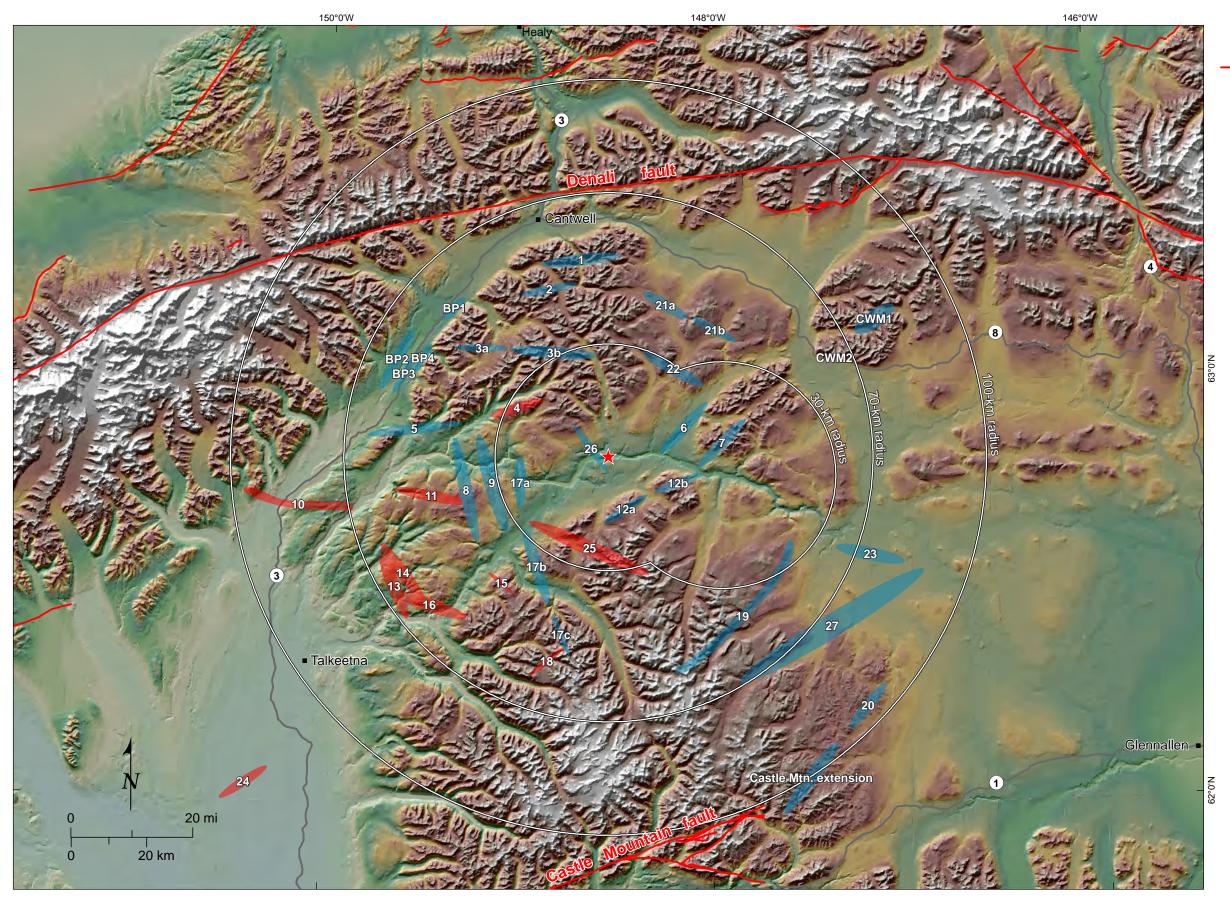


**Figures** 





Quaternary fault (Koehler et al., 2012)



Field work planned in 2013 based on results of TM-8 (FCL, 2013)



No field work planned in 2013 based on results of TM-8 (FCL, 2013)



Proposed Watana site





**Explanation** 

Quaternary fault (Koehler et al., 2012)

Proposed Watana site

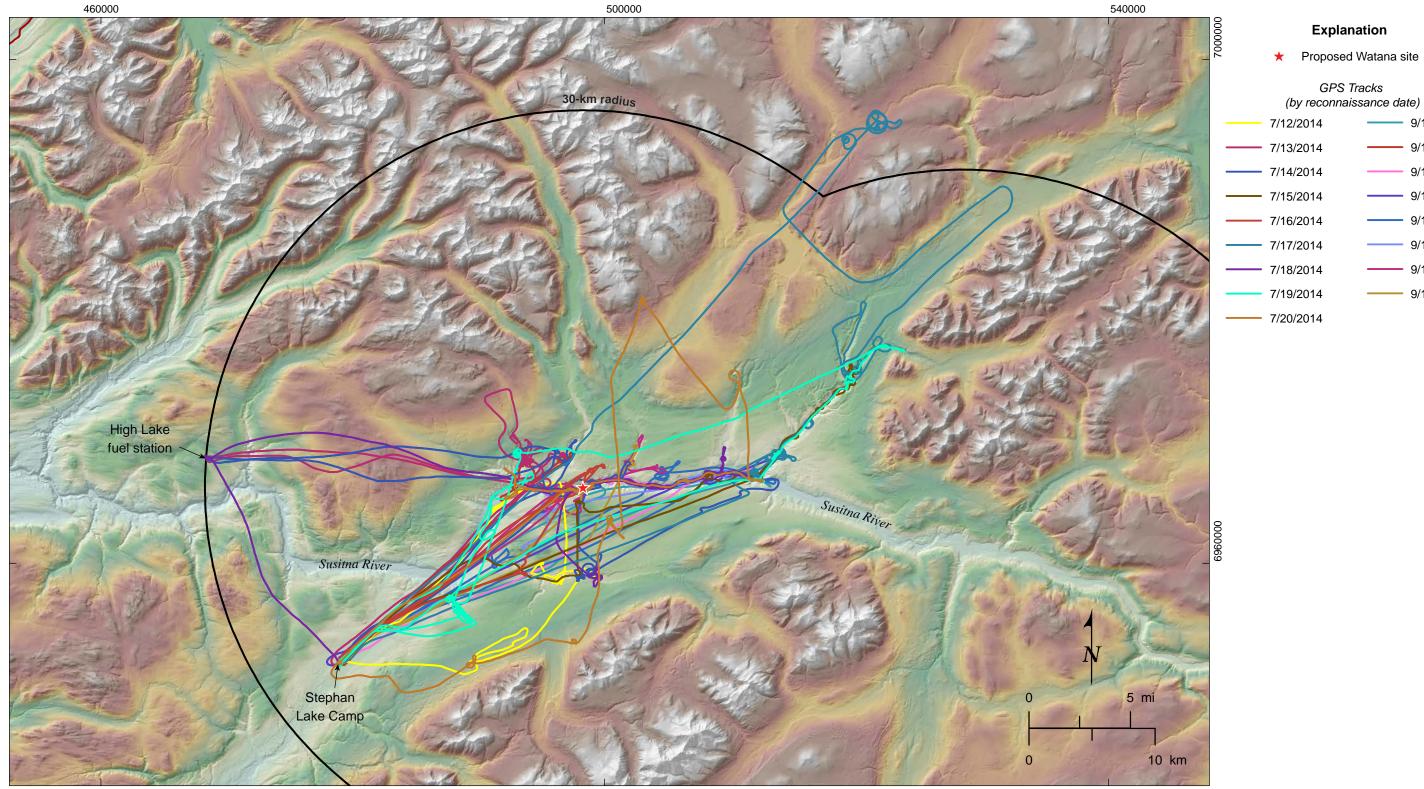
GPS Tracks (by reconnaissance date)

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**----** 7/18/2013

Coordinates on NAD83 UTM 6 North. Elevation from INSAR data and USGS SRTM data.

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Coordinates on NAD83 UTM 6 North. Elevation from IFSAR data.





**Explanation** 

GPS Tracks

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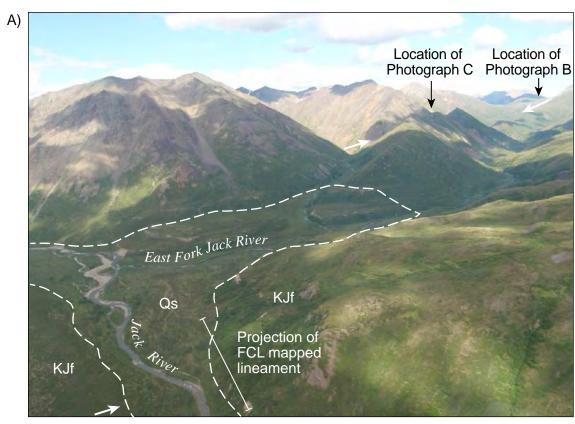
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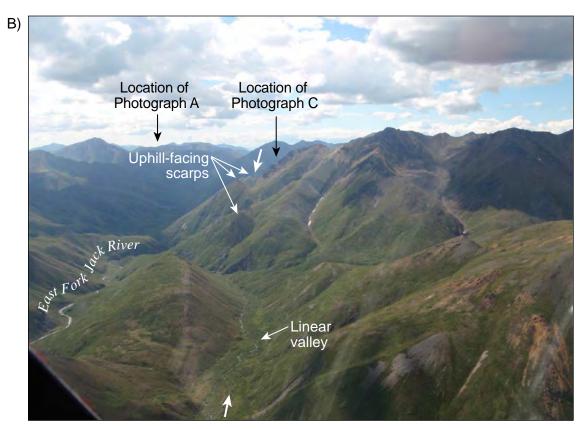
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LINEAMENT GROUP MAP DATA

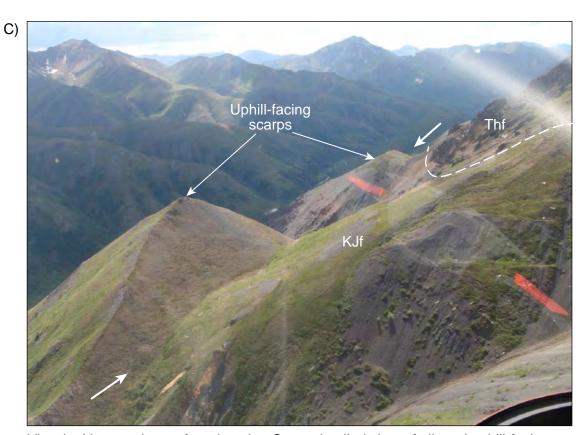
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View looking northeast from location A towards the confluence of the Jack River and the East Fork Jack River. Arrows point along the alignment of mapped lineaments. Note absence of linear expression in Quaternary deposits.



