Fluvial processes

- Hydrology
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3 processes

- 1) stream erosion
 - Hydraulic action
 - abrasion
- 2) stream transport
- Competence
 - F(V)
- Capacity
- Grain size
 - Gravel
 - Sand
 - Silt
 - clay
- Dissolved load
- Suspended load
- Bed load

stream load and channel morphology

- high bed load
- Suspended load

Stream measures

- Velocity
- competence
- Hjulstrom
- -What is the minimum velocity that a 0.01 mm piece of silt would be eroded?
- At a velocity of 10 cm/sec, what materials would be deposited?
- At a velocity of 1 cm/sec, what materials are being transported?
 Discharge (Q)
- Q = wdv (cfs) problem

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