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# Soil Survey of Christian County, Illinois



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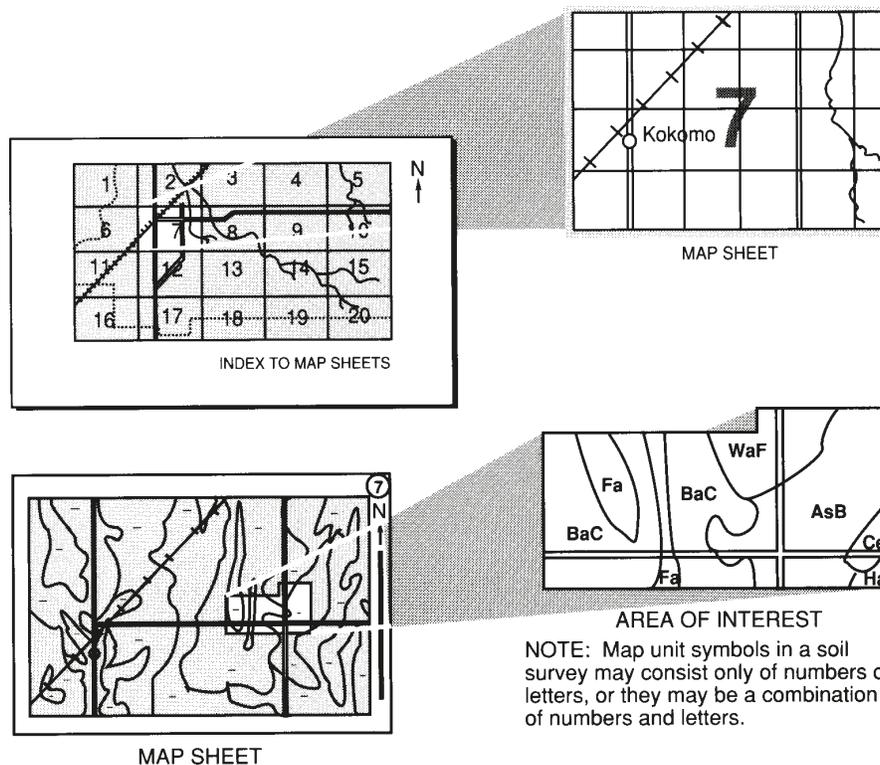
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# Foreword

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This soil survey contains information that affects land use planning in this survey area. It contains predictions of soil behavior for selected land uses. The survey also highlights soil limitations, improvements needed to overcome the limitations, and the impact of selected land uses on the environment.

This soil survey is designed for many different users. Farmers, foresters, and agronomists can use it to evaluate the potential of the soil and the management needed for maximum food and fiber production. Planners, community officials, engineers, developers, builders, and home buyers can use the survey to plan land use, select sites for construction, and identify special practices needed to ensure proper performance. Conservationists, teachers, students, and specialists in recreation, wildlife management, waste disposal, and pollution control can use the survey to help them understand, protect, and enhance the environment.

Various land use regulations of Federal, State, and local governments may impose special restrictions on land use or land treatment. The information in this report is intended to identify soil properties that are used in making various land use or land treatment decisions. Statements made in this report are intended to help the land users identify and reduce the effects of soil limitations on various land uses. The landowner or user is responsible for identifying and complying with existing laws and regulations.

Great differences in soil properties can occur within short distances. Some soils are seasonally wet or subject to flooding. Some are shallow to bedrock. Some are too unstable to be used as a foundation for buildings or roads. Clayey or wet soils are poorly suited to use as septic tank absorption fields. A high water table makes a soil poorly suited to basements or underground installations.

These and many other soil properties that affect land use are described in this soil survey. The location of each soil is shown on the detailed soil maps. Each soil in the survey area is described. Information on specific uses is given for each soil. Help in using this publication and additional information are available at the local office of the Natural Resources Conservation Service or the Cooperative Extension Service.

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## General Nature of the County

CHRISTIAN COUNTY is in the central part of Illinois (fig. 1). It has a total area of 458,340 acres, or about 716 square miles. In 2000, the population of the county was 35,372. The population of Taylorville, the county seat, was 11,427 (United States Census Bureau, 2002).

This soil survey updates the survey of Christian County published in 1994 (Illinois Agricultural Experiment Station Soil Report No. 143; Berning, 1994). The 1994 survey replaced a survey of Christian County soils published in 1950 (Illinois Agricultural Experiment Station Soil Report No. 73; Fehrenbacher et al., 1950).

## Settlement and Development

The area now known as Christian County at one time was part of the hunting grounds of the Kickapoo, Potawatomi, Sac, and Fox Tribes (Gardner et al., 1968). In 1818, settlers from Tennessee and Kentucky

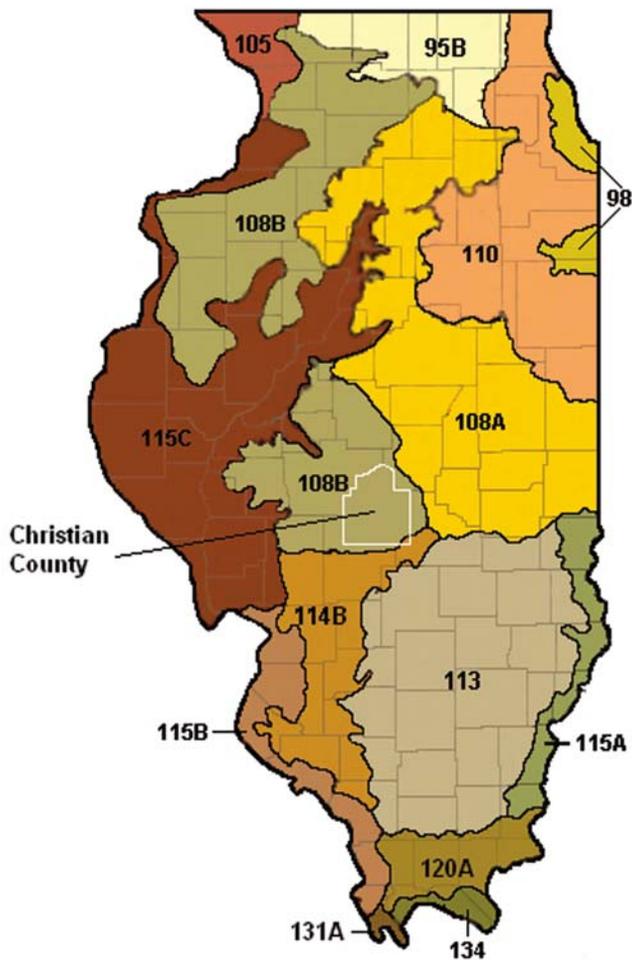
arrived in the survey area. The county was established in 1839 from parts of Sangamon, Montgomery, and Shelby Counties. Its original name, Dane County, was changed to Christian County in 1840. Taylorville was established in 1839.

The early settlers cleared and farmed the timbered areas. By 1830, metal plows were available and the settlers started plowing the prairie. At that time, about 75 percent of the county supported prairie grasses. By 1875, underground drain tiles were available. They were used to drain cultivated areas of the wet, nearly level soils.

## Farming

The primary enterprise in the county is farming. Corn, soybeans, and wheat are the main crops. Grasses and legumes are grown in some areas, and some farms raise livestock.

In 1997, Christian County had 820 farms, which made up 389,958 acres, or about 85 percent of the total land area in the county. A total of 366,457 acres



## LEGEND

- 95B—Southern Wisconsin and Northern Illinois Drift Plain
- 98—Southern Michigan and Northern Indiana Drift Plain
- 105—Northern Mississippi Valley Loess Hills
- 108A and 108B—Illinois and Iowa Deep Loess and Drift
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Figure 1.—Location of Christian County and major land resource areas (MLRAs) in Illinois (USDA, 1981).

is cropland. Of this total, about 348,915 acres is used for corn or soybeans and about 6,319 acres is used for wheat. In 1997, the county had 2,766 cattle and calves and 55,547 hogs and pigs (USDA, 1997).

### Natural Resources

The coal resource in Christian County is estimated at 4,415 million tons. Small active oil fields are in the northern and eastern parts of the county. Generally thin deposits of limestone are in scattered areas. An active limestone quarry is in the southern part of the county.

The county has about 4,000 acres of impounded water. Sangchris Lake, the largest impoundment, makes up about 2,700 acres; Lake Taylorville, makes up 1,148 acres; and Lake Pana, makes up 211 acres.

### Transportation Facilities

The transportation network in the county consists mainly of two State highways, several railroad lines, one municipal airport, and numerous county roads.

### Physiography and Drainage

Most of Christian County is nearly level and gently sloping. A large part of the county is essentially on a flat till plain that is covered with loess.

During the Pleistocene, the Illinoian glacier covered all of the county. In most areas deposits of glacial drift average 50 feet thick (Willman and Fry, 1970). After the glacier receded, the county was nearly level. As a result of geologic erosion, stream valleys and drainageways dissect the landscape.

The county has three somewhat separate rolling morainal areas. Several morainal ridges and hills, one of which is Mt. Auburn, are in the northern part of the county. In the east-central part of the county, a nearly continuous ridge extends from Taylorville northeastward to the county line east of Stonington. This ridge is relatively low near Taylorville but becomes more prominent farther to the northeast. It generally is less than three-quarters of a mile wide. The most prominent ridge in the southeastern part of the county extends from the county line east of Pana to the county line southwest of Rosamond. In most areas this ridge is  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles wide. Surface water in areas south of this ridge drains into the Kaskaskia River, and that in the rest of the county drains into the Sangamon River. Extensive bottoms and stream terraces are along the Sangamon River, the South Fork of the Sangamon River, and Flat Branch.

## Climate

Prepared by the National Water and Climate Center, Natural Resources Conservation Service, and the Illinois State Water Survey.

Table 1 gives data on temperature and precipitation for the survey area as recorded at Moweaqua in the period 1970 to 1999. Table 2 shows probable dates of the first freeze in fall and the last freeze in spring. Table 3 provides data on length of the growing season.

In winter, the average temperature is 29.5 degrees F and the average daily minimum temperature is 20.3 degrees. The lowest temperature on record, which occurred at Moweaqua on January 19, 1994, is -26 degrees. In summer, the average temperature is 74 degrees and the average daily maximum temperature is 85.6 degrees. The highest recorded temperature, which occurred at Moweaqua on June 25, 1988, is 104 degrees.

Growing degree days are shown in table 1. They are equivalent to "heat units." During the month, growing degree days accumulate by the amount that the average temperature each day exceeds a base temperature (50 degrees F). The normal monthly accumulation is used to schedule single or successive plantings of a crop between the last freeze in spring and the first freeze in fall.

The total average annual precipitation is 37.53 inches. Of this, 22.68 inches, or about 60 percent, usually falls in April through September. The growing season for most crops falls within this period. In 2

years out of 10, the rainfall in April through September is less than 11.2 inches. The heaviest 1-day rainfall during the period of record was 4.01 inches at Moweaqua on July 10, 1971.

Average seasonal snowfall is 10.2 inches. The greatest snow depth at any one time during the period of record was 20.0 inches at Moweaqua on December 25, 1983. On the average, 9 days of the year have at least 1 inch of snow on the ground. The number of such days varies greatly from year to year.

## How This Survey Was Made

This survey was made to provide updated information about the soils and miscellaneous areas in Christian County, which is a subset of Major Land Resource Areas (MLRAs) 108B and 114B (fig. 1). MLRAs are geographically associated land resource units that share a common land use, elevation, topography, climate, pattern of water and soils, and vegetation (USDA, 1981). Map unit design is based on the occurrence of each soil throughout the MLRAs. In some cases a soil component may be referred to that does not occur in the Christian County subset but that has been mapped within the MLRAs.

The information in this survey includes a description of the soils and miscellaneous areas and their suitability, limitations, and management for specified uses.

Soil scientists observed the steepness, length, and shape of the slopes; the general pattern of drainage; the kinds of crops and native plants; and the kinds of bedrock. They prepared new soil profile descriptions and studied many existing soil profile descriptions. These descriptions show the sequence of natural layers, or horizons, in a soil. The profile extends from the surface down into the unconsolidated material in which the soil formed. The unconsolidated material is devoid of roots and other living organisms and has not been changed by other biological activity.

The soils and miscellaneous areas in the survey area occur in an orderly pattern that is related to the geology, landforms, relief, climate, and natural vegetation of the area. Each kind of soil and miscellaneous area is associated with a particular kind or segment of the landscape. By observing the soils and miscellaneous areas in the survey area and relating their position to specific segments of the landscape, soil scientists develop a concept, or model, of how the soils were formed. Thus, during the update, this model enables the soil scientists to predict with a

considerable degree of accuracy the kind of soil or miscellaneous area at a specific location on the landscape.

Individual soils on the landscape commonly merge into one another as their characteristics gradually change. To construct an accurate map, however, soil scientists must determine the boundaries between the soils. They can observe only a limited number of soil profiles. Nevertheless, these observations, supplemented by an understanding of the soil-vegetation-landscape relationship, are sufficient to verify predictions of the kinds of soil in an area and to determine the boundaries.

Soil scientists recorded the characteristics of the soil profiles that they observed. The maximum depth of observation was about 80 inches (6.7 feet). The soil scientists noted soil color, texture, size and shape of soil aggregates, kind and amount of rock fragments, distribution of plant roots, soil reaction, and other features that enable them to identify soils. After describing the soils in the survey area and determining their properties, the soil scientists assigned the soils to taxonomic classes (units). Taxonomic classes are concepts. Each taxonomic class has a set of soil characteristics with precisely defined limits. The classes are used as a basis for comparison to classify soils systematically. Soil taxonomy, the system of taxonomic classification used in the United States, is based mainly on the kind and character of soil properties and the arrangement of horizons within the profile. After the soil scientists classified and named the soils in the survey area, they compared the individual soils with similar soils in the same taxonomic class in other areas so that they could confirm data and assemble additional data based on experience and research.

While a soil survey is in progress, samples of some of the soils in the area generally are collected for laboratory analyses and for engineering tests. Soil scientists interpret the data from these analyses and tests as well as the field-observed characteristics and the soil properties to determine the expected behavior of the soils under different uses. Interpretations for all of the soils are field tested through observation of the

soils in different uses and under different levels of management. Interpretations are modified as necessary to fit local conditions, and some new interpretations are developed to meet local needs. Data are assembled from other sources, such as research information, production records, and field experience of specialists. For example, data on crop yields under defined levels of management are assembled from farm records and from field or plot experiments on the same kinds of soil.

Predictions about soil behavior are based not only on soil properties but also on such variables as climate and biological activity. Soil conditions are predictable over long periods of time, but they are not predictable from year to year. For example, soil scientists can predict with a fairly high degree of accuracy that a given soil will have a seasonal high water table within certain depths in most years, but they cannot predict that the water table will always be at a specific level in the soil on a specific date. After soil scientists located and identified the significant natural bodies of soil in the survey area, they drew the boundaries of these bodies on aerial photographs and identified each as a specific map unit. Aerial photographs show trees, buildings, fields, roads, and rivers, all of which help in locating boundaries accurately.

Aerial photographs used in this update survey area were taken in 1993. Soil scientists also studied U.S. Geological Survey topographic maps enlarged to a scale of 1:12,000 and orthophotographs to relate land and image features. Specific soil boundaries from the soil maps published in 1990 were drawn on the orthophotographs. Adjustments of soil boundary lines were made to coincide with the U.S. Geological Survey topographic map contour lines and tonal patterns on aerial photographs.

The descriptions, names, and delineations of the soils in this county may not fully agree with those of the soils in adjacent counties. Differences are the result of a better knowledge of soils, modifications in series concepts, or variations in the intensity of mapping or in the extent of the soils in the counties.

# Formation and Classification of the Soils

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This section relates the soils in the survey area to the major factors and processes of soil formation and describes the system of soil classification.

## Formation of the Soils

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A soil is a three-dimensional natural body consisting of mineral and organic material that can support plant growth. The nature of any soil at a given site is the result of the interaction of the major factors of soil formation and their influence on the processes of soil formation.

## Factors of Soil Formation

The major factors of soil formation are parent material, climate, plants and animals, topography, and time (Jenny, 1941). Climate and plants and animals act directly on the parent material, which is modified by topography over time. Theoretically, if all these factors were identical at different sites, the soils at these sites would be identical. The diversity among soils is the result of unique combinations of the soil-forming factors. Soils are continually evolving in response to these factors.

### Parent Material

Parent material is the unconsolidated geologic material in which a soil forms. It determines the basis for the chemical and mineralogical composition of the soil. The properties of the parent material vary greatly, sometimes within small areas, depending on how the material was deposited. The soils in Christian County formed in variety of parent materials. The majority of the soils formed in loess. Other soils formed in glacial drift, alluvium, eolian deposits, or a combination of these.

Glacial drift is glacially deposited sediment. Christian County has two main types of glacial drift—till and outwash. Till is material that was deposited directly by glacial ice with little or no water action. It typically has particles that vary in size, including sand,

silt, clay, and some pebbles, cobbles, and larger rock fragments. The small pebbles in till generally have distinct edges and corners, indicating that they have not been subject to intense washing by water. Till is well graded and unstratified. The till in Christian County was deposited during the Illinoian age as ground moraines and end moraines. Ground moraines are gently undulating plains of glacial sediment deposited when the ice front retreated. End moraines are ridges along the edge of the glacier where the flowing ice was melting as fast as it was moving forward. Soils that formed in till are of minor extent in the county. Hickory soils are examples.

During the Sangamon interglacial stage, which occurred between the Illinoian and Wisconsinan stages, the relatively flat, stable till surface was exposed to intense weathering. A soil formed on the till surface and was subsequently buried by depositions of loess. In Christian County, the loess deposits were thick enough to remove the soil from the influence of the active soil-forming processes. The soils that formed in the till are called paleosols, and they reflect the environmental conditions of their formation period. There are several types of paleosols. The two types in Christian County are called buried and exhumed paleosols. A buried paleosol generally is no longer subject to the soil-forming processes that created it. In some areas where the loess deposits are thinner, however, the current processes of soil formation have extended through the loess and into the upper part of the paleosol. The result is a welded soil profile. Elco soils are examples of soils that formed in these areas. An exhumed paleosol is in areas where erosion has removed the overlying loess and exposed the paleosol to the modern soil surface. Atlas soils are examples of soils that formed in these areas.

Outwash includes all sediments deposited by running water from melting glaciers. The size of the particles that can be transported by water, either as bed load or suspended sediments, depends on the gradient, volume, and velocity of the moving water. Water velocity decreases when a stream loses grade or flows into a larger body of water. As the velocity decreases, suspended particles begin to settle out. The coarser materials, such as gravel and cobbles,

are deposited nearer to the source; the finer materials, such as fine sands, silts, and clays, are carried farther downstream. The pebbles in outwash generally have rounded edges and corners, indicating that they have been subject to intense washing by water. Outwash is poorly graded, is stratified, and varies in composition because of variations in the flow of water. The outwash in Christian County was deposited during the Wisconsin age as outwash plains and valley trains. Outwash plains are broad, flat areas of stratified material deposited by meltwater along the ice front. Valley trains are areas of stratified material deposited in valleys beyond the ice margins. Soils that formed in loess and the underlying outwash are of minor extent in the county. Camden soils are examples.

Alluvium is material deposited by running water. It is generally finer textured and more weathered than outwash. Stream alluvium is the only kind of alluvium in Christian County.

Stream alluvium is soil material deposited by floodwater along streams. The source of the alluvium generally is material eroded from other parent materials farther upstream in the watershed. Stream alluvium is poorly graded, stratified, and well sorted. The texture of the soil material varies, depending on the speed of the floodwater, the duration of flooding, and the distance from the streambank. Once the faster moving water within the stream channel is outside the channel, it slows quickly as the concentrated channel flow changes to broad overland flow. The capacity of the stream to carry a sediment load decreases as the water velocity decreases. The coarser textured material is deposited first, near the channel. The fine textured material is carried a greater distance from the channel. Ross soils are examples of soils that formed the coarser textured alluvium close to the stream channel. Tice soils formed in the finer textured alluvium farther from the stream channel.

Eolian sediments are materials transported and deposited by the wind. These sediments were derived from periglacial regions where sparse vegetation and low temperatures and precipitation rates left unconsolidated sediments exposed to wind action. The unconsolidated sediments, primarily outwash, were then stripped of their finer components by the strong wind. The types of eolian sediment in Christian County are loess and windblown sand. Loess is the main eolian sediment and the major parent material of the soils in the county. It is made up primarily of silt. It is fine grained and poorly graded. It is about 7 feet thick on the nearly level uplands in the northern part of the county and thins to about 4 feet in the southern part. Buckhart soils formed in loess.

Windblown sand is a minor parent material in the

county. It commonly forms dunes along the major valleys that serve as the principal source of the sand. The deposits of sand thin quickly from the source, generally within 1 mile, and commonly are interbedded with loess. Windblown sand is poorly graded. Broadwell soils formed in loess overlying windblown sand.

### **Climate**

The climate in Christian County has significantly affected the soil-forming processes. The county has a humid, temperate climate. In this climatic environment, physical and chemical weathering of the parent material can occur along with the accumulation of organic matter, the decomposition of minerals, the formation and translocation of clay, the leaching of soluble compounds, and alternating periods of freezing and thawing.

The two climatic factors that have the greatest influence on soil-forming processes are precipitation and temperature. Precipitation supplies the moisture needed for most physical and chemical processes and determines the depth to which these processes occur. The soil moisture regime, which is partially a function of precipitation, determines the processes that occur in the soil. The rate at which these physical and chemical processes proceed depends on the temperature, particularly the soil temperature regime.

Two soil moisture regimes occur in the county—aquic and udic. The aquic moisture regime is a reducing regime in a soil that is virtually free of dissolved oxygen because of saturation by water, including water of the capillary fringe. Biological activity is necessary for the removal of dissolved oxygen from ground water. Therefore, the soil temperature must be above biologic zero (5 degrees C) for some time while the soil is saturated. Sawmill soils have an aquic soil moisture regime. The udic moisture regime is one in which the soil moisture control section is not dry in any part for as long as 90 cumulative days per year. Also required, except for short periods, is a three-phase system, solid-liquid-gas, in part or all of the soil moisture control section when the soil temperature is above biologic zero. Camden soils have a udic soil moisture regime.

The mesic soil temperature regime is the only temperature regime recognized in the county. This regime is one in which the mean annual soil temperature is 8 degrees to less than 15 degrees C and the difference between mean summer and mean winter soil temperatures is more than 5 degrees C at a depth of 20 inches.

## Plants and Animals

Living organisms impact soil formation. They include vegetation; macrofauna, such as earthworms; micro-organisms, such as algae, bacteria, and fungi; and humans. The vegetation under which a soil forms influences several important soil properties, such as color, structure, reaction, and content and distribution of organic matter. Vegetation extracts water from the soil, recycles nutrients, and adds organic matter to the soil. Gases derived from root respiration combine with water to form acids that influence the weathering of minerals.

Several different types of vegetation have influenced soil formation in Christian County. These include prairie vegetation, upland hardwood forests, forest and prairie vegetation in transitional areas, and vegetation on flood plains.

*Prairie vegetation.*—This vegetation produces large amounts of organic matter in the soil. Most of the organic matter is directly deposited within the developing soil profile through the decomposition of roots and the incorporation of surface organic residues by animals. The well distributed subsurface accumulations of organic material result in development of a thick, dark surface layer. Buckhart soils formed under prairie vegetation. The average content of organic matter in the surface layer of these soils is 3 to 4 percent.

*Upland hardwood forests.*—These forests contribute organic matter to the soil primarily when they add leaf litter to the surface each year, resulting in a thin dark surface layer. Rozetta soils formed under this type of vegetation. The average content of organic matter in the surface layer of these soils is 1 to 3 percent.

*Forest and prairie vegetation in transitional areas.*—Soils that formed in these areas exhibit modified characteristics of both forest and prairie vegetative regimes. An example is Clarksdale soils, which have a surface layer that is slightly thinner than that of the soils that formed under prairie vegetation. The average content of organic matter in the surface layer of Clarksdale soils is 2 to 3 percent.

*Vegetation on flood plains.*—The soils on these plains formed under a combination of trees and grasses. They have colors that largely reflect those of the sediments in which they formed. Tice soils are examples.

Bacteria, fungi, and many other micro-organisms decompose organic matter and release nutrients to growing plants. They influence the formation of peds. Soil properties, such as drainage, temperature, and reaction, influence the type of micro-organisms that live in the soil. Fungi are generally more active in the

more acid soils, while bacteria are more active in the less acid soils.

Earthworms, crayfish, insects, and small burrowing animals mix the soil and create small channels that influence soil aeration and the percolation of water. Earthworms help to incorporate crop residue or other organic matter into the soil. The organic material improves tilth. In areas that are well populated with earthworms, the leaf litter that accumulates on the soil in the fall is generally incorporated into the soil by the following spring. If the earthworm population is low, part of the leaf fall can remain on the surface of the soil for several years.

Human activities have significantly influenced soil formation through their effect on soil health. Soil health has been damaged by degradation processes, such as erosion, compaction, contamination, disaggregation, loss of biological activity, and nutrient depletion. Native forests have been cleared and wet soils drained for farming and other uses. The development of land for urban uses has significantly influenced the soils in some areas.

## Topography

Topography, or the configuration of the land surface in terms of relief and contour, influences soil formation mainly through its effect on surface water runoff or accumulation, depth to the water table, and erosion and deposition. The degree of the effect of topography depends on the type and stability of the land surface.

There are two types of land surfaces—aggrading and degrading—and three levels of stability—stable, metastable, and active. The aggrading surfaces in Christian County receive material either through the deposition associated with flooding or through the accumulation of erosional sediments. Ross soils formed on natural levees on flood plains. The natural levees are an example of active-aggrading land surfaces. They receive depositions of sediment during frequent episodes of flooding. Virden soils formed in broad, low areas on drainage divides that receive runoff from upslope areas but accumulate little sediment from hillslope erosion. These broad, low areas are an example of stable-aggrading land surfaces.

Degrading surfaces lose material primarily through erosion. Keomah soils formed on the broad summits of interfluves. These broad summits are an example of stable-degrading surfaces, where runoff is limited. Elco soils are on the shoulders of hillslopes and thus are more susceptible to runoff and erosion than the Keomah soils. Shoulders are metastable-degrading surfaces, where increased runoff leads to higher rates of erosion. Backslopes are an example of active-

degrading surfaces. Hickory soils are on backslopes, where runoff and erosion rates are highest.

### Time

Evaluation of time as a factor of soil formation is difficult because of the effects of the other soil-forming factors. The influence of time can be modified by erosion, deposition of material, topography, and kind of parent material. The length of time that the parent material has been exposed to soil-forming processes influences the degree of genetic horizon development that occurs in the soil. Most of the soils in Christian County have been forming long enough for the development of distinct layers, or horizons. Rozetta soils are examples of well developed soils.

Soils on flood plains receive alluvial material during each flood. This repeated deposition interrupts soil formation, resulting in weak profile development. Tice soils are examples of immature soils that formed in stream alluvium.

### Processes of Soil Formation

Soil forms through the complex interaction of four general processes. These processes are *additions*, *transformations*, *removals*, and *translocations*. The degree of interaction of each these processes varies, resulting in the variety of soils on the landscape.

*Additions* to the soil can occur directly through the deposition of sediment by floodwater or through the accumulation of windblown sediment. They also occur through the accumulation and incorporation of organic matter in the A horizon of mineral soils. The most striking example of this addition is the formation of a mollic epipedon. The mollic epipedon forms in an environment that features optimum amounts of moisture, temperature, and bivalent cations. Such an environment allows grasses to thrive. The grassland vegetation produces large amounts of organic matter. Microbial decomposition of subsurface organic residues and of surface organic residues taken underground by soil fauna results in the most recognizable property of the mollic epipedon, a dark color. Ipava soils are examples of soils that have a mollic epipedon.

*Transformations* are changes that take place in the soil through the interaction of biological, chemical, and physical processes. An example is the reduction of iron and manganese oxides, which occurs in soils that are saturated with water. Typically, iron oxides coat soil particles and produce brownish, yellowish, or reddish colors, and manganese oxides produce black colors. When a soil becomes saturated with water and the dissolved oxygen is removed, anaerobic conditions

develop. These conditions result in changes in the biochemical processes occurring in the soils and in the development of distinctive soil morphological characteristics (redoximorphic features). Reduced iron and manganese can move with the soil water to other parts of the soil or can be removed entirely from the soil by leaching. After the iron and manganese are removed, the leached area, or depletion zone, generally is grayish or whitish. If the reduced iron comes in contact with oxygen, it can reoxidize. The result is the formation of bright colored concentrations or accumulations. Repeated cycles of saturation and drying result in a mottled soil. Part of the soil is gray because of the loss of iron, and other parts are brown because the iron oxide has accumulated or has not been removed. The somewhat poorly drained Ipava soils are examples of soils in which this process has occurred. Iron may be leached from soils that remain saturated for long periods. Such soils are generally grayish or gleyed. The poorly drained Sawmill soils are examples.

*Removals* from the soil can occur as solid mineral and organic particles are lost through erosion of the soil surface. Such losses can be serious because the material lost generally is from the most productive part of the soil profile.

Removals can also occur as a result of leaching. The leaching of calcium carbonate from calcareous loess is an example. The loess was initially high in content of calcium carbonate. Water percolating through the loess dissolved the calcium carbonate and transported it deeper into the solum. Calcium carbonate is relatively soluble and is removed early in the formation of the soil. It is also a powerful flocculent, creating soil particles too large to be transported in suspension in the soil water. Removal of calcium carbonate facilitates the dispersion of clay particles. Translocation of the dispersed clay particles can then occur in percolating soil water.

*Translocations* are movements of material from one part of the soil to another. An example is the translocation of clay from the A or E horizon, the zone of eluviation or loss, to the B horizon, the zone of illuviation or gain. In Rozetta soils, for example, a significant amount of clay has accumulated, forming an illuvial horizon called an argillic horizon. The argillic horizon developed on a relatively old, stable landscape. Water from rain and melting snow transferred fine clay from the A or E horizon downward to the B horizon, where the clay particles were deposited on the faces of peds and along pores. Another example of a translocation occurs in soils that have a high content of sodium in the subsoil. The sodium affects the dispersion of clay by accelerating

clay illuviation. A special type of argillic horizon, called a natric horizon, forms. Piasa soils are examples of soils with a natric horizon.

## Soils and Soil-Landscape Units

Soils are natural bodies that are distributed on the landscape in a predictable way in response to a systematic interaction of the five factors of soil formation. The relationship of the landscape to the five factors results in a soil-landscape unit (Hudson, 1992). A soil-landscape unit is similar to a landform that has been modified by one or more of the soil-forming factors. Within a particular soil-landscape unit, the same kind of soil should form. Changes in the interaction of one or more of the five factors leads to a change in the soil-landscape unit, influencing the soil-forming processes and the soil that forms within this unit.

The following paragraphs describe the relationships and interactions that occur in some of the more common soil-landscape units in Christian County and the soils that have formed in these units.

Upland landscapes predominate in Christian County. These landscapes range from broad, relatively undissected drainage divides to dissected areas adjacent to streams and creeks.

Low areas on the broad drainage divides are on stable-aggrading land surfaces. The parent material in these areas is loess. Much of the calcium carbonate that was present when the loess was deposited has been leached to a sufficient depth to facilitate soil formation. Water enters the developing soil system as direct precipitation and as runoff from upslope areas, resulting in a wet soil microclimate. A seasonal high water table is at or near the surface much of the year, and at times the areas are ponded. Redoximorphic features associated with prolonged saturated conditions, such as a depleted soil matrix and iron and manganese accumulations along root channels and pores, occur throughout the soil profile.

The native vegetation in this landscape unit consisted of prairie grasses. Additions of large amounts of organic matter from the incorporation of plant residues by soil fauna and from decomposition of the extensive and deep root systems of the grasses resulted in a thick, dark surface horizon, called a mollic epipedon.

The saturated conditions and poor aeration influenced the rate at which organic matter decomposed. This rate is slower in soils that are saturated for prolonged periods, resulting in a thicker mollic epipedon and a higher content of organic matter than is characteristic of the better aerated positions

upslope. The extended periods of saturation also impeded the illuviation of clay and formation of an argillic horizon. A cambic horizon has developed through the aggregation of soil particles into structural units, or peds, and the development of redoximorphic features.

Sable soils formed in this soil-landscape unit. Low-lying soils with a high content of sodium in the subsoil commonly are in closely associated areas within this unit. The sodium affects the dispersion of clay, accelerating clay illuviation and the formation of a natric horizon, which is a special type of argillic horizon. Piasa soils formed in these intermingled areas.

Upslope from the low areas is a soil-landscape unit that consists of the summits of broad rises on drainage divides. These summits are stable-degrading land surfaces. The parent material in areas of this unit is loess. Water enters the system primarily through direct precipitation. The seasonal high water table and associated redoximorphic features occur at a lower depth in the soils of this unit than in the soils in the adjacent low areas. The redoximorphic features also indicate a fluctuating water table. The soil microclimate in the upper part of the profile alternates between periods when the soils are unsaturated and periods when they are saturated. A yellowish brown soil matrix indicates an oxidizing environment. Redoximorphic depletions along root channels and pores and iron and manganese accumulations within the matrix, however, indicate short periods of saturation. The lower part of the profile is saturated for extended periods and has a depleted or gleyed soil matrix.

The native vegetation in this landscape unit consisted of prairie grasses. The soils of this unit are better aerated than the soils in low areas and tend to have a higher rate of organic-matter decomposition. Thus, they generally have a slightly thinner mollic epipedon and a lower content of organic matter than the soils in the low areas.

The fluctuating water table disrupts the soil fabric through wetting and drying cycles, which aid in the dispersal of clay, the movement of clay with percolating water, and the precipitation of clay as films on the faces of peds and as linings of pores. The result is the formation of an illuvial horizon called an argillic horizon. Ipava soils formed in areas of this soil-landscape unit.

The soil-landscape unit in the more dissected areas consists of the broad summits of interfluves. It has characteristics similar to those of the unit on the summits of broad rises on drainage divides. These dissected areas are stable-degrading land surfaces. The parent material in areas of this unit is loess. Water

enters the system primarily through direct precipitation. Depth to the seasonal high water table and the associated redoximorphic features are nearly identical to those of the soil-landscape unit on the summits of broad rises.

The native vegetation in this soil-landscape unit is transitional between forest and prairie vegetation. The soils in this unit have a dark surface layer, but they do not have a mollic epipedon because the dark surface layer is not thick enough and does not have a sufficient accumulation of organic matter. This type of surface horizon is called an ochric epipedon.

A light colored, eluvial subsurface horizon (called an albic horizon) also has developed in the soils of this unit. This horizon is typical of soils that formed under forest vegetation. In this horizon, much of the clay and free iron oxides have been removed and the color is determined primarily by the uncoated silt particles and sand grains. The translocation of clay from the eluvial horizon to the illuvial horizon results in the formation of an argillic horizon. Clarksdale soils are in areas of this soil-landscape unit.

Adjacent to this soil-landscape unit is a unit that also consists of the summits of interfluves but that is generally closer to the opposing interfluve drainageways and is on narrower summits. These summits are stable-degrading land surfaces. The parent material in areas of this unit is loess. Water enters the system through direct precipitation. Water that does not infiltrate the soil is lost through surface flow or runoff. Runoff increases the susceptibility to erosion.

The seasonal high water table and associated redoximorphic features occur at a much lower depth than those in the soils on the broad summits. The upper part of the soils formed in an oxidizing environment. The soil matrix is generally yellowish brown or brown and is free of depletions. The matrix in the lower part of the profile is yellowish brown and generally has depletions along pores and root channels, indicating short periods of saturation.

The native vegetation in areas of this soil-landscape unit is broadleaf deciduous forest. Under forest vegetation, most of the addition of organic matter occurs above ground. Organic matter is not incorporated as deep in the soil profile as it is in soils that formed under prairie vegetation, and the content decreases rapidly with increasing depth. Therefore, the dark surface layer, which is generally evident prior to tillage, is thinner than that in the Clarksdale soils. An ochric epipedon and an albic horizon have developed.

The more acid leaching environment that occurs under forest vegetation allows dispersed clay particles

to be translocated to a greater depth than is characteristic in similar positions under prairie vegetation. The result is a well developed argillic horizon. Rozetta soils formed in areas of this soil-landscape unit.

Downslope from this soil-landscape unit is a unit that consists of the shoulders of hillslopes. These are metastable-degrading land surfaces. The parent material in areas of this unit is till. Water enters the system through direct precipitation. Some of this water is lost through runoff. This loss results in a drier microclimate. Runoff increases the susceptibility to erosion.

The seasonal high water table is below the depth of the developing soil profile. The entire profile developed in an oxidizing environment. The soil matrix is yellowish brown or brown and is free of depletions.

The native vegetation in this soil-landscape unit is forest. The soils have an ochric epipedon and an argillic horizon. Hickory soils formed in areas of this soil-landscape unit.

On the narrow flood plains between opposing side slopes is an active-aggrading landscape position that receives sediment during frequent episodes of flooding. The nearly continual deposition of sediment interrupts the soil-forming processes. The result is less time for soil formation to proceed and a less developed soil profile. A mollic epipedon is evident in the developing soil profile, but the fine stratification common to recent alluvial deposits remains and no diagnostic subsurface horizons occur. Ross soils formed in areas of this soil-landscape unit.

## Classification of the Soils

The system of soil classification used by the National Cooperative Soil Survey has six categories (Soil Survey Staff, 1999). Beginning with the broadest, these categories are the order, suborder, great group, subgroup, family, and series. Classification is based on soil properties observed in the field or inferred from those observations or from laboratory measurements. Table 4 shows the classification of the soils in the county. The categories are defined in the following paragraphs.

**ORDER.** Twelve soil orders are recognized. The differences among orders reflect the dominant soil-forming processes and the degree of soil formation. Each order is identified by a word ending in *sol*. An example is Mollisol.

**SUBORDER.** Each order is divided into suborders primarily on the basis of properties that influence soil genesis and are important to plant growth or properties that reflect the most important variables

within the orders. The last syllable in the name of a suborder indicates the order. An example is Udoll (*Ud*, meaning humid, plus *oll*, from Mollisol).

**GREAT GROUP.** Each suborder is divided into great groups on the basis of close similarities in kind, arrangement, and degree of development of pedogenic horizons; soil moisture and temperature regimes; type of saturation; and base status. Each great group is identified by the name of a suborder and by a prefix that indicates a property of the soil. An example is Argiudolls (*Argi*, meaning white clay, plus *udoll*, the suborder of the Mollisols that has a udic moisture regime).

**SUBGROUP.** Each great group has a typic subgroup. Other subgroups are intergrades or extragrades. The typic is the central concept of the great group; it is not necessarily the most extensive. Intergrades are transitions to other orders, suborders, or great groups. Extragrades have some properties that are not representative of the great group but do not indicate transitions to any other known kind of soil. Each subgroup is identified by one or more adjectives

preceding the name of the great group. The adjective *Typic* identifies the subgroup that typifies the great group. An example is Typic Argiudolls.

**FAMILY.** Families are established within a subgroup on the basis of physical and chemical properties and other characteristics that affect management. Generally, the properties are those of horizons below plow depth where there is much biological activity. Among the properties and characteristics considered are particle-size class, mineralogy class, cation-exchange activity class, soil temperature regime, soil depth, and reaction class. A family name consists of the name of a subgroup preceded by terms that indicate soil properties. An example is fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiudolls.

**SERIES.** The series consists of soils that have similar horizons in their profile. The horizons are similar in color, texture, structure, reaction, consistence, mineral and chemical composition, and arrangement in the profile. The texture of the surface layer or of the substratum can differ within a series.



## Soil Series and Detailed Soil Map Units

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In this section each soil series recognized in the survey area is described. Each series description is followed by detailed descriptions of the associated detailed soil map units.

Characteristics of the soil and the material in which it formed are identified for each soil series. A pedon, a small three-dimensional area of soil, that is typical of the series in the survey area is described. The detailed description of each soil horizon follows standards in the "Soil Survey Manual" (Soil Survey Division Staff, 1993; <http://www.statlab.iastate.edu/soils/ssm>). Many of the technical terms used in the descriptions are defined in "Soil Taxonomy" (Soil Survey Staff, 1999; <http://www.statlab.iastate.edu/soils/soiltax>). Unless otherwise stated, colors in the descriptions are for moist soil. Following the pedon description is the range of important characteristics of the soils in the series.

The map units on the detailed soil maps in this survey represent the soils or miscellaneous areas in the survey area. The map unit descriptions in this section, along with the maps, can be used to determine the suitability and potential of a unit for specific uses. They also can be used to plan the management needed for those uses. More information about each map unit is given under the headings "Use and Management of the Soils" and "Soil Properties."

A map unit delineation on a soil map represents an area dominated by one or more major kinds of soil or miscellaneous areas. A map unit is identified and named according to the taxonomic classification of the dominant soils. Within a taxonomic class there are precisely defined limits for the properties of the soils. On the landscape, however, the soils are natural phenomena, and they have the characteristic variability of all natural phenomena. Thus, the range of some observed properties may extend beyond the limits defined for a taxonomic class. Areas of soils of a single taxonomic class rarely, if ever, can be mapped without including areas of other taxonomic classes. Consequently, every map unit is made up of the soils or miscellaneous areas for which it is named and some minor components that belong to taxonomic classes other than those of the major soils.

Most minor soils have properties similar to those of the dominant soil or soils in the map unit, and thus

they do not affect use and management. These are called noncontrasting, or similar, components. They may or may not be mentioned in a particular map unit description. Other minor components, however, have properties and behavioral characteristics divergent enough to affect use or to require different management. These are called contrasting, or dissimilar, components. They generally are in small areas and could not be mapped separately because of the scale used. Some small areas of strongly contrasting soils or miscellaneous areas are identified by a special symbol on the maps. The contrasting components are mentioned in the map unit descriptions. A few areas of minor components may not have been observed, and consequently they are not mentioned in the descriptions, especially where the pattern was so complex that it was impractical to make enough observations to identify all the soils and miscellaneous areas on the landscape.

The presence of minor components in a map unit in no way diminishes the usefulness or accuracy of the data. The objective of mapping is not to delineate pure taxonomic classes but rather to separate the landscape into landforms or landform segments that have similar use and management requirements. The delineation of such segments on the map provides sufficient information for the development of resource plans. If intensive use of small areas is planned, however, onsite investigation is needed to define and locate the soils and miscellaneous areas.

An identifying symbol precedes the map unit name in the map unit descriptions. Each description includes general facts about the unit and gives the principal hazards and limitations to be considered in planning for specific uses.

Soils that have profiles that are almost alike make up a *soil series*. Except for differences in texture of the surface layer or of the underlying layers, all the soils of a series have major horizons that are similar in composition, thickness, and arrangement.

Soils of one series can differ in texture of the surface layer or of the underlying layers. They also can differ in slope, stoniness, salinity, wetness, degree of erosion, and other characteristics that affect their use. On the basis of such differences, a soil series is

divided into *soil phases*. The name of a soil phase commonly indicates a feature that affects use or management. For example, Harrison silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded, is a phase of the Harrison series.

Some map units are made up of two or more major soils or miscellaneous areas. These map units are complexes. A *complex* consists of two or more soils or miscellaneous areas in such an intricate pattern or in such small areas that they cannot be shown separately on the maps. The pattern and proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas are somewhat similar in all areas. Bunkum-Atlas silt loams, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded, is an example.

This survey includes *miscellaneous areas*. Such areas have little or no soil material and support little or no vegetation. Dumps, mine, is an example.

Table 5 gives the acreage and proportionate extent of each map unit. Other tables give properties of the soils and the limitations, capabilities, and potentials for many uses. The Glossary defines many of the terms used in describing the soils or miscellaneous areas. In the following descriptions, the letters “OSD” after the heading “Typical Pedon” mean “Official Series Description.”

### **Alvin Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Coarse-loamy, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Hapludalfs

#### **Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Alvin fine sandy loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes, at an elevation of about 660 feet; Vermilion County, Illinois; about 2,320 feet south and 1,760 feet east of the northwest corner of sec. 32, T. 21 N., R. 11 W.; USGS Danville NE topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 14 minutes 8 seconds N. and long. 87 degrees 36 minutes 58 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 8 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) fine sandy loam, light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) dry; weak fine granular structure; very friable; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

BE—8 to 11 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) fine sandy loam; weak fine subangular blocky structure; very friable; few distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silt coatings on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—11 to 15 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) fine sandy loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—15 to 25 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) fine sandy loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; friable; common distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

E and Bt—25 to 74 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) loamy fine sand (E); weak medium subangular blocky structure; very friable; 3 to 10 percent, by volume, common or many thin lamellae of dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/6) fine sandy loam (Bt); moderate medium subangular blocky structure; friable; common distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

C—74 to 80 inches; 80 percent brown (10YR 4/3) and 20 percent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6), stratified fine sandy loam; massive; friable; moderately acid.

#### **Range in Characteristics**

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to more than 80 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—3 or 4; 3 in A horizons less than 6 inches thick

Chroma—1 to 4

Texture—fine sandy loam, sandy loam, or very fine sandy loam

*E, EB, or BE horizon(s), where present:*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 4

Texture—very fine sandy loam, fine sandy loam, sandy loam, or loamy fine sand

*Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—very fine sandy loam, loam, fine sandy loam, or sandy loam; also, thin layers of sandy clay loam

*E part of the E and Bt or Bt and E horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—sandy loam, loamy sand, sand, or the fine or very fine analogs of those textures

*Bt part of the E and Bt or Bt and E horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—sandy loam, loamy sand, the fine or very fine analogs of those textures, or loam

*BC or C horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—sandy loam, loamy sand, sand, or the fine or very fine analogs of those textures

### **131C2—Alvin fine sandy loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded**

#### ***Setting***

*Landform:* Knolls, stream terraces, and outwash plains

*Position on landform:* Summits, backslopes, and risers

#### ***Map Unit Composition***

Alvin and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

#### ***Minor Components***

*Similar soils:*

- Soils that contain more sand in the surface soil and subsoil
- Soils that contain less sand in the surface soil and subsoil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Kendall soils on footslopes

#### ***Properties and Qualities of the Alvin Soil***

*Parent material:* Eolian deposits and/or outwash

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Moderately rapid

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately rapid

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 8.9 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 0.5 to 1.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Low

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* None

*Accelerated erosion:* The surface soil has been thinned by erosion.

*Potential for frost action:* Moderate

*Corrosivity:* Low for steel and high for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Moderately high

#### ***Interpretive Groups***

*Land capability classification:* Alvin—3e

*Prime farmland status:* Alvin—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Alvin—not hydric

#### ***Assumption Series***

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Oxyaquic Argiudolls

#### ***Typical Pedon (OSD)***

Assumption silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes, at an elevation of 720 feet; Henry County, Illinois; 100 feet north and 300 feet east of the southwest corner of sec. 29, T. 15 N., R. 2 E.; USGS Andover topographic quadrangle; lat. 41 degrees 15 minutes 00 seconds N. and long. 90 degrees 17 minutes 57 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 6 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; weak medium granular structure; friable; many fine roots throughout; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

A—6 to 13 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; moderate medium granular structure; friable; many fine roots throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

AB—13 to 16 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam mixed with some brown (10YR 4/3) material in the lower 2 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) and brown (10YR 5/3) dry; weak medium subangular blocky structure; friable; many fine roots throughout; neutral; clear wavy boundary.

Bt1—16 to 26 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate fine subangular blocky; firm; common fine roots between peds; many moderately thick brown (10YR 5/3) clay films on faces of peds; slightly acid; clear wavy boundary.

Bt2—26 to 35 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; firm; common fine roots between peds; many distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; many medium distinct brownish yellow (10YR 6/6) masses of iron and common distinct grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) iron depletions in the matrix; slightly acid; abrupt wavy boundary.

2Bt3—35 to 51 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) clay loam; weak medium subangular blocky

structure; firm; common fine roots between peds; common distinct moderately thick dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; many coarse faint yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron; common medium prominent light olive gray (5Y 6/2) iron depletions; slightly acid; clear wavy boundary.

2Bt4—51 to 60 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; firm; common fine roots between peds; many moderately thick brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; many medium distinct brownish yellow (10YR 6/6) masses of iron; slightly acid; clear wavy boundary.

2C—60 to 80 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) clay loam; massive; firm; common coarse prominent grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) iron depletions and common coarse distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) masses of iron in the matrix; slightly effervescent; slightly alkaline.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 20 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* 20 to 40 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 48 to more than 70 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 to 3

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 2.5Y

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*2Btg or 2Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—1 to 6

Texture—clay loam, silty clay loam, clay, or silty clay

*2C or 2Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—1 to 6

Texture—clay loam, silty clay loam, clay, or silty clay

#### Taxadjunct Feature

The Assumption soils in this survey area have a dark surface soil that is thinner than is definitive for the

series. This difference, however, does not significantly affect the use and management of the soils. The soils are classified as fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Oxyaquic Hapludalfs.

### 259C2—Assumption silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded

#### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 2)

*Position on landform:* Shoulders and backslopes

#### Map Unit Composition

Assumption and similar soils: 100 percent

#### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thinner, lighter colored surface layer
- Soils with less clay in the subsoil
- Soils with carbonates within a depth of 40 inches
- Soils with less sand in the lower part of the subsoil

#### Properties and Qualities of the Assumption Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over a paleosol that formed in till

*Drainage class:* Moderately well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow or moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.2 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Perched seasonal high water table:* 2.0 to 3.5 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Accelerated erosion:* The surface soil has been thinned by erosion.

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

#### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Assumption—3e

*Prime farmland status:* Assumption—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Assumption—not hydric

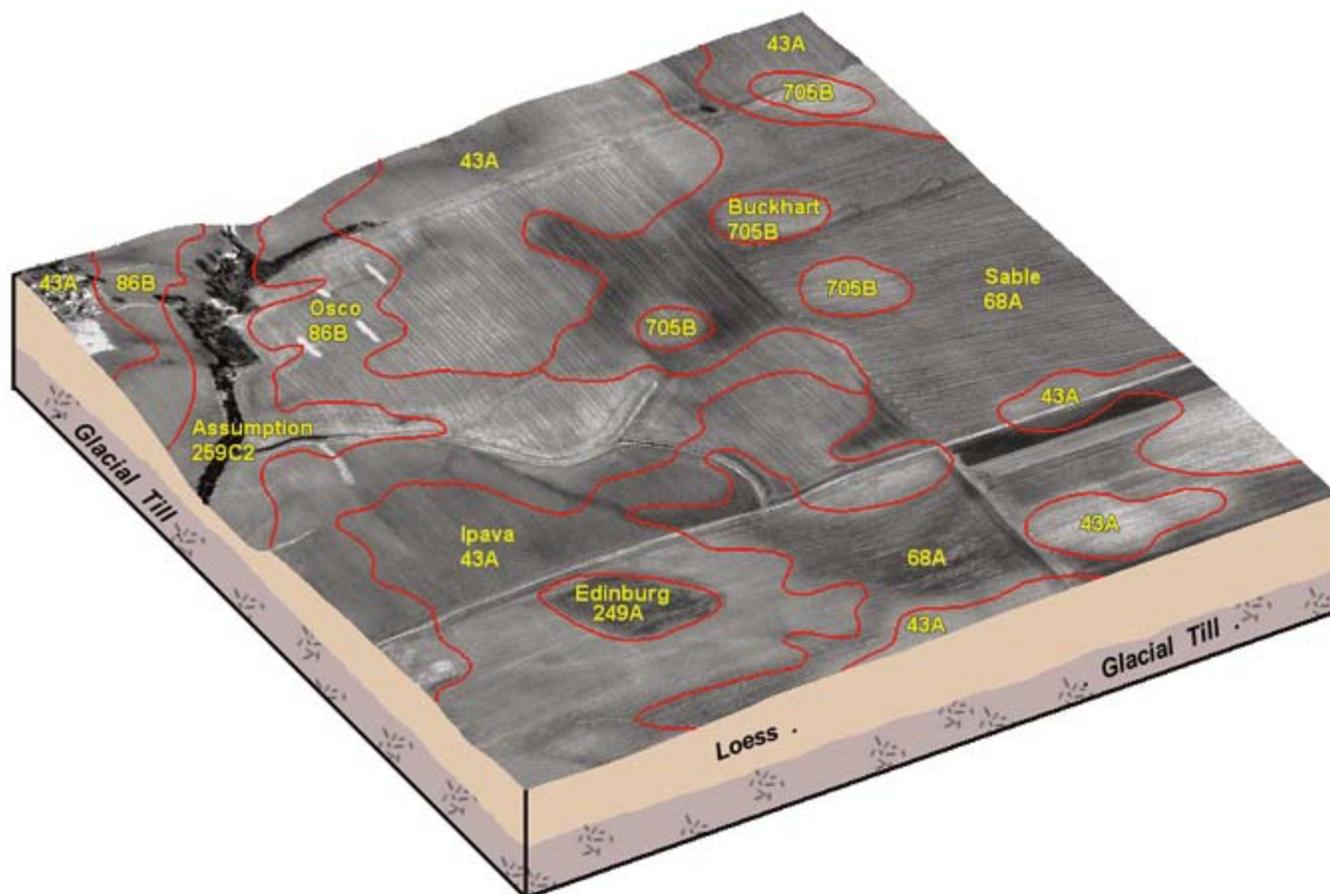


Figure 2.—Typical pattern of upland prairie soils that formed in loess or in loess and glacial till; in nearly level to moderately sloping areas.

### Atlas Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine, smectitic, mesic Aeric Chromic Vertic Epiaqualfs

#### Typical Pedon (OSD)

Atlas silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded, at an elevation of 665 feet; Adams County, Illinois; 1,200 feet west and 50 feet south of the northeast corner of sec. 7, T. 1 N., R. 6 W.; USGS Coatsburg topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 05 minutes 40 seconds N. and long. 91 degrees 07 minutes 52 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 7 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silt loam, light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) dry; weak fine granular structure; friable; common very fine and fine roots; common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) and few fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout; few fine distinct black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and

manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

BE—7 to 13 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam, light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) dry; weak medium subangular blocky structure; friable; common fine roots; few fine distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) clay depletions throughout; few fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout; slightly acid; clear wavy boundary.

2Btg1—13 to 26 inches; dark gray (10YR 4/1) silty clay loam; moderate thick platy structure parting to weak fine subangular blocky; firm; common fine and few medium roots; common distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds and in pores; few fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron and few fine distinct white (10YR 8/1) masses of barite throughout; moderately acid; clear wavy boundary.

2Btg2—26 to 37 inches; 87 percent dark gray (10YR 4/1) and 10 percent gray (10YR 5/1) silty clay; weak medium prismatic structure; firm; common

fine and medium roots; few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds and in pores; common fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron and few fine distinct white (10YR 8/1) masses of barite throughout; 1 percent rounded gravel and 1 percent subangular limestone-cherty gravel; neutral; clear wavy boundary.

2Btg3—37 to 47 inches; gray (2.5Y 5/1) silty clay; weak coarse prismatic structure; firm; common fine roots; few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds and in pores; few fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron, few fine faint gray (10YR 6/1) iron depletions, and few fine prominent white (10YR 8/1) masses of barite throughout; 1 percent angular gravel; neutral; clear wavy boundary.

2Btg4—47 to 61 inches; gray (2.5Y 5/1) clay loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; firm; common very fine roots; few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds and in pores; few fine distinct black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese and few fine prominent white (10YR 8/1) barite crystals throughout; 1 percent limestone-cherty gravel and 1 percent rounded igneous-granite gravel; neutral; clear wavy boundary.

2BCg—61 to 80 inches; light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) clay loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; firm; few fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) and common medium prominent brownish yellow (10YR 6/8) masses of iron throughout; 2 percent limestone-cherty gravel; neutral.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* More than 42 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* Less than 20 inches

*Ap or A horizon:*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 to 5

Chroma—1 to 4

Texture—silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, or clay loam

*E or BE horizon, where present:*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—1 to 4

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*Bt, Btg, or 2Btg horizon:*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—0 to 3

Texture—clay loam, clay, silty clay loam, or silty clay

Content of rock fragments—0 to 5 percent

*2Cg horizon, where present:*

Hue—10YR, 7.5YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—0 to 6

Texture—silty clay loam, clay loam, or loam

Content of rock fragments—2 to 15 percent

## 897C2—Bunkum-Atlas silt loams, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded

### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Bunkum—shoulders and backslopes; Atlas—backslopes

### Map Unit Composition

Bunkum and similar soils: 55 percent

Atlas and similar soils: 35 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils that have a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 2 feet
- Soils that have more clay in the surface layer
- Soils that have a darker surface layer

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The well drained Hickory soils on backslopes below the Bunkum and Atlas soils
- The well drained Rozetta soils on summits

### Properties and Qualities of the Bunkum Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisediment

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Moderately slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.8 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 2.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 1 to 2 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High  
*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete  
*Surface runoff class:* High  
*Susceptibility to water erosion:* High  
*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Properties and Qualities of the Atlas Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over a paleosol that formed in till  
*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained  
*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Very slow  
*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Available water capacity:* About 8.6 inches to a depth of 60 inches  
*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 2.0 percent  
*Shrink-swell potential:* High  
*Perched seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface  
*Flooding:* None  
*Potential for frost action:* High  
*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete  
*Surface runoff class:* Very high  
*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate  
*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Bunkum and Atlas—3e  
*Prime farmland status:* Bunkum and Atlas—not prime farmland  
*Hydric soil status:* Bunkum and Atlas—not hydric

## **897C3—Bunkum-Atlas silty clay loams, 5 to 10 percent slopes, severely eroded**

### **Setting**

*Landform:* Ground moraines  
*Position on landform:* Bunkum—shoulders and backslopes; Atlas—backslopes

### **Map Unit Composition**

Bunkum and similar soils: 55 percent  
 Atlas and similar soils: 35 percent  
 Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

### **Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 2 feet
- Soils with less clay in the surface layer

- Soils with a darker surface layer

### *Dissimilar soils:*

- The well drained Hickory soils on backslopes below the Bunkum and Atlas soils
- The well drained Rozetta soils on summits

### **Properties and Qualities of the Bunkum Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisement  
*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained  
*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Moderately slow  
*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Available water capacity:* About 11.8 inches to a depth of 60 inches  
*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 0.5 to 1.0 percent  
*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate  
*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 1 to 2 feet below the surface  
*Flooding:* None  
*Accelerated erosion:* The surface layer is mostly subsoil material.  
*Potential for frost action:* High  
*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete  
*Surface runoff class:* High  
*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate  
*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Very low

### **Properties and Qualities of the Atlas Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over a paleosol that formed in till  
*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained  
*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Very slow  
*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Available water capacity:* About 8.1 inches to a depth of 60 inches  
*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 0.5 to 1.0 percent  
*Shrink-swell potential:* High  
*Perched seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface  
*Flooding:* None  
*Accelerated erosion:* The surface layer is mostly subsoil material.  
*Potential for frost action:* High  
*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete  
*Surface runoff class:* Very high  
*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate  
*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Very low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Bunkum and Atlas—4e  
*Prime farmland status:* Bunkum and Atlas—not prime farmland  
*Hydric soil status:* Bunkum and Atlas—not hydric

### **Biddle Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine, smectitic, mesic Aquic Argiudolls

#### **Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Biddle silt loam, in an area of Herrick-Biddle-Piasa silt loams, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of about 475 feet; St. Clair County, Illinois; approximately 1,290 feet south and 1,555 feet east of the northwest corner of sec. 1, T. 2 S., R. 8 W.; USGS Freeburg, Illinois, topographic quadrangle; lat. 38 degrees 23 minutes 32 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 56 minutes 10 seconds W., NAD 27:

- Ap—0 to 7 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; moderate fine granular structure; friable; many very fine roots; few fine rounded black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese with clear strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) boundaries; about 23 percent clay; slightly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.
- A—7 to 13 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; moderate fine and medium granular structure; friable; many very fine roots; few fine rounded black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese with clear strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) boundaries; about 22 percent clay; neutral; clear smooth boundary.
- Eg—13 to 16 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silt loam, light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) dry; weak medium platy structure parting to weak fine granular; friable; common very fine roots; common distinct light gray (10YR 7/2 dry) clay depletions on faces of peds; few fine rounded black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese with clear strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) boundaries; about 21 percent clay; neutral; clear smooth boundary.
- Bt—16 to 25 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silty clay loam; moderate fine and medium subangular blocky structure; firm; common very fine roots; many distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; common fine faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions and common fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) and strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of

iron and manganese with sharp boundaries; about 38 percent clay; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Btng1—25 to 36 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; common fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine and medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) masses of iron and manganese with clear strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) boundaries; about 37 percent clay; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Btng2—36 to 46 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; weak medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; many fine and medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common medium and coarse irregular black (7.5YR 2.5/1) masses of iron and manganese with clear strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) boundaries; about 34 percent clay; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Btng3—46 to 55 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; weak medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; common fine and medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common medium and coarse irregular black (7.5YR 2.5/1) masses of iron and manganese with clear strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) boundaries; about 29 percent clay; slightly alkaline; gradual smooth boundary.

BCtng—55 to 62 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) silt loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; friable; few distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on vertical faces of peds; common fine and medium prominent brownish yellow (10YR 6/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common medium and coarse irregular black (7.5YR 2.5/1) and dark brown (7.5YR 3/3) masses of iron and manganese with diffuse strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) boundaries; about 24 percent clay; slightly alkaline; gradual smooth boundary.

Cg1—62 to 76 inches; light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) silt loam; massive; friable; few fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine and medium irregular black (7.5YR 2.5/1) and dark brown (7.5YR 3/3) masses of iron and manganese with diffuse strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) boundaries; about 22 percent clay; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

2Cg2—76 to 80 inches; brown (7.5YR 5/2) silt loam; massive; friable; many fine and medium distinct brown (7.5YR 5/4) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine and medium irregular black (7.5YR 2.5/1) and dark brown (7.5YR 3/3) masses of iron and manganese with diffuse strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) boundaries; about 25 percent clay, 12 percent sand, and 1 percent pebbles; slightly alkaline.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to 72 inches

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 18 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* 60 to 80 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3 (4 or 5 dry)

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*E horizon(s), where present:*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 or 5 (6 or 7 dry)

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*Bt or Btn horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—3 to 5 in the upper part and 4 to 6 in the lower part

Chroma—1 to 4

Texture—silty clay loam or silty clay in the upper part and silty clay loam or silt loam in the lower part

*Cg or 2Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—5 or 6

Chroma—0 to 2

Texture—commonly, silt loam; less commonly, loam, silty clay loam, or clay loam

### 894A—Herrick-Biddle-Piasa silt loams, 0 to 2 percent slopes

#### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Herrick and Biddle—summits;

Piasa—summits and toeslopes

#### Map Unit Composition

Herrick and similar soils: 45 percent

Biddle and similar soils: 35 percent

Piasa and similar soils: 20 percent

#### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a lighter colored surface layer
- Soils that do not have a subsurface layer
- Soils with less clay in the subsoil
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 2 feet

#### Properties and Qualities of the Herrick Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisement

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderately slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.6 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 1 to 2 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

#### Properties and Qualities of the Biddle Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisement

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow or moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Content of sodium:* Moderate within a depth of 30 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.5 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Perched seasonal high water table:* 1 to 2 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* High

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Properties and Qualities of the Piasa Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pediment

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Very slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Content of sodium:* High within a depth of 30 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 7.5 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Perched seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Ponding:* At the surface to 0.5 foot above the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and low for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Herrick and Biddle—2w; Piasa—3w

*Prime farmland status:* Herrick, Biddle, and Piasa—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Herrick and Biddle—not hydric; Piasa—hydric

### **Blackberry Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Oxyaquic Argiudolls

#### **Typical Pedon**

Blackberry silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes, at an elevation of about 748 feet; Champaign County, Illinois; about 25 feet north and 450 feet west of the southeast corner of sec. 19, T. 21 N., R. 7 E.; USGS Foosland topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 15 minutes 10 seconds N. and long. 88 degrees 26 minutes 36 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 10 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; moderate medium granular structure; friable; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

A—10 to 16 inches; dark brown (10YR 3/3) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; moderate medium

granular structure; friable; many faint very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organic coatings on faces of peds; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

BA—16 to 20 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silty clay loam; weak very fine subangular blocky structure; friable; many faint dark brown (10YR 3/3) organic coatings on faces of peds; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—20 to 24 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; friable; many distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—24 to 34 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; friable; many distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; few fine distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions in the matrix; few fine irregular black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese oxide in the matrix; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt3—34 to 47 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; moderate medium and coarse prismatic structure; friable; common distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; few fine distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions in the matrix; few fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine irregular black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese oxide in the matrix; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

2Bt4—47 to 62 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4), stratified silt loam and loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; friable; very few faint brown (10YR 4/3) and grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay films lining pores and on faces of peds; common medium distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions in the matrix; common medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine irregular black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese oxide in the matrix; slightly acid; gradual smooth boundary.

2C—62 to 70 inches; light olive brown (2.5Y 5/4), stratified silt loam, loam, and sandy loam; massive; friable; common medium distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions in the matrix; common medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine irregular black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese oxide in the matrix; neutral.

### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 20 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* 40 to 60 inches

*Depth to carbonates:* More than 40 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 45 to 70 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 to 3

Texture—silt loam

*BA or AB horizon(s), where present:*

Hue—10YR

Value—3 or 4

Chroma—2 to 4

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR or 10YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—2 to 4

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*2Bt or 2BC horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR or 10YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—clay loam, loam, silt loam, sandy loam, sandy clay loam, or the gravelly analogs of those textures

*2C horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—loam, clay loam, loamy sand, sandy loam, silt loam, or the gravelly analogs of those textures

## 679B—Blackberry silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes

### Setting

*Landform:* Stream terraces and outwash plains (fig. 3)

*Position on landform:* Summits and risers

### Map Unit Composition

Blackberry and similar soils: 100 percent

### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thinner, lighter colored surface soil
- Soils with more gravel in the underlying material

- Soils with more sand in the upper part of the subsoil
- Soils with less sand in the lower part of the subsoil and in the underlying material
- Soils with a seasonal high water table within a depth of 2 feet

### Properties and Qualities of the Blackberry Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over outwash

*Drainage class:* Moderately well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate or moderately rapid

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.8 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.0 to 5.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 2.0 to 3.5 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Blackberry—2e

*Prime farmland status:* Blackberry—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Blackberry—not hydric

### Broadwell Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiudolls

### Typical Pedon (OSD)

Broadwell silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes, at an elevation of 625 feet; Christian County, Illinois; 2,500 feet north and 460 feet west of the center of sec. 11, T. 15 N., R. 2 W.; USGS Mount Auburn topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 46 minutes 17 seconds N. and long. 84 degrees 16 minutes 51 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 9 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, brown (10YR 5/3) dry; weak fine granular structure; friable; common very fine and few fine roots; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.  
A—9 to 15 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2)

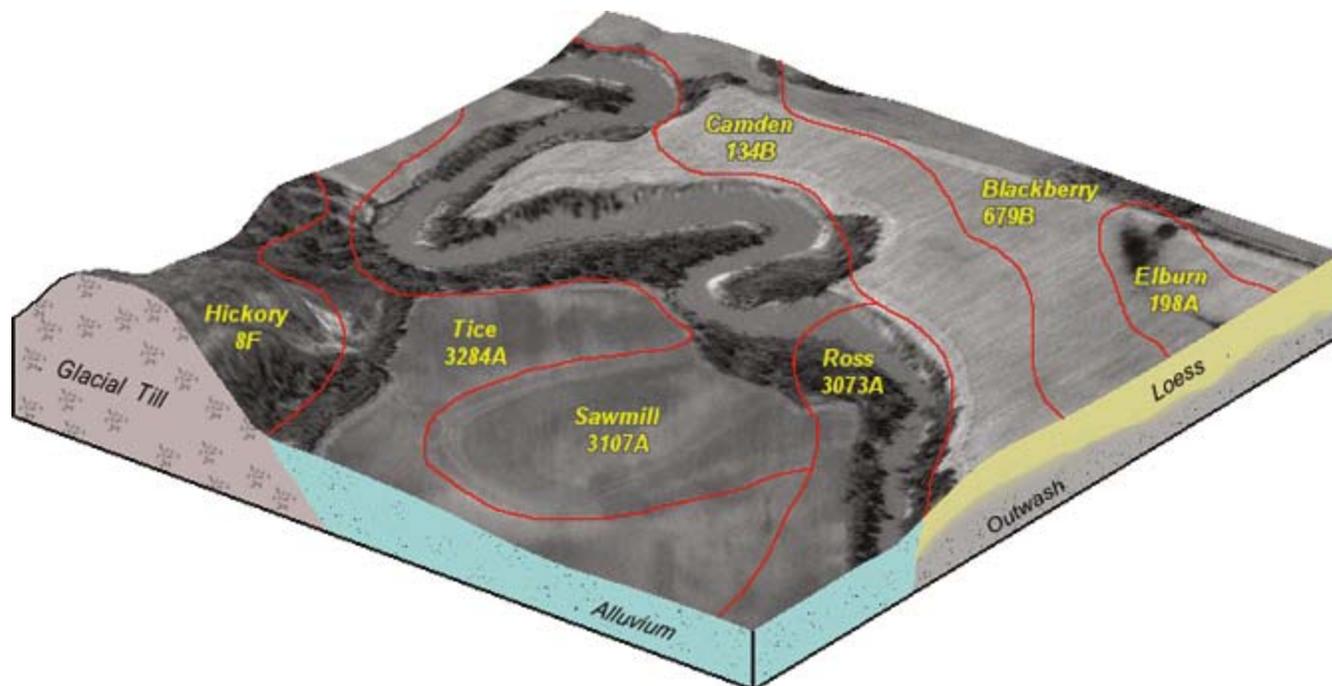


Figure 3.—Typical pattern of soils along the Sangamon River.

silt loam, brown (10YR 5/3) dry; moderate fine granular structure; friable; few very fine and fine roots; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—15 to 18 inches; dark brown (10YR 3/3) silty clay loam, yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) dry; weak very fine and fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine and fine roots; many faint very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films on faces of peds; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—18 to 25 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silty clay loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine and fine roots; common faint very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt3—25 to 31 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silty clay loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine and fine roots; common faint very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) clay films in root channels and/or pores and common faint brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt4—31 to 41 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) silty clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine and fine roots; few distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) clay films in root channels and/or pores, common faint brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds,

and few distinct light gray (10YR 7/2) silt coatings on faces of peds and in pores; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt5—41 to 50 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) silt loam; weak medium and coarse subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; common faint brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; few distinct light gray (10YR 7/2) silt coatings on faces of peds and in pores; few fine faint brown (10YR 5/3) masses of iron along micropores; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

2BC1—50 to 55 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4), stratified loamy fine sand and sandy loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; very friable; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

2BC2—55 to 76 inches; stratified yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) and brown (7.5YR 4/4) fine sand and loamy sand; single grain; loose; few distinct dark brown (7.5YR 3/2) organic coatings in pores; a 3-inch band of yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) silt loam starting at a depth of 75 inches; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

2C—76 to 80 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) fine sand; single grain; slightly acid.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the loess:* 40 to 60 inches

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 24 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 45 to 80 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR  
Value—2 or 3  
Chroma—1 to 3  
Texture—silt loam

*Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR  
Value—3 to 5  
Chroma—3 to 6  
Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*2Bt or 2BC horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR  
Value—4 or 5  
Chroma—4 to 6  
Texture—loamy sand, loamy fine sand, fine sand, sandy loam, or loam

*2C horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR  
Value—4 or 5  
Chroma—4 to 6  
Texture—fine sand, sand, or loamy sand

## **684B—Broadwell silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes**

### ***Setting***

*Landform:* Ground moraines, knolls, and outwash plains

*Position on landform:* Summits and backslopes

### ***Map Unit Composition***

Broadwell and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

### ***Minor Components***

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thinner, lighter colored surface soil
- Soils with more sand in the upper part of the subsoil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Elburn soils on footslopes

### ***Properties and Qualities of the Broadwell Soil***

*Parent material:* Loess over sandy eolian material

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Rapid

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.6 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### ***Interpretive Groups***

*Land capability classification:* Broadwell—2e

*Prime farmland status:* Broadwell—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Broadwell—not hydric

## ***Brooklyn Series***

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine, smectitic, mesic Vertic Albaqualfs

### ***Typical Pedon (OSD)***

Brooklyn silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of 679 feet; Douglas County, Illinois; 200 feet east and 1,430 feet south of the northwest corner of sec. 8, T. 16 N., R. 14 W.; USGS Newman topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 51 minutes 39 seconds N. and long. 87 degrees 58 minutes 10 seconds W., NAD 83:

Ap—0 to 9 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silt loam, dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) dry; moderate fine granular structure; friable; common medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

Eg—9 to 14 inches; gray (2.5Y 6/1) silt loam; weak medium platy structure parting to moderate fine granular; friable; common distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of peds; common fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

Btg1—14 to 20 inches; light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) silty clay; moderate fine prismatic structure parting to moderate fine angular blocky; firm; many distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of

pedes; common medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

**Btg2**—20 to 31 inches; gray (2.5Y 6/1) silty clay; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium angular blocky; firm; common distinct dark gray (2.5Y 4/1) clay films on faces of pedes; many prominent black (N 2.5/0) organo-clay films on faces of pedes; many medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; moderately acid; gradual smooth boundary.

**Btg3**—31 to 40 inches; gray (2.5Y 6/1) silty clay loam; moderate coarse prismatic structure parting to moderate coarse angular blocky; firm; common distinct dark gray (2.5Y 4/1) clay films on faces of pedes; few prominent black (N 2.5/0) organo-clay films lining pores and root channels; many medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

**2Btg4**—40 to 46 inches; gray (2.5Y 5/1) clay loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; firm; few distinct dark gray (2.5Y 4/1) clay films on faces of pedes; few distinct black (2.5Y 2.5/1) organo-clay films lining pores and root channels; many medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; 5 percent gravel; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

**2Btg5**—46 to 52 inches; 40 percent strong brown (7.5YR 4/6), 40 percent dark brown (10YR 3/3), and 20 percent gray (2.5Y 5/1) gravelly clay loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; firm; few distinct dark gray (2.5Y 4/1) clay films on faces of pedes; few distinct black (2.5Y 2.5/1) organo-clay films lining pores and root channels; common medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; 20 percent gravel; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

**2BCtg**—52 to 62 inches; 50 percent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6), 30 percent light yellowish brown (2.5Y 6/3), and 20 percent gray (2.5Y 6/1), stratified clay loam and silt loam; massive; firm; very few distinct

black (2.5Y 2.5/1) and very few distinct dark brown (7.5YR 3/2) organo-clay films lining pores and root channels; many medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; 5 percent gravel; neutral; gradual smooth boundary.

**2Cg**—62 to 73 inches; 60 percent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) and 40 percent gray (2.5Y 5/1), stratified clay loam, loam, and sandy loam; massive; firm; many medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; 7 percent gravel; neutral.

