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1.0 SUMMARY

The southern part of EL 47/83 is dominated by volcanic sediments, intrusives and minor volcanics of Cambrian age. The volcanics are rhyolitic to dacitic lavas and volcanoclastics with lesser interbedded shales.

The area has been surveyed with reconnaissance stream sediment geochemistry, comprising both -80 mesh and bulk cyanide leach techniques. No significant base metal anomalies were identified in any of these surveys while BCL anomalies were attributed to known gold workings.

The area has been recommended for relinquishment to reduce the statutory expenditure commitment on the licence which is in its eighth year. Further work is proposed for the retained northern area.

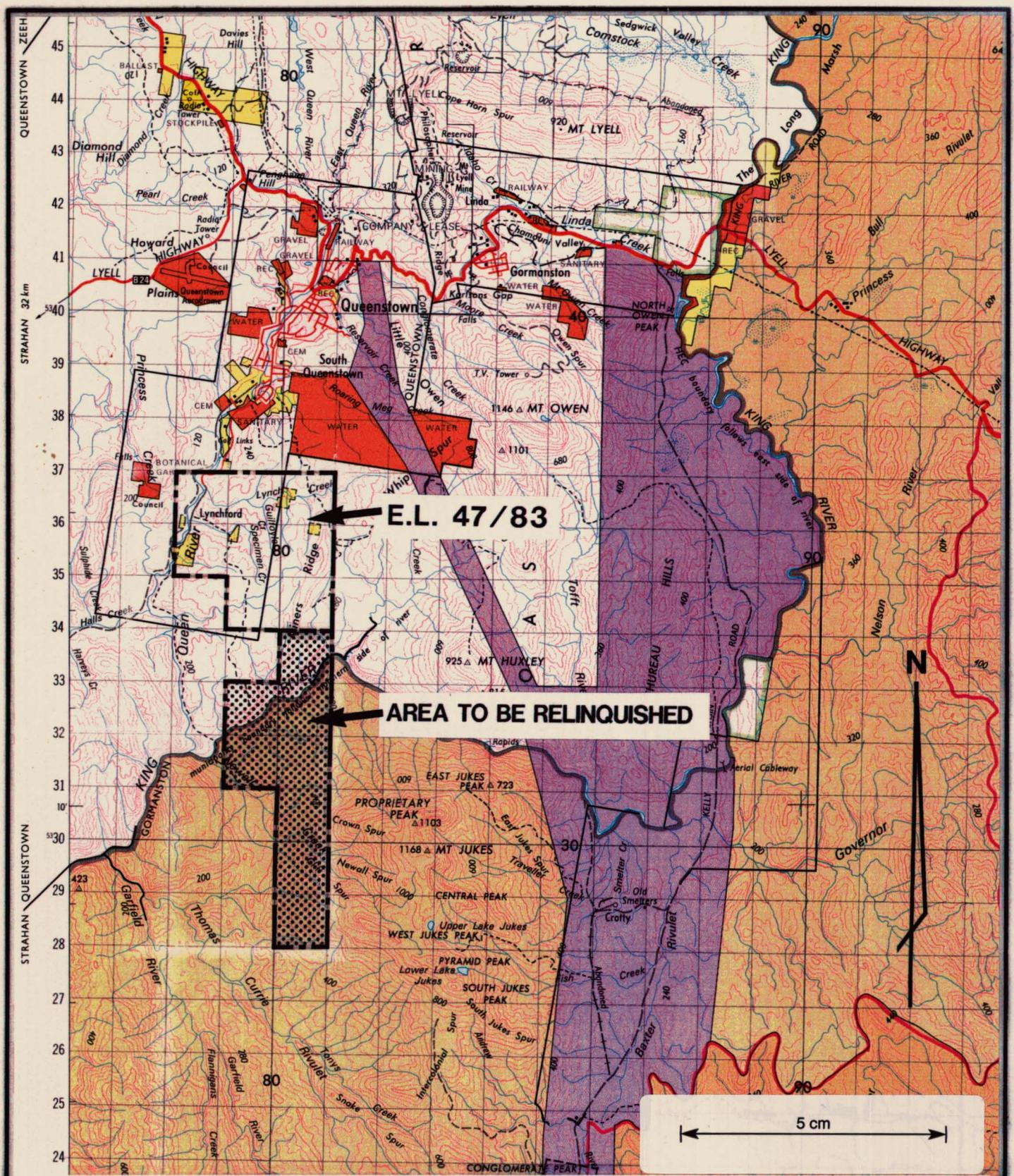
2.0 INTRODUCTION

Exploration Licence 47/83 Lynchford was granted to CRA Exploration Pty Ltd (CRAE) in March 1985. The licence covered an area of approximately 32 square kilometres immediately south of Queenstown in western Tasmania (Plate LYN 47).

An agreement was reached with CRAE on 28 April, 1988 whereby Aberfoyle Resources Ltd would fund and manage exploration on EL 47/83 to earn a majority interest. This agreement is known as the Mount Read Volcanic Joint Venture and included other CRAE tenements.

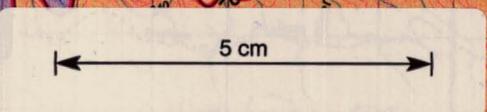
The first statutory reduction of the licence area was completed on the fifth anniversary of the tenement in March 1990. The licence was reduced from approximately 32 to 16 square kilometres (Noonan, 1990).

A non-statutory partial relinquishment is proposed in May, 1993. This report describes exploration undertaken by CRAE and Aberfoyle on that area selected for relinquishment.

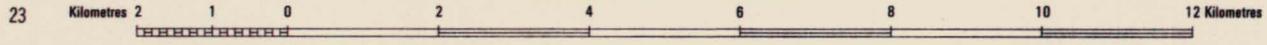


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3.0 EXPLORATION HISTORY

3.1 Early Prospecting

The report area has a long history of prospecting and exploration due to its proximity to the Mount Lyell mining field. It is very probable that all obvious surface indications of mineralisation have been located and prospected. The area is littered with small pits and costeans which have investigated quartz veins, gossanous zones and faults, while sluicing operations for gold have also been recorded.

A report on prospecting activities in the district is to be found in Twelvetrees (1900).

3.2 Modern Exploration

Modern exploration prior to the granting of the current tenement has been conducted by Pickands Mather International (1965-67), Cyprus Mining corporation (1971-72) and Renison Goldfields/Mount Lyell (1980-82). Work completed was generally restricted to stream sediment geochemical surveys north of the King River, difficult access being a deterrent to exploration south of the river. Results of this work are reported in Smith (1967) for the Pickands Mather survey, by Cyprus in 1972 and in Komysan and Bishop (1982) for the Renison Goldfields survey.

Portions of the relinquished area were flown with DIGHEM II as part of a larger airborne survey and results are also included in Komysan and Bishop (1982).

4.0 EXPLORATION ACTIVITY EL 47/83 (Relinquished Area)

4.1 Regional Geology

4.1.1 Introduction

The regional geology is summarised on Plate LYN 38 (1:10,000 Interpretive Geology) compiled from mapping by Aberfoyle Resources Ltd and from mapping by the Department of Mines (1:50,000 Mount Lyell sheet 1987 and 1:25,000 Queenstown sheet 1989).

Original Aberfoyle outcrop mapping is shown on Plate LYN 23. Petrological descriptions of samples collected during regional geochemical surveys are attached as Appendix 1.

4.1.2 Cambrian

The oldest rocks exposed in the relinquished area are those of the Western Sequence which outcrop in the Queen River area. They comprise a basal sequence of fine ground micaceous sandstones to quartzites that form Miners Ridge (€mrs).

The Miners Ridge sandstone is flanked to the east and south by quartz feldspar porphyrics (€cvp) and dacitic lapilli volcanoclastics and lavas (€cvi) of the Central Volcanic Complex. The dacitic lavas are intercalated with sediments, comprising black mudstone, siltstone and micaceous sandstone (€cvs), immediately south of the King River and in the headwaters of the Newall Creek. Lesser rhyolite lavas (€crl) and minor andesite lava (€cva) are also recorded.

4.1.3 Ordovician

Unconformably overlying the volcanics in the southern part of the relinquished area is a sequence of conglomerate (Ocg) and sandstone (Oss) (in places chromite bearing) which are correlates of the uppermost Owen-Conglomerate and overlying Pioneer beds. These are succeeded conformably by the Gordon Limestone (Olst).

4.1.4 Silurian

West of the relinquished area is a sequence of Silurian sandstone (chromite bearing) (Sss) and mudstone (Smst) which covers a major proportion of the Newall valley area and conformably overlies the Ordovician sediments.

4.1.5 Devonian

Fine grained quartz rich sandstones with minor interbedded siltstones and mudstones of Devonian age (Dss), conformably overlie the Silurian sediments.

4.1.6 Quaternary

Lying unconformably on the Palaeozoic basement are a range of Quaternary sediments. Pockets of Pleistocene ? glacial till and outwash gravels (Qg) occur as high level deposits along the valley of the Queen River. In the Newall Valley area, colluvial scree (Qc) sourced mainly from the ridge of Owen Conglomerate forming Mount Jukes, flanks the western margin of the area to be relinquished and overlies Ordovician to Silurian sediments. Recent alluvial deposits (Qa) occur at various points along the Queen River valley.

4.2 Regional Geochemistry

4.2.1 Stream Sediment

4.2.1.1 CRAE 1985-1987

Because of the lack of gold determinations and of sampling in the vicinity of the King River, a regional stream sediment sampling programme was carried out by CRAE in 1985. This programme was designed to test for fine (invisible) gold both as a primary target and as a pathfinder for base metal mineralisation.

Samples were collected from all accessible major drainage and analysed using cyanide leach techniques sensitive to 50 ppt Au. Such techniques had been tested elsewhere in western Tasmania in orientation surveys which showed that sample densities as low as 1 per 5 square kilometres were effective in locating ultrafine gold associated with known base metal deposits. Standard -80 mesh samples were also collected for base metal and gold determinations.

The results are tabulated in Appendix 2 and are shown on Plate TASH 2869. No anomalies were located in the relinquished area.

During 1987 CRAE conducted additional stream sediment sampling south of the Jukes road. A helicopter was hired in an attempt to collect samples from tributaries of the Garfield River which drained the southern most area of the licence. Extremely thick vegetation cover and lack of gravel bars prevented the helicopter from setting down and consequently the programme was abandoned. To obtain adequate coverage of this area it would be necessary to access by foot from the southern most point of the Jukes road.

Eight -80 mesh and cyanide leach samples were collected from creeks south of the Jukes road, these gave adequate coverage of the EL down to 5329000 mN. Base metal values were uniformly low, maximum values of 20, 45 and 45 ppm were recorded for copper, lead and zinc respectively, (TASh 3102). Two of the cyanide leach samples collected returned weakly anomalous gold assays, (950 and 1000 ppt Au). These anomalies are attributed to the alluvial gold workings located along Newall Creek. The -80 mesh samples collected all returned less than 0.05 ppm Au.

4.2.1.2 Aberfoyle 1988

Aberfoyle conducted a -72 mesh and bulk cyanide leach stream sediment geochemical survey in 1988 over the southern part of the EL in areas sampled and unsampled by CRAE. Results are tabulated in Appendix 3 and are shown on Plates LYN 15 and 16.

Only minor elevations in base metals were noted in the -72 mesh stream sediment samples.

Significant results for Au were obtained from both the -72 mesh and BCL stream sediments.

A creek draining westward into the Thomas Currie Rivulet returned a -72 mesh value of 0.246 g/t Au (482405). A BCL sample (482452) from a creek draining west along the southern margin of the EL also returned encouraging values of 3350 ppt, although accompanying -72 mesh values were below detection limit. Together these results suggest a possible Au anomaly along the southern margin of the EL.

Reconnaissance mapping in the area revealed outcrops of interbedded mudstone and siltstone within the creeks and glacial scree covering the higher slopes. Further mapping and follow up sampling is required.

Other encouraging results were obtained from a stream system draining north into the King River where samples 482431 and 482432 returned 48 ppb Au and 22 ppb Au respectively.

An elevation in Au (2300 ppt) in a BCL sample from the Newall Creek is attributed to alluvial gold workings. Upstream sampling of tributaries failed to identify any further anomalous values.

4.2.2 Rock Chip

4.2.2.1 **CRAE**

During the CRAE stream sediment sampling programmes, rock chip samples were collected from outcrop and stream float. Results are tabulated in CRAE sample ledgers (Appendix 2) and shown on Plate TASH 3102.

Weakly elevated base metal values are reported from samples 988997-999 collected from the Jukes Road at around 5330700 mN and 379800 mE. All three samples were sediments and returned 50-120 ppm Cu, 165-310 Pb and 145-340 Zn.

4.2.2.2 **Aberfoyle**

Limited rock chip sampling has been undertaken by Aberfoyle with twelve samples submitted for assay during reconnaissance mapping of streams. Results of assays and sample location sites are included as Appendix 3 and Plates LYN 20 and LYN 21. Of these, two samples were anomalous. Sample 482123 (379904E 5332040N) returned an anomalous 780 ppm Zn and an associated 2 ppm Ag and 1200 ppm Ba. The rock is an andesitic lava. Carbonate (calcite) - sericite alteration observed in this sample is similar to Hellyer style hangingwall alteration.

A sample of gossanous float near 379827E 5332083N (482124) returned an anomalous Pb 1450 ppm, Zn 490 ppm, Ag 4 ppm and As 800 ppm.

4.2.3 Pb Isotopes

The sample of gossanous float (482124, 1450 ppm Pb) was submitted for Pb isotope characterisation. Results indicate a Cambrian VMS signature similar to that at Prince Lyell (Carr and Dean, 1989, Appendix 4).

4.3 King River Power Tunnel

4.3.1 Introduction

Development of the King River Power Tunnel by the Hydro Electric Commission was completed in 1989. The 7 kilometre long tunnel extended west from Lake Burbury to the King River power station through a significant section of the Mount Read Volcanics.

A small sampling programme was conducted by CRAE during development of the tunnel in 1987. Aberfoyle then undertook a more detailed sampling programme after the tunnel was completed in 1989.

4.3.2 Geology

Detailed mapping of the tunnel was undertaken by the HEC with a strong engineering bias. Geology is recorded on "as excavated" sections at 1:100 and 1:1000 scale and includes geology from surface diamond drill holes. These maps are available from the HEC in Hobart.

A summary of the tunnel geology is given below. Locations are given in metres west from the origin at Lake Burbury and can be related to the plans of the tunnel showing sampling results.

6848-6805 mW	Variably, weakly altered dacitic lava.
6805-6465 mW	Variably altered lapilli volcanoclastics.
6465-6244 mW	Dacitic lava.
6244-6199 mW	Intensely white quartz veined black shale in faulted contact with dacitic lava. A minor fault wedge of dacite occurs from 6222-6217 mW.
6199-5658 mW	Variably weakly altered quartz phyric rhyolitic lava.
5658-5628 mW	Andesitic lava with associated black shale beds, in places tending to a polymict andesitic ash-lapilli volcanoclastic with black shale fragments and minor chert.
5628-5592 mW	Dominantly dacitic lava breccia with minor associated chert, black shale and greywacke bands.
5592-5560 mW	A rhyolitic lapilli volcanoclastic with minor associated breccia volcanoclastic and rhyolitic lava.
5560-5200 mW	Weakly altered rhyolitic lava.
5200-4770 mW	Feldspar phyric, lesser quartz phyric lapilli volcanoclastic in places with pervasive silica, sericite alteration with calcite after feldspar.
4770-4717 mW	Variably chlorite and lesser pyrite altered quartz phyric rhyolitic lava interval.

Nine samples were collected for thin section description from the headrace tunnel between 6025 and 6800 mW, one from the surge tunnel and one from the access tunnel. Sample locations are shown on Plate LYN 17 and petrographic descriptions are included as Appendix 5.

4.3.3 Geochemistry

4.3.3.1 CRAE 1988

Selected grab samples were collected by CRAE when the tunnel had been developed to 6600 mW. Ten samples were collected and analysed for Cu, Pb, Zn, Ag, As, Fe, Bi, Mn, Mo and Au. Locations and results are shown on plate TASH 3573 (Funnell, 1988).

Sampling was concentrated on Qtz-Chl-Clay-Py, Qtz-Carb-Py and Qtz-Hem veins which were cutting a Cambrian quartz-feldspar porphyry unit.

Precious and base metal values were generally low with only a slight elevation noted in zinc in samples 1198701 to 703 and lead in sample 1198707.

In addition to the tunnel sampling, drillhole logs were obtained by CRAE for the 29 drillholes the HEC drilled on the EL during the course of their geological evaluation of the King River Power Development site. The drillholes which, according to the logs, contained sulphides were inspected but none were considered to warrant assaying. In many cases where disseminated pyrite or Qtz-Carb-Py veining was noted in the logs, no evidence of these could be found in the drillcore.

4.3.3.2 Aberfoyle 1989

A preliminary sampling programme was undertaken in March 1989 (51 samples) to highlight anomalous zones for detailed follow up. Results of this survey are tabulated in Appendix 6 and shown on Plates LYN 17 and 18.

The programme replicated CRAE's sampling with weakly elevated zinc values (90-250 ppm) noted between 6690 and 6840 mW in the main headrace tunnel. Other weakly elevated base metal values were noted at 6030 mW (745 ppm Pb) and at 6220 and 6240 mW (210, 170 ppm Zn respectively).

At 6840 mW a sample associated with vein quartz returned 1.97 ppm Au.

A sample of pyritically altered dacite porphyry supplied by Mr Dougall Gray, a former engineer with the HEC, assayed 18.3 ppm Au, 4.5 ppm Ag and 920 ppm As. The sample was reportedly collected from a development face 30 m into the tunnel in July, 1986. Follow up sampling in this area has not repeated the assay.

A detailed channel sampling programme was undertaken later in 1989 to follow up the precious metal mineralisation detected in earlier broad spaced grab samples. Results of this programme are tabulated in Appendix 7 and shown on Plates LYN 39 and 41.

This programme was unable to repeat the previous 1.97 ppm Au result at 6840 mW. The higher grade sample is thought to be related to a narrow quartz vein fortuitously sampled in the original programme.

Channel sampling did not enhance the weak zinc anomaly between 6690 and 6840 mW.

4.3.4 Isotopes

4.3.4.1 **Pb Isotopes**

A galena sample associated with white quartz veining in black shales at 6215 mW was collected for Pb isotope characterisation. The results are discussed in detail in Carr and Dean, 1989 (Appendix 4) who conclude that the Pb had a distinct Devonian vein style signature.

4.3.4.2 **S Isotopes**

Two pyrite samples (482349 and 50) were selected for δS^{34} isotope analysis. Results indicated δS^{34} values of 6.9 per mil and 11.4-11.6 per mil respectively. Results and sample locations are tabulated in Appendix 8.

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APPENDIX I

SAMPLE: 989974: TSC46402

378 200 mE

5 333 070 mN.

