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PURPOSE

1. BRIEFLY OUTLINE TECTONIC FRAMEWORK AND PRINCIPAL TECTONIC FEATURES OF YUCCA MTN AREA

2. CLARIFY STATE'S CONCERNS ABOUT REQUIRED STUDIES AND THE FEASIBILITY OF SITE CHARACTERIZATION

SUMMARY

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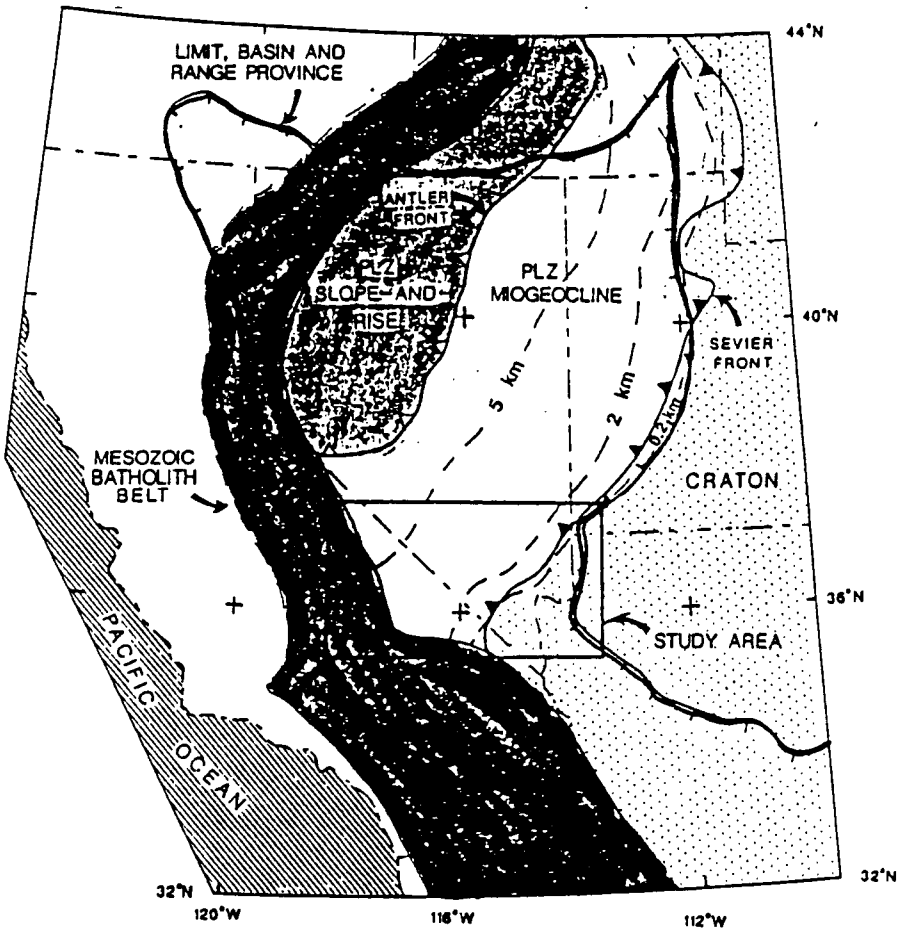
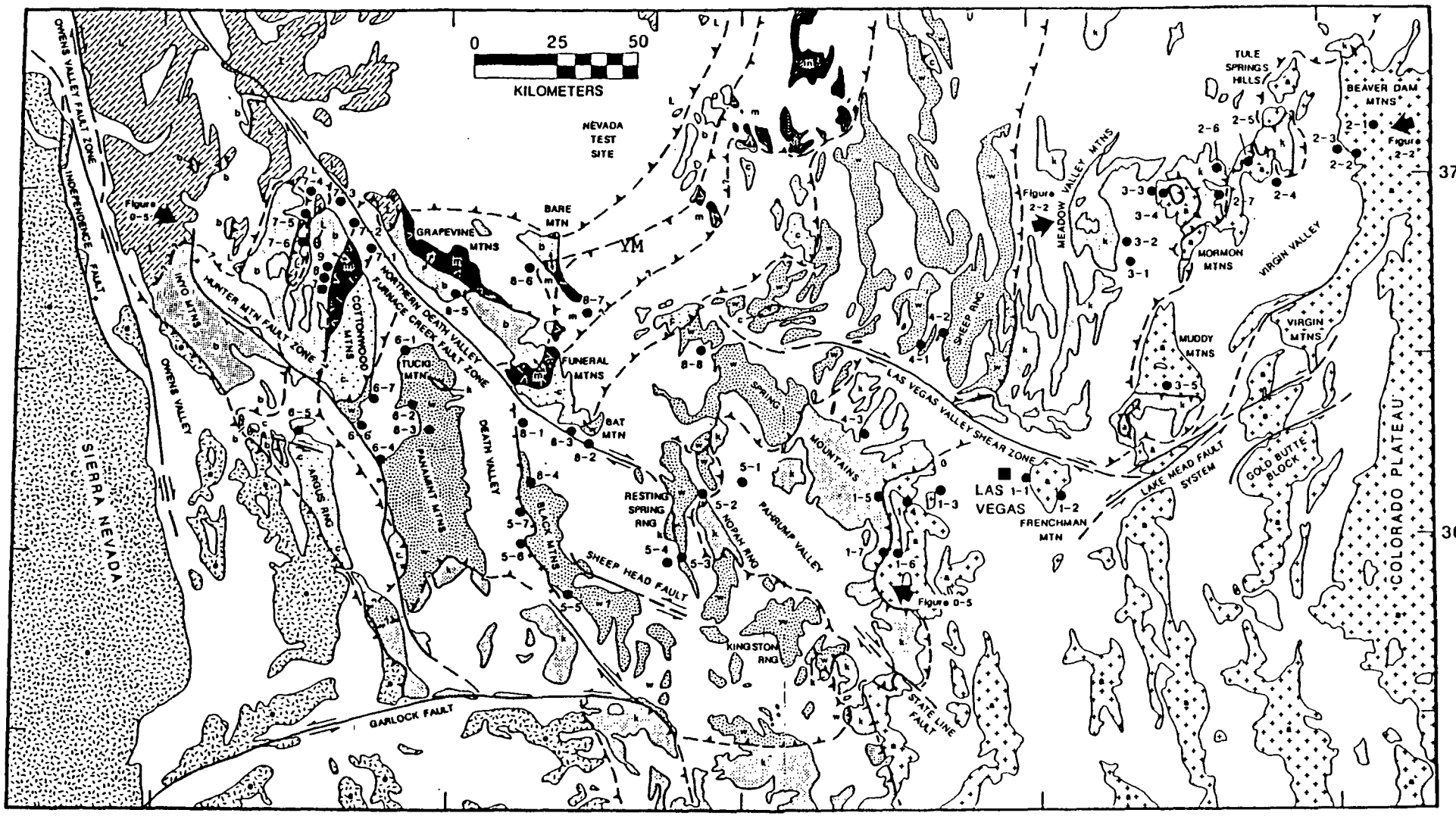


