# Appendix B

Environmental Background Information





# USFWS NWI MAPPING





# **NWI Map Downtown Connection Site**



#### May 31, 2023

#### Wetlands

- Estuarine and Marine Wetland

Estuarine and Marine Deepwater

Freshwater Pond

Freshwater Emergent Wetland

Freshwater Forested/Shrub Wetland

Lake Other Riverine



# NWI Map SR 285 Expansion Site



#### May 31, 2023

#### Wetlands

- Estuarine and Marine Deepwater
- Estuarine and Marine Wetland
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  - Freshwater Pond

Freshwater Emergent Wetland

Freshwater Forested/Shrub Wetland

Lake Other Riverine



#### NWI Map Mid-Valley Connection Site



#### October 3, 2023

#### Wetlands



Estuarine and Marine Deepwater

Estuarine and Marine Wetland

- Freshwater Forested/Shrub Wetland
  - Freshwater Pond

Freshwater Emergent Wetland

Lake Other Riverine





#### October 9, 2023

#### Wetlands

- Estuarine and Marine Wetland

Estuarine and Marine Deepwater

- Freshwater Pond

Freshwater Emergent Wetland

Freshwater Forested/Shrub Wetland

Lake Other Riverine





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#### **Downtown Connection Site**





#### SR 285 Expansion Site



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#### Mid-Valley Connection Site



Malaga/Rock Island Industrial Area Crossing Site







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## **Downtown Connection Site**



United States Department of Agriculture

NRCS

Natural Resources Conservation Service A product of the National Cooperative Soil Survey, a joint effort of the United States Department of Agriculture and other Federal agencies, State agencies including the Agricultural Experiment Stations, and local participants Custom Soil Resource Report for Chelan County Area, Washington (Parts of Chelan and Kittitas Counties), and Douglas County, Washington



# Preface

Soil surveys contain information that affects land use planning in survey areas. They highlight soil limitations that affect various land uses and provide information about the properties of the soils in the survey areas. Soil surveys are designed for many different users, including farmers, ranchers, foresters, agronomists, urban planners, community officials, engineers, developers, builders, and home buyers. Also, conservationists, teachers, students, and specialists in recreation, waste disposal, and pollution control can use the surveys to help them understand, protect, or enhance the environment.

Various land use regulations of Federal, State, and local governments may impose special restrictions on land use or land treatment. Soil surveys identify soil properties that are used in making various land use or land treatment decisions. The information is 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.

Although soil survey information can be used for general farm, local, and wider area planning, onsite investigation is needed to supplement this information in some cases. Examples include soil quality assessments (http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/soils/health/) and certain conservation and engineering applications. For more detailed information, contact your local USDA Service Center (https://offices.sc.egov.usda.gov/locator/app?agency=nrcs) or your NRCS State Soil Scientist (http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/soils/contactus/? cid=nrcs142p2\_053951).

Great differences in soil properties can occur within short distances. Some soils are seasonally wet or subject to flooding. 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.

The National Cooperative Soil Survey is a joint effort of the United States Department of Agriculture and other Federal agencies, State agencies including the Agricultural Experiment Stations, and local agencies. The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) has leadership for the Federal part of the National Cooperative Soil Survey.

Information about soils is updated periodically. Updated information is available through the NRCS Web Soil Survey, the site for official soil survey information.

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# Soil Map

The soil map section includes the soil map for the defined area of interest, a list of soil map units on the map and extent of each map unit, and cartographic symbols displayed on the map. Also presented are various metadata about data used to produce the map, and a description of each soil map unit.



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ß	Sodic Spot			area. These survey areas may have been mapped at different scales, with a different land use in mind, at different times, or at different levels of detail. This may result in map unit symbols, soil properties, and interpretations that do not completely agree across soil survey area boundaries.		

#### MAP LEGEND

#### MAP INFORMATION

Soil map units are labeled (as space allows) for map scales 1:50,000 or larger.

Date(s) aerial images were photographed: Aug 3, 2022—Aug 8, 2022

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# **Map Unit Legend**

Map Unit Symbol	Map Unit Name	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI			
СсВ	Cashmont sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	13.9	13.5%			
PID	Peshastin stony loam, 0 to 25 percent slopes	6.8	6.6%			
W	Water	32.9	31.8%			
Subtotals for Soil Survey Area		53.6	51.9%			
Totals for Area of Interest		103.3	100.0%			

Map Unit Symbol	Map Unit Name	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
80	Cashmere fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	6.4	6.2%
268	Pogue extremely stony fine sandy loam, 3 to 25 percent slopes	6.5	6.3%
427	Torriorthents, very steep	3.6	3.4%
458	Water	33.3	32.2%
Subtotals for Soil Survey Area		49.7	48.1%
Totals for Area of Interest		103.3	100.0%

## **Map Unit Descriptions**

The map units delineated on the detailed soil maps in a soil survey represent the soils or miscellaneous areas in the survey area. The map unit descriptions, along with the maps, can be used to determine the composition and properties of a unit.

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. If included in the database for a given area, the contrasting minor components are identified in the map unit descriptions along with some characteristics of each. 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 important soil properties and qualities.

Soils that have profiles that are almost alike make up a *soil series*. Except for differences in texture of the surface layer, 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, slope, stoniness, salinity, degree of erosion, and other characteristics that affect their use. On the basis of such differences, a soil series is divided into *soil phases*. Most of the areas shown on the detailed soil maps are phases of soil series. The name of a soil phase commonly indicates a feature that affects use or management. For example, Alpha silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is a phase of the Alpha series.

Some map units are made up of two or more major soils or miscellaneous areas. These map units are complexes, associations, or undifferentiated groups.

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. Alpha-Beta complex, 0 to 6 percent slopes, is an example.

An *association* is made up of two or more geographically associated soils or miscellaneous areas that are shown as one unit on the maps. Because of present or anticipated uses of the map units in the survey area, it was not considered practical or necessary to map the soils or miscellaneous areas separately. The pattern and relative proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas are somewhat similar. Alpha-Beta association, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is an example.

An *undifferentiated group* is made up of two or more soils or miscellaneous areas that could be mapped individually but are mapped as one unit because similar interpretations can be made for use and management. The pattern and proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas in a mapped area are not uniform. An area can be made up of only one of the major soils or miscellaneous areas, or it can be made up of all of them. Alpha and Beta soils, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is an example.

Some surveys include *miscellaneous areas*. Such areas have little or no soil material and support little or no vegetation. Rock outcrop is an example.

# Chelan County Area, Washington (Parts of Chelan and Kittitas Counties)

#### CcB—Cashmont sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2g8p Elevation: 1,200 to 1,800 feet Mean annual precipitation: 8 to 12 inches Mean annual air temperature: 48 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 180 days Farmland classification: Prime farmland if irrigated

#### Map Unit Composition

Cashmont and similar soils: 100 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Cashmont**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces, alluvial fans, hillslopes Landform position (two-dimensional): Footslope Parent material: Alluvium, glaciofluvial deposits or ablation till

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 8 inches: sandy loam H2 - 8 to 21 inches: gravelly sandy loam H3 - 21 to 60 inches: gravelly sandy loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 3 to 8 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (1.98 to 5.95 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Moderate (about 6.3 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 3e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY220WA - Stony Foothills bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### PID—Peshastin stony loam, 0 to 25 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2gbx

*Elevation:* 700 to 2,400 feet *Mean annual precipitation:* 8 to 12 inches *Mean annual air temperature:* 48 to 50 degrees F *Frost-free period:* 140 to 190 days *Farmland classification:* Farmland of unique importance

#### Map Unit Composition

Peshastin and similar soils: 100 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Peshastin**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces

*Parent material:* Till and outwash with a component of loess and volcanic ash in the surface

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 7 inches: stony loam H2 - 7 to 18 inches: loam H3 - 18 to 60 inches: very cobbly sandy loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 25 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to high (0.57 to 1.98 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 15 percent
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 5.1 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 4s Hydrologic Soil Group: B Ecological site: R008XY120WA - Stony sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### W—Water

#### Map Unit Composition

*Water:* 100 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Water**

#### Setting

Landform: Alluvial cones

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### **Douglas County, Washington**

#### 80—Cashmere fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes

#### **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: rh0h Elevation: 700 to 1,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 9 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 145 to 190 days Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance

#### **Map Unit Composition**

Cashmere and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Cashmere**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Parent material: Glaciofluvial deposits

#### Typical profile

*H1 - 0 to 11 inches:* fine sandy loam *H2 - 11 to 24 inches:* fine sandy loam *H3 - 24 to 60 inches:* fine sandy loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 3 to 8 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 5 percent
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Sodium adsorption ratio, maximum: 5.0
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Moderate (about 8.1 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 3e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY130WA - Loamy sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Magallon

