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**Records of the Isle of Man Forestry, Mines and  
Lands Board: Island Exploration Company Ltd.  
Mineralogical Survey and Prospecting Records  
1947-1960**

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## Island Exploration Company Ltd Mineralogical Survey and Prospecting Records: Introduction

### 1947-1960

**Alternative/previous reference numbers:** C632 (part)

**Accession number:** A57 (part)

**Extent:** 22 archive boxes (cubic metres: 0.37 )

**Creator(s):** Isle of Man; Island Exploration Company Ltd.; 28 Jul 1955-14 Apr 1968 and Isle of Man; Forestry, Mines and Lands Board; circa 1950-1986

#### **Description of fonds:**

This fonds comprises records created and maintained by the Island Exploration Company Ltd. over the course of mineralogical survey, prospecting and drilling work undertaken on the Isle of Man (1955-1968) under licence from the Isle of Man Forestry, Mines and Lands Board. Records include:

- Copy minutes of the Island Exploration Company;
- General correspondence between the company and its specialist contractors;
- Copy Chairman annual speeches;
- Financial records, including monthly estimates and accounts;
- Technical reports and progress reports from both the company and its specialist contractors;
- Working technical maps and drawings;
- Scientific data gathered and tabulated by the company and its specialist contractors.

#### **Administrative History:**

##### Island Exploration Company Ltd:

In 1953, the Isle of Man Forestry, Mines and Lands Board issued invitations to tender with a view to resurrecting the Isle of Man's mining industry. In 1954, the Board granted a licence to Ballamoda Ltd for a period of 4 years. The licence conferred the right to undertake

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prospecting work across the whole Island with a few named exceptions, principally the Snaefell and Old Foxdale mines (the prospecting licenses for these being held by Metalliferous Holdings Ltd.).

The Island Exploration Company Ltd. was registered with the Isle of Man Companies Registry on 28 Jul 1955. Ballamoda Ltd., with the agreement of the Isle of Man Forestry, Mines and Lands Board, assigned the prospecting licence it had secured to the Island Exploration Company Ltd. that same year. The Island Exploration Company Ltd., with the aid of various specialist contractors, undertook mapping, mineralogical survey, prospecting and drilling work between 1955-1968. The Company was formally dissolved on 14 Jun 1968.

## Isle of Man Forestry, Mines and Lands Board:

In Oct 1947, Tynwald agreed to purchase all remaining Crown property on the Island for the sum of £75,000. This included Crown lands and forestry, as well as Crown minerals, quarrying, foreshores and territorial sea rights. The new Board drawing its name from the legislation which established it - The Forestry, Mines and Lands Act, 1950 - took on the responsibility for a number of functions formerly administered by HM Commissioners of Woods and Forest (restyled HM Commissioners of Crown Lands from 1 Jan 1925 by an Order in Council of the 8 Dec 1924). One of the the newly established Board responsibilities included the issuing and renewal of prospecting licenses on the Island.

The other elements of the Board's land management functions - those relating to the administration of the Common lands - were transferred from the Common Lands Board; whilst its forestry administration functions - those relating to the management of publicly owned forestry plantations on the Island - were transferred from the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries. The Board ceased to exist in 1986 when its core functions were in turn transferred to the newly created Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry. The Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry was dissolved in 2010 with the majority of its core functions being vested in the newly formed Department of Environment, Food and Agriculture.

## **Custodial History:**

Records comprising this fonds were originally generated by the Island Exploration Company Ltd. and its specialist contractors. The records were created as a result of prospecting work undertaken (1955-1968) under a licence issued by the Isle of Man Forestry, Mines and Lands Board.

Consultation of the Isle of Man Forestry, Mines and Lands Board minutes indicate that progress reports were furnished by the licensee to the Board. It remains unclear how the original scientific survey and prospecting data came to be in the possession of the Board, however, it is possible that on the Island Exploration Company's dissolution (14 Jun 1968) records relating to the project were returned to the licensor.

Record comprising this fonds were later consigned as a temporary transfer under section 3(8) of the Public Records Act, 1999 by the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry in Apr 2010. Reappraisal and selection work was conducted on the consignment in Nov 2015. Selected records were subsequently fully transferred under section 3(4) of the Public Records Act, 1999 by the Department of Environment, Food and Agriculture in Jan 2016.

**Appraisal:** Selected for permanent preservation in Nov 2015, Angela Skitt, IOMPRO.

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**Accruals:** No accruals are expected.

**Arrangement of series:**

This fonds is divided into 2 series, namely:

[S82/1 - Island Exploration Company: scientific data](#)

[S82/1/1 - Self potential survey field notes](#)

[S82/1/2 - Electromagnetic survey field notes](#)

[S82/1/3 - Geological resistivity survey field notes](#)

[S82/1/4 - Soil sampling field notes](#)

[S82/1/5 - Diamond drilling records](#)

[S82/1/6 - Aeromagnetic data](#)

[S82/1/7 - Specialist, technical and progress reports](#)

[S82/1/8 - Working field maps and drawings](#)

[S82/1/9 - Records index](#)

[S82/2 - Island Exploration Company: administration and project management](#)

[S82/2/1 - Copy minutes](#)

[S82/2/2 - General and project correspondence](#)

[S82/2/3 - Financials](#)

[S82/2/4 - Chairman's Annual Speeches.](#)

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**Archivist Note:** Fonds level description created by Gavin Rowan, Records and Archive Officer, 4 Mar 2019.

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## **Island Exploration Company Ltd: scientific data**

**1947-1958**

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**Accession number:** A57 (part)

**Extent:** 15 archive boxes

**Creator(s):** Isle of Man; Island Exploration Company Ltd.; 28 Jul 1955-14 Apr 1968 and Isle of Man; Forestry, Mines and Lands Board; circa 1950-1986

### **Description of series:**

This series comprises the specialist scientific records produced by the Island Exploration Company Ltd. and its specialist contractors with a view to re-establishing the Isle of Man's mining industry. Records in this series include:

- Self potential survey records;
- Electromagnetic survey records;
- Geological resistivity survey records;
- Soil sampling field notes;
- Diamond drilling records;
- Aeromagnetic survey records;
- Specialist technical, and progress reports;
- Working field maps and drawings;
- A records index.

### **Arrangement of series:**

This series is divided into 9 subseries:

[S82/1/1 - Self potential survey field notes](#)

[S82/1/2 - Electromagnetic survey field notes](#)

[S82/1/3 - Geological resistivity survey field notes](#)

[S82/1/4 - Soil sampling field notes](#)

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[S82/1/5 - Diamond drilling records](#)

[S82/1/6 - Aeromagnetic data](#)

[S82/1/7 - Specialist technical, and progress reports](#)

[S82/1/8 - Working field maps and drawings](#)

[S82/1/9 - Records index.](#)

**Access Status:** Open.

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
<b>S82/1/1</b> SubSeries	<b><u>Self potential survey field notes</u></b>	<p>This subseries comprises self potential survey field notes which include tabulated data and field observations.</p> <p>In brief, self potential survey (S. P.) is a geophysical tool. S. P. is a passive surveying methodology, that is it does not involve the application of an electric current; rather, it involves the examination of the differential of the electrical potential between two points (natural ground currents).</p>	11 items	[circa 1950s]	Open
<b>S82/1/1/1</b> Item	<b>'S.P. Greeba Mountain'</b>	<p>Field notepad consisting of 7 columns which together comprise the calculations for the plotting of the differential between 2 points within the named prospecting trench to be excavated.</p> <p>The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.</p>	1 item	[circa 1950s]	Open
<b>S82/1/1/2</b> Item	<b>'S.P. Cregneash over anomalies on G.A. (Larger grid planned but not completed owing to crops)'</b>	<p>Field notepad consisting of 7 columns which together comprise the calculations for the plotting of the differential between 2 points within the named prospecting trench to be excavated.</p> <p>The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.</p>	1 item	[circa 1950s]	Open



