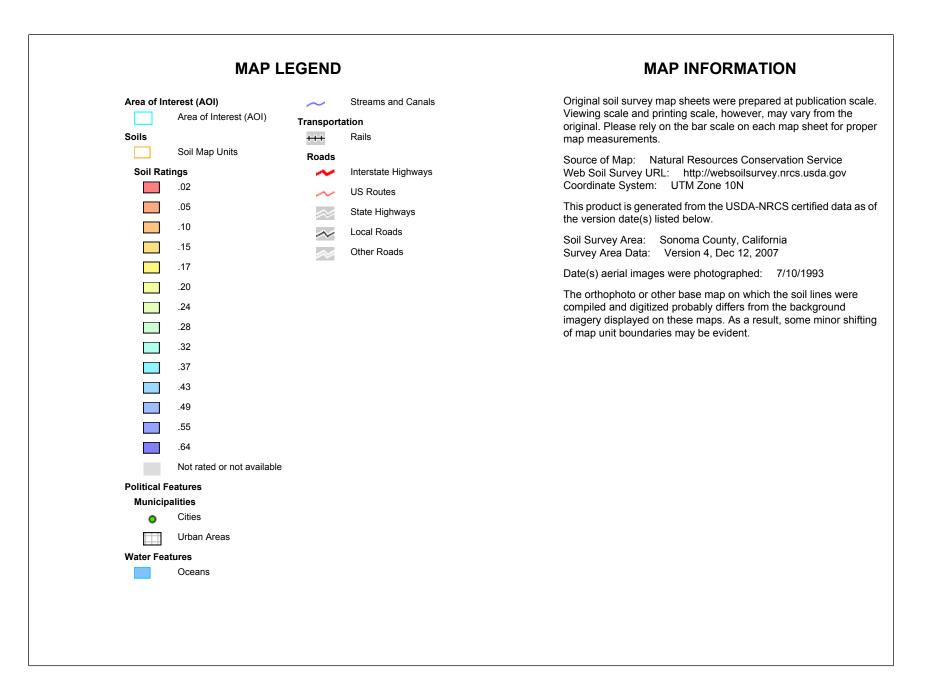


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K Factor, Whole Soil

Map unit symbol	Map unit name	Rating	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
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AdA	ALLUVIAL LAND, SANDY	.15	145.2	1.5%
AeA	ALLUVIAL LAND, CLAYEY	.24	85.8	0.9%
CcA	CLEAR LAKE CLAY LOAM, 0 TO 2 PERCENT SLOPES	.28	630.0	6.4%
СсВ	CLEAR LAKE CLAY LOAM, 2 TO 5 PERCENT SLOPES	.28	219.7	2.2%
CeA	CLEAR LAKE CLAY, 0 TO 2 PERCENT SLOPES	.24	2,941.2	30.0%
СеВ	CLEAR LAKE CLAY, 2 TO 5 PERCENT SLOPES	.24	13.5	0.1%
CfA	CLEAR LAKE CLAY, PONDED, 0 TO 2 PERCENT SLOPES	.24	463.3	4.7%
CtC	COTATI FINE SANDY LOAM, 2 TO 9 PERCENT SLOPES	.32	13.4	0.1%
CtD	COTATI FINE SANDY LOAM, 9 TO 15 PERCENT SLOPES	.32	29.5	0.3%
DbC	DIABLO CLAY, 2 TO 9 PERCENT SLOPES	.24	137.4	1.4%
DbD	DIABLO CLAY, 9 TO 15 PERCENT SLOPES	.24	100.7	1.0%
DbE	DIABLO CLAY, 15 TO 30 PERCENT SLOPES	.24	45.3	0.5%
DbE2	DIABLO CLAY, 15 TO 30 PERCENT SLOPES, ERODED	.24	61.7	0.6%
DbF	DIABLO CLAY, 30 TO 50 PERCENT SLOPES	.24	68.1	0.7%
GdD	GOLDRIDGE FINE SANDY LOAM, 9 TO 15 PERCENT SLOPES	.28	21.3	0.2%
GgD	GOULDING CLAY LOAM, 5 TO 15 PERCENT SLOPES	.32	158.6	1.6%
GgE	GOULDING CLAY LOAM, 15 TO 30 PERCENT SLOPES	.32	13.8	0.1%

