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1. Alaska showing the location of the Porcupine Mining area.
2. Porcupine Mining area showing sample localities, anomalous elements and lode prospects and deposits.

UNITS OF MEASURE USED IN THIS REPORT

ft - foot

in - inch

% - percent

ppm - parts per million

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ABSTRACT

As part of a cooperative project during 1983 and 1984, personnel from the State of Alaska Division of Geological and Geophysical Surveys and the U.S. Bureau of Mines collected 366 stream sediment, float and bedrock samples in the Porcupine Mining area near Haines in Southeast Alaska. More than 240 of the 366 samples collected contained anomalous concentrations of one or more elements, indicating a variety of mineral deposit types including zinc-copper-silver-barium-gold-lead-cobalt massive sulfide and gold-silver vein or stockwork. Rock samples collected contain up to 531.1 ppm gold, 610.29 ppm silver, 13.4% zinc, 2.33% copper, 15.7% lead, 1070 ppm cobalt, 47% barium, 96 ppm molybdenum, 600 ppm tin, 4000 ppm arsenic, 800 ppm nickel, 2000 ppm bismuth and 7000 ppm antimony. Stream sediment samples collected contain up to 62.25 ppm gold, 4.896 ppm silver, 1810 ppm zinc, 310 ppm lead, 110 ppm cobalt, 2800 ppm barium and 400 ppm arsenic.

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## INTRODUCTION

As part of a cooperative project, to evaluate the economic mineral potential of the Porcupine Mining area, the State of Alaska Division of Geological and Geophysical Surveys and the U.S. Bureau of Mines in 1983 and 1984 collected 269 bedrock and float samples, 92 stream sediment and 5 panned concentrate samples in the Porcupine Mining area near Haines in Southeast Alaska. The Porcupine Mining area has been mined for placer gold since the turn of the century. It is bounded by the Tsirku River to the south and east, by the Alaska - British Columbia border to the west, and it extends several miles north of the Haines highway. Figure 1 shows the Porcupine Mining area while figure 2 shows the sample locations, anomalous element concentrations and known or reported mineral occurrences. Samples collected from previously known occurrences are reported in Still (1) and are not repeated here (for more information about area access, history and previous studies see Still (1)). In general, the area geology consists of paleozoic slate, volcanic rocks and limestone intruded by Cretaceous diorite. For more detail see the geologic map by Redman and others (2), which is at the same scale as figure 2 of this report. Previous geologic and geochemical work in the area was done in 1969-1971 by Winkler (3) and Mackevett (4).

## ANOMALOUS LEVELS

Samples were often collected in areas where mineralization was known or likely to occur, resulting in a relatively higher percentage of anomalous samples than would have been the case if the samples had been collected on a more random basis. Anomalous levels were assigned by scanning the data and comparing them to anomalous levels determined by more detailed studies to the southwest in Glacier Bay (5) and to the east in the Skagway B-2 Quadrangle (6). Appendix A lists the anomalous levels from the Glacier Bay and Skagway B-2 studies and gives the anomalous levels determined for this report. Appendix B lists the analytical results for the sample locations shown on figure 2. More than 240 of the 366 analyzed samples contained anomalous concentrations of one or more metals.

## RESULTS

Indications of massive sulfide type (Zn, Cu, Pb, Co, Ba, Au, Ag) mineralization were found at several locations throughout the study area. The most prominent of these are as follows:

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Items in parenthesis are given in a list of references at the end of the text.

