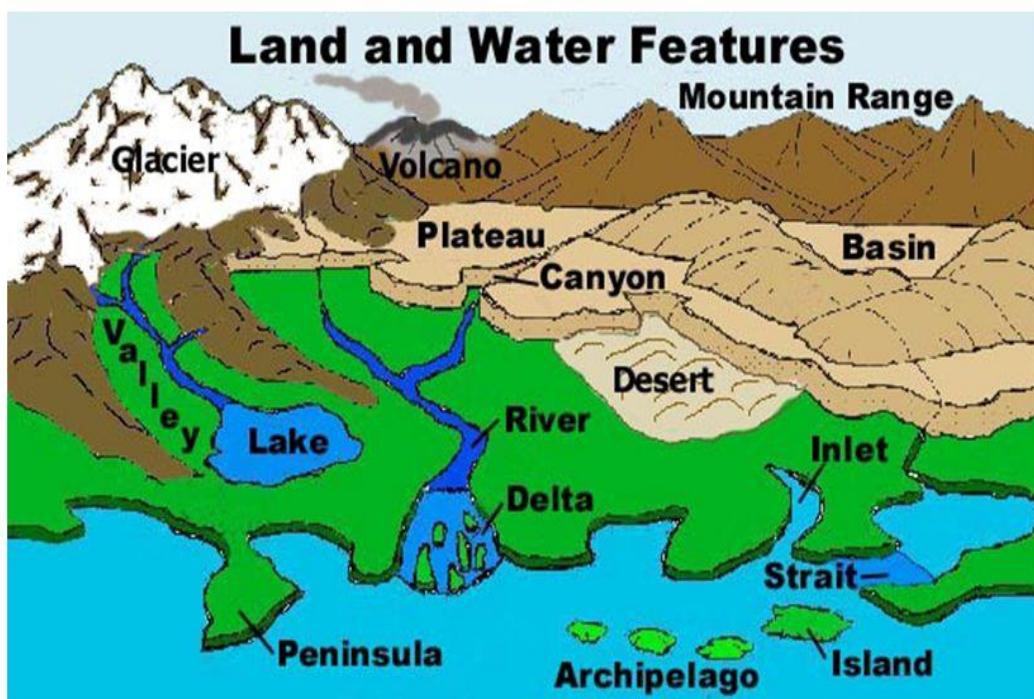


Major types of landforms

(1)

Main Landforms



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Landforms

The surface of Earth is covered with a variety of different types of landforms.