### Range in Characteristics

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to 80 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* 40 to 60 inches

*Ap or A horizon:*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*Eg horizon:*

Hue—2.5Y or 10YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*Btg horizon:*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—0 to 2

Texture—silty clay or silty clay loam

*2Btg or 2BCtg horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, or 2.5Y

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—1 to 8

Texture—clay loam, loam, silt loam, silty clay loam, sandy clay loam, sandy loam, or the gravelly analogs of those textures

Content of rock fragments—2 to 25 percent

*2Cg horizon:*

Hue—10YR or 2.5Y

Value—5 or 6

Chroma—1 to 8

Texture—clay loam, loam, silt loam, silty clay loam, sandy clay loam, sandy loam, or the gravelly analogs of those textures

Content of rock fragments—2 to 25 percent

## 136A—Brooklyn silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

### Setting

*Landform:* Depressions

### Map Unit Composition

Brooklyn and similar soils: 100 percent

### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with less sand in the subsoil
- Soils in which the dark surface soil is thicker
- Soils with less sand in the lower part of the subsoil and in the underlying material
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 1 foot

### Properties and Qualities of the Brooklyn Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over outwash

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.4 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Ponding:* At the surface to 0.5 foot above the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Brooklyn—2w

*Prime farmland status:* Brooklyn—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Brooklyn—hydric

### Buckhart Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Oxyaquic Argiudolls

### Typical Pedon (OSD)

Buckhart silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes, at an elevation of about 603 feet; Christian County, Illinois; approximately 360 feet west and 540 feet north of the southeast corner of sec. 24, T. 14 N., R. 3 W.; USGS Grove City, Illinois, topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 33 minutes 53 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 22 minutes 6 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 8 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; moderate medium granular structure; friable; few very fine roots; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

A—8 to 15 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; moderate fine subangular blocky structure parting to moderate medium granular; friable; few very fine roots; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—15 to 26 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) silty clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure parting to moderate medium granular; friable; few very fine roots; many distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds and few distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organic coatings in root channels and/or pores; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—26 to 37 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) silty clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; many distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; few fine irregular prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron and manganese along pores and few fine irregular prominent light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) iron depletions along pores; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Bt3—37 to 52 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silt loam; weak medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; common distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; common fine irregular prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron and manganese along pores, few fine rounded prominent black (7.5YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese throughout, and common fine distinct irregular light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) iron depletions along pores; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

BCt—52 to 67 inches; light olive brown (2.5Y 5/3) silt loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; few distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films in root channels and/or pores; common fine irregular

prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron and manganese along pores, common fine irregular light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) iron depletions along pores, and few fine rounded prominent black (7.5YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; gradual smooth boundary.

C—67 to 80 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silt loam; massive; friable; common medium irregular distinct strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron and manganese throughout, common medium irregular prominent light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) iron depletions throughout, and few fine rounded prominent black (7.5YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese throughout; neutral.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 20 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to 55 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 to 3

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*Bt or Btg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*BC, BCt, or BCg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 2.5Y

Value—5 or 6

Chroma—2 to 4

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*C or Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 2.5Y

Value—5 or 6

Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—typically, silt loam; silty clay loam in some pedons

### 705B—Buckhart silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes

#### Setting

*Landform:* Knolls and ground moraines (fig. 2)

*Position on landform:* Summits and backslopes

#### Map Unit Composition

Buckhart and similar soils: 100 percent

### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with carbonates within a depth of 40 inches
- Soils with a seasonal high water table within a depth of 2 feet
- Soils in which the surface soil is thinner and lighter in color
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 3.5 feet

### Properties and Qualities of the Buckhart Soil

*Parent material:* Loess

*Drainage class:* Moderately well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 12.0 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 2.0 to 3.5 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Buckhart—2e

*Prime farmland status:* Buckhart—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Buckhart—not hydric

### Bunkum Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aquic Hapludalfs

#### Typical Pedon

Bunkum silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded, at an elevation of 660 feet; Adams County, Illinois; 2,360 feet south and 2,440 feet west of the northeast corner of sec. 23, T. 2 S., R. 8 W.; USGS Quincy East, Illinois, topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 53 minutes 2 seconds N. and long. 91 degrees 17 minutes 30 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 4 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silt loam, pale brown (10YR 6/3) dry; weak thick platy structure parting to weak fine subangular blocky; friable;

- common fine and medium roots throughout; few fine distinct black (2.5Y 2/1) concretions of iron and manganese and few fine distinct light gray (10YR 7/2) clay depletions throughout; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.
- AE—4 to 7 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silt loam, very pale brown (10YR 7/3) dry; weak medium subangular blocky structure; friable; common fine roots throughout; few fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.
- Bt1—7 to 10 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; weak medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few fine roots throughout; few distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; few fine prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) concretions of iron and manganese throughout, few fine prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese between peds, and few fine distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions between peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.
- Bt2—10 to 22 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to weak medium subangular blocky; friable; few fine roots throughout; common distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; many medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout, common fine prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout, and common medium distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions throughout; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.
- Bt3—22 to 34 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; friable; few fine roots throughout; few distinct dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; many medium faint brown (10YR 5/3) masses of iron throughout, common fine prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout, many medium distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions throughout, and common medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron throughout; strongly acid; gradual wavy boundary.
- BCt—34 to 50 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silt loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; friable; few fine roots throughout; very few faint dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) clay films in root channels and/or pores; common medium faint brown (10YR 5/3) masses of iron throughout, few fine prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese between peds, few medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron throughout, and many medium distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions throughout; moderately acid; gradual wavy boundary.
- 2C1—50 to 65 inches; pale brown (10YR 6/3) silt loam; massive; friable; few fine roots between peds; common medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) and common medium faint brown (10YR 5/3) masses of iron throughout, few fine prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout, and many medium faint light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions throughout; moderately acid; clear wavy boundary.
- 2C2—65 to 78 inches; pale brown (10YR 6/3) silt loam; massive; friable; few fine roots between peds; many coarse faint yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) and few medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout, few fine prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout, and many coarse faint light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions throughout; moderately acid; gradual wavy boundary.
- 2C3—78 to 85 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silt loam; massive; firm; common fine and medium prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout, few coarse distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions throughout, and common medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron throughout; moderately acid.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 24 to 60 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* 24 to 60 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—2 to 4

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*Bt or Btg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 to 4

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*2C or 2Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 to 4

Texture—commonly, silt loam; less commonly, loam, silty clay loam, or clay loam

## 897C2—Bunkum-Atlas silt loams, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded

### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Bunkum—shoulders and backslopes; Atlas—backslopes

### Map Unit Composition

Bunkum and similar soils: 55 percent

Atlas and similar soils: 35 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a darker surface soil
- Soils with more clay in the surface layer
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 2 feet

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The well drained Hickory soils on backslopes below the Bunkum and Atlas soils
- The well drained Rozetta soils on summits

### Properties and Qualities of the Bunkum Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisediment

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Moderately slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.8 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 2.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 1 to 2 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* High

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* High

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### Properties and Qualities of the Atlas Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over a paleosol that formed in till

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Very slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 8.6 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 2.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Perched seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Very high

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Bunkum and Atlas—3e

*Prime farmland status:* Bunkum and Atlas—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Bunkum and Atlas—not hydric

## 897C3—Bunkum-Atlas silty clay loams, 5 to 10 percent slopes, severely eroded

### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Bunkum—shoulders and backslopes; Atlas—backslopes

### Map Unit Composition

Bunkum and similar soils: 55 percent

Atlas and similar soils: 35 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with less clay in the surface layer
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 2 feet
- Soils with a darker surface layer

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The well drained Hickory soils on backslopes below the Bunkum Atlas soils
- The well drained Rozetta soils on summits

### Properties and Qualities of the Bunkum Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisediment

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Moderately slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Available water capacity:* About 11.8 inches to a depth of 60 inches  
*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 0.5 to 1.0 percent  
*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate  
*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 1 to 2 feet below the surface  
*Flooding:* None  
*Accelerated erosion:* The surface layer is mostly subsoil material.  
*Potential for frost action:* High  
*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete  
*Surface runoff class:* High  
*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate  
*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Very low

### **Properties and Qualities of the Atlas Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over a paleosol that formed in till  
*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained  
*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Very slow  
*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Available water capacity:* About 8.1 inches to a depth of 60 inches  
*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 0.5 to 1.0 percent  
*Shrink-swell potential:* High  
*Perched seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface  
*Flooding:* None  
*Accelerated erosion:* The surface layer is mostly subsoil material.  
*Potential for frost action:* High  
*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete  
*Surface runoff class:* Very high  
*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate  
*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Very low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Bunkum and Atlas—4e  
*Prime farmland status:* Bunkum and Atlas—not prime farmland  
*Hydric soil status:* Bunkum and Atlas—not hydric

### **Camden Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Hapludalfs

### **Typical Pedon**

Camden silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of 560 feet; Bureau County, Illinois; 1,280 feet west and 1,740 feet south of the northeast corner of sec. 12, T. 15 N., R. 8 E.; USGS Wyanet topographic quadrangle; lat. 41 degrees 18 minutes 05 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 30 minutes 52 seconds W., NAD 27:

- Ap—0 to 7 inches; dark brown (10YR 4/3) silt loam, pale brown (10YR 6/3) dry; moderate fine granular structure; friable; few fine roots; slightly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.
- E—7 to 12 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silt loam; weak medium platy structure parting to weak fine subangular blocky; friable; few fine roots; neutral; clear smooth boundary.
- Bt1—12 to 18 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) silty clay loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few fine roots; common distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) clay films on faces of peds; neutral; clear smooth boundary.
- Bt2—18 to 26 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; friable; few fine roots; many distinct dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.
- 2Bt3—26 to 34 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; friable; few fine roots; many distinct dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.
- 2Bt4—34 to 37 inches; strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) clay loam; weak medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few fine roots; many distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; about 7 percent gravel; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.
- 2Bt5—37 to 48 inches; strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) sandy clay loam; 1-inch strata of yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) sandy loam; weak medium subangular blocky structure; friable; common distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; about 5 percent gravel; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.
- 2Bt6—48 to 53 inches; strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) sandy loam; weak medium subangular blocky; friable; common distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) clay films bridging sand grains; about 2 percent gravel; neutral; clear wavy boundary.
- 2C—53 to 60 inches; brown (7.5YR 4/4) sandy loam that has thin strata of loamy sand; single grain; loose; about 5 percent gravel; neutral.

### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the loess:* 24 to 40 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 30 to 65 inches

*Ap horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—3 to 5; 3 in horizons less than 6 inches thick

Chroma—2 or 3

Texture—silt loam

*E horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 4

Texture—silt loam

*Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*2Bt or 2BC horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 7.5YR, or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—silty clay loam, clay loam, loam, sandy loam, sandy clay loam, or silt loam

*2C horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—stratified sandy loam, loam, silt loam, loamy sand, sandy clay loam, or clay loam

### 134B—Camden silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes

#### Setting

*Landform:* Stream terraces and outwash plains (fig. 3)

*Position on landform:* Summits and risers

#### Map Unit Composition

Camden and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

#### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with less sand in the lower part of the subsoil
- Soils with more sand in the upper part of the subsoil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Kendall soils on footslopes

### Properties and Qualities of the Camden Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over outwash

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate or moderately rapid

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.4 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 2.5 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Camden—2e

*Prime farmland status:* Camden—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Camden—not hydric

### 134C2—Camden silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded

#### Setting

*Landform:* Stream terraces and outwash plains

*Position on landform:* Shoulders and risers

#### Map Unit Composition

Camden and similar soils: 95 percent

Dissimilar soils: 5 percent

#### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils in which the surface layer has more clay
- Soils with more sand in the upper part of the subsoil
- Soils with a thicker or darker surface layer

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Kendall soils on footslopes

### **Properties and Qualities of the Camden Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over outwash

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately rapid

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 9.4 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 2.5 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* None

*Accelerated erosion:* The surface soil has been thinned by erosion.

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* High

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Camden—3e

*Prime farmland status:* Camden—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Camden—not hydric

### **Clarksdale Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine, smectitic, mesic Udollic Endoaqualfs

#### **Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Clarksdale silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of 650 feet; Adams County, Illinois; 800 feet south and 550 feet east of the northwest corner of sec. 16, T. 2 N., R. 7 W.; USGS Lorraine, Illinois, topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 9 minutes 55.1 seconds N. and long. 91 degrees 13 minutes 18 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 8 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; moderate medium granular structure; friable; common fine roots throughout; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

E—8 to 12 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silt loam; moderate medium platy structure parting to weak very fine subangular blocky; friable; common very fine and fine roots throughout; many faint very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2)

organic coatings on faces of peds and in pores; few fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron lining root channels and/or pores, few fine distinct black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout, and many fine distinct light gray (10YR 7/1 and 7/2) clay depletions between peds; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

BE—12 to 16 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silt loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few fine roots throughout; common distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films on faces of peds and in pores; few fine prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout, common fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout, and common fine faint light gray (10YR 7/1) clay depletions between peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—16 to 23 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; firm; few very fine and fine roots throughout; many prominent dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds and many prominent very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds and in pores; common fine prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese and common fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—23 to 31 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; firm; few fine roots throughout; many faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay films on faces of peds and many prominent very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds and in pores; many fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) and few fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout, common fine prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout, and common fine faint light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions throughout; moderately acid; gradual wavy boundary.

Btg1—31 to 47 inches; light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) silty clay loam; moderate coarse prismatic structure parting to moderate coarse subangular blocky; firm; few fine roots throughout; common prominent grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay films on faces of peds and many prominent very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds and in pores; many fine and medium prominent strong

brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout, few fine prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout, and few fine faint light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions lining root channels and/or pores; neutral; gradual wavy boundary.

Btg<sub>2</sub>—47 to 57 inches; light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) silt loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; firm; few fine roots throughout; common prominent dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films in root channels and/or pores; many medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron and few fine prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; clear wavy boundary.

BCg—57 to 67 inches; light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) silt loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; firm; common prominent dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films in root channels and/or pores; common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) and common medium prominent yellowish red (5YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout; neutral; clear wavy boundary.

Cg—67 to 80 inches; light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) silt loam; massive; friable; few distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films in root channels and/or pores; many medium prominent yellowish red (5YR 4/6) and common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout; neutral.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Depth to carbonates (where present):* More than 40 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to 60 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*E or BE horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*Bt or Btg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 to 6

Texture—silty clay loam, silty clay, or silt loam

*C or Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 to 6

Texture—silt loam

## 257A—Clarksdale silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 4)

*Position on landform:* Summits

### Map Unit Composition

Clarksdale and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thicker dark surface soil
- Soils with less clay in the subsoil
- Soils that do not have a subsurface layer
- Soils that contain more sand in the lower part of the subsoil and in the underlying material
- Soils with a lighter colored surface layer
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 2 feet

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The well drained Rozetta and Osco soils on narrow summits and shoulders
- The poorly drained Denny and Virden soils in depressions

### Properties and Qualities of the Clarksdale Soil

*Parent material:* Loess

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderately slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.3 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

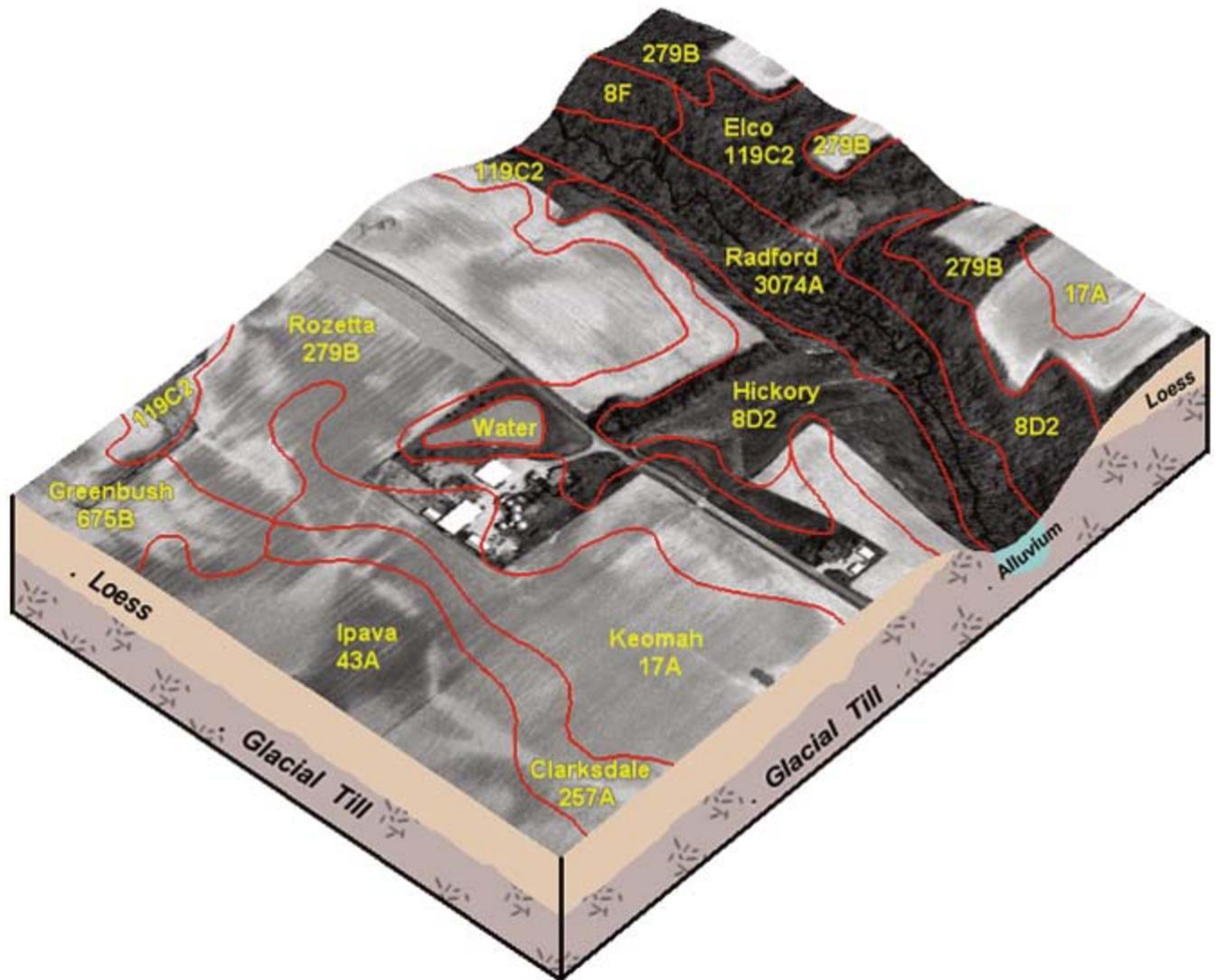


Figure 4.—Typical pattern of upland prairie, forest, and transitional soils that formed in loess or in loess and glacial till; in nearly level to very steep areas.

Surface runoff class: Medium  
 Susceptibility to water erosion: Low  
 Susceptibility to wind erosion: Low

**Interpretive Groups**

Land capability classification: Clarksdale—1  
 Prime farmland status: Clarksdale—prime farmland in drained areas  
 Hydric soil status: Clarksdale—not hydric

**Coatsburg Series**

Taxonomic classification: Fine, smectitic, mesic Vertic Argiaquolls

**Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Coatsburg silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded, at an elevation of 705 feet; Adams County, Illinois; 2,550 feet east and 2,400 feet north of the southwest corner of sec. 20, T. 2 N., R. 5 W.; USGS Augusta, Illinois, topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 8 minutes 33 seconds N. and long. 90 degrees 59 minutes 58 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 6 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silt loam, dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) dry; moderate fine granular structure; friable; many fine and medium roots; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.  
 AB—6 to 10 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silty clay loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; weak medium

subangular blocky structure parting to moderate fine subangular blocky; firm; common fine roots; many fine prominent light olive brown (2.5Y 5/4) and common fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout and few fine prominent light gray (10YR 7/1) clay depletions on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear wavy boundary.

2Btg1—10 to 14 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silty clay loam; weak medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few fine roots; common distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films and common distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; many fine distinct light olive brown (2.5Y 5/4) and common fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout; moderately acid; clear wavy boundary.

2Btg2—14 to 19 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silty clay; weak coarse prismatic structure parting to weak medium subangular blocky; firm; few fine and medium roots; common distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds; many fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron and common fine faint light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions throughout; moderately acid; clear wavy boundary.

2Btg3—19 to 26 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silty clay loam; weak very coarse prismatic structure; firm; few fine roots; common distinct gray (10YR 5/1) clay films and few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds; many fine faint light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions and common fine and medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout; moderately acid; clear wavy boundary.

2Btg4—26 to 38 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silty clay loam; weak very coarse prismatic structure; firm; few very fine roots; few distinct gray (10YR 5/1) clay films on faces of peds and in pores; many fine and medium faint light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions throughout, common fine and medium prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout, and common fine and medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout; moderately acid; clear wavy boundary.

2Btg5—38 to 45 inches; light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) silty clay loam; moderate very coarse prismatic structure; firm; common distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay films on faces of peds and few distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films lining root channels and pores; common medium

prominent brownish yellow (10YR 6/8) masses of iron throughout and common fine faint light gray (10YR 7/2) clay depletions on faces of peds; slightly acid; clear wavy boundary.

2Btg6—45 to 62 inches; gray (10YR 6/1) silty clay loam; moderate very coarse prismatic structure; firm; common distinct gray (10YR 5/1) clay films on faces of peds; many fine faint light gray (10YR 7/2) clay depletions on faces of peds, common medium and coarse prominent brownish yellow (10YR 6/6) masses of iron throughout, and few medium prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear wavy boundary.

2Btg7—62 to 70 inches; light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) silty clay; weak very coarse prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; very firm; few distinct gray (10YR 6/1) clay films in root channels and/or pores; many medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron and common fine prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; gradual wavy boundary.

2BCg—70 to 80 inches; gray (10YR 6/1) silty clay; weak very coarse prismatic structure; firm; many coarse prominent brownish yellow (10YR 6/6) masses of iron and common fine prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid.

### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the loess:* Less than 20 inches

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 20 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 50 to 80 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam, silty clay loam, or clay loam

*Btg or 2Btg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—0 to 2

Texture—clay, clay loam, silty clay, or silty clay loam

*2BCg, 2BC, Cg, or 2Cg horizon(s), where present:*

Hue—10YR, 7.5YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—0 to 8

Texture—clay, clay loam, silty clay, silty clay loam, or loam

### Taxadjunct Feature

The Coatsburg soils in this survey area have a dark surface soil that is thinner than is definitive for the series. This difference, however, does not significantly affect the use and management of the soils. The soils are classified as fine, smectitic, mesic Vertic Epiaqualfs.

### 660C2—Coatsburg silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded

#### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Backslopes

#### Map Unit Composition

Coatsburg and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

#### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with less clay in the subsoil
- Soils with less sand in the subsoil
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 1 foot

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The moderately well drained Harrison soils on backslopes above the Coatsburg soil

#### Properties and Qualities of the Coatsburg Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over a paleosol that formed in till

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Very slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Very slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 7.4 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.0 to 5.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Perched seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Accelerated erosion:* The surface soil has been thinned by erosion.

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Very high

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

#### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Coatsburg—3e

*Prime farmland status:* Coatsburg—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Coatsburg—hydric

### Coulterville Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aeric Epiaqualfs

#### Typical Pedon (OSD)

Coulterville silt loam, in an area of Bunkum-Coulterville silt loams, 2 to 5 percent slopes, eroded, at an elevation of about 467 feet; Monroe County, Illinois; approximately 1,320 feet west and 2,100 feet north of the southeast corner of sec. 5, T. 3 S., R. 8 W.; USGS Paderborn, Illinois, topographic quadrangle; lat. 38 degrees 18 minutes 2 seconds N. and long. 90 degrees 0 minutes 11 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 7 inches; mixed dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) and brown (10YR 4/3) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; moderate fine granular structure; friable; common very fine and few fine roots; few fine prominent yellowish red (5YR 5/8) masses of iron and common fine distinct very dark gray (7.5YR 3/1) nodules of iron and manganese; 2 percent exchangeable sodium; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

Btn—7 to 11 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silty clay loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; friable; common very fine and few fine roots; many distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; few fine faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions and common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) and few fine prominent yellowish red (5YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine distinct very dark gray (7.5YR 3/1) nodules of iron and manganese; 5 percent exchangeable sodium; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Btng1—11 to 15 inches; gray (5Y 6/1) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; friable; common very fine and few fine roots; common distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) and few fine prominent yellowish red (5YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine prominent very dark gray

- (7.5YR 3/1) nodules of iron and manganese; 9 percent exchangeable sodium; neutral; clear smooth boundary.
- Btng2—15 to 23 inches; gray (5Y 6/1) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; friable; few very fine roots; common faint light gray (10YR 7/1 dry) clay depletions on faces of peds, common distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay films on faces of peds, and few distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films in root channels; common medium prominent brown (7.5YR 4/4) and common fine and medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine prominent black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) vertical krotovinas; 12 percent exchangeable sodium; slightly effervescent throughout; moderately alkaline; clear smooth boundary.
- Btkng1—23 to 28 inches; gray (5Y 5/1) silt loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; common faint light gray (10YR 7/1 dry) clay depletions on faces of peds, few faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay films on faces of peds, and few distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films in root channels; common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) masses and nodules of iron in the matrix; few medium prominent irregular white (10YR 8/1) nodules of carbonate; 14 percent exchangeable sodium; slightly effervescent; moderately alkaline; clear smooth boundary.
- Btkng2—28 to 33 inches; light olive gray (5Y 6/2) silt loam; weak medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; common faint light gray (10YR 7/1 dry) clay depletions on faces of peds, few faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay films on faces of peds, and few prominent black (10YR 2/1) iron and manganese stains on faces of peds; common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine and medium prominent irregular dark brown (7.5YR 3/3) masses of iron and manganese and few medium prominent irregular white (10YR 8/1) nodules of carbonate; 10 percent exchangeable sodium; slightly effervescent; moderately alkaline; clear smooth boundary.
- Btkn—33 to 39 inches; olive (5Y 5/3) silt loam; weak medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay films on faces of peds; common medium distinct light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) iron depletions and common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; many medium prominent irregular dark brown (7.5YR 3/2) masses of iron and manganese and few medium prominent irregular white (10YR 8/1) nodules of carbonate; 8 percent exchangeable sodium; slightly effervescent; moderately alkaline; clear smooth boundary.
- BCkn—39 to 56 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silt loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to weak medium subangular blocky; friable; few prominent black (10YR 2/1) manganese stains on vertical faces of peds and in root channels; common prominent white (10YR 8/1) coatings of carbonate on vertical faces of peds; common medium faint light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) iron depletions and common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine and medium distinct irregular dark brown (7.5YR 3/2) masses of iron and manganese; 6 percent exchangeable sodium; slightly effervescent; moderately alkaline; clear smooth boundary.
- Ckn—56 to 68 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silt loam; massive; friable; few prominent white (10YR 8/1) coatings of carbonate along faces of cleavage planes; common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) and common medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine and medium distinct rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) nodules of iron and manganese; 5 percent exchangeable sodium; slightly effervescent; moderately alkaline; gradual smooth boundary.
- C—68 to 80 inches; brown (7.5YR 5/4) silt loam; massive; friable; common medium prominent light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) iron depletions and common fine distinct strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine faint rounded dark brown (7.5YR 3/3) masses of iron and manganese; slightly alkaline.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 35 to 70 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* More than 50 inches

*Ap or A horizon:*

Hue—10YR

Value—3 or 4 (5 or 6 dry)

Chroma—2 or 3

Texture—typically, silt loam; silty clay loam in some eroded pedons

*E horizon, where present:*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 to 6 (6 to 8 dry)

Chroma—2 or 3  
Texture—silt loam

*Btn, Btn, Btkng, Btkn, or BCkn horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y  
Value—4 to 6  
Chroma—1 to 4  
Texture—typically, silty clay loam or silt loam; silty clay in some pedons

*Ckn, C, or 2C horizon:*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y  
Value—4 to 7  
Chroma—1 to 4  
Texture—silt loam, loam, clay loam, or silty clay loam

## **882A—Oconee-Darmstadt-Coulterville silt loams, 0 to 2 percent slopes**

### **Setting**

*Landform:* Ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Summits

### **Map Unit Composition**

Oconee and similar soils: 35 percent  
Darmstadt and similar soils: 30 percent  
Coulterville and similar soils: 20 percent  
Dissimilar soils: 15 percent

### **Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils that do not have a light colored subsurface layer
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 2 feet
- Soils with a slope of more than 2 percent

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The poorly drained Cowden and Piasa soils in depressions

### **Properties and Qualities of the Oconee Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisement  
*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained  
*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow  
*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow or moderately slow  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Available water capacity:* About 10.3 inches to a depth of 60 inches  
*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 3.0 percent  
*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Properties and Qualities of the Darmstadt Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisement

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Very slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Content of sodium:* High within a depth of 30 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 9.7 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Perched seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Properties and Qualities of the Coulterville Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisement

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Content of sodium:* Moderate within a depth of 30 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 9.2 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Perched seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Oconee and

Coulterville—2w; Darmstadt—3w

*Prime farmland status:* Oconee, Darmstadt, and

Coulterville—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Oconee, Darmstadt, and

Coulterville—not hydric

### **Cowden Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine, smectitic, mesic Mollic

Albaqualfs

#### **Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Cowden silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of about 665 feet; Montgomery County, Illinois; approximately 1,980 feet west and 30 feet north of the southeast corner of sec. 8, T. 9 N., R. 4 W.; USGS Butler, Illinois, topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 13 minutes 55 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 33 minutes 18 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 8 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silt loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; weak fine granular structure; friable; common very fine and few fine roots; few fine continuous tubular pores; few fine irregular dark brown (10YR 3/3) masses of iron and manganese; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

Eg1—8 to 14 inches; dark gray (10YR 4/1) silt loam, gray (10YR 6/1) dry; weak medium platy structure parting to weak fine subangular blocky; friable; few very fine roots; common fine and medium tubular and vesicular pores; many distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of peds and filling pores; few fine irregular dark brown (10YR 3/3) masses of iron and manganese; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Eg2—14 to 19 inches; gray (10YR 5/1) silt loam, light gray (10YR 7/1) dry; weak medium platy structure parting to weak fine subangular blocky; friable; few very fine roots; common fine and medium continuous tubular pores; common fine faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine irregular dark brown (10YR 3/3) masses of iron and manganese; strongly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

Btg1—19 to 26 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate fine and medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium angular and

subangular blocky; firm; common very fine roots; few fine continuous tubular pores; common distinct light gray (10YR 7/1 dry) clay depletions on faces of peds in the upper 2 inches; many prominent very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds; few fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/4 and 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine and medium irregular black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese with sharp boundaries; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Btg2—26 to 43 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium and coarse angular blocky; firm; few very fine roots; many prominent very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films on faces of peds; many medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine and medium irregular black (10YR 2/1) and dark reddish brown (5YR 3/4) nodules of iron and manganese with sharp boundaries; moderately acid; gradual smooth boundary.

Btg3—43 to 50 inches; light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) silty clay loam; weak coarse angular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; few fine vesicular and tubular pores; few prominent black (10YR 2/1) organo-clay films lining root channels and pores; common distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on vertical faces of peds; common coarse prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; few medium and coarse irregular black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese with clear strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) boundaries; slightly acid; gradual smooth boundary.

BCtg—50 to 58 inches; gray (10YR 6/1) silt loam; weak medium and coarse angular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; few fine vesicular and tubular pores; few prominent very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films lining root channels and pores; few distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on vertical faces of peds; common coarse prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine and medium irregular black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese with clear strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) boundaries; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Cg—58 to 69 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silt loam; massive, friable; few fine and medium vesicular and tubular pores; few prominent very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films lining root channels and pores; many medium and coarse

prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine and medium irregular black (5YR 2.5/1) nodules of iron and manganese with diffuse yellowish red (5YR 5/6) boundaries; about 8 percent sand; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

2Btgb—69 to 80 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate fine and medium prismatic structure parting to weak medium angular blocky; firm; common medium and coarse vesicular and tubular pores; few prominent very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films lining root channels and pores; common distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; common fine and medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few medium and coarse irregular black (5YR 2.5/1) and yellowish red (5YR 4/6) nodules of iron and manganese with clear boundaries; about 15 percent sand and 2 percent pebbles; neutral.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to 65 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* 55 to more than 80 inches

*Profile feature:* A B/E horizon in some pedons

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*Eg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*Btg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—typically, silty clay loam; silty clay or silt loam in some pedons

*Cg horizon and BCtg or BCg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—0 to 2

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*2Cg, 2Ab, 2Btg, or 2Bb horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—0 to 2

Texture—silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, or clay loam

## 112A—Cowden silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 5)

*Position on landform:* Toeslopes

### Map Unit Composition

Cowden and similar soils: 94 percent

Dissimilar soils: 6 percent

### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thicker dark surface soil
- Soils with a lighter colored surface layer
- Soils with less clay in the subsoil
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 1 foot

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The poorly drained Piasa soils in landscape positions similar to those of the Cowden soil

### Properties and Qualities of the Cowden Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pediment

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.9 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Ponding:* At the surface to 0.5 foot above the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Cowden—2w

*Prime farmland status:* Cowden—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Cowden—hydric

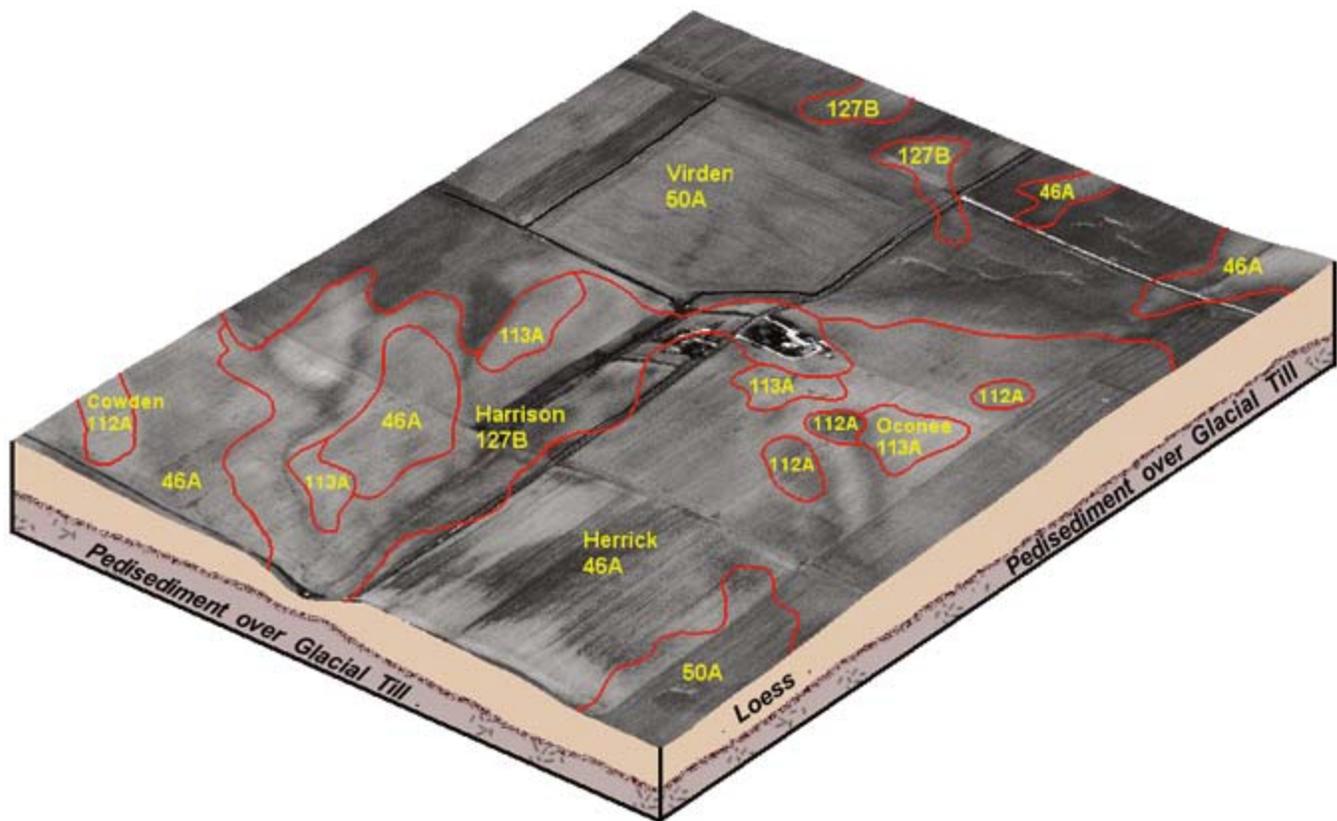


Figure 5.—Typical pattern of upland prairie and transitional soils that formed in loess or in loess and pediseciment underlain by glacial till; in nearly level to gently sloping areas.

### Darmstadt Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Albic Natraqualfs

#### Typical Pedon (OSD)

Darmstadt silt loam, in an area of Oconee-Coulterville-Darmstadt silt loams, 2 to 5 percent slopes, at an elevation of about 470 feet; St. Clair County, Illinois; approximately 1,202 feet west and 84 feet south of the northeast corner of sec. 9, T. 2 S., R. 8 W.; USGS Freeburg, Illinois, topographic quadrangle; lat. 38 degrees 22 minutes 52 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 59 minutes 7 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 8 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silt loam, light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) dry; weak thick platy structure parting to weak very fine granular; friable; many very fine roots; few fine faint rounded black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese; 1 percent exchangeable sodium; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

E—8 to 11 inches; light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) and grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silt loam, light gray

(10YR 7/2) dry; weak thick platy structure parting to weak fine subangular blocky; friable; common very fine roots; many fine and medium distinct rounded black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese; 4 percent exchangeable sodium; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

Btn1—11 to 16 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate fine and medium angular blocky; firm; many very fine roots; few faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay films on faces of peds; common medium faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions and common medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) and few fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few medium distinct rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) nodules of iron and manganese with clear strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) boundaries; 7 percent exchangeable sodium; very strongly acid; gradual smooth boundary.

Btn2—16 to 21 inches; pale brown (10YR 6/3) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to strong medium angular blocky; firm; common very fine roots; common distinct gray

- (10YR 5/1) clay films on faces of peds; many fine faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions and many fine distinct brownish yellow (10YR 6/6) and many fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine prominent irregular strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron and manganese and few medium prominent rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) nodules of iron and manganese with clear strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) boundaries; 12 percent exchangeable sodium; moderately acid; gradual smooth boundary.
- Btn3**—21 to 27 inches; pale brown (10YR 6/3) and light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) silty clay loam; moderate coarse prismatic structure; firm; few very fine roots; few distinct gray (10YR 5/1) clay films on faces of peds; many coarse prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; few medium prominent irregular very dark brown (7.5YR 2.5/2) masses of iron and manganese with diffuse strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) boundaries; 17 percent exchangeable sodium; slightly acid; gradual smooth boundary.
- Btng1**—27 to 35 inches; light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) silty clay loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; firm; few very fine roots; few distinct gray (10YR 5/1) clay films on vertical faces of peds and few distinct black (10YR 2/1) and very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films lining root channels and pores; few medium faint dark gray (10YR 4/1) iron depletions and few medium distinct dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) and light yellowish brown (10YR 6/4) masses of iron in the matrix; common coarse prominent irregular black (7.5YR 2.5/1) masses of iron and manganese with diffuse strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) boundaries; 20 percent exchangeable sodium; neutral; clear smooth boundary.
- Btng2**—35 to 39 inches; light gray (10YR 7/1) silty clay loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; friable; few very fine roots; few distinct gray (10YR 5/1) clay films on vertical faces of peds; few coarse prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) and common coarse prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few medium prominent irregular black (7.5YR 2.5/1) masses of iron and manganese; 25 percent exchangeable sodium; slightly alkaline; abrupt smooth boundary.
- Cng1**—39 to 44 inches; light gray (10YR 7/1) silt loam; massive; friable; few very fine roots; many coarse prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6 and 5/8) and common coarse and medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common medium and coarse prominent irregular black (7.5YR 2.5/1) masses of iron and manganese; few medium faint irregular white (10YR 8/1) nodules of carbonate; 25 percent exchangeable sodium; slightly effervescent; slightly alkaline; abrupt smooth boundary.
- Cng2**—44 to 62 inches; light gray (10YR 7/1) silt loam; massive; friable; few distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films lining root channels and pores; many coarse prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6 and 5/8) and many medium and coarse prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few medium prominent irregular black (7.5YR 2.5/1) masses of iron and manganese; about 25 percent exchangeable sodium; slightly effervescent; moderately alkaline; gradual smooth boundary.
- Cng3**—62 to 80 inches; light gray (10YR 7/1) silt loam; massive; friable; few distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films lining root channels; many coarse prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) and common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine prominent irregular black (7.5YR 2.5/1) masses of iron and manganese; moderately alkaline.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* Typically, 35 to 50 inches, but ranging from 30 to 60 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* More than 45 inches

#### *Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—3 to 5 (5 or 6 dry)

Chroma—2 or 3

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

#### *E horizon:*

Hue—10YR

Value—5 or 6 (6 to 8 dry)

Chroma—2

Texture—silt loam

#### *Btn or Btng horizon:*

Hue—10YR or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 7

Chroma—1 to 6

Texture—typically, silty clay loam; silty clay or silt loam in some pedons

#### *Cg, 2Cg, or Cng horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—5 to 7

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam, loam, clay loam, or silty clay loam

## 882A—Oconee-Darmstadt-Coulterville silt loams, 0 to 2 percent slopes

### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Summits

### Map Unit Composition

Oconee and similar soils: 35 percent

Darmstadt and similar soils: 30 percent

Coulterville and similar soils: 20 percent

Dissimilar soils: 15 percent

### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils that do not have a light colored subsurface layer
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 2 feet
- Soils with a slope of more than 2 percent

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The poorly drained Cowden and Piasa soils in depressions

### Properties and Qualities of the Oconee Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisediment

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow or moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.3 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### Properties and Qualities of the Darmstadt Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisediment

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Very slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Content of sodium:* High within a depth of 30 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 9.7 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Perched seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### Properties and Qualities of the Coulterville Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisediment

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Content of sodium:* Moderate within a depth of 30 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 9.2 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Perched seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Oconee and Coulterville—2w; Darmstadt—3w

*Prime farmland status:* Oconee, Darmstadt, and Coulterville—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Oconee, Darmstadt, and Coulterville—not hydric

### Denny Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine, smectitic, mesic Mollic Albaqualfs

### Typical Pedon (OSD)

Denny silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of 720 feet; McDonough County, Illinois; 225 feet north and 1,680 feet east of the southwest corner of sec. 25, T. 7 N., R. 3 W.; USGS Good Hope topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 33 minutes 31 seconds N. and long. 90 degrees 41 minutes 14 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 8 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silt loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; weak fine granular structure; very friable; few very fine roots throughout; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

Eg1—8 to 14 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silt loam, light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) dry; weak thick platy structure parting to weak thin platy; very friable; few very fine roots throughout; few very fine vesicular pores throughout; few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings in root channels; common faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay depletions on faces of peds; common fine prominent dark yellowish brown (10YR 3/6) masses of iron and manganese throughout; few fine black (N 2/0) concretions of iron and manganese in the matrix; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Eg2—14 to 21 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silt loam, light gray (10YR 7/2) dry; weak thick platy structure parting to moderate medium platy; friable; few very fine roots throughout; few fine tubular and few very fine vesicular pores throughout; few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings in root channels; common fine faint dark brown (10YR 3/3) masses of iron and manganese throughout; common fine black (N 2/0) concretions of iron and manganese in the matrix; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

Btg1—21 to 29 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate fine and medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots between peds; common distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings in root channels; many fine prominent dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/6) and common fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) masses of iron and manganese throughout; common fine black (N 2/0) concretions of iron and manganese in the matrix; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Btg2—29 to 38 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; firm; few very fine roots between peds; common faint dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on

faces of peds; few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings in root channels; many fine prominent dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/6) and common fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron and manganese throughout; common fine (N 2/0) concretions of iron and manganese in the matrix; moderately acid; gradual smooth boundary.

Btg3—38 to 46 inches; light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) silty clay loam; moderate coarse prismatic structure parting to moderate coarse subangular blocky; firm; very few fine roots between peds; common distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings in root channels; many fine prominent dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/6) and common fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron and manganese throughout; common fine black (N 2/0) concretions of iron and manganese in the matrix; moderately acid; gradual wavy boundary.

Cg1—46 to 63 inches; light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) silty clay loam; massive; firm; few very fine roots between peds; few very fine vesicular pores throughout; very few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings in root channels; many fine prominent dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/6) and common fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron and manganese throughout; few medium black (N 2/0) concretions of iron and manganese in the matrix; slightly acid; diffuse wavy boundary.

Cg2—63 to 80 inches; light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) silt loam; massive; firm; many very fine vesicular pores throughout; very few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings in root channels; many fine prominent dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/6) and common fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron and manganese throughout; few medium black (N 2/0) concretions of iron and manganese in the matrix; slightly acid.

### Range in Characteristics

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to 65 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*Eg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 or 2  
Texture—silt loam

*Btg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y  
Value—4 to 6  
Chroma—1 or 2  
Texture—silty clay loam or silty clay

*Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y  
Value—4 to 6  
Chroma—1 or 2  
Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

**45A—Denny silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes**

***Setting***

*Landform:* Depressions

***Map Unit Composition***

Denny and similar soils: 90 percent  
Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

***Minor Components***

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thicker dark surface soil
- Soils with a thinner, lighter colored surface layer

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The well drained Osco soils on summits and shoulders
- The moderately well drained Buckhart soils on summits and backslopes

***Properties and Qualities of the Denny Soil***

*Parent material:* Loess

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.6 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Ponding:* At the surface to 1 foot above the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

***Interpretive Groups***

*Land capability classification:* Denny—3w

*Prime farmland status:* Denny—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Denny—hydric

***Douglas Series***

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiudolls

***Typical Pedon (OSD)***

Douglas silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes, at an elevation of 535 feet; Bond County, Illinois; 460 feet east and 1,460 feet south of the northwest corner of sec. 29, T. 4 N., R. 4 W.; USGS Pocahtonat topographic quadrangle; lat. 38 degrees 46 minutes 04 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 34 minutes 28 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 7 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; weak fine granular structure; friable; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

A—7 to 11 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; moderate medium granular structure; friable; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

BA—11 to 15 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; friable; many distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organic coatings on faces of peds; common medium black (10YR 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—15 to 21 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; firm; many distinct strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) and dark brown (7.5YR 3/4) clay films on faces of peds; many distinct black (N 2/0) organic coatings on faces of peds; common medium black (10YR 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; medium acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—21 to 31 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; firm; common distinct strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) and dark brown (7.5YR 3/4) clay films on faces of peds; few distinct pale brown (10YR 6/3) silt coatings along pores; many medium black (10YR

2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt3—31 to 43 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silt loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; firm; many distinct strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) clay films and pale brown (10YR 6/3) silt coatings on faces of peds; many medium black (10YR 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

2Bt4—43 to 57 inches; brown (7.5YR 4/4) silt loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; friable; many distinct dark brown (7.5YR 4/2) clay films and pale brown (10YR 6/3) silt coatings on faces of peds; many medium black (10YR 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; about 18 percent sand; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

2Bt5—57 to 75 inches; brown (7.5YR 4/4) silt loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; friable; common distinct reddish brown (7.5YR 4/3) clay films and pale brown (10YR 6/3) silt coatings on faces of peds; few distinct dark brown (7.5YR 4/2) and black (N 2/0) clay films lining worm channels; about 24 percent sand and 4 percent gravel; slightly acid; gradual smooth boundary.

2Bt6—75 to 80 inches; brown (7.5YR 4/4) silt loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; friable; few distinct reddish brown (7.5YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; about 32 percent sand and 4 percent gravel; slightly acid.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 60 to more than 90 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* 40 to 60 inches

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 16 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value— 2 or 3

Chroma—2 or 3

Texture—silt loam

*Bt horizon(s):*

Hue— 7.5YR or 10YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—3 or 4

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*2Bt horizon(s):*

Hue— 7.5YR or 5YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—3 or 4

Texture—loam, clay loam, or silt loam

#### Taxadjunct Feature

Douglas silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded, has a dark surface soil that is thinner than is definitive for the series. This difference, however, does not significantly affect the use and management of the soil. The soil is classified as a fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Mollic Hapludalf.

#### 128B—Douglas silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes

##### Setting

*Landform:* Knolls

*Position on landform:* Summits and backslopes

##### Map Unit Composition

Douglas and similar soils: 95 percent

Dissimilar soils: 5 percent

##### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils in which the surface soil is lighter in color
- Soils in which the surface layer contains more clay
- Soils with a seasonal high water table within a depth of 6 feet

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Oconee soils on toeslopes below the Douglas soil

##### Properties and Qualities of the Douglas Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over loamy pedisediment

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate or moderately rapid

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.8 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Douglas—2e

*Prime farmland status:* Douglas—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Douglas—not hydric

## **128C2—Douglas silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded**

### **Setting**

*Landform:* Knolls

*Position on landform:* Backslopes and summits

### **Map Unit Composition**

Douglas and similar soils: 95 percent

Dissimilar soils: 5 percent

### **Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a slope of less than 5 percent
- Soils in which the upper part of the subsoil has more sand

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Oconee soils on toeslopes below the Douglas soil

### **Properties and Qualities of the Douglas Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over loamy pedisegment

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate or moderately rapid

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.7 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* None

*Accelerated erosion:* The surface soil has been thinned by erosion.

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Douglas—3e

*Prime farmland status:* Douglas—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Douglas—not hydric

### **Drummer Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Endoaquolls

### **Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Drummer silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of about 715 feet; Champaign County, Illinois; about 300 feet north and 1,600 feet east of the southwest corner of sec. 19, T. 19 N., R. 9 E.; USGS Urbana topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 5 minutes 4 seconds N. and long. 88 degrees 13 minutes 58 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 7 inches; black (10YR 2/1) silty clay loam, dark gray (10YR 4/1) dry; weak fine granular structure; firm; many fine roots; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

A—7 to 14 inches; black (10YR 2/1) silty clay loam, dark gray (10YR 4/1) dry; moderate fine subangular blocky structure parting to weak fine granular; firm; many fine and medium roots; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

BA—14 to 19 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silty clay loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; moderate fine and medium subangular blocky structure; firm; many fine and medium roots; few fine faint very dark grayish brown (2.5Y 3/2) masses of iron and manganese in the matrix; slightly acid; gradual smooth boundary.

Bg—19 to 25 inches; dark gray (10YR 4/1) silty clay loam; moderate fine prismatic structure parting to moderate fine angular blocky; firm; many fine roots; common fine distinct and prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/4 and 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; many wormholes; neutral; gradual smooth boundary.

Btg1—25 to 32 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; weak fine and medium prismatic structure parting to moderate fine angular blocky; firm; many fine roots; common distinct dark gray (N 4/0) clay films on faces of peds; many medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) masses of iron in the matrix; neutral; gradual wavy boundary.

Btg2—32 to 41 inches; gray (N 5/0) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to weak medium angular blocky; firm; few fine roots; few distinct dark gray (N 4/0) clay films on faces of peds; many medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) masses of iron in the matrix; neutral; clear wavy boundary.

2Btg3—41 to 47 inches; gray (N 5/0) loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; friable; few fine roots; few distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; common medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; 4 percent fine gravel; neutral; abrupt wavy boundary.

2Cg—47 to 60 inches; dark gray (10YR 4/1), stratified loam and sandy loam; massive; friable; many medium prominent olive brown (2.5Y 4/4) masses of iron in the matrix; many medium faint gray (N 5/0) iron depletions in the matrix; slightly alkaline.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 24 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* 40 to 60 inches

*Depth to carbonates:* 40 to 65 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 42 to 65 inches

*Ap, A, or AB horizon:*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—0 to 2

Texture—silty clay loam

*BA, Bg, or Btg horizon:*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—0 to 4

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*2Btg, 2Bg, or 2BCg horizon:*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—0 to 2

Texture—commonly, loam or silt loam; stratified with sandy loam, clay loam, silty clay loam, sandy clay loam, or fine sandy loam in some pedons

*2Cg or 2C horizon:*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—4 to 7

Chroma—0 to 8

Texture—stratified loam, sandy loam, sandy clay loam, clay loam, silt loam, or silty clay loam; thin strata of loamy sand in some pedons

### 152A—Drummer silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

#### Setting

*Landform:* Outwash plains

*Position on landform:* Toeslopes

#### Map Unit Composition

Drummer and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

#### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils in which the upper part of the subsoil is darker and contains more clay
- Soils in which the lower part of the subsoil contains more sand
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 1 foot

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The moderately well drained Blackberry soils on summits

#### Properties and Qualities of the Drummer Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over loamy outwash

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.4 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 4.5 to 7.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Ponding:* At the surface to 0.5 foot above the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Very low

#### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Drummer—2w

*Prime farmland status:* Drummer—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Drummer—hydric

### 536—Dumps, mine

#### Setting

This map unit consists of areas that have been used as dump sites for coal mine spoil. Mixed soil material is underlain by a mixture of coal dust, shale fragments, and clayey soil material.

### **Map Unit Composition**

Dumps, mine: 95 percent  
Dissimilar components: 5 percent

#### **Minor Components**

*Dissimilar components:*

- Well drained, loamy Orthents
- Areas of undisturbed soils along the edge of the refuse areas
- Areas of water less than 3 acres in size

#### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Dumps—none assigned

*Prime farmland status:* Dumps—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Dumps—unranked

## **835G—Earthen dam**

### **Setting**

This map unit consists of cut and fill areas designed to retain water.

### **Map Unit Composition**

Earthen dam: 90 percent  
Dissimilar components: 10 percent

#### **Minor Components**

*Dissimilar components:*

- Rock or concrete spillways
- Small areas of natural soils
- Small areas of roads or lanes

#### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Earthen dam—none assigned

*Prime farmland status:* Earthen dam—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Earthen dam—unranked

## **Ebbert Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Argiaquic Argialbolls

### **Typical Pedon**

Ebbert silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of about 630 feet; Christian County, Illinois; about 660 feet south and 198 feet west of the center of sec. 31, T. 11 N., R. 3 W.; USGS Nokomis topographic quadrangle; latitude 39 degrees, 21 minutes, 14 seconds N. and longitude 89 degrees, 28 minutes, 2 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 8 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silt loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; weak fine granular structure; friable; few fine and very fine roots throughout; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

A—8 to 11 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silt loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; weak very fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few fine and very fine roots throughout; slightly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

Eg—11 to 16 inches; dark gray (10YR 4/1) silt loam; weak medium platy structure parting to weak medium granular; friable; few very fine roots throughout; common faint very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of peds and lining pores; few distinct light gray (10YR 7/1 dry) clay depletions on faces of peds; few fine distinct brown (10YR 5/3) and few fine prominent dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/6) masses of iron in the matrix; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Btg1—16 to 18 inches; gray (10YR 5/1) silty clay loam; weak fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots throughout; few faint very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings lining pores and few faint dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; few fine faint grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) iron depletions in the matrix and common fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) and dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/6) masses of iron along pores; few fine black (10YR 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Btg2—18 to 28 inches; gray (10YR 5/1) silty clay loam; moderate fine and medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots throughout; few faint very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings lining pores and many faint dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; few fine faint grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) iron depletions in the matrix; few fine prominent dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/6) and many fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron along pores; few fine black (10YR 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Btg3—28 to 40 inches; gray (5Y 5/1) silty clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few faint very dark gray (5Y 3/1) organic coatings lining pores; few faint dark gray (5Y 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; many fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron along pores; few fine black (10YR 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Btg4—40 to 52 inches; gray (5Y 6/1) silty clay loam; moderate medium and coarse subangular blocky

structure; firm; few distinct very dark gray (5Y 3/1) organic coatings lining pores; few faint dark gray (5Y 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; common fine and medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine black (10YR 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Cg—52 to 63 inches; gray (5Y 6/1) silt loam; massive; firm; few faint dark gray (5Y 4/1) clay films lining pores; common medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine black (10YR 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

2Bgb—63 to 80 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silty clay loam; weak medium subangular blocky structure; firm; common fine prominent dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/6) masses of iron in the matrix; slightly alkaline.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 18 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* More than 40 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to more than 60 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—commonly, silt loam; less commonly, silty clay loam

*Eg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*Btg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—0 to 2

Texture—commonly, silty clay loam; less commonly, silt loam

*2Cg or Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—0 to 2

Texture—silty clay loam, silt loam, clay loam, or loam

*2Bgb horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silty clay loam

## 48A—Ebbert silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

### Setting

*Landform:* Depressions

### Map Unit Composition

Ebbert and similar soils: 100 percent

### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thinner surface soil
- Soils with more clay in the subsoil
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 1 foot

### Properties and Qualities of the Ebbert Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over a paleosol that formed in loamy sediments

*Drainage class:* Very poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 12.1 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Ponding:* At the surface to 1 foot above the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Ebbert—3w

*Prime farmland status:* Ebbert—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Ebbert—hydric

## Edinburg Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine, smectitic, mesic Vertic Argiaquolls

### Typical Pedon (OSD)

Edinburg silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of 615 feet; Sangamon County, Illinois; 1,200 feet south and 276 feet east of the center of sec. 22, T. 14 N., R. 6 W.; USGS Chatham, Illinois, topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 38 minutes 37 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 45 minutes 00 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 8 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silty clay loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; moderate fine and medium granular structure; friable; common fine and very fine roots; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

A—8 to 10 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silty clay loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; moderate medium granular structure with some moderate very fine subangular blocky; firm; common fine and very fine roots; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

BE—10 to 16 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silty clay loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; weak and moderate fine subangular blocky structure; firm; common very fine and few fine roots; few fine faint very dark grayish brown (2.5Y 3/2) and dark grayish brown (2.5Y 4/2) iron depletions; few fine prominent olive brown (2.5Y 4/4) masses of iron and manganese; few distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) clay depletions on faces of peds; few fine yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) concretions of iron and manganese; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Btg1—16 to 20 inches; dark gray (10YR 4/1) silty clay loam; moderate fine angular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; many distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds; few fine prominent olive brown (2.5Y 4/4) masses of iron and manganese; few fine concretions of iron and manganese; neutral; gradual smooth boundary.

Btg2—20 to 26 inches; dark gray (10YR 4/1) silty clay; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium and coarse angular blocky; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; few fine prominent olive brown (2.5Y 4/4) masses of iron and manganese; common fine concretions of iron and manganese; slightly acid; gradual smooth boundary.

Btg3—26 to 34 inches; dark gray (10YR 4/1) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate coarse angular blocky; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films and few faint very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds;

common fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6 and 5/8) masses of iron and manganese; few fine concretions of iron and manganese; neutral; gradual smooth boundary.

Btg4—34 to 41 inches; olive gray (5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate coarse angular blocky; firm; few very fine roots; few distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films and very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on vertical faces of peds; many fine and medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6 and 5/8) masses of iron and manganese; few fine concretions of iron and manganese; neutral; gradual smooth boundary.

BCg—41 to 55 inches; olive gray (5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to weak coarse angular blocky; friable; few faint dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films and very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on vertical faces of peds; many fine and medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6 and 5/8) masses of iron and manganese; few fine concretions of iron and manganese; neutral; gradual smooth boundary.

C—55 to 60 inches; mottled yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) and light olive gray (5Y 6/2) silt loam; massive; friable; dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films in root channels; neutral.

### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 24 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to 65 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*BE, BEg, or Eg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—3 or 4

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*Btg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silty clay loam or silty clay

*C or Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—5 or 6

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

## 249A—Edinburg silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

### Setting

*Landform:* Depressions (fig. 2)

### Map Unit Composition

Edinburg and similar soils: 100 percent

### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thinner dark surface soil
- Soils with less clay in the subsoil

### Properties and Qualities of the Edinburg Soil

*Parent material:* Loess

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow or moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.3 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.0 to 6.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Ponding:* At the surface to 0.5 foot above the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Very low

### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Edinburg—3w

*Prime farmland status:* Edinburg—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Edinburg—hydric

### Elburn Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aquic Argiudolls

### Typical Pedon (OSD)

Elburn silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slope, at an elevation of about 617 feet; Christian County, Illinois; 2,716 feet north and 1,300 feet west of the southeast corner of sec. 36, T. 14 N. R. 1 E.; USGS Assumption, Illinois, topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 37 minutes

4.7 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 1 minute 45.8 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 6 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; weak fine granular structure; friable; few very fine roots; many distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of peds; slightly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

A—6 to 16 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; moderate fine granular structure; friable; few very fine roots; many distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of peds; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—16 to 21 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silty clay loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; many distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films and dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; few fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron and few fine faint brown (10YR 5/3) masses of iron and manganese in the matrix; few fine prominent concretions of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—21 to 28 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films and common faint dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; few fine faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions and few fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine prominent concretions of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Bt3—28 to 36 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films and dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; common fine faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions and common fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine prominent concretions of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Bt4—36 to 43 inches; light olive brown (2.5Y 5/4) silty clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; few prominent very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films and few distinct brown (10YR 5/3) clay films on faces of peds; common medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) and brownish yellow (10YR 6/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine

prominent concretions of iron and manganese throughout; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

**Btg**—43 to 49 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films and dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; many medium prominent brownish yellow (10YR 6/8) and few fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine prominent concretions of iron and manganese throughout; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

**2BCtg**—49 to 58 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2), stratified silt loam, loam, and sandy loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; few distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films and dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films lining pores; common medium prominent brownish yellow (10YR 6/8) and few fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; few very fine concretions of iron and manganese throughout; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

**2Cg**—58 to 62 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2), stratified sandy loam and loamy sand; massive; very friable; common medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) and brownish yellow (10YR 6/8) masses of iron in the matrix; slightly alkaline.

#### **Range in Characteristics**

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 19 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* 40 to 60 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to 70 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*Bt or Btg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—2 to 4

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*2Btg, 2Bt, 2Bg, 2BC, 2BCtg, or 2BCg horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 8

Texture—sandy loam, clay loam, loam, silty clay loam, or silt loam

*2C or 2Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 8

Texture—sandy loam, loam, loamy sand, sand, or silt loam

## **198A—Elburn silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes**

### **Setting**

*Landform:* Stream terraces and outwash plains (fig. 3)

*Position on landform:* Summits

### **Map Unit Composition**

Elburn and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

### **Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with more sand in the upper part of the subsoil
- Soils with a thinner dark surface soil
- Soils in which the lower part of the subsoil and the underlying material contain less sand
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 2 feet

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The poorly drained Drummer soils in depressions

### **Properties and Qualities of the Elburn Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over outwash

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately rapid

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.4 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.5 to 5.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 1 to 2 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and low for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Elburn—1

*Prime farmland status:* Elburn—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Elburn—not hydric

## **Elco Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Oxyaquic Hapludalfs

### **Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Elco silt loam, 10 to 18 percent slopes, at an elevation of about 575 feet; Sangamon County, Illinois; 2,520 feet east and 2,200 feet south of the northwest corner of sec. 35, T. 15 N., R. 4 W.; USGS New City, Illinois, topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 42 minutes 30 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 30 minutes 28 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 4 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; strong very fine granular structure; friable; many roots throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

E—4 to 12 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silt loam; weak thin platy structure parting to moderate very fine granular; friable; many distinct light gray (10YR 7/1 dry) clay depletions on faces of peds; few faint very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organic coatings on faces of peds and in pores; few distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) flecks and fragments of subsoil material; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

BE—12 to 15 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silt loam; moderate very fine and fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few faint dark brown (10YR 3/3) organo-clay films and very few faint dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; few distinct light gray (10YR 7/1 dry) clay depletions on faces of peds; few fine black (5YR 2.5/1) concretions of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt—15 to 26 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; moderate fine and medium subangular blocky structure; firm; many distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; few distinct light gray (10YR 7/1 dry) silt coatings on faces of peds; few fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions along micropores; few fine black (5YR 2.5/1) concretions of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

2Btg1—26 to 39 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) and yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) silty clay loam; moderate medium and coarse subangular and

angular blocky structure; firm; common distinct olive brown (2.5Y 4/4) and brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; few fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; common very fine black (5YR 2.5/1) concretions of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; gradual smooth boundary.

3Btg2—39 to 55 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) and yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) silty clay; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate coarse subangular and angular blocky; firm; many distinct gray (5Y 5/1) clay films on faces of peds; few fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine black (5YR 2.5/1) concretions of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

3Btg3—55 to 70 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) silty clay; moderate fine and medium subangular and angular blocky structure; friable; common distinct gray (5Y 5/1) clay films on faces of peds and in pores; common fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine black (5YR 2.5/1) concretions of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

3Btg4—70 to 80 inches; gray (5Y 5/1) silty clay; moderate coarse subangular blocky structure; firm; common distinct greenish gray (5GY 5/1) clay films on faces of peds; few distinct black (10YR 2/1) organic coatings in root channels and pores; many fine strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine black (5YR 2.5/1) concretions of iron and manganese throughout; slightly alkaline.

### **Range in Characteristics**

*Thickness of the loess:* 20 to 40 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* More than 48 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—3 or 4

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*E horizon(s), where present:*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—3 or 4

Texture—silt loam

*BE horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*2Btg or 2Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—5Y, 2.5Y, 10YR, or 7.5YR

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—1 to 6

Texture—loam, clay loam, silty clay loam, or silt loam

*3Btg or 3Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—5Y, 2.5Y, 10YR, or 7.5YR

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—1 to 6

Texture—loam, clay loam, silty clay loam, silty clay, or clay

**119C2—Elco silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded**

***Setting***

*Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 4)

*Position on landform:* Shoulders and backslopes

***Map Unit Composition***

Elco and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

***Minor Components***

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with more sand in the subsoil
- Soils with more clay in the surface layer
- Soils with more clay in the upper part of the subsoil
- Soils with less clay and sand in the lower part of the subsoil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The well drained Hickory soils on backslopes below the Elco soil

***Properties and Qualities of the Elco Soil***

*Parent material:* Loess over a paleosol that formed in till

*Drainage class:* Moderately well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow or moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.3 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 2.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Perched seasonal high water table:* 2.0 to 3.5 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Accelerated erosion:* The surface soil has been thinned by erosion.

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* High

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

***Interpretive Groups***

*Land capability classification:* Elco—3e

*Prime farmland status:* Elco—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Elco—not hydric

**119D2—Elco silt loam, 10 to 18 percent slopes, eroded**

***Setting***

*Landform:* Ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Shoulders and backslopes

***Map Unit Composition***

Elco and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

***Minor Components***

*Similar soils:*

- Soils that have more sand in the subsoil
- Soils that have more clay in surface layer
- Soils that have less sand and less clay in the lower part of the subsoil
- Soils that have more clay in the upper part of the subsoil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The well drained Hickory soils on backslopes below the Elco soil

***Properties and Qualities of the Elco Soil***

*Parent material:* Loess over a paleosol that formed in till

*Drainage class:* Moderately well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow or moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Available water capacity:* About 11.2 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 2.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Perched seasonal high water table:* 2.0 to 3.5 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Accelerated erosion:* The surface soil has been thinned by erosion.

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* High

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Elco—3e

*Prime farmland status:* Elco—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Elco—not hydric

### **Elkhart Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiudolls

#### **Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Elkhart silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded, at an elevation of 570 feet; Logan County, Illinois; 2,060 feet south and 1,248 feet west of the northeast corner of sec. 32, T. 19 N., R. 3 W.; USGS Broadwell topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 03 minutes 26 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 26 minutes 58 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 8 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) dry; weak fine and medium granular structure; friable; common very fine roots; slightly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

A—8 to 10 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) dry; moderate fine granular structure; friable; common very fine roots; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

BA—10 to 15 inches; dark brown (10YR 3/3) silty clay loam, brown (10YR 4/3) dry; moderate very fine and fine subangular blocky structure; friable; common very fine roots; common faint very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organic coatings on faces of peds; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—15 to 22 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) silty clay loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films on faces of peds; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—22 to 28 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) silty clay loam; moderate fine and medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; few distinct dark brown (10YR 3/3) organo-clay films on faces of peds; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

BCt—28 to 31 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; weak medium and coarse subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; few faint brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; few fine black (5YR 2.5/1) manganese concretions with diffuse boundaries in ped interiors; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

C—31 to 60 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silt loam; massive; friable; few very fine roots in the upper 10 inches; common fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron in ped interiors; common medium distinct gray (10YR 6/1) iron depletions along root channels and pores; strongly effervescent; moderately alkaline.

#### **Range in Characteristics:**

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 20 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 20 to 40 inches

*Depth to carbonates:* 20 to 40 inches

*Ap, A, or AB horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 to 3

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*BA or Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR

Value—3 to 5

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*BC or BCt horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*C horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 to 6

Texture—silt or silt loam

### **Taxadjunct Feature**

The Elkhart soils in this survey area have a dark surface soil that is thinner than is definitive for the series. This difference, however, does not significantly affect the use and management of the soils. The soils are classified as fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Mollic Hapludalfs.

## **567C2—Elkhart silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded**

### **Setting**

*Landform:* Ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Shoulders and backslopes

### **Map Unit Composition**

Elkhart and similar soils: 100 percent

### **Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with carbonates at a depth of more than 40 inches
- Soils with more clay in the surface layer

### **Properties and Qualities of the Elkhart Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 12.2 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 4 to 6 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Accelerated erosion:* The surface soil has been thinned by erosion.

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Elkhart—3e

*Prime farmland status:* Elkhart—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Elkhart—not hydric

## **Greenbush Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Mollic Hapludalfs

### **Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Greenbush silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes, at an elevation of 700 feet; Warren County, Illinois; 1,500 feet west and 1,500 feet north of the southeast corner of sec. 18, T. 8 N., R. 1 W.; USGS Greenbush topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 40 minutes 40 seconds N. and long. 90 degrees 32 minutes 45 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 6 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silt loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; moderate fine granular structure; friable; slightly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

E—6 to 10 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silt loam; weak thin platy structure; friable; common faint very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of peds; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

BE—10 to 17 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silt loam; moderate medium platy structure parting to weak fine subangular blocky; friable; few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings and common distinct gray (10YR 6/1) silt coatings on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—17 to 29 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate fine and medium angular blocky; friable; common faint dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; common distinct gray (10YR 6/1) silt coatings on faces of peds; strongly acid; gradual smooth boundary.

Bt2—29 to 38 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate fine angular blocky; friable; common faint brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; many faint light gray (10YR 7/2) silt coatings on faces of peds; common medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron; common medium prominent light olive gray (5Y 6/1) iron depletions in the matrix; common prominent black (N 2/0) manganese oxide stains; strongly acid; gradual wavy boundary.

Bt3—38 to 53 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay

loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate fine angular blocky; friable; common faint brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; many distinct light gray (10YR 7/2) silt coatings on faces of peds; common medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout; common medium prominent light olive gray (5Y 6/1) iron depletions in the matrix; common prominent black (N 2/0) manganese oxide stains; strongly acid; gradual wavy boundary.

**BCt**—53 to 75 inches; 60 percent brown (10YR 5/3) and 40 percent light olive gray (5Y 6/2) silt loam; weak medium and coarse prismatic structure parting to weak fine and medium angular blocky; friable; few faint brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; few faint light gray (10YR 7/2) silt coatings on faces of peds; common medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common prominent black (N 2/0) manganese oxide stains; moderately acid; gradual wavy boundary.

**C**—75 to 100 inches; 55 percent yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) and 45 percent light olive gray (5Y 6/2) silt loam; massive; friable; many medium distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions in the matrix; many prominent black (N 2/0) manganese oxide stains; moderately acid.

#### **Range in Characteristics**

*Depth to carbonates:* More than 60 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 36 to 80 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR  
Value—2 or 3  
Chroma—1 or 2  
Texture—silt loam

*E or BE horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR  
Value—3 to 5  
Chroma—2 or 3  
Texture—silt loam

*Bt or BCt horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR  
Value—4 or 5  
Chroma—3 to 6  
Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*C horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y  
Value—4 to 6  
Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—silt loam

### **675B—Greenbush silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes**

#### **Setting**

*Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 4)

*Position on landform:* Summits and shoulders

#### **Map Unit Composition**

Greenbush and similar soils: 95 percent

Dissimilar soils: 5 percent

#### **Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a lighter colored surface layer
- Soils with more sand in the underlying material
- Soils with a thicker dark surface soil
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 6 feet

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Clarksdale and Ipava soils on broad summits

#### **Properties and Qualities of the Greenbush Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.8 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 4 to 6 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

#### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Greenbush—2e

*Prime farmland status:* Greenbush—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Greenbush—not hydric

## Harrison Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Oxyaquic Argiudolls

### Typical Pedon (OSD)

Harrison silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes, at an elevation of 665 feet; Christian County, Illinois; 228 feet north and 1,350 feet west of the southeast corner of sec. 24, T. 12 N., R. 2 W.; USGS Clarksdale topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 27 minutes 59 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 15 minutes 17 seconds W., NAD 27:

- Ap—0 to 10 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; weak fine granular structure; friable; common very fine and few fine roots; slightly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.
- BA—10 to 14 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silt loam; weak very fine and fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; many distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organic coatings on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.
- Bt1—14 to 20 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silt loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; common distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) and few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds; few fine faint dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) masses of iron along micropores; few fine manganese accumulations in the matrix; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.
- Bt2—20 to 27 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silty clay loam; weak fine prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films on faces of peds; few fine faint brown (7.5YR 4/4 and 10YR 5/3) and dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) masses of iron along micropores; few fine manganese accumulations in the matrix; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.
- Bt3—27 to 35 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; few distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; many fine faint dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) and few fine faint brown (7.5YR 4/4) masses of iron along micropores; few fine manganese accumulations in the matrix; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.
- Bt4—35 to 45 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silt loam; weak medium and coarse subangular blocky

- structure; firm; few very fine roots; few distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; many fine distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions along micropores; common fine faint dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) and few fine faint brown (7.5YR 4/4) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine manganese accumulations in the matrix; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.
- 2Btg—45 to 65 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silty clay loam; weak medium and coarse subangular blocky structure; firm; few distinct gray (10YR 5/1) clay films on faces of peds; few fine faint brown (10YR 5/3), common fine and medium distinct dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4), and few fine distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine manganese accumulations in the matrix; about 15 percent sand and 1 percent gravel; slightly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.
- 3Btgb—65 to 80 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) clay loam; moderate coarse subangular blocky structure; firm; common distinct olive gray (5Y 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; common medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine manganese accumulations in the matrix; about 5 percent gravel; neutral.

### Range in Characteristics

- Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 19 inches
- Thickness of the loess:* 40 to 60 inches
- Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* More than 45 inches
- Ap or A horizon(s):*  
 Hue—10YR  
 Value—2 or 3  
 Chroma—1 to 3  
 Texture—silt loam
- AB or BA horizon(s):*  
 Hue—10YR  
 Value—3 or 4  
 Chroma—2 to 4  
 Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam
- Bt horizon(s):*  
 Hue—10YR  
 Value—4 to 6  
 Chroma—2 to 6  
 Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam
- 2Btg or 2BCg horizon(s):*  
 Hue—10YR, 7.5YR, or 2.5Y  
 Value—4 to 6  
 Chroma—2 to 6  
 Texture—silty clay loam, silt loam, loam, or clay loam

**3Btgb horizon(s):**

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral  
 Value—4 to 6  
 Chroma—0 to 3  
 Texture—clay loam, clay, silty clay, or silty clay loam

**Taxadjunct Feature**

Harrison silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded, has a dark surface soil that is thinner than is definitive for the series. This difference, however, does not significantly affect the use and management of the soil. The soil is classified as a fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Oxyaquic Hapludalf.