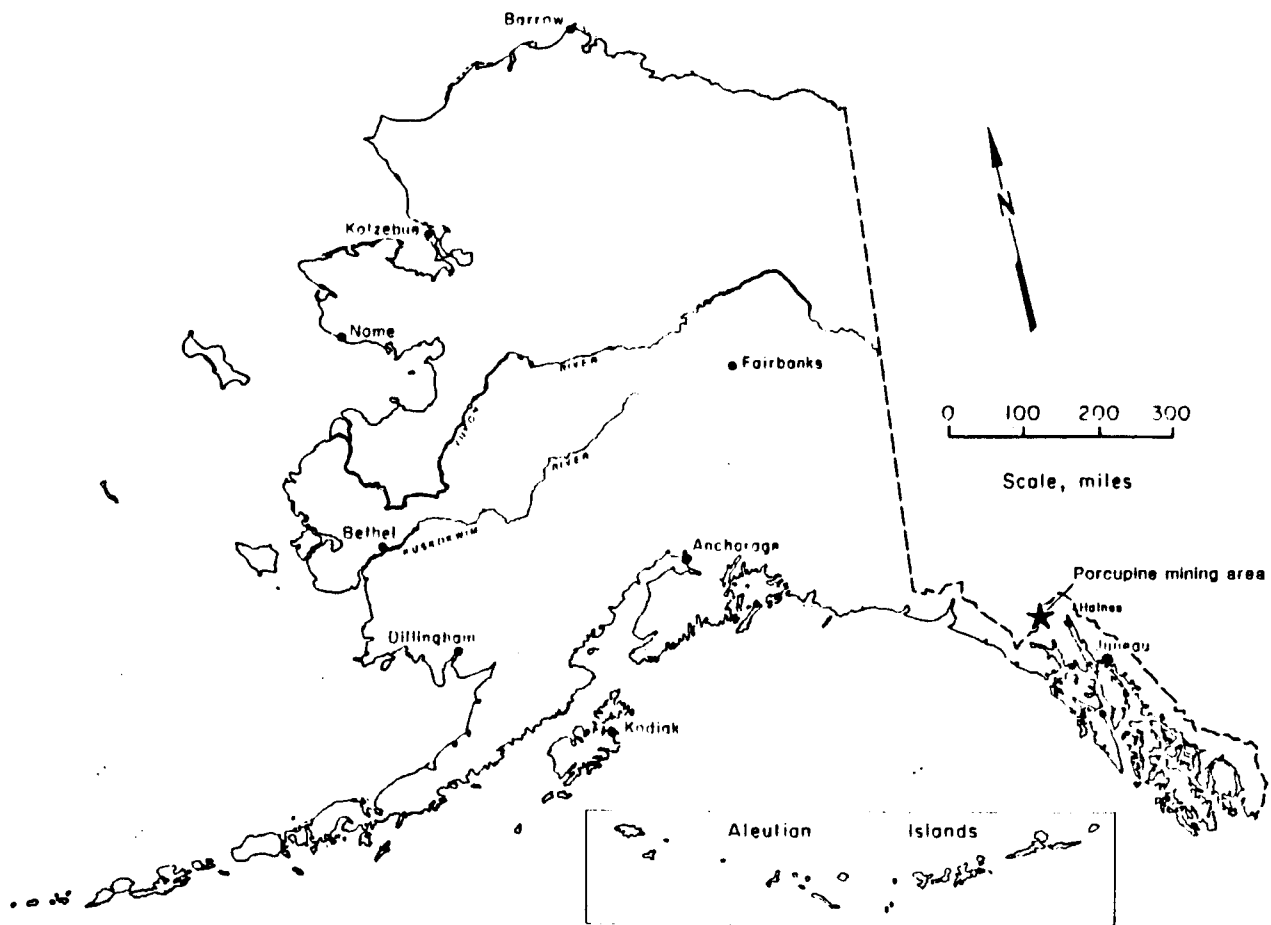


Figure 1.- Alaska, showing the location of the Porcupine mining area

1. Porcupine road area (map no. 67 to 77): stream sediment samples collected on the uphill side of the road contained up to 1810 ppm zinc, 800 ppm barium, 0.092 ppm gold and 4.896 ppm silver whereas float and bedrock samples contained up to 210 ppm zinc, 1.94 ppm silver, 150 ppm lead and 800 ppm barium. This area is underlain by limestone and slate.

2. West of Flower Mountain (map no. 128 to 130) (Claire Bear): bedrock samples collected from a massive sulfide lens at a dike-limestone contact, and similar float material, contained up to 56.16 ppm silver, 2160 ppm copper, 1070 ppm cobalt, 600 ppm tin, 1000 ppm arsenic, 1000 ppm bismuth and 7000 ppm antimony. This area is a roof pendant in diorite composed of slate, limestone and some volcanic rocks.

3. North of Boundary Glacier (map no. 116 to 121): float and bedrock samples of sedimentary and volcanic rocks contain up to 0.034 ppm gold, 1.214 ppm silver, 280 ppm zinc, 1390 ppm copper, 390 ppm cobalt, 47% barium, 400 ppm arsenic and 200 ppm nickel. This is an area of basalt and andesite with subordinate sedimentary rocks.

4. North of the Tsirku Glacier and River (map no. 149 to 168): float and bedrock samples contain up to 6.2% zinc, 2.33% copper, 1.18% lead, 450 ppm cobalt, 49.84 ppm silver, 0.30 ppm gold, 1.13% barium, 200 ppm tin, 400 ppm arsenic, 300 ppm nickel and 900 ppm bismuth; stream sediment samples contain up to 800 ppm zinc, 10 ppm silver, 2800 ppm barium, and 500 ppm tin. Bedrock is composed of volcanic rocks, slate, and limestone.

Placer gold has been reported or mined in Glacier, Porcupine, Cahoon, McKinley, Little Boulder, Big Boulder, Summit, Nugget, and Cottonwood Creeks and the Little Salmon River (7). These placers may indicate potential lode gold sources. Quartz veins and stringer zones hosted in slate have long been known by local prospectors. The following represents new information concerning potential vein gold and/or massive or disseminated sulfide gold mineralization:

1. McKinley Creek (map no. 100 to 109): some of the samples were collected within the Golden Eagle lode claims; samples of narrow quartz sulfide veins hosted in slate and dikes contain up to 182.13 ppm gold while one select native sulfur-sulfide rich sample contained 531.1 ppm gold; samples also contained up to 20.57 ppm silver, 9.5% zinc, 230 ppm cobalt, 430 ppm lead, 1910 ppm barium, 4000 ppm arsenic, and 100 ppm nickel.

2. Head of Porcupine Creek (map no. 132 to 141): an isolated sample of chalcopyrite-bearing quartz float contained 49 ppm gold, 74 ppm silver and 1% copper; samples of slate hosted quartz veins that occur in swarms contained up to 0.148 ppm gold, 390 ppm zinc, 1420 ppm barium, 60 ppm tin, 700 ppm arsenic, 200 ppm nickel and 3000 ppm antimony. This area is a roof pendant composed of slate, basalt and limestone.

