

Erosion Processes and Hazards on the Oregon Coast

I. Introduction

II. Geologic Overview

A. Tectonic Setting

1. Convergent Zone of plates
2. Formation of Coast Range
3. El Niño

III. Geologic History

A. Sea Levels

1. Rising

B. Former El Niños

2. '82-'83 El Niño

C. Tsunamis and Floods

1. Flood Factors

Good START
outline

IV. Forms of Erosion

A. Storms

B. Beach Type

C. Wind Factor

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V. Hazards of Erosion

A. Rockfall

B. Property Damage

VI. Summary and Conclusion

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Outline for Term Paper

Oregon Plan for Salmon Restoration

I. Introduction

- A. What is river restoration?
- B. The importance of river restoration for Coho salmon
- C. What happened to cause the need for restoration
- D. The locations projects were started to help the Coho salmon

II. Geologic Overview

- A. Graph showing the increase in salmon from 1992-2006
- B. East Hubug Creek, Clatsop County
- C. The importance of Marsh flies
- D. Green River and Crab Creek, Lane County
- E. Knowles Creek, Lane County
- F. Willach Creek, Coos County
- G. History of Coho salmon habitats

REGIONAL GEOLOGY

FOCUS TO ONE AREA

III. Influence of salmon restoration on landuse

- A. The oceans effect on salmon
- B. Limiting factors
- C. Activities to help salmon

SALMONID HABITATS & LANDUSE

IV. Summary and conclusion

- A. What we can do to help
- B. Restoration plans for the future

V. References Cited

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ES 202 Preliminary Outline

March 1st 2012

Soils of Willamette Valley



I. Introduction - overview of importance of SWV

II. ~~Geology~~ Physiographic Setting
 - Plate Tectonics
 - Bonneville Basin / History

III. Regional Soils
 - Land Use
 - MATTER

IV. Conclusion

V. References

Introduction:

- A. Uniqueness of the Willamette Valley
- B. Why the soils geology of Willamette Valley makes it a great place to live
- C. Importance of understanding the past of the soil composition and make-up to

History of soil/ geomorphology:

- A. Why Willamette Valley looks the way it does today, processes that created it
- B. Composition of soils directly related to those processes/ parent material
- C. Timespan and full morphology of soils in the Willamette Valley

Soil Composition:

- A. Minerals
- B. Texture
- C. Profile, formation, and organic matter
- D. Living organisms
- E. Climate

Christopher Defeyter

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Term Paper Outline: flood hazards of the Willamette valley.

I

Introduction:

1. Brief History of Willamette valley floods
 - a. 1964
 - b. 1996
2. Why we care... cause we live here!

Main Body:

Definition of flood: "an event during which the volume of water in a stream becomes so great that it covers areas outside the streams normal channel" Text g8.

1. Causes of flooding in the Willamette valley
 - a. Snow melt
 - i. Spring thaw
 - b. Rain fall (Oregon "rainy" season)
 - c. dams
2. Willamette valley flood plains
 - a. Willamette river flood plain
 - i. Floods of 1861 and 1890.

http://www.fsl.orst.edu/pnwerc/wrb/Atlas_web_compressed/3.Water_Resources/3e.flood&fema_web.pdf

I. INTRODUCTION
STATEMENT OF
PROBLEM

II. ~~Geographic~~ GEOGRAPHIC SETTING
A. Geography
B. CLIMATE &
LAND USE

III. FLOOD PROCESSES -
ORIGIN/CAUSE

IV. HAZARD MITIGATION

V. CONCLUSION

VI. REFERENCES
OTHER

Kalei Haake

February 26, 2013

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Term Paper Outline

CASUAL
ON OREGON
COAST
EROSION
PROCESSES

Introduction

Erosion:

Human Factors- Buildings

- Homes
- Residential areas near the coast

Natural Factors- Weathering

- Chemical and Physical
- Wind
- Rain

Hazards:

Storms- coast

- Beach
- dunes
- landslides
- Gradual and cumulative

Threats- Human Properties

- Human Lives

**Summary and Conclusion
Works Cited**

I. INTRODUCTION

II. GEOLOGIC

A. TECTONICS B. STRATIGRAPHY
C. CLIMATE

III. COASTAL PROCESSES

- WAVE ENERGY
- STORMS

IV. HAZARDS
MITIGATION

V. CONCLUSION

VI. REFERENCES
CITED

North-central Oregon High Desert Geologic Setting

Introduction: North Central High Desert Primarily consists of four formations: First the Miocene and younger volcanic and sedimentary rocks. The second formation group is the John Day Formation, of the late Eocene – early Miocene Period. The third group is the Clarno Formation of the Eocene period. And Finally the Mesozoic and Paleozoic rocks.

