

# Weathering, Soil, Ice Ages, Glaciers

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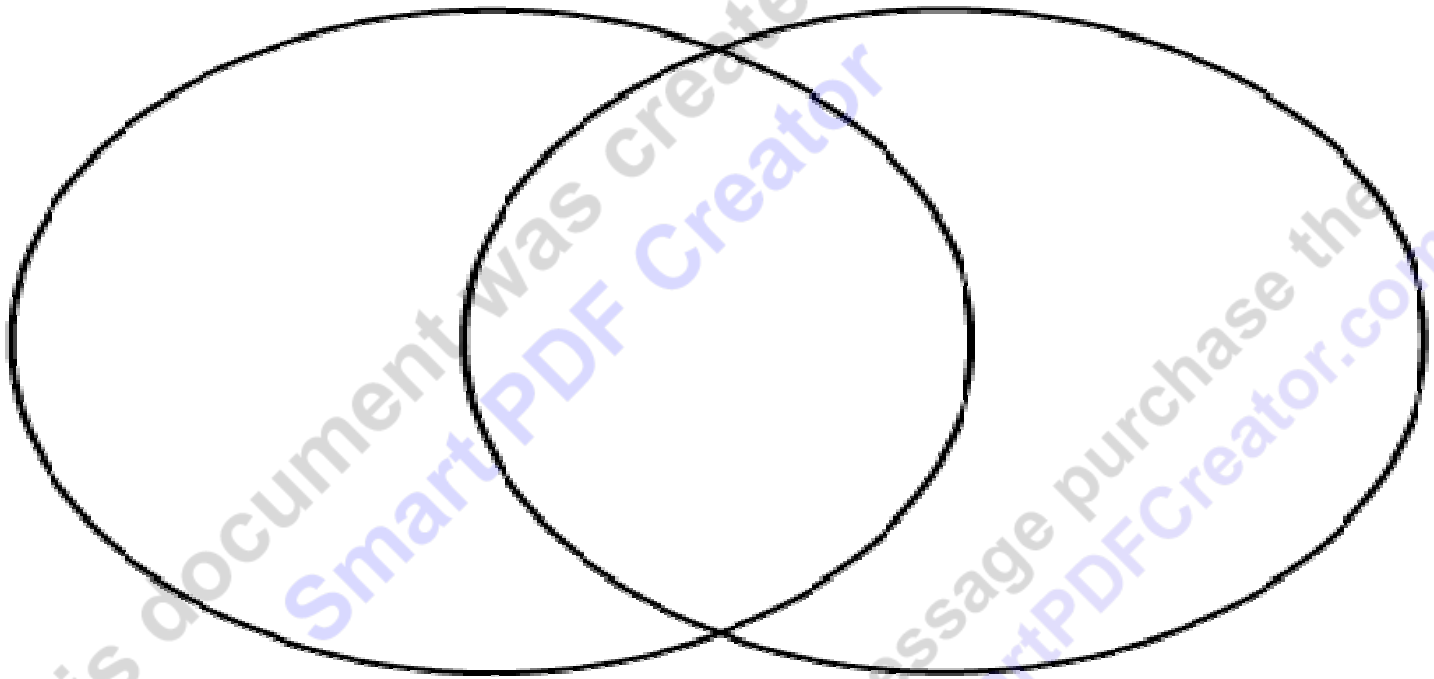
Why should we study soil? What is the importance of this unit? \_\_\_\_\_

What are the similarities and differences between mechanical and chemical weathering.

Mechanical Weathering

Similarities

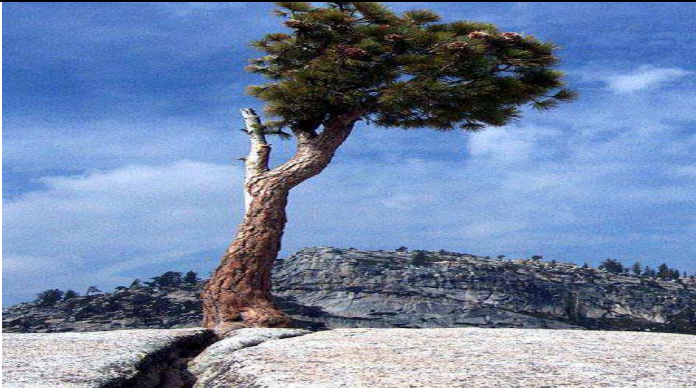
Chemical Weathering



Please describe the type of mechanical weathering represented by the pictures below.



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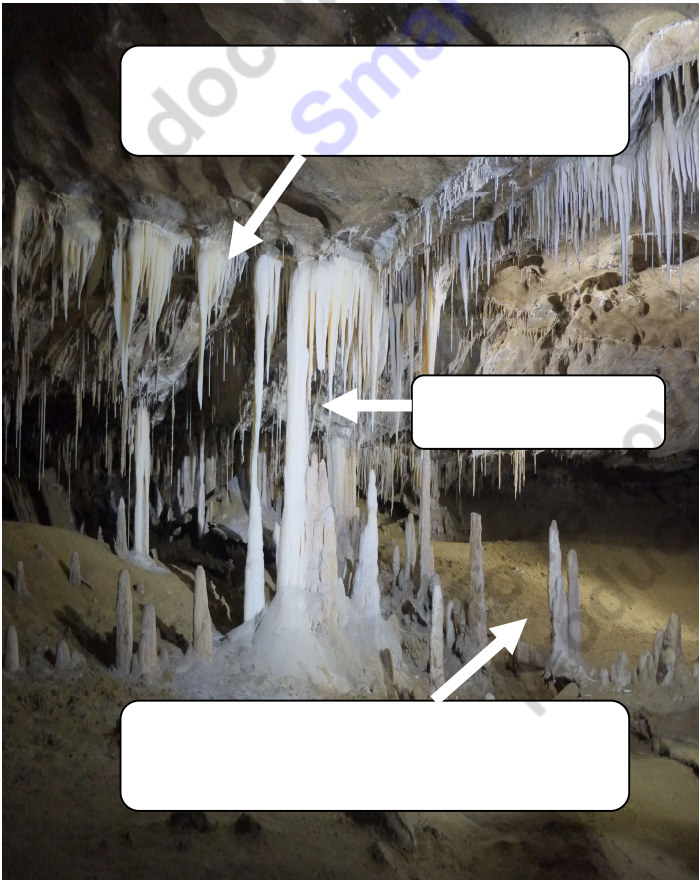


HOT THEN COLD





Describe the picture below. Use illustrations to support text.

