



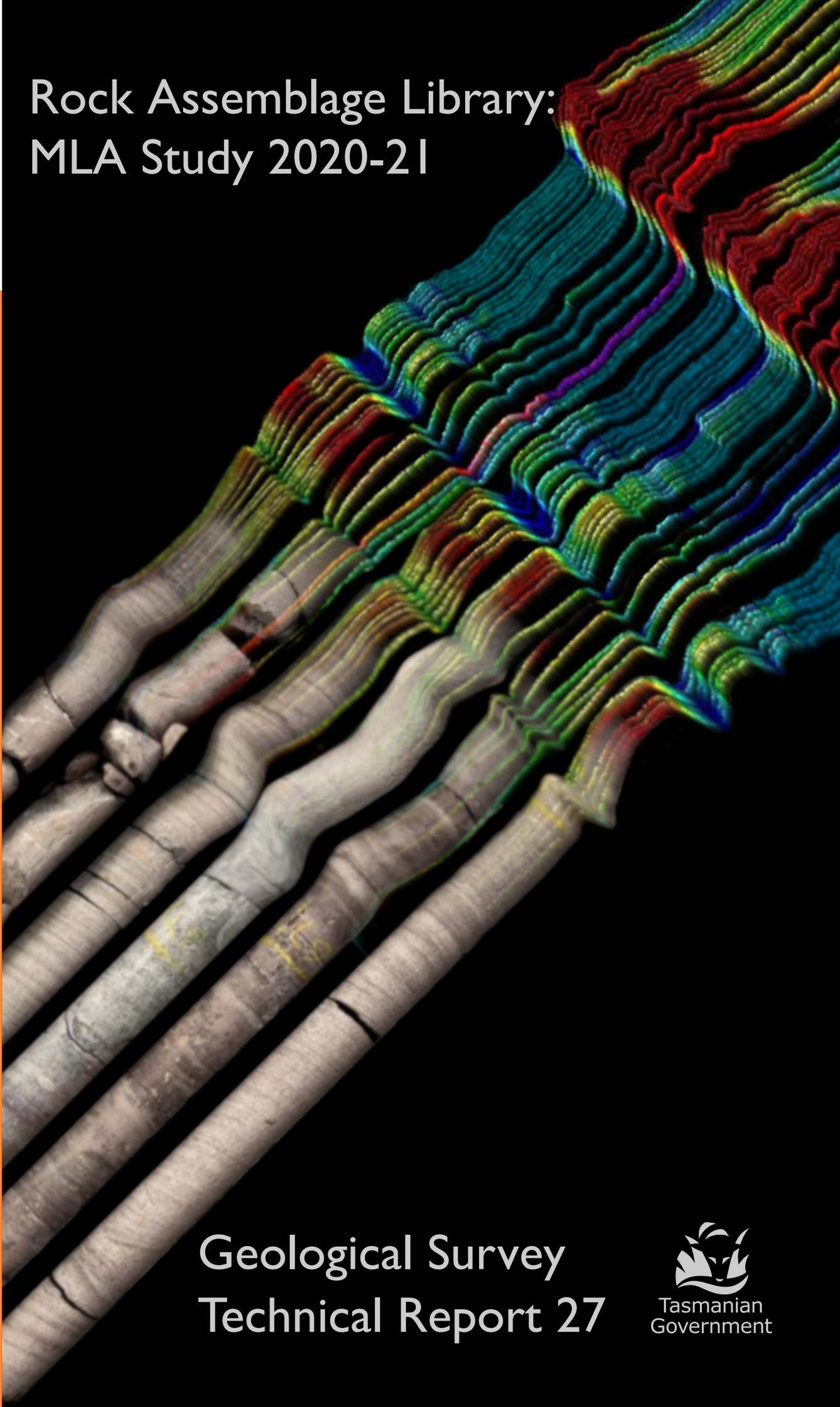
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**“I’ve seen more core that’s a drab triumph of understatement and subtlety
than I care to remember.”**

Peter Mason

What’s new in TSG, April 2008

1. Introduction

The AuScope NVCL Rock Assemblage Library project aims to validate the interpretation of HyLogger spectra for representative mineralogies. Up to 2020 (Moltzen & Bottrill 2018, Moltzen *et al.* 2020) the project validated HyLogger interpretations by calculating mineral proportions using the MINSQ algorithm from (a) XRD analysis to provide the mineral assemblage, (b) microprobe analysis to provide mineral compositions and (c) XRF analysis of the whole sample (Herrmann *et al.* 2002). Additional validation was provided by quantitative XRD and petrological thin section.

Subsequent validation (Green & Reid 2021) was done using mineral liberation analysis (MLA). The justification and a detailed description of the method are included in Green and Reid (2021).

In this study, HyLogger and MLA data was acquired from 15 samples identified as being potentially challenging for spectral analysis, providing a validated dataset to test unmixing algorithms.

Methods

Sample selection

Candidate rock types and sub-assemblages were identified at the NVCL community workshop, Sydney 2020, then firmed up with emails afterward. The rocks and assemblages were identified because they have been found to be challenging and/or give ambiguous results.

The 15 rocks/mineral assemblages identified for targeting were:

- Sandstone – micaceous
- Sandstone - calcareous
- (Black) shale – micaceous
- (Black) shale - crypto-micaceous

- Kaolin + White-mica
- Carbonate + White-mica
- Carbonate + Chlorite
- K-Feldspar + Plagioclase + Quartz
- K-Feldspar + White-mica + Plagioclase
- Chlorite + Carbonate + White mica
- Chlorite + Amphibole
- Chlorite + Biotite
- Chlorite + Biotite + Amphibole
- Chlorite + Epidote + Amphibole
- Biotite + Epidote + Amphibole

The sandstone and shale targets had been identified in Tasmanian drill core in 2019.

To find suitable examples of the target mineral assemblages, NVCL Analytics was used on Tasmanian drill holes. For a national search, Andy Green kindly built and ran tailored CorStruth MOMA algorithms (Green 2017) to identify the number of occurrences of candidate assemblages in all drill holes in the CorStruth database (as at April 2020) e.g.

- Kaolin + White-mica
(White-mica wt > 0.3) AND
(Kaolin wt > 0.3)

The search used the sjCLST unmixing algorithm with group level mineral weights.

The TSG files of candidate samples were inspected and samples selected based on closeness to equal proportions of the target minerals, mineral assemblage homogeneity, textural simplicity and core condition. The samples were extracted at the relevant state and territory core libraries and gathered at MRT in Tasmania.

In total, 21 samples were selected for study, including the 6 analysed in 2019-20 and reported in Green and Reid 2021 (table 1).

Table 1. Sample details. Start and end refer to TSG dataset sample id numbers. The first 6 samples were included in the report for 2019-20 (Green and Reid 2021). Spectra refers to the total number of HyLogger 4mm samples acquired from the face of the sample selected to be analysed by MLA. MRV – Mt Read Volcanics.

MRT Sample_ID	Target sub-assemblage	Lithology	Location	State	ddh id	Hole name	Start	End	Depth	Length (cm)	Spectra
G408251	Kaolinite + White mica	Mudstone	Tasmania Basin	Tas	6149	Thorp-1	70936	70954	263.25	7.2	165
G408275	K-feldspar + Plagioclase	Altered granodiorite	Gramalote Project	Colombia		Quarry	434	456	1.771	8.8	339
G408243	K-feldspar + Plagioclase + White mica (+ Quartz)	K-feldspar-altered dacite	White Spur, MRV	Tas	24998	WSP-14	102276	102285	347.19	3.6	151
G408265	Biotite + Epidote + Amphibole	Biotite-garnet-altered mafic	Cethana	Tas	29536	CETD4	68737	68748	477.88	8.8	183
G408264	Chlorite + Biotite	Biotite-altered mafic	Cethana	Tas	29536	CETD4	67704	67724	470.95	16	364
G408260	Shale - crypto-micaceous	Micaceous grey shale	Oonah prospect	Tas	15171	DD800C3	7014	7033	74.658	15.2	219
G408245	Chlorite + Carbonate + White mica	Altered felsic volcanic	Mt Charter, MRV	Tas	13529	MCH1	73944	73949	533.75	4	160
G408246	Chlorite + Carbonate + White mica	Success Creek mudstone	Black River	Tas	6200	Forest-1	109397	109414	793.62	13.6	258
G408248	K-feldspar + Plagioclase + White mica (+ Quartz)	Felsic volcanic	Hatfield River, MRV	Tas	8484	HAT7	38045	38050	146.6	4	323
G408255	K-feldspar + Plagioclase + White mica (+ Quartz)	Felsic volcanic	White Spur, MRV	Tas	36739	WSP-16	33386	33397	109.71	4.4	251
G408276	K-feldspar + Plagioclase + White mica (+ Quartz)	Altered felsic volcanic	Ernest Henry	Qld	71763	550	83505	83525	738.55	13	549
G408277	K-feldspar + Plagioclase + White mica (+ Quartz)	Soldiers Creek Granite	Pine Creek	NT	8E+06	D007	21679	21701	185.03	15	436
G408249	Kaolinite + White mica	Altered felsic volcanic	Mackintosh, MRV	Tas	27812	MCD37	1468	1475	34.098	5.6	222
G408250	Kaolinite + White mica	Claystone	Tasmania Basin	Tas	6149	Thorp-1	70841	70851	262.93	4	185
G408253	Shale - crypto-micaceous	Crypto-micaceous shale (Mathinna Group)	Lefroy	Tas	19586	L4A	6226	6264	156.73	30.4	243
G408254	Sandstone - micaceous	Micaceous sandstone (Mathinna Group)	Lefroy	Tas	19586	L4A	7331	7349	164.44	14.4	297
G408261	Shale - graphitic	Carbonaceous shale	Oonah	Tas	15171	DD800C3	41453	41494	321.05	16.4	132
G408262	Shale - graphitic	Carbonaceous shale	Oonah	Tas	15171	DD800C3	11918	11929	110.67	4.4	301
G408266	Chlorite + Amphibole	Altered mafic volcanic	Cleveland	Tas	18532	C0631	77942	77964	283.31	8.8	147
G408268	Chlorite + Epidote + Amphibole	Altered mafic volcanic	Cleveland	Tas	18532	C0631	51238	51246	186.65	6.4	174
G408279	Chlorite + Biotite	Micaceous ultramafic (cumulate)	Yilgarn - Ravensthorp	WA	M0001606	RAVD0120	66913	66918	519.21	4	98

Sample size

The optimal sample size for HyLogging validation tests should be sufficient to provide statistical robustness, but small enough to ensure homogeneity. An MLA sampling constraint is set by the cost of analysing large samples with sufficient but not excessive (i.e. costly) point density.

As discussed in Green and Reid (2021), the target sample size was 10cm x 5cm.

HyLogging

Samples were scanned by the MRT HyLogger-3 (visible, NIR, SWIR and TIR; Schodlok *et al.* 2016b) with a sample spacing of 4mm in both the down track and cross track directions (i.e. sampling chunked by 1 with tray sections separated by 4mm). Slab samples were scanned on both sides and the HyLogger

results were used to select the side with the most homogeneous mineralogy for MLA (figures 1 and 2).

The Spectral Geologist (TSG v8.0.7.4, June 2020, incorporating TSA v7.0 with its dedicated TIR spectral library; Schodlok *et al.* 2016a) was used for basic spectral processing, to mask out compromised spectra (at sample edges and on cracks), calculate useful spectral scalars (e.g. spectral range and felsic-mafic index) and unmix the spectra to mineral proportions (figure 3). The dataset containing all scanned samples (including both the front sides and back sides of each slab) was used to select the surfaces to be analysed by MLA. Each selection was then exported to a separate TSG dataset for final unmixing. Unless otherwise specified, minimum weight and other unmixing parameters are the default TSG settings.

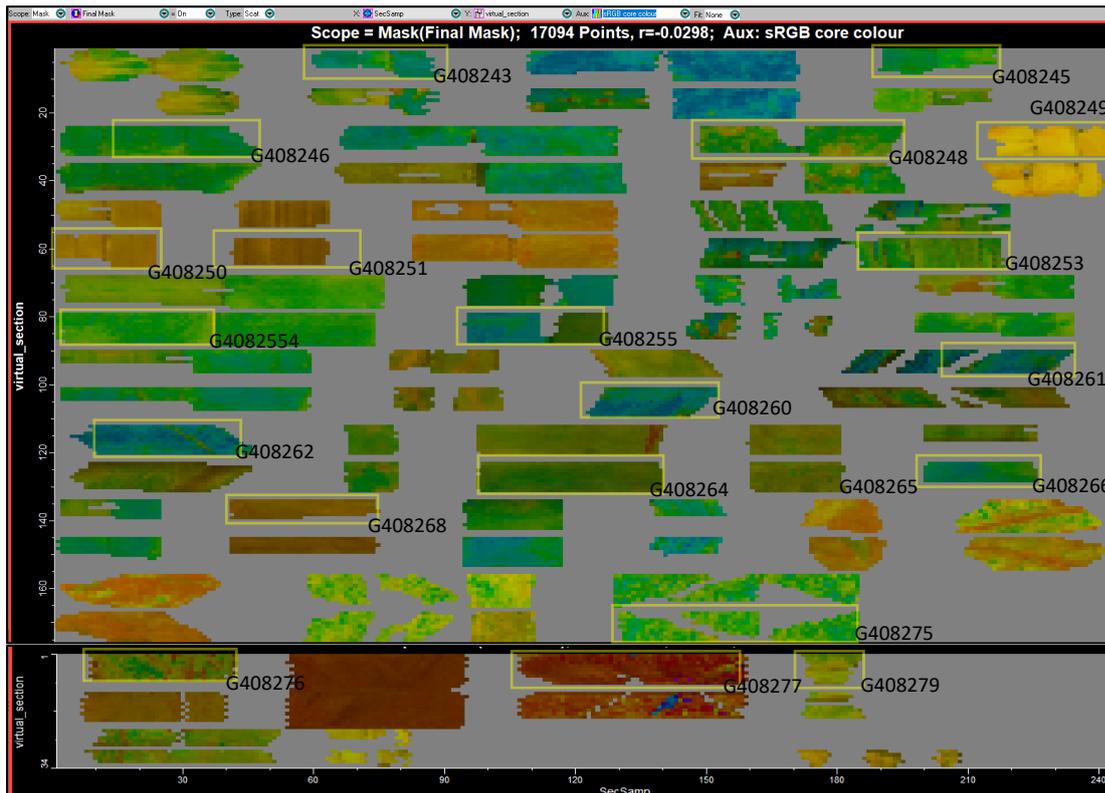


Figure 1. TSG scatter plot showing 40 candidate samples as they were laid out on 20 single-section core trays. Samples appear as pairs, showing both sides. The samples are naturally coloured with a high saturation enhancement (colour tot_sat (2) in TSG).

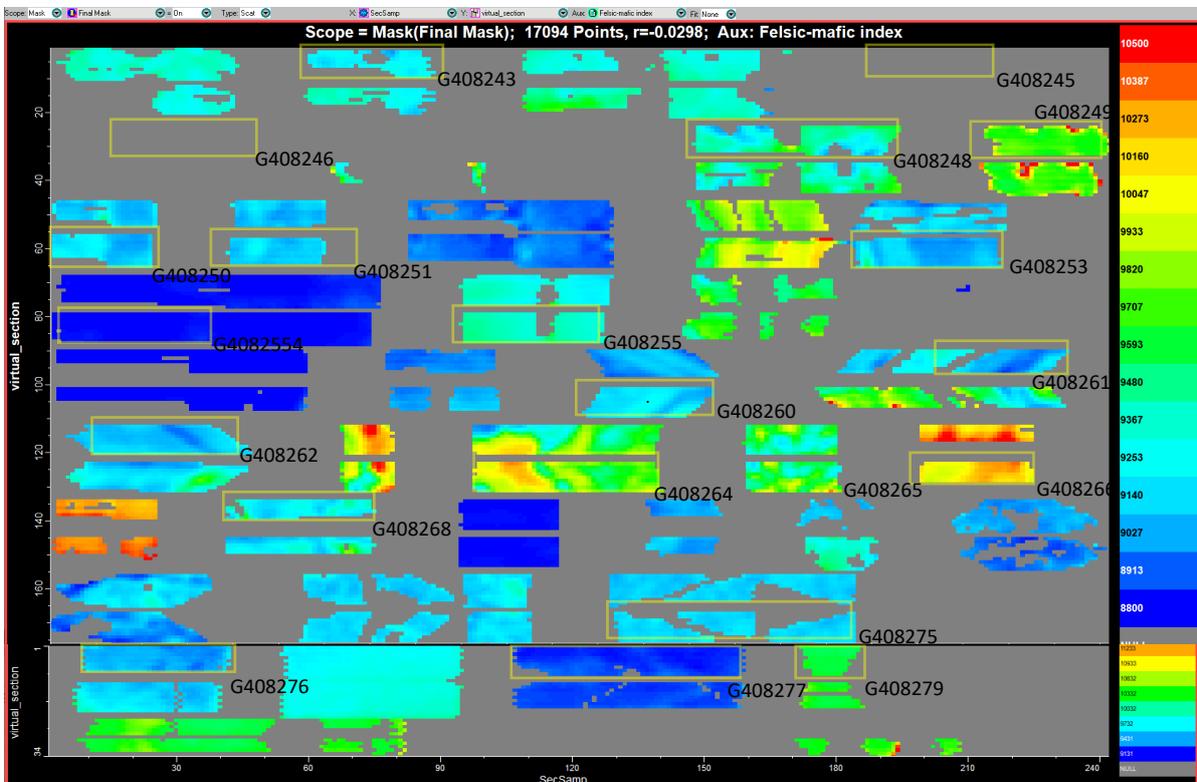


Figure 2. Candidate samples coloured by Felsic-mafic index, with the range of colours in each sample giving an indication of inhomogeneity.

The unmixing algorithms used were:

VNIR-SWIR

- **sTSAS+** (system SWIR TSA+, Berman & Bishof 1997, Berman *et al.* 2011, Berman *et al.* 2017, Green 2015)
Automatic mixtures of 3. TSA+ with all minerals in the spectral library available (except brucite and palygorskite as is the default setting in TSG).
- **uTSAS** (user SWIR TSA+)
Supervised mixtures of up to 3. TSA+ with all minerals in the spectral library available except those indicated by sTSA+ that are not supported by diagnostic spectral features, tailored scalars (to seek epidote, prehnite, etc) and/or corresponding TIR spectra or that are mostly aspectral or noisy. Brucite, palygorskite and quartz H₂O are not included unless necessary.
- **sTSAV** (system VNIR TSA)
Automatic mixtures of 2. TSA with all minerals in the spectral library available (except misc-silicates, carbonates, sulphates, sulphides, and clay-Cu as is standard). All samples were found to contain negligible amounts of VNIR-active minerals, so this was not reported.
- **uTSAV** (user VNIR TSA)
Supervised mixtures of 2. Usually, no adjustments are made to sTSAV, so uTSAV was not calculated.

TIR

- **sTSAT**
Automatic mixtures of 6 with all minerals in the spectral library available (except those not included in the default setting of TSG i.e. sillimanite 1 and 2, quartz 4, 5 and 6, microcline 4 and vonsenite).
sjCLST (system TIR CLS, Green 2015)
Automatic mixtures of 3. The restricted mineral set (RMS) is initially informed by sTSAS+, then the algorithm uses scalars and rules to modify the list.

- **dCLST** (user TIR CLS)
Supervised CLS with mixtures of 6 using a single domain. Initiate the RMS with entire mineral groups identified by uTSAS+, then add entire mineral groups as needed to fit spectra, mainly using the RMS Error scalar, CLS Residual spectrum, Add 1 function and uTSAT with mix>6 and as many minerals available as possible i.e. all those not black listed by default.
When adding mineral groups, some individual minerals are turned off by default unless specifically justified, as indicated by their being turned off in the default settings: quartz 4, 5, 6, opal and microcline 4.
When adding mineral groups, some individual minerals and sub-groups are left turned off unless specifically justified because they are commonly used spuriously: glauconite, axinite, prehnite, pyrophyllite, topaz, amphibole-Na, amphibole-Mg-Fe-Mn-Li, carbonate-Cu, carbonate-Ba-Sr-Pb-Zn, gypsum, anhydrite, retgersite, barite, alunite and jarosite.
- **dTSAT** (user domained TIR TSA)
Supervised mixtures of 6 with minimum weight = 0. TSA with an RMS provided by the CLS domain.
- **uTSAT** (user TIR TSA following the philosophy of SWIR TSA)
TSA with mix>6 with as many minerals available as possible i.e. all those not black listed by default and excluding only minerals not supported by diagnostic spectral features, tailored scalars and/or corresponding SWIR interpretations. This algorithm was not used in this study.

Carbonates

- Carbonate minerals were further interpreted using the 14000, 11300 and 6500nm features as described in Green and Schodlok (2015) and if necessary, appended to the results (Appendix 1).

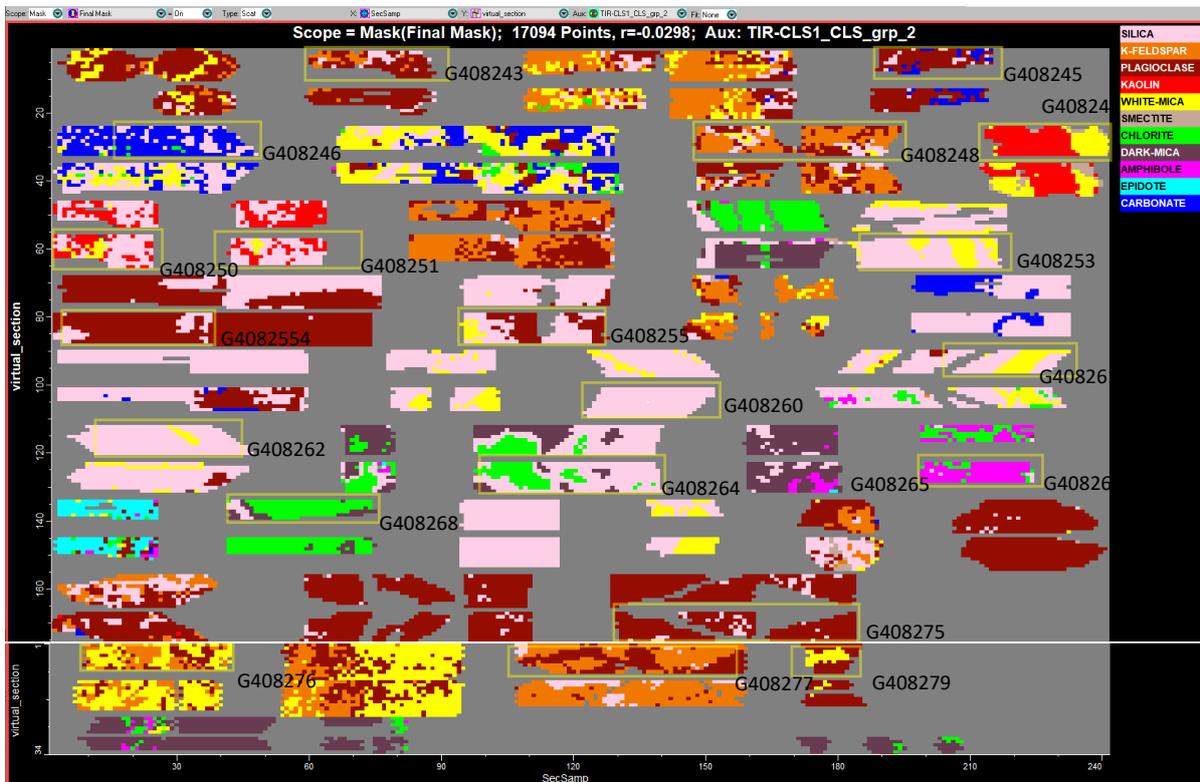
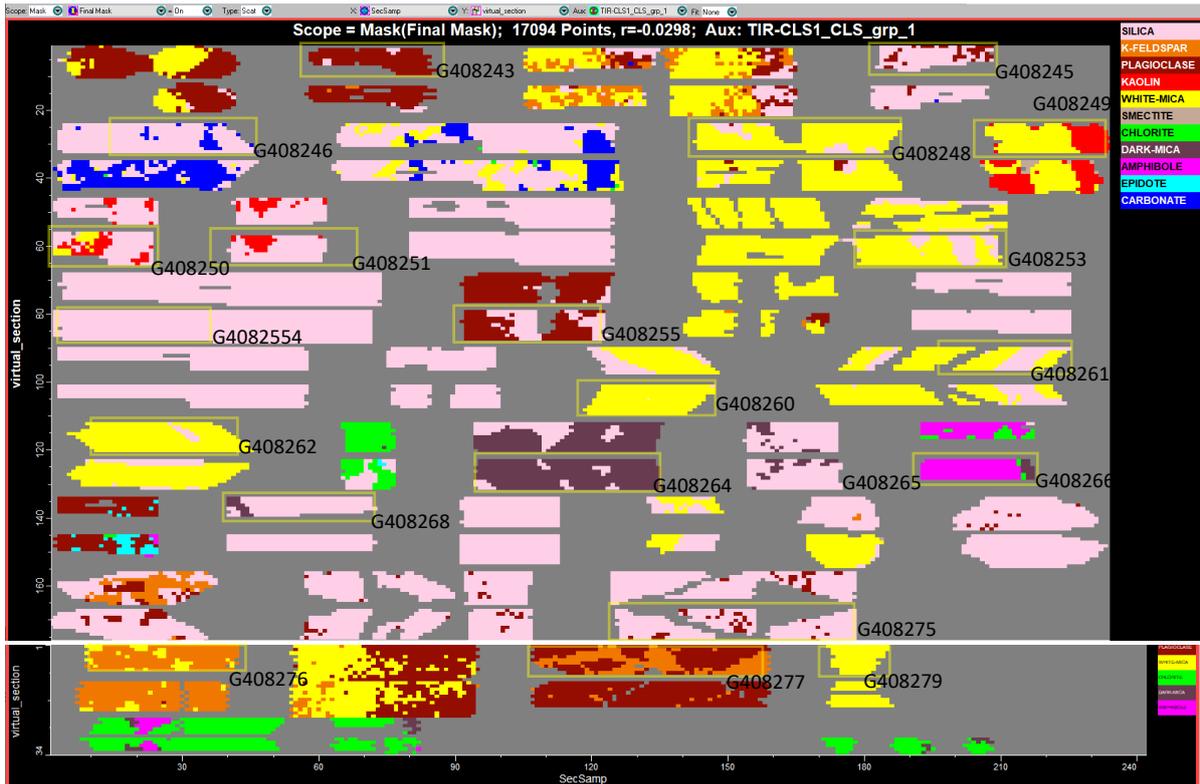


Figure 3. Candidate samples coloured by dCLST Mineral Group 1 (top) and Mineral Group 2 (bottom). The 21 selected samples are outlined in yellow as in figure 2.

Mineral Liberation Analysis (MLA)

The MLA method uses the EDX (energy dispersive X-ray spectroscopy) and backscatter electron image (BSE) functionality of a SEM to classify tens of thousands of spot analyses using a reference mineral library (Gu and Sugden 1995). It provides mineral proportions at a scale and from a similar volume as HyLogging and produces a result that is as close to truth as practical (Green and Reid 2021). MLA of rock slabs and HyLogging both analyse surfaces and return areal mineral proportions, but they are independent. MLA therefore provides a robust independent reference from which to compare the results of HyLogging unmixing algorithms.

The MLA method classifies spot X-ray spectra by matching with a spectral library. Typically, the reference library is based on standard rock-forming minerals and may be modified with information from inspecting the X-ray spectra, acquiring EDX analyses of some of the minerals or from external information. In this project, independence was paramount, so no additional information was provided to the SEM analyst, who used standard mineral libraries. The SEM analyst was however, informed about the desired specificity of mineral identification, given by HyLogger mineral classes e.g. paragonite, muscovite and phengite, and Fe-chlorite, Fe-Mg-chlorite and Mg-chlorite. The count time per spot was set to provide ~2000 X-ray spectra, just sufficient to reliably match with typical mineral libraries. Table 2 shows how MLA mineral classes were translated into TSG minerals and mineral groups.

The consequent practical constraints on MLA analysis resulted in ~35,000 analyses per sample, which nominally guarantees a mineral proportion uncertainty of less than 1%.

XMOD Mineral	TSG Group	TSG Mineral
Actinolite	AMPHIBOLE	Actinolite
Albite	PLAGIOCLASE	Albite
Alumina-Cal	PLAGIOCLASE	
Apatite	PHOSPHATE	Apatite
Biotite	DARK-MICA	Biotite
Ca-Al-Fe-Mg silicate	INVALID	
Calcite	CARBONATE	Calcite
Ca-REE carbonate	CARBONATE	Calcite
Chlorite	CHLORITE	Chlorite-FeMg
Chlorite_Fe	CHLORITE	Chlorite-Fe
Dolomite	CARBONATE	Dolomite
Epidote-Allanite	EPIDOTE	Epidote
Fe-oxide	OXIDE	OXIDE
Galena	OXIDE	OXIDE
Ilmenite-Mn	OXIDE	OXIDE
Kaolinite	KAOLIN	Kaolinite-WX
K-Feldspar	K-FELDSPAR	Orthoclase
Muscovite	WHITE-MICA	Muscovite
Muscovite_minorFe	WHITE-MICA	Phengite
Pl_or_Ab-Cal mix	PLAGIOCLASE	
Plagioclase	PLAGIOCLASE	Oligoclase
Pyrite	INVALID	OXIDE
Quartz	SILICA	Quartz
Rutile	OXIDE	Rutile
Spessartine	GARNET	Spessartine
Titanite	OXIDE	OXIDE
Zircon	MISC-SILICATE	Zircon

Table 2. Translation table mapping MLA minerals to TSG minerals. Chemical compositions are provided in Appendix 2.

Details of the MLA analysis, including a description of the specific XMOD (XMOD_STD) program used are included in Green and Reid (2021). The results of MLA were provided as mineral point counts and the derived area percentages (Appendix 2, which also includes instrument description and operating conditions).

3. Results

Complete mineral proportion results of the unmixing algorithms (sTSAS+, uTSAS+, sTSAT, sjCLST, dCLST and dTSAT) together with our best interpretation of the truth, from MLA using the XMOD program are provided in Appendix 1, with full XMOD results in Appendix 2. Figure 4 summarises the results in

graphs and summary tables and includes line scan images. BSE images are provided in Appendix 3. Results from the 6 samples of the pilot MLA validation study (Green and Reid 2021) are included in similar format in Appendix 4.

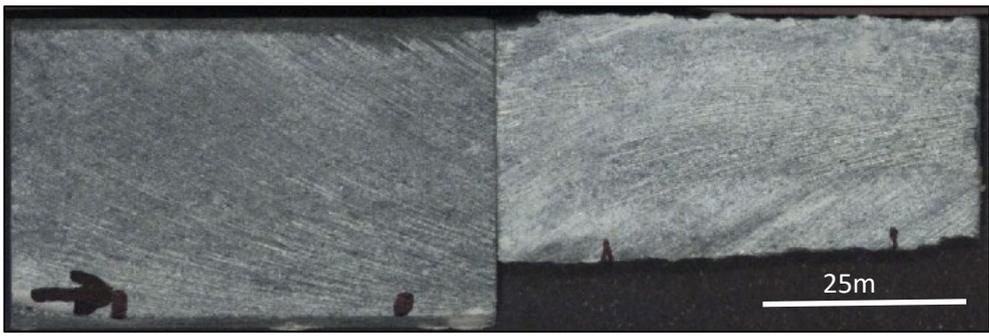
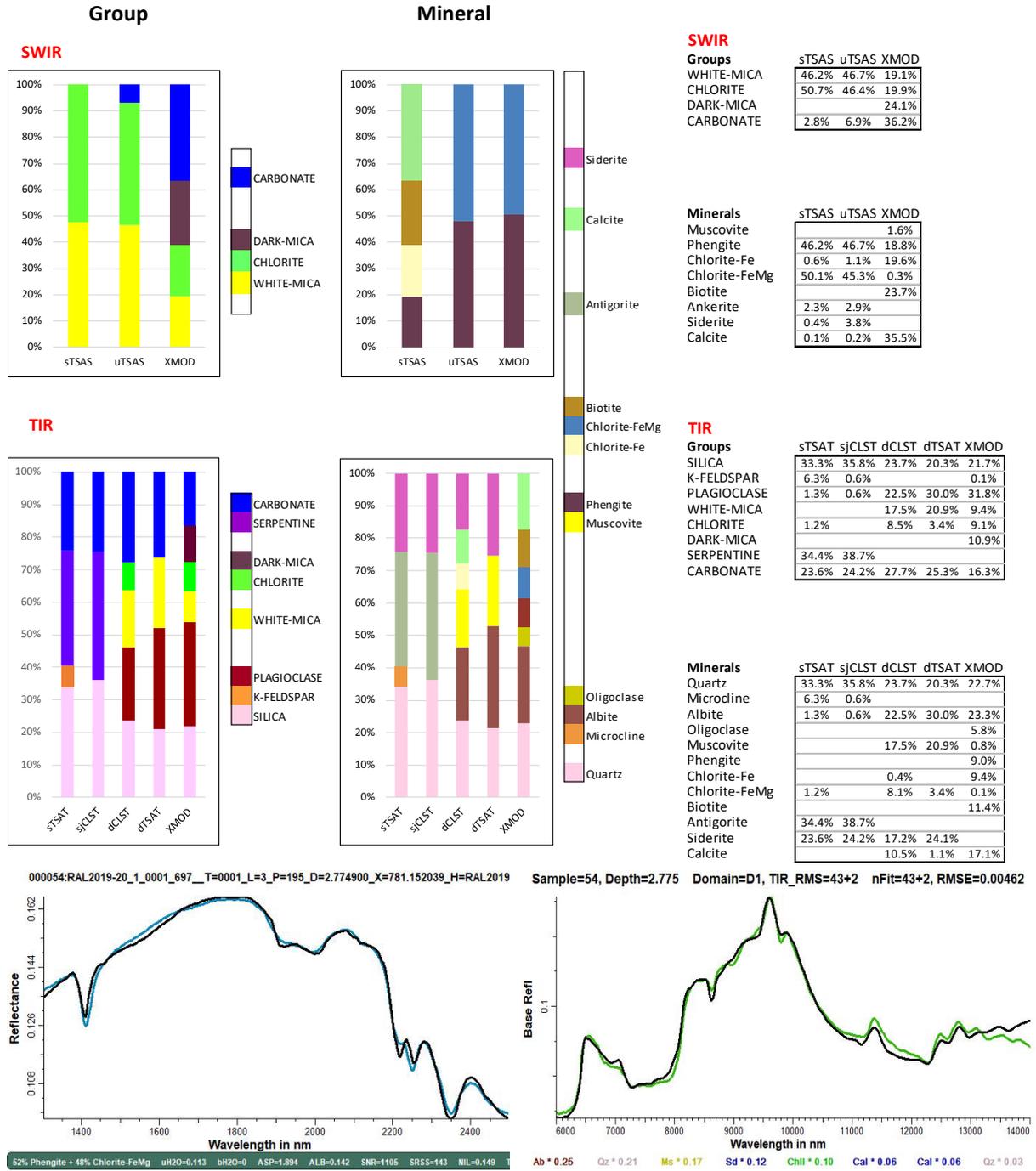
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Summaries of the results for each sample are illustrated, including:

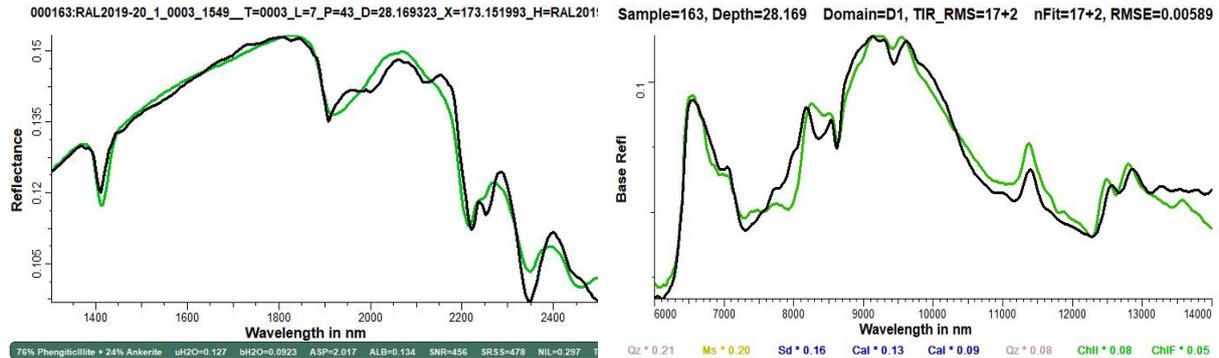
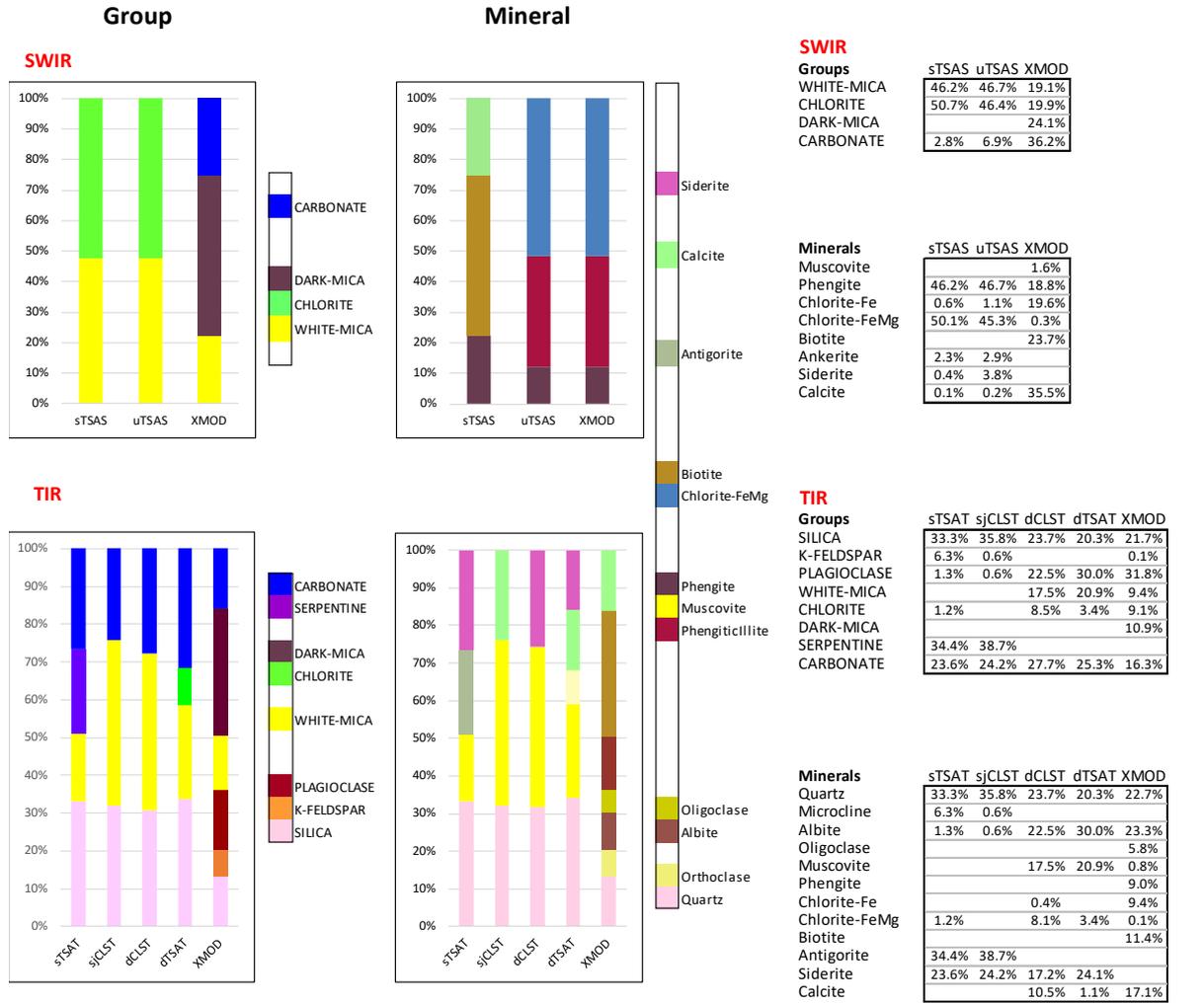
- Column graphs for each sample showing SWIR (top) and TIR (bottom), mineral group (left) and mineral species (right) proportion results from the spectral unmixing algorithms and MLA (using the XMOD program).
- Tables summarise the results of the 6 unmixing algorithms and XMOD.
- vis-SWIR and TIR spectra (in black) modelled by uTSAS and dCLST (in colour) respectively.
- Linescan image of the sample.

Any mineral with a maximum proportion for any unmixing method or XMOD less than 1% is not shown in the tables and any with less than 5% are not shown in the graphs. TSAS results classified as Invalid are shown at the Group level, but not at Mineral level, where the mineral proportions are re-normalised to total 100%. Colours are similar to those used in TSG.

