

## Baseline Assessment – Stream Attributes

**Reach S-MN45 (Pipeline ROW)**

**Ephemeral**

**Spread F**

**Monroe County, West Virginia**

<b>Data</b>	<b>Included</b>
Photos	✓
SWVM Form	✓
FCI Calculator and HGM Form	✓
RBP Physical Characteristics Form	✓
Water Quality Data	N/A – No flow
RBP Habitat Form*	✓
RBP Benthic Form	✓
Benthic Identification Sheet	N/A – No flow
Wolman Pebble Count	✓
Reference Reach Software Pebble Count Data	✓
Longitudinal Profile and Cross Sections	✓

\*Modified RBP – No flow

37.462878° N, -80.670284° W



Photo Type: US, US View

Location, Orientation, Photographer Initials: Upstream Edge of Right of Way, Upstream View, AK/WP/RA/EW

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Photo Type: US, DS View

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Location, Orientation, Photographer Initials: Center Point, Upstream View, AK/WP/RA/EW

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Photo Type: ROW, N

Location, Orientation, Photographer Initials: Right of Way, Facing North, AK/WP/RA/EW

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Photo Type: ROW, S

Location, Orientation, Photographer Initials: Right of Way, Facing South, AK/WP/RA/EW

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## FCI Calculator for the High-Gradient Headwater Streams in Appalachia

To ensure accurate calculations, the **UPPERMOST STRATUM** of the plant community is determined based on the calculated value for  $V_{\text{CCANOPY}}$  ( $\geq 20\%$  cover is required for tree/sapling strata). Go to the SAR Data Entry tab and enter site characteristics and data in the yellow cells. For information on determining how to split a project into SARs, see Chapter 5 of the Operational Draft Regional Guidebook for the Functional Assessment of High-Gradient Headwater Streams and Low-Gradient Perennial Streams in Appalachia (Environmental Laboratory U.S. Army Corps of Engineers 2017).

**Project Name:** Preliminary Assessment

**Location:** Monroe/F

**Sampling Date:** 8/26/2021

Choose Site on  
Data Form      Before Project

**Subclass for this SAR:**

Ephemeral Stream

**Uppermost stratum present at this SAR:**

Shrub/Herb Strata

**SAR number:** S-MN45

### Functional Results Summary:

Please Fill Out Site and Timing Information on Data Form

Function	Functional Capacity Index
Hydrology	0.77
Biogeochemical Cycling	0.44
Habitat	0.18

### Variable Measure and Subindex Summary:

Variable	Name	Average Measure	Subindex
$V_{\text{CCANOPY}}$	Percent canopy over channel.	Not Used, <20%	Not Used
$V_{\text{EMBED}}$	Average embeddedness of channel.	2.08	0.49
$V_{\text{SUBSTRATE}}$	Median stream channel substrate particle size.	0.14	0.07
$V_{\text{BERO}}$	Total percent of eroded stream channel bank.	0.00	1.00
$V_{\text{LWD}}$	Number of down woody stems per 100 feet of stream.	11.54	1.00
$V_{\text{TDBH}}$	Average dbh of trees.	Not Used	Not Used
$V_{\text{SNAG}}$	Number of snags per 100 feet of stream.	0.00	0.10
$V_{\text{SSD}}$	Number of saplings and shrubs per 100 feet of stream.	0.00	0.00
$V_{\text{SRICH}}$	Riparian vegetation species richness.	0.00	0.00
$V_{\text{DETRITUS}}$	Average percent cover of leaves, sticks, etc.	19.17	0.23
$V_{\text{HERB}}$	Average percent cover of herbaceous vegetation.	80.83	1.00
$V_{\text{WLUSE}}$	Weighted Average of Runoff Score for Catchment.	1.00	1.00



## High-Gradient Headwater Streams in Appalachia Field Data Sheet and Calculator

Team: <b>ABK/WP/RA/EW</b>	Latitude/UTM Northing: <b>37.462878</b>
Project Name: <b>Preliminary Assessment</b>	Longitude/UTM Easting: <b>-80.670284</b>
Location: <b>Monroe/F</b>	Sampling Date: <b>8/26/2021</b>
SAR Number: <b>S-MN45</b>	Reach Length (ft): <b>78</b>
Stream Type: <b>Ephemeral Stream</b> ▼	
Top Strata: <b>Shrub/Herb Strata</b> (determined from percent calculated in $V_{CCANOPY}$ )	
Site and Timing: <b>Project/Mitigation Site (circle one)</b> ▼	<b>Before Project</b> ▼

### Sample Variables 1-4 in stream channel

- 1  $V_{CCANOPY}$  Average percent cover over channel by tree and sapling canopy. Measure at no fewer than 10 roughly equidistant points along the stream. Measure only if tree/sapling cover is at least 20%. (If less than 20%, enter at least one value between 0 and 19 to trigger Top Strata choice.) Not Used, <20%

List the percent cover measurements at each point below:

0	0	0	0	0	25	50	10		

- 2  $V_{EMBED}$  Average embeddedness of the stream channel. Measure at no fewer than 30 roughly equidistant points along the stream. Select a particle from the bed. Before moving it, determine the percentage of the surface and area surrounding the particle that is covered by fine sediment, and enter the rating according to the following table. If the bed is an artificial surface, or composed of fine sediments, use a rating score of 1. If the bed is composed of bedrock, use a rating score of 5. 2.1

Embeddedness rating for gravel, cobble and boulder particles (rescaled from Platts, Megahan, and Minshall 1983 )

Rating	Rating Description
5	<5 percent of surface covered, surrounded, or buried by fine sediment (or bedrock)
4	5 to 25 percent of surface covered, surrounded, or buried by fine sediment
3	26 to 50 percent of surface covered, surrounded, or buried by fine sediment
2	51 to 75 percent of surface covered, surrounded, or buried by fine sediment
1	>75 percent of surface covered, surrounded, or buried by fine sediment (or artificial surface)

Measure at least 30 points

List the ratings at each point below:

2	1	5	1	1					
1	1	1	1	1					
5	2	5	1	1					
3	4	4	1	1					
2	4	1	1						

- 3  $V_{SUBSTRATE}$  Median stream channel substrate particle size. Measure at no fewer than 30 roughly equidistant points along the stream; use the same points and particles as used in  $V_{EMBED}$ . 0.14 in

