

**WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Arid West Region**

Project/Site: Avila Ranch City/County: San Luis Obispo Sampling Date: 5-8-11  
 Applicant/Owner: Steve Peck State: CA Sampling Point: 5(01.1)  
 Investigator(s): Dr. T. Higley & L.P. Althaus Section, Township, Range: Sec 11 T 315 R 12E  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): flat Local relief (concave, convex, none): flat Slope (%): 0.5  
 Subregion (LRR): Mediterranean CA Lat: 35.24060 Long: -120.66903 Datum: NAD 83  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Conception loam NWI classification: PEMAP

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology  significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology  naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

**SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.**

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Remarks:	

**VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.**

Stratum	Plot size	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	
<u>Tree Stratum</u>	<u>(Plot size: N/A)</u>				
1.					
2.					
3.					
4.					
					= Total Cover
<u>Sapling/Shrub Stratum</u>	<u>(Plot size: N/A)</u>				
1.					
2.					
3.					
4.					
5.					
					= Total Cover
<u>Herb Stratum</u>	<u>(Plot size: m<sup>2</sup>)</u>				
1.	<u>Malvella leprosa</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>FACU</u>	
2.	<u>Convolvulus arvensis</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>UPL</u>	
3.	<u>Unidentified grass (&lt;3m)</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>UPL</u>	
4.					
5.					
6.					
7.					
8.					
		<u>8</u>			= Total Cover
<u>Woody Vine Stratum</u>	<u>(Plot size: N/A)</u>				
1.					
2.					
					= Total Cover
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum <u>92</u> % Cover of Biotic Crust _____					

**Dominance Test worksheet:**  
 Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0 (A)  
 Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 1 (B)  
 Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0 (A/B)

**Prevalence Index worksheet:**  
 Total % Cover of: \_\_\_\_\_ Multiply by: \_\_\_\_\_  
 OBL species 0 x 1 = 0  
 FACW species 0 x 2 = 0  
 FAC species 0 x 3 = 0  
 FACU species 5 x 4 = 20  
 UPL species 3 x 5 = 15  
 Column Totals: 8 (A) 35 (B)  
 Prevalence Index = B/A = 4.4

**Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:**  
 Dominance Test is >50%  
 Prevalence Index is ≤3.0<sup>1</sup>  
 Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)  
 Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation<sup>1</sup> (Explain)

<sup>1</sup>Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

**Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?** Yes  No

Remarks: plowed, veg growth in field consistent

**SOIL**

Sampling Point: 5

**Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)**

Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features				Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>		
0-4	10YR 2/1	100					C	granular, some
4-18	10YR 2/1	100					C	sand + roots

<sup>1</sup>Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains. <sup>2</sup>Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.

**Hydric Soil Indicators: (Applicable to all LRRs, unless otherwise noted.)**

<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Redox (S5)	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR C)
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stripped Matrix (S6)	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 cm Muck (A10) (LRR B)
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Histic (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Reduced Vertic (F18)
<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Red Parent Material (TF2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Stratified Layers (A5) (LRR C)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Matrix (F3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR D)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Dark Surface (F6)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Dark Surface (F7)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Thick Dark Surface (A12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Depressions (F8)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Vernal Pools (F9)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)		

<sup>3</sup>Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

**Restrictive Layer (if present):**  
 Type: None  
 Depth (inches): >18 in

Hydric Soil Present? Yes  No

Remarks:  
No depletions/reductions; moist below 6 in (irrigated)

**HYDROLOGY**

**Wetland Hydrology Indicators:**

<b>Primary Indicators (minimum of one required; check all that apply)</b>		<b>Secondary Indicators (2 or more required)</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Water (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Salt Crust (B11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> High Water Table (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Biotic Crust (B12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic Invertebrates (B13)	<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns (B10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Rhizospheres along Living Roots (C3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Crayfish Burrows (C8)
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Soil Cracks (B6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
<input type="checkbox"/> Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Thin Muck Surface (C7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Shallow Aquitard (D3)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	<input type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

**Field Observations:**

Surface Water Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>&gt;18 in</u>	Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Water Table Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>&gt;18 in</u>	
Saturation Present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>&gt;18 in</u>	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:  
Irrigated to serpentinic soils prone to shrink/swell - deep cracks.  
Inundation # visible on 1975 aerial - nothing recent.

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 Applicant/Owner: Steve Peck State: CA Sampling Point: 6 (065)  
 Investigator(s): Jotilligert Section, Township, Range: Sec 11 T31S R12E  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): drainage Local relief (concave, convex, none): concave Slope (%): 100  
 Subregion (LRR): Mediterranean CA Lat: 35.23958 Long: -120.66626 Datum: NAD83  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Cropley Clay NWI classification: PEMA1  
 Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology  significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology  naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

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Remarks: <p align="center"><i>potentially historical drainage dewatered between two irrigated and plowed fields</i></p>	

**VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.**

Tree Stratum (Plot size: <u>N/A</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Dominance Test worksheet:
1. <u>/</u>				Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>0</u> (A)
2. <u>/</u>				Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>3</u> (B)
3. <u>/</u>				Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>0</u> (A/B)
4. <u>/</u>				
= Total Cover				
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: <u>N/A</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Prevalence Index worksheet:
1. <u>/</u>				Total % Cover of: <u>10</u> x 1 = <u>10</u>
2. <u>/</u>				FACW species <u>5</u> x 2 = <u>10</u>
3. <u>/</u>				FAC species <u>15</u> x 3 = <u>45</u>
4. <u>/</u>				FACU species <u>55</u> x 4 = <u>200</u>
5. <u>/</u>				UPL species <u>0</u> x 5 = <u>0</u>
= Total Cover				Column Totals: <u>85</u> (A) <u>285</u> (B)
				Prevalence Index = B/A = <u>3.35</u>
Herb Stratum (Plot size: <u>m<sup>2</sup></u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
1. <u>Elymus glaucus</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>FACU</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Dominance Test is >50%
2. <u>Brassica nigra</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>FACU</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>
3. <u>Lotus corniculatus</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>FAC</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
4. <u>Conium maculatum</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>FACW</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
5. <u>Phalaris aquatica</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>FACU</u>	
6. <u>Raphanus sativa</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>FACU</u>	
7. <u>Typha angustifolia</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>OBL</u>	
8. <u>/</u>				
= Total Cover				
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: <u>N/A</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?
1. <u>/</u>				Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
2. <u>/</u>				
= Total Cover				
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum <u>0</u> % Cover of Biotic Crust <u>0</u>				

Remarks:  
*high thatch cover, drainage contains weedy and cultivated plants - may occasionally be disturbed*

**SOIL**

Sampling Point: 6

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)								
Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features				Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>		
0-5	Gley 2.5/N	80	10YR 6/2	70	D	M	C	
5-12	10YR 3/1	38	10YR 5/2	60	D	M	C	
			10YR 4/6	2	C	M	C	

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**Hydric Soil Indicators: (Applicable to all LRRs, unless otherwise noted.)**

**Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils<sup>3</sup>:**

- Histosol (A1)
- Histic Epipedon (A2)
- Black Histic (A3)
- Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)
- Stratified Layers (A5) (LRR C)
- 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR D)
- Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)
- Thick Dark Surface (A12)
- Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)
- Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)

- Sandy Redox (S5)
- Stripped Matrix (S6)
- Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)
- Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)
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- 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR C)
- 2 cm Muck (A10) (LRR B)
- Reduced Vertic (F18)
- Red Parent Material (TF2)
- Other (Explain in Remarks)

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**Restrictive Layer (if present):**

Type: None

Depth (inches): > 12 inches

Hydric Soil Present? Yes  No

Remarks:

**HYDROLOGY**

**Wetland Hydrology Indicators:**

Primary Indicators (minimum of one required; check all that apply)

Secondary Indicators (2 or more required)

- Surface Water (A1)
- High Water Table (A2)
- Saturation (A3)
- Water Marks (B1) (Nonriverine)
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**Field Observations:**