**127B—Harrison silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes****Setting**

*Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 5)  
*Position on landform:* Summits and backslopes

**Map Unit Composition**

Harrison and similar soils: 100 percent

**Minor Components***Similar soils:*

- Soils in which the lower part of the subsoil contains less sand
- Soils in which the surface soil is thinner or lighter in color
- Soils with a seasonal high water table within a depth of 2 feet
- Soils in which the lower part of the subsoil contains more sand

**Properties and Qualities of the Harrison Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over pedisediment  
*Drainage class:* Moderately well drained  
*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Moderate  
*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow to moderate  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Available water capacity:* About 11.8 inches to a depth of 60 inches  
*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.0 to 4.0 percent  
*Shrink-swell potential:* High  
*Perched seasonal high water table:* 2.0 to 3.5 feet below the surface  
*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

**Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Harrison—2e

*Prime farmland status:* Harrison—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Harrison—not hydric

**127C2—Harrison silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded****Setting**

*Landform:* Ground moraines  
*Position on landform:* Backslopes

**Map Unit Composition**

Harrison and similar soils: 100 percent

**Minor Components***Similar soils:*

- Soils with less sand in the lower part of the subsoil
- Soils with a thicker dark surface soil
- Soils with a lighter colored surface soil
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 3.5 feet

**Properties and Qualities of the Harrison Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over pedisediment  
*Drainage class:* Moderately well drained  
*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Moderate  
*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow to moderate  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Available water capacity:* About 11.8 inches to a depth of 60 inches  
*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 3.0 percent  
*Shrink-swell potential:* High  
*Perched seasonal high water table:* 2.0 to 3.5 feet below the surface  
*Flooding:* None  
*Accelerated erosion:* The surface soil has been thinned by erosion.  
*Potential for frost action:* High  
*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete  
*Surface runoff class:* Medium  
*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Harrison—3e

*Prime farmland status:* Harrison—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Harrison—not hydric

## **Hartsburg Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Endoaquolls

### **Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Hartsburg silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of 562 feet; Logan County, Illinois; 660 feet west and 40 feet north of the southeast corner of sec. 23, T. 21 N., R. 4 W.; USGS New Holland topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 14 minutes 58 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 31 minutes 28 seconds W., NAD 27:

- Ap—0 to 7 inches; black (10YR 2/1) silty clay loam, dark gray (10YR 4/1) dry; moderate medium granular structure; friable; slightly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.
- A1—7 to 12 inches; black (10YR 2/1) silty clay loam, dark gray (10YR 4/1) dry; moderate medium granular structure; friable; few very fine roots; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.
- A2—12 to 17 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silty clay loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; moderate medium granular structure; firm; few very fine roots; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented concretions of iron and manganese with diffuse boundaries along root channels and pores; few fine faint dark grayish brown (2.5Y 4/2) iron depletions in the matrix; neutral; clear smooth boundary.
- Bg—17 to 21 inches; dark grayish brown (2.5Y 4/2) silty clay loam; weak fine and medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of peds; common very dark gray (10YR 3/1) krotovinas; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented concretions of iron and manganese with diffuse boundaries lining root channels and pores; common fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; neutral; clear smooth boundary.
- Bkg—21 to 30 inches; gray (5Y 5/1) silty clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) and grayish brown (2.5Y

5/2) pressure faces on peds; common very dark gray (10YR 3/1) krotovinas; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented concretions of iron and manganese with diffuse boundaries lining root channels and pores; few fine and medium rounded white (10YR 8/1) weakly cemented concretions of calcium carbonate throughout; common medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) and strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; slightly effervescent; slightly alkaline; abrupt wavy boundary.

BCkg—30 to 34 inches; light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) silty clay loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; firm; many distinct gray (N 5/0) and grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) linings in pores and root channels; common very dark gray (10YR 3/1) krotovinas; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented concretions of iron and manganese with diffuse boundaries lining pores; many medium and coarse rounded white (10YR 8/1) weakly cemented concretions of calcium carbonate throughout; many medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; violently effervescent among concretions, slightly effervescent in the matrix; slightly alkaline; clear wavy boundary.

Cg—34 to 60 inches; light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) silt loam; massive; friable; common very dark gray (10YR 3/1) krotovinas; few medium rounded white (10YR 8/1) weakly cemented concretions of calcium carbonate throughout; many medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron with diffuse boundaries lining pores; strongly effervescent; moderately alkaline.

### **Range in Characteristics**

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 20 inches

*Depth to carbonates:* 15 to 35 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 24 to 50 inches

*Ap, A, or AB horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or neutral

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—0 to 2

Texture—silty clay loam

*BA, Bg, Bkg, Btg, Bck, BCkg, or BCg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—5 or 6  
 Chroma—1 or 2  
 Texture—silt loam

## 244A—Hartsburg silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines  
*Position on landform:* Toeslopes

### Map Unit Composition

Hartsburg and similar soils: 90 percent  
 Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

### Minor Components

#### Similar soils:

- Soils in which the subsoil is more acid
- Soils with more clay in the subsoil
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 1 foot

#### Dissimilar soils:

- The poorly drained Spaulding soils, which have carbonates at the surface and are in landscape positions similar to those of the Hartsburg soil

### Properties and Qualities of the Hartsburg Soil

*Parent material:* Loess

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 12.6 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 4.5 to 6.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Ponding:* At the surface to 0.5 foot above the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and low for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Very low

### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Hartsburg—2w

*Prime farmland status:* Hartsburg—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Hartsburg—hydric

## Herrick Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine, smectitic, mesic Aquic Argiudolls

### Typical Pedon (OSD)

Herrick silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of 635 feet; Christian County, Illinois; 1,260 feet south and 60 feet west of the northeast corner of sec. 1, T. 11 N., R. 3 W.; USGS Clarksdale topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 26 minutes 0 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 22 minutes 0 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap1—0 to 7 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; moderate very fine granular structure; very friable; common fine and very fine roots; common wormcasts and worm channels; common very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of peds and lining channels; light brownish gray (10YR 6/2 dry) silt coatings and common very fine concretions of iron and manganese on the soil surface; slightly acid; clear wavy boundary.

Ap2—7 to 11 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; weak coarse subangular blocky structure parting to weak fine granular; very friable; few fine and medium roots; common wormcasts and worm channels; common distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings lining channels; few very fine masses of iron and manganese; slightly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

E—11 to 15 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; discontinuous weak thick platy structure parting to weak medium granular; friable; few fine roots; few medium worm channels; many distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay depletions on faces of peds, distinct light gray (10YR 7/1) dry; few fine concretions of iron and manganese and common soft yellowish brown iron accumulations that streak with tools on cut faces; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Btg—15 to 19 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silty clay loam; weak very fine and fine prismatic structure parting to moderate fine and medium subangular blocky; friable; few fine roots; few distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films on horizontal and vertical faces of peds; few very fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) masses of iron; many distinct light gray (10YR 7/1 dry) clay depletions on faces of peds; few fine concretions and stains of iron and manganese; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

- Bt1—19 to 25 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular and angular blocky; firm; few fine and very fine roots, dominantly between pedes; many distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) and common prominent very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films and brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on vertical and horizontal faces of pedes; common fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) and common fine faint brown (7.5YR 4/4) masses of iron and few fine faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions; few fine concretions of iron and manganese; moderately acid; gradual smooth boundary.
- Bt2—25 to 35 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) silty clay loam; moderate medium and coarse prismatic structure parting to weak coarse subangular blocky; very firm; few fine and very fine roots, dominantly in the cracks between pedes; many distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on vertical and horizontal faces of pedes; common medium distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) masses of iron and few fine prominent grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions; few concretions of iron and manganese; moderately acid; gradual smooth boundary.
- Bt3—35 to 47 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) silty clay loam; moderate coarse prismatic structure parting to weak coarse subangular blocky; firm; few very fine roots; few very fine continuous vertical tubular pores; many distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films on vertical faces of pedes and lining pores and common distinct clay films on horizontal faces of pedes; common fine prominent light brownish gray (2.5Y 5/2) iron depletions; slightly acid; gradual wavy boundary.
- Bt4—47 to 58 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; weak very coarse prismatic structure; firm; few very fine roots; many very fine continuous vertical tubular pores; few distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films on vertical faces of pedes and lining channels; many medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron and common medium distinct light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) iron depletions; slightly acid; gradual smooth boundary.
- C1—58 to 70 inches; mottled yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) and light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) silt loam; massive; friable; few very fine and fine continuous vertical tubular pores; very dark grayish brown clay lining pores; few masses and stains of iron and manganese; an increase in the content of

coarse silt and very fine sand; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

- 2C2—70 to 80 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silt loam; massive; friable; common very fine and fine continuous vertical tubular pores; dark grayish brown clay lining pores; common medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) and few fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron and common fine prominent light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) iron depletions; few masses and stains of iron and manganese; an increase in the content of coarse silt and very fine sand; neutral;

#### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 21 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 45 to 60 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* More than 55 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*E horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—3 or 4

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*Btg or Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—silty clay loam, silty clay, or silt loam

*C or Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*2Cg or 2C horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—silt loam, clay loam, loam, or silty clay loam

### 46A—Herrick silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

#### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 5)

*Position on landform:* Summits

### **Map Unit Composition**

Herrick and similar soils: 92 percent  
Dissimilar soils: 8 percent

### **Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with less clay in the subsoil
- Soils in which the seasonal high water table is at a depth of more than 2 feet
- Soils in which the dark surface soil is thinner

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The poorly drained Cowden, Piasa, and Virden soils in depressions

### **Properties and Qualities of the Herrick Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisediment

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Moderately slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.6 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 1 to 2 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Herrick—2w

*Prime farmland status:* Herrick—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Herrick—not hydric

## **894A—Herrick-Biddle-Piasa silt loams, 0 to 2 percent slopes**

### **Setting**

*Landform:* Ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Herrick and Biddle—summits; Piasa—toeslopes

### **Map Unit Composition**

Herrick and similar soils: 45 percent

Biddle and similar soils: 35 percent

Piasa and similar soils: 20 percent

### **Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a lighter colored surface layer
- Soils that do not have a subsurface layer
- Soils with less clay in the subsoil
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 2 feet

### **Properties and Qualities of the Herrick Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisediment

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Moderately slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.6 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 1 to 2 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Properties and Qualities of the Biddle Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisediment

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow or moderately slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow or moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Content of sodium:* Moderate within a depth of 30 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.5 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Perched seasonal high water table:* 1 to 2 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High  
*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete  
*Surface runoff class:* High  
*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low  
*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Properties and Qualities of the Piasa Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedis sediment  
*Drainage class:* Poorly drained  
*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Very slow  
*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Content of sodium:* High within a depth of 30 inches  
*Available water capacity:* About 7.5 inches to a depth of 60 inches  
*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 4.0 percent  
*Shrink-swell potential:* High  
*Perched seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface  
*Ponding:* At the surface to 0.5 foot above the surface  
*Flooding:* None  
*Potential for frost action:* High  
*Corrosivity:* High for steel and low for concrete  
*Surface runoff class:* Negligible  
*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low  
*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Herrick and Biddle—2w; Piasa—3w  
*Prime farmland status:* Herrick, Biddle, and Piasa—not prime farmland  
*Hydric soil status:* Herrick and Biddle—not hydric; Piasa—hydric

### **Hickory Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Typic Hapludalfs

#### **Typical Pedon**

Hickory silt loam, 35 to 60 percent slopes, at an elevation of 565 feet; Cass County, Illinois; 1,935 feet north and 2,130 feet west of the southeast corner of sec. 27, T. 18 N., R. 9 W.; USGS Ashland, Illinois, topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 58 minutes 47.5 seconds N. and long. 90 degrees 5 minutes 38 seconds W., NAD 27:

A1—0 to 1 inch; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) dry; moderate medium granular structure; friable; many

very fine roots; slightly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

A2—1 to 4 inches; 90 percent dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) and 10 percent brown (10YR 4/3) silt loam, pale brown (10YR 6/3) dry; weak fine subangular blocky and granular structure; friable; many very fine roots; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

E—4 to 8 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) loam, light gray (10YR 7/2) dry; moderate thin platy structure; friable; few very fine and fine roots; few distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organic coatings in root channels and/or pores; common fine distinct very pale brown (10YR 8/2) clay depletions between peds; 3 percent gravel; strongly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

BE—8 to 12 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) loam, light gray (10YR 7/2) dry; moderate very fine and fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; very few faint brown (10YR 5/3) and very few distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) organic coatings in root channels and/or pores; common fine distinct very pale brown (10YR 8/2) clay depletions between peds; 3 percent gravel; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—12 to 22 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) clay loam; moderate fine and medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; common faint dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) clay films and common distinct very pale brown (10YR 7/3) silt coatings on faces of peds; 5 percent gravel; very strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—22 to 29 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) clay loam; moderate fine and medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; many faint dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) clay films and few distinct very pale brown (10YR 7/3) silt coatings on faces of peds; 5 percent gravel; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt3—29 to 40 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) clay loam; moderate medium prismatic and subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; many distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) clay films and very few distinct very pale brown (10YR 7/3) silt coatings on faces of peds; 5 percent gravel; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt4—40 to 53 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) clay loam; weak medium prismatic and weak medium and coarse subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; many distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; few prominent fine black (10YR 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; 5 percent gravel; moderately acid; gradual smooth boundary.

BCt—53 to 58 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) loam; weak medium prismatic and weak medium and coarse subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; few fine prominent black (10YR 2/1) masses of iron and manganese and common distinct brown (10YR 5/3) iron depletions throughout; 5 percent gravel; neutral; gradual smooth boundary.

C—58 to 63 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) loam; massive; firm; very few distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) clay films in root channels and/or pores; few prominent fine black (10YR 2/1) masses of iron and manganese and many fine prominent light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) iron depletions throughout; 3 percent gravel; slightly alkaline.

#### **Range in Characteristics**

*Thickness of the loess:* 0 to 20 inches

*Depth to carbonates (where present):* More than 40 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* More than 40 inches

#### *Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR

Value—2 to 5

Chroma—2 to 4

Texture—silt loam, loam, clay loam, or silty clay loam

Content of rock fragments—0 to 5 percent

#### *E horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 4

Texture—silt loam or loam

Content of rock fragments—0 to 5 percent

#### *Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 7.5YR, or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—clay loam, silty clay loam, loam, or gravelly clay loam

Content of rock fragments—0 to 20 percent

#### *C horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, or 2.5Y

Value—5 to 7

Chroma—1 to 8

Texture—loam, clay loam, sandy loam, or the gravelly analogs of those textures

Content of rock fragments—2 to 20 percent

## **8D2—Hickory loam, 10 to 18 percent slopes, eroded**

### **Setting**

*Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 4)

*Position on landform:* Backslopes

### **Map Unit Composition**

Hickory and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

### **Minor Components**

#### *Similar soils:*

- Soils with a darker, thicker surface layer
- Soils with more clay in the surface layer
- Soils that have a slope of less than 10 percent
- Soils that contain more sand in the surface soil and subsoil
- Soils that contain less sand in the surface soil and subsoil

#### *Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Atlas soils on backslopes above the Hickory soil
- The somewhat poorly drained Radford soils on flood plains

### **Properties and Qualities of the Hickory Soil**

*Parent material:* Till

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.1 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 2.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* None

*Accelerated erosion:* The surface soil has been thinned by erosion.

*Potential for frost action:* Moderate

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* High

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Hickory—3e

*Prime farmland status:* Hickory—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Hickory—not hydric

### **8D3—Hickory clay loam, 10 to 18 percent slopes, severely eroded**

#### **Setting**

*Landform:* Ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Backslopes

#### **Map Unit Composition**

Hickory and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

#### **Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with less clay in the surface layer
- Soils that contain more sand in the surface soil and subsoil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Atlas soils on backslopes above the Hickory soil
- The somewhat poorly drained Radford soils on flood plains

#### **Properties and Qualities of the Hickory Soil**

*Parent material:* Till

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 9.7 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 0.5 to 1.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* None

*Accelerated erosion:* The surface layer is mostly subsoil material.

*Potential for frost action:* Moderate

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* High

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

#### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Hickory—4e

*Prime farmland status:* Hickory—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Hickory—not hydric

### **8F—Hickory silt loam, 18 to 35 percent slopes**

#### **Setting**

*Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 3)

*Position on landform:* Backslopes

#### **Map Unit Composition**

Hickory and similar soils: 91 percent

#### **Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils that contain more sand in the surface soil and subsoil
- Soils with a slope of more than 35 percent or less than 18 percent
- Soils with free carbonates within a depth of 40 inches
- Soils with more clay in the surface layer

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Radford soils on flood plains

#### **Properties and Qualities of the Hickory Soil**

*Parent material:* Till

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.3 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* Moderate

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* High

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* High

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

#### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Hickory—6e

*Prime farmland status:* Hickory—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Hickory—not hydric

#### **Ipava Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine, smectitic, mesic Aquic Argiudolls

### Typical Pedon (OSD)

Ipava silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of 804 feet; Knox County, Illinois; 2,046 feet west and 594 feet north of the southeast corner of sec. 25, T. 13 N., R. 2 E.; USGS Oneida topographic quadrangle; lat. 41 degrees 04 minutes 40 seconds N. and long. 90 degrees 13 minutes 03 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 10 inches; black (10YR 2/1) silt loam, dark gray (10YR 4/1) dry; moderate fine and medium subangular blocky structure; friable; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

A—10 to 18 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silty clay loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; weak fine and medium subangular blocky structure; friable; common distinct black (10YR 2/1) organic coatings on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

BA—18 to 24 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silty clay loam; moderate fine and medium subangular blocky structure; friable; common distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of peds; few fine distinct light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) iron depletions in the matrix; few distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Btg1—24 to 31 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silty clay; moderate fine prismatic structure parting to moderate fine subangular blocky; friable; common faint dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; few fine distinct light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) iron depletions in the matrix; common fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Btg2—31 to 37 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium angular blocky; friable; common distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; common fine faint light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) iron depletions in the matrix; common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented concretions of iron and manganese throughout; few fine black (7.5YR 2.5/1) iron and manganese stains on faces of peds; slightly alkaline; gradual smooth boundary.

BCg—37 to 50 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium angular blocky; friable; few distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films lining pores and on a few vertical faces of peds; common fine faint light

brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) iron depletions in the matrix; common fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented concretions of iron and manganese throughout; common fine black (7.5YR 2.5/1) iron and manganese stains on faces of peds; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Cg—50 to 60 inches; light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) silt loam; massive; friable; few faint very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films lining pores; common fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented concretions of iron and manganese throughout; few fine black (7.5YR 2.5/1) iron and manganese stains on faces of vertical cracks; moderately alkaline.

### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 24 inches

*Depth to carbonates:* More than 40 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 35 to 55 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*BA, Bt, Btg, BC, or BCg horizon(s), where present:*

Hue—10YR or 2.5Y

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—2 to 4

Texture—typically, silty clay loam or silty clay; silt loam in the lower part in some pedons

*Cg or C horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 2.5Y

Value—5 or 6

Chroma—1 to 4

Texture—typically, silt loam; silty clay loam in some pedons

### 43A—Ipava silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

#### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 2)

*Position on landform:* Summits and footslopes

#### Map Unit Composition

Ipava and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

### **Minor Components**

#### *Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thinner dark surface soil
- Soils in which the subsurface layer is lighter in color
- Soils in which the subsoil has less clay
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 2 feet

#### *Dissimilar soils:*

- The well drained Osco soils on narrow summits and shoulders
- The poorly drained Sable, Virden, and Denny soils in depressions

### **Properties and Qualities of the Ipava Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderately slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.6 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.5 to 5.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 1 to 2 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Ipava—1

*Prime farmland status:* Ipava—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Ipava—not hydric

### **Kendall Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aeric Endoaqualfs

### **Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Kendall silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of about 650 feet; Douglas County, Illinois; about 1,160 feet north and 400 feet west of the center of sec. 36, T. 15 N., R. 10 E.; USGS Oakland topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 42 minutes 24 seconds N.

and long. 88 degrees 2 minutes 17 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 7 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silt loam, light grayish brown (10YR 6/2) dry; weak medium granular structure; friable; many very fine and fine roots; few fine and medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

E—7 to 11 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silt loam; moderate fine and medium granular structure; friable; many very fine and fine roots; common fine and medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

BE—11 to 14 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; firm; many very fine and fine roots; common fine and medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Btg1—14 to 25 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate fine and medium prismatic structure parting to moderate fine and medium subangular blocky; firm; few very fine and fine roots; common distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; few medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; common fine faint brown (10YR 5/3) masses of iron in the matrix; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Btg2—25 to 41 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium and coarse subangular blocky; firm; few very fine and fine roots; common distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; few medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; common medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Btg3—41 to 51 inches; 55 percent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) and 45 percent gray (5Y 5/1) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to weak coarse subangular blocky; firm; few very fine and fine roots; common distinct gray (10YR 5/1) clay films on faces of peds; few medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

2Btg4—51 to 58 inches; 40 percent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6), 30 percent yellowish brown (10YR

5/6), and 30 percent gray (5Y 5/1) loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; friable; few distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; common fine and medium rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; about 5 percent fine gravel; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

2Cg1—58 to 74 inches; 45 percent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6), 45 percent gray (5Y 5/1), and 10 percent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6), stratified loam, sandy loam, and silt loam; massive; friable; about 5 percent fine gravel; slightly alkaline; abrupt smooth boundary.

2Cg2—74 to 80 inches; 60 percent grayish brown (10YR 5/2), 30 percent gray (10YR 5/1), and 10 percent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6), stratified gravelly loam, gravelly sandy loam, and silt loam; massive; friable; slightly effervescent; slightly alkaline.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the loess:* 40 to 60 inches

*Depth to carbonates:* 40 inches or more

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to more than 60 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 to 5; 2 or 3 in A horizons less than 7 inches thick

Chroma—1 to 3

Texture—silt loam

*E or Eg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 7

Chroma—2 or 3

Texture—silt loam

*BE horizon(s), where present:*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*Btg or Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 to 8

Texture—silty clay loam

*2Btg, 2Bt, 2BCg, or 2BC horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 to 8

Texture—loam, clay loam, silt loam, or sandy loam

*2Cg or 2C horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 to 8

Texture—stratified silt loam, loam, sandy loam, clay loam, silty clay loam, sandy clay loam, or the gravelly analogs of those textures

## 242A—Kendall silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

### Setting

*Landform:* Stream terraces and outwash plains

*Position on landform:* Summits and footslopes

### Map Unit Composition

Kendall and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thicker, darker surface soil
- Soils that contain less sand in the lower part of the subsoil and in the underlying material

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The well drained Camden soils on summits and backslopes
- The poorly drained Drummer and Brooklyn soils in depressions

### Properties and Qualities of the Kendall Soil

*Parent material:* Loess or other silty material over outwash

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.3 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Kendall—2w

*Prime farmland status:* Kendall—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Kendall—not hydric

## **7242A—Kendall silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, rarely flooded**

### **Setting**

*Landform:* Flood-plain steps

### **Map Unit Composition**

Kendall and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

### **Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thicker, darker surface soil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The well drained Proctor soils in the slightly higher areas
- The poorly drained Vesser soils in the lower areas

### **Properties and Qualities of the Kendall Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess or other silty material over outwash

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.7 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* Rare, November-June

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Kendall—2w

*Prime farmland status:* Kendall—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Kendall—not hydric

## **Keomah Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine, smectitic, mesic Aeric Endoaqualfs

### **Typical Pedon**

Keomah silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of 655 feet; Adams County, Illinois; 2,495 feet south and 300 feet west of the northeast corner of sec. 4, T. 2 N., R. 7 W.; USGS Loraine topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 11 minutes 22 seconds N. and long. 91 degrees 12 minutes 11 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap1—0 to 6 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silt loam, light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) dry; weak thick platy structure parting to weak fine subangular blocky; friable; many very fine and fine roots; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

Ap2—6 to 11 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silt loam, light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) dry; weak medium platy structure parting to weak fine subangular blocky; friable; common very fine and fine roots; few distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) masses of iron throughout; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

E—11 to 18 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silt loam, light gray (10YR 7/2) dry; weak medium platy structure parting to weak fine subangular blocky; friable; common fine roots; few faint dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) organic coatings on faces of peds and in pores; few distinct black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout, few prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout, and few faint light gray (10YR 7/2) clay depletions throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—18 to 25 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate fine subangular blocky; firm; common fine roots; many distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay films on faces of peds; many prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout, common distinct black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout, and few faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions throughout; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—25 to 33 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; firm; few fine roots; many distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay films on faces of peds and few faint pressure

faces; common distinct black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese and many prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt3—33 to 44 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay films on faces of peds; many prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout, common prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout, and common faint light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions throughout; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt4—44 to 51 inches; light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) silty clay loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; firm; few fine roots; few distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films in root channels and/or pores; few prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese and many prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

BC1—51 to 63 inches; light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) silt loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; friable; few very fine roots; common prominent very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films in root channels and/or pores; many prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron and few prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

BC2—63 to 76 inches; light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) silt loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; friable; common prominent very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films in root channels and/or pores; few prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese and many prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

C—76 to 89 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silt loam; massive; friable; few distinct strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron throughout, few prominent black (2.5Y 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout, and common distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions throughout; slightly acid.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to 76 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*  
Hue—10YR

Value—3 or 4 (3 in horizons less than 3 inches thick)

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

#### *E horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—1 to 3

Texture—silt loam

#### *Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 4

Texture—silty clay loam or silty clay

#### *C horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

### 17A—Keomah silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

#### *Setting*

*Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 4)

*Position on landform:* Summits

#### *Map Unit Composition*

Keomah and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

#### *Minor Components*

#### *Similar soils:*

- Soils with a darker surface layer
- Soils with less clay in the subsoil

#### *Dissimilar soils:*

- The well drained Rozetta soils on narrow summits and shoulders
- The poorly drained Denny soils in depressions

#### *Properties and Qualities of the Keomah Soil*

*Parent material:* Loess

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.3 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Keomah—2w

*Prime farmland status:* Keomah—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Keomah—not hydric

## **830—Landfills**

### **Setting**

This map unit is in areas of garbage and other refuse and in areas of rubble from the demolition of buildings and pavement. The surface is typically covered by a layer of compacted earth. Slopes vary considerably. Some landfills are active, but some have been abandoned.

### **Map Unit Composition**

Landfills: 85 percent

Dissimilar components: 15 percent

### **Minor Components**

*Dissimilar components:*

- Natural soils in areas adjacent to the landfills
- Well drained, loamy Orthents in areas adjacent to the landfills

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Landfills—none assigned

*Prime farmland status:* Landfills—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Landfills—unranked

## **Martinsville Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Typic Hapludalfs

### **Typical Pedon**

Martinsville silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes, eroded, at an elevation of about 695 feet; Champaign County, Illinois; approximately 250 feet south and 1,430 feet east of the northwest corner of sec. 36, T. 21 N., R. 7 E.; USGS Rising topographic quadrangle; lat. 40

degrees 14 minutes 14 seconds N. and long. 88 degrees 21 minutes 37 seconds W., NAD 83:

Ap—0 to 9 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silt loam, pale brown (10YR 6/3) dry; weak very fine and fine granular structure; friable; common very fine roots; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

BE—9 to 12 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silt loam; moderate fine angular blocky structure; friable; common very fine roots; few faint brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—12 to 19 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to strong fine angular blocky; firm; common very fine roots; common distinct dark brown (10YR 3/3) organo-clay films on faces of peds; common distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; few fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—19 to 28 inches; strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to strong medium angular blocky; firm; many very fine roots; many distinct dark brown (7.5YR 3/4) clay films on faces of peds and in pores; few fine faint yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt3—28 to 36 inches; strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) sandy clay loam; moderate medium and coarse angular blocky structure; firm; common very fine roots; many distinct dark brown (7.5YR 3/4) clay films on faces of peds and in pores; few fine faint yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt4—36 to 45 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) sandy clay loam; weak coarse angular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; many distinct dark brown (10YR 3/3) organo-clay films on faces of peds; few fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

Bt5—45 to 57 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4), stratified silt loam; weak coarse angular blocky

structure; friable; common distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; common fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

Bt6—57 to 69 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4), stratified silt loam, loam, and sandy loam; weak coarse angular blocky structure; friable; few distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on vertical faces of peds; common fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine faint pale brown (10YR 6/3) iron depletions in the matrix; common fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) very weakly cemented nodules of iron and manganese throughout; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

C—69 to 80 inches; light yellowish brown (10YR 6/4), stratified loam and sandy loam; massive; friable; slightly acid.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to 70 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* Less than 20 inches

*Ap or A horizon:*

Hue—10YR

Value—3 to 5; 3 in A horizons less than 6 inches thick

Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—silt loam, sandy loam, or loam

*E horizon, where present:*

Hue—10YR

Value—4

Chroma—3

Texture—silt loam or loam

*BE or Bt horizon:*

Hue—7.5YR or 10YR

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—clay loam, sandy clay loam, silty clay loam, silt loam, loam, sandy loam, fine sandy loam, or very fine sandy; stratified with those textures in some pedons

*C horizon:*

Hue—10YR

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—stratified fine sandy loam, sandy loam, loam, or silt loam with thin strata of fine sand,

loamy sand, loamy fine sand, very fine sandy loam, coarse sand, or sand

### 570D2—Martinsville sandy loam, 10 to 18 percent slopes, eroded

#### Setting

*Landform:* Stream terraces, outwash plains, and ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Risers and backslopes

#### Map Unit Composition

Martinsville and similar soils: 92 percent

Dissimilar soils: 8 percent

#### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with less sand and more gravel in the subsoil
- Soils with less sand and more clay in the lower part of the subsoil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Atlas soils on backslopes above the Martinsville soil

#### Properties and Qualities of the Martinsville Soil

*Parent material:* Outwash

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate or moderately rapid

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 9.4 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 2.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* Moderate

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Moderately high

#### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Martinsville—4e

*Prime farmland status:* Martinsville—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Martinsville—not hydric

## 570F—Martinsville loam, 18 to 35 percent slopes

### Setting

*Landform:* Stream terraces, outwash plains, and ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Risers and backslopes

### Map Unit Composition

Martinsville and similar soils: 95 percent

Dissimilar soils: 5 percent

### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with less sand throughout
- Soils with more gravel throughout
- Soils with a thinner surface layer

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Radford soils on flood plains

### Properties and Qualities of the Martinsville Soil

*Parent material:* Outwash

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate or moderately rapid

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.0 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 2.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* Moderate

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* High

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* High

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Martinsville—6e

*Prime farmland status:* Martinsville—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Martinsville—not hydric

## Middletown Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Hapludalfs

### Typical Pedon (OSD)

Middletown silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes, at an elevation of 605 feet; Sangamon County, Illinois; 20 feet west and 1,145 feet south of the northeast corner of sec. 26, T. 17 N., R. 6 W.; USGS Athens topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 53 minutes 57 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 43 minutes 51 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 9 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silt loam; moderate fine and medium granular structure; friable; common fine roots; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

E—9 to 12 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silt loam; weak medium platy structure; friable; common fine roots; common distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) organic coatings on faces of peds; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—12 to 17 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) silty clay loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; firm; common fine and medium roots; common distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—17 to 35 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) silty clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; firm; common distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; few fine rounded black (5YR 2/1) concretions of iron and manganese in the matrix; strongly acid; gradual smooth boundary.

Bt3—35 to 44 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) silty clay loam; moderate coarse subangular blocky structure; friable; few distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on vertical faces of peds; few fine black (5YR 2/1) concretions of iron and manganese in the matrix; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

2Bt4—44 to 47 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) clay loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; friable; few distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on vertical faces of peds; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

2BC1—47 to 52 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) loamy fine sand; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; very friable; moderately acid; gradual smooth boundary.

2BC2—52 to 75 inches; stratified yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) and strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) sand and loamy sand; single grain; loose; a 2-inch band of brown (7.5YR 4/4) sandy loam starting at a depth of 64 inches; moderately acid; gradual smooth boundary.

2C—75 to 80 inches; strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) sand; single grain; loose; slightly acid.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the loess:* 40 to 60 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 45 to 80 inches

*Ap horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—2 or 3

Texture—silt loam

*E or BE horizon(s), where present:*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—2 to 4

Texture—silt loam

*Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—3 to 5

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*2Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—3 to 5

Texture—clay loam, fine sandy loam, or loam

*2BC horizon(s), where present:*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—4 to 6

Texture—loamy fine sand, loamy sand, or fine sand

*2C horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—4 to 6

Texture—fine sand, sand, loamy fine sand, or loamy sand

### 685B—Middletown silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes

#### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines, knolls, and outwash plains

*Position on landform:* Summits and shoulders

#### Map Unit Composition

Middletown and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

#### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thicker, darker surface soil
- Soils with more sand in the upper part of the subsoil
- Soils with less sand in the subsoil
- Soils with a seasonal high water table within a depth of 6 feet
- Soils with less clay in the surface soil and subsoil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Kendall soils on footslopes

#### Properties and Qualities of the Middletown Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over sandy eolian material

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately rapid or rapid

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.7 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

#### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Middletown—2e

*Prime farmland status:* Middletown—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Middletown—not hydric

#### MW—Miscellaneous water

This map unit consists of bodies of water at municipal sewage treatment plants and animal waste treatment facilities.

## Oconee Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine, smectitic, mesic Udollic Endoaqualfs

### Typical Pedon (OSD)

Oconee silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes, at an elevation of about 560 feet; Madison County, Illinois; approximately 1,315 feet east and 2,245 feet north of the southwest corner of sec. 29, T. 5 N., R. 5 W.; USGS Grantfork, Illinois, topographic quadrangle; lat. 38 degrees 50 minutes 58 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 41 minutes 17 seconds W., NAD 27:

- Ap—0 to 8 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; weak medium granular structure grading to weak thin platy in the lower part; very friable; common very fine roots; few fine rounded black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese; slightly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.
- Eg1—8 to 12 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silt loam, light gray (10YR 7/2) dry; moderate thick platy structure; very friable; few very fine roots; many distinct brown (10YR 5/3) clay depletions in pores; many distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organic coatings on faces of peds; few fine distinct dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine and medium irregular very dark gray (5YR 3/1) nodules of iron and manganese; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.
- Eg2—12 to 16 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silt loam, light gray (10YR 7/2) dry; moderate fine and medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; many distinct brown (10YR 5/3) clay depletions in pores; many distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organic coatings on faces of peds; common fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine and medium rounded dark brown (7.5YR 3/2) nodules of iron and manganese; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.
- Bt/E—16 to 21 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; strong very fine subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds and many prominent light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) clay depletions on faces of peds and in pores; many medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) and few fine faint dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine and medium rounded dark brown (7.5YR 3/2) nodules of iron and manganese; strongly acid; clear irregular boundary.
- Bt—21 to 29 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to strong fine and medium angular blocky; very firm; few very fine roots between peds; many prominent dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; common medium faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions and common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine and medium rounded black (5YR 2.5/1) nodules of iron and manganese; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.
- Btg1—29 to 38 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium angular blocky; firm; few very fine roots between peds; many distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) clay films on faces of peds; common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) and common coarse prominent brownish yellow (10YR 6/8) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine and medium rounded black (5YR 2.5/1) nodules of iron and manganese; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.
- Btg2—38 to 47 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate coarse prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; firm; few very fine roots; many distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay films on faces of peds; common medium prominent light olive brown (2.5Y 5/6) and yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) and few medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine and medium irregular black (5YR 2.5/1) nodules of iron and manganese with clear strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) boundaries; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.
- Btg3—47 to 58 inches; light brownish gray (2.5Y 6/2) silty clay loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; firm; few fine pores between peds; many prominent very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films lining root channels and filling pores; many distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay films on faces of peds; common medium and coarse prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) and strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine and medium irregular black (5YR 2.5/1) nodules of iron and manganese with clear strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) boundaries; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.
- C1—58 to 65 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silt loam;

massive; friable; few vertical cleavage planes; common distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films on faces of cleavage planes; many medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) and common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine and medium irregular black (5YR 2.5/1) nodules of iron and manganese with clear strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) boundaries; slightly acid; gradual smooth boundary.

C2—65 to 80 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silt loam; massive; friable; few prominent very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films lining root channels and filling pores; few fine distinct (10YR 5/2) iron depletions and few medium distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; few medium irregular black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese; neutral.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 42 to more than 80 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* More than 55 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3 (4 or 5 dry)

Chroma—mainly, 1 or 2; 3 in some eroded pedons

Texture—silt loam

*Eg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 to 7 (6 to 8 dry)

Chroma—mainly, 1 or 2; in some pedons chroma of 3 accompanied by redoximorphic features

Texture—silt loam

*Bt and/or Btg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 to 6

Texture—silty clay loam or silty clay in the upper part and silty clay loam or silt loam in the lower part

*BC or CB horizon(s), where present:*

Hue—10YR or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 to 6

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*C or 2C horizon(s), where present:*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 to 8

Texture—silt loam, silty clay loam, clay loam, or loam

## 113A—Oconee silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 5)

*Position on landform:* Summits

### Map Unit Composition

Oconee and similar soils: 94 percent

Dissimilar soils: 6 percent

### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a lighter colored surface layer
- Soils with less clay in the subsoil
- Soils with a thicker dark surface soil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Darmstadt soils in landscape positions similar to those of the Oconee soil
- The poorly drained Cowden soils in depressions

### Properties and Qualities of the Oconee Soil

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pediment

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow or moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.3 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Oconee—2w

*Prime farmland status:* Oconee—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Oconee—not hydric

**113B—Oconee silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes****Setting**

*Landform:* Ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Summits and shoulders

**Map Unit Composition**

Oconee and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

**Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with less clay in the subsoil
- Soils with a thinner surface layer that contains more clay
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 2 feet

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Darmstadt soils in the less sloping areas

**Properties and Qualities of the Oconee Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisediment

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow or moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.3 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* High

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

**Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Oconee—2e

*Prime farmland status:* Oconee—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Oconee—not hydric

**882A—Oconee-Darmstadt-Coulterville silt loams, 0 to 2 percent slopes****Setting**

*Landform:* Ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Summits

**Map Unit Composition**

Oconee and similar soils: 35 percent

Darmstadt and similar soils: 30 percent

Coulterville and similar soils: 20 percent

Dissimilar soils: 15 percent

**Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils that do not have a light colored subsurface layer
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 2 feet
- Soils with a slope of more than 2 percent

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The poorly drained Cowden and Piasa soils in depressions

**Properties and Qualities of the Oconee Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisediment

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow or moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.3 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* High

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

**Properties and Qualities of the Darmstadt Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisediment

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Very slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Content of sodium:* High within a depth of 30 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 9.7 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Perched seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Very High

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Properties and Qualities of the Coulterville Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisement

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Content of sodium:* Moderate within a depth of 30 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 9.2 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Perched seasonal high water table:* 0.5 foot to 2.0 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* High

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Oconee and Coulterville—2w; Darmstadt—3w

*Prime farmland status:* Oconee, Darmstadt, and Coulterville—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Oconee, Darmstadt, and Coulterville—not hydric

## **802B—Orthents, loamy, undulating**

### **Setting**

This map unit is in cut and fill and borrow areas where the soils have been disturbed. It is mainly around slurry pits, on coal-mining sites, and in urban areas. The unit is on ground moraines.

### **Map Unit Composition**

Orthents and similar soils: 85 percent

Dissimilar components: 15 percent

### **Minor Components**

*Similar components:*

- Soils with cinders, refuse, and other nonsoil material
- Areas used as sanitary landfills
- Soils with a slope of more than 5 percent

*Dissimilar components:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Ipava soils in undisturbed areas.
- Areas of urban land
- The well drained Osco soils in undisturbed areas

### **Properties and Qualities of the Orthents**

*Parent material:* Mine spoil or earthy fill consisting of loamy material derived from former soil layers and underlying material

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Moderately slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.9 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 0.5 to 2.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* Moderate

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Orthents—2e

*Prime farmland status:* Orthents—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Orthents—not hydric

## **Oscos Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiudolls

### **Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Oscos silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes, at an elevation of 858 feet; Carroll County, Illinois; 316 feet north and 88 feet west of the southeast corner of sec. 23, T. 24 N., R. 6 E.; USGS Lanark quadrangle; lat. 42 degrees 03 minutes 13.4 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 45 minutes 48.2 seconds W., NAD 83:

Ap—0 to 10 inches; very dark brown (10YR 2/2) silt loam, very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) dry; moderate fine granular structure; friable; common fine roots; slightly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

A—10 to 14 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) dry; moderate medium and coarse granular structure; friable; common fine roots; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

BA—14 to 20 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 3/4) and dark brown (10YR 3/3) silt loam, brown (10YR 5/3) dry; weak fine subangular blocky structure; friable; common fine roots; few distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2 dry) silt coatings on faces of peds; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—20 to 26 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silty clay loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few fine roots; few distinct gray (10YR 6/1 dry) silt coatings and common faint dark brown (10YR 3/3) organo-clay films on faces of peds; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—26 to 37 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) silty clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few fine roots; common distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2 dry) silt coatings and many faint dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; common fine faint brown (10YR 5/3) and common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron and manganese; many prominent very dark gray (N 3/0) and dark brown (7.5YR 3/2) manganese concretions; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt3—37 to 45 inches; light yellowish brown (10YR 6/4) silty clay loam; moderate coarse subangular blocky structure; friable; few fine roots; many faint dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; common fine distinct light brownish

gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions and few medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron and manganese; strongly acid; gradual smooth boundary.

BC—45 to 55 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) and brown (10YR 4/3) silty clay loam; weak coarse angular blocky structure; friable; few fine distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) iron depletions; strongly acid; gradual smooth boundary.

C—55 to 60 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) and brown (10YR 4/3) silt loam; massive; friable; many fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron and manganese and common medium distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions; moderately acid.

### **Range in Characteristics**

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 18 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to more than 66 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—3 or 4

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*C horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

## **86B—Oscos silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes**

### **Setting**

*Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 2)

*Position on landform:* Summits and shoulders

### **Map Unit Composition**

Oscos and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

### **Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thinner, lighter colored surface soil
- Soils with carbonates within a depth of 40 inches

- Soils with a seasonal high water table within a depth of 4 feet
- Soils with more clay or sand in the lower part of the subsoil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Ipava soils on toeslopes

### **Properties and Qualities of the Osco Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.8 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 4 to 6 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Osco—2e

*Prime farmland status:* Osco—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Osco—not hydric

### **Pana Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-loamy, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiudolls

#### **Typical Pedon**

Pana silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded, at an elevation of 710 feet; Shelby County, Illinois; 2,575 feet north and 200 feet west of the southeast corner of sec. 9, T. 11 N., R. 2 E.; USGS Tower Hill topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 24 minutes 44 seconds N. and long. 88 degrees 58 minutes 27 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 9 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, brown (10YR 5/3) dry; weak fine granular structure; friable; common fine and very fine roots;

mixed with some subsoil material; 3 percent fine gravel; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

Bt1—9 to 15 inches; brown (7.5YR 4/4) loam; weak fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; few distinct dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds and common distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films on faces of peds and in pores; 5 percent fine gravel and 2 percent coarse gravel; slightly acid, clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—15 to 23 inches; strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) clay loam; moderate fine and medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; common distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; 5 percent fine and medium gravel; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt3—23 to 37 inches; strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) clay loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine and fine roots; few distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; 7 percent fine gravel and 2 percent coarse gravel; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt4—37 to 59 inches; strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) gravelly clay loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; few distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; 15 percent fine gravel and 2 percent coarse gravel; moderately acid; gradual smooth boundary.

Bt5—59 to 71 inches; strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) gravelly sandy clay loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; friable; few distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; 15 percent fine gravel; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

C—71 to 80 inches; strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) gravelly sandy loam; massive; very friable; few distinct brown (7.5YR 4/4) clay films in root channels; 15 percent fine gravel; moderately acid

#### **Range in Characteristics**

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 16 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 45 to 75 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 to 3

Texture—silt loam or loam

Content of rock fragments—0 to 15 percent

*Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR or 5YR

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—loam, clay loam, gravelly clay loam, sandy loam, or gravelly sandy clay loam  
Content of rock fragments—2 to 25 percent

*C horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR or 5YR  
Value—3 to 6  
Chroma—2 to 6  
Texture—gravelly sandy loam, gravelly loam, or stratified gravel and sand  
Content of rock fragments—15 to 35 percent

**Taxadjunct Feature**

The Pana soils in this survey area have a dark surface soil that is thinner than is definitive for the series. This difference, however, does not significantly affect the use and management of the soils. The soils are classified as fine-loamy, mixed, superactive, mesic Mollic Hapludalfs.

**256C2—Pana silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded**

***Setting***

*Landform:* Knolls  
*Position on landform:* Summits and backslopes

***Map Unit Composition***

Pana and similar soils: 95 percent  
Dissimilar soils: 5 percent

***Minor Components***

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thicker dark surface soil
- Soils with more clay and sand in the subsoil
- Soils with a slope of more than 10 percent
- Soils with more clay in the surface layer

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Oconee soils on toeslopes

***Properties and Qualities of the Pana Soil***

*Parent material:* Loess over loamy pedisegment  
*Drainage class:* Well drained  
*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Moderately rapid  
*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately rapid or rapid  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Available water capacity:* About 8.5 inches to a depth of 60 inches  
*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Low

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* None

*Accelerated erosion:* The surface layer has been thinned by erosion.

*Potential for frost action:* Moderate

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

***Interpretive Groups***

*Land capability classification:* Pana—3e

*Prime farmland status:* Pana—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Pana—not hydric

***Piasa Series***

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine, smectitic, mesic Mollic Natraqualfs

***Typical Pedon (OSD)***

Piasa silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of about 630 feet; Montgomery County, Illinois; approximately 277 feet west and 85 feet south of the northeast corner of sec. 26, T. 9 N., R. 4 W.; USGS Hillsboro, Illinois, topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 12 minutes 8 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 29 minutes 37 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 8 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silt loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; weak fine granular structure; friable; common very fine roots; few fine and medium black (5YR 2.5/1) nodules of iron and manganese; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

Eg—8 to 12 inches; dark gray (10YR 4/1) silt loam, gray (10YR 6/1) dry; moderate thin and medium platy structure; friable; few very fine roots; light gray (10YR 7/1 dry) clay depletions on faces of peds; few prominent black (10YR 2/1) organic coatings filling pores; common fine and medium black (5YR 2.5/1) nodules of iron and manganese; slightly alkaline; abrupt wavy boundary.

Btng—12 to 16 inches; dark grayish brown (2.5Y 4/2) silty clay loam; weak very coarse columnar structure parting to moderate fine angular blocky; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct gray (10YR 6/1 dry) clay depletions on the slightly rounded caps of the columns and on the faces of the columns; common prominent black (10YR 2/1) organic coatings lining root channels and filling pores; many distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; common fine distinct dark

yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) and few fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) masses of iron in the matrix; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Btkng1—16 to 20 inches; dark grayish brown (2.5Y 4/2) silty clay; weak very coarse prismatic structure parting to moderate medium and coarse angular blocky; firm; few very fine roots; few prominent black (10YR 2/1) organic coatings lining root channels and filling pores; common distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; few fine distinct dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) and few fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine and medium very dark grayish brown (2.5Y 3/2) and black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese throughout and few medium rounded white (10YR 8/1) concretions of carbonate; slightly effervescent; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Btkng2—20 to 26 inches; dark grayish brown (2.5Y 4/2) silty clay; weak very coarse prismatic structure parting to moderate medium and coarse angular blocky; firm; few very fine roots; few prominent black (10YR 2/1) organic coatings lining root channels and filling pores; common distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; common fine distinct olive brown (2.5Y 4/4) and few fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine and medium black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese and common medium and coarse white (10YR 8/1) concretions of carbonate throughout; slightly effervescent; moderately alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Btkng3—26 to 33 inches; dark grayish brown (2.5Y 4/2) silty clay loam; weak very coarse prismatic structure parting to weak and moderate medium angular blocky; firm; few very fine roots; common distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; common medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) and few fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; common fine and medium black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese with clear strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) boundaries and common medium and coarse white (10YR 8/1) concretions of carbonate throughout; slightly effervescent; moderately alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Btkng4—33 to 37 inches; dark grayish brown (2.5Y 4/2) silty clay loam; weak very coarse prismatic structure parting to weak coarse angular blocky; friable; few very fine roots; few distinct dark gray

(10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; many medium and coarse prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine and medium black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese with clear strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) boundaries and few medium white (10YR 8/1) concretions of carbonate throughout; slightly effervescent; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

BCg—37 to 48 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) silt loam; weak coarse angular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; few faint gray (10YR 5/1) clay films on vertical faces of peds; many coarse prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) and common fine and medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese with sharp boundaries throughout; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

2Btgb1—48 to 62 inches; gray (10YR 5/1) silt loam; moderate fine and medium prismatic structure parting to weak medium angular blocky; friable; few prominent very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings lining root channels and filling pores and many distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; many coarse prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) and reddish brown (5YR 4/4) masses of iron in the matrix; few medium and coarse black (10YR 2/1) nodules of iron and manganese with diffuse strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) boundaries throughout; 1 percent gravel; slightly alkaline; gradual smooth boundary.

2Btgb2—62 to 80 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to weak medium angular blocky; firm; few prominent very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings lining root channels and filling pores and common distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; many medium and coarse prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/8) and few fine and medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; about 5 percent gravel; neutral.

#### **Range in Characteristics**

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to more than 60 inches

*Thickness of the loess:* 40 to 72 inches

*Ap horizon:*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*Eg horizon:*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*Btng, Btkng, or Btg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silty clay loam or silty clay

*BCg, Cg, 2Btgb, or 2Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam, silty clay loam, loam, or clay loam

**474A—Piasa silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes**

***Setting***

*Landform:* Depressions and ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Toeslopes

***Map Unit Composition***

Piasa and similar soils: 85 percent

Dissimilar soils: 15 percent

***Minor Components***

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a lighter colored surface layer
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 2 feet

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Herrick soils on summits
- The poorly drained Cowden soils in landscape positions similar to those of the Piasa soil

***Properties and Qualities of the Piasa Soil***

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisediment

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Very slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Content of sodium:* High within a depth of 30 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 7.5 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Perched seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Ponding:* At the surface to 0.5 foot above the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and low for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

***Interpretive Groups***

*Land capability classification:* Piasa—3w

*Prime farmland status:* Piasa—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Piasa—hydric

**894A—Herrick-Biddle-Piasa silt loams, 0 to 2 percent slopes**

***Setting***

*Landform:* Ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Herrick and Biddle—summits; Piasa—toeslopes

***Map Unit Composition***

Herrick and similar soils: 45 percent

Biddle and similar soils: 35 percent

Piasa and similar soils: 20 percent

***Minor Components***

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a lighter colored surface layer
- Soils that do not have a subsurface layer
- Soils with less clay in the subsoil
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 2 feet

***Properties and Qualities of the Herrick Soil***

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisediment

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Moderately slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.6 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 1 to 2 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Medium

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Properties and Qualities of the Biddle Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisodiment

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow or moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Content of sodium:* Moderate within a depth of 30 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.5 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Perched seasonal high water table:* 1 to 2 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* High

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Properties and Qualities of the Piasa Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess over silty pedisodiment

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Very slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Content of sodium:* High within a depth of 30 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 7.5 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Perched seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Ponding:* At the surface to 0.5 foot above the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and low for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Herrick and Biddle—2w; Piasa—3w

*Prime farmland status:* Herrick, Biddle, and Piasa—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Herrick and Biddle—not hydric; Piasa—hydric

## **865—Pits, gravel**

### **Setting**

This map unit consists of excavations from which sand and gravel have been or are being removed.

### **Map Unit Composition**

Pits, gravel: 90 percent

Dissimilar components: 10 percent

### **Minor Components**

*Dissimilar components:*

- Well drained, loamy Orthents
- Stockpiles of sand and gravel
- Areas of machinery
- Areas of water less than 3 acres in size
- Small areas of natural soils

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Pits, gravel—none assigned

*Prime farmland status:* Pits, gravel—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Pits, gravel—unranked

## **864—Pits, quarries**

### **Setting**

This map unit consists of an open excavation from which limestone has been removed.

### **Map Unit Composition**

Pits, quarries: 90 percent

Dissimilar components: 10 percent

### **Minor Components**

*Dissimilar components:*

- Well drained, loamy Orthents
- Stockpiles of crushed rock
- Areas of machinery
- Areas of water less than 3 acres in size

- Small areas of natural soils

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Pits, quarries—none assigned

*Prime farmland status:* Pits, quarries—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Pits, quarries—unranked

### **Proctor Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiudolls

#### **Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Proctor silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of 705 feet; Peoria County, Illinois; 204 feet north and 2,460 feet west of the southeast corner of sec. 3, T. 11 N., R. 6 E.; USGS Princeville topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 57 minutes 37 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 47 minutes 59 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 8 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; weak fine granular structure; friable; common very fine roots; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

A—8 to 11 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; moderate fine granular structure; friable; common very fine roots; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—11 to 16 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) silty clay loam; moderate very fine subangular blocky structure; friable; common very fine roots; common distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—16 to 23 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) silty clay loam; moderate very fine and fine subangular blocky structure; friable; common very fine roots; many distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt3—23 to 28 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; friable; common very fine roots; many distinct brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

2Bt4—28 to 33 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; common faint dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

2Bt5—33 to 46 inches; strong brown (7.5YR 5/6),

stratified loam and sandy loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; very friable; few very fine roots; common faint brown (7.5YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; slightly acid; gradual smooth boundary.

2C—46 to 60 inches; strong brown (7.5YR 5/6), stratified sandy loam and loamy sand; massive; very friable; slightly acid.

#### **Range in Characteristics**

*Thickness of the loess:* 20 to 40 inches

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 20 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to 65 inches

*Ap, A, or AB horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 to 3

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

*Bt or BA horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR or 10YR

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*2Bt or 2BC horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—silty clay loam, silt loam, clay loam, sandy clay loam, loam, or sandy loam

*2C horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—sandy loam, loam, silt loam, loamy sand, or sand

### **7148A—Proctor silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, rarely flooded**

#### **Setting**

*Landform:* Flood-plain steps

#### **Map Unit Composition**

Proctor and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

#### **Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with more sand in the upper part of the subsoil
- Soils with a lighter colored surface soil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Kendall soils in the slightly lower areas
- The poorly drained Sawmill soils on flood plains

**Properties and Qualities of the Proctor Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess or other silty material over outwash

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately rapid

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.6 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* Rare, November-June

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

**Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Proctor—1

*Prime farmland status:* Proctor—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Proctor—not hydric

**Radford Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Fluvaquent Hapludolls

**Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Radford silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded, at an elevation of 567 feet; Cass County, Illinois; 2,700 feet east and 1,320 feet south of the northeast corner of sec. 2, T. 17 N., R. 9 W.; USGS Ashland topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 56 minutes 26 seconds and long. 90 degrees 04 minutes 43 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 7 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, brown (10YR 5/3) dry; weak medium subangular blocky structure parting to moderate fine and medium granular; friable; few very fine roots; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

A—7 to 12 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2)

silt loam, brown (10YR 5/3) dry; weak medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

C—12 to 33 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) and very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam with common thin grayish brown (10YR 5/2) and brown (10YR 5/3) lenses; massive; friable; few very fine roots; common faint very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organic coatings in worm channels; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented manganese concretions with diffuse boundaries throughout; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Ab1—33 to 42 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silt loam; weak fine subangular blocky structure parting to moderate medium granular; friable; few very fine roots; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented manganese concretions with diffuse boundaries lining root channels and pores; few fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; slightly alkaline; gradual smooth boundary.

Ab2—42 to 72 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silt loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; few distinct gray (10YR 6/1 dry) clay depletions on faces of peds; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented manganese concretions with diffuse boundaries lining root channels and pores; few fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Bgb—72 to 80 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silt loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to weak medium subangular blocky; friable; few very fine roots; common distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings lining root channels and pores; slightly alkaline.

**Range in Characteristics**

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 20 inches

*Depth to the buried soil:* 20 to 40 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silt loam

*C horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 to 6

Chroma—1 to 4

Texture—silt loam

*Ab horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or neutral

Value—2 or 3  
 Chroma—0 or 1  
 Texture—silt loam, silty clay loam, clay loam, or loam

*Bgb horizon(s), where present:*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral  
 Value—3 to 6  
 Chroma—0 to 2  
 Texture—silt loam, silty clay loam, clay loam, or loam

### **3074A—Radford silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded**

#### ***Setting***

*Landform:* Flood plains (fig. 4)

#### ***Map Unit Composition***

Radford and similar soils: 90 percent  
 Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

#### ***Minor Components***

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a buried soil at a depth of more than 40 inches
- Soils with a thicker dark surface soil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The poorly drained Sawmill soils in the lower areas

#### ***Properties and Qualities of the Radford Soil***

*Parent material:* Alluvium

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
 Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 12.3 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 1 to 2 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* Frequent, November-June

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

#### ***Interpretive Groups***

*Land capability classification:* Radford—3w

*Prime farmland status:* Radford—prime farmland where protected from flooding or not frequently flooded during the growing season

*Hydric soil status:* Radford—not hydric

### ***Ross Series***

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-loamy, mixed, superactive, mesic Cumulic Hapludolls

#### ***Typical Pedon***

Ross silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded, at an elevation of 590 feet; Tazewell County, Illinois; 1,490 feet west and 232 feet north of the southeast corner of sec. 28, T. 23 N., R. 3 W.; USGS Hopedale topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 24 minutes 36 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 26 minutes 27 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 8 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silt loam, dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) dry; weak fine granular structure; friable; common very fine roots; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

A—8 to 13 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silt loam, dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) dry; weak fine subangular blocky structure parting to weak fine granular; friable; common very fine and fine roots; common faint very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of peds; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Bw1—13 to 27 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) loam, dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) dry; weak fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; few faint very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of peds; neutral; gradual smooth boundary.

Bw2—27 to 34 inches; dark brown (10YR 3/3) loam, brown (10YR 4/3) dry; weak fine and medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine and coarse roots; common distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) and few faint very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organic coatings on faces of peds; neutral; gradual smooth boundary.

Bw3—34 to 43 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) loam; weak medium subangular blocky structure; very friable; few very fine roots; many distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organic coatings on faces of peds; neutral; gradual smooth boundary.

C1—43 to 54 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) sandy loam; massive; very friable; few very fine and fine roots; neutral; gradual smooth boundary.

C2—54 to 60 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) sandy loam; massive; very friable; few fine faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions; 5 percent gravel; neutral.

**Range in Characteristics**

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 24 to 45 inches

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 24 to 40 inches

*Depth to carbonates:* More than 45 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 to 3

Texture—loam, silt loam, or silty clay loam

*Bw horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 to 5

Chroma—1 to 4

Texture—sandy loam, loam, silt loam, clay loam, or silty clay loam

*C horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 7.5YR, or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 to 4

Texture—sandy loam, loam, silt loam, sandy clay loam, or the gravelly analogs of those textures; strata containing more sand below a depth of 40 inches in some pedons

### **3073A—Ross silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded**

#### **Setting**

*Landform:* Flood plains (fig. 3)

#### **Map Unit Composition**

Ross and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

#### **Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thinner or lighter colored surface soil
- Soils with more clay in the surface layer
- Soils with more sand throughout
- Soils with a seasonal high water table within a depth of 4 feet

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Lawson and Tice soils in the slightly lower areas
- The poorly drained Sawmill soils in the lower areas

#### **Properties and Qualities of the Ross Soil**

*Parent material:* Alluvium

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate or moderately rapid

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.6 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Low

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 4 to 6 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* Frequent, November-June

*Potential for frost action:* Moderate

*Corrosivity:* Low for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

#### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Ross—2w

*Prime farmland status:* Ross—prime farmland where protected from flooding or not frequently flooded during the growing season

*Hydric soil status:* Ross—not hydric

#### **Rozetta Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Hapludalfs

#### **Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Rozetta silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of 890 feet; Stephenson County, Illinois; 150 feet south and 500 feet east of the center of sec. 18, T. 27 N., R. 6 E.; USGS Pearl City quadrangle; lat. 42 degrees 20 minutes 00 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 51 minutes 19 seconds W., NAD 27:

A—0 to 4 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silt loam, gray (10YR 6/1) dry; weak medium granular structure; friable; many fine roots throughout; moderately acid; clear wavy boundary.

E—4 to 11 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silt loam; weak medium platy structure; friable; many fine roots throughout; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

BE—11 to 14 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silty clay loam; weak medium subangular blocky structure; firm; many fine roots between pedis; few faint brown (10YR 5/3 dry) clay depletions on faces of pedis; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt1—14 to 21 inches; dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) silty clay loam; moderate fine and medium

subangular blocky structure; firm; many fine roots between peds; many faint brown (10YR 5/3) clay films on faces of peds; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt2—21 to 39 inches; brown (10YR 5/3) silty clay loam; moderate medium and coarse subangular blocky structure; firm; common fine roots; many faint dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; common faint pale brown (10YR 6/3 dry) silt coatings on faces of peds; few medium faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions in the matrix; common medium faint light yellowish brown (10YR 6/4) and brown (10YR 4/3) masses of iron in the matrix; strongly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bt3—39 to 50 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; weak coarse subangular blocky structure; firm; common fine roots; few faint brown (10YR 4/3) clay films on faces of peds; common medium distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions in the matrix; common medium faint pale brown (10YR 6/3) masses of iron in the matrix; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

C—50 to 60 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silt loam; massive; friable; common medium distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) iron depletions in the matrix; slightly acid.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 42 to 72 inches

*Ap or A horizon:*

Hue—10YR

Value—3 to 5

Chroma—1 to 3

Texture—silt loam

*E horizon, where present:*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 or 3

Texture—silt loam

*Bt horizon:*

Hue—10YR or 7.5YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—silty clay loam

*C horizon:*

Hue—10YR

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—2 to 6

Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

## 279B—Rozetta silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes

### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 4)

*Position on landform:* Summits and shoulders

### Map Unit Composition

Rozetta and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thicker, darker surface soil
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 6 feet
- Soils with more sand in the lower part of the subsoil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Keomah soils on summits

### Properties and Qualities of the Rozetta Soil

*Parent material:* Loess

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 12.3 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 4 to 6 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Moderate

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Rozetta—2e

*Prime farmland status:* Rozetta—prime farmland in all areas

*Hydric soil status:* Rozetta—not hydric

### Sable Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Endoaquolls

### Typical Pedon (OSD)

Sable silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of 732 feet; Warren County, Illinois; 1,281 feet south and 97 feet west of the northeast corner of sec. 14, T. 9 N., R. 3 W.; USGS Kirkwood East topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 46 minutes 22.4 seconds N. and long. 90 degrees 41 minutes 33.7 seconds W., NAD 27:

- Ap—0 to 8 inches; black (10YR 2/1) silty clay loam, dark gray (10YR 4/1) dry; moderate fine and medium granular structure; firm; moderately acid; abrupt smooth boundary.
- A—8 to 19 inches; black (10YR 2/1) silty clay loam, dark gray (10YR 4/1) dry; moderate very fine angular blocky structure; firm; few fine rounded dark reddish brown (5YR 3/2) concretions of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.
- AB—19 to 23 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silty clay loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; moderate fine angular blocky structure; firm; few faint very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organic coatings on faces of peds; few fine rounded dark reddish brown (5YR 3/2) concretions of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.
- Bg—23 to 29 inches; dark gray (10YR 4/1) silty clay loam; moderate fine and medium subangular blocky structure; firm; common faint very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of peds; common fine and medium rounded dark reddish brown (5YR 3/2) concretions of iron and manganese throughout; common medium distinct brown (10YR 5/3) masses of iron in the matrix; few medium faint dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) iron depletions in the matrix; neutral; clear smooth boundary.
- Btg1—29 to 38 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate medium and coarse subangular blocky structure; firm; few distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; many fine and medium rounded dark reddish brown (5YR 3/2) concretions of iron and manganese throughout; many medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; neutral; clear wavy boundary.
- Btg2—38 to 47 inches; gray (N 5/0) silt loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to weak medium and coarse angular blocky; firm; few distinct grayish brown (10YR 5/2) clay films on faces of peds; common fine rounded dark reddish brown (5YR 3/2) concretions of iron and manganese throughout; many medium prominent

- yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; slightly alkaline; gradual smooth boundary.
- Cg—47 to 60 inches; gray (N 5/0) silt loam; massive; friable; many medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; slightly effervescent; slightly alkaline.

### Range in Characteristics

- Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 12 to 24 inches  
*Depth to free carbonates:* More than 40 inches  
*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to 60 inches
- Ap, A, AB, or BA horizon(s):*  
 Hue—10YR, 5Y, or neutral  
 Value—2 or 3  
 Chroma—0 or 1  
 Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam
- Btg, Bg, BC, or BCg horizon(s):*  
 Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral  
 Value—3 to 6  
 Chroma—0 to 2  
 Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam
- Cg horizon(s):*  
 Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral  
 Value—3 to 6  
 Chroma—0 to 2  
 Texture—silt loam or silty clay loam

### 68A—Sable silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

#### Setting

- Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 2)  
*Position on landform:* Toeslopes

#### Map Unit Composition

- Sable and similar soils: 90 percent  
 Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

#### Minor Components

##### Similar soils:

- Soils with free carbonates within a depth of 40 inches
- Soils with a dark surface soil more than 24 inches thick
- Soils with more clay in the subsoil
- Soils with more sand in the lower part of the subsoil
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 1 foot

##### Dissimilar soils:

- The well drained Osco soils on summits and shoulders

- The moderately well drained Buckhart soils on summits and backslopes

### **Properties and Qualities of the Sable Soil**

*Parent material:* Loess

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*  
Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.9 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 5.0 to 6.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Ponding:* At the surface to 0.5 foot above the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and low for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Very low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Sable—2w

*Prime farmland status:* Sable—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Sable—hydric

### **Sawmill Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Cumulic Endoaquolls

#### **Typical Pedon**

Sawmill silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded, at an elevation of 535 feet; Sangamon County, Illinois; 300 feet south and 750 feet east of the northwest corner of sec. 20, T. 15 N., R. 4 W.; USGS New City topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 44 minutes 34 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 34 minutes 15 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 10 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) and very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silty clay loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; weak fine subangular blocky structure; firm; few fine roots; few subrounded pebbles 1 to 3 millimeters in diameter; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

A1—10 to 17 inches; black (10YR 2/1) and very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silty clay loam, dark

gray (10YR 4/1) dry; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; firm; few fine roots; few subrounded pebbles 1 to 3 millimeters in diameter; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented concretions of iron and manganese with diffuse boundaries lining root channels and pores; few fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

A2—17 to 25 inches; black (10YR 2/1) silty clay loam, dark gray (10YR 4/1) dry; moderate fine and medium angular blocky structure; firm; few fine roots; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented concretions of iron and manganese with diffuse boundaries lining root channels and pores; few fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

AB—25 to 32 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silty clay loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate fine subangular blocky; firm; few fine roots; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented concretions of iron and manganese with diffuse boundaries lining root channels and pores; few fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Bg—32 to 40 inches; dark gray (10YR 4/1) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate fine and medium angular blocky; firm; common faint very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of peds; few fine roots; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented concretions of iron and manganese with diffuse boundaries lining root channels and pores; few fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Btg1—40 to 49 inches; grayish brown (10YR 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure parting to weak medium angular blocky; firm; common distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented concretions of iron and manganese with diffuse boundaries lining root channels and pores; few fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) and common fine distinct yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) masses of iron in the matrix; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Btg2—49 to 58 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate medium prismatic structure; firm; common distinct gray (10YR 5/1) clay films

on faces of peds; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2.5/1) weakly cemented concretions of iron and manganese with diffuse boundaries lining pores; few fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Cg—58 to 65 inches; grayish brown (2.5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; massive; firm; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) channel linings and fillings; many medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron lining pores; slightly alkaline.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 24 to 36 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 36 to 60 inches

*Ap, A, or AB horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—0 to 2

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*Bg or Btg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silty clay loam

*Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silty clay loam, clay loam, silt loam, or loam

### 3107A—Sawmill silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded

#### Setting

*Landform:* Flood plains (fig. 3)

#### Map Unit Composition

Sawmill and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

#### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thinner dark surface soil
- Soils with more sand in the lower part of the subsoil
- Soils with more clay in the subsoil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The well drained Ross soils in the slightly higher areas

### Properties and Qualities of the Sawmill Soil

*Parent material:* Alluvium

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.7 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 4.5 to 7.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Flooding:* Frequent, November-June

*Ponding:* At the surface to 0.5 foot above the surface

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and low for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Very low

#### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Sawmill—3w

*Prime farmland status:* Sawmill—prime farmland where drained and either protected from flooding or not frequently flooded during the growing season

*Hydric soil status:* Sawmill—hydric

### Senachwine Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Typic Hapludalfs

#### Typical Pedon (OSD)

Senachwine silt loam, 10 to 18 percent slopes, eroded, at an elevation of 856 feet; Bureau County, Illinois; 1,040 feet west and 1,345 feet south of the northeast corner of sec. 21, T. 15 N., R. 8 E.; USGS Wyand topographic quadrangle; lat. 41 degrees 16 minutes 25 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 34 minutes 18 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 6 inches; mixed dark brown (10YR 4/3) and yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silt loam, pale brown (10YR 6/3) dry; moderate fine granular structure; friable; common fine roots; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

Bt1—6 to 15 inches; yellowish brown (10YR 5/4) silty clay loam; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; friable; few fine roots; common faint dark yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

2Bt2—15 to 28 inches; brown (7.5YR 5/4) clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few fine roots; many faint brown (7.5YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; few fine rounded black (N 2.5/0) weakly cemented concretions of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

2BCt—28 to 34 inches; brown (7.5YR 5/4) loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; firm; few fine roots; common faint brown (7.5YR 4/4) clay films on faces of peds; 5 percent gravel; slightly effervescent; slightly alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

2C—34 to 60 inches; brown (7.5YR 5/4) loam; massive; firm; 5 percent gravel; strongly effervescent; moderately alkaline.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the loess:* Less than 18 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 24 to 40 inches

*Depth to carbonates:* 20 to 40 inches

*Ap and A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—3 to 5

Chroma—1 to 4

Texture—loam or silt loam

*Bt or 2Bt horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, or 2.5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—3 to 6

Texture—silty clay loam or clay loam

*C or 2C horizon:*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, or 2.5Y

Value—5 or 6

Chroma—3 or 4

Texture—clay loam or loam

### 618G—Senachwine loam, 35 to 60 percent slopes

#### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines

*Position on landform:* Backslopes

#### Map Unit Composition

Senachwine and similar soils: 92 percent

Dissimilar soils: 8 percent

#### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a slope of less than 35 percent

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The somewhat poorly drained Radford soils on flood plains

#### Properties and Qualities of the Senachwine Soil

*Parent material:* Till

*Drainage class:* Well drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderately slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately

slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 9.3 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 1.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Seasonal high water table:* At a depth of more than 6 feet

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* Moderate

*Corrosivity:* Moderate for steel and concrete

*Surface runoff class:* High

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* High

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

#### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Senachwine—7e

*Prime farmland status:* Senachwine—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Senachwine—not hydric

#### Shiloh Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine, smectitic, mesic Cumulic Vertic Endoaquolls

#### Typical Pedon

Shiloh silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of 595 feet; Christian County, Illinois; 2,600 feet east and 132 feet south of the northwest corner of sec. 34, T. 16 N., R. 1 W.; USGS Niantic topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 48 minutes 0 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 11 minutes 18 seconds W., NAD 83:

Ap—0 to 7 inches; black (10YR 2/1) silty clay loam, dark gray (10YR 4/1) dry; moderate fine granular structure; firm; few very fine roots; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2/1) concretions of iron and manganese; slightly acid; abrupt smooth boundary.

A—7 to 15 inches; black (N 2.5/0) silty clay loam, very

dark gray (10YR 3/1) dry; moderate very fine subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2/1) concretions of iron and manganese; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

BA—15 to 27 inches; black (N 2.5/0) silty clay, very dark gray (10YR 3/1) dry; moderate very fine angular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2/1) concretions of iron and manganese; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Bg1—27 to 32 inches; olive gray (5Y 5/2) silty clay; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots; many prominent very dark gray (10YR 3/1) pressure faces on peds; few fine prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/6) masses of iron and manganese in the matrix; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Bg2—32 to 39 inches; olive gray (5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; many distinct dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) pressure faces on peds; few prominent very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings lining pores; few fine rounded black (7.5YR 2/1) concretions of iron and manganese; many fine prominent yellow brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Bg3—39 to 52 inches; olive gray (5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few fine roots; few prominent very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings lining pores; few fine rounded black (10YR 2/1) concretions of iron and manganese; many medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

BCg—52 to 60 inches; olive gray (5Y 5/2) silt loam; weak medium subangular blocky structure; friable; few very fine roots; few prominent very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings lining pores; many medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Cg—60 to 80 inches; gray (10YR 6/1) silt loam; massive; friable; many medium prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron and manganese throughout; very slightly effervescent; slightly alkaline.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to 70 inches

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 24 to 48 inches

*Depth to carbonates:* More than 39 inches  
*Profile feature:* An AB horizon in some pedons

#### *Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—0 to 2

Texture—silty clay loam or silty clay

#### *Bg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—2 to 5

Chroma—0 to 2

Texture—silty clay or silty clay loam

#### *Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—2 to 6

Chroma—0 to 2

Texture—silty clay loam, silt loam, or silty clay

### **138A—Shiloh silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes**

#### ***Setting***

*Landform:* Depressions

#### ***Map Unit Composition***

Shiloh and similar soils: 100 percent

#### ***Minor Components***

#### *Similar soils:*

- Soils in which the upper part of the subsoil is lighter in color
- Soils with less clay in the subsoil
- Soils in which the underlying material is stratified and contains more sand
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 1 foot

#### ***Properties and Qualities of the Shiloh Soil***

*Parent material:* Loess

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderately slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 10.4 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 4.0 to 6.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Ponding:* At the surface to 1 foot above the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and low for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Very low

### **Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Shiloh—2w

*Prime farmland status:* Shiloh—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Shiloh—hydric

### **Spaulding Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Calciaquolls

#### **Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Spaulding silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of about 612 feet; Sangamon County, Illinois; about 2 miles east of Buffalo Hart; 2,410 feet east and 1,300 feet south of the northwest corner of sec. 22, T. 17 N., R. 3 W.; USGS Cornland topographic quadrangle; lat. 39 degrees 54 minutes 52 seconds N. and long. 89 degrees 24 minutes 54 seconds W., NAD 27:

Apk—0 to 9 inches; black (10YR 2/1) silty clay loam, very dark gray (10YR 3/1) dry; weak and moderate fine granular structure; friable; many fine roots throughout; few snail shells; violently effervescent; 15 percent calcium carbonate equivalent; moderately alkaline; abrupt smooth boundary.

Ak1—9 to 18 inches; black (10YR 2/1) silty clay loam, dark gray (10YR 4/1) dry; moderate very fine and fine subangular blocky structure; friable; many fine roots throughout; few snail shells; violently effervescent; 22 percent calcium carbonate equivalent; moderately alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Ak2—18 to 22 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silty clay loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; moderate very fine and fine subangular blocky structure; firm; common fine roots throughout; few fine prominent light olive brown (2.5Y 5/6) masses of iron along micropores; few snail shells; violently effervescent; 22 percent calcium carbonate equivalent; moderately alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Btkg1—22 to 26 inches; dark gray (2.5Y 4/1) silty clay loam; moderate very fine and fine subangular

blocky structure; firm; common fine roots throughout; common distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds; common distinct black (10YR 2/1) organic coatings in root channels and/or pores; few fine prominent light olive brown (2.5Y 5/6) masses of iron along micropores; few fine nodules of carbonate; strongly effervescent; 12 percent calcium carbonate equivalent; moderately alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Btkg2—26 to 32 inches; olive gray (5Y 5/2) silty clay loam; moderate fine and medium subangular blocky structure; firm; common fine roots throughout; few distinct gray (5Y 5/1) clay films on faces of peds; common fine rounded prominent black (10YR 2/1) masses of manganese in the matrix; common medium prominent light olive brown (2.5Y 5/6) and yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; common medium and coarse nodules of carbonate; strongly effervescent; 12 percent calcium carbonate equivalent; moderately alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Btkg3—32 to 38 inches; gray (5Y 6/1) silty clay loam; moderate fine and medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few distinct gray (5Y 5/1) clay films on faces of peds; very few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings in root channels and/or pores; many fine prominent light olive brown (2.5Y 5/6) and few fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine nodules of carbonate; strongly effervescent; 16 percent calcium carbonate equivalent; moderately alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

BCkg—38 to 44 inches; gray (5Y 6/1) silty clay loam; weak medium subangular blocky structure; firm; few distinct gray (5Y 5/1) clay films in root channels and/or pores; few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings in root channels and/or pores; many fine prominent light olive brown (2.5Y 5/6) and few fine prominent yellowish brown (10YR 5/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine nodules of carbonate; strongly effervescent; 16 percent calcium carbonate equivalent; moderately alkaline; clear smooth boundary.

