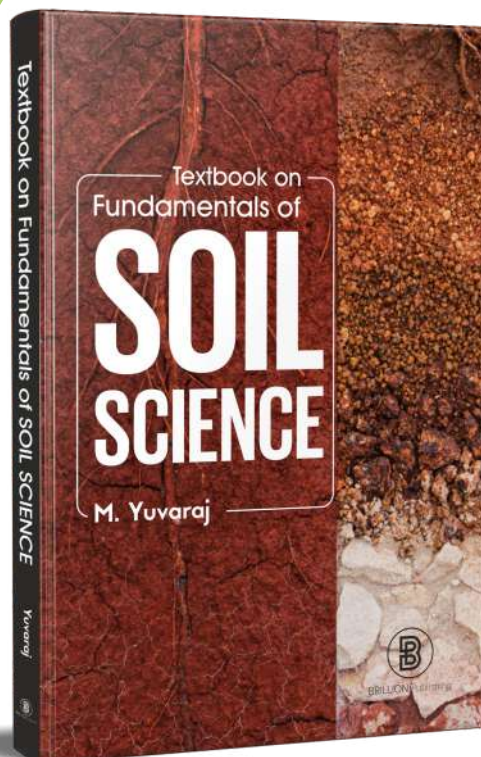





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# Textbook on Fundamentals of **SOIL SCIENCE**

## About the Book

Soil contain a combination of organic matter, minerals matter, soil air, soil water and organisms that mutually sustain life. Soil science is the study of soil as a natural body including soil formation, classification and mapping; physical, chemical, biological, and fertility properties of soils. The soil deliver the essential nutrients, water, oxygen and root support that our food-producing plants require to produce and thrive. This book has been collected to deliver a wide ranging understating knowledge and to improve the practical capability of the under graduate students based on the curriculum. The subject contents have been introduced to make it easy and simple for the students. This book aims at understanding the many aspects of fundamentals properties of soil which have direct as well as indirect effects on the growth and development of crops. Thus in a broad sense the book will be very beneficial for undergraduate agricultural students to enrich their knowledge and understating of soil . this book is having more scope for preparing , JRF, SRF, NET based examination.

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