

# GEOLOGIC MAP OF THE STEELE PEAK 7.5' QUADRANGLE, RIVERSIDE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

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## INTRODUCTION

#### General

Open-File Report 01-449 contains a digital geologic map database of the Steele Peak 7.5' quadrangle, Riverside County, California that includes:

- 1. ARC/INFO (Environmental Systems Research Institute, <u>http://www.esri.com</u>) version 7.2.1 coverages of the various elements of the geologic map.
- 2. A Postscript file to plot the geologic map on a topographic base, and containing a Correlation of Map Units diagram (CMU), a Description of Map Units (DMU), and an index map.
- 3. Portable Document Format (.pdf) files of:
  - a. This Readme; includes in Appendix I, data contained in stp\_met.txt
  - b. The same graphic as plotted in 2 above. Test plots have not produced 1:24,000-scale map sheets. Adobe Acrobat page size setting influences map scale.

The Correlation of Map Units and Description of Map Units is in the editorial format of USGS Miscellaneous Investigations Series (I-series) maps but has not been edited to comply with I-map standards. Within the geologic map data package, map units are identified by standard geologic map criteria such as formation-name, age, and lithology. Where known, grain size is indicated on the map by a subscripted letter or letters following the unit symbols as follows: lg, large boulders; b, boulder; g, gravel; a, arenaceous; s, silt; c, clay; e.g.  $Qyf_a$  is a predominantly young alluvial fan deposit that is arenaceous. Multiple letters are used for more specific identification or for mixed units, e.g.,  $Qfy_{sa}$  is a silty sand. In

some cases, mixed units are indicated by a compound symbol; e.g.,  $Qyf_{2sc}$ . Marine deposits are in part overlain by local, mostly alluvial fan, deposits and are labeled Qomf. Grain size follows f.

Even though this is an Open-File Report and includes the standard USGS Open-File disclaimer, the report closely adheres to the stratigraphic nomenclature of the U.S. Geological Survey. Descriptions of units can be obtained by viewing or plotting the .pdf file (3b above) or plotting the postscript file (2 above).

This Readme file describes the digital data, such as types and general contents of files making up the database, and includes information on how to extract and plot the map and accompanying graphic file. Metadata information can be accessed at <u>http://geo-nsdi.er.usgs.gov/metadata/open-file/01-449</u> and is included in Appendix I of this Readme.

# HOW TO OBTAIN PAPER PLOTS

For those having access to large-format plotters such as HP650C, HP755C, and HP2500C, plots may be made directly from the included plot file.

# **DATABASE CONTENTS**

The files constituting the geologic map database of this Open-File Report are listed below along with the interchange files from which they were extracted.

#### **Data Package**

All files listed below are in a compressed tar file named stp.tar.gz (1.9 Mb); see section below titled, SOFTWARE UTILITES.

ARC/INFO interchange files	Steele Peak coverages	<u>Contains</u>
stp_geo.e00	stp_geo	Contacts, faults, geologic unit labels
stp_ano.e00	stp_ano	Annotation subclasses: GEO (for plotting unit labels)
stp_str.e00	stp_str	Attitudes and their dip values. Dip values plotted as annotation.

The directory, info/, is produced in the process of importing interchange files to ARC coverages in ARC/INFO. The stp (Steele Peak) info/ directory contains:

#### Feature Attribute Tables

Polygon attribute table	stp_geo.pat
Arc attribute table	stp_geo.aat
	stp_ano.aat
Point attribute table	stp_str.pat

<u>Raster</u> file	Resultant image	Contains
stp.tif	Steele Peak base map	Topographic base from 500 dpi scan of USGS Steele Peak 7.5' quadrangle, 1967

## **Plot Package**

PostScript plot files of the geologic map and explanation; please see section below titled, SOFTWARE UTILITIES for additional information.

Compressed file	Resultant image	Contains
stp_map.ps.gz	stp_map.ps	PostScript plot file of geologic map and CMU/DMU

The Postscript file is compressed using winzip.

The uncompressed Postscript file stp\_map.ps will plot a 1:24,000 scale, full color geologic map of the Steele Peak quadrangle on the topographic base. A detailed CMU diagram, a DMU are included on the sheet. The sheet is in the editorial format of the U.S. Geological Survey's Miscellaneous Investigations (I) map series, and is approximately 46 X 32 inches in size. The map sheet has been successfully plotted on Hewlett-Packard large-format plotters, models HP650C, HP755C, and HP2500C.

