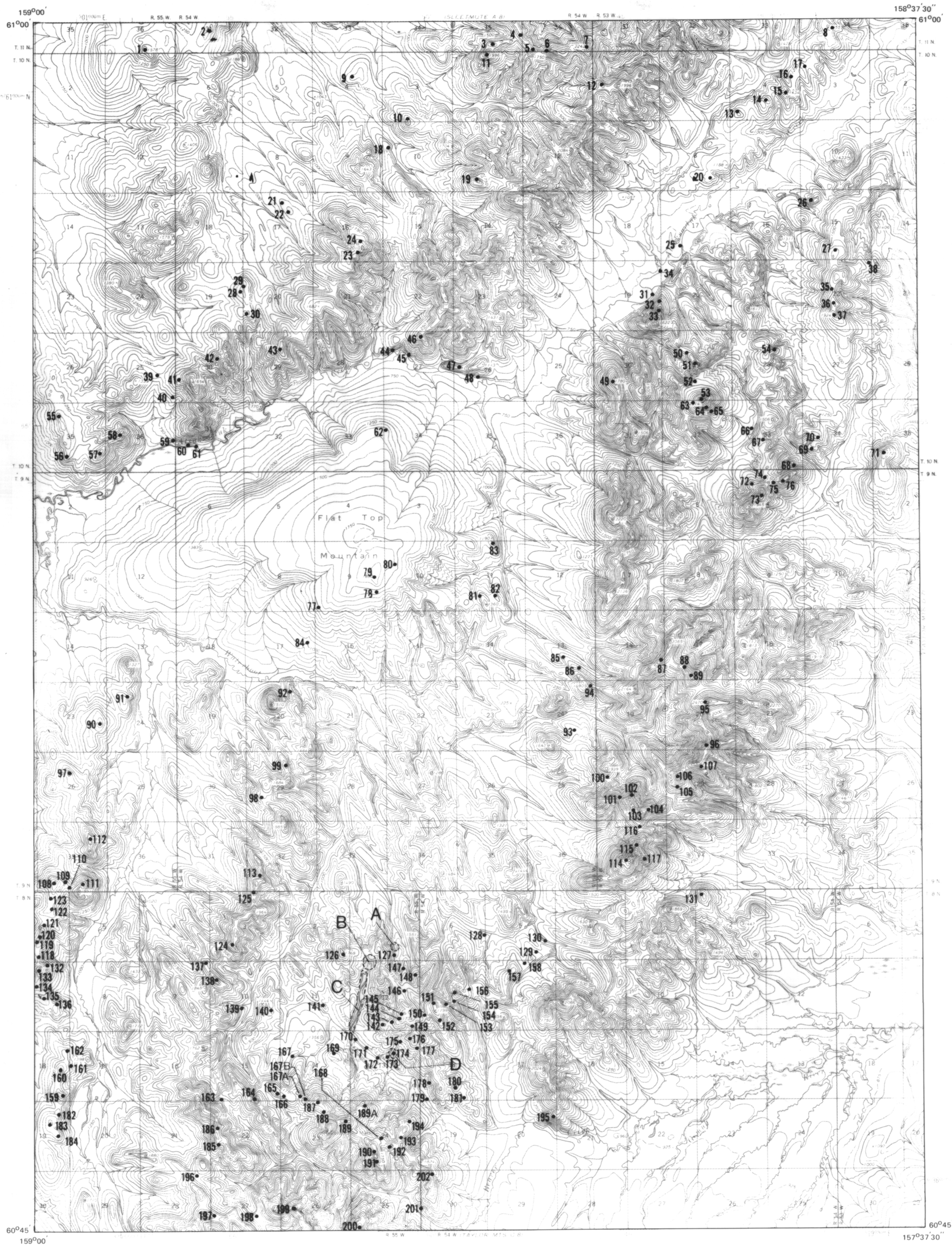

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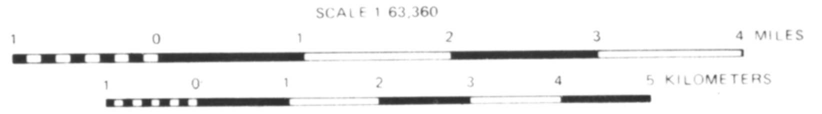