View looking southwest from location B along alignment of linear features. Arrows indicate the alignment of the mapped lineaments.



View looking southwest from location C at a detailed view of aligned uphill-facing scarps. Note Thf contact is up-slope from the scarp in the distance.



# Attributes of lineaments mapped by FCL (2013) that apply to all figures and plates in Appendix A

# Reconnaissance (INSAR) Detail (LiDAR) — 1 - 5 — 10 — 10 — 77 — 88

# **Lineament Groups**



Lineament group mapped for this study coinciding with previously mapped fault or lineament



No previously mapped fault or lineament coincides with lineament group

Attribute	Cross Section Morphology*	Description	Examples
1	***	Linear break-in-slope bisecting a planar surface	Uphill- or downhill-facing scarps, ateral moraines or kame deposits along lateral margins of valley glaciers
2	\\\\\	Abrupt changes in slope adjacent to otherwise relatively horizontal (and planar) surfaces	Linear range fronts, faceted ridges, terrace risers, steep downstream faces of rouche mountonees
3	<b>→</b>	Linear U-shaped trough	Glacial valleys, ice-scoured flutes, flood-scoured flutes,
4		Linear V-shaped trough	Active stream channels
5		Linear ridges	Drumlins, water-scoured terrain, eskers
6 (also 77)	n/a	A series of aligned features	Could include attributes #1 -5 above and/or aligned saddles, tonal lineaments, etc.
66	n/a	Data artifacts	Linear seams between data sets collected on different dates
88	n/a	A series of aligned features, which are too small to individually map at the given scale	Could include features with attributes #1-5 above and/or aligned saddles, tonal lineaments, etc.
99	n/a	A line which encloses a broad expanse of features all having the same orientation	An area of jointing or of glacial striae all having the same, parallel orientation
10	n/a	Anthropogenic lineaments	Roads, rail roads, power lines and other linear clearings, etc.

Explanation for relevant geologic units of Williams and Galloway (1986) shown on Figure A20.5 and A23.1

# Geologic Units



# Bottom deposits of 914 - 975 m lake

Overprint denoting glacial drift that is mantled by bottom sediments of glacial lake that extended to 914 - 975 m abovemodern sea level, largely confined to middle Susitna valley, above ice dam below Fog Lake (off map) and apparently bounded on east and south side by glacier ice. Does not cover late(st) Wisconsin (last major) morainal systems. No shoreline features are mapped.



#### Bottom deposits intermediate (777 - 747) lake

Overprint denoting bottom deposits of a local lake that covered melting glacier ice between Tyone Lake and Lake Louise, apparently behind Tyone Spillway, and drained as the elevation of the spillway was cut down from 777 m to 747 m above sea level while stagnant ice was still in valley bottom.



#### Bottom deposits of last regional lake

Overprint denoting drape of bottom deposits over drift and thick lake sediments that persisted in Copper River drainage basin from just before deposition of Old Man moraines to a time when glaciers had retreated to within 16 to 24 km of present glaciers: older than 13,000 years.



# Symbols

Location and letter designation of radiocarbon-dated stratigraphic section in accompanying text.



Ice boundary, morainal ridge, kame terrace, delta, or other ice contact feature marking edge of glacier: hachures toward glacier.



Shoreline of regional lake: mapped for the lake in Copper River basin where at 747 m (maximum elevation); the elevation to which Tyone Spillway was eroded, and successively lower levels in the northern part of area between 747 m and 701 m above sea level. Lesser recessional shorelines mapped by Nichols and Yehle (1969) not shown.



Upper limit of post-glacial (Holocene, in part) shoreline of Tazlina Lake from elevation 564 m down to present lake level 544 m caused by lowering of lake as Tazlina River has deepened its canyon.



Delta of glacial lake, including those of modern glacial lakes such as Tazlina Lake.



Linear or drumlinoid feature, due to ice scour, direction of ice movement indicated by arrow.



Spillway for glacial meltwater, including that stored in large glacial lakes.



Contact between map units where not glacial boundary, most commonly between different levels of lake deposits.



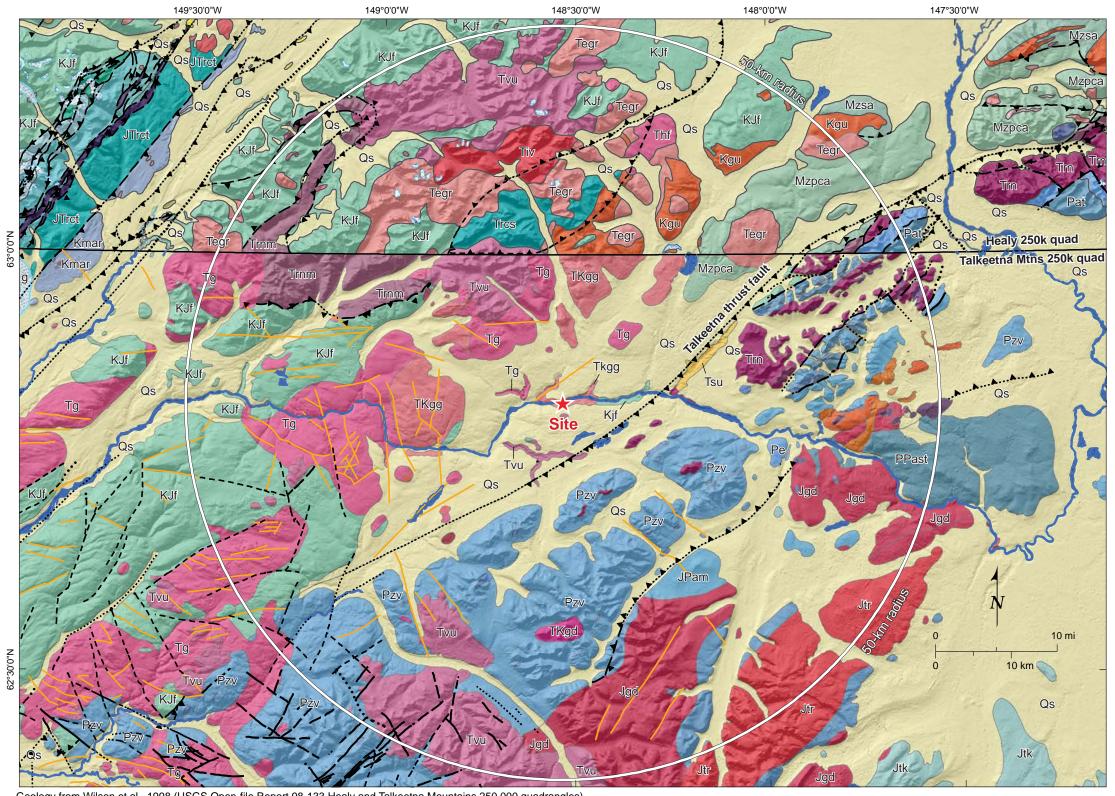
Active (?) fault, lower Sonona Creek, offsetting unconsolidated deposits.



Location of selected erratic boulders, mountain top erratic stones transported by glaciers, e.g. Sheep Mountain; many occurrences on mountains lower than 1829 m not shown.







Geology from Wilson et al., 1998 (USGS Open-file Report 98-133 Healy and Talkeetna Mountains 250,000 quadrangles)

See Figure 2-5B for map legend





g Ice fields or glaciers

# **QUATERNARY DESPOSITS**

Qs Surfical deposits, undifferentiated

# **TERTIARY ROCKS Sedimentary Rocks**

Tsu Sedimentary rocks, unidivided

Tn Nenana Gravel

Tcb Coal-bearing rocks

Tfv Fluviatile sedimentary rocks and subordinate volcanic rocks

# Igneous Rocks **Volcanic and Hypabyssal Rocks**

Tvu Tertiary volcanic rocks, undivided

Thf Hypabyssal felsic and intermediate intrusions

Thm Hypabyssal mafic intrusions

#### **Intrusive Rocks**

Tiv Granite and volcanic rocks, undivided

#### **EOCENE**

Granite and granodiorite

# **PALEOCENE**

Tg Granitic rocks

# **TERTIARY AND/OR CRETACEOUS**

Igneous Rocks Intrusive Rocks

TKg Granitic rocks

Granodiorite, tonalite and monzonite dikes, and stocks

#### **Metamorphic Rocks**

TKgg Gneissose granitic rocks

# **UNDIVIDED MESOZOIC ROCKS METAMORPHIC ROCKS**

Mzsa Schist and amphibolite

Mzpca Phyllite, pelitic schist, calc-schist, and amphibolite of the McClaren metamorphic belt

