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Omineca Mining Division, B.C.

GEOLOGICAL BRANCH ASSESSMENT REPORT

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SUMMARY:

The Dag group of claims are located approximately 25 kilometers north of the village of Takla Landing in north central B.C. The group consists of six claims totalling 89 units all grouped to cover favourable felsic volcanic stratigraphy of the Sitlika group which may host volcanogenic massive sulphide deposits. In September and October of 1985 Noranda Exploration personnel established 32.6 kms. of grid line on five grids and collected 864 "B horizon" soil samples which were analyzed for Cu, Zn and Ag. Geophysical crews performed 15.95 kms. of SE-88 survey and 18.325 kms. of magnetometer survey over the Bev, Steve, Dave and Pen grids. Geophysical surveys were already reported for the Dag grid in a previous assessment report.

INTRODUCTION:

The Dag Group consists of six contiguous claims, totalling 89 units, grouped together for the purpose of assessment. All claims, with the exception of DAG 1 which was optioned from Art Halleran in March of 1985, were staked by Noranda Exploration personnel. The ground was acquired to cover airborne EM anomalies detected in an Aerodat survey contracted by Noranda Exploration in June of 1985. This report describes work carried out by Norex on this group over a period between early September and late October in 1985.

LOCATION AND ACCESS:

The group covers an area which stretches from Diver Lake northwest to Beaverpond Lake. Diver Lake is located approximately 25 kilometers north of the village of Takla Landing in central B.C. (Figure 1). Access to the area is via a series of logging roads off the Takla Landing access road or by helicopter to more remote areas. The Beaverpond Lake area is also accessible by float plane from Fort. St. James.

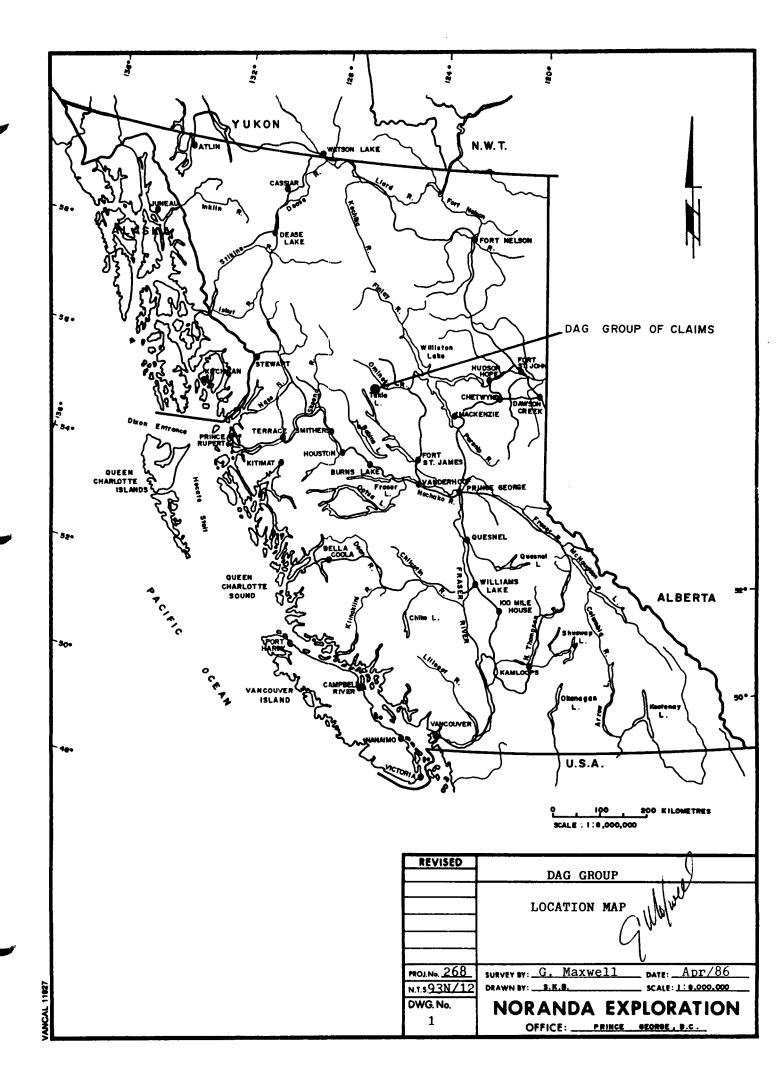
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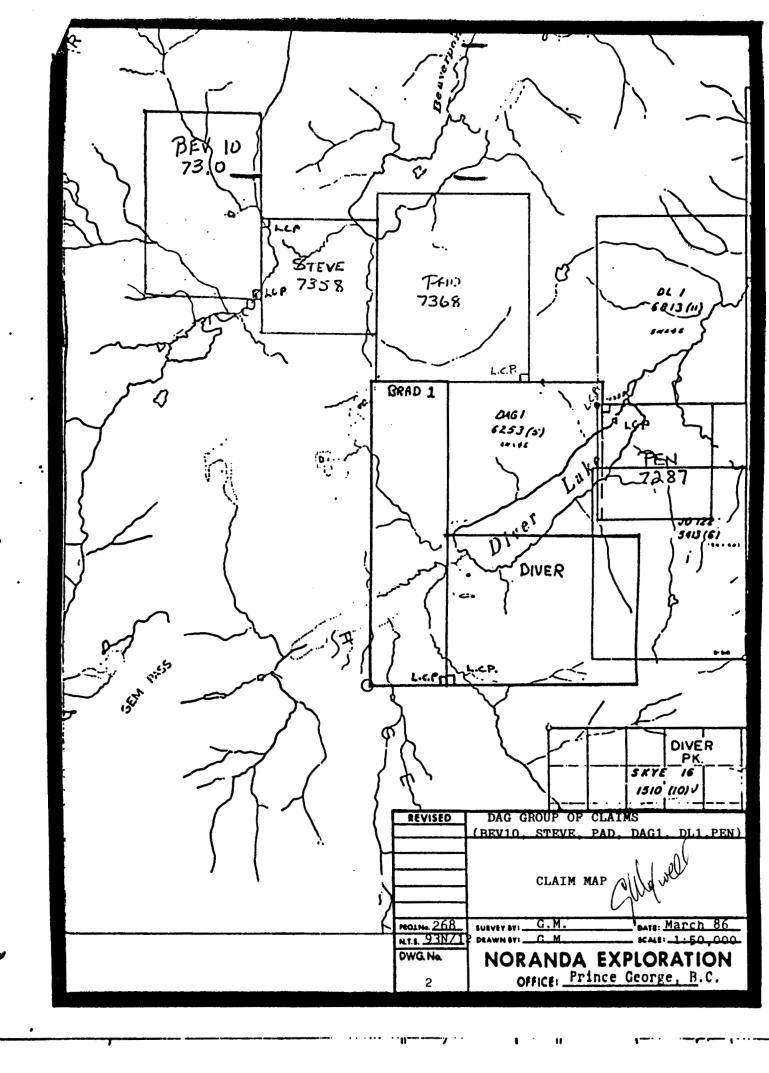
All claims were staked using the modified grid system and are found on claim map 93N/12W of the Omineca Mining Division. All claims have been grouped for the purpose of assessment.

