

Apx. 15 Assay results of tunnel L2 samples in Dong Pao F3 ore
body (1964~1968)

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Tunnel L2

Sample No.	Thickness	Chemical Composition (%)			Ore Class	Average of Chemical Composition (%)			
		TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂		TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂	平均幅
501	1.00	13.26	22.45	52.39	I	16.24	37.99	34.70	1.16
502	1.00	8.76	22.77	54.09	I				
503	1.25	24.45	52.69	17.33	I				
504	1.35	20.34	54.46	16.70	I				
505	1.20	11.78	29.79	42.12	I				
506	1.20	5.52	17.11	59.17	III	4.15	34.99	30.99	1.11
507	1.25	2.67	18.16	64.32	III				
508	1.25	3.11	22.36	60.58	III				
509	1.25	3.39	47.57	35.10	III				
510	1.25	3.25	23.35	64.86	III				
511	1.00	2.83	25.96	59.27	III				
512	1.00	1.94	48.17	27.22	III				
513	1.00	3.39	33.72	38.93	III				
514	1.20	5.26	43.22	25.95	III				
515	1.30	7.74	53.74	10.61	III				
516	1.00	4.76	57.58	9.26	III				
517	1.00	6.53	47.39	18.12	III				
518	1.00	4.5	47.03	20.84	III				
519	1.00	3.3	43.94	32.52	III				
520	1.00	8.03	43.58	13.27	III				
521	1.00	5.07	46.10	21.76	III				
522	1.30	5.16	41.61	25.81	III				
523	0.90	6.19	35.76	29.12	III				
524	1.00	9.39	33.75	42.12	I	13.16	27.10	28.21	1.02
525	1.30	15.04	30.46	21.85	I				
526	1.00	9.82	33.86	17.39	I				
527	1.00	10.2	44.17	23.74	I				
528	1.00	11.59	34.64	34.79	I				
529	1.00	5.12	35.10	29.49	I				
530	1.00	4.88	43.75	19.79	I				
531	1.00	12.38	34.34	29.85	I				
532	1.00	12.65	20.97	29.74	I				
533	1.00	17.05	17.70	26.90	I				
534	1.00	20.61	25.53	20.12	I				
535	1.00	15.93	21.63	34.30	I				
536	1.00	34.48	14.78	13.81	I				
537	1.00	16.71	11.63	18.49	I				
538	1.00	8.32	17.20	51.59	I				
539	1.00	7.28	28.45	46.85	I				
540	1.00	10.38	25.88	32.47	I				
541	1.00	19	22.02	22.90	I				
542	1.00	6.85	31.15	34.86	III	4.68	33.75	25.06	1.11
543	1.00	2.16	19.45	21.84	III				
544	1.00	2.45	26.71	34.36	III				
545	1.00	5.32	13.83	34.12	III				
546	1.00	4.22	20.80	44.14	III				
547	1.00	9.41	20.62	25.67	III				
548	1.40	2.88	10.83	48.56	III				
549	1.10	11.44	39.37	20.38	III				
550	1.10	3.45	40.27	22.89	III				
551	1.00	8.19	46.98	24.83	III				
552	1.00	7.53	44.37	30.55	III				
553	1.00	4.85	60.32	19.15	III				
554	1.30	2.32	65.52	21.42	III				
555	1.20	2.77	65.07	20.05	III				
556	1.50	4.95	54.78	28.42	III				
557	1.15	4.29	39.01	13.63	III				
558	1.00	2.44	29.35	23.26	-				
559	1.00	2.07	28.83	9.63	-				
560	1.00	1.65	20.02	14.77	-				
561	1.00	2.71	51.46	28.82	-				
562	1.00	3.68	25.19	17.13	-				
563	1.40	0.42	6.58	5.00	-				
564	1.35	0.69	14.15	12.09	-				

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Dong Pao F3 ore body (1964~1968)

Assay results of pit samples in Dong Pao F3 ore body (1/4)

Pit G 2

Sample No.	Location of Samples			Chemical Composition (%)			Ore Class	Average of Chemical Composition (%)		
	From	To	Thikness	TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂		TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂
H 1	1.65	2.65	1.00	12.1	44.3	26.2	I	12.70	46.00	27.03
H 2	2.65	3.65	1.00	15.8	45.5	24.9	I			
H 3	3.65	4.65	1.00	10.2	48.2	30.0	I			
H 4	4.65	5.65	1.00	8.6	50.7	30.4	III			
H 5	5.65	6.65	1.00	8.0	54.4	26.4	III			
H 6	6.65	7.65	1.00	8.7	46.0	31.0	III			
H 7	7.65	8.65	1.00	5.0	43.7	32.8	III			
H 8	8.65	9.65	1.00	8.7	39.8	29.4	III			
H 9	9.65	10.65	1.00	6.4	19.8	12.6	III			
H 10	10.65	11.65	1.00	9.7	26.6	23.2	III			
H 11	11.65	12.65	1.00	11.1	17.2	18.2	III			
H 12	12.65	13.65	1.00	4.2	20.7	36.6	III			
H 13	13.65	14.65	1.00	3.6	47.0	50.1	III			
H 14	14.65	15.65	1.00	2.1	58.4	32.3	III			
H 15	15.65	16.65	1.00	1.5	13.8	39.2	III			
H 16	16.65	17.65	1.00	1.4	13.7	24.2	Primary Ore	1.80	15.90	19.87
H 17	17.65	18.65	1.00	1.8	16.7	18.2	Primary Ore			
H 18	18.65	19.65	1.00	2.2	17.3	17.2	Primary Ore			

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Pit G 3

Sample No.	Location of Samples			Chemical Composition (%)			Ore Class	Average of Chemical Composition (%)		
	From	To	Thikness	TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂		TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂
H 1	0.1	1.1	1.00	13.4	66.1	0.7	I	20.92	46.29	14.91
H 2	1.1	2.1	1.00	8.9	69.9	4.3	I			
H 3	2.1	3.1	1.00	10.9	51.6	20.5	I			
H 4	3.1	4.1	1.00	20.7	41.8	17.5	I			
H 5	4.1	5.1	1.00	39.2	33.3	1.8	I			
H 6	5.1	6.1	1.00	31.3	41.2	6.2	I			
H 7	6.1	7.1	1.00	35.2	37.9	15.2	I			
H 8	7.1	8.1	1.00	25.0	39.3	24.8	I			
H 9	8.1	9.1	1.00	27.3	33.9	20.5	I			
H 10	9.1	10.1	1.00	9.1	46.7	23.2	I			
H 11	10.1	11.1	1.00	9.1	47.5	29.3	I			
H 12	11.1	12.1	1.00	4.9	33.4	51.1	III	3.73	38.50	45.02
H 13	12.1	13.1	1.00	5.0	30.2	54.3	III			
H 14	13.1	14.1	1.00	2.3	45.2	42.5	III			
H 15	14.1	15.1	1.00	2.7	42.6	37.4	III			
H 16	15.1	16.1	1.00	4.5	42.3	39.9	III			
H 17	16.1	17.1	1.00	3.0	37.3	44.9	III			
H 18	17.1	18.1	1.00	9.1	36.0	40.1	I			
H 19	18.1	19.1	1.00	8.9	45.7	27.7	I			
H 20	19.1	20.1	1.00	7.3	42.5	40.5	I			
H 21	20.1	21.1	1.00	7.8	51.5	53.2	I			
H 22	21.1	22.1	1.00	11.1	48.5	22.2	I			
H 23	22.1	23.1	1.00	6.8	35.0	17.0	I			
H 24	23.1	24.1	1.00	9.9	51.9	20.5	I			
H 25	24.1	25.1	1.00	8.5	50.4	22.6	I			
H 26	25.1	26.1	1.00	8.5	54.3	21.0	I			
H 27	26.1	27.1	1.00	6.3	52.6	28.2	III	5.75	51.90	28.78
H 28	27.1	28.1	1.00	4.7	48.5	32.9	III			
H 29	28.1	29.1	1.00	6.5	57.1	27.0	III			
H 30	29.1	30.0	0.90	5.5	49.4	27.0	III			

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Pit G 4

Sample No.	Location of Samples			Chemical Composition (%)			Ore Class	Average of Chemical Composition (%)		
	From	To	Thikness	TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂		TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂
H 1	2.8	3.8	1.00	5.9	25.2	3.9	II	7.50	41.48	8.37
H 2	3.8	4.8	1.00	9.0	53.9	4.6	II			
H 3	4.8	5.8	1.00	7.2	43.9	20.0	II			
H 4	5.8	6.8	1.00	3.6	51.3	14.4	II			
H 5	6.8	7.8	1.00	14.2	49.5	3.1	II			
H 6	7.8	8.8	1.00	5.1	25.1	4.2	II			
H 7	8.8	9.9	1.00	<0.5	10.0	2.0	Primary Ore	0.37	14.17	4.20
H 8	9.9	10.8	1.00	1.1	18.6	5.4	Primary Ore			
H 9	10.8	11.8	1.00	<0.5	13.9	5.2	Primary Ore			

Assay results of pit samples in Dong Pao F3 ore body (2/4)

Pit G 5

Sample No.	Location of Samples			Chemical Composition (%)			Ore Class	Average of Chemical Composition (%)		
	From	To	Thikness	TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂		TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂
H 1	1.5	2.5	1.0	7.9	74.8	<0.2	I	14.56	58.62	1.21
H 2	2.5	3.5	1.0	17.5	63.4	<0.2	I			
H 3	3.5	4.5	1.0	15.4	61.0	<0.2	I			
H 4	4.5	5.5	1.0	7.7	76.3	<0.2	I			
H 5	5.5	6.5	1.0	19.5	57.4	0.3	I			
H 6	6.5	7.5	1.0	13.6	66.1	0.2	I			
H 7	7.5	8.5	1.0	18.8	62.0	0.2	I			
H 8	8.5	9.5	1.0	12.7	60.7	0.3	I			
H 9	9.5	10.5	1.0	10.1	72.1	0.8	I			
H 10	10.5	11.5	1.0	16.6	59.7	1.4	I			
H 11	11.5	12.5	1.0	20.0	58.2	1.7	I			
H 12	12.5	13.5	1.0	25.0	57.0	2.4	I			
H 13	13.5	14.5	1.0	17.7	55.3	5.7	I			
H 14	14.5	15.5	1.0	15.9	55.3	5.2	I			
H 15	15.5	16.5	1.0	11.2	72.7	2.6	I			
H 16	16.5	17.5	1.0	7.5	67.2	4.7	II	5.18	44.07	4.10
H 17	17.5	18.5	1.0	6.6	60.0	3.7	II			
H 18	18.5	19.5	1.0	6.3	60.9	5.0	II			
H 19	19.5	20.5	1.0	5.0	45.4	4.2	II			
H 20	20.5	21.5	1.0	3.0	16.1	3.7	II			
H 21	21.5	22.5	1.0	2.7	14.8	3.3	II			

Pit G 6

Sample No.	Location of Samples			Chemical Composition (%)			Ore Class	Average of Chemical Composition (%)					
	From	To	Thikness	TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂		TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂			
H 1	0.75	1.70	0.95	11.6	49.1	24.1	I	9.90	47.50	27.00			
H 2	1.70	2.65	0.95	11.0	44.7	29.6	I						
H 3	2.65	3.60	0.95	7.5	47.4	28.2	I						
H 4	3.60	4.55	0.95	8.5	47.5	29.3	I						
H 5	4.55	5.50	0.95	9.1	47.0	28.9	I						
H 6	5.50	6.45	0.95	7.8	48.3	28.1	I						
H 7	6.45	7.40	0.95	9.4	50.9	24.8	I						
H 8	7.40	8.35	0.95	12.9	48.1	24.8	I						
H 9	8.35	9.30	0.95	11.3	44.5	25.2	I						
H 10	9.30	10.25	0.95	6.9	57.9	34.7	III				5.47	40.23	30.77
H 11	10.25	11.20	0.95	4.9	54.5	33.1	III						
H 12	11.20	12.15	0.95	4.5	26.2	27.0	III						
H 13	12.15	13.10	0.95	5.4	35.6	38.8	III						
H 14	13.10	14.05	0.95	6.3	36.4	31.1	III						
H 15	14.05	15.00	0.95	4.8	30.8	19.9	III						
H 16	15.00	16.00	1.00	0.6	5.0	2.0	clay	0.12	2.24	1.22			
H 17	16.00	17.00	1.00	<0.5	2.1	4.1	clay						
H 18	17.00	18.00	1.00	<0.5	2.0	0.7	clay						
H 19	18.00	19.00	1.00	<0.5	1.9	0.7	clay						
H 20	19.00	20.00	1.00	<0.5	2.2	0.2	clay						
H 21	20.00	21.00	1.00	<0.5	1.5	0.2	clay						
H 22	21.00	22.00	1.00	<0.5	1.8	0.6	clay						
H 23	22.00	23.00	1.00	0.3	2.0	1.4	clay						
H 24	23.00	24.00	1.00	0.2	1.7	1.1	clay						
H 25	24.00	25.00	1.00	5.6	17.5	4.9	Primary Ore				10.78	23.40	8.50
H 26	25.00	26.00	1.00	10.7	23.2	8.4	Primary Ore						
H 27	26.00	27.00	1.00	11.4	22.5	8.4	Primary Ore						
H 28	27.00	28.00	1.00	15.4	30.4	12.3	Primary Ore						

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Pit G 7

Sample No.	Location of Samples			Chemical Composition (%)			Ore Class	Average of Chemical Composition (%)		
	From	To	Thickness	TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂		TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂
H 1	1.7	2.7	1.0	15.8	50.7	0.3	I	12.86	40.63	21.01
H 2	2.7	3.7	1.0	15.2	56.9	1.1	I			
H 3	3.7	4.7	1.0	19.5	52.5	0.4	I			
H 4	4.7	5.7	1.0	14.9	44.3	20.3	I			
H 5	5.7	6.7	1.0	6.2	20.6	60.3	I			
H 6	6.7	7.7	1.0	10.2	33.5	35.0	I			
H 7	7.7	8.7	1.0	8.2	25.9	29.7	I			
H 8	8.7	9.7	1.0	7.5	37.9	30.2	III			
H 9	9.7	10.7	1.0	7.3	34.8	29.7	III	5.25	27.78	41.68
H 10	10.7	11.7	1.0	2.7	19.2	39.7	III			
H 11	11.7	12.7	1.0	3.5	19.2	67.1	III			
H 12	12.7	13.7	1.0	9.2	36.0	43.8	I			
H 13	13.7	14.7	1.0	7.8	36.7	50.3	I	12.676	40.488	38.371
H 14	14.7	15.7	1.0	15.8	45.7	33.5	I			
H 15	15.7	16.7	1.0	10.7	38.5	46.4	I			
H 16	16.7	17.7	1.0	18.5	41.5	37.6	I			
H 17	17.7	18.7	1.0	14.5	38.0	39.2	I			
H 18	18.7	19.7	1.0	8.4	36.1	37.5	I			
H 19	19.7	20.7	1.0	11.2	48.1	34.8	I			
H 20	20.7	21.7	1.0	3.7	21.2	69.7	I			
H 21	21.7	22.7	1.0	21.4	47.7	23.0	I			
H 22	22.7	23.7	1.0	13.1	43.8	36.3	I			
H 23	23.7	24.7	1.0	11.0	41.2	35.2	I			
H 24	24.7	25.7	1.0	20.5	38.5	24.2	I			
H 25	25.7	26.7	1.0	11.2	36.2	39.5	I			
H 26	26.7	27.7	1.0	7.9	53.2	42.9	I			
H 27	27.7	28.7	1.0	15.0	42.0	30.8	I			
H 28	28.7	29.7	1.0	15.6	43.9	27.6	I			

Pit G 8

Sample No.	Location of Samples			Chemical Composition (%)			Ore Class	Average of Chemical Composition (%)		
	From	To	Thickness	TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂		TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂
H 1	0.5	1.5	1	8.9	42.5	14.9	III	5.38	28.00	10.98
H 2	1.5	2.5	1.00	7.2	38.6	18.0	III			
H 3	2.5	3.5	1.00	3.1	22.1	7.1	III			
H 4	3.5	4.5	1.00	2.7	9.2	0.9	III			
H 5	4.5	5.5	1.00	5.0	27.6	14.0	III			
H 6	5.5	6.5	1.00	15.1	25.3	17.1	I	17.08	26.03	15.98
H 7	6.5	7.5	1.00	15.6	25.4	14.1	I			
H 8	7.5	8.5	1.00	20.4	30.8	19.3	I			
H 9	8.5	9.5	1.00	17.2	22.6	13.4	I			
H 10	9.5	10.5	1.00	17.0	19.6	14.1	Primary Ore			
H 11	10.5	11.5	1.00	17.7	22.8	15.7	Primary Ore	15.87	19.82	14.80
H 12	11.5	12.5	1.00	14.0	19.9	14.6	Primary Ore			
H 13	12.5	13.5	1.00	14.4	19.4	13.9	Primary Ore			
H 14	13.5	14.5	1.00	15.7	19.9	15.3	Primary Ore			
H 15	14.5	15.5	1.00	16.4	17.3	15.2	Primary Ore			

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Pit G 9

Sample No.	Location of Samples			Chemical Composition (%)			Ore Class	Average of Chemical Composition (%)		
	From	To	Thickness	TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂		TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂
H 1	2.0	3.0	1.0	<0.5	9.7	<0.2	Syenite	0.38	6.89	0.06
H 2	3.0	4.0	1.0	<0.5	9.3	<0.2	Syenite			
H 3	4.0	5.0	1.0	<0.5	11.5	<0.2	Syenite			
H 4	5.0	6.0	1.0	<0.5	8.0	<0.2	Syenite			
H 5	6.0	7.0	1.0	0.5	6.5	0.2	Syenite			
H 6	7.0	8.0	1.0	<0.5	7.9	<0.2	Syenite			
H 7	8.0	9.0	1.0	0.7	6.2	<0.2	Syenite			
H 8	9.0	10.0	1.0	1.0	9.5	<0.2	Syenite			
H 9	10.0	11.0	1.0	1.4	7.5	<0.2	Syenite			
H 10	11.0	12.0	1.0	1.4	10.7	<0.2	Syenite			
H 11	12.0	13.0	1.0	1.0	7.2	0.2	Syenite			
H 12	13.0	14.0	1.0	0.9	6.0	<0.2	Syenite			
H 13	14.0	15.0	1.0	<0.5	2.7	0.2	Syenite			
H 14	15.0	16.0	1.0	<0.5	2.7	<0.2	Syenite			
H 15	16.0	17.0	1.0	<0.5	4.5	<0.2	Syenite			
H 16	17.0	18.0	1.0	<0.5	5.0	<0.2	Syenite			
H 17	18.0	19.0	1.0	<0.5	5.5	<0.2	Syenite			
H 18	19.0	20.0	1.0	<0.5	5.3	<0.2	Syenite			
H 19	20.0	21.0	1.0	<0.5	6.0	<0.2	Syenite			
H 20	21.0	22.0	1.0	<0.5	5.5	<0.2	Syenite			
H 21	22.0	23.0	1.0	1.0	8.5	0.2	Syenite			
H 22	23.0	24.0	1.0	0.6	8.8	0.2	Syenite			
H 23	24.0	25.0	1.0	0.6	5.5	0.3	Syenite			
H 24	25.0	26.0	1.0	0.5	5.9	<0.2	Syenite			
H 25	26.0	27.0	1.0	<0.5	5.6	<0.2	Syenite			
H 26	27.0	28.0	1.0	<0.5	2.1	<0.2	Syenite			
H 27	28.0	29.0	1.0	<0.5	9.9	0.3	Syenite			
H 28	29.0	30.0	1.0	0.9	9.5	0.2	Syenite			

Assay results of pit samples in Dong Pao F3 ore body (4/4)

Pit G 10

Sample No.	Location of Samples			Chemical Composition (%)			Ore Class	Average of Chemical Composition (%)		
	From	To	Thikness	TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂		TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂
H 1	4.0	5.0	1.0	2.4	62.5	<0.2	Barite Ore	1.23	56.55	0.05
H 2	5.0	6.0	1.0	0.7	65.1	<0.2	Barite Ore			
H 3	6.0	7.0	1.0	0.7	49.8	<0.2	Barite Ore			
H 4	7.0	8.0	1.0	1.1	48.8	0.2	Barite Ore			
H 5	8.0	9.0	1.0	2.1	34.0	0.2	II	5.074	56.658	7.074
H 6	9.0	10.0	1.0	2.4	39.4	0.3	II			
H 7	10.0	11.0	1.0	1.0	23.8	<0.2	II			
H 8	11.0	12.0	1.0	4.2	62.4	0.2	II			
H 9	12.0	13.0	1.0	6.3	58.7	0.2	II			
H 10	13.0	14.0	1.0	5.5	64.4	<0.2	II			
H 11	14.0	15.0	1.0	7.9	75.2	<0.2	II			
H 12	15.0	16.0	1.0	7.3	71.9	0.4	II			
H 13	16.0	17.0	1.0	3.1	58.6	0.3	II			
H 14	17.0	18.0	1.0	5.1	64.4	5.8	II			
H 15	18.0	19.0	1.0	5.7	61.8	10.9	II			
H 16	19.0	20.0	1.0	5.7	64.4	11.4	II			
H 17	20.0	21.0	1.0	9.0	53.5	18.6	II			
H 18	21.0	22.0	1.0	7.6	55.7	18.8	II			
H 19	22.0	23.0	1.0	3.8	64.0	20.2	II			
H 20	23.0	24.0	1.0	5.1	60.7	7.3	II			
H 21	24.0	25.0	1.0	3.9	49.6	13.0	II			
H 22	25.0	26.0	1.0	3.6	54.8	13.5	II			
H 23	26.0	27.0	1.0	7.1	59.2	13.3	II			
H 24	27.0	28.0	1.0	10.9	46.1	17.5	I	17.767	39.800	16.600
H 25	28.0	29.0	1.0	33.6	26.5	8.3	I			
H 26	29.0	30.0	1.0	8.8	46.8	24.0	I			