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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
<b>S82/1/1/3</b> Item	<b>'S.P. Bullrenny Grid (above Ravensdale)'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 7 columns which together comprise the calculations for the plotting of the differential between 2 points within the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated.  The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	[circa 1950s]	Open
<b>S82/1/1/4</b> Item	<b>'S.P. Ballure Glen Grid'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 7 columns which together comprise the calculations for the plotting of the differential between two points within the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated.  The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	[circa 1950s]	Open
<b>S82/1/1/5</b> Item	<b>'S.P. Slieau Dhoo Regional'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 7 columns which together comprise the calculations for the plotting of the differential between two points within the proposed prospecting trenches to be excavated.  The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	[circa 1950s]	Open
<b>S82/1/1/6</b> Item	<b>'S.P. Glen Dhoo Grid'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 7 columns which together comprise the calculations for the plotting of the differential between 2 points within the proposed prospecting trenches to be excavated.  The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	[circa 1950s]	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
<b>S82/1/1/7</b>  <b>Item</b>	<b>'S.P. Gibdale'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 7 columns which together comprise the calculations for the plotting of the differential between 2 points within the proposed prospecting trenches to be excavated.  The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	[circa 1950s]	Open
<b>S82/1/1/8</b>  <b>Item</b>	<b>'S.P. Ballure Glen '</b>	Field notepad consisting of 7 columns which together comprise the calculations for the plotting of the differential between 2 points within the proposed prospecting trenches to be excavated.  The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	[circa 1950s]	Open
<b>S82/1/1/9</b>  <b>Item</b>	<b>'S.P. Cregneash, Bradda Head and Bradda Head Grid'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 7 columns which together comprise the calculations for the plotting of the differential between 2 points within the proposed prospecting trenches to be excavated.  The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	[circa 1950s]	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
<b>S82/1/1/10</b>  Item	<b>'S.P. Depth Determination - Ballure Glen'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 7 columns which together comprise the calculations for the plotting of the differential between 2 points within the proposed prospecting trenches to be excavated.  The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	[circa 1950s]	Open
<b>S82/1/1/11</b>  Item	<b>'S.P. Traverse over E.M. Traverse 24N-33N - Glen Rushen set-up'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 7 columns which together comprise the calculations for the plotting of the differential between 2 points within the proposed prospecting trenches to be excavated.  The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	[circa 1950s]	Open
<b>S82/1/2</b>  SubSeries	<b><u>Electromagnetic survey field notes</u></b>	This subseries comprises electromagnetic survey field notes which include tabulated data and field observations.  Electromagnetic survey (EM) is a geophysical tool. EM survey is achieved - via the configured placement of transmitter and receiver coils which are used to measure ground conductivity by a process known as electromagnetic induction.  Electromagnetic induction involves the transmission of different operating frequencies into the ground to provide measurable ranges which in turn can be used as a mapping tool for geological and mineralogical survey.	14 items and 1 file	1955-1957	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/2/1 Item	<b>'E.M. Survey at Carn-a-gray (foot of Slieau Whallian)'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 8 columns which together comprise the calculations for the ground conductivity survey of the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated. The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	22 Aug 1956- 11 Oct 1956	Open
S82/1/2/2 Item	<b>'E.M. Survey at Glen Rushen - Traverse North &amp; South of cable'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 11 columns which together comprise the calculations for the ground conductivity survey of the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated. The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	24 Sep 1956- 11 Oct 1956	Open
S82/1/2/3 Item	<b>'E.M. Survey Sartfell I'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 11 columns which together comprise the calculations for the ground conductivity survey of the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated. The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	4 Apr 1956- 18 Apr 1956	Open
S82/1/2/4 Item	<b>'E.M. Survey at Lhoobs (Extension of Flappy and Cornnelly Lodes)'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 11 columns which together comprise the calculations for the ground conductivity survey of the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated. The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	5 Mar 1957-7 Mar 1957	Open
S82/1/2/5 Item	<b>'E.M. Survey over Cornnelly Lode (Cornnelly I)'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 11 columns which together comprise the calculations for the ground conductivity survey of the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated. The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	20 Oct 1955 - 1 Nov 1955	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/2/6 Item	'E.M. Survey at Slieau Dhoo'	Field notepad consisting of 11 columns which together comprise the calculations for the ground conductivity survey of the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated. The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	14 Oct 1956- 26 Oct 1956	Open
S82/1/2/7 Item	'E.M. Survey at Granite Mountain (Claghwilly)'	Field notepad consisting of 11 columns which together comprise the calculations for the ground conductivity survey of the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated. The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	8 May 1956- 15 May 1956	Open
S82/1/2/8 Item	'E.M. Survey at Ballacorkish (Colby II & III)'	Field notepad consisting of 11 columns which together comprise the calculations for the ground conductivity survey of the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated. The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	20 Feb 1956- 7 Mar 1956	Open
S82/1/2/9 Item	'E.M. Survey at East Foxdale I'	Field notepad consisting of 11 columns which together comprise the calculations for the ground conductivity survey of the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated. The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	14 Feb 1957- 18 Feb 1957	Open
S82/1/2/10 Item	'E.M. Survey at Ballacorkish Colby IV (including 3 traverses over anomalies at Colby III)'	Field notepad consisting of 11 columns which together comprise the calculations for the ground conductivity survey of the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated. The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	3 Jan 1957- 11 Jan 1957	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/2/11 Item	<b>'E.M. Survey of Foxdale Lode (Foxdale I)'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 11 columns which together comprise the calculations for the ground conductivity survey of the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated. The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	2 Sep 1955- 19 Sep 1955	Open
S82/1/2/12 Item	<b>'E.M. Survey Ballacorkish (Colby I)'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 11 columns which together comprise the calculations for the ground conductivity survey of the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated. The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	30 Jan 1956- 17 Feb 1956	Open
S82/1/2/13 Item	<b>'E.M. Survey Field Notes - Slieau Whallian'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 7 columns which together comprise the calculations for the ground conductivity survey of the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated. The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	Jul 1955	Open
S82/1/2/14 Item	<b>E.M. Survey of Cornelly II (includes traverse North of Cable &amp; Cornelly 3)</b>	Field notepad consisting of 11 columns which together comprise the calculations for the ground conductivity survey of the proposed prospecting trench to be excavated. The notepad also contains remarks on resistivity of local geology.	1 item	12 Mar 1956- 21 Sep 1956	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/2/15 Item	<b>Magnetometer Survey</b>	In brief, the file includes: - Magnetometer Survey tables, with the tabulated EM data being divided into 5 columns, namely: station number, time, mean reading, corrector and corrected reading; - A drawing of traverse and trench sections dug; - Correspondence and working papers relating to the excavation works undertaken, inclusive of work hours spent excavating particular trenches.	1 file (2 folders)	28 Jun 1956- 12 Oct 1956	Open
S82/1/3 SubSeries	<b><u>Geological resistivity survey field notes</u></b>	This subseries comprises geological resistivity survey field notes which include tabulated data and field observations.  Geological resistivity survey involves the transmission of a current to a receiver which records the strength at various increments.  Geological electrical resistivity variables have an impact on signal strength. These fluctuations can then be used to map the geological make-up of an area under survey.	6 items	1956-1957	Open
S82/1/3/1 Item	<b>'T1-T9 Cornelly, Foxdale, Flappy Lode and Cross vein'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 8 columns which together comprise the calculations which tabulate resistivity readings for traverse section under survey. The notepad also contains remarks on other notable geological features.	1 item	[circa 1950s]	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
<b>S82/1/3/2</b> Item	<b>'Cornelly to Ballacottier'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 6 columns which together comprise the calculations which tabulate resistivity readings for the traverse section under survey.	1 item	30 Nov 1956- 17 Dec 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/3/3</b> Item	<b>'Glen Rushen'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 6 columns which together comprise the calculations which tabulate resistivity readings for the traverse section under survey.	1 item	31 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/3/4</b> Item	<b>'Glen Rushen'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 6 columns which together comprise the calculations which tabulate resistivity readings for the traverse section under survey.	1 item	12 Oct 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/3/5</b> Item	<b>'Ballacorkish'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 6 columns which together comprise the calculations which tabulate resistivity readings for the traverse section under survey.	1 item	28 Jun 1956- 11 Oct 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/3/6</b> Item	<b>'Flappy/Cornelly Junction'</b>	Field notepad consisting of 5 columns which together comprise the calculations which tabulate resistivity readings for the traverse section under survey.	1 item	22 Mar 1957	Open



