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Geochemical, Petrographic and Compilation Data from the Genex Mine Area, Kamiskotia Area: Discover Abitibi Initiative

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This digital data release, produced as part of the Discover Abitibi Initiative, is being released in conjunction with Open File Report 6156. This release contains 1) ArcMap® files for a 1:2500 scale geological map of the Genex Mine area in Godfrey Township (Figure 56 in OFR 6156); 2) colour versions (*.tif*) of two 1:100 scale maps and a 1:50 scale map (Figures 10, 11 and 12, respectively, in OFR 6156); 3) drill core photographs; 4) drill logs; 5) geochemical analyses; 6) outcrop photographs; 7) petrographic descriptions; and 8) photomicrographs. The data are available as Microsoft® Word 2002 (*.doc*), Microsoft® Access 97 and 2002 (*.mdb*), Microsoft® Excel 2002 (*.xls*), ArcMap® 8.3 (*.mxd*), and image (*.jpg* and *.tif*) files on one CD-ROM.

Abstract

As part of the Base Metal Subproject of the Discover Abitibi Initiative, a two-year study has been conducted in the Genex Mine area, in the Kamiskotia area of the western part of the Abitibi greenstone belt. Geologic mapping and core logging has been conducted to better define the stratigraphy, deformation, and hydrothermal alteration in the Genex area and to determine the controls on the volcanogenic massive sulphide mineralization in the Genex Mine area. The Genex deposit consists of 3 lenses of mineralization that were mined from 1964 to 1966, producing approximately 242 tonnes (218 tons) of copper concentrate containing 21 to 27% Cu. The deposit is hosted in a bimodal sequence of metavolcanic rocks correlated with the Blake River assemblage based on a U/Pb age of 2698.6±1.3 Ma obtained on a felsic metavolcanic rock located south-southwest of the Genex Mine, as well as the bimodal character of the stratigraphy. The volcanic rocks are overlain by a volcaniclastic and epiclastic unit, and cut by Proterozoic (2454±2 Ma) diabase dikes of the Matachewan swarm. The sequence is a north-trending, eastward-younging succession approximately 2 km thick, bounded by the availability of outcrop to the west, and by the volcaniclastic and epiclastic succession to the east.

Felsic metavolcanic rocks are prevalent in the area surrounding the Genex deposit and represent a generally fining-upward succession. Tuff-breccias are common at the base of the mine stratigraphy, with lapilli- to block-size fragments that are commonly of the same composition as their matrix. Normally graded lapilli-tuff to bedded-tuff sequences are found throughout the stratigraphy. Small felsic flows and flow breccias occur in the footwall of the Genex deposit and also cutting the volcaniclastic units in the hanging wall of the Genex deposit. Whole rock geochemical analysis indicates that the felsic metavolcanic rocks are FIIIa rhyolites, and were erupted or emplaced in an arc environment.

Mafic metavolcanic rocks are present in both the footwall and the hanging wall of the Genex strata, and overlie the felsic sequence. Mafic metavolcanic rocks consist of pillowed and massive flows as well as minor mafic tuffs. Significant variations in pillow size, morphology, strike, and flow direction documented in pillows in the immediate footwall of the deposit indicate downslope movement of the flow from a paleotopographic high, with the crest located at or near the C-zone orebody. Small pillow breccia units and massive basal flow units are also found associated with the pillow flows. Disconformable massive mafic units in the Genex area represent feeders for the mafic flows. Mafic fragmental rocks range from fine-grained tuffs to lapilli-tuffs. Whole rock analysis indicates that the mafic volcanic rocks are tholeiitic in composition, and were erupted or emplaced in an arc environment.

The metavolcanic rocks in the Genex area are cut by 2 mafic synvolcanic sills and a series of intermediate synvolcanic intrusions. The synvolcanic timing of the mafic intrusions is evidenced by the presence of peperite, a pillowed base, irregular contacts, amoeboid dikes, and incorporation of felsic material. The synvolcanic nature of the intermediate intrusions is evidenced by the presence of a mixed zone near the upper contact, abundant spherulites and amygdules, and localization within synvolcanic faults.

Synvolcanic faulting occurred after emplacement of the mafic synvolcanic intrusions but prior to emplacement of the intermediate synvolcanic intrusions. The synvolcanic faults provided conduits for the intermediate synvolcanic intrusions and for the hydrothermal fluids responsible for the base-metal mineralization and alteration at Genex. The mineralization is distributed in 3 major zones: the C-zone, H-zone, and A-zone. The C-zone is hosted in pillow breccia and hyaloclastite. The H-zone occurs within felsic tuff and at the contact of the tuff with the surrounding intermediate intrusion. The A-zone mineralization is hosted dominantly in the intermediate intrusion with some mineralization in the matrix of a felsic lapilli-tuff. The Genex mineralization represents subseafloor replacement of sulphides localized within zones of higher permeability, with no massive sulphide present.

Petrography and geochemistry reveals that all rocks have experienced hydrothermal alteration in the form of sericitization, chloritization, epidotization, silicification, and Fe-carbonitization. The small size of the synvolcanic intrusions prohibits them from being the primary heat source that drove the hydrothermal system, but these intrusions do indicate the presence of a high-temperature thermal corridor that is permissive for the formation of a high-temperature hydrothermal system. Mapping of these intrusions is important in defining synvolcanic structures, and new zones of potential volcanogenic massive sulphide mineralization.

Volcanic Stratigraphy and Controls on Mineralization in the Genex Mine Area, Kamiskotia Area: Discover Abitibi

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Introduction

GOALS AND OBJECTIVES OF STUDY

This study is completed as part of a MSc thesis at Laurentian University. Funding is provided by the Base Metal Subproject of the Greenstone Architecture Project, a $1.2 million regional geoscience investigation of the Abitibi greenstone belt, within the Discover Abitibi Initiative. The Base Metal Subproject is a group of projects aimed at addressing the volcanic facies, lithology, structure and alteration of the Kamiskotia and Blake River areas in order to establish stratigraphic, geochemical and volcanological controls on base metal mineralization, and thereby characterize key mineralized assemblages within the Abitibi greenstone belt.

The purpose of this study is to assess the controls on mineralization in the Genex deposit through a combination of detailed surface mapping (1:1000, 1:100 and 1:50 scale), diamond drill core logging, and petrographic and geochemical analysis of the volcanic stratigraphy, alteration mineralogy and geochemistry, and deformation in both the hanging wall and the footwall of the deposit. Particular attention is paid to 2 previously poorly understood intrusive bodies in the area. The objectives of this part of the study are to define the relationship and relative timing of the 2 intrusions relative to each other, to the overlying volcanic rocks, to the Genex mineralization, and to the Kamiskotia gabbroic complex.

Of the 4 mines in the Kamiskotia area, the Genex Mine was chosen for this study due to the abundance of outcrop, the large amount of drill core available, and the desire to improve our knowledge of the volcanic and alteration history in the Genex area.

Figure 1. Generalized map of Ontario (*modified from* map of Ontario published by Natural Resources Canada, available at http://atlas.gc.ca/site/english/maps/reference/provincesterritories/ontario).

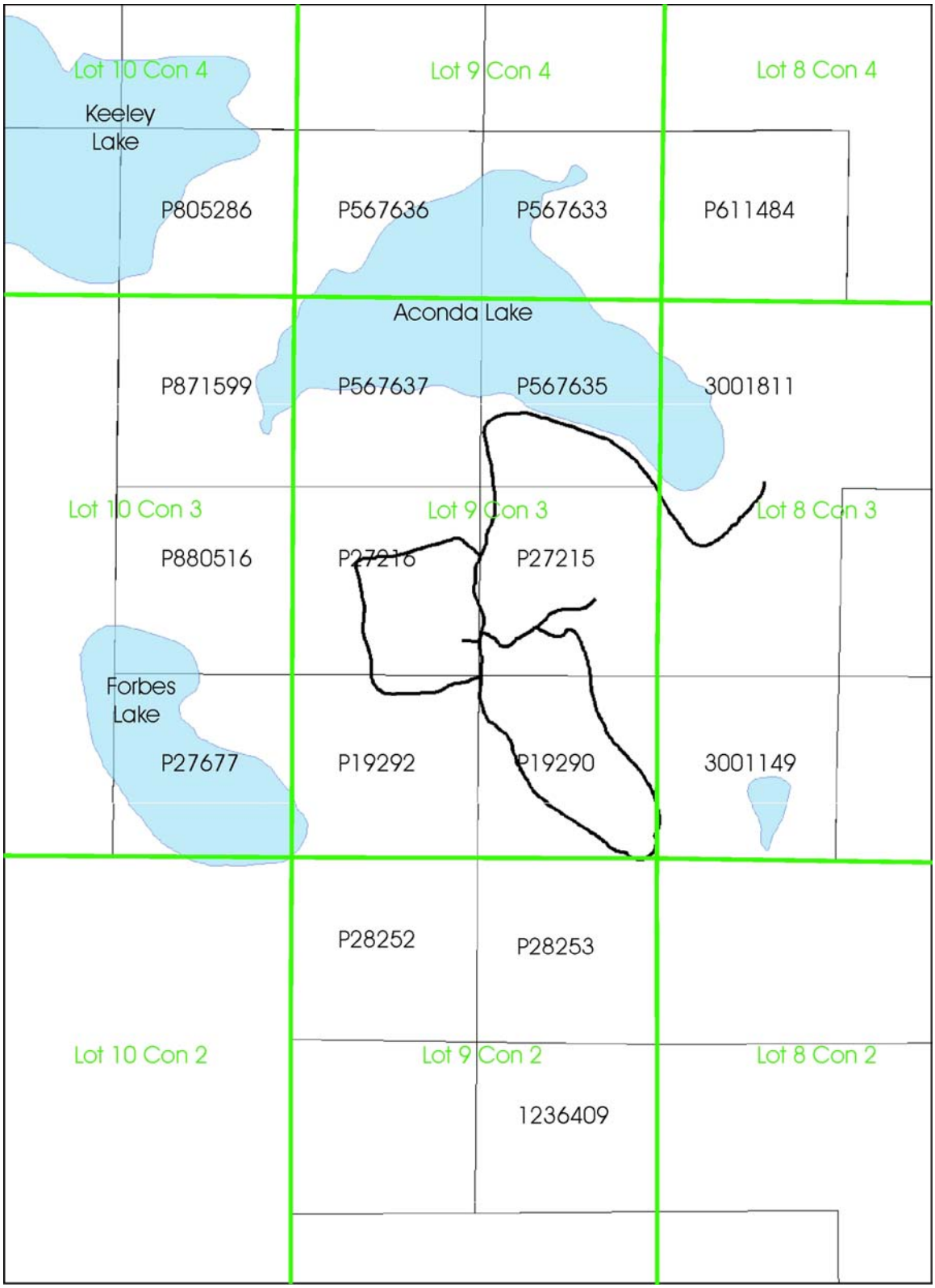

Figure 2. Location map of the Genex area showing lots, concessions, claims (7-digit numbers), and dispositions (5- and 6-digit numbers) (P = pending). Information from the Ontario Ministry of Northern Development and Mines, CLAIMaps III (current as of January 17, 2005).

LOCATION AND ACCESS

The Genex mine area, located in the eastern portion of the Kamiskotia area, is in the west-central portion of Godfrey Township, about 16 km west of the city of Timmins, Ontario (Figure 1). The area covers Lots 8, 9, and 10, Concessions 2 and 3, and is covered by numerous mining claims and dispositions (Figure 2).

The main access to the area is via highway 101 west from Timmins (for 8 km), then to highway 576 west (Kamiskotia road). An unnamed gravel road (the Genex road) extends west from the highway about 20 m southeast of the turn for the Kamiskotia Ski Resort. Many smaller tracks splay off of this gravel road, but the main road leads around Aconda Lake to the Genex mine site (Figure 3). Several small logging roads within the Genex area provide easy access to outcrop.

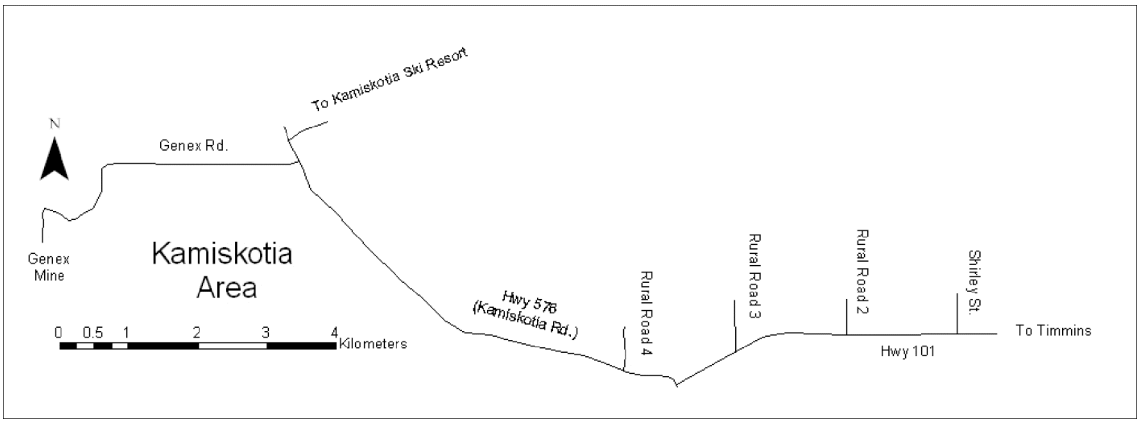

Figure 3. Location map of access to the Kamiskotia area.

FIELD AND ANALYTICAL METHODS

During the months of June through August, 2003, 1:1000 scale surface mapping was completed in the area bounded by Aconda Lake to the north, Forbes Lake to the west and the availability of outcrop to the south and east. Selected outcrops were mapped at 1:100 scale. Over this time period, 236 samples were collected, and 100 thin sections were made from these samples. 100 samples were analyzed by the Ontario Geoscience Laboratories using a geological sample preparation and closed-beaker digest. Major elements were analyzed by X-ray fluorescence (XRF), trace elements were analyzed by XRF and inductively coupled plasma mass spectroscopy (ICP–MS), and loss-on-ignition (LOI) was analyzed by a two-step program.

During May 2004, diamond drill core logging was completed on 18 Falconbridge Ltd. drill holes and 9 Explorers Alliance drill holes. Detailed drill logs and drill core photographs are available on MRD 144. During August, 2004, 1:1000 and 1:50 scale surface mapping was completed in the areas south and east of Forbes Lake and west of Aconda Lake. Several outcrops from the 2003 field season were also re-visited. During the 2004 field season, 130 samples were collected, and 83 thin sections were made from these samples. Eighty-nine samples were analyzed by Activation Laboratories Limited and by the Ontario Geoscience Laboratories. The samples were crushed using mild steel, and analyzed for major elements and trace elements by XRF at Activation Laboratories. Trace and rare earth elements were analyzed by ICP–MS using a closed-beaker digest at the Ontario Geoscience Laboratories. Full

geochemical analyses are presented in Appendix 3, and also on MRD 144. Precision and accuracy calculations can be found in MacDonald, Piercey and Hamilton (2005).

PREVIOUS WORK AND HISTORY OF THE GENEX MINE

A brief history of ownership and exploration history in the Genex mine area is outlined in Table 1. Complete table of ownership and exploration history can be found in Appendix 4 (Table 8).

Table 1. Highlights of previous work and history of the Genex Mine area.

Dates	Company or Individual's Name	Highlights of Activity
Prior to 1926	Prospector Fred Steep	Noticed sulphide mineralization in the area south of Aconda Lake while trapping
1964–1967	Genex Mines Ltd.	Purchased area, 50 diamond drill holes, induced polarization survey. Shaft sunk to 84 m with levels at 38 and 76 m. Total 807 m of drifts, 211 m of raises, 95 m of crosscuts, and 82 m of underground diamond drilling
September 1966	Genex Mines Ltd.	Name changed to Irvington Mines Ltd.
November 1966	Irvington Mines Ltd.	Operations ceased
February 1967		Company declared bankruptcy
1975	R.S. Middleton	Geologic mapping for the Ontario Department of Mines (Middleton 1975)
1985	Mark H. Legault	Detailed surface mapping as a MSc thesis (Legault 1985)
1985–1991	Falconbridge Ltd. (Kidd)	Purchased property, diamond drilling, mechanical stripping, power stripping, geophysics
1999	Prospectors Alliance Corp.	Mapping, drilling
2001	Falconbridge Ltd., joint venture with Explorers Alliance, Campbell Resources	Diamond drilling, assaying of grab samples
The claims in the area are presently held by Explorers Alliance		

STRUCTURE OF REPORT

This report is organized such that there is a general introduction which includes methods of study, previous work, as well as the regional context for the study. This is followed by a detailed description of the volcanic stratigraphy, deformation, geochemistry, hydrothermal alteration, and controls on mineralization in the Genex area. Appendixes contain petrographic descriptions (Appendix 1), drill logs (Appendix 2), geochemical data (Appendix 3), a table of previous work and history of the Genex mine area (Appendix 4), and a table of outcrop, waypoint, and drill hole UTM locations (Appendix 5). A 1:2500 scale geological map of the Genex mine area (Figure 56) accompanies this report (*see* back pocket).

Miscellaneous Release—Data 144 complements this report and contains colour versions of Figures 10, 11 and 12, ArcMap® files for Figure 56 (back pocket figure in OFR 6156), petrographic descriptions, and photomicrographs (to accompany Appendix 1), drill core photographs and drill logs (to accompany Appendix 2), geochemical analyses (to accompany Appendix 3), and outcrop photographs.

REGIONAL GEOLOGY

The Abitibi Greenstone Belt

The Abitibi greenstone belt is the largest coherent greenstone belt in the world and is located in the eastern part of Ontario and extends into the western part of Quebec (Figure 4) (Wyman, Kerrich and Polat 2002; Dostal and Mueller 1997). The belt is unique in that it contains a high proportion of volcanic rocks representing multiple crystallization ages, minor associated sedimentary rocks and numerous granitic intrusions (Ayer et al. 2002; Chown, Harrap and Moukhsil 2002).

The western part of the Abitibi greenstone belt experienced semi-continuous volcanism from 2750 to 2697 Ma with a broad range of lava compositions ranging from komatiite and tholeiitic basalt to calc-alkaline mafic and felsic (Ayer et al. 2002). The belt experienced regional-scale deformation since 2725 Ma (Ayer et al. 2002). Numerous granitic plutons and batholiths are present throughout the Abitibi and correspond in age to the volcanic events (Ayer et al. 2002; Chown, Harrap and Moukhsil 2002).

The belt is interpreted to have formed over a low-angle, north-dipping Archean subduction zone as a broad oceanic arc, which was then enhanced and modified by mantle plume processes (Ayer et al. 2002; Wyman, Kerrich and Polat 2002; Dostal and Mueller 1997). The interaction of a mantle plume with the oceanic arc is important in understanding the tectonic history of the Abitibi greenstone belt. Geochronological analyses of komatiite flows in the western Abitibi indicates that the mantle plume was active for about 20 million years (Wyman, Kerrich and Polat 2002). During that time, the plume generated both extensive komatiite and tholeiitic basalt flows (Dostal and Mueller 1997). The komatiites are interpreted to be derived from the hotter axial parts of the plume, whereas the tholeiitic basalt flows are derived from the cooler plume head and also from the entrained material in the upwelling plume (Dostal and Mueller 1997). The presence of interstratified komatiitic and basaltic flows throughout the Abitibi is interpreted to be the result of pulsing on the plume during the 20 million years that it was active (Dostal and Mueller 1997). The komatiitic flows are interpreted to result from times when the plume was tapping a deeper mantle source. As the plume rose through the mantle, it began to tap sources higher in the mantle, resulting in production of tholeiitic basalt flows. The plume would then proceed to "pulse" and a deeper mantle source was again tapped (Dostal and Mueller 1997). As the mantle plume cut up through the volcanic arc complex early in the history of the evolution of the Abitibi, it is interpreted to have either initiated or enhanced rifting within the belt (Dostal and Mueller 1997).

Historically, the Ontario portion of the Abitibi greenstone belt (southern portion of the Abitibi) was subdivided into 55 fault-bounded supracrustal lithotectonic assemblages (e.g., Jackson and Fyon 1991). However, recent field work and geochronological analyses by Ayer et al. (2002) has simplified these 55 assemblages into 9 supracrustal assemblages, on the basis of similar geochronological ages (Figure 5). These 9 assemblages can be looked upon as stratigraphic groups instead of fault-bounded slices as previously considered. The Kamiskotia volcanic complex is located within the Tisdale assemblage in the far western edge of the southern Abitibi greenstone belt (*see* Figure 5).

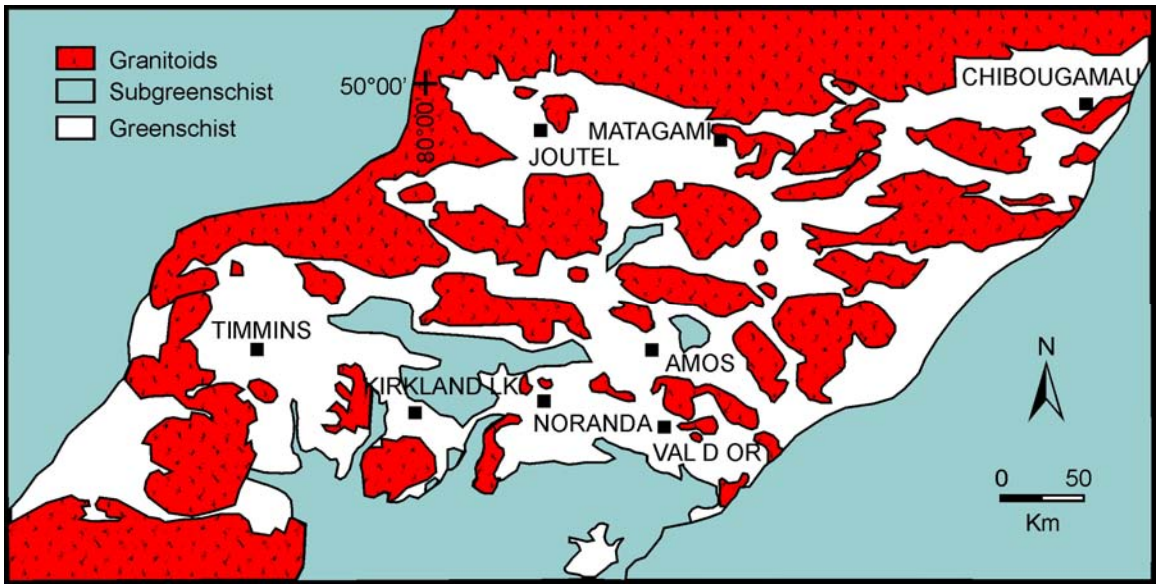

Figure 4. Generalized map of the Abitibi greenstone belt (*modified from* Hannington and Kjarsgaard 2001).

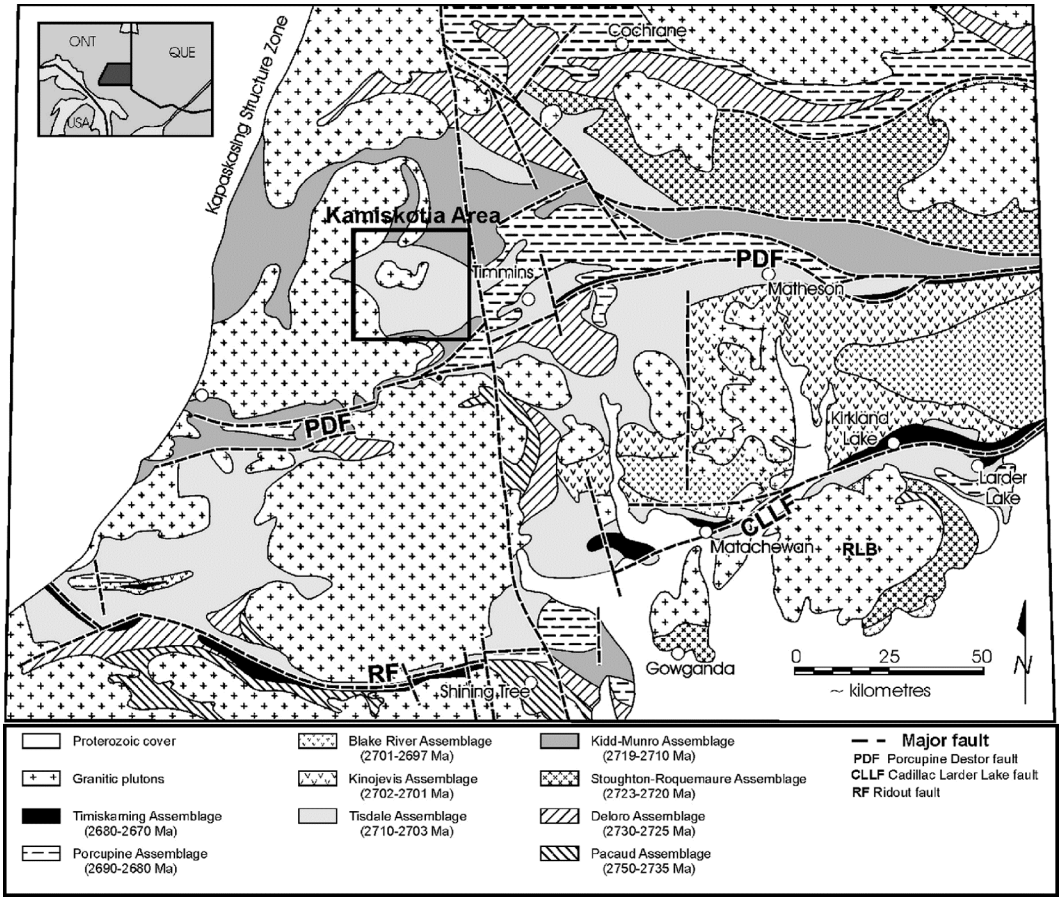

Figure 5. Distribution of supracrustal groups in the southern Abitibi greenstone belt (*modified from* Ayer et al. 2002). The Kamiskotia gabbroic complex is located in the Tisdale assemblage.

The Kamiskotia Volcanic Complex

The Kamiskotia volcanic complex lies within the westernmost extension of the Archean Abitibi greenstone belt (*see* Figure 5) and covers all of Whitesides, Carscallen, Massey, Turnbull, Cote and Robb townships and parts of Enid, Fortune, Bristol, Jamieson, Frey and Godfrey townships in the district of Cochrane, near Timmins, Ontario (Barrie 1992). A volcanic complex is defined as a site "of persistent volcanic activity commonly . . . characterized by a diverse assemblage of extrusive volcanic rocks, related intrusions, and their weathering products" (North American Commission on Stratigraphic Nomenclature 1983). The Kamiskotia complex is a bimodal succession of felsic and mafic volcanic rocks originally interpreted to span the ages of the Tisdale (2710–2703 Ma) and Kidd–Munro (2719–2711 Ma) assemblages (Ayer et al. 2002) (Figures 5 and 6). Recent work by Hathway, Hudak and Hamilton (2005) has shown that the Genex rocks (2698.6±1.3 Ma), as well as a portion of the Kamiskotia complex, are similar in age to the Blake River assemblage (2699 Ma). There are also minor associated sedimentary rocks, and several large, multi-phase (gabbroic to granitic) intrusions (Barrie 1992; Legault 1985).

The region has been strongly deformed and altered, and hosts 4 volcanic-hosted massive sulphide deposits with production ranging in size from the Kam-Kotia deposit (6.0 million tonnes of ore: Binney and Barrie 1991) to the Genex deposit (242 tonnes of Cu concentrate: Binney and Barrie 1991). Five small gold deposits and 3 Ni-Cu occurrences are also present in the Kamiskotia area (*see* Figure 6; Barrie 1992). Regional mapping by Hathway, Hudak and Hamilton (2005) has indicated that at least part of the Kamiskotia volcanic complex may represent a caldera-type environment.

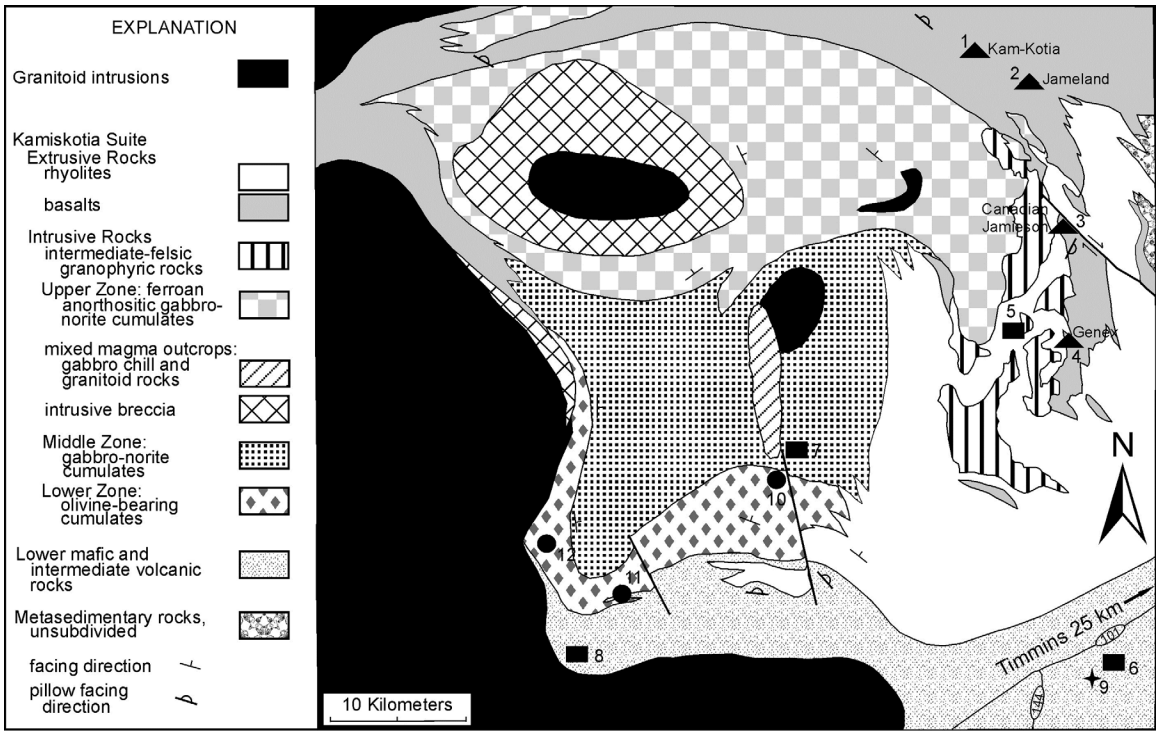

Figure 6. Regional geology of the Kamiskotia volcanic complex (*modified from* Barrie 1992). 1) Kam-Kotia Cu-Zn mine; 2) Jameland Cu-Zn mine; 3) Canadian Jamieson Cu-Zn mine; 4) Genex Cu-Zn mine; 5) Lally Gold Mine; 6) Holmer Gold Mine; 7) De Santis gold property; 8) Union Gold Mine; 9) Croxall REE and gold property; 10-12) Ni-Cu occurrences.

Stratigraphy in the Genex Area

INTRODUCTION

The stratigraphy in the Genex area is an approximately 2 km thick sequence that is north striking, east facing, and steeply dipping to slightly overturned (Figure 56, back pocket). Stratigraphic descriptions have been determined through outcrop mapping and diamond drill core logging (Figure 7 illustrates a stratigraphic column through the Genex stratigraphy). In general, the base of the Genex stratigraphy (footwall) comprises a thick (approximately 590 m) felsic unit, which ranges from felsic-tuff breccias to lapilli-tuffs, and tuffs with minor flows and flow breccias. This unit is cut by numerous dikes and sills of mafic and intermediate compositions. Overlying the felsic unit is a massive basalt flow approximately 130 m thick, which then becomes a 200 m thick pillowed sequence. The bulk of the Genex mineralization is hosted within an 8 m thick pillow breccia overlying the pillowed flow. Mineralization is also contained within a fault-bounded felsic unit comprised of felsic-tuff, lapilli-tuff, and flows. Dikes of intermediate intrusion are present along the faults in the immediate footwall of the deposit. Two 20 m thick mafic sills define the immediate hanging wall of the deposit. The uppermost mafic sill cuts a 52 m thick massive mafic flow, which is then overlain by a 35 m thick lens of felsic-tuff and lapilli-tuff. The lapilli-tuff is overlain by a 70 m thick massive mafic flow, which grades to a 360 m thick pillowed flow. Immediately overlying the pillowed flow unit is a thick (at least 370 m) volcaniclastic and epiclastic unit composed of numerous depositional sequences that grade from heterolithic tuff-breccia and lapilli-tuff to tuff to mudstone or graphitic argillite. The volcaniclastic and epiclastic unit is cut by a few mafic and felsic flows. The entire Genex stratigraphy is cut by 4 late diabase dikes.

FELSIC METAVOLCANIC ROCKS

Felsic metavolcanic rocks are prevalent in the area surrounding the Genex deposit and range from felsic-tuffs to felsic breccias, to felsic flows and flow breccias. All felsic units are east facing, with sharp contacts, and can be subdivided into 3 major stratigraphic units: the laterally extensive footwall felsic unit (unit 1), the fault-bounded felsic units in the immediate footwall (unit 2), and the felsic lens in the hanging wall of the deposit (unit 3) (units 1 and 3 are shown in Figure 7; unit 2 is not present along the section line). Small felsic flows have also been observed in drill core cutting the volcaniclastic strata to the east of the Genex area. Felsic volcaniclastic rocks are described using Fisher's 1966 non-genetic classification. Representative photomicrographs, as well as selected petrographic descriptions, can be found in Appendix 1 (Photo 49).

Felsic-tuffs, lapilli-tuffs, and tuff-breccias are found throughout the Genex area. Tuff-breccias are more common at the base of the mine stratigraphy, in the footwall of the deposit (unit 1) whereas lapilli-tuffs and tuffs occur in both the footwall and hanging wall of the deposit (units 1, 2, and 3). Tuff-breccias contain felsic blocks up to 2 m in size, in an ash-sized matrix and locally exhibit broken and contorted flow banding, locally contain flow-banded fragments, and are *in situ* brecciated. Block size decreases up section. Lapilli-tuffs are commonly normally graded, and grade to tuff with bed thickness ranging from 0.5 to about 10 m (Figure 8). Lapilli are mostly felsic in composition (Photo 1), although accidental mafic fragments have been observed in drill core. Petrographically, lapilli compositions include altered pumice, cherty felsic lithic fragments, chloritized mafic lithic fragments, altered volcanic glass, and felsic lithic fragments of the same composition as the matrix with a large range of sizes and morphology for

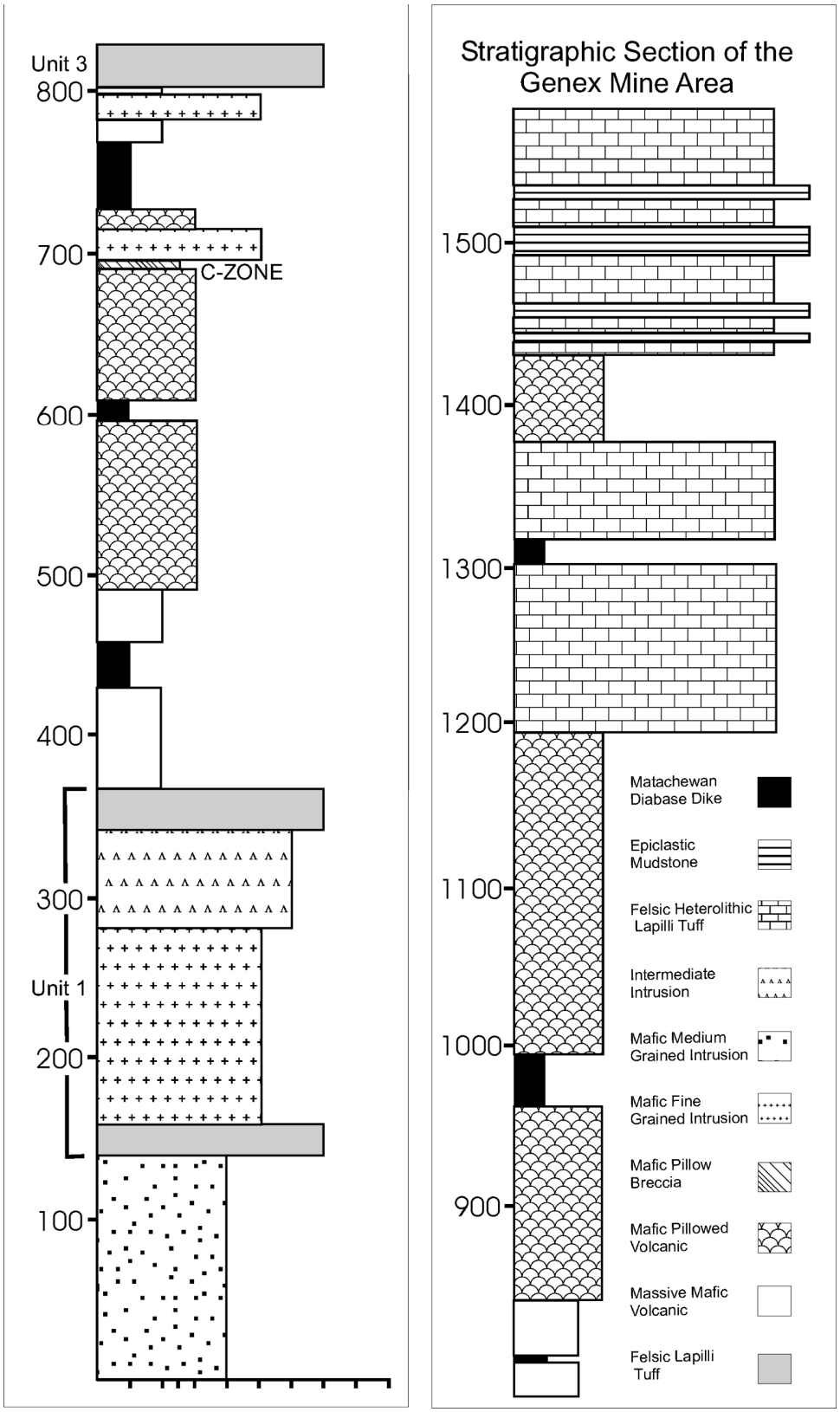

Figure 7. Stratigraphic section through the Genex mine area stratigraphy (*see* Figure 56, back pocket, for location of section).

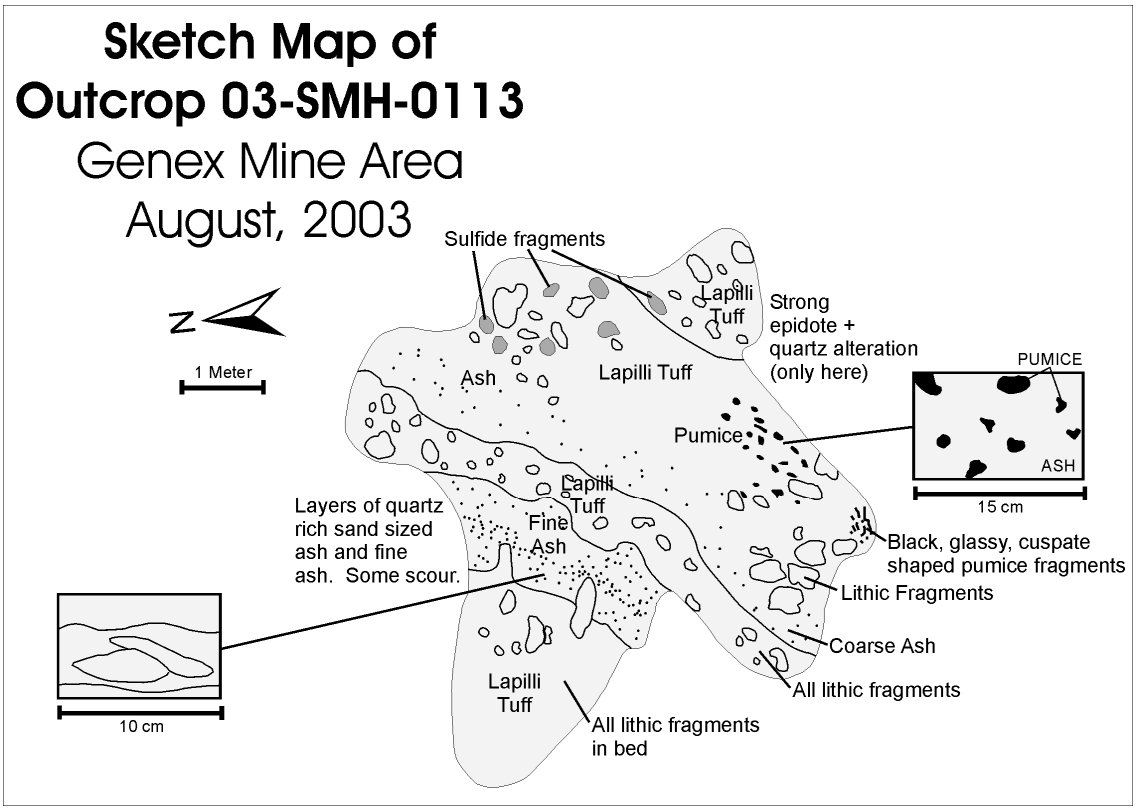

Figure 8. Sketch map of graded felsic lapilli and ash-tuff from unit 3 (outcrop 03-SMH-0113).

each fragment type. No chilled margins have observed on any fragments. Bedding is commonly contorted and broken, but grading and cross-bedding are present in both outcrop and in drill core (Photo 2). Bedding is generally at a scale too large to be visible in thin section, but one sample (03-SMH-0110-1) displays normally graded, ash-sized material in beds about 12 mm thick. In thin section, spherulites are visible in the matrices of some lapilli-tuff units (up to 5%), and are generally small (few millimetres). Large (tens of millimetres) quartz phenocrysts are present in all felsic lithologies (up to 15%), and are highly microfractured and locally broken. The ash-sized matrix of lapilli-tuffs and tuffs is heavily silicified and sericitized, and is locally carbonitized.

The overall lack of internal bedding, and large thickness of the felsic breccias, especially at the base of the Genex stratigraphy (unit 1), suggests that the breccias may be the result of a large collapse event (i.e., caldera collapse: Troll, Emeleus and Donaldson (2000)). In the north-trending lens of felsic ash and lapilli-tuff in the hanging wall of the deposit (unit 3), an *in situ* brecciated zone crosscuts stratigraphy perpendicular to strike. This zone is believed to represent fluid interaction along either a fault or shear zone cutting stratigraphy at a high angle (Photo 3).

Felsic flows and flow breccias are present in both the footwall (units 1 and 2) and hanging wall of the Genex deposit (cutting volcaniclastic rocks), and are much less common than felsic fragmental rocks. Phenocryst content varies within the different flows and flow breccias. Quartz phenocryst content ranges from a trace to 30%, whereas feldspar phenocryst content ranges from a trace to 10%. Flows are locally fragmental with 5–7% pumice and 5–7% felsic lithic fragments in a crystalline siliceous matrix. Flows are commonly flow banded (Photo 4) and spherulitic (Photo 5). In thin section, felsic flows look very similar to felsic-tuffs except that the siliceous matrix appears crystalline. In drill core, minor felsic hyaloclastite (Photo 6) is present where the flow is in contact with the mafic intrusion (units 1 and 2). Flow breccias commonly contain flow banded fragments, and locally have flow banding in the matrix. In

general, the fragments are angular, indicating little transport. On the far southern side of outcrop 03-SMH-0034 (unit 2), a lobe and breccia facies flow is present. Although the outcrop of the lobe and breccia facies is very small and poorly exposed, the lobes are greater than 0.25 m, and are surrounded by felsic breccia and hyaloclastite.

Although no coherent domes have been identified in outcrop or in drill core, the textures of the fragments in the flow breccias indicate a proximal environment (Gibson, Morton and Hudak 1999) in that the fragments are flow banded, all similar in composition, and have experienced little transport (angular). It can be inferred that the flow breccias in outcrops 03-SMH-0112 and 03-SMH-0109 are dome proximal as is outcrop 03-SMH-0034 (in units 1 and 2).

Photo 1. Felsic lapilli- and block-tuff (outcrop 03-SMH-0130).

Photo 2. Bedded felsic-tuff (outcrop 03-SMH-0103).

Photo 3. *In situ* brecciated felsic-tuff (outcrop 03-SMH-0122).

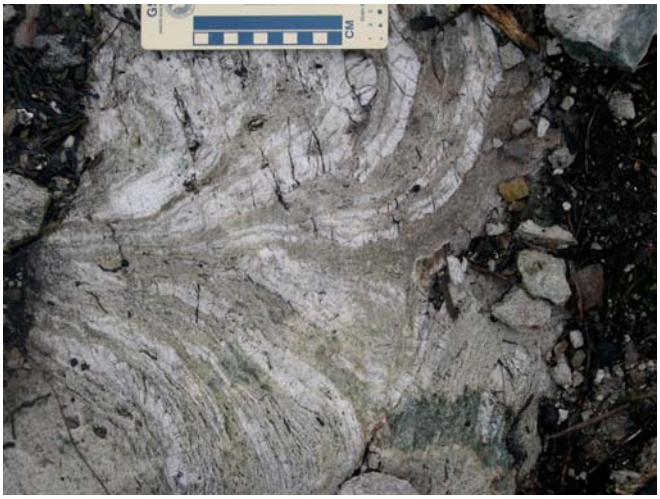

Photo 4. Flow banded felsic flow breccia (outcrop 03-SMH-0109).

Photo 5. Spherulites in felsic flow from Falconbridge drill hole G22-12 (04-SMH-0005).

Photo 6. Felsic hyaloclastite from Falconbridge drill hole G32-25 (04-SMH-0001).

MAFIC METAVOLCANIC ROCKS

Mafic metavolcanic rocks consist of pillowed and massive flows as well as minor mafic-tuffs, which are present throughout the Genex area. Within the pillowed units, there is great variability in pillow size, pillow hyaloclastite thickness, amygdule percentage and degree of alteration. Pillowed flows in the footwall of the deposit range in size from small (25 cm) well-defined pillows (Photo 7) to large (248 cm) irregularly shaped pillow lobes (Photo 8). Pillow hyaloclastite thickness ranges from 2 to 18 cm and is generally well defined with perlitic, cuspate glass shards, and altered glass. Amygdules in footwall pillows are quartz, chlorite, and carbonate filled, range from a trace to 50%, and are 1–40 mm in size (Photo 9). Mafic flows are massive, fine to medium grained, and locally diabasic. The mineralogy of most samples is now represented by chlorite, epidote, sericite, quartz, and ankerite. However, in a few samples, primary plagioclase (up to 60% in diabasic samples) and pyroxene (up to 5%) are preserved. Up to 10% very small spherulites, visible in thin section, are present in some samples. Budding and concentric cooling cracks are common (Photos 10 and 11). Overall, the footwall pillows are blue green on a fresh surface and light brown on a weathered surface. Representative photomicrographs, as well as selected petrographic descriptions, can be found in Appendix 1 (Photo 50).

Hanging-wall pillowed flows show a lesser degree of variability than their footwall counterparts. Pillows range in size from 24 to 200 cm and are generally irregularly shaped. Pillow hyaloclastite thickness ranges from 1.5 to 7 cm, and is generally marked by an abundance (up to 90%) of spherulites (Photo 12), giving the selvages a bleached appearance. Amygdules in hanging-wall pillows are mainly carbonate filled with minor quartz, constitute 1–55% of the pillows, and range in size from 1–10 mm. Budding and concentric cooling cracks are not common. Overall, the hanging-wall pillows are reddish green on a fresh surface and tan on a weathered surface.

Mapping of two pillowed outcrops (1:100 scale) in the immediate footwall of the deposit, near the C-zone, indicates that the flow mantles the paleotopography of the seafloor, and that it moved down a relatively steep slope (similar features have been observed by Dimroth et al. (1978); Eddy et al. (1998) and Walker (1992)). According to Walker (1992), the overall pillow morphology and size in a flow, as well as the occurrence of pipe vesicles are useful indicators of the presence of a paleo-slope (Figure 9). Mafic flows erupted onto a horizontal surface (less than 4°), are dominated by small and closely packed pillows, which lack strong evidence of unidirectional flow, and quite commonly contain well-defined pipe

vesicles (Walker 1992). In contrast, mafic flows erupted onto a steep slope (15 to 40°) tend to be dominated by hyaloclastite breccia, with associated highly elongate tubular pillows, which display strong evidence for unidirectional flow and rarely contain pipe vesicles (Walker 1992). There is a continuum between these two end members for flows erupted onto a moderate slope (Walker 1992).

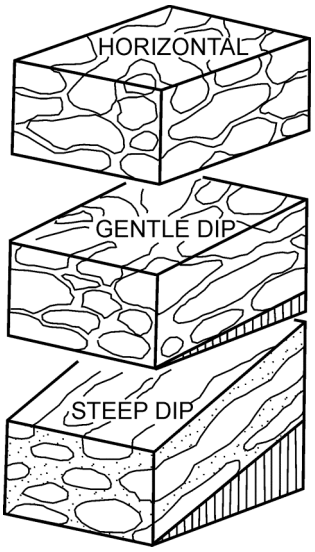

Figure 9. Schematic block diagram of pillow morphology and size as a function of slope (*adapted from* Walker 1992).

The morphology of pillowed flows in the footwall of the Genex deposit near the C-zone (Figures 10 and 11) indicates that the pillowed flows were erupted onto a moderately to steeply dipping slope with the crest of the slope near the C-zone (*see* Figure 56, back pocket). As shown in Figures 10 and 11, there is abundant evidence for the interpretation, from north to south (along strike), for an east-trending flow direction with the smaller bun-shaped pillows giving way to larger pillow tubes and amoeboid-shaped pillows and finally to hyaloclastite breccia (Photo 13). Although vesicles and amygdules are prevalent throughout the flow (concentrated in the margin at the base of the pillow), no pipe vesicles have been recognized. The transition from pillowed flow to hyaloclastite breccia indicates an increase of slope which became too great for the formation of pillows. The flow instead moved rapidly downslope and was instantly quenched by the seawater, forming hyaloclastite (Cas and Wright 1988).

Massive mafic units can be subdivided into those which are conformable to stratigraphy and those which are disconformable to stratigraphy. All massive mafic units are fine grained and contain 1 to 15% quartz- and carbonate-filled amygdules. Conformable massive mafic units are found stratigraphically below pillowed flows. Although the contacts between the conformable massive mafic units and the overlying pillowed flows are poorly exposed in outcrop, drill core logging has revealed the contacts to be gradational, indicating that the conformable massive mafic units are basal flow units (Dimroth et al. 1978). Disconformable massive mafic units are in close proximity to the east-trending faults in the Genex area. These units represent feeders for the mafic flows in the area, and utilized the faults as conduits (similar features have been described by Binney and Barrie (1991) and Stix et al. (2003)).

Small pillow-breccia units are also found associated with the pillowed flows, generally at the top of a pillowed flow. Flow breccias are similar in composition to the flows, but also contain

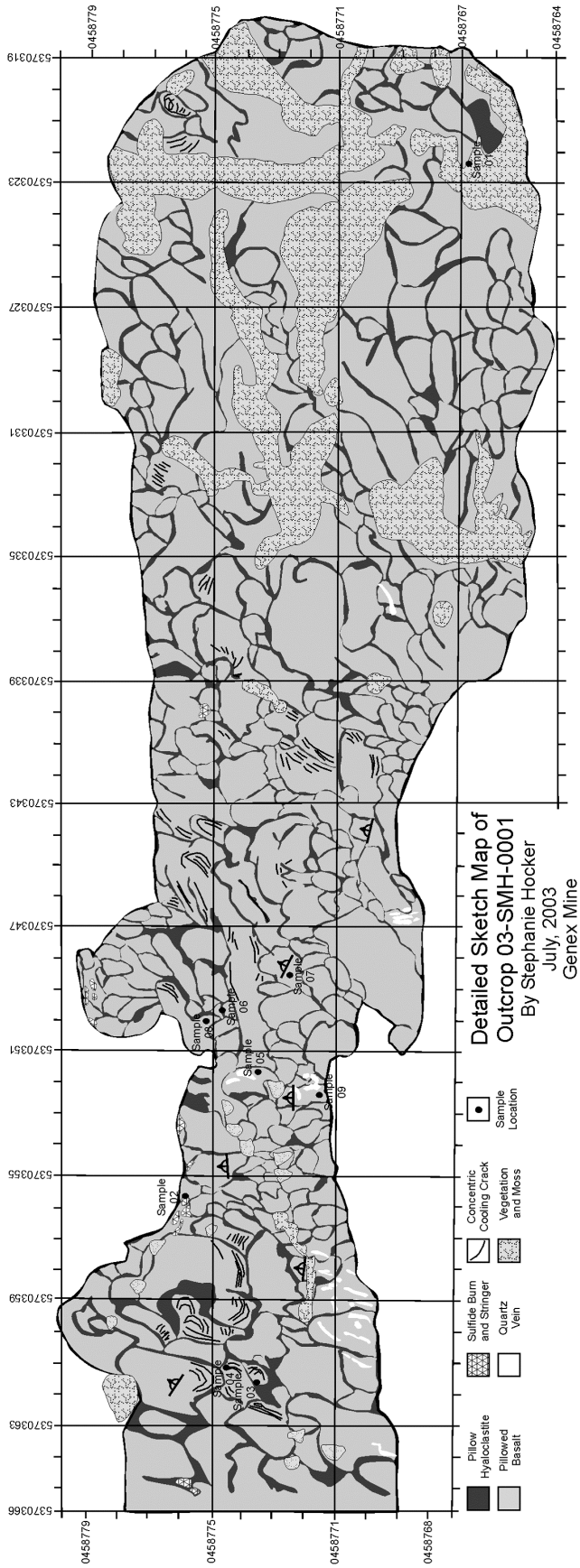

Figure 10. 1:100 scale map of pillowed basalts (outcrop 03-SMH-0001). Colour version of Figure 10 can be found on MRD 144.

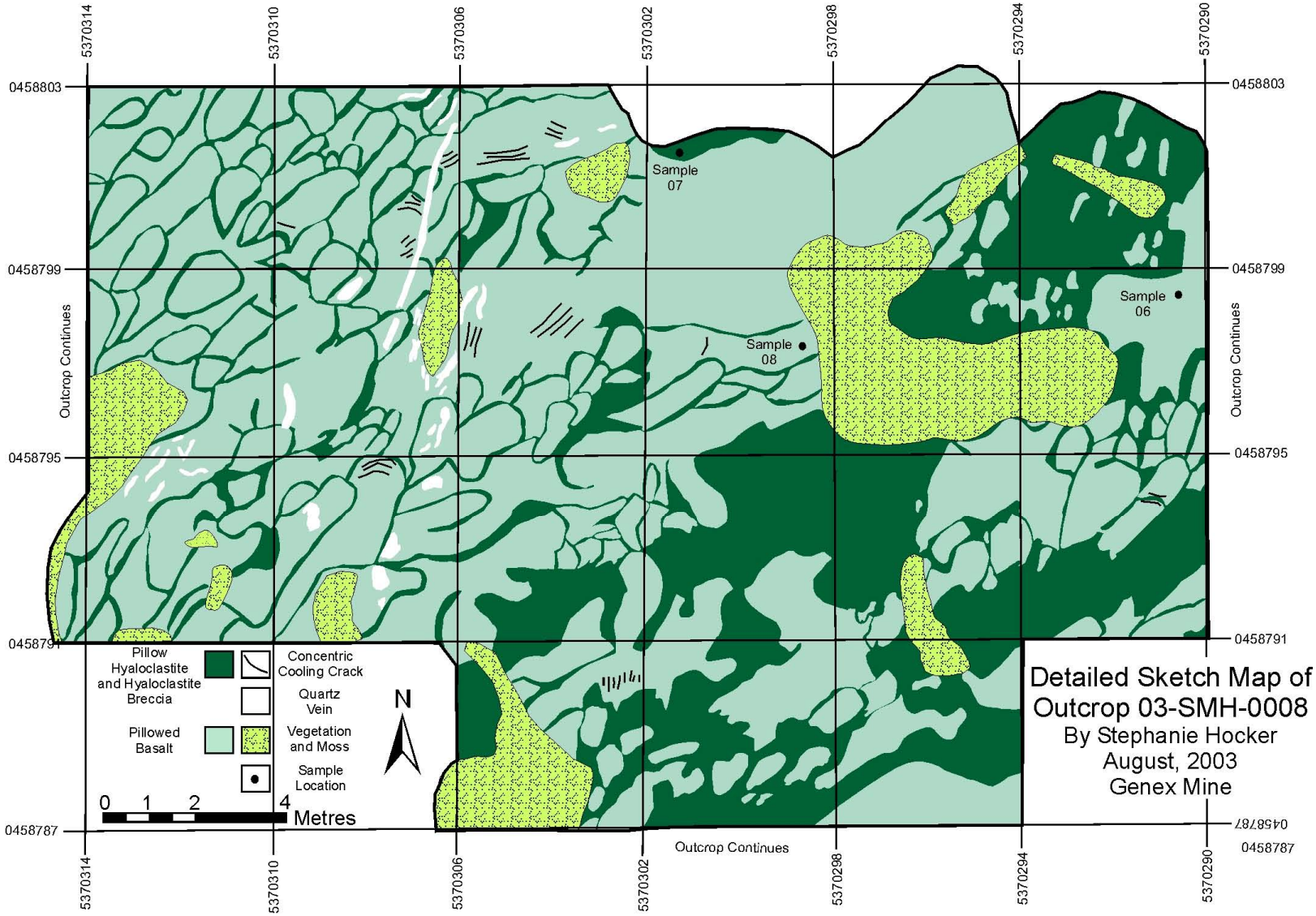

Figure 11. 1:100 scale map of pillowed basalts and hyaloclastite breccia (outcrop 03-SMH-0008). Outcrop is 7 m east, along strike, from outcrop 03-SMH-0001 (*see* Figure 10). Colour version of Figure 11 can be found on MRD 144.

highly silicified, amygdaloidal mafic fragments (up to 5%), 1–15 mm in size in a fine-grained matrix (Photo 14). The matrix contains 1–10% quartz-filled amygdules. Previously, some of the pillow breccias have been mistaken for felsic breccias. However, the presence of amygdaloidal fragments, amygdules in the matrix, and an absence of quartz phenocrysts all indicate that these breccias are mafic. In the Genex deposit, the C-zone is hosted within the matrix of one such pillow breccia.

Mafic-tuffs, although rare, are found in proximity to pillowed and massive flows, and range from fine-grained tuffs to lapilli-tuffs. Bedding and cross-bedding are present in the fine-grained tuffs (Photo 15). Lapilli are mafic in composition, and are commonly silicified. Juvenile fragments are also present.