<u>Claim_Name</u>	<u>#_Units</u>	Record #	<u>Record_Date</u>
Dag 1	16	6253	May 31/84
DL 1	20	6813	Nov. 14/84
Pen	9	7287	Oct. 24/85
Pad	20	7368	Oct. 24/85
Steve	9	7358	Oct. 9/85
Bev 10	15	7310	Sept. 23/85

REGIONAL GEOLOGY:

The area is underlain by Upper Triassic to Lower Jurassic volcanic and sedimentary rocks of the Sitlika Assemblage which have been regionally metamorphosed to greenschist 1974). This assemblage is composed mainly of well foliated andesitic to rhyolitic pyroclastics and flows with lesser amounts of greywacke, siltstone and phyllite. The Sitlika volcanics are characterized by local development of sericite. quartz-sericite and chlorite schists. The Takla Fault separates the Sitlika rocks from the Tertiary Sustat Group to the west. Permian Cache Creek rocks to the east are separated from the Sitlika by the Vital Fault and a serpentinite melange. The Cache Creek Group is bounded to the east by the Pinchi Fault and the Jurassic Hogem Batholith (Figure 3).





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LOCAL GEOLOGY:

BEV_GRID

The Bev claim lies in heavily wooded lower elevations in close proximity to several swampy beaver ponds. The grid is void of outcrop with the exception of an area along the baseline between lines 4100N and 4550N. This series of outcrops indicates the grid to be underlain by a north/south trending sequence of intercalated felsic and intermediate volcanics dipping steeply to the west. The intermediate volcanics are composed of weakly foliated andesitic flows and tuffs with minor chloritic schist. The felsic volcanics include massive and porphyritic dacitic flows, with a lapilli tuff horizon containing rhyolite fragments.

STEVE GRID

The Steve grid is situated adjacent the Bev claim with much the same topography. The only outcrops in the area occur northeast of the grid. The area appears to be underlain by a sequence of mafic, intermediate and felsic flows which trend north/northwest and dip steeply to the east. The felsic volcanics are composed of massive and porphyritic dacitic flows with local disseminated pyrite-pyrrhotite (2-5%) mineralization.

PAD GRID

The Pad grid lies along a slope where the topography varies from subalpine to heavily wooded lower elevations. The majority of the outcrop on the grid is found in the subalpine area, whereas the rest of the grid has poorer exposure. The property is underlain by a northwest trending sequence of andesitic to dacitic flows and pyroclastics which dip steeply to the east. The pyroclastics consist mainly of lapilli tuff with both felsic and mafic volcanic fragments. The flows are weakly to moderately foliated and contain minor chert horizons.

DAG GRID

The Dag grid is situated in a subalpine area, with excellent outcrop exposure. The area is underlain by a sequence of felsic and intermediate volcanics which trend north/south and dip steeply toward the east. The intermediate volcanics are composed mainly of massive to amygdaloidal andesitic flows and chloritic schist. The felsic volcanics include massive and porphyritic dacitic to rhyolitic flows, tuff, lapilli tuff and agglomerate. The agglomerate and lapilli tuff consist mainly of coarse dacite and rhyolite fragments in a dacitic ash tuff.

DAVE_GRID

The Dave grid lies in a heavily wooded area adjacent to Diver Lake. No outcrop exposure was observed on the grid, but several were exposed along the Diver Lake logging road. The grid appears to lie at or near the interface between Sitlika volcanics and a lower Jurassic felsic intrusive. The composition of the intrusive

ranges from granite to granodiorite with coarser quartz and feldspar porphyritic phases.

PEN_GRID

The Pen grid is situated in similar topography as the Dave grid, with only one outcrop exposure noted on the entire grid. The outcrop indicates the grid is at least in part underlain by north/south trending quartz-sericite schist.

GEOPHYSICS:

INSTRUMENTATION

SE-88 EM System The SE-88 unit differs from the normal HLEM systems such as the MaxMin II above in that it measures without regard to phase, the ratio of signal amplitude between two frequencies which are transmitted and received simultaneously. A low frequency of 112 Hz is used as a reference frequency. The signal difference is integrated or averaged over a period of time in order to improve the signal to noise ratio.

The survey parameters employed on the follow-up programme are as follows:

Coil separation
Frequencies
Reference frequency
Integration period
Reading interval
Measurement

: 100 meters

: 3037, 1012, 337 Hz

: 112 Hz

: 16 or 8 seconds

: 25 meters

: ratio of amplitude between reference and signal

frequencies (%).

MP-3 Magnetometer System Magnetometers manufactured by Scintrex Ltd. of Concord, Ontario were employed for these surveys. The MP-3 Total Field Magnetometer System consists of one or more field units and a base station. Diurnal and day to day variations are automatically corrected at the end of the survey by the built in microprocessor giving the data a usable accuracy of 1 gamma.

DISCUSSION OF RESULTS:

BEV GRID

The ground SE-88 E.M. survey defined numerous zones of conductivity, however, the portions of the anomalies directly associated with a strong magnetic response are first priority targets.

The dip of the conductor source cannot be determined due to the influence of nearby parallel conductors.

Zone A: Located west of the baseline, the portion of interest is between L.4700N/9735E and L.3900N/9640E and exhibits a high susceptibility as seen by the narrow magnetic response (2000-3000 nT in amplitude), and a high conductivity with a maximum of 40 Siemens at L.4300N/9637E. The depth to the current axis is less than 10 metres in the area of interest and the source is vertical to steeply dipping.

 $Zone_B$: This zone shows localized improvement in the source conductivity (15 to 25 Siemens) between L.5000N/9975E and L.4700N/10045E, and a corresponding dramatic increase in the source susceptibility as seen by the recorded 1000 to 1500 nT magnetic anomaly. The depth to the current axis in the area of interest is 10 metres.

STEVE GRID

Six lines of SE-88 E.M. and Mag were completed for this grid. East of the baseline the E.M. has recorded significant geologic noise. Conductor "axes" are indicated on the map, however, those on the southern three lines represent discontinuities in the conductivity/resistivity of the source causing the geologic noise. The broad zone west of the baseline is coincident with a steep magnetic gradient and probably is representative of a conductive contact (fault zone). The primary zone of interest would be the high conductivity (22-30 Siemens) target east of baseline on Lines 6900N and 7000N. A subtle increase of the magnetic field is recorded over the conductor. The depth to the current axis varies between 24 to 10 metres suggesting a plunge to the north. The dip is assumed to be near vertical.

