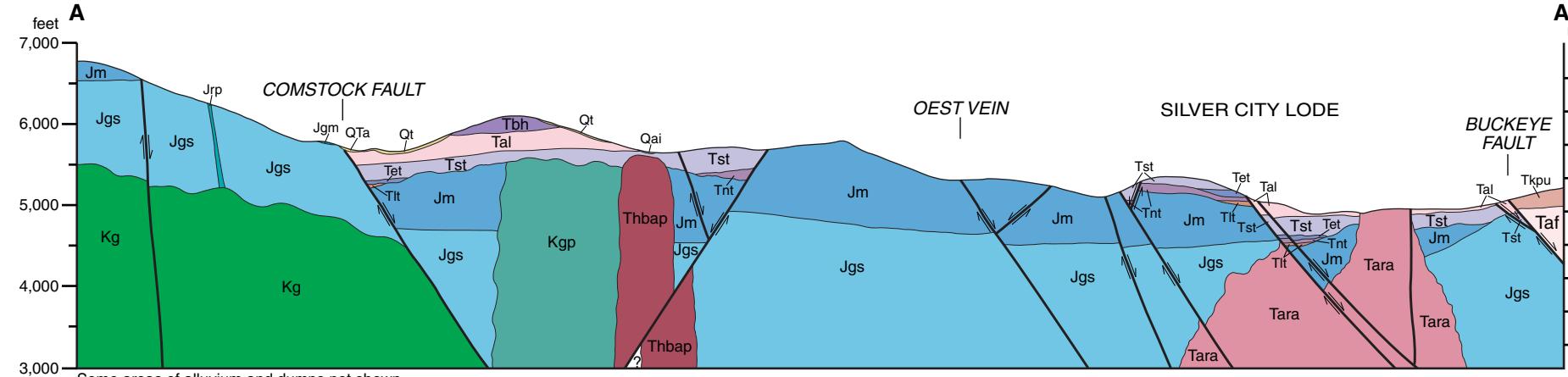


PRELIMINARY GEOLOGIC MAP OF THE VIRGINIA CITY QUADRANGLE, NEVADA

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Contact Dashed where approximately located; short dashes indicate internal contact; queried where uncertain.

Gravel contact Dashed where approximately located.

Fault Showing dip, dashed where approximately located; dotted where concealed, queried where uncertain; ball on downthrown side.

Clay alteration along fault Showing dip, dashed where approximately located; ball on downthrown side.

Vein coincident with normal fault Showing dip, dashed where approximately located; ball on downthrown side.

Vein Alunitic alteration along a structure too narrow to outline Showing dip, ball on downthrown side.

Silicification along a structure too narrow to outline.

Tourmaline – quartz vein

Strike and dip of bedding
Inclined Approximate ⊥ Horizontal

Strike and dip of foliation in metamorphic rocks
Inclined

Strike and dip of compaction foliation
Inclined, arrow shows bearing and plunge of lineation

Inclined, lineation subparallel to strike

Approximate

Strike and dip of foliation in igneous rocks
Inclined ⊥ Vertical

Strike and dip of joints
Inclined ⊥ Vertical

Strike and dip of platy jointing in lavas and hypabyssal intrusive rocks
Inclined ⊥ Vertical

Columnar joints Showing bearing and plunge; point of observation made at point of arrow

Scale 1:24,000
0 0.5 1 kilometer
0 1000 2000 3000 4000 5000 feet
CONTOUR INTERVAL 40 FEET
Base map: U.S. Geological Survey Virginia City 7.5' Quadrangle, Digital Raster Graphic, 1983

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