

(#5) NCF Stream Assessment Sheet

Date
Note Taker

Stream Segment ID & Total Length
DNR stream type (F, Np, Ns):

Note any Perennial Initiation Points, erosion, sediment deposition, channel cutting, dams, culverts, etc.
 Note approximate location on map or describe location.

Avg. Size (number)	Substrate (tick mark)	Gradient (tick mark)	Pool Ratio (tick mark)
Bank Full Width (ft)	Cobble(>5")	Low (<3%)	% pools/riffles
	Gravel(2-5")	Mod (3-20%)	
Bank Full Depth (")	Pebble(1/4-2")	High (20+%)	Residual Pool Depth (")
	Sand(<1/4")		
	Silt/clay		
	Bedrock		

Water Quality	
Turbidity	Note whether water is clear, turbid (brown, grey or reddish color), or green
Temp, pH, O ² :	

Riparian Vegetation (within 150' of the stream on each side)			
Forest type & desc.	Large Conifers (18" + dbh)	Overstory Canopy Cover	Overhanging Vegetation
	Abund.(obsrvd in 4 drtns)	High (75-100%)	High (75% of streambank)
	Common (2-3 directions)	Moderate (40 - 75%)	Moderate (25-75%)
	Rare (0-1)	Low (<40%)	Low: (<25%)

Organisms		
Fish (tick marks)	Amphibians (tick marks)	Insects (tick marks)
Abundant (every pool)	Abundant (every pool)	Abundant (3/4+ of rocks)
Common (most pools)	Common (most pools)	Common (1/2-3/4 rocks)
Rare (few pools, 0 if none)	Rare (few pools, 0 if none)	Rare (1/4, mark 0 if none)
<i>List species or species groups observed (salmonids, sculpin, etc)</i>		

Large Woody Debris (pieces must be at least length of the BFW stream width to count)			
Abundance	Large Pieces:		
	Small Pieces:		
# per 300'			
Species	% Conifer	% Hardwood	% Unk