Surface Water Present? Yes  No  Depth (inches): > 12 in

Water Table Present? Yes  No  Depth (inches): > 12 in

Saturation Present? (includes capillary fringe) Yes  No  Depth (inches): > 12 in

Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes  No

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:

**WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Arid West Region**

Project/Site: Avila Ranch City/County: San Luis Obispo Sampling Date: 12-15-15  
 Applicant/Owner: Steve Peck State: CA Sampling Point: 7  
 Investigator(s): J. Tilligheast & J. Polhman Section, Township, Range: Sec 11 T31S R12E  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): drainage Local relief (concave, convex, none): concave Slope (%): 1, banks 10  
 Subregion (LRR): LRRC Lat: 35.24067 Long: -120.66680 Datum: WGS84  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Cropley clay, 0-2% NWI classification: PEM0x  
 Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
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Remarks: <p style="font-size: 1.2em; margin: 0;"><i>Drought year, point located in drainage ditch that probably hasn't flowed in a while</i></p>	

**VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.**

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**SOIL**

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<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)		

<sup>3</sup>Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

**Restrictive Layer (if present):**  
 Type: none  
 Depth (inches): >12 inches

Hydric Soil Present? Yes  No

Remarks:

**HYDROLOGY**

**Wetland Hydrology Indicators:**

<b>Primary Indicators (minimum of one required; check all that apply)</b>		<b>Secondary Indicators (2 or more required)</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Water (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Salt Crust (B11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> High Water Table (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Biotic Crust (B12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic Invertebrates (B13)	<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns (B10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Rhizospheres along Living Roots (C3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Crayfish Burrows (C8)
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Soil Cracks (B6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
<input type="checkbox"/> Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Thin Muck Surface (C7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Shallow Aquitard (D3)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

**Field Observations:**

Surface Water Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12"</u>	Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Water Table Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12"</u>	
Saturation Present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12"</u>	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:  
Moist in December

**WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Arid West Region**

Project/Site: Avala Ranch City/County: San Luis Obispo Sampling Date: 12-15-15  
 Applicant/Owner: Steve Peck State: CA Sampling Point: 8  
 Investigator(s): J. Tilligkeit & J. Pohlman Section, Township, Range: Sec 10 T31S R12E  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): flat Local relief (concave, convex, none): flat Slope (%): <1  
 Subregion (LRR): LRRC Lat: 35.24063 Long: -120.66699 Datum: WGS84  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Cropley clay, 0-2% NWI classification: PEMAP

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? -Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No   
 Are Vegetation , Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology  naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

**SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.**

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland? Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: <p align="center"><u>Drought year</u></p>	

**VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.**

Tree Stratum (Plot size: <u>none</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
				_____ = Total Cover
<b>Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: <u>none</u>)</b>				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
				_____ = Total Cover
<b>Herb Stratum (Plot size: <u>none</u>)</b>				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	
8. _____	_____	_____	_____	
				_____ = Total Cover
<b>Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: <u>none</u>)</b>				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
				_____ = Total Cover
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum <u>100</u>		% Cover of Biotic Crust <u>0</u>		
Remarks: <p align="center"><u>Plowed farm field</u></p>				

**Dominance Test worksheet:**

Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0 (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 0 (B)

Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0 (A/B)

**Prevalence Index worksheet:**

Total % Cover of:	Multiply by:
OBL species <u>0</u>	x 1 = <u>0</u>
FACW species <u>0</u>	x 2 = <u>0</u>
FAC species <u>0</u>	x 3 = <u>0</u>
FACU species <u>0</u>	x 4 = <u>0</u>
UPL species <u>0</u>	x 5 = <u>0</u>
Column Totals: <u>0</u> (A)	<u>0</u> (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = —

**Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:**

Dominance Test is >50%

Prevalence Index is ≤3.0<sup>1</sup>

Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)

Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation<sup>1</sup> (Explain)

<sup>1</sup>Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

**Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?** Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

**SOIL**

Sampling Point: 8

**Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)**

Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features				Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>		
0-12"	10YR2/1	100	none	-	-	-	C	

<sup>1</sup>Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains. <sup>2</sup>Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.

<b>Hydric Soil Indicators: (Applicable to all LRRs, unless otherwise noted.)</b>		<b>Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils<sup>3</sup>:</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Redox (S5)	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR C)
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stripped Matrix (S6)	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 cm Muck (A10) (LRR B)
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Histic (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Reduced Vertic (F18)
<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Red Parent Material (TF2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Stratified Layers (A5) (LRR C)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Matrix (F3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR D)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Dark Surface (F6)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Dark Surface (F7)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Thick Dark Surface (A12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Depressions (F8)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Vernal Pools (F9)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)		

<sup>3</sup>Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

**Restrictive Layer (if present):**  
 Type: none  
 Depth (inches): >12 inches

Hydric Soil Present? Yes  No

Remarks:

**HYDROLOGY**

**Wetland Hydrology Indicators:**

Primary Indicators (minimum of one required; check all that apply)	Secondary Indicators (2 or more required)
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Water (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Salt Crust (B11)
<input type="checkbox"/> High Water Table (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Biotic Crust (B12)
<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic Invertebrates (B13)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)
<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Rhizospheres along Living Roots (C3)
<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Soil Cracks (B6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)
<input type="checkbox"/> Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Thin Muck Surface (C7)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Riverine)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Riverine)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Riverine)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns (B10)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Crayfish Burrows (C8)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Shallow Aquitard (D3)
	<input type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

**Field Observations:**

Surface Water Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12"</u>	Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Water Table Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12"</u>	
Saturation Present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12"</u>	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:



**WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Arid West Region**

Project/Site: Avila Ranch City/County: San Luis Obispo Sampling Date: 12-15-15  
 Applicant/Owner: Steve Peck State: CA Sampling Point: 9  
 Investigator(s): J. Tilligkeit & J. Pohlman Section, Township, Range: Sec 11 T31S R12E  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): Plat Local relief (concave, convex, none): Plat Slope (%): 1  
 Subregion (LRR): LRRC Lat: 35.23983 Long: -120.66587 Datum: WGS84  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Cropley clay, 0-2% NWI classification: PEMAP

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology  significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No   
 Are Vegetation , Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology  naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

**SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.**

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland? Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Remarks:	

**VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.**

Tree Stratum (Plot size: <u>none</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Dominance Test worksheet:																
1. _____				Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>0</u> (A)																
2. _____				Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>0</u> (B)																
3. _____				Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>—</u> (A/B)																
4. _____																				
_____ = Total Cover				<b>Prevalence Index worksheet:</b> <table style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <th style="width:50%;">Total % Cover of:</th> <th style="width:50%;">Multiply by:</th> </tr> <tr> <td>OBL species <u>0</u></td> <td>x 1 = <u>0</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>FACW species <u>0</u></td> <td>x 2 = <u>0</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>FAC species <u>0</u></td> <td>x 3 = <u>0</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>FACU species <u>0</u></td> <td>x 4 = <u>0</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>UPL species <u>0</u></td> <td>x 5 = <u>0</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Column Totals: <u>0</u> (A)</td> <td><u>0</u> (B)</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">Prevalence Index = B/A = <u>—</u></td> </tr> </table>	Total % Cover of:	Multiply by:	OBL species <u>0</u>	x 1 = <u>0</u>	FACW species <u>0</u>	x 2 = <u>0</u>	FAC species <u>0</u>	x 3 = <u>0</u>	FACU species <u>0</u>	x 4 = <u>0</u>	UPL species <u>0</u>	x 5 = <u>0</u>	Column Totals: <u>0</u> (A)	<u>0</u> (B)	Prevalence Index = B/A = <u>—</u>	
Total % Cover of:	Multiply by:																			
OBL species <u>0</u>	x 1 = <u>0</u>																			
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UPL species <u>0</u>	x 5 = <u>0</u>																			
Column Totals: <u>0</u> (A)	<u>0</u> (B)																			
Prevalence Index = B/A = <u>—</u>																				
<b>Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: <u>none</u>)</b> 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____ 5. _____ _____ = Total Cover																				
<b>Herb Stratum (Plot size: <u>none</u>)</b> 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____ 5. _____ 6. _____ 7. _____ 8. _____ _____ = Total Cover																				
<b>Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: <u>none</u>)</b> 1. _____ 2. _____ _____ = Total Cover																				
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum <u>100</u> % Cover of Biotic Crust <u>0</u>																				

**Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:**  
 Dominance Test is >50%  
 Prevalence Index is ≤3.0<sup>1</sup>  
 Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)  
 Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation<sup>1</sup> (Explain)

<sup>1</sup>Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

**Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?** Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Remarks:  
Plowed farm field

**SOIL**

Sampling Point: 9

**Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)**

Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features				Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>		
0-12"	10YR 2/1	100	none	-	-	-	C	

<sup>1</sup>Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains. <sup>2</sup>Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.

