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Summary

A survey of 25 sites on streams flowing into Two Lick Creek and Yellow Creek in Indiana County, PA, and headwaters of Blacklick Creek in Cambria County, PA, produced 3539 specimens of macroinvertebrates of 71 genera. Results are used to interpret the health and impairment of the watercourses in anticipation of mitigation efforts largely related to abandoned mine discharges. Many of the headwater streams are of good quality, but the main stems of Two Lick and Yellow Creek become degraded as they flow past impaired tributaries. The headwaters of Blacklick Creek are largely in good shape and healthy ecology should be restored if current efforts to remove mine impacts downstream are successful. Reference to older surveys at certain sites demonstrates that two locations have improved in about 10 years.

Introduction

The most careful assessments of stream ecology include surveys of aquatic macroinvertebrates. Macroinvertebrates are insects, crayfish, worms, and animals without backbones that are large enough to be recognized without high magnification. These aquatic organisms are exposed to all of the conditions of their native stream over long periods and provide a holistic assessment of that environment. Because many of these organisms are known to differ in sensitivity to ecological stress, their presence in the stream is a good indicator of the long-term status of water quality. For example, if a stream gets warm and depleted of oxygen in the summer, or if occasional pulses of acidic water pass down the stream, the insects that cannot tolerate that stress, such as mayflies, will not live in the stream. Their absence will indicate that at some point in the year the stream is impaired even if the water was of good quality on the day the researcher took a sample. By contrast, while physical and chemical tests (temperature, clarity, flow, pH, dissolved oxygen, nitrates, etc.) provide precise information regarding a water sample, these characteristics can fluctuate dramatically over time with flow rates and other factors, giving only a snapshot of environmental conditions at the moment of sampling. As a result, collecting and identifying stream macroinvertebrates is the preferred method of assessing overall ecological health of the watercourse. Macroinvertebrates have been used in this manner for more than a century (Kolkwitz and Marsson, 1909).

Interested parties from Blacklick Creek Watershed Association, Indiana County Conservation District, Western Pennsylvania Conservancy, and Conemaugh Valley Conservancy convened to choose sites for 25 macroinvertebrate surveys and 50 electrofishing surveys. Sites were chosen to with attention to localities that do not have recent survey data, and also to address priorities of the PA Fish and Boat Commission Unassessed Waters Program. The sampling efforts are part of a broad watershed assessment to develop an implementation plan to prioritize mitigation of impacts from abandoned mine discharges or agriculture, and to consider removing streams from the state list of impaired streams if they now attain desired levels of ecological health. The macroinvertebrate surveys reported here were completed by Conemaugh Valley Conservancy, and the fish surveys by Western Pennsylvania Conservancy. The results of the fish survey are available in a separate report by Western Pennsylvania

Conservancy (Western Pennsylvania Conservancy, 2023). The work was supported by a grant to the Consortium for Scientific Assistance to Watersheds (C-SAW) through Conemaugh Valley Conservancy.

The macroinvertebrate survey sites are clustered to address four regions of interest: Two Lick Creek and tributaries in the vicinity of Clymer and upstream; Yellow Creek between the State Park and Homer City; and small tributaries on both the north branch and the south branch of Blacklick Creek. These regions will be discussed in turn. All watercourses are either Chapter 93 designated Cold Water Fisheries or Stocked, except Stewart Run which is High Quality.

Materials and Methods

Under Scientific Collector's Permit #2023-01-0244 to John Wenzel, he and Thad Pajak (Conemaugh Valley Conservancy), Tom Mesoras and Tim Kania (Blacklick Creek Watershed Association) collected specimens according to the "ICE" protocol of Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection, 2012 (hereafter PA DEP 2012), briefly summarized as follows. Over a reach of about 100 meters, a person "kicks" one square meter of stream bed by disturbing and dislodging rocks and macroinvertebrates. Another person catches the stream of water from the "kick" in a D-frame aquatic net with a 500-micron mesh size. They do this for one minute. This is repeated five times (six kicks total) at various sites across 100m of stream bed. An effort is made to include a variety of microhabitats such as riffle versus pool, stony bottom versus organic debris. All six collections are pooled as a single sample from the designated site. At each site, temperature and pH were recorded with a handheld meter. Conductance was recorded after the earliest collections for the 20 remaining sites. Collections were made in March and April, 2023. Our methods departed slightly from ICE protocols in that we did not characterize the streams' physical and biological parameters in the field.