3. On the north side of the Tsirku River a south flowing stream drains an area just to the south of the head of Porcupine Creek, (map no. 170). A single isolated stream sediment sample collected at the mouth of this stream contained 2.5 ppm gold and 240 ppm zinc.



A silver occurrence consisting of narrow galena-sphalerite quartz veins hosted in argillite is located 1.5 miles southwest of VABM knob 1720 (map no. 214 to 218) near a logging road locally called the Sunshine Mountain road. Samples collected of the veins contained up to 0.471 ppm gold, 610.29 ppm silver, 5.8% zinc and 15.7% lead.

Other areas of volcanic rocks, slate or limestone also contained anomalous values. The Pleasant Camp area (map no. 18 to 26) and the Glacier Creek area (map no. 57 to 66) are anomalous in gold, silver, lead and copper. Big Boulder Creek (map no. 27 to 43) is anomalous in gold and zinc while the area between Glacier and Jarvis Creeks (map no. 3 to 17) is anomalous in zinc. The Mosquito Lake area (map no. 191 to 204) is anomalous in gold, silver, zinc, copper and cobalt. Numerous other samples at various locations also contained anomalous metal concentrations.

#### CONCLUSIONS

The high number of anomalous samples (242 of 366) and the broad spectrum of anomalous elements (Au, Ag, Zn, Cu, Pb, Co, Ba, Mo, Sn, As, Ni, Bi, and Sb) reinforced by the previous findings of Redman and others (2) and Still (1) indicate that the Porcupine Mining area has potential for a variety of deposit types and is an exploration target for base and precious metal massive sulfide, and vein or stockwork, gold-silver deposits.

This is a preliminary report, and sampling and sample analysis are not yet complete. Additional work is slated for the 1985 field season, and a final geochemical report with complete sample results will be published in 1986.

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APPENDIX A

Anomalous Levels

## ANOMALOUS LEVELS

A geochemical study conducted by the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) in Glacier Bay National Park (bordering the Porcupine Mining Area to the Southwest, see figure 2) was based on over 1800 stream sediment and 1800 rock samples (5). A geochemical study conducted by the Alaska Division of Geological and Geophysical Surveys (ADGGS) in the Skagway B-2 Quadrangle (located to the east of the Porcupine Mining area) was based on 265 stream sediment samples (6). The anomalous levels reported by the above two studies are listed on the left below:

Element	USGS Glacier Bay		ADGGS B-2	ADGGS-USBM Porcupine Mining Area	
	Stream Sediment ppm	Rock ppm	Stream Sediment ppm	Rock and Stream Anomalous ppm	Stream Sediment Highly Anomalous ppm
Au	0.05	-	0.1	any	1.0
Ag	0.5	1	0.15	0.5	3
Zn	200	150	75-120	200	500
Cu	150	150	70-300	200	500
Pb	30	70	9-20	100	200
Co	70	100	13-20	100	200
Ba	-	-	-	750	-
Mo	7	15	4-6	10	-
Sn	10	15	3	any	-
As	200	-	10	100	-
Ni	150	100	30-40	100	-
Bi	-	-	-	any	-
Sb	-	-	1.4	200	-

Anomalous levels for this report were determined by comparison to the USGS and ADGGS studies and scanning the Porcupine Mining area data. The USBM-ADGGS Porcupine Mining area anomalous levels are shown above on the right.

APPENDIX B  
Analytical Results

See footnotes at the end of Appendix B for list of abbreviations.









MAP NUMBER	FIELD SAMPLE NUMBER	SAMPLE LENGTH IN FEET	SAMPLE TYPE 1	Analyses 2		Analyses 3					4	Analyses 5						Comments	
				Fire Assay		AAS (ppm unless marked %)					X-Ray (%)	Spectrographic (ppm)							
				Au	Ag	Zn	Cu	Pb	Co	Ba	W	Mo	Sn	As	Ni	Bi	Sb		
76	3S245		SS	N	4.896	—	—	—	—	—	0.01								
	246		G	N	1.018	74	16	N	N	N	N								Limestone
77	244		G	N	N	210	75	N	46	N	N								Phyllite
78	4WG79		G	x	N	1.1	159	12	5	8	—		3		N	70		N	Flower Mountain Area
79	80		G	x	N	0.1	7	6	8	1	—		N		N	4		N	Dark gray siltstone w/ py
80	4WG216		G	x	N	N	15	6	7	2	—		N		N	3		N	Fe-st gray argill. chert w/ py
81	3S103		G	N	N	N	140	86	90	—	—								Limestone breccia
82	3E031		G	N	N	140	22	N	51	0.02	—								Amphibolite
83	32		G	N	N	110	43	N	24	0.01	—								Basalt
84	3S101		S	N	N	N	150	310	110	—	—								Basalt
	102		G	N	N	74	100	280	84	—	—								Basalt
85	100		G	N	N	N	70	58	21	—	—								Gossan
86	4WG191a		G	x	N	0.3	92	54	33	22	—		2		N	21		N	Greenstone
	191b		G	x	N	0.3	54	10	59	9	—		N		N	6		3	young w/ sulfides
87	190		G	x	N	0.3	72	50	7	19	—		3		N	25		N	8x felsic dike
88	172		G	x	N	0.3	50	33	8	4	—		9		17	14		N	hornfelsed argillite
																			Fe-st hornfelsed argillite
89	4WG218a		G	x	N	0.2	150	41	9	28	—		N		18	52		N	West of Porcupine Creek
	218b		G	x	N	0.8	820	66	10	5	—		19		N	37		N	felsic dike
																			sheared slate
90	4WG112		F	x	N	0.3	6	59	4	5	—		2		N	19		N	Cahoon Creek Area
91	111		G	x	N	0.7	165	73	13	3	—		12		N	16		N	qs vein
92	108		G	x	N	0.4	80	36	11	14	—		8		N	16		N	Black slate
93	223		SS		0.021	N	120	23	N	69	0.031								Fe-st argillite
	4S208		SS		0.012	N	88	16	17	21.7	0.029								
94	4WG222		G	x	N	0.7	98	31	14	4	—		6		N	11		N	Fe-st slate w/ py
95	221		SS		N	N	100	21.1	N	61	0.026								
96	220		SS		0.023	N	110	29.4	17	32	0.021								
97	219		SS		0.033	N	110	22.4	N	61	0.03								
98	102		G	x	N	0.3	78	91	4	18	—		7		N	78		N	Fe-st meta sediment
																			Porcupine Peak Area
99	4WG117a		G	x	N	0.6	83	41	10	2	—		6		N	7		N	Fe-st slate
	117b		G	x	N	N	98	24	3	16	—		N		N	44		N	felsic sill
100	4S144	0.15	C		0.698	N	58	10.7	N	130	N		N	N	400	40	N	N	qs vein
101	145		G		1.03	17.14	140	89	24	19.8	0.053		N	N	N	20	N	N	hornfelsed slate w/ fine sulfide
102	4ER27		G	x	N	0.2	101	58	9	14	—		N		N	19		N	Fe-st hornfelsed black slate & siltstone