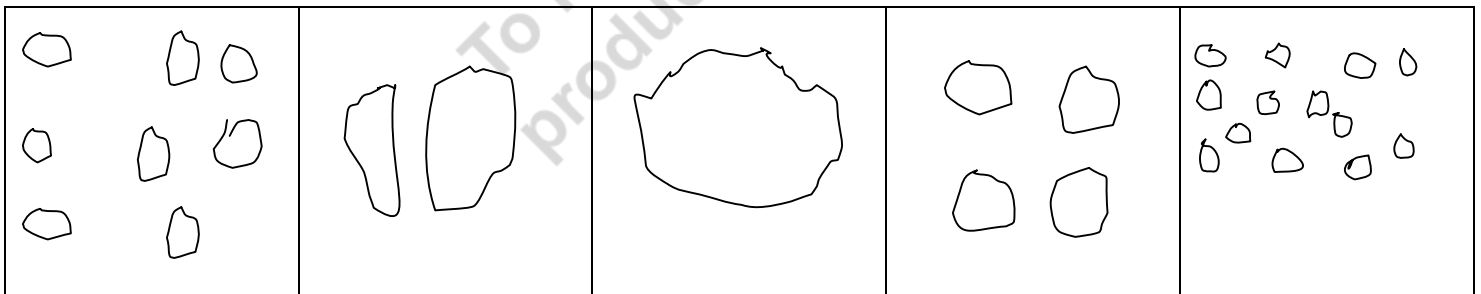


\_Warning! Two part question -Please describe the types of weathering that is occurring on this tombstone, Next, describe the synergism between mechanical and chemical weathering?



Synergy: the interaction or cooperation of two or more organizations, substances, or other agents to produce a combined effect greater than the sum of their separate effects

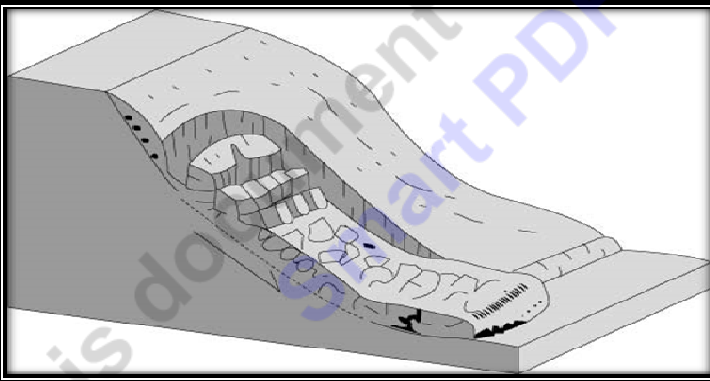
Please label 1-5 the order that the rocks below will weather





Please describe the type of mass movement below. Please provide a sentence about the speed of the movement and water content.

Word Bank: Soil Creep, Mud Flow, Rock Fall, Debris Slump, Debris Slide, Debris Flow



What's the difference between dirt and soil? \_\_\_\_\_

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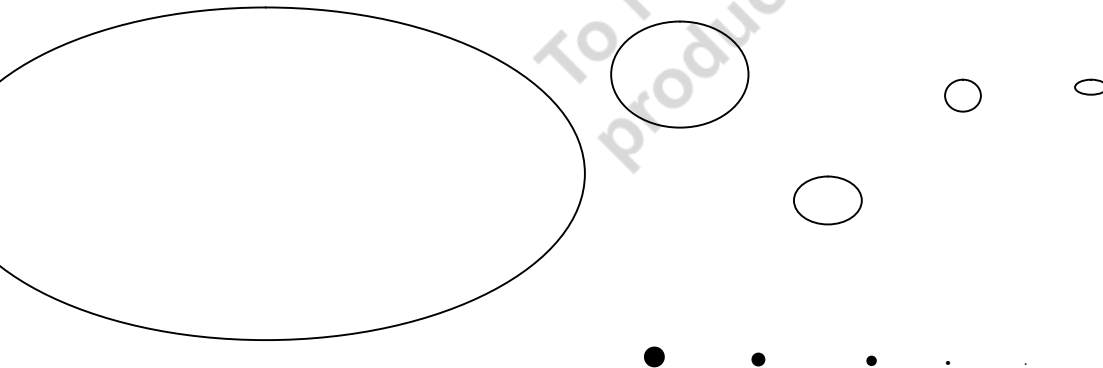
Please color the box below to represent poor soil. Explain why you colored it the way you did?



Please color the box below to represent healthy soil. Explain why you colored it the way you did?



Measure the soil particles below and name them as accurately as possible







Describe the layers in the soil horizon below.



What is erosion, and why is it so important to protect soil? \_\_\_\_\_

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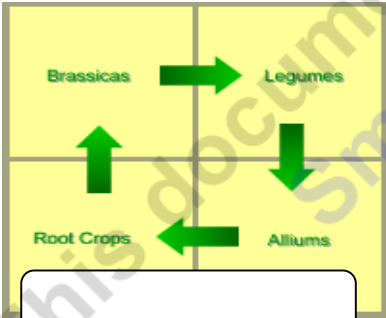






Please name and then **describe** the correct soil conservation method beneath the pictures below.

