

BRITISH COLUMBIA SURFICIAL DEPOSITS

PROGLACIAL DEPOSITS

- LACUSTRINE DEPOSITS: Varved silt, clay, and sand, locally drumlinized and fluted through minor ice re-advance, fringed by beach deposits. Deposits up to 120 m thick along Nechako, >200 m thick along Blackwater.
- Meltwater or outwash channel deposits bounded by cutbanks or terraces.
- UNDIVIDED GLACIOLACUSTRINE AND GLACIOLUVIAL DEPOSITS: Sand, silt and clay with local accumulations up to 70 m thick along valley bottoms.

GLACIAL DEPOSITS

- Undivided glacial till and ground moraine. Areas of low relief include abundant drumlins, rock drumlins, fluting, and esker complexes. Bedrock exposures predominate above 1700 m elevation.

Other features:

- Outwash channel cutbank or terrace
- Small meltwater or abandoned stream channel indicating direction of flow
- Fluting or glacial striation
- Drumlin, direction of flow known
- Eskers and esker complexes
- Kettled and pitted terrain

Note: Glacial deposits and features within NTS 93H are unmapped.

Sources of information:

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CENOZOIC

QUATERNARY

PLEISTOCENE AND RECENT

(TILL 40) TILL, GRAVEL, SAND, SILT, ALLUVIUM

TERTIARY

MIOCENE AND PLEISTOCENE

(TUFF 42) OLIVINE BASALT FLOWS, BRECCIA, AND TUFF

(SAND 43) SANDSTONE, SHALE, CONGLOMERATE, DIATOMITE, LIGNITE

OLIGOCENE AND MIOCENE

(SAND 43) ENOAKO GROUP, ANDESITE, BASALT, DACITE

PALEOCENE, EOCENE, OLILOCENE

(SAND 43) CONGLOMERATE, SANDSTONE, SHALE, TUFF, BRECCIA

MESOZOIC - CENOZOIC

UPPER CRETACEOUS AND LOWER TERTIARY

(SILT 41) OOSEA LAKE GROUP, RHODOLITE, DACITE, TRACHYTE, SANDSTONE, SHALE, CONGLOMERATE

CRETACEOUS

(SAND 36) ANDESITE, TUFF, BRECCIA, ARGILLITE, ARKOSE, CONGLOMERATE

LOWER CRETACEOUS