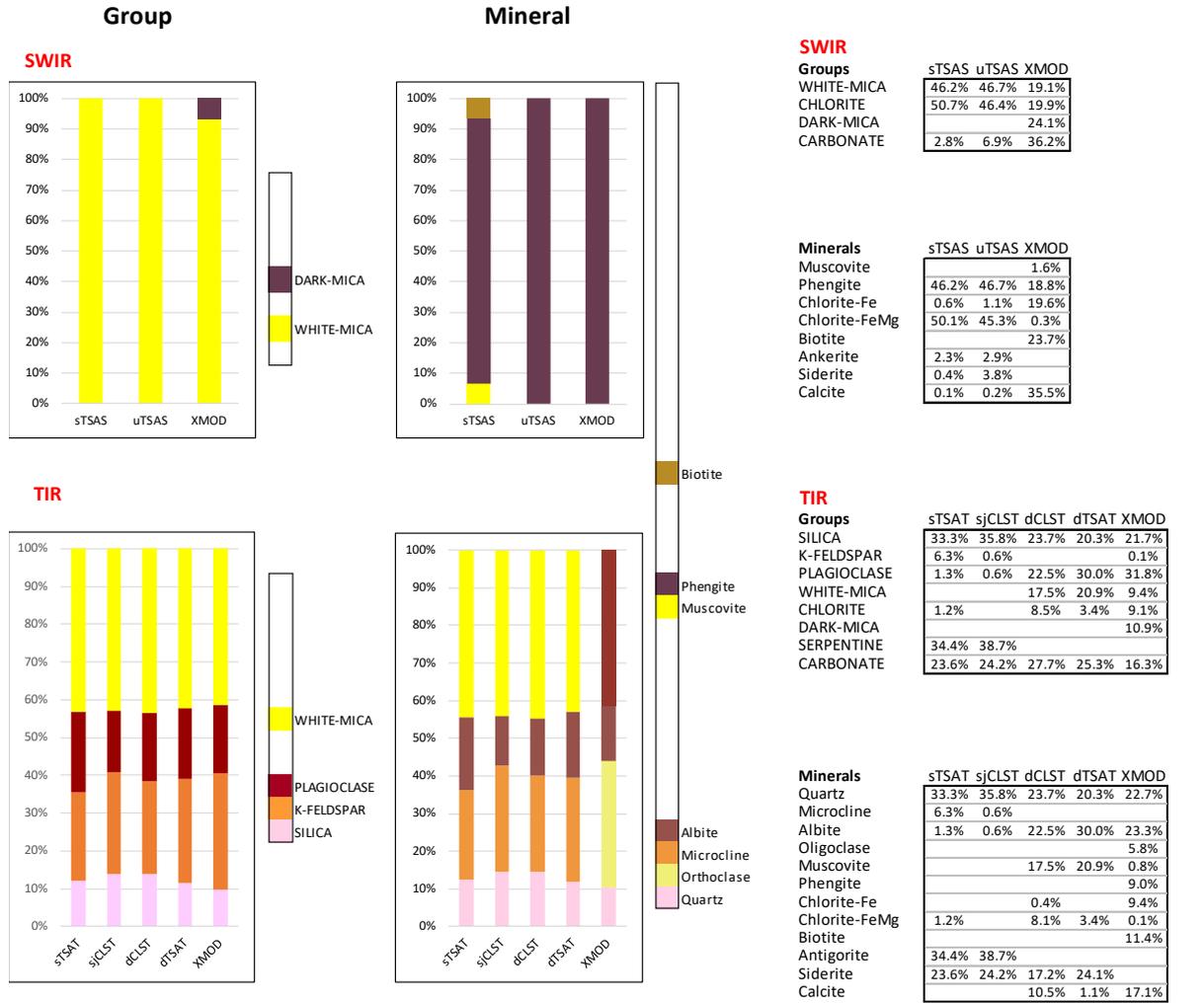
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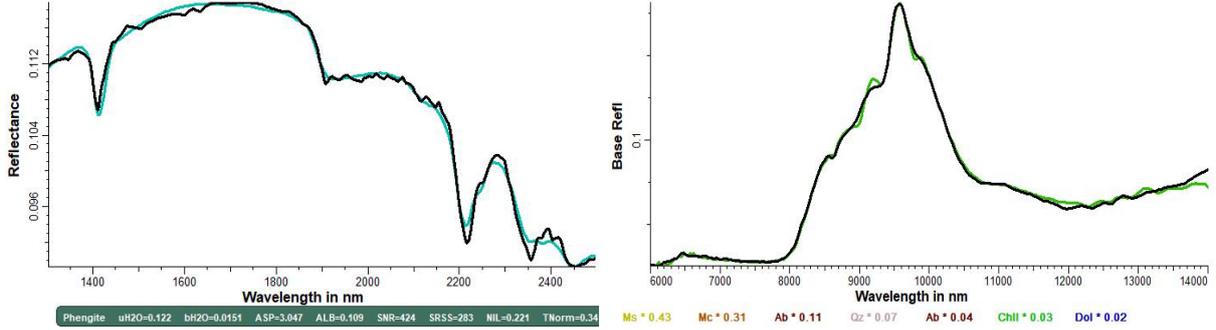
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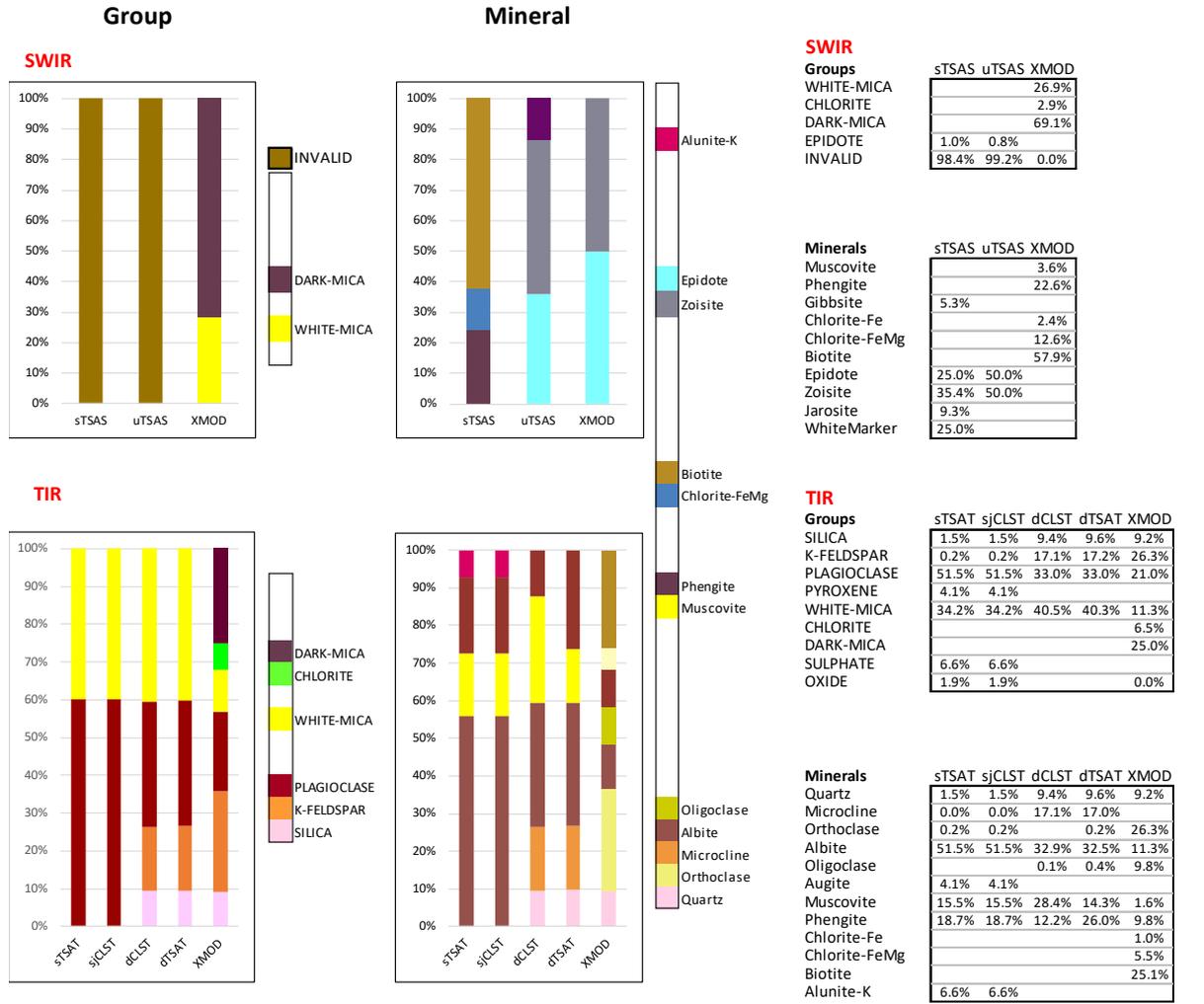
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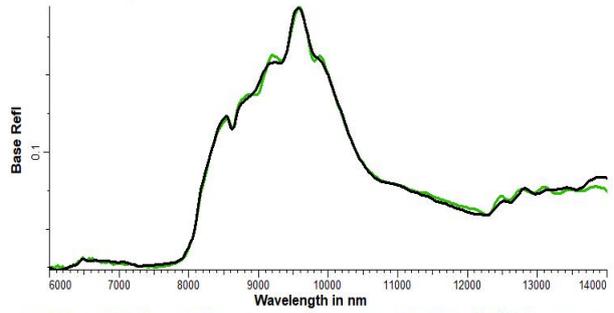
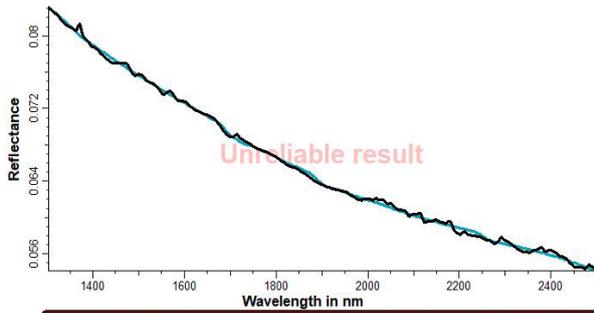


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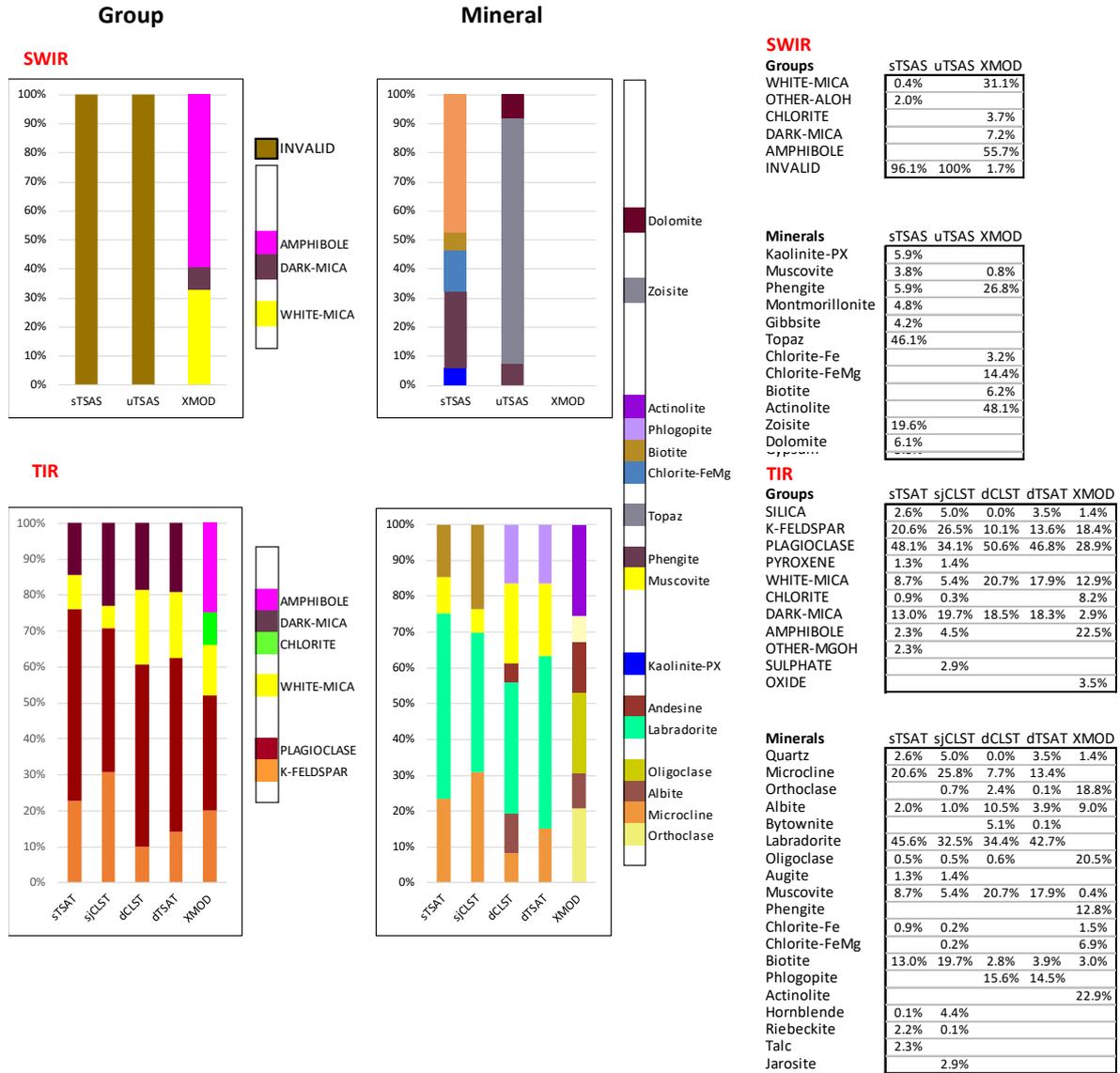


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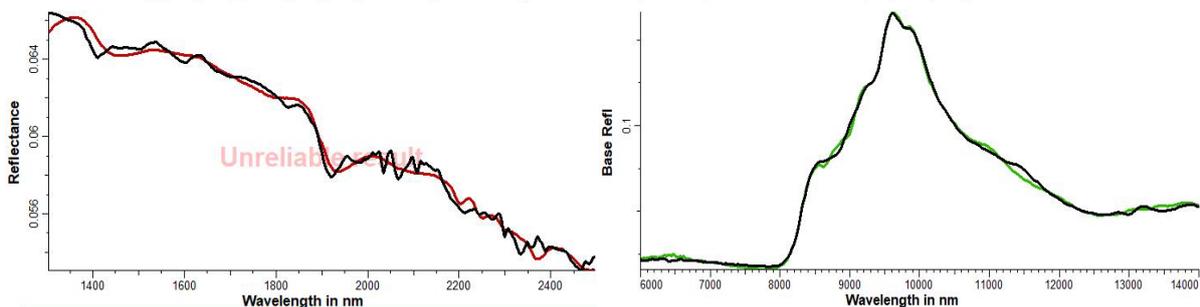
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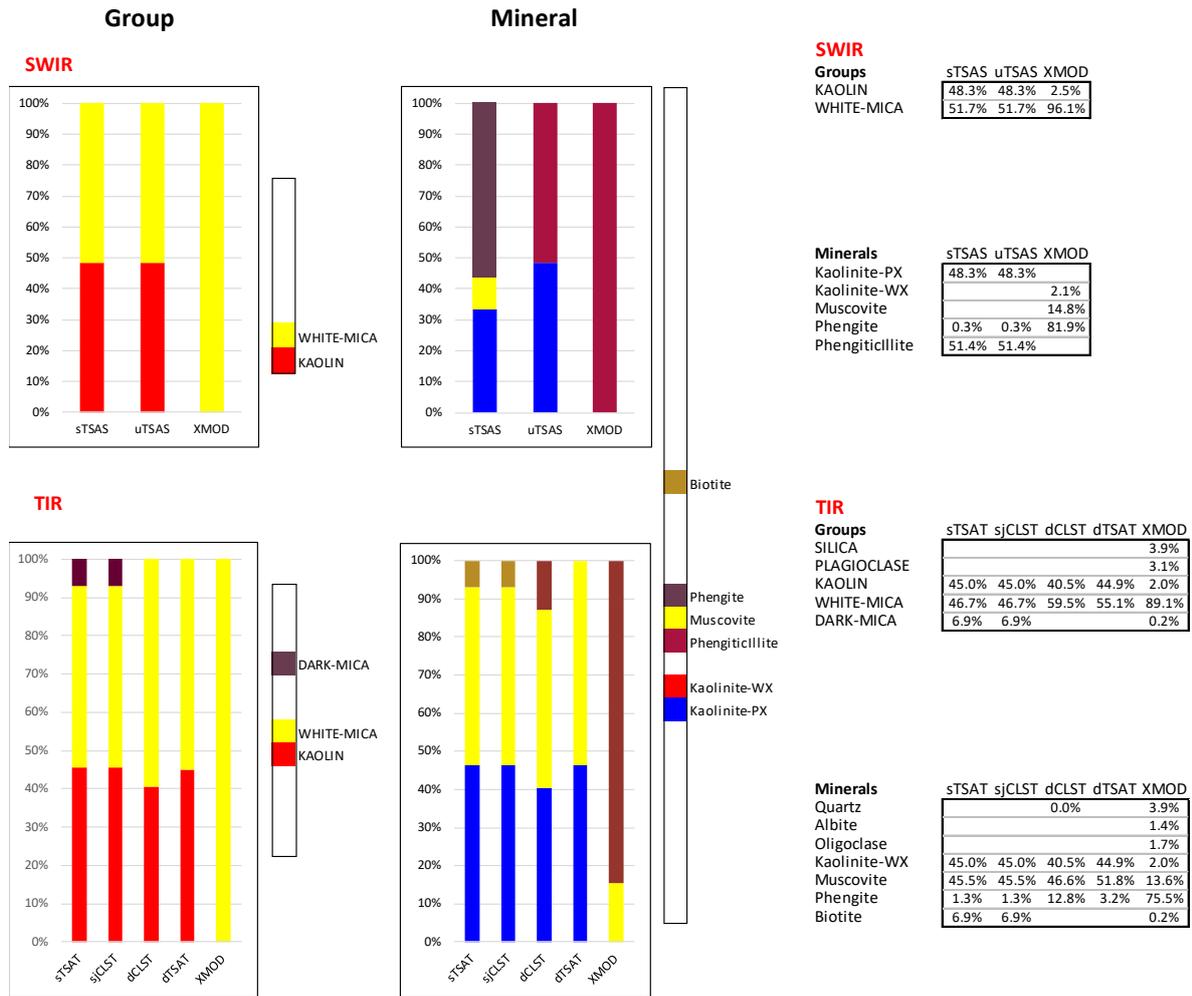
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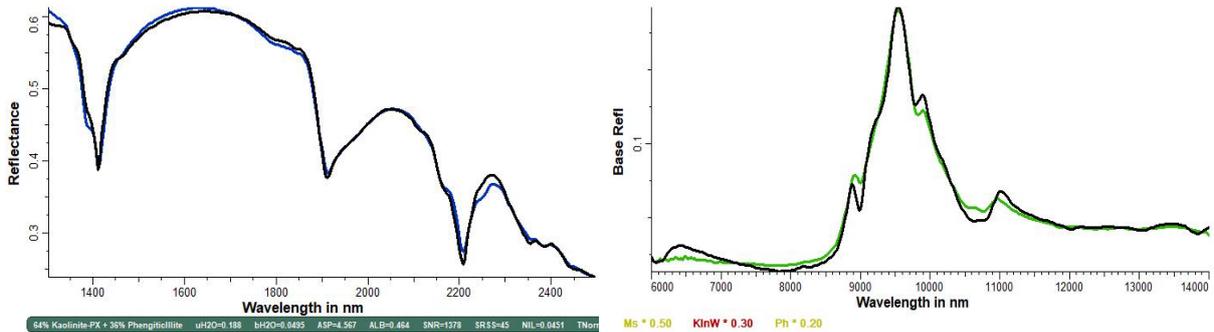
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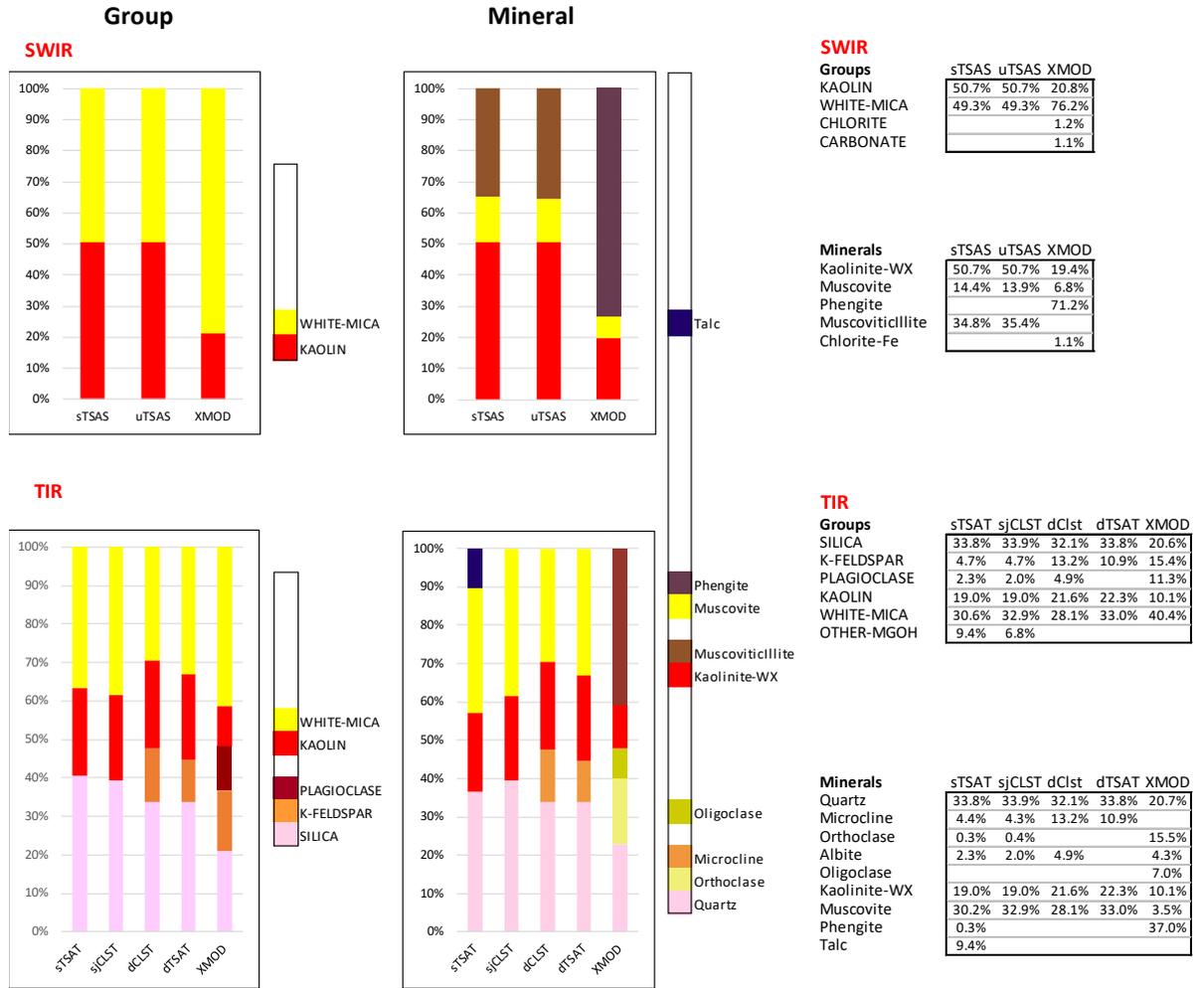
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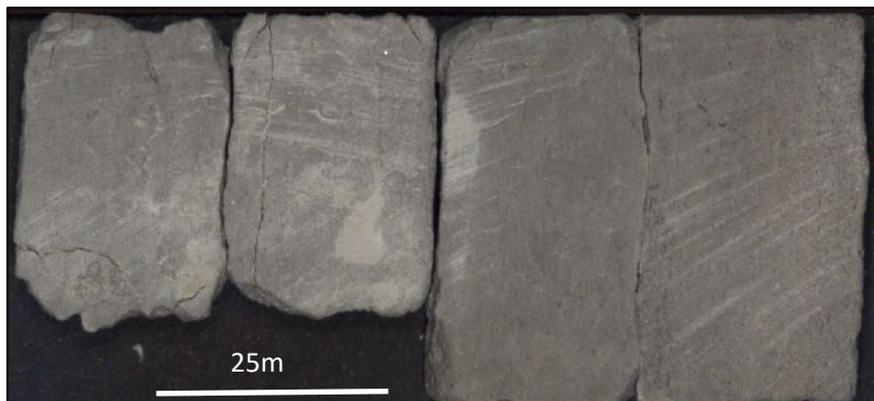
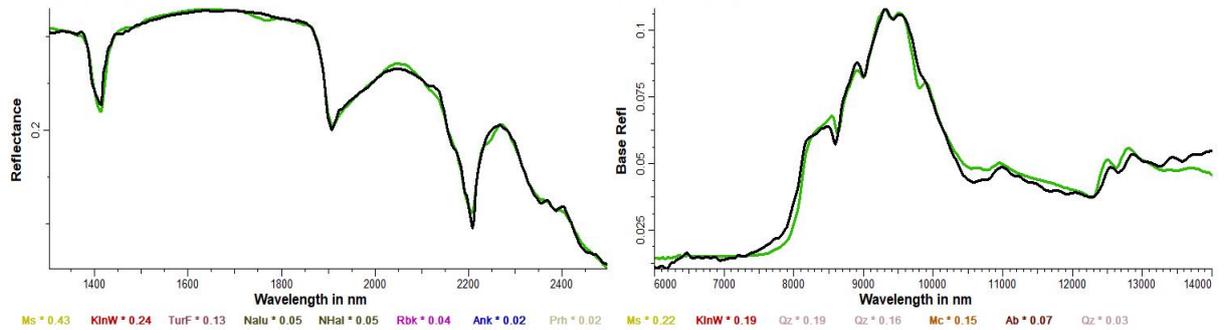
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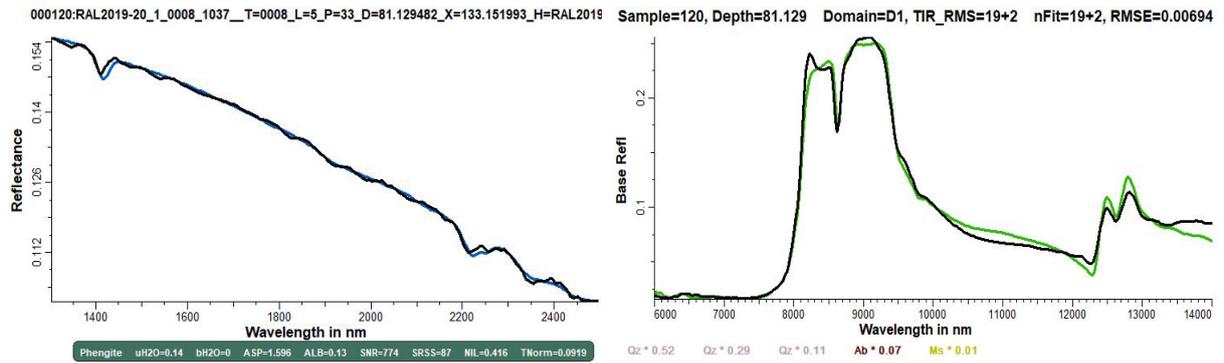
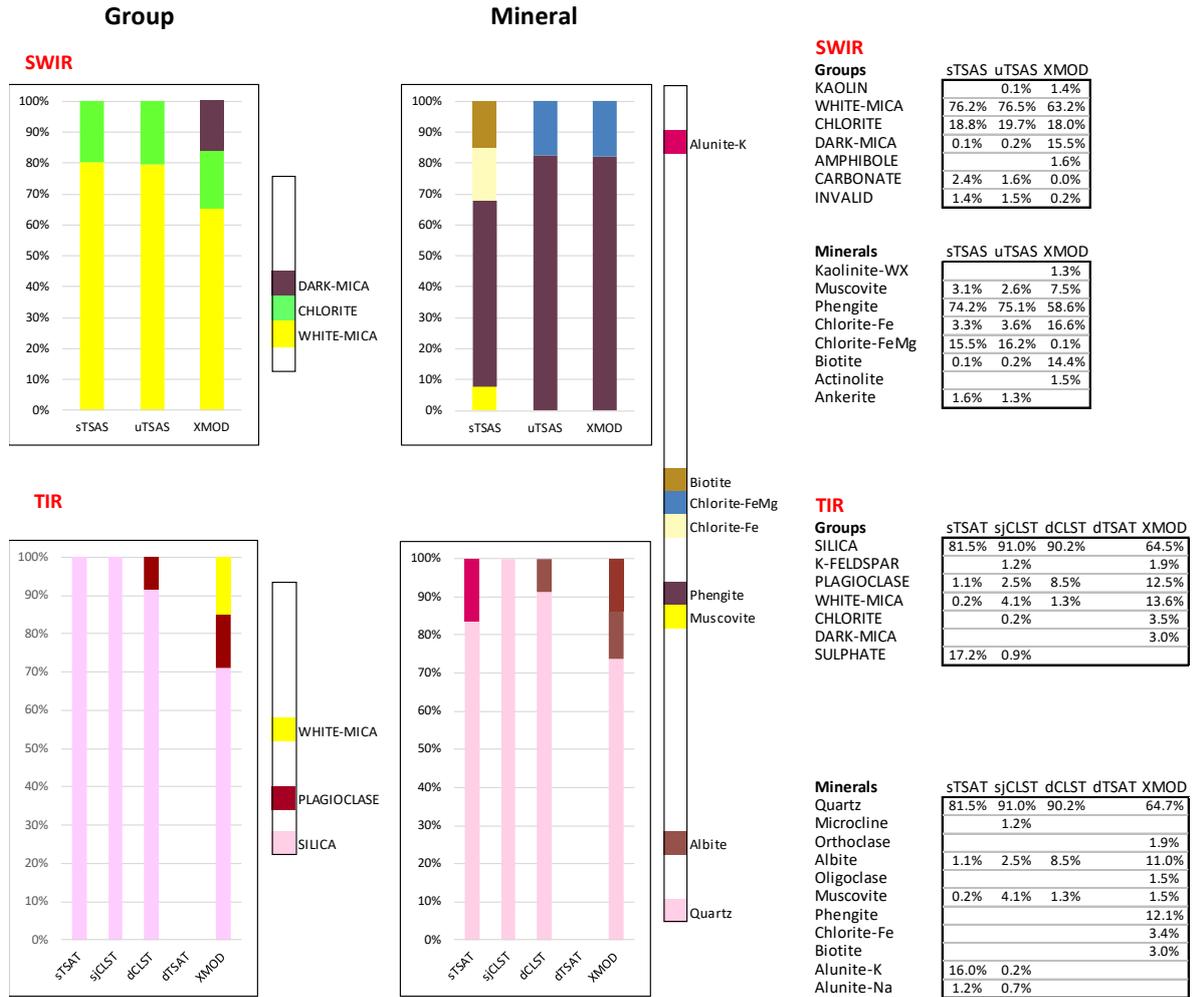
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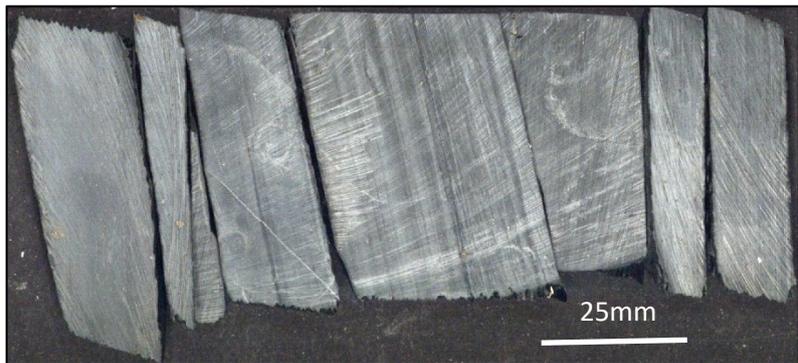
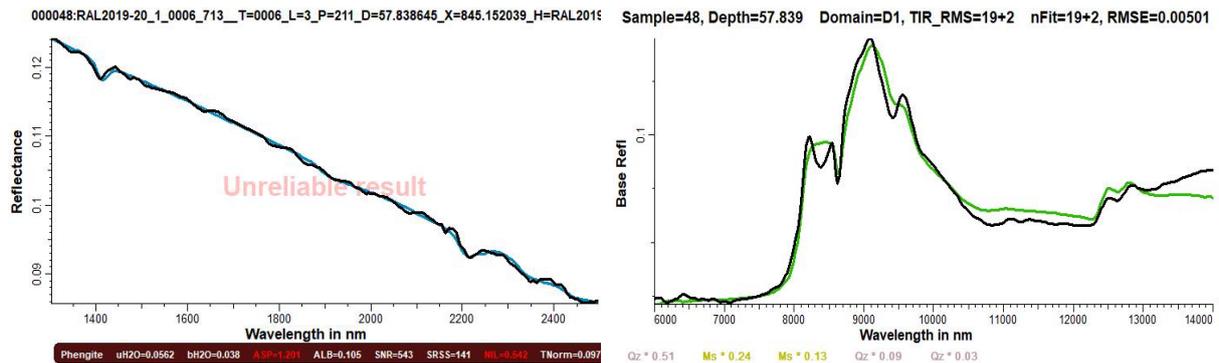
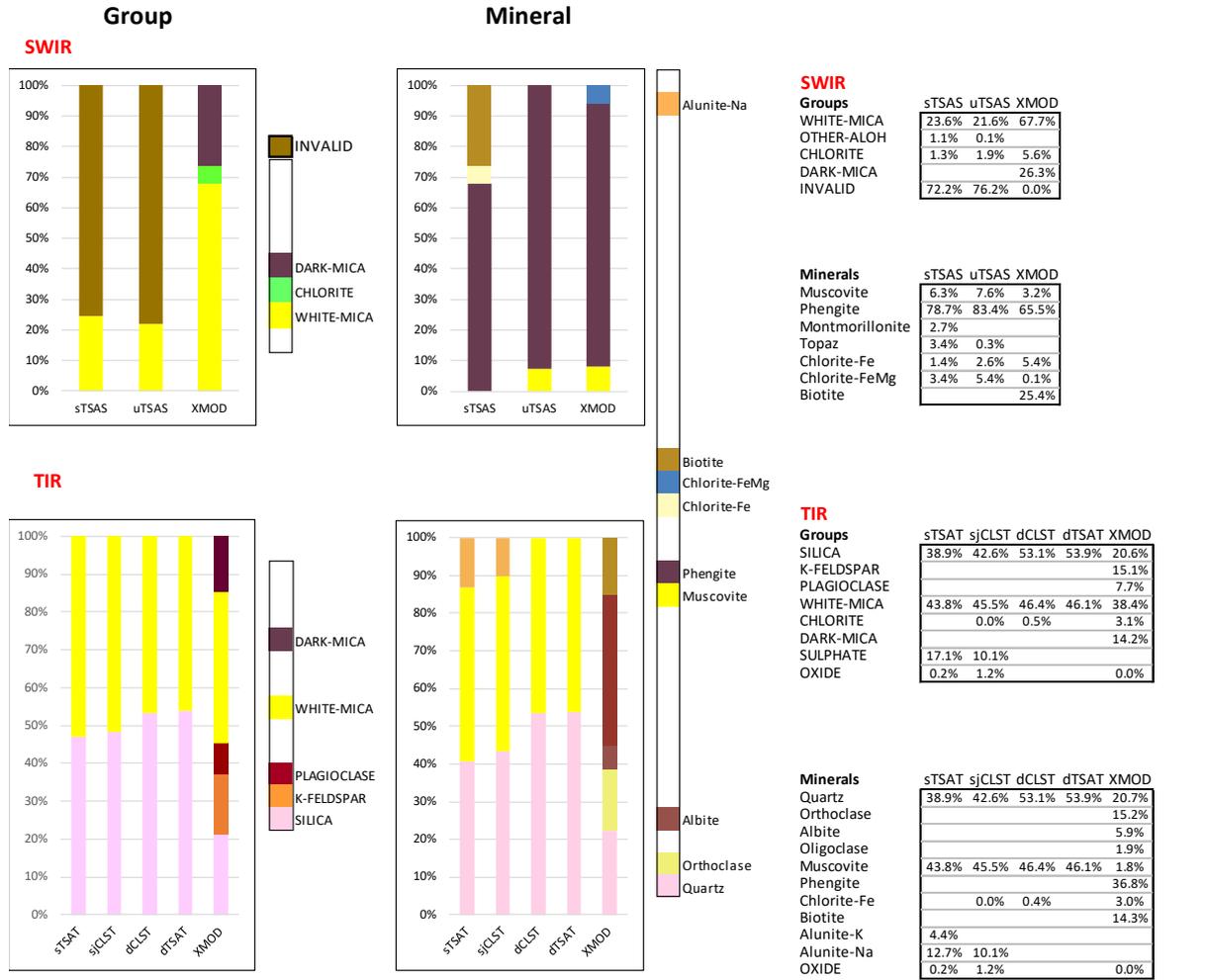
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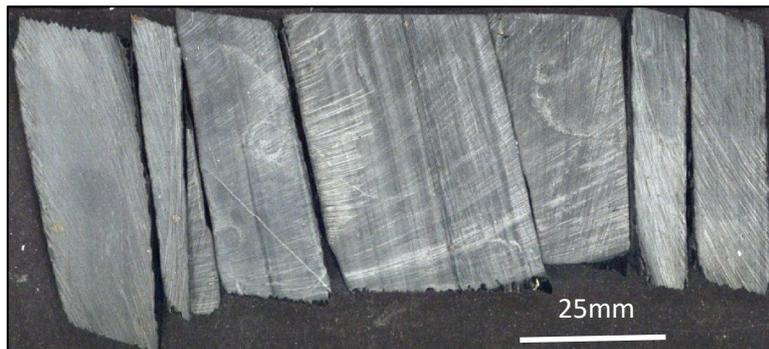
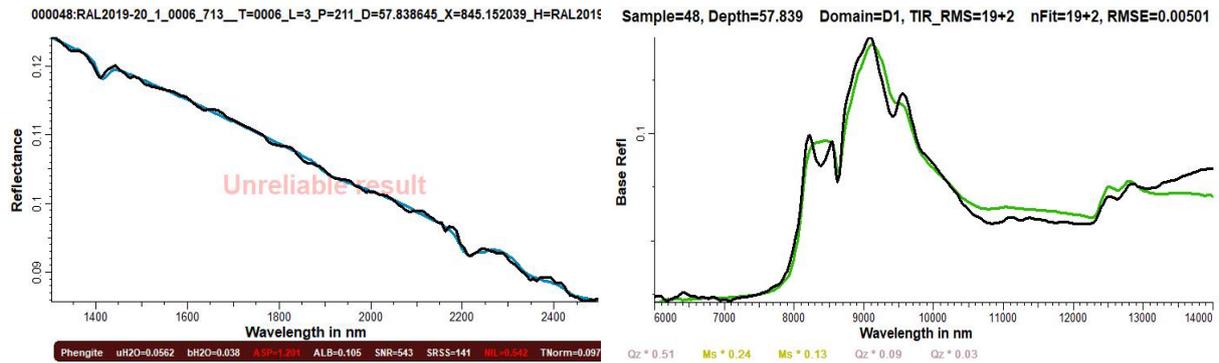
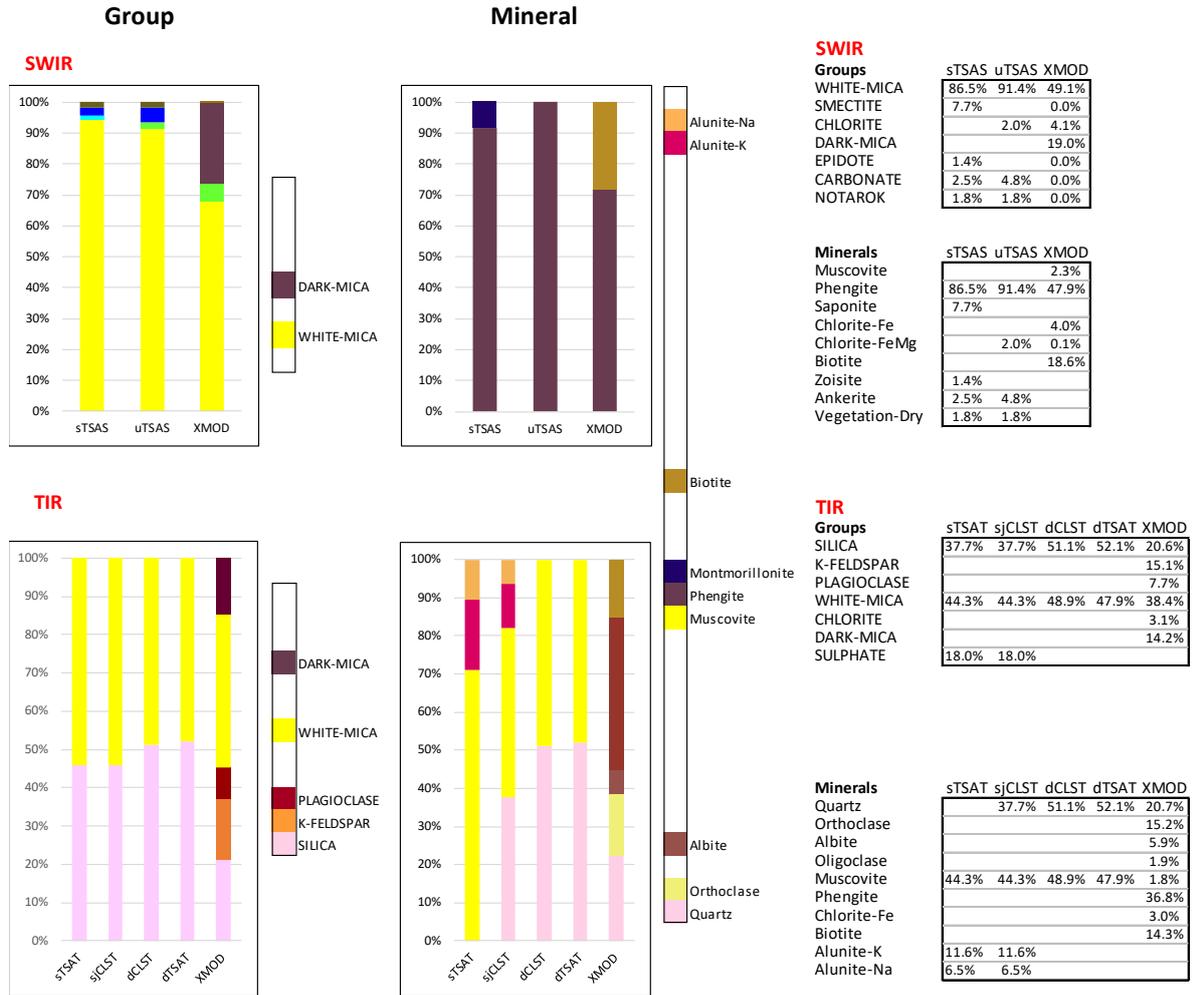
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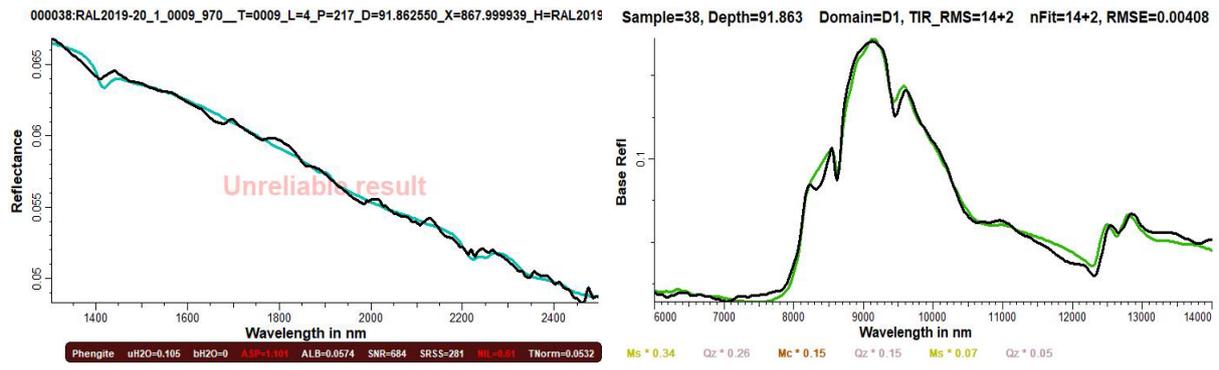
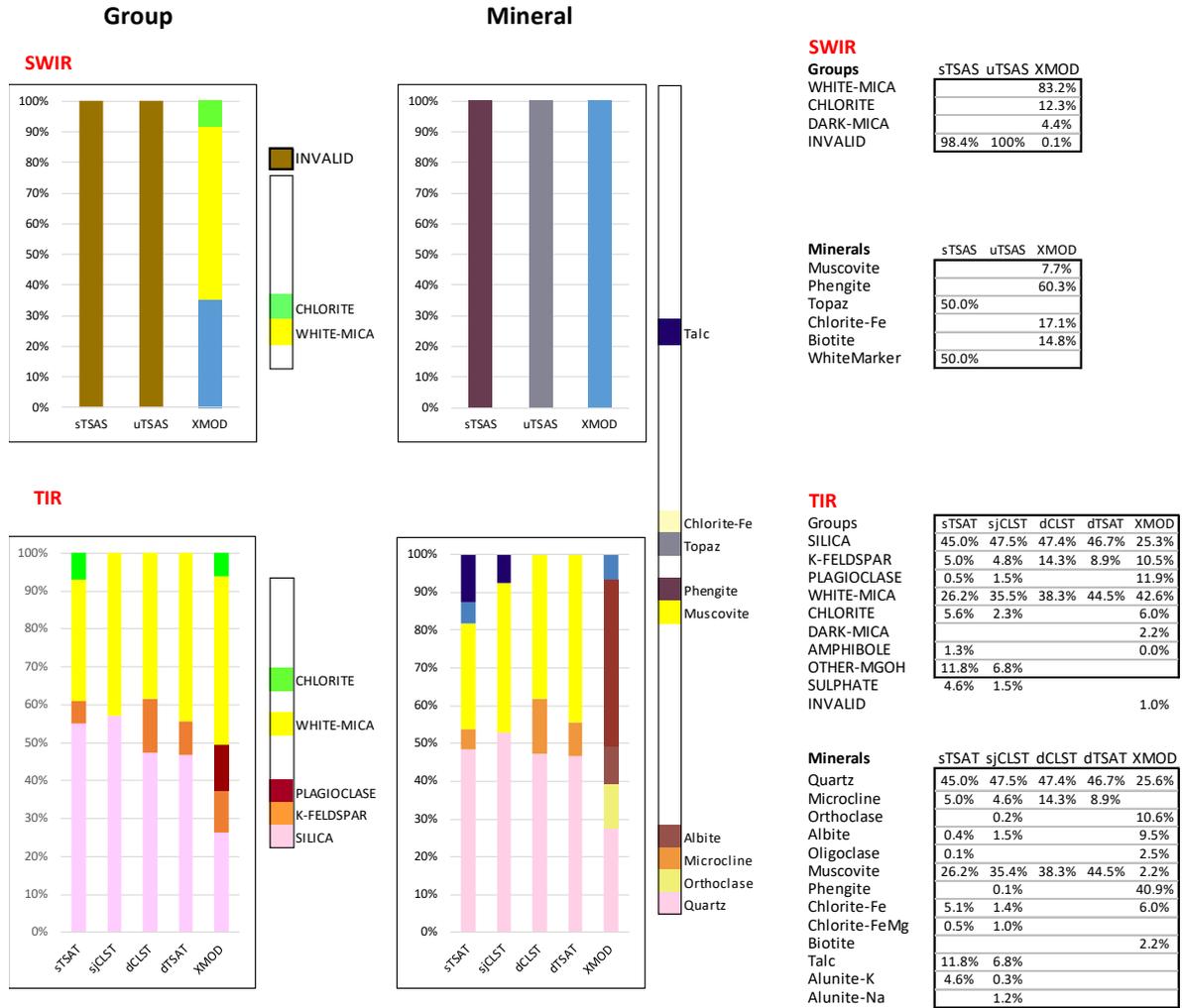
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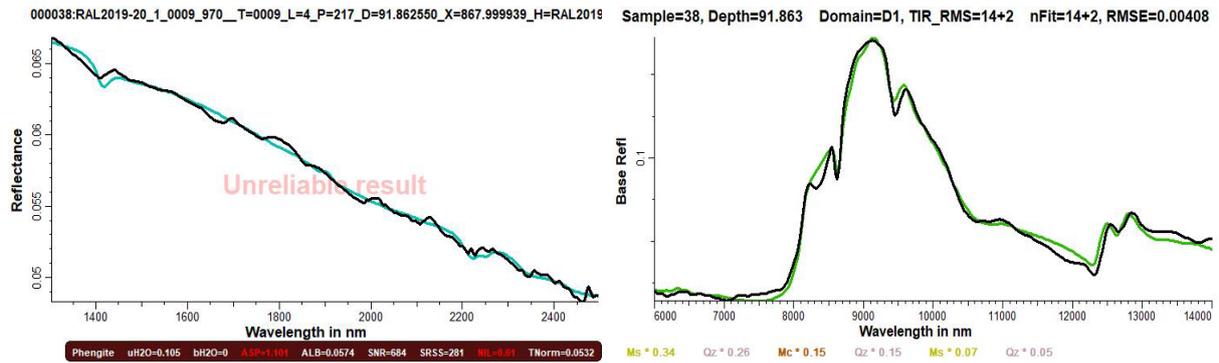
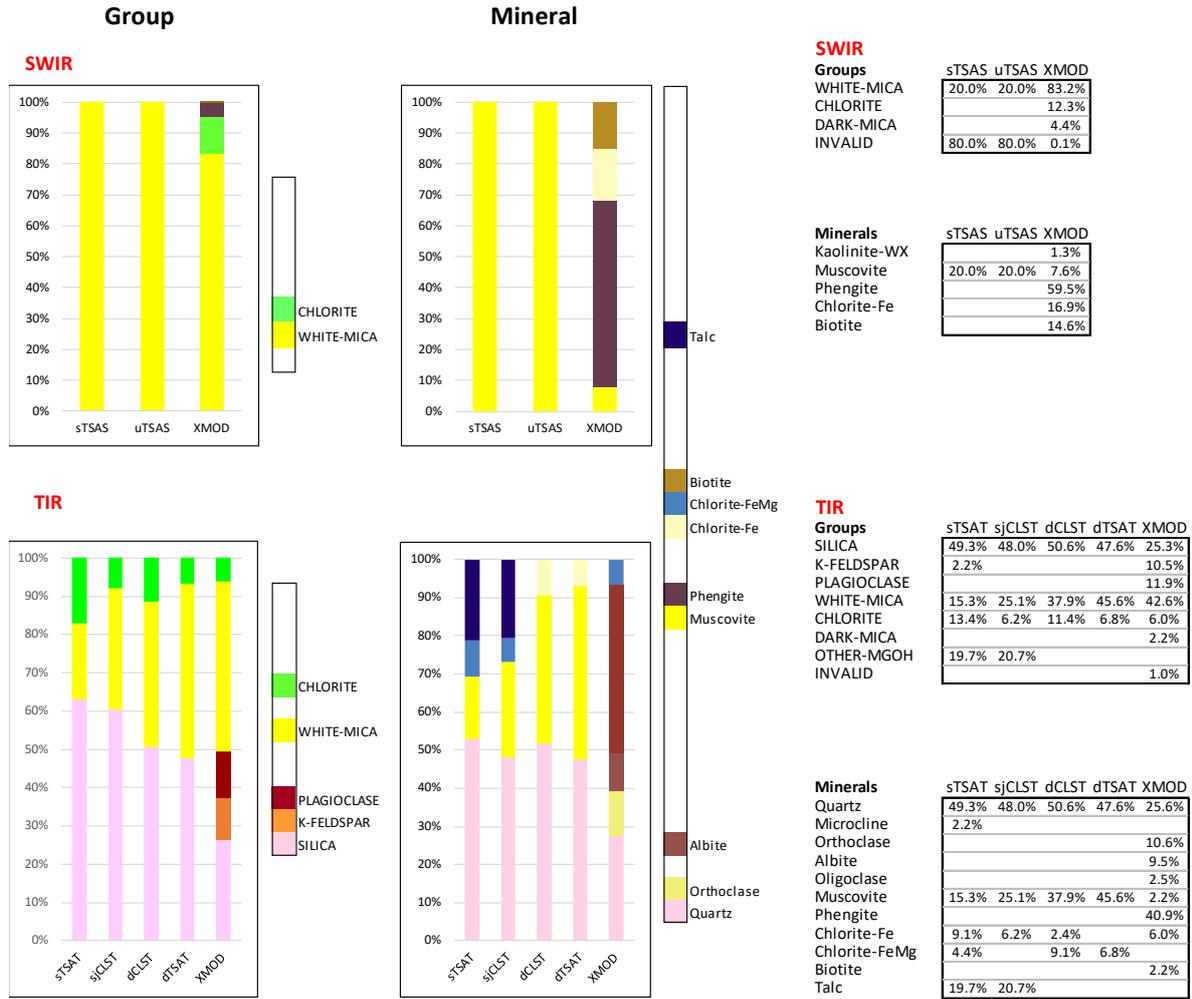
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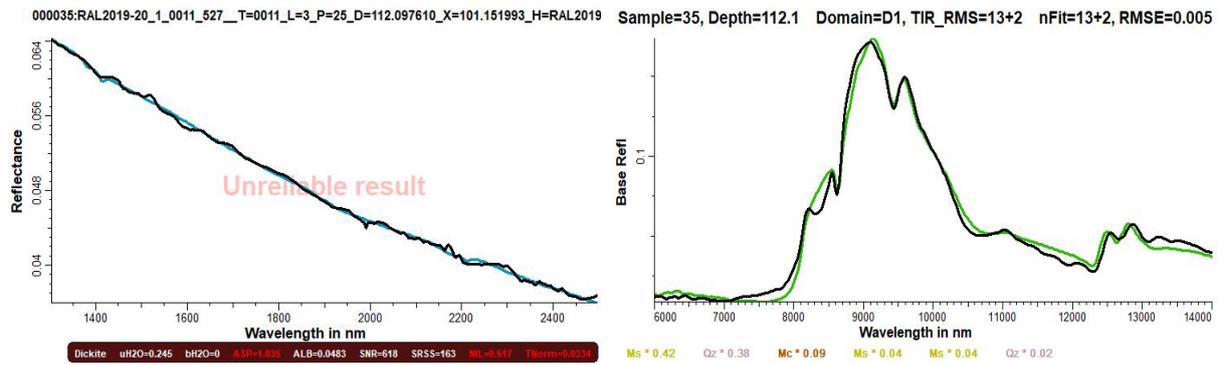
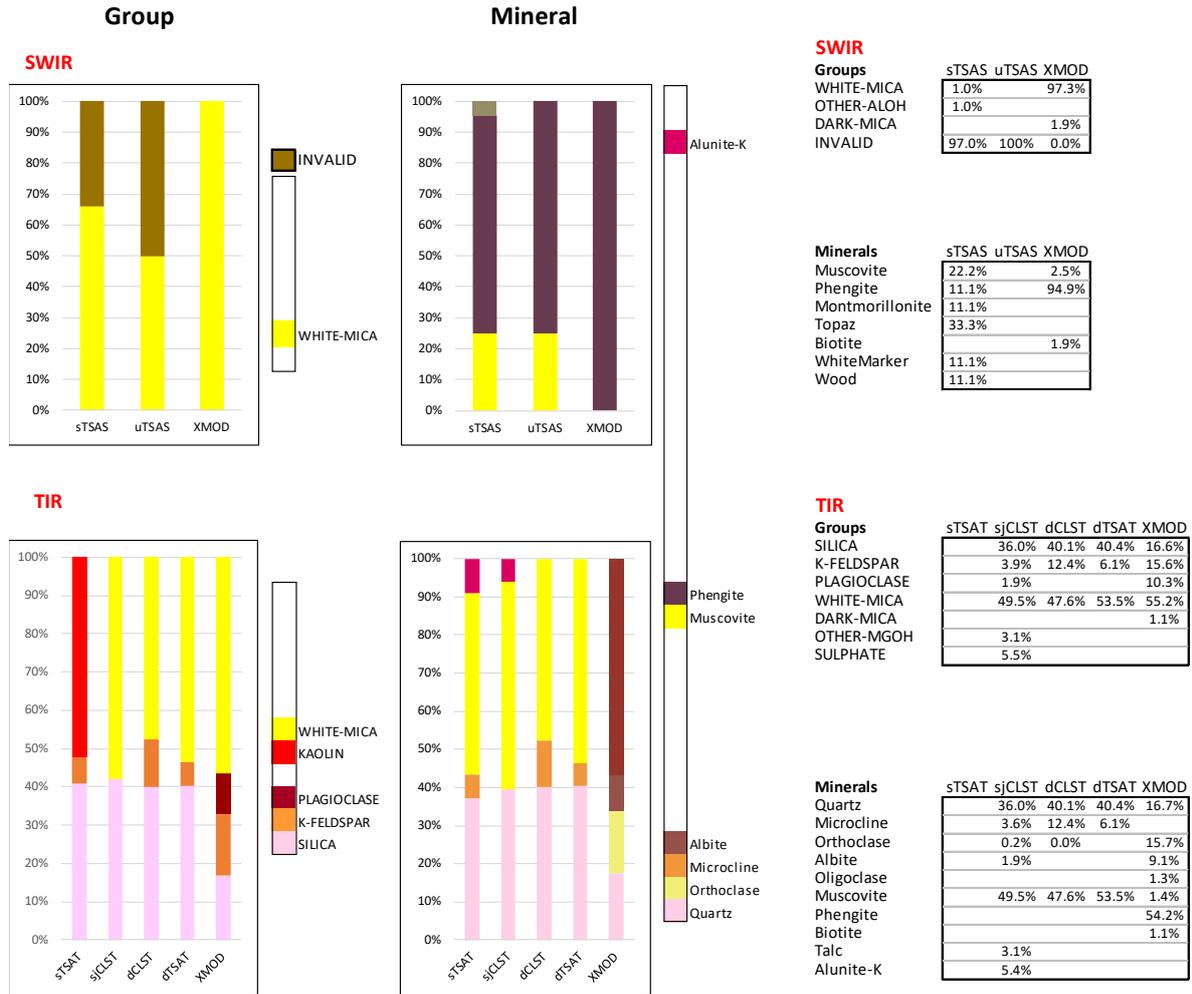
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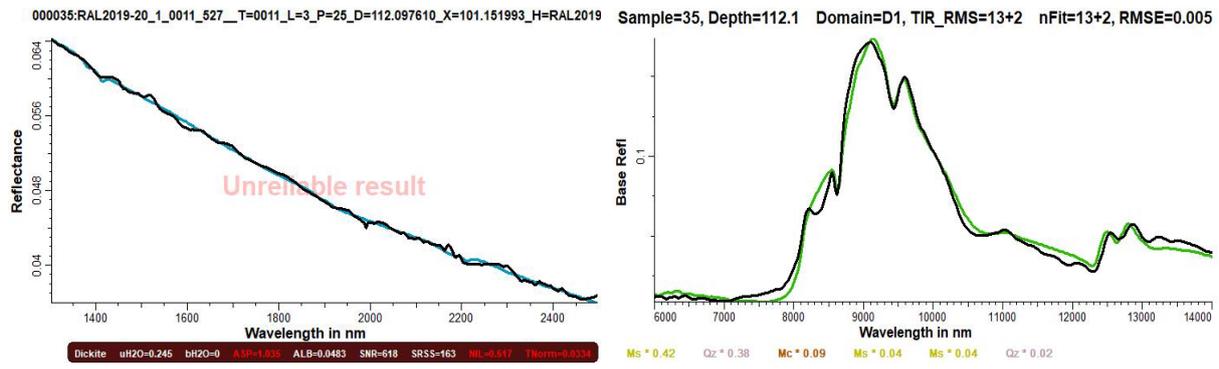
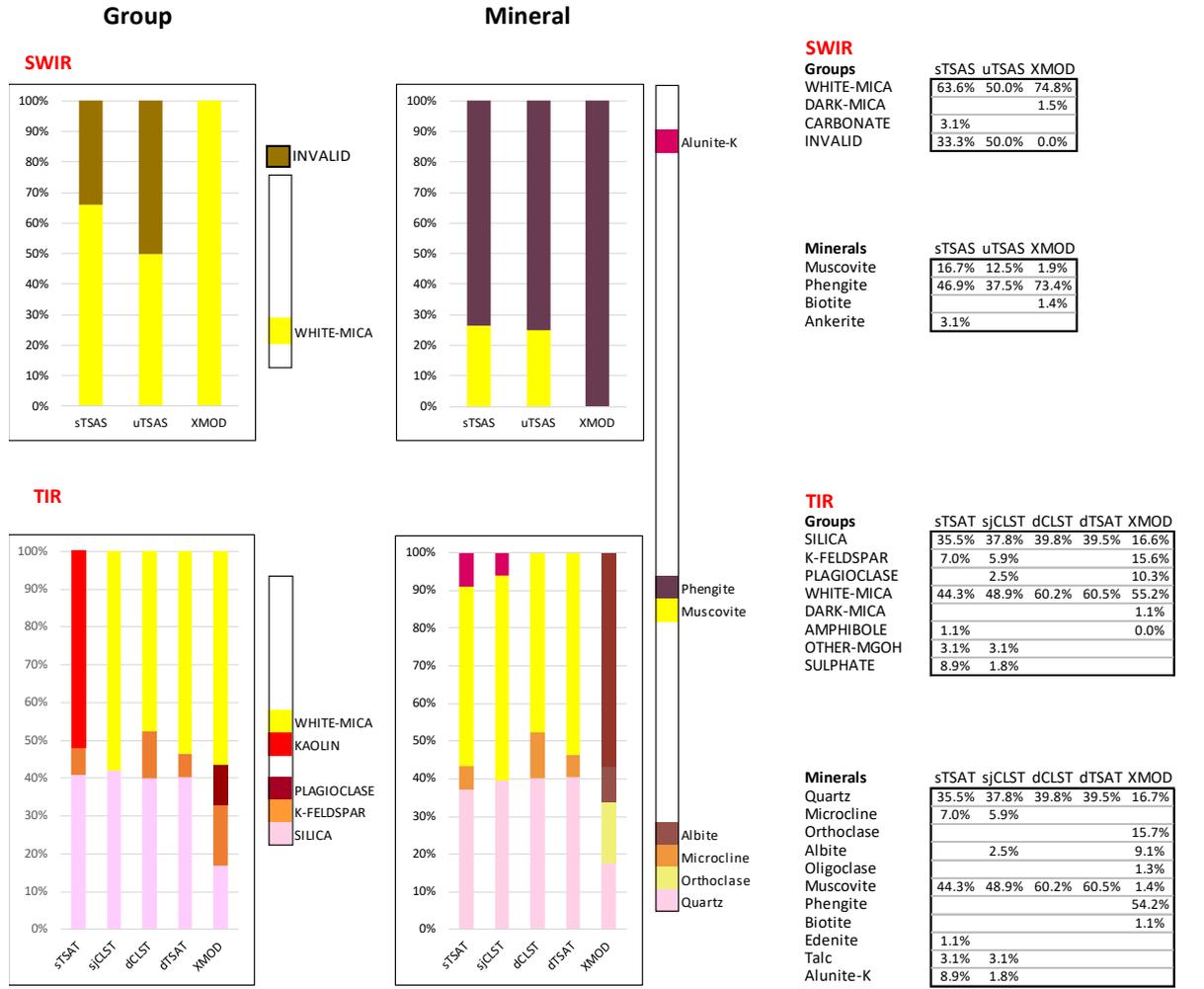
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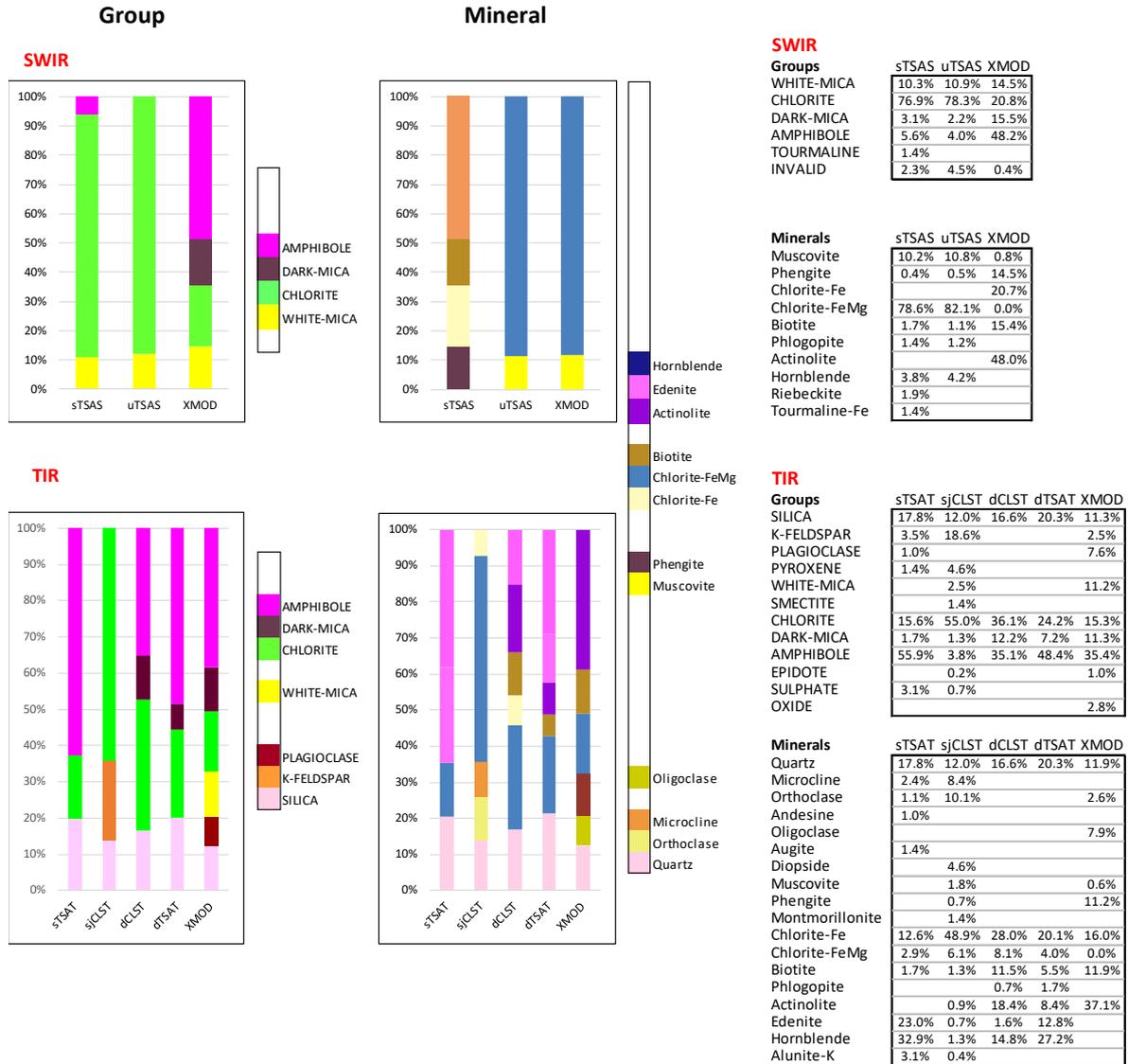
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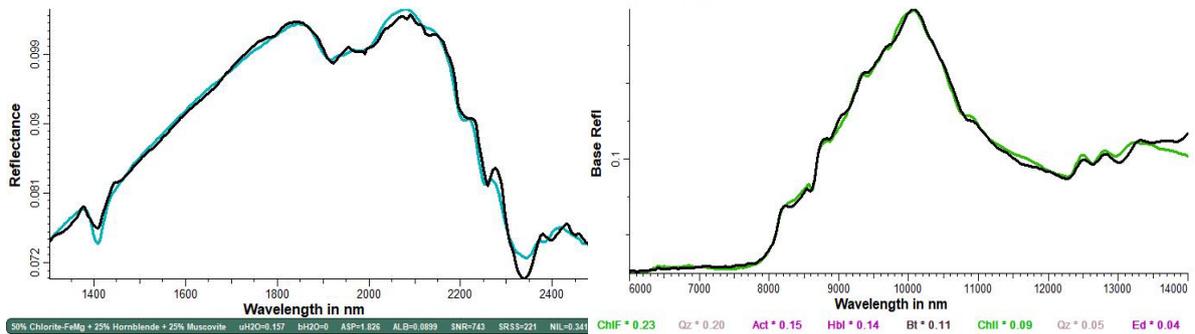
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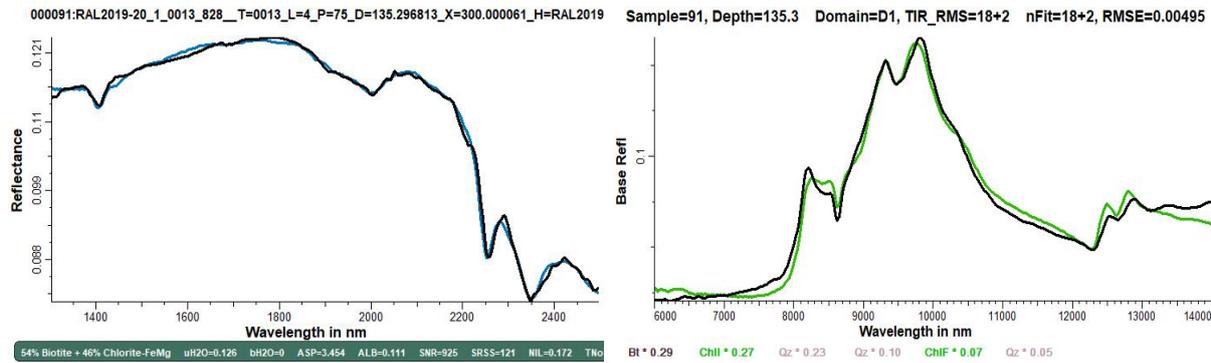
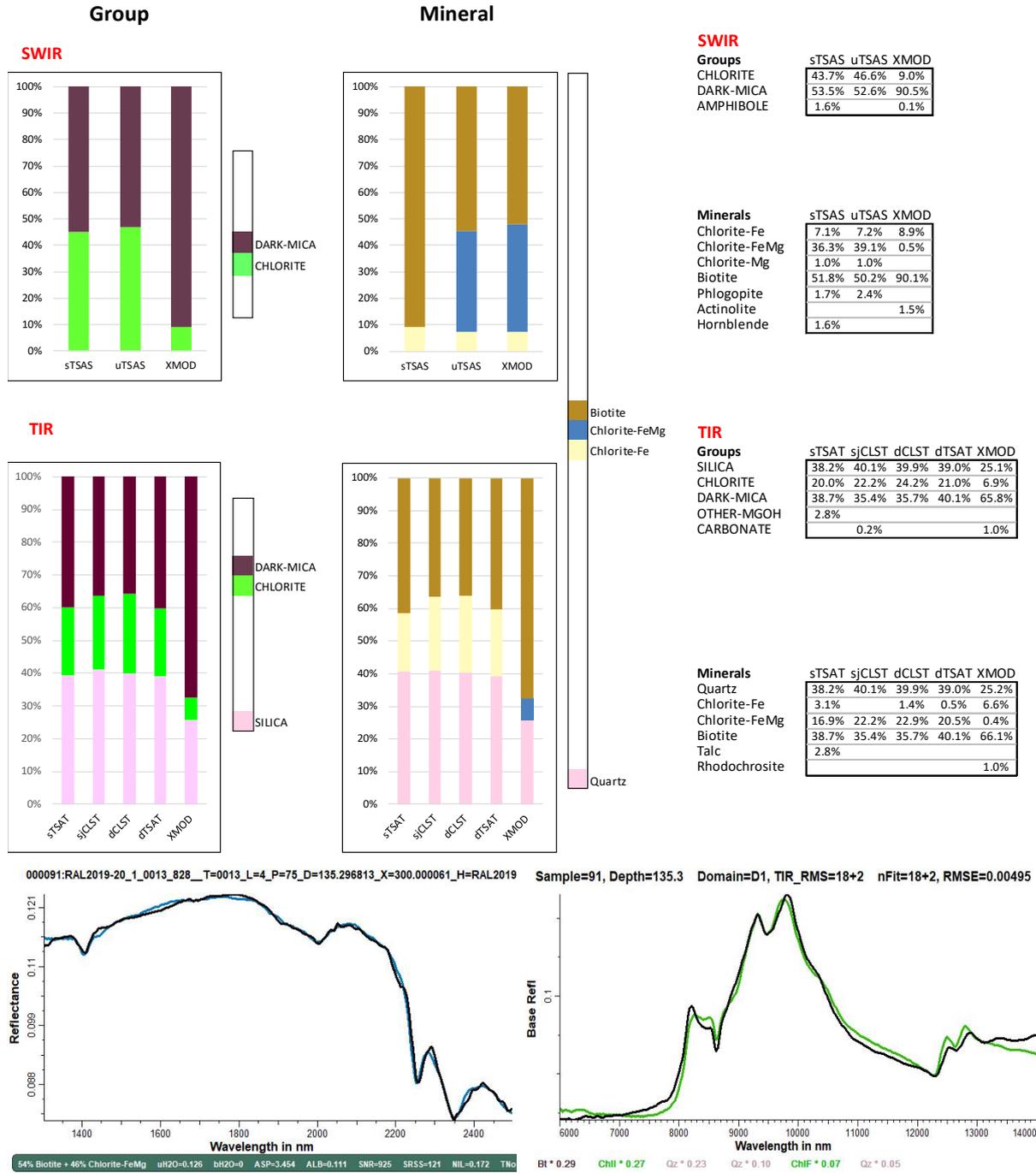
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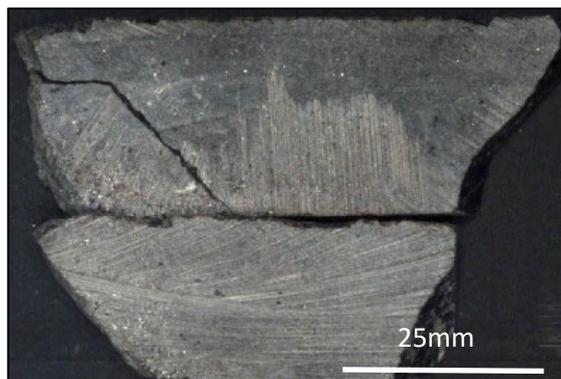
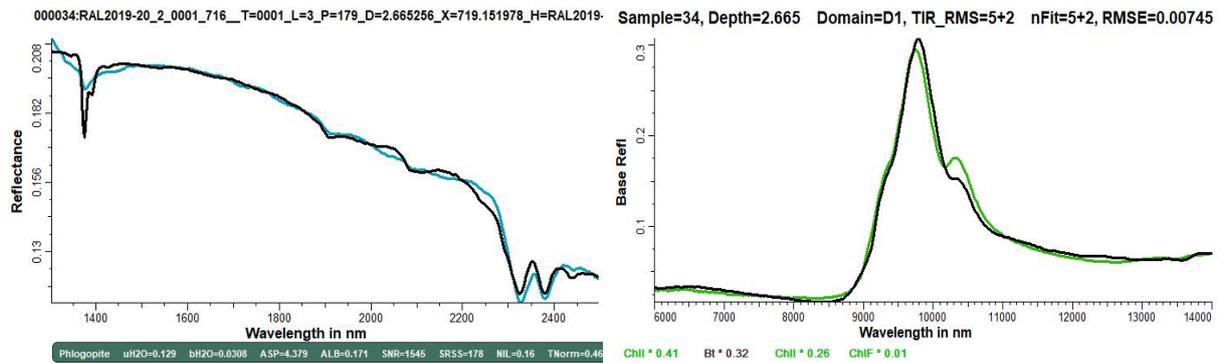
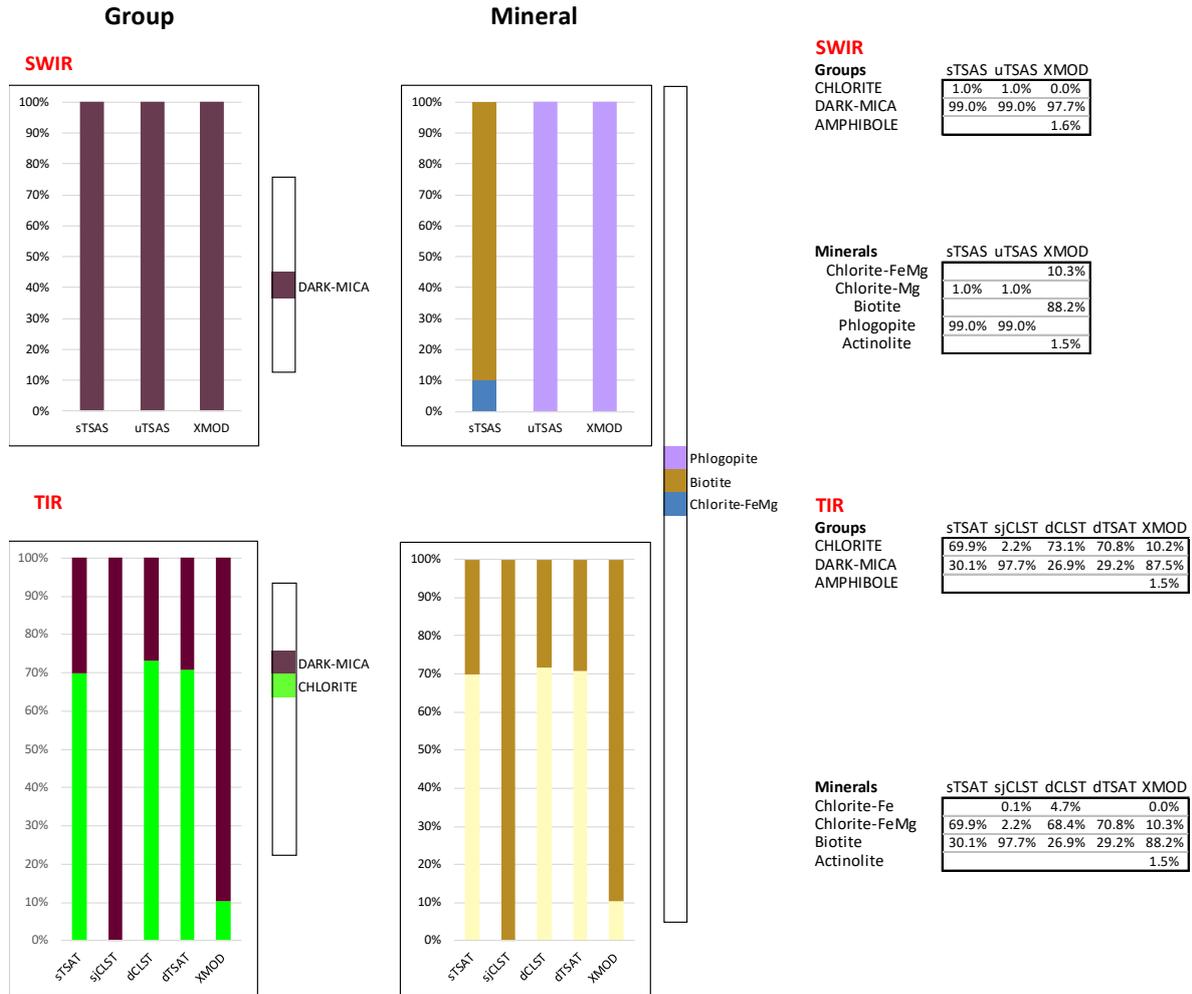
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G408268 Altered mafic volcanic



