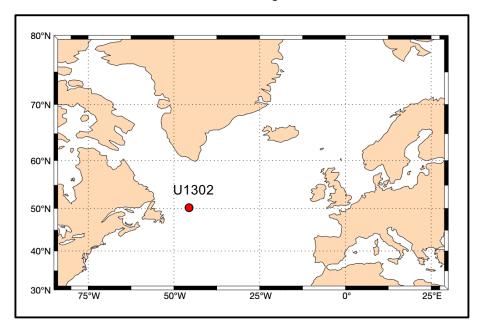
3 Myr of Laurentide Ice Sheet History Inferred from Cosmogenic Nuclides in Ice-Rafted Debris

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The goal of this project is to reconstruct the evolution of the Laurentide Ice Sheet across the Pleistocene. To do this, we are analyzing cosmogenic nuclides ¹⁰Be and ²⁶Al in quartz separates of ice-rafted debris taken from North Atlantic sediment cores. Previously, this approach was applied to North Atlantic sediments across the last glacial period and showed the Laurentide may have been persistent across many Pleistocene interglacials.





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