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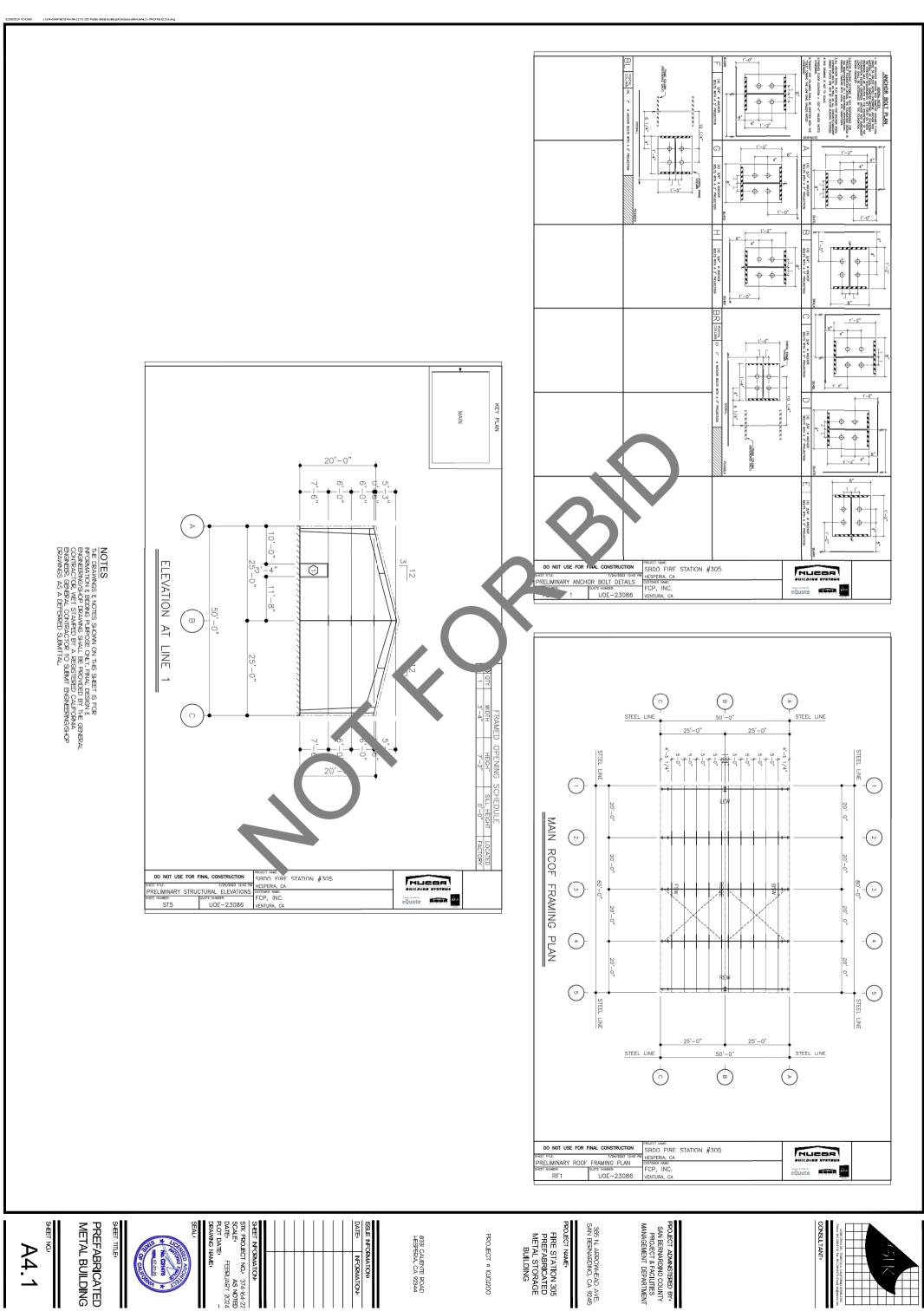
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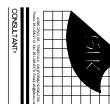
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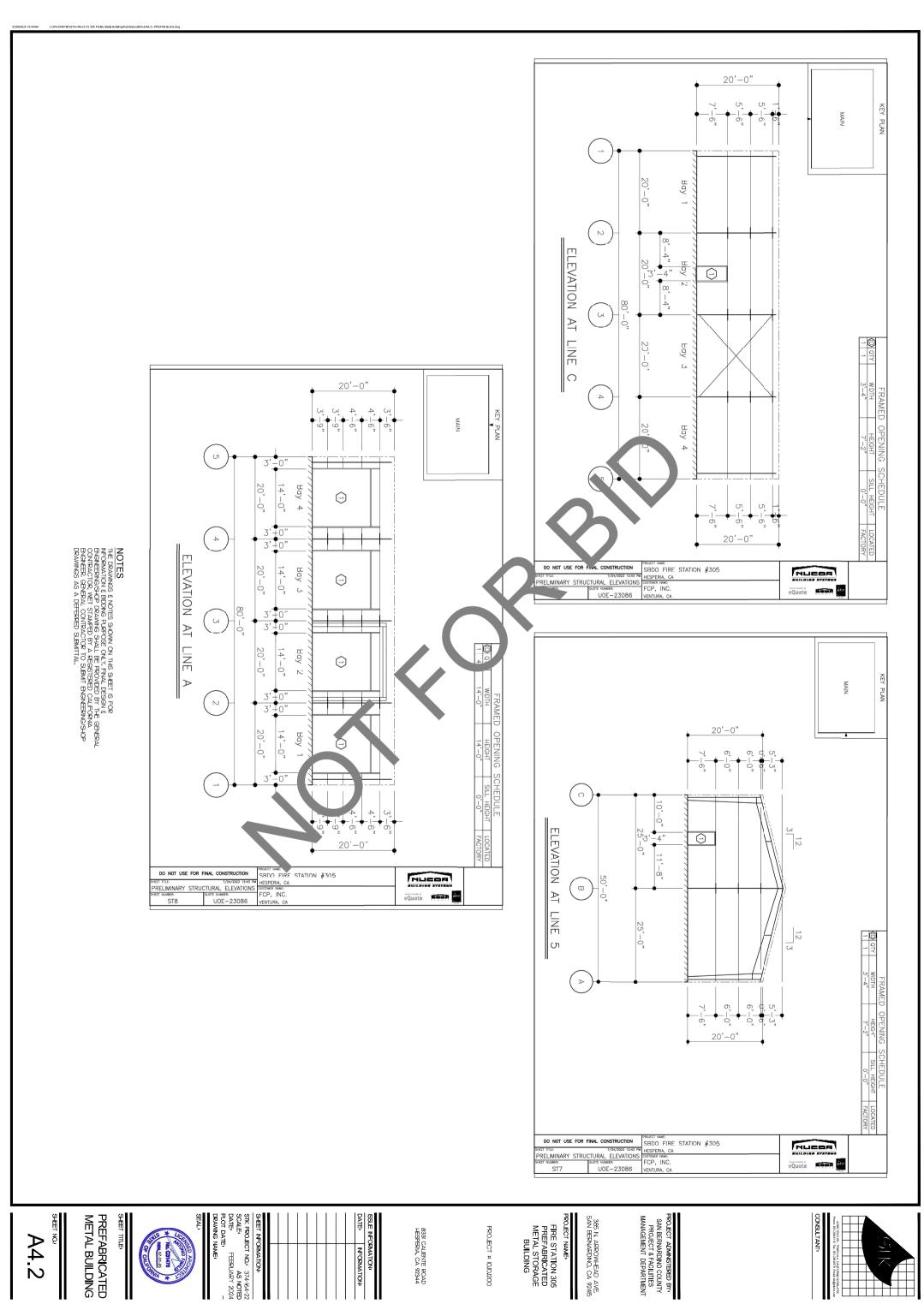


