GEOCHEMICAL ASSESSMENT REPORT

On The

HAG2 CLAIM

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MAPS

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1. Scale 1:10,000 Geochemical and Geology Map, with topography and claim outlines for the HAG 2 Claim, (Fig 3) in pocket /





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INTRODUCTION & DESCRIPTION

The HAG2 Claim, containing a total of two units, is located 2.5 km south of Morice River and 3.5 km east of Lamprey Creek, some 32 km southwest of the town of Houston.

The HAG2 Claim was staked by the writer over the previously expired Hagas6 and Hagas16 Claims. As the large scale map indicates (Fig. 3), the LCP is located in a small draw near the top of the main northsouth ridge in the area.

Access to the claim is from Houston via the Morice River road (42 km), then by good logging road for 4.5 km to the LCP.

GENERAL GEOLOGY

The general geology of the claim area, as shown on the geological base map (Fig. 3), was copied from the latest GSC 1:125,000 geology map for the area by H.W.Tipper (GSC 0.F. 351, 1976). The Jurassic volcanics of the Hazelton Group underlie most of the claim, with the Eocene Buck Creek Volcanics occupying the southeastern corner. Some glacial dispersed intrusive float of diorite to gabbro composition was observed in the field.

GEOCHEMICAL SURVEY

While geochemical stream sediment sampling was the main purpose of the survey, rock outcrop samples were also collected where available along the silt-sampling traverses. Because of the small claim area and very poor drainage pattern, only a handful of high quality stream sediments and seven rock chip samples were taken. All samples were analyzed for 26 element ICP, plus gold and mercury at Min-En Laboratory in N.Vancouver, using geochemical methods described overleaf.

Complete analytical results are directly inscribed on the geochemical 1:5,000 scale sample location map (Fig. 3).

<u>Stream Sediment Geochemistry</u> - A specially constructed perforated pan and sieve was used for collection of stream sediment samples in order to enhance the uniformity of the material sampled, which in turn makes it possible to identify subtle trace element anomalies.

Except for the gully sample near the LCP, which is anomalous in zinc, the stream sediments did not provide useful information in this area mainly because of thick glacial cover and poor drainage network. The sediment samples would have to be taken much further downstream, at a lower elevation, to capture the hydromorphic contribution of the bedrock-circulating groundwaters. <u>Analytical Procedure</u> - The samples were analyzed by Min-En Laboratories Ltd. of 705 West 15th St., N.Vanc, as follows:

The stream sediments were oven-dried in their original water-resistant kraft paper bags at 95°C and screened to obtain the minus 80 mesh fraction for analysis. The rock samples were crushed and pulverized in a ceramic-plated pulverizer.

A suitable weight og 5.0 or 10.0 grams is pretreated with HNO₃ and HClO₄ mixture.

After pretreatment the samples are digested with Aqua Regia solution, then taken up with 25% HCl to suitable volume and aliquot used for the 26 element ICP trace element analysis.

From the major remaining portion of the sample, Gold is preconcentrated by standard fire assay methods, then extracted with Methyl Iso-Butyl Ketone and analyzed by Atomic Absorption.

For Mercury analysis, 1 gram of sieved material is sintered at 90°c for 4 hours, then digested in HNO₃ and HCl acids mixture, and analyzed by the Hatch and Ott flameless AA method. 5

<u>Rock Geochemistry</u> - Due to the extensive overburden cover in the central portion of the claim, only several volcanic outcrops were located and sampled around the periphery, as well as a couple of intrusive floats (#103,105).

Only the two samples from the northwest corner of the claim, numbers 101 and 106 are anomalous in several trace elements, silver, cadmium, lead, and zinc as well as in arsenic and antimony, suggesting greater potential at depth.

CONCLUSIONS

1. Due to the extensive thickness of glacial overburden, stream sediment sampling is not very usefull for locating mineralization in a small area such as the HAG2 claim.

2. Sufficiently interesting, though mild, anomalies in rocks and a sediment sample exist in the northwest corner of the claim to warrant followup with soil line and profile sampling in that area.

APPENDIX I

STATEMENT	OF	EXPENDITURES
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Supplies - sample bags, flagging, etc. 35.00

Analysis

7 Silt Samples for Hg, Au, F, 26	ICP
& prep. @ 22.10/sample	154.70
& prep. @ 19.25/sample	115.50

Report Preparation

Report	; typing		60.00
Map an	d repot	duplication	35.00

Total Expenditures 567.20

APPENDIX	II
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STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

I.- Sam Zastavnikovich, do hereby certify that:

- 1. I am a graduate of the University of Alberta with the Degree of B. Ed. in Physical Sciences, 1969.
- 2. I have been a practicing exploration geochemist with Falconbridge Ltd. of Toronto and Vancouver for thirteen continuous years as:

1969-1975: Field geochemist, international. 1975-1979: Project geologist-geochemist, B. C. 1979-1982: Exploration geochemist, worldwide, where I was engaged in all aspects of geochemical exploration, including research and development of improved sampling techniques, and advanced geochemical interpretation, as well as the writing of final, budget, and assessment reports.

- 3. I am a voting member of the Association of Exploration Geochemists.
- 4. I am a consulting geochemist with offices at 5063 56th. St., Delta, B. C.

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