

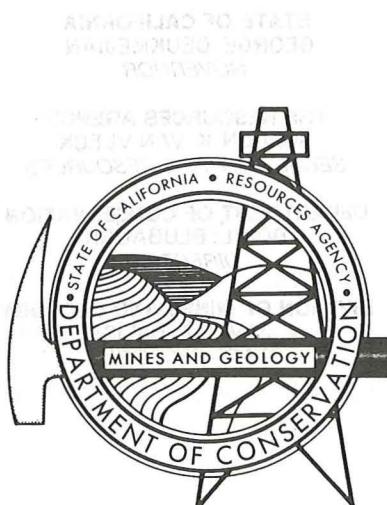
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of California" has been designed to provide the scientific community information on the technical aspects of geothermal occurrences throughout the state. Persons interested in development of a geothermal resource to make an informed decision about which resource area that best fits their specific needs.	1
temperature, flow, and total dissolved solids that was presented on "this second map with accompanying text provides both a visual representation of each well or spring throughout the state for which data are available. Relationships and associations regarding faults and young volcanic areas are included in the Known Geothermal Resources Areas (KGRAs), the areas of the state that are suitable for geothermal prospecting.	1
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TECHNICAL MAP OF THE GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES OF CALIFORNIA

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INTRODUCTION

This is the second geothermal map produced as part of the statewide inventory and evaluation of California's geothermal resources conducted by the Department of Conservation, Division of Mines and Geology under the sponsorship of the U.S. Department of Energy. The first geothermal map (California Geologic Data Map Series Map Number 4) gathered together in a single source information on the distribution of geothermal resources in California, and was intended for use by interested members of the public at large as well as by members of the scientific community. The new geothermal map is intended primarily for use by the scientific community, and by engineers and developers who have a need for more technical and complex information than was presented on the first map. It is expected that this second map will provide the technical user with the information that is needed to select a satisfactory resource and design the necessary production facilities that will provide for the successful utilization of that resource.

The second map shows the relationships between the geothermal resources, faults, and Quaternary volcanic rocks. It also provides technical information on the character of the geothermal waters. This additional technical information includes details on the chemistry of the geothermal waters, interpretations of subsurface temperatures, and other resource parameters based on water chemistry, and an analysis of the significance of provincial distribution of thermal water types within the state, as well as explanations of the methodologies used.

Only a few of the springs and wells shown on this map are taken from data more recent than that used to compile the first map, which was published in 1980. A few spring or well names have been changed to better reflect the common usage by the local community. Data available as of June 15, 1981, have been included in the preparation of this map. Most of the wells shown on the map are agricultural or domestic wells, many of which are suitable for direct heat (non-electric) applications. Many commercial high temperature wells, especially in closely-spaced production fields, have not been plotted because of space limitations.

Springs and wells with temperatures 20°C and higher are shown. Not every spring and well in the state that is 20°C or above can be shown because of both graphical limitations and intended use of the map. The emphasis is on areas of geothermal activity as evidenced by the distribution of thermal springs and wells and attendant geochemical information.

Other pertinent data both presented on or excluded from the map include the following:

Data included:

- Volcanic rocks of the Quaternary period were taken from the Geologic Map of California (Jennings, 1977).
- Historic and Quaternary faults were taken from the Fault Map of California (Jennings, 1975).

Data excluded:

- Radiometric and seismic data are not included on this map but this information will be available on other maps which are to be published by the California Division of Mines and Geology in the future.

- Earthquake epicenter data are not included but the data are available on the earthquake epicenter map of California (Real, Toppozada, and Parke, 1978).
- Geopressure data and data on geothermal exploratory wells and mineral deposits related to geothermal activity could not be shown on this map because of insufficient data.
- Areas of elevated bottom-hole temperatures in wells also could not be shown on this map because of time restrictions in obtaining the data.

Page-size maps of heat flow data, groundwater temperature, and mean annual air temperature for the State of California are shown as Figures 1-3. Heat flow data were taken from Muffler (1979), Lachenbruch and Sass (1980), and Mase, Sass, and Lachenbruch (1980). The data points were plotted on the map and contours were drawn. Maps for groundwater temperature and mean annual air temperature were taken from maps of the United States published in the year book of agriculture by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (1941). Portions showing the State of California were enlarged for the present use.

Most of the data for springs and wells were collected from the published and unpublished works of U.S. Geological Survey (GEOTHERM files), California Department of Water Resources, California Division of Mines and Geology, and California Division of Oil and Gas. Financial support from the U.S. Geological Survey for computer retrieval and computer calculations is gratefully acknowledged.

PHYSICAL PARAMETERS AND CHEMICAL CONSTITUENTS

In the table of springs and wells (Table 1), the temperatures in degrees Celsius (°C) are the highest reported and also the most recent listed. When the temperatures were not available, "W" (for warm waters) and "H" (for hot waters) symbols were used. The temperature recorded is the temperature for a spring or non-boiling well discharge, the temperature of steam separation for well discharges above boiling, or the downhole temperature if a downhole sampler was used or if the analysis was recalculated to downhole conditions.

Flow rates were measured for thermal springs and given in liters per minute (L/min.). The temperature along with the total dissolved solids and flow rate data can change with time and therefore they should be considered approximate. Springs commonly flow from more than one orifice. The temperature reported in such cases is the highest and most recent of the group. The flow rate reported in such cases is for the whole group. In some cases where a group of wells in a very small area have dried up subsequent to the latest temperature measurement, the group is represented by only one symbol on the map and the temperature reported is the highest and most recent for the group.

Where more than one set of chemical data are available for the same spring or well, only the most recent or the most complete analyses have been selected for inclusion in this table. The effec-

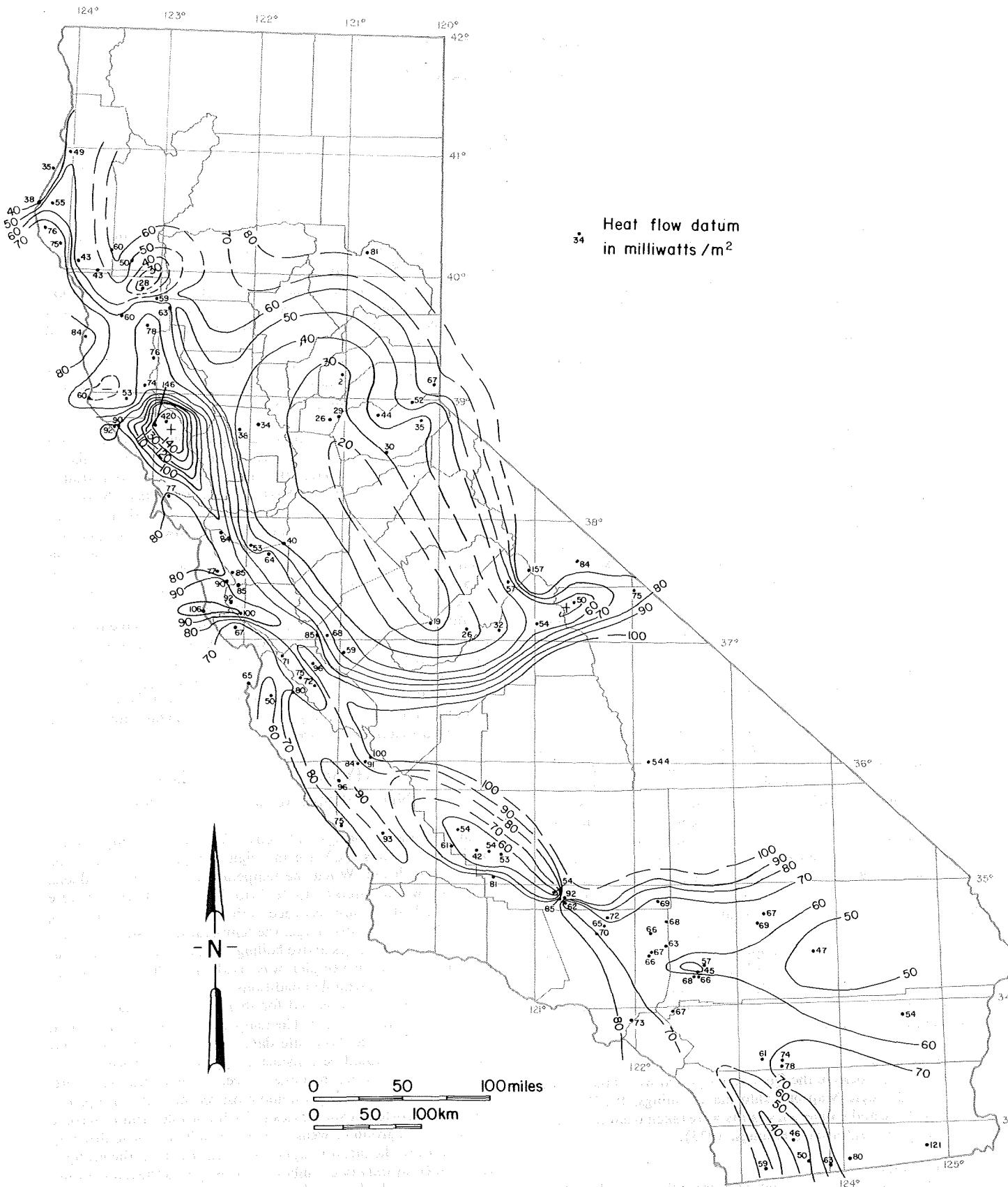


Figure 1. A contour map of observed heat flow measurements in California.

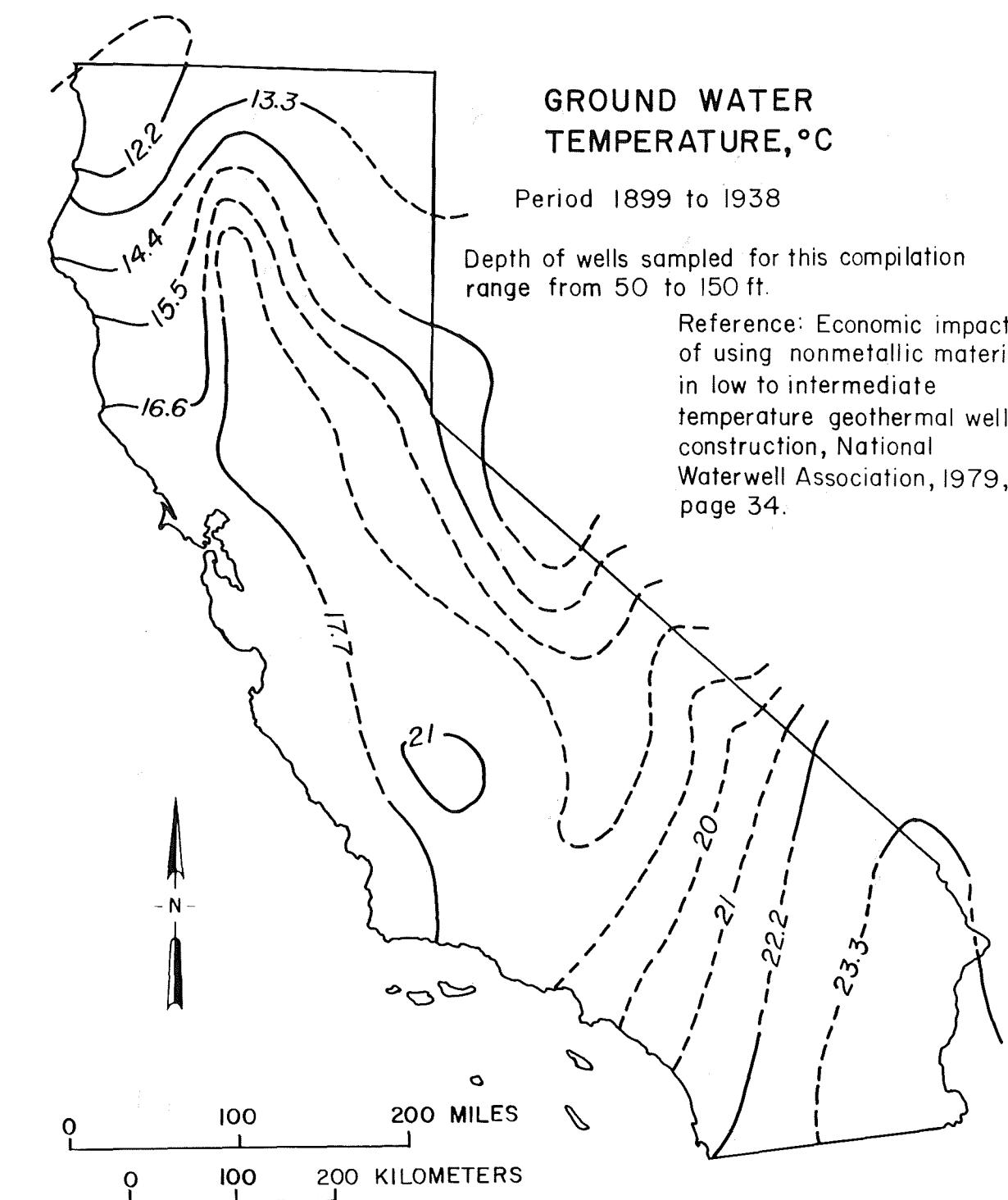


Figure 2. A contour map of groundwater temperatures in California.

Reference: Economic impact
of using nonmetallic materials
in low to intermediate
temperature geothermal well
construction, National
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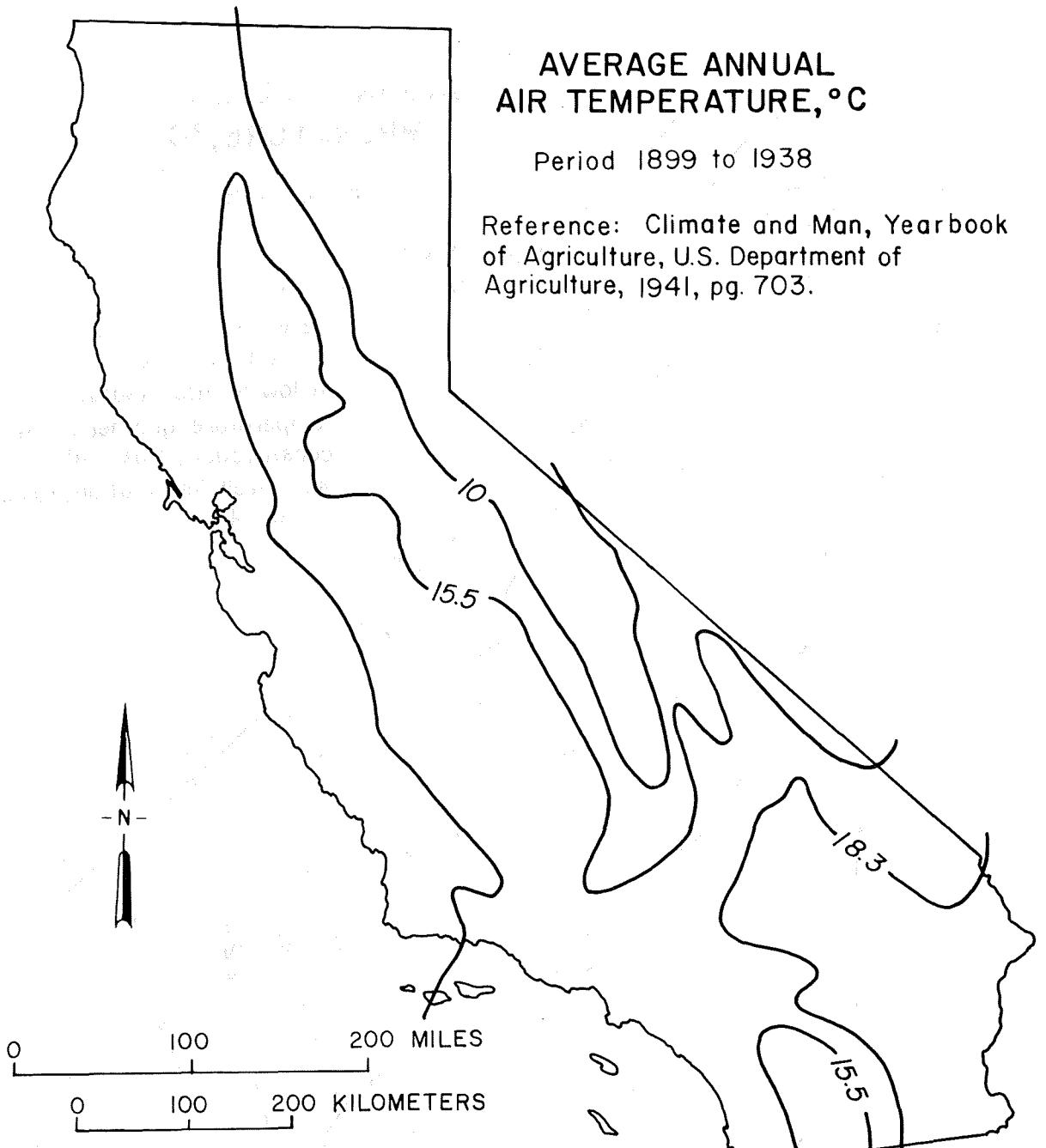


Figure 3. Average annual air temperatures of California.