Enter particle size in inches to the nearest 0.1 inch at each point below (bedrock should be counted as 99 in, asphalt or concrete as 0.0 in, sand or finer particles as 0.08 in):

0.25	1.00	0.20	0.08	0.08					
0.08	0.20	0.08	0.08	0.08					
0.50	2.25	0.25	0.08	0.08					
1.75	2.00	3.75	0.08	0.08					
1.25	1.25	0.08	0.08						

- 4  $V_{BERO}$  Total percent of eroded stream channel bank. Enter the total number of feet of eroded bank on each side and the total percentage will be calculated. If both banks are eroded, total erosion for the stream may be up to 200%. 0 %

Left Bank: **0 ft**

Right Bank: **0 ft**



**Sample Variables 5-9 within the entire riparian/buffer zone adjacent to the stream channel (25 feet from each bank).**

5	$V_{LWD}$	Number of down woody stems (at least 4 inches in diameter and 36 inches in length) per 100 feet of stream reach. Enter the number from the entire 50'-wide buffer and within the channel, and the amount per 100 feet of stream will be calculated.	11.5
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Number of downed woody stems: 9

6	$V_{TDBH}$	Average dbh of trees (measure only if $V_{CCANOPY}$ tree/sapling cover is at least 20%). Trees are at least 4 inches (10 cm) in diameter. Enter tree DBHs in inches.	Not Used
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List the dbh measurements of individual trees (at least 4 in) within the buffer on each side of the stream below:

Left Side					Right Side				

7	$V_{SNAG}$	Number of snags (at least 4" dbh and 36" tall) per 100 feet of stream. Enter number of snags on each side of the stream, and the amount per 100 feet will be calculated.	0.0
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Left Side: 0 Right Side: 0

8	$V_{SSD}$	Number of saplings and shrubs (woody stems up to 4 inches dbh) per 100 feet of stream (measure only if tree cover is <20%). Enter number of saplings and shrubs on each side of the stream, and the amount per 100 ft of stream will be calculated.	0.0
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Left Side: 0 Right Side: 0

9	$V_{SRICH}$	Riparian vegetation species richness per 100 feet of stream reach. Check all species present from Group 1 in the tallest stratum. Check all exotic and invasive species present in all strata. Species richness per 100 feet and the subindex will be calculated from these data.	0.00
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Group 1 = 1.0		Group 2 (-1.0)	
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Acer rubrum</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Magnolia tripetala</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Ailanthus altissima</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Lonicera japonica</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Acer saccharum</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Nyssa sylvatica</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Albizia julibrissin</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Lonicera tatarica</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Aesculus flava</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Oxydendrum arboreum</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Alliaria petiolata</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Lotus corniculatus</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Asimina triloba</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Prunus serotina</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Alternanthera philoxeroides</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Lythrum salicaria</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Betula alleghaniensis</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Quercus alba</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Aster tataricus</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Microstegium vimineum</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Betula lenta</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Quercus coccinea</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Cerastium fontanum</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Paulownia tomentosa</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Carya alba</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Quercus imbricaria</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Coronilla varia</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Polygonum cuspidatum</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Carya glabra</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Quercus prinus</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Elaeagnus umbellata</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Pueraria montana</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Carya ovalis</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Quercus rubra</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Lespedeza bicolor</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Rosa multiflora</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Carya ovata</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Quercus velutina</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Lespedeza cuneata</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Sorghum halepense</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Cornus florida</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Sassafras albidum</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Ligustrum obtusifolium</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Verbena brasiliensis</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Fagus grandifolia</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Tilia americana</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Ligustrum sinense</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Fraxinus americana</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Tsuga canadensis</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Ulmus americana</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Magnolia acuminata</i>			

0 Species in Group 1

0 Species in Group 2

**Sample Variables 10-11 within at least 8 subplots (40" x 40", or 1m x 1m) in the riparian/buffer zone within 25 feet from each bank. The four subplots should be placed roughly equidistantly along each side of the stream.**

10	V <sub>DETRITUS</sub>	Average percent cover of leaves, sticks, or other organic material. Woody debris <4" diameter and <36" long are include. Enter the percent cover of the detrital layer at each subplot.	19.17 %																								
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11	V <sub>HERB</sub>	Average percentage cover of herbaceous vegetation (measure only if tree cover is <20%). Do <i>not</i> include woody stems at least 4" dbh and 36" tall. Because there may be several layers of ground cover vegetation percentages up through 200% are accepted. Enter the percent cover of ground vegetation at each subplot.	81 %																								
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**Sample Variable 12 within the entire catchment of the stream.**

12	V <sub>WLUSE</sub>	Weighted Average of Runoff Score for watershed:	1.00																																				
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S-MN45			Notes:
Variable	Value	VSI	Land Cover Analysis was completed using the 2019 National Land Cover Database (NLCD), from Landat satellite imagery and other supplementary datasets. Watershed boundaries are based off field delineated stream impacts.
V <sub>CCANOPY</sub>	Not Used, <20%	Not Used	
V <sub>EMBED</sub>	2.1	0.49	
V <sub>SUBSTRATE</sub>	0.14 in	0.07	
V <sub>BERO</sub>	0 %	1.00	
V <sub>LWD</sub>	11.5	1.00	
V <sub>TDBH</sub>	Not Used	Not Used	
V <sub>SNAG</sub>	0.0	0.10	
V <sub>SSD</sub>	0.0	0.00	
V <sub>SRICH</sub>	0.00	0.00	
V <sub>DETRITUS</sub>	19.2 %	0.23	
V <sub>HERB</sub>	81 %	1.00	
V <sub>WLUSE</sub>	1	1.00	



# PHYSICAL CHARACTERIZATION/WATER QUALITY FIELD DATA SHEET (FRONT)

STREAM NAMES-MN45 UNT to Hans Creek		LOCATION <u>Monroe/F</u>
STATION # _____ RIVERMILE _____		STREAM CLASS <u>Ephemeral</u> <input type="checkbox"/>
LAT _____ LONG _____		COUNTY <u>Monroe</u> <input type="checkbox"/>
STORET # _____		AGENCY <u>Potesta/Edge</u>
INVESTIGATORS <u>SABK/WP/RA/EW</u>		
FORM COMPLETED BY <u>A. Kincaid</u>		DATE <u>8/26/2021</u> TIME <u>1000 AM</u>
REASON FOR SURVEY <u>Preliminary Assessment</u>		