Fig. 0–2: Regional setting of the field trip area with respect to major components of the Cordilleran orogen [from Wernicke et al., 1988].



MESOZOIC TECTONIC UNITS

- rocks of EAST SIERRAN THRUST plate
- rocks of LAST CHANCE THRUST plate and equivalents
- rocks of MARBLE CANYON THRUST plate and equivalents above
- WHITE TOP MOUNTAIN BACKFOLD and equivalents
- rocks of Marble Canyon thrust plate BELOW backfold and equivalents
- rocks of CLERY THRUST plate and equivalents
- rocks of WHEELER PASS THRUST plate and equivalents
- rocks of KEYSTONE THRUST plate and equivalents
- AUTOCHTHONOUS and parautochthonous rocks below Keystone thrust and equivalents

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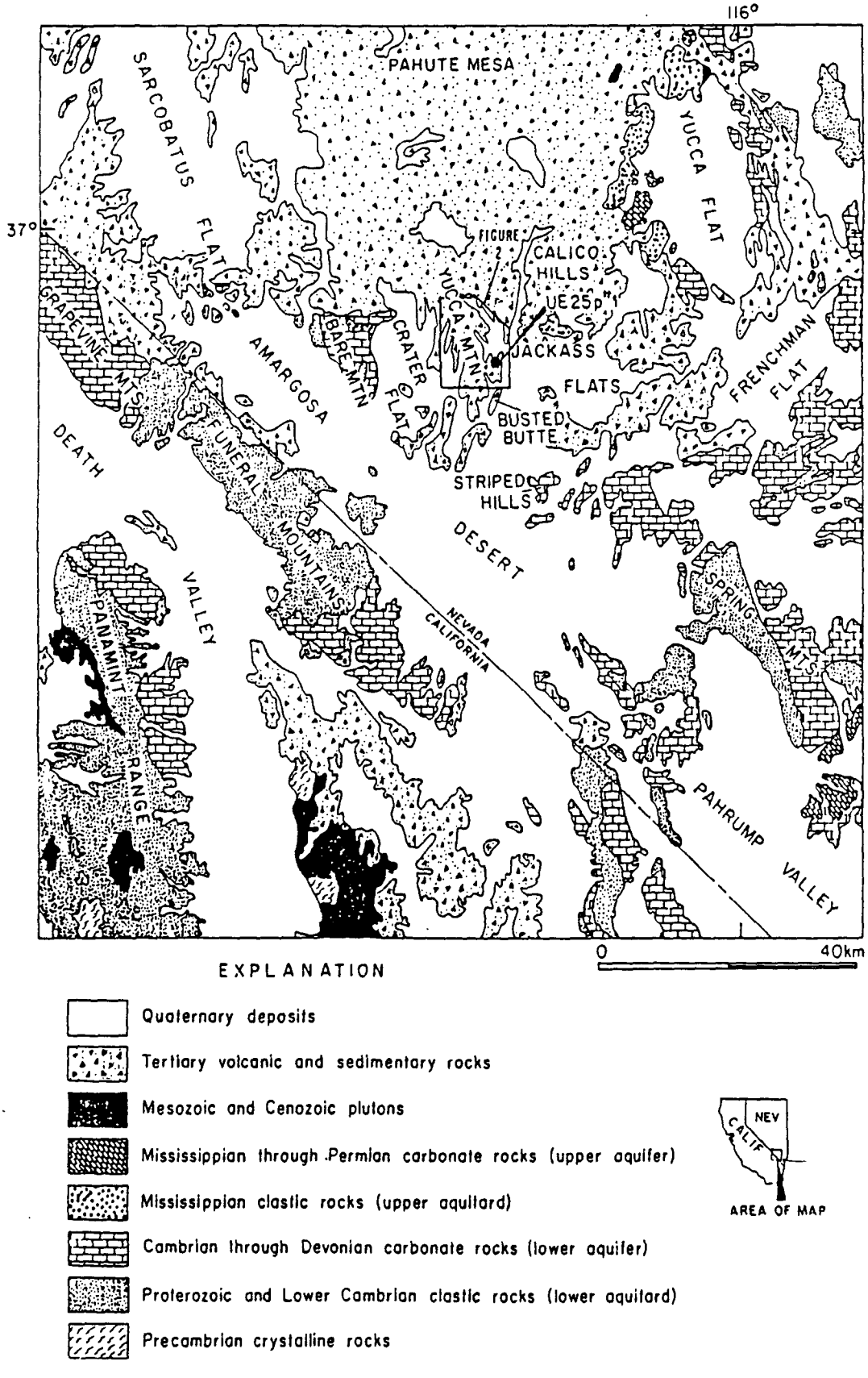


