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RECONNAISSANCE SURFICIAL GEOLOGY
BLACKWATER LAKE

Northwest Territories
NTS 96-B

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ABSTRACT

This new surficial geology map product represents the conversion of Open File 125, Blackwater Lake (Monroe, 1972) and its legend, using the Geological Survey of Canada's Surficial Data Model (SDM version 2.3.14) (Deblonde et al., 2018). All geoscience knowledge and information from Open File 125, Blackwater Lake that conformed to the current SDM were maintained during the conversion process. Supplementary legacy information (descriptive notes and extended legend) on the original map is not included here. The purpose of converting legacy map data to a common science language and common legend is to enable and facilitate the efficient digital compilation, interpretation, management, and dissemination of geological map information in a structured and consistent manner. This provides an effective knowledge-management tool designed around a geodatabase that can expand, following the type of information to appear on new surficial geology maps.

RÉSUMÉ

Ce nouveau produit cartographique de la géologie des formations superficielles correspond à la conversion de la carte Blackwater Lake du Dossier public 125 (Monroe, 1972) et de sa légende, en se servant du Modèle de données pour les formations superficielles (MDFS version 2.3.14) de la Commission géologique du Canada (Deblonde et al., 2018). Toutes les connaissances et l'information de nature géoscientifique de la carte Blackwater Lake du Dossier public 125 qui sont en conformité avec le modèle de données ont été conservées pendant le processus de conversion. De l'information additionnelle (notes descriptives et légende détaillée) présente sur la carte originale n'est pas incluse ici. Le but de la conversion de cartes publiées antérieurement suivant un langage scientifique commun et une légende commune est de permettre et de faciliter la compilation, l'interprétation, la gestion et la diffusion efficaces de l'information géologique cartographique en mode numérique de façon structurée et cohérente. Cette façon de faire offre un outil efficace de gestion des connaissances élaboré à l'aide d'une géodatabase qui pourra évoluer suivant le type d'information à paraître sur les nouvelles cartes de la géologie des formations superficielles.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Author: Geological Survey of Canada

Geology by O.L. Hughes, fieldwork 1969, and air photo interpretation 1969 and 1970

Geological compilation by R.L. Monroe, 1972

Geology conforms to Surficial Data Model v. 2.3.14 (Deblonde et al., 2018).

Geological data conversion by D.E. Kerr, 2017 and 2018

Geology has been spatially adjusted to fit the updated base.

Geomatics by S. Eagles, K. McNeil, and C.D. Stevens

Cartography by D. Viner

Scientific editing by L. Ewert

Initiative of the Geological Survey of Canada, conducted under the auspices of Natural Resources Canada's Geo-mapping for Energy and Minerals (GEM) program

Map projection Universal Transverse Mercator, zone 10
North American Datum 1983

Base map at the scale of 1:250 000 from Natural Resources Canada, with modifications
Elevations in metres above mean sea level

Mean magnetic declination 2022, 19°29'E, decreasing 14.3' annually
Readings vary from 19°12'E in the SE corner to 19°44'E in the NW corner of the map.

This map is not to be used for navigational purposes.

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Data may include additional observations not portrayed on this map. See map info document accompanying the downloaded data for more information about this publication.

This publication is available for free download through GEOSCAN (<https://geoscan.nrcan.gc.ca/>).

MAP VIEWING FILES

The published map is distributed as a Portable Document File (PDF), and may contain a subset of the overall geological data for legibility reasons at the publication scale.

REFERENCES

Deblonde, C., Cocking, R.B., Kerr, D.E., Campbell, J.E., Eagles, S., Everett, D., Huntley, D.H., Inglis, E., Parent, M., Plouffe, A., Robertson, L., Smith, I.R., and Weatherston, A., 2018. Surficial Data Model: the science language of the integrated Geological Survey of Canada data model for surficial geology maps; Geological Survey of Canada, Open File 8236, ver. 2.3.14, 1 .zip file.
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Monroe, R.L., 1972. Terrain classification and sensitivity, Blackwater Lake, Norman Wells, Maloney Lake, and Fort Franklin map areas, District of Mackenzie, Northwest Territories; Geological Survey of Canada, Open File 125, scale 1:250 000.
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COORDINATE SYSTEM

Projection: Universal Transverse Mercator

Units: metres

Zone: 10

Horizontal Datum: NAD83

Vertical Datum: mean sea level

BOUNDING COORDINATES

Western longitude: 124°00'00"W

Eastern longitude: 122°00'00"W

Northern latitude: 65°00'00"N

Southern latitude: 64°00'00"N

SOFTWARE VERSION

Data has been originally compiled and formatted for use with ArcGIS™ desktop version 10.7.1 developed by ESRI®.

DATA MODEL INFORMATION

Surficial

The Geological Survey of Canada (GSC) through the Geo-mapping for Energy and Minerals Program (GEM) has undertaken the Geological Map Flow to develop protocols

for the collection, management (compilation, interpretation), and dissemination of surficial and bedrock geology data and map information. To this end, a data model has been created.

The Surficial Data Model (SDM) was designed using ESRI geodatabase architecture. The XML workspace document provided can be imported into a geodatabase, and the geodatabase will then be populated with the feature datasets, feature classes, tables, relationship classes, subtypes, and domains.

Shapefile and table (.dbf) versions of the data are included within the data. Column names have been simplified and the text values have been maintained within the shapefile attributes. The direction columns are numerical, to display rotation for points, and the symbol fields will hold the correct values to be matched to the appropriate style file.

For a more in depth description of the data model please refer to the official publication:

Deblonde, C., Cocking, R.B., Kerr, D.E., Campbell, J.E., Eagles, S., Everett, D., Huntley, D.H., Inglis, E., Parent, M., Plouffe, A., Robertson, L., Smith, I.R., and Weatherston, A., 2018. Surficial Data Model: the science language of the integrated Geological Survey of Canada data model for surficial geology maps; Geological Survey of Canada, Open File 8236, ver. 2.3.14, 1 .zip file. <https://doi.org/10.4095/308178>