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EXPLANATION

 200  
OVERBURDEN ISOPACH—Showing thickness of overburden, in feet, from the surface to the top of the coal bed. Isopach interval 200 feet (61 m).

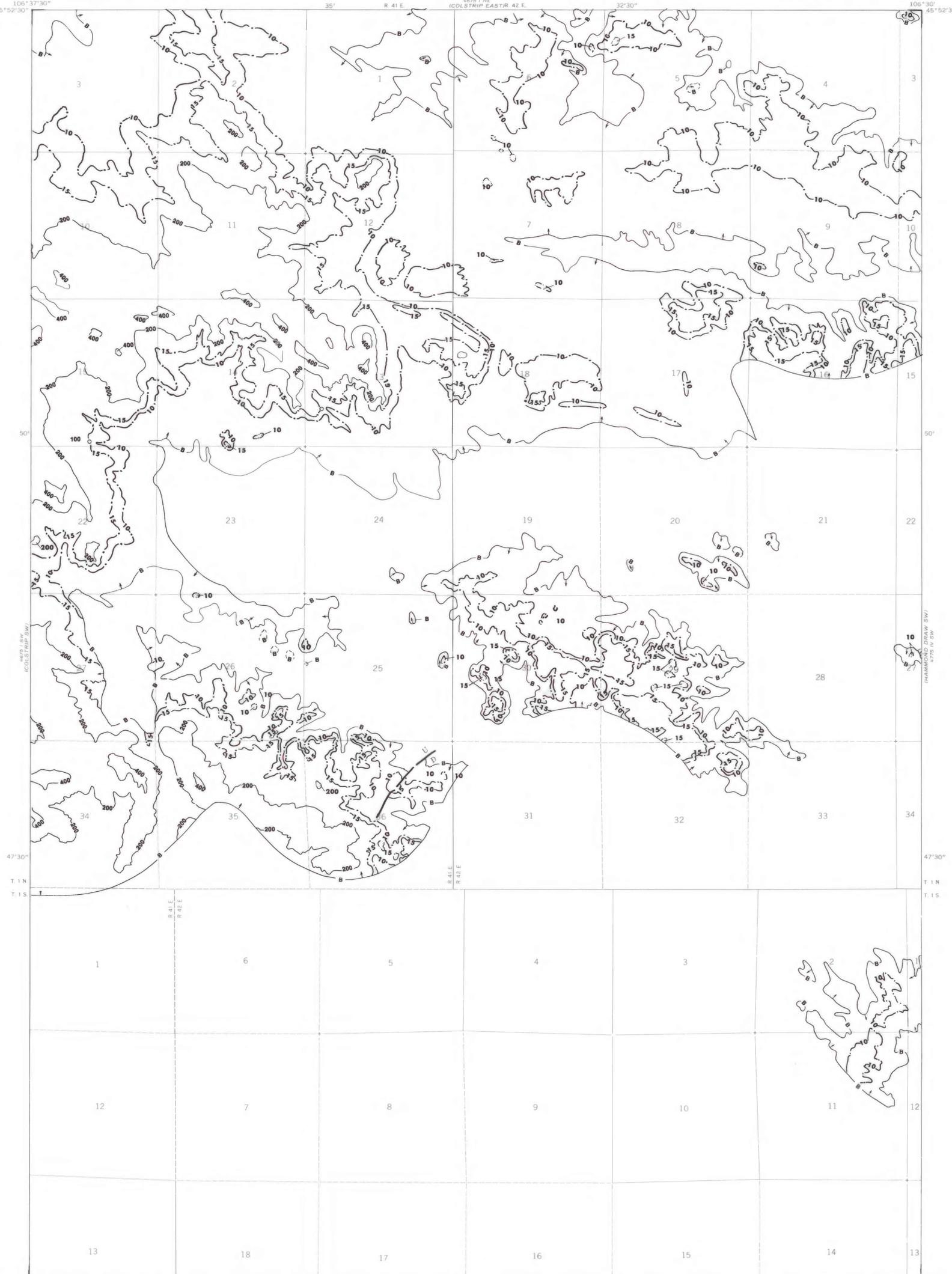
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BOUNDARY OF COAL 5 FEET OR MORE THICK—  
Drawn along the outcrop of coal bed and/or the inferred contact between burned and unburned coal, and/or the 5-foot coal isopach. Arrows point toward area of coal 5 feet or more thick.

 100  
DRILL HOLE—Showing thickness of overburden, in feet, from the surface to the top of the coal bed.

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MINING-RATIO CONTOUR—Number indicates cubic yards of overburden per ton of recoverable coal by surface-mining methods. Contours shown only in areas suitable for surface mining within the stripping limit.

To convert feet to meters, multiply feet by 0.3048.

To convert yds<sup>3</sup>/ton to m<sup>3</sup>/metric ton, multiply yds<sup>3</sup>/ton by 0.842.

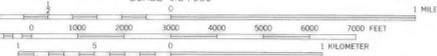
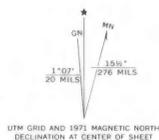


Base map from U.S. Geological Survey, 1971

(BADGER PEAK)  
4875' N 42° E

SCALE 1:24 000

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COAL RESOURCE OCCURRENCE MAP OF THE COLSTRIP SE  
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PLATE 12  
OVERBURDEN ISOPACH AND MINING-RATIO  
MAP OF THE MCKAY COAL BED