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INDUCED POLARIZATION SURVEY  
REPORT

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Tusk 1-6 mineral claims, Alta Lake  
area, Vancouver M.D., B. C.

Lat.  $50^{\circ}00'N$ , Long.  $123^{\circ}04'W$ , N.T.S. 92J/3

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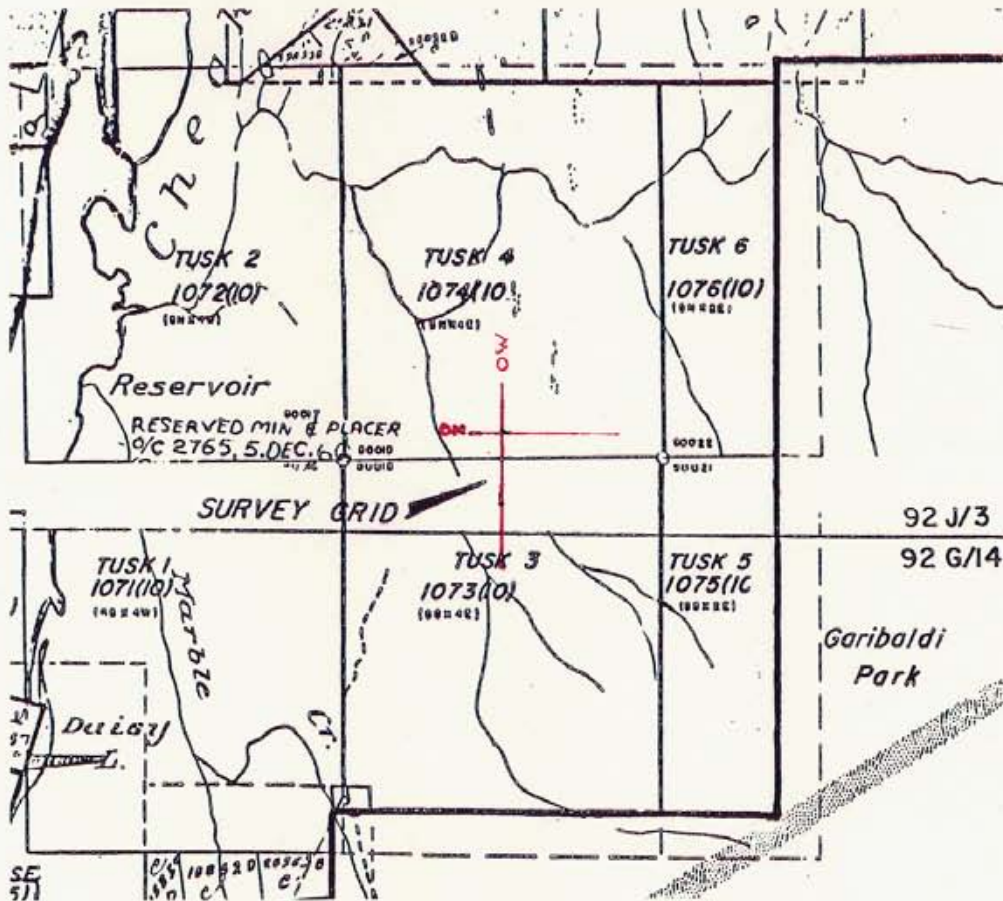
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 LOCATION AND CLAIM MAP

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## INTRODUCTION

During the period October 7 - 22, 1982, a program of linecutting and induced polarization surveying was conducted over the Tusk mineral claims. The Tusk mineral claims are Grid staked claims which cover the old Daisy, Ron, J, FF and SS two post staking claims. A reconnaissance geochemical survey was undertaken over a portion of the SS mineral claims in October of 1980. Anomalous values of copper and particularly molybdenite mineralization were detected.

Thus, the report describes a detailed induced polarization survey that was conducted by Glen E. White Geophysical Consulting & Services Ltd. on behalf of Acacia Mineral Development Corporation Ltd. over the geochemical anomalies.

## PROPERTY

The property consists of the Tusk 1-6 mineral claims comprising some 100 -units recorded on October 28, 1981.

## LOCATION AND ACCESS

The mineral claims are located on the east side of Daisy Lake between the Cheakamus River and Gairbaldi Provincial Park, Vancouver Mining Division, B. C. Latitude  $50^{\circ}00'N$ , Longitude  $123^{\circ}06'W$ , N.T.S. 92J/3.

Access is via some 4 miles of good gravel base logging road which originates approximately 100 yards north of the Callaghan Creek bridge on Highway 99.

### GENERAL GEOLOGY

The survey area lies on a north facing slope which drains into Daisy Lake and the Cheakamus River. The topography is generally steep which makes access and exploration difficult.

The very little geological information available for this region is shown on GSC Maps 1711 and 42-1963. Essentially, the host rocks for the mineralization are sediments and volcanics of Triassic to Cretaceous age which have been enveloped by the Coast Range Cretaceous or earlier granodiorites and granites.

The sedimentary and volcanic rocks show variable degrees of metamorphism but are thought to form pendants or septas in the Coast Range batholith.