<b>Hydric Soil Indicators: (Applicable to all LRRs, unless otherwise noted.)</b>		<b>Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils<sup>3</sup>:</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Redox (S5)	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR C)
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stripped Matrix (S6)	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 cm Muck (A10) (LRR B)
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Histic (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Reduced Vertic (F18)
<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Red Parent Material (TF2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Stratified Layers (A5) (LRR C)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Matrix (F3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR D)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Dark Surface (F6)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Dark Surface (F7)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Thick Dark Surface (A12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Depressions (F8)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Vernal Pools (F9)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)		

<sup>3</sup>Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

**Restrictive Layer (if present):**  
 Type: none  
 Depth (inches): >12 inches

Hydric Soil Present? Yes  No

Remarks:

**HYDROLOGY**

<b>Wetland Hydrology Indicators:</b>	
<u>Primary Indicators (minimum of one required; check all that apply)</u>	<u>Secondary Indicators (2 or more required)</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Water (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Salt Crust (B11)
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<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic Invertebrates (B13)
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<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Soil Cracks (B6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)
<input type="checkbox"/> Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Thin Muck Surface (C7)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Riverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Riverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Riverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns (B10)	<input type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns (B10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Dry-Season Water Table (C2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Crayfish Burrows (C8)	<input type="checkbox"/> Crayfish Burrows (C8)
<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)	<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
<input type="checkbox"/> Shallow Aquitard (D3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Shallow Aquitard (D3)
<input type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test (D5)	<input type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

**Field Observations:**

Surface Water Present? Yes  No  Depth (inches): >12"

Water Table Present? Yes  No  Depth (inches): >12"

Saturation Present? (includes capillary fringe) Yes  No  Depth (inches): >12"

Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes  No

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:

**WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Arid West Region**

Project/Site: Avila Ranch City/County: San Luis Obispo Sampling Date: 12-15-15  
 Applicant/Owner: Steve Peck State: CA Sampling Point: 10  
 Investigator(s): Jo Tilligkeit to Jo Pohlman Section, Township, Range: Sec 10  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): drainage Local relief (concave, convex, none): concave Slope (%): 1.6 to 8.10  
 Subregion (LRR): LRRC Lat: 35.23798 Long: -120.66945 Datum: WGS 84  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Cropley clay NWI classification: PSSC X

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology  significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology  naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

**SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.**

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: <u>Drought year</u>	

**VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.**

Tree Stratum (Plot size: <u>none</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Dominance Test worksheet:
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>2</u> (A)
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>2</u> (B)
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>100</u> (A/B)
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
<u>0</u> = Total Cover				
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: <u>3m</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Prevalence Index worksheet:
1. <u>Salix lasiolepis</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>FACW</u>	Total % Cover of: _____ Multiply by: _____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	OBL species <u>70</u> x 1 = <u>70</u>
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	FACW species <u>5</u> x 2 = <u>10</u>
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	FAC species <u>100</u> x 3 = <u>300</u>
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	FACU species <u>30</u> x 4 = <u>120</u>
<u>5</u> = Total Cover				UPL species <u>3</u> x 5 = <u>15</u>
				Column Totals: <u>108</u> (A) <u>245</u> (B)
				Prevalence Index = B/A = <u>1.99</u>
Herb Stratum (Plot size: <u>3m</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
1. <u>Schoenoplectus californicus</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>OBL</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dominance Test is >50%
2. <u>Ferniculum vulgare</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>FACU</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>
3. <u>Helminthotheca echioides</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>FACU</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
4. <u>Hibiscus incana</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>UPL</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	
8. _____	_____	_____	_____	
<u>0</u> = Total Cover				
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: <u>none</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Footnote:
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
<u>0</u> = Total Cover				
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum <u>10</u> % Cover of Biotic Crust <u>0</u>				
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>				
Remarks:				

**SOIL**

Sampling Point: 10

**Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)**

Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features				Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>		
0-2	10YR 2/1	100	none	-	-	-	L	
2-12+	10YR 2/1	15	10YR 4/2	80	D	M	L	
			10YR 4/4	3	D	M	L	
			10YR 5/8	2	C	PL	L	

<sup>1</sup>Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains.      <sup>2</sup>Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.

**Hydric Soil Indicators: (Applicable to all LRRs, unless otherwise noted.)**

<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Redox (S5)	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR C)
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stripped Matrix (S6)	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 cm Muck (A10) (LRR B)
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Histic (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Reduced Vertic (F18)
<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Red Parent Material (TF2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Stratified Layers (A5) (LRR C)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Matrix (F3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR D)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Dark Surface (F6)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Dark Surface (F7)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Thick Dark Surface (A12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Depressions (F8)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Vernal Pools (F9)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)		

<sup>3</sup>Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

**Restrictive Layer (if present):**  
 Type: none  
 Depth (Inches): >12 inches

Hydric Soil Present?    Yes     No

Remarks:

**HYDROLOGY**

**Wetland Hydrology Indicators:**

<u>Primary Indicators (minimum of one required; check all that apply)</u>		<u>Secondary Indicators (2 or more required)</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Water (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Salt Crust (B11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> High Water Table (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Biotic Crust (B12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic Invertebrates (B13)	<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns (B10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Rhizospheres along Living Roots (C3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Crayfish Burrows (C8)
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Soil Cracks (B6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
<input type="checkbox"/> Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Thin Muck Surface (C7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Shallow Aquitard (D3)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

**Field Observations:**

Surface Water Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12"</u>	Wetland Hydrology Present?    Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Water Table Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12"</u>	
Saturation Present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12"</u>	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:

**WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Arid West Region**

Project/Site: Avila Ranch City/County: San Luis Obispo Sampling Date: 12-15-15  
 Applicant/Owner: Steve Peck State: CA Sampling Point: 11  
 Investigator(s): Jo Tilligheit & Jo Pohlman Section, Township, Range: SEC 10 T31S R12E  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): terrace Local relief (concave, convex, none): flat Slope (%): 2  
 Subregion (LRR): LRR C Lat: 35.23784 Long: -120.66915 Datum: WGS84  
 Soil Map Unit Name: conception loam, 2-5% NWI classification: PEMAP

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation  Soil , or Hydrology  significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology  naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

**SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.**

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland? Yes <u>state</u> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: <p style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">Drought year, point taken under the willow canopy next to Tank Farm Creek</p>	

**VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.**

Tree Stratum (Plot size: <u>3m</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Dominance Test worksheet:
1. <u>Salix lasiolepis</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>FACW</u>	Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>2</u> (A)
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>5</u> (B)
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>40</u> (A/B)
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
<u>90</u> = Total Cover				
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: <u>3m</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Prevalence Index worksheet:
1. <u>Baccharis pilularis</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>UPL</u>	Total % Cover of: OBL species <u>0</u> x 1 = <u>0</u>
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	FACW species <u>90</u> x 2 = <u>182</u>
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	FAC species <u>0</u> x 3 = <u>0</u>
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	FACU species <u>1</u> x 4 = <u>4</u>
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	UPL species <u>6</u> x 5 = <u>30</u>
<u>6</u> = Total Cover				Column Totals: <u>98</u> (A) <u>216</u> (B)
				Prevalence Index = B/A = <u>2.2</u>
Herb Stratum (Plot size: <u>3m</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
1. <u>Helminthotheca echioides</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>FACU</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Dominance Test is >50%
2. <u>Conium maculatum</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>FACW</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>
3. <u>Avena fatua</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>UPL</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	
8. _____	_____	_____	_____	
<u>3</u> = Total Cover				<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: <u>none</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
= Total Cover				
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum <u>40</u> % Cover of Biotic Crust <u>0</u>				

Remarks:

**SOIL**

Sampling Point: 11

**Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)**

Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features				Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>		
0-2	10YR2/1		none	-	-	-	L	
2-12 <sup>+</sup>	10YR2/1	20	none	-	-	-	L	
	10YR2/2	80	none	-	-	-		

<sup>1</sup>Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains.    <sup>2</sup>Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.