## **Symbols Package**

Files in the plot package have been prepared to produce optimum plots using the shade, line, and marker sets listed below; these symbol sets and supporting fonts are included in a compressed tar file named symbols.tar.gz (0.04 Mb); see section below titled SOFTWARE UTILITIES.

geoSCAMP2.lin	Lineset
geoSCAMP2.mrk	Markerset for points
alc1.shd	Colors
geology2.shd	Pattern fills
fnt026	Font required for geoSCAMP2.lin
fnt037	Font required for geoSCAMP2.mrk
fnt035	Font required for geology2.shd

Special geologic characters used in unit designations are from the Geoage font group and may be obtained at the following web site:

Server:	onyx.wr.usgs.gov
UserID:	anonymous
Password:	Your e-mail address
Directory:	pub/wpg/supplies/geoage

#### **Other files**

README.pdf	This document
stp_map.pdf	Postscript plot file of geologic map and CMU/DMU

# SOFTWARE UTILITIES

Files which have .gz file extension were compressed using gzip. Gzip utilities are available free of charge via the Internet at the gzip home page, <u>http://www.gzip.org.</u> Files with a .zip file extension were compressed using WinZip, available at <u>http://www.winzip.com</u>.

The data package and symbols package are additionally bundled into a single tar (tape archive) file. The individual files must be extracted using a tar utility, available free of charge via the Internet through links on the Common Internet File Formats page, <u>http://www.matisse.net/files/format.html</u>. One such utility is WinZip, available at <u>http://www.winzip.com</u>.

# HOW TO OBTAIN THE DIGITAL FILES

The export files, and subsequently the data and plot files, constituting the geologic map database of this Open-File Map may be obtained in two ways, both over the Internet.

- 1. The files can be obtained via the Web from Western Region Geologic Information Server. Go to the web page at <u>http://geopubs.wr.usgs.gov/open-file/of01-449</u> and follow the directions to download the files.
- 2. The files can also be obtained by anonymous ftp over the Internet from wrgis.wr.usgs.gov. The files are located in the directory /pub/open-file/. Be sure to use binary transfer mode or ASCII mode for individual .e00 (ARC interchange file format) files.

# HOW TO EXTRACT THE GEOLOGIC MAP DATABASE FROM THE TAR FILE

## **Digital database**

After downloading the files, they must be uncompressed using a gzip utility such as gzip itself or WinZip. The data files must then be extracted using a tar utility or WinZip.

This process will create a directory, stp/, that will contain the ARC/INFO interchange files and supporting files. The directory should contain the following files:

stp/

stp\_geo.e00 stp\_str.e00 stp\_ano.e00

stp.tif

The symbols.tar.gz file is imported using the same methods as for the stp.tar.gz file. It will create a directory, symbols/ that will contain the following files:

geoSCAMP2.lin geoSCAMP2.mrk alc1.shd geology2.shd fnt026 fnt037 fnt035

The following are not included in the database tar file, and are downloaded separately.

stp\_map.ps.gz Readme.pdf stp\_map.pdf

#### **Postscript plot files**

Make a 14.9 MB uncompressed file, stp\_map.ps (plot of complete map), by typing gzip -d stp\_map.ps.gz (or use gzip utility of choice).

# Portable Document Format (.pdf) files

PDF files are not stored as gzip files. They are accessed using Adobe Acrobat Reader software, available free from the Adobe website <u>http://www.adobe.com</u>. Follow instructions at the website to download and install the software. Acrobat Reader contains an on-line manual and tutorial.

# HOW TO CONVERT THE ARC/INFO INTERCHANGE (EXPORT) FILES

The ARC interchange (.e00) files are converted to ARC coverages using the ARC command IMPORT.

ARC interchange files can also be read by some other Geographic Information Systems, including ArcView (ESRI) and MapInfo (<u>http://www.mapinfo.com</u>), (Environmental Systems Research Institute, Inc., 1998). Please consult your GIS documentation to see if you can use ARC interchange files and the procedure to import them.

# DIGITAL GEOLOGIC MAP SPECIFICATIONS

#### **Digital compilation**

The geologic map information was hand digitized from a base-stable original (ink on a greenline) of the geologic map at 1:24,000 scale. Digital tics were placed by hand at latitude/longitude intersections. The lines, points, and polygons were edited using standard ARC/INFO commands, and in some places, interactively by hand using graphical user interface ALACARTE (Fitzgibbon, 1991, Fitzgibbon and Wentworth, 1991, Wentworth and Fitzgibbon, 1991). Digitization and editing artifacts significant enough to display at a scale of 1:24,000 were corrected.