#### **CRETACEOUS**

#### Melange

Kmar Melanges of the Alaska Range

TrSI Limestone blocks

#### Igneous Rocks

Volcanic and hypabyssal rocks

# Ksva Andesite subvolcanic rocks

#### **Intrusive Rocks**

Kgu Granitic rocks

Kgk/Keg Granitic rocks younger than 85 Ma

Kmum Ultramafic rocks

#### **CRETACEOUS AND/OR JURASSIC**

## **Sedimentary Rocks**

Argillite, chert, sandstone, and limestone

Kahiltna flysch sequence

Conglomerate, sandstone, siltstone, shale, and volcanic rocks

# JURASSIC

#### Igneous Rocks

Mafic and ultramafic rocks

Alaska-Aleutian Range and Chitina Valley batholiths, undifferentiated

#### **Metamorphic Rocks**

Uranatina metaplutonic complex

#### **Sedimentary Rocks**

Limestone and marble

Talkeetna Formation

# TRIASSIC

**Sedimentary Rocks** 

Trcs Calcareous sedimentary rocks

Trk Kamishak limestone

#### **Plutonic Rocks**

Gabbro, diabase, and metagabbro

#### **Volcanic Rocks**

Nikolai Greenstone and related similar rocks

# **Metamorphic Rocks**

Metavolcanics and associated metasedimentary rocks

#### **MESOZOIC AND PALEOZOIC**

#### **Assemblages and Sequences**

JTrsu Red and brown sedimentary rocks and basalt

JTrct Crystal tuff, argillite, chert, graywacke, and limestone

Trr Red beds

TrDv Volcanic and sedimentary rocks

Dmgs Serpentinite, basalt, chert and gabbro

#### **PALEOZOIC**

#### **Assemblages and Sequences** (Skolai Group)

Pe Eagle Creek Formation

Pzv Station Creek and Slana Spur Fm., and equivalent rocks

Pat Teteina Volcanics

Jpmu/Jpam PPast

Streina metamorphic complex

JPzmb Marble

Stratigraphic contact

Shoreline or riverbank

Ice contact (glacier limit)

Lineament

Fault - certain

— — Fault - approximate

--- Fault - inferred

Fault - concealed

Thrust fault - certain

Thrust fault - approximate

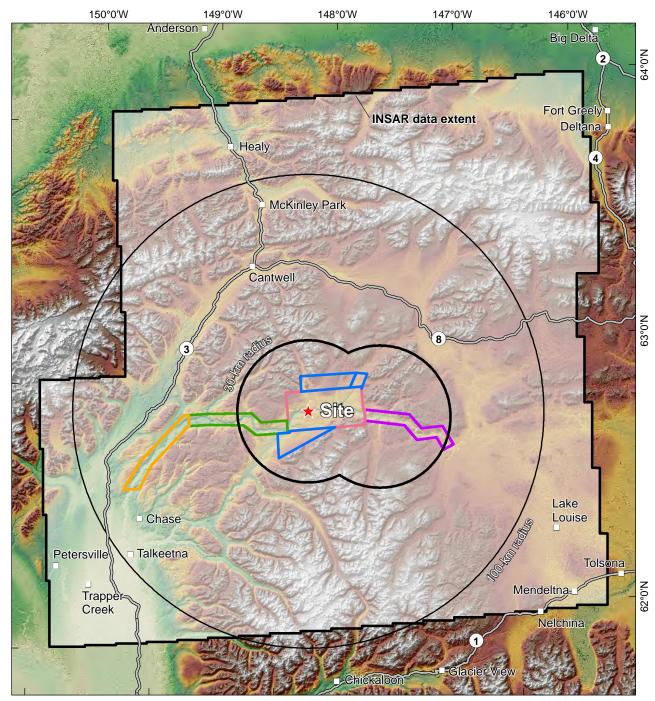
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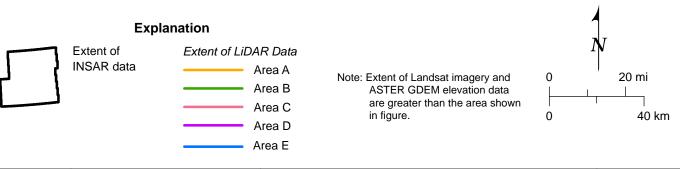
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Base data from ASTER Global Digital Elevation Model (ASTER GDEM is a product of METI and NASA)





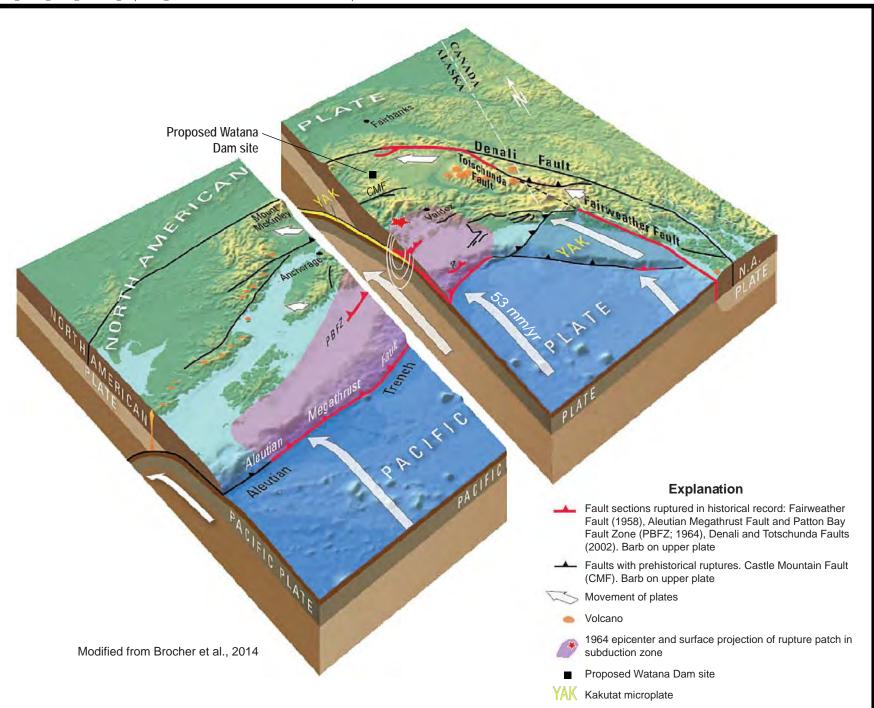


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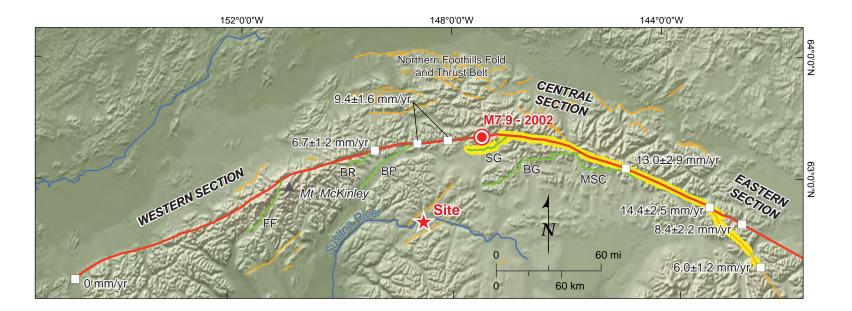
—— Quaternary fault (Koehler et al., 2012)











# **Explanation**

# Symbols Earthquake epicenter

☐ Slip rate (sources discussed in text)

# Faults

Denali fault

2002 Denali fault rupture, Haeussler (2008)

Southern Denali faults

Other fault or feature

#### **Abbreviations**

BR - Bull River fault

BP - Broad Pass fault

BG - Broxson Gulch fault

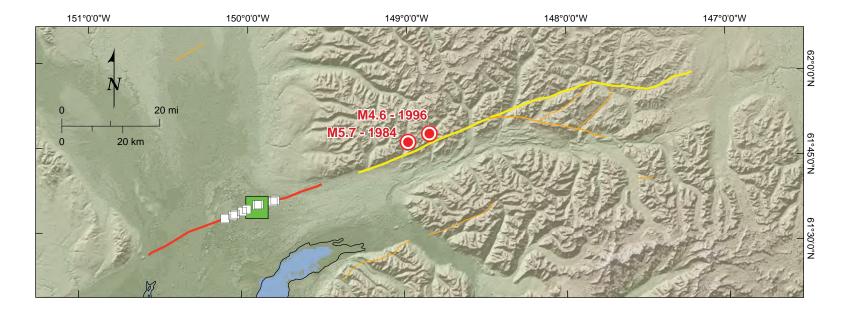
FF - Foraker fault

MSC - McCallum-Slate Creek fault

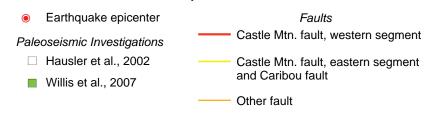
SG - Susitna Glacier fault

SUSITNA-WATANA HYDROELECTRIC PROJECT



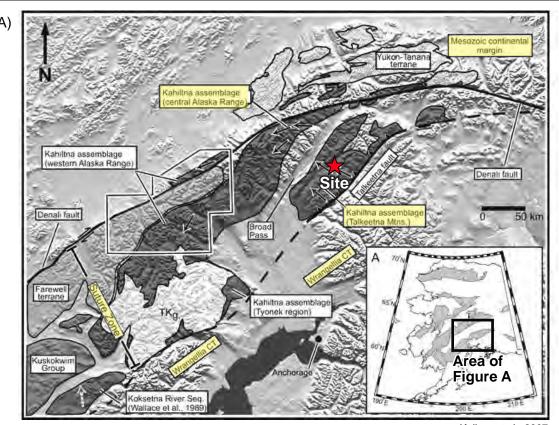


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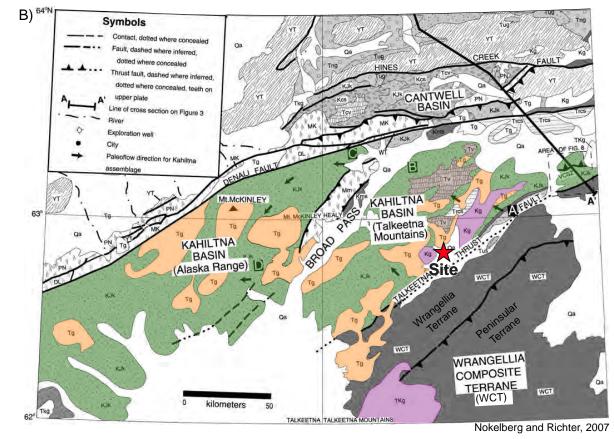


