## GEOLOGIC MAP OF THE HARTSHORNE 7.5' QUADRANGLE, LATIMER COUNTY, OKLAHOMA

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ARTIFICIAL FILL - Material used for road and railroad embankments. ALLUVIUM (QUATERNARY) - Gravel, sand, silt, and clay on flood plains of

variable; forms veneer generally less than 30 ft thick. Psv to light olive gray (5Y5/2) shale (Psv) with several mappable dusky yellow (5Y6/4) to yellowish gray (5Y7/2) to grayish orange (10YR7/4), fine- to very fine

beds. The Savanna Formation is present only in the northwest part of the quadrangle. The lower part (Psv1 and Psv immediately overlying Psv1) appears

to thin near and southeast of Craig. Thickness: 1700 ft. including (oldest to youngest): McCurtain Shale (Pmm), Warner Sandstone andstone Member is locally divided into lower (Pmw(I)) and upper (Pmw(u)) units. Unnamed shale labelled Pm separates the named sandstones above the

The McCurtain Shale Member (Pmm) is predominantly poorly exposed olive gray (5Y3/2 to 5Y4/1), laminated, spheroidally weathering, silty shale. plant material locally occurs on bedding planes. Includes platy, locally part of quadrangle southeast of Craig.

The Warner Sandstone Member (Pmw) is predominantly a relatively well exposed grayish orange (10YR7/4) to yellowish gray (5Y7/2), fine- to very fine grained, noncalcareous silty sandstone. Beds typically weather to slabs or lagstones and less commonly equidimensional blocks. Individual sandstone beds vary from less than 1 to over 5 ft thick and occur as isolated beds separated from others by covered intervals that are probably shale and siltstone to stacked beds forming cliffs as high as 40 ft. Both isolated and stacked beds locally show pronounced lenticularity and thickening and thinning. Ripple marks, crossstratification, and wavy bedding characterize most beds; some beds are unstratified, show plane-parallel stratification, and/or soft-sediment deformation features. Small amounts of mica, feldspar, and carbonized plant debris are present. Although mapped as a single unit, the Warner Sandstone Member Pmw, Pmw(I), Pmw(u)) consists of several moderately continuous to discontinuous sandstone beds separated by covered intervals. The Warner Sandstone Member (Pmw) in the northeast corner of the quadrangle locally is medium-fine-grained, exhibits large-scale low-angle hummocky(?) crossstratification, and locally contains channelform deposits. It may be equivalent to the lower Warner Sandstone Member (Pmw(I)) in the northwest part of the quadrangle. Thickness: Pmw - 60 ft; Pmw(I) - 225 ft in north, thins to 0 to southwest about 1 mi southeast of Craig; Pmw(u) - 130 ft; entire Warner Sandstone Member interval including shale (Pm) between upper and lower units

600 ft in north, thins to 350 ft to southwest about 1 mi southeast of Craig. The LeQuire Sandstone Member (Pml) is a poorly exposed silty sandstone and siltstone present only in the extreme northern part of the quadrangle nmediately west of Dow Lake. Thickness: 40 ft, thins to 0 to south. The Cameron Sandstone Member (Pmc) is a relatively well exposed, yellowish gray (5Y7/2) to dusky yellow (5Y6/4), very fine grained silty sandstone that typically weathers to flagstones that are ripple marked. Individual outcrops vary rom isolated 1- to 2-ft-thick sandstone beds to stacked sandstones 30 ft thick. Although mapped as a single unit, the Cameron Sandstone Member includes covered intervals that separate sandstone beds and are probably shale and siltstone. Locally, the Cameron Sandstone Member weathers to blocks or slabs. Common sedimentary structures, in addition to ripple marks, include crossstratification and wavy beds; lenticular bedding (pinch and swell) and softsediment deformation features are rare. Most of the unit is noncalcareous; calcite cement is present in an outcrop about 300 ft east of the pond in the C E1/2 sec. 10, T. 4 N., R. 16 E. Thickness: 200 ft.