In the laboratory, samples were sorted with the goal of attaining about 200 individual macroinvertebrates, or all individuals present if less than 200. ICE protocol focuses on about 200 specimens, but we identified all individuals beyond 200 for certain sites in the hope of documenting rarely collected species. Regardless of statistical protocol, we regard the supernumerary specimens beyond 200 as being an asset to understanding the biology of the stream, and because the total number of specimens is a denominator in statistics discussed below, there should be no systematic bias by including more individual specimens.

Specimens are identified to genus, with about 10% being re-examined by another entomologist as an exercise in Quality Assurance, including at least a few specimens of every genus. This step was executed by Andrea Kautz, an entomologist at Carnegie Museum of Natural History who is highly experienced in aquatic insect identification (Kautz et al. 2022). When errors were found, in addition to correcting the exact specimen identification from genus A (incorrect) to genus B (correct), all other specimens identified to genus A were re-examined to correct any similar errors. Ms. Kautz also identified all the fly larvae, flies being her primary expertise, in which she is certified.

Tallying numbers of individuals in specific genera provides the data for calculating several different indeces that characterize different features, and these are summarized by the final Index of Biotic Integrity (IBI, see PA DEP 2012) which is used to indicate overall stream ecological health, with high values being good and low values being poor. For small streams collected between November and May, IBI of 50 or above is required to characterize the stream as attaining desirable ecological health. A final check against the raw data is performed to guard against known circumstances in which the IBI may not reflect stream health accurately.

Results

Twenty-five sites were sampled from March 20, 2023, to April 27, 2023. From these sites, 3539 specimens of macroinvertebrates of 71 genera were recovered, plus incidental bycatch of 10 fish and two salamanders. Of the macroinvertebrates, 3,011 specimens of 53 genera were deposited in the Frost Entomological Museum at Pennsylvania State University. Conemaugh Valley Conservancy retained some specimens for a synoptic collection, and others were donated to the University of Florida Entomology and Nematology teaching collection.

Localities sampled.

Along Two Lick Creek (Figure 1), from north to south, sites were at Starford, Wandin, Diamondville, above Brown's Run, Buck Run itself above mouth (Figure 2), at Clymer, and below Sample Run (Figure 3). Four sites were sampled along Dixon Run, from north to south being at Pear Road, at Dixonville, at Road 24, and at the mouth just above the confluence with Two Lick at Clymer. The tributary of Penn Run was sampled both headwaters and near the mouth, which opens on Two Lick just above the reservoir.

