

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 <u>interactive fault map</u>.

San Joaquin fault (Class A) No. 403

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https://earthquakes.usgs.gov/hazards/qfaults, accessed 12/14/2020 03:10 PM.

Synopsis	
Name comments	Fault ID: Refers to fault number 200 of Jennings (1994).
County(s) and	STANISLAUS COUNTY, CALIFORNIA
State(s)	MERCED COUNTY, CALIFORNIA
	SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY, CALIFORNIA
	FRESNO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA
Physiographic province(s)	PACIFIC BORDER
Reliability of	Good
•	Compiled at 1:24,000 scale.
	Comments: Location of fault from Qt_flt_ver_3-0_Final_WGS84_polyline.shp (Bryant, W.A., written

	communication to K.Haller, August 15, 2017) attributed to 1:24,000-scale maps by Lettis (1982), Noller and others (1993) and Sowers and others (1993, 1993).
Geologic setting	
Length (km)	138 km.
Average strike	
Sense of movement	Unspecified
Dip	
Paleoseismology studies	
Geomorphic expression	
Age of faulted surficial deposits	
Historic earthquake	
Most recent prehistoric deformation	late Quaternary (<130 ka) Comments:
Recurrence interval	
Slip-rate category	Unspecified
Date and Compiler(s)	2017 William A. Bryant, California Geological Survey
References	#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, 92 p., 2 pls., scale 1:750,000.
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