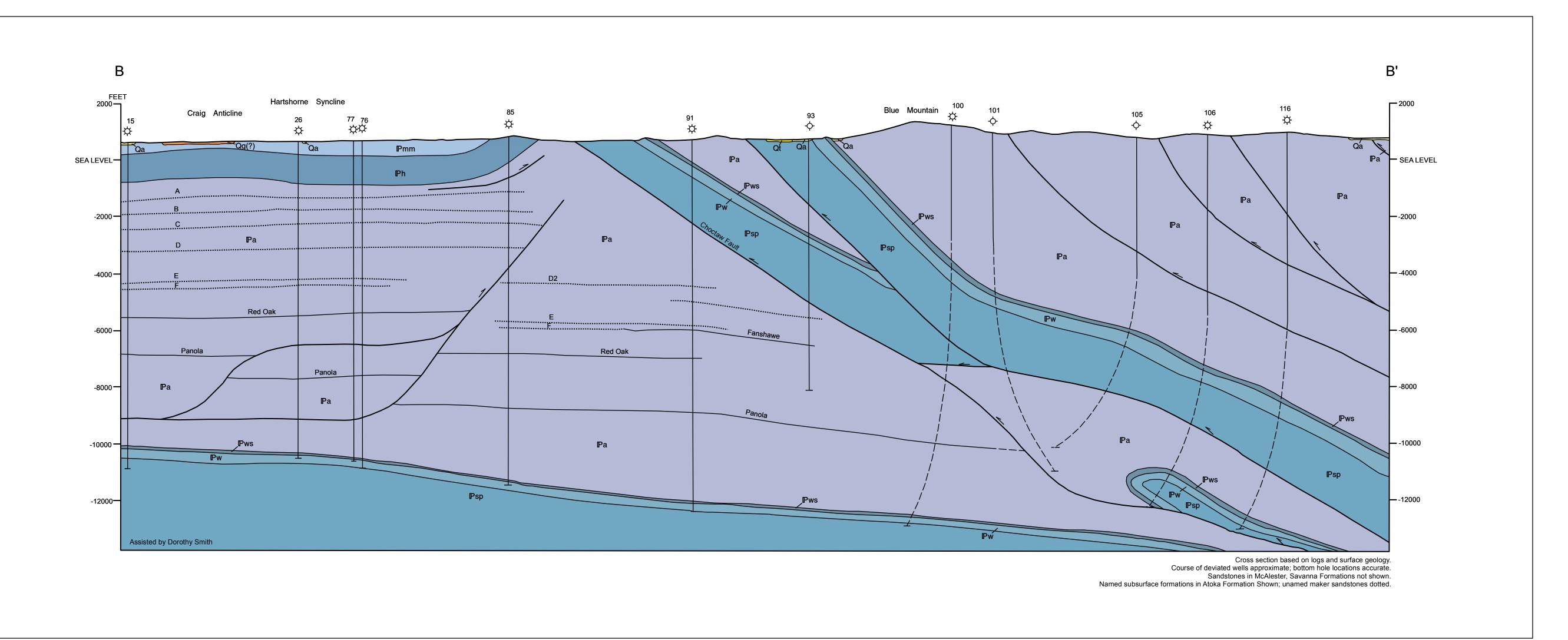
Shale in the McAlester Formation (Pm) is predominantly olive gray (5Y3/2 to 5Y4/1) to olive black (5Y2/1) silty shale that contains abundant thin siltstone beds. The shale typically weathers to thin flakes or chips and locally contains ron-oxide stained concretions and carbonized plant debris. The unit is noncalcareous except for a single calcite-cemented 6-in-thick sandstone bed about 500 ft south of the pond in the C E1/2 sec. 10, T. 4 N., R. 16 E. The shale in the McAlester Formation contains three coal beds. An unnamed coal about 10 thick about 50 ft above the top of the upper Warner Sandstone Member probably extends at least from west of Haileyville to east of Dow Lake. An unnamed coal in. thick is exposed immediately below the Cameron Sandstone Member in the railroad cut in the NW1/4 sec. 35, T. 5 N., R. 16 E. The youngest coal in the McAlester Formation is the McAlester coal. It occurs about 200 ft above the top of the Cameron Sandstone Member along the north edge of the quadrangle and about 50 ft above the Cameron Sandstone Member immediately east and southeast of Craig. The coal has been extensively mined and large spoils piles occur east and southeast of Dow and east and southeast of Craig. Thickness of McAlester Formation: 2000 ft near Haileyville, thins to about

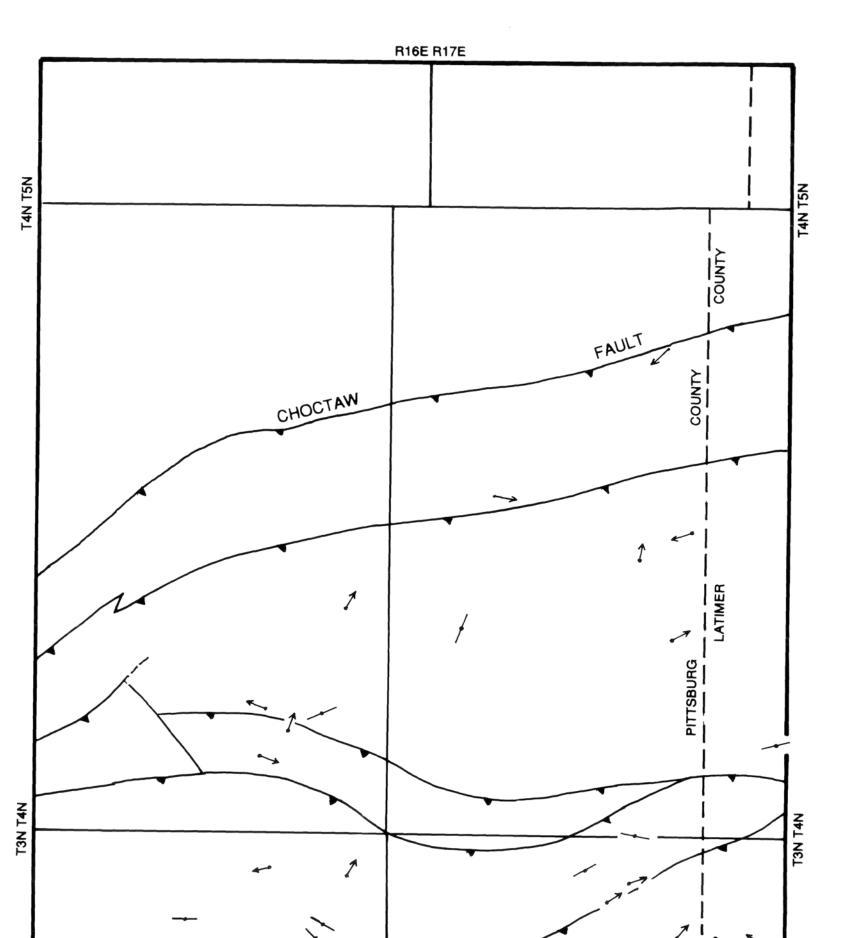
## LIST OF WELLS SPUDDED BEFORE DECEMBER 1, 1995 OPERATOR, NUMBER, FARM NAME SPUD DATE TOTAL DEPTH