Pit G 11

Sample No.	Location of Samples			Chemical Composition (%)			Ore Class	Average of Chemical Composition (%)		
	From	To	Thikness	TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂		TR ₂ O ₃	BaSO ₄	CaF ₂
H 1	0.0	1.0	1.0	<0.5	43.1	<0.2	Barite Ore	1.20	58.48	0.00
H 2	1.0	2.0	1.0	0.9	57.4	<0.2	Barite Ore			
H 3	2.0	3.0	1.0	3.8	65.4	<0.2	Barite Ore			
H 4	3.0	4.0	1.0	1.5	48.5	<0.2	Barite Ore			
H 5	4.0	5.0	1.0	1.0	61.6	<0.2	Barite Ore			
H 6	5.0	6.0	1.0	<0.5	74.9	<0.2	Barite Ore			
H 7	6.0	7.0	1.0	1.6	78.7	<0.2	II	4.18	72.23	5.05
H 8	7.0	8.0	1.0	1.9	66.6	<0.2	II			
H 9	8.0	9.0	1.0	1.9	77.1	<0.2	II			
H 10	9.0	10.0	1.0	0.8	84.6	<0.2	II			
H 11	10.0	11.0	1.0	3.9	80.4	<0.2	II			
H 12	11.0	12.0	1.0	2.4	82.7	<0.2	II			
H 13	12.0	13.0	1.0	4.6	80.1	<0.2	II			
H 14	13.0	14.0	1.0	4.7	78.4	<0.2	II			
H 15	14.0	15.0	1.0	2.7	70.6	<0.2	II			
H 16	15.0	16.0	1.0	4.2	74.1	<0.2	II			
H 17	16.0	17.0	1.0	3.6	65.4	17.6	II			
H 18	17.0	18.0	1.0	1.9	66.4	21.7	II			
H 19	18.0	19.0	1.0	4.1	63.7	14.5	II			
H 20	19.0	20.0	1.0	5.7	69.7	4.0	II			
H 21	20.0	21.0	1.0	10.3	68.6	<0.2	II			
H 22	21.0	22.0	1.0	6.7	71.4	<0.2	II			
H 23	22.0	23.0	1.0	8.8	71.3	<0.2	II			
H 24	23.0	24.0	1.0	6.3	77.8	<0.2	II			
H 25	24.0	25.0	1.0	3.3	44.7	38.2	II			
H 26	25.0	26.0	1.0	16.0	58.2	<0.2	I	12.00	65.45	0.00
H 27	26.0	27.0	1.0	8.0	72.7	<0.2	I			
H 28	27.0	28.0	1.0	6.3	44.9	17.9	II			
H 29	28.0	29.0	1.0	-	-	-	-	6.3	44.9	17.9
H 30	29.0	30.0	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Apx. 17 Sample list

Sample List (1/2)

Sample Name	Coordination		Rock Type	W	A	T (rock)	T (ore)	X	Fl	H
	Easting	Northing								
1219-N02			limestone with fl(1<1mm)			1				
1219-U03	350750	2466123	catacrastic limestone			1				
1219-U04	350750	2466120	Barite, limestone		1		1			
1219-U05	350750	2466060	Barite, limestone							1
1220-U06	348805	2467700	Barite + REE		1					
1222-U07	350452	2466005	alt limestone (incl fl)			1				
1223-N03			limestone			1				
1223-U08	350340	2465604	fluorite veinlet			1				
1228-U09	350805	2466680	REE (fluorite)		1					
1228-U10	350805	2466680	REE (fluorite)		1					
1228-U11	350805	2466680	REE (fluorite)		1					
0101-U01	349195	2467530	alt limestone (with fluorite)			1				1
0101-U02	349275	2467675	wtd alt syenite			1				
0101-U03	349380	2467860	wtd alt trachyte			1				
0101-U04	349530	2467875	alt limestone (epidote, fluorite)			1				
0104-U01	351398	2468787	wtd alt syenite		1					
0104-U02	351442	2468761	REE (alt syenite)		1			1		1
0104-U03	351460	2468761	REE Ore		1		1	1		
0104-U04	351557	2468440	gr fluorite						1	1
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0108-U01	350620	2465615	pink limestone, fine		1	1				
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0112-U03	350675	2469110	REE, qz vein		1				1	1
0112-U04	350460	2469160	syenite incl limestone		1		1			
0112-U05			pohy trachyte	1		1				
0115-N01	351829	2466357	pink limestone, fine		1	1				
0115-N02	351390	2466330	lt br - grey, wtd syenite	1	1	1				
0115-U01	351615	2466225	pale yellow, wtd syenite		1	1				
0115-U02	351652	2466345	lt grey, syenite incl fluorite	1		1				
0115-U03	351800	2466427	pink - lt grey, limestone, m-c		1	1				
0115-U04	351405	2466255	reddish br, wtd syenite							
0115-U05	351110	2466110	lt grey - pale yel, wtd syenite	1	1	1				
0115-U06			grey and pink(kf<2mm), syenite	1						
0115-U07	350843	2466880	dk br, stgy wtd syenite		1					
0115-U08	350844	2466873	dk br, stgy wtd syenite and barite		1					
0115-U09	350855	2466764	pale yel - wht, stgy wtd syenite		1					
0115-U10	350875	2466650	lt br with wht, stgy wtd syenite and barite		1					
0115-U11	350765	2466653	dk vio and wht, wtd fluorite with barite		1					
0115-U12	350745	2466651	lt br, wtd syenite (fine)	1	1	1				
0115-U13	351557	2466425	dk br - br, wtd syenite		1					
0115-U14	351555	2466435	dk br, wtd syenite and ba		1					
0116-U01	353855	2465483	grey, trachy andesite tbr			1				1
0116-U02	351354	2468028	dk br		1					
0116-U03	351376	2468024	dk br with wht(ba)		1					
0116-U04	351442	2468038	dk br with pale yellow		1					
F1-N01	350780	2466930	vio fluorite		1					
F1-N02			vio - br, fluorite and REE		1					
F1-N03			vio fluorite		1					
F1-N04			pale yel - br, stgy wtd syenite		1					
F1-U01	350760	2466930	pale yellow, stgy wtd syenite		1					
F1-U02	350760	2466930	pale yellow, stgy wtd syenite and ba		1					
F4-U01	351030	2467900	dk blue fluorite, v fine		1					
F4-U02	351030	2467900	br with wht, incl ba		1					
F4-U03	351030	2467900	fluorite with ba and REE		1					
F4-U04	351030	2467900	green and vio fluorite							
F4-U05	351025	2467875	pale yellow, stg wtd sy		1					
F4-U06	351025	2467875	br with wht		1					
H-01	350291	2468115	pohy trachyte			1				
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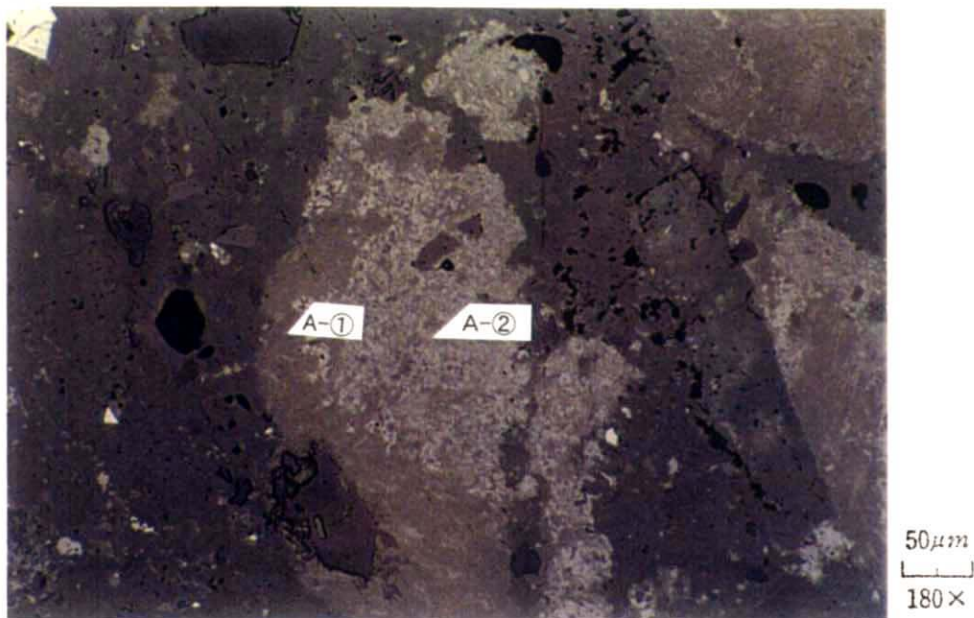
Sample List (2/2)

Sample Name	Coordination		Rock Type	W	A	T (rock)	T (ore)	X	FI	H
	Easting	Northing								
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MJVD-01-47.05			breccia of cyenite				1			
MJVD-01-73.50			barite and rare earth				1			
MJVD-04-87.85			fluorite and barite ore				1			
MJVD-05-45.75			minette				1			
MJVD-05-91.70			syenite				1			
MJVD-05-94.50			fluorite, barite, bastnaesite					1		
MJVD-08-53.70			rare earth ore				1			
MJVD-09-83.40			fluorite and barite ore						1	
MJVD-10-41.10			barite				1			
MJVD-10-47.40			REE Ore					1		1
MJVD-10-73.10			bk Mineral					1		
MJVD-10-73.85			rd Mineral					1		
MJVD-10-77.95			barite and rare earth				1			
MJVD-10-93.10			bastnaesite					1		
MJVD-10-96.40			barite and yellow rare earth				1			
MJVD-11-57.40			limestone				1			
MJVD-11-70.40			syenite				1			
MJVD-11-70.40			syenite (mineralized)	1						
MJVD-13-07.65			pale orange REE ore					1		
MJVD-16-71.20			bk ore					1		
P1b-01			vio fluorite						1	
P1b-02			gr - trl fluorite						1	
P1b-03			fluorite, ba				1			
P1b-04			fluorite, ba, REE		1					
P2-300			lt br ore		1			1		
P2-330			bk ore		1			1		
P2-415			dk br ore		1			1		
P2-430			dk br ore		1			1		
P2-480			pale yellow - grey ore		1			1		
P3-380			reddish br ore		1			1		
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P3-550			primary ore		1		1		1	

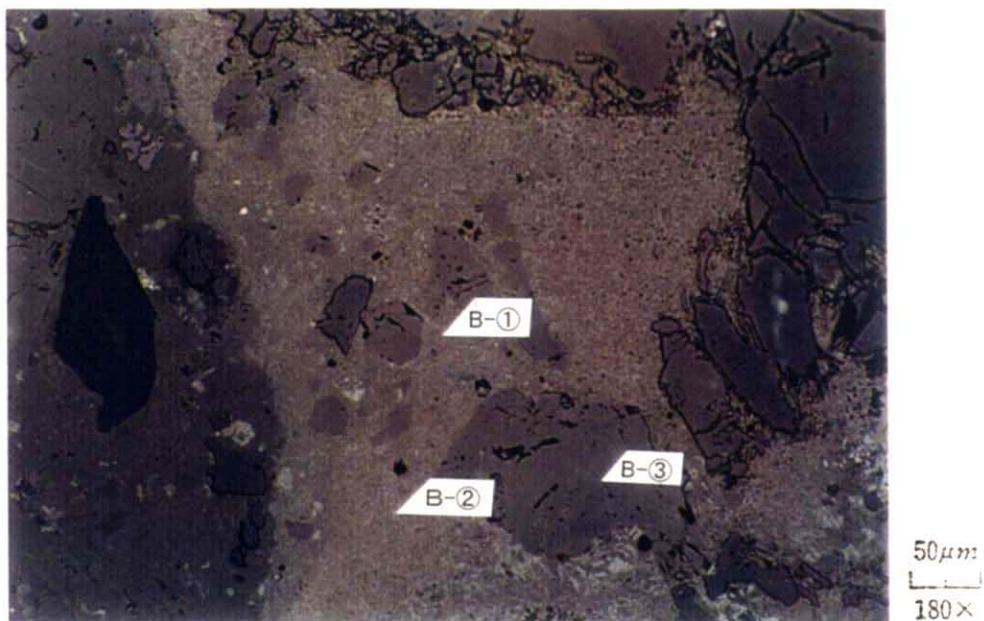
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 T (rock) : Rock Thin Section
 T (ore) : Ore Thin Section
 X : X-ray
 FI : FI
 H : Hand specimen

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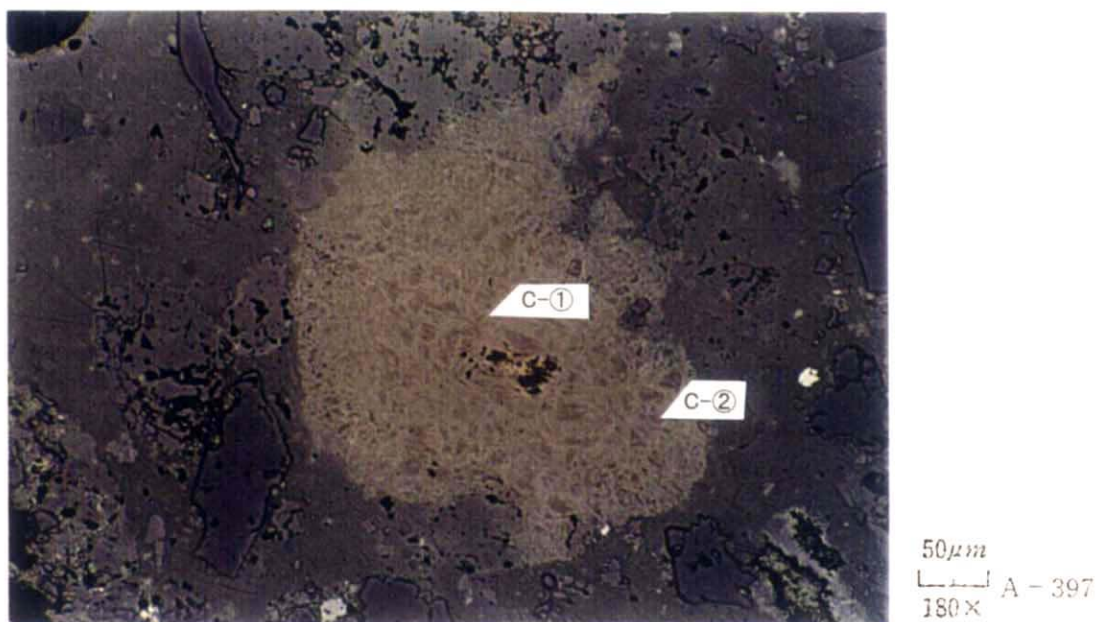
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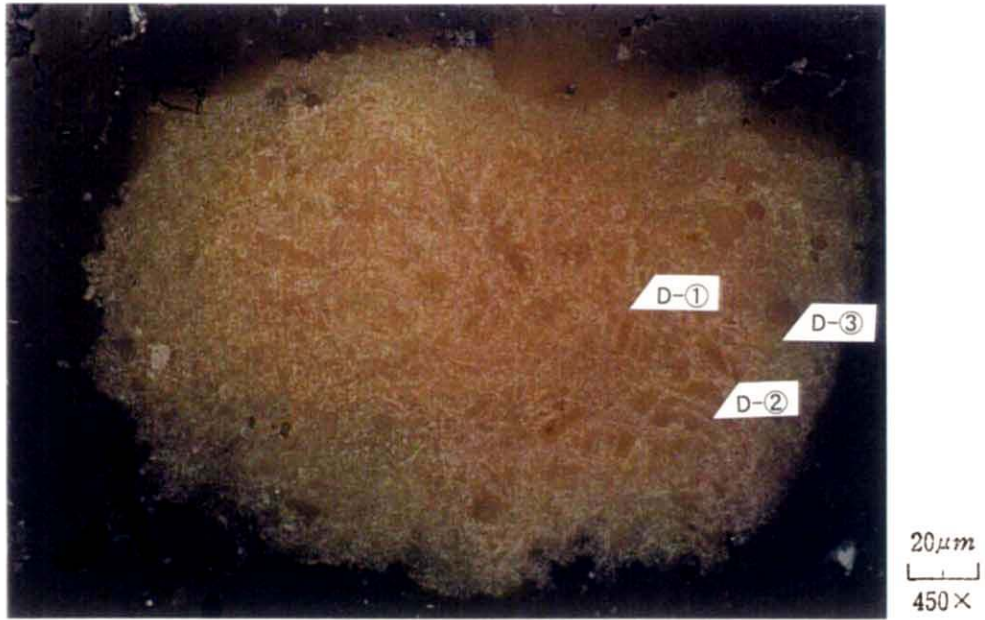
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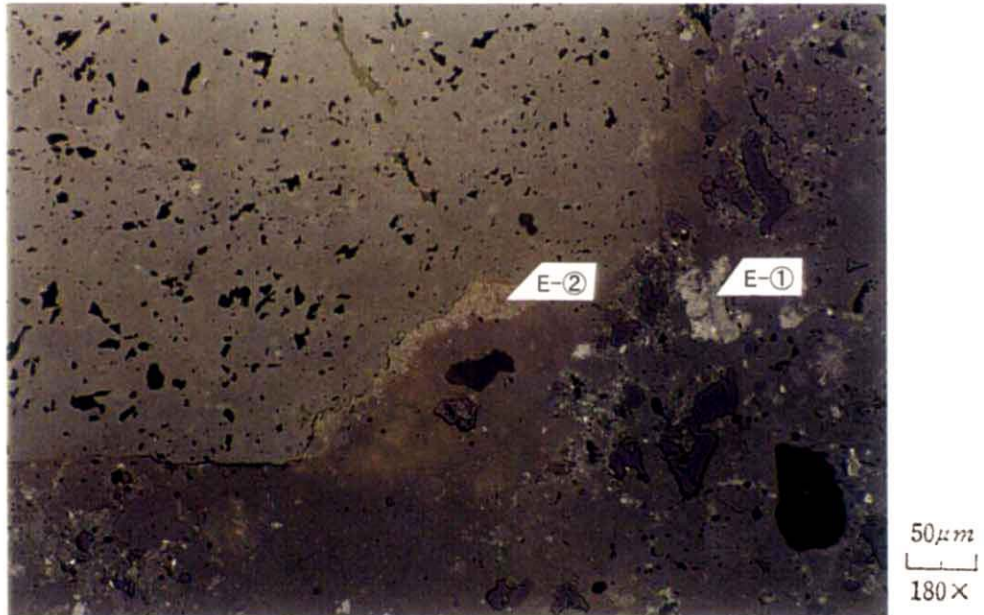
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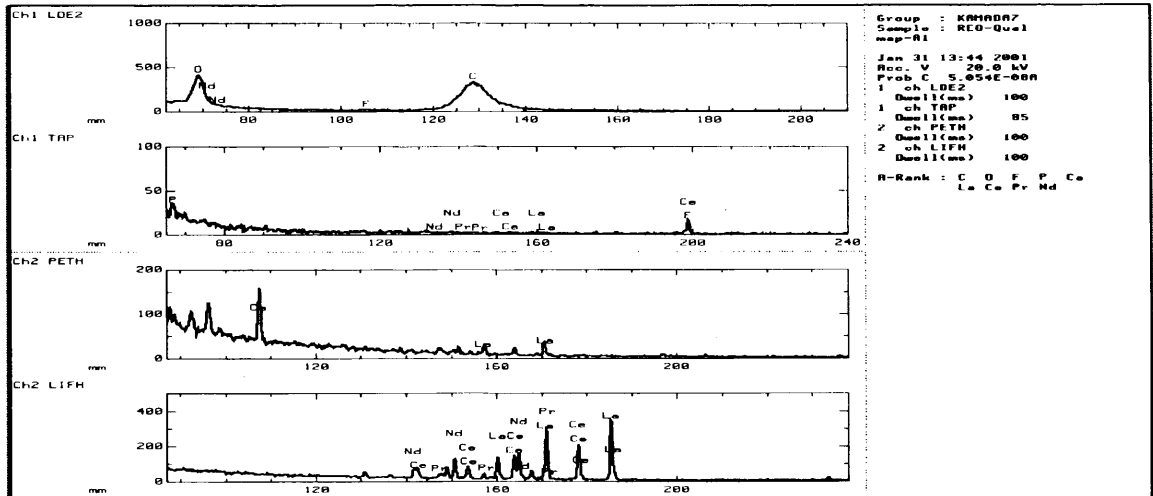


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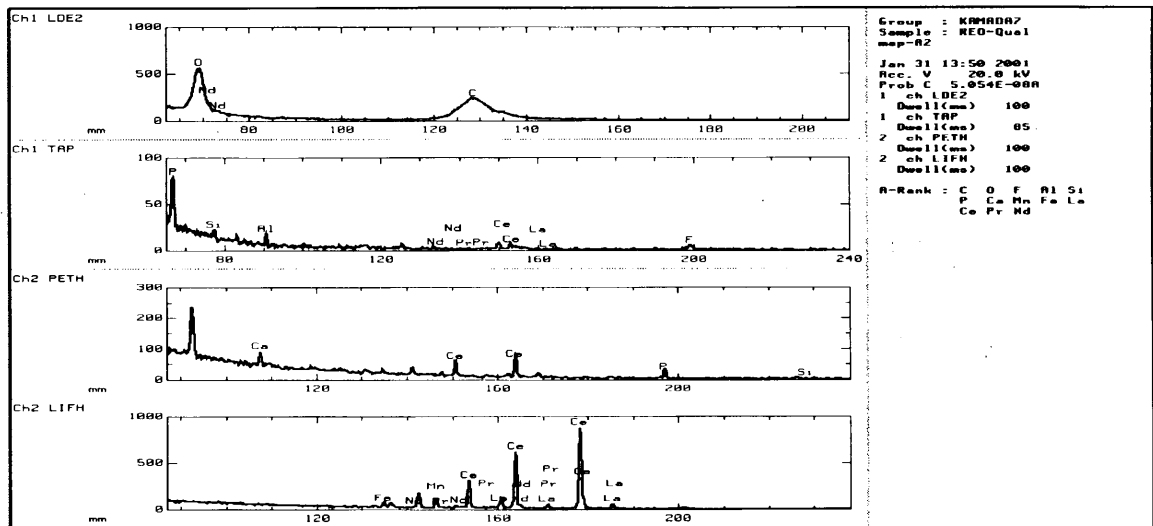


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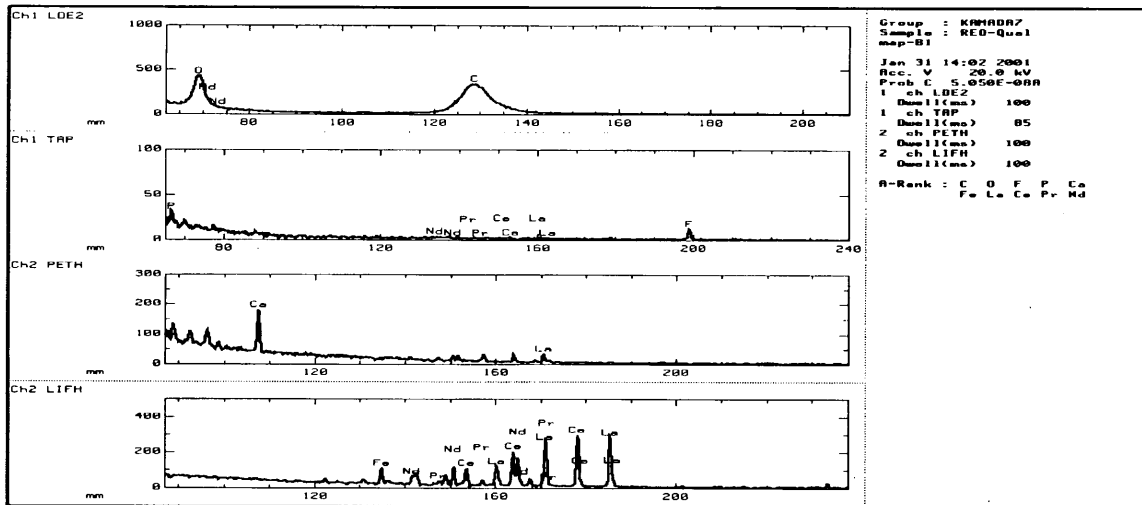




