

Chronic Geologic Hazard Map of the Newport Area,  
Coastal Lincoln County, Oregon

EXPLANATION OF MAP UNITS

Mass Movement Hazards

Phls  
Phb  
Phr  
PAbs  
PAb  
Als  
Ab

Shoreline Geology

Fill  
Qal  
S  
S + Qal  
Qc  
Qmt  
Tmcd  
Tmwc  
Tmbd  
Tma  
Tmn  
Toym  
Toys  
Tech  
Ten  
Tib

MAP SYMBOLS

Contact - Approximately located contact between formations or areas of differing type or age of mass movement

Contact between areas of mass movement and other areas - Approximately located. Outlines a general area of mass movement of one or several ages and types

Zone of particularly active landslides and slide blocks - Area vulnerable to episodic loss of large amounts (>40 feet) of headwall in back of landslides or slide blocks

Fault zones - Arrow showing dip; bar and ball on downthrown side; dashed where approximate; dotted where concealed; diamond-headed arrow showing rake; vertical offset of marine terrace in feet in parentheses

Boundary of slide block within larger slide block - Approximately located; bar and square on downthrown side

Rock fall hazard - Areas of major rock fall hazard at high-use beaches

Rock unit label within a prehistoric slide block or slump - Parentheses differentiate formation labels within a prehistoric slide block from the mass movement label Phb

Rock unit label for unit making up less than 3 ft of the sea cliff - Brackets are utilized to indicate that the rock unit has little control on sea cliff erosion

Uncertainty - Question mark used to indicate uncertainty about a mass movement label because the area was examined only by aerial photo analysis or had ambiguous field information

Erosion rate transects - Points where shoreline erosion rates were examined for entry into the database of Open-File Report O-94-11; spacing on straight shorelines is about 150 feet; every tenth is labeled for reference to the database

Generalized erosion rates - Feet per year of erosion (negative sign = erosion); mean is in parentheses; range separated by a small arrow; applicable to the shoreline segment marked by the arrows perpendicular to the shoreline

Shoreline protection structures - Sea walls or riprap

Strike and dip of bedding

\* Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries Open-File Report O-94-11 should be utilized with this map to provide detailed information on the hazard mapping techniques and appropriate use of the information. Data fields summarizing erosion rates, geologic data, and mass movement hazards at each transect are listed in a digital database included with Open-File Report O-94-11

Erosion rates estimated from data in Open-File Report O-94-11

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