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Cashmere, steeper sloping

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Pogue

Percent of map unit: 3 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Quincy

Percent of map unit: 2 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### 268—Pogue extremely stony fine sandy loam, 3 to 25 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: rgxj Elevation: 600 to 1,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 9 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Farmland of unique importance

#### Map Unit Composition

Pogue and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Pogue**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Parent material: Alluvium mixed with loess over glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 10 inches: extremely stony fine sandy loam

H2 - 10 to 15 inches: cobbly fine sandy loam

H3 - 15 to 28 inches: cobbly fine sandy loam

H4 - 28 to 60 inches: very gravelly sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 3 to 25 percent

*Depth to restrictive feature:* 20 to 35 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification

Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained

*Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat):* High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None

Frequency of ponding: None

Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)

Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 3.5 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 6e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6s Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY112WA - Shallow Stony sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Burbank

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Magallon

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Quincy

Percent of map unit: 3 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Cashmere

Percent of map unit: 2 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### 427—Torriorthents, very steep

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: rgmr Elevation: 600 to 1,800 feet Mean annual precipitation: 7 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Torriorthents and similar soils:* 90 percent *Minor components:* 10 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Torriorthents**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Parent material: Glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 10 inches:* gravelly fine sandy loam *H2 - 10 to 60 inches:* very cobbly coarse sand
#### Properties and qualities

Slope: 25 to 65 percent

*Depth to restrictive feature:* 10 to 14 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification

Drainage class: Excessively drained

*Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat):* High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None

Frequency of ponding: None

Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 2 percent

*Maximum salinity:* Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm) *Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches:* Very low (about 1.1 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 7e Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY220WA - Stony Foothills bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Pogue

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Quincy

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### 458—Water

#### Map Unit Composition

*Water:* 100 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Water**

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 8 Hydric soil rating: No

# **Soil Information for All Uses**

### Suitabilities and Limitations for Use

The Suitabilities and Limitations for Use section includes various soil interpretations displayed as thematic maps with a summary table for the soil map units in the selected area of interest. A single value or rating for each map unit is generated by aggregating the interpretive ratings of individual map unit components. This aggregation process is defined for each interpretation.

### Land Classifications

Land Classifications are specified land use and management groupings that are assigned to soil areas because combinations of soil have similar behavior for specified practices. Most are based on soil properties and other factors that directly influence the specific use of the soil. Example classifications include ecological site classification, farmland classification, irrigated and nonirrigated land capability classification, and hydric rating.

### **Farmland Classification**

Farmland classification identifies map units as prime farmland, farmland of statewide importance, farmland of local importance, or unique farmland. It identifies the location and extent of the soils that are best suited to food, feed, fiber, forage, and oilseed crops. NRCS policy and procedures on prime and unique farmlands are published in the "Federal Register," Vol. 43, No. 21, January 31, 1978.





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80	Cashmere fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	Farmland of statewide importance	6.4	6.2%					
268	Pogue extremely stony fine sandy loam, 3 to 25 percent slopes	Farmland of unique importance	6.5	6.3%					
427	Torriorthents, very steep	Not prime farmland	3.6	3.4%					
458	Water	Not prime farmland	33.3	32.2%					
Subtotals for Soil Surve	y Area	49.7	48.1%						
Totals for Area of Interes	st		103.3	100.0%					

### **Rating Options—Farmland Classification**

Aggregation Method: No Aggregation Necessary Tie-break Rule: Lower

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## Preface

Soil surveys contain information that affects land use planning in survey areas. They highlight soil limitations that affect various land uses and provide information about the properties of the soils in the survey areas. Soil surveys are designed for many different users, including farmers, ranchers, foresters, agronomists, urban planners, community officials, engineers, developers, builders, and home buyers. Also, conservationists, teachers, students, and specialists in recreation, waste disposal, and pollution control can use the surveys to help them understand, protect, or enhance the environment.

Various land use regulations of Federal, State, and local governments may impose special restrictions on land use or land treatment. Soil surveys identify soil properties that are used in making various land use or land treatment decisions. The information is 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.

Although soil survey information can be used for general farm, local, and wider area planning, onsite investigation is needed to supplement this information in some cases. Examples include soil quality assessments (http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/soils/health/) and certain conservation and engineering applications. For more detailed information, contact your local USDA Service Center (https://offices.sc.egov.usda.gov/locator/app?agency=nrcs) or your NRCS State Soil Scientist (http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/soils/contactus/? cid=nrcs142p2\_053951).

Great differences in soil properties can occur within short distances. Some soils are seasonally wet or subject to flooding. 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.

The National Cooperative Soil Survey is a joint effort of the United States Department of Agriculture and other Federal agencies, State agencies including the Agricultural Experiment Stations, and local agencies. The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) has leadership for the Federal part of the National Cooperative Soil Survey.

Information about soils is updated periodically. Updated information is available through the NRCS Web Soil Survey, the site for official soil survey information.

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# Soil Map

The soil map section includes the soil map for the defined area of interest, a list of soil map units on the map and extent of each map unit, and cartographic symbols displayed on the map. Also presented are various metadata about data used to produce the map, and a description of each soil map unit.



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⊕ ♦ ♦	Severely Eroded Spot Sinkhole Slide or Slip			Soil Survey Area: Douglas County, Washington Survey Area Data: Version 24, Aug 30, 2022 Your area of interest (AOI) includes more than one soil survey		
ß	Sodic Spot			area. These survey areas may have been mapped at different scales, with a different land use in mind, at different times, or at different levels of detail. This may result in map unit symbols, soil properties, and interpretations that do not completely agree across soil survey area boundaries.		

#### MAP LEGEND

#### MAP INFORMATION

Soil map units are labeled (as space allows) for map scales 1:50,000 or larger.

Date(s) aerial images were photographed: Aug 3, 2022—Aug 8, 2022

The orthophoto or other base map on which the soil lines were compiled and digitized probably differs from the background imagery displayed on these maps. As a result, some minor shifting of map unit boundaries may be evident.

### **Map Unit Legend**

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Map Unit Symbol	Map Unit Name	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
PID	Peshastin stony loam, 0 to 25 percent slopes	3.1	9.7%
PIE Peshastin stony loam, 25 to 45 percent slopes		2.8	8.8%
W	Water	8.4	26.3%
Subtotals for Soil Survey Area		14.3	44.8%
Totals for Area of Interest		32.0	100.0%

Map Unit Symbol	Map Unit Name	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
266	Pogue cobbly fine sandy loam, 0 to 15 percent slopes	0.0	0.1%
268	Pogue extremely stony fine sandy loam, 3 to 25 percent slopes	4.7	14.7%
427	Torriorthents, very steep	3.4	10.6%
458	Water	9.6	29.8%
Subtotals for Soil Survey Area	l	17.7	55.2%
Totals for Area of Interest		32.0	100.0%

### **Map Unit Descriptions**

The map units delineated on the detailed soil maps in a soil survey represent the soils or miscellaneous areas in the survey area. The map unit descriptions, along with the maps, can be used to determine the composition and properties of a unit.

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. If included in the database for a given area, the contrasting minor components are identified in the map unit descriptions along with some characteristics of each. 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 important soil properties and qualities.

Soils that have profiles that are almost alike make up a *soil series*. Except for differences in texture of the surface layer, 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, slope, stoniness, salinity, degree of erosion, and other characteristics that affect their use. On the basis of such differences, a soil series is divided into *soil phases*. Most of the areas shown on the detailed soil maps are phases of soil series. The name of a soil phase commonly indicates a feature that affects use or management. For example, Alpha silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is a phase of the Alpha series.

Some map units are made up of two or more major soils or miscellaneous areas. These map units are complexes, associations, or undifferentiated groups.

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. Alpha-Beta complex, 0 to 6 percent slopes, is an example.

An *association* is made up of two or more geographically associated soils or miscellaneous areas that are shown as one unit on the maps. Because of present or anticipated uses of the map units in the survey area, it was not considered practical or necessary to map the soils or miscellaneous areas separately. The pattern and relative proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas are somewhat similar. Alpha-Beta association, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is an example.

An *undifferentiated group* is made up of two or more soils or miscellaneous areas that could be mapped individually but are mapped as one unit because similar interpretations can be made for use and management. The pattern and proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas in a mapped area are not uniform. An area can be made up of only one of the major soils or miscellaneous areas, or it can be made up of all of them. Alpha and Beta soils, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is an example.

Some surveys include *miscellaneous areas*. Such areas have little or no soil material and support little or no vegetation. Rock outcrop is an example.

