

The regional geochemical trend map displayed above utilized a moving weighted average using an inverse distance function (1/d<sup>2</sup>) to filter out minor irregularities and emphasize broad-scale regional features. Single point anomalies may be suppressed or eliminated, however, geological units which are chemically enriched, or large metallic deposits undergoing weathering would be expected to produce identifiable anomalies.

- SURFICIAL GEOLOGY**
- Thermokarst depression developed on alluvial floodplain
  - Pits and kettles developed on gravelly glaciofluvial plain
  - Organic deposits mantling lacustrine floodplain, glaciofluvial plain, or less commonly, moraine deposits
  - Undivided surficial deposits; includes alluvium, glacial till, glaciofluvial and glaciolacustrine deposits, ice contact deposits, colluvium, volcanic ash, loess, and scattered bedrock exposures.
  - Colluvium; poorly sorted blanket of rubble commonly <3 m thick overlying bedrock, ubiquitous in unglaciated terrain.
  - Bedrock exposures; includes discontinuous veneer of undivided glacial drift, local alpine glaciation features.

- Symbols**
- Surficial deposit boundary
  - Limit of Reid ice advance, maximum extent of glaciation
  - Major meltwater channels, outwash deposits, indicating direction of flow
  - Drumlinoid form; rock drumlin, crag and tail, fluted bedrock or till, direction of movement not inferred
  - Esker, direction of flow indicated