The mineral discovery made by Northair Mines Ltd. on their Warman Claims some 8 miles to the north shows veins of quartz and carbonate in metamorphosed rocks bearing lead, zinc and copper mineralization with economically significant values of gold and silver.

The survey area appears to cover metamorphosed pendant rocks, andesites and schists with an intermingling of gneisses and minor diorite.

### SURVEY GRID

The 1980 geochemical grid was conducted on a reconnaissance basis unsuitable for an induced polarization survey. The new grid has been established over anomalous geochemical values with the lines spaced 100 m apart and orientated in an east-west direction. Some 15 km of survey grid was established and surveyed.

### INDUCED POLARIZATION

The equipment used on this survey was the Hunttec pulse-type unit and Mark III receiver. Power was obtained from a Briggs and Stratton motor coupled to a 2.5 KW 400 cycle, three phase generator, providing a maximum of 2.5 KW D.C. to the ground. The cycling rate is 1.5 seconds "current on" and 0.5 seconds "current off", the pulse reversing continuously in polarity. Power was transmitted to the ground through two potential electrodes,  $P_1$  and  $P_2$ , which were deployed in the three electrode array with an "a" spacing of 100 m and separations of  $n = 1$ .

The data recorded in the field consists of careful measurements of the current (I) in amperes flowing through electrodes  $C_1$  and  $C_2$ , the primary voltage ( $V_p$ ) appearing between electrodes  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  during the "current on" part of the cycle. A cycle time of 4 seconds was used with a duty ratio of 2.2 - 1,  $T_p$  .20 ms and  $T_d$  60 ms.

The apparent chargeability ( $M'$ ) in milliseconds, is calculated by  $T_p (M_1 + 2M_2 + 4M_3 + 8M_4) = M'$ , where  $T_p$  is the basic integrating time in tenths of seconds.  $M_1$ ,  $M_2$ ,  $M_3$  and  $M_4$  are the chargeability effects at various times on the voltage decay curve following switch off of the transmitter, measured as a percentage of the primary voltage,  $V_p$  recorded during the "current on" time. By the use of these factors, one can gain an estimate of the decay curve in terms of chargeability for the given time  $T_p$ . This gives a quantitative value to the data measured.

The apparent resistivity, in ohm-metres, is proportional to the ratio of the primary voltage to the measured current, the proportionality factor depending on the geometry of the electrode array used. The chargeability and resistivity obtained are called "apparent" as they are values which that portion of the earth sampled by the array would have if it were homogeneous. As the earth sample is usually inhomogeneous, the calculated apparent chargeability and apparent resistivity are functions of the actual chargeabilities and resistivities of the rocks sampled and of the geometry of the rocks.

## DISCUSSION OF RESULTS

Figures 2 and 3 show the copper and molybdenum values from the 1980 survey respectively which have been superimposed on the new grid for clarity. The westernmost copper geochemical values are from a 1976 survey. No molybdenum values are available.

Figure 4 shows the induced polarization chargeability values. A high of 6.6 milliseconds was obtained above a background of some 2.5 milliseconds. This area is in granitized volcanic rocks and diorites and thus a low background response was anticipated. However, the anomalous data only reached some 2.5 times background and yet shows excellent correlation with the geochemical highs. The glacial till in this area shows some thickness which has influenced the geochemical response and possibly the chargeability data.

The apparent resistivity map shows moderate variations from a low of 89 ohm-metres along a creek and 128 ohm-metres on the hillside to a high of 1569 ohm-metres near a logging landing. This apparent resistivity high shows a northwest-southeast trend which closely follows a number of the chargeability highs and anomalous geochemical values. A structure may be indicated or a more shallowly buried ridge of bedrock. The remaining variations are likely due to changes in the physical characteristics of the overburden such as composition, depth and moisture content.

Correltaion of the geophysical data shows that the chargeability results show a large contorted horse-shoe shape with the nose around lines 100S to 200S and the flanges extending southeastward. The highest chargeability values tend to align in a northwest-



southeast direction. Three such trends are indicated. The center one shows direct correlation with high geochemical values. High geochemical values are also located southeastward off of the geophysical grid.

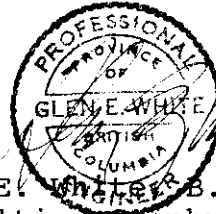
#### CONCLUSION

During the month of October 1982, a detailed induced polarization program was conducted over an area of anomalous copper and molybdenum geochemical values on behalf of Acacia Mineral Development Corporation Ltd. The survey was conducted with a 100 m separation and located a contorted horse-shoe shaped anomaly some 2.5 times background in which the highest values tend to align in a northwest-southeast direction. The center zone coincides with an apparent resistivity high and anomalous copper - molybdenum soil samples. Thus, this zone may possibly be caused by a mineralized intrusive stock at depth or a complicated pattern of mineralized fracture zones.

RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the chargeability anomaly be covered with larger separations of  $a = 100$  m,  $n = 2$  and  $3$ , to search for mineralized zones at depth. The survey should be extended to the southeast to cover the anomalous geochemical values. Subsequent to obtaining this information, the coincident chargeability-geochemical anomalies should be tested by diamond drilling.

