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District Gooseberry ^{MINE} (RAMSEY)

Location Virginia Range, Storey County

Au/Ag ratio 1/46

Chief ore minerals Pyrite, acanthite, ruby silvers, electrum
galena, sphalerite, chalcopyrite, Tetrahedrite

Rare or unusual minerals

Gangue minerals quartz, calcite, adularia

Host rock Dacite

Alteration propylitic, potassic, phyllitic, argillitic

Mineralization age 10.3 m.y.

Vertical range Au-Ag ore > 335 m.

Production 36858 kg Ag (Through 1980)
~ 800 kg Au

Deposit type Vein

Selected references Morton, J.L. and others, 1977, K-Ar ages of
volcanic rocks, plutonic rocks and ore deposits in Nevada and
California - Determinations run under the U.S.G.S.-NBMG cooperative program:
Synchron-West No. 20

Comments Base metals < 1%