Soils - Septic Tank Suitability Rating

Suitability Rating
- Not limited
- Slightly limited
- Somewhat limited
- Moderately limited
- Limited
- Very limited
- Not rated

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For all watersheds that cross the Arkansas border, only the Arkansas portion of the watershed was used for mapping and statistical reporting.

Septic suitability ratings are based on the soil properties that affect absorption of septic effluent, construction and maintenance of the septic system, and public health. Ratings are aggregated for each mapping unit based on the dominant soil component. Septic suitability ratings refer only to the soils found in any given geographic location and do not account for other geographic limitations on septic tank placement, such as proximity to streams or local topography. A good suitability rating does not imply or guarantee acceptance or permitting by local health department officials.


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