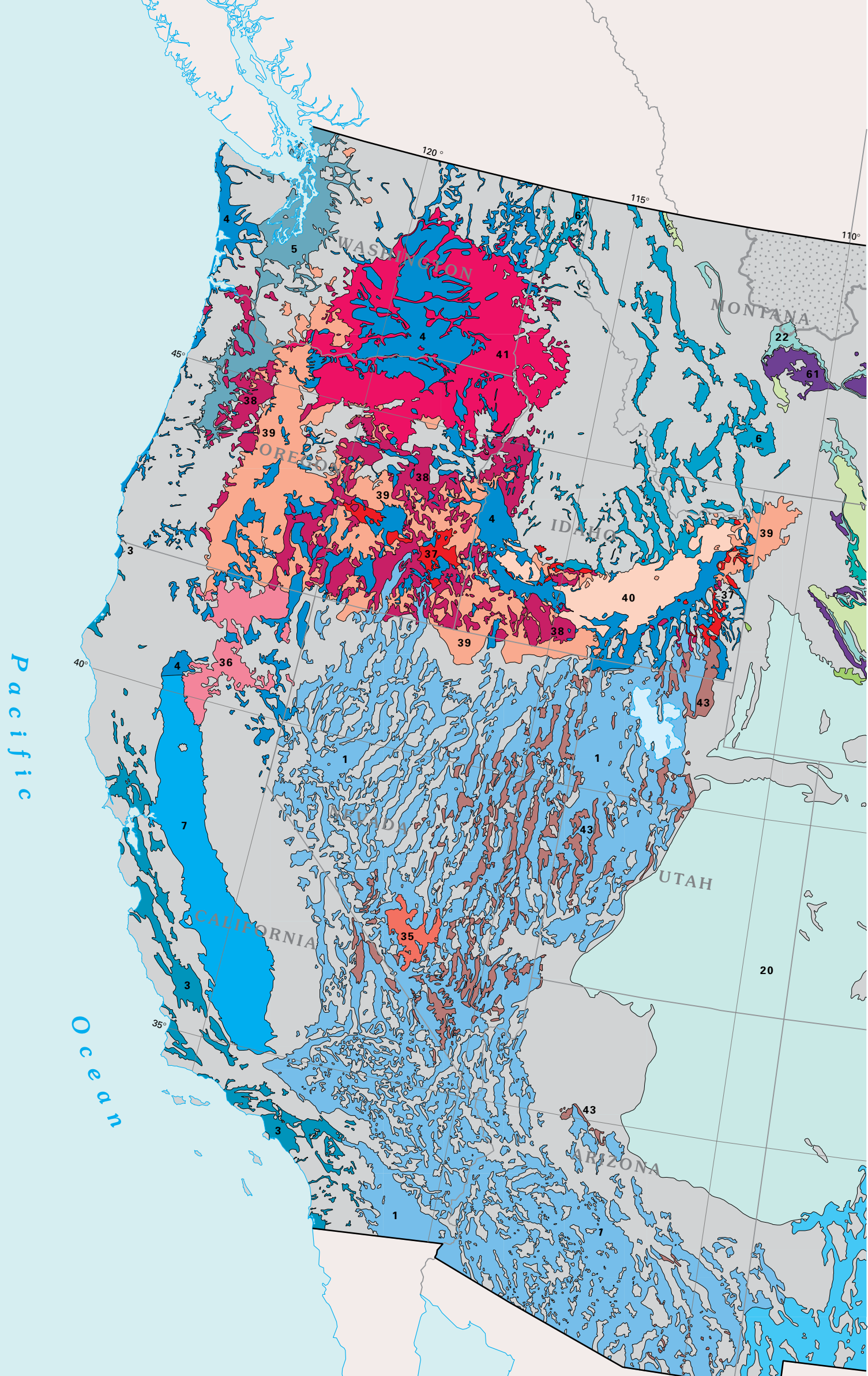


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Figure 4. The principal aquifers of the United States and the Caribbean Islands are in six types of rocks and deposits. The colored areas show the extent of each principal aquifer at or near the land surface.

EXPLANATION

Unconsolidated sand and gravel aquifers

- 1 Basin and Range aquifers
- 2 Rio Grande aquifer system
- 3 California Coastal Basin aquifers
- 4 Pacific Northwest basin-fill aquifers
- 5 Puget-Willamette Lowland aquifer system
- 6 Northern Rocky Mountains Intermontane Basins aquifer system
- 7 Central Valley aquifer system
- 8 High Plains aquifer
- 9 Pecos River Basin alluvial aquifer
- 10 Mississippi River Valley alluvial aquifer
- 11 Seymour aquifer
- 12 Surficial aquifer system
- 13 Unconsolidated-deposit aquifers (Alaska)
- 14 South Coast aquifer (Puerto Rico)

Sandstone aquifers

- 20 Colorado Plateaus aquifers
- 21 Denver Basin aquifer system
- 22 Lower Cretaceous aquifers
- 23 Rush Springs aquifer
- 24 Central Oklahoma aquifer
- 25 Ada-Vamoosa aquifer
- 26 Early Mesozoic basin aquifers
- 27 New York sandstone aquifers
- 28 Pennsylvanian aquifers
- 29 Mississippian aquifer of Michigan
- 30 Cambrian-Ordovician aquifer system
- 31 Jacobsville aquifer
- 32 Lower Tertiary aquifers
- 33 Upper Cretaceous aquifers
- 34 Upper Tertiary aquifers (Wyoming)

