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Custom Soil Resource Report for Fayette County Area, Part of Fayette County, Kentucky

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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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How Soil Surveys Are Made

Soil surveys are made to provide information about the soils and miscellaneous areas in a specific area. They include a description of the soils and miscellaneous areas and their location on the landscape and tables that show soil properties and limitations affecting various uses. Soil scientists observed the steepness, length, and shape of the slopes; the general pattern of drainage; the kinds of crops and native plants; and the kinds of bedrock. They observed and described many soil profiles. A soil profile is the sequence of natural layers, or horizons, in a soil. The profile extends from the surface down into the unconsolidated material in which the soil formed or from the surface down to bedrock. The unconsolidated material is devoid of roots and other living organisms and has not been changed by other biological activity.

Currently, soils are mapped according to the boundaries of major land resource areas (MLRAs). MLRAs are geographically associated land resource units that share common characteristics related to physiography, geology, climate, water resources, soils, biological resources, and land uses (USDA, 2006). Soil survey areas typically consist of parts of one or more MLRA.

The soils and miscellaneous areas in a survey area occur in an orderly pattern that is related to the geology, landforms, relief, climate, and natural vegetation of the area. Each kind of soil and miscellaneous area is associated with a particular kind of landform or with a segment of the landform. By observing the soils and miscellaneous areas in the survey area and relating their position to specific segments of the landform, a soil scientist develops a concept, or model, of how they were formed. Thus, during mapping, this model enables the soil scientist to predict with a considerable degree of accuracy the kind of soil or miscellaneous area at a specific location on the landscape.

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

Soil scientists recorded the characteristics of the soil profiles that they studied. They noted soil color, texture, size and shape of soil aggregates, kind and amount of rock fragments, distribution of plant roots, reaction, and other features that enable them to identify soils. After describing the soils in the survey area and determining their properties, the soil scientists assigned the soils to taxonomic classes (units). Taxonomic classes are concepts. Each taxonomic class has a set of soil characteristics with precisely defined limits. The classes are used as a basis for comparison to classify soils systematically. Soil taxonomy, the system of taxonomic classification used in the United States, is based mainly on the kind and character of soil properties and the arrangement of horizons within the profile. After the soil

scientists classified and named the soils in the survey area, they compared the individual soils with similar soils in the same taxonomic class in other areas so that they could confirm data and assemble additional data based on experience and research.

The objective of soil mapping is not to delineate pure map unit components; the objective is to separate the landscape into landforms or landform segments that have similar use and management requirements. Each map unit is defined by a unique combination of soil components and/or miscellaneous areas in predictable proportions. Some components may be highly contrasting to the other components of the map unit. The presence of minor components in a map unit in no way diminishes the usefulness or accuracy of the data. The delineation of such landforms and landform segments on the map provides sufficient information for the development of resource plans. If intensive use of small areas is planned, onsite investigation is needed to define and locate the soils and miscellaneous areas.

Soil scientists make many field observations in the process of producing a soil map. The frequency of observation is dependent upon several factors, including scale of mapping, intensity of mapping, design of map units, complexity of the landscape, and experience of the soil scientist. Observations are made to test and refine the soil-landscape model and predictions and to verify the classification of the soils at specific locations. Once the soil-landscape model is refined, a significantly smaller number of measurements of individual soil properties are made and recorded. These measurements may include field measurements, such as those for color, depth to bedrock, and texture, and laboratory measurements, such as those for content of sand, silt, clay, salt, and other components. Properties of each soil typically vary from one point to another across the landscape.

Observations for map unit components are aggregated to develop ranges of characteristics for the components. The aggregated values are presented. Direct measurements do not exist for every property presented for every map unit component. Values for some properties are estimated from combinations of other properties.

While a soil survey is in progress, samples of some of the soils in the area generally are collected for laboratory analyses and for engineering tests. Soil scientists interpret the data from these analyses and tests as well as the field-observed characteristics and the soil properties to determine the expected behavior of the soils under different uses. Interpretations for all of the soils are field tested through observation of the soils in different uses and under different levels of management. Some interpretations are modified to fit local conditions, and some new interpretations are developed to meet local needs. Data are assembled from other sources, such as research information, production records, and field experience of specialists. For example, data on crop yields under defined levels of management are assembled from farm records and from field or plot experiments on the same kinds of soil.