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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
<b>S82/1/4</b>  SubSeries	<b><u>Soil sampling records</u></b>	<p>The subseries comprises a sequence of files, field notebooks, geochemical result records and 2.5 inch field maps.</p> <p>Typically, the files contain tabulated data relating to the geochemical make-up of the soil. Typically data in the files was captured under: a sample number, trench location, soil type, soil colour, soil depth prior to hitting bedrock, and soil composition in terms of levels of lead (Pb.), zinc (Zn.) or copper (Cu.) present.</p> <p>The field notebooks contain the general observations the surveyor about the prevailing conditions at the trench sites.</p> <p>The field maps show the various locations of the trench and borehole sites.</p> <p>The geochemical analytical results, organised roughly by borehole and trench numbers, furnish results of geochemical analysis regarding the levels of lead (Pb.), zinc (Zn.) or copper (Cu.) present at a given borehole or trench location.</p>	11 files; 1 item; 3 notebooks; 1 volume; 18 field maps	1955-1957	Open
<b>S82/1/4/1</b>  Item	<b>Alphabetical Index of Samples Collected in the Isle of Man</b>	Indexes of field samples taken from various sites across the Island as part of prospecting work undertaken in the 1950s.	1 item	Apr 1956- Apr 1957	Open

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<b>Reference Number</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Extent</b>	<b>Date Range</b>	<b>Access</b>
<b>S82/1/4/2</b> Item	<b>Geochemical Sediment Survey field notebook</b>	Field notebook comprising data and observation relating to individual boring sites, roughly ordered by date and hole number.	1 notebook	1956	Open
<b>S82/1/4/3</b> Item	<b>Geochemical Sediment Survey field notebook</b>	Field notebook comprising data and observation relating to individual boring sites, roughly ordered by date and hole number.	1 notebook	1956	Open
<b>S82/1/4/4</b> Item	<b>Geochemical Sediment Survey field notebook</b>	Field notebook comprising data and observation relating to individual boring sites, roughly ordered by date and hole number.	1 notebook	1956-1957	Open
<b>S82/1/4/5</b> Item	<b>Geochemical and Sediment Survey field maps</b>	As sequence of field maps which together detail the relief and topography of the Isle of Man. The field maps have been marked-up with annotations to map the various sample bore hole sites.	18 field maps	1950s	Open
<b>S82/1/4/6</b> Item	<b>Geochemical and Sedimentary Survey logbook</b>	Logbook - subdivided into 14 columns - which together detail works undertaken by the Island Exploration Company. Columns under which information were recorded are as follows: date; where working; method (SP or EM); number of men and operators; hours worked; traverse number; intervals between traverses; Number of traverses; intervals between readings and/or samples; Number of readings; Time taken on readings/stakings; traversing time; time lost; and remarks.	1 volume	1 Nov 1955-5 Oct 1956	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/4/7 Item	<b>Cross Vein - soil sampling field sheets</b>	File comprises: - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to the make-up of the soil. Data captured includes: sample number; sample trench location; soil type; soil colour; soil depth prior to hitting bedrock; and soil composition, inclusive of the levels of Lead (Pb.), Zinc (Zn.) and Copper (Cu.).	1 file	[circa 1950s]	Open
S82/1/4/8 Item	<b>East Foxdale - soil sampling field sheets</b>	File comprises: - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to the make-up of the soil. Data captured includes: sample number; sample trench location; soil type; soil colour; soil depth prior to hitting bedrock; and soil composition, inclusive of the levels of Lead (Pb.), Zinc (Zn.) and Copper (Cu.).	1 file	[circa 1950s]	Open
S82/1/4/9 Item	<b>Ballarock - soil sampling field sheets</b>	File comprises: - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to the make-up of the soil. Data captured includes: sample number; sample trench location; soil type; soil colour; soil depth prior to hitting bedrock; and soil composition, inclusive of the levels of Lead (Pb.), Zinc (Zn.) and Copper (Cu.).	1 file	[circa 1950s]	Open
S82/1/4/10 Item	<b>Carnagray - soil sampling field sheets</b>	File comprises: - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to the make-up of the soil. Data captured includes: sample number; sample trench location; soil type; soil colour; soil depth prior to hitting bedrock; and soil composition, inclusive of the levels of Lead (Pb.), Zinc (Zn.) and Copper (Cu.).	1 file	10 Dec 1956- 13 Dec 1956	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/4/11 Item	<b>Gibdale (Windy Common) - soil sampling field sheets</b>	File comprises: - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to the make-up of the soil. Data captured includes: sample number; sample trench location; soil type; soil colour; soil depth prior to hitting bedrock; and soil composition, inclusive of the levels of Lead (Pb.), Zinc (Zn.) and Copper (Cu.).	1 file	7 Nov 1956-8 Apr 1957	Open
S82/1/4/12 Item	<b>Glen Dhoo - soil sampling field sheets</b>	File comprises: - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to the make-up of the soil. Data captured includes: sample number; sample trench location; soil type; soil colour; soil depth prior to hitting bedrock; and soil composition, inclusive of the levels of Lead (Pb.), Zinc (Zn.) and Copper (Cu.).	1 file	Aug 1956-20 Sep 1956	Open
S82/1/4/13 Item	<b>Cornelly II - soil sampling field sheets</b>	File comprises: - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to the make-up of the soil. Data captured includes: sample number; sample trench location; soil type; soil colour; soil depth prior to hitting bedrock; and soil composition, inclusive of the levels of Lead (Pb.), Zinc (Zn.) and Copper (Cu.).	2 files	27 Sep 1956- 14 Mar 1957	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/4/14 Item	<b>Miscellaneous - probe soil samples plotted</b>	File comprises: - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to the make-up of the soil. Data captured includes: sample number; sample trench location; soil type; soil colour; soil depth prior to hitting bedrock; and soil composition, inclusive of the levels of Lead (Pb.), Zinc (Zn.) and Copper (Cu.).	1 file	Aug 1956-19 Sep 1956	Open
S82/1/4/15 Item	<b>Geochemical Analytical Results</b>	File comprises: - The results of geochemical analysis of soil samples captured in the field in respect to the levels of lead (Pb.), zinc (Zn.) or copper (Cu.) present.	1 file (3 folders)	[circa 1950s]	Open
S82/1/4/16 Item	<b>Geochemical Analytical Results</b>	File comprises: - The results of geochemical analysis of soil samples captured in the field in respect to the levels of lead (Pb.), zinc (Zn.) or copper (Cu.) present.	1 file (2 folders)	[circa 1950s]	Open
S82/1/5 SubSeries	<b><u>Diamond drilling records</u></b>	This subseries comprises the tabulated data for mineral prospecting and exploration work undertaken using diamond drilling by the Island Exploration Company and its specialist contractors on the Isle of Man.  The exploration by diamond drilling method involves the extraction of a core which, post extraction, can have its composition analysed to see whether viable veins of minerals are present in the location under survey.	13 files	1956-1957	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/5/1 Item	<b>Diamond Drill Hole Ballacorkish - hole no. 1</b>	File comprises the following: - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to mineral prospecting work undertaken by the Island Exploration Company. Data gathered includes: length of hole drilled; length of core obtained; sample of sludge obtained; and class of ground drilled; - 2 drawings mapping the borehole site.	1 file	[circa 1950s]	Open
S82/1/5/2 Item	<b>Diamond Drill Hole Ballacorkish - hole no. 2</b>	File comprises: - A sequence of correspondence relating to borehole reports; - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to mineral prospecting work undertaken by the Island Exploration Company. Data gathered includes: length of hole drilled, length of core obtained, sample of sludge obtained and class of ground drilled; - 2 drawings mapping the borehole site.	1 file	18 Oct 1956- 25 Oct 1956	Open
S82/1/5/3 Item	<b>Diamond Drill Hole Cornelly - hole no. 3</b>	File comprises: - A sequence of correspondence (10 Oct 1956-12 Oct 1956) relating the proposed site of next borehole; - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to mineral prospecting work undertaken by the Island Exploration Company (26 Oct 1956-23 Nov 1956). Data gathered includes: length of hole drilled, length of core obtained, sample of sludge obtained and class of ground drilled; - 3 drawings of the proposed borehole site.	1 file	10 Oct 1956- 23 Nov 1956	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/5/4 Item	<b>Diamond Drill Hole Shughlaigquiggin - hole no. 4</b>	File comprises: - A sequence of correspondence (1 Feb 1957-14 Feb 1957) relating the analysis of core samples; - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to mineral prospecting work undertaken by the Island Exploration Company (10 Dec 1956-26 Jan 1957). Data gathered includes: length of hole drilled, length of core obtained, sample of sludge obtained and class of ground drilled; - 2 drawings mapping the borehole site and detailing its composition.	1 file	10 Dec 1956-14 Feb 1957	Open
S82/1/5/5 Item	<b>Diamond Drill Hole Shughlaigquiggin - hole no. 5</b>	File comprises: - A sequence of correspondence (29 Jan 1957-30 Apr 1957) relating the analysis of core samples; - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to mineral prospecting work undertaken by the Island Exploration Company (23 Nov 1956-19 Jan 1957). Data gathered includes: length of hole drilled, length of core obtained, sample of sludge obtained and class of ground drilled; - 2 drawings mapping the borehole site and detailing its composition.	1 file	23 Nov 1956-30 Apr 1957	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
<b>S82/1/5/6</b> Item	<b>Diamond Drill Hole South Dalby - hole no. 6</b>	File comprises: - An Imperial College of Science and Technology Geological report (27 Feb 1957) relating the analysis of core samples; - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to mineral prospecting work undertaken by the Island Exploration Company (28 Jan 1957-23 Feb 1957). Data gathered includes: length of hole drilled, length of core obtained, sample of sludge obtained and class of ground drilled; - 5 drawings mapping the borehole site and detailing its composition.	1 file	28 Jan 1957- 27 Feb 1957	Open
<b>S82/1/5/7</b> Item	<b>Diamond Drill Hole Slieau Whallian - hole no. 7</b>	File comprises: - A letter (11 Mar 1957) relating the analysis of core samples; - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to mineral prospecting work undertaken by the Island Exploration Company (26 Jan 1957-2 Mar 1957). Data gathered includes: length of hole drilled, length of core obtained, sample of sludge obtained and class of ground drilled; - 5 drawings mapping the borehole site and detailing its composition.	1 file	26 Jan 1957- 11 Mar 1957	Open