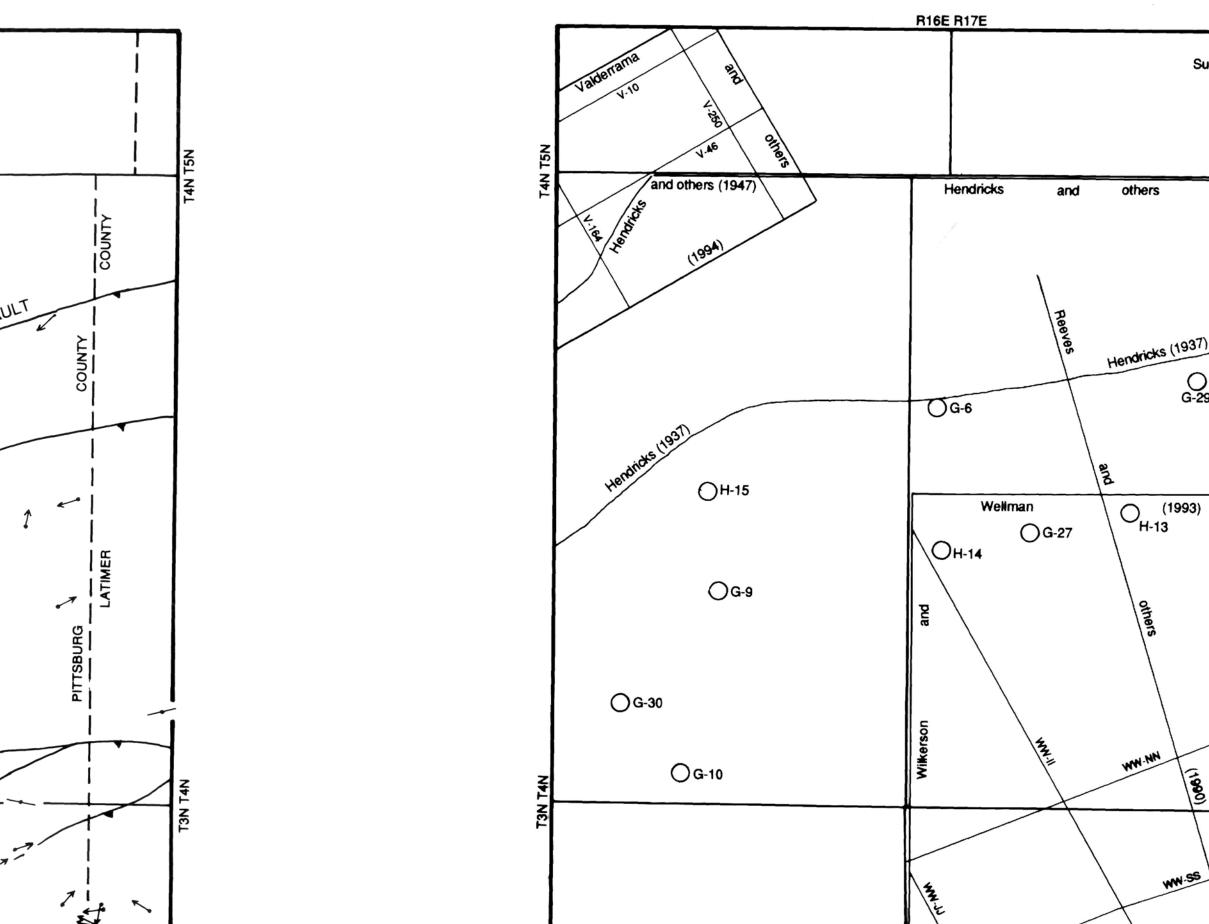
Marathon 1 Mass	9/5/72	10,471'
Marathon 3-25 Mass	9/3/88	6,850'
	10/21/94	11,000'
Marathon 4 Mass		•
Vastar 2 King	4/7/95	7,260'
Atlantic Richfield 1 U.S. Government 27	11/13/71	9,725
Davis 1 Payne	6/14/82	12,000'
D-Pex 1 Aimerito	5/26/89	10,657'
Headington 1 Marcangeli	2/16/73	10,883'
Daniel-Price 1 Nelson	1/31/88	7,385'
Daniel-Price 1 City of Haileyville	7/14/86	11,302'
Amoco 1 -35 USA	4/10/72	10,800'
Marathon 1 Woods Prospect	11/3/79	11,404'
Marathon 2 Woods Prospect	11/28/86	11,829'
Vastar 5-28 USA	11/7/95	Drg
Arco 2 Bowman ]	5/28/88	11,458'
Atlantic Richfield 1 Richards I	2/10/69	11,105'
Atlantic Richfield 2 Richards	9/21/75	6,385'
King 1-31 Pettit	12/2/69	10,460'
Arkoma 4 Pettit	1/14/88	6,808'
King - Tipco 1-31 Pettit	12/2/69	10,469'
Arkoma 2 Pettit	1/15/85	7,009
Arkoma 3 Pettit 1	6/9/87	12,025'
	4/27/68	•
Sunray DX 1 -A Casteel		11,490'
Sunray DX Casteel 1	1/14/68	11,325'
Oryx 3 Casteel A	8/19/95	WOR
Sun 2 Casteel	5/12/88	11,163'
Tipco 1 Jordan i	5/16/69	9,305'
Arkoma 2 Potichny	11/5/83	10,966'
Arkla 1-33 Ark Hare	6/25/92	12,300'
King - Tipco 1-33 Potichny I	10/17/69	11,230'
Arkoma 3 Potichny	12/16/86	11,945'
Marathon 2 Slaughter	11/15/86	12,098'
King1-34Whitney	12/13/68	11,354'
Marathon 1-1 Slaughter	7/5/73	10,791'
Marathon 4 Slaughter	4/22/95	7,760'
Marathon 2 Madden	8/27/87	11,968'
Marathon 1-2 Madden	11/3/73	10,595
Marathon 3 Madden	11/24/95	Drg
	5/16/74	11,750'
Headington 1 Maddux	3/1/32	1,282'
Ruby-Ann et al 1 George	11/28/64	7,595'
Pan American 1 Smallwood B	4/30/80	•
Hadson 1-3 Smallwood		11,975'
Whitmar 2-3 Smallwood	1/29/82	12,400'