(SAND 36) SEVENA GROUP, CONGLOMERATE, GREYWACKE, SHALE, COAL, VOLCANIC BRECCIA

JURASSIC

MIDDLE JURASSIC

(SAND 36) HAZELTON GROUP (PART) UNDIVIDED: BASALT, ANDESITE, TUFF, BRECCIA, GREYWACKE, SANDSTONE, CONGLOMERATE

LOWER AND MIDDLE JURASSIC

(SILT 34) SHALE, GREYWACKE, CONGLOMERATE

UPPER TRIASSIC AND LOWER JURASSIC

(SAND 32) TACLA GROUP, ANDESITE, BASALT, TUFF, BRECCIA, CONGLOMERATE, GREYWACKE, SHALE, LIMESTONE

TRIASSIC

UPPER TRIASSIC

(SILT 32) BLACK PHYLLITE, SILTSTONE, LIMESTONE, QUARTZITE

PALEOZOIC

PERMIAN AND PERMIAN

(SILT 20) CACHO CREEK GROUP, RIBBON CHERT, BLACK ARGILLITE, LIMESTONE, GREENSTONE

MISSISSIPPIAN AND/OR YOUNGER

(SILT 17) SLOPE MOUNTAIN GROUP, BASALT, BRECCIA, TUFF, CHERT, ARGILLITE, SANDSTONE, LIMESTONE, CONGLOMERATE

CAMBRIAN

LOWER CAMBRIAN

(SILT 12) MURAL FORMATION, LIMESTONE INCLUDES MAHO FORMATION SILTSTONE, SANDSTONE

PROTEROZOIC

HADRYNIAN

(SAND 04) KAZA GROUP, SANDSTONE, CONGLOMERATE, GYTT, PHYLLITE, SCHIST, AMPHIBOLITE, MARBLE, GNEISS

PLUTONIC ROCKS

TERTIARY

(GDIR 42) GRANODIORITE, QUARTZ DIORITE, QUARTZ MONZONITE

LOWER CRETACEOUS

(GDIR 36) MAFIC INTRUSIONS: QUARTZ MONZONITE, SYENITE, MONZONITE, GRANODIORITE, DIORITE

UPPER TRIASSIC

(GDIR 31) TRACHYTE INTRUSIONS AND SIMILAR BODIES: PERIDOTITE, DUNITE, PHELYXENITE, SERPENTINITE

PERMIAN AND/OR TRIASSIC

(GDIR 21) TRACHYTE INTRUSIONS AND SIMILAR BODIES: PERIDOTITE, DUNITE, PHELYXENITE, SERPENTINITE

SYMBOLS

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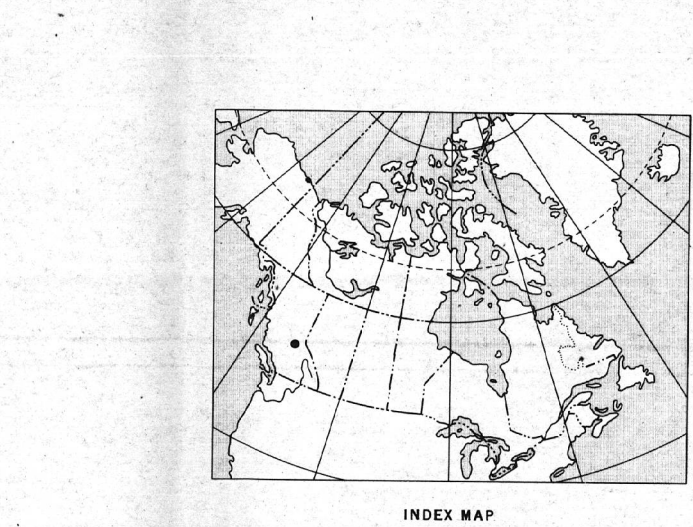
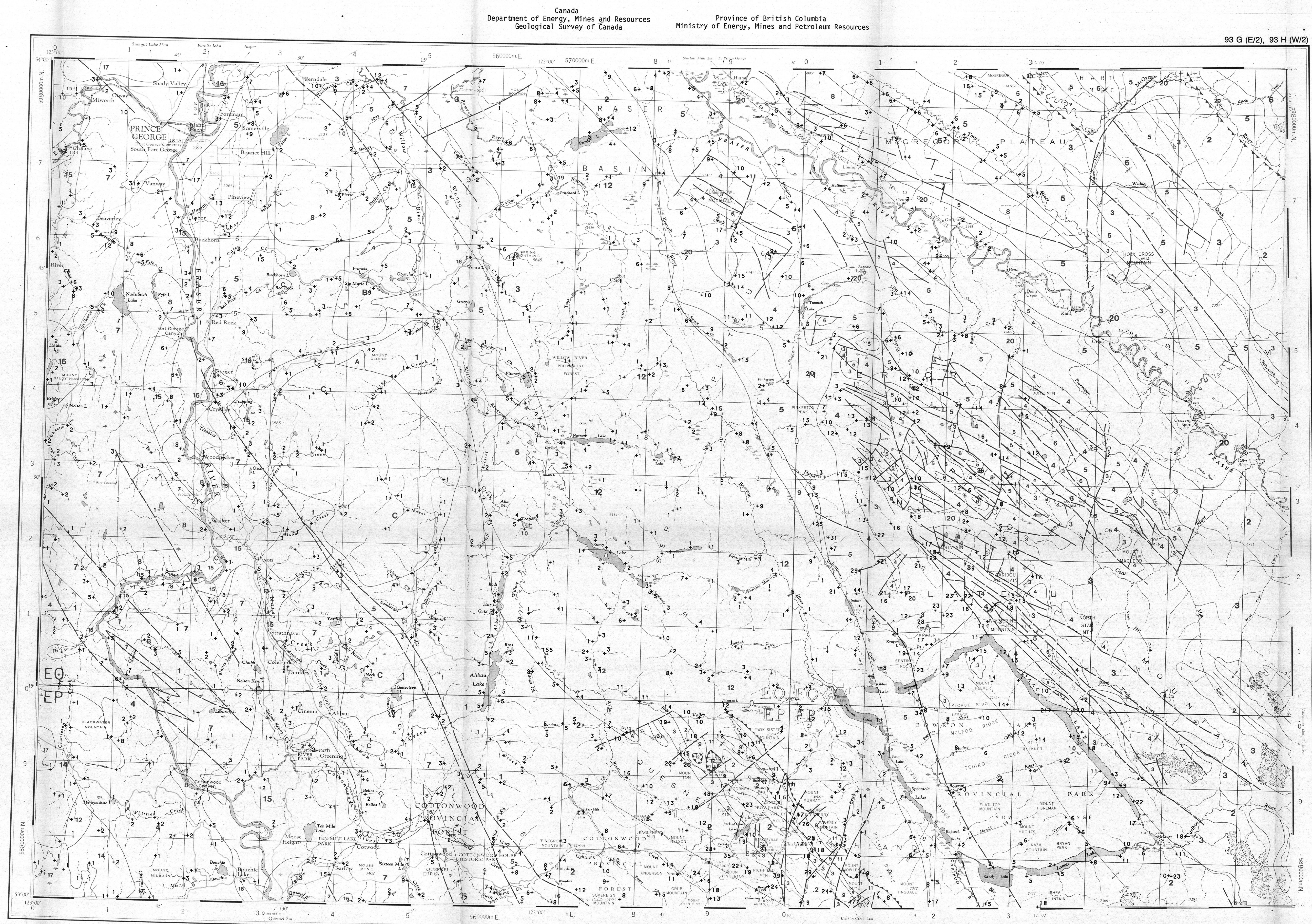
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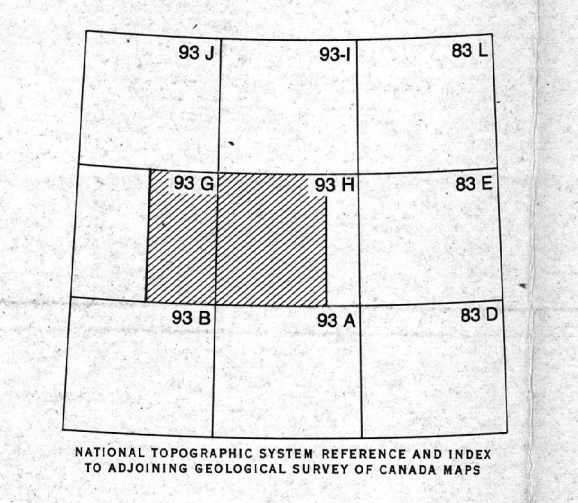
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UPPER JURASSIC AND LOWER CRETACEOUS

