

Quaternary Fault and Fold Database of the United States

As of January 12, 2017, the USGS maintains a limited number of metadata fields that characterize the Quaternary faults and folds of the United States. For the most up-to-date information, please refer to the [interactive fault map](#).

unnamed faults in Big Valley area (Class A) No. 178

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Synopsis	
Name comments	
County(s) and State(s)	MODOC COUNTY, CALIFORNIA LASSEN COUNTY, CALIFORNIA
Physiographic province(s)	BASIN AND RANGE
Reliability of location	Good Compiled at 1:24,000 scale. <i>Comments:</i> Location of fault from Qt_ft_ver_3-0_Final_WGS84_polyline.shp (Bryant, W.A., written

	communication to K.Haller, August 15, 2017) attributed to 1:24,000-scale map by Wills (1990).
Geologic setting	
Length (km)	km.
Average strike	
Sense of movement	Unspecified
Dip	
Paleoseismology studies	
Geomorphic expression	
Age of faulted surficial deposits	
Historic earthquake	
Most recent prehistoric deformation	undifferentiated Quaternary (<1.6 Ma) <i>Comments:</i>
Recurrence interval	
Slip-rate category	Unspecified
Date and Compiler(s)	2017 William A. Bryant, California Geological Survey
References	#8375 Wills, C.J., 1990, Faults in the Big Valley area, Modoc and Lassen counties, California: California Division of Mines and Geology Fault Evaluation Report 220, in Fault Evaluation Reports Prepared Under the Alquist-Priolo Earthquake Fault Zoning Act, Region 3 – Northern and Eastern California: California Geological Survey CGS CD 2002-03 (2002).

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