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## **ABSTRACT**

Convergent margins are becoming increasingly viable tectonic settings for the discovery of mafic-ultramafic intrusion hosted nickel-copper-platinum group element (PGE) mineralization. The ca. 190 Ma Turnagain intrusion in the Northern Cordillera of British Columbia is a mineralized Alaskan-type ultramafic-mafic intrusion. A substantial Ni-Co resource (1842 million tonnes at 0.21% per tonne Ni and 0.013% per tonne Co) has been delineated in what is known as the Horsetrail zone, with additional Cu-PGE potential identified in the DJ/DB zone, which is located 2.5 km northwest of the Ni-sulphide mineralization. This report presents geochemical and mineralogical databases that are the results of work undertaken to characterize the Cu-PGE mineralization at the DJ/DB zone in order to improve exploration models for base metal and PGE deposits. Included are observations of the mineralogy as well as the textures of the mineralization and host rocks in the DJ/DB zone for comparison with those of the Horsetrail zone with the aim to develop exploration criteria for the base- and precious-metal-rich mineralization. Extensive geochemical databases compiled herein include whole rock major element oxide, trace element, and PGE analyses, electron microprobe data for clinopyroxene, amphibole, biotite, Mg-silicate, oxide, sulphide, and platinum group minerals (PGM), in-situ laser ablation ICP-MS analyses of sulphides, and sulphur isotope analyses of sulphides.

## **INTRODUCTION AND OBJECTIVES**

### **Ni-Cu-PGE deposits in convergent-margin settings**

Mafic-ultramafic intrusions host most of the largest nickel, copper, and platinum group element (PGE) deposits worldwide (e.g. Bushveld Complex, South Africa: McDonald and Holwell, 2011; Noril'sk, Russia: Lightfoot and Keays, 2005; Stillwater Complex, Montana, USA: Zientek and Parks, 2014). These intrusions generally form in extensional tectonic settings that may, under favourable conditions, be host to high-tonnage deposits (Ripley, 2010). Conventionally, convergent-margin settings have not been considered prospective targets for Ni-Cu-PGE mineral exploration due to an apparent lack of sulphide-rich ultramafic bodies (Ripley, 2010). However, there are an increasing number of economically viable magmatic sulphide deposits that have been discovered in ultramafic intrusions within convergent-margin settings (e.g. Aguablanca, Spain: Piña et al., 2008; Xiarihamu, China: Li et al., 2015). These ultramafic-mafic intrusions are typically formed by the emplacement and differentiation of relatively small quantities of hydrous mafic magmas that have been generated in the mantle wedge above subduction zones (e.g. Himmelberg and

Loney, 1995). These intrusions are classified into two broad petrological categories, based on the presence or absence of orthopyroxene (Nixon et al., 2015): 1) intrusions that do not contain orthopyroxene, known as Ural-Alaskan-type or Alaskan-type, and 2) orthopyroxene-rich Giant-Mascot types (Nixon et al., 2015). Alaskan-type intrusions commonly host chromitite-related PGE mineralization (Nixon and Hammack, 1991), but generally lack (i.e. are devoid of) base metal sulphide mineralization, with the exception of a few Alaskan-type intrusions in the North American Cordillera and the Ural Mountains of Russia (Johan, 2002).

The Turnagain Alaskan-type intrusion in the Yukon-Tanana terrane is host to a very large Ni-Co resource: 1842 Mt at 0.21% per tonne Ni and 0.013% per tonne Co (Riles et al., 2011; Mudd and Jowitt, 2014). Previous studies have focused on the Ni-Co-rich mineralization in the Horsetrail zone (Clark, 1975, 1980; Scheel, 2007), however, the Cu-PGE-bearing DJ/DB zone has received little attention. This report presents the results of a graduate thesis project undertaken by the first author (S. Jackson-Brown, MSc. thesis, in prep.) as a contribution to the TGI-4 Ni-Cu-PGE-Cr project of the Geological Survey of Canada.

## Purpose of study

The purpose of this study is to 1) define the textures and compositions of Cu-PGE mineralization in the DJ/DB zone; 2) determine the controls on mineralization with the aim of establishing exploration criteria for these base- and precious-metal-rich zones in similar Alaskan-type intrusions; and 3) compare Turnagain to mineralized Alaskan-type intrusions elsewhere (e.g. Duke Island, Alaska, USA: Thakurta et al., 2014; Salt Chuck, Alaska, USA: Loney and Himmelberg, 1992), as well as to other mafic-ultramafic intrusions in convergent-margin settings (e.g. Giant Mascot, B.C.: Manor, 2014; Aguablanca, Spain: Piña et al., 2008). Observations of the sulphide mineralization in the Horsetrail zone by Scheel (2007) are combined with those from this study on PGE mineralization in the DJ/DB zone to characterize the anomalously sulphide-rich Turnagain intrusion. Key criteria will then be presented that can be used to explore for base metal sulphide + PGE mineralization in Alaskan-type intrusions in other convergent-margin settings in Canada and worldwide.

## GEOLOGICAL SETTING OF THE TURNAGAIN INTRUSION AND STUDY AREA

The Turnagain intrusion is a 25 km<sup>2</sup> Alaskan-type ultramafic-mafic intrusion in north-central British Columbia, located 70 km east of Dease Lake (Fig. 1, inset). Clark (1980) recognized the presence of olivine-clinopyroxene-hornblende cumulates in the Turnagain intrusion with no orthopyroxene, a defining characteristic of Alaskan-type intrusions (e.g. Irvine, 1974; Nixon et al., 1997). The intrusion lies within the metasedimentary-metavolcanic Yukon-Tanana terrane, northeast of the Kutcho Fault (Fig. 1). The northern and eastern margins of the intrusion are in fault contact with pyritic and graphitic phyllite and slate. The southern and western margins are intrusive contacts with hornfels metasedimentary and metavolcanic rocks that have been observed both in outcrop, at an inlier at the western extremity of the intrusion, and in drillcore (Clark, 1975; Scheel, 2007).

The Turnagain intrusion is divided into four distinct phases based on intrusive contacts observed on surface and in drillcore (Clark, 1980; Scheel, 2007; Jackson-Brown et al., 2014) (Fig. 1). The earliest intrusive phase (Phase 1) comprises steeply dipping, layered wehrlite and clinopyroxenite along the northern part of the intrusion (Clark, 1975). A large dunite body (Phase 2) that forms the core of the intrusion cuts Phase 1 wehrlite and clinopyroxenite. The dunite body grades to the south into wehrlite and clinopyroxenite that host the Ni-Co-rich Horsetrail zone (Clark, 1980; Scheel et al., 2005). Hornblende and clinopyroxenite (Phase 3)

in the western portion of the intrusion host the DJ/DB zone Cu-PGE mineralization. Clinopyroxenite locally contains xenoliths of dunite near the southern margin of the Phase 3 intrusion (see Appendix D; Jackson-Brown et al., 2014). Lastly, a central body of melanocratic to leucocratic diorite (Phase 4) intrudes the contacts between dunite and Phase 3 clinopyroxenite and hornblende that host the DJ/DB zone (Clark, 1980; Scheel et al., 2005).

Soil surveys completed in 2004 by Hard Creek Nickel Corporation identified anomalously high Cu, Pt, and Pd concentrations in the DJ/DB zone (>1200 ppm Cu, >600 ppb Pt+Pd), and subsequent drilling revealed several PGE-rich bedrock areas (Riles et al., 2011). Both clinopyroxenite and hornblende in the DJ/DB zone are sulphide-bearing and variably mineralized, although the controls on mineralization are poorly understood.

## METHODS

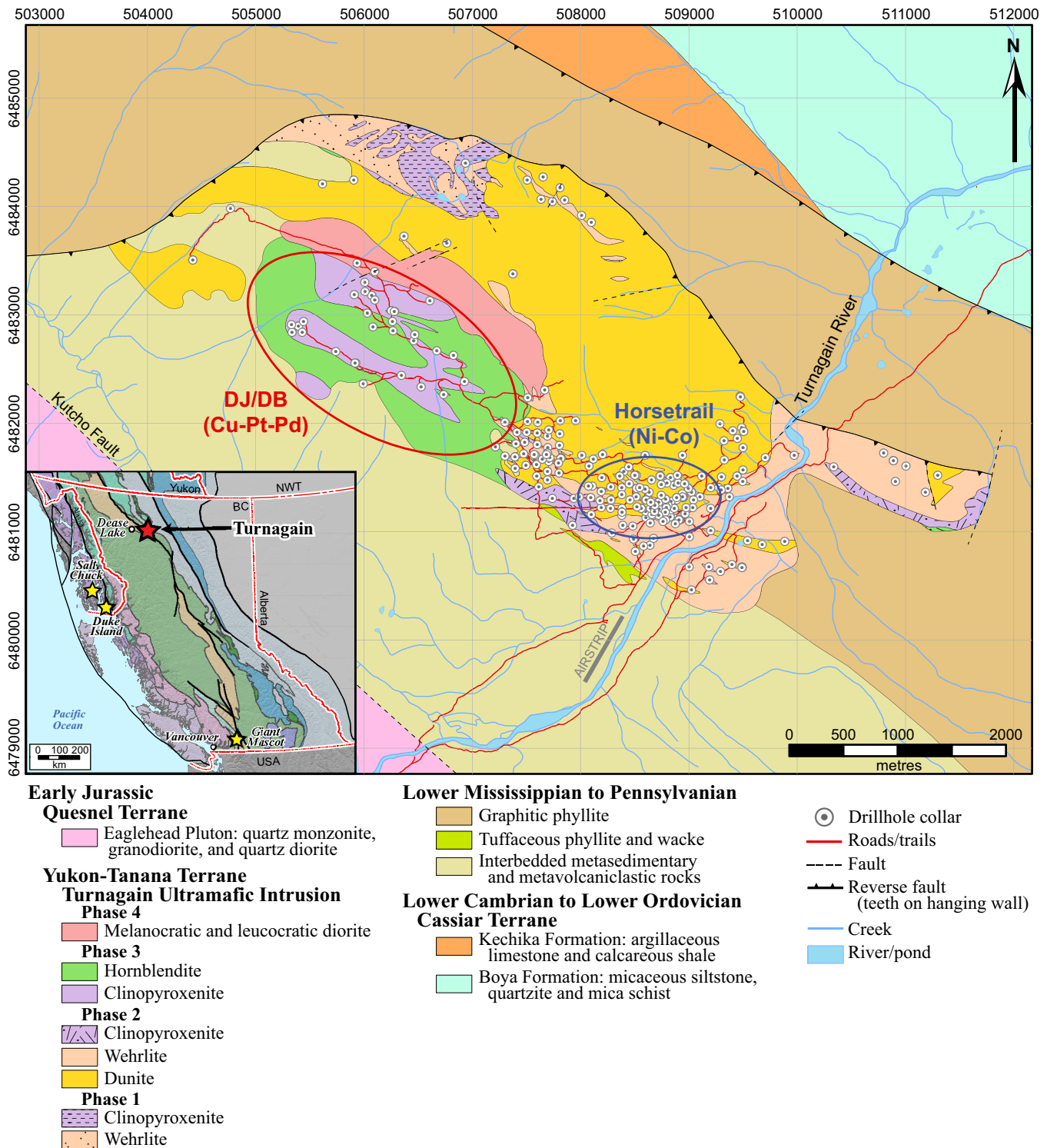
### Sampling

A total of 114 drillcore samples from 19 diamond drill-holes (Table 1) and 17 surface samples were collected during two field visits to the Turnagain intrusion in 2011 and 2013 by Dr. Graham Nixon and Sarah Jackson-Brown, respectively (see Appendix A for full list of samples and analyses completed on each, see Appendix B for field photographs). Drillcore sampling focussed on areas with high Pt+Pd concentrations (>500 ppb over 4 m) in assay data from Hard Creek Nickel Corporation (Appendix C). Samples of representative rock types, unmineralized rocks, and characteristic rock textures were also sampled. Most surface samples were taken from large boulders as exposure is poor. Transport of boulders is considered to be minimal (<1 km) due to the large size (>1 m) and angularity, and are composed of rock types observed in nearby drill-holes.

Polished petrographic thin sections of 95 samples were studied. An additional eight standard thin sections were also prepared, two of which were stained to check for the presence of K-feldspar. All thin sections were examined using both plane-polarized and cross-polarized transmitted light to determine silicate and accessory mineralogy. The polished thin sections were additionally examined under reflected light to determine the predominant sulphide and oxide minerals present in the samples.

### Scanning electron microscopy

Thirteen polished petrographic thin sections were carbon coated at the Electron Microbeam/X-Ray Diffraction Facility at the University of British Columbia (UBC), Vancouver, and the SEM Facility at



**Figure 1.** Geology of the Turnagain ultramafic intrusion and host rocks showing the location of the Cu-PGE-enriched DJ/DB zone and the major Ni-Co mineralized Horsetrail zone (modified from Nixon et al., 2012; projection is NAD83, UTM Zone 9). Inset: Map of the tectono-stratigraphic configuration of the Canadian Cordillera with locations of major convergent-margin Ni-Cu-PGE mineralized mafic-ultramafic intrusions, including the Turnagain intrusion (map modified from Colpron and Nelson, 2011). Major terranes (from left to right): Wrangellia (light purple), Alexander (dark purple), Coast Plutonic Complex (pink), Stikinia (green), Cache Creek (tan), Quesnellia (grey-green), Slide Mountain (dark green), Ancestral North America (light/dark blue).

the Geological Survey of Canada (GSC), Ottawa. At UBC, back-scattered electron (BSE) imaging and qualitative energy-dispersive spectrometry (EDS) were car-

ried out on a Philips XL-30 scanning electron microscope (SEM) equipped with a Bruker Quanta 200 energy-dispersion X-ray microanalysis system. An

**Table 1.** Location and orientation information for diamond drillholes sampled in the Cu-PGE (DJ/DB) zone, Turnagain intrusion.

Drillhole ID	Easting	Northing	Elevation (masl)	Azimuth (degrees)	Dip (degrees)	EOH (m)
DDH03-07	508583.25	6480856.29	1036.14	169.45	-47.07	434
DDH04-43	506826.18	6482617.08	1401.58	0.00	-90.00	159
DDH04-46	506468.86	6482806.91	1436.26	0.00	-90.00	145
DDH04-48	506254.41	6483031.55	1459.44	0.00	-90.00	167
DDH04-49	506254.44	6483032.55	1459.56	180.00	-50.00	75
DDH04-55	506280.84	6483021.70	1462.38	0.00	-90.00	60
DDH04-58	506010.28	6483207.20	1454.88	35.00	-80.00	111
DDH04-59	506006.85	6483289.47	1462.93	0.00	-80.00	111
DDH05-83	506528.86	6482326.02	1352.83	224.50	-52.00	172
DDH05-88	505395.46	6482884.27	1336.38	40.55	-50.50	172
DDH05-89	505925.46	6482544.45	1356.58	40.77	-50.75	166
DDH05-101	505395.46	6482884.28	1336.75	40.83	-65.00	185
DDH05-102	506345.95	6482434.50	1366.17	219.30	-51.40	337
DDH06-143	504769.64	6483975.36	1402.34	31.98	-50.00	340
DDH06-149	505911.96	6483180.07	1435.80	41.88	-49.50	315
DDH06-150	506032.27	6483009.63	1428.63	44.70	-49.80	258
DDH06-161	505431.81	6482833.59	1338.16	41.41	-48.50	285
DDH07-207	505919.14	6482546.35	1357.22	189.34	-49.90	312
DDH07-211	505337.42	6482829.35	1323.36	45.75	-68.30	276

All geographical data is in NAD83, Zone 9

masl = metres above sea level

EOH = end of hole

operating voltage of 15 kV was used with a spot diameter of 6  $\mu\text{m}$  and peak count time of 30 s. At the GSC, BSE imaging and EDS analyses were acquired using a Zeiss EVO 50 series SEM with extended pressure capability (up to 3000 Pascals) and equipped with a backscattered electron detector (BSD), Everhart-Thornley secondary electron detector (SE), and variable pressure secondary electron detector (VPSE). The Oxford EDS system includes the X-MAX 150 Silicon Drift Detector, INCA Energy 450 software, and Aztec microanalysis software. An operating voltage (EHT) of 20 kV was used, with a probe current of 400 pA to 1 nA, and peak count time of 30 s.

### Electron microprobe analyses

Quantitative mineral analyses of silicates, sulphides and platinum group minerals were determined on carbon-coated, polished petrographic thin sections ( $n=17$ ) using an automated four-spectrometer Cameca Camebax MBX electron microprobe by wavelength-dispersive X-ray analysis at the Department of Earth Sciences, Carleton University, Ottawa. Raw X-ray data were converted to elemental weight percent by the Cameca PAP matrix correction program. Silicates were analyzed using a 20 kV accelerating voltage, 25 nA beam current, 2  $\mu\text{m}$  diameter beam, and counting time of 20 s or 40,000 accumulated counts. Sulphides and precious metal minerals were analyzed using a 20 keV accelerating voltage, 35 nA beam current, 2  $\mu\text{m}$  diameter beam, and counting time of 10 s or 40,000 accumulated counts. Mineral formula calculations were done according to the procedures outlined in the appendix of Deer et al. (1996), with the exception of iron

oxide formulas, which were calculated following the method by Droop (1987).

### Whole rock major and trace element geochemical analyses

Major element oxide and trace element concentrations of 21 whole rock samples and three duplicates were analyzed at Activation Laboratories Ltd. (Actlabs) in Ancaster, Ontario. Samples were submitted as either whole rocks or rock chips (at least 50 g in weight) and processed by Actlabs. Samples were crushed to a nominal minus 10 mesh (1.7 mm) and split to obtain a representative sample, then pulverized to at least 95% minus 150 mesh (106 microns) with Cr- and Ni-free mild steel mills. For the major elements, a 1 g sample was mixed with a flux of lithium metaborate and lithium tetraborate and then fused in an induction furnace. The molten mixture was then poured into a solution of 5%  $\text{HNO}_3$  and mixed continuously for 30 minutes until completely dissolved. The samples were analyzed for major element oxides (excluding FeO) and select trace elements using a simultaneous/sequential Thermo Jarrell-Ash ENVIRO II inductively coupled plasma optical emission spectrometer (ICP-OES). Additional trace elements were determined by diluting and analyzing the previously fused samples using the inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometry (ICP-MS) method. FeO was obtained through the titration method, using cold acid digestion of ammonium metavanadate and hydrofluoric acid. Chalcophile elements (Co, Cu, Ni, Cd, Li, Mn, Pb, and Zn) were obtained through the total digestion method in which a 0.25 g sample was digested in HF, followed by a mixture of nitric and perchloric acids, then heated and taken to dryness. The samples were brought back into solution with HCl and nitric acid and analyzed using a Perkin Elmer Sciex ELAN ICP-MS. Gold, platinum, and palladium values were measured via fire assay of 5-50 g samples. The samples were mixed with fluxes and Ag (collecting agent) and heated in a fire clay crucible to 1060°C (~60 minutes). The crucibles were removed from the oven and the slag was poured into a mould, each crucible leaving a lead button containing PGE and precious metals. Each button was placed in a preheated cupel to absorb the lead, leaving an Ag bead+Au, Pt, and Pd. The bead was digested in hot  $\text{HNO}_3$  and HCl and analyzed using an ICP-MS. Semi-metals (As, Bi, Sb, and Te) were determined via nitric peroxide digestion and ICP-MS analyses. Volatiles (B, C, S, Cl, and F) were measured using the following methods: gamma ray emission detection (B), irradiation energy (C, S), neutron activation analysis (Cl), and ion-selective electrode (F). Internal calibration was achieved using a variety of international reference materials and independent control samples.

### Chalcophile, platinum group element, and sulphur geochemical analyses

The concentrations of platinum group elements (Ir, Ru, Rh, Pt, and Pd) and Au in 27 whole rock samples and three duplicates were measured by nickel-sulphide fire-assay (NiS-FA) ICP-MS and the chalcophile elements (Ni, Cu, and Co) were analyzed by atomic absorption spectroscopy techniques at Geoscience Laboratories in Sudbury, Ontario, Canada. Samples were crushed to 74  $\mu\text{m}$  (200 mesh) using a high-chrome steel mill to avoid contamination of precious metals.

Nickel sulphide fire-assay techniques at Geolabs are detailed by Richardson and Burnham (2002), following procedures from Shazali et al. (1987) and Jackson et al. (1990). Nickel, sulphur, sodium carbonate, and sodium tetraborate were added to a 15 g aliquot of sample powder, and fused for 1.5 hours in a fire-clay crucible at 1050°C. Following cooling, the crucible was broken to recover a nickel sulphide button. This button was dissolved with HCl in a closed Teflon™ vessel to remove any NiS matrix. The co-precipitation of the NiS button with tellurium produced a concentrate containing all Au and PGE lost during button dissolution. Concentrates were then vacuum-filtered, re-dissolved in aqua regia, and brought to volume with deionized water prior to analysis by a Perkin-Elmer ELAN 5000 inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometer (ICP-MS). Osmium was not reported due to the potential loss as a volatile oxide during the aqua regia re-dissolution stage. Reference materials used were CANMET-certified TDB-1, WPR-1, WGB-1, and WMG-1, and an in-house komatiite sample OKUM.

The remaining <74  $\mu\text{m}$  pulps from the same crush as the NiS-FA method were mixed with a three-acid (hydrofluoric, nitric, and perchloric) mix in an open Teflon™ digestion vessel and heated until dry. A solution was produced by adding a second acid mixture, transferred to a 50 mL volumetric container and diluted with 10% HNO<sub>3</sub> respective to the volume of sample. Chalcophile element (Ni, Cu, Co, Cd, Zn, Li, and Pb) concentrations were measured by atomic absorption methods with a Varian Atomic Absorption Spectrometer AA280FS Series.

Sulphur and carbon determination techniques are outlined in Amirault and Burnham (2013). Sample material was taken from a 0.2 g pre-measured aliquot and combusted from radio-frequency inductive heating with a constant stream of purified oxygen. Gases (CO<sub>2</sub> and SO<sub>2</sub>) were produced and detected by non-dispersive infrared (NDIR) cells. Concentrations were then measured by a LECO CS844 carbon and sulphur analyzer.

### Laser ablation ICP-MS analysis of sulphide minerals

Laser ablation inductively-coupled plasma mass spec-

trometry (LA-ICP-MS) analyses of the four major sulphides (i.e. pyrrhotite, chalcopyrite, pyrite, and pentlandite) were completed on 12 polished thin sections at the LA-ICP-MS laboratory at the GSC (Ottawa) (e.g. Lawley et al., 2015). Single spot analyses were completed using a Photon-Machines Analyte 193 excimer laser ablation system ( $\lambda = 193 \text{ nm}$ ) with Helex ablation cell and an Agilent 7700x quadrupole ICP-MS. Ablation was performed in a He environment, mixed with Ar gas for ICP-MS analysis. Laser pulse energy was set to 40% of 4 mJ. Two calibration standards were utilized for this study, Po726, a homogeneous synthetic pyrrhotite (prepared by J.H.G. Laflamme at CANMET) for the platinum group elements (Ru, Rh, Pd, Os, Ir, Pt, and Au), and GSE-1G, a USGS reference glass of basaltic composition doped with over 50 trace elements (Guillong et al., 2005) for the remaining chalcophile and lithophile elements. The MASS-1 (previously PS-1) Fe-Cu-Zn-S pressed pellet reference material (Wilson et al., 2002) was used with the standards to test the accuracy and precision of the analyses. Standards were analyzed throughout the sequence, two analyses of each standard and one analysis of MASS-1 for every 10 unknowns to ensure accuracy and correct for instrumental drift. Analysis of standards was completed using a laser pulse rate frequency of 10 Hz and a spot size of 43  $\mu\text{m}$ . For the analysis of samples, laser frequency was set to 6 Hz, with spot sizes ranging from 7 to 30  $\mu\text{m}$ , depending on the size of the sulphide being analyzed. Data collection lasted for approximately 100 seconds, with 40 seconds of gas blank followed by 60 seconds of ablated sample measurement. Data collection and correction was done using GLITTER data reduction software (Griffin et al., 2008), developed by the ARC National Key Centre for Geochemical Evolution and Metallogeny of Continents (GEMOC) and CSIRO Exploration and Mining. Final concentrations were determined by subtracting the background (gas blank) signal from each of the analyzed isotopes, and normalizing to either Po726 (for PGE) or GSE-1G (for the remaining isotopes). Microinclusions of accessory minerals were encountered during analysis and were excluded from the time-resolved spectrum before calculation of the average signal.

Measured isotopes were <sup>29</sup>Si, <sup>34</sup>S, <sup>42</sup>Ca, <sup>51</sup>V, <sup>53</sup>Cr, <sup>57</sup>Fe, <sup>59</sup>Co, <sup>61</sup>Ni, <sup>65</sup>Cu, <sup>66</sup>Zn, <sup>75</sup>As, <sup>77</sup>Se, <sup>88</sup>Sr, <sup>89</sup>Y, <sup>90</sup>Zr, <sup>101,102</sup>Ru, <sup>103</sup>Rh, <sup>105,106,108</sup>Pd, <sup>107,109</sup>Ag, <sup>111</sup>Cd, <sup>118</sup>Sn, <sup>121</sup>Sb, <sup>125</sup>Te, <sup>181</sup>Ta, <sup>185</sup>Re, <sup>189</sup>Os, <sup>193</sup>Ir, <sup>195</sup>Pt, <sup>197</sup>Au, <sup>202</sup>Hg, <sup>205</sup>Tl, <sup>206,208</sup>Pb and <sup>209</sup>Bi. Due to the thinness of the samples being ablated (i.e. 30  $\mu\text{m}$  thick thin sections), silicon and calcium were monitored to determine if the laser ablated completely through the sample and into the glass during the run. The S, Cu, and Ni values were used to monitor the mineral phase during ablation. Analyses with greater than 750 ppm Si or Ca were not reported due to low reliability of the



analyses for sulphide samples. Isotopic interference from  $^{65}\text{Cu}$  on  $^{101}\text{Ru}$ ,  $^{103}\text{Rh}$ , and  $^{105}\text{Pd}$  meant that these isotopes were unusable when analyzing chalcopyrite or grains with greater than 100 ppm Cu. Interference from  $^{61}\text{Ni}$  on  $^{101}\text{Ru}$  meant that this isotope could not be used. In samples with >10000 ppm Ni, interference on  $^{106}\text{Pd}$  from  $^{111}\text{Cd}$  was corrected by Dr. Zhaoping Yang at the GSC using LAMTRACE software.

### Sulphur isotope analyses

Three sulphide minerals (e.g. pyrrhotite, chalcopyrite, and pyrite) were extracted from sulphide-bearing samples ( $n=32$ ) using a Dremel 400 Series XPR hand-held drill with a 1/32" drill bit. The relative proportion of different sulphide minerals being extracted was recorded to estimate the percentage of S in the sample for approximately 3 mg of sulphide powder. All powders ( $n=36$ ), including three blind duplicates, were analyzed at the G.G. Hatch Stable Isotope Laboratory at the University of Ottawa, Canada. Samples were weighed into tin capsules with at least twice the sample weight of tungstic oxide ( $\text{WO}_3$ ) for inorganic or organic sulphur. Calibrated internal standards were prepared with every batch of samples for normalization of the data. Each analysis required 100  $\mu\text{g}$  of S. Samples were loaded into an Elementar Vario Micro Cube elemental analyzer and flash combusted at  $1800^\circ\text{C}$ . Released gases ( $\text{N}_2$ ,  $\text{CO}_2$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , and  $\text{SO}_2$ ) were carried by ultra-pure helium through the elemental analyzer to be cleaned, then gas chromatograph separation removed  $\text{SO}_2$  by moving gases through a series of adsorption traps (i.e. "trap and purge"). Isotopic compositions of organic sulphur ( $\text{SO}_2$ ) were measured by a ThermoFinnigan Delta XP isotope ratio mass spectrometer coupled with a ConFlo IV. The measured isotope for sulphur was  $^{34}\text{S}$  assuming mass-dependent fractionation. Values are reported relative to the Vienna Canyon Diablo Troilite (VCDT) and analytical precision for  $\delta^{34}\text{S}$  is 0.2‰.