<b>Hydric Soil Indicators: (Applicable to all LRRs, unless otherwise noted.)</b>		<b>Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils<sup>3</sup>:</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Redox (S5)	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR C)
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stripped Matrix (S6)	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 cm Muck (A10) (LRR B)
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Histic (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Reduced Vertic (F18)
<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Red Parent Material (TF2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Stratified Layers (A5) (LRR C)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Matrix (F3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR D)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Dark Surface (F6)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Dark Surface (F7)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Thick Dark Surface (A12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Depressions (F8)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Vernal Pools (F9)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)		

<sup>3</sup>Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

**Restrictive Layer (if present):**  
 Type: none  
 Depth (inches): >12 inches

Hydric Soil Present?    Yes     No

Remarks:

**HYDROLOGY**

<b>Wetland Hydrology Indicators:</b>	
<u>Primary Indicators (minimum of one required; check all that apply)</u>	<u>Secondary Indicators (2 or more required)</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Water (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Salt Crust (B11)
<input type="checkbox"/> High Water Table (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Biotic Crust (B12)
<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic Invertebrates (B13)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)
<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Rhizospheres along Living Roots (C3)
<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Soil Cracks (B6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)
<input type="checkbox"/> Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Thin Muck Surface (C7)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Riverine)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Riverine)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Riverine)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns (B10)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Crayfish Burrows (C8)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Shallow Aquitard (D3)
	<input type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

**Field Observations:**

Surface Water Present?    Yes     No     Depth (inches): >12 in

Water Table Present?    Yes     No     Depth (inches): >12 in

Saturation Present?    Yes     No     Depth (inches): >12 in

(includes capillary fringe)

Wetland Hydrology Present?    Yes     No

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:  
Directly adjacent to main drainage, under willow canopy

**WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Arid West Region**

Project/Site: Avila Ranch City/County: Santa Luis Obispo Sampling Date: 12-15-15  
 Applicant/Owner: Steve Peck State: CA Sampling Point: 12  
 Investigator(s): J. Tilligheitt & J. Pohlman Section, Township, Range: Sec 10 T3S R12E  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): Flat Local relief (concave, convex, none): Flat Slope (%): 1  
 Subregion (LRR): LRRC Lat: 35.23813 Long: -120.6694 Datum: WGS84  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Cropley clay, 0-2% NWI classification: PEMAP  
 Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology  significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology  naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

**SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.**

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Hydic Soil Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Remarks: <u>Drought year, plowed farm field</u>		

**VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.**

Tree Stratum (Plot size: <u>3m</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Dominance Test worksheet:
1. _____				Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>0</u> (A)
2. _____				Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>0</u> (B)
3. _____				Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>—</u> (A/B)
4. _____				
<u>0</u> = Total Cover				
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: <u>3m</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Prevalence Index worksheet:
1. _____				Total % Cover of: _____ Multiply by: _____
2. _____				OBL species <u>0</u> x 1 = <u>0</u>
3. _____				FACW species <u>0</u> x 2 = <u>0</u>
4. _____				FAC species <u>0</u> x 3 = <u>0</u>
5. _____				FACU species <u>0</u> x 4 = <u>0</u>
<u>0</u> = Total Cover				UPL species <u>0</u> x 5 = <u>0</u>
				Column Totals: <u>0</u> (A) <u>0</u> (B)
				Prevalence Index = B/A = <u>—</u>
Herb Stratum (Plot size: <u>3m</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
1. _____				<input type="checkbox"/> Dominance Test is >50%
2. _____				<input type="checkbox"/> Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>
3. _____				<input type="checkbox"/> Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
4. _____				<input type="checkbox"/> Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
5. _____				
6. _____				
7. _____				
8. _____				
<u>0</u> = Total Cover				<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: <u>3m</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?
1. _____				Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. _____				
<u>0</u> = Total Cover				
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum <u>100</u> % Cover of Biotic Crust <u>0</u>				
Remarks:				

**SOIL**

Sampling Point: 12

**Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)**

Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features				Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>		
0-12"	10YR2/1	100	none	-	-	-	C	

<sup>1</sup>Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains.      <sup>2</sup>Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.

**Hydric Soil Indicators: (Applicable to all LRRs, unless otherwise noted.)**

<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Redox (S5)	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR C)
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stripped Matrix (S6)	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 cm Muck (A10) (LRR B)
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Histic (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Reduced Vertic (F18)
<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Red Parent Material (TF2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Stratified Layers (A5) (LRR C)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Matrix (F3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR D)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Dark Surface (F6)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Dark Surface (F7)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Thick Dark Surface (A12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Depressions (F8)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Vernal Pools (F9)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)		

<sup>3</sup>Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

**Restrictive Layer (if present):**  
 Type: none  
 Depth (Inches): >12 inches

**Hydric Soil Present?** Yes  No

Remarks:

**HYDROLOGY**

**Wetland Hydrology Indicators:**

<u>Primary Indicators (minimum of one required; check all that apply)</u>		<u>Secondary Indicators (2 or more required)</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Water (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Salt Crust (B11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> High Water Table (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Biotic Crust (B12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic Invertebrates (B13)	<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns (B10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Rhizospheres along Living Roots (C3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Crayfish Burrows (C8)
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Soil Cracks (B6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
<input type="checkbox"/> Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Thin Muck Surface (C7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Shallow Aquitard (D3)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	<input type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

**Field Observations:**

Surface Water Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12"</u>	<b>Wetland Hydrology Present?</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Water Table Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12"</u>	
Saturation Present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12"</u>	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:



**WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Arid West Region**

Project/Site: Avila Ranch City/County: San Luis Obispo Sampling Date: 12-15-15  
 Applicant/Owner: Steve Peck State: CA Sampling Point: 13  
 Investigator(s): Jo Tilligleit & J. Pohlman Section, Township, Range: Sec 15 T 31 S R 1 E  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): artificial bowl Local relief (concave, convex, none): concave Slope (%): 1, banks 15  
 Subregion (LRR): LRR C Lat: 35.2359 Long: -120.66751 Datum: WGS84  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Salinas silty clay loam, 0-2% NWI classification: PEM1P  
 Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology  significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology  naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

**SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.**

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland? Yes <u>state</u> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: <p style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">Drought year, scrape along road in plowed field - not plowed, vegetation doesn't look disturbed</p>	

**VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.**

Tree Stratum (Plot size: <u>3m</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Dominance Test worksheet:
1. <u>none</u>	<u>0</u>			Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>1</u> (A)
2. _____				Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>2</u> (B)
3. _____				Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>50</u> (A/B)
4. _____				
<u>0</u> = Total Cover				
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: <u>3m</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Prevalence Index worksheet:
1. <u>none</u>				Total % Cover of: _____ Multiply by: _____
2. _____				OBL species <u>0</u> x 1 = <u>0</u>
3. _____				FACW species <u>0</u> x 2 = <u>0</u>
4. _____				FAC species <u>15</u> x 3 = <u>45</u>
5. _____				FACU species <u>10</u> x 4 = <u>40</u>
<u>0</u> = Total Cover				UPL species <u>2</u> x 5 = <u>10</u>
				Column Totals: <u>17</u> (A) <u>65</u> (B)
				Prevalence Index = B/A = <u>3.82</u>
Herb Stratum (Plot size: <u>3m</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
1. <u>Plantago lanceolata</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>FAC</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Dominance Test is >50%
2. <u>Foeniculum vulgare</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>FACU</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>
3. <u>Hirschfeldia incana</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>UPL</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
4. <u>Avena fatua</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>UPL</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
5. _____				
6. _____				
7. _____				
8. _____				
<u>17</u> = Total Cover				
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: <u>3m</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Footnote:
1. <u>none</u>				<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
2. _____				
_____ = Total Cover				
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum <u>60</u>		% Cover of Biotic Crust <u>0</u>		Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Remarks:  
 Remnants of *Phalaris aquatica*, *Centromadia condensis*, *Avena fatua*, *Lupinus micropus*, *Festuca microstachys*

**SOIL**

Sampling Point: 13

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)								
Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features				Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>		
0-4	10YR2/2	100	none	-	-	-	SiC	
4-12+	10YR2/2	95	F <sub>0</sub> 7.5YR4/6	2	C	PL	SiC	
			7.5YR5/8	3	C	PL		

<sup>1</sup>Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains.      <sup>2</sup>Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.

Hydric Soil Indicators: (Applicable to all LRRs, unless otherwise noted.)			Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils <sup>3</sup> :		
<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Redox (S5)	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR C)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stripped Matrix (S6)	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 cm Muck (A10) (LRR B)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Histic (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Reduced Vertic (F18)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Red Parent Material (TF2)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Stratified Layers (A5) (LRR C)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Matrix (F3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)			
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR D)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Redox Dark Surface (F6)				
<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Dark Surface (F7)				
<input type="checkbox"/> Thick Dark Surface (A12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Depressions (F8)				
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Vernal Pools (F9)				
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)					

<sup>3</sup>Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

<b>Restrictive Layer (if present):</b> Type: <u>none</u> Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12 inches</u>	Hydric Soil Present?    Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
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Remarks:

**HYDROLOGY**

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:		
Primary Indicators (minimum of one required; check all that apply)	Secondary Indicators (2 or more required)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Water (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Salt Crust (B11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> High Water Table (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Biotic Crust (B12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic Invertebrates (B13)	<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Riverine)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns (B10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Rhizospheres along Living Roots (C3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) (Nonriverine)	<input type="checkbox"/> Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Crayfish Burrows (C8)
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Soil Cracks (B6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
<input type="checkbox"/> Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Thin Muck Surface (C7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Shallow Aquitard (D3)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	<input type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

<b>Field Observations:</b> Surface Water Present?    Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12"</u> Water Table Present?    Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12"</u> Saturation Present?    Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Depth (inches): <u>&gt;12"</u> (includes capillary fringe)	Wetland Hydrology Present?    Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
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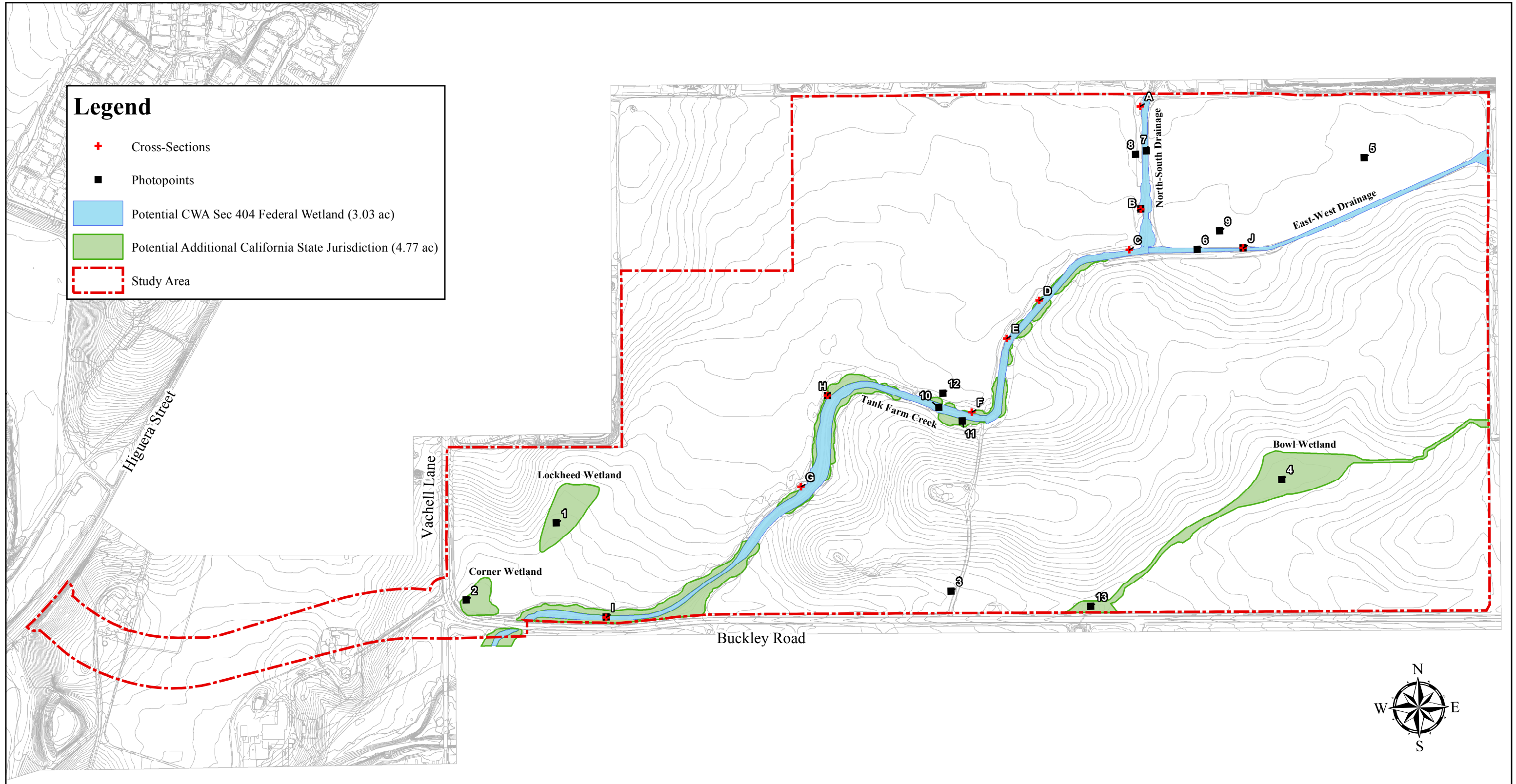
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:  
 Water pools in this low lying area. Would contain runoff from >20 acres of farmland. Drought year makes hydrology and vegetation problematic.

**Exhibit C – Cross-Sections and Photopoint Locations**

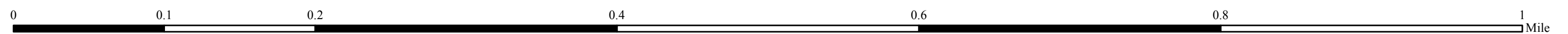
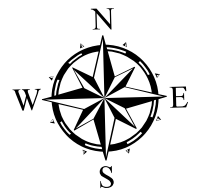


# Exhibit C. Cross-Sections and Photopoint Locations



## Legend

- + Cross-Sections
- Photopoints
- Potential CWA Sec 404 Federal Wetland (3.03 ac)
- Potential Additional California State Jurisdiction (4.77 ac)
- Study Area





