

San Joaquin Valley
Unified Air Pollution Control District
Permit Services

Stationary Source Designation

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I. Purpose:

To provide clarification of the proper stationary source designation for an asphaltic concrete batch plant and aggregate processing operation at the same location and under the control of the same person.

II. Policy:

Pursuant to subsection 3.39.2 of Rule 2201, to be considered part of the same stationary source, the aggregate plant must belong to the same industrial grouping as the asphalt batch plant by virtue of having the same two digit SIC code or must be part of the same industrial process, manufacturing process, or connected process involving the same raw material.

Asphaltic concrete batch plants and aggregate plants have different two digit SIC codes: 2951 and 1429, respectively.

In general, aggregate plants produce rock for applications other than asphaltic concrete, i.e., road base, shoulder areas, etc. The rock is transferred to some intermediate storage areas rather than directly by conveyor to the batch plant.

The District policy on Permit Unit Determination (APR 1025) discusses continuous processes as those physically united by conveyors, pipes, or ducts that do not operate independently. Unless the aggregate plant and the asphalt batch plant are physically united by such means, then each shall be considered a separate unit and a separate stationary source.