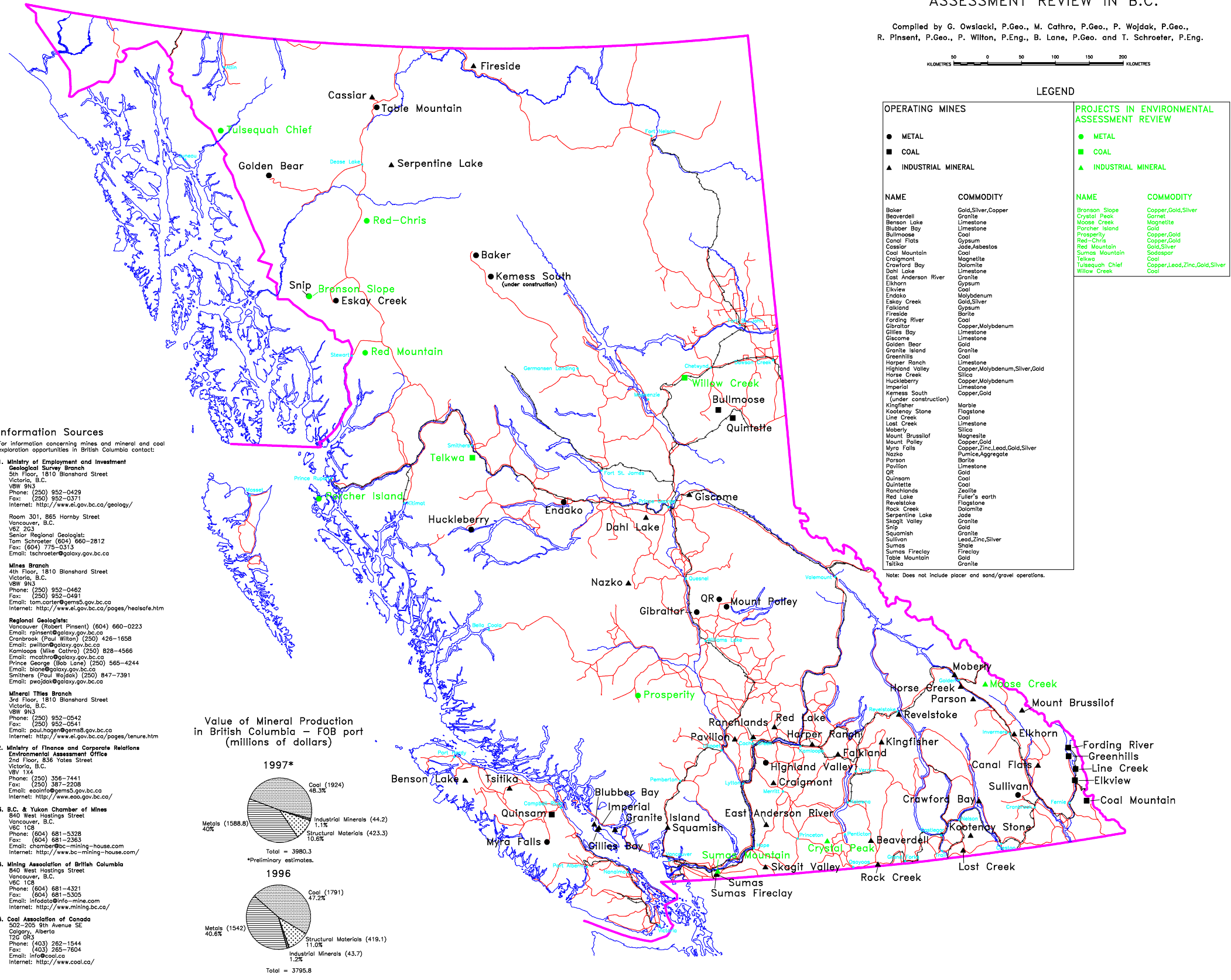


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1997 OPERATING MINES
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PROJECTS IN ENVIRONMENTAL
ASSESSMENT REVIEW IN B.C.



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OPERATING MINES		PROJECTS IN ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT REVIEW	
NAME	COMMODITY	NAME	COMMODITY
Baker	Gold, Silver, Copper	Branson Slope	Copper, Gold, Silver
Beaverdell	Granite	Crystal Peak	Garnet
Benson Lake	Limestone	Moose Creek	Magnetite
Blubber Bay	Limestone	Prosperity Island	Copper, Gold
Bullmoose	Coal	Red-Chris	Copper, Silver
Canal Flats	Gypsum	Red Mountain	Gold, Silver
Cassiar	Coal, Asbestos	Sumas Mountain	Sediment
Coal Mountain	Coal	Telkwa	Coal
Craigmont	Magnetite	Tulsequah Chief	Copper, Lead, Zinc, Gold, Silver
Crawford Bay	Dolomite	Willow Creek	Coal
Dahl Lake	Limestone		
East Anderson River	Granite		
Elkhorn	Gypsum		
Elkview	Coal		
Endako	Molybdenum		
Eskay Creek	Gold, Silver		
Falkland	Gypsum		
Fireside	Barite		
Fording River	Coal		
Gibraltar	Copper, Molybdenum		
Gillies Bay	Limestone		
Giscome	Limestone		
Golden Bear	Gold		
Granite Island	Granite		
Greenhills	Coal		
Harper Ranch	Limestone		
Highland Valley	Copper, Molybdenum, Silver, Gold		
Horse Creek	Copper, Molybdenum		
Huckleberry	Limestone		
Imperial	Limestone		
Kemess South (under construction)	Copper, Gold		
Kingfisher	Marble		
Kootenay Stone	Flagstone		
Line Creek	Coal		
Lost Creek	Limestone		
Moberly	Silica		
Mount Brussilof	Magnetite		
Mount Polley	Copper, Gold		
Myra Falls	Copper, Zinc, Lead, Gold, Silver		
Nazko	Pumice, Aggregate		
Parson	Barite		
Pavilion	Limestone		
QR	Gold		
Quinsam	Coal		
Quintette	Coal		
Ranchlands	Zeolite		
Red Lake	Fuller's earth		
Revelstoke	Flagstone		
Revelstoke Lake	Dolomite		
Serpentine Lake	Gold		
Shoat Valley	Granite		
Snip	Lead, Zinc, Silver		
Squamish	Shale		
Sumas	Fireclay		
Sumas Fireclay	Gold		
Table Mountain	Granite		
Tatitka	Granite		

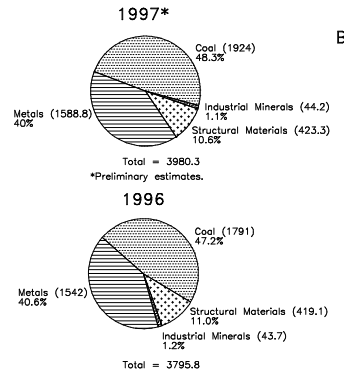
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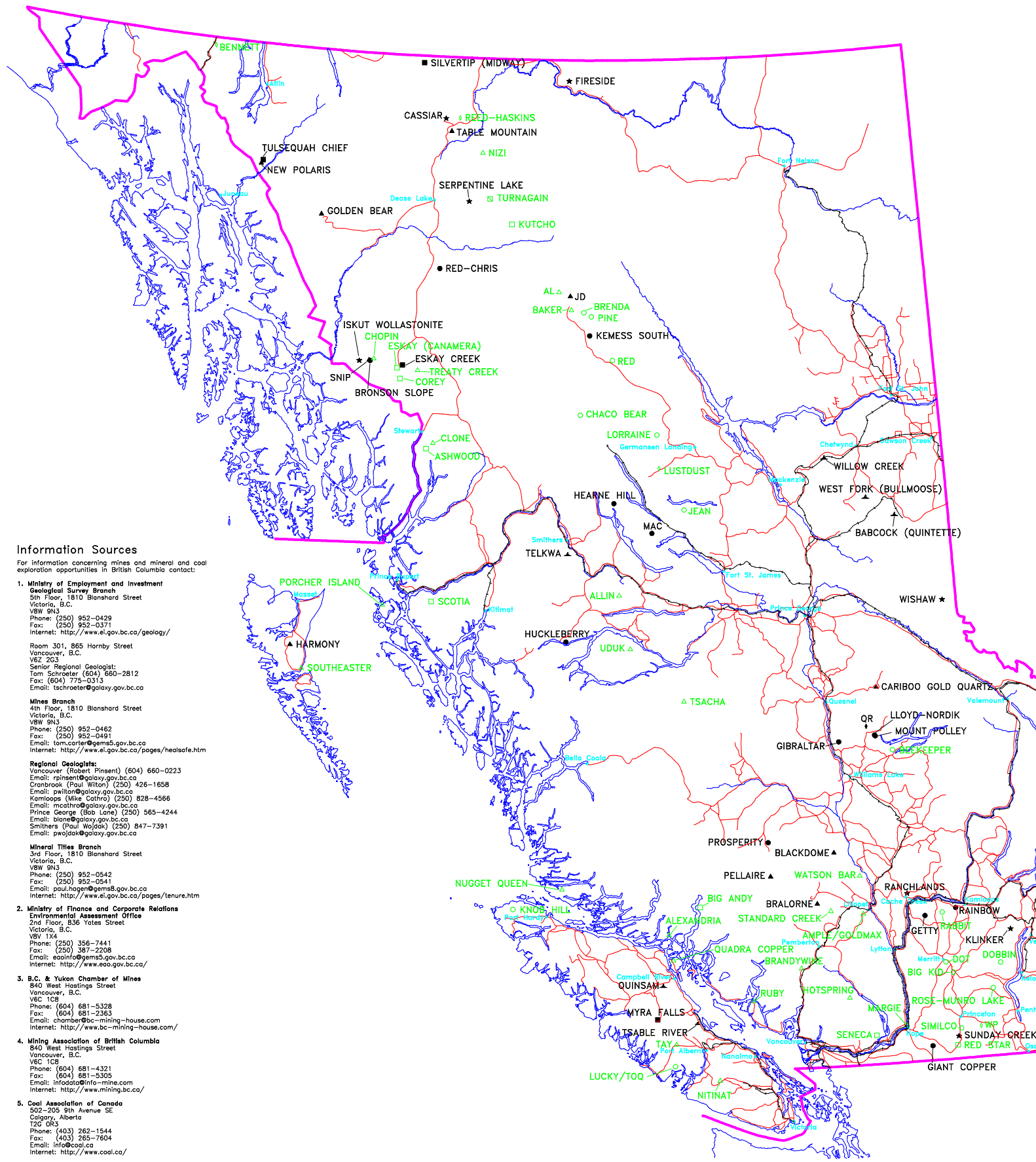
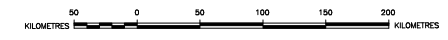




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NAME	COMMODITY
Babcock (Quintette)	Cool
Blackdome	Gold, Silver
Bralorne	Gold, Silver
Bronson Slope	Copper, Gold, Silver
Cariboo Gold Quartz	Gold
Cassiar	Jade, Asbestos
Eskey Creek	Gold, Silver
Fireside	Barite
Getty	Copper
Giant Copper	Copper, Gold, Silver
Gibraltar	Copper, Molybdenum
Golden Bear	Copper, Gold
Harmony	Gold, Silver
Hearne Hill	Copper, Gold
Huckleberry	Copper
Iskut Wollastonite	Wollastonite
JD	Gold, Silver
Kemess South	Copper, Gold
Klinker	Opal
Lloyd-Nordik	Copper, Gold
Luraby	Copper, Graphite
Mac	Molybdenum, Copper
Mount Polley	Copper, Gold
Myra Falls	Copper, Zinc, Lead, Gold, Silver
New Polaris	Gold
Pellaire	Gold
Prosperity	Copper, Gold
QR	Gold
Quinsam	Coal
Rainbow	Copper, Gold
Ranchlands	Zenite
Red-Chris	Copper, Gold
Serpentine Lake	Jade
Silvertip (Midway)	Silver, Lead, Zinc
Snip	Gold, Silver
Sunday Creek	Zenite
Table Mountain	Gold
Telkwa	Coal
Tsable River	Coal
Tulsequah Chief	Copper, Lead, Zinc, Gold, Silver
Willow Creek	Coal
Wishaw	Building stone

NAME	COMMODITY
49 Creek/White	Gold, Silver, Copper
Albert River	Tungsten, Gold
Alexandria	Copper, Zinc, Gold, Silver
Allin	Silver, Copper, Gold
Ample/Goldmax	Gold
Ashwood	Copper, Zinc, Lead, Gold, Silver
Baker	Copper
Beekeeper	Gold
Bennett	Gold, Silver
Big Andy	Copper, Zinc, Gold, Silver
Big Kid	Copper, Gold
Bismark	Silver, Lead, Zinc
Black Crystal	Graphite
Brandywine	Gold, Silver, Copper, Zinc, Lead
Brenda	Copper, Gold
Bull River	Copper, Gold
Chaco Bear	Copper
Chopin	Gold
Clair West	Zinc, Lead, Silver
Clare	Gold, Cobalt
Corey	Gold, Silver, Lead, Zinc
Dobbin	Copper, Platinum, Palladium
Dot	Copper, Molybdenum, Gold, Silver
Duncan	Zinc, Lead
Eskey (Canamera)	Gold, Silver
Fors	Zinc, Lead, Silver
Greenland Creek	Zinc, Lead, Silver
Hotspring	Copper, Zinc, Lead, Gold, Silver
Irishman/Lewis/Lew	Zinc, Lead, Silver
J&L	Copper, Lead, Zinc, Gold, Silver
J&L	Copper, Molybdenum
Jean	Copper, Gold
Jersey-Emerald	Gold, Zinc, Lead, Silver, Tungsten
Jodi/Sy	Molybdenum, Zinc, Silver
Knob Hill	Copper, Gold
Kutoho	Copper, Zinc, Silver, Gold
Lodgepole	Copper, Gold
Lorraine	Copper, Silver
Lucky/Toq	Copper, Gold
Lustdust	Silver, Gold, Zinc, Copper
Margie	Copper, Silver, Gold
Nitinat	Gold, Silver, Zinc
Nitinat	Gold, Silver
North 40	Gold, Silver
Nugget Queen	Copper, Lead, Zinc, Gold, Silver
Porcher Island	Copper, Gold
Quadra Copper	Copper, Silver
Rabbit	Copper, Gold, Molybdenum, Silver
Red	Copper, Gold
Red Point	Gold
Red Star	Copper, Lead, Zinc, Gold, Silver
Reed-Haskins	Silver, Lead, Zinc
Rose-Munro Lake	Molybdenum, Copper, Gold, Silver
Ruby	Copper, Zinc, Gold, Silver
Scotia	Zinc, Lead, Silver
Seneca	Copper, Lead, Zinc
Simico	Copper, Gold
Southeast	Gold
Standard Creek	Gold, Silver
Summit Camp	Gold
Sylvester K	Gold
Tay	Gold
Treaty Creek	Gold, Silver
Tsacha	Gold, Silver
Turnagain	Nickel
Uduk	Gold
Wilton Bar	Gold
WP	Gold, Silver, Copper

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