DAVE_GRID

The SE-88 survey defined a conductive zone over a four hundred meter strike length with the target definition open to the north. The conductivity is low at approximately 8 Siemens. The magnetic survey has mapped a narrow high amplitude anomaly coincident with the conductivity source.

SOIL GEOCHEMISTRY:

Soil samples were taken from the "B" horizon using a grub hoe from depths ranging from 25 to 38 cm. The samples were placed in Kraft wet strength paper bags, dried, then shipped to Noranda Labs in Vancouver, B.C. for analysis (for analytical procedure see Appendix III).

A total of 864 samples were taken from six grids, all within the Dag group of claims.

OBSERVATIONS:

BEV GRID

A total of 275 "B" horizon soil samples were taken over the

gridded portion of the Bev 10 property. Several locations were not sampled due to swampy conditions or poor soil development.

The copper values range from 4 ppm to 190 ppm. A trend of anomalous copper geochem was found to coincide with the zone A conductive horizon between lines 4400N and 5000N. No indication of anomalous copper geochem was found to be associated with the zone B conductive horizon. Several "bulls eye" type anomalies were outlined at L5000N/9475E, L4550N/9500E and L4550N/9425E.

The grid also covers a large area of anomalous zinc geochem with values ranging from 16 ppm to 600 ppm. Again the zone A conductive horizon appears to coincide with an extensive trend of anomalous zinc geochem between lines 3950N and 5000N. The strongest zinc found is found 100 meters west of zone A between lines 3950W and 4850N. This trend is quite broad with localized highs of greater than 500 ppm zinc centered at L4250N/9500E and L4550N/9675E. A strong "bulls eye" anomaly is outlined at L4250N/9825E.

Silver values range from the detection limit of 0.2 ppm to a high of 3.2 ppm. A weakly anomalous trend appears to be associated with the zone A conductive horizon between lines 3950N and 5000N. This trend is discontinuous and is not directly associated with the conductor on all lines. Another anomalous silver trend is outlined 200 meters west of zone A between lines 3950N and 4700N, with localized highs of greater than 2.0 ppm silver centered at L4250N/9475E and L4550N/9400E.

STEVE GRID

Most of the stations were not sampled because of the very swampy soil conditions which occur on the Steve grid. A total of 81 samples were taken in areas of the best soil profile development.

Copper values range from 6 ppm to 64 ppm, with no values being considered anomalous. Two stations had values which might be considered above threshold. Both samples, located at L7000N/7225E and L6900N/7300E, were not found to be associated with conductive horizons outlined on the grid.

Zinc values range from 20 ppm to a high of 180 ppm and again no samples were considered anomalous. Several areas were considered above threshold but are small and localized, 17000N/7250E, L6900N/6925E, and L6900N/6800E. None were found to be associated with the main conductive horizon.

Almost all silver values fall in the range from $\emptyset.2$ ppm to $\emptyset.6$ ppm with the exception of L7000N/7325E which returned a high value of 3.2 ppm.

PAD GRID

A total of 200 "B" horizon soil samples were taken from the Pad grid. In general, most of the area covered was underlain by

very well developed soil profiles and subsequently, a large percentage of the stations could be sampled.

Copper values range from 10 ppm to a high of 130 ppm. No anomalous trends were outlined, but several weak "bulls eye" type anomalies were located at L3900E/5125N, L4050E/4950N, L4500N/4950N, L4650E/4975N, L4650E/5125N and L4650E/5175N.

The survey outlined several areas of weakly anomalous zinc geochem including a trend coincident with the main conductive horizon, between lines 4200E and 4800E. The remaining anomalous areas are chaotically distributed throughout the grid. The zinc values range from 26 ppm to 210 ppm.

Silver values range from the detection limit of 0.2 ppm to 1.2 ppm. The only area of greater than 1.0 ppm occurs between lines 4050E and 3900E.

DAG GRID

The steep terrain and continuous outcrop on portions of the Dag grid hampered sample collection at several sites. A total of 92 "B" horizon soil samples were taken on lines 4700N, 4800N, 4900N and 5000N. The eastern extension of L5000N was not sampled.

The background for copper appears to be somewhat high on the Dag grid than on other grids in the area with values ranging from 10 ppm to 480 ppm. A large area of anomalous copper geochem is found centered at L4700N/4200E with a maximum value of 480 ppm. Two other one sample anomalies occur at L4800N/4675E and L4700N/4600E.

The zinc values range from 26 ppm to 180 ppm. No samples were considered highly anomalous but several stations returned values above background. These values were scattered throughout the grid and do not conform to a particular trend.

Silver values range from the detection limit of 0.2 ppm to a high of 0.8 ppm. None of the silver values on this grid are considered anomalous or above background.

DAYE GRID

A total of 117 "B" horizon soil samples were taken from six grid lines on the Dave grid. Several samples were not obtained in areas where the grid crossed the road or in areas where ground conditions proved to be too swampy.

Copper values range from 6 ppm to 100 ppm. None of the values found on the grid are considered anomalous.

Zinc values range from 40 ppm to 180 ppm. No samples were considered highly anomalous, but several stations returned values above background. A weak trend of above background values appears to coincide with the HLEM conductor axis on lines 2100N to 2300N.

Silver values range from the detection limit of $\emptyset.2$ ppm to a high of 1.2 ppm. A weakly anomalous trend occurs between lines 1900N and 2000N at 1750E.

PEN GRID

Several stations could not be samples due to high lake levels or very swampy soil conditions. A total of 119 soil samples were taken from the "B" horizon on the gridded portion of the property.

Copper values range from 8 ppm to 160 ppm, but most values are less than 50 ppm. The only sample considered anomalous is L2900N/2900E which recorded the maximum value of 160 ppm.

Zinc values range from 18 ppm to 180 ppm. None of these values are considered anomalous but several samples are above the threshold mark. Most of these values are isolated and do not conform to a particular trend. One weak trend is outlined 50 m east of the baseline between lines 3100N and 3500N.

Silver values range from the detection limit of 0.2 ppm to 1.4 ppm. Only two stations have values greater than 1.0 ppm, L3100N/3200E and L3500N/3200E.

CONCLUSIONS:

BEV GRID

The Bev grid is underlain by felsic pyroclastics and intermediate volcanics which are favourable to volcanogenic massive sulphide deposits. The SE-88 and Mag surveys outlined two highly conductive horizons with strong direct magnetic responses. The Cu, In and Ag soil geochem surveys all outlined the zone A conductive horizon but failed to locate the zone B conductive horizon, possible due to greater overburden depths.

STEVE_GRID

The grid is underlain by the same favourable volcanics as the Bev grid. The geophysical survey outlined a strong HLEM anomaly with no direct magnetic response. The swampy conditions made it impossible to sample most of the grid and subsequently the portion that could be sampled returned poor values.

