



Basic Climatological Station Metadata  
Current status

Metadata compiled: 28 JUL 2025

Station: GOVE AIRPORT MET OFFICE

Bureau of Meteorology station number: 014508  
Bureau of Meteorology district name: Arnhem  
State: NT

World Meteorological Organization number: 99996  
Identification: GOV1

Network Classification: CLIMAT Stations, CLIMAT TEMP Stations, GCOS  
Surface Network, Regional Basic Synoptic Network

Station purpose: Synoptic, Upper Air, Aeronautical  
Automatic Weather Station:



Current Station Location				
Latitude	Decimal	-12.2741	Hour Min Sec	12°16'27"S
Longitude	Decimal	136.8201	Hour Min Sec	136°49'12"E
Station Height	51.6 m	Barometer Height	53.2 m	
Method of station geographic positioning			GPS	

Year opened: 1944  
Status: Closed

Station summary

No summary for this site has been written as yet.

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Observation summary

The table below indicates the approximate completeness of the record for individual element types within the Australian Data Archive for Meteorology. For elements not listed see the note below.



DAILY DATA HOLDINGS

OBSERVATION TYPE	FIRST MONTH	LAST MONTH	COMPLETENESS (% estimate)	SINGLE DAYS MISSED	FULL MONTHS MISSED
EVAPORATION	DEC 1966	AUG 2017	72.7	397	153
EVAPORIMETER - MAXIMUM WATER TEMPERATURE	NOV 1985	JUN 2011	98.4	143	0
GROUND MINIMUM TEMPERATURE	NOV 1985	APR 2016	98.7	145	0
MAXIMUM AIR TEMPERATURE	SEP 1966	APR 2023	77.4	73	151
MAXIMUM WIND GUST SPEED	MAR 1972	APR 2023	73.2	154	159
SUNSHINE HOURS	SEP 1966	APR 2016	73.3	231	151
WIND RUN ABOVE 10 FEET	MAR 1995	APR 2023	97.4	263	0
WIND RUN BELOW 10 FEET	JAN 1969	AUG 2017	71.5	373	154
RAINFALL	FEB 1944	APR 2023	59	N/A	N/A

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HOURLY DATA HOLDINGS - from 1 to 24 observations per day

OBSERVATION TYPE	FIRST MONTH	LAST MONTH	COMPLETENESS (% estimate)	FREQUENCY average daily	SINGLE DAYS MISSED	FULL MONTHS MISSED
AIR TEMPERATURE	SEP 1966	APR 2023	77.1	11.1	57	151
DEW POINT	JAN 1969	APR 2023	76.0	11.6	60	152
MEAN SEA LEVEL PRESSURE	NOV 1985	APR 2023	99.4	12.7	20	0
SOIL TEMPERATURE - 10cm	NOV 1985	APR 2016	48.0	5.3	139	177
TOTAL CLOUD AMOUNT	SEP 1966	APR 2023	73.6	5.7	154	151
WIND SPEED	SEP 1966	APR 2023	77.1	11.1	54	151
UPPER AIR TEMPERATURE	NOV 1985	APR 2023	66.2	1.5	2275	0
UPPER AIR WIND SPEED	NOV 1985	APR 2023	78.8	3.0	1143	16

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RAINFALL INTENSITY DATA HOLDINGS

OBSERVATION TYPE	FIRST MONTH	LAST MONTH	COMPLETENESS (% estimate)	SINGLE DAYS MISSED	FULL MONTHS MISSED
RAINFALL INTENSITY	SEP 1966	MAY 2017	52.8	1277	245

ONE-MINUTE DATA HOLDINGS

OBSERVATION TYPE	FIRST MONTH	LAST MONTH	COMPLETENESS (% estimate)	FREQUENCY average daily	SINGLE DAYS MISSED	FULL MONTHS MISSED
ALL ELEMENTS	AUG 2002	APR 2023	99.1	1426.8	N/A	0

HALF-HOURLY DATA HOLDINGS

OBSERVATION TYPE	FIRST MONTH	LAST MONTH	COMPLETENESS (% estimate)	FREQUENCY average daily	SINGLE DAYS MISSED	FULL MONTHS MISSED
ALL ELEMENTS	JUN 1990	APR 2023	100.7	48.3	N/A	0

UPPER-AIR EDT DATA HOLDINGS

OBSERVATION TYPE	FIRST MONTH	LAST MONTH	COMPLETENESS (% estimate)	FREQUENCY average daily	SINGLE DAYS MISSED	FULL MONTHS MISSED
Wind only flights	May 2000	Jan 2019	N/A	1.6	666	0
Wind, temperature and pressure flights	May 1991	Jun 2018	N/A	1.1	1344	0

Holdings calculated up to 01 Jul 2025

The % complete figure is the completeness of observations averaged over all months of record, for the given station and observation type, taking gaps into account. For hourly holdings, the completeness is relative to the maximum number of daily observations for the site each month, and is therefore an estimate. For daily holdings, the completeness figure shown is exact.

The single days missed figure is the total number of days for which no observation was received, not including full missed months. The full months missed figure is the total of full month gaps over the period of record. Where an element is not included assumptions can generally be made about availability, and the list to use has been suggested below.

Unlisted element

Minimum air temperature  
Wet bulb temperature  
Soil temperature at 20, 50 & 100cm  
Relative humidity  
Minimum temp. of water in evaporimeter  
Visual observations eg. weather, visibility  
Sea related observations

Listed element to use

Maximum air temperature  
Dew point  
10cm soil temperature  
Dew point  
Evaporimeter - max water temp  
Total cloud amount  
Sea state

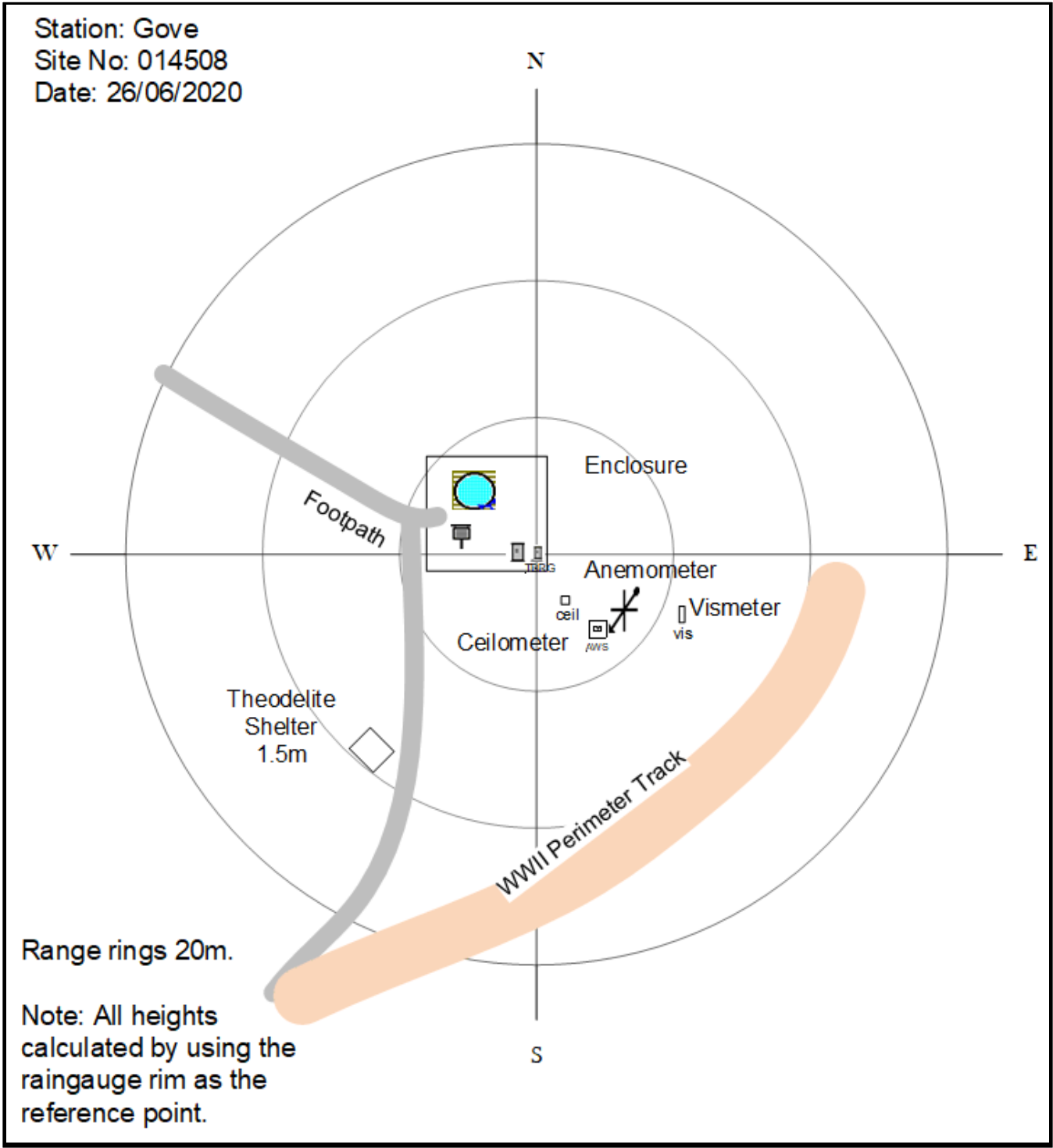
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Instrument Location and Surrounding Features  
26/06/2020(most recent)



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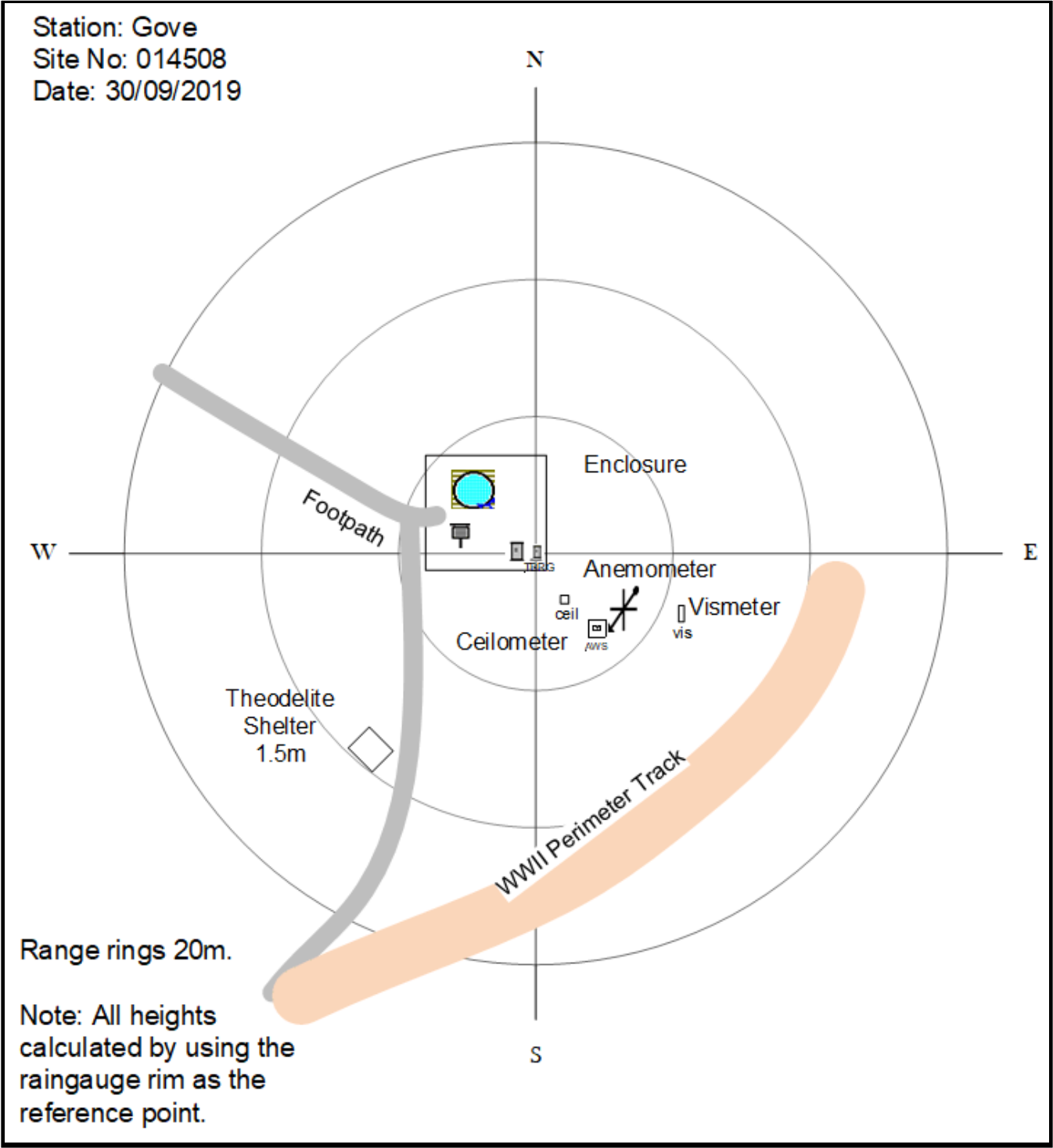
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Instrument Location and Surrounding Features  
30/09/2019



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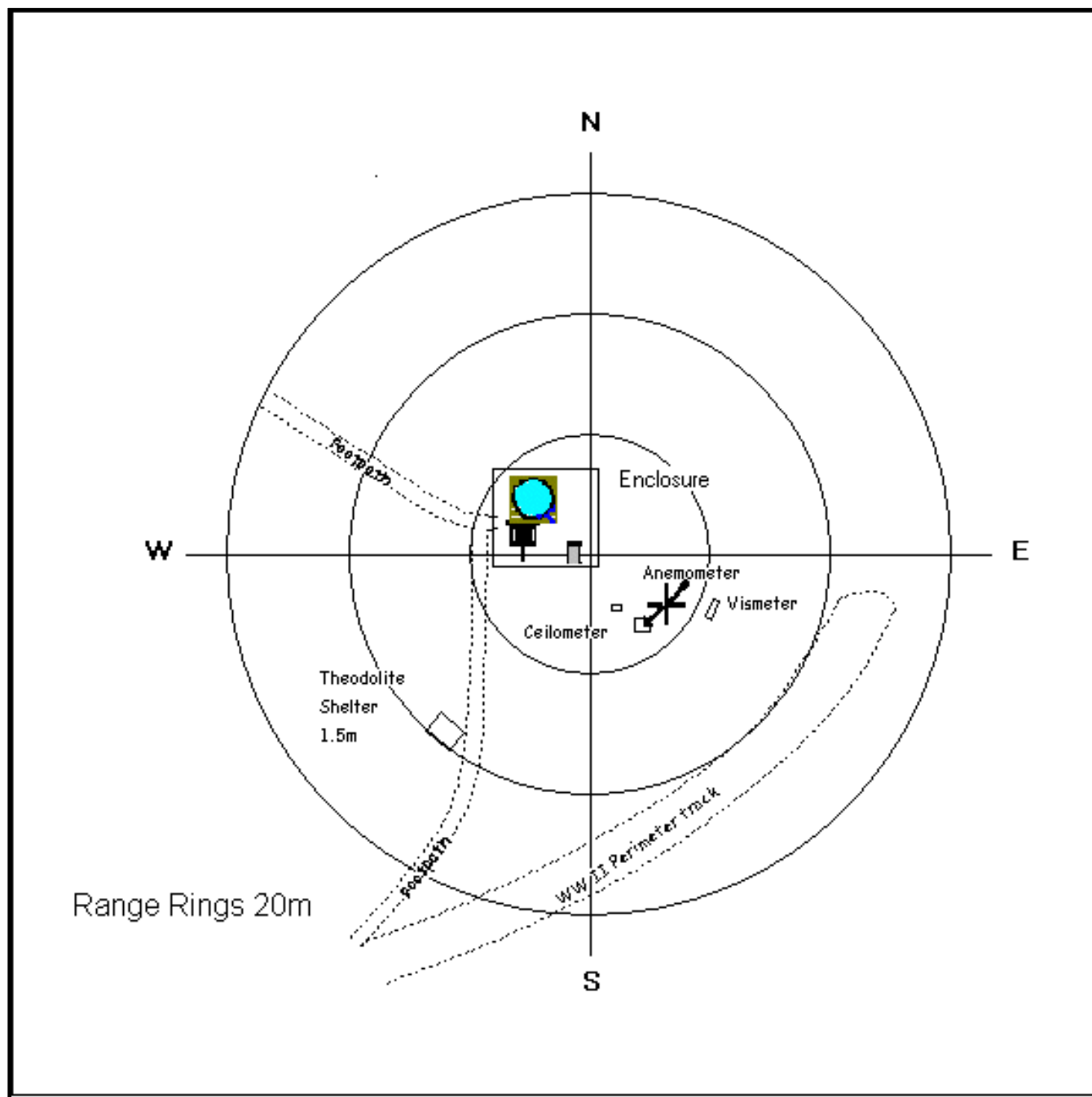
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23/10/2017



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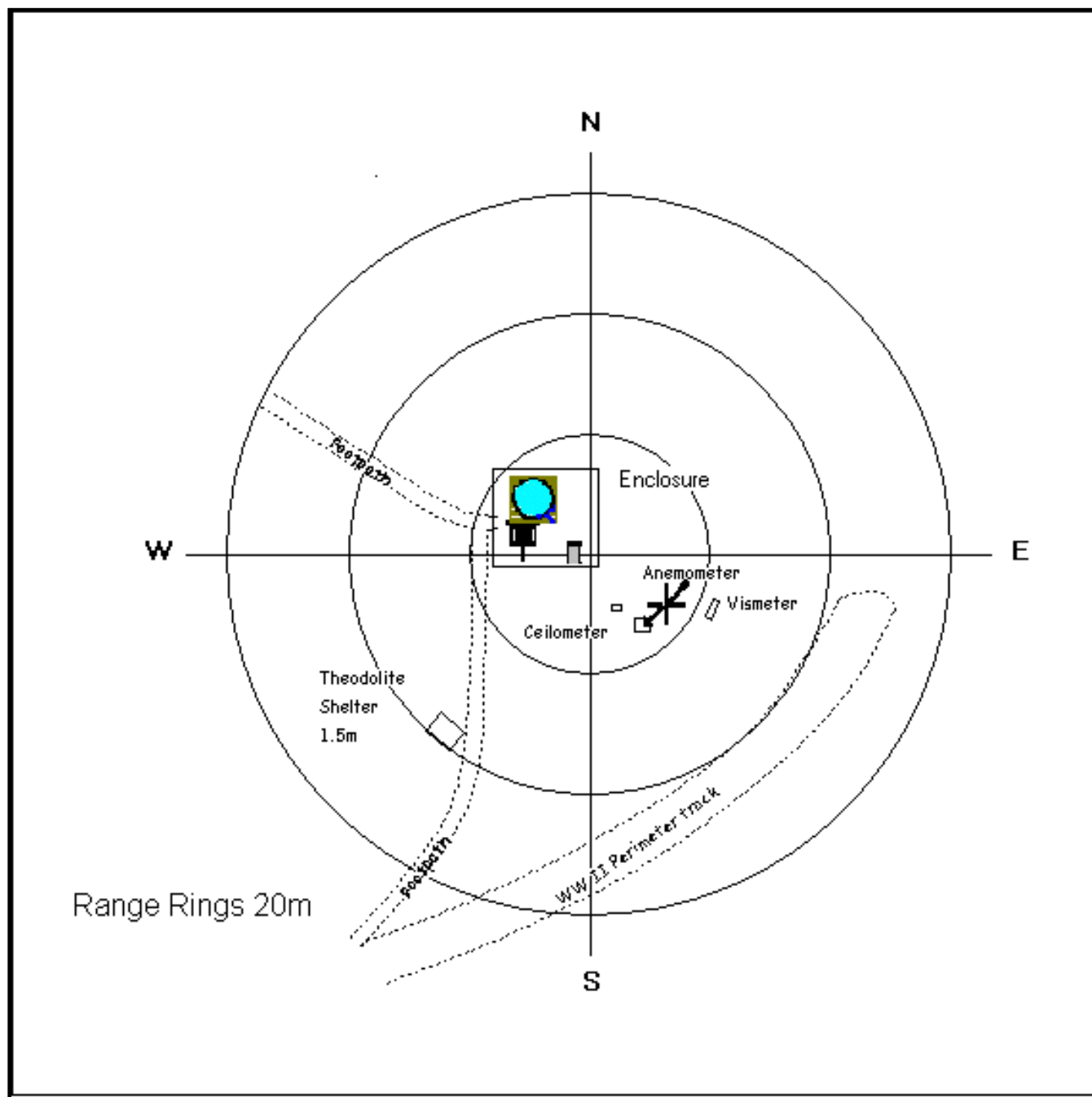
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08/09/2016



