

River transportation

Connect the boxes

Definition

Large rocks are rolled along the riverbed.

Pebbles bounce along the riverbed.

Small sediment is carried along in the flow of the river.

The smallest sediment is dissolved into the water.

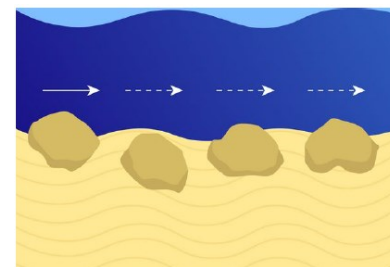
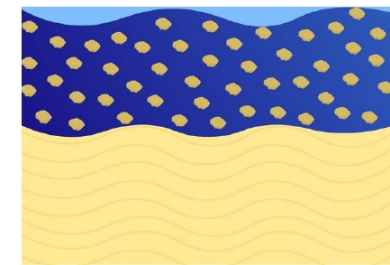
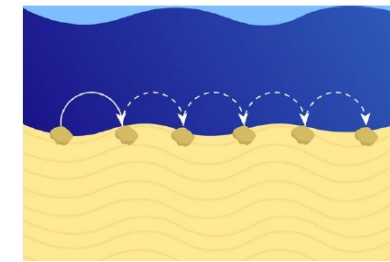
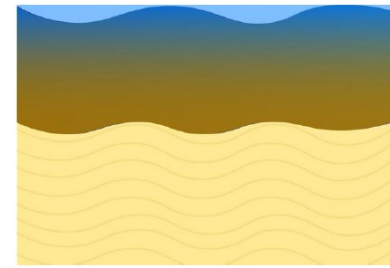
Traction

Suspension

Saltation

Solution

Diagram



River erosion

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Definition

When rocks collide and break up.

When rocks wear away each other and the river bed and banks.

When acid in the water dissolves the rock.

When the force of the water breaks down the river bed and banks.

Hydraulic action

Solution

Abrasion

Attrition

Diagram

