

Note: This legend is common for National Geochemical Reconnaissance Map 37-1978, Open File 557; Map 38-1978, Open File 558; Map 39-1978, Open File 559; Map 40-1978, Open File 560.

SEDIMENTARY, VOLCANIC AND METAMORPHIC ROCKS

- TRIASSIC
- 26 (VCRK) Andesitic volcanics and shallow intrusives of the Mistastin Formation
- HADRYDIAN AND/OR NEOHELIXIAN
- 25 (ARKS) Red conglomerate, arkose and siltstone
- GRENVILLE PROVINCE
- APHEBIAN AND EARLIER (?)
- 24 (GRNG) Metasedimentary granitoid gneisses, minor amphibolite, silliminitic gneiss, metaquartzite, marble
- SUPERIOR PROVINCE
- ARCHEAN
- 23 (PXL) Pyroxene granulite, unsparsated acidic intrusives
- CHURCHILL PROVINCE
- HELIXIAN
- NEOHELIXIAN
- 22 (SMRK) Quartzite, conglomerate, arkose, shale-Shipiskan Formation
- PALEOHELIXIAN
- 21 (QRTZ) Quartzite, grit and conglomerate of Sims Formation
- APHEBIAN
- 20 (BSLT) Basaltic flows and pyroclastics, quartzite, greywacke, slate, argillites, conglomerate, minor iron formation
 - 19 (SMRK) Grit, arkose, conglomerate, quartzite, greywacke, slate, acidic to basic volcanics, dolomite, limestone, chert breccia
 - 18 (SLTE) Ferruginous slate and iron formation
- APHEBIAN AND EARLIER (?)
- 17 (GRNL) Granulite, pyroxene gneiss, charnockite, minor granitic gneiss, mylonitic gneiss, amphibolite, ultrabasic intrusions
 - 16 (GRGS) Garnet-quartz-feldspar gneiss, chiefly mylonitized, locally graphitic
 - 15 (GRNG) Granitic gneiss, granodioritic gneiss, migmatite, agnate, amphibolite
 - 14 (PRGS) Paragneiss; includes biotite-quartz-feldspar gneiss, garnet-biotite-quartz-feldspar gneiss, hornblende-gneiss, augen and graphitic gneiss
 - 13 (AMPB) Amphibolite, pyroxene amphibolite, chlorite schist, garnet- and biotite-rich gneisses
 - 12 (MSDM) Metasedimentary rocks, mainly quartzite and marble

- NAIN PROVINCE
- APHEBIAN
- 11 (SLTE) Slate, argillite, siltstone, quartzite, greywacke, dolomite and basalt of LOWER CROTEAU GROUP
- ARCHEAN
- 10 (SCST) Mafic schistose rocks, greenstone, metasedimentary rocks, amphibolite, minor ultrabasic intrusions
 - 9 (GRDG) Granitic and granodiorite gneiss, migmatite, granulite and amphibolite
- INTRUSIVE ROCKS
- HELIXIAN
- PALEOHELIXIAN
- 8 (GRNT) Granite, quartz monzonite, granodiorite, quartz diorite, syenite
 - 7 (QZMZ) Adamellite suite: adamellite, monzonite, syenite, granodiorite, granite and their hypocrystalline-bearing equivalents forssundite, mangerite, opdalite and charnockite
 - 6 (ANRS) Anorthosite suite: anorthosite, anorthositic gabbro, leucotroctolite
 - 5 (UMFC) Gabbro, norite, anorthositic gabbro, troctolite, diorite, derived basic gneiss and amphibolite
- PALEOHELIXIAN AND EARLIER (?)
- 4 (GRDR) Granitic to granodiorite, massive to poorly foliated, with inclusions of granitic gneiss
 - 3 (GRNT) Granite, quartz monzonite, granodiorite, quartz diorite
 - 2 (GBBR) Gabbro, metagabbro, glomerophyritic gabbro and diorite
- ARCHEAN
- 1 (PXGD) Massive to poorly foliated pyroxene-bearing granodiorite and syenodiorite.

*A four letter mnemonic name recorded as rock type as part of field observations.

Geological boundary.....

Fault.....

Mainly acidic volcanic rocks.....

Mainly basic volcanic rocks.....

No analytical result.....