Respectfully submitted,



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## INSTRUMENT SPECIFICATIONS

### INDUCED POLARIZATION SYSTEM

#### A. Instruments

- (a) Type - pulse
- (b) Make - Hunttec
- (c) Serial No. - transmitter #107 - receiver #3016

#### B. Specifications

- (a) Size and Power - 2.5 KW
- (b) Sensitivity - 300 x 10.5 volts
- (c) Power Sources - 2.5 KW 400 cycle - three-phase generator
- (d) Power - 8 H.P. Briggs and Stratton @ 3000 R.P.M.
- (e) Timing - electronic, remote and direct.
- (f) Readings - (i) amps (ii) volts primary and secondary
- (g) Calculate (i) Resistivity - ohm-meters (ohm-feet)  
(ii) Chargeability - milliseconds

#### C. Survey Procedures

- (a) Method - power supplied to mobile probe along TW 18 stranded wire from stationary set-up
- (b) Configuration - Pole-dipole (three electrode array)  
Plot point midway between  $C_1$  and  $P_1$

#### D. Presentation

- Contour Maps (i) Chargeability - milliseconds  
(ii) Resistivity - ohm-meters (ohm-feet)

STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

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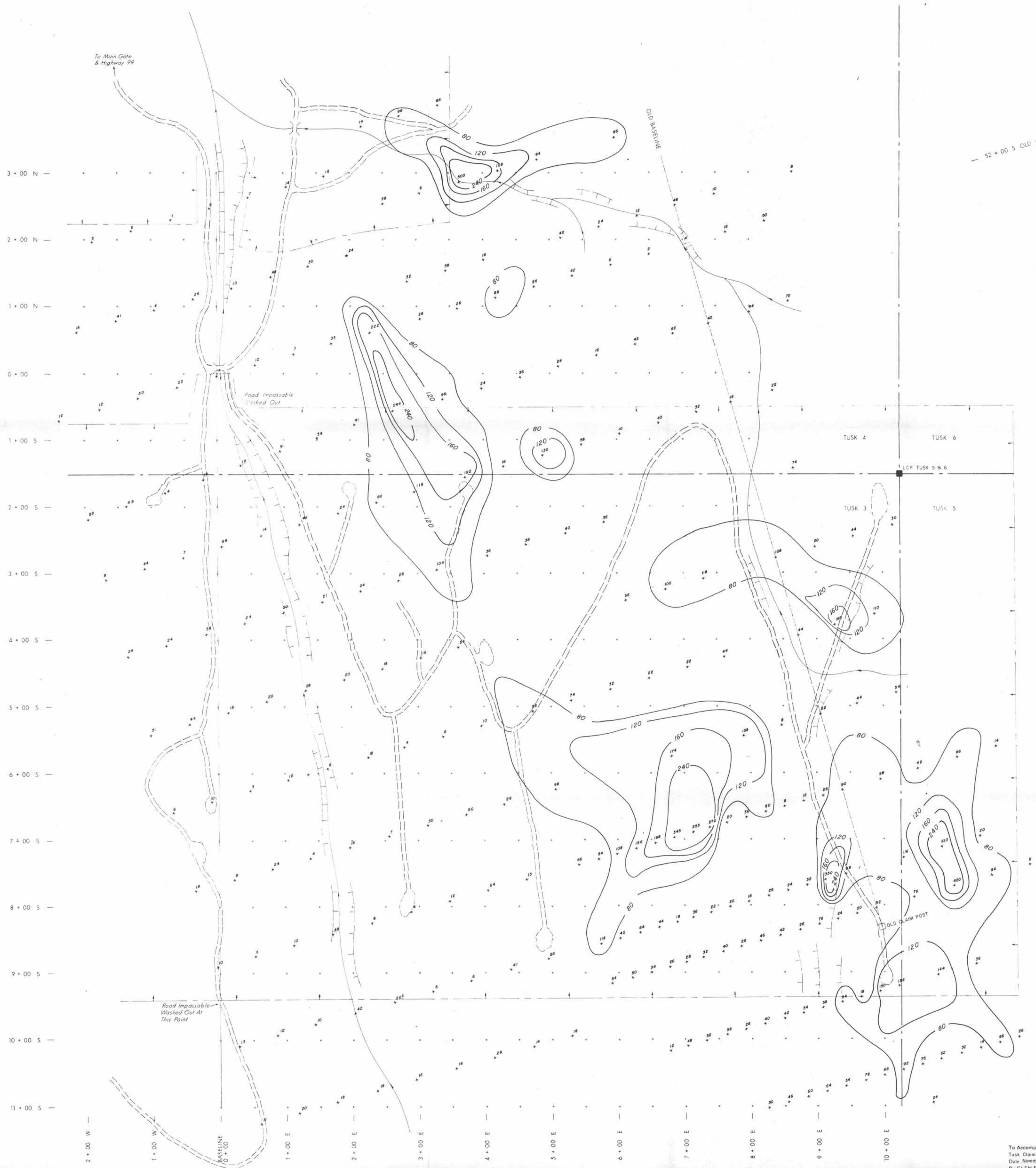
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COST BREAKDOWN