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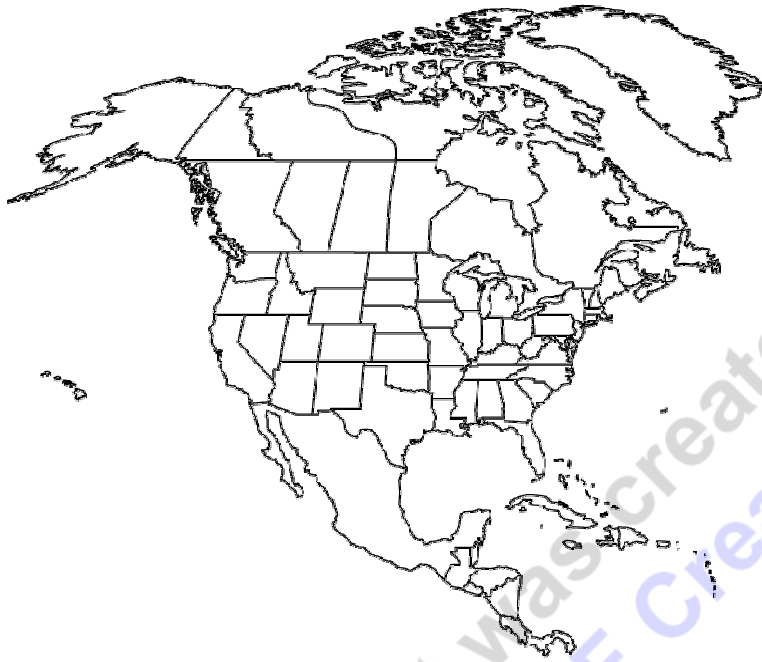
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What are some pros and cons of fertilizers? Con's would be mismaganement.



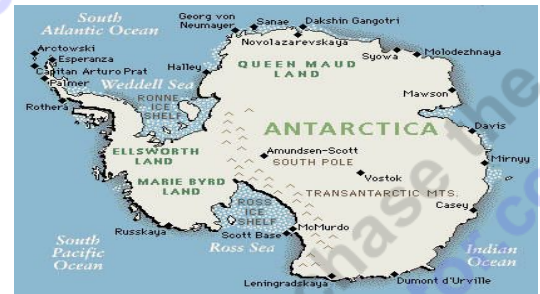


Use the map below to describe the Laurentide Ice Sheet in North America between 95,000 and 20,000 years ago. Please draw the extent of the massive ice sheet.

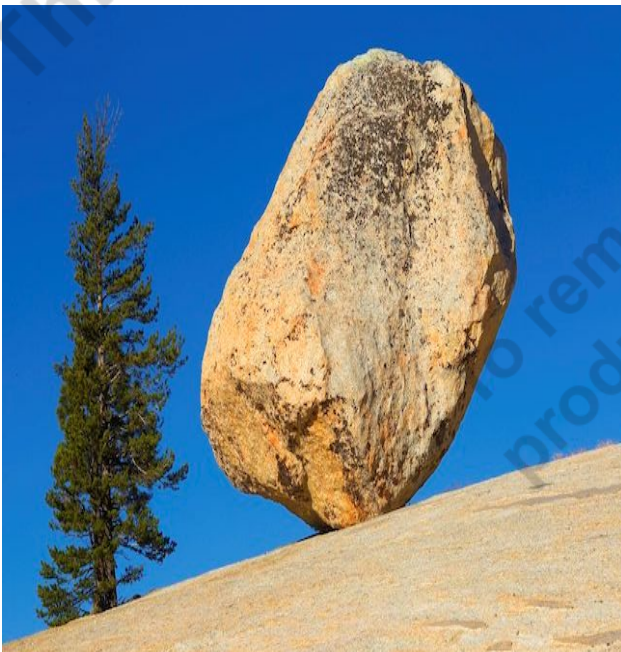


How do glaciers form?

