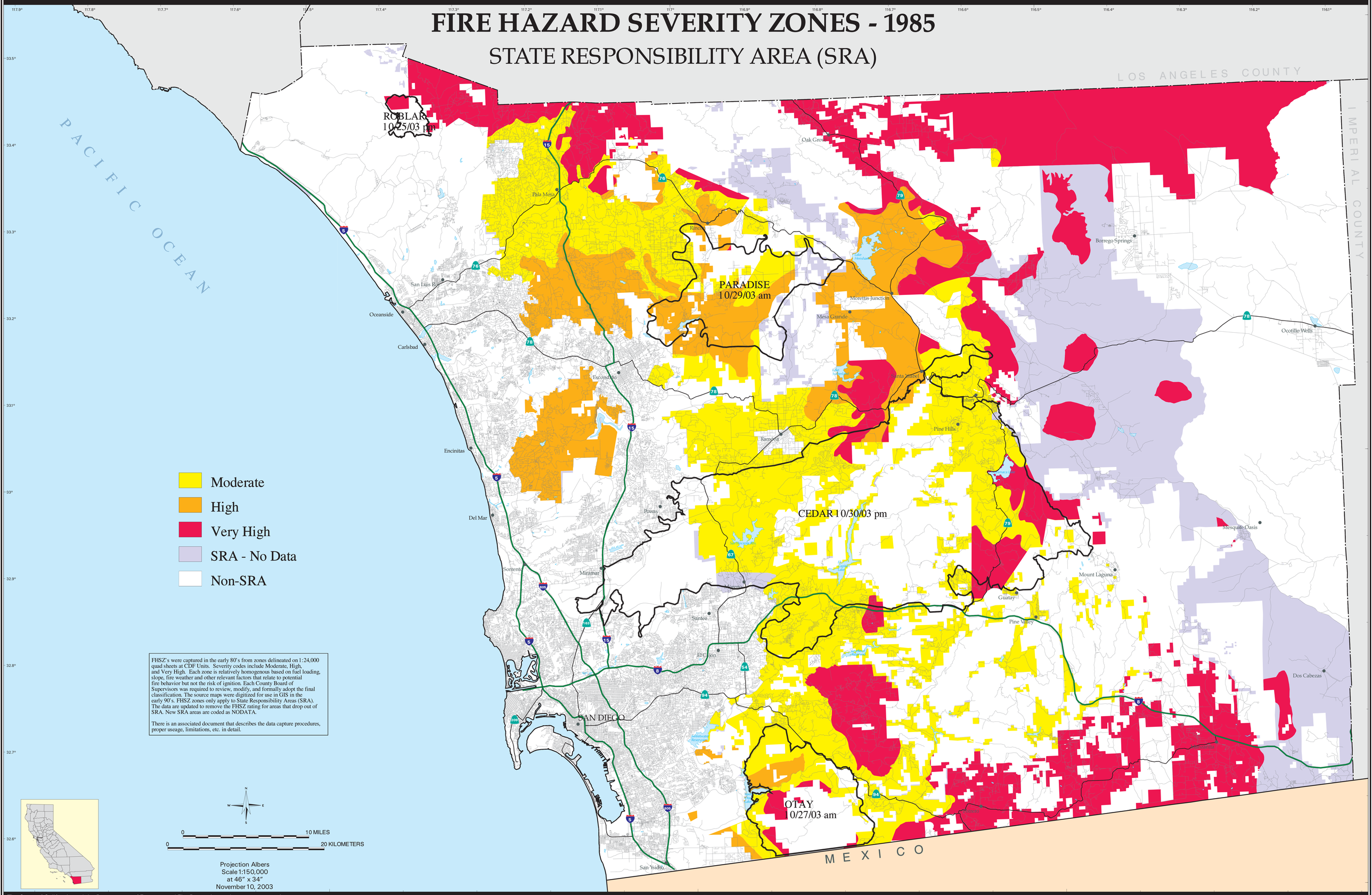
SAN DIEGO COUNTY

FIRE HAZARD SEVERITY ZONES - 1985

STATE RESPONSIBILITY AREA (SRA)



FHSZ's were captured in the early 80's from zones delineated on 1:24,000 quad sheets at CDF Units. Severity codes include Moderate, High, and Very High. Each zone is relatively homogenous based on fuel loading, slope, fire weather and other relevant factors that relate to potential fire behavior but not the risk of ignition. Each County Board of Supervisors was required to review, modify, and formally adopt the final classification. The source maps were digitized for use in GIS in the early 90's. FHSZ zones only apply to State Responsibility Areas (SRA). The data are updated to remove the FHSZ rating for areas that drop out of SRA. New SRA areas are coded as NODATA.

There is an associated document that describes the data capture procedures, proper useage, limitations, etc. in detail.

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