CONTOUR INTERVAL 50 FEET
DASHED LINES REPRESENT 25-FOOT CONTOURS
DATUM IS MEAN SEA LEVEL

APPROXIMATE MEAN DECLINATION, 1954

Map symbols

78 map number; corresponds to table numbers
A mine or prospect (table 4)
extent of mine or prospect

INTRODUCTION

This map is one in a series of geologic data bases (scale 1:63,360) from southwest Alaska. The series is scheduled for release by DGGS during 1985. Each map is a summary of geologic field data, analytical data, fossil reports, resource information, and land status available for that quadrangle. Geologic data were obtained primarily from U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) field notes collected from 1941 to 1975. Field locations were replotted on modern topographic base maps from the original trimetrogon air photos and reconnaissance topographic maps. The map numbering sequence, which follows a normal written-page progression using the township and range mile-square blocks, starts in the northwest corner of the quadrangle and ends in the southeast corner. Where necessary, original station numbers were modified to fit the format: year, geologist, and field number (table 1). Original station numbers commonly consisted of the date followed by a number for each observation point, starting each day with number 1, for example, 6/11-1. The modified number preserves the original number but adds the year and geologist to eliminate confusion and ambiguity. For example, 47Hr6/11-1 was the first station occupied by Joseph M. Hoare on June 11, 1947. Rock descriptions (table 2) and structural data (table 3) were compiled from field notes exactly as written; no attempt was made to modify or interpret the original data. Fossil age assignments (table 5) are based on archieved fossil-collection data and have been updated in this report as noted. Radiometric age data (table 6) has been updated using the current (1976) potassium-argon constants. We appreciate the review by M.S. Robinson (DGGS) and Stephen E. Box.

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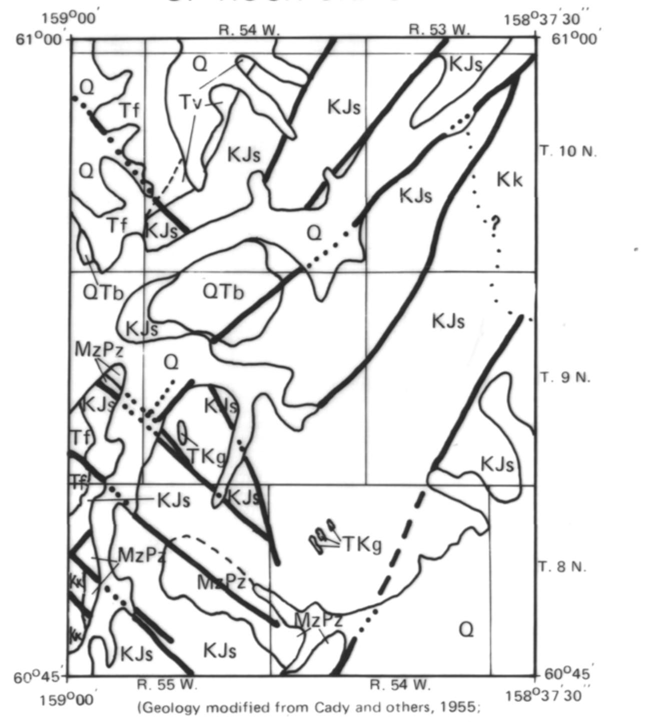
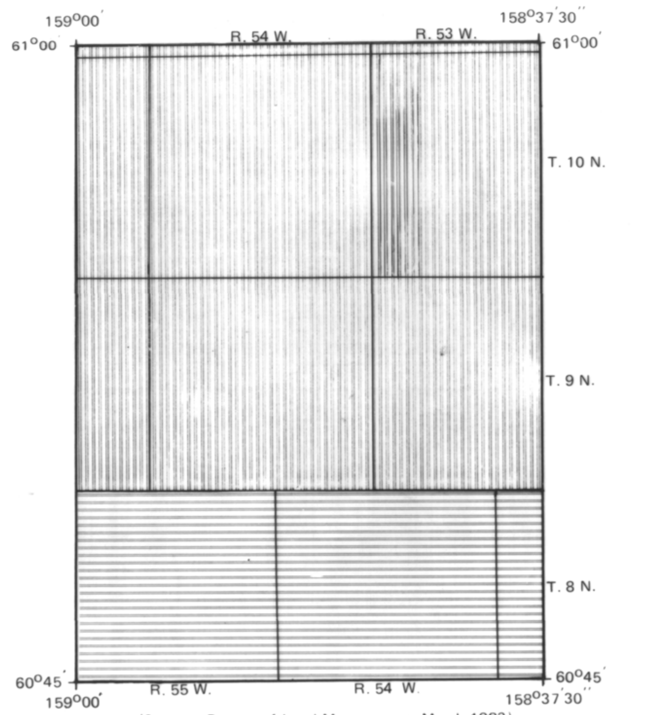


