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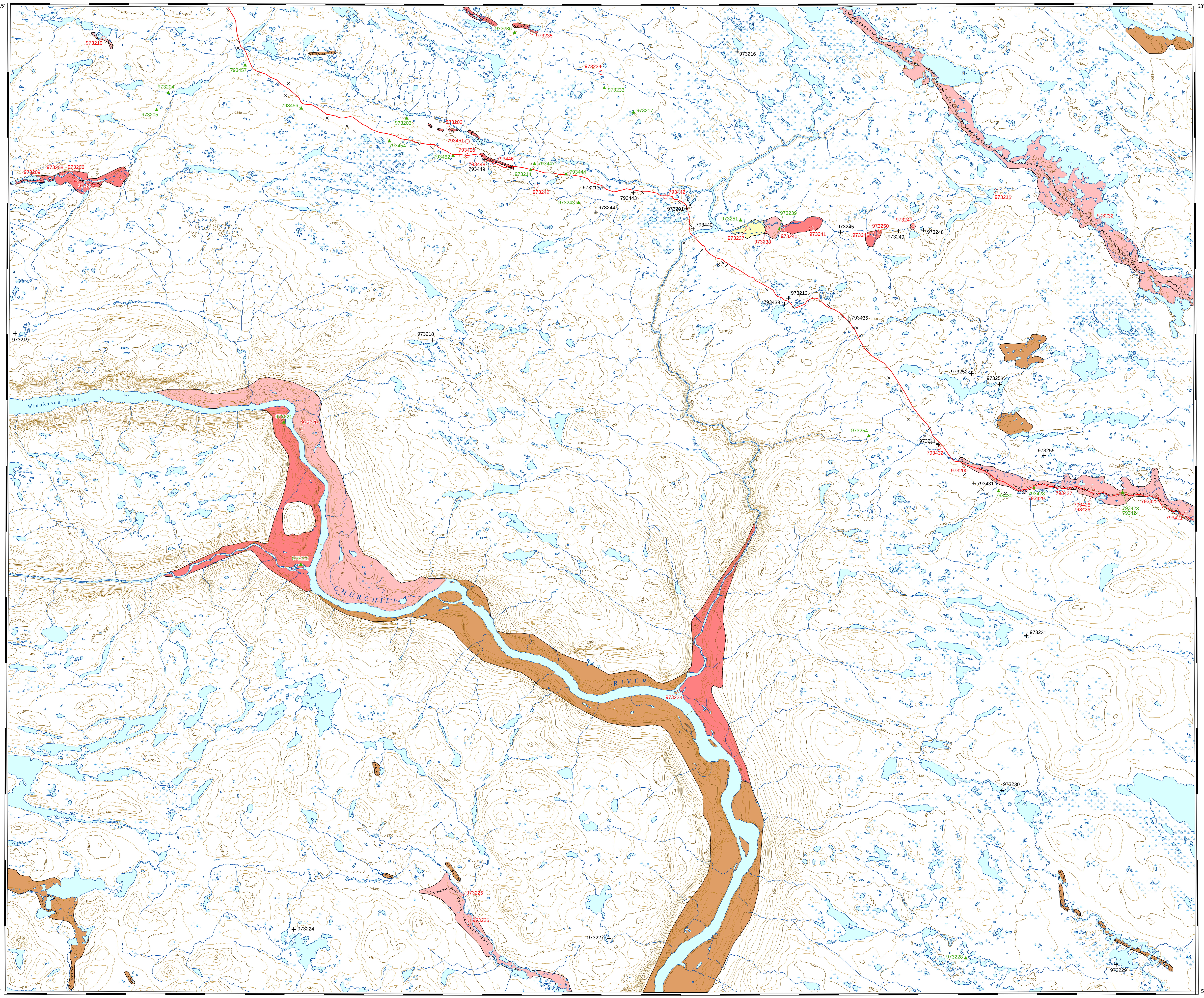

MAP 2012-12

MOUNI RAPIDS

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GRANULAR-AGGREGATE RESOURCES OF THE MOUNI RAPIDS MAP AREA (NTS 13E/01)

MAP 2012-12

LEGEND

Sample types (based on laboratory sieve analysis - see Table 1)

Sample Symbol **Definition**

○ Commonly gravel or sand, having silt-clay content < 5 percent. Deposits are commonly graded and stratified

▲ Commonly till, poorly graded and of variable grain size, having a silt-clay content (≥ 5 and ≤ 15 percent) and stone size exceeding allowable limits for most geotechnical purposes (except subgrade uses) without processing (*i.e.*, washing, screening or crushing)

+ Commonly silty till, silt or clay samples, having silt-clay content > 15 percent

× Observation site, no sample collected

Multiple samples taken from the same site in different years are listed in order from oldest to youngest. Multiple samples taken at the same site in the same year are listed in order, from the top of the exposure to bottom.