MAP NUMBER	FIELD SAMPLE NUMBER	SAMPLE LENGTH IN FEET	SAMPLE TYPE 1	Analyses 2							Analyses 3							Analyses 4							Comments
				Fire Assay			AAS (ppm unless marked %)				X-Ray (%)			Spectrographic (ppm)											
				Au	Ag	Zn	Cu	Pb	Co	Ba	W	Mo	Sn	As	Ni	Bi	Sb								
McKinley Creek Area North																									
103	45189	2.5	G	24.83	1.274	280	42	N	31	0.119		N	N	N	20	N	N		Limestone band? w/ py + sl						
	190		G	1.369	0.47	650	57	N	89	0.036		N	N	N	40	N	N		3 qz veins w/ sulfides						
	191	0.4	G	8.959	2.365	9.5%	41	N	230	0.013		N	N	800	40	N	N		qz w/ py + sl in tan orogenic dikes						
	192	0.4	G	1.669	0.77	13.4%	41	N	19.8	0.172		N	N	700	30	N	N		sl rich grab - from qz vein in dike						
	192H		SS	0.028	N	240	31	N	21.7	0.102															
	193A		SS	0.048	N	310	45	20	47	0.095															
104	135	0.25	C	182.13	17.14	39	20.4	N	32	N		N	N	400	30	N	N		qz vein w/ 25% sulfides py						
	136		G	1.501	N	15.9	8.5	N	130	N		N	N	3000	N	N	N		qz vein w/ 25% py						
105	137		G	2.474	0.71	260	10.7	N	45	N		N	N	700	50	N	N		qz vein w/ py						
	138		SS	0.031	N	200	33	N	18.1	0.092															
Golden Eagle Lodge																									
106	45118	2	C	0.011	N	93	59	19	10	0.50		N	N	N	20	N	N		Slate						
	119	1.5	C	0.009	N	140	79	N	13.5	0.43		N	N	N	20	N	N		Slate w/ Fe-stained qz stain areas						
	120	1	C	N	N	450	58	N	46	0.53		N	N	N	30	N	N		Fe-stained organic rock						
	121	0.9	C	N	N	1730	20.4	N	13.5	0.019		N	N	300	20	N	N		qz vein w/ aspy & creek sand						
	122	10	C	5.15	0.72	240	100	N	37	0.31		N	N	N	40	N	N		Seniostose dike w/ qz stain areas						
	123	0.8	C	N	N	560	11.4	N	N	0.016		N	N	N	20	N	N		qz lens at dike slate contact						
	124	1.5	C	0.023	N	280	31	N	6	0.42		N	N	N	20	N	N		slate						
	125	0.3	C	0.075	N	51	9.3	N	6	N		N	N	N	20	N	N		qz + sulfides						
	126	0.3	C	0.007	N	2710	8.5	N	N	0.041		N	N	N	N	N	N		qz vein						
	127		C	1.957	N	25.8	10	N	N	N		N	N	N	20	N	N		qz vein						
	128	0.2	C	27.53	4.795	820	20.4	N	21.4	0.013		N	N	2000	50	N	N		qz + boxwork						
	129		G	171.36	20.57	800	36	N	40	0.013		N	N	500	70	N	N		sl + sulfide						
	130		G	458.37	10.28	510	15.9	N	140	0.016		N	N	2000	50	N	N		aspy + sulfur						
	130A		G	531.1	16.86	1320	21.1	57	110	0.018		N	N	4000	30	N	N		sulfur + aspy						
	131		G	0.738	N	160	16.6	N	N	N		N	N	300	10	N	N		vuggy qz						
	134		C	20.35	3.279	300	42	N	19.8	0.028		N	N	500	100	N	N		qz vein w/ sulfides						
	141	0.5	C	0.345	N	26.3	10	N	52	N		N	N	500	20	N	N		qz vein w/ py						
	142	0.3	C	5.637	1.089	2.04%	31	N	200	N		N	N	900	100	N	N		qz vein w/ sl & py						
McKinley Creek Area South																									
107	139	18 yds.	Sluced	57.29	16.86	490	120	430	65	0.191		N	N	800	100	N	N		18 yards w/ coarse Au sluced out						
	45140	5' x 20'	pc	0.189	0.49	430	160	43	43	0.171		N	N	N	60	N	N								
	4W5227c		G x	N	0.6	44	35	12	6	—		7		N	17		N		Slate						
	227d		G x	N	N	65	17	4	18	—		2		N	11		N		Felsic dike						
	227e		G x	N	0.1	15	12	3	2	—		2		N	7		N		qz vein in felsic dike						
108	45143		pc	0.269	0.49	390	37	24	19.8	0.168		N	N	N	40	N	N								
109	132		G	5.538	0.883	73	6	N	27.6	0.011		N	N	700	20	N	N		Fe-stained qz + sulfides						
	133		SS	0.058	N	290	59	N	57	0.126		N	N	400	60	N	N		1700' sl						

