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Introduction

The Meredith Granite exploration licence in North-Western Tasmania was pegged by Aberfoyle in 1978 (Plate MER 12).

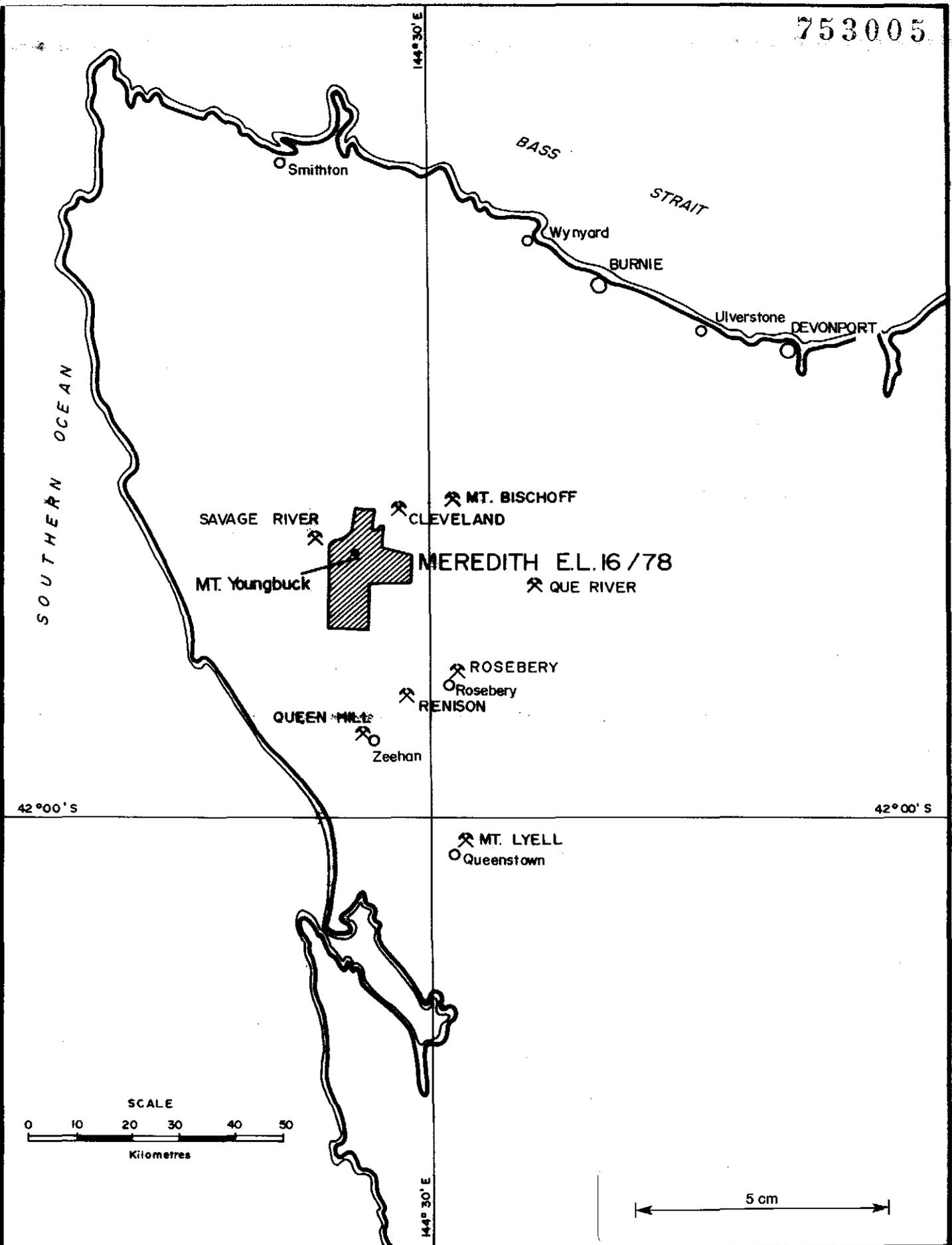
Previously, Comstaff, under E.L. 1/68, and ANZECCO (E.L. 11/75) undertook regional stream sediment sampling programmes, limited detailed grid work and drilling follow-up.

Aberfoyle commenced exploration of the licence in the summer of 1978-79 with a reconnaissance mapping and stream sediment programme, which continued in the 1979-80 season. A DIGHEM survey flown in January 1980 provided many follow-up targets and most of the summer of 1980-81 was spent in assessment of these anomalies.

To date, work in 1981-82 has been concentrated on further grid coverage and diamond drilling of a scheelite bearing magnetite-pyrrhotite-hastingsite skarn on Mt. Youngbuck. Two areas of high tin geochemistry in the Upper Castray River area were also followed up.

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NORTH WEST TASMANIA
 MEREDITH E.L. 16/78
 Locality Map

Location code:	
Date:	September, 1979
Scale:	1 : 1,000,000
Plate No	Mer 12

General Geological Setting (Plate MER 3)

The licence includes most of the outcrop extent of the Upper Devonian Meredith Granite, and its northern contacts.

The bulk of the Meredith Granite is composed of medium-coarse grained, equigranular biotite granite/adamellite. Marginal phases, and late stage intrusive bodies are generally finer grained and porphyritic. The margins of the granite are irregular and marked by great textural variations.

To the west, the granite intrudes quartzites, quartz-mica schists and carbonaceous black shales of the Pre-Cambrian Whyte Schist Complex.

To the north-east, pyroxenites, peridotites, serpentinites, altered basic volcanics and undifferentiated igneous rocks of the Cambrian Heazlewood Complex and similar mafic-ultramafic suites outcrop.

In the north-west, sediments and tuffaceous rocks of probable Cambrian age (Crimson Creek Formation?) occur. In general these rocks appear to be a sequence of turbiditic volcanolithic sandstones, siltstones and shales with significant tuffaceous component, with minor chert and carbonate horizons.

Ordovician-Silurian sediments also occur in contact with the granite to the north, and apparently unconformably overlie the Cambrian sequence. Silurian quartzites constitute the bulk of these younger sediments, but stylonitic limestone, perhaps related to the Ordovician Gordon Limestone has been mapped in the Castray River, and mineralized limestones occur to the north-east (Godkin).

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Upper Castray River Area

Two areas of highly anomalous tin stream geochemistry in the upper reaches of the Castray River were followed up by hand auger soil sampling (for locations see Plate MER 46).

(i) IFIELD CREEK AREA (PLATE MER 42)

This tributary of the Upper Castray River 2 km east of the Mt. Stewart Mine was first sampled by ANZECCO in 1975-76. ANZECCO took six (6) heavy metal concentrate samples from the creek and its tributaries. All were highly anomalous for tin and one sample contained anomalous gold. A rock sample from the area assayed 6900 ppm Pb, and > 1% Zn (probably a galena-sphalerite bearing quartz vein).

Aberfoyle sampled the creek in 1978/79 and confirmed the anomalous tin drainage. Further stream sediment coverage and base of slope soil sampling of a minor tributary in 1979/80, outlined the source of the anomalies.

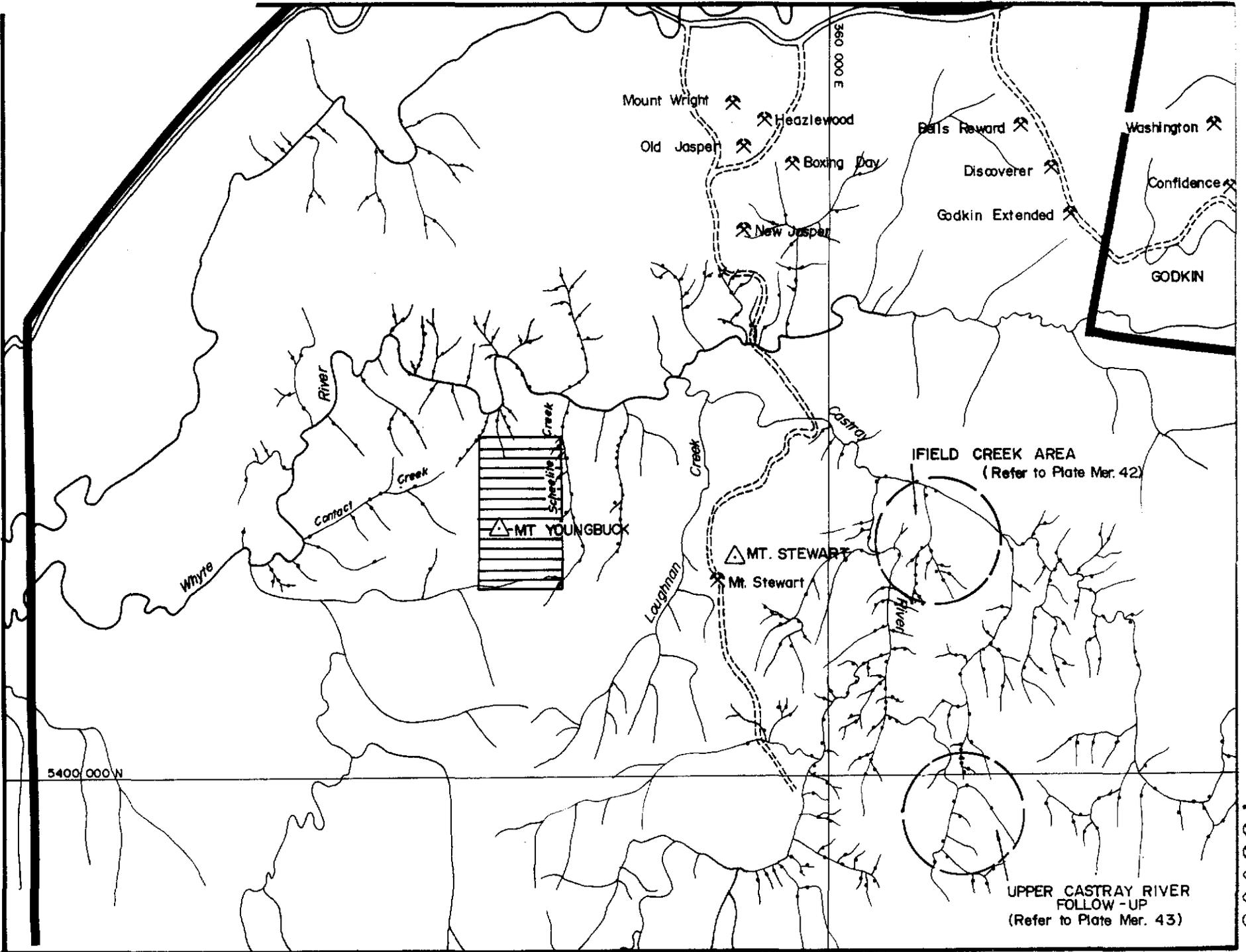
This season, ten metre spaced soil samples were taken on a reconnaissance grid over the area outlined by previous work. In total, 54 samples were taken on 5 lines, with the result that an area of greater than 200 x 80 metres containing anomalous Sn and Zn soil geochemistry has been outlined. The anomalous area is open to the north, south and west.

