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PROPERTY NAME: Argentena Mine
OTHER NAMES: Galena Claim
MINERAL COMMODITY(IES): Zn, Pb, Cu, V, Au, Ag
TYPE OF DEPOSIT: Replacement
ACCESSIBILITY: See map, road good
OWNERSHIP: Unknown
PRODUCTION: 2.4 M Lbs Zn, Pb, Cu, V; 19,697 oz Ag, Au; 1927-1962
HISTORY: Located 1887, Argentena Mining Co. organized 1927
most ore produced 1926-1944

County: Clark
Mining District: Goodsprings
AMS Sheet: Kingman
Quad Sheet: Goodsprings 15'
Sec. 33, T 25S, R 58E
Coordinate (UTM):
North 3 9 6 4 1 0 0 m
East 0 6 3 8 5 0 0 m
Zone +11

DEVELOPMENT: 6-8 major adits, with many peripheral workings, totalling several thousand feet underground workings, tram, loading chutes, water tanks, roads, mill

ACTIVITY AT TIME OF EXAMINATION: None, but recently sampled by same person who sampled the Columbia Mine

GEOLOGY: Workings explore tabular shaped ore deposits located in the Bird Springs formation, (Mississippian), Yellowpine limestone and Arrowhead limestone member of the Monte Cristo formation. Pods of galena, altering to cerussite, occur within the carbonates. Smithsonite coats surfaces altering to calamine and hydrozincite. Most of the ore produces came from nearly horizontal breccia zones, associated with the Frederickson Fault. West of workings across the drainage the Paleozoic carbonates are overlain by Tertiary volcanics.

REMARKS: Sample Site 1362

REFERENCES: NEMG Bulletin 62, USGS PP 275

EXAMINER: Smith

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