<b>WEATHER CONDITIONS</b>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p><b>Now</b></p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="margin-right: 10px;"> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> </div> <div>           storm (heavy rain)            rain (steady rain)            showers (intermittent)            %cloud cover            clear/sunny         </div> </div> <p>_____ %</p> </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p><b>Past 24 hours</b></p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="margin-right: 10px;"> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> </div> <div>           100 %         </div> </div> </div> </div> <div style="margin-top: 10px;"> <p><b>Has there been a heavy rain in the last 7 days?</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><b>Air Temperature</b> <u>80</u> °F <u>0</u> °C</p> <p><b>Other</b> _____</p> </div>
<b>SITE LOCATION/MAP</b>	<p><b>Draw a map of the site and indicate the areas sampled (or attach a photograph)</b></p>
<b>STREAM CHARACTERIZATION</b>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p><b>Stream Subsystem</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Perennial <input type="checkbox"/> Intermittent <input type="checkbox"/> Tidal</p> <p><b>Stream Origin</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Glacial <input type="checkbox"/> Spring-fed  <input type="checkbox"/> Non-glacial montane <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mixture of origins  <input type="checkbox"/> Swamp and bog <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p> </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p><b>Stream Type</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Coldwater <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Warmwater</p> <p><b>Catchment Area</b> _____ km<sup>2</sup></p> </div> </div>

# PHYSICAL CHARACTERIZATION/WATER QUALITY FIELD DATA SHEET (BACK)

<b>WATERSHED FEATURES</b>	<b>Predominant Surrounding Landuse</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Forest <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Field/Pasture <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Residential	<b>Local Watershed NPS Pollution</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No evidence <input type="checkbox"/> Some potential sources <input type="checkbox"/> Obvious sources <b>Local Watershed Erosion</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Moderate <input type="checkbox"/> Heavy
<b>RIPARIAN VEGETATION (18 meter buffer)</b>	<b>Indicate the dominant type and record the dominant species present</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Trees <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shrubs <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grasses <input type="checkbox"/> Herbaceous Dominant species present <u>Grasses</u>	
<b>INSTREAM FEATURES</b>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;">           Estimated Reach Length <u>78</u> ft    m            Estimated Stream Width <u>1.5</u> ft    m            Sampling Reach Area <u>117</u> m<sup>2</sup>            Area in km<sup>2</sup> (m<sup>2</sup>x1000) _____ km<sup>2</sup>            Estimated Stream Depth <u>0</u> m            Surface Velocity <u>0</u> m/sec            Stream Dry <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <b>Canopy Cover</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Partly open    <input type="checkbox"/> Partly shaded    <input type="checkbox"/> Shaded  <b>High Water Mark</b> _____ m  <b>Proportion of Reach Represented by Stream Morphology Types</b>            Riffle<sup>o</sup> _____ %    Run<sup>o</sup> _____ %            Pool<sup>o</sup> _____ %  <b>Channelized</b>    <input type="checkbox"/> Yes    <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No  <b>Dam Present</b>    <input type="checkbox"/> Yes    <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No         </div> </div>	
<b>LARGE WOODY DEBRIS</b>	<b>LWD</b> _____ m <sup>2</sup> <b>Density of LWD</b> _____ m <sup>2</sup> /km <sup>2</sup> (LWD/ reach area)	
<b>AQUATIC VEGETATION</b>	<b>Indicate the dominant type and record the dominant species present</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Rooted emergent <input type="checkbox"/> Rooted submergent <input type="checkbox"/> Rooted floating <input type="checkbox"/> Free floating <input type="checkbox"/> Floating Algae <input type="checkbox"/> Attached Algae Dominant species present <u>N/A</u> Portion of the reach with aquatic vegetation <u>0</u> %	
<b>WATER QUALITY</b>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;">           Temperature _____ °C            Specific Conductance _____            Dissolved Oxygen _____            pH _____            Turbidity _____            WQ Instrument Used _____         </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <b>Water Odors</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Normal/None    <input type="checkbox"/> Sewage  <input type="checkbox"/> Petroleum    <input type="checkbox"/> Chemical  <input type="checkbox"/> Fishy    <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____  <b>Water Surface Oils</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Slick    <input type="checkbox"/> Sheen    <input type="checkbox"/> Globs    <input type="checkbox"/> Flecks  <input type="checkbox"/> None    <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____  <b>Turbidity (if not measured)</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Clear    <input type="checkbox"/> Slightly turbid    <input type="checkbox"/> Turbid  <input type="checkbox"/> Opaque    <input type="checkbox"/> Stained    <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____         </div> </div>	
<b>SEDIMENT/ SUBSTRATE</b>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <b>Odors</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Normal    <input type="checkbox"/> Sewage    <input type="checkbox"/> Petroleum  <input type="checkbox"/> Chemical    <input type="checkbox"/> Anaerobic    <input type="checkbox"/> None  <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____  <b>Oils</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Absent    <input type="checkbox"/> Slight    <input type="checkbox"/> Moderate    <input type="checkbox"/> Profuse         </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <b>Deposits</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Sludge    <input type="checkbox"/> Sawdust    <input type="checkbox"/> Paper fiber    <input type="checkbox"/> Sand  <input type="checkbox"/> Relict shells    <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____  <b>Looking at stones which are not deeply embedded, are the undersides black in color?</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Yes    <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No         </div> </div>	

INORGANIC SUBSTRATE COMPONENTS (should add up to 100%)			ORGANIC SUBSTRATE COMPONENTS (does not necessarily add up to 100%)		
Substrate Type	Diameter	% Composition in Sampling Reach	Substrate Type	Characteristic	% Composition in Sampling Area
Bedrock		0	Detritus	sticks, wood, coarse plant materials (CPOM)	20
Boulder	> 256 mm (10")	0			
Cobble	64-256 mm (2.5"-10")	1	Muck-Mud	black, very fine organic (FPOM)	0
Gravel	2-64 mm (0.1"-2.5")	14			
Sand	0.06-2mm (gritty)	0	Marl	grey, shell fragments	0
Silt	0.004-0.06 mm	85			
Clay	< 0.004 mm (slick)	0			