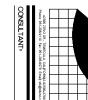
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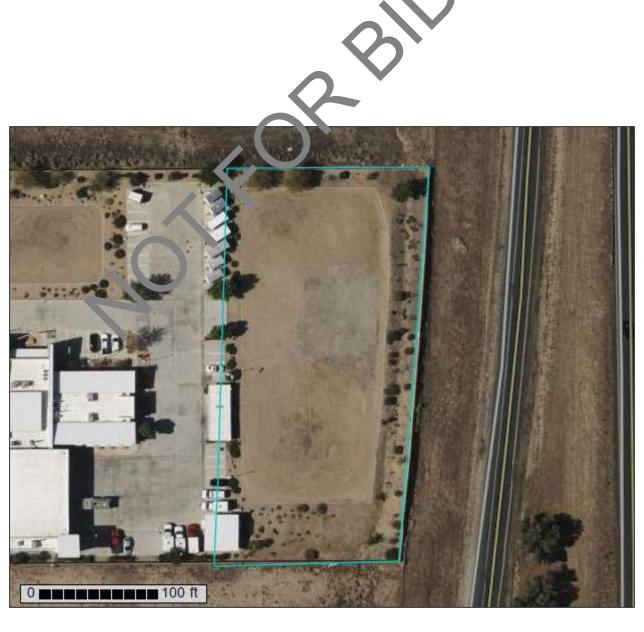




