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I would imagine that if problems were to develop with locating a uranium enrichment plant in Lea county New Mexico in a known seismic hazard area (lower right hand corner of NM) as established by the USGS (see below); the federal government and the Nuclear Regulatory Commission would be hard pressed to explain why its employees allowed it there in the first place.

Phillip Barr
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see attachment

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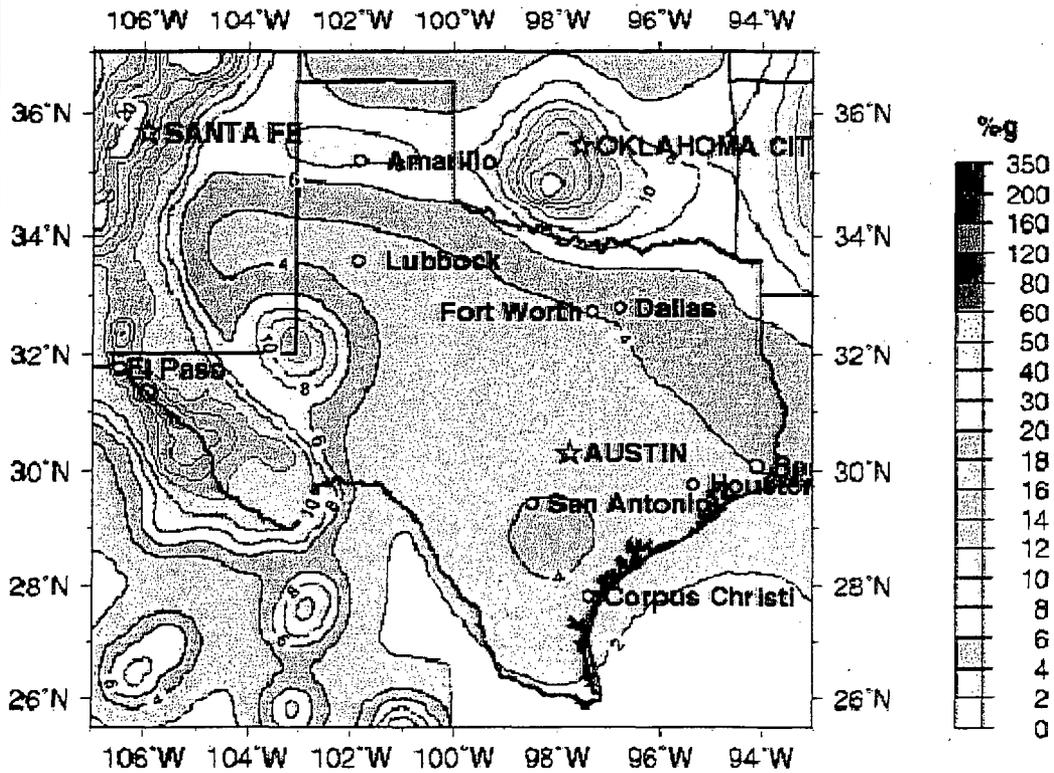
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Peak Acceleration (%g) with 2% Probability of Exceedance in 50 Years
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