

SUMMER 1996 FORT LIARD PROGRAM

FINAL PLAN REPORT

on the

NON-PROPRIETARY HELIPORTABLE DYNAMITE SEISMIC SURVEY
in
FORT LIARD AREA
N.W.T.

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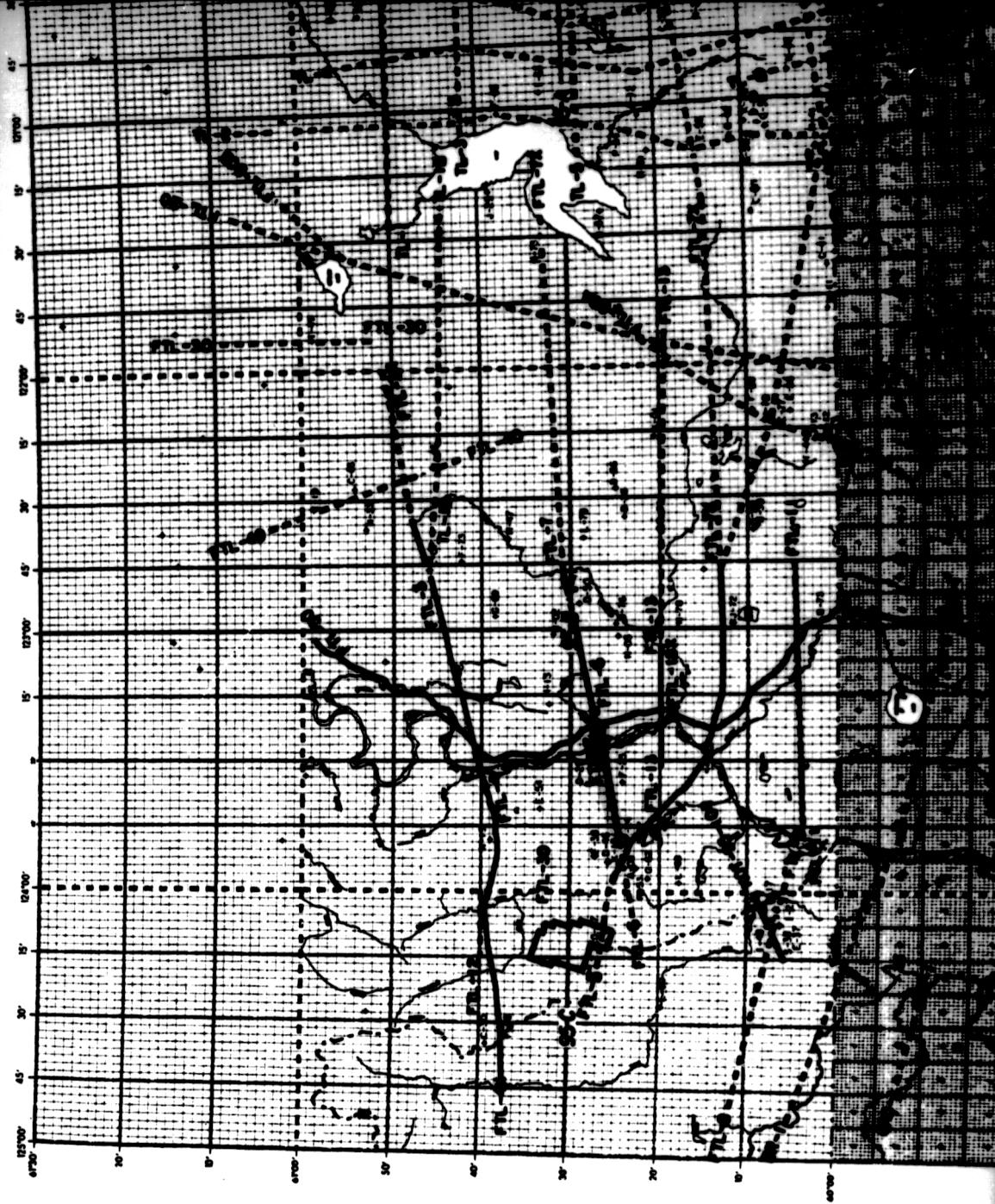
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INTRODUCTION

B.F.R. Geophysical Consultants Ltd. specializes in speculative seismic programs in foothills and frontier areas of Canada. With the lifting of the exploration moratorium in the Ft. Liard area we perceived an opportunity to establish the beginnings of a modern high quality regional grid of seismic .

