

EXPLANATION OF MINERAL RESOURCE POTENTIAL

M1/C Geologic terrane having moderate mineral resource potential for gypsum in the Carmel Formation, at certainty level C

M2/C Geologic terrane having moderate mineral resource potential for sand and gravel, at certainty level C

M3/C Geologic terrane having moderate mineral resource potential for oil and gas, at certainty level C—Applies to the entire study area

L/C Geologic terrane having low resource potential, at certainty level C, for geothermal resources and for all metals and nonmetals—Applies specifically to gold, uranium, silver, arsenic, antimony, barium, strontium, zinc, cadmium, mercury, copper, and manganese. Applies to the entire study area

N/D Geologic terrane having no energy research potential for coal, at certainty level D—Applies to the entire study area

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- - - Fault—Dashed where inferred, dotted where covered; bar and ball on downthrown side

↗ Anticline—Arrows show dip and direction of plunge

↘ Syncline—Arrows show dip and direction of plunge

⊥ Shaft

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× Mine or prospect pit

○ Oil and gas test hole—Abandoned (located only by section)

◆ Show of oil and (or) gas

◇ Dry hole

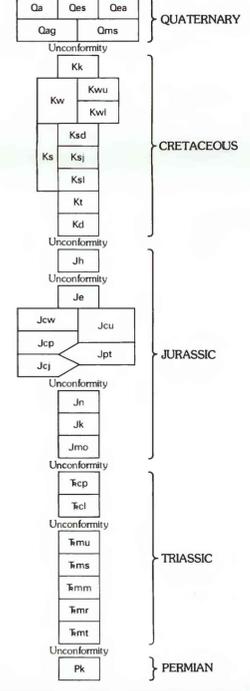
Ag Sample site

As₁ Stream sediment (including heavy-mineral concentrate)—Values (in parts per million) considered anomalous are Ag, 5; As, 8; Ba, 1000; Cd, 0.3; Hg, 0.26; Sr, 5000

As₂ Rock—Values (in parts per million) considered anomalous are Ag, 5; As, 10; Au, 0.1; Bi, 3; Cd, 1.8; Cu, 200; Hg, 0.1; Mo, 10; Pb, 500; Sb, 6; Zn, 700

Ⓐ Area having clustered anomalous samples

CORRELATION OF MAP UNITS



LEVEL OF RESOURCE POTENTIAL	U/A	H/B	H/C	H/D
	UNKNOWN POTENTIAL	MODERATE POTENTIAL	MODERATE POTENTIAL	MODERATE POTENTIAL
	L/B	M/C	M/D	M/D
	LOW POTENTIAL	LOW POTENTIAL	LOW POTENTIAL	LOW POTENTIAL
	A	B	C	D
LEVEL OF CERTAINTY →				

LEVELS OF RESOURCE POTENTIAL

H High mineral resource potential

M Moderate mineral resource potential

L Low mineral resource potential

U Unknown mineral resource potential

N No known mineral resource potential

LEVELS OF CERTAINTY

A Available data not adequate

B Data indicate geologic environment and suggest level of resource potential

C Data indicate geologic environment, give good indication of level of resource potential, but do not establish activity of resource-forming processes

D Data clearly define geologic environment and level of resource potential and indicate activity of resource-forming processes in all or part of the area

Diagram showing relationships between levels of mineral resource potential and levels of certainty. Shading shows levels that apply to these study areas.

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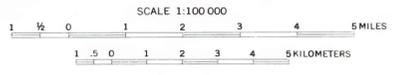
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LIST OF MAP UNITS

- Qa Stream sediment (Quaternary)—Unconsolidated alluvium, mostly sand and silt
- Qes Eolian sand (Quaternary)
- Qea Mixed eolian sand and alluvial sand (Quaternary)
- Qag Alluvial gravel (Quaternary)—Includes deposits in streams and on terraces and pediments
- Qms Mass wasting deposits (Quaternary)—Includes colluvium, landslide deposits, and talus
- Kk Kaiparowits Formation (Cretaceous)—Mostly fine and silty sandstone with sparse interbeds of mudstone and rare limestone beds
- Kw Wahsag Formation (Cretaceous)—Mudstone with fine to silty sandstone grading to cliff-forming sandstones:
 - Upper member
 - Lower member
- Ks Straight Cliffs Formation (Cretaceous)—Cliff-forming sandstone and mudstone with interlayered carbonaceous shale and coal:
 - Drip Tank Member
- Ksd John Henry Member—Contains principal coal-bearing units
- Ksl Lower member
- Kt Tropic Shale (Cretaceous)—Soft gray shales with rare thin bentonite beds
- Kd Dakota Sandstone (Cretaceous)—Thin-bedded sandstone with lignite to subbituminous coal
- Jh Henrieville Formation (Jurassic)—Flat-bedded sandstone, shale, siltstone, and claystone
- Je Entrada Sandstone (Jurassic)
- Jcw Carmel Formation (Jurassic)—Cliff-forming sandstone, red marine sandstone, limestone, and gypsum beds:
 - Wiggler Wash Member
 - Upper member
 - Paria River Member
 - Jcp Judd Hollow Tongue
 - Jcu Thousand Pockets Tongue of Page Sandstone (Jurassic)
 - Jn Navajo Sandstone (Jurassic)—Massive, cliff-forming sandstone
 - Jk Kayenta Formation (Jurassic)
 - Jmo Moenave Formation (Jurassic)
 - Chinle Formation (Triassic):
 - Tcp Petrified Forest Member—Variegated clay-rich rocks
 - Tcl Shinarump Member—Lenticular sandstone and conglomerate
 - Moenkopi Formation (Triassic)—Mostly red mudstone and sandstone:
 - Upper red member
 - Tms Shabkab Member
 - Tmn Middle red member
 - Tmr Lower red member
 - Tmt Timpoweap Member
 - Pk Kaibab Limestone (Permian)

Base from U.S. Geological Survey Kanab, 1980, and Smoky Mountain, 1985

Geology from Doelling and Davis (1989); structures from Sargent and Hansen (1982)



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