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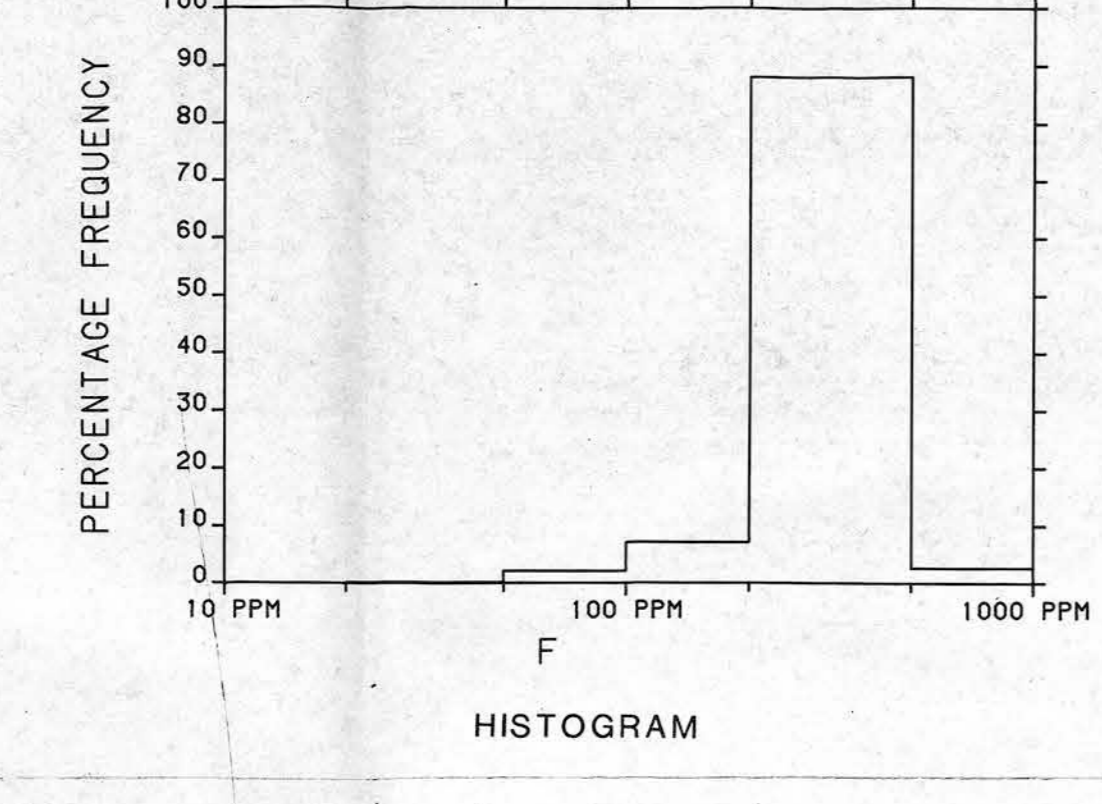
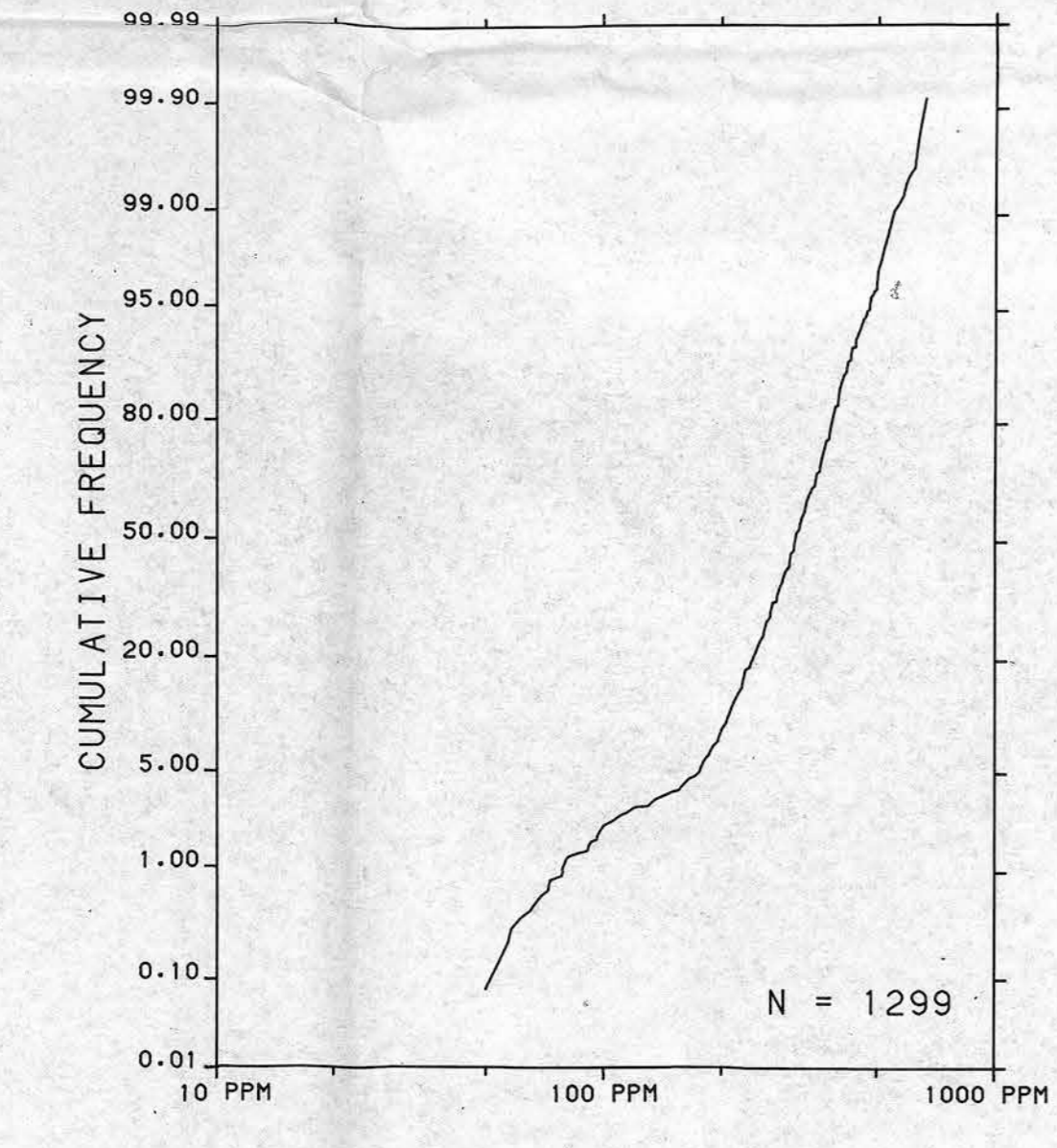
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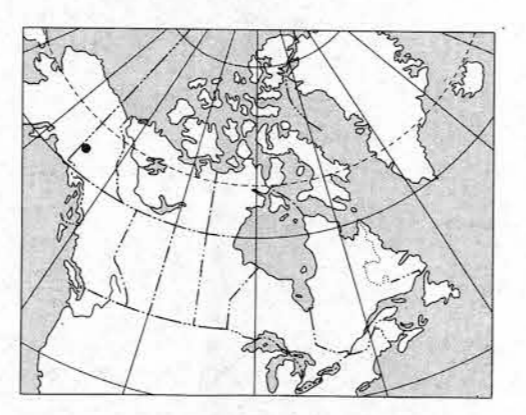
