



Yukon Observation Well Network

2024 Narrative Report



Executive summary

The Yukon Observation Well Network (YOWN) is a groundwater monitoring program operated by Government of Yukon's Water Resources Branch (WRB) and is used to monitor groundwater levels and groundwater quality across the territory through the traditional territories of 14 First Nations. The purpose of the YOWN is to strengthen understanding of local and regional hydrogeological processes across the Yukon with a focus on understanding fundamental behaviour of groundwater in aquifers underlying communities.

The current network evolved out of the Yukon-wide Long-Term Groundwater Monitoring Program which started in 2001 and focused on short-term and long-term trends in groundwater in areas where infrastructure is present. As a part of the vision set out in the 2014 Yukon Water Strategy and Action Plan (Government of Yukon), the network was renamed the Yukon Observation Well Network (YOWN) and the program scope broadened to increasing our understanding of groundwater across the territory. YOWN has grown from nine wells in 2014 to 87 wells as of December 31, 2024.

Groundwater level, temperature, and conductivity are recorded hourly by dataloggers installed in each YOWN well. YOWN wells are visited approximately every six months to visually assess the well condition, download logger data, and to collect manual water level measurements using a water level meter. Thirty-six YOWN wells are sampled by WRB with frequency determined on a site-by-site basis and the remaining YOWN wells are sampled twice annually by partner agencies.

Most, but not all, wells in the YOWN showed a decrease in peak water levels from 2023 to 2024. This is likely due to the decreasing snowmelt infiltration levels after the historic snowpack highs seen in previous years. Due to the natural lag of groundwater level behind surface water and snowpack behaviour, we expect this trend to continue in the following years.

This report:

- Acknowledges those who have made YOWN possible (Acknowledgements),
- Discusses the vision, mission, purpose, and objectives of YOWN (Chapter 1),
- Provides metadata on all active and inactive YOWN wells (Chapter 2, Appendices 1-2),
- Summarizes key changes made to YOWN since its creation (Chapter 3),
- Details the methods used to monitor YOWN wells (Chapter 4), and
- Directs readers to the results of YOWN monitoring and provides a short summary of yearly observed groundwater level observations (Chapter 5).

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1 Introduction

Context

Groundwater is the most abundant form of water in the Yukon and is a critical component of our natural environment. Approximately 97 per cent of Yukoners rely on groundwater for potable water. Ecosystems similarly depend on groundwater, which maintains water levels, regulates temperatures, and delivers nutrients to surface water bodies (lakes, ponds, streams, rivers, etc.).

The Yukon Observation Well Network (YOWN) was created in response to the 2014 Yukon Water Strategy and Action Plan, which called for a formalized groundwater monitoring program and an improved understanding of groundwater across the territory. The network was adapted from the Yukon-wide Long Term Groundwater Monitoring Program, which began in 2001 with the installation of one observation well in the Wolf Creek drainage basin. The following describes the vision, mission, purpose, and objectives of YOWN.

Vision

Trusted, reliable, timely hydrogeological data that informs groundwater-related decision-making in the Yukon.

Mission

To generate and share groundwater level and baseline groundwater chemistry data to support effective stewardship of groundwater and associated ecosystems.

Purpose

The purpose of YOWN is to strengthen understanding of local and regional hydrogeological processes across the Yukon with a focus on understanding fundamental behaviour in aquifers underlying communities.

These hydrogeological processes include:

- Recharge and discharge mechanisms, rates, and timings;
- Groundwater-surface water interactions, including water table responses to high surface water events;
- Overall controls on background groundwater quality; and
- Responses to the effects of climate change, including permafrost degradation.

We are strengthening our collective understanding of these hydrogeological processes by:

- Long-term, continuous monitoring of hydraulic head, conductivity, and temperature;
- Discrete sampling to establish background groundwater quality;
- Vertical temperature profiling; and
- Aquifer testing.

Network Objectives

YOWN wells are designed to generate data to accomplish one or more of the following objectives:

- Characterize fundamental hydrogeological behaviour in:
 - mapped aquifers,
 - unmapped aquifers near communities;
- Support interpretations of groundwater-surface water interactions near gauged surface water bodies; and
- Monitor background hydrogeologic conditions in:
 - Areas identified by First Nation partners,
 - Transboundary watersheds,
 - Current and future residential areas, and/or
 - Pristine areas.

2 YOWN wells

A summary of active YOWN wells is shown in Table 1, below. YOWN wells are assigned four-digit station IDs based on when they were added to the network. The first two digits of the ID are based on the year the well was added to YOWN and the final two digits are based on the order in which the well was added in that year. For example, the Grizzly Valley Well (YOWN-1504) was the fourth well added to YOWN in 2015. Observation wells are named according to their location. Figure 1 shows the location of active YOWN wells. Additional metadata (including coordinates) for active YOWN wells are included in Appendix A. Limited metadata for deactivated YOWN wells are included in Appendix B.

Table 1 – Active YOWN wells

Well ID	Well Name	Well Owner	Nearest Community
YOWN-0101	Wolf Creek	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-0804	Selkirk	City of Whitehorse	Whitehorse
YOWN-1101	McRae Creeks	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-1302	Swift River HPW Camp	YG, Environment, SARU	Teslin
YOWN-1401	Eagle Plains Camp	Northern Cross Ltd. Yukon	Dawson City
YOWN-1502	Marsh Lake CG - Well 2	Yukon Parks	Whitehorse
YOWN-1504	Grizzly Valley	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-1505	Deep Creek	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-1506	Million Dollar Falls CG	Yukon Parks	Haines Junction
YOWN-1515	Kusawa CG - Well 2	Yukon Parks	Mendenhall
YOWN-1603	Johnson Lake CG - Well 1	Yukon Parks	Faro
YOWN-1604	Pine Lake CG	Yukon Parks	Haines Junction
YOWN-1609	Yukon River CG	Yukon Parks	Dawson City
YOWN-1703	Champagne (CAFN-MW-01)	YG, Environment, WRB	Champagne
YOWN-1704	Champagne (CAFN-MW-02)	YG, Environment, WRB	Champagne
YOWN-1705	Champagne (CAFN-MW-03)	YG, Environment, WRB	Champagne
YOWN-1706	Yukon University 1	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-1802	Kluane Harvest Camp	Kluane First Nation	Burwash Landing
YOWN-1803	West Dawson	YG, Environment, WRB	Dawson City
YOWN-1901	Tagish SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Tagish
YOWN-1902	Marsh Lake SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Whitehorse
YOWN-1903	Mt. Lorne SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Whitehorse
YOWN-1904	Braeburn SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Braeburn
YOWN-1905	Deep Creek SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Whitehorse
YOWN-1906	Quigley SWDF	City of Dawson	Dawson City
YOWN-1907	Mayo SWDF	Village of Mayo	Mayo
YOWN-1908	Stewart Crossing SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Stewart Crossing
YOWN-1909	Pelly Crossing SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Pelly Crossing
YOWN-1910	Wellgreen Campsite	YG, Environment, SARU	Burwash Landing
YOWN-1911	Beaver Creek SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Beaver Creek
YOWN-1912	Horsecamp Hill SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Beaver Creek
YOWN-1913	Burwash Landing SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Burwash Landing
YOWN-1914	Silver City SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Haines Junction

Well ID	Well Name	Well Owner	Nearest Community
YOWN-1916	Swift River SWDF	YG, Highway and Public Works	Teslin
YOWN-1919	Haines Junction SWDF	Village of Haines Junction	Haines Junction
YOWN-1920	Champagne SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Champagne
YOWN-1921	Drury Creek SWDF	YG, Highway and Public Works	Faro
YOWN-1922	Ross River SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Ross River
YOWN-1923	Watson Lake SWDF	Town of Watson Lake	Watson Lake
YOWN-1924	Canyon Creek SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Haines Junction
YOWN-1925	Carmacks SWDF	Village of Carmacks	Carmacks
YOWN-1926	Johnson's Crossing SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Johnson's Crossing
YOWN-1927	Upper Liard SWDF Well 1	YG, Environment, SARU	Watson Lake
YOWN-1928	Faro SWDF	Town of Faro	Faro
YOWN-1930D	Cowley Creek (Deep)	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-1930S	Cowley Creek (Shallow)	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2001	Upper Liard SWDF Well 2	YG, Environment, SARU	Watson Lake
YOWN-2002	Ogilvie HPW Camp	YG, Highway and Public Works	Dawson City
YOWN-2003	Teslin SWDF	Village of Teslin	Teslin
YOWN-2004	Old Crow SWDF	YG, Environment, SARU	Old Crow
YOWN-2006D	Carmacks Playground (Deep)	YG, Environment, WRB	Carmacks
YOWN-2006S	Carmacks Playground (Shallow)	YG, Environment, WRB	Carmacks
YOWN-2201S	Army Beach Well 1 (Shallow)	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2201D	Army Beach Well 1 (Deep)	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2202	Army Beach Well 2	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2203	Army Beach Well 3	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2204	Army Beach Well 4	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2205	Army Beach Well 5	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2206	Teslin Hwy Pullout	YG, Environment, WRB	Teslin
YOWN-2207S	Village of Teslin Compound (Shallow)	YG, Environment, WRB	Teslin
YOWN-2207D	Village of Teslin Compound (Deep)	YG, Environment, WRB	Teslin
YOWN-2208	Watson Lake Hwy Pullout	YG, Environment, WRB	Watson Lake
YOWN-2209S	Watson Lake Playground (Shallow)	YG, Environment, WRB	Watson Lake
YOWN-2209D	Watson Lake Playground (Deep)	YG, Environment, WRB	Watson Lake
YOWN-2301	Bennett Beach 1	YG, Environment, SARU	Carcross
YOWN-2302	Bennett Beach 2	YG, Environment, SARU	Carcross
YOWN-2303	Bennett Beach 3	YG, Environment, SARU	Carcross
YOWN-2304	Ross River HPW Camp	YG, Environment, WRB	Ross River
YOWN-2305	Dawson City	YG, Environment, WRB	Dawson City
YOWN-2306	Mayo Village	YG, Environment, WRB	Mayo
YOWN-2307	Beaver Creek Town	YG, Environment, WRB	Beaver Creek
YOWN-2308	Haines Junction Village	YG, Environment, WRB	Haines Junction
YOWN-2309	McConnell Lake	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2310S	Shallow Bay Rd. (Shallow)	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2310D	Shallow Bay Rd. (Deep)	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2311S	Cookies Rd. (Shallow)	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2311D	Cookies Rd. (Deep)	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2312S	Northern Splendour Drive (Shallow)	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2312D	Northern Splendour Drive (Deep)	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2401S	Whitehorse Copper Pad 1	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse

Well ID	Well Name	Well Owner	Nearest Community
YOWN-2401D	Whitehorse Copper Pad 1	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2402S	Whitehorse Copper Pad 2	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2402D	Whitehorse Copper Pad 2	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2403S	Whitehorse Copper Pad 3	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2403D	Whitehorse Copper Pad 3	YG, Environment, WRB	Whitehorse
YOWN-2404	Bennett Beach 0	YG, Environment, WRB	Carcross

Well records (including borehole logs and associated reports) for YOWN wells can be viewed or downloaded using the [Yukon Water Well Registry](#) (YWWR). The YWWR was established by the Government of Yukon and is a database and map of borehole logs and hydrogeological information in the territory. The database allows users to search for water well records across the territory and identify where known wells are located. The YWWR allows users to learn about aquifer and groundwater characteristics and generate statistics on well depth, static water level, and estimated yield.

In addition to the YWWR, the [Yukon Water Data Catalogue](#) web mapping application allows users to search for surface water and groundwater monitoring stations across the territory. To see all YOWN stations, users can filter sites by “Network Source” and select “Yukon Observation Well Network”.



Figure 1
2024 YOWN NETWORK

0 50 100 200 Kilometers

YOWN-2004

Old Crow

YOWN-1401

YOWN-2002

YOWN-1609
YOWN-1803
YOWN-2305

Dawson City

YOWN-1906

YOWN-1907
YOWN-2306

YOWN-1908

YOWN-1909

YOWN-1911
YOWN-2307

YOWN-1912

YOWN-1802

YOWN-1910

YOWN-1913

YOWN-1914

YOWN-1925
YOWN-2006

Carmacks

YOWN-1921

YOWN-1603
YOWN-1928

YOWN-1922
YOWN-2304

YOWN-1904

Whitehorse

YOWN-1506

YOWN-2301
YOWN-2302
YOWN-2303
YOWN-2404

YOWN-1901

YOWN-2306
YOWN-2203

YOWN-1923
YOWN-1927
YOWN-2001
YOWN-2207
YOWN-2208
YOWN-2209

YOWN-1604

YOWN-1924

YOWN-1919
YOWN-2308

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YOWN-1703
YOWN-1704
YOWN-1705

YOWN-1515

YOWN-1504
YOWN-1505
YOWN-1905

YOWN-2310
YOWN-2311
YOWN-2312

YOWN-1920

YOWN-1706
YOWN-0804

YOWN-2401
YOWN-2402
YOWN-2403

YOWN-0101
YOWN-1101

YOWN-1502
YOWN-1902
YOWN-2202
YOWN-2203
YOWN-2204
YOWN-2205

YOWN-1903
YOWN-2309

YOWN-1926

3 Summary of annual activities

Table 2, below, summarizes well activations and deactivations since YOWN began. What follows the table is a description of significant changes to the network and the methods used to monitor YOWN wells and process YOWN data since YOWN was unofficially inaugurated in 2001.

Table 2 –YOWN well activations and deactivations

Year	Wells activated				Wells deactivated		Total # of active wells
	Commissioned by WRB	#	Adopted	#		#	
2001	YOWN-0101	1		0		0	1
2008		0	YOWN-0801, YOWN-0802, YOWN-0803, YOWN-0804, YOWN-0805	5		0	6
2011		0	YOWN-1101	1		0	7
2013		0	YOWN-1301	1		0	8
2014		0	YOWN-1401	1		0	9
2015		0	YOWN-1501, YOWN-1502, YOWN-1503, YOWN-1504, YOWN-1505, YOWN-1506, YOWN-1507, YOWN-1508, YOWN-1509, YOWN-1510, YOWN-1511, YOWN-1512, YOWN-1513, YOWN-1514, YOWN-1515	15		0	24
2016		0	YOWN-1601, YOWN-1602, YOWN-1603, YOWN-1604, YOWN-1605, YOWN-1606, YOWN-1607, YOWN-1608, YOWN-1609, YOWN-1610, YOWN-1611, YOWN-1612, YOWN-1613, YOWN-1614	14	YOWN-1601	1	37
2017	YOWN-1703, YOWN-1704, YOWN-1705, YOWN-1706	4	YOWN-1701, YOWN-1702	2		0	43
2018	YOWN-1801, YOWN-1802, YOWN-1803	3		0		0	46
2019	YOWN-1930S, YOWN-1930D	2	YOWN-1901, YOWN-1902, YOWN-1903, YOWN-1904, YOWN-1905, YOWN-1906, YOWN-1907, YOWN-1908, YOWN-1909, YOWN-1910, YOWN-1911, YOWN-1912, YOWN-1913, YOWN-1914, YOWN-1915, YOWN-1916, YOWN-1917, YOWN-1918, YOWN-1919, YOWN-1920, YOWN-1921, YOWN-1922, YOWN-1923, YOWN-1924, YOWN-1925, YOWN-1926, YOWN-1927, YOWN-1928, YOWN-1929	29	YOWN-0801, YOWN-0802, YOWN-0803, YOWN-0805, YOWN-1301, YOWN-1501, YOWN-1503, YOWN-1507, YOWN-1508, YOWN-1509, YOWN-1510, YOWN-1511, YOWN-1512, YOWN-1513, YOWN-1514, YOWN-1602, YOWN-1605, YOWN-1606, YOWN-1607, YOWN-1608, YOWN-1609, YOWN-1610, YOWN-1611, YOWN-1612, YOWN-1613, YOWN-1614, YOWN-1701, YOWN-1702, YOWN-1929	29	48

2020	YOWN-2006S, YOWN-2006D	2	YOWN-2001, YOWN-2002, YOWN-2003, YOWN-2004, YOWN-2005	5	YOWN-1917	1	54
2021		0		0		0	54
2022	YOWN-2201S, YOWN-2201D, YOWN-2202, YOWN-2203, YOWN-2204, YOWN-2205, YOWN-2206, YOWN-2207S, YOWN-2207D, YOWN-2208, YOWN-2209S, YOWN-2209D	12		0	YOWN-1801	1	65
2023	YOWN-2304, YOWN-2305, YOWN-2306, YOWN-2307, YOWN-2308, YOWN-2310S, YOWN-2310D, YOWN-2311S, YOWN-2311D, YOWN-2312S, YOWN-2312D	11	YOWN-1302, YOWN-2301, YOWN-2302, YOWN-2303, YOWN-2309,	5		0	81
2024	YOWN-2401S; YOWN-2401D; YOWN-2402S; YOWN-2402D; YOWN-2403S; YOWN-2403D	6	YOWN-2404	1	YOWN-1915; YOWN-2005	2	87

2001

The Yukon-wide Long-Term Groundwater Monitoring Program started in 2001 and included one well in the Wolf Creek subdivision of Whitehorse (YOWN-0101). Monitoring involved recording groundwater level and temperature at six-hour intervals.

2008

Five observation wells were adopted to the network: two within the Whitehorse city limits (YOWN-0801 in Whitehorse Copper and YOWN-0804 in Selkirk), one in Faro (YOWN-0802), one in Dawson (YOWN-0803), and one in Watson Lake (YOWN-0805), bringing the total number of YOWN wells to six.

2011

A seventh well was adopted to the network: YOWN-1101 at McRae Creeks (Whitehorse).

2013

An eighth well was adopted in Beaver Creek (YOWN-1301).

2014

The program was renamed the Yukon Observation Well Network (YOWN) when a formal groundwater program was added to the Water Resources Branch and the network objective expanded to include the understanding of groundwater across the territory. A ninth well was adopted at Eagle Plains on the Dempster Highway (YOWN-1401).

2015

Fifteen wells were added to YOWN, including eleven wells adopted in Yukon Parks' campgrounds and recreation sites, two test wells adopted in the Grizzly Valley and Deep Creek subdivisions north of Whitehorse (YOWN-1504 and YOWN-1505, respectively), a well adopted in the village of Champagne near the community center and playground (YOWN-1503), and a former drinking water well adopted at the Kotaneelee gas plant (YOWN-1507). These additions increased the total number of YOWN wells to 24.

2016

YOWN methodology was updated to include routine groundwater quality sampling and management of the chemistry data in EQWin (an environmental data management software package).

Fourteen wells were added to YOWN, including twelve wells adopted in Yukon Parks' campgrounds, day use areas and recreation sites; a well adopted in Faro (YOWN-1602); and a well adopted at the Former Wellgreen Mill and Tailings site (YOWN-1614). One well (YOWN-1601) was added and deactivated to the network within the year. This well is located on private property and was removed from the network due to limitations associated with accessing the well. These changes increased the total number of YOWN wells to 37.

2017

Six wells were added to YOWN: two wells adopted in campgrounds (YOWN-1701 and YOWN-1702); three wells commissioned by WRB in partnership with the Champagne and Aishihik First Nations, south of the Village of Champagne, near Champagne Creek (YOWN-1703, YOWN-1704, and YOWN-1705); and one commissioned by WRB at Yukon University (YOWN-1706), bringing the total number of YOWN wells to 43.

2018

Three wells were added to YOWN: one well was commissioned by WRB in partnership with the Government of Yukon's Department of Energy, Mines and Resources' Agricultural Branch at the Takhini Research Forest (YOWN-1801); one well was commissioned in partnership with Kluane First Nation (YOWN-1802); and one well was commissioned by WRB in West Dawson (YOWN-1803). A fourth well was drilled in partnership with YukonU but was not instrumented by WRB; rather, it is used by YukonU for teaching purposes. These additions increased the total number of YOWN wells to 46.

2019

YOWN methodology was updated to ensure that all YOWN wells are instrumented with loggers that record hourly fluctuations in groundwater level, temperature and conductivity. Prior to 2019, the recording interval was every six hours and not all the loggers installed in YOWN wells were capable of measuring conductivity.

Furthermore, YOWN methodology was updated to include only monitoring wells with available borehole stratigraphy and well construction details. 29 wells that did not meet these criteria were deactivated.

29 existing monitoring wells that met these criteria were adopted to YOWN and significantly increased the network's geographic coverage. 26 of these wells are located upgradient of Solid Waste and Disposal Facilities (SWDFs), one of these wells is located at the Former Wellgreen Mill and Tailings site (YOWN-1910), and one is located at the Old Crow sewage lagoon (YOWN-1915).

Two wells (YOWN-1930S and YOWN-1930D), completed in the same borehole, were commissioned by WRB in the Cowley Creek neighbourhood of Whitehorse. These are the first nested wells included in YOWN. Nested wells enable, among other things, calculation of vertical hydraulic gradients, evaluation of vertical groundwater flow directions and magnitudes, and assessment of groundwater quality at distinct depths at a single location.

These changes increased the total number of YOWN wells to 48.

2020

Seven monitoring wells were added to YOWN in 2020. Five existing wells were adopted to YOWN, including three wells at SWDFs (YOWN-2001, YOWN-2003, YOWN-2004), one well at Highways and Public Works' Ogilvie maintenance camp (YOWN-2002), and one well at Community Services' Dempster Highway km 3.9 sewage pit (YOWN-2005).

Nested wells (YOWN-2006S and YOWN-2006D) were commissioned by WRB in Carmacks. These wells were drilled to support the Carmacks aquifer mapping project and are the first wells that were commissioned both to support aquifer mapping (by generating stratigraphic data) and long-term monitoring (by forming part of YOWN).

One well (YOWN-1917) was deactivated because the well typically had insufficient groundwater to sample.

These changes increased the total number of YOWN wells to 54.

Temperature-depth profiles were generated for four YOWN wells: YOWN-1504 (Grizzly Valley), YOWN-1505 (Deep Creek), YOWN-1801 (Takhini Research Forest), and YOWN-1803 (West Dawson).

A research project titled, "Geogenic contamination of groundwater resources in subarctic regions," led by the University of Saskatchewan and McMaster University, and funded by Global Water Futures was initiated. The project has involved sampling various active and deactivated YOWN wells and has analyzed various parameters that are not part of the routine suite of analytes for YOWN wells.

2021

Standard operating procedures were written to ensure consistent data collection, processing, analysis, and publication methodology across the network. Protocols created and implemented this year included:

- Instrument calibration and deployment protocols for YSI water chemistry meters and Solinst dataloggers;
- Groundwater sampling methodology;
- Data processing documentation encompassing data conventions, input and verification procedures, and post-input grading and publication;
- Use of ECCC barometers for barometric compensation in place of dedicated wellhead units; and
- Use of R scripts to facilitate all post-field procedures.

An RTK unit was also procured by the WRB during 2021, and 3 wells were surveyed for elevation above the CGVD2013 datum.

No wells were added to YOWN or deactivated in 2021.

2022

Six wells (including a nested well) were commissioned by WRB at Army Beach, to support interpretations of groundwater-surface water interactions, in particular during high water events in Marsh Lake. Three monitoring wells (including a nested well) were commissioned by WRB in Teslin, and three monitoring wells (including a nested well) were commissioned by WRB in Watson Lake, as part of Aquifer Mapping projects in those communities.

One well (YOWN-1801) was deactivated at the Takhini Research Forest because the well started to be used for irrigation purposes.

These changes increased the total number of YOWN wells to 65.

2023

Sixteen monitoring wells were added to YOWN in 2023.

Five existing wells were adopted to YOWN, including three wells in Carcross (YOWN-2301, YOWN-2302, YOWN-2303), one well near McConnell Lake (YOWN-2309) and one well near Highways and Public Works' Swift River grader station (YOWN-1302). Groundwater levels at the well near HPW's Swift River grader station have been continuously monitored since 2013 by consultants acting on behalf of the SARU. For this reason, the well was assigned the ID "YOWN-1302" despite being added to the network in 2023.

Six wells (three pairs of nested wells) were commissioned by WRB south of Shallow Bay (Lake Laberge), to support the interests of TKC and to support interpretations of groundwater-surface water interactions, particularly during high water events in Lake Laberge.

Monitoring wells were commissioned by WRB (in collaboration with YGS) in five communities: Dawson City, Mayo, Ross River, Beaver Creek and Haines Junction. These wells were installed to strengthen understanding of fundamental groundwater behaviour in aquifers underlying these communities within their municipal footprints. (Previous wells in these communities were located outside of the municipal boundaries and limited WRB's ability to interpret hydrogeologic conditions near where most residents live.)

A well was drilled in Atlin, BC as a part of a partnership initiative with the Government of BC's groundwater division.

These additions increased the total number of YOWN wells to 81.

Telemetry systems were installed at two YOWN wells (YOWN-2006S and YOWN-2201S) to enable near real-time monitoring of groundwater levels at these locations. The locations were chosen because of WRB's interest in groundwater-surface water interactions in areas at risk of flooding (in these cases, Carmacks and Army Beach). These are the first telemetry systems to be installed at wells in the network.

A three-year research project titled, "Groundwater vulnerability to metal(loid) contamination in Whitehorse, Yukon" was initiated. The project is funded by the National Research Council of Canada (NRC) and is a collaboration between WRB, the University of Saskatchewan, TKC, YGS, Yukon University, and the City of Whitehorse. The project has involved sampling various YOWN wells in the Greater Whitehorse Area and has analyzed various parameters that are not part of the routine suite of analytes for YOWN wells.

2024

Seven monitoring wells were added to YOWN in 2024.

In summer 2024, the Government of Yukon installed paired shallow and deep groundwater monitoring wells in three key locations downgradient of the Whitehorse Copper mine site (YOWN-2401S/D; YOWN-2402S/D; and YOWN-2403S/D). Drilling supervision and well design were collaborations between the Government of Yukon, YukonU, USask, Carleton University and Queen's University. These wells are also part of a larger project - "Groundwater vulnerability to metal(loid) contamination in Whitehorse, Yukon". The project was initiated for better understanding of groundwater chemistry in the Whitehorse Copper Belt area.

One existing well was adopted at Bennett Beach (YOWN-2404), in addition to the other wells added to YOWN in 2024.

Two wells were deactivated: YOWN-1915 at the Old Crow Sewage Lagoon (damaged well casing); and YOWN-2005 at the Dempster Highway Sewage Lagoon (well screen installed in permafrost leading to consistently frozen conditions).

