

Major Land Resource Area 035X

Colorado Plateau

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Ecological site group keys

MLRA 35 Key to the LRUs

1 Central Colorado Plateau LRU

This is the heart of the MLRA, it is characterized by Mesozoic aged geology.

2 Western Colorado Plateau LRU

This western portion of the MLRA is characterized by Permian aged geology, especially the Kaibab formation

3 Northwestern New Mexico Highlands LRU

This LRU is characterized by higher elevations and non-marine sedimentary formations.

4 San Juan Basin LRU

This LRU is mostly characterized by Cretaceous-aged marine formations. It mostly occurs in Northwest New Mexico.