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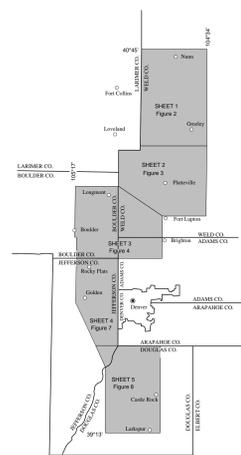
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CONVERSION FACTORS AND VERTICAL DATUM

Multiply	By	To obtain
foot	0.3048	meter
mile	1.609	kilometer
square mile	2.59	square kilometer
gallon per minute (gpm)	0.0631	liters per second

Sea level: In this report, "sea level" refers to the National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929 (NGVD of 1929)—a geoid datum derived from a general adjustment of the first-order level nets of both the United States and Canada, formerly called "Mean Sea Level."



- EXPLANATION**
- GEOHYDROLOGIC UNIT OUTCROP**
for base in cross-section
- Tu Unconsolidated Tertiary rocks
 - Tdw Dawson aquifer
 - TKd Denver aquifer
 - Ka Arapahoe aquifer
 - KL Laramie confining layer
 - LF Laramie-Fox Hills aquifer
 - Ku Pierre undifferentiated confining layer
 - MPu Mesozoic and Paleozoic rocks undifferentiated
 - PC Precambrian rocks
 - S Subcrop of Laramie-Fox Hills or Arapahoe aquifer under principal alluvial aquifer
- 4500— STRUCTURE CONTOUR—Shows altitude of the base of the Arapahoe aquifer. Dashed where inferred. Interval 100 and 500 feet. Datum is sea level.
- GEOLOGIC CONTACT
- FAULT—Bar and half on downthrown side
- THRUST FAULT—Saw teeth on upper plate
- STRIKE AND DIP OF BEDS**
- ∠ Inclined beds
 - ∠ Horizontal beds
- DATA POINT—Location of well with geophysical log used to contour structure

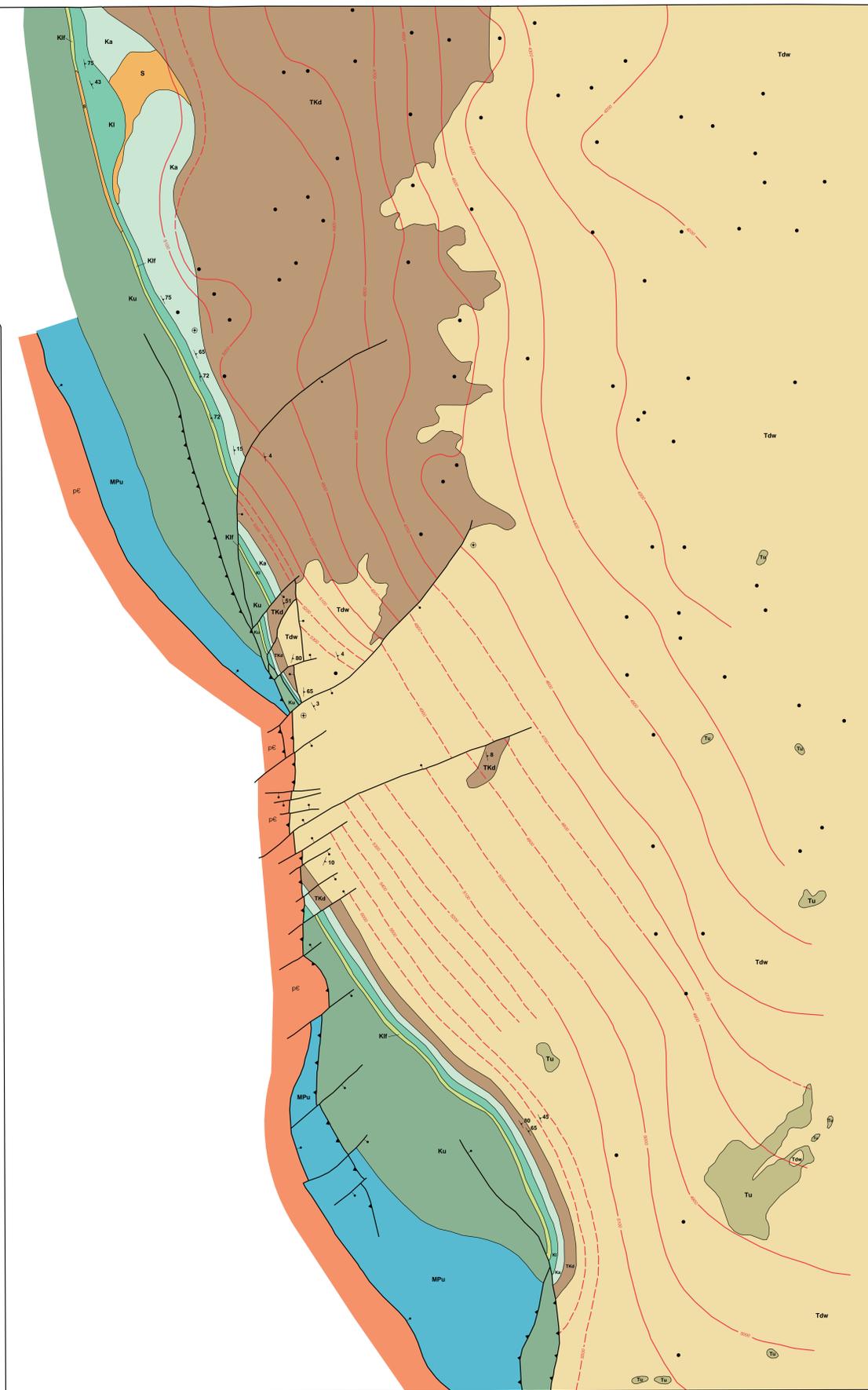


FIGURE 8. Structure, outcrop, and subcrop of the Arapahoe aquifer in the Castle Rock area



STRUCTURE, OUTCROP, AND SUBCROP OF THE BEDROCK AQUIFERS ALONG THE WESTERN MARGIN OF THE DENVER BASIN, COLORADO
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