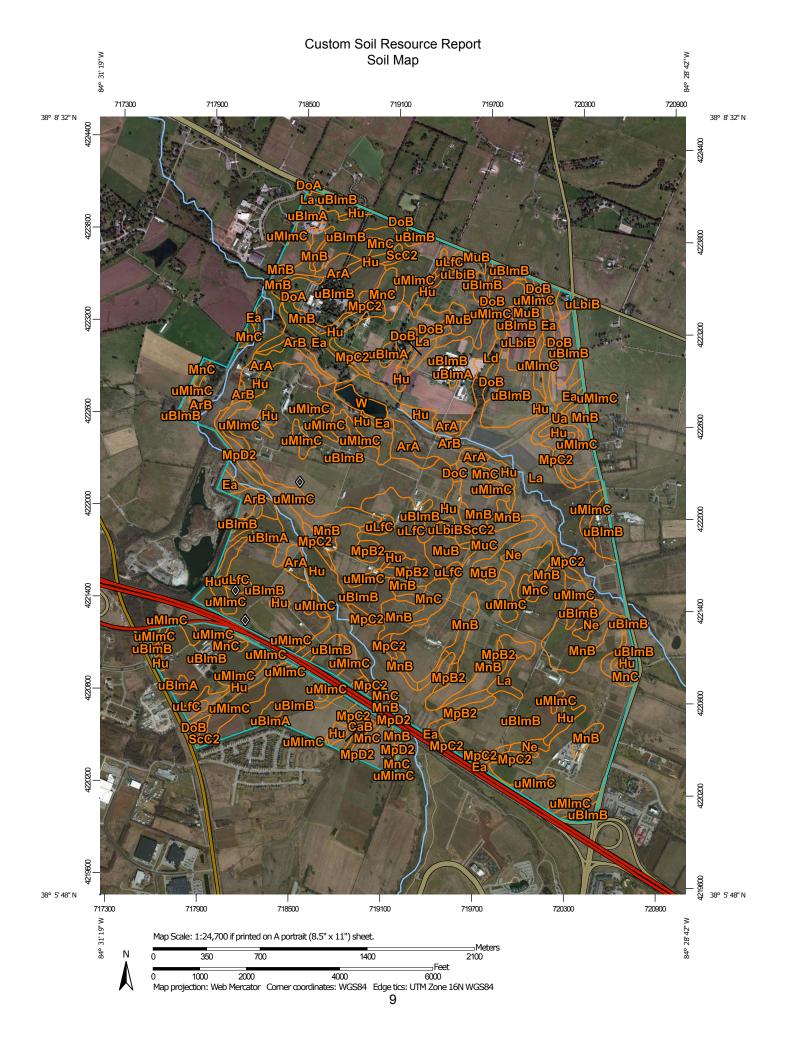
Predictions about soil behavior are based not only on soil properties but also on such variables as climate and biological activity. Soil conditions are predictable over long periods of time, but they are not predictable from year to year. For example, soil scientists can predict with a fairly high degree of accuracy that a given soil will have a high water table within certain depths in most years, but they cannot predict that a high water table will always be at a specific level in the soil on a specific date.

After soil scientists located and identified the significant natural bodies of soil in the survey area, they drew the boundaries of these bodies on aerial photographs and

identified each as a specific map unit. Aerial photographs show trees, buildings, fields, roads, and rivers, all of which help in locating boundaries accurately.

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.



MAP LEGEND

Area of Interest (AOI)

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Soils

Soil Map Unit Polygons

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Soil Map Unit Lines

Soil Map Unit Points

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Wet Spot Other

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Special Line Features

Water Features

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Streams and Canals

Transportation

Rails

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Local Roads

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MAP INFORMATION

The soil surveys that comprise your AOI were mapped at 1:15.800.

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: Fayette County Area, Part of Fayette County,

Kentucky

Survey Area Data: Version 14, Oct 3, 2017

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

Date(s) aerial images were photographed: Oct 4, 2011—Feb 20, 2012

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

| Map Unit Symbol | Map Unit Name | Acres in AOI | Percent of AOI |
|-----------------|---|--------------|----------------|
| ArA | Armour silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (elk) | 44.3 | 2.1% |
| ArB | Armour silt loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes (elk) | 19.0 | 0.9% |
| СаВ | Otwood silt loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes, rarely flooded | 2.5 | 0.1% |
| DoA | Donerail silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes | 1.8 | 0.1% |
| DoB | Donerail silt loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes | 38.4 | 1.8% |
| DoC | Donerail silt loam, 6 to 12 percent slopes | 1.4 | 0.1% |
| Ea | Egam silt loam (woolper) | 32.9 | 1.6% |
| Hu | Huntington silt loam, 0 to 4 percent slopes, occasionally flooded | 248.2 | 11.7% |
| La | Lanton silty clay loam (dunning) | 156.7 | 7.4% |
| Ld | Lindside silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, occasionally flooded | 6.6 | 0.3% |
| MnB | McAfee silt loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes | 119.0 | 5.6% |
| MnC | McAfee silt loam, 6 to 12 percent slopes | 42.0 | 2.0% |
| MpB2 | McAfee silty clay loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes, eroded | 22.1 | 1.0% |
| MpC2 | McAfee silty clay loam, 6 to 12 percent slopes, eroded | 38.2 | 1.8% |
| MpD2 | McAfee silty clay loam, 12 to 20 percent slopes, eroded | 10.4 | 0.5% |
| Mt | Melvin silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, occasionally flooded | 0.6 | 0.0% |
| MuB | Mercer silt loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes | 21.4 | 1.0% |
| MuC | Mercer silt loam, 6 to 12 percent slopes | 1.1 | 0.1% |
| Ne | Newark silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, occasionally flooded | 26.3 | 1.2% |
| ScC2 | Salvisa silty clay loam, 6 to 12 percent slopes, eroded | 10.6 | 0.5% |
| Ua | Urban land-armour-maury complex (urban land) | 1.6 | 0.1% |
| uBlmA | Bluegrass-Maury silt loams, 0 to 2 percent slopes | 28.1 | 1.3% |