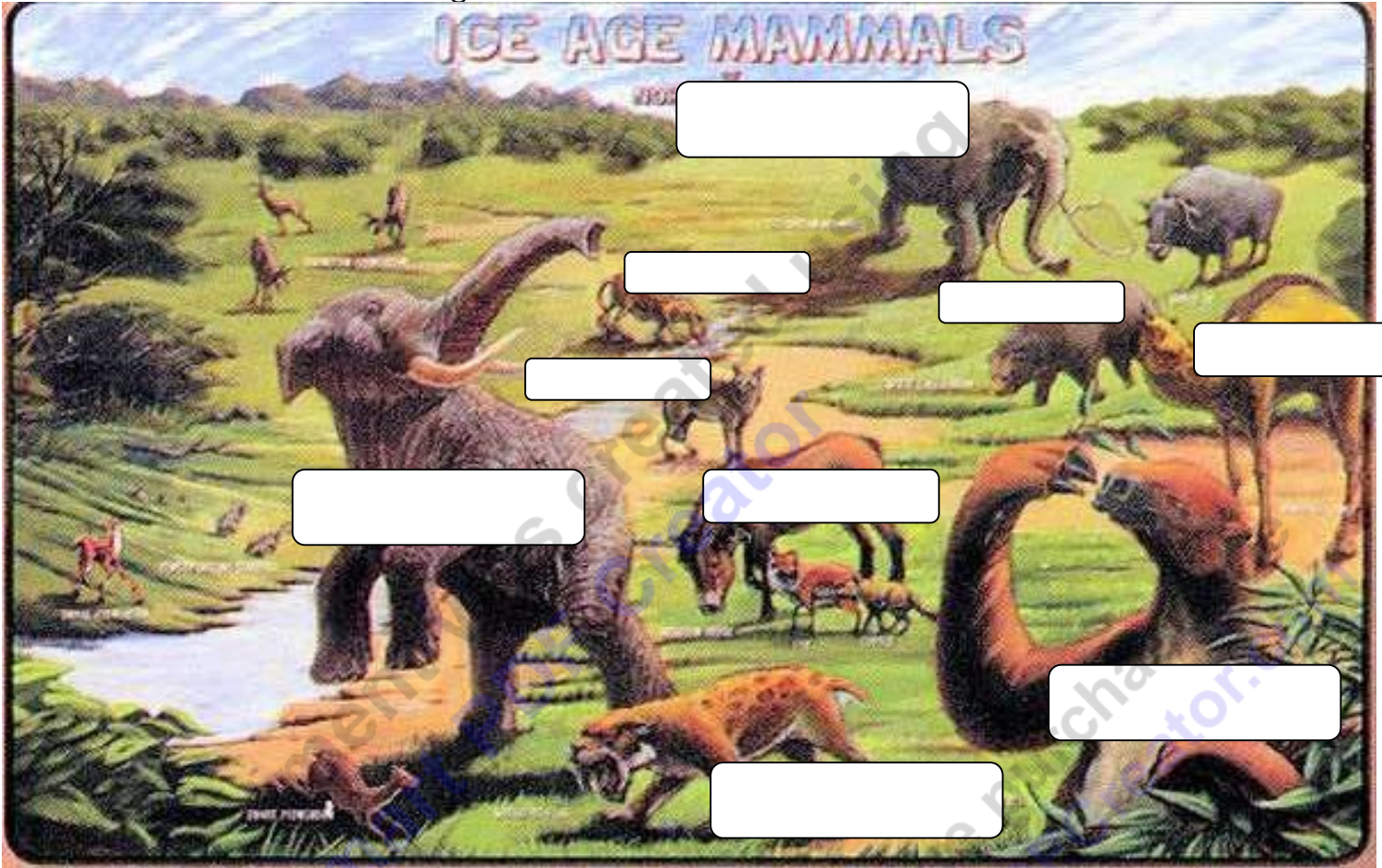
Which is an alpine and which is a continental glacier.



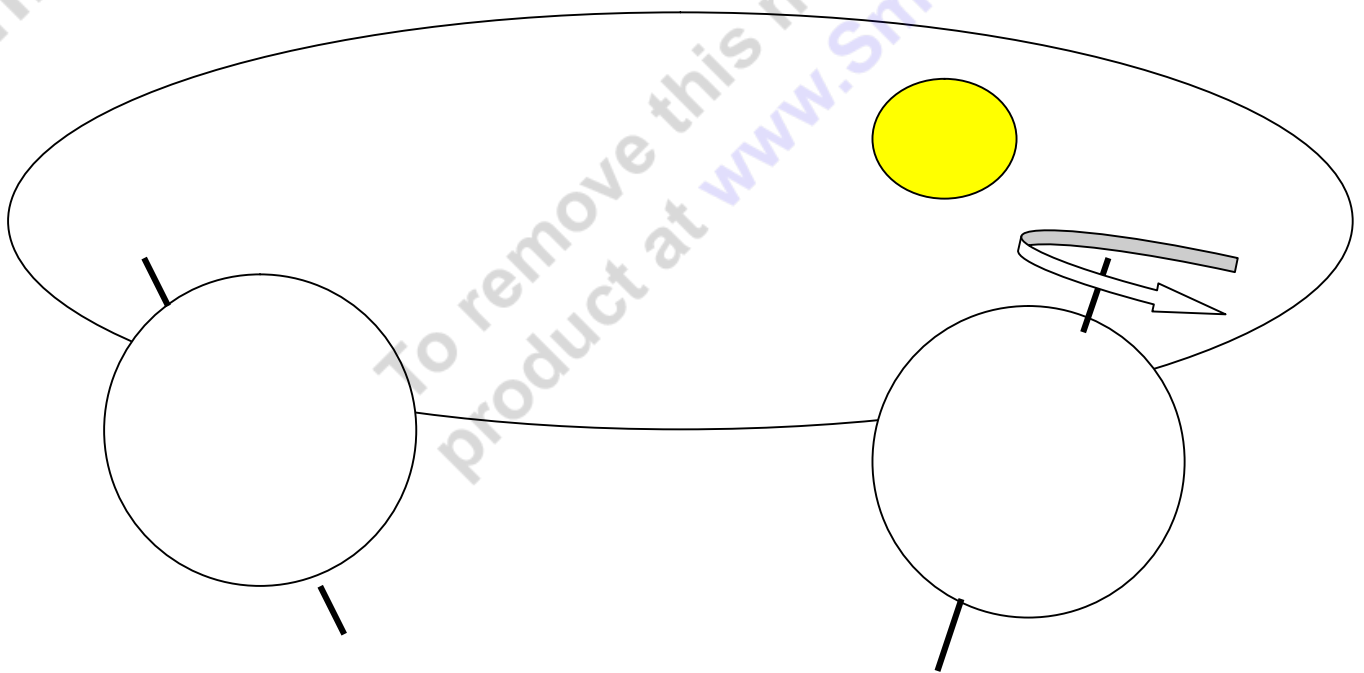
Please discuss how this rock arrived at this position. Why is it shaped the way it is?



Please name some of the ice age mammals below.