Figure 1. Generalized geologic map showing the major hydrogeologic units of Winograd and Thordarson (1975) in the region surrounding Yucca Mountain.

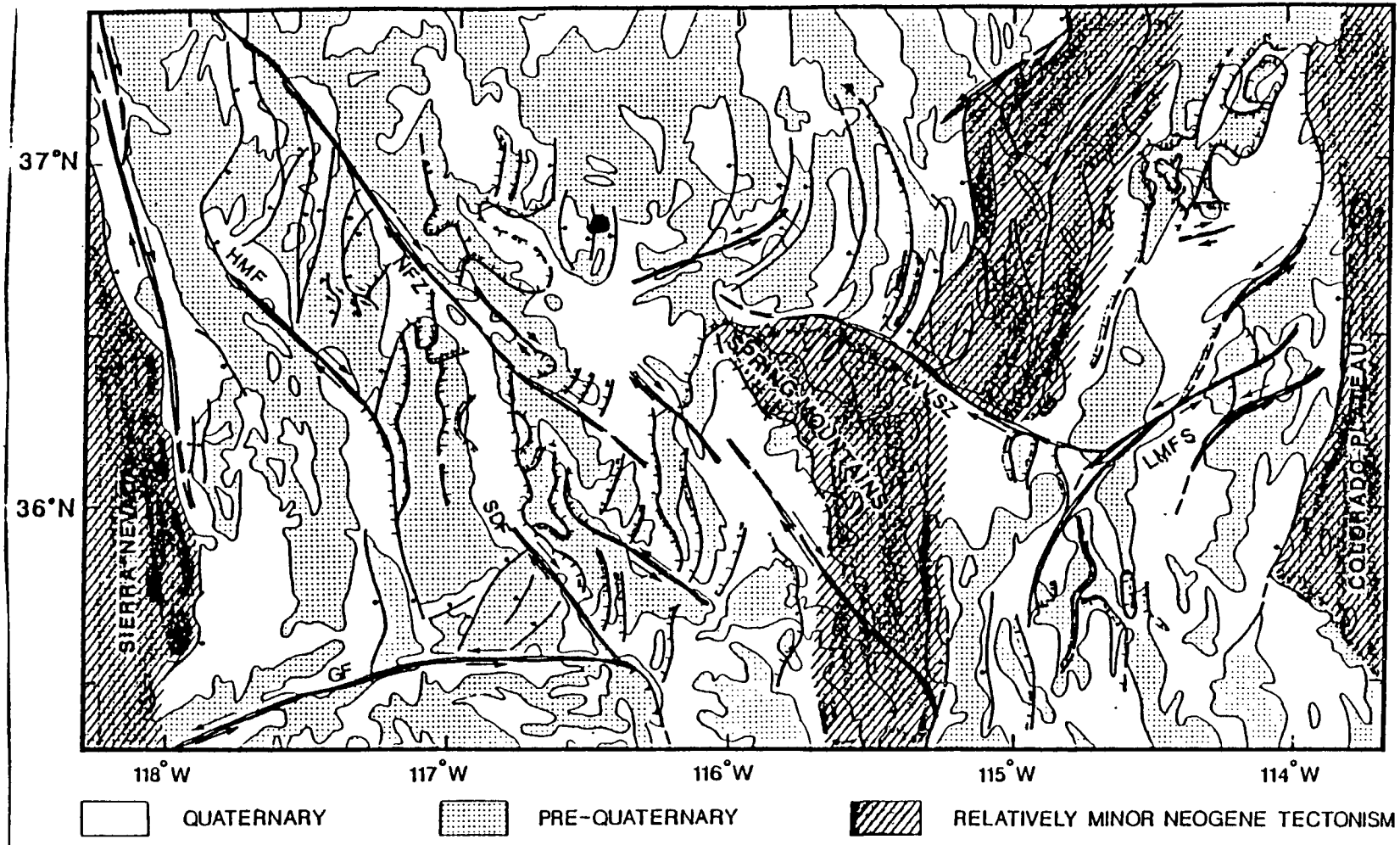


Fig. 0–6: Tectonic map of the Basin and Range province at the latitude of Las Vegas showing major Cenozoic fault systems. Areas of relatively minor Neogene tectonism bound two major extensional belts, the Death Valley extensional system to the west and the Las Vegas extensional system to the east. Tick-marked lines, low-angle normal faults; ball-and-bar symbol, high-angle normal faults; arrows, strike-slip faults; GF, Garlock fault; SDF, Southern Death Valley fault zone; HMF, Hunter Mountain fault; NFZ, Northern Death Valley-Furnace Creek fault zone; LVVSZ, Las Vegas Valley shear zone; LMFS, Lake Mead fault system. Note that left-lateral strike-slip faults tend to strike northeastward while right-lateral strike-slip faults strike northwestward [modified from Burchfiel and Davis, 1988 and Wernicke et al., 1988].

