



Fig. 23 Modern day map of the Bow Inlet area showing the Crescent Dunes at VU7-3 location.

Notice that the Crescent dunes are identified by green dots. This special feature of dunes is identified on every topographical map of this area. The vertical (north south) arc of Crescent dunes identifies the area where the high sand river bank was undercut. The horizontal or left ward toe is the area of the top of the hill of sand which went first and farthest. This is a classic 'Toe' as nomenclature in geomorphology (the study of Earth Geography changes, especially from wind and water - How Geology Morphs). The brown elevation lines are every 50 meters (150 ft) of altitude above sea level.

The Crescent dunes are shown on all topographical maps of the Bow Inlet having good detail and scale.

Notice also that the Crescent Dunes area where the High Sand River Bank collapsed is just between the Giddi Pass on the upper right and the Mitla Pass on the lower right. The Giddi Pass is just directly east of the beginning of the bow at the southern end of Little Bitter Lake. The Mitla Pass is also just directly east of the beginning of the Bow Inlet on the south at the top of the Bay of Suez.

Fig. 24 Next page, is a Bow Inlet map showing possible canals, elevations, crescent dunes with 'TOE'

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