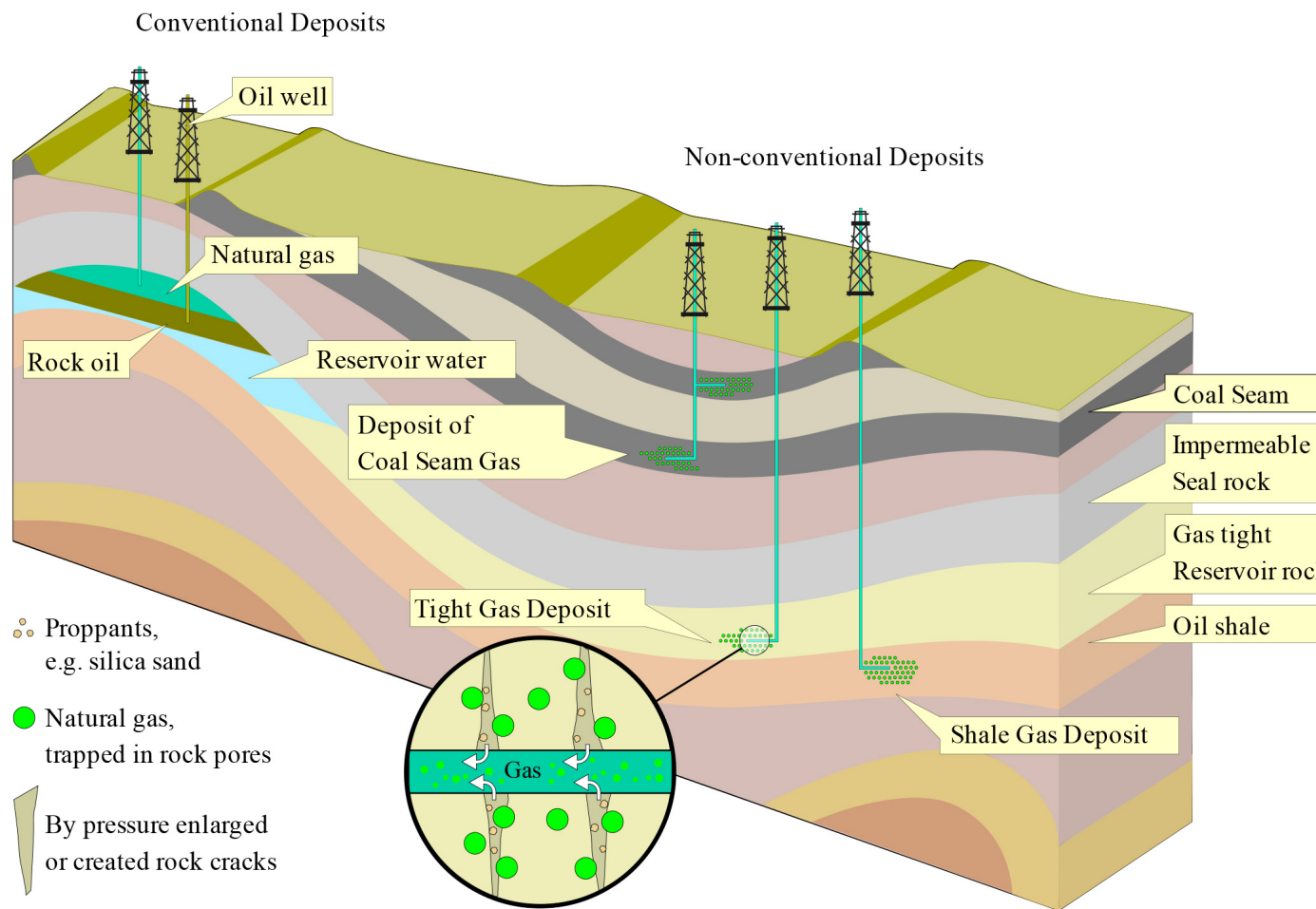


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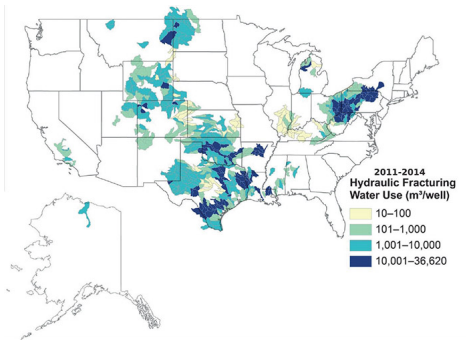
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## Understanding the Richter Scale:

Richter Magnitude	Feels like KG of TNT	Extra Information
0-1	0.6-20 kilograms of dynamite	We can not feel these
2	600 kilograms of dynamite	Smallest Quake people can normally feel
3	20,000 kilograms of dynamite	People near the epicenter feel this quake
4	60,000 kilograms of dynamite	This will cause damage around the epicenter. It is the same as a small fission bomb
5	20,000,000 kilograms of dynamite	Damage done to weak buildings in the area of the epicenter
6	60,000,000 kilograms of dynamite	Can cause great damage around the epicenter
7	20 billion kilograms of dynamite	Creates enough energy to heat New York city for one year. Can be detected all over the world. Causes serious damage
8	20 billion kilograms of dynamite	Causes death and major destruction. Destroyed San Francisco in 1906
9	20 trillion kilograms of dynamite	Rare, but would causes unbelievable damage!