



EXPLANATION

PLATEAU REMNANTS AND ADJACENT STEEP SLOPES

 Mixed forest of black spruce, lodgepole pine, white spruce, aspen, and a very little alpine fir

LEVEL TO GENTLY SLOPING PLAINS BETWEEN INNER TRENCH OF BEATTON RIVER AND BASE OF STEEP SLOPES ADJACENT TO PLATEAU REMNANTS (Boundaries of vegetation units on plains shown by dashed line)

 Dwarf-birch and willow scrub with scattered patches of trees

 Grassland separated by willow bush and a few scattered aspen thickets

 Muskeg  
Mossy swamps, commonly around small ponds. Muskeg forests of black spruce and larch in places

 Mixture of muskeg and mixed forest of plateau remnants and steep slopes. Muskeg on level to gently sloping plains with low knolls on which are lodgepole pine, aspen, and white spruce

STEEP SLOPES ON SIDES OF BEATTON RIVER TRENCH AND ADJACENT EDGE OF LEVEL TO GENTLY SLOPING PLAINS

 Lodgepole pine and aspen with mixtures of white and black spruce in a few places

FLOOD PLAIN AND LOW TERRACES

 Willows on flood plain. White spruce and balsam poplar on natural levees. Willow and dwarf-birch scrub or aspen and lodgepole-pine groves on low terraces

 3540  
Altitude in feet

(Map traced from aerial photographs taken by USAAF, 16 DPU, 4M700, 5V1-5V196; July 8, 1944)

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GENERALIZED MAP OF TERRAIN AND VEGETATION IN BEATTON RIVER VALLEY