Texaco 1 -4 Camp	7/22/88	12,820'
Texas Oil and Gas 1 Roso	9/19/78	7,600'
C.W. McIlhenny 1 Tribal Choc-Chic	11/12/41	1,655'
TXO 1 James	10/27/82	6,950'
Public Service Co. of Oklahoma 3 Choc-Chic Nations	8/11/43	1,272'
Pan American 1 Smallwood	8/9/63	11,852'
Samson 3-10 Smallwood	10/21/92	6,589'
Amoco 2 Smallwood	11/9/85	11,027'
Public Service Co. of Oklahoma 2 Thomas	12/19/41	1,400'
Marathon 2-11 Needham	8/4/87	12,350'
Marathon 3-11 Needham	4/10/88	4,850'
Marathon 1-11 Needham	10/31/72	11,266'
W.P. Lerblance Jr. 2-12 Lewis	12/1/75	6,802'
Marathon 3 Lewis	6/8/87	12,642'
Marathon 4-12 Lewis	1/4/95	13,072'
Marathon 1-12 Lewis	8/27/73	11,523'
	1/30/79	· ·
Whitmar and Geodine 1-13 Cope		12,100'
Marathon 1-14 Needham	9/19/73	11,856
Samson 1 Tex	6/15/85	13,000'
Slawson 1-15 Lynn	12/14/86	11,179'
Marathon 1-15 Lynn	2/16/74	11,690'
Texaco 16-1 Sherrill	5/26/89	12,600'
Apexo 1 Spahn	8/7/74	12,709'
Andover24-1 Lynn	7/24/81	12,539'
Union Texas 1-33 Bond	5/14/82	9,732'
Exxon 1 Garrett B	2/22/90	12,830'
Texaco 26-1 Thrust Belt	8/18/93	13,420'
Texaco 35-1 Dromgold D	9/19/90	14,729'
Texaco 36-1 Silva	6/27/90	15,300'
King 1-3 Layden	3/14/69	11,890'
Arkoma 1 Sparks	11/30/86	11,762'
Tipco 1-4 Stine	8/1/70	11,010'
Arkoma 2 Stine	8/22/85	11,702'
	12/21/86	11,702
Arkoma 2 Rock Island	5/16/70	•
Tipco 1-5 Rock Island		11,226'
Arkoma 3 Hartshorne	12/26/86 6/20/83	10,850' 7.000'
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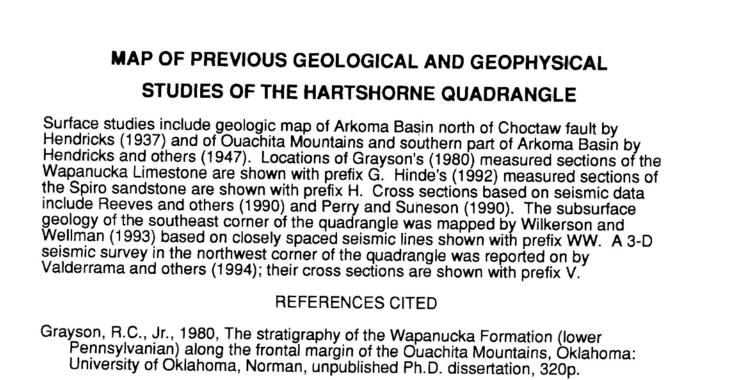
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## Named subsurface formations in Atoka Formation Shown; unamed maker sandstones dotte