G408279 Micaceous ultramafic (in ultramafic cumulate)



4. Discussion

The proportion of MLA spots classified as unknown were less than 1% for 19 of the 21 samples, with the other 2 returning 2.2% and 1.3% (G408246 mudstone and G408243 K-feldspar-altered dacite) respectively. The 6 fine grained samples (mudstone, shale and carbonaceous shale) returned less than 0.15% unknowns. These excellent results are due to adequate grain size with respect to beam size and mineralogies well represented by the X-ray spectral libraries.

The accuracy of the HyLogger mineralogy using the 6 SWIR and TIR unmixing algorithms relative to that determined by MLA (XMOD) is best examined in terms of mineral identification, which is the primary goal of HyLogging. The HyLogging system is not necessarily designed to measure mineral proportions, partly because the HyLogger IR spectral library has been normalised so each mineral has a maximum reflectance of 1, jettisoning information on their relative reflectance. Nevertheless, the statistical power generated by the high level of over-sampling that the HyLogging system produces builds confidence in averaged mineral proportion estimates (e.g. a 200m drill hole typically returns 50,000 spectra from 4mm samples).

Sample interpretations

G408251, G408275, G408243, G408265, G408264 and G408260 from the pilot study are included in Appendix 4.

G408246 Mudstone

This sample contained a challenging mineral assemblage, with biotite and chlorite in the SWIR and plagioclase, white mica, chlorite (and biotite) all with major features at similar TIR wavelengths (9500-9800nm: the 'Triangle of death').

TSAS and CLST both correctly identified all of the main mineral groups present.

Carbonate was identified as calcite by dCLST, but dTSAT identified calcite and siderite, and sjCLST interpreted only siderite, while XMOD identified the

carbonate as calcite (although siderite was not included in the MLA library).

The proportion of carbonate over-estimated by all of the TIR algorithms, but was significantly under-estimated by TSAS. Quartz was over-estimated and plagioclase not identified in the TIR, and white mica and chlorite were also over-estimated with 31% biotite not identified.

G408248 Felsic volcanic

Both SWIR TSAS and TIR dCLST correctly identified the mineralogy. Relative proportions were also correct except that TIR CLS misclassified muscovite/phengite.

G408255 Felsic volcanic

The SWIR was aspectral, probably due to the fine-grained dark mineralogy and the TIR spectrum was characterised by the "Triangle of death". The TIR unmixing algorithms estimated relative proportions well, but missed the 25% biotite in the sample, with dCLST incorrectly preferring white mica.

G408276 Altered felsic volcanic

The SWIR unmixing algorithms correctly identified phengite but could not see the biotite comprising 15% of the sample. CLS correctly identified the 2 main minerals, with plagioclase identified by sTSAT and sjCLST not justified and left out of the RMS used by dCLST.

G408277 Granite

The SWIR system was unable to return spectra from the 13% mica and 22% amphibole in the sample. The TIR TSA and CLS algorithms correctly identified the mineralogy, but missed the amphibole, instead over-estimating dark mica. The plagioclase was incorrectly identified as labradorite instead of albite and oligoclase.

G408249 Altered felsic volcanic

SWIR TSAS, TIR sTSAT, sjTSAT and dCLST all detected the dominant white mica and minor kaolinite, but all over-estimating the latter. The white mica was spectrally interpreted as muscovite but MLA identified it as phengite.

G408250 Claystone

SWIR TSAS correctly identified white mica (muscovite) and kaolinite. In the TIR, dCLST added quartz and K-feldspar, but did not detect the 11% plagioclase. Plagioclase was a very minor mineral detected by sjCLST.

G408254 Micaceous sandstone

The white mica and chlorite dominating the mineralogy were identified correctly by SWIR TSA but the 15% (proportion of SWIR-active minerals) biotite was missed. In the TIR, 12% plagioclase identified by MLA was barely detected using dCLS and 14% white mica was missed using dCLS – the situation was reversed by sjCLST.

G408253 Crypto-micaceous shale

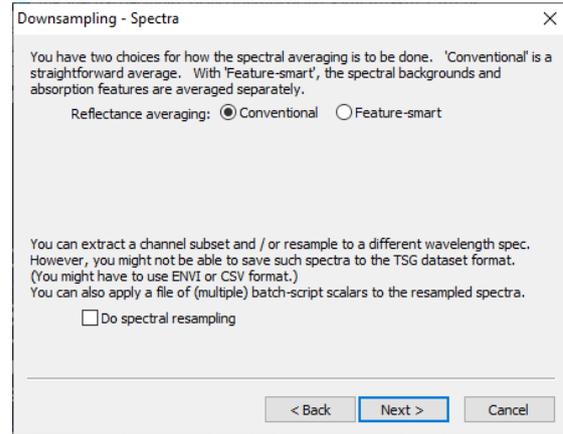
The SWIR spectrum was largely aspectral, but minor phengite and chlorite were detected. 26% biotite was missed. In the TIR, dCLST was closest to MLA, detecting quartz and white mica (ascribed to muscovite rather than the phengite identified by MLA), but missed 15% K-feldspar and 14% biotite.

G408253av Crypto-micaceous shale

(averaged to 21 spectra per bin)

When the spectra were averaged with a 21 bin (84mm) average, absorption features were not visibly enhanced but there were no aspectral results and all spectra could be unmixed by TSAS. The unmixing results were not an improvement on the un-averaged result, with biotite still not detected. The unmixing results from the averaged TIR spectra were unchanged from the original result.

Averaging was accomplished using the down sampling tool in TSG:



G408261 Carbonaceous shale

This grey, fine-grained sample was aspectral in the SWIR, missing absorption features for the 42% white mica and 6% chlorite in the sample. The TIR spectra contained features that were correctly unmixed to white mica, quartz and K-feldspar. Although 11% K-feldspar was detected, 12% plagioclase was not.

G408261av Carbonaceous shale

(averaged to 21 spectra per bin)

When the spectra were averaged, 20% of the spectra could be unmixed by TSAS, correctly returning white mica. Minor chlorite was not detected.

The TIR spectra appeared unchanged and the CLST results were similar to the un-averaged original, although minor chlorite was correctly added and minor K-feldspar incorrectly not detected.

G408262 Carbonaceous shale

This grey, fine-grained sample was aspectral in the SWIR, not seeing 55% white mica in the sample. The TIR spectra correctly unmixed to white mica, quartz and K-feldspar. 10% plagioclase was not detected.

G408262av Carbonaceous shale

(averaged to 21 spectra per bin)

When the spectra were averaged, 30% of the spectra could be unmixed by TSAS, correctly returning phengite.

In the TIR, the CLST results were similar to the un-averaged original, although the minor K-feldspar interpreted in the un-averaged spectra could not be justified in the RMS.

G408266 Altered mafic volcanic

The amphibole-chlorite-biotite-white mica assemblage was identified in the SWIR by TSAS. The proportion of amphibole was significantly under-estimated.

In the TIR, quartz was correctly added to the assemblage, but white mica was not detected by sTSA or sjCLST and not justified to add to the RMS for dCLST. Mineral proportions were approximately correct (once the absence of muscovite is accounted for).

G408268 Altered mafic volcanic

This biotite-rich sample was unmixed by TSAS to ~50:50 biotite:chlorite. The TIR unmixing algorithms correctly added significant quartz but also used far too much chlorite.

G408279 Micaceous ultramafic

This biotite-rich sample was correctly unmixed by TSAS to near 100% dark mica, but did specify phlogopite rather than biotite. The TIR unmixing algorithms correctly added 70% chlorite to the mix.

Summary

A graphical summary of the success of dCLST and uTSAS in identifying the mineralogy is presented in tables 5 and 6. For the purposes of the SWIR analysis the invalid SWIR group category was ignored and XMOD mineral proportions recalculated to include only SWIR active minerals.

Accurate identification was defined as dCLST or uTSAS and XMOD measuring proportions of a mineral within a factor of 2 and less accurate identification was indicated by dCLST/XMOD or uTSAS/XMOD outside these bounds. These are indicated in tables 5 and 6 with green, yellow and blue backgrounds.

Errors of commission were defined as dCLST or uTSAS returning more than 5 weight % (i.e. spectral weight, which is approximately areal proportion, at least for TIR spectra) and XMOD measuring less than 5% (areal proportion). Errors of omission were defined as dCLST or uTSAS returning less than 5% and XMOD measuring more than 5%.

Two levels of commission or omission are indicated in tables 5 and 6:

- Significant error with a 15% threshold corresponding to the practical detection limit of TSA for individual spectra, indicated by the default settings in TSA, and displayed with the more highlighted symbology (with white font).
- Less significant error with a threshold of 5%, corresponding to the default minimum for the TSG summary screen, appropriate for collections of spectra.

The TIR system paired with the dCLST unmixing algorithm consistently identified mineral groups correctly, with a success rate of 92% with a 15% detection limit and 74% with a 5% detection limit. Failures include omitting significant (i.e. 15% or more) dark mica in 2 samples and significant K-feldspar and plagioclase in 1 sample each. Less significant failures (i.e. missing mineral groups comprising less than a 15% proportion) occurred for K-feldspar, plagioclase, white mica and dark mica. Significant errors of commission occurred for kaolin and dark mica in 1 sample each. Less significant errors of commission occurred for 1 sample each of chlorite and amphibole.

Small proportions of quartz, chlorite and carbonate were consistently identified, but similar proportions of plagioclase, white mica, epidote and dark mica were not.

At the mineral species level, phengite was commonly misidentified as muscovite, chlorite-Fe as chlorite-FeMg and oligoclase not separated from albite.

At the mineral level phengite was incorrectly identified as muscovite in 8 of 9 significantly white mica bearing samples. Similarly, chlorite-Fe was incorrectly identified as chlorite-FeMg. Significant proportions of oligoclase were not identified in 1 sample and under-estimated in another. Single sample inconsistencies occurred for oligoclase incorrectly identified as labradorite, and muscovite as kaolinite. The XMOD library did not allow testing of biotite versus phlogopite, actinolite versus hornblende, calcite versus siderite or orthoclase versus microcline.

The SWIR system paired with the uTSAS unmixing algorithm was less consistent in identifying mineral groups correctly, with a success rate of 65% with a 15% detection limit and 52% with a 5% detection limit. However, the detection limits relate to proportions of SWIR-active minerals only and 93% of the significant errors occur in samples in which there is less than 10% of the SWIR-active minerals.

Significant failures include omitting dark mica in 7 samples, white mica in 4 samples,

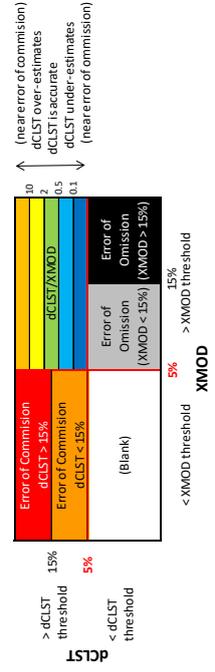
amphibole in 2 samples and carbonate in 1 sample. Less significant omissions include muscovite in 2 samples and chlorite in 3 samples. Significant errors of commission occurred for chlorite in 2 samples and white mica in 1 sample. A less significant error occurred for white mica in 1 sample.

At the mineral level muscovite and phengite were commonly mis-identified, as were chlorite-Fe and chlorite-FeMg. Limitations of the XMOD library did not allow testing of biotite versus phlogopite, actinolite versus hornblende, kaolinite-wx versus kaolinite-px or calcite versus siderite.

A similar presentation that includes data from previous reports in this research program is included in appendix 5 (i.e. Green and Reid 2021, Moltzen and Bottrill 2018 and Moltzen et al 2020).

[Tables 5, 6 \(over page\). Summaries illustrating the success or failure of mineral identification by dCLST and uTSAS.](#)

TIR GROUPS	Quartz	Microcline/Orthoclase/Albite	Oligoclase	Labradorite	Spessartine	Kaolinite-WX-PX	Muscovite	Phengite	Chlorite-Fe		Chlorite-Fe/Mg		Biotite/Phlogopite	Actinolite/Hornblende/Calcite/Siderite	CARBONATE
									dCLST/XMMD	dCLST/XMMD	dCLST/XMMD	dCLST/XMMD			
G408251	1.8	35% 19%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
G408275	2.0	45% 23%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
G408243	1.4	19% 13%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
G408265	1.5	40% 26%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
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G408260	1.5	34% 22%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
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G408261	Carbonaceous shale	47% 25%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
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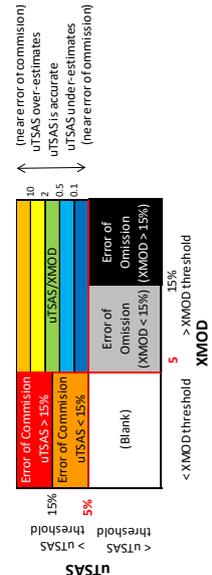


SWIR GROUPS

SWIR GROUPS	KAOLIN		WHITE-MICA		CHLORITE		DARK-MICA		AMPHIBOLE		CARBONATE	
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SWIR Minerals

SWIR Minerals	Muscovite/Muscovitic		Phengite/Phengitic		Illite		Chlorite-Fe	
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G408246	Omission	0%	2.3	48%	1%	5%	Commission	45%
G408248	Omission	6%	1.2	97%	0%	3%	Commission	51%
G408255	Omission	4%	Omission	0%	0%	2%	Omission	1%
G408276	2.3	22%	1.1	74%	0%	8%	Omission	0%
G408277	Omission	1%	Omission	0%	3%	3%	Omission	14%
G408249	Omission	15%	0.6	52%	0%	0%	Omission	0%
G408250	7.3	49%	Omission	0%	0%	1%	Omission	0%
G408254	Omission	3%	1.3	75%	4%	17%	Commission	16%
G408253	Commission	3%	1.3	83%	3%	5%	Commission	5%
G408261	Omission	7%	Omission	0%	17%	17%	Omission	0%
G408262	Omission	2%	Omission	0%	1%	1%	Omission	0%
G408266	Commission	11%	Omission	1%	0%	21%	Commission	82%
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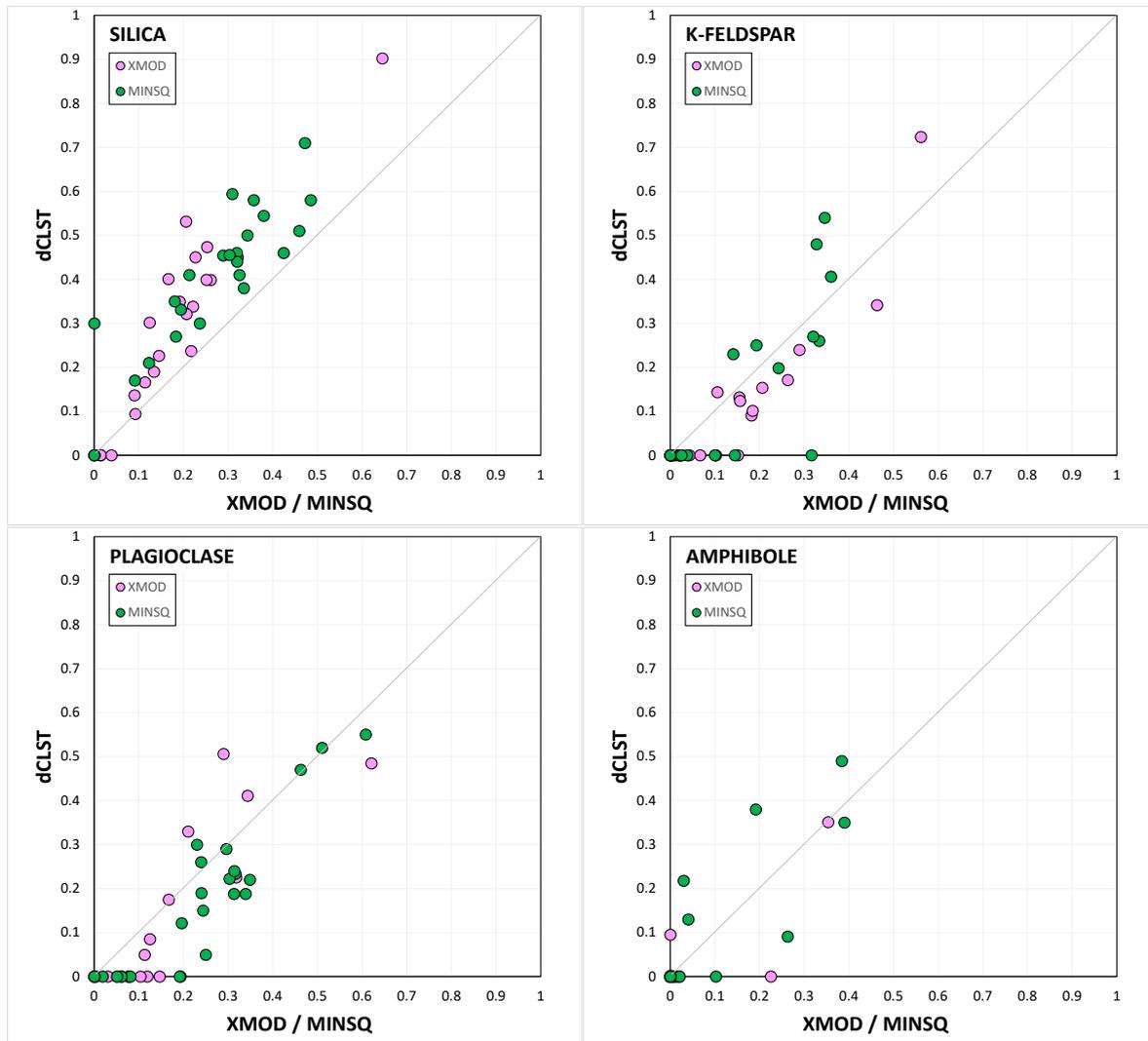


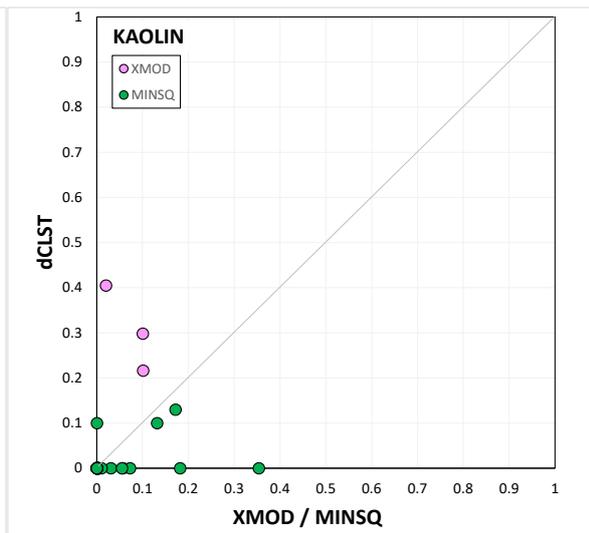
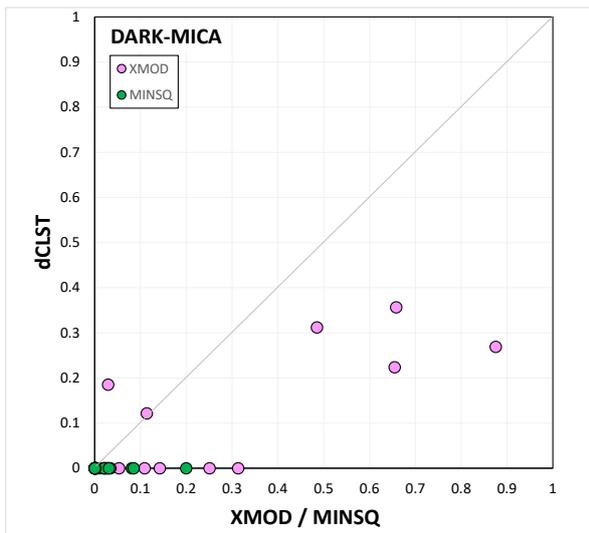
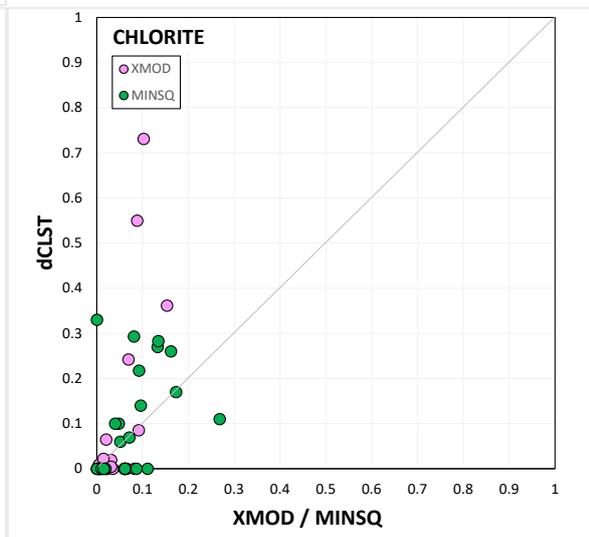
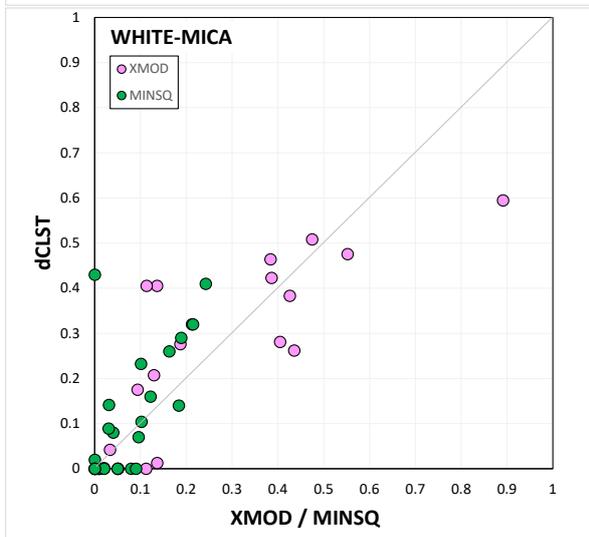
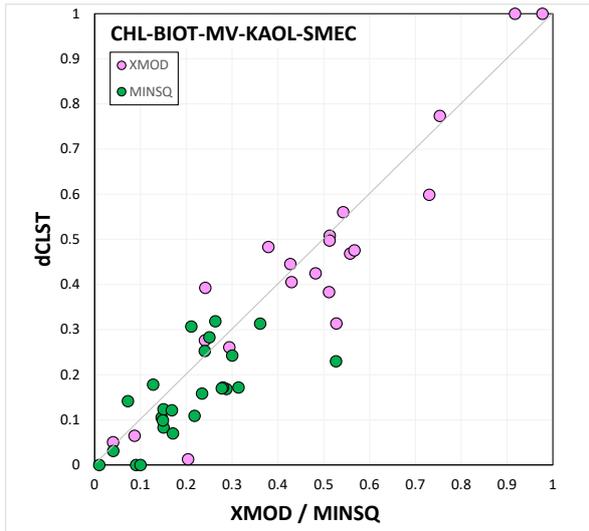
Mineral proportions

Mineral proportions from the TIR unmixing algorithm dCLST are compared with MLA in figure 5. There is a linear relationship between the measured XMOD mineral proportions and the results of dCLST for silica, K-feldspar,

plagioclase, amphibole and white mica. This is not the case for chlorite, dark mica and kaolin. However, when the minerals with a single major TIR feature ('Triangle of death') i.e. white mica, chlorite, dark mica, kaolin and smectite are added together, a linear relationship is indicated.

