

**LEGEND**

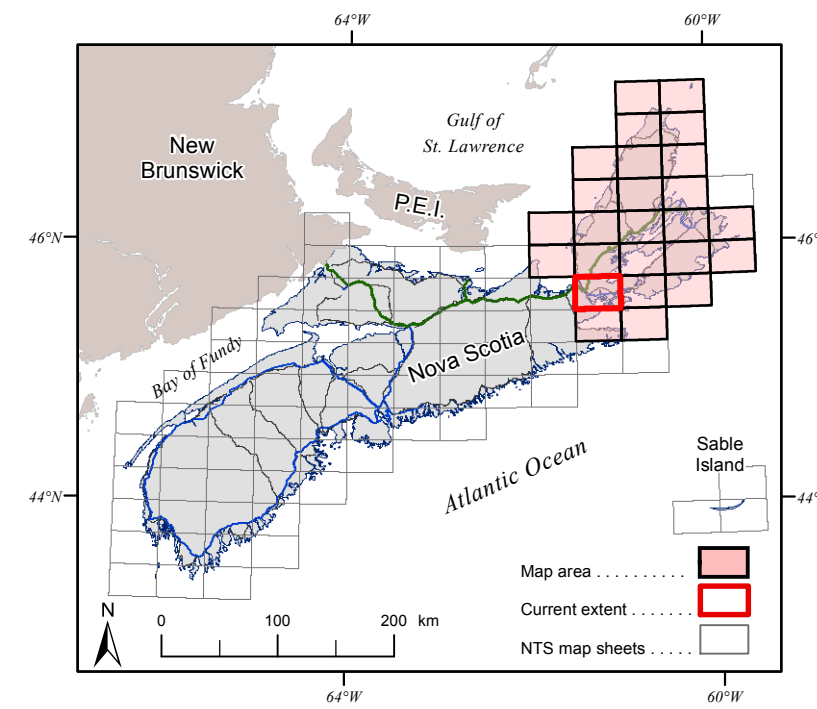
Code	Unit label	Unit name	Unit Terrain or Assemblage Code:
DC	ECWcc	Carrolls Corner Formation	DC - Late Devonian, Carboniferous & Mesozoic
DC	LCCPH-c	colindale Member	AT - Aspy Terrane
DC	LCCPH-m	Margaree Member	BT - Bras d'Or Terrane
DC	LCCPH-e	Emery Brook Member	MT - Mira Terrane
DC	MCMh	Mabou Group (undivided)	BR - Bras River Inlier
DC	MCMp	Pomquet Formation	CP - Cape Porcupine Complex
DC	MCMh	Hastings Formation	
DC	ECWu	Windsor Group (undivided)	
DC	ECWu	Hood Island Formation	
DC	ECWm	Lower Middle Windsor Group (undivided)	
DC	ECWm	Sydney River Formation	
DC	ECWm	Isle Madame Formation	
DC	ECWm	Carrolls Corner Formation	
DC	ECWm	Macumber Formation	
DC	EChn	Horton Lake Gabbro	
DC	EChc	steep Creek Formation	
DC	EChm	Caledonia Mills Formation	
DC	EChm	Tracadie Road Formation (undivided)	
DC	EChm	Lincolnton Member	
DC	EChm	Halfmoon Lake Member	
DC	EChm	Grand Creve Member	
DC	EChm	Creignish Formation	
DC	EChm	Goose Harbour Lake Member	
DC	EChm	Englands Lake Member	
DC	EChm	Granite Formation	
DC	LDbr	Fisset Brook Formation - rhyolite	
DC	LDbb	Fisset Brook Formation - basalt	
BT	LDbb	Brown Brook Formation	
BT	EChg	Creignish Hills Pluton - monzonite	
BT	EChg	Creignish Hills Pluton - granodiorite	
BT	EChn	Creignish Hills Pluton - tonalite	
BT	Ewb	West Bay Pluton	
BT	nPrbu	Blues Brook Formation (undivided)	
BT	nPrbu	Line Hill Gneiss Complex	
MT	mDof	Chedabucto Fault Complex	
MT	EEmgd	sporting Mountain Pluton - granodiorite	
MT	EEmu	Pringle Mountain Group (undivided)	
CP	Ochaf	Cape Porcupine Complex - Alkali-feldspar granite/syenogranite	
CP	Ochaf	Cape Porcupine Complex - Quartz alkali-feldspar leucosyenite	
CP	Ochaf	Cape Porcupine Complex - Alkali feldspar syenite to quartz alkali-feldspar granite	
CP	EDCm	Cape Porcupine Complex - Metarhyolite	
CP	EDCm	Cape Porcupine Complex - Metasilstone	
CP	LCsm	Maccormicks Brook Formation	
CP	EChmg	Cape Porcupine Complex - Syenogranite to monzonite	

