

Weld County, Colorado, Northern Part

31—Kim-Mitchell complex, 0 to 6 percent slopes

Map Unit Setting

Elevation: 3,500 to 6,500 feet
Mean annual precipitation: 11 to 17 inches
Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 54 degrees F
Frost-free period: 120 to 160 days

Map Unit Composition

Kim and similar soils: 45 percent
Mitchell and similar soils: 40 percent
Minor components: 15 percent

Description of Kim

Setting

Landform: Alluvial fans, plains
Down-slope shape: Linear
Across-slope shape: Linear
Parent material: Calcareous loamy alluvium

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 3 inches: moderately alkaline, loam
H2 - 3 to 7 inches: moderately alkaline, clay loam
H3 - 7 to 60 inches: moderately alkaline, loam

Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 6 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Natural drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat):
Moderately high (0.20 to 0.60 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum in profile: 15 percent
Salinity, maximum in profile: Nonsaline to very slightly saline (0.0 to 4.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water storage in profile: High (about 9.7 inches)

Interpretive groups

Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance
Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e
Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 4e
Hydrologic Soil Group: B
Ecological site: Loamy Plains (R067BY002CO)

Description of Mitchell

Setting

Landform: Alluvial fans, plains

Remora LC34-745 Pd

T9N-R59W

Section 34: NWNE

Remora LC34-745, 740, 735, 730

Haley LC27-745, 740, 735, 730

Remora LC34-725, 720, 715, 710

Haley LC27-715, 710

Down-slope shape: Linear
Across-slope shape: Linear
Parent material: Calcareous loamy alluvium

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 7 inches: moderately alkaline, silt loam
H2 - 7 to 60 inches: moderately alkaline, silt loam

Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 6 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Natural drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat):
Moderately high to high (0.57 to 5.95 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum in profile: 15 percent
Available water storage in profile: High (about 10.8 inches)

Interpretive groups

Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance
Land capability classification (irrigated): 4e
Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 4e
Hydrologic Soil Group: B
Ecological site: Siltstone Plains (R067BY009CO)

Minor Components

Haverson

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Thedalund

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Keota

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Data Source Information

Soil Survey Area: Weld County, Colorado, Northern Part
Survey Area Data: Version 9, Dec 23, 2013

Weld County, Colorado, Northern Part

60—Shingle clay loam, 0 to 9 percent slopes

Map Unit Setting

Elevation: 3,600 to 5,500 feet
Mean annual precipitation: 10 to 13 inches
Mean annual air temperature: 46 to 48 degrees F
Frost-free period: 110 to 140 days

Map Unit Composition

Shingle and similar soils: 80 percent
Minor components: 20 percent

Description of Shingle

Setting

Landform: Ridges, breaks, plains
Down-slope shape: Linear
Across-slope shape: Linear
Parent material: Calcareous, clayey loamy residuum weathered from shale

Typical profile

H1 - 0 to 4 inches: moderately alkaline, clay loam
H2 - 4 to 11 inches: moderately alkaline, clay loam
H3 - 11 to 15 inches: , unweathered bedrock

Properties and qualities

Slope: 0 to 9 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: 10 to 20 inches to paralithic bedrock
Natural drainage class: 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: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum in profile: 15 percent
Salinity, maximum in profile: Nonsaline (0.0 to 2.0 mmhos/cm)
Available water storage in profile: Very low (about 2.1 inches)

Interpretive groups

Farmland classification: Not prime farmland
Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified
Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6s
Hydrologic Soil Group: D
Ecological site: Shaly Plains (R067BY045CO)

Minor Components

Renohill

Percent of map unit: 10 percent

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Remora LC34-725, 720, 715, 711

Hailey LC27-715, 711

Keota

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Thedalund

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

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