ROADS AND TRACKS

- Metalled road
- Vehicle track
- Foot track
- Poled route; foot, vehicle

MISCELLANEOUS

- Large building
- Isolated building, hut
- Airstrip
- Helipad
- Beacon, tanks
- Mast, wind turbine
- Monument, plaque or signpost
- Ski tow
- Antarctic Specially Protected and Managed Area boundaries (ASPA 154)

RELIEF FEATURES[1]

- Index contour
- Intermediate contours
- Perennial snow and ice contours
- Supplementary or indefinite contour
- Depression contours
- Shallow depression
- Elevation 130
- Crevasse
- Cliff, ice cliff
- Rock outcrops
- Saddle, cave
- Sand
- Alpine features
  - Moraine
  - Moraine wall
  - Scree

WATER FEATURES

- Fast or bay ice
- Coastline
- Ice shelf
- Disturbed ice
- Ice stream
- Melt stream

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Ross Island track data:
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www.pgc.umn.edu

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

1. Contours and spot elevations in snow areas may be less accurate.
2. The vertical interval between contours is 20 metres.
3. The location of tracks on sea ice is subject to annual change.
4. Representation on this map of a road or track does not necessarily indicate permitted access.
5. Absence of a crevasse symbol does not necessarily indicate a crevasse-free area.

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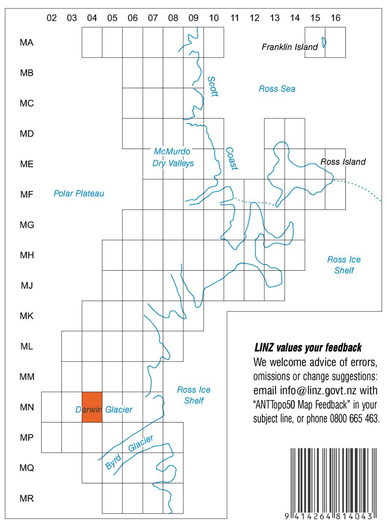

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Midnight Plateau

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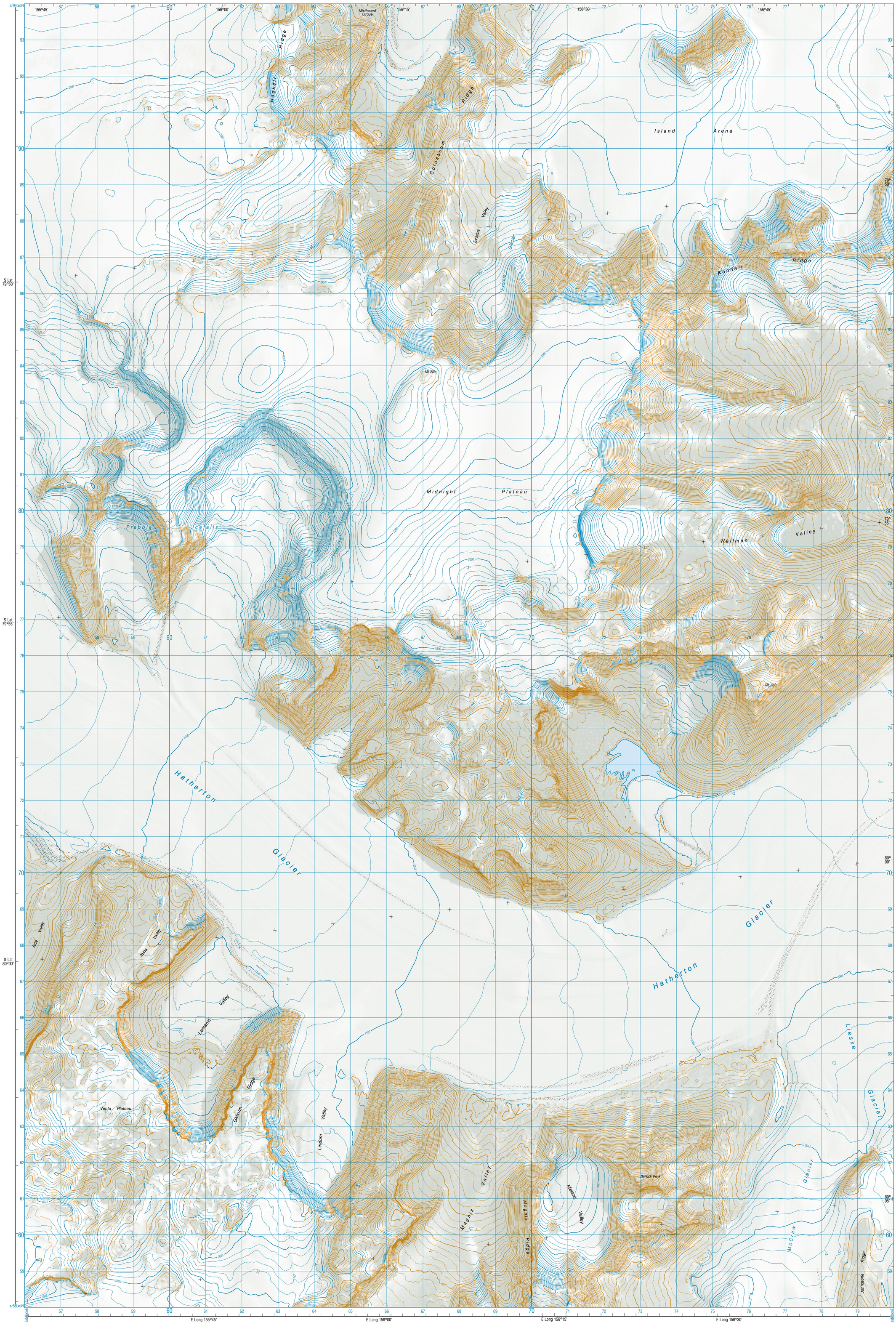

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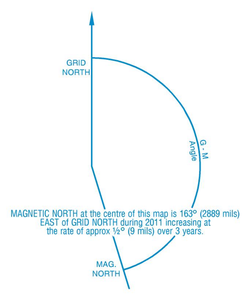

HORIZONTAL DATUM: Ross Sea Region Geodetic Datum 2000 (RSRGD2000)
For practical purposes, RSRGD2000 equates to WGS84

VERTICAL DATUM: Mean Sea Level

PROJECTION: McMurdo Sound Lambert Conformal 2000 (MSLC2000)

PARAMETERS

Spheroid: GRS80
Origin Latitude: 78° South; Origin Longitude: 163° East
False Northing: 5 000 000mN; False Easting: 7 000 000mE
Standard Parallels: 76°40' South and 79°20' South

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TO GIVE A GRID REFERENCE ON THIS MAP
(To nearest 100 metres)

Sample Point: • Mt Ash (687 6413E 477 5116N)

East		North	
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