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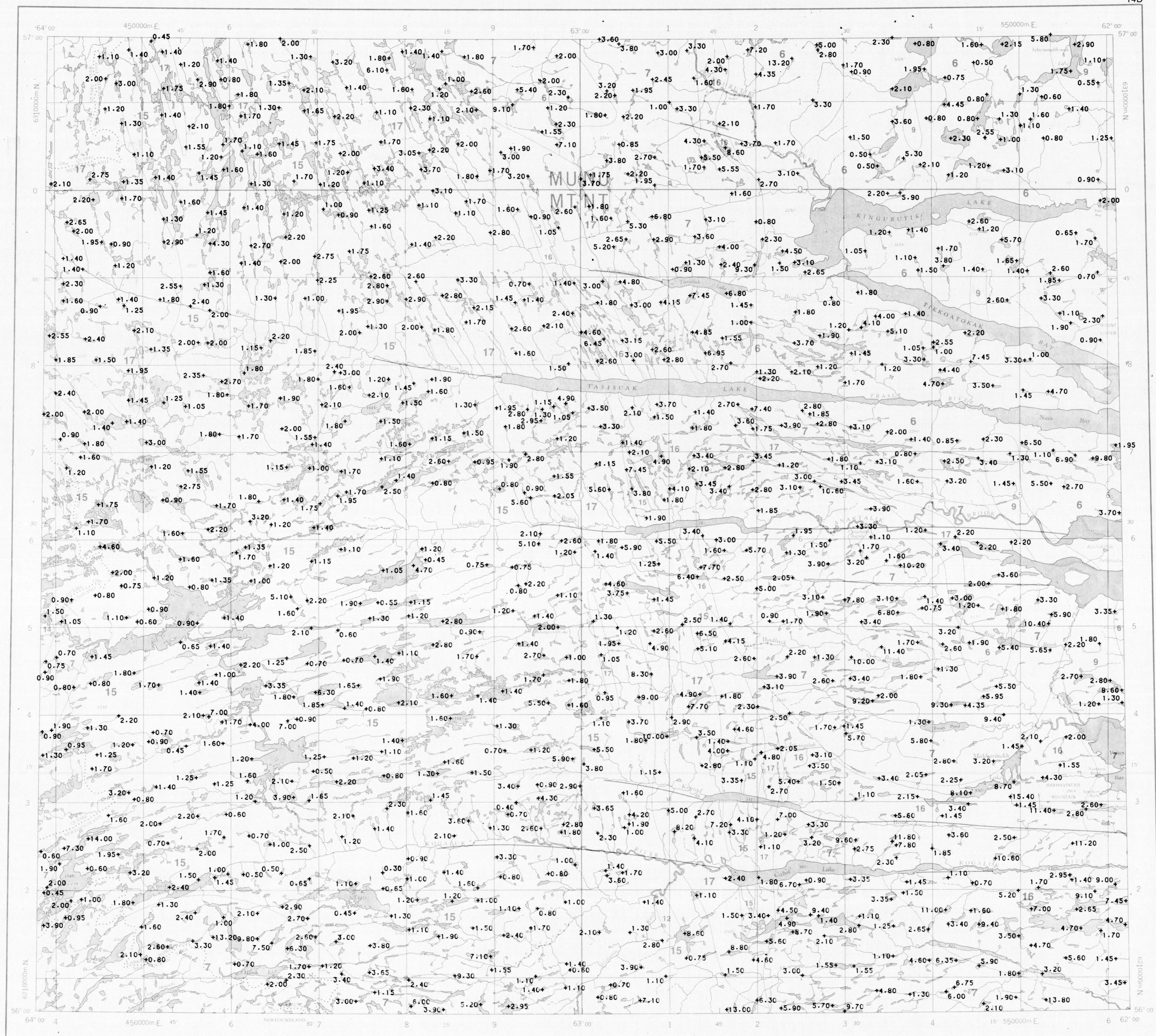
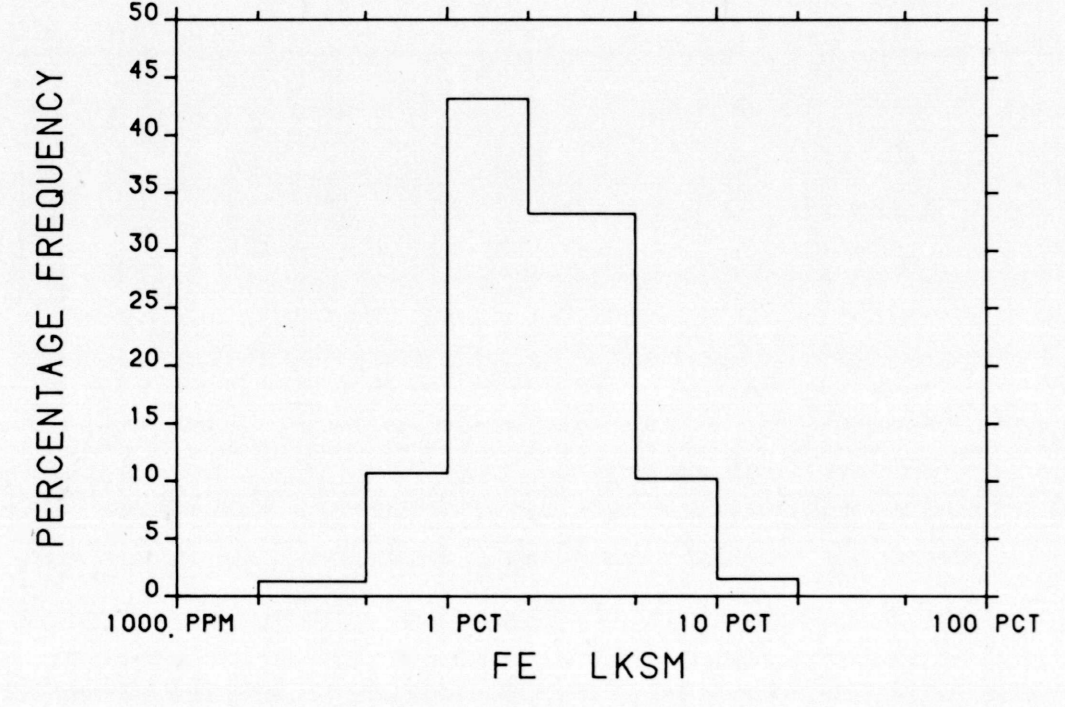