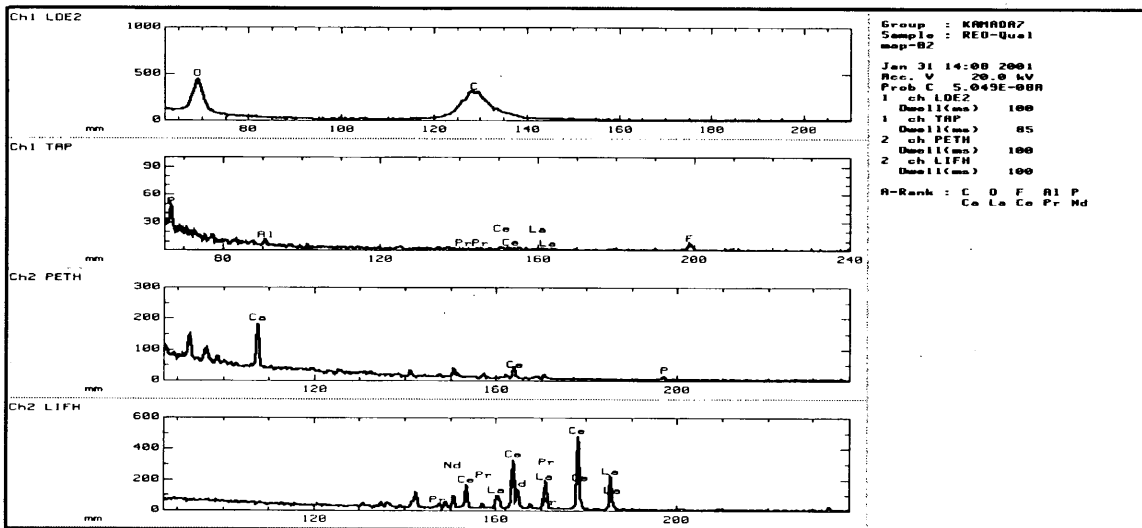
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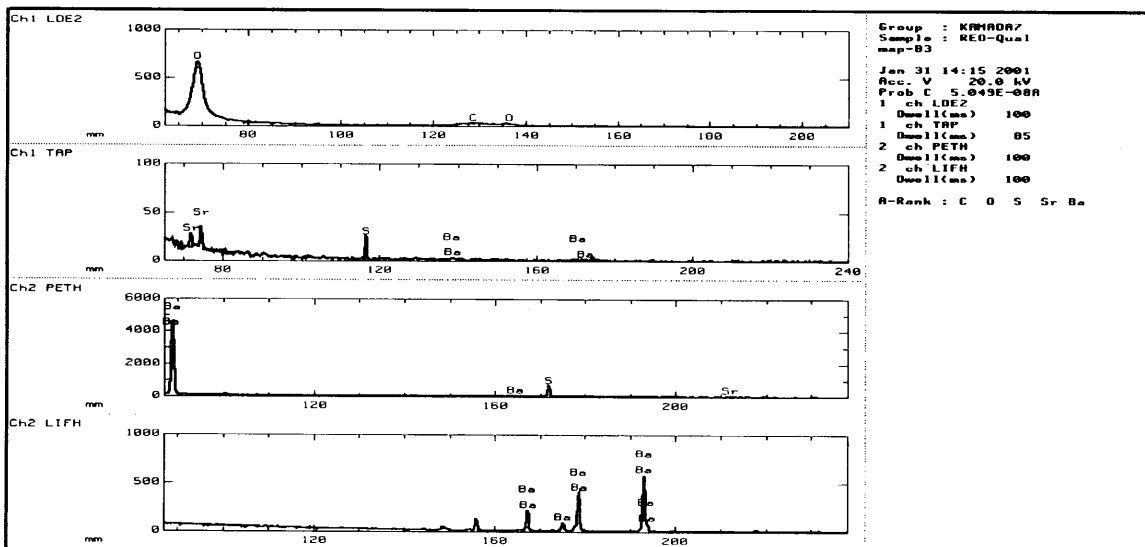
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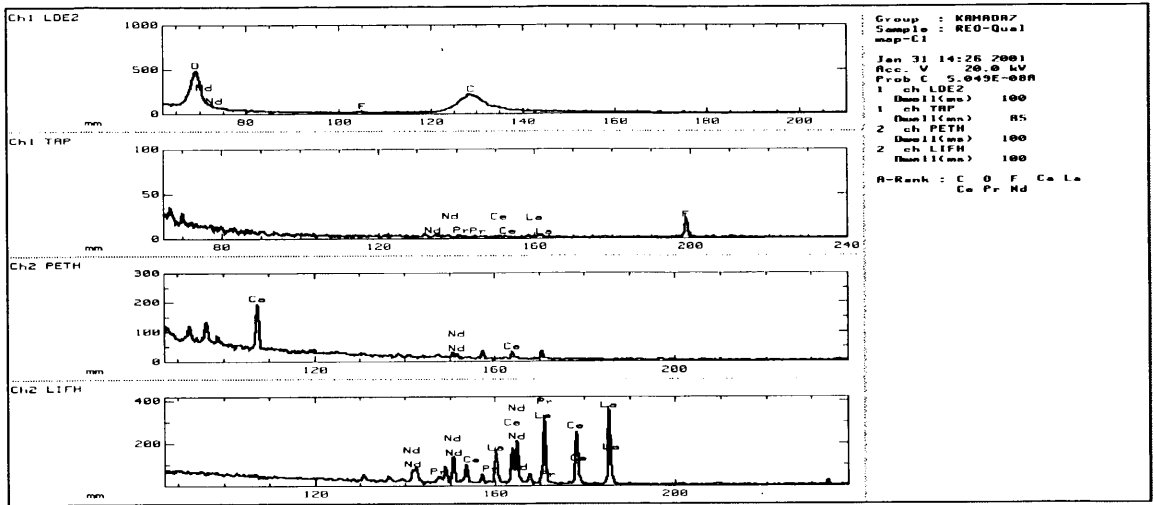
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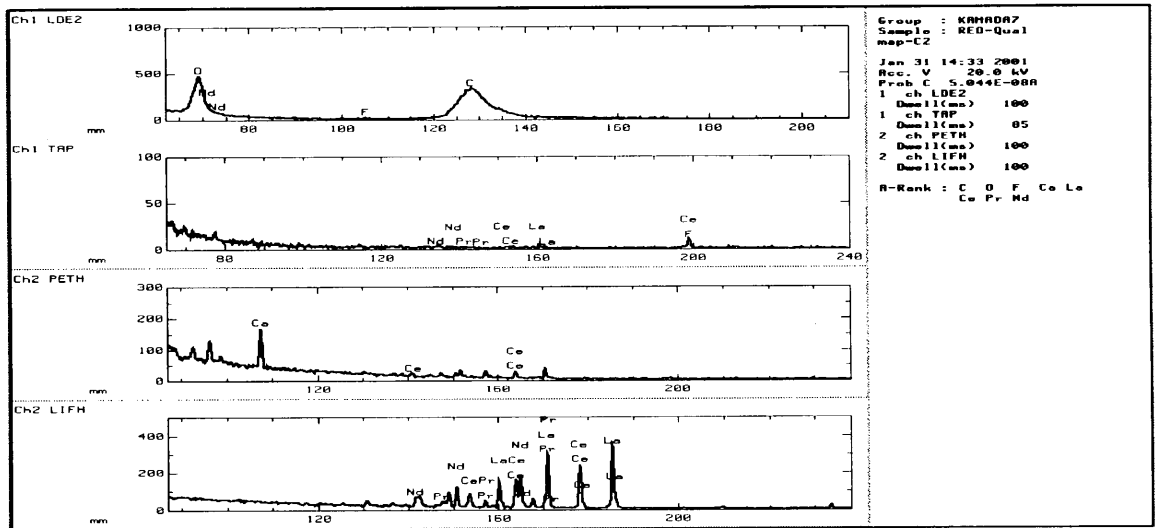
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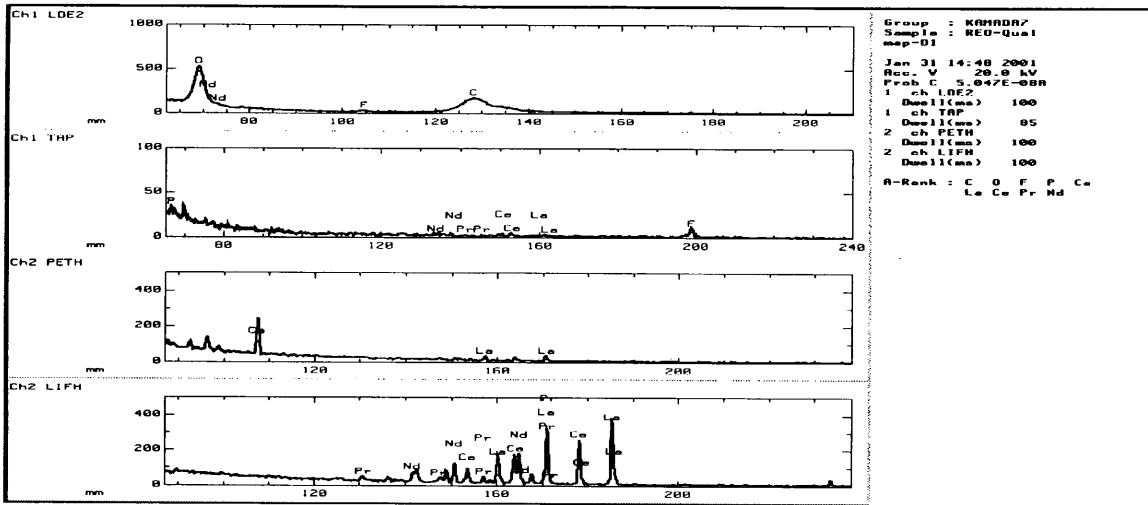
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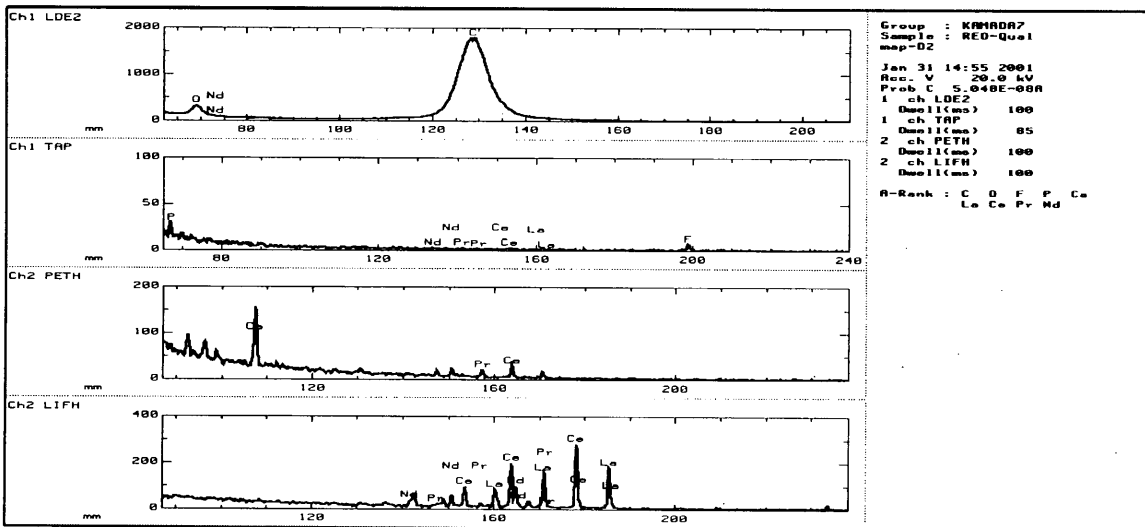
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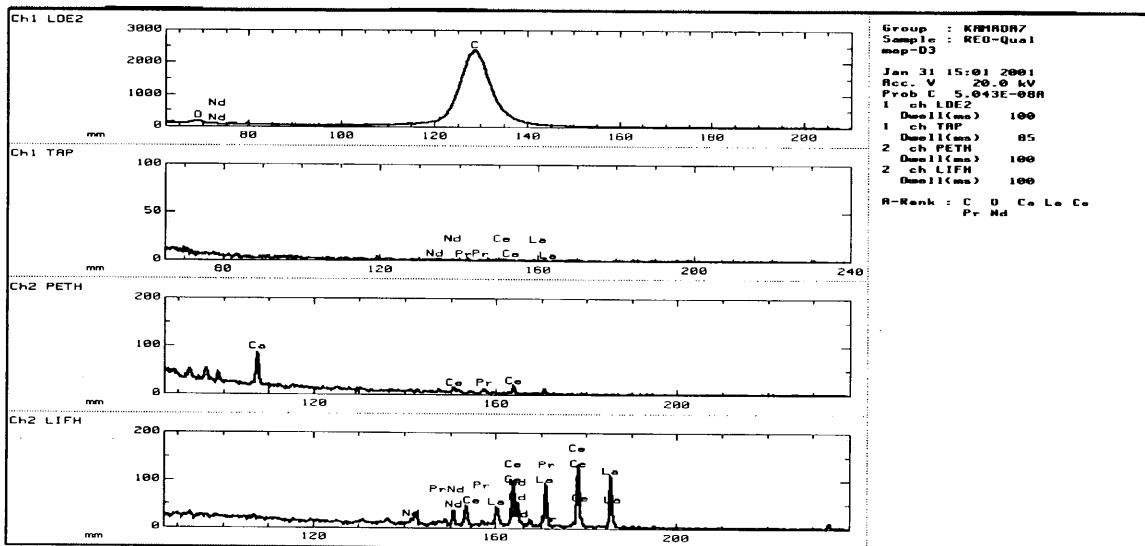
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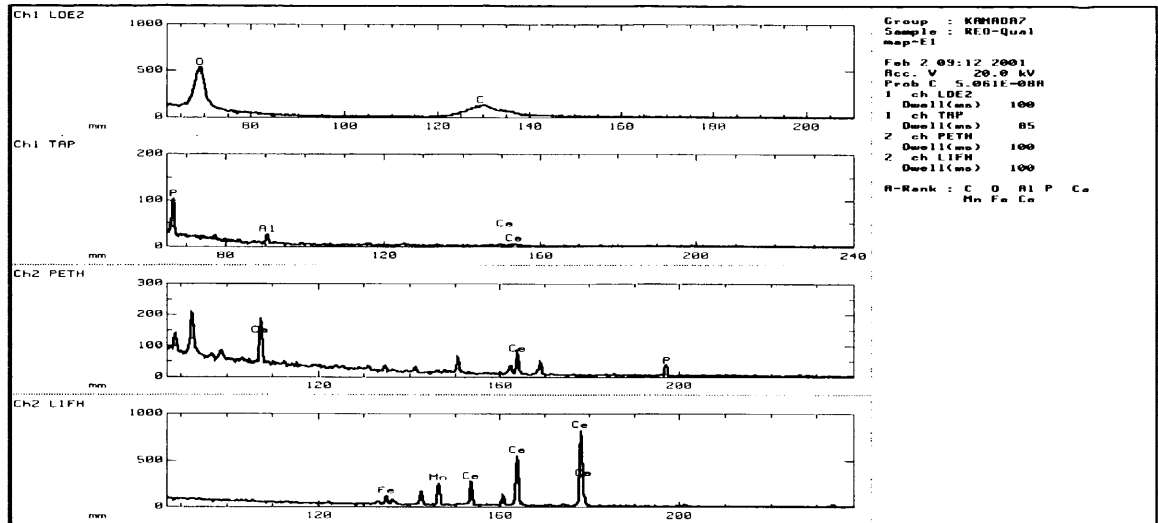
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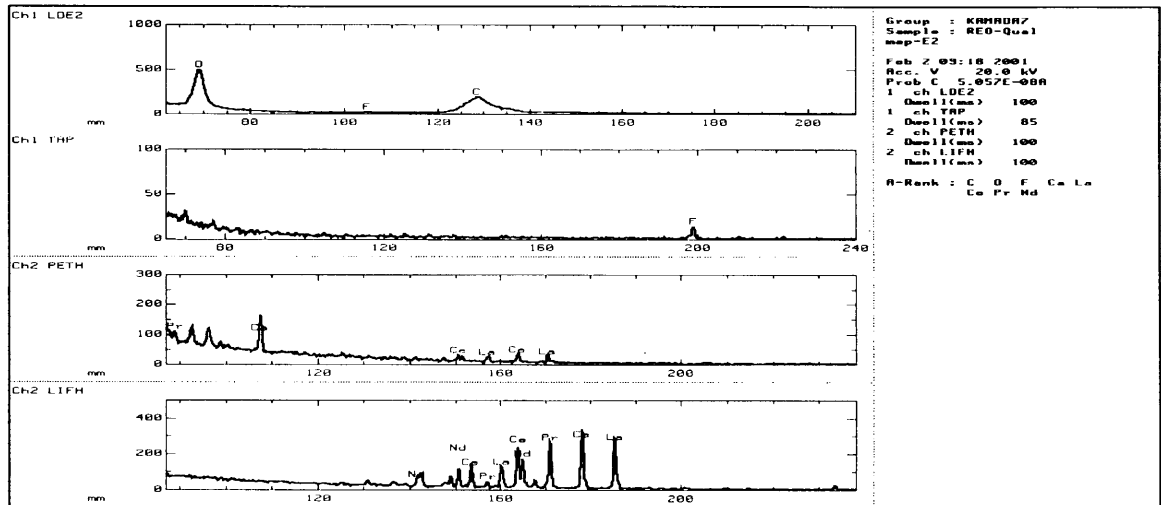
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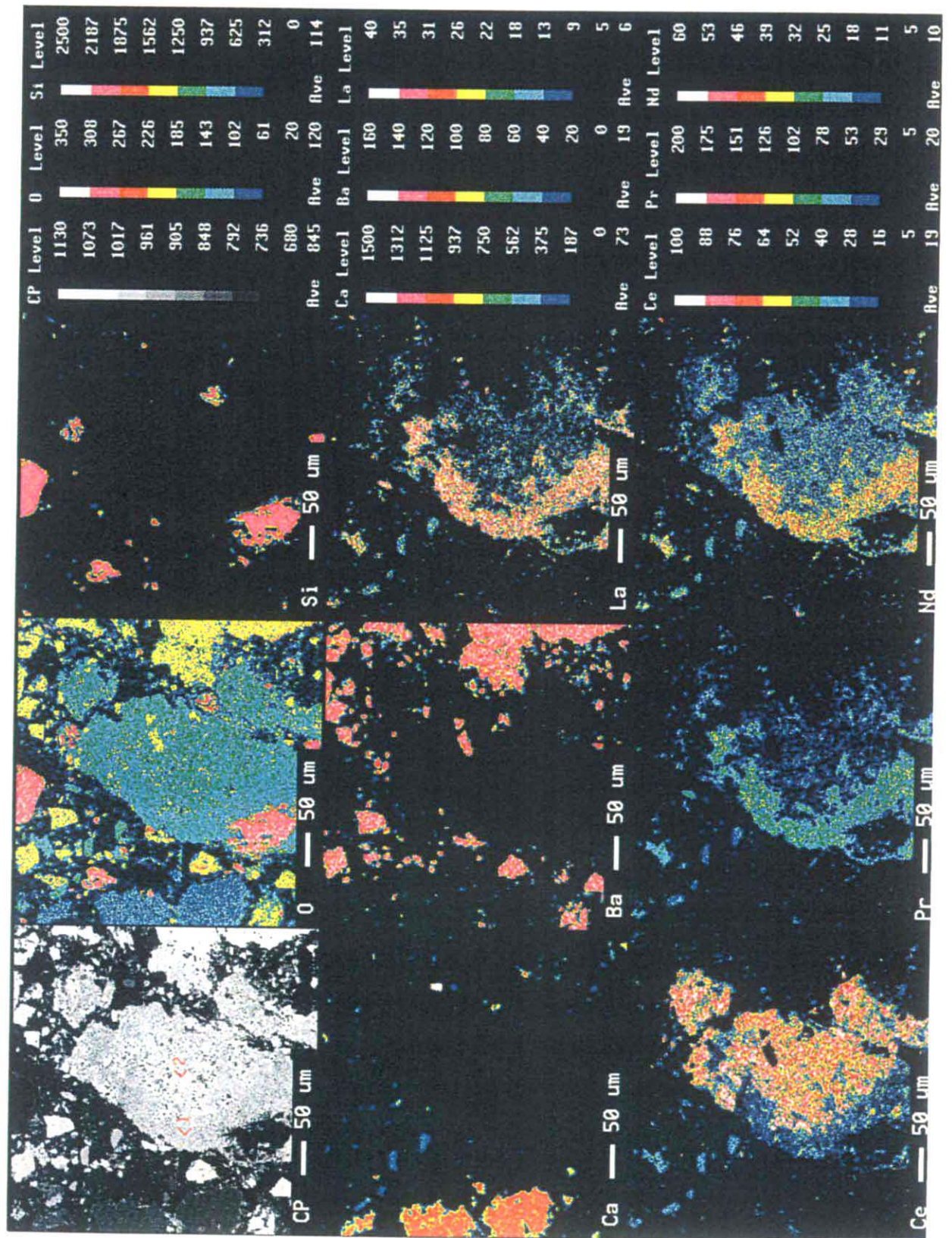
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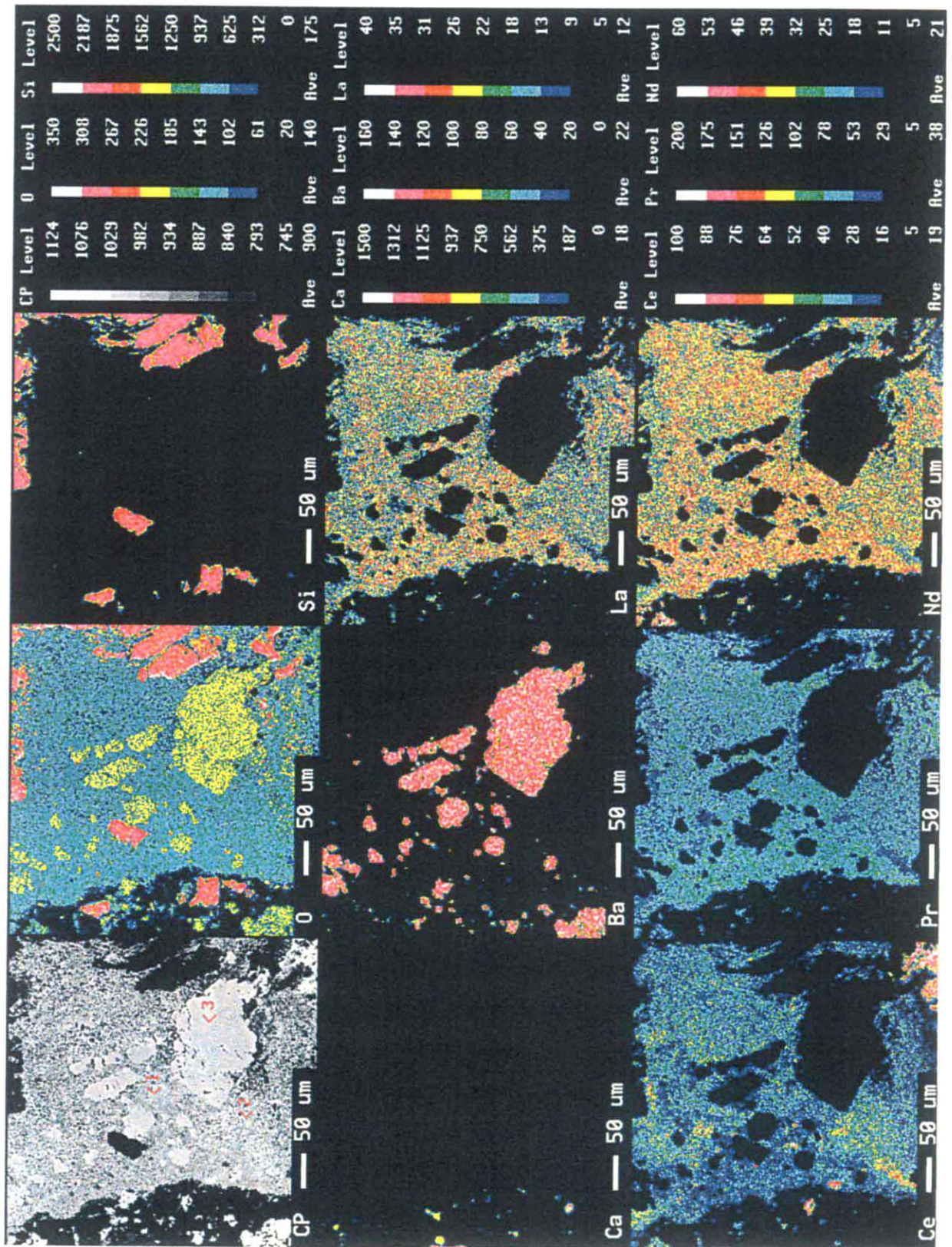
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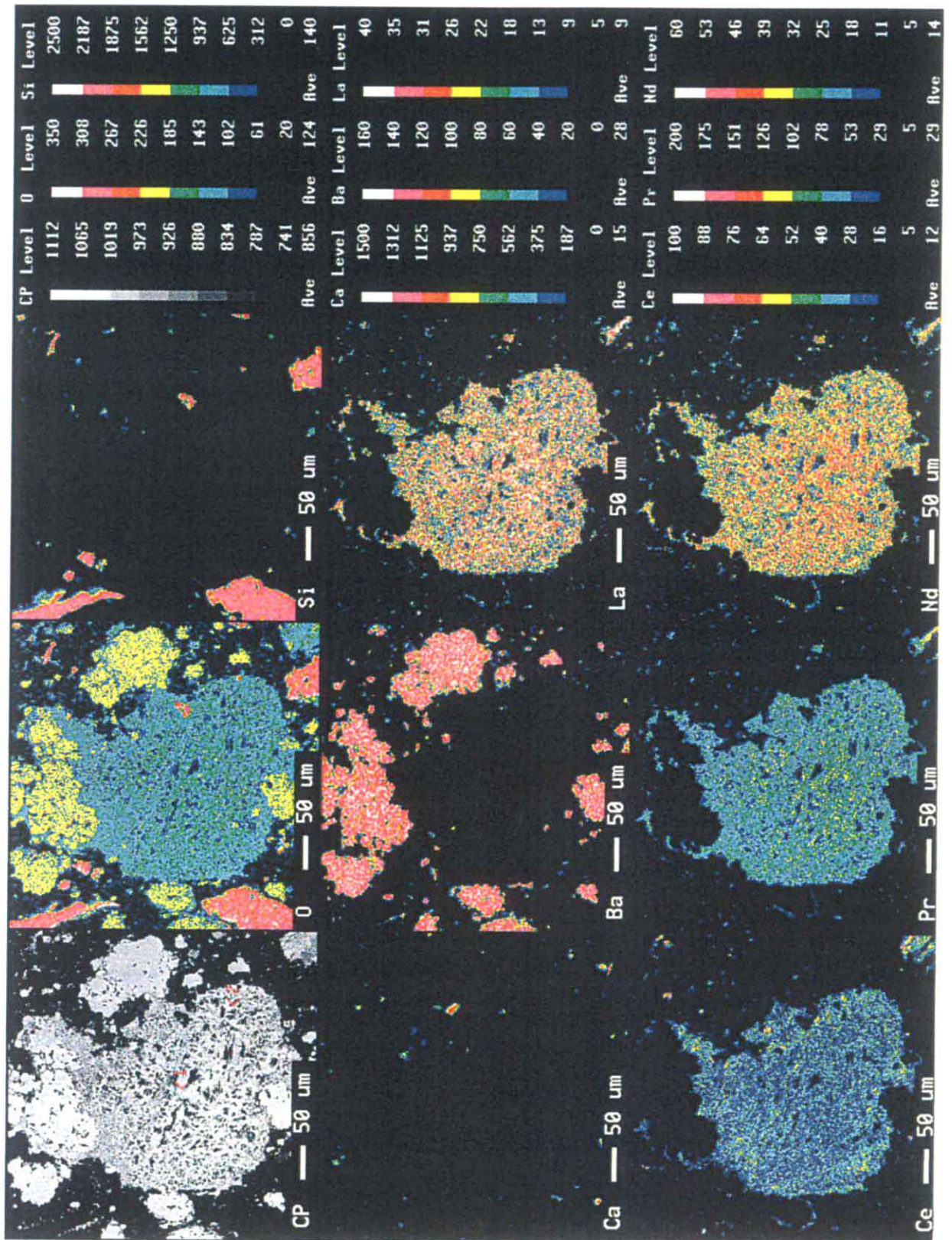
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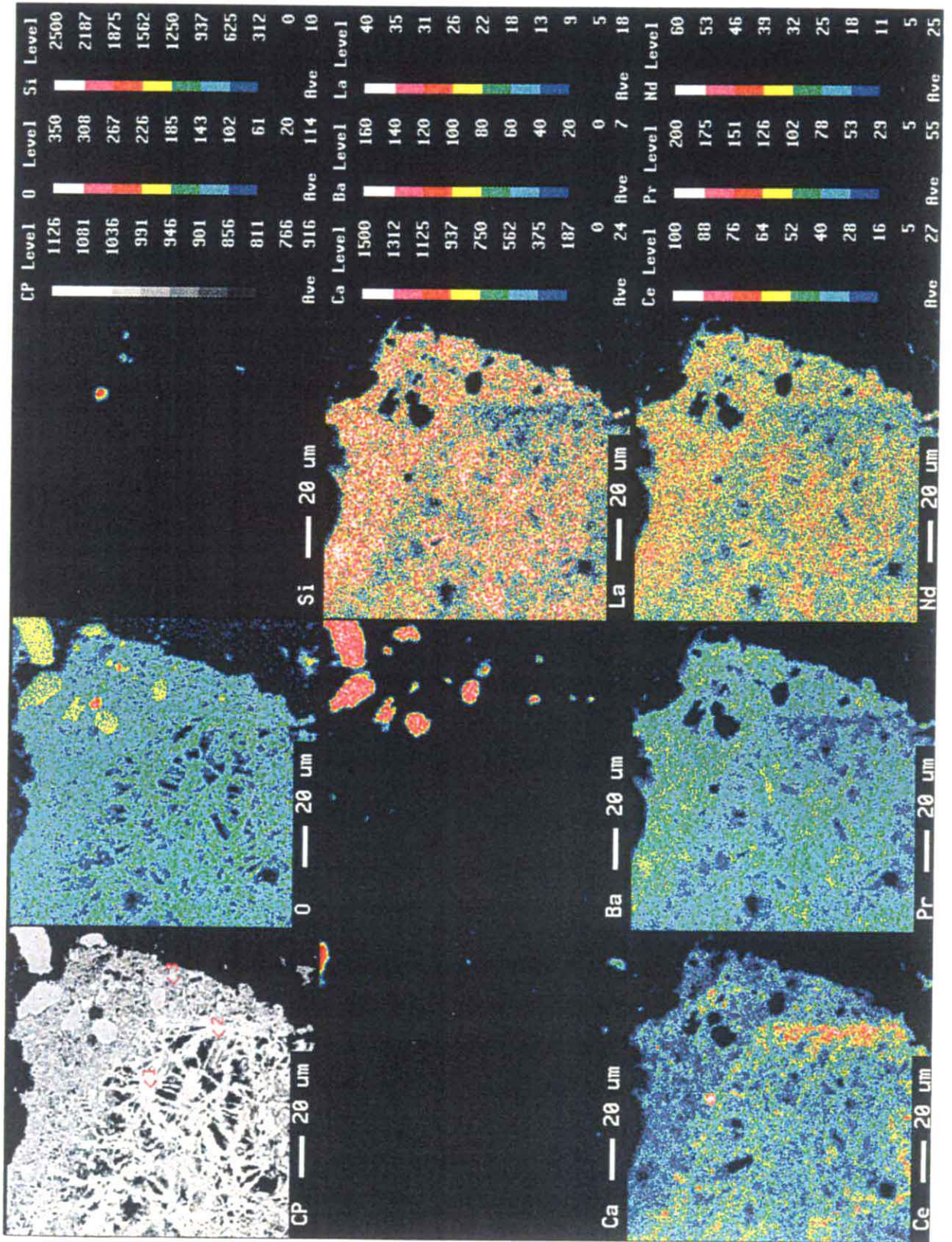
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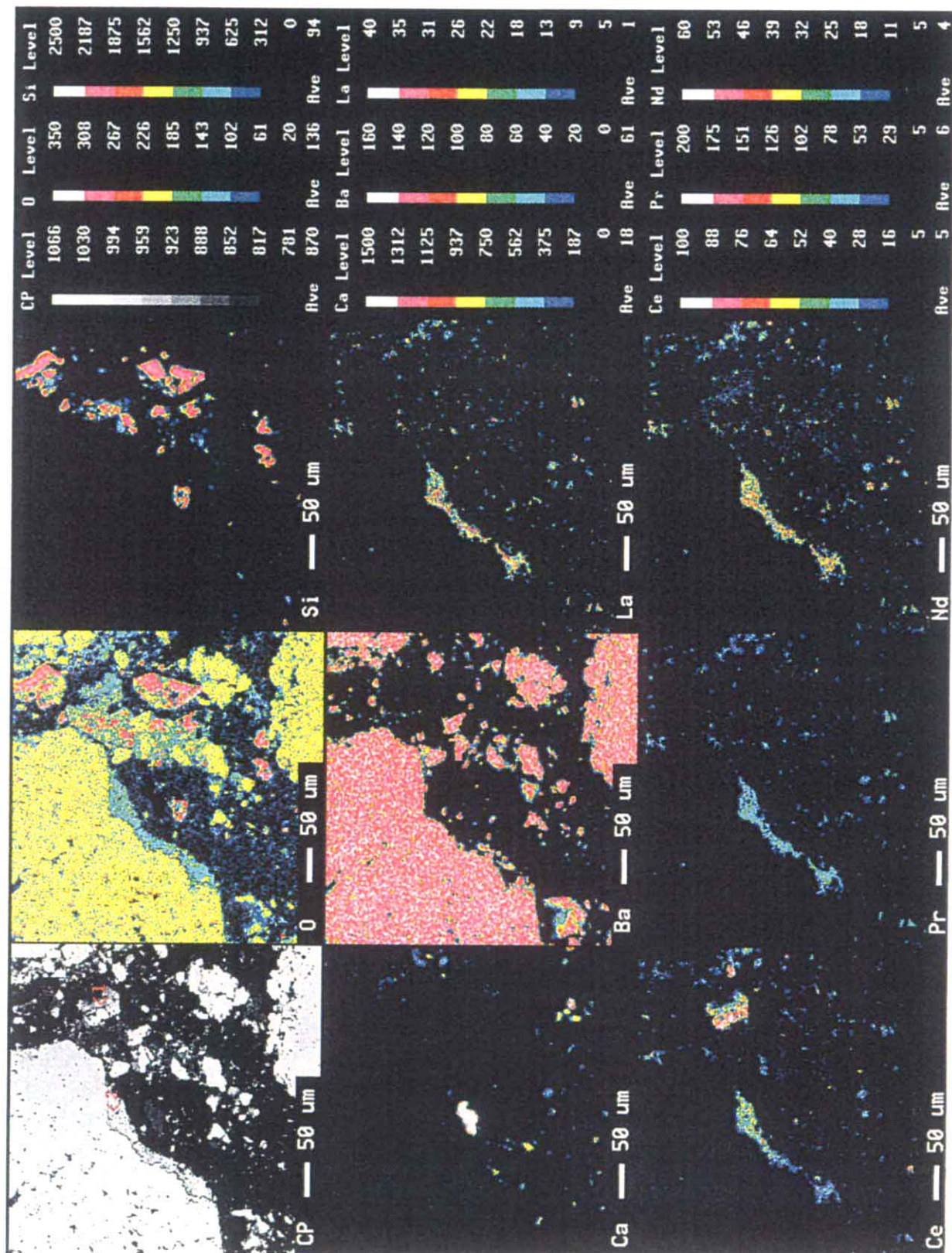
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Results of quantitative analysis