Geographic Location: ~43.75° - 46° Latitude, ~122° - 118° Longitude. This Region of Oregon is ~ 4000 ft elevation and on the leeward side of the Cascade Range rain shadow, resulting in a high desert.

Tectonic Setting: Oregon is on the Subduction Zone Where the Juan de Fuca Plate is being subducted under the North American Plate. Resulting in High volcanic Activity in the North – Central High Desert region of Oregon.

Basement Rocks: Highly deformed metasediments of Permian to Triassic age. In some areas of the region basement rock is overlain by a thick layer of Cretaceous marine rock, such as in Mitchell area of central Oregon.

Clarno Formation: Non-marine volcanic and volcanoclastic units that range in age from middle to late Eocene 54 – 39 m.y. ago.

John Day Formation: Complex formation consists of rhyolitic ashflow tuff and dacite to rhyolitic tuffs as well as alluvial deposits of the latest Eocene, Oligocene, and Early Miocene periods, ~ 22 – 39m.y. ago

Influences and Geology on Landuse: Today these formations are cut by rivers, which are heavily used for river rafting, fishing, and other water recreational uses. Hiking, private ownership, and Native Reservations are all modern day land uses for this entire region

Summary and Conclusions:

References Cited:

National Park Service: http://www.nps.gov/joda/clarno_unit.htm

Wikipedia: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/John_Day_Fossil_Beds_National_Monument

SEE TEMPLETON TEN PAPERS

- HE HAS A COLLECTION OF PUBLISHED WORK
- I. Introduction
 - II. Geologic Setting
 - A. Physiography
 - B. Regional Geology
 - C. TECTONICS
 - III. Synatigraphy & Geologic History
 - IV. Conclusion
 - V. Refs. Cited

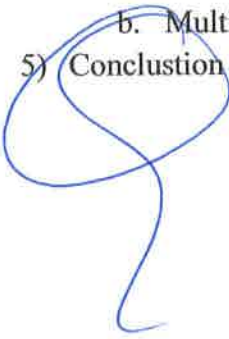
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Missoula Flood Story

- 1) Introduction
 - a. Brief explanation
- 2) What happen
 - a. Ice dam melts
- 3) Where it happen/ Evidence
 - a. Pacific Northwest
 - b. Moved rocks, cut out canyons, Missoula lake
- 4) Flood hypothesis/Bertz
 - a. Single flood
 - b. Multiple flood
- 5) Conclusion



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EMAIL ME - MANY PAPERS AVAILABLE

I. Introductory overview

II. Geologic history of PNW

III. MISSOULA floods
A. Evidence/proof
B. History

IV. Conclusion

V. Ref. cited

Focus on LIQUEFACTION HAZARDS IN WILLAMETTE VALLEY

Thomas Licata

The dangers of seismic activity in the Willamette valley

- briefly describe seismic past over recent years
- list dangers

<http://www.corvallisadvocate.com/2012/1213-corvallis-earthquakes/>

Liquifaction is also something to stay concerned about.

<http://geology.about.com/od/liquefaction/a/liquefaction.htm>

Much like when you put a marble on top of a bucket of sand and shake the bucket the marble goes down, earths surface can work in the same way in areas with sand, silt, etc.

<http://oregonstate.edu/instruct/geo380/study-380.html>

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OUTLINE

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FOR
GUIDE

I. INTRODUCTION

II. REGIONAL GEOLGIC
SETTING

~~A.~~ PLATE TECTONICS

B. EARTHQUAKE
OCCURRENCE

III. LIQUEFACTION
PROCESS

A. FACTORS

IV. ~~HAZARDS~~
MITIGATION

V. CONCLUSION

VI. REFERENCES
CITED

Term Paper Outline: Jacob Matocha

I. Title: Tsunami and Seismic Record of the Oregon Coast: Seismic Activity in the Past

II. Tectonics

- A. Formation of Oregon Coast Range
- B. Volcanic activity overview
- C. Plate boundary off the Oregon Coast