## RESULTS

### Mineralogy and textures of major rock types in the DJ/DB zone

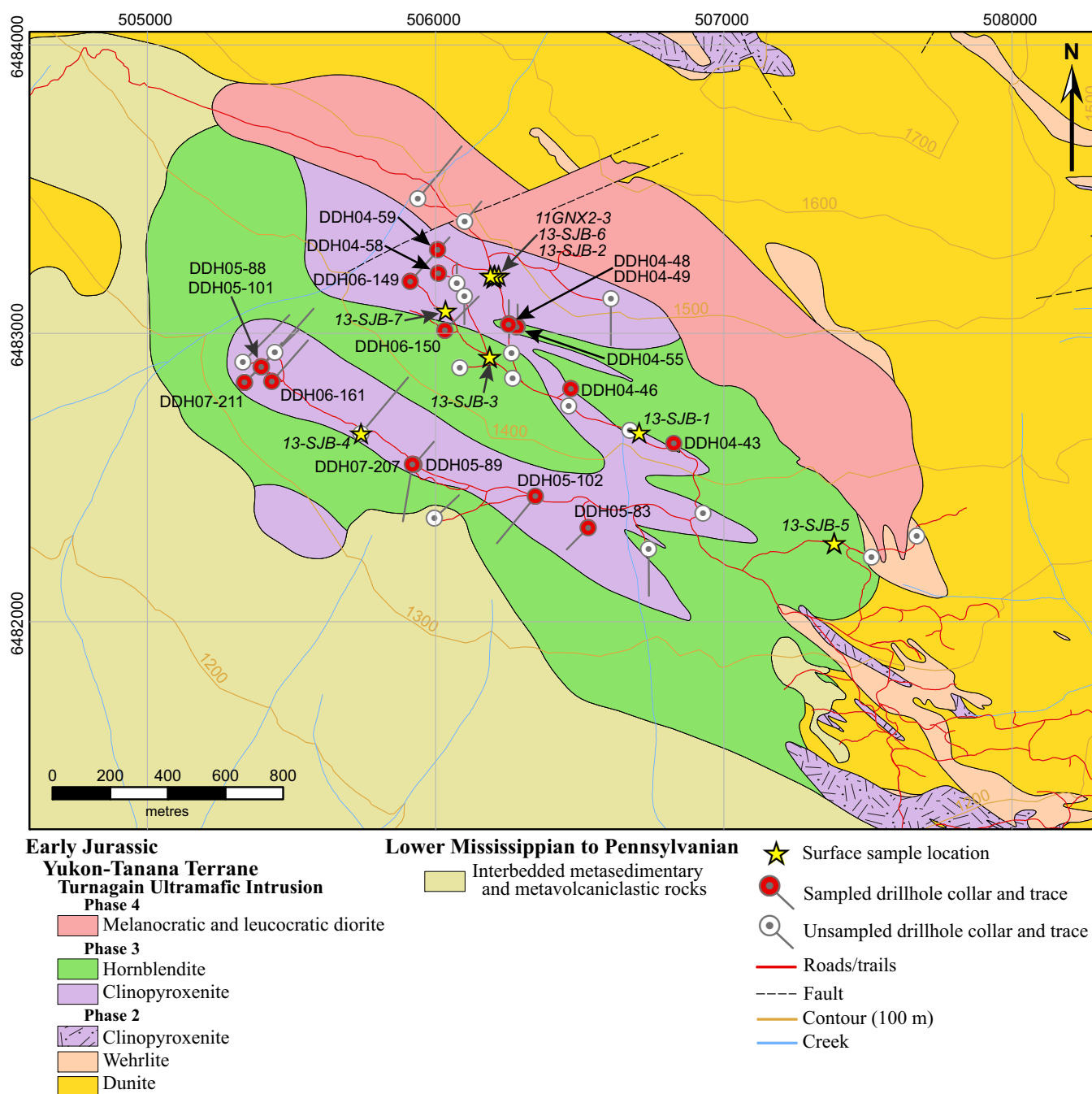
Clinopyroxenite and hornblendite form the two major rock types in the DJ/DB, Cu-PGE zone of the Turnagain intrusion (Fig. 2, Appendix D).

Clinopyroxenite is the dominant rock type in the DJ/DB zone, which, based on petrography, can be separated into four distinct units: hornblende clinopyroxenite, clinopyroxenite, magnetite clinopyroxenite, and olivine clinopyroxenite (Appendices E, F1,2). Clinopyroxene compositions are diopsidic in all units (Appendix F3). Hornblende clinopyroxenite is composed of fine- to medium-grained, pale green-grey diopside with interstitial to interlayered dark green

amphibole (5–44%), biotite (<15%), magnetite (<5%), and disseminated to net-textured and locally layered sulphide (6–31%). Hornblende clinopyroxenite is weakly to moderately altered to chlorite (<15%, after biotite), tremolite (<15%, after clinopyroxene), and minor calcite. Clinopyroxenite comprises fine- to coarse-grained diopside with interstitial biotite (<35%, up to 5% of which may be an alteration product of amphibole), interstitial hornblende (<8%), blebby magnetite (<5%), and disseminated to massive sulphide (<53%) that exhibits localized banding. Alteration ranges from very weak to very strong, and is composed of up to 28% tremolite, <25% chlorite, and minor serpentine and calcite, with local areas of talc alteration (<28%). Magnetite clinopyroxene contains fine- to coarse-grained diopside with subhedral to euhedral magnetite (<20%), disseminated to blebby sulphides (<14%), and minor interstitial biotite and hornblende. Weak to moderate alteration is present as minor chlorite and/or biotite (after amphibole), with trace tremolite and calcite. Olivine clinopyroxenite, referred to as olivine-(serpentinite-magnetite) clinopyroxenite, is composed of diopside and olivine (Fo79) that is pseudomorphed by serpentine and magnetite. Original olivine contents ranged from 2 to 28% (with localized clots of olivine), and there may be up to 20% relict olivine with thin veinlets of replacement magnetite (<10%) and fine-grained radial serpentine (<45%). Interstitial biotite (<12%), interstitial amphibole (<7%), and sulphide (<37%) also occur. Alteration consists of <10% chlorite, with minor calcite and trace tremolite. Sulphides in all clinopyroxene-rich rocks are present as disseminated to massive (with localized layering). Pyrrhotite is the most common sulphide (<50%) in clinopyroxenites, and forms the majority of layered, net-textured, and semi-massive to massive sulphide occurrences. Chalcopyrite is the second most common sulphide (<35%) and generally forms as disseminated to blebby textures with localized veins. Other sulphides include pyrite (<10%), minor pentlandite, and a variety of trace sulphide, antimonide, and platinum group minerals that all form disseminated grains associated with either pyrrhotite or chalcopyrite.

Hornblendite is dominated by fine-grained to pegmatitic, dark-green amphibole and up to 10 vol.% fine- to medium-grained clinopyroxene, <7% biotite, <11% fine-grained subhedral to euhedral magnetite, 1–15% disseminated sulphide (up to 40% as net-textured sulphide), and is locally feldspathic (<10%). Minor alteration (<5%) is present as chlorite and trace tremolite. Amphibole compositions are predominantly magnesiohastingsite to potassic-magnesiohastingsite (see Appendix F3 for mineral analyses). Rare blue-green subcalcic sodio-magnesiohastingsite occurs as alteration rims on amphiboles in some altered samples (e.g.





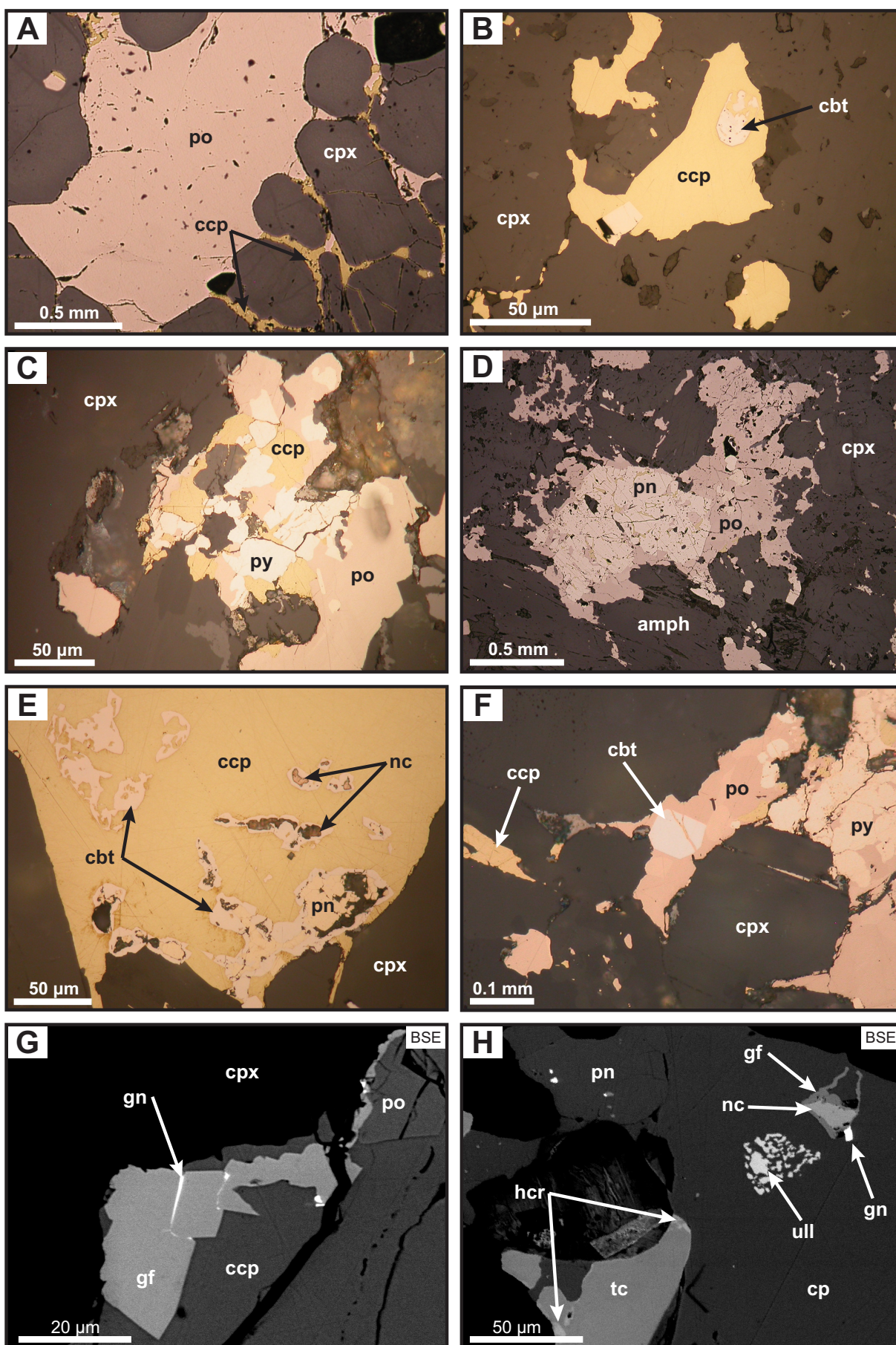
**Figure 2.** Geological map of the DJ/DB zone of the Turnagain intrusion and immediate surroundings, showing surface sample and drill collar locations (modified from Nixon et al., 2012; projection is NAD83, UTM Zone 9; contour interval is 100 m).

DDH05-88-106, DDH05-101-4, see sample description of DDH05-88-104 in Appendix F2). Most hornblendite samples contain randomly oriented amphibole, with local zones (1–100 cm wide) of moderately to strongly oriented crystals. Oriented amphiboles typically occur in the coarser grained and pegmatitic units, and they can exhibit both gradational and sharp contacts with surrounding rocks; they also occur at contacts between two hornblendite units of different grain size or along contacts with clinopyroxenite. Hornblendite commonly grades into clinopyroxenite;

localized veins of hornblendite cut earlier clinopyroxenite and hornblendite. Sulphide mineralization in hornblendite consists primarily of pyrrhotite (<12%) and chalcopyrite (1–5%), with minor pyrite and pentlandite, and trace sphalerite. Sulphides are typically interstitial to amphibole, but can also occur as individual blebs and as secondary crosscutting veins.

### Sulphide and platinum group minerals in the DJ/DB zone

Base metal sulphides in the DJ/DB zone are composed

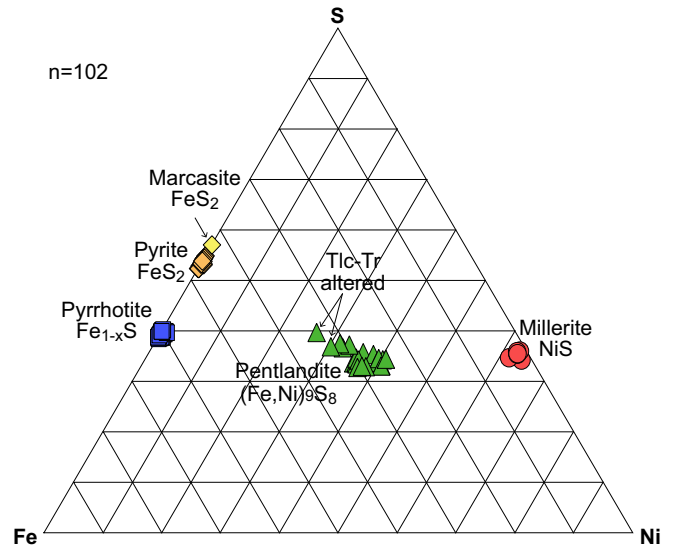




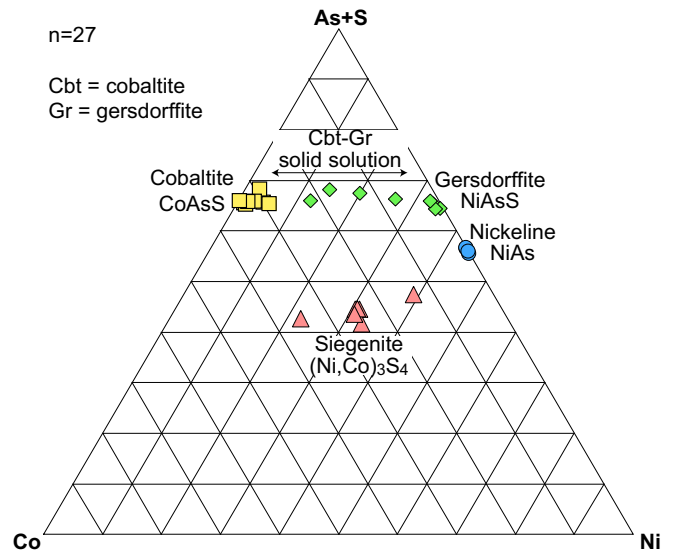
**Figure 3 (opposite page).** Photomicrographs in reflected light (a-f) and backscattered electron (BSE) images (g-h) of base metal sulphide, arsenide, sulpharsenide, and sulphantimonide minerals in clinopyroxenite from the DJ/DB zone. **a)** Sample DDH07-211-5: coarse-grained interstitial pyrrhotite bleb with peripheral chalcopyrite along grain boundaries of surrounding clinopyroxene grains. **b)** Sample DDH07-211-4: chalcopyrite bleb in clinopyroxene containing grains of subhedral cobaltite. **c)** Sample DDH07-211-4: an aggregate of subhedral pyrite in a composite bleb of pyrrhotite and chalcopyrite. **d)** Sample DDH05-88-102: blocky pentlandite in pyrrhotite. **e)** Sample DDH07-211-1: chalcopyrite bleb containing subhedral to anhedral cobaltite. Anhedral crystals of pentlandite and nickeline are enclosed in cobaltite. **f)** Sample DDH07-211-5: fractured, euhedral grain of cobaltite in pyrrhotite. Pyrrhotite also contains pyrite and chalcopyrite. **g)** Sample DDH07-211-1: subhedral, cobalt-rich gersdorffite within chalcopyrite with galena in fractures. **h)** Sample DDH07-211-1: chalcopyrite containing blebs of pentlandite, galena, gersdorffite, ullmannite, and tucelite. Nickeline is enclosed in gersdorffite and tucelite is partly rimmed by hauchecornite. Mineral abbreviations: amph = amphibole; cbt = cobaltite; ccp = chalcopyrite; cpx = clinopyroxene; gf = gersdorffite; gn = galena; hcr = hauchecornite; nc = nickeline; pn = pentlandite; po = pyrrhotite; py = pyrite; tc = tucelite; ull = ullmannite.

primarily of pyrrhotite (<50 modal %), chalcopyrite (<35%), pyrite (<10%), and minor pentlandite (<1%). Trace and accessory sulphide phases include millerite (NiS), sphalerite (ZnS), bornite ( $\text{Cu}_5\text{FeS}_4$ ), siegenite  $[(\text{Ni},\text{Co})_3\text{S}_4]$ , marcasite ( $\text{FeS}_2$ ), galena ( $\text{PbS}$ ), and molybdenite ( $\text{MoS}_2$ ). Pyrrhotite is the dominant sulphide, forming sub-millimetre to 3 mm diameter grains both interstitial to silicates and as blebs within silicates (Fig. 3a,c,d,f). Pyrrhotite compositions ( $n=45$ ) range from  $\text{Fe}_{58.7}\text{S}_{39.5}$  to  $\text{Fe}_{61.6}\text{S}_{38.9}$  (average =  $\text{Fe}_{60.3}\text{Ni}_{0.29}\text{S}_{39.3}$ ), with a maximum Ni content of 1 wt% (Fig. 4, Appendix F3). Chalcopyrite is commonly intergrown with pyrrhotite and forms either interstitial to silicates or as blebs within silicates (Fig. 3b,c,e). Chalcopyrite compositions are stoichiometric (average =  $\text{Cu}_{1.01}\text{Fe}_{0.99}\text{S}_2$ ,  $n=42$ ). Pyrite is observed as either aggregates of subhedral to euhedral grains within pyrrhotite and chalcopyrite (Fig. 3c,f), or as anhedral grains in veinlets that crosscut silicates. Pyrite compositions are stoichiometric ( $\text{Fe}_{0.99}\text{S}_2$ ,  $n=29$ , Fig. 4) although some grains contain up to 3.4 wt% Co. Pentlandite forms both as subhedral, sub-millimeter grains in pyrrhotite and chalcopyrite (Fig. 3d), and as exsolution flames within pyrrhotite. Pentlandite ( $n=20$ ) has an average composition of  $(\text{Ni}_{4.60}\text{Fe}_{3.81}\text{Co}_{0.54})\text{S}_8$ , but is characterized by lower Ni and higher Co contents when present as inclusions and flames within pyrrhotite, and in strongly altered samples [average =  $(\text{Fe}_{3.91}\text{Ni}_{3.72}\text{Co}_{1.39})\text{S}_8$ , Fig. 4].

The DJ/DB zone contains a wide variety of arsenic- and antimony-bearing accessory minerals. Nickeline (NiAs), present as anhedral grains enclosed within cobaltite and gersdorffite, has approximately stoichiometric compositions [average =  $(\text{Ni}_{0.96}\text{Fe}_{0.01})(\text{As}_{0.96}\text{Sb}_{0.03}\text{S}_{0.02})$ ,  $n=4$ , Fig. 5]. Sulpharsenide and sulphantimonide minerals include cobaltite ( $\text{CoAsS}$ ), gersdorffite ( $\text{NiAsS}$ ), ullmannite ( $\text{NiSbS}$ ), tucelite ( $\text{Ni}_9\text{Sb}_2\text{S}_8$ ), and hauchecornite ( $\text{Ni}_9\text{Bi}(\text{Sb},\text{Bi})\text{S}_8$ ). Cobaltite is observed in two forms: 1) equant, euhedral grains (~50  $\mu\text{m}$ ) associated with chalcopyrite, pyrrhotite, and magnetite (Fig. 3b,f); or 2) anhedral grains or grain aggregates within chalcopyrite, rarely enclosing grains of nickeline and pentlandite (Fig. 3e). The average cobaltite composition ( $n=8$ ) is  $(\text{Co}_{0.86}\text{Fe}_{0.07}\text{Ni}_{0.07})$



**Figure 4.** Ternary diagram showing the compositions of Ni-, Fe-, and S-bearing base metal sulphides in the DJ/DB zone of the Turnagain intrusion (pyrrhotite, chalcopyrite, pyrite, marcasite, pentlandite, and millerite). Note the decrease in Ni in pentlandite within talc-tremolite (Tlc-Tr) altered samples. Analyses are EPMA results in weight percent normalized to 100%.



**Figure 5.** Ternary diagram showing the compositions of Ni-, Co-, and As-/S-bearing base metal sulphides in the DJ/DB zone of the Turnagain intrusion (cobaltite, gersdorffite, siegenite, and nickeline). Note the range of gersdorffite compositions, trending towards cobaltite. Analyses are EPMA results in weight percent normalized to 100%.

**Table 2.** Summary of platinum group minerals from microprobe and SEM analysis of samples from the Cu-PGE (DJ/DB) zone of the Turnagain intrusion.

Sample	Rock type	Sperrylite (PtAs <sub>2</sub> )	Sudburyite (PdSb)	Other Platinum Group Minerals
DDH04-59-1	Ol (Srp-Mag) clinopyroxenite	X	X	
DDH05-83-1*	clinopyroxenite			Pd-melonite [(Ni,Pd)Te <sub>2</sub> ]
DDH05-88-1*	clinopyroxenite	X	X	PdAgSbTe
DDH05-89-2*	Ol (Srp-Mag) clinopyroxenite		X	ungavaite (Pd <sub>4</sub> Sb <sub>3</sub> )
DDH05-101-1*	Ol (Srp-Mag) clinopyroxenite	X		
DDH05-101-5*	Cal-Chl vein in clinopyroxenite	X		
DDH05-102-5	clinopyroxenite	X	X	
DDH05-102-7*	clinopyroxenite		X	genkinite? [(Pt,Pd) <sub>4</sub> Sb <sub>3</sub> ]
DDH06-149-2*	Ol (Srp-Mag) clinopyroxenite	X		
DDH06-161-1	clinopyroxenite/hornblende contact	X	X	
DDH06-161-3*	Tr-Tlc altd clinopyroxenite	X	X	testibiopalladite? [PdTe(Sb,Te)]
DDH07-211-4*	hornblende	X		
DDH07-211-5	clinopyroxenite	X		
DDH07-211-10	clinopyroxenite		X	
DDH07-211-11	Ol (Srp-Mag) clinopyroxenite	X		
DDH07-211-110	Ol (Srp-Mag) clinopyroxenite		X	

\*Petrography, SEM, and microprobe analysis completed by Ingrid Kjarsgaard at Carleton University (Ottawa, ON)

Mineral abbreviations: Cal = calcite, Chl = chlorite, Mag = magnetite, Ol = olivine, Srp = serpentine, Tlc = talc, Tr = tremolite

As<sub>0.97</sub>S<sub>1.02</sub> (Fig. 5) with some grains containing up to 1.3 wt% Pt and 0.5 wt% Pd. Gersdorffite commonly occurs as subhedral to anhedral grains within chalcopyrite, rarely enclosing nickeline (Fig. 3g,h). Gersdorffite and cobaltite form a solid-solution series with gersdorffite compositions (n=8) ranging from nickel-rich (Ni<sub>0.98</sub>Co<sub>0.02</sub>Fe<sub>0.02</sub>)AsS to cobalt-rich (Co<sub>0.60</sub>Ni<sub>0.34</sub>Fe<sub>0.04</sub>)AsS (Fig. 5), with no appreciable Pt or Pd. Ullmanite, tucekite, and hauchecornite are only observed in a single chalcopyrite bleb in one sample (DDH07-211-1). Ullmannite is found as submicron to 10 µm grains, whereas tucekite is observed as 20 to 50 µm grains with 1–5 µm thick rims of hauchecornite (Fig. 3h).

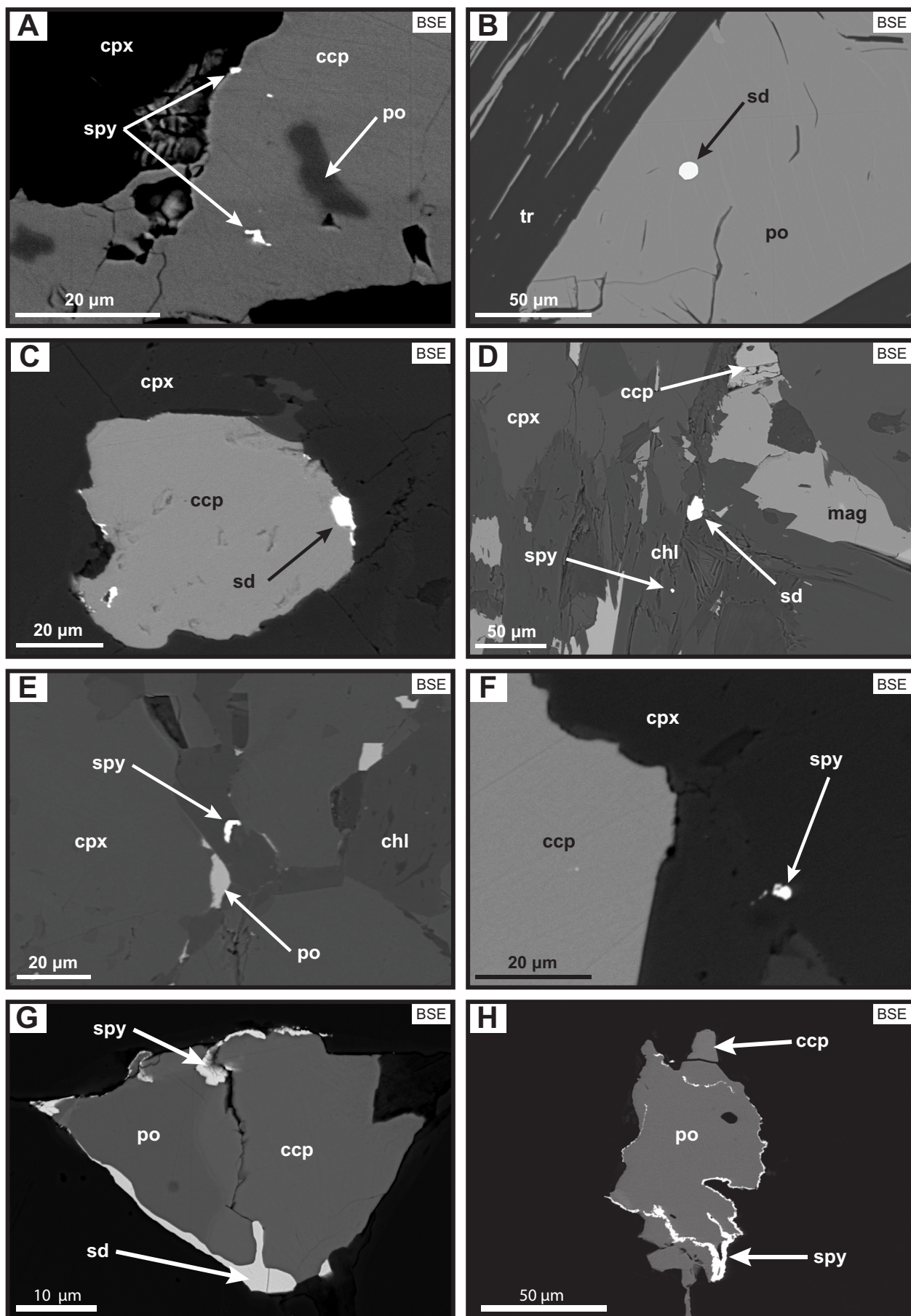
Platinum- and palladium-bearing PGM have been identified in samples from the DJ/DB zone. The two dominant phases are sperrylite (PtAs<sub>2</sub>) and sudburyite (PdSb), with rare occurrences of Pd-melonite [(Ni,Pd)Te<sub>2</sub>], ungavaite (Pd<sub>4</sub>Sb<sub>3</sub>), testibiopalladite [PdTe(Sb,Te)], and genkinite [(Pt,Pd)<sub>4</sub>Sb<sub>3</sub>] (Table 2, Appendix F3). All varieties of PGM commonly form equant to lath-shaped grains that range in size from submicron to 40 µm grains (Fig. 6a–f). They are observed included within and along grain boundaries between chalcopyrite, pyrrhotite, cobaltite, magnetite, chlorite, and clinopyroxene. Sperrylite and sudburyite

are commonly intergrown with one another, and are more rarely observed as 1 to 10 µm partial rims around chalcopyrite and pyrrhotite (Fig. 6g,h).

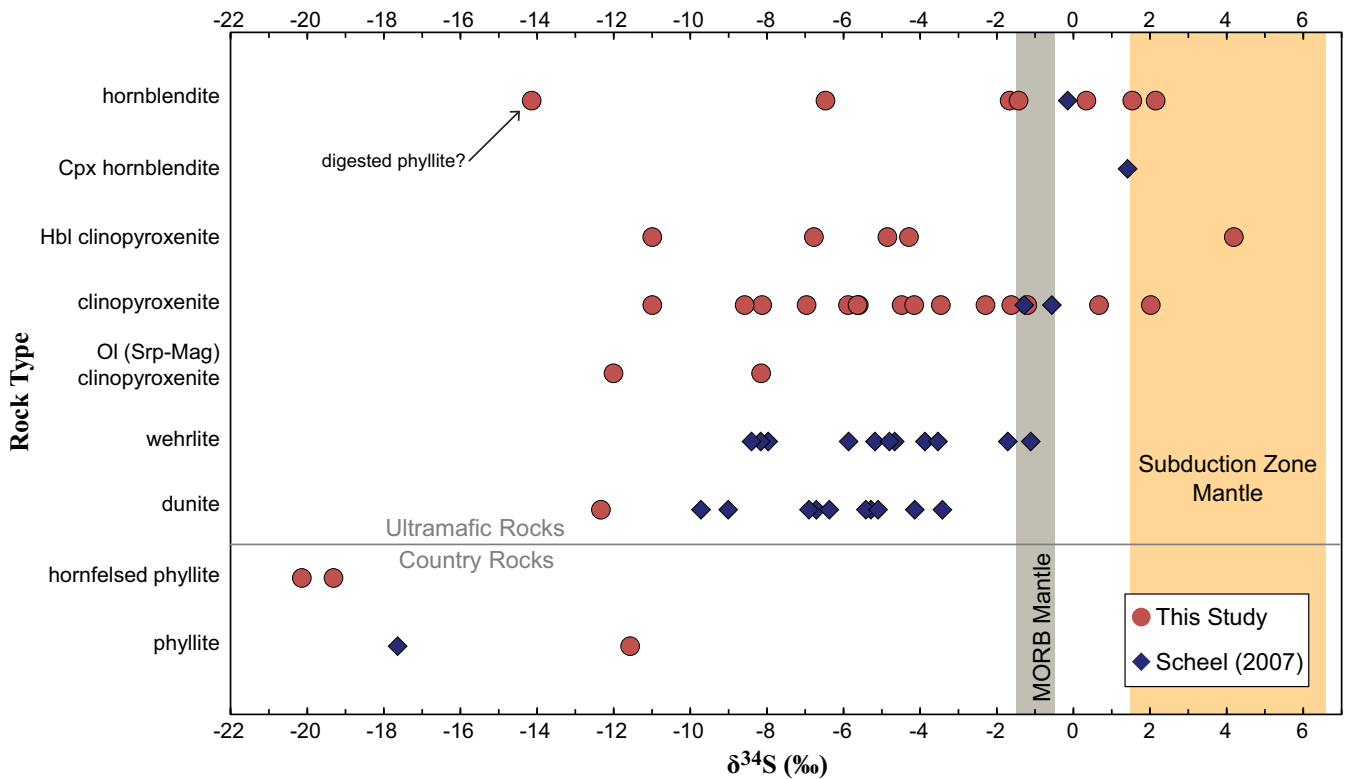
### Sulphur isotope geochemistry

Sulphur isotopic compositions (δ<sup>34</sup>S) of sulphide mineral separates span a wide range from -14.1‰ to +4.2‰ VCDT in ultramafic rocks of the DJ/DB zone (n=33) (Fig. 7). These values slightly overlap with hornfels phyllite and distal phyllite that is unaffected by contact metamorphism and are characteristically lighter (-20.1‰ to -11.6‰ VCDT) (Fig. 7). The S-isotope composition of the DJ/DB zone overlaps with 26 sulphur isotope values determined by Scheel (2007) from the Horsetrail zone and wallrock phyllite. Ultramafic rocks in the Turnagain intrusion display values considerably lighter than the range of values that typically characterize mid ocean ridge basalt (MORB) or arc mantle sources (Fig. 7). These light isotopic signatures indicate that significant crustal sulphur was assimilated during emplacement of the ultramafic magma(s). The heavier isotopic values of the hornblende-rich rocks indicate that the late magma pulses that led to the formation of the DJ/DB zone may have experienced lower degrees of crustal contamination during ascent and emplacement.