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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
<b>S82/1/5/8</b> Item	<b>Diamond Drill Hole South Dalby - hole no. 8</b>	File comprises: - Tabulated data relating to mineral prospecting work undertaken by the Island Exploration Company. Data gathered includes: length of hole drilled, length of core obtained, sample of sludge obtained and class of ground drilled; - 1 site plan and 2 drawings, one mapping the hole bored and the other detailing the borehole's composition.	1 file	21 Feb 1957- 1 Mar 1957	Open
<b>S82/1/5/9</b> Item	<b>Diamond Drill Hole Slieau Whallian - hole no. 9</b>	File comprises: - A sequence of correspondence (4 Apr 1957-9 May 1957) relating the analysis of core samples; - Tabulated data, captured in the field, relating to mineral prospecting work undertaken by the Island Exploration Company (26 Feb 1957-16 Mar 1957). Data gathered includes: length of hole drilled, length of core obtained, sample of sludge obtained and class of ground drilled; - 5 drawings mapping earlier E.M. and S.P. surveys undertaken.	1 file	26 Feb 1957- 9 May 1957	Open
<b>S82/1/5/10</b> Item	<b>Diamond Drilling Hole Carnagray - hole no. 10</b>	File comprises: - Tabulated data relating to mineral prospecting work undertaken by the Island Exploration Company. Data gathered includes: length of hole drilled, length of core obtained, sample of sludge obtained and class of ground drilled; - 1 site plan and 2 drawings, one mapping the hole bored and the other detailing the borehole's composition.	1 file	27 Feb 1957- 16 Mar 1957	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/5/11 Item	<b>Diamond Drilling Hole Cornelly - hole no. 11</b>	File comprises: - Tabulated data relating to mineral prospecting work undertaken by the Island Exploration Company. Data gathered includes: length of hole drilled, length of core obtained, sample of sludge obtained and class of ground drilled; - 3 drawings mapping the borehole's location and detailing its composition.	1 file	13 Mar 1957-30 Mar 1957	Open
S82/1/5/12 Item	<b>Diamond Drilling Hole Cornelly - hole no. 12</b>	File comprises: - Tabulated data relating to mineral prospecting work undertaken by the Island Exploration Company. Data gathered includes: length of hole drilled, length of core obtained, sample of sludge obtained and class of ground drilled; - 3 drawings mapping the borehole's location and detailing its composition.	1 file	18 Mar 1957-30 Mar 1957	Open
S82/1/5/13 Item	<b>Diamond Drilling Hole Cornelly - hole no. 13</b>	File comprises: - Tabulated data relating to mineral prospecting work undertaken by the Island Exploration Company. Data gathered includes: length of hole drilled, length of core obtained, sample of sludge obtained and class of ground drilled; - 4 drawings mapping the borehole's location and detailing its composition.	1 file	25 Mar 1957-30 Mar 1957	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
<b>S82/1/6</b> SubSeries	<b><u>Aeromagnetic data</u></b>	<p>This subseries comprises technical data from an airborne geophysical survey of the Isle of Man undertaken by Hunting Geophysical Ltd. on behalf of the Island Exploration Company Ltd.</p> <p>Each roll comprises readings which furnish raw data on the strength and directionality of magnetic currents and fields for the parts of the Isle of Man under survey.</p> <p>Typically, each roll is stamped with the following contextual information: a job number, a flight or tie line number, a flight date and a sortie number.</p>	39 rolls	9 Jul 1956- 10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/1</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	<p>Job number: 47101/12            Flight or Tie Line number: TL1, TL1RF, TPL1, TL1 loop, TL2 and TL2 loop            Sortie number: not given</p>	1 roll	9 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/2</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	<p>Job number: 47101/12            Flight or Tie Line number: 73, 74, 75 and 87-98            Sortie number: 1</p>	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/3</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	<p>Job number: 47101/12            Flight or Tie Line number: 71, 72, 85 and 86            Sortie number: 1</p>	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/4</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	<p>Job number: 47101/12            Flight or Tie Line number: 77-81, 81RF, 82, 83, 87, 91RF, 93RF and TPL2            Sortie number: 2</p>	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
<b>S82/1/6/5</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 76 and 84 Sortie number: 2	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/6</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 71 Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/7</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 72 Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/8</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 73 Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/9</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 75 Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/10</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 76 Sortie number: 2	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/11</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 77 Sortie number: 2	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open

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<b>S82/1/6/12</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 78 Sortie number: 2	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/13</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 79 Sortie number: 2	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/14</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 80 Sortie number: 2	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/15</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 81 Sortie number: 2	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/16</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 81 RF Sortie number: 2	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/17</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 82 Sortie number: 2	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/18</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 83 Sortie number: 2	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open

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S82/1/6/19 Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 84 Sortie number: 2	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
S82/1/6/20 Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 85 Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
S82/1/6/21 Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 86 Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
S82/1/6/22 Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 87 Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
S82/1/6/23 Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 87 RF Sortie number: 2	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
S82/1/6/24 Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 88 RF Sortie number: Not given	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
S82/1/6/25 Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 89 Sortie number: Not given	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
S82/1/6/26 Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 90 Sortie number: 2	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open