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				ICP (ppm)		Zn	Cu	Pb	Co	Ba	W	Mo	Sn	As	Ni	Bi	Sb	
				Au	Ag													
																		Little Salmon River Area
110	4ER 5		G x	N	0.5	670	168	20	11	—		7	N	44	N	N		hornfelsed black argillite w/py veinlet
111	7		G x	N	0.5	151	68	9	15	—		3	N	27	N	N		hornfelsed black argillite w/py
112	127		G x	N	0.9	173	38	8	2	—		38	N	10	N	N		Fe-st diorite w/py
113	124		G x	N	0.3	19	303	4	38	—		26	N	37	N	2		Fe-st hornfelsed slate w/pe
114	123		SS	N	0.49	790	100	24	71	0.177								
115	122		SS	N	0.4	340	67	N	20.5	0.193								
116	45052	2	C	N	N	150	110	N	60	0.09		N	N	N	20	N	N	Boundary, Glacior Prospect
117	54		G	N	N	130	70	41	N	0.12		N	N	N	8	N	N	GREENSTONE
	55		F	N	0.966	280	410	53	74	0.53		N	N	N	80	N	N	QUARTZITE + calc + schist + ba
	56		G	N	N	45	9.4	22	N	0.20		N	N	N	400	N	N	Schist
118	3E030		G	N	N	51	110	N	N	0.08								SERICITE schist
119	45057		G	N	N	26.6	13.5	N	N	0.035		N	N	N	N	N	N	Fe-stained phyllite w/py
	45058		G	0.012	1.214	57	960	26	330	0.041		N	N	N	200	N	N	rubble qz calc vein
	59A		C	N	N	21	13.5	N	N	47.0		N	N	N	N	N	N	rubble qz calc vein w/4" po lens
	59B		G	N	N	53	8.4	N	8	2.98		N	N	300	10	N	N	ba in white phyllite
	60		C	N	N	110	150	30	58	0.118		N	N	N	30	N	N	white phyllite
																		greenstone (block)
120	3E021		F	0.034	1.177	21.5	710	N	390	N								Boundary Glacior Area
121	19																	Quartz vein w/py, cp, + po
	20		F	N	0.71	160	1390	N	N	N								
122	45061		F	N	N	67	N	22	N	0.193		N	N	300	N	N	N	Altered and mineralized volcanic rock w/pe
123	62		G	N	N	210	130	22	56	0.177		N	N	N	40	N	N	GREEN SCHIST, qz calc 0.25' blebs sulfides
124	63		C	N	N	98	31	18	51	0.014		N	N	N	20	N	N	Fe-stained andesite
125	3E023		G	N	N	130	32	N	41	N								Fe-stained greenstone + schist w/py
																		BASALT
126	4ER 65		G x	N	1.0	243	22	16	2	—		96	N	17	N	N		SE of Boundary Glacior
127	3E028		G	N	N	930	75	N	N	N								Black slate w/py. cut by felsic sills
																		BASALT
128	4WG158		G x	N	1.8	8	2010	10	940	—		3	N	116	N	N		WEST of Flower Mt. (Clair Bear)
129	45095	0.4	F	N	1.709	69	2160	30	1040	N		N	30	600	700	1000	N	massive sulfide lens
	96A	0.7	F	N	56.16	50	1450	22	1070	N		N	40	N	800	N	7000	massive py + sparse cp boulder
	96E	0.3	F	N	N	150	120	N	69	0.016		N	500	400	300	N	2000	massive sulfide po, py + minor cp
130	97	0.3	C	N	1.109	110	1330	22	490	0.013		N	600	300	400	N	3000	hornblende
	98	1.5	C	N	N	95	63	N	63	0.025		N	N	1000	200	N	N	Sulfate lens po, py, + cp
131	4WG156		G x	N	0.1	7	27	4	2	—		3	N	5	N	N		hornblende + all rock
																		QUARTZ VEIN
132	4ER 79		F x	49.0	74.0	32	1.0%	6	33	—		14	N	11	N	N		Head of FORTY-NINE CR. AREA
																		M10 cp bearing qz float below large inclusion