**Figure 6 (opposite page).** Backscattered electron (BSE) images of platinum group minerals from the DJ/DB zone. a) Sample DDH07-211-5: sperrylite inclusions in chalcopyrite with minor pyrrhotite. b) Sample DDH06-161-3: sudburyite grain enclosed in pyrrhotite. c) Sample DDH05-88-1: sudburyite on the periphery of a chalcopyrite bleb in contact with clinopyroxene. d) Sample DDH04-59-1: sudburyite and sperrylite grains in chlorite near magnetite. e) Sample DDH07-211-11: sperrylite in secondary chlorite around clinopyroxene. f) Sample DDH05-88-1: satellite grain of sperrylite in clinopyroxene and adjacent to a chalcopyrite bleb. g) Sample DDH05-102-5: sperrylite and sudburyite rims and fracture-controlled veinlets along a composite grain of chalcopyrite and pyrrhotite. h) Sample DDH05-88-1: pyrrhotite bleb with a partial rim and veinlets of sperrylite. Mineral abbreviations as in Figure 3, in addition to: chl = chlorite; mag = magnetite; sd = sudburyite; spy = sperrylite; tr = tremolite.







**Figure 7.** Sulphur isotope compositions of sulphide minerals from sulphide-rich rocks in and adjacent to the DJ/DB zone (this study) and the Horsetrail zone of the Turnagain intrusion (Scheel, 2007). The orange field covers a range of  $\delta^{34}\text{S}$  compositions from volcanic arcs (compiled by Manor, 2014), which is taken to represent  $\delta^{34}\text{S}$  values of the mantle wedge (range = +1.4 to +6.5‰). The grey field indicates the initial range of  $\delta^{34}\text{S}$  compositions ( $-0.91 \pm 0.5\text{‰}$ ) from mid-ocean ridge basalt (MORB) glass, which represents MORB mantle values (Labidi et al., 2012). Mineral abbreviations: Cpx = clinopyroxenite; Hbl = hornblende; Mag = magnetite; Ol = olivine, Srp = serpentine.

## SUMMARY

The host rocks to Cu-PGE mineralization in the DJ/DB zone of the Turnagain intrusion are Phase 3 clinopyroxenite and hornblendite, in contrast to the host dunite and wehrlite (Phase 2) that dominate the Ni-Co resource of the Horsetrail zone. Clinopyroxenite was subdivided into hornblende clinopyroxenite, clinopyroxenite, magnetite clinopyroxenite, and olivine clinopyroxenite. Both major rock types host a variety of base metal sulphides (<53%), arsenic- and antimony-bearing minerals, and platinum group minerals. Base metal sulphides include pyrrhotite, chalcopyrite, and pyrite, with minor pentlandite and trace millerite, sphalerite, bornite, siegenite, marcasite, galena, and molybdenite. Arsenic and antimony phases present are cobaltite, gersdorffite, ullmannite, tucckite, and hauchecornite. Platinum group minerals are either Pt-bearing (sperrylite) or Pd-bearing (sudburyite, with rare occurrences of Pd-melonite, ungavaite, testibiopaladite, and genkinite). Sulphur isotope compositions of sulphides from the DJ/DB zone span a wide range of  $\delta^{34}\text{S}$  values, and indicate that crustal sulphur from the surrounding phyllite was assimilated by parental magma during emplacement. The TGI-4 databases of geochemistry (whole rock, stable isotope, and platinum

group elements) and mineral chemistry (electron microprobe, laser ablation ICP-MS) generated in this study and presented herein will be augmented by geochronology in a forthcoming publication.

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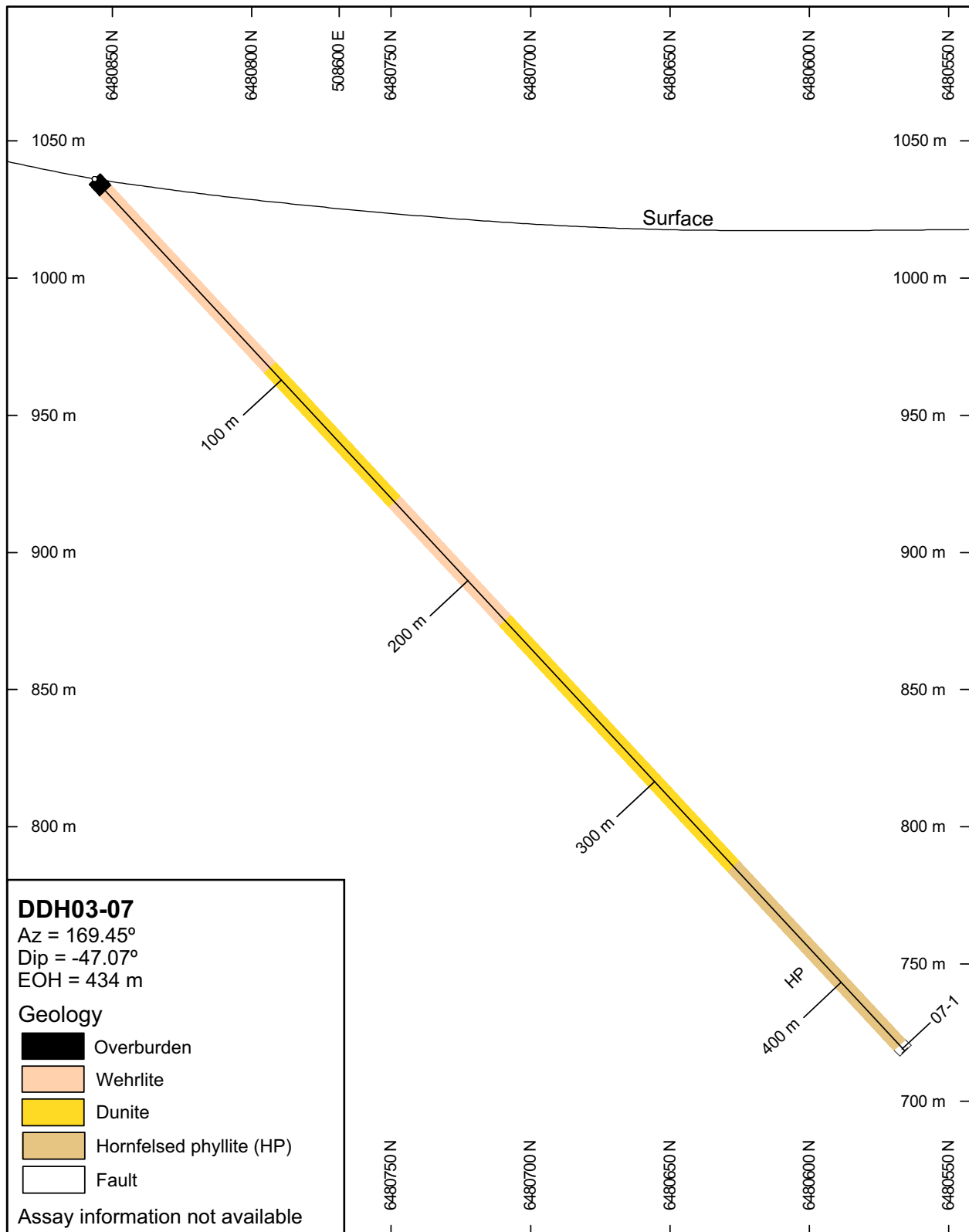


### **Appendix C.** Visual logs and assay results for sampled drillholes from the DJ/DB zone

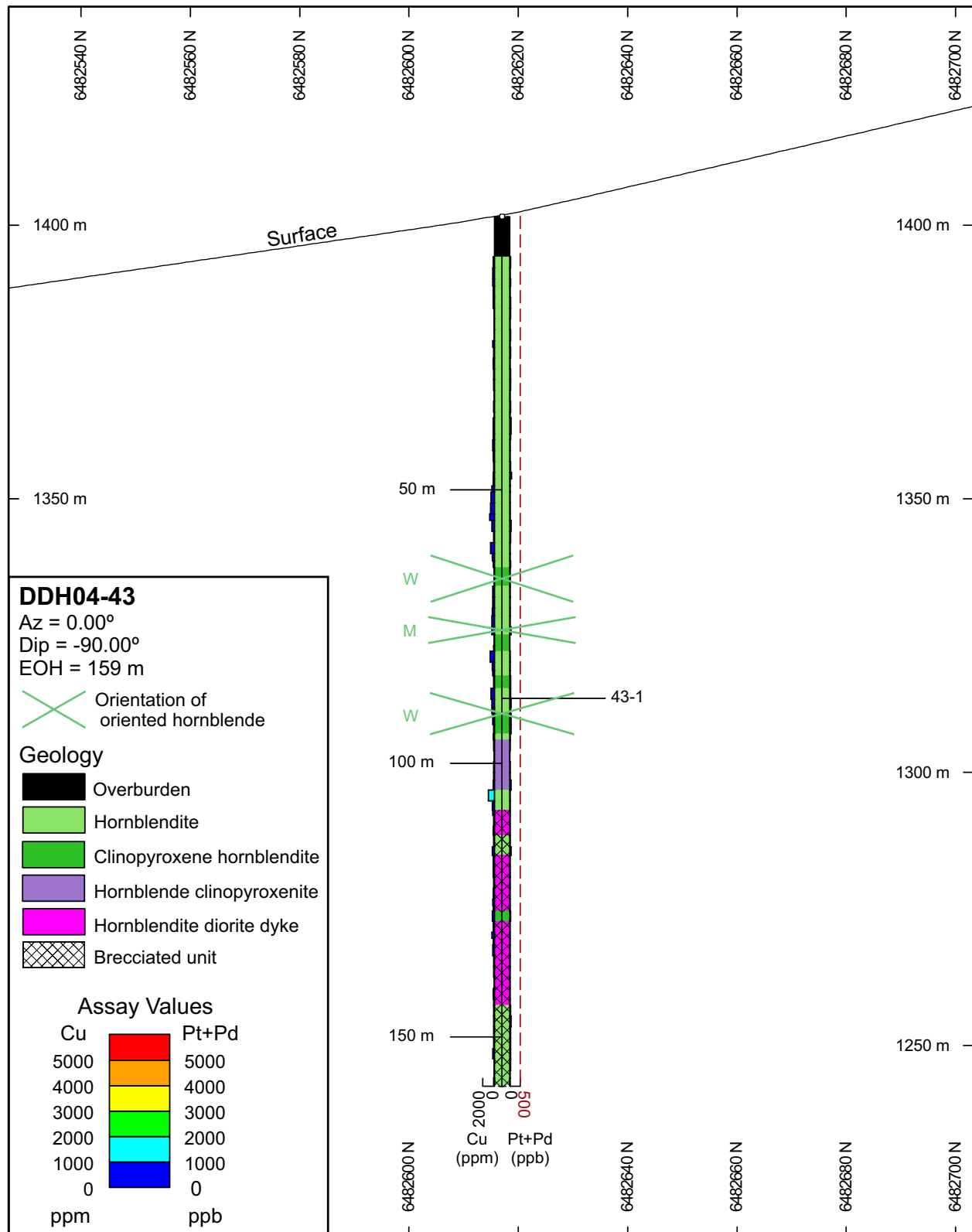
Appendix C contains downhole cross-sections for all sampled drillholes. Location information indicates the location of each drillhole collar (NAD83 UTM Zone 9). Sections were cut parallel to the downhole orientation of the hole. The geology down each drillhole is represented by a colour-coded centerline. Each side of the trace shows a histogram and colour-coded assay values for copper (left) and combined platinum + palladium (right) concentrations from assay data provided by Hard Creek Nickel Corporation. Samples are indicated on the right-hand side of the drillhole trace, with a line leading to the sample location. The thickness of the histogram bars is representative of downhole assay sample lengths. Abbreviations: Az = azimuth of the drillhole, Dip = dip of the drillhole at the collar, EOH = end of hole (in metres). Mineral abbreviations: ep = epidote, fsp = feldspar, hbl = hornblende.

Representative orientation data are plotted on drillhole traces for measured fabrics: oriented hornblende (green, W=weak, M=moderate, S=strong), magnetite banding (B=blebby, C=continuous), sulphide banding (D=discontinuous band; L=coherent band), and bedding in phyllite.

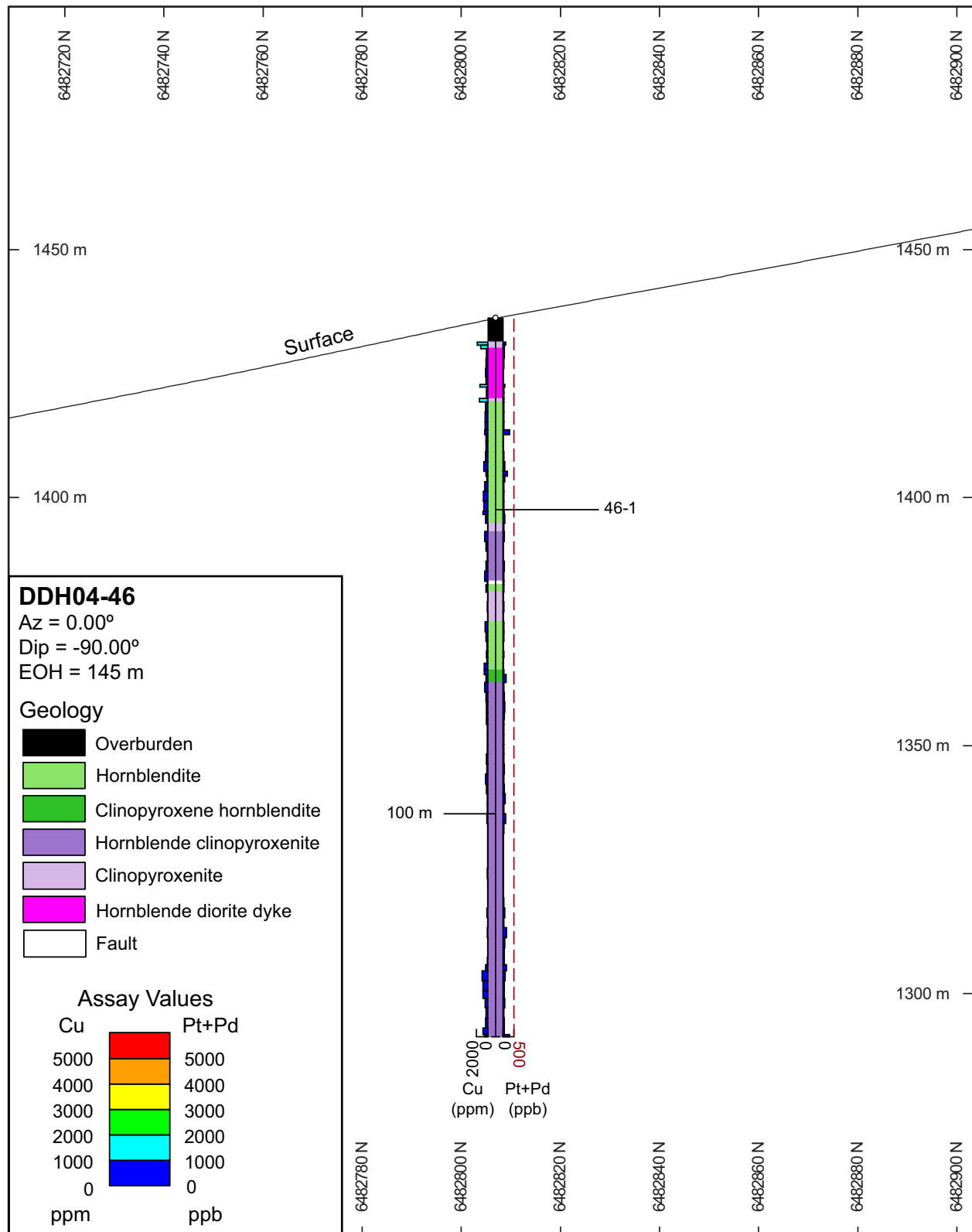
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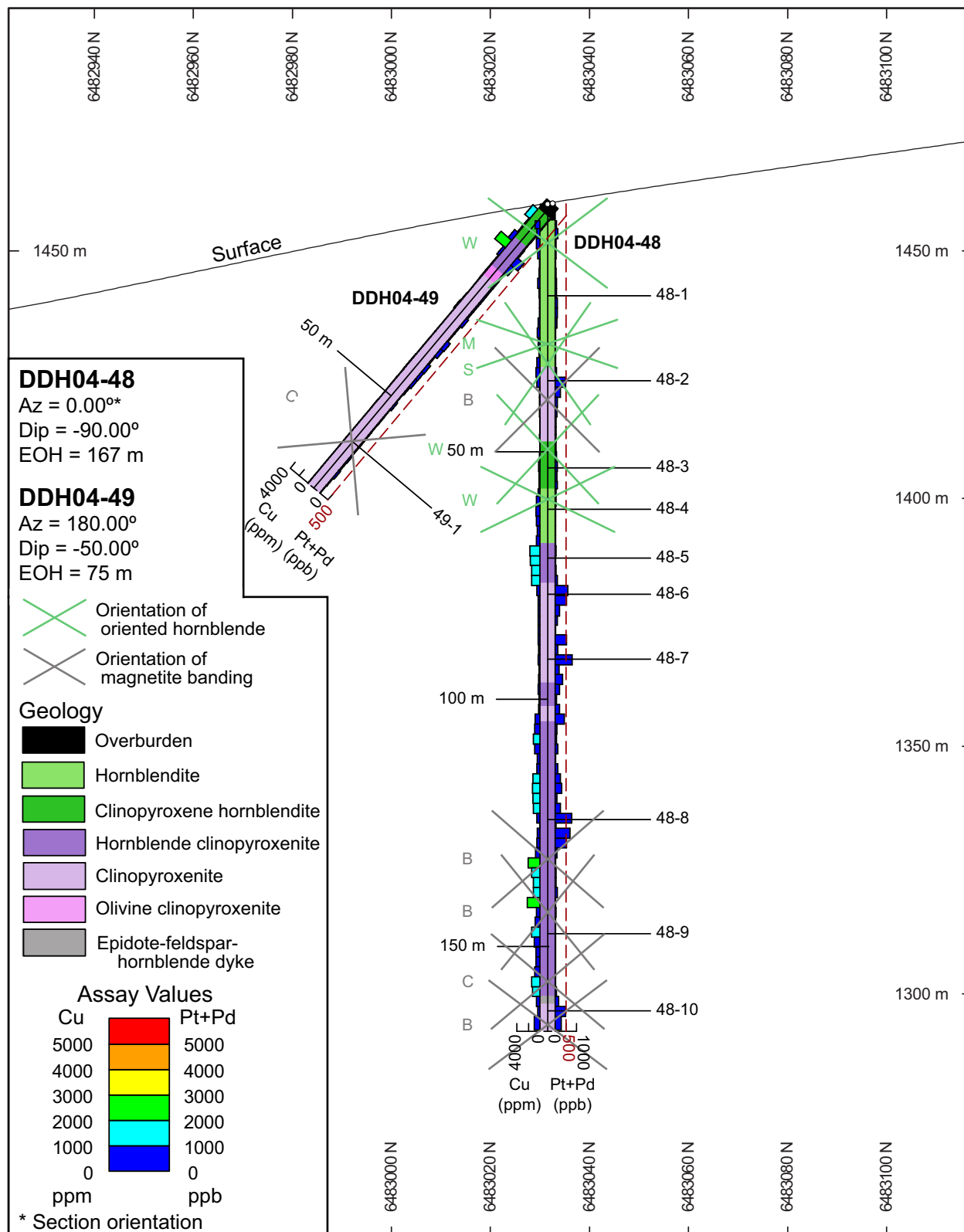
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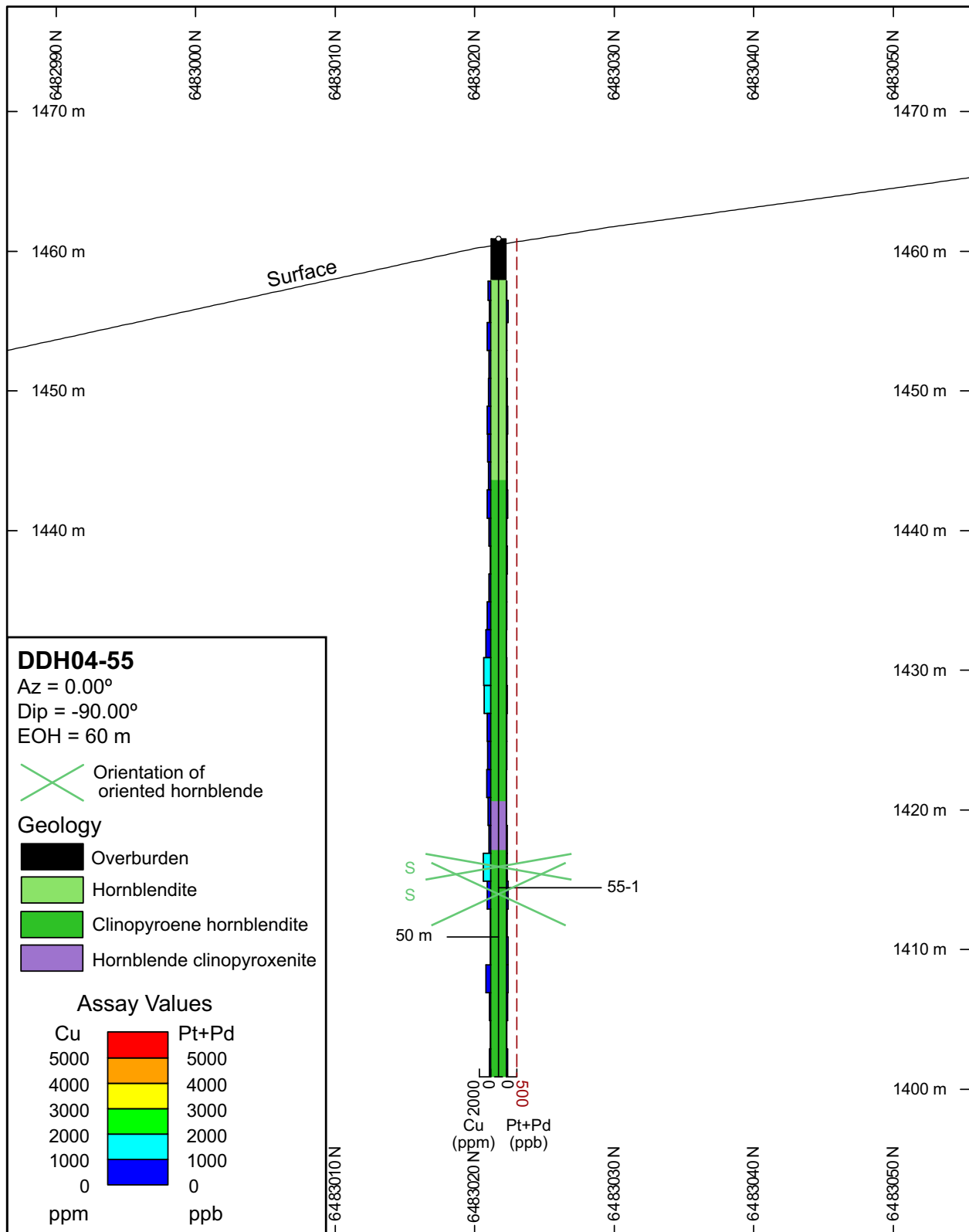
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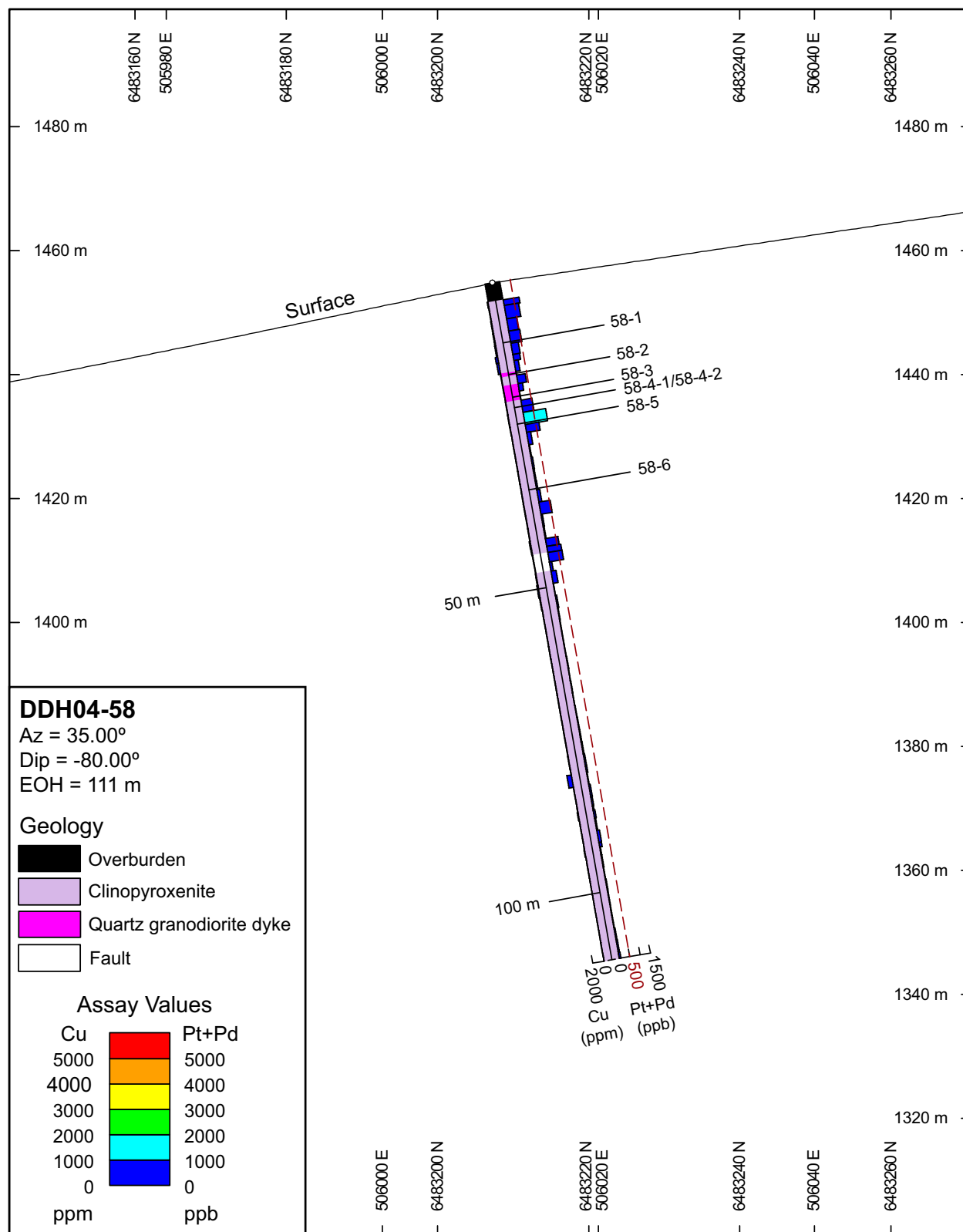
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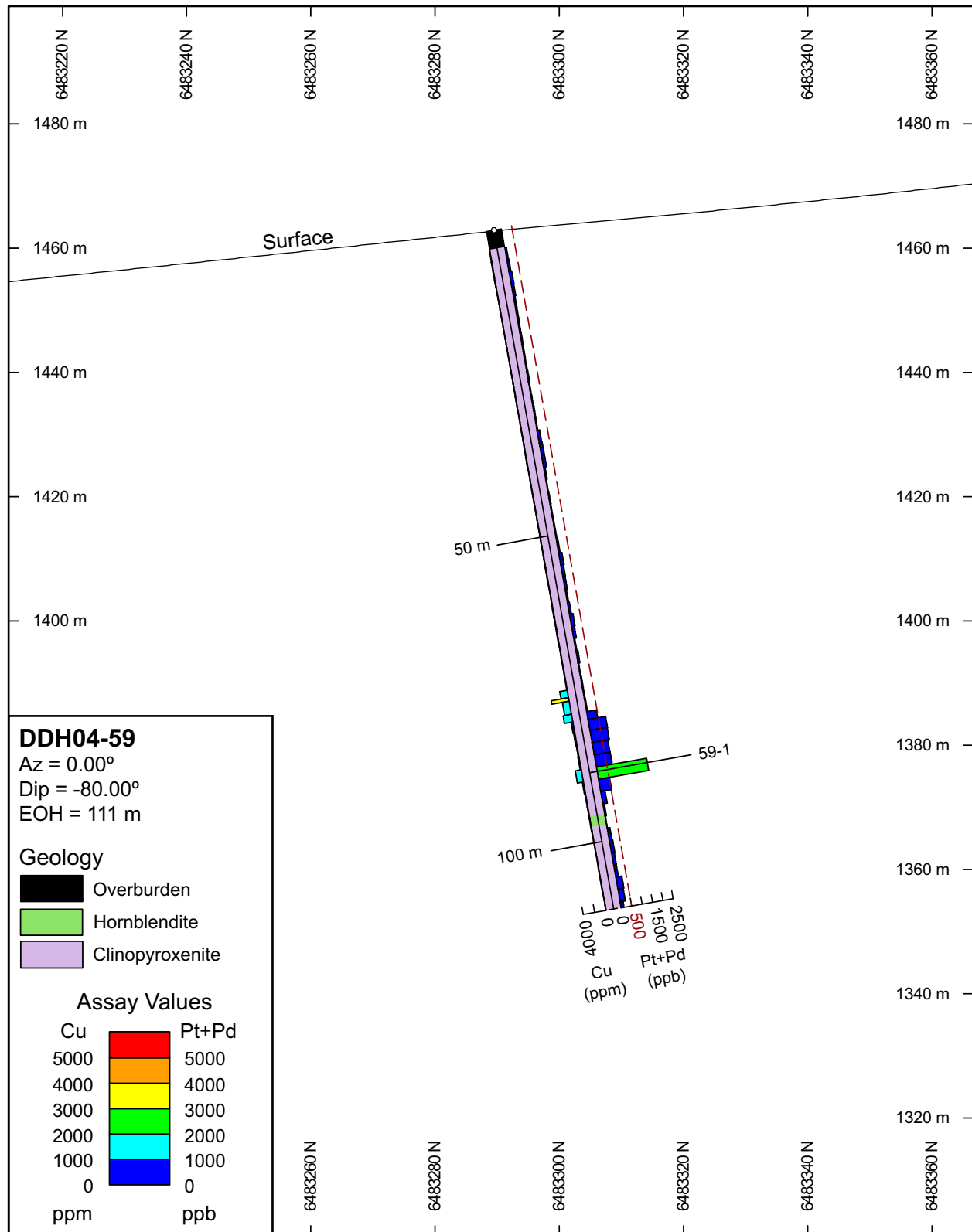
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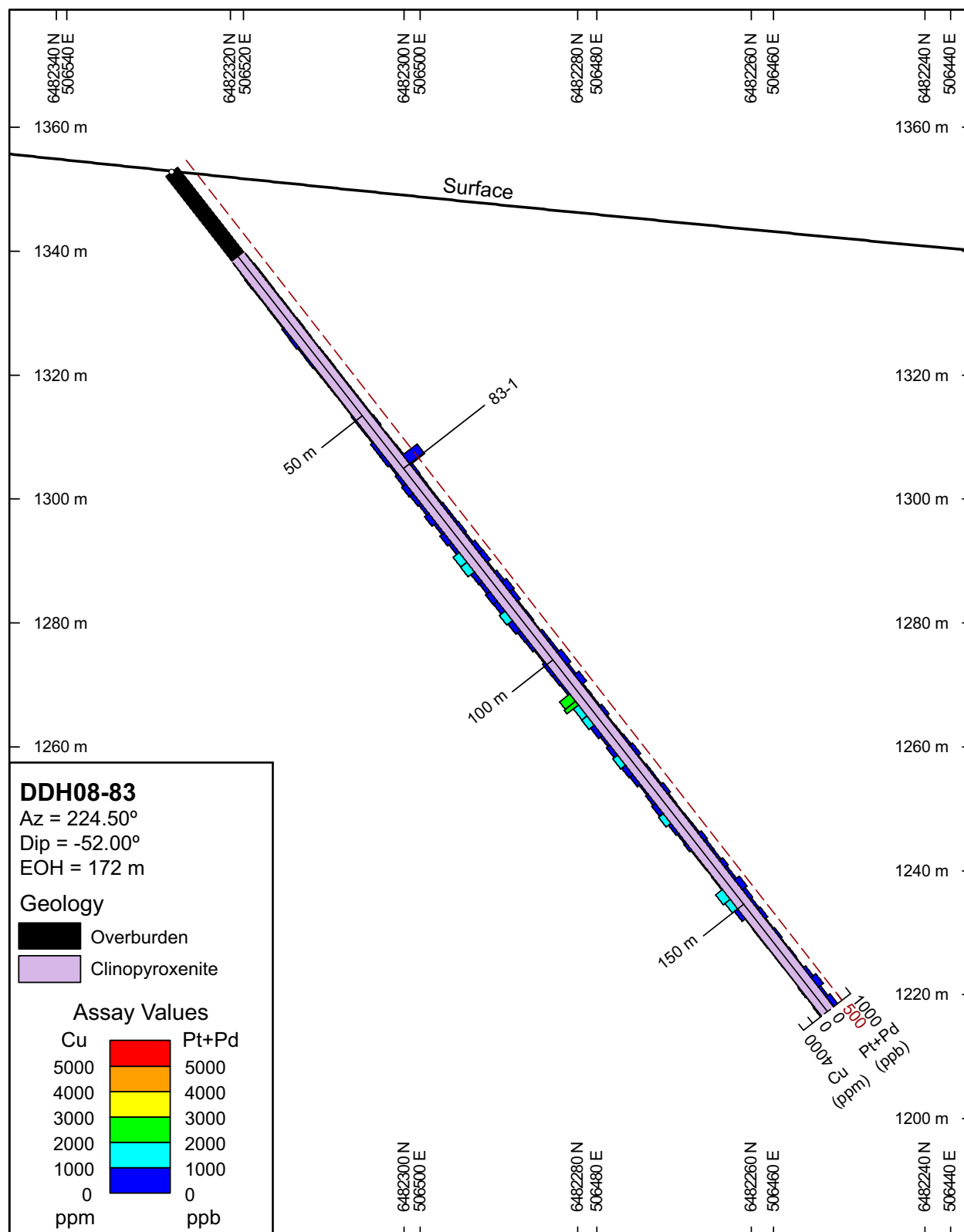


