

Name: Glacier Gulch

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Location: NTS Area 93 L/14
Lat. 54° 48' 50" Long. 127° 18' 00"
Mining Division: Omineca
- property located 5 miles NW of Smithers/Smithers located
on Hwy. 16 between Prince Rupert and Prince George

Owner: Climax Molybdenum Corp. of British Columbia Ltd. (subsidiary
of Amax Inc.)

Description: molybdenum-tungsten-copper deposit/host rock - granodiorite/
mineralization occurs as dissemination and in veins

Reserves: ~~100 million tons avg. 29% MoS₂ (Kirkham, Ph.D.
Thesis, Wisconsin, 1969)~~

- tungsten, a possible byproduct, occurs as
scheelite and wolframite; deposit will produce
more tungsten than any other property

Development:

- 1956 - claims staked
- 1957 - property optioned to Climax Molybdenum Co.
- 1958 - Climax merged with The American Metal Co. Ltd. to
form American Metal Climax, Inc.
- 1958-65 - staking, drilling - 41 holes, 79,000'
- 1966-67 - adit, crosscuts, u/g drilling - 33 holes, 40,793'
- 1968 - operations transferred to Climax Molybdenum Corp.
of B.C.
- 1970 - u/g drilling - 25 holes, 20,000'
- 1971-73 - purchase of property, u/g work - drifting, drill-
ing - 56 holes, 51,376'
- 1974-75 - drilling - 3 holes, 478', work on access road

Potential
Operation:

Open pit

Impediments:

- environmental - property near the town of Smithers and near a glacier tourist area (Annis, et al, 1978)
- company priorities dictate development, company has several other molybdenum prospects in British Columbia (i.e. Lime Creek)

Comments:

- property between elevation of 3,000' to 7,000'