

Prowers County, Colorado

GPA—Gravel pits

Map Unit Setting

Mean annual precipitation: 14 to 16 inches

Mean annual air temperature: 52 to 55 degrees F

Map Unit Composition

Gravel pits: 95 percent

Minor components: 5 percent

Description of Gravel Pits

Setting

Landform: Terraces

Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser

Down-slope shape: Linear

Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Calcareous sandy and gravelly alluvium

Typical profile

A - 0 to 6 inches: extremely gravelly sand

C - 6 to 60 inches: extremely gravelly coarse sand

Interpretive groups

Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 8s

Hydrologic Soil Group: A

Minor Components

Cascajo

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Data Source Information

Soil Survey Area: Prowers County, Colorado

Survey Area Data: Version 12, Dec 23, 2013