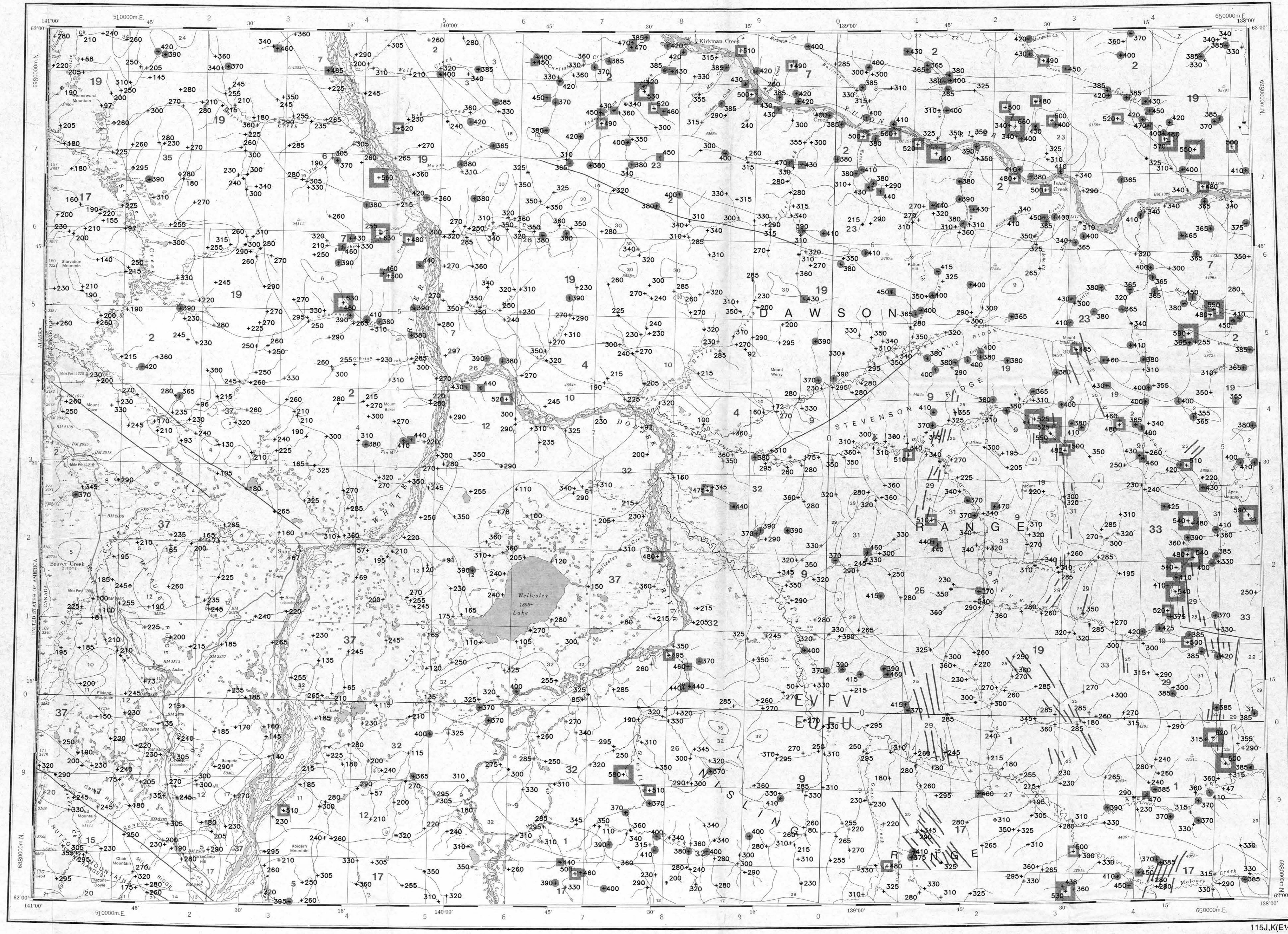
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CONCENTRATION	FREQUENCY
521 to 660	N = 22 (1.7%)
471 to 520	N = 42 (3.2%)
421 to 470	N = 66 (5.1%)
361 to 420	N = 229 (17.6%)
47 to 360	N = 940 (72.4%)



