

PROTEROZOIC II

4 Two-mica granite: buff, coarse to very coarse grained, undeformed, biotite-muscovite granite containing rare, small, sillimanite-bearing, paragneiss restite xenoliths.

LATE PROTEROZOIC I

3 Granitoid plutonic rocks (Trans-Labrador batholith (circa 1650 Ma) and its approximately coeval equivalents)

3a K-feldspar-megacrystic granitoid rocks: 3a, buff to brown, coarse grained, weakly to strongly foliated, biotite quartz monzonite ± primary orthopyroxene; 3a, pink, buff and grey, medium grained, weakly to moderately foliated, rarely migmatitic, biotite quartz monzonite and granodiorite (interspersed with 3b); 3a, buff and grey, medium grained, moderately to strongly foliated or gneissic, relict K-feldspar-megacrystic, hornblende biotite quartz monzonite ± abundant sphene, locally containing hornblende-porphyrastic migmatitic swaths

3b Non-megacrystic granitoid rocks: 3b, grey, fine to medium grained, weakly to moderately foliated, homogeneous or random to il-par-ill migmatitic, biotite granodiorite and minor tonalite (interspersed with 3a); 3b, fine to coarse grained pink granite layered, grey, fine to medium grained, foliated, biotite granodiorite and tonalite; 3b, pink, fine to coarse grained, weakly foliated to locally anatectic, biotite granite, microgranite and aplite

2 Gabbrroid plutonic rocks (associated with the Trans-Labrador batholith (circa 1650 Ma) or the Shabogamo Intrusive Suite (circa 1400 Ma))

2a Two-pyroxene metabasic rocks: 2a, grey, fine to medium grained, undeformed to moderately foliated, metamorphic and rarely relic/igneous-textured, rarely layered, biotite leucogabbro and leuconorite ± augite, and hypersthene gabbro and leucogabbro (rarely corona textured and generally hornblende bearing); 2a, rocks of 2a, with amphibolite-facies haloes

2b Amphibolite-facies metabasic rocks: 2b, grey, and black or green and white, commonly rusty-weathering, fine to coarse grained, isotropic to strongly foliated, rarely schistose or gneissic, garnet ± biotite amphibolite and metagabbro (commonly containing orthopyroxene and clinopyroxene and characterized by wide metamorphic coronas consisting of clinopyroxene, amphibole and garnet); 2b, rocks of 2b, exhibiting either compositional or grain-size layering

2c Mount Fyne Pluton - a partly layered and partly homogeneous, predominantly undeformed, troctolitic, olivine noritic and gabbroitic complex characterized by narrow, subsolidus(?) corona textures around olivine and some orthopyroxene and magnetite; 2c, black, medium to coarse grained, locally foliated to mylonitic (in narrow shear zones), layered and/or laminated hypersthene leucogabbro and troctolite, and olivine leuconorite; 2c, dark grey to black, coarse grained to pegmatitic, undeformed, layered, intergranular-textured leucogabbro and gabbroite ± olivine; 2c, black to dark grey or green, medium to very coarse grained (locally containing pegmatitic patches), locally foliated to schistose, homogeneous leucogabbro and gabbroite ± olivine

LATE PROTEROZOIC I OR EARLIER

1 Paragneiss: predominantly sillimanite ± kyanite in the north-bearing, metaxenitic to diatexitic migmatites

1a Pink, buff or grey, pelitic to semipelitic paragneiss containing fine to very coarse grained pink or buff granitic leucosomes; 1a, rocks of 1a containing light to dark blue-grey, mostly fine grained, commonly lined, sillimanite ± magnetite-rich, biotite, ± garnet, cordierite and orthopyroxene restite; 1a, rocks of 1a containing black and white, commonly medium to coarse grained, mostly mimetic sillimanite ± biotite-rich, magnetite, ± garnet restite

1b White to grey, fine to medium grained, poorly layered psammitic paragneiss: 1b, quartzite

1c Black, dark green- or brown-weathering, fine to medium grained basic gneiss, commonly containing quartz-vein layering and crosscutting tonalitic or enderbitic leucosomes

NOTES: No chronological order is implied between Late Proterozoic I Units 2 and 3
Granitoid terminology follows IUGS recommendations (Streckelsen, 1976, Earth Science Reviews, Volume 12, pages 1-33)