# Chelan County Area, Washington (Parts of Chelan and Kittitas Counties)

#### PID—Peshastin stony loam, 0 to 25 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2gbx Elevation: 700 to 2,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 8 to 12 inches Mean annual air temperature: 48 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Farmland of unique importance

#### Map Unit Composition

Peshastin and similar soils: 100 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Peshastin**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Parent material: Till and outwash with a component of loess and volcanic ash in the surface

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 7 inches: stony loam
H2 - 7 to 18 inches: loam
H3 - 18 to 60 inches: very cobbly sandy loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 25 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to high (0.57 to 1.98 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 15 percent
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 5.1 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 4s Hydrologic Soil Group: B Ecological site: R008XY120WA - Stony sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### PIE—Peshastin stony loam, 25 to 45 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2gby Elevation: 700 to 2,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 8 to 12 inches Mean annual air temperature: 48 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

Peshastin and similar soils: 100 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Peshastin**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Parent material: Till and outwash with a component of loess and volcanic ash in the surface

#### Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 7 inches: stony loam
H2 - 7 to 18 inches: loam
H3 - 18 to 60 inches: very cobbly sandy loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 25 to 45 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to high (0.57 to 1.98 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 15 percent
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 5.1 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6e Hydrologic Soil Group: B Ecological site: R008XY120WA - Stony sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### W-Water

#### Map Unit Composition

*Water:* 100 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Water**

Setting

Landform: Alluvial cones

### **Douglas County, Washington**

#### 266—Pogue cobbly fine sandy loam, 0 to 15 percent slopes

#### **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: rgxh Elevation: 600 to 1,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 9 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Farmland of unique importance

#### **Map Unit Composition**

Pogue and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Pogue**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Parent material: Alluvium mixed with loess over glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 8 inches: cobbly fine sandy loam H2 - 8 to 18 inches: cobbly fine sandy loam H3 - 18 to 24 inches: gravelly sandy loam H4 - 24 to 60 inches: very cobbly sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 15 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: 20 to 35 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification
Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Very low (about 3.0 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY220WA - Stony Foothills bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Pogue, stony surface

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Quincy

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Burbank

Percent of map unit: 3 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Cashmere

Percent of map unit: 1 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Magallon

Percent of map unit: 1 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### 268—Pogue extremely stony fine sandy loam, 3 to 25 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: rgxj Elevation: 600 to 1,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 9 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Farmland of unique importance

#### **Map Unit Composition**

*Pogue and similar soils:* 85 percent *Minor components:* 15 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Pogue**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Parent material: Alluvium mixed with loess over glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 10 inches: extremely stony fine sandy loam

H2 - 10 to 15 inches: cobbly fine sandy loam

H3 - 15 to 28 inches: cobbly fine sandy loam

H4 - 28 to 60 inches: very gravelly sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 3 to 25 percent Depth to restrictive feature: 20 to 35 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm) Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 3.5 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 6e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6s Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY112WA - Shallow Stony sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Burbank

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Magallon

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Quincy

Percent of map unit: 3 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Cashmere

Percent of map unit: 2 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### 427—Torriorthents, very steep

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: rgmr Elevation: 600 to 1,800 feet Mean annual precipitation: 7 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Torriorthents and similar soils:* 90 percent *Minor components:* 10 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Torriorthents**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Parent material: Glacial outwash

#### Typical profile

*H1 - 0 to 10 inches:* gravelly fine sandy loam *H2 - 10 to 60 inches:* very cobbly coarse sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 25 to 65 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: 10 to 14 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification
Drainage class: Excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 2 percent
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Very low (about 1.1 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 7e Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY220WA - Stony Foothills bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Pogue

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Quincy

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### 458—Water

#### Map Unit Composition

*Water:* 100 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Water**

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 8 Hydric soil rating: No

# **Soil Information for All Uses**

### Suitabilities and Limitations for Use

The Suitabilities and Limitations for Use section includes various soil interpretations displayed as thematic maps with a summary table for the soil map units in the selected area of interest. A single value or rating for each map unit is generated by aggregating the interpretive ratings of individual map unit components. This aggregation process is defined for each interpretation.

### Land Classifications

Land Classifications are specified land use and management groupings that are assigned to soil areas because combinations of soil have similar behavior for specified practices. Most are based on soil properties and other factors that directly influence the specific use of the soil. Example classifications include ecological site classification, farmland classification, irrigated and nonirrigated land capability classification, and hydric rating.

### **Farmland Classification**

Farmland classification identifies map units as prime farmland, farmland of statewide importance, farmland of local importance, or unique farmland. It identifies the location and extent of the soils that are best suited to food, feed, fiber, forage, and oilseed crops. NRCS policy and procedures on prime and unique farmlands are published in the "Federal Register," Vol. 43, No. 21, January 31, 1978.





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	and either protected from flooding or not frequently	-	importance, if warm enough, and either	~	US Routes	scale.
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	Farmland of statewide		not frequently flooded	~	Local Roads	measurements.
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						Chelan and Kittitas Counties)
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						area. These survey areas may have been mapped at different
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						different levels of detail. This may result in map unit symbols,
						across soil survey area boundaries.
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#### Table—Farmland Classification

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Map unit symbol Map unit name		Rating	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
PID	Peshastin stony loam, 0 to 25 percent slopes	Farmland of unique importance	3.1	9.7%
PIE	Peshastin stony loam, 25 to 45 percent slopes	Not prime farmland	2.8	8.8%
W	Water	Not prime farmland	8.4	26.3%
Subtotals for Soil Surve	y Area	14.3	44.8%	
Totals for Area of Interes	st	32.0	100.0%	

Map unit symbol	Map unit name	Rating	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
266	Pogue cobbly fine sandy loam, 0 to 15 percent slopes	Farmland of unique importance	0.0	0.1%
268	Pogue extremely stony fine sandy loam, 3 to 25 percent slopes	Farmland of unique importance	4.7	14.7%
427	Torriorthents, very steep	Not prime farmland	3.4	10.6%
458	Water	Not prime farmland	9.6	29.8%
Subtotals for Soil Surve	y Area	17.7	55.2%	
Totals for Area of Interes	st	32.0	100.0%	

### **Rating Options—Farmland Classification**

Aggregation Method: No Aggregation Necessary Tie-break Rule: Lower

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## Preface

Soil surveys contain information that affects land use planning in survey areas. They highlight soil limitations that affect various land uses and provide information about the properties of the soils in the survey areas. Soil surveys are designed for many different users, including farmers, ranchers, foresters, agronomists, urban planners, community officials, engineers, developers, builders, and home buyers. Also, conservationists, teachers, students, and specialists in recreation, waste disposal, and pollution control can use the surveys to help them understand, protect, or enhance the environment.

Various land use regulations of Federal, State, and local governments may impose special restrictions on land use or land treatment. Soil surveys identify soil properties that are used in making various land use or land treatment decisions. The information is 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.

Although soil survey information can be used for general farm, local, and wider area planning, onsite investigation is needed to supplement this information in some cases. Examples include soil quality assessments (http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/soils/health/) and certain conservation and engineering applications. For more detailed information, contact your local USDA Service Center (https://offices.sc.egov.usda.gov/locator/app?agency=nrcs) or your NRCS State Soil Scientist (http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/soils/contactus/? cid=nrcs142p2\_053951).

Great differences in soil properties can occur within short distances. Some soils are seasonally wet or subject to flooding. 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.

The National Cooperative Soil Survey is a joint effort of the United States Department of Agriculture and other Federal agencies, State agencies including the Agricultural Experiment Stations, and local agencies. The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) has leadership for the Federal part of the National Cooperative Soil Survey.

Information about soils is updated periodically. Updated information is available through the NRCS Web Soil Survey, the site for official soil survey information.

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# Soil Map

The soil map section includes the soil map for the defined area of interest, a list of soil map units on the map and extent of each map unit, and cartographic symbols displayed on the map. Also presented are various metadata about data used to produce the map, and a description of each soil map unit.

#### Custom Soil Resource Report Soil Map



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## MAP INFORMATION

The soil surveys that comprise your AOI were mapped at scales ranging from 1:12,000 to 1:20,000.

Please rely on the bar scale on each map sheet for map measurements.

Source of Map: Natural Resources Conservation Service Web Soil Survey URL: Coordinate System: Web Mercator (EPSG:3857)

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Soil map units are labeled (as space allows) for map scales 1:50,000 or larger.