## Base map

The base map image (stp.tif) was prepared by scanning a scale-stable clear film of the U.S. Geological Survey, 1:24,000 Steele Peak 7.5' quadrangle (1967) topographic map. Scanning was done using an Anatech Eagle 4080 monochrome 800 dpi scanner; at a resolution of 500 dpi. The raster scan was converted to a monochromatic image in ARC/INFO, and registered and rectified to the Steele Peak 7.5' quadrangle. No elements of the base layer are attributed. The base map is provided for reference only.

#### **Spatial resolution**

Use of this digital geologic map database should not violate the spatial resolution of the data. Although the digital form of the data removes the constraint imposed by the scale of a paper map, the detail and accuracy inherent in map scale are also present in the digital data. The fact that this database was edited at a scale of 1:24,000 means that higher resolution information is not generally present in the dataset. Plotting at scales larger than 1:24,000 will not yield greater *real* detail, although it may reveal fine-scale irregularities above the intended resolution of the database. Similarly, although higher resolution data is incorporated at a few places, the resolution of the combined output will be limited by the lower resolution data.

#### Map accuracy standards

Until uniform National geologic map standards are developed and adopted, lines and points on SCAMP 1:24,000 scale geologic maps that are located to within 15 meters, relative to accurately located features on the base map, are considered to meet map accuracy standards. Dashed lines, indicated in the

database as approximately located or inferred, are generally located within 30 meters, relative to accurately located features on the base map.

#### **Faults and landslides**

This database is sufficiently detailed to identify and characterize many actual and potential geologic hazards represented by faults and landslides, but it is not sufficiently detailed for site-specific determinations. Faults shown do not take the place of fault rupture hazard zones designated by the California State Geologist (see Hart, 1998).

## **Database specifics**

**General**--The map database consists of ARC/INFO format coverages which are stored in polyconic projection (Table 1), and a series of data tables. Digital tics define a 2.5 minute grid of latitude and longitude in the geologic coverages corresponding to the 2.5 minute tic grid on the topographic base map.

Table 1	Map Projection
Projection	Polyconic
Datum	NAD27
Zunits	No
Units	Meters
Spheroid	Clark 1866
X shift	0.00000000
Y shift	0.00000000
Parameters	-117 18 45.000 longitude of central meridian
	33 45 0.00 latitude of projections origin
	0.00000 false easting (meters)
	0.00000 false northing (meters)

The content of the geologic database can be described in terms of feature classes that include lines, points, and areas that compose the map. See the metadata text file (Appendix I) for detailed descriptions.

<u>Lines</u> – Lines are recorded as strings of arcs and are described in an arc attribute (.aat) table. Complete lists of the line types (LTYPE) used in the quadrangle are available in Appendix I. They represent contacts and faults, which define the boundaries of map units and map boundaries.

**Polygons** --- Geologic map units (polygons) are described in the polygon attribute (.pat) table (details in Appendix I). For traditional descriptions of the map units, see the Portable Document Format file stp\_map.pdf or the Postscript map plot, stp\_map.ps. A list of all map units in the database is given in Appendix I.

<u>**Points**</u> – Point information (attitudes of planar and linear features) is recorded as coordinate and related information. Complete lists of the point types (PTTYPE) used in the point coverage are available in Appendix I.

# REFERENCES

Environmental Systems Research Institute, Inc, 1991, ARC/INFO command references 6.0: Proprietary software manual

Fitzgibbon, T.T., 1991, ALACARTE installation and system manual (version 1.0): U.S. Geological Survey, Open-File Report 91-587B

Fitzgibbon, T.T., and Wentworth, C.M., 1991, ALACARTE user interface – AML code and demonstration Maps (version 1.0): U.S. Geological Survey, Open-File Report 91-587A

Wentworth, C.M., and Fitzgibbon, T.T., 1991, ALACARTE user manual (version 1.0): U.S. Geological Survey Open-File Report 91-587C

#### <u>Appendix I</u>

(Original metadata text)

Identification\_Information:

Citation:

Citation\_Information: Originator: Douglas M. Morton Publication\_Date: 2001 Title: Geologic Map of the Steele Peak 7.5' Quadrangle, Riverside County, California Edition: Version 1.0 Geospatial\_Data\_Presentation\_Form: vector digital data Series\_Information: Series\_Name: U.S. Geological Survey Open-File Report Issue\_Identification: USGS OFR 01-449 Publication\_Information: Publication\_Place: Menlo Park, California Publisher: U.S. Geological Survey Online Linkage: http://geopubs.wr.usgs.gov/open-file/of01-449

#### Description:

Abstract:

This data set maps and describes the geology of the Steele Peak 7.5' quadrangle, Riverside County, California. Created using Environmental Systems Research Institute's ARC/INFO software, the data base consists of the following items: (1) a map coverage containing geologic contacts and units, (2) a coverage containing structural data, (3) a coverage containing geologic unit annotation and leaders, and (4) attribute tables for geologic units (polygons), contacts (arcs), and site-specific data (points). In addition, the data set includes the following graphic and text products: (1) a postscript graphic plot-file containing the geologic map, topography, cultural data, a Correlation of Map Units (CMU) diagram, a Description of Map Units (DMU), and a key for point and line symbols, and (2) PDF files of the Readme (including the metadata file as an appendix), and the graphic produced by the Postscript plot file.

The Steele Peak quadrangle is located in the northern part of the Peninsular Ranges Province within the central part of the Perris block, a relatively stable, rectangular in plan area located between the Elsinore and San Jacinto fault zones.

The quadrangle is underlain by Cretaceous and older basement rocks. Cretaceous plutonic rocks are part of the composite Peninsular Ranges batholith. A wide variety of mafic to intermediate composition granitic rocks occur in the quadrangle, and are mainly of tonalitic composition, but range from monzogranite to gabbro. Most rock units are faintly to intensely foliated, compositionally heterogenous, and contain varying amounts of meso-and melanocratic discoidal-shaped inclusions. Some rocks are composed almost wholly of inclusion material and some are migmatitic. Included within these granitic rocks are septa not shown on the geologic map of Paleozoic(?) schist of upper amphibolite metamorphic grade.

Metamorphic rocks of primarily Mesozoic age occur in a discontinuous belt extending from the southeast to the northwest corner of the quadrangle. Most of these rocks are well foliated biotite-bearing schist. Near the southern edge of the quadrangle phyllitic rocks dominate. Northwestward, metamorphism increases from greenschist or sub-greenschist grade near the south edge of the quadrangle to sillimanite-bearing schist of upper amphibolite grade in the vicinity of Cajalco Road.

Biotite-hornblende tonalite of the relatively large Val Verde pluton dominates the northeastern half of the quadrangle. In most places this tonalite has a northwest oriented crude to well developed planar fabric produced by oriented biotite and hornblende. Schlieren and massive clots of mafic tonalite locally occur. Discoidal- to pancake-shaped mafic inclusions are widespread and are oriented in the plane defined by the biotite and hornblende. This planar fabric typically dips moderately to the northeast, but locally shallows to a horizontal to subhorizontal planar fabric, or fades to an isotropic fabric.

West of the Val Verde pluton are a number of plutons having fabrics ranging from massive isotropic to foliated. Compositions of these plutons range from monzogranite to pyroxene gabbro. Most of these granitic rocks fall within the composition range from monzogranite to tonalite, and are part of the composite Gavilan ring complex. Hypersthene is a characteristic mineral of most of the rocks of this complex, which includes black hypersthene-bearing monzogranite that has been quarried as a source of 'black granite' building stone. Several inactive gold mines, e.g., Goodhope, Gavilan, and Santa Rosa mines that constituted the Pinacate mining district, are located in the Gavilan ring complex.

In the center of the Gavilan ring complex is the near circular Arroyo del Toro pluton, a massivetextured granodiorite essentially devoid of inclusions. Only the northern half of this pluton is located in the quadrangle. Some rock of this pluton was quarried for building stone. The southwestern corner of the quadrangle is underlain by siliceous volcanic and volcanoclastic rock considered to be coeval with the batholith and be the supra-part of the batholithic magmatism. Most of these volcanic rocks range in composition from rhyolite to andesite with latitic composition rocks predominating.