valley



mountains



plain



island



desert



coastline



canyon



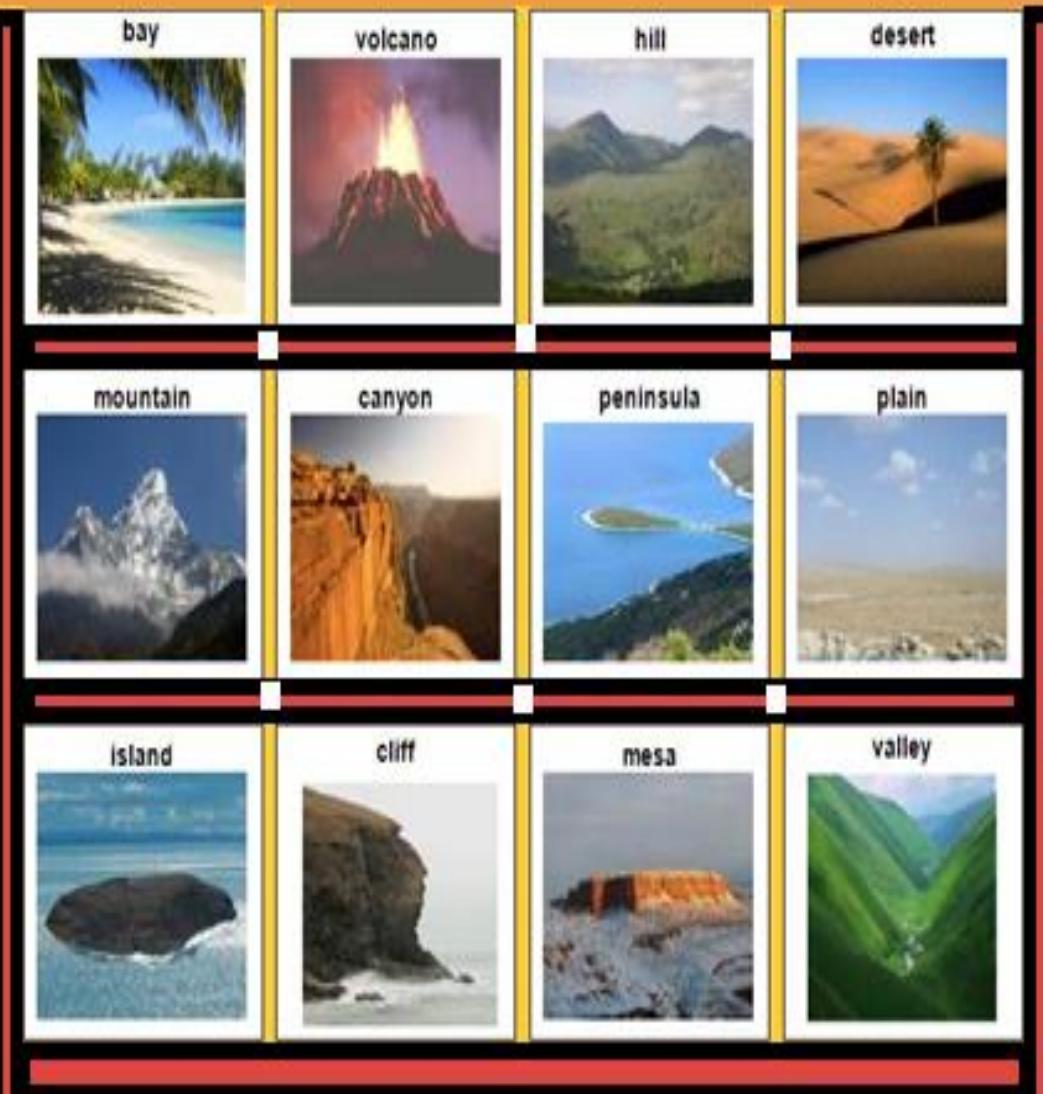
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TYPES OF LANDFORMS



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Types of Landforms

Landforms vary greatly in size and shape-from level plains to high mountain peaks. We will be learning about three main types of land forms: mountains, plains, and plateaus.



PLATEAU

- **Plateaus** are landforms that are found in mountain regions.
- Plateaus often come off of mountains.
- The Great Plains are located on a plateau that comes off the Rocky Mountains.



Great Plains

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Valleys



A valley is a hollow or surface depression of the earth bounded by hills or mountains, a natural trough in the earth's surface, that slopes down to a stream, lake or the ocean, formed by water and/or ice erosion.

Rivers

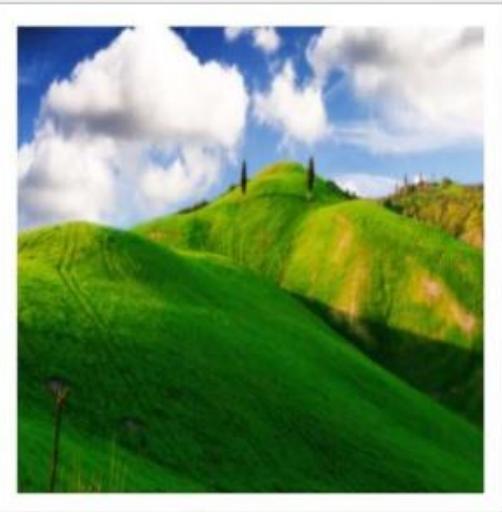


A river is a body of fresh water flowing through a channel to the sea or ocean. Click to view video below



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Hills



Hills are elevations of the earth's surface that have distinct summits, but are lower in elevation than mountains.



Plains

- The three basic types of landforms are plains, plateaus, and mountains.

