Keslapur Sacred Grove
6	Kunthala Waterfalls Sacred Grove
7	Mahagoan Sacred Grove
8	Narnoor Sacred Grove
9	Pochara Falls Sacred Grove

10	Sadalpur Sacred Grove
11	Sirichelma Sacred Grove
12	Tangri Madra Sacred Grove
13	Yekantapur Sacred Grove
	District - Hyderabad
14	Babasharfuddin Pahad Sacred Grove miralam tank
15	Chiran Palace sacred Grove (Brahmananda Reddy National Park) 400 acres
16	Guruvayur Temple Sacred Grove, 3ha
17	Maulali Darga Sacred Grove
18	Nowbath Pahad Sacred Grove
19	O.U.Campus Sacred Grove – Nagadevata / Gyanalaxmi temple
	District - Karimnagar
20	Kaleswaram Temple Sacred Grove
21	Konda Gattu Sacred Grove
22	Ramagiri Fort Srirama Temple Sacred Grove
23	Vemulawada Temple Sacred Grove
	District - Khammam
24	Parnasala Sacred Grove
25	Nugur Fort
26	Sthambhadri, Khammam Fort Sacred Grove
	District - Medak
27	Alladurg Sacred Grove
28	Kumaravelli Sacred Grove Siddipet Mandal, temple of Mallikarjuna Swamy
29	Mallamma Temple Sacred Groves dubbak
30	YedupayaJa Sacred Grove - Durga Devi.
	District - Nalgonda
31	Chandrumgutta(Arur) Sacred Grove
32	Ethipothala Sacred Grove nagarjunakonda
33	Narketpalli Sacred Grove - Ramalingeswara swami / Machiyagiri Laxminarayana swami
34	Yadagirigutta Sacred Grove - Narasimha

	Swamy
	District - Nizamabad
35	Vellutla Sacred Grove
	District - Rangareddy
36	Alwal temple area Sacred Grove
37	Ananthagiri area Sacred Grove
38	Chilukur Balaji temple area Sacred Grove 6ha
39	Keesaragutta bill area Sacred Grove Kusaiguda village
40	Kharmanghat Hanuman temple Sacred Grove osmania university
41	Maheswaram Sacred Grove
42	Majeedpur Venkateswara Temple Sacred Grove
43	Pahar-e-Sherief Sacred Grove
44	Parameswar Gutta area Sacred Grove – shiva
45	Sanghi temple complex Sacred Grove
	District - Warangal
46	Kotilinga Kshetram Sacred Grove 11 acre Bollikunta village
47	Madikonda Sacred Grove Kazipet
48	Padmakshi Gutta Sacred Grove - 1 sq.km.- Padmaksharnrna
	District- Mahabubnagar
49	Jellupenta
50	Kadalivanam
51	Koyalakonda area
52	Kurumurthi Konda
53	Maniyamkonda
54	Saileshwaram
55	Singavatnam
56	Umamaheswaram
57	Yettam

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