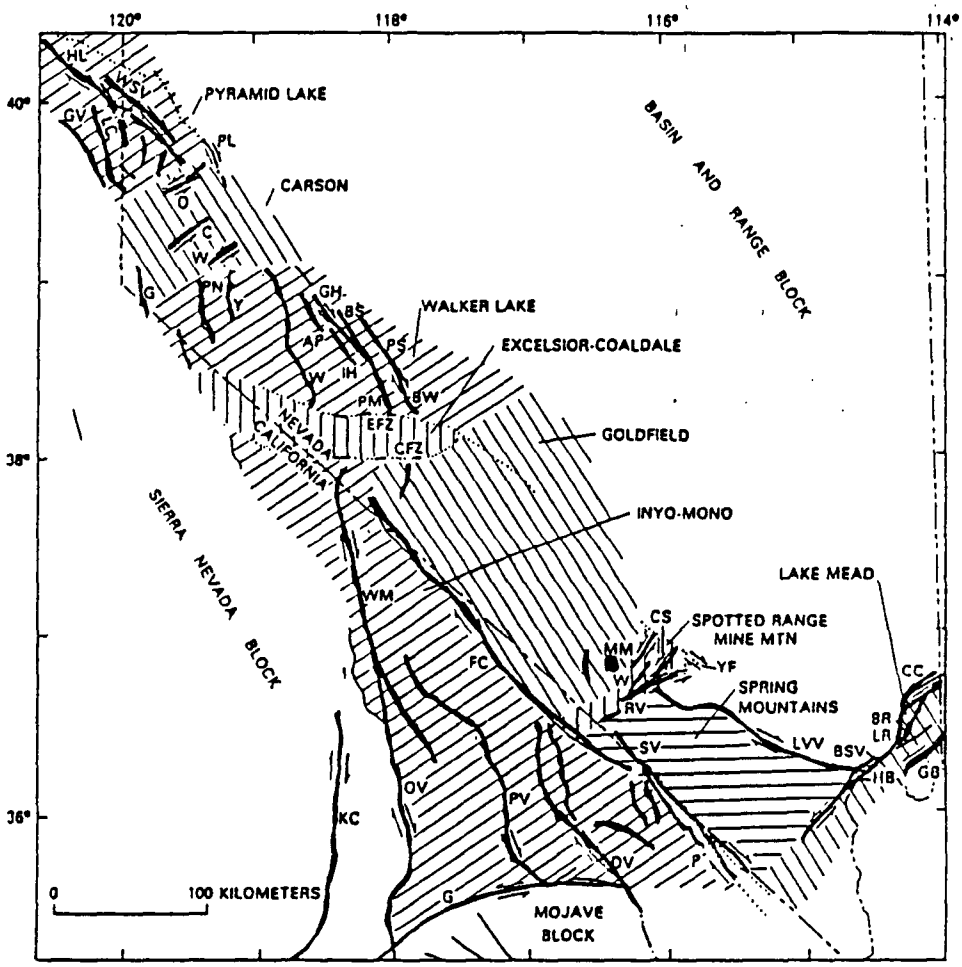


FIG. 25-3. Regional structural blocks and major faults in Walker Lane belt. Arrows indicate relative movement on strike-slip faults. Major faults or fault zone listed by structural blocks: PYRAMID LAKE BLOCK: HL, Honey Lake; GV, Grizzly Valley; LC, Last Chance; WSV, Warm Springs Valley; PL, Pyramid Lake. CARSON BLOCK: O, Olinghouse; C, Carson; W. Wabuska. WALKER LAKE BLOCK: G, Genoa; PN, Pine Nut; Y, Yerington; W, Wassuk; AP, Agai Pah Hills; GH, Gumdrop Hills; IH, Indian Head; BS, Benton Spring; PS, Petrifield Springs; PM, Pilot Mountains; BW, Bettles Well. EXCELSIOR-COALDALE BLOCK: EFZ, Excelsior; CFZ, Coaldale. INYO-MONO BLOCK: KC, Kern Canyon; I, Independence; WM, White Mountain; OV, Owens Valley; FC, Furnace Creek; PV, Panamint Valley; DV, Death Valley; G, Garlock; SV, Stewart Valley; P, Pahrump. SPOTTED RANGE-MINE MOUNTAIN BLOCK: MM, Mine Mountain; W, Wahmonie; RV, Rock Valley; CS, Cane Spring; YF, Yucca-Frenchman. SPRING MOUNTAINS BLOCK: LVV, Las Vegas Valley. LAKE MEAD BLOCK: BSV, Bitter Spring Valley; HB, Hamblin Bay; CC, Cabin Canyon; BR, Bitter Ridge; LR, Lime Ridge; GB, Gold Butte.

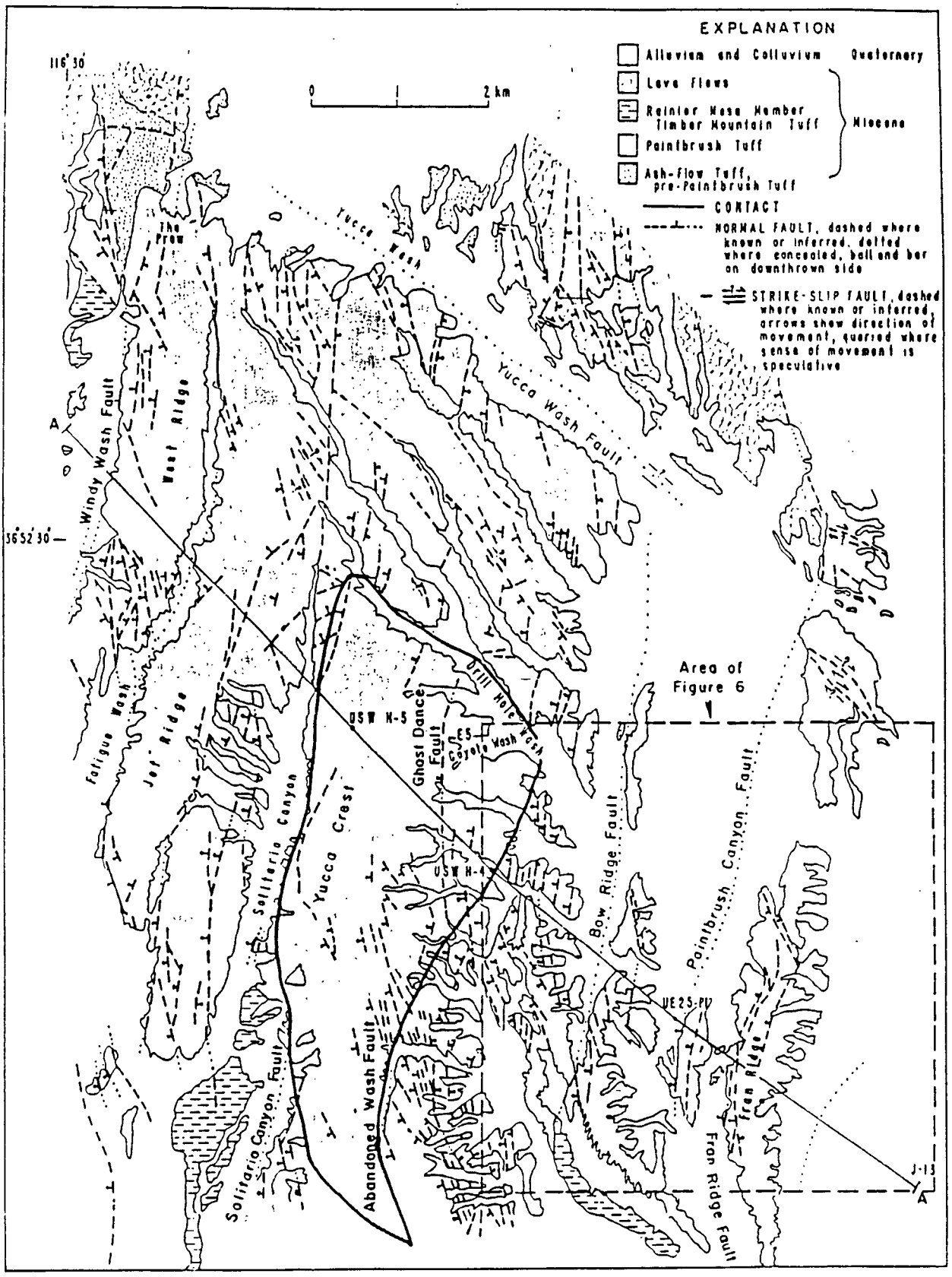
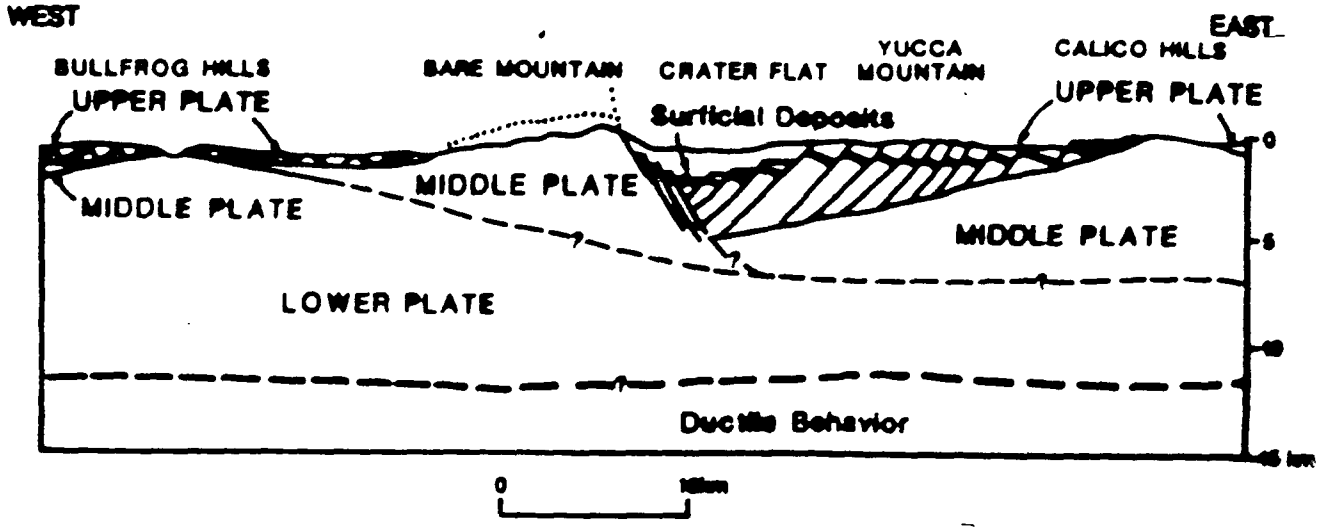
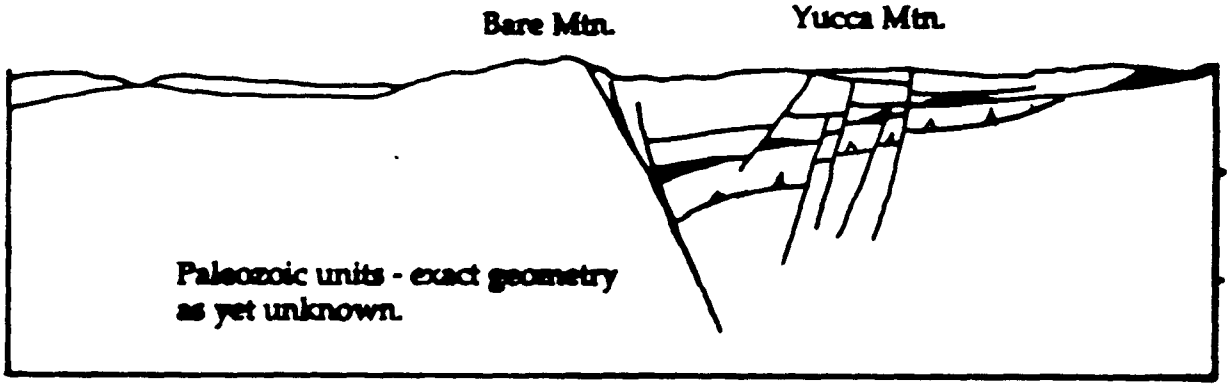


