

Massachusetts
Highly Erodible Soils
and
Potentially Highly Erodible Soils

Worcester County, Northeastern Part

Publication Map Symbol	SSURGO Map Symbol	<i>Map Units Highly Erodible by Water</i> (Only those units considered tillable)*
		Map Unit Name
AgC	275C	Agawam fine sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes
CaC	420C	Canton fine sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes
HgD	245D	Hinckley sandy loam, 15 to 25 percent slopes
HgE	245E	Hinckley sandy loam, 25 to 35 percent slopes
MeC	254C	Merrimac fine sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes
MeD	254D	Merrimac fine sandy loam, 15 to 25 percent slopes
PaC	305C	Paxton fine sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes
PaD	305D	Paxton fine sandy loam, 15 to 25 percent slopes
QnD	262D	Quonset loamy sand, 15 to 25 percent slopes
WnD	255D	Windsor loamy fine sand, 15 to 25 percent slopes
WrC	310C	Woodbridge fine sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes

Publication Map Symbol	SSURGO Map Symbol	<i>Map Units <u>POTENTIALLY</u> Highly Erodible by Water</i> (Only those units considered tillable)*	Critical LS Factor
		Map Unit Name	
AgB	275B	Agawam fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	.77
AmB	248B	Amostown and Belgrade soils, 3 to 8 percent slopes	.53
CaB	420B	Canton fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	.77
HgB	245B	Hinckley sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	1.05
HgC	245C	Hinckley sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes	1.05
HwB	226B	Hinesburg loamy sand, 3 to 8 percent slopes	.77
MeB	254B	Merrimac fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	.77
PaB	305B	Paxton fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	.77
PoB	322B	Poquonock loamy sand, 3 to 8 percent slopes	.93
PoC	322C	Poquonock loamy sand, 8 to 15 percent slopes	.93
QnB	262B	Quonset loamy sand, 3 to 8 percent slopes	.93
QnC	262C	Quonset loamy sand, 8 to 15 percent slopes	.93
RdB	70B	Ridgebury fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	.77
SdB	260B	Sudbury fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	.77
WnC	255C	Windsor loamy fine sand, 8 to 15 percent slopes	1.82
WrB	310B	Woodbridge fine sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	.77

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* Stony and rocky units, urban land, “soil” – urban land complexes, pits, Udorthents, udipsamments, etc., are not considered tillable. Should you encounter an instance where such areas are converted to cropland or are farmed, contact the local soil scientist or state soils staff for assistance.