Note: Site is ~100 km to the north

wla-wc-file1/project/Projects/79\_2000/79\_218900\_Alaska\_Railbelt/05\_Graphics/79\_218900 Combined Crustal Source Surface Fault Rupture Evaluation



Kalbas et al., 2007



KJK Late Jurassic – early Cretaceous Kahiltna assemblage

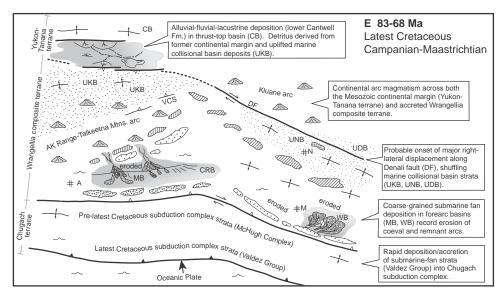
Tg Tertiary plutonic intrusions

TKg Cretaceous – Tertiary plutonic intrusions

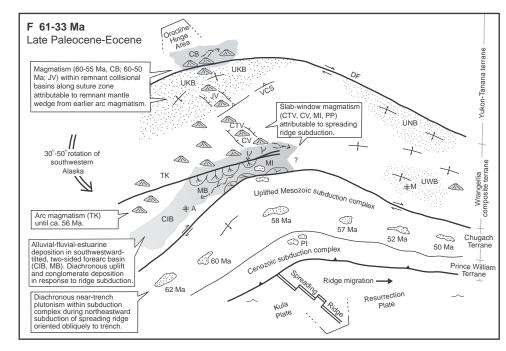
Tv Tertiary volcanics

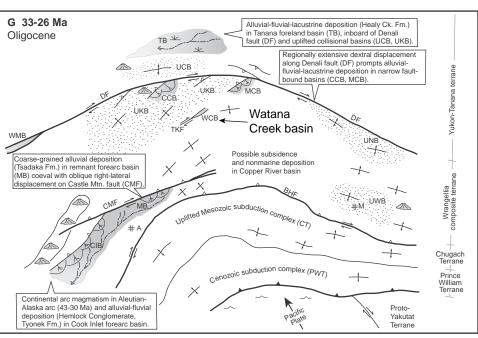






Trop and Ridgeway, 2007.





CCB - Colorado Creek

MCB - MacCallum Creek

(Prefixed with U=Uplifted)

(Prefixed with F=Future position)

DB - Dezadeash

NOB - Northway

KB - Kahiltna

# H 26-0 Ma Latest Oligocene-Neogene \_\_\_UCB Alluvial-fluvial-lacustrine deposition in etroarc foreland basins (TB, NOB) inboard of Denali fault (DF) and Alaska Range suture zone. Dextral transpressive ortening along Denali fault (DF) prompts uplift of Mesozoi collisional basins (UCB, UKB, UNB). Area of high seismicity and large earthquakes. (WV, AA) and alluvial-lacustrin deposition in intra-arc basins. CVB #M Localized alluvial-fluvial deposition in partitioned orearc basins (CVB, MB, CIB) Collision and underthrusting of Yakutat terrane against subduction complex. High seismicity/large earthquakes Development of collisional oreland basins with high

#### Magmatism

Locus of active volcanism Paleocene-Eocene intrusives Mid-Cretaceous Chisana arc rocks Upper Jurassic Talkeetna-Chitina arc rocks Middle Jurassic Talkeetna arc rocks Lower Jurassic Talkeetna arc rocks

# **Deformational Features**

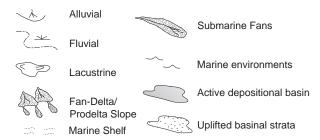
Active subduction zone (barb on downgoing plate)

Active crustal shortening (barb on thrust sheets) Regional topographic uplifts via folding/faulting

Active crustal extension via normal faults

Regional dextral strike-slip fault Strike-slip movement away (⊗) or toward (⊙)

#### **Depositional Features**



# **Explanation**

# Geographic references

#A - Anchorage

#F - Fairbanks #M - McCarthy

#N - Nabesna

Terranes AT - Alexander

CT - Chugach PT - Peninsular

PWT - Prince William WT - Wrangellia

YT - Yakutat

YTT - Yukon-Tanana

#### **Outboard Margin Basins**

CIB - Cook Inlet

CRB - Copper River

CVB - Chitina Valley MB - Matanuska - S. Talkeetna Mtns.

SB - Susitna

WB - Wrangell Mountains

(Prefixed with U=Uplifted)

(Prefixed with F=Future position)

# Volcanic Fields, Plutonic Belts

AA - Aleutian-Alaska arc

CV - Caribou Creek volcanics

CTV - Central Talkeetna Mtns. volcanics JV - Jack River volcanics/plutons

MI - Matanuska Valley intrusives

PI - Prince William Sound intrusives

TK - Talkeetna Mountains-Kluane arc

NB - Nutzotin TB - Tanana WV - Wrangell volcanic field

WCB - Watana Creek

#### **Inboard Margin Basins** Faults, Shear Zones CB - Cantwell

BHF - Border Ranges-Hanagita fault

BLF - Bruin Bay-Little Oshetna fault

CMF - Castle Mountain fault

CTB - Chitina thrust belt

DF - Denali fault

HCF - Hines Creek fault

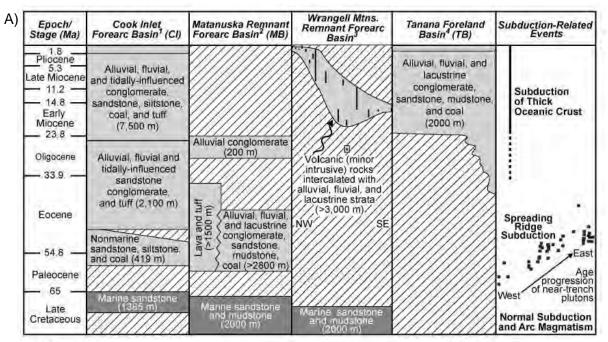
LD - Lost Creek decollement TF - Totschunda fault

TAF - Taral fault

TKF - Talkeetna fault

VCS - Valdez Creek shear zone

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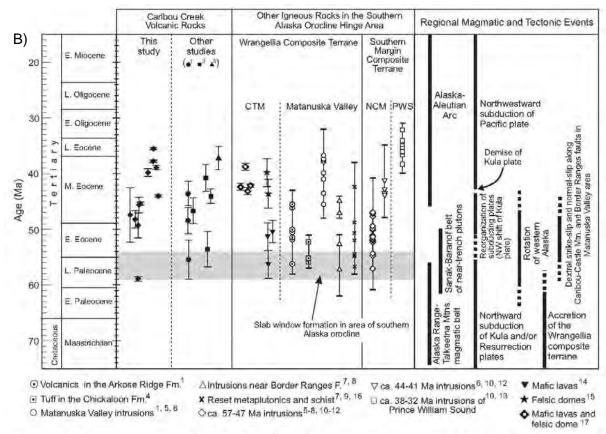
#### **EXPLANATION**

Unconformity/depositional hiatus

Range of isotopic age determinations from volcanic rocks of Wrangell Lavas

sotopic age determinations on near-trench plutons

From Ridgeway et al., 2011

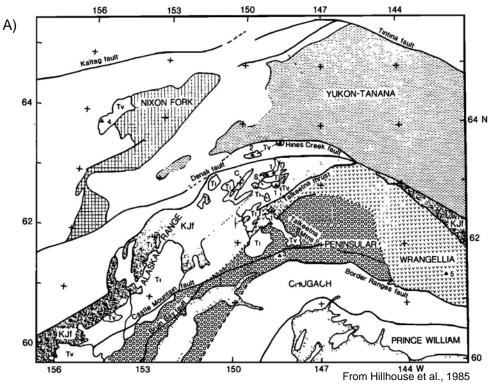


From Cole et al., 2007

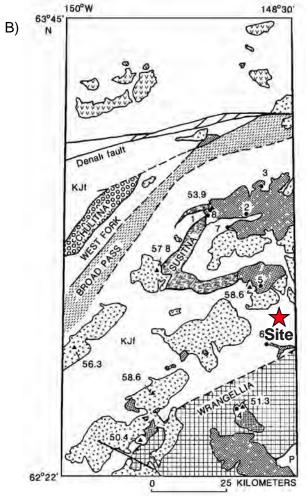
Age-event diagram showing radiometric ages of volcanic rocks in the Caribou Creek volcanic field.







Map of selected terranes of south-central Alaska.