Maximum values:

Sn	1250 ppm
Zn	5100 ppm

The geology of the area is largely unknown, and outcrop is poor. Although previously mapped as granite, the Ifield Creek area may contain contact altered ultrabasic rocks or sediments.

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NORTH WEST TASMANIA

MEREDITH E.L. 16/78

STREAM SAMPLING SUMMARY PLAN SHOWING
 IFIELD CK & UPPER CASTRAY RIVER AREAS

Location code:

Date: April, 1982

Scale: 1:50,000

Plate No MER 46

UPPER CASTRAY RIVER
 FOLLOW-UP
 (Refer to Plate Mer. 43)

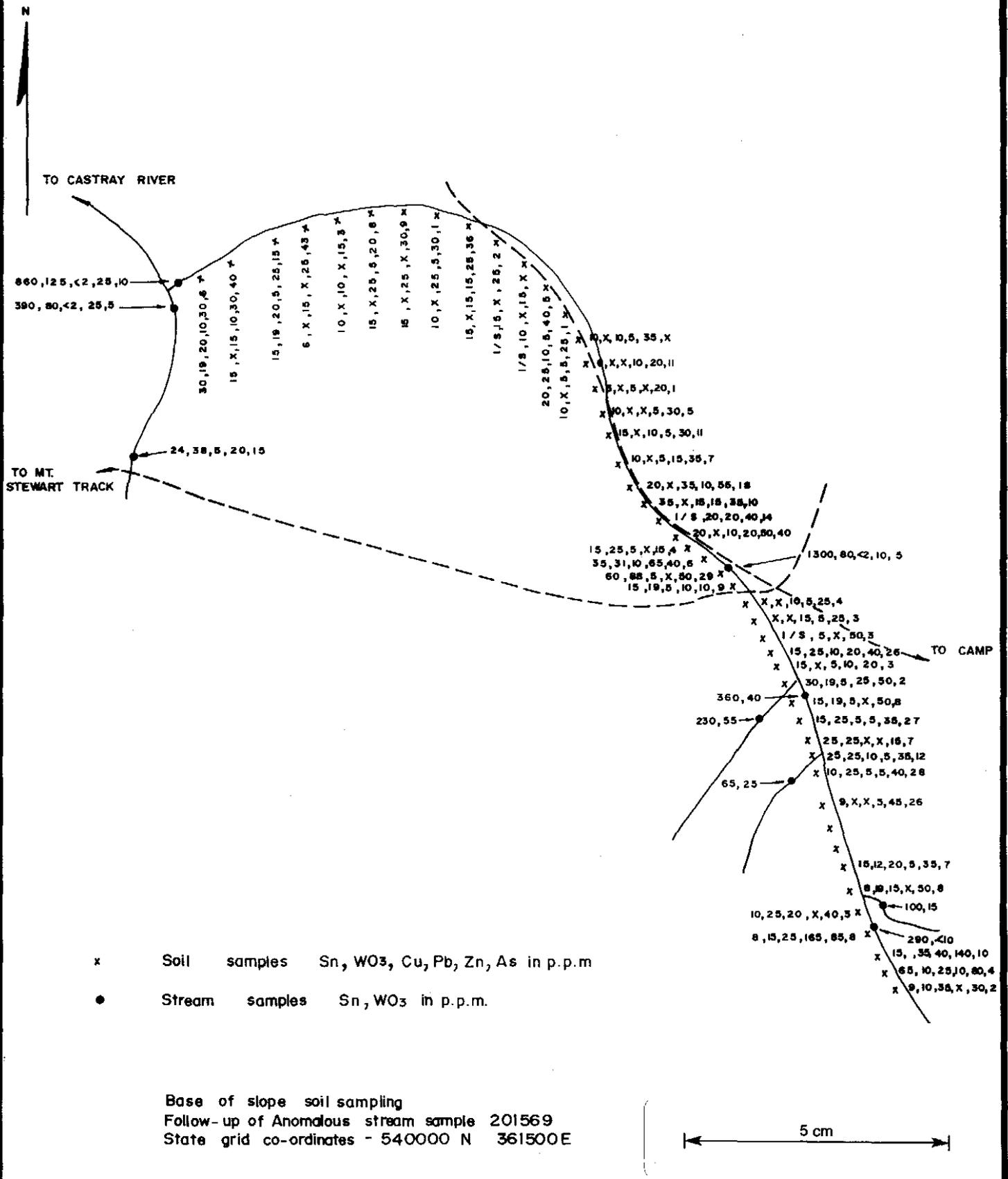
Coarse grained equigranular granite occurs in outcrop to the east and west of the zone of high geochemistry. Thus, the mineralization occurs either within the granite, or in an embayment in the granite contact.

(ii) FOLLOW-UP OF STREAM SEDIMENT (SAMPLE 20156P-PLATE MER 43)

Base of slope sampling was performed along the southern bank of a creek system showing consistently anomalous tin drainage. The area is approximately 3 km south-east of the Mt. Stewart Mine.

Stream sediment samples (1978/79 and 79/80) show tin anomalies to 1300 ppm, with the tin source apparently south of the creek.

The base of slope soil sampling failed to detect coherent geochemically anomalous zones, and indicates that the stream anomalies may be due to isolated greisen veins within the granite.



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Geology:	NORTH WEST TASMANIA	Location code:
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Mt. Youngbuck Skarn

The bulk of the 1981/82 summer season was spent in further assessment of the Mt. Youngbuck skarn prospect. Grid extensions to the north and west, and preliminary diamond drilling were completed.

(i) GRID EXTENSIONS (PLATE MER 4 - 355/400)

Five 760 metre cut lines were added to the north of the existing ten line Mt. Youngbuck grid.

Geological mapping at 1:1000 scale, ground magnetometer survey with a G816 proton magnetometer (station spacing 10 metres), and C-Horizon hand auger soil sampling at 10 metre intervals were completed.

The northern extensions contained little exposure and geological mapping did not detect any trace of the mineralised stratigraphy.

Similarly, no significant geochemical or geophysical anomalies were detected.

Results are shown on Plates MER 19, 22 and 26 (Sheet 3).

The Mt. Youngbuck grid was also extended to the west in order to provide access for ground E.M. follow-up of DIGHEM conductor 102D, which was incompletely surveyed in 1980/81.

The western extensions were also soil sampled, geologically mapped and covered by ground magnetics survey.

Lines 29600N, 29700N and 29800N were extended to the west until the granite contact was reached. All exposure mapped was of tuffaceous rocks similar to those on the eastern slopes of Mt. Youngbuck. No doleritic material was encountered.

Weak arsenic anomalies on line 29700N (max 120 ppm) may be related to skarn mineralization, although no magnetic anomaly occurs in the vicinity of the geochemical high. Results are shown on Plates MER 19, 22 and 26 (Sheet 4).

(ii) MAX-MIN II SURVEY

A series of E.M. anomalies to the north of the outcropping mineralization at Mt. Youngbuck were detailed using Sirottem in 1979/80.

Further ground E.M. detailing was completed this year using the Max-Min II ground E.M. system. Five lines: 29800N, 24400N, 30000N, 30100N and 30200N, were covered using a Tx-Rx separation of 100 metres.

A summary of the results from line to line follows:-
(J. Silic, Company Geophysicist)

(1) Line 30200N

A single conductor is centred on 29410E. The dip is to the west. This interpretation is consistent with the SIROTEM data.

(2) Line 30100N

The profile on this line is complex. The preliminary interpretation considering that no 50 metre separation data is available, is that the response is caused by two conductors, one at 29430E, and the other one at 29340E. The conductors are very shallow (less than 10 metres).

It is very important that this line be covered by a 50 metre separation Max-Min survey. Note that SIROTEM data does not disprove the existence of two conductors. SIROTEM data peak is at 29390E, which is half way between the conductors, and also there is a "trough" in the SIROTEM response at 29330E. Note - thin conductors give a "trough" in the SIROTEM data, when the loop is directly over the conductor.

(3) Line 30000N

Conductors on this line are centred on about 29450E. It is dipping to the west and is at a depth of about 30 - 50 metres. Note that 50 metre data will have to be obtained for a better depth estimate. The SIROTEM data can be reconciled with this interpretation if we accept the fact that "trough" in the the SIROTEM response at 29460E is marking the position of the conductors. It is possible that we are looking at a multiple conductor situation here.

(4) Line 29900N

A westerly dipping, weak conductor centred on about 29490E has been defined. This is consistent with the SIROTEM data where a "trough" in the response is evident at 29460E. This conductor could be deep and therefore 50 metre data is necessary to highlight this point. Also more data to the east of 29550E is needed.

(5) Line 29800N

A broad response is observed on this line, indicating the presence of a very broad conductor or a series of separate conductors, centred on 29420E. Again this is consistent with the SIROTEM data, which shows a very broad response centred on about 29400E. The 50 metre data will have to be obtained on this line, in order to estimate the depth to the sources and to ascertain whether the response is due to a single broad conductor or a number of separate conductors.

From the 100 metre separation data it is evident that the 50 metre data will need to be collected in order to define the depths to the conductors and to ascertain whether the Mt. Youngbuck "conductive zones" are made up of multiple conductors or broad single conductors.

(iii) SURFACE GEOLOGY (PLATE MER 22, SHEET 1 & 2, MER 18)

Additional exposure created by road-making and drill site preparation was mapped at 1:1000 scale. Approximately 40 metres west of the collar position of DDH.MY.1, bulldozer excavation proved the existence of a magnetite bearing skarn previously interpreted from ground magnetics and soil geochemical data. The outcrop is at least 2-3 metres wide.

Magnetite-amphibole skarn rocks were also exposed during the building of the main Mt. Youngbuck access road (Plate MER 19, Sheet 3; 29550N, 29600E). The exposure coincides with ground magnetic and soil geochemical anomalies on grid lines 29500N and 29600N, and C-Horizon soil samples taken along the road confirm the existence of a distinct geochemical anomaly (Max. Sn 440 ppm).

Mapping of the Mt. Youngbuck access road also disclosed the presence of several granite dykes on the eastern slopes of the mountain. These dykes presumably indicate the close proximity at depth of the main granite mass.