SYMBOLS

- Outcrop, large outcrops..... x
- Area of abundant outcrops, with data stations.....
- Geological boundary (defined, approximate, assumed).....
- Fault (inferred).....
- Major thrust and/or shear zone - see notes (approximate, inferred).....
- Minor thrust - extrapolated from Wardle, 1985 (inferred).....
- Amphibolite-granulite facies boundary, tick on higher grade side (approximate).....
- Facies boundary assumed coincident with major structure.....
- Bedding, tops unknown (inclined).....
- Igneous layering, tops known (inclined, overturned).....
- Igneous layering, tops unknown (inclined).....
- Igneous lamination (inclined).....
- Layering and lamination parallel.....
- Paragneissosity - S₁ (inclined, vertical, dip unknown).....
- Orthogneissosity - S₁ (inclined, vertical).....
- Mineral foliation - S₁ (subhorizontal, inclined, vertical, dip unknown).....
- Cleavage - S₁ (inclined, dip unknown).....
- Paragneissosity and foliation (S₁) parallel (inclined, vertical, dip unknown).....
- Orthogneissosity and foliation (S₁) parallel (inclined, vertical).....
- Lineation (mineral, aggregate, rodding).....
- Lineation - syn-S₁ (inclined).....
- Lineation on foliation surfaces, down dip (S₁, S₂, S₃ + S₄).....
- Lineation on foliation surfaces, oblique pitch (S₁, S₂, S₃ + S₄).....
- Lineation on foliation surfaces, horizontal (S₁).....
- Lineation parallel fold axes.....
- Major shear zone - (approximate).....
- Minor shear zone - (inclined, sinistral).....
- with parallel foliation (inclined, vertical).....
- Foliation in shear zone (inclined, dip unknown).....
- Lineation on shear-zone foliation (subhorizontal).....
- Synform (inferred, with plunge direction).....
- Antiform (inferred, with plunge direction).....
- Minor fold axes - syn-S₁ (inclined, vertical), post-S₁ (inclined).....
- Minor folds - Z (syn-S₁, various schematic examples).....
- S (syn-S₁, various schematic examples).....
- antiforms.....
- Axial plane - post-S₁.....
- B lineations (crenulation, mullions).....
- Glacial lineations - striae (direction known, unknown).....
- roche moutonnée.....
- Dykes with subunit designations (inclined, vertical, folded, dip unknown).....
- Net veins with subunit designation.....
- Mineral occurrences (allanite, hematite, copper bloom and/or sulfide).....
- Age-date locality, age in millions of years.....
- Pb-Pb_zm Lead - lead zircon, model age.....
- U-Pb_zc Uranium - lead zircon, concordia age.....
- U-Pb_mc Uranium - lead monazite, concordia age.....
- U-Pb_sc Uranium - lead sphene, concordia age.....
- U-Pb_sd Uranium - lead sphene, discordia age.....
- upper intercept 1694.....
- lower intercept 993.....
- Power lines.....
- Summer road.....
- Earth-filled dyke, with control structure.....

NOTES: g, m and s respectively denote gentle, moderate and steep estimated readings
The major thrusts are based on limited ground observations and are largely inferred from the topography, aeromagnetic data and lithological and geochronological contrasts.

S₁ development probably occurred during the Late Proterozoic I Labradorian orogeny (1700-1600 Ma) and preceded emplacement of the plutonic suites (Units 2 and 3).

North of the inferred major thrust, S₁ and S₂ probably developed during the Grenvillian orogeny (1100-1000 Ma). South of the thrust it is not known whether S₁ is of Labradorian or Grenvillian age. Post-S₁ structures are Grenvillian.

A question mark implies uncertainty relating to the information that follows it.

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Copies of this map may be obtained from the Publications and Information Section, Geological Survey Branch, Department of Mines and Energy, P.O. Box 8700, St. John's, Newfoundland, A1B 4J6.

Base maps at 1:50,000 scale were published in 1959 (north half) and 1964 (south half) by the Surveys and Mapping Branch, Department of Energy, Mines and Resources. Contours at 50-foot intervals. These maps have been revised, using 1:50,000 scale airphotos to show normal flooding levels of the Osokmanuan and Twin Falls Reservoir systems - shoreline positions are approximate; however, the Twin Falls Reservoir has since been drained and this correction has not been made.

Approximate magnetic declination, 1985, was 27°15' at the centre of the map area, decreasing 5.5' annually.

Elevation in feet above mean sea level.

Some of the names of lakes shown on this map are of informal usage and are not shown on NTS maps of the area.

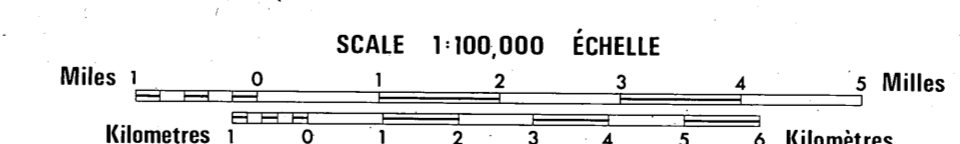
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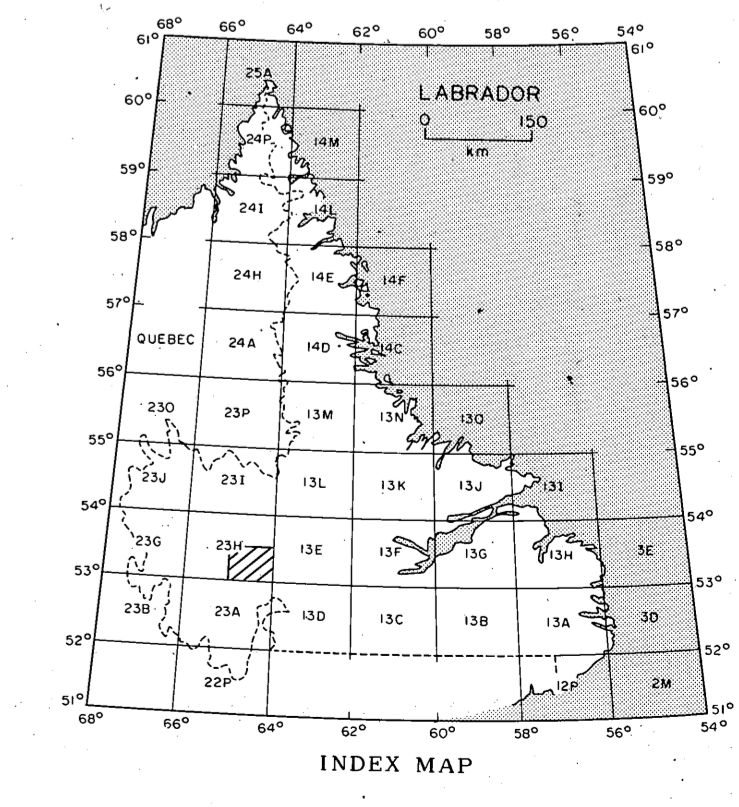


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MAP 87-08



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