PAD GRID

The Pad grid is underlain by intermediate to felsic volcanics of the Sitlika Group which may host volcanogenic massive sulphides. The results of the soil geochem program proved to be very spotty and may be due to deep overburden.

DAG GRID

This grid is underlain by the most favourable geologic environment found within the survey area. The rocks consist of

very coarse felsic pyroclastics, agglomerate and massive rhyolite flows. As previously reported, five lines of SE-88 survey failed to locate a geophysical target. The geochem survey outlined a Cu anomaly of 480 ppm.

DAVE GRID

No outcrop was found on the Dave grid, but the property is believed to be underlain by similar geology to that of the Dag grid. The SE-88 survey outlined a weak conductive horizon with a strong direct Mag response. Only a weak In geochem trend was found associated with this conductive horizon.

Pen Grid

The outcrop on the Pen grid is very sparse but immediately south along strike, Diver Peak is underlain by pyritic sericite schists and dacitic tuffs which may host volcanogenic massive sulphides. The soil geochem survey failed to outline any anomalous trends, which was probably due to deep overburden and swampy terrain.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- Extend lines on Bev grid to the west to further outline In and Ag geochem trends.
- 2. Analyze all samples on Bev orid for Pb.
- 3. Drill test conductive zones A and B on Bev grid.
- 4. Field check the 3.2 ppm Ag anomaly on the Steve grid.
- 5. Drill main conductive horizon on Steve grid.
- 6. Drill two conductors on the Pad grid.
- 7. Extend grid lines on Dag grid further to the east and conduct more SE-88 and Mag surveys and possibly 2 lines of Pulse EM.
- 8. Perform further soil geochem and geologic mapping in the area of the Dag grid.
- 9. Drill test conductor on Dave grid.
- 10. Drill test conductor on Pen grid.

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APPENDIX I

STATEMENT OF COSTS

PROJECT: DIVER GROUP (Pen, Bev 18, Steve, Pad, Dag 1, DL 1)

REPORT TYPE: Geological, Geochemical and Geophysical

a) WAGES:

Geology - 6 mandays @ \$130.00/day	\$ 780.00
Geophysics - 20 mandays @ \$125.00/day	\$ 2500.00
Soil Geochem - 12 mandays @ \$110.00/day	\$ 1320.00
Linecutting - 10 mandays @ \$110.00/day	\$ 1100.00

b) FOOD & ACCOMMODATION:

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c) TRANSPORTATION: (BELL 206 Helicopter) \$ 2785.00

d) ANALYSIS:

864 9	amples	Œ	\$4.00/sam	ple	\$	3456.00
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e) COST OF PREPARATION OF REPORT:

Authors	\$ 260.00
Drafting	\$ 805.00
Typing	\$ 110.00

TOTAL: \$15,516.00

CØST BREAKDOWN:

Geology	\$ 1815.00
Geophysics:	
HLEM, 15.95 kms	\$ 3385.00
Mag, 18.325 kms	\$ 1785.00
Linecutting, 32.6 kms	\$ 2100.00
Geochemistry, 864 samples	\$ 6431.00
	\$15,516.00

APPENDIX II

STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

I, Lyndon Bradish of Vancouver, Province of British Columbia, do hereby certify that:

- 1. I am a Geophysicist residing at 1826 Trutch Street, Vancouver British Columbia.
- 2. I am a graduate of the University of British Columbia with a B.Sc. (geophysics).
- 3. I am a member in good standing of the Society of Exploration Geophysicists, Canadian Institute of Mining and the Prospector's and Developer's Association.
- 4. I presently hold the position of Division Geophysicist with Noranda Exploration Company, Limited and have been in their employ since 1973.

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STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

I, Gordon Maxwell of Prince George, Province of British Columbia, do hereby certify that:

- I am a Geologist residing at 6162 Caledonia Crescent, Prince George, British Columbia.
- I am a graduate of the University of Manitoba with an Hons. B. Sc. (geology).
- 3. I am a member in good standing of the Canadian Institute of Mining and the Prospector's and Developer's Association.
- 4. I presently hold the position of Project Geologist with Noranda Exploration Company, Limited and have been in their employ since 1980.

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APPENDIX III

ANALYTICAL METHOD DESCRIPTIONS FOR GEOCHEMICAL ASSESSMENT REPORTS

The methods listed are presently applied to analyse geological materials by the Noranda Geochemical Laboratory at Vancouver.

Preparation of Samples

Sediments and soils are dried at approximately 80° C and sieved with a 80 mesh nylon screen. The -80 mesh (0.18 mm) fraction is used for geochemical analysis.

Rock specimens are pulverized to -120 mesh (0.13 mm). Heavy mineral fractions (panned samples * from constant volume), are analysed in its entirety, when it is to be determined for gold without further sample preparation.

Analysis of Samples

Decomposition of a 0.200 g sample is done with concentrated perchloric and nitric acid (3:1), digested for 5 hours at reflux temperature. Pulps of rock or core are weighed out at 0.4 g and chemical quantities are doubled relative to the above noted method for digestion.

The concentrations of Ag, Cd, Co, Cu, Fe, Mn, Mo, Ni, Pb, V and Zn can be determined directly from the digest (dissolution) with a conventional atomic absorption spectrometric procedure. A Varian-Techtron, Model AA-5 or Model AA-475 is used to measure elemental concentrations.

Elements Requiring Specific Decomposition Method:

Antimony - Sb: 0.2 g sample is attacked with 3.3 ml of 6% tartaric acid, 1.5 ml conc. hydrochloric acid and 0.5 ml of conc. nitric acid, then heated in a water bath for 3 hours at 95°C. Sb is determined directly from the dissolution with an AA-475 equipped with electrodeless discharge lamp (EDL).

Arsenic - As: 0.2 - 0.3 g sample is digested with 1.5 ml of perchloric 70% and 0.5 ml of conc. nitric acid. A Varian AA-475 equipped with an As-EDL is used to massive arsenic content in the digest.

Barium - Ba: 0.1 g sample digested overnight with conc. perchloric, nitric and hydrofluoric acid; Potassium chloride added to prevent ionization. Atomic absorption using a nitrous oxide-acetylene flame determines Ba from the aqueous solution.

Bismuth - Bi: 0.2 g - 0.3 g is digested with 2.0 ml of perchloric 70% and 1.0 ml of conc. nitric acid. Bismuth is determined directly from the digest with an AA-475 complete with EDL.

Gold - Au: 10.0 g sample is digested with aqua regia (1 part nitric and 3 parts hydrochloric acid). Gold is extracted with MIBK from the aqueous solution. AA is used to determine Au.

Magnesium - Mg: 0.05 - 0.10 g sample is digested with 4 ml perchloric/nitric acid (3:1). An aliquot is taken to reduce the concentration to within the

range of atomic absorption. The $\Lambda\Lambda$ -475 with the use of a nitrous oxide flame determines Mg from the aqueous solution.