Descriptions of samples collected for petrological examination during mapping are appended (Appendix A).

(iv) DIAMOND DRILLING (PLATES MER 45 & 47)

A planned diamond drilling programme of 600 metres (4 x 150 metre holes), was undertaken to test the sub-surface potential of the Mt. Youngbuck skarn. Considerable delays in drilling led to very slow progress and at the time of submission of this report only one hole, MY.1 (140.85 metres) had been completed. A second hole, MY.2, was in progress.

DDH.MY.1

collar co-ordinates	-	29720N, 29490E
azimuth	-	085 ^o Mag.
dip	-	-50 ^o
completed depth	-	140.85 metres
date commenced	-	20/2/82
date completed	-	27/3/82
drill type	-	Longyear 38, skid mounted

Considerable equipment failure and access problems, combined with difficulties in maintaining water supply to the drill-rig resulted in very slow progress in the drilling of MY.1.

The hole was collared in purple-brown tuffaceous sandstones, siltstones and shales, and intersected a thick sequence of variably mineralized calc-silicate hornfels (skarns) from 35.92 metres to 87.00 metres.

Doleritic sills (?), apparently intrusive, were encountered between 61.14m and 64.16m, and 66.39m to 77.95m. The contacts between dolerite and skarn are obscured by fine cloudy diopside alteration.

The calc-silicate sequence contains crudely banded garnet-pyroxene-vesuvianite rocks (generally weakly mineralized), interbedded with amphibole-magnetite-pyrrhotite-scheelite skarns (1 cm to 2 m). Common arsenopyrite and chalcopyrite appear to replace pyrrhotite.

Trace visible scheelite occurs throughout the calc-silicate rocks, generally associated with magnetite-amphibole rich bands, although scheelite also occurs intergrown with carbonate and pyrrhotite. The scheelite is coarse grained and patchy in distribution.

The footwall of the skarn sequence is marked by a sharp contact between mineralized skarn, and grey siltstones with finely laminated pyrrhotite. A sequence of tuffaceous sediments similar to those in the hangingwall continue to the end of the hole at 140.85 metres. The footwall sequence differs, however, in that finely laminated pyrrhotite in greyish siltstones give much of the core a significant magnetic susceptibility.

Petrological descriptions of two samples from the footwall sequence (Appendix A), indicate that these grey siltstones are not tuffaceous and are thus atypical of the bulk of the Mt. Youngbuck rocks.

The stratigraphy dips steeply to the west (75° to 90°). Minor small scale folding (shallow plunge) occurs in fine bedded siltstones around 89.0 metres. Tentative facing directions obtained from apparent graded bedding and current bedding were obtained in both the hangingwall and footwall sequences. All indicate facing down-hole (overturned). This is consistent with observations from elsewhere in the area.

Thus the non-tuffaceous grey siltstones appear to represent a marked change in source and probably in depositional environment, that stratigraphically immediately preceded the deposition of the carbonate horizon(s) that host mineralization.

Assay results for the intervals 34.92 to 66.92 metres, and 76.95 to 87.95 metres are available. Tin values are low (max. 900 ppm) and tin probably occurs both as cassiterite and within silicate lattices (eg. garnet), as soluble Sn assays comprise up to 60% of total Sn in some samples.

Tungsten values were patchy (max. 6800 ppm over 0.75m) and reflect the coarse grainsize and irregular distribution of the scheelite.

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Summary & Conclusions

IFIELD CREEK AREA

- (i) A geochemically anomalous zone of greater than 200m x 80m has been outlined by hand auger soil sampling.
- (ii) Geological knowledge of the area is poor and the mineralization may occur either within the granite (greisen-style), or in contact mineralized country rocks.

MOUNT YOUNGBUCK

- (i) Grid extensions to the north failed to detect any significant geological, geochemical or geophysical anomalies.
- (ii) Preliminary drilling of the Mt. Youngbuck skarn indicate a thickness of approximately 50 metres (dyke intruded?) of patchily mineralized calc-silicate rocks.
- (iii) Road-making and drill site preparation has exposed further skarn mineralization both east and west of the horizon currently being tested by diamond drilling.

Proposed Further Work

- .. Complete petrological and assay examination of DDH.MY.1.
- .. Logging, assaying and petrology of DDH.MY.2.
- .. Assessment of the Mt. Youngbuck and Ifield Creek prospects once data compilation is completed.

A summary of project status will be included in the next six monthly progress report (due on October 20th, 1982).

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EXPENDITURE

MEREDITH, Exploration Licence 16/78

Six months to 20th April, 1982

The Statement of Expenditure for Exploration Licence 16/78 pertains to Aberfoyle periods ending 3rd May, 1982.

GEOLOGY	23,761
SURVEY	150
GEOPHYSICS	1,112
GEOCHEMISTRY	14,718
DIAMOND DRILLING	57,983
ASSAYS	10,524
ACCESS	3,984
TENURE	2,773
SUNDRY	229
DIRECT COSTS	<u>\$115,234</u>
INDIRECT COSTS	<u>17,285</u>
TOTAL	<u><u>\$132,519</u></u>

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Appendix A

Petrological Reports by H. W. Fander, M. Sc

SAMPLE LOCATIONS ARE GIVEN ON THE
ACCOMPANYING LEDGER SHEETS

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REPORT CMS 81/12/42

Rock Samples 265816-820, 265823

Six samples were received for petrological examination, with special reference to any Sn/W mineralisation. Thin-sections were prepared and are briefly described in the attached table; the offcuts were checked for scheelite, using a short-wave UV source, but none was detected.

Summary

Four of the rocks are skarns composed of various combinations and proportions of diopside, grossularite, vesuvianite and ferrohastingsite, and represent pyrometasomatised carbonate rocks; if anomalous Sn values occur, these must be in the form of dispersed Sn in silicates rather than as discrete minerals. No wolframite was identified.

265819 is a thoroughly metasomatised sediment, and may have been a greywacke or a tuff, possibly one of the units of the Crimson Creek formation.

265823 has a totally different character, and gives the impression of being a young, immature sediment formed from granitic material.

H.W. Fander, M. Sc.

Sample	Rock Type - Composition	Fabric	Minor Minerals	Central Mineralogical Service Comments
816 S. 96)	<u>Skarn</u> . Dominantly composed of fine iopside and grossularite, intergrown and as separate bands; minor vesuvianite poikiloblasts, and prehnite patches.	Microgranular; vague compositional banding and vein-like bodies.	A few carbonate patches. Traces of pyrrhotite. Granular sphene throughout.	Featureless skarn, representing metasomatised carbonate rock. UV test negative. Sn, if present, in silicate form.
817	<u>Diopside Skarn</u> . Major component is finely-granular to subhedral diopside, with interspersed grossularite and interstitial, replacive prehnite.	Fine-grained, with preferred orientation; uniform, featureless.	Parallel streaks of granular sphene. Patches of secondary chlorite.	Very similar to 265816, with different mineral ratios. Short-wave UV check for scheelite negative.
818	<u>Banded Skarn</u> . Bands of ultrafine, cloudy diopside, intergrown diopside/ferrohastingsite, vesuvianite, and vesuvianite/ferrohastingsite.	Crude compositional banding is inherited from original rock. Fine/medium-grained.	Irregular grains of extensively altered pyrrhotite, and of chalcopyrite.	UV check negative. Similar to 265816, 817, though garnet absent and ferrohastingsite has formed, thus of darker colour
819	<u>Metasomatised ?Tuff</u> . Small grains of plagioclase and sericite aggregates; extensive development of very fine diopside crystals and phlogopite flakes.	Preferred orientation (?bedding) and relict clastic textures.	Thin streaks of fine sphene throughout. Pyrrhotite, arsenopyrite.	Believed to be metasomatised sediment, possibly Crimson Creek lithology, but most features obliterated. UV check negative.
820	<u>Ferrohastingsite Skarn</u> . Mainly coarse prismatic interlocking ferrohastingsite crystals, with subordinate interstitial diopside and minor magnetite.	Coarsely-crystalline, random orientation; no relict features.	Scattered sphene. Pyrite and pyrrhotite, partly oxidised.	UV check negative. Ferrohastingsite may be replacing diopside, but evidence not clear. Fe-rich.
823 S. 01)	<u>Argillaceous, Feldspathic Sandstone</u> . Irregular grains of quartz, cleavage-fragments of orthoclase, in a matrix-cement of kaolinite-illite.	Poorly-sorted/sized, weakly bedded, medium/fine-grained.	Pervasive limonite. A few degraded biotite flakes.	Appears to be a young, poorly-lithified sediment with a broadly granitic provenance.

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SAMPLE REPORT (Mineralogy, Petrology, Ore Microscopy)

Job No. CMS 82/2/37 Date Received: 19.2.1982

Reference Order No. 5207

Sample No. 260621, 260623

Nature of Sample: Hand Specimens

DESCRIPTION SECTION No. 41030, 41031

a. Hand Specimen:

b. Microscopic:

260 621 (T.S. 41030)

This is a low-grade metasediment, essentially a metasiltstone/metaquartzite; it could be regarded as a low-grade hornfels, i.e. a product of very mild contact-metamorphism. Sedimentary structures and textures are preserved.

The coarser portions consist of subrounded clastic quartz grains, with interstitial fine sericite, conspicuous detrital tourmaline, relatively abundant hematite, and other heavy-mineral grains (zircon, leucoxene); the hematite is probably introduced.

The finer portions contain the same major minerals, i.e. quartz and sericite, but with a higher proportion of sericite. The rock is quartz-veined, and is brecciated; the fractures are filled with cellular goethite representing oxidised sulphides (pyrite, sphalerite); some unaltered pyrite occurs.

260 623 (T.S. 41031)

This is a thoroughly metasomatised medium-grained intrusive igneous rock, originally of basic to intermediate composition, ie. a dolerite or microdiorite

The rock is composed of occasional plagioclase phenocrysts largely replaced by fine quartz, and smaller plagioclase laths, with abundant replacive pale amphibole (actinolite) as matted needles, as well as elongate aggregates of

IDENTIFICATION

260621, 260623

260621 - Metasediment
(Hornfels)260623 - Metasomatised
?Dolerite

matted phlogopite flakes; these have formed around original (primary) oxide opaques, remnants of which are still present.

The style of metasomatism is typical of that occurring around granitic intrusives; if this is in fact the geological setting, it indicates that the ?dolerite was pre-Devonian.

