The organic layer was separated from the other soil to facilitate replacing this layer following sampling. Pits were of variable depth (a few cm into the C horizon). Where bedrock prevented adequate sampling of multiple horizons, attempts were made to relocate the pit within the 5-m2 sampling point.

Evaluation of each pit to determine target horizons for sampling

Once all 10 soil pits were dug, examinations were made to determine which horizons would be sampled at that site. At a minimum, an organic layer sample and several other soil horizons were sampled. Not all horizons could be sampled in each pit, based on presence and volume of soil at each horizon.

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