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S82/1/6/27 Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 91 Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
S82/1/6/28 Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 91 RF Sortie number: 2	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
S82/1/6/29 Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 92 Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
S82/1/6/30 Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 93 Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
S82/1/6/31 Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 93 RF Sortie number: 2	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
S82/1/6/32 Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 94 RF Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
S82/1/6/33 Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 95 Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
<b>S82/1/6/34</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 96 Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/35</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 97 Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/36</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 98 Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/37</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 74 Sortie number: 1	1 roll	10 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/38</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: 2 IOM N Sortie number: Not given	1 roll	9 Jul 1956	Open
<b>S82/1/6/39</b> Item	<b>Aeromagnetic data: survey roll</b>	Job number: 47101/12 Flight or Tie Line number: TL 1 RF Sortie number: Not given	1 roll	9 Jul 1956	Open



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<b>S82/1/7</b> SubSeries	<b><u>Specialist, technical and progress reports</u></b>	This subseries comprises a mix of original and copy reports drawn up by the Island Exploration Company and its specialist and technical contractors during project work undertaken on the Isle of Man.	19 files; 10 reports; 3 volumes	1947-1958	Open
<b>S82/1/7/1</b> Item	<b>'Report on Boreholes Carried out for Isle of Man Electricity Board'</b>	This file comprises: - 2 copy soil sampling reports, dated Oct 1947 and Jan 1948 respectively, detailing results of earlier borehole work undertaken at the site on behalf of the Isle of Man Electricity Board by Sir Alexander Gibb and Partners; - Borehole log records, dated Jun 1947- Aug 1947.	1 file	3 Jun 1947- 30 Jan 1948	Open
<b>S82/1/7/2</b> Item	<b>'Spare Copy Reports - The Island Exploration Company Ltd.'</b>	This file comprises: - Extracts from reference material relating to the Islands geological makeup (1839-1868); - A bibliographic listing on publications relating to mining and geological survey on the Isle of Man; - An extract from 'The Times', dated Wednesday 15 Feb 1956, relating to prospecting for base metals in the Isle of Man; - A copy Engineer's Report, dated 18 Mar 1907, relating to Kerroo Mooar and the surrounding district; - An extract from Tynwald proceedings, dated 16 Jan 1951, regarding the refusal of licences by the Forestry, Mines and Lands Board; - A copy report entitled 'Additional Report of the Reconnaissance Survey of the Isle of Man, Jul-Aug 1953' - A letter from John Taylor and Sons to the Island Exploration Company Ltd., dated 5 Feb 1954, relating to report work undertaken.	1 file	16 Jan 1951- 27 Feb 1957	Open

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<p><b>S82/1/7/2</b> (Cont.)</p> <p>Item</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- A copy Isle of Man Water Board report entitled 'The Suitability from the Geological Aspect of Potential Reservoir Sites in the Corrant, East Baldwin and Glen Rushen Valleys, and observations on the prospects of acquiring a supply of underground water in the South of the Island' and dated 10 Feb 1952;</li> <li>- A copy report entitled 'Isle of Man Diamond Drilling Programme' and dated 23 May 1956;</li> <li>- A copy schedule of works, entitled 'Isle of Man Programmes for 1956';</li> <li>- A copy letter from Explorers Alliance Limited to John Taylor and Sons, dated 25 Jul 1956, relating to Isle of Man mining development;</li> <li>- A copy of a talk given on 27 Jul 1956 by J D Jacobson, entitled 'The Geochemical Reconnaissance Survey of the Isle of Man';</li> <li>- A copy letter from John Taylor and Sons to the Forestry, Mines and Lands Board, dated 27 Jul 1956, relating to field activities between 1 Apr 1956-30 Jun 1956;</li> <li>- A record of a meeting with Prof Bruckshaw, dated 10 Aug 1956, relating to the interpretation of the results of aerial survey conducted by Hunting Aerosurveys over the southern half of the Isle of Man;</li> <li>- A record entitled 'Note on Visit To The Isle of Man by Mr A J P Walter';</li> <li>- An extract from a talk given by R H Skelton at the Manx Museum on 9 Nov 1951 relating to mining on the Island between 1845-1932;</li> <li>- Island Exploration Company Ltd copy minutes, dated 30 Nov 1956, relating the company's proposed work plan for the remainder of the year into 1957;</li> <li>- Copy progress report, dated 21 Jan 1957.</li> </ul>			
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S82/1/7/3 Item	<b>'1b - Geochemical Survey - Royal School of Mines (Leonard and Jacobson)'</b>	This file comprises: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Correspondence relating to survey works undertaken;</li> <li>- Summarised data captured during the survey;</li> <li>- Working papers relating to survey works undertaken;</li> <li>- A report entitled 'The Reconnaissance Survey of the Isle of Man by J. D. Jacobson'.</li> </ul>	1 file	Jun 1953-Feb 1954	Open
S82/1/7/4 Item	<b>'Report on Geochemical and Geophysical Tests Carried Out in the Isle of Man March/April, 1954'</b>	This file comprises: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Correspondence relating to Geochemical and Geophysical survey;</li> <li>- Summarised data captured during the survey; and</li> <li>- Various working papers relating to report formulation;</li> <li>- An original report entitled 'Geochemical and Geophysical Tests Carried Out in the Isle of Man March/April, 1954' by John Taylor and Sons.</li> </ul>	2 files	Feb 1954	Open
S82/1/7/5 Item	<b>'File no 4 - Geochemical Prospecting Reports'</b>	This file comprises: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- A report entitled 'The Application of Geochemical Soil Prospecting to the Location of Mineralization in the Isle of Man' by John S. Tooms';</li> <li>- A memorandum relating Geochemical Reconnaissance, Isle of Man;</li> <li>- A report entitled 'The Reconnaissance Survey of the Isle of Man' (Dec 1953);</li> <li>- A report entitled 'The Reconnaissance Survey of the Isle of Man (Jul-Aug 1953).</li> </ul>	1 file	1953-1957	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/7/6 Item	<b>'Report and Reflections on the Geology and Geophysical Survey Carried out on the Lead and Zinc Veins on the Isle of Man 1954-1955'</b>	These files comprise: - Annotated draft reports; - A report entitled 'Report and Reflections on the Geology and Geophysical Survey Carried out on the Lead and Zinc Veins on the Isle of Man 1954-1955'.	2 files	10 Feb 1956	Open
S82/1/7/7 Item	<b>'Copy Reports by Mr W. S. Tong'</b>	This file comprises: - Correspondence relating to technical reporting; - Tabulated data relating to excavation works undertaken; - A report, entitled ' Excavation and Mining Operations', and dated 20 Jul 1956; - Progress Reports relating to the Diamond Drilling programme, dating from 17 Aug 1956-7 Sep 1956.	1 file	6 Mar 1956- 16 Mar 1957	Open
S82/1/7/8 Item	<b>'Trenching No.1: Reports, plans and sections'</b>	This file comprises: - Cross section drawings of trenches dug; - Correspondence relating to trenching work; - Technical reports documenting progress of trenching works.	1 file	Mar-Jul 1956	Open
S82/1/7/9 Item	<b>'Progress Reports - John Taylor &amp; Sons to Island Exploration'</b>	This file comprises: - Various progress reports from specialist consultants and contractors relating to the prospecting programme including: John Taylor and Sons and the Imperial College of Science and Technology; - Copy minutes of specialist contractor's meetings relating to programmes, both proposed and realised, for the Isle of Man Exploration.	1 file	23 May 1956-8 Apr 1957	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/7/10 Item	<b>'Report on Progress of Geochemical Reconnaissance Survey on the Isle of Man'</b>	A progress report, compiled by John S. Webb, relating to geochemical survey undertaken on the Isle of Man.	1 report	21 Jun 1956	Open
S82/1/7/11 Item	<b>'A Progress Report on the Location of Bedrock and The Withdrawal Of Soil Samples'</b>	A progress report, compiled by John S. Taylor, relating to soil sampling work undertaken on the Isle of Man.	1 report	7 Jul 1956	Open
S82/1/7/12 Item	<b>'Report on an Airborne Geophysical Survey using the Electromagnetometer, Fluxgate, Magnetometer and Scintillation Counter for the Island Exploration Company'</b>	This volume comprises: - A report entitled 'Report on an Airborne Geophysical Survey using the Electromagnetometer, Fluxgate, Magnetometer and Scintillation Counter for the Island Exploration Company'.	1 volume	Aug 1956	Open
S82/1/7/13 Item	<b>'Airborne Geophysical Survey using the Electromagnetometer, Fluxgate Magnetometer and Scintillation Counter for the Island Exploration Co, 58 Atholl Street, Douglas, Isle of Man'</b>	This volume comprises: - A report entitled 'Airborne Geophysical Survey using the Electromagnetometer, Fluxgate Magnetometer and Scintillation Counter for the Island Exploration Co, 58 Atholl Street, Douglas, Isle of Man'.	1 volume	Aug 1956	Open
S82/1/7/14 Item	<b>'Report on Field Activities of the Island Exploration Company in the Isle of Man between 1st July and 30th September, 1956'</b>	A progress report detailing the work programme completed in Jul-Sep 1956.	1 report	8 Oct 1956	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/7/15 Item	<b>'Annual Report of the Consultants 1955/1956'</b>	A report issued by John Taylor and Sons, a specialist contractor of the Island Exploration Company, detailing all the work undertaken by the consulting firm in respect to the survey and exploration of the Island's mining potential.	1 report	16 Oct 1956	Open
S82/1/7/16 Item	<b>'Report on Island Exploration Companys Work Programme Dec 1956-Jan1957 '</b>	This file comprises: - A report relating to work programme agreed a meeting held on 30 Nov 1957; - A revised estimates regarding costs of programme; - a record of a London conference where a presentation on the work programme in the Isle of man was given by Mr Wilson.	1 file	30 Nov 1956- 22 Jan 1957	Open
S82/1/7/17 Item	<b>'Island Exploration Company - Reports'</b>	These files comprise records, which together, effectively document the progress of activites undertaken by the Island Exploration Company with a view to prospecting for minerals on the Island. The files include: - Copy quarterly progress reports with attached drawings mapping the Island's geology, stream reconnaissance mapping and sample locations; - Copy annual consultant reports to Island Exploration Company Ltd; - Copy annual progress reports from Island Exploration Company Ltd to Forestry, Mines and Lands Board; - Specialist, scientific reports relating to sample analysis.	2 files	1956-1958	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/7/18 Item	<b>'File no 3 Reports on Diamond Drilling'</b>	This file comprises: - Technical reports relating to the Island Exploration Company's Drilling Programme; - Copy minutes of the Island Exploration Company relating to drawing up a programme for drilling works.	1 file	1956	Open
S82/1/7/19 Item	<b>'Island Exploration Company: Progress Reports'</b>	This file comprises: an incomplete sequence of progress reports which detail the work programmes completed and summarises the challenges and findings that emerged in a given reporting period.	1 file	27 Jan 1957- 8 Apr 1957	Open
S82/1/7/20 Item	<b>'Island Exploration Company: The Foxdale Group of Mines'</b>	A report - researched, compiled and presented by W. H. Wilson - relating to the Foxdale Group of mines.	1 report	1 Feb 1957	Open
S82/1/7/21 Item	<b>'Report on Field Activities of the Island Exploration Company in the Isle of Man between 1st Jan and 31st Mar, 1957'</b>	A progress report detailing the work programme completed in Jan-Mar 1957.	1 report	3 Apr 1957	Open
S82/1/7/22 Item	<b>'Island Exploration Company: Visit to the Offices of McPhar Geophysics Ltd., 139 Bond Avenue, Don Mills, Ontario'</b>	A report documenting the findings of a visit to a Geophysics laboratory in Canada.	1 report	18 Apr 1957	Open