Photo 7. Well-defined pillows (outcrop 03-SMH-0057).

Photo 8. Pillow lobe, in footwall (outcrop 03-SMH-0017).

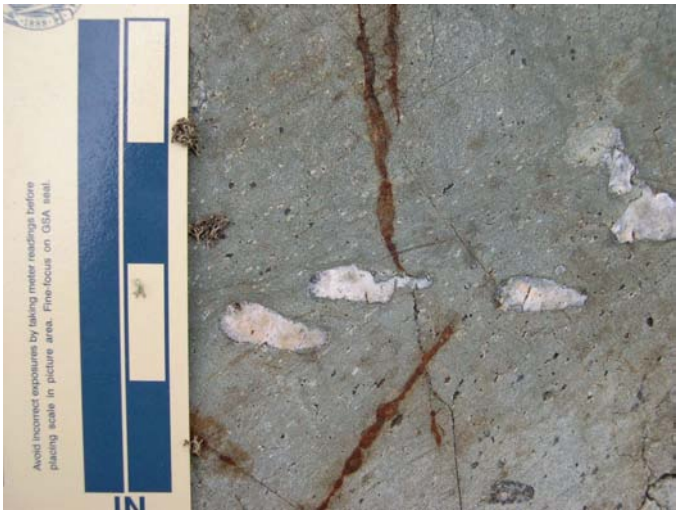

Photo 9. Quartz amygdules in pillowed flow (outcrop 03-SMH-0001).

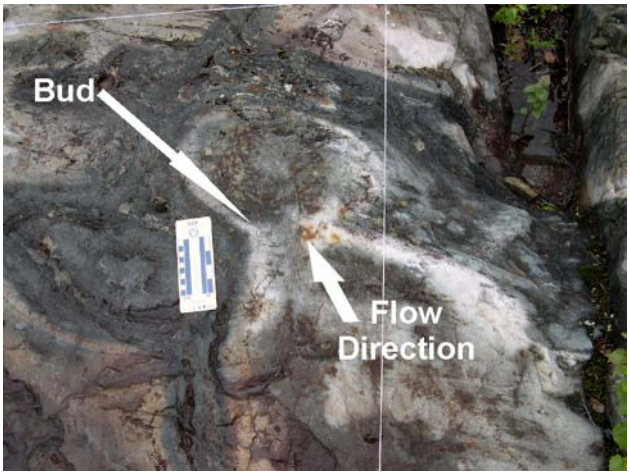

Photo 10. Budding in pillowed flow, with interpreted flow direction (outcrop 03-SMH-0001).

Photo 11. Concentric cooling cracks in pillowed flow (outcrop 03-SMH-0088). Cracks run left to right on photo, crosscut by veins.

Photo 12. Spherulitic margin and bleached selvage in hanging-wall pillows from Explorers Alliance drill hole 6G-04-2 (04-SMH-0085).

Photo 13. Irregular shaped pillows and hyaloclastite breccia, with interpreted flow direction (east side of Figure 11, outcrop 03-SMH-0008).

Photo 14. Pillow breccia with silicified fragments and sulphides in matrix (outcrop 03-SMH-0003).

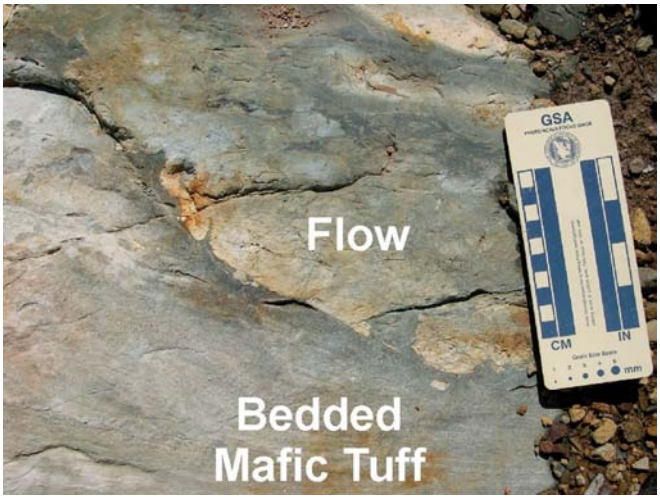

Photo 15. Bedded mafic-tuff overlain by pillowed flow (outcrop 03-SMH-0057).

MAFIC INTRUSIVE ROCKS

Mafic intrusive rocks can be subdivided into those which are dominantly fine grained and those which are dominantly medium grained. The fine-grained mafic intrusive rocks can be subdivided into the upper and lower intrusions. The upper fine-grained intrusions are 2 north-trending sills located in the immediate hanging wall of the Genex deposit, whereas the lower fine-grained intrusions are 2 north-trending sills in the footwall of the deposit with numerous small apophyses stemming from the main body. Toward the northern portion of the field area, the 2 lower fine-grained sills coalesce into a single sill. The medium-grained mafic intrusive rocks occur in the far eastern portion of the field area, and cut the fine-grained sills. The mafic intrusions are fine to coarse grained, and gabbroic to quartz gabbroic in composition. Most of the primary minerals have been altered to epidote, chlorite, quartz, ankerite, sericite, and in one sample, muscovite. However, in some samples, remnant primary minerals are observed including <1 mm clinopyroxene phenocrysts (5–40%), 1–3 mm quartz phenocrysts (up to 30%), and <1 mm plagioclase phenocrysts (up to 40%) (Photo 16). Small 1–3 mm spherulites are present in some samples (up to 5%), visible mainly in thin section. Up to 50% quartz- and carbonate-filled amygdules are present along the margins of the intrusions. The gabbro is dark grey to green grey when fresh and light brown to blue grey when weathered. Locally, the lower fine-grained intrusion has abundant fracture-controlled and stringer mineralization (Photo 17), whereas the upper intrusions are unmineralized. Photomicrographs, as well as selected petrographic descriptions, can be found in Appendix 1 (Photo 51).

The lower contact of the lower fine-grained intrusion is brecciated (visible only in drill core) with chilled and chloritized irregularly shaped fragments (Photo 18) and is locally pillowed. The upper contact is also irregular with numerous dikes stemming from the main intrusive body. These dikes are amoeboid (Photo 19) and are also locally peperitic (Photo 20) where they intruded the overlying unconsolidated felsic volcaniclastic rocks. Near the upper part of the fine-grained intrusions, felsic volcaniclastic rocks are incorporated in the intrusion. The presence of peperite, a pillowed base, irregular contacts, amoeboid dikes, and incorporation of felsic volcaniclastic rocks all indicates that the lower fine-grained intrusion is a high level synvolcanic sill (Gibson, Morton and Hudak 1999).

The contacts of the upper fine-grained intrusions are poorly exposed in outcrop. The lower contact of the upper intrusions is peperitic (visible in outcrop) with chilled and irregularly shaped intrusion fragments in felsic lapilli-tuff. The upper contact is irregular with numerous, amoeboid dikes stemming

from the main intrusive body. Although the upper intrusions are synvolcanic, they do not incorporate felsic material, which suggests that the upper intrusions are slightly later than the lower intrusion.

The synvolcanic nature of the mafic synvolcanic intrusions is best exemplified in outcrop 03-SMH-0112 (Figure 12) where the upper contact of the north-trending lower mafic intrusion with an overlying felsic flow breccia is exposed. Numerous amoeboid dikes of mafic synvolcanic intrusion cut across the outcrop and show various degrees of interaction with the felsic flow breccia. This is a phenomenon where successive pulses of the same intrusion interact less and less with the host rock, as the host becomes indurated and more consolidated during successive development of peperite (H.L. Gibson, unpublished data, 2004). This is likely the case in outcrop 03-SMH-0112. The earliest pulse of intrusion shows a high degree of interaction with the unconsolidated felsic flow breccia, in which a peperite is developed as the intrusion rapidly quenches and brecciates in contact with the felsic breccia. The next pulse surrounds the peperite, and instead of quenching against the felsic flow breccia, incorporates numerous xenoliths of felsic material. Subsequent pulses of intrusion cut through the felsic flow breccia with little to no interaction.

Photo 16. Coarse- to medium-grained intrusion from Falconbridge drill hole G32-26 (04-SMH-0023).

Photo 17. Mineralization in the lower mafic intrusion (outcrop 04-SMH-0052). Dark colouration is due to sulphide burn.

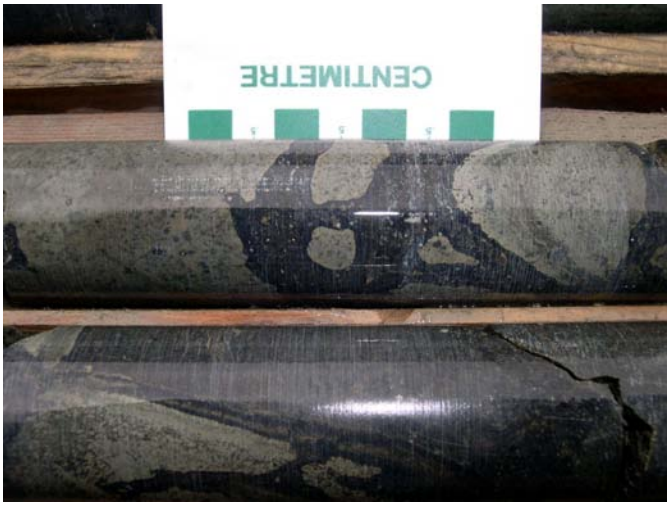

Photo 18. Brecciation at the base of the lower intrusion from Falconbridge drill hole G32-25 (04-SMH-0001).

Photo 19. Amoeboid dikes in unconsolidated felsic-tuff (outcrop 03-SMH-0112).

Photo 20. Peperite (outcrop 03-SMH-0112).

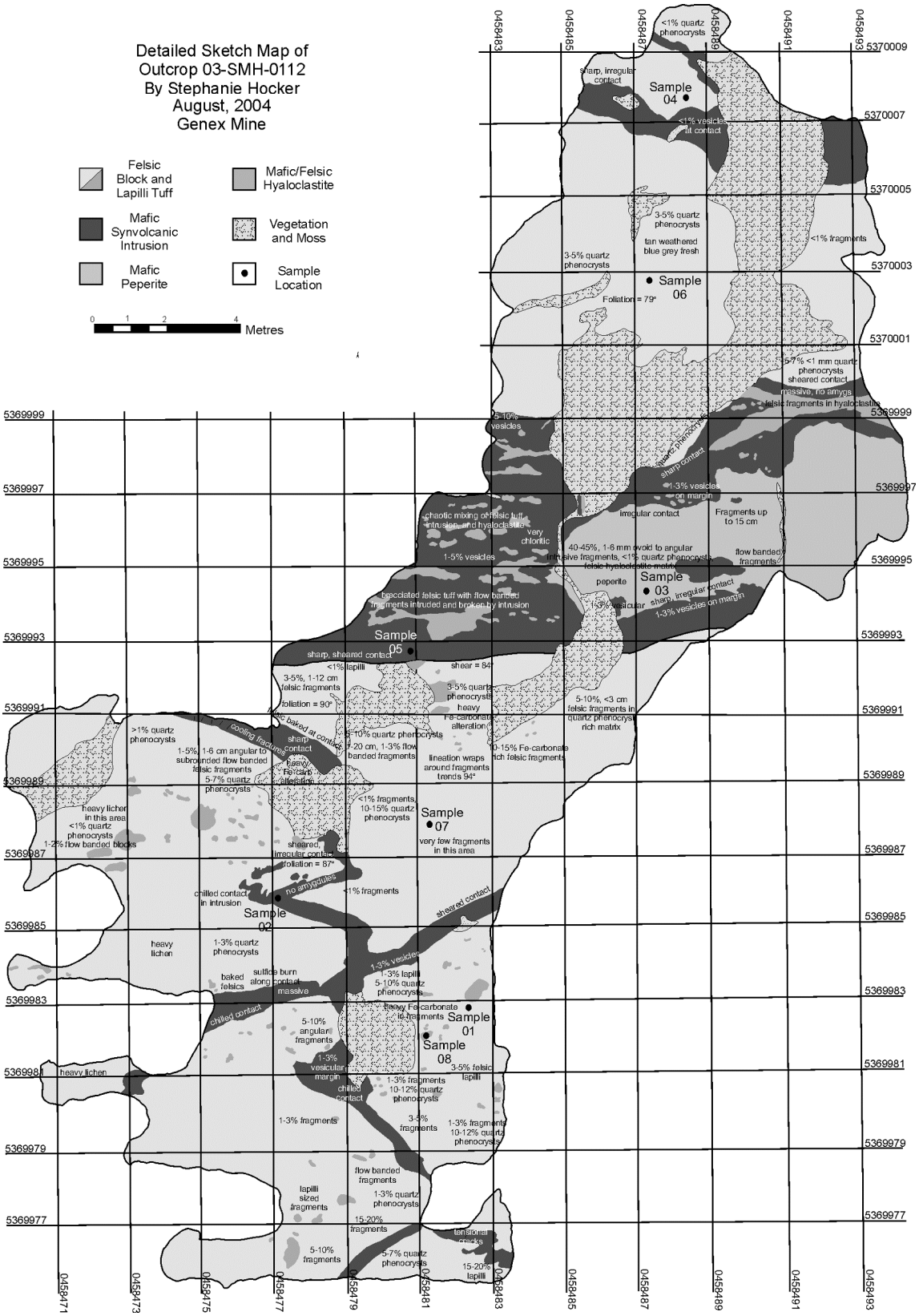

Figure 12. 1:50 scale map of contact between synvolcanic mafic intrusion and felsic flow breccia (outcrop 03-SMH-0112). Colour version of Figure 12 can be found on MRD 144.

INTERMEDIATE INTRUSIVE ROCKS

Intermediate intrusive rocks are manifested as a north-trending sill with numerous east-trending dikes stemming from the main intrusive body, parallel to faults in the Genex area. The intermediate intrusion is a fine- to coarse-grained rhyodacite to dacite. Most of the primary minerals have been altered to ankerite, chlorite, quartz, epidote and sericite. Primary minerals include 15–30%, <1 mm plagioclase phenocrysts, 10–30%, <1 mm quartz phenocrysts, and <1 mm orthopyroxene phenocrysts, up to 5%, all in a very fine-grained groundmass. Most samples contain up to 20%, 1–2 mm spherulites, indicating that the intrusion was glassy upon emplacement. Up to 40% quartz and carbonate amygdules are locally concentrated on the margins of the east-trending dikes. Polygonal joints are present in the thicker sections of the north-trending sill at the base of the Genex stratigraphy (Photo 21). The intrusion is dark to light grey on a fresh surface, and light tan on a weathered surface. The main sill may be composed of multiple intrusions, all utilizing the same conduit. The contacts between individual intrusions can be distinguished by the presence of *in situ* brecciated zones representing seawater interaction, which also suggests that the intrusion is high level (emplaced relatively close to the seafloor) and synvolcanic. The intermediate intrusion can be distinguished from the mafic intrusion by a smaller degree of epidotization, a higher degree of carbonitization, a greater abundance of quartz, and a greater abundance of spherulites. Photomicrographs, as well as selected petrographic descriptions, can be found in Appendix 1 (Photo 52).

The lower contact of the main north-trending sill is characterized by numerous apophyses which intrude the underlying volcanic rocks and the lower mafic intrusion. The upper contact of the north-trending sill, as well as the contacts of the east-trending dikes are characterized by a mixed zone up to 25 m wide in which the intrusion and the overlying rocks are chaotically mixed (Photo 22). However, blocks of felsic-tuff caught up in the intrusion are intact, suggesting that they were lithified prior to incorporation, and thus indicating that the intermediate intrusion is synvolcanic in its timing, but is slightly later than the mafic intrusion (Photo 23). In the immediate footwall of the Genex deposit, the east-trending dikes are shattered against the host rock (a felsic lapilli-tuff) with fragments of the intrusion in an altered glass matrix (Photo 24).

The numerous east-trending synvolcanic faults in the area do not cut the intrusion, but the intrusion does appear to be utilizing the faults as conduits as many of the dikes stemming from the main sill follow the faults (also described by Binney and Barrie 1991). The east-trending dikes commonly contain abundant sulphides higher up in the mine stratigraphy, while the lower parts of the intrusion are unmineralized.

The presence of a mixed zone, abundant spherulites and amygdules, and the utilization of the faults as conduits all indicate that the intrusion is a high level synvolcanic intrusion (Gibson, Morton and Hudak 1999). However, the intrusion is slightly later than the mafic intrusion as it is not cut by all the faults in the area, and cuts the mafic intrusion.

Photo 21. Polygonal joints and pyrite mineralization in the north-trending sill (outcrop 03-SMH-0102).

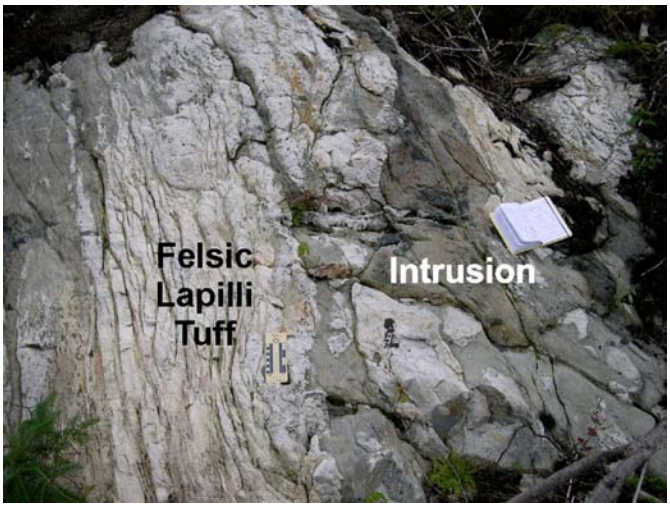

Photo 22. Mixed zone in upper contact of north-trending sill (outcrop 03-SMH-0125).

Photo 23. Coherent block of lapilli-tuff in upper contact of north-trending sill (outcrop 03-SMH-0102).

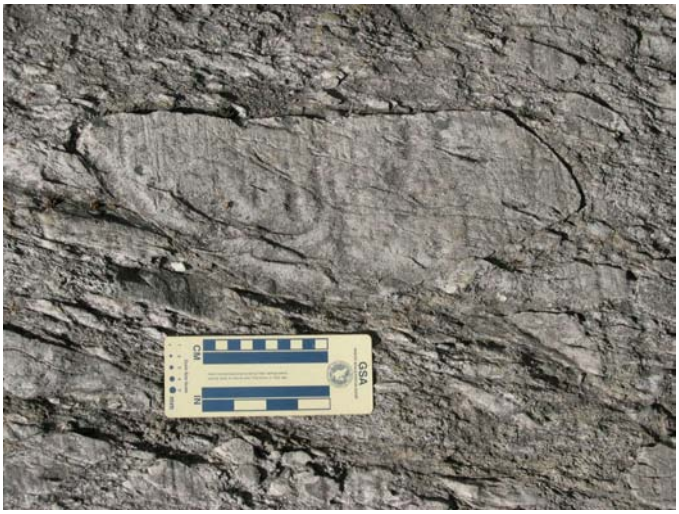

Photo 24. Shattered fragments of intermediate intrusion in a glassy matrix (outcrop 03-SMH-0034).

VOLCANICLASTIC AND EPICLASTIC ROCKS

Volcaniclastic and epiclastic rocks occur east of the Genex mine area, and are visible only in drill core. Volcaniclastic rocks are classified using Fisher's 1966 non-genetic classification scheme. The hundreds of metres thick sequence is composed of numerous metre-thick, normally graded sequences grading from felsic heterolithic tuff-breccia and lapilli-tuff (Photo 25) to locally bedded-tuff (Photo 26) to black, finely laminated, locally pyritic, epiclastic mudstone or graphitic argillite (Photo 27). Tuff-breccias and lapilli-tuffs are heterolithic and contain felsic fragments of numerous compositions, mafic lithic fragments, massive mudstone fragments, and highly mineralized mudstone fragments (Photo 28). The matrix is fine felsic ash. The heterolithic nature of the tuff-breccias suggests that the rock is not a primary deposit. Tuffs are fine felsic ash and are locally thinly bedded. The tuffs commonly contain a small mudstone component. Like the tuff-breccias and lapilli-tuffs, the tuffs are not primary and have been redeposited. Laminated (6 mm thick) mudstones or graphitic argillites are black with evidence of cross-bedding and soft-sediment deformation. The graphitic component of the mudstones, as well as the presence of cross-bedding and soft-sediment deformation suggest that the mudstones are epiclastic in origin. Throughout the volcaniclastic and epiclastic succession, there is abundant evidence of soft-sediment deformation, graded beds, bedding, and cross-bedding, all which suggest that the volcaniclastic rocks were deposited as a series of subaqueous debris flows. Felsic flows, mafic pillowed flows, and intrusions commonly disrupt the volcaniclastic sequences. Photomicrographs, as well as selected petrographic descriptions, can be found in Appendix 1 (Photo 53).

The presence of the volcaniclastic and epiclastic rocks suggests a period of quiescence in which volcanism was not as prominent, and was replaced by mass debris flows as the primary depositional mechanism. Mudstone beds reveal a hiatus in mass flow sedimentation that allowed relatively calm suspension deposition and pelagic background sedimentation (Mueller and Mortensen 2002). The few felsic flows and mafic flows which disrupt the volcaniclastic sequence indicate that bimodal volcanism was still occurring.

Photo 25. Heterolithic lapilli-tuff breccia from Falconbridge drill hole G32-10 (04-SMH-0024).

Photo 26. Bedded-tuff from Falconbridge drill hole G22-12 (04-SMH-0005).

Photo 27. Finely laminated mudstone from Falconbridge drill hole G22-11 (04-SMH-0015).

Photo 28. Mineralized mudstone fragment in lapilli-tuff from Falconbridge drill hole G22-12 (04-SMH-0005).

LATE DIABASE INTRUSIVE ROCKS (MATACHEWAN)

Based on their trend, presence of epidotized plagioclase glomerocrysts, and magnetic nature, the north-trending diabase dikes in the Genex area are part of the Proterozoic (2454±2 Ma: Heaman 1988) Matachewan dike swarm that covers the Kamiskotia and surrounding area. In the Genex area, the dikes are fine- to coarse-grained diabase, with an average modal mineralogy of 40–55%, 1–3 mm plagioclase phenocrysts, 5–7%, <1 mm quartz phenocrysts, and 20–60%, 1–5 mm clinopyroxene phenocrysts (Photo 29). Much of the plagioclase has been altered to epidote, zoisite, and sericite, whereas most of the pyroxene has been altered to chlorite, actinolite, and epidote. Disseminated pyrite (5–10%) is visible in thin section. The diabase dikes are all relatively fresh and unaltered, and weakly to strongly magnetic. A photomicrograph, as well as the petrographic description of the sample, can be found in Appendix 1 (Photo 54).

Photo 29. Matachewan diabase dike (outcrop 03-SMH-0059).

Deformation

FAULTS

Two types of faults have been recognized in the Genex area: synvolcanic faults and late faults. Four synvolcanic faults have been recognized, and can be distinguished by 3 key factors. The first line of evidence is that the synvolcanic intermediate intrusion utilizes these faults as conduits (*see* Figure 56, back pocket). Because the intrusion is synvolcanic in its timing, the structure along which the intrusion is emplaced must also be synvolcanic. The second line of evidence is the disconformable nature of the A- and H-zones of the Genex deposit (*see* "Controls on Mineralization"). Not only are both zones disconformable to stratigraphy, but they are parallel to a fault which served as a conduit for the hydrothermal mineralizing fluid. Since the Genex mineralization is synvolcanic, it follows that the synvolcanic structure must also be synvolcanic. The third line of evidence is that the faults do not extend far into the hanging wall of the deposit. The synvolcanic fault just south of Aconda Lake may have experienced later reactivation, as evidenced by the offset observed in the mafic and intermediate intrusions. This is a phenomenon common in caldera environments (Rytuba 1994) in which later, caldera-related deformation is focused along synvolcanic structures.

Five late faults have been recognized in the Genex area which predate the intrusion of the Proterozoic Matachewan dikes. The late faults are continuous across the field area, and offset all Archean lithologies (*see* Figure 56, back pocket). The offset observed along all 5 late faults in the Genex area represent faulting during continued subsidence. The latest fault identified in the Genex area is the east-trending Aconda Lake fault that passes through Aconda Lake, north of the Genex mine area, and postdates the intrusion of the Matachewan diabase dikes. The Aconda Lake fault is recognized by a large displacement of stratigraphy (regional-scale work by Hathway, Hudak and Hamilton (2005) has been unable to follow the Genex stratigraphy across the fault, presumably due to the large displacement) and displacement of the Proterozoic Matachewan dikes.

SHEAR ZONES

There are numerous east-trending shear zones in the Genex area, many of which are proximal to faults and synvolcanic structures. Mineralization along these shear zones (*see* "Controls on Mineralization") is synvolcanic, but is related to lower temperature hydrothermal fluids than the fluids responsible for the main zone of mineralization. However, the presence of mineralization in these shear zones indicates that they are related to the synvolcanic structures and not to later deformation.

Geochemistry

INTRODUCTION

For this project, 189 samples were submitted for whole rock geochemical analysis using ICP–MS and XRF techniques. Major rock types (felsic metavolcanic rocks, mafic metavolcanic rocks, synvolcanic mafic intrusive rocks, synvolcanic intermediate intrusive rocks) were defined based on field observations, petrographic descriptions, and geochemical trends. Complete geochemical analyses can be found in Appendix 3 (and on MRD 144). Qualitative accuracy and precision of geochemical data can be found in MacDonald, Piercey and Hamilton (2005).

Because the rocks in the Genex area have experienced hydrothermal alteration and metasomatism (*see* "Hydrothermal Alteration"), it cannot be assumed that the concentrations of each element analyzed represents the initial concentration of that element when the rock was emplaced or deposited (Franklin 1996; Hudak et al. 2003; Jenner 1996; Pearce 1996). Thus, we must consider element mobility to assess mass gains and losses in each rock type. Once element mobility has been taken into account, fractionation trends, major and trace element trends, and geodynamic environment can all be evaluated.

ELEMENT MOBILITY

Many of the major elements, as well as some trace elements, are mobile during hydrothermal alteration (Franklin 1996; Hudak et al. 2003; Pearce 1996), and a study of mobility should be undertaken prior to interpretation of geochemical data. Most high field strength elements (HFSE) and rare earth elements (REE) are generally immobile during hydrothermal alteration, and are highly useful for chemo-stratigraphic correlation, and for plotting discrimination diagrams. Table 2 displays the relative mobility of trace elements during hydrothermal alteration processes. However, an independent assessment of trace element mobility should still be undertaken to support the trends presented in Table 2.

Cann (1970) developed a method to screen elements that may have been mobile during hydrothermal alteration that has since been utilized by numerous researchers (i.e., Hudak et al. 2003; Pearce 1996). The approach examines the correlation coefficients of variation diagrams (X–Y plots of individual elements). A high correlation coefficient (approaching 1 or negative 1) indicates that both of the plotted elements are immobile. A low correlation coefficient (approaching 0) indicates that at least one of the plotted elements is mobile. For example, if a Zr–Hf variation diagram has a high correlation coefficient, than both Hf and Zr can be assumed immobile. If, however, a Zr–Y variation diagram has a low correlation coefficient, than Y must be a mobile element (since Zr is immobile).

Numerous variation diagrams of trace and major element data have been constructed for the felsic metavolcanic rocks and mafic metavolcanic rocks in the Genex area, as well as for the mafic intrusion and the intermediate intrusion (Table 3, Figures 13, 14, 15 and 16). The data set for the volcaniclastic and epiclastic rocks and the Matachewan diabase dikes is too small for this evaluation. Correlation coefficients were determined using the Igpet 2001 computer program (*see* Table 3). The Pearson's Product Moment Correlation Coefficient (r) ranges from 0 to 1, and is a measure of the linear association between the two variables (Hudak et al. 2003).

Table 2. Trace element classification and behaviour during alteration (*from* Jenner 1996). LFSE = low field strength elements; HFSE = high field strength elements; REE = rare earth elements; TE = transitional elements. Seawater (SWD) or Rock (RD) Dominated is related to water:rock ratio during alteration.

	Seawater (SWD) or Rock (RD) Dominated	**Comments**
LFSE		
K, Rb, Cs, U, Pb	Mobile SWD and RD	Assume mobile
Ba, Sr	Mobile SWD? and RD	Consider mobile
Th	Immobile RD? and SWD	Potentially mobile, generally immobile
HFSE		
Ti, Zr, Hf, Nb, Ta	Immobile RD and SWD	Immobile
P	Immobile RD? mobile SWD	Immobile to slightly mobile
Y	Immobile RD and SWD	Immobile
REE		
La, Ce, Nd, Sm	Immobile RD? mobile SWD	Generally immobile, but can be mobile
Eu	Slightly mobile to mobile RD and SWD	Unreliable for petrogenesis
Gd, Tb, Dy, Er, Yb, Lu	Immobile RD, slightly mobile SWD	Generally immobile, addition of carbonate can make mobile
TE		
Cr, Ni, Sc, V	Immobile RD and SWD	Ti-V ratio is useful

According to Table 3, Ti, Y, Ni, Sc and V should all be immobile during hydrothermal alteration. However, according to Table 4, these elements are mobile to moderately mobile. This inconsistency has been recognized in work done by Hudak et al. (2003) as well, and indicates that geochemical trends,

Table 3. Correlation coefficients for selected variation diagrams of Genex rocks. High r values indicate element immobility, whereas low r values indicate element mobility.

Plot	Felsic Volcanic Rocks	Mafic Volcanic Rocks	Mafic Intrusion	Intermediate Intrusion
	r	r	r	r
Zr–TiO_2	3.6	–0.31	0.56	0.33
Zr–Hf	1	0.99	0.99	0.92
Zr–Nb	0.95	0.92	0.90	0.93
Zr–Ta	0.96	0.85	0.58	0.66
Zr–P_2O_5	–0.34	0.31	0.74	0.67
Zr–Yr	0.23	0.11	0.40	0.38
Zr–Ga	–0.01	–0.07	0.63	0.42
Zr–Ce	0.18	0.42	0.31	0.22
Zr–La	0.17	0.43	0.29	0.21
Zr–Yb	0.56	0.31	0.54	0.43
Zr–Th	0.65	0.85	0.87	0.74
Zr–V	–0.45	–0.50	0.44	0.37
Zr–MgO	–0.32	0.11	–0.26	0.48
Zr–Na_2O	–0.35	–0.06	0.10	–0.28
Zr–K_2O	0.33	0.39	–0.04	0.31
Zr–Fe_2O_3	–0.51	–0.18	–0.26	0.17
Zr–SiO_2	0.32	0.15	0.66	–0.20
Zr–Rb	0.49	0.30	–0.16	0.21
Zr–CaO	–0.09	–0.24	–0.19	0.37
Zr–Al_2O_3	0.29	0.51	–0.51	0.63
Nb–Hf	0.96	0.94	0.90	0.73
Nb–Ta	0.94	0.9	0.89	0.89
Hf–Ta	0.94	0.91	0.84	0.59
Nb–Al_2O_3	0.22	0.41	–0.16	0.55
Hf–Al_2O_3	0.25	0.55	–0.3	0.61
Ta–Al_2O_3	0.12	0.50	–0.23	0.42
Zr–Ni	–0.39	–0.09	–0.36	0.39
Zr–Sc	–0.58	–0.39	–0.91	0.2
Zr–Cs	0.1	0.31	0.01	0.34
Zr–Gd	0.11	0.20	0.44	0.28
Nd–Zr	0.21	0.34	0.63	0.26
Zr–Sm	0.2	0.29	0.67	0.47

Table 4. Summary of element mobility trends in Genex rocks.

	Felsic Volcanic Rocks	Mafic Volcanics Rocks	Mafic Intrusion	Intermediate Intrusion
Immobile Elements (r > 0.60)	Zr, Hf, Nb, Ta, Th	Zr, Hf, Nb, Ta, Th	Zr, Hf, Nb, Ta, P_2O_5, Th, Sc, Nd, Sm, SiO_2	Zr, Hf, Nb, Ta, Th, P_2O_5
Moderately Mobile Elements (0.60 > r > 0.40)	Yb, Cr, V, Fe_2O_3, Rb, Sc	Ce, La, V, Al_2O_3	TiO_2, Y, Ga, Yb, V, Al_2O_3, Gd	Ga, Yb, MgO, Al_2O_3, Gd
Mobile Elements (r < 0.40)	TiO_2, P_2O_5, Y, Ga, Ce, La, MgO, Na_2O, K_2O, SiO_2, CaO, Al_2O_3, Ni, Cs, Gd, Nd, Sm	TiO_2,P_2O_5, Y, Ga, Yb, MgO, Na_2O, K_2O, Fe_2O_3, SiO_2, Rb, CaO, Ni, Sc, Cs, Gd, Sm, Nd	Ce, La, MgO, Na_2O, K_2O, Fe_2O_3, Rb, CaO, Cs, Ni	TiO_2, Ce, La, V, Na_2O, K_2O, Fe_2O_3, SiO_2, Rb, CaO, Sc, Cs, Nd, Y, Ni, Sm

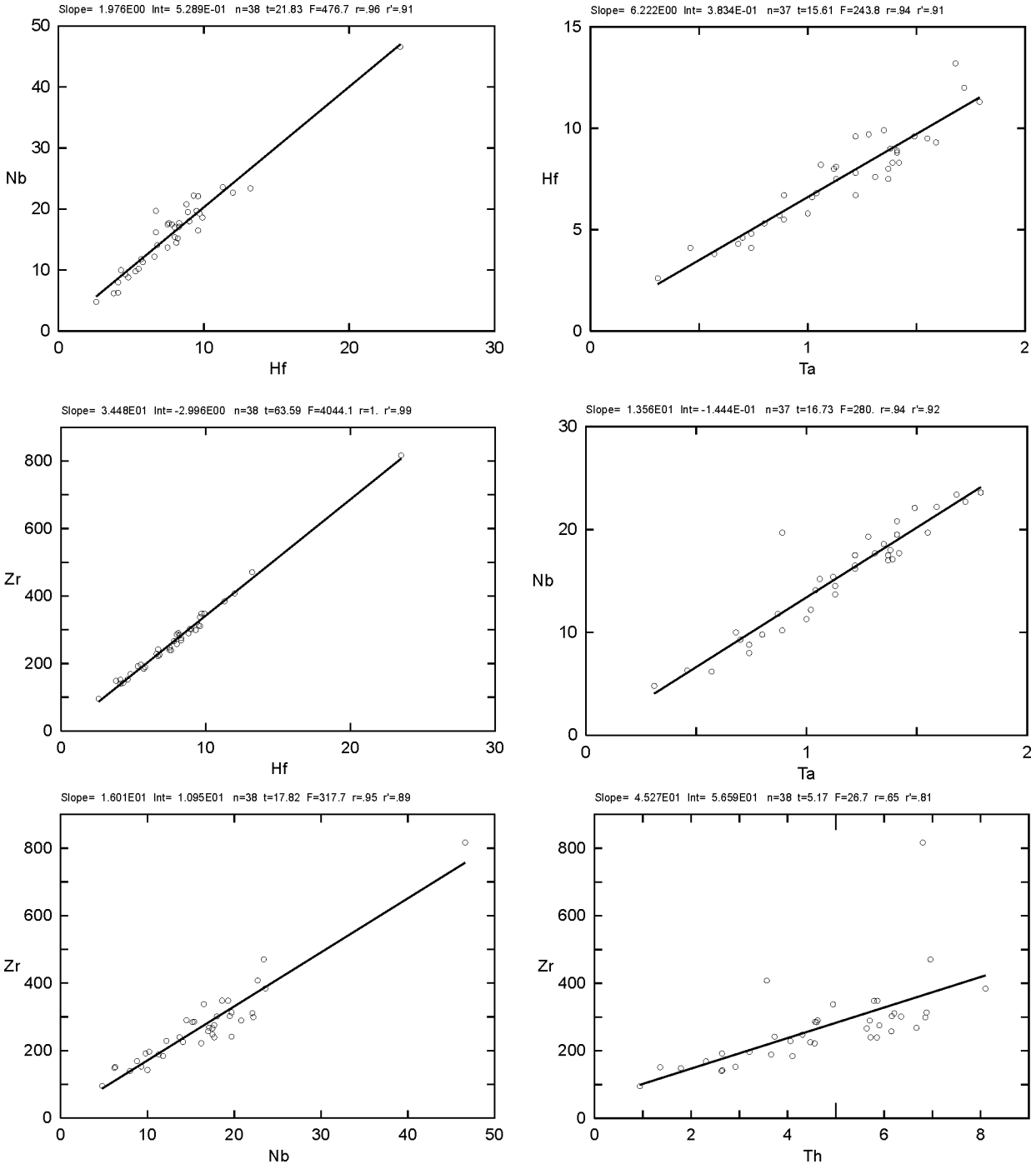

Figure 13. Selected variation diagrams of immobile elements in Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks.

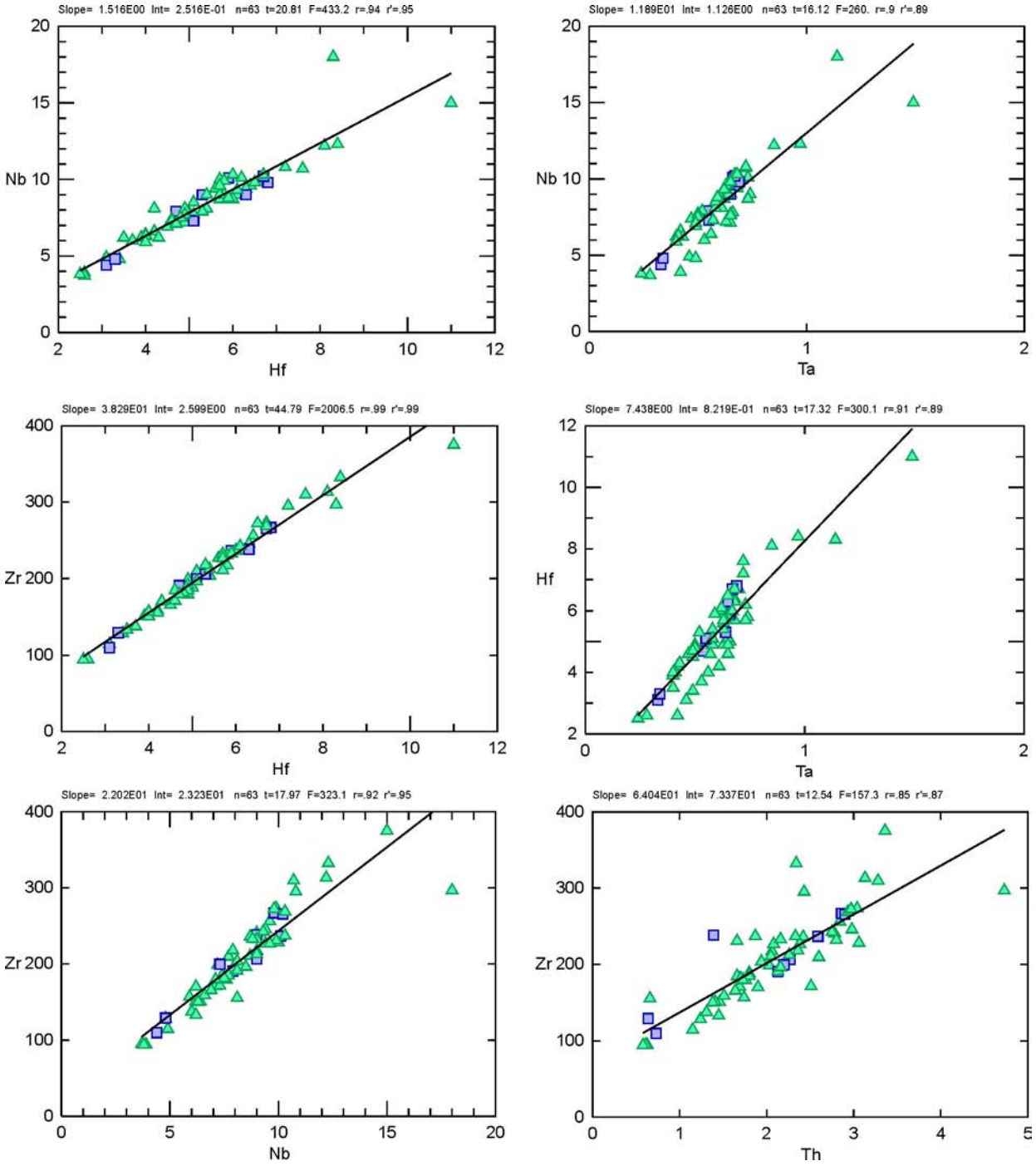

Figure 14. Selected variation diagrams of immobile elements in Genex mafic metavolcanic rocks. Triangles represent footwall samples, squares represent hanging-wall samples.

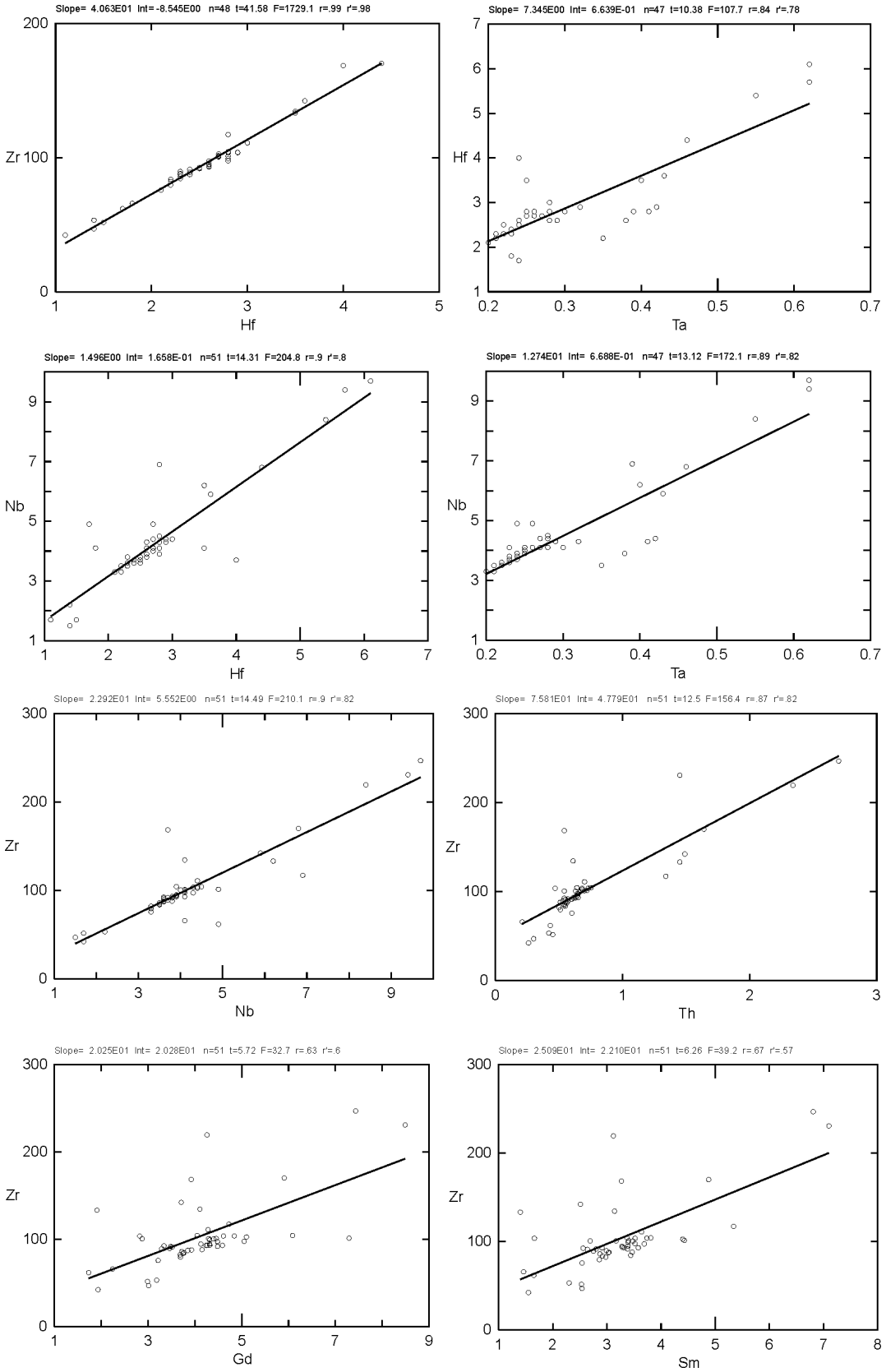

Figure 15. Selected variation diagrams of immobile elements in the Genex synvolcanic mafic intrusion.

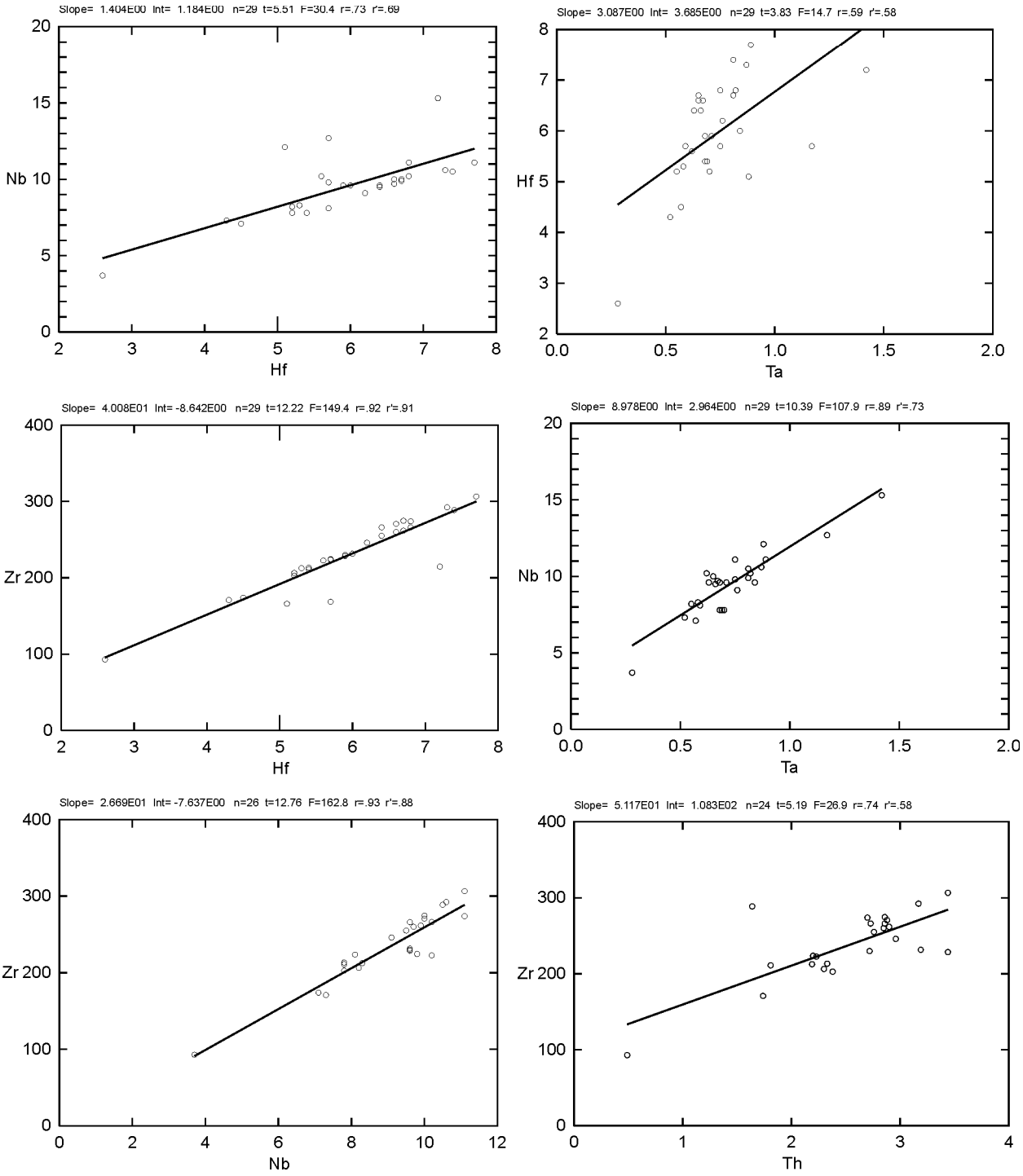

Figure 16. Selected variation diagrams of immobile elements in the Genex synvolcanic intermediate intrusion.

especially in areas that have experienced hydrothermal alteration, are rarely consistent from one location to another, and great care should be taken in making gross generalizations. It should be noted, however, that there is a greater number of immobile elements in the mafic intrusion (i.e., Sc, Gd, Nd, Sm and SiO_2) than in the other rock types, indicating a lesser degree of hydrothermal alteration in the intrusion, relative to the volcanic rocks and to the intermediate intrusion. This is also evident in outcrop and drill core as the mafic intrusion appears to be less altered (*see* "Stratigraphy in the Genex Area" and "Hydrothermal Alteration") than the surrounding rock types.

Further analysis of major element mobility is displayed in Figures 17 and 18. In Figure 17, felsic and mafic rocks, respectively, are plotted on a classification diagram that utilizes major element data (SiO_2, Na_2O, K_2O). Conversely, Figure 18 plots the same data on a classification diagram that utilizes trace element data (Nb, Y, Zr, TiO_2). The significant variations between the two diagrams suggests that the major elements are relatively mobile.

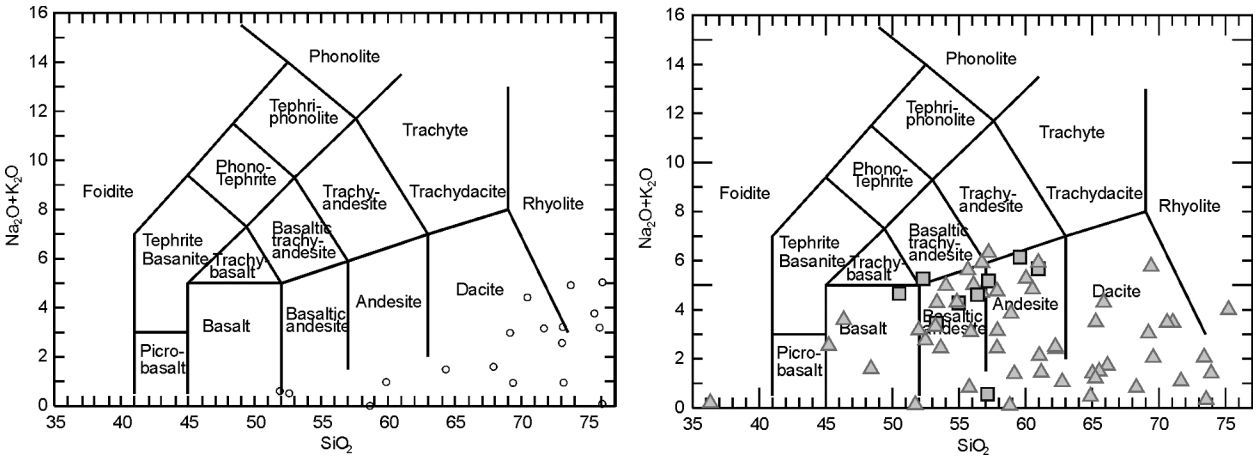

Figure 17. $Na_2O + K_2O$ (total alkalis) versus SiO_2 plots of felsic (left) and mafic (right) metavolcanic rocks in the Genex area (*after* Le Bas et al. 1986).

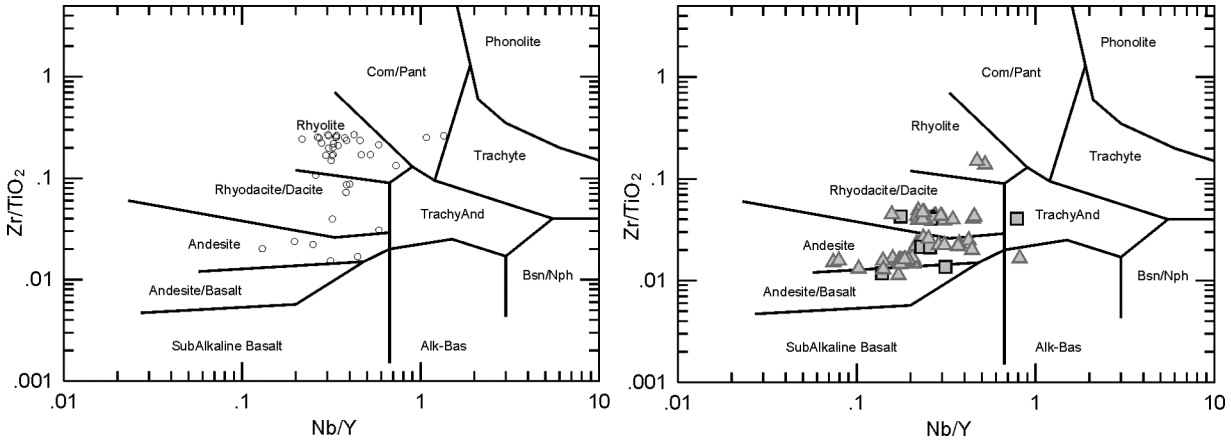

Figure 18. Zr/TiO_2 versus Nb/Y plot of felsic (left) and mafic (right) metavolcanic rocks in the Genex area (*after* Winchester and Floyd 1977).

FRACTIONATION TRENDS

Pearce element ratios (Pearce 1968) are highly useful in discerning fractionation trends in mafic igneous rocks. Ratios are constructed using oxides (SiO_2 for example) or cations (Si) converted to mole units (refer to Stanley (1990) for method), plotted on x–y plots (i.e., (2Ca+Na)/K versus Al/K). Variables are based on mineral stoichiometry (i.e., plagioclase fractionation is based on Al_2O_3, CaO, Na_2O, K_2O), and ratio denominators use a single conserved element (i.e., TiO_2) that is common to both axes (Nicholls and Russell 1990). Correlation coefficients (r-values) for x–y plots are calculated according to the method outlined in the previous subsection. For the fractionation diagrams used in this study, an r-value approaching 1 indicates that the plotted mineral(s) are fractionating phases of the magma. Highly altered samples are identified based on petrographic analysis and field observations, and are omitted from the fractionation diagrams.

Fractionation diagrams in the Genex area have been constructed for mafic metavolcanic rocks (footwall and hanging wall) and the synvolcanic mafic and intermediate intrusions. Pearce element numbers (p) were calculated by dividing the weight percent of an oxide (wt %) by the gram formula weight (g), for example, $Al_2O_{3p} = Al_2O_{3\ wt\%} / 101.96_g$. In cases where Pearce element numbers (p) were reported as elements, the numerator of the aforementioned formula is multiplied by the number of cations in the chemical formula, for example, $Al_p = [Al_2O_{3\ wt\%} * 2] / 101.96_g$. It should be noted that Pearce element ratios are constructed using molar percentages of major oxides, which are mobile in the Genex rocks. Thus, we do not expect to see r-values close to 1 due to hydrothermal alteration processes. However, it is still possible to identify fractionating mineral phases in the Genex rocks using Pearce element ratios, because the relative elemental abundances remain generally constant.

Fractionation trends in the footwall mafic metavolcanic rocks of the Genex area are shown in Figure 19. The r-value in Figure 19A is near 0 (0.04), indicating that olivine alone is not a fractionating phase. The r-value in Figure 19B is also relatively low (0.23) indicating the plagioclase alone is not a fractionating phase either. Thus, there must be a combination of olivine, plagioclase, and clinopyroxene fractionating. Figure 19C and 19D both have relatively low r-values indicating that is not just olivine + plagioclase fractionation, nor is it just olivine + clinopyroxene. The highest r-value (0.99) is illustrated in Figure 19E, which models fractionation of olivine + plagioclase + clinopyroxene. This almost perfect correlation indicates that the Genex mafic metavolcanic rocks are derived from fractionation of all three mineral phases (olivine, plagioclase, and clinopyroxene). Petrographic analysis of the Genex footwall mafic metavolcanic rocks confirms the presence of plagioclase and clinopyroxene. However, no olivine is observed in thin section.

Fractionation trends in the hanging-wall mafic metavolcanic rocks are slightly different from those in the footwall rocks. Figure 20A has a low r-value (0.04) which indicates that olivine alone is not a fractionating phase. However, the r-values in Figures 20B and 20C are both high (0.83 and 0.87, respectively) which support the interpretation that the fractionating phases are plagioclase + olivine. The low r-value in Figure 20D (0.22) indicates that clinopyroxene is either entirely absent or a minor fractionating phase. Lastly, the high r-value in Figure 20E (0.88) supports the presence of plagioclase + olivine ± clinopyroxene (minor). Both plagioclase and clinopyroxene have been observed petrographically in the hanging-wall mafic metavolcanic rocks. However, olivine has not been observed in thin section. These fractionation trends would suggest that the hanging-wall mafic metavolcanic rocks are derived from a slightly less evolved magma than the footwall mafic metavolcanic rocks. These trends will be further evaluated in a planned journal paper by the authors of this report (S.M. Hocker, H.L. Gibson and P.C. Thurston).

Fractionation trends in the synvolcanic mafic intrusions are shown in Figure 21. Figure 21A has a low r-value (0.29) whereas Figure 21B has a slightly higher r-value (0.41). This suggests that while olivine alone is not a fractionating phase, plagioclase may be a dominant phase. Further analysis of fractionation trends shown in Figure 21C (r-value 0.02) and 21D (r-value 0.31) indicate that neither olivine + plagioclase nor olivine + clinopyroxene are the dominant fractionating phases. However, the highest r-value (0.91) is derived from modeling olivine ± plagioclase ± clinopyroxene fractionation (Figure 21E). This suggests that, as has already been shown, plagioclase is a major fractionating phase, whereas olivine and clinopyroxene are minor fractionating phases. The lack of strong fractionation trends in the intrusions indicates that the Genex synvolcanic mafic intrusions are derived from a relatively primitive melt that experienced minimal fractionation. Fractionation trends in the mafic intrusions are most similar to those in the hanging-wall mafic metavolcanic rocks. Petrographically, both plagioclase and clinopyroxene have been observed. Olivine, however, has not been observed in thin section.

Figure 22 shows fractionating trends in the synvolcanic intermediate intrusion. Figure 22A and 22B both have relatively low r-values (0.14 and 0.23, respectively) which indicate that neither olivine nor plagioclase alone are fractionating phases. The olivine + plagioclase diagram (Figure 22C) also has a low r-value (0.22). The olivine + clinopyroxene diagram (Figure 22D) has a slightly higher r-value (0.48). The highest r-value is derived from Figure 22E, the olivine ± plagioclase ± clinopyroxene diagram (0.81). These trends suggest that olivine + clinopyroxene are the dominant fractionating phases in the intermediate intrusion. Plagioclase is either absent or is a minor fractionating phase. The overall low r-values in the intermediate intrusive rocks are likely due to element mobility (discussed in the previous subsection).

