

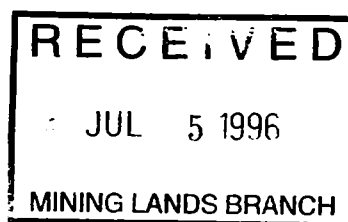


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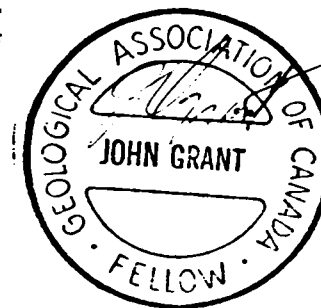
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GEOPHYSICAL REPORT
FOR
FALCONBRIDGE LIMITED
ON THE
MANN BELT
GRID #HAN96-03
HANNA TOWNSHIP, PORCUPINE MINING DIVISION
NORTHEASTERN ONTARIO

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March, 1996





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INTRODUCTION

The services of Exsics Exploration Limited were retained by Falconbridge Limited to complete a line cutting and geophysical program on a group of claims located in Hanna Township, Grid #Han96-03, of the Porcupine Mining Division in Northeastern Ontario. Figure 1 and 2.

The purpose of this program was to locate and outline airborne targets in an area which was considered favourable for base metal deposition.

The linecutting of the grid began on January 15th, 1996 and was completed on January 30th, 1996. The geophysics was started on the 4th of March and was completed on the 12th of March, 1996. In all, a total of 20.5 kilometers of grid lines were established on the claim group.

PROPERTY LOCATION AND ACCESS

Grid, Han96-03, is located in the southwest section of Hanna Township such that the Fredrick House River is situated approximately 300 meters to the southeast of the grid as the river crosses the Hanna and Mann township line. The entire grid is located approximately 30 kilometers northwest of the Town of Iroquois Falls. Figures 1 and 2.

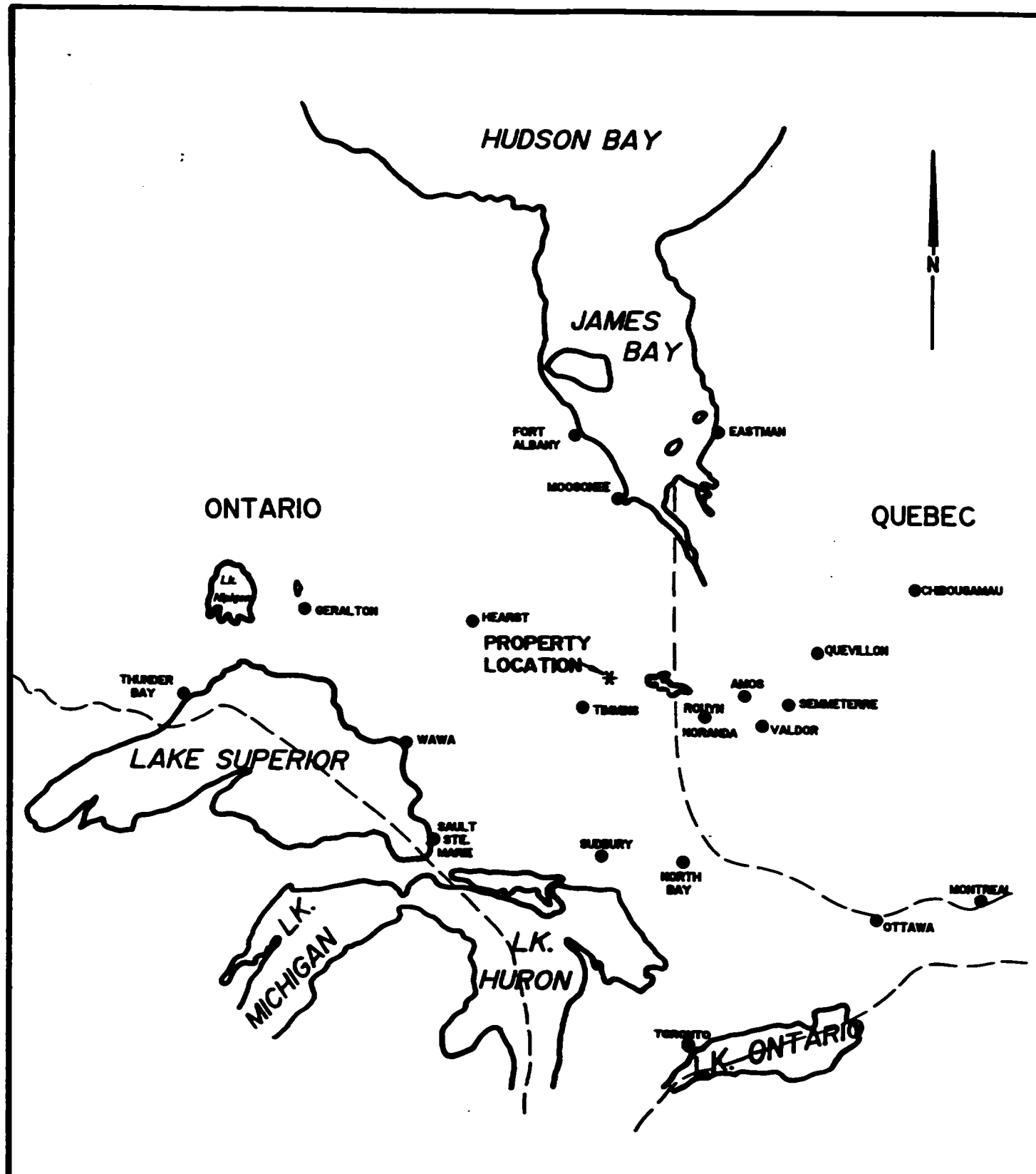
Access to the grid during the survey period was ideal. Falconbridge Limited has plowed open a road which follows the concession line between Concession V and V of Mann Township. This road is opened to the Bridge across the Fredrick House River. A second plowed road was then opened north after the bridge crossing and provides drivable access to the south of the grid. Travelling time from Timmins to the grid is approximately 1.8 hours.


CLAIM GROUP

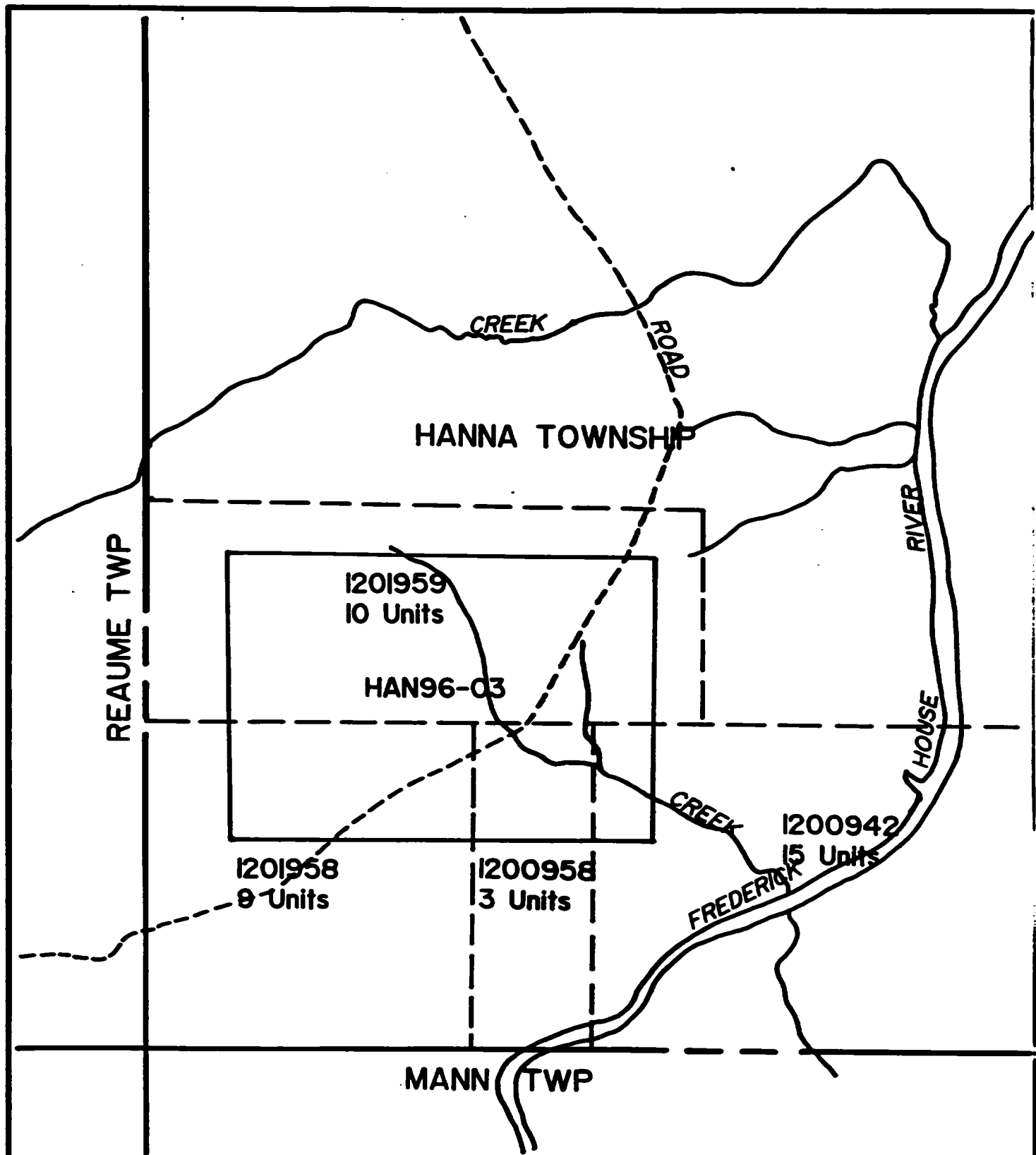
The claim numbers which were partially covered by the grid are as follows.

