

SECTION OF Selkirk Geothermal Bore, Thorn Bush Quarry,

Selkirk Common

NT 4794 2785

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Surface Level ~ 238m

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One-inch Map 25W Six-inch Map NT 42 NE (N)

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	Thickness Metres	Depth from Surface Metres
British Geological Survey Start of core		
Greywacke, fine grained at top, medium grained to base, right way up, base dips at 48°, several sub-horizontal calcite veins up to 1 cm wide.	90	4 00
Mudstone, dark grey	03	4 03
Greywacke, medium-fine grained, silty and laminated	56	4 59
Mudstone, dark grey	03	4 62
Greywacke, medium grained, silty and laminated in top 60 cm numerous sub-horizontal calcite veins up to 5 mm, dip 55°, base sheared.	3 03	7 65
Mudstone, dark grey	03	7 68
British Geological Survey Greywacke, medium-fine grained, numerous calcite veins, sheared base	92	8 60
Mudstone	05	8 65
Greywacke, medium-grained, silty top, steep limonite-coated joints	48	9 13
Mudstone, dark grey, sheared	10	9 23
Greywacke, fine grained, laminated top, dip 60°	52	9 75
Greywacke, medium-grained, 5 cm silty top	1 04	10 79
Greywacke, fine-grained laminated silty top	91	11 70
British Geological Survey Steep shear plane // bedding		
Mudstone, dark grey sheared	20	11 90
Greywacke, fine-medium grained, dip 60°, calcite veining	1 60	13 50
Greywacke, fine grained, sheared base	53	14 03

C/fwd

14 03

	b/fwd	Metres	Metres
Mudstone, bright red	14 03 ,24	14 03 14 27	
Mudstone, grey	,27		14 54
Siltstone, laminated, dip 60°	30		14 84
Greywacke, fine grained, calcite veins sub-horizontal and // to bedding	81		15 65
Mudstone, dark grey	25		15 90
Greywacke, medium grained, broken core, sheared base	88		16 78
Mudstone, dark grey	10		16 88
Greywacke, fine grained, calcite veinlets sub-horizontal, broken core	64		17 52
Mudstone, dark grey	08		17 60
Greywacke, fine grained, sub-horizontal and bed-parallel calcite veinlets up to 1 cm	70		18 30
Greywacke, medium grained numerous steep and sub-horizontal calcite veins; silty and laminated at top	1 80		20 10
Mudstone, dark grey, silty laminae	65		20 75
Siltstone, with numerous slumped sandy balls and lenses	1 85		22 60
Mudstone, silty laminae	50		23 10
Greywacke, fine grained, laminated and silty at top	90		24 00
Mudstone	10		24 10
Greywacke, fine grained, laminated, dip 75°	40		24 50
Mudstone, dark grey, broken	40		24 90
Greywacke, fine grained	40		25 30
Mudstone, dark grey	70		26 00
Siltstone, laminated with sandy and muddy laminae, dip 70°	1 00		27 00
Greywacke, medium grained, flames at base	1 20		28 20
Mudstone, silty laminae	2 80		31 00
Siltstone, laminated	1 00		32 00
	c/fwd	32 00	

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British Geological Survey	British Geological Survey	Thickness	Top of Collected	Depth from Surface
			Metres	
b/fwd				32 00
Greywacke, medium-fine grained, numerous calcite veins, dip 50°		2 56		34 56
Greywacke, fine grained, muddy top, numerous sub-horizontal calcite veinlets		4 34		38 90
Fault, calcite filled		05		38 95
Greywacke, fine grained		1 45		40 40
Mudstone, calcite veins	British Geological Survey	25	British Geological Survey	40 65
Greywacke, fine grained, dip 70°		3 05		43 70
Mudstone, dark grey, silty laminae, broken core, calcite veins		60		44 80
Greywacke, medium grained, loaded at base		80		45 10
Greywacke, fine grained, large (10 cm) red mudstone clast at 47.10, calcite veins		2 30		47 40
Mudstone, dark grey, silty to base, grades into underlying greywacke, calcite veins		90		48 80
Greywacke, fine grained, silty at top		75		49 05
Mudstone, dark grey, calcite veins	British Geological Survey	95	British Geological Survey	50 00
Greywacke, fine grained, dip 60°. Laminated siltstone, with thin sandy ribs, calcite veins parallel to bedding		50		50 50
		3 35		53 85
Greywacke, fine grained		25		54 10
Mudstone, grey, silty laminae, calcite veins and concretions		1 65		55 75
Greywacke, fine grained, calcite veins		2 85		58 60
Mudstone, silty		40		59 00
Greywacke, fine grained, calcite veins		70		59 70
Siltstone, laminated, dip 60°	British Geological Survey	1 50	British Geological Survey	61 20
Greywacke, fine grained, calcite veins, vertical bedding		70		61 90
Siltstone, laminated, calcite veins		50		62 40
Greywacke, fine grained		55		62 95
c/fwd		62 95		