Cg—44 to 80 inches; gray (5Y 6/1) silt loam; massive; friable; many medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 5/8) masses of iron in the matrix; strongly effervescent; 19 percent calcium carbonate equivalent; moderately alkaline.

#### **Range in Characteristics**

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 24 inches

*Depth to carbonates:* 0 to 16 inches  
*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 22 to 60 inches

*Profile feature:* A BCg horizon in some pedons

*Apk or Ak horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—0 or 1

Texture—silty clay loam

*Bkg or Btkg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—3 to 6

Chroma—0 to 2

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—7.5YR, 10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 to 8

Texture—silt loam

## **712A—Spaulding silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes**

### ***Setting***

*Landform:* Depressions

### ***Map Unit Composition***

Spaulding and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

### ***Minor Components***

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with no carbonates in the surface layer

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The poorly drained Sable soils in landscape positions similar to those of the Spaulding soil

### ***Properties and Qualities of the Spaulding Soil***

*Parent material:* Calcareous loess

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 12.8 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 4.0 to 6.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Ponding:* At the surface to 0.5 foot above the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and low for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

### ***Interpretive Groups***

*Land capability classification:* Spaulding—2w

*Prime farmland status:* Spaulding—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Spaulding—hydric

### ***Tice Series***

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Fluvaqueptic Hapludolls

### ***Typical Pedon (OSD)***

Tice silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, occasionally flooded; at an elevation of about 465 feet; Adams County, Illinois; 1,670 feet north and 990 feet west of the southeast corner of sec. 22, T. 2 S., R. 9 W.; USGS Quincy West topographic quadrangle, lat. 39 degrees 52 minutes 56 seconds N. and long. 91 degrees 25 minutes 7 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 9 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silty clay loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; weak fine subangular blocky structure parting to weak medium granular; firm; common very fine roots throughout; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

A—9 to 14 inches; very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) silty clay loam, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; moderate fine subangular blocky structure; firm; few very fine roots throughout; few fine faint brown (10YR 4/3) masses of iron in the matrix; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

BA—14 to 19 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silty clay loam; weak fine prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; firm; few very fine roots throughout; common distinct very dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organic coatings on faces of peds; common fine faint brown (7.5YR 4/3) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions in the matrix; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

Bw—19 to 35 inches; brown (10YR 4/3) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; firm; few very fine roots throughout; common distinct very

dark grayish brown (10YR 3/2) organo-clay films on faces of pedis; many medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) masses of iron in the matrix; few fine faint grayish brown (10YR 5/2) iron depletions in the matrix; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bg1—35 to 44 inches; dark grayish brown (10YR 4/2) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure parting to moderate medium subangular blocky; firm; few very fine roots throughout; common distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of pedis; many medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) masses of iron in the matrix; moderately acid; gradual smooth boundary.

Bg2—44 to 61 inches; dark grayish brown (2.5Y 4/2) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure; firm; common distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of pedis; common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) masses of iron in the matrix; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Bg3—61 to 80 inches; dark grayish brown (2.5Y 4/2) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure; firm; common distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of pedis; common medium prominent strong brown (7.5YR 4/6) masses of iron in the matrix; slightly acid.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 24 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 30 to more than 80 inches

*Profile feature:* An AB horizon in some pedons

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*Bw or Bg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 2.5Y

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—2 to 4

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*BC or BCg horizon(s), where present:*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 or 5

Chroma—1 to 4

Texture—mainly, silty clay loam or silt loam; strata of loam, clay loam, or sandy loam in some pedons

*Cg or C horizon(s), where present:*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—1 to 3

Texture—silty clay loam, clay loam, loam, sandy loam, or silt loam

### 3284A—Tice silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded

#### Setting

*Landform:* Flood plains (fig. 3)

#### Map Unit Composition

Tice and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

#### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with a thicker surface soil
- Soils with more sand in the lower part of the subsoil

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The poorly drained Sawmill soils in the lower areas
- The well drained Ross soils in the slightly higher areas

#### Properties and Qualities of the Tice Soil

*Parent material:* Alluvium

*Drainage class:* Somewhat poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.6 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 4.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* 1 to 2 feet below the surface

*Flooding:* Frequent, November-June

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and low for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Low

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Very low

#### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Tice—3w

*Prime farmland status:* Tice—prime farmland where protected from flooding or not frequently flooded during the growing season

*Hydric soil status:* Tice—not hydric

## 533—Urban land

### Setting

This map unit consists of areas covered by parking lots, streets, buildings, and other structures.

### Map Unit Composition

Urban land: 85 percent

Dissimilar components: 15 percent

### Minor Components

*Dissimilar components:*

- Well drained, loamy Orthents in open areas

### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Urban land—none assigned

*Prime farmland status:* Urban land—not prime farmland

*Hydric soil status:* Urban land—unranked

## Vesser Series

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Argiaquic Argialbolls

### Typical Pedon

Vesser silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, occasionally flooded, at an elevation of 480 feet; Adams County, Illinois; 360 feet west and 220 feet south of the northeast corner of sec. 4, T. 1 N., R. 9 W.; USGS Long Island topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 6 minutes 37 seconds N. and long. 91 degrees 26 minutes 15 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 8 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silt loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; weak fine granular structure; friable; neutral; abrupt smooth boundary.

A—8 to 14 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silt loam, gray (10YR 5/1) dry; weak fine subangular blocky structure parting to weak medium granular; friable; common fine prominent dark brown (7.5YR 3/4) masses of iron throughout; neutral; gradual smooth boundary.

Eg1—14 to 20 inches; dark gray (10YR 4/1) silt loam, gray (10YR 6/1) dry; weak medium platy structure parting to weak very fine subangular blocky; friable; very few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1)

organic coatings on faces of peds; common medium faint gray (10YR 5/1) clay depletions between peds and common fine prominent dark brown (7.5YR 3/4) masses of iron throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Eg2—20 to 26 inches; dark gray (10YR 4/1) silt loam, gray (10YR 6/1) dry; weak thick platy structure parting to weak very fine subangular blocky; friable; very few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organic coatings on faces of peds; common medium faint gray (10YR 6/1) clay depletions between peds and common fine prominent brown (7.5YR 4/4) masses of iron throughout; slightly acid; gradual smooth boundary.

Btg1—26 to 34 inches; gray (10YR 5/1) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure; friable; very few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds and few distinct gray (10YR 6/1) silt coatings in root channels and/or pores; common medium prominent dark brown (7.5YR 3/4) masses of iron throughout; moderately acid; gradual smooth boundary.

Btg2—34 to 48 inches; gray (10YR 5/1) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure; firm; very few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds and very few distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) silt coatings in root channels and/or pores; common medium prominent dark brown (7.5YR 3/4) masses of iron throughout; moderately acid; gradual smooth boundary.

Btg3—48 to 58 inches; gray (10YR 5/1) silty clay loam; weak medium prismatic structure; firm; few distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) silt coatings in root channels and/or pores and very few distinct very dark gray (10YR 3/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds; common medium prominent dark brown (7.5YR 3/4) masses of iron throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

BCg—58 to 80 inches; gray (10YR 5/1) silty clay loam; weak coarse prismatic structure; firm; very few distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds and very few distinct light brownish gray (10YR 6/2) silt coatings in root channels and/or pores; common medium prominent dark brown (7.5YR 3/4) masses of iron throughout; slightly acid.

### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 20 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* More than 60 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR

Value—2 or 3  
 Chroma—1 or 2  
 Texture—silt loam

*E or Eg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR  
 Value—3 to 5  
 Chroma—1 or 2  
 Texture—silt loam

*Btg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR or 2.5Y  
 Value—3 to 5  
 Chroma—1 or 2  
 Texture—silty clay loam

**8396A—Vesser silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, occasionally flooded**

**Setting**

*Landform:* Flood plains

**Map Unit Composition**

Vesser and similar soils: 90 percent  
 Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

**Minor Components**

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with more clay in the subsoil
- Soils with a dark surface soil that is more than 24 inches thick
- Soils with a lighter colored surface layer
- Soils that have more clay in the surface layer and have a darker subsurface layer
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 1 foot

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The well drained Camden and Proctor soils in the slightly higher areas

**Properties and Qualities of the Vesser Soil**

*Parent material:* Alluvium

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:*

Moderate

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderate

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.9 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 2.0 to 3.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* Moderate

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Flooding:* Occasional, November-June

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Low

**Interpretive Groups**

*Land capability classification:* Vesser—2w

*Prime farmland status:* Vesser—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Vesser—hydric

**Virden Series**

*Taxonomic classification:* Fine, smectitic, mesic Vertic Argiaquolls

**Typical Pedon (OSD)**

Virden silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, at an elevation of 699 feet; Adams County, Illinois; 140 feet west and 54 feet north of the southeast corner of sec. 3, T. 2 N., R. 6 W.; USGS Bowen topographic quadrangle; lat. 40 degrees 10 minutes 52 seconds N. and long. 91 degrees 4 minutes 5 seconds W., NAD 27:

Ap—0 to 8 inches; black (10YR 2/1) silty clay loam, dark gray (10YR 4/1) dry; moderate medium granular structure; firm; slightly alkaline; abrupt smooth boundary.

A—8 to 16 inches; black (10YR 2/1) silty clay loam, dark gray (10YR 4/1) dry; moderate fine granular structure; firm; moderately acid; clear smooth boundary.

Btg1—16 to 23 inches; very dark gray (10YR 3/1) silty clay, grayish brown (10YR 5/2) dry; strong fine angular blocky structure; firm; few faint black (10YR 2/1) organo-clay films on faces of peds; few fine faint black (10YR 2/1) concretions of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Btg2—23 to 34 inches; gray (5Y 5/1) silty clay loam; weak coarse prismatic structure parting to moderate medium angular blocky; firm; few distinct dark gray (10YR 4/1) clay films on faces of peds; many medium prominent brownish yellow (10YR 6/6) masses of iron and few fine prominent black (10YR 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; slightly acid; clear smooth boundary.

Btg3—34 to 42 inches; gray (5Y 5/1) silty clay loam; weak and moderate coarse prismatic structure parting to moderate coarse angular blocky; firm; few distinct dark gray (5Y 4/1) clay films on faces

of peds; common medium prominent light olive brown (2.5Y 5/6) masses of iron and few fine prominent black (10YR 2/1) masses of iron and manganese throughout; neutral; clear smooth boundary.

**Btg4**—42 to 49 inches; gray (5Y 5/1) silty clay loam; moderate coarse prismatic structure parting to weak coarse angular blocky; firm; very few distinct dark gray (N 4/0) clay films on faces of peds; many medium prominent olive brown (2.5Y 4/4) masses of iron throughout; neutral; gradual smooth boundary.

**Cg**—49 to 60 inches; gray (5Y 5/1) silty clay loam; massive; firm; common medium prominent olive brown (2.5Y 4/4) masses of iron throughout; neutral.

#### Range in Characteristics

*Thickness of the mollic epipedon:* 10 to 24 inches

*Depth to carbonates (where present):* More than 50 inches

*Depth to the base of the diagnostic horizon:* 40 to 60 inches

*Ap or A horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, or 5Y

Value—2 or 3

Chroma—1 or 2

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

*Btg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—2 to 6

Chroma—0 to 4

Texture—silty clay loam, silty clay, or silt loam

*Cg horizon(s):*

Hue—10YR, 2.5Y, 5Y, or neutral

Value—4 to 6

Chroma—0 to 4

Texture—silty clay loam or silt loam

### 50A—Virden silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

#### Setting

*Landform:* Ground moraines (fig. 5)

*Position on landform:* Toeslopes

#### Map Unit Composition

Virden and similar soils: 90 percent

Dissimilar soils: 10 percent

#### Minor Components

*Similar soils:*

- Soils with less clay in the surface layer
- Soils with less clay in the subsoil
- Soils with a dark surface soil more than 24 inches thick
- Soils with a seasonal high water table at a depth of more than 1 foot

*Dissimilar soils:*

- The moderately well drained Buckhart and Harrison soils on summits and backslopes
- The poorly drained Piasa soils in landscape positions similar to those of the Virden soil

#### Properties and Qualities of the Virden Soil

*Parent material:* Loess

*Drainage class:* Poorly drained

*Slowest permeability within a depth of 40 inches:* Moderately slow

*Permeability below a depth of 60 inches:* Moderately slow

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Available water capacity:* About 11.1 inches to a depth of 60 inches

*Content of organic matter in the surface layer:* 3.0 to 6.0 percent

*Shrink-swell potential:* High

*Apparent seasonal high water table:* At the surface to 1 foot below the surface

*Ponding:* At the surface to 0.5 foot above the surface

*Flooding:* None

*Potential for frost action:* High

*Corrosivity:* High for steel and moderate for concrete

*Surface runoff class:* Negligible

*Susceptibility to water erosion:* Low

*Susceptibility to wind erosion:* Very low

#### Interpretive Groups

*Land capability classification:* Virden—2w

*Prime farmland status:* Virden—prime farmland in drained areas

*Hydric soil status:* Virden—hydric

#### W—Water

This map unit consists of natural bodies of water, such as ponds, lakes, and rivers.



# Use and Management of the Soils

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This soil survey is an inventory and evaluation of the soils in the survey area. It can be used to adjust land uses to the limitations and potentials of natural resources and the environment. Also, it can help to prevent soil-related failures in land uses.

In preparing a soil survey, soil scientists, conservationists, engineers, and others collect extensive field data about the nature and behavioral characteristics of the soils. They collect data on erosion, droughtiness, flooding, and other factors that affect various soil uses and management. Field experience and collected data on soil properties and performance are used as a basis in predicting soil behavior.

Information in this section can be used to plan the use and management of soils for crops and pasture; as forestland; as sites for buildings, sanitary facilities, highways and other transportation systems, and parks and other recreational facilities; for agricultural waste management; and as wildlife habitat. It can be used to identify the potentials and limitations of each soil for specific land uses and to help prevent construction failures caused by unfavorable soil properties.

Planners and others using soil survey information can evaluate the effect of specific land uses on productivity and on the environment in all or part of the survey area. The survey can help planners to maintain or create a land use pattern in harmony with the natural soil.

Contractors can use this survey to locate sources of sand and gravel, roadfill, and topsoil. They can use it to identify areas where bedrock, wetness, or very firm soil layers can cause difficulty in excavation.

Health officials, highway officials, engineers, and others may also find this survey useful. The survey can help them plan the safe disposal of wastes and locate sites for pavements, sidewalks, campgrounds, playgrounds, lawns, and trees and shrubs.

## Interpretive Ratings

The interpretive tables in this survey rate the soils in the survey area for various uses. Many of the tables identify the limitations that affect specified uses and

indicate the severity of those limitations. The ratings in these tables are both verbal and numerical.

## Rating Class Terms

Rating classes are expressed in the tables in terms that indicate the extent to which the soils are limited by all of the soil features that affect a specified use or in terms that indicate the suitability of the soils for the use. Thus, the tables may show limitation classes or suitability classes. Terms for the limitation classes are *not limited*, *somewhat limited*, and *very limited*. The suitability ratings are expressed as *well suited*, *moderately suited*, *poorly suited*, and *unsuited* or as *good*, *fair*, and *poor*.

## Numerical Ratings

Numerical ratings in the tables indicate the relative severity of individual limitations. The ratings are shown as decimal fractions ranging from 0.00 to 1.00. They indicate gradations between the point at which a soil feature has the greatest negative impact on the use and the point at which the soil feature is not a limitation. The limitations appear in order from the most limiting to the least limiting. Thus, if more than one limitation is identified, the most severe limitation is listed first and the least severe one is listed last.

## Crops and Pasture

General management needed for crops and pasture is suggested in this section. The estimated yields of the main crops and pasture plants are listed, the system of land capability classification used by the Natural Resources Conservation Service is explained, and prime farmland is described.

Planners of management systems for individual fields or farms should consider the detailed information given in the description of each soil under the heading "Soil Series and Detailed Soil Map Units." Specific information can be obtained from the local office of the Natural Resources Conservation Service or the Cooperative Extension Service.

A total of 366,457 acres in Christian County is cropland (USDA, 1997). The major row crops are corn and soybeans. The major small grain crop is wheat.

The soils in Christian County have good potential for continued crop production, especially if the latest crop-production technology is applied. This soil survey can be used as a guide in applying this technology.

### Management Considerations on Cropland

The management concerns affecting the use of the soils in Christian County for crops and pasture are shown in the table 6. The main concerns in managing cropland are crusting, flooding, ponding, poor tilth, water erosion, and wetness. Excess lime, excess sodium, excessive permeability, and high pH are additional management concerns.

*Crusting* occurs when flowing water or raindrops break down soil structural units, moving clay downward and leaving a concentration of sand grains and silt particles on the surface. Crusts can reduce the rate of water infiltration, increase the runoff rate, and restrict seedling emergence and oxygen diffusion to seedlings.

Crusting can be minimized by increasing soil aggregate stability through the addition of organic matter to the surface and by maintaining a cover of plants or crop residue, which reduces the impact of raindrops.

*Flooding* occurs in unprotected areas along the major rivers and their tributaries. Levees or diversions reduce the extent of the crop damage caused by floodwater. Surface drainage ditches help to remove floodwater where suitable outlets are available. Management of drainage systems in conformance with regulations influencing wetlands may require special permits and extra planning. Selecting crop varieties that are adapted to shorter growing seasons and wetter conditions reduces the extent of flood damage.

*Ponding* occurs on soils when the seasonal high water table is above the surface. Land grading helps to control ponding. Surface ditches and surface inlet tile also can help to remove the excess water if suitable outlets are available. Management of drainage in conformance with regulations influencing wetlands may require special permits and extra planning.

*Poor tilth* can occur in soils when part of the subsoil is incorporated into the plow layer because of erosion. Incorporation of subsoil material decreases the amount of organic matter and increases the content of clay in the surface soil. Intensive rainfall often causes surface crusting. Poor tilth also occurs in poorly drained soils with a high content of clay, regardless of

the content of organic matter, and in soils that have been excessively tilled.

Poor tilth decreases the rate of water infiltration and increases the runoff rate and the susceptibility to erosion on the more sloping soils. Soils with poor tilth generally have a surface layer that is sticky when wet and hard and cloddy when dry. They can be tilled only within a narrow range of moisture content. As a result, seedbed preparation is difficult.

Returning crop residue to the soil, regularly adding other organic material, minimizing tillage, and applying conservation tillage systems during periods of near optimal soil moisture conditions improve tilth.

*Water erosion* can occur when the surface soil is not protected against the impact of raindrops, which can reduce the stability of soil aggregates. This reduced stability decreases the rate of water infiltration and increases the surface runoff rate. Soils with long or steep slopes are more susceptible to water erosion than other soils.

Erosion, primarily sheet and rill erosion, removes the surface soil, which commonly has more biological activity and organic matter than any other part of the soil. Soil productivity decreases as the content of organic matter and level of natural fertility are lowered. Poor tilth and crusting occur as the subsoil, which is generally higher in content of clay than the surface soil, is incorporated through tillage into the plow layer.

Excessive runoff decreases the quality of surface water through sedimentation and contamination by pesticides.

Erosion can be controlled by a conservation tillage system that leaves crop residue on the surface after planting or by a cropping system that includes grasses and legumes in the cropping sequence. Contour farming and/or terraces in combination with a conservation tillage system can help to control erosion on soils with long, uniform slopes.

*Wetness* occurs in soils when the seasonal high water table is at or near the surface. Subsurface tile drains can lower the seasonal high water table if suitable outlets are available. In soils with a high content of clay and restricted permeability, a subsurface drainage system may not be practical. In these soils surface ditches can reduce the wetness. Management of drainage in conformance with regulations influencing wetlands may require special permits and extra planning.

*Excess lime* occurs in soils that contain a high content of calcium carbonate at or near the surface. The lime affects the availability of many plant nutrients and influences the effectiveness of herbicides. Frequent applications of a small amount of fertilizer are needed to correct nutrient imbalances. Crops may

respond well to additions of phosphate fertilizer on these soils. Applications of herbicide should be adjusted as the level of alkalinity increases. Incorporating green manure crops, manure, or crop residue into the soil, applying a system of conservation tillage, and using conservation cropping systems also help to overcome this limitation.

*Excess sodium* occurs in soils that have a high content of sodium in the subsoil. The sodium flocculates soil structure. The high sodium concentration and poor physical makeup of these soils restrict the penetration of plant roots, limit the availability of water, and thus cause moisture stress late in the growing season. These soils also have excess moisture during wet periods. The condition of these soils limits the availability and uptake of some plant nutrients. The soils tend to have low porosity and low infiltration rates. Applying a conservation tillage system that leaves crop residue on the surface after planting and regularly adding other organic material improve fertility and increase the rate of water infiltration.

*Excessive permeability* can occur in soils that have a high content of sand and many of the larger diameter pores. The capacity of the soils to retain moisture for plant use is limited. Deep leaching of nutrients and pesticides is possible. It increases the risk of ground-water pollution.

Irrigation can supply the moisture needed for crops. Frequent applications of a small amount of fertilizer are needed. One application of a large amount can result in excessive loss of plant nutrients through leaching.

*High pH*, or a pH of more than 7.9, affects the availability of many plant nutrients and influences the effectiveness of herbicides. Frequent applications of a small amount of fertilizer are needed to correct nutrient imbalances. Crops may respond well to additions of phosphate fertilizer on the soils with a high pH. Applications of herbicide should be adjusted as the level of alkalinity increases. Incorporating green manure crops, manure, or crop residue into the soil, applying a system of conservation tillage, and using conservation cropping systems help to overcome this limitation.

### Explanation of Criteria

*Crusting*.—In the surface layer, the average content of organic matter is 2.5 percent or less and the content of clay is between 20 and 35 percent.

*Excess lime*.—The upper limit of the calcium carbonate equivalent is 15 percent or more within a depth of 40 inches.

*Excess sodium*.—The sodium adsorption ratio is more than 12 within a depth of 30 inches.

*Excessive permeability*.—The lower limit of the permeability rate is 6.0 or more inches per hour within the soil profile.

*Flooding*.—The soil is occasionally flooded or frequently flooded.

*High pH*.—The pH is more than 7.9 within a depth of 40 inches.

*Ponding*.—The seasonal high water table is above the surface.

*Poor tilth*.—The content of clay in the surface layer is 27 percent or more.

*Water erosion*.—The Kw factor multiplied by the slope is more than 0.8, and the slope is 3 percent or more.

*Wetness*.—The water table is within a depth of 1.5 feet at some time during the growing season in normal years.

### Management Considerations on Pasture

The management concerns affecting the use of the soils in the county for pasture are shown in the table 6. The main management concerns are low pH, water erosion, and wetness. Additional management concerns are an equipment limitation, excess sodium, flooding, frost heave, high pH, low fertility, ponding, and poor tilth.

*Low pH*, or a pH of 5.5 or less, can decrease the solubility and availability of plant nutrients. Selecting adapted forage and hay varieties and applying lime according to the results of soil tests help to overcome this limitation.

*Water erosion* can occur in overgrazed areas or during periods of pasture establishment and renovation when the surface soil is not protected against the impact of raindrops, which can cause poor tilth. Deterioration of tilth decreases the rate of water infiltration and increases the surface runoff rate. Soils with long or steep slopes are more susceptible to water erosion than other soils.

Erosion can be controlled by deferred grazing, which helps to prevent overgrazing and thus also helps to prevent surface compaction and excessive runoff and erosion. Tilling on the contour, using a no-till system of seeding when a seedbed is prepared or the pasture is renovated, and selecting adapted forage and hay varieties also help to control erosion.

*Wetness* occurs in soils when the seasonal high water table is at or near the surface. Subsurface tile drains can help to lower the seasonal high water table if suitable outlets are available. Management of

drainage in conformance with regulations may require special permits and extra planning. Selecting forage and hay varieties adapted to wet conditions improves forage production. Restricted use during wet periods helps to keep the pasture in good condition.

An *equipment limitation* occurs on soils with slopes of more than 18 percent. This limitation can cause rapid wear of equipment. It can also hinder fertilization, harvest, pasture renovation, and seedbed preparation. It cannot be easily overcome.

*Excess sodium* occurs in soils that have a high content of sodium in the subsoil. The sodium flocculates soil structure. The high sodium concentration and poor physical makeup of these soils restrict the penetration of plant roots, limit the availability of water, and thus cause moisture stress late in the growing season. These soils also have excess moisture during wet periods. The condition of these soils limits the availability and uptake of some plant nutrients. The soils tend to have low porosity and low infiltration rates. Selecting forage and hay varieties adapted to the high sodium content can improve forage production.

*Flooding* occurs in unprotected areas along the major rivers and their tributaries. Surface drainage ditches help to remove floodwater where suitable outlets are available. Management of drainage in conformance with regulations may require special permits and extra planning. Selecting forage and hay varieties adapted to shorter growing seasons and wetter conditions reduces the extent of flood damage. Restricted use during wet periods helps to keep the pasture in good condition.

*Frost heave* occurs when ice lenses or bands that drive an ice wedge between two layers develop near the surface layer of a soil. The ice wedges heave the overlying soil layer upward, snapping the roots. Soils with a low content of sand have small pores that hold water and enable ice lenses to form. Selecting adapted forage and hay varieties helps to reduce the effects of frost heave. Timely deferment of grazing helps to maintain a protective cover that insulates the soil, thereby reducing the effects of frost heave.

*High pH*, or a pH of more than 7.9, affects the availability of many plant nutrients. Frequent applications of a small amount of fertilizer are needed to correct nutrient imbalances. Selecting adapted forage and hay varieties helps to overcome this limitation.

*Low fertility* occurs in soils with a low content of organic matter and a low cation-exchange capacity. The capacity of the soil to retain nutrients for plant use is limited. Frequent applications of small amounts of fertilizer help to prevent excessive loss of plant nutrients through leaching. When used as part of a

seeding mixture, legumes can provide nitrogen to the grass varieties. Timely deferment of grazing helps to maintain the surface cover and the content of organic matter, a source of nutrients in the soil.

*Ponding* occurs on soils when the seasonal high water table is above the surface. Land grading helps to control ponding. Surface ditches and surface inlet tile also can help to remove the excess water if suitable outlets are available. Management of drainage in conformance with regulations may require special permits and extra planning. Selecting forage and hay varieties adapted to wet conditions improves forage production. Restricted use during wet periods helps to keep the pasture in good condition.

*Poor tilth* can occur in soils when part of the subsoil is incorporated into the plow layer because of erosion. Incorporation of subsoil material decreases the amount of organic matter and increases the content of clay in the surface soil. Intensive rainfall often causes surface crusting. Poor tilth also occurs in poorly drained soils with a high content of clay, regardless of the content of organic matter, and in soils that have been excessively tilled.

Poor tilth decreases the rate of water infiltration and increases the runoff rate and the susceptibility to erosion on the more sloping soils. Soils with poor tilth generally have a surface layer that is sticky when wet and hard and cloddy when dry. They can be tilled only within a narrow range of moisture content. As a result, seedbed preparation is difficult.

When pastures are established or renovated, minimizing tillage and applying conservation tillage operations during periods when soil moisture conditions are optimal or nearly optimal can improve tilth.

### Explanation of Criteria

*Equipment limitation.*—The slope is more than 18 percent.

*Excess sodium.*—The sodium adsorption ratio is more than 12 within a depth of 30 inches.

*Flooding.*—The soil is occasionally flooded or frequently flooded.

*Frost heave.*—The potential for frost action is moderate or high, and the soil is poorly drained or very poorly drained.

*High pH.*—The pH is more than 7.9 within a depth of 40 inches.

*Low fertility.*—The average content of organic matter in the surface layer is less than 1 percent, or the cation-exchange capacity, expressed in terms of milliequivalents per 100 grams of soil, is 7 or less.

*Low pH.*—The pH is 5.5 or less within a depth of 40 inches.

*Ponding.*—The seasonal high water table is above the surface.

*Poor tilth.*—The content of clay in the surface layer is 27 percent or more.

*Water erosion.*—The Kw factor multiplied by the slope is more than 1.0, and the slope is 3 percent or more.

*Wetness.*—The seasonal high water table is within a depth of 1.5 feet.

## Yields per Acre

The average yields per acre that can be expected of the principal crops under a high level of management are shown in table 7. In any given year, yields may be higher or lower than those indicated in the table because of variations in rainfall and other climatic factors. The land capability classification of map units in the survey area also is shown in the table.

The yields are based mainly on the experience and records of farmers, conservationists, and extension agents. Available yield data from nearby counties and results of field trials and demonstrations also are considered (Fehrenbacher et al., 1978).

The management needed to obtain the indicated yields of the various crops depends on the kind of soil and the crop. Management can include drainage, erosion control, and protection from flooding; the proper planting and seeding rates; suitable high-yielding crop varieties; appropriate and timely tillage; control of weeds, plant diseases, and harmful insects; favorable soil reaction and optimum levels of nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium, and trace elements for each crop; effective use of crop residue, barnyard manure, and green manure crops; and harvesting that ensures the smallest possible loss.

The estimated yields reflect the productive capacity of each soil for each of the principal crops. Yields are likely to increase as new production technology is developed. The productivity of a given soil compared with that of other soils, however, is not likely to change.

Crops other than those shown in table 7 are grown in the survey area, but estimated yields are not listed because the acreage of such crops is small. The local office of the Natural Resources Conservation Service or of the Cooperative Extension Service can provide information about the management and productivity of the soils for those crops.

## Pasture and Hay Yields

Under good management, proper grazing is essential for the production of high-quality forage,

stand survival, and erosion control. Proper grazing helps the plants to maintain sufficient and generally vigorous top growth during the growing season. Brush control is essential in many areas, and weed control generally is needed. Rotation grazing and renovation also are important management practices.

Yield estimates are often given in animal unit months (AUMs), or the amount of forage or feed required to feed one animal unit (one cow, one horse, one mule, five sheep, or five goats) for 30 days.

The local office of the Natural Resources Conservation Service or of the Cooperative Extension Service can provide information about forage yields other than those shown in table 7.

## Mined Soils

Descriptions and maps of mined soils reflect conditions in the survey area at the time when fieldwork was completed and may reflect active mining and/or reclamation. More recent reclamation practices or changes in soil classification may change the mapping, classification, and interpretation of mined soils. At the time of publication, the long-term crop yield information that is typically used for yield estimates was not available for mined soils. The users of this survey should contact the Illinois Department of Natural Resources, Office of Mines and Minerals, Land Reclamation Division, for current, site-specific information.

## Land Capability Classification

Land capability classification shows, in a general way, the suitability of soils for most kinds of field crops, including corn, small grain, and hay. Crops that require special management are excluded. The soils are grouped according to their limitations for field crops, the risk of damage if they are used for crops, and the way they respond to management. The criteria used in grouping the soils do not include major and generally expensive landforming that would change slope, depth, or other characteristics of the soils, nor do they include possible but unlikely major reclamation projects. Capability classification is not a substitute for interpretations designed to show suitability and limitations of groups of soils for woodland or for engineering purposes.

In the capability system, soils are generally grouped at three levels—capability class, subclass, and unit (USDA, 1961). Only class and subclass are used in this survey.

*Capability classes*, the broadest groups, are designated by the numbers 1 through 8. The numbers indicate progressively greater limitations and narrower

choices for practical use. The classes are defined as follows:

Class 1 soils have slight limitations that restrict their use.

Class 2 soils have moderate limitations that restrict the choice of plants or that require moderate conservation practices.

Class 3 soils have severe limitations that restrict the choice of plants or that require special conservation practices, or both.

Class 4 soils have very severe limitations that restrict the choice of plants or that require very careful management, or both.

Class 5 soils are subject to little or no erosion but have other limitations, impractical to remove, that restrict their use mainly to pasture, rangeland, forestland, or wildlife habitat.

Class 6 soils have severe limitations that make them generally unsuitable for cultivation and that restrict their use mainly to pasture, rangeland, forestland, or wildlife habitat.

Class 7 soils have very severe limitations that make them unsuitable for cultivation and that restrict their use mainly to grazing, forestland, or wildlife habitat.

Class 8 soils and miscellaneous areas have limitations that preclude commercial plant production and that restrict their use to recreational purposes, wildlife habitat, watershed, or esthetic purposes.

*Capability subclasses* are soil groups within one class. They are designated by adding a small letter, *e*, *w*, *s*, or *c*, to the class numeral, for example, 2e. The letter *e* shows that the main hazard is the risk of erosion unless close-growing plant cover is maintained; *w* shows that water in or on the soil interferes with plant growth or cultivation (in some soils the wetness can be partly corrected by artificial drainage); *s* shows that the soil is limited mainly because it is shallow, droughty, or stony; and *c*, used in only some parts of the United States, shows that the chief limitation is climate that is very cold or very dry.

In class 1 there are no subclasses because the soils of this class have few limitations. Class 5 contains only the subclasses indicated by *w*, *s*, or *c* because the soils in class 5 are subject to little or no erosion. They have other limitations that restrict their use to pasture, rangeland, forestland, wildlife habitat, or recreation.

The capability classification of map units in this survey area is given in the section "Soil Series and Detailed Soil Map Units" and in table 7.

## Prime Farmland

Prime farmland is one of several kinds of important farmland defined by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. It is of major importance in meeting the Nation's short- and long-range needs for food and fiber. Because the supply of high-quality farmland is limited, the U.S. Department of Agriculture recognizes that responsible levels of government, as well as individuals, should encourage and facilitate the wise use of our Nation's prime farmland.

Prime farmland, as defined by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, is land that has the best combination of physical and chemical characteristics for producing food, feed, forage, fiber, and oilseed crops and is available for these uses. It could be cultivated land, pastureland, forestland, or other land, but it is not urban or built-up land or water areas. The soil qualities, growing season, and moisture supply are those needed for the soil to economically produce sustained high yields of crops when proper management, including water management, and acceptable farming methods are applied. In general, prime farmland has an adequate and dependable supply of moisture from precipitation or irrigation, a favorable temperature and growing season, acceptable acidity or alkalinity, an acceptable salt and sodium content, and few or no rocks. It is permeable to water and air. It is not excessively erodible or saturated with water for long periods, and it either is not frequently flooded during the growing season or is protected from flooding. Slope ranges mainly from 0 to 6 percent. More detailed information about the criteria for prime farmland is available at the local office of the Natural Resources Conservation Service.

A recent trend in land use in some parts of the survey area has been the loss of some prime farmland to industrial and urban uses. The loss of prime farmland to other uses puts pressure on marginal lands, which generally are more erodible, droughty, and less productive and cannot be easily cultivated.

About 410,558 acres, or nearly 90 percent of the county, meets the requirements for prime farmland.

The map units in the county that are considered prime farmland are listed in table 8. This list does not constitute a recommendation for a particular land use. On some soils included in the list, measures that overcome a hazard or limitation, such as flooding and wetness, are needed. Onsite evaluation is needed to determine whether or not the hazard or limitation has

been overcome by corrective measures. The extent of each listed map unit is shown in table 5. The location is shown on the detailed soil maps. The soil qualities that affect use and management are described under the heading "Soil Series and Detailed Soil Map Units."

## Hydric Soils

In this section, hydric soils are defined and described and the hydric soils in the survey area are listed.

The three essential characteristics of wetlands are hydrophytic vegetation, hydric soils, and wetland hydrology (Cowardin et al., 1979; U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, 1987; National Research Council, 1995; Tiner, 1985). Criteria for each of the characteristics must be met for areas to be identified as wetlands. Undrained hydric soils that have natural vegetation should support a dominant population of ecological wetland plant species. Hydric soils that have been converted to other uses should be capable of being restored to wetlands.

Hydric soils are defined by the National Technical Committee for Hydric Soils (NTCHS) as soils that formed under conditions of saturation, flooding, or ponding long enough during the growing season to develop anaerobic conditions in the upper part (Federal Register, 1994). These soils are either saturated or inundated long enough during the growing season to support the growth and reproduction of hydrophytic vegetation.

The NTCHS definition identifies general soil properties that are associated with wetness. In order to determine whether a specific soil is a hydric soil or nonhydric soil, however, more specific information, such as information about the depth and duration of the water table, is needed. Thus, criteria that identify those estimated soil properties unique to hydric soils have been established (Federal Register, 1995). These criteria are used to identify a phase of a soil series that normally is associated with wetlands. The criteria used are selected estimated soil properties that are described in "Soil Taxonomy" (Soil Survey Staff, 1999) and in the "Soil Survey Manual" (Soil Survey Division Staff, 1993).

If soils are wet enough for a long enough period to be considered hydric, they should exhibit certain properties that can be easily observed in the field. These visible properties are indicators of hydric soils. The indicators used to make onsite determinations of hydric soils in this survey area are specified in "Field Indicators of Hydric Soils in the United States" (Hurt et al., 1998).

Hydric soils are identified by examining and describing the soil to a depth of about 20 inches. This depth may be greater if determination of an appropriate indicator so requires. It is always recommended that soils be excavated and described to the depth necessary for an understanding of the redoximorphic processes. Then, using the completed soil descriptions, soil scientists can compare the soil features required by each indicator and specify which indicators have been matched with the conditions observed in the soil. The soil can be identified as a hydric soil if at least one of the approved indicators is present.

Map units that are made up mainly of hydric soils may have small areas, or inclusions, of nonhydric soils in the higher positions on the landform, and map units made up mainly of nonhydric soils may have inclusions of hydric soils in the lower positions on the landform. Table 9 indicates the hydric and nonhydric soils identified in the names of the detailed map units in the county. The table also identifies the included soils that are considered hydric. Onsite investigation is recommended to determine whether hydric soils occur and the location of the included hydric soils.

## Windbreaks and Environmental Plantings

Windbreaks protect livestock, buildings, yards, fruit trees, gardens, and cropland from wind and snow; help to keep snow on fields; and provide food and cover for wildlife. Several rows of low- and high-growing broadleaf and coniferous trees and shrubs provide the most protection.

Field windbreaks are narrow plantings made at right angles to the prevailing wind and at specific intervals across the field. The interval depends on the erodibility of the soil.

Environmental plantings help to beautify and screen houses and other buildings and to abate noise. The plants, mostly evergreen shrubs and trees, are closely spaced. To ensure plant survival, a healthy planting stock of suitable species should be planted properly on a well prepared site and maintained in good condition.

Windbreaks are often planted on land that did not originally support trees. Knowledge of how trees perform on such land can be gained only by observing and recording the performance of trees that have been planted and have survived. Many popular windbreak species are not indigenous to the areas in which they are planted.

Each tree or shrub species has certain climatic and physiographic limits. Within these parameters, a tree or shrub may grow well or grow poorly, depending on the characteristics of the soil. Each tree or shrub has definable potential heights in a given physiographic area and under a given climate. Accurate definitions of the potential heights are necessary when a windbreak is planned and designed.

Table 10 shows the height that locally grown trees and shrubs are expected to reach in 20 years on various soils. The estimates in table 10 are based on measurements and observation of established plantings that have been given adequate care. They can be used as a guide in planning windbreaks and screens. Additional information on planning windbreaks and screens and planting and caring for trees and shrubs can be obtained from the local office of the Natural Resources Conservation Service or of the Cooperative Extension Service or from a commercial nursery.

## Forestland

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The forestland in Christian County is mainly in sloping areas, on the narrower bottomland, and in strips along creeks and rivers. Originally, these areas were heavily if not entirely forested, but the flatter areas were converted to agriculture long ago. Adjoining the slopes were forest areas that transitioned into prairie, gradually in some places (savannah sites) and abruptly in others. These areas have also, for the most part, been converted to agriculture, although forested areas remain in a few places. Overall, Christian County is a mixture of forest and prairie and is part of the "Grand Prairie" (Swegman, 1979). Of the 52,800 originally forested acres, about 40 percent remains today (Iverson, 1989).

Soil properties that affect the growth of trees include reaction (pH), fertility, drainage, texture, structure, and soil depth. The soil also serves as a reservoir for moisture, provides an anchor for tree roots, and supplies essential plant nutrients. Soils that do not have extremes of these properties and that have an effective rooting depth of more than 40 inches allow the best growth for wood production.

Site characteristics that affect tree growth include aspect (the direction in which the slopes face) and degree of slope. These site characteristics influence the amount of available sunlight, drainage, soil temperature, soil moisture, and relative humidity.

Typically, north and east aspects and the lower slope positions, which are cooler and have better moisture conditions than other sites, are the best upland sites for tree growth. The most productive sites on bottomland are generally the deep, well drained soils.

Management activities can influence forestland productivity and should be aimed at eliminating factors that cause tree stress. Generally, these activities involve thinning overstocked young stands; harvesting old, mature trees; and eliminating wildfire and grazing. Wildfire and grazing have very negative impacts on forest growth and quality. Some of the forestland in the county is still subject to grazing, which destroys the leaf layer on the surface, compacts the soils, and eliminates or damages tree seedlings. Forestland sites that are not grazed have the highest potential for optimum timber production.

By far, the bulk of forest in the county is in areas of Hickory soils. Some forested areas extend onto the adjoining Atlas, Elco, Keomah, Rozetta, and Senachwine soils. Upland tree species are sensitive to differences in soils. Some species are adapted to certain sites but are only marginally adapted or are not adapted at all to other sites. A broad listing of species would include red chinquapin oak, white chinquapin oak, black chinquapin oak, bur oak, hickory, walnut, elm, and hackberry. A serious disease affects white ash. Hard maple is making strong incursions onto many of the shadier, moist slopes typically occupied by red oak. American elm is ubiquitous in the understory but occurs rarely as a larger tree.

The forest sites on the flood plains in the county occur as remnants of original stands and as regeneration areas. Where fields have been abandoned, the sites can be seeded readily. Radford, Ross, Sawmill, and Tice soils are the most common soils on these sites. Soft maple is ubiquitous, but common associates include cottonwood, green ash, and sycamore. Some sites in which the soils have better internal drainage support walnut, hackberry, bitternut hickory, and assorted other bottomland species. Box elder, which is fairly widespread, is generally considered a "weed species."

The many values of forestland include economic benefits (timber production), wildlife habitat, erosion control or prevention, ground-water infiltration or retention, water quality (including filtering and cleansing of agricultural pollutants), esthetic values, and recreational opportunities. All of these features can be enhanced through proper management.

Where regeneration of forest stands is desired, the best approach is to concentrate on the mixture (or "composition") of the species that originally occupied

the site. Reforestation can be attempted by various means, including planting seedlings or tree seeds, encouraging natural regeneration, or a combination of these. Assistance can be obtained from a professional forester.

Similarly, a forester's assistance should be sought before a stand is manipulated for the purpose of improving or optimizing composition, growth rates, and tree quality.

The tables in this section (table 11 and tables 12a through 12e) can help forest owners or managers plan the use of soils for wood crops. They show the potential productivity of the soils for wood crops and rate the soils according to the limitations that affect various aspects of forest management.

## Forest Productivity

In table 11, the *potential productivity* of merchantable or *common trees* on a soil is expressed as a site index and as a volume number. The *site index* is the average height, in feet, that dominant and codominant trees of a given species attain in a specified number of years. The site index applies to fully stocked, even-aged, unmanaged stands. Commonly grown trees are those that forest managers generally favor in intermediate or improvement cuttings. They are selected on the basis of growth rate, quality, value, and marketability. More detailed information regarding site index is available in the "National Forestry Manual," which is available in local offices of the Natural Resources Conservation Service or on the Internet.

The *volume of wood fiber*, a number, is the yield likely to be produced by the most important tree species. This number, expressed as cubic feet per acre per year and calculated at the age of culmination of the mean annual increment (CMAI), indicates the amount of fiber produced in a fully stocked, even-aged, unmanaged stand.

*Suggested trees to plant* are those that are preferred for planting, seeding, or natural regeneration and those that remain in the stand after thinning or partial harvest.

## Forest Management

In tables 12a through 12e, interpretive ratings are given for various aspects of forest management. The ratings are both verbal and numerical.

Some rating class terms indicate the degree to which the soils are suited to a specified forest management practice. *Well suited* indicates that the soil has features that are favorable for the specified

practice and has no limitations. Good performance can be expected, and little or no maintenance is needed. *Moderately suited* indicates that the soil has features that are moderately favorable for the specified practice. One or more soil properties are less than desirable, and fair performance can be expected. Some maintenance is needed. *Poorly suited* indicates that the soil has one or more properties that are unfavorable for the specified practice. Overcoming the unfavorable properties requires special design, extra maintenance, and costly alteration. *Unsuited* indicates that the expected performance of the soil is unacceptable for the specified practice or that extreme measures are needed to overcome the undesirable soil properties.

Numerical ratings in the tables indicate the severity of individual limitations. The ratings are shown as decimal fractions ranging from 0.01 to 1.00. They indicate gradations between the point at which a soil feature has the greatest negative impact on the specified forest management practice (1.00) and the point at which the soil feature is not a limitation (0.00).

Rating class terms for seedling mortality are expressed as *low*, *moderate*, and *high*. Where these terms are used, the numerical ratings indicate gradations between the point at which the potential for seedling mortality is highest (1.00) and the point at which the potential is lowest (0.00).

The paragraphs that follow indicate the soil properties considered in rating the soils for forest management practices. More detailed information about the criteria used in the ratings is available in the "National Forestry Manual," which is available in local offices of the Natural Resources Conservation Service or on the Internet.

For *limitations affecting construction of haul roads and log landings*, the ratings are based on slope, flooding, permafrost, plasticity index, the hazard of soil slippage, content of sand, the Unified classification, rock fragments on or below the surface, depth to a restrictive layer that is indurated, depth to a water table, and ponding. The limitations are described as slight, moderate, or severe. A rating of *slight* indicates that no significant limitations affect construction activities, *moderate* indicates that one or more limitations can cause some difficulty in construction, and *severe* indicates that one or more limitations can make construction very difficult or very costly.

The ratings of *suitability for log landings* are based on slope, rock fragments on the surface, plasticity index, content of sand, the Unified classification, depth to a water table, ponding, flooding, and the hazard of soil slippage. The soils are described as well suited,

moderately suited, or poorly suited to use as log landings.

Ratings in the column *soil rutting hazard* are based on depth to a water table, rock fragments on or below the surface, the Unified classification, depth to a restrictive layer, and slope. Ruts form as a result of the operation of forest equipment. The hazard is described as slight, moderate, or severe. A rating of *slight* indicates that the soil is subject to little or no rutting, *moderate* indicates that rutting is likely, and *severe* indicates that ruts form readily.

Ratings in the column *hazard of off-road or off-trail erosion* are based on slope and on soil erodibility factor K. The soil loss is caused by sheet or rill erosion in off-road or off-trail areas where 50 to 75 percent of the surface has been exposed by logging, grazing, mining, or other kinds of disturbance. The hazard is described as slight, moderate, severe, or very severe. A rating of *slight* indicates that erosion is unlikely under ordinary climatic conditions; *moderate* indicates that some erosion is likely and that erosion-control measures may be needed; *severe* indicates that erosion is very likely and that erosion-control measures, including revegetation of bare areas, are advised; and *very severe* indicates that significant erosion is expected, loss of soil productivity and off-site damage are likely, and erosion-control measures are costly and generally impractical.

Ratings in the column *hazard of erosion on roads and trails* are based on the soil erodibility factor K, slope, and content of rock fragments. The ratings apply to unsurfaced roads and trails. The hazard is described as slight, moderate, or severe. A rating of *slight* indicates that little or no erosion is likely; *moderate* indicates that some erosion is likely, that the roads or trails may require occasional maintenance; and that simple erosion-control measures are needed; and *severe* indicates that significant erosion is expected, that the roads or trails require frequent maintenance, and that costly erosion-control measures are needed.

Ratings in the column *suitability for roads (natural surface)* are based on slope, rock fragments on the surface, plasticity index, content of sand, the Unified classification, depth to a water table, ponding, flooding, and the hazard of soil slippage. The ratings indicate the suitability for using the natural surface of the soil for roads. The soils are described as well suited, moderately suited, or poorly suited to this use.

Ratings in the columns *suitability for hand planting* and *suitability for mechanical planting* are based on slope, depth to a restrictive layer, content of sand, plasticity index, rock fragments on or below the surface, depth to a water table, and ponding. The soils

are described as well suited, moderately suited, poorly suited, or unsuited to these methods of planting. It is assumed that necessary site preparation is completed before seedlings are planted.

Ratings in the column *suitability for use of harvesting equipment* are based on slope, rock fragments on the surface, plasticity index, content of sand, the Unified classification, depth to a water table, and ponding. The soils are described as well suited, moderately suited, or poorly suited to this use.

Ratings in the column *suitability for mechanical site preparation (surface)* are based on slope, depth to a restrictive layer, plasticity index, rock fragments on or below the surface, depth to a water table, and ponding. The soils are described as well suited, poorly suited, or unsuited to this management activity. The part of the soil from the surface to a depth of about 1 foot is considered in the ratings.

Ratings in the column *suitability for mechanical site preparation (deep)* are based on slope, depth to a restrictive layer, rock fragments on or below the surface, depth to a water table, and ponding. The soils are described as well suited, poorly suited, or unsuited to this management activity. The part of the soil from the surface to a depth of about 3 feet is considered in the ratings.

Ratings in the column *potential for seedling mortality* are based on flooding, ponding, depth to a water table, content of lime, reaction, salinity, available water capacity, soil moisture regime, soil temperature regime, aspect, and slope. The soils are described as having a low, moderate, or high potential for seedling mortality.

## Recreation

Christian County offers opportunities for a variety of recreational activities. Sangchris Lake State Park provides opportunities for picnicking, camping, hiking, fishing, and boating. Lake Taylorville and the Sangamon River provide opportunities for boating, fishing, camping, and other recreational activities. The scenic areas in the county have good potential for the development of recreational facilities.

The soils of the survey area are rated in tables 13a and 13b according to limitations that affect their suitability for recreation. The ratings are both verbal and numerical. Rating class terms indicate the extent to which the soils are limited by all of the soil features that affect the recreational uses. *Not limited* indicates that the soil has features that are very favorable for the specified use. Good performance and very low maintenance can be expected. *Somewhat limited*

indicates that the soil has features that are moderately favorable for the specified use. The limitations can be overcome or minimized by special planning, design, or installation. Fair performance and moderate maintenance can be expected. *Very limited* indicates that the soil has one or more features that are unfavorable for the specified use. The limitations generally cannot be overcome without major soil reclamation, special design, or expensive installation procedures. Poor performance and high maintenance can be expected.

Numerical ratings in the tables indicate the severity of individual limitations. The ratings are shown as decimal fractions ranging from 0.01 to 1.00. They indicate gradations between the point at which a soil feature has the greatest negative impact on the use (1.00) and the point at which the soil feature is not a limitation (0.00).

The ratings in the tables are based on restrictive soil features, such as wetness, slope, and texture of the surface layer. Susceptibility to flooding is considered. Not considered in the ratings, but important in evaluating a site, are the location and accessibility of the area, the size and shape of the area and its scenic quality, vegetation, access to water, potential water impoundment sites, and access to public sewer lines. The capacity of the soil to absorb septic tank effluent and the ability of the soil to support vegetation also are important. Soils that are subject to flooding are limited for recreational uses by the duration and intensity of flooding and the season when flooding occurs. In planning recreational facilities, onsite assessment of the height, duration, intensity, and frequency of flooding is essential.

The information in tables 13a and 13b can be supplemented by other information in this survey, for example, interpretations for building site development, construction materials, sanitary facilities, and water management.

*Camp areas* require site preparation, such as shaping and leveling the tent and parking areas, stabilizing roads and intensively used areas, and installing sanitary facilities and utility lines. Camp areas are subject to heavy foot traffic and some vehicular traffic. The ratings are based on the soil properties that affect the ease of developing camp areas and the performance of the areas after development. Slope, stoniness, and depth to bedrock or a cemented pan are the main concerns affecting the development of camp areas. The soil properties that affect the performance of the areas after development are those that influence trafficability and promote the growth of vegetation, especially in heavily

used areas. For good trafficability, the surface of camp areas should absorb rainfall readily, remain firm under heavy foot traffic, and not be dusty when dry. The soil properties that influence trafficability are texture of the surface layer, depth to a water table, ponding, flooding, permeability, and large stones. The soil properties that affect the growth of plants are depth to bedrock or a cemented pan, permeability, and toxic substances in the soil.

*Picnic areas* are subject to heavy foot traffic. Most vehicular traffic is confined to access roads and parking areas. The ratings are based on the soil properties that affect the ease of developing picnic areas and that influence trafficability and the growth of vegetation after development. Slope and stoniness are the main concerns affecting the development of picnic areas. For good trafficability, the surface of picnic areas should absorb rainfall readily, remain firm under heavy foot traffic, and not be dusty when dry. The soil properties that influence trafficability are texture of the surface layer, depth to a water table, ponding, flooding, permeability, and large stones. The soil properties that affect the growth of plants are depth to bedrock or a cemented pan, permeability, and toxic substances in the soil.

*Playgrounds* require soils that are nearly level, are free of stones, and can withstand intensive foot traffic. The ratings are based on the soil properties that affect the ease of developing playgrounds and that influence trafficability and the growth of vegetation after development. Slope and stoniness are the main concerns affecting the development of playgrounds. For good trafficability, the surface of the playgrounds should absorb rainfall readily, remain firm under heavy foot traffic, and not be dusty when dry. The soil properties that influence trafficability are texture of the surface layer, depth to a water table, ponding, flooding, permeability, and large stones. The soil properties that affect the growth of plants are depth to bedrock or a cemented pan, permeability, and toxic substances in the soil.

*Paths and trails* for hiking and horseback riding should require little or no slope modification through cutting and filling. The ratings are based on the soil properties that affect trafficability and erodibility. These properties are stoniness, depth to a water table, ponding, flooding, slope, and texture of the surface layer.

*Off-road motorcycle trails* require little or no site preparation. They are not covered with surfacing material or vegetation. Considerable compaction of the soil material is likely. The ratings are based on the soil properties that influence erodibility, trafficability,

dustiness, and the ease of revegetation. These properties are stoniness, slope, depth to a water table, ponding, flooding, and texture of the surface layer.

*Golf fairways* are subject to heavy foot traffic and some light vehicular traffic. Cutting or filling may be required. Irrigation is not considered in the ratings. The ratings are based on the soil properties that affect plant growth and trafficability after vegetation is established. The properties that affect plant growth are reaction; depth to a water table; ponding; depth to bedrock or a cemented pan; the available water capacity in the upper 40 inches; the content of salts, sodium, or calcium carbonate; and sulfidic materials. The properties that affect trafficability are flooding, depth to a water table, ponding, slope, stoniness, and the amount of sand, clay, or organic matter in the surface layer. The suitability of the soil for traps, tees, roughs, and greens is not considered in the ratings.

## Wildlife Habitat

The soils in Christian County support habitat for a variety of wildlife, including pheasant, quail, mourning dove, turkey, white-tailed deer, squirrel, rabbit, songbirds, fox, raccoon, mink, and muskrat. Snipe, heron, and other shore birds inhabit the bottomland areas. The streams and lakes support smallmouth bass, catfish, carp, and sunfish. Many farm ponds are stocked with largemouth bass and bluegill. These ponds provide habitat for migratory ducks in spring and fall as well as habitat for giant Canada geese.

Most areas in the county can be improved for use as wildlife habitat. The map units described in the section "Soil Series and Detailed Soil Map Units" can be grouped into two major wildlife areas. These areas are described in the following paragraphs.

*Wildlife area 1.*— Assumption, Buckhart, Darmstadt, Harrison, Herrick, Ipava, Keomah, Oconee, Osco, Radford, Sable, Sawmill, and Virden soils are the major soil types in this wildlife area. These soils are nearly level to moderately sloping and are poorly drained to well drained. Sawmill and Radford soils are subject to flooding.

This wildlife area consists mainly of cropland, much of which is used for corn or soybeans year after year. This area provides habitat for ring-necked pheasant, raccoon, deer, meadowlark, grasshoppers, sparrow, fox, snakes, and other openland wildlife.

The habitat is generally of poor quality because of the lack of crop residue, herbaceous nesting, roosting cover, woody cover, travel lanes, and hedgerows. Wildlife would benefit from delayed mowing of grassy cover on roadsides and ditchbanks and along

waterways until after the nesting season. Protection of woody cover and management of crop residue are also important.

*Wildlife area 2.*—Alvin, Elco, Greenbush, Hickory, Middletown, and Rozetta soils are the major soil types in this wildlife area. These soils are gently sloping to very steep and are well drained or moderately well drained.

This wildlife area borders the major streams in the county, and it provides much more diversified habitat than wildlife area 1. It consists of cropland, pasture, and forestland. The major game species are ring-necked pheasant, white-tailed deer, mourning dove, bobwhite quail, turkey, fox, squirrel, and rabbit. The nongame species include those that inhabit brushy cover and forestland in addition to those listed in the description of wildlife area 1.

Pasture management, protection of forestland from livestock, crop residue management, and delayed mowing of grassy cover can benefit wildlife in this area.

Soils affect the kind and amount of vegetation that is available to wildlife as food and cover. They also affect the construction of water impoundments. The kind and abundance of wildlife depend largely on the amount and distribution of food, cover, and water. Wildlife habitat can be created or improved by planting appropriate vegetation, by maintaining the existing plant cover, or by promoting the natural establishment of desirable plants.

In table 14, the soils in the survey area are rated according to their potential for providing habitat for various kinds of wildlife. This information can be used in planning parks, wildlife refuges, nature study areas, and other developments for wildlife; in selecting soils that are suitable for establishing, improving, or maintaining specific elements of wildlife habitat; and in determining the intensity of management needed for each element of the habitat.

The potential of the soil is rated good, fair, poor, or very poor. A rating of *good* indicates that the element or kind of habitat is easily established, improved, or maintained. Few or no limitations affect management, and satisfactory results can be expected. A rating of *fair* indicates that the element or kind of habitat can be established, improved, or maintained in most places. Moderately intensive management is required for satisfactory results. A rating of *poor* indicates that limitations are severe for the designated element or kind of habitat. Habitat can be created, improved, or maintained in most places, but management is difficult and must be intensive. A rating of *very poor* indicates that restrictions for the element or kind of habitat are

very severe and that unsatisfactory results can be expected. Creating, improving, or maintaining habitat is impractical or impossible.

The elements of wildlife habitat are described in the following paragraphs.

*Grain and seed crops* are domestic grains and seed-producing herbaceous plants. Soil properties and features that affect the growth of grain and seed crops are depth of the root zone, texture of the surface layer, available water capacity, wetness, slope, surface stoniness, and flooding. Soil temperature and soil moisture also are considerations. Examples of grain and seed crops are corn, soybeans, wheat, and oats.

*Grasses and legumes* are domestic perennial grasses and herbaceous legumes. Soil properties and features that affect the growth of grasses and legumes are depth of the root zone, texture of the surface layer, available water capacity, wetness, surface stoniness, flooding, and slope. Soil temperature and soil moisture also are considerations. Examples of grasses and legumes are brome grass, timothy, orchardgrass, clover, and alfalfa.

*Wild herbaceous plants* are native or naturally established grasses and forbs, including weeds. Soil properties and features that affect the growth of these plants are depth of the root zone, texture of the surface layer, available water capacity, wetness, surface stoniness, and flooding. Soil temperature and soil moisture also are considerations. Examples of wild herbaceous plants are bluestem, indiagrass, goldenrod, beggarweed, ragweed, and foxtail.

*Hardwood trees* and woody understory produce nuts or other fruit, buds, catkins, twigs, bark, and foliage. Soil properties and features that affect the growth of hardwood trees and shrubs are depth of the root zone, available water capacity, and wetness. Examples of these plants are oak, cherry, cottonwood, apple, hawthorn, hickory, blackberry, elderberry, maple, green ash, and willow. Examples of fruit-producing shrubs that are suitable for planting on soils rated *good* are American plum, hazelnut, dogwood, and arrowwood.

*Coniferous plants* furnish browse and seeds. Soil properties and features that affect the growth of coniferous trees, shrubs, and ground cover are depth of the root zone, available water capacity, and wetness. Examples of coniferous plants are pine, spruce, cedar, fir, and juniper.

*Wetland plants* are annual and perennial wild herbaceous plants that grow on moist or wet sites. Submerged or floating aquatic plants are excluded. Soil properties and features affecting wetland plants are texture of the surface layer, wetness, reaction, salinity, slope, and surface stoniness. Examples of

wetland plants are smartweed, wild millet, cordgrass, rushes, sedges, and reeds.

*Shallow water areas* have an average depth of less than 5 feet. Some are naturally wet areas. Others are created by dams, levees, or other water-control structures. Soil properties and features affecting shallow water areas are depth to bedrock, wetness, surface stoniness, slope, and permeability. Examples of shallow water areas are waterfowl feeding areas, wildlife watering developments, marshes, and beaver ponds and other wildlife ponds.

The habitat for various kinds of wildlife is described in the following paragraphs.

*Habitat for openland wildlife* consists of cropland, pasture, meadows, and areas that are overgrown with grasses, herbs, shrubs, and vines. These areas produce grain and seed crops, grasses and legumes, and wild herbaceous plants. Wildlife attracted to these areas include ring-necked pheasant, bobwhite quail, meadowlark, field sparrow, cottontail rabbit, and red fox.

*Habitat for woodland wildlife* consists of areas of deciduous and/or coniferous plants and associated grasses, legumes, and wild herbaceous plants. Wildlife attracted to these areas include wild turkey, thrushes, woodpeckers, owls, tree squirrels, raccoon, woodcock, and white-tailed deer.

*Habitat for wetland wildlife* consists of open, marshy or swampy shallow water areas. Some of the wildlife attracted to such areas are ducks, geese, herons, shore birds, muskrat, mink, and beaver.

## Engineering

This section provides information for planning land uses related to urban development and to water management. Soils are rated for various uses, and the most limiting features are identified. Ratings are given for building site development, sanitary facilities, construction materials, and water management. The ratings are based on observed performance of the soils and on the data in the tables described under the heading "Soil Properties."

*Information in this section is intended for land use planning, for evaluating land use alternatives, and for planning site investigations prior to design and construction. The information, however, has limitations. For example, estimates and other data generally apply only to that part of the soil between the surface and a depth of 5 to 7 feet. Because of the map scale, small areas of different soils may be included within the mapped areas of a specific soil.*

*The information is not site specific and does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation of the soils*

or for testing and analysis by personnel experienced in the design and construction of engineering works.

Government ordinances and regulations that restrict certain land uses or impose specific design criteria were not considered in preparing the information in this section. Local ordinances and regulations should be considered in planning, in site selection, and in design.

Soil properties, site features, and observed performance were considered in determining the ratings in this section. During the fieldwork for this soil survey, determinations were made about particle-size distribution, liquid limit, plasticity index, soil reaction, depth to bedrock, hardness of bedrock within 5 to 7 feet of the surface, soil wetness, depth to a water table, ponding, slope, likelihood of flooding, natural soil structure aggregation, and soil density. Data were collected about kinds of clay minerals, mineralogy of the sand and silt fractions, and the kinds of adsorbed cations. Estimates were made for erodibility, permeability, corrosivity, shrink-swell potential, available water capacity, and other behavioral characteristics affecting engineering uses.

This information can be used to evaluate the potential of areas for residential, commercial, industrial, and recreational uses; make preliminary estimates of construction conditions; evaluate alternative routes for roads, streets, highways, pipelines, and underground cables; evaluate alternative sites for sanitary landfills, septic tank absorption fields, and sewage lagoons; plan detailed onsite investigations of soils and geology; locate potential sources of gravel, sand, earthfill, and topsoil; plan drainage systems, irrigation systems, ponds, terraces, and other structures for soil and water conservation; and predict performance of proposed small structures and pavements by comparing the performance of existing similar structures on the same or similar soils.

The information in the tables, along with the soil maps, the soil descriptions, and other data provided in this survey, can be used to make additional interpretations.

Some of the terms used in this soil survey have a special meaning in soil science and are defined in the Glossary.

## Building Site Development

Soil properties influence the development of building sites, including the selection of the site, the design of the structure, construction, performance after construction, and maintenance. Tables 15a and 15b show the degree and kind of soil limitations that

affect dwellings with and without basements, small commercial buildings, local roads and streets, shallow excavations, and lawns and landscaping.

The ratings in the tables are both verbal and numerical. Rating class terms indicate the extent to which the soils are limited by all of the soil features that affect building site development. *Not limited* indicates that the soil has features that are very favorable for the specified use. Good performance and very low maintenance can be expected. *Somewhat limited* indicates that the soil has features that are moderately favorable for the specified use. The limitations can be overcome or minimized by special planning, design, or installation. Fair performance and moderate maintenance can be expected. *Very limited* indicates that the soil has one or more features that are unfavorable for the specified use. The limitations generally cannot be overcome without major soil reclamation, special design, or expensive installation procedures. Poor performance and high maintenance can be expected.

Numerical ratings in the tables indicate the severity of individual limitations. The ratings are shown as decimal fractions ranging from 0.01 to 1.00. They indicate gradations between the point at which a soil feature has the greatest negative impact on the use (1.00) and the point at which the soil feature is not a limitation (0.00).

*Dwellings* are single-family houses of three stories or less. For dwellings without basements, the foundation is assumed to consist of spread footings of reinforced concrete built on undisturbed soil at a depth of 2 feet or at the depth of maximum frost penetration, whichever is deeper. For dwellings with basements, the foundation is assumed to consist of spread footings of reinforced concrete built on undisturbed soil at a depth of about 7 feet. The ratings for dwellings are based on the soil properties that affect the capacity of the soil to support a load without movement and on the properties that affect excavation and construction costs. The properties that affect the load-supporting capacity include depth to a water table, ponding, flooding, subsidence, linear extensibility (shrink-swell potential), and compressibility. Compressibility is inferred from the Unified classification. The properties that affect the ease and amount of excavation include depth to a water table, ponding, flooding, slope, depth to bedrock or a cemented pan, hardness of bedrock or a cemented pan, and the amount and size of rock fragments.

*Small commercial buildings* are structures that are less than three stories high and do not have basements. The foundation is assumed to consist of spread footings of reinforced concrete built on

undisturbed soil at a depth of 2 feet or at the depth of maximum frost penetration, whichever is deeper. The ratings are based on the soil properties that affect the capacity of the soil to support a load without movement and on the properties that affect excavation and construction costs. The properties that affect the load-supporting capacity include depth to a water table, ponding, flooding, subsidence, linear extensibility (shrink-swell potential), and compressibility (which is inferred from the Unified classification). The properties that affect the ease and amount of excavation include flooding, depth to a water table, ponding, slope, depth to bedrock or a cemented pan, hardness of bedrock or a cemented pan, and the amount and size of rock fragments.

*Local roads and streets* have an all-weather surface and carry automobile and light truck traffic all year. They have a subgrade of cut or fill soil material; a base of gravel, crushed rock, or soil material stabilized by lime or cement; and a surface of flexible material (asphalt), rigid material (concrete), or gravel with a binder. The ratings are based on the soil properties that affect the ease of excavation and grading and the traffic-supporting capacity. The properties that affect the ease of excavation and grading are depth to bedrock or a cemented pan, hardness of bedrock or a cemented pan, depth to a water table, ponding, flooding, the amount of large stones, and slope. The properties that affect the traffic-supporting capacity are soil strength (as inferred from the AASHTO group index number), subsidence, linear extensibility (shrink-swell potential), the potential for frost action, depth to a water table, and ponding.

*Shallow excavations* are trenches or holes dug to a maximum depth of 5 or 6 feet for graves, utility lines, open ditches, or other purposes. The ratings are based on the soil properties that influence the ease of digging and the resistance to sloughing. Depth to bedrock or a cemented pan, hardness of bedrock or a cemented pan, the amount of large stones, and dense layers influence the ease of digging, filling, and compacting. Depth to the seasonal high water table, flooding, and ponding may restrict the period when excavations can be made. Slope influences the ease of using machinery. Soil texture, depth to the water table, and linear extensibility (shrink-swell potential) influence the resistance to sloughing.

*Lawns and landscaping* require soils on which turf and ornamental trees and shrubs can be established and maintained. Irrigation is not considered in the ratings. The ratings are based on the soil properties that affect plant growth and trafficability after vegetation is established. The properties that affect plant growth are reaction; depth to a water table;

ponding; depth to bedrock or a cemented pan; the available water capacity in the upper 40 inches; the content of salts, sodium, or calcium carbonate; and sulfidic materials. The properties that affect trafficability are flooding, depth to a water table, ponding, slope, stoniness, and the amount of sand, clay, or organic matter in the surface layer.

## Sanitary Facilities

Tables 16a and 16b show the degree and kind of soil limitations that affect septic tank absorption fields, sewage lagoons, sanitary landfills, and daily cover for landfill. The ratings are both verbal and numerical. Rating class terms indicate the extent to which the soils are limited by all of the soil features that affect these uses. *Not limited* indicates that the soil has features that are very favorable for the specified use. Good performance and very low maintenance can be expected. *Somewhat limited* indicates that the soil has features that are moderately favorable for the specified use. The limitations can be overcome or minimized by special planning, design, or installation. Fair performance and moderate maintenance can be expected. *Very limited* indicates that the soil has one or more features that are unfavorable for the specified use. The limitations generally cannot be overcome without major soil reclamation, special design, or expensive installation procedures. Poor performance and high maintenance can be expected.

Numerical ratings in the tables indicate the severity of individual limitations. The ratings are shown as decimal fractions ranging from 0.01 to 1.00. They indicate gradations between the point at which a soil feature has the greatest negative impact on the use (1.00) and the point at which the soil feature is not a limitation (0.00).

*Septic tank absorption fields* are areas in which effluent from a septic tank is distributed into the soil through subsurface tiles or perforated pipe. Only that part of the soil between depths of 24 and 60 inches is evaluated. The ratings are based on the soil properties that affect absorption of the effluent, construction and maintenance of the system, and public health. Permeability, depth to a water table, ponding, depth to bedrock or a cemented pan, and flooding affect absorption of the effluent. Stones and boulders, ice, and bedrock or a cemented pan interfere with installation. Subsidence interferes with installation and maintenance. Excessive slope may cause lateral seepage and surfacing of the effluent in downslope areas.

Some soils are underlain by loose sand and gravel or fractured bedrock at a depth of less than 4 feet

below the distribution lines. In these soils the absorption field may not adequately filter the effluent, particularly when the system is new. As a result, the ground water may become contaminated.

*Sewage lagoons* are shallow ponds constructed to hold sewage while aerobic bacteria decompose the solid and liquid wastes. Lagoons should have a nearly level floor surrounded by cut slopes or embankments of compacted soil. Nearly impervious soil material for the lagoon floor and sides is required to minimize seepage and contamination of ground water. Considered in the ratings are slope, permeability, depth to a water table, ponding, depth to bedrock or a cemented pan, flooding, large stones, and content of organic matter.

Soil permeability is a critical property affecting the suitability for sewage lagoons. Most porous soils eventually become sealed when they are used as sites for sewage lagoons. Until sealing occurs, however, the hazard of pollution is severe. Soils that have a permeability rate of more than 2 inches per hour are too porous for the proper functioning of sewage lagoons. In these soils, seepage of the effluent can result in contamination of the ground water. Ground-water contamination is also a hazard if fractured bedrock is within a depth of 40 inches, if the water table is high enough to raise the level of sewage in the lagoon, or if floodwater overtops the lagoon.

A high content of organic matter is detrimental to proper functioning of the lagoon because it inhibits aerobic activity. Slope, bedrock, and cemented pans can cause construction problems, and large stones can hinder compaction of the lagoon floor. If the lagoon is to be uniformly deep throughout, the slope must be gentle enough and the soil material must be thick enough over bedrock or a cemented pan to make land smoothing practical.

A *trench sanitary landfill* is an area where solid waste is placed in successive layers in an excavated trench. The waste is spread, compacted, and covered daily with a thin layer of soil excavated at the site. When the trench is full, a final cover of soil material at least 2 feet thick is placed over the landfill. The ratings in the table are based on the soil properties that affect the risk of pollution, the ease of excavation, trafficability, and revegetation. These properties include permeability, depth to bedrock or a cemented pan, depth to a water table, ponding, slope, flooding, texture, stones and boulders, highly organic layers, soil reaction, and content of salts and sodium. Unless otherwise stated, the ratings apply only to that part of the soil within a depth of about 6 feet. For deeper trenches, onsite investigation may be needed.

Hard, nonrippable bedrock, creviced bedrock, or highly permeable strata in or directly below the proposed trench bottom can affect the ease of excavation and the hazard of ground-water pollution. Slope affects construction of the trenches and the movement of surface water around the landfill. It also affects the construction and performance of roads in areas of the landfill.

Soil texture and consistence affect the ease with which the trench is dug and the ease with which the soil can be used as daily or final cover. They determine the workability of the soil when dry and when wet. Soils that are plastic and sticky when wet are difficult to excavate, grade, or compact and are difficult to place as a uniformly thick cover over a layer of refuse.

The soil material used as the final cover for a trench landfill should be suitable for plants. It should not have excess sodium or salts and should not be too acid. The surface layer generally has the best workability, the highest content of organic matter, and the best potential for plants. Material from the surface layer should be stockpiled for use as the final cover.

In an *area sanitary landfill*, solid waste is placed in successive layers on the surface of the soil. The waste is spread, compacted, and covered daily with a thin layer of soil from a source away from the site. A final cover of soil material at least 2 feet thick is placed over the completed landfill. The ratings in the table are based on the soil properties that affect trafficability and the risk of pollution. These properties include flooding, permeability, depth to a water table, ponding, slope, and depth to bedrock or a cemented pan.

Flooding is a serious problem because it can result in pollution in areas downstream from the landfill. If permeability is too rapid or if fractured bedrock, a fractured cemented pan, or the water table is close to the surface, the leachate can contaminate the water supply. Slope is a consideration because of the extra grading required to maintain roads in the steeper areas of the landfill. Also, leachate may flow along the surface of the soils in the steeper areas and cause difficult seepage problems.

*Daily cover for landfill* is the soil material that is used to cover compacted solid waste in an area sanitary landfill. The soil material is obtained offsite, transported to the landfill, and spread over the waste. The ratings in the table also apply to the final cover for a landfill. They are based on the soil properties that affect workability, the ease of digging, and the ease of moving and spreading the material over the refuse daily during wet and dry periods. These properties include soil texture, depth to a water table, ponding,

rock fragments, slope, depth to bedrock or a cemented pan, reaction, and content of salts, sodium, or lime.

Loamy or silty soils that are free of large stones and excess gravel are the best cover for a landfill. Clayey soils may be sticky and difficult to spread; sandy soils are subject to wind erosion.

Slope affects the ease of excavation and of moving the cover material. Also, it can influence runoff, erosion, and reclamation of the borrow area.

After soil material has been removed, the soil material remaining in the borrow area must be thick enough over bedrock, a cemented pan, or the water table to permit revegetation. The soil material used as the final cover for a landfill should be suitable for plants. It should not have excess sodium, salts, or lime and should not be too acid.

## Construction Materials

Tables 17a and 17b give information about the soils as potential sources of gravel, sand, topsoil, and roadfill. Normal compaction, minor processing, and other standard construction practices are assumed.

*Sand* and *gravel* are natural aggregates suitable for commercial use with a minimum of processing. They are used in many kinds of construction. Specifications for each use vary widely. In table 17a, only the likelihood of finding material in suitable quantity is evaluated. The suitability of the material for specific purposes is not evaluated, nor are factors that affect excavation of the material. The properties used to evaluate the soil as a source of sand or gravel are gradation of grain sizes (as indicated by the Unified classification of the soil), the thickness of suitable material, and the content of rock fragments. If the bottom layer of the soil contains sand or gravel, the soil is considered a likely source regardless of thickness. The assumption is that the sand or gravel layer below the depth of observation exceeds the minimum thickness.