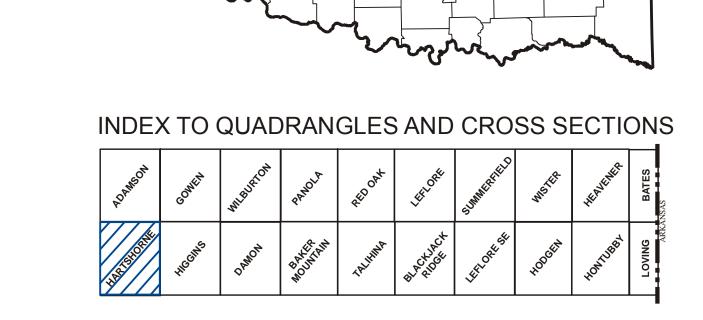




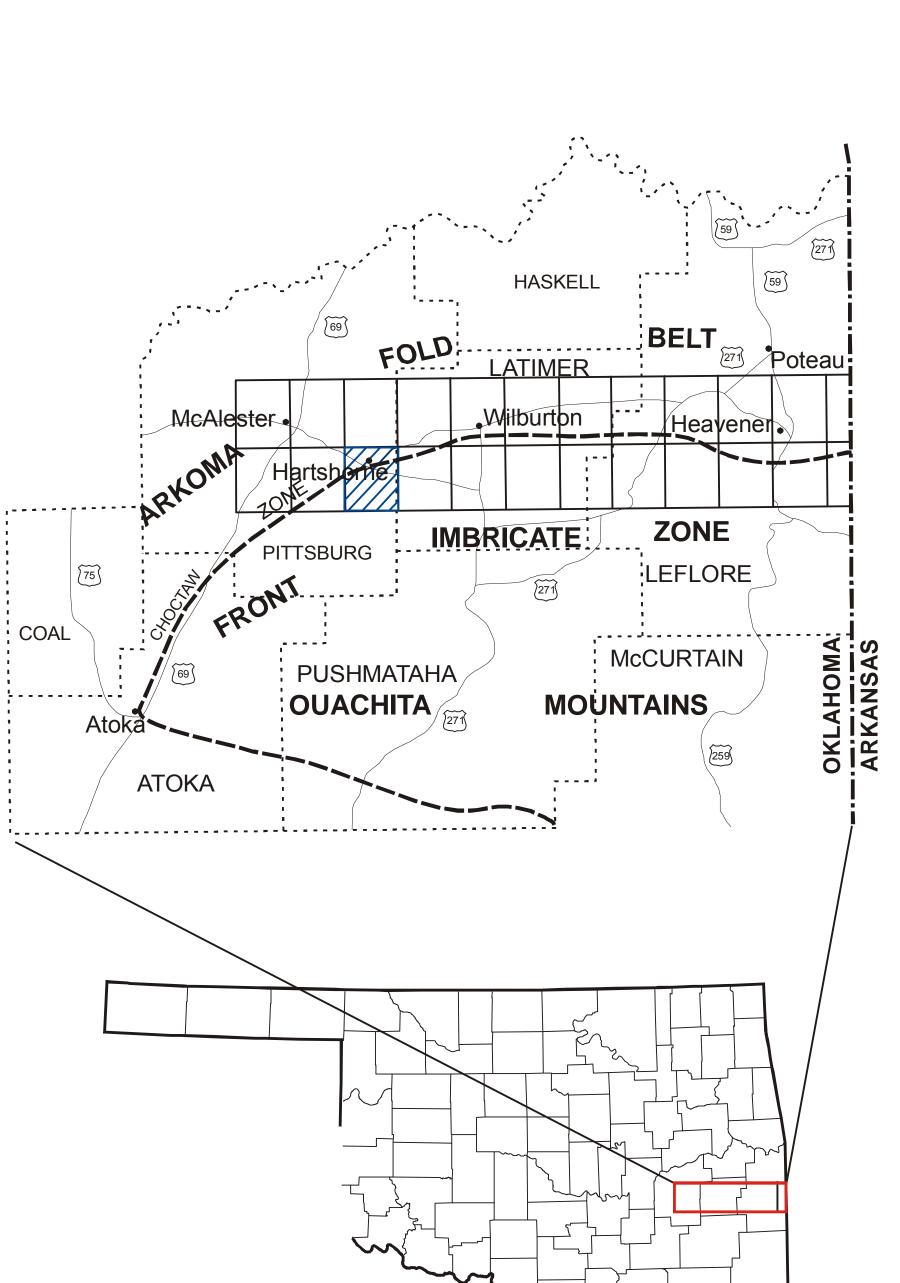
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MAP OF PALEOCURRENT DIRECTIONS IN ATOKA FORMATION SOUTH OF CHOCTAW FAULT (SINGLE ROTATION ABOUT STRIKE)





Units South of Choctaw Fault

CORRELATION OF MAP UNITS

Units North of Choctaw Fault

Psvss—

## THRUST FAULT - Sawteeth on upper plate; dashed where

approximately located; dotted where concealed; queried where uncertain FAULT - Arrows show relative horizontal movement; dashed where approximately located; dotted ANTICLINE - Showing crestline; arrow shows direction of plunge; dashed where approximately

Upper Hartshorne coal

Lower Hartshorne coal

located; dotted where concealed; queried where uncertain SYNCLINE - Showing troughline; arrow shows direction of plunge; dashed where approximately located; dotted where concealed

