Baseline Assessment – Stream Attributes

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*Additional information was collected on 2/8/2022. Water Quality and Benthic data was not collected due to no flow conditions.

Reach S-Q12 (Pipeline ROW) Ephemeral Spread G Giles County, Virginia

Data	Included
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	√ *
RiverMorph Data Sheet	√ *
USM Form (Virginia Only)	√ *
Longitudinal Profile and Cross Sections	N/A – Dense regrowth to be cleared prior to
	access



Photo Type: DS VIEW
Location, Orientation, Photographer Initials: Downstream view of LOC looking S/SE, KB



Photo Type: US VIEW
Location, Orientation, Photographer Initials: Upstream view of LOC looking NW, KB



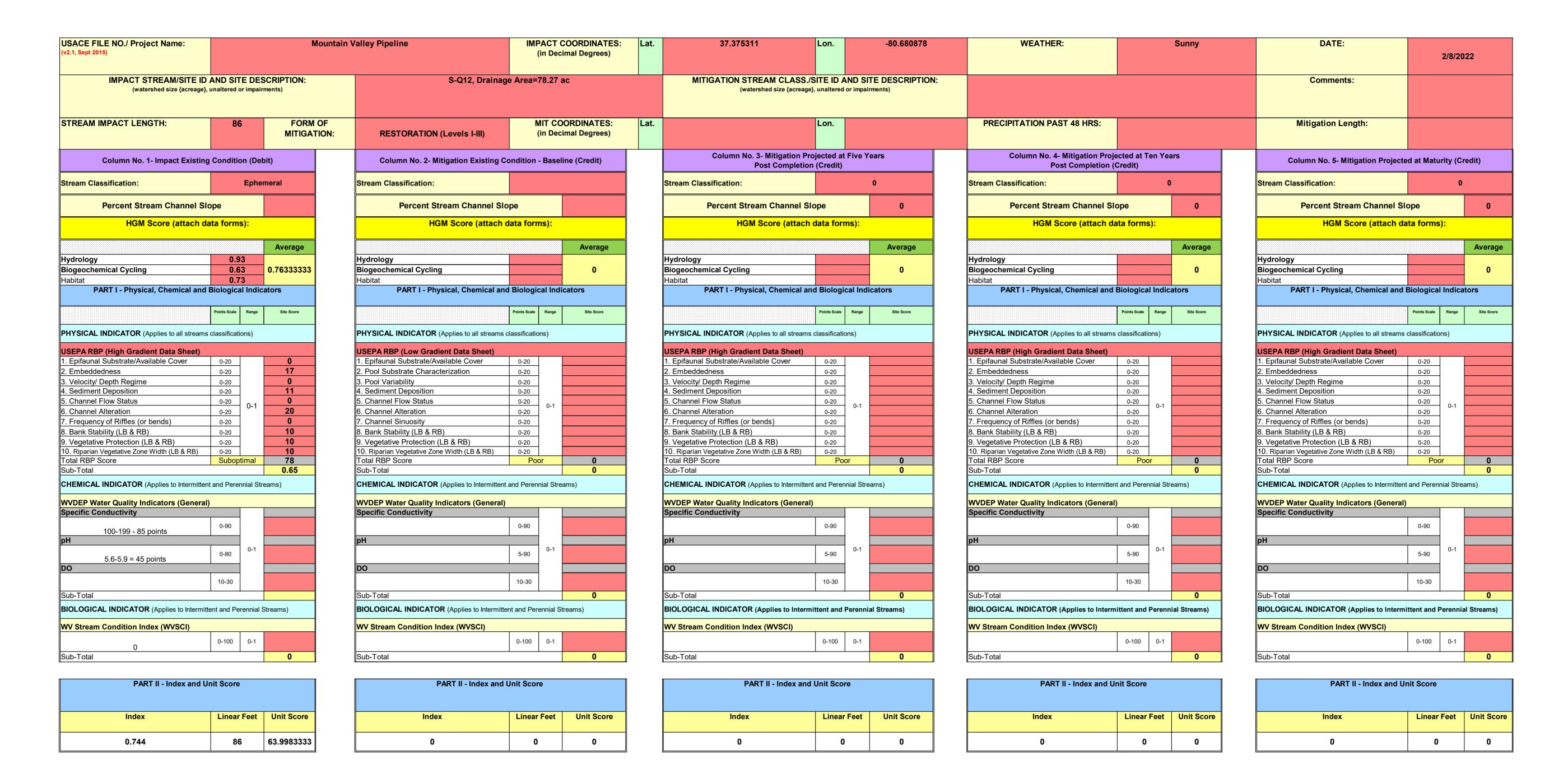
Location, Orientation, Photographer Initials: Standing on LB looking at RB along pipe centerline looking SW, KB