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				ICP (ppm)		Au	Ag	Zn	Cu	Pb	Co	Ba	W	Mo	Sn	As	Ni		Bi	Sb
				Au	Ag															
133	3E027		G	N	N	88	24.2	N	46	0.03								BASALT		
134	4S203		SS	0.148	N	180	50	24	51	0.088										
135	204		SS	N	N	120	45	17	15.8	0.102										
136	205		SS	N	N	100	32	N	10.3	0.096										
137	206		SS	0.008	N	100	35	N	9	0.108										
138	4S117		F	N	N	260	150	31	78	0.05	N	N	400	80	N	3000		THE STOCK VORIS		
139	114A	3	C	N	N	220	73	N	24.1	0.094	N	N	500	70	N	N		dike w/dissem po + sparse py		
	114B	3	C	N	N	240	100	N	N	0.071	N	N	400	60	N	800		3 qz veins 50% of sample		
	114C	2.5	C	0.007	N	71	87	N	31	0.017	N	60	400	20	N	N		40% quartz		
	114D	4.5	C	0.015	N	260	110	N	N	0.041	N	N	400	70	N	2000		qz vein sparse calc + sulfides py		
	114E	3	C	—	—	83	15.4	N	N	—	N	20	500	10	N	N		qz veins 0.2 + 0.8 knot of po		
	114F	1.5	C	N	N	390	110	N	57	0.118	N	N	N	100	N	2000		irregular qz vein		
	4S114G	1	C	N	N	130	25.6	N	N	0.017	N	40	400	10	N	N		Fe-stained slate		
140	115A		C	N	N	18.7	7.8	N	N	0.007	N	N	400	10	N	N		qz vein		
	115B		C	N	N	19.5	9.1	N	N	0.027	N	N	500	10	N	N				
	115C		C	N	N	25.1	10.3	N	N	N	N	N	300	9	N	N				
	116A	2.1	C	N	N	76	7.2	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		qz vein + calc		
	116B	1.6	C	N	N	20.5	9.1	N	N	0.062	N	N	500	10	N	N		qz vein		
	116C	1.1	C	N	N	35	10.3	N	N	0.01	N	60	700	20	N	N		qz vein		
	116D	0.9	C	N	N	13.7	9.1	N	N	0.017	N	20	500	10	N	N		qz vein		
	116E	2	C	N	N	260	96	N	45	0.142	N	N	400	200	N	N		dike (green, brown)		
	116F	1.8	C	N	N	46	38	N	N	N	N	30	400	20	N	N		qz vein		
141	167	0.8	C	0.023	N	240	24.8	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		qz vein		
142	4ER 76		G x	N	0.5	5	31	13	2	—	25	N	6	N	N	N		Summit Creek Area		
143	75		G x	N	0.3	129	65	17	3	—	12	N	21	N	N	N		Fe-st hornfelsed phyllite w/py + qz veins		
144	47		G x	N	0.5	210	94	14	14	—	9	N	24	N	N	N		Black phyllite w/qz veins + py		
145	4WG143		G x	N	0.2	97	30	5	17	—	2	N	30	N	N	N		hornfelsed black argillite w/py + inclusions		
146	225		SS	0.01	0.69	1000	110	24	35	0.168								Po-bearing qz-feldspar dike		
147	226		SS	0.007	N	120	32	N	51	0.054										
148	146		G x	N	0.4	71	18	13	2	—	6	N	11	N	N	N		SLATE		
149	4ER 69		G x	N	0.7	8	335	4	47	—	N	N	37	N	N	N		North of Teirku Glacier		
150	45076		SS	N	0.76	400	78	N	22.3	0.164	N	N	N	50	N	N		Po-bearing qz vein in slate		
	77	1	F	N	0.66	23.4	190	N	76	0.005	N	N	N	20	N	N		3000' cl		
151	78		SS	N	N	350	92	22	44	0.14	N	N	N	20	N	N		qz boulder w/0.1' band po		
	79	3.5	F	0.058	1.742	26	540	22	450	N	N	N	300	900	N	N		2900' cl		
																		qz boulder w/0.95' band po, little ss		

