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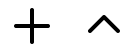


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Curious about radiation levels around Candelas? (From a Candelas resident). I too will be eventually putting up a wunderground weather station site for another data point around Candelas. Meanwhile,



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has a cramped view of Geiger-Muller counter count rates (in counters per minute) in northern Colorado in the Pacific Northwest detail map. (Only members of the network can see details, alas for the public.) The most northwest of all radiation monitoring sites in Colorado is mine, on the south boundary of the Wildlife Preserve. Yes, that's right, it HAPPENS to have among the lowest (usually, the lowest) count rates in Colorado, but this is more an indication of how background radiation varies from place to place. Thick circles are 'pancake' GM models (about 2.5-3x more sensitive than non-pancake GM, shown as skinny circles).

This is measuring essentially gamma rays only, and a few cosmic rays. (It WILL detect alpha and beta particles, but is inside a house where these are almost entirely filtered out.)

This will be online much of the time, but occasionally not if I take it off to do something else.--DMW



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