These changes resulted in a total number of 87 active YOWN wells.

No telemetry systems were added during 2024.

4 Methods

4.1 Groundwater level monitoring

4.1.1 Field methods

Groundwater level, temperature and conductivity are recorded hourly on the hour by pressure transducers (Solinst LTCs and In-Situ LevelTroll 200s) installed within the water column of each well. For wells that are outside of a 100 km radius from ECCC climate data stations (YOWN-1401 (Eagle Plains Camp) and YOWN-2002 (Ogilvie HPW Camp)), a Solinst Barologger measures atmospheric pressure at the same interval as the pressure transducer.

YOWN wells are visited approximately every six months to visually assess the well condition, download transducer and/or Barologger data, and to collect manual water level measurements using a water level meter. These measurements are used to correct Levellogger measurements and provide reference points, such as the top of casing (TOC).

A Quality Assurance/Quality Control measure was implemented in 2019, entailing calibration of LTC loggers approximately every six months. These calibrations include specific conductance using 1,413 $\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$ standard point calibration solution and verification of temperature using a laboratory-grade digital thermometer. During site visits, loggers are removed, downloaded and replaced with recently calibrated loggers. Logger calibrations are conducted following procedures outlined in internal guidance documents, available upon request.

4.1.2 Data assessment

Raw water level data are subject to several adjustments before being added to the network database, following internally developed guidance documents. Aquarius Time Series software is used to correct raw groundwater level data for the influence of barometric (atmospheric) pressure variations (recorded by Barologgers). Additional corrections are carried out if compensated data differs significantly from manual water level measurements. The final data are presented as a measurement of the depth to groundwater in meters below ground surface (m bgs). Grading criteria are applied to all groundwater level data and are published alongside the data.

Compensated and corrected data are collected from Aquarius using R scripts for chart publication and further QA/QC checks and analysis.

Datalogger installation depth varies between YOWN sites and may vary over time at the same site due to changes in instrumentation such as switching from Kevlar cord to direct read cables. These changes may result in changes in temperature and conductivity and should be considered when reviewing the data. Methods to account for sensor drift over time, such as periodic calibrations and data corrections, are implemented in the data processing workflow.

4.2 Groundwater quality monitoring

Groundwater quality monitoring is conducted following the Protocol No. 7 (Groundwater monitoring Well Installation, Sampling and Decommissioning) of the Yukon Protocol for the Contaminated Site Regulation under the Environment Act.

4.2.1 Field methods

Table 3 lists the sampling frequency and agency responsible for sampling each active YOWN well.

Table 3 – Sampling frequency and agency responsible for sampling active YOWN wells

Well ID	Sampling Frequency	Sampled by
YOWN-0101	Twice yearly	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-0804	Twice yearly	City of Whitehorse
YOWN-1101	Twice yearly	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1401	Not sampled	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1502	Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1504	Twice yearly	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1505	Twice yearly	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1506	Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1515	Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1603	Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1604	Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1609	Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1703	Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1704	Not sampled	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1705	Not sampled	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1706	As needed for teaching purposes, by Yukon U.	Yukon U
YOWN-1802	Once yearly	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1803	Once yearly	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1901	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1902	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1903	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1904	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1905	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1906	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU

YOWN-1907	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1908	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1909	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1910	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1911	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1912	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1913	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1914	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1916	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1918	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1919	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1920	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1921	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1922	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1923	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1924	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1925	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1926	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1927	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1928	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-1930D	Twice yearly	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-1930S	Twice yearly	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2001	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-2002	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-2003	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-2004	Twice yearly	Consultant on behalf of CS-SARU
YOWN-2006D	Twice yearly	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2006S	Twice yearly	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2201S	Twice yearly	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2201D	Not sampled	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2202	Not sampled	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2203	Not sampled	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2204	Not sampled	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2205	Not sampled	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2206	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2207S	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2207D	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2208	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2209S	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2209D	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2304	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2305	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2306	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2307	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2308	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2309	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2310S	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2310D	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch

YOWN-2311S	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2311D	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2312S	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2312D	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2313	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2401	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2402S	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2402D	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2403S	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2403D	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2404S	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch
YOWN-2404D	Twice yearly for first 2 years, then Every 3 years	Water Resources Branch

CS – Government of Yukon / Community Services

SARU – Government of Yukon / Site assessment and Remediation Unit

32 YOWN wells are sampled twice annually by a third party environmental consultant, on behalf of the Government of Yukon's Site Assessment and Remediation Unit (SARU), one well is sampled twice annually by the City of Whitehorse (YOWN-0804), and one well (YOWN-1706) is sampled by Yukon University on an irregular basis for teaching purposes. Analytical data collected by other parties will be shared with WRB and uploaded into WRB's EQWin database in 2023.

Methods used by the WRB for purging and collecting samples from these wells vary based on method suitability and access constraints, following the Government of Yukon's Department of Environment's groundwater sampling Protocol 7 (Yukon Environment, 2019). Monitoring wells with a 2" (5cm) diameter are sampled using Geotech™ Geosub 2 Stainless Steel submersible pumps, Geotech Peristaltic Pumps or Spectra Field-Pro Peristaltic Pumps. Monitoring wells with a 6" (15 cm) diameter are sampled using a Geotech™ Geosub 2 Stainless Steel submersible pump or low flow methodology.

Waterra Hydrolift pumps equipped with Waterra tubing and D-25 foot-valves and surge blocks were used for developing the newly installed 5 cm diameter wells in 2019, 2020, 2022, 2023 and 2024.

Prior to sample collection, wells are purged until three well volumes are removed or until in situ parameters become stable. Temperature, pH, electrical conductivity, oxidation reduction potential, turbidity and dissolved oxygen concentration are measured after every 20 L of purging, using a flow-through cell and an YSI™ ProDSS multi-parameter water quality Sonde to monitor parameter stability. HydraSleeve™ discrete interval samplers are used when purging is not possible because of equipment (generator or pump) failure at the time of the sampling event. Samples collected via HydraSleeve™ are taken directly from the screened interval of the well.

When recovery is sufficient to allow for sampling, samples are collected and placed in laboratory supplied bottles and stored in an ice-chilled cooler until delivered to the lab within the specified holding times. Samples are submitted to the laboratory accompanied by chain of custody documentation. Samples for dissolved constituent analysis (i.e. dissolved metals and dissolved organic carbon) are filtered in the field using lab-supplied 0.45 µm filters. Samples are preserved in-field as per laboratory specifications. Exova Laboratory of Surrey, BC conducted the YOWN water quality assays from program initiation until 2017; CARO Analytics of Richmond, BC conducted the YOWN water quality assays from 2018 to 2020; Bureau Veritas Laboratory conducted the YOWN water quality assays from 2020 to March 2022, ALS conducted the YOWN water quality assays from March 2022 to March 2023; and Bureau Veritas Laboratory conducted the YOWN water quality assays from March 2023 to present.

Samples are analyzed for the following analytes.

- Conventional parameters: pH, specific conductivity, hardness, alkalinity, total dissolved solids (TDS), total suspended solids (TSS), total organic carbon (TOC), dissolved organic carbon (DOC), total inorganic carbon (TIC) and dissolved inorganic carbon (DIC).
- Major ions: bicarbonate, bromide, calcium, carbonate, chloride, fluoride, hydroxide, magnesium, potassium, sodium and sulphate.
- Nutrients: nitrate, nitrite, nitrate + nitrite, total ammonia, total Kjeldahl nitrogen, total nitrogen, total phosphorus, dissolved phosphorus and dissolved phosphorus as phosphate.
- Dissolved metals: aluminum, antimony, arsenic, barium, beryllium, bismuth, boron, cadmium, calcium, cesium, chromium, cobalt, copper, iron, lead, lithium, magnesium, manganese, mercury, molybdenum, nickel, phosphorus, potassium, rubidium, selenium, silicon, silver, sodium, strontium, sulfur, tellurium, thallium, thorium, tin, titanium, tungsten, uranium, vanadium, zinc and zirconium.
- Stable water isotopes: deuterium and oxygen-18.
- Artificial sweeteners: acesulfame, cyclamate, saccharin, sucralose and, occasionally, sulfamate.

Samples for isotopic and dissolved gas analysis were collected from select wells in 2016, 2017 and 2018. These samples were collected as part of a study led by the University of Calgary and funded by the Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada (NSERC). The study aimed to develop baseline testing approaches for assessing potential environmental impacts of oil and gas development. These samples were analyzed for the following analytes:

- Radiological parameters: actinium228, bismuth212, bismuth214, lead210, lead211, lead212, lead214, potassium40, radium223, radium226, radium228, radon219, thallium208, thorium227, thorium228, thorium230, thorium234 and uranium235.
- Environmental isotopes: carbon-13 in dissolved inorganic carbon, oxygen-18 in sulphate, oxygen-18 and deuterium in water and sulphur-34 in sulphate.
- Dissolved gases: oxygen, nitrogen, methane, ethane, propane and higher n-alkanes.

4.3 Survey methods

Real-Time Kinematic surveying (RTK) is being carried out at YOWN wells using an Emlid Reach RS2 where field visit timing allows. Due to the remote locations of many wells in YOWN, each well is surveyed as a geodetic control point for absolute elevation relative to the CGVD2013a datum (orthometric height). This elevation represents the distance from sea level to the top of the well casing, from which well stickup is subtracted to obtain the absolute elevation of the ground surface at the well. These surveys allow comparison of YOWN water levels to other data sets such as Water Survey of Canada river flow hydrographs from stations that are surveyed in the same datum with a high degree of accuracy. To date, 20 wells in YOWN have been surveyed.

Wells are surveyed by collecting a raw .220 position log file which is downloaded from the unit and uploaded to the Government of Canada (GC)'s Precise Point Positioning (PPP) system. Processed survey data are delivered via email and tracking tables are updated with survey results.

4.4 Groundwater level telemetry

The YOWN has begun installation of real-time data transmission equipment (telemetry) at selected YOWN sites. The eventual goal of this project is to have all YOWN wells broadcasting to our data management systems on an hourly basis. Telemetry systems can cut program costs by reducing the frequency of field visits and facilitates rapid data access to other network stakeholders, including the Government of Yukon's hydrology program.

As of the publication date of this report, two wells have telemetry systems installed:

- YOWN-2201S – Army Beach Well 1 Shallow
- YOWN-2006S – Carmacks Playground Shallow

All YOWN stations currently equipped with telemetry employ Forest Technology Systems (FTS) Axiom dataloggers and are located in aluminum box housings containing the datalogger, battery and connector cables. Data is broadcast through the GOES satellite network and is processed using Python scripts to be uploaded directly to Aquarius.

Solinst LevelSender units have been trialed at several YOWN sites, but long-term maintenance of these installations is hindered by frequent telemetry unit malfunctions and unreliability.

5 Results

5.1 Stratigraphy and well construction details

Well records (including borehole logs and associated reports) for YOWN wells can be viewed or downloaded using the [Yukon Water Well Registry](#). The areal extents of mapped aquifers can be viewed on the [Yukon Water Well Registry](#). Aquifer fact sheets and aquifer mapping project final reports can also be downloaded from the [Yukon Water Well Registry](#).

5.2 Groundwater level

A hydrograph for each YOWN well can be accessed online on the [Yukon Water Data Catalogue](#) using the interactive map viewer, or directly via the Government of Yukon's File Transfer Service located at the following web address: <https://ftp-env-public.gov.yk.ca/WR/YOWN/>. The hydrographs show how daily mean groundwater levels for the current monitoring year compare with historical minimum, mean and maximum daily groundwater levels.

Annual field data measurements (including depth to groundwater, total well depth, well casing stickup (i.e. the portion of the well casing that extends above the ground surface), groundwater temperature, dissolved oxygen concentrations, specific conductance, pH, oxidation-reduction potential and turbidity) can be made available upon request by contacting the Water Resources Branch.

5.3 Groundwater quality

Summaries of laboratory analytical results and laboratory certificates will be made available online via the Water Data Catalogue in 2025. Laboratory analytical results can be made available upon request by contacting the Water Resources Branch.

Temperature-depth profiles can similarly be made available upon request by contacting the Water Resources Branch.

5.4 YOWN survey results

Survey metadata is collected alongside elevation and position data. These measurements of accuracy (elevation, longitude, and latitude accuracy in metres) are available upon request or online through the Water Data Catalogue.

6 Discussion

6.1 Water levels

Between 2021 and 2022, years with above-average snowpack due to a strong El Niña cycle, most wells saw an increase in maximum yearly groundwater level. Through 2023 and into 2024 this trend has been mostly reversed with most network wells showing a year-over-year decrease in peak and trough groundwater levels. (Figures 2 and 3). Some wells continue to show an increase in peak groundwater level which can likely be attributed to regional precipitation regimes, principally snowpack levels. Analysis of yearly snowpack levels' relationship with groundwater levels is planned for 2025.

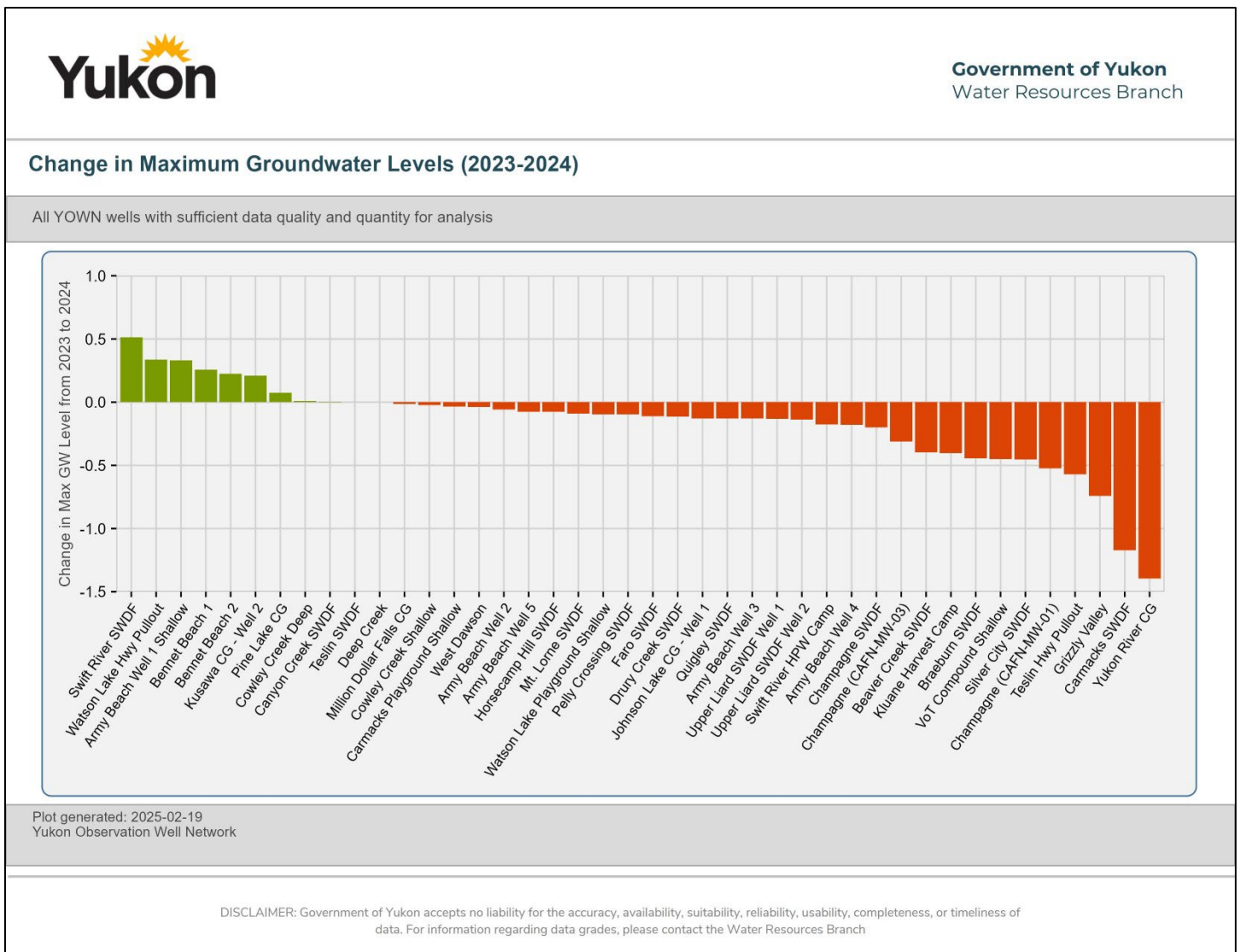
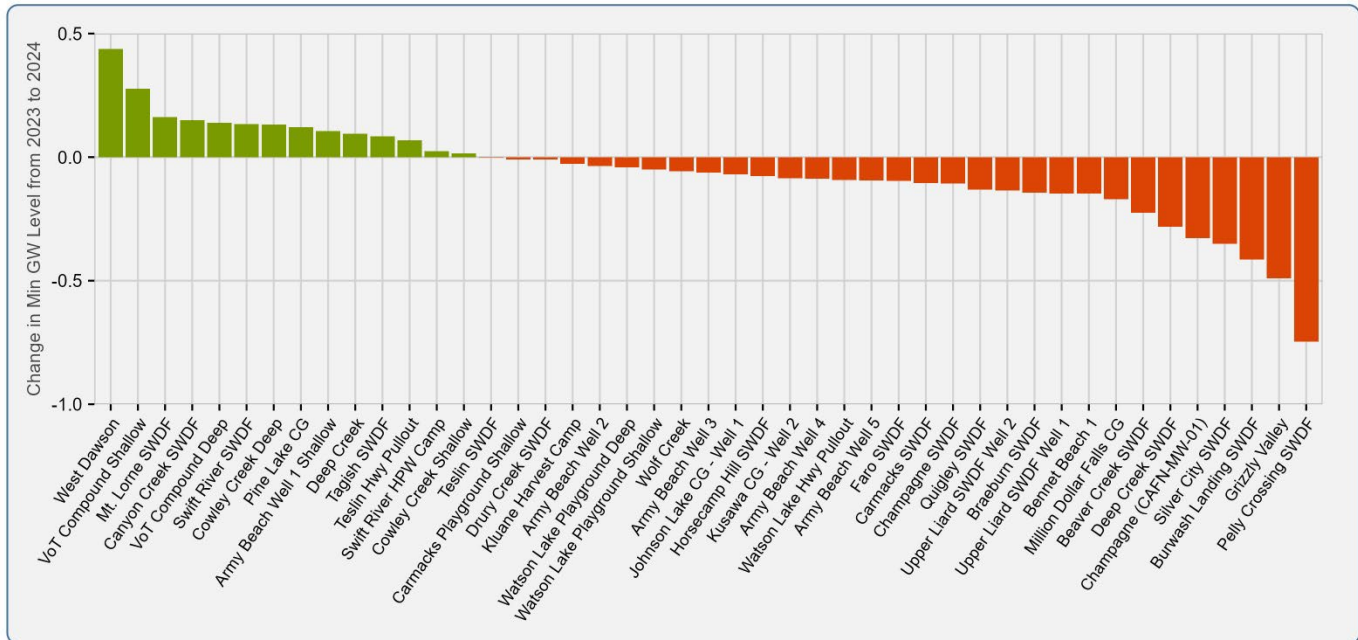


Figure 2 - Comparison of year over year maximum groundwater levels

Change in Minimum Groundwater Levels (2023-2024)

All YOWN wells with sufficient data quality and quantity for analysis



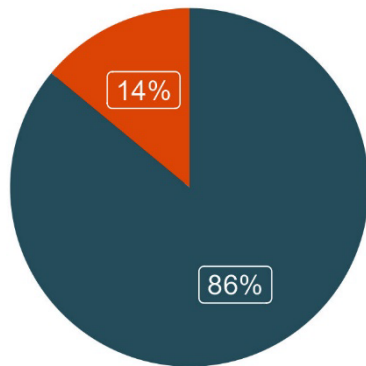
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Figure 3 - Comparison of year over year minimum groundwater levels

Some wells saw their highest or lowest yearly max/min groundwater level on record in 2024 (Figures 4 and 5). These types of comparisons are limited by the relatively short period of record for many wells in the YOWN (some as little as 2 years). This analysis will become more meaningful as more data is collected and more climate extrema are observed, which generally have strong impacts on historical maximum and minimum values.

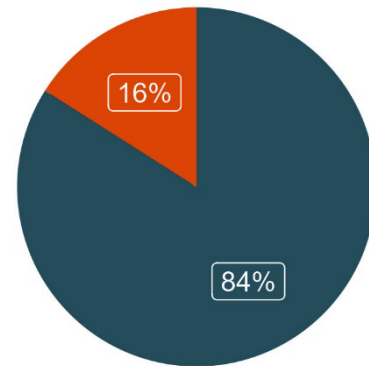
Percentage of Wells that Reached a Maximum Level in 2024



■ Highest Level on Record
 ■ Not Highest Level on Record

Figure 5 - Percentage of YOWN wells that reached their highest level on record in 2024

Percentage of Wells that Reached a Historical Minimum Level in 2024



■ Lowest Level on Record
 ■ Not Lowest Level on Record

Figure 4 - Percentage of YOWN wells that reached their lowest level on record in 2024

Analysis of groundwater level changes on a network-wide basis is limited by the following factors.

- Short period of records for most YOWN wells.
- Data gaps caused by equipment failure.
- Inconsistent data quality due to instrument drift and infrequent field errors.

Up to 2018, most of the monitoring wells were added to YOWN on an opportunistic basis; therefore, there is a lack of available information for some wells (i.e. borehole logs, geology, aquifer properties, etc.) that limits the interpretation and application of the water level data, such as for hydrogeological modelling purposes. However, these data can be used to assess long-term trends or abnormalities at specific locations.

6.2 Water quality

Detailed analysis of water chemistry is currently underway, with results available in 2025. All parameters are compared to the relevant guidelines, with exceedances noted.

7 Summary and conclusions

YOWN is a network of groundwater wells monitored by the Government of Yukon's Water Resources Branch (WRB) for continuous groundwater level data and discrete aqueous geochemistry. This network commenced operation on 2001 with a single well and grew to encompass 87 wells as of December 31, 2024. These wells are dispersed throughout the territory allowing assessments of groundwater levels in most Yukon communities, and spatial coverage improves every year as wells are drilled or adopted into the network.

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APPENDIX A

Summary of active YOWN wells

A.1 YOWN-0101

Well Name: Wolf Creek Well	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Feb. 2001; May 2001	Easting (m): 502041
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 204100382	Northing (m): 6719006
Well Depth (m bTOC): 48.8	Well Diameter (cm): 15.24
Well Elevation (masl): 749.00	Period of Record: 2001 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Basalt	Aquifer subtype: 6b
Aquifer thickness: A.5 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Semi-confined (BH)
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 330 m to Wolf Creek; 1.6 km to Yukon River	
Distance Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 16.3 km (Yukon River at Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 16 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: The Wolf Creek well is located on Dawson Road in the Wolf Creek subdivision, approximately 14 km south of downtown Whitehorse. It is an open-hole observation well with an estimated production capacity of 0.6 L/s (Driller's Log).</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The well is located within glaciofluvial outwash plain (gravel/sand) (Lipovsky, 2022 - Greater Whitehorse, 1:20k, in prep.) and installed in basalt, similar to the McRae Creeks well (YOWN-1101), located approximately 2.4 km to the west, and the Whitehorse Copper well (YOWN-0801) located approximately 2.8 km to the northwest.</p>	

A.2 YOWN-0804

Well Name: Selkirk Well	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 1997/ June 2008	Easting (m): 576185
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 204110174	Northing (m): 7104243
Well Depth (m bTOC): 63.1	Well Diameter (cm): 15.24
Well Elevation (masl): 638.00	Period of Record: 2008 – Present
Aquifer Name: Riverdale Aquifer	
Aquifer Material: Gravelly Sand	Aquifer subtype: 1b
Aquifer thickness: 0.6 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Semi-confined (BH)
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 350 m to Yukon River	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 4.4 km (Yukon River at Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 4 km	
Other identification codes: TH1-97 (City of Whitehorse)	

Well Description: The Selkirk well is situated in Riverdale, near the end of Selkirk Street. The well can be found 100 m off the road, with an orange pipe extending two meters from the top in order to be identified in the foliage. The City of Whitehorse also uses this well in their groundwater monitoring program. Stratigraphic information for other monitoring wells installed in this area is not currently available.

Surficial Geology Data: The well is located within Yukon River terrace (thick sand/gravel) (Lipovsky, 2022 - Greater Whitehorse, 1:20k, in prep).

