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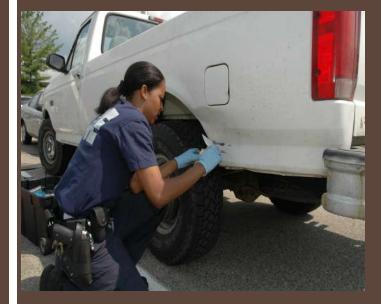


Students will learn to:

- Identify a soil's common constituents
- Determine the origin of a soil sample
- Interpret a topographic map
- Understand the concept of spectrophotometry and its applications

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Students will learn to:

- How to analyze and present data mathematically using graphs
- Why soils can be used as class evidence
- When soils can be used as circumstantial evidence



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Soil Comparisons

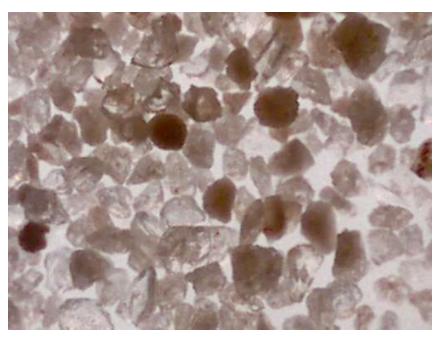




Probative Value of Soil

Increasing Probative Value





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Minerals









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Soil Evidence









(The photo on the right shows color differences in sand from six locations around the world.)

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Sand Characteristics



Sand Types



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Virtual Sand Lab



Forensic Geology in the News