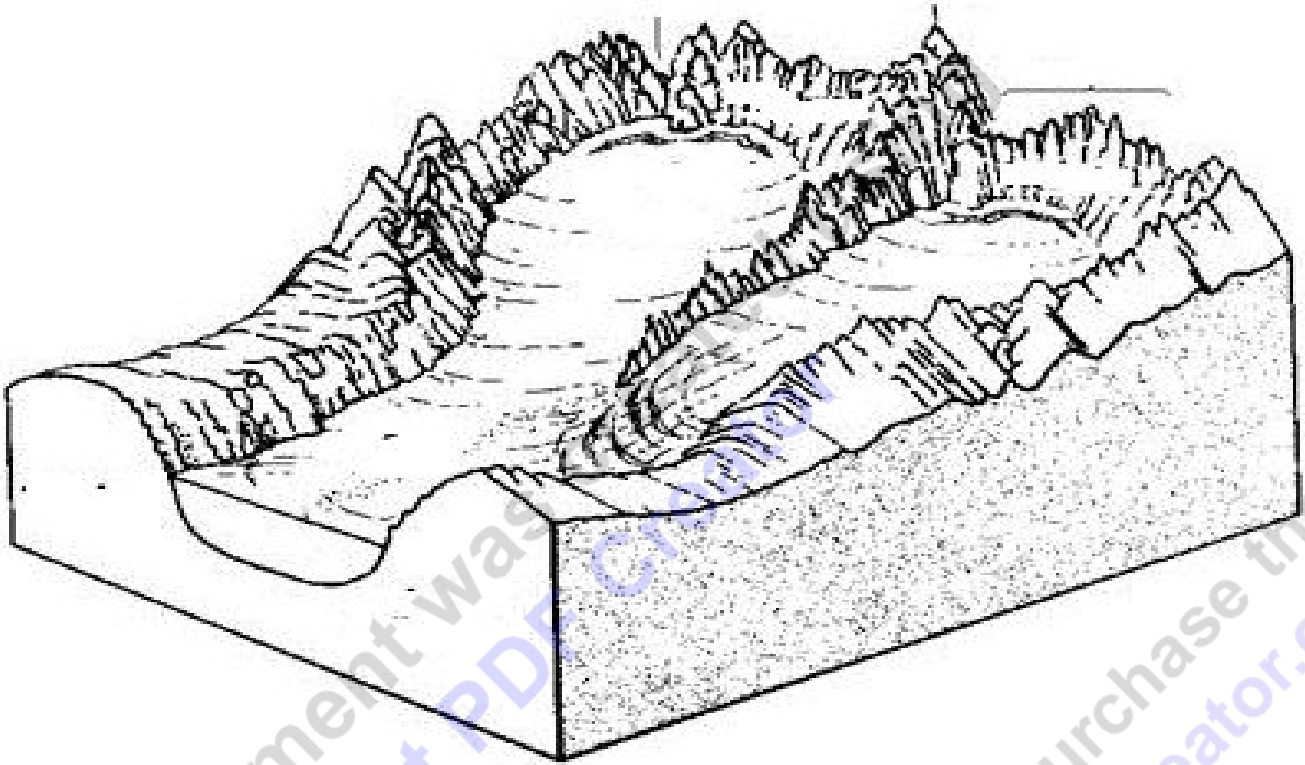


Describe some of the pictures below. Think Milankovitch! How often do they occur?

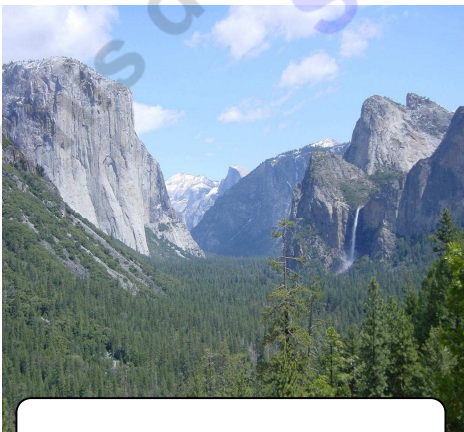




Please try and identify at least four glacial landforms below.



Please identify and **then describe** the specific type of the glacial landforms below. In some cases more than one can be identified.