# HABITAT ASSESSMENT FIELD DATA SHEET - HG - USE ON ALL STREAMS (FRONT)

STREAM NAMES-MN45 UNT to Hans Creek		LOCATION	
STATION # _____ RIVERMILE _____		STREAM CLASS Ephemeral <input type="checkbox"/>	
LAT _____ LONG _____		COUNTY Monroe <input type="checkbox"/>	
STORET # _____		AGENCY Potesta/Edge	
INVESTIGATORS ABK/WP/RA/EW			
FORM COMPLETED BY A. Kincaid		DATE 8/26/2021 TIME 1000 AM AM PM	REASON FOR SURVEY Preliminary Assessment

Habitat Parameter	Condition Category			
	Optimal	Suboptimal	Marginal	Poor
<b>1. Epifaunal Substrate/ Available Cover</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A  SCORE 0 <input type="checkbox"/>	Greater than 70% of substrate favorable for epifaunal colonization and fish cover; mix of snags, submerged logs, undercut banks, cobble or other stable habitat and at stage to allow full colonization potential (i.e., logs/snags that are <u>not</u> new fall and <u>not</u> transient).  20 19 18 17 16	40-70% mix of stable habitat; well-suited for full colonization potential; adequate habitat for maintenance of populations; presence of additional substrate in the form of newfall, but not yet prepared for colonization (may rate at high end of scale).  15 14 13 12 11	20-40% mix of stable habitat; habitat availability less than desirable; substrate frequently disturbed or removed.  10 9 8 7 6	Less than 20% stable habitat; lack of habitat is obvious; substrate unstable or lacking.  5 4 3 2 1 0
<b>2. Embeddedness</b>  SCORE 4 <input type="checkbox"/>	Gravel, cobble, and boulder particles are 0-25% surrounded by fine sediment. Layering of cobble provides diversity of niche space.  20 19 18 17 16	Gravel, cobble, and boulder particles are 25-50% surrounded by fine sediment.  15 14 13 12 11	Gravel, cobble, and boulder particles are 50-75% surrounded by fine sediment.  10 9 8 7 6	Gravel, cobble, and boulder particles are more than 75% surrounded by fine sediment.  5 4 3 2 1 0
<b>3. Velocity/Depth Regime</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A  SCORE 0 <input type="checkbox"/>	All four velocity/depth regimes present (slow-deep, slow-shallow, fast-deep, fast-shallow). (Slow is < 0.3 m/s, deep is > 0.5 m.)  20 19 18 17 16	Only 3 of the 4 regimes present (if fast-shallow is missing, score lower than if missing other regimes).  15 14 13 12 11	Only 2 of the 4 habitat regimes present (if fast-shallow or slow-shallow are missing, score low).  10 9 8 7 6	Dominated by 1 velocity/depth regime (usually slow-deep).  5 4 3 2 1 0
<b>4. Sediment Deposition</b>  SCORE 5 <input type="checkbox"/>	Little or no enlargement of islands or point bars and less than 5% of the bottom affected by sediment deposition.  20 19 18 17 16	Some new increase in bar formation, mostly from gravel, sand or fine sediment; 5-30% of the bottom affected; slight deposition in pools.  15 14 13 12 11	Moderate deposition of new gravel, sand or fine sediment on old and new bars; 30-50% of the bottom affected; sediment deposits at obstructions, constrictions, and bends; moderate deposition of pools prevalent.  10 9 8 7 6	Heavy deposits of fine material, increased bar development; more than 50% of the bottom changing frequently; pools almost absent due to substantial sediment deposition.  5 4 3 2 1 0
<b>5. Channel Flow Status</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A  SCORE 0 <input type="checkbox"/>	Water reaches base of both lower banks, and minimal amount of channel substrate is exposed.  20 19 18 17 16	Water fills >75% of the available channel; or <25% of channel substrate is exposed.  15 14 13 12 11	Water fills 25-75% of the available channel, and/or riffle substrates are mostly exposed.  10 9 8 7 6	Very little water in channel and mostly present as standing pools.  5 4 3 2 1 0

2 & 4 are rated low due to reach almost completely consisting of silt/sand mix. Fine substrates. Modified RBP.

# HABITAT ASSESSMENT FIELD DATA SHEET—HIGH GRADIENT STREAMS (BACK)

Habitat Parameter	Condition Category			
	Optimal	Suboptimal	Marginal	Poor
<b>6. Channel Alteration</b>  SCORE <u>19</u>	Channelization or dredging absent or minimal; stream with normal pattern.	Some channelization present, usually in areas of bridge abutments; evidence of past channelization, i.e., dredging, (greater than past 20 yr) may be present, but recent channelization is not present.	Channelization may be extensive; embankments or shoring structures present on both banks; and 40 to 80% of stream reach channelized and disrupted.	Banks shored with gabion or cement; over 80% of the stream reach channelized and disrupted. Instream habitat greatly altered or removed entirely.
	20 19 18 17 16	15 14 13 12 11	10 9 8 7 6	5 4 3 2 1 0
<b>7. Frequency of Riffles (or bends)</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A  SCORE <u>0</u>	Occurrence of riffles relatively frequent; ratio of distance between riffles divided by width of the stream <7:1 (generally 5 to 7); variety of habitat is key. In streams where riffles are continuous, placement of boulders or other large, natural obstruction is important.	Occurrence of riffles infrequent; distance between riffles divided by the width of the stream is between 7 to 15.	Occasional riffle or bend; bottom contours provide some habitat; distance between riffles divided by the width of the stream is between 15 to 25.	Generally all flat water or shallow riffles; poor habitat; distance between riffles divided by the width of the stream is a ratio of >25.
	20 19 18 17 16	15 14 13 12 11	10 9 8 7 6	5 4 3 2 1 0
<b>8. Bank Stability (score each bank)</b>  Note: determine left or right side by facing downstream. SCORE <u>9</u> SCORE <u>9</u>	Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems. <5% of bank affected.	Moderately stable; infrequent, small areas of erosion mostly healed over. 5-30% of bank in reach has areas of erosion.	Moderately unstable; 30-60% of bank in reach has areas of erosion; high erosion potential during floods.	Unstable; many eroded areas; "raw" areas frequent along straight sections and bends; obvious bank sloughing; 60-100% of bank has erosional scars.
	Left Bank 10 9	8 7 6	5 4 3	2 1 0
	Right Bank 10 9	8 7 6	5 4 3	2 1 0
<b>9. Vegetative Protection (score each bank)</b>  SCORE <u>10</u> SCORE <u>9</u>	More than 90% of the streambank surfaces and immediate riparian zone covered by native vegetation, including trees, understory shrubs, or nonwoody macrophytes; vegetative disruption through grazing or mowing minimal or not evident; almost all plants allowed to grow naturally.	70-90% of the streambank surfaces covered by native vegetation, but one class of plants is not well-represented; disruption evident but not affecting full plant growth potential to any great extent; more than one-half of the potential plant stubble height remaining.	50-70% of the streambank surfaces covered by vegetation; disruption obvious; patches of bare soil or closely cropped vegetation common; less than one-half of the potential plant stubble height remaining.	Less than 50% of the streambank surfaces covered by vegetation; disruption of streambank vegetation is very high; vegetation has been removed to 5 centimeters or less in average stubble height.
	Left Bank 10 9	8 7 6	5 4 3	2 1 0
	Right Bank 10 9	8 7 6	5 4 3	2 1 0
<b>10. Riparian Vegetative Zone Width (score each bank riparian zone)</b>  SCORE <u>8</u> SCORE <u>8</u>	Width of riparian zone >18 meters; human activities (i.e., parking lots, roadbeds, clear-cuts, lawns, or crops) have not impacted zone.	Width of riparian zone 12-18 meters; human activities have impacted zone only minimally.	Width of riparian zone 6-12 meters; human activities have impacted zone a great deal.	Width of riparian zone <6 meters; little or no riparian vegetation due to human activities.
	Left Bank 10 9	8 7 6	5 4 3	2 1 0
	Right Bank 10 9	8 7 6	5 4 3	2 1 0

