



MARITIME HEADQUARTERS

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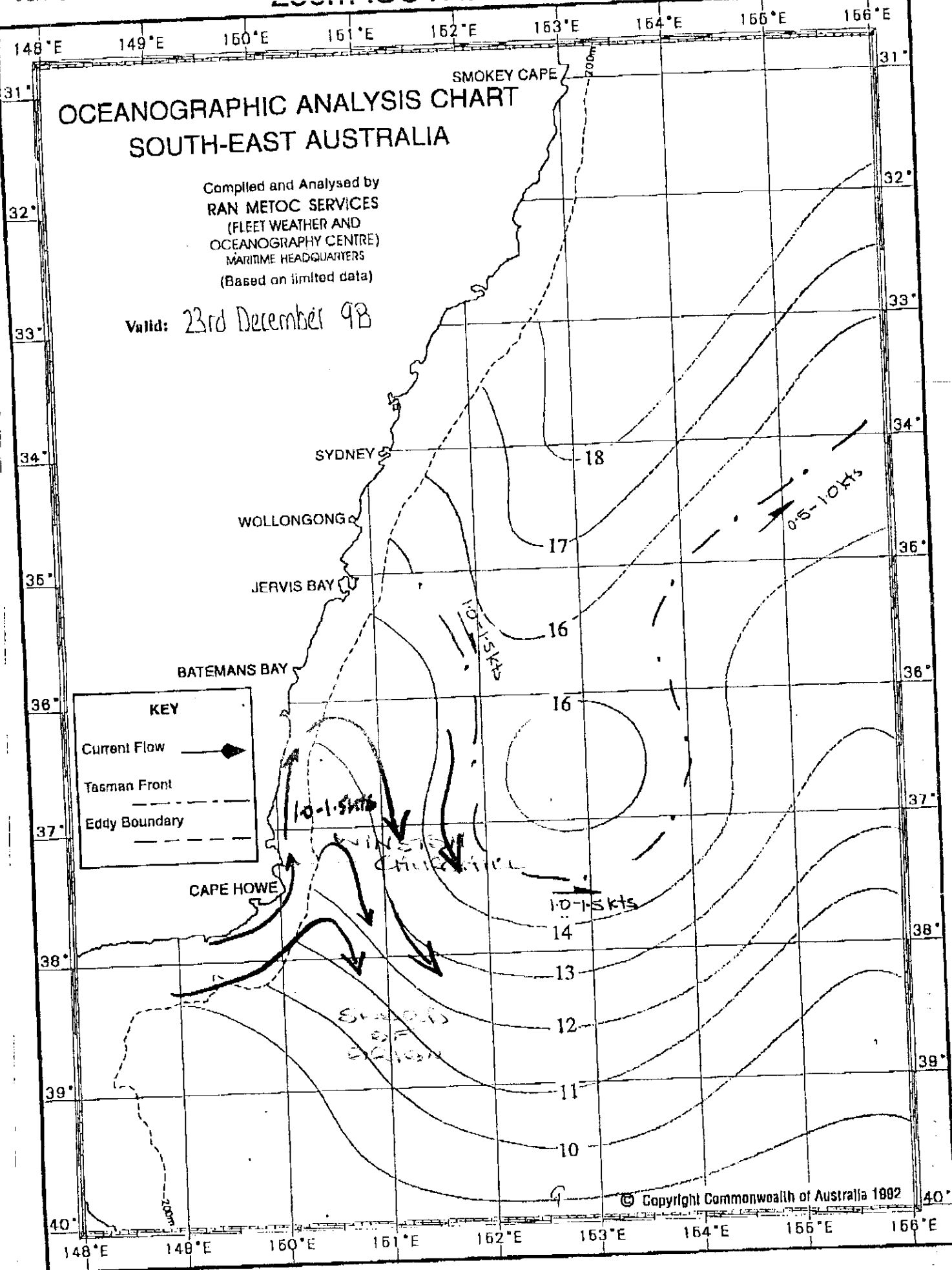
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Subject or Title: Oceanographic Charts for 23/30 December 1998
Reference: Telephone conversation pm 03 June 1999
<p>Instruction or Comment:</p> <p>Attached are three Oceanographic Charts for SE Australia. Sea Surface Isotherms for 23 and 30 Dec 98 and 250m isotherms and estimated underlying structure.</p> <p>I have drawn the underlying current flow around Cape Howe. A large Eddie in the Tasman was moving water southwards at 0.5 to 1.5kts. Current flow close to the coast was northwards at 1 to 1.5kts. Note that wind driven waves moving N or NE wards offshore would be very steep due to the underlying current coming southwards.</p>