Figure 5 (below). Summary plots for each mineral group comparing mineral proportion estimates from TIR HyLogging (dCLST) with MLA (in pink) or MINSQ (in green).





Estimates of the linear relationships are provided in table 6. Minerals that are significantly over-estimated by dCLST are chlorite and silica, and dark mica is significantly

under-estimated. K-feldspar, plagioclase, white mica, amphibole and white mica + chlorite + dark mica + kaolin ('Triangle of death' minerals) were better estimated.

Table 6. Linear regression statistics for dCLST modelling mineral proportions measured by XMOD or MINSQ.

	Slope	N	R ²	Uncertainty in slope	F statistic
SILICA	1.45	31	0.96	3.6%	791
K-FELDSPAR	1.06	12	0.92	8.6%	135
PLAGIOCLASE	0.91	19	0.93	6.5%	235
WHITE-MICA	0.90	14	0.90	9.0%	124
CHLORITE	1.60	3	0.89	24.8%	16
DARK-MICA	0.41	4	0.91	17.9%	31
AMPHIBOLE	1.13	4	0.94	15.1%	44
CHL-BIOT-MV-KAOL-SMEC	0.93	30	0.96	4.0%	626

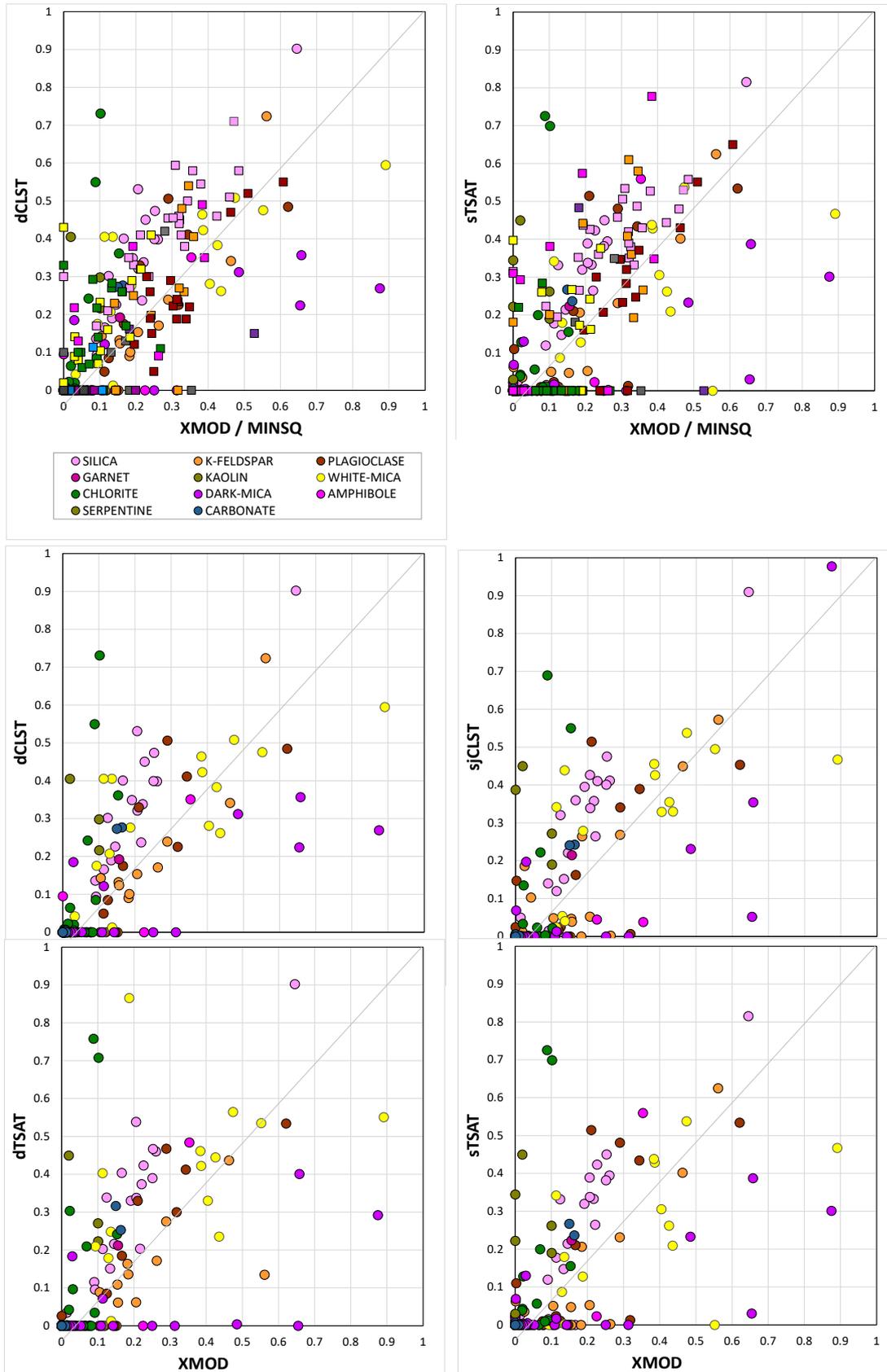
Mineral proportions from the 4 HyLogging TIR unmixing algorithms are compared with MLA and also compared with each other in figure 6. Data from previous reports in this research program are included (i.e. Green and Reid 2021, Moltzen and Bottrill 2018 and Moltzen et al 2020).

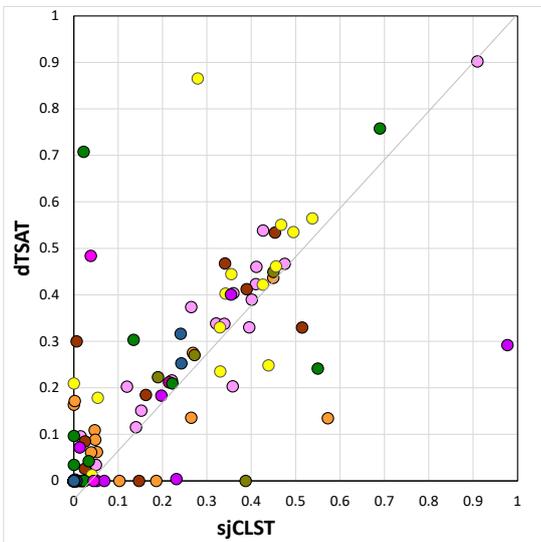
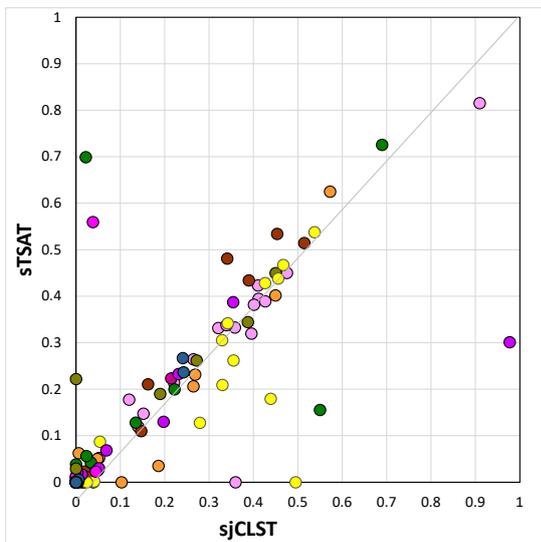
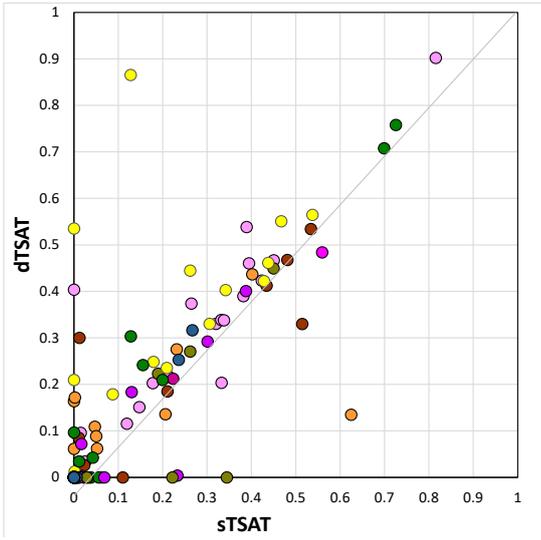
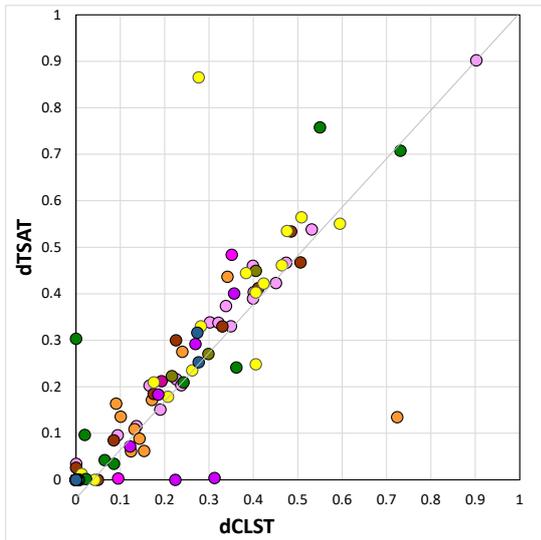
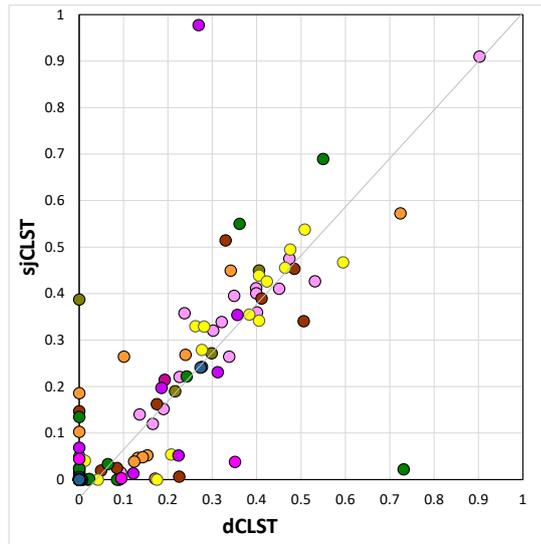
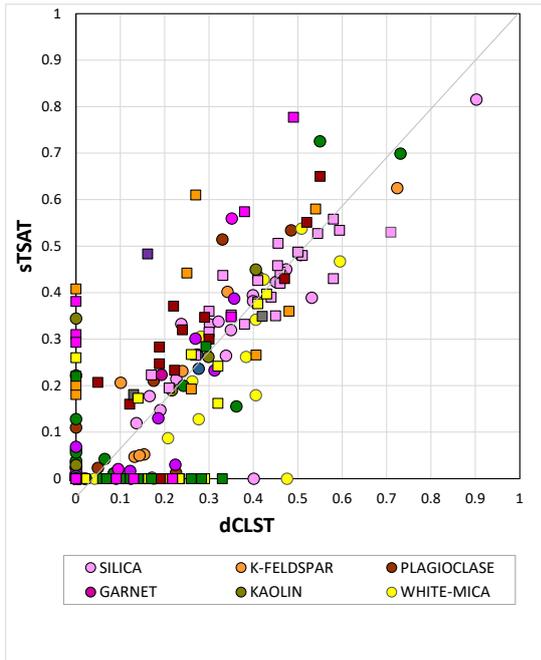
Improvements can be seen in moving from sTSAT to sjCLST, sjCLST to dCLST (and from sTSAT to dTSAT), especially for chlorite + biotite and carbonate. It is especially notable that dTSAT did not improve on dCLST and was prone to not using some minerals used by CLS, especially dark mica, but also plagioclase and K-feldspar when they comprised less than 15% of the sample.

Sample G408245 altered felsic volcanic featured the most complicated assemblage,

comprising 32% albite, 21% quartz, 17% calcite, 10% biotite, 9% phengite and 9 % Fe-chlorite. The sample was used to test the effect of varying the dTSAT parameters (detailed results are included in appendix 1). In sTSAT, Mixture level and Minimum item weight are set at 3 and 15% respectively. CLS and TSA both failed to detect the biotite in all settings. Of the 5 remaining minerals, white mica was the most likely to be omitted when the mixture level was reduced from 6 toward 3. Any mix of more than 3 gave similar overall mineral proportions for the sample. A minimum item weight of 0% gave a slightly more accurate result than 15%. This is consistent with the practice of using a 0% minimum item weight for collections of spectra and reserving the 15% minimum for considering individual spectra, but a more definitive result would require a similar analysis of many samples.

Figure 6 (below). Summary plots for all mineral groups comparing mineral proportion estimates from the various TIR unmixing algorithms with MLA or MINSQ and comparing the algorithms with each other. Data from XMOD (circles) and MINSQ (squares) measurements are included only for the 3 graphs dCLST vs XMOD / MINSQ, sTSAT vs XMOD / MINSQ and sTSAT vs dCLST.

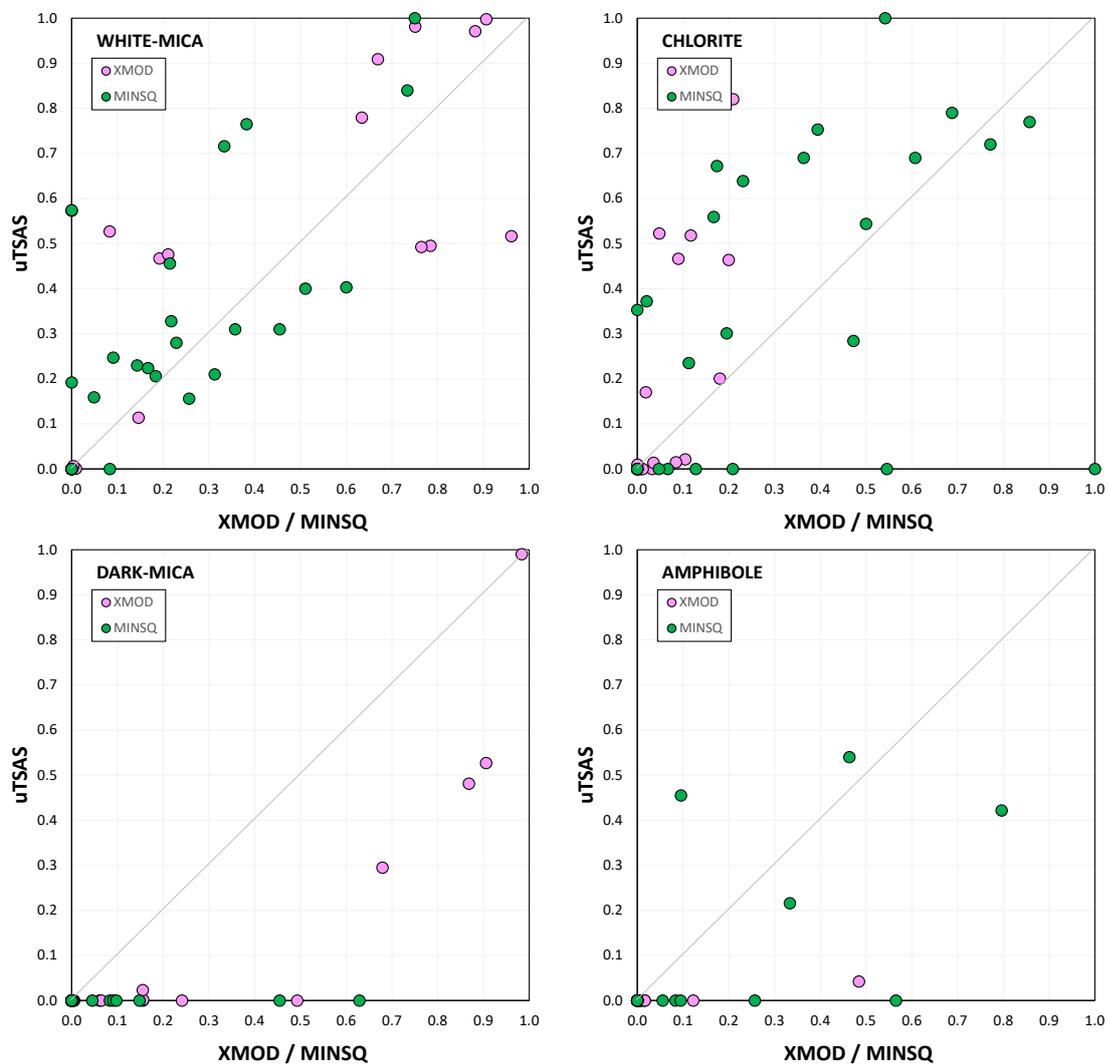


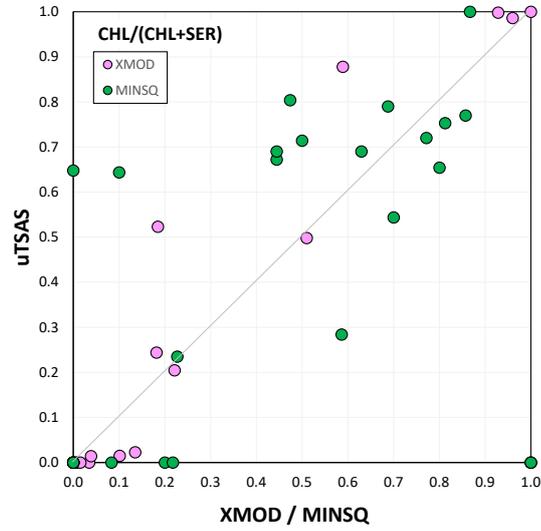
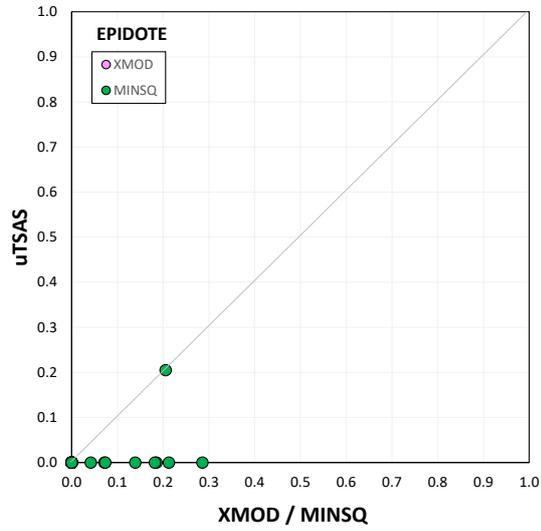
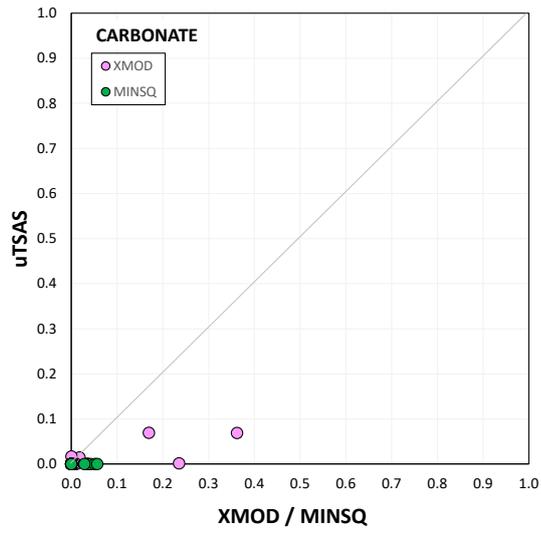
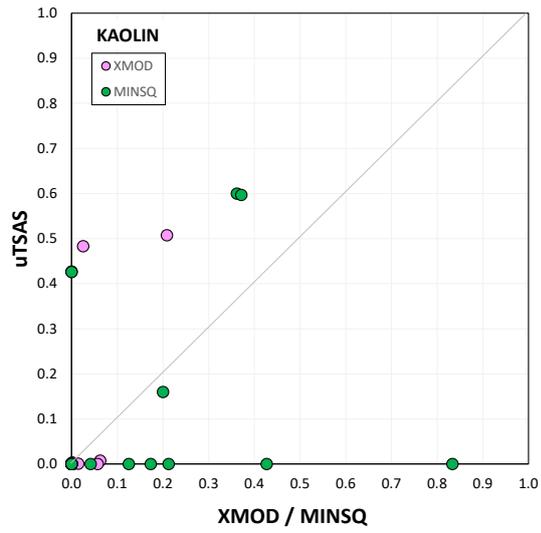


Mineral proportions from the SWIR unmixing algorithm uTSAS are compared with MLA in figure 7. There are linear relationships between the measured XMOD or MINSQ mineral proportions and the results of uTSAS for all minerals and chlorite / (chlorite + white mica), but all are of poor quality.

Estimates of white mica and chlorite proportions were better than those for dark mica, amphibole, kaolin, carbonate and epidote. Dark mica, carbonate and epidote were significantly under-estimated.

Figure 7 (below). Summary plots comparing mineral proportion estimates from SWIR uTSAS with MLA. MLA mineral proportions have been normalised so that the total of SWIR-active minerals sums to 100%. Samples with >50% Invalid are not plotted.

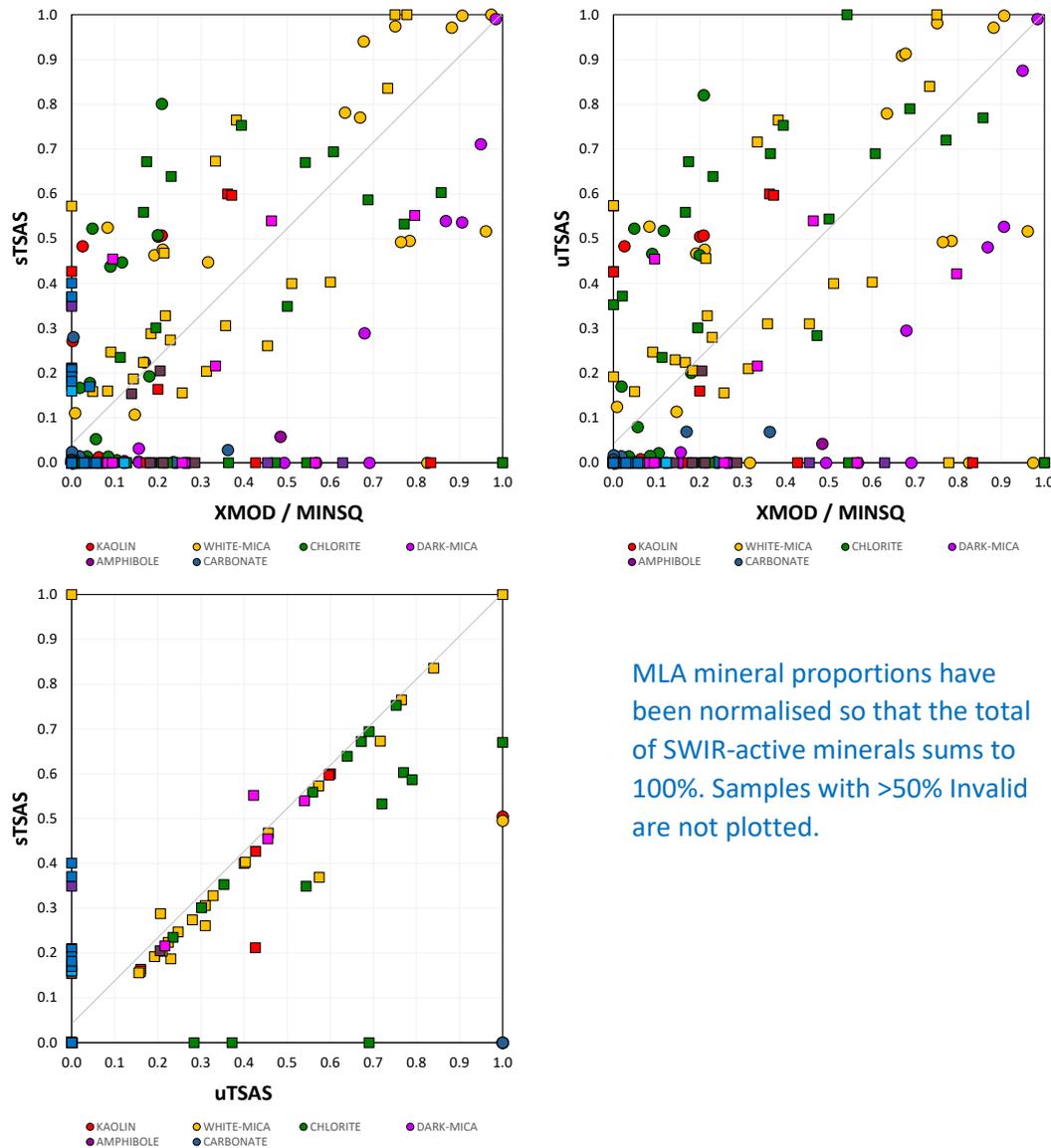




Mineral proportions from the 2 HyLogging SWIR unmixing algorithms are compared with each other in figure 8. sTSAS and uTSAS

produced similar results, with most differences arising from errors of commission for carbonate and omission for chlorite.

Figure 8 (below). Summary plots comparing mineral proportion estimates from SWIR HyLogging with MLA (circles) and MINSQ (squares) and comparing the 2 HyLogging unmixing algorithms with each other.

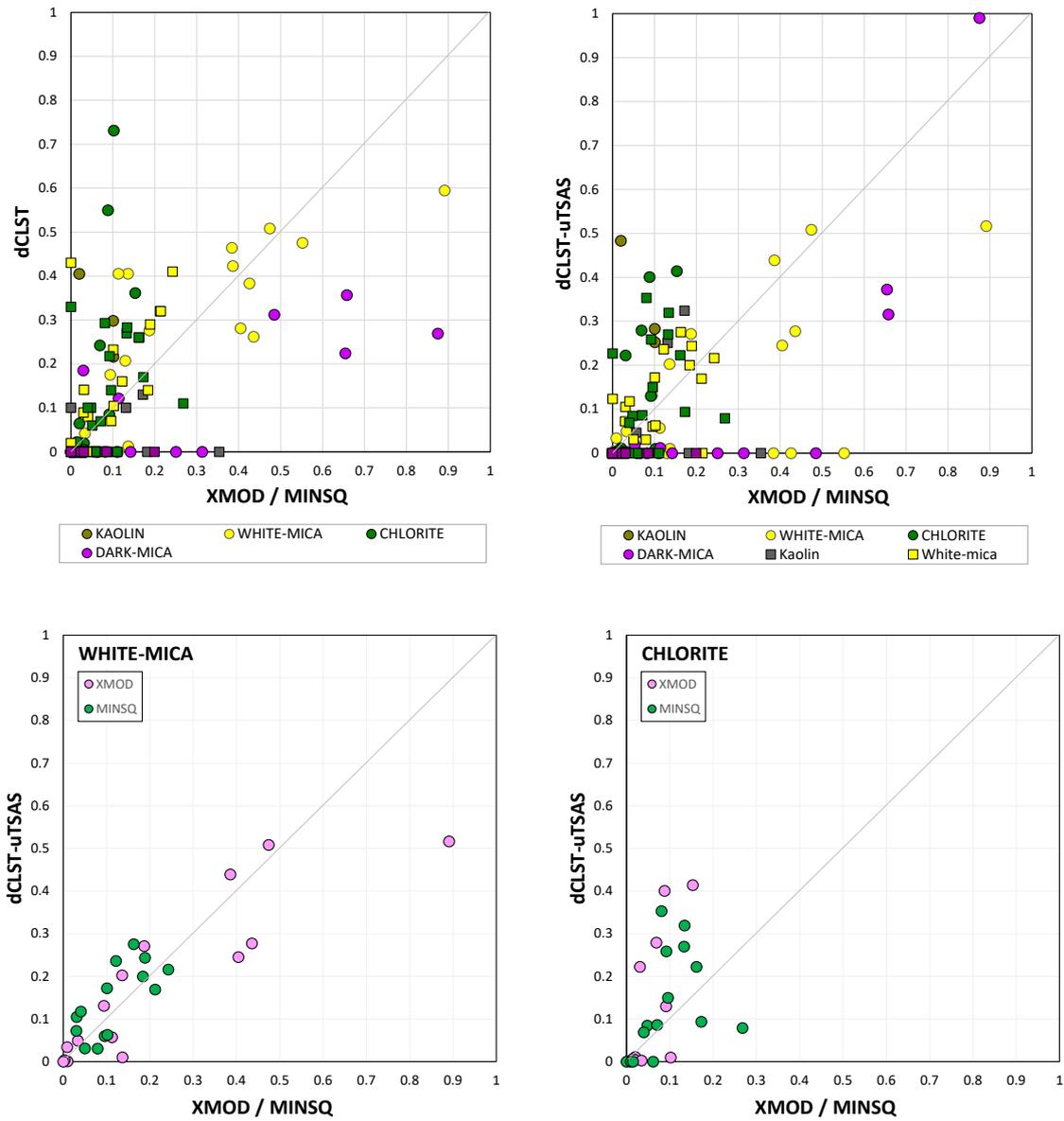


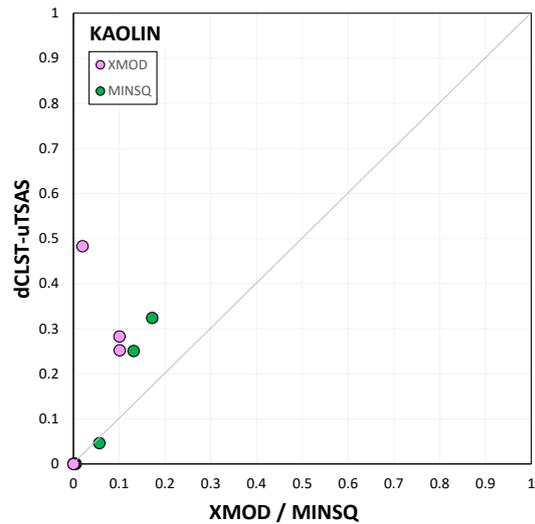
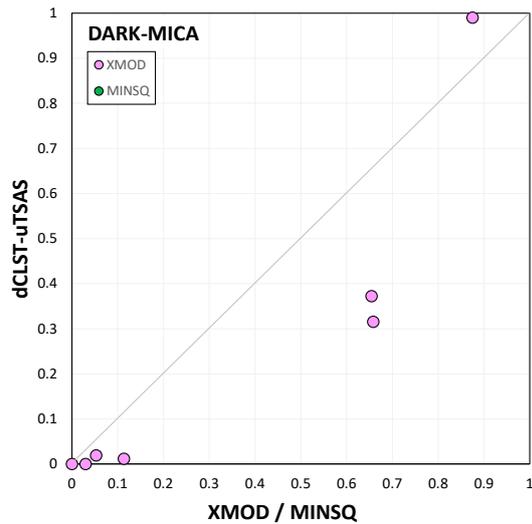
MLA mineral proportions have been normalised so that the total of SWIR-active minerals sums to 100%. Samples with >50% Invalid are not plotted.

White mica, chlorite, dark mica, kaolin and smectite are all characterised by a single spectral feature in the TIR ('Triangle of death') and the unmixing results for these minerals might be improved by incorporating information from the SWIR. Figure 5 indicates that there is an improved correlation of dCLST with XMOD when the total of white mica, chlorite, dark mica and kaolin was calculated.

Figure 9 plots mineral proportion estimates for the SWIR-active minerals white mica, chlorite, dark mica and kaolin calculated from uTSAS proportions and applied to the TIR white mica + kaolin + chlorite + dark mica total proportion. Significant improvement (compared to results illustrated in figure 5) is apparent for white mica and chlorite, but less so for dark mica and kaolin.

Figure 9 (below). Summary plots comparing mineral proportion estimates for the SWIR-active minerals white mica, chlorite, dark mica and kaolin calculated from uTSAS proportions applied to the TIR white mica + chlorite + dark mica + kaolin total proportion. Samples with >50% Invalid are not included in the plots for individual minerals.





Potential further work

A TSG file collating all 46 samples from Moltzen and Bottrill (2018), Moltzen et al (2020), Green and Reid (2021) and this report is included in Appendix 6. Each sample is augmented with the XMOD/MINSQ results, facilitating efficient testing of existing and new unmixing methods.

Opportunities for further work on the data, or on the samples includes:

- Compare the performance of other unmixing methods e.g. MFEM scalars (Multiple Feature Extraction Method, Laukamp *et al.* 2010), and sTSAT and uTSAT with all minerals turned on.
- Vary the dTSAT parameters Mixture level and Minimum item weight to (i) determine the minimum mixture level to use when applying uTSAT with all minerals available (which rapidly becomes unfeasible as the mixture level increases) and (ii) to test the practice of using a 0% minimum item weight for collections of spectra and reserving the 15% minimum for considering individual spectra.
- Determine the most accurate method for calculating chlorite:white mica, e.g. CLST, TSAT, TSAS and feature depths.
- Use the polished, coated samples:
 - Test mineral identification at the mineral species level by microprobing the MLA mounts for white mica, chlorite, carbonate, dark mica and amphibole. XRD could be used to test kaolins (kaolinite-wx, kaolinite-px) and K-feldspar (microcline, orthoclase).
- Unpolish the samples:
 - MIR scanning.
- Destroy the polished, coated samples:
 - Compare MLA with the validation methods used previously: Crush the samples and analyse them by XRD, MINSQ (from XRD, XRF and microprobe analyses) and thin sections.
- Analyse new samples aiming to extend the rock assemblage library to include epidotes, pyroxenes, garnets, smectites, other AIOH minerals (prehnite, pyrophyllite and topaz), amphiboles, serpentines, tourmalines, alunites, oxides and white mica-chlorite mixtures.

5. Conclusions

HyLogger and MLA data was acquired from 21 samples identified as being potentially challenging for spectral analysis. These were added to 25 less challenging samples previously validated by MINSQ (a least squares mineral weights solution to XRF and mineral composition data). Care was taken to use matched homogenous surfaces of an extent to ensure statistical significance (10cm x 5cm). MLA produced estimates of mineral proportions accurate to within 2% and with an insignificant proportion that could not be identified. HyLogger data was processed with 3 TIR and 2 SWIR spectral unmixing algorithms.

Mineral identifications benefitted from applying the more advanced processing techniques uTSAS and dCLST. However, dTSAT did not improve on dCLST and was prone to not using some minerals used by CLS, especially dark mica.

Minerals identified by the unmixing algorithms were overwhelmingly validated by the MLA at the mineral group level. Exceptions were omitting significant dark mica in 2 samples and K-feldspar and plagioclase in 1 sample each and commissioning kaolin and dark mica in 1 sample each. Less significant failures occurred for K-feldspar, plagioclase, white mica and dark mica (all omitted) and chlorite and amphibole (commissioned).

Small proportions of quartz, chlorite and carbonate were consistently identified in both the SWIR and TIR, but similar proportions of plagioclase, white mica, epidote and dark mica were not.

At the mineral species level, phengite was commonly misidentified as muscovite, chlorite-Fe as chlorite-FeMg and oligoclase not identified in albite-oligoclase mixtures.

Three fine grained samples had significant spectral SWIR character (carbonaceous shale

and crypto-micaceous shale) and returned more than 70% invalid TSA results. Downsampling the spectra to 21 bin averages decreased the number of spectra but significantly increased the proportion of samples that could be unmixed by 20-100%, correctly identifying white mica. The enhancement technique could not detect 14% dark mica or 6% chlorite.

Estimates of mineral proportions improved from sjCLST to dCLST, but dTSAT resulted in poorer estimates, especially for chlorite + biotite and carbonate. The SWIR unmixing techniques sTSAS and uTSAS produced similar results. The proportions of K-feldspar, plagioclase, white mica and amphibole were accurately estimated by dCLST (and dTSAT). Quartz and chlorite were typically over-estimated relative to MLA by a factor of 1.5 and 1.6 respectively and dark mica was under-estimated by a factor of 0.4.

The relative proportions of common minerals with single features in the 9100-9800nm TIR region (white mica, chlorite, dark mica, smectite and kaolin, the "Triangle of death") is slightly better estimated using SWIR (TSAS) compared to TIR (TSAT or CLST), especially for the assemblages with significant proportions of white mica and chlorite.

Detailed analysis of dTSAT parameters for a sample comprising 6 common minerals showed that any mix of more than 3 gave similar overall mineral proportions for the sample and that a minimum item weight of 0% gave a slightly more accurate result than 15%.

MLA validation of 21 samples analysed by the HyLogging system has provided valuable dataset that has been used to test unmixing algorithms for a range of simple and challenging mineral assemblages.

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Appendix 1. HyLogging and MLA results

Tables below. Results of HyLogger analysis and MLA point counting. Full MLA results are included as Appendix 2.

Note: 0.0% indicates less than 0.1%, blank indicates not detected at all. XMOD sums to less than 100% when there are unlisted non-mineral classes, i.e. unknown, poor spectra, pen marks, sample holder.

	G408251	G408275	G408243
	Kaol+White mica	K-feldspar+Plag	K-feldspar+Plag+White mica(+Qtz)
	Tasmania Basin, Tas	Gramalote Project, Colombia	White Spur, Tas
Number of HyLogger spec	165	338	149
Number of MLA points	35025	38380	117816

TIR

Groups	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
MISC-SILICATE															
SILICA	32.0%	39.5%	34.9%	33.0%	19.1%	42.3%	41.0%	45.0%	42.3%	22.7%	14.7%	15.2%	19.0%	15.1%	13.4%
K-FELDSPAR			9.1%	16.4%	18.2%		10.3%			4.3%	40.2%	44.9%	34.1%	43.7%	46.3%
PLAGIOCLASE					7.8%	53.4%	45.3%	48.5%	53.4%	62.1%	43.4%	39.0%	41.1%	41.2%	34.3%
GARNET															
PYROXENE															
OLIVINE															
ZEOLITE															
KAOLIN	26.2%	27.2%	29.8%	27.0%	10.0%					0.5%					0.2%
WHITE-MICA	20.9%	33.0%	26.2%	23.5%	43.5%					0.9%			4.2%		3.3%
SMECTITE	11.9%	0.3%									0.3%	0.4%			
OTHER-ALOH															
CHLORITE					0.3%	4.3%	3.3%	6.5%	4.3%	2.0%			0.9%		0.4%
DARK-MICA					0.3%			0.0%		5.3%					
AMPHIBOLE										1.0%					
SERPENTINE															
OTHER-MGOH	3.0%														
EPIDOTE					0.3%										
TOURMALINE															
CARBONATE					0.2%					0.3%			0.7%		0.7%
SULPHATE	6.0%										1.4%	0.5%			
PHOSPHATE					0.0%					0.2%					0.0%
BORATE															
OXIDE										0.2%					
PAL-SEP															
INVALID					0.1%					0.7%					1.3%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.9%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Minerals	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
Opal															
Quartz	32.0%	39.5%	34.9%	33.0%	19.2%	42.3%	41.0%	45.0%	42.3%	22.9%	14.7%	15.2%	19.0%	15.1%	13.5%
Anorthoclase													0.0%	0.9%	
Microcline			9.1%	16.4%			10.3%				33.4%	38.7%	34.1%	34.7%	
Orthoclase					18.2%					4.3%	6.8%	6.2%		8.1%	46.9%
Albite					7.8%	27.5%	14.5%	22.8%	27.5%	2.5%	41.8%	33.2%	34.0%	39.6%	34.8%
Bytownite															
Labradorite							2.1%								
Andesine						3.9%	6.2%		3.9%						
Oligoclase						22.0%	22.6%	25.7%	22.0%	60.1%	1.6%	5.8%	7.1%	1.6%	
Almandine															
Spessartine															
Augite															
Diopside															
Analcime															
Natrolite															
Phillipsite															
Kaolinite-WX	26.2%	27.2%	29.8%	27.0%	10.1%					0.5%					0.2%
Muscovite	19.6%	33.0%	26.2%	23.5%	4.3%					0.2%			4.2%		0.6%
Phengite	1.3%				39.3%					0.7%					2.8%
Glaucinite															
Montmorillonite	11.9%	0.3%									0.3%	0.4%			
Nontronite															
Pyrophyllite															
Topaz															
Chlorite-Fe					0.3%	0.4%		0.0%	0.4%	0.1%					0.4%
Chlorite-FeMg						3.8%	3.3%	6.4%	3.8%	1.9%			0.9%		
Biotite					0.3%			0.0%		5.3%					
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Lizardite															
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Epidote					0.3%										
Zoisite															
Rhodochrosite															
Siderite													0.7%		
Calcite					0.2%					0.3%					0.7%
Magnesite															
Alunite-K	2.9%										1.4%	0.5%			
Alunite-Na	3.1%														
Gypsum															
Jarosite															
Apatite					0.0%					0.2%					0.0%
Rutile															
OXIDE															
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Siderite

	G408251 Kaol+White mica Tasmania Basin, Tas	G408275 K-feldspar+Plag Gramalote Project, Colombia	G408243 K-feldspar+Plag+White mica(+Qtz) White Spur, Tas
Number of HyLogger spec	165	338	149
Number of MLA points	35025	38380	117816

SWIR

Groups	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
SILICA									
KAOLIN	50.5%	50.5%	19.9%	1.1%	0.7%	5.9%			4.4%
WHITE-MICA	49.5%	49.5%	77.7%	46.9%	47.2%	7.8%	66.9%	90.9%	51.2%
SMECTITE									
OTHER-ALOH									
CHLORITE			0.7%	15.0%	15.2%	1.7%	0.5%	2.1%	8.0%
DARK-MICA			0.5%	25.9%	26.4%	63.7%			
AMPHIBOLE				0.3%		11.4%			
SERPENTINE				0.1%					
OTHER-MGOH									
EPIDOTE			0.7%	0.4%			0.5%		
TOURMALINE				1.4%					
CARBONATE			0.4%	0.3%		3.3%	19.4%	6.9%	12.9%
SULPHATE							11.8%		
PAL-SEP									
NOTAROK				0.1%			0.9%		
INVALID			0.2%	8.6%	10.4%	6.2%			23.5%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Minerals	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
Opal									
Dickite									
Kaolinite-PX				0.9%	0.6%				
Kaolinite-WX	50.5%	50.5%	18.3%	0.3%	0.2%	4.9%			5.0%
Nacrite									
Muscovite	25.8%	25.8%	7.8%	34.2%	35.0%	2.4%			11.8%
Paragonite				0.5%	0.7%				
Phengite			71.8%			6.5%	67.5%	90.9%	59.0%
Muscoviticillite	23.7%	23.7%		16.7%	17.1%				
Paragoniticillite									
Phengiticillite									
Montmorillonite									
Saponite									
Diaspore									
Gibbsite									
Topaz									
Chlorite-Fe			0.6%			1.4%			9.2%
Chlorite-FeMg				7.9%	8.2%	18.9%	0.5%	2.1%	
Chlorite-Mg				8.4%	8.9%				
Biotite			0.5%	0.3%	0.2%	53.5%			
Phlogopite				28.0%	29.3%				
Actinolite						9.6%			
Hornblende				0.2%					
Riebeckite				0.1%					
Serpentine				0.1%					
Epidote			0.6%	0.4%					
Zoisite							0.5%		
Tourmaline-Fe				1.6%					
Ankerite				0.1%			17.5%	4.8%	
Siderite				0.1%					
Calcite			0.3%	0.1%		2.8%	2.0%	2.0%	14.9%
Dolomite							0.2%	0.2%	
Magnesite									
Alunite-NH							11.9%		
Gypsum									
Jarosite									
Palygorskite									
Vegetation-Dry									
WhiteMarker									
Wood									
YellowMarker									
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

	G408265 Biot+Epid+Amph Cethana, Tas	G408264 Chl+Biot Cethana, Tas	G408260 Shale - crypto-micaceous Oonah Prospect, Tas
Number of HyLogger spec	183	364	219
Number of MLA points	39091	37025	35465