| Map Unit Symbol | Map Unit Name | Acres in AOI | Percent of AOI |
|-----------------------------|--|--------------|----------------|
| uBlmB | Bluegrass-Maury silt loams, 2 to 6 percent slopes | 954.0 | 45.0% |
| uLbiB | Lowell-Bluegrass silt loams, 2 to 6 percent slopes | 117.3 | 5.5% |
| uLfC | Lowell-Faywood silt loams, 6 to 12 percent slopes | 18.9 | 0.9% |
| uMlmC | Maury-Bluegrass silt loams, 6 to 12 percent slopes | 146.0 | 6.9% |
| W | Water | 9.9 | 0.5% |
| Totals for Area of Interest | | 2,119.4 | 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.

Fayette County Area, Part of Fayette County, Kentucky

ArA—Armour silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (elk)

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 1hylw

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 173 to 211 days

Farmland classification: All areas are prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Elk and similar soils: 90 percent Minor components: 10 percent

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

Description of Elk

Setting

Landform: Stream terraces

Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Mixed fine-silty alluvium

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 9 inches: silt loam
H2 - 9 to 42 inches: silty clay loam
H3 - 42 to 69 inches: silty clay loam

Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 2 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Low

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 storage in profile: High (about 11.5 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 1

Hydrologic Soil Group: B Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Otwell

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Woolper

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Huntington

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Other soils

Percent of map unit: 1 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

ArB—Armour silt loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes (elk)

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 1hylx

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 173 to 211 days

Farmland classification: All areas are prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Elk and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent

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

Description of Elk

Setting

Landform: Stream terraces

Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Mixed fine-silty alluvium

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 9 inches: silt loam
H2 - 9 to 42 inches: silty clay loam
H3 - 42 to 69 inches: silty clay loam

Properties and qualities

Slope: 2 to 6 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Low

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 storage in profile: High (about 11.5 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2e

Hydrologic Soil Group: B Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Otwell

Percent of map unit: 8 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Woolper

Percent of map unit: 4 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Other soils

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Huntington

Percent of map unit: 1 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

CaB—Otwood silt loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes, rarely flooded

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2wv4w Elevation: 430 to 1.230 feet

Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 58 inches Mean annual air temperature: 41 to 67 degrees F

Frost-free period: 142 to 205 days

Farmland classification: All areas are prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Otwood, rarely flooded, and similar soils: 85 percent

Minor components: 15 percent

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

Description of Otwood, Rarely Flooded

Setting

Landform: Stream terraces

Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Mixed fine-silty alluvium

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 9 inches: silt loam

Bt - 9 to 30 inches: silty clay loam

Btx - 30 to 51 inches: silty clay loam

C - 51 to 80 inches: silty clay loam

Properties and qualities

Slope: 2 to 6 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: 23 to 35 inches to fragipan Natural drainage class: Moderately well drained

Runoff class: Low

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Very low to moderately

low (0.00 to 0.06 in/hr)

Depth to water table: About 20 to 32 inches

Frequency of flooding: Rare Frequency of ponding: None

Available water storage in profile: Low (about 6.0 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2e

Hydrologic Soil Group: C Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Lawrence, rarely flooded

Percent of map unit: 4 percent Landform: Stream terraces

Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Other vegetative classification: Trees/Timber (Woody Vegetation)

Hydric soil rating: No

Elk, rarely flooded

Percent of map unit: 4 percent Landform: Stream terraces

Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Nolin, occasionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 4 percent

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Rise

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Newark, occasionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Dip

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Other vegetative classification: Trees/Timber (Woody Vegetation)

Hydric soil rating: No

DoA—Donerail silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 1hym5

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 173 to 211 days

Farmland classification: All areas are prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Donerail and similar soils: 90 percent Minor components: 10 percent

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

Description of Donerail

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve

Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Concave

Parent material: Clayey residuum weathered from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 12 inches: silt loam
H2 - 12 to 16 inches: silty clay loam
H3 - 16 to 38 inches: silty clay
H4 - 38 to 72 inches: clay

Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 2 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches Natural drainage class: Moderately well drained

Runoff class: Low

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: About 18 to 36 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Available water storage in profile: High (about 10.4 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2w

Hydrologic Soil Group: C Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Other soils

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Loradale

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Maury

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Lowell

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Lawrence

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

DoB—Donerail silt loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 1hym6

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 173 to 211 days

Farmland classification: All areas are prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Donerail and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent

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

Description of Donerail

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Parent material: Clayey residuum weathered from phosphatic limestone

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H1 - 0 to 12 inches: silt loam H2 - 12 to 16 inches: silty clay loam H3 - 16 to 38 inches: silty clay

H4 - 38 to 72 inches: clay

Properties and qualities

Slope: 2 to 6 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches Natural drainage class: Moderately well drained

Runoff class: Low

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: About 18 to 36 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Available water storage in profile: High (about 10.4 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2e

Hydrologic Soil Group: C Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Other soils

Percent of map unit: 7 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Loradale

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Lowell

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Lawrence

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Maury

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

DoC—Donerail silt loam, 6 to 12 percent slopes

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 1hym7

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches
Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 173 to 211 days

Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance

Map Unit Composition

Donerail and similar soils: 85 percent

Minor components: 15 percent

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

Description of Donerail

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex

Parent material: Clayey residuum weathered from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 12 inches: silt loam
H2 - 12 to 16 inches: silty clay loam
H3 - 16 to 38 inches: silty clay
H4 - 38 to 72 inches: clay

Properties and qualities

Slope: 6 to 12 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches Natural drainage class: Moderately well drained

Runoff class: Medium

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: About 18 to 36 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Available water storage in profile: High (about 10.4 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e

Hydrologic Soil Group: C Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Lowell

Percent of map unit: 4 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Loradale

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Mcafee

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Maurv

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Other soils

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Ea—Egam silt loam (woolper)

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 1hym8

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 173 to 211 days

Farmland classification: Prime farmland if protected from flooding or not frequently

flooded during the growing season

Map Unit Composition

Woolper, occasionally flooded, and similar soils: 90 percent

Minor components: 10 percent

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

Description of Woolper, Occasionally Flooded

Setting

Landform: Flood plains
Down-slope shape: Linear
Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Mixed clayey alluvium

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 6 inches: silt loam
H2 - 6 to 15 inches: silty clay loam
H3 - 15 to 65 inches: silty clay

Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 2 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Low

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to

moderately high (0.06 to 0.57 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: Occasional Frequency of ponding: None

Available water storage in profile: High (about 9.4 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2w

Hydrologic Soil Group: C Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Other soils

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Huntington

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Newark

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Hu—Huntington silt loam, 0 to 4 percent slopes, occasionally flooded

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2wltx Elevation: 450 to 1.050 feet

Mean annual precipitation: 37 to 53 inches
Mean annual air temperature: 43 to 67 degrees F

Frost-free period: 161 to 212 days

Farmland classification: All areas are prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Huntington, occasionally flooded, and similar soils: 85 percent

Minor components: 15 percent

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

Description of Huntington, Occasionally Flooded

Setting

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Talf

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Mixed fine-silty alluvium

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 9 inches: silt loam
A - 9 to 18 inches: silt loam
Bw - 18 to 46 inches: silt loam
C - 46 to 80 inches: silty clay loam

Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 4 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Low

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to high

(0.02 to 2.00 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: Occasional Frequency of ponding: None

Available water storage in profile: High (about 11.5 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2w

Hydrologic Soil Group: B Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Boonesboro, occasionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Talf

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Nolin, occasionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Rise

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Lindside, occasionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 4 percent

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Talf

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Newark, occasionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 1 percent

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Dip

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Other vegetative classification: Trees/Timber (Woody Vegetation)

Hydric soil rating: No

La—Lanton silty clay loam (dunning)

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 1hymg

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 173 to 211 days

Farmland classification: Prime farmland if drained and either protected from flooding

or not frequently flooded during the growing season

Map Unit Composition

Dunning, occasionally flooded, and similar soils: 85 percent

Minor components: 15 percent

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

Description of Dunning, Occasionally Flooded

Setting

Landform: Flood plains
Down-slope shape: Linear
Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Clayey alluvium derived from limestone

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 15 inches: silty clay loam H2 - 15 to 72 inches: silty clay loam

Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 2 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Natural drainage class: Poorly drained

Runoff class: Low

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: About 0 to 6 inches

Frequency of flooding: Occasional

Frequency of ponding: None

Available water storage in profile: High (about 10.3 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3w

Hydrologic Soil Group: C/D Hydric soil rating: Yes

Minor Components

Woolper

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Huntington

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Other soils

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Lindside

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Newark

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Ld—Lindside silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, occasionally flooded

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2wlt9 Elevation: 390 to 1,060 feet

Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 41 to 66 degrees F

Frost-free period: 144 to 214 days

Farmland classification: All areas are prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Lindside, occasionally flooded, and similar soils: 85 percent

Minor components: 15 percent

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

Description of Lindside, Occasionally Flooded

Setting

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Talf

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Mixed fine-silty alluvium

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 7 inches: silt loam
Bw - 7 to 27 inches: silt loam
C - 27 to 80 inches: silty clay loam

Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 2 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches Natural drainage class: Moderately well drained

Runoff class: Low

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to high

(0.02 to 1.98 in/hr)

Depth to water table: About 19 to 36 inches

Frequency of flooding: Occasional Frequency of ponding: None

Available water storage in profile: High (about 12.0 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2w

Hydrologic Soil Group: C Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Newark, occasionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Dip

Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Linear

Other vegetative classification: Trees/Timber (Woody Vegetation)

Hydric soil rating: No

Huntington, occasionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Rise

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Nolin, occasionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Rise

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Melvin, occasionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Dip

Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: Yes

MnB—McAfee silt loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2qmlp Elevation: 500 to 1.060 feet

Mean annual precipitation: 37 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 41 to 66 degrees F

Frost-free period: 144 to 211 days

Farmland classification: All areas are prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Mcafee and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent

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

Description of Mcafee

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex

Parent material: Clayey residuum weathered from limestone

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 7 inches: silt loam

Bt1 - 7 to 16 inches: silty clay loam
Bt2 - 16 to 26 inches: silty clay
Bt3 - 26 to 32 inches: clay
R - 32 to 42 inches: bedrock

Properties and qualities

Slope: 2 to 6 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: 20 to 39 inches to lithic bedrock

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Low

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 in profile: 1 percent Available water storage in profile: Low (about 5.3 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2e

Hydrologic Soil Group: C Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Bluegrass

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit

Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve, side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex

Hydric soil rating: No

Maury

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit

Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve, side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex

Hydric soil rating: No

Faywood

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Shoulder

Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope, interfluve

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Lowell

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit

Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve, side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Fairmount

Percent of map unit: 1 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

MnC—McAfee silt loam, 6 to 12 percent slopes

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 1hyn6

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches
Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 173 to 211 days

Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance

Map Unit Composition

Mcafee and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent

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

Description of Mcafee

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Clayey residuum weathered from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 7 inches: silt loam H2 - 7 to 25 inches: silty clay H3 - 25 to 30 inches: clay

R - 30 to 40 inches: unweathered bedrock

Properties and qualities

Slope: 6 to 12 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: 20 to 40 inches to lithic bedrock

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Medium

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

Available water storage in profile: Low (about 5.0 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e

Hydrologic Soil Group: C Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Maury

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Other soils

Percent of map unit: 4 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Loradale

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Nicholson

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Donerail

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

MpB2—McAfee silty clay loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes, eroded

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 1hyn9

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 173 to 211 days

Farmland classification: All areas are prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Mcafee and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent

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

Description of Mcafee

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex

Parent material: Clayey residuum weathered from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 7 inches: silty clay loam H2 - 7 to 25 inches: silty clay H3 - 25 to 30 inches: clay

R - 30 to 40 inches: unweathered bedrock

Properties and qualities

Slope: 2 to 6 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: 20 to 40 inches to lithic bedrock

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Low

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

Available water storage in profile: Low (about 5.0 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2e

Hydrologic Soil Group: C Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Other soils

Percent of map unit: 4 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Nicholson

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Donerail

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Maury

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Loradale

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

MpC2—McAfee silty clay loam, 6 to 12 percent slopes, eroded

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 1hynb

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 173 to 211 days

Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance

Map Unit Composition

Mcafee and similar soils: 80 percent Minor components: 20 percent

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

Description of Mcafee

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex

Parent material: Clayey residuum weathered from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 7 inches: silty clay loam H2 - 7 to 25 inches: silty clay H3 - 25 to 30 inches: clay

R - 30 to 40 inches: unweathered bedrock

Properties and qualities

Slope: 6 to 12 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: 20 to 40 inches to lithic bedrock

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Medium

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

Available water storage in profile: Low (about 5.0 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e

Hydrologic Soil Group: C Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Other soils

Percent of map unit: 9 percent Hydric soil rating: No

Maury

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

Loradale

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

Nicholson

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

Donerail

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

MpD2—McAfee silty clay loam, 12 to 20 percent slopes, eroded

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 1hync

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 173 to 211 days

Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Mcafee and similar soils: 80 percent Minor components: 20 percent

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

Description of Mcafee

Setting

Landform: Hills

Landform position (two-dimensional): Backslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex

Parent material: Clayey residuum weathered from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 7 inches: silty clay loam H2 - 7 to 25 inches: silty clay

H3 - 25 to 30 inches: clay

R - 30 to 40 inches: unweathered bedrock

Properties and qualities

Slope: 12 to 20 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: 20 to 40 inches to lithic bedrock

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Medium

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

Available water storage in profile: Low (about 5.0 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 4e

Hydrologic Soil Group: C Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Other soils

Percent of map unit: 9 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Maury

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Loradale

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Salvisa

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Mt-Melvin silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, occasionally flooded

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2vp3l Elevation: 420 to 1,100 feet

Mean annual precipitation: 37 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 42 to 66 degrees F

