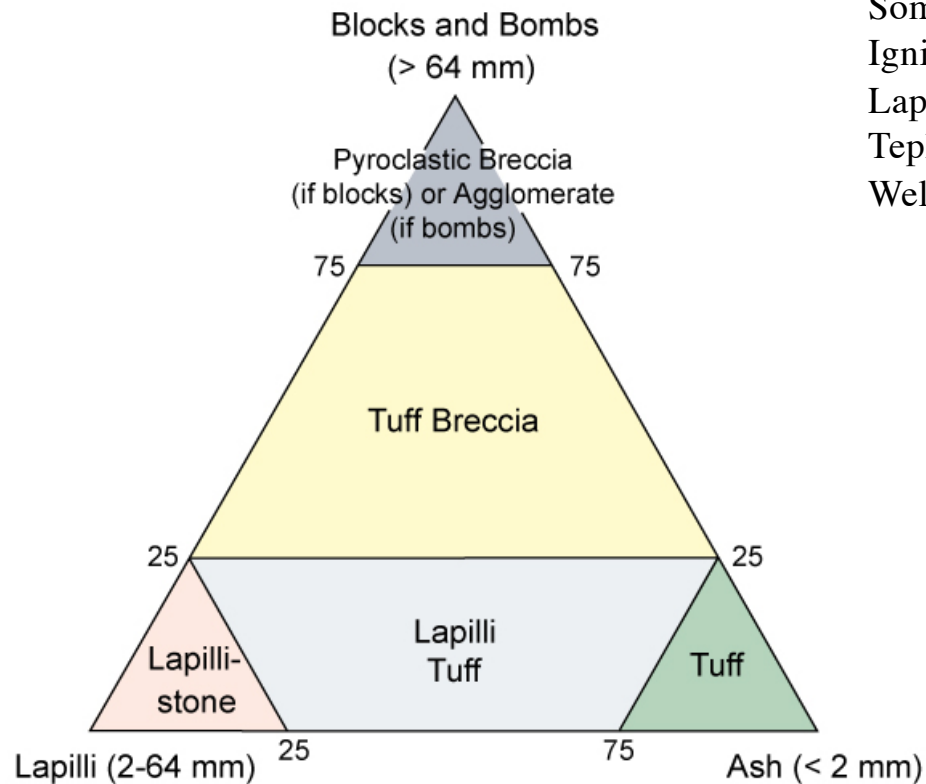


## Pyroclastic igneous rocks

Pyroclastic igneous rocks are the result of material erupted from an explosive volcanic eruption. The material may be ejected as fragments, resulting in scoria cones or ash fall deposits, or it may spread outwards in ash flow deposits.

Some common rock names: Ignimbrite, Lapilli stone, Lapilli tuff, Pumice, Scoria, Tephra, Tuff breccia, Tuff, Welded tuff



Classification pyroclastic rocks. After Fisher (1966) Earth Sci. Rev