

# MINFILE Detail Report BC Geological Survey Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources

## Location/Identification

MINFILE Number: 092HSW032
Name(s): SLESSE CREEK

ROY, SLES 1

Status:ShowingMining Division:New WestminsterMining MethodUndergroundElectoral District:Chilliwack-Hope

Regions: British Columbia Resource District: Chilliwack Natural Resource District

BCGS Map: 092H002

 NTS Map:
 092H04E
 UTM Zone:
 10 (NAD 83)

 Latitude:
 49 00 36 N
 Northing:
 5429489

 Longitude:
 121 37 01 W
 Easting:
 601139

Elevation: 750 metres
Location Accuracy: Within 500M

Comments: Located on Canyon Creek, a tributary of Slesse Creek (Minister of Mines Annual Report 1929, page 400).

#### Mineral Occurrence

Commodities: Gold, Molybdenum

Minerals Significant: Pyrite

Associated: Quartz

Deposit Character: Vein

Classification: Hydrothermal, Epigenetic Type: I01: Au-quartz veins

## Host Rock

Dominant Host Rock: Plutonic

Stratigraphic Age Group Formation Igneous/Metamorphic/Other

Upper Paleozoic Chilliwack Undefined Formation -----

 Oligocene
 ---- Chilliwack Batholith

 Proterozoic-Paleoz.
 ---- Yellow Aster Complex

Isotopic Age Dating Method Material Dated

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Lithology: Granodiorite, Diorite, Mafic Volcanic Rock, Argillaceous Rock, Amphibolitic Rock

Comments: The Chilliwack Group is Devonian to Permian.

# **Geological Setting**

Tectonic Belt: Coast Crystalline Physiographic Area: Cascade Mountains

Terrane: Plutonic Rocks, Chilliwack

### Inventory

 Ore Zone:
 SAMPLE
 Year:
 2008

 Category:
 Assay/analysis
 Report On:
 N

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NI 43-101: N

Sample Type: Grab

**Commodity** Grade

Gold 0.27 grams per tonne

**Comments:** sample 08KRP002

Reference: Assessment Report 30147

Ore Zone: FLOAT Year: 1988

Category: Assay/analysis Report On: N

NI 43-101: N

Sample Type: Rock

**Commodity** Grade

Molybdenum 0.208 per cent

Comments: float sample (8312038)

Reference: Assessment Report 18237

## Capsule Geology

The Slesse Creek occurrence is located on Canyon Creek, a southwest flowing tributary of Slesse Creek, to the southwest of Slesse Mountain.

The area is underlain mainly by the Devonian to Permian Chilliwack Group, consisting of mafic volcanic rocks and metamorphosed argillaceous rocks. Proterozoic and Paleozoic amphibolitic rocks of the Yellow Aster Complex occur as fault slices in contact with Chilliwack Group rock on the west, and intrusive rocks of the Oligocene Chilliwack Batholith, on the east.

Locally, small pyritized quartz veins carrying gold values occur in granodiorite and diorite. In 1988, a float sample (8312038) from the creek containing molybdenite assayed 0.208 per cent molybdenum (Assessment Report 18237). In 2008, a sample (08KRP002) assayed 0.27 gram per tonne gold (Assessment Report 30147).

In 1929, it was reported that two short adits were driven on the showings. In 1978, Aquarius Resources completed a soil sampling program on the area as the Sles 1 claim. In 1987 and 1988, the area was prospected and sampled as the Roy claims. In 2005, the area was prospected as the Slesse Creek property. In early 2008, the area was prospected as the Silesia 1-2 claims. During 2008 through 2012, Wedge Resources completed programs of rock, soil and silt sampling and a 0.6 line-kilometre ground magnetic survey on the area.

#### **Bibliography**

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