Location, Orientation, Photographer Initials: Standing on RB looking at LB along pipe centerline looking NE, KB



Location, Orientation, Photographer Initials: Downstream conditions outside of LOC looking S/SE, KB



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FCI Calculator for the High-Gradient Headwater Streams in Appalachia

To ensure accurate calculations, the <u>UPPERMOST STRATUM</u> of the plant community is determined based on the calculated value for V_{CCANOPY} (≥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: Mountain Valley Pipeline

Location: Giles County

Sampling Date: 2/8/22 Project Site Before Project

Subclass for this SAR:

Ephemeral Stream

Uppermost stratum present at this SAR: SAR number: 86

Shrub/Herb Strata

Functional Results Summary:

Enter Results in Section A of the Mitigation Sufficiency Calculator

Function	Functional Capacity Index
Hydrology	0.93
Biogeochemical Cycling	0.63
Habitat	0.73

Variable Measure and Subindex Summary:

Variable	Name	Average Measure	Subindex
V _{CCANOPY}	Percent canpoy over channel.	Not Used, <20%	Not Used
V _{EMBED}	Average embeddedness of channel.	3.32	0.94
V _{SUBSTRATE}	Median stream channel substrate particle size.	1.90	0.95
V _{BERO}	Total percent of eroded stream channel bank.	0.00	1.00
V_{LWD}	Number of down woody stems per 100 feet of stream.	37.50	0.78
V _{TDBH}	Average dbh of trees.	Not Used	Not Used
V _{SNAG}	Number of snags per 100 feet of stream.	5.00	0.80
V _{SSD}	Number of saplings and shrubs per 100 feet of stream.	125.00	1.00
V _{SRICH}	Riparian vegetation species richness.	0.00	0.00
V _{DETRITUS}	Average percent cover of leaves, sticks, etc.	65.63	0.80
V _{HERB}	Average percent cover of herbaceous vegetation.	18.25	0.24
V _{WLUSE}	Weighted Average of Runoff Score for Catchment.	0.97	1.00

High-Gradient Headwater Streams in Appalachia Field Data Sheet and Calculator												
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		Giles Coun					•	_	_	pling Date:		
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	5	2	1	1	3							
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		cle size in in	ches to the	nearest 0.1	inch at eacl	n point belo			_	ounted as 9	9 in,	
		concrete as				o m):						
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	3.00	2.60	2.80	0.08	0.60							
	0.40	0.60	1.10	9.00	1.80							
	0.40	6.10	1.90	2.50	0.08							
4	V_{BERO}		nt of eroded			Enter the to	otal nu	mber	of feet of er	oded bank	on each	
	DENO		e total perce									0 %
			Left Bank:	0	ft		Right E	Bank:	0	ft		

