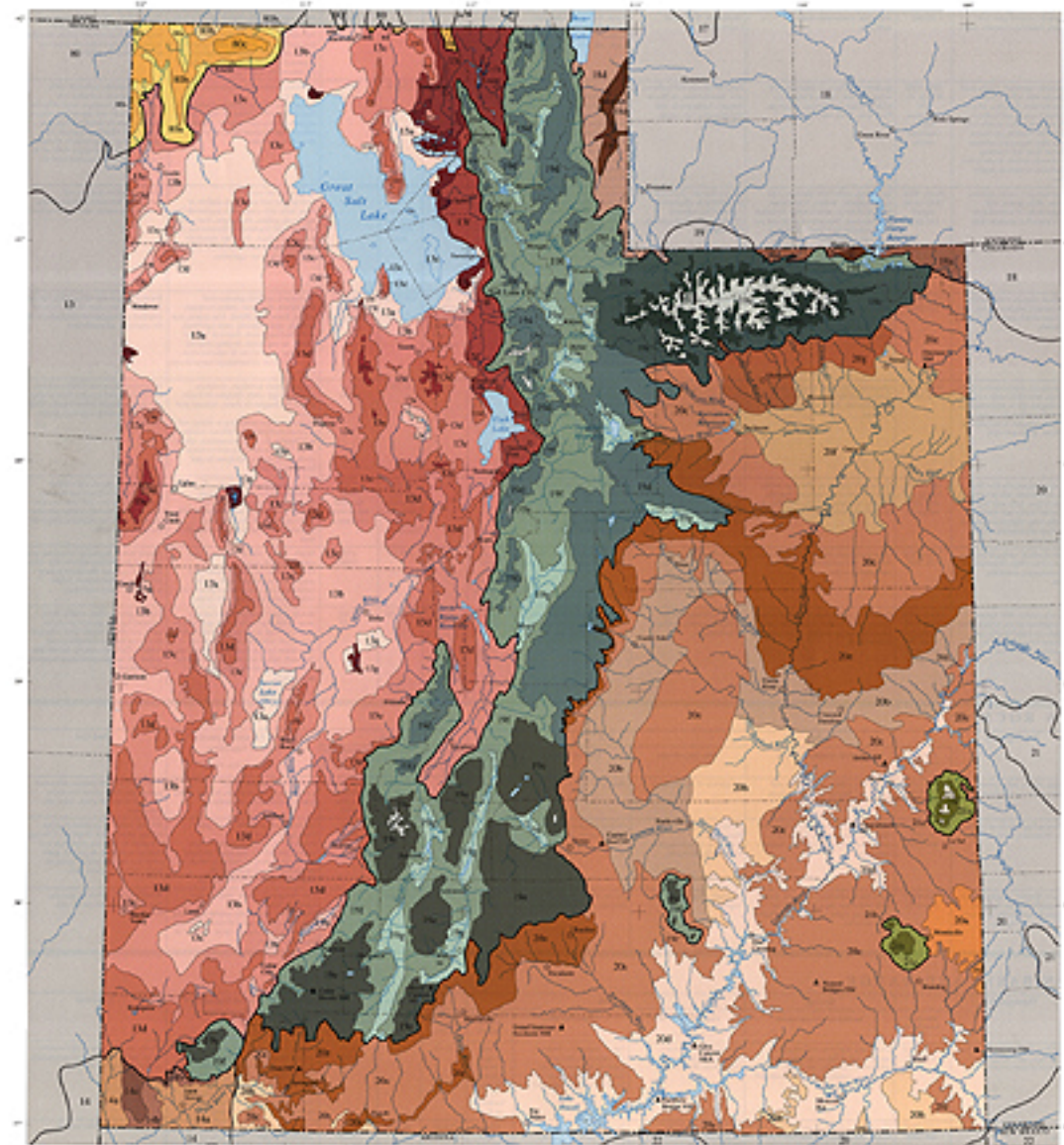


Ecoregions of Utah

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The approach used to compile this map is based on the general ecological regions of the world as defined by Whittaker (1960) and the ecoregions of the United States as defined by Cowardin et al. (1982). The ecoregions of Utah are defined by these factors and are used to describe the natural resources, their distribution, and their management.



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| 11 Central Basin and Range | 16 Wyoming Basin | 21 Colorado Plateau | 26 Colorado Plateau (Lowland) | 31 Northern Basin and Range |
| 12 Salt Desert | 17 Mojave Basin and Range | 22 Mojave Basin and Range | 27 Northern Utah Basin Slopes | 32 Northern Utah Basin Slopes |
| 13 Shoshone Basin and Range | 18 Great Salt Lake | 23 Great Salt Lake | 28 Northern Utah Basin Slopes | 33 Northern Utah Basin Slopes |
| 14 Shoshone Basin and Range | 19 Wasatch and Uinta Mountains | 24 Wasatch and Uinta Mountains | 29 Northern Utah Basin Slopes | 34 Northern Utah Basin Slopes |
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