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Rock Name:

Graywacke

Hand Specimen:

This is a medium grained, well indurated rock with a grey colour. The rock contains darker grey coloured fragments up to about 1 cm in size. Staining with sodium cobaltinitrite after a hydrofluoric acid etch shows that the rock contains no potash feldspar.

Thin Section:

This is a detrital rock containing angular plagioclase and quartz grains as well as lithic clasts ranging up to about 1 mm in size. The detrital quartz and plagioclase grains typically exhibit angular shapes and many of the detrital plagioclase grains still retain well preserved elongate, lath shapes. The lithic clasts tend to have somewhat more rounded appearing shapes and in some cases are difficult to distinguish from the matrix which contains chlorite and fibrous phyllosilicates.

The thin section was cut to include one of the dark grey patches noted in hand specimen. This region consists of a much finer grained sedimentary rock containing angular quartz and feldspar grains up to 0.1 mm wide distributed through an argillaceous matrix. Within this area a well preserved foliation is defined by a concentration of opaque material along narrow discontinuous lamellae. This foliation direction is parallel to a much vaguer foliation direction evident in the coarser grained portion of the rock. A very vague mineralogical banding oriented at a high angle to this foliation is also evident in the argillaceous patch.

The detrital plagioclase is moderately fresh showing some alteration to finely divided sericite/clay. This alteration is highly variable even within the same detrital grain.

Opagues occur as disseminated grains and aggregates up to 0.2 mm wide. Very finely divided opaque material tends to be concentrated along narrow discontinuous lamellae which define a foliation direction.

This is an immature detrital sediment comprised mainly of detrital plagioclase and quartz grains. Much of the detrital plagioclase retains remnant lath shapes which could make them appear as phenocrysts in hand specimen accounting for the presence of a porphyritic appearing texture in parts of the hand specimen. The darker grey patches in hand specimen consist of a finer grained detrital sediment and are thought to represent finer grained, argillaceous regions in the original sediment. Both the argillaceous patches and the coarser grained proportion of the rock exhibit a bedding foliation defined by discontinuous opaque lamellae.

No.	Rock Type - Composition	Fabric	Minor Minerals	Comments
988- 953	<u>Argillised, Devitrified Rhyolite.</u> Small corroded quartz and argillised feldspar phenocrysts scattered through a uniform mass of fine quartz and sericite. <i>377760E 6335700N</i>	Felsitic devitrification textures common. Preferred orientation, but not distinct flow-features.	Fine leucoxene patches throughout.	Uniform, featureless rock; quartz inverted beta-quartz. Probably originally a glassy lava, depending on field occurrence.
888- 858	<u>Argillised Porphyritic Rhyolite.</u> Embayed fragmented quartz phenocrysts in a fine groundmass of quartz and sericite, cut by sets of quartz-K-feldspar veins. <i>379250E 5331100N</i>	Devitrification textures. Some shearing, postdating veins. Phenocrysts fragmented.	Limonite pseudomorphs, after carbonate rhombs. Leucoxene streaks throughout.	Could be a lava or a tuff-lava, i.e. lava with pyroclastic component perhaps grading into an ignimbrite.
888- 859	<u>Porphyritic Rhyolite.</u> Large phenocrysts of quartz, argillised plagioclase, sometimes mantled by K-feldspar; sericitised biotite phenocrysts. Fine K-feldspar/ quartz groundmass. <i>379300E 5331075N</i>	Randomly orientated phenocrysts, no flow-features. Minor fracturing.	Accessory zircon and apatite. Secondary leucoxene in altered biotite.	Fabric indicates a minor intrusive. Selective sericitisation of biotite and some plagioclase (sodic oligoclase). Verging on toscanite (rhyodacite).

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SAMPLE: 482120

LOCATION: 380180E 5329020N

SUMMARY:

This is an altered, formerly glassy and devitrified felsic vitric-crystal tuff containing sparse sericitized plagioclase phenocrysts. Several features noted below suggest to me that it more likely to be a Tyndall or Dundas Gp. correlate than a Central Volcanic Complex tuff.

HAND SPECIMEN:

This is a highly altered cream to pink and maroon coloured felsic tuff(?) containing altered diffuse small (<1cm) lava fragments.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

This is a felsic vitric crystal tuff containing common but not abundant crystals of plagioclase (almost totally sericitized albite) and less common partly resorbed quartz phenocrysts in an extensively sericitized and recrystallized formerly rhyolitic glassy ash matrix. The groundmass of the tuff has devitrified and recrystallized to a fine-grained mosaic intergrowth of quartz and albite that is riddled by a fine mesh of sericite. In places the sericite coalesces into dense felted masses. Very narrow veinlets (<.05mm wide) of secondary quartz anastomose across the sample and are probably sites of fracturing and local leaching of the sample during deformation. Sparse former FeTi oxide microphenocrysts have altered to an Fe oxide dust and chlorite, leaving only relic outlines defined by the Fe oxide dust.

Several lithic fragments composed of devitrified and recrystallized felsic volcanic lithologies are present, and stand out from the remainder of the rock in thin section by their slightly coarser-grained devitrification products (quartz-albite).

Zircon crystals are notable by their abundance. This latter observation, and the presence of quartz phenocrysts remind me more of a Tyndall or Southwell Subgroup (Dundas Gp correlate) tuff than those in the Central Volcanic Complex.

SAMPLE: 482121

LOCATION: 380375E 5328130N

SUMMARY:

This is a former felsic lithic tuff or lava breccia which has been thoroughly sericitized, with the almost total obliteration of original texture of the sample. It is likely to be from the same sequence as 482120, although I think they are better equated with the Dundas-Tyndall sequences than the Central Volcanic Complex felsic tuffs.

HAND SPECIMEN:

On a freshly-cut surface, this sample is seen to be a pale grey lava breccia with angular fine-grained purple and cream coloured felsic lava fragments in a highly altered sericitic matrix.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

In thin section, this sample is seen to be a very altered felsic volcanic with a weak fracture cleavage defined by sericite, which permeates the sample to the extent that the former texture of the sample is almost obliterated. Lithic fragments are less obvious in thin section than in hand specimen, and in the former their presence is only indicated by ghost margin outlines of former fragments, which have otherwise devitrified and recrystallized to a sericite-quartz-albite mosaic identical to the remainder of the rock.

This sample contains a number of relatively large well-formed zircons, and is similar to 482120 in this respect. Both samples may well be from the same sequence of sericitized felsic pyroclastic rocks which I personally think are more like the Dundas-Tyndall Gp. tuffs.

SAMPLE NUMBER: 482123

LOCATION 379904 E. 5322040 N

SUMMARY:

This is an extensively sericitized and carbonated former andesitic lava or tuff with a weak fracture cleavage defined by the sericite.

HAND SPECIMEN:

This is a dark grey fine-grained sparsely feldspar-phyric lava or tuff of probably andesitic derivation.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

In thin section, this sample is seen to be an extensively carbonated and sericitized feldspar-phyric felsic or andesitic lava or tuff. Former feldspar phenocrysts are blocky, slightly rounded euhedra to about 2mm long that are totally replaced by very fine-grained slightly Fe-stained sericite; these make up around 10-15 modal % of the rock. Sparse large mafic phenocrysts to about 1mm long have been replaced by chlorite and sericite, and these minerals have weathered to a rusty clay material. The texture of the groundmass has been totally obliterated by weak cleavage development and an intense sericite-calcite overprinting. Tiny former FeTi oxide grains scattered throughout the matrix are altered to leucoxene and sericite/clay, and their abundance suggests an andesitic rather than dacitic or rhyolitic precursor. The intensity of carbonate alteration in this sample is far greater than normally encountered in regionally altered Mount Read Volcanics, and imply local hydrothermal alteration.

SAMPLE NUMBER: 482126

LOCATION 380660 E 533142N 11

SUMMARY:

This is a virtually aphyric rhyodacitic to rhyolitic rock, with a formerly almost holocrystalline groundmass. It represents either the centre of a thick flow or a shallow intrusive.

HAND SPECIMEN:

This is a pink highly altered felsic lava or tuff with meandering fractures defined by lighter pink sericite(?) and dark spots representing altered former mafic(?) phenocrysts.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

This rock is a sparsely feldspar-phyric rhyodacitic to rhyolitic lava or shallow intrusive. It consists of about 1 modal% of subhedral feldspar phenocrysts to about 2mm across that have been replaced by greenish and Fe-stained sericite. These crystals are the dark grains obvious in hand specimen. Microphenocrysts of FeTi oxides have broken down to leucoxene and chlorite.

The groundmass of this sample was not formerly glassy, but was composed of tiny microlites and laths of feldspar (now albitized) set in a ragged quartz-albite intergrowth that contains minor chlorite and sericite flecking. This texture is more typical of the centres of thick flows of felsic lava, or else of shallow dykes and sills, than of typical felsic lava flows.

The rock is cut by numerous narrow sericite-lined fractures, and much of the sericite is Fe-stained to greenish and brownish shades.

SAMPLE NUMBER: 482129

LOCATION 380570 E 5332369 N

SUMMARY:

This rock is a chloritized felsic (dacitic) lithic crystal tuff-breccia containing a diverse population of mainly dacitic clasts in a devitrified and chloritized vitric ash matrix.

HAND SPECIMEN:

This is a mottled green and pink felsic lithic tuff-breccia containing brick red angular, fine-grained felsic lava fragments up to 1 cm long in a chlorite-rich grey-green matrix.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

In thin section, this sample is seen to be a fairly well-preserved lava breccia composed of clasts of vitric, vitrophyric and holocrystalline feldspar-phyric dacitic lavas in a groundmass composed essentially of dacitic ash. Clearly defined lithic fragments include:

1. holocrystalline dacitic rocks composed of interlocking albitized feldspar laths with minor interstitial quartz; these are probably derived from shallow intrusive dacitic plugs,
2. very fine-grained aphyric dacitic lavas composed of trachytic textured, tiny albitized plagioclase microlites in isotropic devitrified glass, and
3. formerly glassy dacite lavas containing blocky feldspar phenocrysts,
4. felsic tuff fragments containing a major component of broken albite crystals that often occur massed together in crystal clots.

The groundmass/matrix of this sample is probably a devitrified dacitic ash; it contains abundant (albitized) feldspar phenocrysts and crystal fragments. Devitrification and subsequent recrystallization of the former glass has produced a variety of textures and grainsizes in the secondary quartz-albite intergrowths replacing glass, and green slightly pleochroic chlorite is abundantly scattered throughout the groundmass. Chlorite also occurs as a fracture filling along veinlets and cracks and fractures that wrap around lithic fragments.

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APPENDIX II

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SAMPLE NUMBER	LOCATION		Sample Type	ANALYSES								Geological Observations	
	Easting	Northing		Cu	Pb	Zn	Ag	As	Fe%	Mn	Au		
											ppb		
988987	5825	7000N	St. Sed	10	15	10	<1	6	0.22	10	<3	1m wide, moderate flow. Incised. Fe stain. Float 95% v. qz 4% light buff qzite (micaceous) 1% dark grey-black shale.	
988988 ^A	5935	7000	Rock	75	35	15	1	44	1.49	25		0% of dark grey, well laminated shale. No visible sulphides Strike 000°m Dip 55°E	
988989	6095	6850	Float ^A	10 10	<5 30	95 110	4 4	240	43.0 48.0	800 1000	3 <3	Float of a highly ferruginous surficial deposit: an ironstone very friable, dominantly goethite after? specular hematite. Possibly a reprecipitated goethite, more probably a Tertiary Ferronite texture. Corresponds closely to predicted location of the DIGHEN anomaly	
988990	6025	6850	-80# St. Sed	15	20	30	<1	20	243	150	<3	Repeating ironstone occurrence. 1m med flow Fe stain. 0% of grey slightly pyritic shales. Ck on this point, transgressing strike	
988991	6100	6700	-80# St. Sed	15	15	25	<1	9	2.10	170	<3	1/2m slow. Float of ochre-brown, some grey silts and shales.	
988992	5925	6700	-80# St. Sed	15	25	35	<1	10	1.29	105	<3	1m, med flow. Float med-fine gr. buff, foliated, green-grey low quartz	
988993	5800	6750	-80# St. Sed	10	30	20	<1	8	1.02	60	<3	1 1/2m Med flow. Float med-fine gr. buff, foliated, green-grey low quartz	
DETECTION LIMIT				2	5	2	1	1	0.01	5	3		
ANALYTICAL METHOD				ICP							Fire/ AAS		
Project: QUEENSTOWN-ZEEHAN				1 250 000 Sheet: QUEENSTOWN				AMG Zone 55				Sheet No.: 1	
Tenement: LYNCHFORD EL 47/83				DPO's: 35001								Laboratory: A.L.D.	
Area / Prospect: DIGHEN ANOMALY 39/303.5												Collected By: J.M. CLEMENTSON Date: 12 June 85	

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SAMPLE NUMBER	LOCATION		Sample Type	ANALYSES										Geological Observations
	Easting	Northing		Cu	Pb	Zn	Ag	As	Fe %	Mn	Au ppb	Pt / Pd ppb		
988997	379750	5330850	d/c	85	200	20	<1	22	0.55	45	<3		Mulch. to chalcocite staining within f-m grained sandstone, slightly chloritic	
988998	"	"	d/c	110	290	60	<1	60	2.23	165	<3		Pyrite and arsenopyrite in sandstone as above	
988999	379825	5330650	d/c	50	165	200	<1	40	1.90	45	<3		Dark greenish black sandy loam - carbonaceous highly weathered.	
989000	379900	5330450	d/c	45	30	25	<1	4	2.66	40	<3		Purple hematitic (?) fine grained siltstone to ff. S. 1/2 to sand grade. Zone of chlorite veins. Schistosity dips at 60° to 060°m.	
989951	379880	5330150	d/c	40	20	5	<1	4	0.75	15	<3		As above, but with bedding visible dipping at 45° to 080°m.	
989958	380450	5330800	d/c	35	20	40	<1	10	2.46	65	<3		Coarse tuffaceous breccio-conglomerate unit within fairly uniform felsic-lithic tuffs Fe staining but not after pyrite.	
989963	378500	5334050	d/c	145	55	55	1	120	7.39	60	<3		Gaseous zones within dark grey-black shales.	
989964	"	"	d/c	130	45	15	1	310	9.99	80	<3		Gaseous quartz vein within fine sandy tuffs.	
989965	"	"	d/c	145	90	55	2	190	13.7	80	<3		Selected pyrite nodules from coatings within a very carbonaceous shales.	
989966	378300	5334075	d/c	150	30	100	1	32	7.62	4200	<3		Coarse breccia - felsic porphyrite clasts in a similar matrix.	
989967	377650	5334900	d/c	35	10	35	1	8	3.00	570	<3	50/10	Coarse, foliated ultrabasic. Weathered.	
989968	378300	5334075	d/c	170	110	105	1	50	7.02	1.48%	<3		Manganese-iron stained fault zone within silty lithic tuffs.	
DETECTION LIMIT				2	5	2	1	1	0.01	5	3	50/10		
ANALYTICAL METHOD				ICP								N.A.S. CRA	Fire Assay	
Project: QUEENSTOWN ZEEMAN			1:250 000 Sheet: QUEENSTOWN				AMG Zone: SK55-S				Sheet No.:			
Tenement: LYNCHFORD EL 47/83			DPO's: 35004 & 35008 (check Reports)				Laboratory: A.L.S.							
Area / Prospect: REGIONAL RECONNAISSANCE ROCK & DRAINAGE SURVEY							Collected By: I.M. CLEMENTSON				Date: 29/10/85			

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SAMPLE NUMBER	LOCATION		Sample Type	ANALYSES										Geological Observations
	Easting	Northing		Cu	Pb	Zn	Ag	As	Fe %	Mn	Au ^{ppm} ppb	Pt/Pd		
989971	378760	5331900	b/c-R/C	75	40	60	1	22	1.65	1200	<3		Dark grey, very dirty (shale in places). Close to contact with coarse qz porphyry. Abundant dissemin. pyrite.	
989972	-	-	AMDEL	55 ⁵⁵	90 ¹¹⁰	115 ¹³⁵	1	110	6.90 ^{7.00}	240	15 ¹⁰⁰		As above but with goossanite blockwork.	
989973	378200	5333050	b/c-R/C	135	65	45	1	44	2.86	170	<3		Black shale with minor pyrite Dip 75° to 75°N.	
989974	378200	5333070	b/c-R/C	AMDEL R. anal. : Gray block									PETROLOGY: ?? qz porphyry but with banded & with shale frags. Rounded qz grains & rhomboid feldspars.	
989989	379230	5336730	b/c-R/C	15	15	5	<1	16	3.65	65	<3		Highly silicified & haematized volcanic fragmental.	
989990	-	-		80 ⁷⁰	20 ³⁰	20 ²⁰	<1 ^{<1}	36	8.51 ^{9.20}	55	<3		As above	
989991	-	-		40 ⁵⁰	10 ³⁰	10 ¹⁵	1	9	15.4 ^{23.6}	40	<3		As above but intensely haematitic & magnetitic 600-9000 x 10 ⁻⁵ Si	
DETECTION LIMIT														
ANALYTICAL METHOD														
Project : QUEENSTOWN - ZEEHAN				1 : 250 000 Sheet : QUEENSTOWN AMG Zone : 55						Sheet No. :				
Tenement : LYNCHFORD EL47/83				DPO's : 35004 & 35008 (check maps)						Laboratory : A.L.S / AMDEL				
Area / Prospect : REGIONAL SAMPLING										Collected By : I.M. CLEMENTSON Date : 1 Nov '85				

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SAMPLE NUMBER	LOCATION		Sample Type	ANALYSES									Geological Observations
	Easting	Northing		Cu	Pb	Zn	Ag	As	Fe %	Mn	Au PPB	Au P.P.T.	
989952	380100	5329800	-4 [#] CNy/s									50	1m wide, moderate flow. Boulder bar. Very gravel-sandrich. Minor Fe stain. Float 90% Owen conglomerate & quartz; 10% fine shaly tuffa.
989953			-80 [#] s/s	2	20	10	41	7	0.48	70	3		
989954			-4 [#] CN s/s									50	2m wide, moderate flow. Boulder bar. Very gravel rich. Silty clay deficient. Minor Fe stain. Float 90% Roland/Owen Cong & 92 10% purple/green sericitic tuff-shales & schists. Pozo. contain from road works.
989955	379950	5330075	-80 [#] s/s	2	20	15	41	4	0.16	25	43		
989956	379900	5330550	-4 [#] CN s/s									50	1m wide, moderate flow, otherwise as above.
989957			-80 [#] s/s	2	15	70	41	18	0.32	50	43		
989959	380800	5331350	-80 [#] s/s	2	10	5	41	8	0.06	5	43		1/2m wide, very low flow. Very sand rich, low clay. No stain. Float is all Owen Conglomerate.
989960			-4 [#] CN s/s									100	
989961	380550	5331075	-80 [#] s/s	2	15	5	41	5	0.05	45	43		1m wide, low flow. Minor Fe stain. Roland/Owen Conglomerate and minor shale-tuff float. Boulder bar, sand rich site.
989962			-4 [#] CN s/s									100	

