



# Seismo-Watch

Earthquakes for week of  
**April 27 - May 3, 1997**

	1-2	2-3	3+	Total
<b>Regional</b>	17	8	0	25
Mammoth Lakes Region	9	3	0	12
<b>This Week</b>	26	11	0	37
Previous week	40	10	2	52

▼ **Regional Activity:** A busy week for the California/Nevada border region where 25 earthquakes were scattered from Quincy to Bishop.

▼ The most notable event registered a scant M2.3 but was felt the morning of May 1 by a few residents in the south Truckee Meadows area. The temblor was centered near the Virginia Foothills at a depth of 9 km and probably along the Mt. Rose fault segment of the Carson Range fault zone. This prominent fault zone has had many large quakes in the past and poses one of the greatest earthquake risk to residents of the Truckee Meadows.

▼ **Mammoth Lakes Region:** Activity decline to its lowest levels in twelve weeks. Three events triggered the M2 range – all outside the caldera rim.

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