Note
This is a composite legend for all granular-aggregate resource maps. All aggregate zones, study areas, and sample types shown in the legend may not appear on this map. Aggregate zone classification is based on airphoto interpretation, field investigation and sieve analyses. Areas outside the coloured zones have no known potential for granular materials; however silty tills, rock rubble suitable for fill, and bedrock suitable for aggregate may be present. Classification criteria used on this map do not consider current or conflicting land uses, nor do they guarantee either access to, or the quality of, the material located within these zones.

ZONES OF AGGREGATE POTENTIAL

Contains granular materials; probability of locating economic deposits is moderate to high

Contains thin (less than 2 m) or discontinuous granular materials; also includes areas where extent of thicker deposits could not be determined by field investigation; probability of locating economic deposits is moderate to low

May contain granular materials but deposits are not substantiated by field investigation; probability of locating economic deposits is moderate to low

Material of granular composition (*e.g.*, sandy tills and colluvium) that generally contains up to 8 percent silt-clay, but could be improved for higher grade uses by washing or screening

Contains sand-size granular materials; high potential for economic exploitation of sand; low to moderate potential for coarser granular materials

><><>< Eskers: sinuous ridges of granular materials; moderate to high potential for economic exploitation

In addition to this map data, a granular-aggregate database is accessible in the Geoscience Atlas of Newfoundland and Labrador (http://gis.geosurv.gov.nl.ca) for all granular-aggregate maps and sample data. The database provides information on more than 13 000 samples collected from 230, 1:50 000-scale map areas in Newfoundland and Labrador.

This map was produced from airphoto interpretation and field work (Ricketts, 2000; Environmental Geological Section, 1983).

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The location of roads added to topographic map base are approximate.

Elevation in feet above mean sea level. Contour interval 50 feet.

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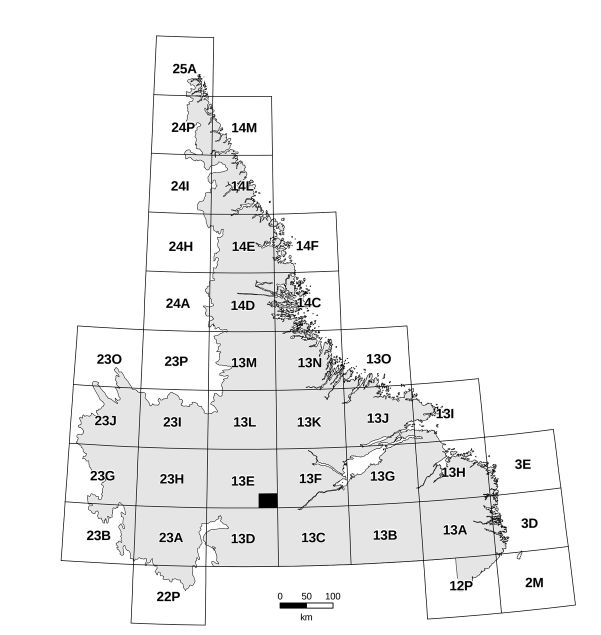

GRAIN-SIZE ANALYSES

Grain-size results from the 63, 32, 16 and 8 mm mesh sieves were obtained at the sample site location by sieving approximately 15 kg of material. A 500 to 1000 gm split of the <8 mm material (sand-silt-clay) was retained for laboratory sieve analysis. Laboratory sieve analyses included the use of seven sieves with mesh openings of 4, 2, 1, 0.5, 0.25, 0.125, 0.062 and the -0.062 mm pan fraction. Samples were wet and/or dry sieved (Kirby *et al.,* 1983) depending on silt-clay content and consolidation of particles.

Table 1: Exposure thickness (Exp), estimated deposit thickness (Dep), petrographic number (PN), grain-size percentages (based on percent retained on the 63 mm down to the -0.062 mm mesh sieves) and gravel (Grv), sand and silt-clay (SL-CL) content of sample material collected in NTS map area 13E/01.