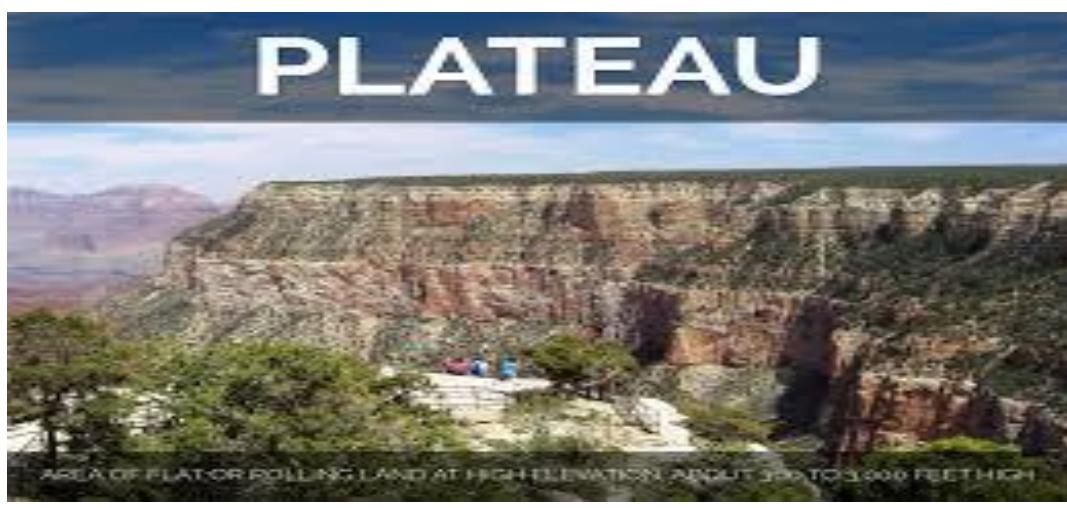


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Plateau landforms





PLATEAU

AREA OF FLAT OR ROLLING LAND AT HIGH ELEVATION, ABOUT 3,000 TO 5,000 FEET HIGH







Clear
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Volcanic Plateau

Plain landforms





Butte Landforms



Butte



Valley landforms



Mountain landforms

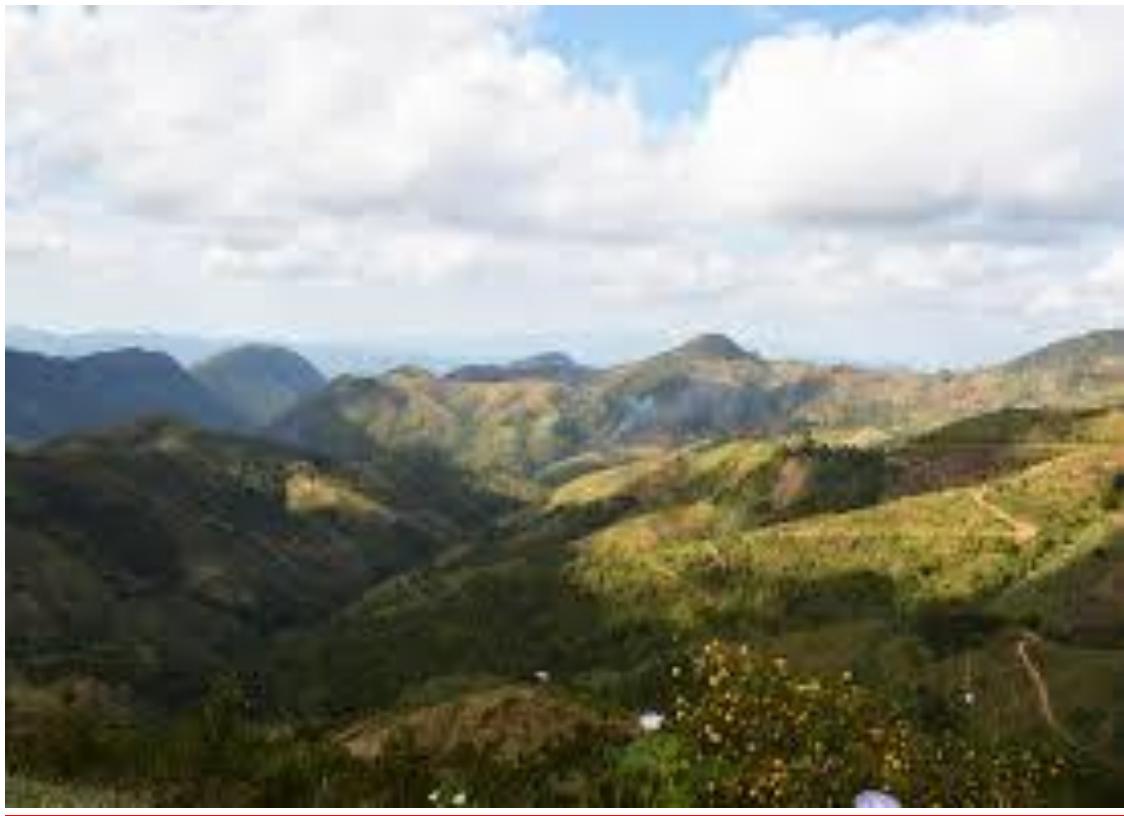
A MOUNTAIN is a High, rocky land, usually with steep sides and a pointed or rounded top, higher than a hill.