Total Score 81



## BENTHIC MACROINVERTEBRATE FIELD DATA SHEET

STREAM NAMES-MN45 UNT to Hans Creek		LOCATION	
STATION # _____ RIVERMILE _____		STREAM CLASS Ephemeral <input type="checkbox"/>	
LAT _____ LONG _____		COUNTY Monroe <input type="checkbox"/>	
STORET # _____		AGENCY Potesta/Edge	
INVESTIGATORS ABK/WP/RA/EW		LOT NUMBER	
FORM COMPLETED BY <b>A. Kincaid</b>		DATE <u>8/26/2021</u> TIME <u>1002 AM</u>	REASON FOR SURVEY Preliminary Assessment

<b>HABITAT TYPES</b>	<b>Indicate the percentage of each habitat type present</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Cobble _____% <input type="checkbox"/> Snags _____% <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetated Banks _____% <input type="checkbox"/> Sand _____% <input type="checkbox"/> Submerged Macrophytes _____% <input type="checkbox"/> Other ( _____ ) _____%
<b>SAMPLE COLLECTION</b>	<b>Gear used</b> <input type="checkbox"/> D-frame <input type="checkbox"/> kick-net <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____  <b>How were the samples collected?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> wading <input type="checkbox"/> from bank <input type="checkbox"/> from boat  <b>Indicate the number of jabs/kicks taken in each habitat type.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Cobble _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Snags _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetated Banks _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Sand _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Submerged Macrophytes _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Other ( _____ ) _____
<b>GENERAL COMMENTS</b>	no benthic smaple collected due to lack of habitat/no water

### QUALITATIVE LISTING OF AQUATIC BIOTA

Indicate estimated abundance: 0 = Absent/Not Observed, 1 = Rare, 2 = Common, 3= Abundant, 4 = Dominant

Periphyton	0	1	2	3	4	Slimes	0	1	2	3	4
Filamentous Algae	0	1	2	3	4	Macroinvertebrates	0	1	2	3	4
Macrophytes	0	1	2	3	4	Fish	0	1	2	3	4

### FIELD OBSERVATIONS OF MACROBENTHOS

Indicate estimated abundance: 0 = Absent/Not Observed, 1 = Rare (1-3 organisms), 2 = Common (3-9 organisms), 3= Abundant (>10 organisms), 4 = Dominant (>50 organisms)

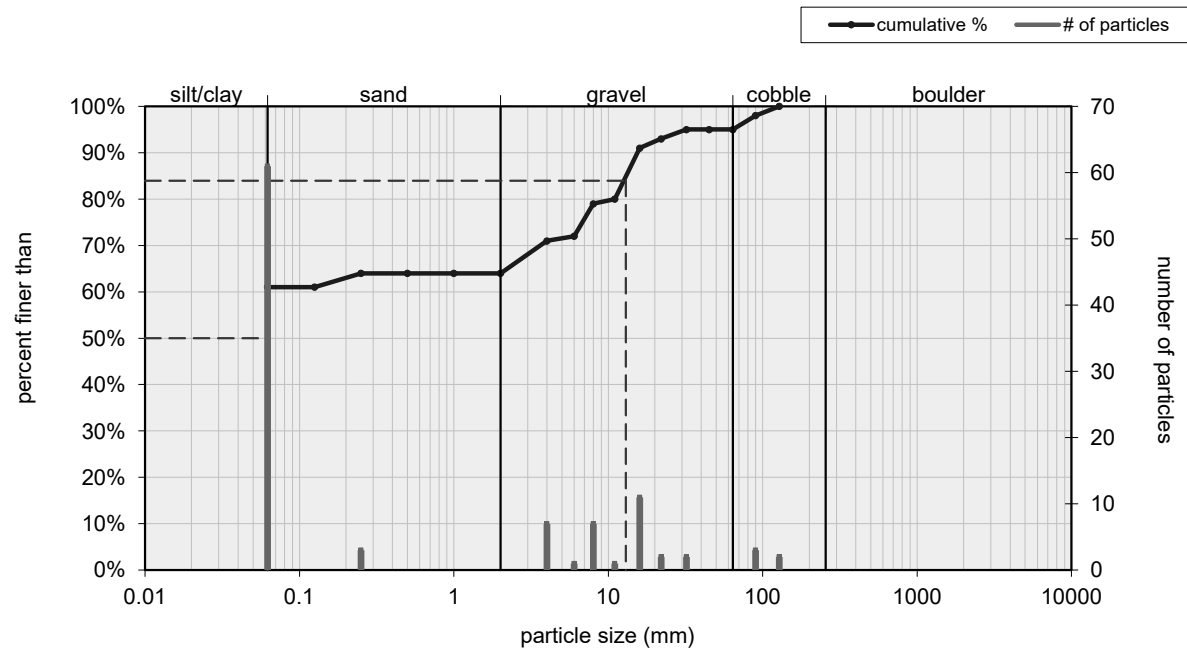
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Hydrozoa	0	1	2	3	4	Zygoptera	0	1	2	3	4	Ephemeroptera	0	1	2	3	4
Platyhelminthes	0	1	2	3	4	Hemiptera	0	1	2	3	4	Trichoptera	0	1	2	3	4
Turbellaria	0	1	2	3	4	Coleoptera	0	1	2	3	4	Other	0	1	2	3	4
Hirudinea	0	1	2	3	4	Lepidoptera	0	1	2	3	4						
Oligochaeta	0	1	2	3	4	Sialidae	0	1	2	3	4						
Isopoda	0	1	2	3	4	Corydalidae	0	1	2	3	4						
Amphipoda	0	1	2	3	4	Tipulidae	0	1	2	3	4						
Decapoda	0	1	2	3	4	Empididae	0	1	2	3	4						
Gastropoda	0	1	2	3	4	Simuliidae	0	1	2	3	4						
Bivalvia	0	1	2	3	4	Tabinidae	0	1	2	3	4						
						Culcidae	0	1	2	3	4						