P-1200942	15 units
P-1200958	3 units
P-1201958	9 units
P-1201959	10 units

Refer to figure 3, copied from the MNM Plan map #G-3507, of Hanna Township, scale 1:20,000.



		
EXSICS EXPLORATION LTD: P.O. Box 1000, P4G-7X1 Suite 12, Milligan Bldg, Timmins Ont. Telephone: 705-267-1511		
CLIENT: FALCONBRIDGE LIMITED		
PROPERTY: MANN BELT PN 8269		
TITLE: HANNA TWP LOCATION MAP		
Fig. 1		
Date: Feb. 1996	Scale: 1"=25miles	MNDM Plan#:
Drawn: P. Gauthier	Interp: J.C. Grant	Job NoE-146



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CLIENT: FALCONBRIDGE LIMITED

PROPERTY: MANN BELT PN 8269

TITLE: HANNA TWP HAN96-03

CLAIM SKETCH

Fig. 3

Date: Feb. 1996

Scale: 1:20,000

MNDM Plan#: G-3507

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Interp: J.C. Grant

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PERSONNEL

The field crew directly responsible for the collection of all data were as follows:

Robin Mathieu.....Timmins, Ontario
 Todd Mathieu.....Timmins, Ontario
 Richard Mathieu.....Timmins, Ontario

The geophysical program was completed under the direct supervision of J.C.Grant and all plotting and computer compilation was completed by P. Gauthier of Exsics.

LINECUTTING PROGRAM

The grid consisted of 100 meter line spacing and 25 meter station spacing. The baseline was turned off from a starting point which had been located earlier by Falconbridge personnel. The baseline was cut at 270 degrees from this start point, from line 0+00 to 1500MW. The lines were chained from the baseline to tieline 1000MS which represents the south boundary of the grid. A tieline 500MS was also cut to control these cross lines. All of the cut lines were chained with 25 meter pickets. In all, a total of 20,5 kilometers were cut and chained.

GEOPHYSICAL PROGRAM

This program consisted of a total field magnetic survey done in conjunction with a Horizontal Loop, electromagnetic, HLEM, survey. The magnetic survey was completed on the entire cut grid however the HLEM survey was completed on the cross lines only.

The magnetic survey was completed using the BRGM, OMNI IV system. Specifications for this system can be found as Appendix A of this report. The HLEM survey was completed using the Apex Parameterics, MaxMin II system. Specifications for this system can be found as Appendix B of this report.

MAGNETIC SURVEY:

The following parameters were kept constant throughout the survey.

Linespacing.....	100 meters
Station spacing.....	25 meters
Reading interval.....	12.5 meters
Diurnal monitor.....	Base station recorder
record interval.....	30 seconds
Reference field.....	57960 gammas
Datum subtract.....	57500 gammas
Unit accuracy.....	+/- 0.1 gamma
Parameters measured.....	Earth's total magnetic field

The collected, corrected and levelled data was then plotted directly onto a base map at a scale of 1:5000 and then contoured at 5 gamma intervals where possible. A copy of this base map is included in the back pocket of this report.

HLEM SURVEY:

The following parameters were kept constant throughout the survey.

Linespacing.....	100 meters
Station spacing.....	25 meters
Reading interval.....	25 meters
Coil seperation.....	150 meters
Theoretical search depth.....	75-85 meters
Frequencies recorded.....	1777hz, 444hz
Parameters measured.....	inphase and quadrature components of the secondary field.
Unit accuracy.....	+/- 0.5 percent

The collected data was then plotted directly onto a base map at a scale of 1:5000, one base map for each frequency, and then profiled at 1cm to +/-20%. An interpretation for each line of the conductor was done as far as depth to source and apparent conductivity in Mhos and was put directly onto the base map. A copy of these base maps are included in the back pocket of this report.

SURVEY RESULTS

The geophysical surveys were successful in locating and outlining one good strong target on the grid as well as three questionable zones. The zones have been labelled A,B,C and D for interpretation purposes and each zone will be discussed seperately and in detail below.

ZONE A:

This feature represents the most predominant zone on the grid. The western extension of the zone strikes at an azimuth of 100 degrees and appears to continue off of the grid to the west. This portion of the zone is situated at a depth of 45 to 75 meters and has a conductivity range of 13 to 23 mhos.

This portion of the zone also appears to cross cut the north shoulder of a broad magnetic high unit which covers most of the south section of the grid.

The zone continues to strike across lines 1000MW to but seems to have been folded or faulted to the north. This may be due to minor cross faulting or shearing paralleling line 1100MW and show in the magnetics as slumping in the contour pattern. This portion of the zone has a depth range of 45 to 60 meters and a conductivity value of 9 to 13 mhos. The zone may continue as far as line 0+00 although it is weak and questionable.

The magnetics suggest the zone lies along the north flank of a magnetic high unit which covers most of the south section of the grid.

ZONE C:

At this writing, this zone represents a weak questionable zone which appears to continue off of the grid to the west. There does not appear to be any magnetic correlation with the strike of the zone. A slight slumping in the contour pattern seems to correspond with the zone as it continues off of the grid to the west.

ZONE D:

This zone is also a weak questionable zone at this time. It may be indicating a zone too deep for the present survey capabilities. Again the magnetics show a slight slumping in the contour pattern which may correlate to the axis of the zone. The entire feature appears to be situated on the extreme north flank of a weak magnetic high unit.

ZONE B:

This zone closely parallels the strike of the main zone A. It does appear to correlate to a weak magnetic high unit which is shown as a slight bulge in the contour pattern. The entire strike of the zone is situated on the north flank of a broad magnetic unit which seems to host zone A.

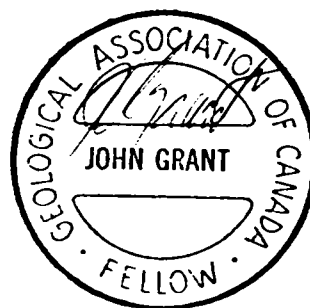
The magnetic survey suggest that the south section of the grid is covered by a good magnetic unit which may have been cross cut by several dike like features or fault zones. One such structure is paralleling line 1500MW and another seems to follow line 1200MW. A third zone seems to follow line 500MW as well.

CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The surveys were successful in locating and outlining one good bedrock conductor on the grid. This would be Zone A. The remaining zones are considerably weaker and or deeper than the main zone. Zone A should be tested by drilling and if the results are encouraging, then all of the remaining zones should be followed up further. A deep EM survey may better define the weaker zones.

Respectfully submitted

J.C. Grant, CET, FGAC.
March, 1996.



CERTIFICATE

I, John C. Grant, hereby certify that:

1) I am a graduate geophysicist (1975) of the three year program in Geological Technology at Cambrian College of Applied Arts and Technology, Sudbury, Campus. I have worked subsequently as an Exploration Geophysicist for Teck Exploration Limited (5 years), North Bay office, and as Exploration Manager and Geophysicist for Exsics Exploration Limited from 1980 to present.

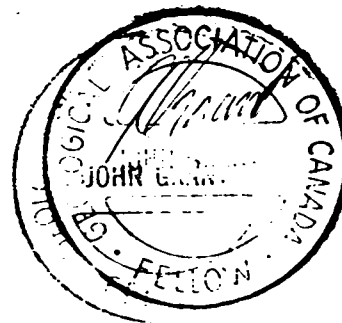
2) I am a Member of the Certified Engineering Technologist Association since 1984.