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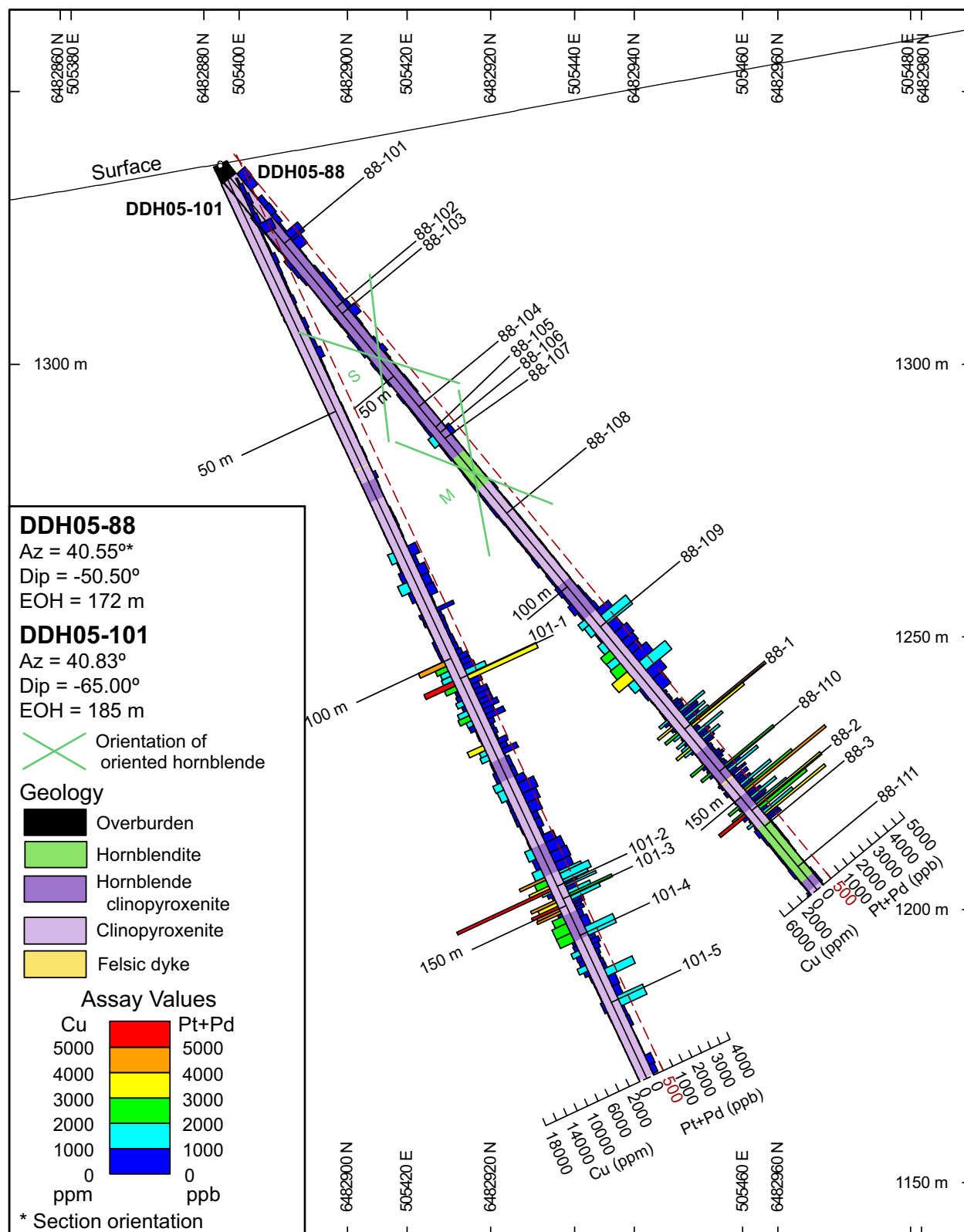




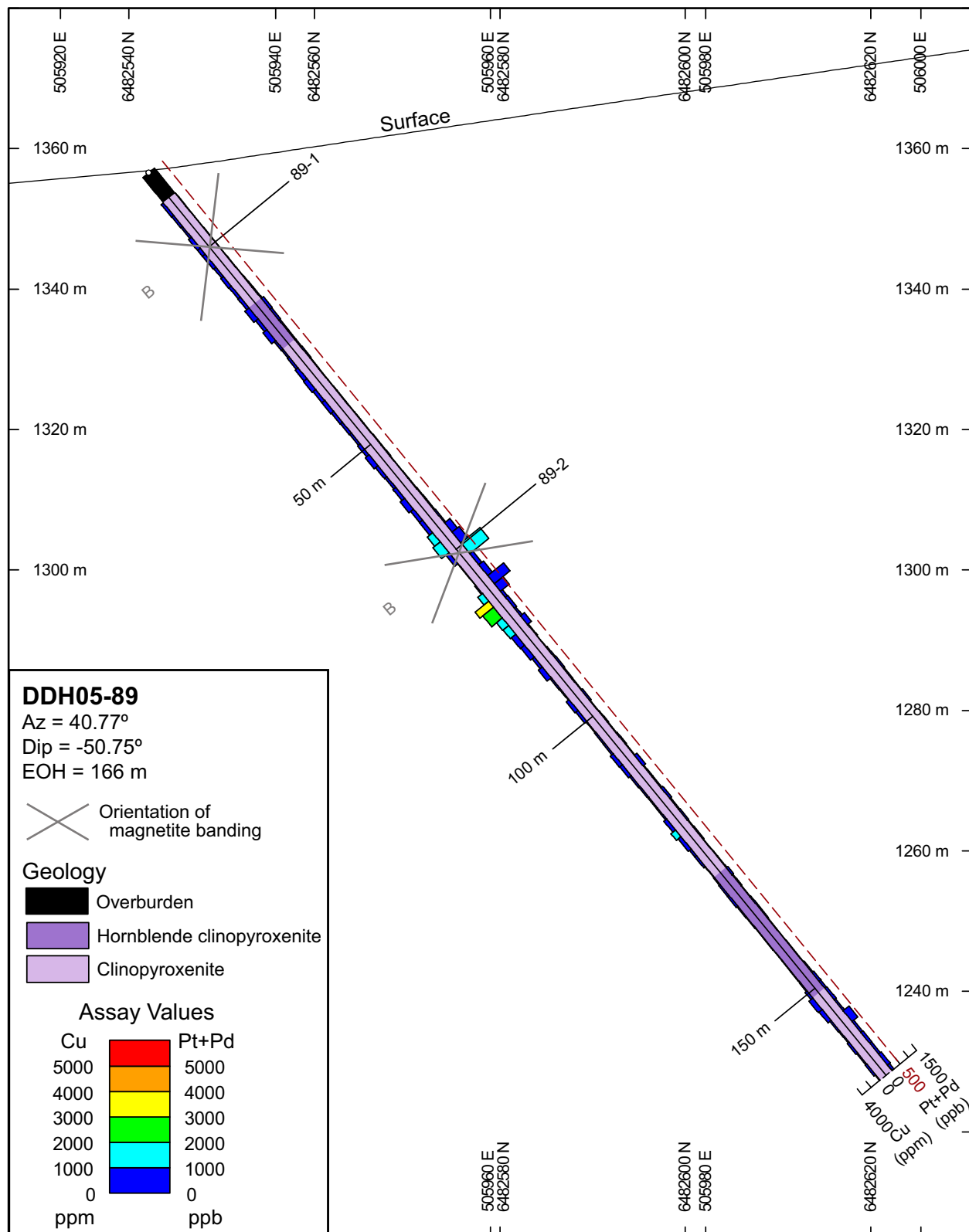
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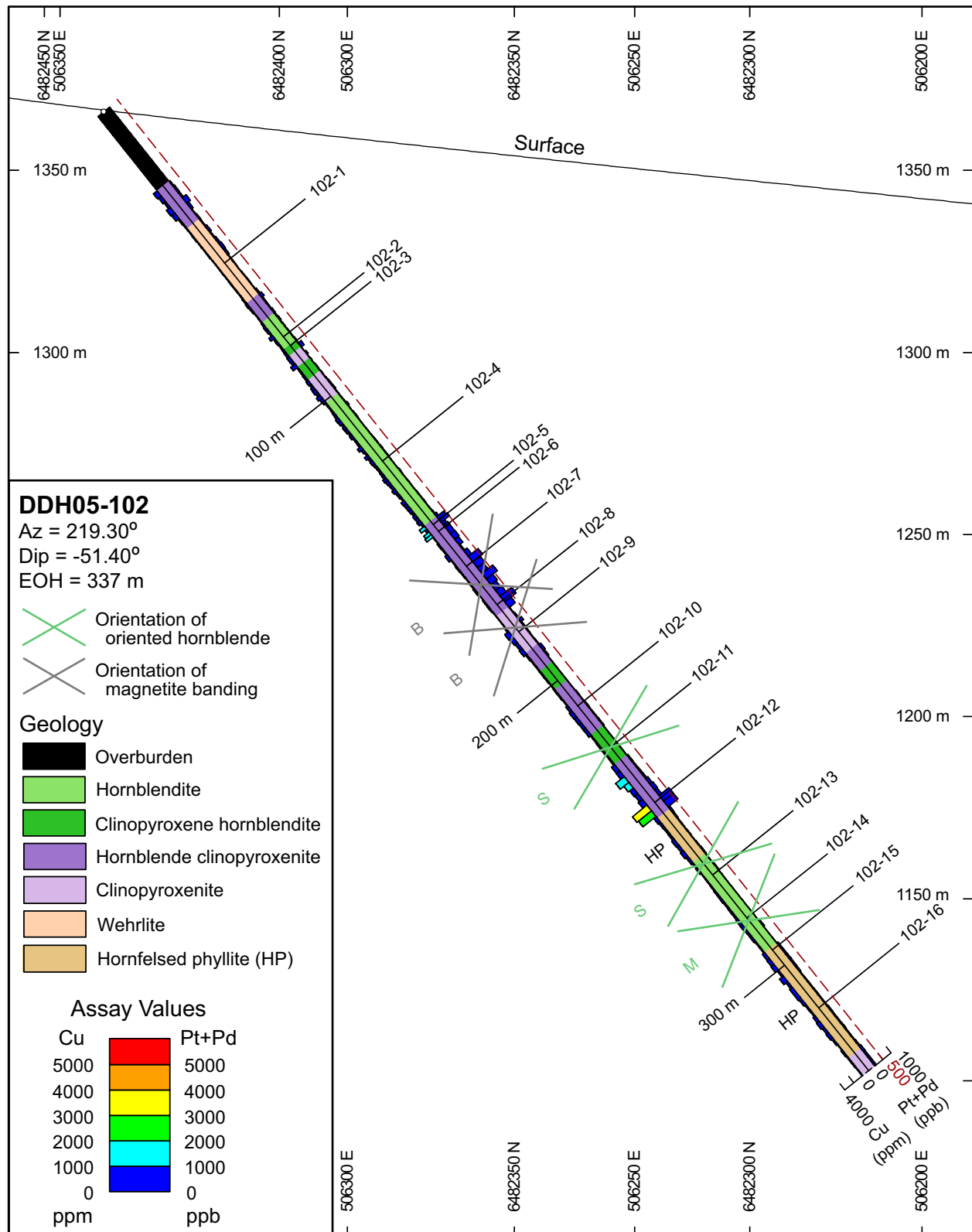
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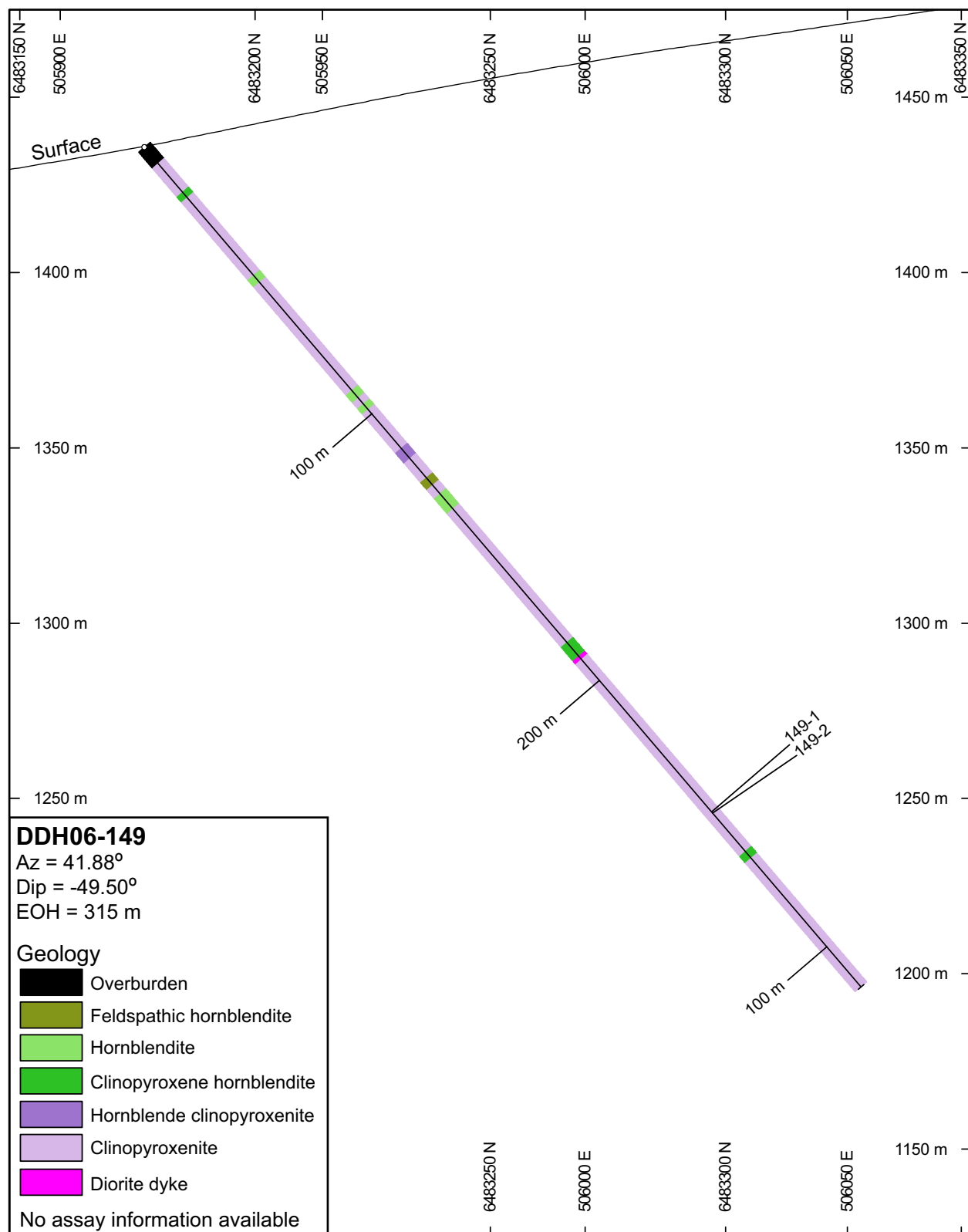
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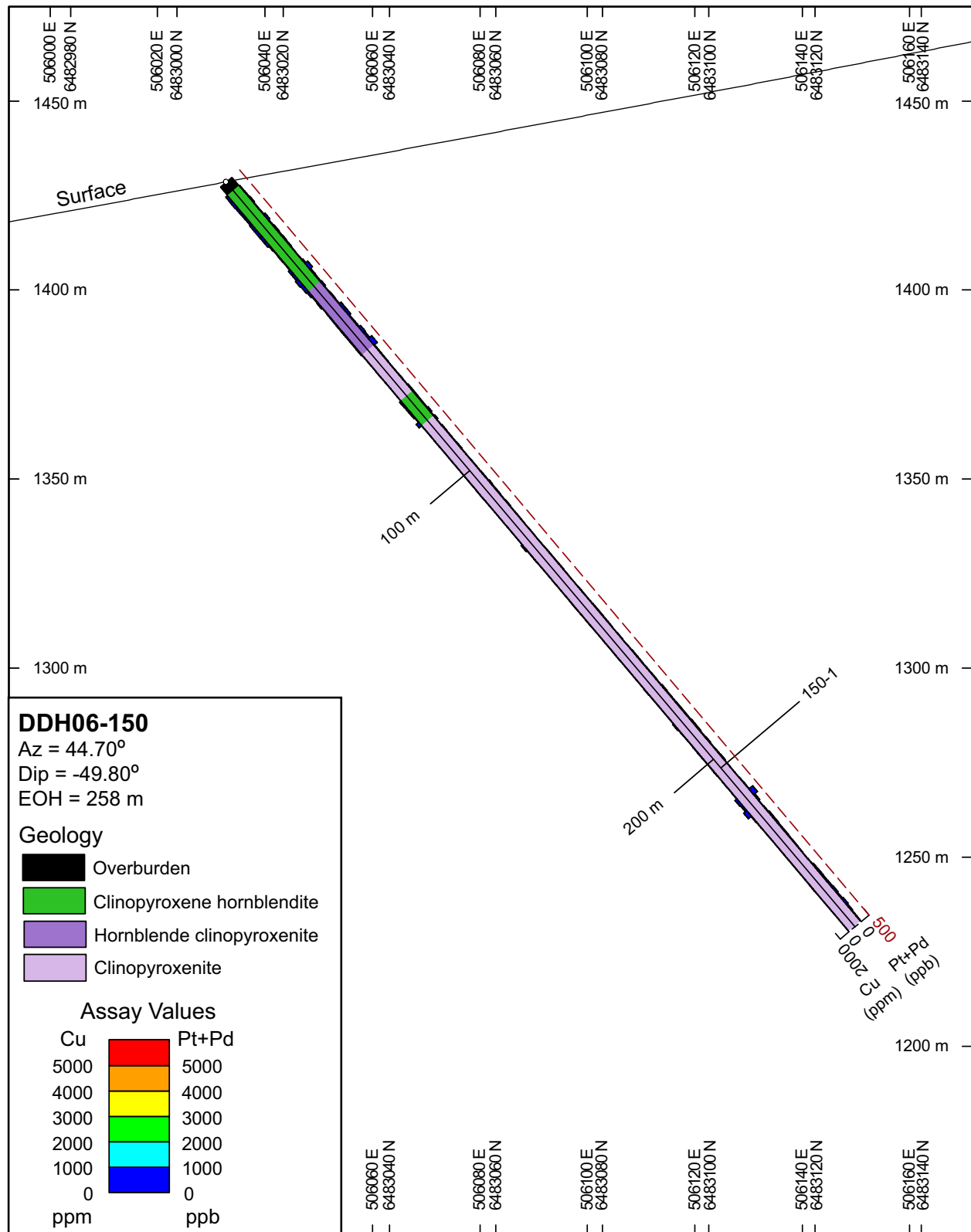
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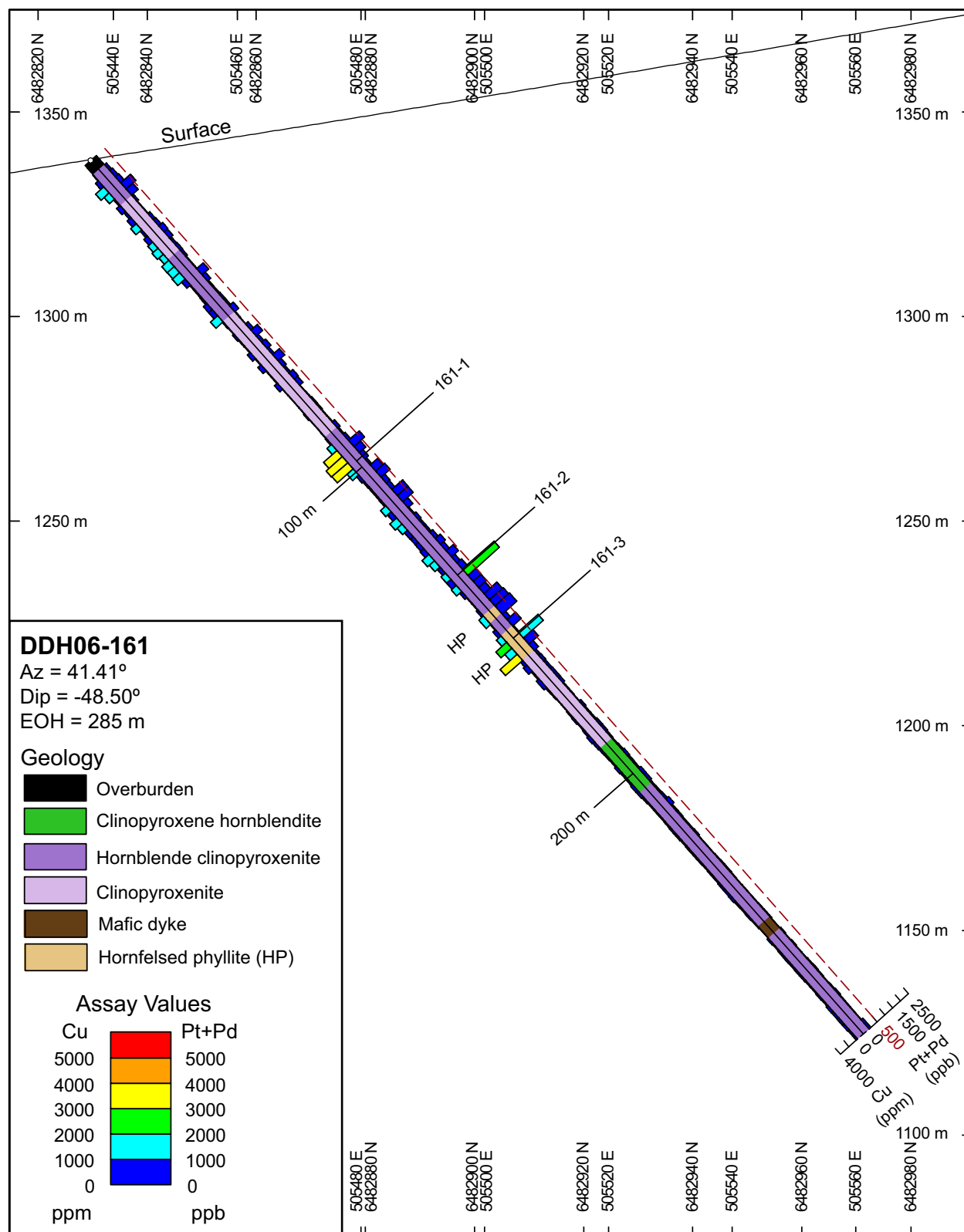
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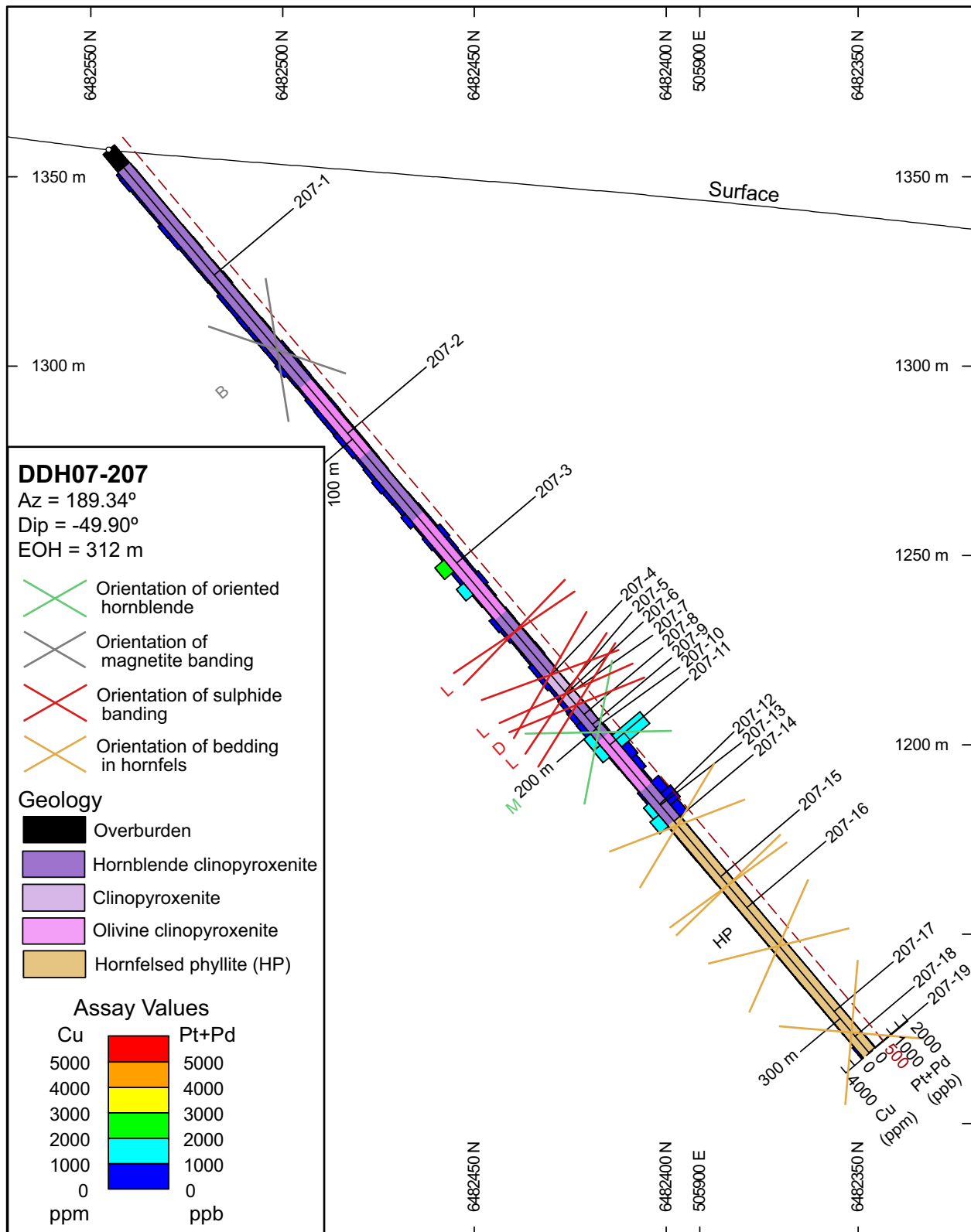
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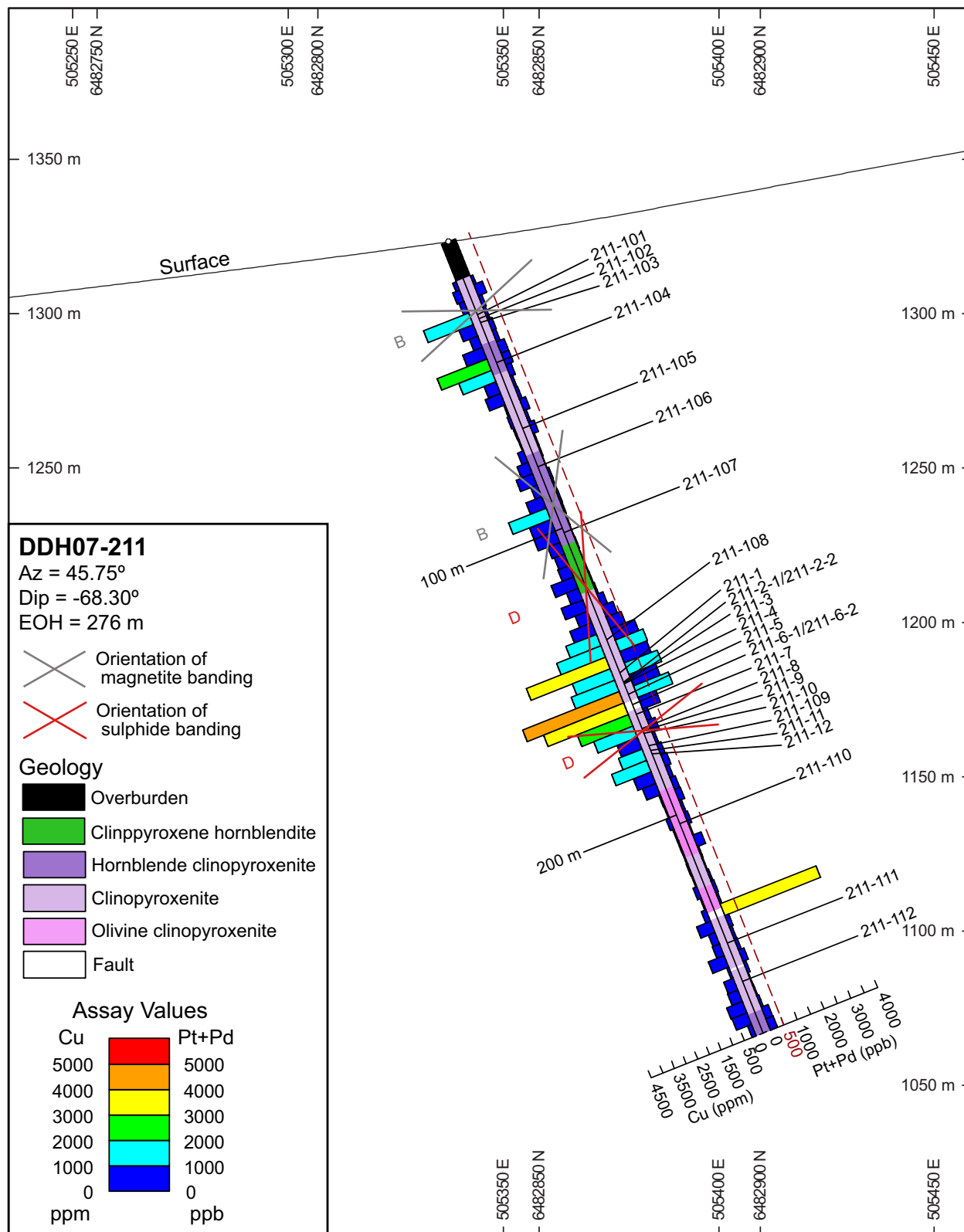