(SAND 36) MCKENZIE FORMATION, SANDSTONE, SILTY SHALE, SILTSTONE

JURASSIC

LOWER TO UPPER JURASSIC

(SILT 34) FERRIS GROUP, SHALE, SILTY SHALE, SILTSTONE

TRIASSIC

UPPER TRIASSIC

(SILT 32) PHYLLITE, ARGILLITE, MINOR LIMESTONE, QUARTZITE

MIDDLE AND UPPER TRIASSIC

(SAND 32) GRAY RIVER GROUP, WHITEHORSE FORMATION, LIMESTONE AND DOLOMITE

LOWER AND MIDDLE TRIASSIC

(SILT 32) SLOPE MOUNTAIN FORMATION, SILTSTONE AND SILTY LIMESTONE

MISSISSIPPIAN AND PERMIAN

(SILT 20) HUNDOLE GROUP, ISABEL GROUP, BANFF FORMATION, LIMESTONE, SANDSTONE, LIMY SHALE, DOLOMITE, CHERT

MISSISSIPPIAN

LOWER MISSISSIPPIAN AND/OR YOUNGER

(SILT 17) SLOPE MOUNTAIN GROUP, ANTELOPE FORMATION, FLOW BASALT, BRECCIA, TUFF, MINOR DIORITE AND GABBRO, CHERT, ARGILLITE, LITHIC SANDSTONE

LOWER MISSISSIPPIAN AND/OR OLDER

(SILT 17) SLOPE MOUNTAIN GROUP, GREENBERRY FORMATION, CONGLOMERATE, ARGILLITE, LITHIC SANDSTONE, CRINOIDAL LIMESTONE

DEVONIAN

UPPER AND MIDDLE DEVONIAN

(SILT 18) PALLISER, SOUTHREEK, ALEXO, PERDRIX, MOUNT HARK, FLUME FORMATIONS, LIMESTONE, SHALE, SANDSTONE, SILTSTONE

LOWER DEVONIAN AND YOUNGER

(SILT 18) BLACK START FORMATION, BASALT, CHERT, CHERT BRECCIA, DOLOMITE, BRECCIA, UPPER UNIT CHERT, ARGILLITE, PHYLLITE, SANDY LIMESTONE

SILURIAN

LOWER SILURIAN

(SILT 16) MONA FORMATION, ALL OR IMPACT DOLOMITE, LIMESTONE, QUARTZITE, SHALE, GREENSTONE FLOWS AND SILLS

OROVINCAN

LOWER AND MIDDLE OROVINCAN

(SILT 14) SLOPE MOUNTAIN, CHISHINA FORMATIONS, DOLOMITE, LIMESTONE, SANDSTONE, SILTSTONE, ARGILLITE, PHYLLITE

CAMBRIAN

(SILT 12) LYAK, DOME CREEK, ANTONY'S WATERFALL, HOA-ADOLPHUS, TATE-CHESTER, TITIKAMA FORMATIONS, SHALE, SILTY LIMESTONE, DOLOMITE, SANDSTONE, SILTSTONE, ARGILLITE, PHYLLITE

LOWER CAMBRIAN AND HADRYNIAN

(SILT 12) MURAL, MOOSE, MANALOUZON, YAKS PEAK FORMATIONS, QUARTZITE, LIMESTONE, SHALE, SILTSTONE, PHYLLITE, DOLOMITE, CONGLOMERATE

HADRYNIAN

(SILT 04) PARKIE BELLE, CUNNINGHAM FORMATIONS, SHALE, LIMESTONE, SILTSTONE, DOLOMITE, PHYLLITE

(SILT 04) METTE GROUP, ISAAC FORMATION, PHYLLITE, ARGILLITE, SCHIST, SANDSTONE, LIMESTONE, CONGLOMERATE

(SILT 04) KAZA GROUP, SWORWIDE FORMATION, MIDDLE METTE GROUP, PHELYXENITE, SANDSTONE, GRANULITE, CONGLOMERATE, SILTSTONE, ARGILLITE, PHYLLITE, SCHIST, LIMESTONE, MARBLE

(SILT 04) LOWER METTE GROUP, ARGILLITE, PHYLLITE, SANDSTONE, LIMESTONE

INTRUSIVE ROCKS

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