MINOR ANTICLINE - Showing plunge MINOR SYNCLINE - Showing plunge MINOR ANTICLINE - SYNCLINE PAIR - Showing plunge

COAL EXPOSURE TRENCH

ABANDONED SHAFT OR DOGHOLE SPOIL PILES FROM ABANDONED COAL MINE SURFACE QUARRY - Active or abandoned (a)

STRIKE AND DIP OF BEDS Strike and dip of beds, upright

<sup>†</sup> Strike and dip of beds, overturned 570 Strike and dip of beds, facing direction unknown

Strike and dip of beds, approximate

 Vertical beds, ball indicates top of beds † Vertical beds, facing direction unknown

OIL AND GAS WELLS O Drilling on December 1,199

 Dry hole, abandoned Gas well

Number on map corresponds to list of wells

Qa present-day streams. Thickness: variable, but generally less than 10 ft where observed. TERRACE DEPOSITS (QUATERNARY) - Subangular to subrounded cobbles, Qt gravel, sand, and silt on terraces that stand about 10 - 40 ft above the beds of

present-day streams. Thickness: variable, but generally less than 40 ft.

GERTY SAND (QUATERNARY) - Unconsolidated gravel, sand, silt, and clay in abandoned river channel found at elevations well above present-day streams. Main constituents of the gravel are rounded cobbles and pebbles of quartz, quartzite, chert, flint, jasper, and silicified wood. In places, siliceous pebbles are scattered on weathered Savanna or McAlester Formation; however, the deposits are too thin to map as Girty Sand. Area mapped as Girty(?) Sand in N1/2 sec. 32 T. 5 N., R. 17 E. consists mostly of reddish sandy soil that contains no siliceous pebbles. Girty Sand present only in northern part of quadrangle. Thickness: SAVANNA FORMATION (PENNSYLVANIAN) - Predominantly olive gray (5Y4/1)

grained, noncalcareous silty sandstone units. In quadrangles to the north and east, seven mappable and relatively continuous sandstone units are recognized (nos. 1 - 7). In this quadrangle, four units are mappable; they are (oldest to youngest) Psv1, Psv2,3,4 (undivided), Psv5,6 (undivided), and Psv7. Locally Psv5,6 and Psv7 are mapped as a single unit (Psv5,6,7). In addition, 2 thin and discontinuous sandstone units (Psvss) are present. The sandstone units are relatively well exposed and locally form ledges and cliffs as much as 15 ft high, but more typically about 3-5 ft high. Locally, individual sandstone beds form "tombstone" topography; in flat fields, sandstone beds are marked by lines of trees. Beds weather to blocks, slabs, and flagstones. Extremely irregular and contorted bedding planes that resulted from soft-sediment deformation are common. Many beds are stratified (plane-parallel, cross-, and wavy-) and ripplemarked. Less common sedimentary features include shale rip-up clasts, dishand-pillar structures, hummocky cross-stratification, and channels. Casts and compressions of *Catamites* and *Stigmaria* are rare. The sandstones are quartzose but locally contain conspicuous feldspar and oxidized iron minerals as well as trace amounts of mica and carbonized plant material. Psvl; Psv2,3,4; Psv5,6; and Psv7 are mapped as single units, but generally contain siltstone and shale beds of varying thicknesses. Shales in the Savanna Formation are very poorly exposed. Where observed, they are sooty, organic-rich, silty, and contain iron-stained concretions as long as 18 in. The shales typically exhibit spheroidal to flaky weathering. Burrows 1 in. in diameter and as long as 1 ft are present locally. Most of the shales contain thin, unmappable sandstone and siltstone

McALESTER FORMATION (PENNSYLVANIAN) - Consists of 4 named members (Pmw), LeQuire Sandstone (Pml), and Cameron Sandstone (Pmc). The Warner lower Warner Sandstone Member where it is present. Where the lower Warner Sandstone Member is absent, the McCurtain Shale Member extends to the base of the upper Warner Sandstone Member. The McAlester Formation is present only in the northern part of the quadrangle.

Ironstone concretions and trace fossils are present but uncommon. Carbonized calcareous, 20-ft-thick fine-grained sandstone in C S1/2 sec. 30, T. 5 N., R. 17 E A poorly exposed, discontinuous, unnamed but mapped (Pmmss) sandstone is ocally present in the McCurtain Shale in the northeast part of the quadrangle. Thickness: 950 ft in eastern part of quadrangle, thins to about 300 ft in western

1400 ft 1.5 mi south of Craig.