DETECTION LIMIT	2	5	2	1	1	0.01	5	3	50
ANALYTICAL METHOD	ICP							CRA AAS	CN LEACH

Project : QUEENSTOWN - ZEEHAN	1 : 250 000 Sheet : QUEENSTOWN	AMG Zone : SK55-S	Sheet No. :
Tenement : LINCHFORD EL 47/83	DPO's : 3039.8	Laboratory : ANDER / A.L.S.	
Area / Prospect : REGIONAL RECONNAISSANCE ROCK LITHOLOGY SURVEY	Collected By : I.M. CLEMENTSON		Date : 29.10.85

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SAMPLE NUMBER	LOCATION			ANALYSES										Geological Observations
	Easting	Northing	Sample Type	Cu	Pb	Zn	Ag	Hs	Fe %	Mn	Au P.P.B	Pb P.P.T		
189975 70	379970	5332050	-80 [#] -4 [#]	20	45	70	<1	14	2.06	260	<3		1 1/2m, mod flow Low Fe stain Gravel rich boulder bar Float: 30% black shale 60% arenaceous lithic tuff, 10% qz. 9% highly arenaceous lithic tuff	
89975 76	380650	5334500	-80 [#] -4 [#]	2	15	5	<1	5	0.26	15	<3	100	1 1/2m, mod flow. Low Fe stain. Gravel bar. Float: 80% qz & qz:ls or limestone, 10% qz fls porphyry, 10% lithic tuff. 9% qz, lithic tuff	
189977 78	380100	5336620	-80 [#] -4 [#]	45	75	45	<1	46	2.17	240	5	750	1m, mod flow Moderate Fe stain. Boulder bar. Float: 40% pale qz:ls 40% grey shales & fine lithic tuffs, 10% dark green chl. tuffs, 10% calc tuff	
98979 80	380120	5336550	-80 [#] -4 [#]	95	85	140	1	26	5.80	730	<3	250	1 1/2m, mod flow. Mod. Fe stain, boulder bar. Float: qz lithic tuffs minor qz:ls & shales	
89981 982	380320	5336540	-80 [#] -4 [#]	55	60	110	<1	16	1.68	610	5	750	1 1/2m, mod flow Minor Fe stain. Gravel bar Float: qz: calc. schistose tuffs & grey cleaved shales, vein qz. 9% v. qz & schistose lithic tuffs	
98983 84	380550	5336560	-80 [#] -4 [#]	25	40	20	<1	20	0.97	155	3	150	2m, mod. flow. Low Fe/Mn stain. Gravel rich. Float: v. qz, black shale, lithic tuffs. 9% black shales & int bdd shale tuffs	
98985 86	379350	5336475	-80 [#] -4 [#]	105	60	140	<1	20	4.28	840	3	850	1 1/2m, mod flow. Heavy Fe/Mn stain. V. calc rich. Float: v. qz, chl. tuffs (lithic with shale frags); arsenite	
DETECTION LIMIT				ICP								→	AAS CRA	CN LEACH
ANALYTICAL METHOD				2	5	2	1	1	0.01	5	3	50		

Project: QUEENSTOWN - ZEEHAN	1: 250 000 Sheet: QUEENSTOWN	AMG Zone: 55	Sheet No.:
Tenement: LYNCHFORD EL 47/83	DPO's: 35004 & 30398		Laboratory: ALS / AMDEL
Area / Prospect: REGIONAL DRAINAGE SAMPLING			Collected By: I. J. CURTISON Date: 7/11/85

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SAMPLE NUMBER	LOCATION		Sample Type	ANALYSES									Geological Observations
	Easting	Northing		Cu	Pb	Zn	Ag	As	Fe %	Mn	Au PPG	Pu P.P.M.	
989987 33	579350	535660	-80 [#] -4 [#]	90 ¹⁰	70 ¹⁰	90 ²⁰	<1	22	4.10	420	10		3m. Mod. Plav Mod. Fe stain. Float: andesite, qz porphyry grey shale and shale tuft. Visible Au in pan.
989992 993	578070	5332750	-4 [#] -80 [#]	15	35	85	<1	12	1.43	320	<3		1m. Plungepool. Heavy Fe/Mn stain? Contain an Queen River. Float 70% dark shales (S.P.) 30% grey green foliated silicic tufts o/c black shale (Silurian)
989994 989995	577630	5333340	-4 [#] -80 [#]	5	25	20	<1	6	0.25	45	<3		1/2m nodded Mn-ox Fe/Mn Bandorbar. Possibly glacial or v. coarse alluvial banks float: everything including shales, qzites various tufts, qz porphyry, vein quartz
DETECTION LIMIT				2	5	2	1	1	0.01	5	3	50	
ANALYTICAL METHOD				ICP							HAS CRA	CN LEACH	

Project : QUEENSTOWN - ZEEHAN	1: 250 000 Sheet : QUEENSTOWN	AMG Zone : 55	Sheet No. :
Tenement : LYNCHFORD EL47/83	DPO's : 35004 & 30398		Laboratory : ALS / AMDEL
Area / Prospect : REGIONAL DRAINAGE			Collected By : MCLIMENTSON Date : 7.11.85

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SAMPLE NUMBER	LOCATION		Sample Type	ANALYSES										Geological Observations
	Easting	Northing		Cu	Pb	Zn	Ag	As	Fe %	Mn	Au PPB	Au PPT		
53822 823	378050	533580	-4# -80#									50	Mod. flow; well incised; steep gradient; cleared eucalypt forest; colluvial ls. ls.; 60% gravel, 30% sand, 10% silt. % of carbonaceous fine grained tuffaceous sediment; minor laminated shale part; minor unaltered tuffaceous sediment	
53824 825	378000	533580	-4# -80#	70	65	120	1	32	3.47	690	5	150	Mod. flow; mod incised; steep gradient; colluvial ls. ls.; cleared eucalypt forest; 60% gravel, 35% sand, 5% silt; low organic. % of dark green intermediate (?) tuff; minor dark grey tuffaceous siltstone/shale	
53366 367	378130	533550	-4# -80#	55	65	105	1	24	3.47	810	15	250	Strong flow; mod incised; alluvial ls. ls.; branch scars; 70% gravel, 25% sand, 5% silt. Green tuffaceous silt + siltstone; minor grey-black shale; minor vein quartz	
DETECTION LIMIT				2	5	2	1	1	0.01	5	3	50		
ANALYTICAL METHOD				ICP							AAS CRA	CN LEACH		

Project: QUEENSTOWN - ZEEHAN	1: 250 000 Sheet: QUEENSTOWN	AMG Zone: 55-5	Sheet No.: 3
Tenement: LYNCHFOOD EL 43/83	DPO's: 30398 & 35004 & 35008 (check)		Laboratory: ALS BRISBANE
Area / Prospect: REGIONAL STREAM SEDIMENTS			Collected By: J. CAITHNESS Date: 31-10-85

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SAMPLE NUMBER	LOCATION			ANALYSES									Geological Observations
	Easting	Northing	Sample Type	Cu	Pb	Zn	Ag	As	Fe %	Mn	Au	Au	
											PTB	P.P.T.	
1153368 369	578220	5335590	-4# -80#									100	Strong flow; mod. incised; colluvial benches; benches scree; high organics; 40% gravel, 50% sand, 10% silt. Dominant massive, unaltered acid tuff float; minor fine siltstone/shale
				30	45	70	<1	12	1.79	190	<3		
1153370 371	578400	5336080	-4# -80#									2150	Mod-strong flow; well incised; alluvial benches; benches scree + rhyolite; low organics; 40% gravel, 40% sand, 20% silt. Pyritic acid tuff; vein quartz
				85	75	190	1	22	5.18	1700	5		
DETECTION LIMIT				2	5	2	1	1	0.01	5	3	50	
ANALYTICAL METHOD				ICP							AAS CRA	CN LEACH	
Project: QUEENSTOWN-ZEEHAN				1: 250 000 Sheet: QUEENSTOWN					AMG Zone: 55-5		Sheet No.: 4		
Tenement: LYNCHFORD EL 43/83				DPO's: 30398 & 35004					Laboratory: ALS BRISBANE / AMDEL				
Area / Prospect: REGIONAL STREAM SEDIMENTS									Collected By: S. CAITHNESS			Date: 31-10-85	

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SAMPLE NUMBER	LOCATION		Sample Type	ANALYSES										Geological Observations
				Cu	Pb	Zn	Ag	As	Fe %	Mn	Au P.P.B.	Au P.P.T.		
	Easting	Northing												
153812 813	379050	5331430	-4# -80#										300	Mod- <u>shw</u> flow; weakly incised; eucalypt forest; low organics; 50% gravel, 40% sand, 10% silt.
815													0.67	Dominant qz porphyry float; minor vein qz + chlorite(?)
153814 815	379250	5331180	-4# -80#										50	Mod. flow; mod incised; eucalypt forest; mod organics; colluvial banks; 60% gravel, 30% sand, 10% silt. Dominant qz porphyry float; minor vein qz
153816 817	378950	5331140	-4# -80#										<50	Mod flow; mod incised; eucalypt forest; 60% gravel, 30% sand, 10% silt. Dominant clean qz set (Mosaic?); trace vein qz
153818 819	378340	5332390	-4# -80#										550	Mod. flow; well incised; eucalypt forest; 60% gravel, 35% sand, 5% silt. Fine-med grained tuffaceous sediment % + qz veining
153820 821	378240	5333200	-4# -80#										100	Mod-strong flow; well incised; eucalypt forest; colluvial banks; 60% gravel, 30% sand, 10% silt, low organics. Fine tuffaceous set + siltstone % - chl alter; vein quartz
DETECTION LIMIT				2	5	2	1	1	0.01	5	3	50		
ANALYTICAL METHOD				ICP									AAS CRA LEACH	

Project: QUEENSTOWN - ZEEHAN	1 250 000 Sheet: QUEENSTOWN	AMG Zone: SS-5	Sheet No.: 2
Tenement: LYNCHFORD EL 43/83	DPO's: 30398 & 35004 & 35008 (walk)		Laboratory: ALS BRISBANE
Area / Prospect: REGIONAL STREAM SEDIMENTS			Collected By: S. CATHNESS Date: 30-10-85

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SAMPLE NUMBER	LOCATION		Sample Type	ANALYSES								Geological Observations
	Easting	Northing		Cu	Pb	Zn	Ag	As	Fe	Mn	Au	
								%		ppb		
1153372	378520	5336030	Rock Chip	25	10	10	<1	2	1.28	60	<3	Highly altered red tuff(?). Hematized and silicified; pitting after sulphides; Rock occurs on float at the base of a hill; weakly magnetic 80×10^{-5} SI units.
373				50	10	10	<1	30	2.33	50	<3	
1153374	378330	5336950	r.c.	25	15	15	<1	6	0.56	30	<3	DICHEM anomaly; stockwork quartz veining through sandstone + grit (Maina st). Minor silicified black shale; common malachite staining on road cutting
375				15	<5	10	<1	1	0.79	80	<3	
DETECTION LIMIT				2	5	2	1	1	0.01	5	3	
ANALYTICAL METHOD				ICP							AAS CRA	
Project : QUEENSTOWN-ZEEHAN			1 250 000 Sheet : QUEENSTOWN			AMG Zone : SK55-S			Sheet No. : 1			
Tenement : LYNCHFORD EL 43/83			DPO's : 35004			Laboratory : ALS BRISBANE						
Area / Prospect : ROCK CHIP SAMPLES						Collected By : S. CAITHNESS			Date : 30-10-85			

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SAMPLE NUMBER	LOCATION		Sample Type	ANALYSES										Geological Observations	
				Cu	Pb	Zn	Ag	As	Fe %	Mn	Au P.P.B.	Pu P.P.T.			
	Easting	Northing													
1142799 800	379750	5330850	-80# -4#	5	15	20	<1	4	0.08	10	5		450	Strong-moderate flow; well incised; eucalypt forest; possible contamination from HEC works; 60% gravel, 35% sand, 5% silt. Rhyolite % at sample site; red-brown rhyolite float; conglomerate; sandstone	
1153806 807	379380	5330650	-4# -80#	5	15	10	<1	2	0.22	50	<3		<50	Moderate-strong flow; moderately incised; eucalypt forest; mod. org. cont.; colluvial bc. by; 40% gravel, 40% sand, 20% silt. Dominant fine-med grained sandstone/siltstone float	
1153808 809	379430	5330650	-4# -80#	5	45	25	<1	7	0.46	360	<3		50	Strong flow; moderately incised; eucalypt + myrtle forest; low organics; 50% gravel, 30% sand, 20% silt. Fine grained tuffaceous siltstone; grey-black shale %	
1153810 811	379010	533470	-4# -80#	5	30	15	<1	6	0.54	25	10		700	Mod flow; mod. incised; low organics; eucalypt forest; possible contamination from old workings (500m north along track) 60% gravel, 30% sand, 10% silt. Dominant siltstone/sst float; minor op. porphyry & vein op.	
DETECTION LIMIT				2	5	2	1	1	0.01	5	3		50		
ANALYTICAL METHOD				ICP											

Project: QUEENSTOWN - ZEEHAN	1: 250 000 Sheet: QUEENSTOWN AMG Zone: 5K 85-5	Sheet No.: 1
Tenement: LYNCHFORD EL 43/83	DPO's: 30398 & 35004	Laboratory: ALS BRISBANE
Area / Prospect: REGIONAL STREAM SEDIMENTS		Collected By: S. CATHNESS Date: 30-10-85

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PROJECT QUEENSTOWN - ZELMAN

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DATES : MARCH 1985

TENEMENT LYNCHFORD EL 47/83

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SAMPLE NUMBER	GRID REF.	ANALYSES										DPO NUMBER	GEOLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS	CORRESP. -80 MESH STREAM SAMPLE		
		Cu	Pb	Zn	Fe %	Au										
988954	378620E 5331500N	14	45	6	1.03	0.005							30348	Flint (originally the N buttress of the new King R. bridge): highly chloritic (? fuchsite) quartzite with minor black Mn oxides		
988955	378830E 5331500N	14	45	4	2.06	0.005								o/c: channel sample (Sn) of weathered silty quartzites near old workings	→ Zona deca	
988956	378850E 5331500N	7	8	32	0.58	0.010								Flint: very chloritic (? fuchsite) vein quartz from old workings	←	
988957	378850E 5331500N	34	58	52	4.55	0.04								o/c: channel sample (2a) of very ferruginous weathered quartzite		
988958	379250E 533100N	17	45	7	2.28	0.005	PETROLOGY: Argillised porphyric (dyalite); could be a lava or a buff-lava perhaps grading into an ignimbrite.							o/c: large quartz "blow" - block with some massive vein quartz with a host of ?? highly alkali (zale green soft, sphenitic) sillstone or ? volcanic dome.		
988959	379300E 5331075N	15	45	7	1.64	0.005	PETROLOGY: Porphyritic rhyolite; no flow features. Fabric indicates a minor intrusion. Selective re-formation of biotite and some plagioclase.							o/c: as above but with lower proportion vein quartz and smaller 2-3mm quartz 'clasts' or phenocrysts.		
METHOD O.L.T.M.T.																

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 TENEMENT LYNCHFORD EL 47153
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SAMPLE NUMBER	GRID REF.	ANALYSES														DPO NUMBER	GEOLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS	CORRESP. -80 MESH STREAM SAMPLE
		Cu	Pb	Zn	As	Fe%	Au											
961		200	10	50	<1	9.22	0.010										2m channel sample - highly weathered andite	
962		195	20	48	<1	8.60	0.010										4m channel sample	
963		28	<5	10	<1	0.73	0.015										Floot - totally leached buff. color quartz rock	
964		120	22	52	<1	9.20	0.005										2m channel sample - weathered (highly altered?) andite	
965		190	26	115	<1	9.66	0.005										1 1/2 m channel sample - andite but with less Mn carbonate? fractures	
966		145	34	33	<1	8.24	0.005										4m channel sample with andite	
967		240	6	185	<1	7.16	0.005										Ferruginous weathered andite	

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	482401/41	SS									Cu, Pb, Zn, Ag/101, As/114		
	482401/41	SS									Ba/401, Au/309		
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whole core core ng soil sub eam sediment heavy mineral	WC SC CU Ro SO PU WA TI SS HM	perchloric acid hydrochloric acid nitric acid aqua regia nitric-perchloric HF mixture HF under pressure fusion	A1 A2 A3 A4 A5 A6 A7 A8	cold acid specific sulphide other mixed acids alkaline attack volatilization ignition pressed powder (XRF) glass fusion (XRF)	CA SS Ma AA VO IG PP GF	atomic absorption x-ray fluorescence spectrophotometry colorimetry chromatography titration other chemical means miscellaneous fluorescence inductively coupled plasma	AAS XRF SPEC COL CHR TTN CHEM MISC FLUOR ICP	

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24	482424	35	25	55	<0.5	<0.008	15	4		
25	482425	20	20	45	<0.5	<0.008	500	6		

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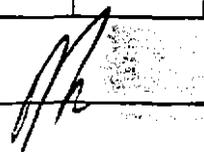
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3	482428	25	5	35	<0.5	<0.008	190	4			
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5	482430	25	5	40	<0.5	<0.008	18	5			
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7	482432	30	20	40	<0.5	0.022	18	5			
8	482433	25	10	35	<0.5	<0.008	290	5			
9	482434	30	85	70	<0.5	<0.008	240	5			
10	482435	15	80	70	<0.5	<0.008	120	9			
11	482436	<5	<5	15	<0.5	<0.008	50	3			
12	482437	25	20	145	<0.5	<0.008	90	4			
13	482438	10	15	40	<0.5	<0.008	80	7			
14	482439	<5	<5	25	<0.5	<0.008	130	3			
15	482440	15	5	35	<0.5	0.008	290	5			
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22	to do further checks.										
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REPORT TO ABERFOYLE RESOURCES LIMITED

ON THE Pb ISOTOPIC COMPOSITIONS

AND METALLOGENIC ASSOCIATION OF EXPLORATION SAMPLES

FROM THE LYNCHFORD E.L., WESTERN TASMANIA

REPORT SR 093

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1. AIMS OF STUDY

The aim of this study has been to determine the likely metallogenic association of exploration samples from the Lynchford E.L., located to the south of Queenstown, by comparing their Pb isotopic compositions with those of known mineralization in the region.

2. SAMPLES

Four samples were provided by Danny Noonan from an area south of Queenstown. Sample 482122 is galena from a quartz vein hosted within a Cambrian black shale and quartz phyric dacite lava sequence.

Sample 482124 is of gossanous float from a creek draining north into the King River.