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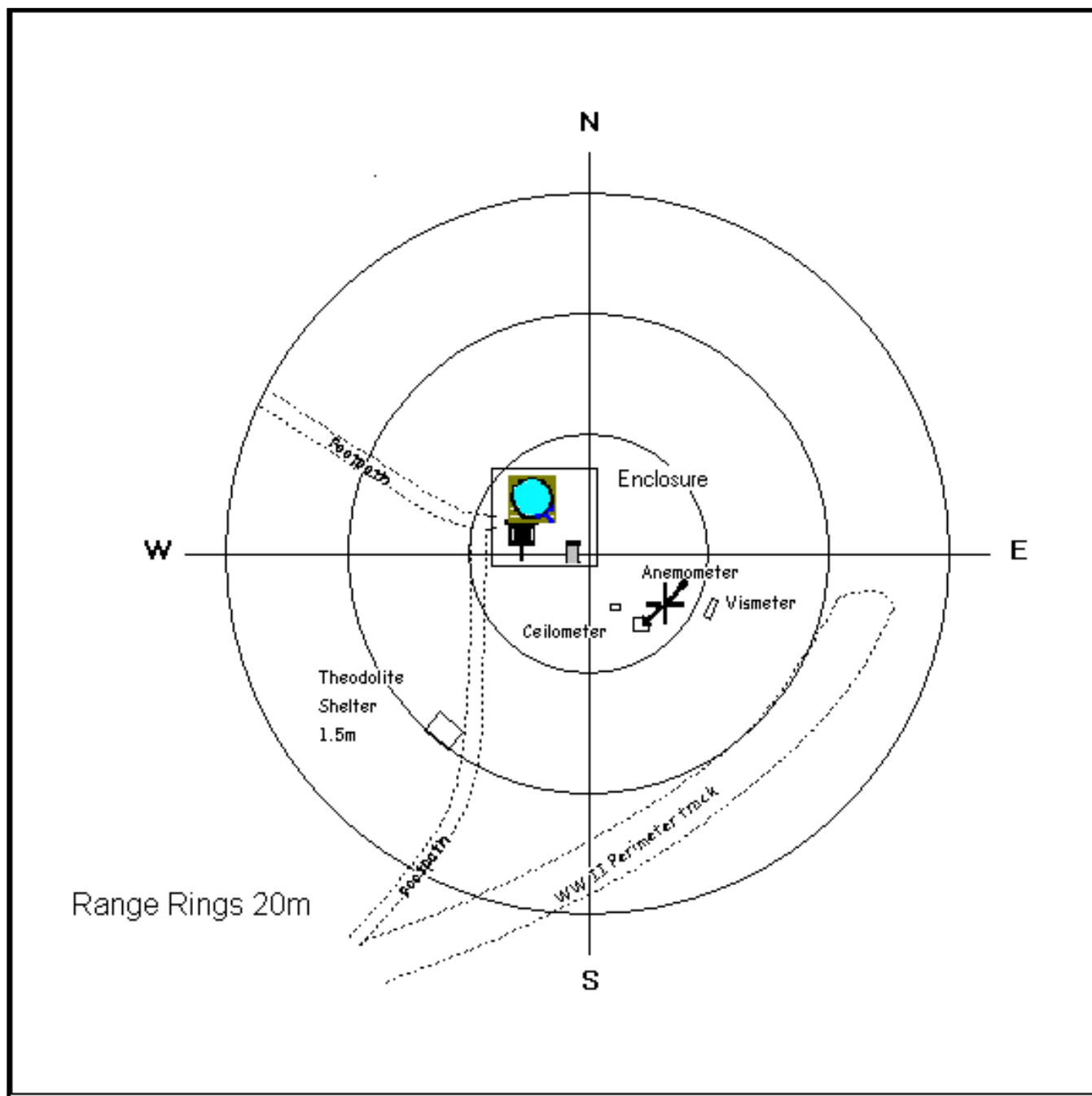
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11/10/2015



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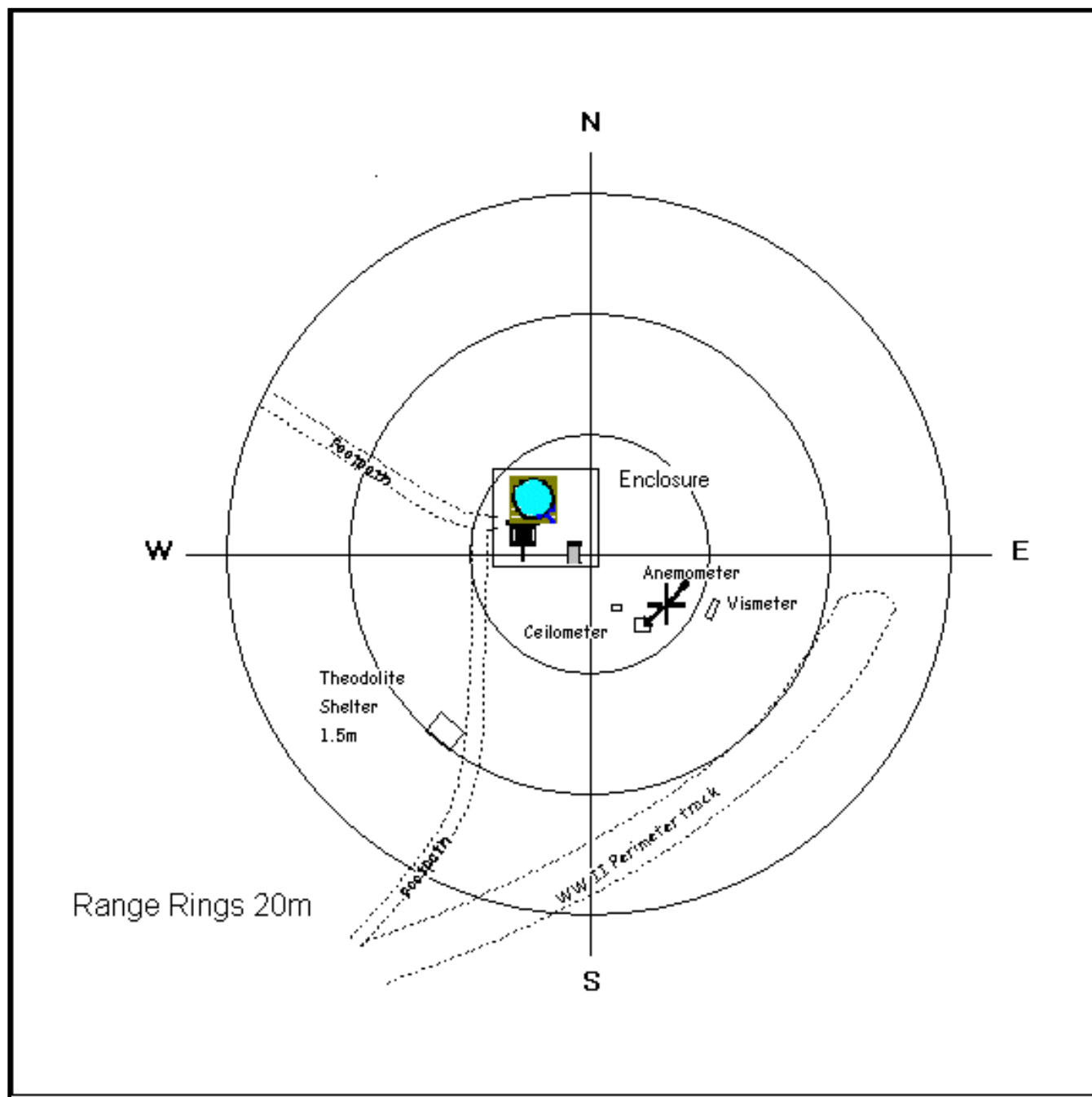
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11/10/2014



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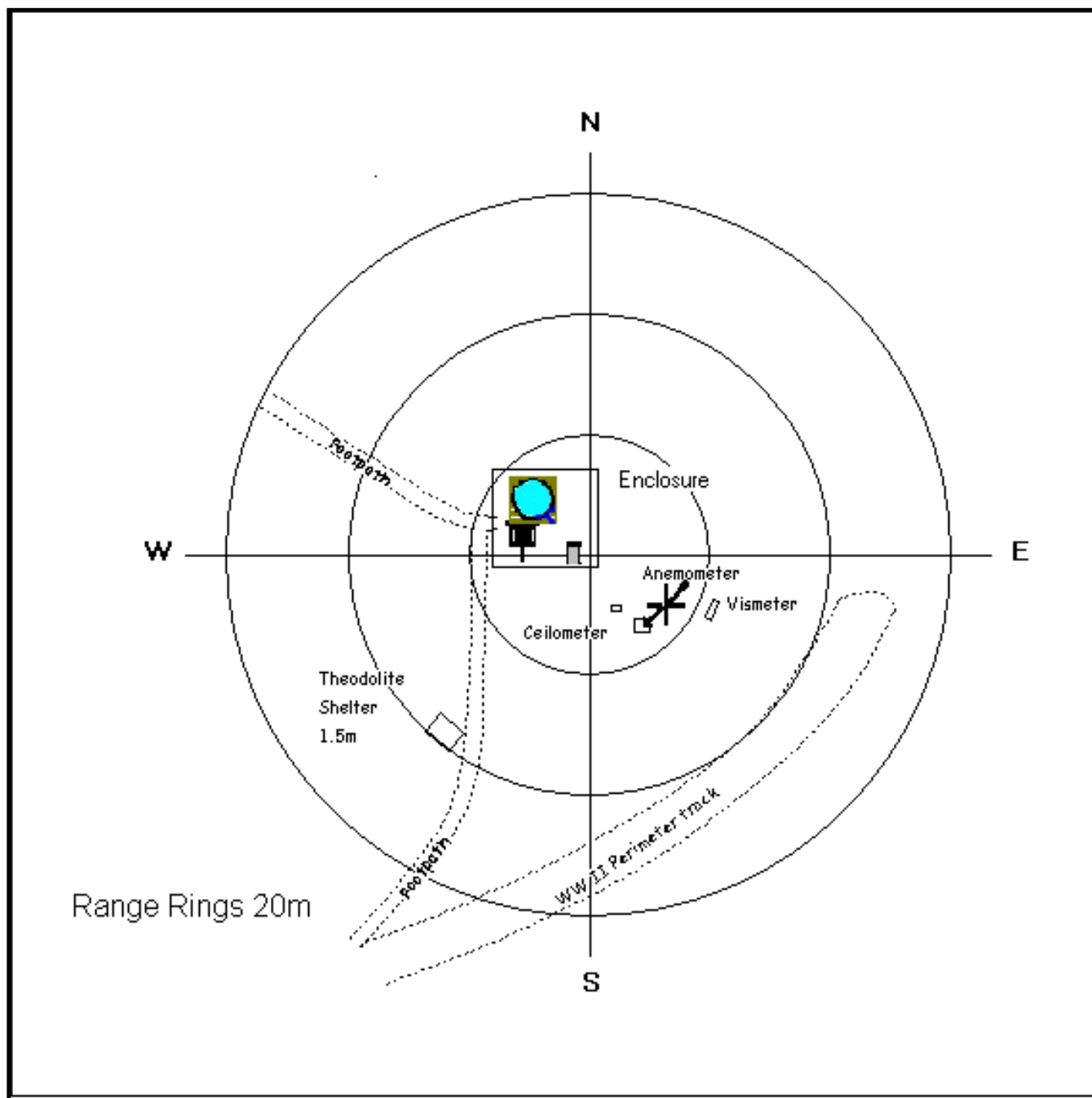
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23/09/2013



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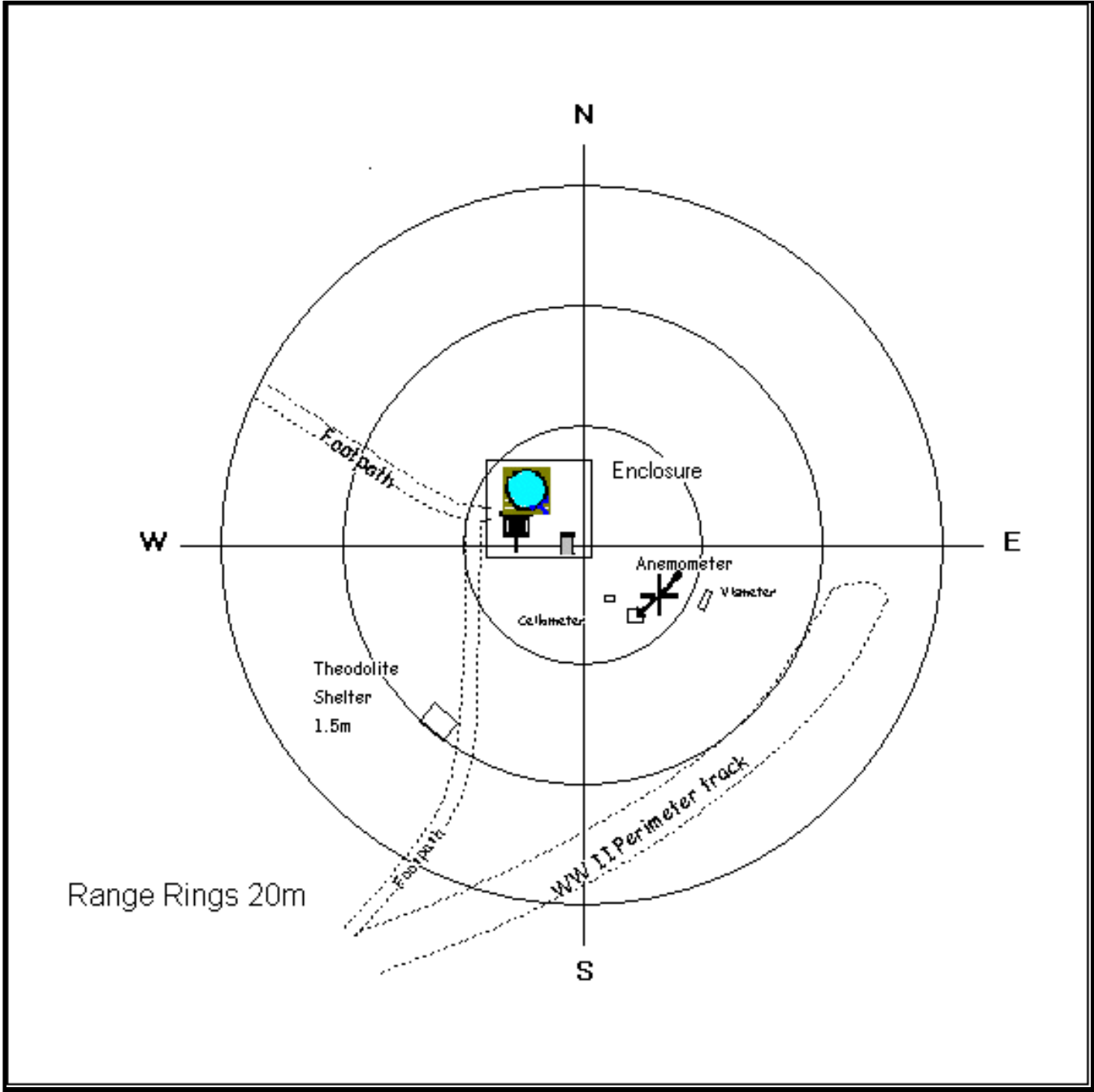
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Instrument Location and Surrounding Features  
07/12/2011