deposited from turbidity currents as well as unstratified sandstones similar to those deposited by mass-flow processes. Sandstone outcrops vary from walls to ledges to tombstone topography; in many places, dipslopes form extensive outcrops in which only the top of a single bed is exposed. Outcrops typically weather to slabs and flagstones. Strata occur as individual beds overlain and underlain by shale or separated by covered intervals or as stacked, amalgamated beds as thick as 30 ft. Sedimentary structures include parallel-, cross-, and wavystratification, dish-and-pillar structures, convolute stratification caused by softsediment deformation, and ripple marks. Sole marks such as trace fossils, load coasts, and flute and groove casts are common. The sandstones are silty, finegrained, and quartzose with sparse feldspar and mica; color variation is caused differences in the amount of iron oxide coating on sand grains. Carbonized plant debris, including *Calamites* stems as long as 8 in., locally occurs on bedding planes. A single, distinctly coarser (medium-grained) sandstone bed is present near C NW1/4 sec. 7., T. 3 N., R. 17 E. Also, calcareous sandstone beds are present in C NW1/4 NW1/4 sec. 10, T. 3 N., R. 17 E. and in the C W1/2 SE1/4 sec. 24, T. 4 N., R. 16 E. (float only). The Atoka Formation south of the

rarely dark gray (N3) to medium light gray (N6), well-exposed, fine-grained, quartzose sandstone. The upper part of the unit also includes common spiculitic siltstone and spiculite, particularly in northern two outcrop belts, and limestone similar to the Wapanucka Limestone in all but the northern outcrop belt; and uncommon siliceous shale and/or chert in the middle outcrop belt. Outcrops vary from slopes covered with slabs and flagstones to long, low tombstone-like outcrops separated by covered intervals (probably shale) to low ledges to near-vertical walls as high as 40 ft. Spiro sandstone outcrops vary from 1 to several tens of ft thick and vary from hard and brittle to soft and vuggy. Sedimentary structures vary from laminated to parallel-stratified to cross- and wavy-stratified to large-scale crossbedded. Locally, beds pinch and swell; ripple marks, load casts, and trace fossils are rare. Channelform deposits are uncommon. In general, the sandstone beds consist mostly of moderately well rounded quartz grains coated with yarying amounts of iron oxide. Glauconite, fossils (especially crinoids and brachiopods), and fossil molds are uncommon. It general, the sandstone is noncalcareous; rarely, however, calcite cement is present. Porosity is generally moderate. Hand specimens of spiculitic siltstone and spiculite are well-stratified ("wispy") and weather to a "spongy" appearance Measured sections of the Spiro sandstone are described by Hinde (1992). The Spiro sandstone is generally separated from the underlying Wapanucka imestone by a rarely exposed shale interval of varying thickness, but typically on the order of tens of ft thick. Where possible, the contact between the Spiro sandstone and Wapanucka Limestone is drawn on the lowest Spiro sandstone outcrop. Thickness of Spiro sandstone: varies greatly; about 20 ft or less (e.g., 0 S1/2 sec. 10, T. 4 N., R. 17 E.,) to about 300 ft (NE1/4 sec. 18, T. 4 N., R. 17 E.)

HARTSHORNE FORMATION (PENNSYLVANIAN) - Predominantly

grayish orange (10YR7/4) to dark yellowish orange (10YR6/6) to yellowish gray

(5Y7/2), fine-grained, silty, highly ripple-marked, mostly thin-bedded (1 in. to 6 in.), relatively well exposed, noncalcareous sandstone interbedded with poorly

exposed, platy-weathering siltstone and shale. Outcrops form 1/2- to 2-ft-thick

are rare. The formation is characterized by sandstone outcrops separated by covered intervals that probably overlie shale and siltstone. Ridges underlain by

C SW1/4 sec. 3, T. 4 N., R. 17 E., flagstones from the Hartshorne Formation

are continuous for hundreds of ft; others show pronounced lenticularity and

structures include wavy bedding, trace fossils, and large- (1 to 4 ft) and small-

(inches) scale cross-stratification. The sandstone is quartzose and typically

debris locally occurs on bedding planes. The upper part of the Hartshorne

quadrangle consists of thick-bedded sandstone that typically is exposed in a

dipslope. It is typically ripple-marked, unstratified, and has extremely irregular

bedding planes. The Hartshorne Formation contains two named coal beds - the

Lower and Upper Hartshorne coals. Numerous inclined shafts and spoils piles

Lower Hartshorne coal in much of the western half of the quadrangle. The Upper

Haileyville. The Upper Hartshorne coal is marked by trenches in the NE1/4 sec.

is about 4 ft thick and the Upper Hartshorne coal in the west half is about 3 to 5.5

ft thick (Hendricks, 1937, p. 52-53). The base of the Hartshorne Formation appears to be a disconformity. Thickness: about 1000 ft, thins to 0 about 1.5 mi

predominantly very poorly exposed, grayish black (N2) to olive gray (5Y3/2),

Typically contains thin (about 1 in.) siltstone beds and much less common

sandstone beds; the thicker, mappable sandstone beds are labelled Pass.

exposed, medium light gray (N6) to light olive gray (5Y6/1) to dusky yellow

but contain a wide variety of weathering characteristics and sedimentary

present on some bedding planes. Most of the sandstone beds are

determine due to complicated and poorly exposed structure.

spheroidally, contains sparse ironstone concretions, and is slightly calcareous.

Sandstone beds in the Atoka Formation north of the Choctaw fault are poorly

structures. Outcrops weather to blocks, slabs, and flagstones; individual beds

vary from unstratified to parallel- to cross-stratified; large- and small-scale crossstratification is present locally, as are soft-sediment deformation features and

dish-and-pillar structures. Ripple marks and trace fossils are present locally. The

the Choctaw fault probably represents the uppermost part of the formation.