The soils are rated *good*, *fair*, or *poor* as potential sources of sand and gravel. A rating of *good* or *fair* means that the source material is likely to be in or below the soil. The bottom layer and the thickest layer of the soils are assigned numerical ratings. These ratings indicate the likelihood that the layer is a source of sand or gravel. The number 0.00 indicates that the layer is a poor source. The number 1.00 indicates that the layer is a good source. A number between 0.00 and 1.00 indicates the degree to which the layer is a likely source.

The soils are rated *good*, *fair*, or *poor* as potential sources of topsoil and roadfill. The features that limit the soils as sources of these materials are specified in

the tables. The numerical ratings given after the specified features indicate the degree to which the features limit the soils as sources of topsoil or roadfill. The lower the number, the greater the limitation.

*Roadfill* is soil material that is excavated in one place and used in road embankments in another place. In this table, the soils are rated as a source of roadfill for low embankments, generally less than 6 feet high and less exacting in design than higher embankments.

The ratings are for the whole soil, from the surface to a depth of about 5 feet. It is assumed that soil layers will be mixed when the soil material is excavated and spread.

The ratings are based on the amount of suitable material and on soil properties that affect the ease of excavation and the performance of the material after it is in place. The thickness of the suitable material is a major consideration. The ease of excavation is affected by large stones, depth to a water table, and slope. How well the soil performs in place after it has been compacted and drained is determined by its strength (as inferred from the AASHTO classification of the soil) and linear extensibility (shrink-swell potential).

*Topsoil* is used to cover an area so that vegetation can be established and maintained. The upper 40 inches of a soil is evaluated for use as topsoil. Also evaluated is the reclamation potential of the borrow area. The ratings are based on the soil properties that affect plant growth; the ease of excavating, loading, and spreading the material; and reclamation of the borrow area. Toxic substances, soil reaction, and the properties that are inferred from soil texture, such as available water capacity and fertility, affect plant growth. The ease of excavating, loading, and spreading is affected by rock fragments, slope, depth to a water table, soil texture, and thickness of suitable material. Reclamation of the borrow area is affected by slope, depth to a water table, rock fragments, depth to bedrock or a cemented pan, and toxic material.

The surface layer of most soils is generally preferred for topsoil because of its organic matter content. Organic matter greatly increases the absorption and retention of moisture and nutrients for plant growth.

## Water Management

Tables 18a and 18b give information on the soil properties and site features that affect water management. The degree and kind of soil limitations are given for pond reservoir areas; embankments, dikes, and levees; aquifer-fed excavated ponds;

grassed waterways and surface drains; terraces and diversions; and tile drains and underground outlets. The ratings are both verbal and numerical. Rating class terms indicate the extent to which the soils are limited by all of the soil features that affect these uses. *Not limited* indicates that the soil has features that are very favorable for the specified use. Good performance and very low maintenance can be expected. *Somewhat limited* indicates that the soil has features that are moderately favorable for the specified use. The limitations can be overcome or minimized by special planning, design, or installation. Fair performance and moderate maintenance can be expected. *Very limited* indicates that the soil has one or more features that are unfavorable for the specified use. The limitations generally cannot be overcome without major soil reclamation, special design, or expensive installation procedures. Poor performance and high maintenance can be expected.

Numerical ratings in the tables indicate the severity of individual limitations. The ratings are shown as decimal fractions ranging from 0.01 to 1.00. They indicate gradations between the point at which a soil feature has the greatest negative impact on the use (1.00) and the point at which the soil feature is not a limitation (0.00).

*Pond reservoir areas* hold water behind a dam or embankment. Soils best suited to this use have low seepage potential in the upper 60 inches. The seepage potential is determined by the permeability of the soil and the depth to fractured bedrock or other permeable material. Excessive slope can affect the storage capacity of the reservoir area.

*Embankments, dikes, and levees* are raised structures of soil material, generally less than 20 feet high, constructed to impound water or to protect land against overflow. Embankments that have zoned construction (core and shell) are not considered. In table 18a, the soils are rated as a source of material for embankment fill. The ratings apply to the soil material below the surface layer to a depth of about 5 feet. It is assumed that soil layers will be uniformly mixed and compacted during construction.

The ratings do not indicate the ability of the natural soil to support an embankment. Soil properties to a depth even greater than the height of the embankment can affect performance and safety of the embankment. Generally, deeper onsite investigation is needed to determine these properties.

Soil material in embankments must be resistant to seepage, piping, and erosion and have favorable compaction characteristics. Unfavorable features include less than 5 feet of suitable material and a high

content of stones or boulders, organic matter, or salts or sodium. A high water table affects the amount of usable material. It also affects trafficability.

*Aquifer-fed excavated ponds* are pits or dugouts that extend to a ground-water aquifer or to a depth below a permanent water table. Excluded are ponds that are fed only by surface runoff and embankment ponds that impound water 3 feet or more above the original surface. Excavated ponds are affected by depth to a permanent water table, permeability of the aquifer, and quality of the water as inferred from the salinity of the soil. Depth to bedrock and the content of large stones affect the ease of excavation.

*Grassed waterways and surface drains* are natural or constructed channels, generally broad and shallow, that conduct surface water to outlets at a nonerosive velocity. Large stones, wetness, slope, and depth to bedrock or a cemented pan affect the construction of grassed waterways. A hazard of wind erosion, low available water capacity, restricted rooting depth, toxic substances such as salts and sodium, and restricted permeability adversely affect the growth and maintenance of the grass after construction.

*Terraces and diversions* are embankments or a combination of channels and ridges constructed across a slope to control erosion and conserve moisture by intercepting runoff. Slope, wetness, large stones, and depth to bedrock or a cemented pan affect the construction of terraces and diversions. A restricted rooting depth, a severe hazard of wind erosion or water erosion, an excessively coarse texture, and restricted permeability adversely affect maintenance.

*Tile drains and underground outlets* remove excess surface and subsurface water from the soil. How easily and effectively the soil is drained depends on the depth to bedrock or other layers that affect the rate of water movement; permeability; depth to a high water table or depth of standing water if the soil is subject to ponding; slope; susceptibility to flooding; subsidence of organic layers; and the potential for frost action. Excavating and grading and the stability of ditchbanks are affected by depth to bedrock, large stones, slope, and the hazard of cutbanks caving. The productivity of the soil after drainage is adversely affected by extreme acidity or by toxic substances in the root zone, such as salts, sodium, and sulfur.

## Waste Management

Soil properties are important when organic waste is applied as fertilizer and wastewater is applied in irrigated areas. They also are important when the soil

is used as a medium for the treatment and disposal of the organic waste and wastewater. Unfavorable soil properties can result in environmental damage.

The use of organic waste and wastewater as production resources results in energy and resource conservation and minimizes the problems associated with waste disposal. If disposal is the goal, applying a maximum amount of the organic waste or the wastewater to a minimal area holds costs to a minimum and environmental damage is the main hazard. If reuse is the goal, a minimum amount should

be applied to a maximum area and environmental damage is unlikely.

Interpretations developed for waste management may include ratings for manure, food-processing waste, municipal sewage sludge, use of wastewater for irrigation, and treatment of wastewater by slow rate, overland flow, and rapid infiltration processes.

Specific information regarding waste management is available at the local office of the Natural Resources Conservation Service or the Cooperative Extension Service.



# Soil Properties

Data relating to soil properties are collected during the course of the soil survey.

Soil properties are ascertained by field examination of the soils and by laboratory index testing of some benchmark soils. Established standard procedures are followed. During the survey, many shallow borings are made and examined to identify and classify the soils and to delineate them on the soil maps. Samples are taken from some typical profiles and tested in the laboratory to determine particle-size distribution, plasticity, and compaction characteristics.

Estimates of soil properties are based on field examinations, on laboratory tests of samples from the survey area, and on laboratory tests of samples of similar soils in nearby areas. Tests verify field observations, verify properties that cannot be estimated accurately by field observation, and help to characterize key soils.

The estimates of soil properties are shown in tables. They include engineering index properties, physical and chemical properties, and pertinent soil and water features.

## Engineering Index Properties

Table 19 gives the engineering classifications and the range of index properties for the layers of each soil in the survey area.

*Depth* to the upper and lower boundaries of each layer is indicated.

*Texture* is given in the standard terms used by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. These terms are defined according to percentages of sand, silt, and clay in the fraction of the soil that is less than 2 millimeters in diameter (fig. 6). "Loam," for example, is soil that is 7 to 27 percent clay, 28 to 50 percent silt, and less than 52 percent sand. If the content of particles coarser than sand is 15 percent or more, an appropriate modifier is added, for example, "gravelly." Textural terms are defined in the Glossary.

*Classification* of the soils is determined according to the Unified soil classification system (ASTM, 2001) and the system adopted by the American Association

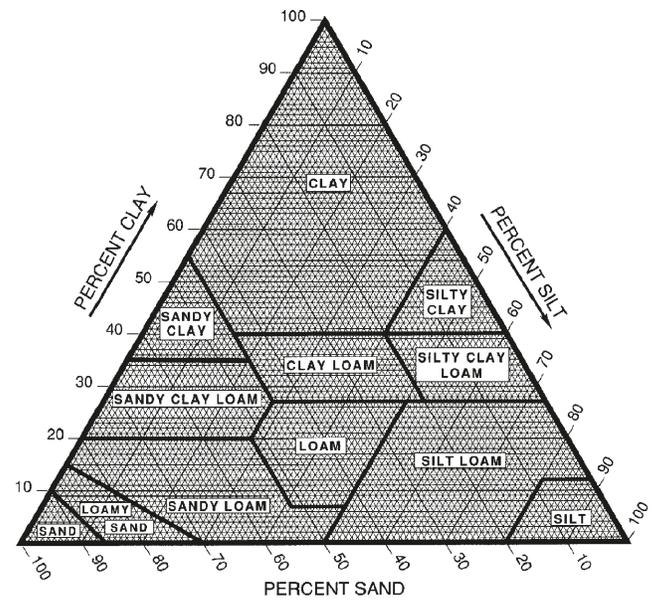


Figure 6.—Percentages of clay, silt, and sand in the basic USDA soil texture classes.

of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO, 2000).

The Unified system classifies soils according to properties that affect their use as construction material. Soils are classified according to particle-size distribution of the fraction less than 3 inches in diameter and according to plasticity index, liquid limit, and organic matter content. Sandy and gravelly soils are identified as GW, GP, GM, GC, SW, SP, SM, and SC; silty and clayey soils as ML, CL, OL, MH, CH, and OH; and highly organic soils as PT. Soils exhibiting engineering properties of two groups can have a dual classification, for example, CL-ML.

The AASHTO system classifies soils according to those properties that affect roadway construction and maintenance. In this system, the fraction of a mineral soil that is less than 3 inches in diameter is classified in one of seven groups from A-1 through A-7 on the basis of particle-size distribution, liquid limit, and

plasticity index. Soils in group A-1 are coarse grained and low in content of fines (silt and clay). At the other extreme, soils in group A-7 are fine grained. Highly organic soils are classified in group A-8 on the basis of visual inspection.

If laboratory data are available, the A-1, A-2, and A-7 groups are further classified as A-1-a, A-1-b, A-2-4, A-2-5, A-2-6, A-2-7, A-7-5, or A-7-6. As an additional refinement, the suitability of a soil as subgrade material can be indicated by a group index number. Group index numbers range from 0 for the best subgrade material to 20 or higher for the poorest.

*Rock fragments* larger than 10 inches in diameter and 3 to 10 inches in diameter are indicated as a percentage of the total soil on a dry-weight basis. The percentages are estimates determined mainly by converting volume percentage in the field to weight percentage.

*Percentage (of soil particles) passing designated sieves* is the percentage of the soil fraction less than 3 inches in diameter based on an oven-dry weight. The sieves, numbers 4, 10, 40, and 200 (USA Standard Series), have openings of 4.76, 2.00, 0.420, and 0.074 millimeters, respectively. Estimates are based on laboratory tests of soils sampled in the survey area and in nearby areas and on estimates made in the field.

*Liquid limit and plasticity index* (Atterberg limits) indicate the plasticity characteristics of a soil. The estimates are based on test data from the survey area or from nearby areas and on field examination.

The estimates of particle-size distribution, liquid limit, and plasticity index are generally rounded to the nearest 5 percent. Thus, if the ranges of gradation and Atterberg limits extend a marginal amount (1 or 2 percentage points) across classification boundaries, the classification in the marginal zone is generally omitted in the table.

## Physical Properties

Table 20 shows estimates of some physical characteristics and features that affect soil behavior. These estimates are given for the layers of each soil in the survey area. The estimates are based on field observations and on test data for these and similar soils.

*Depth* to the upper and lower boundaries of each layer is indicated.

Particle size is the effective diameter of a soil particle as measured by sedimentation, sieving, or micrometric methods. Particle sizes are expressed as classes with specific effective diameter class limits. The broad classes are sand, silt, and clay, ranging from the larger to the smaller.

*Sand* as a soil separate consists of mineral soil particles that are 0.05 millimeter to 2 millimeters in diameter. In table 20, the estimated sand content of each soil layer is given as a percentage, by weight, of the soil material that is less than 2 millimeters in diameter.

*Silt* as a soil separate consists of mineral soil particles that are 0.002 to 0.05 millimeter in diameter. In table 20, the estimated silt content of each soil layer is given as a percentage, by weight, of the soil material that is less than 2 millimeters in diameter.

*Clay* as a soil separate consists of mineral soil particles that are less than 0.002 millimeter in diameter. In table 20, the estimated clay content of each soil layer is given as a percentage, by weight, of the soil material that is less than 2 millimeters in diameter.

The content of sand, silt, and clay affects the physical behavior of a soil. Particle size is important for engineering and agronomic interpretations, for determination of soil hydrologic qualities, and for soil classification.

The amount and kind of clay affect the fertility and physical condition of the soil and the ability of the soil to adsorb cations and to retain moisture. They influence shrink-swell potential, permeability, plasticity, the ease of soil dispersion, and other soil properties. The amount and kind of clay in a soil also affect tillage and earthmoving operations.

*Moist bulk density* is the weight of soil (oven-dry) per unit volume. Volume is measured when the soil is at field moisture capacity, that is, the moisture content at  $1/3$ - or  $1/10$ -bar (33kPa or 10kPa) moisture tension. Weight is determined after the soil is dried at 105 degrees C. In table 20, the estimated moist bulk density of each soil horizon is expressed in grams per cubic centimeter of soil material that is less than 2 millimeters in diameter. Bulk density data are used to compute shrink-swell potential, available water capacity, total pore space, and other soil properties. The moist bulk density of a soil indicates the pore space available for water and roots. Depending on soil texture, a bulk density of more than 1.4 can restrict water storage and root penetration. Moist bulk density is influenced by texture, kind of clay, content of organic matter, and soil structure.

*Permeability* ( $K_{sat}$ ) refers to the ability of a soil to transmit water or air. The term "permeability," as used in soil surveys, indicates saturated hydraulic conductivity ( $K_{sat}$ ). The estimates in table 20 indicate the rate of water movement, in inches per hour, when the soil is saturated. They are based on soil characteristics observed in the field, particularly structure, porosity, and texture. Permeability is

considered in the design of soil drainage systems and septic tank absorption fields.

*Available water capacity* refers to the quantity of water that the soil is capable of storing for use by plants. The capacity for water storage is given in inches of water per inch of soil for each soil layer. The capacity varies, depending on soil properties that affect retention of water. The most important properties are the content of organic matter, soil texture, bulk density, and soil structure. Available water capacity is an important factor in the choice of plants or crops to be grown and in the design and management of irrigation systems. Available water capacity is not an estimate of the quantity of water actually available to plants at any given time.

*Linear extensibility* refers to the change in length of an unconfined clod as moisture content is decreased from a moist to a dry state. It is an expression of the volume change between the water content of the clod at  $1/3$ - or  $1/10$ -bar tension (33kPa or 10kPa tension) and oven dryness. The volume change is reported in table 20 as percent change for the whole soil. Volume change is influenced by the amount and type of clay minerals in the soil.

Linear extensibility is used to determine the shrink-swell potential of soils. The shrink-swell potential is low if the soil has a linear extensibility of less than 3 percent; moderate if 3 to 6 percent; high if 6 to 9 percent; and very high if more than 9 percent. If the linear extensibility is more than 3, shrinking and swelling can cause damage to buildings, roads, and other structures and to plant roots. Special design commonly is needed.

*Organic matter* is the plant and animal residue in the soil at various stages of decomposition. In table 20, the estimated content of organic matter is expressed as a percentage, by weight, of the soil material that is less than 2 millimeters in diameter.

The content of organic matter in a soil can be maintained by returning crop residue to the soil. Organic matter has a positive effect on available water capacity, water infiltration, soil organism activity, and tilth. It is a source of nitrogen and other nutrients for crops and soil organisms.

*Erosion factors* are shown in table 20 as the K factor ( $K_w$  and  $K_f$ ) and the T factor. Erosion factor K indicates the susceptibility of a soil to sheet and rill erosion by water. Factor K is one of several factors used in the Universal Soil Loss Equation (USLE) and the Revised Universal Soil Loss Equation (RUSLE) to predict the average annual rate of soil loss by sheet and rill erosion in tons per acre per year. The estimates are based primarily on percentage of silt, sand, and organic matter and on soil structure and

permeability. Values of K range from 0.02 to 0.69. Other factors being equal, the higher the value, the more susceptible the soil is to sheet and rill erosion by water.

*Erosion factor  $K_w$*  indicates the erodibility of the whole soil. The estimates are modified by the presence of rock fragments.

*Erosion factor  $K_f$*  indicates the erodibility of the fine-earth fraction, or the material less than 2 millimeters in size.

*Erosion factor T* is an estimate of the maximum average annual rate of soil erosion by wind or water that can occur without affecting crop productivity over a sustained period. The rate is in tons per acre per year.

*Wind erodibility groups* are made up of soils that have similar properties affecting their susceptibility to wind erosion in cultivated areas. The soils assigned to group 1 are the most susceptible to wind erosion, and those assigned to group 8 are the least susceptible. The groups are described in the "National Soil Survey Handbook" (USDA, NRCS).

*Wind erodibility index* is a numerical value indicating the susceptibility of soil to wind erosion, or the tons per acre per year that can be expected to be lost to wind erosion. There is a close correlation between wind erosion and the texture of the surface layer, the size and durability of surface clods, rock fragments, organic matter, and a calcareous reaction. Soil moisture and frozen soil layers also influence wind erosion.

## Chemical Properties

Table 21 shows estimates of some chemical characteristics and features that affect soil behavior. These estimates are given for the layers of each soil in the survey area. The estimates are based on field observations and on test data for these and similar soils.

*Depth* to the upper and lower boundaries of each layer is indicated.

*Cation-exchange capacity* is the total amount of extractable bases that can be held by the soil, expressed in terms of milliequivalents per 100 grams of soil at neutrality (pH 7.0) or at some other stated pH value. Soils having a low cation-exchange capacity hold fewer cations and may require more frequent applications of fertilizer than soils having a high cation-exchange capacity. The ability to retain cations reduces the hazard of ground-water pollution.

*Soil reaction* is a measure of acidity or alkalinity. The pH of each soil horizon is based on many field tests. For many soils, values have been verified by laboratory analyses. Soil reaction is important in

selecting crops and other plants, in evaluating soil amendments for fertility and stabilization, and in determining the risk of corrosion.

*Calcium carbonate* equivalent is the percent of carbonates, by weight, in the fraction of the soil less than 2 millimeters in size. The availability of plant nutrients is influenced by the amount of carbonates in the soil. Incorporating nitrogen fertilizer into calcareous soils helps to prevent nitrite accumulation and ammonium-N volatilization.

*Sodium adsorption ratio* (SAR) is a measure of the amount of sodium (Na) relative to calcium (Ca) and magnesium (Mg) in the water extract from saturated soil paste. It is the ratio of the Na concentration divided by the square root of one-half of the Ca + Mg concentration. Soils that have SAR values of 13 or more may be characterized by an increased dispersion of organic matter and clay particles, reduced permeability and aeration, and a general degradation of soil structure.

## Water Features

Table 22 gives estimates of various water features. The estimates are used in land use planning that involves engineering considerations.

*Hydrologic soil groups* are based on estimates of runoff potential. Soils are assigned to one of four groups according to the rate of water infiltration when the soils are not protected by vegetation, are thoroughly wet, and receive precipitation from long-duration storms.

The four hydrologic soil groups are:

Group A. Soils having a high infiltration rate (low runoff potential) when thoroughly wet. These consist mainly of deep, well drained to excessively drained sands or gravelly sands. These soils have a high rate of water transmission.

Group B. Soils having a moderate infiltration rate when thoroughly wet. These consist chiefly of moderately deep or deep, moderately well drained or well drained soils that have moderately fine texture to moderately coarse texture. These soils have a moderate rate of water transmission.

Group C. Soils having a slow infiltration rate when thoroughly wet. These consist chiefly of soils having a layer that impedes the downward movement of water or soils of moderately fine texture or fine texture. These soils have a slow rate of water transmission.

Group D. Soils having a very slow infiltration rate (high runoff potential) when thoroughly wet. These consist chiefly of clays that have a high shrink-swell potential, soils that have a high water table, soils that have a claypan or clay layer at or near the surface,

and soils that are shallow over nearly impervious material. These soils have a very slow rate of water transmission.

If a soil is assigned to a dual hydrologic group (A/D, B/D, or C/D), the first letter is for drained areas and the second is for undrained areas.

The *months* in table 22 indicate the portion of the year in which the feature is most likely to be a concern.

*Water table* refers to a saturated zone in the soil. Table 22 indicates, by month, depth to the top (*upper limit*) and base (*lower limit*) of the saturated zone in most years. Estimates of the upper and lower limits are based mainly on observations of the water table at selected sites and on evidence of a saturated zone, namely grayish colors or mottles (redoximorphic features) in the soil. A saturated zone that lasts for less than a month is not considered a water table.

*Ponding* is standing water in a closed depression. Unless a drainage system is installed, the water is removed only by percolation, transpiration, or evaporation. Table 22 indicates *surface water depth* and the *duration* and *frequency* of ponding. Duration is expressed as *very brief* if less than 2 days, *brief* if 2 to 7 days, *long* if 7 to 30 days, and *very long* if more than 30 days. Frequency is expressed as none, rare, occasional, and frequent. *None* means that ponding is not probable; *rare* that it is unlikely but possible under unusual weather conditions (the chance of ponding is nearly 0 percent to 5 percent in any year); *occasional* that it occurs, on the average, once or less in 2 years (the chance of ponding is 5 to 50 percent in any year); and *frequent* that it occurs, on the average, more than once in 2 years (the chance of ponding is more than 50 percent in any year).

*Flooding* is the temporary inundation of an area caused by overflowing streams, by runoff from adjacent slopes, or by tides. Water standing for short periods after rainfall or snowmelt is not considered flooding, and water standing in swamps and marshes is considered ponding rather than flooding.

*Duration* and *frequency* are estimated. Duration is expressed as *extremely brief* if 0.1 hour to 4 hours, *very brief* if 4 hours to 2 days, *brief* if 2 to 7 days, *long* if 7 to 30 days, and *very long* if more than 30 days. Frequency is expressed as none, very rare, rare, occasional, frequent, and very frequent. *None* means that flooding is not probable; *very rare* that it is very unlikely but possible under extremely unusual weather conditions (the chance of flooding is less than 1 percent in any year); *rare* that it is unlikely but possible under unusual weather conditions (the chance of flooding is 1 to 5 percent in any year); *occasional* that it occurs infrequently under normal weather conditions

(the chance of flooding is 5 to 50 percent in any year); *frequent* that it is likely to occur often under normal weather conditions (the chance of flooding is more than 50 percent in any year but is less than 50 percent in all months in any year); and *very frequent* that it is likely to occur very often under normal weather conditions (the chance of flooding is more than 50 percent in all months of any year).

The information is based on evidence in the soil profile, namely thin strata of gravel, sand, silt, or clay deposited by floodwater; irregular decrease in organic matter content with increasing depth; and little or no horizon development.

Also considered are local information about the extent and levels of flooding and the relation of each soil on the landscape to historic floods. Information on the extent of flooding based on soil data is less specific than that provided by detailed engineering surveys that delineate flood-prone areas at specific flood frequency levels.

## Soil Features

Table 23 gives estimates of soil features. The estimates are used in land use planning that involves engineering considerations.

*Potential for frost action* is the likelihood of upward or lateral expansion of the soil caused by the formation of segregated ice lenses (frost heave) and the subsequent collapse of the soil and loss of strength on thawing. Frost action occurs when moisture moves into the freezing zone of the soil. Temperature, texture, density, permeability, content of organic matter, and

depth to the water table are the most important factors considered in evaluating the potential for frost action. It is assumed that the soil is not insulated by vegetation or snow and is not artificially drained. Silty and highly structured, clayey soils that have a high water table in winter are the most susceptible to frost action. Well drained, very gravelly, or very sandy soils are the least susceptible. Frost heave and low soil strength during thawing cause damage to pavements and other rigid structures.

*Risk of corrosion* pertains to potential soil-induced electrochemical or chemical action that corrodes or weakens uncoated steel or concrete. The rate of corrosion of uncoated steel is related to such factors as soil moisture, particle-size distribution, acidity, and electrical conductivity of the soil. The rate of corrosion of concrete is based mainly on the sulfate and sodium content, texture, moisture content, and acidity of the soil. Special site examination and design may be needed if the combination of factors results in a severe hazard of corrosion. The steel or concrete in installations that intersect soil boundaries or soil layers is more susceptible to corrosion than the steel or concrete in installations that are entirely within one kind of soil or within one soil layer.

For uncoated steel, the risk of corrosion, expressed as *low*, *moderate*, or *high*, is based on soil drainage class, total acidity, electrical resistivity near field capacity, and electrical conductivity of the saturation extract.

For concrete, the risk of corrosion also is expressed as *low*, *moderate*, or *high*. It is based on soil texture, acidity, and amount of sulfates in the saturation extract.



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# Glossary

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**ABC soil.** A soil having an A, a B, and a C horizon.

**Ablation till.** Loose, permeable till deposited during the final downwasting of glacial ice. Lenses of crudely sorted sand and gravel are common.

**AC soil.** A soil having only an A and a C horizon. Commonly, such soil formed in recent alluvium or on steep, rocky slopes.

**Aeration, soil.** The exchange of air in soil with air from the atmosphere. The air in a well aerated soil is similar to that in the atmosphere; the air in a poorly aerated soil is considerably higher in carbon dioxide and lower in oxygen.

**Aggregate, soil.** Many fine particles held in a single mass or cluster. Natural soil aggregates, such as granules, blocks, or prisms, are called peds. Clods are aggregates produced by tillage or logging.

**Alkali (sodic) soil.** A soil having so high a degree of alkalinity (pH 8.5 or higher) or so high a percentage of exchangeable sodium (15 percent or more of the total exchangeable bases), or both, that plant growth is restricted.

**Alluvial fan.** The fanlike deposit of a stream where it issues from a gorge upon a plain or of a tributary stream near or at its junction with its main stream.

**Alluvium.** Material, such as sand, silt, or clay, deposited on land by streams.

**Alpha,alpha-dipyridyl.** A dye that when dissolved in 1N ammonium acetate is used to detect the presence of reduced iron (Fe II) in the soil. A positive reaction indicates a type of redoximorphic feature.

**Animal unit month (AUM).** The amount of forage required by one mature cow of approximately 1,000 pounds weight, with or without a calf, for 1 month.

**Aquic conditions.** Current soil wetness characterized by saturation, reduction, and redoximorphic features.

**Argillic horizon.** A subsoil horizon characterized by an accumulation of illuvial clay.

**Aspect.** The direction in which a slope faces.

**Available water capacity (available moisture capacity).** The capacity of soils to hold water available for use by most plants. It is commonly defined as the difference between the amount of

soil water at field moisture capacity and the amount at wilting point. It is commonly expressed as inches of water per inch of soil. The capacity, in inches, in a 60-inch profile or to a limiting layer is expressed as:

Very low .....	0 to 3
Low .....	3 to 6
Moderate .....	6 to 9
High .....	9 to 12
Very high .....	more than 12

**Backslope.** The position that forms the steepest and generally linear, middle portion of a hillslope. In profile, backslopes are commonly bounded by a convex shoulder above and a concave footslope below.

**Basal till.** Compact glacial till deposited beneath the ice.

**Base saturation.** The degree to which material having cation-exchange properties is saturated with exchangeable bases (sum of Ca, Mg, Na, and K), expressed as a percentage of the total cation-exchange capacity.

**Base slope.** A geomorphic component of hills consisting of the concave to linear (perpendicular to the contour) slope that, regardless of the lateral shape, forms an apron or wedge at the bottom of a hillside dominated by colluvium and slope-wash sediments (for example, slope alluvium).

**Bedding planes.** Fine strata, less than 5 millimeters thick, in unconsolidated alluvial, eolian, lacustrine, or marine sediment.

**Bedrock.** The solid rock that underlies the soil and other unconsolidated material or that is exposed at the surface.

**Bench terrace.** A raised, level or nearly level strip of earth constructed on or nearly on the contour, supported by a barrier of rocks or similar material, and designed to make the soil suitable for tillage and to prevent accelerated erosion

**Bisequum.** Two sequences of soil horizons, each of which consists of an illuvial horizon and the overlying eluvial horizons.

**Blowout.** A shallow depression from which all or most of the soil material has been removed by the wind.

A blowout has a flat or irregular floor formed by a resistant layer or by an accumulation of pebbles or cobbles. In some blowouts the water table is exposed.

- Bottomland.** The normal flood plain of a stream, subject to flooding.
- Boulders.** Rock fragments larger than 2 feet (60 centimeters) in diameter.
- Brush management.** Use of mechanical, chemical, or biological methods to make conditions favorable for reseeding or to reduce or eliminate competition from woody vegetation and thus allow understory grasses and forbs to recover. Brush management increases forage production and thus reduces the hazard of erosion. It can improve the habitat for some species of wildlife.
- Calcareous soil.** A soil containing enough calcium carbonate (commonly combined with magnesium carbonate) to effervesce visibly when treated with cold, dilute hydrochloric acid.
- Capillary water.** Water held as a film around soil particles and in tiny spaces between particles. Surface tension is the adhesive force that holds capillary water in the soil.
- Catena.** A sequence, or "chain," of soils on a landscape that formed in similar kinds of parent material but have different characteristics as a result of differences in relief and drainage.
- Cation.** An ion carrying a positive charge of electricity. The common soil cations are calcium, potassium, magnesium, sodium, and hydrogen.
- Cation-exchange capacity.** The total amount of exchangeable cations that can be held by the soil, expressed in terms of milliequivalents per 100 grams of soil at neutrality (pH 7.0) or at some other stated pH value. The term, as applied to soils, is synonymous with base-exchange capacity but is more precise in meaning.
- Chemical treatment.** Control of unwanted vegetation through the use of chemicals.
- Chiseling.** Tillage with an implement having one or more soil-penetrating points that shatter or loosen hard, compacted layers to a depth below normal plow depth.
- Clay.** As a soil separate, the mineral soil particles less than 0.002 millimeter in diameter. As a soil textural class, soil material that is 40 percent or more clay, less than 45 percent sand, and less than 40 percent silt.
- Clay depletions.** Low-chroma zones having a low content of iron, manganese, and clay because of the chemical reduction of iron and manganese and the removal of iron, manganese, and clay. A type of redoximorphic depletion.
- Clay film.** A thin coating of oriented clay on the surface of a soil aggregate or lining pores or root channels. Synonyms: clay coating, clay skin.
- Climax plant community.** The stabilized plant community on a particular site. The plant cover reproduces itself and does not change so long as the environment remains the same.
- Coarse textured soil.** Sand or loamy sand.
- Cobble (or cobblestone).** A rounded or partly rounded fragment of rock 3 to 10 inches (7.6 to 25 centimeters) in diameter.
- Cobbly soil material.** Material that has 15 to 35 percent, by volume, rounded or partially rounded rock fragments 3 to 10 inches (7.6 to 25 centimeters) in diameter. Very cobbly soil material has 35 to 60 percent of these rock fragments, and extremely cobbly soil material has more than 60 percent.
- COLE (coefficient of linear extensibility).** See Linear extensibility.
- Colluvium.** Soil material or rock fragments, or both, moved by creep, slide, or local wash and deposited at the base of steep slopes.
- Complex slope.** Irregular or variable slope. Planning or establishing terraces, diversions, and other water-control structures on a complex slope is difficult.
- Complex, soil.** A map unit of two or more kinds of soil or miscellaneous areas in such an intricate pattern or so small in area that it is not practical to map them separately at the selected scale of mapping. The pattern and proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas are somewhat similar in all areas.
- Concretions.** Cemented bodies with crude internal symmetry organized around a point, a line, or a plane. They typically take the form of concentric layers visible to the naked eye. Calcium carbonate, iron oxide, and manganese oxide are common compounds making up concretions. If formed in place, concretions of iron oxide or manganese oxide are generally considered a type of redoximorphic concentration.
- Conservation cropping system.** Growing crops in combination with needed cultural and management practices. In a good conservation cropping system, the soil-improving crops and practices more than offset the effects of the soil-depleting crops and practices. Cropping systems are needed on all tilled soils. Soil-improving practices in a conservation cropping system include the use of rotations that contain grasses and legumes and the return of crop residue to the soil. Other practices include the use of green

manure crops of grasses and legumes, proper tillage, adequate fertilization, and weed and pest control.

**Conservation tillage.** A tillage system that does not invert the soil and that leaves a protective amount of crop residue on the surface throughout the year.

**Consistence, soil.** Refers to the degree of cohesion and adhesion of soil material and its resistance to deformation when ruptured. Consistence includes resistance of soil material to rupture and to penetration; plasticity, toughness, and stickiness of puddled soil material; and the manner in which the soil material behaves when subject to compression. Terms describing consistence are defined in the "Soil Survey Manual."

**Control section.** The part of the soil on which classification is based. The thickness varies among different kinds of soil, but for many it is that part of the soil profile between depths of 10 inches and 40 or 80 inches.

**Corrosion.** Soil-induced electrochemical or chemical action that dissolves or weakens concrete or uncoated steel.

**Cover crop.** A close-growing crop grown primarily to improve and protect the soil between periods of regular crop production, or a crop grown between trees and vines in orchards and vineyards.

**Crop residue management.** Returning crop residue to the soil, which helps to maintain soil structure, organic matter content, and fertility and helps to control erosion.

**Cropping system.** Growing crops according to a planned system of rotation and management practices.

**Culmination of the mean annual increment (CMAI).** The average annual increase per acre in the volume of a stand. Computed by dividing the total volume of the stand by its age. As the stand increases in age, the mean annual increment continues to increase until mortality begins to reduce the rate of increase. The point where the stand reaches its maximum annual rate of growth is called the culmination of the mean annual increment.

**Cutbanks cave** (in tables). The walls of excavations tend to cave in or slough.

**Deferred grazing.** Postponing grazing or resting grazing land for a prescribed period.

**Depression.** A relatively sunken, low area surrounded by higher ground. Unlike an open depression, a closed depression has no natural outlet for surface water.

**Depth, soil.** Generally, the thickness of the soil over bedrock. Very deep soils are more than 60 inches deep over bedrock; deep soils, 40 to 60 inches; moderately deep, 20 to 40 inches; shallow, 10 to 20 inches; and very shallow, less than 10 inches.

**Diversion (or diversion terrace).** A ridge of earth, generally a terrace, built to protect downslope areas by diverting runoff from its natural course.

**Drainage class** (natural). Refers to the frequency and duration of wet periods under conditions similar to those under which the soil formed. Alterations of the water regime by human activities, either through drainage or irrigation, are not a consideration unless they have significantly changed the morphology of the soil. Seven classes of natural soil drainage are recognized—*excessively drained, somewhat excessively drained, well drained, moderately well drained, somewhat poorly drained, poorly drained, and very poorly drained*. These classes are defined in the "Soil Survey Manual."

**Drainage, surface.** Runoff, or surface flow of water, from an area.

**Drainageway.** A relatively small, linear depression that at some time moves concentrated water and either has no defined channel or has a small defined channel.

**Eluviation.** The movement of material in true solution or colloidal suspension from one place to another within the soil. Soil horizons that have lost material through eluviation are eluvial; those that have received material are illuvial.

**End moraine.** A ridgelike accumulation produced at the outer margin of an actively flowing glacier at any given time.

**Endosaturation.** A type of saturation of the soil in which all horizons between the upper boundary of saturation and a depth of 2 meters are saturated.

**Eolian soil material.** Earthy parent material accumulated through wind action; commonly refers to sandy material in dunes or to loess in blankets on the surface.

**Ephemeral stream.** A stream, or reach of a stream, that flows only in direct response to precipitation. It receives no long-continued supply from melting snow or other source, and its channel is above the water table at all times.

**Episaturation.** A type of saturation indicating a perched water table in a soil in which saturated layers are underlain by one or more unsaturated layers within 2 meters of the surface.

**Erosion.** The wearing away of the land surface by water, wind, ice, or other geologic agents and by such processes as gravitational creep.

*Erosion* (geologic). Erosion caused by geologic processes acting over long geologic periods and resulting in the wearing away of mountains and the building up of such landscape features as flood plains and coastal plains. Synonym: natural erosion.

*Erosion* (accelerated). Erosion much more rapid than geologic erosion, mainly as a result of human or animal activities or of a catastrophe in nature, such as a fire, that exposes the surface.

**Escarpment.** A relatively continuous and steep slope or cliff breaking the general continuity of more gently sloping land surfaces and resulting from erosion or faulting. Synonym: scarp.

**Fan terrace.** A relict alluvial fan, no longer a site of active deposition, incised by younger and lower alluvial surfaces.

**Fertility, soil.** The quality that enables a soil to provide plant nutrients, in adequate amounts and in proper balance, for the growth of specified plants when light, moisture, temperature, tilth, and other growth factors are favorable.

**Field moisture capacity.** The moisture content of a soil, expressed as a percentage of the oven-dry weight, after the gravitational, or free, water has drained away; the field moisture content 2 or 3 days after a soaking rain; also called *normal field capacity*, *normal moisture capacity*, or *capillary capacity*.

**Fine textured soil.** Sandy clay, silty clay, or clay.

**First bottom.** The normal flood plain of a stream, subject to frequent or occasional flooding.

**Flood plain.** A nearly level alluvial plain that borders a stream and is subject to flooding unless protected artificially.

**Footslope.** The position that forms the inner, gently inclined surface at the base of a hillslope. In profile, footslopes are commonly concave. A footslope is a transition zone between upslope sites of erosion and transport (shoulders and backslopes) and downslope sites of deposition (toeslopes).

**Forb.** Any herbaceous plant not a grass or a sedge.

**Forest cover.** All trees and other woody plants (underbrush) covering the ground in a forest.

**Forest habitat type.** An association of dominant tree and ground flora species in a climax community.

**Forest type.** A stand of trees similar in composition and development because of given physical and biological factors by which it may be differentiated from other stands.

**Genesis, soil.** The mode of origin of the soil. Refers especially to the processes or soil-forming factors

responsible for the formation of the solum, or true soil, from the unconsolidated parent material.

**Geomorphology.** The science that treats the general configuration of the earth's surface; specifically, the study of the classification, description, nature, origin, and development of landforms and their relationships to underlying structures and the history of geologic changes as recorded by these surface features. The term is especially applied to the genetic interpretation of landforms.

**Glacial drift.** Pulverized and other rock material transported by glacial ice and then deposited. Also, the sorted and unsorted material deposited by streams flowing from glaciers.

**Glacial outwash.** Gravel, sand, and silt, commonly stratified, deposited by glacial meltwater.

**Glacial till.** Unsorted, nonstratified glacial drift consisting of clay, silt, sand, and boulders transported and deposited by glacial ice.

**Glaciofluvial deposits.** Material moved by glaciers and subsequently sorted and deposited by streams flowing from the melting ice. The deposits are stratified and occur as kames, eskers, deltas, and outwash plains.

**Gleyed soil.** Soil that formed under poor drainage, resulting in the reduction of iron and other elements in the profile and in gray colors.

**Grassed waterway.** A natural or constructed waterway, typically broad and shallow, seeded to grass as protection against erosion. Conducts surface water away from cropland.

**Gravel.** Rounded or angular fragments of rock as much as 3 inches (2 millimeters to 7.6 centimeters) in diameter. An individual piece is a pebble.

**Gravelly soil material.** Material that has 15 to 35 percent, by volume, rounded or angular rock fragments, not prominently flattened, as much as 3 inches (7.6 centimeters) in diameter.

**Green manure crop** (agronomy). A soil-improving crop grown to be plowed under in an early stage of maturity or soon after maturity.

**Ground moraine.** An extensive, fairly even layer of till having an uneven or undulating surface; a deposit of rock and mineral debris dragged along in, on, or beneath a glacier.

**Ground water.** Water filling all the unblocked pores of the material below the water table.

**Gully.** A miniature valley with steep sides cut by running water and through which water ordinarily runs only after rainfall. The distinction between a gully and a rill is one of depth. A gully generally is an obstacle to farm machinery and is too deep to

be obliterated by ordinary tillage; a rill is of lesser depth and can be smoothed over by ordinary tillage.

**Hard bedrock.** Bedrock that cannot be excavated except by blasting or by the use of special equipment that is not commonly used in construction.

**Hard to reclaim** (in tables). Reclamation is difficult after the removal of soil for construction and other uses. Revegetation and erosion control are extremely difficult.

**Head slope.** A geomorphic component of hills consisting of a laterally concave area of a hillside, especially at the head of a drainageway. The overland waterflow is converging.

**High-chroma zones.** Zones having a chroma of 3 or more. Typical color in areas of iron concentrations.

**High-residue crops.** Such crops as small grain and corn used for grain. If properly managed, residue from these crops can be used to control erosion until the next crop in the rotation is established. These crops return large amounts of organic matter to the soil.

**Hill.** A natural elevation of the land surface, rising as much as 1,000 feet above surrounding lowlands, commonly of limited summit area and having a well defined outline; hillsides generally have slopes of more than 15 percent. The distinction between a hill and a mountain is arbitrary and is dependent on local usage.

**Horizon, soil.** A layer of soil, approximately parallel to the surface, having distinct characteristics produced by soil-forming processes. In the identification of soil horizons, an uppercase letter represents the major horizons. Numbers or lowercase letters that follow represent subdivisions of the major horizons. An explanation of the subdivisions is given in the "Soil Survey Manual." The major horizons of mineral soil are as follows:

*O horizon.*—An organic layer of fresh and decaying plant residue.

*A horizon.*—The mineral horizon at or near the surface in which an accumulation of humified organic matter is mixed with the mineral material. Also, a plowed surface horizon, most of which was originally part of a B horizon.

*E horizon.*—The mineral horizon in which the main feature is loss of silicate clay, iron, aluminum, or some combination of these.

*B horizon.*—The mineral horizon below an A horizon. The B horizon is in part a layer of transition from the overlying A to the underlying C horizon. The B horizon also has distinctive

characteristics, such as (1) accumulation of clay, sesquioxides, humus, or a combination of these; (2) prismatic or blocky structure; (3) redder or browner colors than those in the A horizon; or (4) a combination of these.

*C horizon.*—The mineral horizon or layer, excluding indurated bedrock, that is little affected by soil-forming processes and does not have the properties typical of the overlying soil material. The material of a C horizon may be either like or unlike that in which the solum formed. If the material is known to differ from that in the solum, an Arabic numeral, commonly a 2, precedes the letter C.

*Cr horizon.*—Soft, consolidated bedrock beneath the soil.

*R layer.*—Consolidated bedrock beneath the soil. The bedrock commonly underlies a C horizon, but it can be directly below an A or a B horizon.

**Humus.** The well decomposed, more or less stable part of the organic matter in mineral soils.

**Hydrologic soil groups.** Refers to soils grouped according to their runoff potential. The soil properties that influence this potential are those that affect the minimum rate of water infiltration on a bare soil during periods after prolonged wetting when the soil is not frozen. These properties are depth to a seasonal high water table, the infiltration rate and permeability after prolonged wetting, and depth to a very slowly permeable layer. The slope and the kind of plant cover are not considered but are separate factors in predicting runoff.

**Illuviation.** The movement of soil material from one horizon to another in the soil profile. Generally, material is removed from an upper horizon and deposited in a lower horizon.

**Impervious soil.** A soil through which water, air, or roots penetrate slowly or not at all. No soil is absolutely impervious to air and water all the time.

**Infiltration.** The downward entry of water into the immediate surface of soil or other material, as contrasted with percolation, which is movement of water through soil layers or material.

**Infiltration rate.** The rate at which water penetrates the surface of the soil at any given instant, usually expressed in inches per hour. The rate can be limited by the infiltration capacity of the soil or the rate at which water is applied at the surface.

**Intake rate.** The average rate of water entering the soil under irrigation. Most soils have a fast initial rate; the rate decreases with application time. Therefore, intake rate for design purposes is not a constant but is a variable depending on the net

irrigation application. The rate of water intake, in inches per hour, is expressed as follows:

Less than 0.2 .....	very low
0.2 to 0.4 .....	low
0.4 to 0.75 .....	moderately low
0.75 to 1.25 .....	moderate
1.25 to 1.75 .....	moderately high
1.75 to 2.5 .....	high
More than 2.5 .....	very high

**Interfluve.** An elevated area between two drainageways that sheds water to those drainageways.

**Intermittent stream.** A stream, or reach of a stream, that flows for prolonged periods only when it receives ground-water discharge or long, continued contributions from melting snow or other surface and shallow subsurface sources.

**Iron concentrations.** High-chroma zones having a high content of iron and manganese oxide because of chemical oxidation and accumulation, but having a clay content similar to that of the adjacent matrix. A type of redoximorphic concentration.

**Iron depletions.** Low-chroma zones having a low content of iron and manganese oxide because of chemical reduction and removal, but having a clay content similar to that of the adjacent matrix. A type of redoximorphic depletion.

**Knoll.** A small, low, rounded hill rising above adjacent landforms.

**Krotovinas.** Irregular, tubular streaks in a soil horizon that are created when tunnels made by a burrowing animal are filled with material from another horizon.

**$K_{sat}$ .** Saturated hydraulic conductivity. (See Permeability.)

**Lamella.** A thin (commonly less than 1 centimeter thick), discontinuous or continuous, generally horizontal layer of fine material (especially clay and iron oxides) that has been pedogenically concentrated (illuviated within a coarser textured eluviated layer several centimeters to several decimeters thick).

**Landslide.** The rapid downhill movement of a mass of soil and loose rock, generally when wet or saturated. The speed and distance of movement, as well as the amount of soil and rock material, vary greatly.

**Large stones** (in tables). Rock fragments 3 inches (7.6 centimeters) or more across. Large stones adversely affect the specified use of the soil.

**Leaching.** The removal of soluble material from soil or other material by percolating water.

**Linear extensibility.** Refers to the change in length of

an unconfined clod as moisture content is decreased from a moist to a dry state. Linear extensibility is used to determine the shrink-swell potential of soils. It is an expression of the volume change between the water content of the clod at  $1/3$ - or  $1/10$ -bar tension (33kPa or 10kPa tension) and oven dryness. Volume change is influenced by the amount and type of clay minerals in the soil. The volume change is the percent change for the whole soil. If it is expressed as a fraction, the resulting value is COLE, coefficient of linear extensibility.

**Liquid limit.** The moisture content at which the soil passes from a plastic to a liquid state.

**Loam.** Soil material that is 7 to 27 percent clay particles, 28 to 50 percent silt particles, and less than 52 percent sand particles.

**Loess.** Fine grained material, dominantly of silt-sized particles, deposited by wind.

**Low strength.** The soil is not strong enough to support loads.

**Low-chroma zones.** Zones having chroma of 2 or less. Typical color in areas of iron depletions.

**Low-residue crops.** Such crops as corn used for silage, peas, beans, and potatoes. Residue from these crops is not adequate to control erosion until the next crop in the rotation is established. These crops return little organic matter to the soil.

**MAP.** Mean annual precipitation, expressed in inches.

**Masses.** Concentrations of substances in the soil matrix that do not have a clearly defined boundary with the surrounding soil material and cannot be removed as a discrete unit. Common compounds making up masses are calcium carbonate, gypsum or other soluble salts, iron oxide, and manganese oxide. Masses consisting of iron oxide or manganese oxide generally are considered a type of redoximorphic concentration.

**Mechanical treatment.** Use of mechanical equipment for seeding, brush management, and other management practices.

**Medium textured soil.** Very fine sandy loam, loam, silt loam, or silt.

**Metamorphic rock.** Rock of any origin altered in mineralogical composition, chemical composition, or structure by heat, pressure, and movement. Nearly all such rocks are crystalline.

**Mineral soil.** Soil that is mainly mineral material and low in organic material. Its bulk density is more than that of organic soil.

**Minimum tillage.** Only the tillage essential to crop production and prevention of soil damage.

**Miscellaneous area.** An area that has little or no natural soil and supports little or no vegetation.

**Moderately coarse textured soil.** Coarse sandy loam, sandy loam, or fine sandy loam.

**Moderately fine textured soil.** Clay loam, sandy clay loam, or silty clay loam.

**Mollic epipedon.** A thick, dark, humus-rich surface horizon (or horizons) that has high base saturation and pedogenic soil structure. It may include the upper part of the subsoil.

**Moraine.** An accumulation of earth, stones, and other debris deposited by a glacier. Some types are terminal, lateral, medial, and ground.

**Morphology, soil.** The physical makeup of the soil, including the texture, structure, porosity, consistence, color, and other physical, mineral, and biological properties of the various horizons, and the thickness and arrangement of those horizons in the soil profile.

**Mottling, soil.** Irregular spots of different colors that vary in number and size. Descriptive terms are as follows: abundance—*few*, *common*, and *many*; size—*fine*, *medium*, and *coarse*; and contrast—*faint*, *distinct*, and *prominent*. The size measurements are of the diameter along the greatest dimension. *Fine* indicates less than 5 millimeters (about 0.2 inch); *medium*, from 5 to 15 millimeters (about 0.2 to 0.6 inch); and *coarse*, more than 15 millimeters (about 0.6 inch).

**Munsell notation.** A designation of color by degrees of three simple variables—hue, value, and chroma. For example, a notation of 10YR 6/4 is a color with hue of 10YR, value of 6, and chroma of 4.

**Natric horizon.** A special kind of argillic horizon that contains enough exchangeable sodium to have an adverse effect on the physical condition of the subsoil.

**Neutral soil.** A soil having a pH value of 6.6 to 7.3. (See Reaction, soil.)

**Nodules.** Cemented bodies lacking visible internal structure. Calcium carbonate, iron oxide, and manganese oxide are common compounds making up nodules. If formed in place, nodules of iron oxide or manganese oxide are considered types of redoximorphic concentrations.

**Nose slope.** A geomorphic component of hills consisting of the projecting end (laterally convex area) of a hillside. The overland waterflow is predominantly divergent.

**Nutrient, plant.** Any element taken in by a plant essential to its growth. Plant nutrients are mainly nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium, calcium, magnesium, sulfur, iron, manganese, copper, boron, and zinc obtained from the soil and carbon,

hydrogen, and oxygen obtained from the air and water.

**Organic matter.** Plant and animal residue in the soil in various stages of decomposition. The content of organic matter in the surface layer is described as follows:

Very low .....	less than 0.5 percent
Low .....	0.5 to 1.0 percent
Moderately low .....	1.0 to 2.0 percent
Moderate .....	2.0 to 4.0 percent
High .....	4.0 to 8.0 percent
Very high .....	more than 8.0 percent

**Outwash plain.** A landform of mainly sandy or coarse textured material of glaciofluvial origin. An outwash plain is commonly smooth; where pitted, it generally is low in relief.

**Parent material.** The unconsolidated organic and mineral material in which soil forms.

**Ped.** An individual natural soil aggregate, such as a granule, a prism, or a block.

**Pedisediment.** A thin layer of alluvial material that mantles an erosion surface and has been transported to its present position from higher lying areas of the erosion surface.

**Pedon.** The smallest volume that can be called “a soil.” A pedon is three dimensional and large enough to permit study of all horizons. Its area ranges from about 10 to 100 square feet (1 square meter to 10 square meters), depending on the variability of the soil.

**Percolation.** The movement of water through the soil.

**Permeability.** The quality of the soil that enables water or air to move downward through the profile. The rate at which a saturated soil transmits water is accepted as a measure of this quality. In soil physics, the rate is referred to as “saturated hydraulic conductivity,” which is defined in the “Soil Survey Manual.” In line with conventional usage in the engineering profession and with traditional usage in published soil surveys, this rate of flow continues to be expressed as “permeability.” Terms describing permeability, measured in inches per hour, are as follows:

Impermeable .....	less than 0.0015 inch
Very slow .....	0.0015 to 0.06 inch
Slow .....	0.06 to 0.2 inch
Moderately slow .....	0.2 to 0.6 inch
Moderate .....	0.6 inch to 2.0 inches
Moderately rapid .....	2.0 to 6.0 inches
Rapid .....	6.0 to 20 inches
Very rapid .....	more than 20 inches

**pH value.** A numerical designation of acidity and alkalinity in soil. (See Reaction, soil.)

**Phase, soil.** A subdivision of a soil series based on features that affect its use and management, such as slope, stoniness, and flooding.

**Piping** (in tables). Formation of subsurface tunnels or pipelike cavities by water moving through the soil.

**Plasticity index.** The numerical difference between the liquid limit and the plastic limit; the range of moisture content within which the soil remains plastic.

**Plastic limit.** The moisture content at which a soil changes from semisolid to plastic.

**Plowpan.** A compacted layer formed in the soil directly below the plowed layer.

**Ponding.** Standing water on soils in closed depressions. Unless the soils are artificially drained, the water can be removed only by percolation or evapotranspiration.

**Poorly graded.** Refers to a coarse grained soil or soil material consisting mainly of particles of nearly the same size. Because there is little difference in size of the particles, density can be increased only slightly by compaction.

**Potential native plant community.** See Climax plant community.

**Potential rooting depth (effective rooting depth).** Depth to which roots could penetrate if the content of moisture in the soil were adequate. The soil has no properties restricting the penetration of roots to this depth.

**Prescribed burning.** Deliberately burning an area for specific management purposes, under the appropriate conditions of weather and soil moisture and at the proper time of day.

**Productivity, soil.** The capability of a soil for producing a specified plant or sequence of plants under specific management.

**Profile, soil.** A vertical section of the soil extending through all its horizons and into the parent material.

**Proper grazing use.** Grazing at an intensity that maintains enough cover to protect the soil and maintain or improve the quantity and quality of the desirable vegetation. This practice increases the vigor and reproduction capacity of the key plants and promotes the accumulation of litter and mulch necessary to conserve soil and water.

**Reaction, soil.** A measure of acidity or alkalinity of a soil, expressed in pH values. A soil that tests to pH 7.0 is described as precisely neutral in reaction because it is neither acid nor alkaline. The degrees of acidity or alkalinity, expressed as pH values, are:

Ultra acid .....	less than 3.5
Extremely acid .....	3.5 to 4.4
Very strongly acid .....	4.5 to 5.0
Strongly acid .....	5.1 to 5.5
Moderately acid .....	5.6 to 6.0
Slightly acid .....	6.1 to 6.5
Neutral .....	6.6 to 7.3
Slightly alkaline .....	7.4 to 7.8
Moderately alkaline .....	7.9 to 8.4
Strongly alkaline .....	8.5 to 9.0
Very strongly alkaline .....	9.1 and higher

**Redoximorphic concentrations.** Nodules, concretions, soft masses, pore linings, and other features resulting from the accumulation of iron or manganese oxide. An indication of chemical reduction and oxidation resulting from saturation.

**Redoximorphic depletions.** Low-chroma zones from which iron and manganese oxide or a combination of iron and manganese oxide and clay has been removed. These zones are indications of the chemical reduction of iron resulting from saturation.

**Redoximorphic features.** Redoximorphic concentrations, redoximorphic depletions, reduced matrices, a positive reaction to alpha,alpha-dipyridyl, and other features indicating the chemical reduction and oxidation of iron and manganese compounds resulting from saturation.

**Reduced matrix.** A soil matrix that has low chroma in situ because of chemically reduced iron (Fe II). The chemical reduction results from nearly continuous wetness. The matrix undergoes a change in hue or chroma within 30 minutes after exposure to air as the iron is oxidized (Fe III). A type of redoximorphic feature.

**Regolith.** The unconsolidated mantle of weathered rock and soil material on the earth's surface; the loose earth material above the solid rock.

**Relief.** The elevations or inequalities of a land surface, considered collectively.

**Residuum (residual soil material).** Unconsolidated, weathered or partly weathered mineral material that accumulated as consolidated rock disintegrated in place.

**Rill.** A steep-sided channel resulting from accelerated erosion. A rill generally is a few inches deep and not wide enough to be an obstacle to farm machinery.

**Rise.** A slight increase in elevation of the land surface, typically with a broad summit and gently sloping sides.

**Riser.** The relatively short, steeply sloping area below a terrace tread that grades to a lower terrace tread or a base level.

- Road cut.** A sloping surface produced by mechanical means during road construction. It is commonly on the uphill side of the road.
- Rock fragments.** Rock or mineral fragments having a diameter of 2 millimeters or more; for example, pebbles, cobbles, stones, and boulders.
- Rock outcrop.** Exposures of bare bedrock other than rock-lined pits.
- Root zone.** The part of the soil that can be penetrated by plant roots.
- Runoff.** The precipitation discharged into stream channels from an area. The water that flows off the surface of the land without sinking into the soil is called surface runoff. Water that enters the soil before reaching surface streams is called ground-water runoff or seepage flow from ground water.
- Sand.** As a soil separate, individual rock or mineral fragments from 0.05 millimeter to 2.0 millimeters in diameter. Most sand grains consist of quartz. As a soil textural class, a soil that is 85 percent or more sand and not more than 10 percent clay.
- Sandstone.** Sedimentary rock containing dominantly sand-sized particles.
- Saturation.** Wetness characterized by zero or positive pressure of the soil water. Under conditions of saturation, the water will flow from the soil matrix into an unlined auger hole.
- Sawtimber.** Hardwood trees more than 11 inches and conifers more than 9 inches in diameter at breast height.
- Second bottom.** The first terrace above the normal flood plain (or first bottom) of a river.
- Sedimentary rock.** Rock made up of particles deposited from suspension in water. The chief kinds of sedimentary rock are conglomerate, formed from gravel; sandstone, formed from sand; shale, formed from clay; and limestone, formed from soft masses of calcium carbonate. There are many intermediate types. Some wind-deposited sand is consolidated into sandstone.
- Sequum.** A sequence consisting of an illuvial horizon and the overlying eluvial horizon. (See Eluviation.)
- Series, soil.** A group of soils that have profiles that are almost alike, except for differences in texture of the surface layer. All the soils of a series have horizons that are similar in composition, thickness, and arrangement.
- Shale.** Sedimentary rock formed by the hardening of a clay deposit.
- Sheet erosion.** The removal of a fairly uniform layer of soil material from the land surface by the action of rainfall and surface runoff.
- Shoulder.** The position that forms the uppermost inclined surface near the top of a hillslope. It is a transition from backslope to summit. The surface is dominantly convex in profile and erosional in origin.
- Shrink-swell** (in tables). The shrinking of soil when dry and the swelling when wet. Shrinking and swelling can damage roads, dams, building foundations, and other structures. It can also damage plant roots.
- Side slope.** A geomorphic component of hills consisting of a laterally planar area of a hillside. The overland waterflow is predominantly parallel.
- Silica.** A combination of silicon and oxygen. The mineral form is called quartz.
- Silt.** As a soil separate, individual mineral particles that range in diameter from the upper limit of clay (0.002 millimeter) to the lower limit of very fine sand (0.05 millimeter). As a soil textural class, soil that is 80 percent or more silt and less than 12 percent clay.
- Siltstone.** Sedimentary rock made up of dominantly silt-sized particles.
- Similar soils.** Soils that share limits of diagnostic criteria, behave and perform in a similar manner, and have similar conservation needs or management requirements for the major land uses in the survey area.
- Site index.** A designation of the quality of a forest site based on the height of the dominant stand at an arbitrarily chosen age. For example, if the average height attained by dominant and codominant trees in a fully stocked stand at the age of 50 years is 75 feet, the site index is 75.
- Slick spot.** A small area of soil having a puddled, crusted, or smooth surface and an excess of exchangeable sodium. The soil generally is silty or clayey, is slippery when wet, and is low in productivity.
- Slickensides.** Polished and grooved surfaces produced by one mass sliding past another. In soils, slickensides may occur at the bases of slip surfaces on the steeper slopes; on faces of blocks, prisms, and columns; and in swelling clayey soils, where there is marked change in moisture content.
- Slope.** The inclination of the land surface from the horizontal. Percentage of slope is the vertical distance divided by horizontal distance, then multiplied by 100. Thus, a slope of 20 percent is a drop of 20 feet in 100 feet of horizontal distance.
- Slow refill** (in tables). The slow filling of ponds, resulting from restricted permeability in the soil.
- Soft bedrock.** Bedrock that can be excavated with trenching machines, backhoes, small rippers,

and other equipment commonly used in construction.

**Soil.** A natural, three-dimensional body at the earth's surface. It is capable of supporting plants and has properties resulting from the integrated effect of climate and living matter acting on earthy parent material, as conditioned by relief over periods of time.

**Soil separates.** Mineral particles less than 2 millimeters in equivalent diameter and ranging between specified size limits. The names and sizes, in millimeters, of separates recognized in the United States are as follows:

Very coarse sand .....	2.0 to 1.0
Coarse sand .....	1.0 to 0.5
Medium sand .....	0.5 to 0.25
Fine sand .....	0.25 to 0.10
Very fine sand .....	0.10 to 0.05
Silt .....	0.05 to 0.002
Clay .....	less than 0.002

**Solum.** The upper part of a soil profile, above the C horizon, in which the processes of soil formation are active. The solum in soil consists of the A, E, and B horizons. Generally, the characteristics of the material in these horizons are unlike those of the material below the solum. The living roots and plant and animal activities are largely confined to the solum.

**Stone line.** A concentration of coarse fragments in a soil. Generally, it is indicative of an old weathered surface. In a cross section, the line may be one fragment or more thick. It generally overlies material that weathered in place and is overlain by recent sediment of variable thickness.

**Stones.** Rock fragments 10 to 24 inches (25 to 60 centimeters) in diameter if rounded or 15 to 24 inches (38 to 60 centimeters) in length if flat.

**Stony.** Refers to a soil containing stones in numbers that interfere with or prevent tillage.

**Steam terrace.** One of a series of platforms in a stream valley, flanking and more or less parallel to the stream channel. It is originally formed near the level of the stream and consists of the dissected remnants of an abandoned flood plain, streambed, or valley floor that were produced during a former stage of erosion or deposition.

**Structure, soil.** The arrangement of primary soil particles into compound particles or aggregates. The principal forms of soil structure are—*platy* (laminated), *prismatic* (vertical axis of aggregates longer than horizontal), *columnar* (prisms with rounded tops), *blocky* (angular or subangular), and *granular*. *Structureless* soils are either *single*

*grain* (each grain by itself, as in dune sand) or *massive* (the particles adhering without any regular cleavage, as in many hardpans).

**Stubble mulch.** Stubble or other crop residue left on the soil or partly worked into the soil. It protects the soil from wind erosion and water erosion after harvest, during preparation of a seedbed for the next crop, and during the early growing period of the new crop.

**Subsoil.** Technically, the B horizon; roughly, the part of the solum below plow depth.

**Subsoiling.** Tilling a soil below normal plow depth, ordinarily to shatter a hardpan or claypan.

**Substratum.** The part of the soil below the solum.

**Subsurface layer.** Any surface soil horizon (A, E, AB, or EB) below the surface layer.

**Summit.** The topographically highest position of a hillslope. It has a nearly level (planar or only slightly convex) surface.

**Surface layer.** The soil ordinarily moved in tillage, or its equivalent in uncultivated soil, ranging in depth from 4 to 10 inches (10 to 25 centimeters). Frequently designated as the “plow layer,” or the “Ap horizon.”

**Surface soil.** The A, E, AB, and EB horizons, considered collectively. It includes all subdivisions of these horizons.

**Swale.** A slight depression in the midst of generally level land. On an undulating ground moraine, a shallow depression resulting from uneven glacial deposition.

**Taxadjuncts.** Soils that cannot be classified in a series recognized in the classification system. Such soils are named for a series they strongly resemble and are designated as taxadjuncts to that series because they differ in ways too small to be of consequence in interpreting their use and behavior. Soils are recognized as taxadjuncts only when one or more of their characteristics are slightly outside the range defined for the family of the series for which the soils are named.

**Terminal moraine.** A belt of thick glacial drift that generally marks the termination of important glacial advances.

**Terrace.** An embankment, or ridge, constructed across sloping soils on the contour or at a slight angle to the contour. The terrace intercepts surface runoff so that water soaks into the soil or flows slowly to a prepared outlet. A terrace in a field generally is built so that the field can be farmed. A terrace intended mainly for drainage has a deep channel that is maintained in permanent sod.

**Terrace** (geologic). An old alluvial plain, ordinarily flat or undulating, bordering a river, a lake, or the sea.

**Texture, soil.** The relative proportions of sand, silt, and clay particles in a mass of soil. The basic textural classes, in order of increasing proportion of fine particles, are *sand, loamy sand, sandy loam, loam, silt loam, silt, sandy clay loam, clay loam, silty clay loam, sandy clay, silty clay, and clay*. The sand, loamy sand, and sandy loam classes may be further divided by specifying "coarse," "fine," or "very fine."

**Thin layer** (in tables). Otherwise suitable soil material that is too thin for the specified use.

**Till.** Unsorted, nonstratified glacial drift consisting of clay, silt, sand, and boulders transported and deposited by glacial ice.

**Till plain.** An extensive area of nearly level to undulating soils underlain by glacial till.

**Tilth, soil.** The physical condition of the soil as related to tillage, seedbed preparation, seedling emergence, and root penetration.

**Toeslope.** The position that forms the gently inclined surface at the base of a hillslope. Toeslopes in profile are commonly gentle and linear and are constructional surfaces forming the lower part of a hillslope continuum that grades to valley or closed-depression floors.

**Topsoil.** The upper part of the soil, which is the most favorable material for plant growth. It is ordinarily rich in organic matter and is used to topdress roadbanks, lawns, and land affected by mining.

**Trace elements.** Chemical elements, for example, zinc, cobalt, manganese, copper, and iron, in soils in extremely small amounts. They are essential to plant growth.

**Tread.** The relatively flat terrace surface that was cut or built by stream or wave action.

**Upland.** Land at a higher elevation, in general, than the alluvial plain or stream terrace; land above the lowlands along streams.

**Valley fill.** In glaciated regions, material deposited in stream valleys by glacial meltwater. In nonglaciated regions, alluvium deposited by heavily loaded streams.

**Variation.** Refers to patterns of contrasting colors assumed to be inherited from the parent material rather than to be the result of poor drainage.

**Water bars.** Smooth, shallow ditches or depressional areas that are excavated at an angle across a sloping road. They are used to reduce the downward velocity of water and divert it off and away from the road surface. Water bars can easily be driven over if constructed properly.

**Weathering.** All physical and chemical changes produced in rocks or other deposits at or near the earth's surface by atmospheric agents. These changes result in disintegration and decomposition of the material.

**Well graded.** Refers to soil material consisting of coarse grained particles that are well distributed over a wide range in size or diameter. Such soil normally can be easily increased in density and bearing properties by compaction. Contrasts with poorly graded soil.

**Wilting point (or permanent wilting point).** The moisture content of soil, on an oven-dry basis, at which a plant (specifically a sunflower) wilts so much that it does not recover when placed in a humid, dark chamber.

**Windthrow.** The uprooting and tipping over of trees by the wind.



# Tables

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Table 1.--Temperature and Precipitation  
(Recorded in the period 1970-1999 at Moweaqua, Illinois)

Month	Temperature						Precipitation				
	Average daily maximum	Average daily minimum	Average daily	2 years in 10 will have--		Average number of growing degree days*	Average	2 years in 10 will have--		Average number of days with 0.10 inch or more	Average snowfall
				Maximum temperature higher than--	Minimum temperature lower than--			Less than--	More than--		
°F	°F	°F	°F	°F	Units	In	In	In	In	In	
January-----	34.0	16.8	25.4	63	-15	1	1.67	0.49	2.74	3	4.3
February-----	40.02	21.3	30.8	68	-11	5	1.88	.73	2.85	4	3.0
March-----	52.2	31.3	41.8	81	4	49	2.83	1.53	3.98	6	.9
April-----	64.7	41.1	52.9	86	22	162	3.93	1.90	5.69	7	.1
May-----	75.4	51.6	63.5	91	33	421	4.20	2.27	5.89	7	.0
June-----	84.0	60.7	72.4	97	43	673	4.21	2.22	5.96	6	.0
July-----	87.4	64.4	75.9	99	50	800	4.02	2.14	5.68	6	.0
August-----	85.5	61.9	73.7	98	47	735	3.33	1.48	4.91	5	.0
September---	79.9	54.3	67.1	96	33	515	2.99	1.23	4.47	4	.0
October-----	67.9	43.1	55.5	87	23	217	2.81	1.62	3.88	5	.0
November----	52.1	33.1	42.6	75	11	46	3.57	1.81	5.11	6	.5
December----	39.8	22.8	31.3	67	-8	8	2.09	.79	3.18	4	1.4
Yearly:											
Average---	63.6	41.9	52.7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Extreme---	104	-26	---	100	-18	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total-----	---	---	---	---	---	3,632	37.53	29.22	42.67	63	10.2

\* A growing degree day is a unit of heat available for plant growth. It can be calculated by adding the maximum and minimum daily temperatures, dividing the sum by 2, and subtracting the temperature below which growth is minimal for the principal crops in the area (50 degrees F).

Table 2.--Freeze Dates in Spring and Fall  
(Recorded in the period 1970-1999 at Moweaqua, Illinois)

Probability	Temperature		
	24 °F or lower	28 °F or lower	32 °F or lower
Last freezing temperature in spring:			
1 year in 10 later than-----	April 12	April 18	April 30
2 years in 10 later than-----	April 7	April 13	April 26
5 years in 10 later than-----	March 28	April 5	April 18
First freezing temperature in fall:			
1 year in 10 earlier than---	Oct. 17	Oct. 8	Sept. 22
2 years in 10 earlier than---	Oct. 24	Oct. 14	Sept. 28
5 years in 10 earlier than---	Nov. 6	Oct. 26	Oct. 7

Table 3.--Growing Season  
(Recorded in the period 1970-1999 at Moweaqua, Illinois)

Probability	Daily minimum temperature during growing season		
	Higher than 24 °F	Higher than 28 °F	Higher than 32 °F
	<i>Days</i>	<i>Days</i>	<i>Days</i>
9 years in 10	197	179	156
8 years in 10	206	187	162
5 years in 10	223	203	173
2 years in 10	240	219	183
1 year in 10	248	227	189

Table 4.--Classification of the Soils

(An asterisk in the first column indicates a taxadjunct to the series. See text for a description of those characteristics that are outside the range of the series.)

Soil name	Family or higher taxonomic class
Alvin-----	Coarse-loamy, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Hapludalfs
*Assumption-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Oxyaquic Argiudolls
Atlas-----	Fine, smectitic, mesic Aeric Chromic Vertic Epiaqualfs
Biddle-----	Fine, smectitic, mesic Aquic Argiudolls
Blackberry-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Oxyaquic Argiudolls
Broadwell-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiudolls
Brooklyn-----	Fine, smectitic, mesic Vertic Albaqualfs
Buckhart-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Oxyaquic Argiudolls
Bunkum-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aquic Hapludalfs
Camden-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Hapludalfs
Clarksdale-----	Fine, smectitic, mesic Udollic Endoaqualfs
*Coatsburg-----	Fine, smectitic, mesic Vertic Argiaquolls
Coulterville-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aeric Epiaqualfs
Cowden-----	Fine, smectitic, mesic Mollic Albaqualfs
Darmstadt-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Albic Natraqualfs
Denny-----	Fine, smectitic, mesic Mollic Albaqualfs
*Douglas-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiudolls
Drummer-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Endoaquolls
Ebbert-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Argiaquic Argialbolls
Edinburg-----	Fine, smectitic, mesic Vertic Argiaquolls
Elburn-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aquic Argiudolls
Elco-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Oxyaquic Hapludalfs
*Elkhart-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiudolls
Greenbush-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Mollic Hapludalfs
*Harrison-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Oxyaquic Argiudolls
Hartsburg-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Endoaquolls
Herrick-----	Fine, smectitic, mesic Aquic Argiudolls
Hickory-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Typic Hapludalfs
Ipava-----	Fine, smectitic, mesic Aquic Argiudolls
Kendall-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Aeric Endoaqualfs
Keomah-----	Fine, smectitic, mesic Aeric Endoaqualfs
Martinsville-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Typic Hapludalfs
Middletown-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Hapludalfs
Oconee-----	Fine, smectitic, mesic Udollic Endoaqualfs
Orthents-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, nonacid, mesic Typic Udorthents
Oско-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiudolls
*Pana-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiudolls
Piasa-----	Fine, smectitic, mesic Mollic Natraqualfs
Proctor-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Argiudolls
Radford-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Fluvaquentic Hapludolls
Ross-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, superactive, mesic Cumulic Hapludolls
Rozetta-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Hapludalfs
Sable-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Endoaquolls
Sawmill-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Cumulic Endoaquolls
Senachwine-----	Fine-loamy, mixed, active, mesic Typic Hapludalfs
Shiloh-----	Fine, smectitic, mesic Cumulic Vertic Endoaquolls
Spaulding-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Typic Calcicquolls
Tice-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Fluvaquentic Hapludolls
Vesser-----	Fine-silty, mixed, superactive, mesic Argiaquic Argialbolls
Virden-----	Fine, smectitic, mesic Vertic Argiaquolls

Table 5.--Acreage and Proportionate Extent of the Soils

Map symbol	Soil name	Acres	Percent
8D2	Hickory loam, 10 to 18 percent slopes, eroded-----	6,669	1.5
8D3	Hickory clay loam, 10 to 18 percent slopes, severely eroded-----	392	*
8F	Hickory silt loam, 18 to 35 percent slopes-----	2,987	0.7
17A	Keomah silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	4,829	1.1
43A	Ipava silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	55,921	12.2
45A	Denny silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	2,644	0.6
46A	Herrick silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	75,007	16.4
48A	Ebbert silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	211	*
50A	Virden silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	80,924	17.7
68A	Sable silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	41,835	9.1
86B	Oscos silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes-----	19,613	4.3
112A	Cowden silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	5,104	1.1
113A	Oconee silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	11,797	2.6
113B	Oconee silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes-----	7,168	1.6
119C2	Elco silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded-----	7,018	1.5
119D2	Elco silt loam, 10 to 18 percent slopes, eroded-----	214	*
127B	Harrison silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes-----	24,624	5.4
127C2	Harrison silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded-----	11	*
128B	Douglas silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes-----	1,669	0.4
128C2	Douglas silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded-----	1,694	0.4
131C2	Alvin fine sandy loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded-----	1,708	0.4
134B	Camden silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes-----	2,520	0.5
134C2	Camden silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded-----	732	0.2
136A	Brooklyn silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	301	*
138A	Shiloh silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	677	0.1
152A	Drummer silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	1,655	0.4
198A	Elburn silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	2,412	0.5
242A	Kendall silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	1,265	0.3
244A	Hartsburg silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	8,162	1.8
249A	Edinburg silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	4,931	1.1
256C2	Pana silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded-----	645	0.1
257A	Clarksdale silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	1,627	0.4
259C2	Assumption silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded-----	3,497	0.8
279B	Rozetta silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes-----	12,913	2.8
474A	Piasa silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	409	*
533	Urban land-----	233	*
536	Dumps, mine-----	860	0.2
567C2	Elkhart silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded-----	196	*
570D2	Martinsville sandy loam, 10 to 18 percent slopes, eroded-----	980	0.2
570F	Martinsville loam, 18 to 35 percent slopes-----	683	0.1
618G	Senachwine loam, 35 to 60 percent slopes-----	402	*
660C2	Coatsburg silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded-----	1,932	0.4
675B	Greenbush silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes-----	3,995	0.9
679B	Blackberry silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes-----	1,534	0.3
684B	Broadwell silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes-----	1,180	0.3
685B	Middletown silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes-----	2,136	0.5
705B	Buckhart silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes-----	5,958	1.3
712A	Spaulding silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	145	*
802B	Orthents, loamy, undulating-----	806	0.2
830	Landfills-----	244	*
835G	Earthen dam-----	9	*
864	Pits, quarries-----	279	*
865	Pits, gravel-----	63	*
882A	Oconee-Darmstadt-Coulterville silt loams, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	5,464	1.2
894A	Herrick-Biddle-Piasa silt loams, 0 to 2 percent slopes-----	1,297	0.3
897C2	Bunkum-Atlas silt loams, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded-----	4,968	1.1
897C3	Bunkum-Atlas silty clay loams, 5 to 10 percent slopes, severely eroded-----	163	*
3073A	Ross silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded-----	412	*
3074A	Radford silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded-----	10,764	2.3
3107A	Sawmill silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded-----	10,988	2.4
3284A	Tice silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded-----	1,838	0.4
7148A	Proctor silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, rarely flooded-----	511	0.1

See footnote at end of table.