<u>Personnel</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Wages</u>	<u>Total</u>
T. Allmann.....	Oct.7-22/82....	\$250/day....	\$4000.00
B. Hamilton.....	"...".....	230/day....	3680.00
O. Aarreskjold.....	"...".....	175/day....	2800.00
B. Crassweller.....	"...".....	200/day....	3200.00
Meals and accomodations @ \$50/day.....			3200.00
Vehicle expenses.....			1760.00
Induced polarization system.....			1800.00
Materials, flagging, hip chains, etc.....			160.00
Drafting and secretarial.....			550.00
Interpretation and reports.....			850.00
Total.....			<u>\$22,000.00</u>



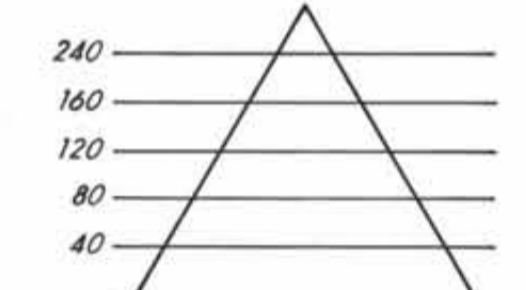
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- Logged Off Area
- Legal Claim Post, Tusk Claims
- Old Claim Post, SS Claims

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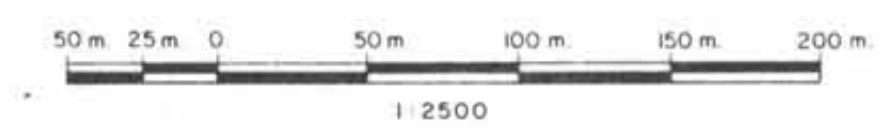
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**GEOCHEMICAL KEY**



COPPER P.P.M.

