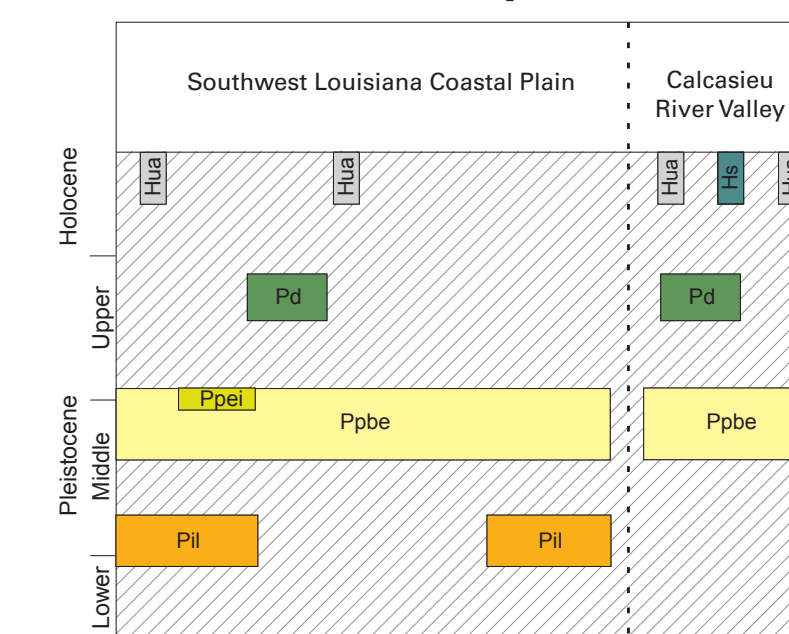


Description of Map Units

- QUATERNARY SYSTEM**
- HOLOCENE**
- Hua** **Holocene undifferentiated alluvium**—undifferentiated deposits of small upland streams; alluvial deposits of minor streams and creeks, of varying textures, filling valleys incised into older deposits.
  - Hs** **Small river deposits, undifferentiated**—undifferentiated alluvial deposits consisting of natural levee, overbank, and abandoned channel sediments within the river valley.
- PLEISTOCENE**
- DEWEYVILLE ALLOGROUP**
- Pd** **Devesville Allogroup, undifferentiated**—alluvial deposits of ancestral late Pleistocene coastal plain streams and certain Mississippi River tributaries including the Red, Ouachita, Sabine, Calcasieu, Pearl, and Bogalva-Chitto valleys. Multiple levels are locally recognized.
- PRAIRIE ALLOGROUP**
- Ppbe** **Beaumont Alloformation**—coastal-plain deposits of late to middle Pleistocene streams, forming the oldest and topographically highest of the Prairie surfaces of southwestern Louisiana. The surface exhibits relict channels of the Red and Calcasieu River, and the unit includes deposits of the Ingleside barrier trend (Houston Ridge).
  - Ppei** **Relict Pleistocene barrier ridge (Houston ridge)**—eastern segment of Ingleside barrier trend; ridge delineated on the surface of the Beaumont Alloformation.
- INTERMEDIATE ALLOGROUP**
- Pil** **Liasse Alloformation, undifferentiated**—dissected alluvial deposits of middle to early Pleistocene streams. Recognition is facilitated by the subregionally extensive De Ridder surface; previously subdivided into the Montgomery and Bentley terraces in southwestern Louisiana. The unit is bounded up dip by the Willis surface and down dip by younger subunits of the Intermediate allogroup.
- Open Water**
- Contact**—includes inferred contacts.
  - Normal fault**—Identity and existence certain, location accurate. Ball and bar on downthrown block.
  - Concealed fault**—Identity and existence certain, location concealed. Ball and bar on downthrown block.
  - Roads and Railroads**
  - Streams**
  - Topographic Contours**

Correlation of Map Units



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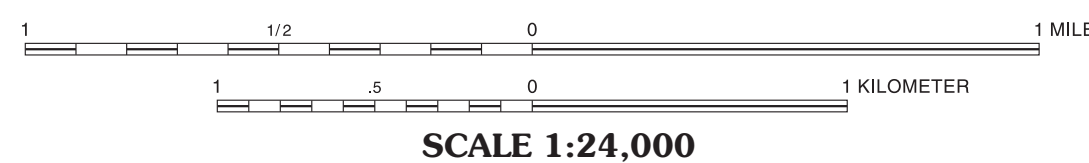
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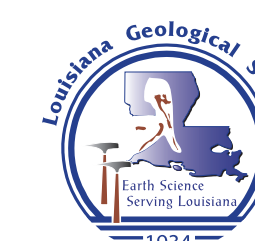
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