

214B. Vershire-Lombard complex, 3 to 8 percent slopes, very stony

The Vershire, very stony component makes up 50 percent of the map unit. The natural drainage class is well drained. Water movement in the most restrictive layer is low. This component is on hills. The parent material consists of loamy till. Depth to a root restrictive layer, bedrock, lithic, is 20 to 40 inches.

The Lombard, very stony component makes up 35 percent of the map unit. The natural drainage class is well drained. Water movement in the most restrictive layer is moderately high. This component is on hills. The parent material consists of loamy till over saprolite. Depth to a root restrictive layer, bedrock, lithic, is 60 to 72 inches.

Important farmland classification: NPSL	Land capability: 6 s	Vermont Agricultural Value Group: 10
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Vermont Residential Onsite Waste Disposal Group and Subgroup: IIc

This unit is moderately suited as a site for soil-based residential wastewater disposal systems, based on a review by the Natural Resources Conservation Service of criteria set forth in the Vermont 2007 Environmental Protection Rules. The depth to bedrock in some areas is the primary concern. A significant percentage of this map unit has sufficient soil depth over bedrock to accept a range of designs. On-site investigations can help avoid areas with limited depth to bedrock. Additional fill material may be needed in some areas in order to meet the separation distance requirement between the bottom of the leachfield and bedrock.

PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL PROPERTIES								ION FA	CTORC
Soil name	Depth	Typical	Clay		Permeability (In/Hr)	Organic matter	EROSION FACTORS		
Soli Haine	(In)	texture	(Pct)	(pH)		(Pct)	Kw	Kf	Т
Vershire, very stony	0-2	MPM		3.5 - 5.5	2-6	35-100			2
	2-5	VFSL	2-15	4.5 - 6.5	0.6-2	2.0-8.0	.43	.43	
	5-19	VFSL	1-12	4.5 - 6.5	0.6-2	0.5-3.5	.64	.64	
	19-22	VFSL	1-10	4.5 - 7.3	0.6-2	0.5-2.0	.64	.64	
	22-32	UWB			0.01-20				
Lombard, very stony	0-2	MPM		3.5 - 5.5	2-6	35-100			5
	2-8	VFSL	2-15	5.6 - 7.3	0.6-2	2.0-8.0	.37	.37	
	8-31	VFSL	1-12	5.6 - 7.3	0.6-2	0.5-3.0	.55	.55	
	31-61	FSL	1-15	6.6 - 7.3	2-6	0.0-0.5	.43	.43	
	61-71	UWB			0.01-20				

		WATE	R FEATURES				SOIL	<u>FEATURES</u>
	Hydrologic	Depth to seasonal	Floo	ding	Pon	ding	Hydric	
Soil name	group	high water table (Feet)	Frequency	Duration	Frequency	Duration	soil?	Depth to bedrock (range in inches)
Vershire, very stony	С		None		None		No	20-40
Lombard, very stony	В		None		None		No	60-72

	LAND USE LIMITA	<u>TIONS</u>		<u>AGRICULTURA</u>	L YIELD DATA	
Soil name	Land use	Rating	Reason **	Crop name	Yield / acre	
Vershire, very stony Lombard, very stony	Dwellings with basements: Dwellings with basements:	•	Depth to hard bedrock	Pasture Pasture	7.5 AUM 7.5 AUM	
Vershire, very stony Lombard, very stony	Pond reservoir areas: Pond reservoir areas:	Very limited Very limited	Depth to bedrock Seepage			

	Management		WOODLAND MANAGEMENT		
Soil name	concern	Rating	Reason	Vermont natural communities	
ershire	Harvest equip operability:	Well suited		Northern Hardwood Forest,	
ombard	Harvest equip operability:	Well suited		Mesic Red Oak-Northern Hardwood Forest, Rich Northern Hardwood Forest,	
ershire	Road suitability:	Well suited		Hemlock Forest,	
ombard	Road suitability:	Well suited		Temperate Acidic Outcrop,	
ershire	Erosion hazard (off-road):	Slight		Temperate Acidic Cliff, Temperate Calcareous Outcrop,	

Soil Fact Sheet - Continued

Caledonia County, Vermont

Lombard Erosion hazard (off-road): Slight

Temperate Calcareous Cliff