(Geology modified from Cady and others, 1955; Hoare and Condon, 1969; 1970; Platt, 1955)

EXPLANATION

- Q - Quaternary deposits
- QTb - Basalt and locally diabasic intrusive
- Tv - Volcanogenic sedimentary rocks
- Tf - Felsic porphyry
- TKg - Granite, porphyritic granite, and dikes and sills of rhyolite
- Kk - Kuskokwim Group sedimentary rocks
- KJs - Argillite and graywacke
- MzPz - Predominantly graywacke, fractured argillite, and chert (undivided)

LAND STATUS



(Source - Bureau of Land Management, March 1983)

- State tentatively approved
- State patented

Table 1. Correspondence of map numbers and field stations.

Map no.	Field station*
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2	70Co127
	70Hr49
3	70Hr55
4	70Hr56
5	70Hr57
6	60Hr58
7	70Hr59
8	45Ca7/19-9
	45Hr7/19-10
9	70Co126
10	70Co124
	70Hr48
11	70Hr54
12	70Co252
13	45Ca7/19-5
	45Hr7/19-6
14	70Co253
	70Hr114
15	45Ca7/19-6
	45Hr7/19-7
16	45Ca7/19-7
	45Hr7/19-8
17	45Ca7/19-8
	45Hr7/19-9
18	70Co125
19	70Co123
	60Hr47
20	45Ca7/19-4
	45Hr7/19-4
21	70Co242
22	70Hr107
	70Co241
23	70Hr52
24	70Hr51
25	45Ca7/19-3
	45Hr7/13-3
26	70Hr63
27	70Hr62
28	70Hr106
29	70Co239
30	70Co240
31	45Hr7/19-1
	45Ca7/19-1
32	45Ca7/18-12
33	45Hr7/18-12
34	45Ca7/19-2
	45Hr7/19-2
35	45Hr7/17-7
	45Ca7/17-7
36	70Hr61
37	70Hr60
	45Hr7/17-6
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41	70Co236
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43	70Hr53
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	70Hr118
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48	70Co261
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	70Co202
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51	45Hr7/18-11
52	45Hr7/18-10
	45Hr7/18-10
53	70Co8/9-201
	70Hr91
54	70Co200
	70Hr90
55	70Co233
	70Hr104
56	70Co235
57	70Co231
58	70Hr103
59	70Co232
60	70Hr116
61	70Co260
62	69Co220
	69Hr222
63	45Ca7/18-9
	45Hr7/18-9
64	45Ca7/18-8b
	45Hr7/18-8b
65	45Ca7/18-8a
	45Hr7/18-8a
66	45Ca7/18-7
	45Hr7/18-7
67	45Hr7/18-6
	45Ca7/18-6
68	45Hr7/18-3
69	45Ca7/18-2
	45Hr7/18-2
70	45Hr7/18-1
	45Ca7/18-1
71	70Hr64
72	45Ca7/18-5
73	45Ca7/18-4
74	45Hr7/18-5
75	45Hr7/18-4
76	45Ca7/18-3
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	69Hr221
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83	70Hr119
	70Co265
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85	43Ca7/20-15
86	43Ca7/20-14
87	70Co140
88	70Co139
89	70Co138
90	70Ca141
91	70Hr120
	70Ca266
92	43Ca7/21-5
93	43Ca7/20-12
94	43Ca7/20-13
95	70Co137
96	70Co136
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99	43Ca7/21-6
100	43Ca7/20-11
101	43Ca7/20-10
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103	43Ca7/20-9
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105	70Co133
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116	43Co7/20-8
117	43Co7/20-6
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120	70Co151
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129	43Ca7/20-4
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141	43Ca7/13-3
142	70Ca181
143	70Ca180
144	70Ca179
145	70Ca178
146	43Ca7/7-2
147	43Ca7/7-5
148	43Ca7/7-4
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151	70Co174
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157	43Ca7/20-2
158	43Ca7/20-3
159	70Co163
160	70Co162
161	70Co161
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170	43Ca7/12-5
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174	70Ca168
175	70Ca169
176	43Ca7/4-1
177	70Ca170
178	43Ca7/12-1
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180	43Ca7/4-2
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196	43Ca7/26-8a
197	43Ca7/26-7
198	43Ca7/26-6
199	43Ca7/26-5
200	69Hr87
201	43Ca7/5-7
202	43Ca7/5-8

*Year-geologist-month/day-field number or year-geologist-field number; Co = W.H. Condon, Hr = Joseph Hoare, Ca = W.M. Cady, ASa = C.L. Sainsbury, Sa = Russell Schaeffer, MR = M.S. Robinson, ASn = C.L. Sainsbury

Table 2. Rock descriptions from field notes.