Table 1. Physical Parameters and Chemical Constituents of Thermal Waters in California

Name	Latitude north	Longitude west	Temp °C Hi/Rec	Flow L/min	pH	TDS mg/L	Concentrations Li	(mg/L) Na	K	Ca	Mg	C1	F	HCO ₃ Alk	SO ₄	SiO ₂	B	As	Ref No.
ALAMEDA																			
AL-1 CROHARE SPRING	37-37.92	121-45.72	21/21	8	7.9	659	-	164	8.4	27.0	29.0	150	0.2	309	74	37	1.6	- 3	
AL-2 WARM SPRINGS	37-30.18	121-54.37	27/27	-	8.6	339	-	116	0.3	11.0	0.4	16	0.7	304	9	34	0.6	- 3	
ALPINE																			
AP-1 GROVERS HOT SPRINGS	38-41.90	119-50.70	66/64	400	6.79	1330	0.82	440	13.0	31.0	-	190	4.2	776	160	100	3.1	- 85	
AP-2 UNNAMED SPRING	38-46.37	119-42.78	65/65	473	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 37	
CALIFORNIA																			
CA-1 VALLEY SPRINGS	38-11.71	120-49.35	24/24	4	-	2530	-	1687	-	843.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 112	
COLUSA																			
CO-1 RED EYE SPRING	39-21.03	122-40.23	26/24	8	7.2	14200	5.80	5050	69.0	119.0	209.0	6040	2.2	4790	8	100	162.0	- 2	
CO-2 ELGIN MINE (SPRING)	39-03.42	122-28.25	69/69	38	7.4	2469	-	9110	506.0	5.9	29.0	11000	3.0	7240	7	244	240.0	- 113	
CO-3 WILBUR HOT SPRINGS	39-02.32	122-25.25	67/54	80	7.0	22750	-	8500	440.0	2.8	38.0	9700	-	7100	390	200	-	- 6	
CO-4 EMPIRE SILVER MINE	39-02.27	122-25.53	38/38	1	-	14340	-	-	-	-	-	8460	-	11936	-	-	-	- 113	
CO-5 JONES HOT SPRING (W)	39-02.05	122-25.59	61/61	8	8.6	28372	4.00	10790	556.0	-	19.0	12430	-	8346	150	-	317.0	- 6	
CO-6 UNNAMED SPRINGS	39-02.09	122-25.59	61/61	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 112	
CO-7 BLANCKS HOT SPRINGS	39-01.87	122-25.88	49/49	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 112	
CONTRA COSTA																			
CC-1 SULPHUR SPRING	37-54.88	122-02.52	27/24	8	8.2	1050	0.09	308	16.0	33.0	17.0	221	1.1	662	2	100	7.3	- 3	
CC-2 UNNAMED SPRING	37-55.75	121-57.90	23/23	-	9.1	4830	-	1500	7.6	286.0	-	2750	0.2	130	16	23	10.03	- 3	
CC-3 UNNAMED WELL	37-56.25	121-57.25	23/23	10	9.5	8210	-	2410	12.0	679.0	-	4870	-	85	7	17	7.4	- 113	
CC-4 UNNAMED SPRING	37-53.67	121-52.42	21/21	-	7.7	10300	4.60	3100	53.0	431.0	12.0	5770	2.5	203	2	16	191.0	- 94	
CC-5 BYRON HOT SPRINGS	37-50.83	121-37.83	51/51	2	7.0	11860	-	3640	47.0	736.0	81.0	7260	0.3	124	5	30	-	- 40	
EL DORADO																			
ED-1 WENTWORTH SPRINGS	39-00.78	120-20.28	24/24	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 112	
ED-2 MEYERS WARM SPRING	38-51.00	120-01.50	24/24	15	9.4	114	0.02	33	0.9	2.4	0.9	14	0.5	55	13	22	0.3	- 113	
FRESNO																			
FR-1 FISH CREEK HOT SP	37-31.92	119-01.47	43/43	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 110	
FR-2 UNNAMED SPRING	37-24.75	119-08.35	35/35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 37	
FR-3 MONS HOT SPRINGS	37-19.60	119-01.00	44/43	200	6.92	1347	0.89	300	8.8	70.0	3.2	370	3.0	307	74	60	2.9	- 85	
FR-4 BLANEY MEADOWS HOT SP	37-14.02	118-52.88	48/43	150	8.0	824	0.65	200	5.0	75.0	0.2	400	2.1	28	48	51	2.0	- 85	
FR-5 MERCY HOT SPRINGS	36-42.20	120-51.57	48/48	28	8.7	2310	0.12	820	7.3	40.0	-	1310	0.5	67	6	72	14.0	- 3	
FR-6 ESCARPAZO SPRING	36-38.50	120-41.00	24/24	-	4.5	26800	-	4290	35.0	442.0	2470.0	399	9.8	10	18500	91	3.0	- 113	
FR-7 COALINGA MINERAL SP	36-08.70	120-33.37	44/31	4	8.9	414	-	129	0.3	1.6	0.6	62	4.0	201	40	63	-	- 3	
GLENN																			
GL-1 SALT SPRING	39-25.82	122-32.18	25/24	20	6.5	22573	-	8400	90.0	115.0	262.0	11800	1.4	3068	63	140	-	- 6	
IMPERIAL																			
IM-1 FISH SPRINGS WELL	33-25.08	116-02.40	46/46	-	7.1	11080	-	3320	21.0	607.0	48.0	5950	2.6	29	463	-	10.0	- 67	
IM-2 FISH SPRINGS	33-24.42	116-02.08	32/28	57	8.6	1900	-	585	8.4	88.0	14.0	910	3.6	96	211	33	1.4	- 4	
IM-3 WELL 95/9E-23M1 S	33-22.45	116-00.80	27/27	-	7.8	6200	-	1817	12.0	260.0	66.0	2360	3.6	76	1387	-	3.3	- 23	
IM-4 BALLARD'S TRUCKHAVEN	33-17.83	115-58.57	40/38	45	7.8	3750	-	1460	14.0	11.0	6.1	1600	1.6	1180	1	34	-	- 23	
IM-5 WELL 105/9E-35N1 S	33-15.12	116-00.65	59/59	-	7.5	2210	-	846	-	8.0	1.0	960	-	454	132	-	-	- 67	
IM-6 WELL 105/9E-36P1 S	33-15.08	115-59.23	33/33	-	-	5798	-	2070	9.7	119.0	47.0	3039	-	566	236	-	-	- 8	
IM-7 HOLLY CORP WELL	33-14.85	116-00.05	58/58	-	8.1	2256	0.36	860	6.0	-	-	960	3.4	459	119	-	6.6	0.3 23	
IM-8 JACOBS NO. 3 WELL	33-07.00	116-01.07	39/39	-	8.4	1169	-	550	2.1	37.0	-	580	-	-	-	-	-	- 99	
IM-9 JACOBS NO. 2 WELL	33-07.02	116-00.58	31/31	-															

Table 1. Physical Parameters and Chemical Constituents of Thermal Waters in California - Continued.

Name	Latitude north	Longitude west	Temp °C	Flow L/min	TDS mg/L	Concentrations Li	(mg/L)	K	Ca	Mg	C1	F	HCO ₃ A1k	SO ₄	S102	B	As	Ref No.
IM-65 WELL 13S/16E-6P1 S	33-02.63	115-21.50	32/32	20	8.1	1830	0.41	580	4.1	23.0	9.3	660	1.0	273	240	31	4.7	- 98
IM-66 WELL 13S/16E-6N1 S	33-02.63	115-21.73	38/38	-	8.1	1610	-	572	-	19.0	9.8	672	-	210	205	3	-	- 8
IM-67 WELL 13S/15E-1Q1 S	33-02.80	115-22.22	29/29	-	1343	-	493	5.0	14.0	7.0	553	1.2	240	152	-	1.9	- 8	
IM-68 MEYER-DICKERMAN WELL	33-01.83	115-22.22	37/37	-	8.2	1400	-	504	14.0	8.3	488	-	314	210	23	-	- 67	
IM-69 DICKERMAN-BUTTERS WELL	33-01.40	115-21.98	52/52	-	7.8	1888	-	950	6.4	22.0	-	910	-	-	-	-	- 99	
IM-70 WELL 13S/15E-1601 S	33-00.95	115-25.43	41/39	40	8.3	1610	0.18	490	3.1	9.9	3.3	400	1.9	550	120	30	2.4	- 98
IM-71 WELL 13S/15E-24E1 S	33-00.50	115-22.83	39/39	-	8.2	1200	-	447	-	11.0	4.0	442	1.7	316	125	15	-	- 8
IM-72 WELL 13S/15E-24N1 S	33-00.08	115-22.88	43/43	60	8.4	1610	0.17	500	2.9	8.7	3.3	450	1.4	480	130	29	1.8	- 98
IM-73 WELL 13S/15E-23Q1 S	33-00.08	115-23.32	56/56	160	7.7	3020	0.56	980	8.7	29.0	10.0	960	1.3	453	540	33	3.7	- 98
IM-74 T. SHANK WELL	32-58.95	115-26.93	44/44	-	7.8	2640	0.13	900	4.5	19.0	12.0	820	1.2	685	160	30	5.7	- 98
IM-75 N. FIFIELD WELL	32-58.07	115-26.93	54/51	-	7.8	3810	0.23	1200	6.9	40.0	15.0	1300	1.0	897	310	35	2.0	- 98
IM-76 MAGNOLIA SCHOOL WELL	32-58.95	115-25.32	53/51	140	7.7	3410	0.50	1100	8.9	29.0	14.0	1400	1.0	554	270	32	2.2	- 98
IM-77 WELL 13S/15E-33K1 S	32-58.47	115-25.45	33/33	-	7.7	5710	-	1760	-	135.0	77.0	1360	-	334	2200	13	-	- 8
IM-78 M. FHEGLY WELL	32-58.50	115-25.50	44/44	40	8.2	1960	0.14	570	3.4	8.8	4.0	380	1.9	843	100	44	4.9	- 98
IM-79 FIFIELD-HOEPNER (W)	32-58.48	115-24.40	44/22	-	8.6	1055	-	562	-	13.0	-	328	1.7	816	121	29	-	- 67
IM-80 ORITA FEED LOT WELL	32-58.50	115-24.07	43/43	-	8.2	1460	-	555	-	11.0	4.0	342	1.8	748	145	27	-	- 99
IM-81 B. EMANUELLI WELL	32-58.95	115-20.17	41/41	-	8.2	531	-	518	2.6	10.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 67	
IM-82 WELL 13S/16E-28R1 S	32-59.20	115-18.95	36/36	-	8.0	1680	-	593	-	-	-	608	-	211	336	-	-	- 99
IM-83 MAMER WELL	32-57.20	115-25.92	31/31	-	7.6	3170	-	1050	-	60.0	53.0	1160	-	510	575	21	-	- 67
IM-84 J. BIRGER WELL	32-56.70	115-25.90	31/31	20	7.8	3400	0.17	1000	5.9	52.0	45.0	1200	1.2	563	-	36	3.7	- 98
IM-85 MOIOLA WELL	32-57.20	115-23.83	42/42	28	8.2	1820	0.12	520	3.1	10.0	4.2	340	2.0	822	81	31	5.5	- 98
IM-86 BOWMAN WELL	32-56.28	115-24.35	48/48	239	8.1	2120	0.15	610	3.7	22.0	4.2	490	1.6	811	130	36	13.0	- 98
IM-87 MENDIBURI WELL	32-56.70	115-22.73	52/52	-	7.7	2970	0.42	940	8.0	33.0	10.0	1000	1.2	382	550	33	6.8	- 98
IM-88 F. BORCHARD WELL	32-57.48	115-19.17	39/38	48	8.4	1390	0.11	390	2.1	4.8	2.0	170	3.3	654	130	23	7.6	- 98
IM-89 F. BORCHARD WELL	32-57.57	115-19.25	38/37	-	8.4	1370	0.12	390	2.0	6.2	2.1	200	2.9	622	120	23	1.1	- 98
IM-90 WELL 14S/16E-11H1 S	32-57.05	115-17.02	35/35	-	8.2	1310	0.25	420	3.0	12.0	5.2	500	1.3	203	130	30	9.0	- 98
IM-91 WELL 14S/16E-16B1 S	32-56.32	115-19.18	35/32	-	8.1	1030	0.30	385	-	8.0	-	284	1.8	432	105	29	-	- 67
IM-92 WELL 14S/16E-15K1 S	32-55.88	115-19.18	29/25	4	8.2	1020	0.08	310	2.2	13.0	5.3	300	1.6	313	57	18	0.8	- 67
IM-93 WELL 14S/16E-21D1 S	32-55.47	115-19.70	36/36	-	7.9	1080	-	411	-	7.4	4.3	275	2.0	528	98	23	-	- 8
IM-94 WELL 14S/16E-21B1 S	32-55.47	115-19.35	33/33	20	8.3	1270	0.08	380	2.0	7.6	3.0	300	2.6	448	100	28	2.8	- 98
IM-95 WELL 14S/16E-22D1 S	32-55.47	115-28.68	42/42	20	7.9	2580	0.36	900	5.7	31.0	8.2	1200	1.7	272	130	28	2.7	- 98
IM-96 COONS WELL	32-54.15	115-18.33	31/31	-	8.3	637	-	375	1.7	6.3	-	254	-	-	-	-	- 99	
IM-97 WELL 14S/16E-19N1 S	32-54.92	115-21.90	50/50	-	8.1	1310	-	765	-	27.0	6.9	955	-	332	135	23	-	- 8
IM-98 J. BIRGER NO. 1 WELL	32-55.02	115-23.85	39/39	20	8.2	1740	0.11	500	3.0	8.7	3.9	350	2.3	750	87	37	2.6	- 98
IM-99 J. BIRGER NO. 2 WELL	32-54.58	115-24.27	32/32	16	7.9	1920	0.09	530	4.2	26.0	15.0	330	1.7	704	280	24	3.7	- 98
IM-100 H. FOSTER WELL	32-54.51	115-25.40	31/31	-	8.2	1399	-	780	-	31.0	21.0	735	-	684	250	27	-	- 89,99
IM-101 JENSON WELL	32-53.72	115-24.38	30/30	120	8.0	2140	0.11	590	4.2	29.0	13.0	530	1.3	746	190	33	2.8	- 98
IM-102 GADDIS WELL	32-53.03	115-24.25	36/36	60	8.0	2150	0.11	620	4.6	30.0	17.0	420	1.3	655	370	24	2.7	- 98
IM-103 WELL 15S/15E-1H1 S	32-52.62	115-22.23	38/38	-	8.2	1240	-	480	-	9.1	3.5	315	2.6	676	65	30	3.2	- 8
IM-104 WELL 15S/16E-7F1 S	32-51.78	115-21.50	27/27	-	8.4	1120	-	421	-	8.0	3.0	213	-	644	114	39	-	- 67
IM-105 HOO																		

Table 1. Physical Parameters and Chemical Constituents of Thermal Waters in California - Continued.

Name	Latitude north	Longitude west	Temp °C	Flow L/min	TDS mg/L	Concentrations Li	(mg/L)	K	Ca	Mg	C1	F	HCO ₃ Alk	SO ₄	SIO ₂	B	As	Ref No.	
LA-8 WELL 2S/14W-14C2 S	34-00.10	118-19.00	27/27	-	7.3	430	-	48	4.0	72.0	21.0	39	0.2	252	97	17	0.1	- 16	
LA-9 WELL 1S/9W-1F1 S	34-06.90	117-46.80	36/36	-	7.6	380	-	62	2.0	68.0	22.0	38	0.9	211	85	-	-	- 34	
LA-10 WELL 2S/11W-8N1 S	34-00.30	118-03.70	29/29	-	8.4	435	-	42	2.0	87.0	21.0	32	-	267	120	-	-	- 16	
LA-11 ALVARADO HOT SP (W)	33-58.55	117-53.18	44/44	142	8.8	7740	0.28	2140	16.0	724.0	3.8	4740	0.9	55	37	31	5.9	0.2	3
LA-12 WELL 3S/11W-14H4 S	33-54.75	117-59.75	34/34	-	7.8	413	-	39	4.0	76.0	13.0	45	-	181	109	-	-	- 36	
LA-13 WELL 2S/13W-27N1 S	33-47.50	118-14.10	28/28	-	8.3	285	-	86	3	20.0	2.0	48	0.4	203	2	19	0.25	- 16	
LA-14 WELL 5S/13W-6D1 S	33-46.50	118-17.00	31/31	-	8.6	1275	-	450	12.0	30.0	16.0	481	-	554	12	-	-	- 107	
LA-15 UNNAMED SPRING	33-48.10	118-24.00	25/25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 90	
LA-16 WHITES POINT HOT SP	33-43.90	118-20.40	46/46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 111	
MA-1 REDS MEADOW HOT SP	37-37.10	119-04.40	49/46	50	7.3	923	0.83	140	6.2	61.0	2.5	7	4.8	516	33	150	1.8	- 85	
MA-2 MARIN	37-53.15	122-37.72	32/32	8	6.7	14000	-	4160	149.0	327.0	456.0	8030	2.5	112	704	41	1.8	- 2	
MR-1 ROCKY POINT SPRINGS	37-53.15	122-37.72	32/32	8	6.7	14000	-	4160	149.0	327.0	456.0	8030	2.5	112	704	41	1.8	- 2	
MN-1 JACKSON V. MUD SP	39-39.47	123-35.22	27/27	1	8.3	31900	7.60	12700	198.0	7.7	382.0	968	1.5	34347	53	40	617.0	0.5	2
MN-2 PINCHES SPRING	39-41.75	123-28.77	21/21	190	7.9	994	0.12	275	2.6	70.0	11.0	470	0.5	129	2	42	20.0	- 2	
MN-3 MUIR SPRING	39-25.30	123-18.45	20/20	-	7.9	1820	0.07	525	3.0	83.0	29.0	745	3.1	479	2	71	125.0	tr 2	
MN-4 ORRS HOT SPRINGS	39-13.75	123-21.85	40/40	114	8.6	436	0.10	140	1.3	4.8	0.1	50	14.0	253	1	61	38.0	- 2	
MN-5 VICHY SPRINGS	39-09.93	123-09.37	29/29	64	7.7	2670	0.92	924	30.0	49.0	35.0	178	1.2	2510	1	91	112.0	- 2	
MN-6 CAL-DRI ICE CO. WELL	39-00.30	123-06.50	W/W	-	8.1	6220	2.40	2200	57.0	-	-	1230	-	4140	60	630.0	-	44	
MN-7 POINT ARENA HOT SP	38-52.63	123-30.55	44/44	19	9.3	310	0.05	105	0.4	0.9	0.1	22	6.3	217	11	53	5.2	- 2	
MC-1 MERCED	37-05.00	121-02.50	21/21	-	7.0	1769	-	367	1.4	110.0	105.0	640	0.8	182	411	44	1.0	- 113	
MC-2 IRIDAT SPRING	36-46.42	120-53.93	23/23	76	8.2	381	0.12	74	2.5	36.0	15.0	20	0.6	278	58	33	1.2	- 3	
MC-3 UNNAMED SPRING	36-46.02	120-53.97	27/27	38	8.7	489	0.18	178	2.9	3.6	0.7	45	1.9	411	10	36	5.6	- 3	
MD-1 WAR SPRING	41-57.52	120-56.57	W/W	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37	
MD-2 POTHOLE SPRING	41-49.51	120-54.92	26/26	38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	112	
MD-3 WELL 47/14E-25SM	41-56.75	120-19.07	47/47	-	8.5	470	-	150	2.6	-	-	79	4.0	149	81	77	1.6	- 13	
MD-4 FORT BIDWELL HS (W)	41-51.70	120-09.55	45/45	400	7.9	458	0.03	110	9.5	4.2	0.1	31	2.2	133	86	82	0.6	- 98	
MD-5 WELL 46N/16E-31R1 M	41-48.48	120-10.23	28/28	-	8.3	256	-	62	7.5	4.0	0.3	18	0.9	121	32	72	0.6	- 13	
MD-6 WELL 45N/16E-17M1 M	41-46.00	120-10.87	53/53	-	7.9	1060	-	320	12.0	23.0	3.8	222	2.0	407	132	134	5.9	- 13	
MD-7 WELL 44N/16E-6E2 M	41-42.85	120-11.85	25/25	-	8.0	431	-	138	4.0	3.2	0.5	70	0.7	278	2	68	5.2	- 13	
MD-8 MAGMA ENERGY WELLS	41-40.31	120-13.00	160/160	1370	-	1200	-	339	16.4	19.0	0.24	222	6.7	155	330	179	6.3	- 52	
MD-9 LAKE CITY MUD VOLC. SP	41-40.08	120-12.55	97/97	-	7.4	1210	0.24	320	15.0	7.7	0.1	220	7.6	112	320	200	6.3	- 98	
MD-10 HUTCHENS WELL	41-35.00	120-10.20	48/48	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 66	
MD-11 UNNAMED WELL	41-34.90	120-10.80	69/69	570	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 66	
MD-12 ROBISON WELL	41-33.90	120-11.50	50/50	605	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 66	
MD-13 LEONARDS HS (WEST)	41-35.92	120-05.48	41/41	200	7.8	1200	0.10	403	5.7	15.0	3.5	218	4.4	182	400	58	7.6	- 52	
MD-14 SEYFERTH HOT SPRINGS	41-36.95	120-06.20	86/85	500	7.7	1110	0.15	300	9.0	28.0	0.1	220	5.4	63	370	110	7.6	- 98	
MD-15 LEONARD HOT SP (E)	41-36.08	120-05.10	65/62	150	7.82	1180	0.13	330	8.5	26.0	0.6	220	5.2	84	390	110	7.6	- 98	
MD-16 SURPRISE V. MIN. WELL	41-32.00	120-04.60	98/98	300	8.4	991	0.10	280	5.5	16.0	0.1	200	5.1	59	320	100	5.7	- 98	
MD-17 UNNAMED SPRING	41-31.78	120-05.19	98/98	600	-	936	0.07	285	6.0	15.0	-	186	5.0	60	310	99	5.7	- 52	
MD-18 BENMAC HOT SPRINGS	41-31.80	120-04.90	98/98	700	-	949	0.09	285	6.0	18.0	-	188	5.0	73	310	100	5.6	- 52	
MD-19 MENLO BATHS HOT SP	41-15.95	120-04.73	59/57	500	8.9	370	0.02	100	1.4	5.1	0.1	25	3.8	62	120	53	0.9	- 98	
MD-20 UNNAMED SPRING	41-12.50	120-03.25	43/43	-	9.0	220	-	6											

Table 1. Physical Parameters and Chemical Constituents of Thermal Waters in California - Continued.

