


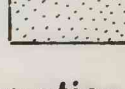


This preliminary cursory evaluation of the base- and precious-metal resources of Arizona was made during December 5, 6, and 7, 1977, by members of the Western Mineral Resources Branch, Menlo Park, California, in response to a request by the U.S. Forest Service for an immediate evaluation of the mineral resources of proposed roadless areas in the national forests of Arizona. Because of the short time available for the evaluation, compilation of much of the data in the public record was not possible. The evaluation, therefore, is based largely on the knowledge and experience of the available economic geologists in the Western Mineral Resources Branch who have worked in Arizona sometime during the past 35 years.

EXPLANATION

-  Many known occurrences and (or) favorable for prospecting
-  Some known occurrences and (or) favorable for prospecting
-  No (few) known occurrences and (or) probably geologically unfavorable for prospecting
-  Insufficient information for evaluation

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MAP SHOWING
PRELIMINARY BASE- AND PRECIOUS-METAL RESOURCE
APPRAISAL, ARIZONA

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