

Complexes: where two or more classes of terrain are interspersed in a mosaic or repeating pattern the proportion of each component in the combination is given in a three-position designation set off by slashes denoting arbitrary percentage limits. For example, "Mv/0/0" means that at least 80% of the area is underlain by thin till (M), with up to 40% boggy areas, and less than 15% scattered rock outcrops. "Mv/R" indicates more than 80% bedrock concealed by veneer and less than 15% outcrop. "Mv/R" indicates at least 80% morainal veneer and up to 40% bedrock exposures.

GLACIAL FEATURE SYMBOLS

Boundary of overburden unit

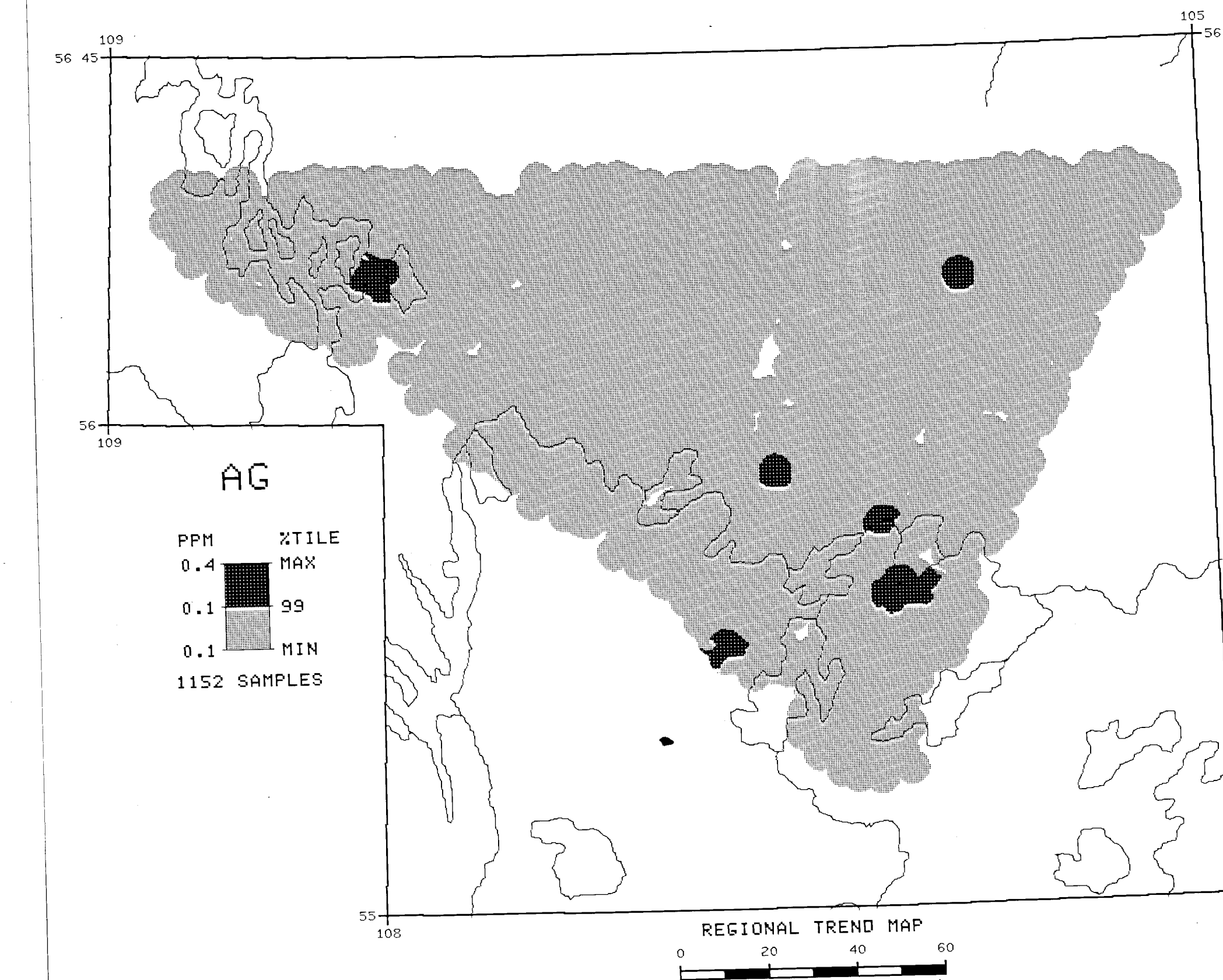
Drumlin, drumlinoid ridge, fluting

Striation, groove (ice direction inferred)

End moraine

Esker, crevasse filling

Surficial geology modified from:
 Schreier, S. L. (1964) Quaternary Geology of the Precambrian Shield, Map 221A (1:1,000,000 scale), to accompany Report 221, Saskatchewan Energy and Mines.



