

A map of North America illustrating the extent of the Continental Ice Sheet approximately 25,000 years ago. The ice sheet is depicted in a light blue-grey color, covering most of Canada and the northern United States. The land not covered by ice is shown in shades of brown and tan, representing the topography of the continent. The Great Lakes are visible as white areas within the ice sheet. The Gulf of Mexico and the Caribbean Sea are shown to the south. The map includes labels for Canada, United States, Mexico, and Central America. A specific location, Tule Springs Fossil Beds National Monument, is marked in the southwestern United States.

CONTINENTAL ICE SHEET

(approximately 25,000 years ago)

CANADA

**Tule Springs Fossil Beds
National Monument**

UNITED STATES

MEXICO

CENTRAL
AMERICA