K Factor, Whole Soil— Summary by Map Unit — Sonoma County, California						
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GgF	GOULDING CLAY LOAM, 30 TO 50 PERCENT SLOPES	.32	260.7	2.7%		
GID	GOULDING COBBLY CLAY LOAM, 5 TO 15 PERCENT SLOPES	.20	200.5	2.0%		
GIE	GOULDING COBBLY CLAY LOAM, 15 TO 30 PERCENT SLOPES	.20	261.9	2.7%		
GIF	GOULDING COBBLY CLAY LOAM, 30 TO 50 PERCENT SLOPES	.20	403.7	4.1%		
GIG	GOULDING COBBLY CLAY LOAM, 50 TO 75 PERCENT SLOPES	.20	9.3	0.1%		
GoF	GOULDING-TOOMES COMPLEX, 9 TO 50 PERCENT SLOPES	.32	1,777.9	18.1%		
НаВ	HAIRE FINE SANDY LOAM, HUMMOCKY, 0 TO 5 PERCENT SLOPES	.32	123.0	1.3%		
KeE	KIDD STONY LOAM, 2 TO 30 PERCENT SLOPES	.17	41.7	0.4%		
RaC	RAYNOR CLAY, 2 TO 9 PERCENT SLOPES	.24	325.7	3.3%		
RaD	RAYNOR CLAY, 9 TO 15 PERCENT SLOPES	.24	257.8	2.6%		
RaE	RAYNOR CLAY, 15 TO 30 PERCENT SLOPES	.24	287.5	2.9%		
RcD	RAYNOR CLAY, SEEPED, 2 TO 15 PERCENT SLOPES	.24	167.8	1.7%		
RnA	RIVERWASH	.05	95.5	1.0%		
SkC	SPRECKELS LOAM, 2 TO 9 PERCENT SLOPES	.37	45.5	0.5%		
SkD	SPRECKELS LOAM, 9 TO 15 PERCENT SLOPES	.37	62.4	0.6%		
SkE	SPRECKELS LOAM, 15 TO 30 PERCENT SLOPES	.37	54.2	0.6%		
SkE2	SPRECKELS LOAM, 15 TO 30 PERCENT SLOPES, ERODED	.37	22.6	0.2%		

K Factor, Whole Soil— Summary by Map Unit — Sonoma County, California Map unit symbol Map unit name Rating Acres in AOI Percent of A					
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STEINBECK LOAM, 30 TO 50 PERCENT SLOPES	.32	5.7	0.1%		
STONYFORD GRAVELLY LOAM, 30 TO 50 PERCENT SLOPES	.24	14.7	0.2%		
TOOMES ROCKY LOAM, 2 TO 30 PERCENT SLOPES	.32	124.4	1.3%		
TOOMES ROCKY LOAM, 30 TO 75 PERCENT SLOPES	.32	47.4	0.5%		
WATER		13.3	0.1%		
ZAMORA SILTY CLAY LOAM, 0 TO 2 PERCENT SLOPES	.37	45.0	0.5%		
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Description

Erosion factor K indicates the susceptibility of a soil to sheet and rill erosion by water. Factor K is one of six factors used in the Universal Soil Loss Equation (USLE) and the Revised Universal Soil Loss Equation (RUSLE) to predict the average annual rate of soil loss by sheet and rill erosion in tons per acre per year. The estimates are based primarily on percentage of silt, sand, and organic matter and on soil structure and saturated hydraulic conductivity (Ksat). Values of K range from 0.02 to 0.69. Other factors being equal, the higher the value, the more susceptible the soil is to sheet and rill erosion by water.

"Erosion factor Kw (whole soil)" indicates the erodibility of the whole soil. The estimates are modified by the presence of rock fragments.

Rating Options

Aggregation Method: Dominant Condition Component Percent Cutoff: None Specified Tie-break Rule: Higher Layer Options: Surface Layer