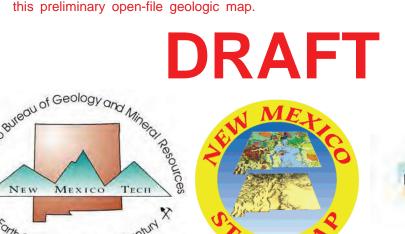


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Younger, medium to coarse-grained alluvial fan deb ris and thin de posits along p resent stream courses. TIm Qt Talus and Stream-Terrace Alluvium Older, mainly coarse-grained fan and terrace deposits; talus deposits of various ages. Locally thick accumul ations of coarse-grained alluvium in Cuchillo Creek and Margarita Canyon.

Qls Landslide Deposits (Quaternary) Mainly in domains of loose alluvial deposits and I atered pyroclastic rocks, includes some talu s.

Olivine Basalt Sequence (4.8 my; Seager, and other s, 1984)

Mesa-capping remnants of flows; Porphyritic aphanitic, dark gray, dense to vesicular, flow layered, weathers medium g ray to reddish b rown; small to large phenoc rysts of lust rous b rown olivine in a groundmass of plagioclas e, olivin e, pyroxene and glas s. Tbx Mesa-capping remnants of flows; local vent complexes of altered breccia and tuf f. Tbi Dikes and small plug s.

Ridge and mesa-capping remnants of lag-g ravel and cobble cover on one-extensive agg raded su rface.

Valley-fill conglome rate, probably equivalent to Palomas and Santa Fe beds.

Tax Upper Andesite Sequence (18.3 Ma (?); Seager, and other s, 1984) Thin to thick flows, commonly with basal agglome rate; vent complexes of breccia, agglome rate and Pvroxene Andesite

Fine-grained to aphaniti c, medium to dark gray and locally yellowish brown to brick red, dense to finely vesicular and scoriaceous; weathers dull g ray and b rownish g ray, locally pu rplish g ray to reddish b rown; forms slopes with pl aty to blocky rubble, numerous rib-like ledges with rough surfaces, and several high p rominent cliffs. Typically pilotaxitic with sparse to rare small phenoc rysts of placioclas e, pyroxene, biotite and ho rnblende; widesp read dustings of o res; vesicles open or partly filled by calcite, zeolites, silica and chlorite.

Porphyritic rhyolite dikes and plugs; includes minor younger felsite and fine-g rained granitic dikes and plugs in the a rea of

Tr Rhyolite-Trachyte Sequence Sheets of tuff and tuff b reccia, in places intertongued with tuffa ceous conglome rate; local flows and small to moderately large flow

Medium to coarsely porphyritic, light gray and buf f, flow-layered and in gene ral non-vesicular; weathers tan to brownish-gray; forms smooth to bouldery outcrop slopes. Phenocrysts of al kali feldspar, sparse bioti te, and rare pyroxene in a trachytic groundmass of

Trc Conglome rate Tuffaceous, pebbly, light-gray to brownish gray, thin to medium bedde d, well cemented; abundant rounded to subangular clasts of rhyolite, trachyte, and esite, quartz and al kali feldspar in a det rital rhyolite matrix; forms low, rounded out crops and

Coarsely porphyritic, light gray and pin kish gray, distinctly flow-layered and locally somewh at vesicular; weathers reddish gray to maroon and reddish b rown; forms rough slopes and bold i rregular cliffs; in places associated with c rudely layered to massive crystal tuff that is similar in composition. Phenocrysts, chiefly large crystals and crystal fragments of quartz, alkali feldspar, and biotite, set in a flow-layered to brecciated aphanitic m atrix; locally abunda nt small mia rolitic agg regates of quartz and al kali feldspar.

Fine-grained, light-gray and pin kish gray to white, loose to well consolid ated but not welded, thin to very thick bedded; commonly traversed by sub-parallel cross-fractures; interlayered with tuff b reccia; weathers dull g ray to tan; forms smooth slopes and few prominent outcrops. Crystals and crystal fragment of sanidin e, quartz, biotite and glass in a devitrified matrix; rare small fragments of rhyolite and trachyte; scattered cavities lined with euhed ral crystals of quartz and al kali feldspar.