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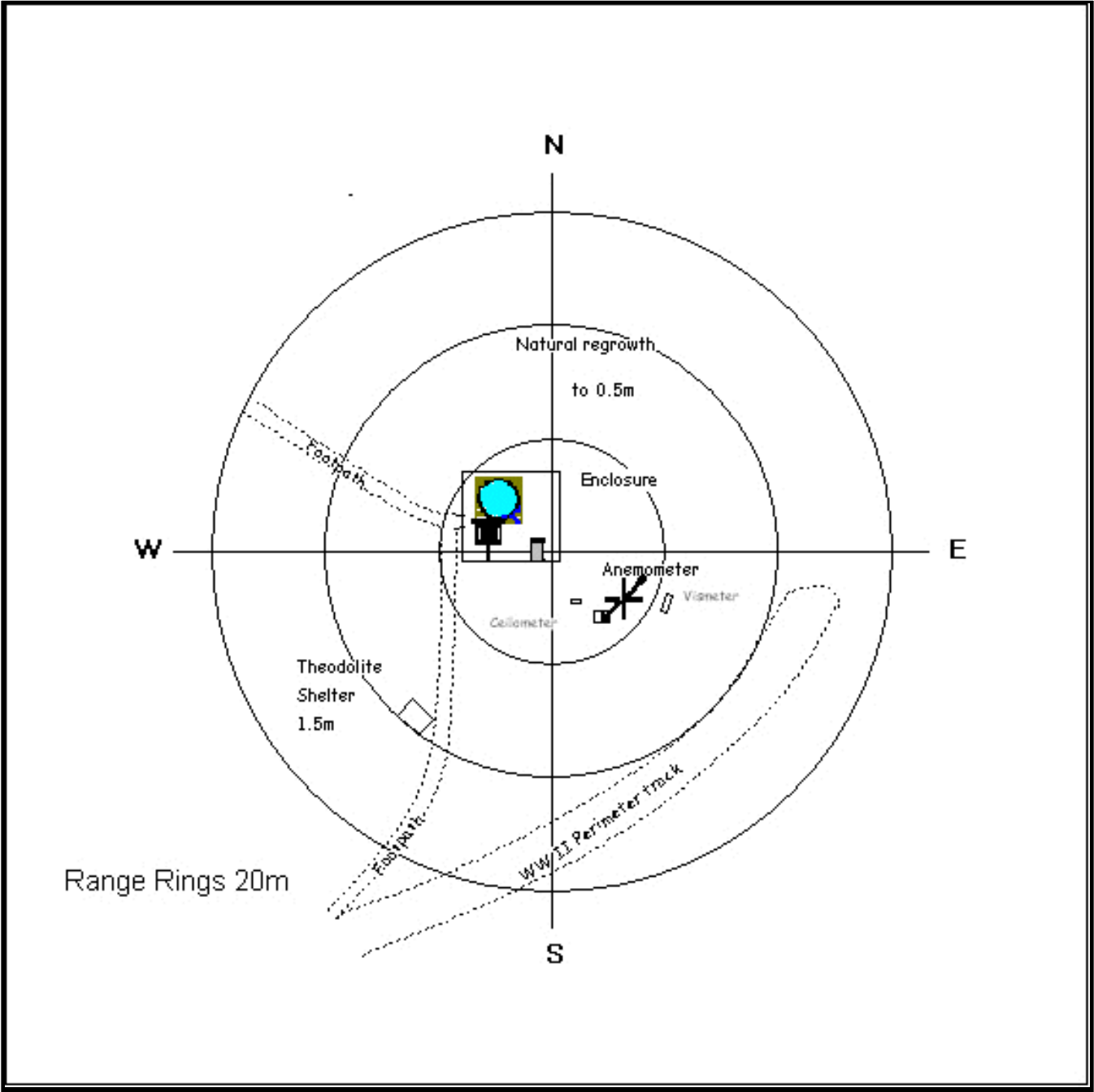
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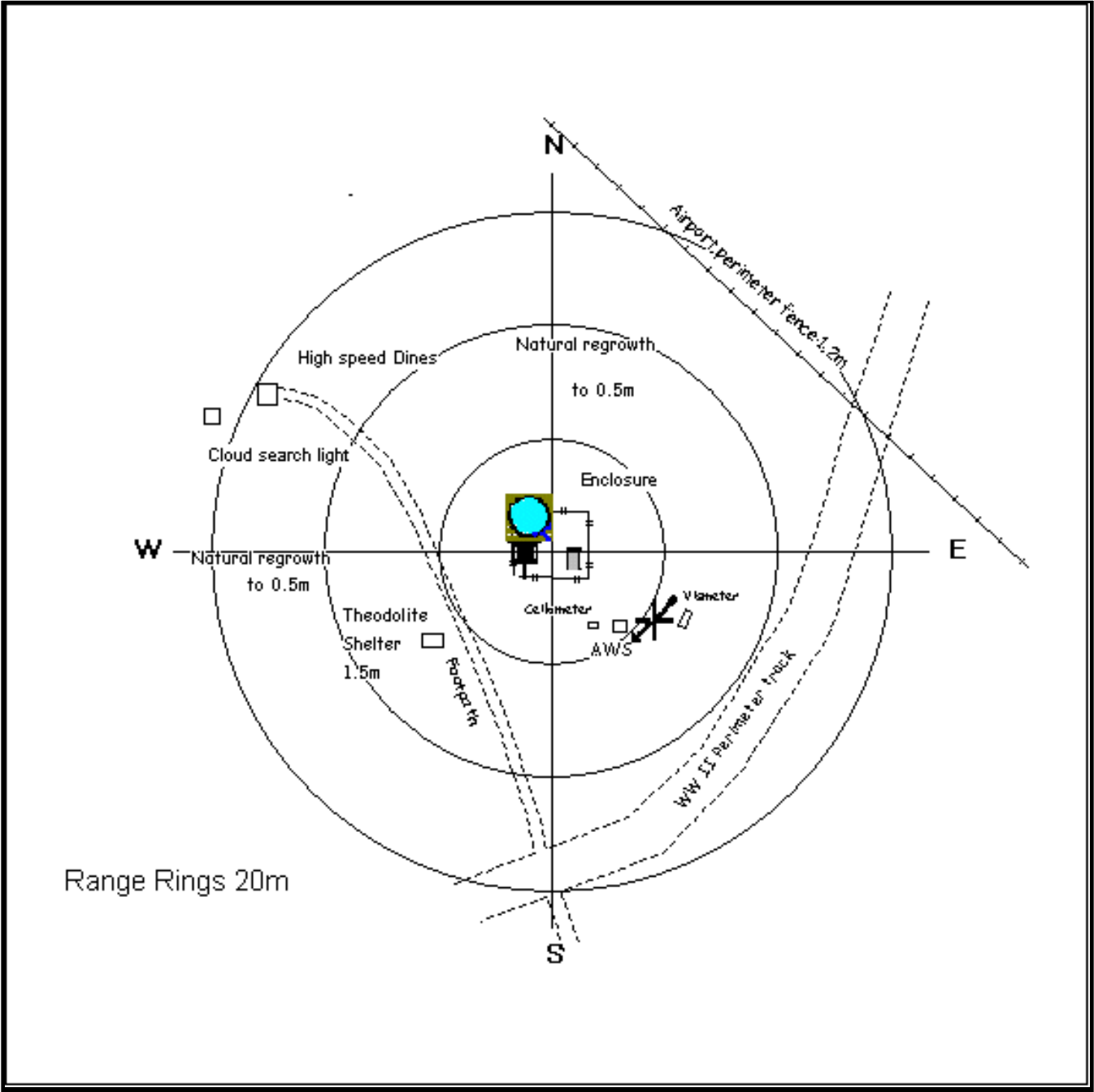
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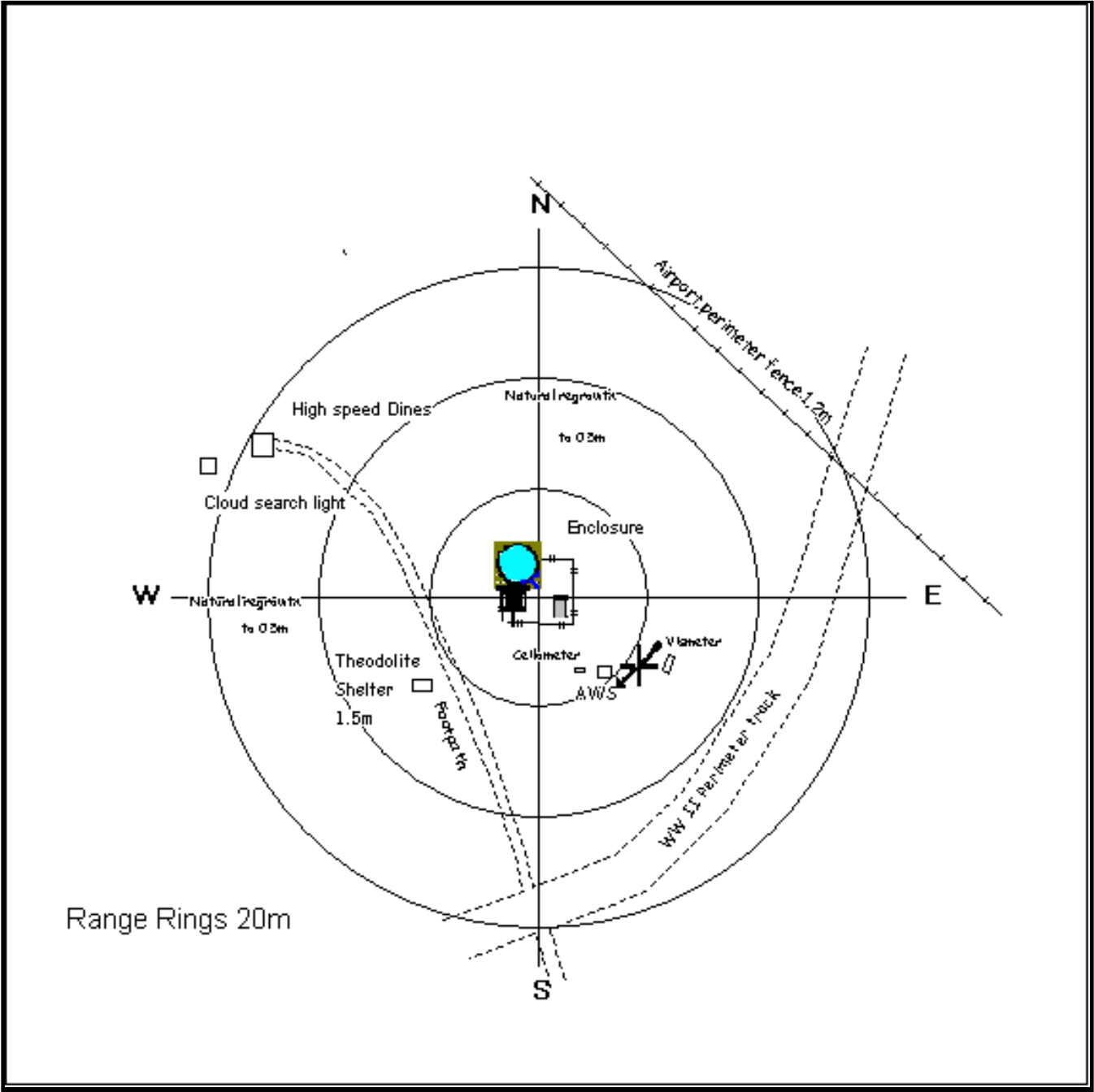
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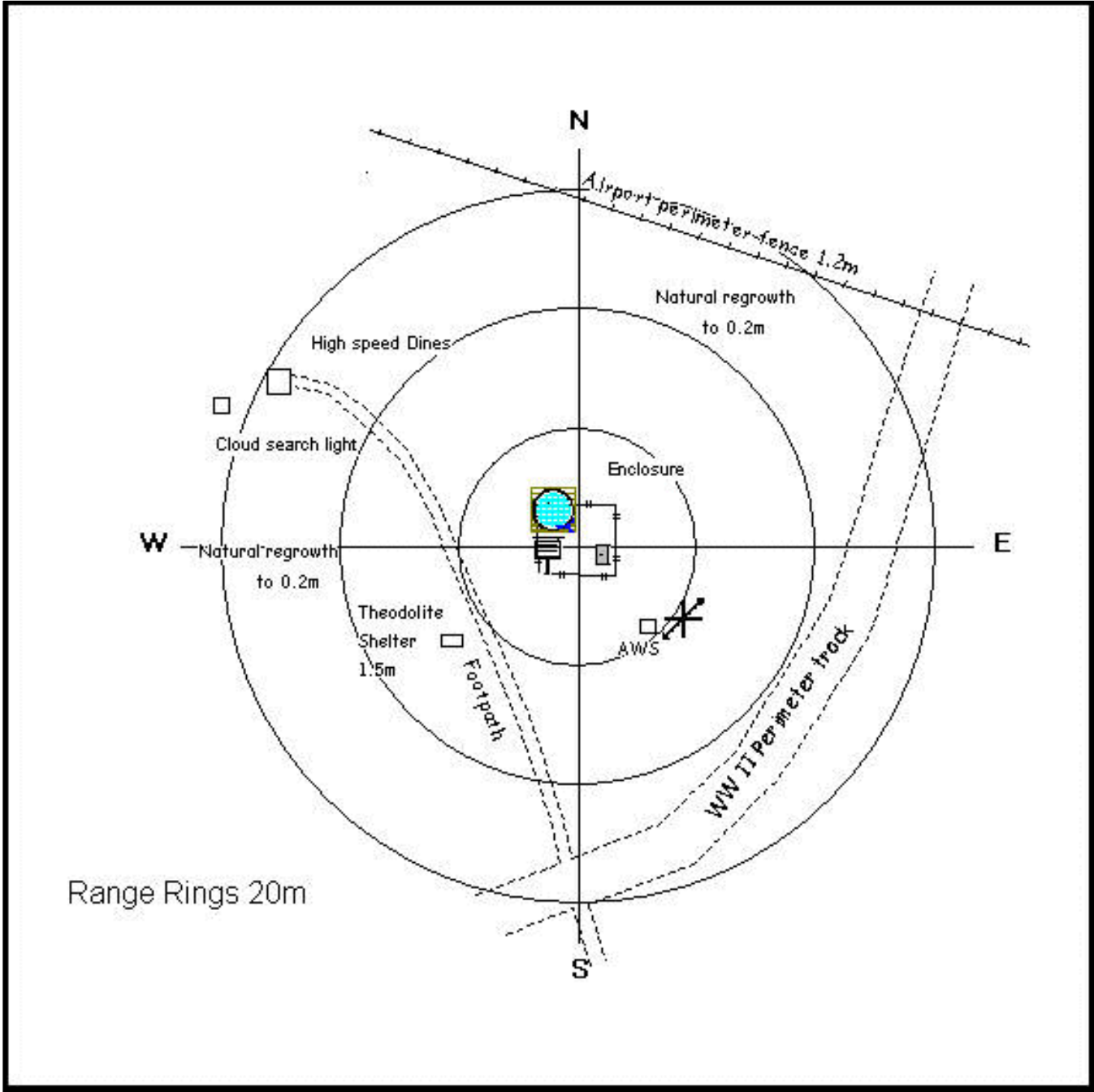
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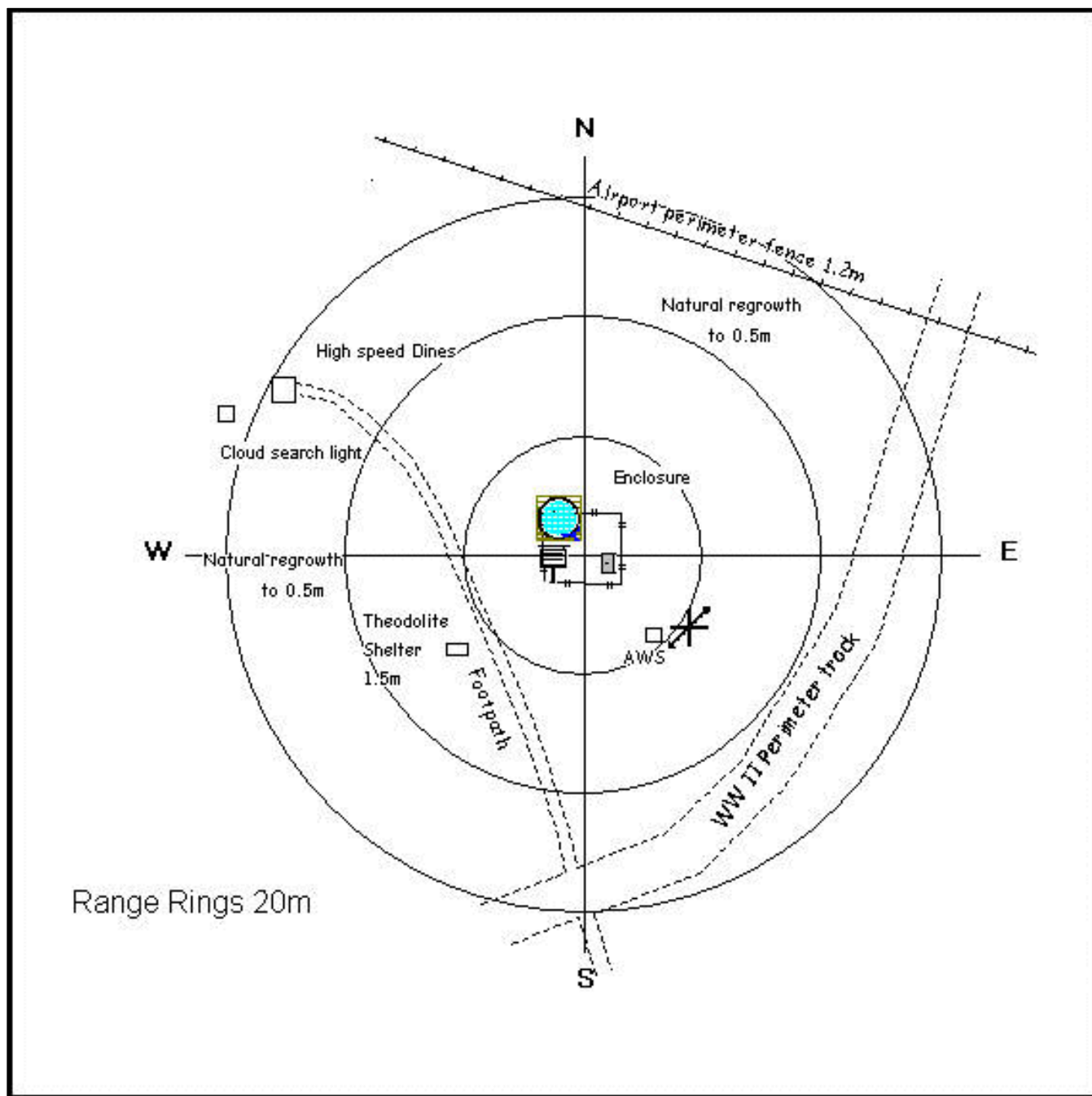
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29/10/2006



