

## T. 29 N., R. 23 E., MDM, NEVADA

CHAINS

## GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Township 29 North, Range 23 East is situated about 20 miles south of Gerlach, Nevada. The elevation varies from 4,400 to 6,200 feet above sea level, with the northern end of the Lake Range Mountains in the eastern portion and the dry lake bed of the San Emidio Desert in the western portion. The terrain varies from steep slide areas in the mountains descending gradually to the level dry lake bed of sandy alkaline soil in the desert. The vegetation consists of sparse sagebrush and native grass.

Nevada Highway No. 34 crosses the southeast corner of the township crossing through sections 25 and 36. There is a graded improved road through the center of the township crossing north to south. There are numerous roads throughout the township mostly made by miners. A high voltage powerline crosses from north to east.

Three-mile Canyon Well is located in section 29 and a newly dug well is in section 8. There are gravel pits along Nevada Highway No. 34 in sections 25 and 36.

There are patented placer claims in sections 4, 5, 8, 9, 16, 17, 20 and 21. There are numerous mining claims being surveyed throughout the township in the mountainous area and the low foothills as the areas are highly mineralized. The San Emidio Desert has potential geothermal activity. The principal users are miners and cattlemen. There is no timber in the township.

There is a radio repeater station located on a mountain top in section 1.