Map no.	Rock description
1	Porphyritic intrusive
2	Olive-brown, biotite-quartz-feldspar porphyry
3	Graywacke and argillite with 5-ft-thick diabase sill
4	Argillite and graywacke
5	Argillite and graywacke
6	Thin-bedded argillite and graywacke
7	Thin-bedded argillite and graywacke
8	Sheared mudstone locally with 0.5 in. well-rounded quartz pebbles
9	Green chert with sill
10	Black, red, and green chert and cherty argillite
11	Medium-grained graywacke and argillite and diabase sill
12	Fine-grained graywacke
13	Massive, sheared argillite and basalt dike
14	Dark-greenish-gray cherty argillite (tuff?)
15	Sheared, massive argillite
16	Diabase sill (5 ft thick) and sheared massive mudstone
17	Interbedded siltstone, mudstone, and argillite
18	Bedded chert
19	Fine and medium-grained, biotite diabase and argillite hornfels
20	Sheared, massive argillite
21	Porphyritic intrusive
22	Apple-green, coarse and fine-grained, feldspathic tuff
23	Basaltic dikes or flows
24	Medium- to coarse-grained graywacke
25	Subconchoidally fracturing mudstone
26	Banded, green cherty argillite
27	Thin-bedded, fine-grained graywacke
28	Acidic tuff(?)
29	Medium-grained tuff or tuffaceous sediments with quartz, feldspar, and green grains
30	Apple-green, finely laminated tuff, green siltstone, and fine-grained graywacke-tuff
31	Interbedded siltstone and mudstone
32	Interbedded mudstone and siltstone
33	Interbedded mudstone and siltstone
34	Interbedded mudstone, siltstone, and limestone with 1 to 2 in. offset on many small faults
35	Interbedded graywacke and shale
36	Thin-bedded, fine-grained argillite, shaley siltstone, and two dikes
37	Thin-bedded, fine-grained slates
38	Blocky-fracturing, black shale with three 1.5-to 3 ft-thick basalt sills
39	Contact between coarse-grained graywacke and feldspar-biotite porphyry
40	Hornfels with small silvery sulfide grains
41	Altered, finely conglomeratic graywacke containing olive-gray argillite and chert fragments
42	Coarse-grained graywacke with volcanic rock, round chert, quartz, and minor angular chert (to 0.75 in.) fragments
43	Folded graywacke and minor argillite
44	Thin-bedded, faulted, contorted chert, and brownish-red, shaley, siliceous rocks with white mineral in lenticular zones
45	Contorted, thin-bedded, green, black, brown, and red cherty tuffs and minor limestone
46	Graywacke and graywacke-like tuff
47	Graywacke or graywacke tuff
48	Graywacke or graywacke tuff
49	Thin-bedded, cherty or siliceous argillite
50	Massive siltstone with thin shaley interbeds
51	Fractured, interbedded mudstone and shale
52	Fractured, interbedded mudstone and shale
53	Thin-bedded, cherty argillite and graywacke
54	Thin-bedded, cherty argillite
55	Fine and medium-grained, olivine basalt flow (35 ft thick) with vesicular top
56	Porphyritic intrusive
57	Porphyry with coarse-grained, olive-brown matrix
58	Quartz-biotite-feldspar porphyry with 1 to 3 in.-thick flow planes(?)
59	Altered sediments
60	Thin- to thick-bedded, light-gray to green siliceous tuff and chert
61	Chert, light-green tuff, and pebble-bearing tuff
62	Columnar-jointed, fine-grained basalt
63	Thin-bedded quartzite
64	Interbedded red, green, and black slate and quartzite
65	Interbedded mudstone, siltstone, and quartzite
66	Interbedded mudstone and siltstone
67	Fractured siltstone, mudstone, and minor quartzite
68	Blocky-fracturing, bluish-gray argillite and mudstone
69	Bluish-gray shale and mudstone
70	Fractured shale and mudstone
71	Thin-bedded graywacke and shale
72	Interbedded mudstone, siltstone, and quartzite
73	Quartzite and minor mudstone
74	Fractured, massive argillite and mudstone
75	Massive, siliceous argillite and mudstone
76	Bluish-gray shale and mudstone
77	Subhorizontal, scoriaceous, olivine basalt
78	Red and black shale underlying olivine basalt
79	Subhorizontal, coarse-grained, olivine basalt
80	Analcime-augite-olivine-porphyritic basalt with pyroxene rosettes
81	Interbedded graywacke and shale
82	Fine-grained diorite
83	Tuff, siliceous rocks and thin limestone bed cut by six diabase dikes
84	Graywacke and shale cut by sulfide-bearing porphyritic dike
85	Shale and porphyry
86	Fossiliferous limestone
87	Cross-bedded argillite and graywacke to quartzite
88	Fractured argillite and cross-bedded graywacke
89	Fractured argillite and cross-bedded graywacke
90	Quartz and argillite-bearing conglomeratic graywacke
91	Volcanic graywacke and green argillite or tuff
92	Graywacke and shale with minor limey beds
93	Reddish- and bluish-gray shale
94	Reddish- and bluish-gray shale
95	Bluish-gray graywacke to quartzite and argillite
96	Graywacke and argillite
97	Biotite-quartz-feldspar latite porphyry
98	Shale and graywacke
99	Altered granite
100	Shale and graywacke with pencil cleavage
101	Slate
102	Fine-grained graywacke and subconchoidal fracturing shale
103	Graywacke and shale
104	Current- and ripple-marked, fine-grained graywacke and subconchoidal-fracturing shale
105	Grayish-green-weathering, subconchoidal-fracturing siltstone
