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Map of industry contributions to the Oklahoma Fault Database (red) shown with the Comprehensive Fault Database (blue). There were 3,418 fault segments from industry contributions and more than 6,000 fault segments from published literature sources used to build this compilation. Fault complexity is often observed for the largest faults with many more mapped versions for each fault without perfect agreement. Some of this disagreement in fault location could represent true fault complexity.

**Summary**  
This report is a compilation of surface and subsurface faults in Oklahoma based on available data contributed by the oil and gas industry as of May 2016. The data were compiled in voluntary cooperation with members of the Oklahoma Independent Petroleum Association (OIPA). Compilation of this database continues to be updated and the OGS welcomes additional contributions. This effort is issued as a preliminary release in order to make the information available in a timely fashion. The faults in this publication represent multiple possible interpretations of surface and subsurface faults.

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INDUSTRY CONTRIBUTED FAULT MAP OF OKLAHOMA

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