3. TARGET SIGNATURES

All major Cambrian ore deposits of western Tasmania have similar Pb isotopic compositions confirming that they formed as part of a major metallogenic event (see Gulson and Porritt, 1987). A relatively homogeneous isotopic composition over such a region suggests the hydrothermal systems were very large, leaching Pb and other elements from a significant volume of crust and thus tending to average out local variations in the Pb isotopic composition of the source rocks. The Cambrian massive sulfide ("target") signature is represented in this study by the overlapping fields for Hellyer, Que River and Rosebery(+Hercules) (Fig. 1). The fields are 95% confidence ellipses which depict the mean \pm 2 x standard deviations of data from each deposit. Despite the averaging effect of the hydrothermal systems, minor differences can be expected between deposits, as is exemplified

by Rosebery/Hercules and Que River/Hellyer fields.

Minor mineralization in western Tasmania commonly consists of discontinuous pods or veins. The isotopic composition of such mineralization varies between occurrences indicating that the hydrothermal systems were probably much smaller. Most examples of this mineralization have isotopic compositions that are more radiogenic than the Cambrian target (i.e. higher $^{206}\text{Pb}/^{204}\text{Pb}$ ratios, Fig 1.) and some can be associated with Devonian plutonism (e.g. Queen Hill, Mt Farrell).

However, other examples have isotopic compositions that are less radiogenic than the Cambrian target, e.g. WOW/CAB, an old Comstaff prospect in the Oonah Formation and the Marionoak mineralization on the Pieman Dam road (Fig. 1). While the origin of such mineralization remains enigmatic, the low $^{206}\text{Pb}/^{204}\text{Pb}$ ratios may result from leaching of Pb from nearby Precambrian source rocks. At both WOW/CAB and Marionoak both more radiogenic and less radiogenic populations are present indicating a complex

Although it is likely that Devonian thermal events were responsible for the generation of these relatively localized hydrothermal systems, it is possible they developed at other times, even during the Cambrian. Irrespective of the age, it is unlikely that such mineralization would have significant economic potential.

4. METHODS

Whole rock powders provided by Aberfoyle were leached in a mixture of 7N HNO_3 and 7N HCl acids. Lead was purified from the leachate by anion exchange in HBr solutions and by micro-electrodeposition techniques.

Analyses were performed on an ISOMASS 54E thermal ionization

mass spectrometer run in fully automated mode. Precision estimates for the ratios are depicted as error bars in the upper left hand corner of the ratio plots and are based on the analyses of over 1000 standards.

5. RESULTS

The results are listed in Table 1 and plotted in Figure 2. There is measurable variation in the $^{206}\text{Pb}/^{204}\text{Pb}$ ratio between samples, but the results for each sample are internally consistent within the limits of analytical error (replicate analyses of single samples are grouped using dashed ellipses in Fig. 2). All results plot outside the Target fields for Cambrian massive sulfide deposits of the region, and are different to data for the Tasman and Crown Lyell Extended and Prince Lyell deposits at Mt Lyell (Gulson and Porritt, 1987, p.296). Samples 482124 (pts 6 & 7) plot close to the Hellyer target ellipse, but the galena sample 482122 (pts 1-3) has significantly higher $^{206}\text{Pb}/^{204}\text{Pb}$ ratios.

6. DISCUSSION

The data plot between the fields for Cambrian mineralization and the well established Devonian mineralization at Queen Hill and Mt Farrell. As with the results for the Mackintosh Licence sample (see Report SR 092) we are posed with a dilemma; could this represent as yet unrecognised local variation in the Cambrian signature of a scale similar to the differences between Rosebery/Hercules and Que River/Hellyer or is it part of the broad Devonian signature? In the southernmost extension of the

Mt Read volcanics at Elliot Bay, the Cambrian signatures have significantly lower $^{206}\text{Pb}/^{204}\text{Pb}$ ratios than the Rosebery/Hercules, Que River/Hellyer fields (Gulson et al, 1987). Some mineralization in the Farrell Slates (e.g. Murchison Lode, Gulson and Porritt, 1987), with isotopic compositions similar to the Lynchford samples are considered to be Devonian in age (Polya et al., 1986). Thus, based on these empirical considerations, it would seem more likely the mineralization is related to Devonian rather than Cambrian events.

However, considered as a separate group, sample 482124 cannot be readily distinguished from the Prince Lyell high-Pb samples.

Thus we cannot rule out that these samples might represent a Cambrian signature for the area to the south of Queenstown.

7. CONCLUSIONS

Unfortunately, the Pb isotopic compositions of the samples do not give a definitive answer to the question of whether the Lynchford E.L. represents Cambrian or Devonian mineralization. We would contend that the variation from the Cambrian signatures

reduces the probability that the E.L. is likely to represent a significant massive sulfide, but would recommend that further exploration is warranted. The Pb isotopic analysis of 3 to 4 more high-Pb samples (>1000ppm if possible) may help clarify whether the data represents two populations, one of which may be similar to Prince Lyell.

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TABLE 1. LEAD ISOTOPE RATIOS OF LYNCHFORD E.L. SAMPLES.

Sample	$\frac{208 \text{ Pb}}{206 \text{ Pb}}$	$\frac{207 \text{ Pb}}{206 \text{ Pb}}$	$\frac{206 \text{ Pb}}{204 \text{ Pb}}$	$\frac{207 \text{ Pb}}{204 \text{ Pb}}$	$\frac{208 \text{ Pb}}{204 \text{ Pb}}$	Pb(ppm)
1 482122gl	2.0749	0.8456	18.444	15.595	38.270	870,000
2 482122glR/1	2.0757	0.8458	18.453	15.607	38.304	
3 482122glR/2	2.0750	0.8456	18.451	15.601	38.285	
6 482124	2.0736	0.8468	18.404	15.584	38.162	1,450
7 482124R	2.0746	0.8469	18.421	15.601	38.217	

R, R/1, R/2 denote repeat dissolution and analysis.

gl denotes galena

Sample No prefixes are used to plot points in Figure 2.

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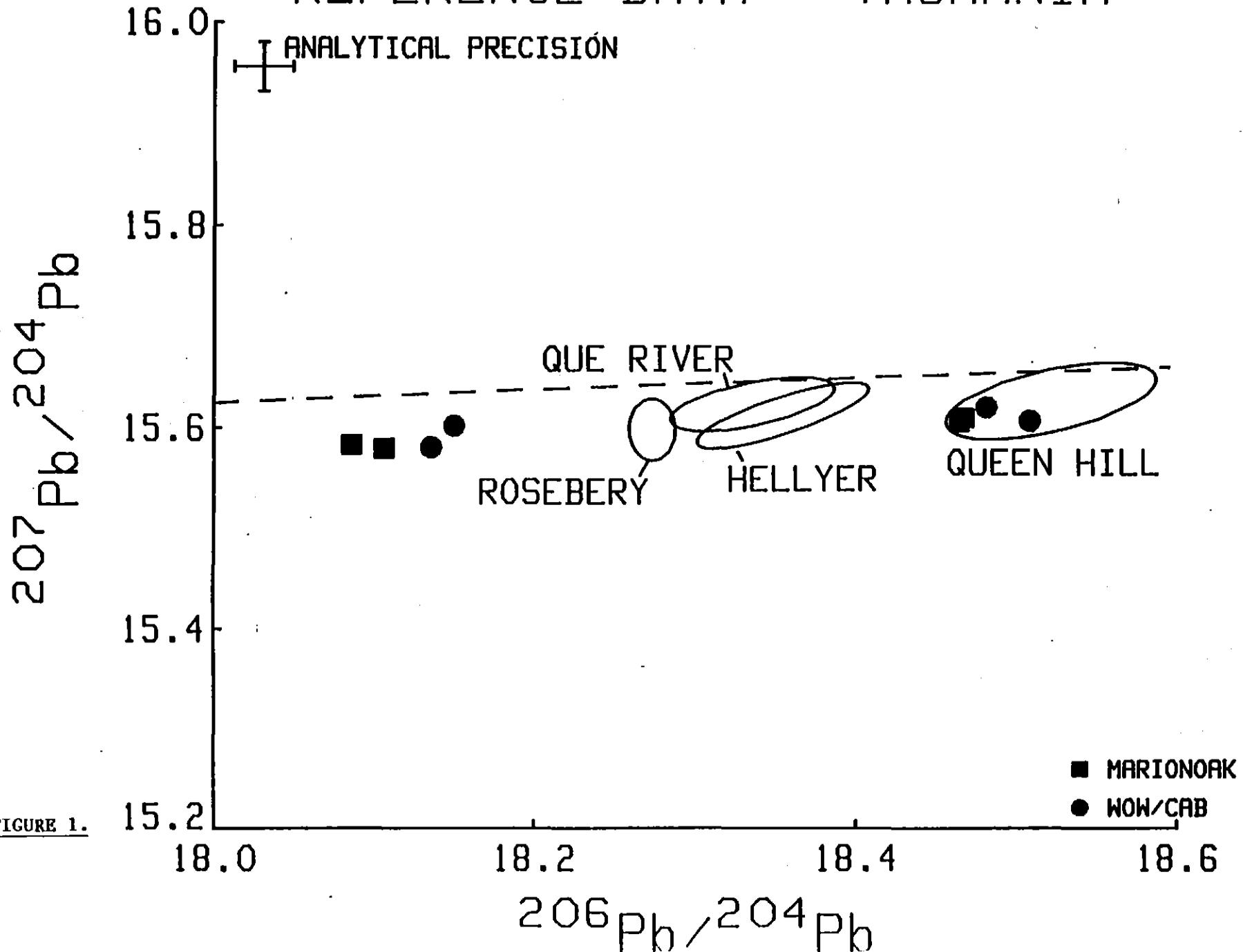


FIGURE 1.

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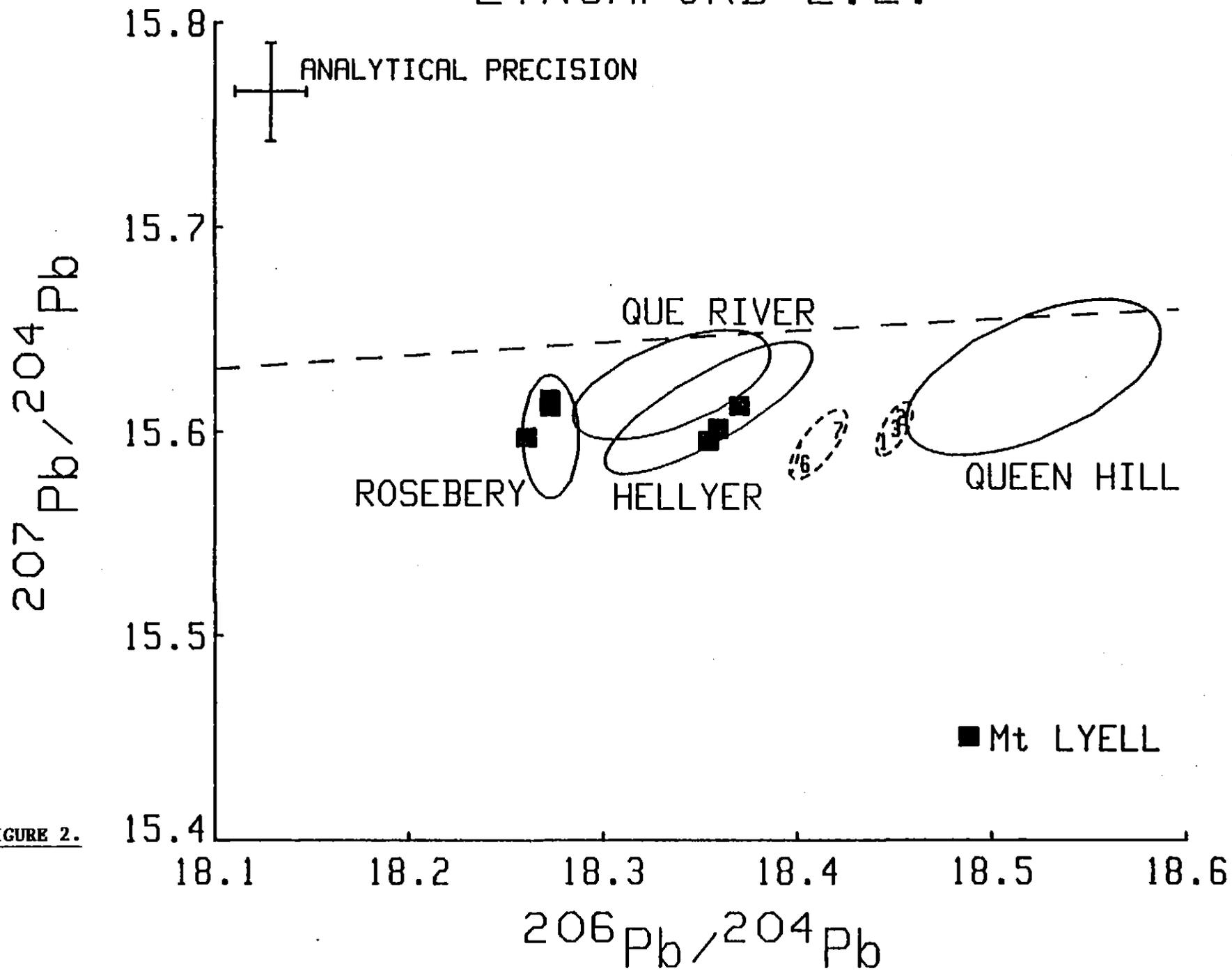


FIGURE 2.

APPENDIX V

SAMPLE NUMBER: 482302

SUMMARY:

This rock was a rhyolitic lava containing phenocrysts of quartz+feldspar+biotite+FeTi oxide, and is essentially identical to 482318.

HAND SPECIMEN:

This sample on a freshly cut face is a pale green-grey quartz+feldspar-phyric rhyolitic lava very similar to 482318 and 324.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

This sample is almost identical to the Quartz+feldspar+biotite +FeTi oxide-phyric rhyolitic lava 482318, except that the recrystallized formerly groundmass is somewhat finer-grained and laced with very wispy sericite compared to 318. In other respects it could be the same sample as 318. In reflected light, the sample is seen to contain only two or three tiny pyrite grains each less than 0.05mm across.

COMMENTS ABOUT THE KING RIVER POWER TUNNEL SUITE

These eleven samples are broadly cogenetic in that they are all derived from a quartz+feldspar+biotite+FeTi oxide phenocryst-bearing rhyolitic magma that contained relatively large and common (av. 10-15 per thin section) well-formed zircon microphenocrysts. Most samples are lavas, several are vitric or crystal vitric tuffs, and one is a coarse lava breccia. As might be expected, the porous breccia is the most altered. Although these lavas are apparently considered to be Central Volcanic Complex in affinities, I think they are more like the quartz-phyric, zircon-bearing rhyolites that characterize the Southwell Sub-group in the area NE of Hellyer, and the Tyndall Group further south. That is not to say that these lavas cannot be a poorly known quartz-phyric section of the Central Volcanic Complex, but where I have examined the latter in detail, the felsic lavas are almost always quartz phenocryst-free, feldspar-phyric lavas.

The alteration of these samples may be assigned to three types. The earliest phase involved devitrification and recrystallization of felsic groundmass glass. This phase may have involved introduction of the pyrite which is quite abundant in these samples relatively to 'typical'

Mount Read felsic lavas. A later phase of silica veining and pressure solution accompanying cleavage formation in some samples was followed by an overprinting by calcite.

It is significant that the only two samples showing chlorite alteration contain chalcopyrite in addition to the more ubiquitous pyrite.

SAMPLE NUMBER: 482318

SUMMARY:

This rock was a glassy quartz+feldspar+biotite+FeTi oxide-phyric rhyolitic lava and was the probable precursor of the more deformed and altered samples described above. Chlorite alteration is even less significant in this sample than 482324.

HAND SPECIMEN:

This is a massive light grey-green felsic lava with 5-10 modal% quartz phenocrysts. It is very similar to 482324 described immediately above.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

This sample is a quartz+albite+altered biotite+altered FeTi oxide-phyric rhyolitic lava that had originally a glassy groundmass. It is better preserved than any of the previously-described three samples, and is probably identical to the protolith of those samples. Large (to 2mm) quartz phenocrysts make up around 8 modal% of the sample and are slightly rounded, and contain common rounded melt inclusions that have been chloritized. Feldspar phenocrysts are slightly less abundant than the quartz phenocrysts and have been albitized, and slightly sericitized. They are also slightly to notably rounded. Former biotite phenocrysts are replaced by calcite, chlorite and sericite, with FeTi oxide dust defining former cleavage planes. They often contain relatively large zircon inclusions, and the same mineral occurs as small microphenocrysts throughout the groundmass in small but notable amounts.

The formerly glassy groundmass has devitrified and recrystallized to a relatively coarse-grained mosaic of albite and quartz. Alteration is restricted to meandering calcite+sericite-filled fractures, and occasional concentrations of calcite through the groundmass.

Polished thin section examination shows that the only sulphides in this sample are tiny pyrite grains which make up a meandering veinlet about 0.1mm wide that traverses this sample. No other sulphide phase was noted intergrown with the pyrite.

SAMPLE NUMBER: 482324

SUMMARY:

This rock is a brittle-fractured quartz+feldspar+FeTi oxide-phyric rhyolitic lava originally probably identical to the previously described two samples (482340 and 336), but the cleavage seen strongly in 336 and weakly in 340 is absent in this sample; alteration is carbonate-sericite dominated, and certainly more intense than usually encountered in Mount Read rhyolites away from known mineralization. Very minor pyrite is present. There is less chlorite development than in 482340 and 336.

HAND SPECIMEN:

This is a light green-pale grey, highly altered quartz-phyric felsic lava.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

In thin section, this sample is seen to be an altered rhyolitic lava that would have been quite similar originally to the two previously described samples. Subequal amounts of quartz and feldspar phenocrysts (each approximately 3-5 modal%) are present. The quartz grains, to 2mm across, have been fractured and partially recrystallized via subgrain development along former fractures; some grains have recrystallized entirely. Albitized feldspar phenocrysts are slightly sericitized. The formerly glassy groundmass has recrystallized to quartz-albite-chlorite-sericite mosaics and sparse former biotite phenocrysts are replaced by sericite-pale green chlorite intergrowths, with the cleavage preserved.

This sample has been fairly extensively brittle-fractured, with narrow fractures defining irregular angular branches rather than a subparallel fracture cleavage. Fracture planes are defined by polygonal secondary quartz, calcite, sericite and even some clean secondary albite in wider crush zones.

Polished section examination shows that this sample contains an exceedingly small amount of pyrite that occurs scattered through the rock as tiny discrete grains, and also as two or three very narrow, irregular veinlets. No chalcopyrite was seen.

SAMPLE NUMBER: 482327

SUMMARY:

This rock was formerly a quartz+feldspar-phyric rhyolitic lava or tuff with a glassy groundmass. It is cut by abundant quartz veinlets and shows fairly widespread carbonate alteration of both the groundmass and the quartz veinlets.