Fine to coarse grained, light gray and buff to purplish rown, moderately compact to densely welded, medium to thick bedded ; weatherstan to reddish b rown; forms rubbly knobs and so pes, ledgy slopes and bold, vertically jointed diffs. Crystals and c rystal fragments of quartz, sanidine and biotite in a finely layered and de formed matrix of devitrified glass; flattened clasts of pumice in some bed s, small to very large clasts of rhyolite in others; abundant blocks of andesi te in vent accumulations; some beds with numerous small cavities filled by intergrown quartz and al kali feldspar.

Thin to thick flows, generally with basal aggome rate; sheets and lenses of tuf f, tuff breccia, and conglome rate.

Tai Dikes, sills and small plug s. vroxene Andesite

Fine-grained to aphaniti c, medium bluish g ray to dark bluish or g reenish g ray, dense and uni form to finely po rphyritic, in part amygdaloidal ;weathers dull g ray, brownish g ray, maroon and reddish b rown; forms smooth to rubbly slo pes, irregular ledge s, and prominent dark cliffs and butt resses. Typically a felted agg regate of plagioclase I aths with interstitial pyroxene, ores and rare biotite, with or withour la rger subhed ral to euhed ral crystals of plagi oclase and pyroxene; amygdaloidal fillings of calcite, silica, epidote, zeolites and chlo rite.

Fine to coarse grained, reddish yellow to dark reddish b rown, thin to medium bedde d, moderately compact but not welded; forms smooth to rubbly slopes and sc attered low ledges.

Coarse and rubbly, greenish gray to reddish b rown closely pac ked blocks of andesi te in a matrix of highly al tered pyroclastic material; forms rubbly slopes and no p rojecting outcrops.

Tuffaceous, pebbly to blocky, gray and buff to light reddish b rown, thick to medium bedded ; abundant angular to subrounded clasts of andesi te in a det rital andesi te matrix; forms low ledges and rubbly slope s.

Sheets and I ocal vent accumul ations of tuff and tuff b reccia. TdI Lavender Member

> Vitric-crystal tuff and tuff b reccia, medium to coarse grainned, light gray and lavender to pinkish gray and buff; medium to very thick bedded; locally welded and dens e, especially in I ower part; weathers yellowish to purplish b rown; forms low to high diffs and butt resses. Crystals of quartz, sanidin e, plagioclas e, and biotite in a partly compacted matrix of devitrified glass and fragments of pumice. Tdw White Member

> Vitric-lithic-crystal tuff, fine grained, light gray to white, thin to medium bedde d, soft and porous; irregularly platy near base; coarsens near top; weathers dull-g ray and forms few outcrops. Fragments of plagioclas e, biotite, sparse quartz and sanidin e, and pumi ce, dacite, and latite in a matrix of devitrified glass.

Vitric-crystal tuff and tuff b reccia, fine to medium g rained, brick-red to brownish red, porous to compact; moderately to densely welded in some a reas; forms rubbly slopes and I ow cliffs. Distinctive flattened fragments of pumice, commonly an inch of mo relong, with fragments of plagioclas e, sparse bioti te and sanidin e, and rare quartz in a compacted groundmass of d evitirified glass dus ted with hem atite.

Vitric-lithic-crystal tuff, fine to medium grained, white and pin kish-gray to tan and light reddish brown, thin to medium bedded; generally porous and pun ky, but in places densely welded; weathers medium b rown and forms local rounded outcrops. Fragments of plagioclas e, biotite, pumice, welded tuf f, and dacite in a devitrified glassy m atrix. Tdtb Tuff Breccia representing local vent accumul ations. Tdv Variegated Member

Vitric-lithic-crystal tuff, fine-grained, yellowish and pin kish gray to brown and b rownish red, thin to medium bedded; generally porous and punky, but in places welded or well cememnted; forms local ledges and rounded out crops. Fragments of plagioclas e, biotite, pumice, welded tuff, dacite, and latite in devitrified glassy matrix. Tdb Basal Welded Member

cliffs. Groundmass of devitrified glass crowded with fragments of latite, andesite, and latitic tuff; abundant flattened clasts of d evitrified pumice; rare fragments of plagioclase, quartz and bitote.

The geology as shown in the map and cross sections and data from this explanation are preliminary and subject to revision. The map compilation has not been field checked and does not reflect natural or cultural changes in the area since 1979.

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TIm Leucomonzonite Small stocks and sill s.