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SAMPLE REPORT (Mineralogy, Petrology, Ore Microscopy)

Job No. CMS 82/4/37 Date Received: 28.4.1982
 Reference Order No. 5258
 Sample No. 252249 MT. YOUNG BUCK. MY1: 88.45m
 Nature of Sample: D.D. Core

IDENTIFICATION
252249
Hornfels with Sulphides

DESCRIPTION SECTION No. 41861

a. Hand Specimen:

Brown, fine-grained, banded rock with sulphides.

b. Microscopic:

This is a spotted hornfels or metasilstone, probably weakly metasomatised as well as being mildly contact-metamorphosed.

The rock consists mainly of matted fine hydromuscovite flakes with intergrown fine quartz, and many small (about 0.1 mm) mica aggregates which probably represent poorly-developed cordierite or andalusite. There are also sporadic larger bodies of muscovite flakes with intergrown albite and sulphides, and these are thought to be of metasomatic origin. Relict clastic quartz grains are occasionally seen.

The banding is inherited from the original sediment, and is accentuated by the formation of sulphides along certain bands. These dominantly comprise fine pyrrhotite, with pyrite veinlets and a minor trace of chalcopyrite.

Thin (0.3 mm) zeolite veins cut the rock; the zeolite is laumontite.

The mineral assemblage indicates a low grade of thermal metamorphism, assigned to the albite-epidote hornfels facies.

H.W. Fander, M. Sc.

SAMPLE REPORT (Mineralogy, Petrology, Ore Microscopy)

Job No. CMS 82/4/37 Date Received: 28.4.1982
 Reference Order No. 5258
 Sample No. 252250 MT. YOUNG BUCK MY 1 : 45.85m
 Nature of Sample: D.D. Core

IDENTIFICATION
252250
Biotite Hornfels

DESCRIPTION SECTION No. 41862

a. Hand Specimen:

Grey-brown, banded rock with sulphides.

b. Microscopic:

This is a well-banded biotite hornfels with clearly preserved sedimentary features; sulphides have formed preferentially along some bands, and were introduced, thus providing evidence of metasomatism.

The original rock was a laminated sandstone/siltstone, with alternating thin bands of silt and sand; the silt bands (grey) must have been composed of fine clastic quartz and clays with fine carbonaceous material. The clays are represented by fine biotite. The sandy bands consisted of generally well-rounded quartz grains and a few lithic fragments (quartzite, chert, quartzose siltstone and others), with a biotitised clay-quartz matrix. There are coarser biotite aggregates representing completely biotitised clastic (lithic) grains. The sandy bands contain detrital zircon and smoky apatite, as well as irregular patches of introduced sulphides; these are pyrrhotite with isolated chalcopyrite inclusions.

Although the sulphides in both rocks are mainly confined to bands, there is no real evidence that they were syngenetic, though the possibility cannot be discounted.

Neither rock shows evidence of derivation from the tuffaceous units of the Crimson Creek formation which are usually distinctive even after mild metamorphism/metasomatism.

H.W. Fander, M. Sc.

Appendix B

Drill Log & Assay Data For DDH.MY.1

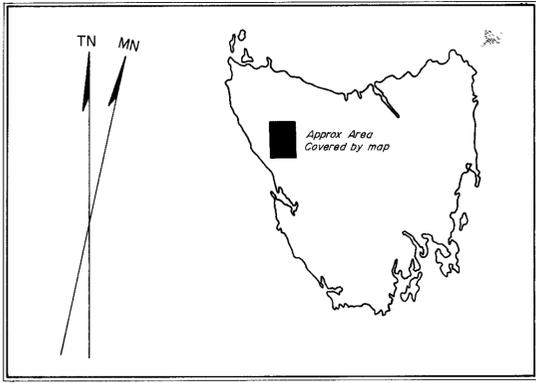
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 For any section not analysed, a value -5.00 should be entered in the relevant assay columns.
 It is not necessary to record a zero.

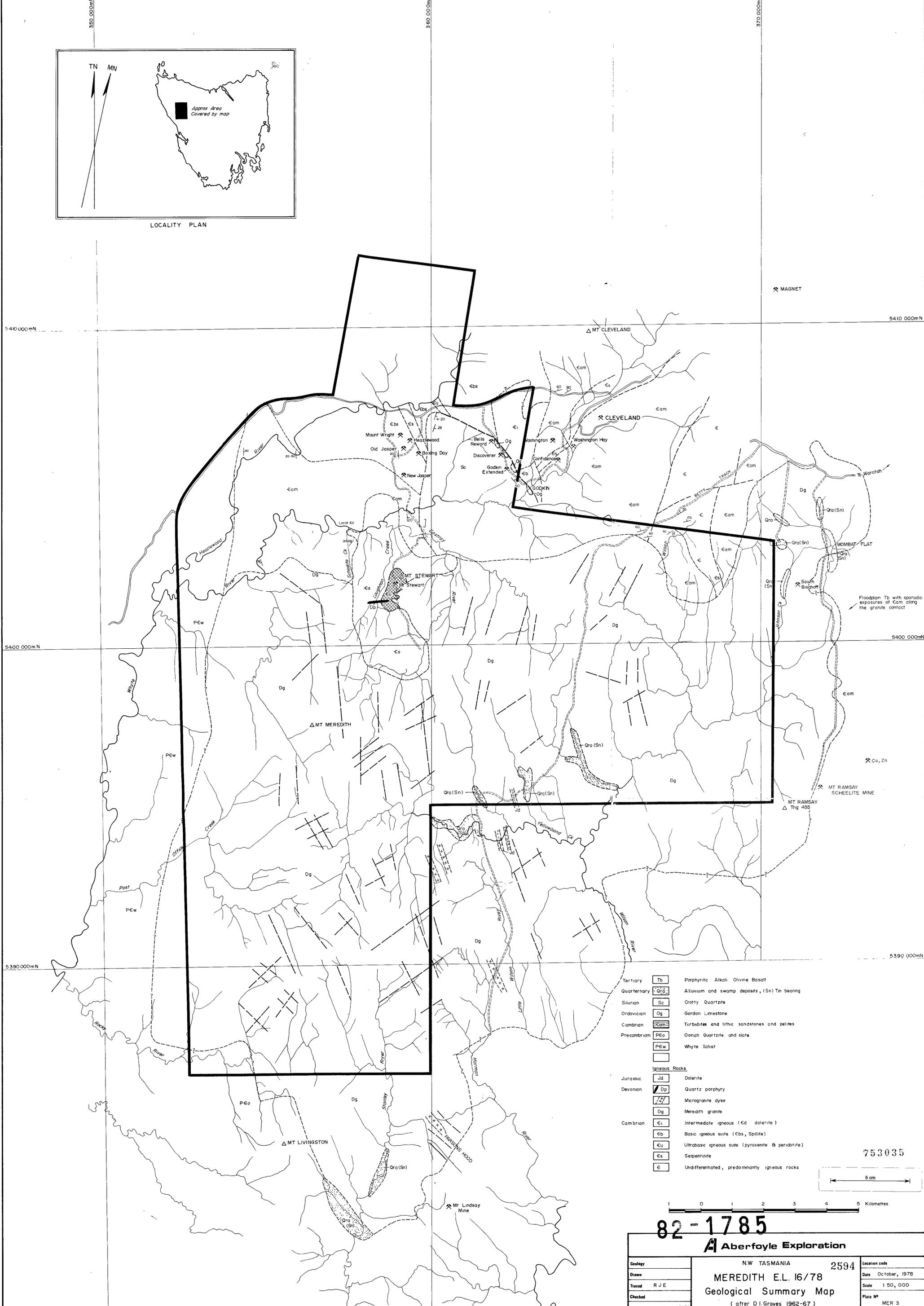
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PROGRAM															PROGRAMMER <i>D. J. ...</i>															DATE 15/4/82																																															
HOLE IDENT.		DISTANCE FROM COLLAR TO BOTTOM OF SAMPLE (metres)					ASSAY ppm SNT					ASSAY ppm STANNITE					ASSAY ppm COPPER					ASSAY ppm ZINC					ASSAY ppm LEAD					ASSAY ppm TUNGSTEN <i>WO3</i>					grammes per Tonne SILVER					grammes per Tonne GOLD					SAMPL No.																														
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LOCALITY PLAN



Tertiary	Tb	Porphyritic Alkali Olivine Basalt
Quaternary	Qra(Sn)	Alluvium and swamp deposits, (Sn) Tn bearing
Silurian	Sc	Crofty Quartzite
Ordovician	Og	Gordon Limestone
Cambrian	Eam	Turbidites and lithic sandstones and pelites
Precambrian	P6o	Oonah Quartzite and slate
	P6w	Whyte Schist
Igneous Rocks		
Jurassic	Jd	Dolerite
Devonian	Dp	Quartz porphyry
	Md	Microgranite dyke
	Dg	Meredith granite
Cambrian	Ei	Intermediate igneous (Ed dolerite)
	Eb	Basic igneous suite (Ebs, Spillite)
	Eu	Ultrabasic igneous suite (pyroxenite & peridotite)
	Es	Serpentine
	E	Undifferentiated, predominantly igneous rocks

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5 Kilometres

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Geology	NW TASMANIA	2594	Location code
Drawn			Date October, 1978
Traced	RJE		Scale 1:50,000
Checked			Plate No
Revised by JRT Date 1/6/79	MEREDITH E.L. 16/78 Geological Summary Map (after D.I. Groves 1962-67)		MER 3

QUATERNARY	3	Qa	Alluvium
	8	QD	Dolerite Talus
TERTIARY	51	Tb	Basalt
	27	Tc	Conglomerate & grit
	71	Tg	Gravels
	34	Ts	Sand, silt, clay & limestone
DEVONIAN	14	Dg	Meredith Granite / Adamellite
SILURIAN	18	Sc	Crotty Quartzite
ORDOVICIAN	26	Og	Gordon Limestone
	65	Om	Moina Sandstone
CAMBRIAN	39	Dol	Dolerite sill
	47	Vb	Basic Volcanic, probably lavas
	24	Vt	Basic Tuffs and ruffaceous greywacke
	68	mss/ba/slt	Black biotite hornfelsed (micaceous) sandstones and siltstones (commonly volcanitic)
	25	Cst	Cherty siltstone (Pelitic ash)
	57	sh	Black, grey, purple, brown shales
	36	ch	Chert, undifferentiated
	33	dom	Dolomite
PRE CAMBRIAN	46	um	Rocks of ultrabasic affinity, includes serpentinite, pyroxenite, gabbro, dolerite, both coarse & fine grained occasionally amygdaloidal probably related to Hazelwood River Complex
	44	ub	
PRE CAMBRIAN	58	Puo	Oonah Quartzite and Slate
	70	Swc	WHYTE SCHIST Foliated interbedded and massive quartzite, sericite schist, black shale, quartz schist
	43	Apb	

