



Seismo-Watch

Earthquakes for week of
February 9 - 15, 1997

| | 1-2 | 2-3 | 3+ | Total |
|----------------------|-----|-----|----|-------|
| Regional | 22 | 6 | 1 | 29 |
| Mammoth Lakes Region | 78 | 9 | 1 | 88 |
| This Week | 110 | 15 | 2 | 117 |
| Previous week | 26 | 8 | 0 | 34 |

▼ **Mammoth Lakes Region:** After eight months of below average seismic activity, the Mammoth Lakes region produced a moderate jolt. The quake measured M4.2 and occurred mid Monday afternoon, Feb. 10, about 8 mi. southeast of downtown Mammoth Lakes, near Mt. Morrison. The quake was followed by a significant aftershock sequence, however, all registered M2.5 or less. The quake was felt strongly at Mammoth Lakes and as far away as Bishop – about 30 miles away. It was the largest earthquake in the area since three M4s struck during a vigorous swarm in early March of last year. Since June, seismicity has been below typical levels for the region.

▼ **Regional Activity:** A M3.1 quake triggered in south-central Nevada near the Quinn Canyon Range.

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