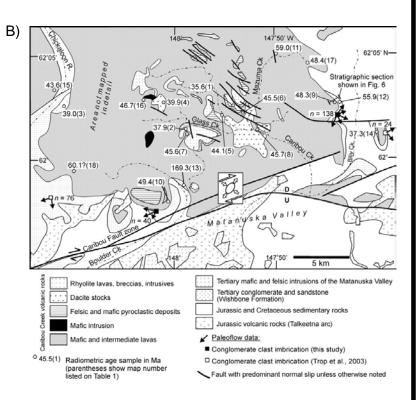
From Hillhouse et al., 1985

Outline geologic map with selected terranes showing localities dated by potassium-argon (triangles) and paleomagnetic sample sites (dots).

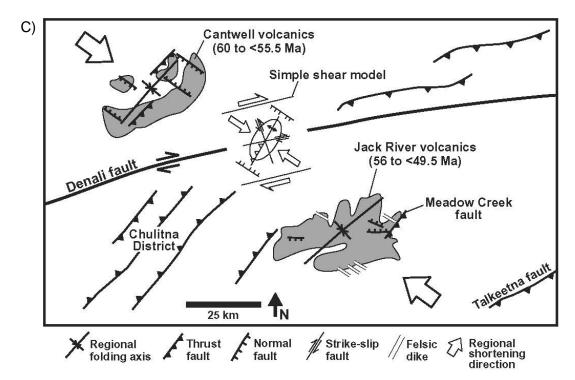




Sample locality map for Eocene volcanic rocks in the Talkeetna Mountains.



Simplified geologic map of the Caribou Creek volcanic field.



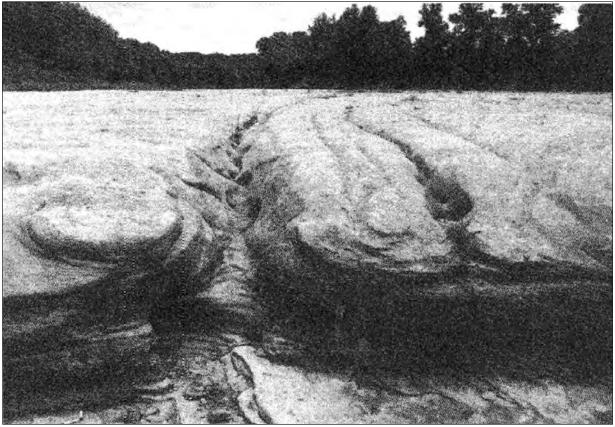
Synthesis of deformation pattern in the Jack River and Cantwell Formation volcanic rocks and surrounding regions (Cole et al., 2007).











From Gray, 2001.

Note linearity of channels, lack of contributing watershed area, and steep sidewalls.



From http://www.landforms.ca/cairngarms/meltwater%20channels.htm, last accessed 1 October, 2013.

These sub-ice channels are cut through interfluves, seen as notches on the skyline.





Source: http://www.graenslandet.se/en/traces-of-the-ice-age/meltwater-ridges-meltwater-channels-or-glacial-grooves

Sub-ice channels at Grövelsjön.







White arrows denote locations of linear to sub-linear incised creeks that enter at high angles to Seneca Valley and Lake.



148°0'W

150°0'W

# **Explanation**

Alaska Paleo-Glacier Atlas v. 2 Data (Kaufman et al., 2011)



146°0'W

Limit of late Wisconsin glaciers

Cosmogenic Exposure Sample Locations

- Dortch et al., 2010a
- Dortch et al., 2010b
- Matmon et al., 2006

Glacial Lake Elevation Extents (meters)

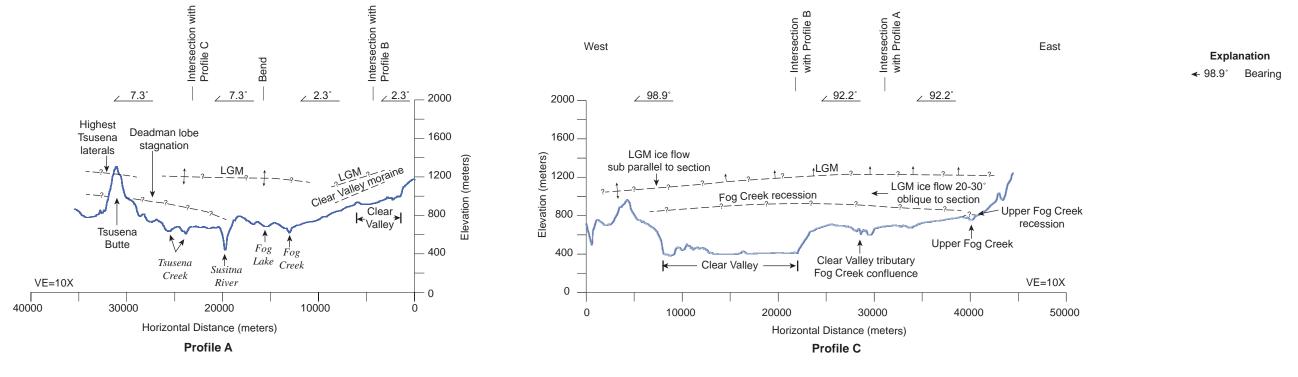
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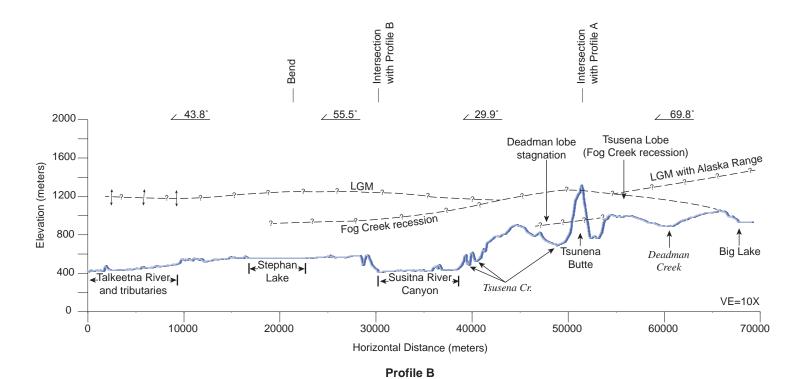
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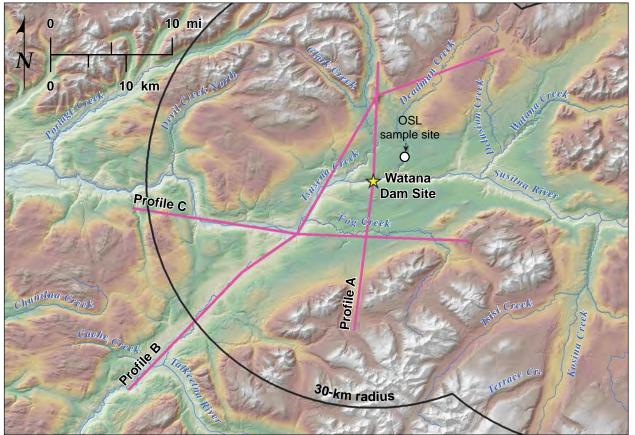
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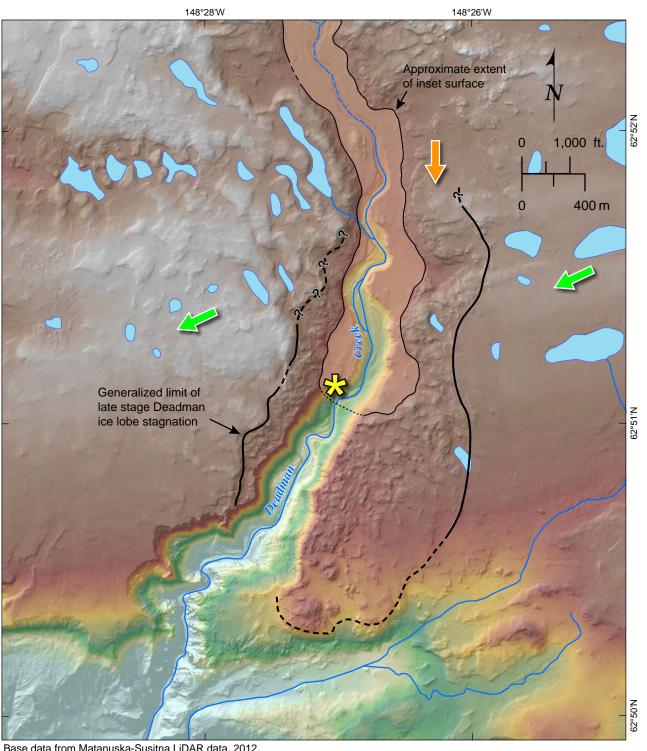












Base data from Matanuska-Susitna LiDAR data, 2012.