A.3 YOWN-1101

Well Name: McRae Creeks Well	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: June 2011	Easting (m): 499626
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 204110124	Northing (m): 6718968
Well Depth (m bTOC): 33.5	Well Diameter (cm): 15.24
Well Elevation (masl): 787.00	Period of Record: 2011 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Till and Basalt	Aquifer subtype: 6b
Aquifer thickness: 4 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Semi-confined (BH)
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 175 m to McRae Creek; 3.0 km to Yukon River	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 15.5 km (Yukon River at Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 15 km	
Other identification codes: BH77-4 (YWWR)	
<p>Well Description: The McRae Creeks Well is located 1 km west of the Wolf Creek subdivision. The well has an estimated production rate of 0.75 L/s. The well is installed in basalt, similar to the Wolf Creek well (YOWN-0101) located approximately 2.4 km to the east.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The well is located within glaciofluvial terrace (thin gravel/sand) overlying bedrock (granodiorite) (Lipovsky, 2022 - Greater Whitehorse, 1:20k, in prep).</p>	

A.4 YOWN-1302

Well Name: Swift River HPW Camp	UTM Zone: 9
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 2008/ May 2023	Easting (m): 377949
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: TBA	Northing (m): 6653519
Well Depth (m bTOC): 6.620	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 94.73	Period of Record: 2023 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	

Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 1b
Aquifer thickness: 2 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 22 m (Swift River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 57 km (Morely River at km 1251 on Alaska Hwy)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Teslin; 91 km	
Other identification codes: MW12 (Swift River HPW Camp)	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in 2008 as part of a site assessment program completed for YG/HPW. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site is currently active as a highway maintenance yard and camp, the same site use since 1954. Prior to 1954, the site was used as a military base during the construction of the Alaska Highway, at kilometer 1,136.7. The site is located on fill and coarse sand and gravel, and is near the confluence of Swift River and Seagull Creek. Elevation at the site ranges from 878 to 885 metres above sea level. The grade of the site slopes gently from the west to east towards Seagull Creek, and from north to south towards Swift River.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The Swift River area is mapped as being underlain primarily by unconsolidated till and glaciofluvial deposits of Quaternary origin, with modern alluvial deposits associated with low-lying areas adjacent to the Swift River. Ablation till, colluvial glacial debris, and bedrock exposures are found at higher elevations near the Site. Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey (YGS) indicate natural surficial materials are representative of ablation till and glaciofluvial material deposited directly by glacial ice or melt water, respectfully. In general, deposits consist of well compacted to non-compacted material that is non-stratified and contains a heterogeneous mixture of particle sizes, commonly in a matrix of gravel, sand, and silt supporting cobbles and boulders. The thickness of the unconsolidated sediments was estimated by Klassen (1978) to be between 5 m and 30 m.</p>	

A.5 YOWN-1401

Well Name: Eagle Plains Well	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 2011/March 2014	Easting (m): 398625
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 809030001	Northing (m): 7335447
Well Depth (m bTOC): 45.00	Well Diameter (cm): 15.24
Well Elevation (masl): 607.00	Period of Record: 2014 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Clay	Aquifer subtype: UNK/ 6b
Aquifer thickness: 15 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Semi-confined (BH)
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: Approximately 5 km to Eagle River	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 43.1 km (Eagle River at Dempster Hwy. bridge)	

Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Rock River; 106 km
Other identification codes: n/a
<p>Well Description: The Eagle Plains well was installed in the Northern Cross Camp on the Dempster Highway, km 325. The well is an open hole with no screen and is installed in bedrock, which was encountered at 3.9 m bgs. No other YOWN monitoring wells are located in this area.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: East of Eagle Plain and the Mackenzie Corridor region, Precambrian rocks of the Canadian Shield craton are exposed. The Shield in this region of northern Canada consists of intensely deformed metamorphic and intrusive rocks of Archean and Proterozoic age overlain in part by weakly deformed Neoproterozoic (Helikian) sedimentary rocks. Various discrete Archean crustal blocks are separated by Proterozoic orogenic rocks. This tectonic collage of Precambrian rock is divided into a series of discrete basement domains differentiated on the basis of geological, geochronological, geochemical and geophysical criteria (Hoffman, 1987, 1989; Ross et al., 1994).</p>

A.6 YOWN-1502

Well Name: Marsh Lake Campground Well	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: June 1980 /Nov. 2015	Easting (m): 530423
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 204090019	Northing (m): 6713679
Well Depth (m bTOC): 52.86	Well Diameter (cm): 15.24
Well Elevation (masl): 661.00	Period of Record: 2015 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Till - Clay/Silt	Aquifer subtype: 4b
Aquifer thickness: 6m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Confined (BH)
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: Approximately 70 m to Marsh Lake	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 5.4 km (Marsh Lake near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 41 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: The Marsh Lake Campground well is located in the campground across from a cooking shelter and beside a wood storage box. This well has an estimated production rate of 0.76 L/s (Driller's log). The soil stratigraphy consist of cobbles, gravel and clay. The well appears to be installed in clay, as an open hole. Field well depth measurements (52.8 m bTOC) do not match the borehole log information (101.8 m bTOC), suggesting that the well walls have sloughed.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The well is located within Aeolian sand dunes (~5 m thick) overlying ~30+m glaciolacustrine silt/clay (Lipovsky, 2022 - Greater Whitehorse, 1:20k, in prep).</p>	

A.7 YOWN-1504

Well Name: Grizzly Valley	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Aug. 2012/ July 2015	Easting (m): 487803
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 204140384	Northing (m): 6768194
Well Depth (m bTOC): 101.50	Well Diameter (cm): 10.16

Well Elevation (masl): 739.00	Period of Record: 2015 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Bedrock	Aquifer subtype: 1c
Aquifer thickness: 20 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Semi-confined (BH)
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 2.7 km to Lake Labarge	
Distance Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 35 km (Yukon River at Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 22 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: The Grizzly Valley well is located at the entrance to the Grizzly Lake subdivision in the Takhini Valley region. The hydraulic conductivity was reported to be 2.8×10^{-5} m/s. The well was drilled in an attempt to select a suitable site for a bulk truck fill station to supply residents of the Ta'an Kwäch'än Council, Horse Creek, Grizzly Valley and Deep Creek areas. The water quality at this well was deemed unsuitable for domestic purposes due to hardness and exceedances of aesthetic objectives. The well was abandoned and later acquired by Water Resource Branch of Environment Yukon.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The southern Yukon has undergone several episodes of glaciation, the most recent being the Quaternary McConnell glaciation. The surficial materials at the site are primarily of glacial origin consisting predominantly of fine grained morainal till. Surficial sediments surrounding the site vary from morainal tills, glacial fluvial and alluvial morainal deposits. Underlying the glacial sediments at the site is bedrock described as the Laberge Group, consisting of Jurassic interbedded siltstone, sandstone and mudstone with minor volcanics. It can be assumed that during the McConnell glaciation as the glaciers advanced, sediment in the area was eroded and various glacier features were created in the surficial materials and the bedrock. During the retreat of the glaciers sediment in the form of till was deposited, specifically in areas of low elevation (EBA, 2011).</p>	

A.8 YOWN-1505

Well Name: Deep Creek Well	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Aug. 2012/ July 2015	Easting (m): 488393
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 204140308	Northing (m): 6770798
Well Depth (m bTOC): 101.5	Well Diameter (cm): 10.16
Well Elevation (masl): 644.00	Period of Record: 2015 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Bedrock	Aquifer subtype: 1c
Aquifer thickness: 20 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Semi-confined (BH)
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 440 m to Lake Labarge	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 37.5 km (Yukon River at Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 24 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	

Well Description: The Deep Creek well is located in the Deep Creek area of Lake Laberge subdivision. The well was installed for a bulk truck fill station to supply citizens of the Ta'an Kwäch'än Council, in the Horse Creek, Grizzly Valley and Deep Creek areas. The water quality at this well was deemed unsuitable for domestic purposes due to hardness and exceedances of aesthetic objectives. The hydraulic conductivity was reported to be 5.6×10^{-7} m/s.

Surficial Geology Data: The southern Yukon has undergone several episodes of glaciation, the most recent being the Quaternary McConnell glaciation. The surficial materials at the site are primarily of glacial origin consisting predominantly of fine grained morainal till. Surficial sediments surrounding the site vary from morainal tills, glacial fluvial and alluvial morainal deposits. Underlying the glacial sediments at the site is bedrock described as the Laberge Group, consisting of Jurassic interbedded siltstone, sandstone and mudstone with minor volcanics. It can be assumed that during the McConnell glaciation as the glaciers advanced, sediment in the area was eroded and various glacier features were created in the surficial materials and the bedrock. During the retreat of the glaciers sediment in the form of till was deposited, specifically in areas of low elevation (EBA, 2011).

A.9 YOWN-1506

Well Name: Million Dollar Falls Campground Well	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: June 1981/ Aug. 2015	Easting (m): 396502
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 1010200011	Northing (m): 6653076
Well Depth (m bTOC): 16.65	Well Diameter (cm): 15.24
Well Elevation (masl): 714.00	Period of Record: 2015 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Till / Sandstone /Conglomerates	Aquifer subtype: 1b
Aquifer thickness: 0.9 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 0.21 km to Takhanne River; approximately 1.9 km to Tatshenshini River	
Distance Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 1.1 km (Takhanne River at km 167 Haines Hwy.)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Haines Junction; 82 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: Borehole stratigraphy indicates a silt/sand/gravel unit overlaying sandstone/conglomerates. Field well depth measurements (16.65 m bTOC) do not match the borehole log information (195 m bTOC), suggesting that the well walls have sloughed.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The well is located within till and/or ice-contact glaciofluvial deposits (muddy sand and gravel) (Rampton & Paradis, 1982, Frederick Lake, GSC Map 15-1981, 1:100k).</p>	

A.10 YOWN-1515

Well Name Kusawa Campground Well-2	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Nov. 1979/ Sept. 2015	Easting (m): 437427
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 101090001	Northing (m): 6716054

Well Depth (m bTOC): 12.55	Well Diameter (cm): 15.24
Well Elevation (masl): 691.00	Period of Record: 2015 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 1b
Aquifer thickness: 5.7 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: Approximately 130 m to Kusawa Lake; 350 m to unnamed creek	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 37.7 km (Takhini River near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Takhini River Ranch; 52 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well is located in the southern loop of the Kusawa Campground near the entrance sign. The well is installed in a gravel/sand unit. It has a 1.2 m screen, with the bottom of the screen installed at 12.5 m bTOC.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Glaciofluvial silts, sands, and gravel deposits are abundant at the lower elevations (680 – 1000 masl.) and throughout the valley floors. The relative coarseness of these sedimentary deposits allows for stable well-drained surfaces. Glaciolacustrine deposits of fine sand, silts, and clays are dominant at lake level (GeoProcess NTS115A 2002; Lowey 2002). Glacial, glaciofluvial, colluvial, and fluvial processes have contributed to the formation of the rugged topography found in the Kusawa Valley. Kames, kame terraces, and kettles are located north of the Kusawa Lake outlet. Steep rock outcrops are dominant at high elevations above 1500 masl. Thin ground moraine or colluvial deposits which are comprised of cobbly, boulder diamicton may also be found throughout the basin. Slopes are susceptible to creep and solifluction from permafrost effects. Gullying, and under extreme circumstances, avalanches and rockslides may occur. Streamlined or crested moraine deposits of sand and gravel cover the mid elevation slopes (1000 – 1500 masl.) in the region of active glacier cover. Permafrost may also be present at these elevations and is extremely susceptible to creep and thermokarst (Gilbert, 2004).</p>	

A.11 YOWN-1603

Well Name: Johnson Lake Campground	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: June 1988/ May 2016	Easting (m): 583935
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 211030014	Northing (m): 6898287
Well Depth (m bTOC): 26.30	Well Diameter (cm): 15.24
Well Elevation (masl): 692.00	Period of Record: 2016 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand/Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 15 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: Approximately 80 m to Johnson Lake and 6.9 km to Pelly River	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 1.6 km (Pelly River below Vangorda Creek)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Faro Airport; 0.5 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	

Well Description: This well is located in Johnson Lake Campground near the boat launch, in very close proximity to active outhouses. The borehole log indicates a sand/gravel (till) unit overlaying sandstone/conglomerate. There is no information regarding screen installation; it is possible that the well is installed as an open hole in bedrock below 19 m bgs. The soil stratigraphy description is similar to the stratigraphy encountered at YOWN-1701, located approximately 0.3 km to the east.

Surficial Geology Data: The southern Yukon, including the Faro area, has undergone several episodes of glaciation, the most recent being the Quaternary McConnell glaciation. During that period, sediments such as glacial till, glaciofluvial, and glaciolacustrine sediments were deposited, especially in low elevation areas such as the Pelly River Valley, located downgradient of the Site.

The Faro area is mapped as being underlain primarily by till and alluvium, with minor glaciolacustrine sediments of Quaternary origin. Ablation till, colluvial glacial debris, morainal deposits, and bedrock exposures are found at higher elevations in the mountains to the northeast of the Site.

Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey (YGS) indicate natural surficial materials at the Site are part a glaciofluvial complex of outwash, glaciolacustrine, and minor till deposits, deposited in an ice contact environment. Deposits are poorly to well sorted; sand and gravel with minor silt and clay; greater than 5 m thick. Kame and kettle topography is associated with this setting (Jackson, 1993).

A.12 YOWN-1604

Well Name: Pine Lake Campground	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: June 1989/ July 2016	Easting (m): 364623
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 101130006	Northing (m): 6743126
Well Depth (m bTOC): 112.80	Well Diameter (cm): 15.24
Well Elevation (masl): 651.00	Period of Record: 2016 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Till / Bedrock	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 110 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 130 m to Pine Lake; 5.5 km to Dezadeash River	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 5.9 km (Dezadeash River at Haines Junction)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Haines Junction; 6 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well is located in the Pine Lake Campground near the entrance and pay-station. It is in close proximity to an active outhouse. Soil stratigraphy consist of a sand/gravel/clay (till) unit overlaying bedrock at 13.4 m bgs. There is no information on the screen installation; the well is assumed to be installed as an open hole in bedrock to 112.8 m bTOC.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The well is located within thin (~2m) glaciolacustrine silt/clay overlying thick (35m) till overlying bedrock (Rampton & Paradis, 1982, Pine Lake, GSC Map 16-1981, 1:100k - PL to map in summer 2022).</p>	

A.13 YOWN-1609

Well Name: Yukon River Campground	UTM Zone: 7
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 1975/ Sept. 2016	Easting (m): 576164

Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 802030038	Northing (m): 7106431
Well Depth (m bTOC): 6.20	Well Diameter (cm): 15.24
Well Elevation (masl): 619.00	Period of Record: 2016 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 1b
Aquifer thickness: >3 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 20 m (Yukon River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 0.9 km (Yukon River at Dawson)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Dawson Airport; 15 km	
Other identification codes:	
<p>Well Description: This well is located in the Yukon River Campground approximately 50 m west of the Yukon River, across from the playground. The top of casing is flush with the concrete pad, with a well seal installed on top. The borehole stratigraphy is described as silty sand/gravel unit (till); the screen is installed from 9.1 m bTOC to 10.6 m bTOC.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The well is located within glaciofluvial terrace (17-35 ft thick) overlying bedrock (McKenna & Lipovsky, 2014, Dawson, YGS OF 2014-12, 1:25k).</p>	

A.14 YOWN-1703

Well Name: Champagne (CAFN-MW-01)	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: March 2017	Easting (m): 419799
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 101160007	Northing (m): 6737852
Well Depth (m bTOC): 18.60	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 694.00	Period of Record: 2017 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand	Aquifer subtype: 1b
Aquifer thickness: 30 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 0.8 km (Dezadeash River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 54 km (Ibex River near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Otter Falls NCPC; 43 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well is located south of the Village of Champagne, near Champagne Creek. The well is installed in an unconfined aquifer. The stratigraphy consists of glacial till overlaid by alluvium and a layer of Aeolian sand.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The well is located within Aeolian sand dunes/loess overlying glaciolacustrine silt/sand/clay (Rampton & Paradis, 1982, Teye Lake, GSC Map 14-1981, 1:100k).</p>	

A.15 YOWN-1704

Well Name: Champagne (CAFN-MW-02)	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: March 2017	Easting (m): 419832
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 101160008	Northing (m): 6737804
Well Depth (m bTOC): 10.65	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 695.00	Period of Record: 2017 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand	Aquifer subtype: 1b
Aquifer thickness: 30 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 0.8 km (Dezadeash River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 54 km (Ibex River near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Otter Falls NCPC; 43 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well is located south of the Village of Champagne, near Champagne Creek. The well is installed in an unconfined aquifer. The stratigraphy consists of glacial till overlaid by alluvium and a layer of Aeolian sand.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The well is located within Aeolian sand dunes/loess overlying glaciolacustrine silt/sand/clay (Rampton & Paradis, 1982, Taye Lake, GSC Map 14-1981, 1:100k).</p>	

A.16 YOWN-1705

Well Name: Champagne (CAFN-MW-03)	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: March 2017	Easting (m): 419765
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 101160009	Northing (m): 6737855
Well Depth (m bTOC): 9.30	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 696.00	Period of Record: 2017 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand/ Silty sand	Aquifer subtype: 1b
Aquifer thickness: 30 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 0.8 km (Dezadeash River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 54 km (Ibex River near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Otter Falls NCPC; 43 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	

Well Description: This well is located south of the Village of Champagne, near Champagne Creek. The well is installed in an unconfined aquifer. The stratigraphy consists of glacial till overlaid by alluvium and a layer of aeolian sand.

Surficial Geology Data: The well is located within Aeolian sand dunes/loess overlying glaciolacustrine silt/sand/clay (Rampton & Paradis, 1982, Taye Lake, GSC Map 14-1981, 1:100k).

A.17 YOWN-1706

Well Name: Yukon College #1	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 2017/March 2017	Easting (m): 494719
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 900000080	Northing (m): 6735147
Well Depth (m bTOC): 54.50	Well Diameter (cm): 15.24
Well Elevation (masl): 708.00	Period of Record: 2017 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 15 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 1.5 km (Yukon River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 2 km (Yukon River at Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 2 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well is located at the end of the College Drive, in the parking area located north of the T-Wing building.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The well is located within 54m+ glaciofluvial gravel/sand, hummocky ice-contact deposit (Lipovsky, 2022 - Greater Whitehorse, 1:20k, in prep).</p>	

A.18 YOWN-1802

Well Name: Kluane Harvest Camp	UTM Zone: 7
Installation/Activation Dates: March 2018	Easting (m): 545225
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 900000083	Northing (m): 6858086
Well Depth (m bTOC): 17.910	Well Diameter (cm): 15.24
Well Elevation (masl): 703.00	Period of Record: 2018 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sandy Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 1c
Aquifer thickness: 10 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	

Distance to surface water: 85 m (Koidern River)
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 26.7 km White River at km 1881.6 on Alaska Hwy)
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Beaver Creek Airport; 73 km
Other identification codes: n/a
<p>Well Description: This well is located at the Kluane Harvest Camp, approximately 630 m southeast of the Lake Creek Campground. The well was drilled to serve as a drinking water supply well for KFN; however, the well is currently not in use and it is instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The well is located within fluvial terrace (gravel, sand and mud; with permafrost) (Rampton, 1979, Generec River, GSC Map 7-1978, 1:100k).</p>

A.19 YOWN-1803

Well Name: West Dawson	UTM Zone: 7
Installation/Activation Dates: June 2018	Easting (m): 574873
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001090	Northing (m): 7106071
Well Depth (m bTOC): 60.500	Well Diameter (cm): 15.24
Well Elevation (masl): 456.00	Period of Record: 2018 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Bedrock	Aquifer subtype: 3
Aquifer thickness: 20 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 1.4 km (Yukon River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 2 km (Yukon River at Dawson)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Dawson Airport; 16 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well is located adjacent to the Top Of The World Highway, approximately 2.56 km up from the Yukon River ferry crossing. The well was drilled to offer a baseline info for potential subdivision development in West Dawson. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: McConnell (late Wisconsin/late Pleistocene) glaciofluvial deposits are expressed as the lowest terraces above the recent (Holocene) fluvial sediments. They are found along the Klondike and Yukon rivers and are commonly covered by a veneer of organic deposits. (Surficial Geology, Dawson Region, Yukon Parts of NTS 115O/14 &15 and 116B/1, 2, 3 & 4 1:25 000 scale; Karen M .McKenna and Panya S. Lipovsky)</p>	

A.20 YOWN-1901

Well Name: Tagish SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: August 2010/ March 2019	Easting (m): 539109
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000315	Northing (m): 6682171
Well Depth (m bTOC): 15.130	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 674.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present

Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand	Aquifer subtype: 1b
Aquifer thickness: 5 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Hvorslev : 2.5×10^{-04} Bouwer & Rice : 1.7×10^{-04}	
Distance to surface water: 1.2 km (Tagish River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 13.6 km (Tagish lake at 10 mile Rd.)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 67 km	
Other identification codes: Tagish SWDF-MW01	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the Solid Waste Disposal Facilities (SWDF) across Yukon. Tagish SWDF is located 65 km south east of Whitehorse and just off the Tagish Road. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The Tagish regional surficial geology are described as Quaternary aged deposits - unconsolidated silt, sand and gravel of glacial, fluvial, Aeolian and lacustrine origins; minor volcanic ash. These deposits are mapped as being locally continuous to the north, west and south of the Site and generally limited in extent by outcropping bedrock. Directly beneath the site the sediments are described as clay, silt and sand; 5 to 10 m thick and sand; less than 1 m thick. To the east of the Site, the quaternary sediments are mapped as gravel, sand and silt; 5 to 10 m thick.</p>	

A.21 YOWN-1902

Well Name: Marsh Lake SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: May 1998/ Dec. 2019	Easting (m): 518011
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001149	Northing (m): 6673171
Well Depth (m bTOC): 15.590	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 673.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: >5 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 800 m (Marsh Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 5.4 km (Marsh Lake near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 41 km	
Other identification codes: MW26	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. Marsh Lake SWDF is located at km 1492 on the Alaska Hwy, approximately 50 km of Whitehorse. The well is not within the Marsh Lake SWDF fenced area; access to the well is via the forestry road that splits to the west from the site access road. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The surface deposits in this ecoregion are associated with the most recent Cordilleran glaciations, the McConnell, believed to have covered the south and central Yukon between 26,500 and 10,000 years ago. Glacial till, often gullied, covers most mid-elevation slopes mixed with colluvial fans or aprons. The general composition of the till matrix in the region, noted by Jackson (1994), indicates a wide range of sand content (20—70%), silt (20—80%), and usually a lower clay content (5—30%). Glaciofluvial sand and gravel</p>	

terraces flank the valley sides while pitted or hummocky deposits of sand and gravel line the bottom of some valleys. These deposits are free of permafrost and have stable surfaces. (Rostad et. al., 1977; Morison and McKenna, 1981; Klasen and Morison, 1987; Morison and Klasen, 1991; Mougeot and Smith, 1992 and 1994).

A.22 YOWN-1903

Well Name: Mt. Lorne SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 2010/ Aug. 2019	Easting (m): 507650
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000314	Northing (m): 6704613
Well Depth (m bTOC): 21.200	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 768.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: >3 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined – limited water volume	
Distance to surface water: 2.1 km (Cowley Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 27.9 km (Marsh Lake near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 31 km	
Other identification codes: Mount Lorne SWDF-MW03	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. Mt. Lorne SWDF is located at kilometer 143.2 of the South Klondike Hwy, approximately 30 km southeast of Whitehorse; and 15 km south of the Alaska Highway and 35 km north of the community of Carcross. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Sediments deposited directly by glacier ice without modification by any other agent of transportation. General Description: till can be transported beneath, beside, on, within and in front of a glacier. The mineralogical, textural, structural and topographic characteristics of till deposits are highly variable and depend upon both the source of material incorporated by the glacier and the mode of deposition. In general, till consists of well compacted to non-compacted material that is non-stratified and contains a heterogeneous mixture of particle sizes, commonly in a matrix of sand, silt and clay. (Geoscience Map 2005-7 Surficial Geology of Whitehorse (NTS 105D/11), Yukon (1:50 000 scale) by J.D. Bond, S.R. Morison and K. McKenna)</p>	

A.23 YOWN-1904

Well Name: Braeburn SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: July 2012/ May 2019	Easting (m): 459490
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000320	Northing (m): 6811540
Well Depth (m bTOC): 65.220	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 761.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present

Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Bedrock	Aquifer subtype:
Aquifer thickness: 55 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Partially confined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Bouwer-Rice : 6×10^{-6}	
Distance to surface water: 1.7 km (Braeburn Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 48.8 km (Lake Laberge near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Takhini River Ranch; 55 km	
Other identification codes: Braeburn-MW12-01	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. Braeburn SWDF is accessed by a gravel road located off the west side of the Klondike Hwy at km 276, approximately 95 km north of Whitehorse and 80 km south of Carmacks. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey (YGS) indicate natural surficial material is representative of glacial outwash plain and terraced glaciofluvial material deposited directly by glacial ice and meltwater, respectively. In general, deposits consist of well compacted to non-compacted material that contains a mixture of sediment particle sizes, and is commonly in a matrix of gravel, sand and silt, supporting cobbles and boulders. The thickness of the unconsolidated sediments was estimated by Klassen (1978) to be between 5 m and 50 m.</p>	

A.24 YOWN-1905

Well Name: Deep Creek SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Sep. 2010/ May 2019	Easting (m): 487607
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000332	Northing (m): 6772099
Well Depth (m bTOC): 14.604	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 686.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Silty Sand	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 3m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Hvorslev : 4.8×10^{-06} Bouwer & Rice 6.8×10^{-06}	
Distance to surface water: 0.7 km (Lake Laberge)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 1.8 km (Lake Laberge near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 24 km	
Other identification codes: Deep Creek SWDF-MW02	
<p>Well Description: Deep Creek SWDF is located 40 km north of Whitehorse, just off the Deep Creek Road. The site is located at 695 masl on flat terrain. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The southern Yukon, including the Deep Creek area, has undergone several episodes of glaciation, the most recent being the Quaternary McConnell glaciation (Geological Survey of Canada, 1985). The surficial materials at the site are primarily of glacial origin consisting predominantly of fine grained morainal till. Surficial sediments surrounding the site vary from morainal tills, glacial fluvial and alluvial morainal deposits. Underlying the glacial sediments at the site is bedrock described as the Laberge Group, consisting of Jurassic interbedded siltstone, sandstone and mudstone with minor volcanics.</p>	

A.25 YOWN-1906

Well Name: Quigley SWDF	UTM Zone: 7
Installation/Activation Dates: July 2017/ May 2019	Easting (m): 583212
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000300	Northing (m): 7101592
Well Depth (m bTOC): 6.110	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 341.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand / Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 1b
Aquifer thickness: >3 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 1.5 km (Klondike River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 5.6 km (Klondike River above Bonanza Creek)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Dawson Airport; 9 km	
Other identification codes: Quigley LTF-MW03-09	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The Quigley SWDF is located on the southern side of Klondike Valley, approximately 5 km east of Dawson City. The Site is accessed by Callison Road, south of Klondike Hwy. The well is located outside of the SWDF, adjacent to Callison Road.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: A relatively consistent sequence of Quigley Gulch gravels at surface, overlying frozen or unfrozen organic rich silt, known as “Black Muck”, overlying alluvial gravels of the Klondike river, referred as “pay gravel”, overlying bedrock (AECOM, 2010).</p>	

A.26 YOWN-1907

Well Name: Mayo SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: July 2012/ June 2019	Easting (m): 453631
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000391	Northing (m): 7054777
Well Depth (m bTOC): 34.900	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 532.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Silty Sand	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 2 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Bouwer-Rice : 5×10^{-6}	
Distance to surface water: 0.9 km (Mayo River); 1.6 km (Stewart River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 3.6 km (Stewart River at Mayo)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Mayo Airport; 3 km	
Other identification codes: Mayo SWDF-MW12-02	

Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site is accessed by a 150 m gravel road north off the silver Trail Hwy, approximately 4,2 km northwest of the Village of Mayo. The facility is at an elevation of approximately 533 masl and lies within the Mayo and Stewart watersheds.