Fractionation trends in the Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks are not easily distinguished using Pearce element ratios. Figure 23 displays plagioclase fractionation trends, and the relatively high r-value (0.60) suggests that plagioclase is a fractionating phase in the Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks. Quartz is also a likely fractionating phase in the Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks. However, Pearce element ratios cannot model quartz fractionation due to the simple chemical composition of the mineral. In thin section, both quartz and plagioclase have been observed.

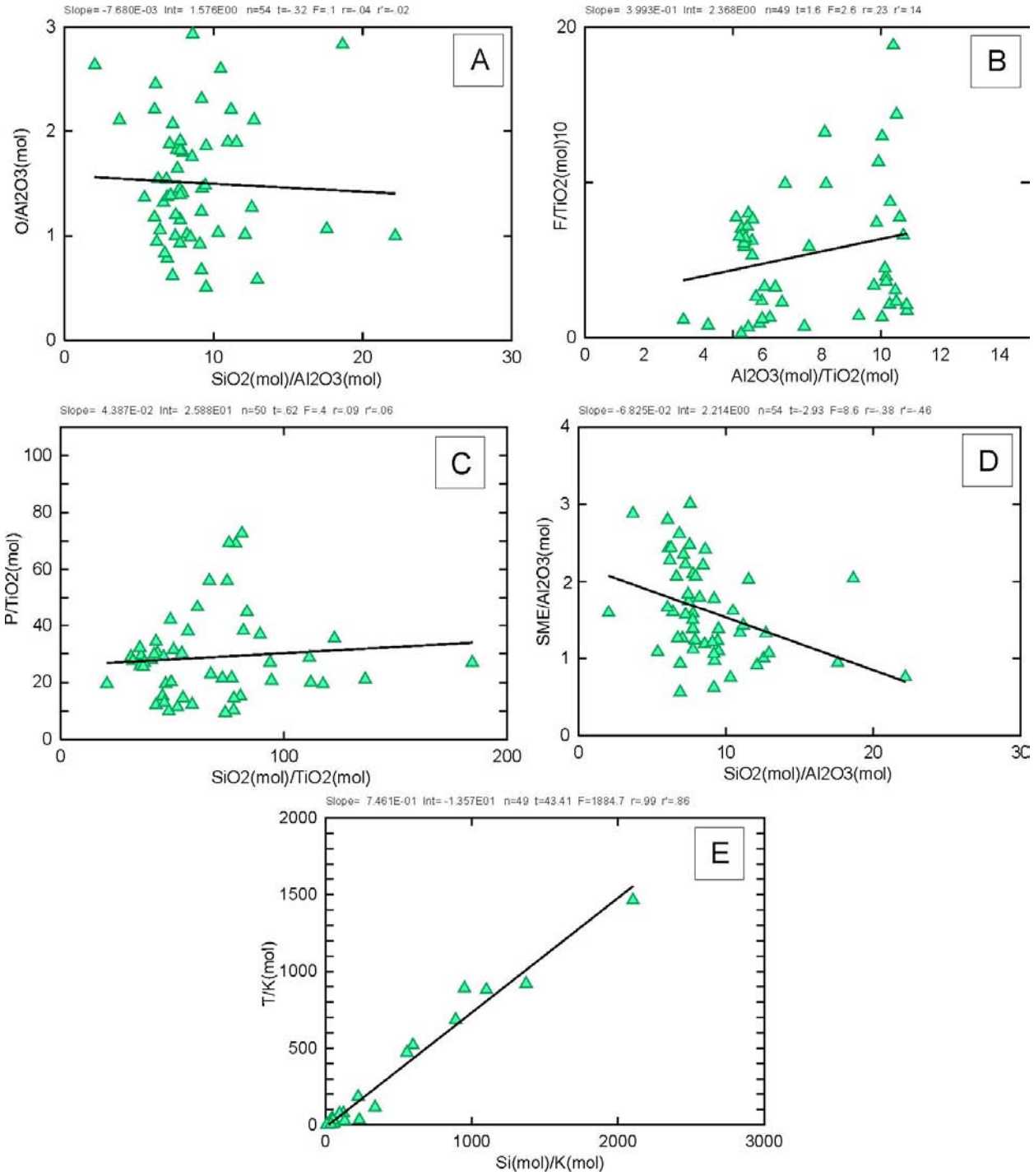

Figure 19. Fractionation trends in Genex footwall mafic metavolcanic rocks.
A) Olivine fractionation trends (*from* Pearce 1990). O = 0.5(FeO) + MgO.
B) Plagioclase fractionation trends (*from* Pearce 1990). F = CaO + Na_2O + K_2O.
C) Olivine ± plagioclase fractionation trends (*from* Pearce 1990). P = 0.5(FeO + MgO) + 6(Na_2O + K_2O) + 2CaO.
D) Olivine ± clinopyroxene fractionation trends (*from* Pearce 1990). SME = 1.5CaO + 0.5(FeO + MgO).
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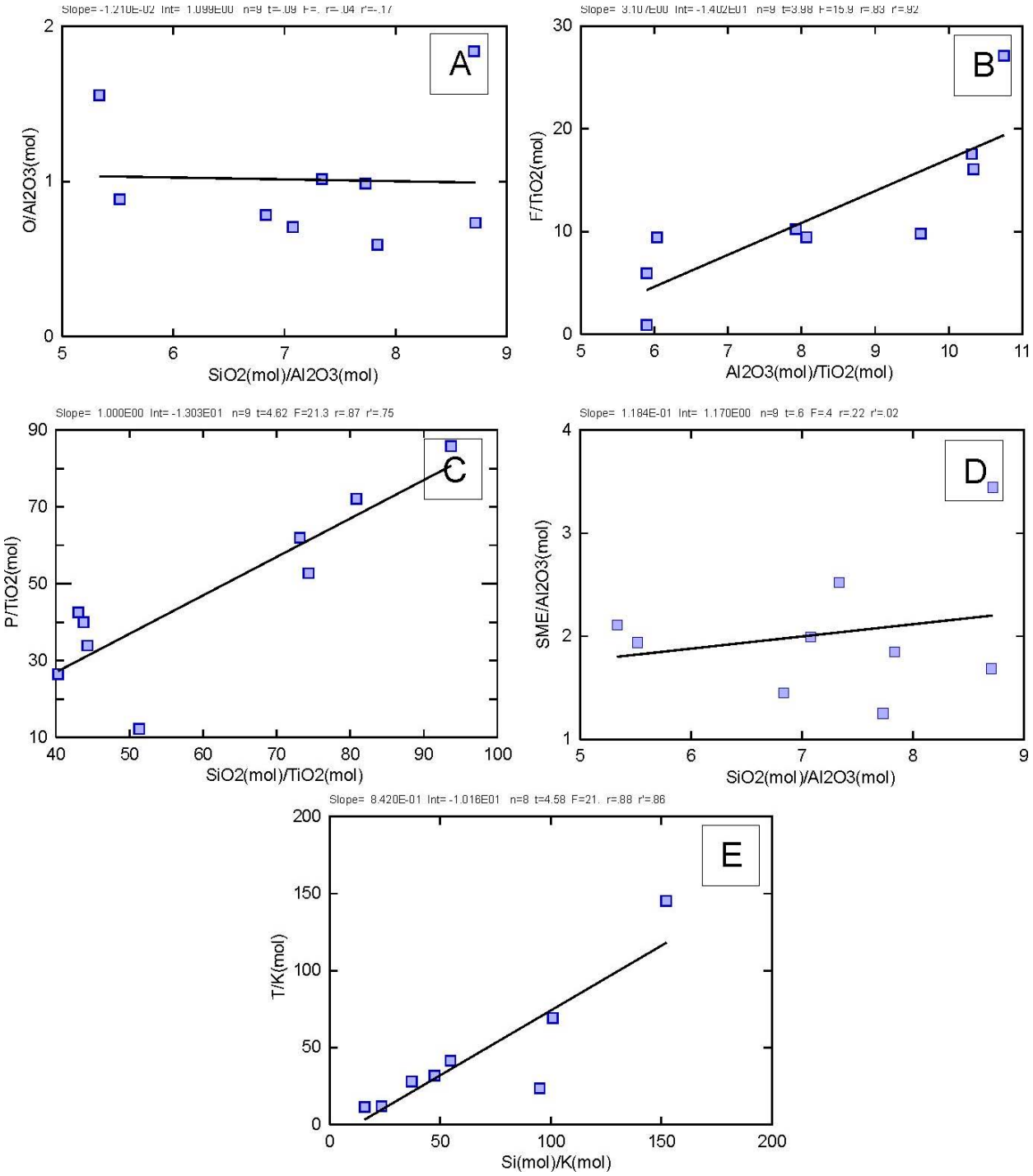

Figure 20. Fractionation trends in Genex hanging-wall mafic metavolcanic rocks.
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C) Olivine ± plagioclase fractionation trends (*from* Pearce 1990). P = 0.5(FeO + MgO) + 6(Na_2O + K_2O) + 2CaO.
D) Olivine ± clinopyroxene fractionation trends (*from* Pearce 1990). SME = 1.5CaO + 0.5(FeO + MgO).
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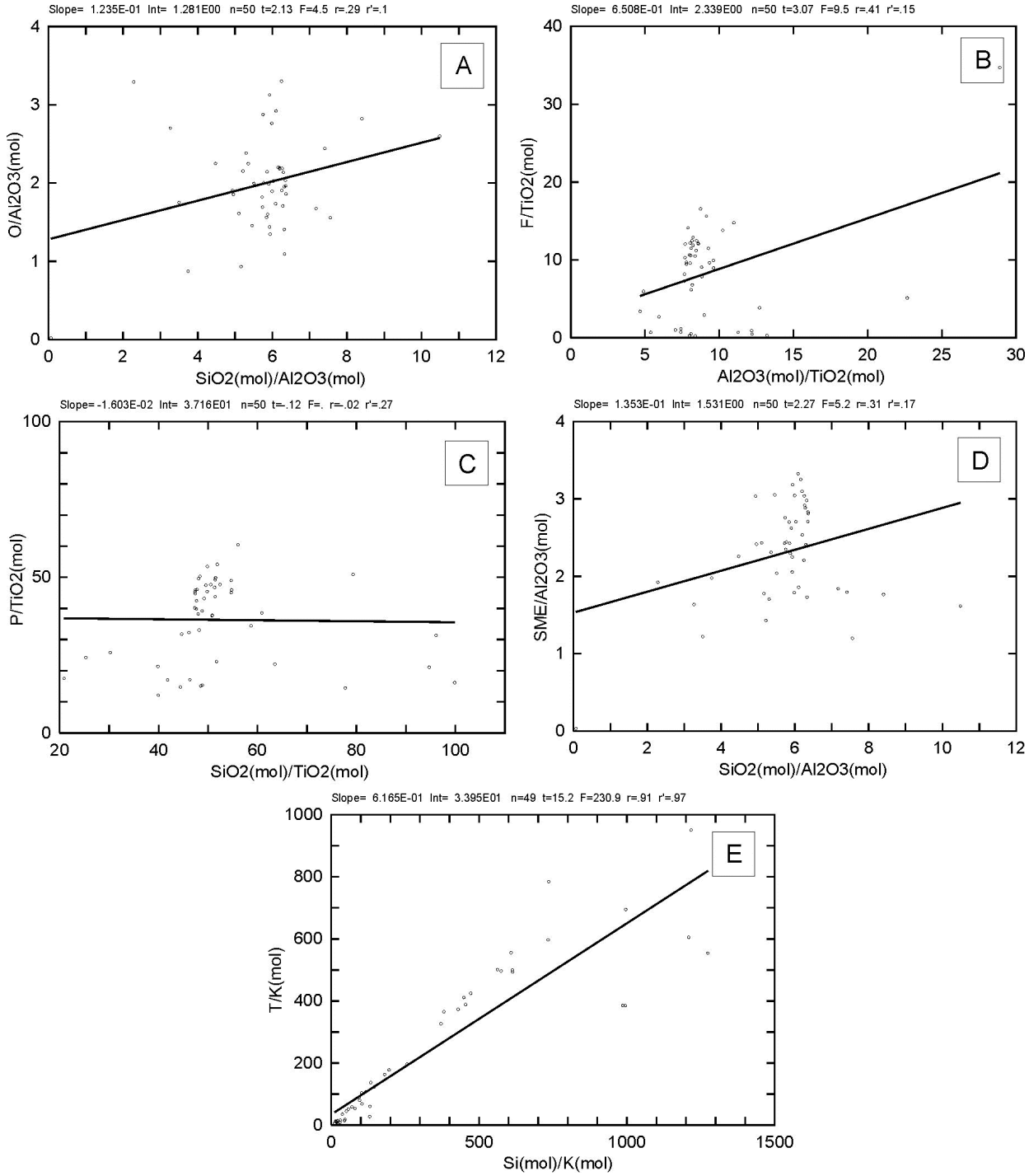

Figure 21. Fractionation trends in Genex synvolcanic mafic intrusion.
A) Olivine fractionation trends (*from* Pearce 1990). O = 0.5(FeO) + MgO.
B) Plagioclase fractionation trends (*from* Pearce 1990). F = CaO + Na_2O + K_2O.
C) Olivine ± plagioclase fractionation trends (*from* Pearce 1990). P = 0.5(FeO + MgO) + 6(Na_2O + K_2O) + 2CaO.
D) Olivine ± clinopyroxene fractionation trends (*from* Pearce 1990). SME = 1.5CaO + 0.5(FeO + MgO).
E) Olivine ± plagioclase ± clinopyroxene fractionation trends (*from* Nicholls 1990). T = 0.25Al + 0.5(Fe + Mg) + 1.5Ca + 2.75Na.

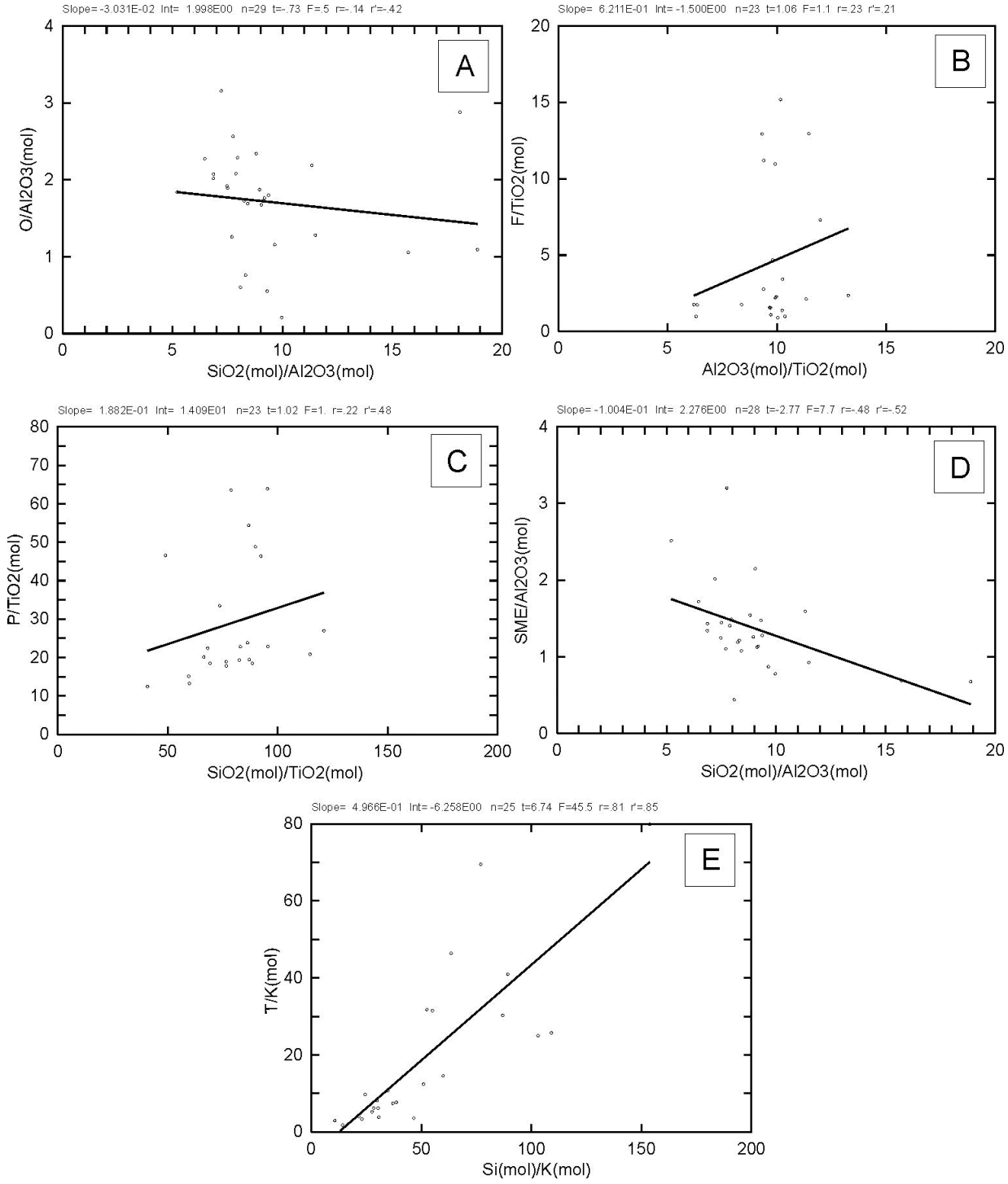

Figure 22. Fractionation trends in Genex synvolcanic intermediate intrusion.
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B) Plagioclase fractionation trends (*from* Pearce 1990). F = CaO + Na_2O + K_2O.
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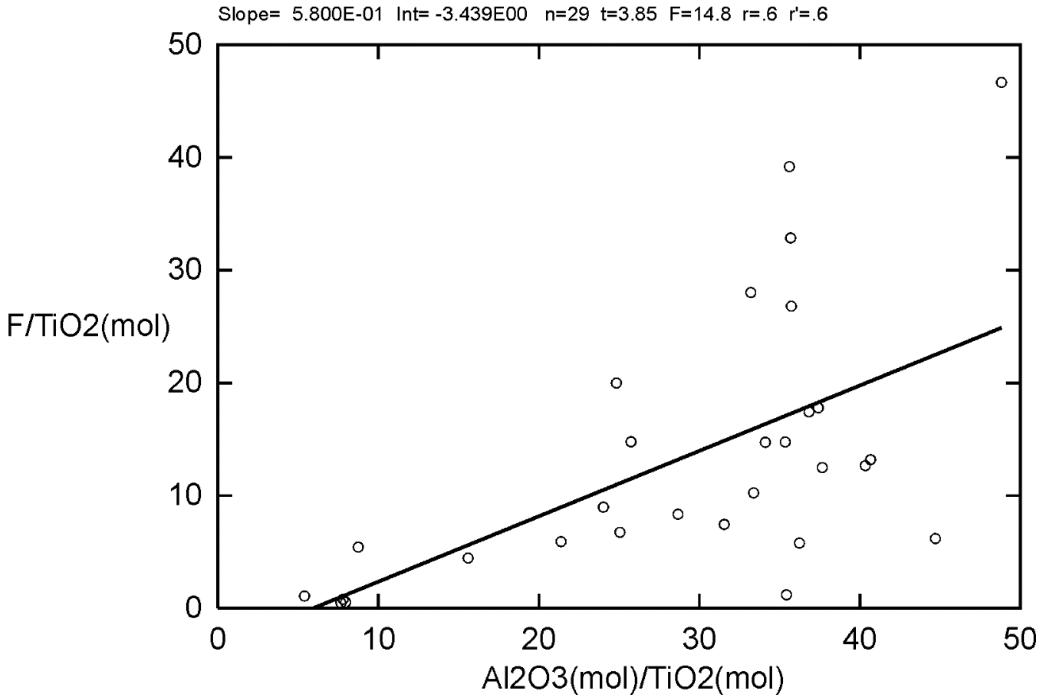


Figure 23. Plagioclase fractionation trends in Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks (*after* Pearce 1990). F = CaO + Na_2O + K_2O.

RARE EARTH ELEMENT TRENDS

Felsic Metavolcanic Rocks

Felsic metavolcanic rocks in the Genex area are classified as rhyolites and dacites using a Zr/TiO_2 versus Nb/Y diagram developed by Winchester and Floyd (1977) and modified by Pearce (1996) (Figure 24). This diagram is especially useful in classifying altered rocks since it utilizes relatively immobile trace element data. Petrographic and field observations indicate that all samples plotted in Figure 24 are felsic. Therefore, the few outliers that plot in more mafic fields reflect element mobility during hydrothermal alteration.

Work by Lesher et al. (1986) has classified Archean felsic metavolcanic rocks into 4 main types based on geochemical trends: FI, FII, and FIIIa and FIIIb rhyolites (Table 5). The Kamiskotia felsic volcanic rocks have been classified as FIIIb rhyolites (Hart, Gibson and Lesher 2004; Lesher et al. 1986). The Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks are, however, classified as FIIIa rhyolites.

Overall, FIII rhyolites have relatively unfractionated REE patterns and are derived from either a) low-pressure partial melting of a tholeiitic basalt without residual amphibole or garnet in a subvolcanic magma chamber (Barrie, Ludden and Green 1993; Campbell et al. 1981, 1982; Hart 1984; Hart, Gibson and Lesher 2004; Lesher et al. 1986); b) low-pressure plagioclase-dominated fractional crystallization of an intermediate magma (Hart, Gibson and Lesher 2004; Lesher et al. 1986); or c) partial melting of continental crust with minor assimilation fractional crystallization (Barrett and MacLean 1999; Hart, Gibson and Lesher 2004). Generally, FIII rhyolites are derived from high-level magma chambers

(<10 km), whereas FI and FII rhyolites are derived from deeper sources without high-level fractionation (Hart, Gibson and Lesher 2004; Lesher et al. 1986). Overall, FIII rhyolites are considered prime exploration targets, as they host many of Canada's Archean volcanogenic massive sulphide (VMS) deposits (for example, Kidd Creek, Noranda, and Kamiskotia in the Abitibi belt, and Confederation Lake in the Uchi belt; Hart, Gibson and Lesher 2004; Lesher et al. 1986).

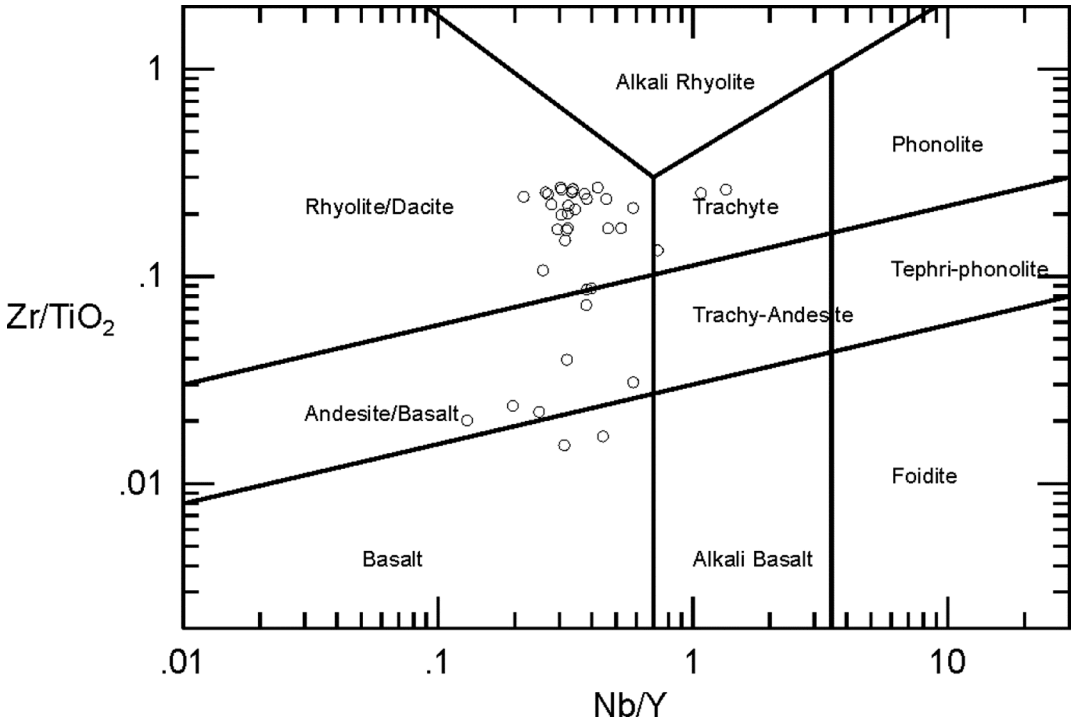


Figure 24. Zr/TiO_2 versus Nb/Y classification of felsic volcanic rocks (*after* Winchester and Floyd 1977; Pearce 1996). Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks plot primarily in the rhyolite/dacite field.

Table 5. Classification of felsic volcanic rocks in the Abitibi belt (*from* Lesher et al. 1986). Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks are most similar to FIIIa rhyolites, contrary to the rest of the Kamiskotia rhyolites.

SiO_2 wt %	TiO_2 wt %	Rb ppm	Sr ppm	Y ppm	Zr ppm	La ppm	Yb ppm	Th ppm	Hf ppm	Sc ppm	La/Yb ppm	Zr/Y ppm
FI												
64-69	0.31-0.55	8-89	147-514	6-12	110-142	7.2-14	0.46-0.87	0.6-2.0	2.4-3.5	2.4-12	5.8-20	9.2-24
FII												
66-73	0.39-0.79	5-60	43-175	17-48	96	9.1	1.7-5.8	1.3-4.3	2.3-8.3	7.8-25	2.3-3.6	5.6-7.0
FIIIa												
67-78	0.21-0.99	1-62	4.8-101	25-70	170-370	9.8-37	3.4-9.3	1.5-7.3	3.9-8.6	7.0-20	1.5-2.8	3.9-6.8
FIIIb												
67-84	0.09-0.47	1-157	7-73	72-188	194-442	26-67	7.3-22	3.2-12	5.8-16	1.4-11	1.1-4.9	2.0-3.8
GENEX FELSIC VOLCANIC ROCKS (averages)												
72.99	0.46	31.03	14.94	42.75	262.78	28.58	4.92	4.58	7.73	32.52	5.80	6.76

Based on the criteria outlined in Table 5, and shown on Figure 25, the felsic metavolcanic rocks in the Genex area are classified as FIIIa rhyolites. The chondrite-normalized spider plot of the felsic metavolcanics (Figure 26) indicates a relatively unfractionated REE pattern, as well as a pronounced Eu anomaly. The primitive mantle-normalized spider plot (Figure 27) displays a large Sr anomaly, common in FIII rhyolites. According to Hart, Gibson and Lesher (2004) and Lesher et al. (1986), pronounced Eu and Sr anomalies suggest retention of plagioclase in the residue. Fractionation trends, outlined in the previous subsection, indicate that plagioclase is likely a fractionating phase during the evolution of the Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks, or was a residual phase during melting. The Sr anomaly, however, may be due to carbonate alteration (*see* "Hydrothermal Alteration").

The Kamiskotia area, of which the Genex stratigraphy is a part, has traditionally been included in the Tisdale and Kidd–Munro assemblages. According to the classification scheme developed by Lesher et al. (1986), the Kamiskotia rocks are classified as FIIIb rhyolites. However, the Genex rocks are most similar to FIIIa rhyolites (*see* Table 5). Canadian examples of Archean FIIIa rhyolites include the Noranda camp (Quebec; Blake River assemblage), Winston Lake (Ontario), and Manitouwadge (Ontario) (Hart, Gibson and Lesher 2004; Lesher et al. 1986). This discrepancy suggests that the Genex rocks may be more similar to those of the Blake River assemblage, than to those of the Tisdale and Kidd–Munro assemblages, as has been previously thought (Ayer et al. 2002). The full implications of this discrepancy are beyond the scope of this project, but are discussed in detail in Hathway, Hudak and Hamilton (2005).

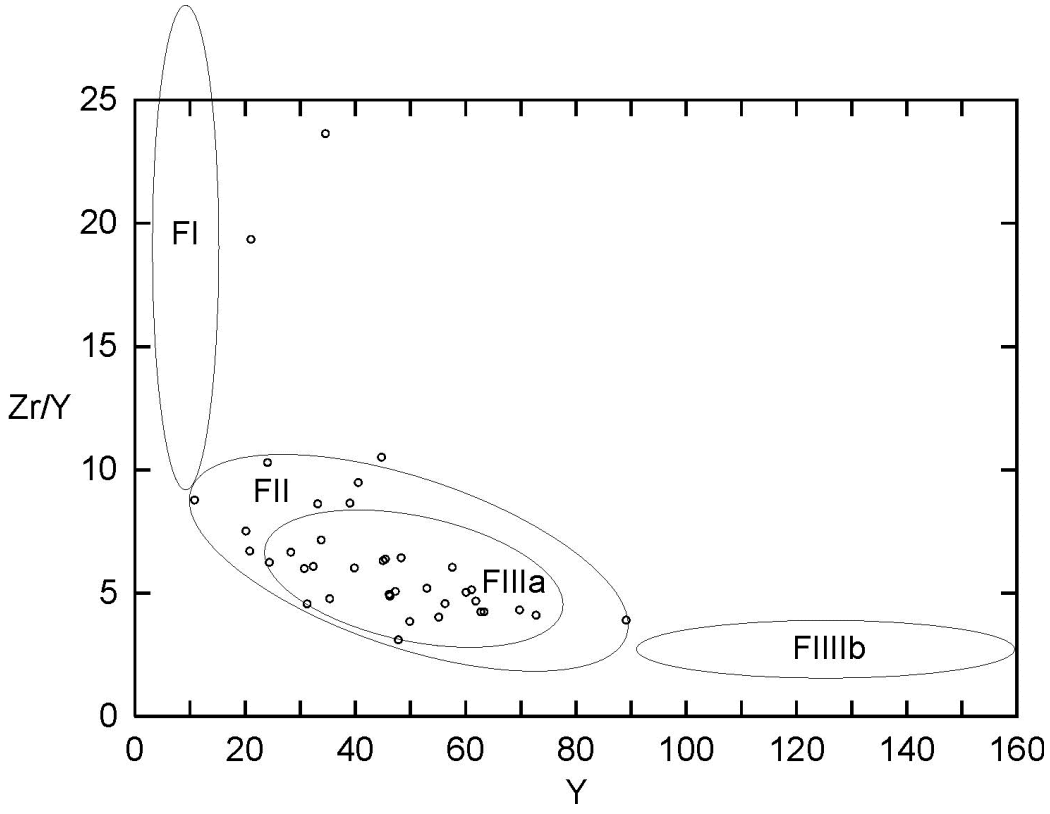


Figure 25. Zr/Y versus Y plot for classification of rhyolites (Lesher et al. 1986; Piercey et al. 2001b). Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks plot in the FIIIa field.

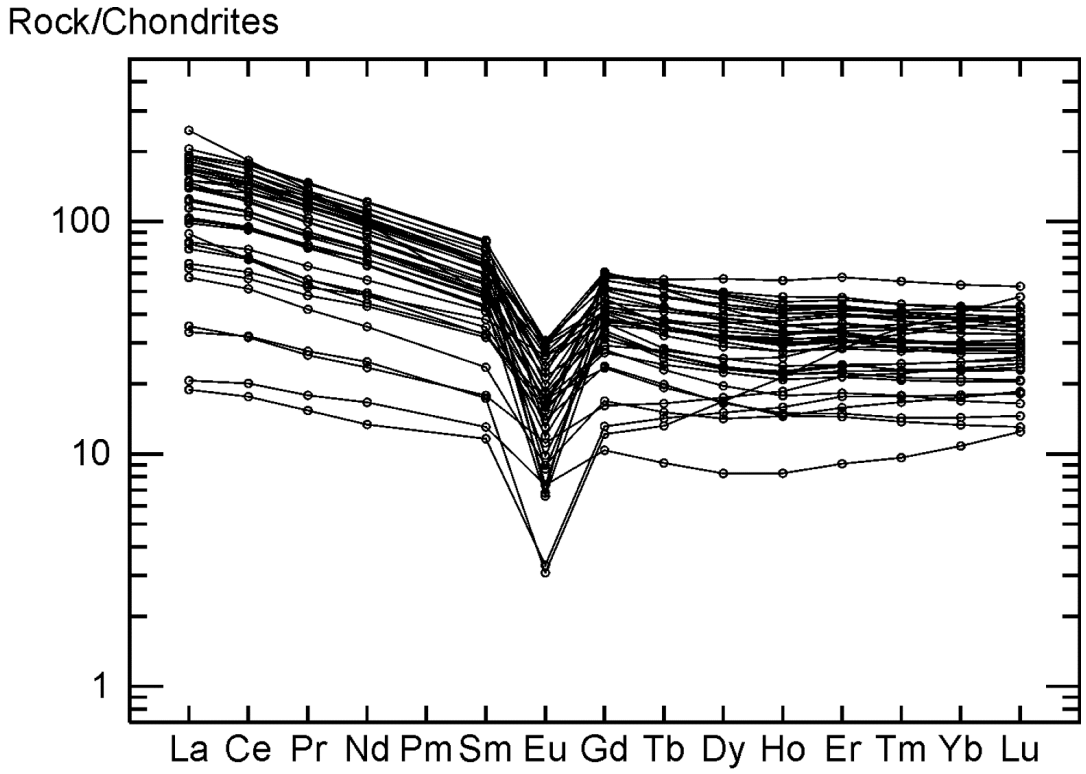


Figure 26. Chondrite-normalized spider plot of Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks (*after* Sun and McDonough 1989).

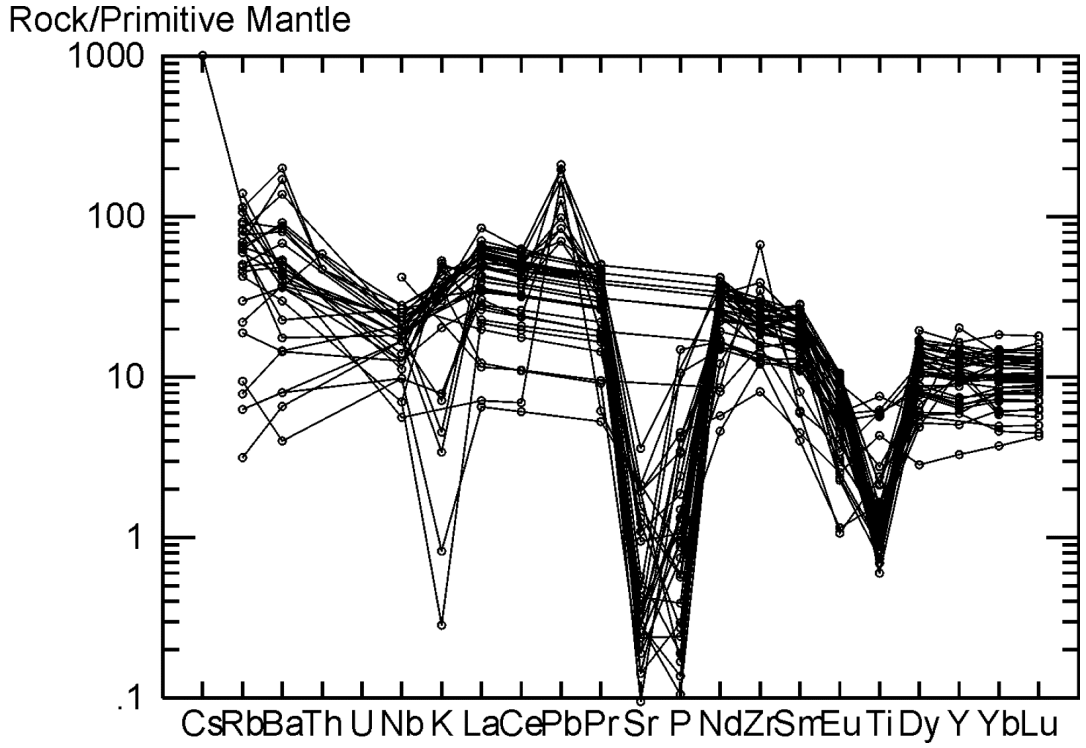


Figure 27. Primitive mantle-normalized spider plot of Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks (*after* Sun and McDonough 1989).

Mafic Metavolcanic Rocks

Mafic metavolcanic rocks in the footwall and hanging wall of the Genex deposit plot in the basalt to basaltic andesite fields of the Zr/TiO_2 versus Nb/Y discrimination diagram developed by Winchester and Floyd (1977), and modified by Pearce (1996) (Figure 28). Further analysis of the Genex mafic metavolcanic rocks using primitive mantle-normalized spider plots indicates that the mafic metavolcanic rocks are most similar to boninites (Figure 29). However, plotting the Genex mafic metavolcanic rocks on other boninite discrimination diagrams (i.e., Ti/V versus Ti/Sc and La/Sm versus TiO_2 (Piercey et al. 2001a)) reveals no correlation with boninite compositions. Instead, the Zr versus P_2O_5 plot by Winchester and Floyd (1976) and the Nb/Y versus Zr/P_2O_5 plot by Floyd and Winchester (1975) indicate that the footwall and hanging-wall mafic metavolcanic rocks are oceanic tholeiitic basalts (Figures 30 and 31). Thus, the Genex mafic metavolcanic rocks are not boninites, but oceanic tholeiites.

Chondrite-normalized spider diagrams for Genex mafic rocks (Figure 32) display a relatively flat pattern, indicating an unevolved and unfractionated magma. Hanging-wall rocks are slightly depleted in all REE and are especially depleted in HREE relative to footwall rocks.

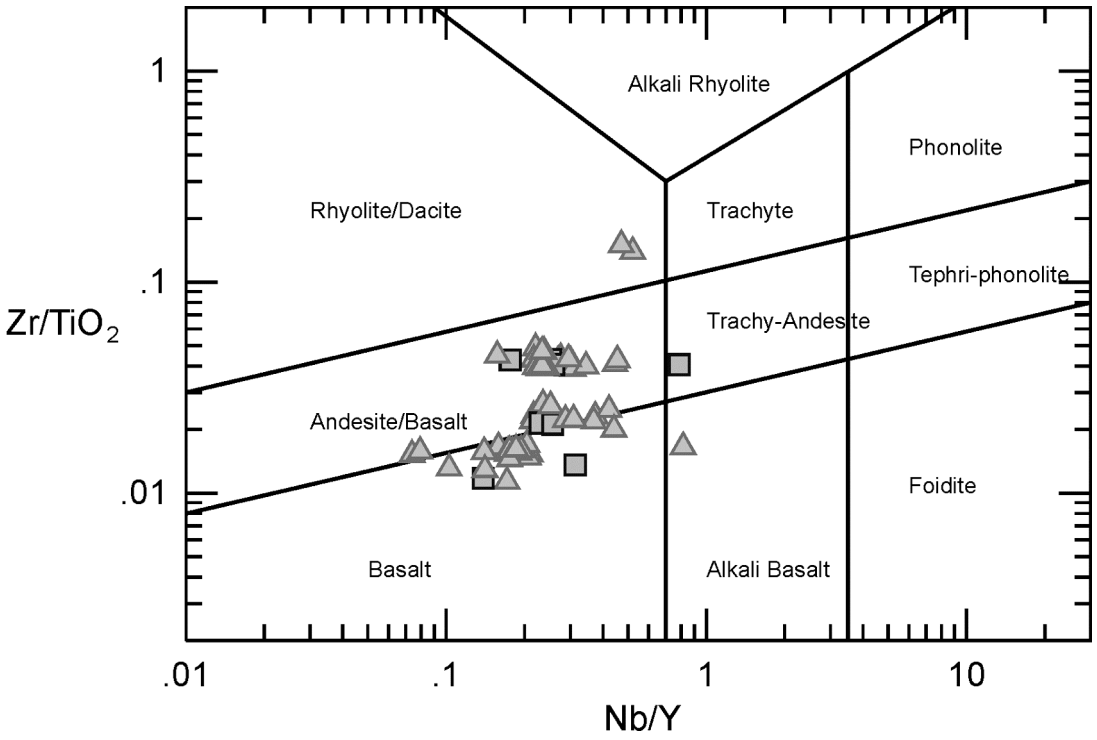


Figure 28. Zr/TiO_2 versus Nb/Y classification of mafic volcanic rocks (*after* Winchester and Floyd 1977; Pearce 1996). Triangles are footwall samples, boxes are hanging-wall samples. Genex mafic metavolcanic rocks plot dominantly in the andesite/basalt field.

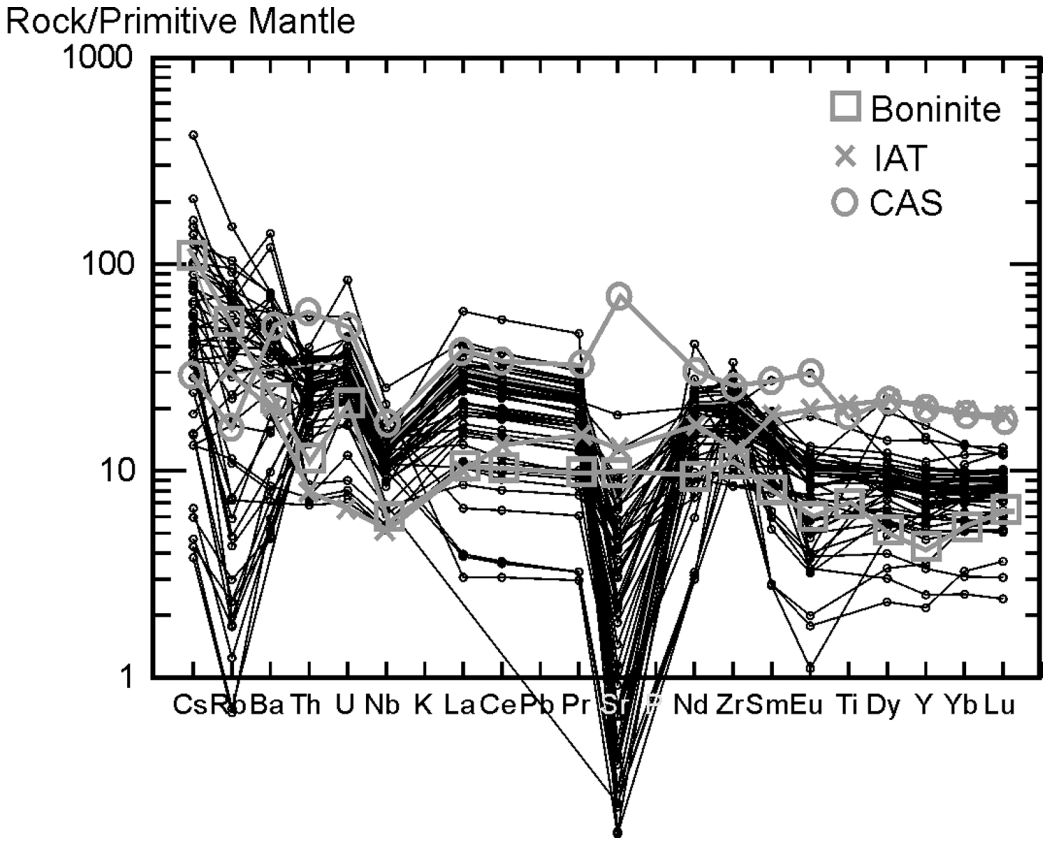


Figure 29. Tectonic environment of formation for Genex mafic metavolcanic rocks (*after* Sun and McDonough 1989; Jenner 1996). Genex rocks are most similar to the boninite field. IAT = island arc tholeiite. CAS = calc-alkaline series.

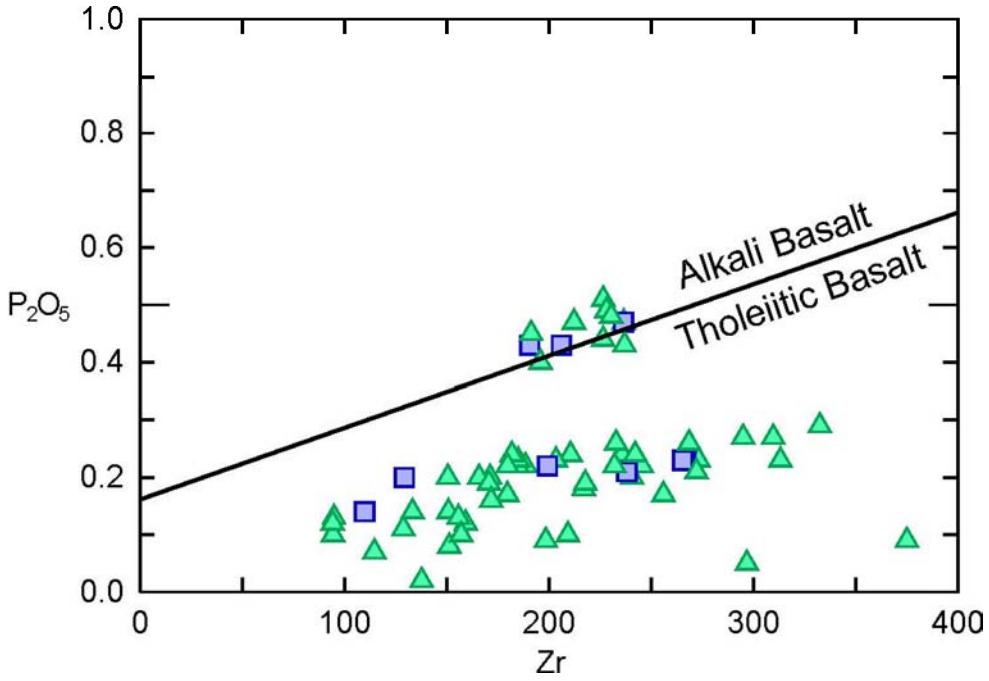


Figure 30. P_2O_5 (wt %) versus Zr (ppm) discrimination diagram for mafic rocks (*after* Winchester and Floyd 1976). Genex mafic metavolcanic rocks plot in the tholeiitic basalt field. Triangles are footwall metavolcanic rocks. Squares are hanging-wall metavolcanic rocks.

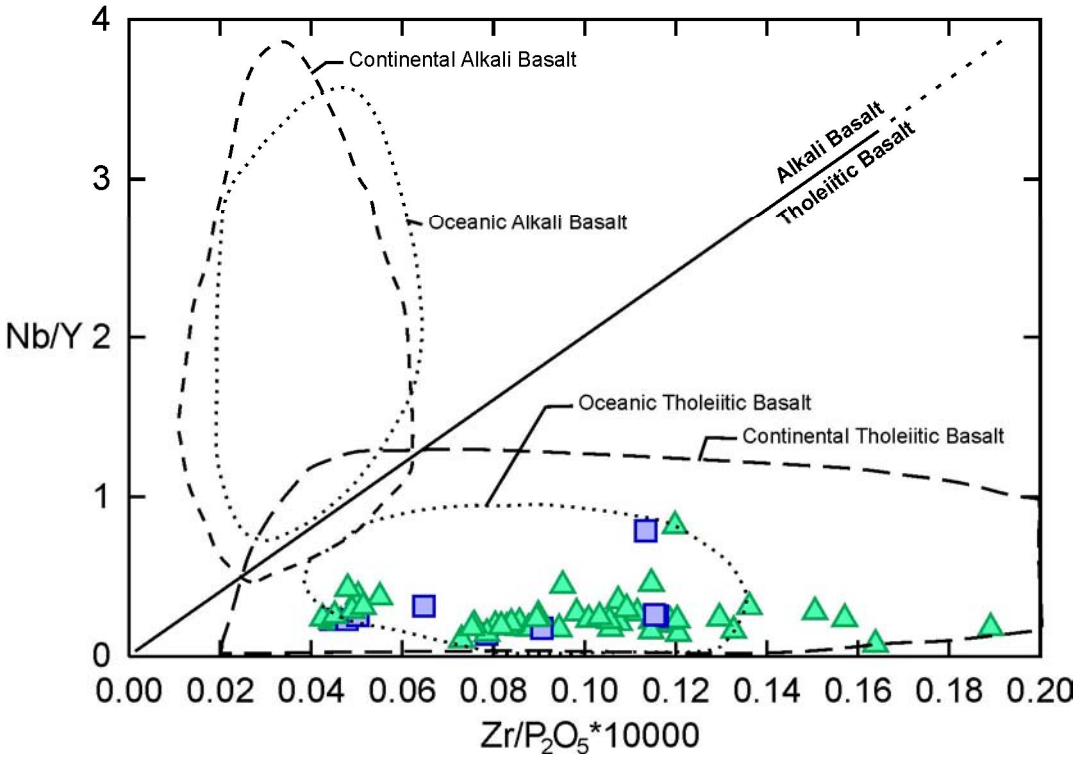


Figure 31. Nb/Y versus Zr/(P_2O_5 × 10000) discrimination diagram for mafic volcanic rocks (*after* Floyd and Winchester 1975). Triangles are footwall rocks, squares are hanging-wall rocks. Genex mafic metavolcanic rocks plot in the oceanic tholeiitic basalt field.

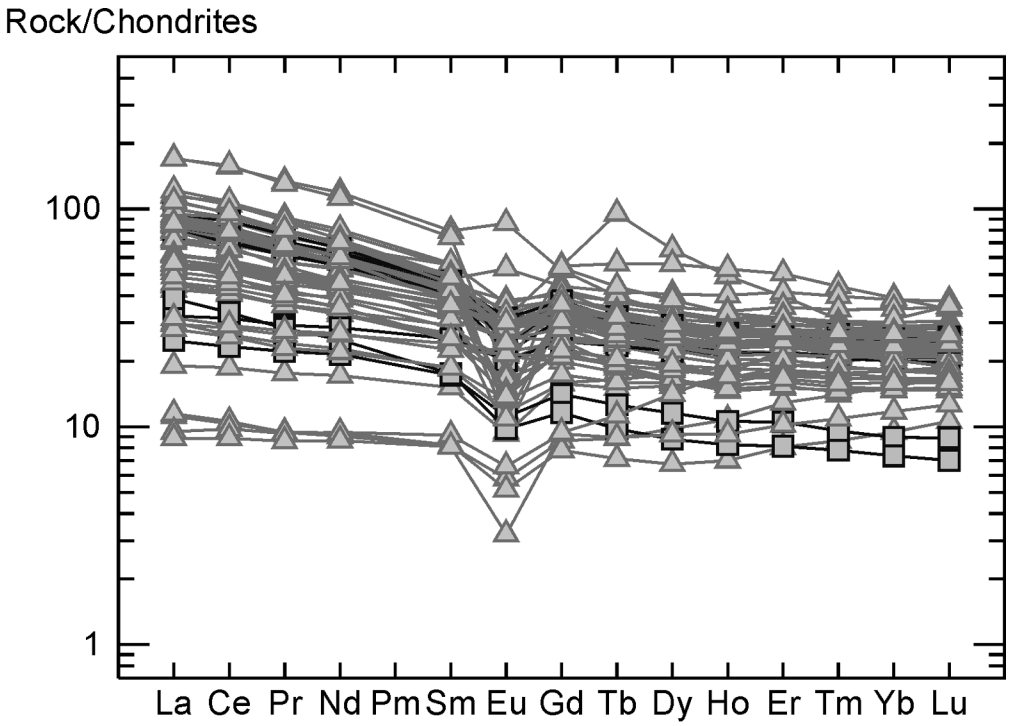


Figure 32. Chondrite-normalized spider plot of Genex mafic metavolcanic rocks (*after* Sun and McDonough 1989). Triangles are footwall rocks, squares are hanging-wall rocks.

Synvolcanic Intrusive Rocks

Using a Zr/TiO_2 versus Nb/Y diagram (Winchester and Floyd 1977; Pearce 1996), the mafic intrusive rocks plot mainly in the basalt field, whereas the intermediate intrusive rocks plot mainly in the andesite/basalt field (Figure 33). Further analysis of the two intrusions using a P_2O_5 versus Zr plot (Figure 34) indicates that both intrusions are tholeiitic, and have an oceanic tholeiitic affinity (Figure 35). It is expected that both intrusions would be oceanic tholeiites since they are synvolcanic in their timing, and should be derived from a source similar to the Genex metavolcanic rocks.

A chondrite-normalized spider diagram of the synvolcanic mafic intrusion (Figure 36) indicates derivation from a primitive, relatively unevolved magma (relative to the Genex mafic metavolcanic rocks). Fractionation trends discussed in previous subsections support this hypothesis. Conversely, a chondrite-normalized spider diagram of the Genex synvolcanic intermediate intrusion (Figure 37) indicates derivation from a more evolved source (similar to the mafic metavolcanic rocks). This idea is also supported by fractionation trends discussed previously.

Further analysis of chondrite-normalized REE trends indicates that the Genex synvolcanic mafic and intermediate intrusions are similar to the upper zone of the Kamiskotia gabbroic complex (Figure 38) (Barrie et al. 1991; Campbell et al. 1981). This similarity may suggest a relation between the Genex synvolcanic intermediate intrusions and the Kamiskotia gabbroic complex, and will be explored in a planned journal paper by the authors of this report (S.M. Hocker, H.L. Gibson and P.C. Thurston).

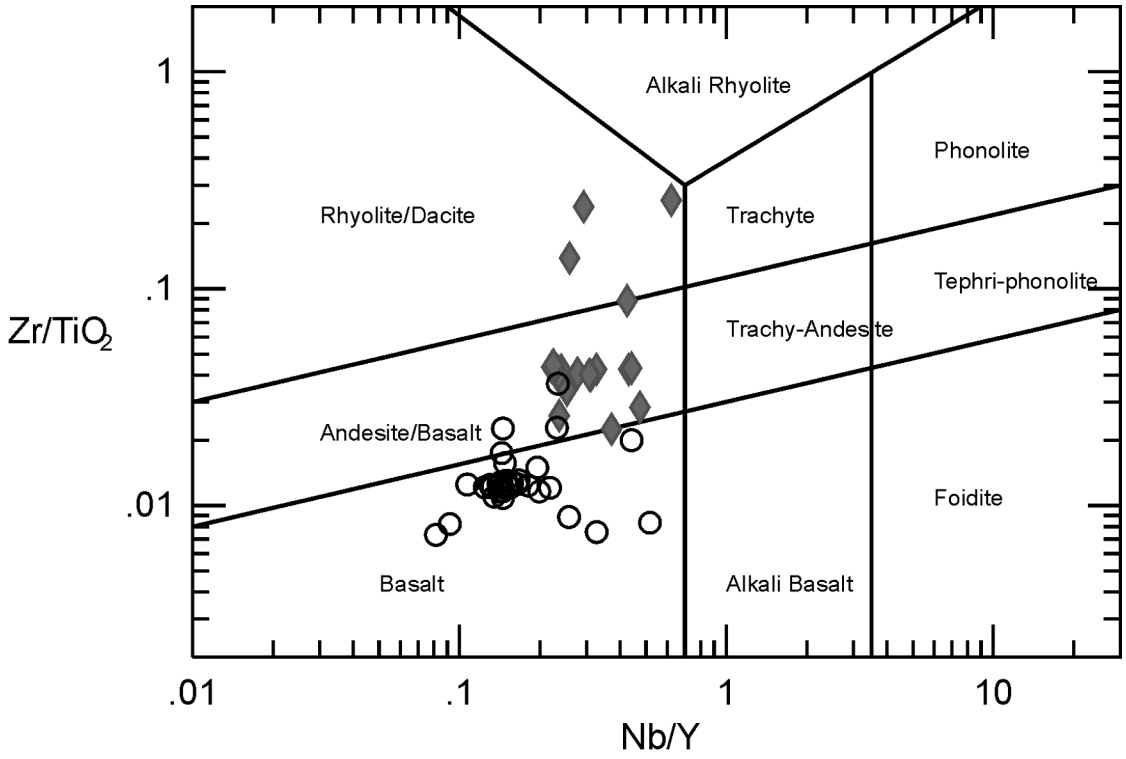


Figure 33. Zr/TiO_2 versus Nb/Y classification of intrusive rocks (*after* Winchester and Floyd 1977; Pearce 1996). Genex mafic synvolcanic intrusion (circles) plot dominantly in the basalt field, intermediate intrusion (diamonds) plot dominantly in the andesite/basalt field.

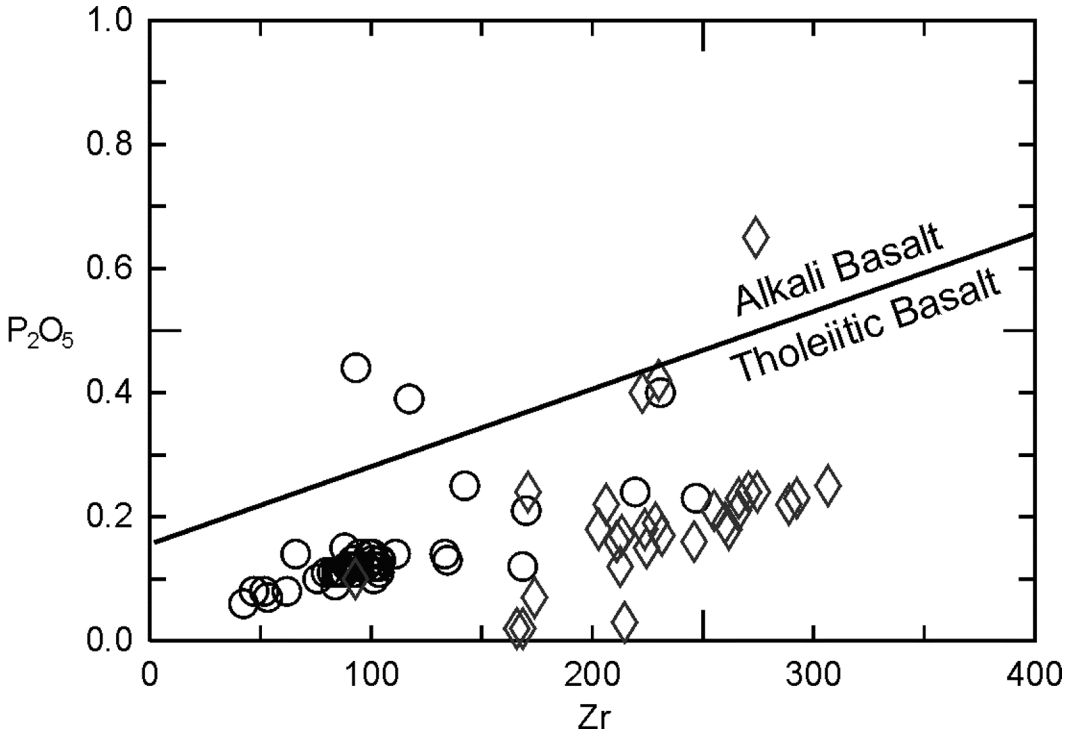


Figure 34. P_2O_5 (wt %) versus Zr (ppm) discrimination diagram for intrusive rocks (*after* Winchester and Floyd 1976). Genex synvolcanic mafic intrusive rocks (circles) and intermediate intrusive rocks (diamonds) plot in the tholeiitic basalt field.