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**Appendix D.** Photographs of drillcore and surface samples from the DJ/DB zone

Appendix D contains photographs of all samples from the DJ/DB zone, with drill collar or surface sample location (NAD83 UTM Zone 9), rock type, depth of sample (for drillcore samples), and sulphide mineralization texture. All photographs include a centimetre scale card (black band = 1 cm).

**Drillhole: DDH03-07**

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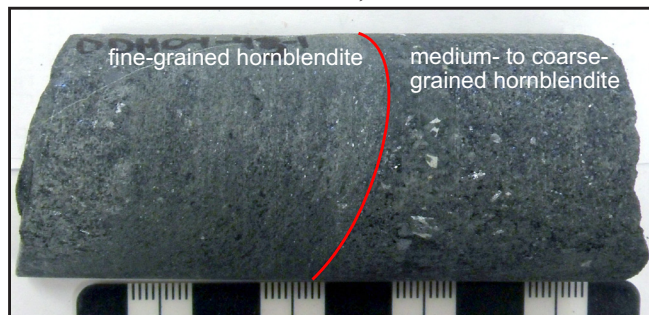
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Depth: 432.80 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated

**Drillhole: DDH04-43**

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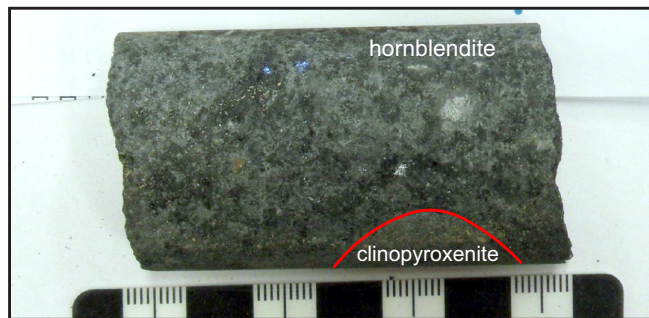
*DDH04-43-1*: Fine-grained hornblendite contacting medium- to coarse-grained hornblendite

Depth: 88.10 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly

**Drillhole: DDH04-46**

506468.9 mE 6482807 mN, Elev: 1436.26 m



*DDH04-46-1*: Hornblendite with clinopyroxenite clast

Depth: 38.70 m

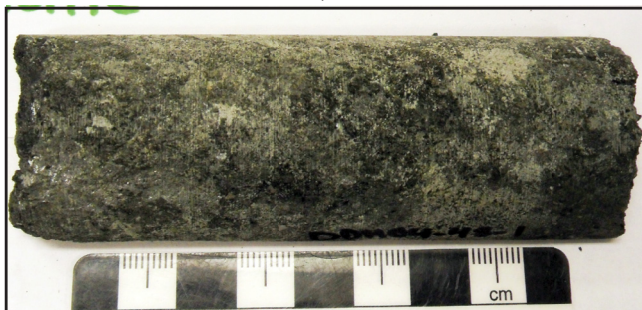
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



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**Diamond drillhole: DDH04-48**

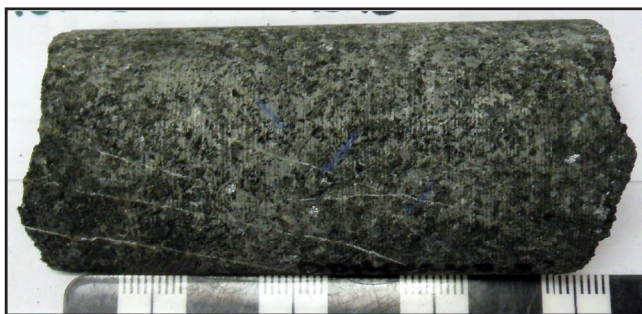
506254.4 mE 6483032 mN, Elev: 1459.44 m



DDH04-48-1: Hornblende  
Depth: 18.50 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Net textured



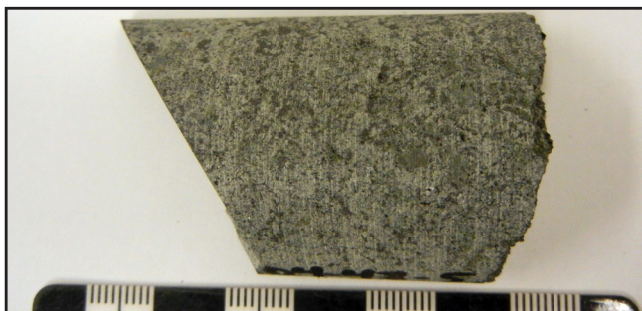
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Depth: 35.70 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



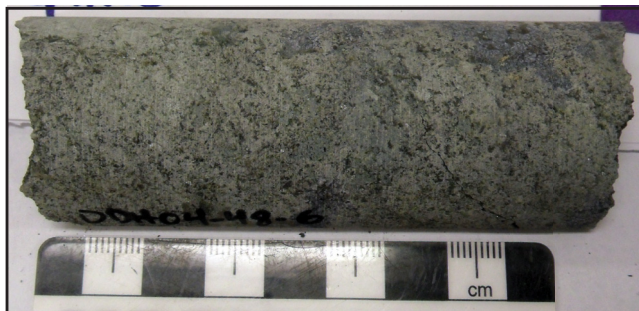
DDH04-48-3: Clinopyroxene hornblende  
Depth: 53.30 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



DDH04-48-4: Hornblende  
Depth: 61.63 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



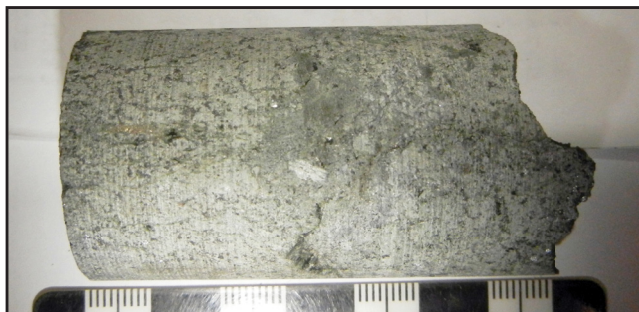
DDH04-48-5: Magnetite clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 71.50 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



DDH04-48-6: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 78.75 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



DDH04-48-7: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 91.90 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



DDH04-48-8: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 124.30 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



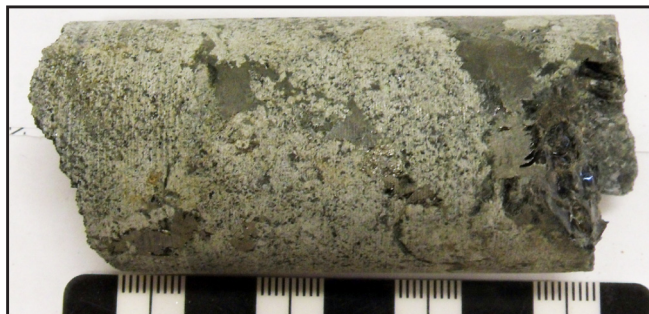
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**Drillhole: DDH04-48**

506254.4 mE 6483032 mN, Elev: 1459.44 m



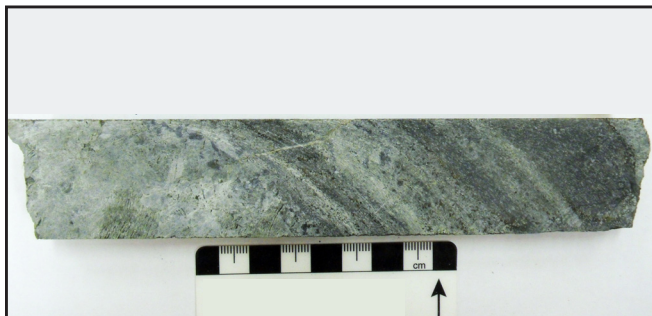
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contacting coarse-grained magnetite clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 147.30 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



*DDH04-48-10*: Biotite clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 162.92 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated

**Drillhole: DDH04-49**

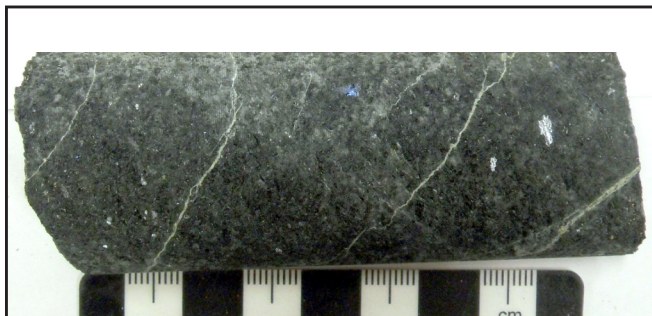
506254.4 mE 6483033 mN, Elev: 1459.44 m



*DDH04-49-1*: Well banded magnetite clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 62.85 m  
Mineralization texture: Barren

**Drillhole: DDH04-55**

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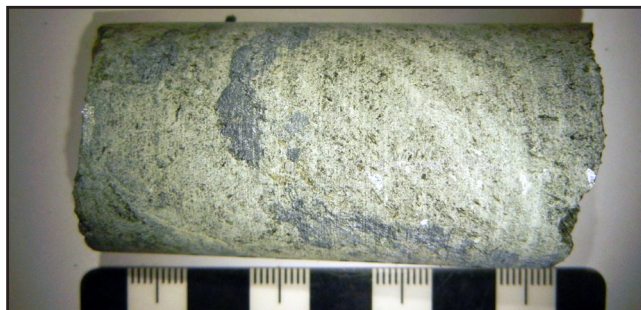


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Mineralization texture: Disseminated

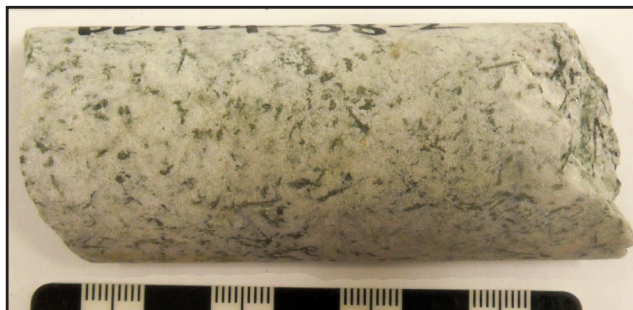
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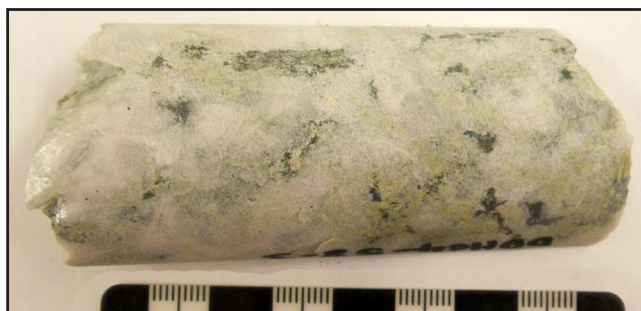
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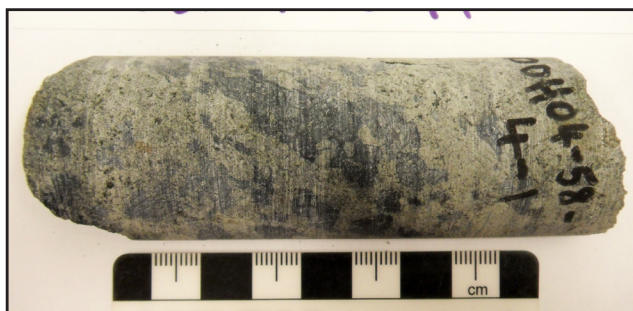
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Mineralization texture: Disseminated



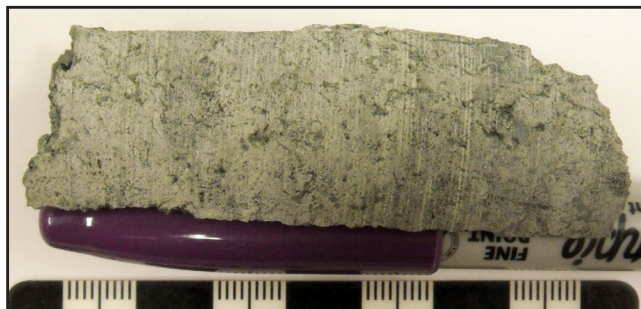
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Mineralization texture: Barren



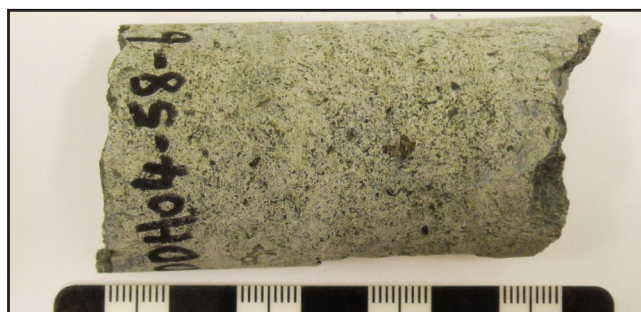
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Depth: 20.50 m  
Mineralization texture: Barren



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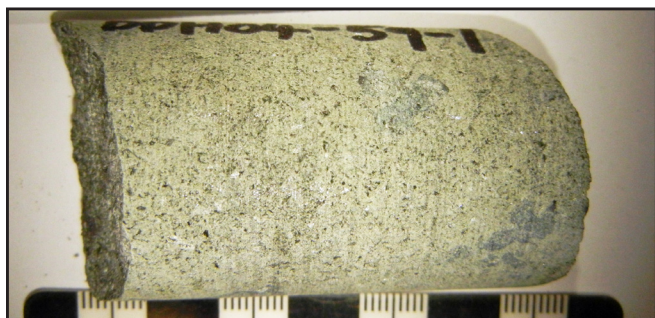
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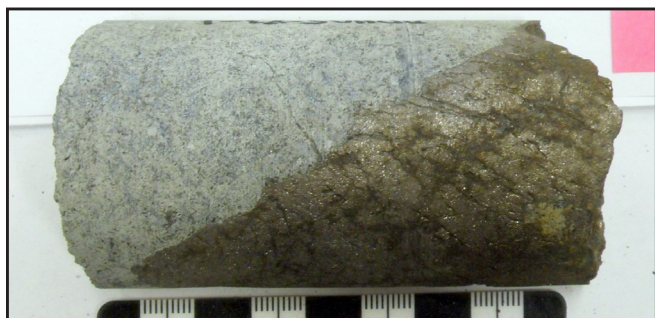
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Mineralization texture: Disseminated

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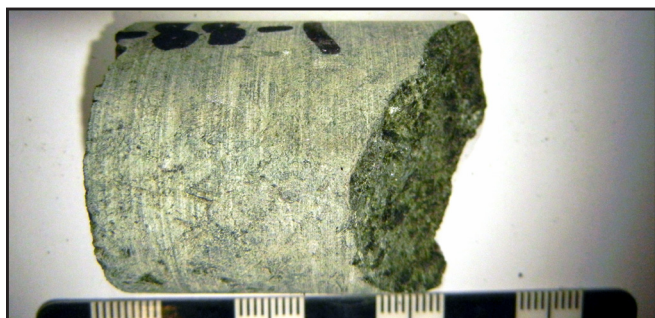
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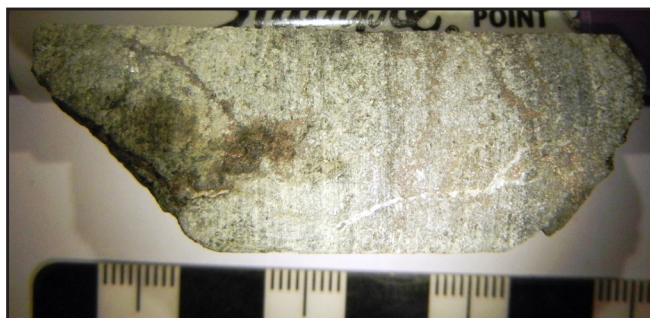
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MineralizationTexture: Disseminated-Massive

**Drillhole: DDH05-88**

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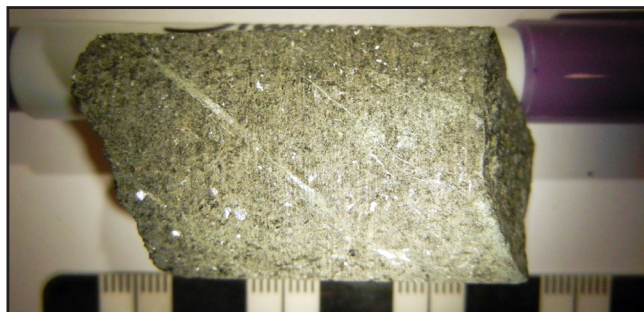
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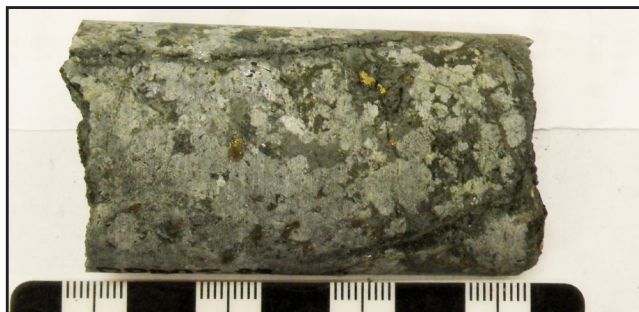
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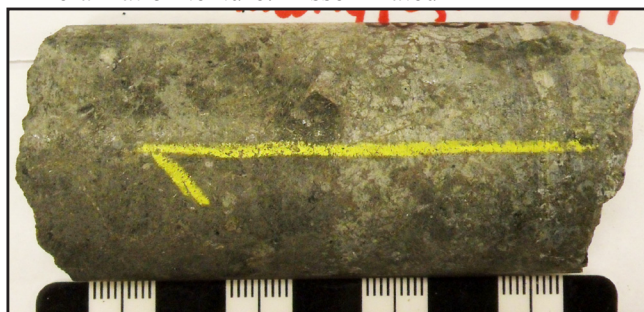
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Depth: 156.90 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



DDH05-88-101: Hornblende clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 18.42 m  
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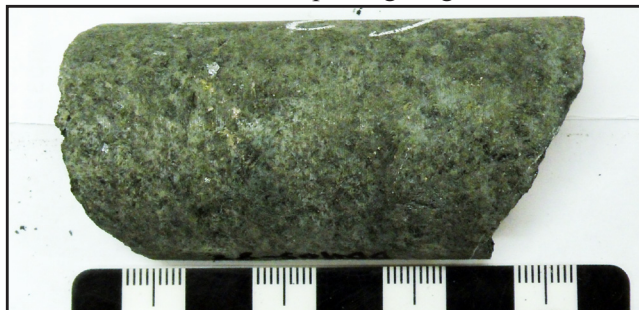
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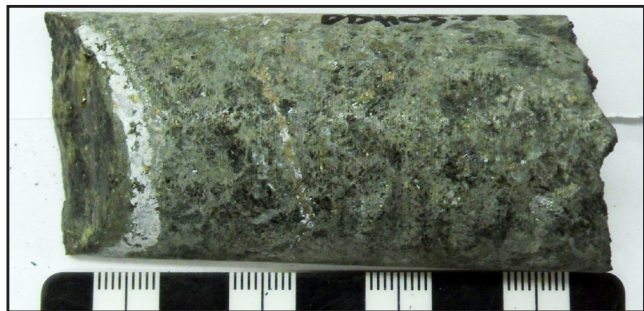
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Depth: 35.10 m  
Mineralization texture: Replacing magnetite



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Depth: 57.23 m  
Mineralization texture: Net textured and Vein hosted



DDH05-88-105: Hornblende  
Depth: 62.12 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



DDH05-88-106: Hornblende with calcite-hornblende vein  
Depth: 63.41 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Net textured



DDH05-88-107: Clinopyroxene hornblende  
Depth: 64.75 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Layered



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**Drillhole: DDH05-88**

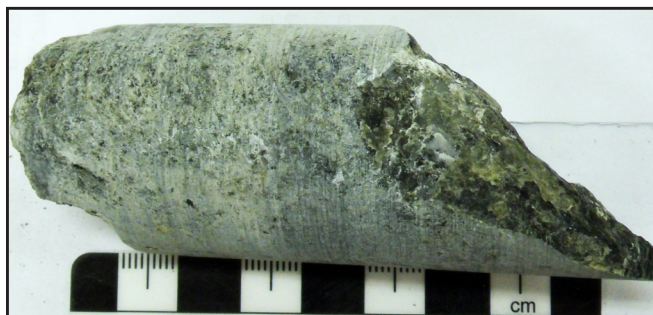
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*DDH05-88-108*: Clinopyroxenite with carbonate veins  
Depth: 82.55 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



*DDH05-88-109*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 109.53 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



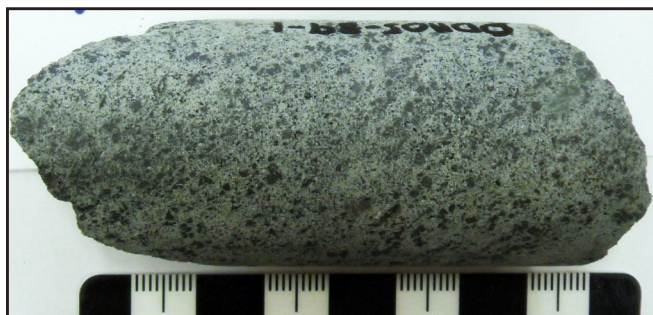
*DDH05-88-110*: Hornblende-magnetite clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 143.87 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



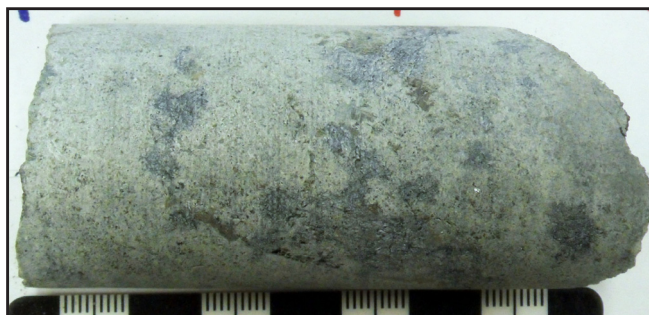
*DDH05-88-111*: Hornblendite  
Depth: 166.50 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated

**Drillhole: DDH05-89**

505925.5 mE 6482544 mN, Elev: 1356.58 m



*DDH05-89-1*: Magnetite clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 13.65 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



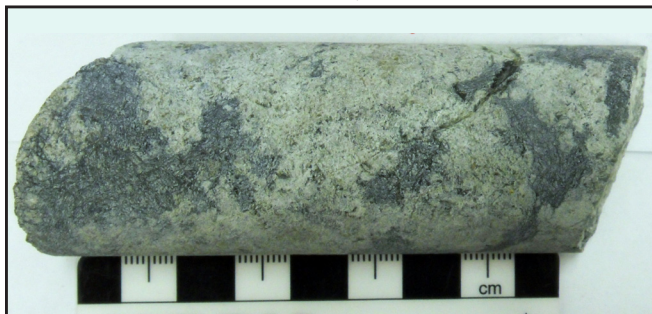
*DDH05-89-2*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 69.26 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



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**Drillhole: DDH05-101**

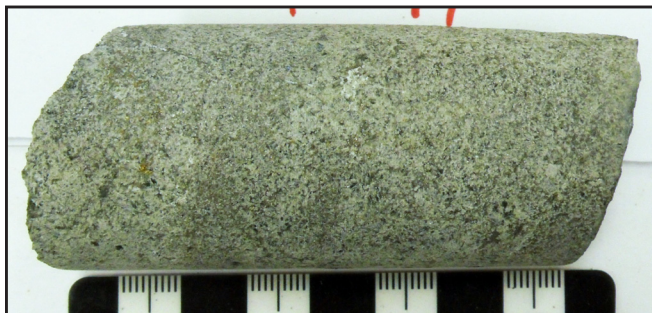
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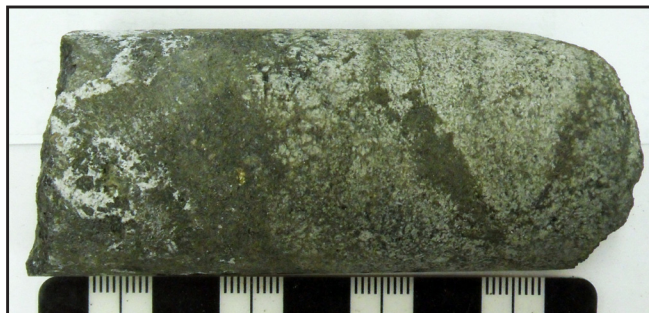
*DDH05-101-1*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 104.13 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