Surficial Geology Data: The Mayo area is mapped as being underlain primarily glaciofluvial, alluvial and lacustrine plain sediments of quaternary origin. Ablation till, colluvial glacial debris, morainal deposits, and bedrock exposures are found at higher elevations in the mountains to the north and west of the Site. Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey (YGS) indicate natural surficial materials at the Site are characteristic of gently sloping glaciofluvial plain deposits. In general, deposits consist of well compacted to non-compacted sediments that are primarily gravel, with some sand, and a thin veneer of silt or fine sand. The thickness of the unconsolidated sediments was estimated to be between 2 and 50 m thick (Hughes, 1979).

A.27 YOWN-1908

Well Name: Stewart Crossing SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: July 2012/ June 2019	Easting (m): 416955
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000356	Northing (m): 7024491
Well Depth (m bTOC): 32.380	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 555.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Bedrock	Aquifer subtype: 6b /UNK
Aquifer thickness: 16 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Partially confined (BH)
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Bouwer-Rice : 6×10^{-6}	
Distance to surface water: 2.3 km (Stewart River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 57 km (Pelly River at Pelly Crossing)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Mayo Airport; 50 km	
Other identification codes: SWDF-MW12-01	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. Stewart Crossing SWDF is accessed off the west side of the Klondike Hwy. at km 535, approximately 250 km north of Whitehorse and 4.6 km south of Stewart Crossing. The site is at an elevation of approximately 550 masl and lies within the Crooked Creek and Stewart River watersheds.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: During the last glaciation (~200 kya), sediments such as glacial till, glaciofluvial, and glaciolacustrine sediments were deposited, especially in low elevation areas such as the Stewart River Valley, located downgradient of the Site, and the Tintina Trench. The Stewart Crossing area is mapped as being underlain primarily by moraine deposits, alluvium, and glaciofluvial deposits of Quaternary origin. Ablation till, colluvial glacial debris, morainal deposits, and bedrock exposures are found at higher elevations in the mountains surrounding the Site. Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey indicate natural surficial materials at the Facility are gently sloping moraine till deposits. In general, deposits consist of well compacted to non-compacted sediments comprised of mixed rock fragments, mud (silt and clay), and sand (Hughes, 1983). The thickness of the unconsolidated sediments was found to be approximately 0 - 2 m thick at the Site.</p>	

A.28 YOWN-1909

Well Name: Pelly Crossing SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: July 2012/ June 2019	Easting (m): 418394
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000352	Northing (m): 6961202
Well Depth (m bTOC): 13.640	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 555.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Silty Sand, Gavel & Clay	Aquifer subtype: 4b
Aquifer thickness: 10 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Partially confined (BH)
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Bouwer-Rice : 4×10^{-6}	
Distance to surface water: 4.2 km (Pelly River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 6.5 km (Pelly River at Pelly Crossing)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Pelly Ranch; 37 km	
Other identification codes: Pelly Crossing SWDF-MW12-01	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. Pelly Crossing SWDF is accessed by a gravel road off the east side of the Klondike Hwy., at km 464 (282 km north of Whitehorse). The site is an elevation of approximately 565 masl and lies within Mica Creek and Pelly River watersheds.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The southern Yukon, including the Pelly Crossing area, has undergone several episodes of glaciation, the most recent being the Quaternary McConnell Glaciation. During that period, sediments such as glacial till and glaciofluvial and glaciolacustrine sediments were deposited, especially in low elevation areas such as the Pelly River Valley where the SWDF facility is located. The Pelly Crossing area is mapped as being underlain primarily by glaciofluvial deposits, alluvium, and aeolian deposits of Quaternary origin. Rock outcrops, colluvial glacial debris, morainal deposits, and bedrock exposures are found in the higher elevation areas. Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey indicate natural surficial materials at the Facility are gently sloping aeolian deposits. In general, deposits consist of well compacted to non-compacted sediments that are primarily well sorted massive sand. This is inconsistent with the layered silt and sand, with minor clay and gravel, deposits encountered during drilling at the Site.</p>	

A.29 YOWN-1910

Well Name: Welgreen Campsite	UTM Zone: 7
Installation/Activation Dates: Aug. 2016/ June 2019	Easting (m): 589595
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000970	Northing (m): 6820423
Well Depth (m bTOC): 9.079	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 796.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 8 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 1.0 km (Kluane River)	

Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 16.8 km (Kluane River at outlet of Kluane Lake)
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Burwash Airport; 22 km
Other identification codes: MW-16-01
<p>Well Description: Welgreen Campsite is located approximately 125 km northwest of Haines Junction along the Alaska Hwy. at km 1728 and south of the Quill Creek Road. The former mining site includes the remaining mill foundations, tailings pond and dam, and largely undisturbed vegetated areas. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The regional surficial geology is described as blanket glacial sediments (GSC, 2014), with the 2019 field program identifying 0.5 to 2 m of sand and gravel fill material making up the Millsite pad and access roads, overlaying organics, variable sand layers and silty/clay Till. The Tailings Pond is located in a former creek and waterbody system and the underlying material below the tailings consist of organics and interbedded layers of silt, sand and silt, and clay. Downstream of the Tailings Dam there is silt with sand and locally sourced granular alluvial materials overlying decomposed wood and organic soils. Close to the spillway channel, the surficial material is sand with gravel overlaying layers of silt with sand and silt and clay.</p>

A.30 YOWN-1911

Well Name: Beaver Creek SWDF	UTM Zone: 7
Installation/Activation Dates: June 2012/ June 2019	Easting (m): 508267
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000370	Northing (m): 6921255
Well Depth (m bTOC): 12.395	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 639.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand / Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 1c
Aquifer thickness: 3.5 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Bouwer-Rice : 1×10^{-3}	
Distance to surface water: 1.5 km (Beaver Creek)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 50.5 km (White River at km 1881.6 on Alaska Hwy)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Beaver Creek Airport; 2 km	
Other identification codes: Beaver Creek SWDF-MW12-03	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. Beaver Creek SWDF is located at km 1875 of the Alaska Hwy. approximately 4 km north of the community of Beaver Creek. The site is accessed by a 900 m gravel road off the east side of the Alaska Hwy. The site is at an elevation of approximately 640 masl and lies within a large flat glacial outwash plain between Beaver Creek and Snag Creek; the site topography is gently undulating.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey (YGS) indicate natural surficial materials are representative of glaciofluvial outwash plain deposits influenced by modern permafrost. In general, deposits consist of well compacted to non-compacted material that is non-stratified and contains a heterogeneous mixture of particle sizes, commonly in a matrix of gravel, with minor sand, cobbles and boulders and a thin veneer of silt and peat. The thickness of the unconsolidated sediments was estimated to be between 13 m and 60 m by (Rampton, 1977).</p>	

A.31 YOWN-1912

Well Name: Horsecamp Hill SWDF	UTM Zone: 7
Installation/Activation Dates: June 2012/ June 2019	Easting (m): 519564
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000344	Northing (m): 6879534
Well Depth (m bTOC): 17.990	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 716.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 3.5 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Freeze & Cherry : 10^{-3}	
Distance to surface water: 5.2 km (White River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 7.5 km (White River at km 1881.6 on Alaska Hwy)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Beaver Creek Airport; 42 km	
Other identification codes: Horse Camp SWDF-MW12-01	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. Horsecamp Hill SWDF is located at km 1875 on Alaska Hwy, approximately 55 km south of the community of Beaver Creek. Site access is via a 150 m gravel road off the east side of Alaska Hwy. The site is at an elevation of approximately 720 masl and lies within White River watershed. Site topography is characteristic of glacial outwash plain and lateral moraine deposits.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The Horsecamp Hill area is mapped as being underlain primarily by unconsolidated till and glaciofluvial deposits of Quaternary origin, with modern alluvial deposits associated with low lying areas adjacent to Horsecamp Hill. Ablation till, colluvial glacial debris, morainal deposits and bedrock exposures are found at higher elevations near the Site.</p> <p>Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey (YGS) indicate natural surficial materials are representative of glaciofluvial outwash plain material deposited by glacial meltwater, and influenced by modern permafrost. In general, deposits consist of well compacted to non-compacted material that is non-stratified and contains a heterogeneous mixture of particle sizes; commonly in a matrix of gravel, with minor sand, cobbles and boulders and thin veneer of silt and peat. The thickness of the unconsolidated sediments was estimated to be between 13 m and 60 m (Rampton, 1977).</p>	

A.32 YOWN-1913

Well Name: Burwash Landing SWDF	UTM Zone: 7
Installation/Activation Dates: June 2012/ June 2019	Easting (m): 613292
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000326	Northing (m): 6798794
Well Depth (m bTOC): 21.090	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 805.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand / Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 3
Aquifer thickness: 5.5 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Bouwer-Rice : 2×10^{-4}	

Distance to surface water: 1.0 km (Kluane Lake)
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 16 km (Kluane River at outlet of Kluane Lake)
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Burwash Airport; 10 km
Other identification codes: Burwash Landing SWDF-BH12-03
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. Burwash Landing SWDF is located approximately 128 km northwest of Haines Junction. The site is accessed by a gravel road off the east side of the Alaska Hwy at km 1750. The facility is generally flat and lies at an elevation of approximately 800 masl within the Kluane Lake watershed.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The Burwash Landing area is mapped as being underlain primarily by moraine deposits, alluvium, and glaciofluvial deposits of Quaternary origin. Ablation till, colluvial glacial debris, morainal deposits, and bedrock exposures are found at higher elevations in the mountains to the southwest of the Site. Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey (YGS) indicate natural surficial materials are gently sloping alluvial fan deposits and hummocky kame and kettle deposits influenced by modern permafrost. In general, deposits consist of well compacted to non-compacted sediments that are primarily gravel, with some sand, and a thin veneer of silt and peat. The thickness of the unconsolidated sediments was estimated to be between 3 and 60 m thick (Rampton, 1977).</p>

A.33 YOWN-1914

Well Name: Silver City SWDF	UTM Zone: 7
Installation/Activation Dates: June 2012/ June 2019	Easting (m): 644193
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001150	Northing (m): 6768262
Well Depth (m bTOC): 13.110	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 811.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand / Bedrock	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 3.5 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Bouwer-Rice : 5×10^{-7}	
Distance to surface water: 3.8 km (Kluane Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 10.1 km (Kluane Lake near Burwash Landing)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Haines Junction; 10 km	
Other identification codes: SS-MW12-01	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. Silver City SWDF is accessed by a gravel road off the north side of the Alaska Hwy. at km 1693, approximately 50 km east of the community of Destruction bay and 215 km northwest of Whitehorse. The facility is at an elevation of approximately 880 masl and lies within the Silver Creek watershed (part of the Kluane Lake watershed).</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The Silver City area is mapped as being underlain primarily by moraine deposits, alluvial deposits, and glaciofluvial deposits of Quaternary origin. Ablation till, colluvial glacial debris, morainal deposits and bedrock exposures are found at higher elevations in the mountains to the southwest of the Site. Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey (YGS) indicate natural surficial materials are representative of hummocky kame and kettle deposits. In general, the kame and kettle deposits consist of primarily gravel with some sand, and are between 13 and 60 m thick. Aggregate mining at the Site has</p>	

resulted in an altered landscape that does not conform to the original topography. A majority of vegetation has been removed and gravel is exposed throughout the property. Bordering the Site to the east are gently rolling glaciofluvial outwash plain deposits, and to the west are alluvial fan deposits (Rampton, 1977).

A.34 YOWN-1915

Well Name: Old Crow Sewage Lagoon	UTM Zone: 7
Installation/Activation Dates: Sep. 2016/ June 2019	Easting (m): 548266
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000708	Northing (m): 7495352
Well Depth (m bTOC): 3.400	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 245.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel (Fill)	Aquifer subtype: 3 (?)
Aquifer thickness: 0.6 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 0.3 km (Porcupine River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 1.4 km (Porcupine River below Old Crow River)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Old Crow Airport; 1 km	
Other identification codes: BH07	
<p>Well Description: The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The lagoon is located approximately 0.65 km northwest of the Old Crow airport; the site is accessed by a driveway at the west end. The area around the sewage lagoon as well as most of the community of Old Crow is largely underlain by permafrost. The area adjacent to the sewage lagoon is wetland that is regularly inundated.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Surficial geology in the town of Old Crow is expected to be representative of a fluvial geological setting with characteristics of a meandering river. Meandering channels migrate laterally across the valley bottom by erosion at the outside meander bend, leaving behind a typical deposition sequence on the inside meander bend. A typical sequence can be described by fine-grained sediments forming levee deposits and spilling into the adjacent floodplain. Underlying these deposits are silt and sand, occasionally gravel, deposited in point bars on the inside meander bend. Underlying these deposits are coarse to medium sand deposited in the former channel that overlie lag gravels eroded from the migrating channel. All or part of this sequence repeats with each pass of the meander (Nichols, 2013).</p> <p>The regional hydrogeology is governed primarily by permafrost conditions and surface topography. Supra-permafrost water flows along the surface of the interface between the thawed, active layer and the frozen permafrost and is recharged directly from the surface or thawing permafrost. Supra-permafrost water may exist year round where unfrozen ground is deep above permafrost (Williams and Waller, 1963) and may become confined in response to the active layer freezing from the surface towards the permafrost table, once air temperatures returns to freezing. In the flat lowlands of the Old Crow Basin, flow of supra-permafrost water will be slow or stagnant in response to the low hydraulic gradients created by the comparatively level surface of the permafrost, which governs the flow within the active layer.</p>	

A.35 YOWN-1916

Well Name: Swift River SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: May 2012/ Aug. 2019	Easting (m): 386788

Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000361	Northing (m): 6657592
Well Depth (m bTOC): 10.955	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 1013.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Bedrock	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 7 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Partially confined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Bouwer-Rice : 3.5×10^{-7}	
Distance to surface water: 0.9 km (Swift River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 62.1 km (Morely River at km 1251 on Alaska Hwy)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Teslin; 96 km	
Other identification codes: Swift River SWDF-MW12-03	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site is accessed by a 260 m gravel road, north of km 1,126.7 of the Alaska Highway in the southeast part of the Yukon Territory, approximately 150 km west of the town of Watson Lake and approximately 10 km northeast of the Swift River Highway Maintenance Camp. The site area is general flat, with the surrounding area sloped to the southeast, towards the Swift River.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The Swift River area is mapped as being underlain primarily by unconsolidated till and glaciofluvial deposits of Quaternary origin, with modern alluvial deposits associated with low-lying areas adjacent to the Swift River. Ablation till, colluvial glacial debris, and bedrock exposures are found at higher elevations near the Site. Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey (YGS) indicate natural surficial materials are representative of ablation till and glaciofluvial material deposited directly by glacial ice or melt water, respectfully. In general, deposits consist of well compacted to non-compacted material that is non-stratified and contains a heterogeneous mixture of particle sizes, commonly in a matrix of gravel, sand, and silt supporting cobbles and boulders. The thickness of the unconsolidated sediments was estimated by Klassen (1978) to be between 5 m and 30 m.</p>	

A.36 YOWN-1919

Well Name: Haines Junction SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 2010/ Sep. 2019	Easting (m): 363116
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000309	Northing (m): 6740207
Well Depth (m bTOC): 37.860	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 635.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Silt and Sand	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 1.7 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Bouwer-Rice : 4.1×10^{-07} Hvorslev : 4.7×10^{-07}	
Distance to surface water: 2.9 km (Dezadeash River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 2.9 km (Dezadeash River at Haines Junction)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Haines Junction Airport; 4 km	
Other identification codes: Haines Junction SWDF-MW01	

Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site is located 175 km west of Whitehorse, approximately 200 m off the Alaska Highway and 2 km north of the center of the Haines Junction community. The site is located at about 630 masl on relatively flat terrain; in general, the land slopes to the south towards Haines Junction and the Dezadeash River.

Surficial Geology Data: Quaternary aged deposits exist within river, mountain and glacial valleys and depressions. The community of Haines Junction is situated within a lacustrine plain, just north of the fluvial floodplain of the Dezadeash River (Muller, 1967). Surrounding Haines Junction, and along the valleys to the northeast, northwest and southeast of the community, the surficial deposits consist of glaciofluvial outwash gravels. Southwest of Haines Junction, towards the Auriol Range, the surficial deposits consist of diamicton ground moraine at the Auriol foothills, and a mixture of gravelly glacial kame deposits, till covered slopes and gravelly glaciofluvial or fluvial fans on the slopes of the mountains. At least three major glaciers have advanced through the Shakwak Valley, covering what is now the Haines Junction community. These glaciers deposited clay rich tills upon retreating. There have also been several episodes in which the Haines Junction region has been covered by lakes (Glacial Lake Champagne and Lake Alsek) that deposited further thick sequences of clay and silt.

A.37 YOWN-1920

Well Name: Champagne SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 2010/ Sep. 2019	Easting (m): 420589
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000329	Northing (m): 6740306
Well Depth (m bTOC): 15.590	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 730.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Silt	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 1.0 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Bouwer-Rice : 1.31×10^{-06} Hvorslev : 2.03×10^{-06}	
Distance to surface water: 1.5 km (Dezadeash River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 53.5 km (Ibex River near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Otter Falls NCPC; 42 km	
Other identification codes: Champagne SWDF-MW03	

Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site is located approximately 75 km west of Whitehorse, on the Champagne Access Road. The community of Champagne is located approximately 1.2 km to the west of the site. The site is located at an elevation of approximately 728 masl on relatively flat terrain; Dezadeash River is located 1.5 km to the west/southwest.

Surficial Geology Data: The southern Yukon, including the Champagne area, has undergone several episodes of glaciation, the most recent being the Quaternary McConnell glaciation. The surficial materials at the Site are primarily of Pleistocene origin consisting predominantly of fine grained till and lacustrine silt of unknown thickness. Underlying the overburden sediments at the Site is bedrock described as Coast intrusions, consisting of Mesozoic granodiorite, quartz diorite and granite (GSC, 1957). During the retreat of the glaciers in the late Pleistocene, sediment in the form of till was deposited in areas such as Champagne. Throughout the retreat of the glaciers an extinct glacial lake called Glacial Lake Champagne formed in the Champagne area depositing some of lacustrine sediments observed.

A.38 YOWN-1921

Well Name: Drury Creek SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: July 2012/ Sep. 2019	Easting (m): 530960
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000337	Northing (m): 6896737
Well Depth (m bTOC): 9.095	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 669.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Silt / Bedrock	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 2.8 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Bouwer-Rice : 1×10^{-5}	
Distance to surface water: 0.3 km (Little Salmon Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 0.9 km (Drury Creek at km 469 on Robert Campbell Hwy)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Faro; 53 km	
Other identification codes: Drury Creek SWDF-MW12-01	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site is located approximately 110 km east of the Village of Carmacks and 47 km west of Faro, on the north side of the Robert Campbell Highway.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The southern Yukon, including the Drury Creek area, has undergone several episodes of glaciation, the most recent being the Quaternary McConnell glaciation. During that period, sediments such as glacial till and glaciofluvial and glaciolacustrine sediments were deposited, especially in low elevation areas such as the Magundy River Valley, where the Site is located.</p> <p>The Drury Creek area is mapped as being underlain primarily by till and colluvial apron sediments of Quaternary origin, and modern alluvial plain and lacustrine sediments associated with Magundy River and Little Salmon Lake respectively. Bedrock exposures are found at higher elevations in the mountains to the northeast of the Site. Surficial geology maps published by the YGS indicate natural surficial materials at the Site consist of colluvial apron and glaciofluvial delta sediments. Deposits are poorly to well sorted sand and gravel with minor silt, and range from 1 m to greater than 5 m in thickness (Ward and Jackson, 1993).</p>	

A.39 YOWN-1922

Well Name: Ross River SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: July 2012/ Sep. 2019	Easting (m): 633906
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000785	Northing (m): 6872652
Well Depth (m bTOC): 4.370	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 759.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sandy Silt	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 1.4 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Bouwer-Rice : 3×10^{-8}	
Distance to surface water: 2.3 km (Pelly River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 3.6 km (Ross River at Ross River)	

Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Faro; 56 km
Other identification codes: Ross River SWDF - MW12-01
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site is accessed by a gravel road off the east side of the Canol Road, approximately 10 km north of the Robert Campbell Highway and 240 km east of the Village of Carmacks. The site is at an elevation of approximately 740 masl, within the Pelly River watershed. The regional hydraulic gradient at the site is expected to follow the regional topography, which slopes north, towards Pelly River.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The southern Yukon, including the Ross River area, has undergone several episodes of glaciation, the most recent being the Quaternary McConnell glaciation. During that period, sediments such as glacial till and glaciofluvial and glaciolacustrine sediments were deposited, especially in low elevation areas such as the Pelly River Valley, located downgradient of the Site.</p> <p>The Ross River area is mapped as being underlain primarily by till and alluvium, with minor glaciolacustrine sediments of Quaternary origin. Ablation till, colluvial glacial debris, morainal deposits, and bedrock exposures are found at higher elevations in the mountains to the southwest of the Site.</p> <p>Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey indicate natural surficial materials at the Facility are flat to gently sloping glaciolacustrine plain and blanketed till deposits conforming closely to the bedrock topography. In general the glaciolacustrine sediments consist of silt and fine sand with minor clay, and are greater than 5 m thick. Till blanket sediments consist of a silty sandy matrix containing gravel, cobbles, and minor boulders, and are greater than 1 m thick (Jackson, 1981-1982).</p>

A.40 YOWN-1923

Well Name: Watson Lake SWDF	UTM Zone: 9
Installation/Activation Dates: May 2012/ Oct. 2019	Easting (m): 514236
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000364	Northing (m): 6659104
Well Depth (m bTOC): 23.810	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 715.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand / Gravel and Bedrock	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 3.1 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Partially confined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 0.8 km (un-named creek draining into Watson Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 9.3 km (Liard River at Upper Crossing)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Watson Lake Airport; 7 km	
Other identification codes: Watson Lake SWDF-MW-12-03	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site access is located at km 1,022 of the Alaska Highway, approximately 1.5 km west of the Town of Watson Lake. The site is generally flat, at an elevation of approximately 715 masl. The regional topography slopes south towards Liard River.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Surficial geology at the Facility reported by YGS (Lipovsky and others, 2005) consists of a blanket of anthropogenic material overlying a till blanket and bedrock. This is consistent with the results of drilling at the Facility where shallow subsurface material consists of fill, and glacially-derived silt and sand</p>	

underlain by basalt flows (EBA, 2018). The deeper surficial material encountered at the Facility consists of mixed sand and gravel sit some silt intervals overlying bedrock. Surficial materials surrounding the landfill consist of gently sloping till blankets and glaciofluvial material occurring in planar, gently sloping, undulating and hummocky landforms.

A.41 YOWN-1924

Well Name: Canyon Creek SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: June 2012/ Sep. 2019	Easting (m): 382870
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000537	Northing (m): 6748007
Well Depth (m bTOC): 33.870	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 671.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 3.4 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Hazen : 1×10^{-4}	
Distance to surface water: 1.5 km (Dezadeash River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 22.3 km (Dezadeash River at Haines Junction)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Otter Falls NCPC; 21 km	
Other identification codes: Canyon Creek SWDF - MW18-04	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site is located approximately 130 km west of Whitehorse and 25 km east of Haines Junction. Access to the site is by a gravel road approximately 400 m off the south side of Alaska Hwy at km 1,609. The site is at an elevation of approximately 675 masl and lies within the Dezadeash watershed, which is part of the larger Takhini River watershed in a gently sloping glaciolacustrine plain.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey indicate natural surficial materials are representative of flat to gently sloping glaciolacustrine deposits. In general, these deposits consist of primarily silt with some clay and minor sand, and range from 2 to 70 m in thickness (Rampton and Paradis, 1979). Sediments at the Site have been reworked and mixed with buried waste.</p>	

A.42 YOWN-1925

Well Name: Carmacks SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Nov. 2002/ Oct. 2019	Easting (m): 432790
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000291	Northing (m): 6883151
Well Depth (m bTOC): 7.165	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 896.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Chu ɪnthi; and Łots'an	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 3
Aquifer thickness: 0.8 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 0.4 km (Nordenskiöld River)	

Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 2.3 km (Yukon River at Carmacks)
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Carmacks; 7 km
Other identification codes: Carmacks SWDF-MW02
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site is within the boundaries of the Village of Carmacks approximately 1 km south of the village core on the North Klondike Highway. The Site is at the base of a glaciofluvial terrace in the Nordenskiöld River Valley near the confluence of the Nordenskiöld and Yukon Rivers. The primary groundwater flow direction in the vicinity of the site is northeast, towards Yukon River.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The surficial geology at the Site comprises of floodplain sediments which have been described by Jackson (2000) as horizontally stratified gravel and sand with minor to extensive lacustrine fine sand and organic sediments which are subject to flooding due to summer and spring ice-jam. These sediments range in thickness between 1 and 5 m. They are likely underlain at the Site location by the nearby glaciofluvial terrace sediments, which comprise “gravel, sand, minor silt and diamicton cut by flights of terraces” and range between 1 and more than 10 m in thickness, or the glaciofluvial plain sediments described as “coarse gravel, sand and minor silt deposited along former glacial stream”.</p>

A.43 YOWN-1926

Well Name: Johnson's Crossing SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: May 2012/ Oct. 2019	Easting (m): 594241
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000346	Northing (m): 6707644
Well Depth (m bTOC): 91.000	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 774.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 6.0 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Partially confined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Bouwer-Rice : 1×10^{-3}	
Distance to surface water: 1.1 km (Teslin River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 35 km (Sidney Creek at km 46 on south Canol Road)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Teslin Airport; 47 km	
Other identification codes: Johnson's Crossing SWDF-MW12-01	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site is accessed by a gravel road, off the east side of the Alaska Highway at km 1,295, approximately 128 km east of Whitehorse and 500 m north of the bridge of Johnson's Crossing. The facility is at an elevation of approximately 770 masl and lies within the Judas Creek and Marsh Lake watersheds. Local surficial geology is flat terrace deposits of glaciofluvial origin; the regional hydraulic gradient is expected to be to the southwest, towards Teslin River.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The southern Yukon, including the Johnson's Crossing area, has undergone several episodes of glaciation, the most recent being the Quaternary McConnell glaciation. During that period, sediments such as glacial till, glaciofluvial sediments, and glaciolacustrine sediments were deposited, especially in low elevation areas such as the Teslin River Valley, located downgradient of the Site. The Johnson's Crossing area is mapped as being underlain primarily by till, colluvium, and glaciofluvial outwash sediments of Quaternary origin, with modern lacustrine and fluvial sediments at lower elevations associated</p>	

with the Teslin River and Teslin Lake. Ablation till, colluvial glacial debris, morainal deposits, and bedrock exposures are found at higher elevations in the mountains to the surrounding the Site. Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey (YGS) indicate natural surficial materials at the Site are terrace deposits of glaciofluvial origin, consisting silt, sand, and gravel. Deposits range from 5 m to approximately 50 m in thickness.