> Tla Latite-Andesite Sequence Undifferentiated Sheets and lenses of tuff and tuff b reccia, thin to moderately thick flows; local vent complexes of tuff, tuff breccia, and flow rocks; lacust rine accumul ations of volcaniclastic sedime nt; dikes and small plug s. Latite and Trachyandesite Porphyritic aphanitic and aphanitic, greenish gray to maroon and dark purplish gray, propylitically altered; typically

in moderately thick to thick flow units; forms bouldery outcrops and bold cliffs. Phenocrysts mainly albit zed plagi oclase and hornblende al tered to epido te and chlo rite; rare biotite and pyroxene; quartz and al kali felspar restricted to groundmass. Tuff Breccia Medium to extremely coarse grained, dull lavender and greenish gray to purplish gray and dark maroon, massive and dense, propylitically altered; forms rounded hills with rubbly to bouldery slopes. Fine-grained groundmass of al tered

pyroclastic materials typically crowded with sub-andgular to rounded fragments of latite and trachyandesite; clasts of Permian sedime ntary rocks locally abunda nt near base of sequen c.e Fine grained and crystal poor, greenish and pin kish gray to purplish brown, thin to thick bedded, in general altered; compact but apparently not welded; typically intertongued with tuff b reccia; forms few extensive outcrops.

Water Laid Tuff Tuffaceous mudstone, siltstone and sands tone, greenish g ray and oli ve drab to medium b rown, thin bedded, locally fossili ferous; represents lacust rine deposition of reworked volcanic deb ris, possibly with addition of air fall tuf f; forms few extensive outcrops.

Kd Dakota Formation equi valent (?) (Upper Cretaceous)

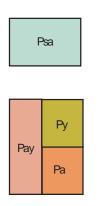
Manzano Group (Permian)

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PALEOZOIC



Psa San Andres Formation Limestone, fine-grained, medium to dark gray, thin to medium bedded, fossili ferous, generally fetid when st ruck; subordinate interbeds of silty limestone, yellowish to reddish silts tone, and reddish fine-g rained sanstone; forms many ledgy outcrops. Py Yeso Formation Sandstone and silts tone, varigated in shades of yellowish, greenish and reddish to reddish b rown, thin to medium bedded; abundant medium to dark gray, medium to thick bedded limes tone in middle and up per parts; rare thin beds of gypsiferous siltstone; thickest limestone beds commonly form low, rib-like cliffs. Pa Abo Formation Siltstone, mudstone and sands tone, red, maroon, and yellowish to reddish b rown, thin to medium bedded, generally calcareous; thin beds and lenses of g reenish g ray limestone and reddish b rown limestone-pebble conglome rate near

base; lowermost part fossiliferous and may be equivalent to Bursum Formation.

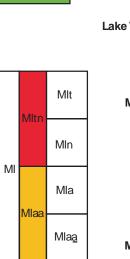
Unconfomity (?) Magdalena Group (Pennsylvanian) Pt Transition Beds

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bedded, fine to medium g rained g ray limestone abunda nt in upper and middle parts; many thin to thick beds and lenses of conglome rate with sil ty to san dy fossili ferous matrix and abunda nt pebbles of limes tone, siltstone and chert; uppermost part may be equivalent to Bursum Formation. Pm Madera Formation Limestone, fine to medium g rained, light to medium g ray, thin to very thick bedded, commonly che rty, locally n odular, sparsely to abundantly fossili ferous; numerous shaly partings and rare layers of calcareous silts tone; thin to thick beds of vit reous or tho quartzite near base; thickest limestone beds form prominent gray diffs, weathering brownish where chert isabundant. Ps Sandia Formation Siltstone and silty sandstone, greenish gray to reddish brown, calcareous, slab by and platy to papery where weathered,

medium to thick bedded, light gray to brownish or thoquartzite in middle and up per parts; pebble to large-block conglome rate and b reccia, with fragments of chert and coarse grained limes tone at base; forms some led gy outcrops. Mk Kelly Limestone (Mississippian)



Limestone and coquina, medium to very coarse grained, light bluish gray to very light gray, thick bedded to massive, locally rich in light colored chert; forms broad "whaleback" outcrops and rounded cliffs. Lake Valley Formation (Mississippian) Mlt Tierra Blanca Member Limestone medium to coarse grained, light to medium bluish g ray, platy to thick bedded, locally fossili ferous, with sparse to abundant lenses of pin kish to light gray; some beds of coquina near top; scattered silty partings;

forms some led gy outcrops. MIn Nunn Member Limestone, marl and coquina, fine to medium g rained, pinkish and yellowish to light gray, very thin bedded to platy, richly fossili ferous; sparse pods of gray chert near base, and locally abundant thin layers of pinkish to light gray chert in upper part; rarely well exposed. Mla Alamogordo Member Limestone, fine to medium g rained, medium to dark gray, medium to thick bedded, locally fossili ferous; layers and / bulbous lenses of che rt with distin ctive light and dark gray concentric layering; forms rib-like ocutcrops and locally prominent cliffs.

