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TALK TITLE

The History of Mining in Hong Kong

Abstract: The past but once vibrant, mining industry in Hong Kong, has witnessed activity spanning the pre-colonial late-Qing dynasty, through the British rule and Japanese occupation, to the post-war period of economic recovery. Despite the fact that much work as carried out in the early twentieth century, including the territory-wide geological mapping exercise led by a team from the University of British Columbia and local surveying at different scales by both Hong Kong and expatriate exploration geologists and mining engineers, the general geology and particularly the mineral resources within the Colony's boundary was not well understood until somewhat later.

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