

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](#).

Pulgas fault (Class A) No. 458

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Synopsis	
Name comments	
County(s) and State(s)	SANTA CLARA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA SAN MATEO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA
Physiographic province(s)	PACIFIC BORDER
Reliability of location	Good Compiled at 1:100,000 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 Brabb (1998, 2000).

Geologic setting	
Length (km)	16 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	#7967 Brabb, E.E., Graymer, R.W. and Jones, D.L., 2000, Geologic map and map database of the Palo Alto 30" x 60" quadrangle, California: U.S. Geological Survey MF-2332, scale 1:100,000. #7966 Brabb, E.E., Graymer, R.W., and Jones, D.L., 1998, Geology of the Palo Alto 30 x 60 minute quadrangle, San Mateo County, California: A digital database: U.S. Geological Survey Miscellaneous Field Studies Map MF 2332, scale 1:100,000. #2878 Jennings, C.W., 1994, Fault activity map of California and adjacent areas, with locations of recent volcanic eruptions: California Division of Mines and Geology Geologic Data Map 6,

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