Name	Latitude	Longitude	Temp °C	Flow	TDS	Concentrations	HCO ₃	Ref.												
	north	west	H ₁ /Rec	L/min	mg/L	(mg/L)	Alk	No.												
					Li	K	Ca	Mg	C1	F	S04	S102	B	As	Ref.					
RV-42	THURMAN RAGSDALE WELL	33-49.57	115-25.58	40/40	-	8.82	88	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	99					
RV-43	STANLEY RAGSDALE (W)	33-42.80	115-24.00	33/33	-	8.04	846	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	99					
RV-44	SUNLAND OIL WELL	33-42.38	115-26.40	30/30	-	9.01	79	-	-	66	-	-	-	-	99					
RV-45	LAZY C TRAILER PARK (W)	33-44.38	115-22.23	30/30	-	8.08	82	-	-	79	-	-	-	-	99					
RV-46	DIV ON HWYS, WELL	33-42.80	115-24.38	32/32	-	7.69	763	-	-	82	-	-	-	-	99					
RV-47	SD TRAILER PK (W)	33-43.00	115-23.75	34/34	-	8.8	85	-	-	85	-	-	-	-	99					
RV-48	HOWARD BROWN WELL	33-44.95	115-21.38	35/35	-	1000	6.8	32.0	0.7	100	10.0	17	490	69	1.3	113				
RV-49	DESERT CTR AP (W)	33-45.20	115-19.90	47/30	-	7.4	810	-	111	158.0	30.0	183	-	494	80	5.1	113			
RV-50	CORN SPRING	33-37.50	115-19.48	22/22	-	7.5	1440	-	405	102.0	23.0	533	-	296	233	0.9	113			
RV-51	MCCOY SPRING	33-43.98	114-54.40	28/28	-	7.94	1036	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	99				
RV-52	WILEY WELL	33-36.65	114-54.02	48/48	-	7.94	840	-	223	55.0	10.0	268	1.8	76	212	30	-			
RV-53	L.C. WINTERS WELL	33-41.75	114-40.60	31/31	-	7.2	1290	-	316	128.0	2.1	395	2.2	58	380	29	-			
RV-54	WELL 6S/22E-9P1 S	33-39.75	114-41.15	32/32	-	7.5	1670	-	422	154.0	9.4	578	-	34	475	16	-			
RV-55	WELL 6S/22E-20A1 S	33-38.75	114-41.65	31/31	-	8.0	840	-	223	-	-	-	-	-	-	8				
RV-56	RIVERSIDE CO AP (W)	33-36.70	114-42.40	31/31	-	8.12	212	-	-	212	-	-	-	-	-	99				
RV-57	MESA VERDE WELL	33-36.92	114-43.50	31/31	-	8.00	466	-	-	466	-	-	-	-	-	99				
RV-58	NICHOLLS WN SP (W)	33-36.20	114-43.67	33/33	-	7.6	3010	-	927	108.0	24.0	845	4.0	104	1060	-	-			
RV-59	BASHA # 3 WELL	33-34.12	115-44.75	45/45	-	7.5	4540	-	1510	150.0	14.0	1990	5.2	65	800	45	-			
RV-60	BILL PASSEY WELL	33-36.25	115-41.51	31/31	-	7.6	1520	-	427	67.0	24.0	301	1.7	204	575	22	-			
RV-61	BASHA # 1 WELL	33-37.60	114-40.85	31/31	8422	7.7	910	-	268	217.0	38.0	8.5	245	2.9	217	220	18	0.63		
RV-62	E. WEEKS WELL	33-38.80	114-39.75	33/33	-	7.90	750	-	257	-	23.0	0.1	183	2.3	240	150	17	-		
RV-63	E. FORTNER WELL	33-41.05	114-39.42	31/31	-	7.6	1330	-	376	-	110.0	1.8	415	1.7	80	365	20	1.3		
RV-64	C. CHEELY WELL	33-41.58	114-38.63	31/31	-	7.4	1265	-	376	-	68.0	5.0	405	1.8	122	330	18	1.2		
RV-65	LUCKY 7 WELL	33-55.53	116-26.45	93/93	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	95			
RV-66	KING SPA WELL	33-26.15	115-41.30	79/79	-	6.13	1280	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	99			
RV-67	NEW PILGER HOT MIN (W)	33-25.65	115-41.20	82/82	-	7.7	2850	-	888	33	107.0	16.0	1360	5.0	268	225	79	4.4	tr 90	
SE-1	SAN BENITO MIN (W)	36-48.92	121-21.17	24/24	76	8.3	2610	0.09	875	3.6	26	54.0	790	0.6	730	426	37	6.0	-	3
SE-2	SULFUP SPRINGS	36-17.58	120-59.03	23/23	189	7.3	16081	1.50	5250	61.0	221.0	289.0	7380	1.3	1470	2060	74	24.0	-	113
SB-1	SAN BERNARDINO	35-46.50	117-21.60	30/30	-	9.2	91800	-	36600	1050.0	-	-	23400	90.0	37000	4210	-	360.0	-	21
SB-2	SARATOGA SPRING	35-40.91	116-25.30	28/28	475	8.1	3040	-	970	30.0	33.0	34.0	680	2.2	420	1040	44	-	113	
SB-3	SHEEP CREEK SPRING	35-35.33	116-22.53	23/23	-	7.7	720	-	87	6.0	73.0	52.0	25	-	190	383	-	0.6	-	113
SB-4	MAGMA POWER CO (W)	35-23.07	117-32.17	97/96	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	102	-	-	
SB-5	PARADISE SPRING	35-08.60	116-48.80	40/40	104	7.8	512	-	151	3.6	8.4	1.0	47	20.0	99	164	54	0.5	-	113
SB-6	SODA STATION SP	35-08.50	116-06.25	25/24/24	189	-	1990	-	708	16.0	16.0	5.0	736	-	264	321	53	2.2	-	106
SB-7	NEWBERRY SPRING	34-49.57	116-40.57	25/25	1192	-	290	-	-	-	25.0	4.9	30	-	163	40	54	-	106	
SB-8	FLAMINGO WELL	34-57.33	116-50.33	40/39	-	8.8	345	-	115	3.2	3.0	0.5	66	3.4	73	80	27	0.4	-	90
SB-9	UNNAMED WELL	34-50.60	114-58.50	33/33	-	7.6	320	-	112	3.2	5.0	3.0	66	8.0	102	72	0.3	-	113	
SB-10	WELL 1S/24E-10P1 S	34-06.17	117-26.90	29/29	-	7.2	1270	-	264	-	129.0	38.0	432	1.3	148	308	25	-	89	
SB-11	WELL 1S/24E-10N1 S	34-05.70	114-27.20	30/30	-	7.45	1420	-	335	-	123.0	27.0	398	1.1	173	425	29	-	89	
SB-12	WELL 1S/24E-9K1 S	34-05.97	117-27.67	32/32	-	7.6	380	-	119	-	14.0	2.2	67	2.2	154	72	27	-	89	
SB-13	WELL 1S/24E-16B1 S	34-05.50	114-27.60	42/42	-	7.5	1070	-	297	-	73.0	7.3	356	-	90	248	26	0.74	-	89
SB-14	WELL 2N/7E-3B1 S	34-17.62	116-14.20	27/27	-	7.9	180	-	46	3.0	12.0	-	24	0.7	75	36	18	0.05	-	8
SB-15	WELL 1N/8E-2N1 S	34-11.70	116-07.30	53/53	-	8.4	730	-	215	3.0	14.0	0.6	60	17.0	37	341	54	0.5	-	90
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tive activity (concentration) of hydrogen ions (pH) may be expressed in the same kind of units as other dissolved constituents, provided H^+ concentrations in milligrams per liter (mg/L) are high enough to show, as in strongly acidic waters. In general cases, the concentrations of hydrogen ions are very low and therefore its activity can be most conveniently expressed in logarithmic units. The pH represents the negative logarithm to the base 10 of the hydrogen-ion activity in moles per liter. The pH of a water represents the interrelated result of a number of chemical equilibria. To satisfactorily get the original equilibrium conditions of an aquifer, a pH measurement must be taken immediately at the time of sampling. The pH measured after a sample has been stored for sometime in the laboratory, has no relation to the original equilibrium conditions. This is also true with the samples containing dissolved gases (Hem, 1979).

Total dissolved solids (TDS) are the measure of salts in solution. Water-quality criteria for this study are based on the type and amount of dissolved mineral matter in water, and on intended use of the thermal water. Dissolved matter in water is mainly in the form of electrically charged particles (ions) whose concentration is measured in mg/L. Positively charged ions are called cations and negatively charged ions are called anions. Total dissolved solids can be determined by evaporating an aliquot of water to dryness and weighing the residue. It can also be approximated by measuring the specific conductance of the water. A third and easy procedure for determining TDS is to sum up the concentrations reported for various dissolved constituents and subtract part of the bicarbonate after converting it to carbonate. For certain types of water, this computation method is more reliable than the residue or evaporation method. In the present study, TDS were obtained by summing up the constituents present in the water analysis for each spring or well and subtracting part of the bicarbonate. This is done by dividing the bicarbonate value by a factor of 2.03 (Skougstad and others, 1979) or by multiplying the bicarbonate value by a factor of 0.4917 (Hem, 1970) and subtracting this figure from the total sum of all the cations and anions. Table 1 lists the physical parameters and chemical constituents of thermal waters in California. Table 1a lists the chemical characteristics of these thermal waters.

In hydrogeochemistry, alkalinity is defined as the capacity of the solution to neutralize acid. In most natural water, the alkalinity is practically all produced by dissolved carbonate and bicarbonate ions. A more meaningful and useful statement of the alkalinity in these geothermal waters is obtained by expressing the results of the determination as concentrations of bicarbonate and carbonate. Carbonate values are converted to bicarbonate values by multiplying them by 2.03, and these converted values are added to the bicarbonate values and tabulated in Table 1 as a column designated as "HCO₃, Alk" (bicarbonate alkalinity).

GEOTHERMOMETRY

Table 2 lists the estimated temperatures by various geothermometers for each of the analyzed thermal springs and wells plotted on the geothermal resources map, along with the most recent surface temperature and calculated water type. Estimation of subsurface temperatures were made for 448 of the analyzed springs and wells in California (97.2% of the total analyzed springs and wells). These estimates were made from the constituents of thermal waters (Table 1) by the U.S. Geological Survey using its computer program GEOTHERM. Estimates of subsurface temperatures by isotope-geothermometers were not included because of insufficient data.

Information on the subsurface temperature, flow patterns, the

recharge source, type of reservoir rock, and other important parameters of the geothermal system can be obtained from the chemical and isotopic composition of the geothermal waters when they reach the surface in springs or wells. Thus, geothermometry is the estimation of subsurface temperatures of geothermal waters by relating certain of the chemical component concentrations or ratios. The theory of quantitative chemical geothermometers has been discussed by Fournier, White, and Trusdell (1974), and Fournier and Trusdell (1974). These geothermometers depend on the existence of temperature-dependent equilibria and water-rock reactions at depth. The most common soluble chemical constituents of thermal waters are SiO_2 , Na, K, Ca, Mg, Cl, HCO_3 , and CO_3 . The silica and Na-K-Ca geothermometers are those most commonly used to estimate subsurface temperature of the reservoir.

The validity of these geothermometers is based on the following assumptions:

1. Temperature-dependent reactions at depth;
 2. An adequate supply of reactants from the reservoir;
 3. Water-mineral equilibrium in the reservoir;
 4. The constituents do not re-equilibrate with the confining rock as the water flows to the surface; and
 5. Dilution or mixing of thermal and non-thermal ground-water does not occur.

Mixing, which is possible for many of the thermal springs, leads to low aquifer-temperature estimates from the silica geothermometer. Isotope-chloride relationships indicate the mixtures of thermal and surface waters. Re-equilibrium of water with its environment probably affects the Na-K-Ca geothermometer more often than the silica geothermometer. Loss of calcium due to precipitation of CaCO_3 is probably the major cause of excessively high temperature estimates from the Na-K-Ca geothermometer. A correction is made to the Na-K-Ca geothermometer when magnesium makes up a significant part of the cation composition. At high magnesium concentrations the correction factor reduces the calculated temperature to agree with observed temperatures.

The geothermometers which are currently available include a set using silica. The SiO_2 concentrations used in all computations are mg/L. The following computations were used for various types of silica geothermometers:

CODE #	CHARACTERISTICS	CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS	COUNTY CODE #	COUNTY CODE #	CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS	COUNTY CODE #	COUNTY CODE #
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Table 1A. Chemical Characteristics of the Springs and Wells of California - Continued.

COUNTY CODE #	CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS	COUNTY CODE #	CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS	COUNTY CODE #	CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS	COUNTY CODE #	CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS	COUNTY CODE #	CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS
MD-33	No Chemistry	OR-4	No Chemistry	RV-41	Partial Chemistry	SD-5	Mixed Cations Mixed Anions	SH-3	Sodium Chloride
MD-34	Sodium Sulfate	OR-5	No Chemistry	RV-42	Partial Chemistry	SD-6	Partial Chemistry	SH-4	No Chemistry
MD-35	Sodium Mixed Anions	OR-6	No Chemistry	RV-43	Partial Chemistry	SD-7	Partial Chemistry	SH-5	No Chemistry
	MONO COUNTY	OR-7	No Chemistry	RV-44	Partial Chemistry	SD-8	Partial Chemistry	SH-6	No Chemistry
		OR-8	Partial Chemistry	RV-45	Partial Chemistry	SD-9	Partial Chemistry	SH-7	Mixed Cations Sulfate
MO-1	Sodium Mixed Anions	OR-10	Mixed Cations Bicarbonate	RV-46	Partial Chemistry	SD-10	Partial Chemistry		SIERRA COUNTY
MO-2	Sodium Chloride	OR-11	Sodium Mixed Anions	RV-47	Partial Chemistry	SD-11	Partial Chemistry		
MO-3	No Chemistry			RV-48	Partial Chemistry	SD-12	Partial Chemistry		
MO-4	Sodium Bicarbonate			RV-49	Sodium Sulfate	SD-13	Partial Chemistry	SI-1	Sodium Chloride
MO-5	No Chemistry			RV-50	Calcium Bicarbonate	SD-14	Partial Chemistry	SI-2	No Chemistry
MO-6	Sodium Mixed Anions	PC-1	Sodium Chloride	RV-51	Sodium Chloride	SD-15	Mixed Cations Sulfate	SI-3	Sodium Chloride
MO-7	Sodium Bicarbonate		PLUMAS COUNTY	RV-52	Partial Chemistry	SD-16	Sodium Mixed Anions	SI-4	Partial Chemistry
MO-8	Sodium Bicarbonate			RV-53	Sodium Chloride	SD-17	Partial Chemistry	SI-5	No Chemistry
MO-9	No Chemistry			RV-54	Sodium Chloride	SD-18	Sodium Chloride	SI-6	Sodium Bicarbonate
MO-10	Partial Chemistry	PL-1	No Chemistry	RV-55	Sodium Chloride	SD-19	Partial Chemistry	SI-7	Sodium Mixed Anions
MO-11	Sodium Chloride	PL-2	Mixed Cations Sulfate	RV-56	Partial Chemistry	SD-20	Mixed Cations Bicarbonate	SI-8	Sodium Mixed Anions
MO-12	Sodium Chloride	PL-3	No Chemistry	RV-57	Partial Chemistry	SD-21	Mixed Cations Chloride		SISKIYOU COUNTY
MO-13	No Chemistry	PL-4	Mixed Cations Sulfate	RV-58	Sodium Mixed Anions	SD-22	Mixed Cations Chloride		
MO-14	Sodium Bicarbonate	PL-5	No Chemistry	RV-59	Sodium Chloride	SD-23	Mixed Cations Mixed Anions		
MO-15	Sodium Mixed Anions	PL-6	No Chemistry	RV-60	Sodium Sulfate	SD-24	Sodium Chloride	SK-1	Sodium Chloride
MO-16	No Chemistry	PL-7	No Chemistry	RV-61	Sodium Mixed Anions	SD-25	Mixed Cations Chloride	SK-2	Sodium Chloride
MO-17	Sodium Bicarbonate	PL-8	Sodium Bicarbonate	RV-62	Sodium Mixed Anions	SD-26	Sodium Mixed Anions	SK-3	Sodium Chloride
MO-18	No Chemistry	PL-9	Sodium Mixed Anions	RV-63	Sodium Chloride	SD-27	Sodium Mixed Anions	SK-4	Sodium Chloride
MO-19	No Chemistry	PL-10	Sodium Chloride	RV-64	Sodium Chloride	SD-28	Sodium Chloride	SK-5	No Chemistry
MO-20	No Chemistry	PL-11	Sodium Chloride	RV-65	No Chemistry	SD-29	Sodium Chloride	SK-6	No Chemistry
MO-21	Sodium Mixed Anions	PL-12	Sodium Bicarbonate	RV-66	Partial Chemistry	SD-30	Calcium Chloride	SK-7	Magnesium Sulfate
MO-22	Sodium Bicarbonate	PL-13	Sodium Bicarbonate						SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY
MO-23	Sodium Bicarbonate	PL-14	Sodium Bicarbonate						SOLANO COUNTY
MO-24	Sodium Mixed Anions	PL-15	Sodium Bicarbonate						
MO-25	No Chemistry	PL-16	Sodium Chloride	SE-1	Sodium Chloride	SJ-1	Magnesium Bicarbonate	SO-1	Sodium Chloride
MO-26	Sodium Bicarbonate	PL-17	Sodium Chloride	SE-2	Sodium Chloride	SJ-2	Mixed Cations Mixed Anions	SO-2	No Chemistry
MO-27	Sodium Bicarbonate	PL-18	No Chemistry					SO-3	Sodium Bicarbonate
MO-28	Sodium Bicarbonate	PL-19	No Chemistry						SONOMA COUNTY
MO-29	Sodium Bicarbonate								
MO-30	No Chemistry								
MO-31	Sodium Mixed Anions								
MO-32	No Chemistry								
		RIVERSIDE COUNTY							
		RV-1	Sodium Sulfate	SB-1	Sodium Bicarbonate	SL-1	Sodium Mixed Anions	SN-1	No Chemistry
		RV-2	No Chemistry	SB-2	Sodium Mixed Anions	SL-2	Sodium Chloride	SN-2	Magnesium Sulfate
		RV-3	Mixed Cations Bicarbonate	SB-3	Mixed Cations Sulfate	SL-3	Sodium Bicarbonate	SN-3	No Chemistry
		RV-4	No Chemistry	SB-4	No Chemistry	SL-4	Sodium Bicarbonate	SN-4	No Chemistry
		RV-5	Calcium Bicarbonate	SB-5	Sodium Mixed Anions	SL-5	No Chemistry	SN-5	Sodium Bicarbonate
		RV-6	Sodium Bicarbonate	SB-6	Sodium Chloride	SL-6	Sodium Mixed Anions	SN-6	Mixed Cations Bicarbonate
		RV-7	No Chemistry	SB-7	No Chemistry	SL-7	Sodium Mixed Anions	SN-7	Mixed Cations Bicarbonate
		RV-8	Sodium Mixed Anions	SB-8	Sodium Mixed Anions	SL-8	No Chemistry	SN-8	Sodium Bicarbonate
		RV-9	Sodium Chloride	SB-9	Sodium Mixed Anions	SL-9	No Chemistry	SN-9	Sodium Bicarbonate
		RV-10	Sodium Bicarbonate	SB-10	Sodium Chloride	SL-10	No Chemistry	SN-10	Sodium Chloride
		RV-11	Sodium Bicarbonate	SB-11	Sodium Chloride	SL-11	Mixed Cations Bicarbonate	SN-11	Sodium Mixed Anions
		RV-12	Sodium Chloride	SB-12	Sodium Mixed Anions	SL-12	Sodium Bicarbonate	SN-12	Sodium Chloride
		RV-13	Sodium Mixed Anions	SB-13	Sodium Chloride	SL-13	Mixed Cations Bicarbonate	SN-13	Sodium Bicarbonate
		RV-14	Sodium Mixed Anions	SB-14	Sodium Mixed Anions				SANTA BARBARA COUNTY
		RV-15	Mixed Cations Mixed Anions	SB-15	Sodium Sulfate				STANISLAUS COUNTY
		RV-16	Mixed Cations Mixed Anions	SB-16	Sodium Mixed Anions				
		RV-17	Mixed Cations Sulfate	SB-17	Sodium Sulfate	SA-1	Sodium Sulfate	ST-1	Calcium Sulfate
		RV-18	Mixed Cations Bicarbonate	SB-18	Sodium Bicarbonate	SA-2	Sodium Chloride		
		RV-19	Mixed Cations Sulfate	SB-19	Sodium Sulfate	SA-3	Sodium Mixed Anions		TEHAMA COUNTY
		RV-20	Mixed Cations Bicarbonate	SB-20	No Chemistry	SA-4	Sodium Bicarbonate		
		RV-21	Mixed Cations Bicarbonate	SB-21	No Chemistry	SA-5	Sodium Mixed Anions		
		RV-22	Mixed Cations Mixed Anions	SB-22	No Chemistry	SA-6	Sodium Chloride	TH-1	Sodium Chloride
		RV-23	Sodium Chloride	SB-23	Sodium Sulfate	SA-7	Sodium Mixed Anions	TH-2	Sodium Chloride
		RV-24	Mixed Cations Mixed Anions	SB-24	Sodium Sulfate	SA-8	Sodium Bicarbonate	TH-3	Sodium Chloride
		RV-25	Sodium Chloride	SB-25	No Chemistry	SA-9	Sodium Bicarbonate	TH-4	Sodium Chloride
		RV-26	Sodium Mixed Anions	SB-26	Sodium Sulfate	SA-10	Sodium Bioarborane		TULARE COUNTY
		RV-27	Mixed Cations Mixed Anions	SB-27	No Chemistry	SA-11	No Chemistry		
		RV-28	No Chemistry	SB-28	No Chemistry	SA-12	Sodium Bicarbonate		
		RV-29	Sodium Bicarbonate	SB-29	No Chemistry	SA-13	Sodium Chloride	TU-1	Sodium Chloride
		RV-30	No Chemistry	SB-30	Sodium Sulfate			TU-2	Sodium Mixed Anions
		RV-31	Sodium Sulfate	SB-31	No Chemistry			TU-3	No Chemistry
		RV-32	Sodium Mixed Anions	SB-32	No Chemistry			TU-4	Sodium Bicarbonate
		RV-33	Sodium Bicarbonate	SB-33	No Chemistry			TU-5	Mixed Cations Bicarbonate
		RV-34	Sodium Bicarbonate	SB-34	No Chemistry			TU-6	Sodium Bicarbonate
		RV-35	Sodium Bicarbonate	SB-35	No Chemistry				VENTURA COUNTY
		RV-36	Sodium Chloride	SB-36	Sodium Bicarbonate				
		RV-37	Sodium Chloride					VN-1	Sodium Mixed Anions
		RV-38	Sodium Chloride					VN-2	Sodium Bicarbonate
		RV-39	Sodium Chloride					VN-3	Sodium Chloride
		RV-40	Sodium Sulfate					VN-4	Sodium Chloride
								VN-5	Sodium Bicarbonate
								VN-6	No Chemistry
								VN-7	Sodium Bicarbonate
		ORANGE COUNTY							
OR-1	Sodium Bicarbonate	RV-36	Sodium Chloride	SD-1	Sodium Mixed Anions				
OR-2	Magnesium Bicarbonate	RV-37	Sodium Chloride	SD-2	Sodium Mixed Anions				
OR-3	No Chemistry	RV-38	Sodium Chloride	SD-3	Mixed Cations Bicarbonate	SH-1	Sodium Sulfate		
		RV-39	Sodium Chloride	SD-4	Sodium Mixed Anions	SH-2	Sodium Bicarbonate		
		RV-40	Sodium Sulfate						