Mountain





Hill landforms



Three-dimensional depiction of geomorphic components of mountains.

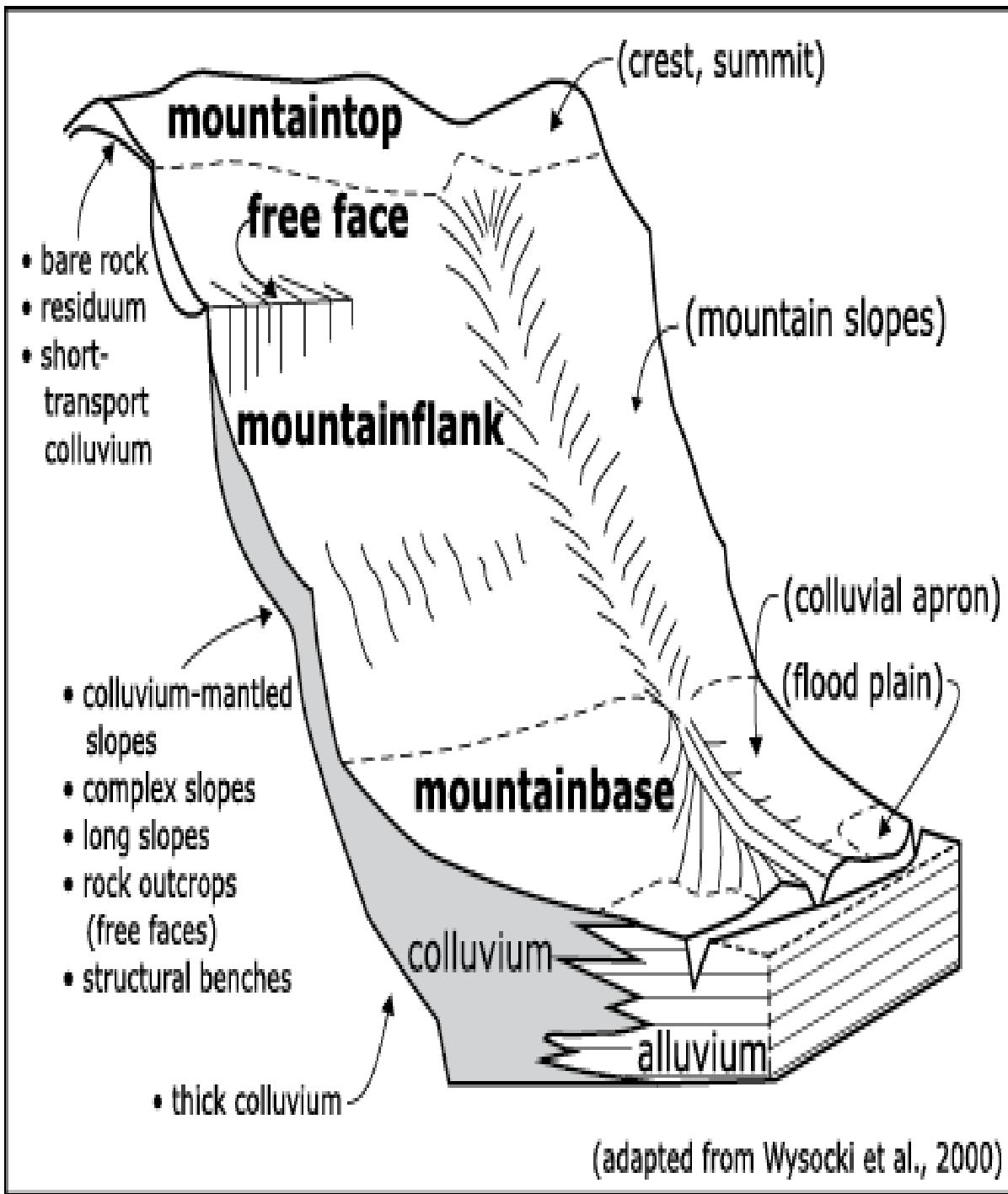


Diagram of the change in surface fragments along a transect of