GENERAL ABBREVIATIONS

MINERAL

Py	-	Pyrite
Cpy	-	Chalcopyrite
Spn	-	Sphalerite
Gn	-	Galena
Po	-	Pyrrhotite
Si	-	Siderite
Mag	-	Magnetite
Ma	-	Marcasite
Ar	-	Arsenopyrite
Stn	-	Stannite
musc	-	muscovite
graph	-	graphite
ilm	-	ilmenite
hem	-	hematite
tm	-	tourmaline
Kspar	-	K feldspar
fd	-	feldspar
bl	-	biotite
plag	-	plagioclase
serp	-	serpentine
chl	-	chlorite
calc	-	calcaneus
q	-	quartz
cord	-	cordierite
chlr	-	chlorite
trm	-	tremolite
diop	-	diopside
pyrox	-	pyroxene
carb	-	carbonate
dom	-	dolomite
Fl	-	fluorite
Am	-	amphibole

ROCK TYPES

Sediments

st	-	sandstone
qtz	-	quartzite
sh	-	shale
sl	-	slate
slt	-	siltstone
a	-	argillite
ch	-	chert
lst	-	limestone
dom	-	dolomite
gw	-	greywacke
cong	-	conglomerate
ms	-	mudstone

Lenses

Vt	-	tuff
Vb	-	lavas
Va	-	agglomerate
um/ub	-	rocks of ultrabasic affinity
dol	-	dolerite
A	-	adamellite
G	-	granite
serp	-	serpentine

TEXTURE

xeno	-	xenocrysts
mic	-	micaceous
sach	-	saccharoidal
tuff	-	tuffaceous
homog	-	homogenous
porph	-	porphyry
phen	-	phenocrysts
brec	-	breccia
rx	-	recrystallised
dissem	-	disseminated
interb	-	interbedded
nod	-	nodules
frag	-	fragments
alt	-	altered
lam	-	laminated
abund	-	abundant
weath	-	weathered
undiff	-	undifferentiated
fg	-	fine grained
mg	-	medium grained
cg	-	coarse grained
st	-	staining

STRUCTURE

fol	-	foliation / foliated
ax pl	-	axial plane
cr cl	-	cruciated cleavage
vert	-	vertical
fa	-	fold axis
80 → 43° M	-	dip / dip direction magnetic

Folding

Fo ¹	-	F1 fold deforming bedding plane
Fo ²	-	F2 fold deforming bedding plane

Deformation history

S ₀	-	bedding
S ₁	-	first deformation
S ₂	-	second deformation

Lineations

L ₁	-	lineation produced by S ₁
L ₂	-	lineation produced by S ₂

GENERAL SYMBOLS

0.2		Outcrop boundary
		Float
0.4		Contact known
		Contact interpreted
		Contact inferred
		Fault definite (known dip)
		Fault inferred
		Bedding strike & dip
		Schistosity with dip
		Joint with dip
		Minor folding showing plunge & trend
		Fold axis showing plunge & trend
		Diamond drill hole, with projected trace of hole (collar location accurate)
		Diamond drill hole, with projected trace of hole (collar location not accurate)
		Percussion drill hole
		Shaft
		Trig station
		Lease corner peg
		Building
		Costean or trench
		Pit
		Dump
		Scarp cliff or breakaway
		River or creek
		Railway or tram track
		A&T
		Topographic contours & intervals
		Cleared area
		Swamp
		Alluvial deposits
		Track
		Road (unsealed)
		Highway (sealed)
		Licence boundary & number
		Dam on stream
		Thin section
		Mine

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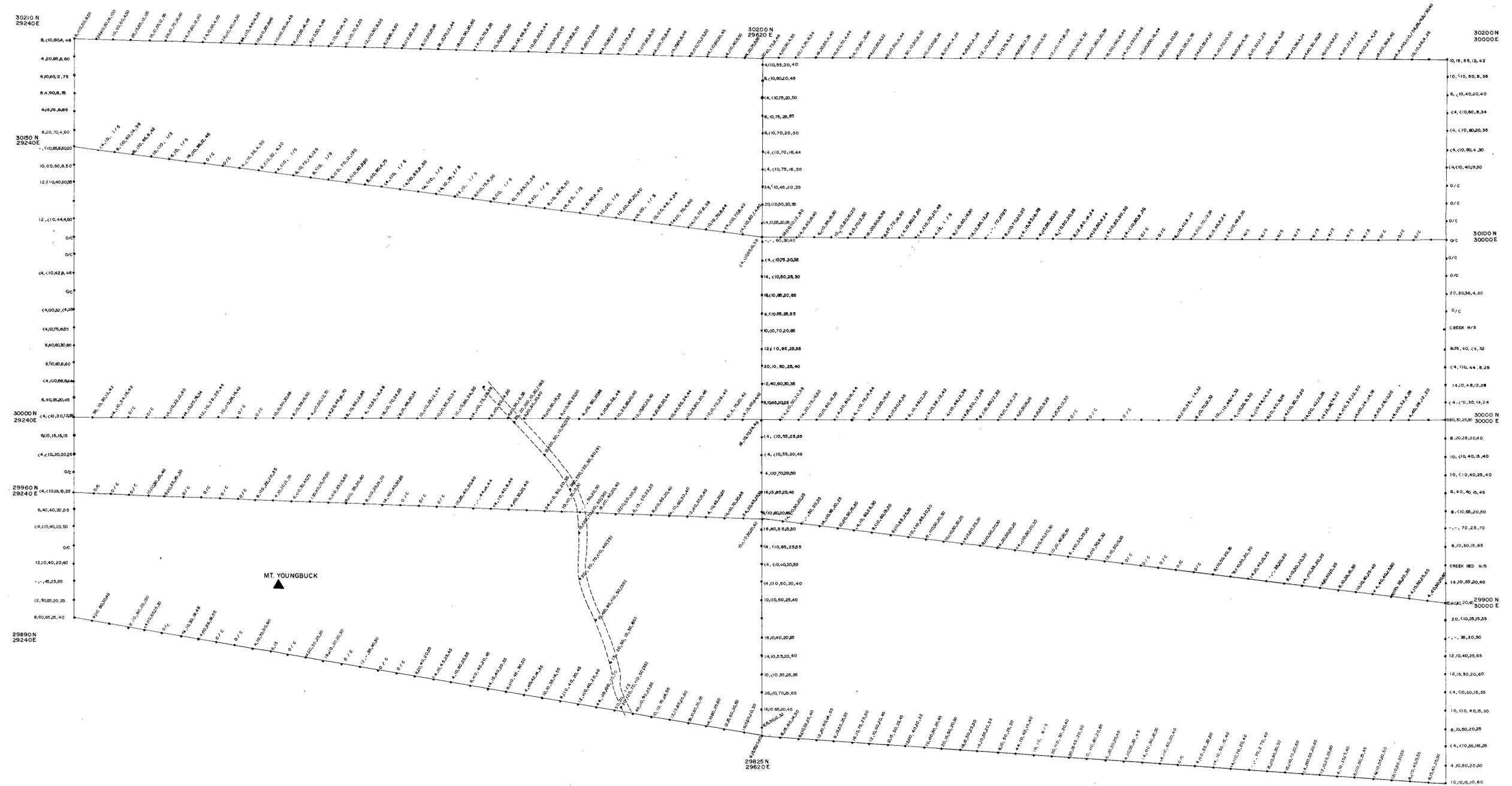
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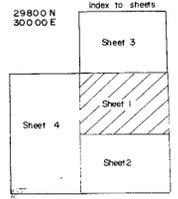
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Plate	MER 18



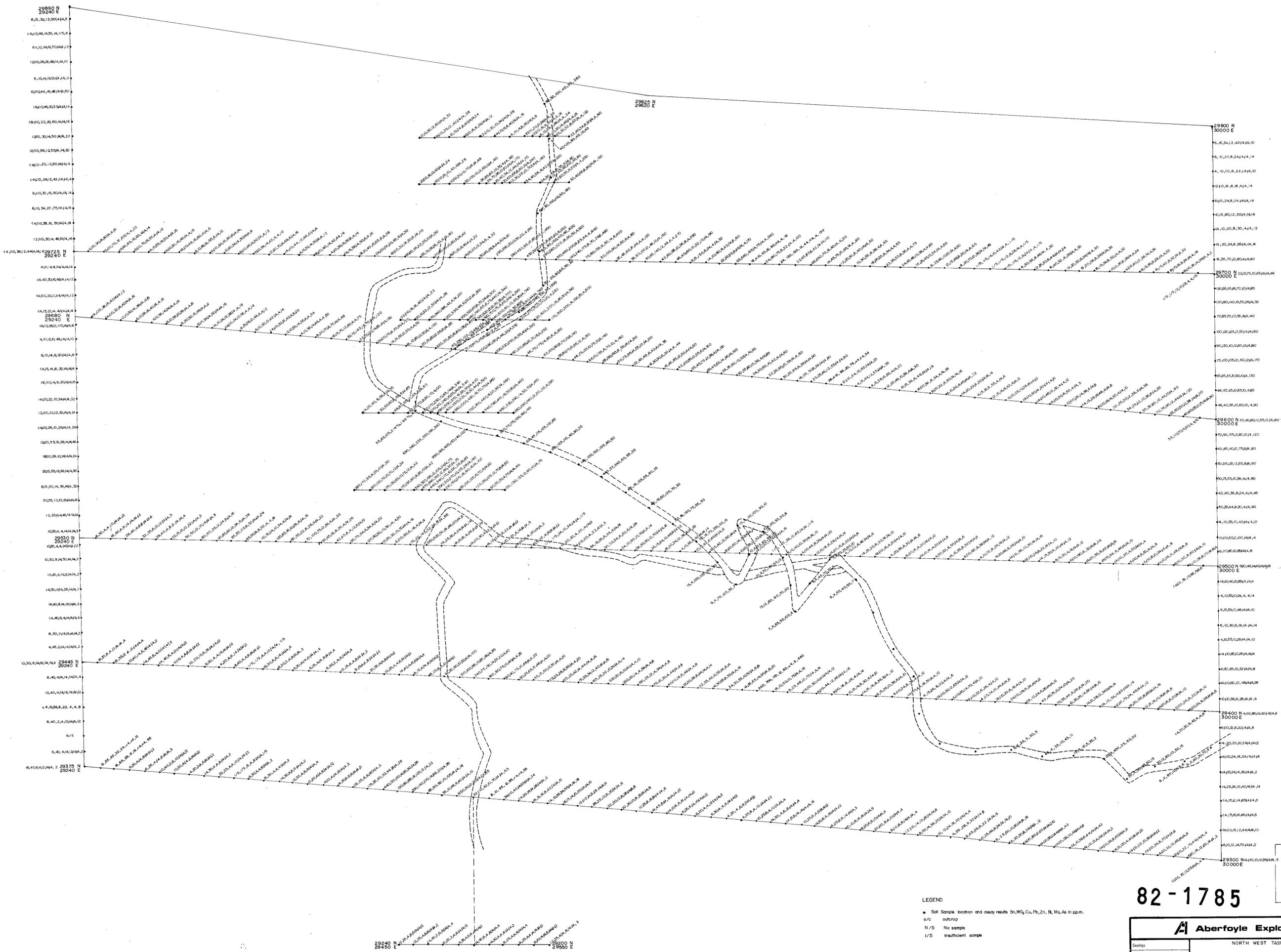
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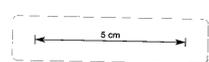
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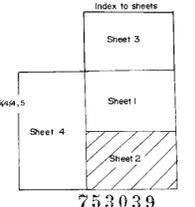