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		Conductive		Adiabatic		<i>Chalcocite</i>		<i>Amorphous</i>			
		Na/K	Na/K/Ca (1/3)	Na/K/Ca (1/3)	Na/K/Ca (1/3)	Na/K/Ca (1/3)	Na/K/Ca (1/3)	Na/K/Ca (1/3)	WATER TYPE		
ALAMEDA COUNTY	AL-1	21	88	91	57	38	-26	132	144	92	COOL
	AL-2*	27	85	88	54	35	-29	10	42	13	NONE
ALPINE COUNTY	AP-1	64	137	133	110	87	17	102	133	117	NONE
COLUMA COUNTY	CO-1	24	137	133	110	87	17	67	125	194	COOL
	CO-2	69	157	149	133	107	35	142	241	675	155
	CO-3	55	180	168	159	130	56	133	240	781	98
	CO-5*	61	-	-	-	-	132	-	-	NONE	NONE
CONTRA COSTA COUNTY	CC-1	24	137	133	110	87	17	133	183	119	30
	CC-2*	23	69	74	37	19	-42	30	70	62	NONE
	CC-3*	23	57	64	25	9	-51	30	70	63	NONE
	CC-4	21	55	62	23	7	-53	77	119	130	NONE
	CC-5	51	48	55	15	0	-59	65	111	128	49
EL DORADO COUNTY	ED-2*	24	69	74	37	19	-42	97	109	50	61
FRESNO COUNTY	FR-3	43	111	110	81	60	-7	102	122	79	NONE
	FR-4	43	103	103	73	52	-13	94	109	56	NONE
	FR-5*	48	120	118	91	69	1	50	93	97	NONE
	FR-6	24	132	128	105	81	12	47	95	117	COOL
	FR-7*	31	109	109	79	58	-8	60	99	97	NONE
GLENN COUNTY	GL-1	24	153	146	128	103	32	68	144	314	COOL
IMPERIAL COUNTY	IM-1	46	-	-	-	-	-	38	81	87	NONE
	IM-2*	28	83	87	52	33	-30	69	101	80	95
	IM-3	27	-	-	-	-	-	39	81	80	69
	IM-4	38	85	88	54	35	-29	53	110	171	45
	IM-5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NONE
	IM-6	33	-	-	-	-	-	28	75	92	52
	IM-7	58	-	-	-	-	-	41	-	-	NONE
	IM-8	39	-	-	-	-	-	21	61	54	NONE
	IM-9	31	62	67	29	12	-48	-	-	-	NONE

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COUNTY CODE NUMBER	RECENT SURFACE TEMP. (°C)	SILICA					Na-K-Ca				WATER TYPE		
							Na-K		Na-K-Ca (%)	Mg CORRECTED			
		Conductive	Adiabatic	Chalcedony	α-Cristobalite	Amorphous	Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)					
IMPERIAL COUNTY (Continued)	IM-10*	35	-	-	-	-	34	64	32	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K Cl>HCO ₃ =SO ₄ >>CO ₂ >F	
	IM-11	28	55	62	23	7	-53	-	-	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>Mg SO ₄ >Cl>HCO ₃ >>F	
	IM-12*	29	-	-	-	-	55	98	103	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K	
	IM-13	29	42	50	10	-6	-63	19	67	87	58	Na>>Ca>>Mg>>K SO ₄ >>Cl>>HCO ₃ >>F	
	IM-14	30	-	-	-	-	23	68	76	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K Cl>	
	IM-15*	34	110	109	80	59	-7	51	88	78	49	53	Na>>Ca>>K>Mg HCO ₃ =Cl>>CO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	IM-16	29	92	94	61	42	-23	95	113	65	75	89	Na>>Ca>>Mg>K Cl>HCO ₃ =SO ₄ >>F
	IM-17*	28	102	103	72	51	-14	48	89	91	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K Cl>CO ₃ >HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	IM-18*	33	72	77	40	23	-39	33	71	59	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>Mg>K HCO ₃ >Cl>>CO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	IM-19	29	-	-	-	-	137	135	57	82	99	Na>>Ca>>Mg>K HCO ₃ =SO ₄ >Cl>>F	
	IM-20	77	72	77	40	23	-39	135	162	147	68	68	Na>>Ca>>K>Mg Cl>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	IM-21	88	124	121	96	73	5	138	168	162	37	37	Na>>Ca>>K>Mg Cl>>SO ₄ >HCO ₃ >>F
	IM-22	62	-	-	-	-	-	127	156	142	64	64	Na>>Ca>>K>Mg Cl>>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	IM-23	60	115	114	86	66	-2	137	165	152	68	68	Na>>Ca>>K>>Mg Cl>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	IM-24	31	-	-	-	-	-	125	155	143	75	74	Na>>Ca>>K>Mg Cl>>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	IM-33	44	78	82	47	28	-34	100	133	123	34	35	Na>>Ca>>Mg>K HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄
	IM-35	40	-	-	-	-	-	151	195	244	70	82	Na>>Ca>>K>Mg Cl>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	IM-38	28	5	15	-28	-41	-92	-	-	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>Mg Cl>SO ₄ >HCO ₃	
	IM-39	105	148	141	122	97	26	188	233	312	190	247	Na>>K>Ca>>Mg Cl>>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	IM-41	38	119	117	90	68	1	137	185	244	159	196	Na>>Ca>>K>>Mg Cl>>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	IM-42	310	18	28	-15	-28	-82	286	323	460	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>K>>Mg Cl>>SO ₄
	IM-43	316	125	122	97	74	6	308	345	509	320	473	Na>>Ca>K>>Mg Cl>
	IM-44	348	233	210	221	186	108	275	309	417	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>K>>Mg Cl>>HCO ₃
	IM-48	265	240	216	230	194	115	216	258	343	256	344	Na>>Ca>K>>Mg Cl>>HCO ₃ >>F>SO ₄
	IM-49	171	161	153	137	111	39	180	228	312	224	302	Na>>Ca>K>>Mg Cl>
	IM-50	164	131	128	104	81	12	254	295	410	269	373	Na>>Ca>K>>Mg Cl>>SO ₄ >F
	IM-51	168	222	202	208	174	97	238	276	365	220	288	Na>>Ca>K>>Mg Cl>>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	IM-53	41	-	-	-	-	-	45	80	65	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K Cl>
	IM-55	33	70	75	39	21	-40	-	-	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>Mg Cl>HCO ₃ =SO ₄	
	IM-56	34	87	90	56	37	-26	41	83	85	40	40	Na>>Ca>Mg>K Cl>SO ₄ =HCO ₃ >>CO ₂ >F
	IM-57	36	87	90	56	37	-26	49	96	115	COOL	COOL	Na>>Ca>Mg>K HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >>CO ₂ >F
	IM-58	41	89	92	59	39	-25	36	82	93	50	46	Na>>Ca>Mg>K HCO ₃ =Cl>SO ₄ >>CO ₂ >F
	IM-59	41	69	74	37	19	-42	-	-	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>Mg>K Cl>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F	
	IM-60	55	83	87	52	33	-30	49	94	108	56	52	Na>>Ca>Mg>K Cl>SO ₄ >HCO ₃ >>F
	IM-61	32	51	57	18	2	-56	-	-	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>Mg Cl>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F	
	IM-62	39	75	79	44	25	-36	38	86	105	63	57	Na>>Ca>Mg>K Cl>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>CO ₂ >F

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								Conductive	Adiabatic	Chalcedony	α-Cristobalite		
		Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)					Na-K	Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)	Mg CORRECTED		
IMPERIAL COUNTY (Continued)	IM-63	33	67	72	35	18	-43	40	83	85	43	42	Na>>Ca>Mg>K Cl>HCO ₃ =SO ₄ >>CO ₂ >F
	IM-64	28	-	-	-	-	-	29	69	63	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K Cl>
	IM-65	32	81	84	49	31	-32	42	84	86	49	49	Na>>Ca>Mg>K Cl>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>CO ₂ >F
	IM-66	38	5	15	-28	-41	-92	-	-	-	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>Mg Cl>>HCO ₃ =SO ₄
	IM-67	29	-	-	-	-	-	55	97	102	39	38	Na>>Ca>Mg>K Cl>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	IM-68	37	69	74	37	19	-42	-	-	-	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca

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							Mg CORRECTED				
		Conductive	Adiabatic	Chalcedony	α -Cristobalite	Amorphous	Na-K	Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)	
IMPERIAL COUNTY (Continued)	IM-100	31	75	79	44	25	-36	-	-	NONE	NONE
	IM-101	30	83	87	52	33	-30	42	83	81	45
	IM-102	36	70	75	39	21	-40	44	85	84	35
	IM-103	38	79	83	48	30	-33	-	-	NONE	NONE
	IM-104	27	91	93	60	40	-24	-	-	NONE	NONE
	IM-105	36	89	92	59	39	-25	33	78	87	56
	IM-107	38	-	-	-	-	-	43	88	96	53
	IM-108	40	83	87	52	33	-30	36	80	89	57
	IM-109	36	74	78	42	24	-38	-	-	NONE	NONE
	IM-110	34	78	82	47	28	-34	-	-	NONE	NONE
	IM-111	32	88	91	57	38	-26	43	87	94	COOL
	IM-112	33	93	95	62	43	-22	-	-	NONE	NONE
	IM-114	35	32	41	-1	-15	-71	-	-	NONE	NONE
	IM-116	30	67	72	35	18	-43	78	122	137	54
	IM-118	159	175	164	154	126	52	129	166	178	166
	IM-119	168	201	185	183	152	76	118	159	179	156
	IM-120	H	148	141	122	97	26	175	203	206	NONE
	IM-121	40	74	78	42	24	-38	38	83	92	50
	IM-122	37	-	-	-	-	-	46	90	98	74
	IM-123	40	78	82	47	28	-34	-	-	NONE	NONE
	IM-124	44	82	85	51	32	-31	-	-	NONE	NONE
	IM-126	29	69	74	37	19	-42	42	81	73	40
	IM-127	45	78	82	47	28	-34	35	82	96	64
	IM-128	43	-	-	-	-	-	28	73	80	NONE
	IM-129	40	93	95	62	43	-22	33	78	87	58
	IM-130	37	65	71	33	16	-45	-	-	NONE	NONE
	IM-131	32	72	77	40	23	-39	32	76	86	60
	IM-132	35	67	72	35	18	-43	39	82	89	61
	IM-133	34	69	74	37	19	-42	34	78	86	68
	IM-134	38	51	57	18	2	-56	-	-	NONE	NONE
	IM-136	36	67	72	35	18	-43	35	82	98	46
	IM-137	168	178	167	157	128	55	152	186	199	NONE
	IM-138	204	214	196	199	166	90	195	231	279	NONE
	IM-139	33	-	-	-	-	-	53	90	79	NONE
	IM-140	170	152	145	127	102	31	143	174	175	143
	IM-141	83	109	109	79	58	-8	89	133	154	126
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							Mg CORRECTED				
		Conductive	Adiabatic	Chalcedony	α -Cristobalite	Amorphous	Na-K	Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)	
IMPERIAL COUNTY (Continued)	IM-142	49	-	-	-	-	-	37	83	97	NONE
	IM-143	42	-	-	-	-	-	31	73	74	NONE
	IM-144	43	74	78	42	24	-38	38	82	88	79
	IM-145	37	72	77	40	23	-39	34	78	83	69
	IM-146	40	-	-	-	-	-	30	78	97	NONE
	IM-147	31	65	71	33	16	-45	-	-	-	NONE
	IM-148	35	78	82	47	28	-34	39	80	78	73
	IM-150	71	-	-	-	-	-	156	187	193	NONE
KERN COUNTY	IN-1*	58	79	83	48	30	-33	77	102	67	NONE
	IN-3	37	85	88	54	35	-29	178	171	95	41
	IN-5	49	105	105	75	54	-12	193	182	104	150
	IN-6	43	105	106	76	55	-11	172	175	117	37
	IN-7	27	78	82	47	28	-34	241	174	35	76
	IN-8	30	121	119	93	70	3	179	200	188	COOL
	IN-9	34	134	130	107	83	14	128	177	232	COOL
	IN-10	97	216	197	201	168	91	588	341	117	COOL
	IN-11*	97	161	153	137	111	39	206	238	275	NONE
	IN-14	24	89	92	59	39	-25	83	82	0	NONE
	IN-15	32	53	60	21	4	-55	59	126	236	47
	IN-19	28	115	114	86	65	-2	99	148	190	84
	IN-21	48	116	115	87	65	-2	89	142	193	NONE
	IN-24	32	101	102	71	50	-15	165	172	121	20
	IN-25	32	95	97	64	45	-20	156	161	101	COOL
	IN-26	40	67	72	35	18	-43	169	163	88	27
	IN-27	34	111	110	81	60	-7	125	156	149	33
	KR-1	41	94	96	63	44	-21	145	160	117	NONE
	KR-2	43	100	101	70	50	-16	125	142	101	103
	KR-3	50	87	90	56	37	-26	152	158	98	79
	KR-4*	43	97	98	67	47	-18	135	139	73	NONE
	KR-6	39	107	107	78	57	-9	138	156	119	58
	KR-8	31	-	-	-	-	-</td				

