

Coastal dunes usually blowout or parabolic
(water table limit)

Sand seas or ergs – Rub –al-kahli ; (Arabian Desert)

Loess – Loose soil – North European Plain – Germany to Russia

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Glaciers (peri-glacial = near glacial Europe)

Permafrost = cryergic or cryogenic 1-2 m – seasonal thaw
(Shrinking in last century)
200m to 1600m

Tundra – cold barren or boreal forest

Mass wasting & qualification, wind, ice

Freezing & frost wedging

Chemical & biological weathering (salt)

Frost heaving and needle ice

Segregated ice (massive in permafrost)

Ice wedges vs. progressive size increase

(Sand wedges in cold desert)

Geliflection & frost creep (upper 2m)

Nivation – melt h₂O downhill erosion

Fluvial Erosion – Snow melt controlled

Permafrost limits infiltration

(gold in arctic) – hydrolic mining

Eolian transport – Spring winds dry dunes formed

Landforms – Patterned ground – polygons

Rock glaciers (sorted)

Felsenmeer (rock fields)

Thermokarst (Karst like caused by ice melt)

Glaciers

Erosion/plucking (lee vs. stoss)

Pater noster lakes (chain of lakes)

Fjords, cirque, horn, (arête & horn)

Alpine vs. continental

Gipsselfleur (series of peaks)

Presidential Range – white mountains – NH

Moraine – Medial, lateral, terminal (recessional)

Drift – all deposition by glacier

Till – Non-stratified deposited directly

Re-working

Esker (Ice tunnel deposition)

Great Esker Park – Weymouth / Hingham

Kettle – Lakes

Valley – Boulder trains

Kame – Stratified drift/hill

Crevasse – Surface break

Drumlins – Boston Harbor Islands and other locations