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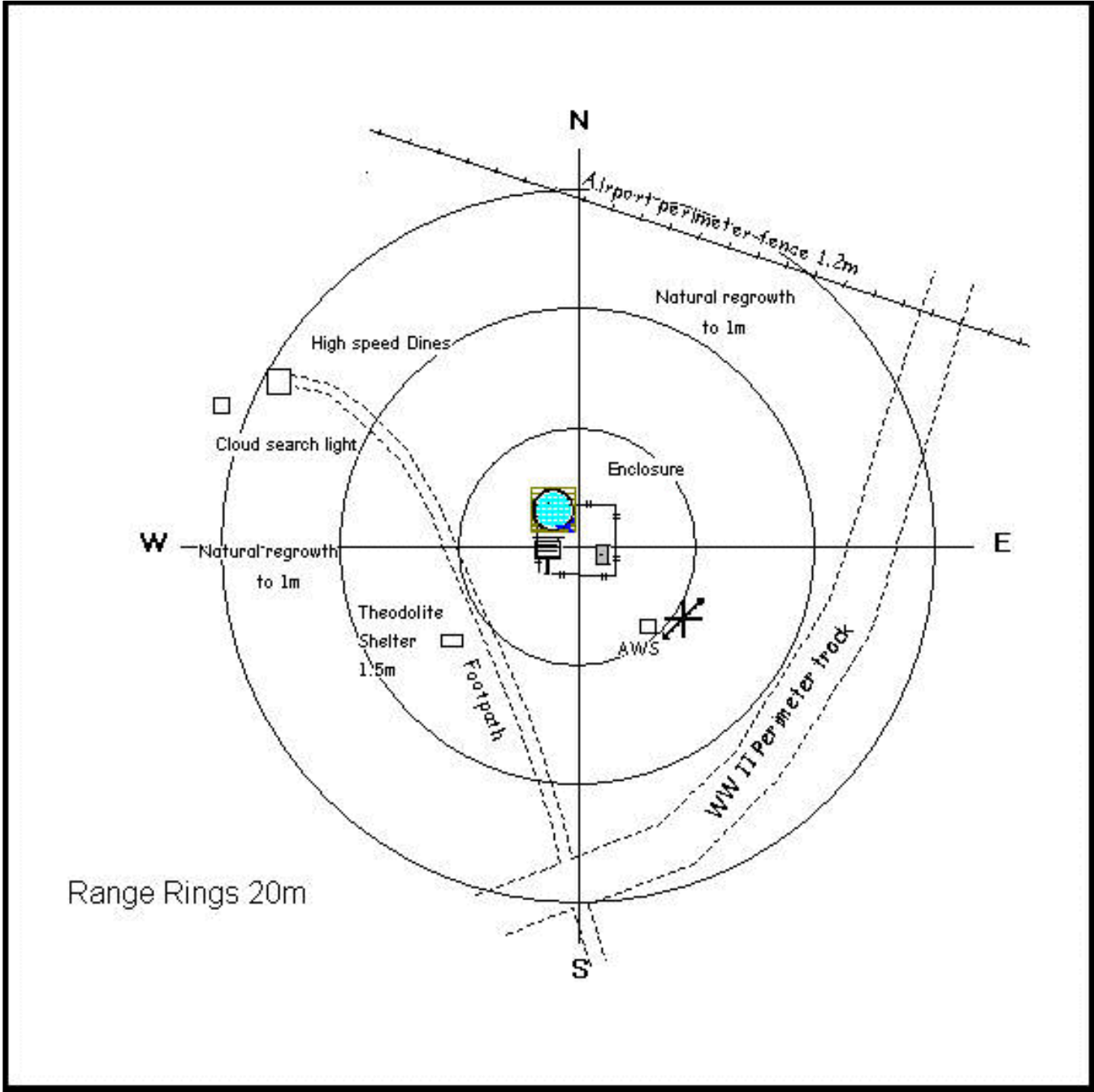
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Instrument Location and Surrounding Features  
25/10/2005



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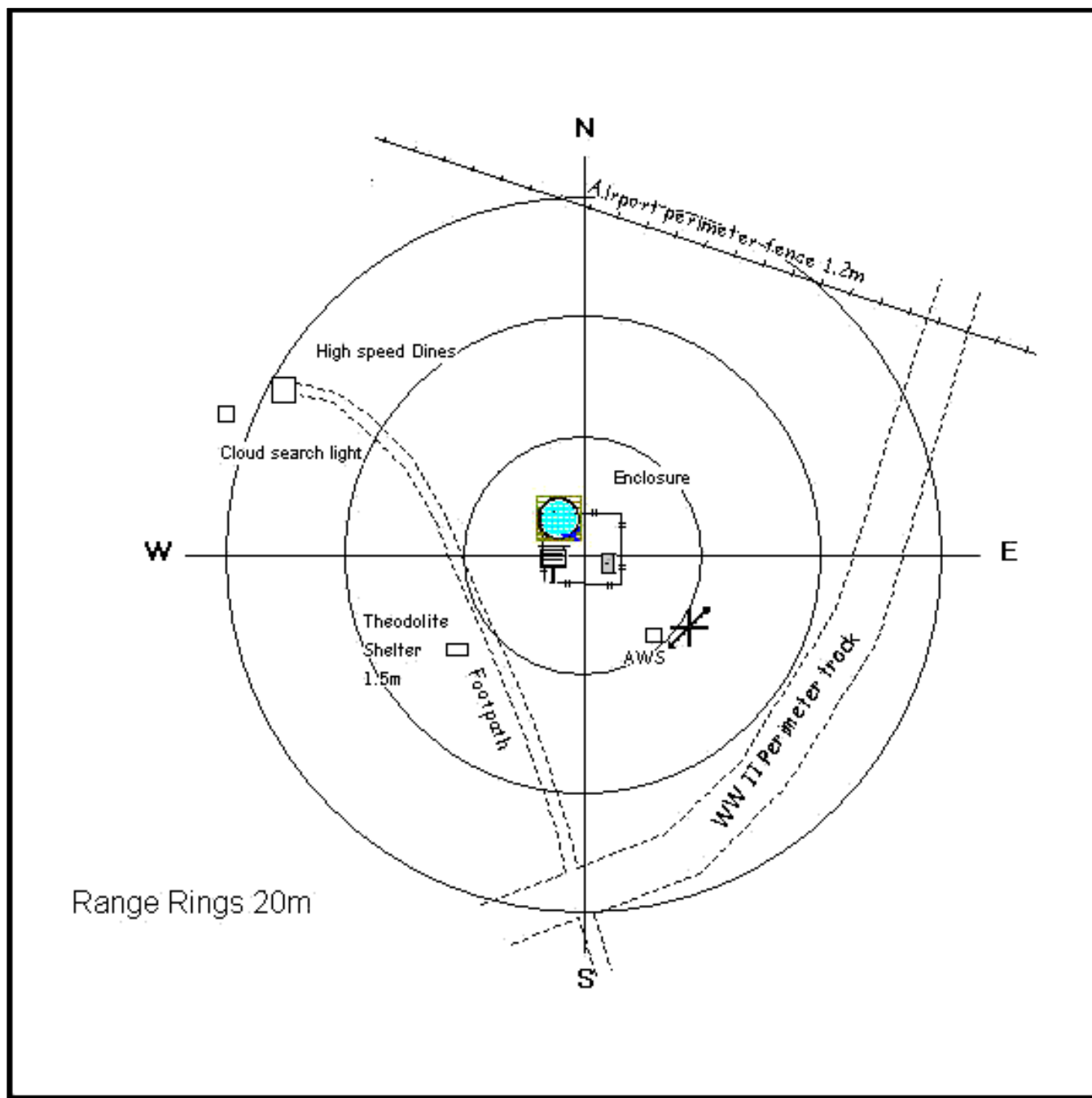
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All History

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### Instrument Location and Surrounding Features

11/10/2004



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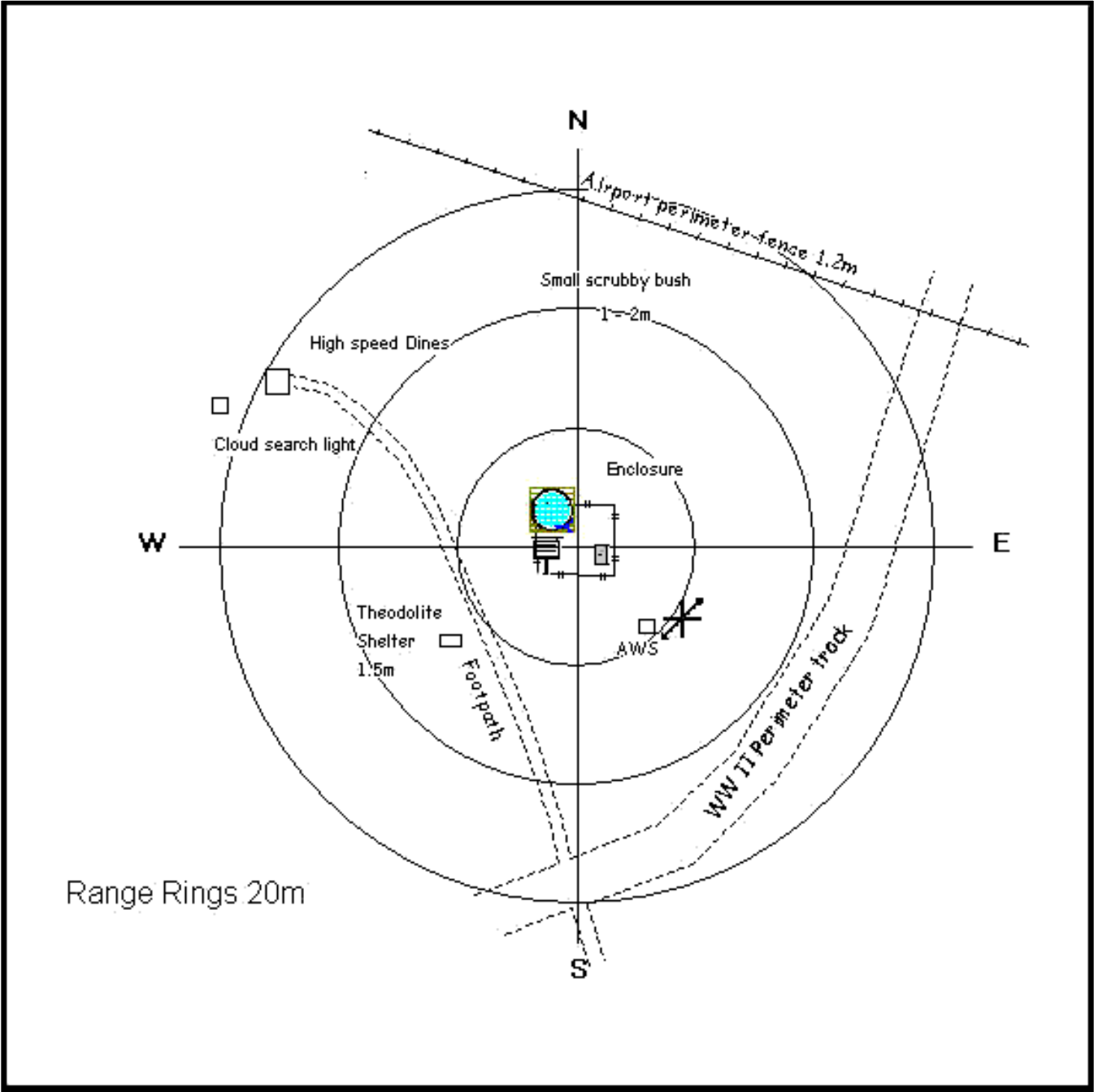
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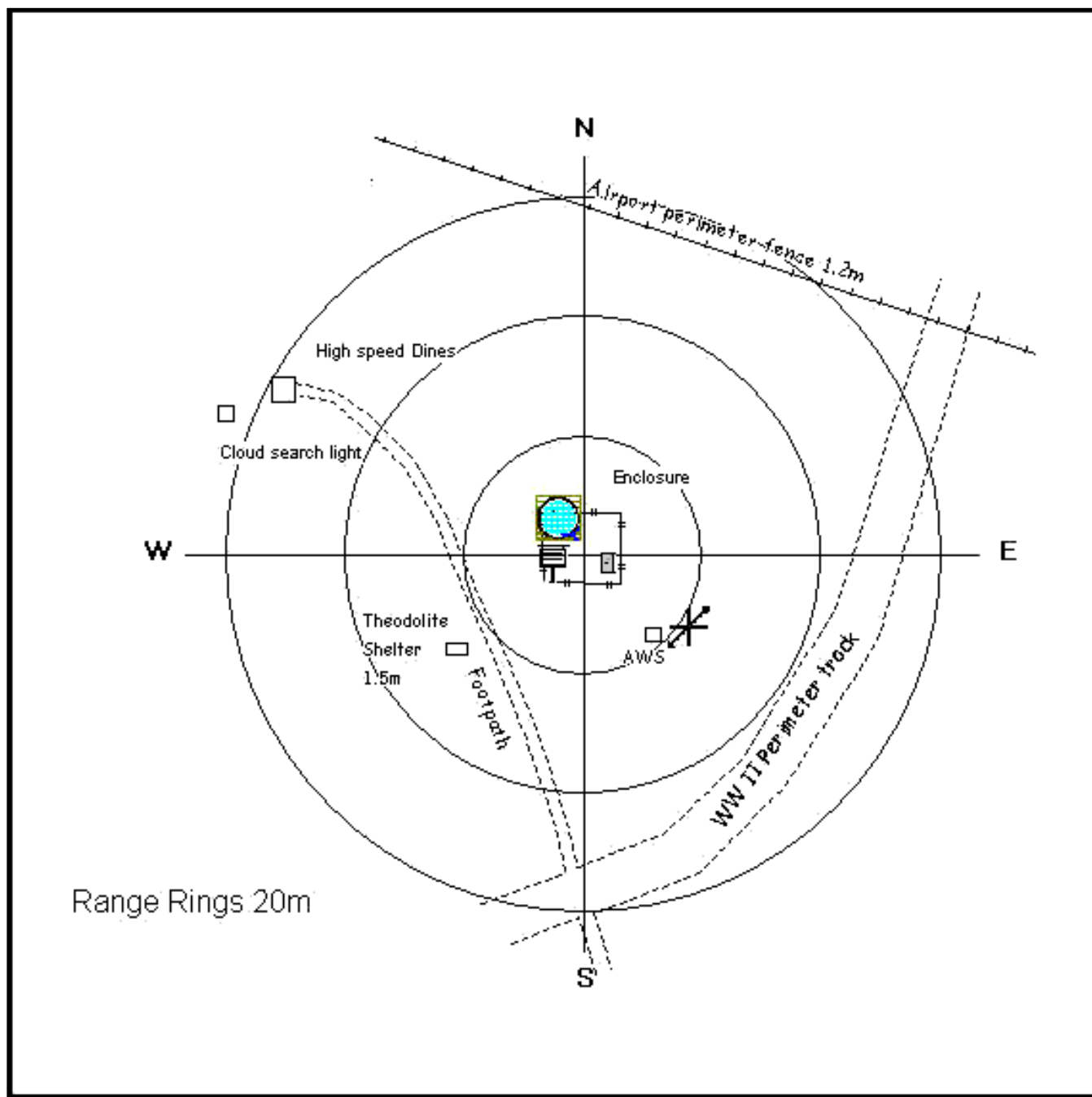
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### Instrument Location and Surrounding Features

09/11/2002



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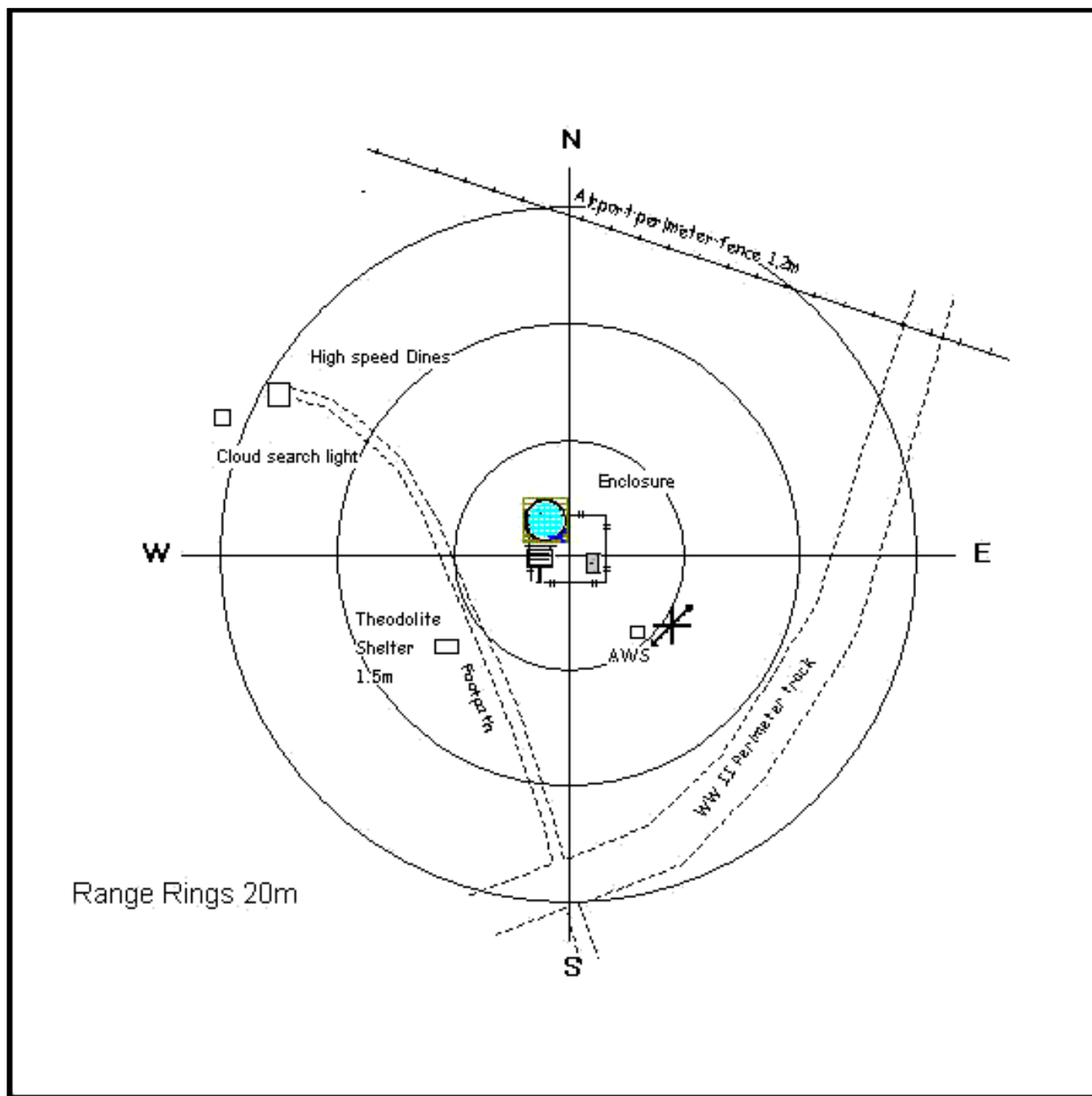
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### Instrument Location and Surrounding Features