Table 5.--Acreage and Proportionate Extent of the Soils--Continued

Map symbol	Soil name	Acres	Percent
7242A	Kendall silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, rarely flooded-----	732	0.2
8396A	Vesser silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, occasionally flooded-----	848	0.2
MW	Miscellaneous water-----	33	*
W	Water-----	4,902	1.1
	Total-----	458,340	100.0

\* Less than 0.1 percent.

Table 6.--Limitations and Hazards Affecting Cropland and Pasture

(See text for a description of the limitations and hazards listed in this table. Miscellaneous map units and map units generally not available for crop or pasture production are excluded from the table. Absence of an entry indicates that the map unit is generally unsuited to crops or pasture.)

Soil name and map symbol	Limitations and hazards affecting cropland	Limitations and hazards affecting pasture
8D2: Hickory-----	Crusting, water erosion	Low pH, water erosion
8D3: Hickory-----	Poor tilth, crusting, water erosion	Poor tilth, low pH, water erosion, low fertility
8F: Hickory-----	---	Equipment limitation, low pH, water erosion
17A: Keomah-----	Wetness, crusting	Wetness, low pH
43A: Ipava-----	Wetness	NA*
45A: Denny-----	Ponding, crusting	NA*
46A: Herrick-----	Wetness	NA*
48A: Ebbert-----	Ponding	NA*
50A: Viriden-----	Ponding, poor tilth	NA*
68A: Sable-----	Ponding, poor tilth	NA*
86B: Osco-----	Water erosion	Low pH
112A: Cowden-----	Ponding, crusting	Ponding, low pH, frost heave
113A: Oconee-----	Wetness, crusting	Wetness, low pH
113B: Oconee-----	Wetness, crusting, water erosion	Wetness, low pH, water erosion
119C2: Elco-----	Crusting, water erosion	Low pH, water erosion
119D2: Elco-----	Crusting, water erosion	Low pH, water erosion
127B: Harrison-----	Water erosion	Low pH

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6.--Limitations and Hazards Affecting Cropland and Pasture--Continued

Soil name and map symbol	Limitations and hazards affecting cropland	Limitations and hazards affecting pasture
127C2: Harrison-----	Crusting, water erosion	Low pH, water erosion
128B: Douglas-----	Water erosion	Low pH
128C2: Douglas-----	Crusting, water erosion	Low pH, water erosion
131C2: Alvin-----	Water erosion	Low pH, water erosion, low fertility
134B: Camden-----	Crusting, water erosion	Low pH, water erosion
134C2: Camden-----	Crusting, water erosion	Low pH, water erosion
136A: Brooklyn-----	Ponding	NA*
138A: Shiloh-----	Ponding, poor tilth	NA*
152A: Drummer-----	Ponding, poor tilth	NA*
198A: Elburn-----	Wetness	NA*
242A: Kendall-----	Wetness, crusting	Wetness, low pH
244A: Hartsburg-----	Ponding, excess lime, poor tilth	NA*
249A: Edinburg-----	Ponding, poor tilth	NA*
256C2: Pana-----	Water erosion	Low pH, water erosion
257A: Clarksdale-----	Wetness, crusting	Wetness, low pH
259C2: Assumption-----	Crusting, water erosion	Low pH, water erosion
279B: Rozetta-----	Crusting, water erosion	Low pH, water erosion
474A: Piassa-----	Ponding, high pH, excess sodium	NA*
567C2: Elkhart-----	Excess lime, crusting, water erosion	Water erosion

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6.--Limitations and Hazards Affecting Cropland and Pasture--Continued

Soil name and map symbol	Limitations and hazards affecting cropland	Limitations and hazards affecting pasture
570D2: Martinsville-----	Water erosion	Low pH, water erosion
570F: Martinsville-----	---	Equipment limitation, low pH, water erosion
618G: Senachwine.		
660C2: Coatsburg-----	Wetness, water erosion	Wetness, low pH, water erosion, frost heave
675B: Greenbush-----	Crusting, water erosion	Low pH, water erosion
679B: Blackberry-----	Water erosion	Low pH
684B: Broadwell-----	Water erosion, excessive permeability	None**
685B: Middletown-----	Crusting, water erosion, excessive permeability	Low pH, water erosion
705B: Buckhart-----	Water erosion	NA*
712A: Spaulding-----	Ponding, excess lime, poor tilth	NA*
882A: Oconee-----	Wetness, crusting	Wetness, low pH
Darmstadt-----	Wetness, high pH, crusting, excess sodium	Wetness, high pH, excess sodium
Coulterville-----	Wetness, high pH, crusting, excess sodium	Wetness, high pH, excess sodium
894A: Herrick-----	Wetness	NA*
Biddle-----	Wetness, high pH, excess sodium	NA*
Piasa-----	Ponding, high pH, excess sodium	NA*
897C2: Bunkum-----	Wetness, crusting, water erosion	Wetness, low pH, water erosion
Atlas-----	Wetness, crusting, water erosion	Wetness, low pH, water erosion

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6.--Limitations and Hazards Affecting Cropland and Pasture--Continued

Soil name and map symbol	Limitations and hazards affecting cropland	Limitations and hazards affecting pasture
897C3: Bunkum-----	Wetness, poor tilth, crusting, water erosion	Wetness, poor tilth, low pH, water erosion, low fertility
Atlas-----	Wetness, poor tilth, water erosion	Wetness, poor tilth, low pH, water erosion, low fertility
3073A: Ross-----	Flooding	Flooding
3074A: Radford-----	Flooding, wetness	Flooding, wetness
3107A: Sawmill-----	Flooding, ponding, poor tilth	Flooding, ponding, frost heave, poor tilth
3284A: Tice-----	Flooding, wetness, poor tilth	NA*
7148A: Proctor-----	None***	NA*
7242A: Kendall-----	Wetness, crusting	NA*
8396A: Vesser-----	Flooding, wetness, crusting	NA*

\* Pasture is not a major use.

\*\* This soil is well suited to pasture.

\*\*\* This soil is well suited to crops.

Table 7.--Land Capability and Yields per Acre of Crops and Pasture

(Yields are those that can be expected under a high level of management. They are for nonirrigated areas. Miscellaneous areas are not listed. Absence of a yield indicates that the soil is not suited to the crop or the crop generally is not grown on the soil.)

Map symbol and soil name	Land capability	Corn	Grass-legume hay	Soybeans	Winter wheat	Grass-legume pasture
		Bu	Tons	Bu	Bu	AUM
8D2: Hickory-----	3e	71	2.7	23	26	4.5
8D3: Hickory-----	4e	65	2.4	21	23	4.0
8F: Hickory-----	6e	---	2.2	---	---	3.6
17A: Keomah-----	2w	129	5.1	39	52	8.5
43A: Ipava-----	1	163	---	52	66	---
45A: Denny-----	3w	113	---	37	---	---
46A: Herrick-----	2w	141	---	45	61	---
48A: Ebbert-----	3w	130	---	42	---	---
50A: Virden-----	2w	138	---	46	---	---
68A: Sable-----	2w	156	---	51	---	---
86B: Osco-----	2e	153	5.8	46	61	9.7
112A: Cowden-----	3w	120	4.8	37	---	8.0
113A: Oconee-----	2w	120	5.0	36	54	8.3
113B: Oconee-----	2e	119	4.9	36	53	8.2
119C2: Elco-----	3e	105	4.1	35	44	6.9
119D2: Elco-----	3e	100	3.9	33	42	6.5
127B: Harrison-----	2e	135	5.2	42	58	8.7
127C2: Harrison-----	3e	128	5.0	39	55	8.3
128B: Douglas-----	2e	134	5.2	42	58	8.7

Table 7.--Land Capability and Yields per Acre of Crops and Pasture--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Land capability	Corn	Grass-legume hay	Soybeans	Winter wheat	Grass-legume pasture
		Bu	Tons	Bu	Bu	AUM
128C2: Douglas-----	3e	128	5.0	39	55	8.3
131C2: Alvin-----	3e	93	3.9	35	44	6.4
134B: Camden-----	2e	124	5.0	39	54	8.2
134C2: Camden-----	3e	118	4.7	37	52	7.8
136A: Brooklyn-----	2w	108	---	35	---	---
138A: Shiloh-----	2w	139	---	46	---	---
152A: Drummer-----	2w	154	---	51	---	---
198A: Elburn-----	1	161	---	50	63	---
242A: Kendall-----	2w	135	5.2	41	55	8.7
244A: Hartsburg-----	2w	145	---	47	---	---
249A: Edinburg-----	3w	132	---	43	---	---
256C2: Pana-----	3e	102	3.9	33	42	6.5
257A: Clarksdale-----	1	140	5.3	43	57	8.8
259C2: Assumption-----	3e	120	4.7	37	53	7.8
279B: Rozetta-----	2e	130	5.1	40	53	8.6
474A: Piassa-----	3w	77	---	28	---	---
567C2: Elkhart-----	3e	124	4.8	37	50	8.0
570D2: Martinsville-----	4e	108	4.3	33	45	7.1
570F: Martinsville-----	6e	---	3.4	---	---	5.6
618G: Senachwine-----	7e	---	---	---	---	---
660C2: Coatsburg-----	3e	75	3.0	24	---	5.0

Table 7.--Land Capability and Yields per Acre of Crops and Pasture--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Land capability	Corn	Grass-legume hay	Soybeans	Winter wheat	Grass-legume pasture
		Bu	Tons	Bu	Bu	AUM
675B: Greenbush-----	2e	147	5.5	42	57	9.2
679B: Blackberry-----	2e	150	5.7	45	59	9.6
684B: Broadwell-----	2e	144	5.5	44	58	9.2
685B: Middletown-----	2e	116	4.7	34	52	7.7
705B: Buckhart-----	2e	158	---	48	62	---
712A: Spaulding-----	2w	138	---	44	---	---
882A: Oconee-----	2w	102	4.1	33	47	7.0
Darmstadt-----	3w					
Coulterville-----	2w					
894A: Herrick-----	2w	121	---	39	54	---
Biddle-----	2w					
Piasa-----	3w					
897C2: Bunkum-Atlas-----	3e	77	3.3	28	34	5.4
897C3: Bunkum-Atlas-----	4e	72	3.2	26	32	5.1
3073A: Ross-----	2w	131	5.0	41	54	8.2
3074A: Radford-----	3w	129	5.0	41	55	8.4
3107A: Sawmill-----	3w	132	5.0	42	---	8.3
3284A: Tice-----	3w	138	---	42	55	---
7148A: Proctor-----	1	144	---	44	59	---
7242A: Kendall-----	2w	135	---	41	55	---
8396A: Vesser-----	2w	126	---	42	---	---

Table 8.--Prime Farmland

(Only the soils considered prime farmland are listed. Urban or built-up areas of the soils listed are not considered prime farmland. If a soil is prime farmland only under certain conditions, the conditions are specified in parentheses after the soil name.)

Map symbol	Soil name
17A	Keomah silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (where drained)
43A	Ipava silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes
45A	Denny silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (where drained)
46A	Herrick silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes
48A	Ebbert silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (where drained)
50A	Viriden silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (where drained)
68A	Sable silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (where drained)
86B	Osco silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
112A	Cowden silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (where drained)
113A	Oconee silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (where drained)
113B	Oconee silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
127B	Harrison silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
128B	Douglas silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
131C2	Alvin fine sandy loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded
134B	Camden silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
136A	Brooklyn silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (where drained)
138A	Shiloh silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (where drained)
152A	Drummer silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (where drained)
198A	Elburn silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes
242A	Kendall silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (where drained)
244A	Hartsburg silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (where drained)
249A	Edinburg silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (where drained)
257A	Clarksdale silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (where drained)
279B	Rozetta silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
675B	Greenbush silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
679B	Blackberry silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
684B	Broadwell silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
685B	Middletown silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
705B	Buckhart silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
712A	Spaulding silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (where drained)
3073A	Ross silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded (where protected from flooding or not frequently flooded during the growing season)
3074A	Radford silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded (where protected from flooding or not frequently flooded during the growing season)
3107A	Sawmill silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded (where drained and either protected from flooding or not frequently flooded during the growing season)
3284A	Tice silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded (where protected from flooding or not frequently flooded during the growing season)
7148A	Proctor silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, rarely flooded
7242A	Kendall silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, rarely flooded (where drained)
8396A	Vesser silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, occasionally flooded (where drained)

Table 9.--Hydric Soils

Map symbol and map unit name	Component	Hydric	Local landform
17A:			
Keomah silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Keomah	No	Ground moraines
	Denny	Yes	Depressions
43A:			
Ipava silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Ipava	No	Ground moraines
	Sable	Yes	Depressions
	Virден	Yes	Depressions
	Denny	Yes	Depressions
45A:			
Denny silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Denny	Yes	Depressions
46A:			
Herrick silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Herrick	No	Ground moraines
	Virден	Yes	Depressions
	Piasa	Yes	Depressions
	Cowden	Yes	Depressions
48A:			
Ebbert silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Ebbert	Yes	Depressions
50A:			
Virден silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Virден	Yes	Ground moraines
	Piasa	Yes	Ground moraines
68A:			
Sable silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Sable	Yes	Ground moraines
112A:			
Cowden silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Cowden	Yes	Ground moraines
	Piasa	Yes	Ground moraines
113A:			
Oconee silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Oconee	No	Ground moraines
	Cowden	Yes	Depressions
136A:			
Brooklyn silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Brooklyn	Yes	Depressions
138A:			
Shiloh silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Shiloh	Yes	Depressions
152A:			
Drummer silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Drummer	Yes	Outwash plains
198A:			
Elburn silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Elburn	No	Outwash plains, stream terraces
	Drummer	Yes	Depressions

Table 9.--Hydric Soils--Continued

Map symbol and map unit name	Component	Hydric	Local landform
242A: Kendall silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Kendall	No	Outwash plains, stream terraces
	Drummer	Yes	Depressions
	Brooklyn	Yes	Depressions
244A: Hartsburg silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Hartsburg	Yes	Ground moraines
	Spaulding	Yes	Ground moraines
249A: Edinburg silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Edinburg	Yes	Depressions
257A: Clarksdale silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Clarksdale	No	Ground moraines
	Denny	Yes	Depressions
	Viriden	Yes	Depressions
474A: Piasa silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Piasa	Yes	Depressions, ground moraines
	Cowden	Yes	Ground moraines, depressions
660C2: Coatsburg silt loam, 5 to 10 percent slopes, eroded	Coatsburg	Yes	Ground moraines
712A: Spaulding silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Spaulding	Yes	Depressions
	Sable	Yes	Ground moraines, depressions
882A: Oconee-Darmstadt-Coulterville silt loams, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Oconee	No	Ground moraines
	Darmstadt	No	Ground moraines
	Coulterville	No	Ground moraines
	Piasa	Yes	Depressions
	Cowden	Yes	Depressions
894A: Herrick-Biddle-Piasa silt loams, 0 to 2 percent slopes	Herrick	No	Ground moraines
	Biddle	No	Ground moraines
	Piasa	Yes	Ground moraines, depressions
3073A: Ross silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded	Ross	No	Flood plains
	Sawmill	Yes	Flood plains
3074A: Radford silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded	Radford	No	Flood plains
	Sawmill	Yes	Flood plains

Table 9.--Hydric Soils--Continued

Map symbol and map unit name	Component	Hydric	Local landform
3107A: Sawmill silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded	Sawmill	Yes	Flood plains
3284A: Tice silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded	Tice Sawmill	No Yes	Flood plains Flood plains
7148A: Proctor silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, rarely flooded	Proctor Sawmill	No Yes	Flood-plain steps Flood plains
7242A: Kendall silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, rarely flooded	Kendall Vesser	No Yes	Flood-plain steps Flood plains
8396A: Vesser silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, occasionally flooded	Vesser	Yes	Flood plains

Table 10.--Windbreaks and Environmental Plantings

(Absence of an entry indicates that trees generally do not grow to the given height on the soil.)

Map symbol and soil name	Trees having predicted 20-year average height, in feet, of--				
	<8	8-15	16-25	26-35	>35
8D2, 8D3, 8F: Hickory-----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine
17A: Keomah-----	American cranberrybush, Canada yew, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Blackhaw, cockspur hawthorn, common pawpaw, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, rusty blackhaw, southern arrowwood, witchhazel	Austrian pine, Douglas fir, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn, nannyberry, pecan, shingle oak	Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, red maple, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
43A: Ipava-----	American cranberrybush, Canada yew, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Blackhaw, cockspur hawthorn, common pawpaw, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, rusty blackhaw, southern arrowwood, witchhazel	Austrian pine, Douglas fir, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn, nannyberry, pecan, shingle oak	Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, red maple, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
45A: Denny-----	American cranberrybush, black chokeberry, buttonbush, common elderberry, common ninebark, common winterberry, gray dogwood, highbush blueberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Cockspur hawthorn, hazel alder, nannyberry, roughleaf dogwood	Arborvitae, blackgum, common hackberry, green hawthorn, northern whitecedar, shingle oak	Green ash, red maple, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak

Table 10.--Windbreaks and Environmental Plantings--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trees having predicted 20-year average height, in feet, of--				
	<8	8-15	16-25	26-35	>35
46A: Herrick-----	American cranberrybush, Canada yew, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Blackhaw, cockspur hawthorn, common pawpaw, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, rusty blackhaw, southern arrowwood, witchhazel	Austrian pine, Douglas fir, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn, nannyberry, pecan, shingle oak	Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, red maple, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
48A: Ebbert-----	American cranberrybush, black chokeberry, buttonbush, common elderberry, common ninebark, common winterberry, gray dogwood, highbush blueberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Cockspur hawthorn, hazel alder, nannyberry, roughleaf dogwood	Arborvitae, blackgum, common hackberry, green hawthorn, northern whitecedar, shingle oak	Green ash, red maple, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
50A: Virden-----	American cranberrybush, black chokeberry, buttonbush, common elderberry, common ninebark, common winterberry, gray dogwood, highbush blueberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Cockspur hawthorn, hazel alder, nannyberry, roughleaf dogwood	Arborvitae, blackgum, common hackberry, green hawthorn, northern whitecedar, shingle oak	Green ash, red maple, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
68A: Sable-----	American cranberrybush, black chokeberry, buttonbush, common elderberry, common ninebark, common winterberry, gray dogwood, highbush blueberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Cockspur hawthorn, hazel alder, nannyberry, roughleaf dogwood	Arborvitae, blackgum, common hackberry, green hawthorn, northern whitecedar, shingle oak	Green ash, red maple, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak

Table 10.--Windbreaks and Environmental Plantings--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trees having predicted 20-year average height, in feet, of--				
	<8	8-15	16-25	26-35	>35
86B: Osco-----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine
112A: Cowden-----	American cranberrybush, black chokeberry, buttonbush, common elderberry, common ninebark, common winterberry, gray dogwood, highbush blueberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Cockspur hawthorn, hazel alder, nannyberry, roughleaf dogwood	Arborvitae, blackgum, common hackberry, green hawthorn, northern whitecedar, shingle oak	Green ash, red maple, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
113A, 113B: Oconee-----	American cranberrybush, black chokeberry, buttonbush, common elderberry, common ninebark, common winterberry, gray dogwood, highbush blueberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Cockspur hawthorn, hazel alder, nannyberry, roughleaf dogwood	Arborvitae, blackgum, common hackberry, green hawthorn, northern whitecedar, shingle oak	Green ash, red maple, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
119C2, 119D2: Elco-----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine
127B, 127C2: Harrison-----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine

Table 10.--Windbreaks and Environmental Plantings--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trees having predicted 20-year average height, in feet, of--				
	<8	8-15	16-25	26-35	>35
128B, 128C2: Douglas-----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine
131C2: Alvin-----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common winterberry, coralberry, gray dogwood, mapleleaf viburnum	American plum, American witchhazel, Arnold hawthorn, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple	Douglas fir, arborvitae, black walnut, blackgum, blue spruce, bur oak, eastern redcedar, green ash, pecan	Norway spruce, common hackberry, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern white pine
134B, 134C2: Camden-----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine
136A: Brooklyn-----	American cranberrybush, black chokeberry, buttonbush, common elderberry, common ninebark, common winterberry, gray dogwood, highbush blueberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Cockspur hawthorn, hazel alder, nannyberry, roughleaf dogwood	Arborvitae, blackgum, common hackberry, green hawthorn, northern whitecedar, shingle oak	Green ash, red maple, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
138A: Shiloh-----	American cranberrybush, black chokeberry, buttonbush, common elderberry, common ninebark, common winterberry, gray dogwood, highbush blueberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Cockspur hawthorn, hazel alder, nannyberry, roughleaf dogwood	Arborvitae, blackgum, common hackberry, green hawthorn, northern whitecedar, shingle oak	Green ash, red maple, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak

Table 10.--Windbreaks and Environmental Plantings--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trees having predicted 20-year average height, in feet, of--				
	<8	8-15	16-25	26-35	>35
152A: Drummer-----	American cranberrybush, black chokeberry, buttonbush, common elderberry, common ninebark, common winterberry, gray dogwood, highbush blueberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Cockspur hawthorn, hazel alder, nannyberry, roughleaf dogwood	Arborvitae, blackgum, common hackberry, green hawthorn, northern whitecedar, shingle oak	Green ash, red maple, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
198A: Elburn-----	American cranberrybush, Canada yew, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Blackhaw, cockspur hawthorn, common pawpaw, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, rusty blackhaw, southern arrowwood, witchhazel	Austrian pine, Douglas fir, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn, nannyberry, pecan, shingle oak	Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, red maple, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
242A: Kendall-----	American cranberrybush, Canada yew, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Blackhaw, cockspur hawthorn, common pawpaw, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, rusty blackhaw, southern arrowwood, witchhazel	Austrian pine, Douglas fir, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn, nannyberry, pecan, shingle oak	Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, red maple, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
244A: Hartsburg-----	Common winterberry, gray dogwood, redosier dogwood	Common pawpaw, nannyberry, roughleaf dogwood, silky dogwood	Arborvitae, bur oak, common hackberry, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, green ash	---
249A: Edinburg-----	American cranberrybush, black chokeberry, buttonbush, common elderberry, common ninebark, common winterberry, gray dogwood, highbush blueberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Cockspur hawthorn, hazel alder, nannyberry, roughleaf dogwood	Arborvitae, blackgum, common hackberry, green hawthorn, northern whitecedar, shingle oak	Green ash, red maple, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak

Table 10.--Windbreaks and Environmental Plantings--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trees having predicted 20-year average height, in feet, of--				
	<8	8-15	16-25	26-35	>35
256C2: Pana-----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine
257A: Clarksdale---	American cranberrybush, Canada yew, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Blackhaw, cockspur hawthorn, common pawpaw, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, rusty blackhaw, southern arrowwood, witchhazel	Austrian pine, Douglas fir, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn, nannyberry, pecan, shingle oak	Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, red maple, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
259C2: Assumption---	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine
279B: Rozetta-----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine
474A: Piasa-----	Common juniper	American hazelnut, common serviceberry, common winterberry, eastern redcedar, prairie crabapple	Douglas fir, blue spruce, eastern white pine, green ash	---	---
533: Urban land.					
536: Dumps, mine.					

Table 10.--Windbreaks and Environmental Plantings--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trees having predicted 20-year average height, in feet, of--				
	<8	8-15	16-25	26-35	>35
567C2: Elkhart-----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine
570D2, 570F: Martinsville--	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine
618G: Senachwine----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine
660C2: Coatsburg-----	American cranberrybush, American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common juniper, coralberry, gray dogwood, mapleleaf viburnum, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, Washington hawthorn, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, nannyberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, staghorn sumac	Virginia pine, arborvitae, black oak, blackgum, bur oak, chinkapin oak, common hackberry, eastern redcedar, green ash	Norway spruce	Carolina poplar
675B: Greenbush-----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine

Table 10.--Windbreaks and Environmental Plantings--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trees having predicted 20-year average height, in feet, of--				
	<8	8-15	16-25	26-35	>35
679B: Blackberry----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine
684B: Broadwell----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine
685B: Middletown----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine
705B: Buckhart----	American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, coralberry, mapleleaf viburnum, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, smooth sumac, southern arrowwood	Washington hawthorn, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, nannyberry, pecan, white oak	Douglas fir, Norway spruce, black walnut, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, northern red oak, pin oak, tuliptree	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine
712A: Spaulding----	Common winterberry, gray dogwood, redosier dogwood	Common pawpaw, nannyberry, roughleaf dogwood, silky dogwood	Arborvitae, bur oak, common hackberry, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, green ash	---
802B: Orthents.					
830: Landfills.					
835G: Earthen dam.					

Table 10.--Windbreaks and Environmental Plantings--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trees having predicted 20-year average height, in feet, of--				
	<8	8-15	16-25	26-35	>35
864: Pits, quarries.					
865: Pits, gravel.					
882A: Oconee-----	American cranberrybush, black chokeberry, buttonbush, common elderberry, common ninebark, common winterberry, gray dogwood, highbush blueberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Cockspur hawthorn, hazel alder, nannyberry, roughleaf dogwood	Arborvitae, blackgum, common hackberry, green hawthorn, northern whitecedar, shingle oak	Green ash, red maple, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
Darmstadt----	Common juniper	American hazelnut, common serviceberry, common winterberry, eastern redcedar, prairie crabapple	Douglas fir, blue spruce, eastern white pine, green ash	---	---
Coulterville--	Common juniper	American hazelnut, common serviceberry, common winterberry, eastern redcedar, prairie crabapple	Douglas fir, blue spruce, eastern white pine, green ash	---	---
894A: Herrick-----	American cranberrybush, Canada yew, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Blackhaw, cockspur hawthorn, common pawpaw, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, rusty blackhaw, southern arrowwood, witchhazel	Austrian pine, Douglas fir, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn, nannyberry, pecan, shingle oak	Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, red maple, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
Biddle-----	American cranberrybush, Canada yew, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Blackhaw, cockspur hawthorn, common pawpaw, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, rusty blackhaw, southern arrowwood, witchhazel	Austrian pine, Douglas fir, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn, nannyberry, pecan, shingle oak	Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, red maple, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak

Table 10.--Windbreaks and Environmental Plantings--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trees having predicted 20-year average height, in feet, of--				
	<8	8-15	16-25	26-35	>35
894A: Piasa-----	Common juniper	American hazelnut, common serviceberry, common winterberry, eastern redcedar, prairie crabapple	Douglas fir, blue spruce, eastern white pine, green ash	---	---
897C2, 897C3: Bunkum-----	American cranberrybush, Canada yew, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Blackhaw, cockspur hawthorn, common pawpaw, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, rusty blackhaw, southern arrowwood, witchhazel	Austrian pine, Douglas fir, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn, nannyberry, pecan, shingle oak	Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, red maple, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
Atlas-----	American cranberrybush, American hazelnut, black chokeberry, common juniper, coralberry, gray dogwood, mapleleaf viburnum, silky dogwood	American plum, American witchhazel, Washington hawthorn, blackhaw, common chokecherry, common serviceberry, nannyberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, staghorn sumac	Virginia pine, arborvitae, black oak, blackgum, bur oak, chinkapin oak, common hackberry, eastern redcedar, green ash	Norway spruce	Carolina poplar
3073A: Ross-----	American cranberrybush, Canada yew, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Blackhaw, cockspur hawthorn, common pawpaw, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, rusty blackhaw, southern arrowwood, witchhazel	Austrian pine, Douglas fir, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn, nannyberry, pecan, shingle oak	Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, red maple, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
3074A: Radford-----	American cranberrybush, Canada yew, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Blackhaw, cockspur hawthorn, common pawpaw, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, rusty blackhaw, southern arrowwood, witchhazel	Austrian pine, Douglas fir, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn, nannyberry, pecan, shingle oak	Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, red maple, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak

Table 10.--Windbreaks and Environmental Plantings--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trees having predicted 20-year average height, in feet, of--				
	<8	8-15	16-25	26-35	>35
3107A: Sawmill-----	American cranberrybush, Canada yew, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Blackhaw, cockspur hawthorn, common pawpaw, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, rusty blackhaw, southern arrowwood, witchhazel	Austrian pine, Douglas fir, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn, nannyberry, pecan, shingle oak	Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, red maple, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
3284A: Tice-----	American cranberrybush, Canada yew, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Blackhaw, cockspur hawthorn, common pawpaw, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, rusty blackhaw, southern arrowwood, witchhazel	Austrian pine, Douglas fir, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn, nannyberry, pecan, shingle oak	Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, red maple, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
7148A: Proctor-----	American cranberrybush, Canada yew, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Blackhaw, cockspur hawthorn, common pawpaw, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, rusty blackhaw, southern arrowwood, witchhazel	Austrian pine, Douglas fir, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn, nannyberry, pecan, shingle oak	Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, red maple, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
7242A: Kendall-----	American cranberrybush, Canada yew, black chokeberry, common elderberry, common juniper, common ninebark, common winterberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Blackhaw, cockspur hawthorn, common pawpaw, common serviceberry, prairie crabapple, roughleaf dogwood, rusty blackhaw, southern arrowwood, witchhazel	Austrian pine, Douglas fir, arborvitae, blue spruce, common persimmon, eastern redcedar, green hawthorn, nannyberry, pecan, shingle oak	Norway spruce, blackgum, common hackberry, green ash, red maple, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak

Table 10.--Windbreaks and Environmental Plantings--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trees having predicted 20-year average height, in feet, of--				
	<8	8-15	16-25	26-35	>35
8396A: Vesser-----	American cranberrybush, black chokeberry, buttonbush, common elderberry, common ninebark, common winterberry, gray dogwood, highbush blueberry, northern spicebush, redosier dogwood, silky dogwood	Cockspur hawthorn, hazel alder, nannyberry, roughleaf dogwood	Arborvitae, blackgum, common hackberry, green hawthorn, northern whitecedar, shingle oak	Green ash, red maple, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum	Carolina poplar, eastern cottonwood, pin oak
MW: Miscellaneous water.					
W: Water.					

Table 11.--Forestland Productivity

Map symbol and soil name	Potential productivity			Suggested trees to plant
	Common trees	Site index	Volume of wood fiber	
8D2:				
Hickory-----	Northern red oak-----	85	72	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
	White oak-----	85	72	
	Black oak-----	---	---	
	Green ash-----	---	---	
	Bitternut hickory-----	---	---	
	Tuliptree-----	---	---	
8D3:				
Hickory-----	Bitternut hickory-----	---	---	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
	Black oak-----	---	---	
	Green ash-----	---	---	
	Northern red oak-----	85	72	
	Tuliptree-----	95	100	
	White oak-----	85	72	
8F:				
Hickory-----	Bitternut hickory-----	---	---	White oak, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree.
	Black oak-----	---	---	
	Green ash-----	---	---	
	Northern red oak-----	85	72	
	Tuliptree-----	95	100	
	White oak-----	85	72	
17A:				
Keomah-----	Northern red oak-----	70	57	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.
	White oak-----	65	43	
43A:				
Ipava-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.
45A:				
Denny-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pin oak, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum.
46A:				
Herrick-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.
48A:				
Ebbert-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pin oak, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum.
50A:				
Virden-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pin oak, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum.

Table 11.--Forestland Productivity--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential productivity			Suggested trees to plant
	Common trees	Site index	Volume of wood fiber	
68A: Sable-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pin oak, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum.
86B: Osco-----	---	---	---	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
112A: Cowden-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pin oak, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum.
113A: Oconee-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pin oak, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum.
113B: Oconee-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pin oak, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum.
119C2: Elco-----	Black walnut----- Northern red oak----- White oak-----	--- --- 80	--- --- 57	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
119D2: Elco-----	Black walnut----- Northern red oak----- White oak-----	--- 85 85	--- 72 72	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
127B: Harrison-----	---	---	---	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
127C2: Harrison-----	---	---	---	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.

Table 11.--Forestland Productivity--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential productivity			Suggested trees to plant
	Common trees	Site index	Volume of wood fiber	
128B: Douglas-----	---	---	---	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
128C2: Douglas-----	---	---	---	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
131C2: Alvin-----	Black walnut----- Northern red oak----- Tuliptree----- White oak-----	--- 80 90 80	--- 57 86 57	Black walnut, bur oak, eastern white pine, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree.
134B: Camden-----	White oak----- Green ash----- Northern red oak----- Tuliptree-----	85 76 85 95	72 72 72 100	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
134C2: Camden-----	Northern red oak----- White oak----- Green ash----- Tuliptree-----	85 85 76 95	72 72 72 100	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
136A: Brooklyn-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pin oak, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum, tamarack.
138A: Shiloh-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pin oak, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum.
152A: Drummer-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pin oak, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum.
198A: Elburn-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.

Table 11.--Forestland Productivity--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential productivity			Suggested trees to plant
	Common trees	Site index	Volume of wood fiber	
242A: Kendall-----	White oak----- Northern red oak-----	80 80	57 57	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.
244A: Hartsburg-----	---	---	---	Bur oak, common hackberry, eastern cottonwood, eastern redcedar, green ash.
249A: Edinburg-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pin oak, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum.
256C2: Pana-----	---	---	---	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
257A: Clarksdale-----	White oak----- Northern red oak-----	80 80	57 57	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.
259C2: Assumption-----	---	---	---	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
279B: Rozetta-----	White oak----- Northern red oak----- Tuliptree----- Black walnut-----	80 80 90 ---	57 57 86 ---	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
474A: Piassa-----	---	---	---	Rocky Mountain Douglas-fir, blue spruce, eastern redcedar, eastern white pine, green ash.
533: Urban land.				
536: Dumps, mine.				

Table 11.--Forestland Productivity--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential productivity			Suggested trees to plant
	Common trees	Site index	Volume of wood fiber	
567C2: Elkhart-----	---	---	---	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
570D2: Martinsville-----	White oak----- Tuliptree-----	80 98	57 100	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
570F: Martinsville-----	White oak----- Tuliptree-----	80 98	57 100	White oak, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree.
618G: Senachwine-----	White oak----- Tuliptree-----	90 98	72 100	White oak, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree.
660C2: Coatsburg-----	---	---	---	Black oak, bur oak, chinkapin oak, common hackberry, eastern redcedar, green ash.
675B: Greenbush-----	White oak----- Northern red oak----- Black walnut----- Tuliptree-----	80 80 --- 90	57 57 --- 86	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
679B: Blackberry-----	---	---	---	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
684B: Broadwell-----	---	---	---	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
685B: Middletown-----	Black walnut----- Northern red oak----- White oak-----	--- 80 80	--- 57 57	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.

Table 11.--Forestland Productivity--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential productivity			Suggested trees to plant
	Common trees	Site index	Volume of wood fiber	
705B: Buckhart-----	---	---	---	Black walnut, eastern cottonwood, eastern white pine, green ash, northern red oak, pecan, pin oak, tuliptree, white oak.
712A: Spaulding-----	---	---	---	Bur oak, common hackberry, eastern cottonwood, eastern redcedar, green ash.
802B: Orthents.				
830: Landfills.				
835G: Earthen dam.				
864: Pits, quarries.				
865: Pits, gravel.				
882A: Oconee-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pin oak, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum.
Darmstadt-----	Black oak----- Pignut hickory----- White oak-----	70 --- 70	57 --- 57	Rocky Mountain Douglas-fir, blue spruce, eastern redcedar, eastern white pine, green ash.
Coulterville-----	Black oak----- Pignut hickory----- White oak-----	--- --- 70	--- --- 57	Rocky Mountain Douglas-fir, blue spruce, eastern redcedar, eastern white pine, green ash.
894A: Herrick-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.
Biddle-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.
Piasa-----	---	---	---	Rocky Mountain Douglas-fir, blue spruce, eastern redcedar, eastern white pine, green ash.

Table 11.--Forestland Productivity--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential productivity			Suggested trees to plant
	Common trees	Site index	Volume of wood fiber	
897C2: Bunkum-----	White oak-----	75	57	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.
Atlas-----	Bur oak-----	70	57	Black oak, bur oak, chinkapin oak, common hackberry, eastern redcedar, green ash.
	Green ash-----	---	---	
	Northern red oak-----	70	57	
	White oak-----	70	57	
897C3: Bunkum-----	White oak-----	75	57	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.
Atlas-----	Bur oak-----	70	57	Black oak, bur oak, chinkapin oak, common hackberry, eastern redcedar, green ash.
	Green ash-----	---	---	
	Northern red oak-----	70	57	
	White oak-----	70	57	
3073A: Ross-----	Black cherry-----	---	---	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.
	Black walnut-----	---	---	
	Northern red oak-----	86	72	
	White ash-----	---	---	
	White oak-----	---	---	
3074A: Radford-----	Pin oak-----	96	72	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.
	Eastern cottonwood-----	---	---	
	White ash-----	---	---	
	Tuliptree-----	90	86	
3107A: Sawmill-----	Pin oak-----	90	72	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.
	American sycamore-----	---	---	
	Eastern cottonwood-----	---	---	
3284A: Tice-----	Virginia pine-----	90	90	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.
	Eastern cottonwood-----	---	---	
	Pin oak-----	96	78	
	White ash-----	---	---	
	Tuliptree-----	---	---	
7148A: Proctor-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.

Table 11.--Forestland Productivity--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential productivity			Suggested trees to plant
	Common trees	Site index	Volume of wood fiber	
7242A: Kendall-----	White oak----- Northern red oak-----	80 80	57 57	Common hackberry, common persimmon, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pecan, pin oak, swamp white oak.
8396A: Vesser-----	---	---	---	Common hackberry, eastern cottonwood, green ash, pin oak, river birch, swamp white oak, sweetgum.
MW: Miscellaneous water.				
W: Water.				

Table 12a.--Forestland Management

(The information in this table indicates the dominant soil condition but does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation. The numbers in the value columns range from 0.01 to 1.00. The larger the value, the greater the limitation. See text for further explanation of ratings in this table.)

Map symbol and soil name	Limitations affecting construction of haul roads and log landings		Suitability for log landings		Soil rutting hazard	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
8D2: Hickory-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Slope Low strength	1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
8D3: Hickory-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Slope Low strength	1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
8F: Hickory-----	Moderate Slope Low strength	0.50 0.50	Poorly suited Slope Low strength	1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
17A: Keomah-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
43A: Ipava-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Wetness	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
45A: Denny-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
46A: Herrick-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Wetness	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
48A: Ebbert-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
50A: Virden-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
68A: Sable-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00

Table 12a.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Limitations affecting construction of haul roads and log landings		Suitability for log landings		Soil rutting hazard	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
86B: Osco-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
112A: Cowden-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
113A: Oconee-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
113B: Oconee-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
119C2: Elco-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
119D2: Elco-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Slope Low strength	1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
127B: Harrison-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
127C2: Harrison-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
128B: Douglas-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
128C2: Douglas-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
131C2: Alvin-----	Slight		Moderately suited Slope	0.50	Moderate Low strength	0.50
134B: Camden-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00

Table 12a.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Limitations affecting construction of haul roads and log landings		Suitability for log landings		Soil rutting hazard	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
134C2: Camden-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
136A: Brooklyn-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Wetness Ponding Low strength	1.00 0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
138A: Shiloh-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
152A: Drummer-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
198A: Elburn-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Wetness	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
242A: Kendall-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
244A: Hartsburg-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
249A: Edinburg-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
256C2: Pana-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
257A: Clarksdale-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
259C2: Assumption-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00

Table 12a.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Limitations affecting construction of haul roads and log landings		Suitability for log landings		Soil rutting hazard	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
279B: Rozetta-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
474A: Piasa-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
533: Urban land-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
536: Dumps, mine-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
567C2: Elkhart-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
570D2: Martinsville-----	Slight		Poorly suited Slope	1.00	Moderate Low strength	0.50
570F: Martinsville-----	Moderate Slope Low strength	0.50 0.50	Poorly suited Slope Low strength	1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
618G: Senachwine-----	Severe Slope Low strength	1.00 0.50	Poorly suited Slope Low strength	1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
660C2: Coatsburg-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Wetness Low strength Slope	1.00 0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
675B: Greenbush-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
679B: Blackberry-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
684B: Broadwell-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
685B: Middletown-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00

Table 12a.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Limitations affecting construction of haul roads and log landings		Suitability for log landings		Soil rutting hazard	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
705B: Buckhart-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
712A: Spaulding-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
802B: Orthents-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
830: Landfills-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
835G: Earthen dam-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
864: Pits, quarries-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
865: Pits, gravel-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
882A: Oconee-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
Darmstadt-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
Coulterville-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
894A: Herrick-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Wetness	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
Biddle-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Wetness	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
Piasa-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
897C2: Bunkum-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Slope Wetness	0.50 0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00

Table 12a.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Limitations affecting construction of haul roads and log landings		Suitability for log landings		Soil rutting hazard	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
897C2: Atlas-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
897C3: Bunkum-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Slope Wetness	0.50 0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
Atlas-----	Moderate Low strength Stickiness/slope	0.50 0.50	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength Slope Stickiness	0.50 0.50 0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
3073A: Ross-----	Severe Flooding Low strength	1.00 0.50	Poorly suited Flooding Low strength	1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
3074A: Radford-----	Severe Flooding Low strength	1.00 0.50	Poorly suited Flooding Low strength Wetness	1.00 0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
3107A: Sawmill-----	Severe Flooding Low strength	1.00 0.50	Poorly suited Ponding Flooding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
3284A: Tice-----	Severe Flooding Low strength	1.00 0.50	Poorly suited Flooding Low strength Wetness	1.00 0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
7148A: Proctor-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
7242A: Kendall-----	Moderate Low strength	0.50	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00
8396A: Vesser-----	Severe Flooding Low strength	1.00 0.50	Poorly suited Flooding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50	Severe Low strength	1.00

Table 12a.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Limitations affecting construction of haul roads and log landings		Suitability for log landings		Soil rutting hazard	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
MW: Miscellaneous water	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
W: Water-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	

Table 12b.--Forestland Management

(The information in this table indicates the dominant soil condition but does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation. The numbers in the value columns range from 0.01 to 1.00. The larger the value, the greater the limitation. See text for further explanation of ratings in this table.)

Map symbol and soil name	Hazard of off-road or off-trail erosion		Hazard of erosion on roads and trails		Suitability for roads (natural surface)	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
8D2: Hickory-----	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.27	Severe Slope/erodibility	1.00	Poorly suited Slope Low strength	1.00 0.50
8D3: Hickory-----	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.27	Severe Slope/erodibility	1.00	Poorly suited Slope Low strength	1.00 0.50
8F: Hickory-----	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.52	Severe Slope/erodibility	1.00	Poorly suited Slope Low strength	1.00 0.50
17A: Keomah-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50
43A: Ipava-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Moderately suited Low strength Wetness	0.50 0.50
45A: Denny-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.01	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.06	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50
46A: Herrick-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Moderately suited Low strength Wetness	0.50 0.50
48A: Ebbert-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.01	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.06	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50
50A: Virden-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.01	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.06	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50
68A: Sable-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.01	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.06	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50

Table 12b.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Hazard of off-road or off-trail erosion		Hazard of erosion on roads and trails		Suitability for roads (natural surface)	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
86B: Osco-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.07	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.39	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
112A: Cowden-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.01	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.06	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50
113A: Oconee-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50
113B: Oconee-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.09	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.39	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50
119C2: Elco-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.18	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.83	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50
119D2: Elco-----	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.34	Severe Slope/erodibility	1.00	Poorly suited Slope Low strength	1.00 0.50
127B: Harrison-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.07	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.39	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
127C2: Harrison-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.18	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.83	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50
128B: Douglas-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.07	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.39	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
128C2: Douglas-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.18	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.83	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50
131C2: Alvin-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.15	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.47	Moderately suited Slope	0.50
134B: Camden-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.09	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.39	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
134C2: Camden-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.18	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.83	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50

Table 12b.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Hazard of off-road or off-trail erosion		Hazard of erosion on roads and trails		Suitability for roads (natural surface)	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
136A: Brooklyn-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.01	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.06	Poorly suited Wetness Ponding Low strength	1.00 0.50 0.50
138A: Shiloh-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.01	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.06	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50
152A: Drummer-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.01	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.06	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50
198A: Elburn-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Moderately suited Low strength Wetness	0.50 0.50
242A: Kendall-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50
244A: Hartsburg-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.01	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.06	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50
249A: Edinburg-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.01	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.06	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50
256C2: Pana-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.15	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.83	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50
257A: Clarksdale-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50
259C2: Assumption-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.18	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.83	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50
279B: Rozetta-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.09	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.39	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50

Table 12b.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Hazard of off-road or off-trail erosion		Hazard of erosion on roads and trails		Suitability for roads (natural surface)	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
474A: Piasa-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.01	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.06	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50
533: Urban land-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
536: Dumps, mine-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
567C2: Elkhart-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.18	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.83	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50
570D2: Martinsville-----	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.27	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.88	Poorly suited Slope	1.00
570F: Martinsville-----	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.52	Severe Slope/erodibility	1.00	Poorly suited Slope Low strength	1.00 0.50
618G: Senachwine-----	Severe Slope/erodibility	0.93	Severe Slope/erodibility	1.00	Poorly suited Slope Low strength	1.00 0.50
660C2: Coatsburg-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.15	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.83	Poorly suited Wetness Low strength Slope	1.00 0.50 0.50
675B: Greenbush-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.09	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.39	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
679B: Blackberry-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.07	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.39	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
684B: Broadwell-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.07	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.39	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
685B: Middletown-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.09	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.39	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
705B: Buckhart-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.07	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.39	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50

Table 12b.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Hazard of off-road or off-trail erosion		Hazard of erosion on roads and trails		Suitability for roads (natural surface)	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
712A: Spaulding-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.01	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.06	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50
802B: Orthents-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.10	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.44	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
830: Landfills-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
835G: Earthen dam-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
864: Pits, quarries-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
865: Pits, gravel-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
882A: Oconee-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50
Darmstadt-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50
Coulterville-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50
894A: Herrick-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Moderately suited Low strength Wetness	0.50 0.50
Biddle-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Moderately suited Low strength Wetness	0.50 0.50
Piasa-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.01	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.06	Poorly suited Ponding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50
897C2: Bunkum-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.18	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.83	Moderately suited Low strength Slope Wetness	0.50 0.50 0.50
Atlas-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.15	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.83	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50 0.50

Table 12b.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Hazard of off-road or off-trail erosion		Hazard of erosion on roads and trails		Suitability for roads (natural surface)	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
897C3:						
Bunkum-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.18	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.83	Moderately suited Low strength Slope Wetness	0.50 0.50 0.50
Atlas-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.15	Moderate Slope/erodibility	0.83	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength Slope Stickiness	0.50 0.50 0.50 0.50
3073A:						
Ross-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Poorly suited Flooding Low strength	1.00 0.50
3074A:						
Radford-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Poorly suited Flooding Low strength Wetness	1.00 0.50 0.50
3107A:						
Sawmill-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.01	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.06	Poorly suited Ponding Flooding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 1.00 0.50
3284A:						
Tice-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Poorly suited Flooding Low strength Wetness	1.00 0.50 0.50
7148A:						
Proctor-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
7242A:						
Kendall-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.02	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.11	Moderately suited Wetness Low strength	0.50 0.50
8396A:						
Vesser-----	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.01	Slight Slope/erodibility	0.06	Poorly suited Flooding Wetness Low strength	1.00 1.00 0.50
MW:						
Miscellaneous water	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
W:						
Water-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	

Table 12c.--Forestland Management

(The information in this table indicates the dominant soil condition but does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation. The numbers in the value columns range from 0.01 to 1.00. The larger the value, the greater the limitation. See text for further explanation of ratings in this table.)

Map symbol and soil name	Suitability for hand planting		Suitability for mechanical planting		Suitability for use of harvesting equipment	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
8D2: Hickory-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Slope Stickiness	0.50 0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
8D3: Hickory-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Slope Stickiness	0.50 0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
8F: Hickory-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Unsuited Slope Stickiness	1.00 0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50
17A: Keomah-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
43A: Ipava-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
45A: Denny-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
46A: Herrick-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
48A: Ebbert-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
50A: Viriden-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
68A: Sable-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
86B: Osco-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
112A: Cowden-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
113A: Oconee-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50

Table 12c.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Suitability for hand planting		Suitability for mechanical planting		Suitability for use of harvesting equipment	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
113B: Oconee-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
119C2: Elco-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Slope Stickiness	0.50 0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
119D2: Elco-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Slope Stickiness	0.50 0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
127B: Harrison-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
127C2: Harrison-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Slope Stickiness	0.50 0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
128B: Douglas-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
128C2: Douglas-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Slope Stickiness	0.50 0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
131C2: Alvin-----	Well suited		Moderately suited Slope	0.50	Well suited	
134B: Camden-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
134C2: Camden-----	Well suited		Moderately suited Slope	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
136A: Brooklyn-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
138A: Shiloh-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
152A: Drummer-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
198A: Elburn-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50

Table 12c.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Suitability for hand planting		Suitability for mechanical planting		Suitability for use of harvesting equipment	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
242A: Kendall-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
244A: Hartsburg-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
249A: Edinburg-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
256C2: Pana-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Slope Stickiness	0.50 0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
257A: Clarksdale-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
259C2: Assumption-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Slope Stickiness	0.50 0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
279B: Rozetta-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
474A: Piassa-----	Poorly suited Stickiness	0.75	Poorly suited Stickiness	0.75	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
533: Urban land-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
536: Dumps, mine-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
567C2: Elkhart-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Slope Stickiness	0.50 0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
570D2: Martinsville-----	Well suited		Moderately suited Slope	0.50	Well suited	
570F: Martinsville-----	Well suited		Unsuited Slope	1.00	Moderately suited Low strength Slope	0.50 0.50
618G: Senachwine-----	Moderately suited Slope	0.50	Unsuited Slope	1.00	Poorly suited Slope Low strength	1.00 0.50

Table 12c.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Suitability for hand planting		Suitability for mechanical planting		Suitability for use of harvesting equipment	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
660C2: Coatsburg-----	Poorly suited Stickiness	0.75	Poorly suited Stickiness Slope	0.75 0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
675B: Greenbush-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
679B: Blackberry-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
684B: Broadwell-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
685B: Middletown-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
705B: Buckhart-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
712A: Spaulding-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
802B: Orthents-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
830: Landfills-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
835G: Earthen dam-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
864: Pits, quarries-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
865: Pits, gravel-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
882A: Oconee-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
Darmstadt-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
Coulterville-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
894A: Herrick-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
Biddle-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50

Table 12c.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Suitability for hand planting		Suitability for mechanical planting		Suitability for use of harvesting equipment	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
894A: Piasa-----	Poorly suited Stickiness	0.75	Poorly suited Stickiness	0.75	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
897C2: Bunkum-----	Well suited		Moderately suited Slope	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
Atlas-----	Poorly suited Stickiness	0.75	Poorly suited Stickiness Slope	0.75 0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
897C3: Bunkum-----	Well suited		Moderately suited Slope	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
Atlas-----	Poorly suited Stickiness	0.75	Poorly suited Stickiness Slope	0.75 0.50	Moderately suited Low strength Stickiness	0.50 0.50
3073A: Ross-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
3074A: Radford-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
3107A: Sawmill-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
3284A: Tice-----	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Stickiness	0.50	Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
7148A: Proctor-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
7242A: Kendall-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
8396A: Vesser-----	Well suited		Well suited		Moderately suited Low strength	0.50
MW: Miscellaneous water	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
W: Water-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	

Table 12d.--Forestland Management

(The information in this table indicates the dominant soil condition but does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation. The numbers in the value columns range from 0.01 to 1.00. The larger the value, the greater the limitation. See text for further explanation of ratings in this table.)

Map symbol and soil name	Suitability for mechanical site preparation (surface)		Suitability for mechanical site preparation (deep)	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
8D2: Hickory-----	Well suited		Well suited	
8D3: Hickory-----	Well suited		Well suited	
8F: Hickory-----	Poorly suited Slope	0.50	Poorly suited Slope	0.50
17A: Keomah-----	Well suited		Well suited	
43A: Ipava-----	Well suited		Well suited	
45A: Denny-----	Well suited		Well suited	
46A: Herrick-----	Well suited		Well suited	
48A: Ebbert-----	Well suited		Well suited	
50A: Virden-----	Well suited		Well suited	
68A: Sable-----	Well suited		Well suited	
86B: Osco-----	Well suited		Well suited	
112A: Cowden-----	Well suited		Well suited	
113A: Oconee-----	Well suited		Well suited	
113B: Oconee-----	Well suited		Well suited	
119C2: Elco-----	Well suited		Well suited	
119D2: Elco-----	Well suited		Well suited	
127B: Harrison-----	Well suited		Well suited	

Table 12d.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Suitability for mechanical site preparation (surface)		Suitability for mechanical site preparation (deep)	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
127C2: Harrison-----	Well suited		Well suited	
128B: Douglas-----	Well suited		Well suited	
128C2: Douglas-----	Well suited		Well suited	
131C2: Alvin-----	Well suited		Well suited	
134B: Camden-----	Well suited		Well suited	
134C2: Camden-----	Well suited		Well suited	
136A: Brooklyn-----	Well suited		Well suited	
138A: Shiloh-----	Well suited		Well suited	
152A: Drummer-----	Well suited		Well suited	
198A: Elburn-----	Well suited		Well suited	
242A: Kendall-----	Well suited		Well suited	
244A: Hartsburg-----	Well suited		Well suited	
249A: Edinburg-----	Well suited		Well suited	
256C2: Pana-----	Well suited		Well suited	
257A: Clarksdale-----	Well suited		Well suited	
259C2: Assumption-----	Well suited		Well suited	
279B: Rozetta-----	Well suited		Well suited	
474A: Piasa-----	Poorly suited Stickiness	0.50	Well suited	
533: Urban land-----	Not rated		Not rated	
536: Dumps, mine-----	Not rated		Not rated	

Table 12d.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Suitability for mechanical site preparation (surface)		Suitability for mechanical site preparation (deep)	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
567C2: Elkhart-----	Well suited		Well suited	
570D2: Martinsville-----	Well suited		Well suited	
570F: Martinsville-----	Poorly suited Slope	0.50	Poorly suited Slope	0.50
618G: Senachwine-----	Unsuited Slope	1.00	Unsuited Slope	1.00
660C2: Coatsburg-----	Poorly suited Stickiness	0.50	Well suited	
675B: Greenbush-----	Well suited		Well suited	
679B: Blackberry-----	Well suited		Well suited	
684B: Broadwell-----	Well suited		Well suited	
685B: Middletown-----	Well suited		Well suited	
705B: Buckhart-----	Well suited		Well suited	
712A: Spaulding-----	Well suited		Well suited	
802B: Orthents-----	Well suited		Well suited	
830: Landfills-----	Not rated		Not rated	
835G: Earthen dam-----	Not rated		Not rated	
864: Pits, quarries-----	Not rated		Not rated	
865: Pits, gravel-----	Not rated		Not rated	
882A: Oconee-----	Well suited		Well suited	
Darmstadt-----	Well suited		Well suited	
Coulterville-----	Well suited		Well suited	

Table 12d.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Suitability for mechanical site preparation (surface)		Suitability for mechanical site preparation (deep)	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
894A:				
Herrick-----	Well suited		Well suited	
Biddle-----	Well suited		Well suited	
Piasa-----	Poorly suited Stickiness	0.50	Well suited	
897C2:				
Bunkum-----	Well suited		Well suited	
Atlas-----	Poorly suited Stickiness	0.50	Well suited	
897C3:				
Bunkum-----	Well suited		Well suited	
Atlas-----	Poorly suited Stickiness	0.50	Well suited	
3073A:				
Ross-----	Well suited		Well suited	
3074A:				
Radford-----	Well suited		Well suited	
3107A:				
Sawmill-----	Well suited		Well suited	
3284A:				
Tice-----	Well suited		Well suited	
7148A:				
Proctor-----	Well suited		Well suited	
7242A:				
Kendall-----	Well suited		Well suited	
8396A:				
Vesser-----	Well suited		Well suited	
MW:				
Miscellaneous water	Not rated		Not rated	
W:				
Water-----	Not rated		Not rated	

Table 12e.--Forestland Management

(The information in this table indicates the dominant soil condition but does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation. The numbers in the value column range from 0.01 to 1.00. The larger the value, the greater the limitation. See text for further explanation of ratings in this table.)

Map symbol and soil name	Potential for seedling mortality	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value
8D2: Hickory-----	Low	
8D3: Hickory-----	Low	
8F: Hickory-----	Low	
17A: Keomah-----	High Wetness	1.00
43A: Ipava-----	Low	
45A: Denny-----	High Wetness	1.00
46A: Herrick-----	Low	
48A: Ebbert-----	High Wetness	1.00
50A: Virden-----	High Wetness	1.00
68A: Sable-----	High Wetness	1.00
86B: Osco-----	Low	
112A: Cowden-----	High Wetness	1.00
113A: Oconee-----	High Wetness	1.00
113B: Oconee-----	High Wetness	1.00

Table 12e.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential for seedling mortality	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value
119C2: Elco-----	Low	
119D2: Elco-----	Low	
127B: Harrison-----	Low	
127C2: Harrison-----	Low	
128B: Douglas-----	Low	
128C2: Douglas-----	Low	
131C2: Alvin-----	Low	
134B: Camden-----	Low	
134C2: Camden-----	Low	
136A: Brooklyn-----	High Wetness	1.00
138A: Shiloh-----	High Wetness	1.00
152A: Drummer-----	High Wetness	1.00
198A: Elburn-----	Low	
242A: Kendall-----	High Wetness	1.00
244A: Hartsburg-----	High Wetness	1.00
249A: Edinburg-----	High Wetness	1.00
256C2: Pana-----	Low	
257A: Clarksdale-----	High Wetness	1.00

Table 12e.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential for seedling mortality	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value
259C2: Assumption-----	Low	
279B: Rozetta-----	Low	
474A: Piasa-----	High Wetness	1.00
533: Urban land-----	Not rated	
536: Dumps, mine-----	Not rated	
567C2: Elkhart-----	Low	
570D2: Martinsville-----	Low	
570F: Martinsville-----	Low	
618G: Senachwine-----	Low	
660C2: Coatsburg-----	High Wetness	1.00
675B: Greenbush-----	Low	
679B: Blackberry-----	Low	
684B: Broadwell-----	Low	
685B: Middletown-----	Low	
705B: Buckhart-----	Low	
712A: Spaulding-----	High Wetness Lime Soil reaction	1.00 0.50 0.50
802B: Orthents-----	Low	
830: Landfills-----	Not rated	
835G: Earthen dam-----	Not rated	

Table 12e.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential for seedling mortality	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value
864: Pits, quarries-----	Not rated	
865: Pits, gravel-----	Not rated	
882A: Oconee-----	High Wetness	1.00
Darmstadt-----	High Wetness	1.00
Coulterville-----	High Wetness	1.00
894A: Herrick-----	Low	
Biddle-----	Low	
Piasa-----	High Wetness	1.00
897C2: Bunkum-----	Low	
Atlas-----	High Wetness	1.00
897C3: Bunkum-----	Low	
Atlas-----	High Wetness	1.00
3073A: Ross-----	Low	
3074A: Radford-----	Low	
3107A: Sawmill-----	High Wetness	1.00
3284A: Tice-----	Low	
7148A: Proctor-----	Low	
7242A: Kendall-----	High Wetness	1.00
8396A: Vesser-----	High Wetness	1.00

Table 12e.--Forestland Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential for seedling mortality	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value
MW: Miscellaneous water	Not rated	
W: Water-----	Not rated	

Table 13a.--Recreation

(The information in this table indicates the dominant soil condition but does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation. The numbers in the value columns range from 0.01 to 1.00. The larger the value, the greater the limitation. See text for further explanation of ratings in this table.)

Map symbol and soil name	Camp areas		Picnic areas		Playgrounds	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
8D2: Hickory-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.96	Somewhat limited Slope	0.96	Very limited Slope	1.00
8D3: Hickory-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.96	Somewhat limited Slope	0.96	Very limited Slope	1.00
8F: Hickory-----	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited Slope	1.00
17A: Keomah-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 0.96	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	0.96 0.94	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 0.96
43A: Ipava-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	0.98 0.21	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	0.75 0.21	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	0.98 0.21
45A: Denny-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00 0.96	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00 0.96	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00 0.96
46A: Herrick-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	0.98 0.21	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	0.75 0.21	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	0.98 0.21
48A: Ebbert-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00 0.96	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00 0.96	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00 0.96

Table 13a.--Recreation--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Camp areas		Picnic areas		Playgrounds	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
50A:						
Virden-----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Depth to	1.00	Ponding	1.00	Depth to	1.00
	saturated zone		Depth to	1.00	saturated zone	
	Ponding	1.00	saturated zone		Ponding	1.00
	Restricted	0.21	Restricted	0.21	Restricted	0.21
	permeability		permeability		permeability	
68A:						
Sable-----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Depth to	1.00	Ponding	1.00	Depth to	1.00
	saturated zone		Depth to	1.00	saturated zone	
	Ponding	1.00	saturated zone		Ponding	1.00
86B:						
Oscos-----	Not limited		Not limited		Somewhat limited	
					Slope	0.28
112A:						
Cowden-----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Depth to	1.00	Ponding	1.00	Depth to	1.00
	saturated zone		Depth to	1.00	saturated zone	
	Ponding	1.00	saturated zone		Ponding	1.00
	Restricted	0.96	Restricted	0.96	Restricted	0.96
	permeability		permeability		permeability	
113A:						
Oconee-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Very limited	
	Depth to	1.00	Restricted	0.96	Depth to	1.00
	saturated zone		permeability		saturated zone	
	Restricted	0.96	Depth to	0.94	Restricted	0.96
	permeability		saturated zone		permeability	
113B:						
Oconee-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Very limited	
	Depth to	1.00	Restricted	0.96	Depth to	1.00
	saturated zone		permeability		saturated zone	
	Restricted	0.96	Depth to	0.94	Restricted	0.96
	permeability		saturated zone		permeability	
					Slope	0.28
119C2:						
Elco-----	Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited		Very limited	
	Restricted	0.43	Restricted	0.43	Slope	1.00
	permeability		permeability		Restricted	0.43
					permeability	
119D2:						
Elco-----	Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited		Very limited	
	Slope	0.96	Slope	0.96	Slope	1.00
	Restricted	0.43	Restricted	0.43	Restricted	0.43
	permeability		permeability		permeability	
127B:						
Harrison-----	Not limited		Not limited		Somewhat limited	
					Slope	0.28
127C2:						
Harrison-----	Not limited		Not limited		Very limited	
					Slope	1.00

Table 13a.--Recreation--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Camp areas		Picnic areas		Playgrounds	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
128B: Douglas-----	Not limited		Not limited		Somewhat limited Slope	0.28
128C2: Douglas-----	Not limited		Not limited		Very limited Slope	1.00
131C2: Alvin-----	Not limited		Not limited		Very limited Slope	1.00
134B: Camden-----	Not limited		Not limited		Somewhat limited Slope	0.28
134C2: Camden-----	Not limited		Not limited		Very limited Slope	1.00
136A: Brooklyn-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Restricted permeability	1.00  1.00 0.96	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00 0.96	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00 0.96
138A: Shiloh-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Restricted permeability	1.00  1.00 0.21	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00 0.21	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00 0.21
152A: Drummer-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00  1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00
198A: Elburn-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.98	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.75	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.98
242A: Kendall-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.94	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00
244A: Hartsburg-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00  1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00

Table 13a.--Recreation--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Camp areas		Picnic areas		Playgrounds	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
249A: Edinburg-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Restricted permeability	 1.00  1.00 0.96	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	 1.00  1.00 0.96	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Restricted permeability	 1.00  1.00 0.96
256C2: Pana-----	Not limited		Not limited		Very limited Slope Gravel content	 1.00 0.08
257A: Clarksdale-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	 1.00  0.21	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	 0.94  0.21	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	 1.00  0.21
259C2: Assumption-----	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability	 0.43	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability	 0.43	Very limited Slope Restricted permeability	 1.00 0.43
279B: Rozetta-----	Not limited		Not limited		Somewhat limited Slope	 0.28
474A: Piasa-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Sodium content Ponding Restricted permeability	 1.00  1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Sodium content Restricted permeability	 1.00  1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Sodium content Ponding Restricted permeability	 1.00  1.00 1.00 1.00
533: Urban land-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
536: Dumps, mine-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
567C2: Elkhart-----	Not limited		Not limited		Very limited Slope	 1.00
570D2: Martinsville-----	Somewhat limited Slope	 0.96	Somewhat limited Slope	 0.96	Very limited Slope	 1.00
570F: Martinsville-----	Very limited Slope	 1.00	Very limited Slope	 1.00	Very limited Slope	 1.00

Table 13a.--Recreation--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Camp areas		Picnic areas		Playgrounds	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
618G: Senachwine-----	Very limited Slope Restricted permeability	1.00 0.21	Very limited Slope Restricted permeability	1.00 0.21	Very limited Slope Restricted permeability	1.00 0.21
660C2: Coatsburg-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability Slope	1.00 1.00 1.00
675B: Greenbush-----	Not limited		Not limited		Somewhat limited Slope	0.28
679B: Blackberry-----	Not limited		Not limited		Somewhat limited Slope	0.28
684B: Broadwell-----	Not limited		Not limited		Somewhat limited Slope	0.28
685B: Middletown-----	Not limited		Not limited		Somewhat limited Slope	0.28
705B: Buckhart-----	Not limited		Not limited		Somewhat limited Slope	0.28
712A: Spaulding-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00
802B: Orthents-----	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability	0.21	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability	0.21	Somewhat limited Slope Restricted permeability	0.50 0.21
830: Landfills-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
835G: Earthen dam-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
864: Pits, quarries-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
865: Pits, gravel-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	

Table 13a.--Recreation--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Camp areas		Picnic areas		Playgrounds	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
882A:						
Oconee-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability	0.96	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Restricted permeability	0.96	Depth to saturated zone	0.94	Restricted permeability	0.96
Darmstadt-----	Very limited Sodium content	1.00	Very limited Sodium content	1.00	Very limited Sodium content	1.00
	Restricted permeability	1.00	Restricted permeability	1.00	Restricted permeability	1.00
	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.94	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
Coulterville-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability	0.96	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Restricted permeability	0.96	Depth to saturated zone	0.94	Restricted permeability	0.96
894A:						
Herrick-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.98	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.75	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.98
	Restricted permeability	0.21	Restricted permeability	0.21	Restricted permeability	0.21
Biddle-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.98	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability	0.96	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.98
	Restricted permeability	0.96	Depth to saturated zone	0.75	Restricted permeability	0.96
Piasa-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Sodium content	1.00	Sodium content	1.00	Sodium content	1.00
	Ponding	1.00	Restricted	1.00	Ponding	1.00
	Restricted permeability	1.00	Restricted permeability	1.00	Restricted permeability	1.00
897C2:						
Bunkum-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.98	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.75	Very limited Slope Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Restricted permeability	0.21	Restricted permeability	0.21	Restricted permeability	0.21
Atlas-----	Very limited Restricted permeability	1.00	Very limited Restricted permeability	1.00	Very limited Restricted permeability	1.00
	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.94	Slope Depth to saturated zone	1.00

Table 13a.--Recreation--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Camp areas		Picnic areas		Playgrounds	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
897C3:						
Bunkum-----	Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited		Very limited	
	Depth to	0.98	Depth to	0.75	Slope	1.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone		Depth to	0.98
	Restricted	0.21	Restricted	0.21	saturated zone	
	permeability		permeability		Restricted	0.21
					permeability	
Atlas-----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Restricted	1.00	Restricted	1.00	Restricted	1.00
	permeability		permeability		permeability	
	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	0.94	Slope	1.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone		Depth to	1.00
					saturated zone	
3073A:						
Ross-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Very limited	
	Flooding	1.00	Flooding	0.40	Flooding	1.00
3074A:						
Radford-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Very limited	
	Flooding	1.00	Depth to	0.75	Flooding	1.00
	Depth to	0.98	saturated zone		Depth to	0.98
	saturated zone		Flooding	0.40	saturated zone	
3107A:						
Sawmill-----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Depth to	1.00	Ponding	1.00	Depth to	1.00
	saturated zone		Depth to	1.00	saturated zone	
	Flooding	1.00	saturated zone		Flooding	1.00
	Ponding	1.00	Flooding	0.40	Ponding	1.00
3284A:						
Tice-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Very limited	
	Flooding	1.00	Depth to	0.75	Flooding	1.00
	Depth to	0.98	saturated zone		Depth to	0.98
	saturated zone		Flooding	0.40	saturated zone	
7148A:						
Proctor-----	Very limited		Not limited		Not limited	
	Flooding	1.00				
7242A:						
Kendall-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Very limited	
	Flooding	1.00	Depth to	0.94	Depth to	1.00
	Depth to	1.00	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	saturated zone					
8396A:						
Vesser-----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	1.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Flooding	1.00			Flooding	0.60
MW:						
Miscellaneous						
water-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
W:						
Water-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	

Table 13b.--Recreation

(The information in this table indicates the dominant soil condition but does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation. The numbers in the value columns range from 0.01 to 1.00. The larger the value, the greater the limitation. See text for further explanation of ratings in this table.)

Map symbol and soil name	Paths and trails		Off-road motorcycle trails		Golf fairways	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
8D2: Hickory-----	Not limited		Not limited		Somewhat limited Slope	0.96
8D3: Hickory-----	Not limited		Not limited		Somewhat limited Slope	0.96
8F: Hickory-----	Very limited Slope	1.00	Somewhat limited Slope	0.02	Very limited Slope	1.00
17A: Keomah-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.94
43A: Ipava-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.44	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.44	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.75
45A: Denny-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
46A: Herrick-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.44	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.44	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.75
48A: Ebbert-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
50A: Virden-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
68A: Sable-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
86B: Osco-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	

Table 13b.--Recreation--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Paths and trails		Off-road motorcycle trails		Golf fairways	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
112A: Cowden-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
113A: Oconee-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.94
113B: Oconee-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.94
119C2: Elco-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
119D2: Elco-----	Very limited Water erosion	1.00	Very limited Water erosion	1.00	Somewhat limited Slope	0.96
127B: Harrison-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
127C2: Harrison-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
128B: Douglas-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
128C2: Douglas-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
131C2: Alvin-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
134B: Camden-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
134C2: Camden-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
136A: Brooklyn-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
138A: Shiloh-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
152A: Drummer-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00

Table 13b.--Recreation--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Paths and trails		Off-road motorcycle trails		Golf fairways	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
198A: Elburn-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.44	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.44	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.75
242A: Kendall-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.94
244A: Hartsburg-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
249A: Edinburg-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
256C2: Pana-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
257A: Clarksdale-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.94
259C2: Assumption-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
279B: Rozetta-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
474A: Piassa-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Sodium content Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00
533: Urban land-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
536: Dumps, mine-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
567C2: Elkhart-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
570D2: Martinsville-----	Not limited		Not limited		Somewhat limited Slope	0.96
570F: Martinsville-----	Very limited Slope	1.00	Somewhat limited Slope	0.02	Very limited Slope	1.00

Table 13b.--Recreation--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Paths and trails		Off-road motorcycle trails		Golf fairways	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
618G: Senachwine-----	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited Slope	1.00
660C2: Coatsburg-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00
675B: Greenbush-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
679B: Blackberry-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
684B: Broadwell-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
685B: Middletown-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
705B: Buckhart-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
712A: Spaulding-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
802B: Orthents-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
830: Landfills-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
835G: Earthen dam-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
864: Pits, quarries-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
865: Pits, gravel-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
882A: Oconee-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.94
Darmstadt-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Very limited Sodium content Depth to saturated zone	1.00 0.94
Coulterville-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.94

Table 13b.--Recreation--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Paths and trails		Off-road motorcycle trails		Golf fairways	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
894A:						
Herrick-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.44	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.44	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.75
Biddle-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.44	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.44	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.75
Piasa-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Sodium content Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00
897C2:						
Bunkum-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.44	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.44	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.75
Atlas-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.94
897C3:						
Bunkum-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.44	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.44	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.75
Atlas-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.94
3073A:						
Ross-----	Somewhat limited Flooding	0.40	Somewhat limited Flooding	0.40	Very limited Flooding	1.00
3074A:						
Radford-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Flooding	0.44 0.40	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Flooding	0.44 0.40	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 0.75
3107A:						
Sawmill-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Flooding	1.00 1.00 0.40	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Flooding	1.00 1.00 0.40	Very limited Ponding Flooding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00
3284A:						
Tice-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Flooding	0.44 0.40	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Flooding	0.44 0.40	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 0.75
7148A:						
Proctor-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	

Table 13b.--Recreation--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Paths and trails		Off-road motorcycle trails		Golf fairways	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
7242A: Kendall-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.86	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.94
8396A: Vesser-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Flooding	1.00 0.60
MW: Miscellaneous water	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
W: Water-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	

Table 14.--Wildlife Habitat

(See text for definitions of terms used in this table. Absence of an entry indicates that no rating is applicable.)

Map symbol and soil name	Potential for habitat elements							Potential as habitat for--		
	Grain and seed crops	Grasses and legumes	Wild herba- ceous plants	Hardwood trees	Conif- erous plants	Wetland plants	Shallow water areas	Openland wildlife	Woodland wildlife	Wetland wildlife
8D2: Hickory-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Very poor.	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
8D3: Hickory-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Very poor.	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
8F: Hickory-----	Very poor.	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Very poor.	Very poor.	Fair	Good	Very poor.
17A: Keomah-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair.
43A: Ipava-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair.
45A: Denny-----	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good.
46A: Herrick-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair.
48A: Ebbert-----	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good.
50A: Virden-----	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good.
68A: Sable-----	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good.
86B: Osco-----	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
112A: Cowden-----	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good.
113A: Oconee-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair.
113B: Oconee-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
119C2: Elco-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
119D2: Elco-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Very poor.	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
127B: Harrison-----	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.

Table 14.--Wildlife Habitat--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential for habitat elements							Potential as habitat for--		
	Grain and seed crops	Grasses and legumes	Wild herba- ceous plants	Hardwood trees	Conif- erous plants	Wetland plants	Shallow water areas	Openland wildlife	Woodland wildlife	Wetland wildlife
127C2: Harrison-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
128B: Douglas-----	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
128C2: Douglas-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
131C2: Alvin-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
134B: Camden-----	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
134C2: Camden-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
136A: Brooklyn-----	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good.
138A: Shiloh-----	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good.
152A: Drummer-----	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good.
198A: Elburn-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair.
242A: Kendall-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair.
244A: Hartsburg-----	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good.
249A: Edinburg-----	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good.
256C2: Pana-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
257A: Clarksdale-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair.
259C2: Assumption-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
279B: Rozetta-----	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.



