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EXPLANATION

 **NON-FEDERAL COAL LAND**--Land for which the Federal Government does not own the coal rights.

 **BOUNDARY OF RESERVE BASE COAL**--Drawn along the 1,000-foot (305 m) overburden isopach, and an arc 3 miles (4.8 km) from nearest complete measurement of coal bed. Arrows point toward area of Reserve Base coal.

RB
— (Measured resources)
- - (Indicated resources)
90 (Inferred resources)

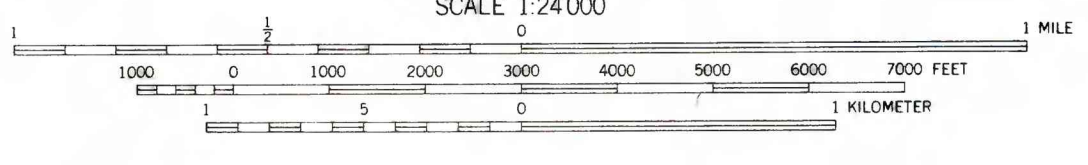
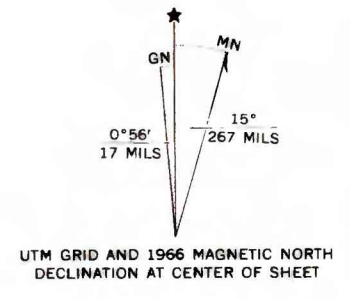
IDENTIFIED NON-STRIPPABLE COAL RESOURCES--Showing totals for Reserve Base (RB), in millions of short tons, for each section or part(s) of section of Federal coal land outside the stripping-limit line. Dash indicates no resources in that category. Rounded to two significant figures.

Recovery factors have not been established for underground development of coal in this quadrangle. Therefore, Reserves (R) were not calculated for the coal bed in areas outside the stripping-limit line where the overburden thickness exceeds 700 feet (61 m).

To convert short tons to metric tons, multiply by 0.907.

Base from U.S. Geological Survey, 1966

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POKER JIM BUTTE QUADRANGLE, ROSEBUD AND POWDER RIVER COUNTIES, MONTANA**

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**IDENTIFIED RESOURCES OF
THE KNOBLOCH COAL BED**