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				ICP (ppm)		Zn	Cu	Pb	Co	Ba	W	Mo	Sn	As	Ni	Bi		Sb
				Au	Ag													
151	4ER71		F X	N	3.0	5	364	5	235	—		N	N	N	235	N	N	massive po in qz boulder
152	4S080		SS	N	1.3	320	65	N	22.3	0.131		N	N	N	20	N	N	2640' el
153	73	1	F	N	2.101	23.4	310	18	130	0.01		N	N	N	N	2000	N	Fe-stained qz vein w/ 0.4' lens po
	74	1	F	N	0.42	750	160	N	43	0.023		N	200	N	80	N	N	po + sl in qz boulder
	75		SS	N	10	780	120	N	33	0.076		N	N	N	30	N	N	3100' el
154	69		SS	N	N	240	22.4	N	30	0.059		N	N	N	N	N	N	Fe-stained spring deposit
	70		SS	N	N	78	5.9	N	22.2	0.03		N	500	N	N	N	N	3500' el
	71		SS	N	N	830	110	53	65	0.28		N	N	N	60	N	N	CREEK BELOW SPRING
	72	6	G	N	N	84	18.6	N	7	0.163		N	N	N	N	N	N	Fe-stained shale
155	81	0.3	F	N	1.334	67	240	45	130	0.071		N	N	N	N	N	N	massive po boulder w/ sparse qz
156	82	0.7	F	N	2.203	91	230	91	150	0.81		N	N	N	N	N	N	boulder pink & siliceous w/ bands po
	83		SS	N	0.86	190	49	N	24.8	0.094		N	N	N	20	N	N	2470' el
	84	0.9	L	N	0.30	49.84	6.2%	12.33%	1.18%	8	1.13		N	70	N	8	N	70% silica 30% sulfides - po, cp + sl
	4ER73		F X	N	0.2	32.5	2.4%	1.8%	16750	—	—	6	—	180	4	—	3	ALTERED vlc. boulder w/ massive sl, cp, qz
157	4S085		SS	N	0.66	270	65	30	52	0.105		N	N	N	30	N	N	
158	86	0.4	F	N	0.7	380	350	120	120	0.032		N	N	N	N	N	N	boulder siliceous w/ po + cp
	4S090		F	N	N	13.5	69	N	N	N		N	60	400	20	N	N	qz boulder w/ lens of po
159	87		SS	N	0.84	230	63	N	28.7	0.104		N	N	N	20	N	N	2250' el
160	88	0.4	F	N	0.77	130	350	64	76	0.014		N	N	N	N	N	N	light siliceous volcanic? rock w/ lens of po
	89		F	N	N	72	74	N	11	0.072		N	N	300	30	N	N	po lens in fine grained qz
161	4ER91		G X	N	0.5	15	218	20	197	—		10	—	N	170	N	N	Fe-st azurite w/ py on fractures
162	88		G X	N	0.2	27	40	11	25	—		3	—	N	15	N	N	silicified mafic w/ disseminated py
																		North of the Tuckahoe R. Area
163	4ER94		G X	N	0.2	74	42	6	36	—		4	—	N	5	N	N	ALTERED ANDESITE w/ disseminated py
164	4WG141		G X	N	0.2	65	7	9	15	—		4	—	N	5	N	N	Gossan at contact with greenstone
165	142		G X	N	0.8	107	39	25	24	—		4	—	33	24	N	N	Gossan at contact with greenstone
166	3S275		G	—	—	290	95	N	59	N		N	N	N	20	N	N	ALTERED basalt w/ py + mag
	296		G	—	—	110	8.8	28	35	0.33		N	N	N	20	N	N	metasediment w/ py
	297		F	N	N	12.7	240	N	49	N		N	N	N	80	N	N	qz vein w/ po + ep
167	298		G	N	N	55	N	28	14	0.63		N	N	N	N	N	N	phyllite w/ py
	299		F	N	0.1	56	140	41	67	0.46		N	N	N	50	N	N	phyllite w/ po, cp + py
	300		F	N	7	140	190	32	50	0.26		N	N	N	30	N	N	schist w/ py + mag
168	301		F	N	7	18.4	320	N	130	N		N	N	N	100	N	N	qz w/ po
	302		F	—	—	153	21	32	34	0.06		N	N	N	90	N	N	calc phyllite w/ py
	303		G	—	—	120	6.6	N	24	0.03		N	N	N	10	N	N	andesite
	304		L	N	0.2	37	450	N	120	0.10		N	N	N	N	N	N	qz vein w/ po + sericite
169	4ER64		G X	N	0.4	53	36	5	4	—		24	—	N	43	N	N	Fe-st hornfelsed slate cut by d. m. d. res
170	4S183		SS	N	2.504	0.35	240	51	24	48	0.083							

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				ICP (ppm)		Zn	Cu	Pb	Co	X-Ray (%)	N	Mo	Sn	As	Ni	Bi	Sb		
				Au	Ag					ba									
171	4WG121		G x	N	0.1	84	36	6	5	—		4		N	16		N	Fe-st argillite	
172	124		G x	N	0.3	37	22	4	1	—		9		N	2		N	hornfelsed argillite at pluton contact	
173	4S182		SS		0.039	N	140	51	N	6	0.083								
174	4WG136		G x	N	0.5	220	33	4	3	—		44		N	22		N	hornfelsed argillite at pluton contact	
175	4S181		SS		N	N	240	40	N	13.4	0.106								
176	4WG195		G x	N	0.9	207	73	8	10	—		18		N	40		N	hornfelsed argillite	
177	4ER208		SS		N	N	120	37	N	21.7	0.137								
178	4WG161		G x	N	0.3	53	36	8	3	—		7		N	7		N	Fe-st slate	
179	4S180		SS		N	N	260	45	N	15.8	0.221								
180	179A		SS		N	N	460	100	N	72	0.186		N	N	N	70	N	N	
	179B		PC		0.027	N	400	87	38	57	0.22		N	N	N	50	N	N	
																			South of the Tsirku R. Area
181	4WG119		G x	N	0.1	66	24	9	19	—		3		N	7		N	Gossan w/py + cp	
182	120		G x	N	0.2	64	45	10	30	—		2		46	12		N	Gossan	
183	121a		G x	N	0.5	40	73	5	23	—		2		N	57		N	Gossan	
184	122		G x	N	0.4	27	29	21	30	—		4		190	4		N	Altered argillite & marble	
185	123		G x	N	N	28	35	8	10	—		N		N	1		N	Fe-st argillite w/py	
186	4ER53		G x	N	0.2	41	30	5	13	—		2		25	4		N	Altered hornfelsed argillite	
187	55		G x	N	0.2	37	40	7	13	—		2		N	18		N	Fe-st altered diorite & argillite	
188	57		G x	N	0.1	44	20	14	21	—		3		N	44		N	Fe-st crushed limestone hornfels w/py	
189	84		G x	N	0.5	90	52	15	11	—		10		N	43		N	Fe-st marble w/py	
190	4WG159		G x	N	N	14	20	6	8	—		2		N	10		18	marble w/py	