Frost-free period: 163 to 212 days

Farmland classification: Prime farmland if drained

Map Unit Composition

Melvin, occasionally flooded, and similar soils: 90 percent

Minor components: 10 percent

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

Description of Melvin, Occasionally Flooded

Setting

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Dip

Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Non-acid fine-silty alluvium

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 9 inches: silt loam Bg - 9 to 38 inches: silt loam Cg - 38 to 80 inches: silt loam

Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 2 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Natural drainage class: Poorly drained

Runoff class: Negligible

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high (0.20

to 0.60 in/hr)

Depth to water table: About 0 to 6 inches

Frequency of flooding: Occasional Frequency of ponding: None

Available water storage in profile: High (about 10.3 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3w

Hydrologic Soil Group: C/D Hydric soil rating: Yes

Minor Components

Lindside, occasionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Rise

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Other vegetative classification: Trees/Timber (Woody Vegetation)

Hydric soil rating: No

Newark, occasionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 4 percent

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Rise

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Dunning, occasionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 1 percent Landform: Depressions, flood plains Landform position (three-dimensional): Dip

Down-slope shape: Linear

Across-slope shape: Concave

Hydric soil rating: Yes

MuB-Mercer silt loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2wlv9 Elevation: 560 to 1,070 feet

Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 42 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 160 to 212 days

Farmland classification: All areas are prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Mercer and similar soils: 90 percent Minor components: 10 percent

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

Description of Mercer

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit, shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex

Parent material: Fine-silty noncalcareous loess over clayey residuum weathered

from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 9 inches: silt loam

Bt - 9 to 23 inches: silty clay loam

Btx - 23 to 40 inches: silty clay loam

2C - 40 to 70 inches: clay

Properties and qualities

Slope: 2 to 6 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: 18 to 25 inches to fragipan Natural drainage class: Moderately well drained

Runoff class: High

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: About 15 to 22 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Available water storage in profile: Low (about 4.6 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2e

Hydrologic Soil Group: D

Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Lawrence

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit, shoulder

Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Lowell

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

MuC—Mercer silt loam, 6 to 12 percent slopes

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2wv4p Elevation: 580 to 1,070 feet

Mean annual precipitation: 37 to 53 inches
Mean annual air temperature: 44 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 173 to 212 days

Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance

Map Unit Composition

Mercer and similar soils: 90 percent Minor components: 10 percent

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

Description of Mercer

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit, shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex

Parent material: Fine-silty noncalcareous loess over clayey residuum weathered

from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 9 inches: silt loam

Bt - 9 to 23 inches: silty clay loam

Btx - 23 to 40 inches: silty clay loam

2C - 40 to 70 inches: clay

Properties and qualities

Slope: 6 to 12 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: 18 to 24 inches to fragipan Natural drainage class: Moderately well drained

Runoff class: Medium

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: About 15 to 21 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Available water storage in profile: Low (about 4.6 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e

Hydrologic Soil Group: D Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Lawrence

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit, shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Lowell

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Ne—Newark silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, occasionally flooded

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2s2cm Elevation: 440 to 1,150 feet

Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 54 inches Mean annual air temperature: 40 to 66 degrees F

Frost-free period: 135 to 212 days

Farmland classification: Prime farmland if drained

Map Unit Composition

Newark, occasionally flooded, and similar soils: 90 percent

Minor components: 10 percent

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

Description of Newark, Occasionally Flooded

Setting

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Talf

Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Mixed fine-silty alluvium

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 7 inches: silt loam
Bg - 7 to 42 inches: silt loam
Cg - 42 to 80 inches: silt loam

Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 2 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches Natural drainage class: Somewhat poorly drained

Runoff class: Negligible

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to

high (0.60 to 2.00 in/hr)

Depth to water table: About 6 to 20 inches

Frequency of flooding: Occasional Frequency of ponding: None

Available water storage in profile: High (about 10.8 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2w

Hydrologic Soil Group: B/D

Other vegetative classification: Trees/Timber (Woody Vegetation)

Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Lindside, occasionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Rise

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Other vegetative classification: Trees/Timber (Woody Vegetation)

Hydric soil rating: No

Nolin, occasionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Rise

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Other vegetative classification: Trees/Timber (Woody Vegetation)

Hydric soil rating: No

Melvin, ocassionally flooded

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Landform: Flood plains

Landform position (three-dimensional): Dip

Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Linear

Other vegetative classification: Trees/Timber (Woody Vegetation), Trees/Timber

(Woody Vegetation)

Hydric soil rating: Yes

ScC2—Salvisa silty clay loam, 6 to 12 percent slopes, eroded

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 1hynx

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 173 to 211 days

Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance

Map Unit Composition

Salvisa and similar soils: 85 percent Minor components: 15 percent

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

Description of Salvisa

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex

Parent material: Clayey residuum weathered from limestone and shale

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 7 inches: silty clay loam H2 - 7 to 21 inches: silty clay H3 - 21 to 28 inches: clay