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

5	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.									37.5
	Number of downed woody stems: 30									
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.								
		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					
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9	V_{SRICH}			pecies richness per 100 i stratum. Check all exotic						0.00
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		Grou	ıp 1 = 1.0				Group	2 (-1.0)		
7	Acer rubru	m		Magnolia tripetala		Ailanthus a	ltissima	V	Lonicera ja	ponica
	Acer saccl	harum		Nyssa sylvatica		Albizia julib	rissin		Lonicera ta	tarica
	Aesculus f	lava		Oxydendrum arboreum		Alliaria peti	olata		Lotus corni	iculatus
	Asimina tri	iloba		Prunus serotina		Alternanthe	era		Lythrum sa	licaria
	Betula alleg	ghaniensis	V	Quercus alba		philoxeroid	es	V	Microstegiun	n vimineum
	Betula lent	ta		Quercus coccinea		Aster tatari	cus		Paulownia	tomentosa
	Carya alba	9		Quercus imbricaria		Cerastium i	fontanum		Polygonum d	cuspidatum
	Carya glab	ora		Quercus prinus		Coronilla va	aria		Pueraria m	ontana
	Carya ova	lis		Quercus rubra		Elaeagnus u	mbellata	V	Rosa multi	flora
	Carya ova	ta		Quercus velutina		Lespedeza	bicolor		Sorghum h	alepense
	Cornus flo	rida		Sassafras albidum		Lespedeza	cuneata		Verbena bi	rasiliensis
	Fagus gra	ndifolia		Tilia americana		Ligustrum ob	tusifolium			
	Fraxinus a	mericana		Tsuga canadensis		Ligustrum s	sinense			I
	Liriodendroi	n tulipifera		Ulmus americana						
	Magnolia a									
		2	Species in	Group 1			3	Species i	in Group 2	

Sample Variables 10-11 within at least 8 subplots (40" \times 40", or 1m \times 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.

Average percent cover of leaves, sticks, or other organic material. Woody debris <4" diameter and <36"													
100 70 100 85	10	V _{DETRITUS}											65.63 %
100 15				Left	Side			Rig	ht Side				
11			100	70			100	85					
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Land Use (Choose From Drop List) Runoff Score Catchment (not >100)													
Land Use (Choose From Drop List)	12	V _{WLUSE}	Weighted A	Average of F	Runoff Scor	e for waters	hed:						0.97
Impervious areas (parking lots, roofs, driveways, etc)		Land Use (Choose From Drop List)									Catch-	Percent	
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PHYSICAL CHARACTERIZATION/WATER QUALITY FIELD DATA SHEET (FRONT)

STREAM NAME S-Q12		LOCATION Giles County			
STATION # 10514+34 R	IVERMILE	STREAM CLASS Ephemeral			
LAT <u>37.375311</u> LO	ONG80.680878	RIVER BASIN Middle New			
STORET#		AGENCY VADEQ			
INVESTIGATORS KB NF					
FORM COMPLETED BY	NF	DATE 2/8/22 TIME 1:00 PM	REASON FOR SURVEY Baseline Assessment		
		T	Has there been a heavy rain in the last 7 days?		
WEATHER CONDITIONS	Now		Yes No		
	storm	(hoover roin)	Air Temperature ⁹ C		
	showers	(intormittant)	Other		
		ear/sunny			
SITE LOCATION/MAP	Draw a map of the sit	e and indicate the areas sample	d (or attach a photograph)		
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STREAM CHARACTERIZATION	Stream Subsystem ☐Perennial ☐Inte	ermittent Tidal	Stream Type Coldwater Warmwater		
	Stream Origin ☐Glacial	☐Spring-fed	Catchment Area 0.32 km²		
	Non-glacial montane	e Mixture of origins Other			
	swamp and bog				

PHYSICAL CHARACTERIZATION/WATER QUALITY FIELD DATA SHEET (BACK)