Releasing Officer's Signature:	Printed Name: A. McCrindell	Rank/Appointment: LEUT RAN OIC FWOC
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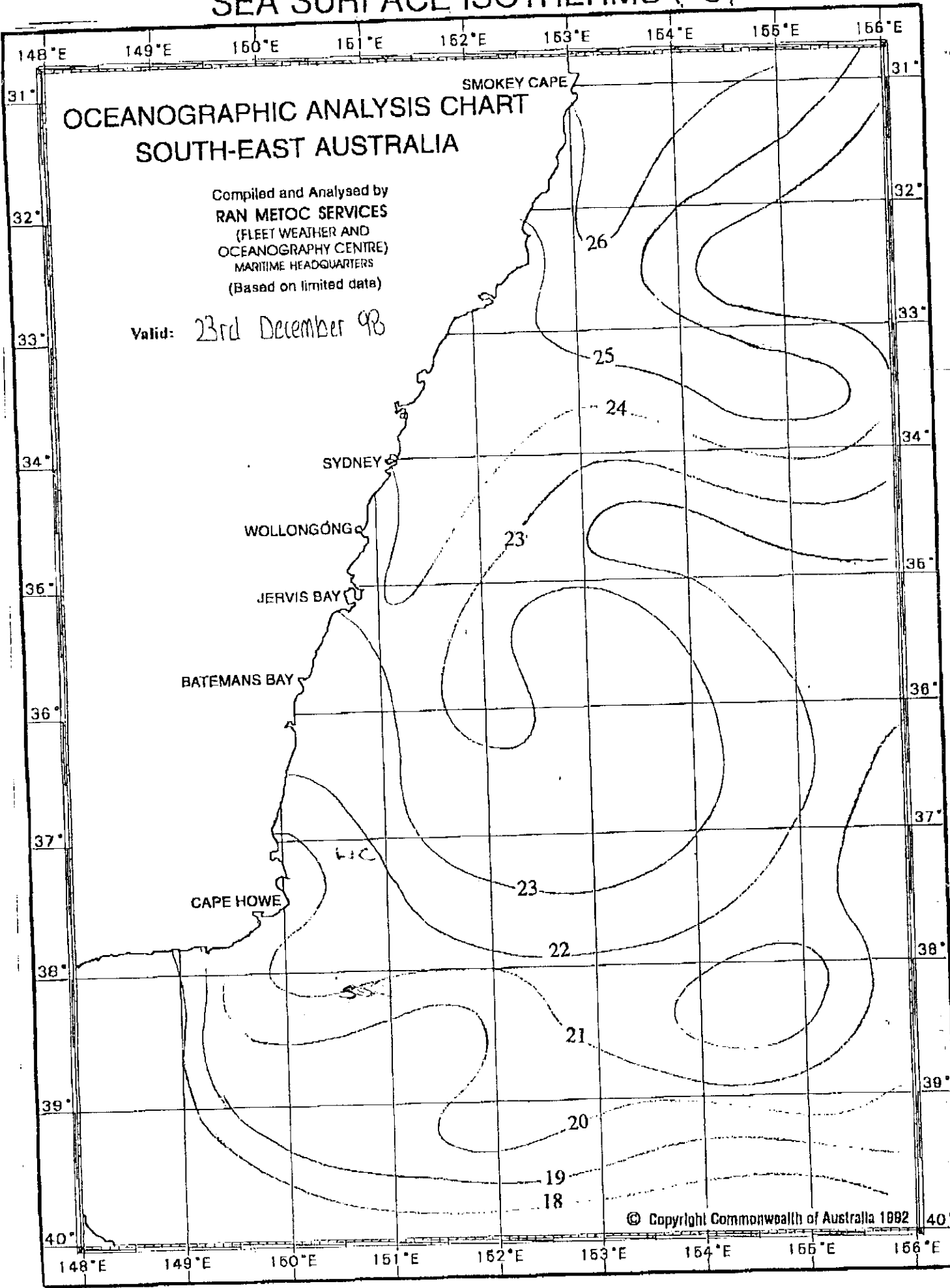


SEA SURFACE ISOTHERMS (°C)

OCEANOGRAPHIC ANALYSIS CHART SOUTH-EAST AUSTRALIA

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