In the northeastern part of the quadrangle is the proximal parts of a Pleistocene alluvial fan complex. The geologic map data base contains original U.S. Geological Survey data generated by detailed field observation recorded on 1:24,000 scale aerial photographs. The map was created by transferring lines from the aerial photographs to a 1:24,000 scale topographic base. The map was digitized and lines, points, and polygons were subsequently edited using standard ARC/INFO commands. Digitizing and editing artifacts significant enough to display at a scale of 1:24,000 were corrected. Within the database, geologic contacts are represented as lines (arcs), geologic units are polygons, and site-specific data as points. Polygon, arc, and point attribute tables (.pat, .aat, and .pat, respectively) uniquely identify each geologic datum.

Purpose: The data set for the Steele Peak 7.5' quadrangle was prepared under the U.S. Geological Survey Southern California Areal Mapping Project (SCAMP) as part of an ongoing effort to develop a regional geologic framework of southern California, and to utilize a Geographic Information System (GIS) format to create regional digital geologic databases. These regional databases are being developed as contributions to the National Geologic Map Database of the National Cooperative Geologic Mapping Program of the USGS.

Supplemental\_Information: none Time\_Period\_of\_Content: Time\_Period\_Information: Single\_Date/Time: Calendar\_Date: 2001 Currentness\_Reference: New data

# Status:

Progress: Complete Maintenance\_and\_Update\_Frequency: As Needed

Spatial\_Domain: Bounding\_Coordinates: West\_Bounding\_Coordinate: -117.37509096 East\_Bounding\_Coordinate: -117.24990904 North\_Bounding\_Coordinate: 33.87499995 South\_Bounding\_Coordinate: 33.74998418 Keywords: Theme: Theme Keyword Thesaurus: None Theme Keyword: geologic map Theme Keyword: geology Theme\_Keyword: bedrock geology Place: Place\_Keyword\_Thesaurus: None Place\_Keyword: California Place\_Keyword: Riverside County Place\_Keyword: Steele Peak 7.5' quadrangle Stratum: Stratum Keyword Thesaurus: None Stratum Keyword: Cretaceous tonalite and granodiorite Stratum\_Keyword: Cretaceous volcanics Temporal: Temporal\_Keyword\_Thesaurus: None Temporal\_Keyword: Cretaceous Access Constraints: None

Use Constraints:

The Steele Peak 7.5' geologic-map database should be used to evaluate and understand the geologic character of the Steele Peak 7.5' quadrangle as a whole. The data should not be used for purposes of site-specific land-use planning or site-specific geologic evaluations. The database is sufficiently detailed to identify and characterize many actual and potential geologic hazards represented by faults and landslides and posed by ground subsidence and earthquake-generated ground shaking. However, it is not sufficiently detailed for site-specific determinations or evaluations of these features. Faults shown do not take the place of fault-rupture hazard zones designated by the California State Geologist (see Hart, 1988).

Use of this digital geologic-map database should not violate the spatial resolution of the data. Although the digital form of the data removes the constraint imposed by the scale of a paper map, the detail and accuracy inherent in map scale are also present in the digital data. The fact that this database was compiled and edited at a scale of 1:24,000 means that higher resolution information may not have been uniformly retained in the dataset. Plotting at scales larger than 1:24,000 will not yield greater real detail, although it may reveal fine-scale irregularities below the intended resolution of the database. Similarly, although higher resolution data is incorporated in most of the map, the resolution of the combined output will be limited by the lower resolution data.

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Native Data Set Environment: SunOS, 5.8, sun4m UNIX ARC/INFO version 7.2.1 Cross Reference: Citation Information: Originator: Morton, D.M. Publication Date: 1999 Title: Preliminary digital geologic map of the Santa Ana 30'x60' quadrangle, southern California, version 1.0. Geospatial Data Presentation Form: vector digital data Series Information: Series\_Name: U.S. Geological Survey Open-File Report Issue\_Identification: USGS OF 99-172 **Publication Information:** Publication\_Place: California Publisher: U.S. Geological Survey Online\_Linkage: http://geopubs.wr.usgs.gov/open-file/of99-172

Data\_Quality\_Information:

Attribute\_Accuracy:

Attribute\_Accuracy\_Report:

Geologic-map units in the Steele Peak quadrangle database were described using standard field methods. Consistent with these methods, the database author has assigned standard geologic attributes to geologic lines, points, and polygons identified in the database.

Nation-wide geologic-map accuracy standards have not been developed and adopted by the U.S. Geological Survey and other earth-science entities. Until such standards are adopted, the SCAMP project has developed internal map-accuracy standards for 1:24,000-scale geologic maps produced by the project.