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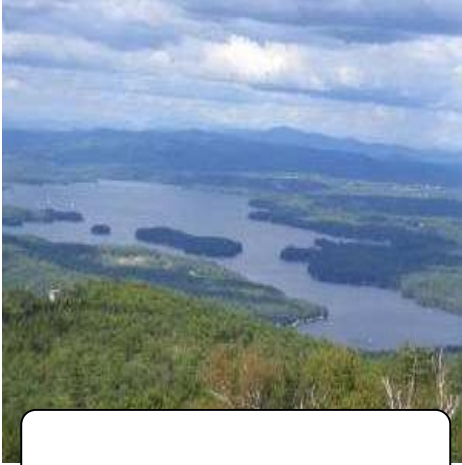
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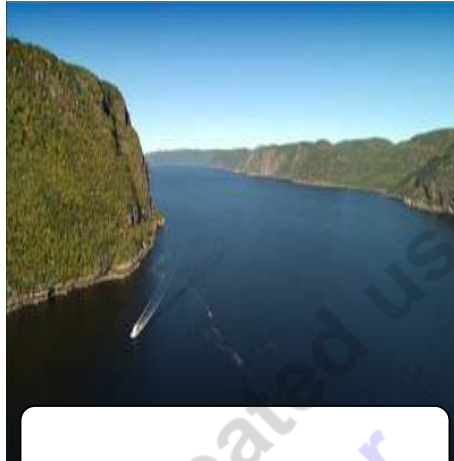
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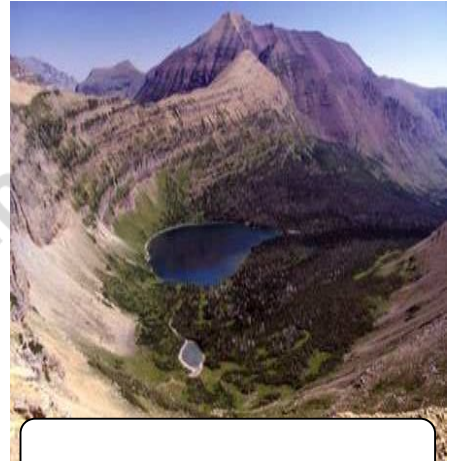
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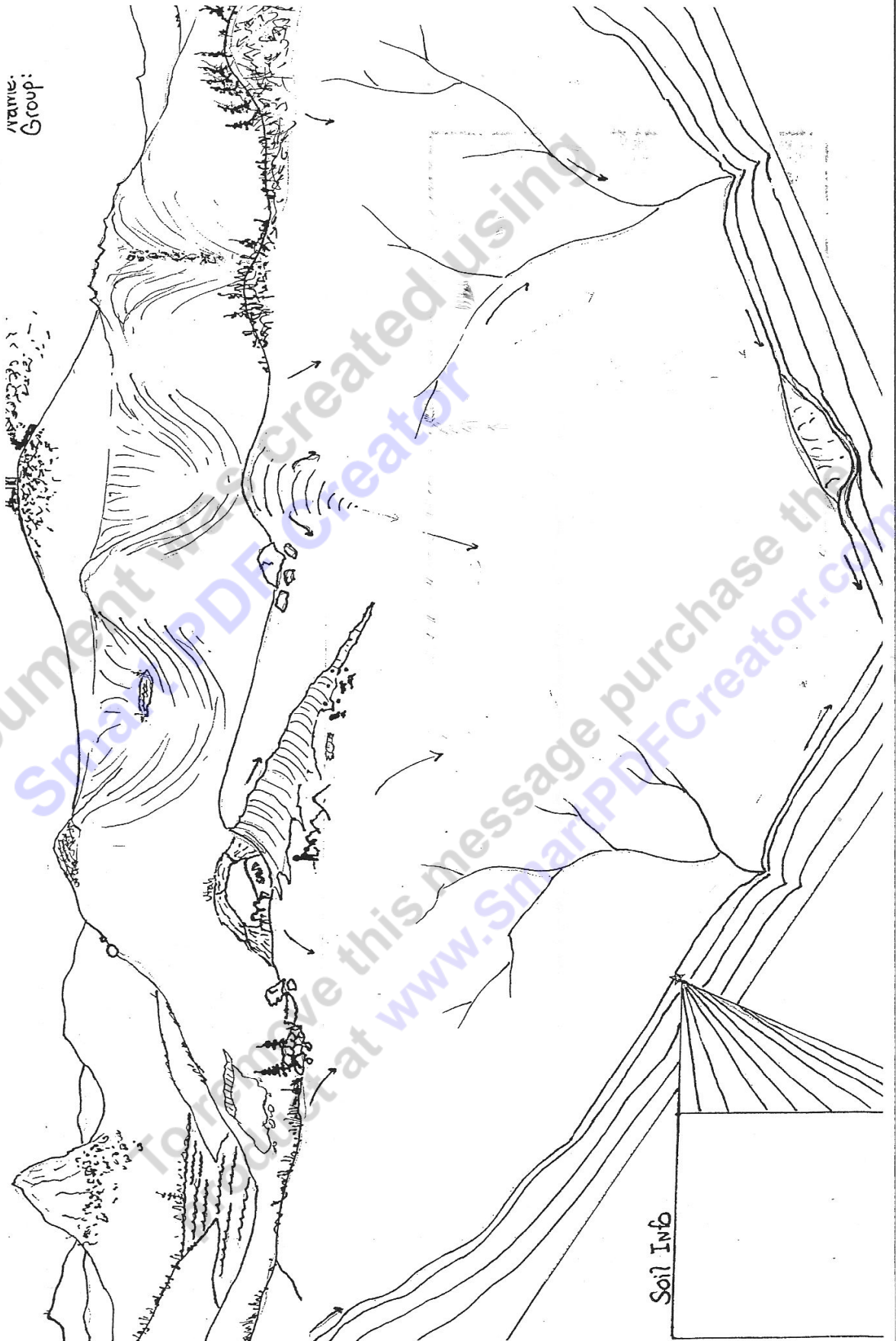
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Find and circle words associated with soil, weathering, ice ages, and glaciers. 30+ can be found! They can go forward and backwards.