Basaltic and other volcanic-rock aquifers

- 35 Southern Nevada volcanic-rock aquifers
- 36 Northern California volcanic-rock aquifers
- 37 Pliocene and younger basaltic-rock aquifers
- 38 Miocene basaltic-rock aquifers
- 39 Volcanic- and sedimentary-rock aquifers
- 40 Snake River Plain aquifer system
- 41 Columbia Plateau aquifer system
- 42 Volcanic-rock aquifers—Overlain by sedimentary deposits where patterned (Hawaii)

Carbonate-rock aquifers

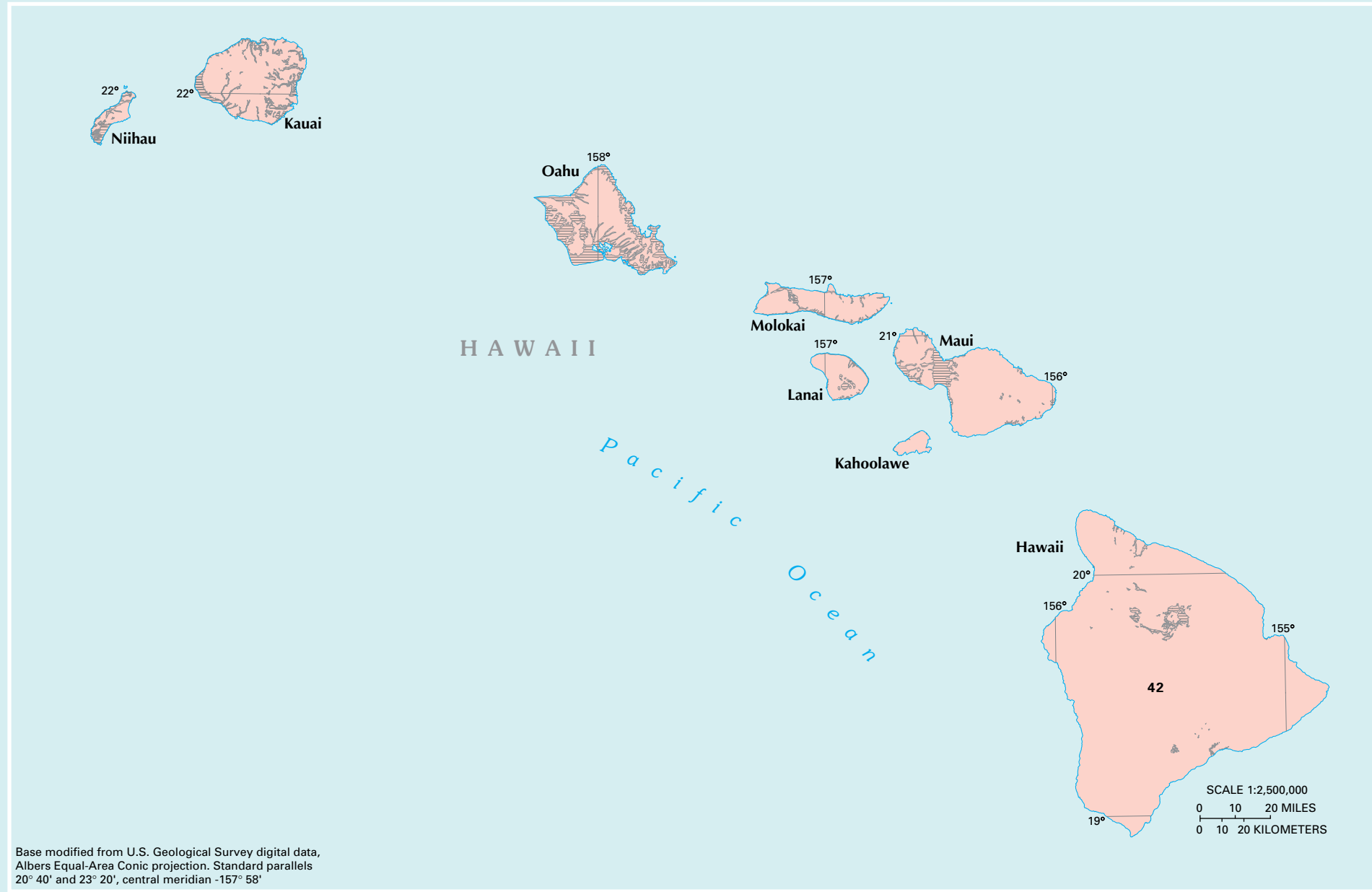
- 43 Basin and Range carbonate-rock aquifers
- 44 Roswell Basin aquifer system
- 45 Ozark Plateaus aquifer system
- 46 Blaine aquifer
- 47 Arbuckle-Simpson aquifer
- 48 Silurian-Devonian aquifers
- 49 Ordovician aquifers
- 50 Upper carbonate aquifer
- 51 Floridan aquifer system
- 52 Biscayne aquifer
- 53 New York and New England carbonate-rock aquifers
- 54 Piedmont and Blue Ridge carbonate-rock aquifers
- 55 Castle Hayne aquifer
- 56 North Coast Limestone aquifer system (Puerto Rico)
- 57 Kingshill aquifer (St. Croix)

Glacial deposit aquifers overlie bedrock aquifers in many areas

- Not a principal aquifer

Sandstone and carbonate-rock aquifers

- 58 Edwards-Trinity aquifer system
- 59 Valley and Ridge aquifers—Carbonate-rock aquifers are patterned
- 60 Mississippian aquifers
- 61 Paleozoic aquifers



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