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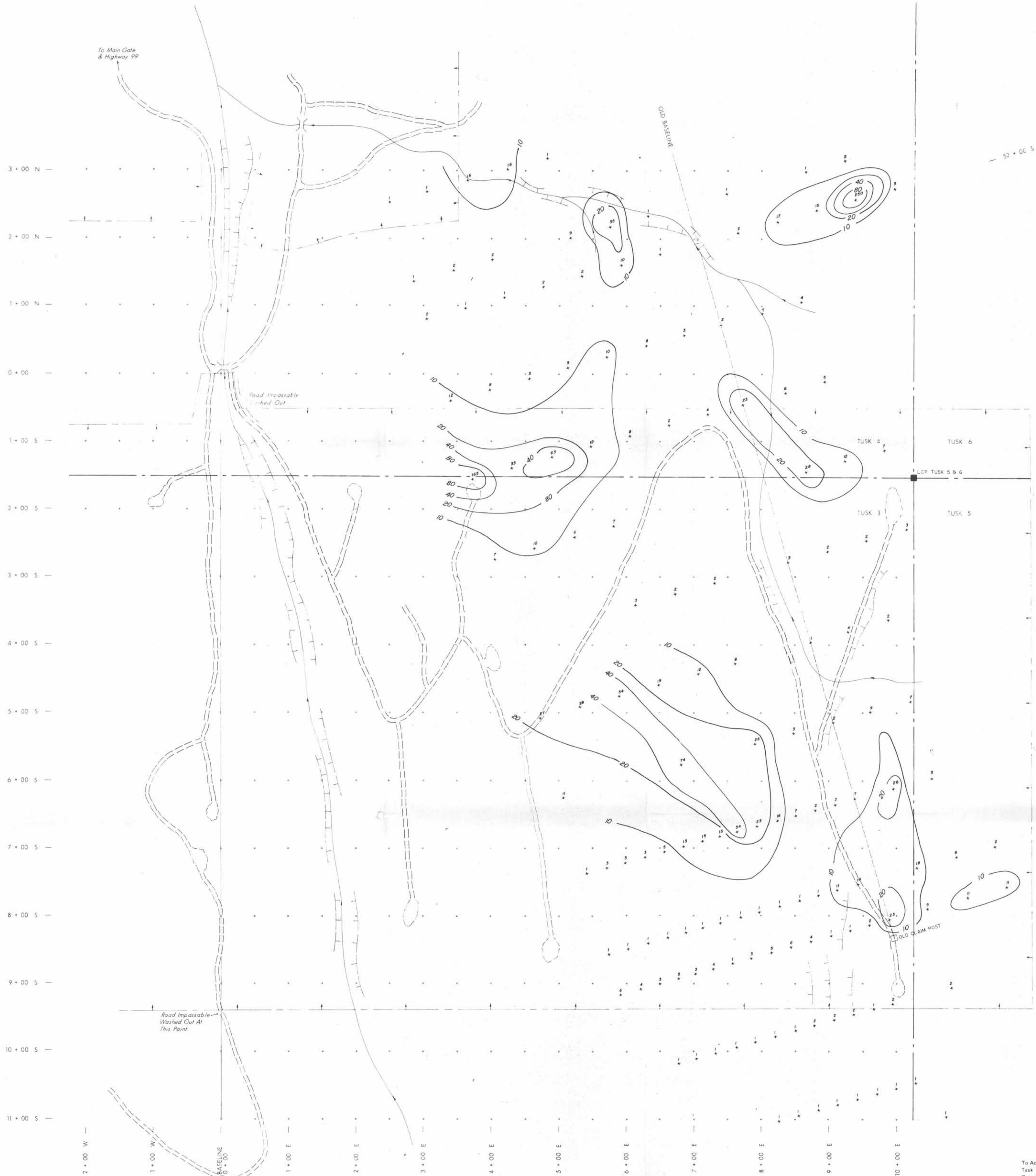
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**GEOCHEMICAL MAP**  
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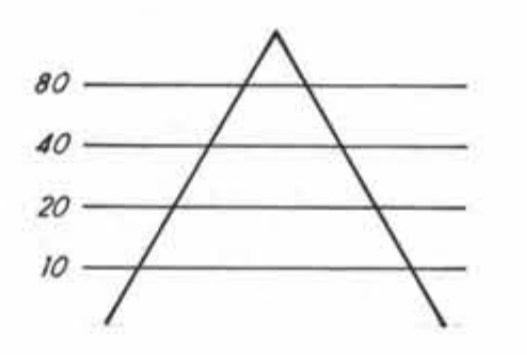
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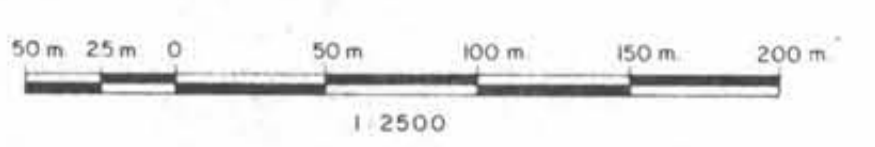
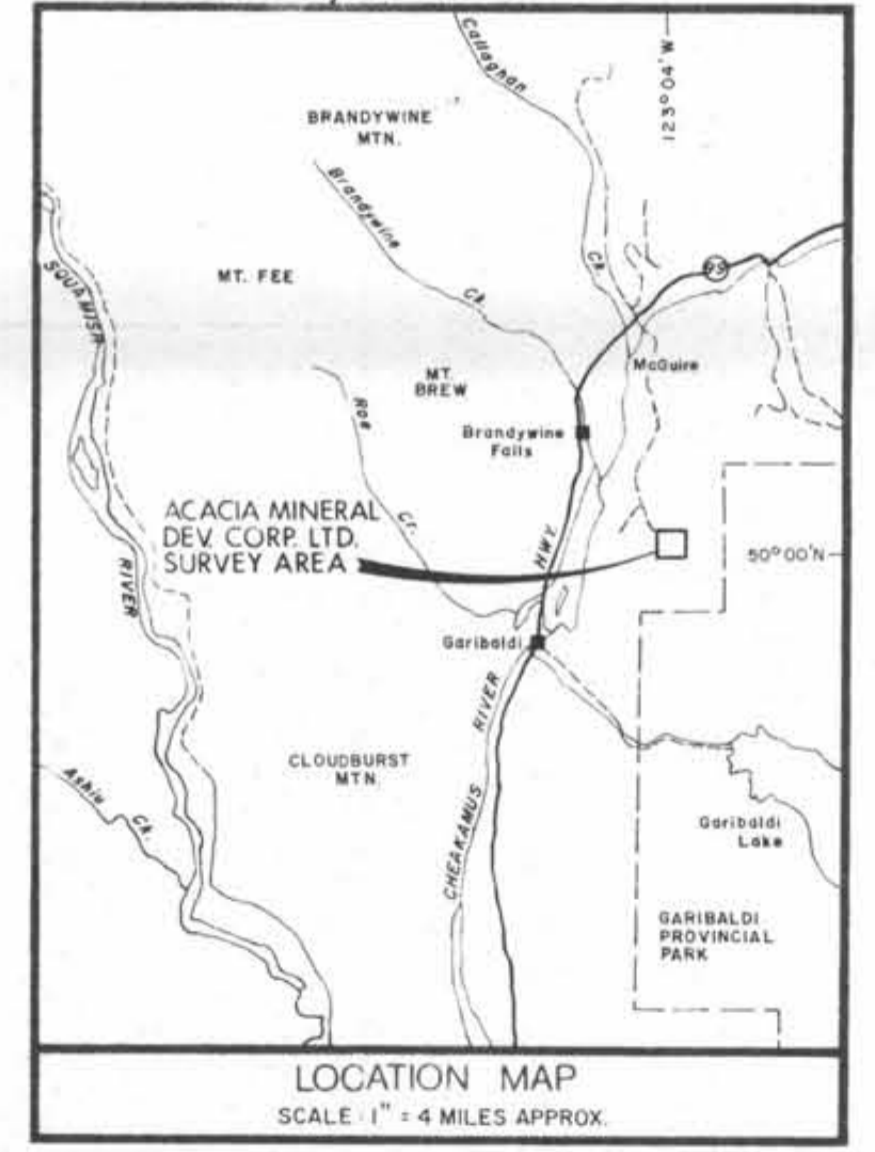
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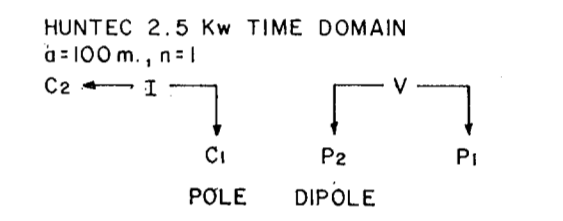
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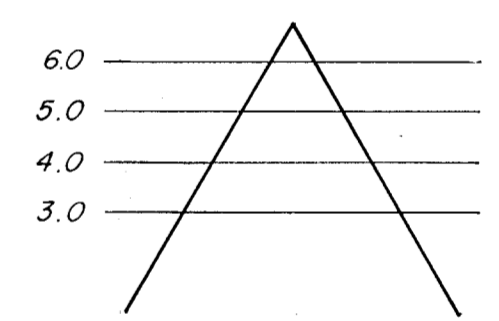
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**INSTRUMENT:**