# **Explanation**



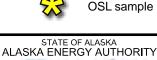
Older, regional ice flow direction



Late stage Deadman ice lobe direction



OSL sample site



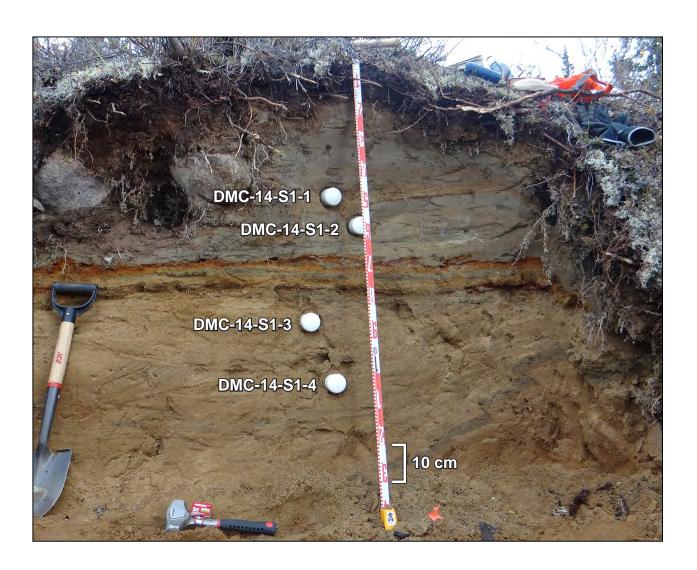
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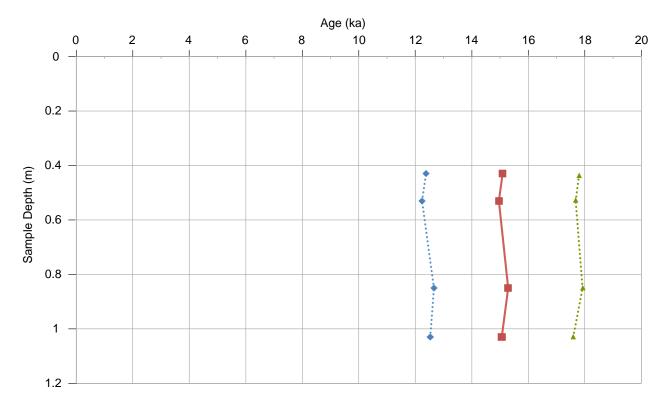








# Deadman Creek (DMC-S1) Final OSL Ages (5-4-15)



# **Explanation**

· · ◆ · · Min 2 sigma

── Mean Age

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- Max 2 sigma



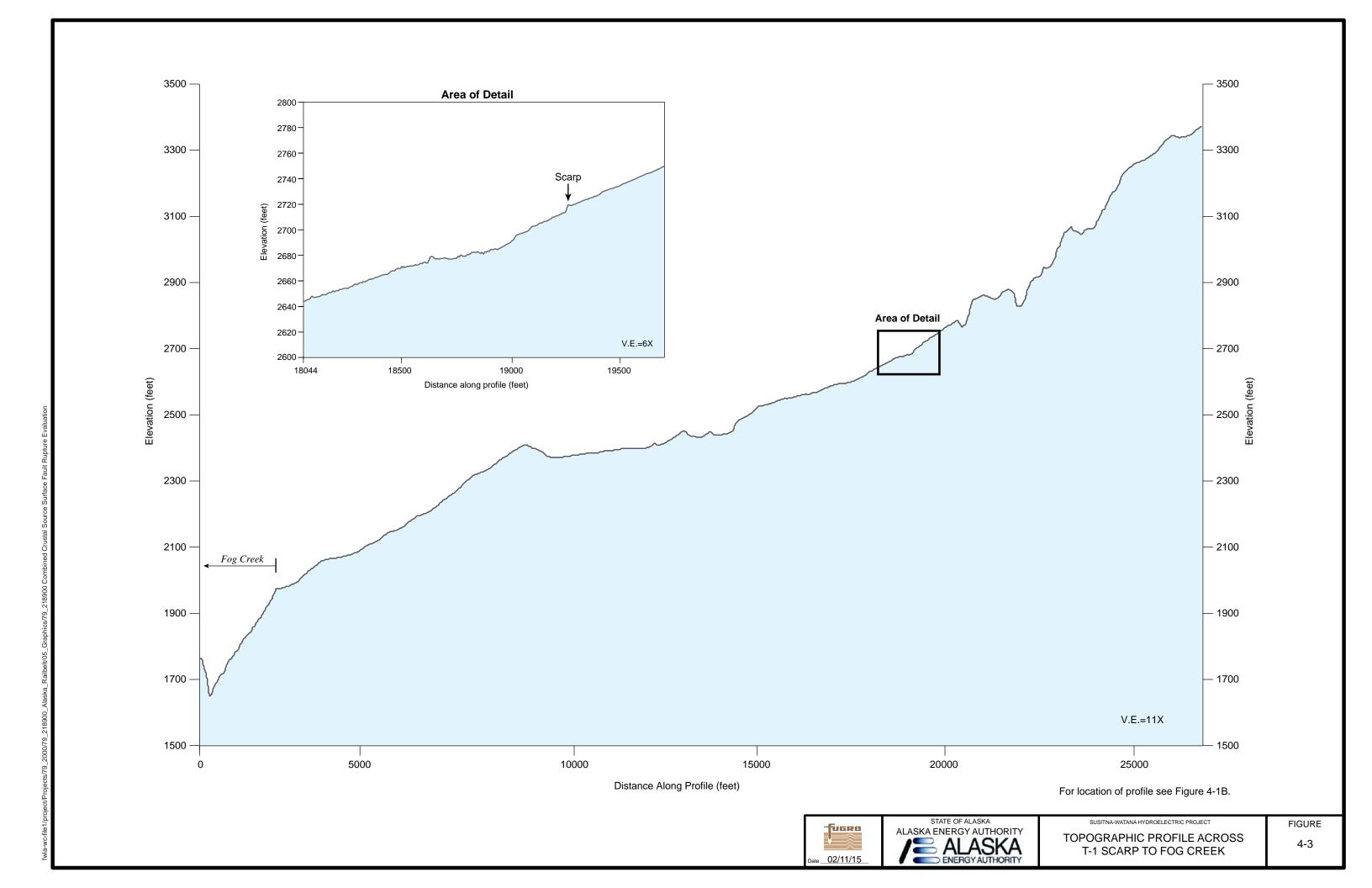
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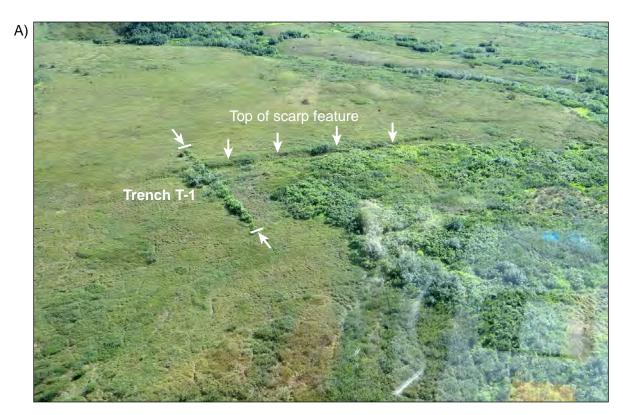
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LOCATION MAP (LIDAR BASE)

Date 02/11/15

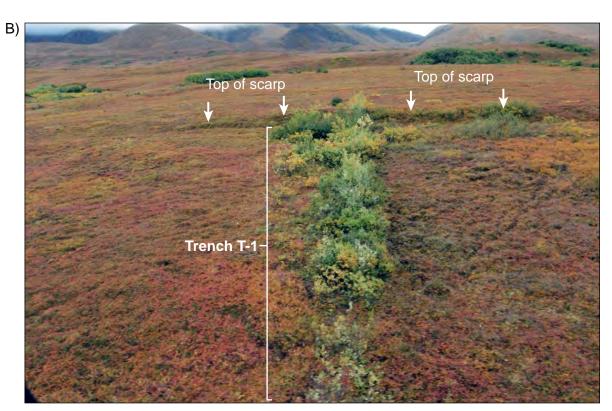




View of WCC T-1 location (marked by tree line), looking slightly east of south.



View of WCC T-1 looking southwest. Note how the expression of the scarp feature dies out along the projected trend of the feature.



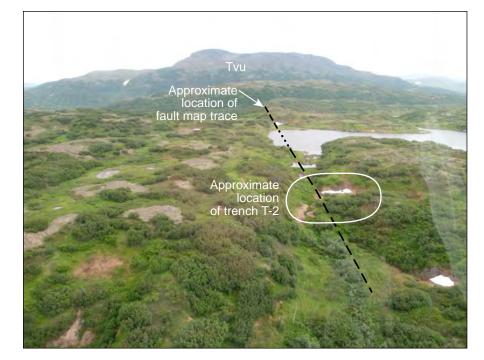
Very low altitude view of tree line that corresponds to backfilled Trench T-1, with scarp-like feature in mid-background.



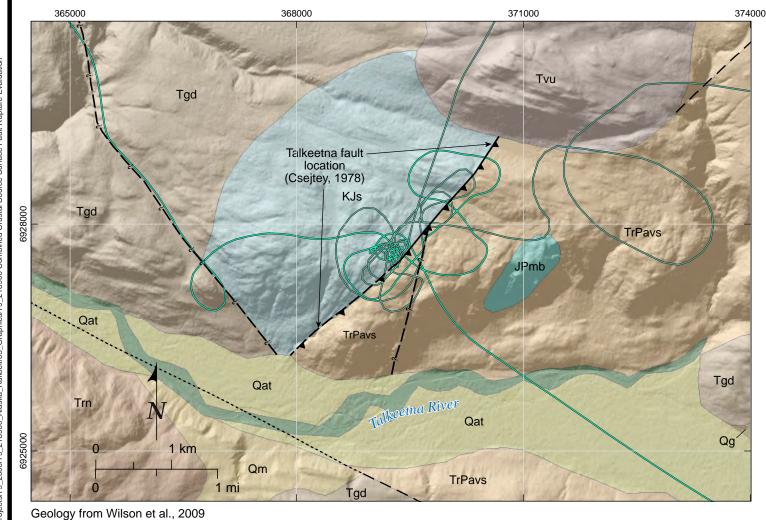
View of WCC T-1 looking northeast.