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		Conductive	Adiabatic	Chalcedony	α -Cristobalite	Amorphous	Na-K	Na-K-Ca (%)	Mg CORRECTED				
							Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)					
KERN COUNTY (Continued)	KR-10*	32	—	—	—	—	77	125	155	110	116	Na>>K>Ca>>Mg HCO ₃ >>Cl>>CO ₃ =SO ₄ >>F	
	KR-11	30	113	112	84	62	—4	97	116	70	75	87	Na>Ca>>Mg>K Cl>>HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ >>F
	KR-14	23	51	57	18	2	—56	54	79	38	42	65	Na>Ca>>Mg>>K SO ₄ >>Cl>>HCO ₃ >>F
	KR-15	32	65	71	33	16	—45	131	124	40	50	85	Na>Ca>>Mg>>K SO ₄ >>HCO ₃ >>Cl>>F
	KR-16	34	—	—	—	—	—	90	109	62	COOL	COOL	Na>Ca>Mg>>K SO ₄ >>HCO ₃ >>Cl
	KR-17	30	78	82	47	28	—34	78	92	32	60	—	Na>>Ca>>Mg>>K HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ >>Cl>>F
	KR-18	40	89	92	59	39	—25	155	150	71	125	—	Na>>Ca>>K>>Mg HCO ₃ >>Cl>>CO ₃ >>F
LAKE COUNTY	LK-1	41	163	154	139	113	40	85	133	166	COOL	COOL	Na>>Mg>>Ca>K HCO ₃ >>Cl>>SO ₄ >>F
	LK-4*	23	148	141	122	97	26	102	202	610	NONE	NONE	Na>>K>>Ca>>Mg Cl>>CO ₃ >>SO ₄ >>F
	LK-5	24	117	115	88	66	—1	177	—	—	NONE	NONE	Na>>K HCO ₃ >>Cl>>SO ₄
	LK-8	99	181	169	160	131	57	108	156	201	24	26	Na>>K>Ca>Mg HCO ₃ >>Cl>>SO ₄ >>F
	LK-9	70	94	96	63	44	—21	82	132	172	COOL	COOL	Na>>Mg>K>Ca HCO ₃ >>Cl>>SO ₄ >>F
	LK-12	32	157	149	133	107	35	189	167	71	COOL	COOL	Mg>Na>Ca>K HCO ₃ >>Cl>>SO ₄
	LK-13	24	143	137	116	92	22	155	170	131	COOL	COOL	Na>>Mg>Ca>K SO ₄ >>CO ₃ >>Cl
	LK-14	28	149	143	124	99	28	168	148	51	COOL	COOL	Ca>Mg>Na>>K CO ₃ >>Cl
	LK-16	26	139	135	113	89	19	180	185	134	COOL	COOL	Na>Mg>K>Ca HCO ₃ >>Cl
	LK-18	35	—	—	—	—	—	163	156	76	COOL	COOL	Na>Mg>Ca>K HCO ₃ >>Cl>>SO ₄
	LK-19	52	169	159	146	119	46	191	188	122	COOL	COOL	Mg>Na>>Ca>K HCO ₃ >>Cl>>SO ₄ >>CO ₃
	LK-20	42	165	156	142	115	42	172	180	132	COOL	COOL	Mg>Na>>Ca>K HCO ₃ >>Cl>>SO ₄
	LK-22	52	111	110	81	60	—7	233	177	47	28	—	Ca>Mg>Na>K SO ₄ >>HCO ₃ >>Cl>>F
	LK-23*	48	105	105	75	54	—12	32	70	59	37	42	Na>>Ca>Mg>K HCO ₃ >>Cl>>CO ₃ >>F
	LK-25	24	126	123	98	75	7	153	202	271	COOL	COOL	Na>>Mg>K>Ca HCO ₃ >>Cl>>SO ₄ >>F
LASSEN COUNTY	LS-1	32	85	88	54	35	—29	112	121	59	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ >>Cl>>CO ₃
	LS-3*	90	116	115	87	65	—2	88	113	77	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K SO ₄ >>HCO ₃ >>Cl>>CO ₃
	LS-4*	80	108	108	79	58	—9	71	95	57	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K Cl>SO ₄ >>CO ₃ >>HCO ₃
	LS-6	38	105	105	75	54	—12	227	177	53	83	99	Na>Ca>>K=Mg HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ >>Cl>>CO ₃
	LS-7	49	112	111	83	62	—5	108	123	73	120	113	Na>>Ca>>K>Mg SO ₄ >>HCO ₃ >>Cl>>F>CO ₃
	LS-9	61	115	114	86	65	—2	125	138	87	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K>Mg SO ₄ >>Cl>>HCO ₃
	LS-12	27	89	92	59	39	—25	88	112	76	81	90	Na>>Ca>>K>Mg SO ₄ >>HCO ₃ >>Cl
	LS-18	96	150	143	125	100	29	100	128	104	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>K SO ₄ >>Cl>>F
	LS-20	28	94	96	63	44	—21	200	190	115	66	65	Na>>Ca>Mg HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ >>Cl>>F>CO ₃
	LS-21*	107	—	—	—	—	—	103	129	101	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>K SO ₄ >>Cl>>HCO ₃
	LS-22	95	134	130	107	84	14	88	118	98	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>K SO ₄ >>Cl>>HCO ₃ >>F>CO ₃

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		Conductive	Adiabatic	Chalcedony	α -Cristobalite	Amorphous	Na-K	Na-K-Ca (%)	Mg CORRECTED				
							Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)					
LOS ANGELES COUNTY	LA-1*	33	87	90	56	37	—26	70	96	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K>Mg SO ₄ >Cl>>CO ₃ >F	
	LA-2	27	—	—	—	—	—	92	100	33	74	—	
	LA-3	28	—	—	—	—	—	90	98	31	55	—	
	LA-4	46	65	71	33	16	—45	36	96	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>K>>Mg HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ >>Cl>>F	
	LA-5	56	67	72	35	18	—43	83	110	77	COOL	COOL	Na>>Ca>Mg>>K SO ₄ >HCO ₃ >>Cl>>F
	LA-6	26	62	67	29	12	—48	18	69	99	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>K>Mg HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ >>Cl>>CO ₃ >F
	LA-7	40	74	78	42	24	—38	101	152	203	97	110	Na>>K>>Ca>Mg CO ₃ >>Cl
	LA-8	27	57	64	25	9	—51	163	140	38	49	—	Ca>Na>Mg>>K HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ >>Cl>>F
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MODOC COUNTY (Continued)	MD-5	28	120	118	91	69	1	189	187	124	164	130
	MD-6	53	154	147	130	104	32	115	141	118	91	91
	MD-7	25	117	115	88	66	-1	101	132	115	106	104
	MD-8	160	173	162	150	123	49	127	154	136	NONE	NONE
	MD-9	97	180	168	159	130	56	127	160	161	NONE	NONE
	MD-13	41	109	109	79	58	-8	68	107	103	72	73
	MD-14	85	143	137	116	92	22	103	129	101	NONE	NONE
	MD-15	62	143	137	116	92	22	95	124	102	NONE	NONE
	MD-16	98	137	133	110	87	17	83	114	96	NONE	NONE
	MD-17	98	137	132	110	86	16	86	118	101	NONE	NONE
	MD-18	98	137	133	110	87	17	86	117	96	NONE	NONE
	MD-19*	57	105	105	75	54	-12	68	96	65	NONE	NONE
	MD-20*	43	89	92	59	39	-25	95	118	80	NONE	NONE
	MD-21	41	92	94	61	42	-23	78	103	68	NONE	NONE
	MD-22	77	152	145	127	102	31	108	138	120	NONE	NONE
	MD-26*	44	95	97	64	45	-20	154	154	85	NONE	NONE
	MD-32	92	143	137	116	92	22	96	123	95	NONE	NONE
	MD-34	74	117	115	88	66	-1	89	106	56	NONE	NONE
	MD-35	47	106	106	77	56	-10	45	73	39	NONE	NONE
MONO COUNTY	MO-1*	W	104	104	74	53	-12	93	117	82	NONE	NONE
	MO-2	35	77	81	45	27	-35	169	149	52	66	-
	MO-4	61	123	121	95	72	4	146	172	158	84	82
	MO-6	60	122	120	93	71	3	107	134	111	82	83
	MO-7	82	137	133	110	87	17	131	167	176	70	71
	MO-8	40	114	113	86	64	-3	138	171	176	80	81
	MO-10	25	-	-	-	-	-	240	199	87	127	106
	MO-11	66	122	120	94	72	4	85	123	125	79	78
	MO-12	54	140	135	114	90	20	164	201	230	73	80
	MO-14	31	143	137	116	92	22	160	165	106	153	122
	MO-15*	86	187	174	166	137	63	100	227	1225	NONE	NONE
	MO-17	42	136	131	109	85	15	163	171	120	73	72
	MO-21*	171	136	132	109	85	16	145	202	305	108	153
	MO-22	82	-	-	-	-	-	156	178	160	NONE	NONE
	MO-23	88	153	146	128	102	31	138	177	198	NONE	NONE
	MO-24	89	143	137	116	92	22	142	176	183	NONE	NONE
	MO-26	53	-	-	-	-	-	173	191	166	NONE	NONE

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		Conductive	Adiabatic	Chalcedony	α-Cristobalite	Amorphous	Na-K	Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)	Hg CORRECTED	Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)
MONO COUNTY (Continued)	MO-27	37	82	85	51	32	-31	146	154	99	99	97
	MO-28	41	182	170	161	132	58	166	183	155	167	149
	MO-29	28	-	-	-	-	-	153	163	113	NONE	NONE
	MO-31	57	113	112	84	62	-4	63	97	79	NONE	NONE
MONTEREY COUNTY	MT-4*	47	119	117	90	68	1	50	78	44	NONE	NONE
	MT-5*	37	96	97	66	46	-19	65	90	51	NONE	NONE
	MT-6*	62	144	139	118	94	23	100	123	88	NONE	NONE
	MT-7	37	95	97	64	45	-20	65	96	71	NONE	NONE
	MT-8	31	87	90	56	37	-26	63	94	69	NONE	NONE
	MT-9*	30	81	84	49	31	-32	103	93	1	COOL	COOL
NAPA COUNTY	NA-1	22	134	130	107	84	14	138	153	108	COOL	COOL
	NA-2	33	130	127	103	80	11	79	121	130	COOL	COOL
	NA-4	95	107	107	78	57	-9	125	158	156	NONE	NONE
	NA-5	78	112	111	83	62	-5	116	141	115	38	42
	NA-6	81	143	138	117	93	22	-	-	-	NONE	NONE
	NA-8	26	143	138	117	93	22	120	133	81	COOL	COOL
	NA-10*	36	98	99	68	48	-17	65	104	102	103	103
	NA-15	30	153	146	128	102	31	241	194	75	24	43
ORANGE COUNTY	OR-1	43	72	77	40	23	-39	-	-	-	NONE	NONE
	OR-2	73	-	-	-	-	-	157	146	57	COOL	COOL
	OR-9	28	69	74	37	19	-42	39	133	154	38	36
	OR-10	35	-	-	-	-	-	106	106	28	33	72
	OR-11*	49	124	122	96	74	6	77	107	81	NONE	NONE
PLACER COUNTY	PC-1*	55	119	117	90	68	1	98	124	94	NONE	NONE
PLUMAS COUNTY	PL-2	95	206	189	189	157	81	247	203	88	29	41
	PL-4	66	166	157	143	116	43	227	183	64	63	80
	PL-9*	30	113	112</td								

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PLUMAS COUNTY (Continued)	PL-12	29	-	-	-	-	100	120	77	69	80	Na>>Ca>K>Mg HCO ₃ >>Cl>>SO ₄	
	PL-13	26	134	130	107	84	14	233	193	81	64	73	Na>>Ca>K>Mg HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ >>Cl>>F
	PL-14	28	126	124	99	76	7	222	215	156	30	27	Na>>K>Mg>Ca HCO ₃ >>Cl>>SO ₄
	PL-15	32	130	126	102	79	10	122	139	96	54	62	Na>>K>Ca>Mg HCO ₃ >>Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	PL-16	40	125	122	97	74	6	73	107	93	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K>>Mg Cl>SO ₄ >>HCO ₃ >>F>CO ₂
	PL-17	94	136	132	109	85	16	101	131	112	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>K>>Mg Cl>SO ₄ >>HCO ₃ >>F>CO ₂
RIVERSIDE COUNTY	RV-1*	55	105	106	76	55	-11	48	77	46	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K>Mg SO ₄ >>CO ₃ >>HCO ₃ >>Cl>>F
	RV-3	27	63	69	31	14	-46	135	130	50	COOL	COOL	Na>Mg>Ca>K HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	RV-5	44	78	82	47	28	-34	160	130	20	55	-	Ca>Na>Mg>K HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ >>Cl>>F
	RV-6*	43	107	107	78	57	-9	-	-	-	NONE	NONE	Na>>Mg HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>CO ₃ >>Cl
	RV-9	47	78	82	47	28	-34	-	-	-	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>Mg SO ₄ =Cl>>HCO ₃
	RV-10*	40	92	94	61	42	-23	53	87	67	47	56	Na>>Ca>>Mg HCO ₃ >CO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	RV-11*	49	-	-	-	-	-	167	157	74	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>K HCO ₃ >CO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	RV-12	39	-	-	-	-	-	96	112	60	NONE	NONE	Na>Ca>>K>>Mg Cl>>SO ₄ >>HCO ₃
	RV-13	48	117	115	88	66	-1	-	-	-	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>Mg HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄
	RV-14*	52	124	121	96	73	5	-	-	-	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>Mg Cl=SO ₄ >CO ₃ >HCO ₃
	RV-15	37	92	94	61	42	-23	122	122	46	50	-	Na>Ca>>Mg>>K HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>Cl>>F
	RV-16	37	100	101	70	50	-16	142	131	42	51	-	Ca>Na>Mg>>K HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >Cl
	RV-17	28	99	100	69	49	-16	51	72	23	NONE	NONE	Na=Ca>>Mg>>K SO ₄ >HCO ₃ >Cl>>F
	RV-18	43	-	-	-	-	-	129	124	41	50	-	Na>Ca>>Mg>>K HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>Cl>>F
	RV-19	49	109	109	79	58	-8	98	113	59	40	-	Na>Ca>Mg>>K SO ₄ >Cl>HCO ₃ >>F
	RV-20	25	88	91	57	38	-26	96	102	31	42	-	Na>Ca>Mg>>K HCO ₃ >>Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	RV-21	40	89	92	59	39	-25	69	78	11	49	-	Na>Ca>Mg>>K HCO ₃ >>Cl>>F
	RV-22	43	83	87	52	33	-30	83	88	9	57	-	Ca=Na>Mg>>K HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	RV-23*	47	119	117	90	68	1	24	64	57	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K Cl>>CO ₃ >SO ₄ >HCO ₃
	RV-24	29	-	-	-	-	-	129	124	42	COOL	COOL	Na>Ca>Mg>>K SO ₄ >HCO ₃ >Cl>>F
	RV-25*	56	114	113	85	63	-4	76	112	102	25	28	Na>>Ca>Mg>K Cl>>SO ₄ >CO ₃
	RV-26	40	89	92	59	39	-25	59	80	31	41	-	Na>Ca>Mg>>K HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	RV-27	37	-	-	-	-	-	54	71	17	53	-	Na>>Ca>Mg>>K HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	RV-29*	42	93	95	62	43	-22	81	104	62	30	46	Na>>Ca>Mg>K HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >Cl>>F
	RV-31	44	60	65	27	11	-49	79	102	62	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K>Mg SO ₄ >Cl>HCO ₃ >>F
	RV-32	83	45	53	13	-3	-61	163	148	57	93	-	Na>>Ca>>Mg=K HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >Cl>>F
	RV-33*	32	48	55	15	-0	-59	79	98	50	78	-	Na>>Ca>>Mg=K HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >Cl>CO ₃ >>F
	RV-34*	33	-	-	-	-	-	65	96	71	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>K HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >Cl>>CO ₃ >F

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RIVERSIDE COUNTY (Continued)	RV-35*	32	-	-	-	-	-	71	-	-	NONE	NONE
	RV-36	43	-	-	-	-	-	42	72	40	NONE	NONE
	RV-37	39	51	57	18	2	-56	52	85	63	NONE	NONE
	RV-38*	29	70	75	39	21	-40	114	137	105	27	33
	RV-39	32	-	-	-	-	-	74	76	Cool	Cool	
	RV-49*	30	117	116	89	67	-1	94	119	87	NONE	NONE
	RV-53	31	78	82	47	28	-34	-	-	-	NONE	NONE
	RV-54	32	55	62	23	7	-53	-	-	-	NONE	NONE
	RV-55	31	79	83	48	30	-33	-	-	-	NONE	NONE
	RV-59	45	97	98	67	47	-18	-	-	-	NONE	NONE
	RV-60	31	67	72	35	18	-43	-	-	-	NONE	NONE
	RV-61	31	60	65	27	11	-49	-	-	-</td		

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SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY (Continued)	SB-18	42	—	—	—	—	58	89	64	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>K HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ =Cl>>CO ₂ =F	
	SB-19*	31	88	91	57	38	—26	50	85	66	NONE	Na>>Ca>K>>Mg SO ₄ >>HCO ₃ >>F>Cl>CO ₃	
	SB-23	51	139	135	113	89	19	125	147	117	118	Na>>Ca>K>>Mg SO ₄ >>HCO ₃ >>Cl>>F	
	SB-24	90	134	130	107	83	14	127	146	109	128	Na>>Ca>K>>Mg SO ₄ >>HCO ₃ >>Cl>>F	
	SB-26	49	102	103	72	51	—14	—	—	NONE	NONE	Na>Ca SO ₄ >>CO ₃ >Cl	
	SB-30	41	39	47	7	—9	—65	—	—	NONE	NONE	Na>Ca SO ₄ >>CO ₃ >Cl	
	SB-36*	41	—	—	—	—	61	84	39	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >CO ₃ >>F	
SAN DIEGO COUNTY	SD-1*	29	108	108	79	58	—9	52	85	64	66	—	Na>>Ca>K>Mg SO ₄ >Cl=HCO ₃ >CO ₃ >>F
	SD-2	33	65	71	33	16	—45	—	—	NONE	NONE	Na>Ca SO ₄ >Cl>CO ₃	
	SD-3	27	97	98	67	47	—18	218	172	49	51	—	Ca>Na>Mg>K HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >Cl>>F
	SD-4*	59	141	136	115	90	20	56	100	111	68	66	Na>>K>Ca>Mg HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >Cl>>F
	SD-6	27	—	—	—	—	—	113	121	57	COOL	COOL	Na>Ca>Mg>>K SO ₄ >HCO ₃ >Cl>>F
	SD-15	26	92	94	61	42	—23	122	124	52	COOL	COOL	Na>Ca>Mg>>K SO ₄ >HCO ₃ >Cl>>F
	SD-16*	38	92	94	61	42	—23	60	101	101	46	46	Na>>K>Ca>Mg Cl>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >CO ₃ >F
	SD-18*	38	105	105	75	54	—12	54	93	89	COOL	COOL	Na>>K>Ca=Mg Cl>CO ₃ >F>HCO ₃
	SD-20	30	—	—	—	—	—	144	130	36	39	—	Ca>Na>Mg>>K HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	SD-21	31	79	83	48	30	—33	52	73	26	COOL	COOL	Na>Ca>Mg>>K Cl>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	SD-22	27	92	94	61	42	—23	78	92	32	51	—	Ca>Na>Mg>>K Cl>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	SD-23	27	96	97	66	46	—19	55	76	28	COOL	COOL	Na>Ca>Mg>>K HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	SD-24	27	83	87	52	33	—30	58	85	50	35	—	Na>Ca>Mg>>K Cl>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	SD-25	28	48	55	15	0	—59	77	94	39	40	—	Na>Ca>Mg>>K Cl>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	SD-27	36	112	111	83	62	—5	102	127	97	COOL	COOL	Na>>Mg>Ca>>K HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	SD-28	33	60	65	27	11	—49	113	140	118	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>K>>Mg Cl>>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	SD-29	28	180	168	159	130	56	31	65	43	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K>Mg Cl>>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	SD-30	28	60	65	27	11	—49	145	132	41	NONE	NONE	Ca>Na>>K Cl>>SO ₄ >HCO ₃ >>F
SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY	SJ-1	22	95	97	64	45	—20	75	72	—14	COOL	COOL	Mg>Ca>Na>>K HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >Cl>>CO ₃ >>F
	SJ-2	23	57	64	25	9	—51	104	116	57	COOL	COOL	Na>Ca>Mg>>K HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >Cl>>F
SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY	SL-1	39	117	115	88	66	—1	46	94	114	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>K>>Mg HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >Cl>>F
	SL-2	42	128	125	101	78	9	72	104	85	94	73	Na>>Ca>>K>>Mg Cl>SO ₄ >>HCO ₃ >>F
	SL-3	42	124	122	96	74	6	58	106	130	—	113	Na>>K>Ca>Mg HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >Cl>>CO ₃ >>F
	SL-4	31	—	—	—	—	—	95	121	90	30	39	Na>>Ca>Mg>K HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >Cl>>CO ₃ >>F

* Samples with 8.50 or more pH. In these samples, the dissociation of silicic acid may account for higher temperatures estimated from the quartz or chalcedony geothermometer relative to the Na-K-Ca geothermometer.

