Tour of the California Wetlands Portal:
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History of California Wetlands Portal

- Original "Wetland Tracker" was SF Bay database designed to track the net impacts of projects on regional habitat

- Expanded to South Coast and Central Coasts in 2005-2007

- Adopted by the California Wetland Monitoring Workgroup in 2008

- Expanded and revised content to become "California Wetlands Portal" in fall 2009

Wetland Tracker: Data Sources and Functionality

Key Data Sources

- Regional and "project" maps of wetland habitat
- Rapid assessment of wetland condition (CRAM)
- Information (e.g. contact info, etc.) on "projects"
- Intensive "level 3" data

Functionality

- Interactive map to view project footprint within context of regional maps
- Ability to view summary CRAM scores for each wetland site or project
- Project file folder
- Real-time summaries of project info