\* Note: For full unit description and terrain information, please refer to the detailed legend for the Cape Breton Compilation Project - Open File Illustration ME 2017-001

**Symbols**

Outcrop, float	Rock in water
Drillhole (after O'Neill et al., 2016)	Trans Canada highway
Mineral occurrence (modified after O'Neill et al., 2016)	Highway
Highway	Arterial highway (CT = Cabot Trail Hwy 30)
Collector highway	Local road
Seasonal, restricted or private road	Trail, track
Bedding: tops known (inclined, vertical, overturned)	Trailway (active, inactive)
Bedding: tops unknown (inclined, vertical)	River, stream
Fold axis (see note, s. 66, 2. 64)	Boundary (county, inter-provincial)
Foliation (inclined, vertical)	Transmission line
Mineral lineation	Cape Breton Highlands National Park
Geological contact	Wetlands
Fault	Dam
Thrust fault	Lake, ocean
Major coal seam (after Henken and Calder, 2017)	
Area of concentrated drilling	

\* Note: Compiled symbols list for Open File Maps ME 2017-007 to 2017-031. All symbols may not appear on each map.



**Map Notes**

GIS databases, cartography and reproduction by Angie Barras, David Haggood and Jeff McKinnon of the Nova Scotia Department of Natural Resources, Geoscience Information Services Section, 2012-2017. The GIS databases and map were developed using ArcGIS® 10.2.2.

Universal Transverse Mercator Projection (UTM), Zone 20, Central Meridian 63°00' West, North American Datum (NAD) 1983 Canadian Spatial Reference System (CSRS) 98.

Base and digital data derived from the Nova Scotia Topographic Database (NSTDB). Copyright Her Majesty the Queen in Right of the Province of Nova Scotia. The NSTDB is available from the Department of Internal Services, Nova Scotia Geomatics Centre (NSGC), Amherst, Nova Scotia.

Shaded relief image derived from a 25 m Digital Elevation Model of the Province of Nova Scotia, DP ME 36, version 2, 2006. Azimuth of 315°, sun angle of 45° and a vertical exaggeration of 5.

In compiling the maps and legend, unit names and ages were taken mainly from the source references, with no attempt to reconcile that information across Cape Breton Island, to remove duplicate names, or to interpret areas of geological inconsistencies that are not the work of the compilers.

**Acknowledgments**

Most of the geological information on this map sheet was compiled from work by Barr et al. (2012), Giles et al. (2010), Sexton (1988), White and Barr (1998) and White et al. (2003). Full reference information for those publications, as well as others used in the map compilation, is available in the accompanying open file report. Karen Johnston, Dallas MacIsaac and Chris Puhani did much of the digitizing of original field locations from 1:10,000 scale orthophoto base maps. We thank Angie Barras, David Haggood and Jeff McKinnon for their help in producing these maps and the associated database. Sandra Barr acknowledges the long-term support of the Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada and her employer, Acadia University. We thank Rob Raeside for reviewing the maps and providing many helpful comments.

Nova Scotia Department of Natural Resources  
Geoscience and Mines Branch  
Open File Map ME 2017-009

**Bedrock Geology Map of the Port Hawkesbury Area, NTS 11F/11, Antigonish, Guysborough, Inverness and Richmond Counties, Nova Scotia**

Compiled by  
S. M. Barr and C. E. White

Scale 1:50,000  
Halifax, Nova Scotia  
2017

Crown Copyright © 2017, Province of Nova Scotia, all rights reserved.