HAND SPECIMEN:

This is an altered and silicified brownish felsic lava or tuff extensively cut by narrow quartz veinlets.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

This rock in thin section is seen to be a quartz+feldspar-phyric rhyolitic lava or tuff composed of crystals fragments of quartz that vary from quite rounded and reacted to angular broken crystal fragments to about 2mm across. Feldspar crystal fragments are modally subordinate to quartz and are slightly sericitized albite grains that usually contain small pools of calcite. Rare biotite phenocrysts are replaced by green chlorite and seicite with FeTi oxide granules along cleavage traces. The groundmass is fairly uniform textured and composed of a fine-grained mosaic intergrowth of albite and quartz, with minor sericite and chlorite speckling, and replaces former devitrified glass. It is difficult to judge whtehr this was a lava or a crystal tuff originally. The abundance of broken grains tends to support the latter possibility, but the uniform groundmass and common rounded reacted, entire quartz grains are more like assemblages in a lava.

The rock is cut by abundant narrow veinlets of polygonal secondary quartz, and calcite has overprinted large sections of the quartz veinlets, and also occurs spotted over the groundmass.

In reflected light, pyrite is seen to be scattered through the rock in small aggregates of tiny well-formed euhedra, as well as occurring as occasional larger cubes. It does not seem to be associated with the carbonate alteration, or with the quartz veining. Chalcopyrite is present as only a few tiny specks in the rock.

SAMPLE NUMBER: 482336

SUMMARY:

This rock is almost identical 482340 except that it shows a much stronger cleavage development in thin section, marked by subparallel sericite-chlorite bands and layers. The sulphide abundance and mineralogy is also identical to that in 482340, except that the small sulphide concentrations in the latter are dragged out into the cleavage in this sample.

HAND SPECIMEN:

This is a massive, grey-green quartz-phyric felsic lava with a weak fracture cleavage defined by sericite and chlorite.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

In thin section, this sample is seen to be almost identical to 482340 described above, except for one important point. That is, this sample shows a much better developed fracture cleavage which is well defined in thin section by a prominent subparallel anastomosing mesh of sericite and pale green chlorite traversing the rock. Also, some of the quartz phenocrysts have fractured and rotated slightly in the cleavage, giving the appearance of angular grains; some quartz phenocrysts show subgrain recrystallization along healed fractures.

Polished section examination of this slide shows that sulphides occur in approximately the same abundance in this sample as in 482340, but in this sample they occur scattered along several chlorite-sericite cleavage bands rather than as local concentrations. Again, the sulphide mineralogy is simply dominant pyrite with minor chalcopyrite, mainly occurring as separate tiny anhedral, almost rounded equidimensional grains in the cleavage. They probably represent former concentrations of pyrite-chalcopyrite drawn out into the cleavage during deformation. On this basis, in both samples there is no evidence that the introduction of sulphides or carbonate accompanied cleavage development (deformation).

SAMPLE NUMBER: 482340

SUMMARY:

This is a quartz+feldspar-phyric rhyolitic lava with a weak fracture cleavage, and quite strong calcite-chlorite-sericite alteration. It contains minor but significant concentrations of pyrite and chalcopyrite.

HAND SPECIMEN:

This is a massive grey-green quartz-phyric felsic lava or tuff with some apparent silicification(?) of the groundmass.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

This rock in thin section is clearly a quartz+feldspar-phyric rhyolitic lava. Quartz phenocrysts make up around 5-10 modal% of the rock and are up to 3mm across. They are invariably rounded and resorbed grains that contain fairly abundant round, green chloritized melt inclusions. Angular broken crystals are absent. Feldspar phenocrysts are smaller than the quartz phenocrysts but slightly more abundant. They are elongate blocky prisms composed of albite after a more calcic plagioclase precursor. Many albitized plagioclase phenocrysts are slightly to notably rounded, and have been clearly reacting with the magma. Most are fairly thoroughly sericitized. Former biotite phenocrysts have broken down to chlorite, sericite and ilmenite, but make up only about 1 modal% or less of the sample. The ilmenite occurs as bladed grains grown with their long axes orientated along the former biotite cleavage, and form due to the inability of chlorite and sericite to accept Ti released during biotite breakdown. Calcite also occurs within altered biotite phenocrysts. Altered FeTi oxide phenocrysts are not uncommon, and are replaced by leucosene and magnetite/ilmenite intergrowths. Small euhedral zircon crystals are quite common in this section.

The recrystallized formerly glassy groundmass of this sample is a fine-grained mosaic intergrowth of albite and quartz that has been riddled with sericite and tiny rhombic calcite crystals. Grain size within the groundmass and also extent of calcite alteration vary in a patchy fashion across the slide. Calcite is clearly replacing

quartz-albite in the groundmass. Sericite also occurs in dense mesh-like veins across the sample; these veins define what is probably a rough fracture cleavage, since many are subparallel.

Examination of the slide in reflected light shows a number of interesting features. Firstly, chalcopyrite is relatively abundant (but nevertheless still constituting only a tiny fraction of one modal% of the rock) as tiny blebs scattered randomly in the groundmass; it also occurs in several more concentrated patches in the groundmass, where some small cpy grains can be seen to be altering to magnetite. These concentrations of cpy do not appear to be replacing another opaque or silicate phase, but are within the groundmass. In similar fashion, a small concentration of pyrite containing minor intergrown chalcopyrite also occurs in the groundmass. No sulphide occurs along the weak fracture cleavage, although very fine-grained hematite(?) is common.

I think that this rhyolitic lava is similar to some of those I described for you in the last lot from Lynchford. The abundance of quartz phenocrysts and zircon would normally have suggested a similarity with Tyndall-Southwell Subgroup correlates, although there is no way to be sure of this. The degree of calcite-sericite alteration is notably more than typical 'background' levels in the regionally altered Mount Read Volcanics, and the pyrite-chalcopyrite development, although still minor, is more than typically seen in Mount Read felsic lavas away from known mineralization.

SAMPLE NUMBER: 482347

SUMMARY:

This is a rhyolitic lava breccia that has been extensively carbonated and contains a significant abundance of disseminated pyrite cubes.

HAND SPECIMEN:

This is a coarse-grained felsic lava breccia with carbonate-altered pale grey formerly glassy lava fragments to at least 3cm across separated by sulphide-rich matrix that sometimes contains an unusual red coloured mineral.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

In thin section, this rock is seen to be a former quartz-phyric rhyolitic lava breccia that has been very largely replaced by polygonal calcite intergrowths. Former quartz phenocrysts are occasionally preserved, and vary from angular to rounded, and from undeformed to extensively strained and subgrain-recrystallized. More than 80 modal% of the sample, including all the matrix/groundmass has been replaced by a dense carbonate mass composed of small interlocking calcite rhombs. Margins of these carbonate masses are reddish stained siderite (?) or ankerite that constitutes the reddish-purple areas so notable in hand specimen.

About 2-3 modal% of the sample consists of euhedral pyrite cubes to a maximum size of around 1mm. In thin section, these are seen to be fresh and inclusion-free, slightly 'moth-eaten' in places, and scattered through the rock randomly as single and rarely twin cubes. Many show well-developed quartz ribbon pressure fringes. As with the sample described above, it is difficult to argue that the sulphides formed in the same episode as the carbonate alteration, although the pyrite is certainly more abundant in inter-fragment matrix.

SAMPLE NUMBER: 482349

SUMMARY:

This is a quartz+feldspar+biotite+FeTi oxide-phyric rhyolitic lava in which an early generation of euhedral pyrite grains has grown prior to the carbonate alteration that has overprinted parts of this rock.

HAND SPECIMEN:

This is a very fine-grained green felsic lava or tuff containing common quartz phenocrysts and cut by a 7mm wide quartz vein.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

In thin section, this sample is seen to have been a quartz+feldspar+biotite+FeTi oxide-phyric rhyolitic lava with a fine grained uniform groundmass composed of a quartz-albite mosaic after devitrified glass. It is essentially identical to sample 482318 described above. Quartz phenocrysts are quite rounded, and feldspar phenocrysts are albitized and flecked by sericite. Biotite phenocrysts, which make up around 1 modal% or less of the rock, are replaced by chlorite and sericite that have been replaced, in turn, by calcite. Well-formed zircon microphenocrysts are not uncommon, and perfectly euhedral pyrite cubes are quite abundant scattered through the sample. The pyrite cubes occur in the groundmass, but also within the phenocrysts, and a single large cube occurs in the quartz vein that cuts this rock.

Anastomosing fractures across the rock are filled by pale sericite and calcite. The quartz vein cutting this sample is made up of strained ribbon quartz grains that have been partly overgrown by calcite.

In reflected light, the pyrite is seen to be unaltered and inclusion-free, and to be clearly unrelated to the carbonate alteration that has overprinted the quartz veining. No other sulphides were noted in this sample.

SAMPLE NUMBER: 482350

SUMMARY:

This rock is a porphyritic rhyolite originally similar to the samples described above, but it contains discontinuous bands of pyrite cubes up to 5mm wide, and scattered pyrite cubes throughout the devitrified groundmass of this formerly glassy lava. Chlorite and calcite are very sparse.

HAND SPECIMEN:

This is a massive brown quartz-phyric felsic lava containing quite abundant pyrite cubes up to about 1mm across in diffuse layers and irregular bands traversing the rock.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

This rock was probably very similar to the previous four samples originally, being a quartz+feldspar+biotite+FeTi oxide-phyric rhyolitic lava. However, although it is not apparently very deformed compared with samples 340 and 336 for example, the rock has been permeated by mineralizing solutions from which have grown abundant quite large euhedral pyrite grains. These form discontinuous bands of discrete crystals and aggregates, and also discrete cubes scattered randomly through the rock. In the bands, pyrite occurs intergrown with minor pale rusty coloured carbonate (siderite?), muscovite or well-crystallized sericite, and fibrous ribbon quartz. The latter also occurs as well-formed pressure fringes on pyrite cubes. The groundmass is variably recrystallized and quite strongly sericitized, and chlorite is rare.

In reflected light, the pyrite is seen to be free of other sulphide inclusions, but contains slight marginal alteration to an Fe-oxide or hydroxide phase.

SAMPLE NUMBER: 482351

SUMMARY:

This rock is a uniform, weakly cleaved rhyolitic vitric tuff containing sparse quartz and feldspar crystal debris in a groundmass of devitrified and recrystallized glassy shards.

HAND SPECIMEN:

This is a pale green, very fine-grained aphyric vitric tuff that shows a weak fracture cleavage.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

This sample is composed of a very fine-grained quartz-feldspar-sericite intergrowth with the sericite defining a weak cleavage. Dispersed throughout the very fine-grained 'groundmass' is about 3-5 modal% of devitrified, well-formed glass shards, now composed of a very fine-grained mosaic of quartz. A similar modal abundance of small angular crystal fragments, mainly formerly feldspar, are also replaced by quartz-albite mosaics. The sample was clearly a glass-rich rhyolitic vitric tuff containing a small component of crystal debris. Chlorite is a very minor component of this sample.

In reflected light, the sample is seen to contain no sulphides, but tiny trains of secondary Fe oxides follow the cleavage.

SAMPLE NUMBER: 482352

SUMMARY:

This rock is a cleaved rhyolitic crystal vitric tuff.

HAND SPECIMEN:

This is a massive grey fine-grained lithic crystal tuff with a distinct cleavage, traversed by a few calcite veins up to 3mm thick.

THIN SECTION DESCRIPTION:

This rock is composed of around 25 modal% of angular volcanic quartz grains, and minor chloritized biotite and sericitized feldspar phenocrysts in a foliated very fine-grained quartz-sericite-albite groundmass. Besides the obvious quartz grains, other grains in the murky matrix of this rock include sericitized feldspar phenocrysts and devitrified and sericitized formerly glassy lithic fragments. Occasional biotite phenocrysts are replaced by sericite and chlorite. The fine-grained groundmass probably has a large vitric component, but shows a fairly well-developed cleavage defined by concentrations of sericite and pale green chlorite. Relatively large zircon microphenocrysts are scattered sparsely through the rock.

Calcite veins 1 to 2mm wide transect the rock, and are composed of polygonal calcite grains around 0.1mm across.

The angular nature of the quartz grains in this sample, and the devitrified fine-grained quartz-albite-sericite groundmass suggest that this sample was originally a rhyolitic crystal vitric tuff.

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482300/49		RC							Ba,Cr,Zr,Ti/401,Au/309		

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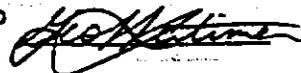
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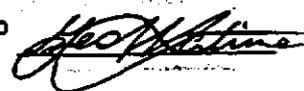
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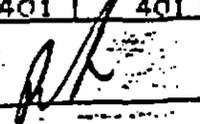
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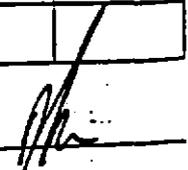
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		4826,51/77	RC									Au,AuChk/309		
		4826,51/77	RC									Ba,As/401		

RESULTS

TO

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RESULTS

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REMARKS

STATE OF SAMPLES	ANALYSIS — PREPARATION			ANALYSIS — METHOD			
whole core	WC	perchloric acid	A1	cold acid	CA	atomic absorption	AAS
split core	SC	hydrochloric acid	A2	specific sulphide	SS	x-ray fluorescence	XRF
cutting	CU	nitric acid	A3	other mixed acids	Ma	spectrophotometry	SPEC
rock	Ro	aqua regia	A4	alkaline attack	AA	colorimetry	COL
soil	SO	nitric-perchloric	A5	volatilization	VO	chromatography	CHR
pulp	PU	HF mixture	A6	ignition	IG	titration	TTN
water	WA	HF under pressure	A7	pressed powder (XRF)	PP	other chemical means	CHEM
tissue	TI	fusion	A8	glass fusion (XRF)	GF	miscellaneous	MISC
stream sediment	SS					fluorescence	FLUC
heavy mineral	HM					inductively coupled plasma	ICP

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TUBE No.	SAMPLE No.	Cu	Pb	Zn	Ag	Au	AuChk	Ba	As	
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2	482652	15	10	65	<0.5	<0.008	-	740	<2	
3	482653	20	5	100	<0.5	<0.008	-	840	<2	
4	482654	25	90	295	<0.5	<0.008	-	970	8	
5	482655	15	20	120	<0.5	<0.008	-	1100	2	
6	482656	15	5	55	<0.5	0.057	0.065	1050	8	
7	482657	20	20	110	<0.5	<0.008	-	410	2	
8	482658	20	25	135	<0.5	<0.008	-	440	<2	
9	482659	20	60	90	<0.5	<0.008	-	450	<2	
10	482660	20	15	125	<0.5	<0.008	-	570	<2	
11	482661	20	20	145	<0.5	<0.008	-	680	<2	
12	482662	20	15	190	<0.5	0.017	<0.008	680	<2	
13	482663	15	10	280	<0.5	<0.008	-	1100	<2	
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15	482665	20	10	240	<0.5	<0.008	-	1400	<2	
16	482666	20	20	290	0.5	<0.008	<0.008	1100	<2	
17	482667	20	25	95	<0.5	<0.008	-	760	2	
18	482668	15	15	125	0.5	<0.008	-	810	<2	
19	482669	20	15	80	<0.5	<0.008	-	960	<2	
20	482670	15	10	45	<0.5	<0.008	-	1000	<2	
21	482671	25	5	25	<0.5	<0.008	-	680	7	
22	482672	15	5	40	<0.5	<0.008	-	700	7	
23	482673	20	10	45	0.5	<0.008	-	660	7	
24	482674	20	10	35	0.5	<0.008	<0.008	730	3	
25	482675	20	10	50	<0.5	<0.008	-	910	<2	

Results in ppm unless otherwise specified
T = element present; but concentration too low to measure
X = element concentration is below detection limit
- = element not determined

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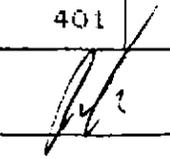
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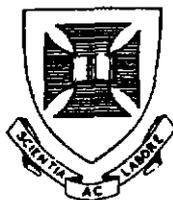
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APPENDIX VIII



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February 28, 1990

Mr D.J. Noonan,
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 P.O. Box 952,
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Dear Danny,

Sulphur Isotope Analyses

Sample	Mineral	$\delta^{34}\text{S}^{\circ}/\text{oo CDT}$
482349	pyrite	11.4, 11.5

1. Sulphides were combusted at 900°C with Cu_2O to extract SO_2
2. Isotopic analyses were performed with an MM602E mass spectrometer.
3. NBS 122 (0.5°/oo CDT) and NBS 123 (17.0°/oo CDT) were used to establish a calibration curve.

As per our previous letter, the fine-grained pyrites from Lynchford were prepared by digestion in cold acids before sulphur isotope analysis. If you plan to submit further disseminated pyrite samples for analysis, we would appreciate your prior advice in order to schedule the acid dissolution and subsequent analysis more efficiently. For your information, a current price list is enclosed.

Yours sincerely,

Sue Golding

Dr Sue Golding
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Dear Danny

Sulphur Isotope Analyses

Sample	Minerals	$\delta^{34}\text{S}^{\circ}/\text{oo CDT}$
482350	pyrite	6.9

1. Sulphides were combusted at 900°C with Cu_2O to extract SO_2 .
2. Sulphates were thermally decomposed at 900°C in the presence of BaSO_4 and V_2O_5 to extract SO_2 .
3. Isotopic analyses were performed with an MM602E mass spectrometer.
4. CSIRO Ag_2S (2) ($0.2^{\circ}/\text{oo CDT}$) and NBS 123 ($17.2^{\circ}/\text{oo CDT}$) were used to establish a calibration curve.

As discussed in our phone call, the remaining fine-grained pyrites from Lynchford will be prepared by digestion in cold acids and analysed for $\delta^{34}\text{S}$ at the earliest opportunity. I will be happy to comment critically on your interpretation of these analyses.

Yours sincerely,

Sue Golding

Dr Sue Golding
Senior Research Officer
for Dr Stephen Dobos
Director, Isotope Geochemistry Laboratories

ATTACHMENT

Sample No:	Co-ordinate	Depth	Location	Sample	Sample Description
482349	379451 5331726	-100m	King River Power Tunnel		Rhyolitic lava with disseminated pyrite and sericite-carbonate overprint.
482350	378894 5331782	-100m	King River Power Tunnel		Rhyolitic lava with abundant pyrite and mild sericite-carbonate overprint.