3) I am a member of the Geological Association of Canada.

4) I have been actively engaged in my profession for the last twenty (20) years, including all aspects of exploration studies, surveys and interpretations.

5) I have no specific or special interest in the described property. I have been retained as a Consulting Geophysicist by the claim holders.

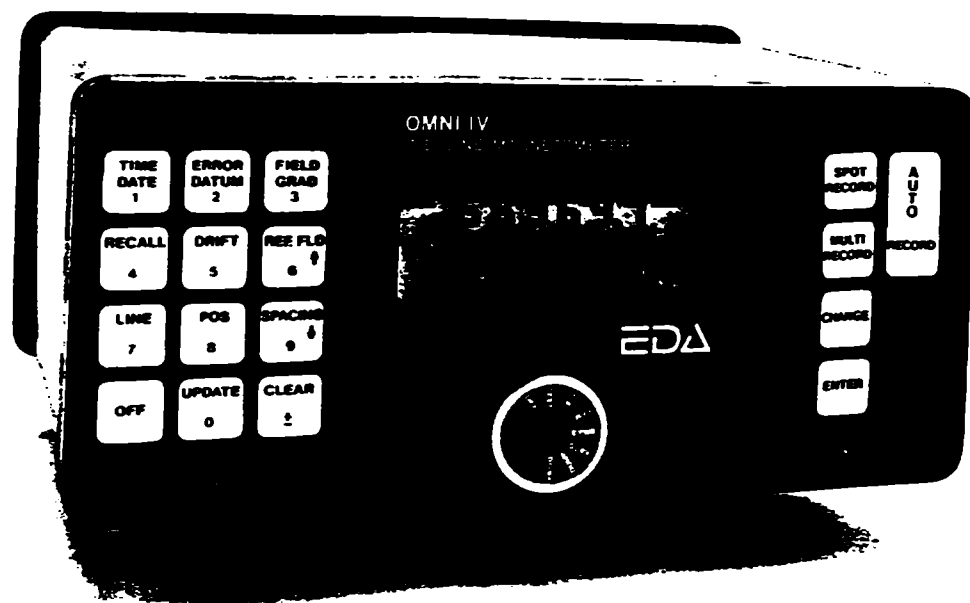
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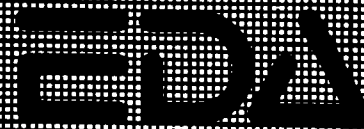
APPENDIX A

OMNI IV Tie-Line Magnetometer

EDA



- Four Magnetometers in One
- Self Correcting for Diurnal Variations
- Reduced Instrumentation Requirements
- 25% Weight Reduction
- User Friendly Keypad Operation
- Universal Computer Interface
- Comprehensive Software Packages



Specifications

Dynamic Range	18,000 to 110,000 gammas. Roll-over display feature suppresses first significant digit upon exceeding 100,000 gammas.
Tuning Method	Tuning value is calculated accurately utilizing a specially developed tuning algorithm
Automatic Fine Tuning	$\pm 15\%$ relative to ambient field strength of last stored value
Display Resolution	0.1 gamma
Processing Sensitivity	± 0.02 gamma
Statistical Error Resolution	0.01 gamma
Absolute Accuracy	± 1 gamma at 50,000 gammas at 23°C ± 2 gamma over total temperature range
Standard Memory Capacity	
Total Field or Gradient	1,200 data blocks or sets of readings
File-Line Points	100 data blocks or sets of readings
Base Station	5,000 data blocks or sets of readings
Display	Custom-designed, ruggedized liquid crystal display with an operating temperature range from -40°C to $+55^{\circ}\text{C}$. The display contains six numeric digits, decimal point, battery status monitor, signal decay rate and signal amplitude monitor and function descriptors.
RS232 Serial I/O Interface	2400 baud, 8 data bits, 2 stop bits, no parity
Gradient Tolerance	6,000 gammas per meter (field proven)
Test Mode	A. Diagnostic testing (data and programmable memory) B. Self Test (hardware)
Processor	Optimized miniature design. Magnetic cleanliness is consistent with the specified absolute accuracy.
Gradient Sensors	0.5 meter sensor separation (standard), normalized to gammas/meter. Optional 1.0 meter sensor separation available. Horizontal sensors optional.
Sensor Cable	Remains flexible in temperature range specified, includes strain-relief connector
Counting Time (Base Station Mode)	Programmable from 5 seconds up to 60 minutes in 1 second increments
Operating Environmental Range	-40°C to $+55^{\circ}\text{C}$; 0-100% relative humidity; weatherproof
Power Supply	Non-magnetic rechargeable sealed lead-acid battery cartridge or belt; rechargeable NiCad or Disposable battery cartridge or belt; or 12V DC power source option for base station operation.
Battery Cartridge/Belt Life	2,000 to 5,000 readings, for sealed lead acid power supply, depending upon ambient temperature and rate of readings
Weights and Dimensions	
Instrument Console Only	2.8 kg, 238 x 150 x 250mm
NiCad or Alkaline Battery Cartridge	1.2 kg, 235 x 105 x 90mm
NiCad or Alkaline Battery Belt	1.2 kg, 540 x 100 x 40mm
Lead-Acid Battery Cartridge	1.8 kg, 235 x 105 x 90mm
Lead-Acid Battery Belt	1.8 kg, 540 x 100 x 40mm
Sensor	1.2 kg, 56mm diameter x 200mm
Gradient Sensor	
0.5 m separation - standard	2.1 kg, 56mm diameter x 790mm
1.0 m separation - optional	2.2 kg, 56mm diameter x 1300mm
Standard System Complement	Instrument console; sensor; 3-meter cable, aluminum sectional sensor staff, power supply, harness assembly, operations manual.
Base Station Option	Standard system plus 30 meter cable
Gradiometer Option	Standard system plus 0.5 meter sensor

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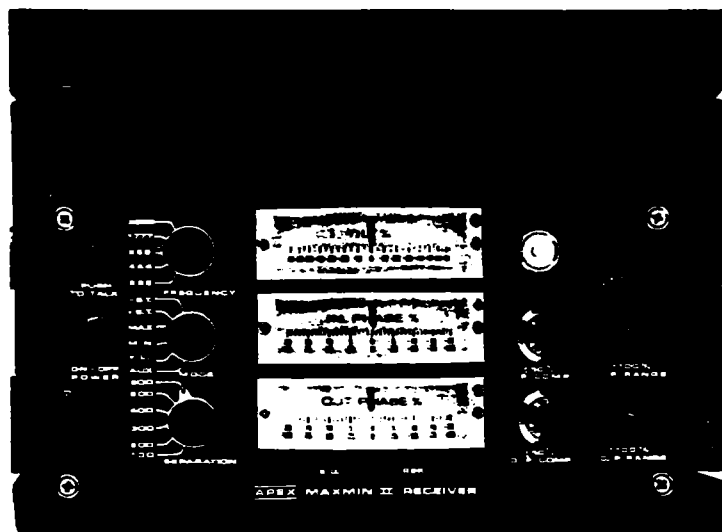
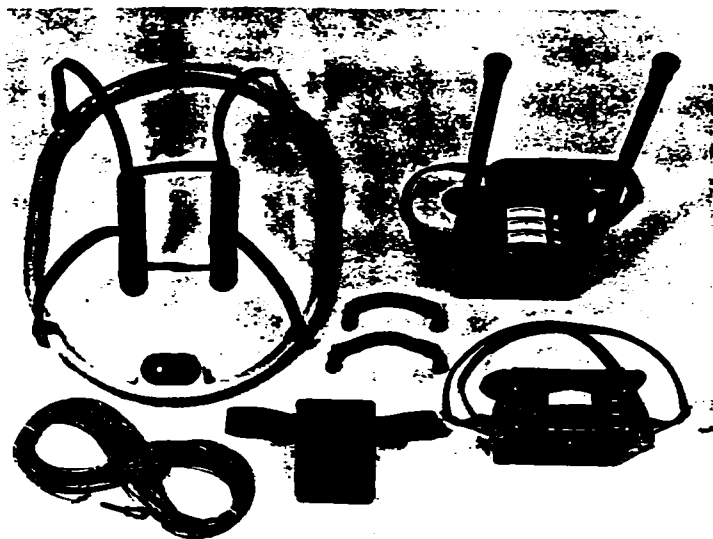
APPENDIX B

APEX

MAXMIN II PORTABLE EM

- : Five frequencies: 222, 444, 888, 1777 and 3555 Hz.
- : Maximum coupled (horizontal-loop) operation with reference cable.
- : Minimum coupled operation with reference cable.
- : Vertical-loop operation without reference cable.
- : Coil separations: 25, 50, 100, 150, 200 and 250 m (with cable) or 100, 200, 300, 400, 600 and 800 ft.
- : Reliable data from depths of up to 180m (600 ft).
- : Built-in voice communication circuitry with cable.
- : Tilt meters to control coil orientation.