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S82/1/7/23 Item	<b>'Island Exploration Company: A short report on activities to revive mining in the Isle of Man'</b>	A report detailing the progress made in the survey and exploration work undertaken in order to resurrect the Island's mining industry.	1 report	30 Apr 1959	Open
S82/1/7/24 Item	<b>'Prospecting in the Isle of Man'</b>	A progress report detailing the work programme completed and summarising challenges and findings.	1 report	1 Apr 1957- 31 Mar 1958	Open
S82/1/7/25 Item	<b>'Island Exploration Company: Exploration for Mineral Deposits in the Isle of Man'</b>	A report - researched, compiled and presented by W. H. Wilson - relating to the exploration of minerals in the Isle of Man.	1 report	3 Jul 1957	Open
S82/1/7/26 Item	<b>'File no 2 General Reports'</b>	This file comprises varied reports on the history of prospecting on Island, such as: - 'The Present State of the Exploration of Mineral Deposits in the Isle of Man'; - 'The Island Exploration Company Limited: Exploration of Mineral Deposits on the Isle of Man'; - 'Notes on Visit to the Isle of Man by A. J. P Walter'; - 'The Possible Revival of the Mining Industry on the Isle of Man by A. J. P Walter'; - 'R. H. Skeltons presentation and tables'.	1 file	1950s	Open



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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/7/27 Item	<b>'Old Records Extracted from Mining Journal and Geology of the Isle of Man by G. W. Lamplugh'</b>	This volume comprises: - Research notes relating to the history of prospecting in the Isle of Man; and - Extracts collated by relating to the history of prospecting in the Isle of Man by John Taylor and Sons.	1 volume	1950s	Open
S82/1/7/28 Item	<b>'General Reports - to be returned to file no 2'</b>	This file comprises: - Collated research reports from contractors regarding feasibility of reinvigorating the Manx mining industry via new prospecting works; - Transcripts and supporting documentation relating to talks given by specialists regarding mining and the Island's geology at the Manx Museum.	1 file	1950s	Open
S82/1/7/29 Item	<b>'General Reports - to be returned to file no 5'</b>	This file comprises: - Historical reference material collated into a report and executive summary by specialist contractors at Ballaquayle library and Manx Museum regarding the history of mining on the Island; and - Collated extracts from mining journals and copy minutes from earlier mining companies which operated on the Island (circa. 1800s-early 1900s).	1 file	1950s	Open

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<b>S82/1/8</b> SubSeries	<b><u>Working field maps and drawings</u></b>	Briefly, this subseries comprises working plans and drawing produced by the Island Exploration Company and its specialist contractors during mineralogical survey and prospecting work undertaken on the Isle of Man during the 1950s.	18 drawings	1950s	Open
<b>S82/1/8/1</b> Item	<b>'Ballacorkish: Isle of Man: S.P. Survey Sept 1954'</b>	A drawing that maps and details the results of self potential survey at Ballacorkish at a scale of 1:100.	1 drawing	4 Nov 1955	Open
<b>S82/1/8/2</b> Item	<b>'Ballacorkish: Isle of Man: Results of Magnetometer Survey Sept 1955'</b>	A drawing that maps and details the results of magnetometric survey at Ballacorkish at a scale of 1.5:100.	1 drawing	14 Nov 1955	Open
<b>S82/1/8/3</b> Item	<b>'Foxdale Mines: Isle of Man: E.M. Survey, Sept 1955'</b>	A drawing that maps and details the results of electromagnetic survey undertaken at Foxdale at a scale of 6:1.	1 drawing	14 Nov 1955	Open
<b>S82/1/8/4</b> Item	<b>'Foxdale: Isle of Man: E.M. Survey, Sept 1955 &amp; G.C. Survey, Aug 1953'</b>	A drawing that maps and details results of electromagnetic and geochemical survey conducted at Foxdale in the 1950s at a scale of 1:200.	1 drawing	3 Nov 1955	Open
<b>S82/1/8/5</b> Item	<b>'Foxdale: Isle of Man: G.C. Survey 1953'</b>	A drawing that maps and details results of geochemical survey conducted at Foxdale at a scale of 1:200.	1 drawing	3 Nov 1955	Open
<b>S82/1/8/6</b> Item	<b>'E.M. Traverses (North) Over Dalby Mountain'</b>	A drawing that maps and details results of electromagnetic survey undertaken in the vicinity of Dalby mountain at a scale of 6:1.	1 drawing	[circa 1950s]	Open