106	Cross-bedded graywacke and siltstone
107	Cross-bedded, purple-gray, shaley siltstone and graywacke
108	Porphyritic border phase and medium-grained graywacke and siltstone
109	(Float) argillite and graywacke hornfels and coarse-grained, biotite-quartz-feldspar porphyry
110	Green graywacke with angular, cherty argillite clasts
111	Aphanitic dike (20 ft wide), graywacke, and conglomerate
112	(Float) fine-grained graywacke with argillite clasts to 1 mm
113	Interbedded shale and graywacke
114	Fine-grained graywacke and subconchoidal-fracturing shale
115	Laminated sandstone
116	Chert, reddish-gray sandstone, and porphyry
117	Chert and shale
118	(Float) metasediments and aphanite
119	Siliceous breccia and gray-green, igneous rocks
120	Siliceous metaclastic rock and dark-gray, fine-grained, igneous rock
121	(Float) metasedimentary rocks
122	(Float) mafic border-phase and minor porphyry and metasedimentary rocks
123	(Float) mafic border phase and minor porphyry and metasedimentary rocks
124	Interbedded graywacke and shale
125	Interbedded graywacke and shale
126	Interbedded graywacke and shale, small yellow rock bodies, and one 10-ft-wide sill
127	Rusty-brown, massive graywacke and shale
128	Sedimentary rocks
129	Diorite, graywacke, and shale
130	Siliceous graywacke and shale
131	Diabase and argillite
132	Massive argillite
133	Gray-green, siliceous, volcanic rocks with argillite inclusions
134	Siliceous breccia
135	(Float) angular to rounded, coarse-grained, clastic rocks, green chert, and fault zone(?)
136	Argillite, graywacke, tuffaceous graywacke, and reddish-gray siltstone
137	Interbedded graywacke and shale
138	Interbedded graywacke and shale
139	Interbedded graywacke and shale, locally cherty and siliceous
140	Andesite or basalt(?)
141	Interbedded graywacke and shale
142	Chert
143	(Float) limestone
144	Black and gray chert
145	Limestone
146	Interbedded, massive graywacke and shale
147	Sheared, interbedded graywacke and shale
148	Interbedded graywacke and shale
149	Limestone; stratigraphically 100 ft below chert layer
150	Graywacke in fault zone and sandy limestone float
151	Massive argillite and fine-grained graywacke
152	Massive argillite and fine-grained graywacke
153	Graywacke-argillite sequence with minor limestone cobbles
154	Limestone or limey chert
155	Cherty argillite
156	Massive graywacke
157	Diorite and graywacke
158	Diorite and graywacke
159	Graywacke above purple-red argillite with minor gray-chert bands
160	Fine-grained graywacke, conglomerate, and breccia
161	Red chert and jasper with angular fractures and a few white-quartz bands
162	Red chert and jasper with angular fractures and a few white-quartz bands
163	Sheared, contorted, interbedded graywacke and shale, and chert and dolomite
164	Interbedded graywacke and shale
165	Amygdaloidal andesite or basalt flows interbedded with a shale and chert sequence
166	Interbedded pillow basalt and tuffaceous graywacke
167	Interbedded chert and graywacke
167A	Fossiliferous, argillaceous limestone and lava flows
167B	Fossiliferous black limestone and shale
168	(Float) pectinoid fossil in sedimentary rocks
169	Massive andesite or basalt and shale(?)
170	Interbedded graywacke and shale with 'yellow rock' (porphyritic sill?)
171	Interbedded graywacke and shale with 'yellow rock' (porphyritic sill?)
172	Interbedded graywacke and shale with 'yellow rock' (porphyritic sill?)
173	Dark-gray to black chert
174	Mineralization (Cu, Hg, F); dark-gray to black, angular-fracturing argillite and dark-gray, aphanitic dike rubble. Sparse fossil fragments in tailings
175	Black, well-bedded chert
176	Interbedded, cherty graywacke and shale
177	Dark-gray chert (2-to-5 in.-thick beds)
178	Shaley chert (reddish- to greenish-gray and black), limestone (with brachiopods and pelecypods) and dolomite(?)
179	Graywacke shale and float of yellow rock (altered porphyry?)
180	Interbedded graywacke and shale
181	Interbedded graywacke and shale
182	Graywacke and cherty strata separated by a fault
183	Medium-grained graywacke
184	Graywacke, locally tuffaceous, and dark-gray, silty argillite
185	Interbedded graywacke and shale
186	Interbedded graywacke and shale
187	Pillow basalt and tuffaceous graywacke
188	Slate and chert sequence
189	Interbedded graywacke and shale
189A	Fossils (*Halobia*) in limestone with chert, green argillite, and green, amygdaloid flows
190	Fine and medium-grained graywacke and green shale sequence; overlies volcanic sequence(?)
191	Chert, graywacke and shale
192	Graywacke and cherty argillite
193	Thick-bedded graywacke and thin-bedded argillite
194	Thick-bedded graywacke and thin-bedded argillite
195	Interbedded slate, chert, and graywacke
196	Interbedded graywacke and shale
197	Interbedded graywacke and shale
198	Interbedded graywacke and shale
199	Interbedded graywacke and shale
200	Contorted, fine-grained graywacke and argillite
201	Graywacke, shale, chert, and dike (float)
202	Graywacke, shale, and chert

