

BANDOLIER CANAL FIELD NOTES

Map:

<http://mapper.acme.com/?ll=32.94536,-109.91141&z=19&t=5&marker0=32.94559%2C-109.91152%2C3.3%20km%20N%20of%20Graham%20County%20AZ&marker1=32.94487%2C-109.91182%2C3.2%20km%20N%20of%20Graham%20County%20AZ>

USGS Topo Name: Eden, AZ 7.5'
Canal Length: Short remaining segment
Canal Slope: To be determined
Nominal Size: 3 meters wide by 1 meter deep
Land Ownership: Unknown. Presumably private or Arizona State Lands.
Access: Easy road access.
Field Verified: Yes.
Hanging Features: None known.
Study Confidence: Unlikely unrelated to present study hanging canals

Locations of interest:

N 32 56.692' W 109 54.709' Start of Bandolier canal fragment
N 32 56.735' W 109 54.691' End of Bandolier canal fragment

Significant Features: One of the earliest recorded Gila Valley Canals
Noted by Bandolier.
Likely to be lowland Gila River based.
"wrong" side of Dodge Nevada canal.

Images: None at present

References: (1892 Final Report of Investigations...) Original paper reference

Present work that needs done in the Bandolier area...

- Seek possible evidence of Bear Springs or Tripp Canyon sourcing.
- Review published documents.
- Try to establish lowland, artesian, or mountain stream origins.