Table 14.--Wildlife Habitat--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential for habitat elements							Potential as habitat for--		
	Grain and seed crops	Grasses and legumes	Wild herba- ceous plants	Hardwood trees	Conif- erous plants	Wetland plants	Shallow water areas	Openland wildlife	Woodland wildlife	Wetland wildlife
864: Pits, quarries.										
865: Pits, gravel.										
882A: Oconee-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair.
Darmstadt-----	Fair	Good	Very poor.	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good	Fair.
Coulterville-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair.
894A: Herrick-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair.
Biddle-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair.
Piasa-----	Poor	Fair	Very poor.	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Poor	Fair	Good.
897C2: Bunkum-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
Atlas-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
897C3: Bunkum-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
Atlas-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
3073A: Ross-----	Poor	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Fair	Good	Very poor.
3074A: Radford-----	Poor	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good	Fair.
3107A: Sawmill-----	Poor	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good.
3284A: Tice-----	Poor	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good	Fair.
7148A: Proctor-----	Good	Good	Good	Good	Good	Poor	Very poor.	Good	Good	Very poor.
7242A: Kendall-----	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair.
8396A: Vesser-----	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Good.



Table 15a.--Building Site Development

(The information in this table indicates the dominant soil condition but does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation. The numbers in the value columns range from 0.01 to 1.00. The larger the value, the greater the potential limitation. See text for further explanation of ratings in this table.)

Map symbol and soil name	Dwellings without basements		Dwellings with basements		Small commercial buildings	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
8D2: Hickory-----	Somewhat limited Slope Shrink-swell	 0.96 0.50	Somewhat limited Slope Shrink-swell	 0.96 0.50	Very limited Slope Shrink-swell	 1.00 0.50
8D3: Hickory-----	Somewhat limited Slope Shrink-swell	 0.96 0.50	Somewhat limited Slope Shrink-swell	 0.96 0.50	Very limited Slope Shrink-swell	 1.00 0.50
8F: Hickory-----	Very limited Slope Shrink-swell	 1.00 0.50	Very limited Slope Shrink-swell	 1.00 0.50	Very limited Slope Shrink-swell	 1.00 0.50
17A: Keomah-----	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	 1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	 1.00	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	 1.00 1.00
43A: Ipava-----	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	 1.00 0.98	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	 1.00 0.50	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	 1.00 0.98
45A: Denny-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 1.00
46A: Herrick-----	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	 1.00 0.98	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	 1.00 0.98
48A: Ebbert-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 0.50
50A: Virden-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 1.00

Table 15a.--Building Site Development--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Dwellings without basements		Dwellings with basements		Small commercial buildings	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
68A: Sable-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50
86B: Osco-----	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	0.50 0.15	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50
112A: Cowden-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00
113A: Oconee-----	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
113B: Oconee-----	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
119C2: Elco-----	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 0.99	Somewhat limited Slope Shrink-swell	0.97 0.50
119D2: Elco-----	Somewhat limited Slope Shrink-swell	0.96 0.50	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00 0.99 0.96	Very limited Slope Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50
127B: Harrison----	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	0.99 0.50	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50
127C2: Harrison----	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	0.99 0.50	Somewhat limited Slope Shrink-swell	0.97 0.50
128B: Douglas-----	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50

Table 15a.--Building Site Development--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Dwellings without basements		Dwellings with basements		Small commercial buildings	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
128C2: Douglas-----	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50	Somewhat limited Slope Shrink-swell	0.97 0.50
131C2: Alvin-----	Not limited		Not limited		Somewhat limited Slope	0.97
134B: Camden-----	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50	Not limited		Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50
134C2: Camden-----	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50	Not limited		Somewhat limited Slope Shrink-swell	0.97 0.50
136A: Brooklyn----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00
138A: Shiloh-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00
152A: Drummer-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50
198A: Elburn-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	0.98 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	0.98 0.50
242A: Kendall-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50
244A: Hartsburg---	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50

Table 15a.--Building Site Development--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Dwellings without basements		Dwellings with basements		Small commercial buildings	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
249A: Edinburg----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00
256C2: Pana-----	Not limited		Not limited		Somewhat limited Slope	0.97
257A: Clarksdale--	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
259C2: Assumption--	Very limited Shrink-swell	1.00	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 0.99	Very limited Shrink-swell Slope	1.00 0.97
279B: Rozetta----	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	0.50 0.15	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50
474A: Piasa-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00
533: Urban land--	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
536: Dumps, mine	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
567C2: Elkhart----	Somewhat limited Shrink-swell	0.50	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.16	Somewhat limited Slope Shrink-swell	0.97 0.50
570D2: Martinsville	Somewhat limited Slope Shrink-swell	0.96 0.50	Somewhat limited Slope Shrink-swell	0.96 0.50	Very limited Slope Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50
570F: Martinsville	Very limited Slope Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50	Very limited Slope Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50	Very limited Slope Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50
618G: Senachwine--	Very limited Slope Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited Slope Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50

Table 15a.--Building Site Development--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Dwellings without basements		Dwellings with basements		Small commercial buildings	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
660C2: Coatsburg---	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Shrink-swell	1.00	Shrink-swell	1.00	Shrink-swell	1.00
					Slope	0.97
675B: Greenbush---	Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited	
	Shrink-swell	0.50	Shrink-swell	0.50	Shrink-swell	0.50
			Depth to saturated zone	0.15		
679B: Blackberry--	Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited	
	Shrink-swell	0.50	Depth to saturated zone	0.99	Shrink-swell	0.50
			Shrink-swell	0.50		
684B: Broadwell---	Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited	
	Shrink-swell	0.50	Shrink-swell	0.50	Shrink-swell	0.50
685B: Middletown--	Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited	
	Shrink-swell	0.50	Shrink-swell	0.50	Shrink-swell	0.50
705B: Buckhart----	Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited	
	Shrink-swell	0.50	Depth to saturated zone	0.99	Shrink-swell	0.50
			Shrink-swell	0.50		
712A: Spaulding---	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00
	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Shrink-swell	0.50			Shrink-swell	0.50
802B: Orthents----	Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited	
	Shrink-swell	0.50	Shrink-swell	0.50	Shrink-swell	0.50
830: Landfills---	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
835G: Earthen dam	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
864: Pits, quarries---	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
865: Pits, gravel-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	

Table 15a.--Building Site Development--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Dwellings without basements		Dwellings with basements		Small commercial buildings	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
882A:						
Oconee-----	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
Darmstadt---	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50
Coulterville	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50
894A:						
Herrick-----	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 0.98	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 0.98
Biddle-----	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 0.98	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 0.98
Piassa-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00
897C2:						
Bunkum-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	0.98 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Slope Shrink-swell	0.98 0.97 0.50
Atlas-----	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
897C3:						
Bunkum-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	0.98 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Slope Shrink-swell	0.98 0.97 0.50
Atlas-----	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00	Very limited Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00

Table 15a.--Building Site Development--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Dwellings without basements		Dwellings with basements		Small commercial buildings	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
3073A: Ross-----	Very limited Flooding	1.00	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 0.15	Very limited Flooding	1.00
3074A: Radford-----	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 0.98	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 0.98
3107A: Sawmill-----	Very limited Ponding Flooding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Flooding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Flooding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00 0.50
3284A: Tice-----	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 0.98 0.50	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 0.98 0.50
7148A: Proctor-----	Very limited Flooding Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50	Very limited Flooding Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50	Very limited Flooding Shrink-swell	1.00 0.50
7242A: Kendall-----	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50
8396A: Vesser-----	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.50
MW: Miscellaneous water-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
W: Water-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	

Table 15b.--Building Site Development

(The information in this table indicates the dominant soil condition but does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation. The numbers in the value columns range from 0.01 to 1.00. The larger the value, the greater the potential limitation. See text for further explanation of ratings in this table.)

Map symbol and soil name	Local roads and streets		Shallow excavations		Lawns and landscaping	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
8D2:						
Hickory-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited	
	Low strength	1.00	Slope	0.96	Slope	0.96
	Slope	0.96	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
	Frost action	0.50				
8D3:						
Hickory-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited	
	Low strength	1.00	Slope	0.96	Slope	0.96
	Slope	0.96	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
	Frost action	0.50				
8F:						
Hickory-----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Slope	1.00	Slope	1.00	Slope	1.00
	Low strength	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
	Frost action	0.50				
17A:						
Keomah-----	Very limited		Very limited		Somewhat limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.94
	Low strength	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Shrink-swell	1.00				
	Depth to saturated zone	0.94				
43A:						
Ipava-----	Very limited		Very limited		Somewhat limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.75
	Low strength	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Shrink-swell	1.00				
	Depth to saturated zone	0.75				
45A:						
Denny-----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00
	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Frost action	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Low strength	1.00				
	Shrink-swell	1.00				
46A:						
Herrick-----	Very limited		Very limited		Somewhat limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.75
	Low strength	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Shrink-swell	1.00				
	Depth to saturated zone	0.75				

Table 15b.--Building Site Development--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Local roads and streets		Shallow excavations		Lawns and landscaping	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
48A: Ebbert-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	 1.00 1.00 0.10	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	 1.00 1.00
50A: Virден-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	 1.00 1.00 0.10	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	 1.00 1.00
68A: Sable-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	 1.00 1.00 0.10	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	 1.00 1.00
86B: Osco-----	Very limited Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 1.00	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	 0.15 0.10	Not limited	
112A: Cowden-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	 1.00 1.00 0.10	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	 1.00 1.00
113A: Oconee-----	Very limited Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	 1.00 1.00 1.00 0.94	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	 1.00 0.10	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	 0.94
113B: Oconee-----	Very limited Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	 1.00 1.00 1.00 0.94	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	 1.00 0.10	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	 0.94

Table 15b.--Building Site Development--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Local roads and streets		Shallow excavations		Lawns and landscaping	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
119C2:						
Elco-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Not limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to	0.99		
	Low strength	1.00	saturated zone			
	Shrink-swell	0.50	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
119D2:						
Elco-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Somewhat limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to	0.99	Slope	0.96
	Low strength	1.00	saturated zone			
	Slope	0.96	Slope	0.96		
	Shrink-swell	0.50	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
127B:						
Harrison----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Not limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to	0.99		
	Low strength	1.00	saturated zone			
	Shrink-swell	0.50	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
127C2:						
Harrison----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Not limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to	0.99		
	Low strength	1.00	saturated zone			
	Shrink-swell	0.50	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
128B:						
Douglas-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Not limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Low strength	1.00				
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
128C2:						
Douglas-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Not limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Low strength	1.00				
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
131C2:						
Alvin-----	Somewhat limited		Very limited		Not limited	
	Frost action	0.50	Cutbanks cave	1.00		
134B:						
Camden-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Not limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Low strength	1.00				
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
134C2:						
Camden-----	Very limited		Very limited		Not limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Cutbanks cave	1.00		
	Low strength	1.00				
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
136A:						
Brooklyn----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00
	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	1.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Frost action	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Low strength	1.00	Too clayey	0.01		
	Shrink-swell	1.00				

Table 15b.--Building Site Development--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Local roads and streets		Shallow excavations		Lawns and landscaping	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
138A:						
Shiloh-----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00
	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Frost action	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Low strength	1.00				
	Shrink-swell	1.00				
152A:						
Drummer-----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00
	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Frost action	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Low strength	1.00				
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
198A:						
Elburn-----	Very limited		Very limited		Somewhat limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.75
	Low strength	1.00	Cutbanks cave	1.00		
	Depth to saturated zone	0.75				
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
242A:						
Kendall-----	Very limited		Very limited		Somewhat limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.94
	Low strength	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Depth to saturated zone	0.94				
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
244A:						
Hartsburg---	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00
	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Frost action	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Low strength	1.00				
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
249A:						
Edinburg----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00
	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Frost action	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Low strength	1.00				
	Shrink-swell	1.00				
256C2:						
Pana-----	Somewhat limited		Very limited		Not limited	
	Frost action	0.50	Cutbanks cave	1.00		

Table 15b.--Building Site Development--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Local roads and streets		Shallow excavations		Lawns and landscaping	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
257A:						
Clarksdale--	Very limited		Very limited		Somewhat limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	0.94
	Low strength	1.00	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Shrink-swell	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Depth to	0.94				
	saturated zone					
259C2:						
Assumption--	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Not limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to	0.99		
	Low strength	1.00	saturated zone			
	Shrink-swell	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
279B:						
Rozetta-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Not limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to	0.15		
	Low strength	1.00	saturated zone			
	Shrink-swell	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
474A:						
Piasa-----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00
	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	1.00	Sodium content	1.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone		Depth to	1.00
	Frost action	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10	saturated zone	
	Low strength	1.00				
	Shrink-swell	1.00				
533:						
Urban land--	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
536:						
Dumps, mine	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
567C2:						
Elkhart-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Not limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to	0.16		
	Low strength	1.00	saturated zone			
	Shrink-swell	0.50	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
570D2:						
Martinsville	Somewhat limited		Very limited		Somewhat limited	
	Slope	0.96	Cutbanks cave	1.00	Slope	0.96
	Shrink-swell	0.50	Slope	0.96		
	Frost action	0.50				
570F:						
Martinsville	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Slope	1.00	Slope	1.00	Slope	1.00
	Shrink-swell	0.50	Cutbanks cave	1.00		
	Frost action	0.50				
618G:						
Senachwine--	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Slope	1.00	Slope	1.00	Slope	1.00
	Low strength	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
	Frost action	0.50				

Table 15b.--Building Site Development--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Local roads and streets		Shallow excavations		Lawns and landscaping	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
660C2: Coatsburg---	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave Too clayey	 1.00 0.10 0.02	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	 1.00
675B: Greenbush---	Very limited Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 0.50	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	 0.15 0.10	Not limited	
679B: Blackberry--	Very limited Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 0.50	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	 0.99 0.10	Not limited	
684B: Broadwell---	Very limited Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Cutbanks cave	 1.00	Not limited	
685B: Middletown--	Very limited Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Cutbanks cave	 1.00	Not limited	
705B: Buckhart----	Very limited Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 0.50	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	 0.99 0.10	Not limited	
712A: Spaulding---	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell	 1.00 1.00 1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	 1.00 1.00 0.10	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	 1.00 1.00
802B: Orthents----	Very limited Low strength Shrink-swell Frost action	 1.00 0.50 0.50	Somewhat limited Cutbanks cave	 0.10	Not limited	
830: Landfills---	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
835G: Earthen dam	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	

Table 15b.--Building Site Development--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Local roads and streets		Shallow excavations		Lawns and landscaping	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
864: Pits, quarries---	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
865: Pits, gravel-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
882A: Oconee-----	Very limited Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00 0.94	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.94
Darmstadt---	Very limited Frost action Low strength Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.94 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10	Very limited Sodium content Depth to saturated zone	1.00 0.94
Coulterville	Very limited Frost action Low strength Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.94 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.94
894A: Herrick-----	Very limited Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00 0.75	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.75
Biddle-----	Very limited Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00 0.75	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.75
Piasa-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Frost action Low strength Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 1.00 0.10	Very limited Ponding Sodium content Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00
897C2: Bunkum-----	Very limited Frost action Low strength Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	1.00 1.00 0.75 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.75

Table 15b.--Building Site Development--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Local roads and streets		Shallow excavations		Lawns and landscaping	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
897C2:						
Atlas-----	Very limited		Very limited		Somewhat limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	0.94
	Low strength	1.00	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Shrink-swell	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Depth to	0.94	Too clayey	0.01		
	saturated zone					
897C3:						
Bunkum-----	Very limited		Very limited		Somewhat limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	0.75
	Low strength	1.00	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Depth to	0.75	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	saturated zone					
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
Atlas-----	Very limited		Very limited		Somewhat limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	0.94
	Low strength	1.00	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Shrink-swell	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Depth to	0.94	Too clayey	0.01		
	saturated zone					
3073A:						
Ross-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Very limited	
	Flooding	1.00	Flooding	0.80	Flooding	1.00
	Low strength	0.78	Depth to	0.15		
	Frost action	0.50	saturated zone			
			Cutbanks cave	0.10		
3074A:						
Radford-----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to	1.00	Flooding	1.00
	Flooding	1.00	saturated zone		Depth to	0.75
	Low strength	1.00	Flooding	0.80	saturated zone	
	Depth to	0.75	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	saturated zone					
3107A:						
Sawmill-----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00	Ponding	1.00
	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	1.00	Flooding	1.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone		Depth to	1.00
	Frost action	1.00	Flooding	0.80	saturated zone	
	Flooding	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Low strength	1.00				
3284A:						
Tice-----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to	1.00	Flooding	1.00
	Flooding	1.00	saturated zone		Depth to	0.75
	Low strength	1.00	Flooding	0.80	saturated zone	
	Depth to	0.75	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	saturated zone					
	Shrink-swell	0.50				

Table 15b.--Building Site Development--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Local roads and streets		Shallow excavations		Lawns and landscaping	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
7148A:						
Proctor-----	Very limited		Somewhat limited		Not limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Low strength	1.00				
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
	Flooding	0.40				
7242A:						
Kendall-----	Very limited		Very limited		Somewhat limited	
	Frost action	1.00	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	0.94
	Low strength	1.00	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Depth to	0.94	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	saturated zone					
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
	Flooding	0.40				
8396A:						
Vesser-----	Very limited		Very limited		Very limited	
	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	1.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Frost action	1.00	Flooding	0.60	Flooding	0.60
	Flooding	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10		
	Low strength	1.00				
	Shrink-swell	0.50				
MW:						
Miscellaneous						
water-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
W:						
Water-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	

Table 16a.--Sanitary Facilities

(The information in this table indicates the dominant soil condition but does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation. The numbers in the value columns range from 0.01 to 1.00. The larger the value, the greater the limitation. See text for further explanation of ratings in this table.)

Map symbol and soil name	Septic tank absorption fields		Sewage lagoons	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
8D2: Hickory-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.96	Very limited Slope	1.00
	Restricted permeability	0.46	Seepage	0.53
8D3: Hickory-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.96	Very limited Slope	1.00
	Restricted permeability	0.46	Seepage	0.53
8F: Hickory-----	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited Slope	1.00
	Restricted permeability	0.46	Seepage	0.53
17A: Keomah-----	Very limited Restricted permeability	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Seepage	0.53
43A: Ipava-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Restricted permeability	1.00	Seepage	0.53
45A: Denny-----	Very limited Restricted permeability	1.00	Very limited Ponding	1.00
	Ponding	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Depth to saturated zone	1.00		
46A: Herrick-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Restricted permeability	1.00		
48A: Ebbert-----	Very limited Restricted permeability	1.00	Very limited Ponding	1.00
	Ponding	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
	Depth to saturated zone	1.00		

Table 16a.--Sanitary Facilities--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Septic tank absorption fields		Sewage lagoons	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
50A: Viriden-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
68A: Sable-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00 0.46	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Seepage	1.00 1.00 0.53
86B: Osco-----	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	0.46 0.40	Somewhat limited Seepage Slope	0.53 0.18
112A: Cowden-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
113A: Oconee-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00
113B: Oconee-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00 0.18
119C2: Elco-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Slope Seepage	1.00 1.00 0.53
119D2: Elco-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability Slope	1.00 1.00 0.96	Very limited Slope Depth to saturated zone Seepage	1.00 1.00 0.53

Table 16a.--Sanitary Facilities--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Septic tank absorption fields		Sewage lagoons	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
127B: Harrison-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Seepage Slope	1.00 0.53 0.18
127C2: Harrison-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Slope Seepage	1.00 1.00 0.53
128B: Douglas-----	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability	0.46	Very limited Seepage Slope	1.00 0.18
128C2: Douglas-----	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability	0.46	Very limited Slope Seepage	1.00 1.00
131C2: Alvin-----	Not limited		Very limited Seepage Slope	1.00 1.00
134B: Camden-----	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability	0.46	Somewhat limited Seepage Slope	0.53 0.18
134C2: Camden-----	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability	0.46	Very limited Seepage Slope	1.00 1.00
136A: Brooklyn-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Seepage	1.00 1.00 0.53
138A: Shiloh-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00

Table 16a.--Sanitary Facilities--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Septic tank absorption fields		Sewage lagoons	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
152A: Drummer-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00 0.46	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Seepage	1.00 1.00 0.53
198A: Elburn-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 0.46	Very limited Seepage Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
242A: Kendall-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 0.46	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Seepage	1.00 0.53
244A: Hartsburg-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00 0.46	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Seepage	1.00 1.00 0.53
249A: Edinburg-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Seepage	1.00 1.00 0.28
256C2: Pana-----	Not limited		Very limited Seepage Slope	1.00 1.00
257A: Clarksdale-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Seepage	1.00 0.53
259C2: Assumption-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Slope Seepage	1.00 1.00 0.53

Table 16a.--Sanitary Facilities--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Septic tank absorption fields		Sewage lagoons	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
279B: Rozetta-----	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	0.46  0.40	Somewhat limited Seepage Slope	0.53  0.18
474A: Piassa-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00  1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00  1.00
533: Urban land-----	Not rated		Not rated	
536: Dumps, mine-----	Not rated		Not rated	
567C2: Elkhart-----	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	0.46  0.43	Very limited Slope Seepage	1.00  0.53
570D2: Martinsville-----	Somewhat limited Slope Restricted permeability	0.96  0.46	Very limited Slope Seepage	1.00  1.00
570F: Martinsville-----	Very limited Slope Restricted permeability	1.00  0.46	Very limited Slope Seepage	1.00  1.00
618G: Senachwine-----	Very limited Slope Restricted permeability	1.00  1.00	Very limited Slope Seepage	1.00  0.53
660C2: Coatsburg-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	1.00  1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00  1.00
675B: Greenbush-----	Somewhat limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	0.46  0.40	Somewhat limited Seepage Slope	0.53  0.18

Table 16a.--Sanitary Facilities--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Septic tank absorption fields		Sewage lagoons	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
679B: Blackberry-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00  0.46	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Seepage Slope	1.00  0.53 0.18
684B: Broadwell-----	Very limited Poor filtering capacity Restricted permeability	1.00  0.46	Very limited Seepage Slope	1.00  0.18
685B: Middletown-----	Very limited Poor filtering capacity Restricted permeability	1.00  0.46	Very limited Seepage Slope	1.00  0.18
705B: Buckhart-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00  0.46	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Seepage Slope	1.00  0.53 0.18
712A: Spaulding-----	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00  1.00  0.46	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Seepage	1.00  1.00  0.53
802B: Orthents-----	Very limited Restricted permeability	1.00	Somewhat limited Slope	0.32
830: Landfills-----	Not rated		Not rated	
835G: Earthen dam-----	Not rated		Not rated	
864: Pits, quarries-----	Not rated		Not rated	
865: Pits, gravel-----	Not rated		Not rated	
882A: Oconee-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	1.00  1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00

Table 16a.--Sanitary Facilities--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Septic tank absorption fields		Sewage lagoons	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
882A: Darmstadt-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00
Coulterville-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00
894A: Herrick-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00
Biddle-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00
Piasa-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00
897C2: Bunkum-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00 1.00
Atlas-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00 1.00
897C3: Bunkum-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Restricted permeability	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00 1.00
Atlas-----	Very limited Restricted permeability Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00 1.00

Table 16a.--Sanitary Facilities--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Septic tank absorption fields		Sewage lagoons	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
3073A:				
Ross-----	Very limited		Very limited	
	Flooding	1.00	Flooding	1.00
	Restricted	0.46	Seepage	1.00
	permeability			
	Depth to	0.40		
	saturated zone			
3074A:				
Radford-----	Very limited		Very limited	
	Flooding	1.00	Flooding	1.00
	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	1.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Restricted	0.46	Seepage	0.53
	permeability			
3107A:				
Sawmill-----	Very limited		Very limited	
	Flooding	1.00	Ponding	1.00
	Ponding	1.00	Flooding	1.00
	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	1.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Restricted	0.46	Seepage	0.53
	permeability			
3284A:				
Tice-----	Very limited		Very limited	
	Flooding	1.00	Flooding	1.00
	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	1.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Restricted	0.46	Seepage	0.53
	permeability			
7148A:				
Proctor-----	Somewhat limited		Very limited	
	Restricted	0.46	Seepage	1.00
	permeability		Flooding	0.40
	Flooding	0.40		
7242A:				
Kendall-----	Very limited		Very limited	
	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	1.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Restricted	0.46	Seepage	0.53
	permeability		Flooding	0.40
	Flooding	0.40		
8396A:				
Vesser-----	Very limited		Very limited	
	Flooding	1.00	Flooding	1.00
	Depth to	1.00	Depth to	1.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Restricted	0.46	Seepage	0.53
	permeability			
MW:				
Miscellaneous water	Not rated		Not rated	
W:				
Water-----	Not rated		Not rated	

Table 16b.--Sanitary Facilities

(The information in this table indicates the dominant soil condition but does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation. The numbers in the value columns range from 0.01 to 1.00. The larger the value, the greater the limitation. See text for further explanation of ratings in this table.)

Map symbol and soil name	Trench sanitary landfill		Area sanitary landfill		Daily cover for landfill	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
8D2: Hickory-----	Somewhat limited Slope Too clayey	0.96 0.50	Somewhat limited Slope	0.96	Somewhat limited Slope Too clayey	0.96 0.50
8D3: Hickory-----	Somewhat limited Slope Too clayey	0.96 0.50	Somewhat limited Slope	0.96	Somewhat limited Slope Too clayey	0.96 0.50
8F: Hickory-----	Very limited Slope Too clayey	1.00 0.50	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited Slope Too clayey	1.00 0.50
17A: Keomah-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50
43A: Ipava-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50
45A: Denny-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Too clayey	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 1.00 0.50
46A: Herrick-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50
48A: Ebbert-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Too clayey	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 1.00 0.50
50A: Viriden-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Too clayey	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 1.00 0.50

Table 16b.--Sanitary Facilities--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trench sanitary landfill		Area sanitary landfill		Daily cover for landfill	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
68A: Sable-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Too clayey	1.00  1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 1.00 0.50
86B: Osco-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Somewhat limited Too clayey	0.50
112A: Cowden-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Too clayey	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 1.00 0.50
113A: Ocnee-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50
113B: Ocnee-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50
119C2: Elco-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	0.68 0.50	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.32	Somewhat limited Too clayey Depth to saturated zone	0.50 0.25
119D2: Elco-----	Somewhat limited Slope Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	0.96 0.68 0.50	Somewhat limited Slope Depth to saturated zone	0.96 0.32	Somewhat limited Slope Too clayey Depth to saturated zone	0.96 0.50 0.25
127B: Harrison-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	0.68 0.50	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.32	Somewhat limited Too clayey Depth to saturated zone	0.50 0.25
127C2: Harrison-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	0.68 0.50	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.32	Somewhat limited Too clayey Depth to saturated zone	0.50 0.25
128B: Douglas-----	Very limited Seepage Too clayey	1.00 0.50	Not limited		Somewhat limited Too clayey Seepage	0.50 0.22

Table 16b.--Sanitary Facilities--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trench sanitary landfill		Area sanitary landfill		Daily cover for landfill	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
128C2: Douglas-----	Very limited Seepage Too clayey	1.00  0.50	Not limited		Somewhat limited Too clayey Seepage	0.50  0.22
131C2: Alvin-----	Very limited Seepage	1.00	Very limited Seepage	1.00	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.52
134B: Camden-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
134C2: Camden-----	Very limited Seepage Too sandy	1.00  1.00	Not limited		Somewhat limited Too sandy Too clayey Seepage	0.50  0.50 0.22
136A: Brooklyn-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Too clayey	1.00  1.00  1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00  1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  1.00  1.00
138A: Shiloh-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Too clayey	1.00  1.00  0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00  1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  1.00  0.50
152A: Drummer-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Too clayey	1.00  1.00  0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00  1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  1.00  0.50
198A: Elburn-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Seepage Too clayey	1.00  1.00  0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50
242A: Kendall-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50
244A: Hartsburg-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00  1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00  1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00  1.00

Table 16b.--Sanitary Facilities--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trench sanitary landfill		Area sanitary landfill		Daily cover for landfill	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
249A: Edinburg-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Too clayey	1.00  1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 1.00 0.50
256C2: Pana-----	Very limited Seepage Too clayey	1.00 0.50	Very limited Seepage	1.00	Somewhat limited Seepage Too clayey	0.52 0.50
257A: Clarksdale-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50
259C2: Assumption-----	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	0.68 0.50	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.32	Somewhat limited Too clayey Depth to saturated zone	0.50 0.25
279B: Rozetta-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Somewhat limited Too clayey	0.50
474A: Piasa-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Sodium content Too clayey	1.00 1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Sodium content Too clayey	1.00 1.00 1.00 0.50
533: Urban land-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
536: Dumps, mine-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
567C2: Elkhart-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Not limited	
570D2: Martinsville-----	Very limited Seepage Slope	1.00 0.96	Somewhat limited Slope	0.96	Somewhat limited Slope	0.96
570F: Martinsville-----	Very limited Slope Seepage	1.00 1.00	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited Slope	1.00

Table 16b.--Sanitary Facilities--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trench sanitary landfill		Area sanitary landfill		Daily cover for landfill	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
618G: Senachwine-----	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited Slope	1.00
660C2: Coatsburg-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 1.00
675B: Greenbush-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Somewhat limited Too clayey	0.50
679B: Blackberry-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Somewhat limited Too clayey Depth to saturated zone	0.50 0.25
684B: Broadwell-----	Very limited Seepage Too clayey	1.00 0.50	Not limited		Somewhat limited Too clayey	0.50
685B: Middletown-----	Very limited Seepage Too clayey	1.00 0.50	Not limited		Very limited Seepage Too clayey	1.00 0.50
705B: Buckhart-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Somewhat limited Too clayey Depth to saturated zone	0.50 0.25
712A: Spaulding-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 1.00 0.50
802B: Orthents-----	Not limited		Not limited		Not limited	
830: Landfills-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
835G: Earthen dam-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
864: Pits, quarries-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
865: Pits, gravel-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	

Table 16b.--Sanitary Facilities--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trench sanitary landfill		Area sanitary landfill		Daily cover for landfill	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
882A:						
Oconee-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50
Darmstadt-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Sodium content	1.00  1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Sodium content Depth to saturated zone	1.00  1.00
Coulterville-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50
894A:						
Herrick-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50
Biddle-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50
Piasa-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Ponding Sodium content Too clayey	1.00  1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00  1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Sodium content Too clayey	1.00  1.00 1.00 0.50
897C2:						
Bunkum-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50
Atlas-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50
897C3:						
Bunkum-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50
Atlas-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00  0.50

Table 16b.--Sanitary Facilities--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Trench sanitary landfill		Area sanitary landfill		Daily cover for landfill	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
3073A: Ross-----	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Seepage	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Not limited	
3074A: Radford-----	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00
3107A: Sawmill-----	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Ponding Too clayey	1.00 1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Flooding Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 1.00 0.50
3284A: Tice-----	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50
7148A: Proctor-----	Very limited Seepage Flooding	1.00 0.40	Somewhat limited Flooding	0.40	Not limited	
7242A: Kendall-----	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey Flooding	1.00 0.50 0.40	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Flooding	1.00 0.40	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50
8396A: Vesser-----	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 1.00 0.50	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	1.00 0.50
MW: Miscellaneous water	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
W: Water-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	

Table 17a.--Construction Materials

(The information in this table indicates the dominant soil condition but does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation. The ratings given for the thickest layer are for the thickest layer above the bottom layer. The numbers in the value columns range from 0.00 to 0.99. The greater the value, the greater the likelihood that the bottom layer or thickest layer of the soil is a source of sand or gravel. See text for further explanation of ratings in this table.)

Map symbol and soil name	Potential as source of gravel		Potential as source of sand	
	Rating class	Value	Rating class	Value
8D2: Hickory-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
8D3: Hickory-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
8F: Hickory-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
17A: Keomah-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
43A: Ipava-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
45A: Denny-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
46A: Herrick-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
48A: Ebbert-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
50A: Virden-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
68A: Sable-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00

Table 17a.--Construction Materials--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential as source of gravel		Potential as source of sand	
	Rating class	Value	Rating class	Value
86B: Osco-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
112A: Cowden-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
113A: Oconee-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
113B: Oconee-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
119C2: Elco-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
119D2: Elco-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
127B: Harrison-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
127C2: Harrison-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
128B: Douglas-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
128C2: Douglas-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
131C2: Alvin-----	Poor		Fair	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.01
	Thickest layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.15
134B: Camden-----	Poor		Fair	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.02

Table 17a.--Construction Materials--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential as source of gravel		Potential as source of sand	
	Rating class	Value	Rating class	Value
134C2: Camden-----	Poor		Fair	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.10
136A: Brooklyn-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
138A: Shiloh-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
152A: Drummer-----	Poor		Fair	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.03
198A: Elburn-----	Poor		Fair	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.10
242A: Kendall-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
244A: Hartsburg-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
249A: Edinburg-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
256C2: Pana-----	Poor		Fair	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.10
257A: Clarksdale-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
259C2: Assumption-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
279B: Rozetta-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00

Table 17a.--Construction Materials--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential as source of gravel		Potential as source of sand	
	Rating class	Value	Rating class	Value
474A: Piasa-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
533: Urban land-----	Not rated		Not rated	
536: Dumps, mine-----	Not rated		Not rated	
567C2: Elkhart-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
570D2: Martinsville-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
570F: Martinsville-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
618G: Senachwine-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
660C2: Coatsburg-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
675B: Greenbush-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
679B: Blackberry-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
684B: Broadwell-----	Poor		Fair	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.50
685B: Middletown-----	Poor		Fair	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.10
705B: Buckhart-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00

Table 17a.--Construction Materials--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential as source of gravel		Potential as source of sand	
	Rating class	Value	Rating class	Value
712A:				
Spaulding-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
802B:				
Orthents-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
830:				
Landfills-----	Not rated		Not rated	
835G:				
Earthen dam-----	Not rated		Not rated	
864:				
Pits, quarries-----	Not rated		Not rated	
865:				
Pits, gravel-----	Not rated		Not rated	
882A:				
Oconee-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
Darmstadt-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
Coulterville-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
894A:				
Herrick-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
Biddle-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
Piasa-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
897C2:				
Bunkum-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
Atlas-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
897C3:				
Bunkum-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00

Table 17a.--Construction Materials--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential as source of gravel		Potential as source of sand	
	Rating class	Value	Rating class	Value
897C3: Atlas-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
3073A: Ross-----	Poor		Fair	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.03
3074A: Radford-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
3107A: Sawmill-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
3284A: Tice-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
7148A: Proctor-----	Poor		Fair	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.10
7242A: Kendall-----	Poor		Fair	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.10
8396A: Vesser-----	Poor		Poor	
	Bottom layer	0.00	Bottom layer	0.00
	Thickest layer	0.00	Thickest layer	0.00
MW: Miscellaneous water	Not rated		Not rated	
W: Water-----	Not rated		Not rated	

Table 17b.--Construction Materials

(The information in this table indicates the dominant soil condition but does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation. The numbers in the value columns range from 0.00 to 0.99. The smaller the value, the greater the limitation. See text for further explanation of ratings in this table.)

Map symbol and soil name	Potential as source of roadfill		Potential as source of topsoil	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
8D2: Hickory-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Slope	0.04
	Shrink-swell	0.97	Too clayey	0.57
			Rock fragments	0.97
8D3: Hickory-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Slope	0.04
	Shrink-swell	0.97	Too clayey	0.58
			Rock fragments	0.97
8F: Hickory-----	Poor		Poor	
	Slope	0.00	Slope	0.00
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.58
	Shrink-swell	0.98	Rock fragments	0.88
17A: Keomah-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Depth to	0.04
	Depth to	0.04	saturated zone	
	saturated zone		Too clayey	0.05
	Shrink-swell	0.89		
43A: Ipava-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.14
	Depth to	0.14	Depth to	0.14
	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Shrink-swell	0.83		
45A: Denny-----	Poor		Poor	
	Depth to	0.00	Depth to	0.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.01
	Shrink-swell	0.74		
46A: Herrick-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.05
	Depth to	0.14	Depth to	0.14
	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Shrink-swell	0.47		
48A: Ebbert-----	Poor		Poor	
	Depth to	0.00	Depth to	0.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.64
	Shrink-swell	0.97		

Table 17b.--Construction Materials--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential as source of roadfill		Potential as source of topsoil	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
50A: Virden-----	Poor		Poor	
	Depth to saturated zone	0.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.00
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.02
	Shrink-swell	0.35		
68A: Sable-----	Poor		Poor	
	Depth to saturated zone	0.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.00
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.98
	Shrink-swell	0.87		
86B: Osco-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.64
	Shrink-swell	0.87		
112A: Cowden-----	Poor		Poor	
	Depth to saturated zone	0.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.00
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.05
	Shrink-swell	0.57		
113A: Oconee-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.04
	Depth to saturated zone	0.04	Too clayey	0.05
	Shrink-swell	0.38		
113B: Oconee-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.04
	Depth to saturated zone	0.04	Too clayey	0.05
	Shrink-swell	0.38		
119C2: Elco-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.57
	Shrink-swell	0.43	Depth to saturated zone	0.98
	Depth to saturated zone	0.98		
119D2: Elco-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Slope	0.04
	Shrink-swell	0.38	Too clayey	0.57
	Depth to saturated zone	0.98	Depth to saturated zone	0.98
127B: Harrison-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.67
	Shrink-swell	0.87	Depth to saturated zone	0.98
	Depth to saturated zone	0.98		

Table 17b.--Construction Materials--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential as source of roadfill		Potential as source of topsoil	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
127C2: Harrison-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.67
	Shrink-swell	0.87	Depth to	0.98
	Depth to saturated zone	0.98	saturated zone	
128B: Douglas-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.64
	Shrink-swell	0.89		
128C2: Douglas-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.64
	Shrink-swell	0.87		
131C2: Alvin-----	Good		Good	
134B: Camden-----	Good		Fair	
			Too clayey	0.55
134C2: Camden-----	Good		Fair	
			Too clayey	0.49
136A: Brooklyn-----	Poor		Poor	
	Depth to saturated zone	0.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.00
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.00
	Shrink-swell	0.82		
138A: Shiloh-----	Poor		Poor	
	Depth to saturated zone	0.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.00
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.18
	Shrink-swell	0.12		
152A: Drummer-----	Poor		Poor	
	Depth to saturated zone	0.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.00
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.81
	Shrink-swell	0.99		
198A: Elburn-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Depth to	0.14
	Depth to saturated zone	0.14	saturated zone	
	Shrink-swell	0.99	Too clayey	0.81

Table 17b.--Construction Materials--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential as source of roadfill		Potential as source of topsoil	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
242A: Kendall-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Depth to	0.04
	Depth to	0.04	saturated zone	
	saturated zone		Too clayey	0.57
	Shrink-swell	0.95	Too acid	0.99
244A: Hartsburg-----	Poor		Poor	
	Depth to	0.00	Depth to	0.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.98
249A: Edinburg-----	Poor		Poor	
	Depth to	0.00	Depth to	0.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.00
	Shrink-swell	0.17		
256C2: Pana-----	Good		Fair	
			Rock fragments	0.50
			Too clayey	0.57
			Hard to reclaim	0.80
257A: Clarksdale-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.01
	Depth to	0.04	Depth to	0.04
	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Shrink-swell	0.50		
259C2: Assumption-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.64
	Shrink-swell	0.31	Depth to	0.98
	Depth to	0.98	saturated zone	
	saturated zone			
279B: Rozetta-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.57
	Shrink-swell	0.92		
474A: Piasa-----	Poor		Poor	
	Depth to	0.00	Depth to	0.00
	saturated zone		saturated zone	
	Low strength	0.00	Sodium content	0.00
	Shrink-swell	0.49	Too clayey	0.01
533: Urban land-----	Not rated		Not rated	
536: Dumps, mine-----	Not rated		Not rated	
567C2: Elkhart-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.64

Table 17b.--Construction Materials--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential as source of roadfill		Potential as source of topsoil	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
570D2: Martinsville-----	Good		Fair Slope Too clayey	0.04 0.57
570F: Martinsville-----	Poor Slope	0.00	Poor Slope Too clayey	0.00 0.57
618G: Senachwine-----	Poor Slope	0.00	Poor Slope Hard to reclaim	0.00 0.16
660C2: Coatsburg-----	Poor Depth to saturated zone Low strength Shrink-swell	0.00 0.00 0.12	Poor Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	0.00 0.00
675B: Greenbush-----	Poor Low strength Shrink-swell	0.00 0.91	Fair Too clayey	0.70
679B: Blackberry-----	Poor Low strength Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	0.00 0.93 0.98	Fair Too clayey Depth to saturated zone	0.63 0.98
684B: Broadwell-----	Poor Low strength Shrink-swell	0.00 0.98	Fair Too clayey	0.64
685B: Middletown-----	Fair Shrink-swell	0.99	Fair Too clayey	0.57
705B: Buckhart-----	Poor Low strength Shrink-swell Depth to saturated zone	0.00 0.87 0.98	Fair Too clayey Depth to saturated zone	0.67 0.98
712A: Spaulding-----	Poor Depth to saturated zone Low strength Shrink-swell	0.00 0.00 0.98	Poor Depth to saturated zone Carbonate content Too clayey	0.00 0.68 0.98
802B: Orthents-----	Poor Low strength Shrink-swell	0.00 0.87	Good	

Table 17b.--Construction Materials--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential as source of roadfill		Potential as source of topsoil	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
830: Landfills-----	Not rated		Not rated	
835G: Earthen dam-----	Not rated		Not rated	
864: Pits, quarries-----	Not rated		Not rated	
865: Pits, gravel-----	Not rated		Not rated	
882A: Oconee-----	Poor Low strength Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	0.00 0.04 0.38	Fair Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	0.04 0.05
Darmstadt-----	Poor Low strength Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	0.00 0.04 0.89	Poor Sodium content Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	0.00 0.04 0.64
Coulterville-----	Poor Low strength Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	0.00 0.04 0.90	Fair Depth to saturated zone Sodium content Too clayey	0.04 0.22 0.64
894A: Herrick-----	Poor Low strength Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	0.00 0.14 0.47	Fair Too clayey Depth to saturated zone	0.05 0.14
Biddle-----	Poor Low strength Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	0.00 0.14 0.28	Fair Too clayey Depth to saturated zone Sodium content	0.05 0.14 0.22
Piasa-----	Poor Depth to saturated zone Low strength Shrink-swell	0.00 0.00 0.49	Poor Depth to saturated zone Sodium content Too clayey	0.00 0.00 0.01
897C2: Bunkum-----	Poor Low strength Depth to saturated zone Shrink-swell	0.00 0.14 0.99	Fair Depth to saturated zone Too clayey	0.14 0.70

Table 17b.--Construction Materials--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential as source of roadfill		Potential as source of topsoil	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
897C2: Atlas-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.01
	Depth to saturated zone	0.04	Depth to saturated zone	0.04
	Shrink-swell	0.22		
897C3: Bunkum-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.14
	Depth to saturated zone	0.14	Too clayey	0.70
	Shrink-swell	0.99		
Atlas-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.04
	Depth to saturated zone	0.04	Too clayey	0.05
	Shrink-swell	0.22		
3073A: Ross-----	Fair		Fair	
	Low strength	0.22	Hard to reclaim	0.98
3074A: Radford-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.14
	Depth to saturated zone	0.14		
3107A: Sawmill-----	Poor		Poor	
	Depth to saturated zone	0.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.00
	Low strength	0.00	Too clayey	0.98
	Shrink-swell	0.87		
3284A: Tice-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.14
	Depth to saturated zone	0.14	Too clayey	0.64
	Shrink-swell	0.87		
7148A: Proctor-----	Fair		Fair	
	Shrink-swell	0.97	Too clayey	0.67
7242A: Kendall-----	Poor		Fair	
	Low strength	0.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.04
	Depth to saturated zone	0.04	Too clayey	0.57
	Shrink-swell	0.95		
8396A: Vesser-----	Poor		Poor	
	Depth to saturated zone	0.00	Depth to saturated zone	0.00
	Low strength	0.00		
	Shrink-swell	0.87		

Table 17b.--Construction Materials--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential as source of roadfill		Potential as source of topsoil	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
MW: Miscellaneous water	Not rated		Not rated	
W: Water-----	Not rated		Not rated	

Table 18a.--Water Management

(The information in this table indicates the dominant soil condition but does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation. The numbers in the value columns range from 0.01 to 1.00. The larger the value, the greater the limitation. See text for further explanation of ratings in this table.)

Map symbol and soil name	Pond reservoir areas		Embankments, dikes, and levees		Aquifer-fed excavated ponds	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
8D2: Hickory-----	Somewhat limited Seepage Slope	0.72 0.02	Somewhat limited Piping	0.01	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
8D3: Hickory-----	Somewhat limited Seepage Slope	0.72 0.02	Somewhat limited Piping	0.09	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
8F: Hickory-----	Somewhat limited Seepage Slope	0.72 0.34	Somewhat limited Piping	0.21	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
17A: Keomah-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 0.30	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
43A: Ipava-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 0.08	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
45A: Denny-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.04	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 1.00 0.17	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
46A: Herrick-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.04	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.96 0.10
48A: Ebbert-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.04	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 1.00 0.12	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.96 0.10
50A: Virden-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.04	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10

Table 18a.--Water Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Pond reservoir areas		Embankments, dikes, and levees		Aquifer-fed excavated ponds	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
68A: Sable-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
86B: Osco-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Somewhat limited Piping	0.03	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
112A: Cowden-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.04	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
113A: Oconee-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.04	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.96 0.10
113B: Oconee-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.04	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.96 0.10
119C2: Elco-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Piping	0.68 0.03	Somewhat limited Slow refill Depth to water Cutbanks cave	0.98 0.14 0.10
119D2: Elco-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.68	Somewhat limited Slow refill Depth to water	0.98 0.14
127B: Harrison-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Piping	0.68 0.01	Somewhat limited Slow refill Depth to water Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.14 0.10
127C2: Harrison-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Piping	0.68 0.01	Somewhat limited Slow refill Depth to water Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.14 0.10
128B: Douglas-----	Very limited Seepage	1.00	Somewhat limited Piping	0.30	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
128C2: Douglas-----	Very limited Seepage	1.00	Somewhat limited Piping	0.25	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
131C2: Alvin-----	Very limited Seepage	1.00	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.15	Very limited Depth to water	1.00

Table 18a.--Water Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Pond reservoir areas		Embankments, dikes, and levees		Aquifer-fed excavated ponds	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
134B: Camden-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Somewhat limited Piping Seepage	0.82 0.02	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
134C2: Camden-----	Very limited Seepage	1.00	Very limited Piping Seepage	1.00 0.10	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
136A: Brooklyn-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.04	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
138A: Shiloh-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.04	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.96 0.10
152A: Drummer-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Piping Seepage	1.00 1.00 0.43 0.03	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
198A: Elburn-----	Very limited Seepage	1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Piping Seepage	1.00 0.52 0.10	Very limited Cutbanks cave	1.00
242A: Kendall-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 0.96	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
244A: Hartsburg-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 1.00 0.34	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
249A: Edinburg-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.54	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Hard to pack	1.00 1.00 0.47	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
256C2: Pana-----	Very limited Seepage	1.00	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.10	Very limited Depth to water	1.00

Table 18a.--Water Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Pond reservoir areas		Embankments, dikes, and levees		Aquifer-fed excavated ponds	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
257A: Clarksdale-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
259C2: Assumption-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone	0.68	Somewhat limited Slow refill Depth to water Cutbanks cave	0.98 0.14 0.10
279B: Rozetta-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Somewhat limited Piping	0.01	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
474A: Piasa-----	Not limited		Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 1.00 1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.96 0.10
533: Urban land-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
536: Dumps, mine-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
567C2: Elkhart-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Somewhat limited Piping	0.08	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
570D2: Martinsville-----	Very limited Seepage Slope	1.00 0.02	Very limited Piping Seepage	1.00 0.01	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
570F: Martinsville-----	Very limited Seepage Slope	1.00 0.34	Very limited Piping Seepage	1.00 0.01	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
618G: Senachwine-----	Somewhat limited Slope Seepage	0.99 0.72	Somewhat limited Piping	0.96	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
660C2: Coatsburg-----	Not limited		Very limited Depth to saturated zone Hard to pack	1.00 1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.96 0.10
675B: Greenbush-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Somewhat limited Piping	0.17	Very limited Depth to water	1.00

Table 18a.--Water Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Pond reservoir areas		Embankments, dikes, and levees		Aquifer-fed excavated ponds	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
679B: Blackberry-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Somewhat limited Piping Depth to saturated zone	0.90 0.68	Somewhat limited Slow refill Depth to water Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.14 0.10
684B: Broadwell-----	Very limited Seepage	1.00	Somewhat limited Piping Seepage	0.97 0.50	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
685B: Middletown-----	Very limited Seepage	1.00	Somewhat limited Piping Seepage	0.82 0.10	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
705B: Buckhart-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Piping	0.68 0.06	Somewhat limited Slow refill Depth to water Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.14 0.10
712A: Spaulding-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
802B: Orthents-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.04	Somewhat limited Piping	0.50	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
830: Landfills-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
835G: Earthen dam-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
864: Pits, quarries-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
865: Pits, gravel-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
882A: Oconee-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.04	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.96 0.10
Darmstadt-----	Not limited		Very limited Piping Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10
Coulterville-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.04	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.96 0.10

Table 18a.--Water Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Pond reservoir areas		Embankments, dikes, and levees		Aquifer-fed excavated ponds	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
894A:						
Herrick-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.04	Very limited Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.96 0.10
Biddle-----	Not limited		Very limited Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 0.78	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.96 0.10
Piasa-----	Not limited		Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 1.00 1.00	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.96 0.10
897C2:						
Bunkum-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.04	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 0.53	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.96 0.10
Atlas-----	Not limited		Very limited Depth to saturated zone Hard to pack	1.00 0.49	Very limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10
897C3:						
Bunkum-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.04	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 0.44	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.96 0.10
Atlas-----	Not limited		Very limited Depth to saturated zone Hard to pack	1.00 0.72	Very limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10
3073A:						
Ross-----	Very limited Seepage	1.00	Very limited Piping Seepage	1.00 0.03	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
3074A:						
Radford-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 0.34	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
3107A:						
Sawmill-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 1.00 0.02	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
3284A:						
Tice-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 0.01	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10

Table 18a.--Water Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Pond reservoir areas		Embankments, dikes, and levees		Aquifer-fed excavated ponds	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
7148A: Proctor-----	Very limited Seepage	1.00	Somewhat limited Piping Seepage	0.57 0.10	Very limited Depth to water	1.00
7242A: Kendall-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Piping Seepage	1.00 0.82 0.10	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
8396A: Vesser-----	Somewhat limited Seepage	0.72	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Piping	1.00 0.05	Somewhat limited Slow refill Cutbanks cave	0.28 0.10
MW: Miscellaneous water	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
W: Water-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	

Table 18b.--Water Management

(The information in this table indicates the dominant soil condition but does not eliminate the need for onsite investigation. The numbers in the value columns range from 0.01 to 1.00. The larger the value, the greater the limitation. See text for further explanation of ratings in this table.)

Map symbol and soil name	Grassed waterways and surface drains		Terraces and diversions		Tile drains and underground outlets	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
8D2: Hickory-----	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited		Somewhat limited	
			Slope	1.00	Water erosion	0.89
8D3: Hickory-----	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited		Somewhat limited	
			Slope	1.00	Water erosion	0.56
8F: Hickory-----	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited		Very limited	
			Slope	1.00	Water erosion	1.00
			Slope	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10
17A: Keomah-----	Not limited		Very limited		Very limited	
			Water erosion	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
			Depth to saturated zone	1.00		
43A: Ipava-----	Not limited		Very limited		Very limited	
			Water erosion	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
			Depth to saturated zone	1.00		
45A: Denny-----	Not limited		Very limited		Very limited	
			Water erosion	1.00	Ponding	1.00
			Ponding	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
			Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10
46A: Herrick-----	Not limited		Very limited		Very limited	
			Water erosion	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
			Depth to saturated zone	1.00		
48A: Ebbert-----	Not limited		Very limited		Very limited	
			Water erosion	1.00	Ponding	1.00
			Ponding	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
			Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10
50A: Virden-----	Not limited		Very limited		Very limited	
			Water erosion	1.00	Ponding	1.00
			Ponding	1.00	Depth to saturated zone	1.00
			Depth to saturated zone	1.00	Cutbanks cave	0.10

Table 18b.--Water Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Grassed waterways and surface drains		Terraces and diversions		Tile drains and underground outlets	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
68A: Sable-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 1.00 0.10
86B: Osco-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.25	Very limited Water erosion Slope	1.00 0.25	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	0.15 0.10
112A: Cowden-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 1.00 0.10
113A: Oconee-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10
113B: Oconee-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.25	Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00 1.00 0.25	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10
119C2: Elco-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.99	Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00 1.00 0.99	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	0.99 0.10
119D2: Elco-----	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited Water erosion Slope Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Slope Cutbanks cave	0.99 0.96 0.10
127B: Harrison-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.25	Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00 1.00 0.25	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	0.99 0.10
127C2: Harrison-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.99	Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00 1.00 0.99	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	0.99 0.10

Table 18b.--Water Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Grassed waterways and surface drains		Terraces and diversions		Tile drains and underground outlets	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
128B: Douglas-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.25	Very limited Water erosion Slope	1.00 0.25	Somewhat limited Cutbanks cave	0.10
128C2: Douglas-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.99	Very limited Water erosion Slope	1.00 0.99	Somewhat limited Cutbanks cave	0.10
131C2: Alvin-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.99	Somewhat limited Slope Water erosion	0.99 0.17	Very limited Cutbanks cave	1.00
134B: Camden-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.25	Very limited Water erosion Slope	1.00 0.25	Somewhat limited Cutbanks cave	0.10
134C2: Camden-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.99	Very limited Water erosion Slope	1.00 0.99	Very limited Cutbanks cave	1.00
136A: Brooklyn-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave Too clayey	1.00 1.00 0.10 0.01
138A: Shiloh-----	Not limited		Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Water erosion	1.00 1.00 0.17	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 1.00 0.10
152A: Drummer-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 1.00 0.10
198A: Elburn-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 1.00
242A: Kendall-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10

Table 18b.--Water Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Grassed waterways and surface drains		Terraces and diversions		Tile drains and underground outlets	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
244A: Hartsburg-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 1.00 0.10
249A: Edinburg-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 1.00 0.10
256C2: Pana-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.99	Somewhat limited Slope Water erosion	0.99 0.56	Somewhat limited Cutbanks cave	0.10
257A: Clarksdale-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10
259C2: Assumption-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.99	Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00 1.00 0.99	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	0.99 0.10
279B: Rozetta-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.25	Very limited Water erosion Slope	1.00 0.25	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	0.15 0.10
474A: Piasa-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 1.00 0.10
533: Urban land-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
536: Dumps, mine-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
567C2: Elkhart-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.99	Very limited Water erosion Slope	1.00 0.99	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	0.16 0.10
570D2: Martinsville-----	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited Slope Water erosion	1.00 0.89	Very limited Cutbanks cave Slope	1.00 0.96

Table 18b.--Water Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Grassed waterways and surface drains		Terraces and diversions		Tile drains and underground outlets	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
570F: Martinsville-----	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited Water erosion Slope	1.00 1.00	Very limited Slope Cutbanks cave	1.00 1.00
618G: Senachwine-----	Very limited Slope	1.00	Very limited Water erosion Slope	1.00 1.00	Very limited Slope Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10
660C2: Coatsburg-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.99	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Slope Water erosion	1.00 0.99 0.56	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave Too clayey	1.00 0.10 0.02
675B: Greenbush-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.25	Very limited Water erosion Slope	1.00 0.25	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	0.15 0.10
679B: Blackberry-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.25	Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00 1.00 0.25	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	0.99 0.10
684B: Broadwell-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.25	Very limited Water erosion Slope	1.00 0.25	Very limited Cutbanks cave	1.00
685B: Middletown-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.25	Very limited Water erosion Slope	1.00 0.25	Very limited Cutbanks cave	1.00
705B: Buckhart-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.25	Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00 1.00 0.25	Somewhat limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	0.99 0.10
712A: Spaulding-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 1.00 0.10
802B: Orthents-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.36	Very limited Water erosion Slope	1.00 0.36	Somewhat limited Cutbanks cave	0.10

Table 18b.--Water Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Grassed waterways and surface drains		Terraces and diversions		Tile drains and underground outlets	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
830: Landfills-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
835G: Earthen dam-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
864: Pits, quarries-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
865: Pits, gravel-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
882A: Oconee-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10
Darmstadt-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10
Coulterville-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10
894A: Herrick-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10
Biddle-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10
Piasa-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Ponding Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00 1.00	Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 1.00 0.10
897C2: Bunkum-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.99	Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00 1.00 0.99	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10
Atlas-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.99	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Slope Water erosion	1.00 0.99 0.89	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave Too clayey	1.00 0.10 0.01

Table 18b.--Water Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Grassed waterways and surface drains		Terraces and diversions		Tile drains and underground outlets	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
897C3:						
Bunkum-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.99	Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone Slope	1.00 1.00 0.99	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10
Atlas-----	Somewhat limited Slope	0.99	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Slope Water erosion	1.00 0.99 0.56	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave Too clayey	1.00 0.10 0.01
3073A:						
Ross-----	Not limited		Somewhat limited Water erosion	0.89	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.15 0.10
3074A:						
Radford-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 1.00 0.10
3107A:						
Sawmill-----	Not limited		Very limited Ponding Depth to saturated zone Water erosion	1.00 1.00 0.56	Very limited Ponding Flooding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 1.00 1.00 0.10
3284A:						
Tice-----	Not limited		Very limited Depth to saturated zone Water erosion	1.00 0.89	Very limited Flooding Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 1.00 0.10
7148A:						
Proctor-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion	1.00	Somewhat limited Cutbanks cave	0.10
7242A:						
Kendall-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.10
8396A:						
Vesser-----	Not limited		Very limited Water erosion Depth to saturated zone	1.00 1.00	Very limited Depth to saturated zone Flooding Cutbanks cave	1.00 0.60 0.10

Table 18b.--Water Management--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Grassed waterways and surface drains		Terraces and diversions		Tile drains and underground outlets	
	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value	Rating class and limiting features	Value
MW: Miscellaneous water	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	
W: Water-----	Not rated		Not rated		Not rated	

Table 19.--Engineering Index Properties

(Absence of an entry indicates that the data were not estimated.)

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	USDA texture	Classification		Fragments		Percentage passing sieve number--				Liquid limit	Plasticity index
			Unified	AASHTO	>10 inches	3-10 inches	4	10	40	200		
8D2:	In											
Hickory-----	0-6	Loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0-5	95-100	90-100	90-100	75-95	20-35	8-15
	6-47	Clay loam, silty clay loam, gravelly clay loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0-1	0-5	95-100	75-100	70-95	65-80	30-50	15-30
	47-60	Sandy loam, loam, gravelly clay loam	CL, CL-ML	A-4, A-6	0-1	0-5	85-100	75-95	70-95	60-80	20-40	5-20
8D3:												
Hickory-----	0-8	Clay loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0-5	95-100	90-100	80-95	70-85	35-45	15-25
	8-46	Clay loam, loam, gravelly clay loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0-1	0-5	95-100	75-100	70-95	65-80	35-45	15-25
	46-58	Clay loam, loam, gravelly clay loam	CL, ML, SC, SC-SM	A-2, A-4, A-6	0-1	0-5	85-100	70-95	45-95	25-75	25-40	10-20
	58-80	Loam, sandy loam, gravelly clay loam	CL, ML, SC, SC-SM	A-2, A-4, A-6	0-1	0-5	85-100	70-95	45-95	25-75	25-40	10-20
8F:												
Hickory-----	0-4	Silt loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0-5	95-100	90-100	75-100	55-100	30-35	10-15
	4-12	Loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0-5	95-100	90-100	75-100	55-100	25-30	10-15
	12-46	Clay loam, silty clay loam, gravelly clay loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0-1	0-5	85-100	70-100	65-95	50-85	35-45	15-25
	46-58	Clay loam, loam, gravelly clay loam	CL, ML, SC, SC-SM	A-2, A-4, A-6	0-1	0-5	85-100	70-95	45-95	25-75	25-40	10-20
	58-80	Loam, sandy loam, gravelly clay loam	CL, ML, SC, SC-SM	A-2, A-4, A-6	0-1	0-5	85-100	70-95	45-95	25-75	25-40	10-20
17A:												
Keomah-----	0-11	Silt loam	CL, ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	25-35	10-15
	11-18	Silt loam	CL, ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	25-35	10-20
	18-33	Silty clay, silty clay loam	CH, CL	A-7-6	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	45-55	25-30
	33-51	Silty clay loam	CL, ML	A-6, A-7-6	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	35-45	15-25
	51-89	Silt loam	CL, CL-ML, ML	A-6, A-4	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	25-35	5-15
43A:												
Ipava-----	0-10	Silt loam	CL	A-4	0	0	100	100	97-100	95-100	24-37	4-14
	10-18	Silty clay loam	CL	A-7-6	0	0	100	100	97-100	95-100	40-46	15-20
	18-31	Silty clay loam, silty clay	CH, CL	A-7-6	0	0	100	100	97-100	95-100	45-57	22-32
	31-50	Silty clay loam	CL	A-7-6	0	0	100	100	97-100	95-100	37-46	16-24
	50-60	Silt loam	CL, CL-ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	96-100	93-100	24-37	7-18

Table 19.--Engineering Index Properties--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	USDA texture	Classification		Fragments		Percentage passing sieve number--				Liquid limit	Plas- ticity index
			Unified	AASHTO	>10	3-10	4	10	40	200		
					inches	inches						
		In			Pct	Pct					Pct	
45A: Denny-----	0-9	Silt loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	30-40	8-15
	9-22	Silt loam	CL, CL-ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	25-40	5-15
	22-45	Silty clay loam, silty clay	CH, CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	35-60	15-35
	45-70	Silt loam, silty clay loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	25-40	11-20
46A: Herrick-----	0-13	Silt loam	CL, ML	A-7-6, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-45	15-25
	13-39	Silty clay loam, silty clay	CH, CL	A-7-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	49-60	30-35
	39-60	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	40-55	20-35
	60-80	Silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, clay loam	ML, CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	90-100	80-100	35-45	15-25
48A: Ebbert-----	0-11	Silt loam	CL, ML	A-6, A-4	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	29-37	9-16
	11-16	Silt loam	CL, ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	27-35	9-16
	16-52	Silty clay loam	ML, CL	A-7-6, A-6	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	37-46	16-24
	52-63	Silt loam	CL, ML	A-6	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	29-37	11-18
	63-80	Silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, clay loam	ML, CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	90-100	80-100	35-45	15-25
50A: Viriden-----	0-16	Silty clay loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	30-50	10-25
	16-49	Silty clay, silty clay loam	CH, CL	A-7-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	40-60	20-40
	49-60	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	30-50	10-25
68A: Sable-----	0-17	Silty clay loam	CH, CL, MH, ML	A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	30-55	10-25
	17-23	Silty clay loam	CH, CL, MH, ML	A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	41-65	15-35
	23-60	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CH, CL	A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	40-55	20-35
86B: Osco-----	0-14	Silt loam	CL, ML	A-6, A-4	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	35-45	7-20
	14-55	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7-6	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	40-50	15-25
	55-60	Silt loam, silty clay loam	CL, ML	A-6, A-4	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	35-45	7-25

Table 19.--Engineering Index Properties--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	USDA texture	Classification		Fragments		Percentage passing sieve number--				Liquid limit	Plas- ticity index
			Unified	AASHTO	>10	3-10	4	10	40	200		
					inches	inches						
	In				Pct	Pct					Pct	
112A: Cowden-----	0-8	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-45	15-25
	8-19	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-45	15-25
	19-50	Silty clay loam, silty clay	CH	A-7-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	50-60	30-35
	50-58	Silt loam, silty clay loam	CL	A-6, A-4	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	30-40	9-20
	58-80	Silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, clay loam	ML, CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	90-100	80-100	35-45	15-25
113A: Oconee-----	0-8	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-45	15-25
	8-16	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-45	15-25
	16-47	Silty clay loam, silty clay	CH	A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	50-60	30-35
	47-65	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-50	15-30
	65-80	Silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, clay loam	ML, CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	90-100	80-100	35-45	15-25
113B: Oconee-----	0-8	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-45	15-25
	8-16	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-45	15-25
	16-47	Silty clay loam, silty clay	CH	A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	50-60	30-35
	47-65	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-50	15-30
	65-80	Silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, clay loam	ML, CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	90-100	80-100	35-45	15-25
119C2: Elco-----	0-8	Silt loam	CL, CL-ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	25-40	5-15
	8-31	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	85-100	25-45	10-30
	31-60	Silty clay loam, loam, clay	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	90-100	80-100	60-95	25-50	10-30
119D2: Elco-----	0-6	Silt loam	CL, CL-ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	25-40	5-15
	6-28	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	85-100	25-45	10-30
	28-60	Silty clay loam, loam, clay	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	90-100	80-100	60-95	25-50	10-30

Table 19.--Engineering Index Properties--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	USDA texture	Classification		Fragments		Percentage passing sieve number--				Liquid limit	Plas- ticity index
			Unified	AASHTO	>10	3-10	4	10	40	200		
					inches	inches						
		In			Pct	Pct					Pct	
127B:												
Harrison-----	0-10	Silt loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	30-40	8-15
	10-45	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	30-45	10-25
	45-65	Silty clay loam, clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0-5	95-100	85-100	80-85	70-80	30-50	10-25
	65-80	Clay loam, clay, silty clay loam	CH, CL	A-6, A-7	0-1	0-5	95-100	85-100	80-95	70-90	35-55	15-30
127C2:												
Harrison-----	0-8	Silt loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	30-40	8-15
	8-45	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	30-45	10-25
	45-65	Silty clay loam, clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0-5	95-100	85-100	80-85	70-80	30-50	10-25
	65-80	Clay loam, clay, silty clay loam	CH, CL	A-6, A-7	0-1	0-5	95-100	85-100	80-95	70-90	35-55	15-30
128B:												
Douglas-----	0-11	Silt loam	ML, CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	29-37	9-15
	11-43	Silty clay loam, silt loam	ML, CL	A-6, A-7-6	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	35-46	15-24
	43-80	Silt loam, clay loam, loam	CL, ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	90-100	75-95	60-90	24-40	7-21
128C2:												
Douglas-----	0-8	Silt loam	ML, CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	100	100	29-37	9-15
	8-43	Silty clay loam, silt loam	ML, CL	A-7-6, A-6	0	0	100	100	100	100	35-46	15-24
	43-80	Silt loam, clay loam, loam	CL, ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	90-100	75-95	60-90	24-40	7-21
131C2:												
Alvin-----	0-7	Fine sandy loam	ML, SM	A-2, A-4	0	0	100	100	80-95	30-60	0-25	NP-4
	7-42	Very fine sandy loam, sandy loam, loam	CL, ML, SC, SM	A-2, A-4, A-6	0	0	100	95-100	70-100	30-55	15-40	NP-15
	42-80	Very fine sand, fine sandy loam, loamy fine sand	SM, SP, SP-SM	A-1, A-2, A-3	0	0	95-100	95-100	45-95	4-35	15-20	NP-4

Table 19.--Engineering Index Properties--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	USDA texture	Classification		Fragments		Percentage passing sieve number--				Liquid limit	Plas- ticity index
			Unified	AASHTO	>10 inches	3-10 inches	4	10	40	200		
134B: Camden-----	In											
	0-9	Silt loam	CL, CL-ML, ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	25-35	5-15
	9-14	Silt loam	CL, ML	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	25-35	10-20
	14-22	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL, ML	A-6	0	0	100	100	97-100	95-100	25-35	10-20
	22-35	Silty clay loam	CL, ML	A-6, A-7	0	0	98-100	95-100	90-100	80-100	35-45	15-25
	35-52	Clay loam, loam, sandy loam	CL, ML, SC- SM, SC	A-6	0	0	95-100	85-100	70-90	45-80	25-35	10-15
	52-80	Stratified sandy loam to loam to sandy clay loam	SC, CL-ML, CL, SC-SM	A-6, A-4, A-2	0	0	95-100	80-100	65-95	20-60	25-30	5-15
134C2: Camden-----												
	0-7	Silt loam	CL, CL-ML, ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	24-37	6-15
	7-34	Silt loam, silty clay loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	97-100	95-100	95-100	35-46	14-24
	34-43	Loam, clay loam	CL, ML, SC	A-4, A-6	0	0	90-100	90-100	70-85	45-70	25-33	8-14
	43-80	Stratified loamy sand to sandy loam	SC-SM, SM	A-2-4, A-4, A-1-b	0	0	90-100	80-100	35-60	15-40	19-25	1-7
136A: Brooklyn-----												
	0-7	Silt loam	CL, CL-ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	25-35	5-15
	7-17	Silt loam	CL, CL-ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	25-35	5-15
	17-44	Silty clay, silty clay loam	CH, CL	A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	45-60	25-40
	44-60	Stratified loam to silt loam to clay loam	CL, CL-ML, SC, SC-SM	A-2, A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	60-90	30-70	15-38	5-20
138A: Shiloh-----												
	0-27	Silty clay loam, silty clay	CL	A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	40-50	15-25
	27-52	Silty clay, silty clay loam	CH, CL	A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	40-65	15-40
	52-80	Silty clay loam, silty clay, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	30-50	15-30
152A: Drummer-----												
	0-14	Silty clay loam	CL, ML	A-7-6, A-7-5	0	0	100	97-100	95-100	85-100	40-46	15-19
	14-41	Silty clay loam	CL, ML	A-7-6, A-6	0	0	100	97-100	95-100	85-100	37-46	16-24
	41-47	Loam	CL, ML, SC	A-6, A-4	0	0	95-100	90-100	70-90	45-80	25-33	8-14
	47-60	Stratified loam to sandy loam	SC, CL, SM, CL-ML, SC-SM	A-4, A-2-4	0	0	95-100	80-100	55-95	30-65	22-28	4-10

Table 19.--Engineering Index Properties--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	USDA texture	Classification		Fragments		Percentage passing sieve number--				Liquid limit	Plas- ticity index
			Unified	AASHTO	>10 inches	3-10 inches	4	10	40	200		
	In				Pct	Pct					Pct	
198A:												
Elburn-----	0-16	Silt loam	CL, CL-ML, ML	A-6, A-4	0	0	100	100	97-100	95-100	24-37	4-14
	16-49	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL, ML	A-6, A-7-6	0	0	100	100	97-100	95-100	37-46	16-24
	49-58	Stratified sandy loam to silt loam	CL-ML, CL, SC-SM, ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	95-100	95-100	85-100	55-75	20-30	5-15
	58-62	Stratified loamy sand to sandy loam	SC-SM, SM	A-2-4, A-4	0	0	95-100	90-100	50-85	20-45	19-25	1-7
242A:												
Kendall-----	0-7	Silt loam	CL-ML, CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	20-35	5-15
	7-11	Silt loam	CL-ML, CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	20-35	5-15
	11-51	Silty clay loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	30-45	10-20
	51-58	Loam, silt loam, clay loam	CL, SC-SM	A-4, A-6	0	0	95-100	90-100	70-90	50-70	25-35	8-15
	58-74	Stratified sandy loam to silt loam	CL, CL-ML, SC-SM, SC	A-4	0	0-3	95-100	90-100	70-90	40-70	20-30	NP-10
	74-80	Stratified gravelly sandy loam to silt loam	SC-SM, SC, CL-ML, CL	A-4	0	0-5	65-95	60-80	50-70	35-50	20-30	NP-10
244A:												
Hartsburg----	0-17	Silty clay loam	CL, ML	A-7-6, A-7-5	0	0	100	100	97-100	95-100	40-46	15-19
	17-34	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL, ML	A-7-6, A-6	0	0	100	100	97-100	95-100	37-46	16-24
	34-60	Silt loam	CL, ML	A-6, A-4	0	0	100	97-100	95-100	85-100	24-37	7-18
249A:												
Edinburg-----	0-16	Silty clay loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-50	16-25
	16-55	Silty clay loam, silty clay	CH, CL	A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	45-70	25-45
	55-60	Silt loam, silty clay loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-45	15-20
256C2:												
Pana-----	0-9	Silt loam	CL-ML, ML, CL	A-4	0	0	100	75-100	60-90	50-80	21-29	3-10
	9-71	Loam, gravelly clay loam, gravelly sandy clay loam, clay loam	CL, SC-SM, SC, SM	A-2-7, A-6, A-7-6, A-2-6	0	0	95-100	65-95	45-90	25-75	29-46	11-25
	71-80	Gravelly sand, gravelly loam, gravelly sandy loam	SP-SC, SP-SM, SC, SM	A-2-4, A-4, A-1-b	0	0	95-100	50-75	30-60	5-40	8-23	NP-8

Table 19.--Engineering Index Properties--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	USDA texture	Classification		Fragments		Percentage passing sieve number--				Liquid limit	Plas- ticity index
			Unified	AASHTO	>10	3-10	4	10	40	200		
					inches	inches						
	In				Pct	Pct					Pct	
257A:												
Clarksdale---	0-8	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	25-40	10-20
	8-16	Silt loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	20-35	8-18
	16-47	Silty clay loam, silty clay	CH, CL	A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	40-65	25-40
	47-67	Silt loam, silty clay loam	CL	A-6, A-7-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	25-45	10-25
	67-80	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	95-100	95-100	95-100	90-100	25-40	10-20
259C2:												
Assumption---	0-8	Silt loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	25-40	8-20
	8-24	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	30-50	10-30
	24-60	Clay loam, silty clay loam, clay	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0-5	100	95-100	90-100	70-90	35-50	20-35
279B:												
Rozetta-----	0-7	Silt loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	24-35	8-15
	7-11	Silt loam	CL, CL-ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	20-30	5-15
	11-55	Silty clay loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	35-50	15-30
	55-60	Silt loam, silty clay loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	85-100	25-40	7-20
474A:												
Piasa-----	0-8	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-45	15-25
	8-12	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-45	15-25
	12-48	Silty clay loam, silty clay	CH	A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	50-60	30-35
	48-80	Silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, clay loam	CL, ML	A-6	0	0	100	95-100	75-100	60-100	35-45	15-25
533:												
Urban land.												
536:												
Dumps, mine.												
567C2:												
Elkhart-----	0-8	Silt loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	25-35	8-15
	8-34	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	35-50	18-30
	34-60	Silt loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	20-37	8-20

Table 19.--Engineering Index Properties--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	USDA texture	Classification		Fragments		Percentage passing sieve number--				Liquid limit	Plas- ticity index
			Unified	AASHTO	>10	3-10	4	10	40	200		
					inches	inches						
	In				Pct	Pct					Pct	
570D2:												
Martinsville	0-10	Sandy loam	SM, SC-SM	A-4, A-2-4	0	0	100	85-100	55-85	30-50	10-20	NP-6
	10-34	Clay loam, silty clay loam, sandy clay loam	CL, SC, ML, SC-SM	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	70-90	40-75	25-40	9-17
	34-44	Fine sandy loam, loam, silt loam	SC-SM, SC, CL-ML, CL	A-4, A-6, A-2-4, A-2-6	0	0	100	100	70-90	30-70	25-35	6-12
	44-60	Stratified sand to silt loam	SM, SC, ML	A-2-4, A-4	0	0	100	100	60-90	20-70	15-30	2-10
570F:												
Martinsville	0-5	Loam	CL, CL-ML, ML	A-4	0	0	100	100	90-100	60-80	24-28	4-8
	5-10	Loam	CL, CL-ML, ML	A-4	0	0	100	100	90-100	60-80	22-28	4-10
	10-34	Clay loam, silty clay loam, sandy clay loam	SC-SM, CL, SC, ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	70-90	40-75	25-40	9-17
	34-44	Fine sandy loam, loam, silt loam	CL, CL-ML, SC, SC-SM	A-2-4, A-2-6, A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	70-90	30-70	25-35	6-12
	44-60	Stratified sand to silt loam	SM, SC, ML	A-2-4, A-4	0	0	100	100	60-90	20-70	15-30	2-10
618G:												
Senachwine---	0-3	Loam	CL-ML, CL, ML	A-4	0	0	100	95-100	80-95	55-75	24-30	4-9
	3-7	Loam, silt loam	CL-ML, CL, ML	A-4	0	0	100	95-100	80-95	55-75	24-28	5-10
	7-25	Clay loam	ML, CL	A-6	0	0	95-100	85-100	70-95	55-85	33-40	12-18
	25-33	Clay loam, loam	ML, CL	A-6, A-4	0	0	95-100	85-100	70-95	55-80	30-35	10-15
	33-60	Loam, clay loam	CL-ML, CL, ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	95-100	85-100	70-95	50-80	25-35	5-15
660C2:												
Coatsburg---	0-7	Silt loam	CL, CL-ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	25-40	5-15
	7-80	Silty clay, clay, silty clay loam	CH	A-7	0	0	100	95-100	75-90	65-85	50-70	35-55
675B:												
Greenbush---	0-14	Silt loam	CL, CL-ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	25-35	5-15
	14-60	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	35-45	15-25
	60-80	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	100	95-100	30-40	11-20
679B:												
Blackberry---	0-16	Silt loam	CL-ML, CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	20-30	5-15
	16-47	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	25-45	10-25
	47-62	Stratified loam to silt loam, sandy loam	CL, CL-ML, ML, SC-SM, SC	A-4	0	0	95-100	95-100	70-90	45-75	20-30	5-10
	62-70	Stratified silt loam to loam to sandy loam	CL-ML, CL, ML, SC-SM, SM, SC	A-4	0	0	95-100	90-100	70-90	40-70	15-25	NP-10



Table 19.--Engineering Index Properties--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	USDA texture	Classification		Fragments		Percentage passing sieve number--				Liquid limit	Plas- ticity index
			Unified	AASHTO	>10	3-10	4	10	40	200		
					inches	inches						
	In				Pct	Pct					Pct	
865: Pits, gravel.												
882A: Oconee-----	0-8	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	30-40	15-25
	8-16	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	30-40	15-25
	16-47	Silty clay loam, silty clay	CH	A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	40-60	30-35
	47-65	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	40-50	20-30
	65-80	Silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, clay loam	CL, ML	A-6	0	0	100	100	90-100	80-100	30-50	10-20
Darmstadt----	0-11	Silt loam	CL, CL-ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	75-100	20-30	5-15
	11-21	Silty clay loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	30-40	15-20
	21-39	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	30-40	15-20
	39-62	Silt loam, silty clay loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	30-40	10-20
	62-80	Silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, clay loam	ML, CL	A-6	0	0	100	95-100	90-100	80-100	30-40	10-20
Coulterville	0-7	Silt loam	CL, ML	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	25-35	5-15
	7-23	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	30-45	15-20
	23-56	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	30-45	10-20
	56-80	Silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, clay loam	CL, ML	A-6	0	0	100	100	90-100	80-95	30-40	10-20
894A: Herrick-----	0-13	Silt loam	CL, ML	A-7-6, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-45	15-25
	13-39	Silty clay loam, silty clay	CH, CL	A-7-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	49-60	30-35
	39-60	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	40-55	20-35
	60-80	Silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, clay loam	ML, CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	90-100	80-100	35-45	15-25

Table 19.--Engineering Index Properties--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	USDA texture	Classification		Fragments		Percentage passing sieve number--				Liquid limit	Plas- ticity index
			Unified	AASHTO	>10	3-10	4	10	40	200		
					inches	inches						
		In			Pct	Pct					Pct	
894A:												
Biddle-----	0-16	Silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7-6	0	0	100	100	98-100	95-100	35-45	15-25
	16-36	Silty clay loam, silty clay	CH, CL	A-7-6	0	0	100	100	98-100	95-100	49-60	30-35
	36-76	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CH, CL	A-6, A-7-6	0	0	100	100	98-100	95-100	40-55	20-30
	76-80	Silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, clay loam	ML, CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	90-100	80-100	35-50	15-30
Piasa-----	0-8	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-45	15-25
	8-12	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	35-45	15-25
	12-48	Silty clay loam, silty clay	CH	A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	95-100	50-60	30-35
	48-80	Silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, clay loam	ML, CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	90-100	80-100	35-45	15-25
897C2:												
Bunkum-----	0-8	Silt loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	98-100	95-100	25-40	5-15
	8-40	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7-6	0	0	100	100	98-100	95-100	35-45	15-20
	40-58	Silt loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	98-100	95-100	25-35	9-15
	58-80	Silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, clay loam	ML, CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	90-100	80-100	30-50	10-20
Atlas-----	0-9	Silt loam	CL-ML, CL	A-6, A-4	0	0	100	100	95-100	75-100	25-35	5-15
	9-31	Silty clay loam, clay, clay loam	CH	A-7	0	0	100	95-100	95-100	75-95	50-70	30-45
	31-51	Silty clay loam, silty clay, clay loam, clay	CH	A-7	0	0	100	95-100	95-100	75-95	50-70	30-45
	51-80	Silty clay, clay loam, loam	CH, CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	95-100	90-98	90-98	65-95	35-55	20-30
897C3:												
Bunkum-----	0-8	Silty clay loam	CL	A-4, A-6, A-7-6	0	0	100	100	98-100	95-100	30-45	9-20
	8-40	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CL	A-6, A-7-6	0	0	100	100	98-100	95-100	35-45	15-20
	40-58	Silt loam	CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	98-100	95-100	25-35	9-15
	58-80	Silt loam, loam, silty clay loam, clay loam	ML, CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	90-100	80-100	30-50	10-20

Table 19.--Engineering Index Properties--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	USDA texture	Classification		Fragments		Percentage passing sieve number--				Liquid limit	Plas- ticity index
			Unified	AASHTO	>10	3-10	4	10	40	200		
					inches	inches						
	In				Pct	Pct					Pct	
897C3:												
Atlas-----	0-9	Silty clay loam	CH, CL	A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	75-100	40-60	25-40
	9-31	Silty clay loam, clay, clay loam	CH	A-7	0	0	100	95-100	95-100	75-95	50-70	30-45
	31-51	Silty clay loam, clay, clay loam, silty clay	CH	A-7	0	0	100	95-100	95-100	75-95	50-70	30-45
	51-80	Silty clay, clay loam, loam	CH, CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	95-100	90-98	90-98	65-95	35-55	20-30
3073A:												
Ross-----	0-13	Silt loam, loam	CL-ML, ML, CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	90-100	90-100	80-100	65-95	20-35	NP-12
	13-43	Loam, silt loam, silty clay loam	CL, CL-ML, ML	A-4, A-6, A-7	0	0	90-100	85-100	70-100	55-95	22-45	3-20
	43-60	Gravelly sandy loam, stratified sandy loam to silt loam	CL, GM, ML, SM	A-2, A-4, A-6	0	0-5	65-100	45-100	30-100	25-80	0-30	NP-12
3074A:												
Radford-----	0-12	Silt loam	ML, CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	85-100	30-40	5-15
	12-33	Silt loam	CL-ML, CL	A-4, A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	85-100	25-35	5-15
	33-80	Silt loam, silty clay loam, clay loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	70-95	35-50	15-25
3107A:												
Sawmill-----	0-32	Silty clay loam	CL, ML	A-7-6	0	0	100	97-100	95-100	85-100	40-46	16-21
	32-58	Silty clay loam	CL, ML	A-7-6, A-6	0	0	100	97-100	85-100	80-95	37-46	16-22
	58-65	Silty clay loam, clay loam, silt loam	CL, ML	A-7-6, A-6	0	0	100	97-100	85-100	80-95	37-46	16-22
3284A:												
Tice-----	0-14	Silty clay loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	90-100	80-95	30-45	10-25
	14-52	Silty clay loam, silt loam	CH, CL	A-7	0	0	100	100	95-100	85-95	40-55	15-30
	52-72	Stratified loam to silty clay loam	CL, CL-ML	A-4, A-6, A-7	0	0	100	100	60-95	55-80	25-45	5-20
7148A:												
Proctor-----	0-16	Silt loam	CL	A-6	0	0	100	100	95-100	90-100	25-40	10-20
	16-34	Silty clay loam	CL	A-6, A-7	0	0	100	95-100	85-100	85-100	25-50	10-25
	34-53	Clay loam, loam, sandy loam	CL, CL-ML, SC, SC-SM	A-2, A-4, A-6, A-7	0	0	90-100	85-100	75-100	30-80	20-45	5-25
	53-60	Loamy sand, sandy loam	SC, SC-SM, SM	A-2, A-4	0	0	85-100	80-100	50-100	25-50	0-25	NP-10



Table 20.--Physical Properties of the Soils

(Entries under "Erosion factors--T" apply to the entire profile. Entries under "Wind erodibility group" and "Wind erodibility index" apply only to the surface layer. Absence of an entry indicates that data were not estimated.)