Figure 2. Generalized geologic map of Yucca Mountain. Proposed repository outlined by heavy line. Area of map corresponds to diagonally ruled area on figure 1. Modified after Scott and Castellanos (1984).

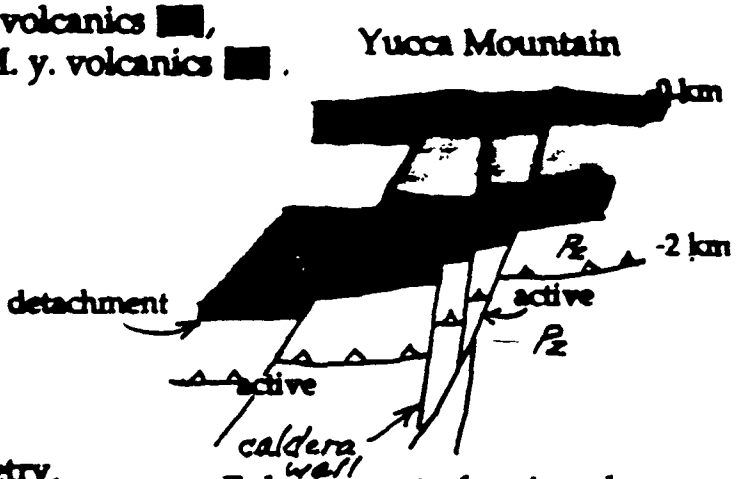
Two cross-sections of the Yucca Mountain region: top one by USGS, bottom one by Center for Neotectonic Studies, UNR.





