Antelope Creek Groundwater Basin

Groundwater Basin Number: 5-91

County: Colusa

• Surface Area: 2,040 acres (3 square miles)

Basin Boundary and Hydrology

The Antelope Creek Groundwater Basin is located east of Black Mountain in Antelope Valley. The basin consists of Quaternary alluvium and is bounded on all sides by Upper Cretaceous marine deposits. Several northeast trending faults may transect the valley (Jennings 1960). The basin is drained to the north by Antelope Creek. Annual precipitation is approximately 18 inches.

Hydrogeologic Information

Hydrologic information was not available for the following:

Water-Bearing Formations Groundwater Level Trends Groundwater Storage

Groundwater Budget (Type B)

The estimate of groundwater extraction is based on a 1993 survey conducted by the California Department of Water Resources. The survey included land use and sources of water. Groundwater extraction for municipal/industrial use is estimated to be 2 acre-feet. Deep percolation of applied water is estimated to be 1 acre-foot.

Groundwater Quality

Well Characteristics

Well yields (gal/min)			
Municipal/Irrigation	NKD		
Total depths (ft)			
Domestic	NKD		
Municipal/Irrigation	NKD		
NKD – No known data			

Active Monitoring Data

Agency	Parameter Groundwater levels	Number of wells /measurement frequency NKD
	Groundwater to tole	111.2
	Miscellaneous water quality	NKD
NKD - No Known Dat	a	

Basin Management

Groundwater management: Colusa County adopted a groundwater

management ordinance in 1998.

Water agencies

Public None

Private None

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Errata

Changes made to the basin description will be noted here.