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- o/c outcrop
- N/S No sample
- I/S insufficient sample

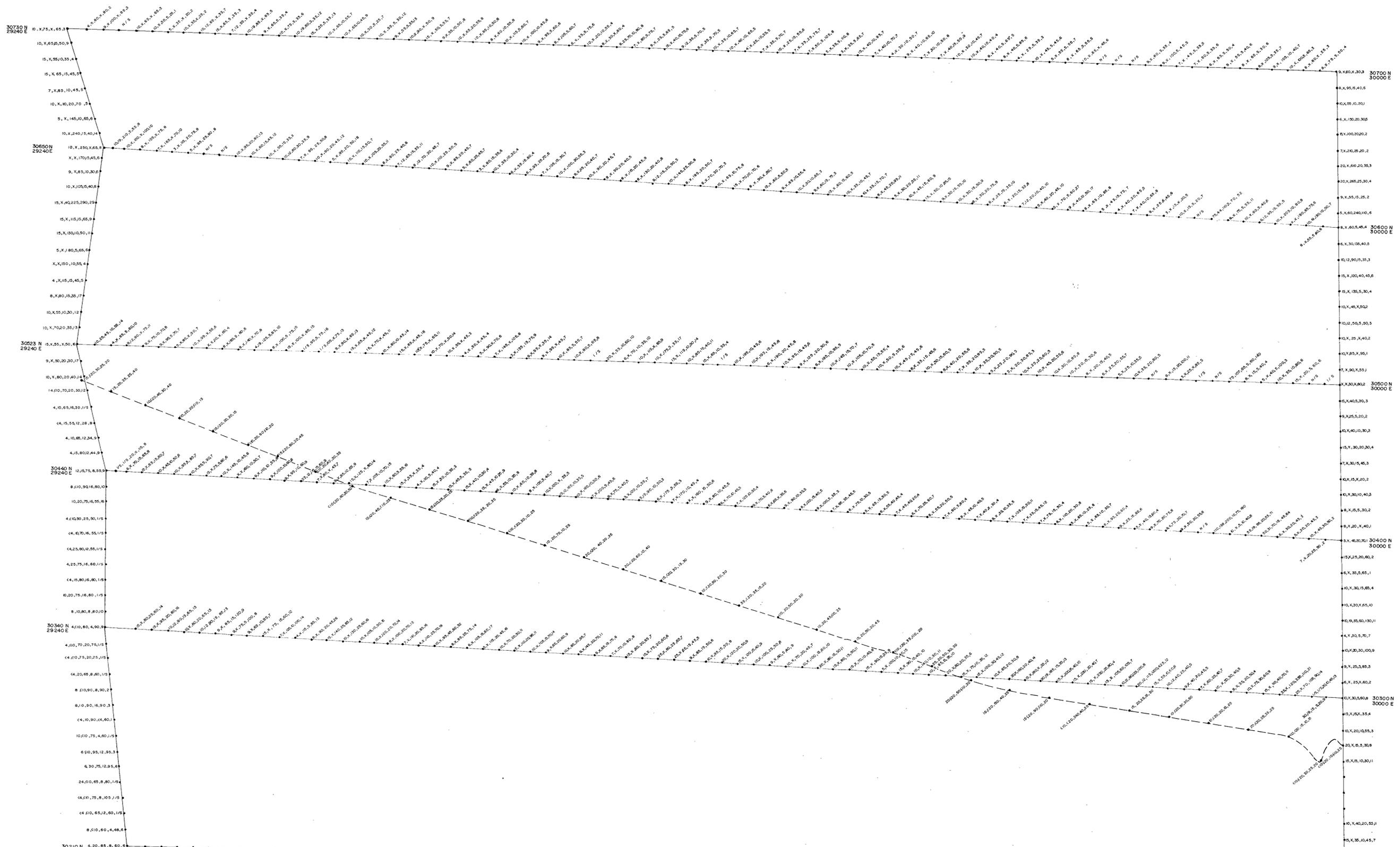


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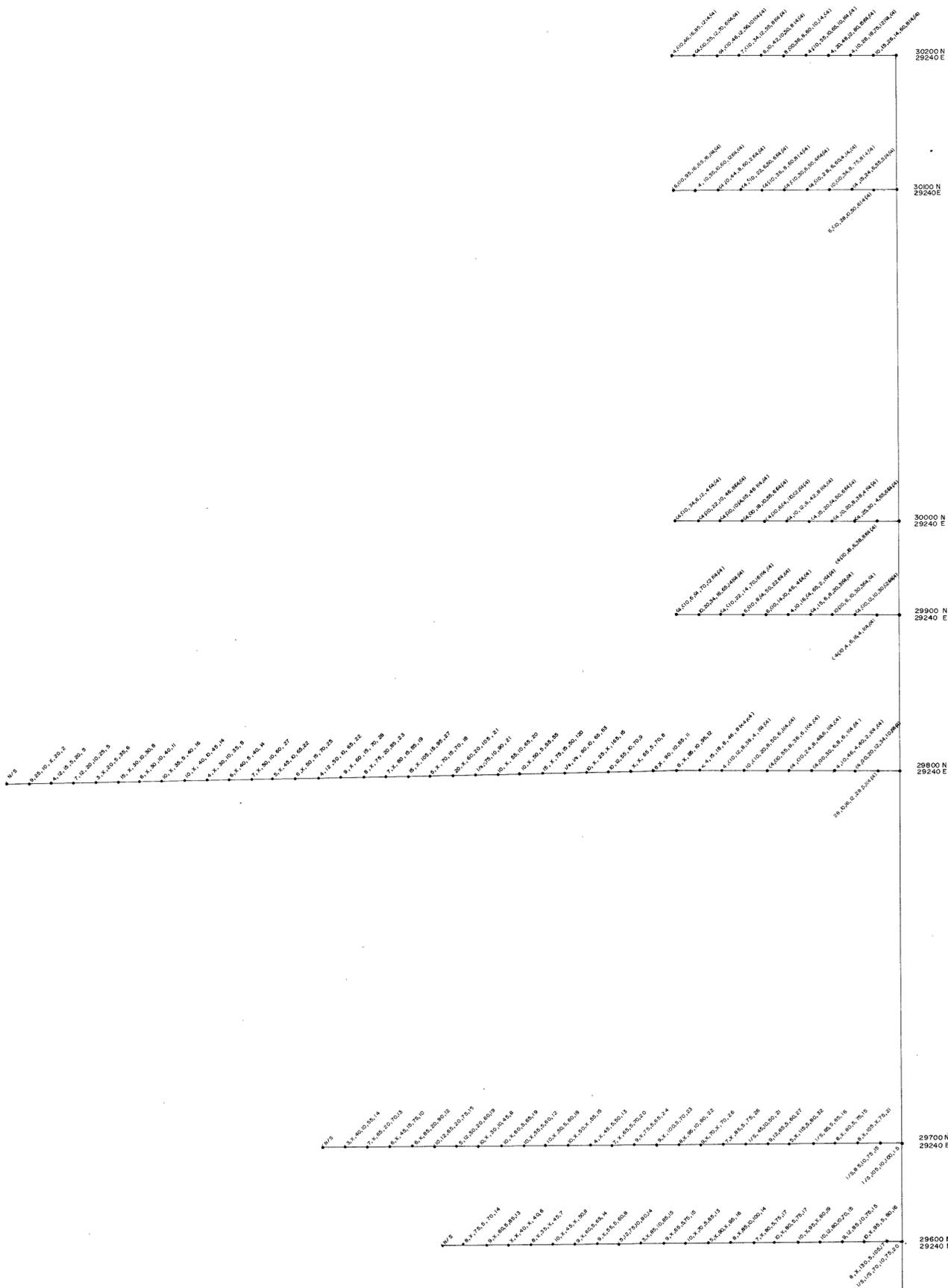
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- o/c outcrop
- N/S No sample
- I/S Insufficient sample
- X Below limit of detection

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Mt. Youngbuck Grid		Scale: 1:1000
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Drawn: Sealey R.M.J.	Checked: J.L.R.	Revised by: _____ Date: _____



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 o/c Outcrop
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 I/S Insufficient sample
 X Below limit of detection