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### **Preface**

Soil surveys contain information that affects land use planning in survey areas. They highlight soil limitations that affect various land uses and provide information about the properties of the soils in the survey areas. Soil surveys are designed for many different users, including farmers, ranchers, foresters, agronomists, urban planners, community officials, engineers, developers, builders, and home buyers. Also, conservationists, teachers, students, and specialists in recruation waste disposal, and pollution control can use the surveys to help them understand, protect, or enhance the environment.

Various land use regulations of Federal, State, and local go ernn, onto may impose special restrictions on land use or land treatment. Soil surveys itentify soil properties that are used in making various land use or land treatment decisions. The information is intended to help the land use is a entify and reduce the effects of soil limitations on various land uses. The land two converges is responsible for identifying and complying with existing laws and regulations.

Although soil survey information can be used for general farm, local, and wider area planning, onsite investigation is newded to supplement this information in some cases. Examples include soil quoty assessments (http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/soils/health/) and artain conservation and engineering applications. For more detailed information, contact your local USDA Service Center (https://offices.sc.egov.pag.gov/locator/app?agency=nrcs) or your NRCS State Soil Scientist (http://www.nrcs.uso.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/soils/contactus/?cid=nrcs142p2\_05\_951).

Great differences it soil properties can occur within short distances. Some soils are seasonally wet or subject to flooding. Some are too unstable to be used as a foundation or suffering sor roads. Clayey or wet soils are poorly suited to use as septic tank at orption fields. A high water table makes a soil poorly suited to basements or underground installations.

The National Cooperative Soil Survey is a joint effort of the United States Department of Agriculture and other Federal agencies, State agencies including the Agricultural Experiment Stations, and local agencies. The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) has leadership for the Federal part of the National Cooperative Soil Survey.

Information about soils is updated periodically. Updated information is available through the NRCS Web Soil Survey, the site for official soil survey information.

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### **How Soil Surveys Are Made**

Soil surveys are made to provide information about the soils and miscellaneous areas in a specific area. They include a description of the soils and miscellaneous areas and their location on the landscape and tables that show soil properties and limitations affecting various uses. Soil scientists observed the steepness, length, and shape of the slopes; the general pattern of drainage; the kinds of crops and native plants; and the kinds of bedrock. They observed and descaped many soil profiles. A soil profile is the sequence of natural layers, or horizons, in a soil. The profile extends from the surface down into the unconsolidated material is which the soil formed or from the surface down to bedrock. The unconsolidated material is devoid of roots and other living organisms and has not been an anged by other biological activity.

Currently, soils are mapped according to the bound ries of major land resource areas (MLRAs). MLRAs are geographically a soci cold land resource units that share common characteristics related to physios aphy, geology, climate, water resources, soils, biological resources, and land uses (USDA, 2006). Soil survey areas typically consist of parts of one of more INLRA.