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## Map Unit Legend

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Man Unit Symbol	Man Unit Name	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
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Ad	Alluvial land	8.6	6.0%
BuC	Burch fine sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes	0.7	0.5%
CeD	Cashmont stony sandy loam, 0 to 25 percent slopes	10.8	7.6%
CrC	Colockum silt loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes	1.4	1.0%
CrD	Colockum silt loam, 15 to 25 percent slopes	0.0	0.0%
PrB	Pogue gravelly fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	1.7	1.2%
Те	Terrace escarpments	10.7	7.5%
W	Water	16.8	11.8%
WeB	Wenatchee silt loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	4.6	3.2%
Subtotals for Soil Survey A	rea	55.5	38.9%
Totals for Area of Interest		142.8	100.0%

Map Unit Symbol	Map Unit Name	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
88	Cashmont gravelly sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes	5.6	3.9%
222	Logy cobbly sandy loam, 3 to 15 percent slopes	3.7	2.6%
261	Pogue fine sandy loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes	23.2	16.2%
262	Pogue fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	10.5	7.4%
264	Pogue gravelly fine sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes	0.1	0.1%
266	Pogue cobbly fine sandy loam, 0 to 15 percent slopes	5.5	3.9%
268	Pogue extremely stony fine sandy loam, 3 to 25 percent slopes		1.5%
274	Quincy loamy fine sand, 0 to 15 percent slopes	9.3	6.5%
427	Torriorthents, very steep	11.9	8.4%
458	Water	15.5	10.8%
Subtotals for Soil Survey Are	a	87.3	61.1%
Totals for Area of Interest		142.8	100.0%

## **Map Unit Descriptions**

The map units delineated on the detailed soil maps in a soil survey represent the soils or miscellaneous areas in the survey area. The map unit descriptions, along with the maps, can be used to determine the composition and properties of a unit.

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. If included in the database for a given area, the contrasting minor components are identified in the map unit descriptions along with some characteristics of each. 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 important soil properties and qualities.

Soils that have profiles that are almost alike make up a *soil series*. Except for differences in texture of the surface layer, 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, slope, stoniness, salinity, degree of erosion, and other characteristics that affect their use. On the basis of such differences, a soil series is divided into *soil phases*. Most of the areas

shown on the detailed soil maps are phases of soil series. The name of a soil phase commonly indicates a feature that affects use or management. For example, Alpha silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is a phase of the Alpha series.

Some map units are made up of two or more major soils or miscellaneous areas. These map units are complexes, associations, or undifferentiated groups.

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. Alpha-Beta complex, 0 to 6 percent slopes, is an example.

An *association* is made up of two or more geographically associated soils or miscellaneous areas that are shown as one unit on the maps. Because of present or anticipated uses of the map units in the survey area, it was not considered practical or necessary to map the soils or miscellaneous areas separately. The pattern and relative proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas are somewhat similar. Alpha-Beta association, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is an example.

An *undifferentiated group* is made up of two or more soils or miscellaneous areas that could be mapped individually but are mapped as one unit because similar interpretations can be made for use and management. The pattern and proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas in a mapped area are not uniform. An area can be made up of only one of the major soils or miscellaneous areas, or it can be made up of all of them. Alpha and Beta soils, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is an example.

Some surveys include *miscellaneous areas*. Such areas have little or no soil material and support little or no vegetation. Rock outcrop is an example.

# Chelan County Area, Washington (Parts of Chelan and Kittitas Counties)

## Ad—Alluvial land

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2g7k Elevation: 500 to 2,000 feet Mean annual precipitation: 7 to 30 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 100 to 190 days Farmland classification: Prime farmland if irrigated

#### Map Unit Composition

Alluvial land and similar soils: 100 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Alluvial Land**

#### Setting

Landform: Flood plains, terraces Parent material: Alluvium

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 12 inches:* fine sandy loam *H2 - 12 to 60 inches:* stratified loamy sand to loam

#### Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 3 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Moderately well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to high (0.57 to 1.98 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 24 to 48 inches
Frequency of flooding: NoneOccasional
Frequency of ponding: None
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 5.0 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 3w Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3w Hydrologic Soil Group: C Hydric soil rating: No

## BuC—Burch fine sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2g89 Elevation: 700 to 1,200 feet Mean annual precipitation: 8 to 12 inches Mean annual air temperature: 48 to 50 degrees F *Frost-free period:* 165 to 190 days *Farmland classification:* Farmland of unique importance

#### **Map Unit Composition**

*Burch and similar soils:* 100 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### Description of Burch

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Parent material: Alluvium derived from sandstone

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 8 inches:* fine sandy loam *H2 - 8 to 60 inches:* loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 8 to 15 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to high (0.57 to 1.98 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: High (about 11.1 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e Hydrologic Soil Group: B Ecological site: R008XY130WA - Loamy sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

## CeD—Cashmont stony sandy loam, 0 to 25 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2g8s Elevation: 1,200 to 1,800 feet Mean annual precipitation: 8 to 11 inches Mean annual air temperature: 48 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 180 days Farmland classification: Farmland of unique importance

#### Map Unit Composition

Cashmont and similar soils: 100 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Cashmont**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces, alluvial fans, hillslopes

Landform position (two-dimensional): Footslope Parent material: Alluvium, glaciofluvial deposits or ablation till

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 21 inches:* stony sandy loam *H2 - 21 to 60 inches:* gravelly sandy loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 25 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (1.98 to 5.95 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 5.8 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 4s Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY220WA - Stony Foothills bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

## CrC—Colockum silt loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes

#### **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: 2g9d Elevation: 1,000 to 3,200 feet Mean annual precipitation: 12 to 16 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 48 degrees F Frost-free period: 110 to 165 days Farmland classification: Farmland of unique importance

#### **Map Unit Composition**

Colockum and similar soils: 100 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### Description of Colockum

#### Setting

Landform: Mountain slopes, hillslopes Parent material: Colluvium from sandstone or basalt with loess and volcanic ash in the upper part

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 12 inches: silt loam H2 - 12 to 26 inches: silt loam

- H3 26 to 47 inches: silty clay loam
- H4 47 to 60 inches: very gravelly silty clay loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 8 to 15 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high (0.20 to 0.57 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 35 percent
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: High (about 9.3 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e Hydrologic Soil Group: C Ecological site: R008XY130WA - Loamy sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

## CrD—Colockum silt loam, 15 to 25 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2g9f Elevation: 1,000 to 3,200 feet Mean annual precipitation: 12 to 16 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 48 degrees F Frost-free period: 110 to 165 days Farmland classification: Farmland of unique importance

#### Map Unit Composition

Colockum and similar soils: 100 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Colockum**

#### Setting

Landform: Mountain slopes, hillslopes Parent material: Colluvium from sandstone or basalt with loess and volcanic ash in the upper part

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 12 inches: silt loam

H2 - 12 to 26 inches: silt loam

H3 - 26 to 47 inches: silty clay loam

H4 - 47 to 60 inches: very gravelly silty clay loam

#### Properties and qualities

*Slope:* 15 to 25 percent *Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches *Drainage class:* Well drained

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Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high (0.20 to 0.57 in/hr) Depth to water table: More than 80 inches Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 35 percent Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm) Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: High (about 9.3 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 6e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 4e Hydrologic Soil Group: C Ecological site: R008XY130WA - Loamy sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### PrB—Pogue gravelly fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2gc1 Elevation: 600 to 2,200 feet Mean annual precipitation: 8 to 12 inches Mean annual air temperature: 48 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 180 days Farmland classification: Prime farmland if irrigated

#### Map Unit Composition

*Pogue and similar soils:* 100 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Pogue**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Parent material: Glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 17 inches:* gravelly fine sandy loam *H2 - 17 to 30 inches:* very gravelly fine sandy loam *H3 - 30 to 60 inches:* extremely gravelly coarse sand

#### Properties and qualities

Slope: 3 to 8 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: 20 to 40 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification
Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to high (0.57 to 1.98 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 3.4 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 3e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e Hydrologic Soil Group: B Ecological site: R008XY226WA - Stony Foothills South Aspect bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

## **Te—Terrace escarpments**

#### **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: 2gcp Elevation: 50 to 2,500 feet Mean annual precipitation: 7 to 20 inches Mean annual air temperature: 48 to 54 degrees F Frost-free period: 165 to 190 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Terrace escarpments:* 100 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Terrace Escarpments**

#### Typical profile

*H1 - 0 to 6 inches:* loamy sand *H2 - 6 to 60 inches:* extremely gravelly sand

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 8 Hydric soil rating: No

## W-Water

#### Map Unit Composition

*Water:* 100 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Water**

#### Setting

Landform: Alluvial cones

## WeB—Wenatchee silt loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes

#### **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: 2gd2 Elevation: 690 to 1,280 feet Mean annual precipitation: 9 to 12 inches Mean annual air temperature: 48 to 52 degrees F Frost-free period: 150 to 185 days Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance

#### **Map Unit Composition**

Wenatchee and similar soils: 100 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Wenatchee**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Parent material: Alluvium with a minor amount of loess and volcanic ash in the surface

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 8 inches: silt loam
H2 - 8 to 17 inches: silt loam
H3 - 17 to 60 inches: sandy clay loam

