GENERALIZED CHART SHOWING STRATIGRAPHIC UNITS IN MAJOR MISSISSIPPIAN SUBDIVISIONS

NOTE

All names of stratigraphic units except those that are italicized have been adopted by the U.S. Geological Survey; however, because the nomenclature used in this publication was derived from many sources, age assignments may differ from those accepted by the Survey.

Names are also italicized when usage in an area differs from the accepted usage of the U.S. Geological Survey. Names that are applied to units that are definitely not or probably not the same as those of the type areas are enclosed in quotation marks.

This report was prepared before the decision of the U.S. Geological Survey to put "an" and "ian" endings on provincial series terms. Therefore, the Mississippian series names appear as Chester, Meramec, Osage, and Kinderhook in this report.