A.44 YOWN-1927

Well Name: Upper Liard SWDF1	UTM Zone: 9
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 1999/ Oct. 2019	Easting (m): 502870
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000544	Northing (m): 6657435
Well Depth (m bTOC): 17.575	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 641.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 1.3 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 2.4 km (Liard River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 2.3 km (Liard River at Upper Crossing)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Watson Lake Airport; 10 km	
Other identification codes: UL-MW01	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site is located on Alaska Hwy. approximately 2 km west of the community of Upper Liard, and less than 20 km west of the Town of Watson Lake. The site is located within the Liard Basin and the Liard River is located approximately 2 km to the east. The site is at an elevation of approximately 640 masl.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The Upper Liard Solid Waste facility is situated on an approximately 30 m thick sequence of sand deposited in a glaciofluvial sedimentary environment (Hunt, 1994). Rivers associated with retreating glaciers have left a relatively homogeneous deposit of sand with consistent grain-size and minor gravel. The sand deposit forms terraces or ridges reflective of the various river banks as the glacial rivers receded. The Albert Creek flows across the glaciofluvial sand deposit and has deposited some colluvial material in the current creek bed and the adjacent areas during high water. The solid waste facility is bounded to the north by a terrace ridge. Beyond the terrace to the north, there are stagnant ice deposits with mixed grain size ranging from silt to gravel.</p>	

A.45 YOWN-1928

Well Name: Faro SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: July 2012/ Nov. 2019	Easting (m): 584575
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000343	Northing (m): 6901641
Well Depth (m bTOC): 16.920	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 697.00	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand	Aquifer subtype: 4a

Aquifer thickness: 2.4 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Bouwer-Rice : 2×10^{-4}	
Distance to surface water: 1.3 km (Pelly River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 1.8 km (Pelly River below Vangorda Creek)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Faro; 3 km	
Other identification codes: Faro SWDF-MW12-04	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site is accessed by a gravel road off the east side of Mitchell Road, approximately 9.3 km north of Robert Campbell Highway, and 180 km east of the Village of Carmacks. The facility has an elevation of approximately 700 masl and lies within the Pelly River watershed. The regional hydraulic gradient near the site is expected to follow the regional topography, which slopes south, towards Pelly River.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The southern Yukon, including the Faro area, has undergone several episodes of glaciation, the most recent being the Quaternary McConnell glaciation. During that period, sediments such as glacial till, glaciofluvial, and glaciolacustrine sediments were deposited, especially in low elevation areas such as the Pelly River Valley, located downgradient of the Site.</p> <p>The Faro area is mapped as being underlain primarily by till and alluvium, with minor glaciolacustrine sediments of Quaternary origin. Ablation till, colluvial glacial debris, morainal deposits, and bedrock exposures are found at higher elevations in the mountains to the northeast of the Site.</p> <p>Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey (YGS) indicate natural surficial materials at the Site are part a glaciofluvial complex of outwash, glaciolacustrine, and minor till deposits, deposited in an ice contact environment. Deposits are poorly to well sorted; sand and gravel with minor silt and clay; greater than 5 m thick. Kame and kettle topography is associated with this setting (Jackson, 1993).</p>	

A.46 YOWN-1930

Well Name: Cowley Creek (S & D)	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Dec. 2019/ May 2020	Easting (m): 505039
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001373	Northing (m): 6717467
Well Depth (m bTOC): 13.145 (S); 46.130 (D)	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 722.00 (D & S)	Period of Record: 2019 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand/Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 7.7 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Partially confined (Deep well)
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 3.2 km (Yukon River); 160 m (Cowley Creek)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 18.9 km (Yukon River at Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 19 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	

Well Description: This well was installed in December 2019 as a nested well (a shallow and a deep monitoring wells installed in the same borehole) in the Cowley Creek subdivision of Whitehorse. The well is located on the north side of the Salmon Trail, approximately 1 km south of the Alaska Highway and 100 m west of Cowley Creek. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site elevation is approximately 720 masl and lies within the Yukon River watershed. The regional hydraulic gradient near the site is expected to follow the regional topography, which slopes north, towards Yukon River.

Surficial Geology Data: The dominant surface materials in the surrounding Cowley Creek subdivision area comprise thick packages of glaciofluvial sand and gravel that were deposited by meltwater draining the receding glaciers. In many locations in the Cowley Creek area, the glaciofluvial materials are underlain by a thick (20+ m) sequence of fine-grained (fine sand, silt and clay) glaciolacustrine materials. These glacial lake bottom sediments were deposited in Glacial Lake Laberge, which occupied the Yukon River valley up to 716 m elevation. Incision of these materials in the Yukon River valley has also caused a regional reduction in base level throughout the Holocene. Basal till in the vicinity typically comprises a dense, nearly impermeable, diamict with a sandy silt matrix and a wide range of coarse fragment characteristics (size, lithology, and rounding). Basal till on the order of 10–15 m thick was commonly encountered in nearby water wells (Greater Whitehorse area permafrost characterization L.-P. Roy, F. Calmels, C. Laurent and N. Vogt Yukon University P.S. Lipovsky and J. Humphries Yukon Geological Survey, 2021)

A.47 YOWN-2001

Well Name: Upper Liard SWDF2	UTM Zone: 9
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 1999/ March 2020	Easting (m): 503001
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000545	Northing (m): 6657354
Well Depth (m bTOC): 13.650	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 641.00	Period of Record: 2020 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 3.0 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 1.8 km (Liard River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 2.2 km (Liard River at Upper Crossing)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 19 km	
Other identification codes: UL-MW02	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site is located on Alaska Hwy. approximately 2 km west of the community of Upper Liard, and less than 20 km west of the Town of Watson Lake. The site is located within the Liard Basin and the Liard River is located approximately 2 km to the east. The site is at an elevation of approximately 640 masl.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The Upper Liard Solid Waste facility is situated on an approximately 30 m thick sequence of sand deposited in a glaciofluvial sedimentary environment (Hunt, 1994). Rivers associated with retreating glaciers have left a relatively homogeneous deposit of sand with consistent grain-size and minor gravel. The sand deposit forms terraces or ridges reflective of the various river banks as the glacial rivers receded. The Albert Creek flows across the glaciofluvial sand deposit and has deposited some colluvial material in the current creek bed and the adjacent areas during high water. The solid waste facility is bounded</p>	

to the north by a terrace ridge. Beyond the terrace to the north, there are stagnant ice deposits with mixed grain size ranging from silt to gravel.

A.48 YOWN-2002

Well Name: Ogilvie Highway Maintenance Camp	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Sep. 2017/ March 2020	Easting (m): 625241
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000625	Northing (m): 7251269
Well Depth (m bTOC): 5.400	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 594.00	Period of Record: 2020 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Crushed Bedrock, Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 6b
Aquifer thickness: 1.4 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 150 m (Ogilvie River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 0.5 km (Ogilvie River at km 197.9 on Dempster Hwy)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Dawson Airport; 150 km	
Other identification codes: Ogilvie Highway Camp - 17MW01	
<p>Well Description: The camp site is located at km 196 on Dempster Highway, west of the confluence of Engineer Creek with Ogilvie River. Site access is via the Dempster Highway from the northeast. The regional groundwater flow direction is expected to be towards the Ogilvie River or in the direction of river flow (southwest to northeast) in the soils immediately adjacent to the river. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The oldest rocks in the map area belong to the pre-570 million year old Wernecke Supergroup. They are composed of Quartet Group slaty argillite and quartzite; Gillespie Lake Group siliceous dolomite, siltstone and quartzite; and Tindir Group shale, limestone and dolomite. This package is unconformably overlain by 530-390 million year old unnamed limestone and dolomite and Road River Group black shale and limestone; Michell Formation black shale, limestone and dolomite; and Ogilvie Formation limestone; which is unconformably overlain by 375-255 million year old Canol Formation black shale, McCann Hill chert, Nation River Formation mudstone and conglomerate; Ford Lake shale, chert and limestone; Hart River Formation limestone, dolomite and chert; Ettrair Formation limestone, sandstone and conglomerate; Jungle Creek Formation conglomerate, sandstone, mudstone, limestone and shale; and Tahkandit Formation limestone and chert. These rocks are unconformably overlain by 240-130 million year old black calcareous shale and limestone, and Kingak Formation shale and siltstone. (OGILVIE RIVER MAP AREA N.T.S. 116F (E1/2) and 116G)</p>	

A.49 YOWN-2003

Well Name: Teslin SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Nov. 2008/ March 2020	Easting (m): 628878
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000306	Northing (m): 6670288
Well Depth (m bTOC): 10.510	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 802.00	Period of Record: 2020 – Present
Aquifer Name: Nàghas'ê X'ayî tayî and Axb'áká tayî hîn	

Aquifer Material: Bedrock	Aquifer subtype: 6b
Aquifer thickness: 5.4 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Partially confined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Lefranc : 2.18×10^{-5}	
Distance to surface water: 1.3 km (Teslin Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 1.9 km (Teslin Lake at Teslin)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Teslin; 4 km	
Other identification codes: Teslin SWF-MW01	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well was installed approximately 270 m south-southeast of the SWDF, in a forested area. The site is located approximately 3 km east of the Village core at Mile 802 (Km 1291) Alaska Highway. The Site is on the slope of a ridge near the confluence of the Nisutlin Bay and the Teslin Lake. The well was instrumented in March 2019, however, in March 2020 it was noted that the well is seasonally dry. This well is currently deactivated and not instrumented or monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The surface deposits are associated with the most recent Cordilleran ice sheet, the McConnell glaciers, believed to have covered south and central Yukon between 26,500 and 10,000 years ago. In some valleys, benches of glaciofluvial sand and gravel flank the low elevation slopes. Glaciofluvial sand and gravel of variable thickness and composition are found in Teslin River and Squanga Creek valleys. These deposits are mostly free of permafrost, commonly have stable surfaces. During deglaciation, large volumes of meltwater were dammed in some valleys and formed large glacial lakes. Beachlines, lake bottom sediments, and modern lakes are now found in many of these valleys. Teslin Lake, Little Atlin and Atlin Lakes, as well as the Nisutlin River valley and the Red River valley north of Fish Lake are bordered by glaciolacustrine silt and clay deposits which can be as thick as 15 m. They commonly contain massive ice bodies and are prone to retrogressive thaw slide and thermokarst degradation when disturbed either by river erosion, forest fires, or other changes in surface conditions. (GEOPROCESS FILE SUMMARY REPORT TESLIN MAP AREA N.T.S. 105C)</p>	

A.50 YOWN-2004

Well Name: Old Crow SWDF	UTM Zone: 7
Installation/Activation Dates: Sep. 2014/ July 2020	Easting (m): 548043
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000394	Northing (m): 7495290
Well Depth (m bTOC): 10.680	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 250.00	Period of Record: 2020 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 7.4 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Hvorslev : 7×10^{-5}	
Distance to surface water: 130 m (Porcupine River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 1.6 km (Porcupine River below Old Crow River)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Old Crow Airport; 1 km	
Other identification codes: Old Crow SWDF-MW01 / 14MWSWM-1	

Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The facility is located approximately 700 m northwest of the Old Crow Airport airstrip, occupying approximately 1 ha. The site is located just over 100 km north of the Arctic Circle, immediately downstream of the confluence of the Porcupine River and the Old Crow River. The regional groundwater flow system is confined beneath permafrost. Hydraulic gradients in the confined unit are upward. During warmer months, a shallow seasonal groundwater flow system (comprising supra-permafrost water) develops within the shallow layer near ground surface that thaws.

Surficial Geology Data: Surficial geology in the town of Old Crow is expected to be representative of a fluvial geological setting with characteristics of a meandering river. Meandering channels migrate laterally across the valley bottom by erosion at the outside meander bend, leaving behind a typical deposition sequence on the inside meander bend. A typical sequence can be described by fine-grained sediments forming levee deposits and spilling into the adjacent floodplain. Underlying these deposits are silt and sand, occasionally gravel, deposited in point bars on the inside meander bend. Underlying these deposits are coarse to medium sand deposited in the former channel that overlie lag gravels eroded from the migrating channel. All or part of this sequence repeats with each pass of the meander (Nichols, 2013).

The regional hydrogeology is governed primarily by permafrost conditions and surface topography. Supra-permafrost water flows along the surface of the interface between the thawed, active layer and the frozen permafrost and is recharged directly from the surface or thawing permafrost. Supra-permafrost water may exist year round where unfrozen ground is deep above permafrost (Williams and Waller, 1963) and may become confined in response to the active layer freezing from the surface towards the permafrost table, once air temperatures returns to freezing. In the flat lowlands of the Old Crow Basin, flow of supra-permafrost water will be slow or stagnant in response to the low hydraulic gradients created by the comparatively level surface of the permafrost, which governs the flow within the active layer.

A.51 YOWN-2005

Well Name: Dempster Hwy Sewage Lagoon	UTM Zone: 7
Installation/Activation Dates: Nov. 2013/ March 2020	Easting (m): 613858
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000926	Northing (m): 7098151
Well Depth (m bTOC): 20.495	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 480.00	Period of Record: 2020 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 1c
Aquifer thickness: 2.2 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Hvorslev : 7×10^{-4}	
Distance to surface water: 1.5 km (North Klondike River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 3.9 km (North Klondike River near the mouth)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Dawson Airport; 24 km	
Other identification codes: Dempster Highway Sewage Pit - 19MW03D	

Well Description: The site is located approximately 44 km east of Dawson City, at km 3.9 of Dempster Highway. The inferred groundwater flow direction is southwest across the site toward the North Klondike River, located approximately 1.5 km to the southeast. The well is located west of the site access road, before the site gate. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.

Surficial Geology Data: Surficial geology at the site is described as glacio-fluvial plain with sand and gravel soils deposited as proglacial sediments by glacial meltwaters (EBA, 2000 and EBA, 2001).

Based on soil conditions observed by EBA during the drilling program, the materials beneath the site observed at depths from 0 m bgs to about 15-19 m bgs generally consist of a sand and gravel material. Below the layer of sand and gravel, the soil consists mostly of silt with minor clay and sand content to depths of around 21 m bgs. This is followed by sand containing some silts and then a silty sand at 23 m bgs.

A.52 YOWN-2006

Well Name: Carmacks Playground	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Nov. 2020	Easting (m): 431770
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001374	Northing (m): 6885652
Well Depth (m bTOC): 70.030 (D); 29.730 (S)	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 530.14 (D) 529.86 (S)	Period of Record: 2020 – Present
Aquifer Name: Chu ́ntthi; and Łots'an	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 1a
Aquifer thickness: 6.2 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Partially confined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 30 m (Yukon River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 1.8 km (Yukon River at Carmacks)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Carmacks; 7 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in November 2020 as a nested well (a shallow and a deep monitoring wells installed in the same borehole) in the Village of Carmacks. The well is located east of the playground on River Drive, approximately 2.2 km west of the Carmacks bridge over the Yukon River. The Yukon River is located approximately 30 m northeast of the wells. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The site elevation is approximately 518 masl.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The Carmacks area has been subject to many periods of glaciation during the Quaternary (last 2.65 million years). The earliest glaciations occurred prior to 200,000 years ago and were more extensive than later glaciations. Surficial materials related to these glaciations are largely eroded, and modern surficial sediments are associated with the penultimate Reid Glaciation (~140,000 years ago) and the most recent McConnell Glaciation that occurred during the global Last Glacial Maximum (LGM) ~20,000 years ago. Exposure of unconsolidated Quaternary deposits in the vicinity of Carmacks are primarily associated with glaciation during the LGM. Generally, unconsolidated deposits are thickest in the main valleys associated with Tagé Cho and Tsâwnjik Tagé. (Aquifer mapping - Village of Carmacks, Yukon; Government of Yukon / Water Resources Branch, 2021).</p>	

A.53 YOWN-2201

Well Name: Army Beach Well 1 (S & D)	UTM Zone: 8
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Installation/Activation Dates: Feb. 2022/ May 2022	Easting (m): 529582
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 900000249	Northing (m): 6713147
Well Depth (m bTOC): 11.230 (D); 5.520 (S)	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 658.95 (D & S)	Period of Record: 2022 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 8.5 m (D); 2.4 m (S)	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: Approximately 55 m to Marsh Lake	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 5.3 km (Marsh Lake near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 40 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description This well was installed in February 2022 in the Army Beach Subdivision, to support interpretations of groundwater-surface water interactions, in particular during high water events in Marsh Lake. The well is located at the south end of Taylor Way; Marsh Lake is located approximately 55 m southeast of the well. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Organic material overlaying thick (>35m) fine-grained (sand/silt/clay) glacial lake sediments, and numerous former glacial lake shorelines/beach ridges (Lipovsky, P., 2022). At the climax of the McConnell Glaciation, a continuous carapace of ice covered southern and eastern Yukon. Ice thickness over the city of Whitehorse exceeded 1350 m during glacial maximum. (Bond, J., 2004. Late Wisconsinan McConnell glaciation of the Whitehorse map area (105D), Yukon. In: Yukon Exploration and Geology 2003, D.S. Emond and L.L. Lewis (eds.), Yukon Geological Survey, p. 73-88.).</p>	

A.54 YOWN-2202

Well Name: Army Beach Well 2	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Feb. 2022/ May 2022	Easting (m): 529509
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 900000251	Northing (m): 6713168
Well Depth (m bTOC): 11.230 (D); 5.520 (S)	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 658.16	Period of Record: 2022 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 4.1 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 170 m (Marsh Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 5.3 km (Marsh Lake near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 40 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	

Well Description: This well was installed in February 2022 in the Army Beach Subdivision, to support interpretations of groundwater-surface water interactions, in particular during high water events in Marsh Lake. The well is located adjacent to Taylor Way; Marsh Lake is located approximately 170 m southeast of the well. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.

Surficial Geology Data: Organic material overlaying thick (>35m) fine-grained (sand/silt/clay) glacial lake sediments, and numerous former glacial lake shorelines/beach ridges (Lipovsky, P., 2022). At the climax of the McConnell Glaciation, a continuous carapace of ice covered southern and eastern Yukon. Ice thickness over the city of Whitehorse exceeded 1350 m during glacial maximum. (Bond, J., 2004. Late Wisconsinan McConnell glaciation of the Whitehorse map area (105D), Yukon. In: Yukon Exploration and Geology 2003, D.S. Emond and L.L. Lewis (eds.), Yukon Geological Survey, p. 73-88.).

A.55 YOWN-2203

Well Name: Army Beach Well 3	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Feb. 2022/ May 2022	Easting (m): 529537
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 900000252	Northing (m): 6713307
Well Depth (m bTOC): 11.230 (D); 5.520 (S)	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 659.07	Period of Record: 2022 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 3.9 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 170 m (Marsh Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 5.3 km (Marsh Lake near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 40 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in February 2022 in the Army Beach Subdivision, to support interpretations of groundwater-surface water interactions, in particular during high water events in Marsh Lake. The well is located adjacent to Taylor Way; Marsh Lake is located approximately 170 m southeast of the well. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Organic material overlaying thick (>35m) fine-grained (sand/silt/clay) glacial lake sediments, and numerous former glacial lake shorelines/beach ridges (Lipovsky, P., 2022). At the climax of the McConnell Glaciation, a continuous carapace of ice covered southern and eastern Yukon. Ice thickness over the city of Whitehorse exceeded 1350 m during glacial maximum. (Bond, J., 2004. Late Wisconsinan McConnell glaciation of the Whitehorse map area (105D), Yukon. In: Yukon Exploration and Geology 2003, D.S. Emond and L.L. Lewis (eds.), Yukon Geological Survey, p. 73-88.).</p>	

A.56 YOWN-2204

Well Name: Army Beach Well 4	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Feb. 2022/ May 2022	Easting (m): 529420
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 900000253	Northing (m): 6713549

Well Depth (m bTOC): 11.230 (D); 5.520 (S)	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 660.49	Period of Record: 2022 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 2.6 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 460 m (Marsh Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 5.3 km (Marsh Lake near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 40 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in February 2022 in the Army Beach Subdivision, to support interpretations of groundwater-surface water interactions, in particular during high water events in Marsh Lake. The well is located adjacent to Taylor Way; Marsh Lake is located approximately 460 m southeast of the well. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Organic material overlaying thick (>35m) fine-grained (sand/silt/clay) glacial lake sediments, and numerous former glacial lake shorelines/beach ridges (Lipovsky, P., 2022). At the climax of the McConnell Glaciation, a continuous carapace of ice covered southern and eastern Yukon. Ice thickness over the city of Whitehorse exceeded 1350 m during glacial maximum. (Bond, J., 2004. Late Wisconsinan McConnell glaciation of the Whitehorse map area (105D), Yukon. In: Yukon Exploration and Geology 2003, D.S. Emond and L.L. Lewis (eds.), Yukon Geological Survey, p. 73-88.).</p>	

A.57 YOWN-2205

Well Name: Army Beach Well 5	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Feb. 2022/ May 2022	Easting (m): 529135
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 900000254	Northing (m): 6714050
Well Depth (m bTOC): 11.230 (D); 5.520 (S)	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 661.08	Period of Record: 2022 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 4.2 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 970 m (Marsh Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 5.3 km (Marsh Lake near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 40 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	

Well Description: This well was installed in February 2022 in the Army Beach Subdivision, to support interpretations of groundwater-surface water interactions, in particular during high water events in Marsh Lake. The well is located adjacent to Taylor Way; Marsh Lake is located approximately 970 m southeast of the well. Alaska Hwy. is located approximately 55 m to the north. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.

Surficial Geology Data: Organic material overlaying thick (>35m) fine-grained (sand/silt/clay) glacial lake sediments, and numerous former glacial lake shorelines/beach ridges (Lipovsky, P., 2022). At the climax of the McConnell Glaciation, a continuous carapace of ice covered southern and eastern Yukon. Ice thickness over the city of Whitehorse exceeded 1350 m during glacial maximum. (Bond, J., 2004. Late Wisconsinan McConnell glaciation of the Whitehorse map area (105D), Yukon. In: Yukon Exploration and Geology 2003, D.S. Emond and L.L. Lewis (eds.), Yukon Geological Survey, p. 73-88.).

A.58 YOWN-2206

Well Name: Teslin Highway Pullout	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: May 2022; June 2022	Easting (m): 623988
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001103	Northing (m): 6672936
Well Depth (m bTOC): 17.990	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 689	Period of Record: 2022 – Present
Aquifer Name: Nàghas'ê X'ayi tayî and Axb'áká tayî hîn	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 3
Aquifer thickness: 13 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 70 m (Teslin Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: : 1.9 km (Teslin Lake at Teslin)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Teslin; 2 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in May 2022 at the highway pullout, approximately 2.5 km west of Teslin core area. The well is located approximately 60 m north of Teslin Lake. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Till; silty to sandy matrix; 1 to 30 m thick. Lodgement and ablation till. Gently irregular to strongly irregular bedrock controlled topography blanketed by till. Till forms a nearly continuous blanket over benches along the sides of large valleys and gentle mountain slopes (Morison S. R. and Klassen, R. W.; Geological Survey of Canada, 1987 - Map 1891 A, Teslin Surficial Geology / Yukon Territory / Scale 1:25,000)</p>	

A.59 YOWN-2207

Well Name: Village of Teslin Compound (S/D)	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: May 2022; June 2022	Easting (m): 624180
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001104	Northing (m): 6673562
Well Depth (m bTOC): 5.718 (S); 44.144 (D)	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 715	Period of Record: 2022 – Present

Aquifer Name: Nàghas'ê X'ayi tayî and Axb'áká tayî hîn	
Aquifer Material: Silty Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 3
Aquifer thickness: 3.1 m (S); 22 m (D)	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 700 m (Teslin Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: : 2.0 km (Teslin Lake at Teslin)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Teslin; 2 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in May 2022 at the highway pullout, approximately 2.5 km west of Teslin core area. The well is located approximately 60 m north of Teslin Lake. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Till; silty to sandy matrix; 1 to 30 m thick. Lodgement and ablation till. Gently irregular to strongly irregular bedrock controlled topography blanketed by till. Till forms a nearly continuous blanket over benches along the sides of large valleys and gentle mountain slopes (Morison S. R. and Klassen, R. W.; Geological Survey of Canada, 1987 - Map 1891 A, Teslin Surficial Geology / Yukon Territory / Scale 1:25,000)</p>	

A.60 YOWN-2208

Well Name: Watson Lake Highway Pullout	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: May 2022; June 2022	Easting (m): 514535
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001105	Northing (m): 6661055
Well Depth (m bTOC): 7.890	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 704	Period of Record: 2022 – Present
Aquifer Name: Fan; Glaciofluvial and Deltaic Package (<i>to be replaced with FN traditional names</i>)	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 4.1 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 1.3 m (Watson Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 10.1 km (Liard River at Upper Crossing)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Watson Lake Airport; 5.7 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in May 2022 at the approximately km. 3.2 on Robert Campbell Highway pullout. The well is located approximately 1.3 km east of the Watson Lake. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Glaciofluvial – materials that exhibit clear evidence of having been deposited by glacial meltwater streams either directly in front of, or in contact with, glacier ice. Materials typically range from non-sorted and nonbedded gravel made up of a wide range of particle sizes, to moderately to well sorted, stratified gravel; flow tills may occur in some deposits. Hummocky or irregular terrain may be present and is indicative of collapse of material due to melting of supporting ice. Include pitted outwash plains, kames and eskers (Lipovsky, P.S., McKenna, K. and Huscroft, C.A., 2005. Surficial Geology of Watson Lake (NTS 105A/2), Yukon (1:50 000 scale). Yukon Geological Survey, Energy, Mines and Resources, Yukon Government).</p>	

A.61 YOWN-2209

Well Name: Watson Lake Playground (S/D)	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: May 2022; June 2022	Easting (m): 518790
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001106	Northing (m): 6658234
Well Depth (m bTOC): 14.065 (S); 51.215 (D)	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 691	Period of Record: 2022 – Present
Aquifer Name: Fan; Glaciofluvial and Deltaic Package (to be replaced with FN traditional names)	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 10.3 m (S); 47.5 m (D)	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 0.3 km (Hour Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 13.5 km (Liard River at Upper Crossing)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Watson Lake Airport; 10.6 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in May 2022 at the playground located on Woodland Crescent, on the east part of the Town of Watson Lake. Second Wye Lake is located approximately 450 west of the well; Hour Lake is located approximately 300 m south of the well. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Glaciofluvial – materials that exhibit clear evidence of having been deposited by glacial meltwater streams either directly in front of, or in contact with, glacier ice. Materials typically range from non-sorted and non-bedded gravel made up of a wide range of particle sizes, to moderately to well sorted, stratified gravel; flow tills may occur in some deposits. Hummocky or irregular terrain may be present and is indicative of collapse of material due to melting of supporting ice. Include pitted outwash plains, kames and eskers (Lipovsky, P.S., McKenna, K. and Huscroft, C.A., 2005. Surficial Geology of Watson Lake (NTS 105A/2), Yukon (1:50 000 scale). Yukon Geological Survey, Energy, Mines and Resources, Yukon Government).</p>	

A.62 YOWN-2301

Well Name: Bennet Beach 1	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Dec. 2021; July 2023	Easting (m): 515672
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 900000255	Northing (m): 6670528
Well Depth (m bTOC): 12.490	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 665.271	Period of Record: 2023 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 4.5 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 105 m (Bennett Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 0.9 km (Bennett Lake at Carcross)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 62 km	
Other identification codes: 21BH15	

Well Description: This well was installed in 2021 as part of a Phase II ESA, at Bennett Lake. The well was instrumented in July 2023 and it is currently monitored by WRB.