The soils and miscellaneous are s in a survey area occur in an orderly pattern that is related to the geology, landforms, relief, climate, and natural vegetation of the area. Each kind of soil and miscellaneous area is associated with a particular kind of landform or with a segment of the landform. By observing the soils and miscellaneous areas in the survey area and relating their position to specific segments of the landform, a soil scientist develops a concept, or model, of how they were formed. Thus, during mapping, this model enables the soil scientist to predict with a considerable learne of accuracy the kind of soil or miscellaneous area at a specific location on the landscape.

Commonly, in ividual soils on the landscape merge into one another as their characteristics gradually change. To construct an accurate soil map, however, soil scientists must determine the boundaries between the soils. They can observe only a limited number of soil profiles. Nevertheless, these observations, supplemented by an understanding of the soil-vegetation-landscape relationship, are sufficient to verify predictions of the kinds of soil in an area and to determine the boundaries.

Soil scientists recorded the characteristics of the soil profiles that they studied. They noted soil color, texture, size and shape of soil aggregates, kind and amount of rock fragments, distribution of plant roots, reaction, and other features that enable them to identify soils. After describing the soils in the survey area and determining their properties, the soil scientists assigned the soils to taxonomic classes (units). Taxonomic classes are concepts. Each taxonomic class has a set of soil characteristics with precisely defined limits. The classes are used as a basis for comparison to classify soils systematically. Soil taxonomy, the system of taxonomic classification used in the United States, is based mainly on the kind and character of soil properties and the arrangement of horizons within the profile. After the soil

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scientists classified and named the soils in the survey area, they compared the individual soils with similar soils in the same taxonomic class in other areas so that they could confirm data and assemble additional data based on experience and research.

The objective of soil mapping is not to delineate pure map unit components; the objective is to separate the landscape into landforms or landform segments that have similar use and management requirements. Each map unit is defined by a unique combination of soil components and/or miscellaneous areas in predictable proportions. Some components may be highly contrasting to the other components of the map unit. The presence of minor components in a map unit in no way diminishes the usefulness or accuracy of the data. The delineation of such landforms and landform segments on the map provides sufficient information for the development of resource plans. If intensive use of small areas is planned, onsite investigation is needed to define and locate the soils and miscellaneous areas.

Soil scientists make many field observations in the process of producing a soil map. The frequency of observation is dependent upon several factors including scale of mapping, intensity of mapping, design of map units, complexity of the landscape, and experience of the soil scientist. Observations are made to test undiverine the soil-landscape model and predictions and to verify the classification of the soils at specific locations. Once the soil-landscape model is remedy a significantly smaller number of measurements of individual soil properties are made and recorded. These measurements may include field measurements, such as those for color, depth to bedrock, and texture, and laboratory measurements, such as those for content of sand, silt, clay, salt, and other components. Properties of each soil typically vary from one point to another across the landscape.

Observations for map unit compone its are aggregated to develop ranges of characteristics for the components. The aggregated values are presented. Direct measurements do not exist for every property presented for every map unit component. Values for som a property some estimated from combinations of other properties.

While a soil survey is in progre is, samples of some of the soils in the area generally are collected for la porator, analyses and for engineering tests. Soil scientists interpret the data rom the le analyses and tests as well as the field-observed characteristics and the soil properties to determine the expected behavior of the soils under different uses. Interpretations for all of the soils are field tested through observation of the soils in different uses and under different levels of management. Some interpretations are modified to fit local conditions, and some new interpretations are developed to meet local needs. Data are assembled from other sources, such as research information, production records, and field experience of specialists. For example, data on crop yields under defined levels of management are assembled from farm records and from field or plot experiments on the same kinds of soil.

Predictions about soil behavior are based not only on soil properties but also on such variables as climate and biological activity. Soil conditions are predictable over long periods of time, but they are not predictable from year to year. For example, soil scientists can predict with a fairly high degree of accuracy that a given soil will have a high water table within certain depths in most years, but they cannot predict that a high water table will always be at a specific level in the soil on a specific date.