Table 3. Structural data.

Map no.	Attitude of bedding and volcanic flow planes (f)	Other structural data
3	N35E, 60NW	
4	N40E, 65NW	
	N80W, 42SW	
5	EW, 50S	
6	N25E, 32SE	
	N65W, 35SW	
7	N30W, 90	
8	N15W, 85SW	
10	N-S, 50E	
11		sill N33E, SE
13	N21E, 72SE	
15	N15E, 74SE	
	N07E, 50SE	
16	N05W, 70NE	
17	N-S, 72W	
19		dike N80W, ??
20	N30E, 70SE	
	N33E, 64SE	
25	N15E, 86SE	
27	N30E, 40NW	
31	N05E, 49NW	
32	N07E, 47NW	
33	N07E, 47NW	
34	N30E, 56NW	
35	N08E, 68NW	
36	N05E, 30SE	dike NE, ??
37	N35W, 45SW	
38	N50E, 55NW	
49	N20W, 75SW	
50	N02W, 27SW	
51	N02W, 27SW	
52	N73E, 21SE	
53	N60E, 90	
54	N35E, 65SE	
59	NW, 15NE	
60	N70W, 35NE	
61	N70W, 35NE	
63	N76W, 09NE	
64	N48E, 50SE	right side up
		cleavage N53E, 70SE
65	N72E, 32SE	cleavage N72E, 68SE
66	N44E, 61SE	
67	N25E, 79SE	
68	N37E, 40SE	
69	E-W, 60S	
70	N72E, 62SE	
72	N66E, 23SE	
73	N75E, 44SE	
74	N66E, 23SE	
75	N70E, 43SE	
76	N37E, 40SE	
77	N20W, 01SW (f)	
	N70E, 02NW (f)	
79	N40E, 40NW	
81	N55E, 84NW	
82		dike N32W, ??
83	N30W, 60SW	dike N55W, ??
84	N05E, 73SW	
86	N34E, ??	
88	N50E, 60SE	
89	N60E, 65SE	
90	N15E, 35NW	
92	N13W, 55SW	
93	N20E, 53NW	
94	N15E, 27SE	
95	N80E, 80SE	
96	N80E, 60SE	
98	N02W, 63SW	
100	N05W, 36NE	
101	N70W, 49NE	
102	N50E, 45NW	
103	N55E, 68NW	
104	N40E, 75SE	
106	N55E, 80NW	
107	N70E, 80NW	
110	N15W, 75NE	
113	N27W, 35SW	
114	N40E, 55SE	
115	N60W, 48SW	
116	N55E, 68NW	right side up
120		sill N-S, 30W
124	N46W, 83SW	
125	N53W, 83SW	
126	N21W, 65SW	joint N83W, 73SW
127	N38W, 78SW	
128	N-S, 59E	
129	N40W, 71SW	right side up
130	N83E, 81NW	
137	N05E, 30NW	
138	N05W, 81SW	
139	N58W, 35SW	
141	N45W, 75SW	
146	N40W, 50NE	right side up
		cleavage N25W, 79E
		joint N65E, 85NW
147	N35W, 52SW	joint N86E, 73NW
148	N20W, 64SW	
153		fold axes N10W, SE
156	N05W, 67SW	
158		dike N18W, ??
163	N60W, 78SW	
164	N40W, 87SW	
166	N75W, 55SW	
167		joint N38E, 83NW
		joint N42W, 83NE
170	N70W, 45SW	
171	N34W, 63NE	
172	N23W, 67SW	
173	N35E, 45SE	cleavage E-W, 90
175	N05W, 60NE	
176	N15W, 64SW	
177	N30W, 35SW	
178	NS, 50W	
179	N15E, 72NW	
180	N06W, 73W	
181	N02E, 66NW	joint E-W, 90
185	E-W, 36S	
186	N15E, 30SE	
187	N70W, 45SW	
188	N23W, 64SW	
189	N15W, 25SW	cleavage N10E, 70SE
189A	E-W, 65S	
190	N45W, 70SW	
191	N30W, 80SW	
192	N20W, 65SW	
193	N20W, 60SW	
194	N15W, 35SW	
195	N12E, 26NW	
196	N75W, 40SW	
197	E-W, 55S	
198	N66W, 66SW	
199	N30W, 60SW	
200	N35W, 90	
201	N20W, 75SW	
202	N33W, 51SW	