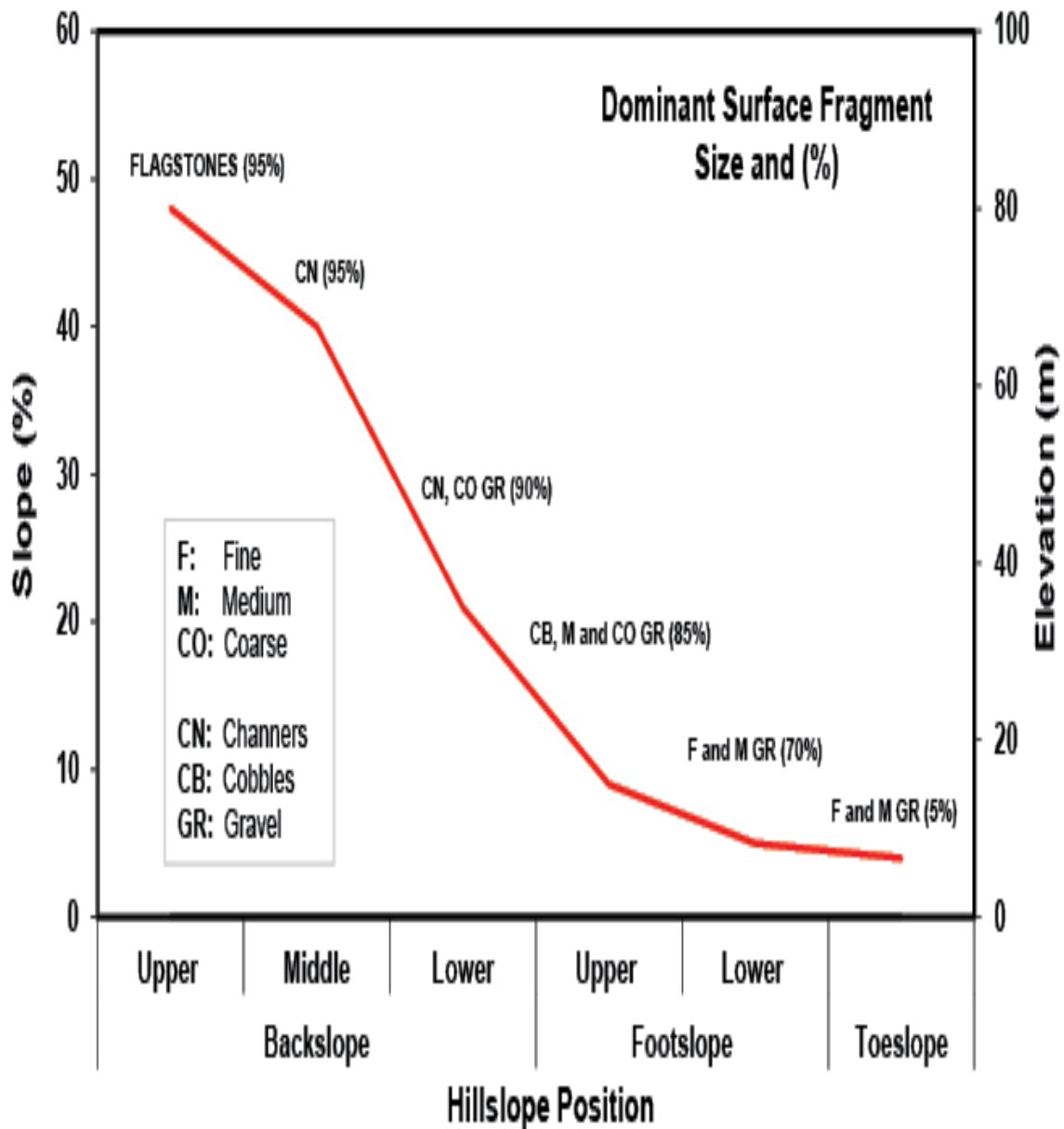
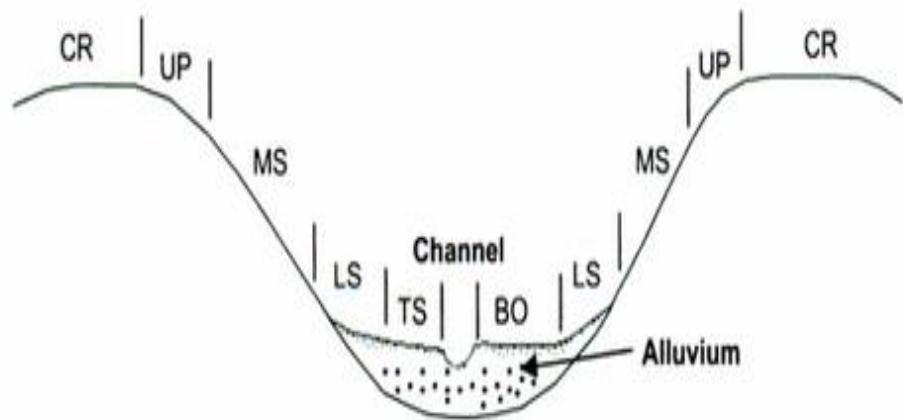
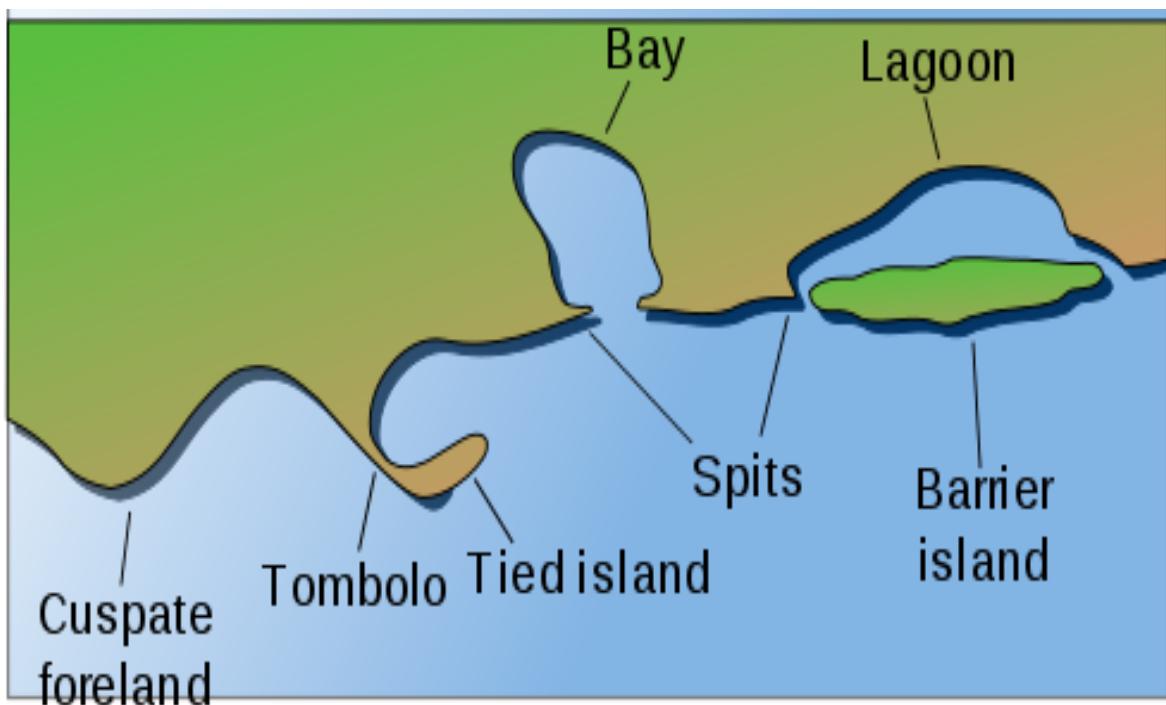