Surficial Geology Data: Pleistocene and Holocene aeolian deposits; sediment transported and deposited by wind action. General Description: consists of medium to fine sand and coarse silt that is well-sorted, non-compacted and may contain internal structures such as crossbedding or ripple laminae, or may be massive. Individual grains may be rounded and exhibit frosting. Aeolian landforms may be active or vegetated and inactive. (SURFICIAL GEOLOGY MAP; SCALE 1:50 000 CARCROSS NTS 105D/02 YUKON)

A.63 YOWN-2302

Well Name: Bennet Beach 2	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Dec. 2021; July 2023	Easting (m): 515778
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 900000256	Northing (m): 6670555
Well Depth (m bTOC): 19.2	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 670	Period of Record: 2023 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 5 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 190 m (Bennett Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 0.9 km (Bennett Lake at Carcross)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 62 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in 2021 as part of a Phase II ESA, at Bennett Lake. The well was instrumented in July 2023 and it is currently monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Pleistocene and Holocene aeolian deposits; sediment transported and deposited by wind action. General Description: consists of medium to fine sand and coarse silt that is well-sorted, non-compacted and may contain internal structures such as crossbedding or ripple laminae, or may be massive. Individual grains may be rounded and exhibit frosting. Aeolian landforms may be active or vegetated and inactive. (SURFICIAL GEOLOGY MAP; SCALE 1:50 000 CARCROSS NTS 105D/02 YUKON)</p>	

A.64 YOWN-2303

Well Name: Bennet Beach 3	UTM Zone: 8
Installation/Activation Dates: Dec. 2021; July 2023	Easting (m): 515831
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 900000257	Northing (m): 6670622
Well Depth (m bTOC): 15.2	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): 670	Period of Record: 2023 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 2.0 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	

Distance to surface water: 240 m (Bennett Lake)
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 1.0 km (Bennett Lake at Carcross)
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 62 km
Other identification codes: n/a
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in 2021 as part of a Phase II ESA, at Bennett Lake. The well was instrumented in July 2023 and it is currently monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Pleistocene and Holocene aeolian deposits; sediment transported and deposited by wind action. General Description: consists of medium to fine sand and coarse silt that is well-sorted, non-compacted and may contain internal structures such as crossbedding or ripple laminae, or may be massive. Individual grains may be rounded and exhibit frosting. Aeolian landforms may be active or vegetated and inactive. (SURFICIAL GEOLOGY MAP; SCALE 1:50 000 CARCROSS NTS 105D/02 YUKON)</p>

A.65 YOWN-2304

Well Name: Ross River HPW Camp	UTM Zone: 8V
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 2023; Nov. 2023	Easting (m): 633794
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001522	Northing (m): 6874286
Well Depth (m bTOC): 5.050	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): TBD	Period of Record: 2023 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Silt, Sand & Clay	Aquifer subtype: 1b
Aquifer thickness: 0.8 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 690 m (Pelly River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 1.2 km (Ross River at Ross River)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Faro; 56 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in October 2023 at the Highway and Public Works Maintenance Compound, in Ross River, to strengthen understanding of fundamental groundwater behaviour in the aquifer underlying the community. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Fluvial deposits – sediments transported by streams and rivers and deposited in floodplains, alluvial fans and terraces. Silt, sand and organic deposits make up thinly laminated or massive overbank deposits that are commonly interbedded with coarser gravel deposits; thickness greater than 13 m (Environment Yukon, 1976) / Surficial Geology, Ross River Region, Yukon Parts of NTS 105K/1 & 2 and 105F/15 & 16; 1:25 000 scale</p>	

A.66 YOWN-2305

Well Name: Dawson City	UTM Zone: 7W
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 2023; May 2024	Easting (m): 576678
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001523	Northing (m): 7104880

Well Depth (m bTOC): 5.290	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): TBD	Period of Record: 2023 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 1a
Aquifer thickness: TBD	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 360 m (Yukon River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 2.3 km (Klondike River at Dawson)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Dawson City Airport; 14.8 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in October 2023. North of the Margret Fry Recreation Centre. The well was installed to strengthen understanding of fundamental groundwater behaviour in the aquifer underlying the community. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Holocene fluvial sediments transported and deposited by modern streams and rivers, found in floodplains, fans and terraces. Deposits typically consist of well-sorted stratified sand and gravel; thickness up to 10 m are common. Active fluvial materials primarily consist of sand and gravel and are subject to regular flooding. (Surficial Geology Map, Dawson Region, Yukon Parts of NTS 1150/14 &15 and 116B/1, 2, 3 & 4 1:25 000 scale)</p>	

A.67 YOWN-2306

Well Name: Mayo Village	UTM Zone: 8V
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 2023; May 2024	Easting (m): 455437
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001524	Northing (m): 7052168
Well Depth (m bTOC): 7.250	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): TBD	Period of Record: 2023 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 1b
Aquifer thickness: TBD	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 0.3 km (Mayo River to the west); 0.43 km (Stewart River to the south)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 3.6 km (Stewart River near Mayo)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Mayo Airport; 2.5 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in October 2023 in Mayo, in the parking area west of the Yukon Government / Canada Post building on Fifth Ave. The well was installed to strengthen understanding of fundamental groundwater behaviour in the aquifer underlying the community. The well was instrumented by WRB during the spring 2024 site visit.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Surficial geology in Mayo reflects a glaciated landscape that has undergone significant modification from fluvial, aeolian and permafrost processes. The Village of Mayo is located just inside the limit of the maximum extent of the last glaciation that occurred in Yukon, known as the McConnell Glaciation. As the glacier retreated, thick deposits of fine-grained lacustrine and coarse-grained glaciofluvial materials were</p>	

left across the valley. Glaciofluvial deposits include materials that have been deposited by glacial meltwater either directly in front of, or in contact with, glacier ice. Glaciofluvial materials typically range from non-sorted and non-bedded gravel made up of a wide range of particle sizes, associated with very rapid aggradation at an ice front, to moderately to well-sorted, stratified gravel. Fluvial deposits are materials that have been transported and deposited by streams and rivers. Fluvial sediments mapped in the Mayo area are predominantly those associated with floodplains, fluvial terraces and channels of the Mayo River. These deposits generally consist of stratified beds of gravel and/or sand with sand and/or silt and/or organic materials (and rarely clay).

A.68 YOWN-2307

Well Name: Beaver Creek Town	UTM Zone: 7V
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 2023; TBD	Easting (m): 506301
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001525	Northing (m): 6916489
Well Depth (m bTOC): 12.830	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): TBD	Period of Record: 2023 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Silt, Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: TBD	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 0.9 km (Beaver Creek)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 2 km (Beaver Creek)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Burwash Landing; 154 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in October 2023 in Beaver Creek, in the southeast area of the Yukon Highway and Public Works compound. The well was installed to strengthen understanding of fundamental groundwater behaviour in the aquifer underlying the community. This well has been dry since its installation.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: The southern Yukon, including the Beaver Creek area, has undergone several episodes of glaciation, the most recent being the Quaternary Macauley glaciation and the Mirror Creek glaciation. During that period, sediments such as glacial till, glaciofluvial, and glaciolacustrine sediments were deposited, especially in low elevation areas such as the low-lying glacial outwash plains. The Beaver Creek area is mapped as being underlain primarily by glaciofluvial deposits, outwash plain deposits, and outwash fan deposits of Quaternary origin, with modern alluvial deposits associated with low lying areas adjacent to Beaver Creek. Ablation till, colluvial glacial debris, morainal deposits and bedrock exposures are found at higher elevations. Surficial geology maps published by the Yukon Geological Survey (YGS) indicate natural surficial materials are representative of glaciofluvial outwash plain deposits influenced by modern permafrost. In general, deposits consist of well compacted to non-compacted material that is non-stratified and contains a heterogeneous mixture of particle sizes, commonly in a matrix of gravel, with minor sand, cobbles and boulders and a thin veneer of silt and peat. The thickness of the unconsolidated sediments was estimated to be between 13 m and 60 m (Rampton, 1977).</p>	

A.69 YOWN-2308

Well Name: Haines Junction Village	UTM Zone: 8V
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct.2023; May 2024	Easting (m): 362784
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001526	Northing (m): 6738907
Well Depth (m bTOC): 25.200	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): TBD	Period of Record: 2023 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Silt, Clay and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4b
Aquifer thickness: TBD	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Partially confined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 1.4 km (Dezadeash River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 1.5 km (Dezadeash River at Haines Junction)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Haines Junction Airport; 4 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in October 2023 in Haines Junction, east of the parking area of the District Conservation Office compound. The well was installed to strengthen understanding of fundamental groundwater behaviour in the aquifer underlying the community. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Haines Junction area was inundated at least once by Glacial Lake Champagne at the end of the McConnell glaciation. During the Little Ice Age, which occurred between the 16th and 19th centuries, Neoglacial Lake Alsek repeatedly flooded the area (Clague and Rampton, 1982). Surficial deposits in the region consist of complex sequences of glaciolacustrine, till, fluvial and glaciofluvial sediments (Rampton and Paradis, 1979), which are currently being mapped in detail by YGS.</p>	

A.70 YOWN-2309

Well Name: McConnell Lake	UTM Zone: 8V
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 2022; Nov. 2023	Easting (m): 505846
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001152	Northing (m): 6700081
Well Depth (m bTOC): 14.80	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): TBD	Period of Record: 2023 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 4.3 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 93 m (McConnell Lake); 0.9 km (Watson River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 32 km (Bennett Lake at Carcross)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 32 km	
Other identification codes: 22MW01d	

Well Description: This well was installed in October 2022, southeast of McConnell Lake, to support interpretations of groundwater-surface water interactions, in particular during high water events at freshet. The well was instrumented in November 2023 and it is currently monitored by WRB.

Surficial Geology Data: fine-grained glaciolacustrine sediments (up to at least 50m), mostly sand and silt. Till and sand dunes; some organic, often with permafrost. Thermokarst ponds (ice-rich permafrost).

A.71 YOWN-2310

Well Name: Northern Splendor Dr (S/D)	UTM Zone: 8V
Installation/Activation Dates: Nov. 2023; Jan. 2024	Easting (m): 492520
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001527	Northing (m): 6757241
Well Depth (m bTOC): 3.77 (S); 59.2 (D)	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): TBD	Period of Record: 2023 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Silt	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 58 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Partially confined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 277 m (Shallow Bay)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 16.5 km (Lake Laberge near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 26 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in November 2023, south of Shallow Bay to support the interests of TKC and to support interpretations of groundwater-surface water interactions, particularly during high water events in Lake Laberge. The well was instrumented in January 2024 and it is monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: glaciolacustrine deposits are responsible for the formation of the western edge of Shallow Bay. The general composition of the stratified deposits is: sand, silt and/or clay, ice-rafted stones, and slump structures. At the south and north ends of Shallow Bay, Holocene fluvial deposits make up the borders and substrate. These deposits generally consist of gravel and/or sand and/or silts, (Duk-Rodkin, 1999). Holocene river silts, coming primarily from the Takhini River, have constantly refreshed the bay's substrate.</p>	

A.72 YOWN-2311

Well Name: Cookies Rd (S/D)	UTM Zone: 8V
Installation/Activation Dates: Nov. 2023; Jan. 2024	Easting (m): 493131
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001528	Northing (m): 6757149
Well Depth (m bTOC): 3.78 (S); 63.73 (D)	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): TBD	Period of Record: 2023 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	

Aquifer Material: Sand and Silt	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 60 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Partially confined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 650 m (Shallow Bay)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 16.8 km (Lake Laberge near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 26 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description This well was installed in November 2023, south of Shallow Bay to support the interests of TKC and to support interpretations of groundwater-surface water interactions, particularly during high water events in Lake Laberge. The well was instrumented in January 2024 and it is monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Glaciolacustrine deposits are responsible for the formation of the western edge of Shallow Bay. The general composition of the stratified deposits is: sand, silt and/or clay, ice-rafted stones, and slump structures. At the south and north ends of Shallow Bay, Holocene fluvial deposits make up the borders and substrate. These deposits generally consist of gravel and/or sand and/or silts, (Duk-Rodkin, 1999). Holocene river silts, coming primarily from the Takhini River, have constantly refreshed the bay's substrate.</p>	

A.73 YOWN-2312

Well Name: Shallow Bay Rd (S/D)	UTM Zone: 8V
Installation/Activation Dates: Nov. 2023; Jan. 2024	Easting (m): 492825
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980001529	Northing (m): 6756875
Well Depth (m bTOC): 3.97 (S); 58.3 (D)	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): TBD	Period of Record: 2023 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Silt	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 48 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Partially confined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 500 m (Shallow Bay)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 16.5 km (Lake Laberge near Whitehorse)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 26 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in November 2023, south of Shallow Bay to support the interests of TKC and to support interpretations of groundwater-surface water interactions, particularly during high water events in Lake Laberge. The well was instrumented in January 2024 and it is monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Glaciolacustrine deposits are responsible for the formation of the western edge of Shallow Bay. The general composition of the stratified deposits is: sand, silt and/or clay, ice-rafted stones, and slump structures. At the south and north ends of Shallow Bay, Holocene fluvial deposits make up the borders and substrate. These deposits generally consist of gravel and/or sand and/or silts, (Duk-Rodkin, 1999). Holocene river silts, coming primarily from the Takhini River, have constantly refreshed the bay's substrate.</p>	

A.74 YOWN-2313

Well Name: Atlin Town, BC	UTM Zone: 8V
Installation/Activation Dates: Oct. 2023; Nov. 2023	Easting (m): 576144
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A (outside YT)	Northing (m): 6606329
Well Depth (m bTOC): 13.04	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): TBD	Period of Record: 2023 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 6 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 510m (Pine Creek); 3.5 km (Atlin Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 3.5 km (Atlin Lake at Atlin)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Atlin; 3 km	
Other identification codes: n/a	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in October 2023 in Atlin, in collaboration with BC Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations; the well is located on the east area at the end of the airport runway. The well was installed to strengthen understanding of fundamental groundwater behaviour in the aquifer underlying the community. The well was instrumented in November 2023 and it is currently monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Late Pleistocene Glaciofluvial deposits – mainly sands and gravels deposited by glacial meltwater during deglaciation; generally moderately to well stratified and sorted; includes kettle outwash, kames, eskers and glaciofluvial deltas and terraces; frequently dissected by meltwater channels.</p>	

A.75 YOWN-2401

Well Name: Whitehorse Copper Pad 1 S/D	UTM Zone: 8V
Installation/Activation Dates: June 2024; Dec. 2024	Easting (m): 497850
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: TBD	Northing (m): 6722802
Well Depth (m bTOC): 16.54 (S)/46.50 (D)	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): TBD	Period of Record: 2024 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Bedrock	Aquifer subtype: 4b
Aquifer thickness: 11.3 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Confined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 2.10 km (Yukon River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 6.7 km (Wolf Creek at Hwy 1)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 6.5 km	
Other identification codes: N/A	

Well Description: In summer 2024, Yukon Government installed paired shallow and deep groundwater monitoring wells in three key locations downgradient of the Whitehorse Copper mine site. Drilling supervision and well design were collaborations between Yukon Government, YukonU, USask, Carleton University, and Queen's University.

Surficial Geology Data: Boreholes were drilled through surficial materials (glacio-fluvial and till), as well as Miles Canyon basalt and Whitehorse Batholith granitoid. The shallow well was screened in heavy weathered, vesicular, Myles Canyon basalt unit; the deep well was screened in Miocene fluvial sediments.

Glacial Deposits (Till): Sediment deposited directly by glacier ice without modification by any other agent of transportation. Till can be transported beneath, beside, on, within and in front of a glacier. The mineralogical, textural, structural and topographic characteristics of till deposits are highly variable and depend upon both the source of material incorporated by the glacier and the mode of deposition. In general, till consists of well compacted to non-compacted material that is non-stratified and contains a heterogeneous mixture of particle sizes, commonly in a matrix of sand, silt and clay (YGS Geoscience Map 2005-7; Surficial Geology of Whitehorse (NTS 105D/11)).

The underlying geological unit consist of a large body of magmatic rock composed of light and dark minerals, with salt and pepper texture, that was emplaced and cooled about 16 million years ago. This body of rock is called the Whitehorse Pluton (YGS Open File 2004-015; The Whitehorse Copper Belt – an annotated geology map; April 2004).

A.76 YOWN-2402

Well Name: Whitehorse Copper Pad 2 S/D	UTM Zone: 8V
Installation/Activation Dates: June 2024; Aug. 2024	Easting (m): 497452
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: TBD	Northing (m): 6723441
Well Depth (m bTOC): 15.94 (S)/29.82 (D))	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): TBD	Period of Record: 2024 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Bedrock	Aquifer subtype: 4b
Aquifer thickness: 10.5m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Confined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 2.30 km (Yukon River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 6.7 km (Wolf Creek at Hwy 1)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 6.5 km	
Other identification codes: N/A	
<p>Well Description: In summer 2024, Yukon Government installed paired shallow and deep groundwater monitoring wells in three key locations downgradient of the Whitehorse Copper mine site. Drilling supervision and well design were collaborations between Yukon Government, YukonU, USask, Carleton University, and Queen's University.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Boreholes were drilled through surficial materials (glacio-fluvial and till), as well as Miles Canyon Basalt and Whitehorse Batholith granitoid. The shallow well was screened in basalt till; the deep well was screened in broken, rubbly granite.</p> <p>Glacial Deposits (Till): Sediment deposited directly by glacier ice without modification by any other agent of transportation. Till can be transported beneath, beside, on, within and in front of a glacier. The mineralogical, textural, structural and topographic characteristics of till deposits are highly variable and depend upon both the source of material incorporated by the glacier and the mode of deposition. In general, till consists of well</p>	

compacted to non-compacted material that is non-stratified and contains a heterogeneous mixture of particle sizes, commonly in a matrix of sand, silt and clay (YGS Geoscience Map 2005-7; Surficial Geology of Whitehorse (NTS 105D/11)).

The underlying geological unit consist of a large body of magmatic rock composed of light and dark minerals, with salt and pepper texture, that was emplaced and cooled about 16 million years ago. This body of rock is called the Whitehorse Pluton (YGS Open File 2004-015; The Whitehorse Copper Belt – an annotated geology map; April 2004).

A.77 YOWN-2403

Well Name: Whitehorse Copper Pad 3 S/D	UTM Zone: 8V
Installation/Activation Dates: June 2024; Aug. 2024	Easting (m): 497510
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: TBD	Northing (m): 6722557
Well Depth (m bTOC): 18.37 (S)/ 35.6 (D)	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): TBD	Period of Record: 2024 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Bedrock	Aquifer subtype: 4b
Aquifer thickness: 31.5 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Confined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 2.30 km (Yukon River)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 6.7 km (Wolf Creek at Hwy 1)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 6.5 km	
Other identification codes: N/A	
<p>Well Description: In summer 2024, Yukon Government installed paired shallow and deep groundwater monitoring wells in three key locations downgradient of the Whitehorse Copper mine site. Drilling supervision and well design were collaborations between Yukon Government, YukonU, USask, Carleton University, and Queen's University.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Boreholes were drilled through surficial materials (glacio-fluvial and till). Both shallow and deep wells were screened in fractured granodiorite.</p> <p>Glacial Deposits (Till): Sediment deposited directly by glacier ice without modification by any other agent of transportation. Till can be transported beneath, beside, on, within and in front of a glacier. The mineralogical, textural, structural and topographic characteristics of till deposits are highly variable and depend upon both the source of material incorporated by the glacier and the mode of deposition. In general, till consists of well compacted to non-compacted material that is non-stratified and contains a heterogeneous mixture of particle sizes, commonly in a matrix of sand, silt and clay (YGS Geoscience Map 2005-7; Surficial Geology of Whitehorse (NTS 105D/11)).</p> <p>The underlying geological unit consist of a large body of magmatic rock composed of light and dark minerals, with salt and pepper texture, that was emplaced and cooled about 16 million years ago. This body of rock is called the Whitehorse Pluton (YGS Open File 2004-015; The Whitehorse Copper Belt – an annotated geology map; April 2004).</p>	

A.77 YOWN-2404

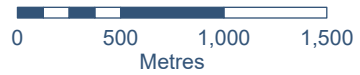
Well Name: Bennett Beach 0	UTM Zone: 8V
Installation/Activation Dates: Dec. 2021; May 2024	Easting (m): 515737
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: TBD	Northing (m): 6670419
Well Depth (m bTOC): 10.35	Well Diameter (cm): 5
Well Elevation (masl): TBD	Period of Record: 2024 – Present
Aquifer Name: Unnamed	
Aquifer Material: Sand and Gravel	Aquifer subtype: 4a
Aquifer thickness: 5 m	Likely degree of aquifer confinement: Unconfined
Hydraulic properties of aquifer: Not yet determined	
Distance to surface water: 70 m (Bennett Lake)	
Distance to Nearest Active Hydrometric Station: 0.9 km (Bennett Lake at Carcross)	
Name of and Distance to Nearest Climate Station: Whitehorse Airport; 62 km	
Other identification codes: 21BH12	
<p>Well Description: This well was installed in 2021 as part of a Phase II ESA, at Bennett Lake. The well was instrumented in July 2023 and it is currently monitored by WRB.</p> <p>Surficial Geology Data: Pleistocene and Holocene aeolian deposits; sediment transported and deposited by wind action. General Description: consists of medium to fine sand and coarse silt that is well-sorted, non-compacted and may contain internal structures such as crossbedding or ripple laminae, or may be massive. Individual grains may be rounded and exhibit frosting. Aeolian landforms may be active or vegetated and inactive. (SURFICIAL GEOLOGY MAP; SCALE 1:50 000 CARCROSS NTS 105D/02 YUKON)</p>	

APPENDIX B

YOWN maps



Main Map



YOWN Wells

Access: 0101 & 1930: Truck
1101: UTV trail

Key: YOWN

Gate: NA

YOWN-0101, 1101, 1930

YOWN-0101 (Wolf Ck)
YOWN-1101 (McRae Ck)
YOWN-1930 (Cowley Ck)

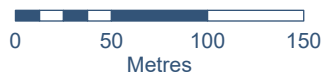
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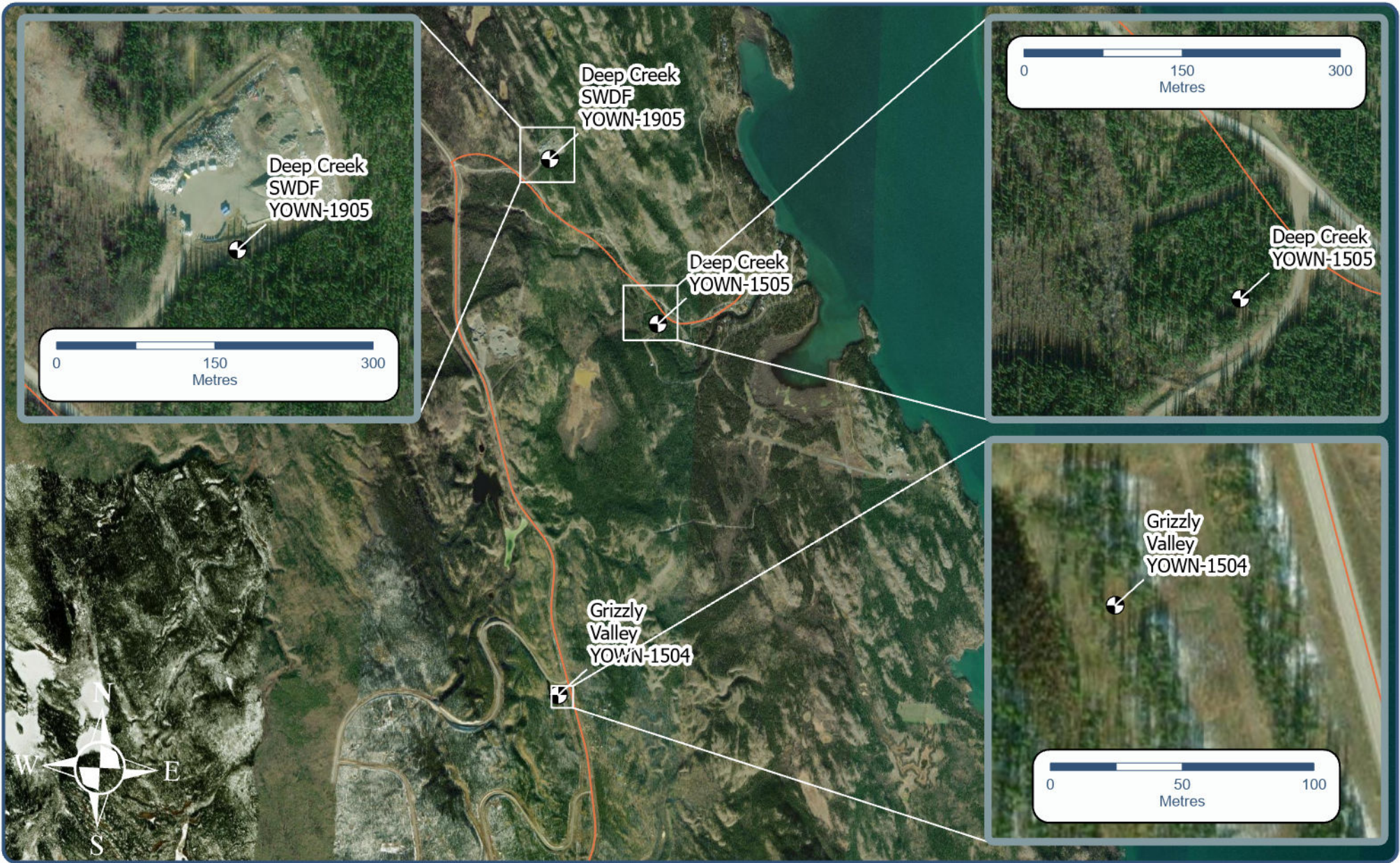
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Key: City of Whjtehorse
Gate: NA