Table 4. Mines and prospects⁺ (modified from Eberlein and others, 1977).

Map letter	Name	Map coordinates	Development category	Resources*	Form	Type	Brief description	Principal references
A	Broken Shovel	60°48'33"N, 158°50'44"W	m	Hg (Sb)	Fracture and breccia fillings	Hydrothermal (low temperature and placer)	Hydrothermally altered diabase sill or dike, 1-3 ft thick, in siltstone of Gemuk Group (Permian to Cretaceous). Fault follows one margin of dike and contains discontinuous quartz veins with local stibnite. Cinnabar known only from float. Native mercury also reported.	Cady and others, 1955, p. 115
B	Cinnabar Creek	60°48'19"N, 158°52'08"W	M	Sb, Hg (Zn, Au)	Veinlets and disseminations	Hydrothermal low temperature and placer)	Diabase dike, hydrothermally altered with much dickite, cuts sheared and faulted graywacke and siltstone of the Gemuk Group (Permian to Cretaceous). Ore along vertical faults parallel to dike and consists of small irregular veinlets mainly of cinnabar, stibnite, and quartz. Cinnabar contains to 0.14 ppm gold locally.	Sainsbury and MacKevett, Jr., 1965, p. 38-40; Cobb, 1976, p. 62-63
C	Cinnabar Creek (placer)	60°48'19" - 60°47'30"N, 158°52'08" - 158°53'30"W	p	Sb, Hg	Disseminated	Placer	Placer deposits extend downstream from Cinnabar Creek lode mine. Cinnabar in stream gravels and on terrace remnants about 60 ft above creek. Mining section 5-14 ft thick with mercury content from <0.1 to 0.84 pound per cubic yard. Amount recovered probably small.	Condon, 1970, unpublished field notes
D	Pink Lady	158°50'52"N, 60°47'13"W	p	Hg	Disseminated	Lode	Fractured, Mn-stained, dark-gray to black argillite, altered red siltstone, iron-stained, aphanitic dike, black chert, gray chert, and *Monotis*-bearing cherty argillite. Cinnabar in quartz veins, breccia, and on slickensided surfaces.	Condon, 1970, unpublished field notes