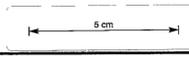
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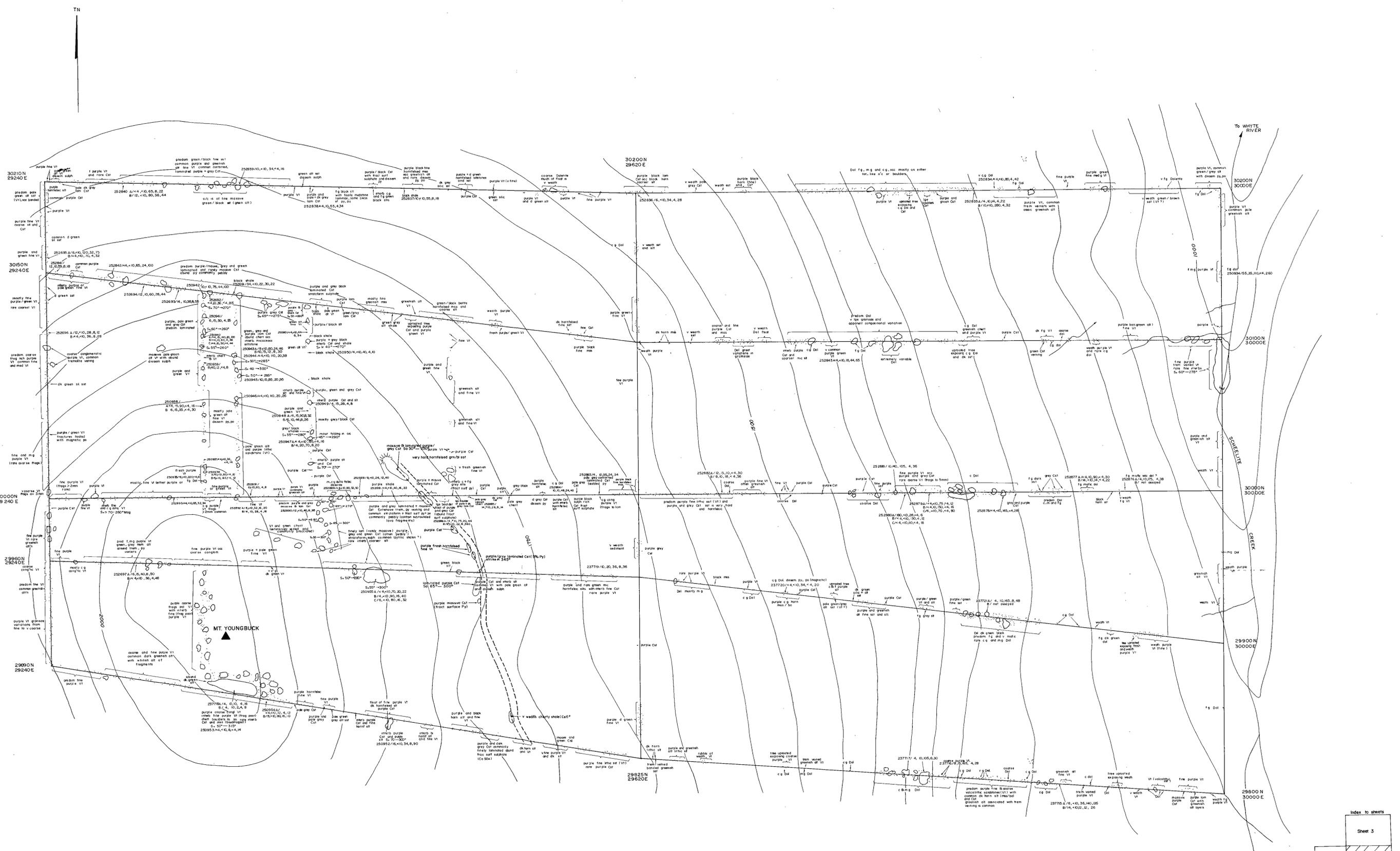
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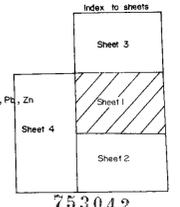
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 Contour Interval 50'
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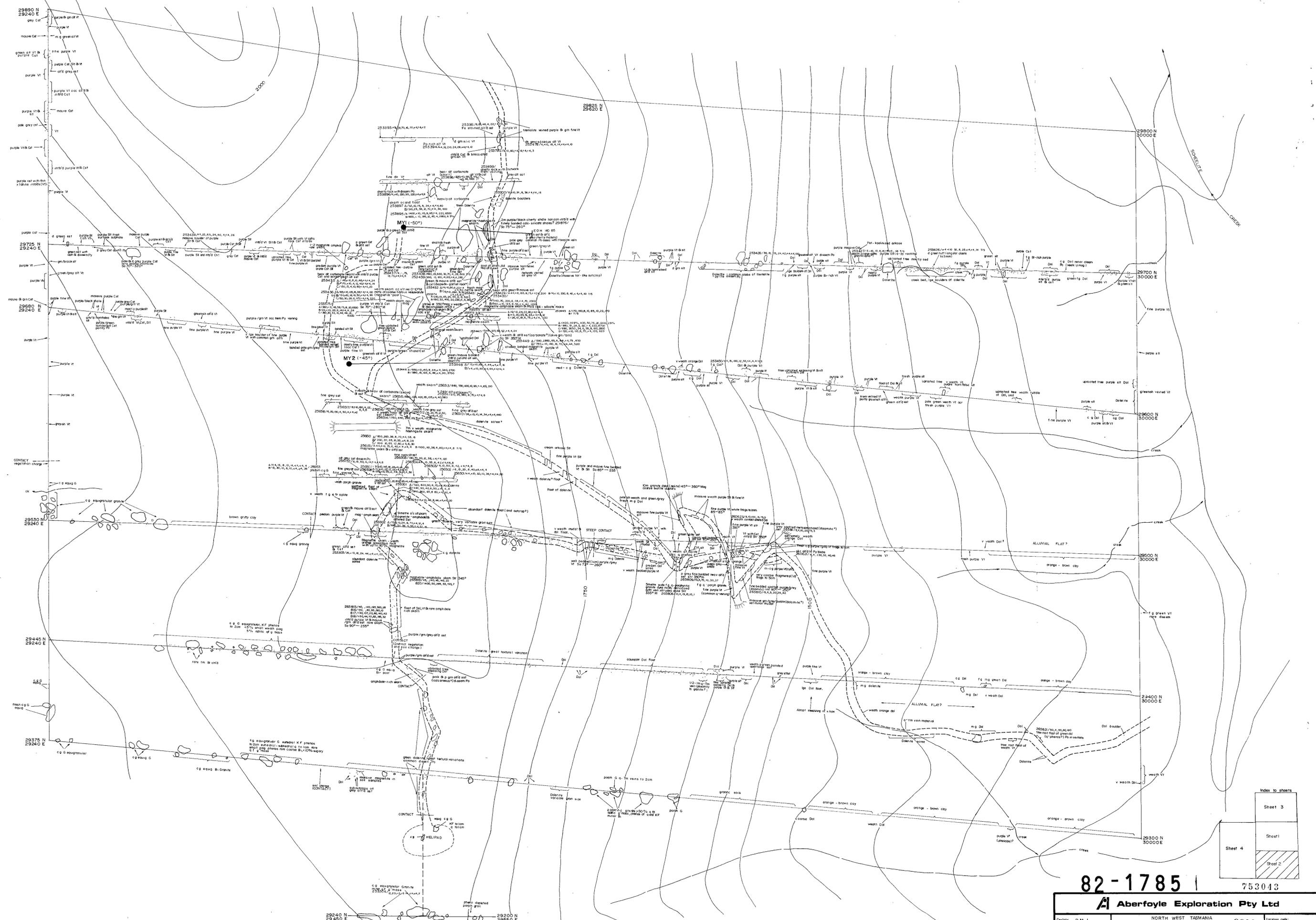


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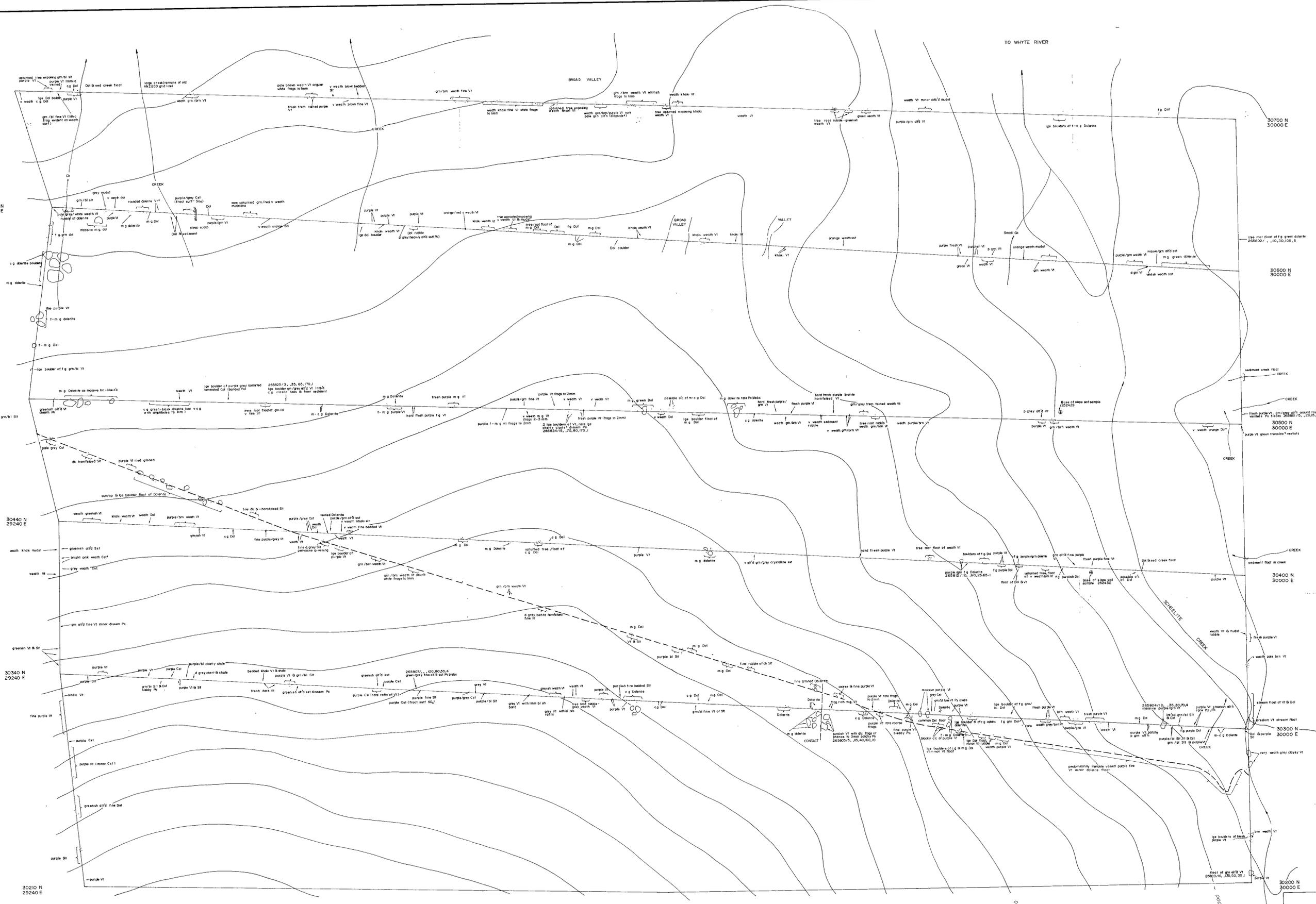
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MT. YOUNGBUCK GRID		
OUTCROP GEOLOGY		

237/85/ Rock chip sample location and assay results in ppm Sn, W, Cu, Pb, Zn, Mo, Bi, As
 Contour Interval 50'
 FOR GEOLOGY LEGEND REFER PLATE MER 18