III. Seismic activity

D. Past seismic events

- 1. Location
- 2. Magnitude
- 3. Duration
- 4. Damage inflicted

E. Graphs and Data

F. Predictions for the future

IV. Tsunami activity of the Oregon coast

G. Past Events

- 1. Location
- 2. Size/speed
- 3. Damage

H. Correlation to seismic activity

I. Graphs and Data

V. Detection and Prevention

J. Past and present

K. (Expanded upon in second outline)

VI. Conclusion

VII. Reference Index

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I. INTRODUCTION

II. ^{PLATE} TECTONIC SETTING / OVERVIEW

III. SEISMIC HAZARDS

IV. SEISMIC RECORDS HISTORY

A. TSUNAMI RECORD

- i. LAND BASED
- ii. MARINE

V. IMPLICATIONS FOR

HAZARD MANAGEMENT

VI. CONCLUSION

VII. REF. CITED

Diana Menna
Term Paper Outline
28 February 2013
Geology 202

Landslide Mitigation in Marion County, Oregon

HAZARDS & MITIGATION
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- I. Landslide Hazard in Marion County
 - 1. Three Major areas are subject to landslides
 - 1. Western Salem Hills, North of Santiam River, Southeast of Scotts Mills
 - 2. Moderate to high susceptibility to water and earthquake induced landslides
 - 1. Sedimentary rock near Salem susceptible to large slides
 - 2. Removing vegetation from very steep slopes
- II. Current Landslide Mitigation
 - 1. Oregon Department of Forestry
 - 1. Tracks storms, monitors rain gauges, issues warnings
 - 2. Marion County Landslide Ordinance
 - 1. Natural hazard inventories, thorough site examination inventories, weather induced and earthquake induced landslide maps
 - 3. Landslide Hazard Study
 - 1. Actively involving citizens
 - 4. Oregon State Senate Bill 12
 - 1. Preventing timber harvest from high risk areas
 - 2. Closing roads dangerous to humans because of landslide risk
 - 3. Information distribution of hazards
- III. Future Landslide Mitigation
 - 1. Regulation to reduce risk from potential landslide events
 - 2. Mitigation Plan Goals
 - 1. Education, Public awareness, Preventative

RESOURCES =

University of Oregon: Marion County: Natural Disasters Mitigation Plan
https://scholarsbank.uoregon.edu/xmlui/bitstream/handle/1794/4006/Marion_County_Hazard_Mitigation_Plan.pdf?sequence=1

USGS: Landslide Hazards Program: Oregon
<http://landslides.usgs.gov/regional/inventory/oregon/>

Landslide Hazard Planning: Incorporating Scientific Analyses into Public Policy
by Peter Gutowsky, AICP, and Les Sasaki
<http://blog.oregonlive.com/pdxgreen/2008/01/Practicing%20Planner.pdf>

I. INTRODUCTION
OVERVIEW
II. GEOLOGIC SETTING
A. TECTONICS
B. BEDROCK
C. LANDSLIDE
III. LANDSLIDE CAUSES
IV. LANDSLIDE MITIGATION
V. CONCLUSION
VI. REFERENCES
CITED

Soils Geology in the Mid-Willamette Valley

- I. Introduction
 - A. Background information about the Willamette Valley
- II. Geologic Overview of the Area
 - A. Formation
 - a. Floods (Missoula)
 - b. Tectonics
 - B. Climate
 - a. Effect on soil formation
 - C. Land use
 - a. Agricultural
 - b. Forestry
- III. Summary & Conclusion
- IV. References
 - A. "TECTONIC SETTING OF THE WILLAMETTE VALLEY"
https://gsa.confex.com/gsa/2002CD/finalprogram/abstract_34175.htm
 - B. www.fs.fed.us/land/pubs/ecoregions/ch24.html
 - C. <https://www.soils.org/publications/sssaj/pdfs/34/3/SS0340030485>
 - D. http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Willamette_Valley

The Tsunami Hazards Associated with the Central Oregon Coast

I. Intro *Introduction*

- A. What's a tsunami
- B. Whys it bad
- C. Why is the Oregon Coast at risk

II. *REGIONAL GEOLOGY* ~~Geology~~ *REGIONAL GEOLOGY*

Geology that plays into the threat

- A. Juan De Fuca Plate of the coast is due for major seismic activity would could set off and earth quake and potentially a Tsunami
- B. We live along the Ring of fire, one of the most active fault areas in the world, making the threat of any seismic action very real.
- C. Fault boundaries and what causes these killer waves

Why Tsunamis could be so dangerous to the central Oregon Coast

- A. The Geography of the central Oregon Coast traps people between hills and seas, thus making large scale evacuation very difficult
- B. Coastal Communities are tourist hubs, if a Tsunami were to hit during the wrong season the loss of life would be very major
- C. Most of the Central Oregon Coast have sandy beaches, not cliffs that would help absorb some of the energy from the Tsunami

What can be done to limit the devastating impacts of these silent killers?