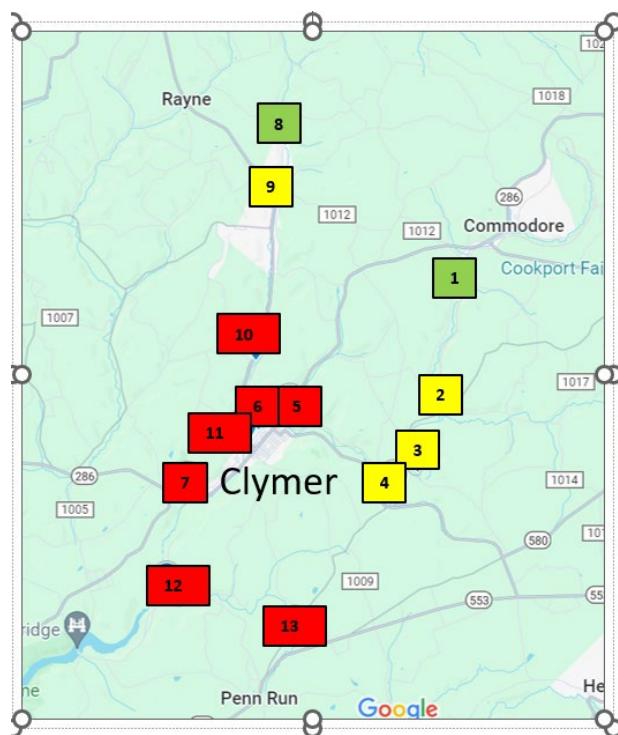


Figure 1. Sites near Clymer. 1: Two Lick at Starford; 2: Two Lick at Wandin; 3: Two Lick at Diamondville; 4: Two Lick above Brown's Run; 5: Buck Run, mouth above Two Lick; 6: Two Lick at Clymer; 7: Two Lick below Sample Run; 8: Dixon Run at Pear Road; 9:Dixon Run at Dixonville; 10: Dixon Run at Road 24; 11: Dixon Run mouth above Two Lick; 12: Penn Run above mouth; 13: Penn Run headwaters. Red box means site is in poor condition by final assessment (IBI<50, see below), yellow means site is in moderate condition, (50 < IBI < 70), green means site is in good condition (IBI > 70).



Figure 2. Thad Pajak, Buck Run upstream from mouth. Stream is fast flowing over rocks with good hemlock canopy at this point, but impaired.



Figure 3. Two Lick Creek just downstream from Sample Run. Basin is wide and mostly open to the sky. Flow from Sample Run and staining on rocks is visible on left side, deeper water that appears unaffected by Sample Run on right side, but Two Lick Creek is impaired at this location.

Yellow Creek was sampled at Route 954 , at Tide, and at Homer City above the confluence with Two Lick (Figure 4). The stream looks good at Rt. 954 (Figure 5, 6) but just under the quality threshold (Figure 4).

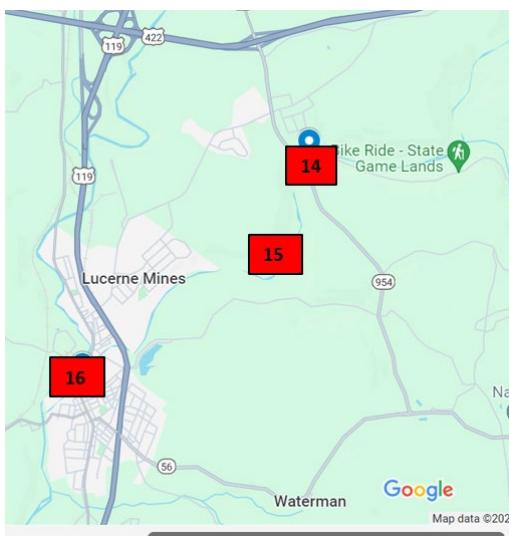


Figure 4. Sampling locations along Yellow Creek. 14: Yellow Creek at Rt. 954; 15: Yellow Creek at Tide; 16: Yellow Creek at Floodway Park, Homer City. Red box means site is in poor condition by final assessment ($IBI < 50$, see below).



Figure 5. Yellow Creek at Route 954, looking upstream to upper right. Stream is fast flowing over rocks, but wide and open to the sky. Stream is just below the quality threshold with IBI = 48.5 at this site, and is a popular location for stocked trout fishing.



*Figure 6. Large predatory hellgrammite (*Corydalus*) recovered from Yellow Creek at Route 954. These predators are fun to see and popular as bait, but they are only of middling sensitivity to water quality.*

The north branch of Blacklick Creek was sampled at tributaries in the vicinity of Belsano: Elk Creek, Little Elk Creek, and Unnamed Tributary 44554 at Iverson Road (Figures 7, 8). The north branch itself was sampled just below the Red Mill discharge (Figure 9), and tributaries feeding into Blacklick near this location were Carney Run, Downey Run (Figure 10), and Walker Run.