**CHARGEABILITY KEY**

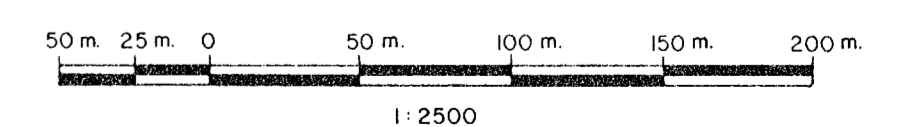
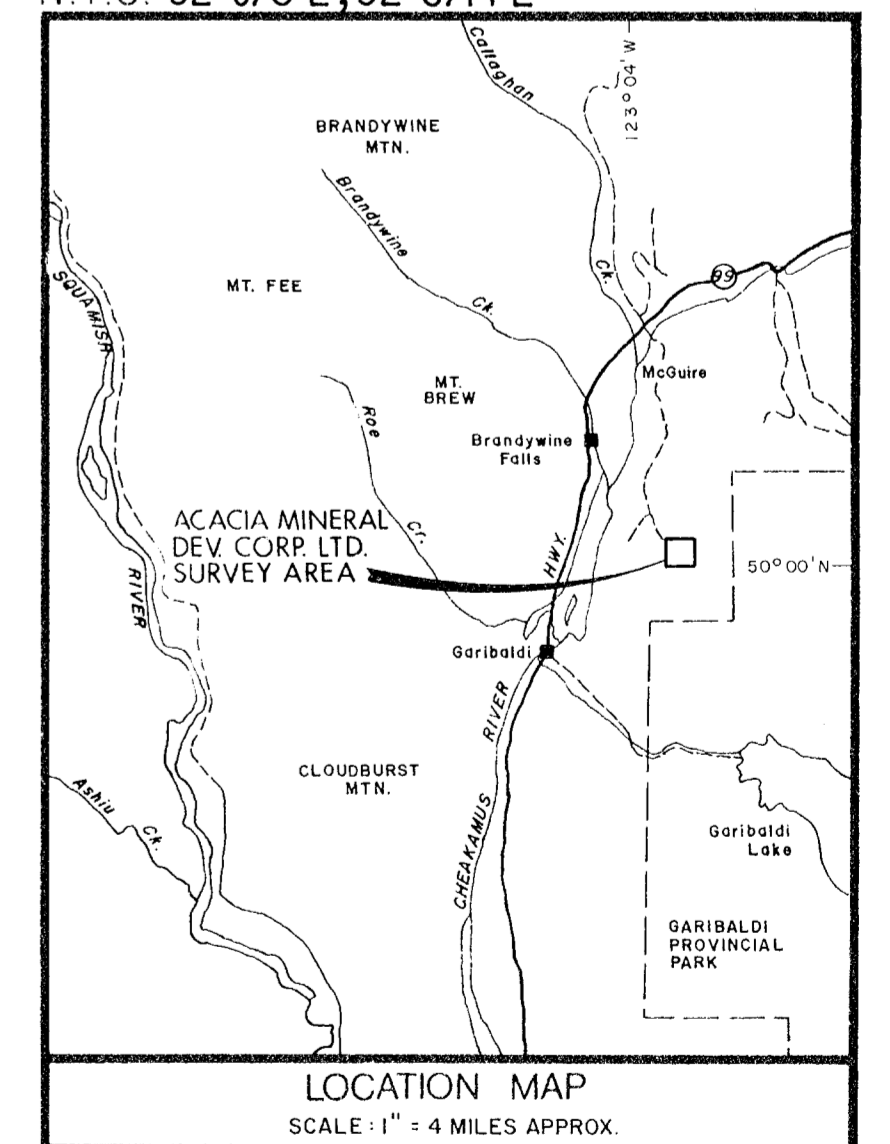


