# Kittitas County Area, Washington

# 1441—Teanaway ashy loam, 10 to 25 percent slopes

## **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: 2kqn Elevation: 1,800 to 3,600 feet

Mean annual precipitation: 25 to 40 inches

Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 48 degrees F

Frost-free period: 80 to 120 days

Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

## **Map Unit Composition**

Teanaway and similar soils: 80 percent

Minor components: 20 percent

Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of

the mapunit.

## **Description of Teanaway**

## Setting

Landform: Mountain slopes Down-slope shape: Linear Across-slope shape: Convex

Parent material: Loess over glacial till or outwash with an influence

of volcanic ash in the surface

# Typical profile

Oe - 0 to 3 inches: moderately decomposed plant material

H1 - 3 to 7 inches: ashy loam H2 - 7 to 22 inches: loam H3 - 22 to 42 inches: loam H4 - 42 to 51 inches: loam

H5 - 51 to 60 inches: gravelly loam

# Properties and qualities

Slope: 10 to 25 percent

Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches

Drainage class: Moderately well drained

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 39 to 51 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None

Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: High (about 10.3 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e

Hydrologic Soil Group: C

Ecological site: F006XB001WA - Frigid Xeric Mountain Slopes

(Douglas-fir Moderately Dry Shrub/Herb)

Other vegetative classification: Douglas-fir/common snowberry/ pinegrass (CDS638) Hydric soil rating: No

# **Minor Components**

#### **Ampad**

Percent of map unit: 10 percent Hydric soil rating: No

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

### **Swauk**

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

# **Data Source Information**

Soil Survey Area: Kittitas County Area, Washington Survey Area Data: Version 16, Aug 29, 2023