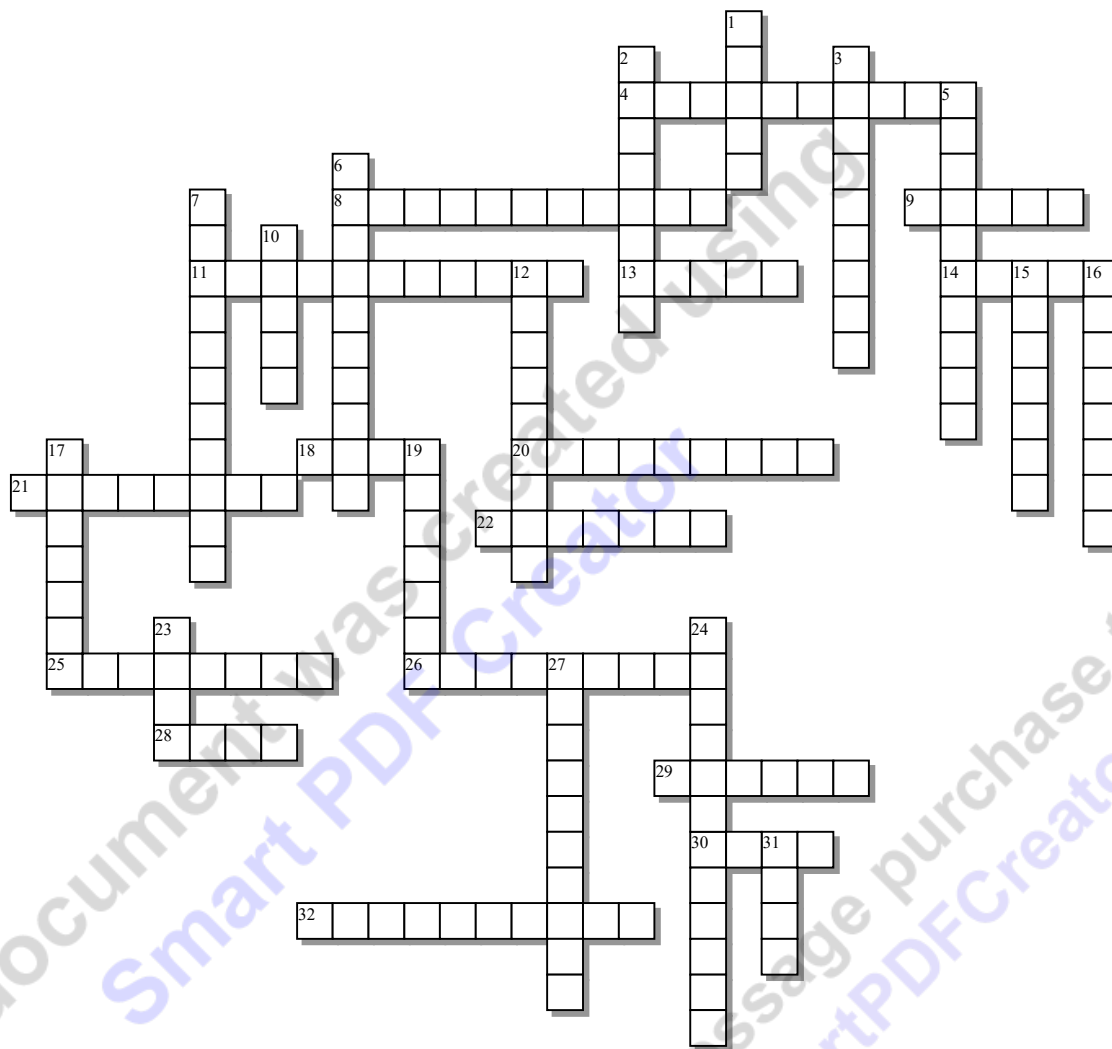
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Group: \_\_\_\_\_





## Weathering, Soil, and Soil Conservation



### Across:

- 4 - Chemical reaction between the minerals in the rock and hydrogen in rain water ( $H_2O$ ) wear down rock
- 8 - Rock layers fall off like an onion.
- 9 - A landslides in which the moving material moves in a block, more or less.
- 11 - Water and  $CO_2$  create carbonic acid which wears down rock
- 13 - Plant trees in between ground crops Provides shade, wind break, and prevents water loss. \_\_\_\_\_ cropping
- 14 - The slow, steady downhill movement of soil and loose rock. Soil \_\_\_\_\_
- 18 - Plant roots enter crack, grow and expand the crack. \_\_\_\_\_ wedging
- 20 - Creating steps against water erosion.
- 21 - Process by which minerals in the rocks dissolve directly in water.

### Down:

- 1 - Alternate the type of plant on each row to control water and nutrient uptake.  
\_\_\_\_\_ cropping
- 2 - Type of weathering where chemical processes dissolve and decay earth materials.
- 3 - Process where minerals in the rock absorb water and expand, creating stress
- 5 - A cylindrical mass of calcium carbonate hanging from the roof of a limestone cave:
- 6 - The natural process of laying down a deposit of something. (Sediment)
- 7 - Dam gullies to trap silt .Plant ground vegetation to stabilize slopes. Gully Re \_\_\_\_\_
- 10 - Water enters cracks in the rocks, freezes, expands and breaks rocks. \_\_\_\_\_ wedging
- 12 - The process by which oxygen combines

