

- Fluvial channel, bar, and terrace deposits of the Walker River (based in part on Adams, 2007)**
- Qra2 Active river channel river channel and emergent bars
  - Qra1 Active gravel bars
  - Qm Historical channels, bars and terraces, undivided
  - Qra5 Channels and bars related to flooding and channel migration in 1997
  - Qra4 Youngest pre-1997 fluvial deposits, coeval with part of Qra5
  - Qra3 Intermediate pre-1997 fluvial deposits, coeval with part of Qra4
  - Qra2 Older pre-1997 fluvial deposits, possibly coeval with Qra2
  - Qra1 Oldest historical channel deposit in map area, possibly coeval with Qra2

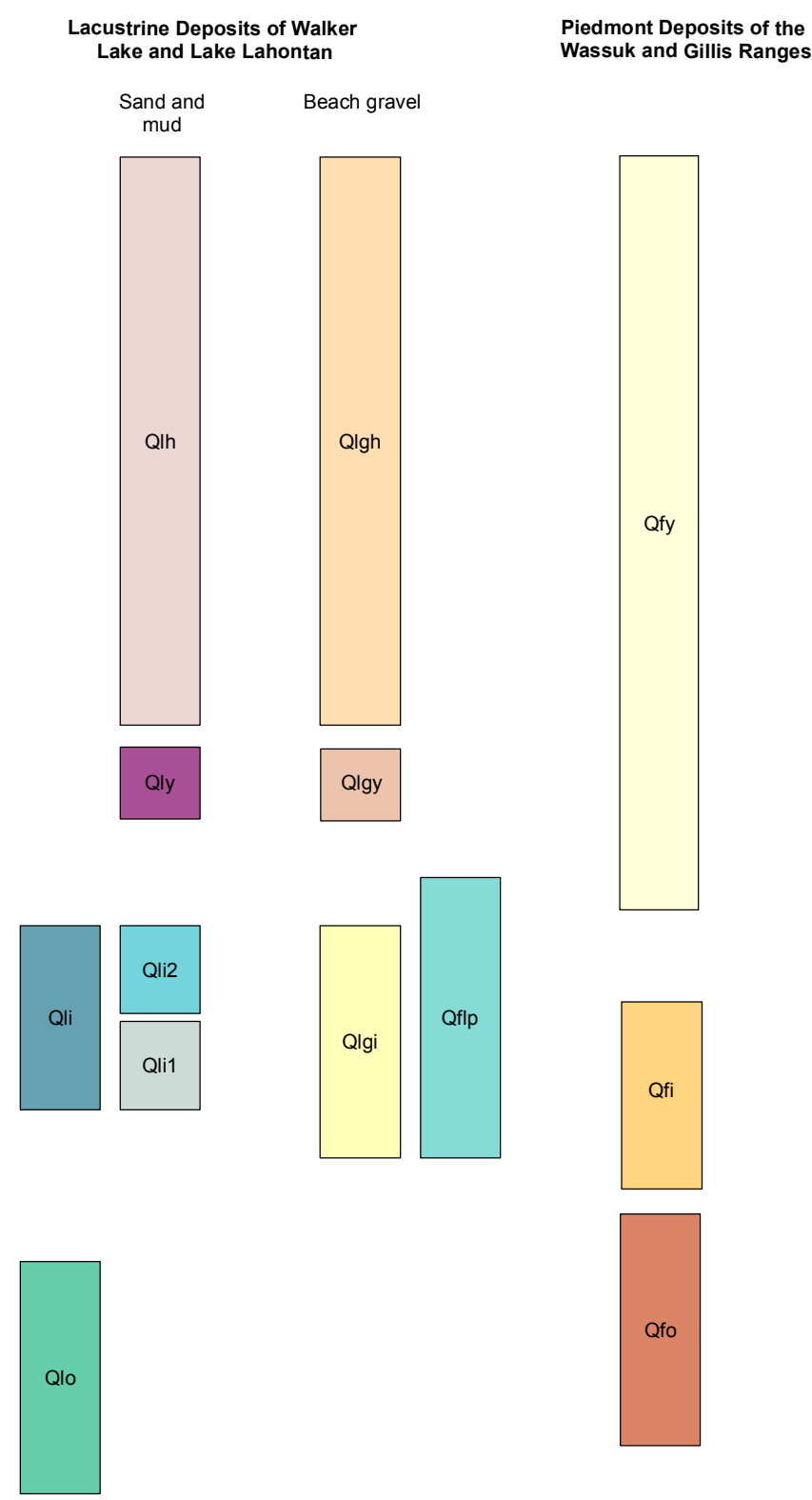
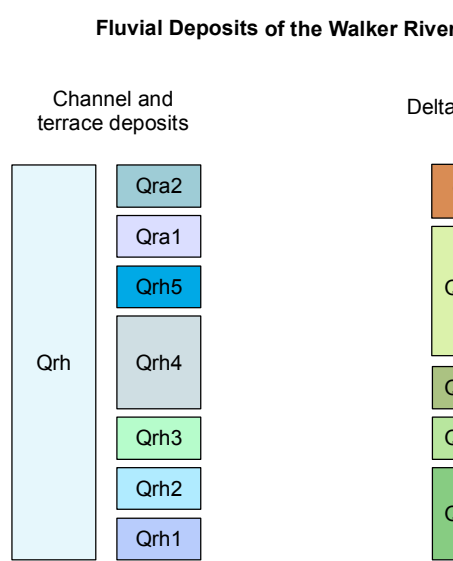
- Delta deposits of the Walker River (approximate age ranges adapted from Blair and McPherson, 1994)**
- Qra5 Active delta of the Walker River
  - Qra4 Historical delta deposits of the Walker River (ca. 1946-1997)
  - Qra3 Historical delta deposits of the Walker River (ca. 1925-1946)
  - Qra2 Historical delta deposits of the Walker River (ca. 1919-1925)
  - Qra1 Historical delta deposits of the Walker River (ca. 1900-1919)
  - Qra0 Historical delta deposits of the Walker River (ca. 1882-1900)