Tungsten - W: 1.0 g sample sintered with a carbonate flux and thereafter leached with water. The leachate is treated with potassium thiocyanate. The yellow tungsten thiocyanate is extracted into tri-n-butyl phosphate. This permits colourimetric comparison with standards to measure tungsten concentration.

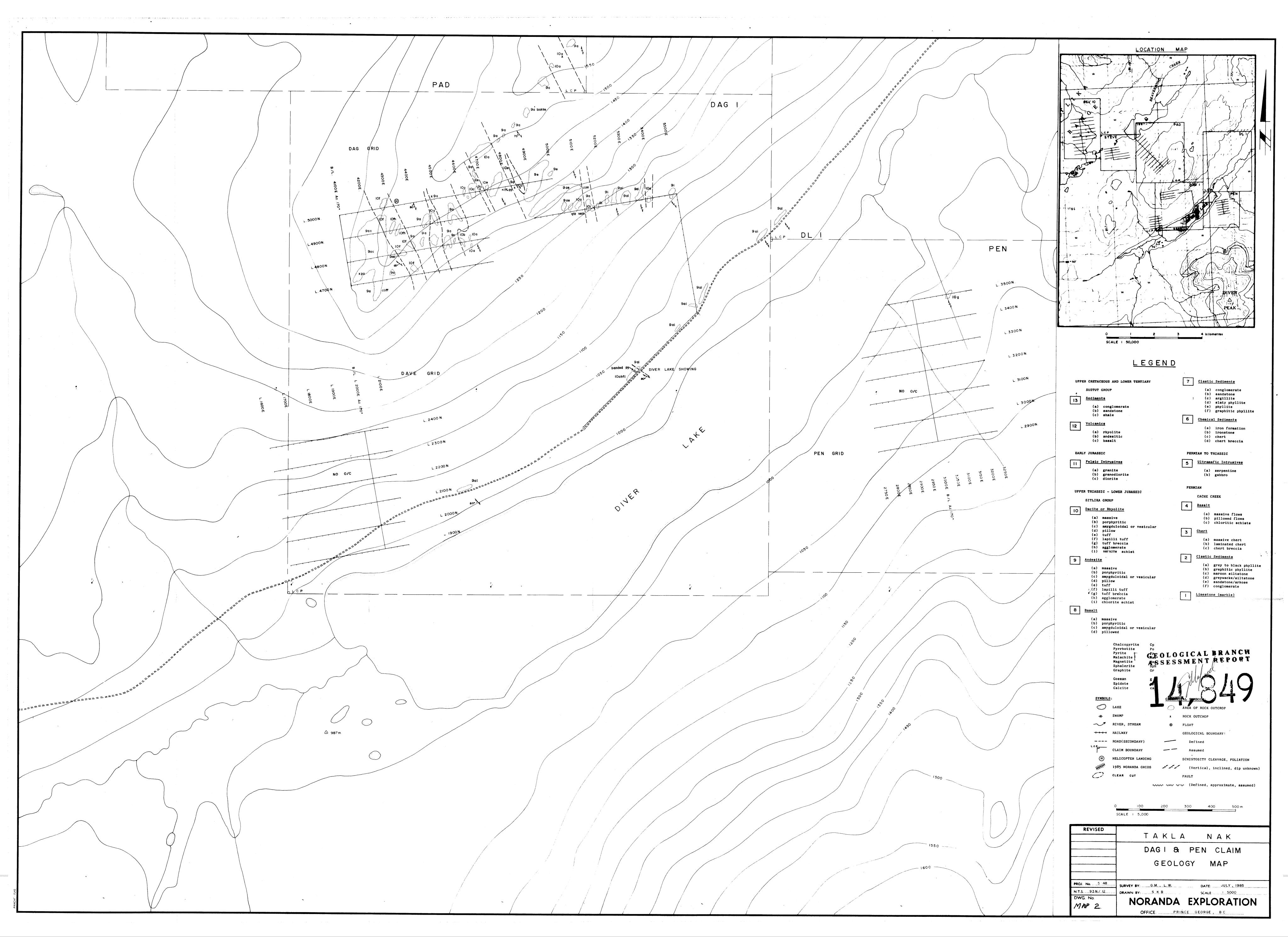
Uranium - U: An aliquot from a perchloric-nitric decomposition, usually from the multi-element digestion, is buffered. The aqueous solution is exposed to laser light, and the luminescence of the uranyl ion is quantitatively measured on the UA-3 (Scintrex).

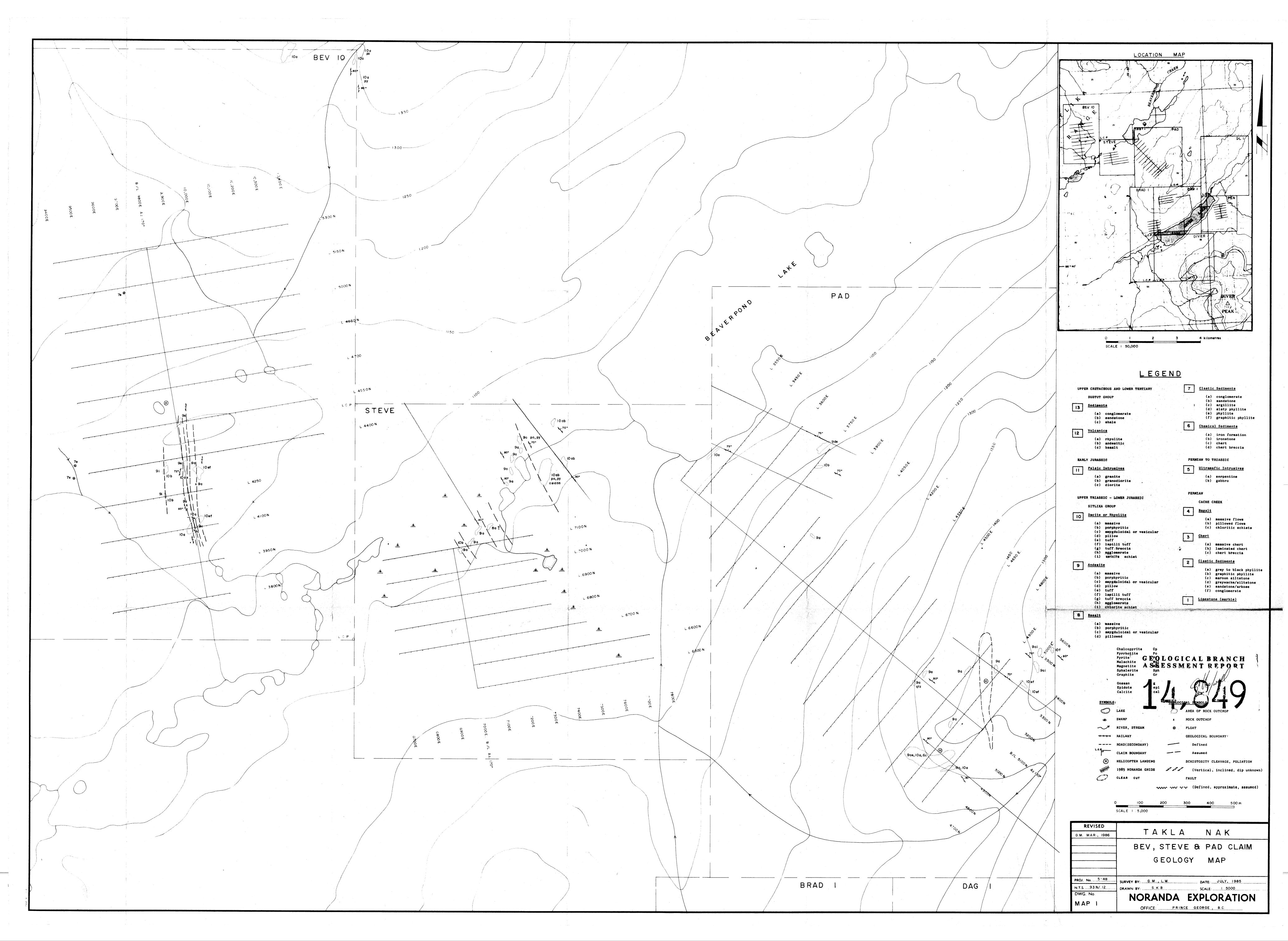
* N.B. If additional elemental determinations are required on panned samples, state this at the time of sample submission. Requests after gold determinations would be futile.