## **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 3 to 8 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to moderately high (0.06 to 0.20 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: High (about 9.5 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 3e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e Hydrologic Soil Group: C Ecological site: R008XY130WA - Loamy sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

## **Douglas County, Washington**

## 88—Cashmont gravelly sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: rgwv Elevation: 750 to 1,500 feet Mean annual precipitation: 9 to 11 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Farmland of unique importance

#### Map Unit Composition

Cashmont and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Cashmont**

#### Setting

Landform: Fans on terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Parent material: Gravelly alluvium

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 10 inches: gravelly sandy loam H2 - 10 to 36 inches: gravelly fine sandy loam H3 - 36 to 60 inches: gravelly sandy loam

#### **Properties and gualities**

Slope: 8 to 15 percent Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches Drainage class: Well drained Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr) Depth to water table: More than 80 inches Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm) Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Moderate (about 6.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY220WA - Stony Foothills bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Logy

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## Cashmont, steeper sloping

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

#### Pogue

Percent of map unit: 3 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Quincy

Percent of map unit: 2 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## 222—Logy cobbly sandy loam, 3 to 15 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: rgwm Elevation: 750 to 2,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 9 to 12 inches Mean annual air temperature: 48 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 130 to 190 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Logy and similar soils:* 85 percent *Minor components:* 15 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Logy**

#### Setting

Landform: Fans Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Parent material: Alluvium and colluvium

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 10 inches: cobbly sandy loam

H2 - 10 to 28 inches: very gravelly sandy loam

*H3 - 28 to 60 inches:* stratified extremely gravelly coarse sand to gravelly sandy loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 3 to 15 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 3.7 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 4s Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY220WA - Stony Foothills bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Logy, very stony surface

Percent of map unit: 8 percent Hydric soil rating: No

Logy, steeper sloping Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Haploxerolls

Percent of map unit: 2 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## 261—Pogue fine sandy loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: rgwr Elevation: 600 to 1,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 9 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Prime farmland if irrigated

#### Map Unit Composition

Pogue and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Pogue**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Parent material: Loess over glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

- H1 0 to 9 inches: fine sandy loam
- H2 9 to 24 inches: fine sandy loam
- H3 24 to 60 inches: very gravelly sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 3 percent Depth to restrictive feature: 20 to 35 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification

Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained

#### **Custom Soil Resource Report**

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to high (0.57 to 6.00 in/hr) Depth to water table: More than 80 inches Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm) Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 3.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 3e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3s Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY130WA - Loamy sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Quincy

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Aeneas

Percent of map unit: 3 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Burbank

Percent of map unit: 3 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Pogue, steeper sloping

Percent of map unit: 2 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Skaha

Percent of map unit: 2 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## 262—Pogue fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: rgx2 Elevation: 600 to 1,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 9 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Prime farmland if irrigated

#### Map Unit Composition

Pogue and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Pogue**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Parent material: Loess over glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 9 inches: fine sandy loam
H2 - 9 to 24 inches: fine sandy loam
H3 - 24 to 60 inches: very gravelly sand

#### Properties and qualities

Slope: 3 to 8 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: 20 to 35 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification
Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to high (0.57 to 6.00 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 3.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 3e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3s Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY130WA - Loamy sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Quincy

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Pogue, steeper sloping

Percent of map unit: 3 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Aeneas

Percent of map unit: 3 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Cashmere

Percent of map unit: 2 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Burbank

Percent of map unit: 1 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Skaha

Percent of map unit: 1 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## 264—Pogue gravelly fine sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes

#### **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: rgx9 Elevation: 600 to 1,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 9 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Farmland of unique importance

#### **Map Unit Composition**

Pogue and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Pogue**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Parent material: Alluvium mixed with loess over glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 9 inches: gravelly fine sandy loam

- H2 9 to 26 inches: gravelly fine sandy loam
- H3 26 to 60 inches: very gravelly sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 8 to 15 percent

*Depth to restrictive feature:* 20 to 35 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification

Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to high (0.57 to 6.00 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None

Frequency of ponding: None

*Maximum salinity:* Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm) *Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches:* Low (about 3.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY220WA - Stony Foothills bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Quincy

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Cashmont

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Pogue, steeper sloping

Percent of map unit: 3 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Burbank

*Percent of map unit:* 2 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

## 266—Pogue cobbly fine sandy loam, 0 to 15 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: rgxh Elevation: 600 to 1,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 9 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Farmland of unique importance

#### Map Unit Composition

Pogue and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Pogue**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Parent material: Alluvium mixed with loess over glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 8 inches:* cobbly fine sandy loam *H2 - 8 to 18 inches:* cobbly fine sandy loam *H3 - 18 to 24 inches:* gravelly sandy loam

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- H4 24 to 60 inches: very cobbly sand

## **Properties and qualities**

*Slope:* 0 to 15 percent *Depth to restrictive feature:* 20 to 35 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification

Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Very low (about 3.0 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY220WA - Stony Foothills bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Pogue, stony surface

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Quincy

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Burbank

Percent of map unit: 3 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Cashmere

Percent of map unit: 1 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Magallon

Percent of map unit: 1 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## 268—Pogue extremely stony fine sandy loam, 3 to 25 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: rgxj Elevation: 600 to 1,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 9 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Farmland of unique importance

#### Map Unit Composition

Pogue and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Pogue**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Parent material: Alluvium mixed with loess over glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 10 inches: extremely stony fine sandy loam

H2 - 10 to 15 inches: cobbly fine sandy loam

- H3 15 to 28 inches: cobbly fine sandy loam
- H4 28 to 60 inches: very gravelly sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 3 to 25 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: 20 to 35 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification

Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None

Frequency of ponding: None

*Maximum salinity:* Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm) *Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches:* Low (about 3.5 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 6e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6s Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY112WA - Shallow Stony sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Burbank

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Magallon

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Quincy

Percent of map unit: 3 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Cashmere

Percent of map unit: 2 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## 274—Quincy loamy fine sand, 0 to 15 percent slopes

#### **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: rhlm Elevation: 600 to 1,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 8 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 195 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Quincy and similar soils:* 85 percent *Minor components:* 15 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Quincy**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Parent material: Eolian sands

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 10 inches:* loamy fine sand *H2 - 10 to 60 inches:* fine sand

### Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 15 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High to very high (6.00 to 20.00 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 3 percent
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 5.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6s Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY226WA - Stony Foothills South Aspect bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Pogue

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

#### Cashmere

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Quincy, bouldrey surface

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## 427—Torriorthents, very steep

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: rgmr Elevation: 600 to 1,800 feet Mean annual precipitation: 7 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Torriorthents and similar soils:* 90 percent *Minor components:* 10 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Torriorthents**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Parent material: Glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 10 inches:* gravelly fine sandy loam *H2 - 10 to 60 inches:* very cobbly coarse sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 25 to 65 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: 10 to 14 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification
Drainage class: Excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 2 percent
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Very low (about 1.1 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

#### **Custom Soil Resource Report**

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 7e Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY220WA - Stony Foothills bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

### Minor Components

#### Pogue

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Quincy

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## 458—Water

Map Unit Composition Water: 100 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Water**

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 8 Hydric soil rating: No

# **Soil Information for All Uses**

## Suitabilities and Limitations for Use

The Suitabilities and Limitations for Use section includes various soil interpretations displayed as thematic maps with a summary table for the soil map units in the selected area of interest. A single value or rating for each map unit is generated by aggregating the interpretive ratings of individual map unit components. This aggregation process is defined for each interpretation.

## Land Classifications

Land Classifications are specified land use and management groupings that are assigned to soil areas because combinations of soil have similar behavior for specified practices. Most are based on soil properties and other factors that directly influence the specific use of the soil. Example classifications include ecological site classification, farmland classification, irrigated and nonirrigated land capability classification, and hydric rating.

## **Farmland Classification**

Farmland classification identifies map units as prime farmland, farmland of statewide importance, farmland of local importance, or unique farmland. It identifies the location and extent of the soils that are best suited to food, feed, fiber, forage, and oilseed crops. NRCS policy and procedures on prime and unique farmlands are published in the "Federal Register," Vol. 43, No. 21, January 31, 1978.