Geologic lines and points on 1:24,000 scale geologic maps are judged to meet SCAMP's internal mapaccuracy standards if they are located to within +/-15 meters, relative to topographic or cultural features on the base map.

On any derivative geologic-map plot, line data that are judged to meet the SCAMP internal mapaccuracy standard are denoted by solid lines; line data that may not meet the SCAMP internal mapaccuracy standard are denoted by dashed or dotted lines. There is no cartographic device for denoting the map-accuracy for geologic-point data (e.g., symbols representing bedding, foliation, lineations, etc.). Logical Consistency Report:

Polygon and chain-node topology present.

The areal extent of the map is represented digitally by an appropriately projected (polyconic projection), mathematically generated box. Consequently, polygons intersecting the lines that comprise the map boundary are closed by that boundary. Polygons internal to the map boundary are completely enclosed by line segments which are themselves a set of sequentially numbered coordinate pairs. Point data are represented by coordinate pairs.

Completeness\_Report: The geologic map database of the Steele Peak 7.5' quadrangle contains new data that have been subjected to rigorous review and are a substantially complete representation of the current state of knowledge concerning the geology of the quadrangle.

Positional\_Accuracy:

Horizontal\_Positional\_Accuracy:

Horizontal\_Positional\_Accuracy\_Report: The maximum transformation RMS error acceptable for a 7.5' quadrangle transformation and data input is 0.003 (1.8 meters). Horizontal positional accuracy was checked by visual comparison of hard-copy plots with base-stable source data.

Lineage:

Process\_Step:

Process\_Description: Field mapping and aerial photograph interpretation; iterative process (D.M. Morton).

Process\_Date: 1991; 1995-96

Process\_Step:

Process\_Description: Digitization of geologic linework and point data from a scale-stable cartographic base of quadrangle. ARC/INFO database established; cleanup of artifacts; polygon, arc, and point attribute tables established. Digitizing and editing artifacts significant enough to display at a scale of 1:24,000 were corrected (R.M. Alvarez and V.M. Diep).

Process\_Date: 1999-2001 Process\_Step: Process\_Description: Description of map units and correlation of map units (F.K. Miller). Process\_Date: 2001 Process\_Step: Process\_Description: First draft of metadata created by Michael J. Watson using FGDCMETA.AML ver. 1.2 05/14/98 on ARC/INFO data set /scamp26/mwatson/stp\_ofr/stp5\_geo Process\_Date: 20010919

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Entity\_and\_Attribute\_Information:

Overview\_Description:

Entity\_and\_Attribute\_Overview:

Version 1.0 of the Steele Peak 7.5' quadrangle comprises three ARC/INFO coverages, of which two contain geologic data, and one contains cartographic features: stp\_geo (geology), stp\_str (structural data), and stp\_ano (annotation and leaders).

Geologic data represented by line entities and the polygons they delineate are contained in the coverage STP\_GEO. For display purposes, the annotation coverage contains one annotation subclass: anno.geo contains unit labels.

Geological point data includes site-specific information describing the types and the orientation of bedding, foliation, and lineations. Annotation is respective dip and plunge values associated with individual point data.