- Lacustrine Deposits of Walker Lake and Lake Lahontan (based in part on Demsey, 1987)**
- Beach gravel deposits**
- Qlgh Historical beach gravel and related shoreline features. Age ranges from 1868-1882 to the present
  - Qlgy Late Holocene beach gravel and related shoreline features
  - Qlg Late Pleistocene beach gravel
  - Qltp Late Pleistocene fan-pediment / lacustrine platform veneer sediments

- Undivided lacustrine sediments, mainly mud and sand**
- Qli Historical lacustrine sediments
  - Qly Late Holocene lacustrine sediments
  - Qli Late Pleistocene lacustrine sediments
  - Qli2 Youngest late Pleistocene lacustrine sediments. Includes gravel deposits related to stable lake level at 1310-1315 m
  - Qli1 Late Pleistocene lacustrine sediments. Includes Seehoo Highstand of Lake Lahontan
  - Qlo Middle to early(?) Pleistocene lacustrine sediments (cf. Rehels et al., 2002)

- Piedmont deposits of the Wassuk and Gillis Ranges (based in part on Demsey, 1987)**
- Qfy Holocene alluvial fan deposits
  - Qf Late Pleistocene alluvial fan deposits
  - Qfo Middle to early(?) Pleistocene fan deposits

- Miscellaneous deposits**
- Qpy Holocene playa sediments
  - Qe Holocene to late Pleistocene eolian sediments
  - Disturbed area / anthropogenic deposits
  - la Walker Lake



**Contact** Solid where certain and location accurate, long-dashed where approximate, short-dashed where inferred, dotted where concealed; queried where uncertain.

**Internal contact** Solid where certain and location accurate, queried where uncertain.

**Erosional shoreline** Solid where certain and location accurate; queried where uncertain. Triangles point onshore.

**Fault** Solid where certain and location accurate, long-dashed where approximate, short-dashed where inferred, dotted where concealed; queried where uncertain.

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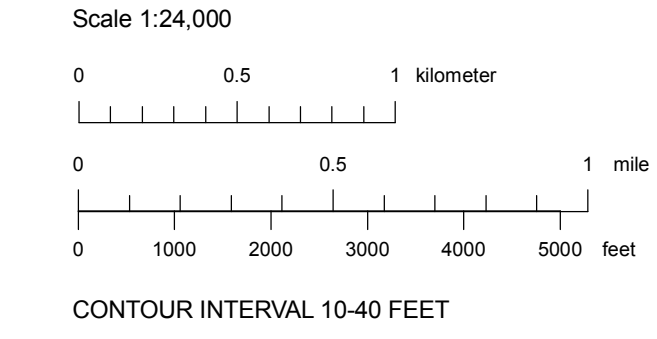
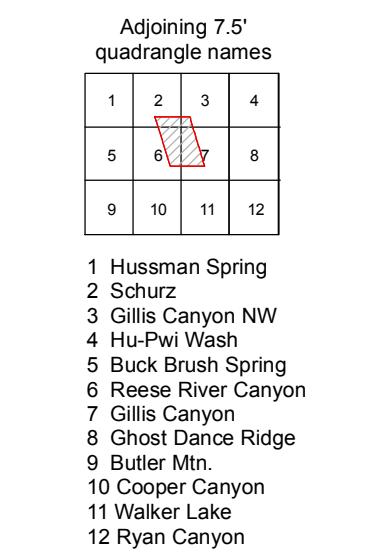
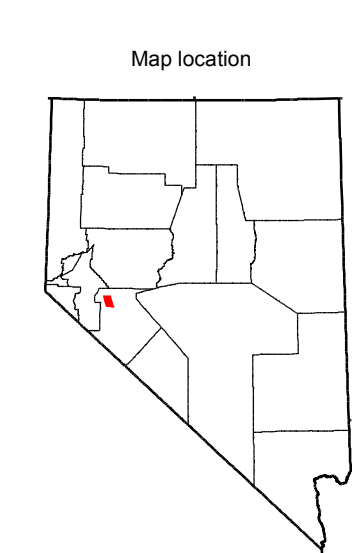
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