Inches	PARTICLE	Millimeters	
	Silt / Clay	< 0.62	S/C
	Very Fine	.062 - .125	SAND
	Fine	.125 - .25	
	Medium	.25 - .50	
	Coarse	.50 - 1.0	
.04 - .08	Very Coarse	1.0 - 2	
.08 - .16	Very Fine	2 - 4	GRAVEL
.16 - .22	Fine	4 - 5.7	
.22 - .31	Fine	5.7 - 8	
.31 - .44	Medium	8 - 11.3	
.44 - .63	Medium	11.3 - 16	
.63 - .89	Coarse	16 - 22.6	
.89 - 1.3	Coarse	22.6 - 32	
1.3 - 1.6	Very Coarse	32 - 45	
1.8 - 2.5	Very Coarse	45 - 64	
2.5 - 3.5	Small	64 - 90	COBBLES
3.5 - 5.0	Small	90 - 128	
5.0 - 7.1	Large	128 - 180	
7.1 - 10.1	Large	180 - 256	
10.1 - 14.3	Small	256 - 362	BOULDER
14.3 - 20	Small	362 - 512	
20 - 40	Medium	512 - 1024	
40 - 60	Large-Very Large	1024 - 2048	
	Bedrock		BR



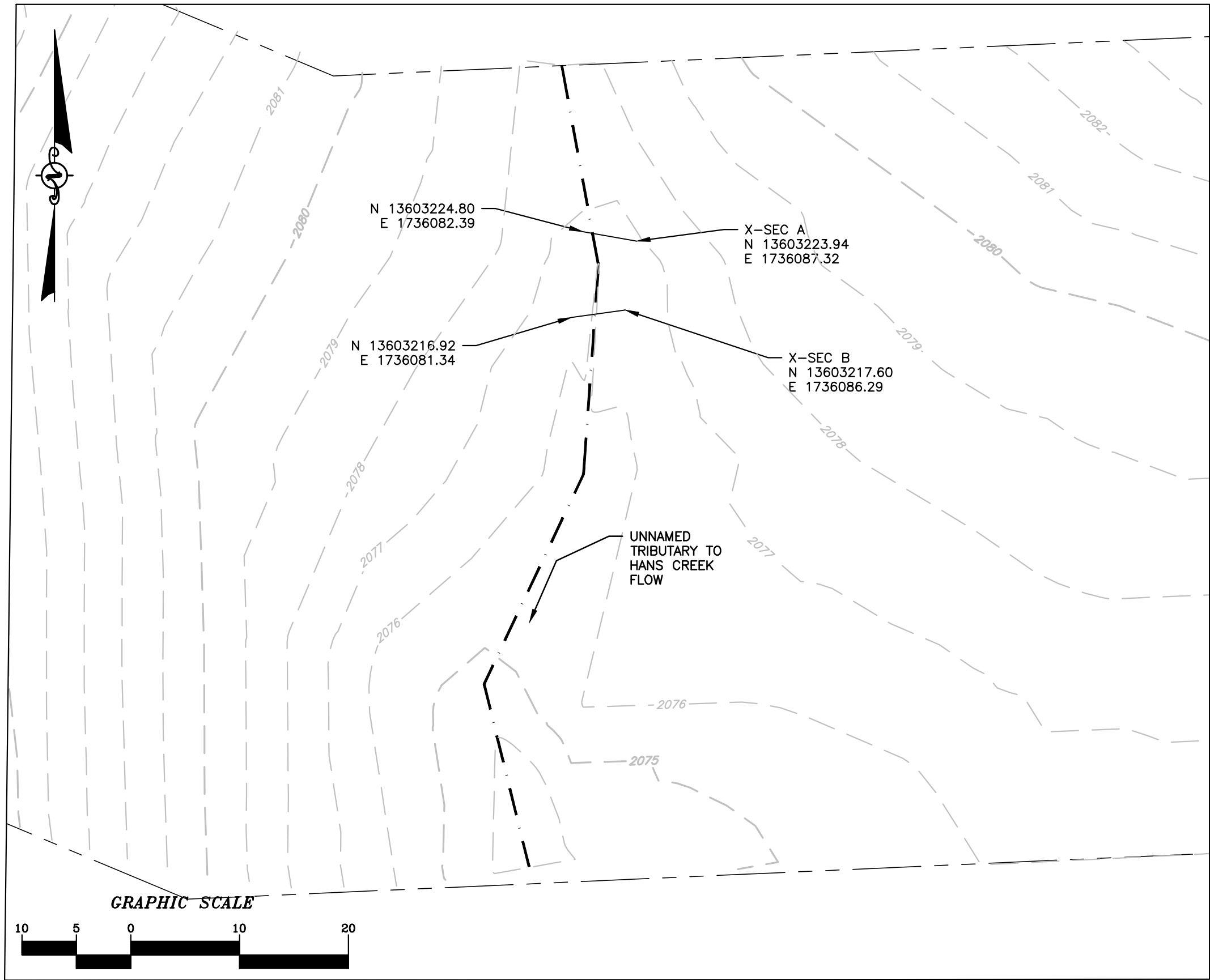
Bankfull Channel		
Material	Size Range (mm)	Count
silt/clay	0 - 0.062	61
very fine sand	0.062 - 0.125	
fine sand	0.125 - 0.25	3
medium sand	0.25 - 0.5	
coarse sand	0.5 - 1	
very coarse sand	1 - 2	
very fine gravel	2 - 4	7
fine gravel	4 - 6	1
fine gravel	6 - 8	7
medium gravel	8 - 11	1
medium gravel	11 - 16	11
coarse gravel	16 - 22	2
coarse gravel	22 - 32	2
very coarse gravel	32 - 45	
very coarse gravel	45 - 64	
small cobble	64 - 90	3
medium cobble	90 - 128	2
large cobble	128 - 180	
very large cobble	180 - 256	
small boulder	256 - 362	
small boulder	362 - 512	
medium boulder	512 - 1024	
large boulder	1024 - 2048	
very large boulder	2048 - 4096	
total particle count:		100
bedrock -----		
clay hardpan -----		
detritus/wood -----		
artificial -----		
total count:		100
Note:		