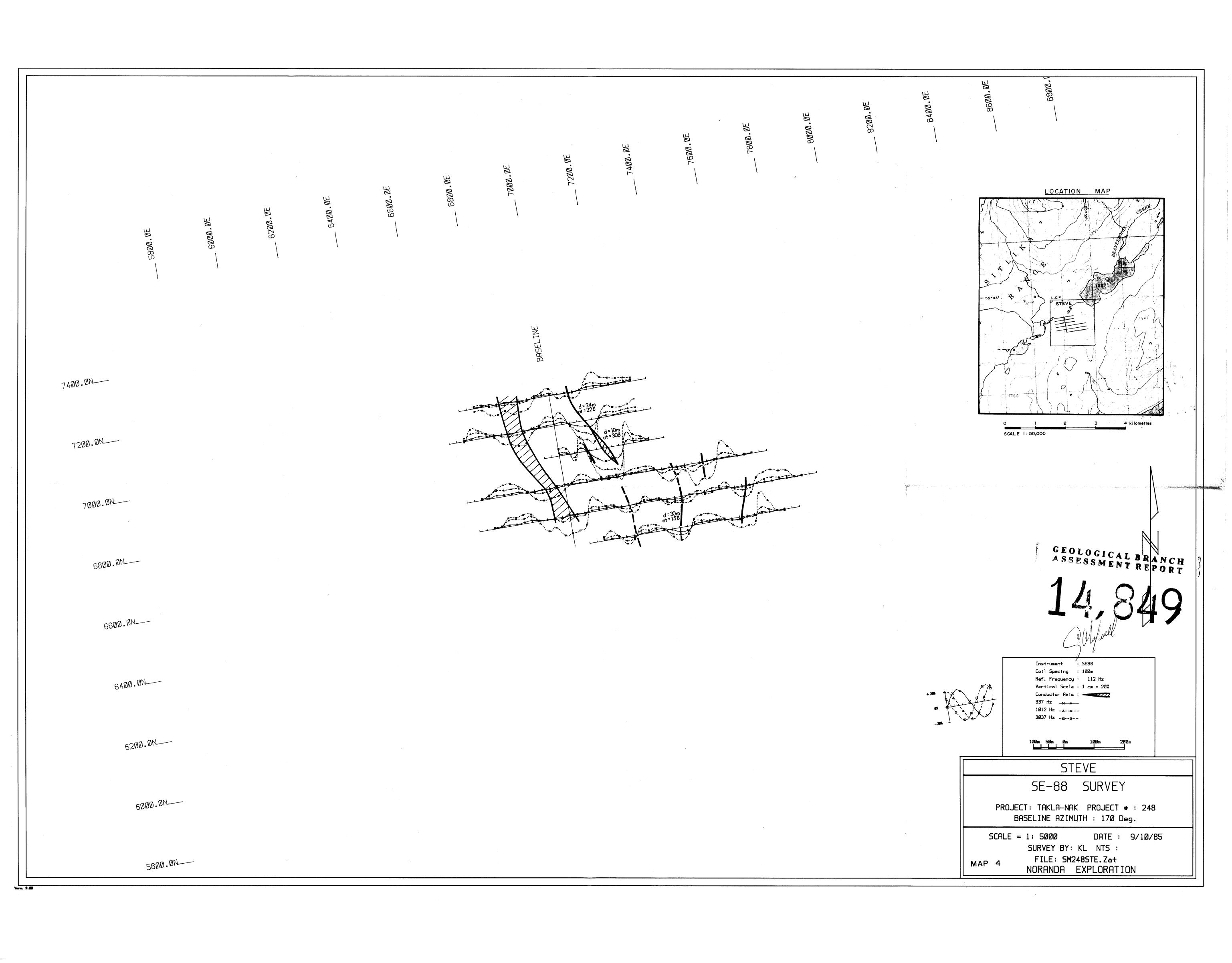
LOWEST VALUES REPORTED IN PPM

Ag - 0.2	Mn - 20	2n - 1	Au - 0.01
Cd - 0.2	Mo - 1	Sb - 1	W - 2
Co - 1	N1 - 1	As - 1	v - 0.1
Cu - 1	Pb - 1	Ba - 10	
Fe - 100	v - 10	Bi - 1	

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LOCATION SCALE 1:50,000 D. DN 100.0N___ 4920.0N___ 4700.0N___ 4500.0N___ 4300.0N___ 4100.0N GEOLOGICAL BRANCH TASSESSMENT REPORT 3900.0N___ 3700.0N___ Instrument : SE-88 GENI Coil Specing | 198m Ref. Frequency: 112Hz Vertical Scale : 1 cm = 26% Conductor Axis: 337 Hz _+ × 1012 Hz ----BEV SE-88 SURVEY PROJECT: TAKLA-NAK PROJECT # : 248 BASELINE AZIMUTH : 170 Deg. DATE: 8/28/85 SCALE = 1: 5000 SURVEY BY: RS/BG NTS: 93/N/12 FILE: SM248BEV.Zat MAP 3 NORANDA EXPLORATION

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SCALE 1: 50,000

GEOLOGICAL BRANCH
ASSESSMENT REPORT

Instrument : MP-3

Datum : 570000.0 nT

Contour Interval : 100 nT

(2 passes through a 9 pt. Hanning Filter.)