Figure 7. Sampling locations for North Branch Blacklick Creek at Red Mill and tributaries nearby Belsano. 17: Elk Creek; 18: Little Elk Creek; 19: Unnamed Tributary 44554 at Iverson Road; 20: North Branch Blacklick just below the Red Mill discharge; 21: Carney Run; 22: Downey Run; 23: Walker Run. Red box means site is in poor condition by final assessment (IBI < 50, see below), yellow means site is in moderate condition by final assessment (50 < IBI < 70), green means site is in good condition (IBI > 70).



Figure 8. Tim Kania and Tom Mesoras at UNT 44554 near Iverson Road. The stream is fast flowing over rocks under a good canopy of hemlocks.



Figure 9. Red Mill discharge crossing Sportsmans Club to join North Branch Blacklick Creek after failure of treatment system on site. Typically, red stains are from iron deposits and white from aluminum. The stream below this discharge is surprisingly alive, perhaps due to ample input from nearby tributaries.



Figure 10. Downey Run, one of the best streams in the survey, joins North Branch Blacklick just downstream from the Red Mill discharge. Above the flood plain, the stream tumbles down a rocky hill with strong riffle and pool structure and substantial shade from hemlocks.

Headwaters of the South Branch Blacklick Creek were sampled above Nanty Glo (Figure 11) at an Unnamed Tributary of Williams Run near Revloc (Figure 12), and Stewart Run at Route 22. These sites relate to State Game Lands 79 and indicate a best case scenario for the north branch above the town of Nanty Glo.

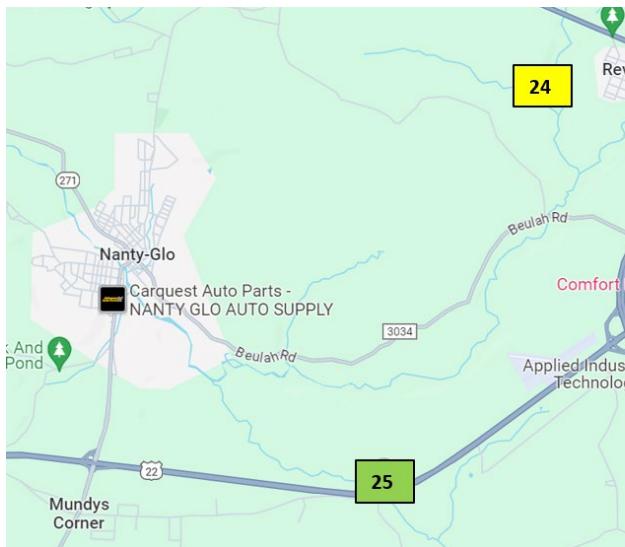


Figure 11. Sampling locations for South Branch Blacklick Creek upstream from Nanty Glo. 24: Unnamed Tributary of Williams Run near Revloc; 25: Stewart Run at Route 22. Yellow Box means site is in moderate condition by final assessment ($50 < IBI < 75$, see below), green means site is in good condition ($IBI > 70$).



Figure 12. Unnamed Tributary of Williams Run near Revloc. Coming out of Game Lands 79, this stream is fast flowing over rocks and well shaded by hemlocks. Williams Run in turn enters a different section of GL 79, and joins with Stewart Run just before exiting the game lands again, upstream from Nanty Glo.

Biodiversity Measures.

Raw data of identifications were analysed through the ordinary protocols of the PA DEP 2012 to generate six common measures for each of the 25 locations. These six measures were combined by a standardization procedure described by PA DEP 2012, and compiled into a standard Index of Biotic Integrity. Analyses of each location are attached in Appendix A. Table 1 lists all sites with lat/lon location, physical parameters measured in the field, and other data that contribute to the final IBI score (Table 1.) The richest site was Stewart Run (IBI=93.9, 312 individuals collected, 36 genera) and the poorest were Dixon Run at Road 24 (four insects) and Two Lick at Homer City (three insects).

Discussion.

