

LEGEND

CARBONIFEROUS

- LCR** Riverdale Group: arkose, quartzite, cross bedded or trough cross bedded sandstone, minor limestone(lim) and conglomerate(g)
- CM** Mabou Group: interbedded shale and dolostone local redbeds, lithic arkose and conglomerate
- ECW** Windsor Group: limestone, evaporites, redbeds.
- ECWM** Macumber Formation laminated intraclastic limestone
- ECH** Horton group: coarse clastics, (c)conglomerate with abundance of granitic and gneissic clasts, (s)micaceous sandstone, arkose, redbeds, minor quartzite, local coarse poorly sorted debris flow breccia

DEVONIAN

- DCMP** Margaree Pluton: coarse porphyritic rapakivi granite (343+-17 Ma, Rb-Sr, D'Belne-Ryan et al., 1986)
- Dmy** Mylonite, strongly linedated muscovite + chlorite schist, mylonitic gneiss, subordinate cataclasite
- bx** Cataclasite, breccia and micro breccia
- LDf** Fisset Brook Formation: (b)vesicular basalt, (r)rhylolite and interbedded redbeds, siltstone, conglomerate
- Dg** Granite to syenogranite, pink slightly porphyritic biotite-bearing
- DNRg** Granodiorite: medium to coarse-grained, light grey, megacrystic, bi-hb granodiorite

SILURIAN-DEVONIAN

- SDgr** Granite, biotite monzogranite, locally foliated and weakly chloritized
- SDgab** Medium to coarse grained diorite and gabbro, with pyroxene crystals and phenocrysts

SILURIAN

- STB** Taylor's Baren Pluton: variably foliated augen granite
- HSNo** Orthogneiss: light grey, homogeneous, qtz-feld-bi+qt gneiss, minor amphibolite

ORDOVICIAN-SILURIAN

- OSv** Schistose chloritic volcanic rocks, metabasalt and mylonitic diorite. Possibly equivalent to Ssg
- OSc** Schistose polymictic meta conglomerate meta-sandstone and quartz-pebble sandstone schist, chlorite-muscovite schist
- ODch** Chloritic schist of uncertain origin, locally mylonitic, possibly schistose LDF or OSv

CAMBRIAN-PRECAMBRIAN

- Egr** Granite, equigranular biotite or biotite-muscovite granite, includes Cheticamp pluton
- Edi** Medium to coarse grained diorite strongly chloritic, locally schistose or mylonitic
- HCgd** Granodiorite, locally foliated and chloritic
- HSNoP** Paragneiss: banded, mafic qtz-feld-bi-hb-gt gneiss, amphibolite, minor pelitic gneiss
- HSNoR** Colnech Brook amphibolite: fine to coarse grained amphibolite
- HSNoC** Cape Clear Road schist: medium to coarse grained pelitic, micas-gt-sl-ky schist
- HSNoF** Second Forks Brook Road schist: fine grained, bi-gt schist
- HSNoG** Gillis Road schist: psammite-semipelitic, ch+gt+ky schist
- Hnl** North Branch Baddeck River Leucotonalite (614+-58/-4 Ma, U-Pb [Zircon], Jamieson et al., 1986)
- CKR** Kathy Road diorite: medium grained, equigranular diorite locally strongly sheared

- Geological contact: defined, approximate, assumed**
- Steep brittle fault: defined, approximate, assumed**
- Almsite Detachment: low-angle to bedding parallel extensional detachment fault and calc-mylonite, defined, approximate assumed**
- Margaree Shear Zone: upper limit of low-angle ductile extensional shear zone, defined, approximate, assumed**
- Ductile reverse or thrust fault: defined, approximate, assumed**
- Lineation: mineral, mylonitic, crenulation**
- Bedding: Inclined, vertical, overturned, top known**
- Schistosity, foliation: Inclined, vertical**
- Mylonitic foliation: Inclined, vertical**
- Gneissic foliation: Inclined, vertical**
- Brittle shear plane, dipping towards inclination number**
- Outcrop visited during the course of this study**
- Compiled from: Horne (1992) west of Highlands Road and from Barr, Jamieson and Raeside (1992) east of Highlands Road.**



Geological map (1:50,000) of Margaree River area, Cape Breton Island Nova Scotia. (11K6 and west 11K7).

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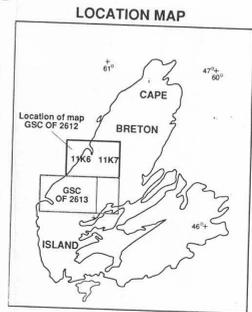
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