1 Supplement: land unit types and site characteristics for the soil profiles considered

Vegetation codes 1: alpine grassland; 1a: alpine grassland invaded by larch; 2: coniferous forest; 3: alpine meadow with shrubs (*Juniperus communis, Salix* spp); 4: mixed
broadleaved pioneer wood; 5:coppice; 5a: abandoned coppice with pioneer species invasion; 6: Mixed forest with conifers and broadleaves; 7: coniferous forest; 8: pasture; 9:
meadow

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Profile	Northing	Easting	Land	Altitude	Slope	Vegetation	Synthetic land unit description	Soil taxonomy	Morphology and lithology
ID	(UTM)	(UTM)	unit ID	(m asl)	(%)	cover			
1	5076828	386422	33224	2184	23	1	Areas with limited slope, with morainic substrate, mixed	Typic Udorthent sandy,	Mixed glacial deposits, lateral
							lithology, herbaceous cover	mixed, frigid	morain
2	5076093	385123	51223	2040	38	2	Areas with intermediate slope, interested by large	Typic Cryorthent sandy,	Mixed glacial deposits, lateral
							quiescent landslides; mixed morainic substratum,	mixed	morain
							prevalence of coniferous cover		
3	5074264	385429	53112	1723	20	1	Areas with limited slope, with colluvial deposits and	Typic Udorthent loamy,	Morainic deposits on
							unstable incoherent deposits, morainic substrate with	mixed, mesic	serpentinites
							mixed lithology		
4	5075243	384917	51212	1959	25	2	Areas with limited slope, with prevailing coniferous	Typic Cryopsamments,	Mixed colluvial deposits, with
							cover, morainic substrate with mixed lithology and rock	mixed	serpentinites
							outcrops		

5	5075724	385815	53222	1923	20	1	Slopes with incoherent detritic deposits, with prevailing herbaceous cover; morainic substrate with mixed lithology	Typic Dystrudept sandy, mixed, frigid	Mixed morainic deposits, with serpentinites
6	5075524	383102	33224	2390	50	1	Areas with limited slope, with morainic substrate, mixed lithology, herbaceous cover	Typic Cryorthent sandy, mixed	Mixed deposits
7	5075064	383435	51212	2235	15	3	Areas with limited slope, with prevailing coniferous cover, morainic substrate with mixed lithology and rock outcrops	Typic Cryopsamment, mixed	Moraine
8	5071662	386287	51112	1838	10	2	Areas with limited slope, with morainic substrate, mixed lithology, coniferous vegetation	Typic Cryorthent sandy, mixed	Mixed orainic deposits with serpentinites
9	5070270	382310	51123	1560	15	2	Areas with intermediate slope, with alluvial fans and colluvium, morainic substrate with mixed lithology, prevailing coniferous cover	Typic Udipsamment, mixed (calcareous), mesic	Mixed deposits with serpentinites
10	5068954	382853	51112	1260	40	2	Areas with limited slope, with morainic substrate, mixed lithology, coniferous vegetation	Typic Ustipsamment, mixed (calcareous), mesic	Morainic deposits on calcschist
11	5072228	384870	31234	2220	65	2	Areas with considerable slopes, with mixed lithology, often with landslides, with prevailing coniferous cover	Typic Cryopsamment, mixed (calcareous)	Gravitative deposits on calcschist
12	5070390	386307	52112	1435	25	1	Areas with limited slope, developing on moraine with mixed lithology, prevalence of broadleaves cover	Typic Udorthent sandy, mixed (calcareous), mesic	Glacial deposits with prevalence of gravel
13	5071763	382632	31124	1350	65	4	Areas with considerable slopes, with mixed lithology,	Typic Udorthent sandy,	Gravitative deposits on

							often with landslides, with prevailing coniferous cover	mixed, mesic	calcschist
14	5076801	383642	63224	2358	65	1	Areas with considerable slopes, with detritic fans and abundant rock outcrops; mixed lithology; prevailing herbaceous cover	Typic Cryopsamment, mixed	Glacial deposits
15	5077188	385710	53214	2300	60	1	Slopes with alluvial fans and detritic deposits, and rock outcrops; herbaceous cover; morainic substrate with mixed lithology	Typic Cryopsamment, mixed	Mixed morainic deposits
16	5069342	382515	32124	1450	65	5	High slopes on alluvial fans or detritus, with sporadic presence of active landslides, mixed lithology, prevailing broadleaves cover	Typic Udipsamment, mixed (calcareous), mesic	Gravitational deposits, calcschists
17	5067584	385073	53112	670	25	4	Areas with limited slope, with colluvial deposits and unstable incoherent deposits, morainic substrate with mixed lithology	Typic Xeropsamment, mixed (calcareous), mesic	Morainic deposits, calcareous
18	5065478	377795	55034	884	16	4	Slopes interested by incipient or quiescent mass movements, active taluses, presence of mud flows, debris flow and fractured rock outcrops, diffused landslides. Prevalence of mixed coniferous and broadleaves forest.	Typic Xeropsamments, mixed, mesic	Mixed deposits with micaschists
19	5065947	377216	32032	708	45	4	Aluvial fans affected by the year 2000 flood, presence of quarries; presence of areas affected by debris flows and ex-agricultural terraced slopes; Heterogeneous	Typic Xeropsamment, mixed, mesic	Mixed colluvium