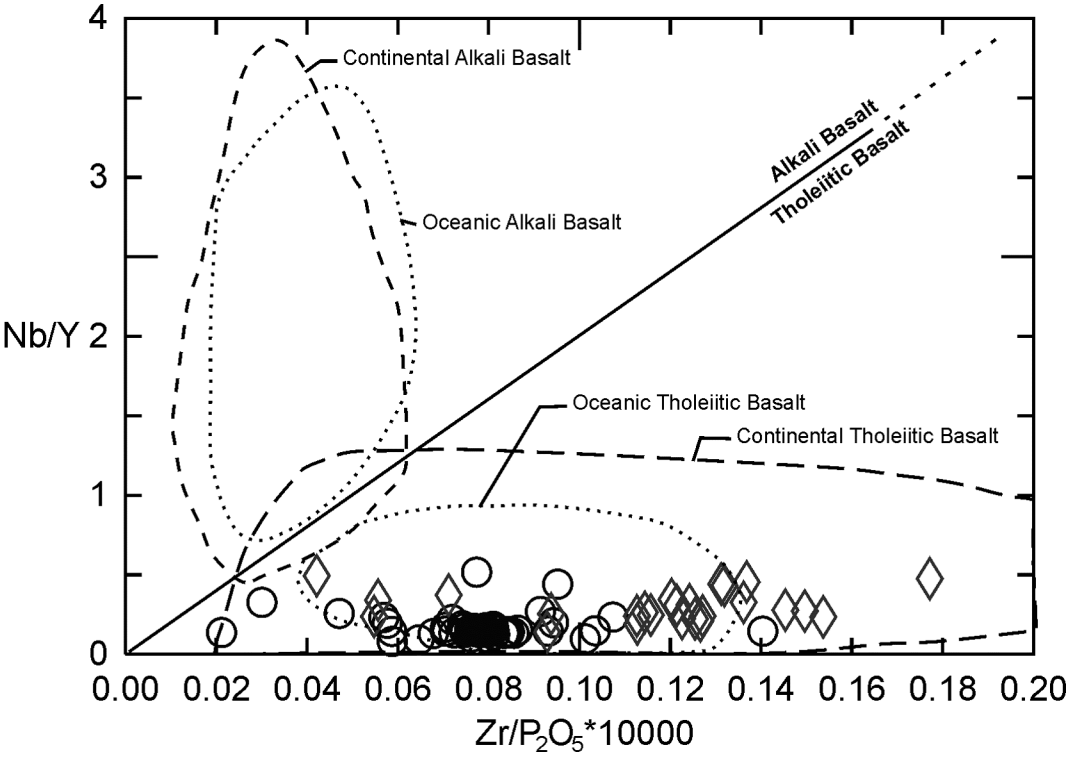


Figure 35. Nb/Y versus $Zr/(P_2O_5 \times 10000)$ discrimination diagram for intrusive rocks (*after* Floyd and Winchester 1975). Genex synvolcanic mafic intrusive rocks (circles) and intermediate intrusive rocks (diamonds) plot in the oceanic tholeiitic basalt field.

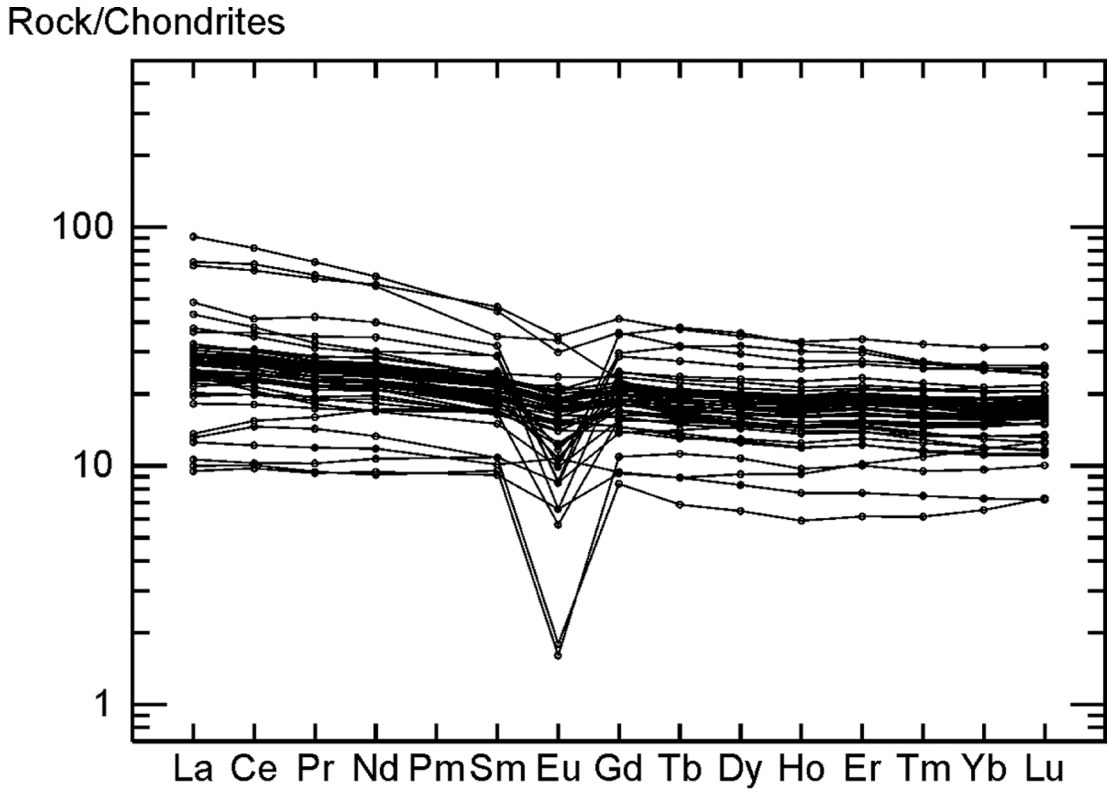


Figure 36. Chondrite-normalized spider diagram of the Genex synvolcanic mafic intrusion (*after* Sun and McDonough 1989).

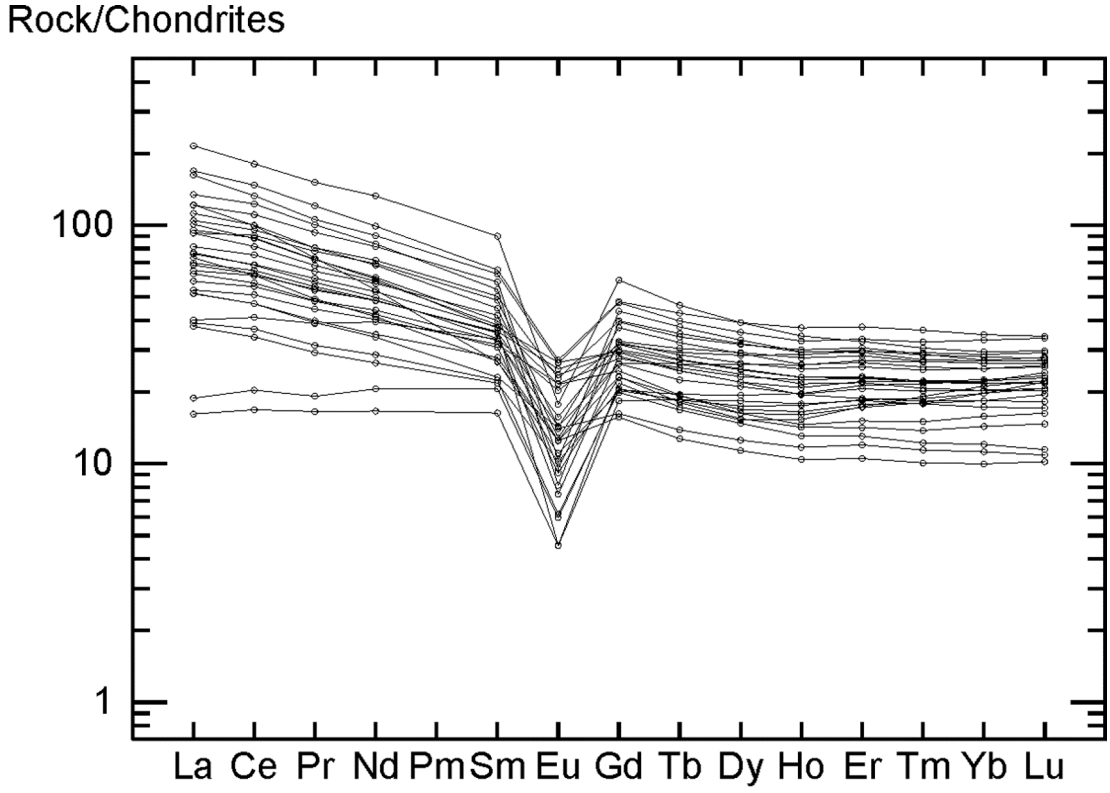


Figure 37. Chondrite-normalized spider diagram of the Genex synvolcanic intermediate intrusion (*after* Sun and McDonough 1989).

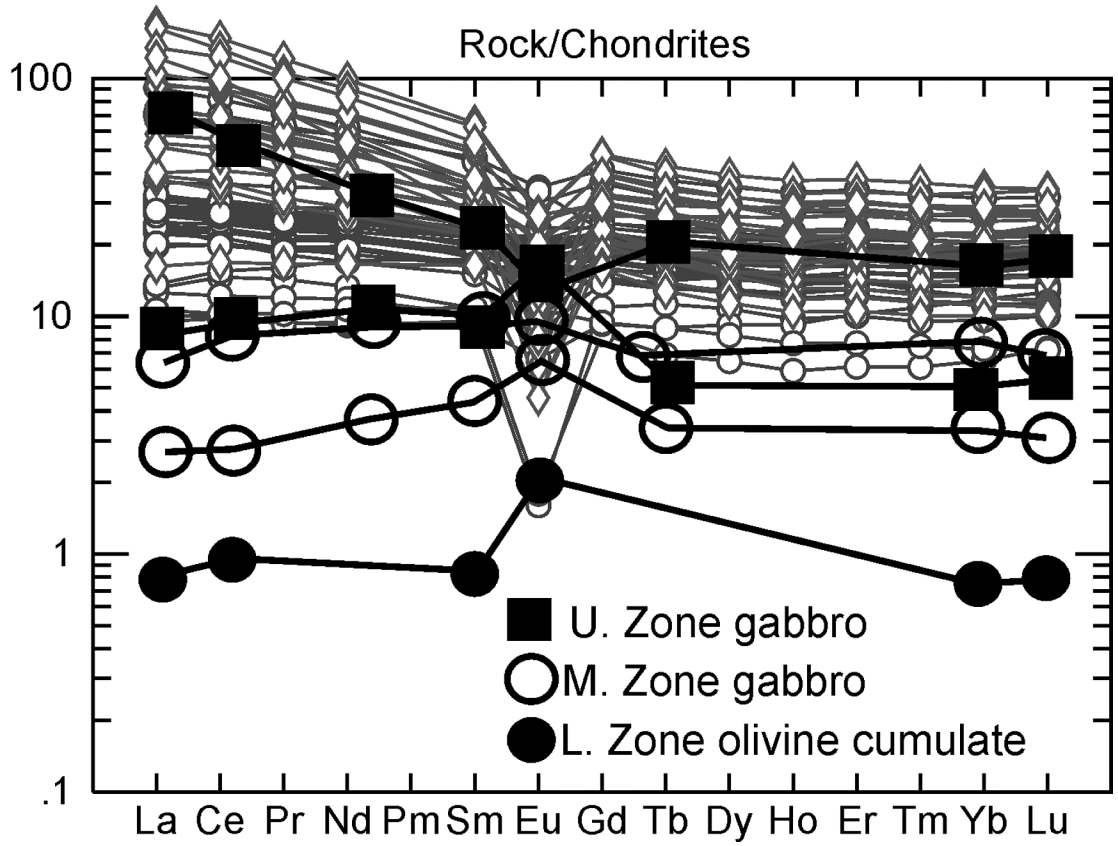


Figure 38. Chondrite-normalized spider plot of Genex synvolcanic mafic intrusions (circles) and intermediate intrusion (diamonds) compared to trends in the Kamiskotia gabbroic complex (*after* Barrie et al. 1991; Galley 1996; Sun and McDonough 1989). Genex intrusive rocks are most similar to the upper zone gabbro (U. Zone gabbro) of the Kamiskotia gabbroic complex.

CONTAMINATION

Crustal contamination of felsic metavolcanic rocks in the Genex area can is postulated based on the Y–Nb–Ce ternary plot developed by Eby (1992) (Figure 39). This plot indicates whether a sample is derived from a crustal-contaminated source or from a mantle derived source. Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks plot almost exclusively in the A-type crustal field, indicating that all samples are from either a crustal-contaminated derivative magma, or from partial melting of the crust.

Crustal contamination in mafic metavolcanic rocks can be identified using the Zr–Ti/100–Y*3 ternary plot developed by Pearce and Cann (1973) and modified by Pearce (1996) (Figures 40, 41 and 42). The MM point is the composition of average N-MORB mantle, whereas the UC point is the composition of average upper crust (Pearce 1996). A sample that plots near the MM point is derived from a mantle melt without crustal contamination, whereas a sample that plots near the UC point is derived from a magma which has undergone upper crust interaction, or is derived from a crustal-derived source. For mantle-derived sources, the relative enrichment of the mantle, and the degree of melting can also be ascertained from the diagram.

The Genex mafic metavolcanic rocks plot near the UC point, indicating that they are derived from either a crustal-contaminated source, or a crustal-derived source (*see* Figure 40). The outliers are more altered samples, that have experienced slight mobility in the elements plotted (*see* "Element Mobility").

Conversely, the synvolcanic mafic intrusion samples plot almost exclusively in field B, near the MM point (*see* Figure 41). This dissimilarity could be due to 2 possible factors: the first factor is that the synvolcanic mafic intrusion is derived from a different magma source than the volcanic rocks in the Genex area. The second factor is that the mafic intrusion is derived from a less evolved phase of the magma than the volcanic rocks. Spider diagrams, discussed in the previous subsection, support this interpretation. REE trends for the intrusion suggest derivation from a primitive, unfractionated source, whereas REE trends in the volcanics suggest derivation from a more evolved, and more crustal contaminated, source.

Lastly, samples from the synvolcanic intermediate intrusion plot almost exclusively on or very near the UC point, suggesting that these samples are also derived from a more evolved source which was either crustal derived or experienced a large degree of crustal contamination (*see* Figure 42).

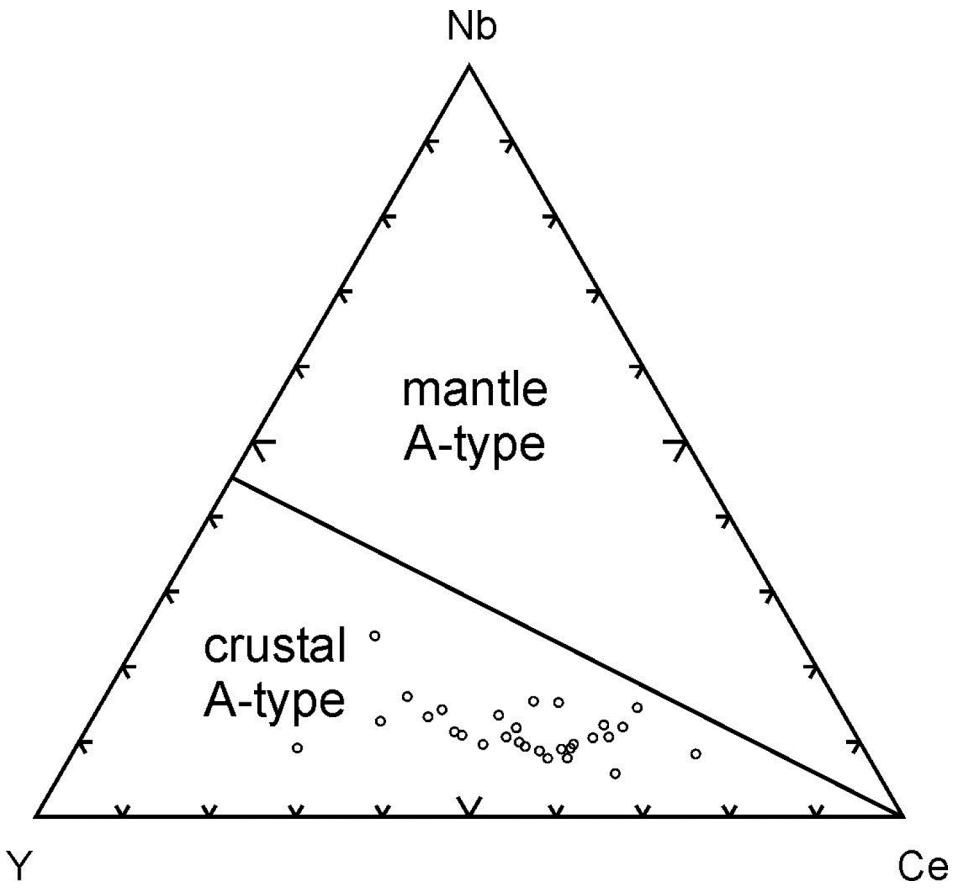


Figure 39. Y–Nb–Ce felsic derivative magma composition ternary plot (*from* Eby 1992). Genex rocks fall within the crustal A-type magma field.

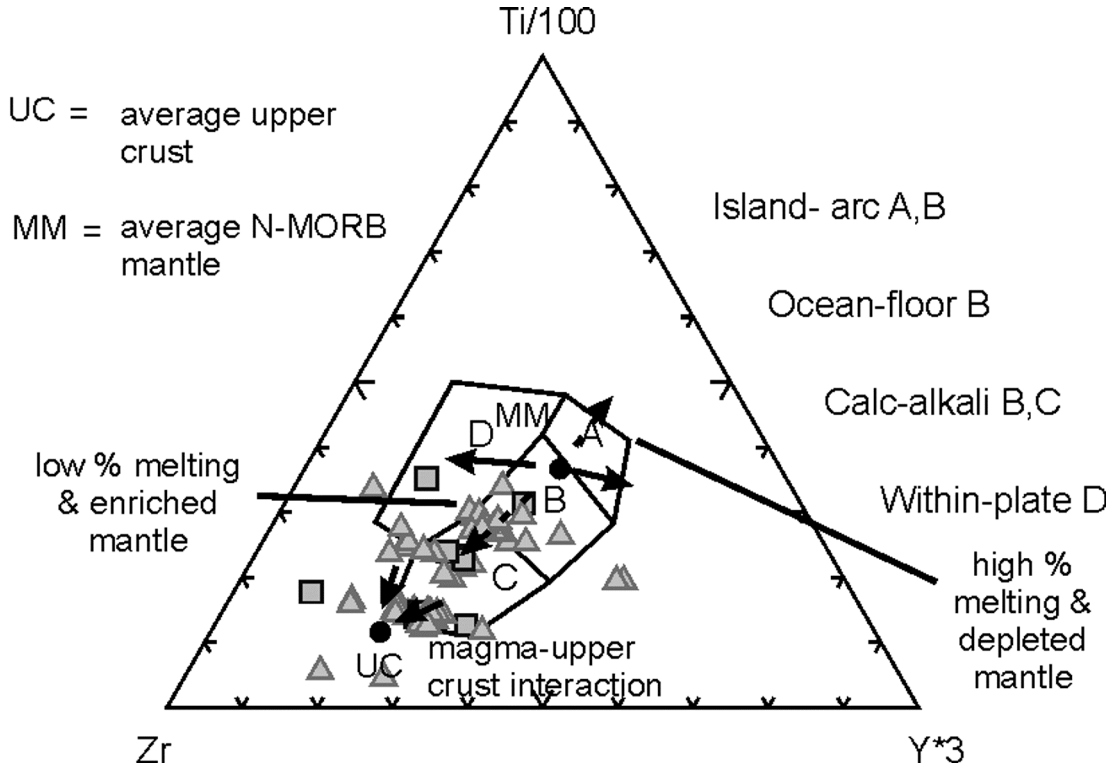


Figure 40. Zr–Ti/100–Y*3 magma–upper crust interaction ternary plot (*after* Pearce 1996; Pearce and Cann 1973). The Genex mafic metavolcanic rocks are derived from a crustal-contaminated source.

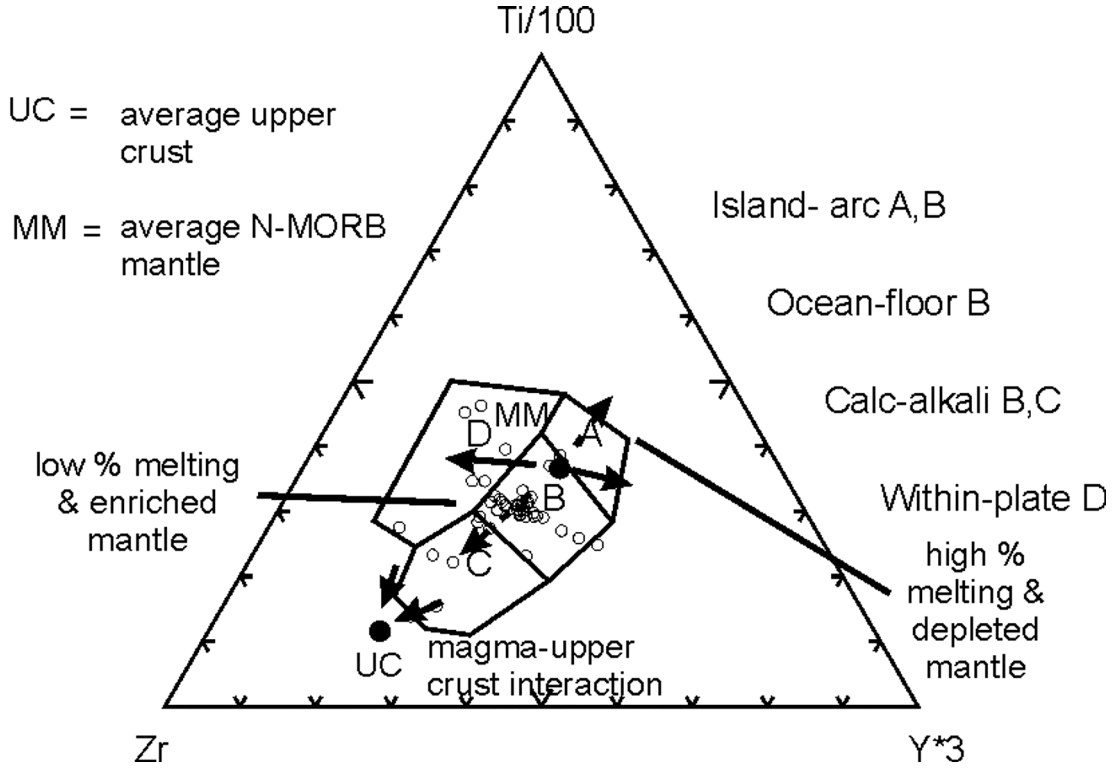


Figure 41. Zr–Ti/100–Y*3 magma–upper crust interaction ternary plot (*after* Pearce 1996; Pearce and Cann 1973). The Genex synvolcanic mafic intrusion is derived from a mantle source without crustal contamination.

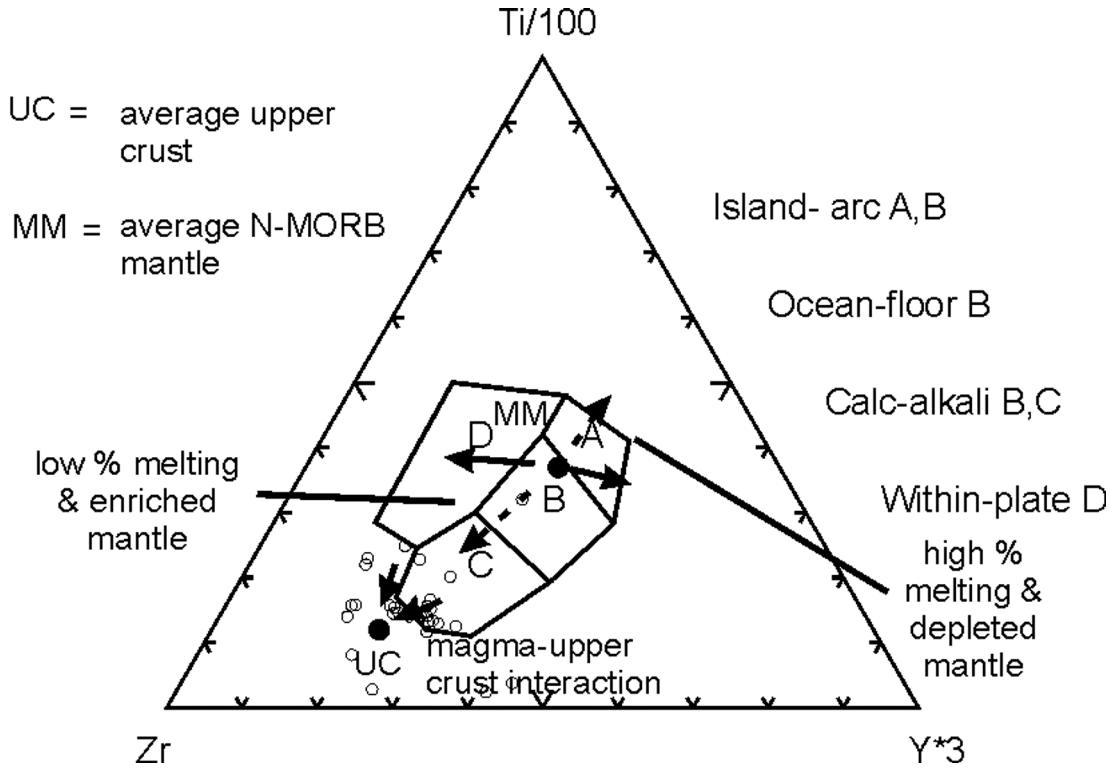


Figure 42. Zr–Ti/100–Y*3 magma–upper crust interaction ternary plot (*after* Pearce 1996; Pearce and Cann 1973). The Genex synvolcanic intermediate intrusion is derived from a crustal-contaminated source.

GEOLOGIC SETTING

Based on trace element plots using Nb, Y, Ta, Rb, and Yb (Figures 43 to 46), the Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks are of arc origin. The slight translation of felsic rocks into within-plate fields (*see* Figures 43 to 46) reflects crustal contamination in the derivative magma, as discussed in the previous subsection, or a crustal source. Trace element plots using Th, Zr, Nb, Hf, Ta, and Y (Figures 47 to 50), indicate that the Genex mafic metavolcanic rocks, the synvolcanic mafic intrusion, and the synvolcanic intermediate intrusion are also of arc origin.

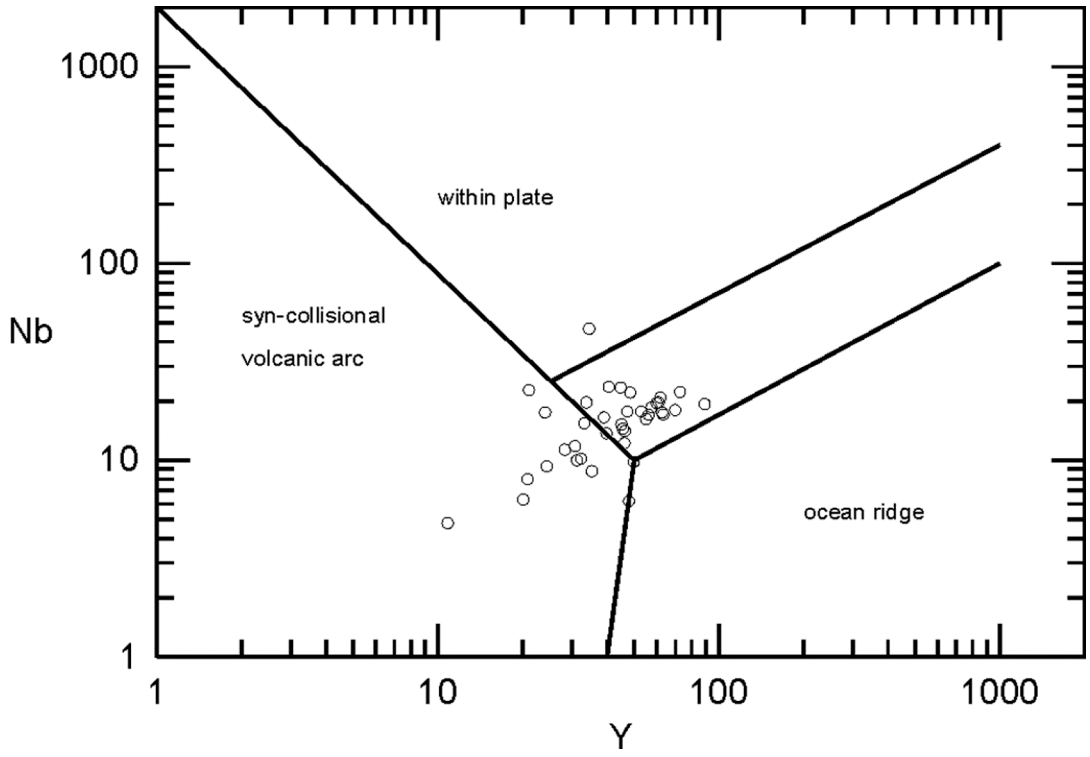


Figure 43. Nb versus Y tectonic discrimination diagram for rocks of granitic composition (*after* Pearce, Harris and Tindle 1984). Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks plot within the syncollisional volcanic arc field.

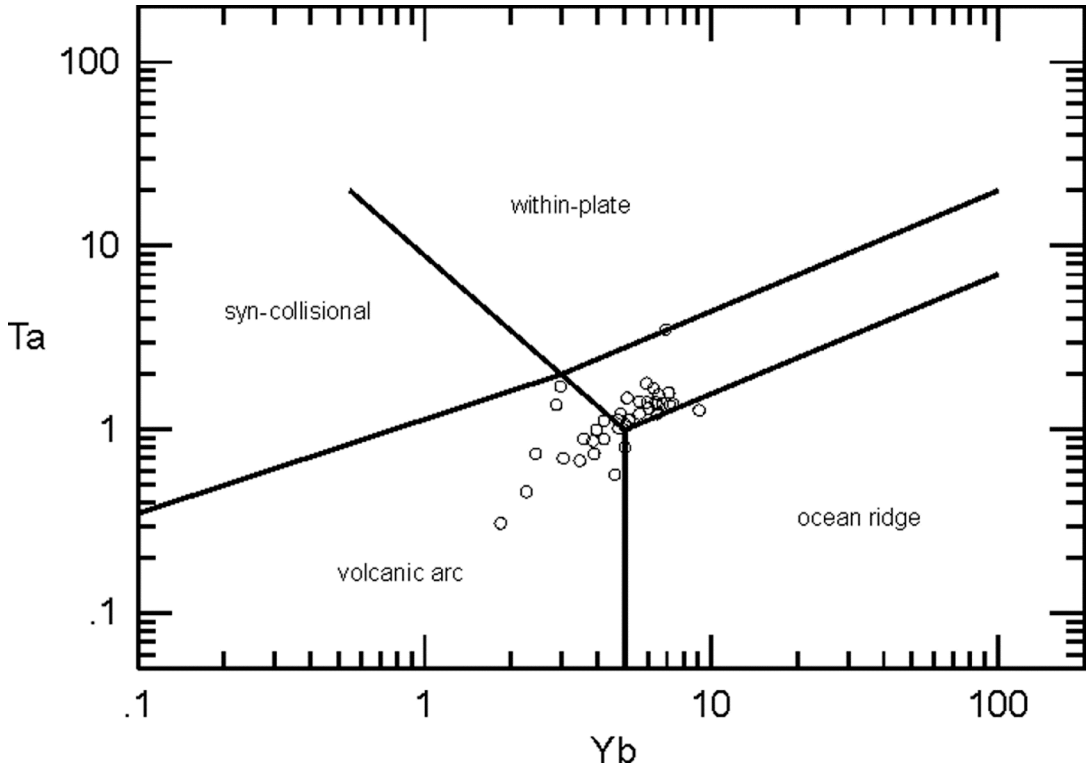
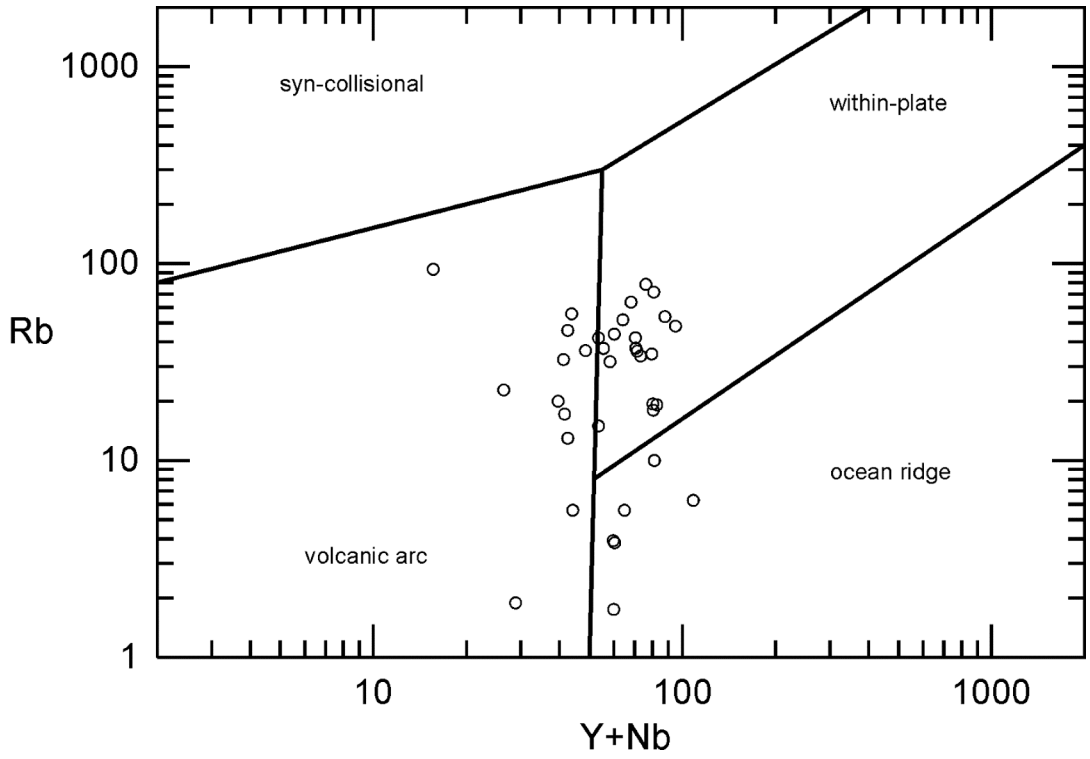


Figure 44. Ta versus Yb tectonic discrimination diagram for felsic rocks (*after* Pearce, Harris and Tindle 1984). Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks plot in the volcanic arc field.



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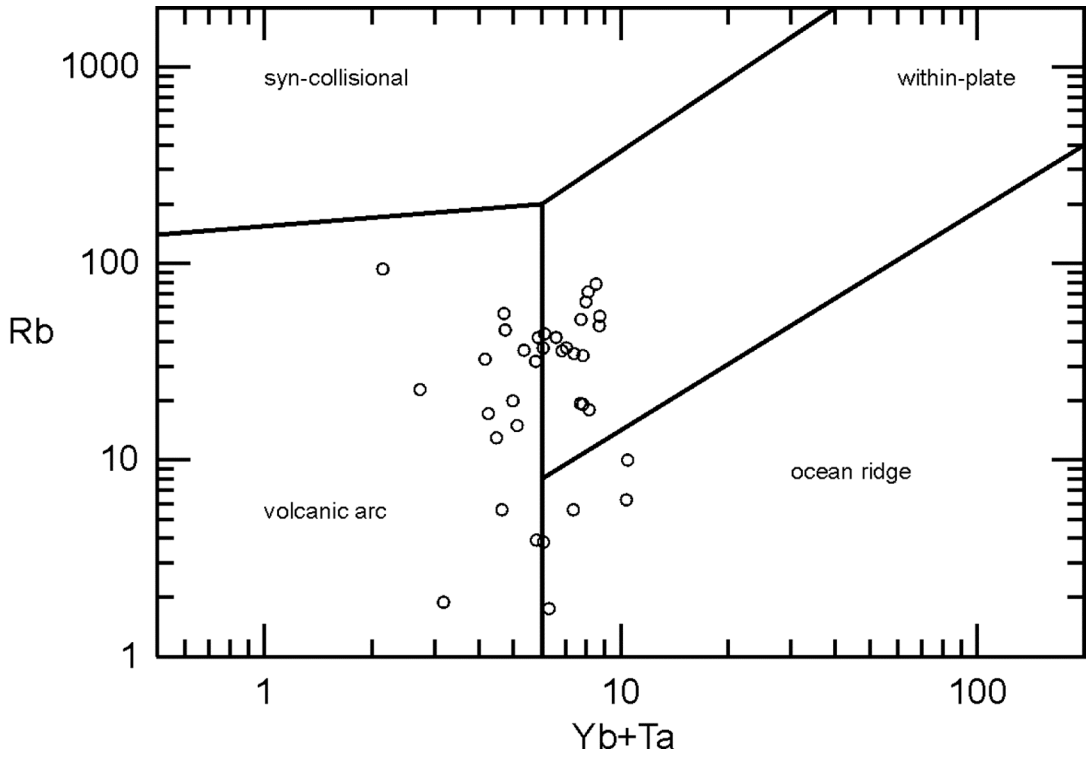


Figure 46. Rb versus Yb + Ta tectonic discrimination diagram for felsic rocks (*after* Pearce, Harris and Tindle 1984). Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks plot within the volcanic arc and within-plate fields.

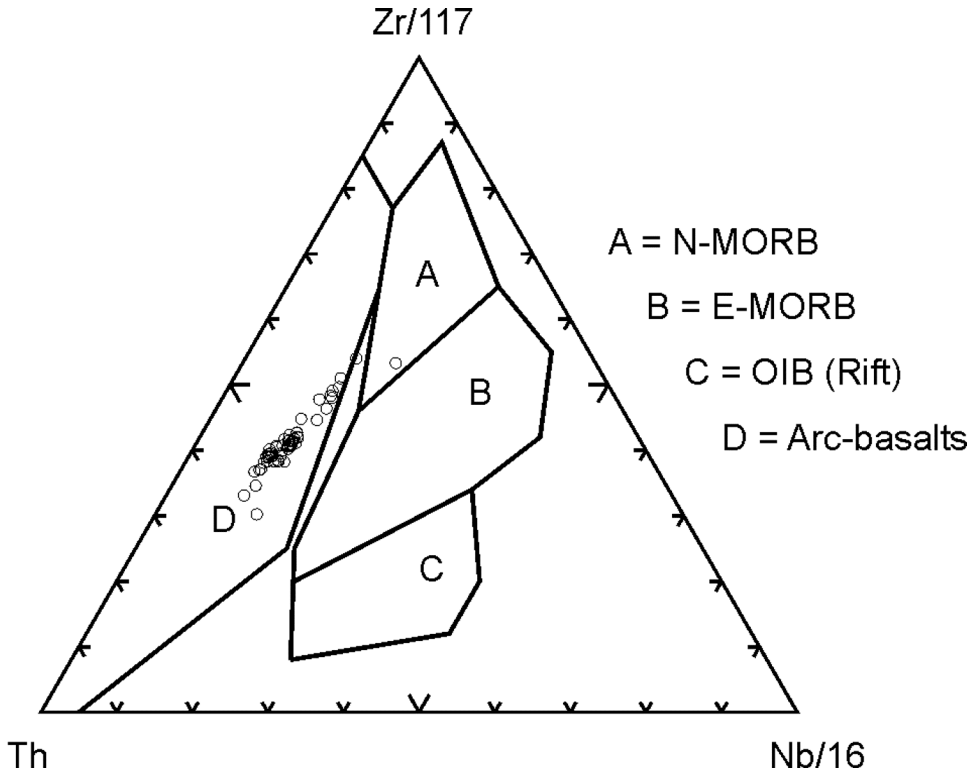
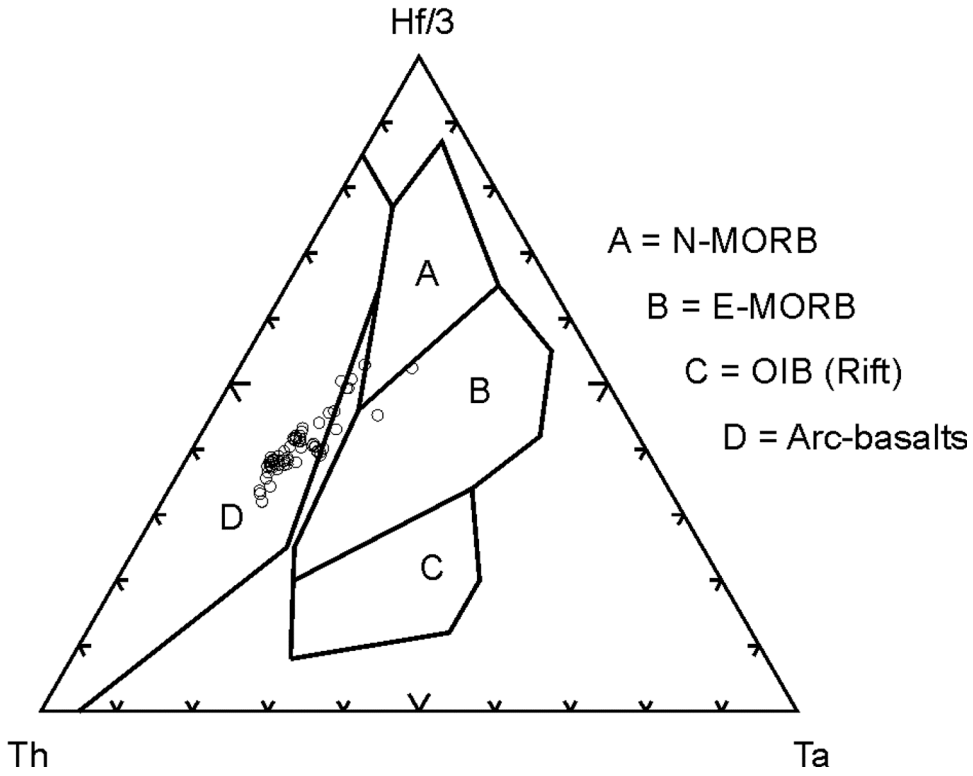


Figure 47. Th–Zr/117–Nb/16 discrimination diagram for mafic rocks (*after* Wood 1980). Genex mafic metavolcanic rocks plot within the arc-basalt field.



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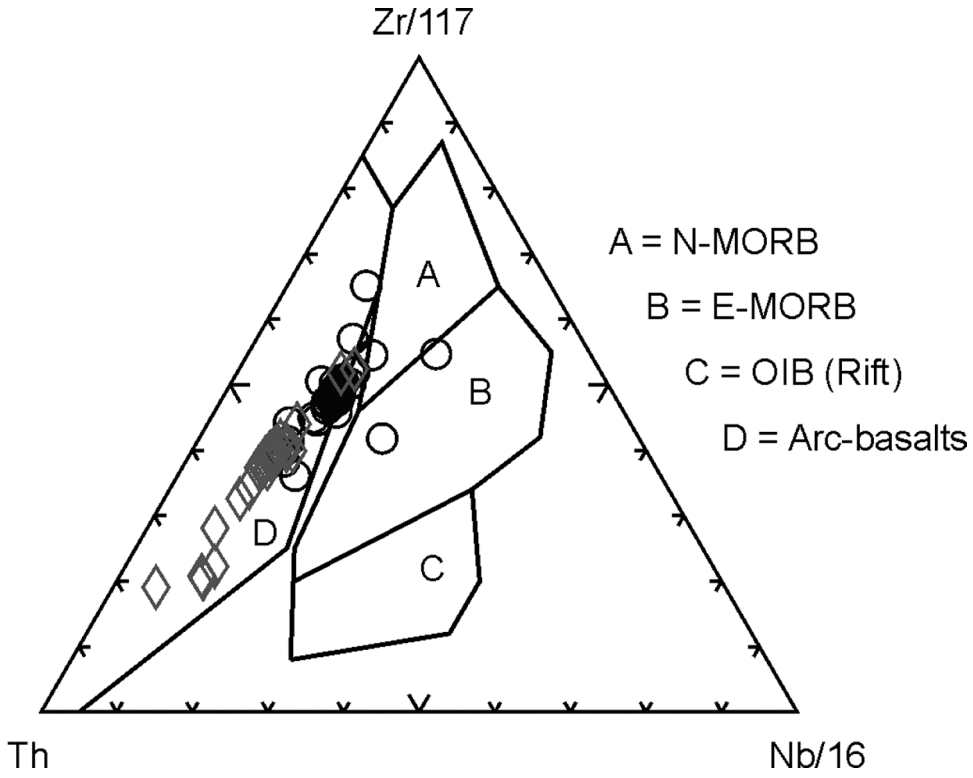

Figure 49. Th–Zr/117–Nb/16 discrimination diagram for intrusive rocks (*after* Wood 1980). Genex synvolcanic mafic intrusion (circles) and intermediate intrusion (diamonds) both plot in the arc-basalt field.

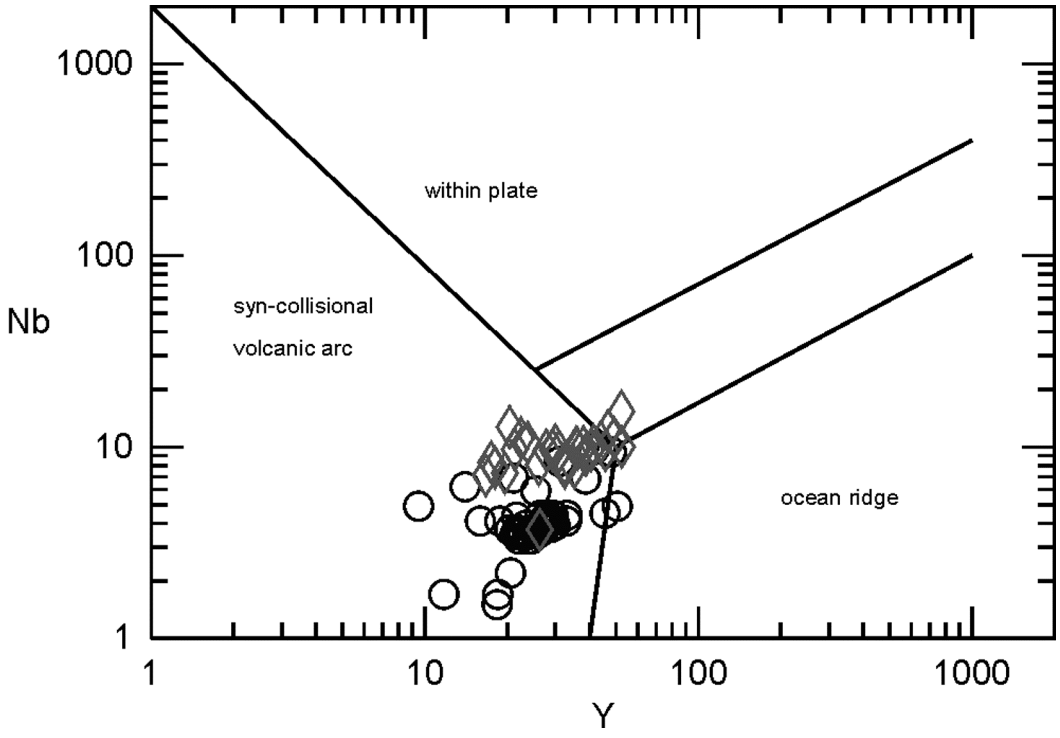

Figure 50. Nb versus Y tectonic discrimination diagram for intrusive rocks (*after* Pearce, Harris and Tindle 1984). Genex synvolcanic mafic intrusion (circles) and intermediate intrusion (diamonds) both plot in the syncollisional volcanic arc field.

Table 6. Classification of Abitibi belt igneous rocks (*from* Barrie, Ludden and Green 1993; Kerrich and Wyman 1996; Genex data from this study).

	Group 1 (Kamiskotia)	Group 2 (Noranda)	Group 3 (Selbaie)	Group 4 (Upper Skead)	Group 5 (Timiskaming)	Genex
Tectonic Environment	Oceanic rift	Rifted island arc (plots within plate field on Th/Yb vs. Ta/Yb)	Arc	Arc (plot in continental arc-alkalic arc on Th/Yb vs. Ta/Yb)	Arc (plot in continental arc-alkalic arc on Th/Yb vs. Ta/Yb)	
Geochemical Affinity	Bimodal tholeiitic basalt/basaltic andesite and high silica rhyolite	Bimodal transitional tholeiitic-calc-alkaline andesite and dacite-rhyolite	Calc-alkalic andesite-dacite-rhyolite	Transitional calc-alkalic-alkaline rocks and alkalic (arc) rocks	Timiskaming transitional calc-alkalic-alkaline rocks and alkalic (arc rocks	Bimodal tholeiitic basaltic andesite and high silica rhyolite
VMS Potential	Economic	Economic	Economic	Barren	Barren	Sub-economic
REE and HFSE Contents	High, pronounced Eu anomaly	Intermediate HFSE	Low REE and HFSE	Low HFSE Strongly fractionated REE	Low HFSE Strongly fractionated REE	High, pronounced Eu anomaly
La_{CN}/Yb_{CN} mafic	<2	2.3-3.6	3-4	>8	>8	6.96 (avg)
La_{CN}/Yb_{CN} felsic	<3.5	<3	3-9	>8	>8	8.5 (avg)
Yb_{CN} mafic	16-50	15-20	10-15	2-20	2-20	11.5 (avg)
Yb_{CN} felsic	>40	20-45	10-20	2-25	2-25	12 (avg)
Th/Yb mafic	<0.4	0.4-0.6	0.6-0.8	>1.5	>1.5	0.55 (avg)
Th/Yb felsic	<1	<0.6	0.6-2.5	>1	>1	0.92 (avg)
Zr/Y mafic	<6	<5	<6	>5	>5	6.63 (avg)
Zr/Y felsic	<4	<6	<10	>10	>10	6.77 (avg)
Y (ppm) mafic	>25	20-30	20-25	4-40	4-40	35.72 (avg)
Y(ppm) felsic	>70	30-60	15-35	5-40	5-40	42.75 (avg)

After completing work in the Abitibi greenstone belt, Barrie, Ludden and Green (1993) created a classification scheme for Abitibi belt igneous rocks, which has been amended by Kerrich and Wyman (1996) (Table 6). According to Table 6, the Genex igneous rocks should fall within the Group 1 classification (typified by the Kamiskotia (Tisdale assemblage) igneous rocks). Group 1 rocks, therefore, should have an oceanic rift affinity. The Genex igneous rocks, however, plot exclusively in the volcanic arc fields on preceding diagrams (*see* Figures 43 to 50). Further analysis of geochemical trends in the Genex igneous rocks (*see* last column in Table 6) reveal that the Genex igneous rocks are most similar to those in Group 2 (typified by the Noranda (Blake River assemblage) igneous rocks). This discrepancy again suggests that the Genex rocks are more similar to rocks of the Blake River assemblage than they are to the Tisdale assemblage.

Hydrothermal Alteration

INTRODUCTION

Hydrothermal alteration in VMS systems is the result of seawater, and evolved seawater, to rock interactions (reactions) at various temperatures and water-to-rock ratios in subseafloor hydrothermal systems. The circulation system is driven by a high thermal gradient, commonly in the form of a high-level (2–4 km below seafloor) synvolcanic intrusion (i.e., the Kamiskotia gabbroic complex) (Franklin 1993; Franklin 1996; Galley 1993; Hudak et al. 2003). The hot seawater leaches base metals from the wall rocks, and from the synvolcanic intrusion (Figure 51). The fluid buoyantly rises back toward the seafloor along synvolcanic fault zones and fractures and is expelled from subaqueous hot springs (black

and/or white smoker vents). The temperature difference between the hot hydrothermal fluid and the cold seawater causes the fluid to precipitate its dissolved metal load at or just beneath the seafloor, to form a massive sulphide deposit.

Throughout the hydrothermal system, numerous metasomatic reactions take place between the wall rock and the evolving hydrothermal fluid (*see* Figure 51). A zonation of alteration mineral assemblages and mineral chemistry is commonly observed both laterally from upflow zones (synvolcanic structures), and vertically, with changes in fluid temperature (Galley 1993). An understanding of these variations is critical in defining upflow zones, and potential areas of VMS mineralization (Galley 1993).

In areas of greenschist metamorphism, upflow zones are generally characterized by Fe-chlorite, quartz, siderite-ankerite, sericite, and talc alteration mineral assemblages. Semiconformable alteration zones (broad recharge zones where seawater is drawn into the hydrothermal cell) are generally characterized by Mg-chlorite, quartz, epidote, sericite, albite, and ankerite alteration mineral phases. Further discussion can be found in the following subsection.

Evidence of hydrothermal alteration is prevalent throughout the Genex area, and is conformable without a well-defined zonation of alteration mineral assemblages. Alteration types present in felsic metavolcanic rocks include sericitization, chloritization, and silicification. Alteration types present in mafic extrusive rocks, the mafic synvolcanic intrusion and the intermediate synvolcanic intrusion include Fe-carbonate alteration, silicification, chloritization, and epidotization.

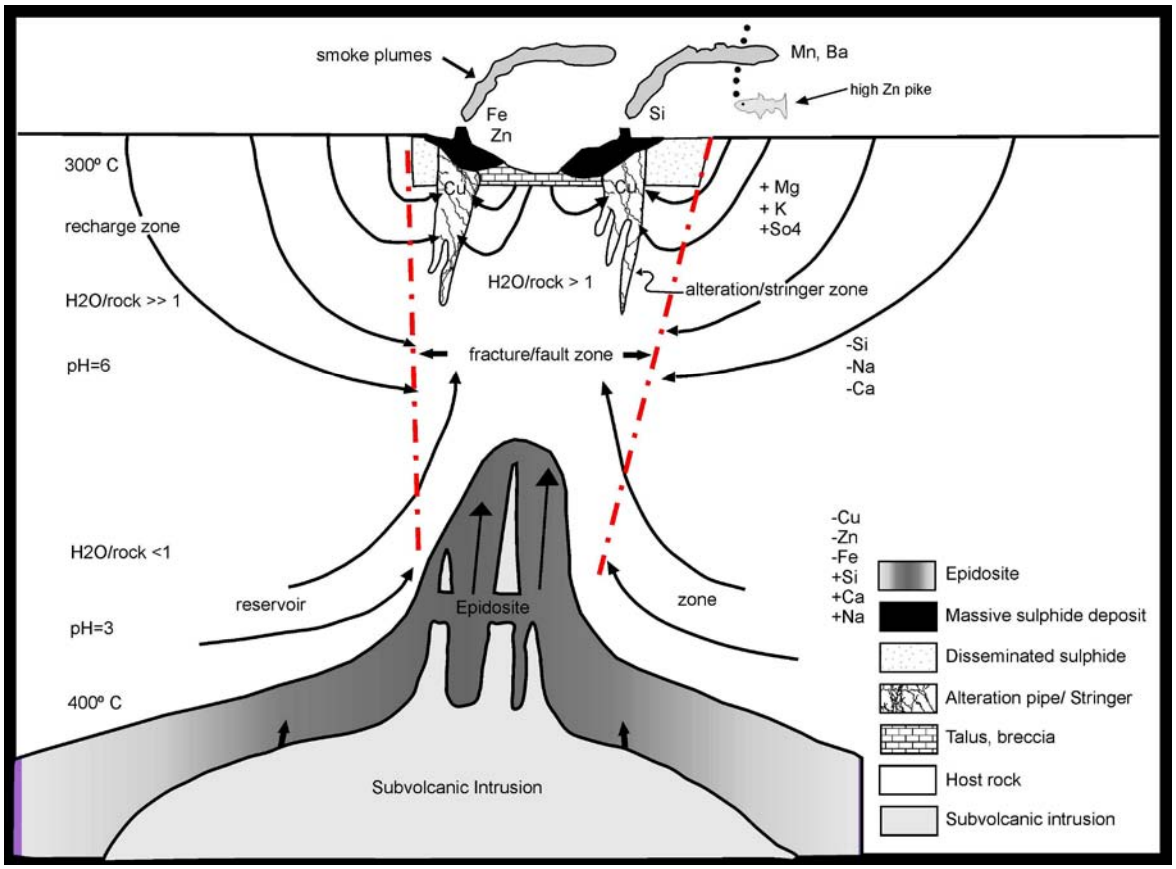

Figure 51. Generalized model of a hydrothermal system associated with the genesis of VMS deposits (*modified from* Franklin 1993; Franklin 1996; Hudak et al. 2003).

SERICITIZATION

All felsic rocks are sericitized, but to varying degrees. In outcrop and in drill core, sericite alteration occurs in the matrix of fragmental rocks, and as alteration of felsic fragments. In thin section, sericite is visible as disseminated grains, and appears to be replacing volcanic ash, and felsic volcanic fragments. The tan-light green colouration of felsic rocks in outcrop both on fresh and weathered surfaces is due to sericite alteration (Photos 30 and 31). Footwall felsic rocks tend to be more sericite altered than hanging-wall felsic rocks, possibly indicating a waning in the intensity of hydrothermal alteration after the mineralizing event. Mafic rocks do not display sericite alteration.

In bimodal-felsic VMS deposits, sericite alteration is common in both pipe and semiconformable alteration assemblages (*see* "Controls on Mineralization"); this is also the case in the Genex area.

Photo 30. Sericite alteration if felsic lapilli-tuff giving the rock a tan colouration (03-SMH-0056).

Photo 31. Sericite alteration in felsic-tuff (04-SMH-0056).

CHLORITIZATION

Minor chloritization is present in most felsic rocks (Figure 52), giving the rocks an overall green colour, on a fresh surface. In more chloritized zones, it can be difficult to distinguish between felsic and mafic rocks, except by the presence of quartz phenocrysts in felsic units and amygdules in mafic units.

