

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - North Central and Northeast Region

Project/Site: I3_mainline City/County: Aitkin Sampling Date: 2017-06-07
 Applicant/Owner: Enbridge State: Minnesota Sampling Point: u-47n23w1-a1
 Investigator(s): DPT, SMR Section, Township, Range: S1, T47N, R23W
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): Shoulder Local Relief (concave, convex, none): VL Slope (%): 0-2%
 Subregion (LRR or MLRA): _____ Latitude: 46.5780390752... Longitude: -93.17926978... Datum: NAD83
 Soil Map Unit Name: 544 NWI Classification: PSSB
 Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (if no, explain in Remarks): No
 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	
Hydric Soil Present?	<u>No</u>	within a Wetland?	<u>No</u>
Wetland Hydrology Present?	<u>No</u>	If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:	_____
Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)			
WETS analysis shows precipitation below normal. No digging allowed, potential buried utilities.			

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Water (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
<input type="checkbox"/> High Water Table (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns (B10)
<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Moss Trim Lines (B16)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Crayfish Burrows (C8)
<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
<input type="checkbox"/> Algal Mat or Crust (B4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stunted/Stressed Plants (D1)
<input type="checkbox"/> Iron Deposits (B5)	<input type="checkbox"/> Geomorphic Position (D2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Shallow Aquitard (D3)
<input type="checkbox"/> Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	<input type="checkbox"/> Microtopographic Relief (D4)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	<input type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test (D5)
<input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic Fauna (B13)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Marl Deposits (B15)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Thin Muck Surface (C7)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	

Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? <u>No</u> Depth (inches) _____	
Water Table Present? _____ Depth (inches) _____	
Saturation Present? _____ 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 digging, could not verify water table or saturation

VEGETATION - Use scientific names of plants.

Sampling Point: u-47n23w1-a1

	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	
Tree Stratum (Plot Size: <u>30</u>)				Dominance Test worksheet: Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>2</u> (A) Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>4</u> (B) Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>50</u> (A/B)
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	
0 = Total Cover				Prevalence Index worksheet: Total % Cover of: Multiply by: OBL species <u>0.00</u> x 1 <u>0</u> FACW species <u>20.00</u> x 2 <u>40</u> FACU species <u>50.00</u> x 3 <u>200</u> UPL species <u>0.00</u> x 4 <u>0</u> Column Totals <u>90</u> (A) <u>300</u> (B) Prevalence Index = B/A = <u>3.333333...</u>
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot Size: <u>15</u>)				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
0 = Total Cover				
Herb Stratum (Plot Size: <u>5</u>)				Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators: <input type="checkbox"/> 1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> 2 - Dominance Test is > 50% <input type="checkbox"/> 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 ¹ <input type="checkbox"/> 4 - Morphological Adaptations ¹ (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation ¹ (Explain) <small>¹Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.</small>
1. <u>Poa pratensis</u>	<u>30.00</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>FACU</u>	
2. <u>Taraxacum officinale</u>	<u>20.00</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>FACU</u>	
3. <u>Plantago major</u>	<u>20.00</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>FAC</u>	
4. <u>Phalaris arundinacea</u>	<u>20.00</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>FACW</u>	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	
8. _____	_____	_____	_____	
9. _____	_____	_____	_____	
10. _____	_____	_____	_____	
11. _____	_____	_____	_____	
90 = Total Cover				
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot Size: <u>30</u>)				Definitions of Vegetation Strata: Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (.76 cm) or more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height. Sapling/Shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall. Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall. Woody vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in height.
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
0 = Total Cover				
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? <u>No</u>				

Remarks: (include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.)