MILLISECONDS

**INTERPRETATION KEY:**

- COPPER GEOCHEMICAL ANOMALY  
GREATER THAN 80 PPM.
- MOLYBDENUM GEOCHEMICAL ANOMALY  
GREATER THAN 10 PPM.
- CHARGEABILITY TREND
- RESISTIVITY HIGH TREND

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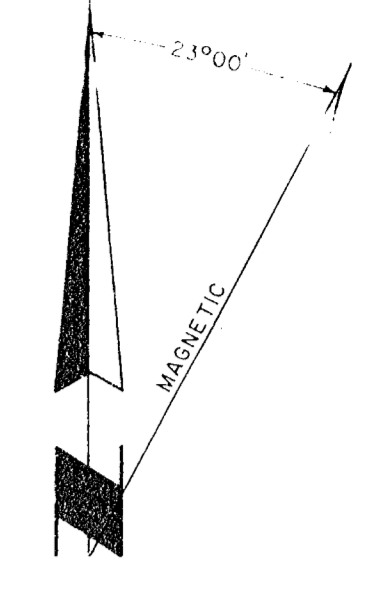
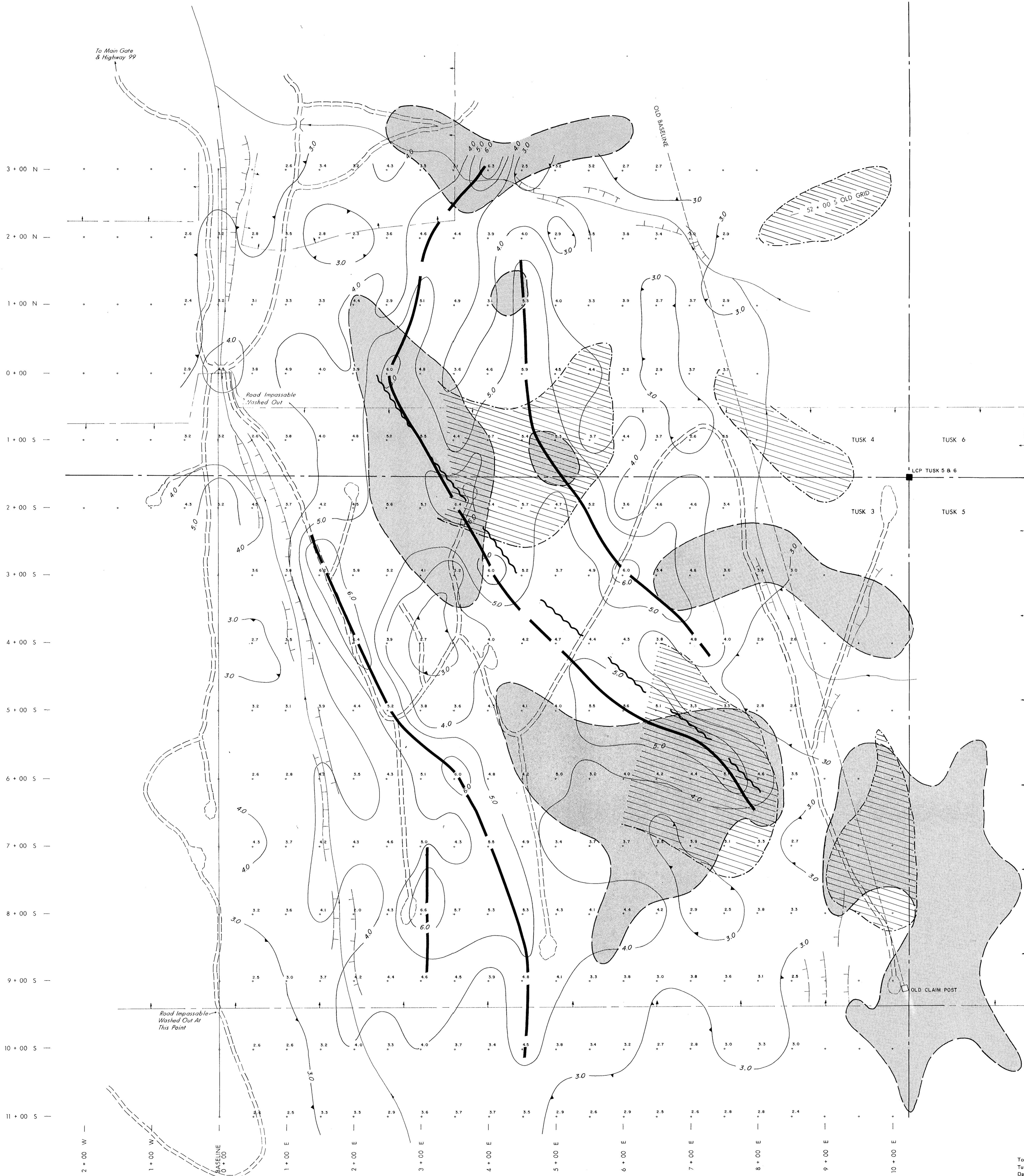
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CHARGEABILITY-N=1 (MILLISECONDS)  
INTERPRETATION MAP**