Position	O	F	P	Ca	La	Ce	Pr	Nd	Al	Si	Mn	Fe	S	Sr	Ba
A-1	16.5	10.2	0.5	0.7	39.1	18.6	3.0	11.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
A-2	19.0	3.2	1.3	<0.5	4.7	65.1	0.9	2.7	0.5	<0.5	1.7	0.9	-	-	-
B-1	17.2	8.4	0.5	1.0	30.0	27.4	2.5	11.2	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-
B-2	16.8	5.9	0.8	0.9	22.5	42.0	2.6	8.5	<0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
B-3	29.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.9	1.4	55.5
C-1	16.6	10.9	-	0.8	34.1	21.6	2.8	13.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
C-2	18.4	6.5	-	0.8	38.0	19.9	3.4	13.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
D-1	19.8	7.4	<0.5	1.2	36.5	20.7	3.1	11.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
D-2	15.3	9.9	0.6	1.3	25.8	36.0	1.9	9.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
D-3	15.8	-	-	1.5	34.1	33.3	3.4	11.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E-1	21.1	-	1.8	0.9	-	38.6	-	-	0.9	-	4.8	1.9	-	-	-
E-2	18.4	8.6	-	0.7	27.8	29.9	2.8	11.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Apx. 19 Results of flotation ore test

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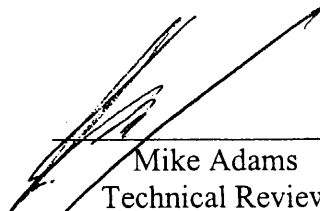
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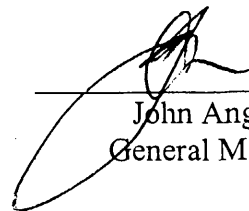
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SUMMARY

A flotation testwork programme was undertaken on a sample of ore from the Dong Pao deposit in Vietnam.

The head assay of the sample was as follows:

HEAD ASSAY

Tl ₂ O %	BaSO ₄ %	CaF ₂ %	ThO ₂ ppm	U ₃ O ₈ ppm	S %	Moisture %	True Rel Density
9.25	62.7	4.7	139	117	8.85	7.57	3.89

An ICP scan of the ore gave the following results:

HEAD ICP SCAN

Au ppm	Ag ppm	Al %	As %	B ppm	Ba ppm	Be ppm	Bi ppm	Ca %	Cd ppm
<5	<10	0.62	<0.1	<50	36.9	<10	10	4.3	<10
Ce %	Cr %	Cs ppm	Cu %	Dy ppm	Er ppm	Eu ppm	F %	Fe %	Ga ppm
3.42	<0.02	0.48	<0.05	147	44	194	2.3	1.94	<1
Gd ppm	Hf ppm	Ho ppm	In ppm	K %	La %	Li ppm	Lu ppm	Mg %	Nb ppm
388	2	18	<0.1	0.05	2.78	41	2	0.05	153
Nd ppm	P %	Pb ppm	Pd ppm	Pr ppm	Pt ppm	Rb ppm	Re ppm	S %	Sb ppm
9635	0.21	0.28	1	3133	<0.5	6.8	<0.1	8.85	42
Sc ppm	Se %	Si %	Sm ppm	Sn ppm	Sr ppm	Ta ppm	Tb ppm	Te ppm	Th ppm
<20	<0.02	4.4	911	<20	5194	<1	53.4	<10	122
Ti %	Tl ppm	U ppm	Tm ppm	V ppm	W ppm	Y ppm	Yb ppm	Zn %	Zr ppm
0.06	5	99	4	87	57	565	19	0.06	<200

A quantitative XRD analysis showed the following mineral abundances:

QUANTITATIVE XRD RESULTS

Mineral	Wt(%)
Barite	74.1
Bastnaesite -Ce	1.2
Bastnaesite -La	1.1
Calcite	1.5
Celestine	3.4
Finnemanite	0.5
Fluorite	4.2
Mordenite	5.5
Perloffite	3.5
Quartz	4.1
Synchysite	0.3

These results show the following:

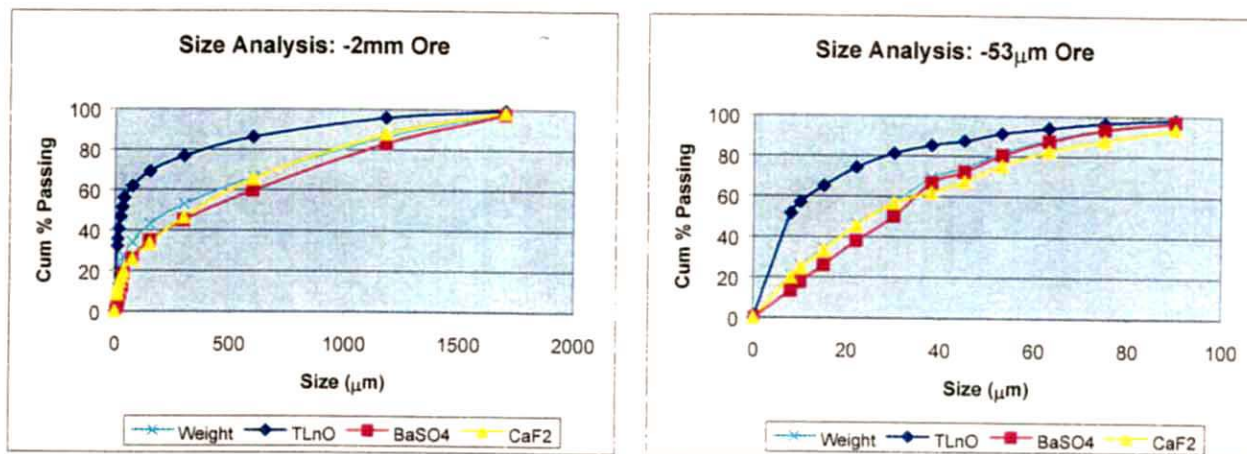
- Barite is the dominant mineral in this ore.
- Minerals containing rare-earth oxides include bastnaesite and synchysite.

A mineralogical examination revealed the following:

- Barite was found to be the dominant mineral in the ore, occurring mainly as liberated crystals ranging between 200µm and 2000µm in size.
- The major rare-earth mineral, bastnaesite, was found to occur predominantly as liberated, rounded masses – often exceeding 1mm in size.
- Bastnaesite was also found to be frequently associated with barite, and occasionally associated with fluorite, quartz, and apatite.

Size analyses were conducted on the ore after crushing to pass 2mm, and after milling to 80% passing 53µm. The results obtained are shown graphically overleaf.

SIZE ANALYSES



The following comments may be made concerning these results:

- The fine fractions in both tests were enriched in rare earth oxides, eliminating desliming as a form of treatment.
- The ore mineral distributions were such that classification would not be considered an acceptable method of beneficiation.

A number of batch flotation tests were performed with the intention of producing separate concentrates of rare earth oxides, barite, and fluorite. The results obtained are summarised below:

SUMMARY OF BATCH FLOTATION RESULTS

Test No.	Test Conditions	BaSO ₄ Concentrate* Recoveries (%)			REO Concentrate Recoveries (%)		
		BaSO ₄	REO	CaF ₂	BaSO ₄	REO	CaF ₂
RB 2819	Ba/Ca Bulk Float, Followed by REO Float	43.2	20.9	20.9	11.7	31.7	15.5
RB 2843	Similar, Increased Ba/Ca Collectors	95.8	67.6	75.3	4.0	27.9	23.1
RB 2844	REO Float, Followed by Ba/Ca Float	59.7	54.8	78.3	40.1	40.7	19.8
RB 2845	REO Float, Followed by CaF ₂ Float & BaSO ₄ Float	59.1	48.9	72.5	40.7	45.4	25.5
RB 2889	Similar to RB 2819, Increased Ba/Ca Collectors & REO depressant.	98.1	87.3	95.3	1.5	9.8	3.5
RB 2890	Repeat at Finer Grind	95.6	84.0	92.7	4.1	14.6	6.5
RB 2891	REO Float, Followed by Ba/Ca Float, Finer Grind	40.9	45.2	57.4	58.8	52.6	41.4
RB 2892	REO/CaF ₂ Float Followed by BaSO ₄ Float, Finer Grind	15.9	19.8	25.7	81.5	64.4	66.4
RB 2893	REO Float Followed by CaF ₂ Float, Different Reagents, Finer Grind	41.5	65.0	66.5	58.5	35.0	33.5
RB 2895	Pre-Size, Float +32µm, +10µm, Std Grind	90.6	59.5	84.2	1.2	1.8	0.8
PD321	Similar to RB 2889, Heat to 60 C	99.7	98.1	99.2	0.2	1.8	0.7
PD326	Repeat, Increase REO Depressant	99.8	98.3	99.3	0.2	1.7	0.7
PD327	Repeat, Decrease Collector Addition	99.6	97.2	98.8	0.4	2.8	1.2

* Combined CaF₂ and BaSO₄ Concentrates where produced separately

The following comments may be made concerning these results:

- The order in the flotation of the ore minerals was varied.
- The effect of finer grinding was evaluated.
- Reagent type and dosages were varied.
- Flotation of pre-sized ore was tried.
- Flotation at elevated temperature was evaluated.
- In all instances it was found that differential flotation was unsuccessful.

A series of magnetic separation tests were performed to determine whether a REO concentrate could be collected, leaving a barite and fluorite rich tailing. The summarised results obtained are shown overleaf.

These results show the following:

- The testwork was performed on unmilled (-2mm) material.
- The samples were prescreened at 38 μ m, and, where shown, the +38 μ m fraction was pulverized before processing.
- Two magnetic separators were utilized, i.e. a WHIMS (Wet, High Intensity Magnetic Separator) and an Induced Roll (a dry separator).
- In all cases the beneficiation of REO's by screening at 38 μ m exceeded the beneficiation by magnetic separation.