21/10/2001



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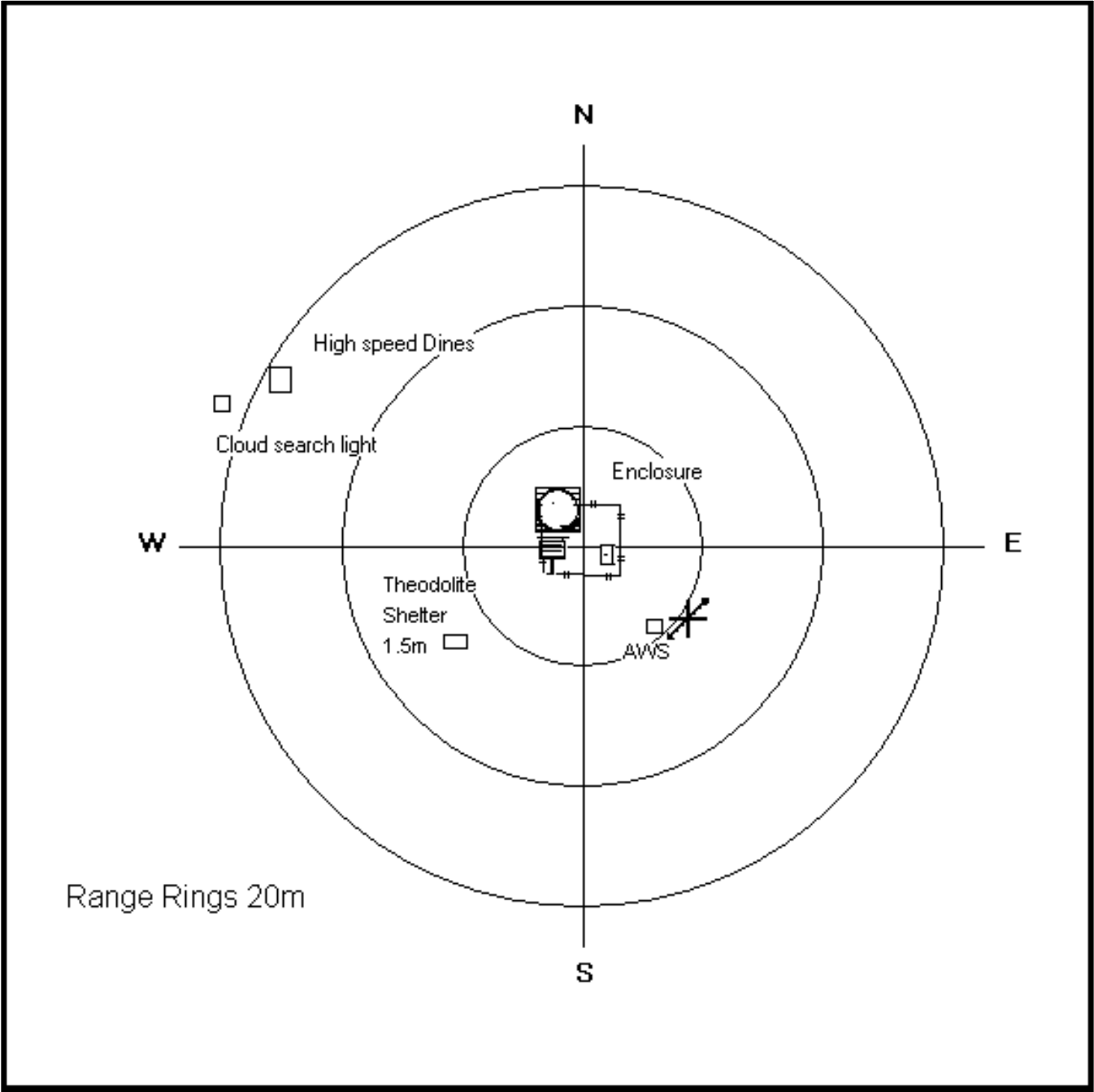
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Instrument Location and Surrounding Features  
21/10/2000



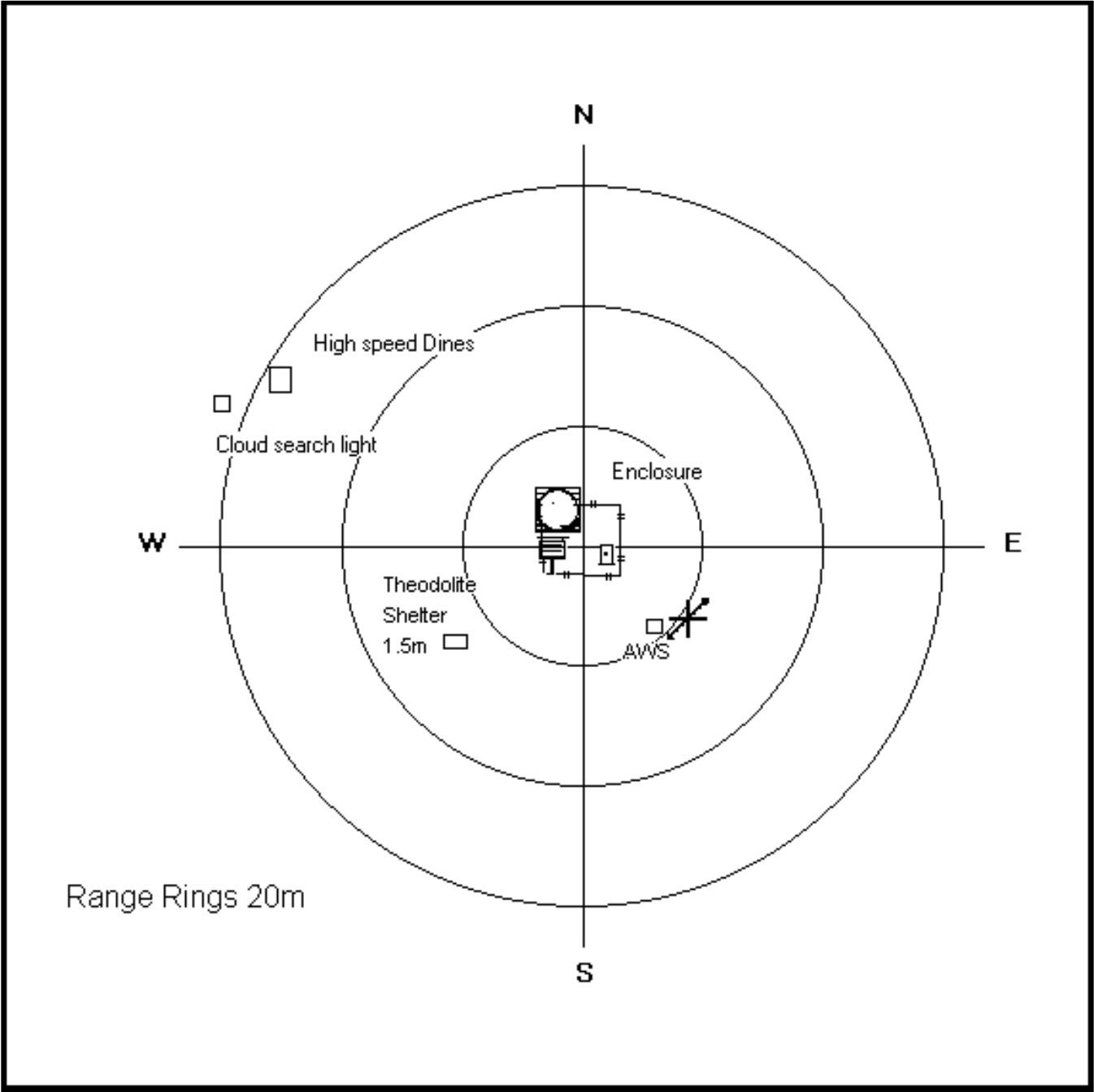
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Instrument Location and Surrounding Features  
31/10/1999



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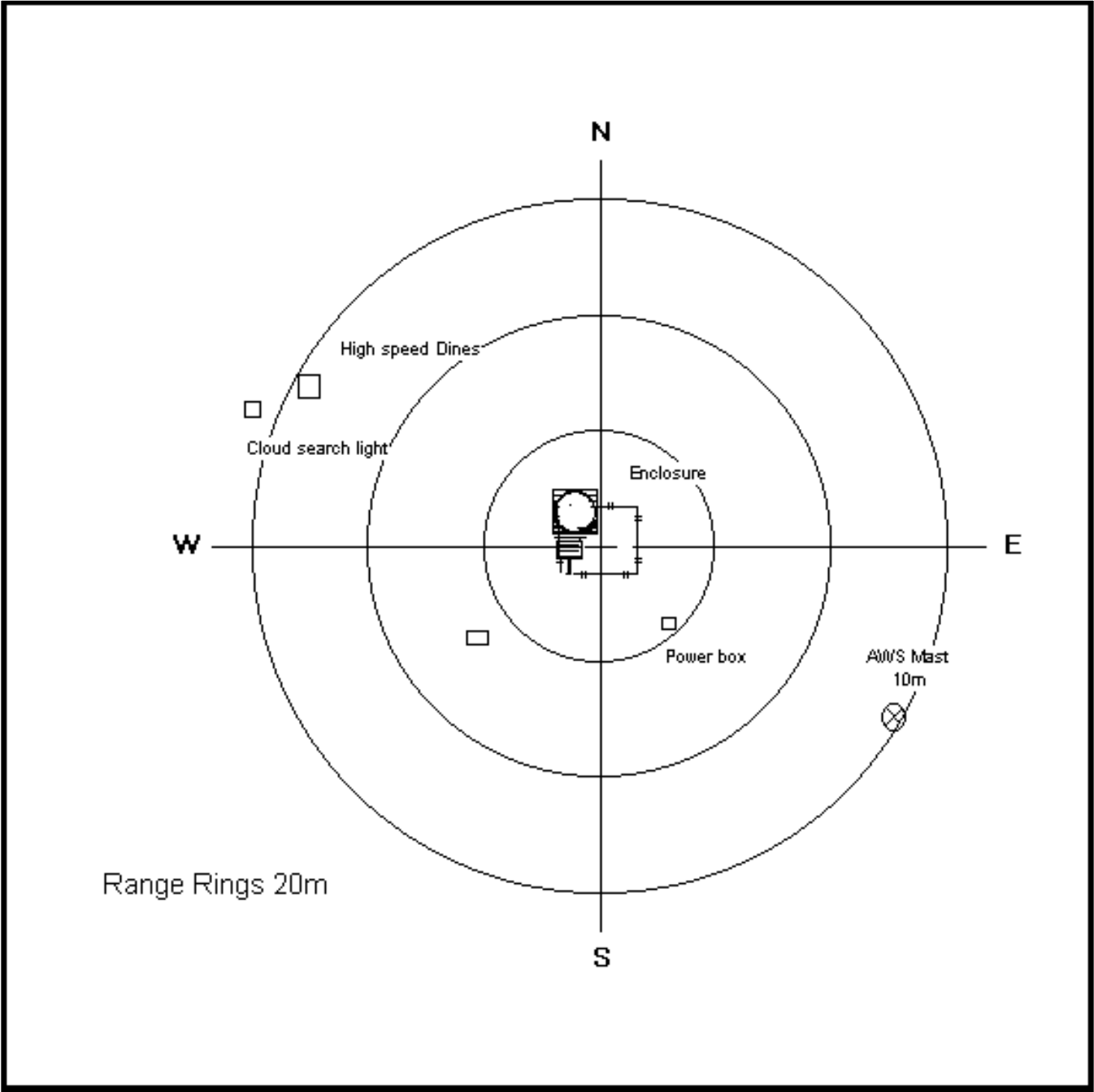




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Instrument Location and Surrounding Features  
08/11/1998



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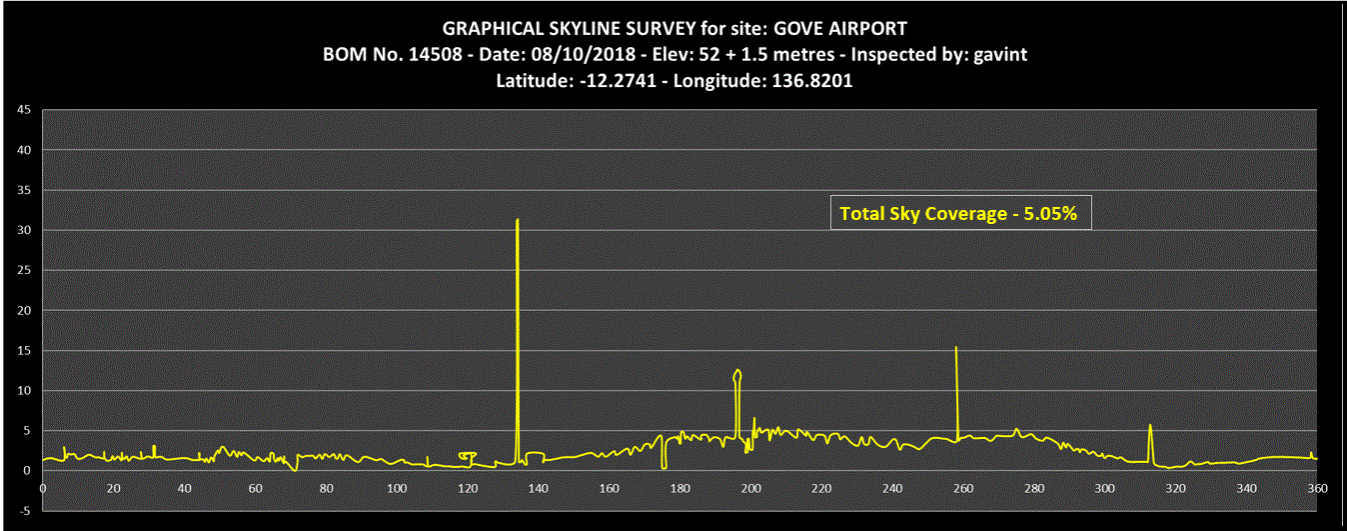
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## Skyline Diagram

08/10/2018(most recent)



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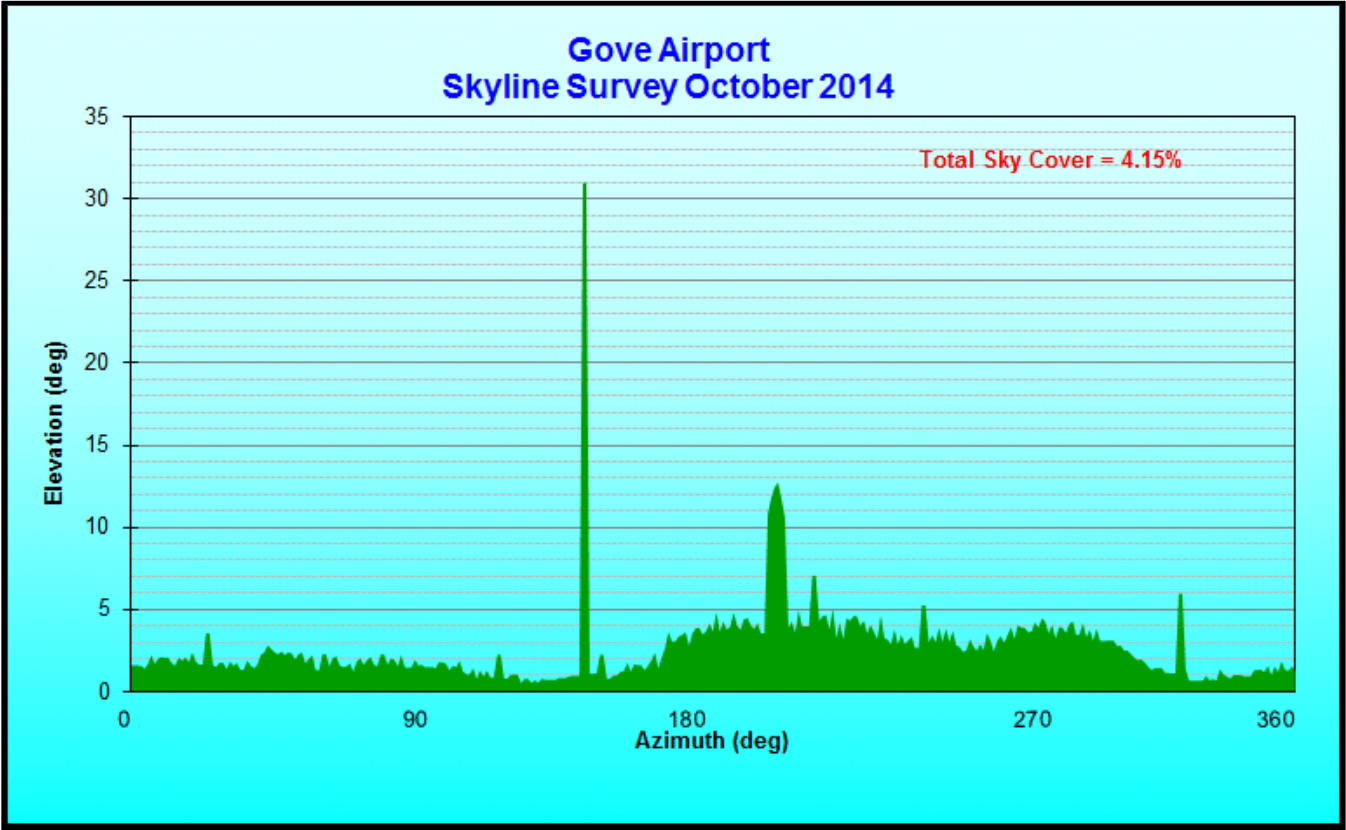
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Skyline Diagram  
11/10/2014



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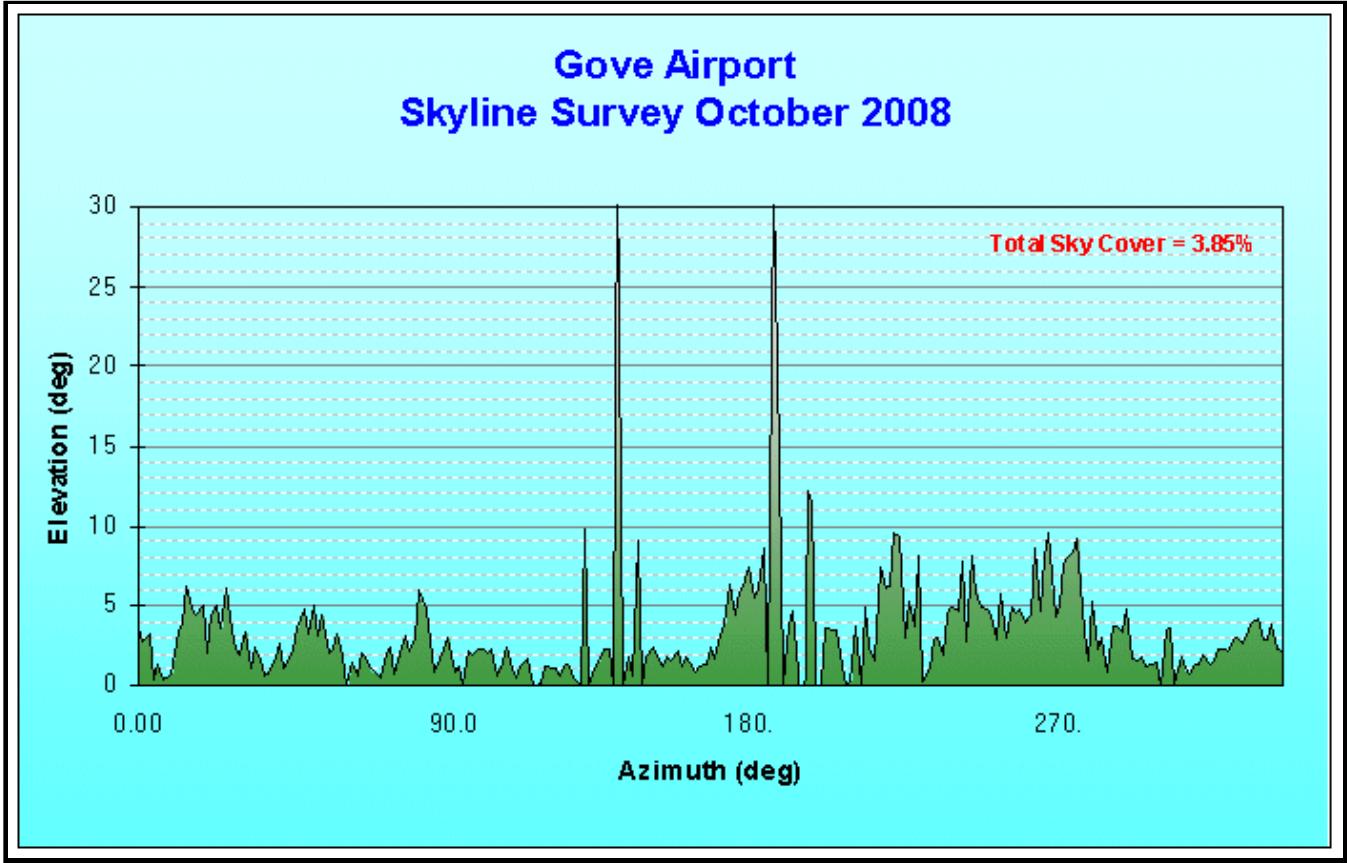
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Skyline Diagram  
20/10/2008