#### Custom Soil Resource Report Map—Farmland Classification





#### Custom Soil Resource Report

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## Custom Soil Resource Report

	Farmland of statewide importance, if drained and either protected from flooding or not frequently	Farmland of statewide importance, if irrigated and reclaimed of excess salts and sodium		Farmland of unique importance Not rated or not available	The soil surveys that comprise your AOI were mapped at scales ranging from 1:12,000 to 1:20,000.
flooded during the growing season	Farmland of statewide	Water Feat	tures	measurements.	
	Farmland of statewide	either protected from	Transports		Source of Man: Natural Resources Concentration Service
	and drained	flooding or not frequently flooded during the		Rails	Web Soil Survey URL:
	Farmland of statewide	growing season Farmland of statewide	~	Interstate Highways	Coordinate System: Web Mercator (EPSG:3857)
	and either protected from	importance, if warm	~	US Routes	Maps from the Web Soil Survey are based on the Web Mercator
	flooded during the	drained or either	~	Major Roads	projection, which preserves direction and shape but distorts distance and area. A projection that preserves area, such as the
	Farmland of statewide	not frequently flooded	~	Local Roads	Albers equal-area conic projection, should be used if more
	importance, if subsoiled, completely removing the	season	Backgrour	nd	accurate calculations of distance of area are required.
	root inhibiting soil layer Farmland of statewide	Farmland of statewide importance, if warm enough	and the second se	Aerial Photography	This product is generated from the USDA-NRCS certified data as of the version date(s) listed below.
	and the product of I (soil erodibility) x C (climate	Farmland of statewide importance, if thawed			Soil Survey Area: Chelan County Area, Washington (Parts of
	factor) does not exceed 60	Farmland of local importance			Chelan and Kittitas Counties) Survey Area Data: Version 19, Aug 29, 2023
		Farmland of local importance, if irrigated			Soil Survey Area: Douglas County, Washington Survey Area Data: Version 25, Aug 28, 2023
					Your area of interest (AOI) includes more than one soil survey area. These survey areas may have been mapped at different scales, with a different land use in mind, at different times, or at different levels of detail. This may result in map unit symbols, soil properties, and interpretations that do not completely agree across soil survey area boundaries.
					Soil map units are labeled (as space allows) for map scales 1:50,000 or larger.
					Date(s) aerial images were photographed: Aug 3, 2022—Aug 8, 2022
					The orthophoto or other base map on which the soil lines were compiled and digitized probably differs from the background imagery displayed on these maps. As a result, some minor shifting of map unit boundaries may be evident.

## Table—Farmland Classification

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Map unit symbol	Map unit name	Rating	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI				
Ad	Alluvial land	Prime farmland if irrigated	Prime farmland if 8.6 irrigated					
BuC	Burch fine sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes	Farmland of unique importance	0.7	0.5%				
CeD	Cashmont stony sandy loam, 0 to 25 percent slopes	Farmland of unique importance	10.8	7.6%				
CrC	Colockum silt loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes	Farmland of unique importance	1.4	1.0%				
CrD	Colockum silt loam, 15 to 25 percent slopes	Farmland of unique importance	0.0	0.0%				
PrB	Pogue gravelly fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	Prime farmland if irrigated	1.7	1.2%				
Те	Terrace escarpments	Not prime farmland	10.7	7.5%				
W	Water	Not prime farmland	16.8	11.8%				
WeB	Wenatchee silt loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	Farmland of statewide importance	4.6	3.2%				
Subtotals for Soil Surv	ey Area	55.5	38.9%					
Totals for Area of Inter	est	142.8	100.0%					

Map unit symbol	Map unit name	Rating	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
88	Cashmont gravelly sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes	Farmland of unique importance	5.6	3.9%
222	Logy cobbly sandy loam, 3 to 15 percent slopes	Not prime farmland	3.7	2.6%
261	Pogue fine sandy loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes	Prime farmland if irrigated	23.2	16.2%
262	Pogue fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	Prime farmland if irrigated	10.5	7.4%
264	Pogue gravelly fine sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes	Farmland of unique importance	0.1	0.1%
266	Pogue cobbly fine sandy loam, 0 to 15 percent slopes	Farmland of unique importance	5.5	3.9%
268	Pogue extremely stony fine sandy loam, 3 to 25 percent slopes	Farmland of unique importance	2.1	1.5%
274	Quincy loamy fine sand, 0 to 15 percent slopes	Not prime farmland	9.3	6.5%
427	Torriorthents, very steep	Not prime farmland	11.9	8.4%
458	Water	Not prime farmland	15.5	10.8%
Subtotals for Soil Surve	ey Area	87.3	61.1%	
Map unit symbol	Map unit name	Rating	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
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Totals for Area of Interes	it	142.8	100.0%	

## **Rating Options—Farmland Classification**

Aggregation Method: No Aggregation Necessary

Tie-break Rule: Lower

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# Malaga/Rock Island Industrial Area Crossing Site



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# Preface

Soil surveys contain information that affects land use planning in survey areas. They highlight soil limitations that affect various land uses and provide information about the properties of the soils in the survey areas. Soil surveys are designed for many different users, including farmers, ranchers, foresters, agronomists, urban planners, community officials, engineers, developers, builders, and home buyers. Also, conservationists, teachers, students, and specialists in recreation, waste disposal, and pollution control can use the surveys to help them understand, protect, or enhance the environment.

Various land use regulations of Federal, State, and local governments may impose special restrictions on land use or land treatment. Soil surveys identify soil properties that are used in making various land use or land treatment decisions. The information is 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.

Although soil survey information can be used for general farm, local, and wider area planning, onsite investigation is needed to supplement this information in some cases. Examples include soil quality assessments (http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/soils/health/) and certain conservation and engineering applications. For more detailed information, contact your local USDA Service Center (https://offices.sc.egov.usda.gov/locator/app?agency=nrcs) or your NRCS State Soil Scientist (http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/soils/contactus/? cid=nrcs142p2\_053951).

Great differences in soil properties can occur within short distances. Some soils are seasonally wet or subject to flooding. 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.

The National Cooperative Soil Survey is a joint effort of the United States Department of Agriculture and other Federal agencies, State agencies including the Agricultural Experiment Stations, and local agencies. The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) has leadership for the Federal part of the National Cooperative Soil Survey.

Information about soils is updated periodically. Updated information is available through the NRCS Web Soil Survey, the site for official soil survey information.

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# Soil Map

The soil map section includes the soil map for the defined area of interest, a list of soil map units on the map and extent of each map unit, and cartographic symbols displayed on the map. Also presented are various metadata about data used to produce the map, and a description of each soil map unit.

#### Custom Soil Resource Report Soil Map



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0	Miscellaneous Water			Survey Area Data.
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$\sim$	Rock Outcrop			area. These survey
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	Sandy Spot			properties, and inte across soil survey a
-	Severely Eroded Spot			
$\diamond$	Sinkhole			Soil map units are la 1:50,000 or larger.
≫	Slide or Slip			
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#### MAP INFORMATION

The soil surveys that comprise your AOI were mapped at scales ranging from 1:12,000 to 1:20,000.

Please rely on the bar scale on each map sheet for map measurements.

Source of Map: Natural Resources Conservation Service Web Soil Survey URL: Coordinate System: Web Mercator (EPSG:3857)

Maps from the Web Soil Survey are based on the Web Mercator projection, which preserves direction and shape but distorts distance and area. A projection that preserves area, such as the Albers equal-area conic projection, should be used if more accurate calculations of distance or area are required.

This product is generated from the USDA-NRCS certified data as of the version date(s) listed below.

Soil Survey Area: Chelan County Area, Washington (Parts of Chelan and Kittitas Counties) Survey Area Data: Version 19, Aug 29, 2023

Soil Survey Area: Douglas County, Washington Survey Area Data: Version 25, Aug 28, 2023

Your area of interest (AOI) includes more than one soil survey area. These survey areas may have been mapped at different scales, with a different land use in mind, at different times, or at different levels of detail. This may result in map unit symbols, soil properties, and interpretations that do not completely agree across soil survey area boundaries.

Soil map units are labeled (as space allows) for map scales 1:50,000 or larger.

Date(s) aerial images were photographed: Aug 3, 2022—Aug 8, 2022

The orthophoto or other base map on which the soil lines were compiled and digitized probably differs from the background

## MAP LEGEND

### MAP INFORMATION

imagery displayed on these maps. As a result, some minor shifting of map unit boundaries may be evident.