The intensity of chloritization in the Genex area is shown on the alteration box plots presented in Figures 52 and 53. The alteration box plot, developed by Large et al. (2001), is a graphical approach to portray alteration trends. The box plot uses two alteration indices: the Ishikawa alteration index (alteration index = $100*[(MgO+K_2O)/(MgO+K_2O+CaO+Na_2O)]$) and the chlorite-carbonate-pyrite index (CCP index = $100 * [(MgO+FeO)/(MgO+FeO+K_2O+Na_2O)]$ (Large et al. 2001). Least altered samples plot in the boxes in the centre of the diagram, whereas hydrothermally altered samples plot based on the principal hydrothermal minerals present. A sample that has experienced sericite alteration, for example, will plot toward the bottom right corner of the box plot. Samples that have experienced diagenesis plot toward the bottom left of the diagram (in the diagenetic field). In Figure 52, for example, mafic metavolcanic rocks plot either in the basalt least altered box or in a cluster by the chlorite/pyrite corner. Thus, the principal alteration minerals present in the mafic metavolcanic rocks is chlorite + pyrite, which has been confirmed petrographically.

Chloritization is present in mafic rocks throughout the Genex area where it occurs as disseminated grains of chlorite and as rare amygdule infillings. In altered zones of the mafic metavolcanic rocks, the blue green colour of the rock is due to disseminated chlorite alteration (Photo 32). In pillowed mafic metavolcanic rocks, chlorite alteration is concentrated in the more permeable pillow hyaloclastite (Photo 33). In the mafic and intermediate intrusion, chlorite is present as disseminated grains.

Like sericite alteration, chlorite is common in both pipe and semiconformable alteration styles in bimodal-felsic VMS deposits, with little zonation in chlorite amount throughout the area.

Photo 32. Chlorite alteration in pillowed mafic metavolcanic rocks giving the rock a blue green colour (03-SMH-0001).

Photo 33. Chlorite alteration concentrated in pillow selvages (03-SMH-0167).

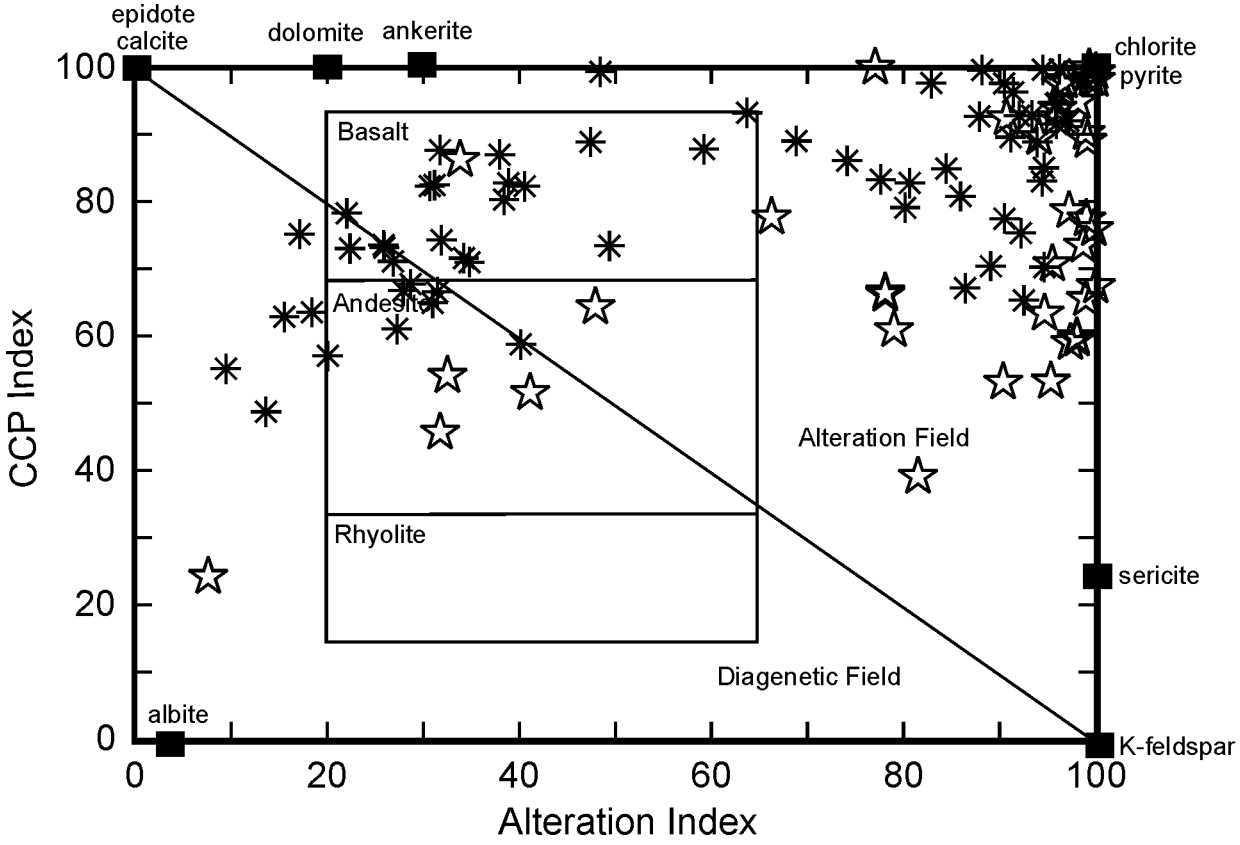

Figure 52. Alteration box plot of felsic metavolcanic rocks (stars) and mafic metavolcanic rocks (asterisks) (*after* Large et al. 2001). Mafic rocks trend toward chlorite/pyrite alteration and ankerite alteration. Felsic rocks trend toward chlorite/pyrite alteration and sericite alteration.

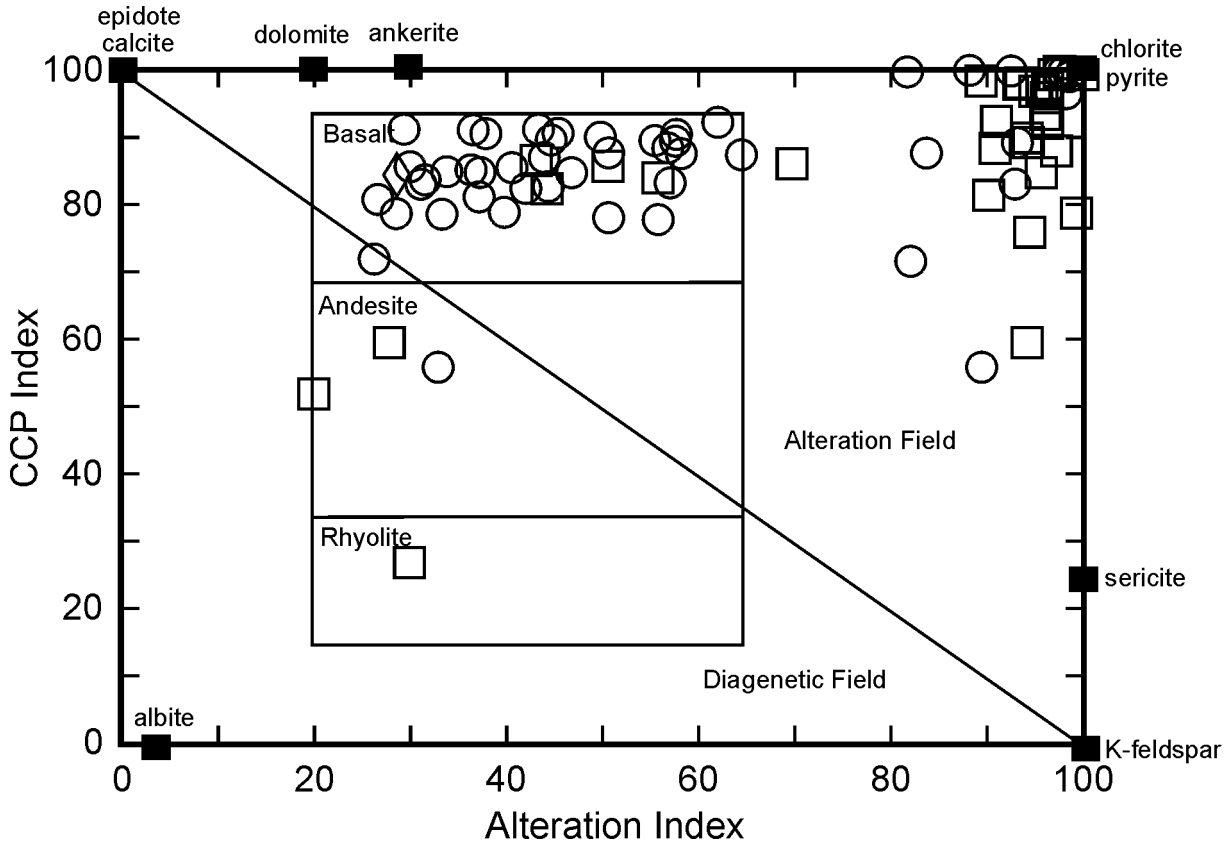

Figure 53. Alteration box plot of mafic synvolcanic intrusion (circles), intermediate synvolcanic intrusion (squares) and Matachewan diabase dike (diamond) (*after* Large et al. 2001). Mafic intrusive rocks are less altered, and trend toward ankerite and chlorite/pyrite alteration. Intermediate rocks trend toward chlorite/pyrite and ankerite alteration. Matachewan diabase dike is relatively unaltered.

EPIDOTIZATION

Epidotization is present in the mafic intrusion, and to a lesser extent, in the mafic metavolcanic rocks. The synvolcanic intermediate intrusion is devoid of epidote alteration. Of all rock types in the Genex area, epidote is most abundant in the mafic synvolcanic intrusion as disseminated grains, most easily seen in thin section (*see* Appendix 1 for a selection of petrographic descriptions). In outcrop and in drill core, the mafic intrusion has a green to bluish green colour on a fresh surface due to the presence of disseminated epidote. Overall, epidote is rare in mafic metavolcanic rocks except for a metre-scale zone immediately underlying the C-zone mineralization, in pillowed mafic metavolcanic rocks. In this locality, abundant epidote is closely associated with quartz and magnetite, in the hyaloclastite and margins of the pillows. Minor epidote-filled amygdules are also present (Photo 34).

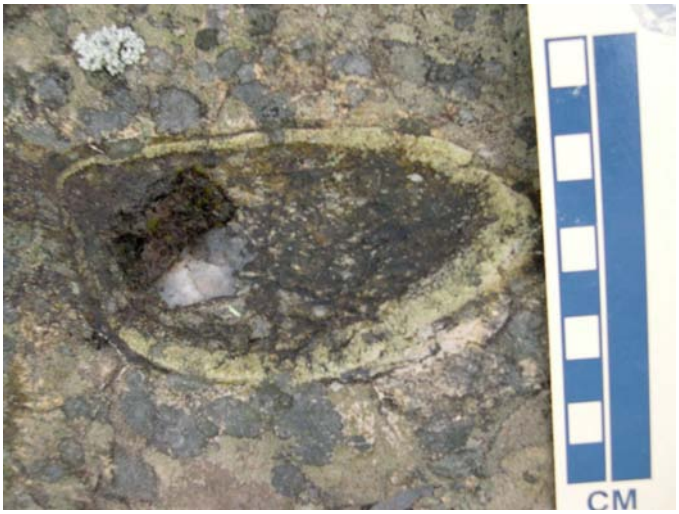

Photo 34. Epidote-filled amygdule in pillowed mafic metavolcanic rock (03-SMH-0001).

SILICIFICATION

Silicification is the process by which quartz replaces the primary mineralogy of the rock. Quartz dumping, on the other hand, is infilling of void space, and is characterized by amygdule and fracture infillings (Gibson, Watkinson and Comba 1983).

Overall, felsic rocks in the Genex area are highly silicified. Silicification is manifested as replacement of the matrices in volcaniclastic rocks, replacement of ash-rich rocks, and felsic fragments. Silicification is not as prominent in the mafic metavolcanic rocks in the Genex area. Mafic rocks are instead marked by quartz dumping in the form of amygdule infillings (Photo 35) and as minor quartz veins (Photo 36). Concentric cooling cracks within pillows are preferentially quartz filled, which causes the cracks to weather positive in relief, making them easily distinguishable in outcrop. In the mafic and intermediate intrusion, quartz-dumping is manifested as amygdule infillings (Photo 37) and as "lacy" silicification, infilling fractures in the rock (Photo 38).

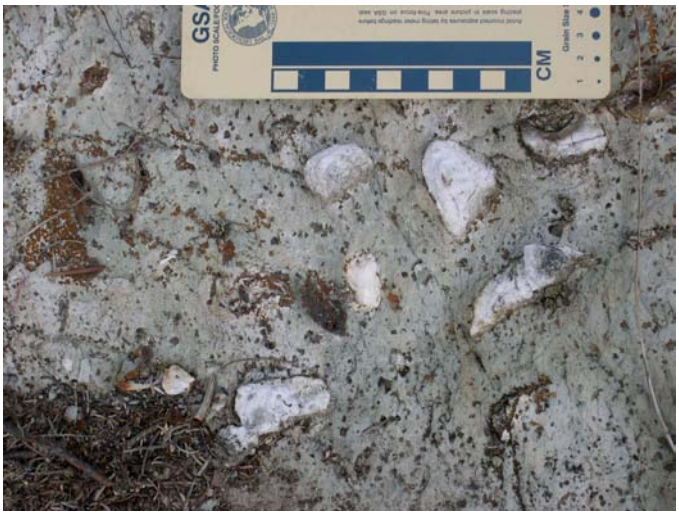

Photo 35. Quartz-filled amygdules in pillowed metavolcanic rock (outcrop 03-SMH-0073).

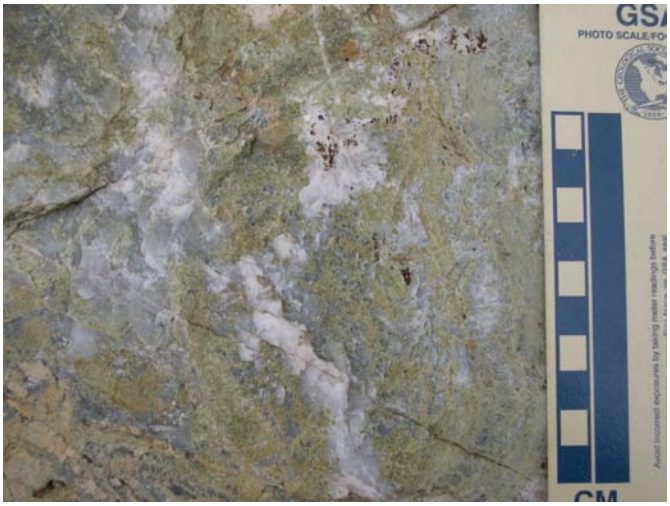

Photo 36. Quartz veins and epidote alteration in pillowed mafic metavolcanic rock (outcrop 03-SMH-0075).

Photo 37. Quartz-filled amygdules in intermediate intrusion from Falconbridge drill hole G22-15 (04-SMH-0003).

Photo 38. "Lacy" silicification in intermediate intrusion (03-SMH-0036).

FE-CARBONATE ALTERATION

Fe-carbonate alteration is present throughout the footwall and hanging-wall mafic rocks, and represents the youngest alteration type, as it overprints all other alteration assemblages. Felsic rocks are relatively devoid of Fe-carbonate alteration due to the primary iron-poor mineralogy of the felsic rocks, relative to the mafic rocks. The Fe-carbonate is visible in outcrop, drill core and in thin section as weathered rusty cubes and rhombs ranging in size from <1 to 3 mm and comprising <1 to 55% of the rock (Photos 39 and 40) and also as Fe-carbonate veins (Photo 41). In drill core, massive zones of Fe-carbonate (up to 90%) are also present (Photo 42). The intermediate intrusion has a much greater degree of Fe-carbonate alteration than the surrounding units. As is the case in the Genex area, bimodal-felsic VMS deposits (*see* "Controls on Mineralization") are commonly characterized by broad, semi-conformable zones of carbonate alteration, with carbonate zonation controlled by the composition of the rock hosting the alteration (Galley 1993).

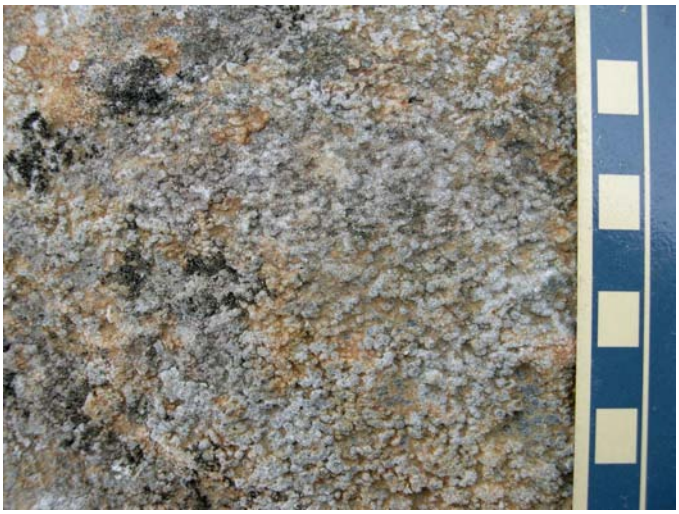

Photo 39. Outcrop appearance of Fe-carbonate alteration in massive mafic unit (03-SMH-0127).

Photo 40. Photomicrograph of Fe-carbonate rhombs (03-SMH-0073: field of view is approximately 22 mm).

Photo 41. Fe-carbonate veins in mafic unit from Falconbridge drill hole G22-14 (04-SMH-0002).

Photo 42. Massive Fe-carbonate alteration in mafic intrusion from Falconbridge drill hole G22-15 (04-SMH-0003).

ALTERATION CHEMISTRY

Major element chemical variations (*see* Appendix 3 for geochemical data) are useful in the recognition of hydrothermal upflow zones (zones in which evolved fluids have risen buoyantly toward the seafloor, *see* Figure 51) and potential VMS mineralization (Franklin 1993, 1996; Galley 1993). In some VMS deposits, hydrothermal upflow zones can be poorly defined and difficult to distinguish (Franklin 1993, 1996; Morton and Franklin 1987). However, these zones are proximal to synvolcanic structures, and are enriched in Mg, Fe, K, Zn, and Cu and depleted in Si, Na, Ca relative to the surrounding rocks (which represent zones of downwelling) (Franklin 1993, 1996; Larson 1984). Vertical variations in alteration mineral chemistry can also be recognized and are manifested as decreases in Mg/Ca, Mg/Na, and Na/Ca ratios (Galley 1993). These vertical variations are related to temperature gradients in the hydrothermal cell.

Based on a major element plot using Na_2O and K_2O (Figure 54), element mobility (i.e., alteration) in the Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks is due to hydrothermal alteration reactions, and not to diagenesis. Further spatial analysis of Genex geochemical data, reveals the presence of lateral variations in major element geochemistry with increasing distance from the fault zones, in the footwall of the deposit.

The relative abundances of MgO, K_2O, and to a lesser extent, FeO, increase in proximity to the faults in the Genex area. Na_2O, CaO and, to a lesser extent, SiO_2, decrease in proximity to the aforementioned faults (geochemical data and outcrop UTM locations are in Appendixes 3 and 5, respectively). Although none of the trends are pronounced, they are best developed within the mafic metavolcanic rocks in the hanging wall of the deposit. These lateral variations are interpreted to indicate that the faults (synvolcanic structures) in the Genex area served as conduits for the upwelling hydrothermal fluids. Lateral variations in major element geochemistry are expected in a hydrothermally altered area (Larson 1984).

Vertical variations are also expected in the footwall of a hydrothermal cell. In the Genex area, vertical variations in major element geochemistry are most visible in the mafic metavolcanic rocks (i.e., footwall versus hanging-wall trends). The strongest trends are in MgO and SiO_2 (Figure 55), but weak trends are also visible in CaO, K_2O, and MnO. CaO and MnO increase in the hanging wall, whereas MgO, SiO_2 and K_2O decrease in the hanging wall, relative to the footwall. The overall weak geochemical trends are due to the relatively small size of the study area (these changes are observed over several kilometres vertical distance: Galley 1993). However, it is impossible to tell if these variations are due to chemical variations within the hydrothermal cell, or if they are due to primary chemical differences between the footwall and hanging-wall rocks.

Overall, MgO trends are most prominent in the Genex area, and are manifested as both lateral and vertical variations.

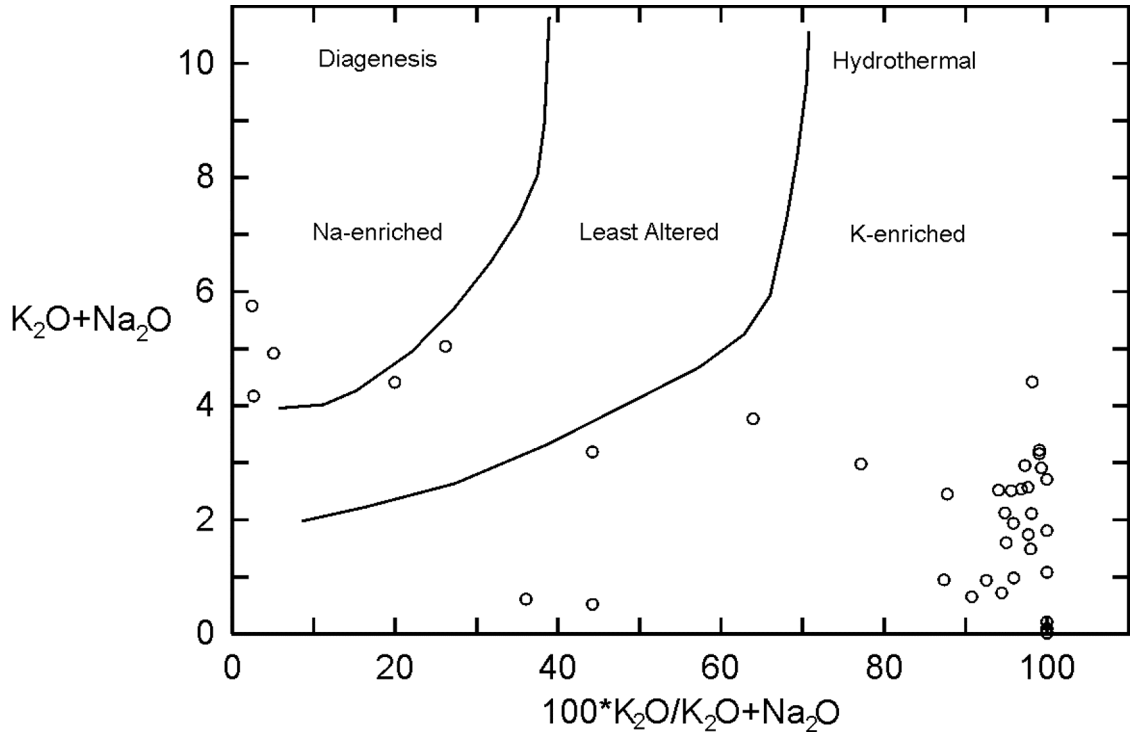

Figure 54. $K_2O + Na_2O$ versus $(100* K_2O)/ (K_2O + Na_2O)$ Harker diagram showing alteration of felsic metavolcanic rocks in the Genex area (from Bromley-Challenor 1988; Galley 1993).

In the Genex area, the product of hydrothermal alteration—the resultant VMS mineralization—has already been recognized, as has the presence of numerous synvolcanic structures (*see* "Deformation") along which the hydrothermal fluids rose to the seafloor. Major element geochemical trends have supported these interpretations, although the lack of significant mineralization in the Genex area, and the overall weak geochemical trends are most likely due to one of two factors: a) the hydrothermal system was short lived (Cathles, Erendi and Barrie 1997) or b) the study area is located in the distal part of a large hydrothermal system (currently unidentified) (Franklin 1996).

Controls on Mineralization

INTRODUCTION

The Genex deposit is a copper-zinc massive sulphide deposit that consists of 3 lenses of mineralization (the C-zone, H-zone, and A-zone) that were mined from 1964 to 1966. Over this time, approximately 242 tonnes (218 tons) of copper concentrate containing 21 to 27% Cu were produced; zinc was not recovered (*The Northern Miner*, September 1, 1966, p.13; Middleton 1975; Binney and Barrie 1991). At the time the mine closed, the ore reserves were estimated at 42 000 tons (38 000 t) grading 2.5% Cu (*The Northern Miner*, November 10, 1966, p.13, 20). Mineralization is contained within the matrix of a thin (approximately 0.5 to 3 m wide on surface) pillow breccia (C-zone) and a lapilli-tuff (H- and A-zones) units that are in contact with a portion of the north-trending fine-grained upper synvolcanic mafic intrusion (*see* Figure 56, back pocket). Numerous zones of shear-hosted mineralization are also present throughout the area in both mafic and felsic lithologies and they tend to contain a higher zinc content. Further discussion of the mineralization present in the Genex area can be found in Legault (1985) and Middleton (1975).

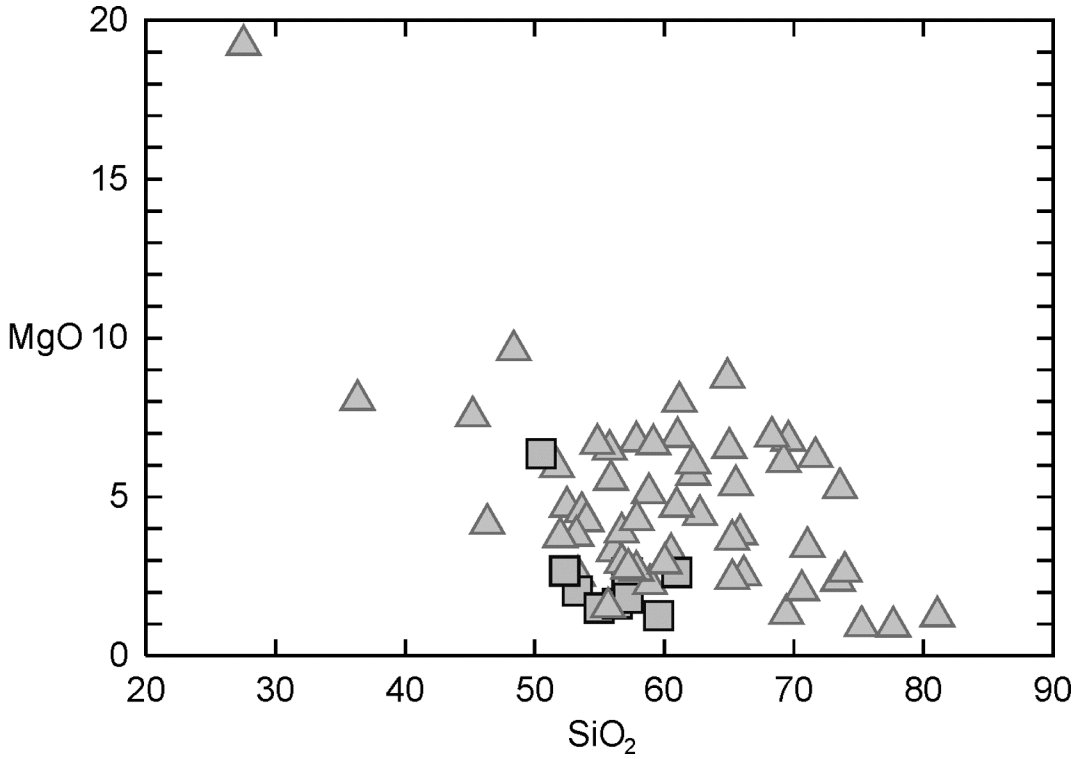

Figure 55. MgO versus SiO_2 plot of footwall (triangles) and hanging-wall (squares) mafic metavolcanic rocks in the Genex area.

CONTROLS ON C-ZONE MINERALIZATION

C-zone mineralization is contained within the matrix of a north-trending pillow breccia unit (Photo 43) from which Genex Mines Ltd. extracted 47 000 tons of ore at 2.92% Cu (zinc was not recovered). All of the mill feed while the mine was in production came from the C-zone (*The Northern Miner*, September 1, 1966, p.13; Legault 1985). The C-zone is distinct from the A- and H-zones in that it is hosted in a mafic pillow breccia and is north trending. According to mine plans compiled by Legault (1985), the mineralized zone has a strike length of approximately 60 m, extends approximately 80 m vertically, and is less than 8 m wide. Stringer mineralization is present only to the west of the C-zone (stratigraphically below) where it extends approximately 30 m from the C-zone proper. The stringers are localized within pillow selvages and amygdules (Photo 44). To the east (stratigraphically above), the mineralization is cut by the upper synvolcanic mafic intrusion, and does not occur above the intrusion. The mineralization is dominantly pyrite-chalcopyrite.

The C-zone mineralization is contained entirely within a zone of higher permeability (matrix of pillow breccia, pillow hyaloclastite) with no true massive sulphide present. This mode of mineralization is suggestive of subseafloor deposition where sulphides are deposited within zones of higher permeability (Doyle and Allen 2003; Lydon 1988; Stix et al. 2003). One possible explanation as to the higher grade and tonnage of sulphide mineralization in the C-zone (mafic hosted) compared to the H- and A-zones (felsic hosted), is the greater percentage of ferromagnesian minerals and magmatic sulphides (preferentially enriched in copper), which are then available for leaching to the hydrothermal fluids (Barrie and Hannington 1999). The presence of disseminated and minor fracture-controlled sulphides in the lower mafic intrusion (footwall) indicates that the sulphide-bearing fluids were present after the intrusion was emplaced. The upper fine-grained synvolcanic mafic intrusions (hanging wall) are barren of mineralization, suggesting that the intrusions were emplaced post mineralization.

Photo 43. Mineralized pillow breccia in the C-zone (outcrop 03-SMH-0003).

Photo 44. C-zone stringer sulphide mineralization contained within a pillow selvage (outcrop 03-SMH-0001).

CONTROLS ON H-ZONE AND A-ZONE MINERALIZATION

The A-zone and H-zone mineralization is contained within the matrix of a felsic lapilli-tuff breccia, and, to a lesser extent, the surrounding synvolcanic intermediate intrusion. The lens-shaped mineralization zones trend approximately east-west, perpendicular to stratigraphy.

Although there is very little surface exposure of the H-zone, mine plans indicate that the mineralized zone plunges steeply to the southwest (Middleton 1975) and is approximately 120 m in strike length (Legault 1985). According to Middleton (1975), the mineralization in the H-zone occurs both within the felsic-tuff (Photo 45) and at the contact of the tuff with the surrounding intermediate intrusion. Occasionally, the mineralization is known to occur in the intrusion, but without exception, occurs no more than 100 feet (30 m) from the contact. The mineralization is dominantly pyrite-chalcopyrite.

The A-zone is a small east-trending zone of massive to stringer pyrite, chalcopyrite, and sphalerite located directly adjacent to the H-zone, but hosted dominantly in the intermediate intrusion (Photo 46), with some mineralization occurring in the felsic lapilli-tuff (Legault 1985; Middleton 1975). On the 38 m level, the zone has been traced for approximately 75 m (Legault 1985). The zone has no surface exposure due to the debris and rock of the mine workings. Although sphalerite-rich, the A-zone was largely ignored during mining operations due to the fact that the ore was milled exclusively through a copper-circuit and the mine was not interested in zinc ore (Legault 1985).

Diamond drilling prior to production at the mine concluded that, although the zones do contain a higher grade section, the mineralization is too erratic to produce a significant tonnage of ore (Middleton 1975). Both of the sulphide lenses are disconformable and east trending, approximately parallel to faults in the area, indicating that, like the C-zone mineralization, the mineralization is the result of subseafloor replacement of sulphides in zones of higher permeability (Doyle and Allen 2003; Lydon 1988; Stix et al. 2003). However, in this case, the sulphides appear to have also been deposited along fault zones, which likely represent conduits for not only the intermediate intrusion but also for the hydrothermal fluids (Eddy et al. 1998; Stix et al. 2003).

Photo 45. H-zone sulphide mineralization in felsic lapilli-tuff from Explorers Alliance drill hole EGG32-36 (04-SMH-0006).

Photo 46. A-zone sulphide mineralization in intermediate synvolcanic intrusions from Explorers Alliance drill hole EGG32-35 (04-SMH-0007).

SHEAR ZONE MINERALIZATION

Pyrite-chalcopyrite-sphalerite mineralization is contained within numerous east-trending shears present throughout the area in both mafic and felsic rock types. The greater abundance of black sphalerite in some shear zones, relative to the pyrite chalcopyrite rich C-, A-, and H-zones, may indicate a lower temperature hydrothermal fluid (Lydon 1988). Perhaps the best example of zinc-rich shear zone-hosted mineralization lies near the southern shore of Aconda Lake, approximately 400 m north of the former mine workings at the “Claim Post zone” (Photos 47 and 48). Hosted in sheared mafic pillows, this zone was the focus of exploration work by Explorers Alliance in 2001. The company completed 4 diamond drill holes in the area that returned assays up to 12 770 ppm (1.28%) Cu, 59 824 ppm (5.98%) Zn, 2375 ppm Pb, 10.9 g/t Ag and 1090 ppb (1.09 g/t) Au (L. Bonhomme, Explorers Alliance, personal communication, July 9, 2003). Although Explorers Alliance hoped to find significant high-grade zinc mineralization in this area, no economically viable zones have yet been discovered.

INTRUSIONS AND MINERALIZATION

The Genex mineralization is dominantly contained in the porous matrices of pillow breccias, and felsic lapilli-tuffs. Minor stringer and fracture controlled mineralization is present in pillow basalts, the lower fine-grained synvolcanic mafic intrusion, and in the synvolcanic intermediate intrusion. The presence of mineralization in the lower fine-grained synvolcanic mafic intrusion as well as in the synvolcanic intermediate intrusion suggests that the two intrusions were emplaced before the mineralizing event took place. However, the medium-grained mafic intrusion and the upper fine-grained mafic intrusions are entirely void of mineralization which suggests that they may have been emplaced post-mineralization.

The heat from the synvolcanic intrusions was not great enough to drive the hydrothermal system responsible for the formation of the Genex deposit and associated alteration, but the intrusions may indicate the present of a high-temperature thermal corridor (Cathles, Erendi and Barrie 1997; Galley 2003). Mapping of the spatial extent of the intrusions has been important in defining synvolcanic structures which served as conduits for the mineralizing hydrothermal fluids and for the intrusions themselves.

Photo 47. Shear-hosted mineralization in claim post zone (outcrop 03-SMH-0082).

Photo 48. Black sphalerite mineralization in "Claim Post zone" from Explorers Alliance drill hole EGG32-32A (04-SMH-0013).

DISCUSSION OF THE GENEX MINERALIZATION

Sulphide emplacement can be broadly divided into two major processes: mobilization or replacement, and remobilization. Subseafloor replacement (a type of mobilization) is defined as "translocation resulting in increased concentration of the metallic constituents originally dispersed or disseminated in 'ordinary rocks' " whereas remobilization is defined as "translocation resulting in modified concentration and distribution of pre-existing massive and semimassive mineralization" (Marshall and Gilligan 1993). The Genex mineralization is the result of subseafloor replacement in zones of higher permeability and is not the daughter product of remobilization of a source deposit due to tectonism (Marshall and Spry 2000; Marshall, Vokes and Larocque 2000). Evidence against syntectonic or posttectonic remobilization includes 1) the occurrence of a stringer zone stratigraphically below the C-zone mineralization, 2) the occurrence of sulphides in areas of high primary permeability, such as pillow hyaloclastite and the matrices of pillow breccias and lapilli-tuffs, and 3) the stratiform nature of the major zone of mineralization (the C-zone). If the C-zone mineralization had in fact resulted from syntectonic or posttectonic remobilization, the mineralization zone would be concentrated along faults and/or shear zones oblique to stratigraphy, the stringer zone would be absent, and the primary textures and structures in the host rocks would have been destroyed (Marshall and Spry 2000). The A- and H-zones are oblique to stratigraphy and do follow a fault; however, original textures in the host lapilli-tuff are preserved.

The Genex Cu-Zn mineralization can be characterized as a bimodal-felsic type according to the VMS classification scheme developed by Barrie and Hannington (1999) (Table 7). The abundance of felsic rocks in the footwall of the deposit (*see* "Stratigraphy in the Genex Area"), the tectonic setting, and the felsic and mafic host rock compositions (*see* "Geochemistry") are all indicative of a bimodal-felsic deposit.

Table 7. Classification of VMS deposits based on host rock composition (*modified from* Barrie and Hannington 1999). Rocks ~3 km into the footwall, ~1 km in to the hanging wall, and up to 5 km along strike are considered host rock.

	Mafic	**Bimodal-Mafic**	**Mafic-Siliciclastic**	**Bimodal-Felsic**	**Bimodal-Siliciclastic**
Host Rock	>75% mafic rocks <1% felsic rocks <10% siliciclastic, ultramafic rocks	>50% mafic rocks >3% felsic rocks minor siliciclastic rocks	Subequal proportions of mafic volcanic or intrusive rocks and turbiditic siliciclastic rocks Minor or absent felsic rocks	>50% felsic rocks <15% siliciclastic rocks remainder is mafic volcanic and intrusive rocks	Equal proportions of volcanic and siliciclastic rocks Felsic rocks > mafic rocks
Tectonic Settings	Ophiolites, ocean ridges, advanced back-arc rifts, supra-subduction zone nascent arcs	Primitive volcanic arcs, rifted primitive volcanic arcs	Rifted continental margins, oceanic rifts	Mature volcanic arcs, rifted volcanic arcs	Continental arcs, rifted continental arcs
Mafic Host Rock Composition	Tholeiitic, locally boninitic	Tholeiitic, may be transitional to calc-alkalic	N/A	Calc-alkalic or transitional tholeiitic	Tholeiitic, may be mildly alkalic
Felsic Host Rock Composition	N/A	Calc-alkalic	N/A	Principally calc-alkalic, may be transitional or high-silica rhyolite	Calc-alkalic
Average Tonnage	2.8 MT	5.1 MT	11.0 MT	5.2 MT	23.7 MT
Ore Composition	Cu- and Au-rich and Pb-poor	Cu- and Zn-rich	Pb- and Cu-rich	Zn- and Ag-rich	Pb- and Ag-rich, Cu-poor
Examples	Potter Mine (Ontario), Coronation Mine (Saskatchewan)	Noranda District (Quebec), Flin Flon (Manitoba), United Verde mine (Arizona)	Besshi Deposits (Japan), Windy Craggy deposit (British Columbia)	Hokuroku district (Japan), Izok Lake deposit (Northwest Territories)	Iberian Pyrite Belt (Portugal, Spain), Bathurst camp (New Brunswick)

Summary

The Genex VMS deposit is hosted in a bimodal sequence of metavolcanic rocks and associated synvolcanic intrusions, overlain by a unit of volcaniclastic and epiclastic rocks. The base of the Genex stratigraphy (footwall) is composed of a thick felsic metavolcanic unit which ranges from felsic-tuff breccias, lapilli-tuffs, and tuffs with minor flows and flow breccias, forming a generally fining-upward succession. The overall lack of bedding, and the substantial thickness of the felsic breccias, suggests that the breccias may be the result of a large collapse event (i.e., caldera collapse). Although no coherent domes have been identified, the shape and packing of the fragments in the flow breccias indicate a proximal environment with little transport. Fractionation and geochemical trends in the Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks suggest that the felsic rocks are derived from fractionation of plagioclase, from a magma with A-type crustal affinity. Based on REE, the Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks are classified as FIIIa rhyolites, using the classification scheme of Lesher et al. (1986).

The basal felsic metavolcanic unit is cut by synvolcanic dikes and sills of mafic and intermediate compositions. The earlier intrusive units, the fine-grained mafic synvolcanic intrusions, are north-trending sills with numerous small apophyses stemming from the main intrusive bodies. The lower contact is brecciated with chilled and chloritized irregularly shaped fragments and local development of pillows. The upper contact is also irregular with numerous amoeboid dikes and peperite where they intrude overlying unconsolidated felsic volcaniclastic rocks. Near the upper part of the intrusions, felsic volcaniclastic rocks are incorporated in the intrusion. The presence of peperite, a pillowed base, irregular contacts, amoeboid dikes, and incorporation of felsic volcaniclastic rocks all indicates that the intrusions are high level synvolcanic sills. The lower fine-grained mafic intrusions are cut by a medium-grained intrusion, of similar composition. Fractionation trends indicate that the mafic synvolcanic intrusions are derived from fractionation of olivine ± plagioclase ± clinopyroxene, and are derived from a relatively primitive melt. The Genex mafic synvolcanic intrusions are oceanic tholeiitic basalts, and are derived from a primitive melt, without evidence of crustal contamination.

The younger intermediate synvolcanic intrusion forms a north-trending sill with numerous east-trending dikes stemming from the main intrusive body, parallel to faults in the Genex area. The lower contact of the sill is characterized by numerous apophyses which intrude the underlying volcanic rocks and the lower mafic intrusion. The upper contact of the north-trending sill, as well as the contacts of the east-trending dikes, contains a 25 m wide mixed zone in which the intrusion and the overlying rocks are chaotically mixed. However, blocks of felsic-tuff caught up in the intrusion are intact, suggesting that they were lithified prior to incorporation, indicating that the intermediate intrusion is synvolcanic, but slightly later than the mafic intrusion. In the immediate footwall of the Genex deposit, the east-trending dikes are shattered against the host rock (a felsic lapilli-tuff) with fragments of the intrusion in an altered, originally glass, matrix. The presence of a mixed zone, abundant spherulites and amygdules, and the utilization of the faults as conduits all indicate that the intermediate intrusion is a high level synvolcanic intrusion, but is slightly later than the mafic intrusions. Pearce element ratios indicate that the intermediate synvolcanic intrusion underwent olivine + clinopyroxene fractionation, and trace element data suggest it is a more evolved melt than the mafic intrusion. The intermediate synvolcanic intrusion is also an oceanic basaltic tholeiite, and is derived from either a crustal contaminated source, or a crustal-derived magma. Both the mafic and intermediate synvolcanic intrusions are chemically similar to the upper zone of the Kamiskotia gabbroic complex.

The intermediate intrusion can be physically distinguished from the mafic intrusions by a smaller degree of epidotization, a higher degree of carbonitization, a greater abundance of quartz, and a greater abundance of spherulites. Geochemically, the intermediate intrusion has a more evolved REE pattern, and a higher degree of crustal contamination.

Overlying the basal felsic unit is a massive basalt flow which has transitional contacts with a pillowed unit. Within the footwall pillowed units, there is variability in pillow size, pillow hyaloclastite thickness, amygdule percentage and degree of alteration. However, variations in pillow morphology, size, strike, and flow direction in the immediate footwall of the Genex deposit near the C-zone indicate that the pillowed flows were erupted onto a moderately to steeply dipping slope, with the crest of the slope near the C-zone. Disconformable massive mafic units are also present in the Genex area and are in close proximity to the east-trending faults. These units represent feeders for the mafic flows in the area, and are utilizing the faults as conduits. Mafic-tuffs, although rare, are found in proximity to pillowed and massive flows, and range from fine-grained tuffs to lapilli-tuffs, with evidence of bedding and cross-bedding. Fractionation trends in the mafic metavolcanic rocks indicate that the mafic rocks are a product of olivine + plagioclase + clinopyroxene fractionation. Trace element trends suggest that the footwall mafic metavolcanic rocks are oceanic tholeiitic basalts, and are derived from either a crustal-contaminated source, or a crustal-derived source.

Two fine-grained north-trending synvolcanic mafic sills define the immediate hanging wall of the deposit. The lower contact of the intrusions is a peperite, with chilled and irregularly shaped intrusion fragments in felsic lapilli-tuff. The upper contact is irregular with numerous, amoeboid dikes stemming from the main intrusive bodies. Although the intrusions are synvolcanic, they do not incorporate felsic material, which suggests that the upper fine-grained intrusions are slightly later than the fine-grained synvolcanic mafic intrusions in the footwall of the deposit. Geochemically and mineralogically, these synvolcanic sills are identical to the mafic synvolcanic intrusions in the footwall of the Genex deposit.

Overlying the hanging-wall mafic synvolcanic sills is a thin lens of felsic-tuff and lapilli-tuff overlain by a pillowed flow. Hanging-wall pillowed flows are physically similar to their footwall counterparts, but are chemically distinguished by a depletion in MgO, relative to the footwall mafic metavolcanic rocks. Pearce element ratios indicate that the hanging-wall mafic metavolcanic rocks are a product of plagioclase + olivine + minor clinopyroxene fractionation. Based on trace element trends, the hanging-wall mafic metavolcanic rocks in the Genex area are oceanic tholeiitic basalts, derived from either a crustal-contaminated source, or a crustal-derived source.

Immediately overlying the hanging-wall pillowed flow unit is a volcaniclastic and epiclastic unit composed of numerous depositional units grading from tuff-breccia and lapilli-tuff to tuff to mudstone and graphitic argillite. The volcaniclastic and epiclastic unit suggests volcanic quiescence characterized by mass flow sedimentation of volcanic-derived detritus. Mudstone beds reveal a hiatus in mass flow sedimentation that allowed relatively calm suspension deposition and pelagic background sedimentation. Felsic flows, mafic pillowed flows, and intrusions commonly disrupt the volcaniclastic sequences. The entire Genex stratigraphy is cut by several Proterozoic diabase dike of the Matachewan swarm.

Synvolcanic faulting in the Genex area occurred after emplacement of the lower synvolcanic mafic intrusion, but prior to emplacement of the intermediate synvolcanic intrusion. The synvolcanic faults formed conduits for the intermediate synvolcanic intrusion and for the hydrothermal fluids responsible for the mineralization and alteration at Genex. The late faults in the Genex area offset all Archean rock types, possibly during continued subsidence. The latest fault identified in the Genex area is the post-Proterozoic east-trending Aconda Lake fault.

Hydrothermal alteration is prevalent in all rock type in the Genex area, and is manifested as sericitization, chloritization, epidotization, silicification, and Fe-carbonitization. Although the heat from the synvolcanic intrusions in the Genex area was not great enough to drive the hydrothermal system responsible for the formation of the Genex deposit and associated alteration, the intrusions do indicate the presence of a high-temperature thermal corridor.

The mineralization in the Genex area is distributed in 3 major zones: the C-zone, H-zone, and A-zone. The C-zone is hosted in the matrix of a pillow breccia, conformable to bedding, with stringer mineralization contained in the pillow hyaloclastite of an underlying flow. The H-zone occurs within felsic-tuff and at the contact of the tuff with the surrounding intermediate synvolcanic intrusion. The A-zone mineralization is hosted dominantly in the intermediate intrusion with some mineralization in the matrix of a felsic lapilli-tuff. Both the H- and A-zones are disconformable to bedding, and are in close proximity to a synvolcanic fault. The Genex mineralization represents subseafloor replacement sulphides, localized in areas of higher permeability, with no massive sulphide present.

A brief geological history of the Genex area can be summarized as follows (from oldest to youngest events):

1. Bimodal volcanism in the Genex area begins as dominantly felsic volcanism, then shifts to dominantly mafic volcanism.
2. A hydrothermal system begins to develop penecontemporaneously with volcanism.
3. Synvolcanic emplacement of the lower fine-grained mafic intrusions (footwall), with associated development of peperite and brecciation.
4. Synvolcanic emplacement of upper fine-grained mafic intrusion (hanging wall).
5. Synvolcanic faulting of the Genex stratigraphy, with minor displacement. The synvolcanic faults are then utilized as conduits for focused hydrothermal activity.
6. Synvolcanic emplacement of the medium-grained mafic intrusion (footwall).
7. Synvolcanic emplacement of the intermediate intrusion along synvolcanic faults.
8. Hydrothermal alteration and VMS mineralization has occurred contemporaneous with the aforementioned processes, and then begins to wan.
9. Emplacement of volcaniclastic and epiclastic rocks in the hanging wall of the Genex stratigraphy suggests a waning or lapse in volcanism, or possibly another subsidence event.
10. Although minor, mineralization and hydrothermal alteration is still occurring along faults and shear zones, and in the volcaniclastic rocks.
11. Faulting with recognizable offset of stratigraphy. All of the Archean Genex stratigraphy is offset.
12. Emplacement of Proterozoic Matachewan diabase dikes.
13. Faulting along the Aconda Lake fault (reactivation of synvolcanic structure).

The Kamiskotia area, and the Genex stratigraphy, has traditionally been included in the Tisdale (2710–2703 Ma) and Kidd–Munro (2719–2711 Ma) assemblages (Ayer et al. 2002). However, recent work by Hathway, Hudak and Hamilton (2005) and this study have indicated that the Kamiskotia rocks, including the Genex stratigraphy, are more similar to the Blake River assemblage (2699 Ma). A recent age determination on a felsic lapilli-tuff in the Genex area, completed as part of this study, revealed an age of 2698.6±1.3 Ma. This date equates the Genex rocks with those of the Blake River assemblage, rather than the Tisdale and Kidd–Munro assemblages. The Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks have been geochemically classified as FIIIa rhyolites according to the classification scheme of Lesher et al. (1986). However, felsic rocks of the Tisdale assemblage are classified as FIIIb rhyolites. This discrepancy again suggests that the Genex stratigraphy is correlative to the Blake River assemblage. Further geochemical classification of the Abitibi belt igneous rocks using the scheme developed by Barrie, Ludden and Green (1993) and Kerrich and Wyman (1996) places the Kamiskotia rocks in Group 1. However, geochemical trends in the Genex rocks are most similar to rocks in Group 2 (which include those of the Noranda camp in the Blake River assemblage).

Recommendations

Although no significant VMS mineralization has been found in the Genex area since the discovery of the initial deposit, the area still has potential to host significant VMS mineralization, especially along strike from the Genex deposit. Geochemically, the Genex felsic metavolcanic rocks are classified as FIIIa rhyolites, which, according to Lesher et al. (1986), are preferentially associated with Archean VMS mineralization. Furthermore, the presence of a mineralizing hydrothermal system has already been established in the area. Thus, many of the necessary components for a VMS deposit are present. Lastly, the presence of mineralized mudstone lapilli in the volcaniclastic rocks to the east of the Genex area is of interest. Not only is the volcaniclastic sequence a good marker horizon, but the presence of mineralized fragments indicates that VMS mineralization was still occurring during the evolution of the stratigraphic package. The source of the mineralized mudstone fragments is yet unidentified.

The area to the south of the Genex deposit, along strike, is very poorly explored. The lack of outcrop prohibits surface mapping, but a diamond drilling program to the south may be able to trace the Genex stratigraphy in order to examine the mineralized horizon. Work to the north of the Genex area, along strike, has thus far been limited by the Aconda Lake fault, the offset of which is unknown. Regional work by Hathway, Hudak and Hamilton (2005) was not able to trace the Genex stratigraphy across the fault, but detailed mapping of the area north of the Aconda Lake fault, as well as re-evaluation of diamond drill core may be able to identify the Genex stratigraphy.

In further exploration for VMS mineralization in the Kamiskotia area, an important feature that must be recognized is the presence of synvolcanic structures. In the Genex area, the identification of high-level synvolcanic intrusions are critical in defining the presence of synvolcanic structures. Thus, recognition of intrusions similar to the synvolcanic intermediate intrusions in the Genex area, which tend to utilize synvolcanic structures as conduits, are important in defining synvolcanic structures.

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Appendix 1

Petrographic Descriptions of Samples

In this appendix, major lithologies have been subdivided into felsic metavolcanic rocks, mafic metavolcanic rocks, mafic intrusive rocks, intermediate intrusive rocks, volcaniclastic and epiclastic rocks, and late diabase intrusive (Matachewan) rocks. For each subdivision, representative samples have been selected, with photomicrographs and petrographic descriptions presented in this appendix. Complete petrographic descriptions and photomicrographs of all 183 samples are available in digital format on MRD 144.

Abbreviations used in petrographic descriptions
(*from* Kretz (1983), and *OGS Editorial Guide* (Weatherston 1996))

ab: albite
act: actinolite
altd glass: altered glass
amygs: amygdules
ang: angular
ank: ankerite
bt: biotite
blky: blocky
cal: calcite
carbn: carbonitization
chl: chlorite
chlcn: chloritization
cp: chalcopyrite
cpx: clinopyroxene
cusp: cuspate
dis: disseminated
elong: elongate
ep: epidote
epi-qtz: epidote + quartz alteration
epicn: epidotization
fel lith: felsic lithic fragments
fract: fracture controlled
frags: fragments
hem: hematite
hyalo: hyaloclastite
ireg: irregular
kfs: potassium feldspar
maf lith: mafic lithic fragments
mag: magnetite
ms: muscovite
opx: orthopyroxene
pat: patchy
perv: pervasive
pheno: phenocrysts
pl: plagioclase
pum: pumice fragments
py: pyrite
qtz: quartz
rnd: rounded
scor: scoria fragments
ser: sericite
sercn: sericitization
silcn: silicification
sp: sphalerite
sph: spherulites
unID: unidentified
vein: vein controlled

Felsic Metavolcanic Rocks

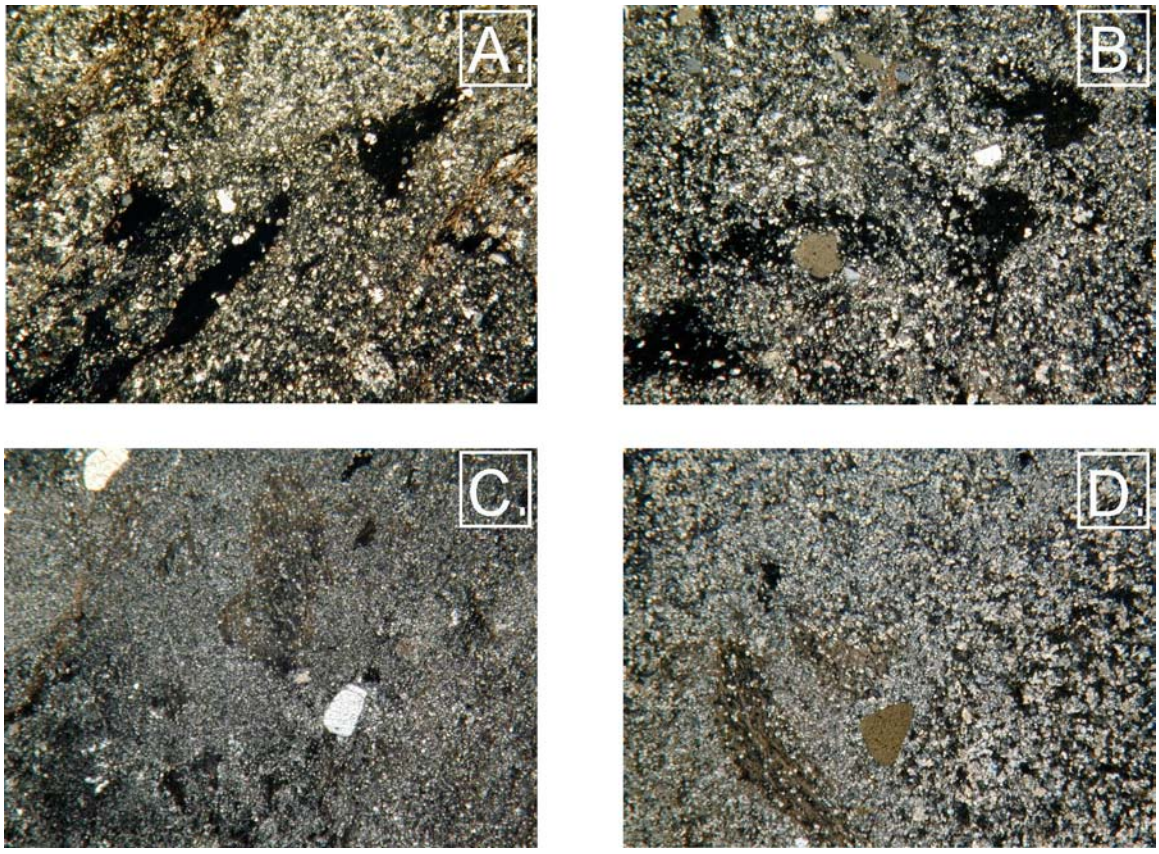

Photo 49. A) Photomicrograph of fragmental felsic flow in crossed polarized light. Sample 04-SMH-0023-4. B) Photomicrograph of felsic lapilli tuff in crossed polarized light. Sample 04-SMH-0001-5. C) Photomicrograph of ash-rich felsic lapilli tuff in crossed polarized light. Sample 03-SMH-0034-1. D) Photomicrograph of felsic lapilli tuff with pumice and felsic fragments in crossed polarized light. Sample 03-SMH-0025. Field of view is approximately 22 mm.

