

Nacozari, Mexico Mine Tailings





100km Border zone



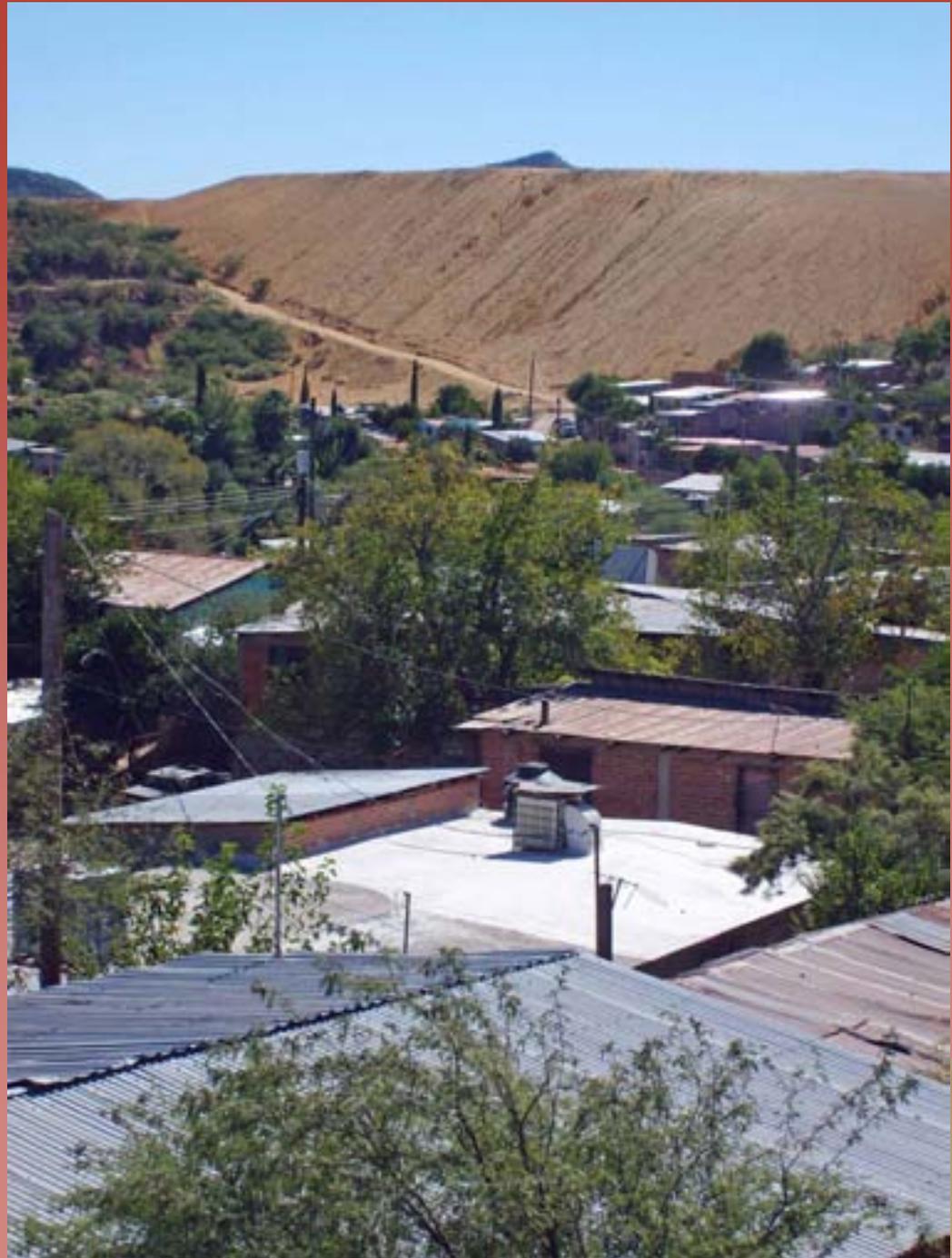
Aerial View of Nacozeni



Nacozari

Mine tailings
Phytoremediation
Project

EPA R9 field trip
Oct 26, 2007
w/ U. of Sonora



Nacozari, pop. ~10,000



cemetery



replica of locomotive used by
Jesus Garcia to save town
from dynamite explosion,
Nov 7, 1907

At foot of tailings, North side



North side



Abandoned mine works,
Moctezuma Copper Company
1895-1948



Mine tailings, South side



South side



On top of tailings



Climbing to crest
at North side
of the tailings



At the top of North crest



Nacozari



Mine tailings

metal contaminants:
Cu, Zn, As, Cd

Copper oxide leachate



Roadrunner Tracks