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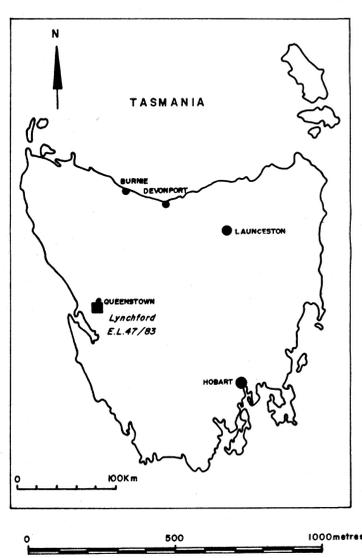
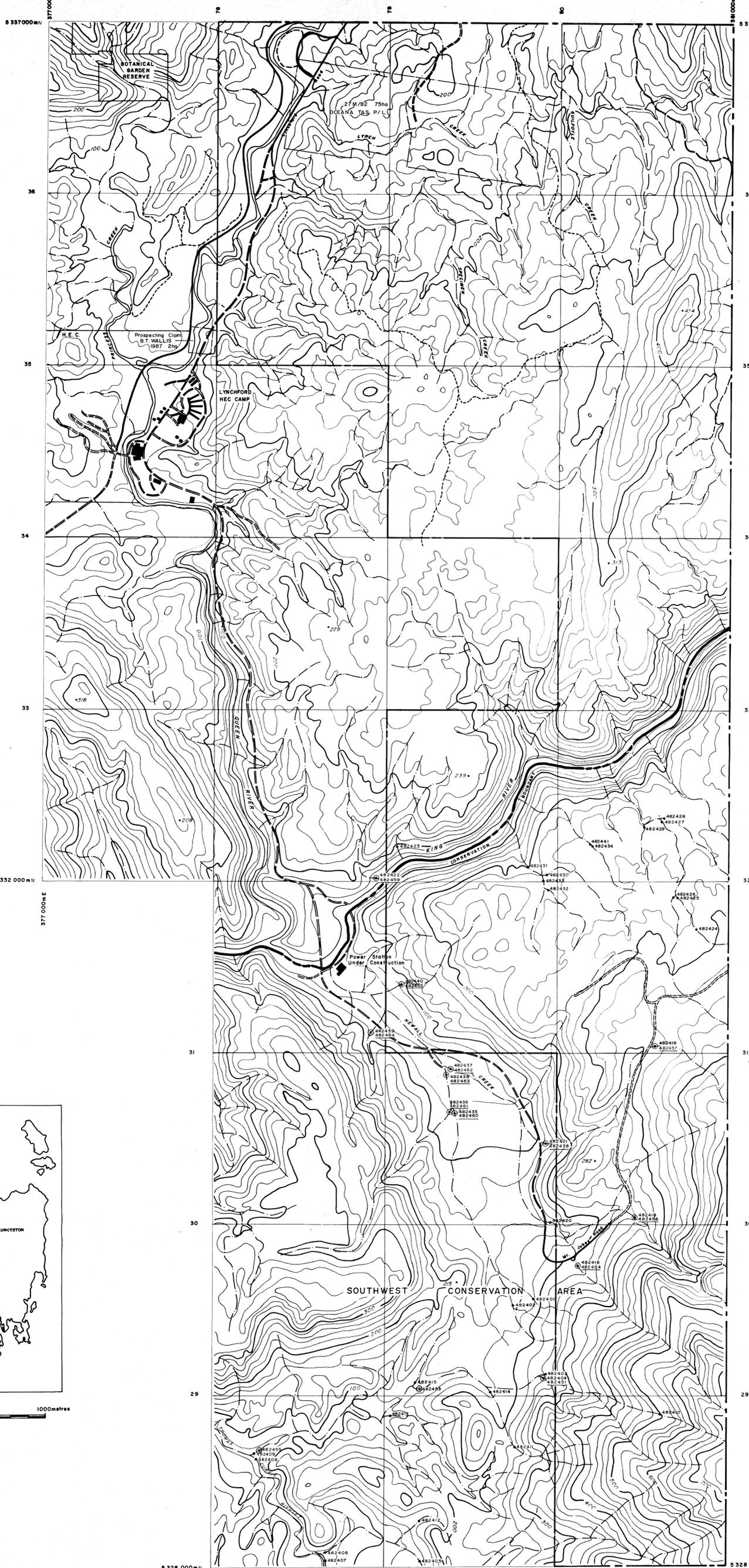
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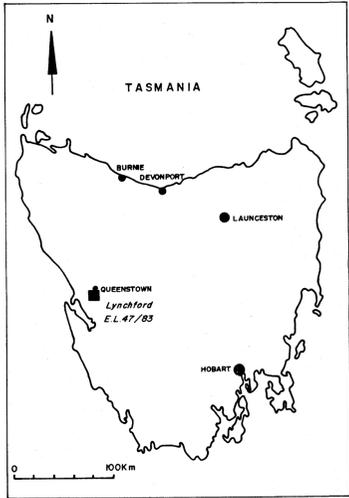
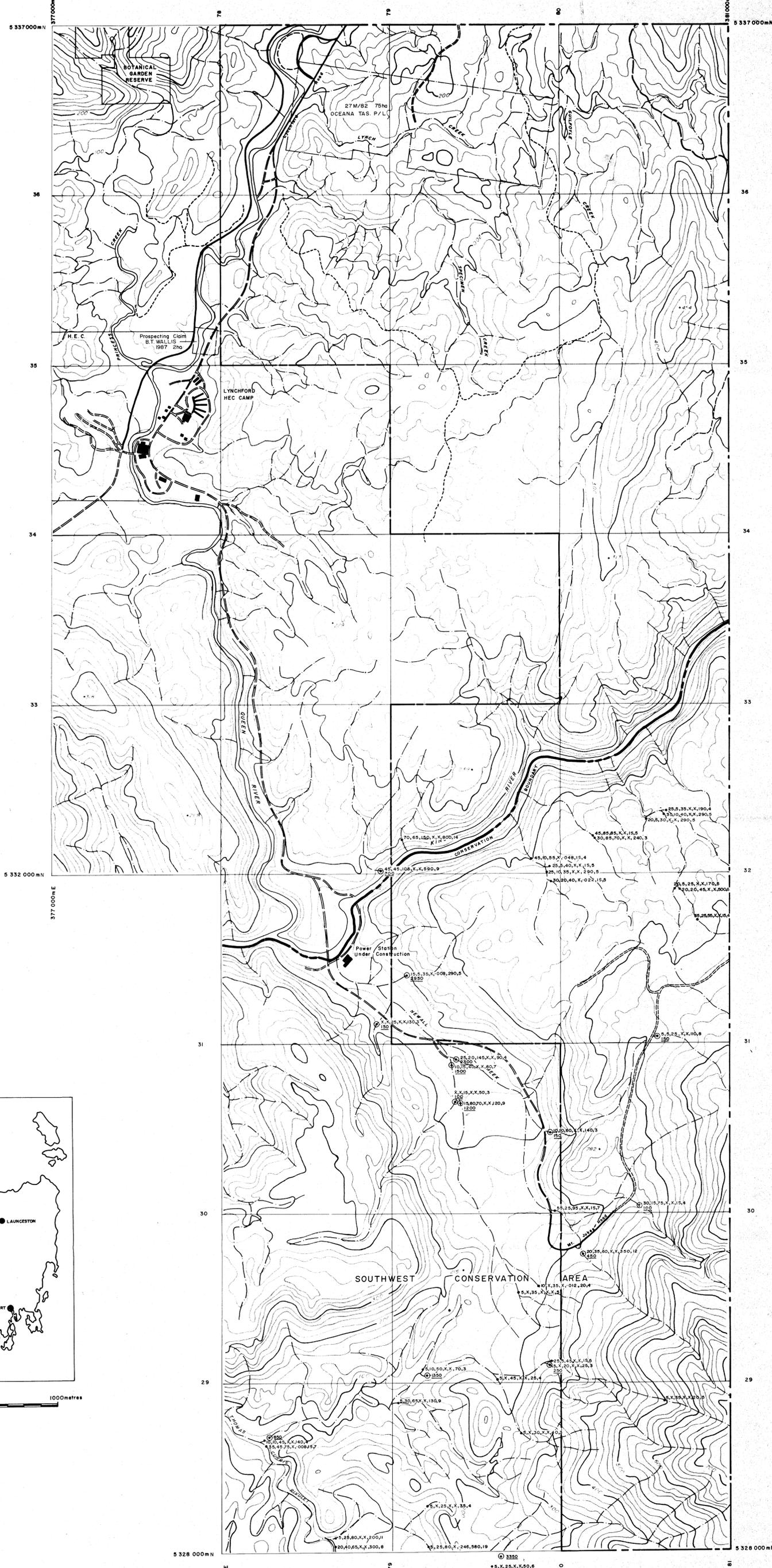


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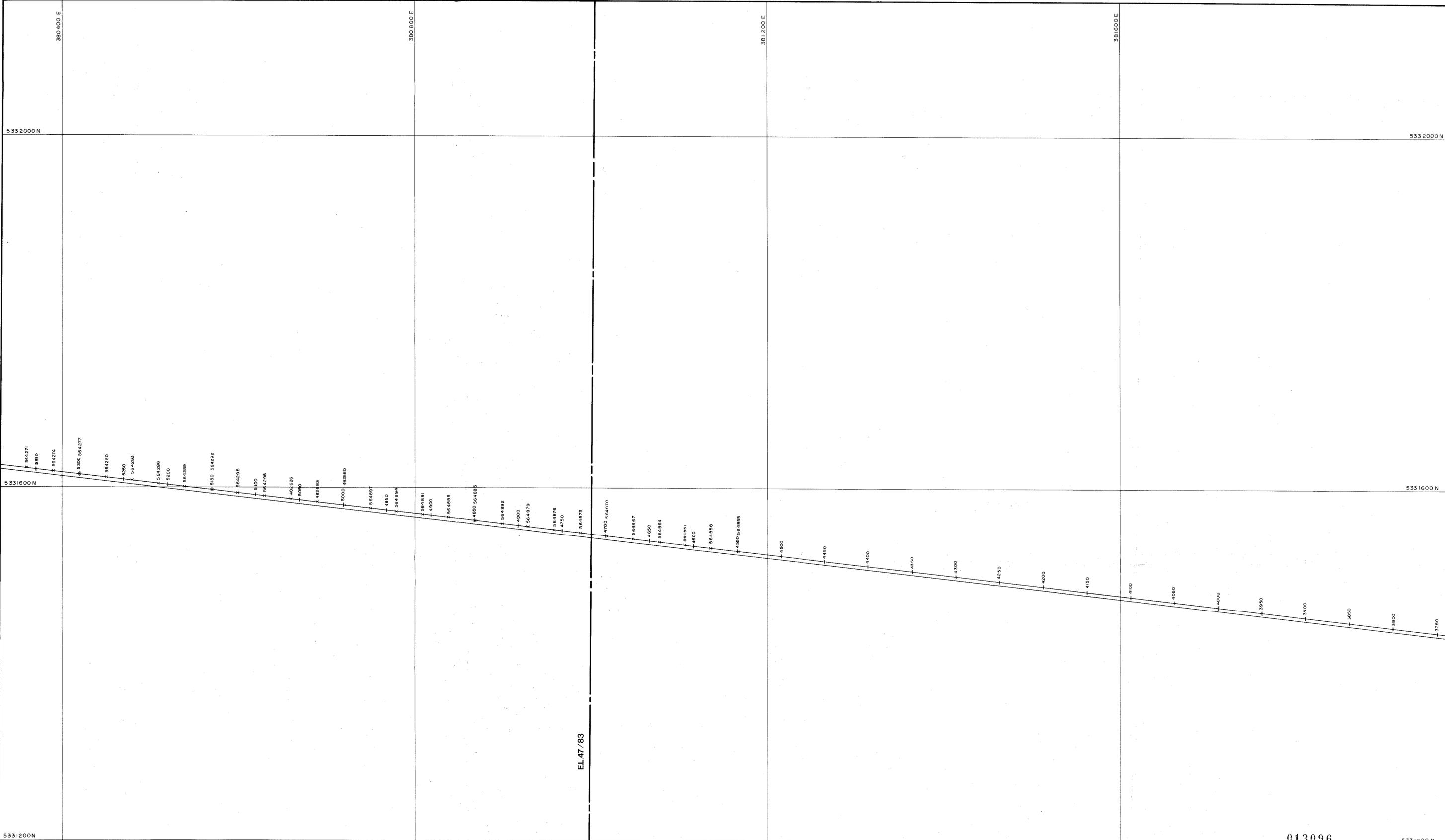
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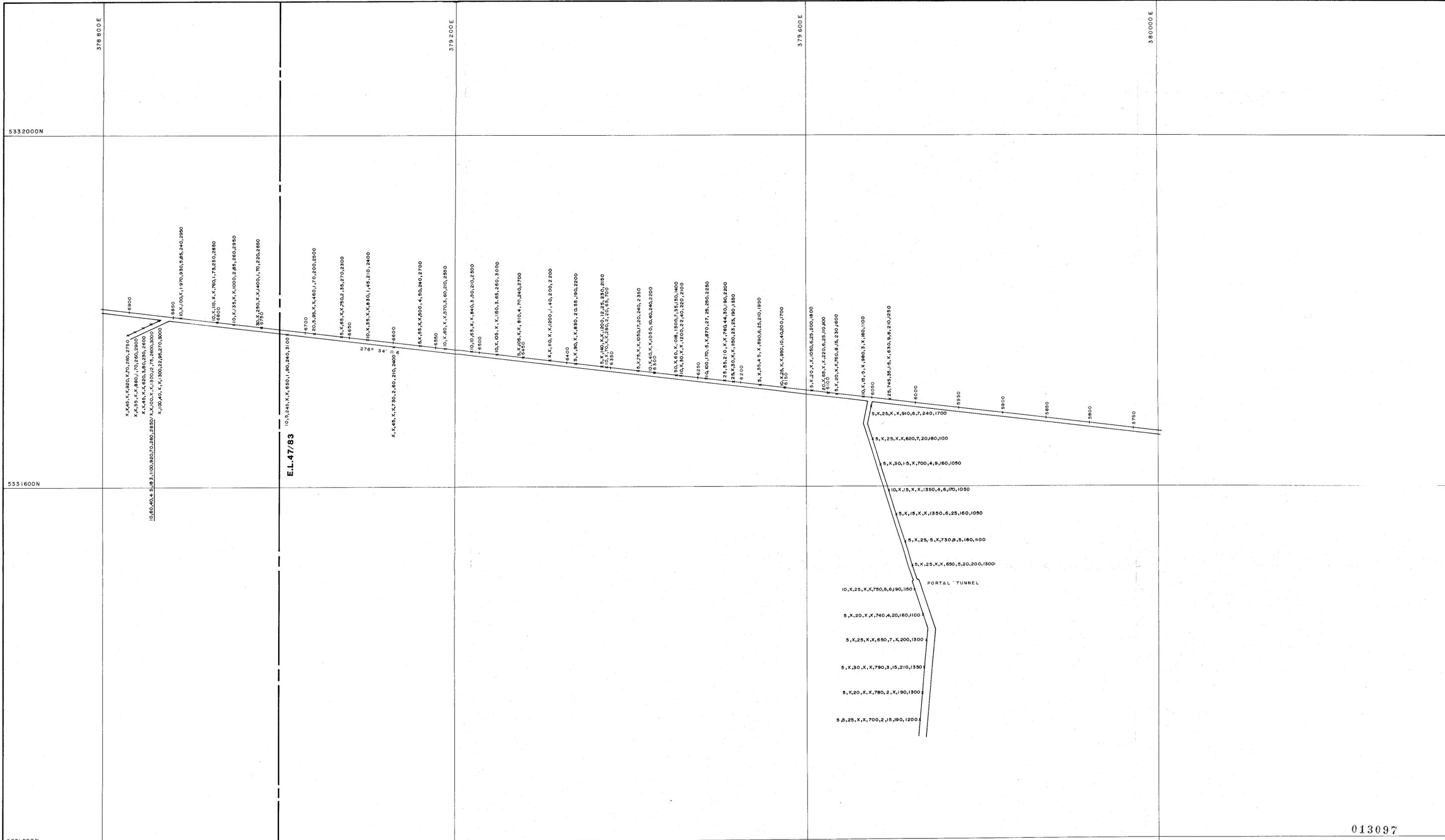


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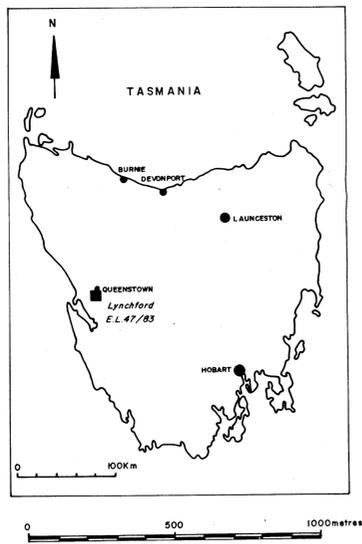
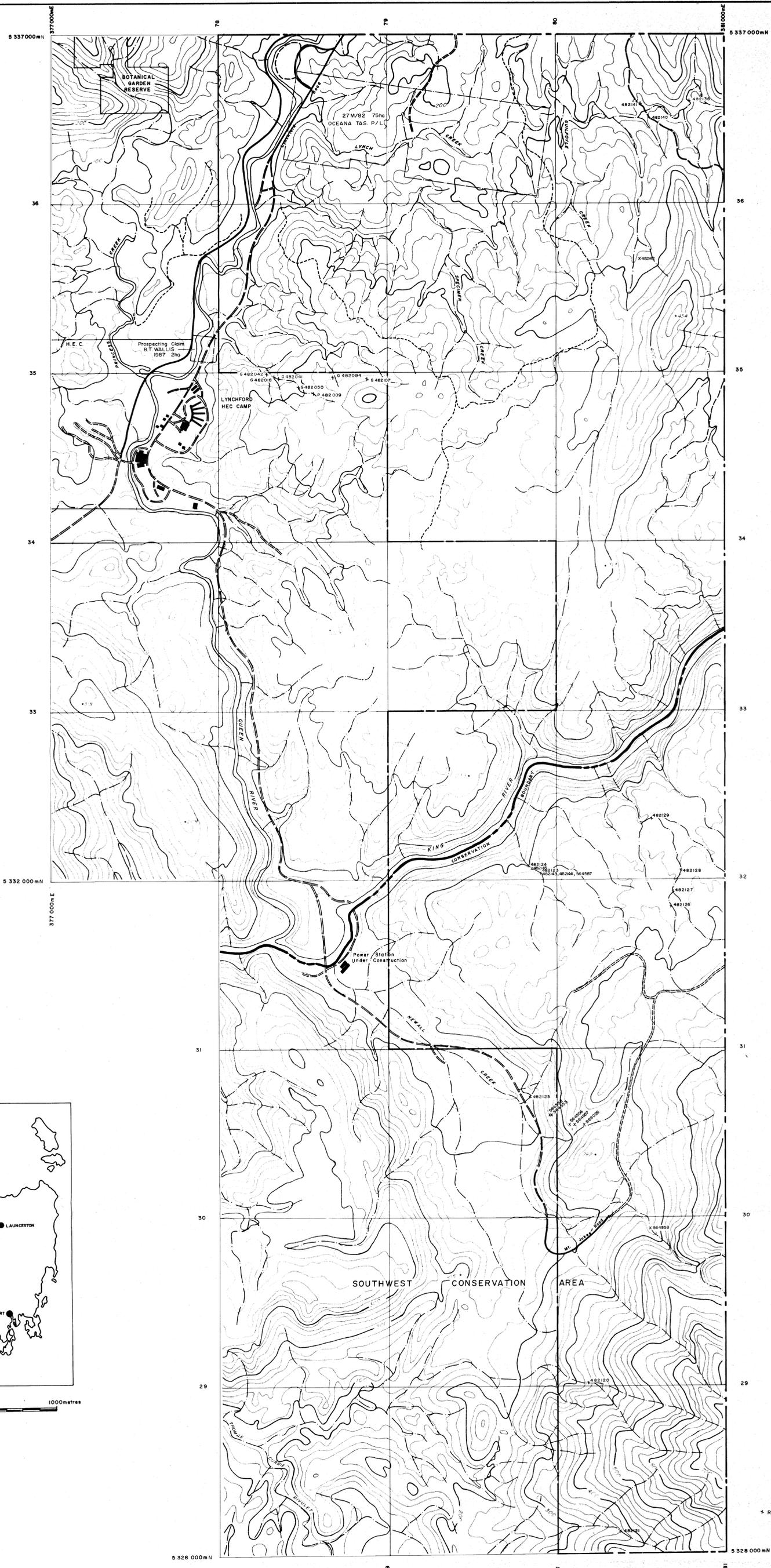