Sample	Major Unit Rock type		Primary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
03-SMH-	felsic	lapilli	po;ymict		pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
0025	volcanic	tuff					3-5%					70%

Fragments							Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	ireg	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong
5-10%			1%					x				x

Secondary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)					
fractured		qtz	chl	ank	cal	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
													25-27%

Comments	Alteration: Assemblage					Mineralization: Minerals					Form				
large, euhedral qtz phenocrysts with microfractures	sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
	x		x												

Sample	Major Unit Rock type		Primary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
03-SMH-	felsic	lapilli tuff	polymict	brecciated	pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
0034-1	volcanic						3-5%					80-85%

Fragments							Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	ireg	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong
			10-15%		5%		x				x	

Secondary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)					
fractured		qtz	chl	ank	cal	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
													15-20%

Comments	Alteration: Assemblage					Mineralization: Minerals					Form				
large qtz phenocrysts with microfractures															
pumice is highly altered, y-shaped shards	sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
matrix is microcrystalline qtz			x												

Sample	Major Unit Rock type		Primary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
03-SMH-	felsic	lapilli	mono		pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
0112-4	volcanic	tuff	lithic				5%					50%

Fragments							Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	ireg	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong
			10%							x		

Secondary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)					
		qtz	chl	ank	cal	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
				5%									30%

Comments	Alteration: Assemblage					Mineralization: Minerals					Form				
fragments are very irregular, altered, broken	sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
	x		x												

Sample	Major Unit Rock type		Primary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
04-SMH-	felsic	lapilli	mono		pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
0001-5	volcanic	tuff	lithic				1-3%					75%

Fragments: Fragments								Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID		mtx	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong
3-5%			3-5%								x		x

Secondary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)				
		qtz	chl	ank	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
												10-15%

Comments	Alteration: Assemblage					Mineralization: Minerals					Form				
felsic fragments are same composition as matrix	sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
but are more sericite altered	x		x												

Sample	Major Unit Rock type		Primary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
04-SMH-	felsic	ash	fine		pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
0005-5	volcanic	tuff	grained				1%					1-3%
			50-55% sph									

Fragments: Fragments								Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID		mtx	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong

Secondary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)				
		qtz	chl	ank	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
											5-10%	40-45%

Comments	Alteration: Assemblage					Mineralization: Minerals					Form				
abundance of spherulites indicates sample may have	sercn	carbn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
been devitrified hyaloclastite															
spherulites are radial, well defined	x	x													

Sample	Major Unit Rock type		Primary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
04-SMH-	felsic	flow	fine	fragmental	pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
0023-4	volcanic		grained				3-5%					80-85%

Fragments: Fragments								Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID		mtx	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong
5-7%			5-7%							x			x

Secondary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)				
		qtz	chl	ank	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
												10-15%

Comments	Alteration: Assemblage					Mineralization: Minerals					Form				
looks crystalline	sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
	x		x												

Mafic Metavolcanic Rocks

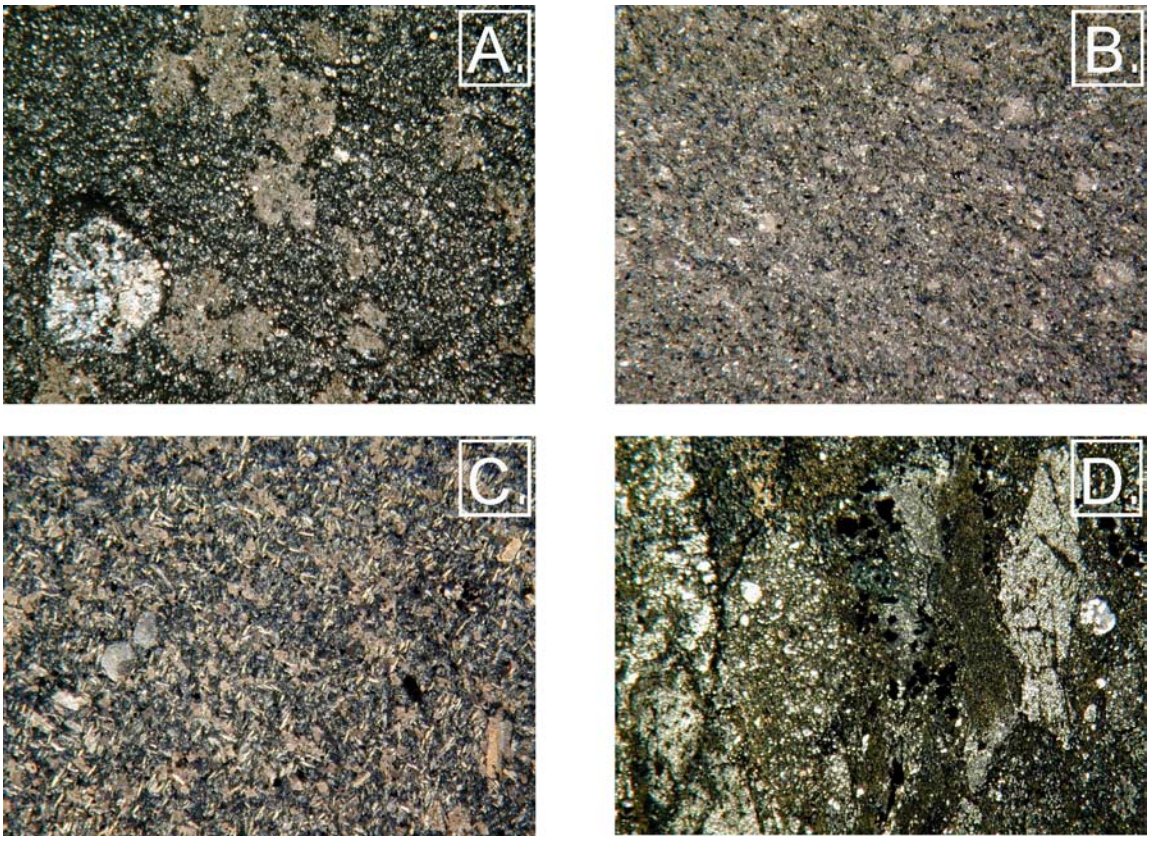

Photo 50. A) Photomicrograph of quartz amygdaloidal fine-grained mafic volcanic in crossed polarized light. Sample 03-SMH-0024. B) Photomicrograph of medium-grained mafic volcanic in crossed polarized light. Sample 03-SMH-0142-1. C) Photomicrograph of diabasic mafic volcanic in crossed polarized light. Sample 04-SMH-0015-2. D) Photomicrograph of pillow breccia in crossed polarized light. Sample 03-SMH-0005-1. Field of view is approximately 22 mm.

Sample	Major Unit Rock type		Primary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
03-SMH-	mafic	flow	fine	<1%	pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
0001-8	volcanic		grained	qtz amygs	5%		5%					5%

Fragments: Fragments							Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	ireg	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong

Secondary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)							Mineralogy (matrix)				
		qtz	chl	ank	cal	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
									60%		10%	10%	

Comments	Alteration: Assemblage					Mineralization: Minerals					Form				
irregular shaped qtz	sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
irregular shaped mag		x		x		5-7%					x				

Sample	Major Unit Rock type		Primary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
03-SMH-	mafic	massive	medium		pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
0050-1	volcanic		grained				5%					

Fragments: Fragments							Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	ireg	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong

Secondary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)							Mineralogy (matrix)				
		qtz	chl	ank	cal	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
						3%				35%	25%	15%	30%

Comments	Alteration: Assemblage					Mineralization: Minerals					Form				
	sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
	x	x	x						5%	5%	x	x			

Sample	Major Unit Rock type		Primary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
03-SMH-	mafic	massive	medium		pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
0142-1	volcanic		grained									

Fragments: Fragments							Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	ireg	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong

Secondary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)							Mineralogy (matrix)				
		qtz	chl	ank	cal	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
									20%	5%		65%	

Comments	Alteration: Assemblage					Mineralization: Minerals					Form				
	carbn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
	x				x					10%	x				

Sample	Major Unit Rock type		Texture	Structure	Primary Features: Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
04-SMH-	mafic	basalt	diabasic		pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
0015-2	volcanic		medium		45-50%							
			grained									

Fragments: Fragments							Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	mtx	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong

Secondary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)				
		qtz	chl	ank	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
										25-30%	20-25%	

Comments	Alteration: Assemblage					Mineralization: Minerals					Form				
very massive	carbn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
	x	x								3-5%	x				

Sample	Major Unit Rock type		Texture	Structure	Primary Features: Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
03-SMH-	mafic	pillow	fine	<1% qtz	pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
0005-1	volcanic	breccia	grained	amygs								30%
				brecciated								

Fragments: Fragments							Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	ireg	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong
				1-5%	3-5%		x				x	

Secondary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)				
fractured		qtz	chl	ank	cal	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
									50%		7-10%		1-3%

Comments	Alteration: Assemblage					Mineralization: Minerals					Form				
sulphide in fractures and disseminated throughout	sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
quartz veins with associated mineralization	x	x					5-7%	1-3%		1-3%	x	x			

Sample	Major Unit Rock type		Texture	Structure	Primary Features: Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
04-SMH	mafic	peperite	fine	<1% qtz	pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
0001-1	volcanic and		grained	amygs						40%		
	intrusive											

Fragments: Fragments							Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	mtx	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong

Secondary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)				
		qtz	chl	ank	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
								50%		5%	1%	5%

Comments	Alteration: Assemblage					Mineralization: Minerals					Form				
intrusion is finer grained than volcanic, but similar in composition	sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
	x				x					1%	x				

Mafic Intrusive Rocks

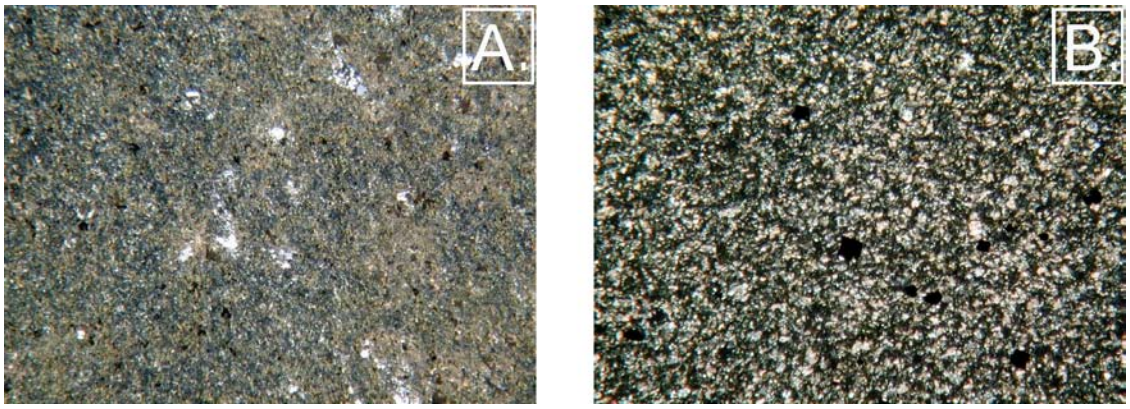

Photo 51. A) Photomicrograph of medium-grained mafic intrusion in crossed polarized light. Sample 03-SMH-0007. B) Photomicrograph of coarse-grained mafic intrusion in crossed polarized light. Sample 03-SMH-0107-2. Field of view is approximately 22 mm.

Sample	Major Unit Rock type		Primary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
03-SMH-	mafic	sill	fine	5-10%	pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
0007	intrusion		grained	qtz	5-10%		5%					
			sph?	amygs								

Fragments							Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	ireg	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong

Secondary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)				
		qtz	chl	ank	cal	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
									30%		10%	45%	

Comments	Alteration: Assemblage					Mineralization: Minerals					Form				
feldspars highly carbonate altered	carbn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
carbonate partly altered to hematite	x		x		x					1-3%	x				
possible spherulites (5%)															

Sample	Major Unit Rock type		Primary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
03-SMH-	mafic	dikes/	medium		pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
0107-2	intrusion	sills	grained		1-5%		3%					5%
		gabbro	1-3% sph									

Fragments							Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	ireg	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong

Secondary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)					
		qtz	chl	ank	cal	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
									30%		10-12%	50%	

Comments	Alteration: Assemblage					Mineralization: Minerals					Form				
most primary minerals are altered	carbn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
anhedral qtz phenocrysts	x				x		3-5%				x				

Sample	Major Unit Rock type		Primary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
04-SMH-	mafic	gabbro	coarse		pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
0050-1	intrusion		grained		40%							

Fragments							Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	mtx	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong

Secondary Features: Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)				
		qtz	chl	ank	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
				30%				30%				

Comments	Alteration: Assemblage					Mineralization: Minerals					Form				
	sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
					x		3%				x				

Intermediate Intrusive Rocks

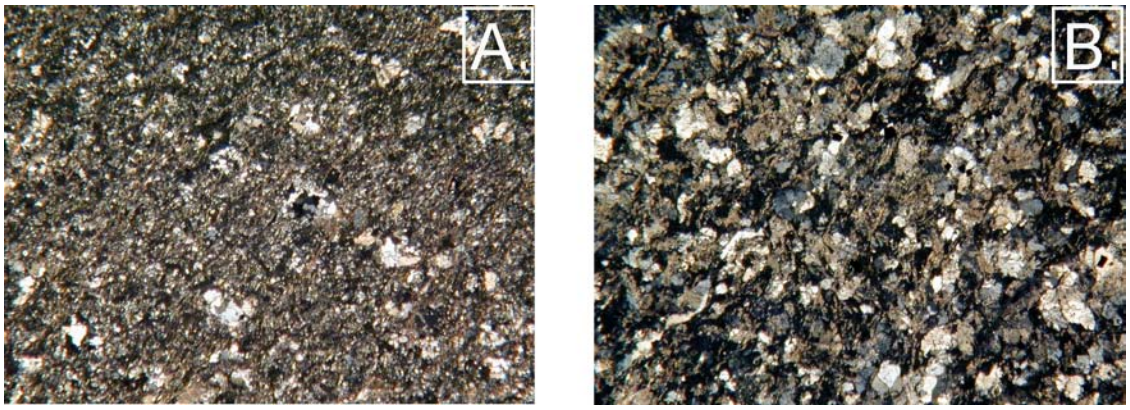

Photo 52. A) Photomicrograph of medium-grained intermediate intrusion in crossed polarized light. Sample 03-SMH-0089-2. B) Photomicrograph of coarse-grained intermediate intrusion in crossed polarized light. Sample 04-SMH-0023-2. Field of view is approximately 22 mm.

Sample	Major Unit	Rock type
03-SMH-0087-1	intermediate intrusive	dikes/sills

Primary Features

Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
		pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
medium grained		10-15%		35-40%					
5-7% sph									

Fragments

Fragments							Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	ireg	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong

Secondary Features

Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)					
		qtz	chl	ank	cal	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
										5%	40%	5%	5%

Comments	Alteration					Mineralization									
	Assemblage					Minerals					Form				
sericitized and chloritized feldspar phenocrysts	sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
highly fractured, anhedral qtz phenocrysts		x	x												

Sample	Major Unit	Rock type
03-SMH-0089-2	intermediate intrusion	dike/sill

Primary Features

Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
		pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
fine to medium grained	5% qtz amygs								45%

Fragments

Fragments							Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	ireg	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong

Secondary Features

Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)					
		qtz	chl	ank	cal	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
											20%		30%

Comments	Alteration					Mineralization									
	Assemblage					Minerals					Form				
	sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
	x	x													

Sample	Major Unit	Rock type
04-SMH-0023-2	intermediate intrusion	quartz diorite

Primary Features

Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
		pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
coarse grained		10-15%		25-30%	5-10%				

Fragments

Fragments							Morphology					
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	mtx	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong

Secondary Features

Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)					
		qtz	chl	ank	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser	
										25-30%		30-35%	

Comments	Alteration					Mineralization									
	Assemblage					Minerals					Form				
most plagioclase of pyroxene has been altered	sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
							1-3%				x				

Volcaniclastic and Epiclastic Rocks

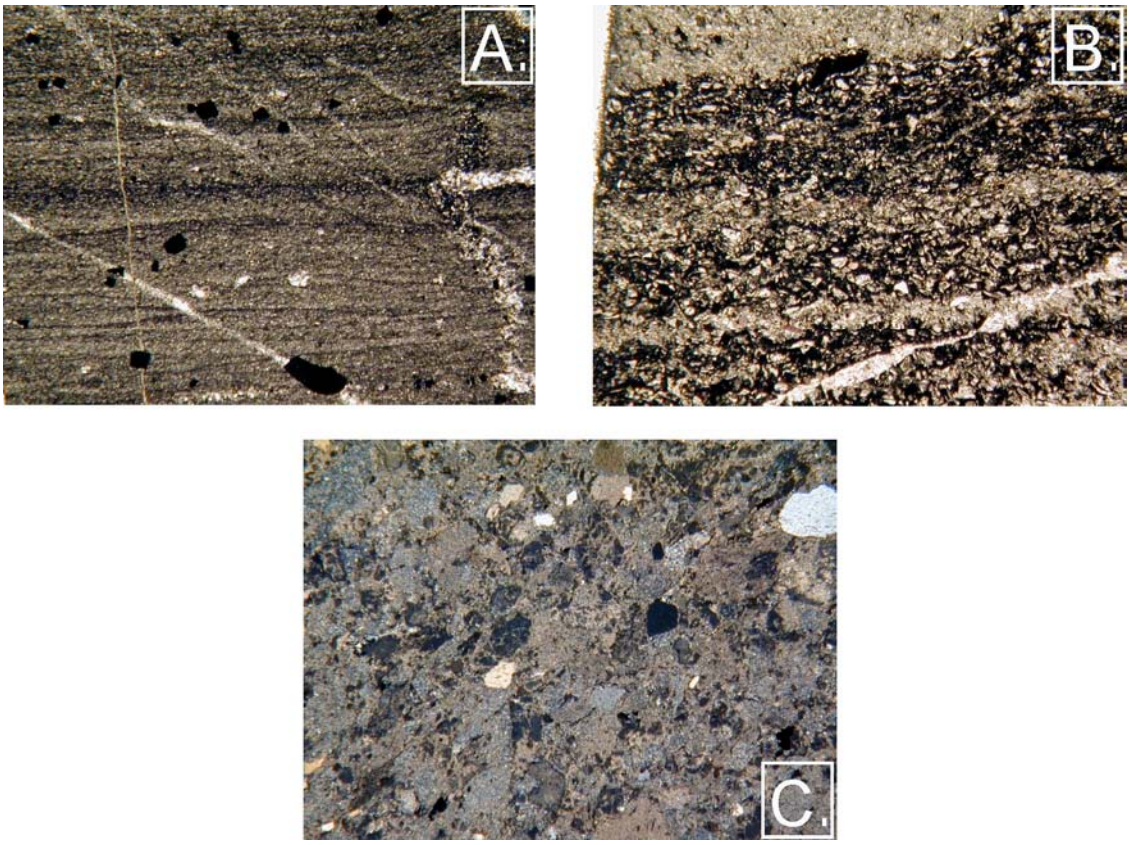

Photo 53. A) Photomicrograph of finely laminated mudstone in plane polarized light. Sample 04-SMH-0017-4. B) Photomicrograph of bedded tuff in plane polarized light. Sample 04-SMH-0005-3. C) Photomicrograph of polymict lapilli-tuff in crossed polarized light. Sample 04-SMH-0026-1. Field of view is approximately 22 mm.

Sample	Major Unit	Rock type
04-SMH-	epiclastic	mudstone
0017-4	sediments	

Primary Features													
Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)						
fine	laminated	pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	ash	mud	qtz				
grained	normally						75-80%	20-25%					
	graded												

Fragments													
Fragments							Morphology						
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	mtx	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong	

Secondary Features												
Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)				
		qtz	chl	ank	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser

Comments
layers have different proportions of ash/mud
each lamination is graded from ash to mud

Alteration					Mineralization								
Assemblage					Minerals					Form			
sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
						1-5%				x				

Sample	Major Unit	Rock type
04-SMH-	volcaniclastic	lapilli
0005-3	sediment	tuff

Primary Features									
Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
fine	bedded	pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	mud	kfs	qtz
grained	graded						5-10%		

Fragments													
Fragments							Morphology						
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	mtx	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong	
90-95%		1-3%						x		x	x		

Secondary Features												
Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)				
		qtz	chl	ank	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser

Comments
laminations are felsic ash in mud matrix
layers vary by composition, % frags, size of frags

Alteration					Mineralization								
Assemblage					Minerals					Form			
sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	sph	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
					<1%					x				

Sample	Major Unit	Rock type
04-SMH-	volcaniclastic	lapilli
0026-1	sediments	tuff

Primary Features									
Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)		
poly		pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz
mict				5-10%					

Fragments													
Fragments							Morphology						
fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	mtx	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong	
5-10%	25-30%							x	x				

Secondary Features												
Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)						Mineralogy (matrix)				
		qtz	chl	ank	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser
												60-65%

Comments

Alteration					Mineralization								
Assemblage					Minerals					Form			
sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat
x						1-3%				x				

Late Diabase Intrusive (Matachewan) Rocks

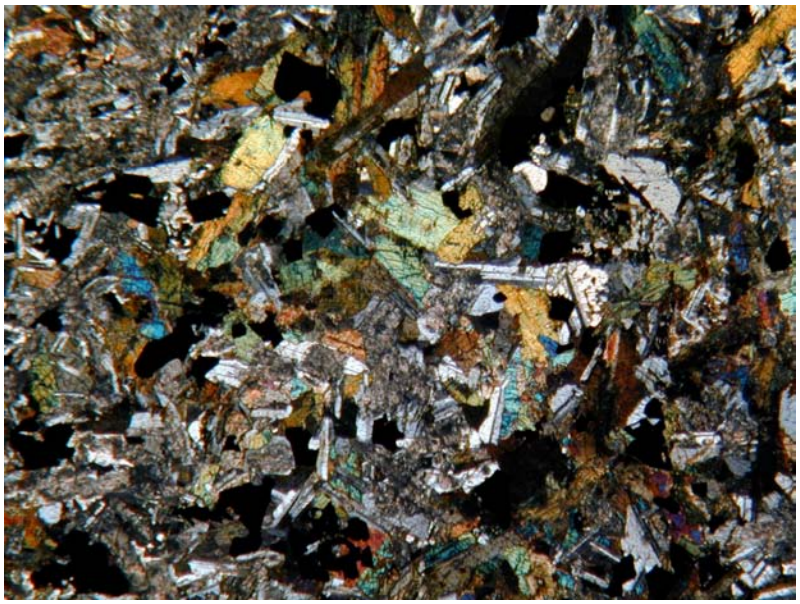

Photo 54. Photomicrograph of coarse-grained Matachewan diabase intrusion in crossed polarized light. Sample 03-SMH-0022. Field of view is approximately 22 mm.

			Primary Features																					
Sample	Major Unit	Rock type	Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (phenocrysts)					Mineralogy (matrix)			Fragments											
03-SMH-	diabase	dikes/sills	coarse		pl	kfs	qtz	opx	cpx	pl	kfs	qtz	Fragments							Morphology					
0022			grained		50-55%		5-7%		20-25%				fel lith	maf lith	pheno	pum	scor	altd glass	unID	ireg	blky	rnd	ang	cusp	elong
			Secondary Features																					
			Texture	Structure	Mineralogy (porphyroblasts)							Mineralogy (matrix)												
					qtz	chl	ank	cal	act	ab	bt	ep	qtz	chl	ank	ser								
												3%		3%		10%								
Comments					Alteration							Mineralization												
pl partially altered to ser					Assemblage							Minerals					Form							
Matachewan dike					sercn	chlcn	silcn	epi-qtz	epicn	mag	py	cp	hem	unID	dis	fract	vein	perv	pat					
					x						x			5-10%										

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Appendix 2

Drill Hole Identifications

During the course of this project, 18 diamond drill holes from Falconbridge Ltd. and 9 diamond drill holes from Explorers Alliance were examined. Descriptions of these holes are available on MRD 144, as are accompanying digital photographs.

Appendix 2. Original drill hole ID and new drill hole ID for this project.

Company	Original Hole ID	New Hole ID for This Project
Falconbridge	G32-25	04-SMH-0001
Falconbridge	G22-14	04-SMH-0002
Falconbridge	G22-15	04-SMH-0003
Falconbridge	G32-29	04-SMH-0004
Falconbridge	G22-12	04-SMH-0005
Explorers Alliance	EGG32-36	04-SMH-0006
Explorers Alliance	EGG32-35	04-SMH-0007
Explorers Alliance	EGG32-34	04-SMH-0008
Explorers Alliance	EGG32-33	04-SMH-0009
Explorers Alliance	EGG32-30	04-SMH-0010
Explorers Alliance	EGG32-31	04-SMH-0011
Explorers Alliance	EGG32-32	04-SMH-0012
Explorers Alliance	EGG32-32A	04-SMH-0013
Explorers Alliance	EGG51-26	04-SMH-0014
Falconbridge	G22-11	04-SMH-0015
Falconbridge	G32-28	04-SMH-0016
Falconbridge	G22-16	04-SMH-0017
Falconbridge	G33-15	04-SMH-0018
Falconbridge	G22-13	04-SMH-0019
Falconbridge	G33-13	04-SMH-0020
Falconbridge	G32-27	04-SMH-0021
Falconbridge	G33-14	04-SMH-0022
Falconbridge	G32-26	04-SMH-0023
Falconbridge	G32-10	04-SMH-0024
Falconbridge	G23-02	04-SMH-0025
Falconbridge	G23-03	04-SMH-0026
Falconbridge	G22-01	04-SMH-0027
Explorers Alliance	6G-04-2	04-SMH-0085

Appendix 3

Listing of Geochemical Data from the Genex Mine Area

All analyses by Geoscience Laboratories, Ontario Geological Survey and by Activation Laboratories Limited. Digital versions of geochemical data are available on MRD 144. Precision and accuracy information can be found in MacDonald, Piercey and Hamilton (2005).

Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area.

Sample No.	Description	SiO_2	TiO_2	Al_2O_3	Fe_2O_3	FeO	MnO	MgO
		wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %
03-SMH-0001H	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	60.52	1.85	12.50	7.09	6.38	0.12	3.22
03-SMH-0001I	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	56.09	2.06	14.84	11.54	10.38	0.17	3.28
03-SMH-0003D	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	73.55	1.26	6.69	8.81	7.93	0.07	5.27
03-SMH-0005A	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	51.72	1.45	10.20	23.40	21.06	0.17	5.93
03-SMH-0008C	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	81.08	1.46	6.20	4.83	4.35	0.07	1.23
03-SMH-0008G	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	52.48	1.71	11.80	15.16	13.64	0.15	4.69
03-SMH-0009-1	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	58.81	1.61	10.84	18.99	17.09	0.08	5.11
03-SMH-0011A	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	71.66	0.81	9.56	6.82	6.14	0.06	6.25
03-SMH-0011C	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	69.58	0.83	10.77	5.19	4.67	0.12	6.77
03-SMH-0012	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	48.39	1.39	13.43	13.52	12.17	0.07	9.61
03-SMH-0016	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	36.33	2.31	16.66	23.14	20.82	0.29	8.05
03-SMH-0020-2	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	71.05	1.57	11.69	5.31	4.78	0.04	3.42
03-SMH-0021-1	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	65.86	1.30	16.19	4.73	4.26	0.03	3.82
03-SMH-0050-1	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	61.17	1.06	14.71	11.67	10.50	0.09	7.99
03-SMH-0057-2	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	53.34	2.24	14.60	11.57	10.41	0.22	2.52
03-SMH-0057-3	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	53.63	1.90	13.29	14.20	12.78	0.22	4.52
03-SMH-0060	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	56.73	1.76	12.40	10.83	9.74	0.26	2.92
03-SMH-0064-2	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	65.02	1.06	12.88	9.52	8.57	0.04	6.54
03-SMH-0068-1	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	69.22	0.98	12.72	4.84	4.36	0.05	6.09
03-SMH-0069	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	54.01	2.21	15.17	11.22	10.10	0.21	4.23
03-SMH-0073	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	56.72	0.96	12.89	8.88	7.99	0.13	3.87
03-SMH-0075-1	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	69.42	1.82	12.39	4.62	4.16	0.06	1.31
03-SMH-0076	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	66.14	0.93	12.21	13.56	12.20	0.10	2.53
03-SMH-0082-2	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	61.03	0.99	13.02	9.38	8.44	0.18	6.88
03-SMH-0083-1	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	57.85	1.63	12.62	9.18	8.26	0.19	6.74
03-SMH-0084-2	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	55.77	1.73	13.02	16.52	14.86	0.07	6.48
03-SMH-0093	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	73.40	1.21	10.28	6.99	6.29	0.04	2.35
03-SMH-0095-1	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	62.75	1.59	11.20	15.09	13.58	0.07	4.42
03-SMH-0128	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	70.62	1.71	13.04	5.58	5.02	0.02	2.06
03-SMH-0153	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	54.84	1.34	17.32	10.64	9.57	0.15	6.66
03-SMH-0154-2	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	55.89	1.21	12.51	10.29	9.26	0.29	5.53
03-SMH-0156-1	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	65.52	0.71	9.63	7.32	6.59	0.11	5.36
03-SMH-0164	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	73.93	0.72	9.98	9.42	8.48	0.05	2.64
03-SMH-0167	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	58.90	1.37	11.82	9.33	8.40	0.34	2.25
03-SMH-0175-3	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	65.24	1.47	11.72	12.74	11.46	0.05	3.65
03-SMH-077-1	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	68.31	0.81	10.37	8.56	7.70	0.05	6.89
04-SMH-0002-7	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	57.88	1.55	12.72	11.98	10.78	0.24	4.26
04-SMH-0002-8	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	55.67	0.98	13.02	6.58	5.92	0.21	1.52
04-SMH-0003-6	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	53.22	1.98	13.58	13.10	11.79	0.21	3.77
04-SMH-0006-1	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	62.25	1.81	13.34	6.98	6.28	0.12	5.69
04-SMH-0009-2	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	64.87	1.11	10.50	8.10	7.29	0.05	8.74
04-SMH-0009-3	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	27.52	0.45	22.86	18.21	16.39	0.08	19.22
04-SMH-0009-5	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	62.23	1.14	15.30	8.93	8.04	0.05	6.05
04-SMH-0010-2	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	59.15	1.69	12.91	12.26	11.03	0.14	6.65
04-SMH-0014-1	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	45.22	1.22	12.68	14.03	12.62	0.24	7.53

Abbreviations: N.D. = not detected. N.M. = not measured/analyzed.

Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	CaO	Na_2O	K_2O	P_2O_5	LOI	Total	Ti	Mn	Na	K
	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
03-SMH-0001H	5.07	3.92	0.91	0.20	4.87	100.27	11343	1033	29926	7585
03-SMH-0001I	4.50	4.97	0.04	0.22	2.57	100.28	12008	1532	40680	277
03-SMH-0003D	0.50	0.08	0.25	0.07	3.35	99.90	7094	593	64.0	1990
03-SMH-0005A	0.81	N.D.	0.12	0.11	6.10	100.01	7759	1343	394	873
03-SMH-0008C	0.02	0.22	1.61	0.02	2.60	99.34	8411	527	1220	12082
03-SMH-0008G	4.99	2.72	0.03	0.14	6.70	100.57	9278	1226	16229	266
03-SMH-0009-1	0.25	0.05	0.04	0.12	4.47	100.37	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0011A	0.14	0.07	1.01	0.09	4.25	100.72	4996	496	469	8182
03-SMH-0011C	0.90	0.61	1.43	0.10	4.55	100.85	5171	1069	3988	11707
03-SMH-0012	4.37	1.28	0.31	0.10	9.33	101.80	8354	595	3106	2378
03-SMH-0016	8.43	0.17	0.03	0.18	5.81	101.40	13877	2599	1481	252
03-SMH-0020-2	0.39	N.D.	3.48	0.13	3.24	100.32	10110	332	151	>13500
03-SMH-0021-1	0.46	0.18	4.11	0.29	3.55	100.52	8322	316	1824	>13500
03-SMH-0050-1	0.36	0.29	1.15	0.27	1.63	100.39	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0057-2	8.32	4.21	0.07	0.24	3.88	101.21	12281	1906	36657	628
03-SMH-0057-3	7.34	2.42	0.02	0.17	4.40	102.11	10611	1923	19870	231
03-SMH-0060	5.65	4.64	0.05	0.20	3.96	99.40	9727	2029	33832	412
03-SMH-0064-2	0.34	N.D.	1.40	0.23	4.23	101.26	6416	353	N.D.	11579
03-SMH-0068-1	0.57	0.35	2.69	0.17	3.18	100.86	6246	462	2706	>13500
03-SMH-0069	4.65	4.78	0.19	0.23	3.48	100.38	11181	1709	33269	1484
03-SMH-0073	4.36	5.83	0.08	0.20	5.79	99.71	5561	1016	43261	685
03-SMH-0075-1	3.27	5.66	0.10	0.22	1.55	100.42	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0076	0.38	0.03	1.69	0.24	3.23	101.04	4913	850	300	>13500
03-SMH-0082-2	4.48	1.02	1.11	0.22	2.99	101.30	5906	1452	3948	8791
03-SMH-0083-1	2.04	0.86	1.57	0.51	5.77	98.96	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0084-2	0.61	0.07	0.76	0.49	5.43	100.95	10048	595	N.D.	6250
03-SMH-0093	0.71	0.01	2.05	0.45	2.68	100.17	6881	356	421	>13500
03-SMH-0095-1	0.08	0.15	0.90	0.08	4.19	100.52	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0128	0.72	0.13	3.34	0.47	2.81	100.50	9660	200	144	>13500
03-SMH-0153	1.30	1.13	3.17	0.23	4.06	100.84	8196	1310	3582	>13500
03-SMH-0154-2	8.82	1.84	1.25	0.13	3.62	101.38	7414	2408	9516	10406
03-SMH-0156-1	2.95	0.10	1.38	0.19	6.76	100.03	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0164	0.23	0.03	1.37	0.16	2.75	101.28	4351	437	303	12240
03-SMH-0167	6.36	2.87	0.97	0.47	6.08	100.76	7188	2674	20241	8630
03-SMH-0175-3	0.60	0.06	1.14	0.40	3.91	100.98	9059	468	N.D.	9478
03-SMH-077-1	0.24	0.08	0.74	0.19	3.79	100.03	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0002-7	1.64	0.11	3.03	0.48	5.63	99.52	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0002-8	8.37	4.02	1.59	0.22	8.16	100.34	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0003-6	5.46	3.17	0.14	0.23	4.99	99.85	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0006-1	1.78	0.43	1.98	0.43	5.43	100.24	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0009-2	0.27	0.07	0.39	0.14	4.71	98.95	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0009-3	0.16	0.06	0.70	0.09	9.93	99.28	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0009-5	0.35	0.13	2.36	0.27	4.13	100.94	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0010-2	0.60	0.09	1.29	0.44	4.32	99.54	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0014-1	6.24	2.33	0.20	0.12	8.86	98.67	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.

Abbreviations: N.D. = not detected. N.M. = not measured/analyzed.

Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	P	Cr	Co	Ni	Cu	Sc	V	Pb	Zn	As
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
03-SMH-0001H	843	36.0	29.0	12.0	27.0	63.0	405	N.D.	142	17.0
03-SMH-0001I	979	28.0	51.0	17.0	59.0	60.0	444	N.D.	126	19.0
03-SMH-0003D	218	27.0	38.0	9.0	3.0	34.0	211	239	369	20.0
03-SMH-0005A	503	41.0	50.0	15.0	574	36.0	222	28.0	1531	18.0
03-SMH-0008C	31.0	19.0	44.0	7.0	421	43.0	130	375	>3000	118
03-SMH-0008G	584	49.0	29.0	11.0	34.0	61.0	404	5.0	121	5.0
03-SMH-0009-1	N.M.	-8.0	N.M.	-4.0	N.M.	N.M.	406	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0011A	347	20.0	N.D.	6.0	18.0	36.0	49.0	9.0	165	1.0
03-SMH-0011C	432	15.0	21.0	9.0	77.0	45.0	50.0	6.0	1062	1.0
03-SMH-0012	420	124	53.0	36.0	82.0	65.0	318	7.0	94.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0016	728	61.0	67.0	22.0	32.0	86.0	515	6.0	247	17.0
03-SMH-0020-2	557	42.0	N.D.	6.0	61.0	58.0	271	8.0	236	N.D.
03-SMH-0021-1	1400	30.0	N.D.	14.0	9.0	58.0	96.0	8.0	130	N.D.
03-SMH-0050-1	N.M.	36.0	N.M.	12.0	N.M.	N.M.	137	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0057-2	989	26.0	52.0	28.0	16.0	56.0	497	6.0	121	14.0
03-SMH-0057-3	776	14.0	33.0	15.0	23.0	49.0	398	N.D.	121	6.0
03-SMH-0060	888	11.0	37.0	13.0	26.0	46.0	307	N.D.	87.0	2.0
03-SMH-0064-2	990	N.D.	17.0	16.0	15.0	32.0	118	N.D.	204	3.0
03-SMH-0068-1	710	25.0	N.D.	11.0	5.0	32.0	50.0	15.0	88.0	2.0
03-SMH-0069	975	28.0	50.0	15.0	37.0	40.0	468	N.D.	141	2.0
03-SMH-0073	765	23.0	60.0	19.0	33.0	31.0	56.0	15.0	83.0	5.0
03-SMH-0075-1	N.M.	-8.0	N.M.	7.0	N.M.	N.M.	326	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0076	1061	23.0	14.0	16.0	31.0	30.0	68.0	8.0	569	6.0
03-SMH-0082-2	929	29.0	25.0	18.0	20.0	22.0	60.0	7.0	131	2.0
03-SMH-0083-1	N.M.	-8.0	N.M.	-4.0	N.M.	N.M.	97.0	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0084-2	2195	6.0	20.0	6.0	29.0	29.0	12.0	79.0	384	18.0
03-SMH-0093	1920	N.D.	N.D.	4.0	14.0	35.0	31.0	8.0	119	1.0
03-SMH-0095-1	N.M.	8.0	N.M.	5.0	N.M.	N.M.	331	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0128	2822	15.0	N.D.	5.0	3.0	55.0	46.0	6.0	84.0	5.0
03-SMH-0153	1251	44.0	34.0	22.0	49.0	47.0	95.0	N.D.	302	7.0
03-SMH-0154-2	643	102	44.0	23.0	80.0	76.0	319	6.0	68.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0156-1	N.M.	-8.0	N.M.	10.0	N.M.	N.M.	105	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0164	911	38.0	18.0	9.0	167	35.0	58.0	9.0	192	12.0
03-SMH-0167	2733	N.D.	33.0	7.0	21.0	48.0	N.D.	7.0	98.0	2.0
03-SMH-0175-3	2341	15.0	N.D.	4.0	26.0	45.0	N.D.	8.0	141	27.0
03-SMH-077-1	N.M.	18.0	N.M.	9.0	N.M.	N.M.	106	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0002-7	N.M.	<8	N.M.	<4	N.M.	N.M.	57.0	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0002-8	N.M.	-8.0	N.M.	7.0	N.M.	N.M.	115	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0003-6	N.M.	14.0	N.M.	9.0	N.M.	N.M.	438	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0006-1	N.M.	<8	N.M.	<4	N.M.	N.M.	102	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0009-2	N.M.	31.0	N.M.	26.0	N.M.	N.M.	227	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0009-3	N.M.	35.0	N.M.	41.0	N.M.	N.M.	166	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0009-5	N.M.	10.0	N.M.	14.0	N.M.	N.M.	130	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0010-2	N.M.	<8	N.M.	<4	N.M.	N.M.	100	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0014-1	N.M.	108	N.M.	52.0	N.M.	N.M.	334	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.

Abbreviations: N.D. = not detected. N.M. = not measured/analyzed.

Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Rb	Cs	Ba	Sr	Ga	Ta	Nb	Hf	Zr	Y
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
03-SMH-0001H	23.07	0.271	374	30.6	21.0	0.65	7.1	4.6	171.2	39.95
03-SMH-0001I	0.43	0.030	41.0	196.8	24.0	0.66	7.8	5.0	188.6	37.0
03-SMH-0003D	6.90	0.315	56.0	5.2	26.0	0.46	4.9	3.1	114.7	66.22
03-SMH-0005A	2.75	0.256	N.D.	9.0	28.0	0.49	4.8	3.4	128.8	24.26
03-SMH-0008C	35.62	0.387	328	3.8	25.0	0.53	6.0	3.7	137.8	75.5
03-SMH-0008G	0.79	0.052	36.0	99.1	23.0	0.56	6.4	4.0	150.8	30.87
03-SMH-0009-1	2.38	0.107	N.M.	5.6	N.M.	0.42	6.6	4.2	159.3	41.5
03-SMH-0011A	20.83	0.267	203	6.2	17.0	0.63	7.2	4.9	198.5	16.14
03-SMH-0011C	30.88	0.396	264	14.0	17.0	0.65	7.7	5.1	209.3	25.56
03-SMH-0012	7.25	0.105	59.0	38.9	17.0	0.42	3.9	2.6	94.4	22.75
03-SMH-0016	1.49	0.118	50.0	392.9	45.0	0.74	9.0	5.8	217.1	64.21
03-SMH-0020-2	65.98	0.991	497	5.2	22.0	0.61	8.1	4.2	155.8	9.93
03-SMH-0021-1	50.83	0.805	982	15.5	25.0	0.97	12.3	8.4	332.5	27.03
03-SMH-0050-1	22.52	0.454	N.M.	9.2	N.M.	0.72	10.7	7.6	309.7	48.5
03-SMH-0057-2	1.12	0.037	69.0	267	26.0	0.73	8.7	5.7	210.6	50.25
03-SMH-0057-3	0.45	0.034	N.D.	187.2	22.0	0.65	7.6	4.9	179.7	43.51
03-SMH-0060	1.25	0.375	N.D.	65.6	19.0	0.49	6.9	4.5	165.9	38.38
03-SMH-0064-2	21.57	0.149	476	5.0	19.0	0.70	9.9	6.7	273.2	45.57
03-SMH-0068-1	47.71	0.707	414	24.2	19.0	0.68	9.6	6.4	256	34.81
03-SMH-0069	4.70	0.223	110	108.1	26.0	0.58	8.1	5.4	203.5	47.21
03-SMH-0073	1.48	0.034	33.0	137.3	16.0	0.65	9.0	6.1	240.7	39.91
03-SMH-0075-1	1.22	0.048	N.M.	43.8	N.M.	0.47	7.4	4.6	184.7	36.2
03-SMH-0076	29.37	0.329	275	8.6	18.0	0.62	8.7	6.0	235.8	32.26
03-SMH-0082-2	23.55	0.650	246	64.3	20.0	0.68	9.4	6.3	245.5	35.1
03-SMH-0083-1	30.46	0.310	N.M.	40.5	N.M.	0.63	9.4	5.6	226.6	43.32
03-SMH-0084-2	10.56	0.105	107	8.8	22.0	0.68	10.0	5.7	228.1	46.53
03-SMH-0093	32.33	0.291	329	10.4	20.0	0.58	8.1	4.9	191.3	34.36
03-SMH-0095-1	16.68	0.200	N.M.	4.0	N.M.	0.40	6.2	3.9	151.3	35.38
03-SMH-0128	30.91	0.504	486	19.4	23.0	0.73	10.1	6.2	236.6	26.99
03-SMH-0153	42.27	1.285	350	88.2	26.0	0.85	12.2	8.1	313.2	39.59
03-SMH-0154-2	31.75	0.907	483	123.3	16.0	0.28	3.7	2.6	94.9	36.04
03-SMH-0156-1	40.58	0.549	N.M.	60.4	N.M.	0.43	6.2	4.3	170.7	24.24
03-SMH-0164	24.96	0.325	275	8.0	21.0	0.57	7.3	4.6	171.8	21.17
03-SMH-0167	41.79	0.788	841	116.1	17.0	0.63	9.0	5.4	212.3	35.67
03-SMH-0175-3	14.85	0.120	274	6.1	23.0	0.58	8.5	5.1	195.9	29.58
03-SMH-077-1	15.16	0.243	N.M.	5.4	N.M.	0.52	7.9	5.3	217.8	50.24
04-SMH-0002-7	57.79	1.200	N.M.	48.0	N.M.	0.65	9.9	5.8	230.5	23.41
04-SMH-0002-8	53.80	0.762	N.M.	127.3	N.M.	0.64	9.0	5.7	232.1	40.89
04-SMH-0003-6	3.07	0.288	N.M.	173.8	N.M.	0.50	7.7	4.9	185	40.4
04-SMH-0006-1	40.04	0.603	N.M.	45.9	N.M.	0.67	10.3	6.0	237	27.91
04-SMH-0009-2	7.37	0.235	N.M.	5.4	N.M.	0.40	6.2	3.5	133.3	14.04
04-SMH-0009-3	14.18	0.359	N.M.	3.7	N.M.	1.49	15.0	11.0	375.1	28.74
04-SMH-0009-5	44.98	0.522	N.M.	8.7	N.M.	0.72	10.8	7.2	295	36.57
04-SMH-0010-2	27.07	0.335	N.M.	13.7	N.M.	0.63	9.6	5.7	226.5	31.06
04-SMH-0014-1	4.58	0.460	N.M.	78.4	N.M.	0.24	3.8	2.5	94.3	26.96

Abbreviations: N.D. = not detected. N.M. = not measured/analyzed.

Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Th	U	La	Ce	Pr	Nd	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
03-SMH-0001H	1.69	0.461	14.88	34.31	4.709	21.07	5.58	1.782	6.692	1.125
03-SMH-0001I	1.80	0.491	14.61	35.66	4.89	22.04	5.94	1.926	6.867	1.163
03-SMH-0003D	1.15	0.495	>100.00	>200.00	>25.000	>100.00	>30.00	1.825	>20.000	3.564
03-SMH-0005A	1.24	0.35	10.65	25.46	3.449	15.44	4.1	0.992	4.675	0.769
03-SMH-0008C	1.31	0.744	22.22	53.7	7.056	31.32	8.45	0.675	11.241	2.1
03-SMH-0008G	1.46	0.39	10.56	25.44	3.451	15.87	4.47	1.905	5.38	0.906
03-SMH-0009-1	1.51	0.412	13.42	31.98	4.331	19.56	5.3	1.429	6.527	1.105
03-SMH-0011A	2.03	0.565	2.65	6.33	0.895	4.23	1.25	0.335	1.774	0.331
03-SMH-0011C	2.60	0.631	7.14	16.17	2.298	10.66	2.83	0.676	3.239	0.563
03-SMH-0012	0.63	0.169	10.12	24.92	3.438	15.32	3.88	1.222	4.092	0.666
03-SMH-0016	2.06	0.593	18.49	43.45	5.999	27.45	7.31	3.088	9.077	1.559
03-SMH-0020-2	0.66	0.458	2.72	6.48	0.896	4.38	1.26	0.299	1.604	0.267
03-SMH-0021-1	2.34	0.937	4.52	11.44	1.675	8.03	2.32	0.539	3.276	0.616
03-SMH-0050-1	3.28	0.831	27.62	64.0	8.435	36.18	8.34	1.3	8.713	1.398
03-SMH-0057-2	2.05	0.543	17.37	42.0	5.842	26.71	6.91	2.209	8.329	1.412
03-SMH-0057-3	1.76	0.476	13.3	32.34	4.525	20.76	5.65	1.817	6.809	1.169
03-SMH-0060	1.64	0.442	12.79	31.57	4.282	19.88	5.21	1.434	6.516	1.096
03-SMH-0064-2	3.04	0.757	13.26	32.99	4.512	20.02	5.2	0.551	6.77	1.222
03-SMH-0068-1	2.84	0.74	20.34	48.15	6.301	26.88	6.0	1.701	6.301	1.017
03-SMH-0069	1.94	0.502	16.66	39.81	5.401	25	6.54	2.032	7.845	1.317
03-SMH-0073	2.78	0.773	20.38	49.36	6.506	28.05	6.53	1.642	7.206	1.169
03-SMH-0075-1	1.66	0.488	14.75	35.27	4.749	21.4	5.44	1.64	6.235	1.021
03-SMH-0076	2.42	0.682	19.73	46.74	6.166	26.43	6.11	1.855	6.386	0.979
03-SMH-0082-2	2.98	0.764	21.67	50.79	6.694	28.95	6.8	1.75	6.903	1.056
03-SMH-0083-1	2.38	0.614	20.98	49.18	6.589	29.73	7.08	1.784	8.017	1.253
03-SMH-0084-2	3.06	0.646	40.6	95.59	12.759	55.64	12.16	4.988	10.759	1.489
03-SMH-0093	2.13	0.605	27.18	65.66	8.704	37.59	8.62	2.134	8.634	1.226
03-SMH-0095-1	1.41	0.372	12.19	29.43	4.015	17.87	4.36	1.173	5.237	0.924
03-SMH-0128	2.33	0.666	19.05	44.9	6.053	26.38	6.0	0.866	5.85	0.878
03-SMH-0153	3.13	0.917	25.91	58.58	7.513	31.84	7.38	1.693	7.659	1.195
03-SMH-0154-2	0.61	0.16	7.02	17.39	2.511	12.35	3.69	1.278	5.052	0.901
03-SMH-0156-1	1.90	0.551	6.64	15.89	2.179	10.3	2.86	0.77	3.569	0.599
03-SMH-0164	2.51	0.636	18.8	41.13	5.179	21.73	4.79	0.838	4.585	0.699
03-SMH-0167	2.26	0.631	17.07	40.03	5.405	24.61	6.04	1.676	6.87	1.112
03-SMH-0175-3	2.16	0.585	21.83	50.45	6.607	28.32	6.65	0.631	6.824	1.002
03-SMH-077-1	2.36	0.829	40.33	96.94	12.423	52.56	11.38	1.018	11.063	1.646
04-SMH-0002-7	1.66	0.644	20.07	47.03	6.236	27.0	5.81	1.501	5.101	0.717
04-SMH-0002-8	2.80	0.708	22.38	50.96	6.605	27.97	6.52	1.623	7.185	1.186
04-SMH-0003-6	1.80	0.462	14.49	35.21	4.857	22.29	5.85	1.767	6.889	1.184
04-SMH-0006-1	1.87	0.838	10.91	26.5	3.666	16.59	3.79	0.963	4.302	0.745
04-SMH-0009-2	1.45	0.368	2.25	5.98	0.886	4.4	1.4	0.382	1.908	0.334
04-SMH-0009-3	3.36	1.756	2.1	5.42	0.816	4.04	1.24	0.186	1.934	0.421
04-SMH-0009-5	2.43	0.826	22.45	56.07	7.523	32.25	6.98	0.797	6.824	1.073
04-SMH-0010-2	2.08	0.6	20.5	48.34	6.462	28.2	6.33	0.835	6.203	0.938
04-SMH-0014-1	0.58	0.148	7.48	17.9	2.619	12.53	3.45	1.25	4.324	0.717

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Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb	Lu
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
03-SMH-0001H	7.126	1.479	4.35	0.626	3.97	0.594
03-SMH-0001I	7.289	1.492	4.259	0.617	4.05	0.592
03-SMH-0003D	16.607	2.785	6.591	0.793	4.7	0.617
03-SMH-0005A	4.728	0.968	2.828	0.426	2.84	0.424
03-SMH-0008C	14.173	3.004	8.362	1.126	6.64	0.882
03-SMH-0008G	5.723	1.209	3.563	0.526	3.52	0.528
03-SMH-0009-1	7.265	1.564	4.563	0.668	4.42	0.67
03-SMH-0011A	2.491	0.612	2.132	0.358	2.62	0.425
03-SMH-0011C	3.907	0.944	3.121	0.507	3.58	0.554
03-SMH-0012	4.132	0.88	2.655	0.388	2.54	0.383
03-SMH-0016	10.328	2.272	6.874	1.015	6.52	0.961
03-SMH-0020-2	1.712	0.396	1.335	0.22	1.61	0.27
03-SMH-0021-1	4.432	1.064	3.483	0.546	3.73	0.589
03-SMH-0050-1	8.638	1.769	5.246	0.778	5.14	0.776
03-SMH-0057-2	8.999	1.921	5.866	0.88	5.9	0.905
03-SMH-0057-3	7.507	1.627	4.871	0.725	4.71	0.721
03-SMH-0060	7.033	1.491	4.349	0.634	4.15	0.615
03-SMH-0064-2	7.918	1.695	5.156	0.761	4.9	0.753
03-SMH-0068-1	6.278	1.33	3.942	0.583	3.77	0.558
03-SMH-0069	8.377	1.785	5.288	0.766	4.94	0.738
03-SMH-0073	7.22	1.495	4.459	0.666	4.43	0.684
03-SMH-0075-1	6.546	1.365	3.919	0.586	3.79	0.56
03-SMH-0076	5.995	1.227	3.661	0.54	3.63	0.555
03-SMH-0082-2	6.367	1.334	3.984	0.6	4.04	0.619
03-SMH-0083-1	7.735	1.586	4.646	0.674	4.43	0.664
03-SMH-0084-2	8.423	1.708	4.971	0.723	4.81	0.737
03-SMH-0093	7.054	1.376	3.865	0.548	3.53	0.523
03-SMH-0095-1	6.084	1.296	3.888	0.567	3.72	0.567
03-SMH-0128	5.344	1.099	3.187	0.474	3.12	0.461
03-SMH-0153	7.261	1.527	4.49	0.675	4.48	0.691
03-SMH-0154-2	6.082	1.325	4.043	0.601	3.84	0.593
03-SMH-0156-1	4.029	0.901	2.932	0.449	3.07	0.478
03-SMH-0164	4.127	0.826	2.494	0.376	2.51	0.373
03-SMH-0167	6.86	1.403	4.124	0.598	3.81	0.559
03-SMH-0175-3	5.918	1.204	3.57	0.534	3.54	0.533
03-SMH-077-1	9.705	1.886	5.227	0.733	4.71	0.67
04-SMH-0002-7	4.219	0.845	2.541	0.369	2.52	0.384
04-SMH-0002-8	7.297	1.499	4.351	0.632	4.11	0.603
04-SMH-0003-6	7.442	1.59	4.645	0.704	4.58	0.693
04-SMH-0006-1	4.882	1.046	3.014	0.449	2.85	0.418
04-SMH-0009-2	2.34	0.523	1.689	0.278	2.0	0.321
04-SMH-0009-3	3.604	0.992	3.723	0.678	5.3	0.913
04-SMH-0009-5	6.632	1.335	3.85	0.551	3.44	0.479
04-SMH-0010-2	5.709	1.153	3.356	0.484	3.07	0.445
04-SMH-0014-1	4.627	0.971	2.908	0.429	2.8	0.42

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Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Description	SiO_2 wt%	TiO_2 wt%	Al_2O_3 wt%	Fe_2O_3 wt%	FeO wt%	MnO wt%	MgO wt%
04-SMH-0015-1	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	57.85	1.03	13.19	9.99	8.99	0.14	2.68
04-SMH-0015-2	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	57.22	1.14	14.42	7.95	7.15	0.09	2.74
04-SMH-0015-4	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	60.03	1.90	13.14	7.60	6.84	0.10	2.90
04-SMH-0016-1	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	65.26	0.97	12.19	8.02	7.22	0.11	2.41
04-SMH-0016-2	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	46.34	1.73	12.52	13.86	12.47	0.25	4.15
04-SMH-0016-3	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	51.97	1.86	12.38	12.11	10.90	0.27	3.73
04-SMH-0017-2	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	75.23	0.33	9.87	5.29	4.76	0.22	0.93
04-SMH-0019-4	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	60.95	0.97	13.31	10.41	9.37	0.05	4.69
03-SMH-0010-1	**Footwall Mafic Volcanic**	77.67	0.56	7.49	8.85	7.96	0.17	0.92
03-SMH-0019-1	**Hanging Wall Mafic Volcanic**	57.14	1.48	11.14	21.74	19.56	0.48	2.61
03-SMH-0113	**Hanging Wall Mafic Volcanic**	53.30	1.60	12.33	11.51	10.36	0.41	2.04
03-SMH-0119-1	**Hanging Wall Mafic Volcanic**	54.96	0.78	10.70	6.35	5.71	0.26	1.50
03-SMH-0136	**Hanging Wall Mafic Volcanic**	50.50	1.56	16.06	13.96	12.56	0.30	6.36
03-SMH-0140-2	**Hanging Wall Mafic Volcanic**	52.31	1.59	16.08	11.74	10.56	0.42	2.67
03-SMH-0142-1	**Hanging Wall Mafic Volcanic**	56.38	1.86	14.00	10.70	9.63	0.30	1.64
03-SMH-0146	**Hanging Wall Mafic Volcanic**	57.21	1.04	13.72	7.99	7.19	0.18	1.81
03-SMH-0152	**Hanging Wall Mafic Volcanic**	59.57	0.98	12.90	6.97	6.27	0.17	1.26
04-SMH-0005-1	**Hanging Wall Mafic Volcanic**	60.95	1.09	13.38	10.30	9.27	0.16	2.62
03-SMH-0014	**Felsic Volcanic**	75.48	0.27	12.18	2.97	2.67	0.02	3.20
03-SMH-0019-4	**Felsic Volcanic**	58.66	1.23	9.87	20.76	18.68	0.48	2.91
03-SMH-0025	**Felsic Volcanic**	80.31	0.16	8.58	2.49	2.24	0.01	3.47
03-SMH-0034-1	**Felsic Volcanic**	78.96	0.36	7.95	4.54	4.09	0.04	4.68
03-SMH-0034-2	**Felsic Volcanic**	87.25	0.15	6.39	1.78	1.60	N.D.	0.90
03-SMH-0037-1	**Felsic Volcanic**	81.63	0.18	8.65	1.73	1.56	0.01	1.31
03-SMH-0037-2	**Felsic Volcanic**	51.90	1.35	13.70	13.91	12.52	0.06	10.71
03-SMH-0040	**Felsic Volcanic**	52.60	1.27	12.42	16.44	14.79	0.10	9.78
03-SMH-0046-1	**Felsic Volcanic**	83.85	0.22	5.79	3.98	3.58	0.01	3.07
03-SMH-0056-1	**Felsic Volcanic**	84.46	0.22	8.05	2.46	2.21	0.01	0.93
03-SMH-0056-2	**Felsic Volcanic**	76.06	0.27	6.29	9.49	8.54	0.03	3.22
03-SMH-0063	**Felsic Volcanic**	71.69	0.47	12.82	5.72	5.15	0.04	3.61
03-SMH-0091	**Felsic Volcanic**	82.17	0.23	9.42	2.39	2.15	0.03	1.58
03-SMH-0102-2	**Felsic Volcanic**	78.09	0.35	6.81	6.78	6.10	0.02	5.93
03-SMH-0102-3	**Felsic Volcanic**	59.86	1.31	13.06	10.26	9.23	0.03	8.74
03-SMH-0104-2	**Felsic Volcanic**	79.02	0.19	6.96	5.66	5.09	0.03	5.84
03-SMH-0106-2	**Felsic Volcanic**	73.04	0.30	12.08	3.50	3.15	0.02	5.64
03-SMH-0108-1	**Felsic Volcanic**	79.10	0.19	9.78	3.04	2.74	0.05	3.32
03-SMH-0109-2	**Felsic Volcanic**	76.08	0.26	11.02	3.75	3.37	0.09	0.86
03-SMH-0110-1	**Felsic Volcanic**	78.56	0.22	10.03	3.12	2.81	0.02	1.88
03-SMH-0111-1	**Felsic Volcanic**	81.16	0.16	9.97	1.67	1.50	N.D.	0.33
03-SMH-0112-1	**Felsic Volcanic**	75.87	0.18	8.18	3.57	3.21	0.11	2.53
03-SMH-0112-4	**Felsic Volcanic**	73.71	0.24	10.93	3.59	3.23	0.06	2.56
03-SMH-0115-1	**Felsic Volcanic**	89.17	0.13	6.11	1.05	0.94	0.04	0.30
03-SMH-0122-2	**Felsic Volcanic**	79.73	0.19	9.86	5.04	4.54	0.04	0.99

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Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	CaO	Na_2O	K_2O	P_2O_5	LOI	Total	Ti	Mn	Na	K
	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
04-SMH-0015-1	5.30	4.01	0.74	0.24	3.73	98.90	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0015-2	3.55	5.62	0.70	0.26	5.57	99.26	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0015-4	4.09	4.37	0.90	0.24	3.00	98.27	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0016-1	2.40	1.80	1.69	0.26	4.96	100.07	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0016-2	6.02	3.51	0.07	0.20	10.20	98.85	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0016-3	6.10	1.62	1.54	0.22	7.35	99.15	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0017-2	2.19	2.07	1.93	0.05	1.93	100.04	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0019-4	0.83	0.42	5.50	0.21	3.46	100.80	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0010-1	0.09	0.11	1.70	0.10	2.55	100.21	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0019-1	0.58	0.06	0.49	0.43	3.30	99.45	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0113	7.75	2.57	0.88	0.43	8.11	100.93	8085	3342	17266	8145
03-SMH-0119-1	11.33	3.11	1.16	0.22	10.70	101.07	4874	2094	24372	11315
03-SMH-0136	6.21	4.40	0.26	0.14	1.91	101.66	8665	2442	25686	1943
03-SMH-0140-2	7.44	2.67	2.59	0.20	3.19	100.90	7820	3135	17362	>13500
03-SMH-0142-1	4.17	2.62	1.99	0.47	6.41	100.54	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0146	7.31	4.35	0.82	0.23	6.20	100.86	6226	1494	31717	7183
03-SMH-0152	6.53	6.08	0.06	0.21	6.39	101.12	5359	1406	43592	521
04-SMH-0005-1	2.51	5.19	0.48	0.23	2.25	99.16	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0014	0.13	1.36	2.41	0.02	2.94	100.98	1721	148	9230	>13500
03-SMH-0019-4	0.87	N.D.	0.01	0.31	3.94	99.04	6383	3931	N.D.	71.0
03-SMH-0025	0.01	N.D.	1.81	0.02	2.51	99.37	1027	111	676	>13500
03-SMH-0034-1	0.05	N.D.	1.08	0.05	2.98	100.69	2136	318	238	8943
03-SMH-0034-2	0.03	0.04	1.70	0.03	1.61	99.88	901	35.0	1059	12802
03-SMH-0037-1	0.03	0.15	2.37	0.03	2.51	98.60	1088	64.0	993	>13500
03-SMH-0037-2	0.02	0.39	0.22	0.11	6.53	98.90	7967	538	1856	1978
03-SMH-0040	0.04	0.29	0.23	0.10	5.66	98.93	7578	849	1222	1972
03-SMH-0046-1	N.D.	0.04	0.68	0.02	3.17	100.83	1255	90.0	46.0	5084
03-SMH-0056-1	0.02	0.04	2.07	0.02	2.42	100.70	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0056-2	N.D.	N.D.	0.09	0.02	3.25	98.72	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0063	0.06	0.03	3.13	0.04	2.95	100.56	2921	304	780	>13500
03-SMH-0091	N.D.	0.08	2.46	0.03	2.15	100.54	1280	244	378	>13500
03-SMH-0102-2	0.04	N.D.	0.02	0.03	3.13	101.20	1929	175	N.D.	206
03-SMH-0102-3	0.14	0.04	0.94	0.09	5.02	99.49	7879	294	180	8005
03-SMH-0104-2	N.D.	N.D.	0.21	0.03	3.08	101.02	1095	218	N.D.	1788
03-SMH-0106-2	0.02	0.06	2.51	0.04	3.51	100.72	1713	207	465	>13500
03-SMH-0108-1	0.16	0.11	2.40	0.03	2.88	101.06	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0109-2	0.96	3.72	1.32	0.04	2.11	100.21	1568	704	31549	10838
03-SMH-0110-1	0.42	3.53	0.88	0.03	1.88	100.57	1241	141	30294	7508
03-SMH-0111-1	0.08	5.61	0.14	0.03	0.76	99.91	945	48.0	49274	1134
03-SMH-0112-1	2.50	1.78	1.41	0.03	4.68	100.84	1150	887	12896	11959
03-SMH-0112-4	1.16	4.67	0.25	0.03	2.85	100.05	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0115-1	0.41	0.08	1.86	0.03	1.33	100.51	780	266	2140	>13500
03-SMH-0122-2	0.02	0.02	2.89	0.03	1.99	100.80	1181	315	299	>13500

Abbreviations: N.D. = not detected. N.M. = not measured/analyzed.