# Map Unit Legend

Map Unit Symbol Map Unit Name		Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI	
CeD	Cashmont stony sandy loam, 0 to 25 percent slopes	26.6	12.4%	
EfB	Ellisforde fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	19.4	9.1%	
EIC	Ellisforde silt loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes	6.0	2.8%	
MaA	Malaga gravelly fine sandy loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes	6.3	2.9%	
МаС	Malaga gravelly fine sandy loam, 3 to 15 percent slopes	24.8	11.6%	
QuC	Quincy loamy fine sand, 0 to 15 percent slopes	1.6	0.7%	
Ro	Rock outcrop	17.7	8.2%	
W	Water	22.2	10.4%	
Subtotals for Soil Survey Ar	ea	124.6	58.0%	
Totals for Area of Interest		214.6	100.0%	

Map Unit Symbol Map Unit Name		Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI				
165	Entiat-Rock outcrop- Torriorthents complex, 30 to 70 percent slopes	3.7	1.7%				
231	Malaga gravelly fine sandy loam, 0 to 8 percent slopes	3.0	1.4%				
232	Malaga cobbly fine sandy loam, 0 to 8 percent slopes	7.2	3.3%				
268	Pogue extremely stony fine sandy loam, 3 to 25 percent slopes	31.8	14.8%				
274	Quincy loamy fine sand, 0 to 15 percent slopes	3.9	1.8%				
427	Torriorthents, very steep	18.6	8.7%				
458	Water	22.0	10.2%				
Subtotals for Soil Survey Area	I	90.1	42.0%				
Totals for Area of Interest		214.6	100.0%				

# **Map Unit Descriptions**

The map units delineated on the detailed soil maps in a soil survey represent the soils or miscellaneous areas in the survey area. The map unit descriptions, along with the maps, can be used to determine the composition and properties of a unit.

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. If included in the database for a given area, the contrasting minor components are identified in the map unit descriptions along with some characteristics of each. 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 important soil properties and qualities.

Soils that have profiles that are almost alike make up a *soil series*. Except for differences in texture of the surface layer, 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, slope, stoniness, salinity, degree of erosion, and other characteristics that affect their use. On the basis of such differences, a soil series is divided into *soil phases*. Most of the areas shown on the detailed soil maps are phases of soil series. The name of a soil phase commonly indicates a feature that affects use or management. For example, Alpha silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is a phase of the Alpha series.

Some map units are made up of two or more major soils or miscellaneous areas. These map units are complexes, associations, or undifferentiated groups.

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. Alpha-Beta complex, 0 to 6 percent slopes, is an example.

An *association* is made up of two or more geographically associated soils or miscellaneous areas that are shown as one unit on the maps. Because of present or anticipated uses of the map units in the survey area, it was not considered practical or necessary to map the soils or miscellaneous areas separately. The pattern and relative proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas are somewhat similar. Alpha-Beta association, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is an example.

An *undifferentiated group* is made up of two or more soils or miscellaneous areas that could be mapped individually but are mapped as one unit because similar interpretations can be made for use and management. The pattern and proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas in a mapped area are not uniform. An area can be made up of only one of the major soils or miscellaneous areas, or it can be made up of all of them. Alpha and Beta soils, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is an example.

Some surveys include *miscellaneous areas*. Such areas have little or no soil material and support little or no vegetation. Rock outcrop is an example.

# Chelan County Area, Washington (Parts of Chelan and Kittitas Counties)

#### CeD—Cashmont stony sandy loam, 0 to 25 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2g8s Elevation: 1,200 to 1,800 feet Mean annual precipitation: 8 to 11 inches Mean annual air temperature: 48 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 180 days Farmland classification: Farmland of unique importance

#### Map Unit Composition

Cashmont and similar soils: 100 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Cashmont**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces, alluvial fans, hillslopes Landform position (two-dimensional): Footslope Parent material: Alluvium, glaciofluvial deposits or ablation till

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 21 inches:* stony sandy loam *H2 - 21 to 60 inches:* gravelly sandy loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 25 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (1.98 to 5.95 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 5.8 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 4s Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY220WA - Stony Foothills bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### EfB—Ellisforde fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2g9w Elevation: 400 to 2,100 feet Mean annual precipitation: 8 to 12 inches Mean annual air temperature: 48 to 54 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 190 days Farmland classification: Prime farmland if irrigated

#### Map Unit Composition

*Ellisforde and similar soils:* 100 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Ellisforde**

#### Setting

Landform: Lake terraces Parent material: Loess over lacustrine deposits

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 16 inches: fine sandy loam
H2 - 16 to 28 inches: silt loam
H3 - 28 to 60 inches: stratified very fine sandy loam to silt loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 3 to 8 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high (0.20 to 0.57 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 15 percent
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to slightly saline (0.0 to 4.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: High (about 11.1 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 3e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e Hydrologic Soil Group: C Ecological site: R008XY130WA - Loamy sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### EIC—Ellisforde silt loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2g9x Elevation: 400 to 2,100 feet Mean annual precipitation: 8 to 12 inches Mean annual air temperature: 48 to 54 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 190 days Farmland classification: Farmland of unique importance

#### Map Unit Composition

Ellisforde and similar soils: 100 percent

Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Ellisforde**

#### Setting

Landform: Lake terraces Parent material: Loess over lacustrine deposits

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 16 inches: silt loam
H2 - 16 to 28 inches: silt loam
H3 - 28 to 60 inches: stratified very fine sandy loam to silt loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 8 to 15 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high (0.20 to 0.57 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 15 percent
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to slightly saline (0.0 to 4.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: High (about 11.6 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e Hydrologic Soil Group: C Ecological site: R008XY130WA - Loamy sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### MaA—Malaga gravelly fine sandy loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes

#### **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: 2gbd Elevation: 500 to 1,300 feet Mean annual precipitation: 6 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 48 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 195 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Malaga and similar soils:* 100 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Malaga**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Parent material: Glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 3 inches: gravelly fine sandy loam

- H2 3 to 15 inches: gravelly fine sandy loam
- H3 15 to 19 inches: extremely gravelly sandy loam
- H4 19 to 60 inches: extremely gravelly coarse sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 3 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to high (0.57 to 1.98 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 4.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 3s Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6s Hydrologic Soil Group: B Ecological site: R008XY220WA - Stony Foothills bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### MaC—Malaga gravelly fine sandy loam, 3 to 15 percent slopes

#### **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: 2gbf Elevation: 500 to 1,300 feet Mean annual precipitation: 6 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 48 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 195 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### **Map Unit Composition**

Malaga and similar soils: 100 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Malaga**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Parent material: Glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 3 inches: gravelly fine sandy loam

- H2 3 to 15 inches: gravelly fine sandy loam
- H3 15 to 19 inches: extremely gravelly sandy loam
- H4 19 to 60 inches: extremely gravelly coarse sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 3 to 15 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to high (0.57 to 1.98 in/hr) Depth to water table: More than 80 inches Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 4.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6e Hydrologic Soil Group: B Ecological site: R008XY220WA - Stony Foothills bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### QuC—Quincy loamy fine sand, 0 to 15 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2gc6 Elevation: 200 to 4,500 feet Mean annual precipitation: 6 to 12 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 54 degrees F Frost-free period: 100 to 200 days Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance

#### Map Unit Composition

*Quincy and similar soils:* 100 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Quincy**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Parent material: Eolian sands

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 10 inches:* loamy fine sand *H2 - 10 to 60 inches:* fine sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 15 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (1.98 to 5.95 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 3 percent
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Moderate (about 6.1 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY226WA - Stony Foothills South Aspect bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### Ro—Rock outcrop

#### **Map Unit Composition**

Rock outcrop: 100 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Rock Outcrop**

#### **Typical profile**

R - 0 to 60 inches: unweathered bedrock

#### **Properties and qualities**

*Slope:* 0 to 90 percent *Depth to restrictive feature:* 0 inches to lithic bedrock

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 8 Hydric soil rating: No

#### W-Water

#### Map Unit Composition

*Water:* 100 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Water**

#### Setting

Landform: Alluvial cones

## **Douglas County, Washington**

# 165—Entiat-Rock outcrop-Torriorthents complex, 30 to 70 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: rgs6 Elevation: 800 to 2,200 feet Mean annual precipitation: 9 to 12 inches Mean annual air temperature: 48 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 145 to 180 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

Entiat and similar soils: 50 percent Torriorthents and similar soils: 20 percent Rock outcrop: 20 percent Minor components: 10 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Entiat**

#### Setting

Landform: Plateaus Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope Parent material: Colluvium and residuum weathered from granite

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 6 inches: gravelly fine sandy loam

H2 - 6 to 11 inches: very gravelly loam

H3 - 11 to 17 inches: very gravelly loam

H4 - 17 to 27 inches: weathered bedrock

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 30 to 70 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: 12 to 20 inches to paralithic bedrock
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Very low (about 1.8 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 7e Hydrologic Soil Group: D Ecological site: R008XY120WA - Stony sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Description of Torriorthents**

#### Setting

Landform: Plateaus

Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope Parent material: Colluvium weathered from granite

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 8 inches:* very cobbly coarse sandy loam *H2 - 8 to 60 inches:* very cobbly coarse sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 30 to 70 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 2 percent
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Very low (about 1.7 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 7e Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY226WA - Stony Foothills South Aspect bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Description of Rock Outcrop**

#### **Typical profile**

*R - 0 to 60 inches:* unweathered bedrock

#### **Properties and qualities**

*Slope:* 30 to 70 percent *Depth to restrictive feature:* 0 inches to lithic bedrock