R - 28 to 38 inches: unweathered bedrock

Properties and qualities

Slope: 6 to 12 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: 20 to 40 inches to lithic bedrock

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Medium

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

Available water storage in profile: Low (about 4.5 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 4e

Hydrologic Soil Group: C Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Other soils

Percent of map unit: 6 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Fairmount

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Mcafee

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Lowell

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Ua—Urban land-armour-maury complex (urban land)

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 1hynz

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 173 to 211 days

Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Urban land: 60 percent

Maury and similar soils: 15 percent Elk and similar soils: 15 percent Minor components: 10 percent

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

Description of Urban Land

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 8

Hydric soil rating: No

Description of Maury

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Thin fine-silty noncalcareous loess over clayey residuum

weathered from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 16 inches: silt loam
H2 - 16 to 29 inches: silty clay loam
H3 - 29 to 42 inches: silty clay
H4 - 42 to 75 inches: clay

Properties and qualities

Slope: 6 to 12 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Natural 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 storage in profile: High (about 11.2 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e

Hydrologic Soil Group: A Hydric soil rating: No

Description of Elk

Setting

Landform: Stream terraces

Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Mixed fine-silty alluvium

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 9 inches: silt loam
H2 - 9 to 42 inches: silty clay loam
H3 - 42 to 69 inches: silty clay loam

Properties and qualities

Slope: 6 to 12 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Natural 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 storage in profile: High (about 11.5 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e

Hydrologic Soil Group: B Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Clayey soils

Percent of map unit: 7 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Other soils

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

uBlmA—Bluegrass-Maury silt loams, 0 to 2 percent slopes

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2p9wf Elevation: 540 to 1,060 feet

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 163 to 192 days

Farmland classification: All areas are prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Bluegrass and similar soils: 62 percent Maury and similar soils: 33 percent Minor components: 5 percent

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

Description of Bluegrass

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit

Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve, side slope

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Thin fine-silty noncalcareous loess over clayey residuum

weathered from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 12 inches: silt loam

Bt - 12 to 35 inches: silty clay loam

2Bt - 35 to 84 inches: silty clay loam

2BC - 84 to 96 inches: clay

Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 2 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Very low

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to

high (0.20 to 1.98 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Calcium carbonate, maximum in profile: 2 percent

Available water storage in profile: High (about 11.6 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 1

Hydrologic Soil Group: B Hydric soil rating: No

Description of Maury

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit

Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve, side slope

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Thin fine-silty noncalcareous loess over clayey residuum

weathered from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 9 inches: silt loam

Bt1 - 9 to 16 inches: silty clay loam

Bt2 - 16 to 53 inches: clay BC - 53 to 100 inches: clay

Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 2 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Very low

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to

moderately high (0.06 to 0.60 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Calcium carbonate, maximum in profile: 2 percent

Available water storage in profile: High (about 11.1 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 1

Hydrologic Soil Group: B Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

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Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Hydric soil rating: No

uBlmB—Bluegrass-Maury silt loams, 2 to 6 percent slopes

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2p9wg Elevation: 540 to 1,060 feet

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches
Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 163 to 192 days

Farmland classification: All areas are prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Bluegrass and similar soils: 50 percent Maury and similar soils: 40 percent Minor components: 10 percent

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

Description of Bluegrass

Settina

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit

Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve, side slope

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Thin fine-silty noncalcareous loess over clayey residuum

weathered from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 12 inches: silt loam

Bt - 12 to 35 inches: silty clay loam

2Bt - 35 to 84 inches: silty clay loam

2BC - 84 to 96 inches: clay

Properties and qualities

Slope: 2 to 6 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Low

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to

high (0.20 to 1.98 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Calcium carbonate, maximum in profile: 2 percent

Available water storage in profile: High (about 11.6 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2e

Hydrologic Soil Group: B Hydric soil rating: No

Description of Maury

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit

Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope, interfluve

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Thin fine-silty noncalcareous loess over clayey residuum

weathered from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 9 inches: silt loam

Bt1 - 9 to 16 inches: silty clay loam

Bt2 - 16 to 53 inches: clay BC - 53 to 100 inches: clay

Properties and qualities

Slope: 2 to 6 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Low

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to

moderately high (0.06 to 0.60 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Calcium carbonate, maximum in profile: 2 percent

Available water storage in profile: High (about 11.1 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2e

Hydrologic Soil Group: B Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Mcafee

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit

Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve, side slope

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Faywood

Percent of map unit: 3 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Shoulder

Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope, interfluve

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

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Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Lowell

Percent of map unit: 2 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit

Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve, side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

uLbiB—Lowell-Bluegrass silt loams, 2 to 6 percent slopes

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2s2d5 Elevation: 770 to 1,070 feet

Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 58 inches Mean annual air temperature: 41 to 66 degrees F

Frost-free period: 144 to 211 days

Farmland classification: All areas are prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Lowell and similar soils: 70 percent Bluegrass and similar soils: 25 percent