After soil scientists located and identified the significant natural bodies of soil in the survey area, they drew the boundaries of these bodies on aerial photographs and

identified each as a specific map unit. Aerial photographs show trees, buildings, fields, roads, and rivers, all of which help in locating boundaries accurately.



## Soil Map

produce the map, and a description of each soil map unit. soil map units on the map and extent of each map unit, and cartographic symbols displayed on the map. Also presented are various metadata about data used to The soil map section includes the soil map for the defined area of interest, a list of





### MAP LEGEND

### Soils Area of Interest (AOI) Soil Map Unit Points Soil Map Unit Lines Soil Map Unit Polygons Area of Interest (AOI) Other Wet Spot Very Stony Spot Stony Spot becial Line Features

### Special Point Features Blowout

- Clay Spot Borrow Pit
- Closed Depression
- Gravel Pit
- Gravelly Spot

Landfill

- Lava Flow
- Marsh or swamp
- 净 Mine or Quarry
- Miscellaneous Water
- Perennial Water
- Saline Spot

Rock Outcrop

- Sandy Spot
- Severely Eroded Spot
- Sinkhole
- Slide or Slip
- Sodic Spot

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Background Aerial Photography

## MAP INFORMATION

The soil surveys that comprise your AOI were mapped at 1:24,000.

Warning: Soil Map may not be valid at this scale.

contrasting soils that could have been shown at a more detailed Enlargement of maps beyond the scale of mapping can cause misunderstanding of the detail of mapping and accuracy of soil line placement. The maps do not show the small areas of

measurements. Please rely on the bar scale on each map sheet for map

Web Soil Survey URL: Source of Map: Natural Resources Conservation Service

Coordinate System: Web Mercator (EPSG:3857)

Albers equal-area conic projection, should be used if more distance and area. A projection that preserves area, such as the projection, which preserves direction and shape but distorts accurate calculations of distance or area are required. Maps from the Web Soil Survey are based on the Web Mercator

of the v∈ sion date(s) listed below. oduct is generated from the USDA-NRCS certified data as

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Soil map units are labeled (as space allows) for map scales 1:50,000 or larger.

Date(s) aerial images were photographed: Mar 17, 2022—Jun

The orthophoto or other base map on which the soil lines were compiled and digitized probably differs from the background

### MAP LEGEND

## MAP INFORMATION

imagery displayed on these maps. As a result, some minor shifting of map unit boundaries may be evident.



## Map Unit Legend

100.0%	1.2		Totals for Area of Interest
100.0%	1.2	HESPERIA LOAMY FINE SAND, 2 TO 5 PERCENT SLOPES	134
Percent of AOI	Acres in AOI	Map Unit Name	Map Unit Symbol

# **Map Unit Descriptions**

with the maps, can be u soils or mis The map ur is deline ated on the detailed soil maps in a soil survey represent the ellan ous areas in the survey area. The map unit descriptions, along ↑ to determine the composition and properties of a unit.

components that belong to taxonomic classes other than those of the major soils. up of the soils or miscellaneous areas for which it is named and some minor landscape, however, the soils are power phenomena, and they have the characteristic variability of all natural pheno, nena. Thus, the range of some observed properties may extend be ond the limits defined for a taxonomic class. according to the taxonomic class cation of the dominant soils. Within a taxonomic class there are precisely defined mits for the properties of the soils. On the landscape, however, the soils are powerland phenomena, and they have the Areas of soils of a single taxonomic case arely, if ever, can be mapped without major kinds of soil or his ellaneous areas. A map unit is identified and named A map unit delineation c a oil map represents an area dominated by one or more

components may not have been observed, and consequently they are not mentioned in the descriptions, especially where the pattern was so complex that it are identified by a special symbol on the maps. If included in the database for a and behavioral characteristics divergent enough to affect use or the quire different management. These are called contrasting, or dissimilar, componer such fields map unit, and thus they do not affect use and manay mer. The noncontrasting, or similar, components. They may or may not be was impractical to make enough observations to identify all the soils and descriptions along with some characteristics of each. A few areas of minor given area, the contrasting minor components are identified in the map unit scale used. Some small areas of strongly contrasting soils or miscellaneous areas generally are in small areas and could not be mapped separately b particular map unit description. Other minor components, Most minor soils have properties similar to those of the dominant soil or soils in the miscellaneous areas on the landscape. not be nower ar, e are called nentioned in a ause of the ive properties