vegetation cover, with prevalence of deciduous species

20	5065717	380920	35033	925	43	4	Slope sectors with abundance of boulders and fractured	Typic Xe	erorthent sar	idy, Colluvi	um, preva	llence	of
							outcrops; area affected by both quiescent and active	mixed, me	esic	schists			
							mass movements the latter on clear cut corridors);						
							taluses with bare soil; frequent debris flow episodes						
							and flooding; mixed forest cover						
21	5065494	380228	35033	687	37	4	Slope sectors with abundance of boulders and fractured	Туріс	Xeropsamm	ent, Colluvi	um, preva	llence	of
							outcrops; area affected by both quiescent and active	mixed, me	sic	schists			
							mass movements the latter on clear cut corridors);						
							taluses with bare soil; frequent debris flow episodes						
							and flooding; mixed forest cover						
22	5064683	382394	35033	981	47	6	Slope sectors with abundance of boulders and fractured	Туріс	Xeropsamm	ent, Gravita	tive deposits		
							outcrops; area affected by both quiescent and active	mixed, me	esic				
							mass movements the latter on clear cut corridors);						
							taluses with bare soil; frequent debris flow episodes						
							and flooding; mixed forest cover						
23	5065870	381801	55032	828	22	6	Areas with limited slope; presence of active alluvial	Туріс	Xeropsamm	ent, Morain	c deposits,	prevaler	nce
							fans, subject to debris flow phenomena. Prevalence of	mixed, me	esic	of pras	inites and scl	hists	
							mixed forest (broadleaves and conifers)						
24	5066400	383807	34031	623	21	5a	Alluvial plain affected by the year 2000 fleed	Tunio	Xeropsamm	ent, Mixed	arovitativa	depos	site
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25	5063873	383763	55023	990	30	6	Sectors with high slope, with active alluvial fans or	Typic Xeropsamment,	Mixed morainic deposits
							taluses; presence of debris flow phenomena;	mixed, mesic	
							prevalence of mixed forest		
26	5065230	384353	55034	959	50	2	Slopes affected by incipient or quiescent mass	Typic Xeropsamment,	Morainic deposits, prevalence
20	5005250	304333	55054	909	50	۷	movements, active taluses, presence of mud flows,	mixed, mesic	of calcschists
								mixed, mesic	
							debris flow and fractured rock outcrops, diffused		
							landslides. Prevalence of mixed coniferous and		
							broadleaves forest.		
27	5066174	387705	55032	630	32	6	Slopes affected by active mass movements, active	Typic Xeropsamment,	Mixed morainic deposits
							taluses, presence of mud flows, debris flow and	mixed, mesic	
							fractured rock outcrops, diffused landslides. Prevalence		
							of mixed coniferous and broadleaves forest.		
28	5065809	390277	55034	650	50	5	Slopes affected by incipient or quiescent mass	Typic Haploxerept sandy,	Morainic deposits, prevalence
							movements, active taluses, presence of mud flows,	mixed, mesic	of calcschists
							debris flow and fractured rock outcrops, diffused		
							landslides. Prevalence of mixed coniferous and		
							broadleaves forest.		
29	5066248	390277	25034	930	40	7	Slope sectors partially affected by fans and colluviums;	Typic Haploxerept sandy.	Colluvium, prevalence of
-					-		active landslides and clear-cut areas; mixed forest,	mixed, mesic	calcschists
							where present		
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30	5066138	389387	55034	880	40	6	Slopes affected by incipient or quiescent mass	Typic Xerorthent sandy,	Mixed morainic deposits,
							movements, active taluses, presence of mud flows,	mixed, mesic	abundance of ophiolites

debris flow and fractured rock outcrops, diffused landslides. Prevalence of mixed coniferous and

broadleaves forest.

31 5065855 387630 25034 950 55 6 Slope sectors partially affected by fans and colluviums; Typic Haploxerept coarse- Mixed morainic deposits active landslides and clear-cut areas; mixed forest, loamy, mixed, mesic where present

32 5066124 5066124 14031 520 4 2 Flat areas periodically subject to flooding; high settling Typic Xerorthent coarse- Mixed alluvial deposits density; presence of quarry deposits loamy, mixed, mesic

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5082991 380453 53224 2018 40 1a Slopes on the right valley side, with considerable Typic Cryorthent, sandy- Mixed morainic deposits slopes, with mixed glacial deposits and high presence skeletal, mixed

of surface skeleton, with herbaceous cover

38	5086103	386055	46234	1914	25	1a	Areas with limited slopes, on acid rock substrate, with	Typic	Cryorthent	sandy-	Gneiss and micaschists
							conifer vegetation interrupted by avalanche corridors	skeleta	l, mixed		
39	5086376	385738	43234	1998	15	1	Pastures with medium to high slope, South-facing, with mixed detritic substrate and presence of rock outcrops.	Typic mixed,	Cryorthent non acid	sandy,	Mixed morainic deposits
40	5081192	378163	41134	1495	50	7	North-facing sloping areas, with gneiss and micaschist	Туріс	Udorthent,	sandy-	Micaschist and gneiss
							substrate, coniferous cover	skeleta	l, mixed, mes	ic	
41	5076284	371645	34122	1005	35	4	Footslopes with colluvial material, mmedium slope, agricultural with high anthropogenic influence	Typic mixed,	Udorthent, non acid,	sandy,	Mixed morainic deposits