SURFACE MATERIALS

BEDROCK
Areas in which bedrock makes up most of the surface.

UNCONSOLIDATED MATERIAL*
Areas in which unconsolidated material makes up most of the surface.

BEDROCK OUTCROPS AND UNCONSOLIDATED MATERIAL
Areas in which scattered bedrock outcrop usually composes as much of the surface as unconsolidated material.

GLACIER ICE

* For the purposes of this map unconsolidated material is defined as loose material of the earth's surface, and includes, glacial deposits, boulders, alluvium, gravels, sands, silts, clays, weathered residual deposits, soils and organic terrain such as muskeg and bogs.

NOTE: The map is based on a large number of sources with varying degrees of reliability. The difficulty of correlating different classifications of terrain, and the limitations of scale mean that the map should be regarded as a prediction of the likely occurrence of each category of material and not as a precise portrayal of surface material distribution in a particular area.

Lambert Conformal Conic Projection Standard Parallels 49°N. and 77°N.

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Scale 1:15,000,000 or One Inch to 236.74 Miles