SUMMARY OF MAGNETIC SEPARATION TESTWORK

Magnetic Separation	+38 μ m Pulverised	Magnetics						
		Mass (%)	REO (%)		BaSO ₄ (%)		CaF ₂ (%)	
			Grade	Rec	Grade	Rec	Grade	Rec
WHIMS	YES	3.7	6.6	2.7	41.0	2.4	4.5	3.5
IND ROLL	NO	13.0	21.3	30.6	25.7	5.3	4.5	12.3
IND ROLL	YES	12.6	14.5	19.8	48.9	9.8	4.7	12.0

The following comments may be made concerning the testwork performed:

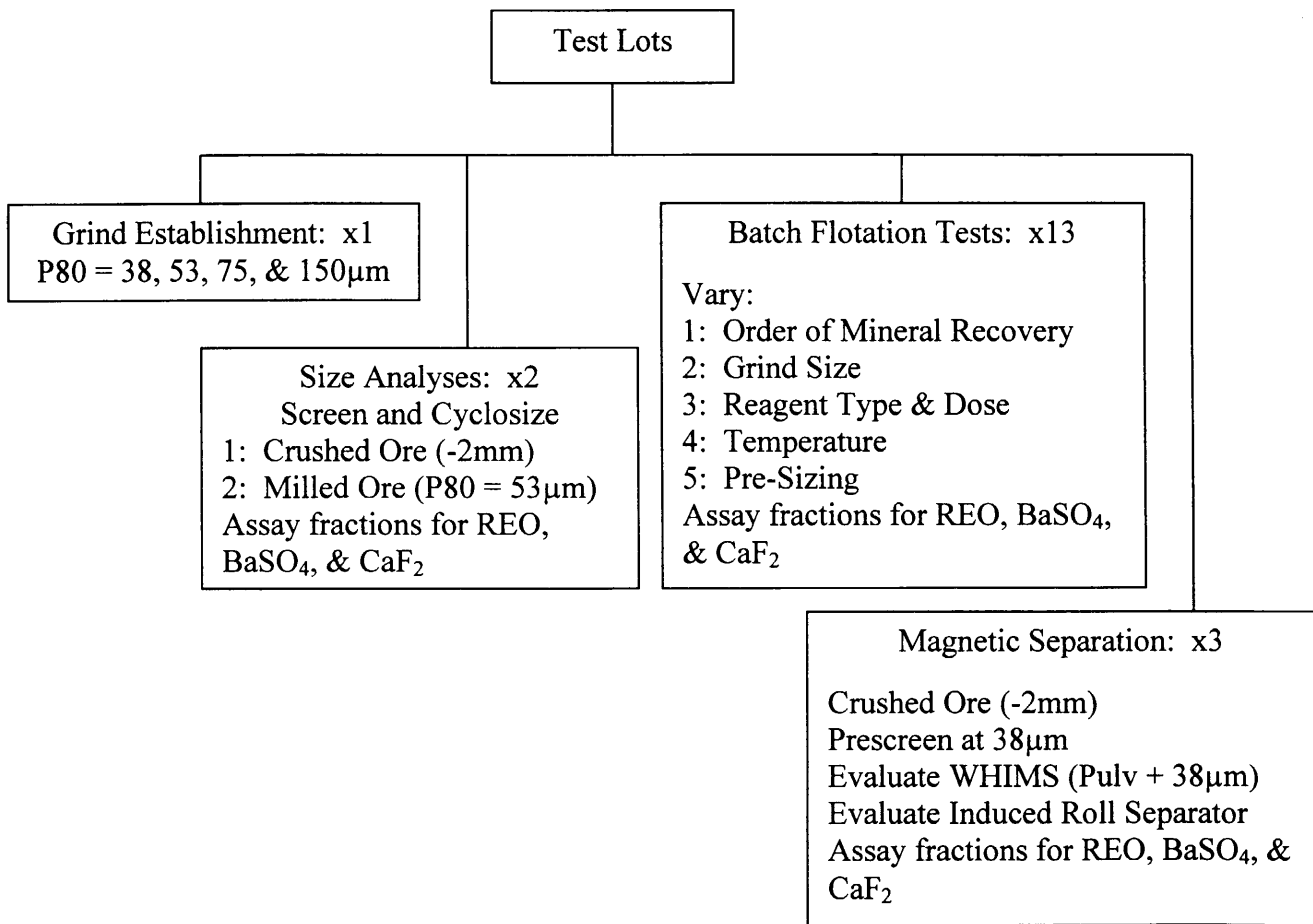
- The objective of the exercise was to differentially recover rare earth oxides, barite, and fluorite. This objective has not been achieved.
- Mineralogical investigation has shown that a little over half of the rare earth oxides were liberated, with approximately 40% associated with mainly barite and fluorite.
- Mineralogical examination also revealed that while the barite grains were predominantly liberated, this mineral also occurred in composite grains with bastnaesite, fluorite, and silicates. Bastnaesite rims were also observed on barite grains.
- These observations, added to the similarity in flotation response of the ore minerals, indicate that successful separation of these minerals will be difficult by physical means.
- It is recommended that further testwork be undertaken evaluating combinations of sizing, flotation, and magnetic separation.
- It is further recommended that sighter tests be undertaken to assess the potential of hydrometallurgical processing to extract the rare earth oxides.

1. INTRODUCTION

Mr Akeo Onishi, of Sumico Consultants Co. Ltd, requested Lakefield Orestest Pty Ltd to perform a number of tests on a sample of Dong Pao ore from Vietnam.

The testwork programme is shown in Figure 1:

FIGURE 1: TESTWORK PROGRAMME



The aim of the testwork was to differentially recover Rare Earth Oxides (REO or TLnO), barite (BaSO₄), and fluorite (CaF₂).

All assays were conducted by Genalysis of Maddington and Ultra Trace of Canning Vale, Western Australia, using the following methods:

Genalysis:

Multi elemental analysis	ICP – MS/OES
S	Leco Combustion

Ultra Trace:
REO, CaO, BaO, & F XRF

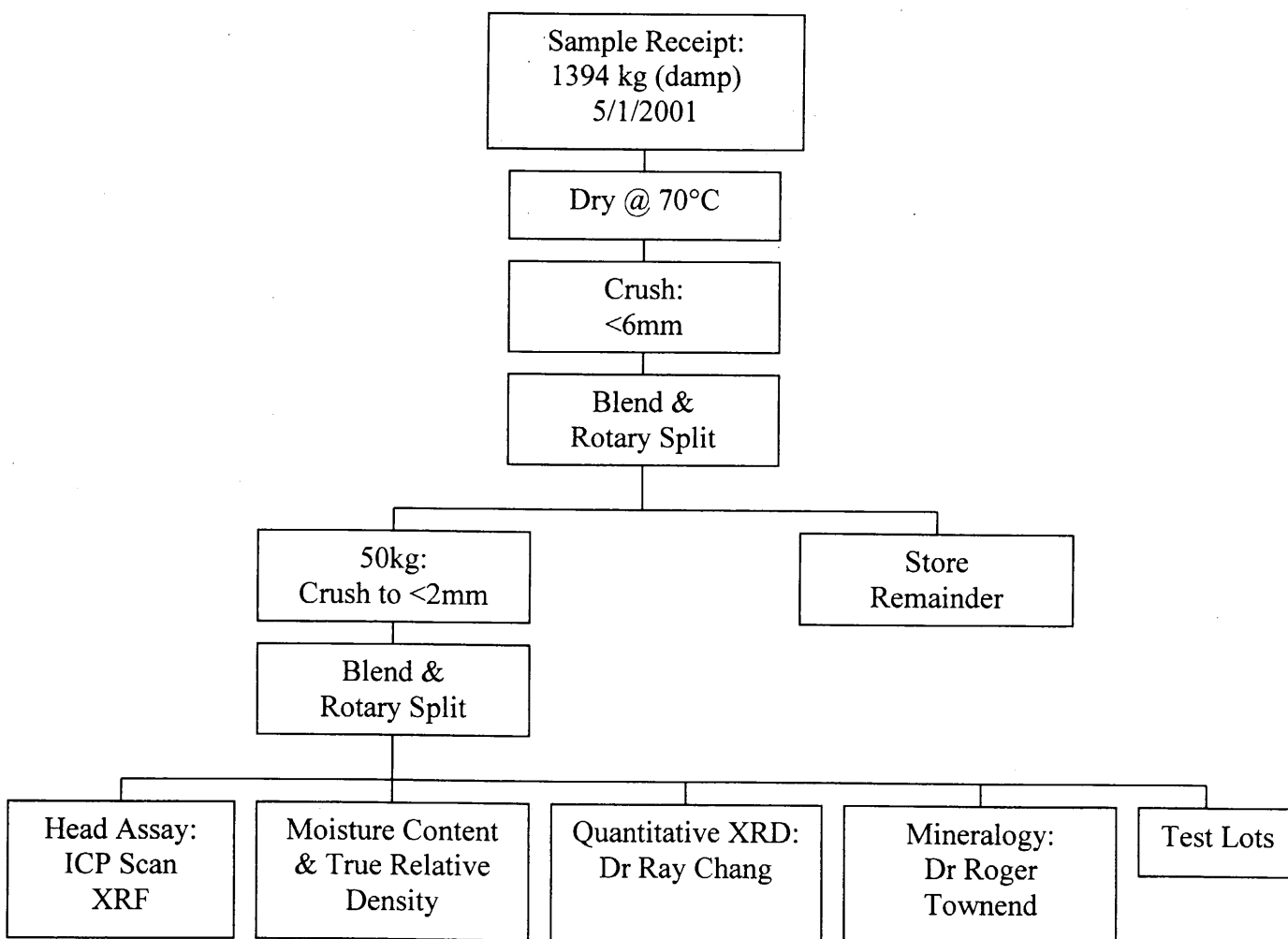
The detailed assay results are shown in Table 7 in Section 4. Sample preparation of solid samples was conducted at Lakefield Orestest's laboratory sample preparation facility.

All tests were conducted in Perth tap water.

2. SAMPLES / SAMPLE PREPARATION

A 1.4t damp sample was delivered to Lakefield Orestest on 5th January 2001. The sample was prepared according to the flowsheet shown in Figure 2:

FIGURE 2: SAMPLE PREPARATION



2.1 HEAD ASSAY

The following head assays were obtained on this sample:

TABLE 1: HEAD ASSAY

Tl ₂ O %	BaSO ₄ %	CaF ₂ %	ThO ₂ ppm	U ₃ O ₈ ppm	S %	Moisture %	True Rel Density
9.25	62.7	4.7	139	117	8.85	7.57	3.89

The detailed data for the True relative density determination is given in Table 8 in Section 4.

2.2 ICP SCAN

The results of the ICP scan are given in Table 2:

TABLE 2: HEAD ICP SCAN

Au Ppm	Ag ppm	Al %	As %	B ppm	Ba ppm	Be ppm	Bi ppm	Ca %	Cd ppm
<5	<10	0.62	<0.1	<50	36.9	<10	10	4.3	<10
Ce %	Cr %	Cs ppm	Cu %	Dy ppm	Er ppm	Eu ppm	F %	Fe %	Ga ppm
3.42	<0.02	0.48	<0.05	147	44	194	2.3	1.94	<1
Gd ppm	Hf ppm	Ho ppm	In ppm	K %	La %	Li ppm	Lu ppm	Mg %	Nb ppm
388	2	18	<0.1	0.05	2.78	41	2	0.05	153
Nd ppm	P %	Pb ppm	Pd ppm	Pr ppm	Pt ppm	Rb ppm	Re ppm	S %	Sb ppm
9635	0.21	0.28	1	3133	<0.5	6.8	<0.1	8.85	42
Sc ppm	Se %	Si %	Sm ppm	Sn ppm	Sr ppm	Ta ppm	Tb ppm	Te ppm	Th ppm
<20	<0.02	4.4	911	<20	5194	<1	53.4	<10	122
Ti %	Tl ppm	U ppm	Tm ppm	V ppm	W ppm	Y ppm	Yb ppm	Zn %	Zr ppm
0.06	5	99	4	87	57	565	19	0.06	<200

2.3 QUANTITATIVE XRD

A quantitative X-Ray Diffraction analysis was performed on the ore sample. The detailed report is shown in Appendix 1, while a summary of the mineral abundances is given in Table 3:

TABLE 3: QUANTITATIVE XRD RESULTS

Mineral	Wt (%)
Barite	74.1
Bastnaesite -Ce	1.2
Bastnaesite -La	1.1
Calcite	1.5
Celestine	3.4
Finnemanite	0.5
Fluorite	4.2
Mordenite	5.5
Perloffite	3.5
Quartz	4.1
Synchysite	0.3

These results show the following:

- Barite was the dominant mineral in this ore, and for test purposes it has been assumed that all barium occurs as barite. Alternative Ba-minerals have, however, been detected (celestine, perloffite).
- Similarly, the fluorite grades have been derived from fluorine assays, despite alternative fluorine-bearing minerals being present (bastnaesite, synchysite).
- Bastnaesite and Synchysite are the main rare-earth minerals.

2.4 MINERALOGY

The mineralogical reports prepared by Dr Roger Townend are shown in Appendix 2. The following points summarise the observations made:

- The dominant mineral was barite, which mainly occurred as liberated crystals ranging between 200µm and 2000µm in size.
- Minor amounts of barite were found to form coarse composites with quartz and fluorite.
- Barite associations with bastnaesite were found to be quite common.

- Bastnaesite, the major rare-earth mineral, was found to occur predominantly as liberated, rounded masses that often exceeded 1mm in size.
- Coarse grains of bastnaesite were observed to include barite.
- Bastnaesite was observed to form rims to coarse barite.
- Observation of approximately 50 rare earth mineral grains showed 54% to be liberated, 39% to be associated with barite, and 2% to be associated with fluorite. The remainder was associated with quartz or apatite.
- Fluorite was found as discrete crystals to 1.5mm, as coarse composites with barite and calcite, and as fine fluorite associated with coarse barite.

3. TESTWORK PROCEDURES AND RESULTS

3.1 PROCEDURES

The following standard procedures were utilised:

- True Relative Density
- Grind Establishment
- Size Analysis
- Cyclosizing
- Batch Flotation
- WHIMS
- Induced Roll Magnetic Separator

These procedures are shown in detail in Appendix 3.

3.2 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

3.2.1 Grind Establishment

This test was performed to determine the milling parameters to achieve the required grind size. This information is shown in Table 4:

TABLE 4: GRIND ESTABLISHMENT

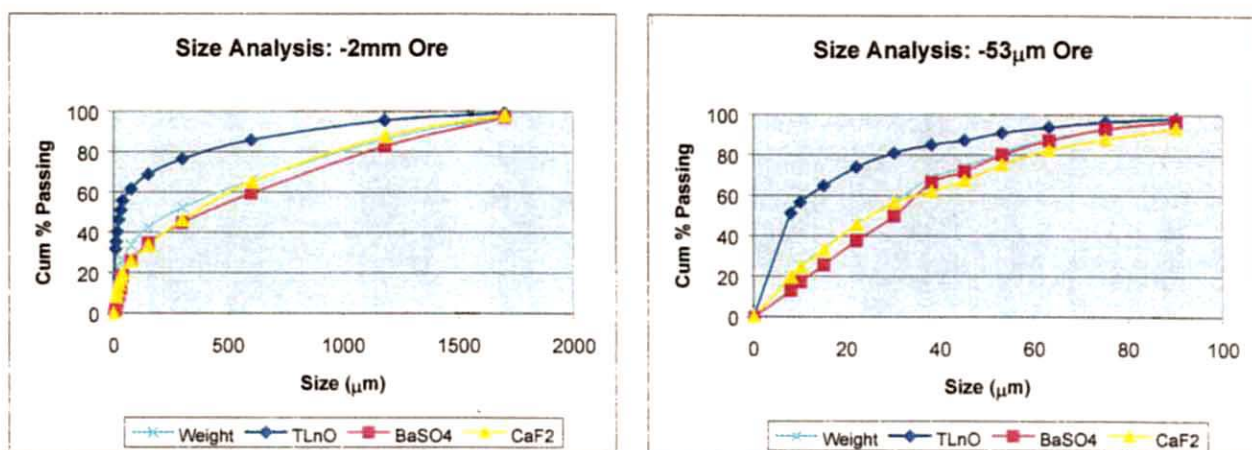
Grind Size μm , P80	Milling Time (mins : sec)
38	10 : 20
53	7 : 06
75	4 : 30
150	1 : 12

These results are indicative of a fairly soft ore.

3.2.3 Size Analyses

Size analyses were performed on crushed ore (<2mm) and milled ore (P80 = 53 μm). The detailed data is given in Tables 9 and 10 in Section 4, and the results are illustrated graphically in Figure 3:

FIGURE 3: SIZE ANALYSES



The following comments may be made concerning these results:

- In both instances, the fine fractions were enriched in rare earth oxides and slightly depleted in barite and fluorite. Desliming prior to treatment would therefore not be considered an option.
- The ore minerals were, however, distributed through all size ranges to the extent that classification would not be considered an acceptable means of beneficiation.

3.2.4 Batch Flotation

A number of batch flotation tests were performed in an attempt to differentially recover the REO's, barite, and fluorite. The detailed test data is given in Tables 11 to 25, while the results obtained are summarised below:

TABLE 5: SUMMARY OF BATCH FLOTATION RESULTS

Test No.	Test Conditions	BaSO ₄ Concentrate*			REO Concentrate Recoveries (%)		
		BaSO ₄	REO	CaF ₂	BaSO ₄	REO	CaF ₂
RB 2819	Ba/Ca Bulk Float, Followed by REO Float	43.2	20.9	20.9	11.7	31.7	15.5
RB 2843	Similar, Increased Ba/Ca Collectors	95.8	67.6	75.3	4.0	27.9	23.1
RB 2844	REO Float, Followed by Ba/Ca Float	59.7	54.8	78.3	40.1	40.7	19.8
RB 2845	REO Float, Followed by CaF ₂ Float & BaSO ₄ Float	59.1	48.9	72.5	40.7	45.4	25.5
RB 2889	Similar to RB 2819, Increased Ba/Ca Collectors & REO depressant.	98.1	87.3	95.3	1.5	9.8	3.5
RB 2890	Repeat at Finer Grind	95.6	84.0	92.7	4.1	14.6	6.5
RB 2891	REO Float, Followed by Ba/Ca Float, Finer Grind	40.9	45.2	57.4	58.8	52.6	41.4
RB 2892	REO/CaF ₂ Float Followed by BaSO ₄ Float, Finer Grind	15.9	19.8	25.7	81.5	64.4	66.4
RB 2893	REO Float Followed by CaF ₂ Float, Different Reagents, Finer Grind	41.5	65.0	66.5	58.5	35.0	33.5
RB 2895	Pre-Size, Float +32um, +10um, Std Grind	90.6	59.5	84.2	1.2	1.8	0.8
PD321	Similar to RB 2889, Heat to 60 C	99.7	98.1	99.2	0.2	1.8	0.7
PD326	Repeat, Increase REO Depressant	99.8	98.3	99.3	0.2	1.7	0.7
PD327	Repeat, Decrease Collector Addition	99.6	97.2	98.8	0.4	2.8	1.2

* Combined CaF₂ and BaSO₄ Concentrates where produced separately

The following comments may be made concerning these results:

- Various configurations were evaluated where the order of floating the ore minerals was changed.
- The effect of finer grinding was evaluated.
- Reagent type and dosages were varied.
- Desliming and flotation of sized fractions was evaluated.
- Flotation at elevated temperature was attempted.
- The differential recovery of the ore minerals proved to be unsuccessful in all cases.

The following reagents were utilised:

Reagent	Action	Supplier
Sodium Silicate	Regulator, Dispersant	AJAX Chemicals
Oleic Acid	Collector	Aldrich Chemicals
AP 845	Collector	Cytec
Sodium Carbonate	Regulator	Rowe Scientific
Aluminium Chloride	Depressant	Rowe Scientific
Citric Acid	Depressant	Univar Reagents
MIBC	Frother	CLARIANT
Lead Nitrate	Activator	Rowe Scientific
Quebracho	Depressant	IMTRADE
Caustic Starch	Depressant	Starch Australia
Emigol	Collector, Emulsifier	Clariant
H 2875	Collector	Clariant
V 2711	Collector	Clariant
CLA020	Collector	Clariant
FS2	Collector	Clariant
H54	Frother	Clariant

3.2.5 Magnetic Separation

Bastnaesite is considered to be paramagnetic, and a number of high intensity magnetic separation tests were performed in an attempt to recover this mineral. Two magnetic separators were evaluated, viz an Eriez WHIMS and an Induced Roll magnetic separator.

The testwork was performed on crushed ore (-2mm) after screening at 38 μ m. In some tests the +38 μ m fraction was pulverised to approximately 30 μ m before testing. The following table gives the results obtained:

TABLE 6: MAGNETIC SEPARATION

Ferrous Wheel Magnetic Separator.

Products	Mass		REO (%)			BaSO ₄ (%)			CaF ₂ (%)					
	(g)	(%)	Grade	Distrib.	Cum Grade	Cum Dist.	Grade	Distrib.	Cum Grade	Cum Dist.	Grade	Distrib.	Cum Grade	Cum Dist.
Mags: (+38um, pulv)	28.6	2.9	3.8	1.2	3.8	1.2	41.9	1.9	41.9	1.9	4.7	2.8	4.7	2.8
Mags (-38um)	8.2	0.8	16.4	1.5	6.6	2.7	37.7	0.5	41.0	2.4	3.9	0.7	4.5	3.5
Non-Mags: (+38um, pulv)	718.1	72.5	5.7	44.6	5.7	47.3	70.2	81.8	68.8	84.2	5.1	76.3	5.1	79.8
Non-Mags (-38um)	236.2	23.8	20.4	52.7	9.2	100.0	41.2	15.8	62.2	100.0	4.1	20.2	4.8	100.0
Total	991.1	100.0	9.2	100.0			62.2	100.0			4.8	100.0		
Assayed Heads			9.3				62.7				4.7			

Induced Roll Magnetic Separator (Unpulverised).

Products	Mass		REO (%)			BaSO ₄ (%)			CaF ₂ (%)					
	(g)	(%)	Grade	Distrib.	Cum Grade	Cum Dist.	Grade	Distrib.	Cum Grade	Cum Dist.	Grade	Distrib.	Cum Grade	Cum Dist.
Mags: (+38um)	74.0	7.5	18.9	15.6	18.9	15.6	21.8	2.6	21.8	2.6	4.5	7.0	4.5	7.0
Mags: (-38um)	54.6	5.5	24.5	14.9	21.3	30.6	30.9	2.7	25.7	5.3	4.6	5.3	4.5	12.3
Mids: (+38um)	191.6	19.3	8.1	17.3	13.4	47.8	65.9	20.3	49.7	25.6	4.9	19.7	4.8	32.0
Mids: (-38um)	41.4	4.2	14.8	6.8	13.5	54.7	54.3	3.6	50.3	29.2	3.4	3.0	4.6	35.0
Non-Mags: (+38um)	481.0	48.5	2.3	12.4	7.1	67.1	78.5	60.7	66.4	89.9	5.2	52.6	4.9	87.5
Non-Mags (-38um)	148.4	15.0	19.9	32.9	9.0	100.0	42.3	10.1	62.8	100.0	4.0	12.5	4.8	100.0
Total	991.0	100.0	9.0	100.0			62.8	100.0			4.8	100.0		
Assayed Heads			9.3				62.7				4.7			

Induced Roll Magnetic Separator (Pulverised).