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  >COLUMN ITEM NAME
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  Entity_Type_Definition: Geologic units (LABL) and their corresponding names (NAME) identified in
the Steele Peak 7.5' quadrangle
  Attribute:
  Attribute_Label: LABL
  Attribute_Definition: geologic map unit label, in plain text
  Attribute Domain Values:
    Enumerated Domain:
    Enumerated_Domain_Value: Katg
    Enumerated Domain Value Definition: Granodiorite of Arroyo del Toro pluton
    Enumerated Domain:
    Enumerated_Domain_Value: Kcgd
    Enumerated_Domain_Value_Definition: Granodiorite of Cajalco pluton
    Enumerated Domain:
    Enumerated_Domain_Value: Kg
    Enumerated_Domain_Value_Definition: Granitic dikes
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Enumerated_Domain:
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Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: Kgb Enumerated Domain Value Definition: Gabbro Enumerated Domain: Enumerated Domain Value: Kgct Enumerated Domain Value Definition: Coarse-grained biotite-hornblende tonalite of Gavilan ring complex Enumerated Domain: Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: Kgd Enumerated\_Domain\_Value\_Definition: Granodiorite, undifferentiated Enumerated Domain: Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: Kgg Enumerated\_Domain\_Value\_Definition: Hypersthene monzogranite of Gavilan ring complex Enumerated Domain: Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: Kght Enumerated\_Domain\_Value\_Definition: Heterogeneous tonalite of Gavilan ring complex Enumerated Domain: Enumerated Domain Value: Kgr Enumerated\_Domain\_Value\_Definition: Granophyre Enumerated Domain: Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: Kgt Enumerated\_Domain\_Value\_Definition: Massive textured tonalite of Gavilan ring complex Enumerated Domain: Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: Kgtf Enumerated\_Domain\_Value\_Definition: Foliated tonalite of Gavilan ring complex Enumerated Domain: Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: Kgti Enumerated\_Domain\_Value\_Definition: Tonalite containing abundant mesocratic inclusions, Gavilan ring complex Enumerated\_Domain: Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: Kgu Enumerated\_Domain\_Value\_Definition: Granite, undifferentiated Enumerated\_Domain: Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: Khg Enumerated\_Domain\_Value\_Definition: Heterogeneous granitic rocks Enumerated Domain: Enumerated Domain Value: Kp Enumerated Domain Value Definition: Granitic pegmatite dikes Enumerated Domain: Enumerated Domain Value: Kt Enumerated\_Domain\_Value\_Definition: Tonalite, undifferentiated Enumerated Domain: Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: Kvem Enumerated\_Domain\_Value\_Definition: Estelle Mountain volcanics of Herzig (1991) Enumerated Domain: Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: Kvr Enumerated Domain Value Definition: Rhyolite of Estelle Mountains volcanics of Herzig (1991) Enumerated Domain: Enumerated Domain Value: Kvt Enumerated Domain Value Definition: Val Verde tonalite Enumerated Domain: Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: Kvti Enumerated\_Domain\_Value\_Definition: Inclusion-rich tonalite of Val Verde pluton Enumerated Domain: Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: Kvtk Enumerated\_Domain\_Value\_Definition: Potassium feldspar-bearing tonalite of Val Verde pluton Enumerated Domain:

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symbols. The geologic units with LABL designating Mesozoic (Mz) have keystroke substitute characters, }, that call their corresponding symbols from the Stratagem Font Group. Geologic map unit labels will plot on derivative map plots with appropriate stratigraphic symbols if PLABL is used as the source for unit labels.

Attribute:

Attribute\_Label: SHD

Attribute\_Definition: polygon color (as integer value) from shadeset alc1.shd (included in the data package) Attribute: Attribute Label: SHDFIL Attribute Definition: polygon fill pattern (as integer value) from shadeset geology2.shd (included in the data package) Attribute: Attribute Label: NAME Attribute\_Definition: Geologic name of map unit (see list under LABL attribute) Detailed Description: Entity\_Type: Entity\_Type\_Label: stp\_geo.aat Entity Type Definition: Geologic features such as contacts and faults that bound rock-unit polygons Attribute: Attribute\_Label: LTYPE Attribute Definition: Description of types of lines on the geologic map (contact, fault). Attribute Domain Values: Enumerated Domain: Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: Kg, granitic dike Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: Kp, pegmatite dike Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: contact, certain Enumerated Domain Value: fault, inferred Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: map boundary Enumerated\_Domain\_Value: scratch boundary Attribute: Attribute Label: L-SYMB Attribute\_Definition: stores appropriate line symbol value from the lineset geoscamp2.lin Detailed Description: Entity\_Type: Entity\_Type\_Label: stp\_str.pat Entity Type Definition: Geological point data includes site-specific information describing the types and the orientation of bedding, foliation, and lineations. One annotation subclass is included in the geologic points coverage, STP\_STR which displays the respective dip and plunge values associated with individual point data. Attribute: Attribute Label: PTTYPE Attribute Definition: describes type of point data (bedding, horizontal bedding, foliation) Attribute: Attribute Label: P-SYMB Attribute Definition: Coded integer value that relates point to cartographic point symbol in markerset geoscamp2.mrk Attribute: Attribute Label: STRIKE Attribute\_Definition: Azimuthal strike of planar feature Attribute: Attribute Label: DIP Attribute Definition: Dip of planar feature Detailed\_Description: Entity Type: Entity Type Label: stp ano.aat Entity\_Type\_Definition: Annotation leaders Attribute: Attribute Label: L-SYMB Attribute\_Definition: Coded integer value (1) that relates arcs to cartographic line symbol in lineset geoscamp2.lin Distribution Information:

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