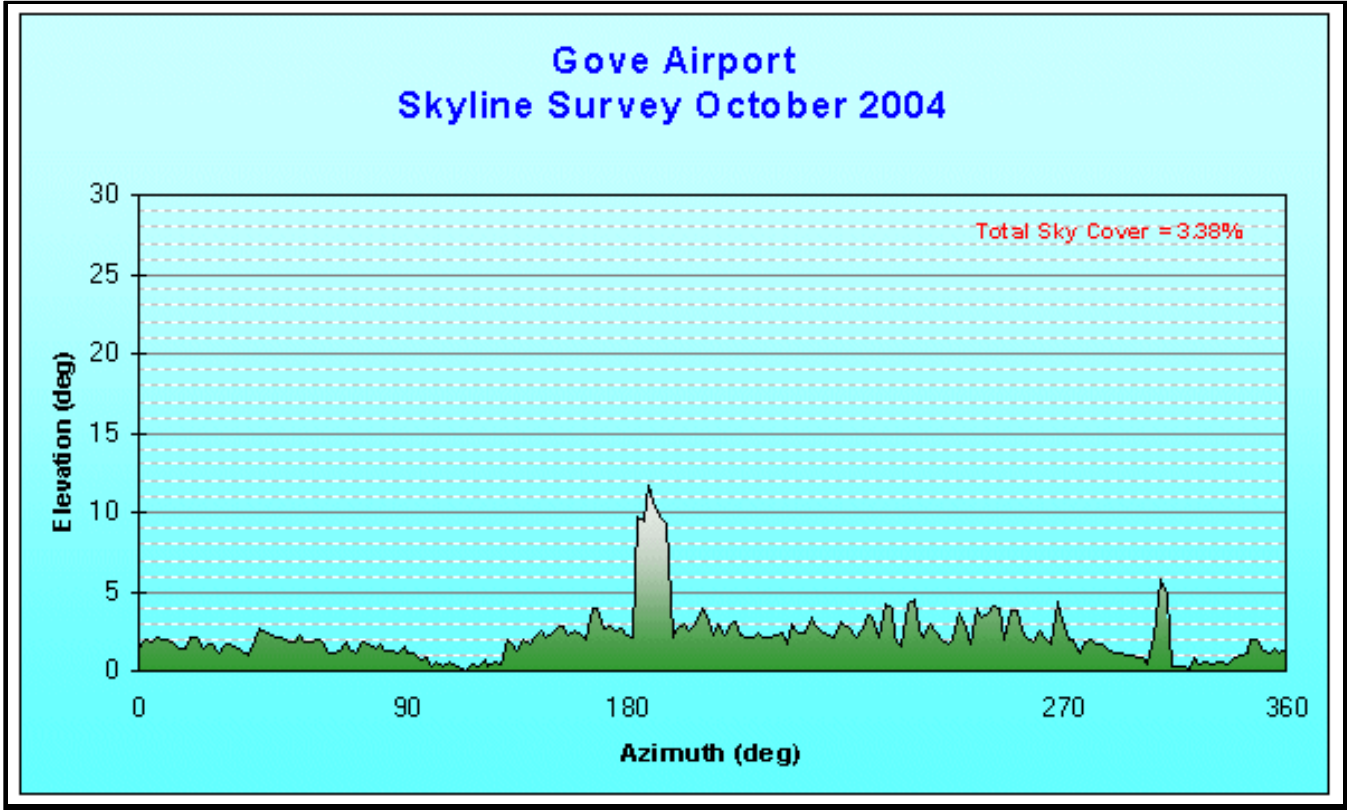
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Skyline Diagram  
11/10/2004



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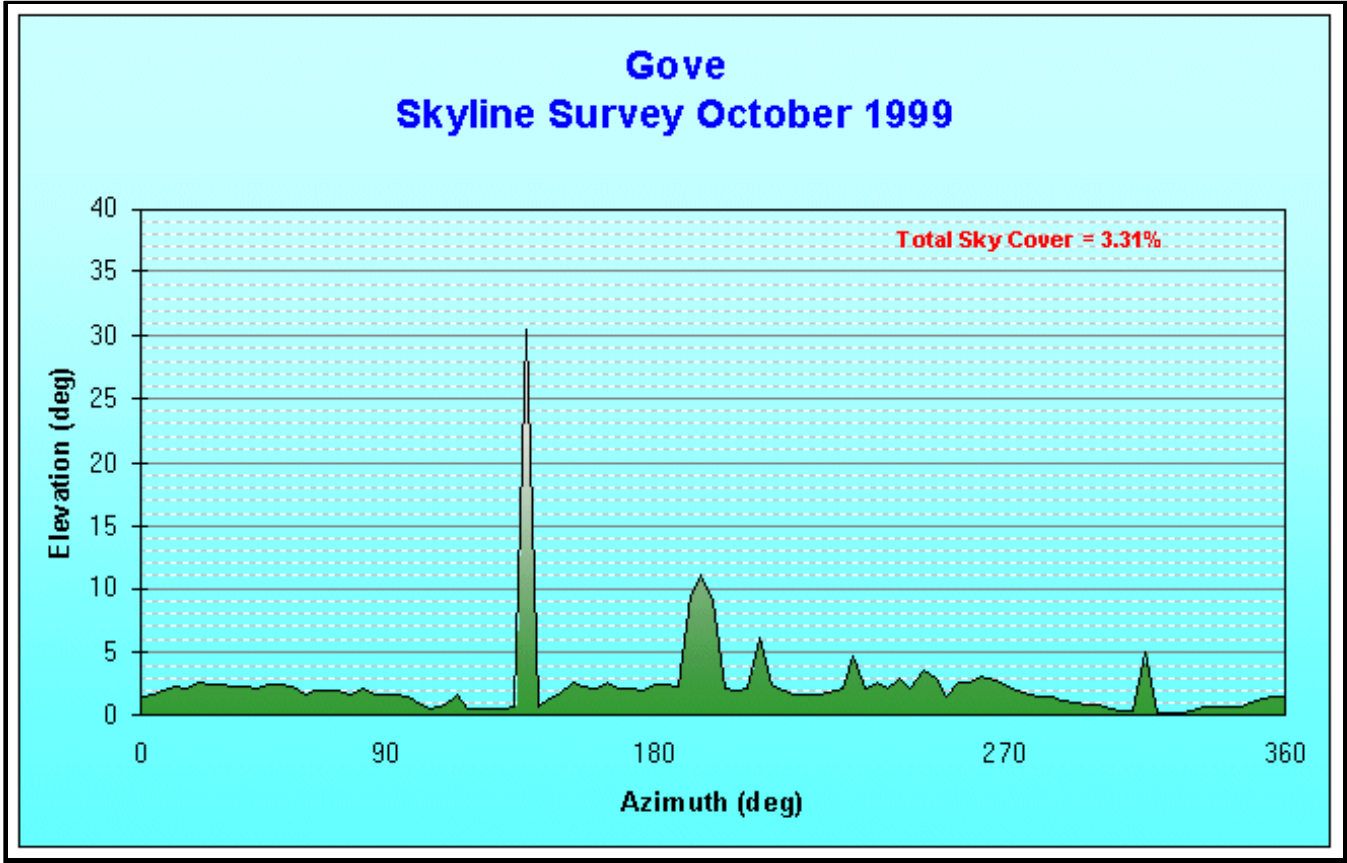
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Skyline Diagram  
31/10/1999



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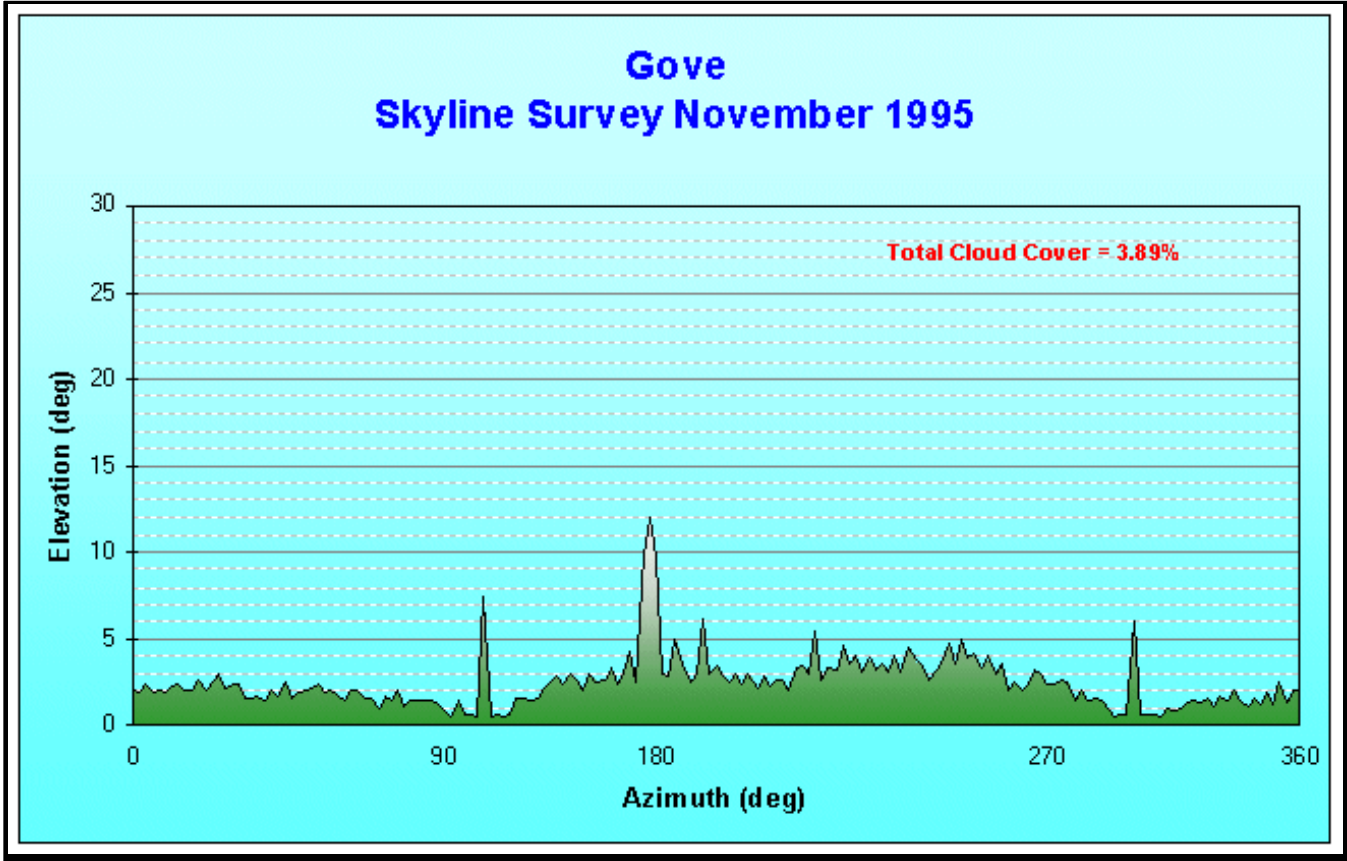
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Skyline Diagram  
09/11/1995



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Station Observation Program Summary (Surface Observations) from 01/02/1944 to 10/10/1991

Current Observation	Continuous	Half Hourly	Hourly
Surface Observations	-	Y	Y

Current Observation	Program Type	12 AM	3 AM	6 AM	9 AM	12 PM	3 PM	6 AM	9 AM
Surface Observation	PERFORMED	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Surface Observation	REPORTED	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Surface Observation	SEASONAL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Station Observation Program Summary (Surface Observations) from 10/10/1991 to 28/08/2002

Current Observation	Continuous	Half Hourly	Hourly
Surface Observations	-	Y	Y

Current Observation	Program Type	12 AM	3 AM	6 AM	9 AM	12 PM	3 PM	6 AM	9 AM
Surface Observation	PERFORMED	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Surface Observation	REPORTED	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Surface Observation	SEASONAL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Station Observation Program Summary (Surface Observations) from 28/08/2002 to 28/04/2016

Current Observation	Continuous	Half Hourly	Hourly
Surface Observations	Y	Y	Y

Current Observation	Program Type	12 AM	3 AM	6 AM	9 AM	12 PM	3 PM	6 AM	9 AM
Surface Observation	PERFORMED	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Surface Observation	REPORTED	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Surface Observation	SEASONAL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Station Observation Program Summary (Surface Observations) from 28/04/2016 to 20/04/2023

Current Observation	Continuous	Half Hourly	Hourly
Surface Observations	Y	Y	Y

Current Observation	Program Type	12 AM	3 AM	6 AM	9 AM	12 PM	3 PM	6 AM	9 AM
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Surface Observation	REPORTED	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Surface Observation	SEASONAL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Upper Air Routine 01/07/1999 to 01/08/2012

Flight type	Time UTC	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat	Sun
Wind & Temp.	00:00	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Wind & Temp.	06:00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Wind	00:00	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Wind	06:00	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Wind	12:00	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Wind	18:00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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### Upper Air Routine 01/08/2012 to 28/04/2016

Flight type	Time UTC	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat	Sun
Wind & Temp.	00:00	-	Y	-	Y	-	Y	Y
Wind & Temp.	06:00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Wind & Temp.	18:00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wind	00:00	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Wind	06:00	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Wind	12:00	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Wind	18:00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

### Upper Air Routine 28/04/2016 to 24/08/2019

Flight type	Time UTC	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat	Sun
Wind & Temp.	00:00	Y	Y	-	Y	Y	-	-
Wind & Temp.	06:00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wind & Temp.	12:00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Wind	12:00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wind	18:00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

### Upper Air Routine 24/08/2019 (most recent)

Flight type	Time UTC	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat	Sun
Wind & Temp.	00:00	Y	Y	-	Y	Y	-	-
Wind & Temp.	06:00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Wind & Temp.	18:00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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## Station Equipment History

### Equipment Install/Remove

#### Cloud Height

14/JUL/2004 INSTALL Ceilometer (Type Vaisala CT25K S/N - Z10202) Surface Observations  
19/APR/2023 REMOVE Ceilometer (Type Vaisala CL31 S/N - L3331030) Surface Observations  
15/DEC/2014 REPLACE Ceilometer (Now Vaisala CL31 S/N - G5050001) Surface Observations  
25/JUL/2012 REPLACE Ceilometer (Now Vaisala CL31 S/N - G5050005) Surface Observations  
05/JUN/2019 REPLACE Ceilometer (Now Vaisala CL31 S/N - L3331030) Surface Observations  
01/SEP/1966 INSTALL Cloud Base Searchlight (Type 63 Degree S/N - 413) Surface Observations  
27/FEB/2015 REMOVE Cloud Base Searchlight (Type 63 Degree S/N - 413) Surface Observations

#### Humidity

04/JUN/2019 INSTALL Humidity Probe (Type Rotronics MP101A-T4-W4W S/N - 61803042) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Humidity Probe (Type Rotronics MP101A-T4-W4W S/N - 61803042) Surface Observations

#### Pressure Trend

11/NOV/1985 INSTALL Barograph (Type Weekly S/N - CMO211) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Barograph (Type Weekly S/N - CMO211) Surface Observations

#### Lightning

08/NOV/1998 INSTALL Lightning Flash Counter (Type CIGRE - Vertical Aerial S/N - Unknown) Surface Observations  
27/FEB/2015 REMOVE Lightning Flash Counter (Type CIGRE - Vertical Aerial S/N - Unknown) Surface Observations

#### Sea Surface Temperature (No Electronic History)

#### Magnetic Bearing (No Electronic History)

#### Wind Direction

01/MAR/1972 INSTALL Anemometer (Type Dines - Hi Speed S/N - 797) Surface Observations  
01/OCT/1985 INSTALL Anemometer (Type Dines - Hi Speed S/N - Unknown) Surface Observations  
16/NOV/2016 INSTALL Anemometer (Type Synchrotac Cups - Type 732 S/N - 75045) Surface Observations  
10/OCT/1991 INSTALL Anemometer (Type Synchrotac Vane - Type 706 S/N - 68593) Surface Observations  
01/OCT/1985 INSTALL Mast Anemometer (Type Pivot, Standard 10m S/N - Unknown) Infrastructure  
11/NOV/1985 INSTALL Wind Run Anemometer (Type Munro S/N - 36558) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Anemometer (Type Dines - Hi Speed S/N - 797) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Anemometer (Type Dines - Hi Speed S/N - Unknown) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Anemometer (Type Synchrotac Cups - Type 732 S/N - 898824) Surface Observations  
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07/MAR/2001 REPLACE Anemometer (Now Synchrotac Cups - Type 732 S/N - WD76462WS76374) Surface Observations  
20/JUN/2003 REPLACE Anemometer (Now Synchrotac Cups - Type 732 S/N - WS82136,WD-NONE) Surface Observations  
16/NOV/2016 REPLACE Anemometer (Now Synchrotac Vane - Type 706 S/N - 75078) Surface Observations  
29/MAY/2008 REPLACE Anemometer (Now Synchrotac Vane - Type 706 S/N - D24/S24) Surface Observations  
09/MAY/2006 REPLACE Anemometer (Now Synchrotac Vane - Type 706 S/N - W/S-D506W/D-D506) Surface Observations  
20/AUG/2015 REPLACE Anemometer (Now Synchrotac Vane - Type 706 S/N - WD76498/WS76391) Surface Observations

#### Wet Bulb Temperature

10/OCT/1991 INSTALL Temperature Probe - Wet Bulb (Type Rosemount S/N - NONE) Surface Observations  
04/JUN/2019 REMOVE Temperature Probe - Wet Bulb (Type Rosemount ST2401 S/N - 0253) Surface Observations  
08/DEC/2010 REPLACE Temperature Probe - Wet Bulb (Now Rosemount ST2401 S/N - 0253) Surface Observations  
13/AUG/2010 REPLACE Temperature Probe - Wet Bulb (Now Temp Control TCBMP01 S/N - 10268) Surface Observations

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Equipment Install/Remove(Continued)

01/SEP/1966   INSTALL Thermometer, Mercury, Wet Bulb (Type Dobbie S/N - 4925) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023   REMOVE Thermometer, Mercury, Wet Bulb (Type Dobbie S/N - 12854) Surface Observations  
23/FEB/2006   REPLACE Thermometer, Mercury, Wet Bulb (Now Dobbie S/N - 12854) Surface Observations

