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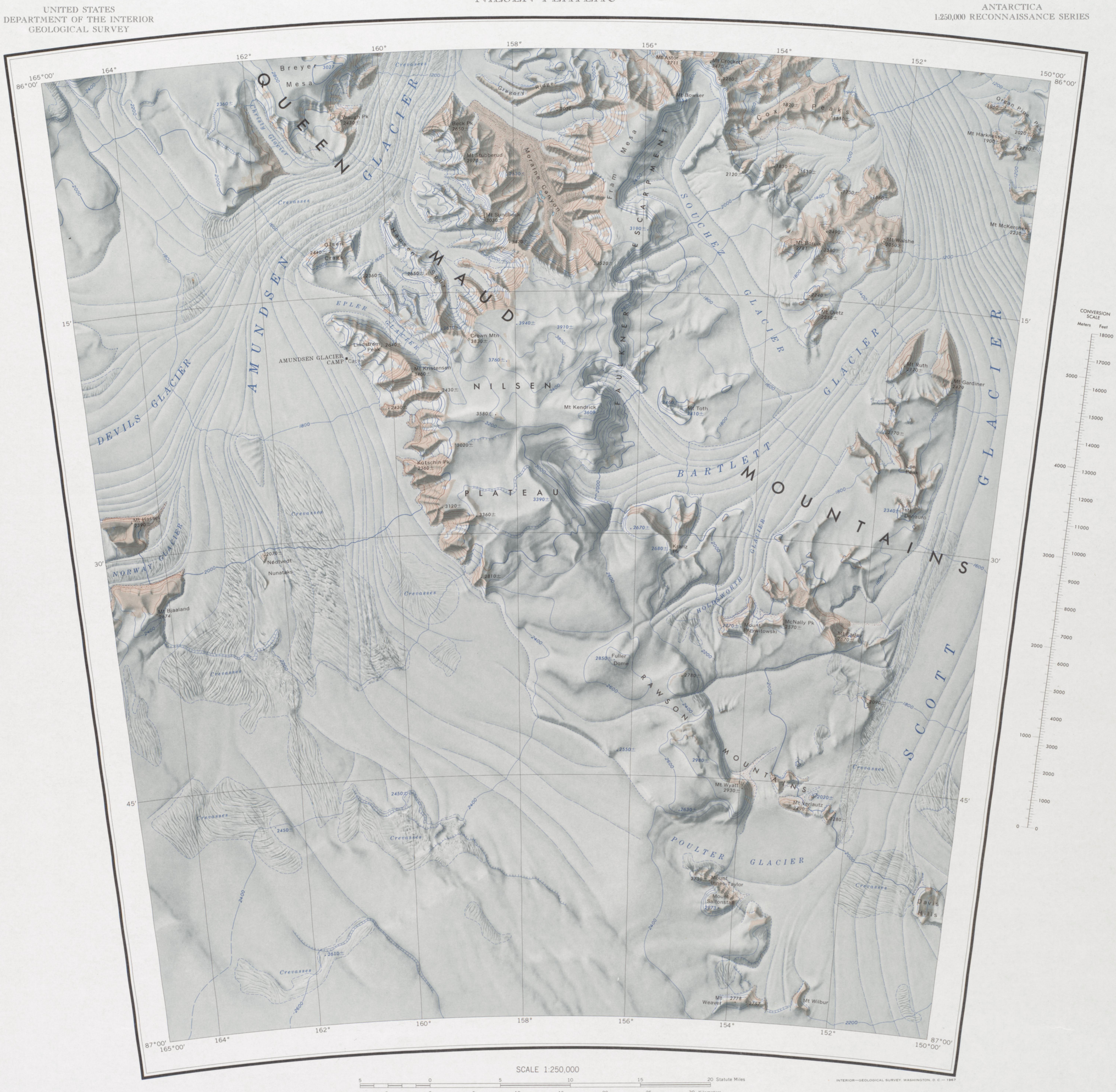

SCALE 1:250,000

5 0 5 10 15 20 Statute Miles

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5 0 5 10 15 Nautical Miles

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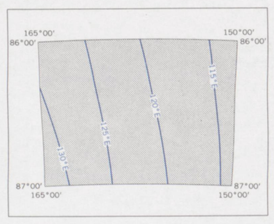
Absence of the crevasse symbol does not necessarily indicate a crevasse-free area

Polar Stereographic Projection—Standard Parallel 80°14′
CONTOUR INTERVAL 200 METERS—DATUM IS MEAN SEA LEVEL

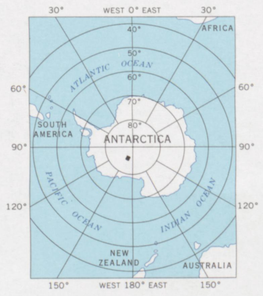
COMPILATION DIAGRAM



Photogrammetric compilation

Isogonic lines compiled from U.S.N.O.O. Chart 1706 S, 1965

LOCATION DIAGRAM



LEGEND

	Ice area	Ice-free area
Contour lines		
(definite)		
(approximate)		
(conjectural)		
Cliff or escarpment		
Steep slope		
Small hillocks		
Intersected elevations	.320	.320
Photogrammetric elevations	.2150±	.2150±
Ice thickness	.84	

Astro control station	
Survey control stations	△1041 ▲Signal
Traverse route with spot height	.111
Moraine	
Glacier	
Crevasses	Crevasses
Coastline under ice (definite; indefinite)	
Ice shelf	
Icebergs	
Fast or bay ice	

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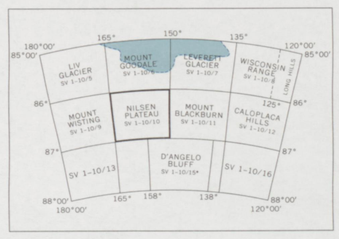

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