**Exhibit D – Ephemeral and Intermittent Streams OHWB Datasheets**





## Arid West Ephemeral and Intermittent Streams OTHM Datasheet

<b>Project:</b> <i>Avila Ranch</i> <b>Project Number:</b> <b>Stream:</b> <i>Tank Farm</i> <b>Investigator(s):</b> <i>J. Tilligheast &amp; J. Pohlman</i>	<b>Date:</b> <i>12/15/15</i> <b>Time:</b> <i>0900-1100</i> <b>Town:</b> <i>San Luis Obispo</i> <b>State:</b> <i>CA</i> <b>Photo begin file#:</b> <i>H-1</i> <b>Photo end file#:</b> <i>H-3</i> <span style="margin-left: 150px;"><i>I-1</i></span> <span style="margin-left: 150px;"><i>I-3</i></span>
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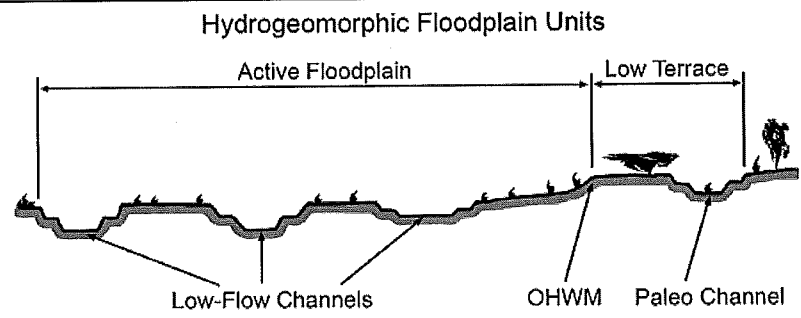
Y <input type="checkbox"/> / N <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Do normal circumstances exist on the site?  Y <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> / N <input type="checkbox"/> Is the site significantly disturbed?	<b>Location Details:</b> <i>Site at corner of Buckley Rd &amp; Vachell Ln</i> <b>Projection:</b> <i>None</i> <b>Datum:</b> <i>WGS84</i> <b>Coordinates:</b> <i>35.23796, -120.66902 (site)</i>
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**Potential anthropogenic influences on the channel system:**  
*The Study Area has been historically farmed for close to a century. Tank Farm Creek flows through the middle and although the virgin most of the drainage hasn't been disturbed farming practices are encroaching on the*

**Brief site description:** *drainage from both sides. Portions have also been historically rerouted. A willow and cottonwood lined drainage flowing from the northeast edge of the Study Area to the southwest.*

**Checklist of resources (if available):**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aerial photography Dates: <i>1939, 59, 68, 72, 94</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Stream gage data Gage number:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Topographic maps <i>2002-07, 09-13</i>	Period of record:
<input type="checkbox"/> Geologic maps	<input type="checkbox"/> History of recent effective discharges
<input type="checkbox"/> Vegetation maps	<input type="checkbox"/> Results of flood frequency analysis
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Soils maps	<input type="checkbox"/> Most recent shift-adjusted rating
<input type="checkbox"/> Rainfall/precipitation maps	<input type="checkbox"/> Gage heights for 2-, 5-, 10-, and 25-year events and the most recent event exceeding a 5-year event
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Existing delineation(s) for site	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Global positioning system (GPS)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other studies	



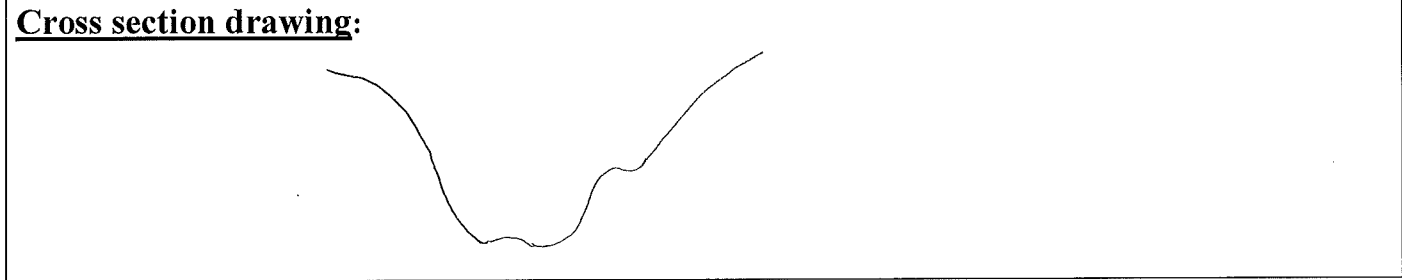
- Procedure for identifying and characterizing the floodplain units to assist in identifying the OHWM:**
1. Walk the channel and floodplain within the study area to get an impression of the geomorphology and vegetation present at the site.
  2. Select a representative cross section across the channel. Draw the cross section and label the floodplain units.
  3. Determine a point on the cross section that is characteristic of one of the hydrogeomorphic floodplain units.
    - a) Record the floodplain unit and GPS position.
    - b) Describe the sediment texture (using the Wentworth class size) and the vegetation characteristics of the floodplain unit.
    - c) Identify any indicators present at the location.
  4. Repeat for other points in different hydrogeomorphic floodplain units across the cross section.
  5. Identify the OHWM and record the indicators. Record the OHWM position via:
 

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mapping on aerial photograph	<input type="checkbox"/> GPS
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Digitized on computer	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:

Project ID:

Cross section ID: H

Date: 12/15/15 Time: 1100



**OHWM**

GPS point: drainage too narrow for GPS markers

**Indicators:**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Change in average sediment texture      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Break in bank slope |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change in vegetation species | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change in vegetation cover   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                   |

**Comments:**

Hasn't flowed in a while, no drift or sediment deposits. Damp soil. High amount of leaf litter. OHWM approximatedly 20-ft wide.

**Floodplain unit:**  Low-Flow Channel     Active Floodplain     Low Terrace

GPS point: 35.238035, -120.670836

**Characteristics of the floodplain unit:**

Average sediment texture: clay  
Total veg cover: 90 %    Tree: 70 %    Shrub: 30 %    Herb: 60 %  
Community successional stage:

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> NA                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Mid (herbaceous, shrubs, saplings)                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Early (herbaceous & seedlings) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Late (herbaceous, shrubs, mature trees) |

**Indicators:**

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mudcracks                           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Soil development |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ripples                             | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Surface relief   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drift and/or debris                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Presence of bed and bank | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Benches                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                |

**Comments:**

Water-stained leaves. Schoenoplectus & Typha present.

Project ID:

Cross section ID: H

Date: 12/15/15

Time: 1100

**Floodplain unit:**

Low-Flow Channel

Active Floodplain

Low Terrace

GPS point: \_\_\_\_\_

**Characteristics of the floodplain unit:**

Average sediment texture: clay

Total veg cover: 80 % Tree: 70 % Shrub: 40 % Herb: 20 %

Community successional stage:

NA

Early (herbaceous & seedlings)

Mid (herbaceous, shrubs, saplings)

Late (herbaceous, shrubs, mature trees)

**Indicators:**

Mudcracks

Ripples

Drift and/or debris

Presence of bed and bank

Benches

Soil development

Surface relief

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Comments:**

*Willows present. Less herb cover above active channel.*

**Floodplain unit:**

Low-Flow Channel

Active Floodplain

Low Terrace

GPS point: \_\_\_\_\_

**Characteristics of the floodplain unit:**

Average sediment texture: clay

Total veg cover: 90 % Tree: 90 % Shrub: 10 % Herb: 0 %

Community successional stage:

NA

Early (herbaceous & seedlings)

Mid (herbaceous, shrubs, saplings)

Late (herbaceous, shrubs, mature trees)

**Indicators:**

Mudcracks

Ripples

Drift and/or debris

Presence of bed and bank

Benches

Soil development

Surface relief

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Comments:**

*Top of bank approximately 35-ft wide.*

Project ID:

Cross section ID: I

Date: 12/15/15 Time: 1200

**Cross section drawing:**



**OHWM**

GPS point: drainage too narrow for GPS pts as measurements

**Indicators:**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change in average sediment texture | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Break in bank slope |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Change in vegetation species                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Change in vegetation cover                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                   |

**Comments:**

Constant vegetation type and cover

**Floodplain unit:**     Low-Flow Channel     Active Floodplain     Low Terrace

GPS point: 35.235786, -120.673685

**Characteristics of the floodplain unit:**

Average sediment texture: Fine Sand

Total veg cover: 70 %    Tree: 70 %    Shrub: 0 %    Herb: 0 %

**Community successional stage:**

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> NA                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Mid (herbaceous, shrubs, saplings)                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Early (herbaceous & seedlings) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Late (herbaceous, shrubs, mature trees) |

**Indicators:**

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mudcracks                           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Soil development |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ripples                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Surface relief              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drift and/or debris                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Presence of bed and bank | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Benches                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                |

**Comments:**

Hydric soil present. Channel hasn't flowed in awhile.

