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# Mount Atkinson

**Mount Atkinson** (78°39′S 85°29′W﻿ / ﻿78.65°S 85.48°W﻿ / -78.65; -85.48) is a prominent mountain 3.5 miles (6 km) west-southwest of Mount Craddock in the Sentinel Range, Antarctica. Mapped by United States Geological Survey (USGS) from surveys and U.S. Navy aerial photographs, 1957-60. Named by Advisory Committee on Antarctic Names (US-ACAN) after Richard C. Atkinson, Director, National Science Foundation, 1977-80.<sup>[1]</sup>

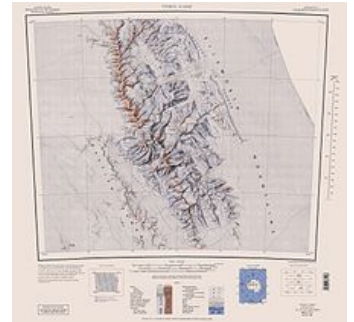
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Location of Sentinel Range in Western Antarctica.



Sentinel Range map.

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