TIR

Groups	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
MISC-SILICATE															
SILICA	39.5%	41.1%	39.9%	46.0%	26.1%	21.4%	22.1%	22.6%	21.6%	14.5%	26.5%	26.5%	33.8%	37.4%	22.1%
K-FELDSPAR					0.3%	0.3%	0.4%			1.1%	5.2%	5.2%	15.4%	6.2%	20.6%
PLAGIOCLASE					0.1%	2.3%	2.5%		2.6%	0.0%					5.1%
GARNET	22.3%	21.5%	19.3%	21.2%	15.6%										
PYROXENE															
OLIVINE															
ZEOLITE				1.7%											
KAOLIN					0.0%					0.1%					0.0%
WHITE-MICA		0.1%	0.2%	0.1%	2.0%					1.0%	53.8%	53.8%	50.8%	56.4%	47.4%
SMECTITE															
OTHER-ALOH		0.4%													
CHLORITE	12.8%	13.5%		30.3%	2.2%	72.6%	69.0%	55.0%	75.8%	8.8%					1.3%
DARK-MICA	23.3%	23.1%	31.2%	0.4%	48.5%	3.0%	5.2%	22.4%		65.4%					2.5%
AMPHIBOLE	2.1%	0.3%	9.5%	0.3%	0.0%	0.3%	0.5%								0.0%
SERPENTINE						0.1%	0.4%								
OTHER-MGOH															
EPIDOTE		0.1%								8.0%					
TOURMALINE															
CARBONATE					0.0%					0.4%					
SULPHATE											14.6%	14.6%			
PHOSPHATE					0.4%					0.5%					0.0%
BORATE															
OXIDE					4.1%										0.2%
PAL-SEP															
INVALID					0.7%					0.2%					0.8%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Minerals	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
Opal															
Quartz	39.5%	41.1%	39.9%	46.0%	26.3%	21.4%	22.1%	22.6%	21.6%	14.5%	26.5%	26.5%	33.8%	37.4%	22.3%
Anorthoclase															
Microcline						0.3%	0.4%				5.2%	5.2%	14.1%	6.2%	
Orthoclase					0.3%					1.1%			1.2%		20.7%
Albite					0.0%	2.2%	2.3%		2.4%	0.0%					3.9%
Bytownite															
Labradorite															
Andesine															
Oligoclase					0.1%	0.1%	0.2%		0.2%						1.2%
Almandine		0.2%													
Spessartine	22.3%	21.2%	19.3%	21.2%	15.7%										
Augite															
Diopside															
Analcime				0.2%											
Natrolite				0.5%											
Phillipsite				1.0%											
Kaolinite-WX					0.0%					0.1%					0.0%
Muscovite		0.1%	0.2%		1.6%					0.3%	53.8%	53.8%	50.8%	56.4%	10.5%
Phengite					0.4%					0.7%					37.3%
Glaucinite				0.1%											
Montmorillonite															
Nontronite															
Pyrophyllite															
Topaz		0.4%													
Chlorite-Fe	0.8%	0.1%			2.2%	0.9%	2.4%	7.6%	0.9%	8.8%					1.3%
Chlorite-FeMg	12.0%	13.3%		30.3%	0.1%	71.7%	66.6%	47.4%	74.9%						0.0%
Biotite	23.3%	23.1%	31.2%		48.9%	3.0%	5.2%	0.0%		65.6%					2.5%
Phlogopite										22.1%					
Stilpnomelane				0.4%					0.2%						
Actinolite			4.4%		0.0%	0.3%	0.0%								0.0%
AmphiboleML48															
Edenite	1.3%	0.3%	5.0%			0.0%	0.4%								
Hornblende			0.1%	0.3%			0.1%								
Riebeckite	0.7%														
Antigorite															
Lizardite						0.1%	0.4%								
Talc															
Epidote										8.0%					
Zoisite		0.1%													
Rhodochrosite															
Siderite															
Calcite					0.0%					0.4%					
Magnesite															
Alunite-K											13.9%	13.9%			
Alunite-Na															
Gypsum											0.7%	0.7%			
Jarosite															
Apatite					0.4%					0.5%					0.0%
Rutile															
OXIDE					4.0%										0.2%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

	G408265 Biot+Epid+Amph Cethana, Tas	G408264 Chl+Biot Cethana, Tas	G408260 Shale - crypto-micaceous Oonah Prospect, Tas
Number of HyLogger spec	183	364	219
Number of MLA points	39091	37025	35465

SWIR

Groups	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
SILICA									
KAOLIN			0.0%			0.1%			0.1%
WHITE-MICA	0.3%	0.0033	0.8%	0.1%	0.8%		99.8%	99.8%	90.6%
SMECTITE									
OTHER-ALOH									
CHLORITE	2.2%		4.2%	25.0%	27.7%	10.5%			3.2%
DARK-MICA	2.2%	2.3%	94.9%	30.2%	25.8%	78.4%			6.0%
AMPHIBOLE			0.0%	0.3%					0.0%
SERPENTINE				0.1%					
OTHER-MGOH									
EPIDOTE				0.4%		9.6%			
TOURMALINE	0.1%			0.1%					
CARBONATE			0.0%	0.4%		0.5%	0.2%	0.2%	
SULPHATE				0.1%					
PAL-SEP									
NOTAROK		0.1%		0.6%	0.6%				
INVALID	95.1%	97.3%	0.0%	42.9%	45.8%	0.1%			0.0%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Minerals	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
Opal									
Dickite									
Kaolinite-PX									
Kaolinite-WX			0.0%			0.1%			0.1%
Nacrite									
Muscovite	7.0%	9.2%	3.1%			0.4%			20.3%
Paragonite									
Phengite		3.3%	0.7%	0.1%	0.8%		52.1%	52.1%	72.2%
Muscoviticillite									
Paragoniticillite									
Phengiticillite							47.7%	47.7%	
Montmorillonite									
Saponite									
Diaspore									
Gibbsite									
Topaz									
Chlorite-Fe	34.0%		4.1%	2.1%	2.4%	10.5%			2.6%
Chlorite-FeMg	11.3%		0.1%	38.2%	45.8%				0.0%
Chlorite-Mg				4.0%	2.9%				
Biotite	45.4%	87.5%	91.9%	50.4%	44.6%	78.2%			4.8%
Phlogopite				3.1%	2.9%				
Actinolite			0.0%	0.1%					0.0%
Hornblende				0.4%					
Riebeckite				0.1%					
Serpentine				0.1%					
Epidote				0.4%		9.5%			
Zoisite				0.2%					
Tourmaline-Fe	2.2%			0.2%					
Ankerite				0.5%			0.2%	0.2%	
Siderite				0.2%					
Calcite			0.0%			0.5%			
Dolomite									
Magnesite									
Alunite-NH									
Gypsum									
Jarosite				0.1%					
Palygorskite									
Vegetation-Dry									
WhiteMarker									
Wood									
YellowMarker									
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	98.8%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

	G408245		
	Chl+Carb+White mica		
	Mt Charter, MRV		
Number of HyLogger spec	160		
Number of MLA points	33404		

SWIR

Groups	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
SILICA			
KAOLIN			0.0%
WHITE-MICA	46.2%	46.7%	19.1%
SMECTITE			
OTHER-ALOH			
CHLORITE	50.7%	46.4%	19.9%
DARK-MICA			24.1%
AMPHIBOLE			0.6%
SERPENTINE			
OTHER-MGOH			
EPIDOTE			
TOURMALINE			
CARBONATE	2.8%	6.9%	36.2%
SULPHATE			
PAL-SEP			
NOTAROK	0.2%		
INVALID			0.2%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Minerals	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
Opal			
Dickite			
Kaolinite-PX			
Kaolinite-WX			0.0%
Nacrite			
Muscovite			1.6%
Paragonite			
Phengite	46.2%	46.7%	18.8%
MuscoviticIllite			
ParagoniticIllite			
PhengiticIllite			
Montmorillonite			
Saponite			
Diaspore			
Gibbsite			
Topaz			
Chlorite-Fe	0.6%	1.1%	19.6%
Chlorite-FeMg	50.1%	45.3%	0.3%
Chlorite-Mg			
Biotite			23.7%
Phlogopite			
Actinolite			0.5%
Hornblende			
Riebeckite			
Serpentine			
Epidote			
Zoisite			
Tourmaline-Fe			
Ankerite	2.3%	2.9%	
Siderite	0.4%	3.8%	
Calcite	0.1%	0.2%	35.5%
Dolomite			
Magnesite			
Alunite-NH			
Gypsum			
Jarosite			
Palygorskite			
Vegetation-Dry	0.1%		
WhiteMarker			
Wood	0.1%		
YellowMarker			
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

	Chl+Carb+White mica Black River 258	K-feldspar+Plag+White mica(+Qtz) Hatfield River, MRV 323	K-feldspar+Plag+White mica(+Qtz) White Spur, MRV 251
Number of HyLogger spec			
Number of MLA points	33825	64051	42736

TIR

Groups											dTSAT (No Chl, Biot)				
	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
MISC-SILICATE															
SILICA	33.2%	32.1%	30.2%	33.9%	12.4%	11.9%	14.0%	13.6%	11.6%	9.0%	1.5%	1.5%	9.4%	9.6%	9.2%
K-FELDSPAR					6.7%	23.1%	26.9%	23.9%	27.5%	28.9%	0.2%	0.2%	17.1%	17.2%	26.3%
PLAGIOCLASE					14.6%	21.1%	16.2%	17.5%	18.5%	16.7%	51.5%	51.5%	33.0%	33.0%	21.0%
GARNET															
PYROXENE											4.1%	4.1%			
OLIVINE															
ZEOLITE															
KAOLIN					0.2%					0.0%					0.1%
WHITE-MICA	17.9%	43.9%	40.5%	24.9%	13.6%	42.8%	42.6%	42.3%	42.2%	38.6%	34.2%	34.2%	40.5%	40.3%	11.3%
SMECTITE						0.1%									
OTHER-ALOH						0.1%									
CHLORITE			2.0%	9.6%	3.1%		0.1%	2.2%	0.2%	1.4%					6.5%
DARK-MICA					31.3%	0.3%				2.6%					25.0%
AMPHIBOLE					0.6%	0.1%				0.0%					0.3%
SERPENTINE	22.2%					0.1%									
OTHER-MGOH															
EPIDOTE															
TOURMALINE															
CARBONATE	26.7%	24.1%	27.3%	31.6%	15.0%		0.2%	0.4%		0.7%					0.1%
SULPHATE						0.3%					6.6%	6.6%			
PHOSPHATE					0.0%	0.1%				0.3%					0.1%
BORATE															
OXIDE					0.1%					0.0%	1.9%	1.9%			0.0%
PAL-SEP															
INVALID					2.2%					1.6%					0.0%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.8%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.9%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.9%

Biotite not used, even when offered

Minerals															
	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
Opal															
Quartz	33.2%	32.1%	30.2%	33.9%	12.7%	11.9%	14.0%	13.6%	11.6%	9.2%	1.5%	1.5%	9.4%	9.6%	9.2%
Anorthoclase															
Microcline						23.1%	26.9%	23.9%	27.4%		0.0%	0.0%	17.1%	17.0%	
Orthoclase				6.8%		0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	29.4%	0.2%	0.2%		0.2%	26.3%
Albite				9.5%		18.9%	12.6%	14.0%	17.3%	12.8%	51.5%	51.5%	32.9%	32.5%	11.3%
Bytownite															
Labradorite						0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%						
Andesine															
Oligoclase				5.5%		2.1%	3.5%	3.4%	1.1%	4.2%			0.1%	0.4%	9.8%
Almandine															
Spessartine															
Augite											4.1%	4.1%			
Diopside															
Analcime															
Natrolite															
Phillipsite															
Kaolinite-WX					0.2%					0.0%					0.1%
Muscovite	17.9%	43.9%	40.5%	24.9%	0.2%	42.8%	42.3%	41.9%	42.2%	2.8%	15.5%	15.5%	28.4%	14.3%	1.6%
Phengite				13.7%			0.3%	0.4%		36.5%	18.7%	18.7%	12.2%	26.0%	9.8%
Glauconite															
Montmorillonite						0.1%									
Nontronite															
Pyrophyllite						0.1%									
Topaz															
Chlorite-Fe				0.5%	3.1%		0.0%	0.1%		1.5%					1.0%
Chlorite-FeMg			2.0%	9.1%	0.1%		0.1%	2.2%	0.2%						5.5%
Biotite				32.1%		0.3%				2.7%					25.1%
Phlogopite															
Stilpnomelane															
Actinolite				0.7%						0.0%					0.3%
AmphiboleML48															
Edenite															
Hornblende						0.1%									
Riebeckite															
Antigorite	22.2%					0.1%									
Lizardite															
Talc															
Epidote															
Zoisite															
Rhodochrosite															
Siderite	26.6%	0.4%	24.3%	15.7%			0.2%	0.4%							
Calcite	0.1%	23.7%	3.0%	15.9%	15.3%			0.0%		0.7%					0.1%
Magnesite															
Alunite-K						0.3%					6.6%	6.6%			
Alunite-Na															
Gypsum															
Jarosite															
Apatite				0.0%		0.1%				0.3%					0.1%
Rutile											1.9%	1.9%			
OXIDE											1.9%	1.9%			
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	101.9%	101.9%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Calcite

Calcite

	G408246 Chl+Carb+White mica Black River	G408248 K-feldspar+Plag+White mica(+Qtz) Hatfield River, MRV	G408255 K-feldspar+Plag+White mica(+Qtz) White Spur, MRV
Number of HyLogger spec	258	323	251
Number of MLA points	33825	64051	42736

SWIR

Groups	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
SILICA									
KAOLIN			0.3%			0.1%			0.2%
WHITE-MICA	47.5%	47.5%	20.4%	97.0%	97.0%	87.7%			26.9%
SMECTITE									
OTHER-ALOH							0.1%		
CHLORITE	52.2%	52.2%	4.6%	1.4%	1.4%	3.5%			2.9%
DARK-MICA			47.6%			6.4%			69.1%
AMPHIBOLE			1.0%			0.0%			0.8%
SERPENTINE									
OTHER-MGOH									
EPIDOTE	0.2%	0.2%		0.2%	0.2%		1.0%	0.8%	
TOURMALINE									
CARBONATE	0.1%	0.1%	22.8%	1.5%	1.5%	1.8%			0.2%
SULPHATE							0.2%		
PAL-SEP									
NOTAROK							0.4%		
INVALID			3.3%			0.6%	98.4%	99.2%	0.0%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Minerals	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
Opal									
Dickite									
Kaolinite-PX									
Kaolinite-WX			0.3%			0.1%			0.1%
Nacrite									
Muscovite			0.3%			6.4%			3.6%
Paragonite									
Phengite	12.0%	12.0%	21.0%	94.3%	94.3%	82.5%			22.6%
Muscoviticillite									
Paragoniticillite									
Phengiticillite	35.5%	35.5%		2.7%	2.7%				
Montmorillonite									
Saponite									
Diaspore									
Gibbsite							5.3%		
Topaz									
Chlorite-Fe	1.2%	1.2%	4.8%	0.1%	0.1%	3.3%			2.4%
Chlorite-FeMg	50.9%	50.9%	0.1%	1.3%	1.3%				12.6%
Chlorite-Mg									
Biotite			49.1%			6.1%			57.9%
Phlogopite									
Actinolite			1.0%			0.0%			0.6%
Hornblende									
Riebeckite									
Serpentine									
Epidote	0.2%	0.2%		0.1%	0.1%		25.0%	50.0%	
Zoisite				0.1%	0.1%		35.4%	50.0%	
Tourmaline-Fe									
Ankerite	0.1%	0.1%		1.3%	1.3%				
Siderite									
Calcite			23.4%			1.7%			0.2%
Dolomite				0.2%	0.2%				
Magnesite									
Alunite-NH									
Gypsum									
Jarosite							9.3%		
Palygorskite									
Vegetation-Dry									
WhiteMarker							25.0%		
Wood									
YellowMarker									
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

	G408276 K-feldspar+Plag+White mica(+Qtz) Ernest Henry	G408277 K-feldspar+Plag+White mica(+Qtz) Pine Creek	G408249 Kaol+White mica Mackintosh, MRV
Number of HyLogger spec	549	436	222
Number of MLA points	22779	40975	27658

TIR

Groups	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
MISC-SILICATE															
SILICA					1.4%	2.6%	5.0%	0.0%	3.5%	1.4%					3.9%
K-FELDSPAR	62.5%	57.2%	72.4%	13.5%	56.1%	20.6%	26.5%	10.1%	13.6%	18.4%					0.8%
PLAGIOCLASE	11.0%	14.7%			0.3%	48.1%	34.1%	50.6%	46.8%	28.9%					3.1%
GARNET															
PYROXENE						1.3%	1.4%								
OLIVINE															
ZEOLITE															
KAOLIN					0.0%					0.1%	45.0%	45.0%	40.5%	44.9%	2.0%
WHITE-MICA	12.8%	27.9%	27.6%	86.5%	18.7%	8.7%	5.4%	20.7%	17.9%	12.9%	46.7%	46.7%	59.5%	55.1%	89.1%
SMECTITE	0.0%	0.0%					0.1%				0.9%	0.9%			
OTHER-ALOH						0.1%	0.2%								
CHLORITE	3.8%				1.9%	0.9%	0.3%			8.2%					0.5%
DARK-MICA	0.5%				3.4%	13.0%	19.7%	18.5%	18.3%	2.9%	6.9%	6.9%			0.2%
AMPHIBOLE					0.0%	2.3%	4.5%			22.5%					0.5%
SERPENTINE	2.9%														
OTHER-MGOH						2.3%									
EPIDOTE		0.1%													
TOURMALINE															
CARBONATE					0.2%					0.2%	0.6%	0.6%			
SULPHATE	4.0%						2.9%								
PHOSPHATE	2.3%				0.0%	0.0%									0.0%
BORATE															
OXIDE	0.1%				16.4%					3.5%					0.0%
PAL-SEP															
INVALID					1.0%					0.7%					0.0%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.4%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.8%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.9%

Goethite used when offered, magnetite not used

Minerals	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
Opal															
Quartz				0.9%	1.5%	2.6%	5.0%	0.0%	3.5%	1.4%			0.0%		3.9%
Anorthoclase				0.4%											
Microcline	50.7%	47.1%	71.4%	33.3%		20.6%	25.8%	7.7%	13.4%						
Orthoclase	11.8%	10.2%	1.0%	14.9%	57.6%		0.7%	2.4%	0.1%	18.8%					0.8%
Albite	7.6%	1.1%		0.3%	0.2%	2.0%	1.0%	10.5%	3.9%	9.0%					1.4%
Bytownite								5.1%	0.1%						
Labradorite		0.2%				45.6%	32.5%	34.4%	42.7%						
Andesine		0.1%		0.3%			0.1%	0.1%	0.1%						
Oligoclase	3.4%	13.3%		17.4%	0.1%	0.5%	0.5%	0.6%		20.5%					1.7%
Almandine															
Spessartine															
Augite						1.3%	1.4%								
Diopside															
Analcime															
Natrolite															
Phillipsite															
Kaolinite-WX					0.0%					0.1%	45.0%	45.0%	40.5%	44.9%	2.0%
Muscovite	11.1%	19.4%	27.2%	22.6%	2.4%	8.7%	5.4%	20.7%	17.9%	0.4%	45.5%	45.5%	46.6%	51.8%	13.6%
Phengite	1.7%	8.5%	0.5%	9.8%	16.8%					12.8%	1.3%	1.3%	12.8%	3.2%	75.5%
Glaucinite															
Montmorillonite		0.0%					0.1%				0.1%	0.1%			
Nontronite	0.0%										0.8%	0.8%			
Pyrophyllite						0.1%									
Topaz							0.2%								
Chlorite-Fe					1.9%	0.9%	0.2%			1.5%					0.4%
Chlorite-FeMg	3.8%				0.1%		0.2%			6.9%					0.0%
Biotite	0.5%				3.5%	13.0%	19.7%	2.8%	3.9%	3.0%	6.9%	6.9%			0.2%
Phlogopite								15.6%	14.5%						
Stilpnomelane								0.1%							
Actinolite					0.0%					22.9%					0.5%
AmphiboleML48															
Edenite															
Hornblende						0.1%	4.4%								
Riebeckite						2.2%	0.1%								
Antigorite	2.9%														
Lizardite															
Talc						2.3%									
Epidote															
Zoisite		0.1%													
Rhodochrosite															
Siderite															
Calcite					0.2%					0.2%					
Magnesite											0.6%	0.6%			
Alunite-K	3.9%														
Alunite-Na	0.2%														
Gypsum															
Jarosite							2.9%								
Apatite	2.3%				0.0%	0.0%									0.0%
Rutile	0.1%														
OXIDE	0.1%				15.8%					2.6%					
	100.1%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

	G408276 K-feldspar+Plag+White mica(+Qtz) Ernest Henry	G408277 K-feldspar+Plag+White mica(+Qtz) Pine Creek	G408249 Kaol+White mica Mackintosh, MRV
Number of HyLogger spec	549	436	222
Number of MLA points	22779	40975	27658

SWIR

Groups	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
SILICA									
KAOLIN	0.3%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%		0.2%	48.3%	48.3%	2.5%
WHITE-MICA	71.0%	71.2%	75.0%	0.4%		31.1%	51.7%	51.7%	96.1%
SMECTITE	1.8%	1.7%		0.2%					
OTHER-ALOH	0.2%			2.0%					
CHLORITE	1.0%	1.1%	8.4%			3.7%			0.6%
DARK-MICA	0.2%		15.5%			7.2%			0.2%
AMPHIBOLE			0.0%			55.7%			0.6%
SERPENTINE									
OTHER-MGOH									
EPIDOTE				0.8%					
TOURMALINE	1.1%								
CARBONATE	0.4%		0.8%	0.2%		0.4%			
SULPHATE	0.1%	0.1%		0.1%					
PAL-SEP									
NOTAROK									
INVALID	23.9%	25.6%	0.1%	96.1%	100.0%	1.7%			0.0%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Minerals	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
Opal									
Dickite	0.1%	0.1%							
Kaolinite-PX	0.2%	0.2%		5.9%			48.3%	48.3%	
Kaolinite-WX			0.1%			0.2%			2.1%
Nacrite	0.1%								
Muscovite	21.9%	22.0%	9.6%	3.8%		0.8%			14.8%
Paragonite									
Phengite	71.4%	73.7%	67.6%	5.9%		26.8%	0.3%	0.3%	81.9%
Muscoviticillite									
Paragoniticillite									
Phengiticillite							51.4%	51.4%	
Montmorillonite	2.3%	2.2%		4.8%					
Saponite	0.1%	0.1%							
Diaspore	0.1%								
Gibbsite	0.1%			4.2%					
Topaz				46.1%					
Chlorite-Fe	0.3%	0.4%	7.6%			3.2%			0.5%
Chlorite-FeMg	0.9%	0.9%	0.4%			14.4%			0.0%
Chlorite-Mg	0.1%	0.1%							
Biotite	0.3%		14.0%			6.2%			0.2%
Phlogopite									
Actinolite			0.0%			48.1%			0.5%
Hornblende									
Riebeckite									
Serpentine									
Epidote									
Zoisite				19.6%					
Tourmaline-Fe	1.5%								
Ankerite	0.4%								
Siderite	0.1%								
Calcite			0.7%			0.3%			
Dolomite	0.1%			6.1%					
Magnesite									
Alunite-NH				3.6%					
Gypsum									
Jarosite	0.2%	0.2%							
Palygorskite									
Vegetation-Dry									
WhiteMarker									
Wood									
YellowMarker									
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

	G408250 Kaol+White mica Tasmania Basin	G408254 Sandstone - micaceous Lefroy
Number of HyLogger spec	185	297
Number of MLA points	22779	35623

TIR

Groups	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
MISC-SILICATE										
SILICA	33.8%	33.9%	32.1%	33.8%	20.6%	81.5%	91.0%	90.2%		64.5%
K-FELDSPAR	4.7%	4.7%	13.2%	10.9%	15.4%		1.2%			1.9%
PLAGIOCLASE	2.3%	2.0%	4.9%		11.3%	1.1%	2.5%	8.5%		12.5%
GARNET										
PYROXENE										
OLIVINE										
ZEOLITE										
KAOLIN	19.0%	19.0%	21.6%	22.3%	10.1%					0.3%
WHITE-MICA	30.6%	32.9%	28.1%	33.0%	40.4%	0.2%	4.1%	1.3%		13.6%
SMECTITE							0.1%			
OTHER-ALOH										
CHLORITE					0.6%		0.2%			3.5%
DARK-MICA					0.1%					3.0%
AMPHIBOLE					0.1%					0.3%
SERPENTINE										
OTHER-MGOH	9.4%	6.8%								
EPIDOTE										
TOURMALINE										
CARBONATE					0.5%					0.0%
SULPHATE						17.2%	0.9%			
PHOSPHATE	0.3%	0.7%			0.0%					0.2%
BORATE										
OXIDE					0.5%					0.0%
PAL-SEP										
INVALID					0.2%					0.1%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.9%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%		99.8%

Minerals	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
Opal										
Quartz	33.8%	33.9%	32.1%	33.8%	20.7%	81.5%	91.0%	90.2%		64.7%
Anorthoclase										
Microcline	4.4%	4.3%	13.2%	10.9%			1.2%			
Orthoclase	0.3%	0.4%			15.5%					1.9%
Albite	2.3%	2.0%	4.9%		4.3%	1.1%	2.5%	8.5%		11.0%
Bytownite										
Labradorite										
Andesine										
Oligoclase					7.0%					1.5%
Almandine										
Spessartine										
Augite										
Diopside										
Analcime										
Natrolite										
Phillipsite										
Kaolinite-WX	19.0%	19.0%	21.6%	22.3%	10.1%					0.3%
Muscovite	30.2%	32.9%	28.1%	33.0%	3.5%	0.2%	4.1%	1.3%		1.5%
Phengite	0.3%				37.0%					12.1%
Glaucanite										
Montmorillonite							0.1%			
Nontronite										
Pyrophyllite										
Topaz										
Chlorite-Fe					0.6%					3.4%
Chlorite-FeMg							0.2%			0.0%
Biotite					0.1%					3.0%
Phlogopite										
Stilpnomelane										
Actinolite					0.1%					0.3%
AmphiboleML48										
Edenite										
Hornblende										
Riebeckite										
Antigorite										
Lizardite										
Talc	9.4%									
Epidote										
Zoisite										
Rhodochrosite										
Siderite										
Calcite					0.5%					0.0%
Magnesite										
Alunite-K						16.0%	0.2%			
Alunite-Na						1.2%	0.7%			
Gypsum										
Jarosite										
Apatite	0.3%	0.7%			0.0%					0.2%
Rutile										
OXIDE					0.5%					0.0%
	100.0%	93.2%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%		100.0%

	G408250	G408254
	Kaol+White mica Tasmania Basin	Sandstone - micaceous Lefroy
Number of HyLogger spec	185	297
Number of MLA points	22779	35623

SWIR

Groups	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
SILICA						
KAOLIN	50.7%	50.7%	20.8%		0.1%	1.4%
WHITE-MICA	49.3%	49.3%	76.2%	76.2%	76.5%	63.2%
SMECTITE				0.1%	0.1%	
OTHER-ALOH					0.2%	
CHLORITE			1.2%	18.8%	19.7%	18.0%
DARK-MICA			0.3%	0.1%	0.2%	15.5%
AMPHIBOLE			0.2%			1.6%
SERPENTINE						
OTHER-MGOH						
EPIDOTE				0.2%	0.2%	
TOURMALINE					0.2%	
CARBONATE			1.1%	2.4%	1.6%	0.0%
SULPHATE				0.1%		
PAL-SEP						
NOTAROK				0.3%		
INVALID			0.3%	1.4%	1.5%	0.2%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Minerals	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
Opal						
Dickite					0.1%	
Kaolinite-PX						
Kaolinite-WX	50.7%	50.7%	19.4%			1.3%
Nacrite						
Muscovite	14.4%	13.9%	6.8%	3.1%	2.6%	7.5%
Paragonite						
Phengite			71.2%	74.2%	75.1%	58.6%
Muscoviticillite	34.8%	35.4%				
Paragoniticillite						
Phengiticillite						
Montmorillonite				0.1%	0.1%	
Saponite						
Diaspore						
Gibbsite				0.2%		
Topaz						
Chlorite-Fe			1.1%	3.3%	3.6%	16.6%
Chlorite-FeMg				15.5%	16.2%	0.1%
Chlorite-Mg				0.2%	0.2%	
Biotite			0.3%	0.1%	0.2%	14.4%
Phlogopite						
Actinolite			0.2%			1.5%
Hornblende						
Riebeckite						
Serpentine						
Epidote				0.2%	0.2%	
Zoisite						
Tourmaline-Fe				0.2%		
Ankerite				1.6%	1.3%	
Siderite				0.2%	0.2%	
Calcite			1.0%			0.0%
Dolomite				0.3%	0.2%	
Magnesite				0.3%		
Alunite-NH				0.1%		
Gypsum						
Jarosite				0.1%		
Palygorskite						
Vegetation-Dry						
WhiteMarker				0.2%		
Wood				0.1%		
YellowMarker						
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

	G408253 Shale - crypto-micaceous Lefroy	G408261 Shale - graphitic Oonah	G408262 Shale - graphitic Oonah
Number of HyLogger spec	243	132	301
Number of MLA points	33219	35623	37147

TIR

Groups	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
MISC-SILICATE															
SILICA	38.9%	42.6%	53.1%	53.9%	20.6%	49.3%	48.0%	50.6%	47.6%	25.3%	36.0%	40.1%	40.4%	16.6%	
K-FELDSPAR					15.1%	2.2%				10.5%	3.9%	12.4%	6.1%	15.6%	
PLAGIOCLASE					7.7%					11.9%	1.9%			10.3%	
GARNET															
PYROXENE															
OLIVINE															
ZEOLITE															
KAOLIN					0.1%					0.4%					0.1%
WHITE-MICA	43.8%	45.5%	46.4%	46.1%	38.4%	15.3%	25.1%	37.9%	45.6%	42.6%	49.5%	47.6%	53.5%	55.2%	
SMECTITE		0.4%									0.1%				
OTHER-ALOH		0.2%									0.1%				
CHLORITE		0.0%	0.5%		3.1%	13.4%	6.2%	11.4%	6.8%	6.0%					0.3%
DARK-MICA					14.2%					2.2%					1.1%
AMPHIBOLE					0.1%					0.0%					0.0%
SERPENTINE															
OTHER-MGOH						19.7%	20.7%				3.1%				
EPIDOTE															
TOURMALINE															
CARBONATE										0.0%					
SULPHATE	17.1%	10.1%									5.5%				
PHOSPHATE					0.0%					0.0%					0.0%
BORATE															
OXIDE	0.2%	1.2%			0.0%					0.0%					
PAL-SEP															
INVALID					0.5%					1.0%					0.7%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.8%	99.9%	100.0%	99.9%	100.0%	99.9%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Minerals	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
Opal															
Quartz	38.9%	42.6%	53.1%	53.9%	20.7%	49.3%	48.0%	50.6%	47.6%	25.6%	36.0%	40.1%	40.4%	16.7%	
Anorthoclase															
Microcline						2.2%					3.6%	12.4%	6.1%		
Orthoclase					15.2%					10.6%	0.2%	0.0%			15.7%
Albite					5.9%					9.5%	1.9%				9.1%
Bytownite															
Labradorite															
Andesine															
Oligoclase					1.9%					2.5%					1.3%
Almandine															
Spessartine															
Augite															
Diopside															
Analcime															
Natrolite															
Phillipsite															
Kaolinite-WX					0.1%					0.4%					0.1%
Muscovite	43.8%	45.5%	46.4%	46.1%	1.8%	15.3%	25.1%	37.9%	45.6%	2.2%	49.5%	47.6%	53.5%	1.4%	
Phengite					36.8%					40.9%					54.2%
Glaucinite															
Montmorillonite		0.4%									0.1%				
Nontronite															
Pyrophyllite															
Topaz		0.2%									0.1%				
Chlorite-Fe		0.0%	0.4%		3.0%	9.1%	6.2%	2.4%		6.0%					0.3%
Chlorite-FeMg			0.0%		0.1%	4.4%	1.0%	9.1%	6.8%						0.0%
Biotite					14.3%					2.2%					1.1%
Phlogopite															
Stilpnomelane															
Actinolite					0.1%					0.0%					0.0%
AmphiboleML48															
Edenite															
Hornblende															
Riebeckite															
Antigorite															
Lizardite															
Talc						19.7%	20.7%				3.1%				
Epidote															
Zoisite															
Rhodochrosite															
Siderite															
Calcite										0.0%					
Magnesite															
Alunite-K	4.4%										5.4%				
Alunite-Na	12.7%	10.1%													
Gypsum											0.0%				
Jarosite															
Apatite					0.0%					0.0%					0.0%
Rutile	0.2%	1.2%													
OXIDE	0.2%	1.2%			0.0%					0.0%					
	100.2%	101.2%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	101.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

	G408253	G408261	G408262
	Shale - crypto-micaceous	Shale - graphitic	Shale - graphitic
	Lefroy	Oonah	Oonah
Number of HyLogger spec	243	132	301
Number of MLA points	33219	35623	37147

SWIR

Groups	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
SILICA									
KAOLIN			0.1%						0.2%
WHITE-MICA	23.6%	21.6%	67.7%	20.0%	20.0%	83.2%	1.0%		97.3%
SMECTITE	0.7%						0.3%		
OTHER-ALOH	1.1%	0.1%					1.0%		
CHLORITE	1.3%	1.9%	5.6%			12.3%			0.5%
DARK-MICA			26.3%			4.4%			1.9%
AMPHIBOLE			0.3%						0.1%
SERPENTINE									
OTHER-MGOH									
EPIDOTE	0.4%								
TOURMALINE									
CARBONATE	0.2%	0.2%							
SULPHATE	0.1%								
PAL-SEP									
NOTAROK	0.3%						0.7%		
INVALID	72.2%	76.2%	0.0%	80.0%	80.0%	0.1%	97.0%	100.0%	0.0%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Minerals	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
Opal						33.1%			
Dickite									
Kaolinite-PX									
Kaolinite-WX			0.1%			0.3%			0.2%
Nacrite									
Muscovite	6.3%	7.6%	3.2%	20.0%	20.0%	1.8%	22.2%		2.5%
Paragonite									
Phengite	78.7%	83.4%	65.5%			14.2%	11.1%		94.9%
Muscoviticillite									
Paragoniticillite									
Phengiticillite									
Montmorillonite	2.7%						11.1%		
Saponite									
Diaspore									
Gibbsite	0.6%								
Topaz	3.4%	0.3%					33.3%		
Chlorite-Fe	1.4%	2.6%	5.4%			4.0%			0.5%
Chlorite-FeMg	3.4%	5.4%	0.1%			0.0%			0.0%
Chlorite-Mg									
Biotite			25.4%			3.5%			1.9%
Phlogopite									
Actinolite			0.3%			0.4%			0.1%
Hornblende									
Riebeckite									
Serpentine									
Epidote	0.9%								
Zoisite	0.5%								
Tourmaline-Fe									
Ankerite	0.6%	0.7%							
Siderite									
Calcite						0.0%			
Dolomite									
Magnesite									
Alunite-NH	0.4%								
Gypsum									
Jarosite									
Palygorskite									
Vegetation-Dry	0.5%								
WhiteMarker							11.1%		
Wood	0.6%						11.1%		
YellowMarker									
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	20.0%	20.0%	57.3%	100.0%		100.0%

	G408266 Chl+Amph Cleveland					G408268 Chl+Amph Cleveland					G408279 Chl+Biot Yilgarn - Ravensthorp				
Number of HyLogger spec	147					174					98				
Number of MLA points	39994					40827					30752				

TIR

Groups	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
MISC-SILICATE															
SILICA	17.8%	12.0%	16.6%	20.3%	11.3%	38.2%	40.1%	39.9%	39.0%	25.1%					0.0%
K-FELDSPAR	3.5%	18.6%			2.5%					0.1%					
PLAGIOCLASE	1.0%				7.6%	0.3%	0.5%			0.2%					0.0%
GARNET											0.1%				
PYROXENE	1.4%	4.6%					0.1%								
OLIVINE															
ZEOLITE															
KAOLIN					0.0%					0.0%					
WHITE-MICA		2.5%			11.2%	0.1%	0.1%			0.3%					
SMECTITE		1.4%													
OTHER-ALOH															
CHLORITE	15.6%	55.0%	36.1%	24.2%	15.3%	20.0%	22.2%	24.2%	21.0%	6.9%	69.9%	2.2%	73.1%	70.8%	10.2%
DARK-MICA	1.7%	1.3%	12.2%	7.2%	11.3%	38.7%	35.4%	35.7%	40.1%	65.8%	30.1%	97.7%	26.9%	29.2%	87.5%
AMPHIBOLE	55.9%	3.8%	35.1%	48.4%	35.4%		0.4%	0.2%		0.0%					1.5%
SERPENTINE	0.1%						0.1%								
OTHER-MGOH						2.8%									
EPIDOTE		0.2%			1.0%										
TOURMALINE															
CARBONATE					0.4%		0.2%			1.0%					
SULPHATE	3.1%	0.7%					0.2%								
PHOSPHATE					0.3%					0.0%					
BORATE															
OXIDE					2.8%		0.7%			0.3%					0.0%
PAL-SEP															
INVALID					0.5%					0.1%					0.6%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.6%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.8%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.8%

Minerals	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
Opal															
Quartz	17.8%	12.0%	16.6%	20.3%	11.9%	38.2%	40.1%	39.9%	39.0%	25.2%					0.0%
Anorthoclase															
Microcline	2.4%	8.4%													
Orthoclase	1.1%	10.1%			2.6%					0.1%					
Albite					0.1%	0.3%	0.5%			0.1%					0.0%
Bytownite															
Labradorite															
Andesine	1.0%														
Oligoclase					7.9%					0.0%					0.0%
Almandine											0.1%				
Spessartine															
Augite	1.4%						0.1%								
Diopside		4.6%													
Analcime															
Natrolite															
Phillipsite															
Kaolinite-WX					0.0%					0.0%					
Muscovite		1.8%			0.6%	0.1%	0.1%			0.0%					
Phengite		0.7%			11.2%					0.3%					
Glauconite															
Montmorillonite		1.4%													
Nontronite															
Pyrophyllite															
Topaz															
Chlorite-Fe	12.6%	48.9%	28.0%	20.1%	16.0%	3.1%		1.4%	0.5%	6.6%		0.1%	4.7%		0.0%
Chlorite-FeMg	2.9%	6.1%	8.1%	4.0%	0.0%	16.9%	22.2%	22.9%	20.5%	0.4%	69.9%	2.2%	68.4%	70.8%	10.3%
Biotite	1.7%	1.3%	11.5%	5.5%	11.9%	38.7%	35.4%	35.7%	40.1%	66.1%	30.1%	97.7%	26.9%	29.2%	88.2%
Phlogopite			0.7%	1.7%											
Stilpnomelane															
Actinolite		0.9%	18.4%	8.4%	37.1%			0.2%		0.0%					1.5%
AmphiboleML48			0.3%												
Edenite	23.0%	0.7%	1.6%	12.8%											
Hornblende	32.9%	1.3%	14.8%	27.2%			0.4%								
Riebeckite		0.8%													
Antigorite							0.1%								
Lizardite	0.1%														
Talc						2.8%									
Epidote															
Zoisite		0.2%													
Rhodochrosite										1.0%					
Siderite							0.1%								
Calcite					0.4%		0.1%								
Magnesite															
Alunite-K	3.1%	0.4%													
Alunite-Na															
Gypsum															
Jarosite		0.2%					0.2%								
Apatite					0.3%					0.0%					
Rutile							0.7%								
OXIDE							0.7%			0.0%					0.0%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.7%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

	G408266 Chl+Amph Cleveland	G408268 Chl+Amph Cleveland	G408279 Chl+Biot Yilgarn - Ravensthorp
Number of HyLogger spec	147	174	98
Number of MLA points	39994	40827	30752

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Groups	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
SILICA									
KAOLIN			0.0%			0.0%			
WHITE-MICA	10.3%	10.9%	14.5%	0.7%	0.7%	0.4%			
SMECTITE									
OTHER-ALOH									
CHLORITE	76.9%	78.3%	20.8%	43.7%	46.6%	9.0%	1.0%	1.0%	0.0%
DARK-MICA	3.1%	2.2%	15.5%	53.5%	52.6%	90.5%	99.0%	99.0%	97.7%
AMPHIBOLE	5.6%	4.0%	48.2%	1.6%		0.1%			1.6%
SERPENTINE				0.2%					
OTHER-MGOH									
EPIDOTE	0.4%			0.1%	0.1%				
TOURMALINE	1.4%								
CARBONATE	0.1%		0.5%	0.3%					
SULPHATE									
PAL-SEP									
NOTAROK									
INVALID	2.3%	4.5%	0.4%			0.1%			0.6%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Minerals	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
Opal									
Dickite									
Kaolinite-PX									
Kaolinite-WX			0.0%			0.0%			
Nacrite									
Muscovite	10.2%	10.8%	0.8%	0.3%	0.3%	0.0%			
Paragonite									
Phengite	0.4%	0.5%	14.5%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%			
Muscoviticillite									
Paragoniticillite									
Phengiticillite									
Montmorillonite									
Saponite									
Diaspore									
Gibbsite									
Topaz									
Chlorite-Fe			20.7%	7.1%	7.2%	8.9%			0.0%
Chlorite-FeMg	78.6%	82.1%	0.0%	36.3%	39.1%	0.5%			10.3%
Chlorite-Mg				0.3%	0.3%		1.0%	1.0%	
Biotite	1.7%	1.1%	15.4%	51.8%	50.2%	90.1%			88.2%
Phlogopite	1.4%	1.2%		1.7%	2.4%		99.0%	99.0%	
Actinolite			48.0%			0.1%			1.5%
Hornblende	3.8%	4.2%		1.6%					
Riebeckite	1.9%								
Serpentine				0.2%					
Epidote	0.4%			0.1%	0.1%				
Zoisite									
Tourmaline-Fe	1.4%								
Ankerite				0.1%					
Siderite									
Calcite	0.2%		0.5%	0.2%					
Dolomite									
Magnesite									
Alunite-NH									
Gypsum									
Jarosite									
Palygorskite									
Vegetation-Dry									
WhiteMarker									
Wood									
YellowMarker									
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

	408253av Shale - crypto-micaceous Lefroy	G408261av Shale - graphitic Oonah	G408262av Shale - graphitic Oonah
Number of HyLogger spec	243	132	301
Number of MLA points	33219	35623	37147

TIR

Groups	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
MISC-SILICATE															
SILICA	37.7%	37.7%	51.1%	52.1%	20.6%	49.3%	48.0%	50.6%	47.6%	25.3%	35.5%	37.8%	39.8%	39.5%	16.6%
K-FELDSPAR					15.1%	2.2%				10.5%	7.0%	5.9%			15.6%
PLAGIOCLASE					7.7%					11.9%		2.5%			10.3%
GARNET															
PYROXENE															
OLIVINE															
ZEOLITE															
KAOLIN					0.1%					0.4%					0.1%
WHITE-MICA	44.3%	44.3%	48.9%	47.9%	38.4%	15.3%	25.1%	37.9%	45.6%	42.6%	44.3%	48.9%	60.2%	60.5%	55.2%
SMECTITE															
OTHER-ALOH															
CHLORITE					3.1%	13.4%	6.2%	11.4%	6.8%	6.0%					0.3%
DARK-MICA					14.2%					2.2%					1.1%
AMPHIBOLE					0.1%					0.0%	1.1%				0.0%
SERPENTINE															
OTHER-MGOH						19.7%	20.7%				3.1%	3.1%			
EPIDOTE															
TOURMALINE															
CARBONATE										0.0%					
SULPHATE	18.0%	18.0%									8.9%	1.8%			
PHOSPHATE					0.0%					0.0%					0.0%
BORATE															
OXIDE					0.0%					0.0%					
PAL-SEP															
INVALID					0.5%					1.0%					0.7%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.8%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.9%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Minerals	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD	sTSAT	sjCLST	dCLST	dTSAT	XMOD
Opal															
Quartz		37.7%	51.1%	52.1%	20.7%	49.3%	48.0%	50.6%	47.6%	25.6%	35.5%	37.8%	39.8%	39.5%	16.7%
Anorthoclase															
Microcline						2.2%					7.0%	5.9%			
Orthoclase					15.2%					10.6%					15.7%
Albite					5.9%					9.5%		2.5%			9.1%
Bytownite															
Labradorite															
Andesine															
Oligoclase					1.9%					2.5%					1.3%
Almandine															
Spessartine															
Augite															
Diopside															
Analcime															
Natrolite															
Phillipsite															
Kaolinite-WX					0.1%					0.4%					0.1%
Muscovite	44.3%	44.3%	48.9%	47.9%	1.8%	15.3%	25.1%	37.9%	45.6%	2.2%	44.3%	48.9%	60.2%	60.5%	1.4%
Phengite					36.8%					40.9%					54.2%
Glauconite															
Montmorillonite															
Nontronite															
Pyrophyllite															
Topaz															
Chlorite-Fe					3.0%	9.1%	6.2%	2.4%		6.0%					0.3%
Chlorite-FeMg					0.1%	4.4%		9.1%	6.8%						0.0%
Biotite					14.3%					2.2%					1.1%
Phlogopite															
Stilpnomelane															
Actinolite					0.1%					0.0%					0.0%
AmphiboleML48															
Edenite											1.1%				
Hornblende															
Riebeckite															
Antigorite															
Lizardite															
Talc						1969.6%	20.7%				3.1%	3.1%			
Epidote															
Zoisite															
Rhodochrosite															
Siderite															
Calcite										0.0%					
Magnesite															
Alunite-K	11.6%	11.6%									8.9%	1.8%			
Alunite-Na	6.5%	6.5%													
Gypsum															
Jarosite															
Apatite					0.0%					0.0%					0.0%
Rutile															
OXIDE					0.0%					0.0%					
	62.3%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	2049.9%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

	408253av Shale - crypto-micaceous Lefroy	G408261av Shale - graphitic Oonah	G408262av Shale - graphitic Oonah
Number of HyLogger spec	243	132	301
Number of MLA points	33219	35623	37147

SWIR

Groups	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
SILICA						34.0%			
KAOLIN			0.1%			0.6%			0.1%
WHITE-MICA	86.5%	91.4%	49.1%	20.0%	20.0%	54.4%	63.6%	50.0%	74.8%
SMECTITE	7.7%								
OTHER-ALOH									
CHLORITE		2.0%	4.1%			8.0%			0.4%
DARK-MICA			19.0%			2.9%			1.5%
AMPHIBOLE			0.2%			0.0%			0.0%
SERPENTINE									
OTHER-MGOH									
EPIDOTE	1.4%								
TOURMALINE									
CARBONATE	2.5%	4.8%				0.0%	3.1%		
SULPHATE									
PAL-SEP									
NOTAROK	1.8%	1.8%							
INVALID			0.0%	80.0%	80.0%	0.1%	33.3%	50.0%	0.0%
	100.0%	100.0%	72.4%	100.0%	100.0%	100.1%	100.0%	100.0%	76.9%

Minerals	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD	sTSAS	uTSAS	XMOD
Opal						33.1%			
Dickite									
Kaolinite-PX									
Kaolinite-WX			0.1%			0.3%			0.1%
Nacrite									
Muscovite			2.3%	20.0%	20.0%	1.8%	16.7%	12.5%	1.9%
Paragonite									
Phengite	86.5%	91.4%	47.9%			14.2%	46.9%	37.5%	73.4%
Muscoviticillite									
Paragoniticillite									
Phengiticillite									
Montmorillonite									
Saponite	7.7%								
Diaspore									
Gibbsite									
Topaz									
Chlorite-Fe			4.0%			4.0%			0.4%
Chlorite-FeMg		2.0%	0.1%			0.0%			0.0%
Chlorite-Mg									
Biotite			18.6%			3.5%			1.4%
Phlogopite									
Actinolite			0.2%			0.4%			0.0%
Hornblende									
Riebeckite									
Serpentine									
Epidote									
Zoisite	1.4%								
Tourmaline-Fe									
Ankerite	2.5%	4.8%					3.1%		
Siderite									
Calcite						0.0%			
Dolomite									
Magnesite									
Alunite-NH									
Gypsum									
Jarosite									
Palygorskite									
Vegetation-Dry	1.8%	1.8%							
WhiteMarker									
Wood									
YellowMarker									
	100.0%	100.0%	73.1%	20.0%	20.0%	57.3%	66.7%	50.0%	77.3%

Appendix 2. Full MLA results

MLA data was acquired at the University of Tasmania Central Science Laboratory using an FEI MLA650 SEM. The SEM was equipped with a Bruker Quantax Esprit 1.9 EDS system with two XFlash 5030 SDD detectors. The MnK α resolution was 133eV and the system had a combined throughput was up to 800kcps.