Using a combination of existing data, access well and geology, we proposed a program that we felt would provide a grid of seismic that would help establish a new geological framework for the area.



STATISTICAL SUMMARY

Significant Dates:

Commencement:	June 29, 1996
Start Production:	September 26, 1996
Termination:	September 30, 1996
Number of Technical Personnel:	70
Number of Non-Technical Personnel:	24

Type and Number of Equipment Used:

- 1 Air conditioned Recording Cabin mounted on an F700 4x4. Separate diesel driven 17 kVA generator supplying power for air conditioning and instrumentation.
- 1 Party Manager Unit - F250 4 x 4
- 1 Line Unit - F350 4 x 4
- 2 Transport units - F700 4 x 4 (or equivalent)
- 1 Support Unit - F250 4 x 4
- 1 Mechanical Unit - F250 4 x 4
- 2 Personnel Carrier
- 1 Battery Charging Unit
- 2 Honda A.T.V. Quads

Statistical Summary con't.

Production Data:

Total Distance Surveyed: **18.020**

Time Lost: **Some time was lost due to weather conditions**

Daily Production:

ETL-6

Sept, 27 **4.170**

Sept 28 **8.610**

Sept, 29 **5.235**

Total Kms: 18.020

Summary of Conditions Pertaining to Weather and Terrain:

Low lying wet, mossy muskeg in areas. Rain, High winds and heavy snow.

Summary of Factors Which Caused Down Time:

**Advanced crew was shut down for 5 days due to high wind & rain.
Recording crew was shut down for 12 hours due to weather.**

DATA ACQUISITION EQUIPMENT and FIELD PROCEDURES

Positioning & Survey Systems:

Conventional survey methods were used on all lines. The process involved traversing along the line and surveying in the shot points and receiver stations. Heights were surveyed using trigometric leveling. Error tolerances were within 10m horizontally and 1m vertically. Survey computations were reduced using the Nad 27 datum. UTM values are for Zone 10 using a CM of -123° W longitude.

Control was established using GPS to densify existing Federal government markers.

Repeatability is + or - 10m horizontally and + or - 1m vertically using permit tags to re-establish.

Parameters of Energy Source: Dynamite 14kg @ 18m

Source Array: Single Hole

Detector Equipment:
Cable - 400 Channels - Split Spread
6 Geophones per Group
2.5m Geophone Spacing
Type OYO 10 Hz

Detector Array: 6 Geophones over 15m

Recording System: I/O System II SEG-D

Recording Parameters:

Shot Interval: 90 m

Station Interval: 15 m

Channels: 400

Data Acquisition cont'

Far Offsets: **3007.5 m**

Near Offsets: **22.5 m**

GEOPHYSICAL DATA PROCESSING

FOR SEISMIC REFLECTION DATA:

Gain Recovery:	Spherical Divergence Correction
Bandpass Filter:	10-14-60-70Hz
Mute Pattern:	all offsets
Type of Deconvolution:	Surface Consistent Spiking <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Operator Length : 120 ms- Prewhitenning : 0.1 PCT- Design Window:<ul style="list-style-type: none">* 0250-3000 ms @ 15 m* 1300 - 3000 ms @ 3000 m
Type of Velocity Analysis:	Interactive Velocity Analysis
Distance Between Analysis:	N/A - analysis on whole line velocity panels
Picking Method:	Stack panels

STATIC CORRECTION METHOD PARAMETERS:

Statics	Refraction
DRM refraction statics	
Datum elevation	1250 m
Replacement Velocity:	4000 m/s

Iterations 6

Geophysical Data Processing cont'd.

MIGRATION METHOD PARAMETERS:

Finite Difference Migration
Using 90% of V6 NMO velocity

TIME AMPLITUDE DISPLAY METHOD:

Time Variant Scaling: **7 Gates**

DISPLAY PARAMETERS:

Horizontal: **12 TPI**
Vertical: **7.5 IPS**

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LIST OF LINES AND KILOMETERS SHOT PER LINE

FTL - 6	18.020 km
TOTAL	18.020 KM

ENCLOSURES

LINE FTL-6

MYLARS

- 1 Shot Point Map
- 1 DMO Migration Stack Section
- 1 Pre-Stack Time Migration Section

PAPER

- 2 Shot Point Maps
- 2 DMO Migration Stack Sections
- 2 Pre-Stack Time Migration Sections

DISK

- 1 Survey Floppy