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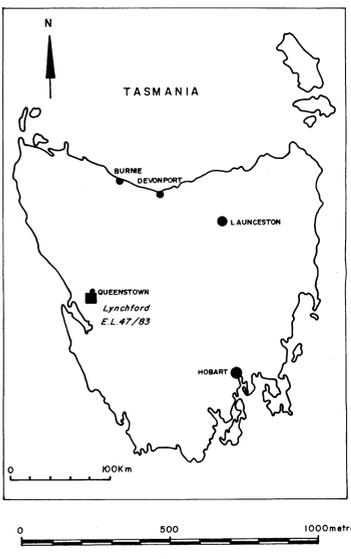
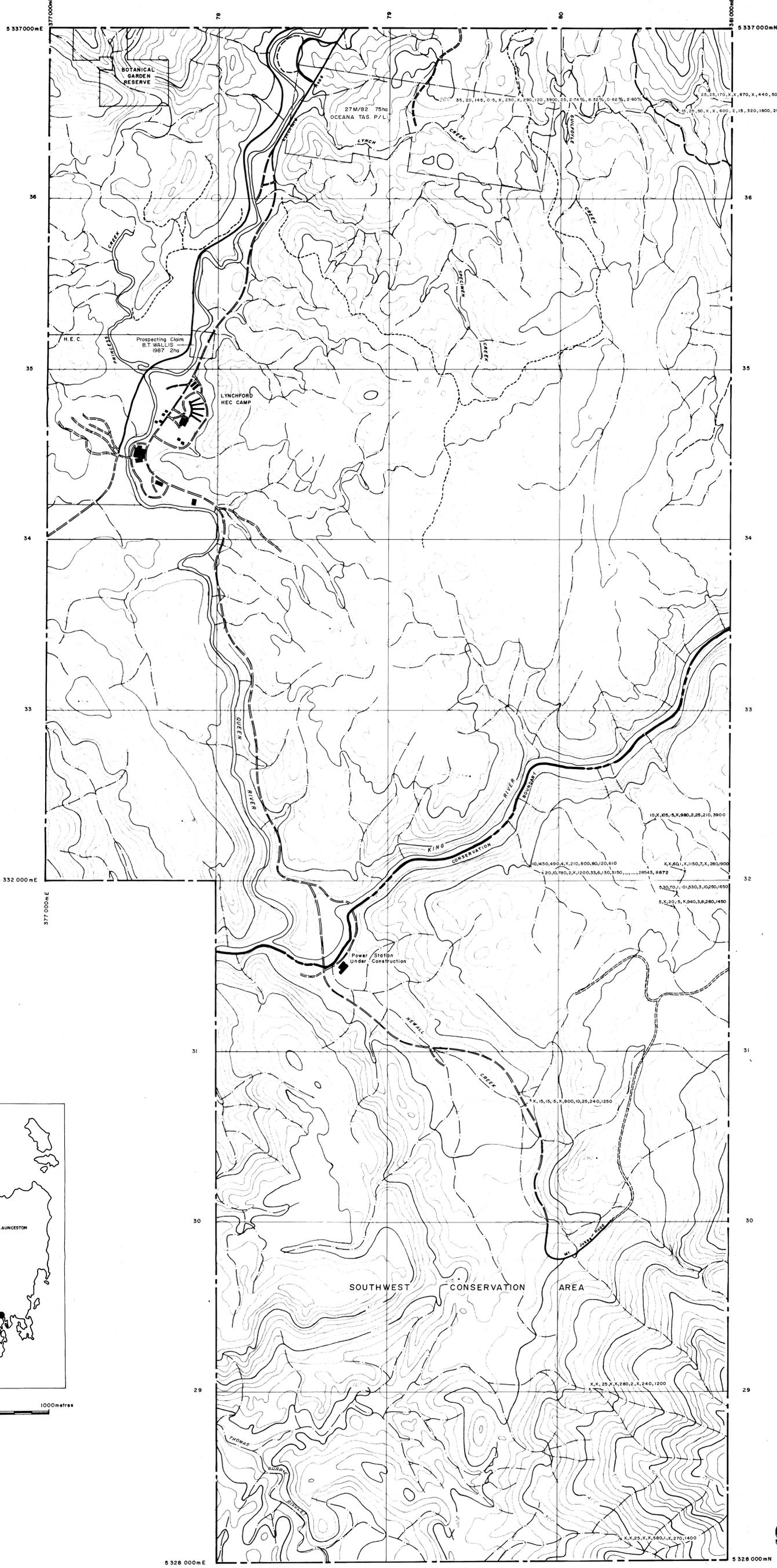
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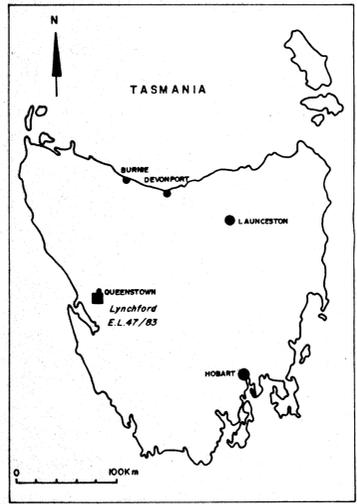
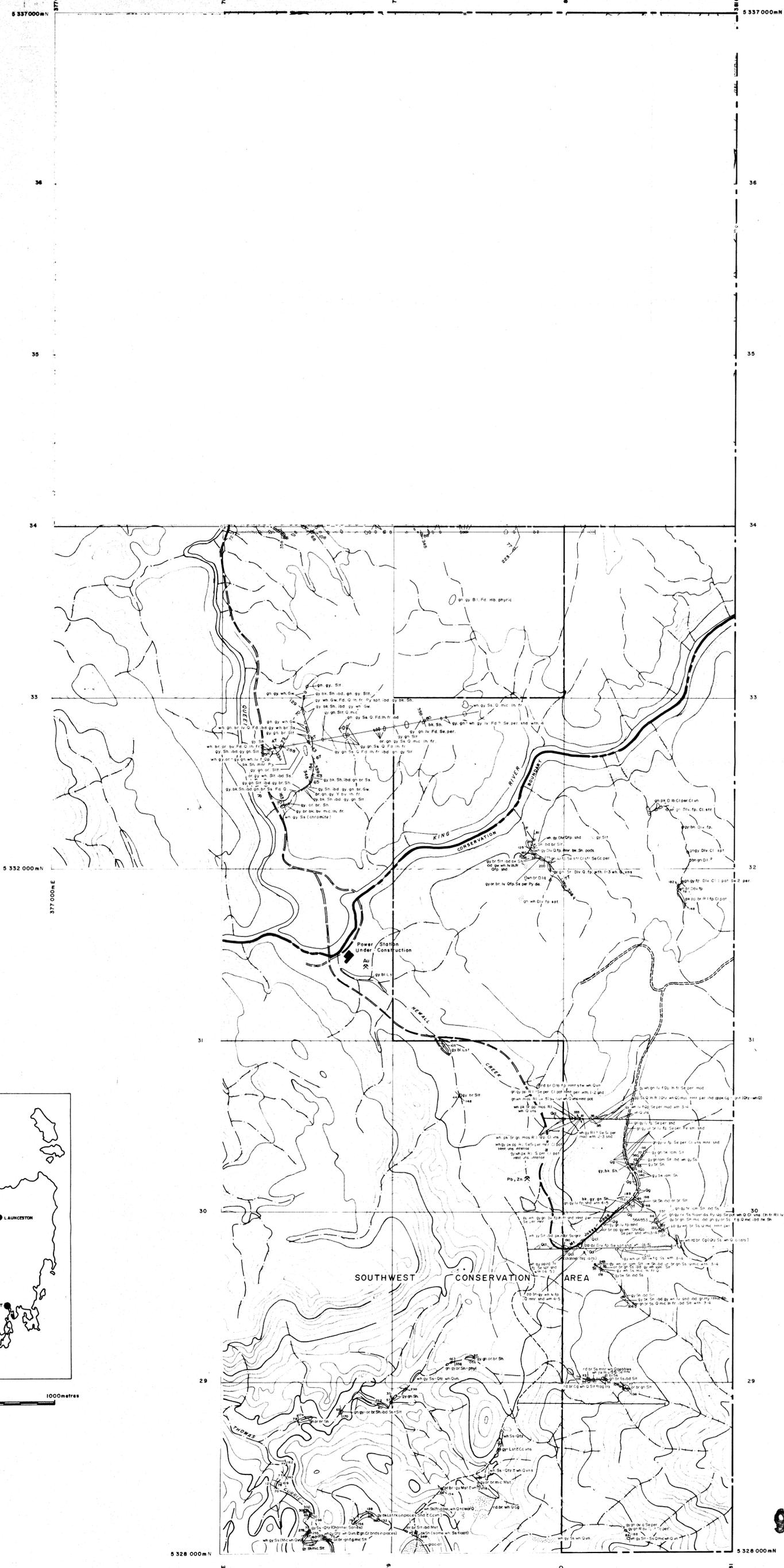
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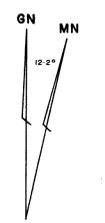
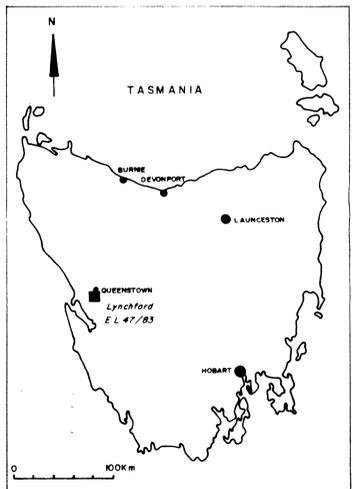
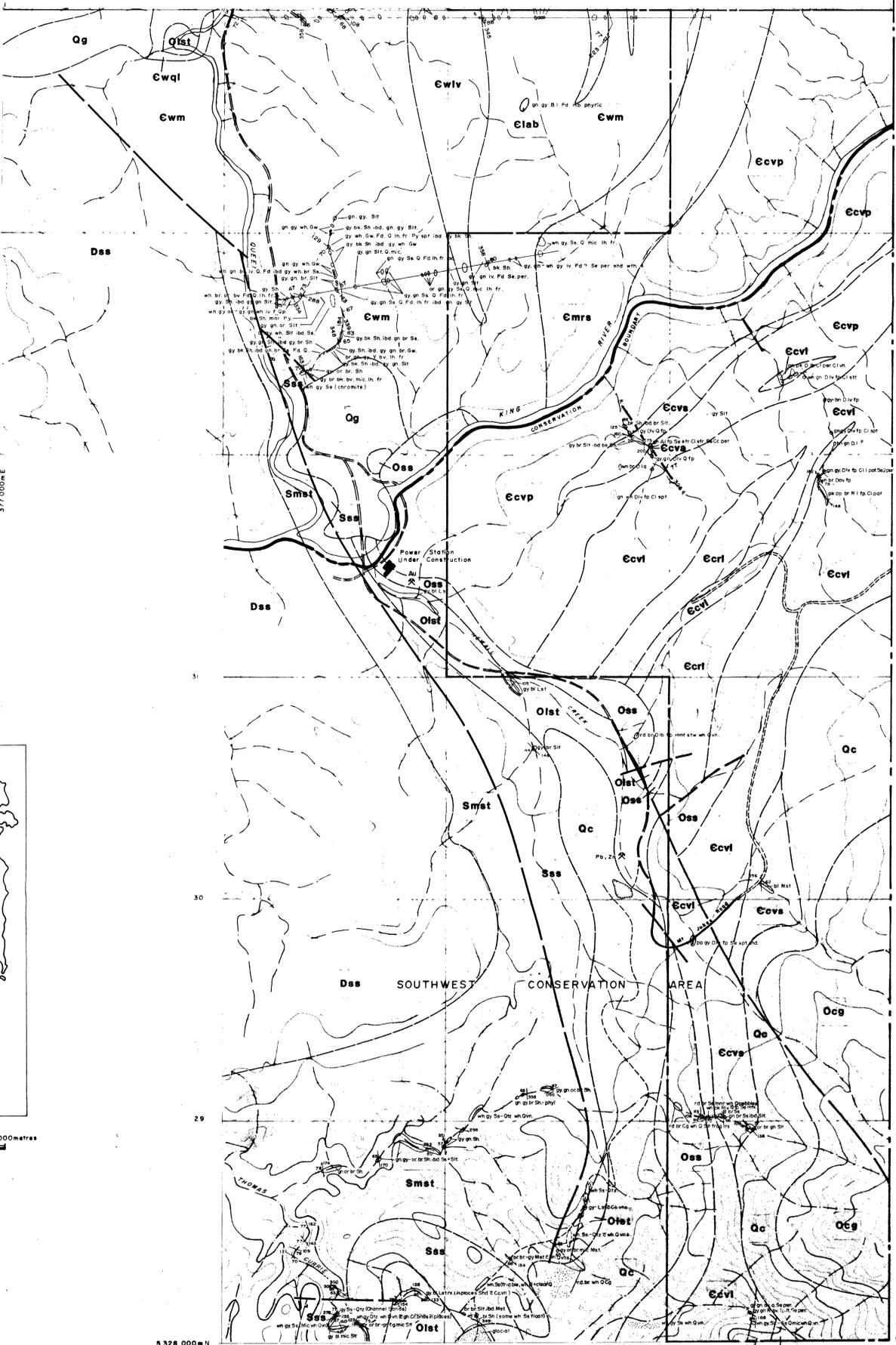


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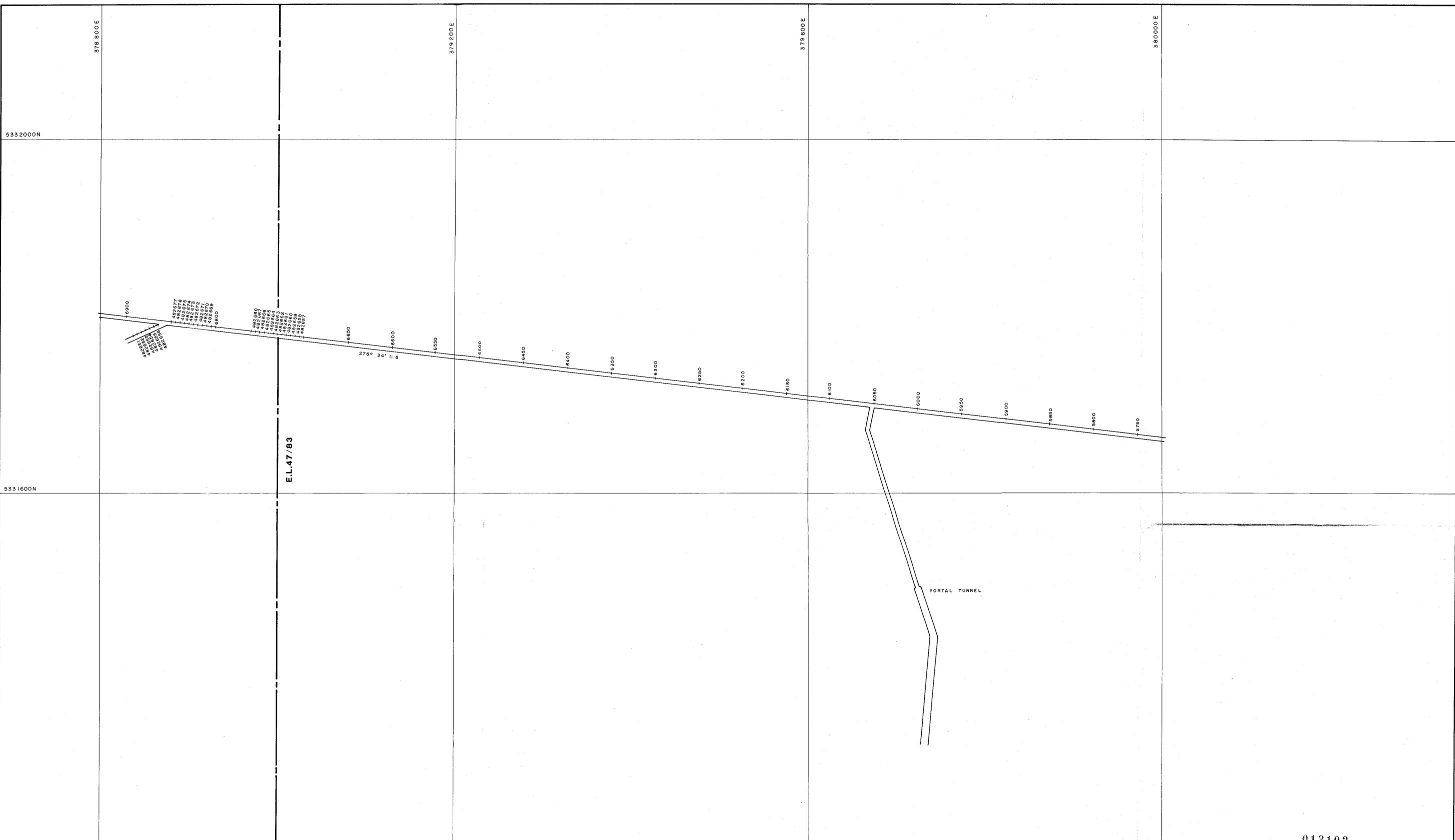
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- Qo Recent alluvial Deposits
 - Qc Colluvial Scree
 - Qg Glacial till and outwash gravels
- DEVONIAN**
- Dss Fine grained quartz rich sandstone and minor interbedded siltstone and mudstone.
- SILURIAN**
- Smsl Mudstone, siltstone and minor sandstone
 - Sss White quartz rich chromite bearing sandstone
- ORDOVICIAN**
- Olst Impure limestone and micritic limestone (Gordon Limestone)
 - Oss Grey quartz sandstone minor conglomerate and chromite layers (Pioneer Beds)
 - Ocg Undifferentiated Conglomerate and sandstones (Owen Conglomerate)
- CAMBRIAN**
- Clfb Breccia volcaniclastic (Quartz, Hematite rich)
 - Clvb Polymict Basaltic lapilli volcaniclastic
 - Clvb Andesitic - Basaltic lavas & lava breccias and minor dacitic lava indicated.
 - Ecvi Dominantly Dacitic lapilli volcaniclastic & Dacitic lavas with minor felsic porphyries and odd Andesitic lava (Ecva) indicated.
 - Ecva Black mudstone, siltstone and micaceous sandstone
 - Ecrl Quartz feldspar phyrlic rhyolitic lava
 - Ecvp Intrusive and extrusive quartz feldspar porphyry.
 - Cwql Quartz rich lapilli volcaniclastic
 - Cwm Dominantly black shale, siltstone, sandstone & lapilli volcaniclastics with some units dominantly lapilli volcaniclastic (Cwlv) indicated.
 - Cmrs Quartz rich sandstone (Miners Ridge Sandstone)
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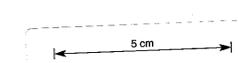