WATERS FEATURI		✓ Fores ✓ Field	Pasture Industri	rcial	Local Watershed NPS ☑ No evidence ☐ Son ☐ Obvious sources ☐ Local Watershed Erosi ☑ None ☐ Moderate	ne potential sources		
	IPARIAN EGETATION 8 meter buffer) Indicate the dominant type and record the dominant species present Grasses Grasses Herbaceous Dominant species present Multiflora rose, Princess tree paucwni							
INSTREA FEATURI		Estimat Samplin Area in Estimat		m m² km²	— , , , —	ly shaded □Shaded 25m epresented by Stream Run 100% ☑ No ☑ No		
LARGE WOODY DEBRIS LWD 50 m² Density of LWD m²/km² (LWD/ reach area)								
AQUATIC VEGETATION Indicate the dominant type and record the dominant species present Rooted submergent Attached Algae Dominant species present None Present Portion of the reach with aquatic vegetation 0 %						☐Free floating		
WATER (QUALITY	Specific Dissolve pH N/A Turbidi	cature NA 0 C c Conductance NA ed Oxygen NA etty NA ctrument Used NA	-		Chemical Other		
SEDIMEN SUBSTRA		Odors Norm Chem Other Oils Absen	nical Anaerobic	Petroleum None	—	□Paper fiber □Sand]Other h are not deeply embedded, k in color?		
INC		STRATE dd up to 1	COMPONENTS		ORGANIC SUBSTRATE C			
Substrate Diameter Type			% Composition in Sampling Reach	Substrate Type	Characteristic	% Composition in Sampling Area		
Bedrock Boulder	+		40	Detritus	sticks, wood, coarse plant materials (CPOM)	50		
Cobble Gravel	` ′		20 20	Muck-Mud	black, very fine organic (FPOM)			
Sand	Sand 0.06-2mm (gritty)		20 Marl §		grey, shell fragments			
Silt	0.004-0.06 mm		20]				
Clay	< 0.004 mm (sli	ck)						

Notes: Water Quality Measurements not taken due to minimal to no flow within channel.

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

STREAM NAME S-Q12	LOCATION Giles County				
STATION #_10514+34 RIVERMILE	STREAM CLASS Ephemeral				
LAT <u>37.375311</u> LONG <u>-80.680878</u>	RIVER BASIN Middle New				
STORET#	AGENCY VADEQ				
INVESTIGATORS KB NF					
FORM COMPLETED BY NF	DATE 2/8/22 TIME 1:00 PM AM PM REASON FOR SURVEY Baseline Assessment				

	Habitat		Condition	Category	
	Parameter	Optimal	Suboptimal	Marginal	Poor
	1. Epifaunal Substrate/ Available Cover	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 not new fall and not transient).	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).	20-40% mix of stable habitat; habitat availability less than desirable; substrate frequently disturbed or removed.	Less than 20% stable habitat; lack of habitat is obvious; substrate unstable or lacking.
	SCORE 0	20 19 18 17 16	15 14 13 12 11	10 9 8 7 6	5 4 3 2 1 0
n sampling reach	2. Embeddedness	Gravel, cobble, and boulder particles are 0- 25% surrounded by fine sediment. Layering of cobble provides diversity of niche space.	Gravel, cobble, and boulder particles are 25-50% surrounded by fine sediment.	Gravel, cobble, and boulder particles are 50- 75% surrounded by fine sediment.	Gravel, cobble, and boulder particles are more than 75% surrounded by fine sediment.
ted in	SCORE 17	20 19 18 17 16	15 14 13 12 11	10 9 8 7 6	5 4 3 2 1 0
Parameters to be evaluated in sampling reach	3. Velocity/Depth Regime	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.)	Only 3 of the 4 regimes present (if fast-shallow is missing, score lower than if missing other regimes).	Only 2 of the 4 habitat regimes present (if fast-shallow or slow-shallow are missing, score low).	Dominated by 1 velocity/ depth regime (usually slow-deep).
ıram	SCORE 0	20 19 18 17 16	15 14 13 12 11	10 9 8 7 6	5 4 3 2 1 0
P ₂	4. Sediment Deposition	Little or no enlargement of islands or point bars and less than 5% of the bottom affected by sediment deposition.	Some new increase in bar formation, mostly from gravel, sand or fine sediment; 5-30% of the bottom affected; slight deposition in pools.	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.	Heavy deposits of fine material, increased bar development; more than 50% of the bottom changing frequently; pools almost absent due to substantial sediment deposition.
	SCORE 11	20 19 18 17 16	15 14 13 12 11	10 9 8 7 6	5 4 3 2 1 0
	5. Channel Flow Status	Water reaches base of both lower banks, and minimal amount of channel substrate is exposed.	Water fills >75% of the available channel; or <25% of channel substrate is exposed.	Water fills 25-75% of the available channel, and/or riffle substrates are mostly exposed.	Very little water in channel and mostly present as standing pools.
	score 0	20 19 18 17 16	15 14 13 12 11	10 9 8 7 6	5 4 3 2 1 0

Notes:Overgrown herbs over reach, trees felled on top of channel.

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

	Habitat					
	Habitat Parameter	Optimal	Suboptimal	Marginal	Poor	
	6. Channel Alteration	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.	
	SCORE 20	20 19 18 17 16	15 14 13 12 11	10 9 8 7 6	5 4 3 2 1 0	
ling reach	7. Frequency of Riffles (or bends)	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.	
amp	SCORE 0	20 19 18 17 16	15 14 13 12 11	10 9 8 7 6	5 4 3 2 1 0	
Parameters to be evaluated broader than sampling reach	8. Bank Stability (score each bank) Note: determine left or right side by facing determine SCORE 5 SCORE 5	Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems. <5% of bank affected. Left Bank 10 9 Right Bank 10 9	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. 5 4 3 5 4 3	Unstable; many eroded areas; "raw" areas frequent along straight sections and bends; obvious bank sloughing; 60-100% of bank has erosional scars. 2 1 0 2 1 0	
Paramete	9. Vegetative Protection (score each bank)	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.	
	SCORE 5	Left Bank 10 9	8 7 6	5 4 3	2 1 0	
	10. Riparian Vegetative Zone Width (score each bank riparian zone)	Right Bank 10 9 Width of riparian zone >18 meters; human activities (i.e., parking lots, roadbeds, clear-cuts, lawns, or crops) have not impacted zone.	8 7 6 Width of riparian zone 12-18 meters; human activities have impacted zone only minimally.	5 4 3 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.	
	SCORE 5	Left Bank 10 9	8 7 6	5 4 3	2 1 0	
	SCORE 5	Right Bank 10 9	8 7 6	5 4 3	2 1 0	

BENTHIC MACROINVERTEBRATE FIELD DATA SHEET

STREAM NAME S-Q12					LOCATION	LOCATION Giles County											
STATION # 10514+34 RIVERMILE						STREAM C	STREAM CLASS Ephemeral										
LAT <u>37.375311</u> LONG <u>-80.680878</u>						RIVER BA	RIVER BASIN Middle New										
STORET#						AGENCY\	/ADEQ										
INVESTIGATORS K	B NF	=								I	LOT	NUMBER					
FORM COMPLETE	O BY	N	F			DATE 2/8/ TIME 1:0	0 PM			Ι	REAS	SON FOR SURVEY Ba	aselir	ne A	sse	ssm	ent
HABITAT TYPES	⊪∟	Cot	ble_		%	tage of each habitat	\square V	eget	t ated other	Banl	ks	%	%				
SAMPLE	G	ear	used		D-fr	ame kick-net		Пс	ther								
COLLECTION						_											
	H	ow v	vere	the	samp	les collected?	wadin	3	_	fror	n bar	ik from boa	t				
		Col	ble			r of jabs/kicks taker Snags phytes	$\square V$	eget	oitat ated Other	Banl	ks	Sand)					
GENERAL COMMENTS	В	en	thic	s r	not	collected du	e to l	ac	k o	f w	ate	er flow and hal	oita	t.			
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Filamentous Algae	;				0	1 2 3 4		Ma	croi	nve	rtebr	rates	0	1	2	3	4
Macrophytes					0	1 2 3 4		Fis	h				0	1	2	3	4
	d ab	und	anc	e:	0 = orga	Absent/Not Obse nnisms), 3= Abun	dant (>	>10	org	anis	sms)	rganisms), 2 = Cor , 4 = Dominant (>5	50 oı	rgar	nism		
Porifera						Anisoptera						Chironomidae		1			
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	1					
Doggerada	Λ	1	2	2	1	Empidida -	Λ	1	2	2	1						
Decapoda	0	1	2	3	4	Empididae	0	1	2	3	4						
Decapoda Gastropoda Bivalvia	0 0 0	1 1 1	2 2 2	3 3 3	4 4 4	Empididae Simuliidae Tabinidae	0 0 0	1 1 1	2 2 2	3 3 3	4 4 4						