SPECIFIC PARAMETERS

Frequencies: 222, 444, 888, 1777 and 3555 Hz.

Modes of Operation: MAX: Transmitter coil plane and receiver coil plane horizontal (Max-coupled; Horizontal-loop mode). Used with refer. cable.

MIN: Transmitter coil plane horizontal and receiver coil plane vertical (Min-coupled mode). Used with reference cable.

V.L.: Transmitter coil plane vertical and receiver coil plane horizontal (Vertical-loop mode). Used without reference cable, in parallel lines.

Coil Separations: 25, 50, 100, 150, 200 & 250m (MMII) or 100, 200, 300, 400, 600 and 800 ft. (MMIF). Coil separations in V.L. mode not restricted to fixed values.

Parameters Read: - In-Phase and Quadrature components of the secondary field in MAX and MIN modes.

- Tilt-angle of the total field in V.L. mode.

Readouts: - Automatic, direct readout on 90mm (3.5") edgewise meters in MAX and MIN modes. No nulling or compensation necessary.

- Tilt angle and null in 90mm edgewise meters in V.L. mode.

Scale Ranges: In-Phase: $\pm 20\%$, $\pm 100\%$ by push-button switch.

Quadrature: $\pm 20\%$, $\pm 100\%$ by push-button switch.

Tilt: $\pm 75\%$ slope.

Null (V.L.): Sensitivity adjustable by separation switch.

Readability: In-Phase and Quadrature: 0.25% to 0.5%; Tilt: 1%.

Accuracy: $\pm 0.25\%$ to $\pm 1\%$ normally, depending on conditions, frequencies and coil separation used.

Transmitter Coils:

- 222Hz : 220 Atm²
- 444Hz : 200 Atm²
- 888Hz : 120 Atm²
- 1777Hz : 60 Atm²
- 3555Hz : 30 Atm²

Batteries: 9V trans. radio type batteries (4). Life: approx. 35hrs. continuous duty (alkaline, 0.5 Ah), less in cold weather.

Rechargeable Battery: 12V 6Ah Gel-type rechargeable battery. (Charger supplied).

Reference Cables: Light weight 2-conductor teflon cable for minimum friction. Unshielded. All reference cables optional at extra cost. Please specify.

Voice System: Built-in intercom system for voice communication between receiver and transmitter operators in MAX and MIN modes, via reference cable.

Indicator Lights: Built-in signal and reference warning lights to indicate erroneous readings.

Temperature Range: -40°C to $+60^{\circ}\text{C}$ (-40°F to $+140^{\circ}\text{F}$).

Receiver Weight: 6kg (13 lbs.)

Transmitter Weight: 13kg (29 lbs.)

Shipping Weight: Typically 60kg (135 lbs.), depending on quantities of reference cable and batteries included. Shipped in two field/shipping cases.

Specifications subject to change without notification.

APEX ELECTRONICS
200 STEELCASE RD. E., MARKHAM, ONT., CANADA, L3R 1G2

Phone: (416) 495-1612

Cables: APEXPARA TORONTO

Telex: 06-966773 NORDVIK TOR



Ministry of
Northern Development
and Mines

Ontario

Report of Work Conducted After Recording Claim

Mines

LAKID 175N70-03

Transaction Number

W9666.00299

Personal information collected on this form is obtained under the authority of the collection should be directed to the Provincial Manager, Mining License Division, Ontario, P.O. Box 646, telephone (705) 870-7284.



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- Instructions:
- Please type or print and submit in duplicate.
 - Refer to the Mining Act and Regulations Recorder.
 - A separate copy of this form must be completed for each Work Group.
 - Technical reports and maps must accompany this form in duplicate.
 - A sketch, showing the claims the work is assigned to, must accompany this form.

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Recorded Holder(s) FALCONBRIDGE LIMITED		Client No. 130679
Address 571 Moneta Ave. P.O. Box 1140 Timmins, Ont. P4N 7H9		Telephone No. (705) 267-1188
Mining Division Porcupine	Transaction HANNA	M or S Plan No.
Date Work Performed From: January 15, 1996	To: March 12, 1996	

Work Performed (Check One Work Group Only)

Work Group	Type
Geotechnical Survey	Linecutting 20.5km, Maj 20.5km, NLEM 16.0km
Physical Work, including Drilling	
Rehabilitation	
Other Authorized Work	
Assays	
Assignment from Reserve	

Total Assessment Work Claimed on the Attached Statement of Costs \$ 11,560

Note: The Minister may reject for assessment work credit all or part of the assessment work submitted if the recorded holder cannot verify expenditures claimed in the statement of costs within 30 days of a request for verification.

Persons and Survey Company Who Performed the Work (Give Name and Address of Author of Report)

Name	Address
Exles Exploration Ltd.	P.O. Box 1880 Suite 13 Hollinger Bldg. Timmins, Ont. (705) 267-4151

(attach a schedule if necessary)

Certification of Beneficial Interest * See Note No. 1 on reverse side

I certify that at the time the work was performed, the claims covered in this work report were recorded in the current holder's name or held under a beneficial interest by the current recorded holder.	Date April 12/96	Recorded Holder or Agent (Signature) C. Petz
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Certification of Work Report

I certify that I have a personal knowledge of the facts set forth in this Work report, having performed the work or witnessed same during and/or after its completion and annexed report is true.		
Name and Address of Person Certifying 571 Moneta Ave. P.O. Box 1140 Timmins Ont. P4N 7H9 CHRISTINE PETZ		
Telephone No. (705) 267-1188	Date April 12/96	Certified By (Signature) C. Petz

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Total Value Cr. Recorded 11,560	Date Recorded	Mining Recorder Not Done Sey White	RECEIVED (c) APR 25 1996 11.0 PORCUPINE MINING DIVISION
Deemed Approval Date July 24/96	Date Approved		
Date Notice of Amendments Sent			



Ministry of
Northern Development
and Mines

Ministère du
Développement du Nord
et des mines

Statement of Costs
for Assessment Credit

État des coûts aux fins
du crédit d'évaluation

Mining Act/Loi sur les mines

GRID NAN96-03

Transaction No./N° de transaction
W 9666, 60299

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Personal information collected on this form is obtained under the authority of the Mining Act. This information will be used to maintain a record and ongoing status of the mining claim(s). Questions about this collection should be directed to the Provincial Manager, Minings Lands, Ministry of Northern Development and Mines, 4th Floor, 159 Cedar Street, Sudbury, Ontario P3E 8A5, telephone (705) 670-7264.

Les renseignements personnels contenus dans la présente formule sont recueillis en vertu de la Loi sur les mines et serviront à tenir à jour un registre des concessions minières. Adresser toute question sur la collecte de ces renseignements au chef provincial des terrains miniers, ministère du Développement du Nord et des Mines, 159, rue Cedar, 4^e étage, Sudbury (Ontario) P3E 8A5, téléphone (705) 670-7264.

1. Direct Costs/Coûts directs

Type	Description	Amount Montant	Totals Total global
Wages Salaires	Labour Main-d'oeuvre	300	
	Field Supervision Supervision sur le terrain	300	600
Contractor's and Consultant's Fees Droits de l'entrepreneur et de l'expert- conseil	Type Lincutting	5813	Invoice # 407
	HLEM	2739	403
	Mag	2194	10,746
Supplies Used Fournitures utilisées	Type Flagging	10	
	Picket tags	104	
			114
Equipment Rental Location de matériel	Type Truck	100	
	Snow mobile	—	
Total Direct Costs Total des coûts directs			100 11,560

2. Indirect Costs/Coûts indirects

Note: When claiming Rehabilitation work indirect costs are not allowable as assessment work.
Pour le remboursement des travaux de réhabilitation, les coûts indirects ne sont pas admissibles en tant que travaux d'évaluation.