Operating conditions were 20keV, dead time around 30%, 400 kcps throughput, 13 mm

working distance. The spot size was less than 1 μm .

The MLA analytical settings were 5ms count time per spot and 210-450 μm step size (70 and 150 pixels) depending on the overall sample area. BSE imagery was acquired with a CBS solid state detector.

[Table A2.1. Mineral compositions used in the XMOD reference mineral library.](#)

Mineral	SiO2	Al (%)	C (%)	Ca (%)	Ce (%)	Cl (%)	F (%)	Fe (%)	H (%)	K (%)	La (%)	Mg (%)	Mn (%)	Na (%)	Nd (%)	O (%)	P (%)	Pb (%)	RE (%)	S (%)	Si (%)	Ti (%)	Zr (%)	Density
Quartz	SiO2	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	53.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	46.74	0.00	0.00	2.63
Albite	NaAlSi3O8	10.77	0.00	0.76	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	8.30	0.00	48.66	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	31.50	0.00	0.00	2.62
Plagioclase	Ca0.4Na0.6Al1.4Si2.6O8	14.06	0.00	5.97	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.14	0.00	47.65	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	27.19	0.00	0.00	2.67
Pl_or_Ab-Cal mix	Ca0.4Na0.6Al1.4Si2.6O8Ca (CO3)	10.24	3.26	15.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.74	0.00	47.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	19.81	0.00	0.00	2.70
K-Feldspar	KAlSi3O8	9.69	0.00	8.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	14.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	45.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	30.28	0.00	0.00	2.56
Actinolite	Ca2Mg3Fe2+2Si8O22(OH)2	1.39	0.00	8.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	8.57	0.23	0.00	0.00	9.71	0.12	0.59	0.00	35.34	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	35.34	0.11	0.00	3.04
Muscovite	KAl3Si3O10(OH)1.9F0.1	20.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.95	0.00	0.45	9.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	47.36	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	21.13	0.00	0.00	2.83
Muscovite_minorFe	KAl3Si3O10(OH)1.9F0.1	20.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.95	0.00	0.45	9.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	47.36	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	21.13	0.00	0.00	2.83
Biotite	KMg2.5Fe2+0.5AlSi3O10(OH)1.75F0.25	6.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.09	6.44	0.40	9.01	0.00	14.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	43.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	19.44	0.00	0.00	3.10
Chlorite	(Mg,Fe)3(Si,Al)4O10(OH)2.(Mg,Fe)3(OH)6	8.34	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.91	1.25	0.00	0.00	11.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	44.53	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	8.69	0.00	0.00	2.95
Chlorite_Fe	(Fe2+,Mg,Fe3+,Al)Si3Al10(OH,OH)8	8.21	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	28.34	0.61	0.00	0.00	6.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	43.84	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	12.83	0.00	0.00	2.80
Kaolinite	Al2Si2O5(OH)4	20.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.56	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	55.78	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	21.75	0.00	0.00	2.60
Epidote-Allanite	Ca2Al2(Fe3+,Al)(SiO4)(Si2O7)O(OH)	14.39	0.00	17.10	0.00	0.00	5.96	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	44.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	17.97	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.45
Spessartine	Mn2+3Al2(SiO4)3	10.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	33.29	0.00	0.00	38.78	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	17.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.18
Calcite	Ca(CO3)	0.00	12.00	40.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	47.95	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.71
Dolomite	CaMg(CO3)2	0.00	13.02	21.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	13.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	52.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.85
Ca-REE carbonate	Ca(Ce,Nd,La)(CO3)2F	0.00	7.50	12.52	14.59	0.00	5.93	0.00	0.00	0.00	14.46	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.02	29.98	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.00
Alumina-Cal	Alumina-Cal	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00
Ca-Al-Fe-Mg silicate	Ca2(Mg,Fe,Al)5(Al,Si)8O22(OH)2	17.68	0.00	9.27	0.00	0.00	10.76	0.23	0.00	0.00	4.68	0.00	0.00	0.00	44.39	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	12.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.90
Titanite	CaTiSiO5	2.72	0.00	19.26	0.00	0.00	0.96	1.41	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	39.65	0.00	0.00	3.64	0.00	14.20	18.16	0.00	3.48
Apatite	Ca5(PO4)(F,Cl,OH)	0.00	0.00	39.37	0.00	2.32	1.24	0.00	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	38.76	18.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.19
Ilmenite-Mn	Fe0.7Mn0.3TiO3	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.81	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.88	0.00	0.00	31.69	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	31.62	0.00	4.72
Rutile	TiO2	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	40.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	59.95	0.00	4.25
Fe-oxide	Fe3O4	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	72.36	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	27.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.15
Pyrite	Fe2+S2	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	46.54	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	53.46	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.01
Galena	PbS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	86.60	0.00	13.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	7.40
Zircon	ZrSiO4	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	34.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.32	0.00	49.76	4.65

G408251			
Mineral	Wt%	Area%	Point Count
Unknown	0.00	0.11	38
Quartz	18.58	19.12	6696
Albite	7.56	7.79	2729
K-Feldspar	17.23	18.18	6366
Muscovite	4.48	4.28	1500
Muscovite_minorFe	41.07	39.27	13753
Biotite	0.32	0.28	97
Chlorite_Fe	0.34	0.33	116
Kaolinite	9.66	10.03	3514
Epidote-Allanite	0.42	0.33	116
Calcite	0.18	0.18	62
Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0
Rutile	0.06	0.04	13
Apatite	0.04	0.03	12
Ca-REE carbonate	0.01	0.01	2
Zircon	0.02	0.01	5
Pyrite	0.03	0.01	5
Galena	0.01	0.00	1
Total	100.00	100.00	35025

G408275			
Mineral	Wt%	Area%	Point Count
Unknown	0.00	0.51	197
Low_Counts	0.00	0.00	0
No_XRay	0.00	0.00	0
Quartz	22.19	22.66	8695
Albite	2.47	2.52	968
Plagioclase	59.32	59.54	22853
K-Feldspar	4.08	4.27	1638
Actinolite	1.08	0.95	365
Muscovite	0.25	0.24	92
Muscovite_minorFe	0.68	0.65	248
Biotite	6.13	5.30	2033
Chlorite	2.06	1.87	717
Chlorite_Fe	0.15	0.14	55
Kaolinite	0.47	0.49	187
Titanite	0.28	0.21	82
Calcite	0.28	0.27	105
Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0
Rutile	0.00	0.00	0
Apatite	0.23	0.20	75
Ca-REE carbonate	0.01	0.01	2
Zircon	0.03	0.02	6
Pyrite	0.30	0.16	62
Galena	0.00	0.00	0
Pen	0.00	0.00	0
Pen_2	0.00	0.00	0
Alumina-Cal	0.00	0.00	0
NiP_holder	0.00	0.00	0
Total	100.00	100.00	38380

G408243			
Mineral	Wt%	Area%	Point Count
Unknown	0.00	1.28	1504
Low_Counts	0.00	0.00	0
No_XRay	0.00	0.00	0
Quartz	13.66	13.37	15748
Albite	35.03	34.34	40455
K-Feldspar	46.12	46.26	54507
Muscovite	0.61	0.56	655
Muscovite_minorFe	3.06	2.78	3273
Chlorite_Fe	0.47	0.43	512
Kaolinite	0.24	0.24	279
Calcite	0.74	0.70	828
Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0
Rutile	0.03	0.02	24
Apatite	0.02	0.02	19
Ca-REE carbonate	0.02	0.01	12
Total	100.00	100.00	117816

G408265			
Mineral	Wt%	Area%	Point Count
Unknown	0.00	0.02	7
Quartz	21.30	26.09	10197
Albite	0.01	0.01	5
Plagioclase	0.06	0.07	26
K-Feldspar	0.24	0.31	120
Spessartine	20.25	15.57	6087
Ca-Al-Fe-Mg silicate	0.53	0.59	230
Actinolite	0.02	0.02	7
Muscovite	1.42	1.62	633
Muscovite_minorFe	0.35	0.39	154
Biotite	46.75	48.47	18947
Chlorite	0.07	0.08	30
Chlorite_Fe	1.87	2.15	841
Kaolinite	0.01	0.02	7
Titanite	0.00	0.00	0
Ilmenite-Mn	0.16	0.11	43
Fe-oxide	6.37	3.97	1553
Calcite	0.01	0.01	5
Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0
Rutile	0.00	0.00	1
Apatite	0.38	0.38	149
Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	0
Zircon	0.02	0.01	5
Pyrite	0.18	0.11	44
Galena	0.00	0.00	0
Total	100.00	100.00	39091

G408264			
Mineral	Wt%	Area%	Point Count
Unknown	0.00	0.07	26
Quartz	12.58	14.49	5365
Albite	0.02	0.02	7
K-Feldspar	0.91	1.08	399
Muscovite	0.28	0.30	110
Muscovite_minorFe	0.64	0.68	252
Biotite	67.09	65.43	24226
Chlorite_Fe	8.15	8.80	3257
Kaolinite	0.08	0.09	34
Epidote-Allanite	9.09	7.97	2951
Calcite	0.35	0.39	146
Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0
Rutile	0.00	0.00	0
Apatite	0.54	0.51	190
Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	0
Zircon	0.06	0.04	14
Pyrite	0.21	0.13	47
Galena	0.01	0.00	1
Total	100.00	100.00	37025

G408260			
Mineral	Wt%	Area%	Point Count
Unknown	0.00	0.01	4
Quartz	21.17	22.12	7846
Albite	3.70	3.87	1372
Plagioclase	1.16	1.19	421
K-Feldspar	19.21	20.58	7299
Actinolite	0.01	0.01	3
Muscovite	10.70	10.39	3685
Muscovite_minorFe	38.14	37.03	13133
Biotite	2.79	2.47	876
Chlorite	0.03	0.03	9
Chlorite_Fe	1.35	1.32	469
Kaolinite	0.04	0.04	14
Titanite	0.00	0.00	0
Ilmenite-Mn	0.00	0.00	0
Fe-oxide	0.32	0.17	61
Calcite	0.00	0.00	0
Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0
Rutile	0.02	0.01	5
Apatite	0.02	0.01	5
Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	0
Zircon	0.00	0.00	1
Pyrite	1.35	0.74	262
Galena	0.00	0.00	0
Total	100.00	100.00	35465

G408245			
Mineral	Wt%	Area%	Point Count
Unknown	0.00	0.07	23
Quartz	20.81	21.69	7244
Albite	21.35	22.29	7446
Plagioclase	5.38	5.51	1842
Pl_or_Ab-Cal mix	3.94	3.99	1333
K-Feldspar	0.11	0.11	38
Actinolite	0.28	0.25	84
Muscovite	0.75	0.72	241
Muscovite_minorFe	8.93	8.65	2888
Biotite	12.32	10.87	3632
Chlorite	0.14	0.13	43
Chlorite_Fe	9.21	9.00	3006
Kaolinite	0.01	0.01	3
Titanite	0.00	0.00	1
Calcite	16.18	16.33	5456
Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0
Rutile	0.11	0.07	23
Apatite	0.13	0.11	37
Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	0
Zircon	0.00	0.00	0
Pyrite	0.35	0.19	64
Galena	0.00	0.00	0
Total	100.00	100.00	33404

G408246				G408248			
Mineral	Wt%	Area%	Point Count	Mineral	Wt%	Area%	Point Count
Unknown	0.00	2.18	738	Unknown	0.00	0.23	72.50
Low_Counts	0.00	0.00	0	Low_Counts	0.00	0.00	0.00
No_XRay	0.00	0.00	0	No_XRay	0.00	0.00	0.00
Quartz	11.79	12.42	4200	Quartz	8.66	9.00	2933.00
Albite	8.80	9.29	3141	Albite	12.06	12.57	4103.50
Plagioclase	5.17	5.35	1811	Plagioclase	4.00	4.09	1266.50
K-Feldspar	6.18	6.68	2258	K-Feldspar	27.12	28.93	9284.00
Actinolite	0.70	0.64	215	Actinolite	0.00	0.00	1.00
Muscovite	0.21	0.20	68	Muscovite	2.87	2.77	922.00
Muscovite_minorFe	13.69	13.39	4530	Muscovite_minorFe	37.06	35.82	11325.00
Biotite	35.11	31.31	10589	Biotite	2.98	2.63	844.00
Chlorite	0.06	0.06	20	Chlorite	0.00	0.00	0.00
Chlorite_Fe	3.07	3.03	1026	Chlorite_Fe	1.47	1.43	461.00
Kaolinite	0.19	0.20	67	Kaolinite	0.02	0.02	7.00
Titanite	0.10	0.08	28	Allanite	0.08	0.05	18.00
Ilmenite-Mn	0.01	0.00	1	Titanite	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fe-oxide	0.00	0.00	0	Ilmenite-Mn	0.03	0.02	5.50
Calcite	14.66	14.95	5058	Fe-oxide	0.00	0.00	0.00
Dolomite	0.19	0.18	62	Calcite	0.72	0.72	227.50
Carbonate-FeMg	0.00	0.00	0	Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rutile	0.02	0.01	5	Carbonate-FeMg	0.00	0.00	0.00
Apatite	0.02	0.02	6	Rutile	0.12	0.08	25.50
Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	0	Apatite	0.31	0.26	85.00
Zircon	0.00	0.00	0	Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	0.00
Pyrite	0.01	0.00	1	Zircon	0.00	0.00	1.00
Chalcopyrite	0.00	0.00	0	Pyrite	2.49	1.36	443.00
Galena	0.01	0.00	1	Chalcopyrite	0.00	0.00	0.50
Pen	0.00	0.00	0	Galena	0.00	0.00	0.00
Pen_2	0.00	0.00	0	Pen	0.00	0.00	0.00
Alumina-Cal	0.00	0.00	0	Pen_2	0.00	0.00	0.00
NiP_holder	0.00	0.00	0	Alumina-Cal	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total	100.00	100.00	33825	NiP_holder	0.00	0.00	0.00
				Total	100.00	100.00	64051

G408255				G408276			
Mineral	Wt%	Area%	Point Count	Mineral	Wt%	Area%	Point Count
Unknown	0.00	0.00	2	Unknown	0.00	0.02	8
Low Counts	0.00	0.00	0	Low Counts	0.00	0.00	0
No XRay	0.00	0.00	0	No XRay	0.00	0.00	0
Quartz	8.70	9.20	3931	Quartz	1.20	1.41	561
Albite	10.65	11.28	4821	Albite	0.18	0.21	84
Plagioclase	9.39	9.76	4171	Plagioclase	0.05	0.06	24
K-Feldspar	24.26	26.30	11240	K-Feldspar	46.61	56.12	22257
Actinolite	0.30	0.27	117	Actinolite	0.00	0.01	2
Muscovite	1.59	1.56	666	Muscovite	2.13	2.32	920
Muscovite minorFe	9.94	9.77	4175	Muscovite minorFe	14.99	16.36	6488
Biotite	27.97	25.04	10703	Biotite	3.40	3.38	1341
Chlorite	5.81	5.46	2335	Chlorite	0.09	0.10	38
Chlorite Fe	1.05	1.04	444	Chlorite Fe	1.67	1.84	730
Kaolinite	0.05	0.06	25	Kaolinite	0.03	0.03	13
Titanite	0.00	0.00	0	Allanite	0.07	0.05	21
Ilmenite-Mn	0.00	0.00	0	Titanite	0.23	0.20	81
Fe-oxide	0.00	0.00	0	Rutile	0.00	0.00	1
Calcite	0.07	0.07	30	Pyrophanite	1.16	0.76	301
Dolomite	0.04	0.04	18	Ilmenite-Mn	0.17	0.11	45
Carbonate-FeMg	0.00	0.00	0	Fe-oxide	25.65	15.35	6087
Rutile	0.03	0.02	7	Calcite	0.16	0.18	70
Apatite	0.09	0.08	34	Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0
Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	0	Carbonate-FeMg	0.01	0.01	2
Zircon	0.00	0.00	1	Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	1
Pyrite	0.05	0.03	13	Apatite	0.03	0.03	10
Chalcopyrite	0.01	0.00	2	Barite	0.05	0.04	14
Galena	0.01	0.00	1	Zircon	0.01	0.01	2
Pen	0.00	0.00	0	Pyrite	1.55	0.95	378
Pen 2	0.00	0.00	0	Chalcopyrite	0.31	0.23	91
Alumina-Cal	0.00	0.00	0	Galena	0.00	0.00	0
NiP holder	0.00	0.00	0	Fluorite	0.23	0.22	89
Total	100.00	100.00	42736	Pen	0.00	0.00	0
				Pen 2	0.00	0.00	0
				Alumina-Cal	0.00	0.00	0
				NiP holder	0.00	0.00	0
				Total	100.00	100.00	39659

G408277				G408249			
Mineral	Wt%	Area%	Point Count	Mineral	Wt%	Area%	Point Count
Unknown	0.00	0.70	286	Unknown	0.00	0.03	8
Low Counts	0.00	0.00	0	Low Counts	0.00	0.00	0
No XRay	0.00	0.00	0	No XRay	0.00	0.00	0
Quartz	1.30	1.41	578	Quartz	3.61	3.86	1068
Albite	8.12	8.80	3607	Albite	1.29	1.38	383
Plagioclase	18.93	20.14	8254	Plagioclase	1.61	1.70	469
K-Feldspar	16.60	18.42	7546	K-Feldspar	0.70	0.77	213
Actinolite	24.09	22.51	9222	Actinolite	0.53	0.49	136
Muscovite	0.38	0.38	157	Muscovite	13.72	13.63	3771
Muscovite_minorFe	12.48	12.55	5142	Muscovite_minorFe	75.96	75.47	20873
Biotite	3.19	2.92	1198	Biotite	0.18	0.16	44
Chlorite	6.98	6.72	2755	Chlorite	0.02	0.02	5
Chlorite_Fe	1.46	1.48	608	Chlorite_Fe	0.44	0.44	122
Kaolinite	0.06	0.07	29	Kaolinite	1.83	1.98	547
Titanite	0.79	0.65	265	Titanite	0.00	0.00	0
Ilmenite-Mn	0.59	0.36	146	Ilmenite-Mn	0.01	0.01	2
Fe-oxide	4.57	2.52	1032	Fe-oxide	0.00	0.00	0
Calcite	0.15	0.15	63	Calcite	0.00	0.00	0
Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0	Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0
Carbonate-FeMg	0.29	0.21	86	Carbonate-FeMg	0.01	0.00	1
Rutile	0.00	0.00	1	Rutile	0.07	0.04	12
Apatite	0.00	0.00	0	Apatite	0.00	0.00	1
Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	0	Ca-REE carbonate	0.01	0.00	1
Zircon	0.00	0.00	0	Zircon	0.01	0.01	2
Pyrite	0.00	0.00	0	Pyrite	0.00	0.00	0
Chalcopyrite	0.00	0.00	0	Chalcopyrite	0.00	0.00	0
Galena	0.00	0.00	0	Galena	0.00	0.00	0
Pen	0.00	0.00	0	Pen	0.00	0.00	0
Pen_2	0.00	0.00	0	Pen_2	0.00	0.00	0
Alumina-Cal	0.00	0.00	0	Alumina-Cal	0.00	0.00	0
NiP_holder	0.00	0.00	0	NiP_holder	0.00	0.00	0
Total	100.00	100.00	40975	Total	100.00	100.00	27658

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Quartz	20.00	20.65	4703	Low Counts	0.00	0.00	0
Albite	4.14	4.28	975	No XRay	0.00	0.00	0
Plagioclase	6.91	7.01	1597	Quartz	19.41	20.56	6829
K-Feldspar	14.58	15.44	3516	Albite	5.53	5.87	1949
Actinolite	0.11	0.10	22	Plagioclase	1.81	1.88	625
Muscovite	3.67	3.52	802	K-Feldspar	13.91	15.11	5019
Muscovite_minorFe	38.49	36.92	8409	Actinolite	0.16	0.14	48
Biotite	0.16	0.14	31	Muscovite	1.81	1.79	593
Chlorite	0.00	0.00	0	Muscovite_minorFe	37.18	36.59	12154
Chlorite_Fe	0.59	0.57	130	Biotite	15.82	14.18	4712
Kaolinite	9.67	10.08	2296	Chlorite	0.08	0.07	24
Titanite	0.02	0.01	3	Chlorite_Fe	3.04	3.02	1004
Ilmenite-Mn	0.00	0.00	0	Kaolinite	0.06	0.07	22
Fe-oxide	0.96	0.50	115	Titanite	0.00	0.00	0
Calcite	0.52	0.52	119	Ilmenite-Mn	0.00	0.00	0
Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0	Fe-oxide	0.02	0.01	4
Rutile	0.05	0.03	7	Calcite	0.00	0.00	0
Apatite	0.04	0.04	8	Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0
Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	0	Carbonate-FeMg	0.33	0.23	76
Zircon	0.04	0.02	5	Rutile	0.00	0.00	0
Pyrite	0.06	0.03	7	Apatite	0.01	0.01	3
Galena	0.00	0.00	0	Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	0
Total	100.00	100.00	22779	Zircon	0.00	0.00	0
				Pyrite	0.82	0.46	152
				Chalcopyrite	0.01	0.01	2
				Galena	0.00	0.00	0
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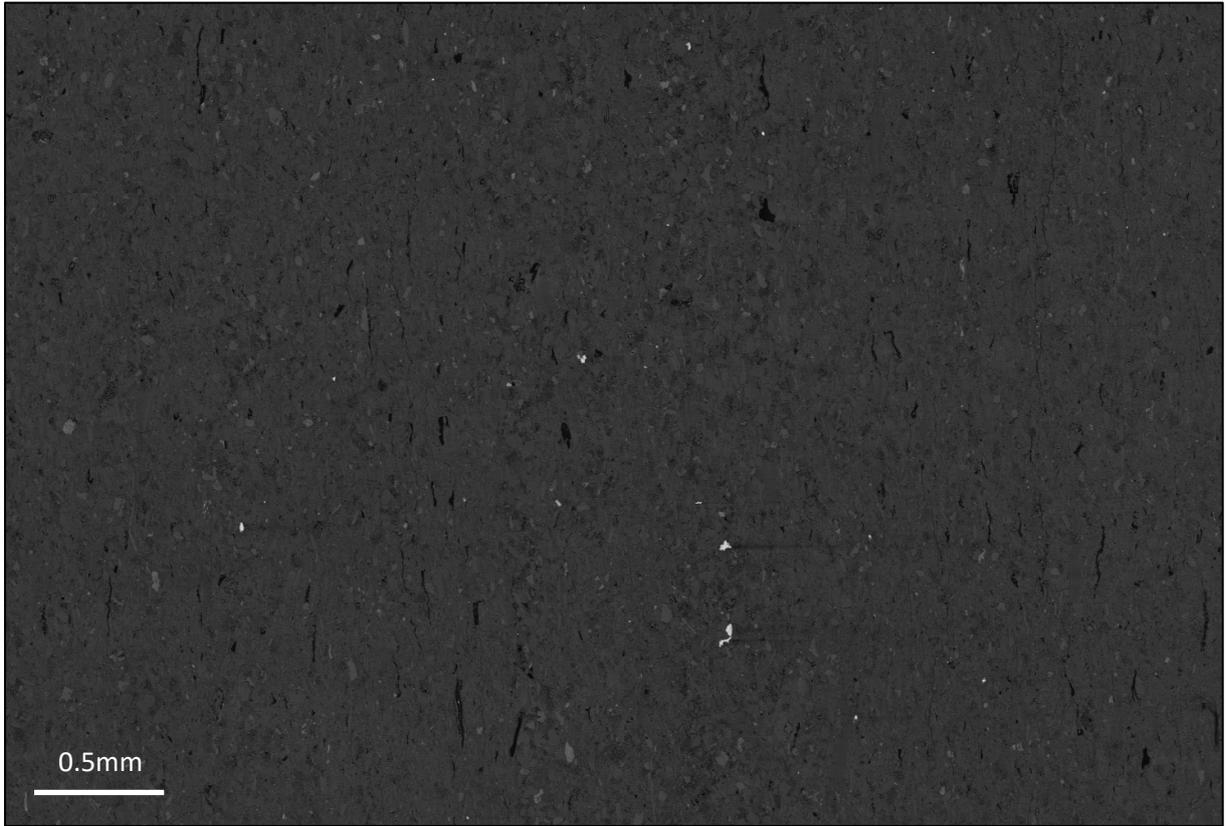
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No XRay	0.00	0.00	0	No XRay	0.00	0.00	0
Quartz	63.26	64.50	28541	Quartz	24.14	25.28	9006
Albite	10.72	10.95	4844	Albite	9.00	9.44	3363
Plagioclase	1.52	1.53	676	Plagioclase	2.38	2.45	873
K-Feldspar	1.81	1.90	839	K-Feldspar	9.80	10.52	3748
Actinolite	0.35	0.31	135	Actinolite	0.02	0.02	7
Muscovite	1.63	1.54	682	Muscovite	2.23	2.17	772
Muscovite_minorFe	12.77	12.10	5354	Muscovite_minorFe	41.53	40.41	14395
Biotite	3.44	2.97	1316	Biotite	2.43	2.15	767
Chlorite	0.03	0.02	11	Chlorite	0.00	0.00	0
Chlorite_Fe	3.60	3.44	1521	Chlorite_Fe	6.08	5.97	2125
Kaolinite	0.26	0.27	120	Kaolinite	0.40	0.42	150
Titanite	0.00	0.00	0	Titanite	0.00	0.00	0
Ilmenite-Mn	0.00	0.00	1	Ilmenite-Mn	0.00	0.00	0
Fe-oxide	0.01	0.00	2	Fe-oxide	0.02	0.01	4
Calcite	0.00	0.00	1	Calcite	0.00	0.00	1
Dolomite	0.03	0.03	14	Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0
Carbonate-FeMg	0.09	0.06	26	Carbonate-FeMg	0.08	0.06	21
Rutile	0.11	0.07	31	Rutile	0.03	0.02	7
Apatite	0.20	0.16	73	Apatite	0.02	0.02	7
Ca-REE carbonate	0.01	0.00	2	Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	0
Zircon	0.04	0.02	10	Zircon	0.01	0.01	2
Pyrite	0.11	0.06	26	Pyrite	1.83	1.00	358
Chalcopyrite	0.01	0.01	3	Chalcopyrite	0.00	0.00	1
Galena	0.00	0.00	0	Galena	0.00	0.00	0
Pen	0.00	0.00	0	Pen	0.00	0.00	0
Pen_2	0.00	0.00	0	Pen_2	0.00	0.00	0
Alumina-Cal	0.00	0.00	0	Alumina-Cal	0.00	0.00	0
NiP_holder	0.00	0.00	0	NiP_holder	0.00	0.00	0
Total	100.00	100.00	44248	Total	100.00	100.00	35623

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No XRay	0.00	0.00	0	No XRay	0.00	0.00	0
Quartz	15.86	16.61	6171	Quartz	10.13	11.34	4535
Albite	8.58	9.00	3343	Albite	0.07	0.08	33
Plagioclase	1.30	1.34	497	Plagioclase	6.85	7.54	3015
K-Feldspar	14.52	15.59	5793	K-Feldspar	2.18	2.51	1003
Actinolite	0.04	0.03	13	Actinolite	36.57	35.35	14138
Muscovite	1.45	1.41	525	Epidote	1.15	0.98	392
Muscovite minorFe	55.26	53.78	19977	Muscovite	0.55	0.57	228
Biotite	1.19	1.06	392	Muscovite minorFe	10.24	10.65	4260
Chlorite	0.03	0.02	9	Biotite	11.97	11.34	4537
Chlorite Fe	0.30	0.29	108	Chlorite	0.03	0.03	11
Kaolinite	0.09	0.09	34	Chlorite Fe	14.55	15.27	6106
Titanite	0.00	0.00	0	Kaolinite	0.01	0.01	5
Ilmenite-Mn	0.00	0.00	0	Titanite	0.44	0.37	147
Fe-oxide	0.00	0.00	0	Ilmenite-Mn	3.88	2.42	967
Calcite	0.00	0.00	0	Fe-oxide	0.00	0.00	0
Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0	Calcite	0.35	0.38	153
Carbonate-FeMg	0.00	0.00	0	Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0
Rutile	0.02	0.01	4	Carbonate-FeMg	0.00	0.00	0
Apatite	0.01	0.01	2	Rutile	0.00	0.00	0
Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	0	Apatite	0.28	0.26	104
Zircon	0.01	0.01	2	Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	1
Pyrite	1.35	0.74	276	Zircon	0.00	0.00	0
Chalcopyrite	0.00	0.00	0	Pyrite	0.26	0.15	61
Galena	0.00	0.00	0	Chalcopyrite	0.03	0.02	9
Pen	0.00	0.00	0	Galena	0.00	0.00	0
Pen 2	0.00	0.00	0	Fluorite	0.45	0.42	169
Alumina-Cal	0.00	0.00	0	Cassiterite	0.01	0.00	1
NiP_holder	0.00	0.00	0	Pen	0.00	0.00	0
Total	100.00	100.00	37147	Pen 2	0.00	0.00	0
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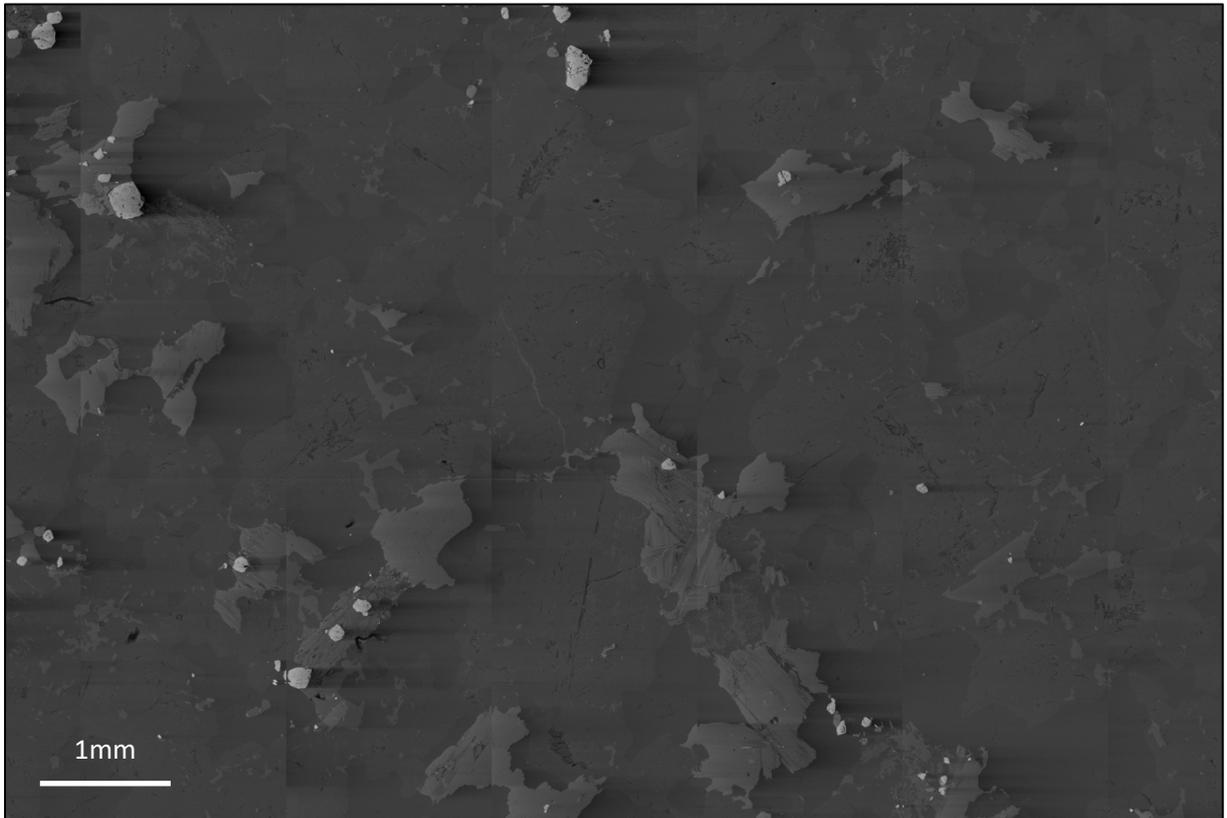
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No XRay	0.00	0.00	0	No XRay	0.00	0.00	0
Quartz	22.26	25.11	10250	Quartz	0.00	0.00	1
Albite	0.13	0.15	60	Albite	0.00	0.00	1
Plagioclase	0.03	0.03	13	Plagioclase	0.01	0.01	3
K-Feldspar	0.12	0.14	57	K-Feldspar	0.00	0.00	0
Actinolite	0.05	0.04	18	Actinolite	1.44	1.45	447
Muscovite	0.02	0.02	10	Muscovite	0.00	0.00	0
Muscovite_minorFe	0.26	0.27	111	Muscovite_minorFe	0.00	0.00	0
Biotite	68.88	65.79	26861	Biotite	88.32	87.49	26905
Chlorite	0.36	0.36	147	Chlorite	9.80	10.20	3138
Chlorite_Fe	6.16	6.52	2661	Chlorite_Fe	0.01	0.01	2
Kaolinite	0.02	0.03	11	Kaolinite	0.00	0.00	0
Titanite	0.00	0.00	0	Titanite	0.00	0.00	1
Ilmenite-Mn	0.41	0.26	105	Ilmenite-Mn	0.00	0.00	0
Fe-oxide	0.00	0.00	1	Fe-oxide	0.03	0.02	5
Calcite	0.00	0.00	0	Fe-Cr oxide	0.31	0.20	61
Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0	Chromite	0.01	0.00	1
Carbonate-FeMg	0.04	0.03	12	Calcite	0.00	0.00	0
Ankerite-Mn	1.03	1.00	410	Dolomite	0.00	0.00	0
Rutile	0.07	0.05	20	Carbonate-FeMg	0.00	0.00	0
Apatite	0.04	0.04	15	Rutile	0.00	0.00	0
Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	0	Apatite	0.00	0.00	0
Zircon	0.00	0.00	1	Ca-REE carbonate	0.00	0.00	0
Pyrite	0.00	0.00	0	Zircon	0.00	0.00	0
Chalcopyrite	0.00	0.00	0	Pyrite	0.00	0.00	0
Galena	0.00	0.00	0	Chalcopyrite	0.00	0.00	0
Fluorite	0.11	0.11	43	Pentlandite	0.07	0.05	14
Pen	0.00	0.00	0	Galena	0.00	0.00	0
Pen_2	0.00	0.00	0	Pen	0.00	0.00	0
Alumina-Cal	0.00	0.00	0	Pen_2	0.00	0.00	0
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Appendix 3. BSE images