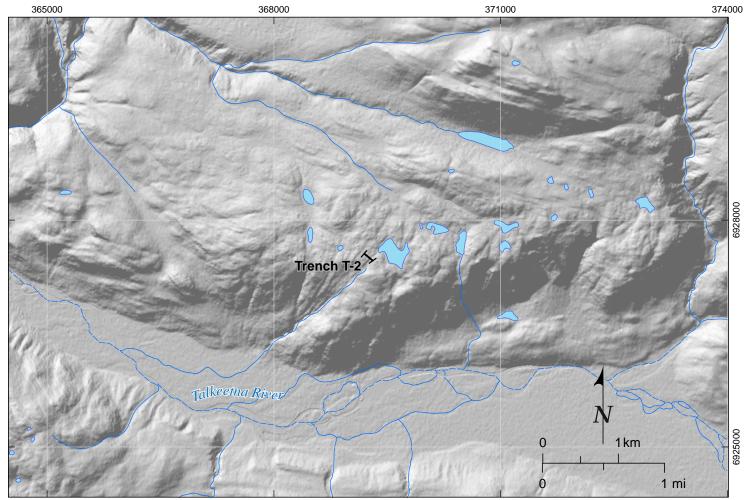






View looking north-northeast along trend of mapped Talkeetna fault trace with unfaulted volcanic intrusives (Tvu) in the background.



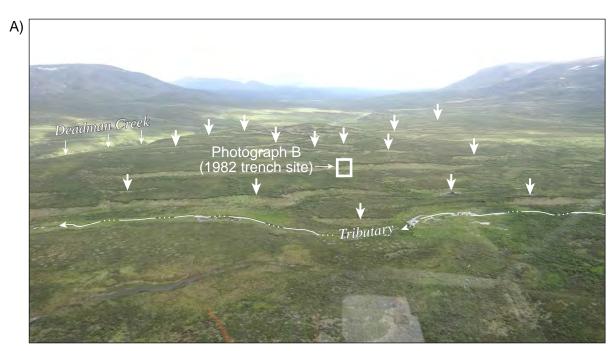


Hillshade from 5-m InSAR data, 2010.



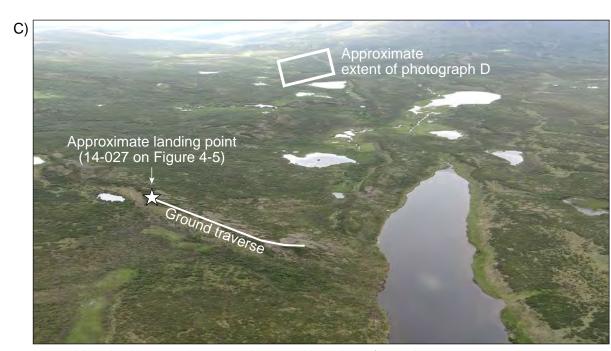
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View looking northwest at slope breaks along postulated Susitna feature.

1982 trench site is also shown on Figure 4-5. Numerous slope breaks of similar size are present along Deadman Creek and in background.



View looking south at moraines and location of moraine crest ground traverse.



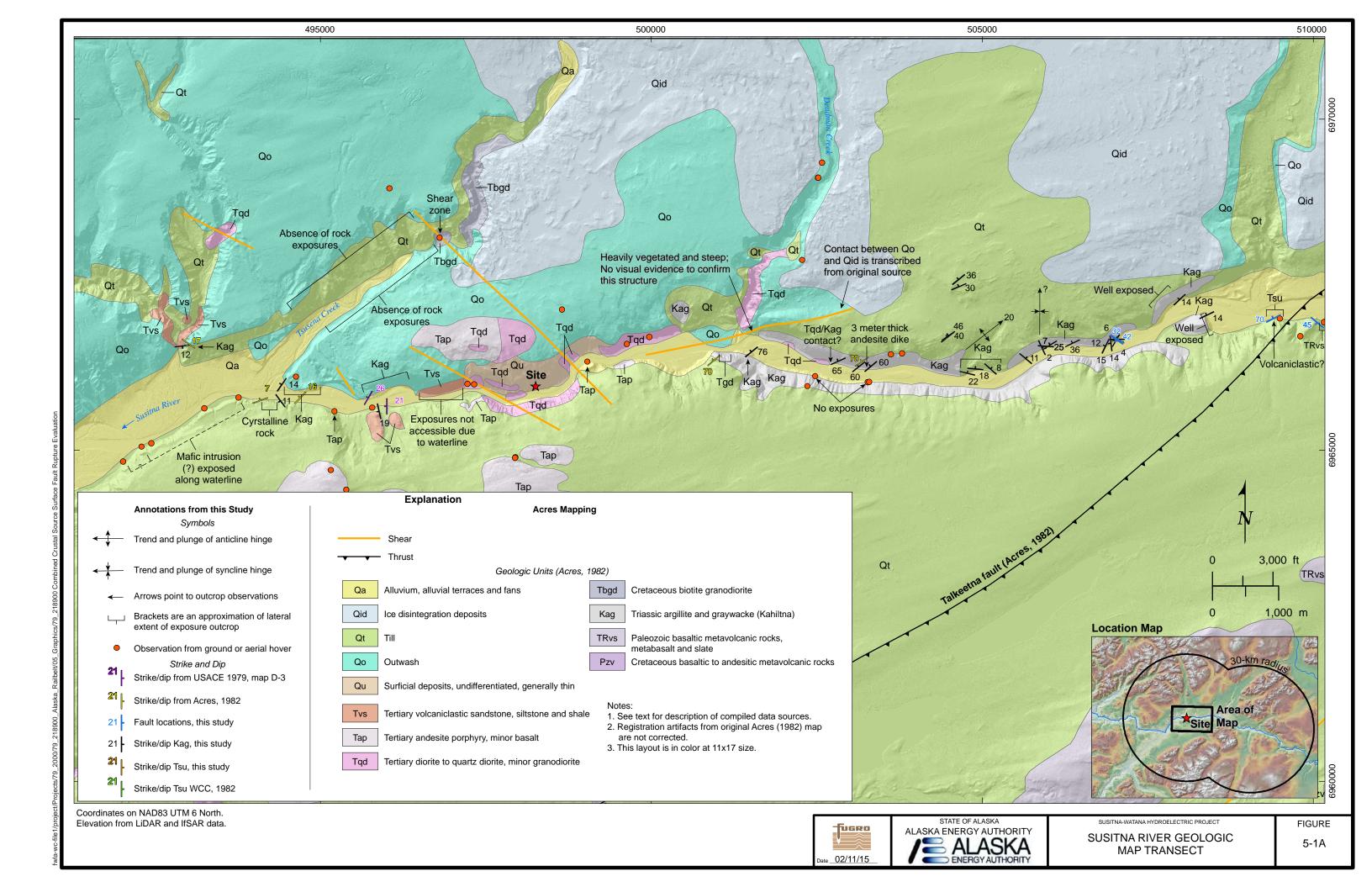
Ground-level view of 1982 trench site.

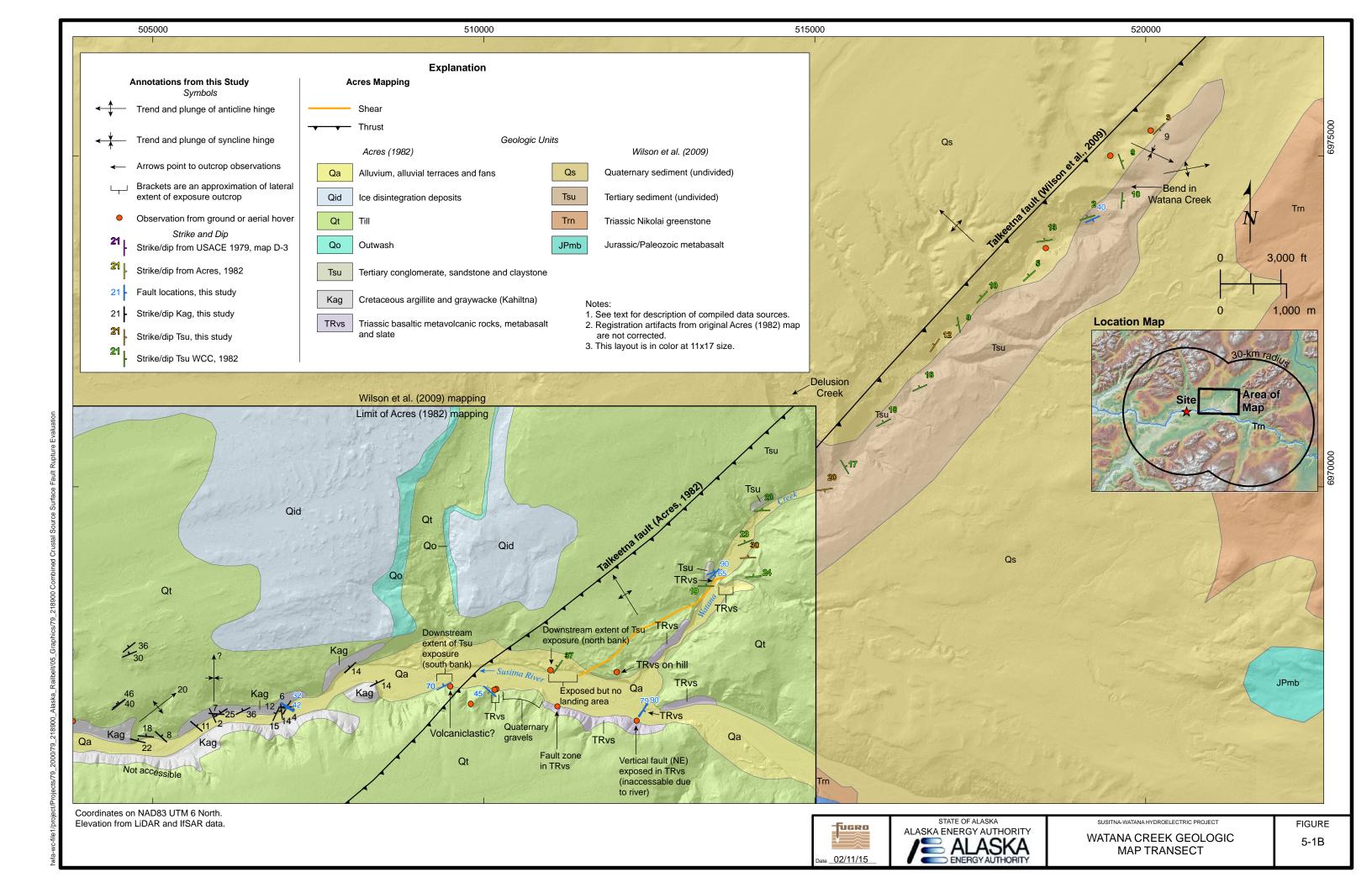


View looking south along Susitna feature.