Watershed analysis

The main stem of Two Lick Creek at Starford, the furthest upstream we sampled, is in fairly good shape (245 individual macroinvertebrates collected, 27 genera , IBI=71.7). It becomes somewhat less healthy by Wandin although still exceeding threshold (157 individuals, 27 genera, IBI=65.2) and somewhat further degraded at Diamondville above the discharge there (159 individuals, 25 genera, IBI=57.9). Two Lick Creek regains health by the time it is above Brown's Run (267 individuals, 31 genera, IBI=65.7). This is encouraging. After some distance, Two Lick Creek takes in Buck Run, which is greatly impaired, although the habitat of the creek near the mouth just above the railroad looks good (Fig 2, 31 individuals, 9 genera, IBI=33.9). In Clymer, Two Lick shows clear impairment (22 individuals, 7 genera, IBI=31.1). Downstream from the town of Clymer, Two Lick takes in Dixon Run (see below) and Sample Run, at which point it is very degraded (below Sample Run: 61 individuals, 10 genera, IBI=23.9 , Fig 3).

Table 1. Summary statistics for all sites. Values are reported for site number, location, date collected, latitude, longitude, temperature oC, pH, conductivity, number of individual specimens recovered, number of genera recovered, IBI for the site. For sites that were sampled previously, the old IBI is reported followed by the year of the survey. Site number corresponds to the numerals on the maps of Figures 1, 4, 7, and 11.

Site #	location	Date	Lat	Lon	Temp C	pH	Conduct.	Indiv.	Genera	2023 IBI	Old IBI	Old Year
1	Starford	27-Mar-23	40.6977	-78.9583	7.6	8.06		245	27	71.7		
2	Wandin	27-Mar-23	40.6747	-78.9622	7.4	7.71		157	27	65.2		
3	Diamondville	27-Mar-23	40.6577	-78.9752	7.5	7.68		159	25	57.9		
4	Two Lick above Brown Run	27-Mar-23	40.6578	-78.9751	8	7.7		267	31	65.7		
5	Buck Run mth	7-Apr-23	40.673	-79.0029	7	7.47	350	31	9	33.9		
6	Clymer, Two Lick above Dixon	7-Apr-23	40.6716	-79.0121	8.1	7.92	277	22	7	31.1		
7	Two Lick at Sample Run	12-Apr-23	40.6575	-79.0298	11.3	4.84	515	61	10	23.9	17.3	2008
8	Dixon Run Pear Rd	30-Mar-23	40.7286	-79.0041	8.2	8.05		239	25	72.8		
9	Dixonville	30-Mar-23	40.7164	-79.0064	5.9	7.62	313	313	22	60.5		
10	Dixon Run Rd 24	30-Mar-23	40.6855	-79.0118	5	7.27		4	4	24.6		
11	Mouth Dixon Rn Clymer	7-Apr-23	40.6683	-79.014	7.8	7.58	440	15	10	34.9	26.3	2010
12	Penn Rn mouth	12-Apr-23	40.6375	-79.0354	12.5	7.2	368	15	8	31.6		
13	Penn Rn headwaters	12-Apr-23	40.6286	-79.0016	15.5	8	225	172	13	25.1		
14	Yellow Cr at Rt 954	14-Apr-23	40.5698	-79.1268	14	7.74	167	228	20	48.5	48.3	2010
15	Yellow Cr at Tide	14-Apr-23	40.557	-79.132	16.8	7.43	252	86	17	41.6		
16	Yellow Cr Homer City	14-Apr-23	40.544	-79.1613	19	7.15	310	3	3	34.7		
17	Elk Cr	20-Mar-23	40.5281	-78.8887	1.8	7.31		104	18	56.4	32.3	2010
18	Little Elk Cr	20-Mar-23	40.5361	-78.8627	0.7	8.02	340	240	25	88.3		
19	UNT 44554 Iverson Rd	20-Mar-23	40.5394	-78.887	1.4	7.46	52	190	20	75.7		
20	Red Mill	27-Apr-23	40.5057	-78.9044	9.8	7.34	346	39	10	45.9	48.9	2015
21	Carney Run	27-Apr-23	40.5278	-78.9105	9.7	7.64	134	180	21	75.2	78	2014
22	Downey Run	27-Apr-23	40.5053	-78.9079	11	7.64	89	246	26	76.7		
23	Walker Rn	27-Apr-23	40.5041	-78.9042	7.5	8	66	120	24	78.9		
24	UNT of Williams Run	23-Apr-23	40.4883	-78.776	7.6	7.74	116	146	16	69	67.8*	2008
25	Stewart Run	23-Apr-23	40.4463	-78.7986	8.7	7.87	184	312	36	93.9		