Elevation in feet above mean sea level  
Mean magnetic declination 1987, 29°37' East, decreasing 13.4' annually. Readings vary from 29°37'E in the SE corner to 29°32'E in the NW corner of the map area

**FLUORINE (ppm)  
STREAM SEDIMENTS  
GSC OPEN FILE 1363**  
REGIONAL GEOCHEMICAL RECONNAISSANCE MAP 99-1986  
CANADA - YUKON  
SUBSIDIARY AGREEMENT ON MINERAL RESOURCES (1985-1989)  
STREAM SEDIMENT AND WATER GEOCHEMICAL SURVEY  
SOUTH-WEST YUKON, 1986

Base map at the same scale published by the Surveys and Mapping Branch in 1971

- LEGEND**
- QUATERNARY**
- 37 Q5 64+ Glacial and surficial deposits
- TERTIARY AND QUATERNARY**
- 36 PPV 63 Olivine basalt
- PALEOCENE AND PLEISTOCENE**
- 35 LATE TERTIARY  
LT6 62 Rhyolite porphyry, granite, granodiorite
- OLIGOCENE AND MIOCENE**
- 34 OM 61 AMPHITHEATRE: Sandstone, conglomerate, shale, coal  
CARMAKES GROUP
  - 33 OMV 61 Andesite, basalt, breccia
  - 32 OM 61 DONJEX: Tuff, breccia
- Eocene**
- 31 EM 59 Acid to intermediate tuff, breccia  
LOWER (?) TERTIARY
- CRETACEOUS**
- 30 TC 58 CASINO: Tuff, ignimbrite, breccia
  - 29 TFP 58 Feldspar porphyry dykes, flow
  - 28 TFD 58 Andesite, porphyritic basalt flows and dykes
- EARLY TERTIARY**
- 27 ETG 57 Granodiorite, granite
  - 26 ETG 57 Alaskite, basalt, quartz monzonite
  - 25 FPPV 57 Feldspar porphyry dykes
- JURASSIC AND CRETACEOUS**
- 24 KY 52 Syenite, monzonite
  - 23 KG 52 Granite
  - 22 KGM 52 Quartz monzonite, granodiorite; CASSIAR quartz monzonite, alaskite
  - 21 KGM 52 Granodiorite, quartz diorite, diorite, agestite complex
- DECADESH GROUP**
- 20 JKO 51 Argillite, greywacke, conglomerate, volcanics
- TRIASSIC**
- 19 TGM 42 Foliated hornblende granodiorite, quartz
- MESOZOIC UNDIVIDED**
- 18 MM 41 Porphyritic quartz monzonite
  - 17 MGD 41 Granodiorite, quartz monzonite
  - 16 MOI 41 Diorite
- PERMIAN AND TRIASSIC**
- 15 PTV 40 Greenstone, greywacke, shale, limestone
  - 14 PTY 40 Greenstone, diorite
  - 13 PTB 40 Pyroxenite, serpentinite
- PALEOZOIC AND MESOZOIC UNDIVIDED**
- 12 PW 40 Basic to intermediate volcanic rocks
  - 11 PWB 40 Hornblende gabbro
  - 10 PWB 40 Ultramafic rocks
- PALEOZOIC UNDIVIDED**
- 9 PW 09 NASINA: Graphitic quartzite, schist
  - 8 PC 09 Limestone
  - 7 PGM 09 PELLY GNEISS: Foliated to gneissic granodiorite
  - 6 PM 09 Amphibolite, schist, gneiss
  - 5 PIT 09 Chert, argillite, quartzite
  - 4 PV 09 Greenstone, amphibolite
- CARBONIFEROUS AND PERMIAN**
- 3 CPS 35 Quartz-muscovite schist
  - 2 CPS 35 Schist, gneiss, includes BIG SALMON METAMORPHIC COMPLEX
- HADRIVRIAN AND CAMBRIAN**
- 1 HCS 08 Schist, gneiss, quartzite

\*A mnemonic code assigned to rock types and recorded as part of field observations.

Geological boundary  
Fault  
No analytical result  
Field duplicate sample sites

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