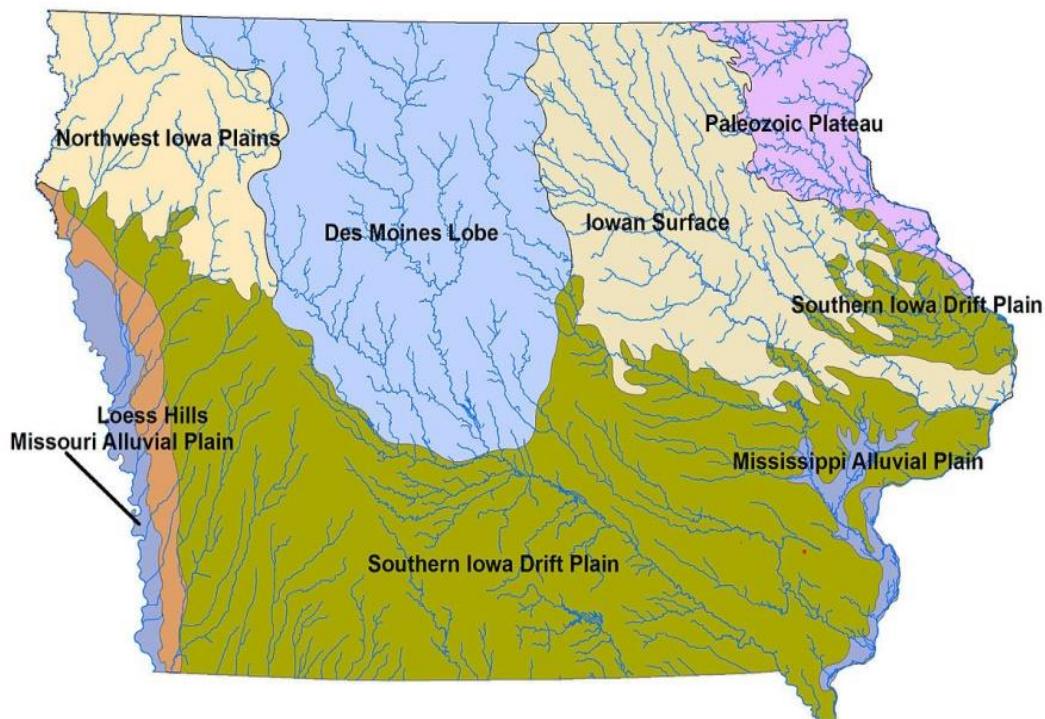
FIGURE 2
Slope positions in undulating and mountainous terrain



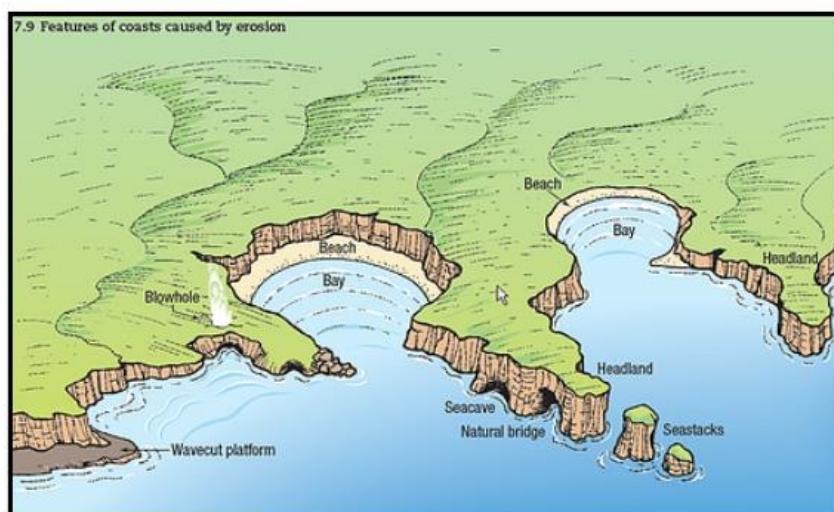
Coastal and oceanic landforms.