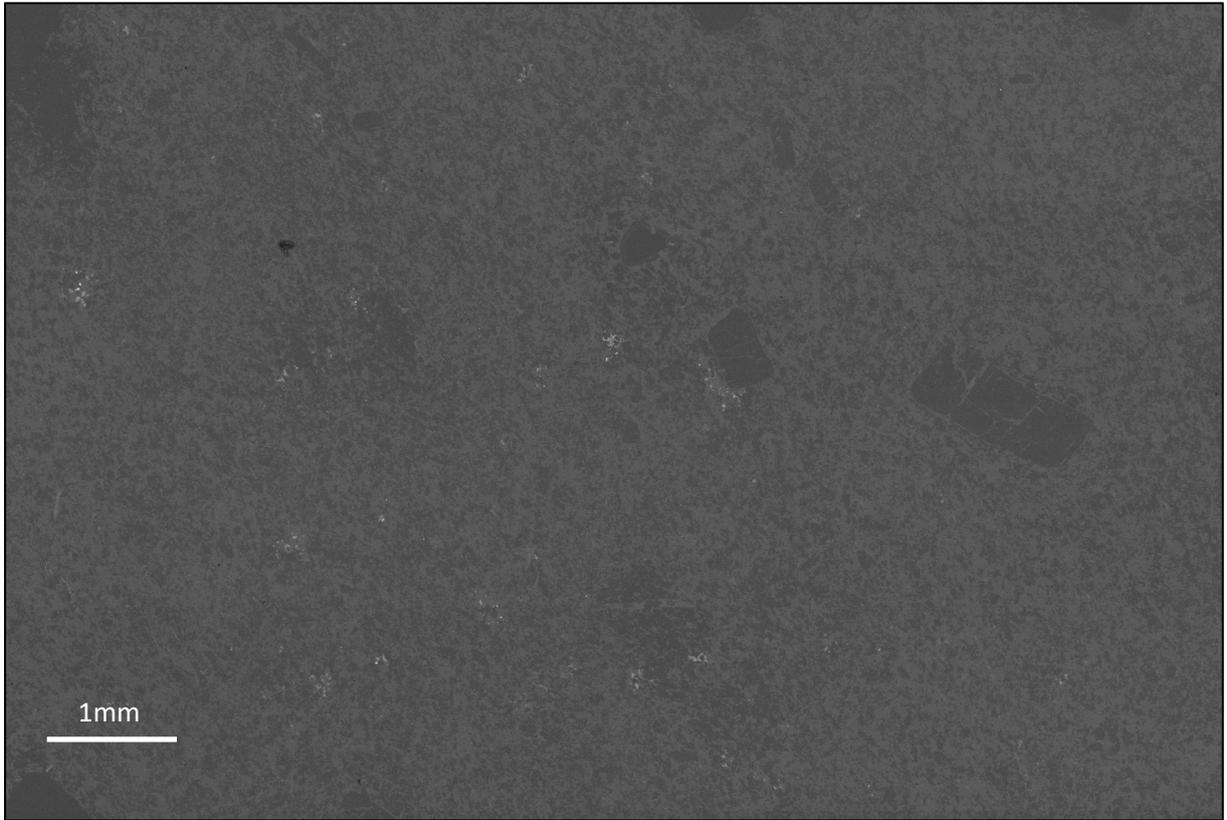
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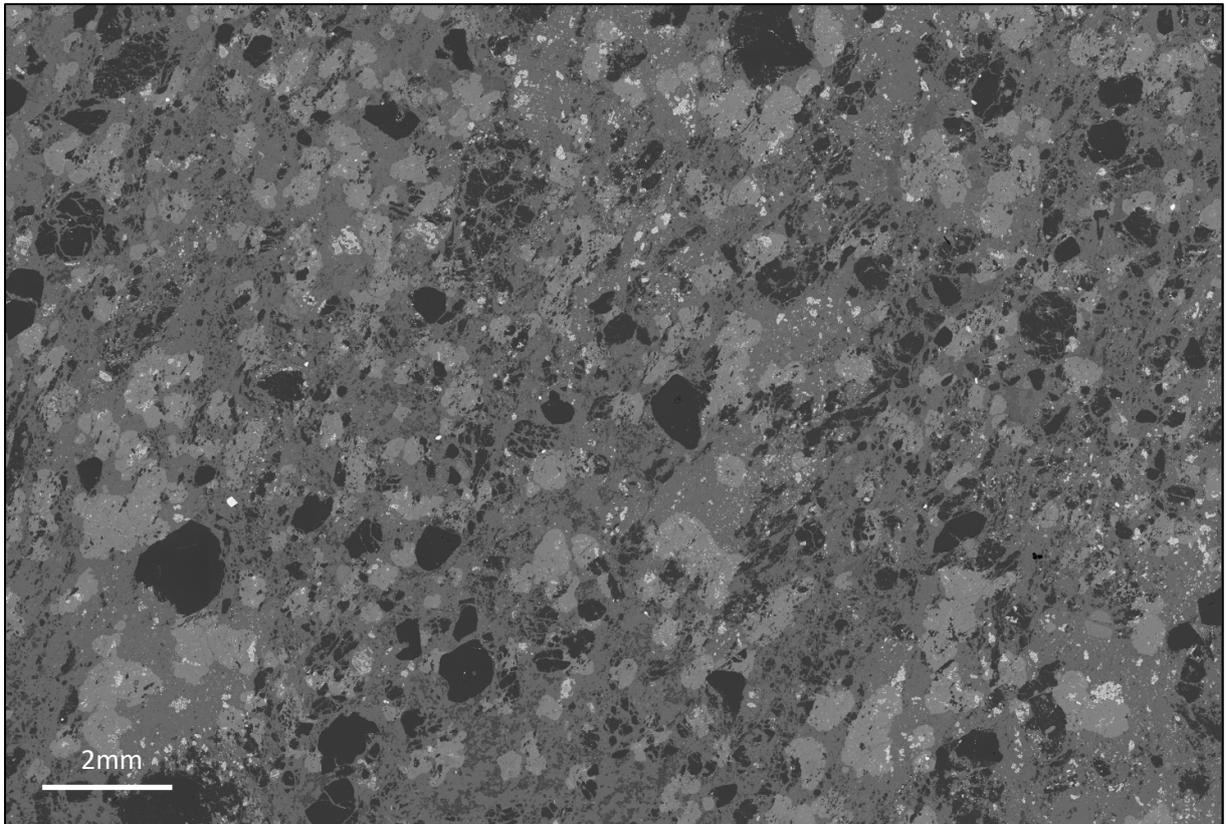
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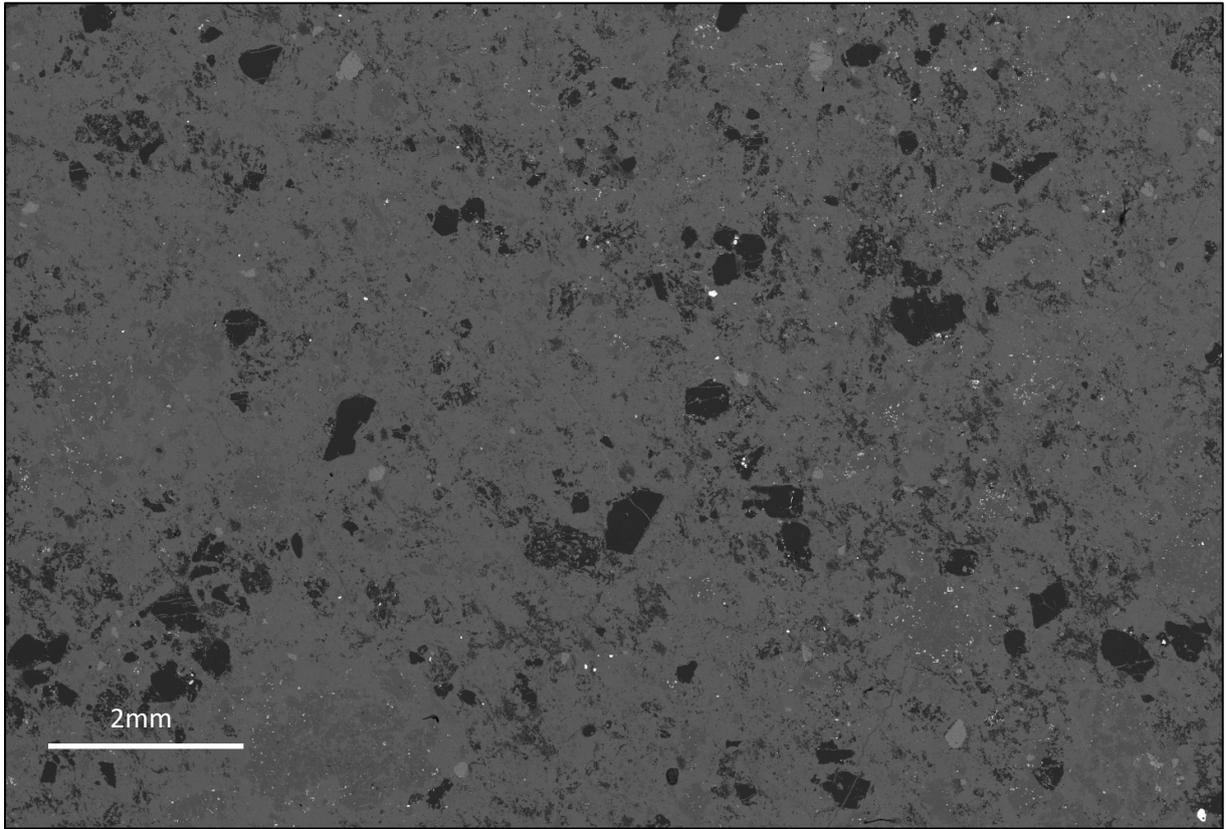
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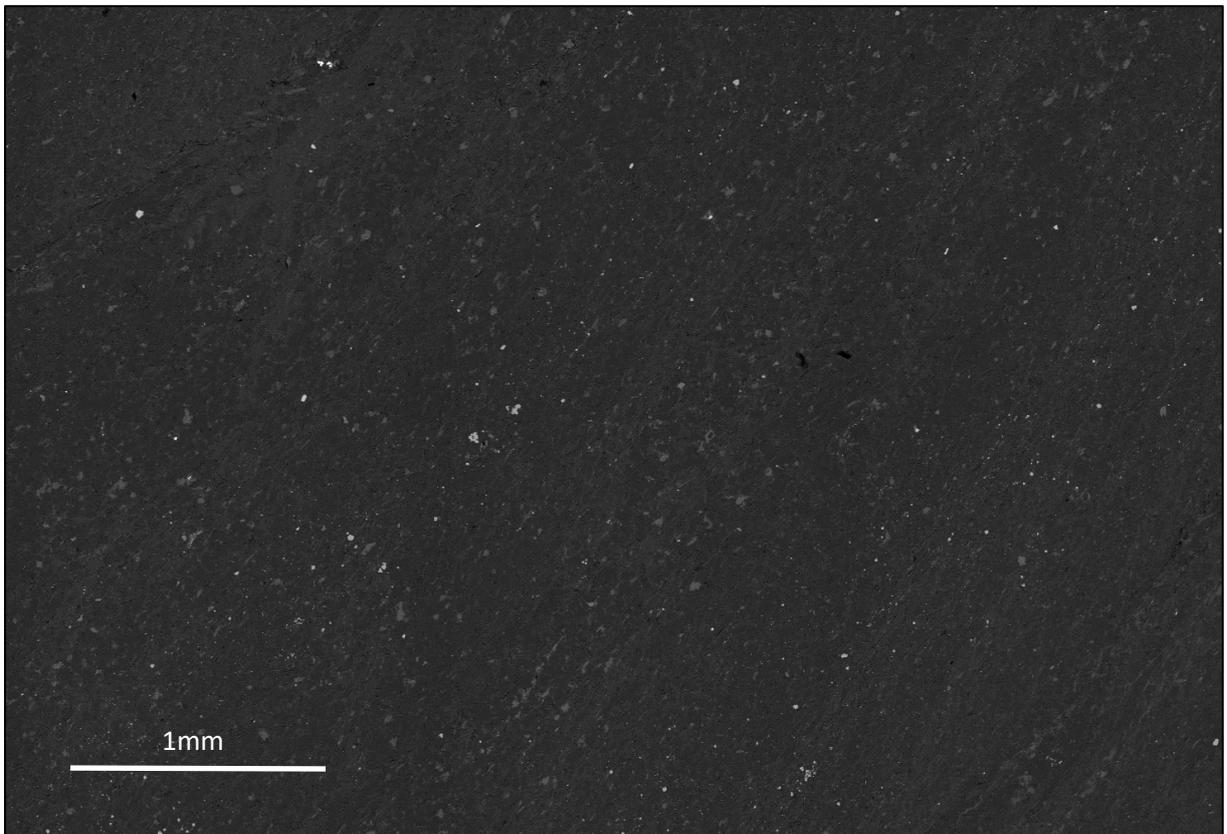
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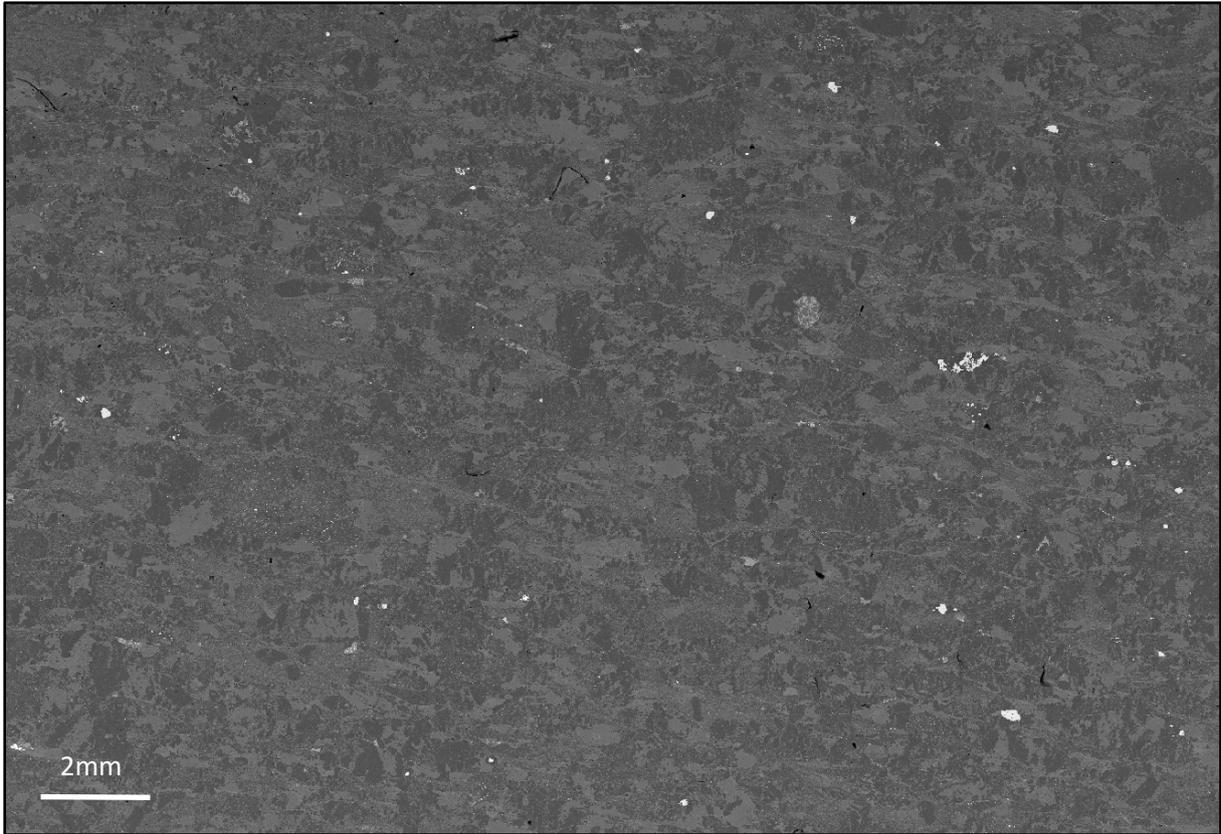
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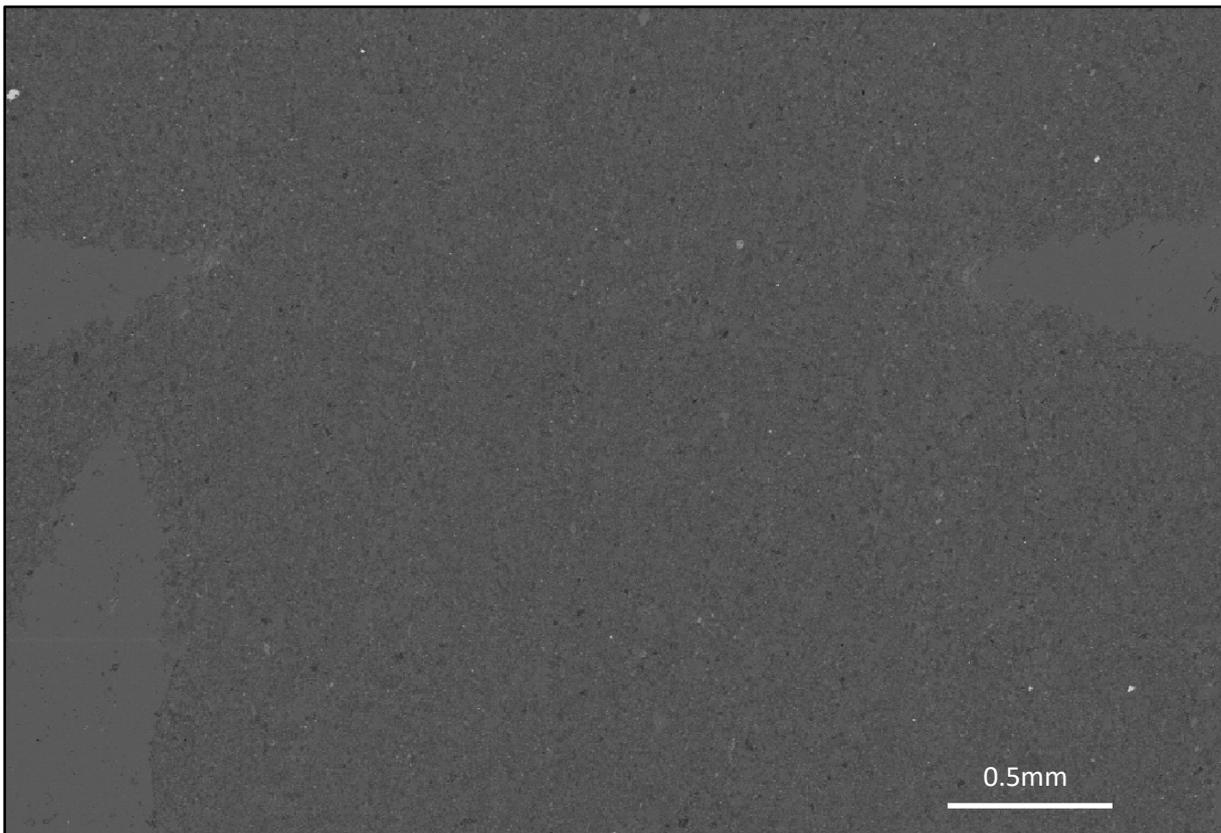
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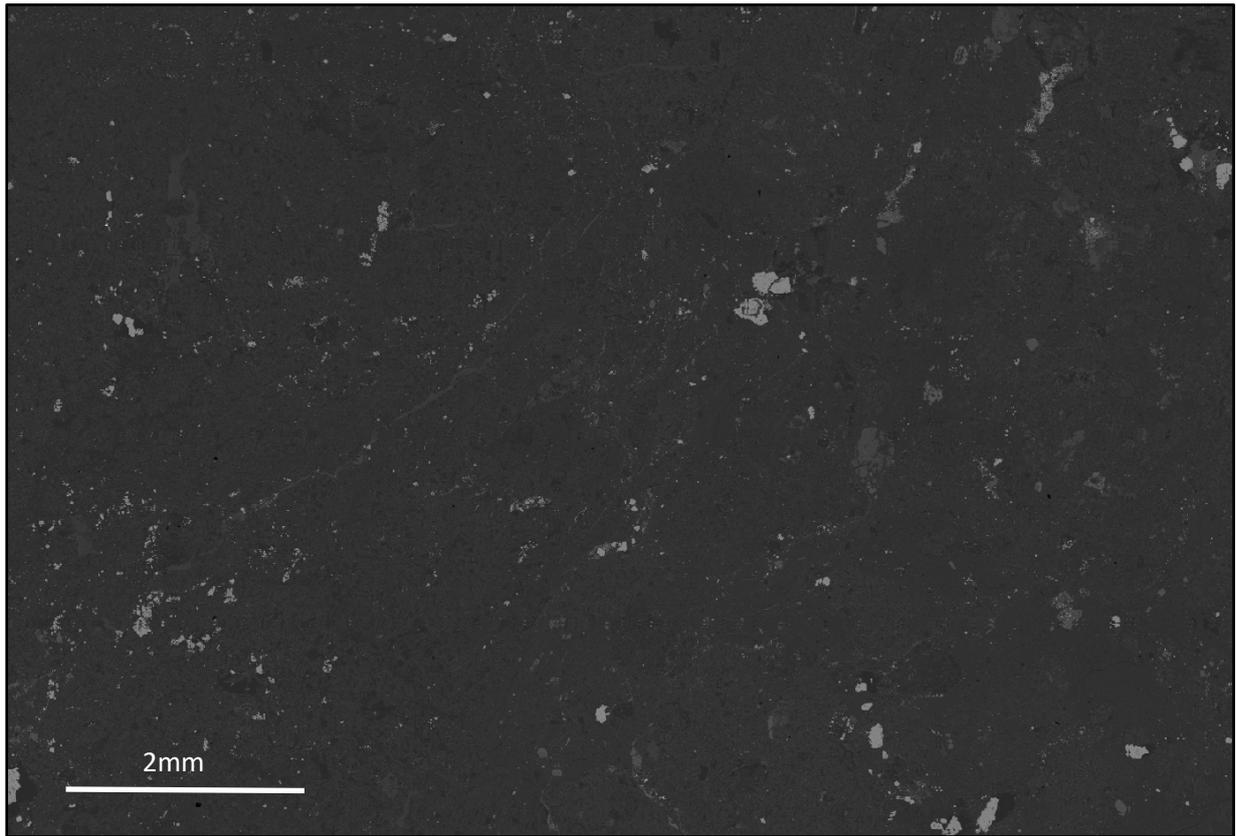
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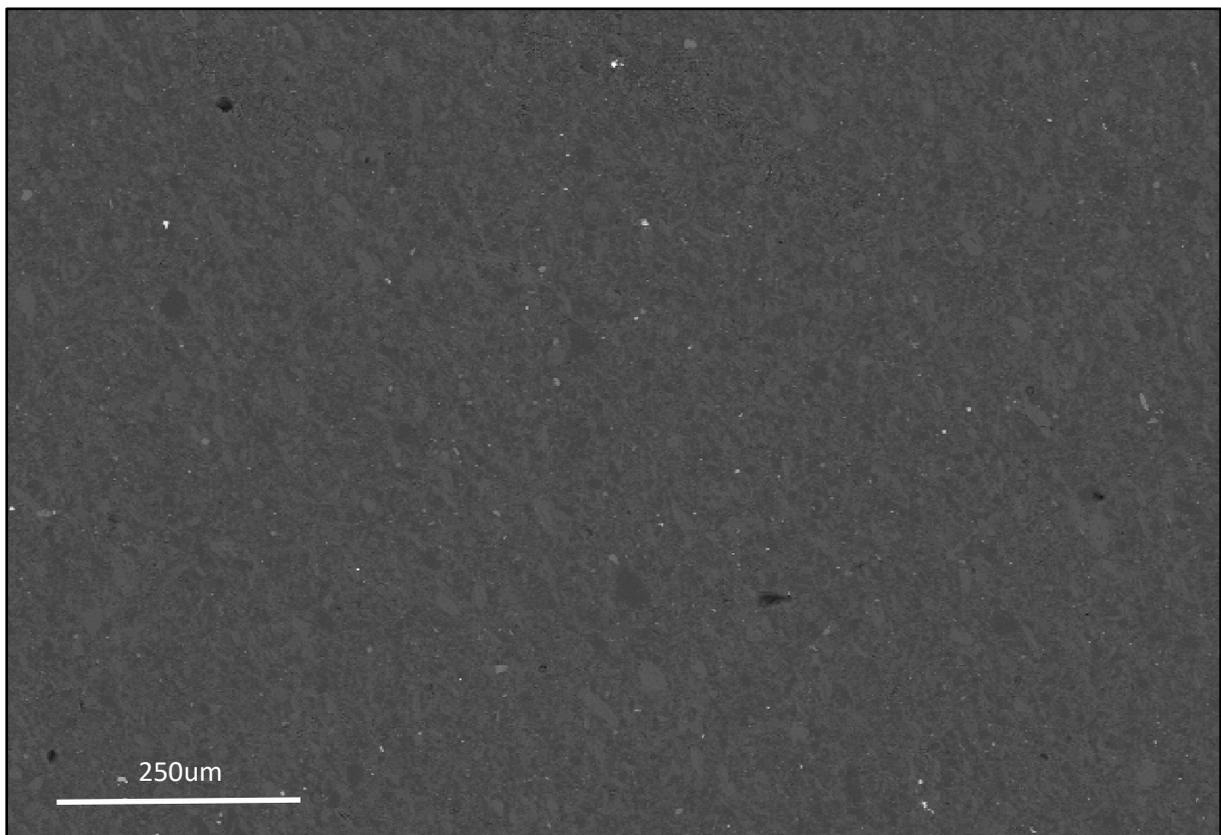
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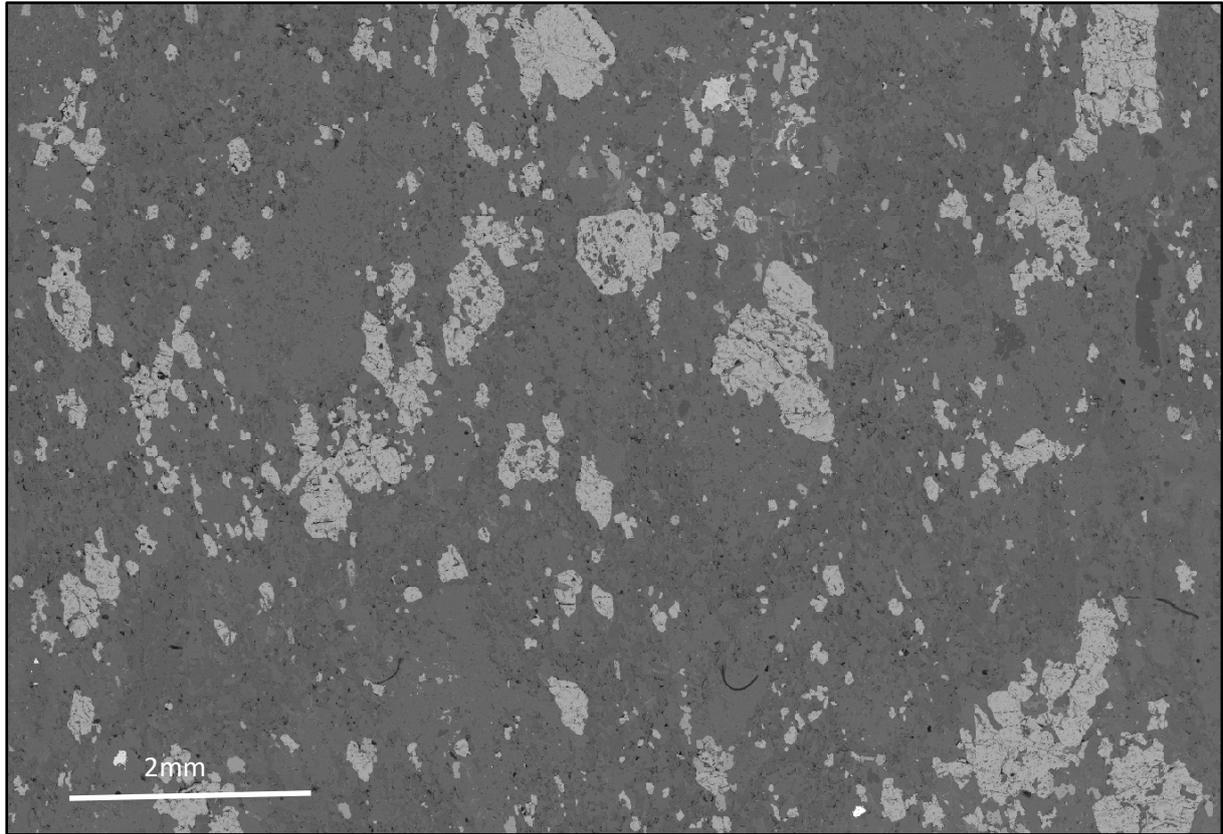
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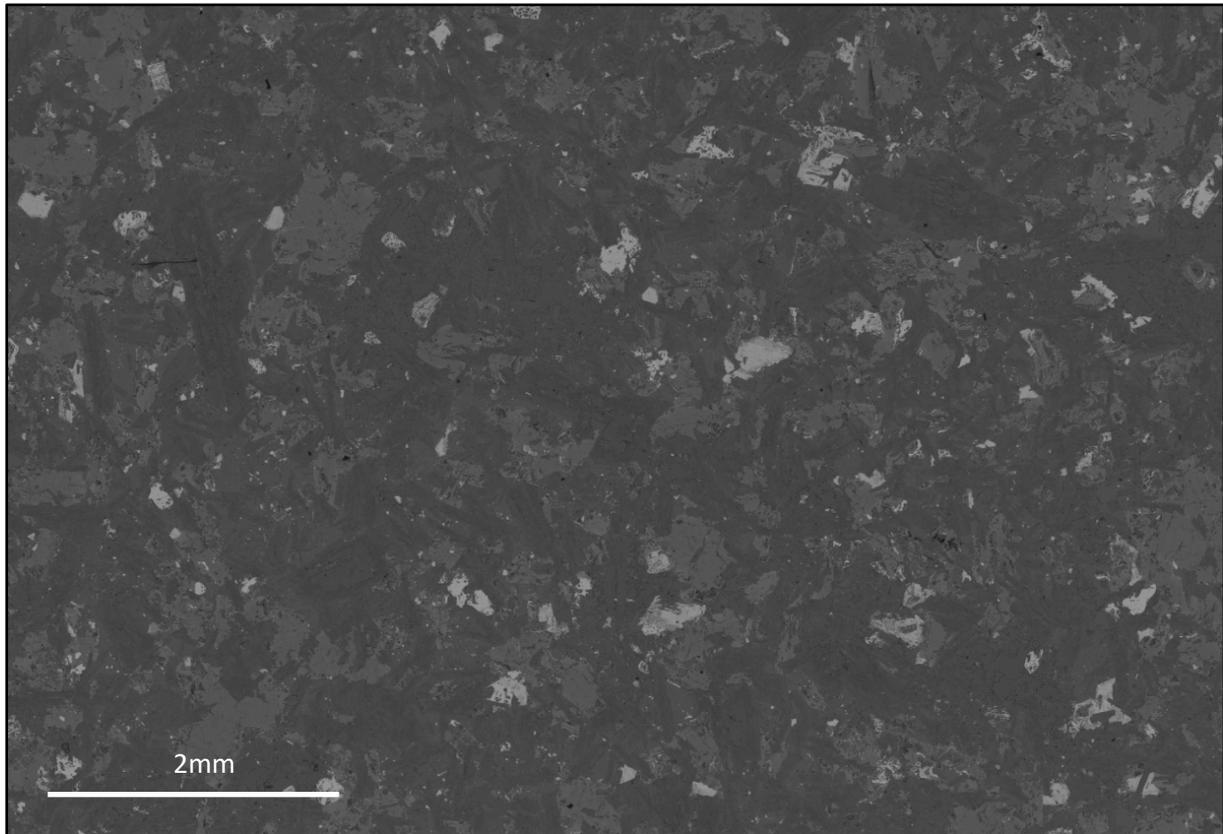
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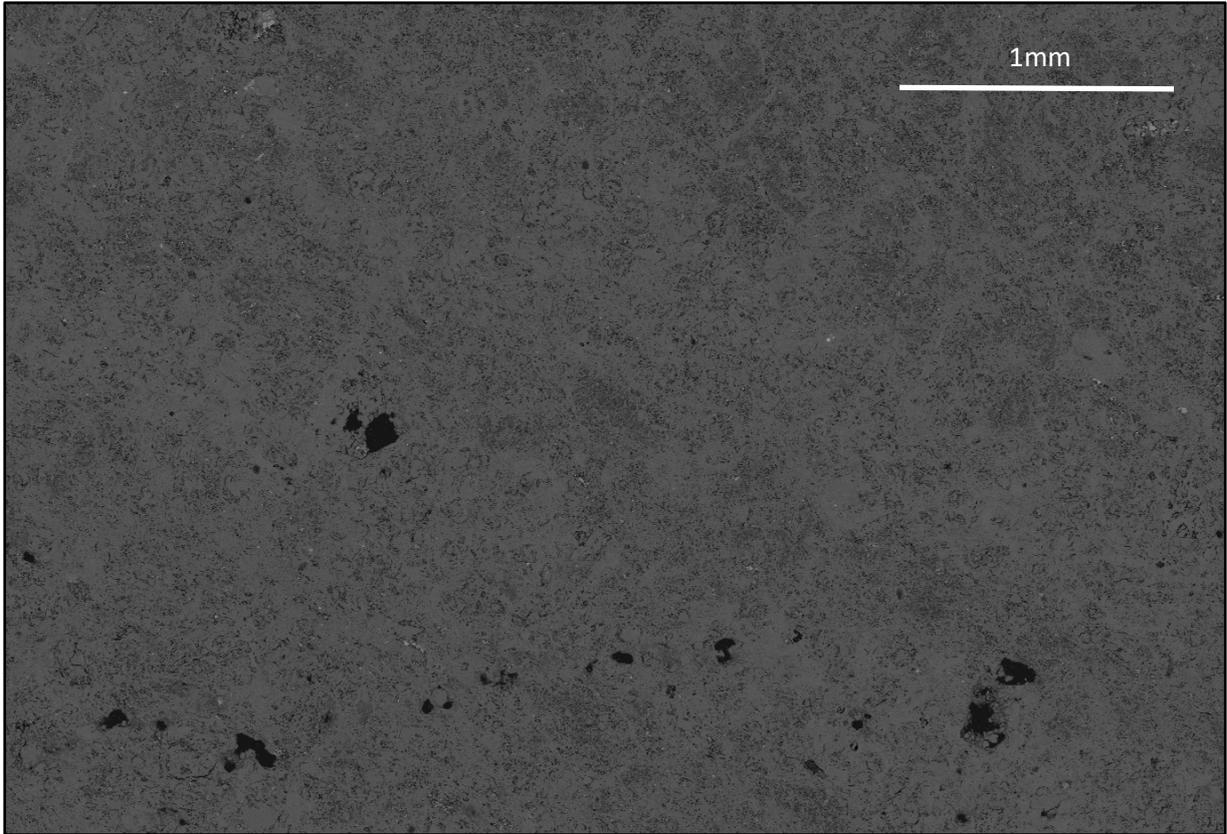
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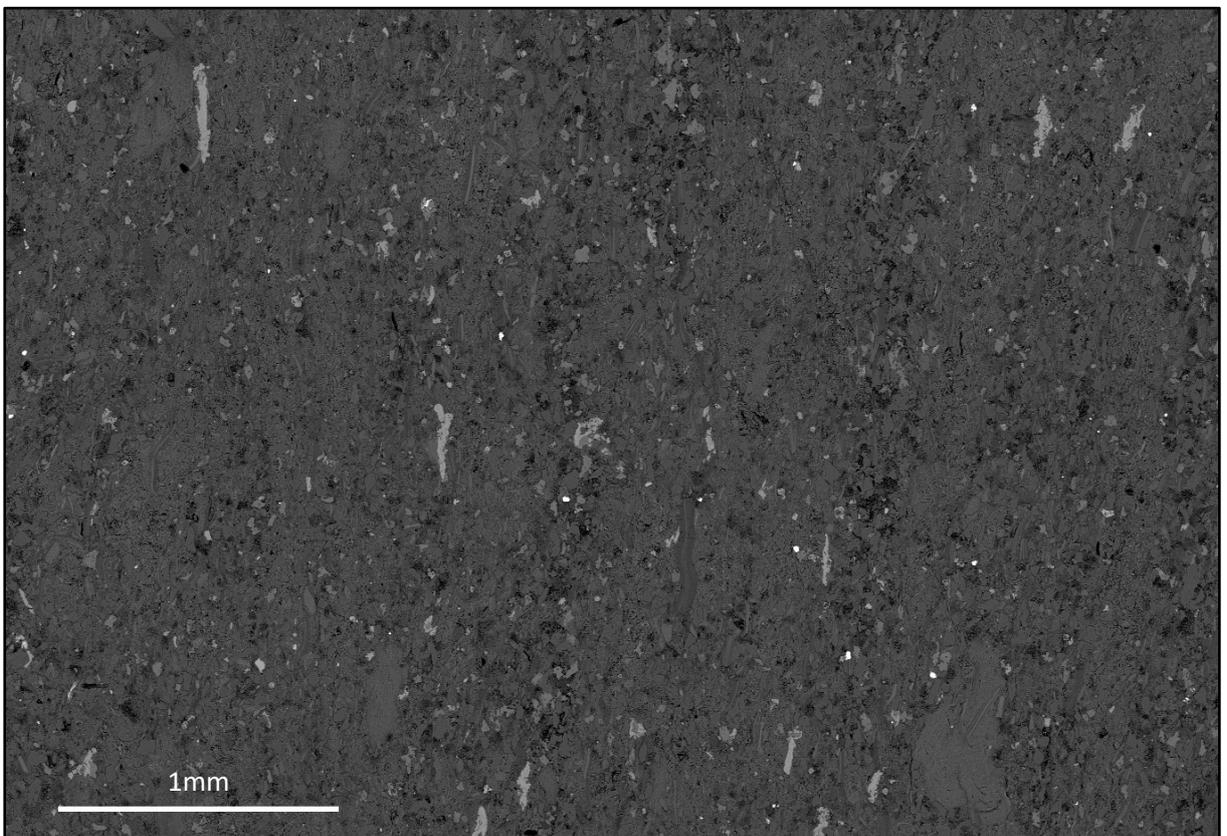
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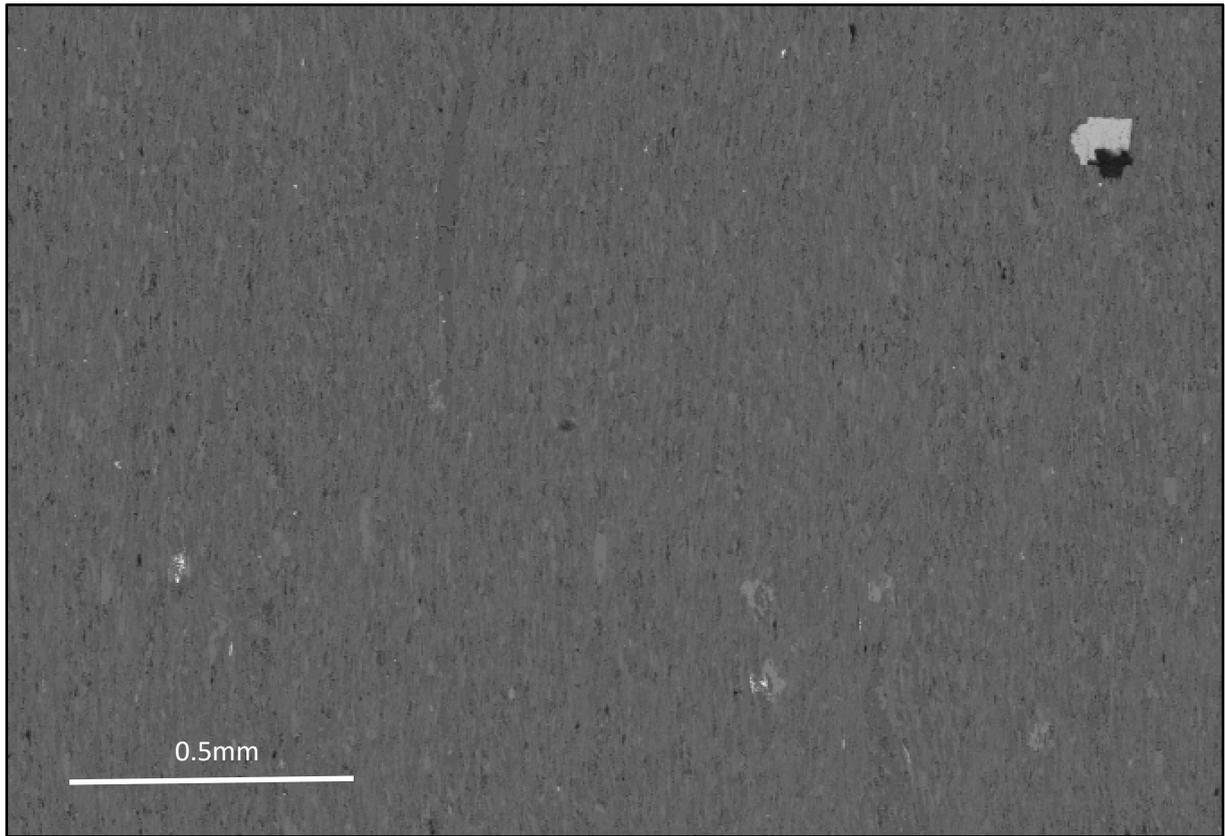
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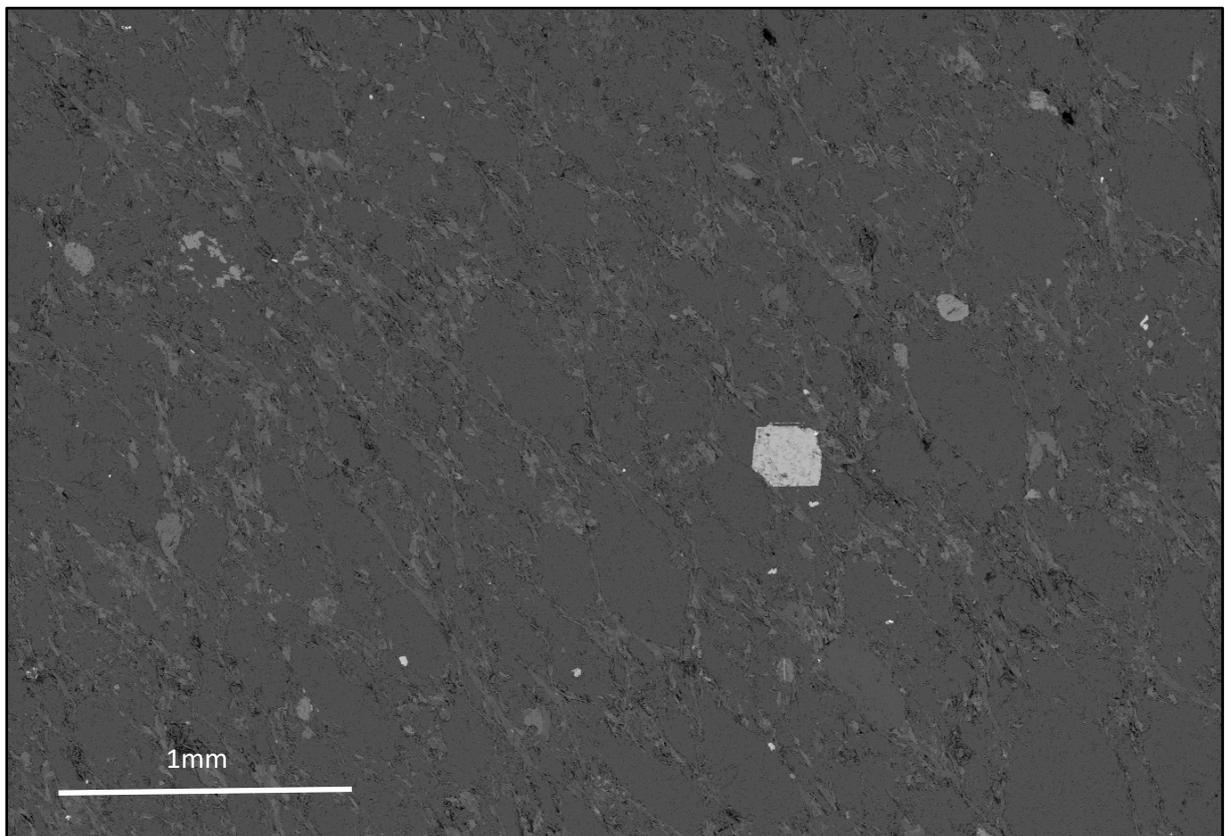
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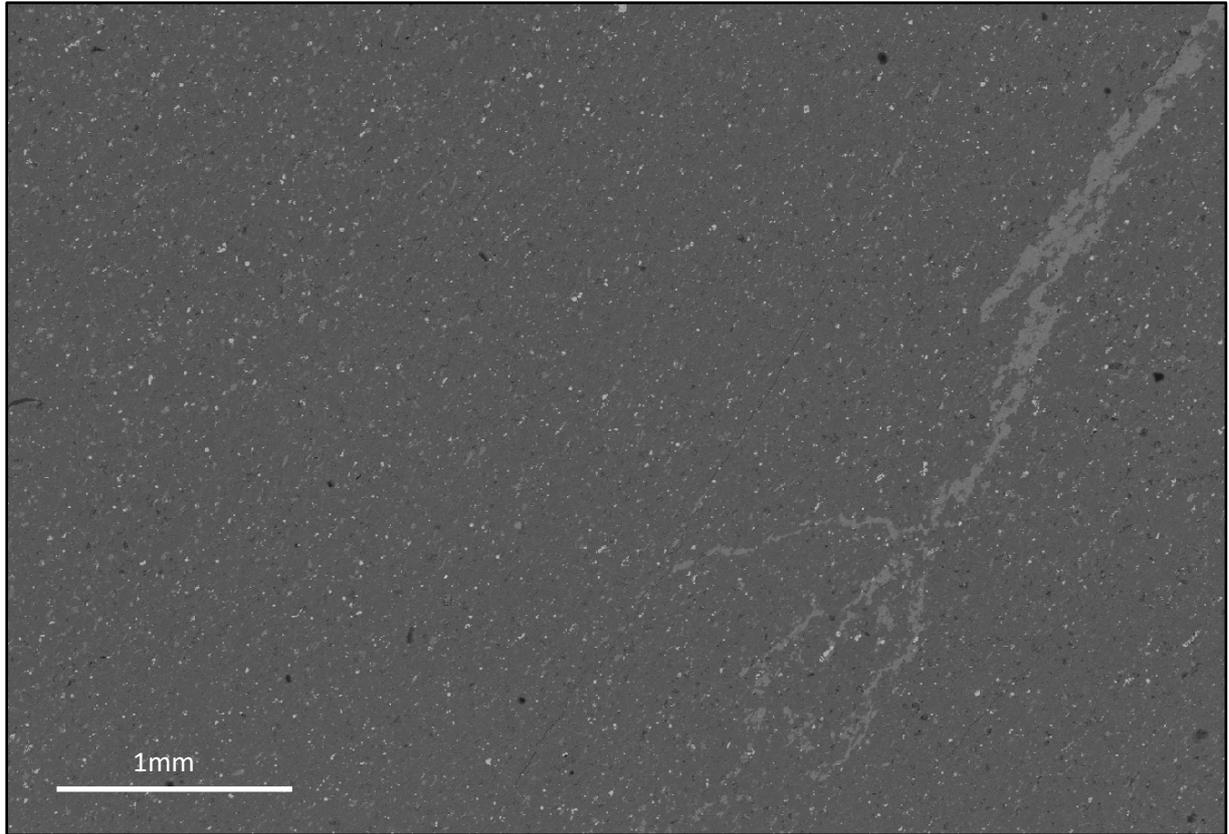
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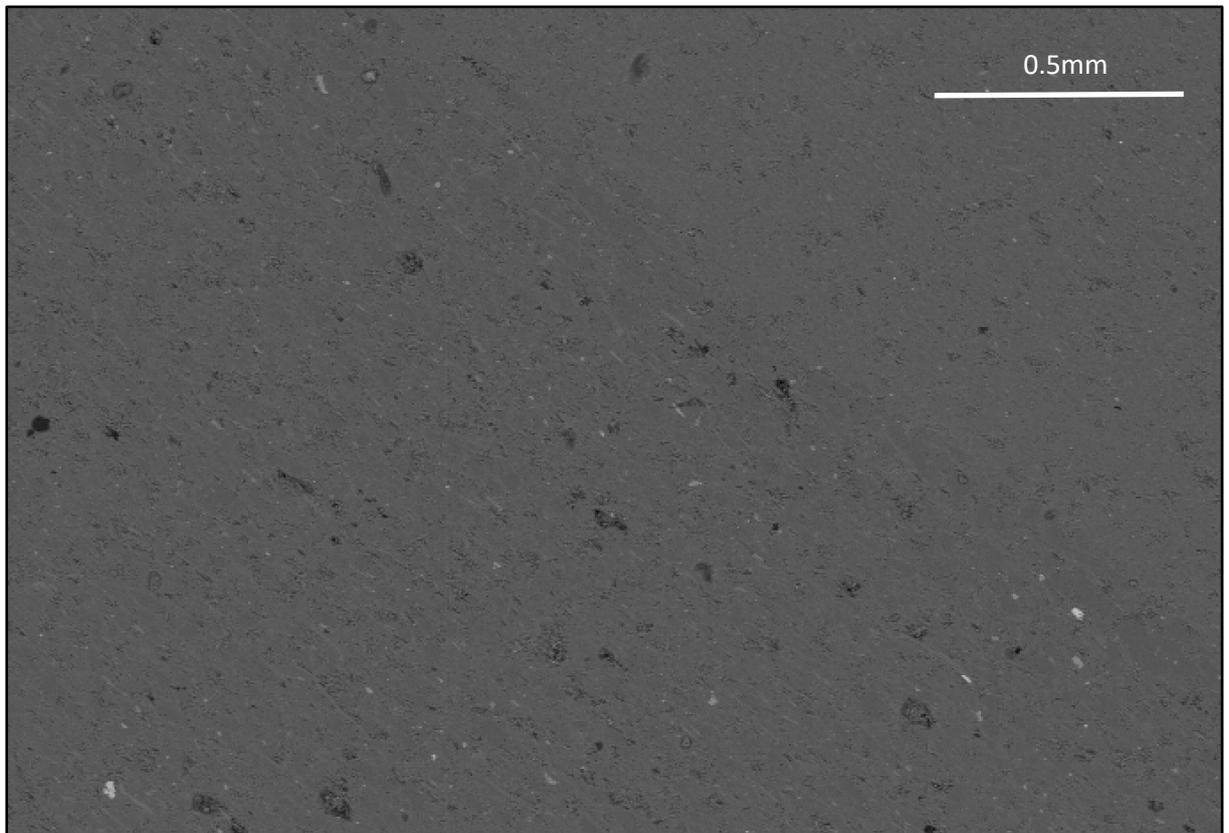
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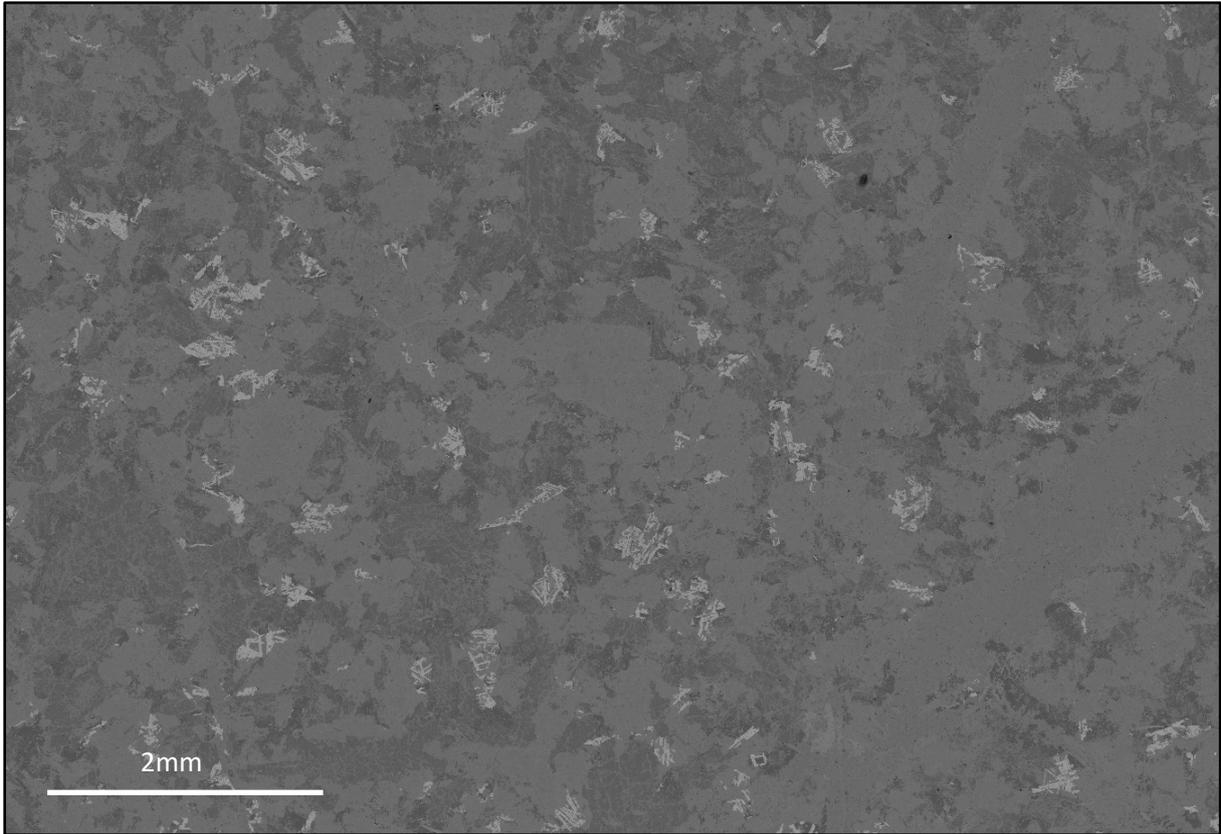
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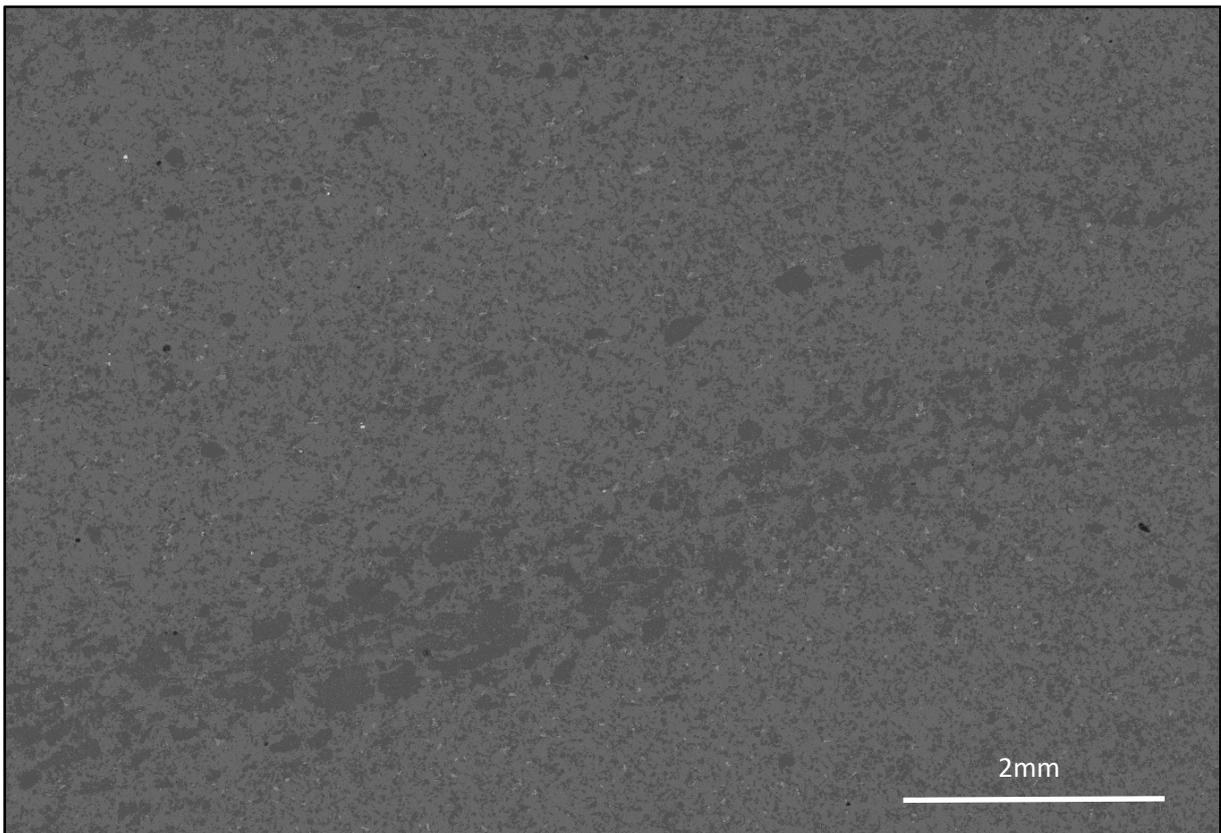
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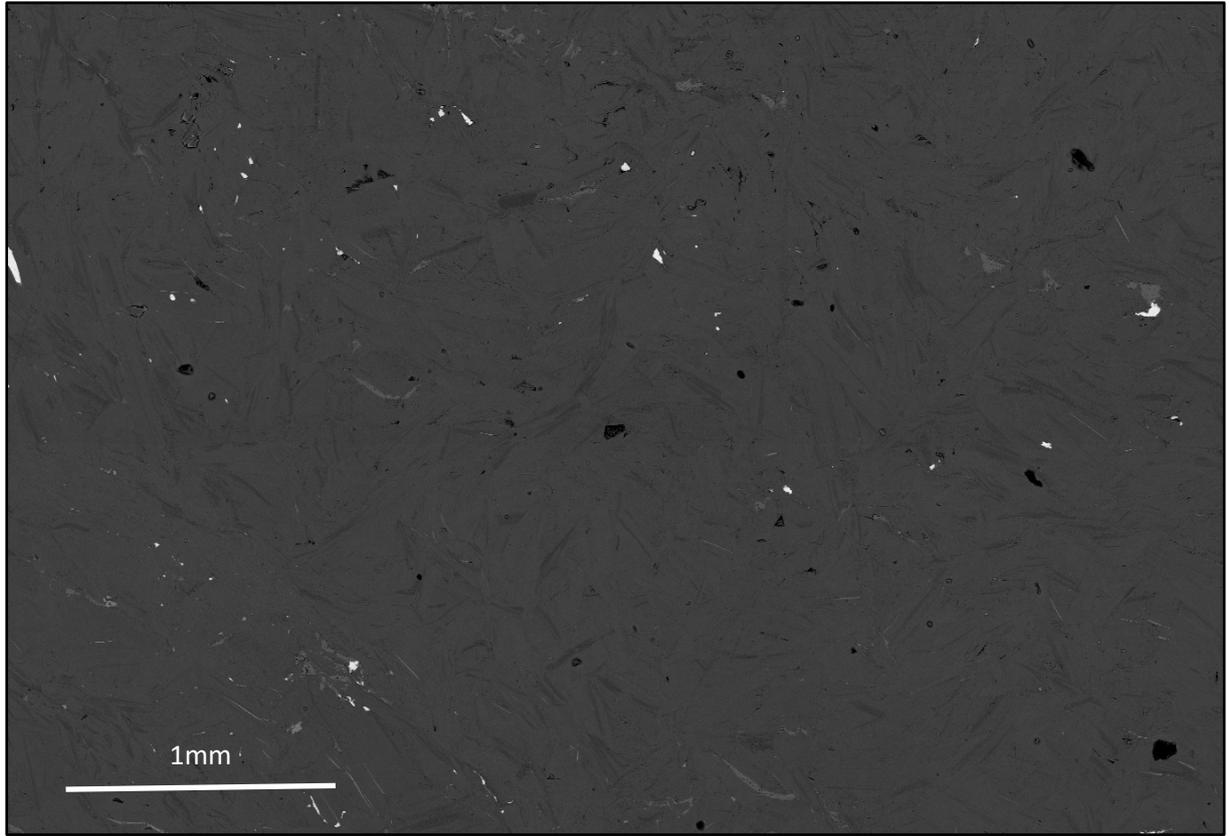
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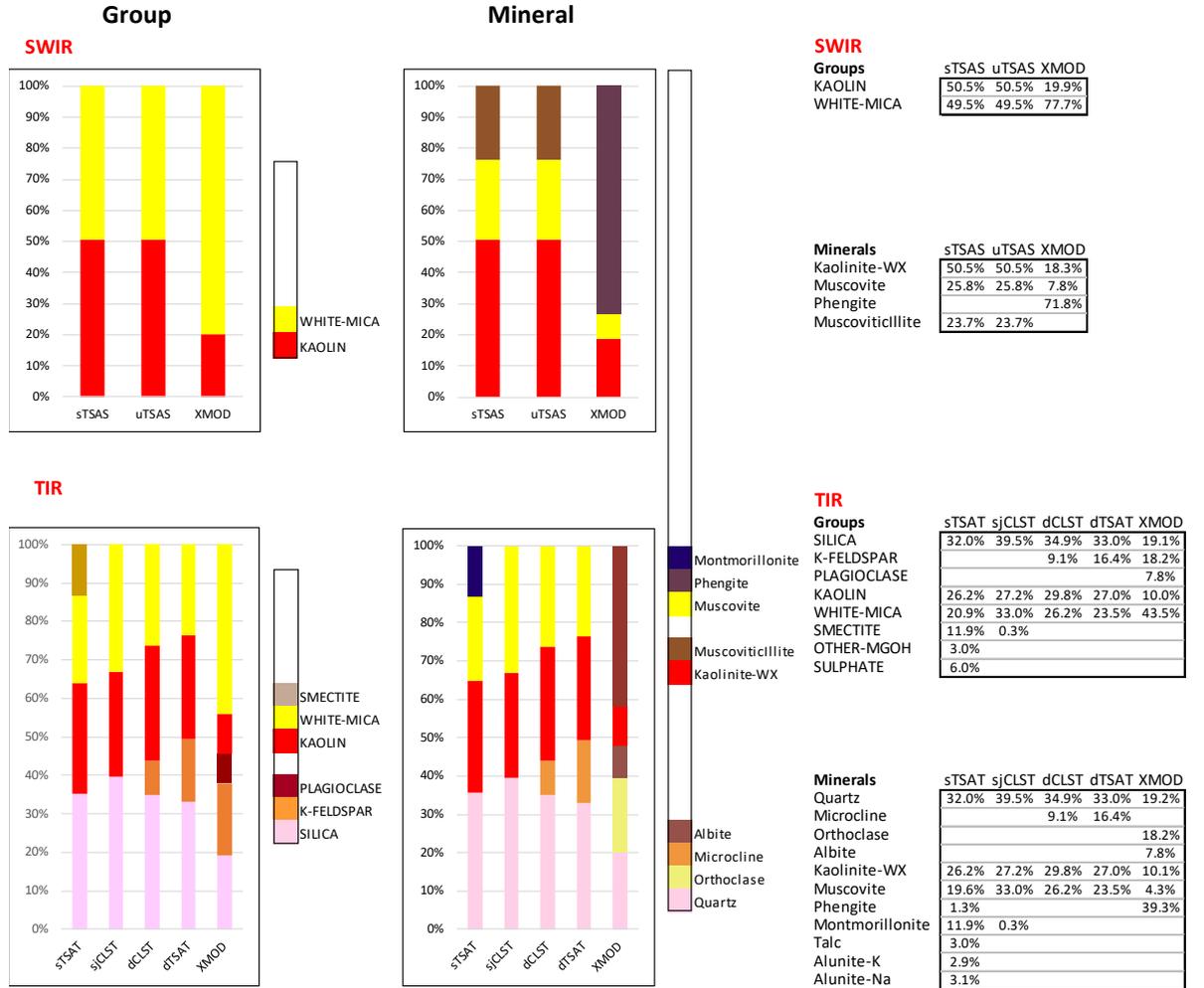