Type	Description	Amount Montant	Totals Total global
Transportation Transport	Type		
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Food and Lodging Nourriture et hébergement			
Mobilization and Demobilization Mobilisation et démobilisation			
Sub Total of indirect Costs Total partiel des coûts indirects			
Amount Allowable (not greater than 20% of Direct Costs) Montant admissible (n'excédant pas 20 % des coûts directs)			
Total Value of Assessment Credit (Total of Direct and Allowable indirect costs)			11,560
Valeur totale du crédit d'évaluation (Total des coûts directs et indirects admissibles)			

Note: The recorded holder will be required to verify expenditures claimed in this statement of costs within 30 days of a request for verification. If verification is not made, the Minister may reject for assessment work all or part of the assessment work submitted.

Note: Le titulaire enregistré sera tenu de vérifier les dépenses demandées dans le présent état des coûts dans les 30 jours suivant une demande à cet effet. Si la vérification n'est pas effectuée, le ministre peut rejeter tout ou une partie des travaux d'évaluation présentés.

Claiming Discounts

Work filed within two years of completion is claimed at 100% of the above Total Value of Assessment Credit.

Work filed three, four or five years after completion is claimed at 50% of the above Total Value of Assessment Credit. See calculations below:

Total Value of Assessment Credit	Total Assessment Claimed
	x 0.50 =

Remises pour dépôt

1. Les travaux déposés dans les deux ans suivant leur achèvement sont remboursés à 100 % de la valeur totale susmentionnée du crédit d'évaluation.

2. Les travaux déposés trois, quatre ou cinq ans après leur achèvement sont remboursés à 50 % de la valeur totale du crédit d'évaluation susmentionné. Voir les calculs ci-dessous.

Valeur totale du crédit d'évaluation	Evaluation totale demandée
	x 0,50 =

Certification Verifying Statement of Costs

I hereby certify:

that the amounts shown are as accurate as possible and these costs were incurred while conducting assessment work on the lands shown in the accompanying Report of Work form.

I as C. PETCH I am authorized
(Recorded Holder, Agent, Position in Company)

I make this certification

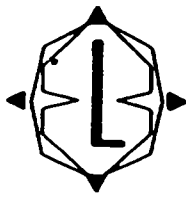
Attestation de l'état des coûts

J'atteste par la présente :
que les montants indiqués sont le plus exact possible et que ces dépenses ont été engagées pour effectuer les travaux d'évaluation sur les terrains indiqués dans la formule de rapport de travail ci-joint.

Et qu'à titre de _____ je suis autorisé
(titulaire enregistré, représentant, poste occupé dans la compagnie)

à faire cette attestation.

Signature C. Petch Date Apr 12/96



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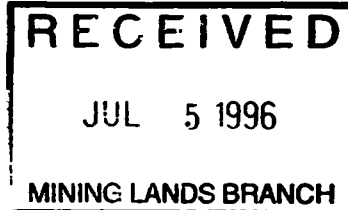
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INVOICE #: 403
PROJECT #: E-146

ON ACCOUNT WITH: Falconbridge Limited
P.O. Box 1140
Timmins, Ontario

Attention: Paul Negerl



G.S.T. REGISTRATION # 113433791

RE: Linecutting on grids in Hanna, 96-02, 96-03, 96-04

AT A RATE OF:

96-02, 12.5 kilometers @ \$265.00/km.....	\$3312.50
96-03, 20.5 kilometers @ \$265.00/km.....	\$5432.50
96-04, 12.8 kilometers @ \$265.00/km.....	\$3392.00
sub-total.....	\$12137.00
7% GST.....	\$ 849.59
sub-total.....	\$12986.59
5 boxes of tags, PST, GST Incl.....	\$ 207.00

TOTAL OF THIS INVOICE: \$13193.59

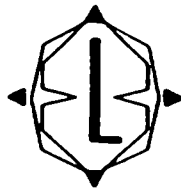
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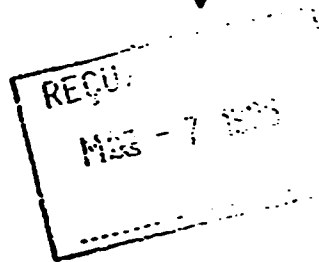
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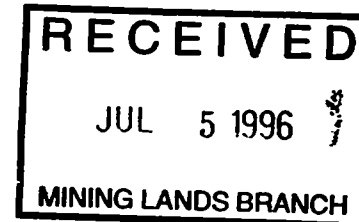
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INVOICE #: 407
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ON ACCOUNT WITH: Falconbridge Limited
P.O. Box 1140
Timmins, Ontario
P4N 7H9



ATTENTION: Paul Nagerl

G.S.T. REGISTRATION # 113433791

RE: Max Min and Magnetic Survey on Hanna Han 96-02, 96-03

AT A RATE OF:

96-02	
10.4 Km of Max Min @ \$160.00/Km	\$1,664.00
12.5 Km of Magnetic @ \$100.00/Km	\$1,250.00
	\$2,914.00
7% GST	\$ 203.98
	<u>\$3,117.98</u>
96-03	
16.0 Km of Max Min @ \$160.00	\$2,560.00
20.5 Km of Magnetics @ \$100/Km	\$2,050.00
	\$4,610.00
7% GST	\$ 322.70
	<u>\$4,932.70</u>
TOTAL OF THIS INVOICE:	<u>\$8,050.68</u>

DATE: February 14, 1996

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Karen Talon

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Ministry of
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Ministère du
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et des Mines

Geoscience Assessment Office
933 Ramsey Lake Road
6th Floor
Sudbury, Ontario
P3E 6B5

Telephone: (705) 670-5853
Fax: (705) 670-5863

July 19, 1996

Our File: 2.16642
Transaction #: W9660.00299

Mining Recorder
Ministry of Northern Development & Mines
60 Wilson Avenue, 1st Floor
Timmins, Ontario
P4N 2S7

Dear Mr. White:

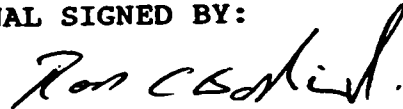
**SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF ASSESSMENT WORK CREDIT ON MINING LAND,
CLAIMS P.1201959 ET AL IN HANNA TOWNSHIP**

Assessment work credit has been approved as outlined on the Declaration of Assessment Work Form accompanying this submission. The credit has been approved under Section 14, Geophysics (MAG & EM), of the Assessment Work Regulation.


The approval date is July 18, 1996.

If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Lucille Jerome at (705) 670-5858.

Yours sincerely,
ORIGINAL SIGNED BY:

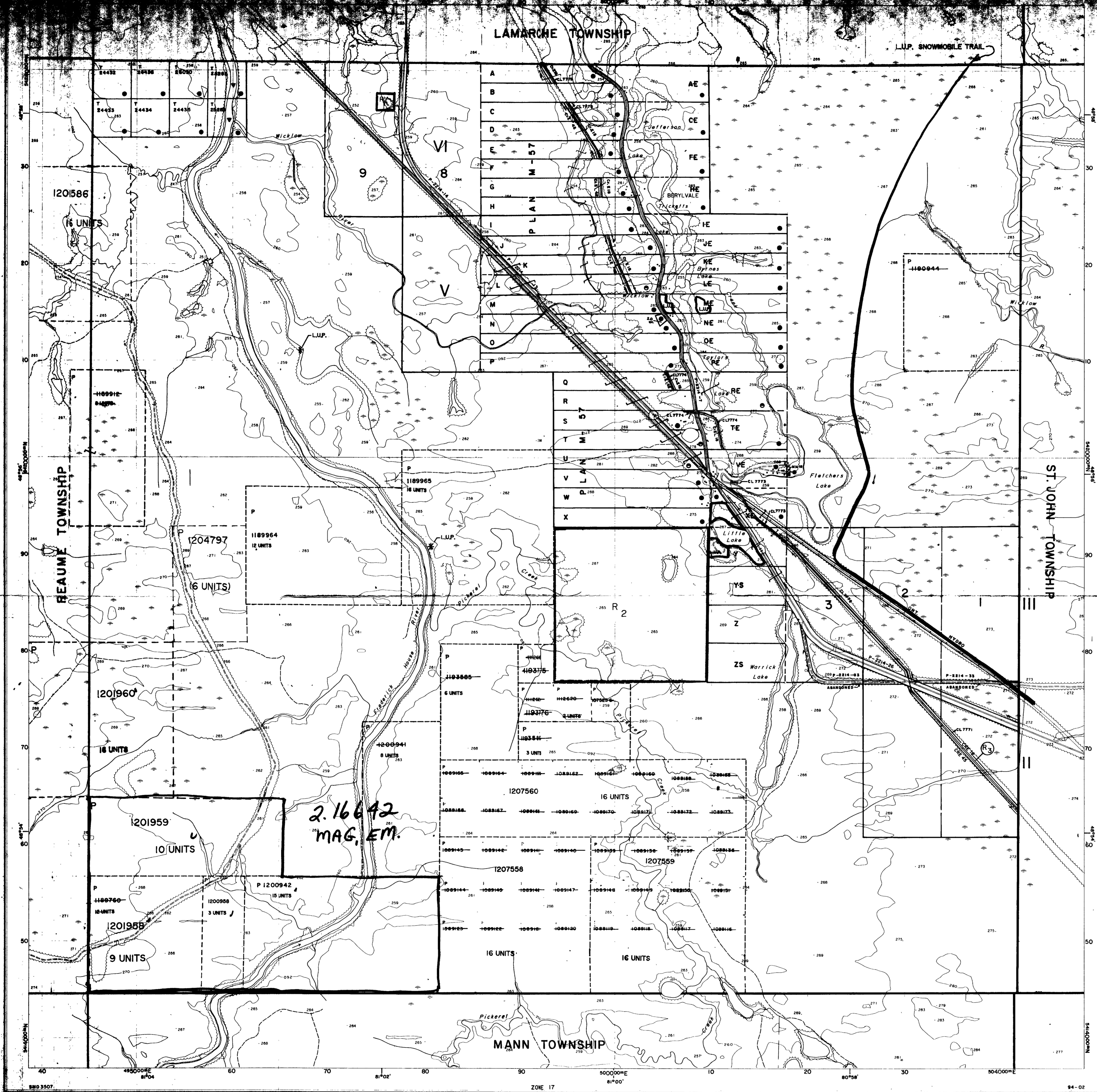


Ron C. Gashinski
Senior Manager, Mining Lands Section
Mines and Minerals Division

 LBJ/jf

cc: Resident Geologist
Timmins, Ontario

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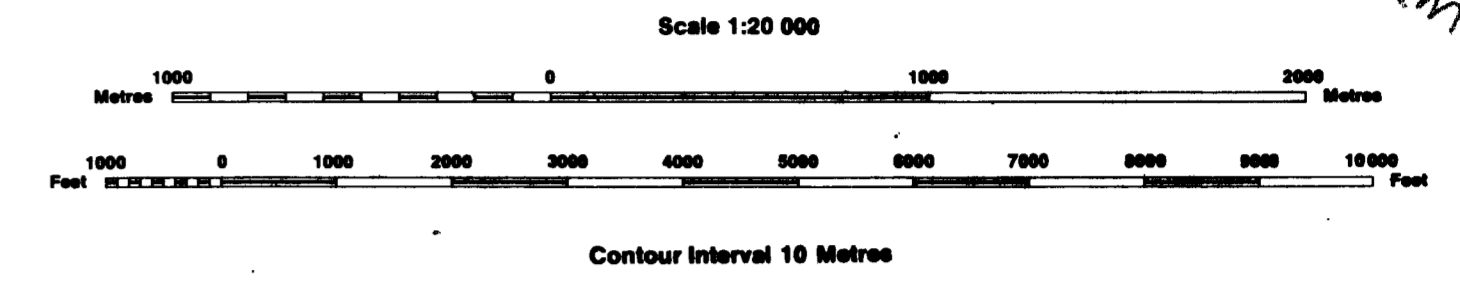
INDEX TO LAND DISPOSITION

PLAN
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M.N.R. ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT
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MINING DIVISION
PORCUPINE
LAND TITLES/REGISTRY DIVISION
COCHRANE



THE INFORMATION THAT APPEARS ON THIS MAP HAS BEEN COMPILED FROM VARIOUS SOURCES AND ACCURACY IS NOT GUARANTEED. THOSE WISHING TO STAKE MINING CLAIMS SHOULD CONSULT WITH THE MINING RECORDER, MINISTRY OF NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT AND MINES, FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THE STATUS OF THE LANDS SHOWN HEREON.

AREAS WITHDRAWN FROM DISPOSITION

- MRO - Mining Rights Only
 - SRO - Surface Rights Only
 - M+S - Mining and Surface Rights
- R₃ S.R.O. W-01/91/ONT
(TRANS CANADA PIPELINE RIGHT OF WAY AND BUFFER ZONE PARTICULARLY 40.25 METERS OR 132 FT. ON EITHER SIDE OF CENTER LINE OF RIGHT OF WAY)

SYMBOLS

Boundary	.....
Township, Meridian, Baseline	.....
Road allowance; surveyed	.....
shoreline	.....
Lot/Concession; surveyed	.....
unsurveyed	.....
Parcel; surveyed	.....
unsurveyed	.....
Right-of-way; road	.....
railway	.....
utility	.....
Reservation	.....
Cliff, Pit, Pile	.....
Contour	.....
Interpolated	.....
Approximate	.....
Depression	.....
Control point (horizontal)	.....
Flooded land	.....
Mine head frame	.....
Pipeline (above ground)	.....
Railway; single track	.....
double track	.....
abandoned	.....
Road; highway, county, township	.....
access	.....
trail, bush	.....
Shoreline (original)	.....
Transmission line	.....
Wooded area	.....

NOTES

- THE SUBDIVISION OF THIS TOWNSHIP INTO LOTS AND CONCESSIONS PARTIALLY ANNULLED OCTOBER 30, 1964.
- F₁ - SUBJECT TO FORESTRY ACTIVITY IN 1994/95
- R₁ - WASTE DISPOSAL SITE ATTENUATION ZONE - SITE CLOSED 1988 SEE SECTION 46 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT R.S.O. 1990
- R₂ - PENDING APPLICATION UNDER THE PUBLIC LANDS ACT NOTICE RECEIVED 94-MAR-22

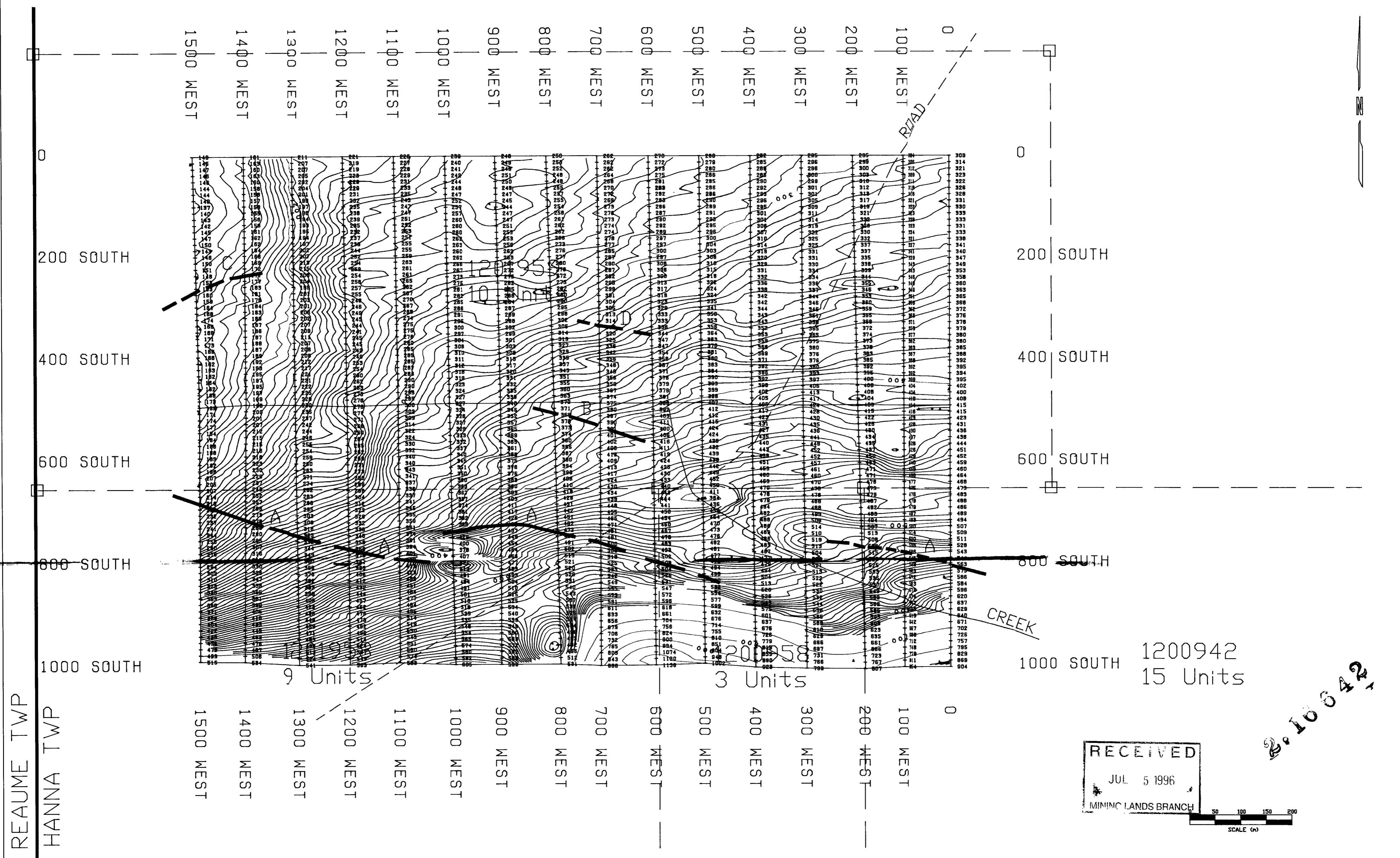
DISPOSITION OF CROWN LANDS

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Surface & Mining Rights
Surface Rights Only
Mining Rights Only
Lease
Surface & Mining Rights
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Order-in-Council
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Reservation
Sand & Gravel

