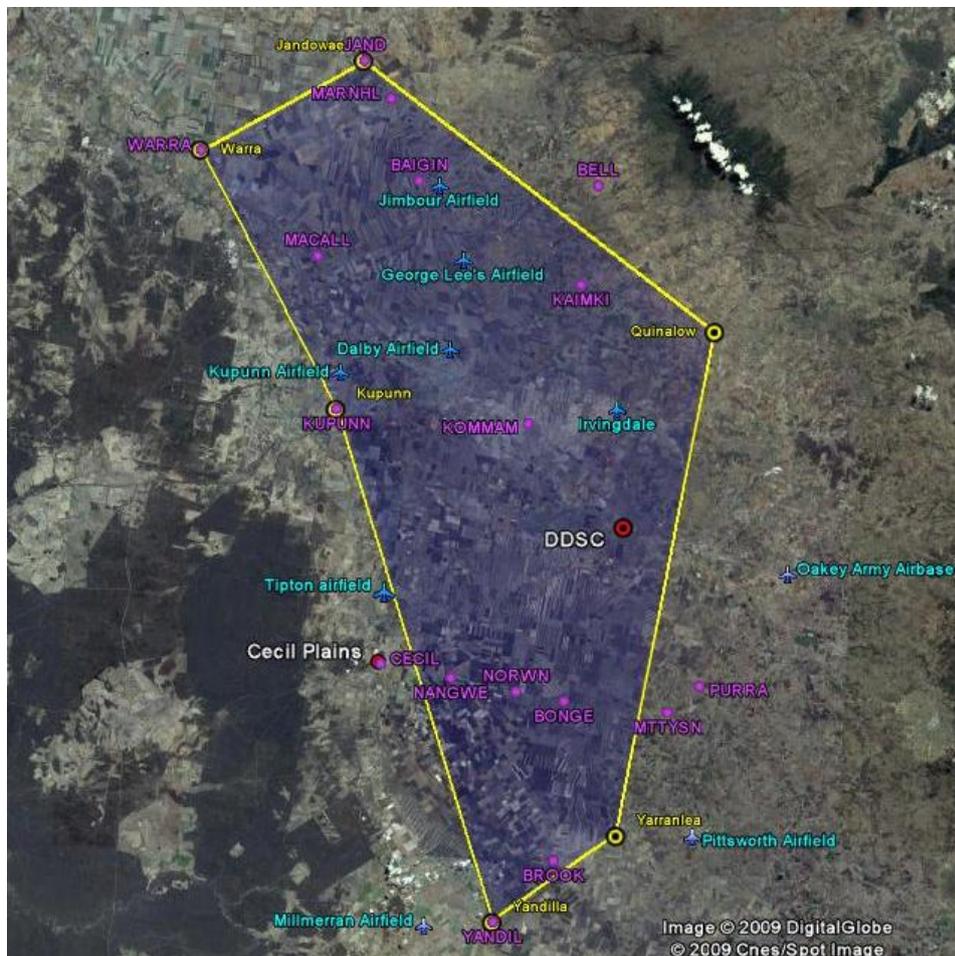


Tasks in the Initial Cross Country Area

Although a pilot who is new to cross country is confined to the initial area, there are still plenty of places for them to explore and even 300km flights can be achieved inside this area. Note that there is no pressure to go out fly far away, flying big tasks. All pilots should keep to what they feel comfortable with and progress at their own pace. DDSC has many experienced cross country instructors as well as many cross country coaches. If a pilot is having problems in any area then the instructors or coaches are more than happy to help out. Some pilots simply like to explore their new play area but here are some possible tasks including some badge flights for those who wish to set a task for themselves.



Silver "C" 50km Badge Flight (DDSC-Jimbour Silo-DDSC 105km)