Products	Mass		REO (%)			BaSO ₄ (%)			CaF ₂ (%)					
	(g)	(%)	Grade	Distrib.	Cum Grade	Cum Dist.	Grade	Distrib.	Cum Grade	Cum Dist.	Grade	Distrib.	Cum Grade	Cum Dist.
Mags: (+38um, Pulv.)	69.9	7.1	6.6	5.1	6.6	5.1	62.9	7.1	62.9	7.1	4.7	6.8	4.7	6.8
Mags: (-38um)	54.6	5.5	24.5	14.7	14.5	19.8	30.9	2.7	48.9	9.8	4.6	5.2	4.7	12.0
Mids: (+38um, Pulv.)	82.2	8.3	5.3	4.8	10.8	24.6	69.3	9.2	57.0	19.0	5.1	8.7	4.8	20.7
Mids: (-38um)	41.4	4.2	14.8	6.7	11.5	31.3	54.3	3.6	56.5	22.6	3.4	2.9	4.6	23.6
Non-Mags: (+38um, Pulv.)	594.6	60.0	5.6	36.3	7.3	67.6	70.3	67.3	66.2	89.9	5.2	64.1	5.0	87.7
Non-Mags (-38um)	148.4	15.0	19.9	32.4	9.2	100.0	42.3	10.1	62.7	100.0	4.0	12.3	4.9	100.0
Total	991.1	100.0	9.2	100.0			62.7	100.0			4.9	100.0		
Assayed Heads			9.3				62.7				4.7			

In all cases, the beneficiation of REO's by screening at 38µm exceeded the beneficiation achieved by magnetic separation. The best results were achieved by passing unpulverised material through the Induced Roll magnetic separator (30% REO recovery, along with 5% of the barite and 12% of the fluorite).

3.3 COMMENTS AND CONCLUSIONS

The following comments can be made about the testwork performed:

- The objective of the exercise was to differentially recover the rare earth oxides, barite, and fluorite. This objective was not achieved.
- Mineralogical examination revealed that slightly more than half the rare earth oxides were liberated, with approximately 40% associated with barite and fluorite.
- Mineralogical examination also showed that, while the barite grains were predominantly liberated, this mineral also occurred in composite grains with bastnaesite, fluorite, and silicates. Bastnaesite rims were also detected on barite grains.
- The ore minerals show a similar response to most reagents. Along with the mineralogical associations and fineness of the rare earth minerals, this would render the differential flotation of the ore minerals a difficult task.
- It is recommended that further testwork be undertaken evaluating combinations of sizing, flotation, and magnetic separation.
- It is further recommended that sighter tests be undertaken utilising hydrometallurgical techniques to extract the rare earth oxides.

4. DETAILED TEST DATA

Table 7: Detailed Assay Results
Table 8: True Relative Density
Tables 9 & 10: Sizings
Tables 11 to 25: Batch Flotation

TABLE 8

True Specific Gravity Determinations

CLIENT NAME :	Sumiko Consultants
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION :	Dong Pao Ore
JOB NUMBER :	8677
DATE :	36903

SAMPLE	M1	M2	M3	M4	SG	Ave SG
Ore	20.1	58.6	43.0	49.8	3.91	3.89
	20.2	58.7	43.0	49.8	3.88	

TABLE 9

CLIENT NAME:	Sumiko Consultants
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION:	Ore: Crushed to -2mm
JOB NUMBER:	8677
DATE:	31-Jan

HEAD - SIZE AND METAL DISTRIBUTION ANALYSIS

SIZE (µm)	Weight		Cum. % Weight		TLnO		Cum Grade (%)	Cum. % TLnO Passing	BaSO4*		Cum Grade %	Cum. % BaSO4 Passing
	(g)	(%)	Passing	Retained	Assay (%)	Dist (%)			Assay (%)	Dist (%)		
1700	21.6	2.2	97.8	2.2	2.31	0.6	9.20	99.4	72.1	2.6	59.1	97.4
1180	116.2	11.6	86.2	13.8	2.96	3.8	10.04	95.6	73.3	14.4	57.2	83.0
600	202.3	20.2	66.0	34.0	4.31	9.6	11.80	86.0	68.5	23.3	53.7	59.7
300	134.0	13.4	52.6	47.4	6.38	9.4	13.18	76.6	64.7	14.6	50.9	45.1
150	98.6	9.9	42.7	57.3	7.02	7.6	14.60	68.9	61.0	10.1	48.5	34.9
75	90.4	9.0	33.7	66.3	7.31	7.3	16.55	61.6	59.1	9.0	45.7	25.9
38	72.2	7.2	26.5	73.5	7.20	5.7	19.10	55.9	59.6	7.3	41.9	18.7
30	49.8	5.0	21.5	78.5	8.41	4.6	21.58	51.2	72.7	6.1	34.7	12.6
22	39.0	3.9	17.6	82.4	10.94	4.7	23.94	46.5	55.5	3.6	30.1	8.9
15	40.6	4.1	13.5	86.5	13.14	5.9	27.18	40.6	50.4	3.4	24.1	5.5
10	28.7	2.9	10.7	89.3	16.11	5.1	30.16	35.5	45.9	2.2	18.2	3.3
8	17.3	1.7	8.9	91.1	18.28	3.5	32.46	32.0	39.3	1.1	14.1	2.1
0	89.3	8.9	0.0	100.0	32.46	32.0		0.0	14.1	2.1		0.0
Total	1,000.0	100.0			9.05	100.0			59.4	100.0		
Assay					9.25				62.7			

* BaSO4 Calc'd from Ba Grade

HEAD - SIZE AND METAL DISTRIBUTION ANALYSIS

SIZE (µm)	Weight		Cum. % Weight		CaF2#		Cum Grade (%)	Cum. % CaF2 Passing
	(g)	(%)	Passing	Retained	Assay (%)	Dist (%)		
1700	21.6	2.2	97.8	2.2	3.9	1.8	4.8	98.2
1180	116.2	11.6	86.2	13.8	4.3	10.4	4.9	87.8
600	202.3	20.2	66.0	34.0	5.3	22.4	4.7	65.4
300	134.0	13.4	52.6	47.4	6.8	19.1	4.2	46.3
150	98.6	9.9	42.7	57.3	6.2	12.8	3.8	33.5
75	90.4	9.0	33.7	66.3	4.1	7.7	3.7	25.8
38	72.2	7.2	26.5	73.5	3.9	5.9	3.6	19.9
30	49.8	5.0	21.5	78.5	2.3	2.4	3.9	17.5
22	39.0	3.9	17.6	82.4	3.3	2.7	4.0	14.8
15	40.6	4.1	13.5	86.5	3.5	3.0	4.2	11.8
10	28.7	2.9	10.7	89.3	3.5	2.1	4.4	9.7
8	17.3	1.7	8.9	91.1	3.7	1.3	4.5	8.4
0	89.3	8.9	0.0	100.0	4.5	8.4		0.0
Total	1000.0	100.0			4.8	100.0		
Assay					4.7			

CaF2 Calc'd from F Grade

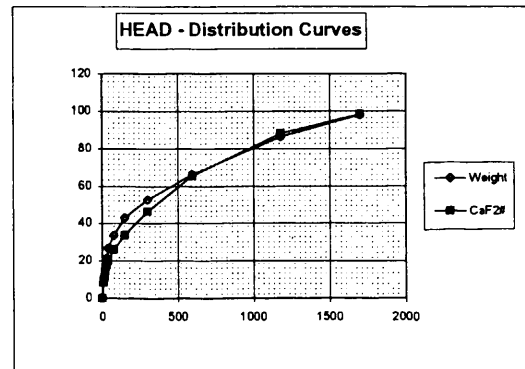
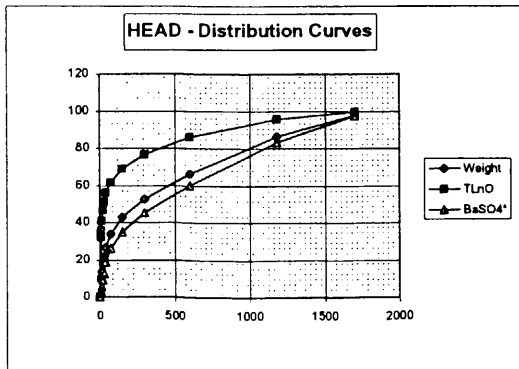


TABLE 10

CLIENT NAME:	Sumiko Consultants
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION:	Ore: Milled to P80 = 53µm
JOB NUMBER:	8677
DATE:	31-Jan

HEAD - SIZE AND METAL DISTRIBUTION ANALYSIS

SIZE (µm)	Weight		Cum. % Weight		TLnO		Cum Grade (%)	Cum. % TLnO Passing	BaSO4*		Cum Grade %	Cum. % BaSO4 Passing
	(g)	(%)	Passing	Retained	Assay (%)	Dist (%)			Assay (%)	Dist (%)		
90	31.6	3.2	96.8	3.2	4.92	1.8	9.01	98.2	56.5	3.0	60.2	97.0
75	38.1	3.8	93.0	7.0	4.53	1.9	9.19	96.3	61.4	3.9	60.1	93.1
63	51.7	5.2	87.9	12.1	4.15	2.4	9.49	93.9	66.1	5.7	59.8	87.4
53	63.9	6.4	81.5	18.5	4.00	2.9	9.92	91.0	66.2	7.0	59.3	80.4
45	76.3	7.6	73.8	26.2	4.16	3.6	10.51	87.4	65.7	8.3	58.6	72.0
38	48.9	4.9	69.0	31.1	4.21	2.3	10.96	85.1	64.5	5.3	58.2	66.8
30	122.3	12.2	56.7	43.3	2.89	4.0	12.70	81.1	82.1	16.7	53.0	50.1
22	108.0	10.8	45.9	54.1	5.72	7.0	14.34	74.2	67.3	12.1	49.6	38.0
15	119.1	11.9	34.0	66.0	6.89	9.2	16.95	64.9	61.2	12.1	45.6	25.8
10	85.0	8.5	25.5	74.5	8.44	8.1	19.79	56.9	57.7	8.2	41.6	17.7
8	48.7	4.9	20.6	79.4	10.08	5.5	22.08	51.3	53.3	4.3	38.8	13.3
0	206.4	20.6	0.0	100.0	22.08	51.3		0.0	38.8	13.3		0.0
Total	1,000.0	100.0			8.88	100.0			60.0	100.0		
Assay					9.25				62.7			

* BaSO4 Calc'd from Ba Grade

HEAD - SIZE AND METAL DISTRIBUTION ANALYSIS

SIZE (µm)	Weight		Cum. % Weight		CaF2#		Cum Grade (%)	Cum. % CaF2 Passing
	(g)	(%)	Passing	Retained	Assay (%)	Dist (%)		
90	31.6	3.2	96.8	3.2	10.1	6.6	4.7	93.4
75	38.1	3.8	93.0	7.0	7.2	5.6	4.6	87.8
63	51.7	5.2	87.9	12.1	4.9	5.2	4.6	82.6
53	63.9	6.4	81.5	18.5	5.5	7.2	4.5	75.3
45	76.3	7.6	73.8	26.2	5.1	8.0	4.4	67.3
38	48.9	4.9	69.0	31.1	5.3	5.3	4.4	62.0
30	122.3	12.2	56.7	43.3	2.1	5.3	4.9	56.7
22	108.0	10.8	45.9	54.1	4.9	10.9	4.8	45.8
15	119.1	11.9	34.0	66.0	5.1	12.5	4.7	33.3
10	85.0	8.5	25.5	74.5	4.9	8.6	4.7	24.7
8	48.7	4.9	20.6	79.4	4.7	4.7	4.7	20.0
0	206.4	20.6	0.0	100.0	4.7	20.0		0.0
Total	1000.0	100.0			4.9	100.0		
Assay					4.7			

CaF2 Calc'd from F Grade

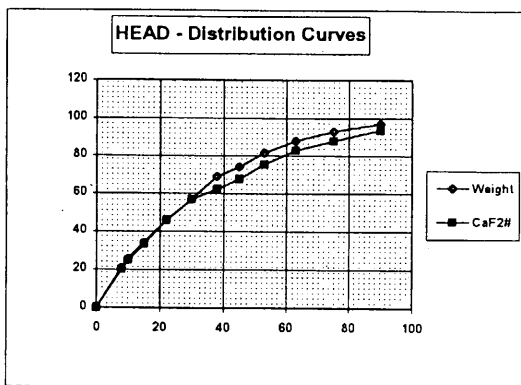
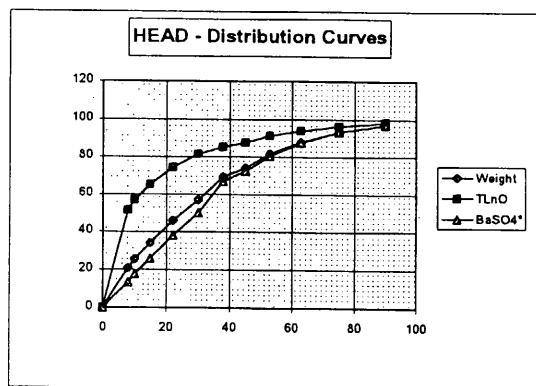


TABLE : 11

BATCH FLOTATION

CLIENT NAME:	Sumiko Consultants
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION :	Dong Pao Ore
JOB NUMBER :	8677
TEST DESCRIPTION:	Batch Flotation
TEST NUMBER :	RB 2819
DATE :	18-Jan-01

OBJECTIVES		COMMENTS	
Differential flotation to recover REO's, CaF ₂ , and BaSO ₄ .		Differential flotation to recover REO's, CaF ₂ , and BaSO ₄ .	
Mill Size, P80 (µm): 75			
Stage	Cell Size	Rotor	Scraper
	litre	RPM	Size
Ba-Ca	2.5	900	mm
BaSO ₄	1.5	800	50
			10

MASS AND METAL BALANCES

PRODUCT	MASS		REO		Cum		BaSO ₄ *		Cum		CaF ₂ #		Cum	
	g	%	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist
Feed	1000													
REO Conct 1	84.3	8.5	17.7	16.5	17.7	16.5	56.7	7.7	56.7	7.7	4.5	7.9	4.5	7.9
REO Conct 2	58.2	5.9	23.5	15.2	20.1	31.7	41.8	3.9	50.6	11.7	6.2	7.6	5.2	15.5
REO Tail	524.0	52.9	8.2	47.4	10.7	79.1	53.1	45.1	52.6	56.8	5.8	63.6	5.7	79.1
BaSO ₄ Conct	71.0	7.2	5.2	4.1	5.2	4.1	78.8	9.1	78.8	9.1	3.9	5.8	3.9	5.8
CaF ₂ Conct	115.4	11.6	2.3	3.0	2.3	3.0	88.7	16.6	88.7	16.6	2.3	5.6	2.3	5.6
CaF ₂ Tail	138.3	14.0	9.1	13.9	6.0	16.9	78.2	17.5	83.0	34.1	3.3	9.6	2.8	15.1
Caic'd Head	991.2	100.0	9.1	100.0			62.2	100.0			4.8	100.0		
Assay Head			9.3				62.7				4.7			
BaSO ₄ Tail	253.7	25.6	6.0	16.9			83.0	34.1			2.8	15.1		
Ba-Ca Conct	324.7	32.8	5.8	20.9			82.1	43.2			3.1	20.9		
Overall Tail	662.3	66.8	8.4	61.3			58.3	62.6			5.3	73.2		

* BaSO₄ Calc'd from Ba Grade # CaF₂ Calc'd from F Grade

SCHEDULE OF REAGENTS

WATER: Tap

Operation	Time (min)		Na ₂ SiO ₃ (g/t)	Oleic Acid (g/t)	H ₂ SO ₄ (g/t)	AP 845 (g/t)	Na ₂ CO ₃ (g/t)	AlCl ₃ (g/t)	Citric Acid (g/t)	MIBC (g/t)	pH	mV (Sat AgCl)
	Condn.	Float (frth rrvl)										
Grind 1 kg	4.5										7.73	121
Ba-Ca Float	2	6	400	320						11	8.3	109
Reo Float 1	2	5	320	2000	800						7.96	156
REO Float 2	5	4		1200	480						6.01	207
BaSO ₄ Float	8	3.5	320	200		960	800	960		11	7.34	164
CaF ₂ Float	5	3									7.13	176
TOTALS	36.5	21.5	1040	520	3200	1280	960	800	960	22	7.77	119
											7.88	106

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BATCH FLOTATION

CLIENT NAME:	Sumiko Consultants
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION :	Dong Pao Ore
JOB NUMBER :	8677
TEST DESCRIPTION:	Batch Flotation
TEST NUMBER :	RB 2843
DATE :	15-Feb-01

OBJECTIVES		COMMENTS	
Increase Ba-Ca recovery in initial bulk float, increase REO recovery in subsequent float.			
Mill Size, P80 (µm):	75	Stage	Cell Size
		All	litre
			2.5
			RPM
			900
			Size
			mm
			50
			Freq.
			sec
			10

MASS AND METAL BALANCES

PRODUCT	MASS		REO		Cum		BaSO ₄ *		Cum		CaF ₂ #		Cum	
	g	%	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist
Feed	1000													
Ba/Ca Conct 1	398.3	40.0	5.8	24.6	5.8	24.6	81.7	52.8	81.7	52.8	3.8	28.6	3.8	28.6
Ba/Ca Conct 2	310.8	31.2	9.0	29.7	7.2	54.2	70.2	35.4	76.7	88.2	5.3	31.1	4.5	59.7
Ba/Ca Conct 3	99.0	9.9	12.8	13.4	7.9	67.6	47.5	7.6	73.1	95.8	8.3	15.5	4.9	75.3
REO Conct 1	73.4	7.4	20.0	15.6	8.9	83.3	24.5	2.9	69.0	98.7	12.7	17.6	5.6	92.9
REO Conct 2	76.5	7.7	15.1	12.2	9.4	95.5	8.7	1.1	64.2	99.8	3.8	5.5	5.4	98.4
Tail	37.0	3.7	11.4	4.5	9.5	100.0	3.7	0.2	62.0	100.0	2.3	1.6	5.3	100.0
Calc'd Head	995.0	100.0	9.5	100.0			62.0	100.0			5.3	100.0		
Assay Head			9.3				62.7				4.7			

* BaSO₄ Calc'd from Ba Grade

CaF₂ Calc'd from F Grade

SCHEDULE OF REAGENTS

WATER: Tap

Operation	Time (min)		Na ₂ SiO ₃ (g/t)	Pb(NO ₃) ₂ (g/t)	Oleic Acid (g/t)	Quebracho (g/t)	A845 (g/t)	AlCl ₃ (g/t)	MIBC (g/t)	H ₂ SO ₄ (g/t)	pH	mV (Sat AgCl)
	Condn.	Float (frth rmvl)										
Grind 1 kg	4.5										7.72	135
Ba-Ca Float 1	2		100		500						7.72	148
Ba-Ca Float 2	5	4		100	500	50			11		7.66	147
Ba-Ca Float 3	2	3		100	500				11		7.52	157
REO Float 1	2	2	200								7.4	159
REO Float 2	5	3				1000		500		1000	5.8	206
TOTALS	41.5	15	300	200	1500	50	2000	500	22	1000	6.88	183

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BATCH FLOTATION

CLIENT NAME: Sumiko Consultants		COMMENTS	
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION : Dong Pao Ore		Initial REO float, Followed by bulk Ba-Ca float	
JOB NUMBER : 8677		Stage	
TEST DESCRIPTION: Batch Flotation		Cell Size	Scraper
TEST NUMBER : RB 2844		litre	Size
DATE : 15-Feb-01		2.5	mm
		RPM	Freq.
		900	sec
		50	10
Mill Size, P80 (µm): 75			

MASS AND METAL BALANCES

PRODUCT	MASS		REO		Cum		BaSO ₄ *		Cum		CaF ₂ #		Cum	
	g	%	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist
Feed	1000													
REO Conct 1	169.0	17.0	8.9	15.8	15.8	8.9	80.2	22.0	80.2	22.0	7.1	2.2	7.1	7.1
REO Conct 2	95.8	9.6	13.1	13.1	28.9	10.4	71.2	11.1	76.9	33.1	5.5	3.0	12.6	12.6
REO Conct 3	71.0	7.1	15.9	11.8	40.7	11.6	60.4	7.0	73.4	40.1	7.2	5.3	19.8	19.8
Ba/Ca Conct 1	470.8	47.4	6.5	31.8	72.6	8.6	70.6	54.0	71.8	94.1	62.2	6.9	82.1	82.1
Ba/Ca Conct 2	39.5	4.0	18.9	7.8	80.4	9.1	39.6	2.5	70.3	96.6	7.6	10.0	89.6	89.6
Ba/Ca Conct 3	96.9	9.7	12.8	12.9	93.4	9.4	18.7	2.9	65.0	99.5	7.6	4.1	97.3	97.3
Ba/Ca Conct 4	12.0	1.2	17.2	2.2	95.5	9.5	12.1	0.2	64.3	99.8	0.9	3.8	98.1	98.1
Tail	39.0	3.9	11.0	4.5	100.0	9.6	3.5	0.2	61.9	100.0	1.9	2.5	100.0	100.0
Calc'd Head	994.0	100.0	9.6	100.0			61.9	100.0			5.3	100.0		
Assay Head			9.3				62.7				4.7			

* BaSO₄ Calc'd from Ba Grade # CaF₂ Calc'd from F Grade

SCHEDULE OF REAGENTS

WATER: Tap

Operation	Time (min)		AICI3 (g/t)	A845 (g/t)	Caustic Starch (g/t)	Oleic Acid (g/t)	Emigol (g/t)	Pb(NO ₃) ₂ (g/t)	NaOH (g/t)	MIBC (g/t)	pH	mV (Sat AgCl)
	Condn.	Float (frth rrvl)										
Grind 1 kg	4.5										7.74	162
REO Float 1	2.0		1000									
REO Float 2	5.0	2.0		500						11	7.25	169
REO Float 3	5.0	2.5		500							7.41	170
Ba-Ca Float 1	5.0	3.0		200	100						7.41	176
Ba-Ca Float 2	5.0	2.5				500					7.44	160
Ba-Ca Float 3	5.0	2.0				200		100			7.00	182
Ba-Ca Float 4	5.0	1.5		200		200		100	175	11	7.30	172
TOTALS	47.5	15.0	1200	1400	100	900	70	200	175	22	9.02	113

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BATCH FLOTATION

CLIENT NAME: Sumitko Consultants
 SAMPLE DESCRIPTION: Dong Pao Ore
 JOB NUMBER: 8677
 TEST DESCRIPTION: Batch Flotation
 TEST NUMBER: RB 2845
 DATE: 15-Feb-01

OBJECTIVES
 Initial REO float, Followed by CaF2 float,
 and then BaSO4 float.
 Mill Size, P80 (µm): 75