The regional geochemical trend map displayed above utilized a moving weighted average using an inverse distance function (1/d²) to filter out minor irregularities and emphasize broad-scale regional features. Single point anomalies may be suppressed or eliminated, however, geological units which are chemically enriched, or large metallic deposits undergoing weathering would be expected to produce identifiable anomalies.

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LEGEND

- CENOZOIC**
- QUATERNARY**
- 21 (RMR 44*) Recessional moraine: unconsolidated sand and gravel of the Ore Lake moraine.
- MESOZOIC**
- LOWER CRETACEOUS**
- 20 (SNS 36) MANNVILLE GROUP: Sandstone, variably argillaceous and carbonaceous quartzose sands, local mudstone and lignitic interbeds.
- PALEOZOIC**
- MIDDLE DEVONIAN**
- 19 (DLMT 18) WINNIPEGOSIS FORMATION: Dolomite, dolomitized limestone, calcareous shale.
- 18 (LMSN 18) MEADOW LAKE FORMATION (Upper member): Limestone, dolomite, mudstone, argillaceous dolomite, dolomitic limestone and dolomitic argillite.
- 17 (AGCO 18) MEADOW LAKE FORMATION (Lower member): Argillaceous dolomite with local interbeds of mudstone, sandstone and limestone, minor gypsum bands.
- CAMBRIAN**
- 15 (SNS 12) BEANWOOD FORMATION: Quartz sandstone, unstratified polytuffaceous conglomerate near base, minor sandy dolomite. Overlies severely weathered, saprolitic Precambrian basement.
- PRECAMBRIAN**
- MAINLY APHEBIAN (Hudsonian)**
- 13 (UMFC 04) Ultramafic and mafic rocks, includes gabbro, clinopyroxene, quartz diorite and basalt, locally serpentinitized.
- 14 (IRFN 04) Banded iron formation, alternating bands of meta-quartzite and magnetite.
- 13 (CLOC 04) Calc-silicates and marble, local interbedded meta-arkose and dolomitic marble.
- 12 (PPSG 04) Psammite gneiss and meta-arkose gneiss, with interbedded calc-silicate rock and pelitic gneiss.
- 11 (PSCG 04) Pelitic to psammolitic gneiss and schist, generally contain more than 10 percent mafic minerals, biotite ± garnet ± cordierite ± sillimanite ± graphite ± tourmaline.
- 10 (MQU 04) Metaquartzite and minor orthoquartzite with a persistent basal polytuffaceous conglomerate.
- 9 (BGN 04) Biotite gneiss of possible volcano-sedimentary origin, conformable granitoid sheets may comprise up to 50 percent of unit.
- 8 (MHR 04) Mixed metasedimentary and metavolcanic rocks, probably derived from mudstone, sandstone, arkose-conglomerate, acid to basic volcanic and volcanic-clastic rocks.
- 7 (BGR 04) WATHAMAN BATHOLITH: Biotite-hornblende granodiorite.
- 6 (BMT 04) WATHAMAN BATHOLITH: Biotite monzogranite-granodiorite.
- 5 (SGMT 04) Syenogranite and monzogranite, generally leucocratic.
- 4 (MGM 04) Migmatite and gneiss zones; complexes of mixed metasediments and granitic rocks, and strongly flattened or augenated Wathaman Batholith rocks.
- MAINLY ARCHEAN, DEFORMED WITH APHEBIAN ROCKS DURING HUDSONIAN OROGENY**
- 3 (APBG 03) Amphibolite and hornblende bearing gneisses, meta-gabbro and metadiorite.
- 2 (GRNG 03) Granitoid gneiss, syenogranitic in composition, may include alkali and amphibolite inclusions.
- 1 (DORT 03) Diorite

*A mnemonic code assigned to rock types and recorded as part of field observations.