WOLMAN PEBBLE COUNT FORM

County: Giles County Stream ID: S-Q12

Stream Name: UNT to Kimballton Branch

HUC Code: 05050002 Basin: Middle New

Survey Date: 2/8/2022 Surveyors: Type: KB NF

Representative Bankfull

			LE COUNT				
Inches	PARTICLE	Millimeters		Particle Count	Total #	Item %	% Cum
	Silt/Clay	< .062	S/C	-	30	30.00	30.00
	Very Fine	.062125		•	4	4.00	34.00
	Fine	.12525		•	0	0.00	34.00
	Medium	.255	SAND	•	0	0.00	34.00
	Coarse	.50-1.0		•	1	1.00	35.00
.0408	Very Coarse	1.0-2		•	3	3.00	38.00
.0816	Very Fine	2 -4		•	6	6.00	44.00
.1622	Fine	4 -5.7		•	10	10.00	54.00
.2231	Fine	5.7 - 8		•	4	4.00	58.00
.3144	Medium	8 -11.3		•	0	0.00	58.00
.4463	Medium	11.3 - 16	GRAVEL	•	0	0.00	58.00
.6389	Coarse	16 -22.6		•	3	3.00	61.00
.89 - 1.26	Coarse	22.6 - 32		•	5	5.00	66.00
1.26 - 1.77	Vry Coarse	32 - 45		•	12	12.00	78.00
1.77 -2.5	Vry Coarse	45 - 64]	•	4	4.00	82.00
2.5 - 3.5	Small	64 - 90		•	6	6.00	88.00
3.5 - 5.0	Small	90 - 128	COBBLE	•	3	3.00	91.00
5.0 - 7.1	Large	128 - 180	CORPLE	•	2	2.00	93.00
7.1 - 10.1	Large	180 - 256]	•	0	0.00	93.00
10.1 - 14.3	Small	256 - 362		^	4	4.00	97.00
14.3 - 20	Small	362 - 512	1	^	2	2.00	99.00
20 - 40	Medium	512 - 1024	BOULDER	A	1	1.00	100.00
40 - 80	Large	1024 -2048]	^	0	0.00	100.00
80 - 160	Vry Large	2048 -4096	1	A	0	0.00	100.00
	Bedrock		BDRK	^	0	0.00	100.00
				Totals:	100		

RIVERMORPH PARTICLE SUMMARY

River Name: Reach Name: Sample Name: UNT to Kimballton Branch

S-Q12 Representative Bankfull 02/08/2022 Survey Date:

Size (mm)	TOT #	ITEM %	CUM %
0 - 0.062 0.062 - 0.125 0.125 - 0.25 0.25 - 0.50 0.50 - 1.0 1.0 - 2.0 2.0 - 4.0 4.0 - 5.7 5.7 - 8.0 8.0 - 11.3 11.3 - 16.0 16.0 - 22.6 22.6 - 32.0 32 - 45 45 - 64 64 - 90 90 - 128 128 - 180 180 - 256 256 - 362 362 - 512 512 - 1024 1024 - 2048 Bedrock	30 4 0 0 1 3 6 10 4 0 0 3 5 12 4 6 3 2 0 4 2 1 0 0	30.00 4.00 0.00 0.00 1.00 3.00 6.00 10.00 4.00 0.00 3.00 5.00 12.00 4.00 6.00 3.00 2.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00	30.00 34.00 34.00 34.00 35.00 38.00 44.00 54.00 58.00 58.00 61.00 66.00 78.00 82.00 88.00 91.00 93.00 93.00 93.00 97.00 99.00 100.00 100.00
D16 (mm) D35 (mm) D50 (mm) D84 (mm) D95 (mm) D100 (mm) Silt/Clay (%) Sand (%) Gravel (%) Cobble (%) Boulder (%) Bedrock (%)	0.03 1 5.02 72.67 309 1023.95 30 8 44 11 7		

Total Particles = 100.

Ephemeral Stream Assessment Form (Form 1a) Unified Stream Methodology for use in Virginia For use in ephemeral streams Cowardin Impact **Impact Project Name** Project # Locality HUC Date SAR# Class. Length Factor Mountain Valley Pipeline (Mountain Giles 22865.06 05050002 2/9/2022 R6 S-Q12 80 1 Valley Pipeline, LLC) County Name(s) of Evaluator(s) Stream Name and Information SAR Length **KB NF UNT to Kimballton Branch** 86

2. RIPARIAN BUFFERS: Assess both bank's 100 foot riparian areas along the entire SAR. (rough measurements of length & width may be acceptable)

		Con	ditional Cate	gory				NOTES>>		1
	Optimal	Subo	ptimal	Mar	ginal	Po	oor			
Riparian Buffers	Tree stratum (dbh > 3 inches) present, with > 60% tree canopy cover and an non-maintained understory. Wetlands areas.	3 inches) present, with 30% to 60%		or a tree layer (dbn	ponds, open water. If present, tree	High Poor: Lawns, mowed, and maintained areas, nurseries; no-till cropland; actively grazed pasture, sparsely vegetated non-maintained area, recently seeded and stabilized, or other comparable condition.	Low Poor: Impervious surfaces, mine spoil lands, denuded surfaces, row crops, active feed lots, trails, or other comparable conditions.			
		High	Low	High	Low	High	Low			
Condition Scores	1.5	1.2	1.1	0.85	0.75	0.6	0.5			
2. Determine squ	rian areas along each stream bank i	or estimating lengt	h and width. Cald	· ·	·	of % F	the sums			
3. Enter the % RI	parian Area and Score for each ripa	irian category in th	e blocks below.			BIOCKS	equal 100			
Right Bank	% Riparian Area> 100%						100%			
	Score > 0.85							CI= (Sum % RA * S	ooroo*0.01\/2	-
	% Riparian Area> 100%								0.85	H
Left Bank	Score > 0.85						100%	Rt Bank CI >	0.85	t
	REACH (CONDITION	NDEX and S	STREAM CO	NDITION UNI	TS FOR THIS	S REACH			Г

NOTE: The Cls and RCl should be rounded to 2 decimal places. The CR should be rounded to a whole number.

THE REACH CONDITION INDEX (RCI) >> 0.43

RCI= (Riparian CI)/2

COMPENSATION REQUIREMENT (CR) >> 34

CR = RCI X LF X IF

INSERT PHOTOS:

 $(WSSI\ Photo\ Location\ L:\ 12000s\ 122800\ 122805\ .06\ Admin\ 05-ENVR\ Field\ Data\ Spread\ G\ Field\ Forms\ S-Q12\ Revisit\ Photos\ US\ View. JPG)$



Looking upstream from the upper portion of the assessment area. Assessment is limited to areas within the temporary ROW.