

# Rangeland Productivity and Plant Composition

United States

[Only the soils that support rangeland vegetation suitable for grazing are rated. This report shows only the major soils in each map unit]

Map symbol and soil name	Ecological site	Total dry-weight production			Characteristic vegetation	Rangeland composition
		Favorable year	Normal year	Unfavorable year		
		Lb/ac	Lb/ac	Lb/ac		Pct
s1973:						
Strickland	---	2,500	1,900	1,500	Mountain big sagebrush	25
					Whortleleaf snowberry	15
					Geranium	5
					Green rabbitbrush	5
					Groundsel	5
					Lupine	5
					Mountain brome	5
					Quaking aspen	5
					Slender wheatgrass	5
Bluebell	---	4,000	3,000	2,000	Snowbrush ceanothus	70
					Cascade Oregongrape	5
					Mountain brome	5
					Other perennial forbs	5
					Other perennial grasses	5
					Other shrubs	5
Dranyon	---	600	450	300	Other shrubs	20
					Brome	10
					Other perennial forbs	10
					Other perennial grasses	10
					Quaking aspen	10
					Slender wheatgrass	10
					Cinquefoil	5
					Columbia needlegrass	5
					Geranium	5
					Groundsel	5

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Parkay	---	1,800	1,200	800	Idaho fescue	30
					Bluebunch wheatgrass	15
					Mountain big sagebrush	10
					Antelope bitterbrush	5
					Longleaf hawksbeard	5
					Lupine	5
					Other perennial forbs	5
					Other perennial grasses	5
					Other shrubs	5
					Whortleleaf snowberry	5
Wickahoney	---	800	500	300	Idaho fescue	25
					Alkali sagebrush	20
					Bluebunch wheatgrass	10
					Bottlebrush squirreltail	5
					Low sagebrush	5
					Needlegrass	5
					Other perennial forbs	5
					Other perennial grasses	5
					Phlox	5
Blackleg	---	1,500	1,000	700	Bluebunch wheatgrass	30
					Idaho fescue	20
					Mountain big sagebrush	15
					Antelope bitterbrush	10
					Other perennial forbs	5
					Other perennial grasses	5
					Other shrubs	5

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s1973: Wagonbox	---	800	500	300	Idaho fescue	30
					Alkali sagebrush	20
					Bluebunch wheatgrass	10
					Bottlebrush squirreltail	5
					Needlegrass	5
					Other perennial forbs	5
					Other perennial grasses	5
					Other shrubs	5
					Phlox	5