Mlaa Andrecito Member Limestone and marl, fine to medium grained, light to medium bluish gray, very thin to medium bedded and I ocally nodular, richly fossili ferous; includes nume rous silty partings and thick I ayers of deli cately bedded calcareous silt; rarely well exposed.

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Dp Percha Shale (Devonian)

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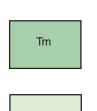
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weathers to greenish gray chips and yellowish to light brownish gray plates and disk s. Fusselman Dolomite (Silurian)

Dolomite, fine to medium grained, medium to thickly bedded, locally cherty; forms ledges and I ow cliffs.

ALLUVIUM (Qal) TALUS (Qt), OLDER ALLUVIUM (Qoal) AND LANDSLIDE DEPOSTS (QIs) OLIVINEBASALT To, Tox, Tbi PEDIMENT GRAVELS Tp WINSTON BEDS AND CUCHILLO BEDS Twc YOUNGEF **VOLCANIC ROCKS** Tax, Tav, Tai (?) Tr, Trt, Trc, Trr/Trv, Trb Ta, Td, Tdl, Tdw, Tdr, Tdt Tdv, Tdb OLDER **VOLCANICROCKS** Y Y Y TI, Tm, TIm, Tla CRETACEOUS STRATA _____Y _ ¥ _ ¥ PERMIAN STRATA Psa, Pay, Py, Pa PENNSYLVANIAN STRATA Pt, Pm, Ps CAMBRIA MISSISSIPPIAN Mk, Mltn, Mlaa, Dp, Do, Omc, Oma, Omu, Omcc, Oe AMPHIBOLITE METARHYOLITE pCm,pCa Diagram illustrating age and fieldrelationships of principal faults and intrusive masses withrespect to the stratigraphic section in the Serra Ouchillo and flarking areas. Vertical proportions reflect differences in thicknesses of most stratigraphic units, but are not to scale (Jahns, et. al., 1978; Figure 2).



TI Latite Dikes and small sill s.

Tm Monzonite Porphyry (48.8 my; Chapin, personal communication) Dikes, sills, small stocks and lac coliths.

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Omc Oma Om Omu • • • •	 Omc Cutter Member Dolomite, finely crystalline to sublith ographic, very light gray to greenish gray, thin to moderately thick bedded and locally irregularly bedded, in part cherty; scattered silty layers and partings; generally weathers to smooth, light colored surfaces, but forms brownish crusty surfaces where cherty. Oma Aleman Member Dolomite and limestone, fine-grained, light to medium gray, thin to moderately thick bedded, with many undulatory silty partings; abundant banded gray chert in sub-paralled thin I ayers and thic ker globular lenses; forms bold outcrops and I ow cliffs with ribbed faces. Omu Upham Dolomite Dolomite and limestone, fine to moderately coarse grained, very light to medium gray and bluish gray, medium to very thick bedded; banded chert: sparse to moderately abundant in upper part; sandy dolomite in lowest part; locally forms rounded cliffs with surfaces that are rough in detail .
Ómcc	Omcc Cable Canyon Sandstone Orthoquartzite, vit reous, fine to coarse grained and pebbly, and sands tone with sili ceous or calcareous cement and
	numerous granules of quartz, chert, dolomite; light gray to yellowish and b rownish b ray; hard and resistant but forms low, blocky outcrops rather than conspicuous cliffs.
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Oe El Paso Limestone (Ordovician)

Bat Cave Member

Sierrito Limestone

Metamorphosed Volcanic Rocks

pGm Metarhyolite

pCa Amphibolite

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PRECAMBRIAN

C Bliss Sandstone (Cambrian and Ordovician)

and irregularly bedded; thickest beds form low, rib-like cliffs.

cliffs with gray to light brownish faces that appear banded.

