

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM
Great Plains Region

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| Project/Site: | L3R | Date: | 09/29/14 |
| Applicant: | Enbridge | County: | Red Lake |
| Investigators: | BEH/NTT | State: | MN |
| Soil Unit: | I59A | Subregion (MLRA or LRR): | MLRA 56 |
| Landform: | Talf | NWI Classification: | |
| Slope (%): | 3 - 7% | Local Relief: | VL |
| | Latitude: 47.95570138 | Longitude: -96.09352982 | Datum: |
| Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (if no, explain in remarks) | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Are Vegetation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Soil <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> significantly disturbed? | Are normal circumstances present? | | |
| Are Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> Soil <input type="checkbox"/> or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> naturally problematic? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | |
| Sample Point: | | | u-152n42w30-a1 |
| Section: | | | |
| Township: | | | |
| Range: | | | Dir: |

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? No Hydric Soils Present? Yes

Wetland Hydrology Present? No **Is This Sampling Point Within A Wetland? No**

Remarks: **Upland sample point in a corn field, upslope from a seasonally-flooded swale. Site contains hydric soil, but no other wetland indicators were observed.**

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators (Check all that apply; Minimum of one primary or two secondary required):

| | | |
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| <u>Primary:</u> | | <u>Secondary:</u> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Surface Water | <input type="checkbox"/> B11 - Salt Crust | <input type="checkbox"/> B6 - Surface Soil Cracks |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A2 - High Water Table | <input type="checkbox"/> B13 - Aquatic Fauna | <input type="checkbox"/> B8 - Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Saturation | <input type="checkbox"/> C1 - Hydrogen Sulfide Odor | <input type="checkbox"/> B10 - Drainage Patterns |
| <input type="checkbox"/> B1 - Water Marks | <input type="checkbox"/> C2 - Dry Season Water Table | <input type="checkbox"/> C3 - Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (tilled) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> B2 - Sediment Deposits | <input type="checkbox"/> C3 - Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (not till) | <input type="checkbox"/> C8 - Crayfish Burrows |
| <input type="checkbox"/> B3 - Drift Deposits | <input type="checkbox"/> C4 - Presence of Reduced Iron | <input type="checkbox"/> C9 - Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery |
| <input type="checkbox"/> B4 - Algal Mat or Crust | <input type="checkbox"/> C7 - Thin Muck Surface | <input type="checkbox"/> D2 - Geomorphic Position |
| <input type="checkbox"/> B5 - Iron Deposits | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain) | <input type="checkbox"/> D5 - FAC-Neutral Test |
| <input type="checkbox"/> B7 - Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery | | <input type="checkbox"/> D7 - Frost-Heaved Hummocks (LRR F) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> B9 - Water-Stained Leaves | | |

Field Observations:

| | | |
|---|--------------------|--|
| Surface Water Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | Depth: _____ (in.) | Wetland Hydrology Present? <u>N</u> |
| Water Table Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | Depth: _____ (in.) | |
| Saturation Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | Depth: _____ (in.) | |

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks: **No primary or secondary hydrological indicators observed.**

SOILS

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

(Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered/Coated Sand Grains; Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix)

| Depth (In.) | Matrix | | | Mottles | | | | Texture | Remarks |
|-------------|---------------|-----|-----|---------------|-----|------|----------|---------|---------|
| | Color (Moist) | % | | Color (Moist) | % | Type | Location | | |
| 0-12 | Hue 10YR | 2/1 | 100 | | | | | SIC | |
| 12-21 | Hue 2.5Y | 7/2 | 85 | Hue 10YR | 6/8 | 10 | C | M | SIC |
| | | | | Hue 7.5YR | 5/6 | 5 | C | M | SIC |
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NRCS Hydric Soil Field Indicators (check here if indicators are not present):

| | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Histosol | <input type="checkbox"/> S5 - Sandy Redox | Indicators for Problematic Soils¹ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A2 - Histic Epipedon | <input type="checkbox"/> S6 - Stripped Matrix | <input type="checkbox"/> A9 - 1 cm Muck (LRR I, J) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Black Histic | <input type="checkbox"/> F1 - Loamy Mucky Mineral | <input type="checkbox"/> A16 - Coast Prairie Redox (LRR F, G, H) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A4 - Hydrogen Sulfide | <input type="checkbox"/> F2 - Loamy Gleyed Matrix | <input type="checkbox"/> S7 - Dark Surface (LRR G) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A5 - Stratified Layers (LRR F) | <input type="checkbox"/> F3 - Depleted Matrix | <input type="checkbox"/> F16 - High Plains Depressions (LRR H, outside MLRA 72, 73) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A9 - 1 cm Muck (LRR FGH) | <input type="checkbox"/> F6 - Redox Dark Surface | <input type="checkbox"/> F18 - Reduced Vertic |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A11 - Depleted Below Dark Surface | <input type="checkbox"/> F7 - Depleted Dark Surface | <input type="checkbox"/> TF2 - Red Parent Material |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A12 - Thick Dark Surface | <input type="checkbox"/> F8 - Redox Depressions | <input type="checkbox"/> TF12 - Very Shallow Dark Surface |
| <input type="checkbox"/> S1 - Sandy Mucky Mineral | <input type="checkbox"/> F16 - High Plains Depressions (MLRA 72, 73 of LRR H) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> S2 - 2.5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (LRR G, H) | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> S3 - 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (LRR F) | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> S4 - Sandy Gleyed Matrix | | |

¹Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Restrictive Layer Type: _____ Depth: _____ **Hydric Soil Present? Y**

Remarks: **Soil is dark silty clay underlain by depleted silty clay with redox concentrations; the profile meets hydric soil indicator A12-Thick Dark Surface.**

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VEGETATION (Species identified in all uppercase are non-native species.)

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft. radius)

| 1. | Species Name | % Cover | Dominant | Ind.Status |
|-----|--------------|---------|----------|------------|
| 2. | | | | |
| 3. | | | | |
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| 7. | | | | |
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| 9. | | | | |
| 10. | | | | |

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0 (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 1 (B)

Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0.0% (A/B)

Total Cover = 0

Prevalence Index Worksheet

| | | | |
|-------------------|-----------|---------------|----------------|
| Total % Cover of: | | Multiply by: | |
| OBL spp. | <u>0</u> | x 1 = | <u>0</u> |
| FACW spp. | <u>0</u> | x 2 = | <u>0</u> |
| FAC spp. | <u>0</u> | x 3 = | <u>0</u> |
| FACU spp. | <u>0</u> | x 4 = | <u>0</u> |
| UPL spp. | <u>80</u> | x 5 = | <u>400</u> |
| Total | | <u>80</u> (A) | <u>400</u> (B) |

Prevalence Index = B/A = 5.000

Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15 ft. radius)

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| 1. | | | | |
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| 9. | | | | |
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Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

 Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation

 Dominance Test is > 50%

 Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 *

 Morphological Adaptations (Explain) *

 Problem Hydrophytic Vegetation (Explain) *

* Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Total Cover = 0

Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 ft. radius)

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|-----|-----------------|----|---|----|
| 1. | <i>Zea mays</i> | 80 | Y | NI |
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| 12. | | | | |
| 13. | | | | |
| 14. | | | | |
| 15. | | | | |

Definitions of Vegetation Strata:

Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6cm) or more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.

Sapling/Shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH, regardless of height.

Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size.

Woody Vines - All woody vines, regardless of height.

Total Cover = 80

Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft. radius)

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| 1. | | | | |
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| 3. | | | | |
| 5. | | | | |
| 4. | | | | |

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? N

Remarks: **Cultivated corn dominates the sample site.**

Additional Remarks: