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INTRODUCTION

General Statement

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The importance of dykes and sills as structural controls of ore deposits has been recognized in many mining districts. In the Chibougamau area such controls have long been suspected, but their nature has not been well understood. One of the main problems has been the difficulty in correlating of dyke intersections from one drill hole to another. The reliability of such correlation is essential for a clear understanding of the spatial relation of the dykes to the mineralized zones.

The main purpose of this thesis is to investigate the possibility of correlating the dykes on the basis of their chemical compositions. Also, it is hoped that the analytical data presented here, may provide a better basis for speculation as to the origin of the dykes, and their genetic relationships. Location and Access

The Chibougamau area lies approximately 300 miles due north of Montreal, just south of the 50th parallel. It is reached by air from Montreal, via La Tuc, and Roberval, and by a 150-mile all-weather road from St. Felicien. The Canadian National Railways make the area accessible from St. Felicien, and from Beattyville, about 32 miles north of Senneterre, in the Noranda area.

The Campbell Chibougamau Mine is situated on Merrill Island, in Lake Dore, 3 miles south of the Chibougamau Townsite. The Island is linked to the mainland by a causeway, and is connected to the main highway by gravel roads. History

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The long history of prospecting and mine development of the Chibougamau area began in 1870, with an expedition headed by J. Richardson, a geologist with the Geological Survey of Canada. His reports, commenting on promising mineral occurrences, prompted other visits to the area, and before long Chibougamau acquired a reputation as a potential copper and asbestos mining district.

Despite a pessimistic report by the Chibougamau Mining Commissioner in 1910, the area continued to attract many prospectors, geologists and prominent men of the Canadian mining industry. Among the pioneers whose names are intimately linked with the early history of the district, were P. McKenzie, A.P. Low, J. Obalski, E. Dulieux, T.E. Barlow, J.C. Gwillim, and many others.

The original discovery of copper mineralization on Merrill Island was made by Captain Blake in 1920. Blake Mine Syndicate was formed, and later reorganized as Blake Development Mining Company. In 1929 the ground was acquired by Northern Investment Company.

At the same time, Chibougamau Prospectors Limited obtained control of four water claims, offshore of Merrill Island, situated along strike of Blake's mineralized zone. In 1934 Consolidated Chibougamau Goldfields, a subsidiary of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, acquired the water claims but soon had to suspend all exploration work owing to low metal prices and unfavourable mining conditions. Very little activity took place until the post-war years.

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The construction of a new all-weather highway in 1949 provided the needed stimulus for the resumption of operations.

In 1950, Campbell Chibougamau Mines Limited, headed by E.O.D. Campbell, a New York broker, acquired all assets of Chibougamau Consolidated Goldfields. A vigorous surface exploration program, involving 41,183 feet of diamond drilling developed the original Blake showing into a major orebody. A lease was obtained on the adjacent land held by Merrill Island, and in 1951 underground operations began. Hydro electric power was brought into Chibougamau from Lake St. John, and a 1,700 ton per day concentrator was erected. With ore reserves of 2,750,000 tons containing an estimated 160 million pounds of copper and 200,000 ounces of gold, formal production began on July 1st, 1955.

In subsequent years the development included deepening of the shaft to 2,550 feet, and opening of new levels at depth. In late 1960 sinking of a winze began from the 1,900 level, and by mid-1962 the winze was completed to a depth of 3,900 feet.

The discovery and development of the Henderson Mine in 1957 necessitated an increase of the capacity of the concentrator to its present 3,000 tons per day.

The concentrate is shipped to the Noranda Smelter by rail, over a distance of 275 miles.

Production

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At present, the production of ore comes from four sources:

1) The Main Mine, including the "A" ore and "B" ore, the latter being leased from Merrill Island Mining Corporation,

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- 2) The Kokko Creek orebody, leased under the same agreement,
- 3) The Cedar Bay Mine, and 4) the Henderson Mine.

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In the period from June 30th, 1963 to June 30th, 1964 the Main Mine produced 362,126 tons of ore, representing 41.6 per cent of the total production. By June 30th, 1964 the ore reserves totalled 1,189,626 tons of proven and probable ore, grading 1.81 per cent Cu, and 0.034 oz/ton Au (Canadian Mines Handbook, 1965). <u>Previous Work</u>

The first systematic mapping in the Chibougamau area was done in 1929 by Retty for the Quebec Department of Mines (Retty, 1929). In the years 1930 and 1934 Mawdsley and Norman mapped the entire area west of Lake Chibougamau on a scale of 1 mile to 1 inch. Their findings were published in the Geological Survey of Canada Memoir No. 185, which to this date remains as the classic report on the geology of Chibougamau.

Following the construction of the highway in 1949, the Quebec Department of Mines mapped most of the local township on a scale of 1 inch to 1,000 feet. The geology of the immediate vicinity of the Campbell Mine is covered in reports by Graham, (1956), Smith and Allard, (1957), and Horsecroft, (1958).

The geology of the Campbell Mine to the 1900 level was thoroughly described by Jeffery, (1959). Certain aspects of the geology of the Campbell Mine were investigated by Raychandhuri, in his "Study of Trace Elements in the Sulphides" (1960), and by Hawkins, (1960), in his spectrochemical study of rocks associated with the sulphide deposits of Chibougamau.

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GENERAL GEOLOGY

Regional Setting

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The Chibougamau area lies in the easternmost part of the Superior Province of the Canadian Shield. This province is characterized by east-west trending structures, and typically contains belts of volcanic and sedimentary rocks, intruded by basic and ultrabasic sills and by granitic, dioritic and gabbroic stocks and batholiths. The volcanic and sedimentary belts are separated by larger areas of granitic and gneissic rocks.

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In the east, the rocks of the Superior Province are truncated by northeasterly trending structures of the Grenville Province. The Grenville Front, which marks the boundary between the 2 Provinces, is located about 10 miles east of the Campbell Mine.

The southeastern part of the Superior Province, extending through much of Quebec and Ontario, has been Canada's major source of metals. Many of the largest nickel, copper, cobalt, zinc, gold and silver ore bodies are found in a wide belt, extending from Sudbury northeast toward Chibougamau. Gill, (1948) names this belt the Sudbury-Chibougamau metallogenic province, and suggests that the southwestern extension may be formed by the Keweenawan copper deposits of Michigan.

Geology of the Chibougamau Area

As the geology of the Chibougamau area has been thoroughly described by many workers, only a brief description is presented here. Numerous works on Chibougamau containing detailed accounts of the general geology are listed in the bibliography.

Lithology

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The oldest rocks in the Chibougamau area are folded and faulted metamorphosed volcanic and sedimentary rocks, representing the eastern extension of the Mattagami-Waconichi greenstone belt. These Keewatin-type rocks have steep to vertical dips, and generally trend in an east-west direction. They are intruded by masses of granites, diorites, gabbros, anorthosites and by sills of pyroxenites and peridotites. The most important of these intrusions is the Chibougamau intrusive complex, which is the host to most of the copper deposits in the area. It will be discussed in some detail in the following section.

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The youngest consolidated rocks of the Chibougamau area are flat-lying sediments of the Mistassini and Chibougamau series. They occur in a few patches north of Lake Chibougamau, and overlie the older formation with an unconformity.

Table I

Ta	ble of Formation (aft	ver Jeffery, 1956)
Cenozoic	Recent and Pleistocene	Clay, sand, gravel, morainic material, peat.
		Diabase dykes.
	Mistassini Group Chibougamau Group	Dolomitic limestones, sandstones and shale. Conglomerate, arkose, greywacke, quartzite.
Precambrian		Dykes of granodiorite, gabbro, feldspar and quartz-feldspar porphyry; granite, diorite and related rocks; anorthosite and associated gabbro and serpentines; serpentine, pyroxenite, gabbro and diorite.
		Greywacke, arkose, conglomerate, quartzite, and chert.
		Feldspathic sediments, minor slate and argillite, tuff, agglomerate, acid to basic lavas, related

The Chibougamau intrusive is a roughly oval mass, 35 miles long and 15 miles wide. Its long axis trends N70°E, and terminates against the Grenville Front in the east. The Chibougamau intrusive consists of a stratified gabbro-anorthosite body, named Dore Lake

diorite and gabbro.

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complex by Allard, (1956), and of masses of granites and related rocks, which seem to intrude the Dore Lake complex in the centre.

In the northern and western part of the Dore Lake complex, the primary strata dip to the north and west respectively. The eastern part is not as yet well known. It appears, however, from the available fragmentary data, that the sense of dips is in the opposite direction, suggesting an anticlinal or domal structure.

The stratification of the Dore Lake complex is locally well defined, and has been compared to the stratification of the Sudbury norites, (Malouf and Hinse, 1956). It consists of compositional bands, ranging from pyroxenites to granophyres, and of alternating layers of coarse and fine grained phases of the anorthosites.

Acidic dykes of grey feldspar porphyry and quartz-feldspar porphyry, are common in the entire area especially near Lake Dore. They are mineralogically similar to the granitic mass comprising the central portion of the Chibougamau intrusive, and are considered to be its differentiates. The dykes have a regional northwesterly trend, dip vertically or steeply to the northeast or southwest, and are commonly associated with orebearing shear zones. The study of their chemical composition forms the subject of this thesis.

The acidic dykes are cut by younger, more basic dykes, locally termed gabbroic and dioritic. The youngest dyke of the Chibougamau area is a diabase, which trends northeasterly across Lake Chibougamau.

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Structure and Metamorphism

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The Keewatin-type lavas and sediments, which represent the eastern extension of the Mattagami-Waconichi belt, are tightly folded into several east-west trending synclines and anticlines. Top determinations north of Lake Chibougamau suggest that the northern belt of volcanics forms part of a syncline whose axis lies some 3 miles north of Gilman Lake. A major anticline is indicated south of the Chibougamau complex, between the La Dauversiere and Fancamp granitic stocks. As mentioned above, the attitudes of the primary stratification of the Dore Lake complex itself, suggest a domal or anticlinal structure, with its axis striking in a northeasterly direction.

The regional metamorphism of the rocks of the Chibougamau area is that of the greenschist facies. The metamorphism of the gabbro-anorthositic complex, however, is enigmatic. The alteration of plagioclase to zoisite, clinozoisite and sericite, and of pyroxene to chlorite, involves addition of great masses of water, the origin of which still remains as one of the greatest problems of the local geology.

Faulting

The Chibougamau area is transected by two major sets of faults and shears. The northeast trending set is by far the most prominent one. It is represented by a series of three major faults that parallel the Grenville Front to the south, and converge: with it in the north, northeast of Lake Waconichi.

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The second, northwest set of shears is smaller in magnitude, but of much greater importance economically, as it controls all of the copper deposits in the area, with the exception of the Henderson orebody.

Although the age relationship between these two major structural sets has not yet been definitely determined, there seems to be general agreement that the northeast set is younger, (Graham, 1956, Mawdsley and Norman, 1935).

Geology of the Campbell Mine.

The ore bodies of the Campbell Chibougamau Mine are tabular and lenticular replacement deposits within a major composite shear. This structure has an average strike of $N70^{\circ}W$, and dips from 60° south to 80° north. The ore bodies, pitching irregularly to the west, extend on the neighbouring Merrill Island property, and westward under Lake Dore for an over-all strikelength of 900 feet. The mineralized zones average 30 feet in width, and are continuous to a depth of 1900 feet. At this horizon the ore bottoms out, but mineralization resumes again on the 2700 level. This lower part of the deposit is made accessible by a winze, which reaches to a depth of 3,900 feet.

The ore zones are wholly enclosed in meta-anorthosite, and commonly occur along the footwalls of steeply dipping dykes which are concentrated along the main shears.

The ore mineral, chalcopyrite, is associated with pyrrhotite, minor quantities of pyrite, and sphalerite and galena. Cubanite, valleriite, tetradymite and magnetite are rare. Although gold occurs in recoverable quantities, its distribution is unknown. Visible gold has been noted rarely, and Jeffery, (1956), assumes that the bulk of the gold is associated with pyrite. The mode of occurrence of silver is also uncertain.

In the proximity of the mineralized zones the meta-anorthosite host rock is commonly sheared and altered. The alteration associated with the shearing consists of chloritization, sericitization and carbonatization. The shearing has locally destroyed the original texture of the anorthosite and has formed a rock that could be best described as a chlorite-sericite schist. In a few places, relatively massive anorthosite is found in a wallrock of the mineralized zones. It differs from the normal country rock by containing recrystallized zoisite and clinozoisite that can only be detected microscopically. Attempts to distinguish between regional metamorphism, shear alteration, and hydrothermal alteration accompanying ore emplacement, and subsequent attempts to use alteration as a guide to ore have been the subject of many investigations. The results, however, have been inconclusive.

The ore zones are structurally controlled by shears that traverse the meta-anorthosite at an average strike of N70°W. The widest portions of the zones are formed in the centre of the composite shear. At depth, the widths of the zones appear to be related to the amount of dip. The widest ore zones occur where the dips are relatively steep, or vertical, and the zones become narrower with flattening of the dip. Several barren shears trending north to N20°E have been observed in the mine workings.

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These seem to be early structures, as they are offset by the later steeply dipping ore-bearing shears. All available evidence indicates that the amount of post-ore movement has been negligible.

The role of the primary layering of the anorthosite observed in the mine was investigated by Jeffery, (1956), but no relation with the mineralized zones was detected.

The importance of the dykes, and their relation to the mineralized zones will be discussed in greater detail in the following section.

STUDY OF THE DYKE ROCKS

1. DESCRIPTION OF THE DYKES

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Dykes are a common feature within the entire anorthosite mass. With a few exceptions, they are conformable to the ore-bearing shear, and range in width from several inches to a hundred feet. The dykes increase in number toward the centre of the shear, where, in the vicinity of the mineralized zones, they constitute about 30 per cent of the rocks.

On the basis of age relations, as determined from field observations, the dykes can be classified into 3 main divisions.

1. The older diorite dyke

2. The "common" dykes

3. The amphibolite dyke

Of these three divisions, only the dykes of the second group are considered in this thesis. The common dykes are most abundant, and as will be shown in subsequent sections, are important factors in the structural control of the ore. The other two dykes have little importance with regard to mineralization, and will be described only briefly for the sake of completeness.

The Older Diorite Dyke

The older diorite dyke occurs on the 1,000 level, where it forms a tabular mass, about 50 feet wide, extending over a distance of 500 feet, along the footwall of the orebody. The dyke is dark green in colour, and consists of 35 to 60 per cent chlorite, with minor associated quartz, plagioclase, sericite and calcite. It is cut by some of the common dykes, and is, therefore, considered to be older. Apart from its occurrence on the 1,000-foot level the dyke is relatively rare in the mine workings, and has little significance in its relation to ore.

The Amphibole Dyke

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This dyke forms a large continuous body, averaging about 30 feet in width, and striking almost parallel to the ore zones. It dips 50° north, and intersects the orebody near the 1900 level. The dyke is dark green, ranges in texture from coarse in the centre to fine at the margins, and consists of predominantly actinolite, with zoisite, clinozoisite, chlorite and quartz. The dyke cuts across some of the common dykes and is, therefore, considered to be younger. Although locally replaced by sulphides, its age relation to the mineralization is uncertain. Its contacts with the sulphides are mostly sharp, but locally tongues and veins of ore extend into the dyke. Jeffery favours the view that the dyke is pre-ore, mainly because of an apparent damming effect it seems to have had on the ore-bearing solutions.

The Common Dykes

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Field Relations of the Common Dykes

The common dykes are conformable to the main ore-bearing shear. The dykes merge and divide both along the strike and down dip, forming a complex swarm whose greatest concentration occurs in the vicinity of the mineralized zones. Within the shear, the dykes are both massive and sheared, and are locally broken and separated into isolated lenses and blocks. Where sheared, the dykes are chloritized and sericitized to a degree which makes them often indistinguishable from altered anorthosite.

In the massive anorthosite the dykes are invariably massive and relatively fresh, with sharp, regular contacts. In places, small blocks of meta-anorthosite are contained by the dykes along their margins, indicating, that at least in part, the dykes have been emplaced by stoping. In general, their intrusion had little effect on the meta-anorthosite, which shows no signs of recrystallization or metamorphism at the contacts.

The margins of the dykes occasionally show chilling, but the grain gradation can usually be observed only under the microscope. Locally, polished and slickensided dyke walls indicate that the dyke contacts were zones of weakness along which a certain movement had taken place. The contacts are lined with quartz, carbonate, chlorite, and sericite, and commonly carry sulphide mineralization. This suggests that the contact zones

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may have been a part of the channelway systems that controlled the ascent of the ore bearing solutions.

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Although there is general agreement among geologists that the emplacement of the common dykes preceded sulphide mineralization the relation of the dykes to the ore zones in not entirely clear. Along their margins the dykes are locally replaced by sulphides, whereas in the shear zone, barren isolated dyke fragments and masses are wholly enclosed by sulphides. In general, however, the dykes seem to have been less susceptible to replacement by sulphides than the meta-anorthosite. In places where the ore zones are in contact with the common dykes the extent of the mineralization seems to be controlled by the attitude of the dykes. The contacts are sharp, and the sulphides follow the footwall of the dykes with little or no replacement of the dyke rock. This relation gave rise to the suggestion, (Jefferv, 1956), that the dykes had a damming effect on the ascending ore-bearing solutions, producing local concentrations of high grade ore. The alternative explanation might be that the dykes behaved as stiffeners, preserving zones of dilation within the shear, in which the sulphides were readily deposited.

The relationship between the various common dykes is equally problematic. Seven distinct dyke rock types have been distinguished by Jeffery, (Table 2), but gradational stages between each of the dykes have been observed under the microscope, Jeffery, (1956, p.69). Although Jeffery states that no

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rapid variation in the compositions of the dykes has been observed, Graham, (1956, p.15), notes local fading of phenocrysts resulting in gradational transitions between porphyritic and equigranular dykes.

Careful structural correlation of diamond hole intersections of the common dykes, particularly in areas of close drilling, indicates, without doubt, that individual branches of the main dyke swarm are composed of more than one dyke rock type, (Figure 1).

Crosscutting relationships between the common dykes have rarely been observed in the mine workings. Graham, (1956, p.14), notes, however, that quartz diorite dykes cut some grey porphyry dykes, and are in turn cut by other grey feldspar porphyry dykes. <u>Classification of the Common Dykes</u>

Examination of about one hundred thin sections of the common dykes has added little to Jeffery's treatment of the subject. His classification, presented here, has been only slightly modified.

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<u>Table 2</u>

Classification of the Common Dykes

Matrix		Quartz Absent			
Phenocrysts	None	Feldspar Quartz	Quartz	Feldspar	
None	G				
< 10 per cent			Р		
< 20 per cent				QD	D
20-60 per cent		ୟ		F	
> 60 per cent		Gr			
G - Grey Dyke QD - Quartz Di D - Diorite F Gr - Granitic	orite Po Porphyry	rphyry	P Qu F Fe Q Qu	l artz Porphyr ldspar Porph artz Feldspa	y Dyke Tyry Ar Porphyry

Only four of the seven common dykes shown in the above table are distinguished by mine geologists. These are the grey, feldspar porphyry, quartz feldspar porphyry, and the granitic dykes.

The criteria used for megascopic identification of the various common dykes are texture and the nature of the phenocrysts. Since the size of the phenocrysts is relatively small, and their composition is commonly obscured by alteration, field identification of the dykes is often impossible. Owing to this difficulty, the relative abundance of the individual dyke rock types cannot be determined accurately. Judging by diamond drill logs, the grey and feldspar porphyry dykes are by far the most widely distributed.

The apparent abundance of the grey dyke, estimated as high as 50 per cent, is probably, however, misleadingly high. Microscopic examination disclosed a remnant prophyritic texture in many of the dykes previously logged as "grey". Whereas the feldspar porphyry and grey dykes seem to predominate in the deeper parts of the mine, quartz-feldspar porphyry dykes are more abundant on the upper levels, where they comprise about 20 per cent of all dykes. Granitic dykes are rare, and none have been identified by the author.

In addition to the megascopically distinguishable dykes two other distinct dykes have been identified in thin section. These are known as the diorite porphyry, and the quartz-diorite dykes. Although Jeffery states (p.74) that both are as widely distributed as the other common dykes, the relatively large proportion of the diorite porphyry dyke identified by the author from the randomly selected samples suggests that this rock type may be more abundant, (Table 3).

Petrography

Mineralogically, the composition of the common dykes is identical. The main constituents are plagioclase and quartz, with lesser amounts of sericite, muscovite, chlorite, carbonate, and the minerals of the epidote family. Minor accessory sphene and zircon have been identified in some specimens.

Variable amounts of secondary quartz, calcite and epidote have been noted in the majority of the dykes. These minerals occur in narrow stringers and veinlets, and in many instances extensively infiltrate the dyke matrix. Commonly associated with these secondary minerals are fine grains of disseminated pyrite, which constitutes one to two per cent of the rocks.

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<u>Grev Dykes</u>. This term has been applied to fine grained equigranular rocks which differ from all the other common dykes by the absence of phonocrysts. Relatively unaltered grey dykes consist of 50 to 80 per cent fine anhedral quartz grains, and scattered clusters of zoisite 20-50 per cent, in a quartz-sorieite-chlorite matrix. Only minor amounts of fine grained, subhedral plagioclass of unknown composition are present. Sphene and opidote are accessory minorals, comprising 1-2 per cent of the rock.



Figure 2. Sample no. 106, plane light, x 160. Grey dyke.

Sheared grey dykes are characterized by an increase in chlorite and sericite, and by various degrees of parallelism of sericite shreds. Two types of chlorite are commonly present, one being colourless, the second pale green, and slightly pleochroic. Traces of pyrite and narrow stringers of secondary fine grained quartz, calcite and opidote have been detected in nearly all thin sections.

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Figure 3. Sample no. 162, crossed nicols, x 160. Sheared grey dyke.

A gradation between grey and feldspar porphyry dykes has been observed both megascopically and in thin section. The gradation is marked by the appearance of fine, highly sericitized grains of feldspar, barely exceeding in size the minerals constituting the matrix. In several specimens clusters of zoisite and sericite may have formed from the complete alteration of feldspar phenocrysts. For the purpose of chemical analyses, such rocks were classified as of uncertain rock type.

<u>Feldspar Porphyry Dykes</u>. Feldspar porphyry dykes are grey, fine grained rocks, consisting of 20-60 per cent pale grey, subhedral plagioclase phenocrysts, embedded in a fine, slightly darker grey matrix. The plagioclase is albitic, ranging in composition from An7 to An_{10} , and is commonly sericitized, even in specimens megascopically described as fresh.

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The matrix consists of a fine grained aggregate of quartz, plagioclase, sericite and chlorite, with minor epidote and sphene. As with the grey dykes, traces of pyrite, secondary carbonate, quartz and epidote have been observed in all specimens. Because of the fine grained nature of the plagioclase present in the matrix, its composition could not be determined.



Figure 4. Sample no. 84, plane light, x 40.5. Feldspar Porphyry dyke, showing zoisitized phenocrysts.

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<u>Quartz Foldspar Porphyry Dykos</u>. This rock differs from the foldspar porphyry only be the presence of quartz, which comprises up to 25 per cent of the phenocrysts. The quartz phenocrysts are rounded or subhedral, and show a wide range in size, attaining up to 6 mm. in diameter.

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Gradation to foldspar porphyry has been noted in dykes in which quartz phonocrysts are less prominent, being only slightly larger than the grains comprising the matrix.



Figure 5. Sample no. 68, crossed nicols, x 40.5. Quartz porphyry dyke.

<u>Quartz Porphyry Dykes</u>. These dykes are identical with the quartz-feldspar porphyry, except for the absence of feldspar phenocrysts. The quartz phenocrysts range in size from 1 mm. to 6 mm., and from about 5-10 per cent of the rock.



Figure 6. Sample no. 180-2, crossed nicols, x 40.5. Quartz porphyry dyke, showing wide range in size of phenocrysts.

Diorite Porphyry Dyke. The diorite porphyry, often logged as "grey" dyke in drill core, is, nevertheless a very distinct rock type in thin section. It differs from all other dykes by total absence of quartz, and is characterized by a matrix that consists of 75-90 per cent interlocking subhedral laths of plagioclase, with interstitial chlorite, epidote, and minor accessory sphene. Embedded in the matrix are subhedral phenocrysts of plagioclase which constitute 5-20 per cent of the rock. The phonocrysts, commonly twinned, are albitic in composition, and often contain minute inclusions of epidote. The plagioclase laths comprising the matrix range in size from 0.05 mm. to 0.2 mm., occasionally approaching the size of the phenocrysts. As in all other dykes sericitization of the plagioclase is extensive.

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Figure 7. Sample no. 92-2, plane light, x 160. Zoisite veinlet cutting across a plagioclase phenocryst in a diorite porphyry.



Figure 8. Sample no. 409, crossed nicols, x 160. Diorite porphyry dyke.

Quartz Diorite Dyke. This rock has not been identified by the author. According to Jeffery, it is a variety of the diorite porphyry, and differs from it only by the presence of quartz in the matrix, and by a decrease in the amount of phenocrysts.

<u>Granitic Dykes</u>. Granitic dykes are rare in the Campbell Mine, and have not been noted among the samples selected by the writer. According to Jeffery, the rock is characterized by a medium grained granitic texture, and is composed of plagioclase and quartz phenocrysts, embedded in a matrix of quartz, sericite and chlorite. The granitic dykes appear to be a variety of the quartz feldspar porphyry, with a large proportion of quartz and feldspar phenocrysts.

2. SAMPLING

 $\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} p_i$

A total of eighty samples were selected from the diamond drill core stored at the Campbell Chibougamau Mine. The selections were made after a study of level plans and vertical sections, and after a careful structural correlation of the dykes based on diamond drill hole information. Samples were taken from seven distinct dyke branches; their distribution covers a vertical distance of 3050 feet, from the 550 level to the 3600 level, and a lateral distance of 1500 feet, from section 1100W to 400E. Although an attempt was made at a statistically random selection of samples, strict randomness was impeded by the unavailability of core from certain diamond drill holes, and by the necessity to make alternate selections. The location of the samples is listed in Table I, in the Appendix, and graphically illustrated on Plate 1.

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To test the chemical homogeneity of the dykes, each of the first ten samples was treated in the following way. A complete intersection over the entire width of the dyke was split longitudinally, and one half of the core was analysed. The results were then compared to the analysis of the second half of a onefoot long section of the core from the central part of the dyke. All ten comparisons showed a significant difference between the two samples (Table 3).

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Table 3

COMPARISON OF ANALYSES OF BULK SAMPLES WITH

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	Al	Fe	Mg	Ca	Na	Ti
A	14.55	4.70	1.11	6.70	2.40	0.20
B	<u>15.00</u>	<u>3.70</u>	<u>0.92</u>	<u>4.60</u>	<u>2.50</u>	<u>0.26</u>
C	0.45	1.00	0.19	2.10	0.10	0.06
A	17.25	3.85	1.21	3.45	3.30	0.23
B	<u>16.25</u>	<u>5.15</u>	<u>1.95</u>	<u>4.14</u>	<u>4.55</u>	<u>0.35</u>
C	1.00	1.30	0.74	0.70	1.20	0.18
A	14.50	2.72	0。86	3.90	2.68	0.21
B	<u>16.50</u>	<u>3.15</u>	<u>0。97</u>	<u>5.20</u>	<u>3.55</u>	<u>0.20</u>
C	2.00	0.43	0。07	1.30	0.87	0.01
A	14.40	6.95	0°74	6.30	1.05	0.23
B	<u>12.50</u>	<u>6.60</u>	<u>0°40</u>	<u>4.55</u>	0.68	<u>0.17</u>
C	1.90	0.35	0°34	1.75	0.37	0.06
A	13.80	4.30	0.92	4.90	1.68	0.21
B	<u>13.95</u>	<u>3.45</u>	<u>0.76</u>	<u>5.90</u>	<u>1.53</u>	<u>0.17</u>
C	0.15	0.85	0.16	1.00	0.15	0.04
A	13.75	3.65	0.82	3.78	3.00	0.19
B	<u>14.25</u>	<u>3.68</u>	<u>0.67</u>	<u>3.95</u>	<u>4.70</u>	<u>0.23</u>
C	0.50	0.03	0.15	0.17	0.70	0.04
A	18.00	4.60	1.58	6.00	5.40	0.41
B	<u>15.75</u>	<u>3.95</u>	<u>1.48</u>	<u>5.00</u>	<u>5.10</u>	<u>0.32</u>
C	2.25	0.65	0.10	1.00	0.30	0.09
A B C	13.00 <u>11.75</u> 1.25	< 10.00 < <u>10.00</u>	4.70 <u>4.95</u> 0.15	7.88 <u>6.45</u> 1.43	<0.20 < <u>0.20</u> -	1.73 <u>1.58</u> 0.15
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ANALYSES OF SHORT SAMPLES

Analysis of a 1 foot central portion. Difference between A and B. С

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Since the suspected variation in composition across the width of the dyke could not be determined from bulk samples of entire intersections, all subsequent dykes were sampled by selecting 2 to 3-foot sections of core at more or less regular intervals.

Crushing and Grinding

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All crushing and grinding was done by the writer in the laboratories of the Department of Geological Sciences at McGill University." The samples were crushed in a jaw crusher set at 1/8 inch, and subsequently ground in a pulverizer filled with ceramic plates. The screen analysis showed that approximately 75 per cent of the material was minus 150 mesh. About 100 grams of the pulverized sample were then packaged in capped plastic vials and retained for the analysis.

Throughout the entire crushing and grinding procedure, care had to be taken to prevent unnecessary contamination. The equipment was thoroughly cleaned with brushes and compressed air, and a portion of the next sample was run through the crusher and the pulverizer after each run. Even with these precautions certain amount of contamination, particularly by iron and possibly other metals present in the jaw crusher, was unavoidable. It can be assumed, however, that the amount of foreign material introduced into the samples was constant.

Prior to the crushing and grinding, another precaution was considered necessary, to minimize the distortion of analyses by secondary minerals. All visible quartz and carbonate stringers were carefully eliminated from the drill core by knocking off and by scraping. If retained, the analyses for silica, calcium, and a number of trace elements would have been misleadingly high.

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3. SPECTROCHEMICAL ANALYSES

Principles

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The fundamental principle of quantitative spectrochemical analysis is based on the assumption that the intensity, I_0 , of a given line in the emission spectrum is proportional to the number of atoms in the source, N. It is further assumed, for the purpose of practical spectrochemical analysis, that N is directly proportional to the concentration, C, of a given element in the sample. These assumptions are expressed by the equation:

 $I_{0} = KC \qquad (1)$ or $log I_{0} = log K + log C \qquad (2)$

where K is a constant.

Expressed graphically, the logarithms of two variables, I_o and C form a line, referred to as the working curve. Theoretically, according to equation (1), the graph is a straight line with a unit slope. In practice, however, the working curves deviate from linearity and unit slope, owing to the presence of background intensity, impurity in the standards, and self-absorption.

Analysis of Major Elements

The method used by the author for the analysis for Si, Al, Fe, Mg, Na, Ca, and Ti, was developed at the Department of Geological Sciences at McGill University, (Webber and Jellema, 1962). Lithium is used as an internal standard.

Procedure

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Two grams of lithium metaborate were mixed with 200 milligrams of ground sample in a mullite mortar. The mixture was placed in a graphite crucible, and fused in a muffle furnace at 1000° C for eight minutes. The resulting glass bead was crushed in a steel mortar, and the product thoroughly mixed with 200 milligrams of graphite. A part of the mixture was packed in graphite electrodes for the analysis, and the remaining material was stored in small, labelled, plastic vials. Throughout this procedure care was taken to prevent contamination by cleaning the mortars and pestles with soft rubber erasers.

Working curves were prepared by using analyses of the following National Bureau of Standards samples:

la	argillaceous limestone
69a	bauxite
88	dolomite
97	flint clay
98	plastic clay
99	soda feldspar
102	silica brick
104	burned magnesite
mixture	of la and 99
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Apparatus specifications and operating conditions are given in Table 2, in the Appendix.

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Analysis for Trace Elements

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A semi-quantitative spectrochemical method was used for the analysis of the following elements:

B, Be, Co, Cr, Cu, Ga, Mn, No, Ni, Pb, Sc, Sn, Sr,

Ta, V, Y, Zn and Zr

The method is based on the same principles as the quantitative analysis for major elements. Instead of using internal standards, however, the concentration of each element is determined by comparison of the intensity of spectral lines of given elements with the intensity of line Fe 3202, obtained by the analysis of a sample of known composition, on each spectrographic plate.

The method is a relatively rapid one, since the preparation of samples involves only the mixing of 100 milligrams of a pulverized sample, with an equal amount of graphite.

The details of operating conditions, and the analytical lines used for each element are given in Table 2, in the Appendix.

Accuracy and Precision

To check the accuracy of the spectrochemical analyses of the major elements, four samples were analysed by the Quebec Department of Mines, and in the laboratories of the Department of Geological Studies at McGill University. The results, presented in Table 4, indicate consistently high values for silica, and low values for soda as determined by the author. The analyses of other elements show reasonable deviations from the results obtained by the two other analysts. 3.86

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MnO

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C02

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15.40	14.84	13.40	16.50	16.04	17.00	20.5	20.58	21.8	15.1	14.30
3.54	3.05	3.40	8.93	6.35	7.28	6.38	4.85	5.50	2.41	1.86

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Ι Chemical analysis by Department of Geological Sciences, McGill University.

II Chemical analysis by Quebec Department of Mines.

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To check the precision of the analyses for major and minor elements, the author made ten runs for sample no. 106. The sample was divided into ten portions, and each treated separately according to procedure outlined on page 30. The precision is expressed in terms of standard deviation, and per cent relative deviation, at a confidence level of 95 per cent.

Standard Deviation, $s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{x^2}}{n} - (\bar{x})^2}$

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 x^2 = sum of squares of individual analyses, $(\bar{x})^2$ = square of the average of all analyses, n = number of samples,

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Per cent Relative Deviation, $C = \frac{t s}{\bar{x} \sqrt{n}}$ 100

where the value of (Student's) t is a function of probability, and degrees of freedom, obtainable in published tables.

<u>Table 5</u>

Precision

Element	32	<u>_</u>	<u> </u>
S102	61.00 per cent	6°23	7:30
A1203	15-80	2. 88	11.45
MgO	5.28	0.25	3.45
CaO	7.74	1.24	11.48
Ti O2	1.42	0.15	7.30
Вө	15.4 ppm	4.71	21.84
Co	37.0	7.20	13.83
Cr	54.6	9.38	12.28
Cu	171.4	28.97	12.08
Ga	10.6	0.97	6.56
Mn	550.0	17.93	2.33

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	Ĩ	. B concentration	· C·						
Mo	5°8 ppm	0.55	6.75						
Ni	40。6	11.37	20.02						
Se	22.7	9:21	28.99						
Sn	6.1	0°37	6.53						
Sr	265.5	37.37	10.06						
V	132. 0	16.64	9.01						
Y	4.4. o 4.	8.29	13.35						
Zr	556.0	59.98	7.71						

x = average of 10 runs
s = standard deviation
C = relative deviation

Since sample No. 106 contained more than 10 per cent total Fe, and only a trace of Na₂O, the precision for these two constituents could not be expressed in terms of per cent relative deviation. An indication of the reproducibility for the analyses of these two elements, however, can be obtained from the mean deviation of the duplicates of all analysed samples, (Table 6).

Table 6

Mean Deviation of Duplicate Analyses

Fo (tot.)	0	۰	•	•	•	٥	0	0.205	per	cent
Na ₂ 0	•	0	•	0	•	٠	•	0.165	per	cent

In order to give an indication of the contribution of the analytical error to the chemical variation of the analysed samples, the writer compared graphically the analytical confidence limits of the mean values of sets of n samples with con-

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fidence limits of the mean calculated from individual analyses of each of the n samples, (Plates 34 a-d).

The comparisons show that the analytical confidence limits are considerably narrower than the confidence limits of the mean calculated from the individual analyses of the n samples. Therefore it is concluded that the analytical imprecision alone does not account for the variation in chemical composition of the analysed samples.

Presentation of Data.

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The analytical results of all eighty samples are given in Table III in the Appendix. The concentrations of the major elements are expressed as per cent oxides. As the distinction between ferric and ferrous oxides cannot be made in spectrographic analyses, the total concentration of iron, Fe total, is given. The concentration of trace elements, determined semiquantitatively, is expressed as parts per million, (ppm).

In order to give a clear indication of the statistical distribution, the analyses are presented graphically, as well as in table form.

4. STATISTICAL TREATMENT OF ANALYTICAL RESULTS

The solution of the problems that are the subject of this investigation ultimately involves the determination of the significance of the difference between sample means of two or more groups of samples. The most efficient and widely accepted statistical methods applied to problems of this type are the Student's t-test, and the F-test. These tests function on the assumption that the population is normally distributed, and are most efficient when the number of samples is relatively high.

Histograms of the analytical data presented in the Appendix indicate, however, considerable deviations from normality. Several of the elements show skewed, bimodal or otherwise irregular distributions. In such cases the applications of the t-tests and F-tests are unjustified. It is mainly for this reason that nonparametric methods have to be employed.

"A nonparametric test is a test whose model does not specify conditions about the parameters of the population from which the sample was drawn"*. Nonparametric tests are ideally suited for problems presented here because of the relatively small number of samples. For samples as small as n = 6, there is, in fact, no alternative to using nonparametric statistics, unless the distribution of the parent population is known exactly. Another advantage in the application of such methods lies in the fact that the detrimental effects of analytical errors are considerably reduced using ranks, rather than actual values of the analytical data.

Siegel, 1956, p.31. *

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Ranking involves the arrangement of all samples according to the relative amounts of particular elements present. Thus, the sample containing the least amount of a given element is assigned a rank of 1, the sample containing the next highest amount is given rank 2, and so on. Samples containing identical amounts are given identical ranks. The ranking of samples according to their SiO₂ is shown in Table 9.

The competence of nonparametric statistics in comparison to other tests can be expressed by means of "power-efficiency". The concept of power-efficiency is based on the fact that the competence of any statistical method is proportional to the number of samples involved.

Let A be the most powerful known test of its type, and let B be another nonparametric test, which is just as powerful with N_B samples, as A is with N_A samples. Then

Power-Efficiency of
$$B = -\frac{N_A}{N_B}$$
 100 per cent.

For example, a power-efficiency of 80 per cent means that in order to make a B test as powerful as an A test, ten samples have to be used for the B test for every eight samples used in A.

The percentage of power-efficiency will be given for each of the statistical tests used below.

In the statistical treatment of the analytical data, only 14 of the 25 analysed elements are considered. In a great majority of samples the concentrations of B, Cr, Ga, Mo, Sc, Sn, Y, Zn, Be,

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Pb, Ta, are not dectectable. The study of the distribution of those samples in which the above trace elements occur in detectable quantities revealed no pattern. For these reasons, the analytical data for these elements are not considered in any of the statistical tests.

Variation in Composition Between Dyke Branches

Sixty one samples have been drawn from seven different branches of the main dyke swarm, without regard to their rock types, (Table 7). The branches, designated by letters A to G, are shown in Plate.2.

<u> </u>	<u>B</u>	С	<u>D</u>	E	F	G
180 181 182 183-5 184-2 185-2 186-2 187-2 187-1	51-1 56 64-2 64-3 64-4 103 152-2 152-3 153-2 153-2 154-1 154-2 156 159 160-1 160-2 160-4 161 162	55-2 55-3 59 157-1 157-2	74 83 80 84 92-1 92-2 92-4	148 147 150 151 176A-1 176A-3 176A-5 176B-6 176B-7 176B-8	68 71 173 174	93-1 98-1 98-2 98-4 101
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Table 7

Samples Drawn from Different Dyke Branches

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The analyses, presented in range charts in the Appendix, indicate overlaps in the compositions of samples taken from different branches. This shows that none of the dyke branches can be identified by a single chemical analysis. The mean compositions, however, show considerable variations from dyke to dyke, and the question arises whether the difference between the means is real, or whether it could have arisen by chance.

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	A	В	С	D	E	F	G
SiO ₂ (%)	62.57	68.6	71.0	63.68	70.4	70.1	70.1
A1203	11.88	16.24	15.12	16.23	17.9	14.39	14.64
Fe(total)	4.38	4.76	3.61	6.51	4.15	5.18	3.90
MgO	1.94	1.74	1.46	2.96	1.81	1.66	1.83
CaO	7.28	4.71	4.32	5.59	3.99	4.98	4.50
Na ₂ 0	1.84	1.43	2.27	1.50	1.79	0.95	2.25
TiO ₂	0.25	0.39	0.26	0.44	0.30	0.20	0.26
Mn ppm	594	314	289	853	472	576	445
Co	21	28	13	23	13	82.5	17
Cu	134	220	108	172	99	411	144
Ni	18	29	11	17	13.7	10.5	9
Sr	174	240	319	273	236	150	272
v	40	55	38	135	42	33	65
Zr	167	280	291	244	166	185	252
Fe/mg	2.2	3.4	2.6	2.4	2.16	3.75	2.84

<u>Table 8</u> Average Composition of Dyke Branches

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To solve this problem, the Kruskal-Wallis "one-way analysis of variance" has been chosen as the most appropriate test. This test assumes an underlying continuous distribution of the parent population, and tests the null hypothesis that the seven groups of samples, representing the various dyke branches, came from the same population.

The Kruskal-Wallis analysis of variance involves the replacement of N values by ranks. All values from the seven groups of samples, (totalling 61 analyses) are ranked into a single series, beginning with 1, and ending with 61. Rank number one represents the lowest, rank number 61 the highest content of a given element, respectively. The sum of the ranks in each group is thus found. If the null hypothesis (stating that all groups come from identical populations) is true, then H, as defined below, is distributed as Chi-square.

$$H = \frac{12}{N(n+1)} \sum_{i}^{K} \frac{Ri^{2}}{n_{i}} -3(n+1)$$
(1)

The probabilities of the calculated values of H occurring under H_0 (null hypothesis), are determined from published tables of the critical values of Chi-square.*

*Siegel, 1956, Table C.

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At the 99 per cent level of confidence, with Df = 6, the critical value of Chi-square $H_G = 16.81$. The region of rejection of the null hypothesis will, therefore, consist of all those values of H that are equal, or larger than the critical value of 16.81.

The power-efficiency of the Kruskal-Wallis one-way analysis of variance, as compared to the parametric F-test approaches PE = 95.5 per cent, (Siegel, 1956, p. 193).

Calculation of the Kruskel-Wallis Test

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The calculation of the test for SiO₂ will serve as an example of the use of ranking methods in all subsequent nonparametric tests.

The arrangement of concentrations of SiO₂ in order of magnitude, and the corresponding ranks are shown in Table 9.

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Ranking of SiO_2 Values for Dyke Branches

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		67.0 29			66.8	20.5	67.0	29	66.8	26.5	67.0 29
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		70.0 40 70.0 40	69.6 69.6 5	38 39	70.3	42			·		
71.5	46	71.5 46 71.6 48	70.6	44			70.4	43			71.5 46
		72.5 53 73.0 54	72.4	51.5 54.5			71.8	49	72.2	50	72.4 51.
		74.1 56 74.6 57 75.5 59 75.6 60	-						75.0	58	76 0 61
$\overline{B_n=1}$	55.5	Rh=768-	$0 R_{2}=2$	27.0	Ra=1	31.5	R_=2	1.4.5	$R_{e}=15$	9.5	$R_{a}=205$
n_a^{-1}	9	$N_{b} = 21$	n _c =	5	nd=	7	n _e =	10	nf = 4		ng = 5

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By substituting the values obtained in Table 9 for R_i and n_i , the values of H can be computed according to equation (1).

$$H = -\frac{12}{N(N+1)} \sum_{i}^{K} \frac{R_{i}^{2}}{n_{i}} - 3 (N+1)$$
(1)

$$H = \left[\frac{12}{61(61+1)} \frac{(155.5)^2 + (768.0)^2 + (227.0)^2 + (131.5)^2 + (244.5)^2 + (159.5)^2 + (205.5)^2}{10} - 3(61+1)\right]$$

 $H = (0.003173 \times 64, 292.74) - 168$

H = 18.00

The comparison of the obtained values of H with the critical value of Chi-square (H_c) at a 99 per cent level of confidence indicates that

$$H > H_{c}$$

The value of H thus falls within the rejection region of H_0 , (null hypothesis), and we can conclude with 99 per cent confidence that the seven dyke branches differ significantly in their SiO_2 contents.

The results of calculation of the values of H for other elements are given in Table 10.

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Values offo	H, and Associated or Various Dyke B	l Probabilities ranches
	H	P
SiO2	18.0	99
Al ₂ 03	20.8	99
Fe(tot)	9.0	80
MgO	9.2	70
CaO	7.1	50
Na ₂ 0	7.3	70
TiO2	7.5	70
MnO	14.8	95
В	16.4	98
Со	9.3	90
Cu	5.8	50
Ni	20.0	50
Sr	9.0	80
v	9.4	80
Zr	14.1	95

H = value calculated using equation (1).

p = probability of H occurring within the rejection region of $H_{\rm O}$ (null hypothesis), expressed in per cent.

The data presented in the above table indicate that five elements differ in their respective concentration at confidence levels of over 90 per cent. Of these elements, two (silica and alumina) differ significantly at the 99 per cent confidence level.

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Variation in Composition Between Various Rock Types

Of the eighty samples analysed, 63 have been identified as belonging to five petrologically distinct dyke rock types. Four samples have been identified as altered anorthosite, and the classification of the remaining thirteen specimens is uncertain. The 63 positively identified dyke samples are listed and classified in Table 11.

Table 11

Feldspar Porphyry F	Diorite Porphyry D	Grey G	Quartz-Feldsp Porphyry Q	oar Quartz Porphyry P
$ \begin{array}{r} 14\\25\\26\\51-2\\59-1\\64-2\\64-3\\64-4\\80\\84\\92-1\\92-4\\93-1\\98-2\\101\\103\\152-2\\152-3\\154-1\\154-2\\157-1\\157-2\\159\\160-1\\160-2\\407\\408\end{array} $	21 55-2 55-3 74 92-2 104 150 151 176B-6 176B-7 176B-8 409 410 411	48 83 107 106 147 148 153-1 153-2 162 176A-1 176A-3 176A-5	54-1 54-2 98-4 156	68 173 174 180-2 182
n = 28	14	12	4	5

Rock Type Classification of Dyke Samples

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The average composition of the five rock types are given in Table 12.

<u>Table 12</u>

Average Composition of Rock Types

	F	D	G	Q	Р	Anorth.
SiO2	69.07	64.05	66.2	73.0	70.3	48.65
A1203	15.43	18.13	14.55	15.55	11.61	24.90
Fe(total)	4.23	4.77	6.39	3.56	4.67	6.50
MgO	1.42	2.08	3.20	1.16	1.45	4.59
CaO	4.39	4.51	6.38	3.06	6.29	10.58
Na ₂ 0	1.92	2.59	0.53	2.25	0.70	0.78
TiO ₂	0.23	0.37	0.73	0.20	0.17	0.15
Mn	359 ppm	538 ppm	653 ppm	166 ppm	675 ppm	588 ppm
В	13	6	16	10	15	12.5
Co	19	14	30	14	10	36
Cu	177	89	178	145	189	110
Ni	14	13	42	9	10	44
Sr	223	381	279	220	198	177
v	48	84	101	35	34	66
Zr	237	273	295	280	165	31
Fe/Mg	3.56	2.49	2.18	3.10	3.4	1.5

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The ranges in concentration of 15 elements in the various rock types, including the anorthosite, are shown in range charts in the Appendix. As with the range charts for compositions of various dyke branches, the compositions of the various dyke rock types show considerable overlaps. The statistical evaluation of the analytical data, however, indicates surprisingly different results.

The null hypothesis, as applied to this problem, states that the samples comprising the five groups come from the same parent population; in other words, that there is no significant difference between the chemical compositions of the five rock types. To test this hypothesis, the Kruskal-Wallis one way analysis of variance can again be applied.

N = total number of samples	I	63
K = number of groups	=	5
Df = degrees of freedom = K - 1	=	4

Critical value of Chi-square at a significance level of 0.01 = 13.28.* By substituting the values of R_i and n_i in the equation (1), the values of H are calculated for each constituent. The results are presented in Table 13.

*Siegel, 1956, Table C.

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The Values of for	H, and Associated Various Dyke Rock	l Probabilities Types
	H	P
SiO2	17.1	99
Al203	20.3	99.9
Fe(tot)	10.4	95
MgO	20.44	99.9
CaO	8.42	90
Na ₂ 0	35.23	99.9
TiO ₂	22.61	99.9
MnO	28.78	99.9
Со	8.44	90
Cu	10.72	95
Ni	13.63	99
Sr	11.00	98
V	11.94	98
Zr	8.85	90

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H = value calculated using equation (1).

p = probability of H occurring within the rejection region of $H_{\rm O}$ (null hypothesis), expressed in per cent.

Table 13 shows that all elements differ in their concentrations in the various rock types at a minimum confidence level of 90 per cent. Significant differences in the concentrations of nine elements are detectable at a confidence level of at least 99 per cent.

Chemical Variation due to Alteration

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It was noted earlier that the main alteration products were chlorite and sericite, commonly accompanied by the introduction of carbonates.

The question arises as to whether the alteration is reflected in the chemical composition of the rocks.

For this purpose 28 samples of the feldspar porphyry dykes were classified into two groups according to the intensity of alteration (Table 14). The amount of chlorite present in the rock was used as a basis for the classification. Samples of dykes with less than 10 per cent chlorite were classed as "relatively fresh", and samples in which chlorite constituted more than 10 per cent of the rock as altered. This criterion was chosen because it was found that a fair approximation of the freshness could be made megascopically, by colour and by the hardness of the rock. Since in the examined specimens the degree of sericitization was roughly proportional to the amount of chlorite, the effect of the variation in the degree of sericitization on the changes of the chemical composition of the rocks could, for this purpose, be considered to be negligible.

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Fresh	Altered
25	14
51-2	26
59-1	64-2
84	64-3
98-1	64-4
98-2	92-1
101	92-4
103	80
152-2	154-1
152-3	154-2
407	157-1
408	160-1
93-1	160-2
	157-2
	159
$n_{f} = 13$	n _a = 15
	$\frac{\text{Fresh}}{\text{on the Basis of Alters}}$ $\frac{\text{Fresh}}{25}$ $51-2$ $59-1$ 84 $98-1$ $98-2$ 101 103 $152-2$ $152-3$ 407 408 $93-1$ $n_{f} = 13$

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Table 14

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To determine the significance of the difference between the chemical compositions of the two groups, the Mann-Whitney U-test was chosen. This test is considered to be one of the most powerful nonparametric tests. It is used as an alternate to the parametric t-test, wherever the assumptions of the latter are unjustifiable. The power-efficiency of the Mann-Whitney U-test as compared to the t-test is close to 95 per cent, (Siegel, 1956). As with the Kruskal-Wallis analysis of variance, the Mann-Whitney U-test examines the null hypothesis that the two independent groups of samples come from the same population.

The test involves the ranking of the analytical data into one continuous series, and the subsequent computation of the factor U by the equation:

$$U = n_1 n_2 + \frac{n_1(n_1 + 1)}{2} - R_1$$
 (2a)

or similarly

$$U^{1} = n_{1} n_{2} + \frac{n_{2}(n_{2} + 1)}{2} - R_{2}$$
 (2b)

where

 n_1 = number of samples in smaller group n_2 = number of samples in larger group R_1 = sum of ranks in smaller group R_2 = sum of ranks in larger group

The values of U obtained from equations (2a) and (2b) are not identical; the smaller value is used in the test. The two values of U are related by the following equation:

$$U = n_1 n_2 - U^1$$

$$U > U^1$$
(3)

where

The rejection region of the null hypothesis (H_0) consists of all those values of the computed U test that are equal or smaller than the critical values of U_c given in published tables.

The calculation of the value of U for SiO_2 will serve as an example of the calculations of the Mann-Whitney test.

$$n_1 = 13$$
 $R_1 = 185$
 $n_2 = 15$ $R_2 = 221$

Substituting the above values in equation (2a)

$$U = 13 \times 15 + \frac{13(13 + 1)}{2} - 185$$
$$U = 101$$

Substituting the values in equation (2b)

$$U^{1} = 13 \times 15 + \frac{15(15 + 1)}{2} - 221$$
$$U^{1} = 94$$

According to equation (3)

$$101 = 13 \times 15 - 94$$

 $101 = 101$

Since $U^1 < U$, the value of U^1 is used in the test.

As the calculated value of U^1 is larger than the critical value of U_c for the 99 per cent confidence level, (Table 15), the null hypothesis is accepted, and we conclude that the difference between the mean concentrations of SiO_2 in the altered and unaltered dyke samples could have arisen by chance.

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The results of the calculations of the values of U for other elements are shown in Table 15.

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Table 15

	Fresh	Altered	nl	n2	U	U _c =0.01	U _c =0.05			
SiO ₂	69.0	69.5	13	15	94	47	61			
A12 ⁰ 3	15.4	15.7	13	15	112	47	61			
Fe(tot)	4.03	4.60	12	15	65	42	55			
MgO	1.66	1.15	13	15	93 • 5	47	61			
CaO	3.44	4.53	13	15	70	47	61			
Na ₂ 0	2.33	1.63	13	15	45	47	61			
TiO ₂	0.23	0.22	13	15	79.5	47	61			
MrıO	385	309	12	15	87	42	55			
Со	15	22	12	15	67.5	42	55			
Cu	135	213	12	15	60	42	55			
Ni	9	15	12	15	85.5	42	55			
Sr	251	192	12	15	80	42	55			
V	51	35	10	15	46	42	55			
Zr	232	232	12	15	No di	fference	e between m	iear		
Fe/Mg	2.98	4.04	12	15	54.5	42	55			

The Values of U for Elements in Altered and Unaltered Samples

 $n_1 =$ number of samples in smaller group $n_2 =$ number of samples in larger group U = computed value U_c (=0.01) = critical value at 99 per cent significance level U_c (=0.05) = critical value at 95 per cent significance level <u>NOTE</u>: The discrepancy in n_1 is due to only a partial analysis of sample No. 152-2. The above table indicates that on the 95 per cent level of confidence the two groups of samples show a significant difference in the concentrations of soda, vanadium, and in the Fe/Mg ratio. The impoverishment of the altered samples in soda can be also detected at the 99 per cent confidence level. The significance of these results will be discussed in the summary.

Chemical Variation of the Dykes with Depth

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In order to detect possible chemical variations of the dykes with depth, the mean compositions of 34 samples from the upper levels were compared with 21 samples taken from the horizons below the 1900 level, (Table 16).

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Grouping	of Samples	from	Upper	and	Lower	Levels	of the	e Mine
Samples From 1900 Le	Below the vel	x,			Sar	nples Fi 1900	om Ab Level	ove the L
21	153-1			48		93		174
25	153-2			51		98-1		176-A-1
26	154-1			68		98-2		176A-3
64-2	154-2			71		98-4		176-A-5
64-3	159			74		101		176-B-6
64-4	160-1		•	80		147		176-B-7
106	160-2			83		148		176-B-8
107	160-3			84		150		407
152-2	160-4			92-	1	151		408
1.52-3	161			92-	2	170		409
	162			92-	4	173		410
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The Mann-Whitney test was applied to determine the significance of the difference between the mean chemical compositions of the two groups of samples.

For such a large number of samples the sampling distribution of U approaches normality, and the test involves the evaluation of the factor "z".

$$z = \frac{\mathbf{U} - \mathcal{M}_{u}}{\sigma} \tag{4}$$

where

 $U = n_1 n_2 \frac{n_1 (n+1)}{2} - R_1$ (2a) G = standard deviation

$$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{n_1 n_2 (n_1 + n_2 + 1)}{12}}$$
(5)

$$\mu_{v} = \text{mean} = \frac{n_{1} + n_{2}}{2} \tag{6}$$

The rejection region of the null hypothesis, the two groups of samples coming from the same population, consists of all those values of z whose associated probabilities are equal to, or less than 0.01.

As with all previous tests, the calculation of the value of "z" for SiO_2 will serve as an example of the calculations.

 $R_1 = 691.5$ n_l = 21 $R_2 = 848.5$ $n_2 = 34$

$$U = n_{1} n_{2} + \frac{n_{1}(n_{1} + 1)}{2} - R_{1}$$
(2a)

$$U = 253.5$$

$$U^{1} = n_{1} n_{2} + \frac{n_{2}(n_{2} + 1)}{2} - R_{2}$$
(2b)

$$u^{1} = 460.5$$

According to equation (3),

 $253.5 = 21 \times 34 - 460.5$

Then,

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$$M_{\rm u} = \frac{n_{\rm l} + n_{\rm 2}}{2} = 357 \tag{6}$$

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$$\mathfrak{S} = \sqrt{\frac{n_1 n_2 (n_1 + n_2 + 1)}{12}}$$
 (5)
 $\mathfrak{S} = \sqrt{\frac{714 \times 56}{12}}$
 $\mathfrak{S} = 57.7335$

Finally,

$$z = \frac{U - M_{0}}{6}$$
(4)

$$z = \frac{253.5 - 357}{57.7335}$$

$$z = -1.79$$

According to published tables, (Siegel, 1956, Table A), the probability (p) of the associated z = -1.79 is

p = 0.04

The value of "z" for SiO_2 thus falls outside the rejection region of null hypothesis, and we can conclude that at a confidence level of 99 per cent, the difference between the mean concentrations of SiO_2 in the samples of the two groups is not significant.

The results of the calculations of the Mann-Whitney test for all other elements are shown in Table 17.

Table 17

Ca] Probabilit	Lculated Valu	es of ^w z' Samples	and from	their Asso Upper and	ociated Lower Levels
	Mean Conce	ntration			
	Mean Conce	-			
	Upper	Lower		Z	_ <u>p_</u>
SiO ₂	66.3	68.5		-1.79	0.04
Al ₂ 03	16.4	16.1		-0.86	0.19
Fe tot	4.82	5.24		-0.56	0.29
MgO	2.08	1.91		-1.46	0.07
CaO	4.38	5.35		-1.17	0.11
Na ₂ O	2.02	1.34		-1.70	0.04
TiO ₂	0.33	0.47		-0.56	0.29
Mn ppm	579	358		-1.84	0.03
Со	25	25	No di	ifference	between means
Cu	160	227		-2.36	0.009
Ni	13.1	13.4		-1.02	0.15
Sr	235	235	No d	ifference	between means
V	69	63		-1.27	0.15
Zr	237	280		-0.80	0.21

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The results listed in Table 17 indicate that the difference between the mean compositions of the two groups of samples are significant at the 95 per cent confidence level in case of four elements, SiO₂, Na₂O, Mn, and Cu. Of these, only copper shows a significant difference at the 99 per cent confidence level.

DISCUSSION OF THE RESULTS

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The main purpose of this work has been the investigation of the possibility of correlating the dykes on the basis of their chemical composition. The range charts of element contents of the various dyke branches indicate that none of the investigated dykes has a sufficiently characteristic composition to make it distinguishable from any other dyke branch without further statistical tests. This fact alone makes the chemical method of correlation impractical, because of the large number of analyses that would be necessary to obtain a correlation at a significant level of confidence.

Statistical comparisons indicate that the dyke branches differ in the concentrations of three elements, (Si, Al, Ni), at the 99 per cent confidence level. Similar tests applied to the composition of samples of various dyke rock types, without regard to their position in particular dyke branches, show that the dyke rock types differ from each other in the concentrations of seven elements, (Si, Al, Ni, Mg, Na, Ti, and Mn). It appears that the differences between the chemical compositions of the various dyke rock types are more distinct than those between dyke branches, and that a given dyke sample basically owes its

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chemical composition to its petrological character rather than to its membership in a particular dyke branch. Since a single dyke branch may be composed of more than on rock type, as had been shown earlier, neither the chemical composition, nor the petrological character of a dyke provides a sound basis for its correlation with another dyke.

The fact that the various dyke branches show a significant difference in the concentrations of three elements, is attributed to the contamination effect caused by the uneven distribution of samples of various rock types in the various dyke branches.

One of the more striking results of the analyses is the wide variation in the chemical composition of samples taken from single dyke intersections within relatively short distances. This variation is best shown in the range chats and by the comparisons of analyses of bulk samples with the analyses of short, one foot samples, (Table 3). This inhomogeneous chemical character of the dykes is probably due to the contamination caused by secondary quartz, carbonate, and epidote stringers, as well as by the uneven intensity of hydrothermal alteration.

The study of the chemical effects of hydrothermal alteration indicates a decrease in the soda and vanadium concentrations, detected on the 99 per cent level of confidence, and an increase in the Fe/Mg ratio, detected on the 95 per cent level.

The decrease in the soda content in altered dykes is probably the result of metasomatism involving the addition of potassium at the expense of soda, and resulting in the sericitization of the plagioclases. While no analyses for potassium have been made by the writer, complete analyses of four dyke samples made by other laboratories, (Table 4), show an increase in potassium in the altered and sheared rocks. Indications of this trend were also noted by Jeffery in his study of the comparisons of altered and relatively fresh metaanorthosites. The feasibility of such alkali ion exchange during metamorphism has been demonstrated by Orville, (1963).

The increase in the Fe/Mg ratio in the altered dyke specimens is probably related to the changes in the composition of chlorite. Two types of chlorite have been identified by Jeffery in nearly all rocks at the Campbell mine. Chlorite I., rich in magnesium, is characteristic of barren, massive, and relatively fresh anorthosite, whereas chlorite II., rich in iron, is most abundant in altered and sheared rocks. Since sulphide mineralization favours the sheared host rock, the increase in the Fe/Mg ratio is probably accentuated by the iron present in the introduced sulphides."

The decrease in vanadium in the altered specimens was detected on the 99 per cent confidence level. Vanadium occurs in igneous rocks mostly in magnetite, as well as in ferromagnesian minerals, in which it substitutes for the ferric ion. It is suggested that the vanadium may be present in chlorite, but its impoverishment in the altered dyke samples remains unexplained.

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There is general agreement among workers that the mineralogical similarity of the common dykes indicates their close genetic relationship. Jeffery believes that the dykes originated from the same parent magma, and postulates a sequence of introduction on the basis of their mineralogy. Noting that feldspar would crystallize first, and that crystallization would proceed with an ever decreasing feldspar content and with an increase in quartz, Jeffery suggests the following order of emplacement:

- 1. Diorite Porphyry
- 2. Quartz Diorite
- 3. Feldspar Porphyry
- 4. Quartz Feldspar Porphyry
- 5. Quartz Porphyry
- 6. Fine Grained, grey Dykes

The chemical composition of the dykes analyzed by the writer is too strongly masked by the alteration to enable the determination of the sequence of introduction on a chemical basis. The close similarity of the common dykes, however, is obvious. It suggests that the dykes were introduced within a relatively short period of time during which the parent magma could not attain a high degree of differentiation. It is proposed that some of the later dykes were emplaced while the consolidation of the earlier dyke material was still incomplete. The resulting mixture of chemically similar differentiates would leave little trace of the contact zones between the various dyke rock types, particularly if later obscured by

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shearing, and hydrothermal alteration. This mode of emplacement would account for the puzzling observation that individual dyke branches may be composed of more than one rock type. It would explain the local fading of phenocrysts, and the gradational relationship between the various dyke rock types. It would explain why neither the chemical nor the petrological character of the dykes forms a reliable criterion for the correlation of the individual dyke branches.

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TABLE I

LOCATION OF SAMPLES

Sampl No.	e D.D.H. No.	Footage	Section	Level	Rock Type
14	U-2010	407	1100W	2020 '	F
21	U-2335	96	1100W	3080'	D
25	U-2277	135	1100W	3540'	\mathbf{F}
26	U-2284	81	1100W	3520'	F
48-1	U-1408	148	600W	1900'	G
51-2	U-1402	82	600W	1970 '	F
54-1	U-1928	322	600W	2150'	Q
54-2	U-1928	332	600W	2160'	Q
55-2	U-1928	356	600W	2178'	D
55 - 3	U-1928	362	600W	2180'	D
56	U-1928	487	600W	22851	?
59-1	U-1929	596	600W	2450'	F
64-2	U-2128	37	600W	2715'	F
64-3	U-2128	46	600W	2720	F
64-4	U-2128	51	600W	27251	F
68	U-79	112	300W	4501	Р
71	U-108	49	350W	2501	?
74	U-638	61	300W	1190'	D
80	U-970	90	275W	1450'	F
83	U-1154	103	300W	1600'	G
84	U-1154	119	300W	1600 '	Г

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Sample No.	D.D.H. No.	Footage	Section	Level	Rocl Type
92-1	U-1270	113	300W	1650'	F
92-2	U-1270	124	300W	1650'	D
92-4	U-1270	133	300W	1650'	F
93-1	U-1270	212	300W	1700 '	F
98-1	U-1195	250	300W	1820'	F
98-2	U-1195	256	300W	18201	F
98-4	U-1195	241	300W	1820'	Q
101	U-1274	230	300W	1900 '	F
103	U-2036	405	300W	2230'	F
104	U- 2036	578	300W	2370 '	D
106	U-1993	1121	300W	27901	G
107	U-1993	1218	300W	28301	G
147	U-988	76	400W	1510'	G
148	U - 988	96	400W	1520'	G
149	U-980	70	400W	1490'	An.
150	U-980	90	400W	1510'	D
151	U-978	25	400W	1465'	D
152-1	U-2125	31	700W	27001	An.
152-2	U-2125	36	700W	27001	F
152-3	U-2125	42	700W	27001	F
153-1	U-2125	53	700W	27001	G
153-2	U-2125	54	700W	2700'	G

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Sample No.	D.D.H. No.	Footage	Section	Level	Rock Type
154-1	U-2121	130	800W	27001	F
154-2	U-2121	142	800W	2700 '	F
156	U-2105	222	\$00¥	2430 '	Q
157-1	U-1037	311	600W	1750+	F
157-2	U-1037	331	600W	1750+	F
159	U-2153	137	800W	3000 '	F
160-1	U-2169	66	800W	3190'	F
160-2	U-2169	68	800W	3190'	F
160-3	U-2169	70	800W	3200 '	?
160-4	V-2169	75	800W	32001	?
161	U-2186		800W	3320 +	G
162	U-2200	156	800W	3660'	G
162-1	U-2200	153	800W	3660'	G
170	U-1610	92	200W	1340'	?
173	U-87	4	300W	550 '	Р
174	U-84	4	300W	550 '	Р
175	U - 93	3	300W	5501	An.
176-A-1	U-1090	25	500W	1450'	G
176-A-3	U-1090	36	500W	1450'	G
176-A-5	U-1090	47	500W	1450'	G
176-в-6	U-1090	75	500W	1450'	D
6 176-B 7	U - 1090	81	500W	1450'	·D
7 176B-8	U-1090	86	500W	1450'	D
8 180-2	U-1911	1150	400E	550'	Р
181	U-961	560	1000W	550 *	

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Sample No.	D.D.H. No.	Footage	Section	Level	Rock Type
182	U-986	47C	1200W	550 '	?
183-5	U-1926	671	100E	1150'	?
184-2	U-1699	820	1100W	1050'	?
185-2	U~905	636	1600	1600'	?
186-1	U-1356	681		2100'	An.
186-2	U-1356	683		2100'	?
187-2	U - 1699	1332	1100W	1000'	?
187-3	U-1699	1356	1100W	1000 '	?
407	U-1005	120	400W	1570'	\mathbf{F}
408	U-1005	126	400W	1570'	F
409	U-1005	160	400W	1600 '	D
410	U-1005	172	400W	1620	D
411	U-1005	180	400W	1630'	D

Rock Types:

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G = Grey Dyke QD = Quartz Diorite Porphyry D = Diorite Porphyry P = Quartz Porphyry F = Feldspar Porphyry P = Quartz Feldspar Porphyry An = Anorthosite ? = Undetermined rock type

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TABLE II

APPARATUS AND SPECTROGRAPHIC OPERATING CONDITIONS

Spectrograph: JACO, Model JA-7102, 3.4 meter planegrating Spectrograph.

Electrodes: lower (sample) electrode: 3/16" diameter; "spectrotech" electrode, (ST-45), with cavity 4 mm. diameter, 5 mm deep.

> upper (counter) electrode: $1/8^{10}$ diameter; spectrotech electrode (ST-40).

Exposure Conditions:

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slit width 10 slit height 5 mm filter steps 3,4,5,6 preburn time 1/2 sec. exposure time To exposure; usually 2'45' ± 5 sec. 16

Photography: photographic emulsion: Kodak SA-3 developer: Kodak D-19, 3 min., at 20°C plate calibration (major elements): 2 step method of Churchill *.

Spectral Lines:

Major - Si 2987; Fe 2599, Al 2652, Ca 3158, Mg 2781, Ti 3361, Mn 2576 Interval standard: Li 2741

Trace Elements -

Ag 3382	Co 3453	Ma 2576	Sn 3175	V 3185
B 2497	Cr 2843	Mo 3170	Sr 3464	Y
Ba 3071	Cu 3273	Mi 3414	Ta 2714	Zn 3345
Be 3130	Ga 2943	Pb 2833	Ti 3370	Zr 3391

* Churchill (1944).

TABLE III

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ANALYSES OF SAMPLES

Sample No.	14	21	25	26	48 - 1	51-2	54 - 1	54-2	55-2
Si02% Al203 Fe(tot) Mg0 Ca0 Na20 Ti02	64.7 14.55 4.70 1.11 6.70 2.40 0.20	71.2 17.25 3.85 1.21 3.45 3.30 0.23	73.0 14.50 2.72 0.86 3.90 2.68 0.21	73.0 14.40 6.95 0.74 6.20 1.05 0.23	68.9 10.00 9.90 4.70 8.50 1.20 1.27	70.8 13.10 2.65 0.93 2.75 2.75 0.14	74.1 13.40 3.40 0.95 2.75 2.15 0.19	72.9 14.70 4.20 1.30 2.90 2.43 0.16	69.6 14.80 3.70 1.63 5.80 3.25 0.45
B ppm Be Co Cr Cu Ga Mn Mo Ni Pb Sc Sn Sr Ta V Y Zr Zn Fe/Mg	14 u 5 21 Tr 284 11 450 5 10 u 5 10 u 5 95 31 10 270 Tr 4.2	u 5 20 Tr 375 11 360 u 5 9 u 5 105 34 18 325 Tr 3.2	u 5 u 5 15 Tr 138 u10 173 8 5 u 5 120 27 Tr 205 3.2	u 5 28 88 107 u10 155 7 8 u 5 105 25 Tr 220 9.4	16 11 38 Tr 115 2200 8 25 35 Tr 320 28 540 2.1	23 5 16 Tr 180 15 290 6 5 - u 5 290 46 18 310 - 2.9	14 u 5 17 Tr 140 u10 113 5 9 u 5 250 28 Tr 310 0 3.6	u 5 18 Tr 115 u10 250 u 5 10 u 5 250 41 Tr 295 250 3.2	u25 5 17 Tr 57 u10 380 10 5 680 57 20 335 2.3
S.G.	2.83	2.82	2.78	2.88	2.97	2.97	2.77	2.76	2.81

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Sample No.	55 - 3	56	59-1	64 - 2	64-3	64-4	68	71	74	ප්ට
Si02% Al203 Fe(tot) Mg0 Ca0 Na20 Ti02	69.6 16.00 4.00 1.98 4.30 3.25 0.32	73.0 13.80 4.30 0.92 4.90 1.68 0.21	72.4 13.00 3.30 1.36 1.88 2.93 0.20	75.5 13.30 3.03 u0.65 1.30 1.93 0.13	75.6 12.10 2.55 0.78 3.95 1.65 0.17	71.6 13.50 4.35 0.78 3.10 2.35 0.16	71.2 11.60 3.92 0.55 6.35 1.83 0.14	66.3 16.75 ul0.00 3.08 2.25 0.97 0.36	61.2 18.50 8.00 2.80 2.70 1.88 0.38	60.0 15.50 4.95 1.80 7.65 1.37 0.36
B ppm Be Co Cr Cu Ga Mn Mo Ni Pb Sc Sn Sr Ta V Y Zr Zn Fe/Mg	u 5 13 Tr 19 10 390 Tr 12 5 400 55 20 355 2.0	u 5 u 5 15 Tr 190 u10 205 6 8 - u 5 - 150 - 25 Tr 188 - 4.7	u 5 u 5 15 Tr 130 u10 213 u 5 9 u 5 165 28 Tr 305 Tr 2.4	u 5 u 5 l5 Tr l68 ul0 ul00 l4 6 u 5 290 15 17 170 4.7	u 5 11 Tr 158 ul0 215 Tr u 5 245 24 17 173 3.3	u 5 u 5 31 Tr 330 ul0 160 8 40 u 5 220 25 16 24 5.6	u 5 4 22 Tr 300 12 360 u 5 Tr u 5 230 27 19 190 Tr 7.1	29 53 825 10 1000 6 21 u 5 - 41 18 225 Tr 3.3	$ 18 \\ 5 \\ 18 \\ 5 \\ 300 \\ 14 \\ 700 \\ 45 \\ 15 \\ 5 \\ Tr \\ 230 \\ 46 \\ 19 \\ 220 \\ - 2.9 $	7 5 11. Tr 41 ul0 610 Tr 12 u 5 300 48 19 330 2.8
S.G.	S	2.78	2.73	2.76	2.76	2.73	2.77	3.09	D	2,80

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Sample No.	83	84	92-1	92-2	92-4	93-1	98 - 1	98-2	98 - 4	101
Si02% Al203 Fe(tot) Mg0 Ca0 Na20 Ti02	65.2 17.25 6.30 5.10 9.90 0.15 0.51	57.5 15.50 8.10 4.55 8.70 0.44 0.34	70.3 13.10 3.70 1.36 2.63 0.84 0.15	66.0 17.00 7.25 2.55 3.78 2.80 0.56	66.8 16.75 7.25 2.55 3.78 2.55 0.53	63.8 16.50 7.30 5.15 9.60 0.59 0.51	72.4 13.10 2.98 0.94 3.05 2.50 0.18	67.0 13.60 2.80 0.97 3.05 2.35 0.21	76.0 16.25 2.75 1.16 3.00 2.82 0.23	71.5 13.75 3.65 0.82 3.78 3.00 0.19
B ppm Be Co Cr Cu Ga Mn Mo Ni Pb Sc Sn Sr Ta V Y Zr Zn Fe/Mg	67 8 38 84 73 13 1850 8 26 11 Tr 430 105 23 190 - 1.2	10 7 28 58 73 ul0 840 Tr 16 13 370 98 21 170 1.8	$ \begin{array}{c} 24 \\ 5 \\ 11 \\ 120 \\ 12 \\ 520 \\ 10 \\ 7 \\ 5 \\ 180 \\ 35 \\ 19 \\ 310 \\ 2.7 \\ \end{array} $	$ \begin{array}{c} 11\\ 6\\ 26\\ 63\\ 210\\ 14\\ 650\\ 16\\ 20\\ -\\ 6\\ 220\\ -\\ 540\\ 19\\ 230\\ -\\ 2.8 \end{array} $	21 7 32 70 385 14 800 51 24 -7 Tr 180 74 21 270 -8	24 10 37 93 78 14 1500 8 29 - 12 Tr 370 140 23 220 - 1.4	16 6 11 200 13 170 7 u 5 240 54 270 3.0	$21 \\ 5 \\ 10 \\ 190 \\ 13 \\ 210 \\ 8 \\ 4 \\ 5 \\ 240 \\ 44 \\ 250 \\ 2.9$	$ 18 \\ 5 \\ 13 \\ 158 \\ 14 \\ 170 \\ u 5 \\ u 5 \\ 220 \\ 39 \\ 260 \\ 2.4 $	$ \begin{array}{r} 17 \\ 5 \\ 14 \\ 100 \\ 13 \\ 175 \\ 8 \\ u 5 \\ 290 \\ 50 \\ 260 \\ 4.5 \end{array} $
S.G.	2.96	2.92	2.81	2.85	2.88	2.88	2.74	2.77	2.74	2.41

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Sample No.	103	104	106	107	147	148	149	150	151	152 -1
Si02% Al203 Fe(tot) Mg0 Ca0 Na20 Ti02	71.5 16.75 3.10 1.06 3.35 2.80 0.24	69.2 18.0 4.60 1.58 6.00 5.40 0.41	61.0 12.8 10.0 5.28 7.74 u0.02 1.42	67.5 12.30 10.00 5.00 9.55 Tr 1.35	70.4 16.0 3.60 1.21 1.83 0.83 0.16	71.0 15.2 2.05 1.24 1.75 1.45 0.15	48.0 22.5 3.95 2.03 11.30 1.81 .0.14	63.3 18.6 4.30 2.23 5.05 2.78 0.27	61.0 21.8 5.50 3.08 3.93 2.36 0.25	42.8 27.0 6.10 4.48 12.70 0.42 0.31
B ppm Be Co Cr Cu Ga Mn Mo Ni Pb Sc Sn Sr Ta V Y Zr Zn Fe/Mg	20 5 66 11 100 u 5 u 5 340 21 130 2.9	u 5 14 Tr 6 ul0 430 13 5 430 41 19 330 2.9	u 5 15 37 55 171 11 550 6 41 - 23 266 132 44 556 - 1.9	17 33 45 118 11 595 7 33 44 Tr 300 168 61 108 Tr 2.0	$ \begin{array}{r} 34 \\ 4 \\ 13 \\ 180 \\ 11 \\ 210 \\ u 5 \\ 11 \\ u 5 \\ 210 \\ 24 \\ 200 \\ \overline{2.0} \end{array} $	20 4 9 Tr 120 10 180 u 5 9 7 230 20 158 1.7	21 7 18 30 120 10 380 26 13 26 13 - 8 230 78 u20 - - 1.9	u 5 11 Tr 13 605 u 5 14 8 490 54 20 350 1.9	15 7 17 73 77 12 540 u 5 21 8 325 80 u20 205 1,8	u 5 10 27 54 143 13 565 9 47 7 u 5 300 110 u20 - 1.4
S.G.	2.78	2,80	2,87	3.00	2,98	2.98	2.84	2,78	2.78	3.18

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Sample No.	152-2	152 - 3	153-1	153 - 2	154-1	154 - 2	156	157 -1	157-2
Si02% Al203 Fe(tot) Mg0 Ca0 Na20 Ti02	70.0 16.9 1.17 3.75 2.29 0.14	72.5 16.69 4.10 1.14 3.90 1.65 0.20	52.6 20.4 9.50 3.70 12.40 Tr 1.35	66.0 13.3 7.75 5.35 9.20 Tr 1.18	61.2 17.5 4.95 1.14 3.15 2.30 0.21	74.6 15.0 4.85 1.28 3.35 2.63 0.14	69.0 17.8 3.40 1.21 3.60 1.63 0.22	70.6 15.3 2.77 1.10 4.38 0.79 0.14	73.0 16.5 4.30 1.21 5.25 1.15 0.17
B ppm Be Co Cr Cu Ga Mn Mo Ni Pb Sc Sn Sr Ta V Y Zr Zn Fe/Mg		7 21 10 200 12 168 15 11 $-$ 255 33 255 $-$ 4.9	u 5 15 78 70 450 17 635 9 255 20 11 400 165 37 640 2.6	u 5 16 51 56 245 13 750 7 37 21 6 300 Tr 175 41 510 1.4	u 5 4 18 20 215 130 215 130 11 - 145 31 Trr 255 - 4.3	u 5 4 14 u20 230 11 180 u 5 10 u 5 165 28 Tr 263 3.8	u 5 4 9 u20 165 11 130 u 5 12 u 5 160 - 30 Tr 255 - - - - - - - -	$21 \\ 4 \\ 9 \\ 120 \\ 10 \\ 235 \\ 10 \\ 235 \\ 15 \\ 9 \\ - \\ 175 \\ 23 \\ Tr \\ 180 \\ - \\ 2.5$	$\begin{array}{c} u & 5 \\ & 9 \\ & 20 \\ & 215 \\ & 12 \\ & 225 \\ & u & 5 \\ & 15 \\ & u & 5 \\ & 175 \\ & 28 \\ & Tr \\ & 280 \\ & 3.6 \\ \end{array}$
S.G.		2.79			2.78	2.77	2,80	2.76	2.83

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Sample No.	159	160-1	160-2	160-3	160-4	161	162	170	173	174
$\frac{\text{SiO}_2\%}{\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3}$ Fe(tot) MgO CaO Na ₂ O TiO ₂	70.0 17.9 5.60 2.05 8.15 0.34 0.47	60.3 16.9 3.08 0.83 8.40 0.94 0.20	69.4 20.5 2.80 0.65 1.60 1.15 0.22	69.2 12.6 5.10 1.92 9.48 0.70 0.13	68.7 25.3 2.53 0.70 1.82 1.11 0.15	67.0 15.8 6.55 2.95 4.38 0.98 0.73	68.4 19.1 4.50 2.03 3.65 1.05 0.41	66.0 18.3 4.01 1.32 2.76 0.94 0.25	66.8 13.5 4.40 2.00 7.90 0.36 0.12	75.0 15.7 2.40 0.99 3.50 0.64 0.19
B ppm Be Co Cr Cu Ga Mn Mo Ni Pb Sc Sn Sr Ta V Y Zr Zn Fe/Mg	u 5 75 43 470 10 375 9 78 11 Tr 285 75 23 315 2.7	13 4 20 Tr 120 ul0 655 8 10 6 Tr 183 30 17 195 3.8	35 5 23 Tr 183 ul0 260 u 5 11 6 200 32 Tr 290 4.3	u 5 u 5 29 Tr 152 ul0 810 6 9 -4 Tr 153 33 115 Tr 2.7	40 5 19 Tr 185 ul0 265 6 9 - 4 220 39 Tr 245 3.6	5 8 63 Tr 450 ul0 370 59 13 13 Tr 270 88 22 380 2.2	10 6 11 Tr 77 ul0 250 Tr 11 6 223 41 21 340 2.2	16 u 5 23 Tr 120 u10 280 4 12 4 12 4 175 25 18 315 2.0	10 u 5 9 Tr 335 ul0 410 Tr 8 - 4 185 31 Tr 163 Tr 2.2	16 9 Tr 185 ul0 535 9 5 5 185 31 Tr 160 u 5 2.4
S.G.	2.87	2,80	2.80	2.78	2.77	2.91	280:	2.80	2.75	2.75

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175	176 A-1	176 A-3	176 A-5	176 B-6	176 B-7	176 B-8	180-2	181	182
50.8 29.0 7.85 5.0 7.30 0.82 0.11	67.0 19.8 5.75 2.65 4.25 0.75 0.51	68.0 14.8 3.50 1.00 5.10 0.90 0.15	68.4 18.3 1.80 1.13 2.70 1.14 0:25	61.0 17.6 4.40 2.20 2.90 4.00 0.39	62.0 18.0 4.00 1.75 5.20 2.35 0.34	63.6 19.1 4.55 1.60 7.20 1.34 0.56	66.0 11.45 3.18 1.18 4.84 0.68 0.23	54.2 9.80 4.80 3.70 15.05 0.20 u0.05	71.5 5.80 9.45 2.55 8.85 Tr 0.15
21 u 5 42 60 350 275 u 52 Tr 8 Tr 31 Tr 74 Tr 1.5	12 6 24 52 187 ul0 340 u 5 30 8 Tr 195 49 21 60 2.2	12 u 5 16 Tr 265 ul0 165 u 5 11 u 5 218 44 Tr 270 3.5	6 u 5 9 Tr 140 ul0 115 Tr 10 u 5 240 24 Tr 19 3.4	5 12 Tr ul0 ul0 500 u 5 12 - 5 165 - 165 - 41 18 9 - 3.0	u 5 u 5 10 Tr 4 ul0 765 u 5 10 - 5 148 - 44 20 288 - 2.3	u 5 u 5 g Tr ul0 ul0 850 u 5 9 - 5 140 42 18 155 2.8	15 u 5 Tr 28 ul0 405 7 10 25 235 235 28 15 110 2.7	u 5 u 5 53 Tr 515 u10 425 u 5 u 5 u 5 Tr 135 54 22 1.3	u 5 u 5 10 Tr 97 u10 990 u 8 u 5 Tr 155 55 18 200 Tr 2.6
2.87	2.87	2.81	2.76	2.75	2.75	2.76	2,82	2.94	2.81
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Sample No.	183-5	184-2	185 . 2	186 -1	186-2	187-2	187-3	407	408
SiO ₂ % Al ₂ O ₃ Fe(tot) MgO CaO Na ₂ O TiO ₂	64.0 12.0 2.25 1.00 4.00 2.95 0.22	60.6 10.3 5.90 2.60 10.35 2.65 0.42	52.10 16.1 6.55 3.20 9.75 0.86 0.27	53.0 21.25 8.10 6.75 11.00 0.86 0.05	63.8 15.0 2.80 1.20 4.70 2.90 0.32	65.0 13.75 1.75 0.90 4.65 2.45 0.32	66.0 12.75 2.75 1.10 3.70 2.85 0.25	62.8 19.7 3.55 1.38 2.80 2.90 0.28	72.2 17.0 4.00 1.25 2.85 2.90 0.21
B ppm Be Co Cr Cu Ga Mn Mo Ni Pb Sc Sn Sr Ta V Y Zr Zn Fe/Mg	u 5 u 5 u 5 u10 330 u 5 u 5 255 24 Tr 182 2.3	u 5 17 33 9 ul0 725 u 5 19 7 Tr Tr Tr 51 19 182 2.3	13 u 5 48 44 205 ul0 1900 5 31 - 6 Tr 190 - 44 18 68 - 2.0	u 5 u 5 55 41 115 u10 630 u 5 57 175 43 Tr 50 Tr 1.2	u 5 u 5 33 Tr 36 ul0 115 u 5 15 5 Tr 138 42 18 295 2.3	u 5 u 5 10 Tr 58 ul0 265 12 u 5 275 29 17 255 1.9	u 5 9 Tr 165 ul0 193 u 5 9 u 5 178 27 Tr 193 2.5	u 5 u 5 10 Tr 135 ul0 240 Tr 11 5 175 32 Tr 295 2.6	u 5 u 5 ll Tr 158 ul0 535 Tr 10 u 5 160 34 Tr 175 3.2
S.G.		2.74	2.85	2.98	2.78	2.78		2.78	2.74

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Sample No.	409	410	411				
SiO ₂ % Al ₂ O ₃ Fe(tot) MgO CaO Na ₂ O TiO ₂	63.4 18.8 4.45 2.40 4.10 5.20 0.33	55.4 18.6 4.60 2.18 5.00 6.50 0.33	60.2 19.7 3.60 1.95 3.70 5.85 0.32				
B ppm Be Co Cr Cu Ga Mn Mo Ni Pb Sc Sn Sr Ta V Y Zr Zn Fe/Mg	u to 5 6 13 Tr 58 ul0 490 u 5 13 7 Tr 163 49 20 400 1.9	u 5 15 32 5 10 525 10 525 10 525 10 525 10 51 19 318 2.1	u 5 u 5 Tr 25 110 u10 350 u 5 13 5 115 43 18 308 Tr 3.9				
S.G.	2.74	2.75	2.74				

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ISOMETRIC PROJECTION of the MAIN DYKE SWARM







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ISOMETRIC PROJECTION of the

MAIN DYKE SWARM

PLATE 2. Isometric Projection of the Main Dyke Swarm, Showing the Distribution of Samples drawn from Various Dyke Branches.





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ฑี. 74 48.1 93.1 14 21 25 541 98.4 80 150 03·I 92.2 55.2 5ŀ2 26 64.2 1768-7 183-5 151 92.4 **55·3** 64.4 54.2 64.3 154.1 1768-8 187-2 98.2 104 92.1 56 154.2 160.1 407 107 156 101 174 59.1 176-B-6 409 153-2 160.2. 103 68 184,2 106-2 161 160.3 147 98.1 411 106 170 160.4 152.3 148 173 162 157.2 152.2 176A-I 408 176A-3 157-1 180.2 176A·5 159 187.3 182

PLATE 3.

Histogram, showing distribution of SiO_2

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181	48-1	68	64.3	51.2	14	80	55·3	21	74	162	153-1	ßI
	184.2	180-2	107	544	25	84	71	83.1	104	176AI	160.5	186-1
			160.3	56	26	148	92.4	92.2	150	176B0		
	1		1835	594	54.2	154-2	93-1	154-1	170	407		
			187-3	64-2	55.2	157-1	90.4	156	176A5	411		
			106	64.4	176A3	161	103	159	176B7			
				924	¥	174	147	17686	409			
				98.1		186-2	152.2	408	410			
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4. Histogram, showing distribution of Al₂03





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HLATE 5.

Histogram, showing distribution of CaO

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FLATE 6.

Histogram, showing distribution of Fe (tot.)

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Histogram, showing distribution of MgO

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Histogram, showing distribution of Na₂0

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Histogram, showing distribution of В





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Histogram, showing distribution of Co

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ATE 12. Histogram, showing distribution of Cu

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Histogram, showing distribution of MnO

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HLATE 14.

Histogram, showing distribution of Ni

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FLATE 15. Histogram, showing distribution of \mathbf{Sr}

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Histogram, showing distribution of V

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FLATE 17.

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Histogram, showing distribution of

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HLATE 18. Range Chart, showing distribution of SiO2

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Range Chart, showing distribution of PLATE 20。 CaO





FLATE 21. Range Chart, showing distribution of Fe (tot.)

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PLATE 23. Range Chart, showing distribution of Na₂0

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PLATE 24. Range Chart, showing distribution of TiO2

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FLATE 25. Range Chart, showing distribution of B

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PLATE 26. Range Chart, showing distribution of Co

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Range Chart, showing distribution of Cu TE 27.

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FLATE 30. Range Chart, showing distribution of Sr

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PLATE 31. Range Chart, showing distribution of V

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Plate 34 a.

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Range charts for concentrations of elements in samples taken from four different dyke branches, showing the "F" rock types separately by heavy solid lines.

The contribution of analytical error to the variation in chemical composition is indicated by light solid lines.

See Explanations on Plate 34 d.



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Plate 34 d.

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