Limestone and dolomi te, fine-grained, light to medium gray and pin kish gray, thin to medium bedded and

Upper part interbedded greenish gray to dark reddish brown sandstone, siltstone, and silty limestone and dolomi te

and dolomite, with many glau conite-rich layers; lower part interbedded light gray vitreous orthoquartzite, greenish

gray to dark brownish gray felspathic sands tone and sil ty sanstone, and medium to dark reddish b rown sands tone

with layers of oolitic hem atite; thick beds of orthoquartzite with thin lenses of quartz pebble conglome rate at base;

upper part of section forms dark colored slopes with some ledge s, lower part light to dark colored cliffs.

in places cut by dense dark-greenish gray metadiabas e, forms dark colored slopes.

in part irregularly bedded, locally cherty; sandy and silty partings in up per part; locally stromatolitic, detrital,

Limestone and dolomi te, fine to very fine grained, light to medium gray, thin to medium bedded with abunda nt closely spaced, crenulated lamin ations of light gray chert; glau conitic and locally silty near base; forms some low

Finely crystalline, in gerneral porphyritic with sparse to abundant small phen ocrysts of quartz and al kali felsdpar,

pinkish to creamy-gray with in conspicuous g reenish-g ray speckling; distinctly layered to essentially massi ve;

Medium - to coarse-grained, distinctly foliated, medium to dark greenish gray; numerous epido te-rich layers and small a mygdaloidal pods; local lenses and I ayers of b reccia (agglome rate?); small masses of metadiabase ;

Montoya Dolomite (Ordovician)

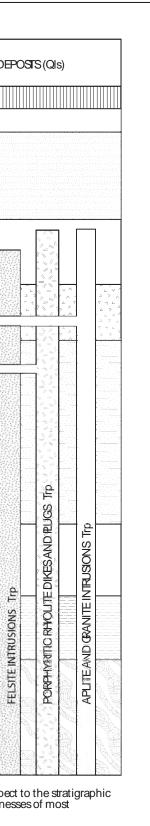
Interbedded orthoquartzite, shale, limestone, and locally abundant conglomerate with sili ceous or calcareous cement and closely packed pebbles of chert, jasper, quartz, limestone, and sands tone (probably all or in part equivalent to Dakota Formation); locally unde rlain by brown calcareous shale, bluish g ray limestone, and g ray silty sandstone; overlain by reddish-b rown shale.

Siltstone, mudstone, and sandstone, greenish to pinkish gray and yellowish to reddish b rown or maroon, generally calcareous; numerous thin interbeds of fossili ferous gray to pinkish or greenish nodular sil ty limestone; thin to thick

interbedded with limes tone, fine grained, light to medium gray, medium to thick bedded, commonly cherty; some

Sitstone, medium to dark gray, homogeneous, in part calcareous; thin layer of phosph atic nodules at base; much fractured and discolored with i ron oxides; weathers to thin greenish gray chips and forms few extensive outcrops.

Siltstone, medium to dark gray, calcareous, interbedded with medium g ray, silty, nodular to flaggy dolomite and limestone;



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Rhyolite-Trachyte Sequence	Tr	700	100	1350+
Lower Andesite Sequence	Та	550	550	250
Dacite-Rhyolite Sequence		(400)	(830)	(630+)
Lavender Member	Tdl	100	200	200
White Member		100	50	NP
Red Member		NE	30	30
Tan Member		NE	50	NP
Varigated Member		NE	100	NP
Basal Welded Member	Tdb	200	400+	400+
Latite-Andesite Sequence	Tla	600+	800+	800+
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Thicknesses of units that are incompletely exposed or are in part faulted out are indicated with plus

marks; total thicknesses of formations for which thicknesses of individual members also are listed are

enclosed by parentheses.

NE Unit not exposed in area

pCu Undifferentiated (Geologic Cross Sections)

forms bold cliffs and extensive rubbly outcrops.

Contacts — — — — Approximately Located or Inferred ---- Concealed Gradational ----- Inter-unit Bedding Form Lines Faults Well-Located with Dip of Fault Plane U = Upthrown Side D = Downthrown Side — — – Inferred ---- Concealed Anticline Syncline (Overturned) Syncline Symbols Strike and Dip of Bedding Vertical Bedding Horizontal Bedding Overturned Bedding Strike and Dip of Foliation Vertical Foliation Horizontal Foliation → 46 Bearing and Plunge of Line ation Direction of Landslide Movement TT TT Landslide S carp Radiomet rically Dated Sample Location A A' Oross-Section Line Jog in Section Jasperoid replacement; mainly of

carbonate units

projected on section

Generalized dip of bedding or foliation