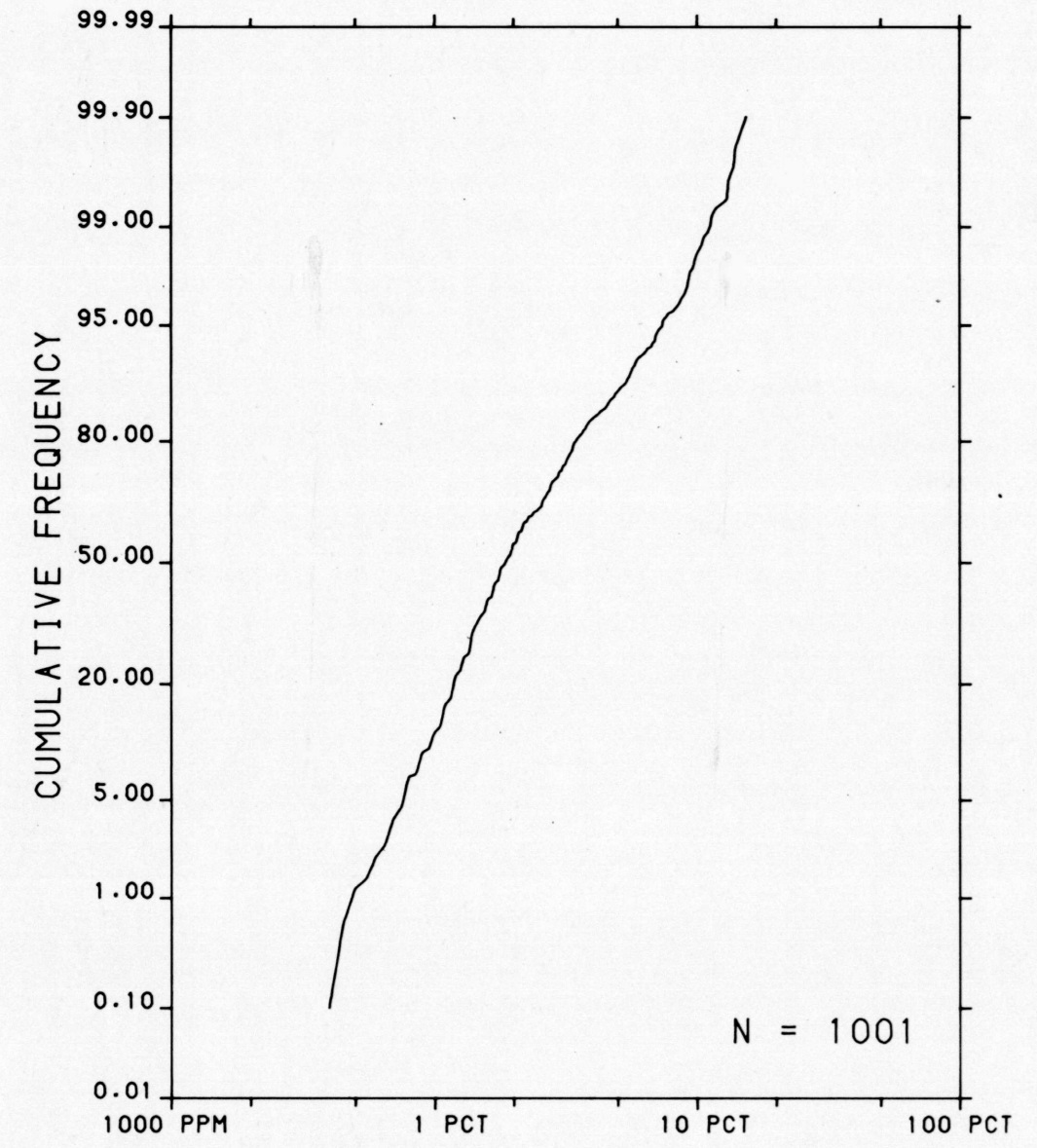
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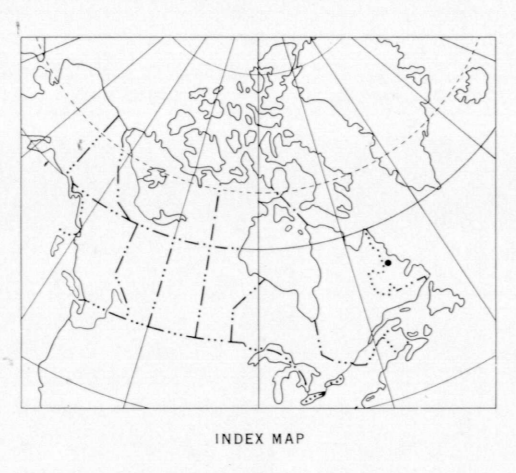