5 cm

30730 N
29240 E

TO WHYTE RIVER



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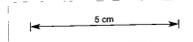
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Contour Interval 50'
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Drawn Traced J L R	MEREDITH EL. 16/78
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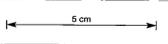
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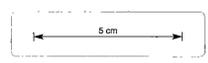
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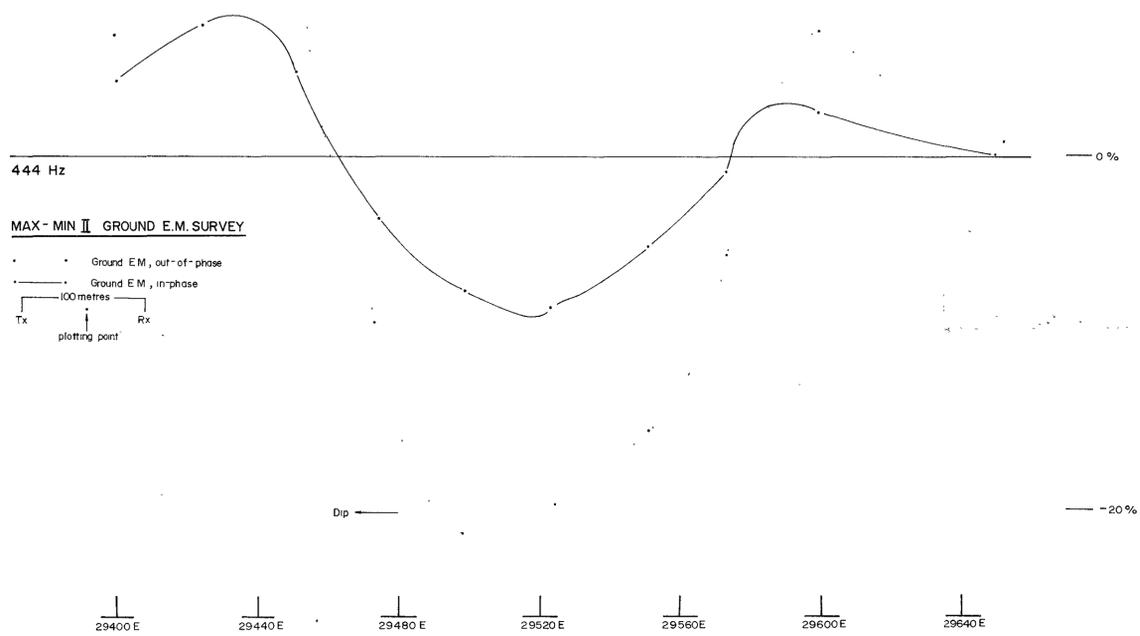
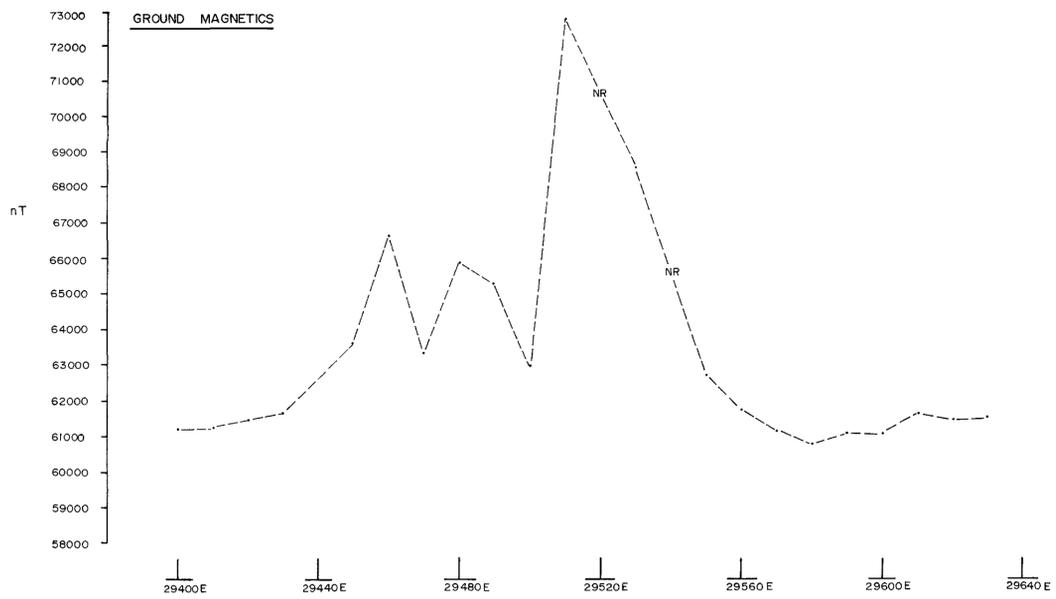
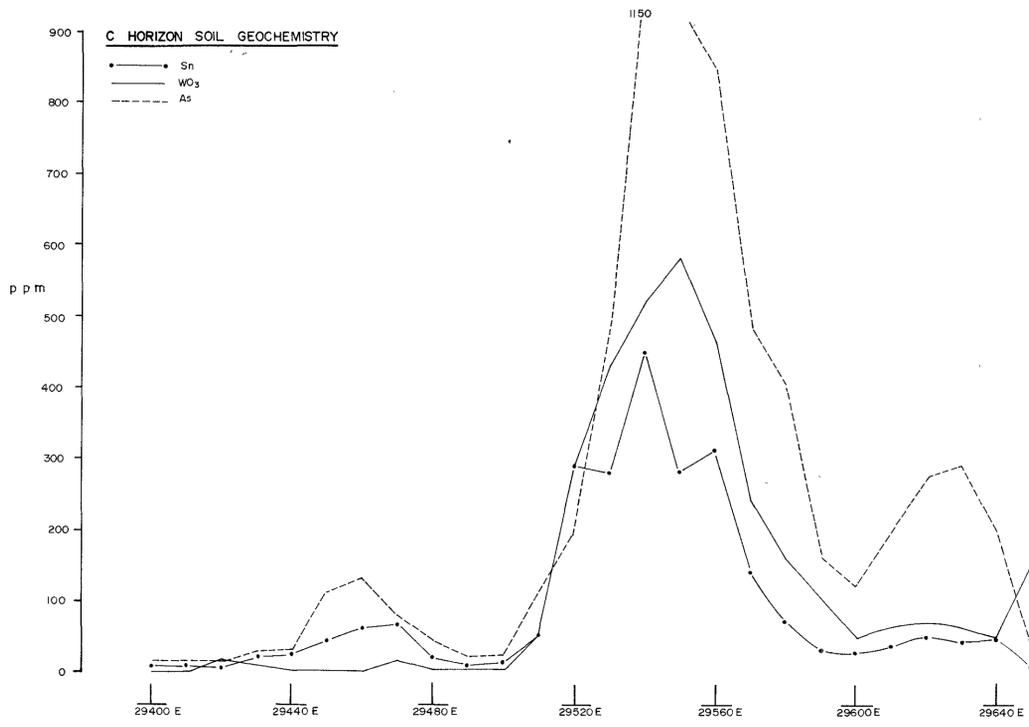
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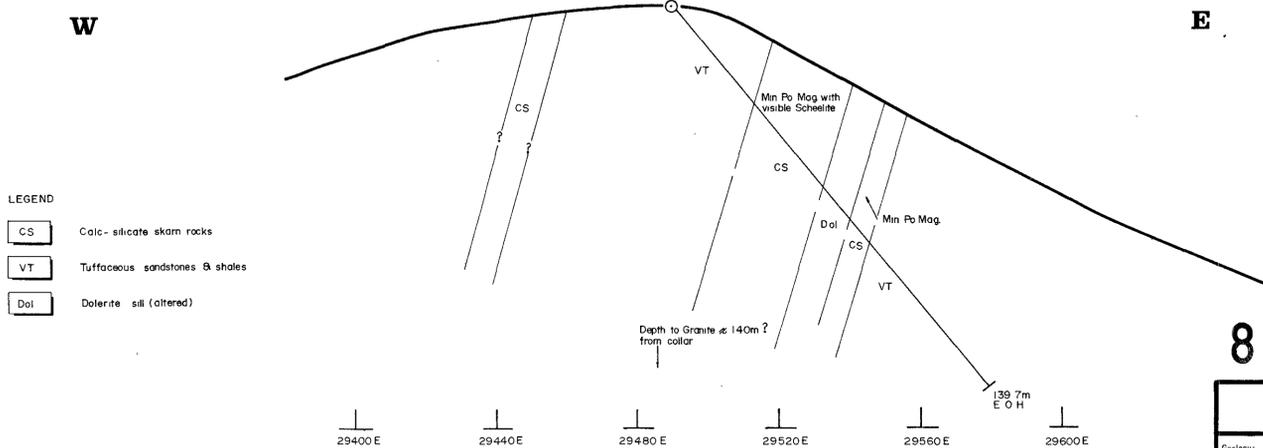
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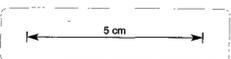


SUMMARY GEOLOGICAL CROSS-SECTION



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Traced: J.L.R.	MT. YOUNGBUCK LINE 29700N	Scale: 1:1000
Checked:	DRILL HOLE MY I.	Plate No: MER 45
Revised by: Date:		

29350 N 29400 N 29450 N 29500 N 29550 N 29600 N 29650 N

DISTANCE	SA	WG
(m)	(gms)	(gms)
0	0	0
10	100	100
20	200	200
30	300	300
40	400	400
50	500	500
60	600	600
70	700	700
80	800	800
90	900	900
100	1000	1000
110	1100	1100
120	1200	1200
130	1300	1300
140	1400	1400
150	1500	1500
160	1600	1600
170	1700	1700
180	1800	1800
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380	3800	3800
390	3900	3900
400	4000	4000
410	4100	4100
420	4200	4200
430	4300	4300
440	4400	4400
450	4500	4500
460	4600	4600
470	4700	4700
480	4800	4800
490	4900	4900
500	5000	5000



GEOLOGICAL REFERENCE

Del	Dolerite, fine to coarse grained sub-ophitic sill-like intrusive (?)
Ts	Tuffaceous sandstones & tuffs
Tsh	Tuffaceous shale & pelitic ash
	Pale grey laminated siltstone bedded pyrrhotite
CS	Calc-silicate skarn

CAMBRIAN (?)



29600N **82-1785** 29650N

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Aberfoyle Exploration Pty Ltd		
Geology R M J	NORTH WEST TASMANIA	Location code
Drawn R M J	MEREDITH E.L. 16/78	Date May, 1982
Traced J L R	CROSS SECTION 29720N	Scale 1:500
Checked	MY.1	Plate No
Revised by	Date	MER 47

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