Key: Development category
M - mine with known or probable activity since 1960.
m - mine with no activity since 1960.
Mine is defined as a mineral deposit with recorded production.
p - prospect work, but has no known activity since 1960.
Prospect is defined as a deposit that has been staked with subsequent exploratory or development work, but has no known production.
*Minor constituent(s) or potential byproducts in parentheses.
⁺Note: Analyses for mercury and other metallic elements in stream-sediment deposits in this quadrangle are reported by Clark and others (1971).

Table 6. Radiometric age data.

Map no.	Field no.	Lab no.	Rock type	Mineral dated	K_2O (wt %)	Sample wt (g)	$^{40}Ar_{rad}$ (mol/g) x 10^{-11}	$^{40}Ar_{rad}$ / ^{40}K x 10^{-3}	$^{40}Ar_{rad}$ / $^{40}Ar_{total}$	Age ± 1 δ (m.y.)
79	82MR322	83020	Basalt	Whole rock	1.113	6.1676	0.745	0.274	0.358	4.72 ± 0.1
					1.080					
					$\bar{x}$ = 1.097					
79	82MR322	83048	Basalt	Plagioclase	0.840	3.9399	0.565	0.269	0.282	4.62 ± 0.14
					0.852					
					0.850					
					$\bar{x}$ = 0.847					

Note: rad = radiogenic; δ = standard deviation; $\lambda_e + \lambda'_e = 0.581 \times 10^{-10}\ yr^{-1}$; $\lambda_B = 4.962 \times 10^{-10}\ yr^{-1}$; $^{40}K/K_{total} = 1.67 \times 10^{-4}$ mol/mol; $\bar{x}$ = mean
K-Ar age determinations by J.D. Blum and D.L. Turner, Alaska Division of Geological and Geophysical Surveys, University of Alaska, Fairbanks Geophysical Institute, Cooperative Geochronology Laboratory.

Table 5. Fossil-occurrence data.

Map no.	Specimen no. (USGS museum no.)	Fossil type	Age	Identified by	References	Remarks
86	43ACa64	?	?	W.M. Cady	Cady, 1943 unpublished field notes	Fossiliferous limestone
167A	59SaM796 (M796)	*Halobia*, *H. ornatissima* Smith(?), terebratuloid and spiriferid (?Psioidea) brachiopod	Late Triassic	N.J. Silberling	Sainsbury and MacKevett, Jr., 1965, p. 37	From argillaceous limestone between lava flows (location approximate). The age is probably late Carnian
167B	59ASn129c (59ASn129c)	*Halobia*; *Monotis*(?)	Late Triassic	N.J. Silberling	Sainsbury and MacKevett, Jr., 1965, p. 37	From block limestone and shale (location approximate)
168	43ACa28 (19409)	Pectinoid fossils	Late Triassic	J.B. Reedside, Jr.; R.W. Imlay	Cady and others, 1955, p. 33	Float fragments from burrow, containing *Halobia* sp. indet., *Myopheria* aff. M. *vestita* Albert, and *Mysidioptera*? sp.; from Upper Triassic
174	68ACk901	*Monotis*	?	W.H. Condon	Condon, 1970, unpublished field notes	Found in chert or siliceous limestone from Pink Lady prospect tailings
178	43ACa39 (18927)	*Monotis*, *subcircularis* brachiopods, pelecypods, ostracods(?)	Late Triassic (Norian)	J.B. Reedside, Jr.; R.W. Imlay	Cady, 1943 unpublished field notes; Cady and others, 1955, p. 33	Coquina of *Monotis subcircularis* (Gabb); limestone, some lithographic, occurring with shaley chert siliceous shale and chert
189A	--	*Halobia*(?)	?	J.M. Hoare	Hoare, 1970, unpublished field notes	Found in limestone

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