* 2008 UNT Williams, 79% (*Leuctra+Amphinemoura*), therefore acidified

Having regained health at Brown's Run, Two Lick loses its status through the next tributaries and the town of Clymer.

Dixon Run presents an interesting challenge. The headwaters are healthy, but passing through historical and current degradations leave the mouth of Dixon Run badly degraded as it enters Two Lick Creek. The most northern site, at Pear Road, was in good shape (239 individuals, 25 genera, IBI=72.8). Even in the Dixonville site, where we sampled in the middle of town with no vegetation or tree cover, the statistics remain acceptable (313 individuals, 22 genera, IBI=60.5). Note that half of the body count for individuals is prosimuliid blackflies, which will inflate the Hilsenhoff index and hence IBI (Appendix A). These are sensitive (PTV=2), but their great number is deceiving because their colonies can be very numerous, unlike most other sensitive insects. Moving south to Road 24 we find one of the worst sites in the survey, only four insects (4 genera, IBI=24.6). This location has on one side a railroad track and coal tipple, with a highway on the other side. The stream remains badly impaired all the way to the mouth (15 individuals, 10 genera, IBI=34.9) where it deposits into Two Lick Creek. Dixon Run's headwaters are healthy, and if the lower reaches are improved, then it will be a positive addition to Two Lick Creek.

Further downstream, Two Lick takes in Penn Run for which neither the stream near the mouth (15 individuals, 8 genera, IBI=31.6) nor the headwaters (172 individuals, 13 genera, IBI=25.1) are beneficial. Following this input is Two Lick Reservoir. At the same time as it is an asset to water availability, a reservoir is generally a detriment to water quality relative to a clean stream.

Yellow Creek below the State Park issues from the large lake in the park. Lake water generally is not considered high quality compared to flowing streams, and there are a number of old mine features in the watershed below the lake. The creek passes beside a coal handling site just upstream from Route 954, where Yellow Creek is a popular spot for fishermen seeking stocked trout (Fig 5). The stream appears to be full of life (228 individuals, 20 genera, Fig 6), nonetheless, it should be considered on the cusp between impaired and marginal attainment (IBI=48.5). Water quality continues to decline as Yellow Creek passes below the bony pile at Tide (86 individuals, 17 genera, IBI=41.6), and by the time it is in Homer City below Lucerne mines, it is the most sterile location in this entire survey program (three insects recovered at Floodway Park).

In contrast to the disappointing results of the Two Lick and Yellow Creek surveys, those of the head waters of the north branch of Blacklick Creek in Cambria County in the vicinity of Belsano were encouraging (Figure 7). Even the weakest among them attains threshold, Elk Creek (104 individuals, 18 genera, IBI=56.4). Scoring highly are Little Elk (240 individuals, 25 genera, IBI=88.3) and Unnamed Tributary 44554 at Iverson Road (190 individuals, 20 genera, IBI=75.7, Figure 8) and Carney Run (180 individuals, 21 genera, IBI=75.2, Fig 10). Downstream from these locations, the main stem of the north branch of Blacklick Creek was sampled below the discharge at Red Mill (Figure 9) where it is impaired (39 individuals, 10 genera, IBI=45.9), but nonetheless surprisingly resilient given the severity of the discharge. This may be because the flow of the stream keeps the AMD on one bank and the other seems to be largely unaffected. Just downstream from the discharge the main stem is joined by two tributaries that are in good condition, Walker Run (120 individuals, 24 genera, IBI=78.9) and Downey Run (246 individuals, 26 genera, IBI=76.7, Fig 10). Taken as a whole, these data mean that if the degradation of the stream at Red Mill is mitigated by drawing down the mine pool and removing the AMD to the soon-to-be inaugurated treatment plant at Wehrum, the healthy tributaries feeding into the north branch should rather rapidly restore the watercourse to good condition.