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Table 2. Summary of Estimated Geothermometer Temperatures and Type of Thermal Waters of California — Continued

COUNTY CODE NUMBER	RECENT SURFACE TEMP. (°C)	SILICA					Na-K-Ca	Mg CORRECTED	WATER TYPE				
		Conductive	Adiabatic	Chalcedony	α -Cristobalite	Amorphous							
		Na-K	Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)							
SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY (Continued)	SL-6	33	104	104	74	53	—12	42	87	99	66	62	Na>>Ca>K>Mg HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ =Cl>>CO ₃ >>F
	SL-7	38	113	112	84	62	—4	86	129	142	43	41	Na>>K=Ca>Mg HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	SL-11	38	111	111	82	61	—6	221	192	92	20	32	Na>Ca>Mg>K HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	SL-12	57	123	121	95	72	4	188	192	142	COOL	COOL	Na>>Mg>K=Ca HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	SL-13	37	89	92	59	39	—25	210	180	76	COOL	COOL	Na>Ca>Mg>>K HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ >Cl>>F
SANTA BARBARA COUNTY	SA-1	34	—	—	—	—	—	65	89	48	69	—	Na>>Ca>>Mg>>K SO ₄ >>Cl>HCO ₃ >>F
	SA-2	42	—	—	—	—	—	88	142	202	21	21	Na>>K>Ca>Mg Cl>HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ >>F
	SA-3	47	—	—	—	—	—	72	89	35	NONE	NONE	Na>Ca>>K=Mg SO ₄ =HCO ₃ >>Cl>>F
	SA-4	37	89	92	59	39	—25	42	75	50	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>Mg>K HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	SA-5	31	60	65	27	11	—4						

Table 2. Summary of Estimated Geothermometer Temperatures and Type of Thermal Waters of California — Continued

COUNTY CODE NUMBER	RECENT SURFACE TEMP. (°C)	SIUCA					Na-K-Ca				WATER TYPE		
							Conductive	Adiabatic	Chalcedony	α -Cristobalite	Amorphous		
							Na-K	Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)				
SISKIYOU COUNTY	SK-1*	29	101	102	71	50	-15	49	78	48	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K Cl>CO ₃ >SO ₄ >HCO ₃ >>>F
	SK-2	24	122	120	93	71	3	99	148	192	61	66	Na>>Ca>K>Mg Cl>HCO ₃ >>SO ₄
	SK-3	69	126	124	99	76	7	50	80	52	NONE	NONE	Na>Ca>>K>Mg Cl>SO ₄
	SK-4	28	-	-	-	-	-	96	112	61	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>K>Mg HCO ₃ >>Cl>>SO ₄
	SK-7	84	184	172	164	135	60	250	-	-	NONE	NONE	Mg>Na>>K SO ₄ >>Cl>>F
SOLANO COUNTY	SO-1	20	119	117	90	68	1	100	151	199	29	31	Na>>Ca>Mg>K Cl>HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ >>F
	SO-3	23	107	107	78	57	-9	73	-	-	NONE	NONE	Na>>Mg>>K>>Ca HCO ₃ >Cl>>SO ₄ >>F
SONOMA COUNTY	SN-2	100	188	175	168	139	64	308	203	39	COOL	COOL	Mg>>Ca>>Na>>K SO ₄ >>Cl
	SN-5	55	154	147	129	103	32	107	156	201	81	89	Na>>K>Ca>Mg HCO ₃ >>Cl>F>SO ₄
	SN-6*	31	140	135	114	89	19	198	162	48	17	-	Ca=Na>Mg>K HCO ₃ >>Cl>CO ₃ >>SO ₄ >>F
	SN-7	23	130	127	103	80	11	204	167	53	COOL	COOL	Na>Ca>Mg>K HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ >Cl>>F
	SN-8	29	129	126	101	78	10	192	184	111	57	59	Na>>Ca>K>Mg HCO ₃ >>Cl>>SO ₄
	SN-9*	21	123	121	95	72	4	214	193	104	34	41	Na>>Ca>K>Mg HCO ₃ >>Cl>SO ₄ >>CO ₃ >>F
	SN-10	46	117	116	89	67	-1	248	241	193	85	73	Na>>K>>Ca>Mg Cl>CO ₃ >SO ₄
	SN-12	44	134	130	107	83	14	125	155	144	124	120	Na>>K>Ca>>Mg Cl>HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ =F
	SN-13	28	-	-	-	-	-	86	118	103	COOL	COOL	Na>>Mg>K=Ca HCO ₃ >>Cl>SO ₄
STANISLAUS COUNTY	ST-1	23	78	82	47	28	-34	44	64	14	NONE	NONE	Ca>Na>>K SO ₄ >>Cl>>HCO ₃ >CO ₃ >F
TEHAMA COUNTY	TH-1	95	191	177	171	141	66	201	229	251	228	251	Na>>K>Ca>>Mg Cl>>SO ₄ >HCO ₃ >>F
	TH-2	96	166	156	142	115	43	198	223	229	221	227	Na>>K>Ca>>Mg Cl>>SO ₄ >HCO ₃
	TH-3	29	53	60	21	4	-55	44	119	276	42	58	Na>>K>>Ca>Mg Cl>>HCO ₃ >>CO ₃ >>F
	TH-4*	38	96	97	66	46	-19	49	79	49	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K Cl>>CO ₃ >SO ₄ >HCO ₃ >F
TULARE COUNTY	TU-1	43	116	115	87	65	-2	101	121	79	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K>>Mg Cl>SO ₄ >HCO ₃
	TU-4	22	128	125	100	77	8	104	125	86	57	67	Na>>Ca>>Mg>K HCO ₃ >Cl>>F>SO ₄
	TU-5	21	105	106	76	55	-11	199	159	40	47	-	Na=Ca>Mg>K HCO ₃ >>Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	TU-6	45	91	93	60	40	-24	145	139	56	129	-	Na>Ca>>K>Mg HCO ₃ >Cl>CO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
VENTURA COUNTY	VN-1	32	-	-	-	-	-	104	118	64	73	-	Na>>Ca>>Mg>K HCO ₃ =Cl>SO ₄ >>F
	VN-2*	42	97	98	67	47	-18	61	96	81	94	-	Na>>Ca>>K>Mg HCO ₃ >>Cl>SO ₄ >CO ₃ >F

* Samples with 8.50 or more pH. In these samples, the dissociation of silicic acid may account for higher temperatures estimated from the quartz or chalcedony geothermometer relative to the Na-K-Ca geothermometer.

Table 2. Summary of Estimated Geothermometer Temperatures and Type of Thermal Waters of California — Continued

COUNTY CODE NUMBER	RECENT SURFACE TEMP. (°C)	SIUCA					Na-K-Ca				WATER TYPE		
							Conductive	Adiabatic	Chalcedony	α -Cristobalite			
							Na-K	Na-K-Ca (%)	Na-K-Ca (%)				
VENTURA COUNTY (Continued)	VN-3	90	123	129	105	82	13	131	155	130	142	115	Na>>Ca>K>Mg Cl=SO ₄ >HCO ₃ >F
	VN-4	51	107	107	78	57	-9	116	138	106	109	106	Na>>Ca>>K>Mg Cl>HCO ₃ >SO ₄ >>F
	VN-5*	39	81	84	49	31	-32	57	98	98	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>K>Mg HCO ₃ >Cl>SO ₄ >CO ₃ >F
	VN-7	44	91	93	60	40	-24	50	77	42	NONE	NONE	Na>>Ca>>K HCO ₃ >>SO ₄ >Cl>>F

* Samples with 8.50 or more pH. In these samples, the dissociation of silicic acid may account for higher temperatures estimated from the quartz or chalcedony geothermometer relative to the Na-K-Ca geothermometer.

"Conductive" refers to the quartz saturation temperature assuming no steam loss during cooling (conductive cooling). "Adiabatic" refers to the quartz saturation temperature assuming maximum steam loss during cooling (adiabatic cooling). No correction has been made for dissociation of dissolved silica at high pH (7.0-8.5).

In the Na-K-Ca geothermometers, the concentrations of constituents are in molality. The data given in Table 1 are reported in mg/L and provisions for appropriate conversions are included in the GEOTHERM computer program from which the data were drawn (Rapport, 1982). The following computations for Na-K and Na-K-Ca geothermometers are used:

Type	Computation used
Na-K	$T^{\circ}\text{C} = \frac{1217}{\log(\text{Na}/\text{K}) + 1.483} - 273.15$
Na-K-Ca	$T^{\circ}\text{C} = \frac{1647}{\log(\text{Na}/\text{K}) + \beta * \log(\sqrt{\text{Ca}/\text{Na}}) + 2.24} - 273.15$

Magnesium is also one of the constituents in the thermal waters and therefore a correction for magnesium should be applied to the Na-K-Ca geothermometer. Details of the magnesium correction methods are described by Fournier and Potter II (1978), and Fournier (1979).

When the estimated temperature from the Na-K-Ca geothermometer is less than 70°C, the magnesium correction is not needed.

Use of the following magnesium correction computation is made only when Na-K-Ca estimated temperatures are above 70°C and when "R" values are between 5 and 50:

$$\Delta t_{mg} = a_1 - b_1 R + C_1 (\log R)^2 - d_1 \frac{(\log R)^2}{T} - e_1 \frac{(\log R)^2}{T^2} + f_1 \frac{(\log R)^3}{T^2}$$

Where: " Δt_{mg} " is the temperature converted in °C, which is to be subtracted from the respective estimated Na-K-Ca temperatures;

"R" is the percent Mg / (Mg + Ca + K) in equivalents; "T" is absolute temperature (°K), which is obtained by adding 273 to the respective Na-K-Ca estimated temperature;

$$\begin{aligned} a_1 &= 10.66; \\ b_1 &= 4.7415 \\ c_1 &= 325.867; \\ d_1 &= 1.0321 \times 10^5; \\ e_1 &= 1.9683 \times 10^7; \text{ and} \\ f_1 &= 1.6053 \times 10^7. \end{aligned}$$

In cases where the estimated temperatures for the Na-K-Ca geothermometer are above 70°C and "R" values are less than 5, then the following computation for magnesium correction is used:

$$\Delta t_{mg} = -a_2 + b_2 (\log R) + c_2 (\log R)^2 - d_2 \frac{(\log R)^2}{T} - e_2 \frac{(\log R)}{T^2}$$

Where:

$$\begin{aligned} a_2 &= 1.029-95; \\ b_2 &= 59.97116; \\ c_2 &= 145.049; \end{aligned}$$

*If the number obtained from the $\log(\sqrt{\text{Ca}/\text{Na}})$ calculation is negative, use $\beta = 1/3$; If the number is positive, use $\beta = 4/3$.

$$\begin{aligned} d_2 &= 36711.6; \text{ and} \\ e_2 &= 1.67516 \times 10^7 \end{aligned}$$

In either case, if the corrected computation comes to a negative value, the correction is not applied to the Na-K-Ca geothermometer estimated value.

When the "R" value is less than 0.5, no magnesium correction is calculated and "NONE" is written.

When the "R" value is greater than 50, the water is interpreted as "COOL" and the measured temperature is likely to be more valid than the calculated Na-K-Ca temperature.

When the "R" value is found to be between 0.5 and 50, the geothermometer temperature is considered to be too high and will require reduction by the appropriate correction.

The Mg-corrected estimated temperatures for Na-K-Ca (1/3) and Na-K-Ca (4/3) geothermometer should be used, wherever available, instead of non-corrected Na-K-Ca (1/3) and Na-K-Ca (4/3) temperatures.

WATER TYPE

Water type given in Table 2 for each of the analyzed springs and wells is calculated on the "weight" basis. The following is an explanation of the symbols and procedure of calculation used for determining the water type. In the explanation the symbols "A" and "B" are substituted for various cations and anions:

A = B meaning "A" approximately equals "B" in concentrations;

A ≥ B meaning "A" is 1 to 1.2 times the concentration of "B";

A > B meaning "A" is 1.2 to 3 times the concentration of "B";

A > > B meaning "A" is 3 to 10 times the concentration of "B"; and

A > > > B meaning "A" is more than 10 times the concentration of "B".

The waters of thermal springs and wells shown on this map have been grouped into five main classes by comparing the relative concentrations of chemical constituents in waters (Table 3). The classes are named after the dominant cation and anion present in the water. To consider the dominance of a cation or anion, the mg/L values of the constituents were converted to milliequivalents per liter (meq/L) or equivalent parts per million (ppm). When a cation or anion is present in 50 percent or more in quantity, that water is assigned to the class named after that cation and anion. The term "mixed" is used to describe the water where no one cation or anion dominates (Table 1a).

STATISTICAL SUMMARIES

The statewide statistical summary of the chemical characteristics of the thermal springs and wells of California is given in Table 3. This table lists the number of thermal springs and wells of each class that occurs in each geomorphic/geologic/geochimical province. The main classes of water present in California thermal springs and wells are sodium-chloride, sodium-bicarbonate, sodium-sulfate, magnesium-bicarbonate, and others. The "others" class is further divided into the subclasses magnesium-sulfate, calcium-chloride, calcium-bicarbonate, calcium-sulfate, sodium-mixed anions, calcium-mixed anions, mixed cations-chloride, mixed cations-bicarbonate, mixed cations-sulfate, and mixed cations-mixed anions.

Due to the complexity of the geochemical relations, it is very

Table 3. Statewide Statistical Summary of the Chemical Characteristics of the Thermal Waters of California.

GEOMORPHIC/GEOLOGIC /GEOCHEMICAL PROVINCES OF CALIFORNIA	GREAT VALLEY OF CALIFORNIA						SIERRA NEVADA			CASCADE RANGE		MODOC PLATEAU		KLAMATH MOUNTAINS		COAST RANGES		TRANSVERSE RANGES		PENINSULAR RANGES (+LA Basin)			COLORADO DESERT		MOJAVE DESERT		BASIN RANGES		ALL THERMAL SPRINGS AND WELLS	
	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number	Total Number		
Thermal Springs	1	34	17	19	2	98	17	22	11	8	61	290	44.4																	
Thermal Wells	2	17	1	19	--	34	14	64	150	35	27	363	55.6	100%																
Nonanalyzed Springs/Wells	1	16	7	25	--	34	10	17	25	2	22	159	24.4																	
Partially Analyzed Springs and Wells	--	2	--	--	--	2	--	12	5	11	33	50	5.0	100%																
Analyzed Springs/Wells	2	33	11	13	2	96	21	57	131	30	65	461	70.6																	
CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS																														
1. Sodium Chloride	1	12	6	1	1	30	2	10	87	14	7	171	37.1																	
2. Sodium Bicarbonate	1	15	1	2	--	33	7	9	24	1	23	116	25.2																	
3. Sodium Sulfate	--	--	--	9	1	3	7	2	3	5	8	38	8.2																	
4. Magnesium Bicarbonate	--	--	--	--	--	7	--	1	--	--	--	8	0.7																	
5. Others																														
a. Magnesium Sulfate	--	--	1	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	1	0.7																	
b. Calcium Chloride	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	0.2																	
c. Calcium Bicarbonate	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	0.9	100%																
d. Calcium Sulfate	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	0.2																	
e. Sodium-Mixed Anions	--	5	--	--	--	6	3	10	17	9	21	71	15.4																	
f. Calcium-Mixed Anions	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	0.2																	
g. Mixed Cations-Chloride	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--	1	0.9																	
h. Mixed Cations-Bicarbonate	--	1	--	1	--	8	--	9	--	--	--	19	4.0																	
i. Mixed Cations-Sulfate	--	--	3	--	--	5	1	3	--	--	--	1	2.8																	
j. Mixed Cations-Mixed Anions	--	--	--	--	--	2	--	7	--	--	--	9	2.0																	

Table 4. Ranges used for the Convenience of Discussion of Tables 5 through 8.

BORON (mg/L)	TEMPERATURE (°C)	pH	TOTAL DISSOLVED SOLIDS (mg/L)
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difficult to compare the various waters* in relation to geology. The detailed geology of each locality is reflected to some extent in the types of waters found there. The water source in special cases, like structurally complex fault zones or structurally simple clastic marine sediments, can make great differences in the chemical content of the waters. Without doubt, the structurally chaotic Franciscan terrane issues very unusual waters, especially from serpentinite and its related rocks.

A general relationship between the composition of waters and the minerals present in the rocks in contact with the waters is to be expected. This relationship may be simple or complex, depending on various factors such as whether or not the aquifer receives direct recharge by rainfall, whether water is being discharged without contacting any other aquifer, whether there is influence from one or more interconnected aquifers of different composition, and whether chemical reactions such as cation exchange, adsorption of dissolved ions, or biological influences take place. Thus, composition of the water can be related to the lithology in the area in which a spring or well occurs and its constituents are most likely derived from the solution of minerals in rocks and soils. These constituents are dissolved silica and the cations. The anions in rainfall are also balanced by the cations, for example H^+ . For the most part, the constituent anions may have been derived from nonlithologic sources. The common example of such a nonlithologic derivation is the bicarbonate. The bicarbonate present in most waters is derived mainly from carbon dioxide of the air which has been extracted and liberated in the soil by biochemical activities. Chloride and sulfate are derived through the direct solution of some of the rocks. Atmospheric chloride influences the anion content in many waters. The circulation of sulfate is greatly influenced by biologically triggered oxidation and reduction.

The above discussion about the sources of the anions is generally for dilute waters. The geothermal waters with higher concentrations of CO_2 ($HCO_3^- + H_2CO_3$) must be generated from unspecified sources at depth, either in the lower crust or possibly in the upper mantle. It is quite possible that due to weathering processes, CO_2 may be generated at relatively shallow depths.

Barnes and others (1981) have discussed the geochemical evidence, based on the chemistry of the thermal waters, for the nature of the basement rocks of the Sierra Nevada. They have given an account of the work done by others on the relationships between the chemistry of thermal waters and the lithology. The evidence for the nature of the unexposed rocks at depth in the Sierra Nevada and Klamath mountains is supplied by the chemical and isotopic composition of the waters collected from the thermal springs. Heat production by radioactive decay in the granitic rocks of the Sierra Nevada is high relative to heat flow (Lachenbruch, 1968; Lachenbruch and Sass, 1977; both cf. Barnes and others, 1981). This suggests that less heat production is taking place in the rocks underlying the granitic batholith, which, in turn, suggests that the chemical composition of the rocks of the Sierra Nevada changes with depth.

From this study, Barnes and others (1981) concluded that the carbon dioxide-rich waters of the Sierra Nevada required nongranitic rocks at some depth in the batholith to explain their chemical characteristics. That nongranitic rocks may be present at depth in the batholith is suggested by the fact that igneous rocks intrude metamorphic rocks originating from marine sediments. All the carbon isotope data indicate that the CO_2 is from a deep source, possibly the mantle. Chloride, bromide, iodide, boron, and ammonia concentrations also show that metamorphic rocks of a marine clastic origin exist at depth.

*Some authors prefer to use the word "fluids" for geothermal waters. For the sake of simplicity, we have used the word "waters" throughout the text. The term "fluids" includes the gas and liquid phases and the supercritical state of water.