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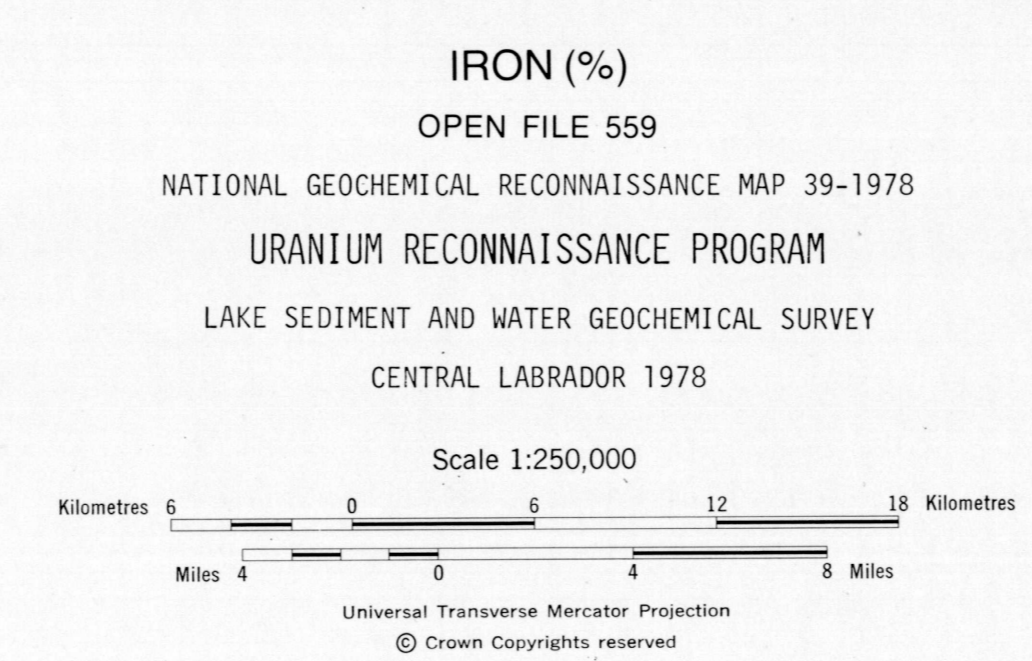
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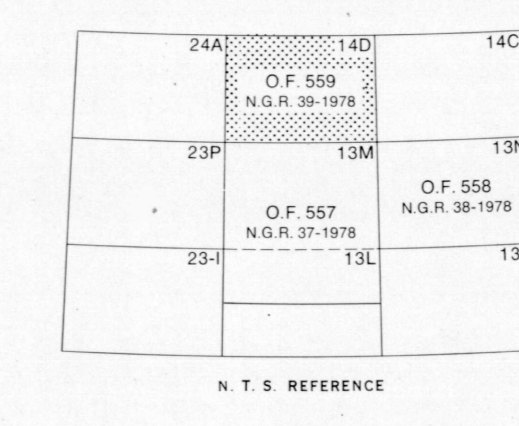
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Elevation in feet above mean sea level

Mean magnetic declination 1978, 32°53.7' West, decreasing 10.2' annually. Readings vary from 32°28.8' in the SE corner to 33°21.6' in the NW corner of the map



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