ESS 100 (Stapleton)
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Quiz Version 3: Rock Dating
Organize the lettered rock samples from oldest to youngest. Then make a mark where the earthquake occurred in the sequence.

| Oldest | Newest |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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1. Sample G contains $27 \mathrm{~K}-40$ parent atoms and 17 Ar -40 daughter atoms.
a. What percentage of those atoms are parent atoms?
1\% 21\% 41\% 61\% 81\%
b. Which of the following is closest to the age of Sample H?
1by 2by 3by 4by 5by
2. Sample K contains $16 \mathrm{~K}-40$ parent atoms and $48 \mathrm{Ar}-40$ daughter atoms.
a. What percentage of those atoms are parent atoms? $\quad 7 \% \quad 17 \% \quad 27 \% \quad 47 \% \quad 77 \%$
b. Which of the following is closest to the age of Sample G?

1by 2by 3by 4by 5by
3. Sample B contains $11 \mathrm{~K}-40$ parent atoms and $17 \mathrm{Ar}-40$ daughter atoms.
a. What percentage of those atoms are parent atoms?

19\% 39\% 59\% 79\% 99\%
b. Which of the following is closest to the age of Sample I? 1by 2by 3by 4by 5by
4. Sample J contains $18 \mathrm{~K}-40$ parent atoms and $165 \mathrm{Ar}-40$ daughter atoms.
a. What percentage of those atoms are parent atoms?

10\% 30\% 50\% 70\% 90\%

b. Which of the following is closest to the age of Sample J?

1by 2by 3by 4by 5by
5. How many years ago did the Earthquake create the fault in the top diagram?
$0-1$ by $1-2$ by $2-3$ by $3-4$ by $4-5$ by
6. The diagram on the right shows rock samples from another location on Earth. Choose the most likely age range for layer L , in that diagram.
$0-1$ by $1-2$ by $2-3$ by $3-4$ by 4 -5by