Vertical faults exposed in Triassic rocks, at the mouth of Watana Creek.



Vertical faults exposed in Triassic rocks, across from the mouth of Watana Creek.







Triassic shear (140, 45 SW) outcrop.



Close up of a shear feature.

















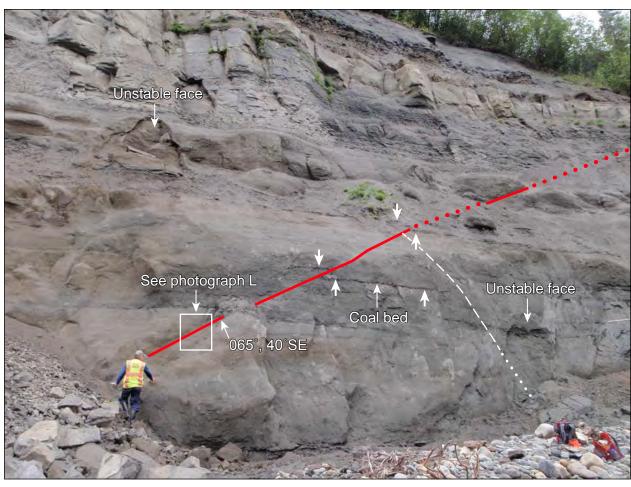
Fault S1 outcrop.



Fault S2 outcrop.

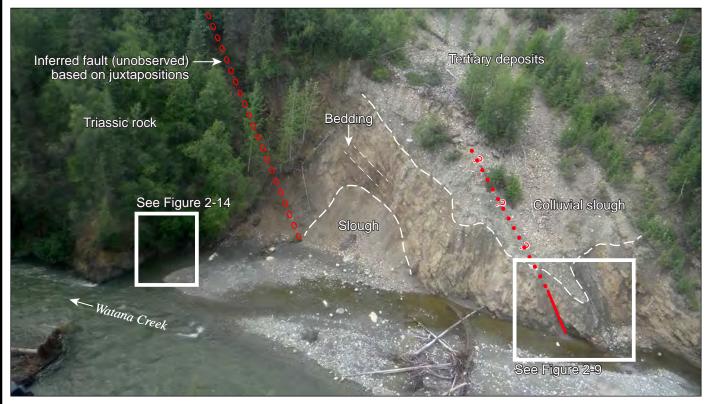






Photograph of faulted outcrop with coal bed. Visually estimated 60-80 cm of separation along the fault plane. Second fault (221, 27° NW)appears to terminate against primary fault (065, 40°SE) extends across the outcrop.





Aerial view looking approximately south-southwest. Triassic rocks are densely vegetated.







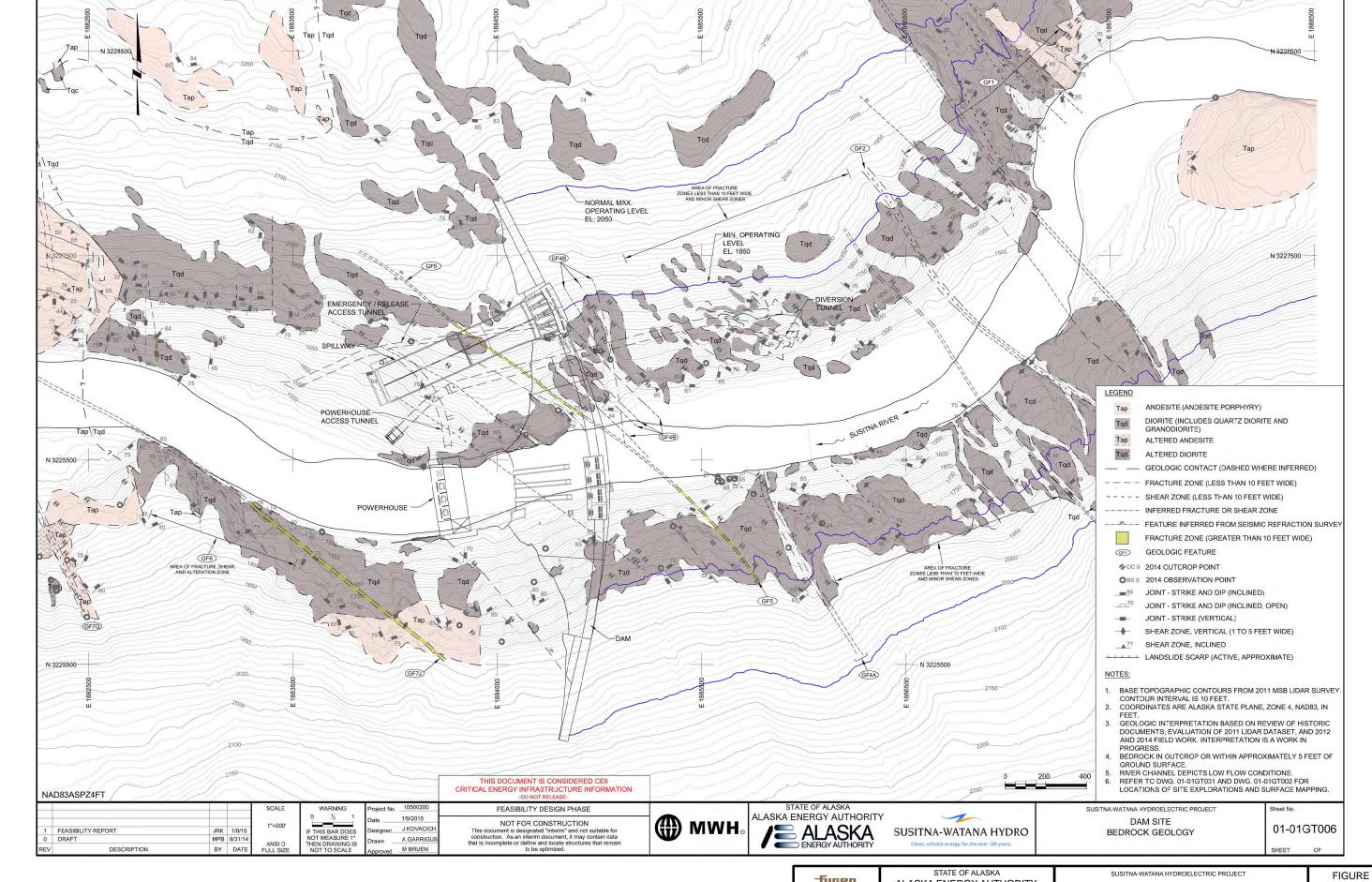
View looking west at lower part of Tertiary deposit toward uncleaned exposure of fault (065-080° strike; 65°N dip). Left-lateral oblique relative movement.





View looking south at vertical fault in Triassic rocks; visually estimated apparent strike is northeast.





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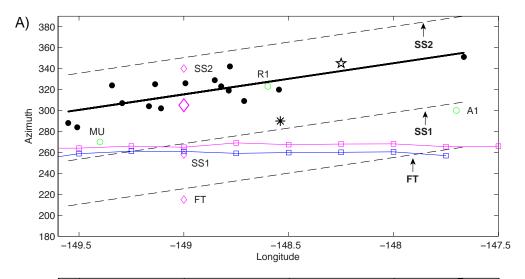


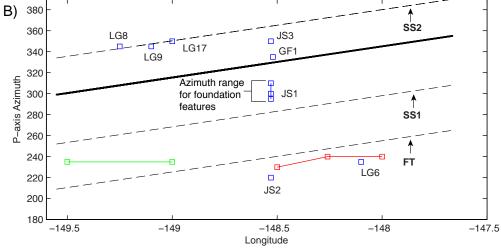
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Regional shortening direction

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**Explanation** 

Earthquake Focal Mechanism and GPS-based Data

P-axis (focal mechanisms from Watana Seismic Network)

Best fit line to WSN P-axis data

- P-axis (focal mechanisms from Doser, 2004) groups MU, R1, A1
- WAT 1 GPS vector (relative to fixed North America) AEC (2014)
- → Pacific Plate motion relative to North America (arbitrarily plotted at -148.5 longitude) DeMets et al. (2010)

Average Fault and Geologic Structure Strike Data

- Denali fault
- Castle Mountain fault
- Talkeetna fault
- - □ Lineament groups (LG6, LG8, LG9, LG17)
  - Geologic features and joints at Watana damsite (GF1, JS1, JS2, JS3) MWH (2014)

Denali Fault Simple Shear Model

- Regional shortening direction (Cole et al., 2007)
- Fault strike for principal elements SS1 = strike-sllip (1st plane), SS2=strike-slip (2nd plane), FT=fold/thrust planes
- Extrapolation of simple shear model planes (SS1, SS2, FT) shifted to slope of best fit line of network focal mechanism data



