

Geological Survey Branch

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## GEOLOGY AND MINERAL OCCURRENCES OF THE GALORE CREEK AREA

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Scale 1:50 000  
0 1 2 3 4 5  
KILOMETRES

### LEGEND

#### INTRUSIVE ROCKS

Eocene	Pink, medium to coarse-grained and potassium feldspar megacrystic biotite granite and equigranular biotite quartz monzonite
Egd	Grey, medium-grained hornblende biotite granodiorite
Early Jurassic	Medium-grained, potassium feldspar megacrystic hornblende granite to biotite quartz monzonite
eJd	Medium-grained quartz diorite, biotite hornblende granodiorite
Late Triassic-Early Jurassic GALORE CREEK INTRUSIONS	Syenite, biotite orthoclase porphyritic monzonite
TJg	
Middle-Late Triassic HICKMAN BATHOLITH	Coarse to medium-grained, biotite hornblende granodiorite, augite monzonite (Tkm), coarse-grained plagioclase megacrystic diorite (Tkd)
Tkgd	

#### QUATERNARY

Qai	Unconsolidated glacial till and poorly sorted alluvium
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#### VOLCANIC FACIES

Upper Triassic-Lower Jurassic	TJv	Well-bedded maroon potassium-feldspar crystal tuffs, epilastics and volcanic conglomerates
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#### SEDIMENTARY FACIES

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#### UPPER TRIASSIC

STUHIN GROUP	uTS	Undivided volcanics and sediments
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uTSp	Maroon pyroxene porphyry breccia flows and fragments
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uTSs	Fire-grained black clastics, bedded tuffs and volcanic conglomerate
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uTSi	Intermediate lapilli tuffs
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uTSb	Breccia flows, lahar and intermediate fragments
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uTSv	Green pyroxene-porphyry breccia flows
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uTSw	Well-bedded silicic clastics and volcanic wackes, minor andesite flows and basal polymictic conglomerate contains Halobia
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#### STIKINE ASSEMBLAGE

PSu	Undivided Paleozoic metavolcanics and metasediments
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#### LOWER PERMIAN

IPSc	Upper: light grey or buff massive to thickly bedded, bioclastic grainstone, foliated maroon and green epilastics and tuff (Psmv) Lower: dark grey to buff thinly bedded, bioclastic limestone, chert interbeds, argillaceous near base
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#### UPPER CARBONIFEROUS TO LOWER PERMIAN

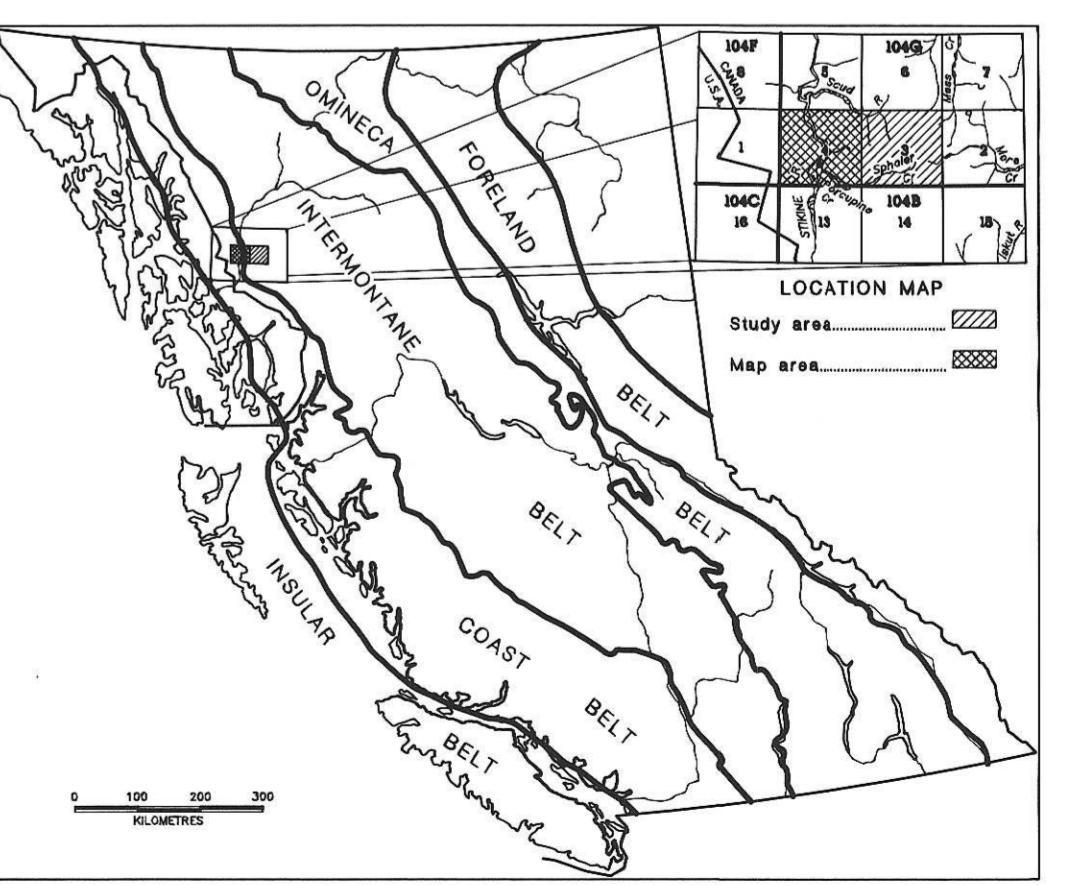
uCSt	Green and buff siliceous siltstones and felsic dust tuffs
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### SYMBOLS

- Geological boundaries: defined, approximate, assumed
- Unconformity: defined, assumed
- Bedding (top unknown): inclined, vertical
- Bedding (tops known): inclined, vertical, overturned
- Bedding (tops unknown, estimated dip): gentle, moderate, steep
- Foliation (ages indicated by number of ticks): inclined, vertical
- Joint: inclined, vertical
- Dike: inclined, vertical
- Vein: inclined, vertical
- Antiform, synform (arrow indicates plunge)
- Overturned antiform and synform (arrow indicates plunge)
- Anticline, syncline (arrow indicates plunge)
- Fold axis of minor fold with M, S, and Z symmetry: double arrow = second phase; arrow indicates plunge; numbers for phase greater than 2
- Crenulation lineation (inclined): S<sub>0</sub>/S<sub>1</sub>, S<sub>1</sub>/S<sub>2</sub>
- Fault or shear zone attitude: inclined, vertical
- High angle fault (solid circle indicates downthrow side; arrows indicate relative movement): defined, approximate, assumed
- Thrust fault (teeth in direction of upper plate): defined, approximate, assumed
- Cross section line
- Fossil location: conodont, macrofossil, foram
- Fossil location age indeterminate/barren
- Isotopic age locality (potassium-argon)
- Geochemical sample locality: assay, geochem
- MINFILE: developed prospect, prospect, showing
- Adit
- Zone of alteration

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### SCHEMATIC CROSS SECTIONS

