

d30 Natural features & Phenomena

BY TERRAIN TYPE

Hills, Swamp, and Coast

Chance-in-30 = base chance of derivation from norm for terrain type;
actual chance-in-30 at DM's discretion.

Hills	Swamp	Coast
5-in-30	10-in-30	20-in-30
1 bluff	1 acidic hot spring	1 barachois
2 butte	2 crooked trees	2 bay
3 cave, fold & fault*	3 cypress dome	3 bight
4 cave, limestone*	4 dam, natural	4 blowout
5 cave, lava tube*	5 heavy algae	5 bog
6 cave, talus*	6 heavy canopy	6 cave, sea*
7 crag	7 heavy mossing	7 coastal dunes
8 cuesta (w/ cliff)	8 heavy muck	8 cove
9 dell	9 heavy pathogens, air	9 estuary
10 draw	10 heavy pathogens, surface	10 firth
11 escarpment	11 heavy pathogens, water	11 fjord
12 esker	12 heavy plants, emergent	12 kelp bed (subtidal)
13 glen	13 heavy plants, floating	13 lagoon
14 gulch	14 heavy plants, submerged	14 lake/loch
15 hillock/knoll	15 island, small	15 marine meadow
16 lake	16 island, medium	16 mangrove swamp
17 lava dome	17 island, large	17 mud flat
18 lava lake	18 islands, small/scatters	18 quicksand
19 limestone pavement	19 natural gas vent†	19 rocky shore
20 mesa	20 marsh gas†	20 sand beach
21 plateau	21 mud flat	21 sand flat
22 pond	22 quicksand	22 salt flat
23 rock outcropping	23 rocky area	23 salt marsh
24 rock shelter*	24 rot, widespread	24 salt meadow
25 spring, artesian	25 shallow water	25 salting
26 spring, hot	26 slough/channel	26 sea loch (inlet)
27 strath	27 tar pit	27 seabed (subtidal)
28 terrace	28 turbid water	28 shingle beach
29 tor	29 volcanic vent	29 pebble beach
30 well	30 volcanic vent w/ tuff ring	30 tide pool

* 50% base chance = houses lair † highly flammable; susceptible to combustion in presence of open flame



The Complete version of this chart features d30 tables for each of the following terrains: hills, mountain, forest, plains, swamp, desert, and coast; this chart will be included in its entirety in the **d30 Sandbox Companion**, available soon from New Big Dragon Games Unlimited.



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