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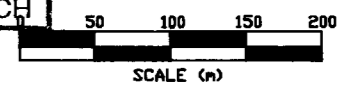
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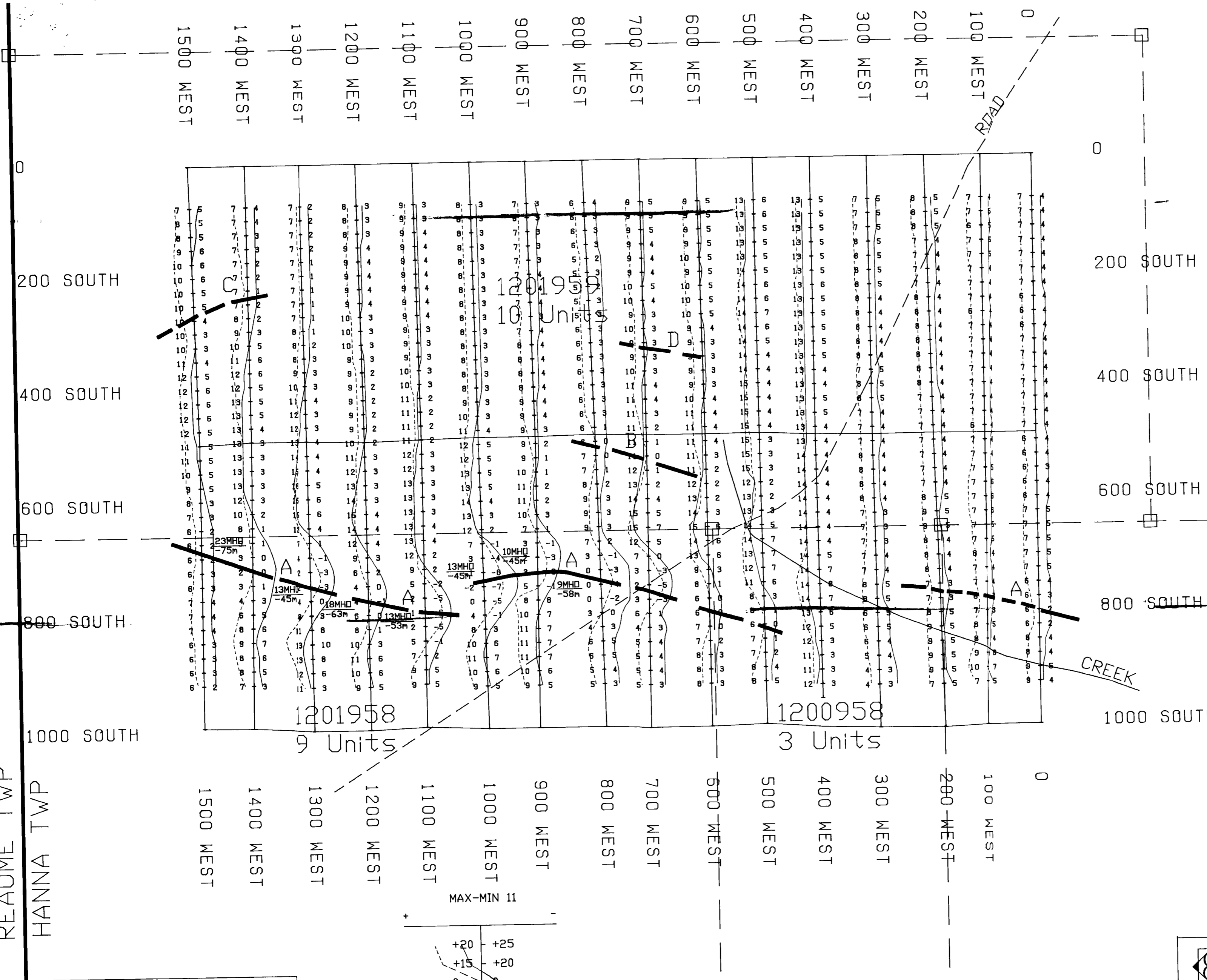


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15 Units

LEGEND
Instrument: BRGM DMNI-1V
Parameters Measured: Earth's total magnetic field
Accuracy: +/- 0.1 nano-teslas
Diurnals: Corrected by base station recorder
Contour Interval: 0.5, 1.0, 1.5, 2.0, 2.5, 3.0,
Reference Field: 57,960 gammas
Datum Subtracted: 57,500 gammas

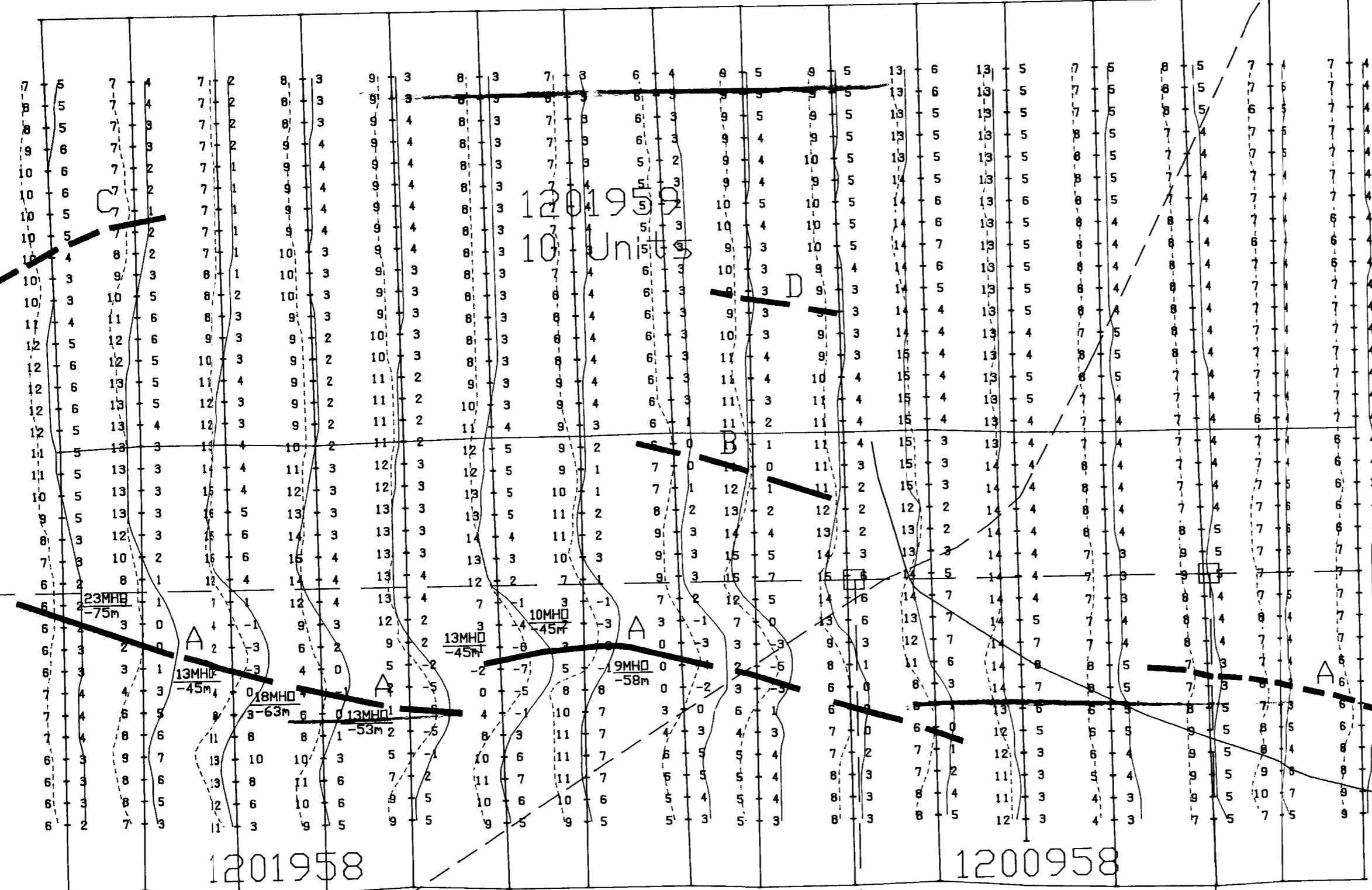


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PROPERTY: MANN BELT PN# 8269		
TITLE: HANNA TWP HAN96-03 MAGNETOMETER SURVEY		
Date: Mar. 1996	Scale: 1:5000	NTS:
Drawn: P.Gauthier	Interp: J.C.Grant	Job No.: E-146