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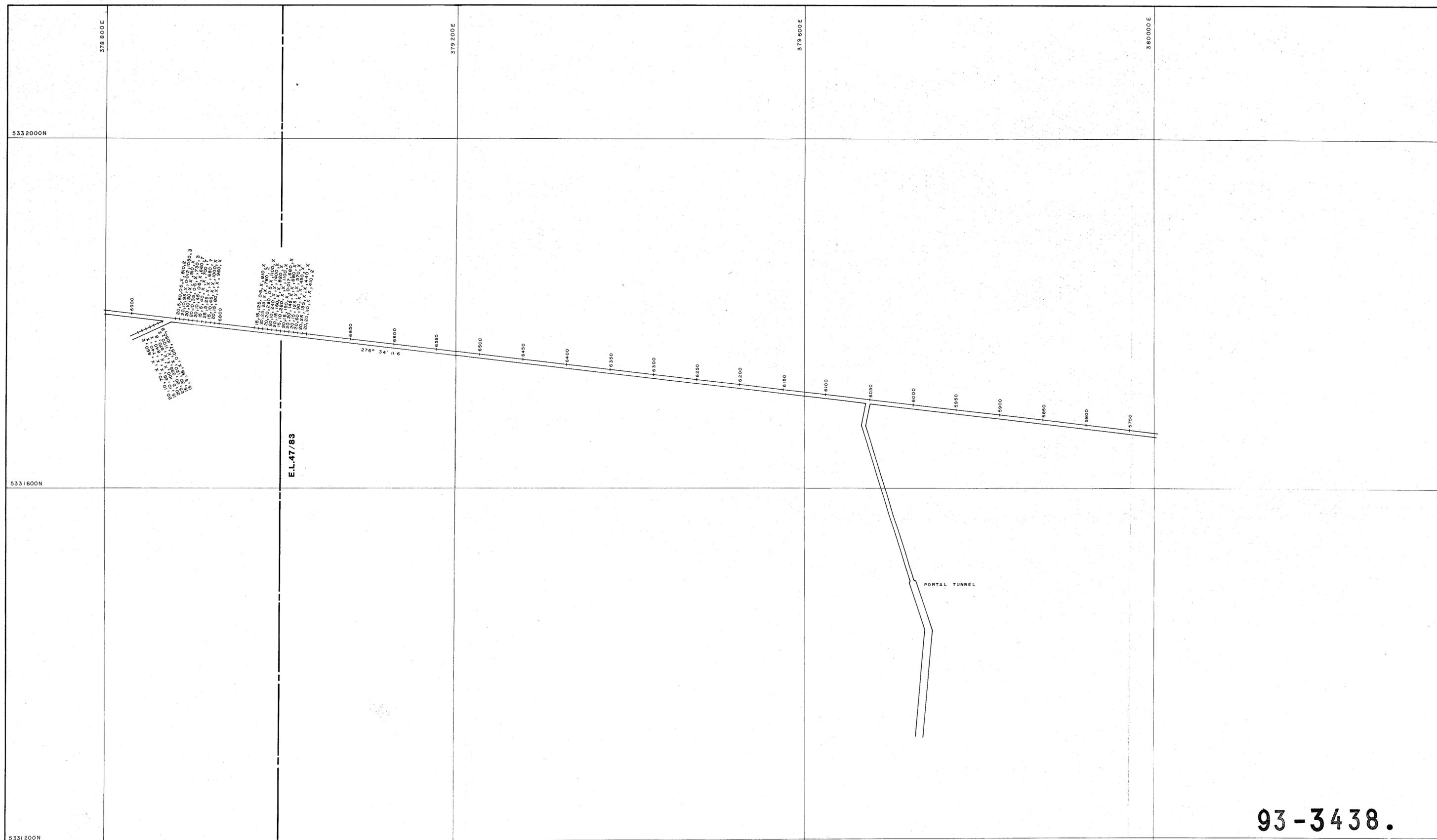


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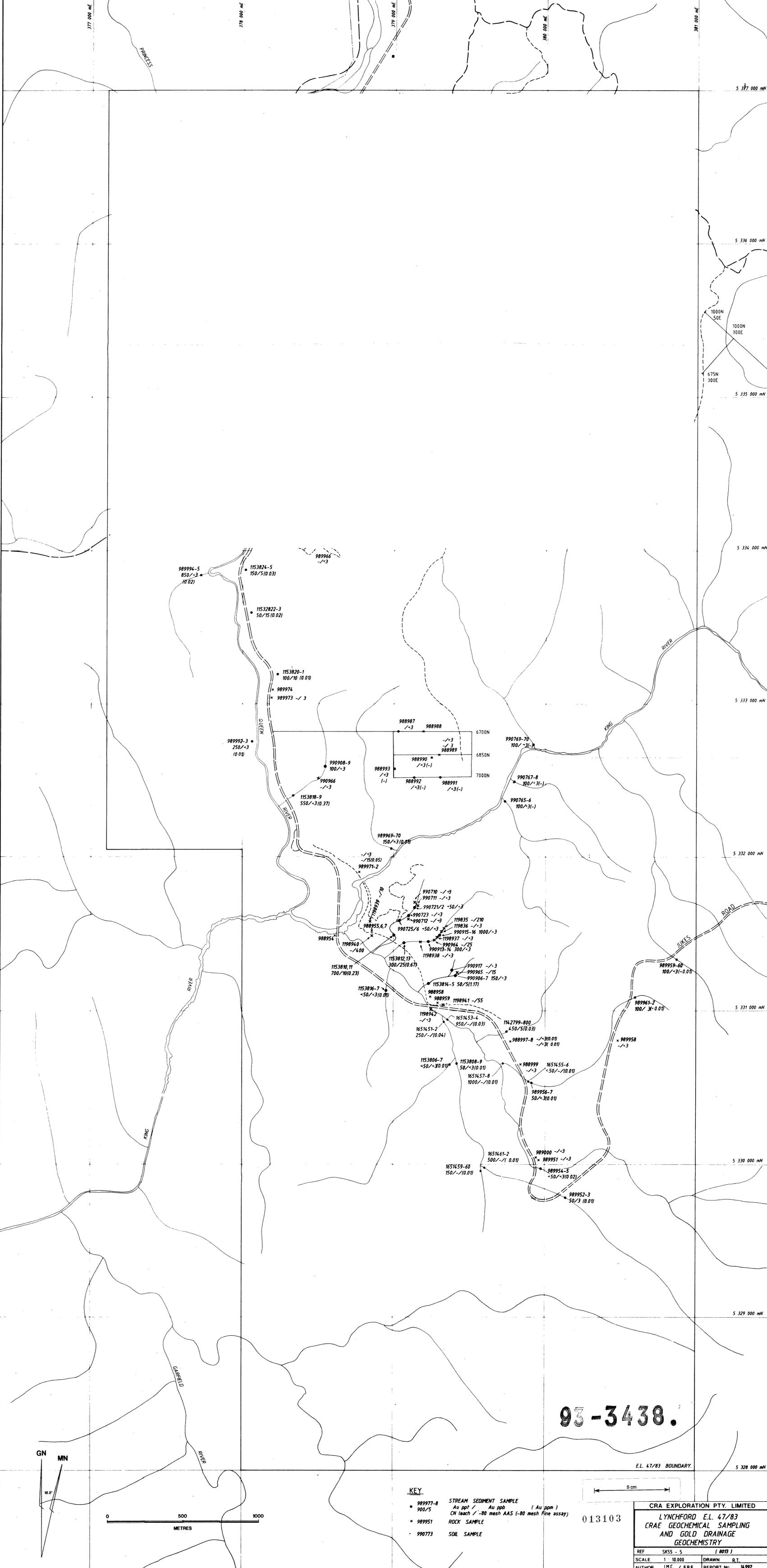


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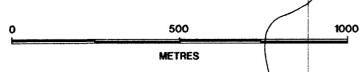
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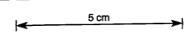
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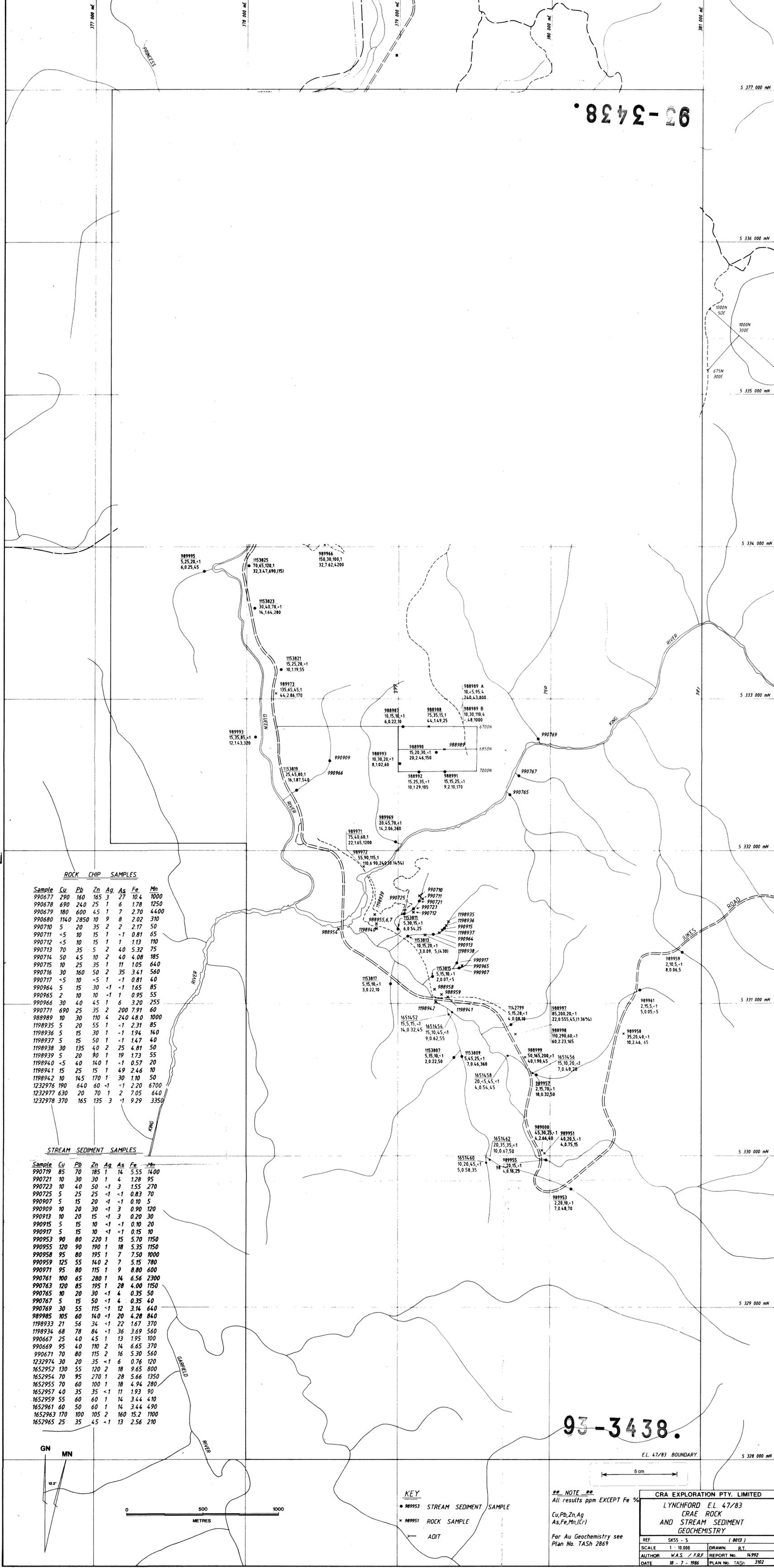
- 98997-8 STREAM SEDIMENT SAMPLE
Au ppt / Au ppb (Au ppm)
CN leach / -80 mesh AAS (-80 mesh fine assay)
- * 98995-1 ROCK SAMPLE
- 99077-3 SOIL SAMPLE



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CRAE GEOCHEMICAL SAMPLING AND GOLD DRAINAGE GEOCHEMISTRY			
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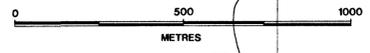
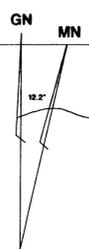
ROCK CHIP SAMPLES

Sample	Cu	Pb	Zn	Ag	As	Fe	Mn
990677	290	160	165	3	27	10.4	1000
990678	690	240	25	1	6	1.78	1250
990679	180	600	45	1	7	2.70	4.40
990680	1140	2850	10	9	8	2.02	310
990710	5	20	35	2	2	2.17	50
990711	-5	10	15	1	-1	0.81	65
990712	-5	10	15	1	1	1.13	110
990713	70	35	5	2	4.0	5.32	75
990714	50	45	10	2	4.0	4.08	185
990715	10	25	35	1	11	1.05	640
990716	30	160	50	2	35	3.41	560
990717	-5	10	-5	1	-1	0.81	40
990964	5	15	30	-1	-1	1.65	85
990965	2	10	10	-1	1	0.95	55
990966	30	40	45	1	6	3.20	255
990771	690	25	35	2	200	7.91	60
988989	10	30	110	4	240	4.80	1000
1198935	5	20	55	1	-1	2.31	85
1198936	5	15	30	1	-1	1.94	140
1198937	5	15	50	1	-1	1.47	40
1198938	30	135	40	2	25	4.81	50
1198939	5	20	90	1	19	1.73	55
1198940	-5	4.0	14.0	1	-1	0.57	20
1198941	15	25	15	1	4.9	2.46	10
1198942	10	14.5	170	1	30	1.10	50
1232974	190	640	60	-1	-1	2.20	6700
1232977	630	20	70	1	2	7.05	640
1232978	370	165	135	3	-1	9.29	3350

STREAM SEDIMENT SAMPLES

Sample	Cu	Pb	Zn	Ag	As	Fe	Mn
990719	85	70	185	1	14	5.55	1400
990721	10	30	30	1	4	1.28	95
990723	10	40	50	-1	3	1.55	270
990725	5	25	25	-1	-1	0.83	70
990907	5	15	20	4	-1	0.10	5
990909	10	20	30	-1	3	0.90	120
990913	10	20	15	-1	3	0.20	30
990915	5	15	10	-1	-1	0.10	20
990917	5	15	10	-1	-1	0.15	10
990953	90	80	220	1	15	5.70	1150
990955	120	90	190	1	18	5.35	1150
990958	95	80	195	1	7	7.50	1000
990959	125	55	140	2	7	5.15	780
990971	95	80	115	1	9	8.80	600
990761	100	65	280	1	14	6.56	2300
990763	120	85	195	1	28	4.00	1150
990765	10	20	30	-1	4	0.35	50
990767	5	15	50	-1	4	0.35	40
990769	30	55	115	-1	12	3.14	640
989985	105	60	140	-1	20	4.28	840
1198933	21	56	34	-1	22	1.67	370
1198934	68	78	84	-1	36	3.69	560
990667	25	40	45	1	13	1.95	100
990669	95	40	110	2	14	6.65	370
990671	70	80	115	2	16	5.30	560
1232974	30	20	35	-1	6	0.76	120
1652952	130	55	120	2	18	9.65	800
1652954	70	95	270	1	28	5.66	1350
1652955	70	60	100	1	18	4.94	280
1652957	40	35	35	-1	11	1.93	90
1652959	55	60	60	1	14	3.44	410
1652961	60	50	60	1	14	3.44	490
1652963	170	100	105	2	160	15.2	1100
1652965	25	35	45	-1	13	2.56	210

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- 989953 STREAM SEDIMENT SAMPLE
- * 989951 ROCK SAMPLE
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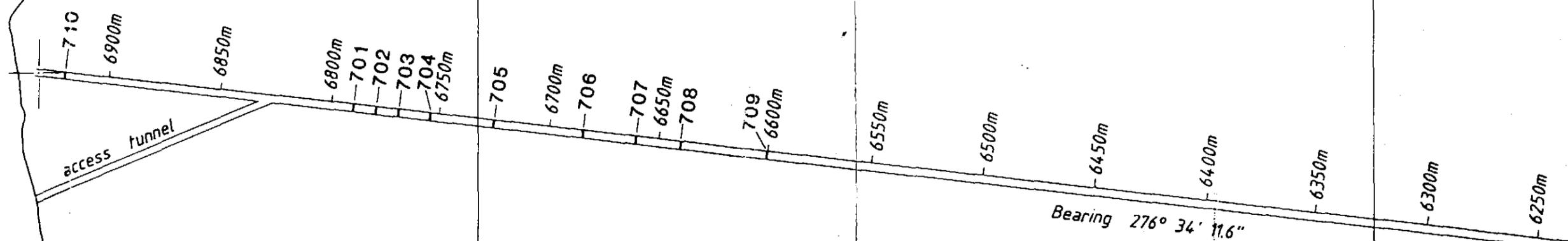
**** NOTE ****
 All results ppm EXCEPT Fe %
 Cu,Pb,Zn,Ag
 As,Fe,Mn,Cr

For Au Geochemistry see
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CRAE ROCK AND STREAM SEDIMENT GEOCHEMISTRY			
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**** NOTE ****
 At the time of sampling the power tunnel had been driven to 6600m.
 All results in ppm except Fe in %.

Sample No.	Cu	Pb	Zn	Ag	As	Fe%	Bi	Mn	Mo	Au
1198701	15	10	150	1	10	4.05	<5	450	<2	0.02
1198702	60	20	240	1	10	7.05	<5	1350	<2	0.01
1198703	35	25	310	2	16	5.27	<5	6000	<2	0.02
1198704	20	15	70	2	9	5.26	<5	1500	<2	0.01
1198705	5	35	65	1	7	1.98	<5	830	<2	0.02
1198706	65	15	55	3	14	4.30	<5	4150	<2	0.01
1198707	30	105	65	2	8	2.16	<5	340	<2	0.02
1198708	15	15	20	2	12	3.02	<5	670	<2	0.01
1198709	10	20	20	1	9	2.76	<5	500	<2	0.01
1198710	10	60	<2	3	16	29.7	<5	320	<2	0.01

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KING RIVER POWER TUNNEL			
OUTCROP SAMPLE LOCATIONS			
AND RESULTS			
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