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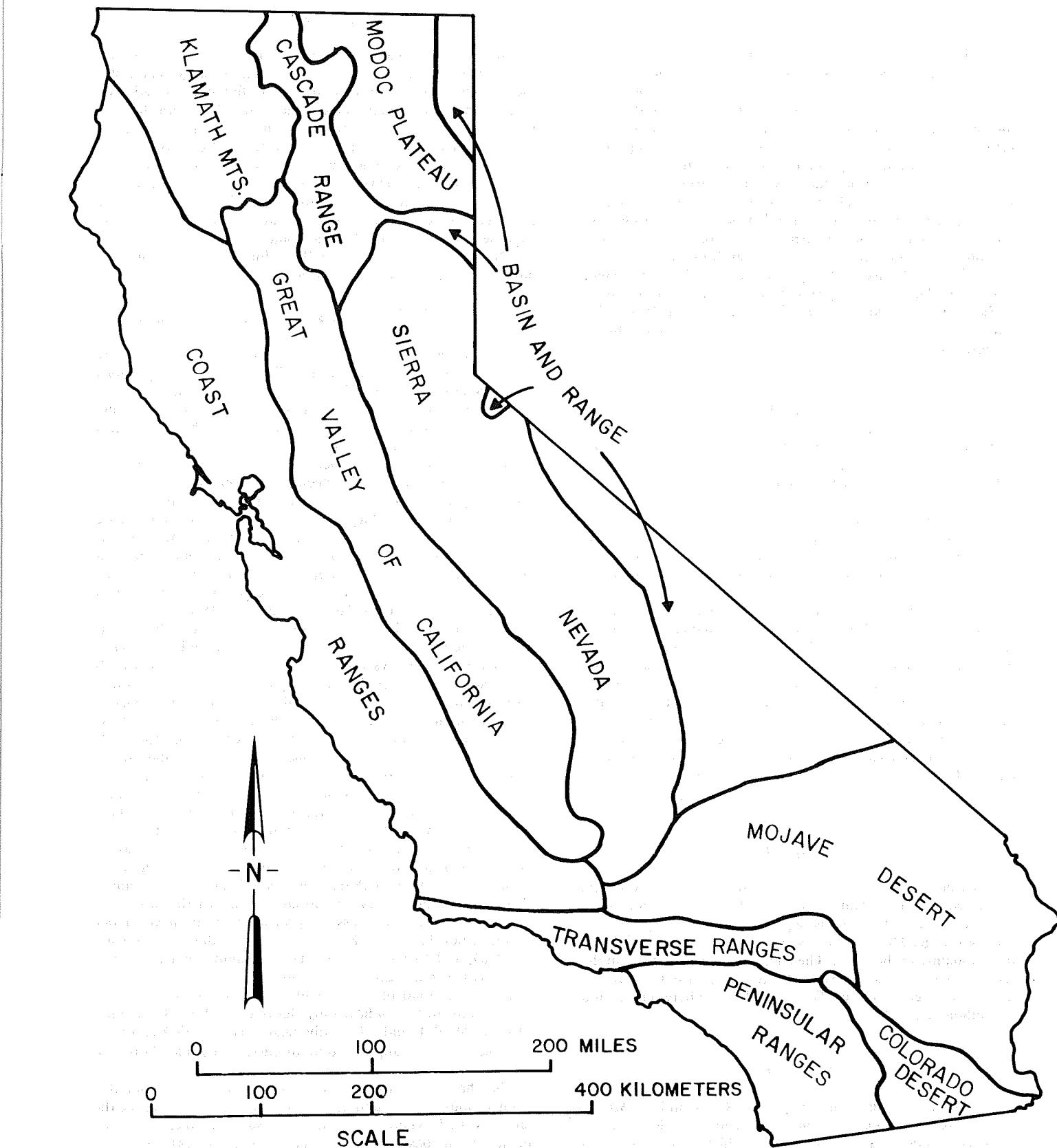


Figure 4. Geomorphic/geologic/geochanical provinces of California.

Group I

The Sierra Nevada province contains large numbers of plutons of various sizes, shapes, and mineralogic and petrologic compositions. Overlying these granitic rocks are various volcanic rocks, dominantly andesitic on the western slopes and rhyolitic to basaltic on the eastern slopes. Sedimentary and metamorphic rocks occur on the western slopes and metamorphic rocks appear as both large and small roof pendants throughout the plutons. The Klamath Mountains province contains metavolcanic and metasedimentary rocks of Paleozoic age, serpentinite of pre-Cretaceous age, granitic rocks of Paleozoic and Mesozoic age, and Triassic and Jurassic sedimentary and volcanic rocks. Serpentinite is not present in the Peninsular Ranges of southern California. The Peninsular Ranges province, on the other hand, does contain large areas of pegmatites, which are not present in the Sierra Nevada and the Klamath Mountains. The Peninsular Ranges are made up of granitic rocks intruded into older metamorphic rocks.

Group II

There is a belt of Jurassic to Cretaceous granitic rocks in some parts of the Coast Ranges province west of the San Andreas fault and east of the Sur-Nacimiento faults. The granitic rocks intrude schist, gneiss, and crystalline limestone of the Sur Series, the oldest rocks in the province. Other parts of the province contain Jurassic to Tertiary Franciscan rocks. The Coast Ranges province is divided into two parts, the northern and the southern Coast Ranges. The northern Coast Ranges province is dominated by Franciscan rocks and its eastern border is marked by Cretaceous strata of the Great Valley sequence. Volcanic cones and flow rocks of the Clear Lake area are some of the youngest rocks present. The southern Coast Ranges province is made up of a series of Cretaceous and Tertiary sedimentary strata, but includes areas with major exposures of Franciscan rocks and the Coast Ranges granitic belt. The southern Coast Ranges province has many characteristics similar to those of the Transverse Ranges province, which has one of the thickest Cenozoic sedimentary sections in the world. The large oil and gas fields of the state of California are grouped into these two provinces—the southern Coast Ranges and the Transverse Ranges.

Group III

This group is made up of only one province, the Great Valley, which also has important oil and gas deposits in sedimentary rocks of Tertiary age and gas deposits in sedimentary rocks of Cretaceous age. This province is an alluvial basin with oil fields located mainly in the south. The Sacramento Valley plain in the north is interrupted by the Sutter Buttes, which are the remnants of an isolated group of late Tertiary volcanoes between 1.5 and 2.5 million years old.

Group IV

This group is made up of the Cascade Range and the Modoc Plateau provinces, both of which are Cenozoic volcanic provinces. The Modoc Plateau is made up of thick accumulations of lava flows and tuff beds with many small volcanic cones. Conversely, the Cascade Range is dominated by a chain of large volcanic cones.

Group V

This group is made up of three provinces, the Colorado Desert, the Mojave Desert, and the Basin and Range. The Colorado Desert province is made up of an alluvium covered low-lying desert basin which includes the Salton Sea. Both the Mojave Desert and Basin and Range are made up of mountainous desert regions with distinct geologic features. Precambrian sedimentary and metemorphic rocks occur in these provinces as well as Paleozoic to Cenozoic sedimentary and volcanic rocks and Precambrian to Mesozoic granitic rocks. The Mojave Desert province is made up of isolated mountain ranges separated by expanses of desert plains. The Basin and Range province is largely a Nevada province, lying wholly within the Great Basin with only peripheral sections in California.

Chemical Characteristics of the Provinces

The distribution of analyzed thermal springs and wells by water type and province are given in Table 3. The upper portions of the table show the number of thermal springs and wells by province and the number analyzed. Of all the geothermal occurrences shown on the present map, 44.4% (or 290) are springs and 55.6% (or 363) are wells.

The principle classes of thermal waters found in California include sodium-chloride (171 occurrences equaling 37.1% of the total analyzed thermal springs and wells), sodium-bicarbonate (116 occurrences equaling 25.2% of the total). Sodium-sulfate (38 occurrences equaling 8.5% of the total), and magnesium-bicarbonate (8 occurrences equaling 1.7% of the total). The fifth class shown as "others" combines ten subclasses (128 occurrences equaling 27.8% of the total). The number of occurrences and percent for each subclass is given in Table 3.

There are six "mixed" subclasses in the "others" class. Considering the highest "epm" value of the cation and/or anion in question further analysis of each of these mixed subclasses follows. Note that this highest epm figure of the cation/anion is always lower than 50% of the total of all cations or anions.

In the sodium-mixed anions subclass, 38 springs and wells have higher bicarbonate (53.5%), 24 higher chloride (33.8%), and 9 higher sulfate (12.7%) anions present. The calcium-mixed anions subclass has only one well with higher bicarbonate anions. In the mixed cations-chloride subclass, all 4 wells have higher sodium anions. In the mixed cation-bicarbonate subclass, 7 springs and wells have higher sodium (36.8%), 6 higher calcium (31.6%), and 6 higher magnesium (31.6%) cations present. In the mixed cations-sulfate subclass, 8 springs and wells have higher sodium (61.5%), 3 higher calcium (23.1%) and 2 higher magnesium (15.4%) cations present. In the mixed cations-mixed anions subclass, 3 springs and wells have higher sodium-chloride (33.3%), 3 higher sodium-bicarbonate (33.3%), and 1 each (11.1%) higher sodium-sulfate, calcium-chloride, and magnesium-sulfate present.

Out of the total of 33 partially analyzed springs and wells (5.0% of the total), 24 have only chloride (73.0%), 8 have only cations (24.0%), and 1 has only bicarbonate (3.0%) reported.

Table 4 lists the ranges used for discussion of Tables 5 through 8.

The chemical analyses of the thermal waters are compiled from various sources and are of various dates. Selection of the analyses used, where more than one was available, was made mainly on the basis of recency and/or completeness. The accuracy of the analytical methods used were, in most cases, never stated in referenced publications. Each analysis was utilized for statistical computation although a few appeared to be non-

Table 5. Statistical comparison of Boron content (in mg/L) with chemical characteristic of thermal water by provinces

PROVINCE	SIERRA NEVADA			CASCADE RANGE			MODOC PLATEAU			COAST RANGES			TRANSVERSE RANGES		
CHARACTERISTIC OF THERMAL WATER	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN
Sodium Chloride	0.70-8.80	4.66	3.50	15.00-88.00	53.00	51.50	---	---	---	0.29-400.00	93.00	13.00	2.40-400.00	133.00	51.00
Sodium Bicarbonate	0.20-11.00	2.64	0.70	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.10-828.00	84.95	2.50	1.30-828.00	141.00	33.50
Sodium Sulfate	---	---	---	---	---	---	1.30-4.50	3.04	3.00	0.68-13.00	4.90	3.50	0.10-3.50	1.51	0.25
Magnesium Bicarbonate	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.10-23.00	5.14	0.16	0.10-23.00	7.57	0.91
Calcium Bicarbonate	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.10-0.40	0.30	0.38	---	---	---

Table 5. Statistical comparison of Boron content (in mg/L) with chemical characteristic of thermal water by province (Continued)

characteristic for the specific region. Thus, the mean may be larger or smaller than the median. "Mean" is the arithmetic average of a group of samples; "median" is a measure of central tendency, being the value which is less than the value observed in 50% of the cases and greater than the value observed in 50% of the cases. From the statistical point of view, the median values should represent the correct generalization of a group of values because it is relatively insensitive to the presence of one or two very large or very small values.

Sodium-chloride type water is considered associated with geothermal activity. In California, this type of water contains relatively high concentrations of sodium, chloride, and boron ions.

The sodium-bicarbonate type water contains high concentrations of sodium and bicarbonate ions with moderate amounts of chloride ions. Boron is present in the same proportions as in sodium-chloride type waters. Sodium-sulfate type water contains high concentrations of sodium and sulfate with moderate amounts of chloride ions and smaller amounts of bicarbonate ions. Magnesium-bicarbonate type water contains high concentrations of magnesium and bicarbonate with only moderate amounts of sodium and chloride ions.

Tables 5 through 8 list the statistical data by province.

As two provinces, the Great Valley and the Klamath Mountains, have only two analyzed water samples, these provinces are not considered in the listings and discussions of Tables 5 through 8.

Table 5 lists the statistical comparison of chemical characteristics and the boron content by province. Figure 5 shows boron content in thermal waters by province. All the values given for boron are in mg/L.

In the Sierra Nevada province, two types of thermal waters are present, the sodium-chloride and the sodium-bicarbonate types. Both types of waters have low boron contents. In the Cascade Range province only the sodium-chloride type of thermal water is present, which has high boron contents. In the Modoc Plateau province also, only the sodium-sulfate type of thermal water is present, which has low boron content. The Coast Ranges province has four types of thermal waters: sodium-chloride type¹ has medium to high boron content (higher boron content in the northern and medium in the southern Coast Ranges); sodium-bicarbonate type² has low to medium boron content (higher boron content in the northern and low in the southern Coast Ranges); and sodium-sulfate and magnesium-bicarbonate types have low boron contents. In the Transverse Range province, there are two types of thermal waters, sodium-bicarbonate and sodium-sulfate; both have low boron content. The Peninsular Ranges province has four types of thermal waters: sodium-chloride type, sodium-bicarbonate type, sodium-sulfate type, and calcium-bicarbonate type; all have low boron content. The Colorado Desert, Mojave Desert, and Basin and Range provinces have three types of thermal waters: sodium-chloride type, sodium-bicarbonate type, and sodium-sulfate type. In the Colorado Desert province, the sodium-chloride type³ has low to high boron content; the sodium-bicarbonate and sodium-sulfate types have low boron content. In the Mojave Desert province, the sodium-chloride and the sodium-bicarbonate types have low boron content; the sodium-sulfate type⁴ has low to high boron content. In the Basin and Range province, the sodium-chloride type has medium boron content; the sodium-bicarbonate type

has low to medium boron content; and the sodium-sulfate type has low boron content.

Table 6 lists the statistical comparison of chemical characteristics and temperatures by province. All the figures given are in degrees Celsius (°C). In the Sierra Nevada province, two types of thermal waters are present, sodium-chloride and sodium-bicarbonate types. Both types of water are moderately warm. Only the sodium-chloride type of thermal water is present in the Cascade Range province, which shows high temperatures. The Modoc Plateau province also has only sodium-sulfate type of thermal water present which also shows high temperatures. Of the four types of thermal waters in the Coast Ranges province, the sodium-chloride and magnesium-bicarbonate types are warm to moderately warm in temperature (including northern and southern Coast Ranges province) and sodium-bicarbonate and sodium-sulfate types are moderately warm in temperatures (including the northern and southern Coast Ranges). Both types of thermal waters in the Transverse Ranges, the sodium-bicarbonate and the sodium-sulfate, are moderately warm. Of the four types of thermal waters in the Peninsular Ranges province, the sodium-chloride and sodium-sulfate types are moderately warm, the sodium-bicarbonate type warm to moderately warm, and the calcium-bicarbonate type warm in temperature. Of the three types of thermal waters in the Colorado Desert, the Mojave Desert, and the Basin and Range provinces, the sodium-chloride type is moderately warm to hot, warm to moderately warm, and high in temperatures, respectively. The sodium-bicarbonate type of water is moderately warm in all the provinces. The sodium-sulfate type of water is warm in temperature in the Colorado Desert, moderately warm in the Mojave Desert, and high in the Basin and Range province.

Table 7 lists the statistical comparison of chemical characteristics and pH by province.

A 5% solution of pure sodium-chloride at 25°C gives 6.00 pH (slightly acidic). A 5% solution of pure sodium-bicarbonate at 25°C gives 9.00 pH (moderately basic). A 5% solution of sodium-sulfate at 25°C gives 7.80 pH (slightly basic). There is no pure compound like magnesium-bicarbonate available on the market, but a 5% solution at 25°C should be slightly acidic because magnesium hydroxide is a slightly weaker base than carbonic acid is an acid. In nature, the thermal waters behave differently. White and others (1963, Table 19) have reported a water having 20,000 mg/L Cl and pH of 0.40. Other pH values reported by White for chloride waters range from 1.70 to 3.20. At the other extreme, a small nonthermal spring in north-central California (Aqua de Ney) had 7,200 mg/L Cl and a pH of 11.60 (Feth, J.H., and others, 1961). Barnes and others (1972, p. 265) have reported 18,000 mg/L Cl and 12.07 pH for Complexion Spring, Lake County.

Similar abnormal situations also exist in sodium-bicarbonate, sodium-sulfate, magnesium-bicarbonate, and calcium-bicarbonate waters. This can easily explain some of the abnormal pH values in range/mean/median listings of Table 7.

Table 8 lists the statistical comparison of chemical characteristics and total dissolved solids (TDS) by province. All the figures given for total dissolved solids are in mg/L. In the Sierra Nevada province, two types of thermal waters are present, the sodium-chloride and the sodium-bicarbonate. Both the types of

¹ 37% (11 samples) of the analyses have a range of 59-400 mg/L B, and 63% (19 samples) have 0.29-50 mg/L B. Considering these two ranges as separate populations, the mean and median in the first range are 224.82 and 144.75; the same in the second range are 11.87 and 5.38 mg/L B respectively.

² 22% (9 samples) of the analyses have a range of 80-828 mg/L B, and 78% (32 samples) have 0.1 - 17 mg/L B. Considering these two ranges as separate populations, the mean and median in the first range are 365.22 and 151; the same in the second range are 3.47 and 1.17 mg/L B respectively.

³ 13% (8 samples) of the analyses have a range of 50-514 mg/L B and 87% (55 samples) have 0.2 - 13 mg/L B. Considering these two ranges as separate populations, the mean and median in the first range are 226.75 and 151.00; and the same in the second range are 3.84 and 1.83 mg/L B respectively.

⁴ One sample has 410 mg/L B, while the rest of the three samples range between 0.5 and 1.3. Because of a very high value of 410, the mean is 103.28 as opposed to only 1.30 mg/L B median.

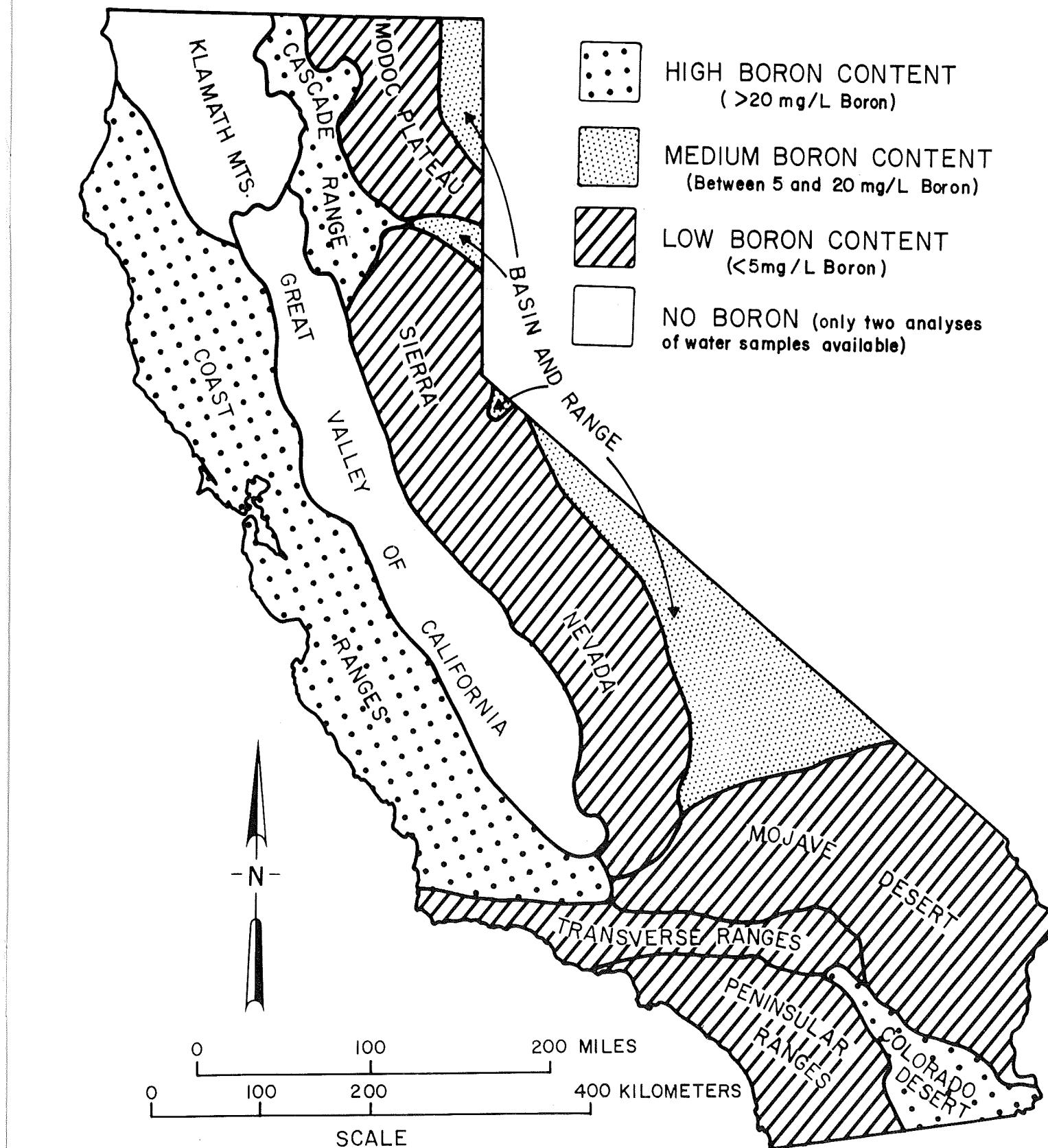


Figure 5. Boron content in thermal waters by province.