	Metres			Percent retained through sieve opening (millimetres)												Percent		
Sample	Exp	Dep	PN	63	32	16	8	4	2	1	.5	.25	.125	0.062	-0.062	Grv	Sand	SL-CL
793421	1.0	15.0					3.2	1.7	0.8	3.3	26.4	50.1	12.9	1.2	0.4	4.5	94.8	0.7
793422	2.0	15.0					8.1	3.5	3.2	6.5	22.8	44.3	10.3	1.1	0.2	10.7	88.8	0.5
793423	3.0	10.0	260	12.9	9.1	12.1	11.4	5.1	5.8	5.4	7.0	9.5	10.3	7.3	4.1	49.2	44.8	5.9
793424	3.0	10.0					0.0	1.9	1.4	2.3	12.7	29.1	32.3	16.5	3.7	1.4	90.7	7.8
793425	5.0	10.0	265	20.8	15.4	10.0	10.0	8.8	10.6	11.7	7.4	2.7	1.3	0.7	0.7	62.7	36.4	0.9
793426	5.0	10.0					29.5	19.0	14.9	16.9	13.8	3.8	1.3	0.5	0.3	43.7	55.9	0.4
793427	6.0	8.0	276	11.1	16.0	13.2	12.5	7.9	14.5	14.7	6.7	1.8	0.8	0.4	0.5	58.7	40.8	0.5
793428	3.0	15.0					0.0	0.8	0.4	2.6	8.0	37.6	35.0	13.0	2.7	0.6	93.4	6.0
793429	3.0	15.0	252	0.0	25.7	22.1	18.6	9.4	7.8	4.9	4.7	4.7	1.5	0.3	0.3	73.5	26.2	0.3
793430	4.0	20.0					0.0	2.5	2.0	4.2	18.2	38.8	23.3	7.9	3.1	1.9	93.0	5.1
793431	3.0	15.0					0.0	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.8	3.0	13.8	30.3	51.5	0.0	40.9	59.1
793432	5.0	6.0					0.0	0.4	4.8	23.9	43.8	23.5	3.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	99.4	0.2
793435	1.0	1.0					7.5	6.4	6.7	7.5	11.2	14.4	15.5	12.6	18.3	12.3	66.2	21.5
793439	4.0	5.0	252	10.1	3.4	7.6	5.0	1.0	2.1	2.9	5.5	10.6	15.6	14.7	21.7	26.8	47.9	25.3
793440	5.0	7.0	160	4.4	11.8	5.1	4.4	2.0	2.3	3.6	5.7	11.1	14.6	11.8	23.2	27.2	46.7	26.1
793442	0.1	1.5	252	0.0	9.2	22.5	17.6	8.8	7.6	5.7	10.2	10.4	6.2	1.4	0.5	55.9	43.2	0.9
793443	6.0	8.0	136	9.8	14.7	7.0	6.3	1.5	2.2	3.6	6.5	9.6	10.3	7.9	20.6	38.9	38.5	22.6
793444	4.0	15.0	192	10.1	5.1	8.0	8.7	5.6	5.1	4.3	6.8	12.5	16.3	10.1	7.5	36.1	53.9	10.0
793446	3.0	4.0	256	14.2	14.2	12.9	10.3	5.8	7.4	7.6	8.8	9.3	4.2	2.4	3.0	55.9	40.5	3.6
793447	1.0	15.0					14.1	5.8	7.6	8.8	10.8	16.9	18.3	8.4	9.2	18.5	70.2	11.2
793448	7.0	8.0	282	4.0	12.1	14.5	16.1	16.0	15.9	11.4	5.5	3.1	0.8	0.2	0.2	58.8	41.0	0.2
793449	7.0	8.0					0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.5	9.9	43.0	31.4	15.0	0.0	77.1	22.9
793450	3.0	3.0	300	4.0	13.6	16.0	27.2	17.8	6.1	3.1	4.0	3.8	2.6	1.1	0.8	74.2	24.8	1.0
793451	1.0	2.0					0.0	1.6	5.7	20.8	40.5	21.2	7.4	1.9	0.9	1.2	97.4	1.4
793452	8.0	15.0	300	7.5	12.5	10.0	7.5	7.5	6.6	5.5	7.1	10.1	10.3	6.3	9.1	43.1	46.2	10.7
793454	1.5	1.5					57.4	4.4	2.9	3.3	4.3	5.4	6.4	5.1	10.7	60.7	27.3	12.0