Solar Radiation (Long Wave) (No Electronic History)

Spectral Radiation (No Electronic History)

Maximum Temperature

01/SEP/1966   INSTALL Thermometer, Mercury, Max (Type Dobbie S/N - 4002) Surface Observations  
28/APR/2016   REMOVE Thermometer, Mercury, Max (Type Dobbie S/N - CBM1280) Surface Observations  
26/MAY/2013   REPLACE Thermometer, Mercury, Max (Now Dobbie S/N - CBM1280) Surface Observations

Soil Temperature 10cm

01/JAN/1985   INSTALL Thermometer, Soil, 10cm (Type Dobros S/N - 146) Surface Observations  
28/APR/2016   REMOVE Thermometer, Soil, 10cm (Type Unknown S/N - 0270810) Surface Observations  
21/OCT/2000   REPLACE Thermometer, Soil, 10cm (Now Dobros S/N - M2145) Surface Observations  
11/JUN/2015   REPLACE Thermometer, Soil, 10cm (Now Unknown S/N - 0270810) Surface Observations  
20/OCT/2008   REPLACE Thermometer, Soil, 10cm (Now Unknown S/N - 9604904) Surface Observations  
07/JUN/2015   REPLACE Thermometer, Soil, 10cm (Now Unknown S/N - 9604908) Surface Observations

Soil Temperature 20cm

01/JAN/1985   INSTALL Thermometer, Soil, 20cm (Type Dobros S/N - 9566411) Surface Observations  
28/APR/2016   REMOVE Thermometer, Soil, 20cm (Type Dobros S/N - 9725394) Surface Observations  
20/OCT/2008   REPLACE Thermometer, Soil, 20cm (Now Dobros S/N - 9725394) Surface Observations

Soil Temperature 50cm

01/JAN/1985   INSTALL Thermometer, Soil, 50cm (Type Dobros S/N - 398) Surface Observations  
28/APR/2016   REMOVE Thermometer, Soil, 50cm (Type Dobros S/N - M3572) Surface Observations  
20/SEP/2008   REPLACE Thermometer, Soil, 50cm (Now Dobros S/N - M3572) Surface Observations  
03/MAR/2007   REPLACE Thermometer, Soil, 50cm (Now Unknown S/N - M3577) Surface Observations

Snow Height (No Electronic History)

Soil Temperature 100cm

01/JAN/1985   INSTALL Thermometer, Soil, 100cm (Type Dobros S/N - 370) Surface Observations  
28/APR/2016   REMOVE Thermometer, Soil, 100cm (Type Dobros S/N - 370) Surface Observations

Sunshine Hours

01/SEP/1968   INSTALL Sunshine Recorder (Type Campbell-Stokes S/N - 6023) Surface Observations  
28/APR/2016   REMOVE Sunshine Recorder (Type Campbell-Stokes S/N - 6023) Surface Observations

Wind Run

11/NOV/1985   INSTALL Wind Run Anemometer (Type Munro S/N - 36558) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023   REMOVE Wind Run Anemometer (Type Munro S/N - 36558) Surface Observations

Minimum Temperature

01/SEP/1966   INSTALL Thermometer, Alcohol, Min (Type Dobbie S/N - 4687) Surface Observations  
28/APR/2016   REMOVE Thermometer, Alcohol, Min (Type Dobbie S/N - 4687) Surface Observations

Terrestrial Minimum Temperature

01/DEC/1985   INSTALL Thermometer, Terrestrial, Min (Type Dobbie S/N - 20505) Surface Observations  
28/APR/2016   REMOVE Thermometer, Terrestrial, Min (Type WIKA S/N - 31919) Surface Observations  
21/OCT/2001   REPLACE Thermometer, Terrestrial, Min (Now Dobbie S/N - 20492) Surface Observations  
25/OCT/2003   REPLACE Thermometer, Terrestrial, Min (Now Dobbie S/N - 23292) Surface Observations

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07/SEP/2006 REPLACE Thermometer, Terrestrial, Min (Now Unknown S/N - 20505) Surface Observations  
08/FEB/2009 REPLACE Thermometer, Terrestrial, Min (Now WIKA S/N - 29095) Surface Observations  
04/NOV/2012 REPLACE Thermometer, Terrestrial, Min (Now WIKA S/N - 29100) Surface Observations  
17/JAN/2014 REPLACE Thermometer, Terrestrial, Min (Now WIKA S/N - 31919) Surface Observations  
21/JAN/2013 REPLACE Thermometer, Terrestrial, Min (Now WIKA S/N - 32902) Surface Observations  
01/MAY/2013 REPLACE Thermometer, Terrestrial, Min (Now WIKA S/N - 32972) Surface Observations

Visibility

14/JUL/2004 INSTALL Visibility Meter (Type Vaisala FD12 S/N - Z09202) Surface Observations  
19/APR/2023 REMOVE Visibility Meter (Type Vaisala FD12 S/N - Z09202) Surface Observations

Soil Temperature 5cm (No Electronic History)

Sub Surface Temperature (No Electronic History)

Electrical Conductivity (No Electronic History)

Oxygen Content (No Electronic History)

RF Reflectivity

01/OCT/1985 INSTALL Equipment Shelter (Type Radar - Purpose Built Building S/N - 94150) Infrastructure  
06/DEC/2007 INSTALL Radar (Type TVDR 2500C S/N - 002) WeatherWatch  
08/NOV/1985 INSTALL Radar (Type WF100-5C S/N - 00031) Upper Air  
08/NOV/1985 INSTALL Radar (Type WF100-5C S/N - 00031) WeatherWatch  
06/DEC/2007 INSTALL Radar Interface (Type BOM S/N - NONE) WeatherWatch  
16/MAY/2014 INSTALL Radar Safety System (RSS) (Type RSS (2502C/8502S) S/N - 5523-02) WeatherWatch  
06/DEC/2007 INSTALL Radar Tower (Type Cylindrical WSR74 - 22.45 m S/N - NONE) Infrastructure  
01/OCT/1985 INSTALL Radar Tower (Type Lattice WF100 - 18.0 m S/N - Unknown) Infrastructure  
24/AUG/2019 REMOVE Radar (Type TVDR 2500C S/N - 002) Upper Air  
12/JUL/2023 REMOVE Radar (Type TVDR 2500C S/N - 002) WeatherWatch  
05/MAR/2008 REMOVE Radar (Type WF100-5C S/N - 00031) Upper Air  
05/MAR/2008 REMOVE Radar (Type WF100-5C S/N - 00031) WeatherWatch  
12/JUL/2023 REMOVE Radar Interface (Type BOM S/N - NONE) WeatherWatch  
12/JUL/2023 REMOVE Radar Safety System (RSS) (Type RSS (2502C/8502S) S/N - 5523-02) WeatherWatch  
30/JUN/2014 REMOVE Radar Tower (Type Lattice WF100 - 18.0 m S/N - Unknown) Infrastructure  
08/FEB/2011 SHARE Radar (Type TVDR 2500C S/N - 002) Upper Air

Total Column Ozone Amount (No Electronic History)

Pressure

11/NOV/1985 INSTALL Barometer (Type Kew pattern mercury S/N - 1866) Surface Observations  
10/OCT/1991 INSTALL Barometer (Type Vaisala DPA25 S/N - 229823) Surface Observations  
10/OCT/1991 REMOVE Barometer (Type Kew pattern mercury S/N - 1866) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Barometer (Type Vaisala PTB330B (General Use) S/N - G2970020) Surface Observations  
05/DEC/1996 REPLACE Barometer (Now Vaisala PA11A S/N - 653249) Surface Observations  
25/OCT/2003 REPLACE Barometer (Now Vaisala PA11A S/N - 661856) Surface Observations  
01/AUG/1994 REPLACE Barometer (Now Vaisala PA11A S/N - 667114) Surface Observations  
08/NOV/1998 REPLACE Barometer (Now Vaisala PA11A S/N - 679516) Surface Observations  
14/MAR/2008 REPLACE Barometer (Now Vaisala PA11A S/N - 679521) Surface Observations  
07/DEC/2011 REPLACE Barometer (Now Vaisala PTB330B (General Use) S/N - G2970020) Surface Observations

Evaporation

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03/NOV/2017 INSTALL Equipment Reset Device (Type Watchdog Automatic Evaporation Pan S/N - NONE) Surface Observations  
01/JAN/1966 INSTALL Evaporation Pan (Type Class A S/N - NONE) Surface Observations  
03/NOV/2017 INSTALL Evaporation Pan (Type SS Class A Automatic S/N - NONE) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Equipment Reset Device (Type Watchdog Automatic Evaporation Pan S/N - NONE) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Evaporation Pan (Type Class A S/N - NONE) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Evaporation Pan (Type SS Class A Automatic S/N - NONE) Surface Observations  
14/FEB/2018 REPLACE Equipment Reset Device (Now Watchdog Automatic Evaporation Pan S/N - NONE) Surface Observations  
27/SEP/2015 REPLACE Evaporation Pan (Now Class A S/N - NONE) Surface Observations

### Rainfall

01/JUN/1966 INSTALL Pluviograph (Type Dines syphoning S/N - CBM321) Rainfall Intensity  
29/JUN/2009 REMOVE Pluviograph (Type Dines syphoning S/N - CBM385) Rainfall Intensity  
22/APR/2005 REPLACE Pluviograph (Now Dines syphoning S/N - CBM385) Rainfall Intensity  
01/JAN/2000 INSTALL Raingauge (Type 127 mm (5in) - 500mm capacity S/N - NONE) Surface Observations  
01/FEB/1944 INSTALL Raingauge (Type 203 mm (8in) - 200mm capacity S/N - NONE) Surface Observations  
03/NOV/2017 INSTALL Raingauge (Type HS-TB3/0.1/P S/N - Unknown) Surface Observations  
10/OCT/1991 INSTALL Raingauge (Type Rimco 7499 TBRG S/N - 312490) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Raingauge (Type 127 mm (5in) - 500mm capacity S/N - NONE) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Raingauge (Type 203 mm (8in) - 200mm capacity S/N - NONE) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Raingauge (Type HS-TB3/0.1/P S/N - Unknown) Surface Observations  
26/JUN/2020 REMOVE Raingauge (Type Rimco 7499 TBRG S/N - 85864) Rainfall Intensity  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Raingauge (Type Rimco 7499 TBRG S/N - 85864) Surface Observations  
23/SEP/2013 REPLACE Raingauge (Now Rimco 7499 TBRG S/N - 370) Rainfall Intensity  
23/SEP/2013 REPLACE Raingauge (Now Rimco 7499 TBRG S/N - 370) Surface Observations  
07/MAR/2006 REPLACE Raingauge (Now Rimco 7499 TBRG S/N - 84585) Rainfall Intensity  
07/MAR/2006 REPLACE Raingauge (Now Rimco 7499 TBRG S/N - 84585) Surface Observations  
16/MAY/2014 REPLACE Raingauge (Now Rimco 7499 TBRG S/N - 85864) Rainfall Intensity  
16/MAY/2014 REPLACE Raingauge (Now Rimco 7499 TBRG S/N - 85864) Surface Observations  
19/FEB/2001 REPLACE Raingauge (Now Rimco TBRG (type unspecified) S/N - 322390) Rainfall Intensity  
19/FEB/2001 REPLACE Raingauge (Now Rimco TBRG (type unspecified) S/N - 322390) Surface Observations  
23/APR/1999 REPLACE Raingauge (Now Rimco TBRG (type unspecified) S/N - 476) Rainfall Intensity  
23/APR/1999 REPLACE Raingauge (Now Rimco TBRG (type unspecified) S/N - 476) Surface Observations  
25/OCT/2003 SHARE Raingauge (Type Rimco 7499 TBRG S/N - 312490) Rainfall Intensity  
25/OCT/2003 SHARE Raingauge (Type Rimco 7499 TBRG S/N - 370) Rainfall Intensity  
25/OCT/2003 SHARE Raingauge (Type Rimco 7499 TBRG S/N - 84585) Rainfall Intensity  
25/OCT/2003 SHARE Raingauge (Type Rimco 7499 TBRG S/N - 85864) Rainfall Intensity  
25/OCT/2003 SHARE Raingauge (Type Rimco TBRG (type unspecified) S/N - 322390) Rainfall Intensity  
25/OCT/2003 SHARE Raingauge (Type Rimco TBRG (type unspecified) S/N - 476) Rainfall Intensity

### River Height (No Electronic History)

### Solar Radiation (No Electronic History)

### Solar Radiation (Direct) (No Electronic History)

### Turbidity (No Electronic History)

### Sea Water Level (No Electronic History)

### Sea Water Temperature

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03/NOV/2017 INSTALL Temperature Probe - Water (Type TEMP CONTROLS TCBMP02A S/N - Unknown) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Temperature Probe - Water (Type TEMP CONTROLS TCBMP02A S/N - Unknown) Surface Observations  
14/FEB/2018 REPLACE Temperature Probe - Water (Now TEMP CONTROLS TCBMP02A S/N - Unknown) Surface Observations

Wind Speed

01/MAR/1972 INSTALL Anemometer (Type Dines - Hi Speed S/N - 797) Surface Observations  
01/OCT/1985 INSTALL Anemometer (Type Dines - Hi Speed S/N - Unknown) Surface Observations  
16/NOV/2016 INSTALL Anemometer (Type Synchrotac Cups - Type 732 S/N - 75045) Surface Observations  
10/OCT/1991 INSTALL Anemometer (Type Synchrotac Vane - Type 706 S/N - 68593) Surface Observations  
01/OCT/1985 INSTALL Mast Anemometer (Type Pivot, Standard 10m S/N - Unknown) Infrastructure  
11/NOV/1985 INSTALL Wind Run Anemometer (Type Munro S/N - 36558) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Anemometer (Type Dines - Hi Speed S/N - 797) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Anemometer (Type Dines - Hi Speed S/N - Unknown) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Anemometer (Type Synchrotac Cups - Type 732 S/N - 898824) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Anemometer (Type Synchrotac Vane - Type 706 S/N - 75078) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Wind Run Anemometer (Type Munro S/N - 36558) Surface Observations  
23/OCT/2017 REPLACE Anemometer (Now Synchrotac Cups - Type 732 S/N - 898824) Surface Observations  
07/MAR/2001 REPLACE Anemometer (Now Synchrotac Cups - Type 732 S/N - WD76462WS76374) Surface Observations  
20/JUN/2003 REPLACE Anemometer (Now Synchrotac Cups - Type 732 S/N - WS82136,WD-NONE) Surface Observations  
16/NOV/2016 REPLACE Anemometer (Now Synchrotac Vane - Type 706 S/N - 75078) Surface Observations  
29/MAY/2008 REPLACE Anemometer (Now Synchrotac Vane - Type 706 S/N - D24/S24) Surface Observations  
09/MAY/2006 REPLACE Anemometer (Now Synchrotac Vane - Type 706 S/N - W/S-D506W/D-D506) Surface Observations  
20/AUG/2015 REPLACE Anemometer (Now Synchrotac Vane - Type 706 S/N - WD76498/WS76391) Surface Observations

Air Temperature

04/JUN/2019 INSTALL Humidity Probe (Type Rotronics MP101A-T4-W4W S/N - 61803042) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Humidity Probe (Type Rotronics MP101A-T4-W4W S/N - 61803042) Surface Observations  
10/OCT/1991 INSTALL Temperature Probe - Dry Bulb (Type Rosemount S/N - NONE) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Temperature Probe - Dry Bulb (Type Temp Control TCBMP01 S/N - 10253) Surface Observations  
13/AUG/2010 REPLACE Temperature Probe - Dry Bulb (Now Temp Control TCBMP01 S/N - 10253) Surface Observations  
01/SEP/1966 INSTALL Thermometer, Mercury, Dry Bulb (Type Dobbie S/N - 5121) Surface Observations  
20/APR/2023 REMOVE Thermometer, Mercury, Dry Bulb (Type Dobbie S/N - 16749) Surface Observations  
09/DEC/2010 REPLACE Thermometer, Mercury, Dry Bulb (Now Dobbie S/N - 16749) Surface Observations

Surface Inclination (No Electronic History)

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Available Date Range	Element	Fail Field Performance Check
29/MAY/2008 - 21/APR/2021	Cloud Height	0
04/JUN/2019 - 28/SEP/2020	Humidity	0
11/OCT/1999 - 21/APR/2021	Wind Direction	5
11/OCT/1999 - 08/APR/2019	Wet Bulb Temperature	1

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20/OCT/2008 - 20/OCT/2008	Wind Run	0
14/JUL/2004 - 21/APR/2021	Visibility	2
14/DEC/2001 - 23/APR/2021	RF Reflectivity	2
26/SEP/1996 - 21/APR/2021	Pressure	0
21/OCT/2000 - 08/OCT/2018	Evaporation	0
08/NOV/1998 - 21/APR/2021	Rainfall	11
11/OCT/1999 - 21/APR/2021	Wind Speed	5
11/OCT/1999 - 21/APR/2021	Air Temperature	0

Station Detail Changes

09/MAY/2006 CLASSIFICATION AWS Funding - Aviation Funded Assets (AVAF)  
12/OCT/2020 CLASSIFICATION AWS Priority 2 - Important (SLP2-AWS)  
26/JUN/2002 CLASSIFICATION CLIMAT Stations (CLC)  
26/JUN/2002 CLASSIFICATION CLIMAT TEMP Stations (CLT)  
09/MAY/2006 CLASSIFICATION Category B (TAF B) ENDED 05-03-2015  
05/MAR/2015 CLASSIFICATION Category C (TAF C)  
10/JAN/2011 CLASSIFICATION Critical (ASOSCRIT)  
01/MAY/1997 CLASSIFICATION GCOS Surface Network (GSN)  
01/JUL/2018 CLASSIFICATION HQ EVAPORATION (HQEVAP)  
01/JUL/1998 CLASSIFICATION Information and Observations (MIO)  
30/AUG/2021 CLASSIFICATION Mastered in EAMS (EAMS)  
21/MAR/2016 CLASSIFICATION Processed by ASOS (PBA)  
01/JUL/1998 CLASSIFICATION Rawinsonde Stations (RS)  
01/SEP/1992 CLASSIFICATION Reference Climate Stations (RCS) ENDED 30-06-2011  
14/FEB/1997 CLASSIFICATION Regional Basic Synoptic Network (RBSN)  
10/JUN/2014 CLASSIFICATION Standard Aviation or Defence (AVSTD) ENDED 16-10-2020  
19/DEC/2012 OBJECT Document/ F611-Feb 2011  
21/MAR/2017 OBJECT Document/Backlash March 2017  
08/APR/2019 OBJECT Document/CEILOMETER STATUS  
23/OCT/2017 OBJECT Document/CEILOMETER STATUS  
08/OCT/2018 OBJECT Document/CEILOMETER STATUS  
17/APR/2014 OBJECT Document/CEILOMETER STATUS  
08/JUL/2014 OBJECT Document/CEILOMETER STATUS  
15/JUL/2011 OBJECT Document/CEILOMETER STATUS  
20/APR/2012 OBJECT Document/CEILOMETER STATUS  
26/JUN/2020 OBJECT Document/CEILOMETER STATUS  
28/SEP/2020 OBJECT Document/CEILOMETER STATUS  
30/SEP/2019 OBJECT Document/CEILOMETER STATUS  
21/APR/2021 OBJECT Document/CEILOMETER STATUS  
11/OCT/2015 OBJECT Document/CEILOMETER STATUS  
16/APR/2004 OBJECT Document/Equipment\_site\_specific\_parts\_YPGV  
12/MAR/2019 OBJECT Document/External Visual Inspection V104 12032019  
22/MAR/2017 OBJECT Document/External Visual Inspection V104 22032017