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	Sand	Silt	Clay	Moist bulk density	Permea- bility (Ksat)	Available water capacity	Linear extensi- bility	Organic matter	Erosion factors			Wind erodi- bility group	Wind erodi- bility index
										Kw	Kf	T		
	In	Pct	Pct	Pct	g/cc	In/hr	In/in	Pct	Pct					
8D2:														
Hickory-----	0-6	15-45	30-66	19-25	1.30-1.50	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	1.0-2.0	.32	.32	5	6	48
	6-47	15-45	20-58	27-35	1.45-1.65	0.6-2	0.15-0.19	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.5	.28	.32			
	47-60	30-45	23-55	15-32	1.50-1.70	0.6-2	0.11-0.19	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.28	.32			
8D3:														
Hickory-----	0-8	20-40	30-50	27-35	1.40-1.65	0.6-2	0.17-0.19	3.0-5.9	0.5-1.0	.28	.32	4	6	48
	8-46	20-45	30-50	24-35	1.45-1.65	0.6-2	0.15-0.19	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.28	.32			
	46-58	25-49	28-50	15-32	1.50-1.70	0.6-2	0.11-0.19	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.28	.32			
	58-80	30-55	25-50	15-30	1.50-1.75	0.6-2	0.10-0.15	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.28	.32			
8F:														
Hickory-----	0-4	10-30	45-70	18-25	1.30-1.50	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	1.0-3.0	.32	.32	5	6	48
	4-12	15-45	33-70	15-22	1.30-1.50	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
	12-46	15-45	30-50	24-35	1.45-1.65	0.6-2	0.15-0.19	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.28	.32			
	46-58	25-49	28-50	15-32	1.50-1.70	0.6-2	0.11-0.19	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.28	.32			
	58-80	30-55	25-50	15-30	1.50-1.75	0.6-2	0.10-0.15	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.28	.32			
17A:														
Keomah-----	0-11	0-7	67-84	16-26	1.35-1.45	0.6-2	0.19-0.24	0.0-2.9	1.0-3.0	.43	.43	5	6	48
	11-18	0-7	67-84	16-26	1.40-1.60	0.2-0.6	0.17-0.21	0.0-2.9	0.1-1.0	.49	.49			
	18-33	0-7	51-65	35-42	1.30-1.40	0.06-0.2	0.15-0.19	6.0-8.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
	33-51	0-7	58-73	27-35	1.35-1.45	0.2-0.6	0.16-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
	51-89	0-7	66-85	15-27	1.40-1.60	0.6-2	0.19-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.2	.49	.49			
43A:														
Ipava-----	0-10	2-7	66-83	15-27	1.25-1.45	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	3.5-5.0	.28	.28	5	6	48
	10-18	2-7	58-71	27-35	1.20-1.40	0.6-2	0.18-0.21	3.0-5.9	1.5-3.5	.24	.24			
	18-31	2-7	48-65	35-45	1.30-1.50	0.2-0.6	0.15-0.18	6.0-8.9	0.5-1.5	.37	.37			
	31-50	2-7	58-71	27-35	1.35-1.55	0.6-2	0.18-0.21	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
	50-60	2-7	66-83	15-27	1.40-1.60	0.6-2	0.19-0.26	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.49	.49			
45A:														
Denny-----	0-9	0-7	66-80	20-27	1.25-1.45	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	2.0-3.0	.37	.37	5	6	48
	9-22	0-7	71-85	15-22	1.25-1.45	0.2-0.6	0.18-0.20	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.43	.43			
	22-45	0-7	48-65	35-45	1.20-1.40	0.06-0.2	0.11-0.22	6.0-8.9	0.0-1.0	.37	.37			
	45-70	0-7	58-75	25-35	1.40-1.60	0.2-0.6	0.20-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.5	.43	.43			
46A:														
Herrick-----	0-13	1-7	64-78	20-27	1.15-1.30	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	3.0-5.9	3.0-4.0	.28	.28	5	6	48
	13-39	1-7	51-63	35-42	1.20-1.40	0.2-0.6	0.12-0.17	6.0-8.9	0.2-1.0	.37	.37			
	39-60	1-7	55-73	25-40	1.20-1.40	0.2-0.6	0.16-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
	60-80	5-30	45-70	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.2-0.6	0.17-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.3	.37	.37			
48A:														
Ebbert-----	0-11	0-7	66-78	20-27	1.20-1.40	0.2-0.6	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	3.0-4.0	.28	.28	5	6	48
	11-16	0-7	68-78	18-25	1.30-1.50	0.2-0.6	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.43	.43			
	16-52	0-7	58-73	27-35	1.35-1.55	0.06-0.2	0.18-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.1-1.0	.37	.37			
	52-63	0-7	66-73	20-27	1.50-1.70	0.2-0.6	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.49	.49			
	63-80	5-30	45-70	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.2-0.6	0.17-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.3	.37	.37			
50A:														
Virден-----	0-16	0-7	58-73	27-35	1.20-1.40	0.6-2	0.21-0.24	3.0-5.9	3.0-6.0	.24	.24	5	7	38
	16-49	0-7	49-65	35-42	1.20-1.45	0.2-0.6	0.11-0.20	6.0-8.9	0.0-2.0	.37	.37			
	49-60	0-7	60-75	25-33	1.25-1.55	0.2-0.6	0.18-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.5	.43	.43			

Table 20.--Physical Properties of the Soils--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	Sand	Silt	Clay	Moist bulk density	Permea- bility (Ksat)	Available water capacity	Linear extensi- bility	Organic matter	Erosion factors			Wind erodi- bility group	Wind erodi- bility index
										Kw	Kf	T		
	In	Pct	Pct	Pct	g/cc	In/hr	In/in	Pct	Pct					
<b>68A:</b>														
Sable-----	0-17	0-7	58-73	27-35	1.15-1.35	0.6-2	0.21-0.23	3.0-5.9	5.0-6.0	.24	.24	5	7	38
	17-23	0-7	58-73	27-35	1.20-1.40	0.6-2	0.18-0.20	3.0-5.9	2.0-4.0	.24	.24			
	23-60	0-7	58-76	24-35	1.30-1.50	0.6-2	0.18-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.2-1.0	.37	.37			
<b>86B:</b>														
Oscosco-----	0-14	0-7	67-80	20-26	1.25-1.30	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	3.0-5.9	3.0-4.0	.28	.28	5	6	48
	14-55	0-7	58-76	24-35	1.30-1.35	0.6-2	0.18-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.0-1.0	.37	.37			
	55-60	0-7	63-80	20-30	1.35-1.40	0.6-2	0.18-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.5	.49	.49			
<b>112A:</b>														
Cowden-----	0-8	1-7	68-80	17-27	1.30-1.50	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	2.0-3.0	.37	.37	3	6	48
	8-19	1-7	68-80	17-27	1.25-1.45	0.06-0.2	0.18-0.20	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.49	.49			
	19-50	1-7	50-63	35-42	1.35-1.60	0.06-0.2	0.12-0.20	6.0-8.9	0.2-0.8	.37	.37			
	50-58	1-7	65-80	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.2-0.6	0.17-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.49	.49			
	58-80	5-30	45-70	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.2-0.6	0.17-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
<b>113A:</b>														
Oconee-----	0-8	1-7	66-78	20-27	1.20-1.30	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	3.0-5.9	2.0-3.0	.37	.37	5	6	48
	8-16	1-7	66-80	18-27	1.30-1.45	0.06-0.2	0.20-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.49	.49			
	16-47	1-7	51-63	35-42	1.30-1.50	0.06-0.2	0.11-0.17	6.0-8.9	0.2-0.8	.37	.37			
	47-65	1-7	58-78	20-35	1.40-1.60	0.06-0.2	0.16-0.21	3.0-5.9	0.2-0.5	.37	.37			
	65-80	5-30	45-70	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.2-0.6	0.17-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.3	.37	.37			
<b>113B:</b>														
Oconee-----	0-8	1-7	66-78	20-27	1.20-1.30	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	3.0-5.9	2.0-3.0	.37	.37	5	6	48
	8-16	1-7	66-80	18-27	1.30-1.45	0.06-0.2	0.20-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.49	.49			
	16-47	1-7	51-63	35-42	1.30-1.50	0.06-0.2	0.11-0.17	6.0-8.9	0.2-0.8	.37	.37			
	47-65	1-7	58-78	20-35	1.40-1.60	0.06-0.2	0.16-0.21	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
	65-80	5-30	45-70	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.2-0.6	0.17-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.3	.37	.37			
<b>119C2:</b>														
Elco-----	0-8	0-7	66-80	20-27	1.20-1.35	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	1.0-2.0	.43	.43	5	6	48
	8-31	0-7	58-77	23-35	1.25-1.45	0.6-2	0.18-0.21	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.5	.37	.37			
	31-60	15-35	20-60	25-45	1.45-1.70	0.06-0.6	0.14-0.20	6.0-8.9	0.0-0.2	.28	.28			
<b>119D2:</b>														
Elco-----	0-6	0-7	66-80	20-27	1.20-1.35	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	1.0-2.0	.43	.43	5	6	48
	6-28	0-7	58-77	23-35	1.25-1.45	0.6-2	0.18-0.21	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.5	.37	.37			
	28-60	15-35	20-60	25-45	1.45-1.70	0.06-0.6	0.14-0.20	6.0-8.9	0.0-0.2	.28	.28			
<b>127B:</b>														
Harrison-----	0-10	0-5	68-80	20-27	1.15-1.30	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	3.0-4.0	.28	.28	5	6	48
	10-45	0-5	60-75	25-35	1.25-1.40	0.6-2	0.18-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.2-1.0	.37	.37			
	45-65	5-30	45-75	20-35	1.30-1.45	0.6-2	0.14-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.2	.37	.37			
	65-80	5-30	30-65	30-50	1.50-1.70	0.06-0.2	0.10-0.19	6.0-8.9	0.0-0.2	.37	.37			
<b>127C2:</b>														
Harrison-----	0-8	0-5	68-80	20-27	1.15-1.30	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	2.0-3.0	.37	.37	5	6	48
	8-45	0-5	60-75	25-35	1.25-1.40	0.6-2	0.18-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.2-1.0	.37	.37			
	45-65	5-30	45-75	20-35	1.30-1.45	0.6-2	0.14-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.2	.37	.37			
	65-80	5-30	30-65	30-50	1.50-1.70	0.06-0.2	0.10-0.19	6.0-8.9	0.0-0.2	.37	.37			
<b>128B:</b>														
Douglas-----	0-11	0-7	68-80	20-27	1.20-1.30	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	2.0-4.0	.28	.28	5	6	48
	11-43	0-7	60-75	25-35	1.25-1.40	0.6-2	0.18-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.0-1.0	.37	.37			
	43-80	15-40	45-75	15-30	1.45-1.70	0.6-6	0.11-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.2	.37	.37			
<b>128C2:</b>														
Douglas-----	0-8	0-7	68-80	14-27	1.20-1.30	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	2.0-3.0	.37	.37	5	6	48
	8-43	0-7	60-75	25-35	1.25-1.40	0.6-2	0.18-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.0-1.0	.37	.37			
	43-80	15-40	45-75	10-30	1.45-1.70	0.6-6	0.11-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.2	.37	.37			

Table 20.--Physical Properties of the Soils--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	Sand	Silt	Clay	Moist bulk density	Permea- bility (Ksat)	Available water capacity	Linear extensi- bility	Organic matter	Erosion factors			Wind erodi- bility group	Wind erodi- bility index
										Kw	Kf	T		
	In	Pct	Pct	Pct	g/cc	In/hr	In/in	Pct	Pct					
<b>131C2:</b>														
Alvin-----	0-7	55-70	15-35	10-15	1.45-1.65	2-6	0.14-0.17	0.0-2.9	0.5-1.0	.20	.20	5	3	86
	7-42	45-70	12-40	15-18	1.40-1.65	2-6	0.14-0.18	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.24	.24			
	42-80	65-95	2-32	3-10	1.45-1.65	2-6	0.10-0.15	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.3	.15	.15			
<b>134B:</b>														
Camden-----	0-9	2-7	66-83	15-27	1.35-1.55	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	1.0-2.5	.43	.43	5	5	56
	9-14	2-7	66-83	15-27	1.40-1.60	0.6-2	0.17-0.20	0.0-2.9	0.1-1.0	.49	.49			
	14-22	2-7	66-76	22-27	1.30-1.50	0.6-2	0.18-0.23	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
	22-35	3-15	50-70	27-35	1.35-1.55	0.6-2	0.16-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.43	.43			
	35-52	25-45	28-50	20-27	1.45-1.65	0.6-2	0.11-0.18	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.32	.32			
	52-80	45-65	25-45	10-22	1.50-1.70	0.6-2	0.08-0.15	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.28	.28			
<b>134C2:</b>														
Camden-----	0-7	2-7	66-83	15-27	1.35-1.55	0.6-2	0.19-0.24	0.0-2.9	1.0-2.5	.43	.43	5	6	48
	7-34	2-7	58-71	25-35	1.35-1.55	0.6-2	0.18-0.21	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
	34-43	30-50	28-50	22-30	1.45-1.65	0.6-2	0.11-0.14	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.32	.32			
	43-80	65-80	10-25	5-15	1.45-1.65	2-6	0.06-0.10	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.28	.28			
<b>136A:</b>														
Brooklyn-----	0-7	1-7	66-79	20-27	1.20-1.40	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	3.0-4.0	.37	.37	3	6	48
	7-17	1-7	71-79	14-22	1.25-1.40	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.0-1.0	.43	.43			
	17-44	1-7	48-64	35-45	1.35-1.55	0.06-0.2	0.11-0.20	6.0-8.9	0.0-0.5	.37	.37			
	44-60	5-70	20-75	10-30	1.40-1.70	0.2-0.6	0.11-0.19	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.24	.28			
<b>138A:</b>														
Shiloh-----	0-27	0-7	53-65	35-42	1.30-1.50	0.2-0.6	0.18-0.21	6.0-8.9	4.0-6.0	.24	.24	5	7	38
	27-52	0-7	48-65	35-45	1.35-1.55	0.2-0.6	0.09-0.18	6.0-8.9	0.5-2.0	.37	.37			
	52-80	0-7	48-75	25-45	1.30-1.50	0.2-0.6	0.18-0.20	6.0-8.9	0.2-0.5	.43	.43			
<b>152A:</b>														
Drummer-----	0-14	3-15	50-70	27-35	1.20-1.40	0.6-2	0.19-0.23	3.0-5.9	4.5-7.0	.24	.24	5	7	38
	14-41	3-15	50-70	27-35	1.35-1.55	0.6-2	0.18-0.21	3.0-5.9	0.5-1.5	.37	.37			
	41-47	25-45	28-50	20-27	1.45-1.65	0.6-2	0.11-0.17	0.0-2.9	0.2-0.5	.32	.32			
	47-60	45-65	25-45	10-20	1.55-1.75	0.6-2	0.11-0.17	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.28	.28			
<b>198A:</b>														
Elburn-----	0-16	2-7	66-76	22-27	1.25-1.45	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	3.5-5.0	.28	.28	5	6	48
	16-49	2-7	58-73	25-35	1.35-1.55	0.6-2	0.18-0.21	3.0-5.9	0.5-1.5	.37	.37			
	49-58	30-55	30-55	15-20	1.45-1.65	0.6-2	0.14-0.17	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.32	.32			
	58-62	60-80	10-25	5-15	1.50-1.70	2-6	0.06-0.10	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.28	.28			
<b>242A:</b>														
Kendall-----	0-7	0-10	63-80	20-27	1.15-1.30	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	1.0-3.0	.43	.43	5	6	48
	7-11	0-10	65-82	18-25	1.35-1.55	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.1-1.0	.49	.49			
	11-51	0-10	55-73	27-35	1.30-1.50	0.6-2	0.18-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.5	.37	.37			
	51-58	30-50	33-50	15-27	1.45-1.55	0.6-2	0.11-0.14	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.32	.32			
	58-74	30-50	35-55	5-20	1.40-1.60	0.6-2	0.14-0.17	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.32	.37			
	74-80	30-50	30-50	5-20	1.55-1.75	0.6-2	0.11-0.15	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.2	.24	.32			
<b>244A:</b>														
Hartsburg-----	0-17	2-7	58-71	27-35	1.20-1.40	0.6-2	0.19-0.22	3.0-5.9	4.5-6.0	.24	.24	5	7	38
	17-34	2-7	58-71	25-35	1.35-1.55	0.6-2	0.18-0.21	3.0-5.9	0.5-1.5	.37	.37			
	34-60	3-15	66-82	15-27	1.45-1.65	0.6-2	0.19-0.26	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.49	.49			
<b>249A:</b>														
Edinburg-----	0-16	0-7	58-73	27-35	1.10-1.30	0.6-2	0.21-0.24	6.0-8.9	3.0-6.0	.24	.24	3	7	38
	16-55	0-7	47-65	35-46	1.20-1.40	0.06-0.2	0.13-0.20	6.0-8.9	0.2-1.0	.37	.37			
	55-60	0-7	63-78	22-30	1.30-1.50	0.2-2	0.18-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.2	.49	.49			

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										Kw	Kf	T		
	In	Pct	Pct	Pct	g/cc	In/hr	In/in	Pct	Pct					
256C2:														
Pana-----	0-9	20-38	50-60	12-20	1.20-1.40	2-6	0.20-0.24	0.0-2.9	2.0-3.0	.28	.28	5	5	56
	9-71	25-60	20-40	20-35	1.45-1.65	2-6	0.10-0.15	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.28	.32			
	71-80	50-90	0-35	0-15	1.70-2.00	2-20	0.02-0.12	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.20	.24			
257A:														
Clarksdale---	0-8	0-7	66-80	20-27	1.30-1.50	0.6-2	0.22-0.25	3.0-5.9	2.0-3.0	.37	.37	5	6	48
	8-16	0-7	66-85	15-27	1.25-1.50	0.2-0.6	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.0-1.0	.43	.43			
	16-47	0-7	48-65	35-45	1.30-1.50	0.2-0.6	0.11-0.20	6.0-8.9	0.0-0.5	.37	.37			
	47-67	0-7	63-80	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.5	.43	.43			
	67-80	0-7	66-82	18-27	1.40-1.60	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.49	.49			
259C2:														
Assumption----	0-8	0-7	66-80	20-27	1.25-1.45	0.6-2	0.23-0.25	0.0-2.9	2.0-3.0	.37	.37	5	6	48
	8-24	0-7	58-75	25-35	1.20-1.40	0.6-2	0.18-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.0-1.0	.37	.37			
	24-60	15-35	25-50	30-45	1.45-1.65	0.06-0.6	0.14-0.20	6.0-8.9	0.0-0.5	.28	.28			
279B:														
Rozetta-----	0-7	0-7	66-85	15-27	1.20-1.40	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	1.0-3.0	.43	.43	5	6	48
	7-11	0-7	66-88	12-27	1.20-1.40	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	0.1-1.0	.49	.49			
	11-55	0-7	58-73	27-35	1.35-1.55	0.6-2	0.18-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.5	.37	.37			
	55-60	0-7	63-80	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.49	.49			
474A:														
Piasa-----	0-8	1-7	66-80	18-27	1.25-1.45	0.2-0.6	0.22-0.24	3.0-5.9	2.0-4.0	.37	.37	3	6	48
	8-12	1-7	66-80	18-27	1.30-1.50	0.06-0.2	0.18-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.2-0.8	.49	.49			
	12-48	1-7	50-63	35-43	1.35-1.55	0.01-0.06	0.09-0.10	6.0-8.9	0.2-0.8	.37	.37			
	48-80	5-30	45-70	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.06-0.2	0.10-0.12	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
533:														
Urban land.														
536:														
Dumps, mine.														
567C2:														
Elkhart-----	0-8	0-7	66-80	20-27	1.15-1.35	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	2.0-3.0	.37	.37	5	6	48
	8-34	0-7	58-75	25-35	1.25-1.45	0.6-2	0.18-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.0-1.0	.37	.37			
	34-60	0-7	66-80	18-27	1.35-1.55	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.49	.49			
570D2:														
Martinsville--	0-10	45-65	20-45	10-15	1.35-1.50	2-6	0.13-0.16	0.0-2.9	1.0-2.0	.20	.20	5	3	86
	10-34	20-50	17-60	20-33	1.40-1.60	0.6-2	0.16-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.5	.32	.32			
	34-44	30-60	15-55	10-25	1.40-1.60	0.6-2	0.12-0.17	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.2	.32	.32			
	44-60	40-90	0-55	5-20	1.50-1.70	0.6-6	0.08-0.17	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.2	.28	.28			
570F:														
Martinsville--	0-5	30-50	30-50	12-20	1.35-1.45	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	1.0-2.0	.32	.32	5	5	56
	5-10	30-50	30-50	10-20	1.35-1.45	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
	10-34	20-50	17-60	20-33	1.40-1.60	0.6-2	0.16-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.32	.32			
	34-44	30-60	15-55	10-25	1.40-1.60	0.6-2	0.12-0.17	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.2	.32	.32			
	44-60	40-90	0-55	5-20	1.50-1.70	0.6-6	0.08-0.17	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.2	.28	.28			
618G:														
Senachwine----	0-3	30-40	46-50	12-22	1.20-1.55	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	1.0-3.0	.32	.32	5	5	56
	3-7	30-40	40-50	12-20	1.30-1.55	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
	7-25	20-40	30-50	27-35	1.40-1.70	0.6-2	0.15-0.19	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.5	.32	.32			
	25-33	20-40	40-50	20-30	1.60-1.80	0.2-0.6	0.11-0.19	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.5	.32	.32			
	33-60	20-45	40-50	15-30	1.60-1.85	0.2-0.6	0.01-0.15	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.37	.37			

Table 20.--Physical Properties of the Soils--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	Sand	Silt	Clay	Moist bulk density	Permeability (Ksat)	Available water capacity	Linear extensibility	Organic matter	Erosion factors			Wind erodibility group	Wind erodibility index
										Kw	Kf	T		
	In	Pct	Pct	Pct	g/cc	In/hr	In/in	Pct	Pct					
660C2:														
Coatsburg-----	0-7	5-30	43-75	20-27	1.20-1.40	0.2-0.6	0.22-0.24	3.0-5.9	3.0-5.0	.28	.28	3	6	48
	7-80	15-35	20-50	35-45	1.50-1.70	0.01-0.06	0.09-0.13	6.0-8.9	0.0-1.0	.28	.28			
675B:														
Greenbush-----	0-14	0-7	68-82	18-25	1.25-1.30	0.6-2	0.21-0.23	0.0-2.9	2.0-3.0	.37	.37	5	6	48
	14-60	0-7	58-74	26-35	1.30-1.35	0.6-2	0.18-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.5-1.0	.37	.37			
	60-80	0-7	66-82	18-27	1.35-1.45	0.6-2	0.18-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.5	.49	.49			
679B:														
Blackberry----	0-16	0-10	63-82	18-27	1.10-1.30	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	3.0-5.0	.28	.28	5	6	48
	16-47	0-10	55-75	25-35	1.20-1.40	0.6-2	0.18-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.2-1.0	.37	.37			
	47-62	30-50	35-65	15-25	1.30-1.55	0.6-2	0.11-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.32	.32			
	62-70	30-50	35-55	5-20	1.50-1.70	0.6-2	0.05-0.19	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.1	.37	.37			
684B:														
Broadwell-----	0-15	5-20	55-80	20-27	1.25-1.45	0.6-2	0.23-0.26	0.0-2.9	3.0-4.0	.28	.28	5	6	48
	15-50	0-10	55-76	24-35	1.35-1.60	0.6-2	0.14-0.24	3.0-5.9	0.0-1.0	.37	.37			
	50-55	40-80	0-35	10-28	1.30-1.35	2-6	0.11-0.17	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.32	.32			
	55-80	70-	1-30	3-10	1.55-1.75	6-20	0.08-0.11	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.15	.15			
		100												
685B:														
Middletown----	0-9	0-10	63-80	20-27	1.20-1.40	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	1.0-3.0	.43	.43	5	6	48
	9-12	0-10	63-85	15-27	1.20-1.40	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	0.1-1.0	.49	.49			
	12-44	0-10	55-75	25-35	1.25-1.45	0.6-2	0.18-0.21	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.5	.37	.37			
	44-47	40-80	0-35	10-30	1.35-1.60	0.6-2	0.15-0.19	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.32	.32			
	47-80	50-90	0-47	3-10	1.45-1.65	2-20	0.05-0.10	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.15	.15			
705B:														
Buckhart-----	0-15	0-7	67-80	20-26	1.25-1.30	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	3.0-5.9	3.0-4.0	.28	.28	5	6	48
	15-67	0-7	58-75	25-35	1.30-1.35	0.6-2	0.18-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.2-1.0	.37	.37			
	67-80	0-7	66-82	18-27	1.35-1.45	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.0-0.5	.49	.49			
712A:														
Spaulding-----	0-22	0-7	58-73	27-35	1.05-1.25	0.6-2	0.21-0.24	3.0-5.9	4.0-6.0	.24	.24	5	4L	86
	22-38	0-7	58-75	25-35	1.20-1.50	0.6-2	0.18-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.5-2.0	.37	.37			
	38-44	0-7	58-78	22-35	1.25-1.55	0.6-2	0.17-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.5-1.0	.37	.37			
	44-80	0-7	66-80	20-27	1.30-1.55	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.49	.49			
802B:														
Orthents-----	0-6	30-45	25-48	22-30	1.70-1.75	0.2-0.6	0.18-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.5-2.0	.43	.43	5	6	48
	6-60	28-45	25-50	22-30	1.70-1.80	0.2-0.6	0.16-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.2-1.0	.43	.43			
830:														
Landfills.														
835G:														
Earthen dam.														
864:														
Pits, quarries.														
865:														
Pits, gravel.														
882A:														
Oconee-----	0-8	1-7	66-78	20-27	1.20-1.30	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	3.0-5.9	2.0-3.0	.37	.37	5	6	48
	8-16	1-7	66-80	18-27	1.30-1.45	0.06-0.2	0.20-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.49	.49			
	16-47	1-7	51-63	35-42	1.30-1.50	0.06-0.2	0.11-0.17	6.0-8.9	0.2-0.8	.37	.37			
	47-65	1-7	58-78	20-35	1.40-1.60	0.06-0.2	0.16-0.21	3.0-5.9	0.2-0.8	.37	.37			
	65-80	5-30	45-70	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.2-0.6	0.17-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			

Table 20.--Physical Properties of the Soils--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	Sand	Silt	Clay	Moist bulk density	Permea- bility (Ksat)	Available water capacity	Linear extensi- bility	Organic matter	Erosion factors			Wind erodi- bility group	Wind erodi- bility index
										Kw	Kf	T		
	In	Pct	Pct	Pct	g/cc	In/hr	In/in	Pct	Pct					
<b>882A:</b>														
Darmstadt-----	0-11	1-7	72-80	12-27	1.30-1.50	0.06-0.2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	1.0-3.0	.43	.43	3	6	48
	11-21	1-7	55-70	27-35	1.40-1.65	0.06-0.2	0.11-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.2-0.8	.37	.37			
	21-39	1-7	60-75	20-35	1.40-1.65	0.01-0.06	0.11-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.2-0.8	.37	.37			
	39-62	1-7	65-79	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.06-0.2	0.10-0.15	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.49	.49			
	62-80	5-30	45-70	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.06-0.2	0.10-0.15	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.3	.37	.37			
Coulterville--	0-7	1-7	70-80	15-27	1.40-1.60	0.2-0.6	0.21-0.24	0.0-2.9	1.0-3.0	.43	.43	4	6	48
	7-23	1-7	60-75	22-35	1.40-1.60	0.06-0.2	0.14-0.24	3.0-5.9	0.2-0.8	.37	.37			
	23-56	1-7	60-80	18-35	1.45-1.60	0.06-0.2	0.10-0.15	3.0-5.9	0.2-0.8	.49	.49			
	56-80	5-30	45-70	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.2-0.6	0.05-0.10	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
<b>894A:</b>														
Herrick-----	0-13	1-7	64-78	20-27	1.15-1.30	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	3.0-5.9	3.0-4.0	.28	.28	5	6	48
	13-39	1-7	51-63	35-42	1.20-1.40	0.2-0.6	0.12-0.17	6.0-8.9	0.2-1.0	.37	.37			
	39-60	1-7	55-73	25-40	1.20-1.40	0.2-0.6	0.16-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
	60-80	5-30	45-70	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.2-0.6	0.17-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.3	.37	.37			
Biddle-----	0-16	1-7	66-80	18-27	1.15-1.35	0.6-2	0.20-0.24	0.0-2.9	2.0-4.0	.28	.28	4	6	48
	16-36	1-7	50-63	35-42	1.25-1.45	0.06-0.2	0.14-0.20	6.0-8.9	0.2-0.8	.37	.37			
	36-76	1-7	55-75	24-38	1.30-1.50	0.06-0.2	0.16-0.22	6.0-8.9	0.2-0.8	.37	.37			
	76-80	5-30	45-70	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.2-0.6	0.17-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
Piasa-----	0-8	1-7	66-80	18-27	1.25-1.45	0.2-0.6	0.22-0.24	3.0-5.9	2.0-4.0	.37	.37	3	6	48
	8-12	1-7	66-80	18-27	1.30-1.50	0.06-0.2	0.18-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.2-0.8	.49	.49			
	12-48	1-7	50-63	35-43	1.35-1.55	0.01-0.06	0.09-0.10	6.0-8.9	0.2-0.8	.37	.37			
	48-80	5-30	45-70	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.06-0.2	0.10-0.12	0.0-2.9	0.1-0.5	.37	.37			
<b>897C2:</b>														
Bunkum-----	0-8	0-7	67-82	18-26	1.30-1.50	0.6-2	0.20-0.24	0.0-2.9	1.0-2.0	.43	.43	5	6	48
	8-40	0-7	58-75	25-35	1.25-1.45	0.2-0.6	0.16-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.5-1.0	.37	.37			
	40-58	8-25	48-74	18-27	1.30-1.50	0.2-0.6	0.18-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.5-1.0	.37	.37			
	58-80	5-30	45-70	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.2-0.6	0.17-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.37	.37			
Atlas-----	0-9	5-30	43-75	20-27	1.30-1.50	0.2-0.6	0.20-0.25	3.0-5.9	1.0-2.0	.32	.32	3	6	48
	9-31	10-35	20-55	35-45	1.35-1.55	0.01-0.06	0.07-0.19	6.0-8.9	0.0-1.0	.28	.28			
	31-51	10-35	20-60	30-45	1.35-1.55	0.01-0.06	0.07-0.19	6.0-8.9	0.0-1.0	.28	.28			
	51-80	15-40	20-50	25-45	1.35-1.60	0.06-0.2	0.07-0.18	3.0-5.9	0.0-1.0	.28	.28			
<b>897C3:</b>														
Bunkum-----	0-8	0-7	58-73	27-35	1.25-1.35	0.2-0.6	0.20-0.24	3.0-5.9	0.5-1.0	.37	.37	4	7	38
	8-40	0-7	58-75	25-35	1.35-1.55	0.2-0.6	0.16-0.22	3.0-5.9	0.5-1.0	.37	.37			
	40-58	8-25	48-74	18-27	1.30-1.50	0.2-0.6	0.18-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.5-1.0	.37	.37			
	58-80	5-30	45-70	20-30	1.40-1.60	0.2-0.6	0.17-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.0-0.5	.37	.37			
Atlas-----	0-9	5-30	30-65	30-40	1.35-1.55	0.06-0.2	0.14-0.19	6.0-8.9	0.5-1.0	.28	.28	2	7	38
	9-31	10-35	20-55	35-45	1.35-1.55	0.01-0.06	0.07-0.19	6.0-8.9	0.0-1.0	.28	.28			
	31-51	10-35	20-60	30-45	1.35-1.55	0.01-0.06	0.07-0.19	6.0-8.9	0.0-1.0	.28	.28			
	51-80	15-40	20-50	25-45	1.35-1.60	0.06-0.2	0.07-0.18	3.0-5.9	0.0-1.0	.28	.28			
<b>3073A:</b>														
Ross-----	0-13	20-45	28-65	15-27	1.20-1.45	0.6-2	0.19-0.24	0.0-2.9	2.0-4.0	.32	.32	5	5	56
	13-43	20-45	23-62	18-32	1.20-1.50	0.6-2	0.16-0.22	0.0-2.9	1.0-3.0	.32	.32			
	43-60	40-70	5-55	5-25	1.35-1.60	0.6-6	0.05-0.18	0.0-2.9	0.2-0.5	.32	.32			
<b>3074A:</b>														
Radford-----	0-12	0-15	58-82	18-27	1.40-1.60	0.6-2	0.22-0.24	0.0-2.9	2.0-4.0	.32	.32	5	6	48
	12-33	0-15	58-82	18-27	1.40-1.60	0.6-2	0.20-0.22	0.0-2.9	0.0-2.0	.49	.49			
	33-80	5-30	35-71	24-35	1.35-1.55	0.6-2	0.18-0.20	3.0-5.9	0.0-1.0	.32	.32			



Table 21.--Chemical Properties of the Soils

(Absence of an entry indicates that data were not estimated.)

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	Cation- exchange capacity	Soil reaction	Calcium carbon- ate	Sodium adsorp- tion ratio
	In	meq/100 g	pH	Pct	
<b>8D2:</b>					
Hickory-----	0-6	14-19	4.5-7.3	0	0
	6-47	16-22	4.5-7.3	0	0
	47-60	9.0-19	5.1-8.4	0-15	0
<b>8D3:</b>					
Hickory-----	0-8	17-23	4.5-7.3	0	0
	8-46	16-22	4.5-6.0	0	0
	46-58	9.0-19	5.1-7.3	0	0
	58-80	5.0-15	5.6-8.4	0-25	0
<b>8F:</b>					
Hickory-----	0-4	14-19	4.5-7.3	0	0
	4-12	9.0-14	4.5-7.3	0	0
	12-46	16-22	4.5-6.0	0	0
	46-58	9.0-19	5.1-7.3	0	0
	58-80	5.0-15	5.6-8.4	0-25	0
<b>17A:</b>					
Keomah-----	0-11	10-26	5.1-7.3	0	0
	11-18	9.0-24	5.1-7.3	0	0
	18-33	28-41	5.1-6.5	0	0
	33-51	16-29	5.6-7.3	0	0
	51-89	8.0-18	6.1-7.3	0-15	0
<b>43A:</b>					
Ipava-----	0-10	16-32	5.6-7.3	0	0
	10-18	25-38	5.6-7.3	0	0
	18-31	22-39	5.6-7.3	0	0
	31-50	17-31	6.6-7.8	0-5	0
	50-60	9.0-22	7.4-8.4	0-15	0
<b>45A:</b>					
Denny-----	0-9	18-24	5.6-7.3	0	0
	9-22	9.0-15	5.6-6.5	0	0
	22-45	21-29	5.6-6.5	0	0
	45-70	15-21	5.6-7.8	0	0
<b>46A:</b>					
Herrick-----	0-13	18-24	5.1-7.3	0	0
	13-39	21-25	4.5-6.0	0	0
	39-60	15-25	5.6-7.3	0	0
	60-80	12-17	5.6-7.8	0-10	0
<b>48A:</b>					
Ebbert-----	0-11	16-28	5.1-7.3	0	0
	11-16	11-21	5.1-6.0	0	0
	16-52	16-30	5.1-7.3	0	0
	52-63	12-23	5.6-7.3	0	0
	63-80	12-17	5.6-7.8	0-10	0
<b>50A:</b>					
Virden-----	0-16	24-30	5.6-7.8	0	0
	16-49	21-27	5.6-7.8	0	0
	49-60	15-20	5.6-8.4	0-25	0

Table 21.--Chemical Properties of the Soils--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	Cation- exchange capacity	Soil reaction	Calcium carbon- ate	Sodium adsorp- tion ratio
	In	meq/100 g	pH	Pct	
68A:					
Sable-----	0-17	26-33	5.6-7.3	0	0
	17-23	20-30	5.6-7.3	0	0
	23-60	15-23	5.6-7.8	0	0
86B:					
Oscos-----	0-14	18-25	5.1-7.3	0	0
	14-55	15-23	5.1-6.5	0	0
	55-60	12-18	5.6-7.3	0-15	0
112A:					
Cowden-----	0-8	14-22	5.6-7.3	0	0
	8-19	10-17	4.5-6.0	0	0
	19-50	21-27	4.5-7.3	0	0
	50-58	8.0-19	5.6-7.8	0	0
	58-80	12-17	5.6-7.8	0	0
113A:					
Oconee-----	0-8	12-18	5.6-7.8	0	0
	8-16	10-18	4.5-7.3	0	0
	16-47	21-27	4.5-6.0	0	0
	47-65	12-21	5.1-6.5	0	0
	65-80	12-17	5.6-7.8	0	0
113B:					
Oconee-----	0-8	12-18	5.6-7.8	0	0
	8-16	10-18	4.5-7.3	0	0
	16-47	21-27	4.5-6.0	0	0
	47-65	12-21	5.1-6.5	0	0
	65-80	12-17	5.6-7.8	0	0
119C2:					
Elco-----	0-8	14-22	5.6-7.3	0	0
	8-31	14-22	5.1-7.8	0	0
	31-60	15-27	5.1-7.8	0	0
119D2:					
Elco-----	0-6	14-22	5.6-7.3	0	0
	6-28	14-22	5.1-7.8	0	0
	28-60	15-27	5.1-7.8	0	0
127B:					
Harrison-----	0-10	16-24	6.1-7.3	0	0
	10-45	15-23	5.1-6.5	0	0
	45-65	12-21	5.6-7.3	0	0
	65-80	18-30	5.1-7.8	0-20	0
127C2:					
Harrison-----	0-8	16-24	6.1-7.3	0	0
	8-45	15-23	5.1-6.5	0	0
	45-65	12-21	5.6-7.3	0	0
	65-80	18-30	5.1-7.8	0-20	0
128B:					
Douglas-----	0-11	16-30	5.6-7.3	0	0
	11-43	15-30	5.1-6.5	0	0
	43-80	9.0-24	5.6-7.3	0	0

Table 21.--Chemical Properties of the Soils--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	Cation- exchange capacity	Soil reaction	Calcium carbon- ate	Sodium adsorp- tion ratio
	In	meq/100 g	pH	Pct	
128C2:					
Douglas-----	0-8	16-30	5.6-7.3	0	0
	8-43	15-30	5.1-6.5	0	0
	43-80	9.0-24	5.6-7.3	0	0
131C2:					
Alvin-----	0-7	7.0-11	4.5-7.3	0	0
	7-42	9.0-12	4.5-7.3	0	0
	42-80	2.0-7.0	5.1-8.4	0-25	0
134B:					
Camden-----	0-9	11-29	6.1-7.3	0	0
	9-14	9.0-24	6.1-7.3	0	0
	14-22	10-25	6.1-7.3	0	0
	22-35	16-29	5.6-6.5	0	0
	35-52	9.0-19	5.1-6.5	0	0
	52-80	8.0-15	5.6-7.8	0-25	0
134C2:					
Camden-----	0-7	11-29	5.1-7.3	0	0
	7-34	15-29	5.1-7.3	0	0
	34-43	9.0-20	5.1-7.3	0	0
	43-80	2.0-10	6.1-7.8	0-25	0
136A:					
Brooklyn-----	0-7	18-24	5.6-7.3	0	0
	7-17	9.0-14	4.5-7.3	0	0
	17-44	21-28	4.5-7.8	0-5	0
	44-60	6.0-19	5.1-7.8	0-20	0
138A:					
Shiloh-----	0-27	29-34	6.1-7.3	0	0
	27-52	22-31	6.1-7.8	0	0
	52-80	15-28	6.1-8.4	0-10	0
152A:					
Drummer-----	0-14	27-40	5.6-7.3	0	0
	14-41	17-31	6.1-7.3	0	0
	41-47	9.0-19	6.6-7.8	0-5	0
	47-60	4.0-13	7.4-8.4	0-15	0
198A:					
Elburn-----	0-16	16-32	6.1-7.3	0	0
	16-49	17-31	5.6-7.3	0	0
	49-58	2.0-10	6.6-7.8	0-5	0
	58-62	2.0-10	6.6-7.8	0-15	0
242A:					
Kendall-----	0-7	14-22	5.1-7.3	0	0
	7-11	11-17	5.1-7.3	0	0
	11-51	16-22	4.5-7.3	0	0
	51-58	9.0-19	5.1-7.8	0-15	0
	58-74	2.0-13	7.4-8.4	0-15	0
	74-80	3.0-10	7.4-8.4	0-20	0
244A:					
Hartsburg-----	0-17	27-40	6.1-7.3	0-5	0
	17-34	17-31	6.6-8.4	0-25	0
	34-60	9.0-23	7.4-8.4	15-40	0

Table 21.--Chemical Properties of the Soils--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	Cation- exchange capacity	Soil reaction	Calcium carbon- ate	Sodium adsorp- tion ratio
	In	meq/100 g	pH	Pct	
249A:					
Edinburg-----	0-16	22-29	5.6-7.8	0	0
	16-55	21-28	5.6-7.3	0	0
	55-60	13-18	6.6-7.8	0-5	0
256C2:					
Pana-----	0-9	11-22	5.1-7.3	0	0
	9-71	12-29	5.1-6.5	0	0
	71-80	0.0-13	5.1-7.8	0-5	0
257A:					
Clarksdale-----	0-8	10-22	5.1-7.3	0	0
	8-16	9.0-18	5.1-7.3	0	0
	16-47	21-28	5.1-7.3	0	0
	47-67	12-19	6.1-8.4	0-15	0
	67-80	12-18	6.1-8.4	0-15	0
259C2:					
Assumption-----	0-8	18-24	5.6-7.3	0	0
	8-24	15-23	5.1-7.3	0	0
	24-60	18-28	5.1-7.3	0	0
279B:					
Rozetta-----	0-7	10-22	5.1-7.3	0	0
	7-11	7.0-17	4.5-7.3	0	0
	11-55	16-22	4.5-6.0	0	0
	55-60	12-17	5.6-7.8	0-15	0
474A:					
Piasa-----	0-8	11-16	5.6-7.8	0	0-5
	8-12	11-16	5.6-7.8	0	0-5
	12-48	21-26	6.1-9.0	0-10	15-25
	48-80	12-17	6.6-8.4	0-30	5-20
533:					
Urban land.					
536:					
Dumps, mine.					
567C2:					
Elkhart-----	0-8	16-24	5.6-7.8	0	0
	8-34	15-22	5.6-8.4	0-20	0
	34-60	12-21	7.4-8.4	10-40	0
570D2:					
Martinsville-----	0-10	8.0-14	5.1-7.3	0	0
	10-34	10-18	5.1-7.3	0	0
	34-44	8.0-13	5.1-7.8	0	0
	44-60	3.0-10	6.1-8.4	0-45	0
570F:					
Martinsville-----	0-5	7.0-16	5.1-7.3	0	0
	5-10	4.0-13	5.1-7.3	0	0
	10-34	7.0-18	5.1-7.3	0	0
	34-44	8.0-13	5.1-7.8	0	0
	44-60	3.0-10	6.1-8.4	0-45	0

Table 21.--Chemical Properties of the Soils--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	Cation- exchange capacity	Soil reaction	Calcium carbon- ate	Sodium adsorp- tion ratio
	In	meq/100 g	pH	Pct	
618G:					
Senachwine-----	0-3	7.0-19	5.6-7.3	0	0
	3-7	5.0-13	5.6-7.3	0	0
	7-25	11-22	5.1-7.3	0	0
	25-33	8.0-19	6.6-7.8	0-20	0
	33-60	6.0-19	7.4-8.4	25-40	0
660C2:					
Coatsburg-----	0-7	18-26	5.1-7.8	0	0
	7-80	21-29	5.1-6.5	0	0
675B:					
Greenbush-----	0-14	20-25	5.1-7.3	0	0
	14-60	25-30	4.5-7.3	0	0
	60-80	20-25	5.6-7.3	0	0
679B:					
Blackberry-----	0-16	17-26	6.1-7.3	0	0
	16-47	15-23	5.1-7.3	0	0
	47-62	9.0-22	5.6-8.4	0-10	0
	62-70	3.0-19	5.6-8.4	0-20	0
684B:					
Broadwell-----	0-15	18-27	5.6-7.3	0	0
	15-50	15-23	5.6-7.3	0	0
	50-55	15-20	5.6-7.3	0	0
	55-80	2.0-7.0	5.6-7.3	0	0
685B:					
Middletown-----	0-9	14-22	6.1-7.3	0	0
	9-12	9.0-19	5.1-7.3	0	0
	12-44	15-22	4.5-6.5	0	0
	44-47	9.0-19	4.5-7.3	0	0
	47-80	1.0-7.0	5.1-7.3	0	0
705B:					
Buckhart-----	0-15	18-25	5.6-7.3	0	0
	15-67	15-23	5.6-7.8	0	0
	67-80	12-18	6.6-7.8	0-15	0
712A:					
Spaulding-----	0-22	24-33	7.4-8.4	10-40	0
	22-38	17-25	7.4-8.4	5-40	0
	38-44	14-23	7.4-8.4	5-40	0
	44-80	12-17	7.4-8.4	10-40	0
802B:					
Orthents-----	0-6	10-25	5.6-7.8	0-10	0
	6-60	10-20	5.6-7.8	0-20	0
830:					
Landfills.					
835G:					
Earthen dam.					
864:					
Pits, quarries.					
865:					
Pits, gravel.					

Table 21.--Chemical Properties of the Soils--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	Cation- exchange capacity	Soil reaction	Calcium carbon- ate	Sodium adsorp- tion ratio
	In	meq/100 g	pH	Pct	
<b>882A:</b>					
Oconee-----	0-8	12-18	5.6-7.8	0	0
	8-16	10-18	4.5-7.3	0	0
	16-47	11-19	4.5-6.0	0	0
	47-65	12-21	5.1-6.5	0	0
	65-80	12-17	5.6-7.8	0	0
Darmstadt-----	0-11	7.0-20	5.1-7.3	0	0-5
	11-21	16-23	4.5-7.8	0	13-21
	21-39	16-23	6.6-9.0	0-20	15-25
	39-62	12-17	7.4-9.0	0-30	5-20
	62-80	12-17	7.4-9.0	0-30	5-20
Coulterville-----	0-7	9.0-18	5.6-7.8	0	0-5
	7-23	16-22	4.5-7.8	0	5-15
	23-56	11-22	7.4-8.4	0-10	5-15
	56-80	12-17	6.6-8.4	0-20	5-15
<b>894A:</b>					
Herrick-----	0-13	18-24	5.1-7.3	0	0
	13-39	21-25	4.5-6.0	0	0
	39-60	15-25	5.6-7.3	0	0
	60-80	12-17	5.6-7.8	0-10	0
Biddle-----	0-16	20-27	5.6-7.3	0	0
	16-36	22-30	5.6-8.4	0-5	5-15
	36-76	20-28	6.1-8.4	0-15	5-10
	76-80	12-17	6.6-8.4	0-15	0-10
Piasa-----	0-8	11-16	5.6-7.8	0	0-5
	8-12	11-16	5.6-7.8	0	0-5
	12-48	21-26	6.1-9.0	0-10	15-25
	48-80	12-17	6.6-8.4	0-30	5-20
<b>897C2:</b>					
Bunkum-----	0-8	17-23	5.1-7.3	0	0
	8-40	18-24	4.5-6.5	0	0
	40-58	12-22	5.1-7.3	0	0
	58-80	12-17	5.1-7.3	0	0
Atlas-----	0-9	19-26	4.5-7.3	0	0
	9-31	21-29	4.5-7.3	0	0
	31-51	18-29	4.5-7.8	0	0
	51-80	12-20	6.1-7.8	0-5	0
<b>897C3:</b>					
Bunkum-----	0-8	17-23	5.1-7.3	0	0
	8-40	18-24	4.5-6.5	0	0
	40-58	12-22	5.1-7.3	0	0
	58-80	12-17	5.1-7.3	0	0
Atlas-----	0-9	19-26	4.5-7.3	0	0
	9-31	21-29	4.5-7.3	0	0
	31-51	18-29	4.5-7.8	0	0
	51-80	12-20	6.1-7.8	0-5	0
<b>3073A:</b>					
Ross-----	0-13	13-23	6.1-7.3	0	0
	13-43	12-26	6.1-7.3	0	0
	43-60	3.0-16	6.1-7.8	0-5	0

Table 21.--Chemical Properties of the Soils--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Depth	Cation- exchange capacity	Soil reaction	Calcium carbon- ate	Sodium adsorp- tion ratio
	In	meq/100 g	pH	Pct	
3074A:					
Radford-----	0-12	15-24	5.6-7.8	0	0
	12-33	11-20	6.1-7.8	0	0
	33-80	14-23	6.1-7.8	0-20	0
3107A:					
Sawmill-----	0-32	23-36	6.1-7.3	0	0
	32-58	18-34	6.6-7.8	0	0
	58-65	18-34	6.6-8.4	0-5	0
3284A:					
Tice-----	0-14	20-27	6.1-7.8	0	0
	14-52	16-23	5.6-7.8	0	0
	52-72	9.0-20	5.6-7.8	0-20	0
7148A:					
Proctor-----	0-16	16-25	5.6-7.3	0	0
	16-34	16-23	5.6-6.5	0	0
	34-53	9.0-22	5.6-7.3	0	0
	53-60	3.0-7.0	6.1-7.3	0	0
7242A:					
Kendall-----	0-9	14-20	5.1-7.3	0	0
	9-14	11-16	5.1-7.3	0	0
	14-54	16-22	4.5-7.3	0	0
	54-60	6.0-16	5.6-8.4	0-15	0
8396A:					
Vesser-----	0-14	25-30	5.6-7.3	0	0
	14-26	20-25	5.1-6.5	0	0
	26-80	25-30	5.1-6.5	0	0
MW: Miscellaneous water.					
W: Water.					











Table 23.--Soil Features

(See text for definitions of terms used in this table. Absence of an entry indicates that the feature is not a concern or that data were not estimated.)

Map symbol and soil name	Potential for frost action	Risk of corrosion	
		Uncoated steel	Concrete
8D2: Hickory-----	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
8D3: Hickory-----	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
8F: Hickory-----	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
17A: Keomah-----	High	High	Moderate
43A: Ipava-----	High	High	Moderate
45A: Denny-----	High	High	Moderate
46A: Herrick-----	High	High	High
48A: Ebbert-----	High	High	Moderate
50A: Virden-----	High	High	Moderate
68A: Sable-----	High	High	Low
86B: Osco-----	High	Moderate	Moderate
112A: Cowden-----	High	High	Moderate
113A: Oconee-----	High	High	High
113B: Oconee-----	High	High	High
119C2: Elco-----	High	High	Moderate
119D2: Elco-----	High	High	Moderate
127B: Harrison-----	High	High	Moderate
127C2: Harrison-----	High	High	Moderate
128B: Douglas-----	High	Moderate	Moderate

Table 23.--Soil Features--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential for frost action	Risk of corrosion	
		Uncoated steel	Concrete
128C2: Douglas-----	High	Moderate	Moderate
131C2: Alvin-----	Moderate	Low	High
134B: Camden-----	High	Moderate	Moderate
134C2: Camden-----	High	Moderate	Moderate
136A: Brooklyn-----	High	High	Moderate
138A: Shiloh-----	High	High	Low
152A: Drummer-----	High	High	Moderate
198A: Elburn-----	High	High	Low
242A: Kendall-----	High	High	High
244A: Hartsburg-----	High	High	Low
249A: Edinburg-----	High	High	Moderate
256C2: Pana-----	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
257A: Clarksdale-----	High	High	Moderate
259C2: Assumption-----	High	High	Moderate
279B: Rozetta-----	High	Moderate	Moderate
474A: Piassa-----	High	High	Low
533: Urban land.			
536: Dumps, mine.			
567C2: Elkhart-----	High	Moderate	Moderate
570D2: Martinsville-----	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
570F: Martinsville-----	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate

Table 23.--Soil Features--Continued

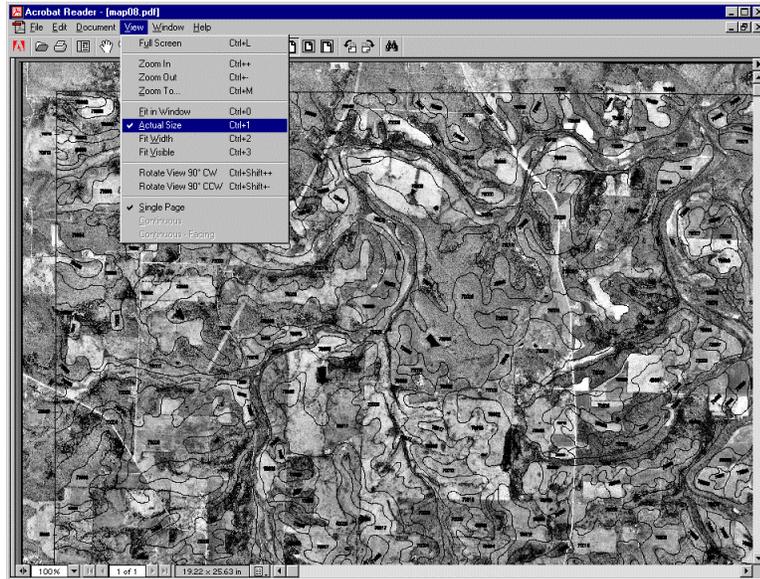
Map symbol and soil name	Potential for frost action	Risk of corrosion	
		Uncoated steel	Concrete
618G: Senachwine-----	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
660C2: Coatsburg-----	High	High	Moderate
675B: Greenbush-----	High	Moderate	Moderate
679B: Blackberry-----	High	High	Moderate
684B: Broadwell-----	High	Moderate	Moderate
685B: Middletown-----	High	High	High
705B: Buckhart-----	High	Moderate	Moderate
712A: Spaulding-----	High	High	Low
802B: Orthents-----	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
830: Landfills.			
835G: Earthen dam.			
864: Pits, quarries.			
865: Pits, gravel.			
882A: Oconee-----	High	High	High
Darmstadt-----	High	High	High
Coulterville-----	High	High	High
894A: Herrick-----	High	High	High
Biddle-----	High	High	Moderate
Piasa-----	High	High	Low
897C2: Bunkum-----	High	High	High
Atlas-----	High	High	Moderate
897C3: Bunkum-----	High	High	High
Atlas-----	High	High	Moderate

Table 23.--Soil Features--Continued

Map symbol and soil name	Potential for frost action	Risk of corrosion	
		Uncoated steel	Concrete
3073A: Ross-----	Moderate	Low	Low
3074A: Radford-----	High	High	Moderate
3107A: Sawmill-----	High	High	Low
3284A: Tice-----	High	High	Low
7148A: Proctor-----	High	Moderate	Moderate
7242A: Kendall-----	High	High	Moderate
8396A: Vesser-----	High	High	Moderate
MW: Miscellaneous water.			
W: Water.			

## Printing Soil Survey Maps

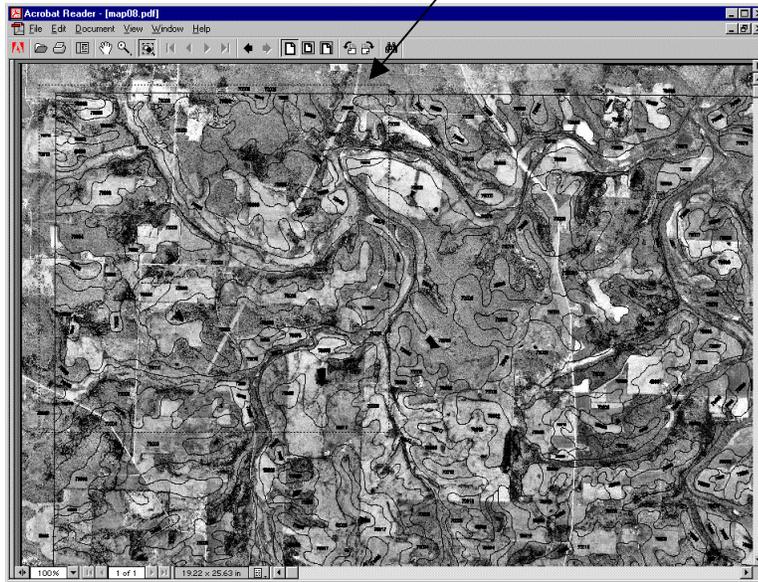
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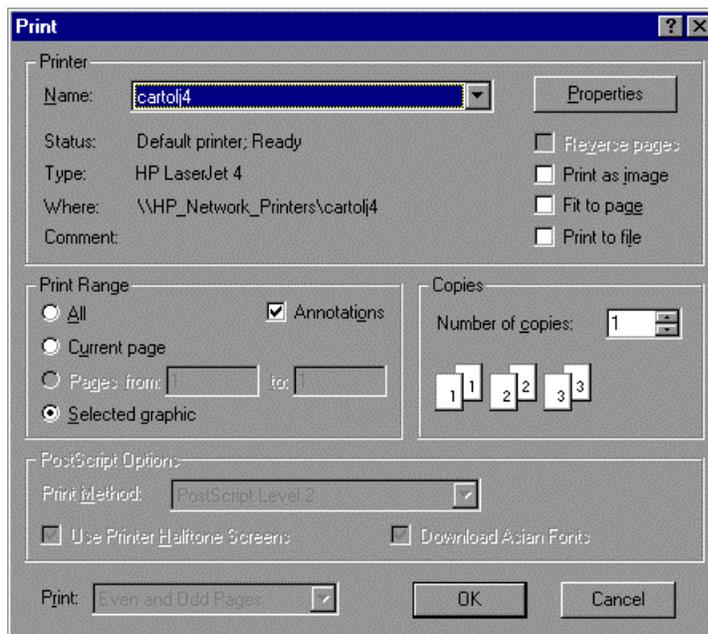
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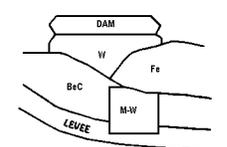
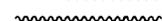
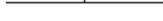
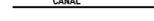
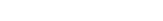
Then using the Graphic Selection Tool drag a box around the area you would like to print. Note dashed lines forming a box around area to print.



Select File Print. The Print Range will be set to Selected graphic. Click OK and the map will be sent to the printer.



# CONVENTIONAL AND SPECIAL SYMBOLS LEGEND

DESCRIPTION	SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	SYMBOL		
<b>CULTURAL FEATURES</b>		<b>CULTURAL FEATURES (cont.)</b>		<b>SPECIAL SYMBOLS FOR SOIL SURVEY AND SSURGO</b>			
<b>BOUNDARIES</b>		<b>MISCELLANEOUS CULTURAL FEATURES</b>		 <p><b>SOIL DELINEATIONS AND SYMBOLS</b></p> <p><b>LANDFORM FEATURES</b></p> <p><b>ESCARPMENTS</b></p> <p>Bedrock </p> <p>Other than bedrock </p> <p><b>SHORT STEEP SLOPE</b> </p> <p><b>GULLY</b> </p> <p><b>DEPRESSION, closed</b> </p> <p><b>SINKHOLE</b> </p> <p><b>EXCAVATIONS</b></p> <p><b>PITS</b></p> <p>Borrow pit </p> <p>Gravel pit </p> <p>Mine or quarry </p> <p><b>LANDFILL</b> </p> <p><b>MISCELLANEOUS SURFACE FEATURES</b></p> <p>Blowout </p> <p>Clay spot </p> <p>Gravelly spot </p> <p>Lava flow </p> <p>Marsh or swamp </p> <p>Rock outcrop (includes sandstone and shale) </p> <p>Saline spot </p> <p>Sandy spot </p> <p>Severely eroded spot </p> <p>Slide or slip </p> <p>Sodic spot </p> <p>Spoil area </p> <p>Stony spot </p> <p>Very stony spot </p> <p>Wet spot </p>			
National, state, or province		Farmland, house (omit in urban areas)					
County or parish		Church					
Minor civil division		School					
Reservation, (national forest or park, state forest or park)		Other Religion (label)					
Land grant		Located object (label)					
Limit of soil survey (label) and/or denied access areas		Tank (label)					
Field sheet matchline & neatline		Lookout Tower					
Previously published survey		Oil and / or Natural Gas Wells					
<b>OTHER BOUNDARY (label)</b>		Windmill					
Airport, airfield		Lighthouse					
Cemetery		<b>HYDROGRAPHIC FEATURES</b>					
City / county Park		<b>STREAMS</b>					
STATE COORDINATE TICK		Perennial, double line					
LAND DIVISION CORNERS (section and land grants)		Perennial, single line					
GEOGRAPHIC COORDINATE TICK		Intermittent					
<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>		Drainage end					
Divided roads		<b>DRAINAGE AND IRRIGATION</b>					
Other roads		Double line canal (label)					
# Trails		Perennial drainage and/or irrigation ditch					
<b>ROAD EMBLEMS &amp; DESIGNATIONS</b>		Intermittent drainage and/or irrigation ditch					
Interstate		<b>SMALL LAKES, PONDS, AND RESERVOIRS</b>					
Federal		Perennial water					
State		Miscellaneous water					
County, farm, or ranch		Flood pool line					
<b>RAILROAD</b>		<b>MISCELLANEOUS WATER FEATURES</b>					
<b>POWER TRANSMISSION LINE (normally not shown)</b>		Spring					
<b>PIPELINE (normally not shown)</b>		Well, artesian					
<b>FENCE (normally not shown)</b>		Well, irrigation					
<b>LEVEES</b>		<b>RECOMMENDED AD HOC SOIL SYMBOLS</b>					
Without road							
With road							
With railroad							
Single side slope (showing actual feature location)							
<b>DAMS</b>							
Medium or small							
<b>LANDFORM FEATURES</b>							
Prominent Hill or Peak							
Soil Sample Site							

\* Cultural features for use in Illinois

### Descriptions of Special Features

Name	Description	Label
Blowout	A small saucer-, cup-, or trough-shaped hollow or depression formed by wind erosion on a preexisting sand deposit. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	BLO
Borrow pit	An open excavation from which soil and underlying material have been removed, usually for construction purposes. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	BPI
Calcareous spot	An area in which the soil contains carbonates in the surface layer. The surface layer of the named soils in the surrounding map unit is noncalcareous. Typically 0.5 acre to 2.0 acres.	CSP
Clay spot	A spot where the surface layer is silty clay or clay in areas where the surface layer of the soils in the surrounding map unit is sandy loam, loam, silt loam, or coarser. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	CLA
Depression, closed	A shallow, saucer-shaped area that is slightly lower on the landscape than the surrounding area and that does not have a natural outlet for surface drainage. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	DEP
Disturbed soil spot	An area in which the soil has been removed and materials redeposited as a result of human activity. Typically 0.25 acre to 2.0 acres.	DSS
Dumps	Areas of nonsoil material that support little or no vegetation. Typically 0.5 acre to 2.0 acres.	DMP
Escarpment, bedrock	A relatively continuous and steep slope or cliff, produced by erosion or faulting, that breaks the general continuity of more gently sloping land surfaces. Exposed material is hard or soft bedrock.	ESB
Escarpment, nonbedrock	A relatively continuous and steep slope or cliff, generally produced by erosion but in some places produced by faulting, that breaks the continuity of more gently sloping land surfaces. Exposed earthy material is nonsoil or very shallow soil.	ESO
Glacial till spot	An exposure of glacial till at the surface of the earth. Typically 0.25 acre to 2.0 acres.	GLA
Gravel pit	An open excavation from which soil and underlying material have been removed and used, without crushing, as a source of sand or gravel. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	GPI
Gravelly spot	A spot where the surface layer has more than 35 percent, by volume, rock fragments that are mostly less than 3 inches in diameter in an area that has less than 15 percent rock fragments. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	GRA

<b>Name</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Label</b>
Gray spot	A spot in which the surface layer is gray in areas where the subsurface layer of the named soils in the surrounding map unit are darker. Typically 0.25 acre to 2.0 acres.	GSP
Gully	A small channel with steep sides cut by running water through which water ordinarily runs only after a rain or after melting of snow or ice. It generally is an obstacle to wheeled vehicles and is too deep to be obliterated by ordinary tillage.	GUL
Iron bog	An accumulation of iron in the form of nodules, concretions, or soft masses on the surface or near the surface of soils. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	BFE
Landfill	An area of accumulated waste products of human habitation, either above or below natural ground level. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	LDF
Levee	An embankment that confines or controls water, especially one built along the banks of a river to prevent overflow onto lowlands.	LVS
Marsh or swamp	A water-saturated, very poorly drained area that is intermittently or permanently covered by water. Sedges, cattails, and rushes are the dominant vegetation in marshes, and trees or shrubs are the dominant vegetation in swamps. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	MAR
Mine or quarry	An open excavation from which soil and underlying material have been removed and in which bedrock is exposed. Also denotes surface openings to underground mines. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	MPI
Mine subsided area	An area that is lower than the soils in the surrounding map unit because of subsurface coal mining. Typically 0.25 acre to 3.0 acres.	MSA
Miscellaneous water	A small, constructed body of water that is used for industrial, sanitary, or mining applications and that contains water most of the year. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	MIS
Muck spot	An area that occurs within an area of poorly drained or very poorly drained soil and that has a histic epipedon or an organic surface layer. The symbol is used only in map units consisting of mineral soil. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	MUC
Oil brine spot	An area of soil that has been severely damaged by the accumulation of oil brine, with or without liquid oily wastes. The area is typically barren but may have a vegetative cover of salt-tolerant plants. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	OBS
Perennial water	A small, natural or constructed lake, pond, or pit that contains water most of the year. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	WAT

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Rock outcrop	An exposure of bedrock at the surface of the earth. Not used where the named soils of the surrounding map unit are shallow over bedrock or where "Rock outcrop" is a named component of the map unit. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	ROC
Saline spot	An area where the surface layer has an electrical conductivity of 8 mmhos/cm-1 more than the surface layer of the named soils in the surrounding map unit. The surface layer of the surrounding soils has an electrical conductivity of 2 mmhos/cm-1 or less. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	SAL
Sandy spot	A spot where the surface layer is loamy fine sand or coarser in areas where the surface layer of the named soils in the surrounding map unit is very fine sandy loam or finer. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	SAN
Severely eroded spot	An area where, on the average, 75 percent or more of the original surface layer has been lost because of accelerated erosion. Not used in map units in which "severely eroded," "very severely eroded," or "gullied" is part of the map unit name. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	ERO
Short steep slope	A narrow area of soil having slopes that are at least two slope classes steeper than the slope class of the surrounding map unit.	SLP
Sinkhole	A closed depression formed either by solution of the surficial rock or by collapse of underlying caves. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	SNK
Slide or slip	A prominent landform scar or ridge caused by fairly recent mass movement or descent of earthy material resulting from failure of earth or rock under shear stress along one or several surfaces. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	SLI
Sodic spot	An area where the surface layer has a sodium adsorption ratio that is at least 10 more than that of the surface layer of the named soils in the surrounding map unit. The surface layer of the surrounding soils has a sodium adsorption ratio of 5 or less. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	SOD
Spoil area	A pile of earthy materials, either smoothed or uneven, resulting from human activity. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	SPO
Stony spot	A spot where 0.01 to 0.1 percent of the surface cover is rock fragments that are more than 10 inches in diameter in areas where the surrounding soil has no surface stones. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	STN
Unclassified water	A small, natural or manmade lake, pond, or pit that contains water, of an unspecified nature, most of the year. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	UWT

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Very stony spot	A spot where 0.1 to 3.0 percent of the surface cover is rock fragments that are more than 10 inches in diameter in areas where the surface cover of the surrounding soil is less than 0.01 percent stones. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	STV
Wet depression	A shallow, concave area within an area of poorly drained or very poorly drained soils in which water is ponded for intermittent periods. The concave area is saturated for appreciably longer periods of time than the surrounding soil. Typically 0.2 acre to 2.0 acres.	WDP
Wet spot	A somewhat poorly drained to very poorly drained area that is at least two drainage classes wetter than the named soils in the surrounding map unit. Typically 0.2 acres to 2.0 acres.	WET