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<b>S82/1/8/7</b> Item	<b>'E.M. Traverses Over Foxdale Lode'</b>	A drawing that maps and details results of electromagnetic survey undertaken in the vicinity of Foxdale mines at a scale of 6:1.	1 drawing	[circa 1950s]	Open
<b>S82/1/8/8</b> Item	<b>'E.M. Traverses at Carnagray'</b>	A drawing that maps and details results of electromagnetic survey undertaken in the vicinity of Carnagray at a scale of 6:1.	1 drawing	[circa 1950s]	Open
<b>S82/1/8/9</b> Item	<b>'Foxdale and Slieau Whallian: S.P. and E.M Survey'</b>	A drawing that details the self potential and electromagnetic survey results for field work undertaken in the vicinity of Foxdale and Slieau Whallian	1 drawing	[circa 1950s]	Open
<b>S82/1/8/10</b> Item	<b>'Section Across The Isle of Man'</b>	A drawing that details the geological makeup of 3 sections of the Isle of Man at a horizontal and vertical scale of 1.5:1. Section 1 details the Island's geology from Slieau Curn to Barony Hill, section 2 details the Island's geology from Glen Maye to Port Grenaugh, while section 3 details the Island's geology from Dalby Point to Langness.	1 drawing	[circa 1950s]	
<b>S82/1/8/11</b> Item	<b>'Northern Hematite Group'</b>	An overlaid drawing detailing the Island's geological makeup, as classified by G Lamplugh.	1 drawing	[circa 1950s]	Open
<b>S82/1/8/12</b> Item	<b>'Isle of Man Geology'</b>	A drawing that maps and details areas of: crush conglomerate, slightly altered slate, highly altered slate, Dhoon granite, Foxdale granite.	1 drawing	[circa 1950s]	Open

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S82/1/8/13 Item	<b>'S.P. Survey Slieau Whallian, Isle of Man'</b>	A drawing that details the geological makeup of the areas of the Island under survey at a scale of 6.1. The drawing also includes two legends, one relating to the Island's geology and the other for self potential values.	1 drawing	14 Nov 1956	Open
S82/1/8/14 Item	<b>'Slieau Whallian and Foxdale: Isle of Man: Geological Map'</b>	A drawing that maps and details the Island's geological makeup in the vicinity of Dalby mountain, Slieau Whallian and Foxdale at a scale of 6.1. Notably the drawing details the following: axis of self potential anomalies; tension cracks and joints parallel to tensions cracks; and cleavage, strikes and dips.	1 drawing	14 Nov 1956	Open
S82/1/8/15 Item	<b>'Dalby Mountain: Isle of Man: Geological Section Across Dalby Mountain'</b>	A drawing that details the geological section of the Island in the vicinity of Dalby mountain at a scale of 6:1.	1 drawing	14 Nov 1956	Open
S82/1/8/16 Item	<b>'Archallagan (Foxdale): Isle of Man: Map of Topography and S.P. Anomalies'</b>	A drawing that maps the topographical layout of the landscape within the vicinity of Archallagan and details self potential anomalies noted during survey.	1 drawing	1954	Open
S82/1/8/17 Item	<b>'Ballacorkish: Isle of Man: Map Showing Position of Old Working, Magnetometer and Self Potential Survey'</b>	A drawing that maps the area between Scholaby and Ballacorkish at a scale of 1:2500. The drawing also details magnetometer and self potential survey results for the locale.	1 drawing	[circa 1950s]	Open
S82/1/8/18 Item	<b>'Windy Common: Geochemical Probing'</b>	A technical drawing detailing the geochemical composition of samples taken in the vicinity of Windy Common and Gibdale, Isle of Man.	1 drawing	21 Jan 1957	Open

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Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
S82/1/8/19 Item	<b>'Isle of Man: Location of S.P. and E.M. Traverse Areas'</b>	2 drawings that map and detail the traverse areas in the Isle of Man which underwent both self potential and electromagnetic field survey by the Island Exploration Company Ltd. and its specialist contractors	2 drawings	[circa 1950s]	Open
S82/1/8/20 Item	<b>'Drawing of Borehole Part of IOM Sheet VII 9'</b>	A drawing that maps and details borehole at a scale of 50 inches to a mile.	1 drawing	[circa 1950s]	Open
S82/1/8/21 Item	<b>'Cornelly Traverse CN1'</b>	A drawing that maps and details the traverse excavated at Cornelly, Isle of Man.	1 drawing	[circa 1950s]	Open
S82/1/8/22 Item	<b>'Shughlaiquiggin: Showing Positions of D.D.H 4 and D.D.H. 5'</b>	A drawing that maps and details diamond drill hole locations in the vicinity of Shughlaiquiggin, inclusive of owner, tenant and agent details for the lands to undergo drilling.	1 drawing	Jan 1957	Open
S82/1/9 SubSeries	<b><u>Records Index</u></b>	<p>This subseries comprises an index that provides some evidence as to how scientific data, field sheets, technical drawings and reports were organised and stored over the duration of the exploration and prospecting work undertaken by the Island Exploration Company Ltd on the Isle of Man.</p> <p>High level information is captured in the index including: unique reference numbers and project storage locations.</p>	1 binder	[circa 1950s]	Open

# S82/2

## Island Exploration Company Ltd: administration and project management

### 1950s-1960s

**Alternative/previous reference numbers:** C632 (part)

**Accession number:** A57 (part)

**Extent:** 7 archive boxes

**Creator(s):** Isle of Man; Island Exploration Company Ltd.; 28 Jul 1955-14 Apr 1968 and Isle of Man; Forestry, Mines and Lands Board; circa 1950-1986

#### **Description of series:**

This series comprises the administrative and project management records of the Island Exploration Company Ltd and documents the company's activity on the Isle of Man. The series includes:

- Copy minutes;
- General and project correspondence;
- Financials;
- Chairman's annual reports.

#### **Arrangement of series:**

This series is divided into 4 subseries:

[S82/2/1 - Copy minutes](#)

[S82/2/2 - General and project correspondence](#)

[S82/2/3 - Financials](#)

[S82/2/4 - Chairman's Annual Speeches.](#)

**Access Status:** Open.

**Access conditions:** Open.

**Archivist Note:** Series level description created by Gavin Rowan, Records and Archive Officer, 4 Mar 2019.

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<b>S82/2/1</b> <b>SubSeries</b>	<b><u>Copy minutes</u></b>	This subseries comprises an incomplete sequence of copy minutes along with their associated correspondence and working papers.	2 files; 1 item	29 Sep 1955- 17 Dec 1957	Open
<b>S82/2/1/1</b>  Item	<b>'Island Exploration Company - Minutes of Meetings, Agenda etc...'</b>	This file comprises: - Draft licencing documents relating to prospecting rights; - Copy agreements and legal documents relating to the securement of prospecting rights; - Memoranda and articles of association; - Documents relating to management of company shares; - Copy minutes, actions and agenda; - Records relating to the financial administration of the company; - Reports, technical drawings and associated working papers to support board's decision making function.	1 file (3 folders)	29 Sep 1955- 17 Dec 1957	Open
<b>S82/2/1/2</b>  Item	<b>'Local Board Meetings etc...'</b>	This file comprises: - Copy minutes, actions and agenda; - Draft and copies of Chairman's annual speeches at Annual General Meetings; - Draft and copy reports; - Correspondence and other associated working papers which support the board's decision making function.	1 file	30 Nov 1956- 8 Jan 1957	Open
<b>S82/2/1/3</b>  Item	<b>'Meeting of Consultants and Staff of the Island Exploration Company'</b>	This document comprises the minutes of a meeting held between the Island Exploration Company and its specialist contractors on the 30 Nov 1956 relating to the proposed diamond drilling programme.	1 item	7 Dec 1956	Open



