Soils of West Bishop, Between Hwys. 395 and 168



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184-Dehy Loam	185-Dehy Sandy Loam	271-Muranch Sandy Loam (Cobbly)	370-Drainageways (Xerofluvents)
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Soil Properties

Series	рН	Saline?	CaCO₃ %	Drainage	Color	Notes
Dehy	6.2- 6.8	No	0	Some- what Poor	Dark gray, touch of brown	Can get crusty and hydrophobic if left too dry. Easily compacted when wet. High water table. 4-5% Organic matter. Most common Bishop soil type.
Muranch	6.7	No	0	Good	Grayish brown	Prime farmland if irrigated. Easily wind eroded.
Drainage- ways	7.6	No	0	Poor	Dark gray or brown	Poor farmland. Not suitable for crops due to boulders, stones, and gravel. Consider raised beds if you have land in this type.