Table 6. Statistical comparison of temperature (in °C) with chemical characteristic of thermal water by province

PROVINCE	SIERRA NEVADA			CASCADE RANGE			MODOC PLATEAU			COAST RANGES			TRANSVERSE RANGES		
CHARACTERISTIC OF THERMAL WATER	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN
Sodium Chloride	30-94	50	40	24-96	66	75	---	---	---	20-95	39	23	---	---	---
										20-95	42	31			
										20-90	37	24			
Sodium Bicarbonate	21-89	40	34	---	---	---	---	---	---	21-99	37	30	31-48	46	43
										21-99	38	25			
										21-62	36	32			
Sodium Sulfate	---	---	---	---	---	---	27-107	73	66	23-37	31	33	28-90	47	45
										23-37	31	33			
Magnesium Bicarbonate	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	22-52	32	23			
										22-52	33	27			
										22-37	30	30			
Calcium Bicarbonate	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---			

Table 6. Statistical comparison of temperature (in °C) with chemical characteristic of thermal water by province. (Continued)

Table 7. Statistical Comparison of pH with chemical characteristic of thermal water by province.

Table 7. Statistical Comparison of pH with chemical characteristic of thermal water by province. (Continued)

PROVINCE	PENINSULAR RANGES (Including LA Basin)			COLORADO DESERT			MOJAVE DESERT			BASIN RANGE		
CHARACTERISTIC OF THERMAL WATER	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN
Sodium Chloride	7.10-9.80	8.15	7.00	4.64-9.50	7.71	7.84	7.20-9.00	7.78	7.49	7.20-9.31	8.20	7.99
Sodium Bicarbonate	7.30-10.10	8.67	7.67	7.60-9.20	8.27	8.49	7.60-7.90	7.75	7.45	2.20-9.32	7.59	6.77
Sodium Sulfate	7.00-9.30	7.90	7.45	7.50-7.70	7.63	7.70	7.60-9.20	8.33	8.50	7.40-9.00	8.16	8.50
Magnesium Bicarbonate	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	--	--	---	---	---
Calcium Bicarbonate	7.10-8.40	7.60	7.49	---	---	---	---	--	--	---	---	---

Table 8. Statistical comparison of total dissolved solids (in mg/L) with chemical characteristic of thermal water by province.

PROVINCE	SIERRA NEVADA			CASCADE RANGE			MODOC PLATEAU			COAST RANGES			TRANSVERSE RANGES					
CHARACTERISTIC OF THERMAL WATER	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	ALL COAST RANGES KEY NORTHERN RANGES SOUTHERN RANGES	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN		
Sodium Chloride	300-1550	893	875	270-20,490	4,932	10,380	---	---	---	440-34,350 610-34,350 440-16,090	8,225 10,617 4,238	2,550 4,001 4,001	---	---	---	---	---	---
Sodium Bicarbonate	125-2000	522	171	---	---	---	---	---	---	165-31,900 280-31,900 165-2,130	2,054 3,694 822	750 901 651	190-730	415	350	---	---	---
Sodium Sulfate	---	---	---	---	---	---	440-1180	784	750	460-26,250 460-26,250	5,804 5,804	1,300 1,300	350-1,680	857	699	---	---	---
Magnesium Bicarbonate	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	--	--	260-2,055 260-2,055 400-950	1,008 1,051 630	583 1,133 450	---	---	---	---	---	---
Calcium Bicarbonate	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	--	--	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	

Table 8. Statistical comparison of total dissolved solids (in mg/L) with chemical characteristic of thermal water by province. (Continued)

PROVINCE	PENINSULAR RANGES (Including LA Basin)			COLORADO DESERT			MOJAVE DESERT			BASIN RANGE		
CHARACTERISTIC OF THERMAL WATER	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN	RANGE	MEAN	MEDIAN
Sodium Chloride	310-7,725	1,487	967	280-399,900	20,118	1,790	320-4,540	1,459	1,200	198-53,450	8,602	1,500
Sodium Bicarbonate	100-4,350	683	225	170-2,330	1,119	1,075	180-3,010	902	399	200-91,800	3,836	850
Sodium Sulfate	300-940	1,160	950	1,865-15,240	7,605	8,553	450-21,340	3,821	1,000	220-3,040	999	863
Magnesium Bicarbonate	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	--	--	---	---	---
Calcium Bicarbonate	300-600	407	350	---	---	---	---	--	--	---	---	---

waters have low total dissolved solids. Only one type of thermal water, sodium-chloride type¹, is present in the Cascade Range province, which has high to very high content of total dissolved solids. In the Modoc Plateau province also, only one type of thermal water, sodium-sulfate type, is present, which has low content of total dissolved solids. The Coast Ranges province has four types of thermal waters: sodium-chloride type, sodium-bicarbonate type, sodium-sulfate type, and magnesium-bicarbonate type. The sodium-chloride² and sodium-sulfate³ types have medium to high content of total dissolved solids; sodium-bicarbonate⁴ has low to medium content of total dissolved solids and magnesium-bicarbonate has low content of total dissolved solids. In the Transverse Ranges province, there are two types of thermal waters: sodium-bicarbonate and sodium-sulfate, both have low content of total dissolved solids. The Peninsular Ranges province has four types of thermal waters: sodium-chloride, sodium-bicarbonate, sodium-sulfate, and calcium-bicarbonate types. The sodium-chloride and sodium-sulfate types of waters have low to medium content of total dissolved solids; sodium-and calcium-bicarbonate types of waters have low content of total dissolved solids. The Colorado Desert, Mojave Desert, and Basin and Range provinces have three types of thermal waters: sodium-chloride, sodium-bicarbonate, and sodium-sulfate types. In the Colorado Desert province, the sodium-chloride⁵ type has medium to very high content of total dissolved solids; the sodium-bicarbonate type has medium content of total dissolved solids; and the sodium-sulfate type has high content of total dissolved solids. In the Mojave Desert province, the sodium-chloride type has medium content of total dissolved solids; the sodium-bicarbonate type has low content of total dissolved solids; and the sodium-sulfate⁶ type has medium to high content of total dissolved solids. In the Basin and Range province, the sodium-chloride⁷ type also has medium to high content of total dissolved solids; and the sodium-bicarbonate⁸ type has low to high content of total dissolved solids; and the sodium-sulfate type has low content of total dissolved solids.

- d. The Transverse Ranges province has sodium-bicarbonate and sodium-sulfate types of thermal waters in equal proportions.
- e. The Transverse Ranges and the Coast Ranges provinces have sodium-bicarbonate type of thermal waters in comparable proportions.
- f. The Coast Ranges and the Peninsular Ranges provinces have more or less comparable proportions of the sodium-chloride and the sodium-bicarbonate type of thermal waters.

2. Boron

- a. Statewide, the sodium-chloride type of thermal waters has the highest boron content, followed by the sodium-bicarbonate and the sodium-sulfate types of thermal waters.
- b. High boron content is found mainly in the thermal waters of the Cascade Range, the Coast Ranges, and the Colorado Desert provinces.
- c. Medium boron content is found in the thermal waters of the Basin and Range province.
- d. Low boron content is found in the thermal waters of the Sierra Nevada, Modoc Plateau, Transverse Ranges, Peninsular Ranges, and Mojave Desert provinces.
- e. The sodium-chloride and the sodium-bicarbonate types of thermal waters in the Coast Ranges province have the highest boron content.

3. Temperature

(It is important to note that comments in this section refer to statistical comparisons and not to individual well or spring temperature such as those in the Colorado Desert province, which may be very high.)

- a. Statewide, the sodium-chloride type of thermal waters is the hottest along with the sodium-sulfate types.
- b. High temperatures are found in the thermal waters of the Cascade Range and the Modoc Plateau provinces.
- c. Moderately warm to very high temperatures are found in the thermal waters of the Sierra Nevada, the Colorado Desert, and the Basin and Range provinces.
- d. Moderately warm temperatures are found in the thermal waters of the Transverse Ranges province.
- e. Warm to moderately warm temperatures are found in the Coast Ranges, the Peninsular Ranges, and the Mojave Desert provinces.
- f. The sodium-chloride type of thermal waters in the Cascade Range and the Basin and Range provinces are higher in temperature; in the Sierra Nevada and the

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION ON CHEMISTRY OF THERMAL WATERS

1. Chemical Characteristics

- a. The Colorado Desert, the Cascade Range, and the Mojave Desert provinces have the highest proportions of the sodium-chloride type of thermal waters.
- b. The Sierra Nevada and the Basin and Range provinces have the highest proportions of the sodium-bicarbonate type of thermal waters.
- c. The Modoc Plateau province has the highest proportion of the sodium-sulfate type of thermal waters.

¹ 83% (5 samples) of the analyses have a range of 270-4540 mg/L TDS and only 1 sample (17%) has 20490 mg/L TDS. Because of this very high value, the mean is 4932 as opposed to 10380 median. The mean and median of the range 270-4540 are 2578 and 1875 mg/L TDS.

² 50% (16 samples) of the analyses have a range of 3170-34350 mg/L TDS, and 50% (16 samples) have 440-2610 mg/L TDS. Considering these two ranges as separate populations, the mean and median in the first range are 15161 and 13001, and the same in the second range are 1288 and 901 mg/L TDS respectively.

³ 83% (5 samples) of the analyses have a range of 460-3055 mg/L TDS, and only 1 sample (17%) has 26250 mg/L TDS. Because of this very high value, the mean is 5804 as opposed to 1300 median. The mean and median of the range 460-3055 are 1715 and 751 mg/L TDS.

⁴ 12% (5 samples) of the analyses have a range of 4820-31900 mg/L TDS, and 88% (38 samples) have 165-2660 mg/L TDS. Considering these two ranges as separate populations, the mean and median in the first range are 10006 and 4750, and the same in the second range are 860 and 501 mg/L TDS respectively.

⁵ 6% (6 samples) of the analyses have a range of 153430-399900 mg/L TDS; 26% (26 samples) have 3090-93270 mg/L TDS; and 68% (69 samples) have 280-2850 mg/L TDS. Considering these three ranges as separate populations, the mean and median in the first range are 266027 and 225001; in the second, they are 12720 and 4501; and in the third, they are 1522 and 1411 mg/L TDS respectively.

⁶ 86% (6 samples) of the analyses have a range of 450-1520 mg/L TDS and only 1 sample (14%) has 21340 mg/L TDS. Because of this very high value, the mean is 3821 as opposed to 1000 median. The mean and median of the range 450-1520 are 902 and 801 mg/L TDS.

⁷ 27% (3 samples) of the analyses have a range of 10980-53450 mg/L TDS and 73% (8 samples) have 198-2150 mg/L TDS. Considering these two ranges as separate populations, the mean and median in the first range are 28510 and 15000; and in the second 1137 and 751 mg/L TDS respectively.

⁸ 14% (5 samples) of the analyses have a range of 3010-5460 mg/L TDS; 33% (12 samples) have 1000-1930 mg/L TDS; 50% (18 samples) have 200-965 mg/L TDS; and 1 sample (3%) has 91800 mg/L TDS. Considering all these ranges as separate populations, the mean and median in the first range are 4115 and 3276; and for the second and third ranges are 1372 and 1051, and 513 and 351 mg/L TDS respectively.

Colorado Desert provinces temperatures are moderately warm to high; in the Coast Ranges, the Peninsular Ranges, and the Mojave Desert provinces temperatures are warm to moderately warm.

- g. The sodium-bicarbonate type of thermal waters in all the provinces is moderately warm in temperature.
- h. The sodium-sulfate type of thermal waters is higher in temperature in the Basin and Range and the Modoc Plateau provinces; and moderately warm in the Transverse Ranges, the Mojave Desert, the Peninsular Ranges, and the Coast Ranges provinces.

4. pH

- a. Statewide, the sodium-chloride type of thermal waters is slightly basic; the sodium-bicarbonate type moderately basic; the sodium-sulfate type slightly to moderately basic; and the magnesium-bicarbonate type slightly acidic to neutral in nature.
- b. Neutral to slightly basic sodium-chloride type of thermal waters is present in the Cascade Range, the Coast Ranges, and the Mojave Desert provinces; neutral to moderately basic in the Peninsular Ranges province; slightly basic in the Colorado Desert province; slightly to moderately basic in the Sierra Nevada and the Basin and Range provinces; and moderately basic in the Transverse Ranges province.
- c. Slightly acidic to neutral sodium-bicarbonate type of thermal waters is present in the Coast Ranges province; neutral to slightly basic in the Sierra Nevada, the Mojave Desert, and the Basin Range provinces; slightly to moderately basic in the Peninsular Ranges province; and moderately basic in the Transverse Ranges and the Colorado Desert provinces.
- d. Neutral sodium-sulfate type of thermal waters is present in the Coast Ranges province; neutral to slightly basic in the Transverse Ranges province; slightly basic in the Peninsular Ranges province; slightly basic to moderately basic in the Modoc Plateau province; and moderately basic in the Colorado Desert, the Mojave Desert, and the Basin and Range provinces.

5. Total Dissolved Solids

- a. Statewide, the sodium-chloride type of thermal waters has the highest TDS, followed by the sodium-sulfate and the sodium-bicarbonate types of thermal waters.
- b. High TDS content is present in the thermal waters of the Colorado Desert province; medium in the Cascade Range, the Coast Ranges, the Mojave Desert, and the Basin and Range provinces; and low in the Sierra Nevada, the Modoc Plateau, the Peninsular Ranges, and the Transverse Ranges provinces.
- c. The sodium-sulfate type of thermal waters in the Colorado Desert province has the highest TDS content.
- d. The sodium-chloride and the sodium-sulfate types of thermal waters in the Coast Ranges have medium to high TDS content.
- e. The sodium-chloride type of thermal waters in the Cascade Range, the Colorado Desert, and the Mojave Desert provinces has medium TDS content.
- f. The sodium-bicarbonate type of thermal waters in the Colorado Desert province has medium TDS content.
- g. The sodium-chloride type of thermal waters in the Peninsular Ranges and the Basin and Range provinces, the sodium-bicarbonate type in the Coast Ranges and Basin and Range provinces, and the so-

dium-sulfate type in the Peninsular Ranges have low to moderate TDS content.

- h. The sodium-chloride type of thermal waters in the Sierra Nevada province, the sodium-bicarbonate type in the Sierra Nevada, the Transverse Ranges, Peninsular Ranges, and the Mojave Desert provinces, and the sodium-sulfate type in the Modoc Plateau, the Transverse Ranges, the Mojave Desert, and Basin and Range provinces have low TDS content.

In conclusion, although these general findings concerning the provincial distribution of thermal water types seem to hold up, based in many instances on meager evidence, there are exceptions. Other factors, such as depth of percolating water and local rock type, are much more influential in the determination of the specific character of water than the province relationships that are shown. At this time, the evidence does not appear conclusive as to the regional significance of the water characteristics described. These records reflect their existence and may serve as a guide to geothermal resource areas with waters having specific characteristics. Subsequent observations may clarify the influence of local lithology and other factors on water chemistry.

CONCLUSIONS

The "Technical Map of the Geothermal Resources of California" has brought together for the first time, in a single source, statewide information on the geochemistry of geothermal resources and the relationship of the resource occurrences to young volcanic rocks and faulting, as well as to geomorphic/geothermal provincial distribution. The materials presented are a compilation of data from a number of sources and for this reason do not provide new discoveries or a breakthrough, but rather tend to emphasize what is known. For example, it has been shown that higher temperature geothermal waters are most frequently associated with higher sodium chloride and boron content. However, area of occurrence and geomorphologic conditions may play the most important role in this association; this is exemplified by the fact that the highest brine content in thermal waters of the state is found in the Imperial Valley, in the Salton Sea geothermal fields, where alternate filling and evaporation in the Salton Sink have left massive accumulations of salt.

The association of geothermal occurrences with young volcanic rocks has long been recognized. Good examples are seen in the proximity of The Geysers geothermal field to the outcrop area of the Clear Lake Volcanic rocks and also in the association of young volcanic rocks with geothermal occurrences at Coso and in the Mono-Long Valley areas. By providing graphic information on the distribution of young volcanic rocks, the technical map is expected to benefit the investigator who is interested in exploration for a new resource using volcanic rocks as a guide. Similarly, faults are often associated with geothermal occurrence, both as a barrier that may help contain a body of geothermal water, and as an avenue along which meteoric waters may circulate into the deeper subsurface to become heated due to the normal temperature gradient of the earth. A good example of a major association of faulting and geothermal occurrence is found along the Surprise Valley fault in northeastern California. By providing a display of fault distribution throughout the state, the map is expected to benefit the investigator with information on where to prospect for additional geothermal resources, as well as to provide information on the fault association that may be responsible for a known geothermal occurrence.

Much statewide information on the estimation of subsurface temperature using various geothermometers is brought together

and presented here for the first time. Although data of this type can be highly useful in providing an idea of the maximum temperature that may be available at depth in a given resource area (as opposed to usually lower temperatures measured at the surface), caution must be used until the temperature data can be corroborated by actual drilling into the resource. However, the geothermometry data presented in Table 2 should provide the investigator with some new ideas as to the elevated temperatures that may be available at depth in many areas of the state—temperatures that may suggest that a resource, previously considered to be too cool for a proposed use, is in fact a viable resource for the purpose. Thus many of the state's "lower temperature geothermal resource areas" may now warrant a re-examination to determine whether or not they should be placed in a higher temperature category.

Useful information has been developed and is presented in the preceding sections devoted to thermal water chemistry relationships and the provincial distribution of the water types. Examples of uses to which this information may be put are many: boron is an element to which many plants are sensitive; if the end use of cascaded thermal waters for a prospective project is to be for agriculture, then the developer would be wise to consider utilization of resources in provinces where boron content is shown to be low, such as the Sierra Nevada, Modoc Plateau, Transverse Ranges, Peninsular Ranges, or Mojave Desert.

The information presented here on geomorphic/geothermal provinces represents a "first cut" effort. It is believed that extensive additional work using computer techniques, perhaps with added information from non-thermal wells, may provide a much more detailed and clear picture of geothermal provinces and their relationship to geomorphic provinces and other parameters. An effort of this type is highly recommended.

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