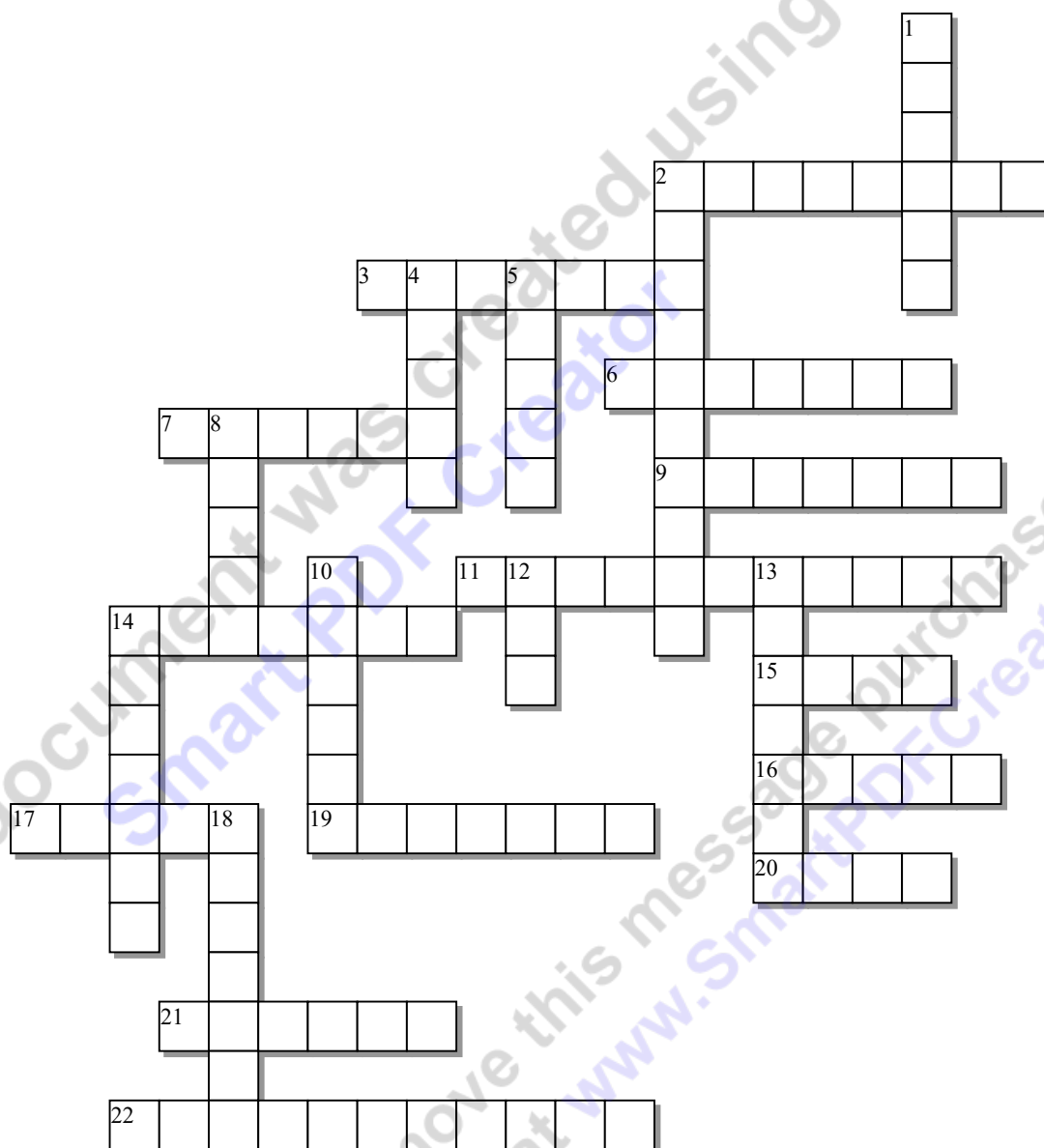
- 22 - Layers of different types of soil  
 25 - Planting different crops each year.  
 Changes nutrient uptake (increased soil fertility over a long period) Crop \_\_\_\_\_  
 26 - A slide of a large mass of dirt and rock down a mountain or cliff.  
 28 - A mixture of weathered rock and decaying organic material  
 29 - The maximum angle of a stable slope determined by friction, cohesion and the shapes of the particles. Angle of \_\_\_\_\_  
 30 - Poor soil conservation methods and environmental conditions lead to this event in the mid 1930's. Dust \_\_\_\_\_  
 32 - This is the breaking of rock into smaller pieces.
- with water and minerals in the rock to weaken it  
 15 - Process of wearing or grinding something down  
 16 - The spaces that allow air and water to move through the soil.  
 17 - A practice of slowing water run-off by planting across a hills contours.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Plowing  
 19 - Repeated heating and cooling of rocks will induce stress and breakage. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Expansion  
 23 - The down slope movement of earthen materials from gravity. \_\_\_\_\_ Movement  
 24 - The rate at which water and air move through the soil.  
 27 - A type of speleothem that rises from the floor of a limestone cave due to the dripping of mineralized solutions and the deposition of calcium  
 31 - Type of weathering where particles of sand, pebbles, and dust are carried by wind and cause abrasion and slowly break down rock.

### Possible Answers:

Alley, Bowl, Carbonation, Chemical, Contour, Creep, Deposition, Erosion, Exfoliation, Frost, Horizon, Hydration, Hydrolysis, Landslide, Mass, Oxidation, Permeability, Porosity, reclamation, Repose, Root, Rotation, Slump, Soil, Solution, Stalactite, Stalagmite, Strip, Terracing, Thermal, weathering, Wind



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Ice Ages and Glaciers Unit Crossword****Across:**

- 2 - Name for a specific saber toothed cat  
 3 - A moving mass of snow and ice that moves downhill  
 6 - This modern weather phenomenon is believed to melting many glaciers worldwide. Global \_\_\_\_\_  
 7 - Type of Lake. A depression filled with water left by a glacier.  
 9 - A giant piece of freshwater ice that broke

**Down:**

- 1 - Early clovis hunters were believed to cross a land \_\_\_\_\_ into the Americas.  
 2 - Multiple, straight parallel lines which represent the movement of the sediment loaded base of a glacier. Glacial \_\_\_\_\_.  
 4 - Sea level was much \_\_\_\_\_ during the ice age.  
 5 - Manmade pile of stones, usually conical, and often marks the path of an alpine trail.

off of a glacier or ice shelf.

11 - Tilt theory for why ice ages occur?

14 - Material transported by a glacier and then deposited. Many types of Moraines.

15 - A glacial lake produced by scouring. These are often found in cirques.

16 - A knife edge caused by glaciers and erosion.

17 - U-Shaped valley near the sea

19 - A piece of rock carried by glacial ice some distance from the rock outcrop from which it came.

20 - A sharp peak on a mountain cut by glaciers.

21 - A glacier that starts in a mountain and moves into a valley. \_\_\_\_\_ Glacier

22 - A Giant ice sheet that spreads out from a center of accumulation. \_\_\_\_\_ Glacier

8 - A narrow, steep-sided ridge of sediment, the remains of sediment piling up in a winding river under the glacier.

10 - A steep-sided carve into a mountain by a glacier.

12 - A cold period marked by episodes of extensive glaciation alternating with episodes of relative warmth. \_\_\_\_\_ Age

13 - Material deposited by the debris-laden glacial valley.

14 - Large mammal of the ice age with curved tusks.

18 - Formed glacial till (sediment). They are elongated features that can reach a kilometer or more in length.

#### **Possible Answers:**

Alpine, Arete, bridge, Cairn, Cirque, Continental, Drumlin, Erratic, Esker, Fjord, Glacier, Horn, Ice , Iceberg, Kettle, Lower, Mammoth, Milankovich, Moraine, Outwash, Smilodon, Striations, Tarn, Warming