793456	2.0	2.0	300	16.2	4.3	7.7	8.5	4.7	4.9	6.0	8.5	11.5	12.1	7.6	8.0	40.2	49.9	9.9
793457	3.0	3.0	252	15.2	11.6	12.5	8.9	7.0	6.0	5.5	6.1	8.4	8.3	5.1	5.5	53.4	39.8	6.7
973200	9.0	9.0					0.0	2.1	10.1	36.5	37.2	12.4	1.4	0.2	0.1	1.6	98.3	0.1
973201	5.0	6.0	126	7.4	6.2	4.9	4.9	1.3	2.8	3.4	5.3	13.5	20.5	14.4	15.3	24.4	56.7	18.9
973202	0.8	3.5	117	4.6	18.5	11.6	14.5	16.4	11.1	12.7	7.8	1.9	0.5	0.2	0.1	61.4	38.4	0.2
973203	1.0	8.0	124	25.0	8.7	9.3	8.7	6.7	5.3	4.7	4.9	7.3	8.4	5.6	5.4	56.8	36.4	6.8
973204	1.0	4.0	103	0.0	16.1	13.1	12.3	12.1	7.0	5.6	5.4	6.6	6.8	5.5	9.5	50.5	38.6	10.8
973205	1.0	2.0					0.0	0.0	0.0	52.2	31.7	0.0	0.1	7.9	8.1	0.0	89.9	10.1
973206	1.2	8.0					0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	7.6	70.4	18.3	3.1	0.3	0.0	98.9	1.1
973207	1.0	5.0	108	7.6	15.9	23.5	12.9	5.8	6.2	9.4	9.1	8.2	1.0	0.2	0.1	64.2	35.7	0.2
973208	1.4	9.0	110	0.0	22.7	17.2	13.5	10.7	7.1	8.1	12.6	6.5	1.3	0.3	0.1	61.4	38.4	0.2
973209	1.0	4.0	108	9.1	25.6	15.2	9.8	7.1	5.9	9.8	10.2	4.6	1.9	0.6	0.1	65.1	34.6	0.3
973210	1.3	3.0					31.5	6.6	5.4	7.8	18.4	22.4	6.3	1.4	0.3	36.4	62.9	0.7
973211	2.0	1.0					6.5	4.6	4.5	3.6	6.1	17.9	24.3	16.7	15.7	9.9	70.1	19.9
973212	1.8	0.3	113	0.0	2.8	2.8	4.2	1.6	1.9	2.6	6.0	12.4	19.1	19.9	26.6	11.0	57.4	31.6
973213	2.0	4.0	110	0.0	8.9	5.9	5.9	5.6	5.2	5.1	7.9	11.7	14.1	12.5	17.1	24.9	54.9	20.2
973214	4.0	6.0	110	14.6	10.4	11.6	9.1	8.2	6.2	5.5	6.2	8.7	9.2	5.3	5.0	51.9	41.8	6.3
973215	0.9	10.0					3.1	0.5	0.8	2.6	11.0	44.1	30.0	6.7	1.2	3.5	93.6	2.9
973216	0.8	3.0					0.0	7.2	6.4	7.7	9.0	11.6	15.2	14.1	28.8	5.4	62.2	32.4
973217	0.8						24.4	15.3	7.8	7.4	10.0	11.8	8.8	5.6	8.9	35.8	53.9	10.3
973218	0.6	4.0					1.6	3.2	4.4	4.4	6.4	12.0	15.4	14.8	37.8	4.0	54.5	41.5
973219	0.5	1.5					11.4	5.7	3.3	3.7	5.2	9.1	10.8	10.5	40.3	15.7	41.4	42.9
973220	0.8						0.0	0.8	0.5	1.2	13.8	61.1	18.8	3.4	0.4	0.6	98.1	1.3
973221	30.0	30.0	146	26.3	17.5	21.1	14.0	5.8	2.7	1.5	1.2	1.6	1.2	1.0	6.1	83.3	10.4	6.3
973222	10.0	10.0					0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	3.6	38.4	36.9	17.5	3.5	0.1	92.0	7.9
973223	10.0	10.0	113	32.5	15.8	12.5	10.0	4.9	4.2	4.9	9.0	4.6	1.1	0.3	0.2	74.5	25.3	0.2
973224	0.7						6.3	4.6	5.5	6.4	8.7	16.1	19.2	15.2	18.0	9.8	68.4	21.8
973225		3.0					0.0	0.1	1.8	4.7	24.3	55.5	11.9	1.4	0.2	0.1	99.3	0.6
973226	0.4	10.0					0.0	17.4	20.1	18.7	16.4	11.4	8.1	5.8	2.1	13.0	83.4	3.6
