

## MAP LEGEND

| Area of Interest (AOI) |  | Background |
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|  | Area of Interest (AOI) | - Aerial Photography |
| Soils |  |  |
| Soil Rating Polygons |  |  |
|  | <= 4950 |  |
|  | $>4950$ and $<=5220$ |  |
|  | $>5220$ and <= 7200 |  |
|  | Not rated or not available |  |
| Soil Rating Lines |  |  |
| $\cdots$ | <= 4950 |  |
| ** | $>4950$ and $<=5220$ |  |
| $\cdots$ | > 5220 and <= 7200 |  |
| $\cdots$ | Not rated or not available |  |
| Soil Rating Points |  |  |
| $\square$ | < $=4950$ |  |
| $\square$ | > 4950 and <= 5220 |  |
| $\square$ | $>5220$ and <= 7200 |  |
| $\square$ | Not rated or not available |  |
| Water Features |  |  |
| $\sim$ | Streams and Canals |  |
| Transportation |  |  |
| H+ | Rails |  |
| $\sim$ | Interstate Highways |  |
| $\sim$ | US Routes |  |
| $\approx$ | Major Roads |  |
| $\cong$ | Local Roads |  |

## MAP INFORMATION

The soil surveys that comprise your AOI were mapped at 1:24,000.

Warning: Soil Map may not be valid at this scale.
Enlargement of maps beyond the scale of mapping can cause misunderstanding of the detail of mapping and accuracy of soil line placement. The maps do not show the small areas of contrasting soils that could have been shown at a more detailed scale

Please rely on the bar scale on each map sheet for map measurements

Source of Map: Natural Resources Conservation Service Web Soil Survey URL
Coordinate System: Web Mercator (EPSG:3857)
Maps from the Web Soil Survey are based on the Web Mercator projection, which preserves direction and shape but distorts distance and area. A projection that preserves area, such as the Albers equal-area conic projection, should be used if more accurate calculations of distance or area are required
This product is generated from the USDA-NRCS certified data as of the version date(s) listed below.

Soil Survey Area: Matagorda County, Texas
Survey Area Data: Version 12, Sep 22, 2016
Soil map units are labeled (as space allows) for map scales 1:50,000 or larger.

Date(s) aerial images were photographed: Dec 31, 2009-Mar 18, 2017

The orthophoto or other base map on which the soil lines were compiled and digitized probably differs from the background imagery displayed on these maps. As a result, some minor shifting of map unit boundaries may be evident

## Range Production (Normal Year)

| Range Production (Normal Year)— Summary by Map Unit — Matagorda County, Texas (TX321) |  |  |  |  |
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| Map unit symbol | Map unit name | Rating (pounds per <br> acre per year) | Acres in AOI | Percent of AOI |
| DaA | Dacosta sandy clay <br> loam, 0 to 1 percent <br> slopes | 4950 | 93.0 | $48.2 \%$ |
| EdA | Edna loam, 0 to 1 <br> percent slopes | 5220 | 72.9 | $37.8 \%$ |
| LaA | Laewest clay, 0 to 1 <br> percent slopes | 7200 | 14.3 | $7.4 \%$ |
| W | Water |  | 12.7 | $6.6 \%$ |
| Totals for Area of Interest | $\mathbf{1 9 2 . 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 . 0 \%}$ |  |  |

## Description

Total range production is the amount of vegetation that can be expected to grow annually in a well managed area that is supporting the potential natural plant community. It includes all vegetation, whether or not it is palatable to grazing animals. It includes the current year's growth of leaves, twigs, and fruits of woody plants. It does not include the increase in stem diameter of trees and shrubs. It is expressed in pounds per acre of air-dry vegetation. In a normal year, growing conditions are about average. Yields are adjusted to a common percent of air-dry moisture content.

In areas that have similar climate and topography, differences in the kind and amount of vegetation produced on rangeland are closely related to the kind of soil. Effective management is based on the relationship between the soils and vegetation and water.

## Rating Options

Units of Measure: pounds per acre per year
Aggregation Method: Weighted Average
Component Percent Cutoff: None Specified
Tie-break Rule: Higher
Interpret Nulls as Zero: Yes

