

SIE54: Tunbridge-Lyman complex, 35 to 60 percent slopes, very rocky

The Tunbridge, very rocky component makes up 47 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 on glaciated uplands, mountains on glaciated uplands. The parent material consists of loamy supraglacial till derived from granite and gneiss and/or loamy supraglacial till derived from phyllite and/or loamy supraglacial till derived from mica schist. Depth to a root restrictive layer, bedrock, lithic, is 20 to 40 inches.

The Lyman, very rocky component makes up 37 percent of the map unit. The natural drainage class is somewhat excessively drained. Water movement in the most restrictive layer is low. This component is on hills on glaciated uplands, mountains on glaciated uplands. The parent material consists of loamy supraglacial till derived from granite and gneiss and/or loamy supraglacial till derived from phyllite and/or loamy supraglacial till derived from mica schist. Depth to a root restrictive layer, bedrock, lithic, is 11 to 24 inches.

Important farmland classification: NPSL

Land capability: 7 s

Vermont Agricultural Value Group: 11

Vermont Residential Onsite Waste Disposal Group and Subgroup: IVb

This unit is generally not 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. Steep slopes in association with the depth to bedrock is the limiting condition. Cut and fill site modifications that reduce the slope gradient are difficult to achieve due to the depth to bedrock.

PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL PROPERTIES							EROSION FACTORS		
Soil name	Depth (In)	Typical texture	Clay (Pct)	Soil reaction (pH)	Permeability (In/Hr)	Organic matter (Pct)	Kw	Kf	T
Tunbridge, very rocky	0-3	MPM	---	3.5 - 5.5	1-14	35-95	---	---	2
	3-5	HPM	---	3.5 - 5.5	1-14	35-95	---	---	
	5-8	FSL	1-10	3.5 - 6.0	0.1-14	1.4-5.7	.37	.37	
	8-11	FSL	1-10	3.5 - 6.0	0.1-14	3.1-25	.32	.32	
	11-26	FSL	1-10	3.5 - 6.0	0.1-14	2.2-18	.37	.37	
	26-28	FSL	1-10	5.1 - 6.5	0.1-14	1.0-4.2	.43	.43	
	28-38	BR	---	---	0.001-14	---	---	---	
Lyman, very rocky	0-1	MPM	---	3.5 - 5.5	1-14	35-95	---	---	1
	1-3	L	1-10	3.5 - 6.0	0.1-14	4.0-20	.32	.32	
	3-5	FSL	1-10	3.5 - 6.0	0.1-14	1.4-5.7	.37	.37	
	5-7	L	1-10	3.5 - 6.0	0.1-14	3.1-25	.32	.32	
	7-11	L	1-10	3.5 - 6.0	0.1-14	2.2-18	.32	.32	
	11-18	CN-L	1-10	3.5 - 6.0	0.1-14	2.2-7.0	.24	.32	
	18-28	BR	---	---	0.001-14	---	---	---	

WATER FEATURES						SOIL FEATURES		
Soil name	Hydrologic group	Depth to seasonal high water table (Feet)	Flooding		Ponding		Hydric soil?	Depth to bedrock (range in inches)
			Frequency	Duration	Frequency	Duration		
Tunbridge, very rocky	C	---	None		None		No	20-40
Lyman, very rocky	D	---	None		None		No	11-24

LAND USE LIMITATIONS				AGRICULTURAL YIELD DATA	
Soil name	Land use	Rating	Reason **	Crop name	Yield / acre
Tunbridge, very rocky	Dwellings with basements:	Very limited	Slope		
Lyman, very rocky	Dwellings with basements:	Very limited	Slope		
Tunbridge, very rocky	Pond reservoir areas:	Very limited	Slope		
Lyman, very rocky	Pond reservoir areas:	Very limited	Slope		

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WOODLAND MANAGEMENT

Soil name	Management concern	Rating	Reason	Vermont natural communities
Tunbridge	Harvest equip operability:	Poorly suited	Slope	Northern Hardwood Forest, Hemlock-Northern Hardwood Forest, Mesic Red Oak-Northern Hardwood Forest, Beech-Red Maple-Hemlock-Northern Hardwood Forest Variant, Hemlock Forest
Lyman	Harvest equip operability:	Poorly suited	Slope	
Tunbridge	Road suitability:	Poorly suited	Slope	
Lyman	Road suitability:	Poorly suited	Slope	
Tunbridge	Erosion hazard (off-road):	Severe	Slope/erodibility	
Lyman	Erosion hazard (off-road):	Very severe	Slope/erodibility	