**Recommended Citation**

Barr, S. M. and White, C. E. 2017. Bedrock geology map of the Port Hawkesbury area, NTS 11F/11, Antigonish, Guysborough, Inverness and Richmond Counties, Nova Scotia. Nova Scotia Department of Natural Resources, Geoscience and Mines Branch, Open File Map ME 2017-009, scale 1:50,000.

**Disclaimer**

The information on this map may have come from a variety of government and non-government sources. The Nova Scotia Department of Natural Resources does not assume any liability for errors that may occur. This map is intended for use at the published scale of 1:50,000.

**Selected References**

For a complete list of references please refer to Open File Report ME 2017-002.

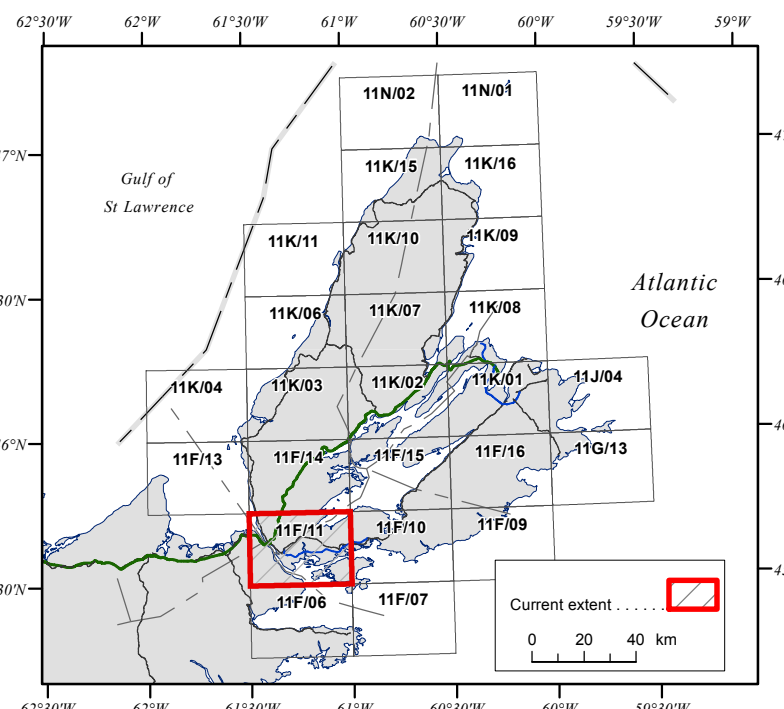
Barr, S. M. and White, C. E. 2017. List of compilation sources for bedrock geology maps of Cape Breton Island, Nova Scotia (Open File Maps ME 2017-006 to 2017-031). Nova Scotia Department of Natural Resources, Open File Report ME 2017-002, 7 p.

Henken, E. W. and Calder, J. H. 2017. Nova Scotia Coal Database. Nova Scotia Department of Natural Resources, Digital Product ME 120, unpublished.

O'Neill, M. J. and Proke, J. C. 2016. Nova Scotia drillhole database. Nova Scotia Department of Natural Resources, Digital Product ME 3, version 5. <http://www.gov.ns.ca/natr/mdb/downloaddp003.asp> [ISBN:18555].

O'Reilly, G. A., DeMont, G. J., Fisher, B. E. and Poole, J. C. 2016. Nova Scotia mineral occurrence database. Nova Scotia Department of Natural Resources, Digital Product ME 2, Version 11. <http://novascotia.ca/natr/mdb/downloaddp002.asp> [ISBN:18752].

Internet Search Number (ISN) is a unique identifier used in Nova Scotia - the Nova Scotia Geoscience Maps and Publications Database. The ISN can be used to retrieve a digital version of the latest edition. <http://novascotia.ca/natr/>



**NOVA SCOTIA**

Open File Map ME 2017-009  
Jun 16, 2017