Project ID:

Cross section ID: *I*

Date: *12/15/15* Time: *1200*

**Floodplain unit:**  Low-Flow Channel  Active Floodplain  Low Terrace

GPS point: \_\_\_\_\_

**Characteristics of the floodplain unit:**

Average sediment texture: *medium silt*

Total veg cover: *70* % Tree: *70* % Shrub: *0* % Herb: *5* %

Community successional stage:

- NA
- Early (herbaceous & seedlings)
- Mid (herbaceous, shrubs, saplings)
- Late (herbaceous, shrubs, mature trees)

**Indicators:**

- Mudcracks
- Ripples
- Drift and/or debris
- Presence of bed and bank
- Benches
- Soil development
- Surface relief
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

**Floodplain unit:**  Low-Flow Channel  Active Floodplain  Low Terrace

GPS point: \_\_\_\_\_

**Characteristics of the floodplain unit:**

Average sediment texture: *clay*

Total veg cover: *65* % Tree: *65* % Shrub: *0* % Herb: *60* %

Community successional stage:

- NA
- Early (herbaceous & seedlings)
- Mid (herbaceous, shrubs, saplings)
- Late (herbaceous, shrubs, mature trees)

**Indicators:**

- Mudcracks
- Ripples
- Drift and/or debris
- Presence of bed and bank
- Benches
- Soil development
- Surface relief
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

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<b>Project:</b> <i>Avila Ranch</i> <b>Project Number:</b> <b>Stream:</b> <i>North-South Drainage</i> <b>Investigator(s):</b> <i>JoT, Hight to Jo Pohlman</i>	<b>Date:</b> <i>12/15/15</i> <b>Time:</b> <i>900</i> <b>Town:</b> <i>San Luis Obispo</i> <b>State:</b> <i>CA</i> <b>Photo begin file#:</b> <i>B-1</i> <b>Photo end file#:</b> <i>B-3</i>
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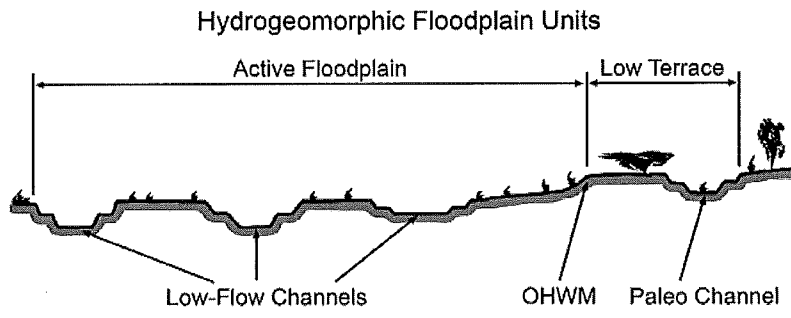
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**Potential anthropogenic influences on the channel system:**  
*This portion of the main drainage on site was likely rerouted during the installation of the Tank Farm north of the study area. It is a man-made drainage with hydrophytic vegetation. Farming practices occur on both banks*

**Brief site description:** *sides (east/west) of the drainage.*  
*The Study Area has been historically farmed and contains many actively irrigated crop fields and farm roads.*

**Checklist of resources (if available):**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aerial photography Dates: <i>1939, 59, 65, 72, 94, 2002-07,</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Stream gage data Gage number:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Topographic maps <i>09-13</i>	Period of record:
<input type="checkbox"/> Geologic maps	<input type="checkbox"/> History of recent effective discharges
<input type="checkbox"/> Vegetation maps	<input type="checkbox"/> Results of flood frequency analysis
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Soils maps	<input type="checkbox"/> Most recent shift-adjusted rating
<input type="checkbox"/> Rainfall/precipitation maps	<input type="checkbox"/> Gage heights for 2-, 5-, 10-, and 25-year events and the most recent event exceeding a 5-year event
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Existing delineation(s) for site	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Global positioning system (GPS)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other studies	



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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mapping on aerial photograph	<input type="checkbox"/> GPS
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Digitized on computer	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:

### Wentworth Size Classes

Inches (in)	Millimeters (mm)	Wentworth size class	
10.08	256	Boulder	Gravel
2.56	64	Cobble	
0.157	4	Pebble	
0.079	2.00	Granule	
0.039	1.00	Very coarse sand	Sand
0.020	0.50	Coarse sand	
1/2 0.0098	0.25	Medium sand	
1/4 0.005	0.125	Fine sand	
1/8 0.0025	0.0625	Very fine sand	
1/16 0.0012	0.031	Coarse silt	Silt
1/32 0.00061	0.0156	Medium silt	
1/64 0.00031	0.0078	Fine silt	
1/128 0.00015	0.0039	Very fine silt	
		Clay	Mud

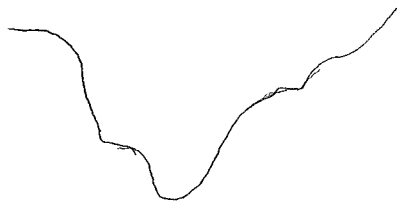


Project ID:

Cross section ID: B

Date: 12/15/15 Time: 900

**Cross section drawing:**



**OHWM**

GPS point: drainage too narrow for GPS  
pts as measurements/markers

**Indicators:**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change in average sediment texture | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Break in bank slope |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change in vegetation species       | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Change in vegetation cover                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                   |

**Comments:**

**Floodplain unit:**     Low-Flow Channel     Active Floodplain     Low Terrace

GPS point: 35.240048, -120.666766

**Characteristics of the floodplain unit:**

Average sediment texture: clay  
Total veg cover: 80 %    Tree: 60 %    Shrub: 10 %    Herb: 70 %  
Community successional stage:

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> NA                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Mid (herbaceous, shrubs, saplings)                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Early (herbaceous & seedlings) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Late (herbaceous, shrubs, mature trees) |

**Indicators:**

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mudcracks                           | <input type="checkbox"/> Soil development          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ripples                             | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Surface relief |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drift and/or debris      | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____              |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Presence of bed and bank | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Benches                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____              |

**Comments:**



Project ID:

Cross section ID: B

Date: 12/15/15 Time: 900

**Floodplain unit:**  Low-Flow Channel  Active Floodplain  Low Terrace

GPS point: \_\_\_\_\_

**Characteristics of the floodplain unit:**

Average sediment texture: clay

Total veg cover: 80 % Tree: 50 % Shrub: 20 % Herb: 70 %

Community successional stage:

- NA
- Early (herbaceous & seedlings)
- Mid (herbaceous, shrubs, saplings)
- Late (herbaceous, shrubs, mature trees)

**Indicators:**

- Mudcracks
- Ripples
- Drift and/or debris
- Presence of bed and bank
- Benches
- Soil development
- Surface relief
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

**Floodplain unit:**  Low-Flow Channel  Active Floodplain  Low Terrace

GPS point: \_\_\_\_\_

**Characteristics of the floodplain unit:**

Average sediment texture: clay

Total veg cover: 70 % Tree: 50 % Shrub: 5 % Herb: 50 %

Community successional stage:

- NA
- Early (herbaceous & seedlings)
- Mid (herbaceous, shrubs, saplings)
- Late (herbaceous, shrubs, mature trees)

**Indicators:**

- Mudcracks
- Ripples
- Drift and/or debris
- Presence of bed and bank
- Benches
- Soil development
- Surface relief
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- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

