

Seismo-Watch

Earthquakes for week of
Dec. 27, 1998 – Jan. 2, 1999

Magnitude $M \geq 1.0$	1	2	3+	Total
Regional	7	15	1	23
Mammoth Lakes Region	56	5	1	61
This Week	63	20	1	84
Previous week	51	11	2	64

▼ **Regional Activity:** The largest earthquake measured M4.1 and occurred Dec. 28 along the Lincoln/Nye County line in south-central Nevada. It was centered about 18 miles north-northwest Rachel in the southern Quinn Canyon Range. Eight aftershocks triggered in the same area, the largest of which measured M2.8.

▼ The Monitor Pass region east of Markleeville produced an additional four tremors following last week's M3.7, the strongest of which measured M2.6. A M2.4 triggered in Dixie Valley, the largest of two quakes north of Pyramid Lake registered M2.5, and while the Graeagle area was quiet, a M2.3 struck the Almanor fault zone near Chester.

▼ **Mammoth Lakes Region:** Earthquake activity increased slightly from the previous week. Five tremors occurred in the M2 range, the largest of which measured M2.9 and was centered near the HWY 203-395 junction.

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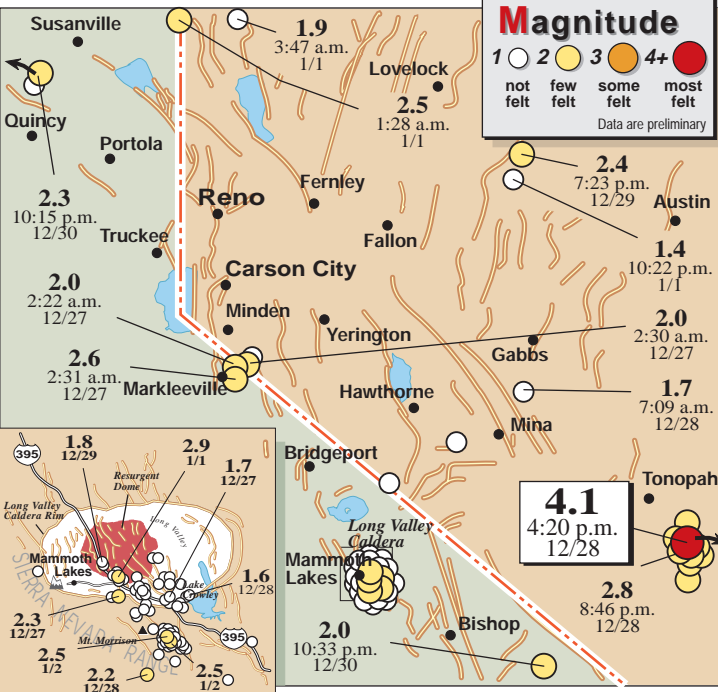


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Data are preliminary



Source: University of Nevada, Reno, Seismological Laboratory; NBMG; USGS. See the expanded WGB Earthquake Report.