Bankfull Channel Pebble Count, UNT to Hans Creek (S-MN45)



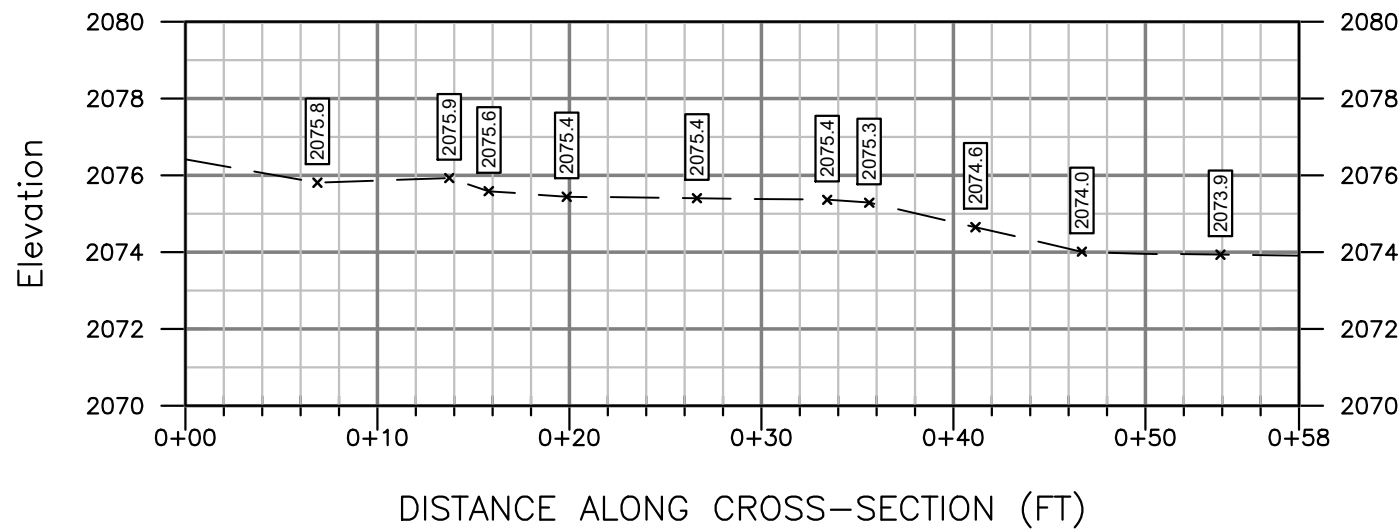
Size (mm)		Size Distribution		Type	
D16	0.062	mean	0.9	silt/clay	61%
D35	0.062	dispersion	105.3	sand	3%
D50	0.062	skewness	0.76	gravel	31%
D65	2.2			cobble	5%
D84	13			boulder	0%
D95	45				

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### S-MN45 THALWEG BASELINE PROFILE



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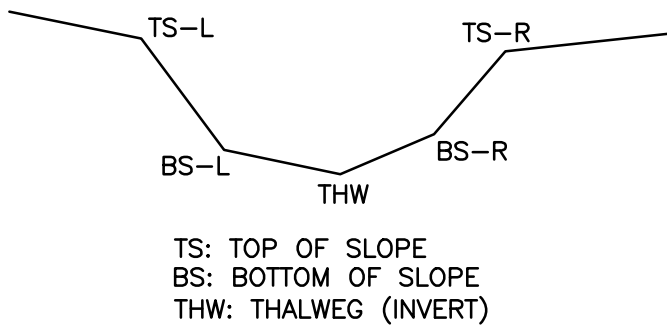
EXISTING STREAM PROFILE  
INVERT ALONG THALWEG

#### PROFILE

H: 1"=10'  
V: 1"=5'

AS-BUILT TABLE: S-MN45 CROSS SECTION A					
PRE-CROSSING				AS-BUILT	
PT. LOC.	NORTHING	EASTING	ELEV.	VERT. DIFF.	HORZ. DIFF.
TS-L	13603217.42	1736085.73	2076.25		
BS-L	13603217.34	1736084.46	2076.08		
THW	13603217.33	1736083.42	2075.93		
BS-R	13603217.08	1736082.36	2075.99		
TS-R	13603216.90	1736081.55	2076.20		

#### TYPICAL 5-POINT CROSS-SECTION (FACING DOWNSTREAM)



TS: TOP OF SLOPE  
BS: BOTTOM OF SLOPE  
THW: THALWEG (INVERT)