COMMENTS

Stage	Cell Size litre	Rotar RPM	Size mm	Freq. sec
All	2.5	900	50	10

MASS AND METAL BALANCES

PRODUCT	MASS		REO		BaSO ₄ *		CaF ₂ #		Cum	
	g	%	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist
Feed	1000									
REO Conct 1	128.9	12.9	8.1	11.1	83.1	17.3	17.3	3.9	1.6	3.9
REO Conct 2	89.5	9.0	18.5	28.5	59.7	8.6	83.1	7.1	2.7	11.0
REO Conct 3	137.3	13.8	11.7	45.4	66.7	14.8	73.5	14.5	3.8	25.5
CaF2 Conct 1	344.9	34.6	5.5	20.1	76.8	42.8	70.9	45.6	5.4	71.1
CaF2 Conct 2	174.2	17.5	11.2	20.7	55.4	15.6	73.8	7.0	5.7	94.1
CaF2 Conct 3	28.3	2.8	11.5	3.4	9.3	0.4	70.1	23.0	1.8	95.9
BaSO4 Conct	45.1	4.5	9.9	4.7	3.2	0.2	68.2	2.5	5.5	98.0
Tail	47.7	4.8	11.4	5.7	2.4	0.2	65.1	2.2	5.3	100.0
Calcd Head	995.9	100.0	9.5	100.0	62.1	100.0	62.1	100.0	5.3	100.0
Assay Head			9.3		62.7			4.7		

* BaSO₄ Calc'd from Ba Grade
 # CaF₂ Calc'd from F Grade

SCHEDULE OF REAGENTS

WATER: Tap

Operation	Time (min)		Na2SiO3 (g/t)	AlCl3 (g/t)	A845 (g/t)	H2SO4 (g/t)	Oleic Acid (g/t)	Emigol (g/t)	Quebracho (g/t)	NaOH (g/t)	Pb(NO3)2 (g/t)	MIBC (g/t)	pH	mV (Sat AgCl)
	Conditn	Float (frth,rmv)												
Grind 1 kg	4.5													170
REO Float 1	2.0		500	1000	200									171
REO Float 2	5.0	2.5			200	1000						11		173
REO Float 3	2.0	3.0			500									172
CaF2 Float 1	2.0	3.5	100											
CaF2 Float 2	5.0	2.0					200		50	425				172
CaF2 Float 3	2.0	2.5			500		200		50					100
BaSO4 Float	5.0	1.5			500		500				50			122
TOTALS	58.5	16.5	600	1000	1900	1000	1400	100	150	425	50	11	7.53	123

TABLE : 15

BATCH FLOTATION

CLIENT NAME: Sumiko Consultants		OBJECTIVES	
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION : Dong Pao Ore		Initial Ba-Ca float, Followed by REO float,	
JOB NUMBER : 8677	TEST DESCRIPTION: Batch Flotation	Stage	Cell Size
TEST NUMBER : RB 2889	DATE : 9-Mar-01	All	litre
			2.5
			RPM
			900
			mm
			50
			sec
			10
			Scrapers

MASS AND METAL BALANCES

PRODUCT	MASS		REO		BaSO ₄ *		CaF ₂ #		Cum		Cum	
	g	%	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist
Feed	1000											
Ba/Ca Conc't 1	344.8	34.6	8.3	31.1	72.7	40.7	72.7	40.7	40.7	5.8	40.2	40.2
Ba/Ca Conc't 2	426.1	42.8	7.6	35.3	72.4	50.1	72.5	90.7	90.7	5.3	45.4	85.5
Ba/Ca Conc't 3	115.7	11.6	16.4	20.8	39.4	7.4	68.2	98.1	98.1	4.2	9.8	95.3
REO Conc't 1-3	52.3	5.3	17.1	9.8	17.5	1.5	65.4	99.6	99.6	3.3	3.5	98.7
Tail	57.2	5.7	4.7	3.0	4.0	0.4	61.9	100.0	100.0	1.1	1.3	100.0
Calc'd Head	996.1	100.0	9.2	100.0	61.9	100.0				5.0	100.0	
Assay Head			9.3		62.7					4.7		

* BaSO₄ Calc'd from Ba Grade # CaF₂ Calc'd from F Grade

SCHEDULE OF REAGENTS

WATER: Tap

Operation	Time (min)		Na ₂ SiO ₃ (g/t)	Oleic Acid (g/t)	Emigol (g/t)	Caustic Surch (g/t)	A845 (g/t)	AlCl ₃ (g/t)	MIBC (g/t)	H ₂ SO ₄ (g/t)	Pb(NO ₃) ₂ (g/t)	pH	mV (Sat AgCl)
	Condn.	Float (frth rmyf)											
Grind 1 kg	4.5											7.85	173
Ba/Ca Float 1	2.0		100	500	100							7.93	141
	5.0												
Ba/Ca Float 2	2.0	5.0	50	500	50							7.91	150
	2.0											7.93	134
Ba/Ca Float 3	2.0	3.0	25	300	25							7.91	145
	3.0											7.93	130
REO Float 1	2.0	2.0			25				1000			7.91	149
	2.0					500						3.76	287
REO Float 2	2.0	5.0				1000	250	22				4.03	259
	2.0						250					4.46	218
REO Float 3	2.0	2.0				1000	250					4.08	238
	3.0						100					4.17	231
TOTALS	41.5	19.0	175	1300	175	2500	600	22	1000	250	250	4.16	231

TABLE : 16

BATCH FLOTATION

CLIENT NAME:	Sumiko Consultants
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION :	Dong Pao Ore
JOB NUMBER :	8677
TEST DESCRIPTION :	Batch Flotation
TEST NUMBER :	RB 2890
DATE :	8-Mar-01

OBJECTIVES		COMMENTS	
Initial Ba-Ca float, Followed by REO float,		Stage	Scrapper
Mill Size, P80 (µm): 38		Cell Size	Size
		litre	mm
		RPM	sec
		900	10

MASS AND METAL BALANCES

PRODUCT	MASS		REO		BaSO ₄ *		Cum		CaF ₂ #		Cum	
	g	%	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist
Feed	1000											
Ba/Ca Conct 1	320.1	32.1	9.2	32.1	69.4	35.8	32.1	9.2	5.7	36.6	35.8	5.7
Ba/Ca Conct 2	378.2	37.9	7.5	31.2	74.3	45.3	63.3	8.3	5.5	41.7	81.1	5.6
Ba/Ca Conct 3	155.6	15.6	12.1	20.7	58.0	14.5	84.0	9.0	4.6	14.4	95.6	5.4
REO Conct 1-3	108.3	10.9	12.3	14.6	23.3	4.1	98.6	9.4	3.0	6.5	99.7	5.1
Tail	34.6	3.5	3.7	1.4	5.1	0.3	100.0	9.2	1.2	0.8	100.0	5.0
Calc'd Head	996.8	100.0	9.2	100.0	62.2	100.0			5.0	100.0		
Assay Head			9.3		62.7				4.7			

* BaSO₄ Calc'd from Ba Grade # CaF₂ Calc'd from F Grade

SCHEDULE OF REAGENTS

WATER: Tap

Operation	Time (min)		Na ₂ SiO ₃ (g/t)	Oleic Acid (g/t)	Emigol (g/t)	Caustic Starch (g/t)	A845 (g/t)	AlCl ₃ (g/t)	MIBC (g/t)	H ₂ SO ₄ (g/t)	Pb(NO ₃) ₂ (g/t)	pH	mV (Sat AgCl)
	Condn.	Float (frth.rmv)											
Grind 1 kg	10.3											7.84	135
Ba/Ca Float 1	2.0		100	500	100							7.84	131
	5.0					100							
Ba/Ca Float 2	2.0	5.0	50	500	50							7.91	153
	3.0					50						7.91	126
Ba/Ca Float 3	2.0	3.0	25	300	25							7.90	129
	3.0					25						7.92	120
REO Float 1	2.0	2.0								1000		7.92	135
	3.0					500						4.89	234
REO Float 2	2.0	5.0					250	22				4.96	229
	2.0					1000						6.16	188
REO Float 3	3.0	2.0					250					4.51	230
	2.0					1000						4.83	226
TOTALS	47.3	19.0	175	1300	175	175	600	22	1000	250	250	4.94	222

TABLE : 17

BATCH FLOTATION

CLIENT NAME:	Sumiko Consultants
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION:	Dong Pao Ore
JOB NUMBER:	8677
TEST DESCRIPTION:	Batch Flotation
TEST NUMBER:	RB 2891
DATE:	8-Mar-01

OBJECTIVES Initial REO float, Followed by bulk Ba-Ca float. Mill Size, P80 (µm): 38	COMMENTS			
	Stage	Cell Size litre	Rotor RPM	Scrapers
		2.5	900	Size mm
	All			50 sec 10

MASS AND METAL BALANCES

PRODUCT	MASS		REO		BaSO ₄ *		CaF ₂ #	
	g	%	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist
Feed	1000							
REO Conct 1	159.0	16.0	9.4	16.3	76.1	19.5	3.2	10.3
REO Conct 2	153.7	15.5	9.8	32.7	73.2	18.1	3.7	11.5
REO Conct 3	193.2	19.4	9.4	52.6	68.2	21.2	5.0	19.6
Ba/Ca Conct 1	387.0	38.9	8.5	88.5	62.7	39.1	6.6	51.8
Ba/Ca Conct 2	55.0	5.5	13.9	96.9	19.2	1.7	4.6	5.1
Ba/Ca Conct 3	5.4	0.5	15.0	97.8	14.1	0.1	4.1	0.4
Tail	41.0	4.1	4.9	100.0	4.6	0.3	1.4	1.2
Calc'd Head	994.3	100.0	9.2		62.5	100.0	5.0	100.0
Assay Head			9.3		62.7		4.7	

* BaSO₄ Calc'd from Ba Grade

CaF₂ Calc'd from F Grade

SCHEDULE OF REAGENTS

WATER: Tap

Operation	Time (min)		H ₂ SO ₄ (g/t)	Pb(NO ₃) ₂ (g/t)	A845 (g/t)	AlCl ₃ (g/t)	Na ₂ SiO ₃ (g/t)	Oleic Acid (g/t)	Emigol (g/t)	Caustic Starch (g/t)	MIBC (g/t)	pH	mV (Sat AgCl)
	Condn.	Float (frth rrvl)											
Grind 1 kg	10.3												
REO Float 1	8.0	3.0	1000	100	1000	1000					11	7.80	159
REO Float 2	8.0	3.0	500	100	500	500						7.00	178
REO Float 3	8.0	5.0	500	100	500	100						7.02	82
Ba/Ca Float 1	7.0	3.0					100	500	100	100		7.16	154
Ba/Ca Float 2	7.0	3.0					50	500	50	50		7.37	158
Ba/Ca Float 3	7.0	5.0					25	300	25	25		7.55	146
TOTALS	55.3	19.0	2000	300	2000	1600	175	1300	175	175	11	7.55	142

TABLE : 18

BATCH FLOTATION

CLIENT NAME:	Sumiko Consultants
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION :	Dong Pao Ore
JOB NUMBER :	8677
TEST DESCRIPTION:	Batch Flotation
TEST NUMBER :	RB 2892
DATE :	8-Mar-01

OBJECTIVES

Initial REO float, Followed by bulk Ba-Ca float.

Mill Size, P80 (µm): 38

COMMENTS

Stage	Cell Size	Rotor	Scrapers
All	litre 2.5	RPM 900	Size mm 50 Freq. sec 10

MASS AND METAL BALANCES

PRODUCT	MASS		REO		BaSO ₄ *		CaF ₂ #		Cum	
	g	%	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist
Feed	1000									
REO/CaF ₂ Conct 1	166.5	16.7	16.7	7.3	13.0	76.7	20.6	4.1	20.6	4.1
REO/CaF ₂ Conct 2	164.1	16.5	33.1	8.7	15.3	74.7	19.8	4.1	40.3	4.1
REO/CaF ₂ Conct 3	151.9	15.2	48.4	8.7	14.3	71.4	17.5	4.6	57.8	4.3
REO/CaF ₂ Conct 4	217.7	21.8	70.2	9.3	21.7	67.6	23.7	5.8	81.5	4.7
BaSO ₄ Conct 1	167.5	16.8	87.0	9.8	17.6	56.9	15.4	7.2	69.3	5.2
BaSO ₄ Conct 2	12.2	1.2	88.2	12.2	1.6	20.6	0.4	4.8	97.3	5.2
BaSO ₄ Conct 3	4.6	0.5	88.7	11.7	0.6	18.0	0.1	4.6	97.4	5.2
Trail	112.8	11.3	100.0	13.0	15.8	14.2	2.6	7.9	100.0	5.0
Calc'd Head	997.3	100.0		9.3	100.0	62.2	100.0	5.0		100.0
Assay Head				9.3		62.7		4.7		

* BaSO₄ Calc'd from Ba Grade

CaF₂ Calc'd from F Grade

SCHEDULE OF REAGENTS

WATER: Tap

Operation	Time (min)		H ₂ SO ₄ (g/t)	Pb(NO ₃) ₂ (g/t)	AlCl ₃ (g/t)	Oleic Acid (g/t)	Emigol (g/t)	A845 (g/t)	Na ₂ SiO ₃ (g/t)	Caustic Starch (g/t)	pH	mV (Sat AgCl)
	Condn.	Float (frth rrvl)										
Grind 1 kg	10.3											
REO/CaF ₂ Float 1	8.0	3.0	1000	200	1000	250	50	500			7.83	141
REO/CaF ₂ Float 2	8.0	3.0		100	500	100	25	250			7.16	168
REO/CaF ₂ Float 3	8.0	5.0		50	250	100	25	100			7.19	164
REO/CaF ₂ Float 4	7.0	3.0		25	250	100	25	100			7.21	157
BaSO ₄ Float 1	7.0	3.0							200	200	7.30	161
BaSO ₄ Float 2	7.0	5.0							200	200	7.54	146
BaSO ₄ Float 3									200	200	7.74	139
TOTALS	55.3	19.0	1000	375	2000	550	125	950	600	600	7.94	127

TABLE : 19

BATCH FLOTATION

CLIENT NAME:	Sumiko Consultants
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION :	Dong Pao Ore
JOB NUMBER :	8677
TEST DESCRIPTION:	Batch Flotation
TEST NUMBER :	RB 2893
DATE :	8-Mar-01

OBJECTIVES		COMMENTS	
Initial REO float, Followed by CaF ₂ float.		Scrapper	
Stage	Cell Size	Rotor	Size
All	litre	RPM	mm
	2.5	900	50
			sec
			10
Mill Size, P80 (µm): 38			

MASS AND METAL BALANCES

PRODUCT	MASS		REO		Cum		BaSO ₄ *		Cum		CaF ₂ #		Cum	
	g	%	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist
Feed	1000													
REO Conct 1	232.0	23.4	6.1	15.4	6.1	15.4	80.4	30.1	80.4	30.1	14.4	3.1	14.4	14.4
REO Conct 2	135.3	13.6	7.3	10.7	13.4	27.1	77.8	17.0	79.4	47.1	10.9	4.0	25.3	25.3
REO Conct 3	96.6	9.7	8.5	9.0	21.9	30.9	72.7	11.3	78.0	58.5	8.2	4.2	33.5	33.5
CaF ₂ Conct 1	324.2	32.7	11.2	39.4	33.1	73.5	58.9	30.8	70.2	89.3	53.4	8.2	86.9	86.9
CaF ₂ Conct 2	154.8	15.6	13.4	22.5	46.5	61.9	36.1	9.0	64.6	98.3	11.8	3.8	98.7	98.7
CaF ₂ Conct 3	39.5	4.0	6.3	2.7	52.8	66.8	24.2	1.5	62.9	99.9	1.0	0.4	99.6	99.6
Tail	89	0.9	3.8	0.4	100.0	100.0	8.4	0.1	62.5	100.0	0.4	2.0	100.0	100.0
Calc'd Head	991.3	100.0	9.3	100.0			62.5	100.0			5.0	100.0		
Assay Head			9.3				62.7				4.7			

* BaSO₄ Calc'd from Ba Grade

CaF₂ Calc'd from F Grade

SCHEDULE OF REAGENTS

WATER: Tap

Operation	Time (min.)		H 2875 (g/t)	AIC13 (g/t)	V2711 (g/t)	CLA020 FS2 (1:2) (g/t)	Caustic Starch (g/t)	H54 (g/t)	pH	mV (Sat. AgCl)
	Condn.	Float (ftth mmvl)								
Grind 1 kg	10.3								7.81	153
REO Float 1	5.0		200	200				15	7.07	188
	2.0	3.0							7.32	184
REO Float 2	5.0		200	100					6.97	186
	2.0	3.0							7.30	188
REO Float 3	5.0		200	100					6.92	187
	2.0	3.0			200				7.32	189
CaF ₂ Float 1	5.0						100		6.94	184
	2.0	5.0							7.46	181
CaF ₂ Float 2	5.0				200				6.90	187
	2.0	2.5				200			7.42	171
CaF ₂ Float 3	5.0								6.75	175
	2.0	2.5							7.44	170
TOTALS	52.3	19.0	600	400	400	200	200	15		

TABLE : 20

BATCH FLOTATION

CLIENT NAME:	Sumniko Consultants
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION :	Dong Pao Ore (Pre-Sized)
JOB NUMBER :	8677
TEST DESCRIPTION:	Batch Flotation
TEST NUMBER :	RB 2895
DATE :	22-Mar-01

OBJECTIVES		COMMENTS	
Size at 10 and 32um			
Stage	Cell Size	Rotor	Scraper
All	litre	RPM	Size
	2.5	900	mm
			50
			10
Mill Size, P80 (µm): 75			

MASS AND METAL BALANCES

PRODUCT	MASS		REO		BaSO ₄ *		CaF ₂ #		Cum		Cum	
	g	%	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist
Feed	2000											
+32um:Ba/Ca Conct 1	874.9	45.2	4.5	21.8	74.7	55.1	6.0	54.5	74.7	55.1	6.0	54.5
+32um:Ba/Ca Conct 2	58.2	3.0	9.7	3.1	44.3	2.2	3.1	1.9	72.8	57.3	3.1	56.4
+32um:REO Conct 1	14.6	0.8	4.6	0.4	79.5	1.0	1.3	0.2	72.9	58.3	1.3	56.6
+32um:REO Conct 2-3	48.5	2.5	1.6	0.4	1.4	0.1	0.5	0.3	69.4	58.3	0.5	56.8
+32um: Tail	19.3	1.0	1.0	0.1	1.8	0.0	0.6	0.1	68.1	58.4	0.6	56.9
+10um:Ba/Ca Conct 1	420.9	21.8	8.4	19.4	74.4	26.4	4.3	18.8	70.0	84.8	4.3	75.7
+10um:Ba/Ca Conct 2	140.1	7.2	15.3	11.8	53.0	6.3	5.3	7.7	68.5	91.0	5.3	83.4
+10um:Ba/Ca Conct 3	31.3	1.6	18.7	3.2	24.7	0.7	4.2	1.4	67.6	91.7	4.2	84.8
+10um:REO Conct 1-3	10.6	0.5	17.6	1.0	13.0	0.1	3.4	0.4	67.3	91.8	3.4	85.2
+10um: Tail	54.3	2.8	9.8	2.9	5.8	0.3	1.8	1.0	65.3	92.1	1.8	86.2
-10um: Falcon-Conct	13.5	0.7	9.2	0.7	71.8	0.8	2.9	0.4	65.3	92.9	2.9	86.6
-10um: Falcon Tail	248.7	12.9	25.4	35.0	33.9	7.1	5.2	13.4	61.7	99.2	5.2	99.6
Calc'd Head	1934.9	100.0	9.3	100.0	61.3	100.0	5.0	100.0				
Assay Head			9.3		62.7		4.7					

* BaSO₄ Calc'd from Ba Grade

CaF₂ Calc'd from F Grade

TABLE : 21

BATCH FLOTATION

CLIENT NAME: Sumiko Consultants
 SAMPLE DESCRIPTION : Dong Pao Ore+32um
 JOB NUMBER : 8677
 TEST DESCRIPTION: Batch Flotation
 TEST NUMBER : RB 2895
 DATE : 22-Mar-01

OBJECTIVES		COMMENTS	
Deslime, screen O/S at 32um, float fractions			
Stage	Cell Size litre	Rotor RPM	Scraper Size mm
All	2.5	900	50
Mill Size, P80 (µm): 75			

MASS AND METAL BALANCES

PRODUCT	MASS		REO		Cum		BaSO ₄ *		Cum		CaF ₂ #		Cum	
	g	%	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist
Feed	970													
Ba/Ca Conct 1	834.8	86.2	4.5	84.4	84.4	74.7	94.5	74.7	94.5	6.0	95.7	6.0	95.7	
Ba/Ca Conct 2	55.5	5.7	9.7	12.1	96.5	44.3	3.7	44.3	98.2	3.1	3.3	5.8	99.0	
REO Conct 1	13.9	1.4	4.6	1.4	98.0	79.5	1.7	72.9	99.9	1.3	0.3	5.7	99.3	
REO Conct 2-3	46.3	4.8	1.6	1.6	99.6	1.4	0.1	69.4	99.9	0.5	0.4	5.5	99.8	
Tail	18.4	1.9	1.0	0.4	100.0	1.8	0.1	68.1	100.0	0.6	0.2	5.4	100.0	
Calc'd Head	968.9	100.0	4.6	100.0		68.1	100.0			5.4	100.0			
Assay Head			4.1			70.5				4.8				

* BaSO₄ Calc'd from Ba Grade # CaF₂ Calc'd from F Grade

SCHEDULE OF REAGENTS

WATER: Tap

Operation	Time (min)		Na ₂ SiO ₃ (g/t)	Oleic Acid (g/t)	Emigol (g/t)	Caustic Starch (g/t)	A845 (g/t)	AIC13 (g/t)	MIBC (g/t)	H ₂ SO ₄ (g/t)	Pb(NO ₃) ₂ (g/t)	pH	mV (Sat AgCl)
	Condtin	Float (frth mmv)											
Grind 1 Kg	4.5											8.34	142
Ba/Ca Float 1	2.0		100	500	100							8.48	112
Ba/Ca Float 2	5.0											8.04	155
REO Float 1	2.0	5.0	50	500	50				1000		100	7.63	131
REO Float 2	3.0	3.0				500						7.70	151
REO Float 3	2.0	5.0				1000	250	22				2.34	443
TOTALS	34.5	17.0	150	1000	150	2500	600	22	1000	250	250	2.41	447
											50	2.38	426
												2.37	422
												2.50	399

TABLE : 22

BATCH FLOTATION

CLIENT NAME:	Sumiko Consultants
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION :	Dong Pao Ore-32um+10um
JOB NUMBER :	8677
TEST DESCRIPTION:	Batch Flotation
TEST NUMBER :	RB 2896
DATE :	22-Mar-01

OBJECTIVES		COMMENTS	
Deslime, screen at 32um, float fractions			
Stage	Cell Size	Rotor	Scraper
All	litre	RPM	Size
	2.5	900	mm
			50
			sec
			10
Mill Size, P80 (µm): 75			

