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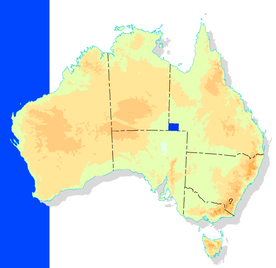
SG54-05
EDITION 3

NATMAP 2001
TOPOGRAPHIC MAP
1:250 000 SCALE (1cm to 2.5km)

Birdsville

QUEENSLAND and SOUTH AUSTRALIA



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GDA

About this Map

Projection.....Map Grid of Australia 1994 (MGA94)
Universal Transverse Mercator on GRS80 ellipsoid
Horizontal Datum.....Geocentric Datum of Australia 1994 (GDA94)
equivalent to WGS84
Vertical Datum.....Australian Height Datum (AHD)
Horizontal Accuracy.....+/- 140 metres
Vertical Accuracy.....+/- 25 metres
Elevations in metres; 50 metre contour interval

True North (TN), Grid North (GN) and Magnetic North (MN) are shown diagrammatically for the centre of the map

MN is correct for 2002 and moves easterly by less than 0.1' in 10 years

How to Quote a Grid Reference for a Particular Point

Blue numbers on the map grid lines are 10 000 metre intervals

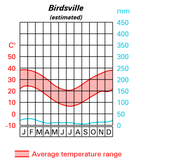
Example: - *MT LEWIS*
1. Quote this map..... Birdsville
2. Read letters identifying 100 000 metre square containing the point..... US
3. Locate the vertical grid line to the left of the point and read large number on the grid line..... 3
4. Estimate tenths from the grid line to the point..... 5
5. Locate the horizontal grid line below the point and read large number on the grid line..... 4
6. Estimate tenths from the grid line to the point..... 3

Thus the reference for - *MT LEWIS* is..... Birdsville US3543

100 000 metre square identification

Grid zone 54J

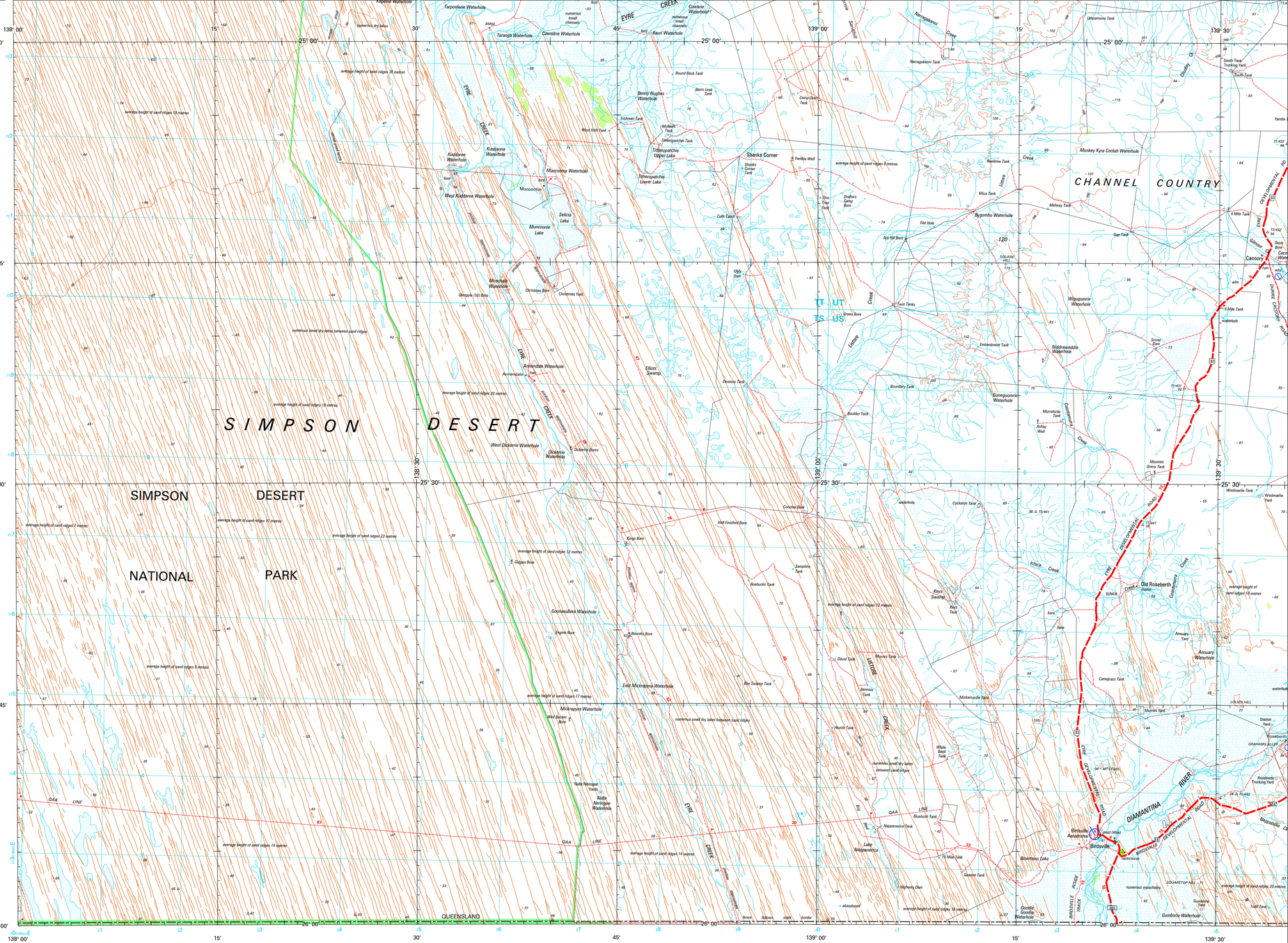
Climatic Graph



Source: Australian Bureau of Meteorology

Legend

Dual carriageway; Distance in kilometres.....
Principal road; Locality; Built-up area.....
Secondary road; Bridge; Causeway.....
Minor road (access & condition not assured).....
Vehicle track (access & condition not assured).....
Route marker: National, State.....
Gate; Stock grid.....
Embankment; Cutting.....
Landing ground; Airport; Heliport.....
Multiple track railway; Station or siding.....
Single track railway; Bridge; Tunnel.....
Powerline (110 kV and over).....
Homestead; Building/s; Ruin.....
Chimney; Silo; Tower.....
Fence; Levee; Open cut mine.....
Mine; Windpump; Yard.....
Contour with value; Depression contour.....
Horizontal control point; Spot elevation.....
Sand; Sand dunes.....
Sand ridges; Pinnacle; Cliff.....
Forest, wood or shrub land; Rainforest.....
Plantation; Urban recreation parkland.....
Orchard or vineyard; Windbreak.....
Bore or well; Spring; Tank or small dam.....
Watercourse (presence of water not implied).....
Subject to inundation; Swamp.....
Lake: Perennial, Non-perennial; Waterhole.....
Wreck: Submerged, bare or awash.....
Foreshore flat; Lighthouse.....
Shoal; Tidal ledge or reef; Mangrove.....
Rock: Submerged, bare or awash; Breakwater
Jetty or pier; Wharf; Saline coastal flat.....
State or Territory border.....
Reserved area boundary.....
Prohibited area boundary.....



SCALE 1:250 000

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