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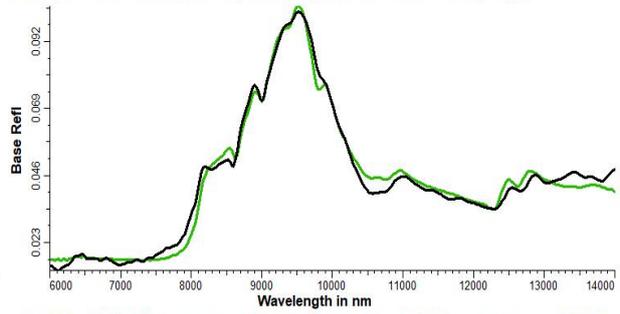
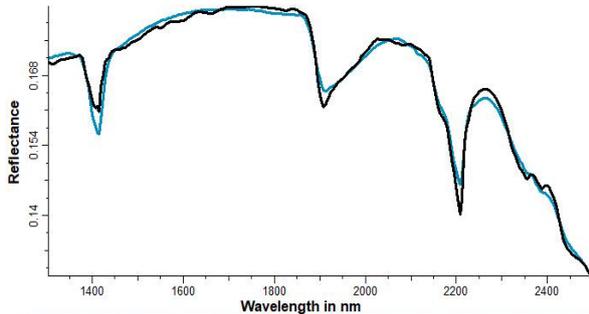
Appendix 4. Summaries of results from pilot MLA study

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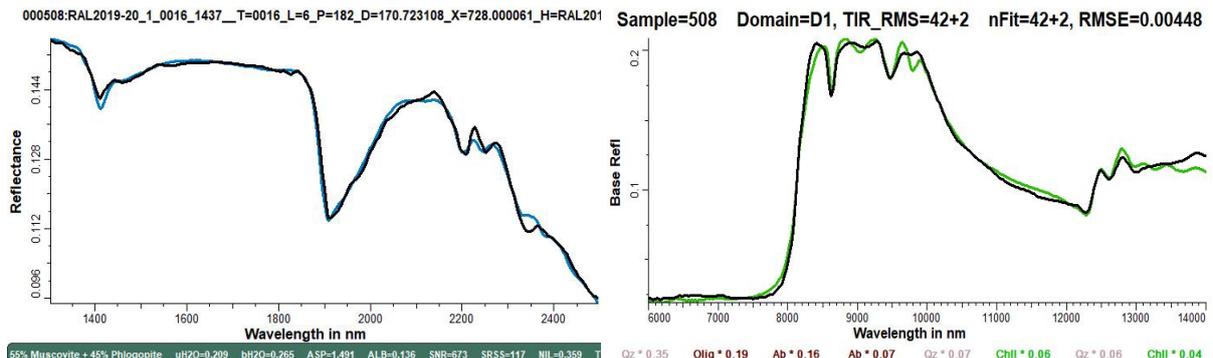
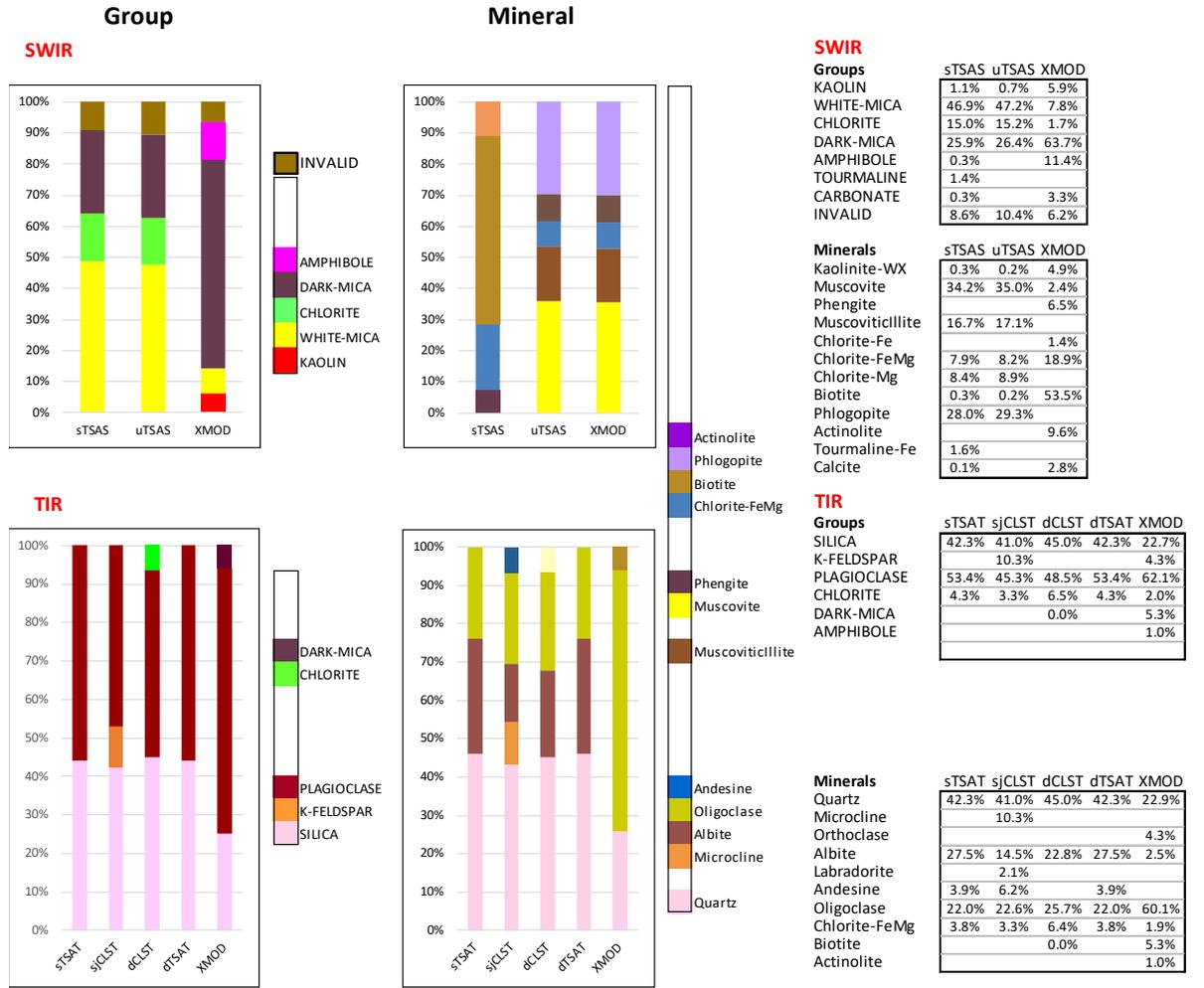


52% Muscoviticillite + 48% Kaolinite-WX uH2O=0.239 bH2O=0.5479 ASP=2.145 ALB=0.168 SNR=328 SRSS=148 NIL=0.168 TNon

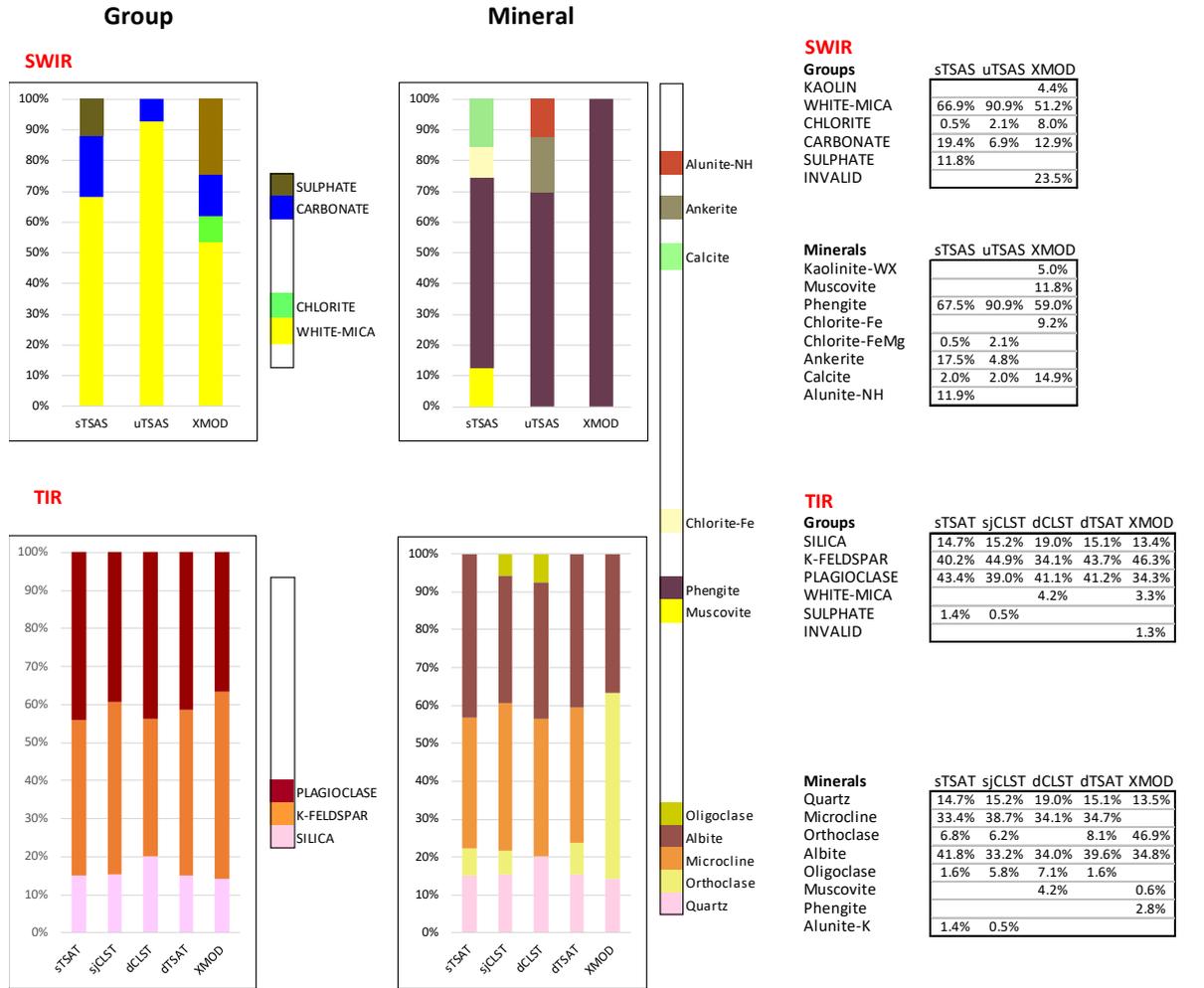
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G408275 Altered granodiorite

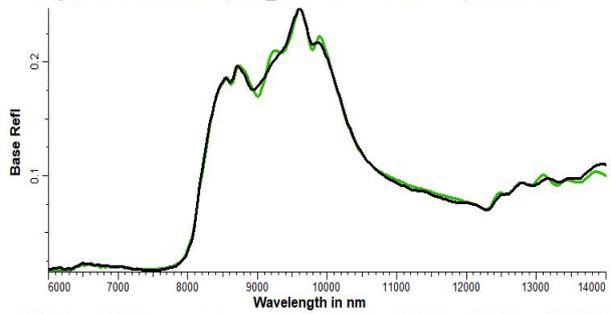
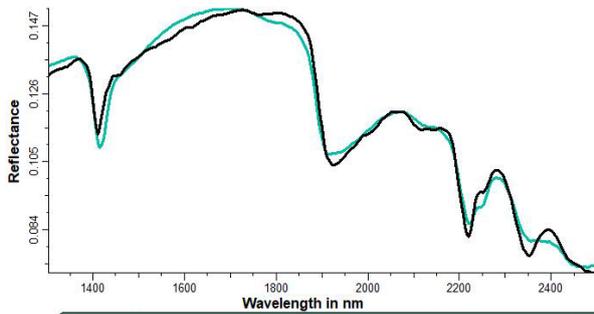


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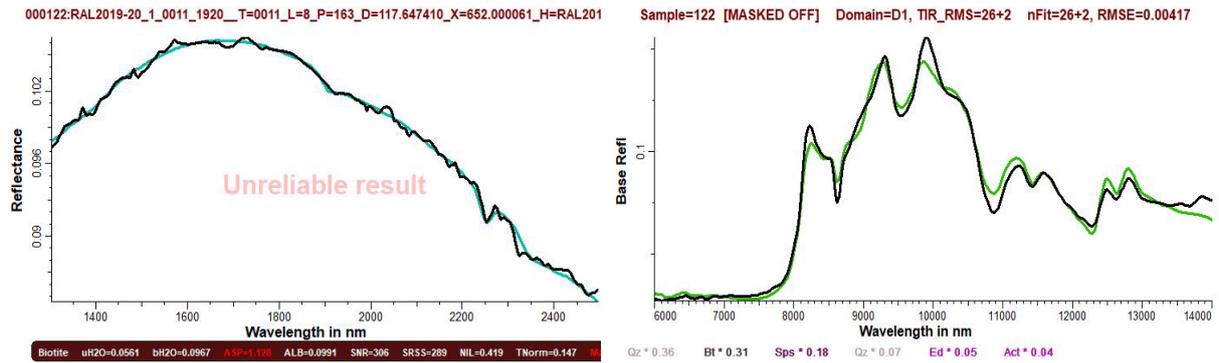
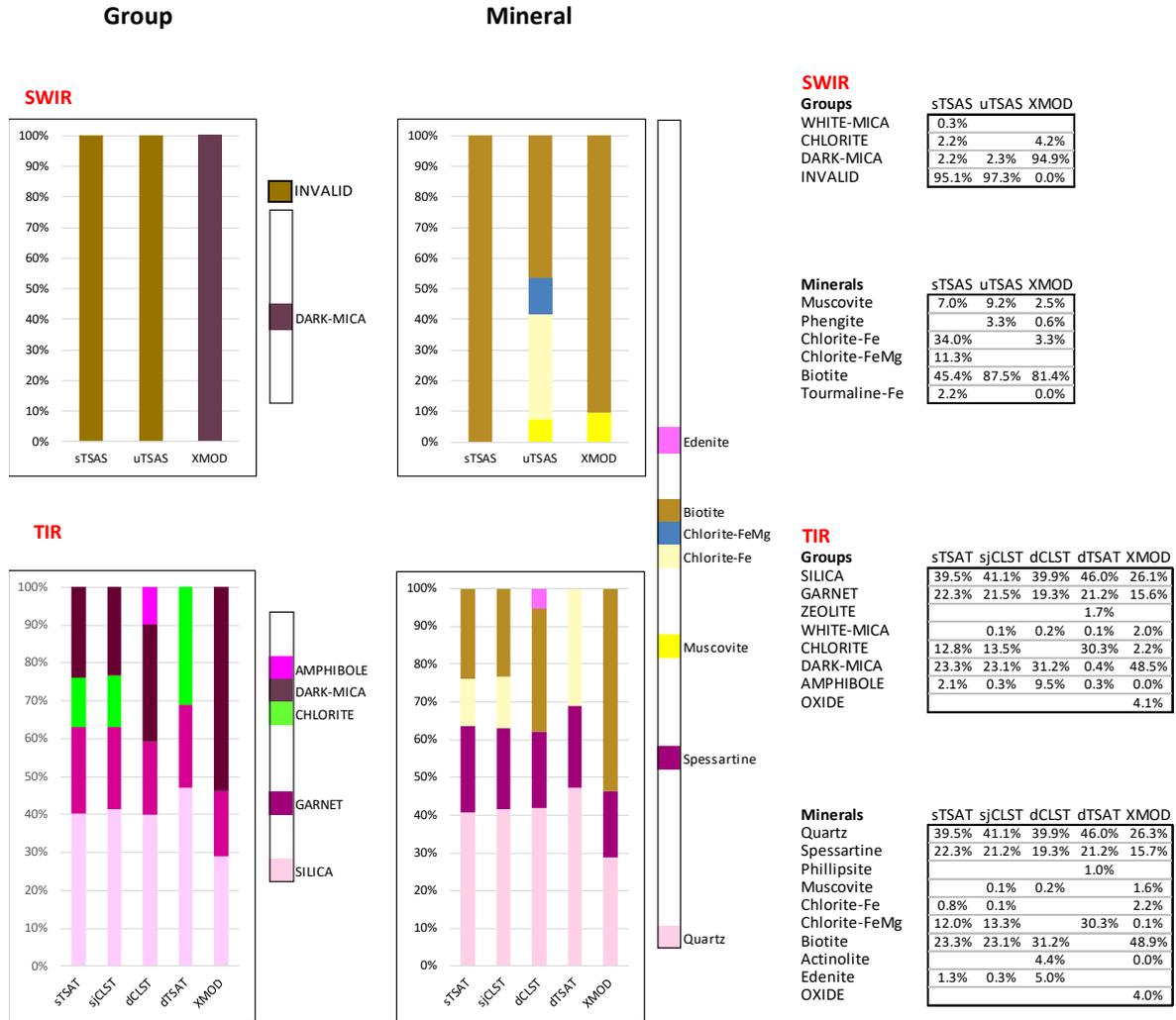


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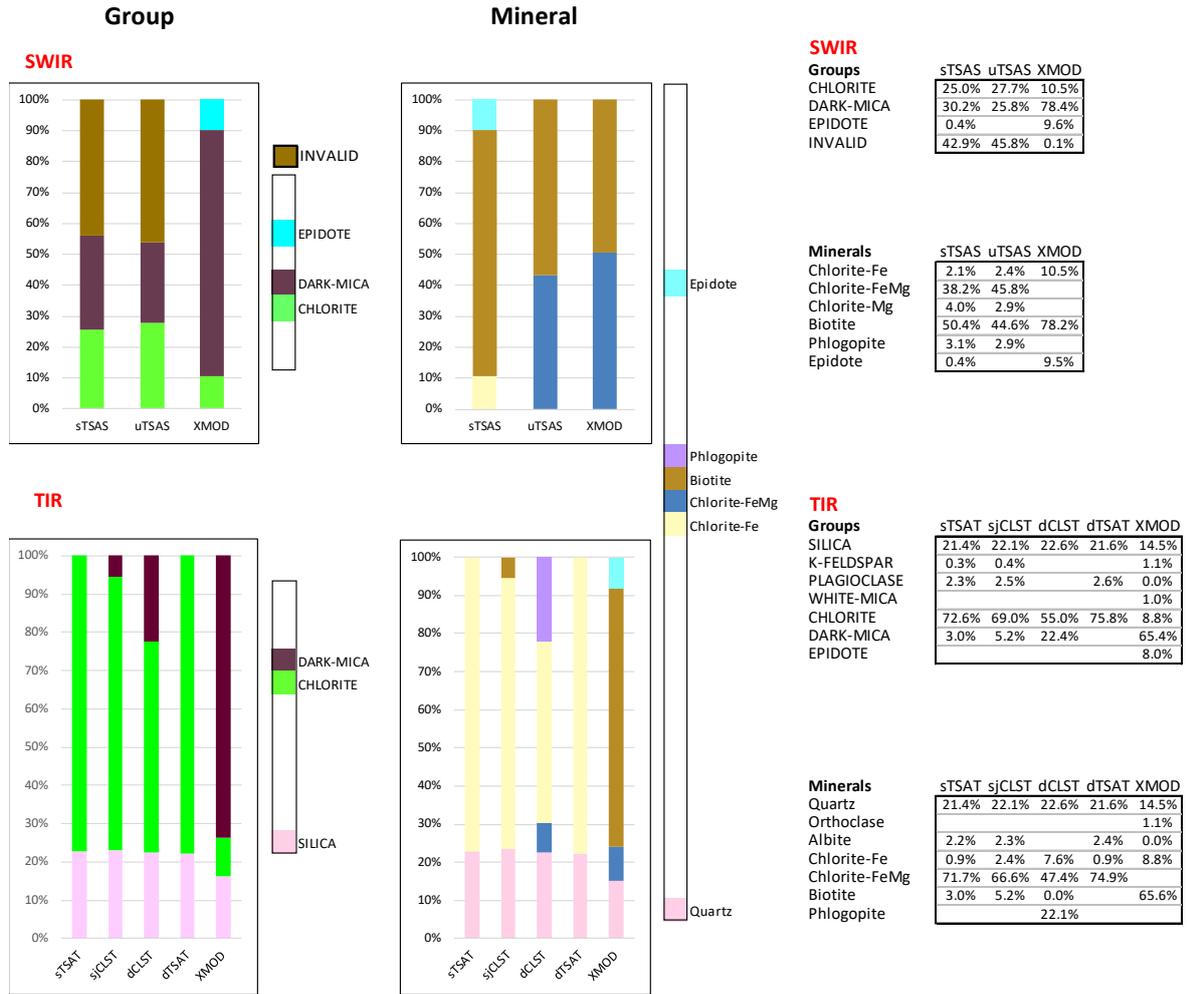
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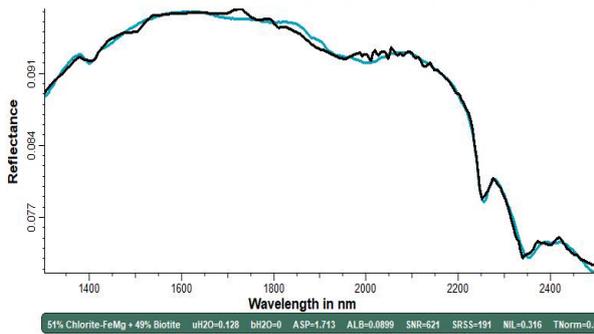
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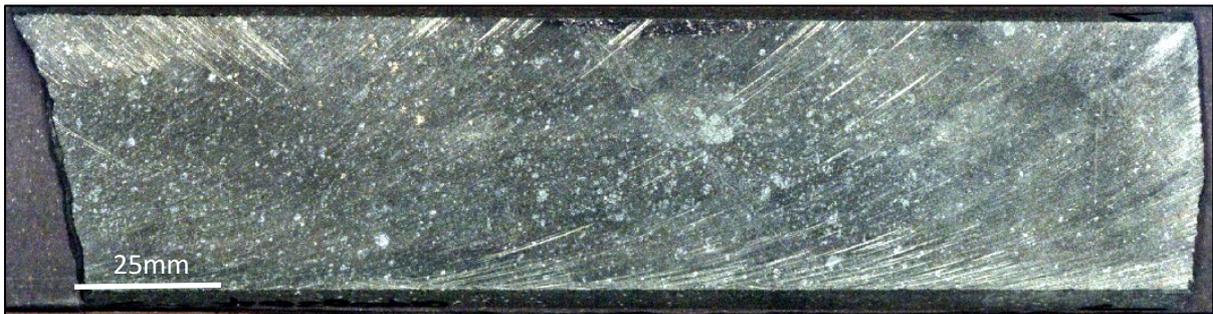
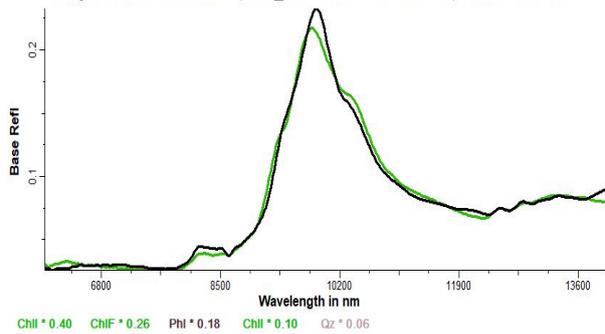
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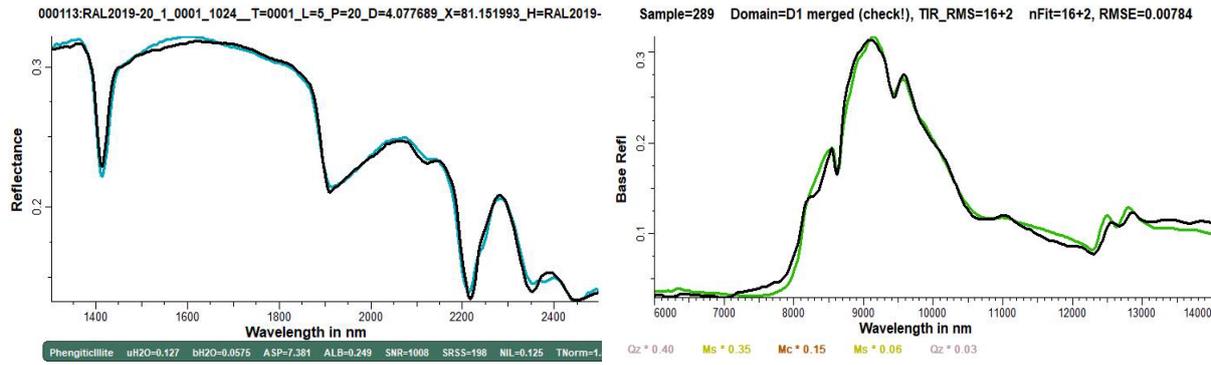
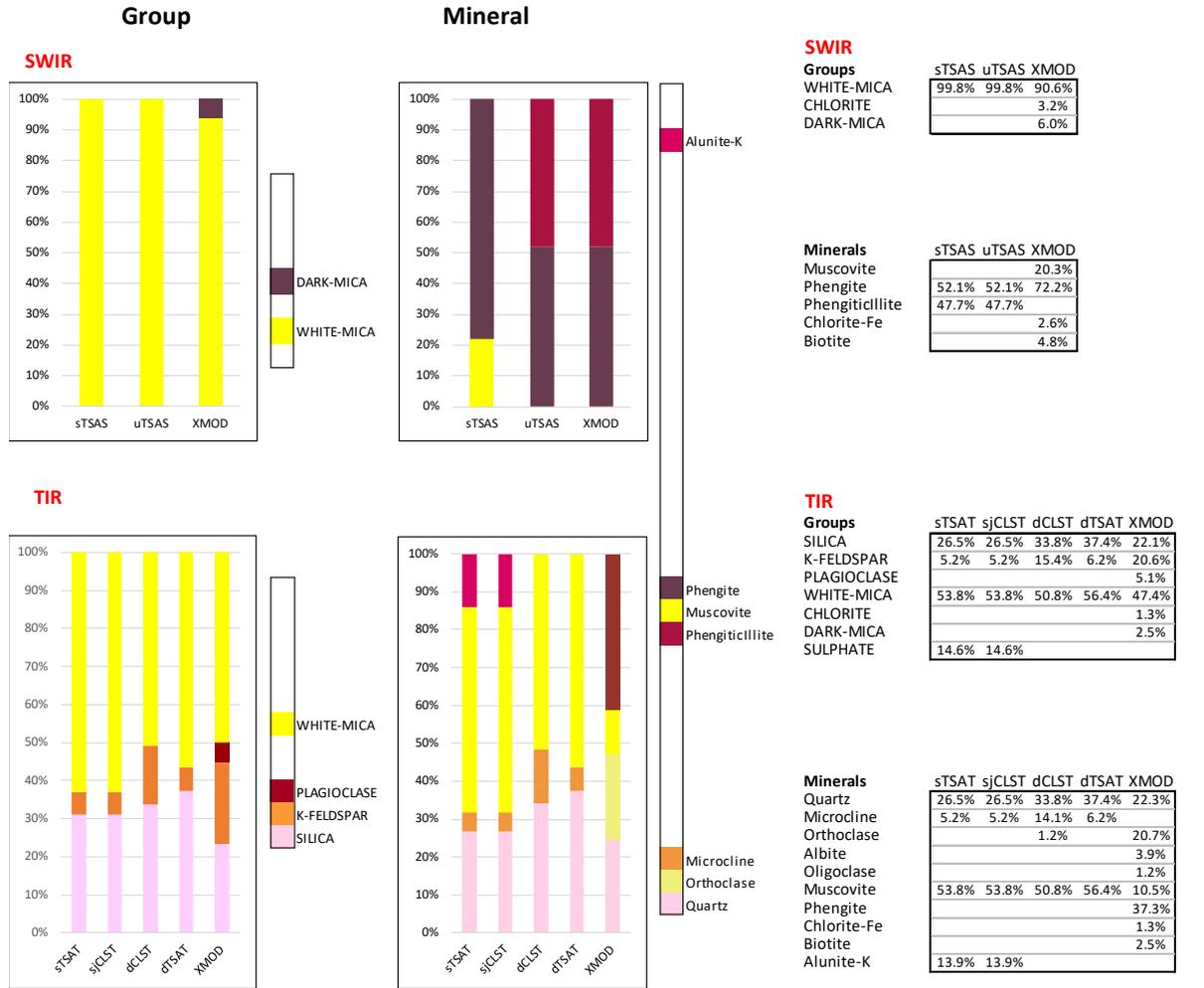
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G408260 Micaceous black shale



Sample interpretation (from Green and Reid 2021)**G408251 Mudstone**

TSAS and CLST both correctly identified mineral groups. TSAS overestimated the proportion of white mica by a factor of 1.6 and apportioned all of it to muscovite (or illitic muscovite), but XMOD identified 90% of the white mica as phengitic.

CLST (and TSAT) correctly identified significant white mica, but like the SWIR algorithms, incorrectly identified the white mica as muscovite. A small proportion of plagioclase included in XMOD could not be justified in the RMS for the dCLST, although was not severely penalised if included in addition to, or instead of K-feldspar. The TIR algorithms over-estimated quartz by a factor of 1.8.

G408275 Altered granodiorite

TSAS and CLST both correctly identified mineral groups and mineral species. TSAS made a good estimate of the chlorite proportion, but overestimated white mica by a factor of 6 and underestimated dark mica by a factor of 2.

White mica was not used by CLS, even when feldspars, chlorite, kaolin and dark mica were not made available. CLS overestimated quartz:plagioclase by a factor of 1.7. sjCLST identified a low proportion of K-feldspar that was not backed up by dCLS, but was validated by XMOD. A small proportion of chlorite (3-7%) interpreted by the TIR unmixing algorithms was a surprisingly good estimate of the true proportion (6%). CLST (and TSAT) interpreted plagioclase as albite plus oligoclase, but XMOD identified 96% as oligoclase.

G408243 K-feldspar-altered granite

TSAS and CLST both correctly identified mineral groups and mineral species and their relative proportions (including quartz) to within 8%.

The carbonate was identified as siderite using the 14,000 and 11,300nm features.

MLA interpreted it as calcite, but siderite was not included in the mineral library.

G408265 Biotite-garnet-altered mafic

TSAS was unable to determine the mineralogy of over 90% of the spectra, interpreting them as aspectral, but MLA indicated a high proportion of biotite. Although a deep crystal field feature was apparent, features in the SWIR were noisy. Smoothing the spectra did reveal prominent FeOH and MgOH absorptions at 2252nm (biotite or chlorite) and 2339nm (more consistent with chlorite). When aspectral results were disregarded, as presented in the mineral species results, biotite becomes dominant.

In the TIR, sjCLST and dCLST did a good job at identifying mineral groups, including biotite and garnet. However dTSAT favoured chlorite over biotite. Minor amphibole was incorrectly identified and used by dCLST, but not by dTSAT. Quartz was over-estimated by a factor of 1.9.

G408264 Biotite-altered mafic

Dark mica (biotite) and chlorite were correctly identified by the TSAS algorithms, but chlorite was over-estimated relative to biotite. Both the SWIR and TIR algorithms were unable to see the epidote (9%) in the sample.

sjCLST, dCLST and uTSAT all incorrectly interpreted chlorite rather than biotite. Quartz was over-estimated by a factor of 1.8.

G408260 Micaceous black shale

The SWIR algorithms correctly identified white mica as the dominant mineral. MLA apportioned 70% to phengite (or illitic phengite) and 20% to muscovite, but TSA found only phengite (or illitic phengite).

sjCLST, dCLST and udTSAT all correctly identified white mica, quartz and K-feldspar, but sjCLST incorrectly added minor sulphate (alunite). The proportion of white mica was accurately estimated by all

algorithms, K-feldspar was best estimated by dCLST and quartz was over-estimated by a factor of 1.6.

G408245 Altered felsic volcanic

This sample contained a challenging mineral assemblage, with biotite and chlorite in the SWIR and plagioclase, white mica, chlorite (and biotite) all with major features at similar TIR wavelengths (9500-9800nm: the 'Triangle of death').

TSAS and CLST both correctly identified all but one of the main mineral groups present, both missing dark mica, which comprised 24% of the sample.

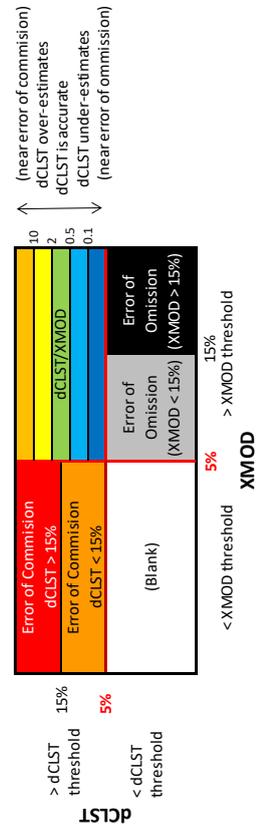
Carbonate was identified as siderite by sTSAT and dCLST, which was supported by the diagnostic wavelength of the ν_4 in-plane bend feature at 11,385nm. However, XMOD identified the carbonate as calcite, which was the result from sjCLST. dTSAT returned equal proportions of siderite and calcite.

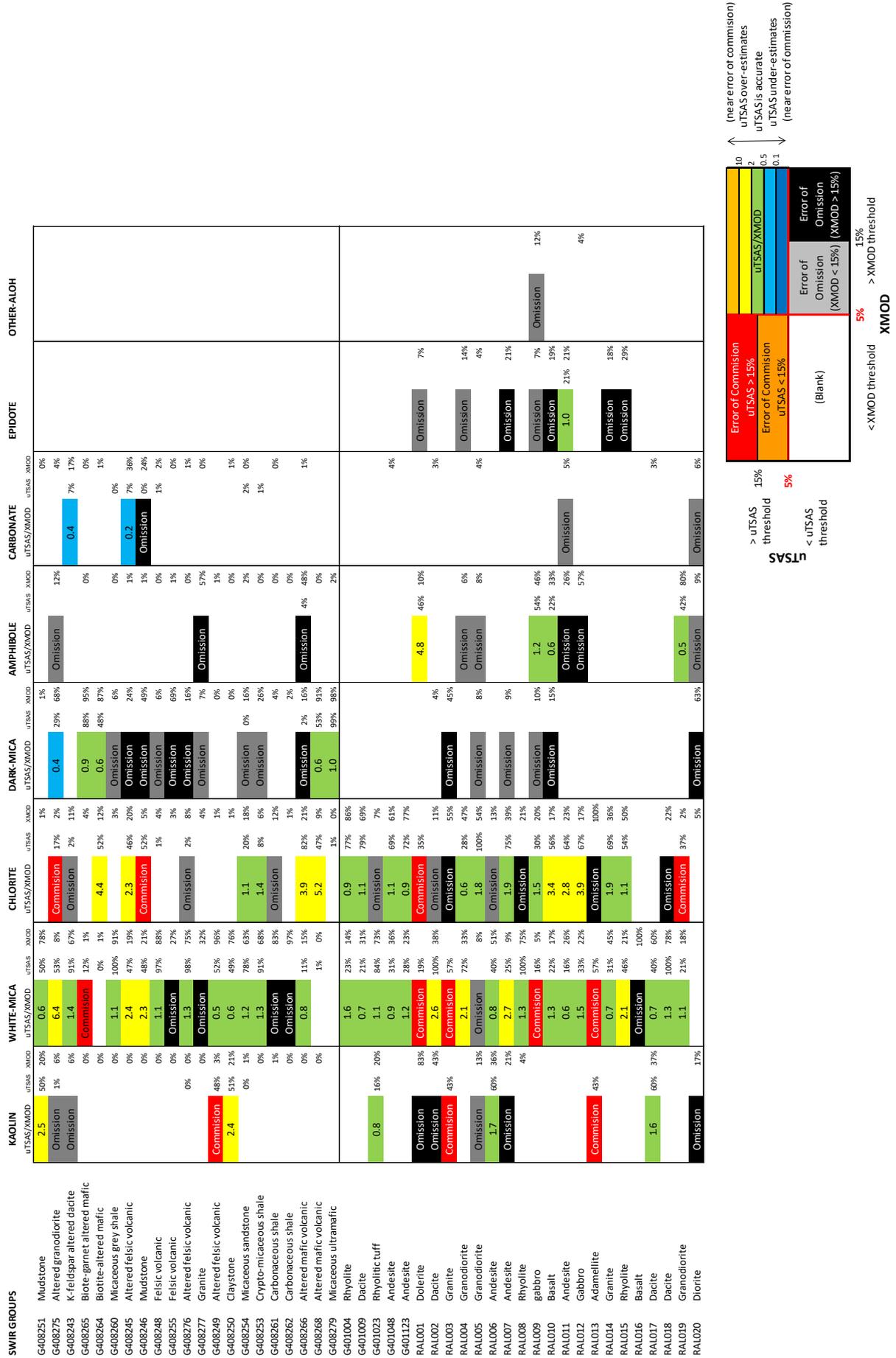
The proportion of carbonate was correctly estimated by dCLST (and dTSAT) but was significantly under-estimated by TSAS. Proportions of quartz and plagioclase were well estimated by dCLST, but white mica and chlorite(/biotite) were significantly over-and under-estimated respectively.

Appendix 5. Summaries of mineral identification results

TIR GROUPS	SLUCA	K-FELDSPAR	PLAGIOCLASE	KACULIN	WHITE-MICA	CHLORITE	DARK-MICA	AMPHIBOLE	CARBONATE	GARNET	PHYROXENE	QUININE
G00251	Mudstone	1.3	0.5	3.0	0.6	Commissio	Omission	Commissio	1.7	1.2		
G00252	Mudstone	1.4	0.7	3.0	1.1	Commissio	0.6	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
G00253	Altered granodiorite	1.5	0.7	3.0	1.9	0.9	0.3	Commissio	1.7	1.2		
G00254	K-feldspar altered mafic	1.5	0.7	3.0	3.0	5.5	0.6	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
G00255	Biotite-altered mafic	1.5	0.7	3.0	1.1	5.5	0.3	Commissio	1.7	1.2		
G00256	Micaceous mafic	1.5	0.7	3.0	3.0	0.9	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
G00257	Altered felsic volcanic	1.5	0.8	3.0	2.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.7	1.2		
G00258	Mudstone	1.5	0.9	3.0	1.6	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
G00259	Felsic volcanic	1.4	0.5	3.0	1.5	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.7	1.2		
G00260	Felsic volcanic	1.4	0.5	3.0	1.6	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
G00261	Granite	1.6	0.9	3.0	0.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.7	1.2		
G00262	Altered felsic volcanic	1.4	0.9	3.0	0.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
G00263	Micaceous sandstone	1.4	0.9	3.0	0.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.7	1.2		
G00264	Crypto-micaceous shale	2.6	1.2	3.0	1.2	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
G00265	Carbonaceous shale	1.9	1.4	3.0	0.9	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.7	1.2		
G00266	Carbonaceous shale	2.4	1.4	3.0	0.9	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
G00267	Altered mafic volcanic	1.5	1.7	3.0	2.4	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.7	1.2		
G00268	Altered mafic volcanic	1.6	1.7	3.0	3.5	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
G00269	Micaceous ultramafic	1.6	1.7	3.0	7.1	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.9	1.2		
G001004	Rhyolite	1.4	1.6	3.0	0.9	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.7	1.2		
G001009	Dacite	1.3	1.6	3.0	1.2	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
G001023	Rhyolitic tuff	1.2	1.6	3.0	1.2	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.7	1.2		
G001048	Andesite	1.4	1.6	3.0	1.2	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
G001123	Andesite	1.3	1.5	3.0	1.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.7	1.2		
RA1001	Dolerite	1.7	1.5	3.0	1.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
RA1002	Dacite	1.2	1.1	3.0	1.3	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.7	1.2		
RA1003	Granite	1.4	1.1	3.0	1.3	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
RA1004	54% 38%	1.2	1.1	3.0	1.3	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.7	1.2		
RA1005	Granodiorite	1.4	1.2	3.0	1.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
RA1006	Granodiorite	1.7	1.2	3.0	1.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.9	1.2		
RA1006	Andesite	1.1	1.6	3.0	1.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
RA1007	Andesite	1.6	1.6	3.0	1.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.9	1.2		
RA1008	Rhyolite	1.1	1.6	3.0	1.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
RA1009	Rhyolite	1.1	1.6	3.0	1.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.9	1.2		
RA1010	Gabbro	1.7	1.6	3.0	1.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
RA1010	Basalt	1.7	1.6	3.0	1.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.9	1.2		
RA1011	Andesite	1.6	1.6	3.0	1.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
RA1012	Gabbro	1.6	1.6	3.0	1.7	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.9	1.2		
RA1013	Adamellite	1.5	0.8	3.0	1.5	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
RA1014	Granite	1.4	0.8	3.0	1.5	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.9	1.2		
RA1015	Rhyolite	1.5	0.8	3.0	1.5	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
RA1016	Basalt	1.5	0.8	3.0	1.5	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.9	1.2		
RA1017	Basalt	1.2	0.8	3.0	1.5	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
RA1018	Dacite	1.3	1.1	3.0	1.5	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.9	1.2		
RA1019	Granodiorite	1.9	1.1	3.0	1.5	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.8	1.2		
RA1020	Diorite	1.9	1.1	3.0	1.5	2.1	0.3	Commissio	1.9	1.2		

Tables illustrating the success of mineral identification by dCLST and uTSAS, including results from previous reports in this research program (Green and Reid 2021, Moltzen and Bottrill 2018 and Moltzen et al 2020).





Appendix 6. Digital files

Excel files

Samples (Table 1).xlsx
Summary results (Figure 4).xlsx
Mineral identification success table (Tables 5, 6) - Colour coded.xlsx
HyLogging and MLA results - All data.xlsx
HyLogging and MLA results (Appendix 1) - Summary.xlsx
Full MLA results (Appendix 2).xlsx
Mineral identification success table (Appendix 5) - Compilation, colour coded.xlsx

TSG datasets

Individual samples (408279, 408242, 408245, 408246, 408248, 408249, 408250, 408253, 408253av, 408254, 408255, 408261, 408261av, 408262, 408262av, 408266, 408268, 408276, 408277)

Collated RAL 2016-21 samples
Collated RAL 2020-21 samples

XMOD

Individual samples (G408279, G408245, G408246, 408248A, 408248B, G408249, G408250, G408253, G408254, G408255, G408261, G408262, G408266, G408268, G408276, G408277)

For each sample:

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Modal_mineralogy.xlsx (Summary statistics)
XMOD_STD.csv (Sample points table)
XMOD_STD_BSE_SAMPLE.tif (Backscatter image)



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