South of Choctaw fault, predominantly very poorly exposed medium dark gray

(N4) to light olive gray (5Y5/2) noncalcareous, fissile to platy, laminated shale

with thin (mostly less than 4 in. thick) sandstone and siltstone beds. Shale locally

Bouma Ted or Td sequences. Shale characterizes extreme lower part of Atoka Formation immediately over the Spiro sandstone; most of Atoka —— Formation

higher in the section probably consists of 80% shale. Most outcrops of Atoka

Formation are poorly exposed, moderate yellowish brown (10YR5/4) to grayish

orange (10YR7/4) to dusky yellow (5Y6/4), noncalcareous sandstone beds that

rperesent partial, repeated, and truncated Bouma sequences similar to those

Choctaw fault represents the lower and middle parts of the formation; the top is

SPIRO SANDSTONE (PENNSYLVANIAN) - Predominantly dark yellowish orange

10YR6/6) to grayish orange (10YR7/4) to moderate orange pink (5YR8/4), more

eroded. Maximum thickness exposed south of Choctaw fault: about 7600 ft.

contains ironstone concretions. Sandstone and siltstone beds typically represent

sandstones are generally quartzose and contain mica; carbonized plant debris is

noncalcareous, but some contain calcite. The Atoka Formation exposed north of

Maximum thickness exposed north of Choctaw fault: about 2000 ft, but difficult to

(5Y6/4) and interbedded with siltstone and shale. They are uniformly finegrained

slightly silty, fissile to platy, mostly noncalcareous shale. Locally weathers

ATOKA FORMATION (PENNSYLVANIAN) - North of Choctaw fault,

south of Craig.

11, T. 4 N., R. 16 E. The Lower Hartshorne coal in the east half of the quadrangle

Hartshorne coal was not identified in the eastern half of the quadrangle or in

Hartshorne coal has also been extensively mined underground. A series of trenches, dog holes, and spoils piles marks the former surface location of the

mark the Lower Hartshorne coal in the eastern half of the quadrangle. The Lower

Formation (above the Lower Hartshorne coal) in the eastern half of the

were quarried to line ditches in the town of Hartshorne. Some sandstone beds

tombstone topography and ledges 2 to 10 ft high; outcrops more than 10 ft high

the Hartshorne Formation are typically littered with slabs and flagstones; near the

thickening and thinning. Ripple marks are ubiquitous; other common sedimentary

contains rare mica. Iron oxide generally coats individual grains. Carbonized plant

WAPANUCKA LIMESTONE (PENNSYLVANIAN) - Predominantly medium gray (N5) to medium dark gray N4) to pale yellowish brown (10YR6/2), moderately well exposed, irregularly bedded limestone. Most common type of limestone is finely crystalline micrite; bioclastic limestone is less common; coarsely crystalline sandy, spiculitic, and oolitic varieties of limestone are rare. Very rare rock types that are mapped as part of the Wapanucka Limestone include shale, spiculite sandstone similar to that in the Spiro sandstone, and marlstone. Irregularly shaped masses of chert are common in the micrite. Outcrops of Wapanucka Limestone weather to flagstones, blocks, and boulders and locally form tombstone topography, ledges, and cliffs. Covered intervals are common and probably overlie shale. Individual beds vary from unstratified to medium-bedded (inches) to rarely finely laminated. Wavy beds, cross beds, and pinch-and-swel structures are rare. Fossils, locally replaced by sparry calcite, range from absent in some micrites to abundant in the bioclastic limestones. Crinoids are most common, brachiopods are uncommon, and coral fragments were observed in onoutcrop. Some of the limestone has a slightly petroliferous odor. Fractures are typically filled with calcite. Detailed measured sections of the Wapanucka imestone have been described by Grayson (1980). The Wapanucka Limestone s separated from the overlying Spiro sandstone by a very poorly exposed shale that is of variable thickness, but generally tens of ft thick. Where possible, the contact between the Wapanucka Limestone and Spiro sandstone is drawn at the top of this shale. Thickness of Wapanucka Limestone: about 150 ft to 600 ft.

PRINGER" FORMATION (PENNSYLVANIAN) - Predominantly very poorly exposed olive gray (5Y3/2 - 5Y4/1) to dark gray (N3), silty, slightly calcareous to oncalcareous fissile shale. Unit includes uncommon, but relatively well-exposed sandstone and limestone beds. Shale generally weathers to small chips or flakes. Locally contains ironstone concretions and rarely ironstone-filled tubes about 1 in. in diameter and several inches long that resemble burrows. Shale interbedded with thin siltstone beds that locally are calcareous, pinch and swell, and contain burrows. Uncommon sandstone beds are medium gray (N5), up to about 1 ft thick, stratified, calcareous, and contain trace fossils and conspicuous grains of glauconite. Limestone beds in the "Springer" Formation range from about 1 in. to 15 ft thick, weather to slabs and flagstones, and are medium dark gray (N4) to medium gray (N5). The texture varies from coarsely crystalline to bioclastic; some limestone beds are sandy and contain conspicuous glauconite. Crinoid and brachiopod fragments are the most common fossils. The best exposures of the limestone beds are in the S1/2 NE1/4 NW1/4 sec. 13, T. 4 N., R. 16 E. and southeast corner NE1/4 SW1/4 sec. 14, T. 4 N., R. 16 E. These limestone beds are about 100 ft below the base of the Wapanucka Limestone. Maxiumum thickness: 1550 ft, possibly as much as 2100 ft.