YOWN-0804 - Selkirk

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YOWN Wells

Access: 1504 & 1505: 4x4 Truck
1905: Truck

Key: 1504 & 1505: YOWN
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Gate: NA

YOWN-1504, 1505, 1905

YOWN-1504 Grizzly Valley
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YOWN-1905 Deep Creek SWDF

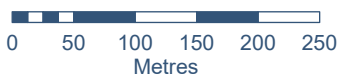
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Access: Truck
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Gate: Yukon Campgrounds

YOWN-1506

Million Dollar Falls Campground

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 YOWN Wells

Access: Truck
Key: YOWN
Gate: Yukon Campgrounds

YOWN-1515

Kusawa Campground (Well 2)

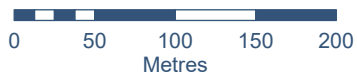
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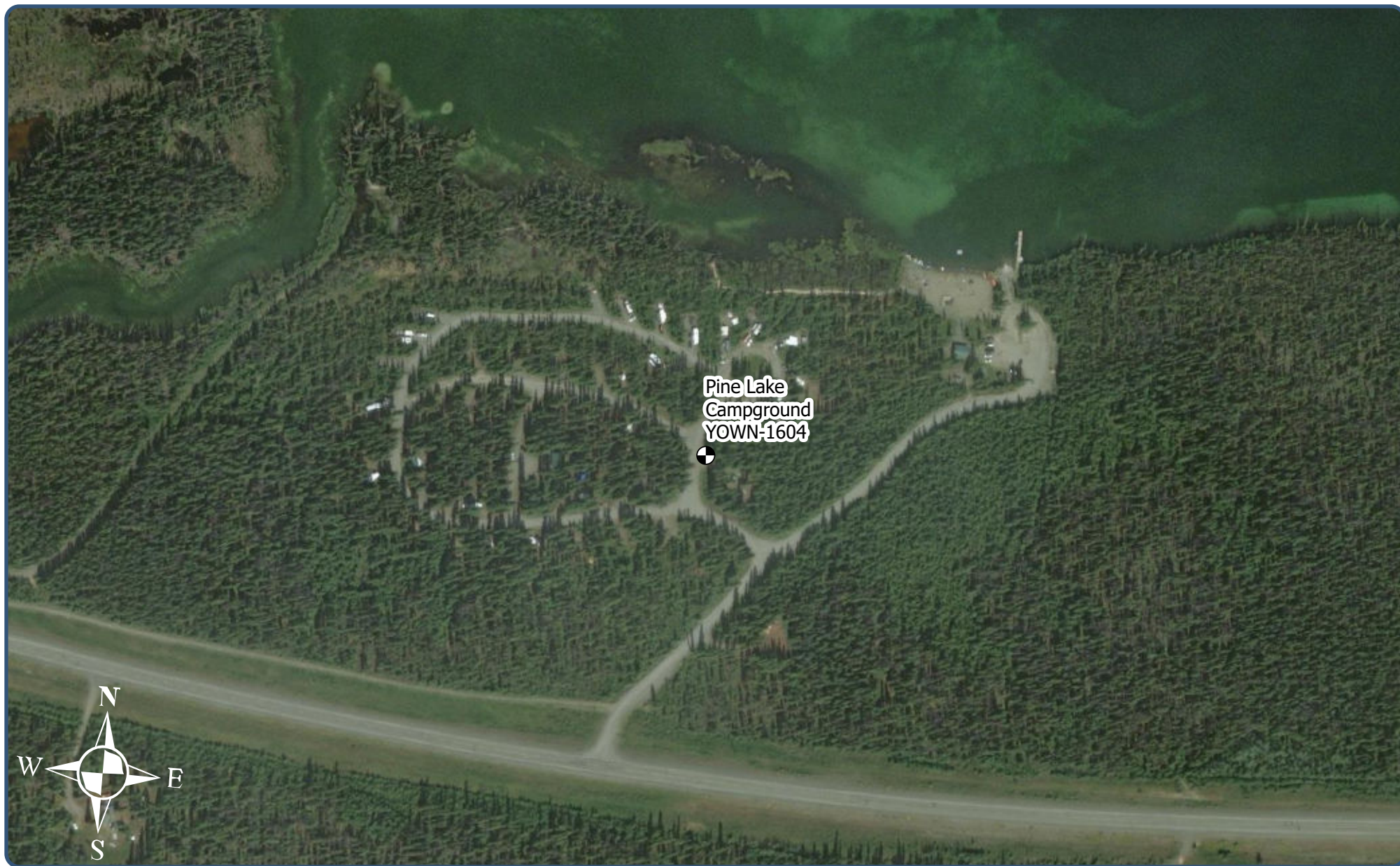
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Gate: Yukon Campgrounds

YOWN-1603

Johnson Lake Campground Well 1

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 YOWN Wells

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Gate: Yukon Campgrounds

YOWN-1604

Pine Lake Campground

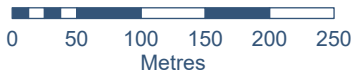
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Access: Truck
Key: YOWN
Gate: Yukon Campgrounds

YOWN-1609

Yukon River Campground

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- Access Roads
- YOWN Wells
- Access:** 4x4 Truck
- Key:** YOWN
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YOWN-1703, 1704, 1705

YOWN-1703 CAFN-MW-02 S
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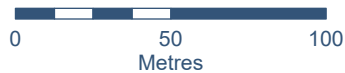
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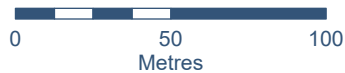
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YOWN-1706 Yukon University Well 1

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Access: Truck

Key: YOWN

Gate: Kluane Harvest Camp

YOWN-1802 Kluane Harvest Camp

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YOWN-1803 West Dawson

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Gate: SWDF Gate

YOWN-1901 Tagish SWDF

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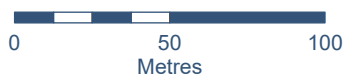
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Gate: SARU

YOWN-1903 Mt. Lorne SWDF

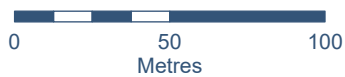
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YOWN-1904 Braeburn SWDF

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YOWN-1906 Quigley SWDF

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 YOWN Wells

Access: Truck

Key: Mayo SWDF

Gate: Mayo SWDF

YOWN-1907 Mayo SWDF

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YOWN-1908
Stewart Crossing SWDF

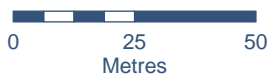
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Access: Truck
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Gate: NA

YOWN-1909
Pelly Crossing SWDF

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 YOWN Wells

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YOWN-1910
Wellgreen Campsite

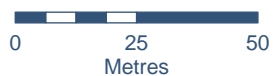
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YOWN-1911
Beaver Creek SWDF

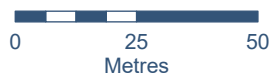
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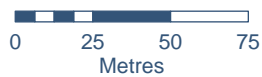
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YOWN-1912 Horsecamp Hill SWDF

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YOWN-1913
Burwash Landing SWDF

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YOWN-1914 Silver City SWDF

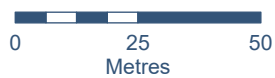
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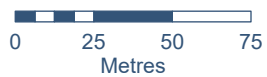
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YOWN-1915 Old Crow Sewage Lagoon

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YOWN-1916 Swift River SWDF

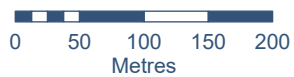
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YOWN-1918 Eagle Plains SWDF

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Haines
Junction SWDF
YOWN-1919



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YOWN-1919 Haines Junction SWDF

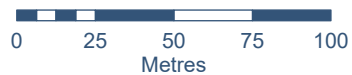
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YOWN-1920 Champagne SWDF

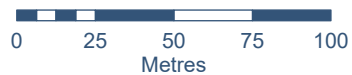
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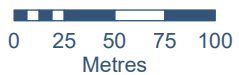
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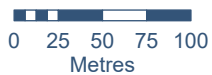
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YOWN-1923 Watson Lake SWDF

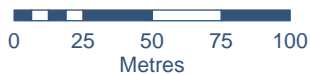
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YOWN-1924
Canyon Creek SWDF

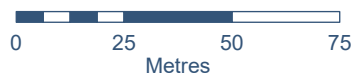
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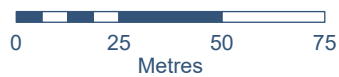
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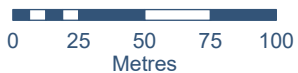
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YOWN-1922, -2001 Upper Liard SWDF

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YOWN-1928
Faro SWDF

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YOWN-1930 S/D Cowley Creek

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Ogilvie
HPW Camp
YOWN-2002



Yukon

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 YOWN Wells

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YOWN-2002
Ogilvie HPW Camp

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Access: ATV

Key: SARU

Gate: Teslin SWDF

YOWN-2003 Teslin SWDF

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Access: ATV

Key: SARU

Gate: SWDF

**YOWN-2004
Old Crow SWDF**

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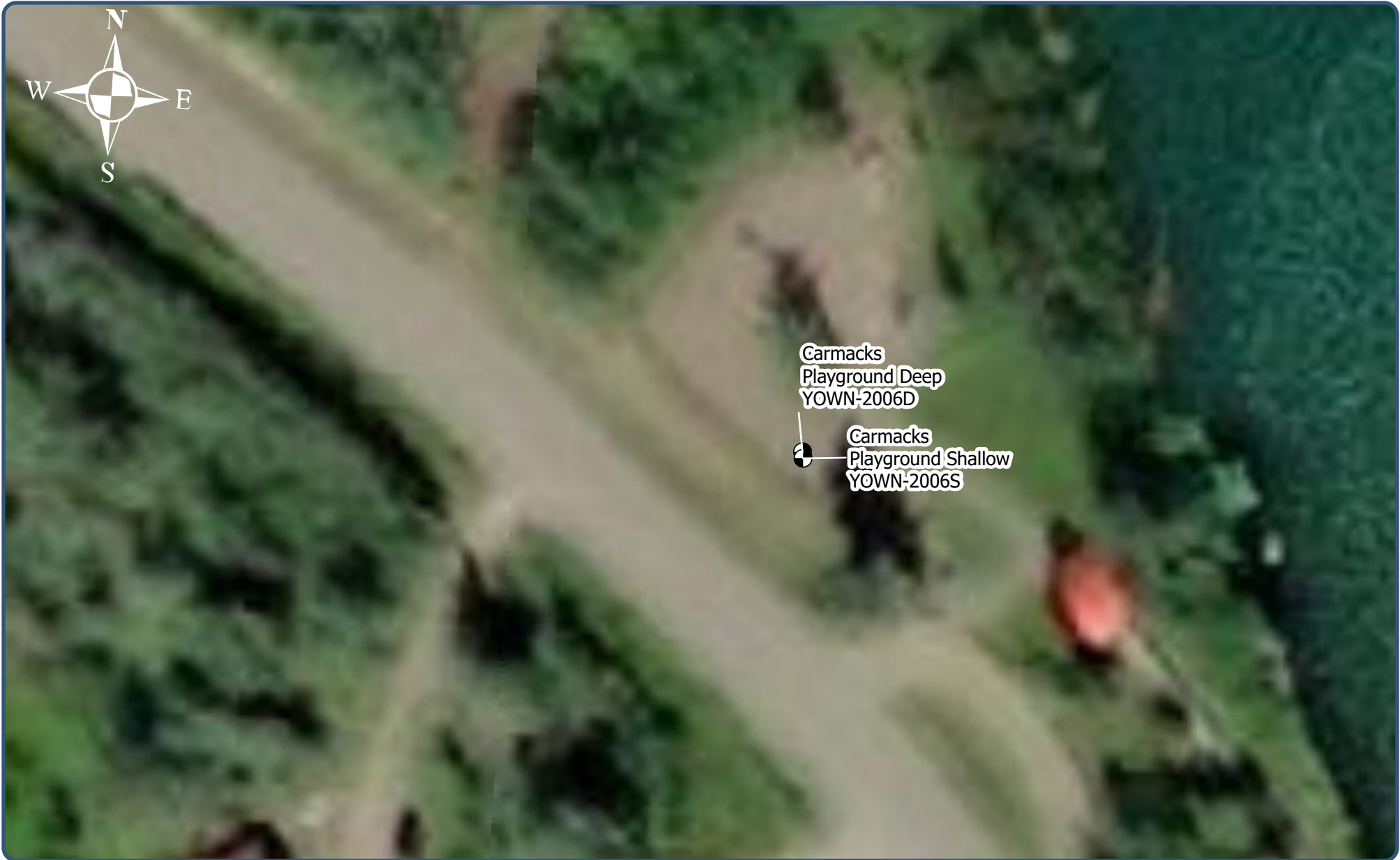
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**YOWN-2005
Dempster Hwy
Sewage Lagoon**

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YOWN-2006 S/D Carmacks Playground

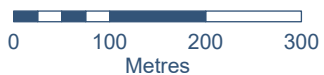
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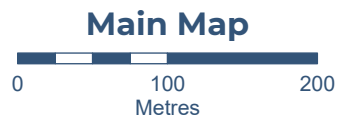
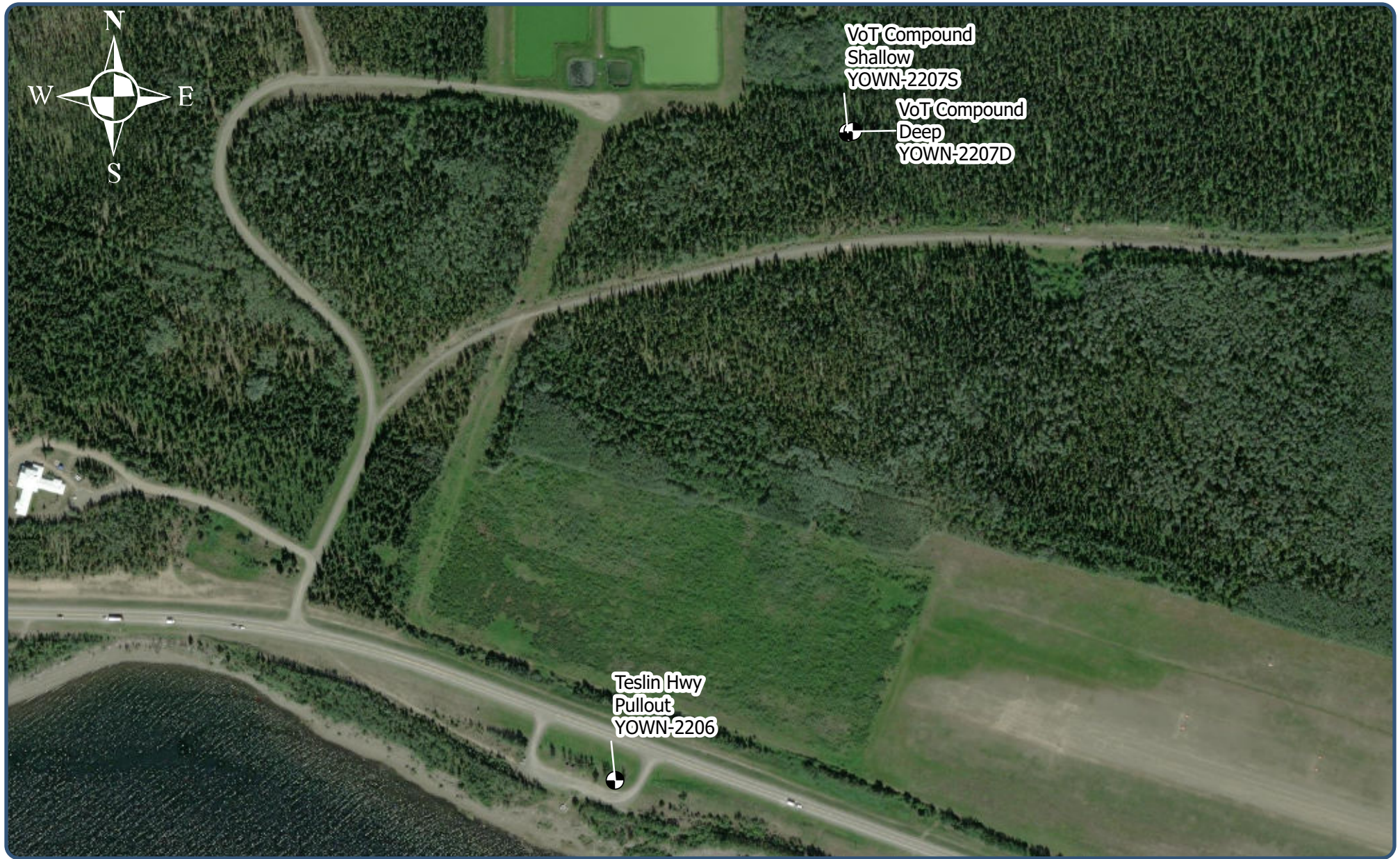