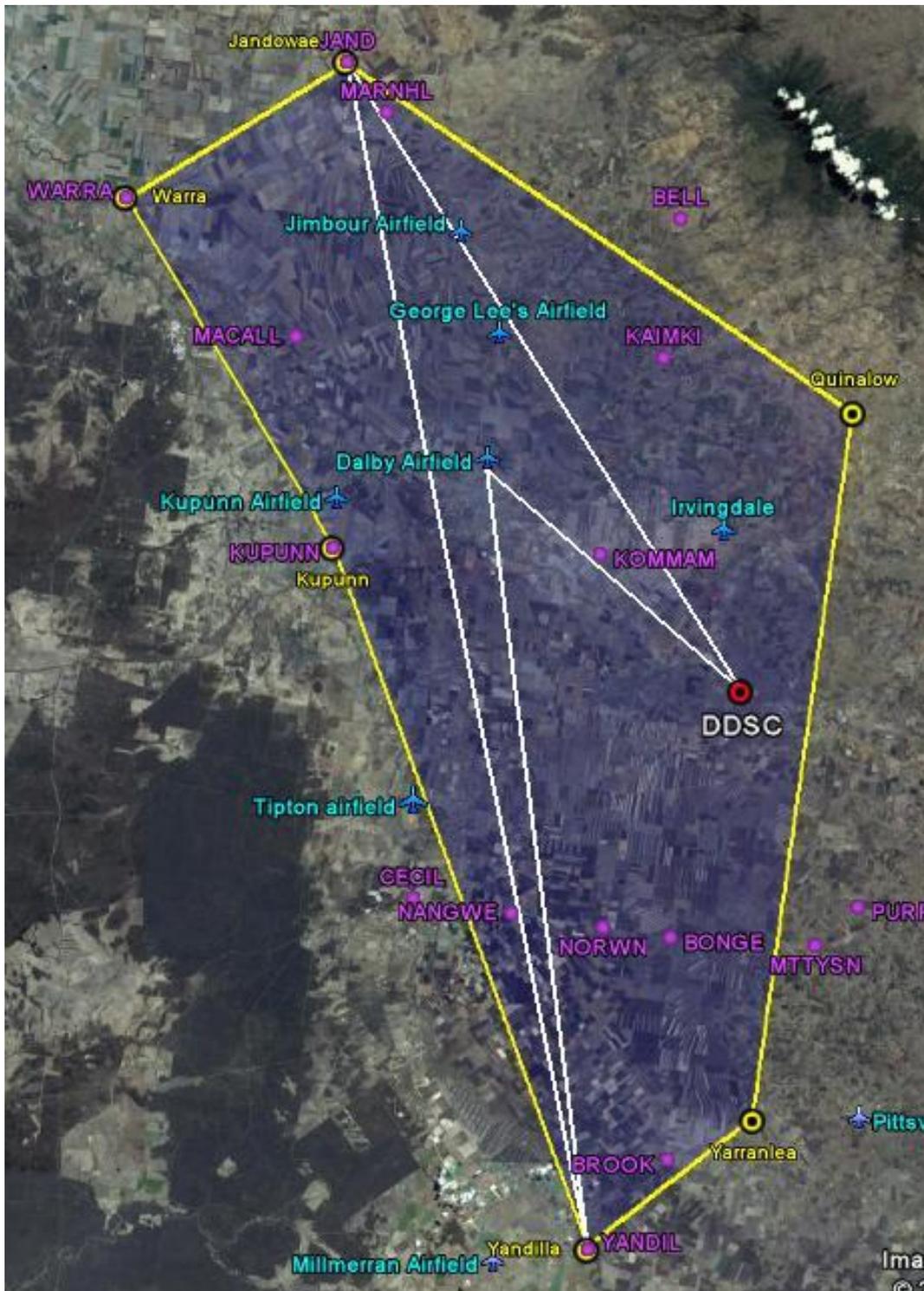
This is the standard Silver "C" badge flight instructors send new cross country pilots on. This is usually the same task that pilots do during their dual cross country flight with an instructor so the task should be reasonably familiar to them. The task itself has many safe airfield options should they get low and require a safe outlanding place as they are never more than 30 km away from an airfield. There are many large and useable fields along the way as well. The important thing to remember on this task is that the turn point is Jimbour Silo NOT Jimbour House. Some pilots in the past have made this mistake and found out that the task cannot be claimed.



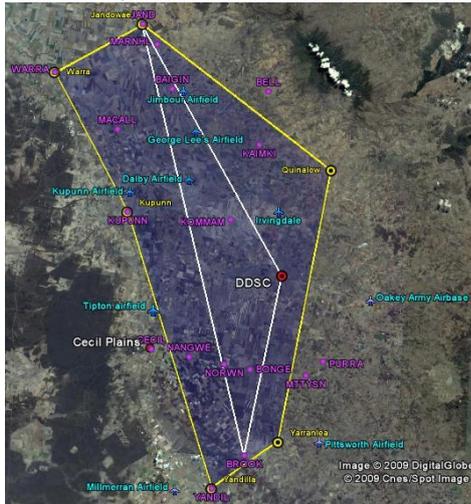
Gold 300km Distance Badge

(DDSC-Jandowae-Yandilla Silo-Dalby AF-DDSC 302km)

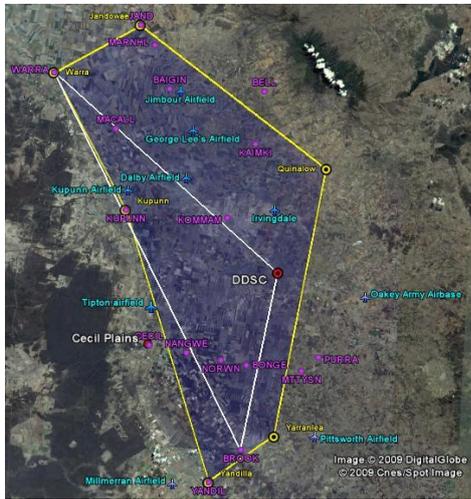
Another safe task with many airfields to choose from. This task is also an option for pilots flying during the week when Oakey airspace is active. All they have to do is to divert to Dalby AF on the way to the first turnpoint to avoid the northern edge of the airspace.



DDSC-Jandowae Silo-Brookstead Silo-DDSC (230km)



DDSC-Warra Silo-Brookstead Silo-DDSC (230km)



DDSC-Jandowae Silo-Brookstead Silo-Jimbour Silo-DDSC (332km)

