Figure 4. The principal aquifers of the United States and the Caribbean Islands are in six types of rocks and deposits. The colored areas show the extent of each principal aquifer at or near the land surface.

EXPLANATION

Glaciated and unglaciated sand and gravel aquifers

Sandstone aquifers

Basaltic and other volcanic-rock aquifers

Carbonate-rock aquifers

Glacial deposits aquifers (show the extent of each principal aquifer at or near the land surface)

Unconsolidated sand and gravel aquifers

Sedimentary-rock aquifers

Carbonate-rock aquifers

Glacial deposits aquifers (show the extent of each principal aquifer at or near the land surface)