Geological boundary; approximate, assumed

Fault

No analytical result

Geological base and legend are derived from: Thomas, M.W. and Simmon, W.L. (1985): Compilation Bedrock Geology, 1:250,000 scale map with marginal notes. MTS Area 730 Saskatchewan Energy and Mines, Report 248 (1:250,000 scale map with marginal notes).

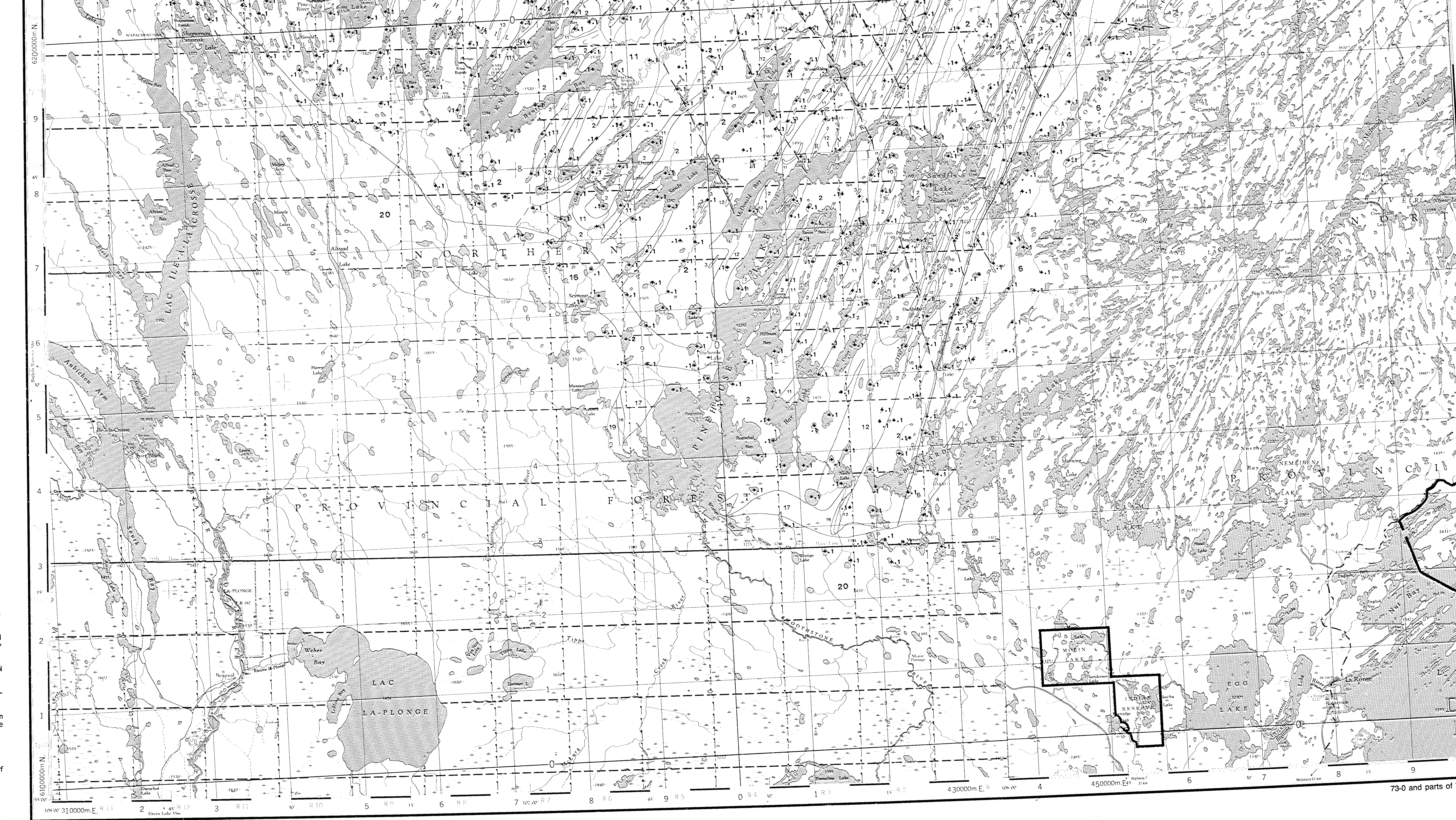
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Elevation in feet above mean sea level

Mean magnetic declination 1985, 17°29' East.
 Decreasing 20.4" annually. Readings vary from 15°20' East in the SE corner to 20°02' East in the NW corner of the map area.

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