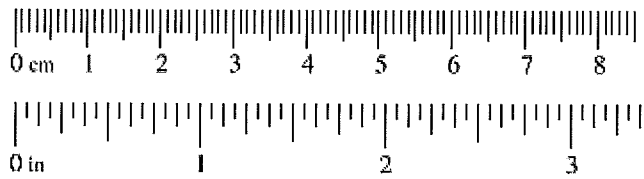
Comments:

## Arid West Ephemeral and Intermittent Streams OHWM Datasheet

<b>Project:</b> <i>Avila Ranch</i> <b>Project Number:</b> <b>Stream:</b> <i>East-West</i> <b>Investigator(s):</b> <i>Jo Tilligkeit &amp; Jo Polman</i>	<b>Date:</b> <i>12/15/15</i> <b>Time:</b> <i>9:30</i> <b>Town:</b> <i>San Luis Obispo</i> <b>State:</b> <i>CA</i> <b>Photo begin file#:</b> <b>Photo end file#:</b> <i>J-1</i> <i>J-3</i>				
Y <input type="checkbox"/> / N <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Do normal circumstances exist on the site?  Y <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> / N <input type="checkbox"/> Is the site significantly disturbed?	<b>Location Details:</b> <i>site at corner of Buckley Rd &amp; Vachell Ln</i> <b>Projection:</b> <i>None</i> <b>Datum:</b> <i>WGS84</i> <b>Coordinates:</b> <i>35.23796, -120.66902 (site)</i>				
<b>Potential anthropogenic influences on the channel system:</b> <i>This drainage is essentially a farm ditch separating two crop fields. Water originates from east of the study area.</i>					
<b>Brief site description:</b> <i>The study area has been historically farmed &amp; contains actively irrigated crop fields &amp; farm fields.</i>					
<b>Checklist of resources (if available):</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aerial photography <input type="checkbox"/> Stream gage data Dates: <i>1939, 59, 65, 72, 99, 2002-07</i> Gage number: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Topographic maps <i>09-13</i> Period of record: <input type="checkbox"/> Geologic maps <input type="checkbox"/> History of recent effective discharges <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetation maps <input type="checkbox"/> Results of flood frequency analysis <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Soils maps <input type="checkbox"/> Most recent shift-adjusted rating <input type="checkbox"/> Rainfall/precipitation maps <input type="checkbox"/> Gage heights for 2-, 5-, 10-, and 25-year events and the most recent event exceeding a 5-year event <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Existing delineation(s) for site <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Global positioning system (GPS) <input type="checkbox"/> Other studies					
<b>Hydrogeomorphic Floodplain Units</b>					
<b>Procedure for identifying and characterizing the floodplain units to assist in identifying the OHWM:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Walk the channel and floodplain within the study area to get an impression of the geomorphology and vegetation present at the site.</li> <li>2. Select a representative cross section across the channel. Draw the cross section and label the floodplain units.</li> <li>3. Determine a point on the cross section that is characteristic of one of the hydrogeomorphic floodplain units.                     <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Record the floodplain unit and GPS position.</li> <li>b) Describe the sediment texture (using the Wentworth class size) and the vegetation characteristics of the floodplain unit.</li> <li>c) Identify any indicators present at the location.</li> </ol> </li> <li>4. Repeat for other points in different hydrogeomorphic floodplain units across the cross section.</li> <li>5. Identify the OHWM and record the indicators. Record the OHWM position via:                     <table style="width: 100%; margin-left: 20px;"> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mapping on aerial photograph</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> GPS</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Digitized on computer</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Other:</td> </tr> </table> </li> </ol>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mapping on aerial photograph	<input type="checkbox"/> GPS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Digitized on computer	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:
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### Wentworth Size Classes

Inches (in)	Millimeters (mm)	Wentworth size class	
10.08	256	Boulder	Gravel
2.56	64	Cobble	
0.157	4	Pebble	
0.079	2.00	Granule	
0.039	1.00	Very coarse sand	Sand
0.020	0.50	Coarse sand	
1/2 0.0098	0.25	Medium sand	
1/4 0.005	0.125	Fine sand	
1/8 0.0025	0.0625	Very fine sand	
1/16 0.0012	0.031	Coarse silt	Silt
1/32 0.00061	0.0156	Medium silt	
1/64 0.00031	0.0078	Fine silt	
1/128 0.00015	0.0039	Very fine silt	
		Clay	Mud



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Cross section ID: J

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**Cross section drawing:**



**OHWM**

GPS point: drainage too small for accurate  
GPS measurements

**Indicators:**

- Change in average sediment texture
- Change in vegetation species
- Change in vegetation cover
- Break in bank slope
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Comments:**

Drainage artificially manipulated by farming practices. Barely a drainage - mostly a strip of least disturbed veg. Hydric soil extends in to farm field to the north. OHWM width approximately 3-ft.

**Floodplain unit:**

- Low-Flow Channel
- Active Floodplain
- Low Terrace

GPS point: 350239651, -120665570

**Characteristics of the floodplain unit:**

Average sediment texture: clay  
Total veg cover: 50 % Tree: 0 % Shrub: 0 % Herb: 50 %

Community successional stage:

- NA
- Early (herbaceous & seedlings)
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**Indicators:**

- Mudcracks
- Ripples
- Drift and/or debris
- Presence of bed and bank
- Benches
- Soil development
- Surface relief
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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Hydric soil

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## Appendix A - PJD Summary Sheet

<b>Report Completion Date for PJD:</b>	December 2015	
<b>Name and Address of Person Requesting PJD:</b>	LynneDee Althouse, M.S. c/o Jacqueline Tilligkeit, M.S. Althouse and Meade, Inc. 1602 Spring Street Paso Robles, CA 93446	On behalf of: Avila Ranch, LLC c/o Stephen Peck 735 Tank Farm Road, Ste 240 San Luis Obispo, CA 93401
<b>Project Location (s) and Background Information:</b>	Intersection of Vachell Lane and Buckley Road San Luis Obispo, San Luis Obispo County, California Portion of USGS Hydrologic Unit 180600060705.	
<b>Center Coordinates of Site:</b>	Lat. 35.2386° N, Long. -120.6687° W (WGS84 datum) Northing: 3901994.35, Easting: 712135.34, Zone: 10S	
<b>Name of Nearest Water Body:</b>	Tank Farm Creek, tributary to East Fork of San Luis Obispo Creek	
<b>Estimate of Waters in the Review Area:</b>	Federal Non-wetland waters: 0 ft; Federal Wetlands: 3.03 acres Stream Flow: ephemeral stream Cowardin Class: Palustrine, emergent; [some are farmed]	
<b>Section 10 Waters:</b>	Tidal: 0, Non-Tidal: 0	

### Supporting Data - Data Reviewed for PJD

Maps, plans, or plots submitted by or on behalf of the applicant/consultant:

- Exhibit A. Delineation of Potentially Jurisdictional Wetlands and Waters
  - Figure 1. National Hydrography Dataset
  - Figure 2. 8-digit Hydrologic Unit Code
  - Figure 3. 12-digit Hydrologic Unit Code
  - Figure 4. USGS Topographic Map
  - Figure 5. USDA Soil Map Units over 2012 Aerial Photo
  - Figure 6. National Wetlands Inventory
  - Figure 7. FEMA-FIRM Data
  - Figure 8. Aerial Imagery History
  - Figure 9. Previous Delineation
2. Data sheets prepared/submitted by consultant
  3. U.S. Geological Survey maps
    - Topography map: Pismo Beach 7.5' Quadrangle
    - U.S. Geological Survey NHD data (Figure 1)
    - U.S. Geological Survey 8 and 12 digit HUC maps (Figures 2 and 3)
  4. USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service Soil Survey (Figure 5)
  5. National Wetlands Inventory map (Figure 8)
  6. FEMA/FIRM map (Figure 7)
  7. USDA 2012 National Aerial Imagery Photography and Google Earth historic aerials (Figure 8)