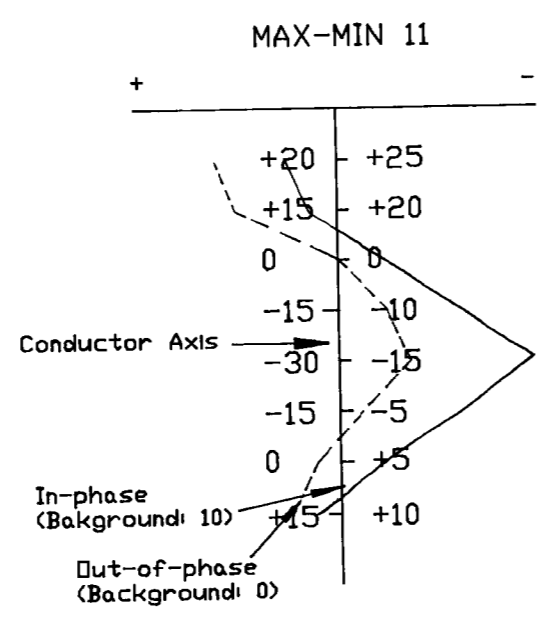
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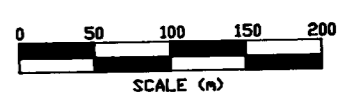


REAUME TWP
HANNA TWP

LEGEND
Instrument: Apex Parametrics Max-Min 11
Mode: Maximum Coupled, Horizontal Loop Survey
Parameters Measured: Inphase (%)
Out of phase (%)
Frequency: 444 Hz
Coil Separation: 150m
Operator: R. & R. Mathieu
Profile Scale: 1cm=+/-10%



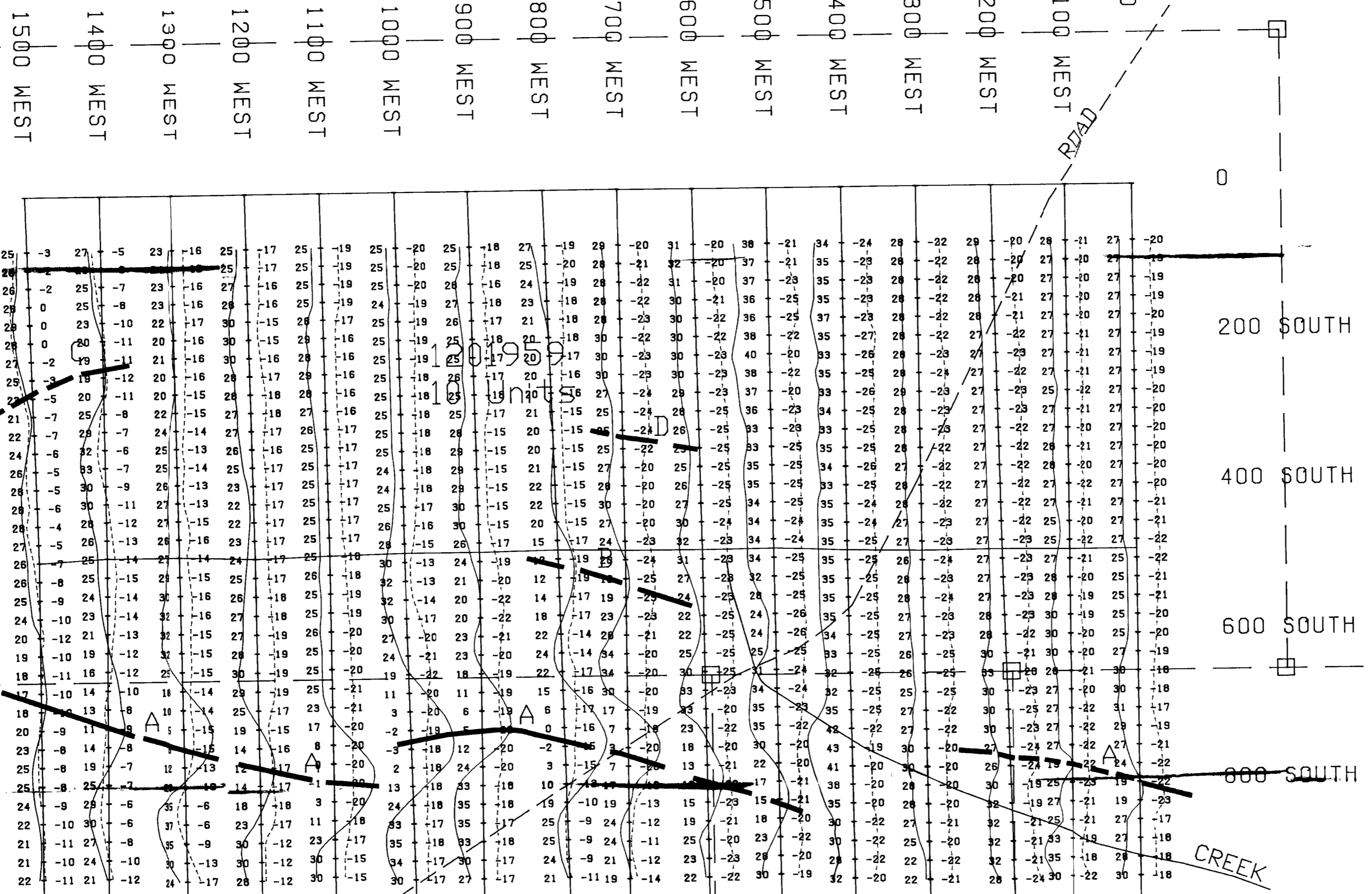
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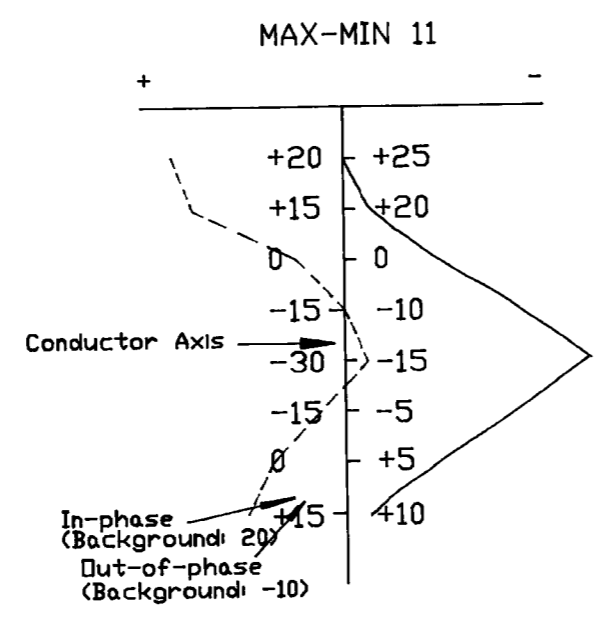


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PROPERTY:	MANN BELT PN# 8269	
TITLE:	HANNA TWP HAN96-03	
	MAX-MIN II 444 Hz	
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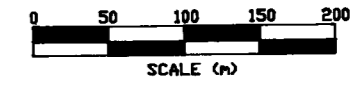
REAUME TWP
HANNA TWP


LEGEND
 Instrument: Apex Parametrics Max-Min 11
 Mode: Maximum Coupled, Horizontal Loop Survey
 Parameters Measured: Inphase (%)
 Out of phase (%)
 Frequency: 1777 Hz
 Coil Separation: 150m
 Operator: R. & R. Mathieu
 Profile Scale: 1cm=+/-20%



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