

SOILS LEGEND				
SOIL NAME SLOPE CLASS	DEPTHS	ESTIMATED ABSORPTION RATE (MPI)	DEPTH TO RESTRICTING LAYERS (INCHES)	SOIL IMPROVEMENT PRACTICES/ NOTES/ PERC STATUS
Etowah, 0-15%	0-48"	45 MPI	>48"	Etowah soils are a product of deep alluvial deposits washed from landscapes located higher in the watershed and dominated by limestone residual soils. Surface water protection is required here to prevent over-saturation during wet periods of the year due to position in the landscape. The unit is considered karst, percable.
Decatur, 6-15%	0-48"	45 MPI	>48"	Decatur soils have formed in deeply weathered residuum from high-grade limestone. Dark red, well sturctured kaolinitic clays are more than 60 inches to limestone bedrock. Occasional pinnacle rock may occur at more shallow depths, however. A few fragments of water worked shale were noticed in the unit. Fieldlines should be installed when conditions are as dry as possible to prevent trench wall glazing. This map unit is karst, percable.
Decatur, 0-15%	0-24" 24-48*	45 MPI 60 MPI	>48"	Decatur soils have formed in deeply weathered residuum from high-grade limestone. Dark red, well sturctured kaolinitic clays are more than 60 inches to limestone bedrock. The unit mapped here has a higher incidence of clay than is typical for the soil series and has subsequently been assigned a higher mpi rating below 24 inches. Occasional pinnacle rock may occur at more shallow depths, however. Fieldlines should be installed when conditions are as dry as possible to prevent trench wall glazing. This map unit is karst, percable.
Decatur, 0-6%, 0-15%	0-48"	60 MPI	>48"	Decatur soils have formed in deeply weathered residuum from high-grade limestone. Dark red, well sturctured kaolinitic clays are more than 60 inches to limestone bedrock. Occasional pinnacle rock may occur at more shallow depths, however. Fieldlines should be installed when conditions are as dry as possible to prevent trench wall glazing. This map unit is karst, percable.
Decatur, 0-15%	0-36" 36-48°	60 MPI >75 MPI	36" TO DENSE, POORLY STRUCTURED CLAYS	Decatur soils have formed in deeply weathered residuum from high-grade limestone. Dark red, well sturctured kaolinitic clays are more than 60 inches to limestone bedrock. Occasional pinnacle rock may occur at more shallow depths, however. The unit mapped here has a higher incidence of clay than is typical for the soil series and has subsequently been assigned a higher mpi rating below 36 inches. Fieldlines should be installed when conditions are as dry as possible to prevent trench wall glazing. This map unit is karst, percable.

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Map Legend

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lot corner ⋄ control flag ὧ A1 drain (25' setbacks) — · · — · · — · · drain (15' setbacks) _____ gully (15' setbacks) --cut bank -///////////////
drive -----rock outcrop Vv doline bottom culvert fence perc hole 🖕 iron pin found ipf power pole ø