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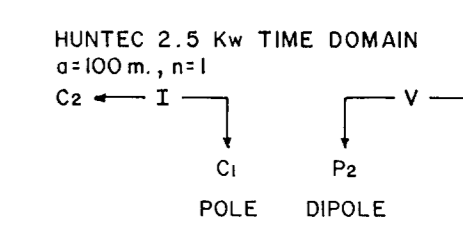
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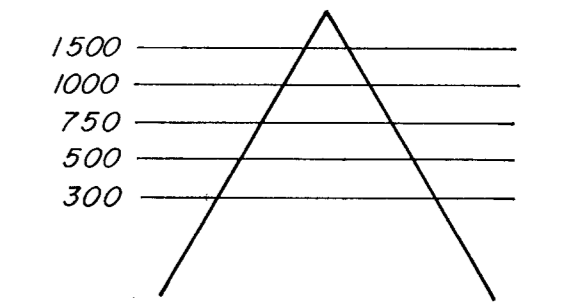
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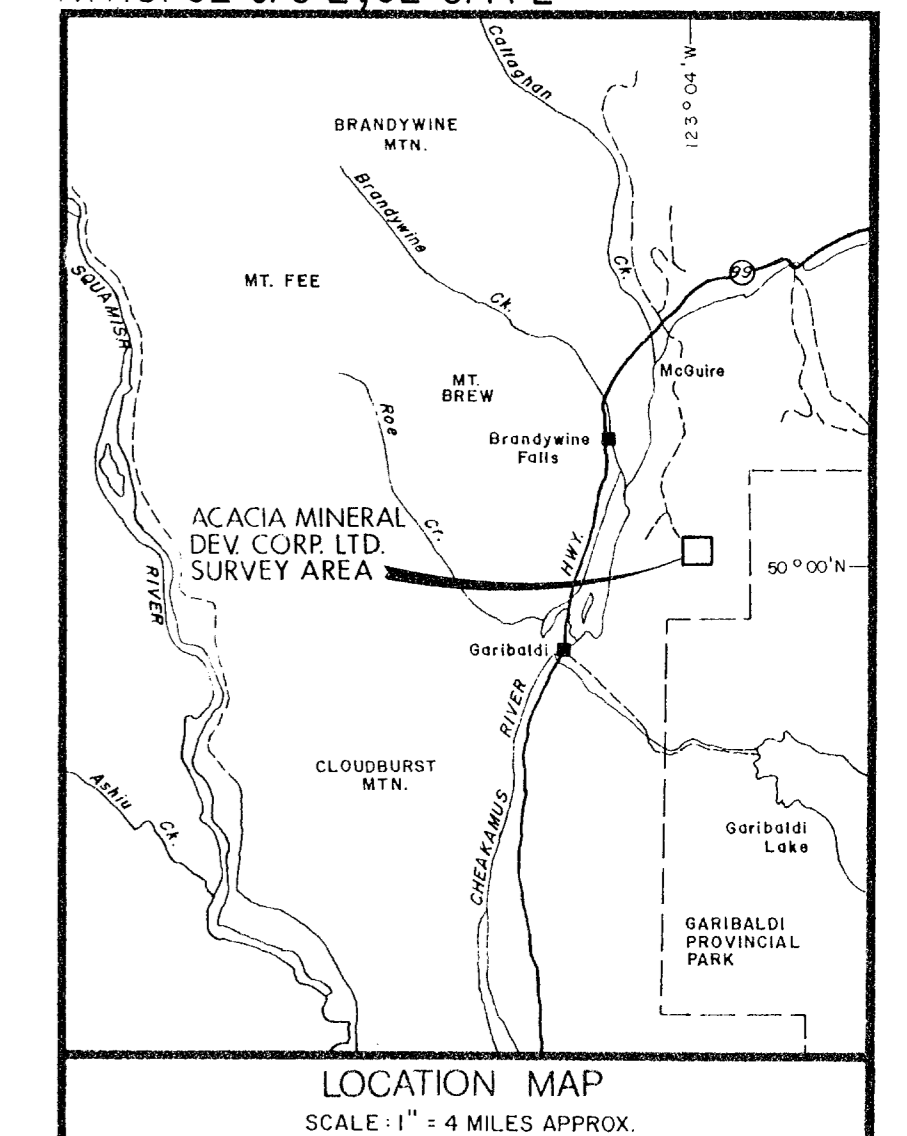


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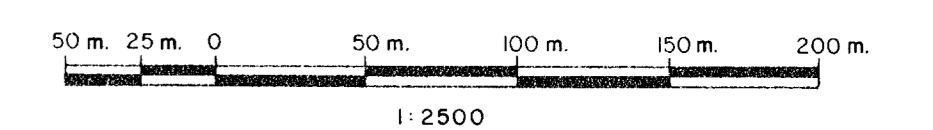


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LOCATION MAP  
SCALE: 1" = 4 MILES APPROX.



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