Key to enlargement only: Pre-13.5 M.y. volcanics ▇, 13.5 - 11 M. y. volcanics, [ ], post-11.5 M. y. volcanics ▇. Sediments < 2 M. y.,

Cross-sections are schematic only.



Enlargement of region above, showing three generations of extensional faulting and displacement of volcanic units and older detachment.

<u>Significant differences between cross-sections:</u>

- we include more realistic fault geometry, and show the potential distribution of Lower Paleozoic (aquifer) units.
- we include three generations of faulting indicated by field evidence.
- we show one subhorizontal detachment, as opposed to three, for which there is good evidence.

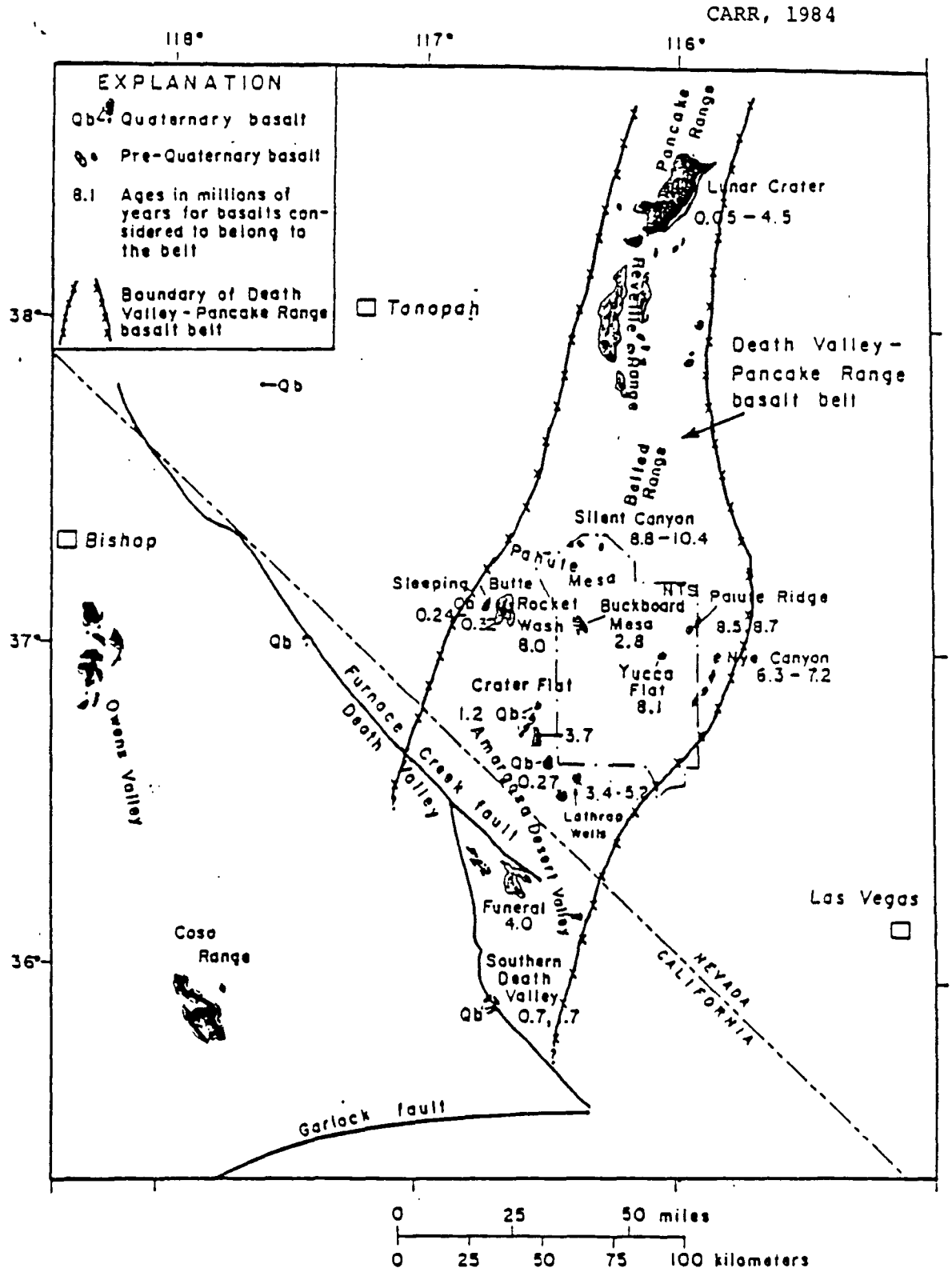


Figure 14.--Location and chronology of the Death Valley-Pancake Range basalt belt. Buried basalt just south of Lathrop Wells has reverse polarity and its age is therefore considered to be roughly that of the Gilbert magnetic epoch. Ages of the Lunar Crater and Reveille basalt fields are based on estimates from reconnaissance by W. J. Carr and two dates: (1) lower flow in Lunar Crater dated at 4.2±0.3 m.y. (R. F. Marvin, U.S. Geol. Survey, written commun., 1981), and (2) flow in the Reveille quadrangle, age reported as 5.7±0.2 m.y. (Ekren and others, 1973).