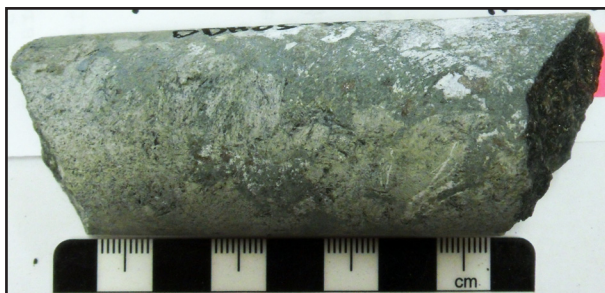
*DDH05-101-2*: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 146.14 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Semi-massive



*DDH05-101-3*: clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 148.65 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



*DDH05-101-4*: Calcite-hornblende-chlorite vein in  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 156.05 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



*DDH05-101-5*: Calcite-chlorite vein in clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 169.60 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



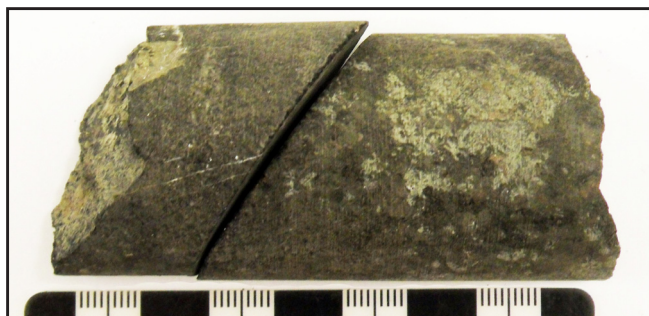
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**Drillhole: DDH05-102**

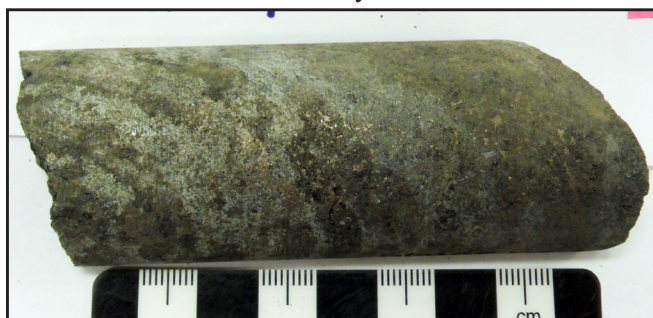
506346 mE 6482435 mN, Elev: 1366.17 m



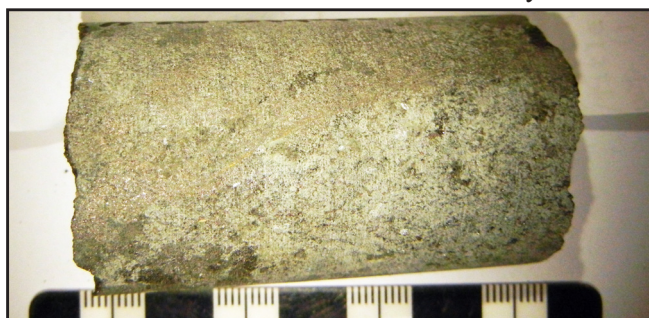
*DDH05-102-1*: Serpentine-altered wehrlite  
Depth: 53.30 m  
Mineralization texture: Blebbly



*DDH05-102-2*: Clinopyroxene hornblendite  
Depth: 79.20 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



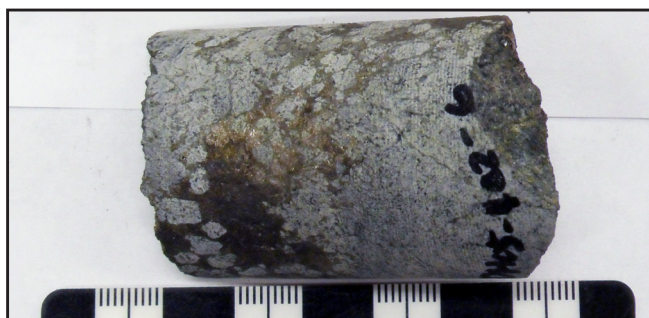
*DDH05-102-3*: Hornblende clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 82.25 m  
Mineralization texture: Net textured-Semi-massive



*DDH05-102-4*: Hornblende clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 122.83 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Net textured



*DDH05-102-5*: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 145.15 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



*DDH05-102-6*: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 147.56 m  
Mineralization texture: Net textured-Semi-massive



*DDH05-102-7*: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 159.80 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Net textured



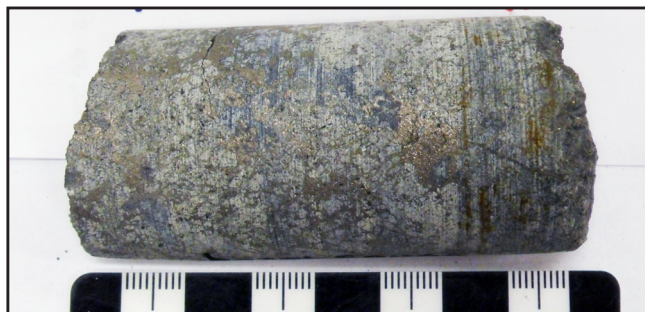
*DDH05-102-8*: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 173.34 m  
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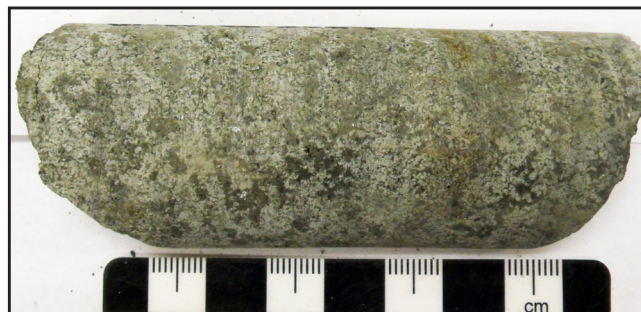
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**Drillhole: DDH05-102**

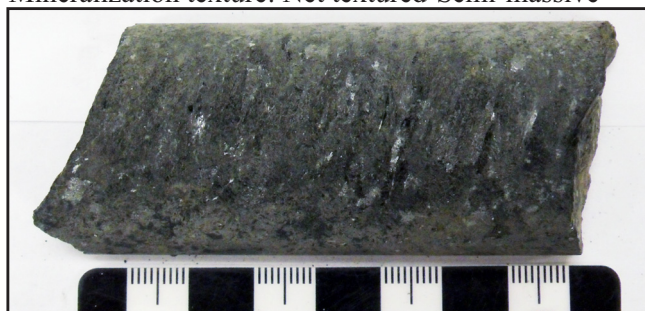
506346 mE 6482435 mN, Elev: 1366.17 m



*DDH05-102-9*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 182.80 m  
Mineralization texture: Net textured-Semi-massive



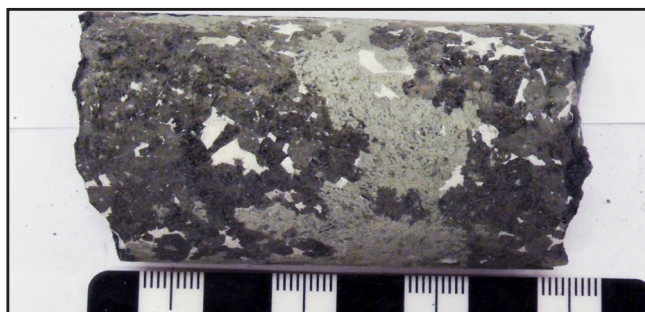
*DDH05-102-10*: Hornblende-magnetite clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 208.80 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Net textured



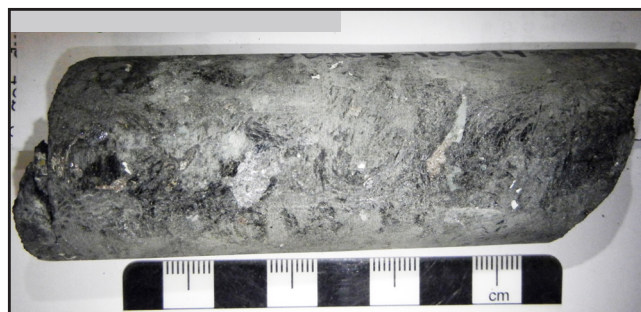
*DDH05-102-11*: Hornblendite  
Depth: 223.27 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



*DDH05-102-12*: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 242.80 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Net textured



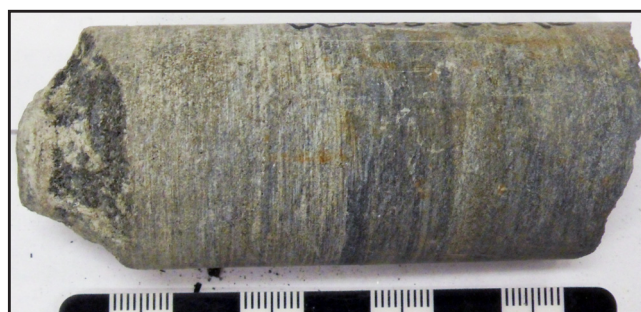
*DDH05-102-13*: Feldspathic hornblendite with clasts  
of clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 268.24 m  
Mineralization Texture: Barren



*DDH05-102-14*: Hornblendite  
Depth: 283.36 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



*DDH05-102-15*: Hornblendite  
Depth: 294.62 m  
Mineralization texture: Net textured-Semi-massive



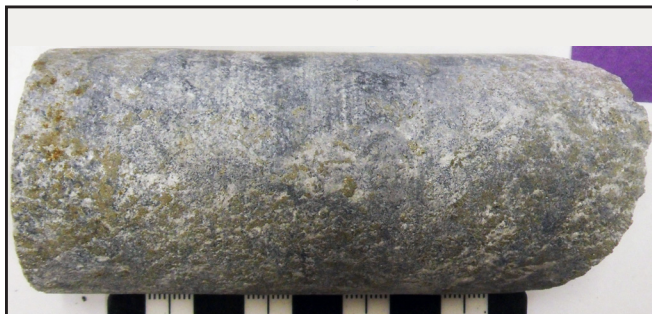
*DDH05-102-16*: Hornfelsed phyllite  
Depth: 314.90 m  
Mineralization texture: Barren



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**Drillhole: DDH06-143**

504769.6 mE 6483975 mN, Elev: 1402.34 m



*DDH06-143-1*: Talc-altered dunite

Depth: 186.40 m

Mineralization texture: Blebby

**Drillhole: DDH06-149**

505912 mE 6483180 mN, Elev: 1435.80 m



*DDH06-149-1*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)

clinopyroxenite

Depth: 249.30 m

Mineralization texture: Barren



*DDH06-149-2*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)

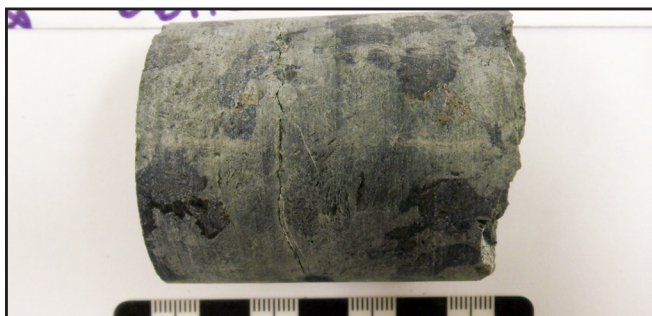
clinopyroxenite

Depth: 249.80 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated

**Drillhole: DDH06-150**

506032.3 mE 6483010 mN, Elev: 1428.63 m



*DDH06-150-1*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)

clinopyroxenite

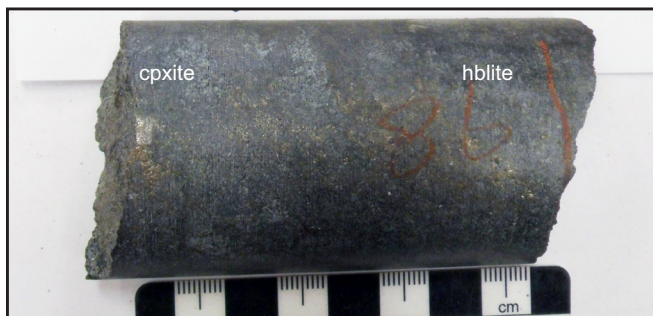
Depth: 203.00 m

Mineralization texture: Barren

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**Drillhole: DDH06-161**

505431.8 mE 6482834 mN, Elev: 1338.16 m



*DDH06-161-1: Clinopyroxenite grading into hornblendite*

Depth: 98.05 m

Mineralization texture: Net textured-Semi-massive



*DDH06-161-2: Magnetite clinopyroxenite*

Depth: 135.30 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Net textured



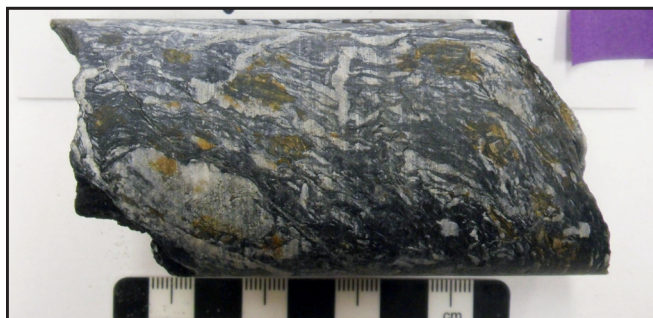
*DDH06-161-3: Tremolite-talc-altered clinopyroxenite*

Depth: 155.90 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Net textured

**Drillhole: DDH07-201**

508735.6 mE 6481504 mN, Elev: 1131.60 m



*DDH07-201-1: Phyllite*

Depth: 655.50 m

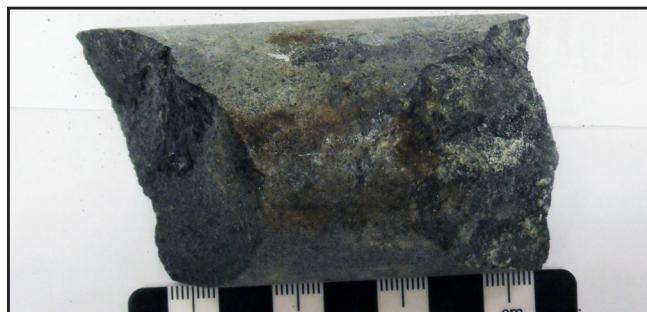
Mineralization texture: Blebby



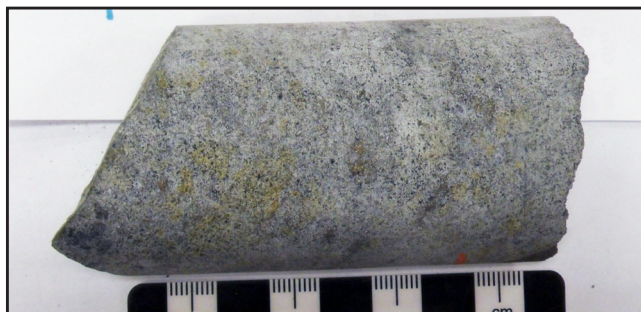
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**Drillhole: DDH07-207**

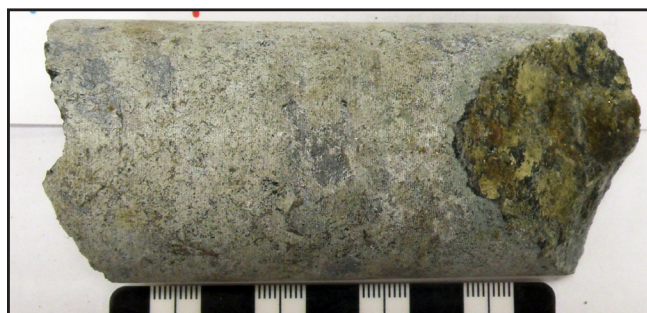
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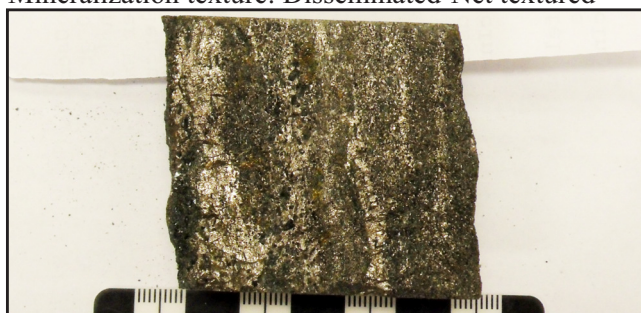
*DDH07-207-1: Hornblende clinopyroxenite*  
Depth: 43.30 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



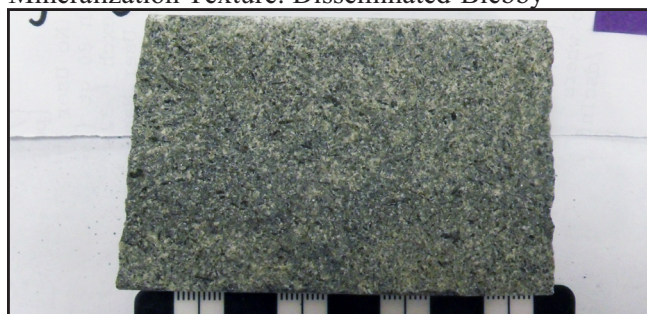
*DDH07-207-2: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite) clinopyroxenite*  
Depth: 98.00 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Net textured



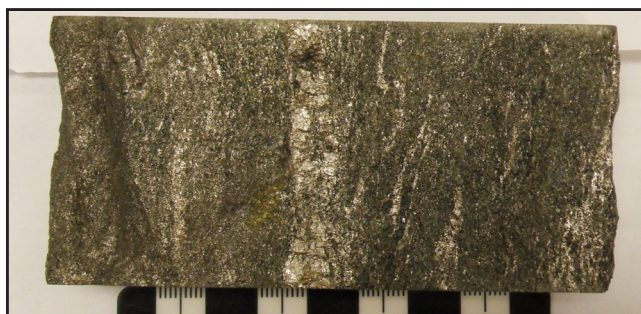
*DDH07-207-3: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite) clinopyroxenite*  
Depth: 142.72 m  
Mineralization Texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



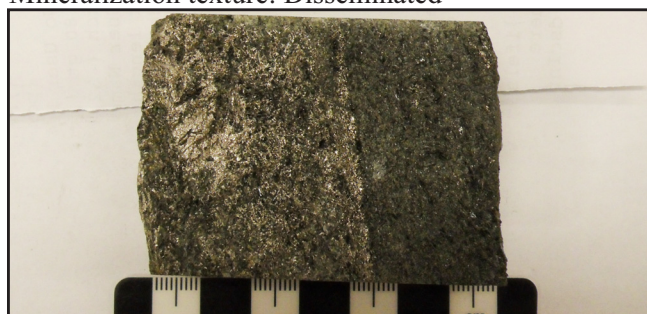
*DDH07-207-4: Clinopyroxenite*  
Depth: 181.44 m  
Mineralization texture: Net textured-Layered



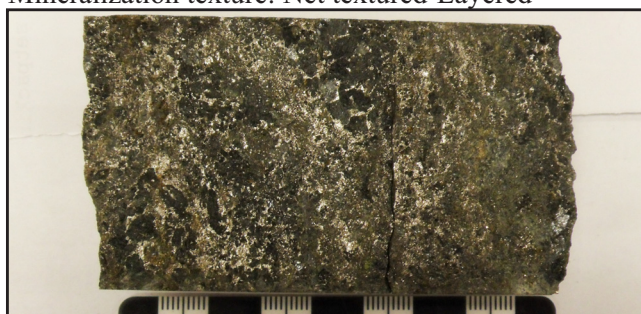
*DDH07-207-5: Diorite*  
Depth: 187.08 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



*DDH07-207-6: Clinopyroxenite*  
Depth: 187.79 m  
Mineralization texture: Net textured-Layered



*DDH07-207-7: Tremolite-altered clinopyroxenite*  
Depth: 188.21 m  
Mineralization texture: Net textured-Layered



*DDH07-207-8: Hornblende clinopyroxenite*  
Depth: 194.97 m  
Mineralization texture: Net textured-Semi-massive



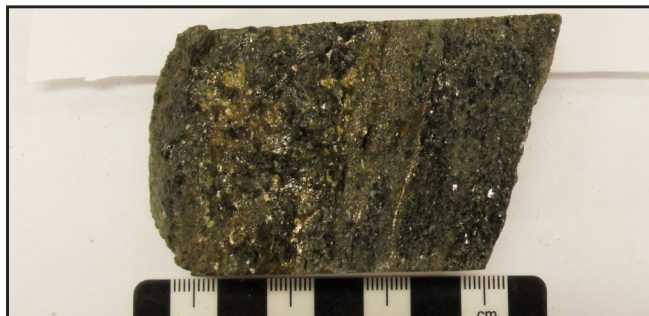
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**Drillhole: DDH07-207**

505919.1 mE 6482546 mN, Elev: 1357.22 m



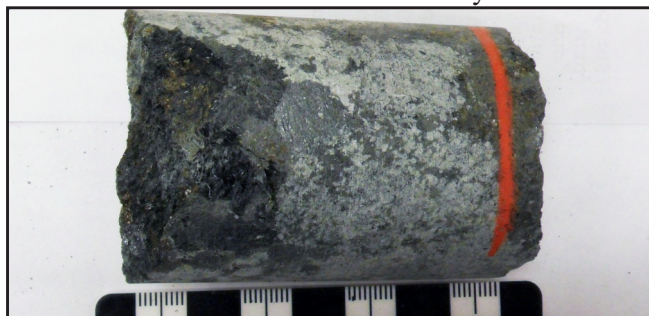
DDH07-207-9: Biotite clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 198.50 m  
Mineralization texture: Net textured-Semi-massive



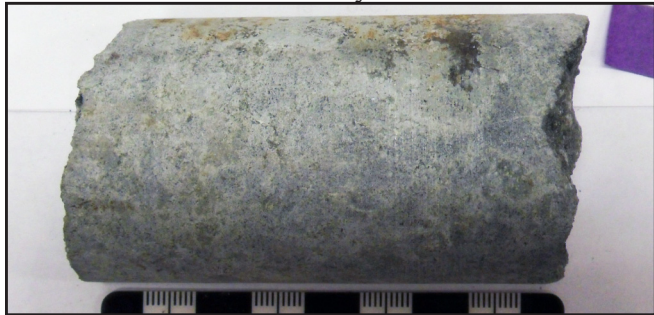
DDH07-207-10: Biotite clinopyroxenite  
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Mineralization texture: Net textured-Layered



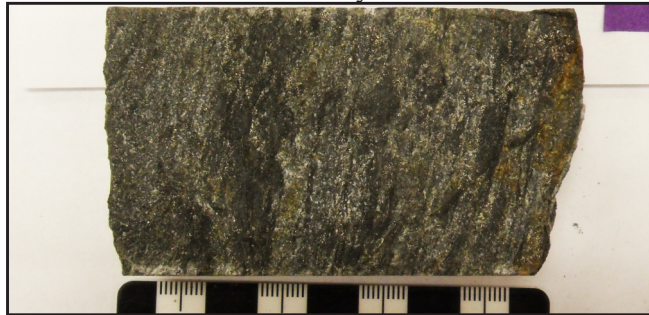
DDH07-207-11: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 205.52 m  
Mineralization texture: Blebby-Net textured



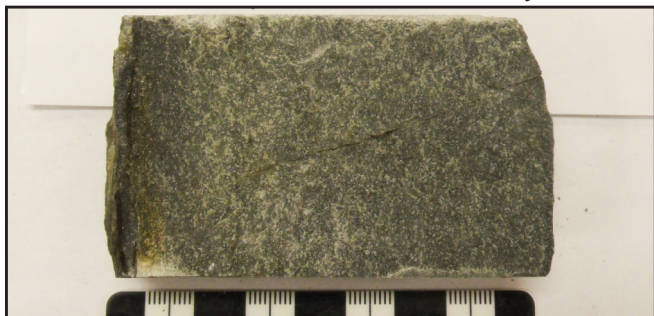
DDH07-207-12: Hornblende clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 226.00 m  
Mineralization texture: Blebby-Net textured



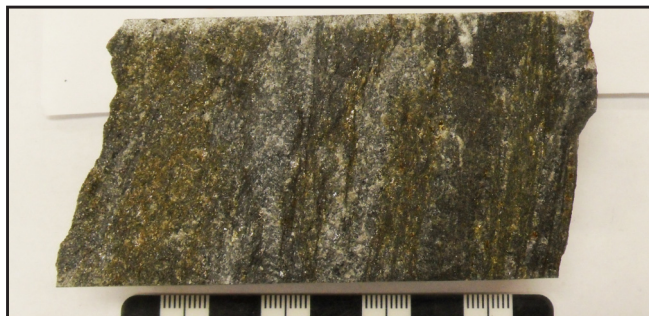
DDH07-207-13: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 226.40 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebby



DDH07-207-14: Hornfelsed phyllite  
Depth: 231.95 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



DDH07-207-15: Hornfelsed phyllite  
Depth: 250.97 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



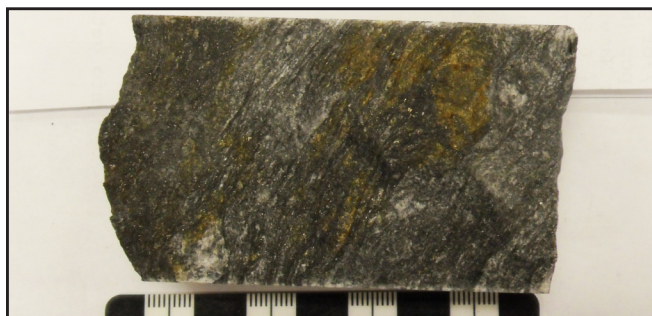
DDH07-207-16: Hornfelsed phyllite  
Depth: 261.80 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebby



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**Drillhole: DDH07-207**

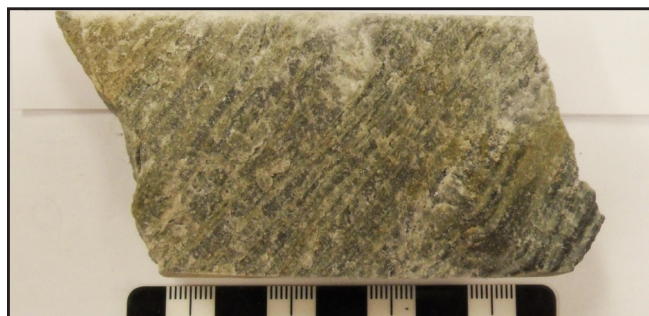
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*DDH07-207-17: Hornfelsed phyllite*

Depth: 297.58 m

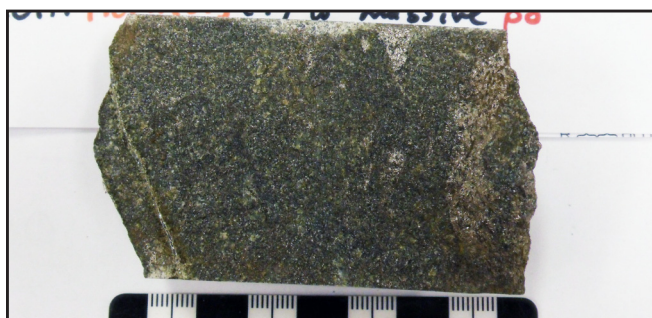
Mineralization texture: Disseminated along bedding



*DDH07-207-18: Hornfelsed phyllite*

Depth: 306.10 m

Mineralization texture: Barren



*DDH07-207-19: Hornfelsed phyllite*

Depth: 311.75 m

Mineralization texture: Net textured-Semi-massive

**Drillhole: DDH07-211**

505337.4 mE 6482829 mN, Elev: 1323.36 m



*DDH07-211-1: Clinopyroxenite*

Depth: 150.40 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



*DDH07-211-2-1: Clinopyroxenite/hornblendite contact*

Depth: 153.60 m

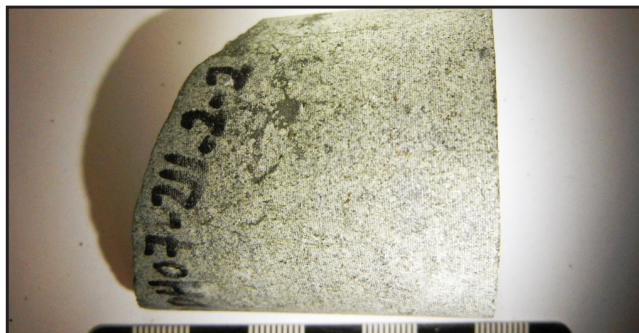
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



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**Drillhole: DDH07-211**

505337.4 mE 6482829 mN, Elev: 1323.36 m



DDH07-211-2-2: Clinopyroxenite

Depth: 153.60 m

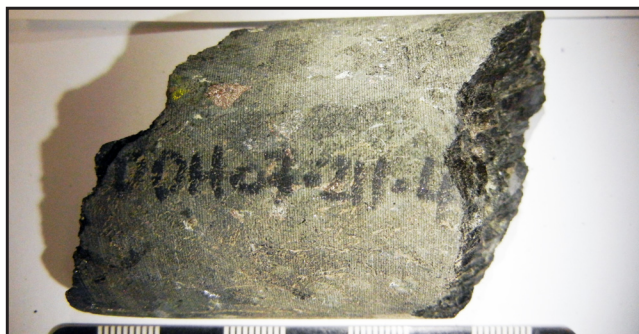
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



DDH07-211-3: Hornblendite

Depth: 154.00 m

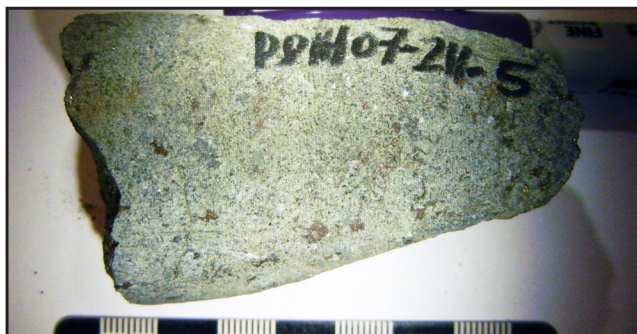
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