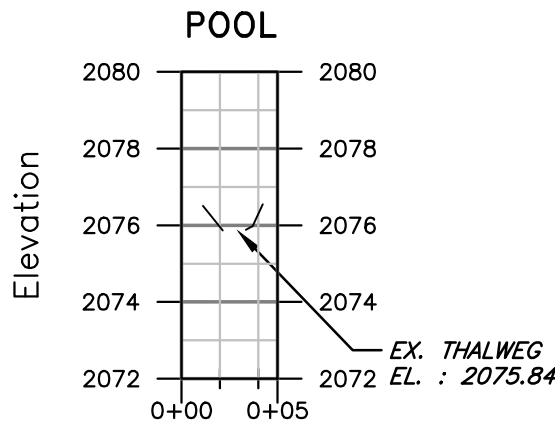
### LEGEND

- STUDY AREA (EASEMENT)
- EXISTING SURVEY-LOCATED THALWEG
- EXISTING SURVEYED GROUND SHOT ELEVATION

#### SURVEY NOTES:

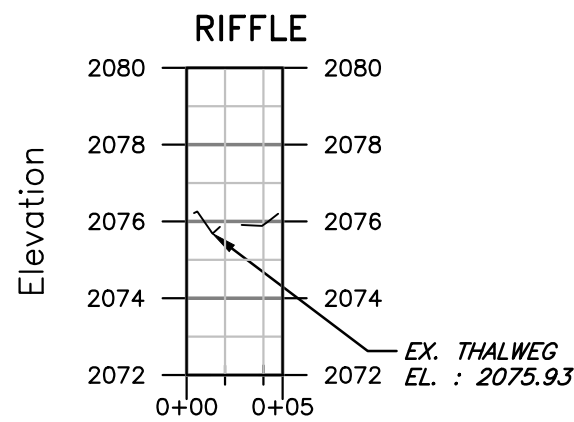
- THIS MAP HAS BEEN ORIENTED TO NAD 1983 UTM ZONE 17N, AND VERTICALLY TO THE NORTH AMERICAN VERTICAL DATUM OF 1988 (NAVD 88), USING REAL TIME DGPS. FIELD LOCATIONS WERE COMPLETED ON 8-26-2021.
- EASEMENT LINES SHOWN ON PLAN VIEW WERE PROVIDED BY MOUNTAIN VALLEY PIPELINE.
- SURVEY POINTS FOR CROSS SECTIONS AND THALWEG PROFILES COLLECTED IN 2021 HAVE BEEN USED IN COMBINATION WITH SURVEY POINTS AND COLLECTED PREVIOUSLY IN 2020 IN ORDER TO GENERATE THE PRE-CROSSING SURFACE SHOWN IN PLAN. DUE TO NATURAL EROSIONAL STREAM PROCESSES THAT OCCUR OVER TIME, MINOR ADJUSTMENTS TO THE PROFILE ALIGNMENTS MAY HAVE BEEN REQUIRED IN ORDER TO GENERATE A CLEAN PRE-CROSSING SURFACE.
- ALL SECTION VIEWS SHOWN LEFT TO RIGHT FACING DOWNSTREAM.
- POST-CROSSING SURVEY INFORMATION SHOWN IN RED. DATA PENDING.
- POST-CROSSING SURVEY POINTS FOR CROSS SECTIONS AND THALWEG ARE PROJECTED ONTO PRE-CROSSING SECTION AND PROFILE VIEWS FOR COMPARISON.

### S-MN45 BASELINE CROSS-SECTION A



DISTANCE ALONG CROSS-SECTION (FT)

### S-MN45 BASELINE CROSS-SECTION B



DISTANCE ALONG CROSS-SECTION (FT)

#### CROSS SECTION LEGEND

EXISTING GRADE

#### CROSS SECTION

H: 1"=10'  
V: 1"=5'

#### PRE-CROSSING PHOTOS



PHOTO TAKEN LOOKING DOWNSTREAM  
FROM UPSTREAM IMPACT LIMITS



PHOTO TAKEN LOOKING UPSTREAM FROM  
DOWNSTREAM IMPACT LIMITS

#### POST-CROSSING PHOTOS

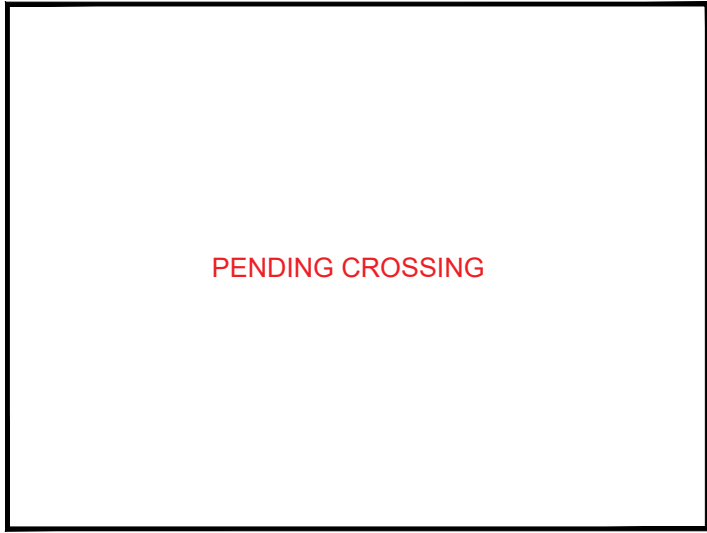


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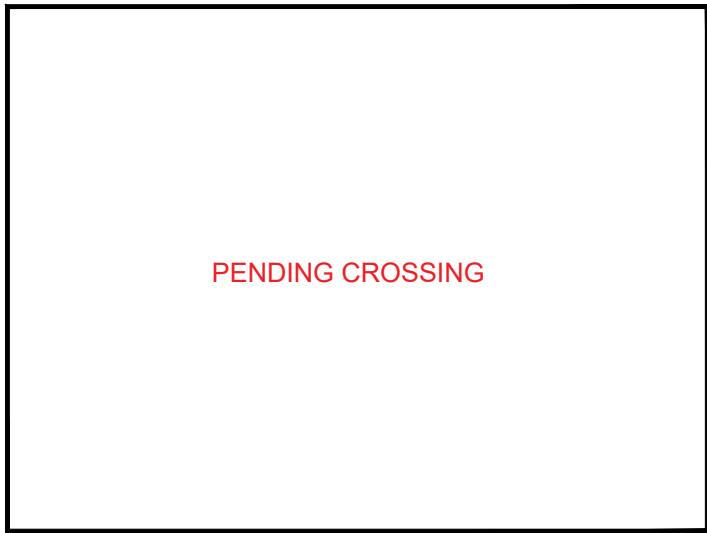


PHOTO TAKEN LOOKING UPSTREAM FROM  
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PRE-CROSSING

NOTE: ALL SECTION VIEWS SHOWN LEFT TO RIGHT FACING DOWNSTREAM.

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CROSSING S-MN45 - UNNAMED TRIB. OF  
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