Minor components: 5 percent

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

Description of Lowell

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Clayey residuum weathered from limestone and shale

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 8 inches: silt loam

Bt - 8 to 41 inches: silty clay

BC - 41 to 53 inches: silty clay

R - 53 to 63 inches: bedrock

Properties and qualities

Slope: 2 to 6 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: 40 to 57 inches to lithic bedrock

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Low

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Very low to moderately

high (0.00 to 0.20 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Calcium carbonate, maximum in profile: 3 percent

Available water storage in profile: Moderate (about 8.0 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2e

Hydrologic Soil Group: C Hydric soil rating: No

Description of Bluegrass

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex

Parent material: Thin fine-silty noncalcareous loess over clayey residuum

weathered from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 12 inches: silt loam

Bt - 12 to 35 inches: silty clay loam

2Bt - 35 to 84 inches: silty clay loam

2BC - 84 to 96 inches: clay

Properties and qualities

Slope: 2 to 6 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Low

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to

high (0.20 to 1.98 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Available water storage in profile: High (about 11.6 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2e

Hydrologic Soil Group: B Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Faywood

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

uLfC—Lowell-Faywood silt loams, 6 to 12 percent slopes

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2s2d6 Elevation: 450 to 1,130 feet

Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 66 inches
Mean annual air temperature: 40 to 68 degrees F

Frost-free period: 144 to 218 days

Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance

Map Unit Composition

Lowell and similar soils: 70 percent Faywood and similar soils: 20 percent

Minor components: 10 percent

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

Description of Lowell

Setting

Landform: Hills

Landform position (two-dimensional): Backslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Clayey residuum weathered from limestone and shale

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 8 inches: silt loam Bt - 8 to 41 inches: silty clay BC - 41 to 53 inches: silty clay R - 53 to 63 inches: bedrock

Properties and qualities

Slope: 6 to 12 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: 40 to 57 inches to lithic bedrock

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Medium

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Very low to moderately

high (0.00 to 0.20 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Calcium carbonate, maximum in profile: 3 percent

Available water storage in profile: Moderate (about 8.0 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e

Hydrologic Soil Group: C Hydric soil rating: No

Description of Faywood

Setting

Landform: Hills

Landform position (two-dimensional): Shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Clayey residuum weathered from limestone and shale

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 7 inches: silt loam Bt - 7 to 29 inches: silty clay R - 29 to 39 inches: bedrock

Properties and qualities

Slope: 6 to 12 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: 20 to 39 inches to lithic bedrock

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Medium

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Very low to moderately

low (0.00 to 0.14 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Available water storage in profile: Low (about 4.7 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e

Hydrologic Soil Group: D Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Sandview

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Hills

Landform position (two-dimensional): Backslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex

Hydric soil rating: No

Cynthiana

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Hills

Landform position (two-dimensional): Backslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

uMImC—Maury-Bluegrass silt loams, 6 to 12 percent slopes

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 2p9wh Elevation: 540 to 1.060 feet

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 163 to 192 days

Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance

Map Unit Composition

Maury and similar soils: 55 percent Bluegrass and similar soils: 30 percent

Minor components: 15 percent

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

Description of Maury

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit

Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope, interfluve

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Thin fine-silty noncalcareous loess over clayey residuum

weathered from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 9 inches: silt loam

Bt1 - 9 to 16 inches: silty clay loam

Bt2 - 16 to 53 inches: clay BC - 53 to 100 inches: clay

Properties and qualities

Slope: 6 to 12 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Medium

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to

moderately high (0.06 to 0.60 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Calcium carbonate, maximum in profile: 2 percent

Available water storage in profile: High (about 11.1 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e

Hydrologic Soil Group: B Hydric soil rating: No

Description of Bluegrass

Setting

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit

Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve, side slope

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear

Parent material: Thin fine-silty noncalcareous loess over clayey residuum

weathered from phosphatic limestone

Typical profile

Ap - 0 to 12 inches: silt loam

Bt - 12 to 35 inches: silty clay loam

2Bt - 35 to 84 inches: silty clay loam

2BC - 84 to 96 inches: clay

Properties and qualities

Slope: 6 to 12 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Natural drainage class: Well drained

Runoff class: Medium

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to

high (0.20 to 1.98 in/hr)

Depth to water table: More than 80 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Calcium carbonate, maximum in profile: 2 percent

Available water storage in profile: High (about 11.6 inches)

Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e

Hydrologic Soil Group: B

Hydric soil rating: No

Minor Components

Lowell

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit

Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope, interfluve

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Mcafee

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit

Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope, interfluve

Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

Faywood

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Ridges

Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit

Landform position (three-dimensional): Interfluve, side slope

Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Linear Hydric soil rating: No

W-Water

Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 1hyp1

Mean annual precipitation: 39 to 53 inches Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 65 degrees F

Frost-free period: 173 to 211 days

Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

Map Unit Composition

Water: 100 percent

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

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