MASS AND METAL BALANCES

PRODUCT	MASS		Cum %	REO %	BaSO ₄ * %	CaF ₂ # %	Cum		%	CaF ₂ # %	Cum	
	g	%					%dist	%			%dist	%
Feed	610											
Ba/Ca Conet 1	389.8	64.0	64.0	8.4	50.5	8.4	50.5	74.4	74.4	4.3	64.2	64.2
Ba/Ca Conet 2	129.8	21.3	85.4	15.3	30.8	10.1	81.3	18.6	69.1	5.3	26.4	90.6
Ba/Ca Conet 3	29.0	4.8	90.1	18.7	8.4	10.5	89.7	24.7	66.7	4.2	4.7	95.3
REO Conet 1-3	9.8	1.6	91.7	17.6	2.7	10.7	92.4	13.0	65.8	3.4	1.3	96.5
Tail	50.3	8.3	100.0	9.8	7.6	10.6	100.0	5.8	60.8	1.8	3.5	100.0
Calc'd Head	608.7	100.0		10.6	100.0			60.8	100.0	4.3	100.0	
Assay Head				10.8				61.8		4.1		

* BaSO₄ Calc'd from Ba Grade # CaF₂ Calc'd from F Grade

SCHEDULE OF REAGENTS

WATER: Tap

Operation	Time (min)		Na ₂ SiO ₃ (g/t)	Oleic Acid (g/t)	Emigol (g/t)	Caustic Starch (g/t)	A845 (g/t)	AlCl ₃ (g/t)	MIBC (g/t)	H ₂ SO ₄ (g/t)	Pb(NO ₃) ₂ (g/t)	pH	mV (Sat:AgCl)
	Condm.	Float (frth.rmv)											
Grind: 1 kg	4.5												
Ba/Ca Float 1	2.0		100	500	100								
	5.0					100							
Ba/Ca Float 2	2.0	5.0	50	500	50								
	3.0					50							
Ba/Ca Float 3	2.0	3.0	25	300	25								
	3.0					25							
REO Float 1	2.0	2.0								1000	100		
	3.0					500		250	22				
REO Float 2	2.0	5.0									100		
	2.0					1000		250					
REO Float 3	3.0	2.0									50		
	2.0					1000		100					
TOTALS	41.5	19.0	175	1300	175	175	2500	600	22	1000	250		

TABLE : 23

BATCH FLOTATION

CLIENT NAME:	Sumiko Consultants
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION :	Dong Pao Ore
JOB NUMBER :	8677
TEST DESCRIPTION:	Batch Flotation
TEST NUMBER :	PD321
DATE :	29-Mar-01

OBJECTIVES		COMMENTS	
Examine the effect of hot flotation on REO grade and recovery			
Stage	Cell Size	Rotor	Scrapper
	litre	RPM	Size
All	2.5	800	mm
			sec
			10
Mill Size, P80 (µm):	75		

MASS AND METAL BALANCES

PRODUCT	MASS		REO		BaSO ₄ *		CaF ₂ #		Cum		Cum	
	g	%	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist
Ba/Ca Con1	334.2	33.6	9.3	33.8	71.8	38.8	5.7	40.6	38.8	71.8	5.7	40.6
Ba/Ca Con2	528.8	53.2	9.2	52.8	67.7	57.8	4.8	54.1	96.6	69.3	4.8	54.1
Ba/Ca Con3	100.7	10.1	10.5	11.5	19.6	3.2	2.1	4.5	99.7	64.1	0.7	5.3
REO Con1+2	21.6	2.2	7.5	1.8	6.8	0.2	0.4	0.1	100.0	70.0	0.4	0.1
Tail	9.4	0.9	1.8	0.2	0.8	0.0	0.4	0.1	100.0	69.3	0.1	0.1
Calcd Head	994.7	100.0	9.3	100.0	62.3	100.0	4.7	100.0			4.7	100.0
Assay Head			9.3		62.7		4.7				4.7	

* BaSO₄ Calc'd from Ba Grade

CaF₂ Calc'd from F Grade

SCHEDULE OF REAGENTS

WATER: Tap

Operation	Time (min)		Na ₂ SiO ₃ (g/t)	Oleic Acid (g/t)	Emigol (g/t)	Caustic Starch (g/t)	A845 (g/t)	AlCl ₃ (g/t)	MIBC (g/t)	H ₂ SO ₄ (g/t)	Pb(NO ₃) ₂ (g/t)	Temp (C)	pH		mV Sat Start
	Condition	Flotation											Start	Finish	
Grind 1 kg Ba/Ca Float 1	4.5											55	7.32	7.56	175
	2.0	5.0	100	500	100							58	7.32	7.56	
	5.0					100									
Ba/Ca Float 2	2.0	3.0	50	500	50							58	7.71	7.82	141
	2.0														
	3.0											60	8.00	8.10	160
Ba/Ca Float 3	2.0	2.0	25	300	25							57	8.15	8.15	143
	2.0														
	3.0											57	8.15	2.12	456
REO Float 1	2.0	2.0					500	250		1000	100	57	2.21	2.23	
	3.0						1000	250			100	58	2.21	2.45	
	2.0	2.0										57			
REO Float 2	2.0	2.0													
	2.0														
	2.0														
TOTALS	36.5	9.0	175	1300	175	1500	500	0	1000	200					

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BATCH FLOTATION

CLIENT NAME:	Sumiko Consultants
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION:	Dong Pao Ore
JOB NUMBER:	8677
TEST DESCRIPTION:	Batch Flotation
TEST NUMBER:	PD326
DATE:	2-Apr-01

OBJECTIVES		COMMENTS	
Repeat RB2889, Vary Oleic acid, and caustic starch addition at 60C		Stage	
Mill Size, P80 (µm): 75		Cell Size	Rotor
		litre	RPM
		2.5	800
			Size
			mm
			50
			Freq.
			sec
			10
			Scraper

MASS AND METAL BALANCES

PRODUCT	MASS		REO		Cum		BaSO ₄ *		Cum		CaF ₂ #		Cum	
	g	%	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist
Ba/Ca Con1	325.2	32.7	9.8	34.7	9.8	34.7	69.5	36.6	69.5	36.6	6.8	47.0	6.8	47.0
Ba/Ca Con2	548.8	55.2	8.9	53.2	9.2	88.0	67.9	60.2	68.5	96.8	4.1	47.8	5.1	94.8
Ba/Ca Con3	91.3	9.2	10.4	10.4	9.3	98.3	20.2	3.0	63.9	99.8	2.3	4.5	4.8	99.3
Tail	28.9	2.9	5.3	1.7	10.2	89.6	4.5	0.2	68.5	97.0	1.2	0.7	5.2	95.5
Calc'd Head	994.2	100.0	9.2	100.0			62.2	100.0			4.7	100.0		
Assay Head			9.3				62.7				4.7			

* BaSO₄ Calc'd from Ba Grade # CaF₂ Calc'd from F Grade

SCHEDULE OF REAGENTS

WATER: Tap

Operation	Time (min)		Na ₂ SiO ₃ (g/t)	Oleic Acid (g/t)	Emigol (g/t)	Caustic Starch (g/t)	Temp (C)	pH		mV Sat AgCl	
	Condition	Flotation						Start	Finish	Start	Finish
Grind 1 kg	4.5										
Ba/Ca Float 1	2.0		100	500	100	58	7.67	7.67	177	170	
	5.0										
Ba/Ca Float 2	2.0	3.0	50	500	50	60	7.74	8.05	153	175	
	5.0										
Ba/Ca Float 3	2.0	3.0	25	300	25	61	7.98	8.01	163	161	
	5.0										
	2.0	2.0						8.30		166	
TOTALS	31.5	8.0	175	1300	175	450					

client tables

TABLE : 25

BATCH FLOTATION

CLIENT NAME:	Sumiko Consultants
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION :	Dong Pao Ore
JOB NUMBER :	8677
TEST DESCRIPTION:	Batch Flotation
TEST NUMBER :	PD327
DATE :	2-Apr-01

OBJECTIVES	
Repeat RB2889, Vary Oleic acid, and caustic starch addition at 60 C	
Mill Size, P80 (µm):	75

COMMENTS					
Stage	Cell Size	Rotor	Scraper	Size	Freq.
All	litre	RPM		mm	sec
	2.5	800		50	10

MASS AND METAL BALANCES

PRODUCT	MASS		RBO		Cum		BaSO ₄ *		Cum		CaF ₂ #		Cum	
	g	%	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist	%	%dist
Ba/Ca Con1	209.0	21.0	10.4	23.3	21.0	23.3	70.7	23.8	23.8	70.7	5.7	24.9	5.7	24.9
Ba/Ca Con2	606.6	60.9	9.0	58.4	81.9	81.7	70.3	68.7	70.4	70.4	5.2	65.9	5.3	90.8
Ba/Ca Con3	124.0	12.5	11.7	15.5	94.4	97.2	35.5	7.1	65.8	65.8	3.1	8.0	5.0	98.8
Tail	55.9	5.6	4.6	2.8	87.5	84.5	4.1	0.4	71.2	71.2	1.0	1.2	5.5	92.0
Calc'd Head	995.5	100.0	9.4	100.0			62.3	100.0			4.8	100.0		
Assay Head			9.3				62.7				4.7			

* BaSO₄ Calc'd from Ba Grade # CaF₂ Calc'd from F Grade

SCHEDULE OF REAGENTS

WATER: Tap

Operation	Time (min)		Na ₂ SiO ₃ (g/t)	Oleic Acid (g/t)	Emgrol (g/t)	Caustic Starch (g/t)	Temp (C)	pH		mV Sat AgCl	
	Condition	Flotation						Start	Finish	Start	Finish
Grind 1 kg Ba/Ca Float 1	4.5		150	400	50	60	7.73	7.79	184	179	
	2.0										
	5.0	3.0	100	400	50	61	7.88	7.93	170	165	
Ba/Ca Float 2	2.0					59	7.95	8.10	174	186	
	5.0	2.5	50	400	50						
	2.0										
Ba/Ca Float 3	5.0	3.0		400	50			8.30		220	
	2.0										
	2.0										
TOTALS	31.5	8.5	300	1200	150						

Apx. 20 Photograph of ore test works



Ball mill

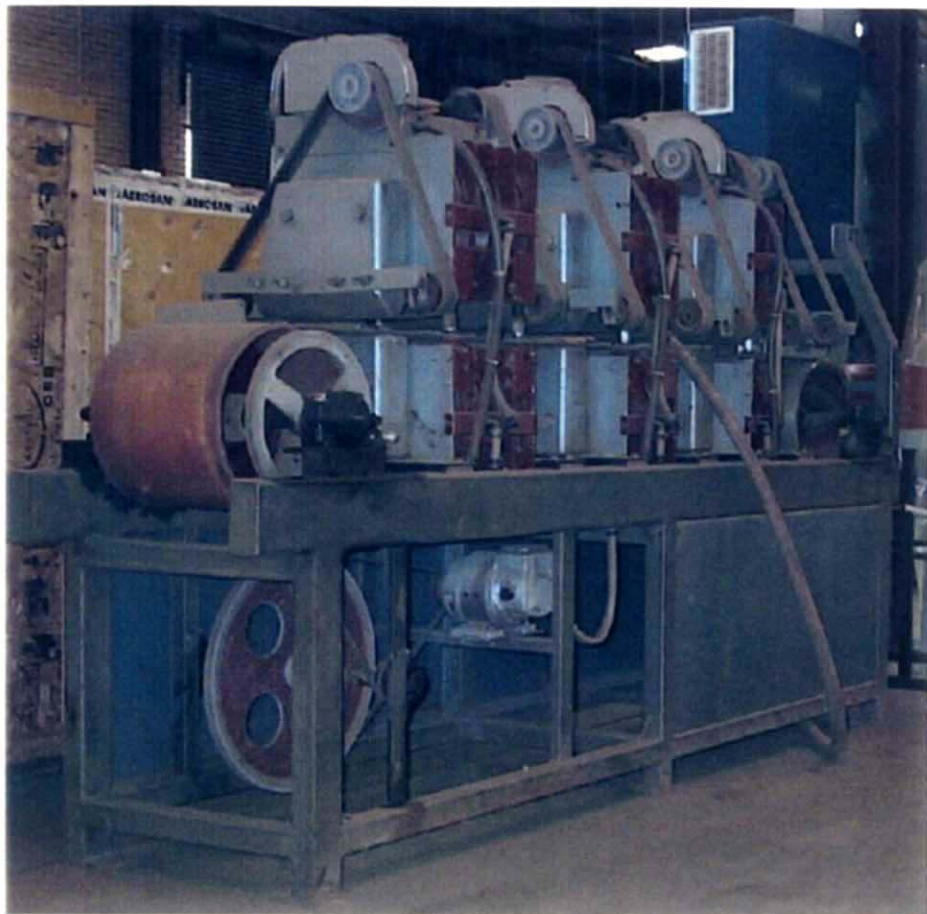


Collection of pre slimes

Photograph of Ore test (1/2)
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Bach flotation test



Magnetic separation

Photograph of Ore test (2/2)
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TABLE

BOND BALL MILL GRINDABILITY RESULTS

DRAFT

SAMPLE: Dong Pao	DATE: 30-May-01
CLIENT: Sumitomo Metal Mining	CLOSING SCREEN μm 106
JOB No: 8766	

CYCLE No.	MILL REVS	TOTAL MILL CHARGE (g)	MASS OF NEW FEED (g)	MASS OF OVERSIZE EX MILL (g)	MASS OF UNDERSIZE EX MILL (g)	NET MASS UNDERSIZE EX MILL (g)	NET GMS UNDERSIZE PER REV	CIRC.'G LOAD (%)	MASS FRESH FEED FOR NEXT CYCLE (g)	MASS OF UNDERSIZE IN FEED TO NEXT CYCLE
1	0	1623.2	1623.2	1057.6	565.6	0.0	0.000	187.0	565.6	197.1
2	100	1623.2	565.6	1046.6	576.6	379.5	3.795	181.5	576.6	200.9
3	69	1623.2	576.6	1164.7	458.5	257.6	3.733	254.0	458.5	159.8
4	81	1623.2	458.5	1156.1	467.1	307.3	3.794	247.5	467.1	162.8
5	79	1623.2	467.1	1159.4	463.8	301.0	3.811	250.0	463.8	161.6
6	79	1623.2	463.8	1159.4	463.8	302.2	3.825	250.0	463.8	161.6
			463.8							

BULK DENSITY OF MILL FEED (t/m^3)	2.32	% PRODUCT IN FEED =	34.8
AVERAGE % CIRC. LOAD OF CYCLE NO.'S	5,6	TARGET NEW FEED (g) =	463.8
AVERAGE GMS/REV OF CYCLE NO.'S	5,6		
80% PASSING FEED SIZE (μm), F ₈₀	1447		
80% PASSING PRODUCT SIZE (μm), P ₈₀	81		
BOND BALL MILL WORK INDEX (kilowatt hours/tonne) = 6.60			

TABLE

BOND BALL MILL SIZE DISTRIBUTION RESULTS

CLIENT NAME:	Sumitomo Metal Mining	DRAFT
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION:	Dong Pao	
JOB NUMBER:	8766	
DATE:	30-May	

SIZE ANALYSIS OF FEED

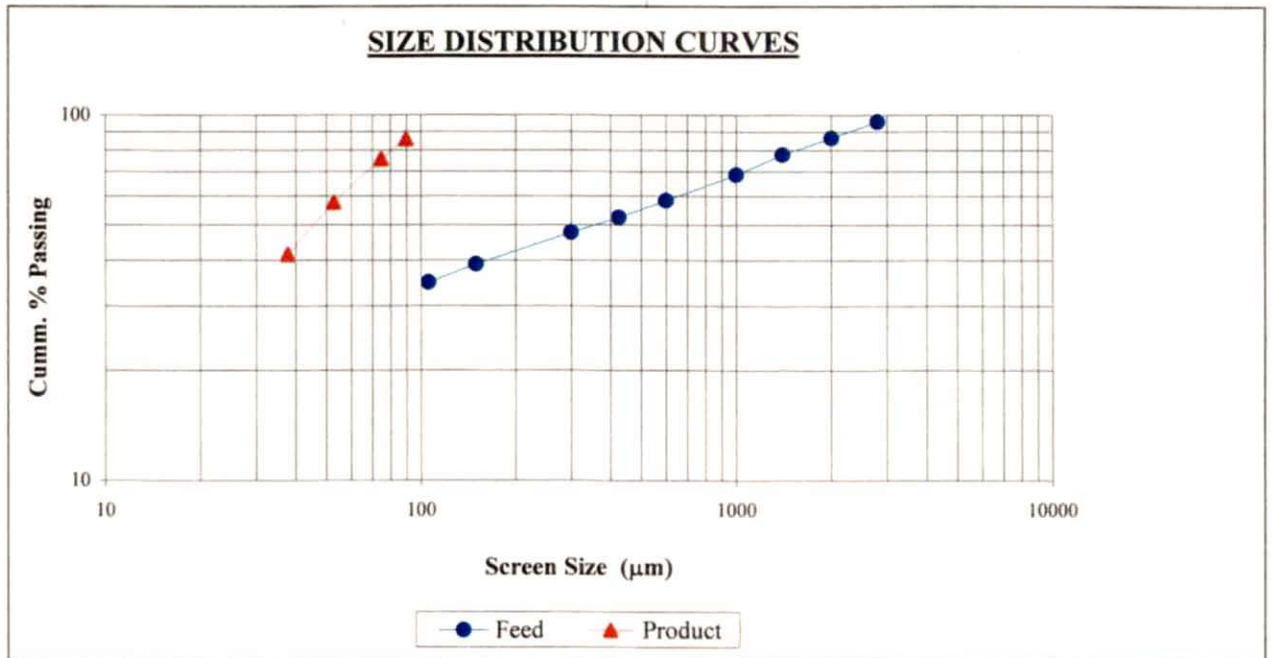
SIZE (microns)	Mass		Cum. % Mass	
	g	%	Passing	Retained
2800	67.1	4.1	95.9	4.1
2000	152.3	9.4	86.5	13.5
1400	139.8	8.6	77.9	22.1
1000	150.0	9.2	68.6	31.4
600	166.6	10.3	58.4	41.6
425	96.5	5.9	52.4	47.6
300	76.0	4.7	47.7	52.3
150	142.0	8.7	39.0	61.0
106	67.3	4.1	34.8	65.2
-106	565.6	34.8	0.0	100.0
Total	1623.2	100.0		

Initial Wt = 1625 F80 (um) = 1447

SIZE ANALYSIS OF PRODUCT

SIZE (microns)	Mass		Cum. % Mass	
	g	%	Passing	Retained
90	65.2	14.1	85.9	14.1
75	46.5	10.0	75.9	24.1
53	84.4	18.2	57.7	42.3
38	74.7	16.1	41.6	58.4
-38	193.0	41.6	0.0	100.0
Total	463.8	100.0		

Initial Wt = 465 P80 (um) = 81



COMMENTS :

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Dong Pao のレアアース, Fluorite-Barite No FIV 鉱床図 (縮尺 1/500)

GRADE 1 鉱石 鉱量計算図 (F III 鉱体)

F 1 鉱床図 (縮尺 1/200)

ガンマー線図 (コンター図) 1/10,000

ガンマー線 測定図 1/10,000

F V 鉱床図 (縮尺 1:100)

F II 鉱床図 縮尺 1/100

Line A-B, C-D の地質断面図 縮尺 1/500

XL ラインの地質断面図および鉱量計算 (F III 鉱体)

探鉱作業と鉱量計算の位置図 (F III 鉱体) 1/1,000

XL 1 ラインの地質断面及び鉱量計算 (F III 鉱体)

XXXXIX ラインの地質断面及び鉱量計算図 (F III 鉱体) 縮尺 1:500

探鉱作業と鉱量計算の位置図 (F III 鉱体) 1/1,000

DONG PAO レアアース地区位置図

DONG PAO 第III鉱体レアアース鉱床付近の地質図 (×10m コンター)

XXXXVIII ラインの地質断面図および鉱量計算 (F III 鉱体) L 2 トンネル

XL III ラインの地質断面及び鉱量計算 (F III 鉱体)

XL II ラインの地質断面と鉱量計算 (F III 鉱体)

GRADE II およびIII 鉱石の鉱量計算図 (F III 鉱体)

Line A-B, C-D の地質断面図 縮尺 1/500

F III 鉍体鉍床図 (トレンチの分析結果)

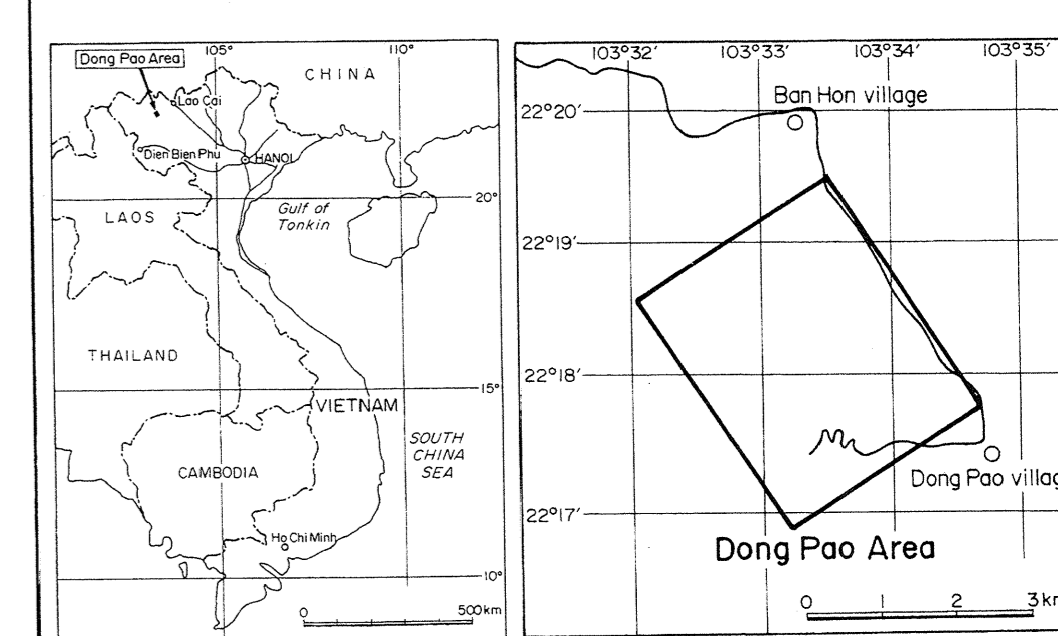
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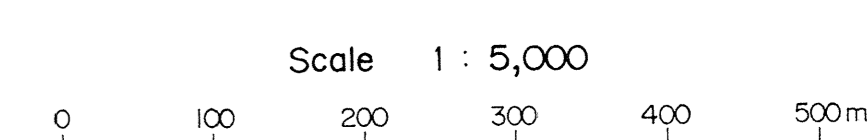
1/50,000 地形図

1/10,000 地質図

Geological map of Dong Pao Area



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	Quaternary		Minette dike
	Paleogene alkaline volcanics		Fluorite - rare earths ore
	Paleogene syenite and quartz syenite		Rare earths ore
	Upper triassic shale and sandstone		Lineament
	Ladinian sericitic shale interbedded with limestone, calcareous shale, sandstone		Fault
	Anisian limestone, marble		

