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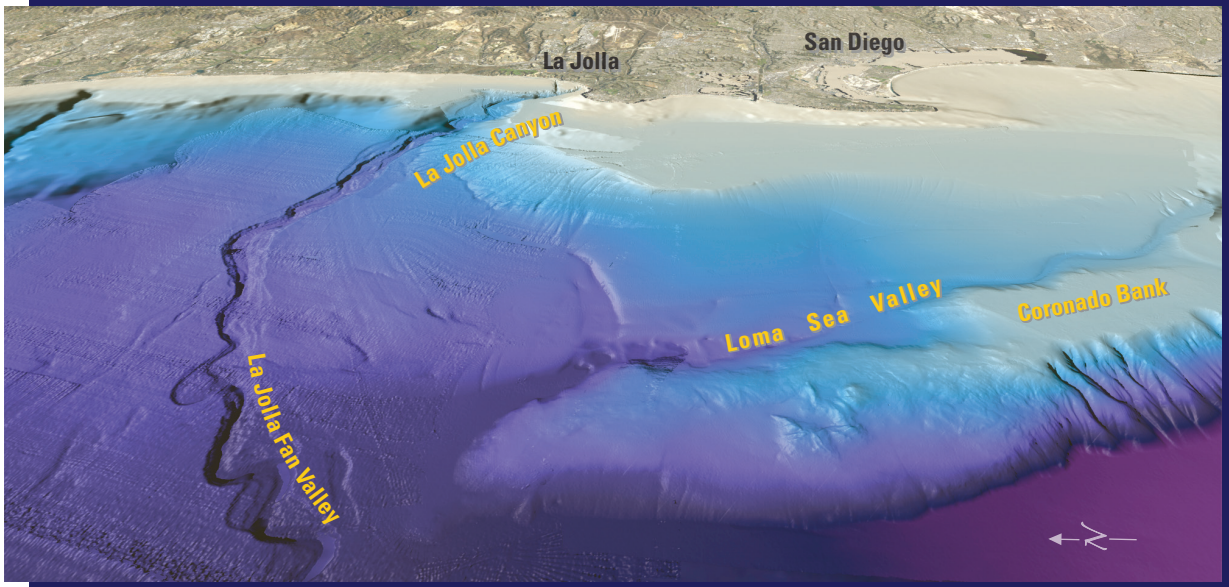

Sea Floor off San Diego, California

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View eastward. Elevations color coded, from purple (deep) to pale blue (shallow). Lower right: ridge capped by Coronado Bank is separated from the continental shelf by Loma Sea Valley. Left of center: La Jolla submarine canyon and fan with meandering channel. Land from satellite imagery draped over USGS digital elevation models (DEMs). Distance across bottom of image is about 30 km (20 mi); vertical exaggeration is 2X.

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