Conductor Axis :

STEVE

MAGNETOMETER SURVEY

(FILTERED CONTOUR PRESENTATION)

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PROJECT: TAKLA-NAK PROJECT # : 248
BASELINE AZIMUTH : 170 Deg.

SCALE = 1: 5000

DATE : 8/31/85

SURVEY BY: SH NTS: 93/N/12

MAP 7 FILE: MG248STE.ZAT
NORANDA EXPLORATION

5800.0N___

6600.0N____

6800.0N___

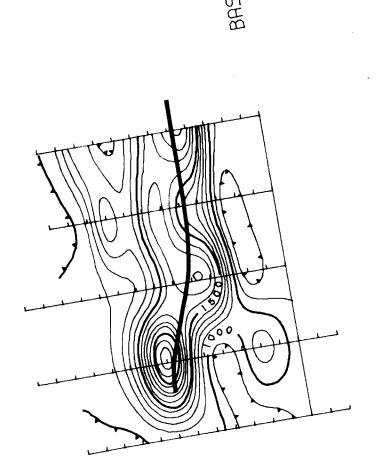
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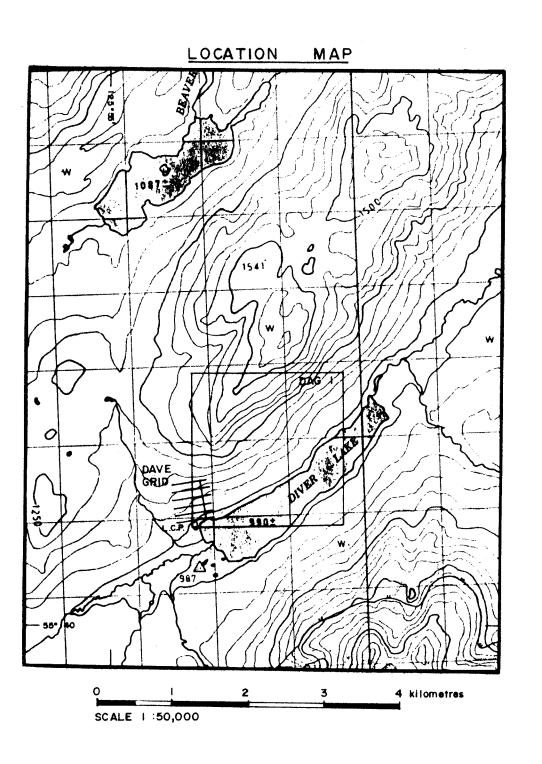
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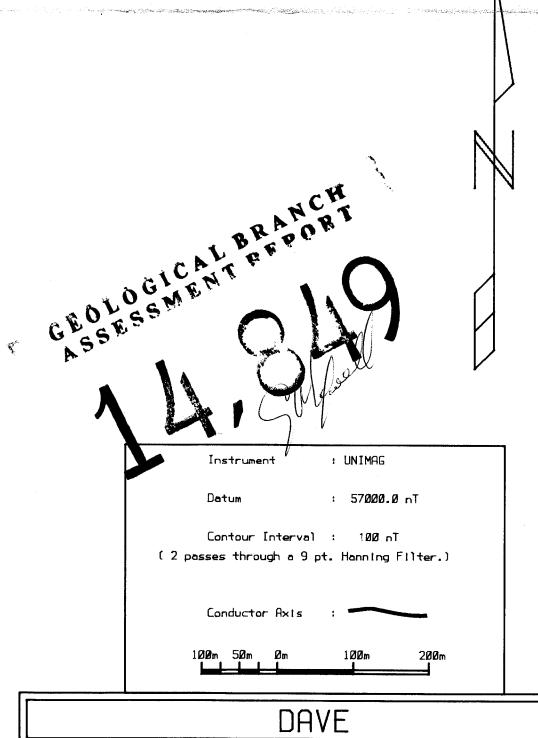
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1100.0N___







MAGNETOMETER SURVEY

(FILTERED CONTOUR PRESENTATION)

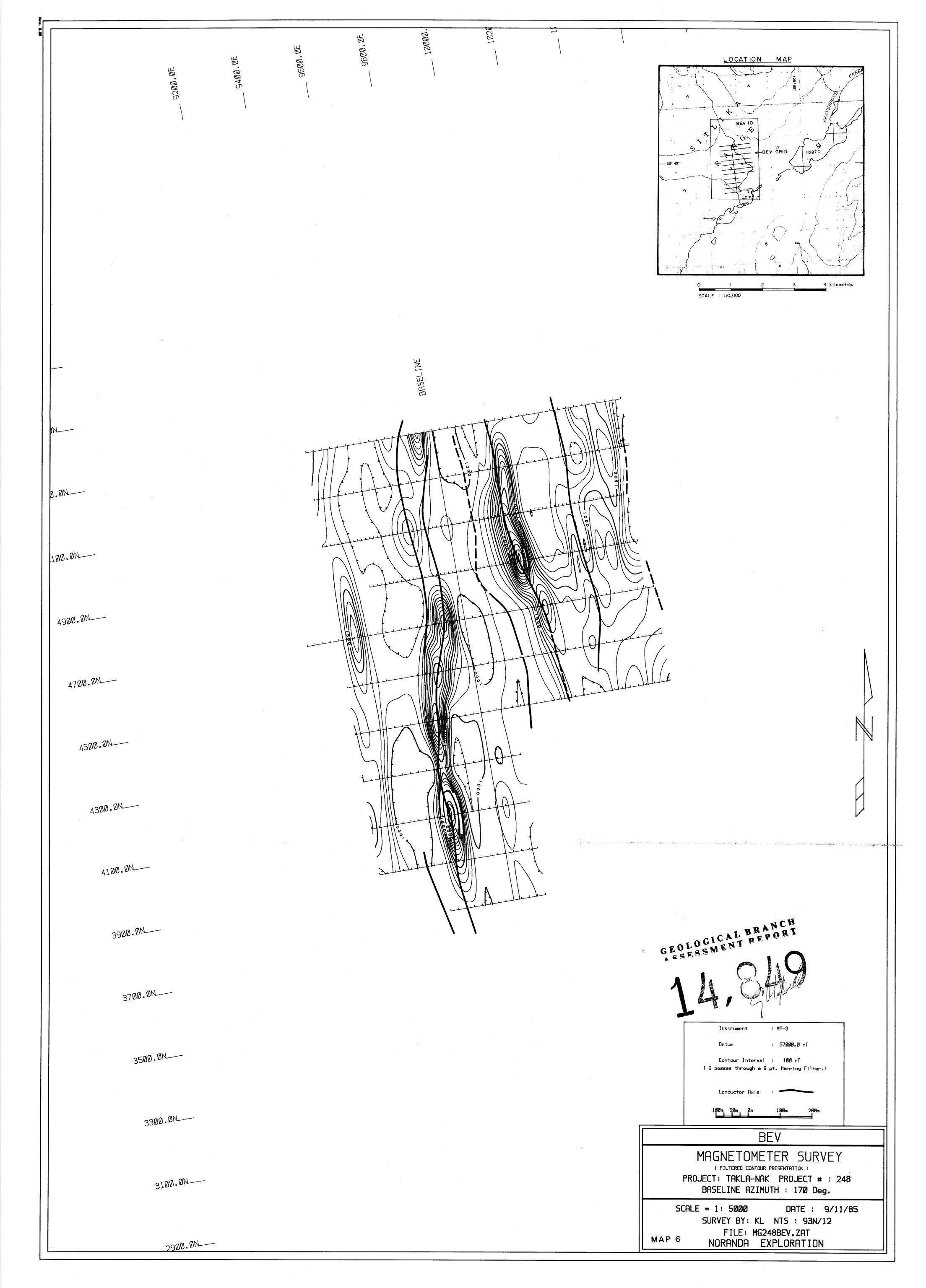
PROJECT: TAKLA-NAK PROJECT # : 248 BASELINE AZIMUTH : 170 Deg.

