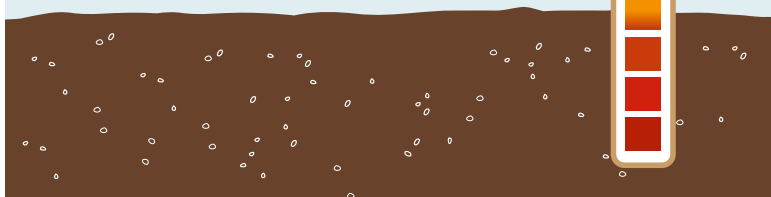




How does peat form?

Low pH acidic soil

The acidic conditions in the soil stops organic materials from decaying.



Low oxygen supply, anaerobic soil

The lack of oxygen in the soil stops the organic materials from decaying.



Cold, waterlogged land

Peat needs cold, wet and waterlogged conditions to form.