- A. Increase statewide awareness of the dangers of Tsunamis in order to help save tourists that visit the coast.
- B. Improve the road ways between the valley and the coast
- C. Improve signage of Tsunami save zones
- D. Create community leaders to head up information sessions for residents

V. Conclusion

VI. *REFERENCES* *CITED*

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Geology Text Book

<http://www.lincolncountysheriff.net/emergency/earthquake-tsunami.html>

http://www.oregon.gov/OMD/OEM/Pages/plans_train/tsunami_in_or.aspx

<http://www.oregongeology.org/tsuclearinghouse/faq-tsunami.htm>

<http://www.tsunami.noaa.gov/>

<http://www.bt.cdc.gov/disasters/tsunamis/>

III. TSUNAMI PROCESSES & HAZARDS

IV. EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

A. TECTONICS

B. BEACH COASTING

Groundwater issues in the Pacific Northwest

Research in the PNW
a UMATUA Basin

NARROW RIVERS
DAMP.

OR "WILLAMETTE VALLEY"

- I. Introduction** *Statement of Problem*
- Climate of the PNW
 - Geography of the PNW
 - Where does groundwater need to be

II. Physiographic Setting
LOCAL GEOLOGY
TERRAIN
CLIMATE

- III. Groundwater in the PNW** *economic activities*
- Where does the groundwater come from *RECHARGE LEVELS*
 - How is groundwater obtained
 - Groundwater management and public risks
 - Problems with obtaining and managing groundwater

IV. Groundwater Management

- V. Conclusions**
- Future of groundwater resources
 - Changing climate
 - What are we doing about our groundwater problems

VI. REFERENCES CITED

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focus topic to portion of creation

Glacial History of Oregon

Vicki Berquist

Focus on Mt Hood



Introduction

1. Brief description of the formation of the Cascades
2. Basics of glaciers

① INTRODUCTION - overview of paper

② GEOLOGIC SETTING

Body

1. Historical glacial records of Mt. Hood
2. Present day glaciers
 - a. The rise and fall of glaciers on Mt Hood
 - b. Eliot Glacial Study/ Portland State University
3. The connection between glaciers and rivers
4. Effects of these glaciers on local areas

③ OVERVIEW OF GLACIAL MECHANICS

Summary and Conclusion

References Cited

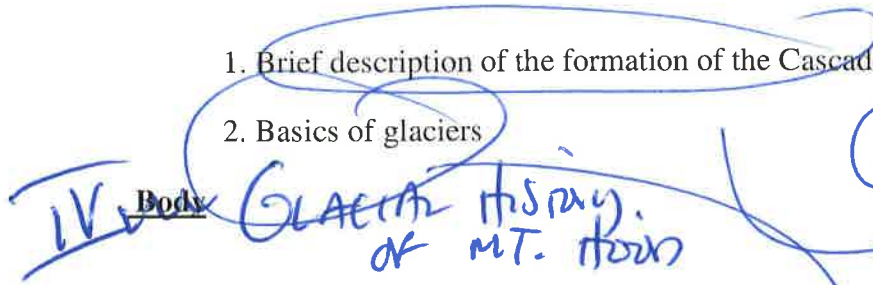
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VI.

TITLE: Geosmic Landsliding IN MOUNTAIN CA. Richard Brown

I. Introduction



Loma Prieta Landslide 1989

III A

Landscape conditions before landslide

Causes

After effects

Alameda County Landslide 1971 III B.

Landscape conditions before landslide

Causes

After effects



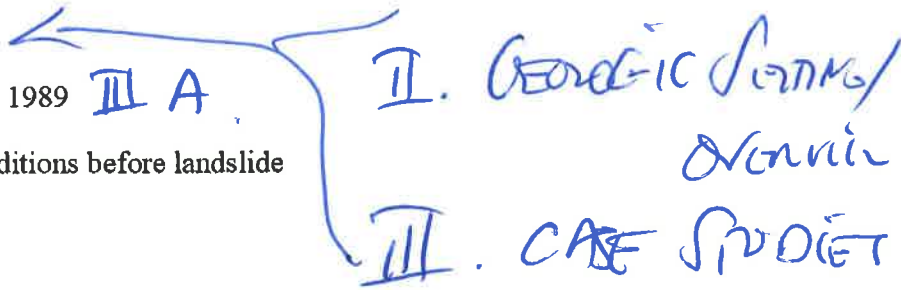
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II. GEODESIC SURVEY/ MONITOR

III. CASE STUDY



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TITLE ✓

Outline

River Restoration

I. INTRODUCTION — Provide overview of problem

II. FLUVIAL PROCESS IN OREGON
Rivers in Oregon
Types of rivers

III. — SALMONID HABITAT
River wildlife
Salmon types

Salmon
Survival needs

IV. CONCLUSION

V. REFERENCES CITED

What are your sources?