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				Fire Assay		AAS (ppm unless marked %)					X-Ray		Spectrographic					
				ICP (ppm)		Zn	Cu	Pb	Co	Ba	W	Mo	Sn	As	Ni	Bi	Sb	
211	35069		G	N	N	N	17	N	37	—							SUNSHINE MT. ROAD	
	70		G	N	N	N	17	N	2.6	—							Schist	
212	71		F	N	0.4	N	73	N	66	—							Siltstone	
	72		F	N	N	N	110	N	50	—							gz w/ps	
213	164		G	N	N	8.5	7.6	N	1.8	N							Schist w/ox Quartz vein	
214	35237		C	0.023	1.309	1.01%	16	410	N	N	N						Sunshine Mt. Silver Occurrence	
	238		G	N	0.58	1.02%	16	410	N	N	N						gz vein w/sl, on py and ml	
215	239		C	0.059	3.495	7700	89	280	N	N	N						argillite	
216	235		C	0.343	610.29	5400	29.6	15.7%	N	N	N						gz calc w/sl + py	
	236		G	0.471	22.23	1.89%	170	5500	62	N	N						gz calc breccia w/on	
217	242		F	—	96.0	5.8%	1640	1.37%	N	N	N						argillite w/sl and qtz	
218	240		F	0.01	253.7	5700	24.2	3.9%	N	0.01	N						gz calc breccia w/on + sl	
	241		F	N	0.79	59	N	190	N	0.03	N						gz vein w/on + sl Quartz w/sulfides	
219	HER115		SS	0.032	N	470	78	N	61	0.115							South of Little Salmon River	
220	35142		G	N	N	96	190	20	83	0.08							Diorite w/py + ps	
221	140		G	N	N	140	52	N	130	0.01							Phyllite	
	141		G	N	0.43	48	25	N	31	0.15							Quartz	
222	137		C	N	N	100	58	N	64	0.05							Diorite w/ps	
	138		HG.G	N	N	110	91	N	63	0.06							Andesite w/py + ps	
	139		C	N	N	33	29	N	23	N							Limestone	
223	143		SS	N	0.36	210	77	N	59	0.04								
224	73		SS	N	N	92	64	N	29	—								
225	74		SS	N	N	N	42	N	23	—								
226	76		G	0.014	N	N	7.1	N	30	—							Greenstone	
227	75		G	N	N	210	68	N	21	—							Shale w/py	
228	217		G	N	N	170	14	91	N	N							Altered meta sediment	
229	216		G	N	N	240	62	N	30	0.09							Limestone	
230	35068		G	N	N	N	49	N	36	—							Tsiaku River Mouth Area	
231	67		G	0.018	N	N	20	N	35	—							Schist	
232	66		G	N	0.39	N	120	N	17	—							Schist	
																	Metasediment w/py	
233	WG152		G	X	N	0.5	51	26	21	20	—	3		1700	11		Fe-st silicified argillite	
234	WG150		G	X	N	0.6	24	21	12	3	—	18		26	8		Silicified argillite w/py	



1. C - Chip sample  
CH - Channel sample  
F - Float sample  
G - Grab sample  
HG - High grade sample  
PC - Panned concentrate sample  
S - Soil sample  
SS - Stream sediment sample

X - signifies sample analyzed by ADGGS by Atomic Absorption Spectroscopy (AAS) methods.

2. Au, Ag analyses were by fire assay - Inductively Coupled Plasma Analysis (ICP), or by fire assay unless marked X.
3. Zn, Pb analysis was by Atomic Absorption Spectroscopy (AAS) while Cu, Co analysis was by ICP unless marked X.
4. Ba analysis was by X-ray diffraction.
5. Mo, Sn, As, Ni, Bi, and Sb analyses by semiquantitative spectrographic analysis.

Sample analyses were by the Bureau of Mines Research Center in Reno, Nevada unless marked X (see #1).

Units of measure abbreviations used:

ppm - parts per million  
n - not detected  
% - percent  
— - not analyzed

Mineral abbreviations used:

ba - barite	gn - galena
calc - calcite	mag - magnetite
chl - chlorite	ml - malachite
cp - chalcopyrite	po - pyrrhotite
ep - epidote	py - pyrite
qz - quartz	sl - sphalerite
	td - tetrahedrite

Additional abbreviations:

dissem - disseminated  
fe-st - iron stained (rusty weathering)  
w/ - with