development of resource plans. If intensive use of small areas is planned, however, delineation of such segments on the map provides sufficient information for the landform segments that have similar use and management requirements. The pure taxonomic classes but rather to separate the landscape into landforms or usefulness or accuracy of the data. The objective of mapping is not to delineate The presence of minor components in a map unit in no way diminishes the

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onsite investigation is needed to define and locate the soils and miscellaneous areas.

An identifying symbol precedes the map unit name in the map unit descriptions. Each description includes general facts about the unit and gives important soil properties and qualities.

Soils that have profiles that are almost alike make up a *soil series*. Except for differences in texture of the surface layer, all the soils of a series have major horizons that are similar in composition, thickness, and arrangement.

Soils of one series can differ in texture of the surface layer, slope, stoniness, salinity, degree of erosion, and other characteristics that affect their use. On the basis of such differences, a soil series is divided into *soil phases*. Most of the areas shown on the detailed soil maps are phases of soil series. The name of a soil phase commonly indicates a feature that affects use or management. For example, Alpha silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is a phase of the Alpha series.

Some map units are made up of two or more major soils or misculane, us areas. These map units are complexes, associations, or undifferentiate ' group'.

A *complex* consists of two or more soils or miscellaneous creas in such an intricate pattern or in such small areas that they cannot be shown severately on the maps. The pattern and proportion of the soils or miscellaneous least resomewhat similar in all areas. Alpha-Beta complex, 0 to 6 percent slopes, is a example.

An association is made up of two or more get graphically associated soils or miscellaneous areas that are shown as one unit on the maps. Because of present or anticipated uses of the map units in the suit by trea, it was not considered practical or necessary to map the soils or misce laneous areas separately. The pattern and relative proportion of the soil or miscellaneous areas are somewhat similar. Alpha-Beta association, to 2 percent slopes, is an example.

An *undifferentiated group* is made up of two or more soils or miscellaneous areas that could be mapped in a dually but are mapped as one unit because similar interpretations can be made or use and management. The pattern and proportion of the soils or miscollane us areas in a mapped area are not uniform. An area can be made up of only one of the major soils or miscellaneous areas, or it can be made up of all of them. At ha ar d Beta soils, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is an example.

Some survey include *miscellaneous areas*. Such areas have little or no soil material and apport little or no vegetation. Rock outcrop is an example.

### San Bernardino County, California, Mojave River Area

### 134—HESPERIA LOAMY FINE SAND, 2 TO 5 PERCENT SLOPES

### **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: hks7 Elevation: 200 to 4,000 feet

Mean annual precipitation: 6 to 9 inches

Mean annual air temperature: 57 to 61 degrees F

Frost-free period: 150 to 250 days

Farmland classification: Prime farmland if irrigated

### **Map Unit Composition**

Hesperia and similar soils: 85 percent *Minor components:* 15 percent

Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

### **Description of Hesperia**

### Setting

Landform: Fan aprons

Landform position (two-dimensional): Footsic per Landform position (three-dimensional) Tread

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Alluvium Jerived from granite sources

### Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 6 inches: oar y fine sand H2 - 6 to 60 inches: and loam

### Properties and palities

Slope: 2 to 5 pcrcent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Drai age class: Well drained

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (1.98 to 5.95

n/hi

Dopting water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 10 percent

Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)

Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 5.9 inches)

### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 2e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6e

Hydrologic Soil Group: A

Ecological site: R030XE006CA - COARSE LOAMY

Hydric soil rating: No

### **Minor Components**

### Cajon

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

### Wrightwood

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

### Bull trail

Percent of map unit: 3 percent Hydric soil rating: No

### Unnamed soils

Percent of map unit: 2 percent Hydric soil rating: No



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