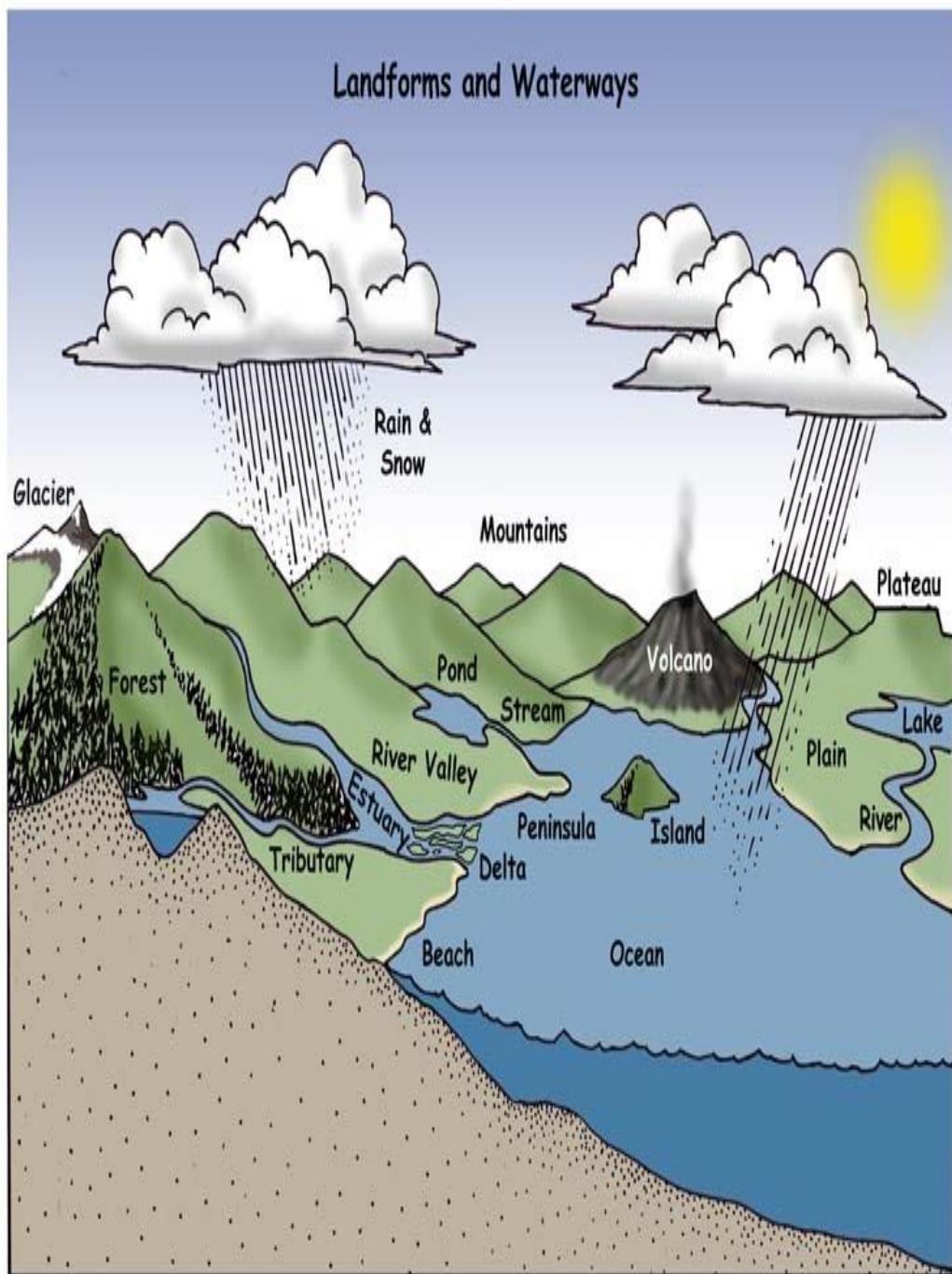
Landform of Iowa



Landforms and Landscapes



List the processes that are occurring on this coastline



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