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Preliminary Outline
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I. INTRODUCTION/
OVERVIEW

II. GEOLOGIC SETTING
A. ECOSYSTEM & GEOMORPHOLOGY

III. CLIMATE HISTORY
LATE PLEISTOCENE

IV. MT. HOOD/ GLACIAL
HISTORY

V. CONCLUSION

VI. REF.
CITATION

PRELIMINARY OUTLINE

- I. Introduction
- II. Background of Pleistocene era and Oregon Cascades
- III. Snow and ice features of Mt. Hood
- IV. Main glaciers of Mt. Hood
- V. How these glaciers likely formed
- VI. Ways in which Mt. Hood glaciers affect surrounding environment

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Earthquake Hazards in Oregon

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TIRE

Megan Stinson

Outline

ES 202 Final Paper

- I. Introduction
 - A. ~~Liquifaction~~
 - B. ~~Portland~~
 - C. ~~Earthquake Hazards~~
- II. **Liquifaction**
 - A. **Definition**
 - B. **Processes**
 - C. **Dangers**
- III. **Portland**
 - A. **Tectonic processes**
 - B. **History of earthquakes**
 - C. **Architecture**
- IV. **Earthquake Hazards**
 - A. **Hazards in Portland**
 - B. **Other hazards (besides liquifaction)**
- V. **Conclusion**
 - A. **History of earthquakes rehash**
 - B. **Hazards of liquefaction rehash**

Overview

I. INTRODUCTION
STATEMENT OF PROBLEM

II. GEOLOGIC SETTING
PLATE TECTONICS

III. SEISMIC HISTORY

IV. LIQUEFACTION
Processes

V. PORTLAND HAZARDS
& MITIGATION

VI. CONCLUSION

VII. REF CITED

TITLE
 Hwy 20

Term Paper Outline

I. Introduction

II. Geologic Overview

A. Tectonic Setting

- i. Cascadia Subduction Zone
 - 1. Oblique subduction angle
 - 2. 'turning' of southern Oregon
- ii. Accretionary wedge

B. Bedrock Geology

- i. Siletz volcanics
 - 1. Ma
 - 2. Formed sub-aqueous
 - 3. 'Flood' basalts
 - 4. Underlying basement rock of Coast Range and Willamette Valley
- ii. Tye Formation
 - 1. Ma
 - 2. Deltaic sediment
 - 3. Sandstone and shale

iii. Quaternary soils

III. Hwy 20 LANDSCAPE CASE STUDY

A. Landscape history

- i. Turning of Tye formation
- ii. Accretion of materials
- iii. Paleo-landslides
- iv. Land-use
 - 1. Timber Industry
 - 2. Agriculture

B. Construction issues due to landforms

- i. Overview of Hwy 20 project
- ii. Reactivation of ancient slides
 - 1. Failure planes not correctly identified
 - 2. Oversteepening of hillslopes
 - 3. Misidentifying landforms
 - 4. Creep identified from bridge pillars

C. Mitigation techniques

- i. Ground water removal at failure plane

Spencer Trautmann

Professor Taylor

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Outline

Seismic/Earthquake Hazards in PNW

(Still Thinking of an Appropriate Title)

- Why does the PNW have so many earthquakes?
 - On fault line
 - Tectonic plate sliding
 - Different types of plates
- What are the hazards?
 - Steep gradients
 - Soft land
 - Buildings
 - Bad structure/falling
 - Flooding
 - Fire
- How are earthquakes measured?
 - Use seismograph
 - How seismographs work
 - Seismograph readings
 - Magnitudes
 - Recording and comparing data
- Different kinds of earthquakes
 - S waves
 - P waves
 - Where they occur

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I. INTRODUCTION

II. TECTONIC
SETTING

III. SEISMIC
HAZARD

IV. TSUNAMI
PROCESSES &
RECORD

V. HAZARD
MITIGATION

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