DDH07-211-4: Hornblendite

Depth: 154.20 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated



DDH07-211-5: Clinopyroxenite

Depth: 157.90 m

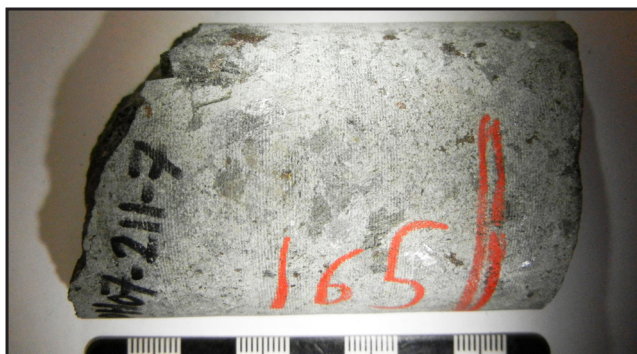
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Net textured



DDH07-211-6-1/DDH07-211-6-2: Hornblendite

Depth: 161.60 m

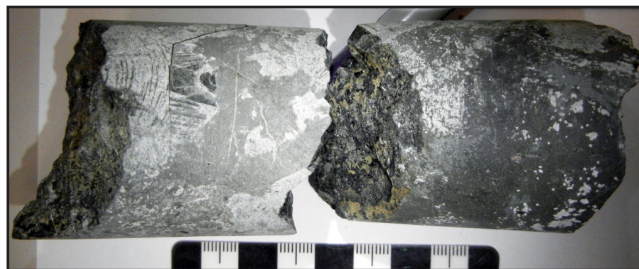
Mineralization texture: Vein-hosted



DDH07-211-7: Hornblende clinopyroxenite

Depth: 164.80 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



DDH07-211-8: Calcite-biotite vein in clinopyroxenite

Depth: 169.90 m

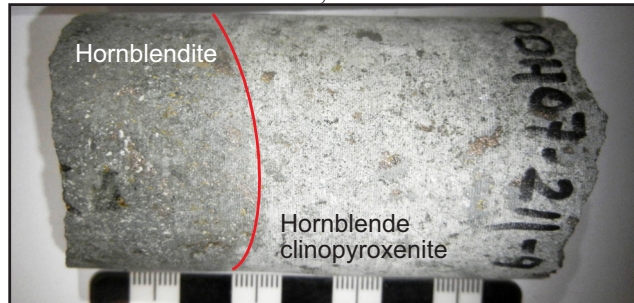
Mineralization texture: Barren



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**Drillhole: DDH07-211**

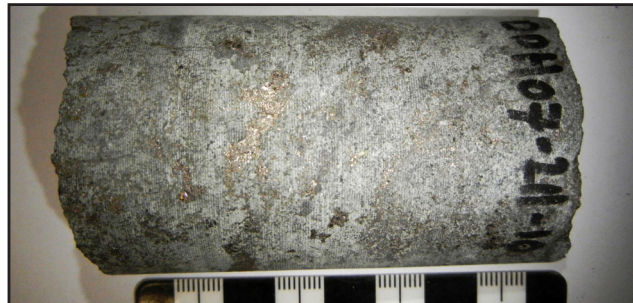
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DDH07-211-9: Hornblende clinopyroxenite/  
hornblendite contact

Depth: 170.60 m

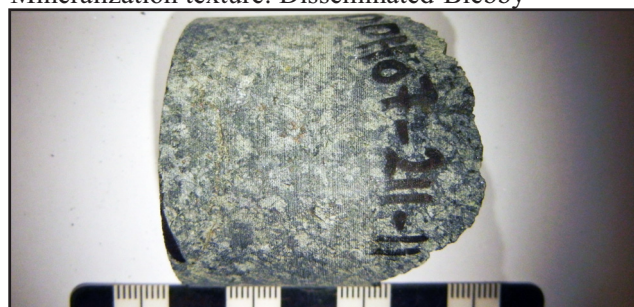
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



DDH07-211-10: Clinopyroxenite

Depth: 171.50 m

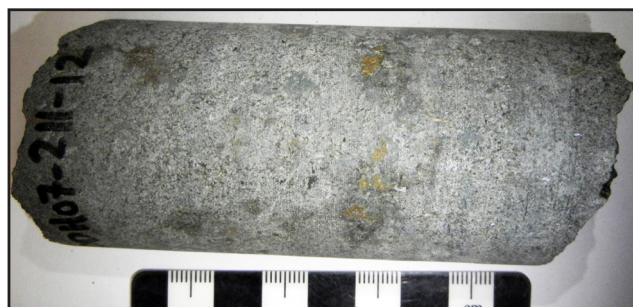
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



DDH07-211-11: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite

Depth: 177.50 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated



DDH07-211-12: Clinopyroxenite

Depth: 178.70 m

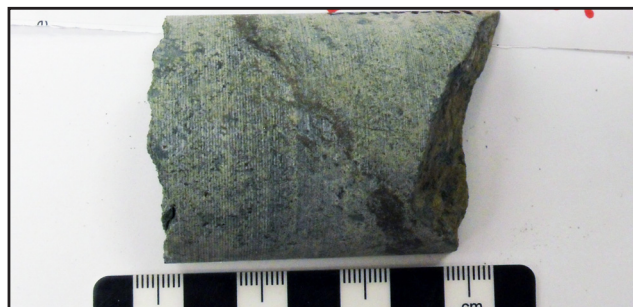
Mineralization texture: Blebbly



DDH07-211-101: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite

Depth: 25.55 m

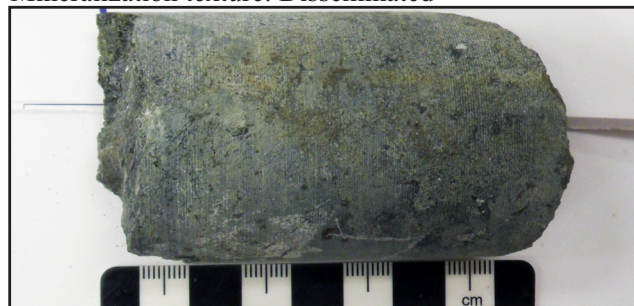
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



DDH07-211-102: Clinopyroxenite

Depth: 26.92 m

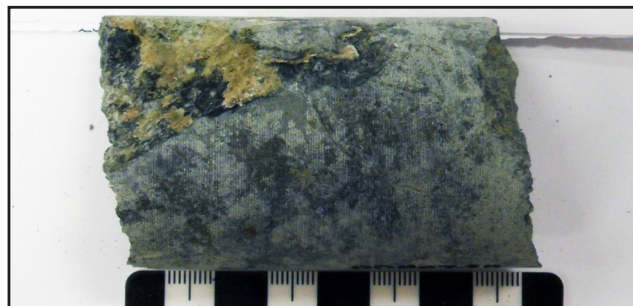
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Semi-massive



DDH07-211-103: Magnetite clinopyroxenite with  
hornblende-calcite vein

Depth: 28.25 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



DDH07-211-104: Hornblende clinopyroxenite

Depth: 42.30 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated



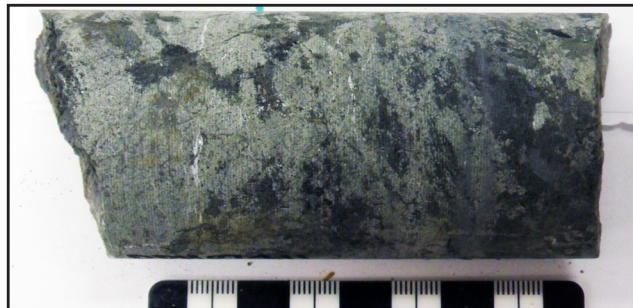
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**Drillhole: DDH07-211**

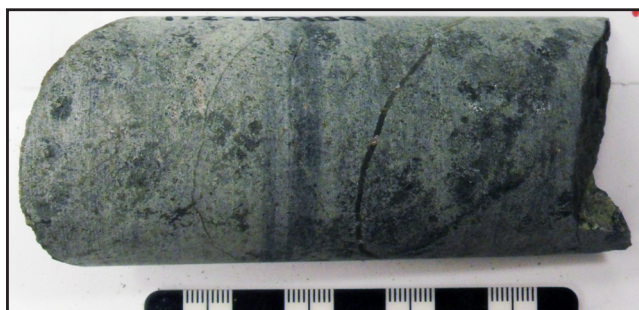
505337.4 mE 6482829 mN, Elev: 1323.36 m



DDH07-211-105: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 65.16 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



DDH07-211-106: Hornblende-magnetite  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 78.59 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



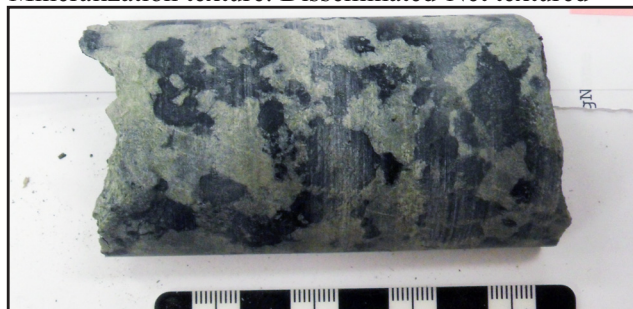
DDH07-211-107: Hornblende clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 101.58 m  
Mineralization texture: Blebby-Net textured



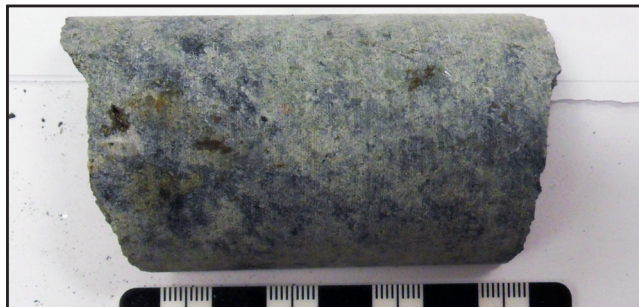
DDH07-211-108: Hornblende clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 138.85 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Net textured



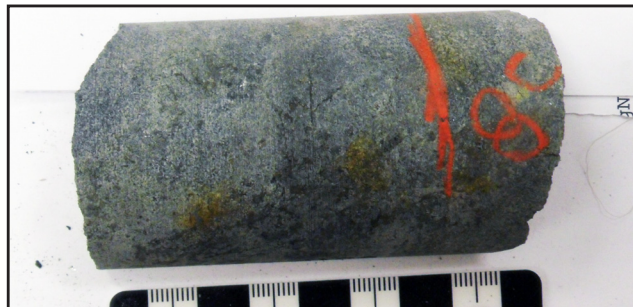
DDH07-211-109: Hornblende-calcite-plagioclase  
vein in clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 175.75 m  
Mineralization texture: Vein-hosted



DDH07-211-110: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 202.97 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



DDH07-211-111: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 244.68 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



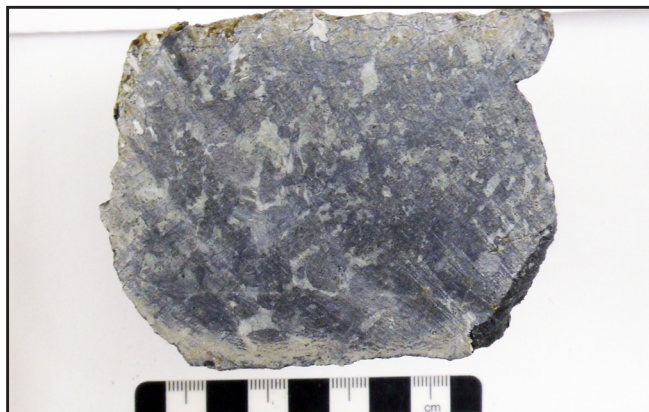
DDH07-211-112: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 258.05 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



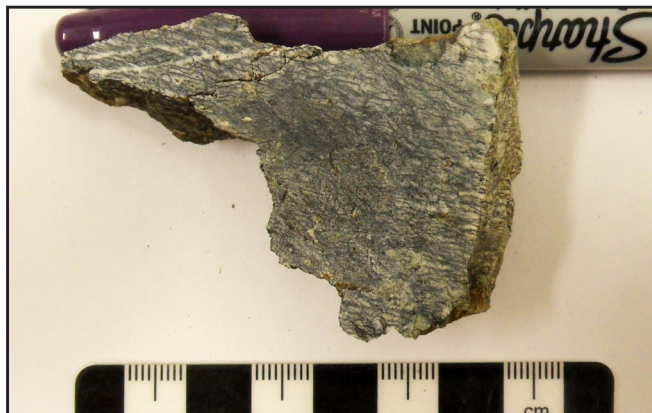
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Surface Samples



*11GNX2-3-1*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Location: 506202.0 mE, 6483195 mE  
Mineralization texture: Barren



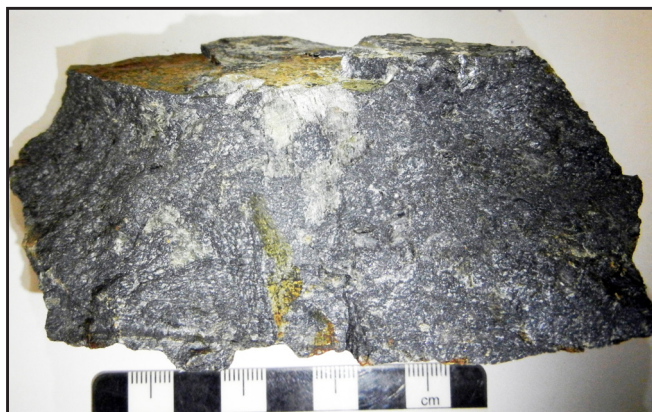
*11GNX2-3-2*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Location: 506202.0 mE, 6483195 mE  
Mineralization texture: Barren



*11GNX2-3-3*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Location: 506202.0 mE, 6483195 mE  
Mineralization texture: Barren



*13-SJB-1*: Diorite/hornblende contact  
Location: 506707.0 mE, 6482656 mE  
Mineralization texture: Barren



*13-SJB-2A*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Location: 506205.0 mE, 6483201 mE  
Mineralization texture: D



*13-SJB-2B*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Location: 506205.0 mE, 6483201 mE  
Mineralization texture: Barren



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Surface Samples



*13-SJB-3A*: Hornblendite  
Location: 506188.0 mE, 6482919 mE  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



*13-SJB-3B*: Hornblendite  
Location: 506188.0 mE, 6482919 mE  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



*13-SJB-4*: Clinopyroxenite  
Location: 505742.0 mE, 6482653 mE  
Mineralization texture: Barren



*13-SJB-5A*: Dunite clast with altered serpentine+magnetite rim in clinopyroxenite  
Location: 507382.0 mE, 6482274 mE  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



*13-SJB-5B*: Dunite clast with altered serpentine+magnetite rim in clinopyroxenite  
Location: 507382.0 mE, 6482274 mE  
Mineralization texture: Barren



*13-SJB-6A*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite) clinopyroxenite  
Location: 506205.0 mE, 6483201 mE  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated

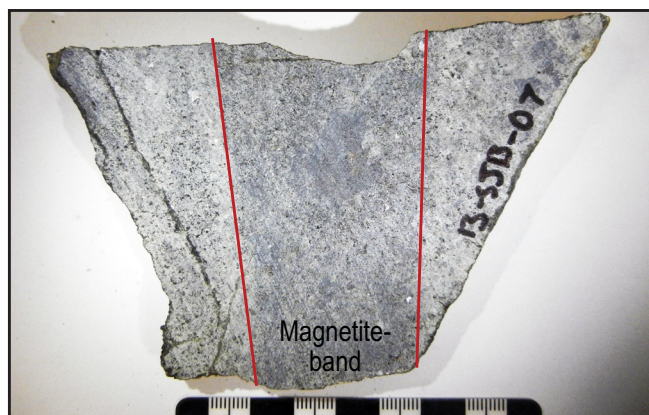


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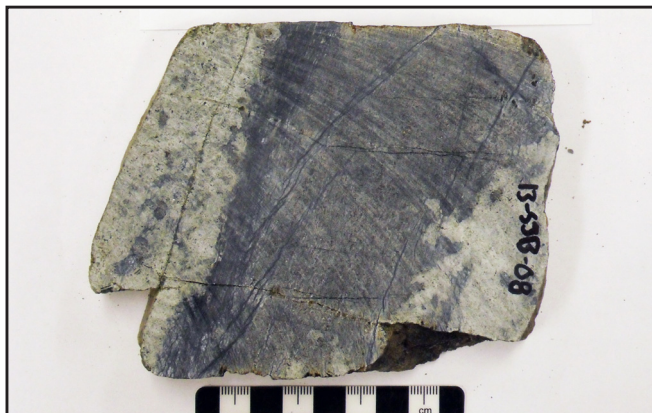
Surface Samples



13-SJB-6B: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Location: 506205.0 mE, 6483201 mE  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



13-SJB-7: Banded magnetite clinopyroxenite  
Location: 506035.0 mE, 6483078 mE  
Mineralization texture: Barren



13-SJB-8: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Location: DJ/DB zone  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



13-SJB-9: Banded magnetite clinopyroxenite  
Location: DJ/DB zone  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



13-SJB-10: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Location: DJ/DB zone  
Mineralization texture: Barren

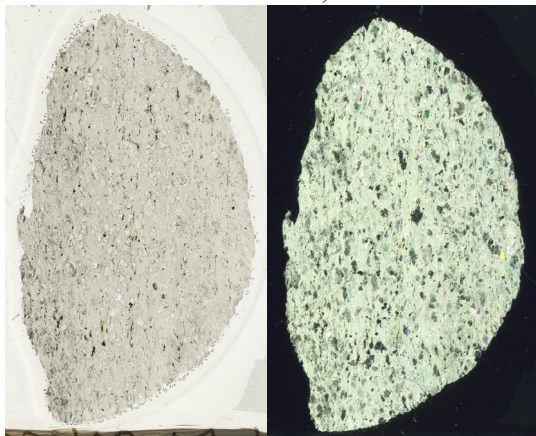


**Appendix E.** Scans of thin sections of samples from the DJ/DB zone in transmitted and cross-polarized light

Appendix E contains scans of all thin sections from this study from the DJ/DB zone, with drill collar or surface sample location (NAD83 UTM Zone 9; Elev = elevation), rock type, depth of sample (for drillcore samples), and sulphide mineralization texture (barren, disseminated, blebby, net-textured, semi-massive, massive, layered, or vein-hosted). Where there was a visible fabric, approximate orientation of core axis (CA) was noted. All scans are approximately 20 mm across.

**Drillhole: DDH03-07**

508583.3 mE 6480856 mN, Elev: 1036.14 m



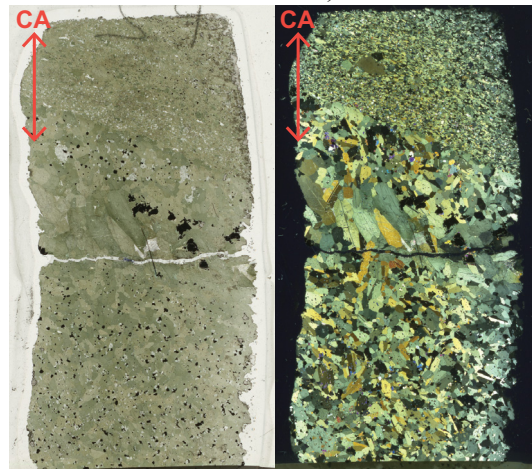
*DDH03-07-1*: Talc-carbonate-altered phyllite

Depth: 432.80 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated

**Drillhole: DDH04-43**

506826.2 mE 6482617 mN, Elev: 1401.58 m



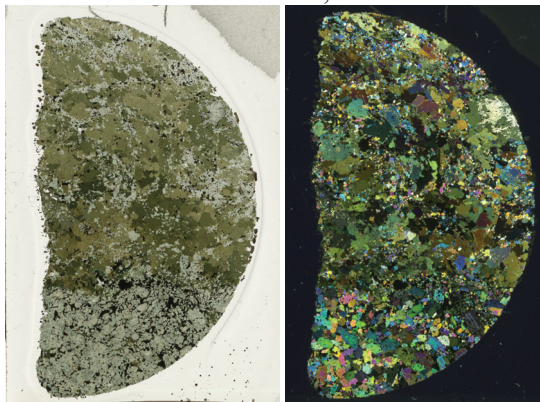
*DDH04-43-1*: Hornblendite

Depth: 88.10 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebby

**Drillhole: DDH04-46**

506468.9 mE 6482807 mN, Elev: 1436.26 m



*DDH04-46-1*: Clinopyroxenite clast in hornblendite

Depth: 38.70 m

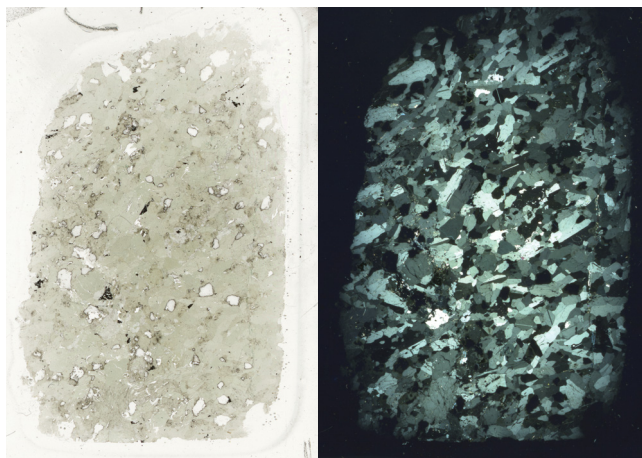
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



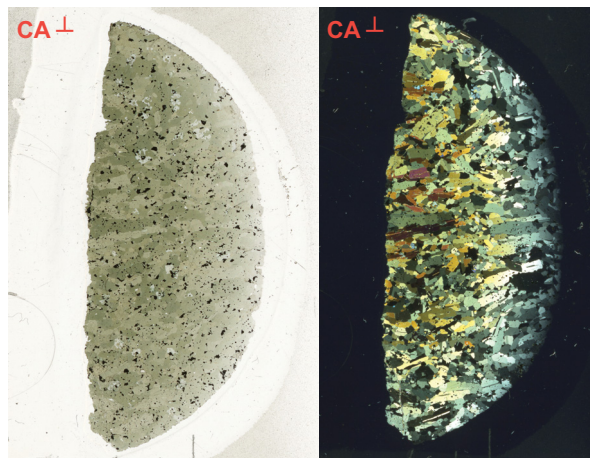
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**Drillhole: DDH04-48**

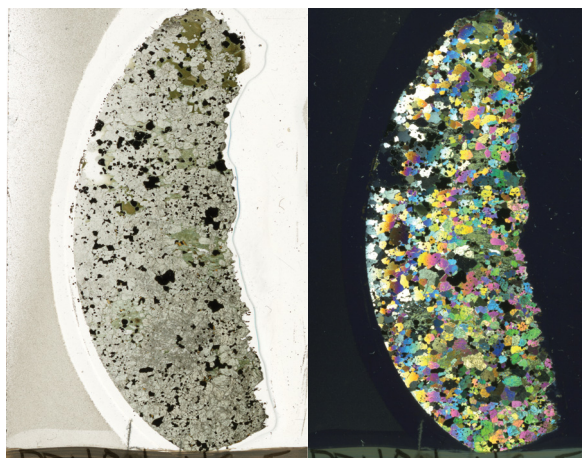
506254.4 mE 6483032 mN, Elev: 1459.44 m



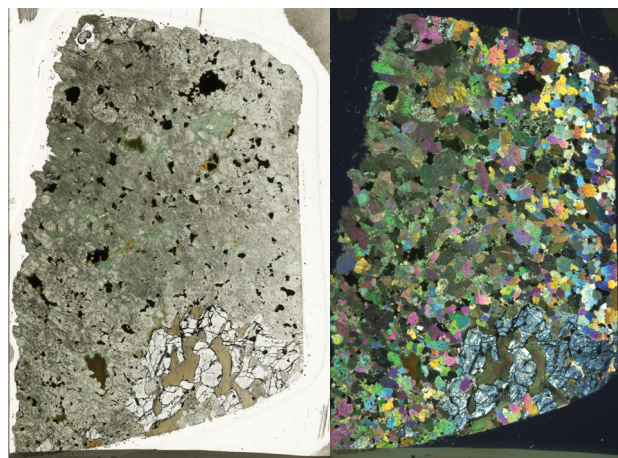
*DDH04-48-3*: Clinopyroxene hornblendite  
Depth: 53.30 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



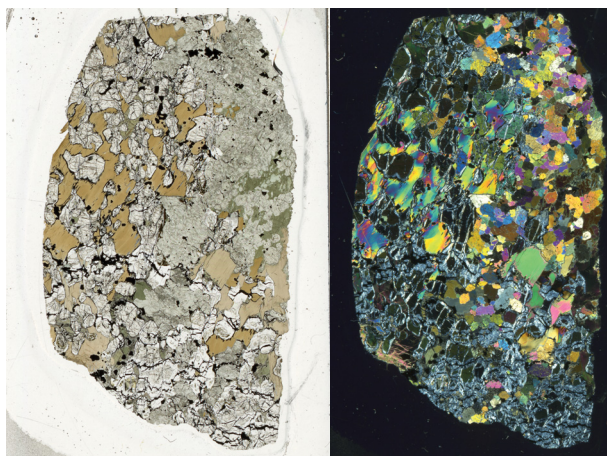
*DDH04-48-4*: Oriented hornblendite  
Depth: 61.63 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



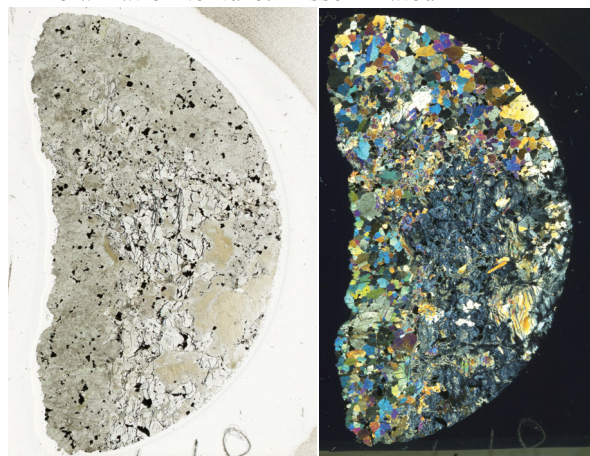
*DDH04-48-5*: Magnetite clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 71.50 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



*DDH04-48-6*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 78.75 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



*DDH04-48-7*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 91.90 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



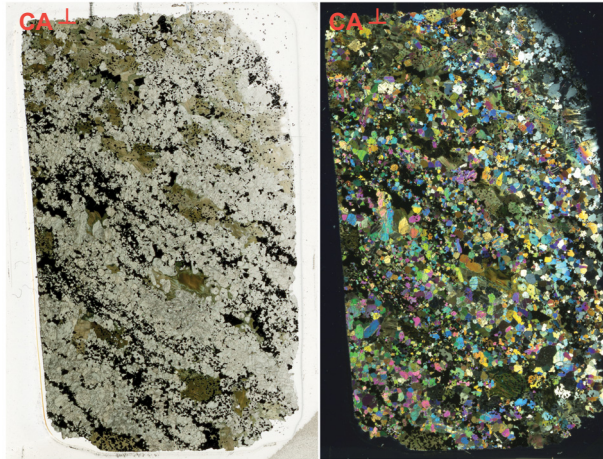
*DDH04-48-8*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 124.30 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



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**Drillhole: DDH04-48**

506254.4 mE 6483032 mN, Elev: 1459.44 m



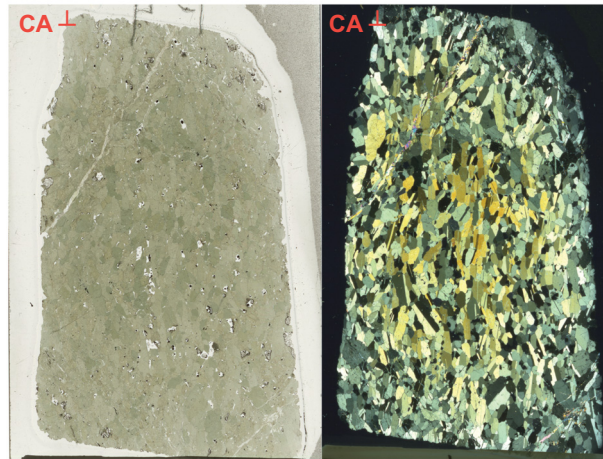
*DDH04-48-9*: Magnetite clinopyroxenite

Depth: 147.30 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated

**Drillhole: DDH04-55**

506280.8 mE 6483022 mN, Elev: 1462.38 m



*DDH04-55-1*: Oriented hornblendite

Depth: 46.46 m

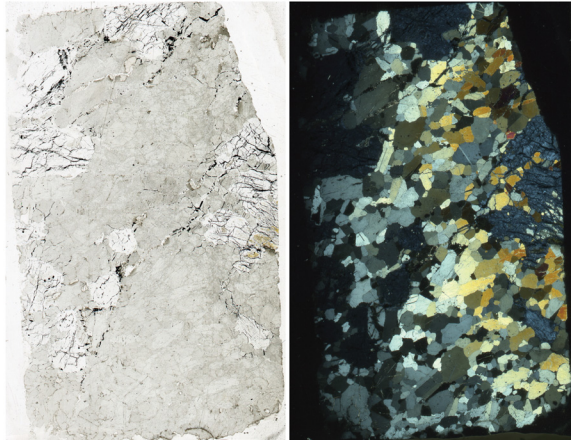
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



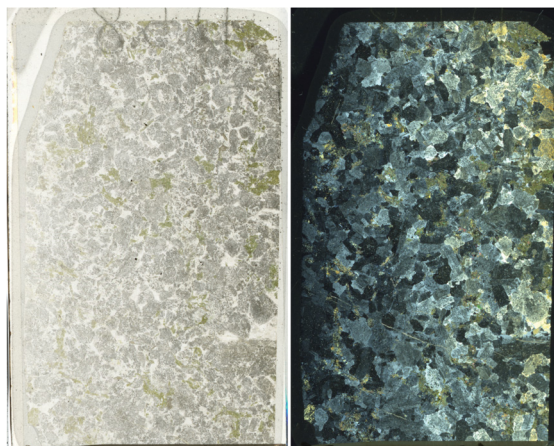
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**Drillhole: DDH04-58**