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<b>S82/2/2</b> SubSeries	<b><u>General and project correspondence</u></b>	Briefly, this subseries comprises the ingoing and outgoing correspondence of the Island Exploration Company during their time of operation on the Isle of Man.	6 files	1955-1959	Open
<b>S82/2/2/1</b> Item	<b>'The Island Exploration Company: Correspondence'</b>	<p>File comprises correspondence between the Island Exploration Company and various Isle of Man government Boards, specialist contractors, laboratories and technical experts discussing various matters regarding prospecting work being undertaken on the Island by the company.</p> <p>Topics discussed include but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Technical discussion relating to survey, drilling and sampling works as well as the scientific processing of said samples;</li> <li>- Securement of qualified personnel;</li> <li>- Securement of necessary equipment;</li> <li>- Agenda for meetings;</li> <li>- Discussion of budgeting and financial accounts relating to projects.</li> </ul>	1 file (3 folders)	20 Apr 1955- 30 Jun 1956	Open

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S82/2/2/2 Item	<b>'The Island Exploration Company: Correspondence'</b>	<p>File comprises correspondence between the Island Exploration Company and various Isle of Man government Boards, specialist contractors, laboratories and technical experts discussing various matters regarding prospecting work being undertaken on the Island by the company.</p> <p>Topics discussed include but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Technical discussion relating to survey, drilling and sampling works as well as the scientific processing of said samples;</li> <li>- Securement of qualified personnel;</li> <li>- Securement of necessary equipment;</li> <li>- Agenda for meetings;</li> <li>- Discussion of budgeting and financial accounts relating projects.</li> </ul>	1 file (3 folders)	4 Jul 1956- 31 Mar 1957	Open
S82/2/2/3 Item	<b>'The Island Exploration Company: Correspondence'</b>	<p>File comprises correspondence between the Island Exploration Company and various Isle of Man government Boards, specialist contractors, laboratories and technical experts discussing various matters regarding prospecting work being undertaken on the Island by the company.</p> <p>Topics discussed include but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Technical discussion relating to survey, drilling and sampling works as well as the scientific processing of said samples;</li> <li>- Securement of qualified personnel;</li> <li>- Securement of necessary equipment;</li> <li>- Agenda for meetings;</li> <li>- Discussion of budgeting and financial accounts relating projects.</li> </ul>	1 file (3 folders)	1 Apr 1957- 8 Aug 1959	Open

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<b>S82/2/2/4</b> Item	<b>'The Island Exploration Company: Correspondence'</b>	File comprises correspondence between the Island Exploration Company and various Isle of Man government Boards, specialist contractors, laboratories and technical experts discussing various matters regarding prospecting work being undertaken on the Island by the company.  Topics discussed include but are not limited to: - Technical discussion relating to survey, drilling and sampling works as well as the scientific processing of said samples; - Securement of qualified personnel; - Securement of necessary equipment; - Agenda for meetings; - Discussion of budgeting and financial accounts relating projects.	1 file (2 folders)	12 Sep 1956- 29 Oct 1957	Open
<b>S82/2/2/5</b> Item	<b>'Diamond Drilling - Tendering and Correspondence'</b>	File comprises general correspondence, quotations, invoices, bills of quantities and associated tendering documentation regarding the securement of a diamond drill in order for the Island Exploration Company Ltd. to undertake drilling and prospecting work.	1 file	9 Oct 1956- 3 Oct 1957	Open
<b>S82/2/2/6</b> Item	<b>'Compensation for damage done to land Mr. C. Quirke; and Foxdale Lands - Metalliferous Holdings Ltd.'</b>	A number subjects are adressed in this file, namely: - Correspondence and estimates relating to Mr Quirke's compensation claim; and - Correspondence between the Forestry, Mines, Lands Board and the Island Exploration Company relating to the expansion of Metalliferous holdings lease to include land to the east of Kionslieu Dam (increase 22.5 acres).	1 file	9 Oct 1956- 3 Oct 1957	Open

Reference Number	Title	Description	Extent	Date Range	Access
<b>S82/2/3</b> SubSeries	<b>Financials</b>	This subseries comprises: - Monthly operational estimates and costings; - Summarised accounts. Together, these records effectively document how work such as mapping, survey, prospecting and drilling were financed by the Island Exploration Company while they were operational on the Isle of Man.	4 files; 3 items	1956-1959	Open
<b>S82/2/3/1</b> Item	<b>'The Island Exploration Company: Programme from Oct 1956 - Summary Accounts'</b>	This file comprises: - Summarised accounts; - General correspondences relating to the financial administration of the company.	1 file	Oct 1956- May 1957	Open
<b>S82/2/3/2</b> Item	<b>'Island Exploration Company: Working Papers for Monthly Costings'</b>	This file comprises: - Monthly cost sheets detailing all disbursements made, divided by area of operation; - Field sheets and copy progress reports; and - Extracts from agenda and copy minutes in respect to monies to be disbursed.	1 file (2 folders)	30 Sep 1955- 31 May 1957	Open
<b>S82/2/3/3</b> Item	<b>'Island Exploration Company: Working Papers for Monthly Costings'</b>	This file comprises: - Monthly cost sheets detailing all disbursements made, divided by area of operation; - Field sheets and copy progress reports; and - Extracts from agenda and copy minutes in respect to monies to be disbursed.	1 file (3 folders)	Sep 1956- Feb1957	Open
<b>S82/2/3/4</b> Item	<b>'The Island Exploration Company: Liabilities and Assets'</b>	This document schedules the liabilities and assets of the Company as of the 4 Jul 1957.	1 item	4 Jul 1957	Open

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<b>S82/2/3/5</b> Item	<b>'The Island Exploration Company: Liabilities and Assets'</b>	This document details the financial position of the Company as of the 4 Jul 1957.	1 item	4 Jul 1957	Open
<b>S82/2/3/6</b> Item	<b>'Island Exploration Company: Revised Estimates'</b>	This file comprises: - Invoices and receipts; - Copy minutes and ingoing and outgoing correspondence relating to the financial administration of the company; and - Revised estimates relating to the financial administration of the company, divided by area of operation.	1 file	12 Sep 1957- 14 Jan 1959	Open
<b>S82/2/3/7</b> Item	<b>'The Island Exploration Company: Budget for Jul-Dec 1956 Inclusive'</b>	This document records the monies allotted to the varied activities undertaken by the Island Exploration Company.	1 item	1950s	Open
<b>S82/2/4</b> <b>SubSeries</b>	<b><u>Chairman's Annual Speeches</u></b>	This subseries comprises an incomplete sequence of Chairman's Annual speeches. Typically, this annual address was used as a means of updating shareholders on the company's general state of health - inclusive of the successes and challenges experienced by the company over the course of a given fiscal year.	4 items	25 Oct 1956- 17 Dec 1959	Open
<b>S82/2/4/1</b> <b>Item</b>	<b>Annual Speech</b>	An annual speech of the Island Exploration Company Ltd. delivered by the company Chairman, A. E. Kitto, at the company's inaugural Annual General Meeting	1 item	25 Oct 1956	Open
<b>S82/2/4/2</b> <b>Item</b>	<b>Annual Speech</b>	An annual speech of the Island Exploration Company Ltd. delivered by the company Chairman, A. E. Kitto, at the company's Annual General meeting	1 item	30 Dec 1957	Open

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<b>S82/2/4/3 Item</b>	<b>Annual Speech</b>	An annual speech of the Island Exploration Company Ltd. delivered by the company Chairman, A. E. Kitto, at the company's Annual General meeting	1 item	23 Dec 1958	Open
<b>S82/2/4/4 Item</b>	<b>Annual Speech</b>	An annual speech of the Island Exploration Company Ltd. delivered by the company Chairman, A. E. Kitto, at the company's inaugural General meeting	1 item	17 Dec 1959	Open



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