We sampled two tributaries of South Branch Blacklick Creek (Figure 11). In the north is an Unnamed Tributary that comes out of State Gamelands 79 south of Revloc, joins Williams Run (Fig 12), and thence the south branch of Blacklick Creek. We also sampled Stewart Run, which passes under Route 22 near Mundy's Corner and into State Gamelands 79, where it joins South Branch Blacklick Creek. The unnamed tributary is in good shape (146 individuals, 16 genera, IBI=69.0) while Stewart Run is the best stream in the entire survey (312 individuals, 36 genera, IBI=93.9).

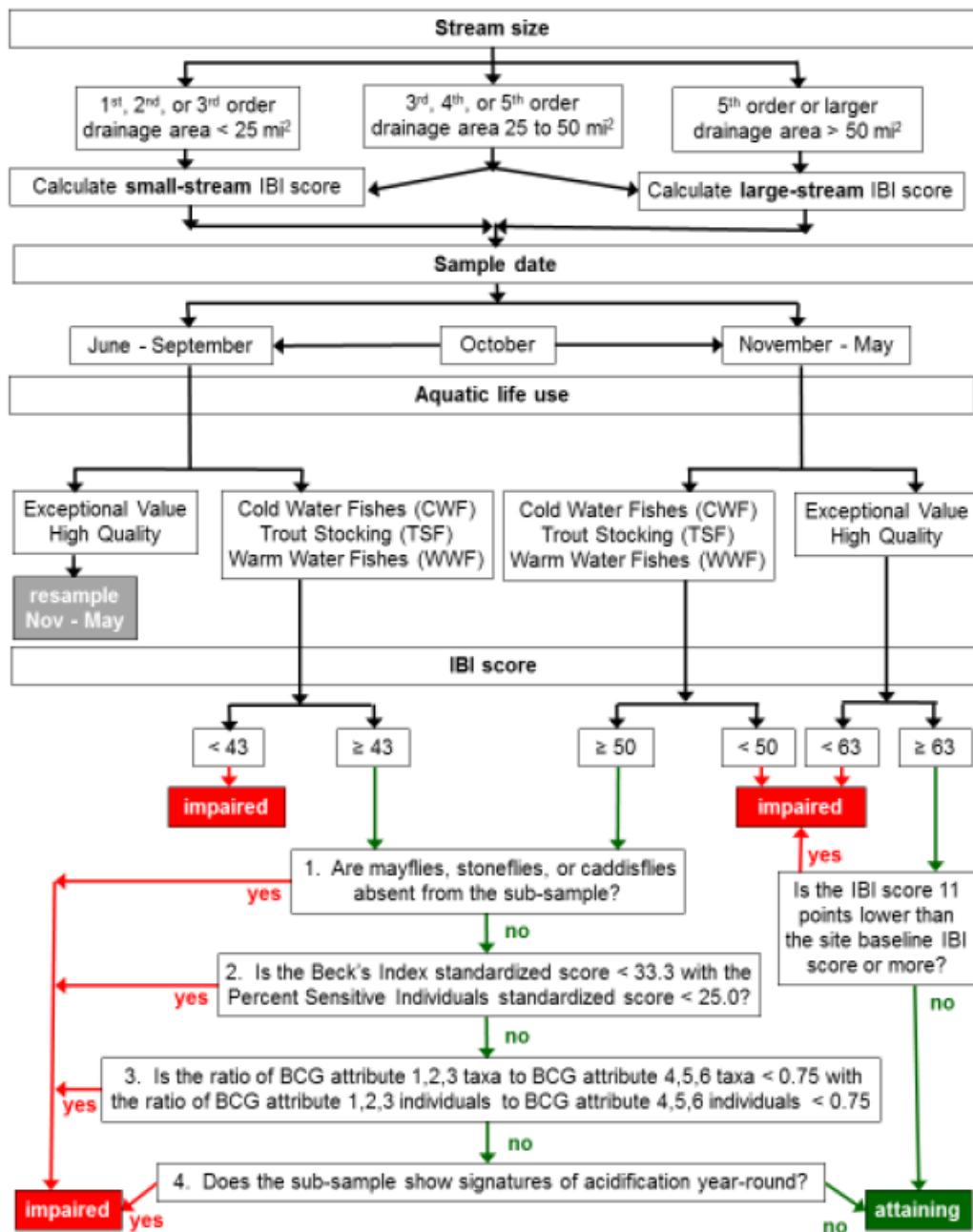
Stream Classification

Indices are artificial constructs developed for convenience. Whenever possible, they should be examined with one eye on the primary data that went into them, which is why we have reported the number of individual insects and the number of genera in the sample in Table 1. The primary data are the actual values from nature and are the ultimate source of all conclusions that follow. For example, there is little point to trying to make sense of index values for badly impaired sites, such as Dixon Run at Road 24 (four individual insects recovered) or Yellow Creek at Homer City (three insects). Also, one should take caution not to place too much emphasis on IBI values that may be inflated by local colonies of insects that live densely, such as at Dixonville with prosimuliid black flies (above).

Classification of stream health based on IBI relies on a decision tree protocol that checks final statistics for known distortions that may occur in specific circumstances. Figure 13 reproduces the decision tree from the PA DEP 2012. After calculating IBI, four additional Quality Assurance questions must be answered for final classification of streams (Figure 13, bottom). Using these protocols, streams are classified as impaired ($IBI < 50$), and “attaining” ($IBI > 50$). “Attaining” streams are arbitrarily divided here into those with $50 < IBI < 70$ (moderate quality) and those of $IBI > 70$ (good quality). Color coding of this classification scheme permits rapid visual assessment of the relative water quality across a watershed in Figures 1, 4, 7, and 11.