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 8 Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Dinkels

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Rubble land**

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### 231—Malaga gravelly fine sandy loam, 0 to 8 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: rgwp Elevation: 600 to 1,100 feet Mean annual precipitation: 7 to 9 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 195 days Farmland classification: Prime farmland if irrigated

#### **Map Unit Composition**

Malaga and similar soils: 90 percent Minor components: 10 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Malaga**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Parent material: Loess mixed with gravelly glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 4 inches: gravelly fine sandy loam

- H2 4 to 12 inches: gravelly fine sandy loam
- H3 12 to 28 inches: extremely gravelly fine sandy loam
- H4 28 to 60 inches: extremely gravelly sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 8 percent Depth to restrictive feature: 14 to 28 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification

Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained

*Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat):* High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None

Frequency of ponding: None

*Maximum salinity:* Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm) *Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches:* Very low (about 2.7 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 3e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6s Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R007XY143WA - Sandy Loam Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Malaga, steeper sloping

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Quincy

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### 232—Malaga cobbly fine sandy loam, 0 to 8 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: rgwq Elevation: 600 to 1,100 feet Mean annual precipitation: 7 to 9 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 195 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

Malaga and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Malaga**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Parent material: Loess mixed with gravelly glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 4 inches: cobbly fine sandy loam
H2 - 4 to 12 inches: gravelly fine sandy loam
H3 - 12 to 20 inches: very gravelly fine sandy loam
H4 - 20 to 60 inches: extremely gravelly coarse sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 8 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: 14 to 28 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification
Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to high (0.57 to 2.00 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 5 percent
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)

Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Very low (about 2.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 3s Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6s Hydrologic Soil Group: B Ecological site: R007XY449WA - Sandy Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Malaga, very stony surface

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

Malaga, steeper sloping Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Quincy

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### 268—Pogue extremely stony fine sandy loam, 3 to 25 percent slopes

#### **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: rgxj Elevation: 600 to 1,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 9 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Farmland of unique importance

#### **Map Unit Composition**

*Pogue and similar soils:* 85 percent *Minor components:* 15 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Pogue**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Parent material: Alluvium mixed with loess over glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 10 inches: extremely stony fine sandy loam

- H2 10 to 15 inches: cobbly fine sandy loam
- H3 15 to 28 inches: cobbly fine sandy loam
- H4 28 to 60 inches: very gravelly sand

#### Properties and qualities

Slope: 3 to 25 percent

*Depth to restrictive feature:* 20 to 35 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification

Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None

Frequency of ponding: None

*Maximum salinity:* Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm) *Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches:* Low (about 3.5 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 6e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6s Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY112WA - Shallow Stony sagebrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### Minor Components

#### Burbank

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Magallon

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Quincy

Percent of map unit: 3 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Cashmere

Percent of map unit: 2 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### 274—Quincy loamy fine sand, 0 to 15 percent slopes

#### **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: rhlm Elevation: 600 to 1,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 8 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 195 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Quincy and similar soils:* 85 percent *Minor components:* 15 percent

Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Quincy**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Parent material: Eolian sands

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 10 inches:* loamy fine sand *H2 - 10 to 60 inches:* fine sand

#### Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 15 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High to very high (6.00 to 20.00 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 3 percent
Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 5.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6s Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY226WA - Stony Foothills South Aspect bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### Minor Components

#### Pogue

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Cashmere

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Quincy, bouldrey surface

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### 427—Torriorthents, very steep

#### Map Unit Setting

*National map unit symbol:* rgmr *Elevation:* 600 to 1,800 feet Mean annual precipitation: 7 to 10 inches Mean annual air temperature: 49 to 51 degrees F Frost-free period: 140 to 190 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Torriorthents and similar soils:* 90 percent *Minor components:* 10 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Torriorthents**

#### Setting

Landform: Terraces Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Parent material: Glacial outwash

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 10 inches:* gravelly fine sandy loam *H2 - 10 to 60 inches:* very cobbly coarse sand

#### Properties and qualities

Slope: 25 to 65 percent Depth to restrictive feature: 10 to 14 inches to strongly contrasting textural stratification

Drainage class: Excessively drained

*Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat):* High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 2 percent Maximum salinity: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm) Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Very low (about 1.1 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 7e Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: R008XY220WA - Stony Foothills bitterbrush Hydric soil rating: No

#### Minor Components

#### Pogue

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Quincy

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### 458—Water

#### Map Unit Composition

*Water:* 100 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Water**

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 8 Hydric soil rating: No

# **Soil Information for All Uses**

## Suitabilities and Limitations for Use

The Suitabilities and Limitations for Use section includes various soil interpretations displayed as thematic maps with a summary table for the soil map units in the selected area of interest. A single value or rating for each map unit is generated by aggregating the interpretive ratings of individual map unit components. This aggregation process is defined for each interpretation.

## Land Classifications

Land Classifications are specified land use and management groupings that are assigned to soil areas because combinations of soil have similar behavior for specified practices. Most are based on soil properties and other factors that directly influence the specific use of the soil. Example classifications include ecological site classification, farmland classification, irrigated and nonirrigated land capability classification, and hydric rating.

## **Farmland Classification**

Farmland classification identifies map units as prime farmland, farmland of statewide importance, farmland of local importance, or unique farmland. It identifies the location and extent of the soils that are best suited to food, feed, fiber, forage, and oilseed crops. NRCS policy and procedures on prime and unique farmlands are published in the "Federal Register," Vol. 43, No. 21, January 31, 1978.

#### Custom Soil Resource Report Map—Farmland Classification





#### Custom Soil Resource Report

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## Custom Soil Resource Report

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flooded during the growing season		Farmland of statewide importance, if drained or	Water Feat	tures Streams and Canals	measurements.
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and the product of I (soil erodibility) x C (climate		Farmland of statewide			Soil Survey Area: Chelan County Area, Washington (Parts of
factor) does not exceed 60		Farmland of local			Chelan and Kittitas Counties) Survey Area Data: Version 19, Aug 29, 2023
		Farmland of local importance, if irrigated			Soil Survey Area: Douglas County, Washington
					Survey Area Data: Version 25, Aug 28, 2023
					Your area of interest (AOI) includes more than one soil survey area. These survey areas may have been mapped at different scales, with a different land use in mind, at different times, or at different levels of detail. This may result in map unit symbols, soil properties, and interpretations that do not completely agree across soil survey area boundaries.
					Soil map units are labeled (as space allows) for map scales 1:50,000 or larger.
					Date(s) aerial images were photographed: Aug 3, 2022—Aug 8, 2022
					The orthophoto or other base map on which the soil lines were compiled and digitized probably differs from the background imagery displayed on these maps. As a result, some minor shifting of map unit boundaries may be evident.

## Table—Farmland Classification

Map unit symbol	Map unit name	Rating	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI				
CeD	Cashmont stony sandy loam, 0 to 25 percent slopes	Farmland of unique importance	26.6	12.4%				
EfB	Ellisforde fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes		19.4	9.1%				
EIC	Ellisforde silt loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes	Farmland of unique importance	6.0	2.8%				
MaA	Malaga gravelly fine sandy loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes	Not prime farmland	6.3	2.9%				
MaC	Malaga gravelly fine sandy loam, 3 to 15 percent slopes	Not prime farmland	24.8	11.6%				
QuC	Quincy loamy fine sand, 0 to 15 percent slopes	Farmland of statewide importance	1.6	0.7%				
Ro	Rock outcrop	Not prime farmland	17.7	8.2%				
W	Water	Not prime farmland	22.2	10.4%				
Subtotals for Soil Surv	vey Area	124.6	58.0%					
Totals for Area of Inter	est	214.6	100.0%					

Map unit symbol	Map unit name	Rating	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI			
165	Entiat-Rock outcrop- Torriorthents complex, 30 to 70 percent slopes	Not prime farmland	3.7	1.7%			
231	Malaga gravelly fine sandy loam, 0 to 8 percent slopes	Prime farmland if irrigated	3.0	1.4%			
232	Malaga cobbly fine sandy loam, 0 to 8 percent slopes	Not prime farmland	7.2	3.3%			
268	Pogue extremely stony fine sandy loam, 3 to 25 percent slopes	Farmland of unique importance	31.8	14.8%			
274	Quincy loamy fine sand, 0 to 15 percent slopes	Not prime farmland	3.9	1.8%			
427	Torriorthents, very steep	Not prime farmland	18.6	8.7%			
458	Water	Not prime farmland	22.0	10.2%			
Subtotals for Soil Surve	ey Area	90.1	42.0%				
Totals for Area of Intere	est	214.6	100.0%				

## **Rating Options—Farmland Classification**

Aggregation Method: No Aggregation Necessary Tie-break Rule: Lower
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