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 YOWN Wells

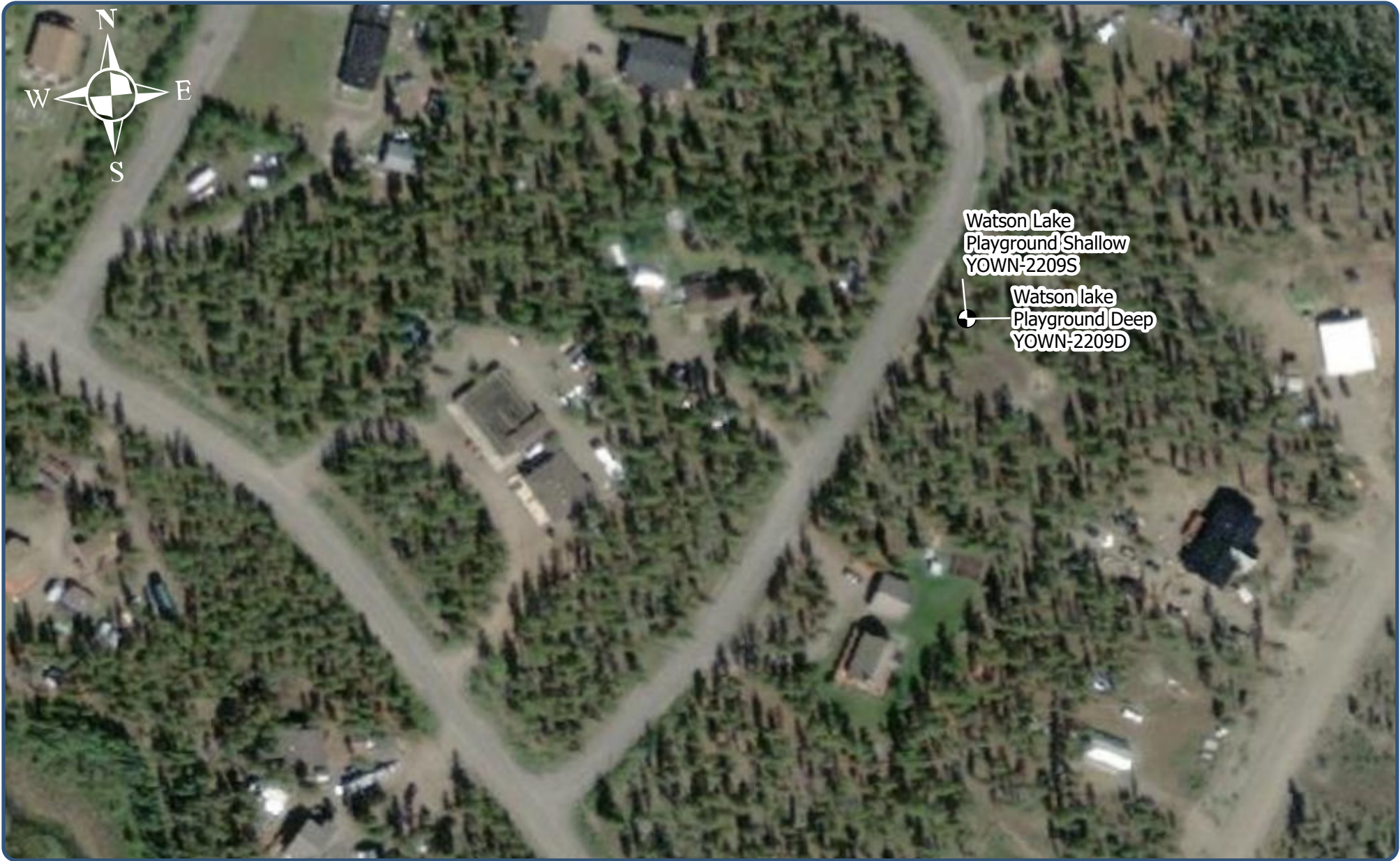
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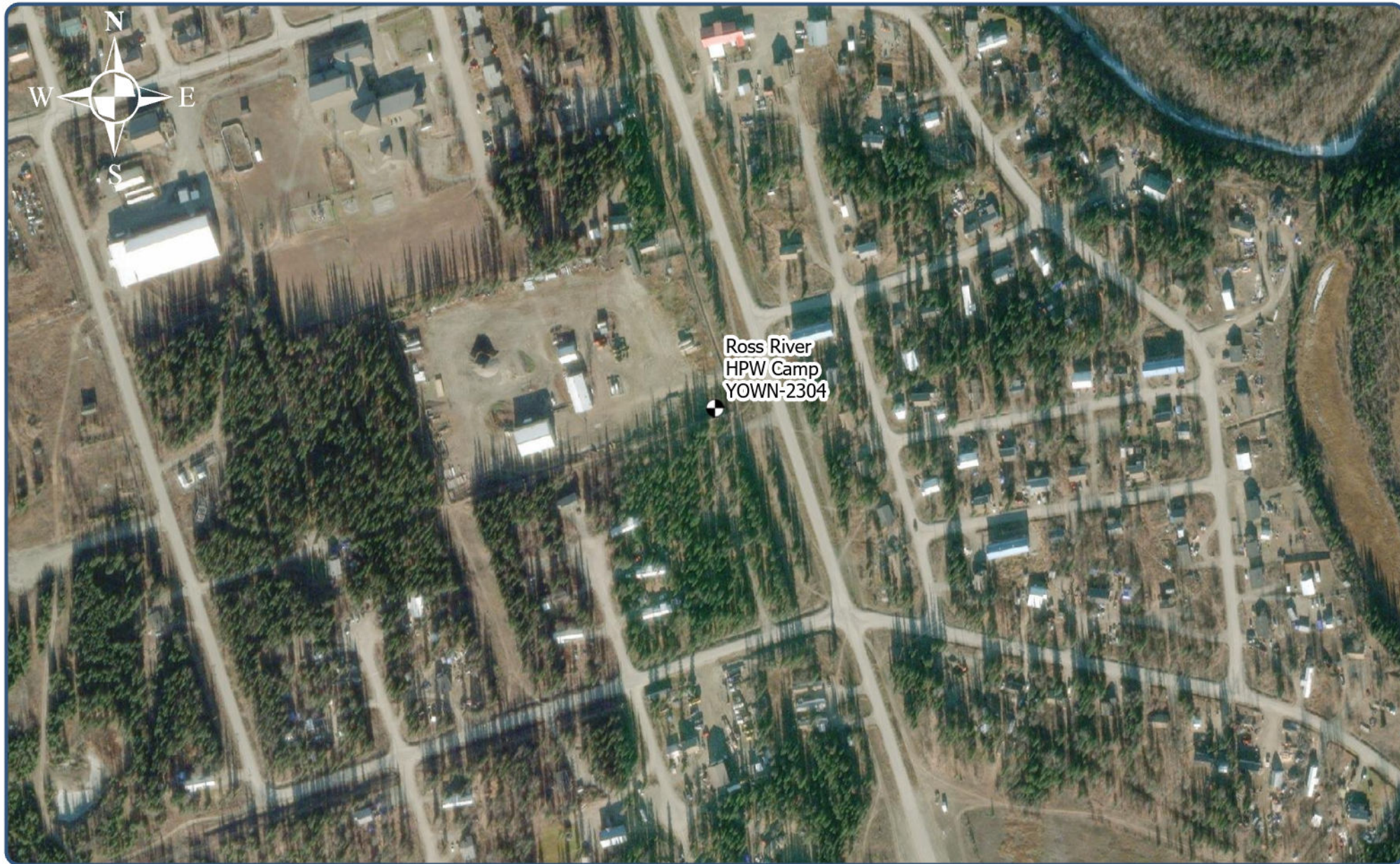
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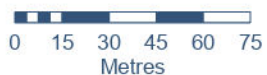
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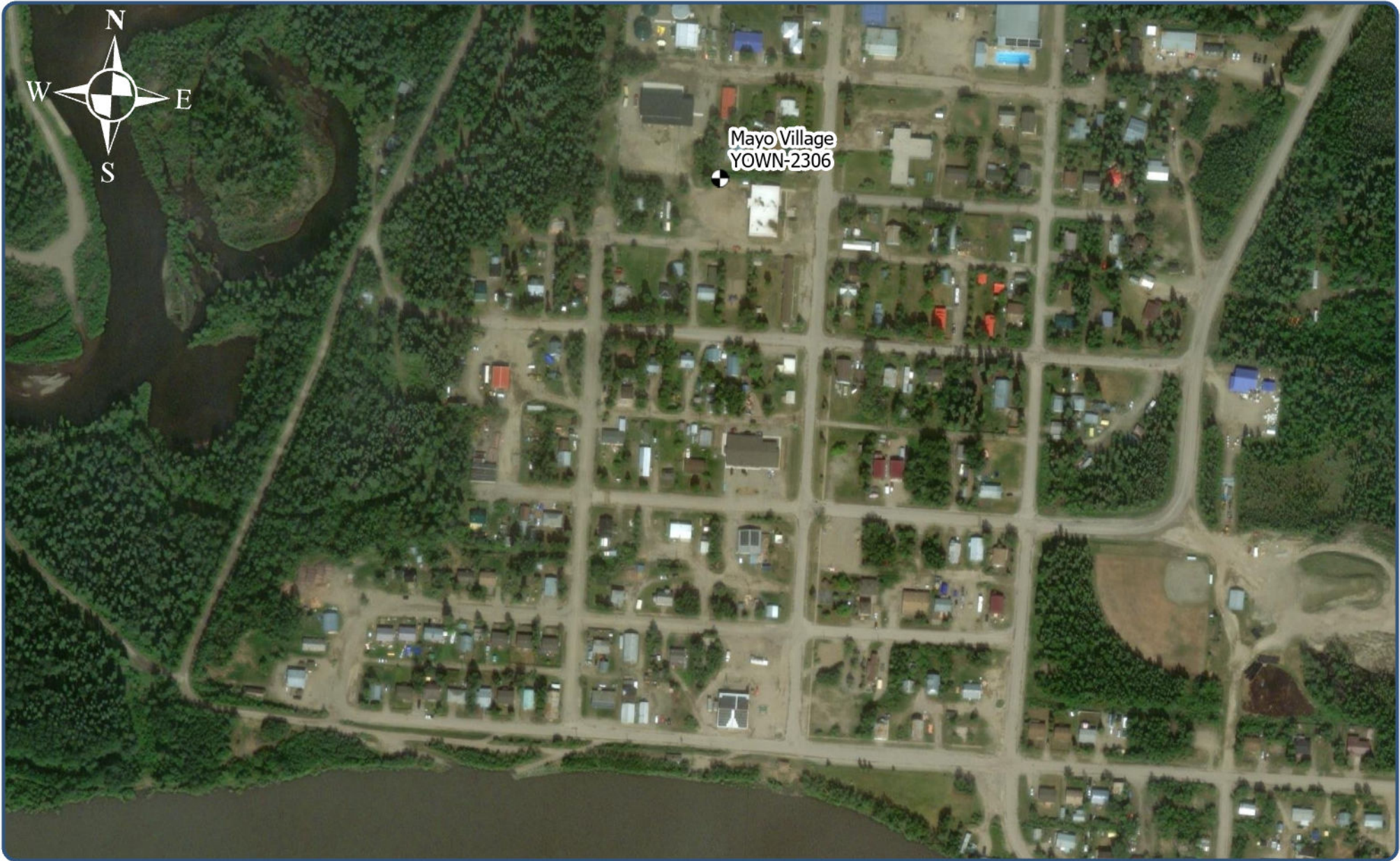
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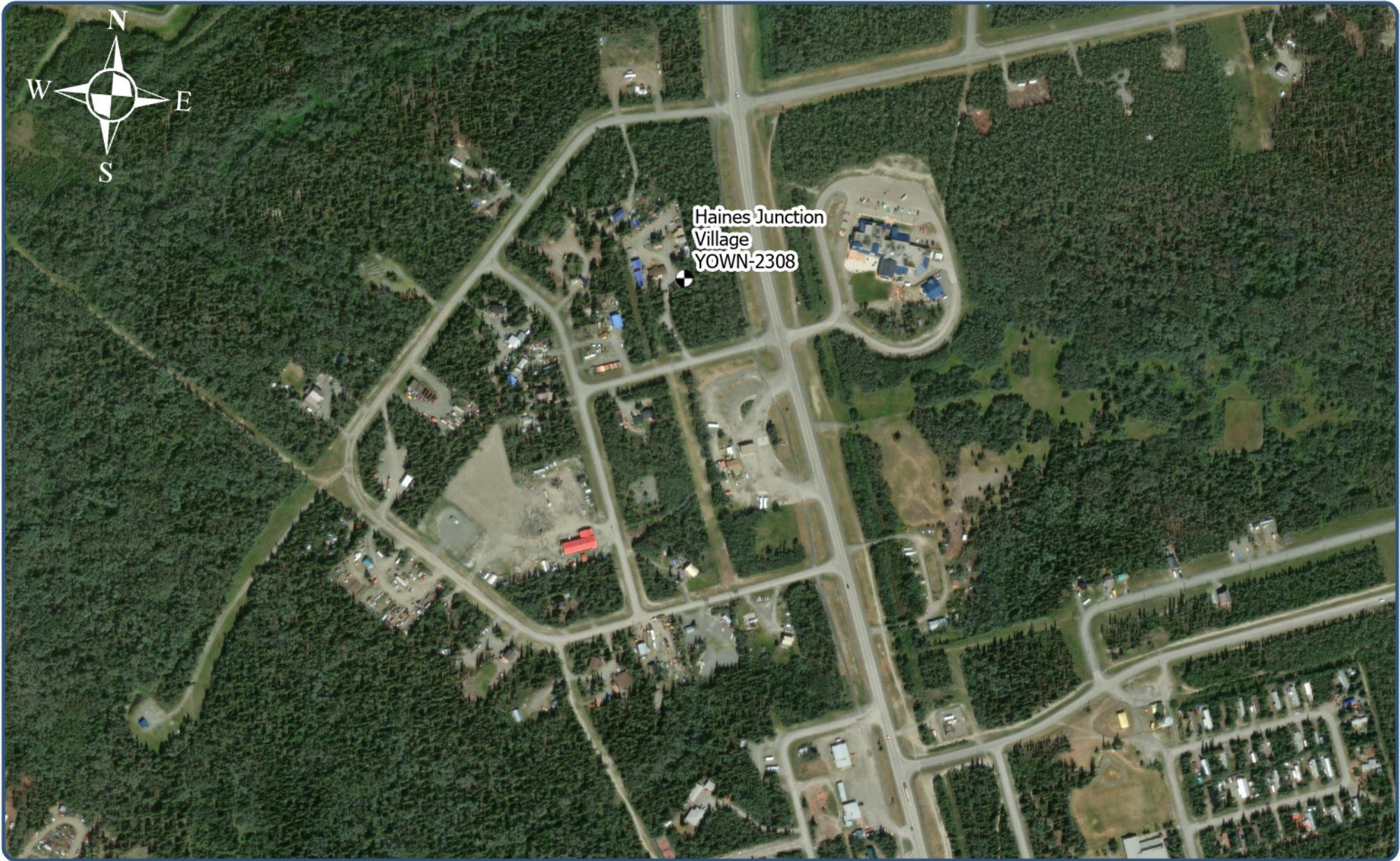
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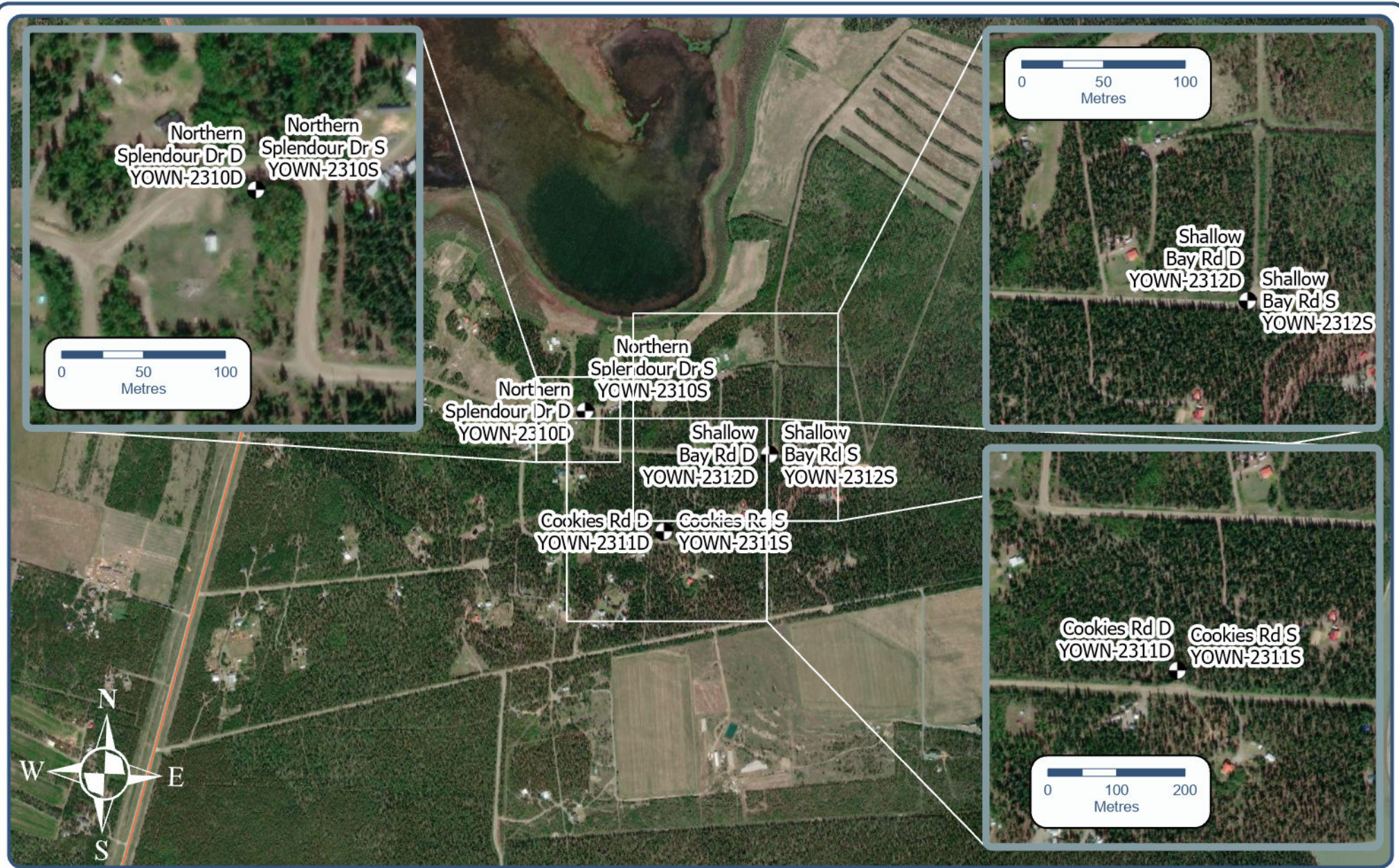
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APPENDIX C

Summary of inactive YOWN wells

A total of 29 monitoring wells were deactivated and removed from the YOWN between 2019 and 2024, due to missing borehole logs associated with these wells. In addition, two wells (YOWN-1701 at Johnson Lake Campground and YOWN-1702 at Congdon Creek Campground) were drinking water wells with pumping system affixed, that prevented WRB from instrumenting them; well YOWN-1611 at Tagish Campground is flowing artesian and was welded shut. Monitoring well YOWN-1801 at the Takhini Research Forest started to be used as an irrigation well in 2018; well YOWN-1917 at Teslin Solid Waste Disposal Facility was observed to be seasonally dry.

For more information on these wells, visit the Yukon Water Well Registry:

(<https://yukon.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=51322dfb133d42c4ad184fee9986048b>); and Yukon Water Data Catalogue:

(<https://yukon.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=2365a4c0b8744f34be7f1451a38493d2>).

C.1 YOWN-0801

Well Name: Whitehorse Copper Well	UTM Zone: 8
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 499520
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 204110124	Northing (m): 6720685
Well Depth (m bTOC): 27.4	Aquifer Material: Basalt
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2008 - 2019
Well Description: The Whitehorse Copper well was instrumented in 2008. The well is located on private property on Serac Court in the Whitehorse Copper subdivision, approximately 11 km from downtown Whitehorse. In 2019 the well started to be actively used for water supply and therefore removed from YOWN. The well is installed in basalt, similar to the McRae Creeks well (YOWN-1101), located approximately 1.7 km to the southwest, and the Wolf Creek well (YOWN-0101) located approximately 2.9 km to the southeast.	

C.2 YOWN-0802

Well Name: Faro Well	UTM Zone: 8
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 584759
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6899941
Well Depth (m bTOC): 9.02	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2008 - 2019
Well Description: The Faro Well is located approximately six km south of the town of Faro, near the community water supply wells. There is no stratigraphic information for this well. The closest YOWN well is Johnson Lake Campground Well-2 (YOWN-1701), which is installed in a gravel/sand unit overlaying bedrock. YOWN-1701 is located approximately 1.6 km to the south.	

C.3 YOWN-0803

Well Name: Dawson Well	UTM Zone: 7
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 576185
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 7104243
Well Depth (m bTOC): 9.61	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2008 - 2019
Well Description: The Dawson Well is located at the Dawson Waste Water Treatment Plant in Dawson City, Yukon. There is no information on stratigraphy and well screen installation for this monitoring well.	

C.4 YOWN-0805

Well Name: Watson Lake Well	UTM Zone: 4
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 516875
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 201020003	Northing (m): 6658980
Well Depth (m bTOC): 12.20	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 11.40	Period of Record: 2008 - 2019
Well Description: The Watson Lake well was installed in 1963 on 6 th St North in Watson Lake. The well is located near Lot 6, block 22 at Watson Lake Way. There is no information on borehole stratigraphy, only well screen installation details. Watson Lake Campground well #2 (YOWN-1512), located approximately 7.2 km to the northwest, is installed in a clay/silt/gravel unit.	

C.5 YOWN-1301

Well Name: Beaver Creek Well	UTM Zone: 7
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 506153
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6916405
Well Depth (m bTOC): 17.15	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2013 - 2019
Well Description: The Beaver Creek well is located behind the Mary Jane Blair Keteneje Wellness Center in Beaver Creek, Yukon. This well was previously used by the White River First Nation until the well was transferred to YG. There is no information on stratigraphy and well screen installation for this monitoring well and no other YOWN wells are located in this area.	

C.6 YOWN-1501

Well Name: Marsh Lake Recreation Site Well	UTM Zone: 8
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 530165
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6713778
Well Depth (m bTOC): 2.46	Aquifer Material: Unknown

Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2015 - 2019
Well Description: The Marsh Lake Recreation Site well is located in the Marsh Lake Campground day use area. The well was drilled in 1980 by Midnight Sun Drilling Company Ltd. The well was added to the YOWN program in 2015 by converting an existing water well to a groundwater monitoring well. The well appears to be silted based on the shallow depth and limited volume of groundwater.	

C.7 YOWN-1503

Well Name: Champagne Well	UTM Zone: 8
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 419537
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6739581
Well Depth (m bTOC): 17.90	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2015 - 2019
Well Description: The Champagne well is located in the village of Champagne near the community center and playground. This well is fitted with a custom cap due its semi-circle shape at the top of the casing. Monitoring wells YOWN-1703, YOWN-1704 and YOWN-1705 are located approximately 1.7 km to the south and installed to similar depth; these wells are installed in a coarse sand and gravel unit.	

C.8 YOWN-1507

Well Name: Kotaneelee Gas Plant Well	UTM Zone: 10
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 441306
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6664889
Well Depth (m bTOC): 5.93	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2015 - 2019
Well Description: The Kotaneelee Gas Plant well is located in the south-east Yukon at the former Kotaneelee Gas Plant. The well was used for drinking water when the plant was in operation and has since been used in the YOWN. There is no information on soil stratigraphy and well screen installation; no other YOWN wells are located in this area.	

C.9 YOWN-1508

Well Name: Nahanni Range Road CG Well	UTM Zone: 9
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 538804
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6793104
Well Depth (m bTOC): 18.30	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2015 - 2019
Well Description: This well is located in the Nahanni Range Road Campground in southeast Yukon. There is no information on soil stratigraphy and well screen installation; no other YOWN wells are located in this area.	

C.10 YOWN-1509

Well Name: Simpson Lake Campground Well-1	UTM Zone: 9
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 487465
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6726905
Well Depth (m bTOC): Unknown	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2015 - 2019
Well Description: This well is an active drinking water well used in the Simpson Lake Campground located on the Robert Campbell Highway. This well is not equipped with data loggers and is only used for testing water quality. There is no information on soil stratigraphy and well screen installation. No other YOWN wells are located in this area.	

C.11 YOWN-1510

Well Name: Simpson Lake Campground Well-2	UTM Zone: 9
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 487389
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6726938
Well Depth (m bTOC): 21.75	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2015 - 2019
Well Description: This well is located in the Simpson Lake Campground near the cook shelter and boat launch. This well was instrumented in August 2015. There is no information on soil stratigraphy and well screen installation. No other YOWN wells are located in this area.	

C.12 YOWN-1511

Well Name: Watson Lake Campground Well-1	UTM Zone: 9
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 511040
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6661751
Well Depth (m bTOC): Unknown	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2015 - 2019
Well Description: This well is located in the Watson Lake Campground in a small shed previously used to fill drinking water tanks. There is no information on soil stratigraphy. Watson Lake Campground well #2 (YOWN-1512), located approximately 0.9 km to the northwest, is installed in a clay/silt/gravel unit.	

C.13 YOWN-1512

Well Name: Watson Lake Campground Well-2	UTM Zone: 9
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 510263
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6662148
Well Depth (m bTOC): Unknown	Aquifer Material: Unknown

Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2015 - 2019
Well Description: This well is an active drinking water well in the Watson Lake Campground. This well is not equipped with data loggers and is only used for testing water quality. There is no information on soil stratigraphy. No other YOWN wells with known soil stratigraphy are present in this area.	

C.14 YOWN-1513

Well Name: Big Creek Campground Well	UTM Zone: 9
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 460852
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6669348
Well Depth (m bTOC): Unknown	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2015 - 2019
Well Description: This well is an active drinking water well in Big Creek Campground. This well is not equipped with data loggers and is only used for testing water quality. There is no information on soil stratigraphy. No other YOWN wells with known soil stratigraphy are present in this area.	

C.15 YOWN-1514

Well Name: Kusawa Campground Well-1	UTM Zone: 8
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 437275
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6717195
Well Depth (m bTOC): 20.60	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2015 - 2019
Well Description: This well is located in the northern region of the Kusawa Campground near the playground and beach. There is no information on soil stratigraphy. The closest YOWN well is the Kusawa Campground Well-2 (YOWN-1515), which is located approximately 1.1 km to the south and installed in a gravel/sand unit.	

C.16 YOWN-1602

Well Name: Faro Observation Well	UTM Zone: 8
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 584769
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6899944
Well Depth (m bTOC): 6.25	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 2.54	Period of Record: 2016 - 2019
Well Description: The Faro Observation Well is located approximately 3 m away from YOWN-0802, near the community water supply wells south of Faro. There is no information on soil stratigraphy. The closest YOWN well is Johnson Lake Campground Well-2 (YOWN-1701), which is located approximately 1.6 km to the south and installed in a gravel/sand unit overlaying bedrock.	

C.17 YOWN-1605

Well Name: Pine Lake Day Use Area	UTM Zone: 8
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 364792
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6743226
Well Depth (m bTOC): 31.5	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2016 - 2019
Well Description: This well is located on the beach in the day use area of Pine Lake Campground, approximately 10 m from the lake. This well is flowing artesian (i.e. the water level exceeds the level of the ground surface); however, the water level is slow to recover and has not been observed to exceed the top of casing. A controlled cap is not currently installed. There is no information on soil stratigraphy. The closest YOWN well is the Pine Lake Campground Well (YOWN-1604), which is located approximately 0.2 km to the southwest and is installed in a till unit overlaying bedrock.	

C.18 YOWN-1606

Well Name: Snag Campground	UTM Zone: 7
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 516516
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6900970
Well Depth (m bTOC): 6.68 (frozen/ permafrost)	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2016 - 2019
Well Description: This well is located in the Snag Campground, approximately 20 km south of Beaver Creek. The well was instrumented in meltwater perched on top of a frozen water column. Consequently, the loggers were not installed in the true water column and continuous water level, water temperature or conductivity measurements are not usable. Additionally, no water quality samples were able to be collected, but in-situ parameters were recorded.	

C.19 YOWN-1607

Well Name: Lake Creek Campground	UTM Zone: 7
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 544547
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6858323
Well Depth (m bTOC): 9.61	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2016 - 2019
Well Description: This well is located in the Lake Creek Campground, approximately 20 m east of the creek and 25 m north of the campground kitchen. There is no information on soil stratigraphy and screen installation. The closest YOWN well is Kluane Harvest Camp well (YOWN-1802), which is located approximately 0.8 km to the southeast and installed in a sand/silt/gravel unit.	

C.20 YOWN-1608

Well Name: Klondike Campground	UTM Zone: 7
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 592192
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 7104158
Well Depth (m bTOC): 3.80	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2016 - 2019
Well Description: This well is located in the Klondike campground near the playground area by the entrance. This well is a dug open hole well without a stickup (the top of casing is flush with the concrete pad). Based on the shallow depth of the well, it is possible that the well is silted; no representative groundwater is observed (very limited volume, and turbid; possible rain and/or melted snow).	

C.21 YOWN-1610

Well Name: Judas Creek Campground	UTM Zone: 8
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 548085
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6695163
Well Depth (m bTOC): 13.20	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2016 - 2019
Well Description: This well is located in an abandoned campground near Judas Creek. There is no information on soil stratigraphy and screen installation. The closest YOWN well with an available borehole log is the Marsh Lake Campground well (YOWN-1502), which is located approximately 25.6 km to the northwest and installed in a cobble, gravel and clay unit.	

C.22 YOWN-1611

Well Name: Tagish Campground	UTM Zone: 8
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 540932
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 204080022	Northing (m): 6686909
Well Depth (m bTOC): 105.20	Aquifer Material: Gravel/Sand/Silt
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2016 – 2019
Well Description: This well is located in the Tagish Campground, approximately 0.3 km east of the Tagish River. This well is flowing artesian and is welded shut. It is not instrumented, so no water level or temperature measurements are available. The well is installed in a gravel/sand/silt unit overlaid by a clay unit.	

C.23 YOWN-1612

Well Name: Morely Lake Recreation Site	UTM Zone: 8
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 659649
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6655686

Well Depth (m bTOC): Unknown	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2016 - 2019
Well Description: This well is located in in the Morely Lake Recreation Site approximately 100 m south of the Morely River. This well was used as a drinking water well. The pump handle was removed to prevent water consumption due to various exceedances of the GCDWQ guidelines. The well is not instrumented, therefore no water level or temperature measurements are available. There are no other YOWN monitoring wells located in this area.	

C.24 YOWN-1613

Well Name: Watson Lake Campground -3	UTM Zone: 9
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 510173
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6662092
Well Depth (m bTOC): 19.40	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2016 - 2019
Well Description: This well is located in the Watson Lake Campground. The top of casing is flush with the concrete pad and capped with a well seal. This well is not instrumented. There is no information on soil stratigraphy. No other YOWN wells with known soil stratigraphy are present in this area.	

C.25 YOWN-1614

Well Name: Wellgreen	UTM Zone: 7
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 589530
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: N/A	Northing (m): 6820455
Well Depth (m bTOC): >100	Aquifer Material: Unknown
Well Diameter (cm): 28	Period of Record: 2016 - 2019
Well Description: This well is located south of the site office and the site access road, in the southeast quadrant of the cleared area (the former Mill site). There are no other YOWN monitoring wells located in this area. Other monitoring wells installed in this area by others are relatively shallow (14 m bTOC) and installed in a silty clay/sand/gravel unit.	

C.26 YOWN-1701

Well Name: Johnson Lake CG Well-2	UTM Zone: 8
Well Log Available: Incomplete	Easting (m): 584165
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 211030015	Northing (m): 6898252
Well Depth (m bTOC): 24.40	Aquifer Material: Sand/Gravel
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2017 – 2019
Well Description: This well is located in Johnson Lake Campground approximately 75 m north of the shoreline. The well was used as a drinking water well but the pump handle was removed to prevent use due	

to metal concentrations exceeding the CSR-AW. The borehole log indicates a sand/gravel (till) unit overlaying sandstone/ conglomerate. There is no information regarding the screen installation; it is possible the well was installed as an open hole in bedrock below 21 m bgs. The soil stratigraphy description is similar to stratigraphy encountered at YOWN-1603, located approximately 0.3 km to the west.

C.27 YOWN-1702

Well Name: Congdon Creek CG Well-3	UTM Zone: 7
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 631951
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 107020001	Northing (m): 6782275
Well Depth (m bTOC): 18.3	Aquifer Material: Silty Sand/ Gravel
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2017 – 2019
Well Description: This well is located in Congdon Creek Campground, approximately 45 m south of the campground kitchen. The well is an active drinking water well, and the well is not instrumented. The well is installed in a sand/gravel/silt unit with the screen installed in gravel. There are no other YOWN wells in this area.	

C.28 YOWN-1801

Well Name: Takhini Research Forest	UTM Zone: 8
Well Log Available: Yes	Easting (m): 488670
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 900000079	Northing (m): 6746781
Well Depth (m bTOC): 73.365	Aquifer Material: Gravel and Sand
Well Diameter (cm): 15.24	Period of Record: 2018 – 2022
Well Description: This well was installed in 2018 at the Takhini Research Forest as a backup well for agricultural irrigation; since 2022 the well is used for irrigation purposes and such, was deactivated. The well is currently not instrumented or monitored by WRB.	

C.29 YOWN-1917

Well Name: Teslin SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Well Log Available: No	Easting (m): 628878
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000542	Northing (m): 6670288
Well Depth (m bTOC): 6.615	Aquifer Material: Bedrock
Well Diameter (cm): 5	Period of Record: 2019 - 2020
Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The site is located approximately 3 km east of the Village core at Mile 802 (Km 1291) Alaska Highway. The Site is on the slope of a ridge near the confluence of the Nisutlin Bay and the	

Teslin Lake. The well was instrumented in March 2019, however, in March 2020 it was noted that the well is seasonally dry. This well is currently deactivated and not instrumented or monitored by WRB.

C.30 YOWN-1918

Well Name: Eagle Plains SWDF	UTM Zone: 8
Well Log Available: Yes	Easting (m): 422126
Yukon Water Well Registry ID: 980000407	Northing (m): 7357847
Well Depth (m bTOC): 4.964	Aquifer Material: Bedrock
Well Diameter (cm): 5	Period of Record: 2015 - 2019
Well Description: This well was installed as part of a hydrogeological assessment program completed for the SWDFs across Yukon. The well is currently instrumented and monitored by WRB. The Eagle Plains SWDF is located approximately 407 km north of the City of Dawson and 4 km south of the Eagle Plains Motel on Dempster Highway. The site is located in a region with continuous permafrost of significant thickness (>100 m).	