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TYPES OF FAULTS AT YUCCA MOUNTAIN	Exposed/Buried
1. Mesozoic thrusts with west and east vergence -generally place lower Pz carbonates on upper Pz clastics	Buried
2. pre-Middle Miocene detachment faults -evidence exists for large extension prior to 14 Ma	Buried
3. pre-Middle Miocene strike-slip faults -evidence exists for large dextral displacement prior to 14 Ma	Buried
4. ±14 Ma cauldron subsidence faults related to Crater Flat caldera	Buried
5. exposed faults that postdate Paintbrush Tuff -large normal displacement pre-Timber Mtn Tuff -moderate normal and strike-slip displacements post-Timber Mtn Tuff	Exposed

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POTENTIAL SIGNIFICANCE OF OLDER BURIED FAULTS AT YUCCA MOUNTAIN

1. Seismicity--They could be reactivated or could be intermittently active under different stress regimes

2. Hydrogeology--They could have a significant effect on groundwater flow paths and may be important to boundary conditions for groundwater models

3. Hydrocarbon potential--They could be responsible for the formation of hydrocarbon traps

4. Mineral potential--They could have formed channelways for hydrothermal fluids during various volcanotectonic events

5. Volcanic assessments--They could provide conduits for basaltic magma during volcanic events

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Surveying aid, U.S., Forest Service, Stanislaus N.F., California; summer, 1964, 1965, 1966; Party chief, 1966.

Field geologist, International Minerals and Chemical Corporation, Skokie, Illinois; summer 1967.

Teaching assistant, Stanford University, 1967-70.
Acting instructor of geology, Summer Field Geology, Stanford University; Summer, 1968, 1970.

Exploration geologist, Texaco, Inc., Los Angeles, California, 1971-72.

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Geologist, U.S. Geological Survey, Menlo Park, California; Spring, 1973.

Lecturer in Geology, California State University, San Jose, California; Spring, 1973: Course in advanced structural geology.

Visiting Assistant Professor of Geology, California State University, San Francisco, San Francisco, California; Summer, 1973: course in field geology.

Assistant Professor of Geology, Columbia University, New York, N.Y.; July, 1973 - June, 1978.

Associate Professor of Geology, Columbia University, New York, N.Y.; July, 1978 - June, 1982: Courses in stratigraphy, tectonics, and field geology.

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Fellowships and Awards

1967 Honorary International Minerals and Chemical Corporation - Louis Ware Fellow (stipend turned down to accept NSF Fellowship).

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Geological Field Experience:

Summer, 1966, and 1968; winter, 1969: Mapping of Eocene-Miocene marine and nonmarine sedimentary rocks in Transverse Ranges of California.

Summer, 1966 and 1968 (latter half): Mapping of plutonic, volcanic, and metamorphic rocks in the eastern Sierra Nevada, California.

Summer, 1967: Detailed mapping and economic evaluation of pegmatites, anorthosites, and nepheline syenites in North Carolina, Virginia, Ontario (Canada), and South Dakota.

1968-71: Detailed mapping of key areas and reconnaissance mapping of a larger region in the eastern Sierra Nevada, California; study of shallow-level plutons and metamorphosed Mesozoic pyroclastic rocks in roof pendants.

Summer, 1972: Reconnaissance mapping and measurement of stratigraphic sections in an 80 by 250 mile segment of Alaska Peninsula.

Summer, 1974, 1975: Mapping of blueschist terrane, northern Sierra Nevada.

August, 1974 and August, 1975: Field study of Dunnage melange and associated intrusive rocks, Newfoundland.

Summer, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983: Detailed mapping of Paleozoic island-arc sequence and its basement, northern Sierra Nevada; reconnaissance of Paleozoic rocks of Sierran belt; structural and tectonic study of Calaveras Complex, central Sierra Nevada, California.

December-January, 1975-1976: Structural study of metamorphosed basement rocks in the South Shetlands, Antarctica.

May, 1978, September, 1978: Reconnaissance and structural study of Schistes Lustres terrane, Corsica.

Summer, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988: Structural study of high Sierra roof pendants, eastern Sierra Nevada, California.

Summer, 1986: Structural and neotectonic study of faults in Santa Maria basin, California

1988-1989: Tectonic study of Yucca Mountain region, southern Nevada

Field Courses Taught:

Summer 1973, 1976, 1979, 1981: Northern Sierra Nevada, California.

Summer, 1983: Snake Range, Nevada.

May 1975: Northern Scotland.

August, 1978: Swiss Alps.

Invited Lectures:

1976	Cornell University; SUNY Albany.
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1980	Skidmore College; U.C. Davis; University of South Carolina.
1981	Stanford University; University of Nevada--Reno; University of Washington; U.C. Santa Cruz; U.S. Geological Survey, Menlo Park.
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