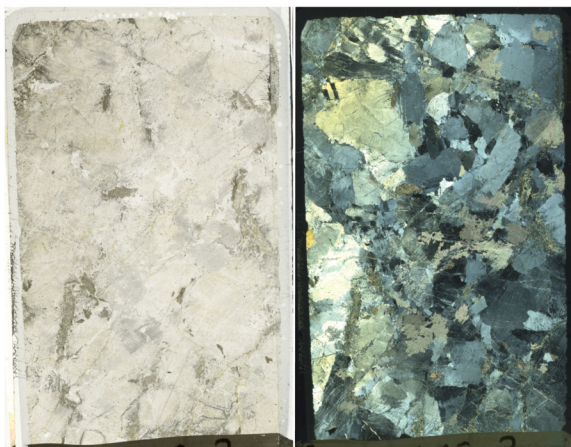
506010.3 mE 6483207 mN, Elev: 1454.88 m



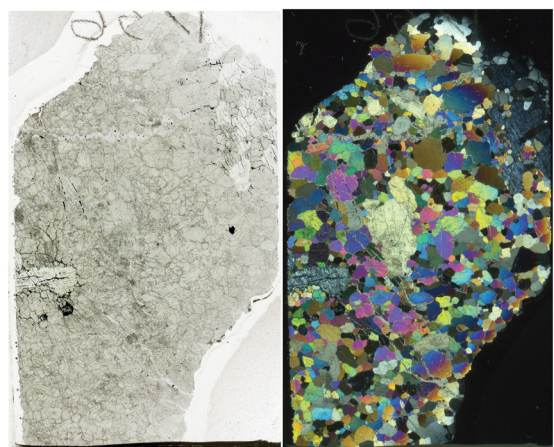
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clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 9.90 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



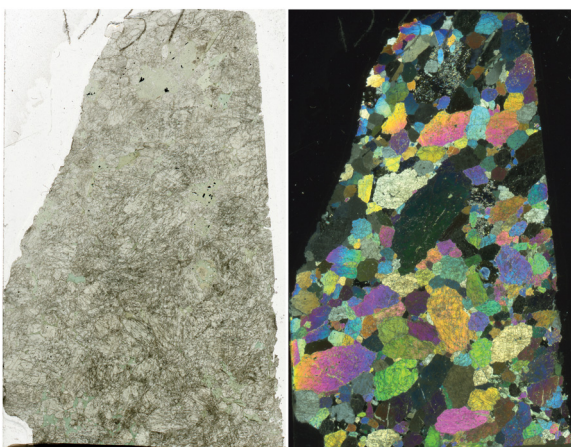
*DDH04-58-2*: Diorite  
Depth: 15.10 m  
Mineralization texture: Barren



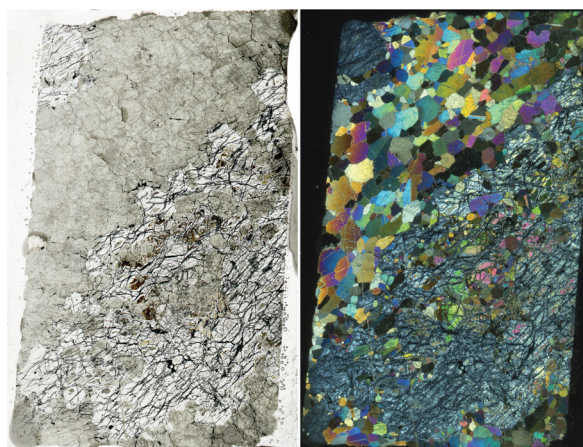
*DDH04-58-3*: Carbonate-serpentine-altered  
diorite  
Depth: 18.80 m  
Mineralization texture: Barren



*DDH04-58-4-1*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 20.50 m  
Mineralization texture: Barren



*DDH04-58-4-2*: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 20.50 m  
Mineralization texture: Barren



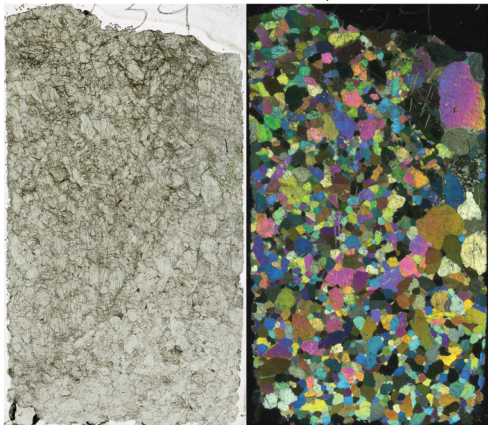
*DDH04-58-5*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 23.20 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



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**Drillhole: DDH04-58**

506010.3 mE 6483207 mN, Elev: 1454.88 m



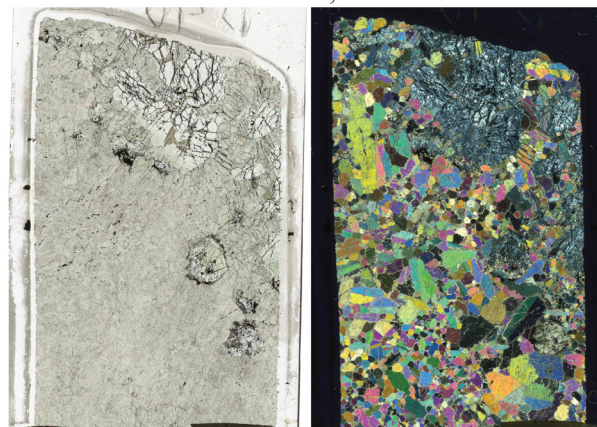
*DDH04-58-6*: Clinopyroxenite

Depth: 34.00 m

Mineralization texture: Barren

**Drillhole: DDH04-59**

506006.9 mE 6483289 mN, Elev: 1462.93 m



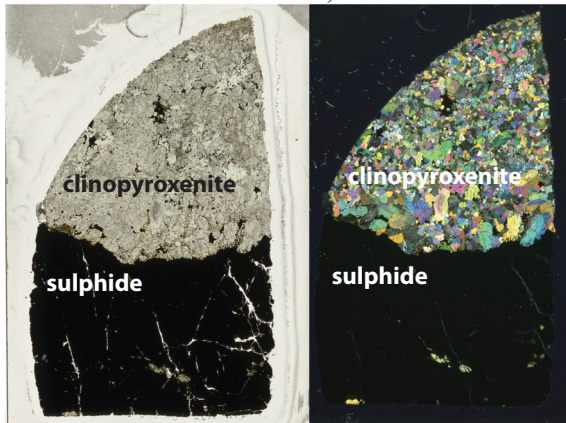
*DDH04-59-1*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite

Depth: 88.70 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated

**Drillhole: DDH05-83**

506528.9 mE 6482326 mN, Elev: 1352.83 m



*DDH05-83-1*: Clinopyroxenite with massive sulphide

Depth: 60.80 m

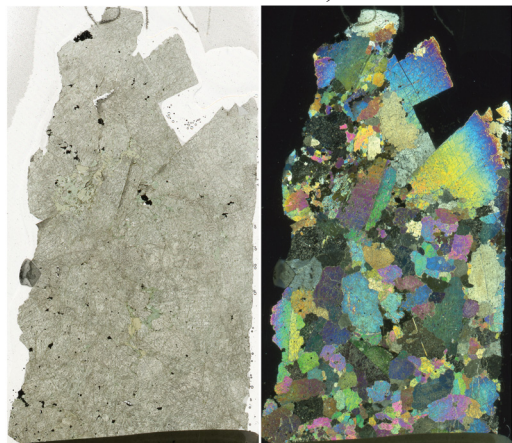
Mineralization texture: Disseminated and Massive



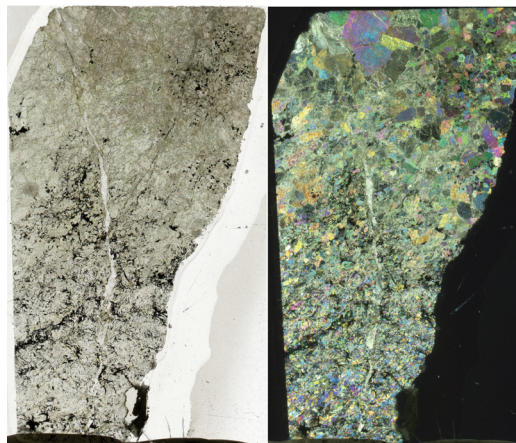
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**Drillhole: DDH05-88**

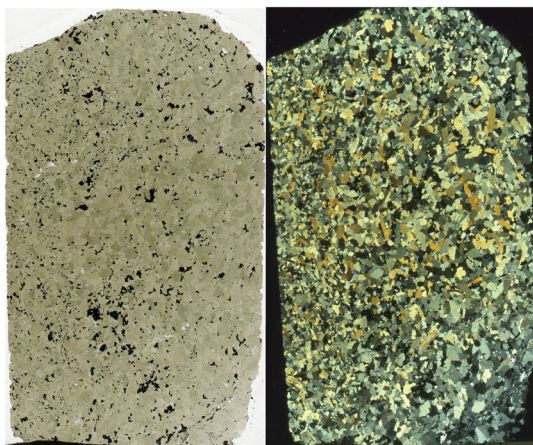
505395.5 mE 6482884 mN, Elev: 1336.38 m



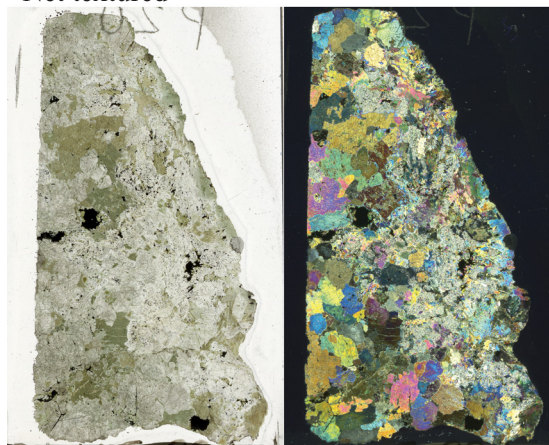
*DDH05-88-1*: Magnetite clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 133.80 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



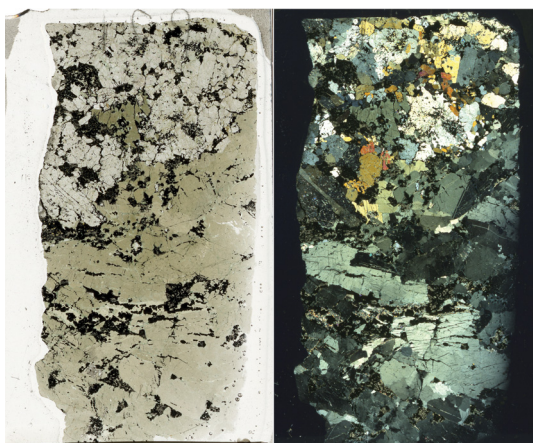
*DDH05-88-2*: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 153.20 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-  
Net textured



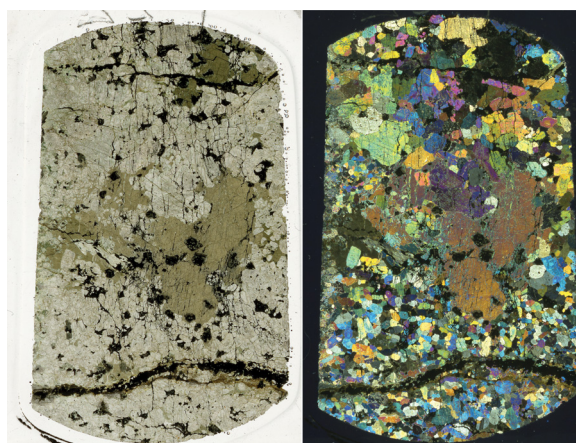
*DDH05-88-3*: Hornblendite  
Depth: 156.90 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



*DDH05-88-101*: Hornblende clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 18.42 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



*DDH05-88-102*: Hornblende clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 33.50 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Net textured



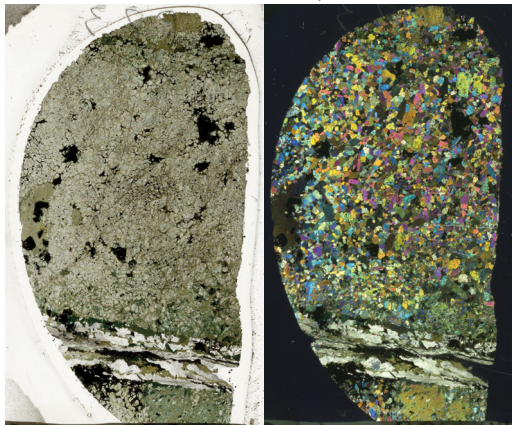
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Depth: 35.10 m  
Mineralization texture: Replacing magnetite



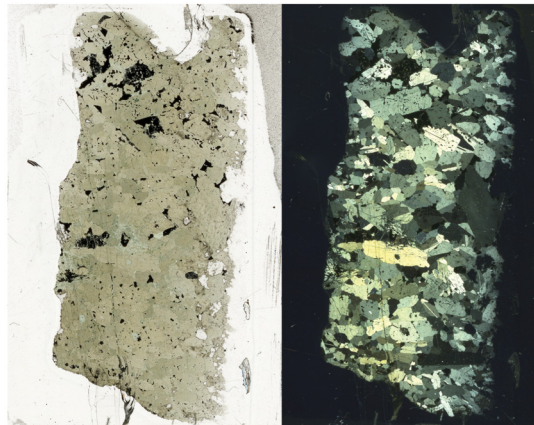
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**Drillhole: DDH05-88**

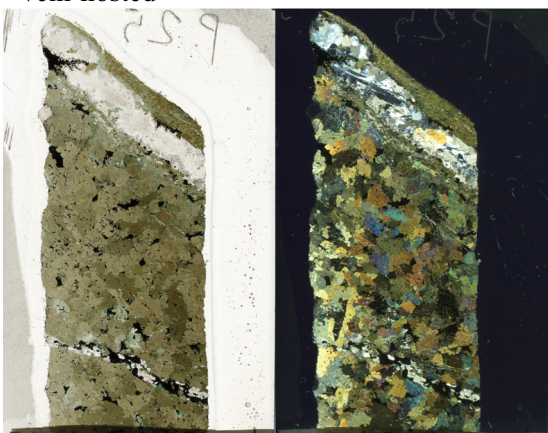
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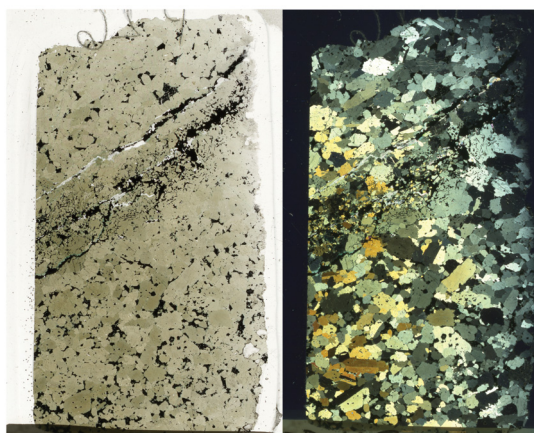
*DDH05-88-104*: clinopyroxenite with calcite-hornblende vein  
Depth: 57.23 m  
Mineralization texture: Net textured and Vein-hosted



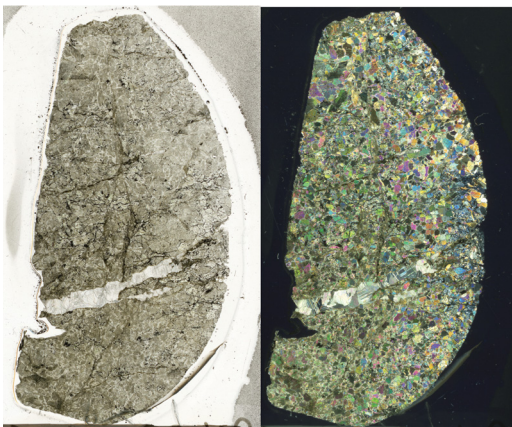
*DDH05-88-105*: Hornblendite  
Depth: 62.12 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



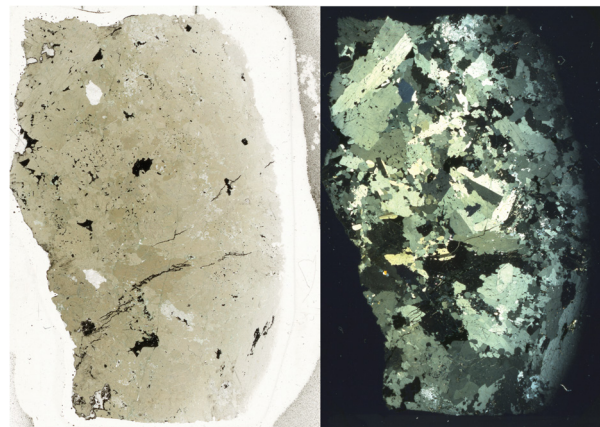
*DDH05-88-106*: Hornblendite with calcite-plagioclase vein  
Depth: 63.41 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Net textured and Vein-hosted



*DDH05-88-107*: Clinopyroxene hornblendite  
Depth: 64.75 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Layered



*DDH05-88-109*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite) clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 109.53 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated

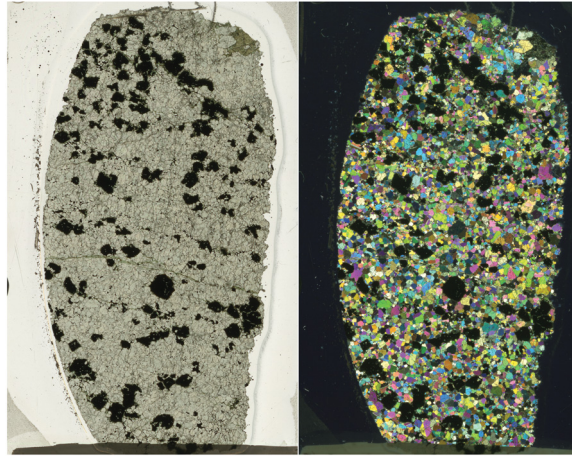


*DDH05-88-111*: Hornblendite  
Depth: 166.50 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated

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**Drillhole: DDH05-89**

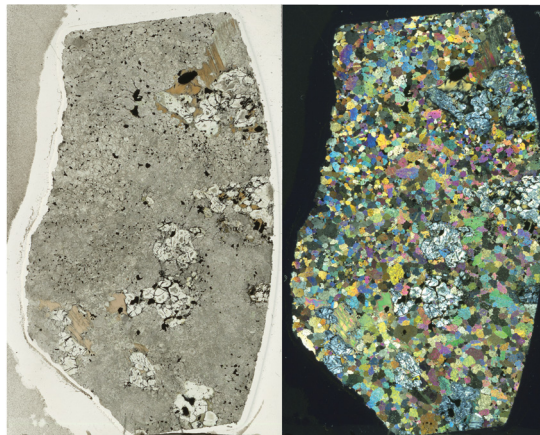
505925.5 mE 6482544 mN, Elev: 1356.58 m



*DDH05-89-1*: Magnetite clinopyroxenite

Depth: 13.65 m

Mineralization texture: Disseminated



*DDH05-89-2*: Olivine (serpentine-magnetite)  
clinopyroxenite

Depth: 69.26 m

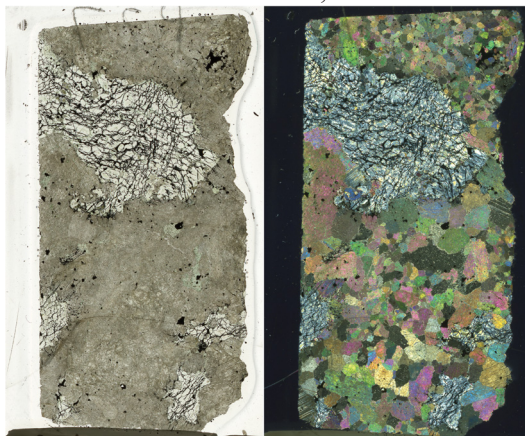
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebbly



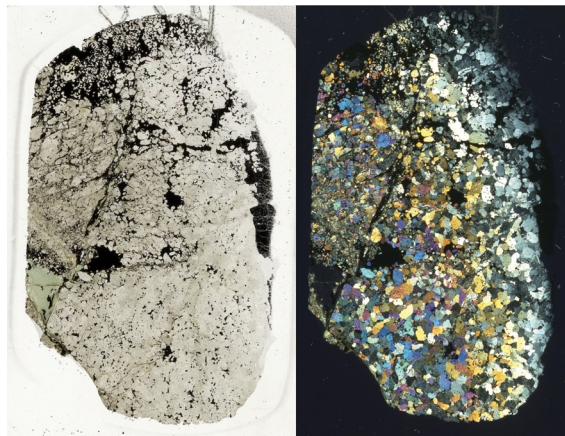
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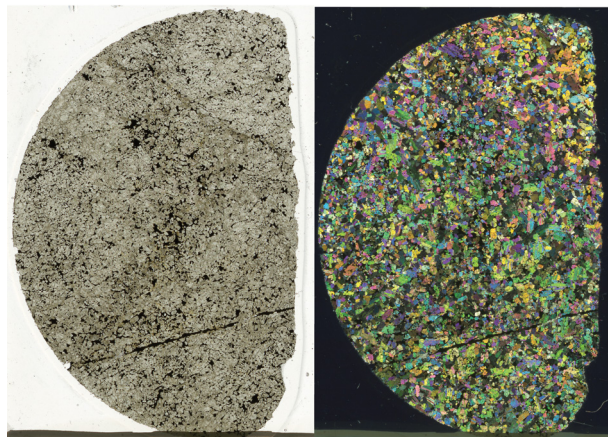
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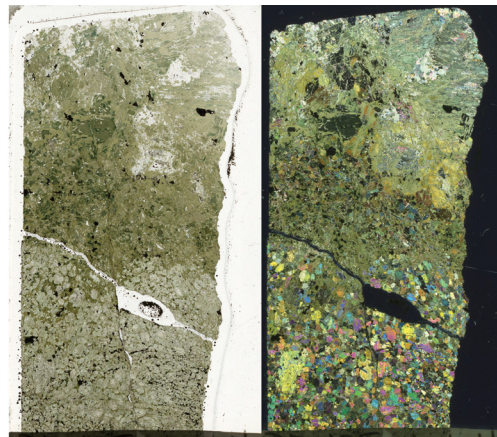
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Depth: 104.13 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



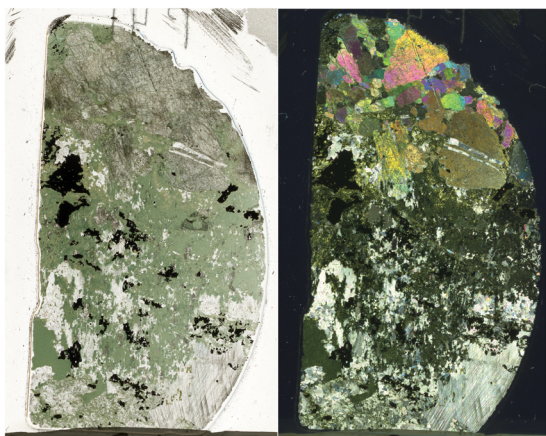
*DDH05-101-2*: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 146.14 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Semi-massive



*DDH05-101-3*: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 148.65 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



*DDH05-101-4*: Calcite-hornblende-chlorite vein in clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 156.05 m  
Mineralization Texture: Disseminated-Blebbly and Vein-hosted



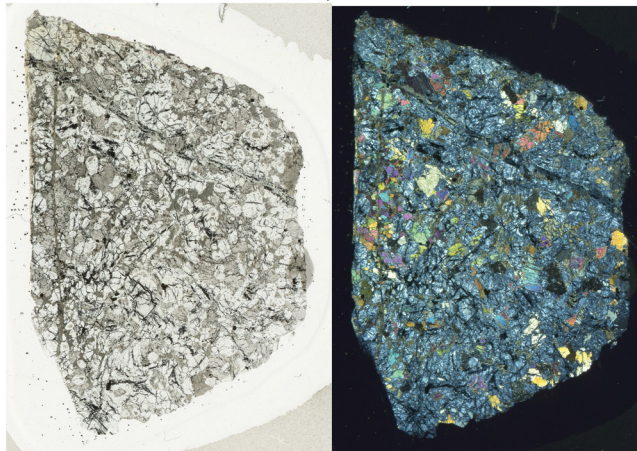
*DDH05-101-5*: Calcite-chlorite vein in clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 169.60 m  
Mineralization Texture: Disseminated-Blebbly and Vein-hosted



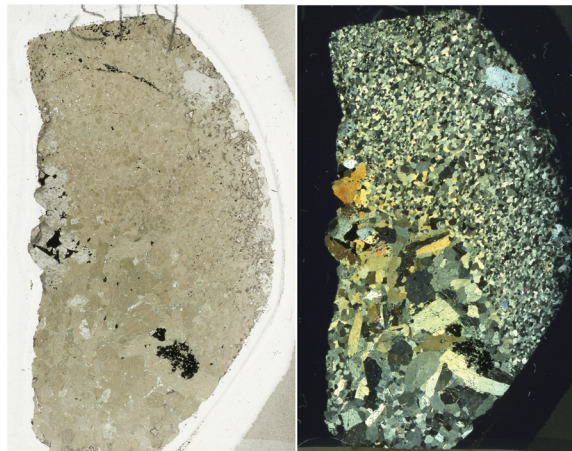
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**Drillhole: DDH05-102**

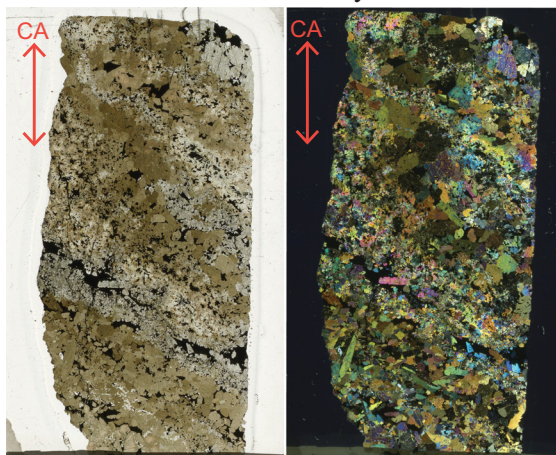
506346.0 mE 6482435 mN, Elev: 1366.17 m



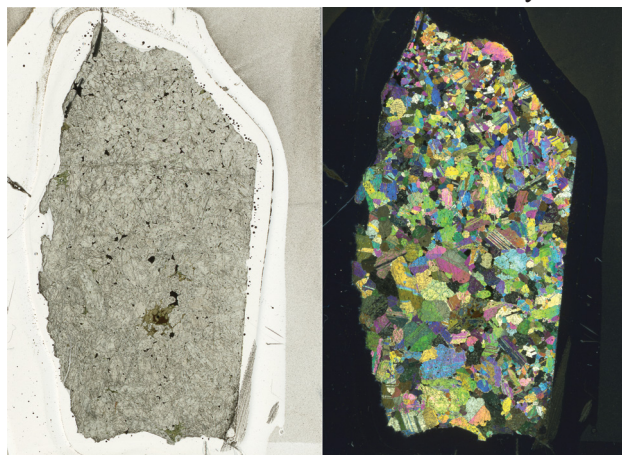
*DDH05-102-1*: Serpentine-altered wehrlite  
Depth: 53.30 m  
Mineralization texture: Blebby



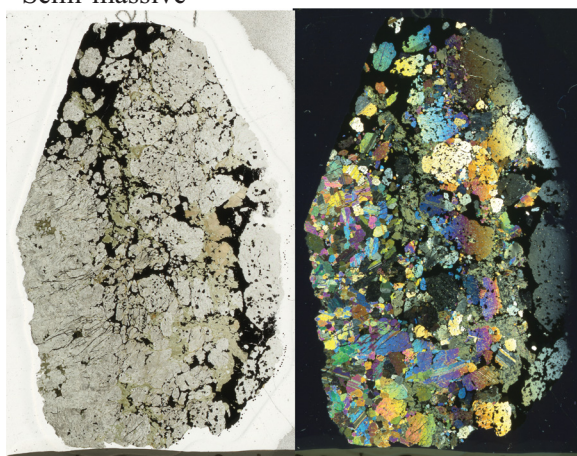
*DDH05-102-2*: Clinopyroxene hornblendite  
Depth: 79.20 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Blebby



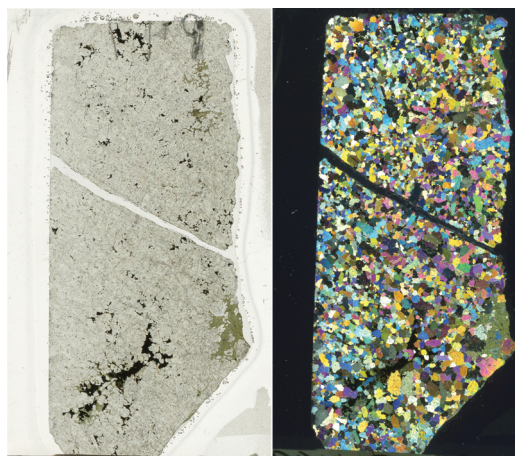
*DDH05-102-3*: Hornblende clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 82.25 m  
Mineralization texture: Net textured-  
Semi-massive



*DDH05-102-5*: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 145.15 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated



*DDH05-102-6*: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 147.56 m  
Mineralization texture: Net textured-  
Semi-massive



*DDH05-102-7*: Clinopyroxenite  
Depth: 159.80 m  
Mineralization texture: Disseminated-Net textured