	British Geological Survey b/fwd	Thickness	Depth from Surface	
		Metres	Metres	
Siltstone, laminated, broken, dip 70°, calcite veins		20	63 15	British Geological Survey 62 95
Greywacke, fine grained, ? breccia at base		55	63 70	
Siltstone, laminated, sandy ribs, calcite veins	6 90		70 60	
Greywacke, fine grained	1 70		72 30	
Silty mudstone, dark grey, sandy laminae, dip 78°, calcite veins up to 5 cm thick at base.	4 00		76 30	
Greywacke, fine grained, calcite veins up to 5 cm thick at base.	1 40		77 70	
Mudstone, dark grey, sheared, faulted	20		77 90	British Geological Survey
Greywacke, fine grained, much calcite veining, dip vertical	4 80		82 70	
Faulted and sheared mudstones		60	83 30	
Greywacke, fine grained, broken core		70	84 00	
Greywacke, fine grained, silty laminae, dip 80°	10 60		94 60	
Fault, sheared greywackes		35	94 95	
Siltstone, laminated, dip 80°	1 60		96 55	
Greywacke, fine grained	1 80		98 35	
Siltstone, laminated, dip vertical	65		99 00	British Geological Survey
Fault, sheared and veined mudstones		80	99 80	
Siltstones, laminated, dip vertical	1 20		101 00	
Greywacke, fine grained, sheared in places, calcite veins	1 15		102 15	
Siltstone, laminated, sheared and veined	45		102 60	
Greywacke, fine grained, calcite veins	30		102 90	
Siltstone, sheared and veined with calcite	50		103 40	
Greywacke, fine grained, broken	80		104 20	
Fault, Breccia	55		104 75	British Geological Survey
Greywacke, fine grained, calcite veins, badly sheared in bottom metre	4 35		109 10	
	c/fwd	109 10		

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British Geological Survey	British Geological Survey	British Geological Survey	Thickness	Depth from Surface
			Metres	Metres
	b/fwd			109 10
Dyke, ?dolerite, greenish-grey, hard, with white flecks, true thickness about 1.10 m		6 40	115	50
Siltstone, laminated, hard, baked?		1 00	116	50
Greywacke, fine grained, hard, baked?, calcite veining		1 10	117	60
Mudstone, pale grey/buff, dip 80°		1 10	118	70
Siltstone, grey/pale grey	British Geological Survey	30	119	00
Greywacke, fine grained, calcite veining, dip 75°	British Geological Survey	1 50	120	50
Mudstone, shearing parallel to bedding		20	120	70
Greywacke, fine grained, calcite veining, dip 80°		90	121	60
Mudstone, dark grey		05	121	65
Greywacke, fine grained, calcite veining, dip 75°		2 35	124	00
Mudstone, grey, silty laminae		30	124	30
Greywacke, medium grained, good flames → strata now young down the hole! Muddy top 20 cm, a few thin calcite veins		1 45	125	75
British Geological Survey	British Geological Survey	75	126	50
Greywacke, fine grained, dip 72°				
Mudstone, grey, calcite veins		30	126	80
Greywacke, fine grained		30	127	10
Mudstone, dark grey, thin calcite veins		35	127	45
Greywacke, fine grained		35	127	80
Mudstone		20	128	00
Greywacke, medium grained, 1 cm coarse base, 40 cm silty muddy top, graded bedding and flames prove strata young down hole		1 30	129	30
British Geological Survey	British Geological Survey	1 40	130	70
Greywacke, fine grained, few calcite veinlets				
Mudstone, dark grey, with silty laminae		30	131	00
Mudstone, dark red		45	131	45
Greywacke, fine grained, few silty and muddy bands, dip 65°		3 85	135	30
	c/fwd	135 30		

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			Metres	Metres	
Mudstone, dark grey			30	135	30 grey
Greywacke, fine grained			60	136	20
Siltstone			50	136	70
Greywacke, fine grained, few muddy bands, dip 60°			1 70	138	40
Mudstone, grey			60	139	00
Greywacke, medium to fine grained			2 40	141	40
Mudstone, dark grey			15	141	55
Greywacke, fine grained, 20 cm muddy top (ie 142.50 - 142.70) British Geological Survey			1 15	142	70 grey
Greywacke, coarse grained basal 5 cm (ie 142.70 to 142.75), medium-fine grained above (ie 142.75 - 145.30), silty laminae in top half (145.30 - 147.90) dip 70°, calcite veining, graded bedding proves strata young down hole.			5 20	147	90
Greywacke, medium grained, dip 60°			1 05	148	95
Siltstone, laminated			80	149	75
Greywacke, medium grained, flames prove beds young down hole (overturned)			1 25	151	00
Siltstone, laminated			65	151	65
Greywacke, fine to medium grained, much calcite veining, rip-up clasts at stratigraphic base, beds young down hole, dip 70°			7 85	159	50
Mudstone, thick calcite vein - faulted?			20	159	70
Greywacke, medium grained, many calcite veins, silty in top 50 cm (161.95 - 162.45)			2 75	162	45
Greywacke, medium-coarse grained			20	162	65
Greywacke, medium-fine grained, silty laminae in places, dip 50°, calcite veins			1 95	164	60
Greywacke, medium grained, calcite veining			1 20	165	80
Mudstone, grey, much calcite veining	British Geological Survey	British Geological Survey	60	166	40
Greywacke, medium grained, dip 75°			1 80	168	20
Siltstone, laminated, calcite veins, beds dip 60°			1 00	169	20
Greywacke, fine grained, silty, much calcite veining, especially below 175.40			6 60	175	80
c/fwd			175 80		

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British Geological Survey	British Geological Survey	Thickness	British Geological Survey	
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	b/fwd	175 80		
Mudstone, highly sheared and veined with calcite - faulted		60	176 40	
Greywacke, fine grained, dip 60°, numerous calcite veins, beds young up hole, good flames at 188.00, silty bands and laminae		16 60	193 00	
Mudstone, dark grey, silty bands and laminae		2 10	195 10	
Greywacke, medium grained, much calcite veining, beds dip 50°, good flames at 196.20 prove strata young up hole		1 10	196 20	British Geological Survey
Siltstone, muddy bands and laminae, calcite veins, beds dip 50°		1 00	197 20	
Greywacke, fine grained, much calcite veining, beds dip 50°, coarse base 10 cm (200.45 - 200.55), good graded bedding proves beds young up hole.		3 35	200 55	
Siltstone, laminated, beds dip 45°		1 75	202 30	
BASE OF HOLE				

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