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Station Equipment History (continued)

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12/MAR/2019 OBJECT Document/External Visual Inspection V105 12032019  
22/MAR/2017 OBJECT Document/External Visual Inspection V105 22032017  
12/MAR/2019 OBJECT Document/External Visual Inspection V106 12032019  
22/MAR/2017 OBJECT Document/External Visual Inspection V106 22032017  
12/MAR/2019 OBJECT Document/External Visual Inspection V107 12032019  
22/MAR/2017 OBJECT Document/External Visual Inspection V107 22032017  
27/MAR/2013 OBJECT Document/F611-2013  
27/MAR/2014 OBJECT Document/F611-2014  
12/MAR/2019 OBJECT Document/F611-2019  
26/OCT/2012 OBJECT Document/Gas storage visual inspection 09\_12  
13/APR/2017 OBJECT Document/Gove Hogen Log  
11/JUL/2016 OBJECT Document/Gove RTS July16  
28/APR/2016 OBJECT Document/Gove Radar Cal Apr16  
01/MAY/2008 OBJECT Document/GoveHogenCAL  
07/JUL/2017 OBJECT Document/Gove\_3-7Jul\_Upperair  
01/APR/2015 OBJECT Document/HOGEN MAINTENANCE CHECKSHEET  
02/APR/2015 OBJECT Document/HOGEN MAINTENANCE CHECKSHEET  
11/MAR/2016 OBJECT Document/HOGEN MAINTENANCE CHECKSHEET  
25/AUG/2016 OBJECT Document/HOGEN MAINTENANCE CHECKSHEET  
22/MAR/2017 OBJECT Document/HOGEN MAINTENANCE CHECKSHEET  
12/MAR/2019 OBJECT Document/HOGEN MAINTENANCE CHECKSHEET  
22/MAR/2017 OBJECT Document/HOGEN\_Maint\_NT\_22032017  
22/JUL/2015 OBJECT Document/Hogen Log  
11/MAR/2016 OBJECT Document/Hogen Log  
25/AUG/2016 OBJECT Document/Hogen log Aug16  
25/AUG/2016 OBJECT Document/RADAR MAINTENANCE CHECKSHEET  
21/MAR/2017 OBJECT Document/RADAR Performance Checks Mar 2017  
01/APR/2015 OBJECT Document/RBL MAINTENANCE CHECKSHEET  
11/MAR/2016 OBJECT Document/RBL MAINTENANCE CHECKSHEET  
12/MAR/2019 OBJECT Document/RBL MAINTENANCE CHECKSHEET  
22/MAR/2017 OBJECT Document/RBL\_Maint\_NT\_22032017  
22/JUL/2015 OBJECT Document/Radar Log  
25/AUG/2016 OBJECT Document/Radar Log Apr 16  
06/APR/2017 OBJECT Document/Radar RTS log Apr 17  
25/AUG/2016 OBJECT Document/Radar log Aug16  
11/OCT/2014 OBJECT Document/SKYLINE DATA  
08/OCT/2018 OBJECT Document/SKYLINE DATA  
20/OCT/2008 OBJECT Document/SKYLINE DATA  
31/OCT/1999 OBJECT Document/SKYLINE DATA  
09/NOV/1995 OBJECT Document/SKYLINE DATA  
11/OCT/2004 OBJECT Document/SKYLINE DATA  
10/DEC/2007 OBJECT Document/SKYLINE DATA - RADAR  
11/OCT/2004 OBJECT Document/SKYLINE DATA - RADAR

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31/OCT/1999 OBJECT Document/SKYLINE DATA - RADAR  
12/MAR/2019 OBJECT Document/Safety Shower annual 2019  
08/APR/2019 OBJECT Document/VISIBILITY METER STATUS  
08/OCT/2018 OBJECT Document/VISIBILITY METER STATUS  
17/APR/2014 OBJECT Document/VISIBILITY METER STATUS  
15/JUL/2011 OBJECT Document/VISIBILITY METER STATUS  
26/JUN/2020 OBJECT Document/VISIBILITY METER STATUS  
28/SEP/2020 OBJECT Document/VISIBILITY METER STATUS  
07/APR/2021 OBJECT Document/VISIBILITY METER STATUS  
30/SEP/2019 OBJECT Document/VISIBILITY METER STATUS  
21/APR/2021 OBJECT Document/VISIBILITY METER STATUS  
01/APR/2015 OBJECT Document/WATER TREATMENT PLANT CHECKSHEET  
11/MAR/2016 OBJECT Document/WATER TREATMENT PLANT CHECKSHEET  
25/AUG/2016 OBJECT Document/WATER TREATMENT PLANT CHECKSHEET  
12/MAR/2019 OBJECT Document/WATER TREATMENT PLANT CHECKSHEET  
29/MAY/2003 OBJECT Document/YPGV\_May03\_Radwin\_Fault  
01/JAN/1944 STATION - (nondb seeding) Opened  
01/JAN/1944 STATION - (nondb seeding) aero\_ht Changed to 54.3  
01/JAN/1944 STATION - (nondb seeding) bar\_ht Changed to 53.2  
01/JAN/1944 STATION - (nondb seeding) bar\_ht\_deriv Changed to MAP 1:250 000  
01/JAN/1944 STATION - (nondb seeding) stn\_ht Changed to 51.6  
01/JAN/1944 STATION - (nondb seeding) stn\_ht\_deriv Changed to MAP 1:250 000  
01/JAN/1944 STATION - (nondb seeding) wmo\_num Changed to 94150  
30/NOV/2023 STATION Closed  
28/FEB/2005 STATION aero\_ht Changed to 62.5  
28/FEB/2005 STATION aero\_ht\_deriv Changed to SURVEY  
19/APR/2023 STATION aviation\_id Changed to GOV1  
01/JAN/1944 STATION aviation\_id Changed to YPGV  
01/JAN/1944 STATION latitude Changed to -12.2741  
08/SEP/2016 STATION latitude Changed to -12.27410  
08/NOV/1998 STATION latlon\_deriv Changed to GPS  
08/SEP/2016 STATION latlon\_deriv Changed to GPS  
08/SEP/2016 STATION latlon\_error Changed to 2  
08/NOV/1998 STATION latlon\_error Changed to 4  
08/SEP/2016 STATION longitude Changed to 136.82014  
01/JAN/1944 STATION longitude Changed to 136.8203  
08/NOV/1998 STATION lu\_0\_100m Changed to Airport  
08/NOV/1998 STATION lu\_100m\_1km Changed to Airport  
08/NOV/1998 STATION lu\_1km\_10km Changed to Forest  
01/JAN/1944 STATION name Changed to GOVE AIRPORT  
19/APR/2023 STATION name Changed to GOVE AIRPORT MET OFFICE  
08/NOV/1998 STATION soil\_type Changed to red soil  
08/NOV/1998 STATION surface\_type Changed to partly covered by grass

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Station Equipment History (continued)

Station Detail Changes(Continued)

19/APR/2023 STATION wmo\_num Changed to 99996

System Changes

- 01/FEB/1944 SYSTEM Infrastructure Commenced
- 26/JUN/2020 SYSTEM Rainfall Intensity Ceased
- 01/JUN/1966 SYSTEM Rainfall Intensity Commenced
- 01/JAN/2007 SYSTEM Reference Standards Commenced
- 20/APR/2023 SYSTEM Surface Observations Ceased
- 01/FEB/1944 SYSTEM Surface Observations Commenced
- 01/JAN/1985 SYSTEM Upper Air Commenced
- 12/JUL/2023 SYSTEM WeatherWatch Ceased
- 01/JAN/1985 SYSTEM WeatherWatch Commenced

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## Notes on these metadata

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### Reliability of the metadata

The Commonwealth Bureau of Meteorology maintains information on more than 20,000 stations which have operated since observations began in the mid 1800s. The amount of information available for each of these sites and its associated uncertainty are influenced by a number of factors including the type and purpose of the station and the time over which it operated.

Early information about stations was held only on paper file. In 1998 a corporate electronic database was established to help maintain information about the network and its components. The number of parameters recorded about a station is now much greater than before this database was established. The national database has also helped improve consistency in the metadata through the implementation of predefined fields. As a result, and through the refinement of operating procedures, station metadata recorded since 1998 are of a higher overall standard than previously, although occasional omissions and errors are still possible.

The Bureau is part way through a task of entering historical information held on paper file into the corporate database. **Until this process is completed there will remain large gaps in the information contained in these metadata documents and considerable caution should be used when deriving conclusions from the metadata.** As an example, two consecutive entries about a rain gauge dated 50 years apart may appear in the equipment metadata. This may either mean that nothing happened to that instrument over the 50 years, or that information for the intervening period has yet to be entered into the database. Similarly, if no information was available about instruments at a site when it was first established, fields which were required to have a value present may have used the earliest information available as a best-guess estimate. Sometimes this was the metadata current when the database was established in 1998. In some instances there may be gaps in metadata relevant to the post 1998 period.

For the above reasons it is recommended that all metadata prior to 1998 be considered as indicative only, and used with caution, unless it has been quality controlled. The Bureau of Meteorology should be contacted if further information or confirmation of the data is required. Depending on the nature of the inquiry there may be a fee associated with this request. Contact details are provided in the telephone book for each capital city or the Bureau's web site at:  
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The following pages contain explanatory notes for selected terms found in this document.

### Station Number

The Bureau of Meteorology station number uniquely specifies a station and is not intended to change over time, although on very rare occasions a station number may change or be deleted from the record (usually to correct an error). Generally a new station number is established if an existing station changes in a way that would affect the climate data record for that site (measured in terms of air temperature and precipitation). Significant station moves are an example of this.

Some stations also possess a World Meteorological Organization (WMO) station number. The WMO number is different to the Bureau of Meteorology number. It also uniquely specifies a station at any given time but can be reassigned to another station if the new station takes priority in the global reporting network. Only selected stations will have a WMO number. Significant stations may maintain their WMO number for many decades.

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### Network Classification

<b>SUPPORTING the BASIC CLIMATE SERVICE</b>
Global Climate Observing System (GCOS)
GCOS Upper Air Network (GUAN)
GCOS Surface Network (GSN)
National Climate Network {not yet assigned}
Reference Climate Stations (RCS)
Regional Basic Climatological Network (RBCN)
CLIMAT Stations (CLC)
CLIMAT TEMP Stations (CLT)
<b>SUPPORTING the NATIONAL WEATHER WATCH SYSTEM</b>
WMO Global Observing System (GOS)
GOS Upper Air Network
GOS Satellite Network
Global Atmospheric Watch
Background Atmospheric Pollution Monitoring Network (BAPMON)
Basic Ozone Network
Basic Solar and Terrestrial Radiation Network
Regional Basic Synoptic Network (RBSN)
WMO Global Oceanic Observing System (GOOS)
<b>SUPPORTING the BASIC WEATHER SERVICE (BWS)</b>
BWS Land Network
Significant Land Locations
Capital City Mesonets
National Benchmark Network for Agrometeorology (NBNA)
BWS Marine Network
Significant Coastal Locations
Open Ocean Network
BWS Upper Air Network
Major Significant Locations
BWS Remote Sensing Network
Weather Watch Radar Network
Fire Weather Wind Mesonets
High Resolution Satellite
<b>SUPPORTING the BASIC HYDROLOGICAL SERVICE</b>
Regional Flood Warning Network
Water Resources Assessment Network
Global Hydrological Network
Global Terrestrial Observing System (GTOS)
World Hydrological Cycle Observing System (WHYCOS)
National Hydrological Network

Networks of stations are defined for a variety of purposes (as defined in above table).

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### Network Classification Continued....

Stations may be included in several different networks, which may change over time. The table on the previous page lists current network classifications related to the scientific purpose of the network. Some of these networks - the GCOS network for instance - are components of a global network. Entries in the database for some networks may not be complete, thus not properly representing the status of the network. The composition of the network will usually change over time. While several of the networks have international significance, other network classifications have been developed to aid operational management.

### Station Purpose

The station purpose can be classified according to the observation program listed below. Parameters in brackets list some of the various different configurations which occur.

- Synoptic [Seasonal, River Height, Climatological, Telegraphic Rain, Aeronautical, Upper Air]
- Climatological [Seasonal, Telegraphic Rain]
- Aeronautical
- Rainfall [River Height]
- River Height
- Telegraphic Rain [Non-Telegraphic River Height, Telegraphic River Height]
- Non-Telegraphic Rain [Telegraphic River Height]
- Evaporation [Rainfall, River Height, Telegraphic River Height, Non-Telegraphic River Height, Telegraphic Rain, Non-Telegraphic Rain]
- Pluviograph [Rainfall, Telegraphic Rain, Non-Telegraphic Rain, River Height, Telegraphic River Height, Non-Telegraphic River Height]
- Radiation
- Lightning Flash Counter
- Public Information
- Local Conditions
- Radar Site
- Unclassified
- No Routine Observations

Note: Telegraphic observations are those which are sent by some electronic means be it a phone or telegram to the responsible Bureau office. It is a term which is historically linked to analogue non automatic data transmission.

### Station Observation Program Summary

#### Surface Observations

The following terms are used to describe the frequency of surface observations at a site. Historical observation programs will typically be missing for many sites until the database is backfilled with information.

Set a)

- Continuous Program
  - More than half hourly observations sent (eg an automatic weather station {AWS} which continuously transmits 10 minute observations). This will automatically include half hourly and hourly observations programs.
- Half hourly observations
  - Half hourly observations sent. This will automatically include hourly observations.
- Hourly observations
  - Hourly observations sent only. Stations report on non-synoptic hours (ie. 0100, 0200, 0400, 0500, etc)

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### Surface observations continued....

#### Set b)

- Performed
  - Observations performed, instruments read and observations recorded
- Reported
  - Observations performed, instruments read and reported real time
- Seasonal
  - The program may only be performed during a defined season (such as Fire Weather observations) or the routine program may increase in reporting frequency and/or parameters. The program dates are currently modified at the start and end of each season for stations performing seasonal observations. Historically this was not always the case.

### Current Station Equipment Summary

Equipment listed in this metadata product is catalogued under one of systems listed below, appropriate to its application. The "Infrastructure" category has been included since it contains information about the mast height of an anemometer (if present).

- Flood Warning
- Infrastructure
- Radiation
- Rainfall Intensity
- Surface Observations
- Upper Air
- Weather Watch {RADAR}

### Station Equipment History

#### Equipment Install/Remove

One of four types of actions can be performed on an instrument in this listing:

**Install** - A new instrument is installed at the site. This can be either a completely new addition (eg the first barometer at the site), or the replacement of an existing instrument with a different type (eg replacing mercury barometer with electronic barometer)

**Remove** - An instrument can be removed either when it is no longer necessary to measure a particular element, or when the element is to be measured by an instrument of a different type ( see under "Install" above)

**Replace** - This occurs when one instrument is replaced with another of the same type (eg Kew pattern mercury barometer replacing another Kew pattern mercury barometer)

**Share** - The same instrument is used for observations under two (or more) systems (eg a rain gauge may be used within both Surface Observations and Rainfall Intensity systems)

**Unshare** - The instrument is no longer shared between systems

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### Calibration

During a site inspection an instrument will be calibrated as either being within or not within the specified tolerance in accuracy.

Where a quantitative calibration result can be achieved by comparison to a transfer standard (eg barometer comparisons and tipping bucket rain gauge calibrations), the instrument will be recorded as being within or outside the required tolerance. Instruments (such as 203mm rain gauges, screens and evaporation pans) where quantitative calibrations cannot be derived should be regarded as meeting specifications when the instrument is in 'good working order'.

This product provides a summary table of the number of times an instrument was found to be out of calibration

### Station Detail Changes

This set of metadata indicates when some aspect of the general information about a station has changed.

#### - STATION

Metadata which are categorised as pertaining to STATION are items of (textual) information describing a specific attribute of the station. A reference to (nondB seeding) indicates initial information of this field has been sourced from a previous database.

#### Station position

##### - Latitude and longitude

Derivation of station latitude and longitude, defined by the location of the rain gauge when it is present, has changed over time. Current practice is to locate or verify open and operational station latitude and longitude based on Global Positioning System equipment. Methods used to locate a station as described in this product (latlon\_deriv) are as follows: GPS, MAP 1:10000, MAP 1:12500, MAP 1:25000, MAP 1:50000, MAP 1:100000, MAP 1:250000, SURVEY, and Unknown (which is more commonly represented by a null value). The field latlon\_error should be used with caution as the method of determining this value has been interpreted in different ways over time.

##### - Height

Determination of heights for observing sites is by survey where possible. Otherwise height may be determined using a Digital Aneroid Barometer and a known surveyed point, or derived from map contours. The source of height is provided in the corresponding parameter with a suffix of "\_deriv".

Heights which may appear in these metadata are:

- aero\_ht
  - The official elevation of the aerodrome which normally corresponds to the altitude of the highest threshold of the runways at that airport;
- bar\_ht
  - this represents the height of the mercury barometer cistern or the digital aneroid barometer above mean sea level (MSL);
- stn\_ht
  - this normally represents the height of the rain gauge above MSL

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### - Land Use

To assist the long term understanding of climate change it is important to be able to determine the differences over time which are attributed to variations in the climate. Since land use has an effect on the micro climate around the site, and changes in land use will therefore affect the climate record, it is important that the characteristics of the site are monitored. Soil types are recorded as they affect the land use and also add to the knowledge of the site details.

#### Defined Land use Types.

- Non-vegetated (barren, desert)
- Coastal or Island
- Forest
- Open farmland, grassland or tundra
- Small town, less than 1000 population
- Town 1000 to 10,000 population
- City area with buildings less than 10 metres (3 stories)
- City area with buildings greater than 10 metres (3 stories)
- Airport

The land use code is entered on the station inspection form in the ranges 0 to 100 m, 100 to 1 km and 1km to 10 km; ie:

- lu\_0\_100m: Land Use 0 to 100 metres from the enclosure
- lu\_100m\_1km: Land Use 100 metres to 1 kilometre
- lu\_1km\_10km: Land Use 1 kilometre to 10 kilometres

#### Defined Soil Type (At Enclosure).

- unable to determine
- sand
- black soil
- clay
- rock
- red soil
- other

#### Surface Type (At Enclosure).

- unable to determine
- fully covered by grass
- mostly covered by grass
- partly covered by grass
- bare ground
- sand
- concrete
- asphalt
- rock
- other

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