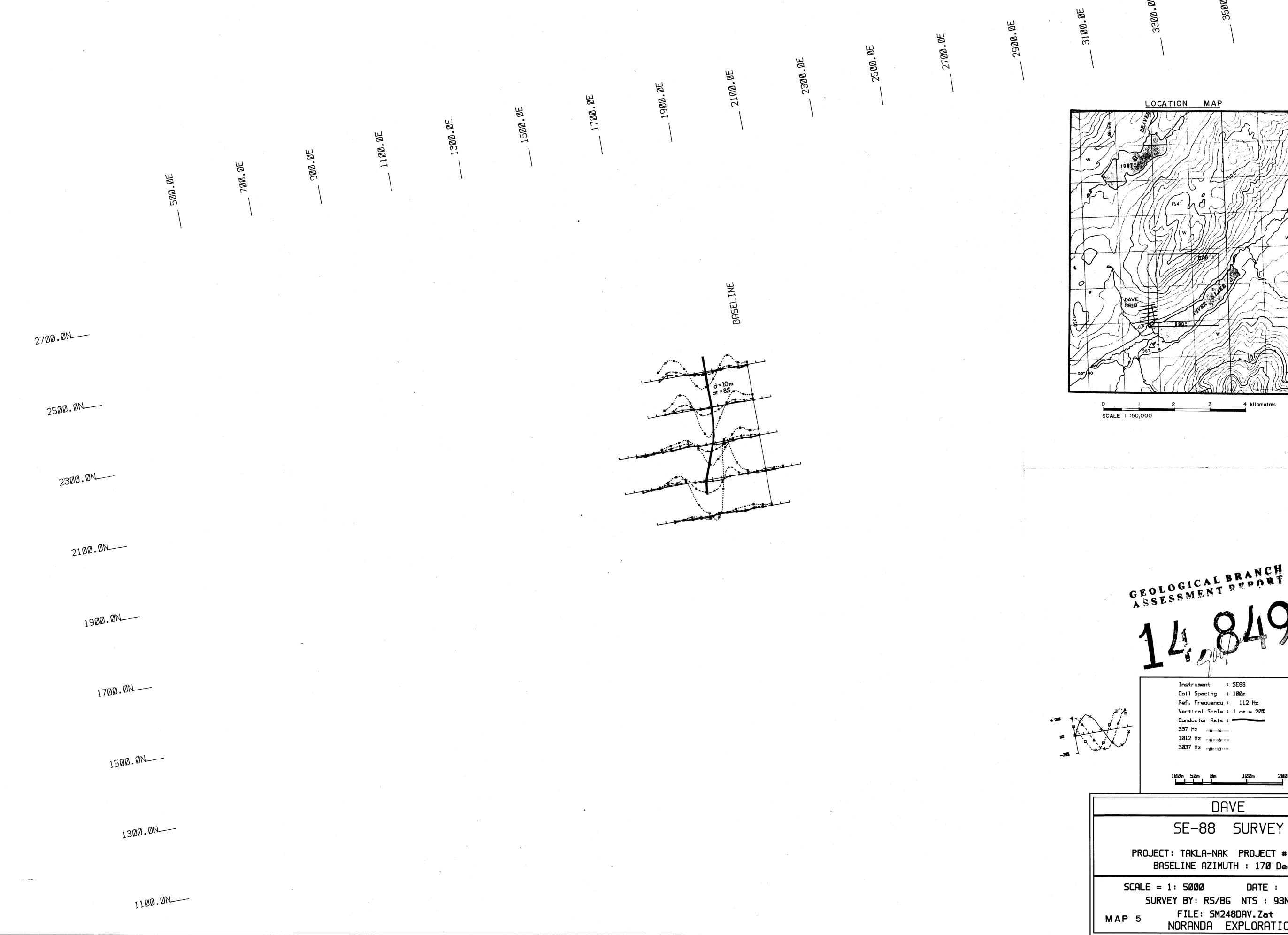
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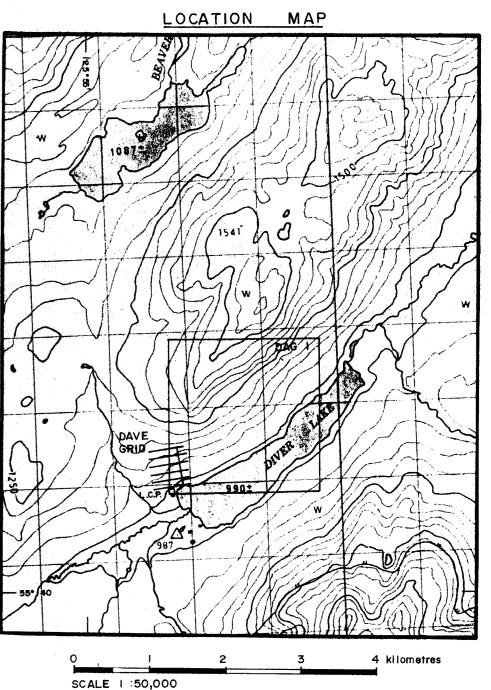
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MAP 8

FILE: MG248DAV.ZAT NORANDA EXPLORATION







GEOLOGICAL BRANCH ASSESSMENT DEPORT

Coll Spacing : 100m Ref. Frequency: 112 Hz

PROJECT: TAKLA-NAK PROJECT # : 248 BASELINE AZIMUTH : 170 Deg.

DATE : 9/13/85 SURVEY BY: RS/BG NTS: 93N/12

FILE: SM248DAV.Zat NORANDA EXPLORATION