973227	0.5						15.5	8.6	7.7	7.8	8.5	12.1	13.3	11.1	15.4	22.0	59.9	18.1
973228	0.6	3.0					18.7	3.6	11.0	6.8	9.7	13.9	15.1	11.9	9.4	21.4	66.2	12.4
973229	0.8	1.5					2.7	5.4	4.9	5.4	7.9	14.0	16.4	13.1	30.2	6.7	59.8	33.5
973230	0.5	3.0					8.4	7.0	6.7	5.3	6.8	11.9	20.0	17.7	16.2	13.6	65.7	20.6
973231	0.6	2.0					1.5	5.3	4.5	5.9	7.6	13.5	15.4	13.2	33.1	5.4	58.1	36.4
973232	0.7						0.0	0.3	0.1	0.2	2.4	34.7	50.7	10.8	0.9	0.2	96.2	3.6
973233	1.0	7.0	102	18.8	20.8	14.8	12.1	9.7	5.0	4.3	3.6	2.1	1.2	1.7	6.1	73.7	19.8	6.5
973234	0.6	6.0	110	19.2	16.0	12.8	12.2	8.4	7.0	7.5	8.9	5.7	1.7	0.4	0.2	66.6	33.1	0.3
973235	0.8	4.0	112	10.8	21.1	15.1	12.0	12.9	10.0	9.4	6.2	1.5	0.5	0.3	0.2	68.7	31.0	0.3
973236	0.9	3.5	106	7.5	31.3	16.3	14.1	2.4	1.4	1.4	1.8	3.5	4.6	4.5	11.2	70.9	16.7	12.3
973237	1.0	2.0	110	17.3	16.0	11.5	11.5	9.5	8.6	7.4	8.4	7.5	1.7	0.4	0.1	63.5	36.2	0.2
973238	0.6	0.6					0.0	0.0	0.7	7.6	17.8	39.1	25.2	7.3	2.2	0.0	95.9	4.1
973239	5.0	5.0					0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	13.7	33.8	29.1	13.9	8.0	0.0	88.6	11.4
973240	0.8	10.0	104	3.9	20.1	19.5	17.5	12.2	8.7	8.2	6.9	2.1	0.5	0.2	0.1	70.2	29.7	0.2
973241	1.0	4.0	104	0.0	22.1	21.4	9.7	7.9	5.6	8.0	8.0	5.9	7.3	3.2	1.1	59.0	39.1	1.9
973242	0.9	5.0	105	16.3	19.1	7.8	5.7	5.7	4.4	5.9	13.5	11.5	6.0	2.8	1.3	53.2	44.8	2.0
973243	2.0	8.0					21.7	22.6	13.2	8.6	7.9	6.3	5.2	5.4	9.2	38.6	50.8	10.5
973244	0.7	15.0					8.1	7.8	5.7	5.7	9.1	15.5	17.5	14.7	16.0	13.9	66.4	19.6
973245	0.6	12.0	118	3.3	3.9	6.6	6.6	4.2	5.6	5.9	10.4	13.0	11.1	9.4	19.9	23.6	54.1	22.3
973246	0.8	9.0	102	0.0	11.8	20.3	19.6	15.0	11.5	10.1	7.8	3.1	0.6	0.2	0.1	62.9	37.0	0.2
973247	0.9	15.0					0.0	5.4	2.6	7.7	33.7	38.8	9.5	2.0	0.4	4.0	95.1	0.9
973248	0.6	20.0	0				13.2	6.2	4.8	6.7	9.5	14.3	15.4	11.9	18.0	17.8	61.2	20.9
973249	0.7	20.0	100	3.9	9.7	9.7	6.5	4.0	5.1	5.3	7.3	11.4	12.0	8.9	16.0	32.9	48.8	18.3
973250	0.8	20.0					0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8	49.8	41.8	5.6	0.8	0.2	0.0	99.6	0.4
973251	0.7	5.0	109	8.6	8.0	8.6	8.6	4.7	4.1	4.0	5.2	9.2	14.3	12.9	11.7	37.5	47.7	14.9
973252	0.6	8.0					9.6	9.0	6.3	6.1	8.1	13.5	16.7	12.9	18.0	16.3	62.5	21.2
973253	0.7	13.0	116	8.4	6.3	5.6	4.9	3.2	3.9	4.4	7.7	12.4	14.2	13.3	15.6	27.6	53.4	19.0
973254	0.6	4.0					12.8	12.1	9.3	9.5	10.0	13.6	12.2	7.9	12.8	21.8	63.4	14.7
973255	0.6	12.0					3.8	5.8	7.0	7.1	9.7	15.0	18.9	15.5	17.0	8.2	70.9	20.9