

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - North Central and Northeast Region

Project/Site: SPP City/County: Clearwater Sampling Date: 2015-07-11
 Applicant/Owner: Enbridge State: Minnesota Sampling Point: CLC5005_210b1U
 Investigator(s): BJC/LEB Section, Township, Range: _____
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): Rise Local Relief (concave, convex, none): Convex Slope (%): 0-2%
 Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR K Latitude: 47.6665929845... Longitude: -95.40543001... Datum: Minnesota State ...
 Soil Map Unit Name: 718C, Naytahwaush loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes NWI Classification: _____

Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (if no, explain in Remarks): Yes
 Are Vegetation No, Soil No, or Hydrology No significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes
 Are Vegetation No, Soil No, or Hydrology No naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks)

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS - Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	<u>No</u>	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland? If yes, optional Wetland Site ID: _____
Hydric Soil Present?	<u>No</u>	
Wetland Hydrology Present?	<u>No</u>	
Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.) The upland sample point is located on a rise within a roadside ditch that is dominated by bur oak and large-leaf aster.		

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:		Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)	
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)			
☐ Surface Water (A1)	☐ Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	☐ Surface Soil Cracks (B6)	
☐ High Water Table (A2)	☐ Aquatic Fauna (B13)	☐ Drainage Patterns (B10)	
☐ Saturation (A3)	☐ Marl Deposits (B15)	☐ Moss Trim Lines (B16)	
☐ Water Marks (B1)	☐ Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	☐ Dry-Season Water Table (C2)	
☐ Sediment Deposits (B2)	☐ Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)	☐ Crayfish Burrows (C8)	
☐ Drift Deposits (B3)	☐ Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	☐ Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)	
☐ Algal Mat or Crust (B4)	☐ Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)	☐ Stunted/Stressed Plants (D1)	
☐ Iron Deposits (B5)	☐ Thin Muck Surface (C7)	☐ Geomorphic Position (D2)	
☐ Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)	☐ Other (Explain in Remarks)	☐ Shallow Aquitard (D3)	
☐ Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)		☐ Microtopographic Relief (D4)	
		☐ FAC-Neutral Test (D5)	
Field Observations: Surface Water Present? <u>No</u> Depth (inches) _____ Water Table Present? <u>No</u> Depth (inches) _____ Saturation Present? <u>No</u> Depth (inches) _____ (includes capillary fringe)		Wetland Hydrology Present? <u>No</u>	
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:			
Remarks: No indicators of wetland hydrology were observed.			

VEGETATION - Use scientific names of plants.

 Sampling Point: CLC5005_...

	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	
Tree Stratum (Plot Size: <u>30 ft</u>)				Dominance Test worksheet:
1. <u>Quercus macrocarpa</u>	<u>50.00</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>FACU</u>	Number of Dominant Species
2. <u>Acer saccharum</u>	<u>25.00</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>FACU</u>	That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>1</u> (A)
3. <u>Fraxinus nigra</u>	<u>5.00</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>FACW</u>	Total Number of Dominant
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	<u>5</u>
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	Species Across All Strata: _____ (B)
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	Percent of Dominant Species
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	<u>20</u>
	<u>80</u>	= Total Cover		That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: _____ (A/B)
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot Size: <u>15 ft</u>)				Prevalence Index worksheet:
1. <u>Populus tremuloides</u>	<u>20.00</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>FACU</u>	Total % Cover of: _____ Multiply by: _____
2. <u>Acer saccharum</u>	<u>5.00</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>FACU</u>	OBL species <u>0.00</u> x 1 <u>0</u>
3. <u>Populus balsamifera</u>	<u>5.00</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>FACW</u>	FACW species <u>10.00</u> x 2 <u>20</u>
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	FACU species <u>20.00</u> x 3 <u>560</u>
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	UPL species <u>40.00</u> x 4 <u>200</u>
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	Column Totals <u>210</u> (A) <u>840</u> (B)
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	Prevalence Index = B/A = <u>4</u>
	<u>30</u>	= Total Cover		
Herb Stratum (Plot Size: <u>5 ft</u>)				Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
1. <u>Eurybia macrophylla</u>	<u>35.00</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>UPL</u>	_____ 1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation
2. <u>Pteridium aquilinum</u>	<u>30.00</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>FACU</u>	<u>no</u> 2 - Dominance Test is > 50%
3. <u>Solidago canadensis</u>	<u>15.00</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>FACU</u>	<u>no</u> 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 ¹
4. <u>Fragaria virginiana</u>	<u>10.00</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>FACU</u>	_____ 4 - Morphological Adaptations ¹ (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
5. <u>Trifolium pratense</u>	<u>5.00</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>FACU</u>	Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation ¹ (Explain)
6. <u>Bromus inermis</u>	<u>5.00</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>UPL</u>	¹ Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	Definitions of Vegetation Strata:
8. _____	_____	_____	_____	Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (.76 cm) or more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.
9. _____	_____	_____	_____	Sapling/Shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall.
10. _____	_____	_____	_____	Herb - All herbaeceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall.
11. _____	_____	_____	_____	Woody vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in height.
12. _____	_____	_____	_____	
	<u>100</u>	= Total Cover		
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot Size: _____)				Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? _____
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
	<u>0</u>	=Total Cover		
Remarks: (include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.)				
The upland sample point is dominated by bur oak, sugar maple, quaking aspen, large-leaf aster, and bracken fern.				

SOIL

Sampling Point: CLC5005_...

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)

[illegible]¹Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, MS=Masked Sand Grains.²Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.

Hydric Soil Indicators:		Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soil ³ :
☐ Histosol (A1)	☐ Polyvalue Below Surface (S8) (LRR R, MLRA 149B)	☐ 2 cm Muck (A10) (LRR K, L, MLRA 149B)
☐ Histic Epipedon (A2)	☐ Thin Dark Surface (S9) (LRR R, MLRA 149B)	☐ Coast Prairie Redox (A16)(LRR K, L, R)
☐ Black Histic (A3)	☐ Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1) (LRR K, L)	☐ 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3) (LRR K, L, R)
☐ Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	☐ Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	☐ Dark Surface (S7) (LRR K, M)
☐ Stratified Layers (A5)	☐ Depleted Matrix (F3)	☐ Polyvalue Below Surface (S8) (LRR K, L)
☐ Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	☐ Redox Dark Surface (F6)	☐ Thin Dark Surface (S9) (LRR K, L)
☐ Thick Dark Surface (A12)	☐ Depleted Dark Surface (F7)	☐ Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (LRR K, L, R)
☐ Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)	☐ Redox Depressions (F8)	☐ Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19) (MLRA 149B)
☐ Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)		☐ Mesic Spodic (TA6) (MLRA 144A, 145, 149B)
☐ Sandy Redox (S5)		☐ Red Parent Material (F21)
☐ Stripped Matrix (S6)		☐ Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)
☐ Dark Surface (S7) (LRR R, MLRA 149B)		☐ Other (explain in remarks)
Restrictive Layer (if observed): ☐	Hydric Soil Present? <u>No</u>	
Type: _____		
Depth (inches): _____		
Remarks:		
The soils could not be sampled due to the location within a roadside ditch. Soils are assumed non-hydric based on the landscape position and dominance of non-hydrophytic vegetation.		