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Sample No.	P	Cr	Co	Ni	Cu	Sc	V	Pb	Zn	As
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
04-SMH-0015-1	N.M.	23.0	N.M.	12.0	N.M.	N.M.	99.0	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0015-2	N.M.	15.0	N.M.	15.0	N.M.	N.M.	138	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0015-4	N.M.	15.0	N.M.	6.0	N.M.	N.M.	363	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0016-1	N.M.	<8	N.M.	10.0	N.M.	N.M.	108	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0016-2	N.M.	20.0	N.M.	11.0	N.M.	N.M.	482	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0016-3	N.M.	20.0	N.M.	9.0	N.M.	N.M.	456	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0017-2	N.M.	<8	N.M.	<4	N.M.	N.M.	11.0	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0019-4	N.M.	11.0	N.M.	12.0	N.M.	N.M.	95.0	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0010-1	N.M.	43.0	N.M.	-4.0	N.M.	N.M.	75.0	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0019-1	N.M.	-8.0	N.M.	-4.0	N.M.	N.M.	96.0	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0113	2444	N.D.	26.0	4.0	27.0	59.0	64.0	N.D.	120	N.D.
03-SMH-0119-1	1069	30.0	N.D.	11.0	14.0	42.0	61.0	6.0	57.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0136	697	136	47.0	44.0	103	75.0	371	5.0	198	N.D.
03-SMH-0140-2	1090	100	36.0	27.0	104	84.0	338	8.0	86.0	2.0
03-SMH-0142-1	N.M.	-8.0	N.M.	-4.0	N.M.		140	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0146	1136	40.0	24.0	17.0	14.0	43.0	66.0	N.D.	97.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0152	1159	28.0	18.0	15.0	38.0	24.0	86.0	5.0	81.0	N.D.
04-SMH-0005-1	N.M.	9.0	N.M.	10.0	N.M.	N.M.	110	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0014	54.0	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	28.0	N.D.	N.D.	89.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0019-4	1415	15.0	21.0	9.0	7.0	56.0	N.D.	N.D.	383	N.D.
03-SMH-0025	10.0	6.0	N.D.	N.D.	3.0	37.0	N.D.	N.D.	21.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0034-1	142	17.0	12.0	8.0	199	33.0	68.0	N.D.	184	4.0
03-SMH-0034-2	23.0	5.0	N.D.	N.D.	9.0	22.0	N.D.	N.D.	41.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0037-1	37.0	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	4.0	26.0	N.D.	N.D.	46.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0037-2	396	55.0	N.D.	29.0	36.0	64.0	264	N.D.	338	1.0
03-SMH-0040	408	38.0	41.0	32.0	17.0	60.0	190	9.0	444	10.0
03-SMH-0046-1	16.0	14.0	N.D.	N.D.	13.0	23.0	N.D.	N.D.	85.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0056-1	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0056-2	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0063	127	69.0	20.0	37.0	N.D.	19.0	28.0	N.D.	186	3.0
03-SMH-0091	13.0	9.0	N.D.	3.0	N.D.	19.0	N.D.	6.0	47.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0102-2	83.0	38.0	18.0	8.0	4.0	21.0	36.0	N.D.	174	N.D.
03-SMH-0102-3	319	25.0	32.0	16.0	2.0	27.0	120	N.D.	57.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0104-2	N.D.	13.0	13.0	4.0	N.D.	19.0	24.0	N.D.	25.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0106-2	71.0	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	27.0	35.0	N.D.	75.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0108-1	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0109-2	56.0	7.0	N.D.	2.0	4.0	22.0	10.0	N.D.	73.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0110-1	N.D.	13.0	N.D.	N.D.	6.0	23.0	N.D.	14.0	77.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0111-1	N.D.	13.0	N.D.	N.D.	1.0	22.0	N.D.	12.0	56.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0112-1	26.0	12.0	N.D.	N.D.	2.0	40.0	N.D.	6.0	62.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0112-4	N.M.	14.0	N.M.	-4.0	N.M.	N.M.	11.0	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0115-1	18.0	14.0	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	18.0	N.D.	N.D.	54.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0122-2	28.0	20.0	N.D.	3.0	N.D.	25.0	N.D.	N.D.	18.0	N.D.

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Sample No.	Rb	Cs	Ba	Sr	Ga	Ta	Nb	Hf	Zr	Y
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
04-SMH-0015-1	18.80	0.792	N.M.	150.3	N.M.	0.62	9.3	6.1	242.2	40.84
04-SMH-0015-2	19.15	0.585	N.M.	137.3	N.M.	0.68	10.3	6.7	268.6	42.31
04-SMH-0015-4	18.05	0.437	N.M.	98.7	N.M.	0.50	7.5	4.8	181.9	38.59
04-SMH-0016-1	39.61	1.024	N.M.	52.0	N.M.	0.59	8.8	5.9	232.8	37.61
04-SMH-0016-2	1.14	0.119	N.M.	141.3	N.M.	0.41	6.3	4.0	150.6	35.91
04-SMH-0016-3	47.50	1.103	N.M.	69.2	N.M.	0.49	7.1	4.7	179.8	38.23
04-SMH-0017-2	39.21	1.637	N.M.	43.3	N.M.	1.14	18.0	8.3	296.8	38.2
04-SMH-0019-4	96.38	3.329	N.M.	14.9	N.M.	0.65	9.8	6.5	272.2	41.16
03-SMH-0010-1	32.84	0.361	N.M.	5.6	N.M.	0.40	5.9	4.0	157.1	25.22
03-SMH-0019-1	7.80	0.116	N.M.	11.2	N.M.	0.54	7.9	4.7	190.7	34.31
03-SMH-0113	27.64	0.442	211	99.1	18.0	0.64	9.0	5.3	206	39.2
03-SMH-0119-1	47.84	0.765	300	156.2	14.0	0.55	7.3	5.1	199.4	41.39
03-SMH-0136	3.73	0.189	128	88.0	21.0	0.33	4.4	3.1	109.9	31.67
03-SMH-0140-2	60.69	0.801	508	90.3	23.0	0.34	4.8	3.3	129.4	15.32
03-SMH-0142-1	54.46	1.177	N.M.	85.8	N.M.	0.66	10.1	5.9	236.5	39.35
03-SMH-0146	31.52	0.619	246	169.5	17.0	0.69	9.8	6.8	266.8	38.93
03-SMH-0152	1.89	0.047	34.0	102.5	15.0	0.65	9.0	6.3	238.1	11.44
04-SMH-0005-1	10.86	0.626	N.M.	46.4	N.M.	0.67	10.2	6.7	265.3	39.28
03-SMH-0014	55.62	1.072	595	27.7	20.0	1.72	22.7	12.0	407.7	21.07
03-SMH-0019-4	0.26	0.011	N.D.	10.8	18.0	0.57	6.2	3.8	148.6	47.78
03-SMH-0025	33.93	0.386	478	6.4	13.0	1.37	17.0	8.0	257.6	56.26
03-SMH-0034-1	19.99	0.236	253	3.5	14.0	1.00	11.3	5.8	188.7	28.3
03-SMH-0034-2	31.73	0.293	340	5.8	10.0	1.02	12.2	6.6	228.8	46.13
03-SMH-0037-1	37.22	0.509	615	9.4	16.0	1.42	17.7	8.3	275.5	52.95
03-SMH-0037-2	3.91	0.098	56.0	7.6	25.0	0.80	9.8	5.3	191.9	49.84
03-SMH-0040	5.58	0.510	28.0	5.4	30.0	0.74	8.8	4.8	168.8	35.33
03-SMH-0046-1	12.96	0.160	101	3.0	12.0	0.89	10.2	5.5	196.7	32.34
03-SMH-0056-1	35.89	0.287	N.M.	6.8	N.M.	1.22	16.2	6.7	222	55.09
03-SMH-0056-2	1.89	0.029	N.M.	1.1	N.M.	0.74	8.0	4.1	139.8	20.84
03-SMH-0063	53.79	1.303	965	8.5	18.0	1.38	18.0	9.0	301.3	69.77
03-SMH-0091	34.78	0.311	642	5.9	15.0	1.41	19.5	8.9	302.6	60.07
03-SMH-0102-2	0.60	0.041	N.D.	0.8	9.0	0.70	9.3	4.6	152.4	24.38
03-SMH-0102-3	14.98	0.119	260	3.6	15.0	0.89	19.7	6.7	241.7	33.78
03-SMH-0104-2	3.82	0.045	N.D.	0.9	9.0	1.04	14.1	6.8	225.5	46.23
03-SMH-0106-2	51.87	0.287	255	5.0	9.0	1.79	23.6	11.3	384.3	40.52
03-SMH-0108-1	48.15	0.233	N.M.	3.9	N.M.	1.59	22.2	9.3	299	72.76
03-SMH-0109-2	71.57	1.666	275	33.6	17.0	1.55	19.7	9.5	313.4	61.06
03-SMH-0110-1	42.01	0.967	159	47.5	11.0	1.49	22.1	9.6	310.9	48.3
03-SMH-0111-1	5.58	0.095	102	80.9	9.0	1.31	17.7	7.6	239.5	47.22
03-SMH-0112-1	43.85	0.628	123	28.3	11.0	1.06	15.2	8.2	284.5	45.01
03-SMH-0112-4	6.26	0.103	N.M.	27.2	N.M.	1.28	19.3	9.7	348.3	89.09
03-SMH-0115-1	45.77	0.589	376	13.3	9.0	0.87	11.8	5.7	184.3	30.73
03-SMH-0122-2	19.19	0.492	1194	2.7	16.0	1.41	20.8	8.8	289.4	61.81

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Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Th	U	La	Ce	Pr	Nd	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
04-SMH-0015-1	2.75	0.708	21.28	49.36	6.554	28.29	6.72	1.645	7.26	1.18
04-SMH-0015-2	2.93	0.769	23.75	55.9	7.462	32.43	7.62	1.911	8.008	1.264
04-SMH-0015-4	1.70	0.548	12.65	32.05	4.498	20.51	5.56	1.717	6.642	1.117
04-SMH-0016-1	2.16	0.675	20.34	48.07	6.489	28.04	6.44	1.601	6.756	1.063
04-SMH-0016-2	1.38	0.352	11.6	27.95	3.89	18.32	4.79	1.463	5.793	0.985
04-SMH-0016-3	1.73	0.443	13.87	33.45	4.678	21.37	5.53	1.642	6.299	1.065
04-SMH-0017-2	4.73	1.176	28.93	66.22	8.34	33.86	7.56	1.411	7.466	1.209
04-SMH-0019-4	2.97	0.768	25.66	58.67	7.632	32.9	7.41	1.746	7.461	1.196
03-SMH-0010-1	1.74	0.454	13.44	30.0	3.812	16.47	3.9	0.797	4.61	0.767
03-SMH-0019-1	2.13	0.526	19.18	45.34	6.185	27.24	6.38	1.263	6.485	0.995
03-SMH-0113	2.27	0.585	21.28	49.9	6.727	29.52	7.05	1.829	7.766	1.183
03-SMH-0119-1	2.20	0.592	18.61	43.88	5.858	25.84	6.1	1.622	7.109	1.171
03-SMH-0136	0.73	0.189	7.64	19.28	2.785	13.33	3.88	1.17	5.076	0.878
03-SMH-0140-2	0.64	0.25	5.89	14.3	2.108	10.05	2.64	0.645	2.9	0.471
03-SMH-0142-1	2.59	0.636	20.02	48.6	6.484	28.57	6.79	1.777	7.212	1.147
03-SMH-0146	2.86	0.766	18.85	42.96	5.806	25.61	6.35	1.718	7.132	1.159
03-SMH-0152	1.39	0.674	9.18	20.48	2.684	11.73	2.68	0.567	2.387	0.366
04-SMH-0005-1	2.90	0.739	22.6	53.92	7.235	30.74	7.13	1.382	7.35	1.198
03-SMH-0014	3.57	1.739	13.62	31.44	3.983	16.47	3.61	0.519	3.473	0.566
03-SMH-0019-4	1.79	0.447	15.64	37.1	4.96	22.51	5.8	1.532	7.392	1.274
03-SMH-0025	6.15	1.51	24.19	57.25	7.308	30.45	6.66	0.383	7.541	1.369
03-SMH-0034-1	3.66	0.931	8.41	19.44	2.528	11	2.73	0.647	3.32	0.617
03-SMH-0034-2	4.06	0.959	27.24	64.4	8.168	34.06	7.44	0.974	7.737	1.276
03-SMH-0037-1	5.90	1.389	35.57	85.49	10.896	45.28	10.08	1.155	9.815	1.582
03-SMH-0037-2	2.64	0.638	23.34	56.34	7.363	31.98	7.26	0.984	8.567	1.416
03-SMH-0040	2.31	0.591	21.0	42.06	5.085	20.8	5.03	0.893	6.025	1.041
03-SMH-0046-1	3.21	0.805	19.36	46.49	6.099	26.17	6.29	0.693	6.389	1.009
03-SMH-0056-1	4.56	1.3	29.64	67.73	8.582	35.68	7.77	1.081	8.732	1.533
03-SMH-0056-2	2.63	0.71	19.04	42.82	5.348	22.44	4.98	0.814	4.896	0.745
03-SMH-0063	6.35	1.578	45.14	103.75	12.867	53.19	11.81	1.665	12.229	2.002
03-SMH-0091	6.16	1.542	40.11	93.45	11.666	47.32	10.08	1.304	10.605	1.76
03-SMH-0102-2	2.92	0.663	4.48	10.81	1.461	6.25	1.78	0.193	2.699	0.533
03-SMH-0102-3	3.73	0.967	24.01	57.66	7.563	32.04	7.14	0.572	6.705	1.008
03-SMH-0104-2	4.47	1.12	29.0	67.31	8.592	35.1	7.55	0.758	7.909	1.281
03-SMH-0106-2	8.10	1.757	35.58	87.9	11.65	48.11	9.86	0.5	7.563	1.063
03-SMH-0108-1	6.85	1.395	40.0	88.53	12.304	50.12	11.46	0.395	12.025	2.003
03-SMH-0109-2	6.88	1.67	41.6	93.59	11.656	46.72	10.11	1.375	10.724	1.781
03-SMH-0110-1	6.21	1.585	48.7	108.91	13.992	56.38	12.49	1.778	12.47	1.911
03-SMH-0111-1	5.85	1.29	44.32	97.77	12.084	48.38	10.44	1.372	10.444	1.611
03-SMH-0112-1	4.60	1.121	33.05	74.96	9.462	39.01	8.58	1.387	8.456	1.323
03-SMH-0112-4	5.86	1.504	40.21	88.63	11.102	45.91	10.44	1.735	11.808	2.108
03-SMH-0115-1	4.10	1.005	58.51	112.01	13.059	45.83	7.36	1.239	6.779	0.963
03-SMH-0122-2	5.70	1.497	39.4	90.82	11.519	46.62	10.45	0.895	11.481	1.91

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Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb	Lu
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
04-SMH-0015-1	7.3	1.487	4.41	0.656	4.29	0.639
04-SMH-0015-2	7.775	1.575	4.632	0.679	4.46	0.663
04-SMH-0015-4	7.117	1.466	4.271	0.634	4.14	0.606
04-SMH-0016-1	6.54	1.37	4.132	0.62	4.14	0.638
04-SMH-0016-2	6.462	1.365	4.074	0.606	3.98	0.609
04-SMH-0016-3	6.869	1.476	4.508	0.671	4.47	0.67
04-SMH-0017-2	7.492	1.524	4.508	0.689	4.6	0.687
04-SMH-0019-4	7.496	1.549	4.6	0.692	4.52	0.67
03-SMH-0010-1	4.899	0.965	2.753	0.403	2.71	0.405
03-SMH-0019-1	6.061	1.249	3.637	0.525	3.41	0.502
03-SMH-0113	7.177	1.477	4.292	0.629	4.02	0.62
03-SMH-0119-1	7.32	1.518	4.529	0.676	4.32	0.655
03-SMH-0136	5.646	1.216	3.623	0.538	3.52	0.531
03-SMH-0140-2	2.936	0.599	1.741	0.244	1.52	0.226
03-SMH-0142-1	7.049	1.478	4.361	0.642	4.24	0.639
03-SMH-0146	7.091	1.482	4.376	0.649	4.18	0.614
03-SMH-0152	2.227	0.468	1.348	0.199	1.25	0.178
04-SMH-0005-1	7.42	1.477	4.29	0.634	4.13	0.622
03-SMH-0014	3.607	0.823	2.62	0.426	2.98	0.472
03-SMH-0019-4	8.207	1.78	5.169	0.724	4.61	0.69
03-SMH-0025	9.292	2.117	6.481	0.985	6.46	0.984
03-SMH-0034-1	4.441	1.053	3.567	0.567	3.98	0.621
03-SMH-0034-2	8.01	1.69	5.032	0.739	4.75	0.703
03-SMH-0037-1	9.785	2.029	6.063	0.883	5.62	0.831
03-SMH-0037-2	8.965	1.881	5.477	0.777	5.0	0.744
03-SMH-0040	6.556	1.353	4.011	0.586	3.9	0.597
03-SMH-0046-1	6.051	1.248	3.696	0.543	3.59	0.528
03-SMH-0056-1	9.74	2.016	5.992	0.877	5.62	0.833
03-SMH-0056-2	4.206	0.847	2.47	0.365	2.44	0.37
03-SMH-0063	12.376	2.552	7.611	1.124	7.34	1.087
03-SMH-0091	11.208	2.289	6.605	0.954	5.98	0.853
03-SMH-0102-2	3.827	0.9	2.926	0.451	3.05	0.461
03-SMH-0102-3	5.98	1.285	4.004	0.623	4.23	0.662
03-SMH-0104-2	8.141	1.749	5.332	0.778	5.03	0.743
03-SMH-0106-2	6.499	1.474	5.007	0.837	5.94	0.963
03-SMH-0108-1	12.646	2.687	7.817	1.126	7.11	1.042
03-SMH-0109-2	11.159	2.347	7.036	1.035	6.55	0.971
03-SMH-0110-1	10.749	2.039	5.541	0.789	5.09	0.752
03-SMH-0111-1	9.476	1.902	5.589	0.873	6.05	0.898
03-SMH-0112-1	8.152	1.709	5.098	0.77	5.05	0.76
03-SMH-0112-4	14.405	3.156	9.54	1.413	9.08	1.337
03-SMH-0115-1	5.898	1.239	3.765	0.582	3.87	0.583
03-SMH-0122-2	11.856	2.397	7.04	1.011	6.41	0.91

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Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Description	SiO_2	TiO_2	Al_2O_3	Fe_2O_3	FeO	MnO	MgO
		wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %
03-SMH-0129-2	**Felsic Volcanic**	67.91	1.65	11.35	10.41	9.37	0.03	4.21
03-SMH-0130	**Felsic Volcanic**	70.46	0.46	14.10	6.99	6.29	0.07	1.35
03-SMH-0131	**Felsic Volcanic**	80.01	0.31	9.48	4.69	4.22	0.07	1.39
03-SMH-0132-1	**Felsic Volcanic**	81.96	0.21	9.14	2.00	1.80	0.07	1.54
03-SMH-0140-1	**Felsic Volcanic**	81.27	0.19	9.07	3.36	3.02	0.04	1.84
03-SMH-0141	**Felsic Volcanic**	64.33	0.60	11.94	10.71	9.64	0.07	8.41
03-SMH-0157	**Felsic Volcanic**	73.11	0.34	11.17	4.08	3.67	0.10	2.62
03-SMH-0160-1	**Felsic Volcanic**	78.55	0.29	9.19	3.59	3.23	0.03	2.04
03-SMH-0165-1	**Felsic Volcanic**	78.94	0.28	8.95	5.42	4.88	0.03	2.92
03-SMH-0168	**Felsic Volcanic**	69.16	0.94	10.48	9.10	8.19	0.32	2.18
04-SMH-0001-5	**Felsic Volcanic**	73.17	0.20	9.25	5.31	4.78	0.03	6.84
04-SMH-0007-2	**Felsic Volcanic**	27.30	0.52	23.51	18.84	16.95	0.08	19.57
04-SMH-0023-4	**Felsic Volcanic**	69.37	0.18	10.27	9.73	8.76	0.06	5.63
03-SMH-0007	**Mafic Intrusion**	49.98	1.29	13.56	14.42	12.98	0.24	6.57
03-SMH-0013	**Mafic Intrusion**	52.15	1.41	14.01	12.65	11.38	0.19	7.62
03-SMH-0023	**Mafic Intrusion**	51.45	1.33	13.75	12.39	11.15	0.18	7.92
03-SMH-0030	**Mafic Intrusion**	50.19	1.34	13.74	14.72	13.25	0.14	8.13
03-SMH-0031	**Mafic Intrusion**	51.33	1.33	13.87	13.29	11.96	0.23	6.00
03-SMH-0082-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	78.08	1.04	7.88	3.14	2.83	0.00	0.55
03-SMH-0105-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	40.35	2.57	15.30	16.92	15.22	0.19	9.33
03-SMH-0107-2	**Mafic Intrusion**	46.94	1.31	12.86	15.28	13.75	0.14	7.29
03-SMH-0112-2	**Mafic Intrusion**	55.16	1.25	13.05	11.96	10.76	0.08	5.62
03-SMH-0018-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	49.28	1.36	13.28	12.62	11.36	0.12	8.03
03-SMH-0094-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	46.81	1.21	13.25	14.25	12.82	0.19	6.32
03-SMH-0112-5	**Mafic Intrusion**	43.85	1.17	13.64	12.41	11.17	0.21	4.72
03-SMH-0116-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	49.29	1.25	13.14	13.54	12.18	0.19	6.25
04-SMH-0001-13	**Mafic Intrusion**	37.18	1.24	19.31	15.38	13.84	0.12	16.74
04-SMH-0001-21	**Mafic Intrusion**	46.67	1.39	14.38	13.92	12.53	0.13	7.82
04-SMH-0001-22	**Mafic Intrusion**	48.73	1.34	14.44	14.00	12.60	0.27	6.86
04-SMH-0001-3	**Mafic Intrusion**	28.16	1.24	20.92	16.30	14.67	0.05	23.10
04-SMH-0001-9	**Mafic Intrusion**	48.76	1.40	13.25	13.73	12.35	0.07	13.82
04-SMH-0002-4	**Mafic Intrusion**	43.75	1.21	12.20	12.85	11.56	0.23	5.13
04-SMH-0003-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	45.83	1.27	13.56	14.95	13.45	0.37	5.29
04-SMH-0003-3	**Mafic Intrusion**	51.72	1.13	13.87	12.14	10.92	0.16	2.93
04-SMH-0003-7	**Mafic Intrusion**	50.82	1.33	13.65	11.36	10.22	0.25	4.72
04-SMH-0004-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	50.97	1.43	14.72	12.04	10.83	0.27	6.28
04-SMH-0004-3	**Mafic Intrusion**	46.13	1.33	12.99	14.58	13.12	0.61	6.71
04-SMH-0008-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	42.82	1.20	11.80	12.36	11.12	0.19	7.14
04-SMH-0017-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	49.16	1.26	14.05	10.18	9.16	0.28	4.91
04-SMH-0018-2	**Mafic Intrusion**	49.25	2.59	16.20	9.38	8.44	0.24	3.60
04-SMH-0019-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	47.20	0.58	21.39	8.20	7.38	0.12	5.31
04-SMH-0023-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	60.69	0.84	13.63	11.52	10.37	0.15	5.48
04-SMH-0023-3	**Mafic Intrusion**	42.35	0.71	20.53	16.42	14.77	0.13	10.07

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Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	CaO	Na_2O	K_2O	P_2O_5	LOI	Total	Ti	Mn	Na	K
	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
03-SMH-0129-2	0.28	0.08	1.52	0.20	3.29	100.93	9730	259	N.D.	13283
03-SMH-0130	0.24	0.08	4.34	0.07	2.58	100.74	2571	593	272	>13500
03-SMH-0131	N.D.	N.D.	2.71	0.04	2.71	101.41	1892	536	N.D.	>13500
03-SMH-0132-1	0.39	0.08	2.87	0.03	2.19	100.48	1423	574	412	>13500
03-SMH-0140-1	0.82	0.30	2.15	0.03	2.09	101.16	1167	321	1500	>13500
03-SMH-0141	0.98	0.03	1.46	0.07	3.36	101.96	3715	575	790	11916
03-SMH-0157	1.60	0.03	3.19	0.05	3.93	100.22	2031	826	691	>13500
03-SMH-0160-1	0.33	4.06	0.11	0.05	1.75	99.99	1642	230	31161	852
03-SMH-0165-1	0.03	0.11	2.01	0.04	2.34	101.07	1568	236	657	>13500
03-SMH-0168	1.60	0.68	2.30	0.09	3.84	100.69	5698	2781	3816	>13500
04-SMH-0001-5	0.21	0.12	0.83	0.03	3.80	99.79	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0007-2	0.03	0.06	0.59	0.02	9.83	100.35	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0023-4	0.20	0.07	0.87	0.02	3.73	100.13	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0007	8.68	3.20	0.20	0.09	3.33	101.56	7035	1984	19929	1500
03-SMH-0013	5.79	3.89	0.09	0.12	3.27	101.19	8321	1548	24949	685
03-SMH-0023	7.08	3.98	0.09	0.11	2.98	101.26	7662	1425	23345	695
03-SMH-0030	5.56	3.78	0.07	0.12	4.16	101.95	7646	1201	22651	529
03-SMH-0031	8.77	3.13	0.07	0.13	3.42	101.57	7574	1916	19885	572
03-SMH-0082-1	0.38	0.00	2.67	0.25	2.24	96.23	6043	87.0	2127	>13500
03-SMH-0105-1	4.38	1.62	0.45	0.40	10.11	101.62	14279	1653	4904	3638
03-SMH-0107-2	7.65	1.97	0.06	0.12	8.35	101.97	7165	1219	9093	410
03-SMH-0112-2	3.39	1.90	1.40	0.12	6.26	100.19	7559	674	9099	11989
03-SMH-0018-1	5.05	1.79	0.48	0.12	8.08	100.21	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0094-1	8.52	1.95	0.05	0.44	7.54	100.53	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0112-5	10.17	2.33	0.92	0.11	10.85	100.38	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0116-1	7.47	3.22	0.09	0.12	5.59	100.15	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0001-13	0.22	0.02	0.28	0.14	8.57	99.20	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0001-21	3.87	1.33	1.60	0.14	9.55	100.80	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0001-22	6.40	2.85	2.62	0.12	2.83	100.46	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0001-3	0.22	0.03	0.03	0.08	10.44	100.57	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0001-9	1.11	0.01	0.03	0.12	7.90	100.20	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0002-4	9.49	2.71	0.09	0.11	11.54	99.31	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0003-1	7.75	1.69	0.14	0.14	9.37	100.36	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0003-3	4.60	0.48	3.48	0.23	8.67	99.41	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0003-7	10.07	1.40	0.04	0.13	5.91	99.68	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0004-1	6.66	3.90	0.69	0.13	1.74	98.83	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0004-3	6.36	0.06	2.04	0.13	8.86	99.80	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0008-1	7.87	2.08	0.65	0.12	13.64	99.87	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0017-1	11.74	2.94	0.41	0.11	4.17	99.21	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0018-2	6.69	4.37	0.33	0.39	6.65	99.69	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0019-1	11.13	3.08	0.36	0.06	2.91	100.34	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0023-1	0.76	0.62	1.61	0.15	5.45	100.90	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0023-3	0.67	0.27	2.74	0.07	6.42	100.38	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.

Abbreviations: N.D. = not detected. N.M. = not measured/analyzed.

Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	P	Cr	Co	Ni	Cu	Sc	V	Pb	Zn	As
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
03-SMH-0129-2	1009	29.0	25.0	11.0	34.0	48.0	344	N.D.	195	25.0
03-SMH-0130	230	14.0	N.D.	5.0	27.0	21.0	N.D.	N.D.	80.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0131	90.0	48.0	N.D.	5.0	9.0	27.0	48.0	15.0	314	5.0
03-SMH-0132-1	88.0	14.0	N.D.	3.0	N.D.	25.0	N.D.	N.D.	79.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0140-1	101	12.0	N.D.	4.0	2.0	35.0	N.D.	5.0	69.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0141	328	388	32.0	104	19.0	38.0	119	N.D.	152	N.D.
03-SMH-0157	125	18.0	N.D.	N.D.	19.0	34.0	N.D.	7.0	130	N.D.
03-SMH-0160-1	177	19.0	N.D.	3.0	4.0	41.0	N.D.	N.D.	41.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0165-1	105	N.D.	N.D.	3.0	6.0	18.0	N.D.	5.0	199	N.D.
03-SMH-0168	429	39.0	31.0	19.0	64.0	64.0	225	12.0	87.0	16.0
04-SMH-0001-5	N.M.	29.0	N.M.	18.0	N.M.	N.M.	6.0	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0007-2	N.M.	<8	N.M.	28.0	N.M.	N.M.	56.0	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0023-4	N.M.	42.0	N.M.	24.0	N.M.	N.M.	28.0	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0007	431	126	53.0	43.0	105	57.0	270	N.D.	100	N.D.
03-SMH-0013	509	130	46.0	42.0	116	76.0	323	N.D.	96.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0023	477	128	47.0	40.0	81.0	64.0	308	N.D.	99.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0030	448	121	49.0	44.0	106	67.0	315	N.D.	96.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0031	534	116	51.0	44.0	116	69.0	339	N.D.	92.0	3.0
03-SMH-0082-1	1111	14.0	13.0	8.0	>7000	30.0	N.D.	86.0	>3000	38.0
03-SMH-0105-1	1503	197	70.0	90.0	25.0	72.0	337	N.D.	260	N.D.
03-SMH-0107-2	470	114	52.0	41.0	4.0	70.0	332	N.D.	49.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0112-2	545	107	44.0	39.0	163	66.0	209	17.0	163	N.D.
03-SMH-0018-1	N.M.	93.0	N.M.	38.0	N.M.	N.M.	376	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0094-1	N.M.	103	N.M.	38.0	N.M.	N.M.	319	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0112-5	N.M.	110	N.M.	74.0	N.M.	N.M.	356	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0116-1	N.M.	105	N.M.	36.0	N.M.	N.M.	338	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0001-13	N.M.	1028	N.M.	254	N.M.	N.M.	341	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0001-21	N.M.	109	N.M.	41.0	N.M.	N.M.	407	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0001-22	N.M.	96.0	N.M.	50.0	N.M.	N.M.	337	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0001-3	N.M.	1156	N.M.	368	N.M.	N.M.	324	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0001-9	N.M.	94.0	N.M.	37.0	N.M.	N.M.	371	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0002-4	N.M.	88.0	N.M.	39.0	N.M.	N.M.	379	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0003-1	N.M.	87.0	N.M.	35.0	N.M.	N.M.	337	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0003-3	N.M.	10.0	N.M.	15.0	N.M.	N.M.	149	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0003-7	N.M.	95.0	N.M.	40.0	N.M.	N.M.	303	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0004-1	N.M.	98.0	N.M.	40.0	N.M.	N.M.	385	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0004-3	N.M.	73.0	N.M.	35.0	N.M.	N.M.	385	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0008-1	N.M.	85.0	N.M.	31.0	N.M.	N.M.	311	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0017-1	N.M.	129	N.M.	52.0	N.M.	N.M.	290	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0018-2	N.M.	23.0	N.M.	67.0	N.M.	N.M.	239	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0019-1	N.M.	82.0	N.M.	67.0	N.M.	N.M.	147	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0023-1	N.M.	114	N.M.	76.0	N.M.	N.M.	297	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0023-3	N.M.	99.0	N.M.	68.0	N.M.	N.M.	192	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.

Abbreviations: N.D. = not detected. N.M. = not measured/analyzed.

Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Rb	Cs	Ba	Sr	Ga	Ta	Nb	Hf	Zr	Y
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
03-SMH-0129-2	22.79	0.256	209	7.3	23.0	0.46	6.3	4.1	151.4	20.13
03-SMH-0130	63.77	1.273	1409	8.2	22.0	1.68	23.4	13.2	470.5	44.75
03-SMH-0131	17.21	0.522	565	4.2	17.0	1.37	17.5	7.5	247.9	24.07
03-SMH-0132-1	37.08	0.725	336	6.4	14.0	1.22	16.5	9.6	337.6	39.02
03-SMH-0140-1	41.89	0.849	254	21.3	14.0	1.13	13.7	7.5	239.8	39.81
03-SMH-0141	32.55	1.857	366	43.8	16.0	0.68	10.0	4.3	142.5	31.24
03-SMH-0157	78.50	0.549	311	7.0	18.0	1.35	18.6	9.9	348.2	57.56
03-SMH-0160-1	1.75	0.023	46.0	25.3	10.0	1.13	14.5	8.1	290.2	45.45
03-SMH-0165-1	36.17	0.909	299	9.6	16.0	1.12	15.4	8.0	285.9	33.16
03-SMH-0168	93.54	2.106	317	43.1	16.0	0.31	4.8	2.6	95.1	10.83
04-SMH-0001-5	19.39	0.212	N.M.	4.2	N.M.	1.22	17.5	7.8	266.4	62.75
04-SMH-0007-2	10.00	0.490	N.M.	4.0	N.M.	3.51	46.6	23.5	816.6	34.55
04-SMH-0023-4	18.02	0.221	N.M.	5.5	N.M.	1.39	17.1	8.3	268.5	63.32
03-SMH-0007	3.38	0.186	72.0	101.6	17.0	0.35	3.5	2.2	83.8	24.08
03-SMH-0013	2.42	0.385	204	179.4	18.0	0.41	4.3	2.8	103.7	28.33
03-SMH-0023	1.64	0.269	101	156.6	17.0	0.38	3.9	2.6	93.0	27.7
03-SMH-0030	1.28	0.233	72.0	119.4	20.0	0.38	3.9	2.6	93.4	26.83
03-SMH-0031	1.18	0.060	42.0	147.1	18.0	0.42	4.4	2.9	103.9	29.39
03-SMH-0082-1	50.24	0.522	421	9.9	20.0	0.43	5.9	3.6	142.3	25.46
03-SMH-0105-1	6.89	0.123	80.0	61.1	22.0	0.62	9.4	5.7	230.8	48.05
03-SMH-0107-2	1.25	0.049	34.0	77.0	19.0	0.30	4.1	2.8	101	28.6
03-SMH-0112-2	45.50	0.735	179	37.8	20.0	0.28	4.1	2.6	93.0	26.99
03-SMH-0018-1	9.29	0.172	N.M.	76.4	N.M.	0.26	4.1	2.7	100.8	29.48
03-SMH-0094-1	0.29	0.045	N.M.	243.5	N.M.	0.24	3.8	2.6	93.1	27.64
03-SMH-0112-5	30.87	0.482	N.M.	111.5	N.M.	0.22	3.5	2.3	86.0	23.76
03-SMH-0116-1	0.86	0.128	N.M.	129.2	N.M.	0.24	3.9	2.6	94.6	26.29
04-SMH-0001-13	6.31	0.312	N.M.	2.2	N.M.	0.23	4.1	1.8	65.9	15.95
04-SMH-0001-21	31.60	1.003	N.M.	62.7	N.M.	0.27	4.1	2.7	100.7	18.81
04-SMH-0001-22	42.82	0.427	N.M.	98.6	N.M.	0.29	4.3	2.6	97.4	27.72
04-SMH-0001-3	0.67	0.261	N.M.	2.7	N.M.	0.24	4.9	1.7	61.9	9.48
04-SMH-0001-9	0.26	0.124	N.M.	7.2	N.M.	0.27	4.4	2.7	102.7	33.1
04-SMH-0002-4	0.52	0.106	N.M.	126.5	N.M.	0.21	3.3	2.2	79.6	24.47
04-SMH-0003-1	3.14	0.199	N.M.	119.6	N.M.	0.24	3.9	2.6	94.9	29.92
04-SMH-0003-3	73.81	3.050	N.M.	144.2	N.M.	0.62	9.7	6.1	246.9	41.49
04-SMH-0003-7	0.44	0.215	N.M.	302.2	N.M.	0.25	4.0	2.7	100.5	28.52
04-SMH-0004-1	6.43	0.366	N.M.	65.1	N.M.	0.25	4.1	3.5	134.5	27.68
04-SMH-0004-3	32.16	0.528	N.M.	50.7	N.M.	0.25	3.9	2.8	104.4	23.43
04-SMH-0008-1	13.31	0.212	N.M.	66.4	N.M.	0.23	3.7	2.4	89.1	20.48
04-SMH-0017-1	9.37	0.356	N.M.	141.6	N.M.	0.24	3.8	2.5	91.8	28.87
04-SMH-0018-2	7.84	0.349	N.M.	236.2	N.M.	0.39	6.9	2.8	117.2	21.12
04-SMH-0019-1	6.45	0.166	N.M.	162.9	N.M.	N.D.	1.7	1.1	42.3	11.74
04-SMH-0023-1	3.30	0.135	N.M.	114.7	N.M.	0.23	3.8	2.3	88.0	26.4
04-SMH-0023-3	63.12	3.317	N.M.	50.8	N.M.	N.D.	2.2	1.4	53.3	20.57

Abbreviations: N.D. = not detected. N.M. = not measured/analyzed.

Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Th	U	La	Ce	Pr	Nd	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
03-SMH-0129-2	1.36	0.405	14.91	34.78	4.569	20.18	4.86	1.002	4.812	0.722
03-SMH-0130	6.96	1.875	38.4	81.58	11.079	44.44	9.74	1.75	8.973	1.392
03-SMH-0131	4.31	1.26	24.63	58.04	7.386	30.18	6.53	1.003	5.78	0.862
03-SMH-0132-1	4.94	1.289	33.67	76.87	9.879	41.21	9.17	1.545	8.298	1.209
03-SMH-0140-1	5.72	1.275	42.96	98.31	12.535	50.93	10.82	1.585	9.607	1.33
03-SMH-0141	2.65	0.623	18.11	42.18	5.336	23.05	5.37	0.924	5.611	0.906
03-SMH-0157	5.79	1.291	38.36	88.27	11.043	45.77	10.44	1.785	10.751	1.781
03-SMH-0160-1	4.62	0.995	34.97	73.99	9.411	38.5	8.33	1.701	8.422	1.317
03-SMH-0165-1	4.57	1.139	27.11	64.46	8.315	35.48	8.2	1.056	6.986	1.003
03-SMH-0168	0.94	0.289	4.91	12.31	1.699	7.79	2.0	0.426	2.132	0.342
04-SMH-0001-5	5.64	1.31	33.06	81.27	10.571	42.83	9.01	0.426	9.213	1.58
04-SMH-0007-2	6.80	3.812	7.93	19.68	2.631	11.64	2.66	0.179	2.501	0.494
04-SMH-0023-4	6.67	1.601	45.7	107.06	13.788	56.88	12.7	0.755	12.309	2.028
03-SMH-0007	0.55	0.153	5.69	14.32	2.064	10.03	2.92	1.002	3.744	0.651
03-SMH-0013	0.68	0.174	6.85	17.48	2.562	12.3	3.52	1.192	4.608	0.776
03-SMH-0023	0.63	0.163	7.24	17.85	2.566	12.48	3.58	1.201	4.587	0.772
03-SMH-0030	0.65	0.171	6.85	16.63	2.396	11.57	3.29	1.063	4.318	0.751
03-SMH-0031	0.73	0.186	7.46	18.83	2.736	13.18	3.74	1.367	4.842	0.833
03-SMH-0082-1	1.49	0.417	5.26	13.14	1.821	8.52	2.51	0.812	3.708	0.689
03-SMH-0105-1	1.45	0.397	16.42	40.33	5.794	26.88	7.1	2.019	8.489	1.398
03-SMH-0107-2	0.70	0.174	6.38	16.58	2.432	11.6	3.4	1.105	4.456	0.78
03-SMH-0112-2	0.62	0.245	6.9	16.11	2.246	10.23	2.91	0.626	4.239	0.747
03-SMH-0018-1	0.67	0.178	5.79	14.8	2.175	10.33	3.17	1.055	4.293	0.781
03-SMH-0094-1	0.61	0.158	6.55	16.41	2.352	11.41	3.32	1.104	4.266	0.736
03-SMH-0112-5	0.54	0.139	5.79	14.21	2.044	10.03	2.87	0.719	3.722	0.626
03-SMH-0116-1	0.64	0.169	6.52	16.37	2.321	11.36	3.28	1.084	4.126	0.702
04-SMH-0001-13	0.21	0.18	2.37	6.16	0.897	4.28	1.46	0.093	2.241	0.421
04-SMH-0001-21	0.54	0.181	5.86	14.99	2.173	10.43	2.69	0.816	2.874	0.487
04-SMH-0001-22	0.64	0.168	7.42	18.56	2.7	13.38	3.69	1.112	4.481	0.765
04-SMH-0001-3	0.43	0.211	3.11	8.93	1.359	6.22	1.65	0.104	1.729	0.257
04-SMH-0001-9	0.68	0.192	8.63	22.1	3.309	16.14	4.4	0.382	5.103	0.859
04-SMH-0002-4	0.51	0.138	5.58	13.92	1.977	9.67	2.86	0.983	3.693	0.641
04-SMH-0003-1	0.64	0.169	6.91	16.98	2.447	12.03	3.39	1.1	4.315	0.751
04-SMH-0003-3	2.70	0.693	21.66	50.06	6.791	29.06	6.81	1.735	7.436	1.19
04-SMH-0003-7	0.63	0.171	6.86	16.89	2.551	12.13	3.48	1.161	4.4	0.759
04-SMH-0004-1	0.61	0.17	6.41	15.45	2.238	10.62	3.14	1.003	4.109	0.728
04-SMH-0004-3	0.64	0.176	6.94	17.15	2.505	12.02	3.37	1.253	4.049	0.691
04-SMH-0008-1	0.57	0.155	5.42	13.71	2.034	9.79	2.75	0.946	3.289	0.558
04-SMH-0017-1	0.57	0.15	6.47	15.93	2.378	11.57	3.38	1.098	4.483	0.765
04-SMH-0018-2	1.34	0.354	16.98	42.84	5.994	26.44	5.34	1.947	4.727	0.705
04-SMH-0019-1	0.26	0.075	2.98	7.46	1.133	5.52	1.55	0.622	1.933	0.333
04-SMH-0023-1	0.51	0.152	7.69	18.45	2.621	12.55	3.47	1.177	4.152	0.698
04-SMH-0023-3	0.42	0.179	5.64	12.6	1.725	7.89	2.3	0.573	3.183	0.578

Abbreviations: N.D. = not detected. N.M. = not measured/analyzed.

Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb	Lu
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
03-SMH-0129-2	4.262	0.827	2.396	0.351	2.27	0.332
03-SMH-0130	8.584	1.827	5.768	0.922	6.3	0.976
03-SMH-0131	4.986	1.009	3.028	0.455	2.88	0.419
03-SMH-0132-1	7.356	1.565	4.776	0.738	4.84	0.726
03-SMH-0140-1	7.707	1.558	4.702	0.706	4.74	0.702
03-SMH-0141	5.698	1.184	3.548	0.53	3.48	0.523
03-SMH-0157	10.858	2.265	6.846	1.062	7.17	1.101
03-SMH-0160-1	8.054	1.655	5.027	0.775	5.16	0.789
03-SMH-0165-1	5.99	1.268	3.939	0.624	4.23	0.644
03-SMH-0168	2.094	0.468	1.502	0.246	1.84	0.317
04-SMH-0001-5	10.103	2.175	6.626	0.993	6.48	0.954
04-SMH-0007-2	4.287	1.211	4.706	0.89	6.94	1.206
04-SMH-0023-4	12.21	2.457	7.178	1.043	6.76	0.981
03-SMH-0007	4.21	0.909	2.7	0.407	2.69	0.406
03-SMH-0013	5.059	1.095	3.298	0.496	3.27	0.499
03-SMH-0023	5.001	1.077	3.209	0.478	3.08	0.469
03-SMH-0030	4.756	1.035	3.077	0.462	2.97	0.446
03-SMH-0031	5.365	1.166	3.49	0.526	3.49	0.525
03-SMH-0082-1	4.532	0.969	2.91	0.426	2.77	0.424
03-SMH-0105-1	8.874	1.874	5.629	0.826	5.33	0.803
03-SMH-0107-2	5.169	1.118	3.336	0.497	3.22	0.499
03-SMH-0112-2	4.944	1.048	3.058	0.449	2.8	0.424
03-SMH-0018-1	5.102	1.073	3.281	0.478	3.21	0.486
03-SMH-0094-1	4.899	1.038	3.151	0.457	3.04	0.456
03-SMH-0112-5	4.248	0.917	2.759	0.406	2.68	0.403
03-SMH-0116-1	4.739	0.998	2.981	0.444	2.93	0.438
04-SMH-0001-13	2.733	0.55	1.661	0.242	1.64	0.255
04-SMH-0001-21	3.293	0.706	2.156	0.318	2.03	0.296
04-SMH-0001-22	4.934	1.038	3.13	0.461	3.04	0.465
04-SMH-0001-3	1.643	0.333	1.016	0.156	1.11	0.186
04-SMH-0001-9	5.706	1.206	3.601	0.537	3.46	0.522
04-SMH-0002-4	4.253	0.906	2.716	0.408	2.7	0.416
04-SMH-0003-1	5.015	1.064	3.292	0.485	3.22	0.492
04-SMH-0003-3	7.478	1.554	4.546	0.679	4.49	0.668
04-SMH-0003-7	5.009	1.084	3.263	0.481	3.13	0.476
04-SMH-0004-1	4.876	1.059	3.119	0.472	3.07	0.468
04-SMH-0004-3	4.471	0.918	2.684	0.415	2.85	0.426
04-SMH-0008-1	3.643	0.771	2.29	0.341	2.26	0.343
04-SMH-0017-1	5.009	1.077	3.214	0.471	3.02	0.453
04-SMH-0018-2	4.109	0.833	2.383	0.344	2.27	0.336
04-SMH-0019-1	2.112	0.436	1.274	0.191	1.24	0.183
04-SMH-0023-1	4.51	0.95	2.863	0.419	2.74	0.425
04-SMH-0023-3	3.753	0.792	2.309	0.328	2.04	0.292

Abbreviations: N.D. = not detected. N.M. = not measured/analyzed.

Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Description	SiO_2	TiO_2	Al_2O_3	Fe_2O_3	FeO	MnO	MgO
		wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %
04-SMH-0023-5	**Mafic Intrusion**	44.13	1.24	13.98	14.93	13.43	0.21	8.65
04-SMH-0024-3	**Mafic Intrusion**	42.65	1.19	14.60	15.72	14.15	0.22	6.73
04-SMH-0024-4	**Mafic Intrusion**	46.26	1.19	13.65	18.55	16.69	0.12	10.84
04-SMH-0025-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	40.65	1.07	13.98	13.90	12.51	0.17	7.02
04-SMH-0027-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	44.25	1.05	14.72	12.14	10.92	0.17	6.30
04-SMH-0033-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	50.33	1.37	14.00	15.55	13.99	0.05	12.24
04-SMH-0036-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	46.58	1.27	12.62	14.30	12.87	0.13	7.30
04-SMH-0044-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	47.41	1.24	13.94	11.38	10.24	0.26	8.17
04-SMH-0050-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	46.88	1.14	13.58	13.59	12.23	0.14	8.08
04-SMH-0052-2	**Mafic Intrusion**	49.66	1.04	16.17	16.98	15.28	0.10	9.47
04-SMH-0052-3	**Mafic Intrusion**	46.74	1.40	14.96	22.70	20.43	0.11	8.36
04-SMH-0054-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	48.49	1.36	13.88	11.51	10.36	0.25	4.98
04-SMH-0071-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	46.46	1.13	12.40	12.92	11.63	0.17	6.36
04-SMH-0071-2	**Mafic Intrusion**	46.56	1.25	13.52	12.86	11.57	0.24	5.10
03-SMH-0114	**Mafic Intrusion**	48.14	1.34	0.12	13.02	11.72	0.22	6.22
03-SMH-0086	**Mafic Intrusion**	46.85	1.49	13.41	14.94	13.44	0.11	12.80
03-SMH-0029-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	59.81	0.84	12.08	10.75	9.67	0.04	10.76
04-SMH-0062-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	54.04	1.80	12.38	18.97	17.07	0.05	7.16
04-SMH-0084-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	45.70	1.11	13.14	9.87	8.88	0.14	7.83
04-SMH-0049-1	**Mafic Intrusion**	50.72	1.39	14.38	14.73	13.25	0.07	11.99
03-SMH-0024	**Intermediate Intrusion**	59.20	1.07	13.39	10.58	9.52	0.09	7.36
03-SMH-0026-1	**Intermediate Intrusion**	83.64	0.11	7.52	2.92	2.63	0.01	2.51
03-SMH-0026-2	**Intermediate Intrusion**	80.88	0.15	8.73	4.12	3.71	0.02	2.61
03-SMH-0027-2	**Intermediate Intrusion**	65.32	0.91	13.17	7.55	6.79	0.07	6.89
03-SMH-0028-1	**Intermediate Intrusion**	60.79	0.90	11.40	9.18	8.26	0.21	5.23
03-SMH-0034-3	**Intermediate Intrusion**	64.82	0.99	12.27	10.15	9.13	0.04	6.52
03-SMH-0034-5	**Intermediate Intrusion**	71.54	0.83	10.56	7.56	6.80	0.02	3.44
03-SMH-0034-7	**Intermediate Intrusion**	69.36	1.54	12.20	6.54	5.88	0.03	3.93
03-SMH-0039-1	**Intermediate Intrusion**	66.43	0.73	12.36	8.39	7.55	0.04	6.33
03-SMH-0051	**Intermediate Intrusion**	57.89	1.16	14.32	11.96	10.76	0.10	8.40
03-SMH-0052	**Intermediate Intrusion**	62.98	1.21	12.95	10.49	9.44	0.06	6.19
03-SMH-0053	**Intermediate Intrusion**	48.59	0.82	10.64	10.25	9.22	0.09	8.20
03-SMH-0055	**Intermediate Intrusion**	58.98	1.15	14.58	11.72	10.55	0.13	8.99
03-SMH-0087-1	**Intermediate Intrusion**	62.56	0.94	12.05	11.64	10.47	0.04	8.21
03-SMH-0088-1	**Intermediate Intrusion**	61.10	1.06	13.16	12.25	11.02	0.05	7.73
03-SMH-0088-3	**Intermediate Intrusion**	66.91	1.27	10.02	11.95	10.75	0.04	5.65
03-SMH-0089-2	**Intermediate Intrusion**	61.05	1.06	13.85	9.99	8.99	0.06	7.98
03-SMH-0101-1	**Intermediate Intrusion**	69.90	1.12	14.67	3.56	3.20	0.02	2.59
03-SMH-0102-4	**Intermediate Intrusion**	51.50	1.35	12.12	14.65	13.18	0.05	11.42
03-SMH-0103-2	**Intermediate Intrusion**	76.91	0.20	7.22	5.94	5.34	0.02	6.72
03-SMH-0111-4	**Intermediate Intrusion**	63.11	0.88	12.87	6.99	6.29	0.07	2.11
03-SMH-0127-1	**Intermediate Intrusion**	62.04	1.00	13.23	11.98	10.78	0.04	8.95
03-SMH-0161	**Intermediate Intrusion**	66.22	1.48	12.00	8.68	7.81	0.05	6.34
04-SMH-0001-15	**Intermediate Intrusion**	52.10	1.70	13.68	16.97	15.27	0.10	8.02

Abbreviations: N.D. = not detected. N.M. = not measured/analyzed.

Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	CaO	Na_2O	K_2O	P_2O_5	LOI	Total	Ti	Mn	Na	K
	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
04-SMH-0023-5	4.33	2.53	0.36	0.12	9.92	100.40	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0024-3	6.13	2.33	0.09	0.12	9.52	99.30	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0024-4	2.38	0.05	0.03	0.12	7.48	100.67	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0025-1	9.05	0.11	2.05	0.08	11.45	99.53	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0027-1	7.36	3.74	0.26	0.08	9.36	99.43	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0033-1	0.22	0.04	0.04	0.14	6.38	100.36	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0036-1	6.77	2.06	0.03	0.11	9.28	100.46	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0044-1	6.03	1.00	1.61	0.12	9.19	100.34	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0050-1	5.15	2.79	0.06	0.11	8.58	100.10	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0052-2	0.11	0.07	0.83	0.10	5.90	100.43	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0052-3	0.16	0.06	0.02	0.13	5.75	100.39	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0054-1	6.44	3.97	0.21	0.14	9.18	100.42	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0071-1	6.89	2.80	0.25	0.13	10.90	100.41	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0071-2	8.02	3.19	0.06	0.11	9.40	100.31	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0114	9.52	2.79	0.08	0.12	7.59	89.16	6917	1686	15491	671
03-SMH-0086	0.67	0.24	0.28	0.11	7.43	98.33	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0029-1	0.31	0.03	0.11	0.24	5.36	100.33	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0062-1	0.39	0.03	0.77	0.21	4.63	100.43	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0084-1	6.70	1.14	2.05	0.11	12.69	100.48	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0049-1	0.42	0.05	0.04	0.10	6.52	100.41	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0024	1.20	2.22	0.52	0.18	5.40	101.21	6416	749	9785	4212
03-SMH-0026-1	0.01	0.22	1.41	0.02	2.54	100.91	598	130	417	11198
03-SMH-0026-2	0.03	N.D.	1.71	0.03	2.68	100.96	976	145	604	13290
03-SMH-0027-2	0.24	0.01	1.86	0.17	4.56	100.75	5582	655	671	>13500
03-SMH-0028-1	4.40	2.59	0.31	0.18	6.13	101.32	5436	1755	17134	2616
03-SMH-0034-3	0.26	0.04	1.32	0.16	4.66	101.23	5842	378	459	10711
03-SMH-0034-5	0.22	0.02	1.83	0.16	4.33	100.51	5259	181	506	>13500
03-SMH-0034-7	0.54	0.12	2.13	0.40	3.72	100.51	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0039-1	0.20	0.27	1.29	0.15	4.24	100.43	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0051	0.34	0.04	1.52	0.23	5.27	101.23	7126	898	408	12063
03-SMH-0052	0.33	0.15	1.74	0.23	4.70	101.03	7405	502	734	>13500
03-SMH-0053	6.29	2.31	0.60	0.17	13.33	101.29	5073	751	13144	5025
03-SMH-0055	0.74	0.28	1.33	0.25	3.90	102.05	6338	1078	1731	10639
03-SMH-0087-1	0.29	0.04	0.45	0.18	5.11	101.51	5538	398	N.D.	3662
03-SMH-0088-1	0.33	0.01	0.80	0.21	4.41	101.11	6028	426	N.D.	6354
03-SMH-0088-3	0.43	N.D.	0.36	0.24	3.85	100.72	7450	358	108	3031
03-SMH-0089-2	0.29	0.08	1.12	0.24	4.74	100.46	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0101-1	0.32	0.08	3.87	0.22	3.06	99.41	7061	154	873	>13500
03-SMH-0102-4	0.24	0.05	N.D.	0.10	6.24	97.72	7240	470	N.D.	44.0
03-SMH-0103-2	N.D.	N.D.	0.08	0.02	3.44	100.55	1138	194	N.D.	644
03-SMH-0111-4	3.11	4.79	0.93	0.19	5.25	100.30	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0127-1	0.27	0.15	0.50	0.21	1.99	100.36	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0161	0.65	0.16	1.71	0.42	3.69	101.40	8660	426	1428	13161
04-SMH-0001-15	0.94	0.05	0.34	0.65	5.10	99.65	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.

Abbreviations: N.D. = not detected. N.M. = not measured/analyzed.

Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	P	Cr	Co	Ni	Cu	Sc	V	Pb	Zn	As
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
04-SMH-0023-5	N.M.	109	N.M.	75.0	N.M.	N.M.	336	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0024-3	N.M.	121	N.M.	84.0	N.M.	N.M.	346	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0024-4	N.M.	115	N.M.	72.0	N.M.	N.M.	332	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0025-1	N.M.	230	N.M.	110	N.M.	N.M.	232	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0027-1	N.M.	224	N.M.	129	N.M.	N.M.	222	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0033-1	N.M.	94.0	N.M.	35.0	N.M.	N.M.	398	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0036-1	N.M.	91.0	N.M.	36.0	N.M.	N.M.	380	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0044-1	N.M.	99.0	N.M.	69.0	N.M.	N.M.	396	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0050-1	N.M.	105	N.M.	74.0	N.M.	N.M.	336	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0052-2	N.M.	113	N.M.	51.0	N.M.	N.M.	317	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0052-3	N.M.	104	N.M.	36.0	N.M.	N.M.	394	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0054-1	N.M.	93.0	N.M.	39.0	N.M.	N.M.	378	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0071-1	N.M.	100	N.M.	44.0	N.M.	N.M.	328	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0071-2	N.M.	95.0	N.M.	42.0	N.M.	N.M.	355	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0114	535	98.0	46.0	35.0	81.0	67.0	347	6.0	89.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0086	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0029-1	N.M.	-8.0	N.M.	13.0	N.M.	N.M.	120	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0062-1	N.M.	11.0	N.M.	4.0	N.M.	N.M.	446	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0084-1	N.M.	-8.0	N.M.	14.0	N.M.	N.M.	113	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0049-1	N.M.	92.0	N.M.	45.0	N.M.	N.M.	320	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0024	778	26.0	23.0	16.0	8.0	45.0	68.0	5.0	388	3.0
03-SMH-0026-1	N.D.	18.0	N.D.	N.D.	17.0	21.0	4.0	N.D.	27.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0026-2	27.0	26.0	N.D.	4.0	21.0	26.0	N.D.	N.D.	88.0	N.D.
03-SMH-0027-2	720	24.0	N.D.	8.0	12.0	53.0	27.0	14.0	173	1.0
03-SMH-0028-1	778	22.0	28.0	13.0	51.0	48.0	53.0	6.0	144	3.0
03-SMH-0034-3	693	21.0	19.0	18.0	146	40.0	51.0	N.D.	306	14.0
03-SMH-0034-5	670	16.0	N.D.	15.0	269	33.0	7.0	10.0	332	8.0
03-SMH-0034-7	N.M.	-8.0	N.M.	-4.0	N.M.	N.M.	132	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0039-1	N.M.	-8.0	N.M.	7.0	N.M.	N.M.	86.0	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0051	949	9.0	41.0	21.0	7.0	50.0	60.0	6.0	105	2.0
03-SMH-0052	984	16.0	32.0	16.0	156	43.0	33.0	13.0	529	4.0
03-SMH-0053	743	15.0	15.0	14.0	36.0	38.0	37.0	N.D.	107	N.D.
03-SMH-0055	1081	9.0	28.0	21.0	6.0	44.0	71.0	N.D.	241	N.D.
03-SMH-0087-1	760	23.0	21.0	16.0	2.0	24.0	52.0	N.D.	224	1.0
03-SMH-0088-1	796	21.0	23.0	18.0	8.0	41.0	120	N.D.	128	2.0
03-SMH-0088-3	1120	10.0	29.0	N.D.	16.0	33.0	N.D.	13.0	268	12.0
03-SMH-0089-2	N.M.	16.0	N.M.	14.0	N.M.	N.M.	135	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0101-1	990	16.0	N.D.	15.0	4.0	44.0	84.0	N.D.	74.0	3.0
03-SMH-0102-4	361	126	49.0	40.0	N.D.	58.0	363	N.D.	370	14.0
03-SMH-0103-2	N.D.	N.D.	17.0	7.0	N.D.	22.0	N.D.	N.D.	202	N.D.
03-SMH-0111-4	N.M.	-8.0	N.M.	7.0	N.M.	N.M.	106	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0127-1	N.M.	45.0	N.M.	13.0	N.M.	N.M.	115	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0161	2331	5.0	28.0	3.0	15.0	43.0	47.0	N.D.	385	35.0
04-SMH-0001-15	N.M.	-8.0	N.M.	-4.0	N.M.	N.M.	75.0	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.

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Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Rb	Cs	Ba	Sr	Ga	Ta	Nb	Hf	Zr	Y
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
04-SMH-0023-5	7.70	0.199	N.M.	48.3	N.M.	0.24	3.7	4.0	168.5	25.44
04-SMH-0024-3	2.26	1.157	N.M.	42.0	N.M.	0.23	3.6	2.4	91.2	22.83
04-SMH-0024-4	0.38	0.194	N.M.	13.0	N.M.	0.23	3.6	2.3	89.6	21.93
04-SMH-0025-1	64.67	1.943	N.M.	325.3	N.M.	N.D.	1.5	1.4	47.0	18.39
04-SMH-0027-1	6.28	0.302	N.M.	229.0	N.M.	N.D.	1.7	1.5	51.7	18.49
04-SMH-0033-1	0.74	0.056	N.M.	2.5	N.M.	0.28	4.4	3.0	111	26.4
04-SMH-0036-1	0.38	0.060	N.M.	84.0	N.M.	0.23	3.6	2.3	87.8	26.44
04-SMH-0044-1	35.32	0.334	N.M.	41.7	N.M.	0.22	3.6	2.5	92.5	22.18
04-SMH-0050-1	0.53	0.045	N.M.	79.7	N.M.	0.21	3.3	2.2	82.3	23.87
04-SMH-0052-2	16.40	0.168	N.M.	2.7	N.M.	0.20	3.3	2.1	75.8	22.13
04-SMH-0052-3	0.34	0.032	N.M.	1.3	N.M.	0.28	4.5	2.8	104.2	45.52
04-SMH-0054-1	8.13	0.235	N.M.	104.3	N.M.	0.26	4.1	2.8	99.2	27.69
04-SMH-0071-1	7.38	0.264	N.M.	178.3	N.M.	0.24	3.7	2.5	91.7	21.76
04-SMH-0071-2	2.16	0.137	N.M.	124.0	N.M.	0.23	3.6	2.4	87.3	25.03
03-SMH-0114	2.12	0.278	38.0	65.6	17.0	0.30	4.1	2.8	97.6	32.96
03-SMH-0086	7.84	0.186	N.M.	7.9	N.M.	0.32	4.3	2.9	103.7	21.61
03-SMH-0029-1	1.88	0.087	N.M.	5.0	N.M.	0.55	8.4	5.4	219.4	31.12
04-SMH-0062-1	18.62	0.119	N.M.	7.6	N.M.	0.46	6.8	4.4	170.1	38.68
04-SMH-0084-1	47.02	0.435	N.M.	50.2	N.M.	0.21	3.5	2.3	84.4	21.39
04-SMH-0049-1	0.84	0.091	N.M.	3.2	N.M.	0.26	4.9	2.7	101.3	50.49
03-SMH-0024	15.15	0.193	45.0	32.8	21.0	0.81	9.9	6.7	261.7	35.74
03-SMH-0026-1	27.31	0.341	241	8.9	13.0	1.17	12.7	5.7	168.6	20.43
03-SMH-0026-2	31.34	0.363	312	7.7	15.0	1.42	15.3	7.2	214.6	52.35
03-SMH-0027-2	34.27	0.424	437	11.2	28.0	0.84	9.6	6.0	231.5	29.4
03-SMH-0028-1	5.73	0.164	75.0	62.7	15.0	0.70	7.8	5.2	202.8	32.49
03-SMH-0034-3	23.89	0.298	329	7.0	20.0	0.76	9.1	6.2	246	38.8
03-SMH-0034-5	31.40	0.342	377	7.1	25.0	0.68	7.8	5.4	211.1	18.08
03-SMH-0034-7	41.42	0.459	N.M.	15.0	N.M.	0.62	10.2	5.6	222.6	29.99
03-SMH-0039-1	25.66	0.323	N.M.	9.7	N.M.	0.75	9.8	5.7	224.5	36.16
03-SMH-0051	26.91	0.431	246	8.7	24.0	0.87	10.6	7.3	292.4	44.02
03-SMH-0052	26.50	0.335	324	8.6	20.0	0.82	10.2	6.8	266.2	41.44
03-SMH-0053	11.31	0.113	93.0	104.2	15.0	0.69	7.8	5.4	213.3	35.18
03-SMH-0055	27.02	0.650	246	12.2	22.0	0.89	11.1	7.7	306.5	49.36
03-SMH-0087-1	7.24	0.085	146	3.1	17.0	0.59	8.1	5.7	223.7	26.08
03-SMH-0088-1	13.88	0.330	286	5.2	20.0	0.66	9.5	6.4	255.1	30.97
03-SMH-0088-3	5.48	0.054	79.0	5.2	21.0	0.52	7.3	4.3	170.9	19.64
03-SMH-0089-2	18.67	0.154	N.M.	5.4	N.M.	0.65	10.0	6.7	274.6	38.02
03-SMH-0101-1	18.86	0.269	1152	8.0	21.0	0.81	10.5	7.4	288.8	23.79
03-SMH-0102-4	0.25	0.054	N.D.	3.5	19.0	0.28	3.7	2.6	92.9	26.34
03-SMH-0103-2	1.52	0.041	N.D.	1.0	9.0	0.88	12.1	5.1	165.9	46.74
03-SMH-0111-4	19.18	0.453	N.M.	108.2	N.M.	0.71	9.6	5.9	228.6	27.86
03-SMH-0127-1	8.49	0.258	N.M.	4.3	N.M.	0.63	9.6	6.4	266	45.71
03-SMH-0161	29.64	1.179	420	16.8	28.0	0.68	9.6	5.9	230	40.57
04-SMH-0001-15	6.01	0.114	N.M.	5.9	N.M.	0.75	11.1	6.8	273.9	22.49

Abbreviations: N.D. = not detected. N.M. = not measured/analyzed.

Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Th	U	La	Ce	Pr	Nd	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
04-SMH-0023-5	0.54	0.134	6.29	15.37	2.259	11.04	3.27	1.03	3.922	0.658
04-SMH-0024-3	0.55	0.159	3.23	9.46	1.522	8.03	2.64	0.704	3.517	0.603
04-SMH-0024-4	0.53	0.124	6.57	16.1	2.32	11.3	2.99	0.849	3.46	0.584
04-SMH-0025-1	0.30	0.064	4.65	12.21	1.847	9.19	2.54	0.887	3.009	0.497
04-SMH-0027-1	0.45	0.1	4.79	12.16	1.783	8.94	2.53	0.906	2.988	0.511
04-SMH-0033-1	0.70	0.172	8.95	21.32	2.966	13.9	3.64	0.679	4.282	0.715
04-SMH-0036-1	0.55	0.152	5.9	14.94	2.138	10.46	3.04	0.93	3.928	0.688
04-SMH-0044-1	0.54	0.141	4.32	11.07	1.655	7.96	2.56	0.866	3.339	0.622
04-SMH-0050-1	0.50	0.126	5.84	14.7	2.149	10.38	2.98	0.974	3.687	0.646
04-SMH-0052-2	0.60	0.181	6.88	15.66	2.155	9.79	2.54	0.329	3.214	0.57
04-SMH-0052-3	0.75	0.24	6.72	17.27	2.498	12.01	3.81	0.583	6.087	1.181
04-SMH-0054-1	0.66	0.171	7.02	17.39	2.529	11.96	3.39	1.054	4.314	0.747
04-SMH-0071-1	0.60	0.151	5.68	13.97	2.061	10.13	2.8	0.885	3.483	0.596
04-SMH-0071-2	0.56	0.148	5.96	14.95	2.176	10.49	3.03	1.022	3.847	0.668
03-SMH-0114	0.65	0.179	6.58	16.56	2.391	11.82	3.52	1.202	5.052	0.884
03-SMH-0086	0.47	0.172	2.52	6.28	0.973	5.0	1.66	0.494	2.82	0.528
03-SMH-0029-1	2.34	0.753	5.09	13.71	2.026	10.1	3.12	0.616	4.258	0.787
04-SMH-0062-1	1.64	0.412	11.48	25.28	4.001	18.64	4.88	0.491	5.909	1.029
04-SMH-0084-1	0.54	0.133	7.0	17.66	2.565	12.48	3.44	1.075	3.763	0.613
04-SMH-0049-1	0.72	0.335	10.23	23.34	3.109	14.09	4.43	0.5	7.292	1.419
03-SMH-0024	2.90	0.753	12.24	28.66	3.785	16.34	4.27	0.729	5.413	0.981
03-SMH-0026-1	4.83	1.175	22.63	54.28	6.837	27.79	5.67	0.264	4.473	0.649
03-SMH-0026-2	6.02	1.443	40.13	90.28	11.467	46.26	9.96	1.579	9.837	1.601
03-SMH-0027-2	3.19	0.911	8.93	20.84	2.784	12.36	3.33	0.593	4.202	0.73
03-SMH-0028-1	2.38	0.632	12.68	31.28	4.225	18.82	4.84	1.256	5.684	0.945
03-SMH-0034-3	2.96	0.725	21.99	55.54	7.41	32.3	7.41	0.827	7.661	1.205
03-SMH-0034-5	1.81	0.616	17.33	37.82	4.664	19.34	4.12	0.64	4.091	0.63
03-SMH-0034-7	2.23	0.62	14.86	35.07	4.591	20.56	5.04	0.834	5.4	0.84
03-SMH-0039-1	4.30	0.952	26.58	61.17	7.645	31.77	6.87	0.746	6.519	1.025
03-SMH-0051	3.17	0.823	24.81	58.57	7.662	33.32	7.72	1.325	8.173	1.318
03-SMH-0052	2.73	0.741	16.14	38.33	5.063	22.65	5.44	0.913	6.701	1.141
03-SMH-0053	2.33	0.615	15.3	37.73	5.135	22.49	5.5	1.448	6.18	1.019
03-SMH-0055	3.44	0.864	38.48	81.39	10.043	42.3	9.58	1.534	9.728	1.486
03-SMH-0087-1	2.20	0.626	9.25	22.49	2.983	13.38	3.43	0.357	4.171	0.693
03-SMH-0088-1	2.76	0.736	16.47	39.63	5.254	22.62	5.42	0.433	5.805	0.917
03-SMH-0088-3	1.74	0.494	18.24	41.7	5.472	23.32	5.13	0.724	4.766	0.676
03-SMH-0089-2	2.86	0.721	19.31	46.02	6.09	26.66	6.42	0.555	6.622	1.072
03-SMH-0101-1	1.64	0.738	13.81	33.84	4.562	19.76	4.71	0.532	4.732	0.72
03-SMH-0102-4	0.49	0.158	3.84	10.33	1.576	7.77	2.5	0.263	3.781	0.696
03-SMH-0103-2	4.20	0.965	31.9	75.24	9.541	39.1	8.24	0.471	8.086	1.273
03-SMH-0111-4	3.44	0.866	23.94	53.87	6.816	28.24	6.1	1.366	6.028	0.918
03-SMH-0127-1	2.86	0.71	28.78	67.91	8.858	38.09	8.86	0.606	8.972	1.403
03-SMH-0161	2.72	0.74	9.51	25.13	3.692	18.37	5.1	1.177	6.53	1.096
04-SMH-0001-15	2.70	0.738	4.47	12.45	1.825	9.61	3.15	0.345	4.243	0.685

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Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb	Lu
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
04-SMH-0023-5	4.388	0.941	2.859	0.42	2.74	0.406
04-SMH-0024-3	3.86	0.831	2.528	0.375	2.5	0.382
04-SMH-0024-4	3.78	0.82	2.522	0.375	2.48	0.383
04-SMH-0025-1	3.175	0.672	2.035	0.292	1.89	0.282
04-SMH-0027-1	3.242	0.677	2.02	0.296	1.92	0.284
04-SMH-0033-1	4.627	1.018	3.021	0.444	3.05	0.479
04-SMH-0036-1	4.481	0.988	2.986	0.443	2.89	0.429
04-SMH-0044-1	4.002	0.864	2.565	0.386	2.58	0.379
04-SMH-0050-1	4.164	0.902	2.715	0.403	2.65	0.399
04-SMH-0052-2	3.825	0.816	2.441	0.352	2.2	0.317
04-SMH-0052-3	8.083	1.71	4.932	0.687	4.28	0.612
04-SMH-0054-1	4.974	1.056	3.148	0.46	3.01	0.449
04-SMH-0071-1	3.817	0.833	2.553	0.381	2.52	0.383
04-SMH-0071-2	4.379	0.946	2.879	0.429	2.77	0.419
03-SMH-0114	5.872	1.281	3.862	0.566	3.63	0.554
03-SMH-0086	3.715	0.821	2.543	0.383	2.58	0.411
03-SMH-0029-1	5.085	1.111	3.443	0.525	3.63	0.554
04-SMH-0062-1	6.623	1.447	4.427	0.653	4.36	0.65
04-SMH-0084-1	3.884	0.824	2.493	0.369	2.48	0.385
04-SMH-0049-1	9.142	1.837	5.09	0.699	4.4	0.616
03-SMH-0024	6.648	1.467	4.488	0.68	4.62	0.71
03-SMH-0026-1	3.889	0.869	2.879	0.488	3.6	0.565
03-SMH-0026-2	9.942	2.105	6.218	0.927	5.92	0.871
03-SMH-0027-2	4.928	1.116	3.522	0.552	3.77	0.582
03-SMH-0028-1	5.886	1.271	3.778	0.561	3.68	0.563
03-SMH-0034-3	7.371	1.477	4.396	0.649	4.26	0.647
03-SMH-0034-5	3.756	0.741	2.158	0.312	2.05	0.291
03-SMH-0034-7	5.356	1.109	3.414	0.514	3.46	0.525
03-SMH-0039-1	6.348	1.305	3.802	0.567	3.71	0.553
03-SMH-0051	8.118	1.664	4.942	0.729	4.78	0.702
03-SMH-0052	7.444	1.574	4.693	0.685	4.49	0.671
03-SMH-0053	6.284	1.303	3.846	0.566	3.82	0.593
03-SMH-0055	9.041	1.852	5.521	0.827	5.62	0.856
03-SMH-0087-1	4.442	0.996	3.08	0.479	3.36	0.526
03-SMH-0088-1	5.582	1.18	3.665	0.567	3.76	0.612
03-SMH-0088-3	3.932	0.806	2.348	0.352	2.44	0.374
03-SMH-0089-2	6.725	1.413	4.213	0.631	4.26	0.656
03-SMH-0101-1	4.3	0.938	2.943	0.458	3.13	0.495
03-SMH-0102-4	4.66	1.01	3.05	0.455	2.94	0.436
03-SMH-0103-2	8.04	1.703	5.076	0.736	4.62	0.689
03-SMH-0111-4	5.586	1.101	3.116	0.467	3.12	0.465
03-SMH-0127-1	8.391	1.671	4.861	0.696	4.6	0.691
03-SMH-0161	7.251	1.625	4.911	0.746	4.89	0.743
04-SMH-0001-15	4.14	0.91	2.854	0.46	3.35	0.559

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Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Description	SiO_2	TiO_2	Al_2O_3	Fe_2O_3	FeO	MnO	MgO
		wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %
04-SMH-0003-2	**Intermediate Intrusion**	65.92	1.01	12.02	4.50	4.05	0.14	1.48
04-SMH-0023-2	**Intermediate Intrusion**	46.01	1.25	14.98	14.69	13.22	0.16	7.18
04-SMH-0026-2	**Intermediate Intrusion**	73.08	0.33	12.44	1.66	1.49	0.06	0.61
04-SMH-0076-1	**Intermediate Intrusion**	61.12	0.88	13.46	9.87	8.88	0.07	4.20
04-SMH-0041-1	**Intermediate Intrusion**	66.14	1.02	12.23	5.85	5.25	0.05	7.05
03-SMH-0022	**Late Diabase Intrusion**	50.23	1.98	13.32	17.59	15.83	0.25	3.94
04-SMH-0005-4	**Epiclastic**	76.50	0.13	10.76	2.96	2.66	0.04	0.64
04-SMH-0017-4	**Epiclastic**	75.41	0.19	13.63	1.48	1.33	0.02	0.45
04-SMH-0017-5	**Volcaniclastic**	76.60	0.49	11.12	2.92	2.63	0.07	0.96
04-SMH-0018-1	**Volcaniclastic**	77.45	0.15	10.75	2.23	2.01	0.03	0.33

Sample No.	CaO	Na_2O	K_2O	P_2O_5	LOI	Total	Ti	Mn	Na	K
	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	wt %	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
04-SMH-0003-2	4.77	4.34	0.79	0.22	4.86	100.05	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0023-2	7.05	2.85	0.32	0.12	4.11	98.72	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0026-2	2.88	3.59	2.15	0.07	3.01	99.88	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0076-1	1.19	0.71	4.49	0.19	4.31	100.49	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0041-1	0.45	0.11	2.41	0.24	4.11	99.66	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0022	8.39	3.03	0.63	0.32	1.35	101.03	12014	2015	25330	5610
04-SMH-0005-4	0.91	2.07	2.76	0.02	2.70	99.49	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0017-4	0.42	3.50	2.78	0.03	2.17	100.08	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0017-5	1.56	0.93	3.93	0.15	1.20	99.93	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0018-1	1.05	2.19	3.42	0.02	1.69	99.31	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.

Sample No.	P	Cr	Co	Ni	Cu	Sc	V	Pb	Zn	As
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
04-SMH-0003-2	N.M.	<8	N.M.	9.0	N.M.	N.M.	111	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0023-2	N.M.	33.0	N.M.	26.0	N.M.	N.M.	140	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0026-2	N.M.	<8	N.M.	<4	N.M.	N.M.	11.0	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0076-1	N.M.	105	N.M.	68.0	N.M.	N.M.	363	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0041-1	N.M.	-8.0	N.M.	10.0	N.M.	N.M.	132	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
03-SMH-0022	1688	90.0	52.0	48.0	182	73.0	171	8.0	137	N.D.
04-SMH-0005-4	N.M.	<8	N.M.	6.0	N.M.	N.M.	<5	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0017-4	N.M.	<8	N.M.	<4	N.M.	N.M.	<5	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0017-5	N.M.	21.0	N.M.	<4	N.M.	N.M.	10.0	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.
04-SMH-0018-1	N.M.	<8	N.M.	<4	N.M.	N.M.	<5	N.M.	N.M.	N.M.

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Appendix 3. Listing of geochemical data from the Genex mine area -- continued.

Sample No.	Rb	Cs	Ba	Sr	Ga	Ta	Nb	Hf	Zr	Y
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
04-SMH-0003-2	28.55	0.747	N.M.	135.9	N.M.	0.55	8.2	5.2	206.3	32.4
04-SMH-0023-2	35.36	0.451	N.M.	10.9	N.M.	0.58	8.3	5.3	212.6	17.49
04-SMH-0026-2	55.77	1.821	N.M.	144	N.M.	0.57	7.1	4.5	173.9	16.72
04-SMH-0076-1	71.22	1.874	N.M.	18.7	N.M.	0.67	9.7	6.6	260	21.36
04-SMH-0041-1	52.48	0.353	N.M.	5.5	N.M.	0.65	10.0	6.6	270.6	52.5
03-SMH-0022	21.10	1.164	322	139.1	23.0	0.89	12.3	6.6	257.9	56.83
04-SMH-0005-4	111.56	1.385	N.M.	40.4	N.M.	1.43	20.3	9.1	248.2	113.33
04-SMH-0017-4	70.78	1.084	N.M.	17.6	N.M.	1.32	14.9	8.3	300.5	59.22
04-SMH-0017-5	59.98	1.102	N.M.	63.0	N.M.	0.51	7.1	5.3	216.5	23.84
04-SMH-0018-1	86.72	0.780	N.M.	33.3	N.M.	1.84	27.4	11.1	340	115.67

Sample No.	Th	U	La	Ce	Pr	Nd	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
04-SMH-0003-2	2.30	0.618	17.98	41.88	5.694	24.59	5.74	1.544	6.088	0.98
04-SMH-0023-2	2.19	0.563	12.29	28.69	3.714	15.88	3.53	0.817	3.341	0.519
04-SMH-0026-2	5.87	1.319	28.94	60.97	6.935	25.07	4.09	0.725	3.231	0.476
04-SMH-0076-1	2.85	0.784	21.96	50.03	6.455	27.19	5.85	1.25	5.036	0.725
04-SMH-0041-1	2.88	0.847	51.1	110.74	14.38	61.99	13.78	1.031	12.113	1.729
03-SMH-0022	3.69	0.954	24.4	54.32	7.246	32.31	8.16	2.452	9.696	1.605
04-SMH-0005-4	8.79	2.001	70.62	170.84	22.898	98.33	22.22	2.483	>20.000	3.438
04-SMH-0017-4	7.39	1.738	45.28	103.93	13.035	51.74	10.15	1.628	9.432	1.528
04-SMH-0017-5	2.74	0.742	8.65	22.65	3.205	14.69	3.44	0.825	3.759	0.637
04-SMH-0018-1	9.61	2.334	54.37	120.87	15.756	67.59	15.7	2.036	17.17	2.965

Sample No.	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb	Lu
	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
04-SMH-0003-2	6.033	1.224	3.619	0.529	3.45	0.516
04-SMH-0023-2	3.193	0.664	1.986	0.291	1.91	0.276
04-SMH-0026-2	2.885	0.589	1.741	0.257	1.7	0.259
04-SMH-0076-1	4.142	0.826	2.504	0.383	2.69	0.414
04-SMH-0041-1	9.931	1.947	5.402	0.78	5.02	0.755
03-SMH-0022	10.225	2.182	6.47	0.95	6.25	0.96
04-SMH-0005-4	>20.000	4.309	12.543	1.85	11.9	1.692
04-SMH-0017-4	9.622	2.064	6.41	0.994	6.92	1.061
04-SMH-0017-5	4.108	0.86	2.624	0.386	2.57	0.386
04-SMH-0018-1	19.524	4.252	13.402	2.012	13.21	1.972

Abbreviations: N.D. = not detected. N.M. = not measured/analyzed.

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Appendix 4

Previous Ownership and Exploration History of the Genex Mine Area

This table represents the highlights of ownership and exploration history in the Genex Mine area up to the present. Many events up to 1985 have been compiled from Legault (1985) and references therein.

Table 8. Table of ownership and exploration history in the Genex mine area.

Dates	Company or Individual's Name	Highlights of Activity
Prior to 1926	Prospector Fred Steep	Noticed sulphide mineralization in the area south of Aconda Lake while trapping
1926	Fred Steep, Phillip Sheehan	Staked the area covering the "surface showings" of sulphide mineralization
1927	Aconda Mines Ltd.	Surface-trenching and diamond-drilling
Claims allowed to lapse		
1933	M.J. Tinkess	Re-staked the claims in the area
1937	Charles McCaughey Alameda Mines, Ltd.	Surface diamond-drilling, dropped the option
1940	A. H. Graham	Area was re-staked
1942	Sylvanite Gold Mines Ltd.	Surface trenching, dropped the option
1944–1954	Mordey Copper Mines Ltd.	Purchased area, 5 diamond drill holes, magnetometer survey
1948	Millbren Copper Mines Ltd.	Surface diamond drilling, dropped the option
1951	New Walcoro Porcupine Mines Ltd.	Surface diamond drilling, dropped the option
1954	Consulting geologist Nelson Hogg	Detailed geologic mapping of the area (Hogg 1954)
1955	Broulan Reef Mines Ltd.	Electromagnetic survey, 3 diamond drill holes, dropped the option
1956	Kimberley Copper Mines Ltd.	Magnetic, electromagnetic and self-potential surveys, 31 diamond drill holes, dropped the option
1958	P.J. O'Neill	Surface trenching, diamond drilling
1959	Maple Bay Copper Mines Ltd.	Purchased area, electromagnetic survey and 17 diamond drill holes
1960–1962	Maple Bay Copper Mines Ltd.	Electromagnetic survey and 56 diamond drill holes
1964	P.J. O'Neill	Diamond drilling
1964–1967	Genex Mines Ltd.	Purchased area, 50 diamond drill holes, induced polarization survey. Shaft sunk to 84 m with levels at 38 and 76 m. Total 807 m of drifts, 211 m of raises, 95 m of crosscuts, and 82 m of underground drill holes.
1965	Consolidated Sannorm Mines Ltd.	Induced polarization survey, one diamond drill hole
September 1966	Genex Mines Ltd.	Name changed to Irvington Mines Ltd.
November 1966	Irvington Mines Ltd.	Operations ceased
February 1967		Company declared bankruptcy
1967	United Obalski Mining Company Ltd.	Purchased area, geological mapping, surface sampling, ore reserve calculations
1968–1969	Kenneco Explorations Canada Ltd.	15 diamond drill holes and dropped the option
1975	R.S. Middleton	Geologic mapping for the Ontario Department of Mines (Middleton 1975)
1981–1982	Texasgulf Ltd.	2 diamond drill holes, geophysics
1981–1982	Samim Canada Ltd.	Diamond drilling
1985	Campbell Resources Ltd.	Purchased the area
1985	Esso Resources	Diamond drilling, stripping
1985	Mark H. Legault	Detailed surface mapping as a masters thesis (Legault 1985)
1985–1991	Falconbridge Ltd. (Kidd)	Purchased property, diamond drilling, mechanical stripping, power stripping, geophysics
1993–1999	Property Inactive	
1999	Prospectors Alliance Corp.	Mapping, drilling
2001	Falconbridge Ltd., joint venture with Explorers Alliance, Campbell Resources	Diamond drilling, assaying of grab samples
2004	Explorers Alliance	Claims transferred
The claims in the Genex area are presently held by Explorers Alliance		

Appendix 5

Outcrop, Drill Hole and Waypoint UTM Locations

This appendix contains locations for all outcrops and waypoints mapped during the course of this project, as well as the collar locations for the drill holes presented in Appendix 2. The locations are provided as Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM) co-ordinates using North American Datum 1983 (NAD83).

Additionally, outcrop photographs are included on MRD 144.

Appendix 5. Outcrop, drill hole and waypoint locations.

Station Number	Station Type	UTM Co-ordinates (NAD 83)			Comments
		Zone	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	
03-SMH-0001	outcrop	17	458775	5370340	
03SMH0002	outcrop	17	458785	5370362	
03SMH0003	outcrop	17	458800	5370350	
03SMH0004	outcrop	17	458770	5370375	
03SMH0005	outcrop	17	458790	5370380	
03SMH0006	outcrop	17	458800	5370395	
03SMH0007	outcrop	17	458810	5370365	
03SMH0008	outcrop	17	458800	5370340	
03SMH0009	outcrop	17	458785	5370290	
03SMH0010	outcrop	17	458780	5370260	
03SMH0011	outcrop	17	458820	5370255	
03SMH0012	outcrop	17	458837	5370260	
03SMH0013	outcrop	17	458845	5370250	
03SMH0014	outcrop	17	458860	5370250	
03SMH0015	outcrop	17	458885	5370275	
03SMH0016	outcrop	17	458760	5370345	
03SMH0017	outcrop	17	458765	5370390	
03SMH0018	outcrop	17	458790	5370410	trench
03SMH0019	outcrop	17	458915	5370620	Aconda Zone trench
03SMH0020	outcrop	17	458801	5370363	
03SMH0021	outcrop	17	458820	5370279	
03SMH0022	outcrop	17	458885	5370240	
03SMH0023	outcrop	17	458860	5370245	
03SMH0024	outcrop	17	458840	5370222	
03SMH0025	outcrop	17	458780	5370195	
03SMH0026	outcrop	17	458775	5370160	
03SMH0027	outcrop	17	458805	5370125	
03SMH0028	outcrop	17	458850	5370160	
03SMH0029	outcrop	17	458830	5370198	
03SMH0030	outcrop	17	458860	5370200	
03SMH0031	outcrop	17	458800	5370415	
03SMH0032	outcrop	17	458748	5370220	
03SMH0033	outcrop	17	458741	5370230	
03SMH0034	outcrop	17	458700	5370240	
03SMH0035	outcrop	17	458735	5370138	
03SMH0036	outcrop	17	458725	5370130	
03SMH0037	outcrop	17	458735	5370120	
03SMH0038	outcrop	17	458705	5370128	
03SMH0039	outcrop	17	458710	5370100	
03SMH0040	outcrop	17	458670	5370115	
03SMH0041	outcrop	17	458725	5370158	
03SMH0042	outcrop	17	458715	5370170	
03SMH0043	outcrop	17	458709	5370187	very little outcrop
03SMH0044	outcrop	17	458697	5370200	
03SMH0045	outcrop	17	458690	5370169	
03SMH0046	outcrop	17	458670	5370160	
03SMH0047	outcrop	17	458685	5370198	
03SMH0048	outcrop	17	458663	5370230	

Appendix 5. Outcrop, drill hole and waypoint locations -- continued.

Station Number	Station Type	UTM Co-ordinates (NAD 83)			Comments
		Zone	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	
03SMH0049	outcrop	17	458653	5370200	
03SMH0050	outcrop	17	458635	5370165	
03SMH0051	outcrop	17	458608	5370255	
03SMH0052	outcrop	17	458638	5370261	
03SMH0053	outcrop	17	458635	5370300	
03SMH0054	outcrop	17	458670	5370275	several small outcrops
03SMH0055	outcrop	17	458570	5370220	small outcrops exposed on ridge
03SMH0056	outcrop	17	458513	5370263	
03SMH0057	outcrop	17	458740	5370430	
03SMH0058	outcrop	17	458730	5370445	
03SMH0059	outcrop	17	458690	5370440	
03SMH0060	outcrop	17	458665	5370445	
03SMH0061	outcrop	17	458630	5370431	
03SMH0062	outcrop	17	458547	5370418	
03SMH0063	outcrop	17	458513	5370410	
03SMH0064	outcrop	17	458512	5370318	
03SMH0065	outcrop	17	458530	5370285	
03SMH0066	outcrop	17	458548	5370300	
03SMH0067	outcrop	17	458612	5370280	
03SMH0068	outcrop	17	458580	5370330	
03SMH0069	outcrop	17	458562	5370380	
03SMH0070	outcrop	17	458575	5370357	
03SMH0071	outcrop	17	458617	5370414	
03SMH0072	outcrop	17	458623	5370402	
03SMH0073	outcrop	17	458617	5370381	
03SMH0074	outcrop	17	458608	5370360	
03SMH0075	outcrop	17	458750	5370365	
03SMH0076	outcrop	17	458761	5370285	
03SMH0077	outcrop	17	458757	5370265	
03SMH0078	outcrop	17	458710	5370281	
03SMH0079	outcrop	17	458721	5370381	
03SMH0080	outcrop	17	458660	5370363	
03SMH0081	outcrop	17	458702	5370323	
03SMH0082	outcrop	17	458748	5370560	
03SMH0083	outcrop	17	458610	5370593	
03SMH0084	outcrop	17	458560	5370618	
03SMH0085	outcrop	17	458338	5370570	
03SMH0086	outcrop	17	458365	5370530	may be a very large boulder
03SMH0087	outcrop	17	458450	5370460	
03SMH0088	outcrop	17	458550	5370530	
03SMH0089	outcrop	17	458590	5370530	
03SMH0090	outcrop	17	458640	5370538	
03SMH0091	outcrop	17	458680	5370518	
03SMH0092	outcrop	17	458703	5370531	
03SMH0093	outcrop	17	458710	5370523	
03SMH0094	outcrop	17	458780	5370486	
03SMH0095	outcrop	17	458745	5370475	
03SMH0096	outcrop	17	458705	5370470	

Appendix 5. Outcrop, drill hole and waypoint locations -- continued.

Station Number	Station Type	UTM Co-ordinates (NAD 83)			Comments
		Zone	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	
03SMH0097	outcrop	17	458690	5370470	
03SMH0098	outcrop	17	458588	5370486	
03SMH0099	outcrop	17	458462	5370398	
03SMH0100	outcrop	17	458387	5370386	
03SMH0101	outcrop	17	458425	5370400	
03SMH0102	outcrop	17	458400	5370330	
03SMH0103	outcrop	17	458440	5370358	
03SMH0104	outcrop	17	458430	5370245	
03SMH0105	outcrop	17	458270	5370255	
03SMH0106	outcrop	17	458230	5370305	
03SMH0107	outcrop	17	458310	5370410	
03SMH0108	outcrop	17	458220	5370480	
03SMH0109	outcrop	17	458660	5369620	
03SMH0110	outcrop	17	458660	5369685	
03SMH0111	outcrop	17	458570	5369770	
03SMH0112	outcrop	17	458480	5369990	
03SMH0113	outcrop	17	458970	5370250	
03SMH0114	outcrop	17	458920	5370285	
03SMH0115	outcrop	17	458950	5370295	
03SMH0116	outcrop	17	458912	5370323	
03SMH0117	outcrop	17	458940	5370340	
03SMH0118	outcrop	17	459010	5370305	
03SMH0119	outcrop	17	459045	5370350	
03SMH0120	outcrop	17	459138	5370338	
03SMH0121	outcrop	17	458937	5370362	
03SMH0122	outcrop	17	458935	5370430	
03SMH0123	outcrop	17	459078	5370430	
03SMH0124	outcrop	17	458401	5370450	
03SMH0125	outcrop	17	458431	5370289	
03SMH0126	outcrop	17	458450	5370510	
03SMH0127	outcrop	17	458540	5370463	
03SMH0128	outcrop	17	458717	5370518	
03SMH0129	outcrop	17	458720	5370490	
03SMH0130	outcrop	17	458942	5370463	
03SMH0131	outcrop	17	458930	5370482	
03SMH0132	outcrop	17	458910	5370525	
03SMH0133	outcrop	17	459066	5370480	
03SMH0134	outcrop	17	459090	5370550	
03SMH0135	outcrop	17	458995	5370438	
03SMH0136	outcrop	17	458866	5370472	
03SMH0137	outcrop	17	459100	5370308	
03SMH0138	outcrop	17	459100	5370240	
03SMH0139	outcrop	17	459017	5370245	
03SMH0140	outcrop	17	458930	5370198	
03SMH0141	outcrop	17	458932	5370145	
03SMH0142	outcrop	17	458890	5370138	
03SMH0143	outcrop	17	459001	5370172	
03SMH0144	outcrop	17	459030	5370190	

Appendix 5. Outcrop, drill hole and waypoint locations -- continued.

Station Number	Station Type	UTM Co-ordinates (NAD 83)			Comments
		Zone	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	
03SMH0145	outcrop	17	459080	5370202	
03SMH0146	outcrop	17	459090	5370170	
03SMH0147	outcrop	17	459130	5370095	
03SMH0148	outcrop	17	459038	5370075	
03SMH0149	outcrop	17	459003	5370040	
03SMH0150	outcrop	17	458960	5370020	
03SMH0151	outcrop	17	459020	5369930	
03SMH0152	outcrop	17	459130	5370020	
03SMH0153	outcrop	17	458869	5370137	
03SMH0154	outcrop	17	458900	5370011	
03SMH0155	outcrop	17	458868	5370103	
03SMH0156	outcrop	17	458843	5370011	
03SMH0157	outcrop	17	458195	5370030	
03SMH0158	outcrop	17	458163	5370065	
03SMH0159	outcrop	17	458132	5370067	
03SMH0160	outcrop	17	458156	5370088	
03SMH0161	outcrop	17	458743	5370070	
03SMH0162	outcrop	17	458758	5370056	
03SMH0163	outcrop	17	458793	5370065	
03SMH0164	outcrop	17	458748	5370040	
03SMH0165	outcrop	17	458715	5370045	
03SMH0166	outcrop	17	458733	5370033	
03SMH0167	outcrop	17	458730	5369960	
03SMH0168	outcrop	17	458719	5369920	
03SMH0169	outcrop	17	458797	5369950	
03SMH0170	outcrop	17	459176	5369868	
03SMH0171	outcrop	17	459200	5369866	
03SMH0172	outcrop	17	458740	5370700	
03SMH0173	outcrop	17	458738	5370680	
03SMH0174	outcrop	17	458697	5370648	
03SMH0175	outcrop	17	458640	5370690	
03SMH0176	outcrop	17	458750	5370620	
03SMH0177	outcrop	17	459045	5370683	
04SMH0001	drill-core	17	458226.6	5370351.8	Falconbridge drill hole G32-25 ♦
04SMH0002	drill-core	17	458186.5	5369509.3	Falconbridge drill hole G22-14 ♦
04SMH0003	drill-core	17	458386.67	5369361.07	Falconbridge drill hole G22-15 ♦
04SMH0004	drill-core	17	458797.07	5370628.745	Falconbridge drill hole G32-29 ♦
04SMH0005	drill-core	17	459112.61	5369605.83	Falconbridge drill hole G22-12 ♦
04SMH0006	drill-core	17	458782	5370168	Explorers Alliance drill hole EGG32-36 ♦
04SMH0007	drill-core	17	458769	5370208	Explorers Alliance drill hole EGG32-35 ♦
04SMH0008	drill-core	17	458793	5370286	Explorers Alliance drill hole EGG32-34 ♦
04SMH0009	drill-core	17	458795	5370341	Explorers Alliance drill hole EGG32-33 ♦
04SMH0010	drill-core	17	458652	5370570	Explorers Alliance drill hole EGG32-30 ♦
04SMH0011	drill-core	17	458637	5370538	Explorers Alliance drill hole EGG32-31 ♦
04SMH0012	drill-core	17	458716	5370541	Explorers Alliance drill hole EGG32-32 ♦
04SMH0013	drill-core	17	458752	5370551	Explorers Alliance drill hole EGG32-32A ♦

♦ For detailed drill log, refer to drill hole database on MRD 144.

Appendix 5. Outcrop, drill hole and waypoint locations -- continued.

Station Number	Station Type	UTM Co-ordinates (NAD 83)			Comments
		Zone	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	
04SMH0014	drill-core	17			Explorers Alliance drill hole EGG51-26 ♦
04SMH0015	drill-core	17	458781.58	5369169.43	Falconbridge drill hole G22-11 ♦
04SMH0016	drill-core	17	458763.24	5369905.21	Falconbridge drill hole G32-28 ♦
04SMH0017	drill-core	17	458935.696	5368465.83	Falconbridge drill hole G22-16 ♦
04SMH0018	drill-core	17	459519.214	5369938.587	Falconbridge drill hole G33-15 ♦
04SMH0019	drill-core	17	457694.697	5369111.526	Falconbridge drill hole G22-13 ♦
04SMH0020	drill-core	17	459266.559	5369849.778	Falconbridge drill hole G33-13 ♦
04SMH0021	drill-core	17	459098.689	5370593.092	Falconbridge drill hole G32-27 ♦
04SMH0022	drill-core	17	459210.091	5370398.688	Falconbridge drill hole G33-14 ♦
04SMH0023	drill-core	17	458509.871	5370770.451	Falconbridge drill hole G32-26 ♦
04SMH0024	drill-core	17	458488.547	5370609.101	Falconbridge drill hole G32-10 ♦
04SMH0025	drill-core	17	459159.885	5369044.867	Falconbridge drill hole G23-02 ♦
04SMH0026	drill-core	17	459252.062	5368247.238	Falconbridge drill hole G23-03 ♦
04SMH0027	drill-core	17	459108.2865	5368745.839	Falconbridge drill hole G22-01 ♦
04-SMH-0028	outcrop	17	458310	5369620	
04-SMH-0029	outcrop	17	458210	5369630	
04-SMH-0030	outcrop	17	458030	5369640	
04-SMH-0031	outcrop	17	457970	5369627	
04-SMH-0032	outcrop	17	458420	5370560	
04-SMH-0033	outcrop	17	458427	5370577	
04-SMH-0034	outcrop	17	458403	5370581	
04-SMH-0035	outcrop	17	458330	5370610	
04-SMH-0036	outcrop	17	458310	5370574	
04-SMH-0037	outcrop	17	458336	5370537	
04-SMH-0038	outcrop	17	458280	5370560	
04-SMH-0039	outcrop	17	458190	5370550	
04-SMH-0040	outcrop	17	458189	5370608	
04-SMH-0041	outcrop	17	458181	5370652	
04-SMH-0042	outcrop	17	458114	5370705	
04-SMH-0043	outcrop	17	458118	5370770	
04-SMH-0044	outcrop	17	457995	5370713	
04-SMH-0045	outcrop	17	457915	5370587	
04-SMH-0046	outcrop	17	457953	5370582	
04-SMH-0047	outcrop	17	458418	5369565	
04-SMH-0048	outcrop	17	458277	5370216	
04-SMH-0049	outcrop	17	458266	5370186	
04-SMH-0050	outcrop	17	458210	5370175	
04-SMH-0051	outcrop	17	458245	5370075	
04-SMH-0052	outcrop	17	458270	5370115	
04-SMH-0053	outcrop	17	458722	5370514	
04-SMH-0054	outcrop	17	458620	5369573	
04-SMH-0055	outcrop	17	458575	5369570	
04-SMH-0056	outcrop	17	458540	5369440	
04-SMH-0057	outcrop	17	458500	5369490	
04-SMH-0058	outcrop	17	458450	5369390	
04-SMH-0059	outcrop	17	458490	5369540	

♦ For detailed drill log, refer to drill hole database on MRD 144.

Appendix 5. Outcrop, drill hole and waypoint locations -- continued.

Station Number	Station Type	UTM Co-ordinates (NAD 83)			Comments
		Zone	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	
04-SMH-0060	outcrop	17	458465	5369585	
04-SMH-0061	outcrop	17	458405	5369535	
04-SMH-0062	outcrop	17	458014	5369687	
04-SMH-0063	outcrop	17	458340	5369495	
04-SMH-0064	outcrop	17	458300	5369435	
04-SMH-0065	outcrop	17	458355	5369365	
04-SMH-0066	outcrop	17	458430	5369300	
04-SMH-0067	outcrop	17	458345	5369230	
04-SMH-0068	outcrop	17	458315	5369245	
04-SMH-0069	outcrop	17	458335	5369168	
04-SMH-0070	outcrop	17	458405	5369195	
04-SMH-0071	outcrop	17	458495	5369190	
04-SMH-0072	outcrop	17	458500	5369030	
04-SMH-0073	outcrop	17	458455	5368998	
04-SMH-0074	outcrop	17	458410	5369020	
04-SMH-0075	outcrop	17	458310	5368940	
04-SMH-0076	outcrop	17	458200	5368930	
04-SMH-0077	outcrop	17	458263	5369143	
04-SMH-0078	outcrop	17	458080	5369195	
04-SMH-0079	outcrop	17	458200	5369315	
04-SMH-0080	outcrop	17	458160	5369460	
04-SMH-0081	outcrop	17	458190	5369514	
04-SMH-0082	outcrop	17	458180	5369570	
04-SMH-0083	outcrop	17	458300	5369540	
04-SMH-0084	outcrop	17	458407	5369712	
04-SMH-0085	drill-core	17	459445	5370844	Explorers Alliance drill hole 6G-04-2 ♦
W001	waypoint	17	458780	5370227	
W002	waypoint	17	458770	5370222	
W003	waypoint	17	458689	5370081	
W004	waypoint	17	458630	5370084	
W005	waypoint	17	458642	5370109	
W006	waypoint	17	458673	5370222	
W007	waypoint	17	458603	5370165	
W008	waypoint	17	458633	5370143	
W009	waypoint	17	458610	5370117	
W010	waypoint	17	458586	5370117	
W011	waypoint	17	458591	5370175	
W012	waypoint	17	458606	5370205	
W013	waypoint	17	458527	5370169	
W014	waypoint	17	458526	5370199	
W015	waypoint	17	458587	5370212	
W016	waypoint	17	458571	5370419	
W017	waypoint	17	458502	5370384	
W018	waypoint	17	458508	5370344	
W019	waypoint	17	458512	5370303	
W020	waypoint	17	458511	5370295	

♦ For detailed drill log, refer to drill hole database on MRD 144.

Appendix 5. Outcrop, drill hole and waypoint locations -- continued.

Station Number	Station Type	UTM Co-ordinates (NAD 83)			Comments
		Zone	Easting (m)	Northing (m)	
W021	waypoint	17	458581	5370280	
W022	waypoint	17	458550	5370327	
W023	waypoint	17	458552	5370353	
W024	waypoint	17	458620	5370317	
W025	waypoint	17	458487	5370570	
W026	waypoint	17	458448	5370076	
W027	waypoint	17	458942	5370274	
W028	waypoint	17	458965	5370343	
W029	waypoint	17	458896	5370345	
W030	waypoint	17	458871	5370340	
W031	waypoint	17	458418	5370416	
W032	waypoint	17	458901	5370475	
W033	waypoint	17	458867	5370535	
W034	waypoint	17	458942	5370544	
W035	waypoint	17	459014	5370503	
W036	waypoint	17	458955	5370456	
W037	waypoint	17	458925	5370458	
W038	waypoint	17	458897	5370419	
W039	waypoint	17	458871	5370377	
W040	waypoint	17	459037	5370232	
W041	waypoint	17	458900	5370175	
W042	waypoint	17	458959	5370144	
W043	waypoint	17	459135	5370153	
W044	waypoint	17	459108	5370141	
W045	waypoint	17	459025	5370043	
W046	waypoint	17	459052	5369967	
W047	waypoint	17	458900	5370143	
W048	waypoint	17	458961	5369984	
W049	waypoint	17	458720	5370027	
W050	waypoint	17	458709	5369885	
W051	waypoint	17	459232	5369885	
W053	waypoint	17	458595	5369546	
W054	waypoint	17	458485	5369334	
W055	waypoint	17	458239	5369083	
W056	waypoint	17	458218	5369118	
W057	waypoint	17	458204	5369420	
W058	waypoint	17	458484	5369648	

Metric Conversion Table

Conversion from SI to Imperial			Conversion from Imperial to SI		
SI Unit	*Multiplied by*	*Gives*	*Imperial Unit*	*Multiplied by*	*Gives*
		LENGTH			
1 mm	0.039 37	inches	1 inch	**25.4**	mm
1 cm	0.393 70	inches	1 inch	**2.54**	cm
1 m	3.280 84	feet	1 foot	**0.304 8**	m
1 m	0.049 709	chains	1 chain	20.116 8	m
1 km	0.621 371	miles (statute)	1 mile (statute)	**1.609 344**	km
		AREA			
1 cm^2	0.155 0	square inches	1 square inch	**6.451 6**	cm^2
1 m^2	10.763 9	square feet	1 square foot	**0.092 903 04**	m^2
1 km^2	0.386 10	square miles	1 square mile	2.589 988	km^2
1 ha	2.471 054	acres	1 acre	0.404 685 6	ha
		VOLUME			
1 cm^3	0.061 023	cubic inches	1 cubic inch	**16.387 064**	cm^3
1 m^3	35.314 7	cubic feet	1 cubic foot	0.028 316 85	m^3
1 m^3	1.307 951	cubic yards	1 cubic yard	0.764 554 86	m^3
		CAPACITY			
1 L	1.759 755	pints	1 pint	0.568 261	L
1 L	0.879 877	quarts	1 quart	1.136 522	L
1 L	0.219 969	gallons	1 gallon	**4.546 090**	L
		MASS			
1 g	0.035 273 962	ounces (avdp)	1 ounce (avdp)	28.349 523	g
1 g	0.032 150 747	ounces (troy)	1 ounce (troy)	**31.103 476 8**	g
1 kg	2.204 622 6	pounds (avdp)	1 pound (avdp)	**0.453 592 37**	kg
1 kg	0.001 102 3	tons (short)	1 ton (short)	**907.184 74**	kg
1 t	1.102 311 3	tons (short)	1 ton (short)	**0.907 184 74**	t
1 kg	0.000 984 21	tons (long)	1 ton (long)	**1016.046 908 8**	kg
1 t	0.984 206 5	tons (long)	1 ton (long)	**1.016 046 90**	t
		CONCENTRATION			
1 g/t	0.029 166 6	ounce (troy)/ ton (short)	1 ounce (troy)/ ton (short)	34.285 714 2	g/t
1 g/t	0.583 333 33	pennyweights/ ton (short)	1 pennyweight/ ton (short)	1.714 285 7	g/t

OTHER USEFUL CONVERSION FACTORS

	Multiplied by	
1 ounce (troy) per ton (short)	31.103 477	grams per ton (short)
1 gram per ton (short)	0.032 151	ounces (troy) per ton (short)
1 ounce (troy) per ton (short)	20.0	pennyweights per ton (short)
1 pennyweight per ton (short)	0.05	ounces (troy) per ton (short)

Note: Conversion factors which are in bold type are exact. The conversion factors have been taken from or have been derived from factors given in the Metric Practice Guide for the Canadian Mining and Metallurgical Industries, published by the Mining Association of Canada in co-operation with the Coal Association of Canada.

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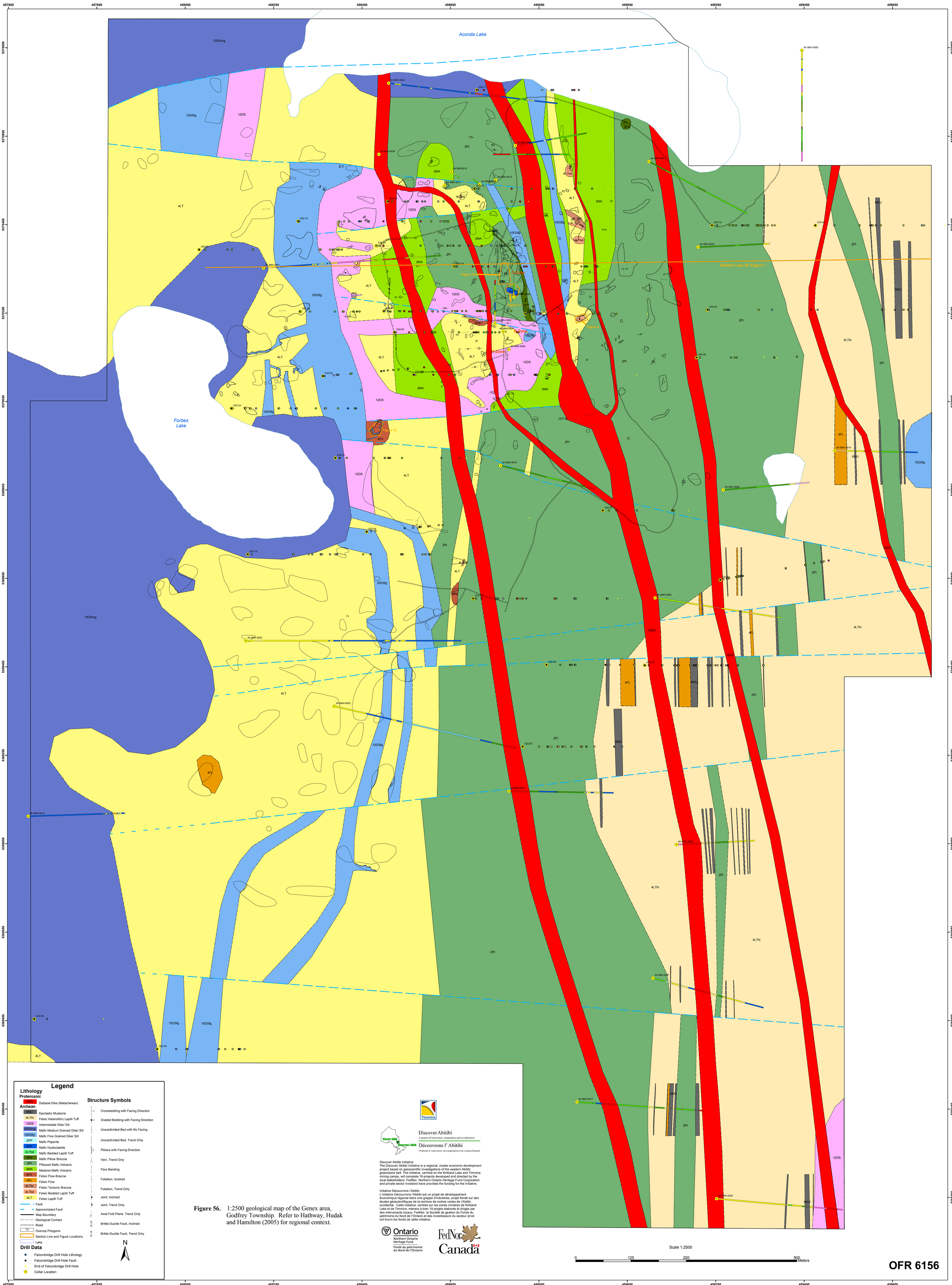

Figure 56. 1:2500 geological map of the Genex area, Godfrey Township. Refer to Hathway, Hudak and Hamilton (2005) for regional context.

Legend

Lithology

Proterozoic

- 15DS — Diabase Dike (Matachewan)

Archean

- 6MU — Epiclastic Mudsone
- 4LThl — Felsic Heterolithic Lapilli Tuff
- 12DS — Intermediate Dike/ Sill
- 10DSmg — Mafic Medium Grained Dike/ Sill
- 10DSfg — Mafic Fine Grained Dike/ Sill
- 2PP — Mafic Peperite
- 2HY — Mafic Hyaloclastite
- 2LTbd — Mafic Bedded Lapilli Tuff
- 2PX — Mafic Pillow Breccia
- 2PI — Pillowed Mafic Volcanic
- 2MA — Massive Mafic Volcanic
- 4FX — Felsic Flow Breccia
- 4FL — Felsic Flow
- 4LTtx — Felsic Tectonic Breccia
- 4LTbd — Felsic Bedded Lapilli Tuff
- 4LT — Felsic Lapilli Tuff

- Fault
- Approximated Fault
- Map Boundary
- Geological Contact
- Road
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- Section Line and Figure Locations
- Lake

Structure Symbols

- Crossbedding with Facing Direction
- Graded Bedding with Facing Direction
- Unsubdivided Bed with No Facing
- Unsubdivided Bed, Trend Only
- Pillows with Facing Direction
- Vein, Trend Only
- Flow Banding
- Foliation, Inclined
- Foliation, Trend Only
- Joint, Inclined
- Joint, Trend Only
- Axial Fold Plane, Trend Only
- Brittle-Ductile Fault, Inclined
- Brittle-Ductile Fault, Trend Only

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Drill Data

- Falconbridge Drill Hole Lithology
- Falconbridge Drill Hole Fault
- End of Falconbridge Drill Hole
- Collar Location

Timmins

Discover Abitibi
A project of innovation, cooperation and revitalization
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Discover Abitibi Initiative
The Discover Abitibi Initiative is a regional, cluster economic development project based on geoscientific investigations of the western Abitibi greenstone belt. The initiative, centred on the Kirkland Lake and Timmins mining camps, will complete 19 projects developed and directed by the local stakeholders. FedNor, Northern Ontario Heritage Fund Corporation and private sector investors have provided the funding for the initiative.

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