Seven of our sample locations were visited in years past, and the primary data for earlier surveys is available at <https://www.depgis.state.pa.us/macroweaver/index.html>, and reproduced in Appendix A. Several of the streams show little change from earlier IBI values regarding general categorization of poor, marginal, and good (Table 1). Ranking very poorly in 2023 ($IBI = 24.4$), Two Lick below Sample Run was also very poor in 2008 ($IBI = 17.3$) Slightly improved since 2010, the mouth of Dixon Run at Clymer is nonetheless still poor ($IBI = 34.9$ in 2023, versus $IBI = 26.3$ in 2010). Yellow Creek at Rt 954 was marginal in this study ($IBI = 48.5$) and was marginal in 2010 ($IBI = 48.3$). The same applies to South Branch Blacklick Creek at Red Mill ($IBI = 45.9$ in 2023, $IBI = 48.9$ in 2015). Consistency is more satisfying for Carney Run because it has proven to be a healthy stream twice ($IBI = 75.2$ in 2023, $IBI = 78.0$ in 2014). Two streams demonstrate meaningful rebound to healthier conditions. Most clearly, Elk Creek improved to acceptable ($IBI = 56.4$) whereas it had previously been poor with $IBI = 39.3$. Less obvious, but also favorable, Unnamed Tributary of Williams Run near Revloc scored $IBI = 69.0$ in 2023. In 2008, the stream violated quality assurance question #4 in the decision tree (Figure 13) by having excessive numbers of Leuctra and Amphinemura stoneflies, constituting 79% of all individuals, and only a single mayfly (*Eurylophella*), indicating acidification of the stream. No such violation obtains for the 2023 data, indeed about a third of the individuals were highly sensitive *Epeorus* mayflies, so the good IBI value can be taken at face value.

Figure 13. Decision tree for characterizing streams using IBI values. From PA DEP 2012. Our data are from small streams sampled in March and April. The Unnamed Tributary of Williams Run in 2008 violated the Quality Assurance question #4 by showing an excessive number of low-pH tolerant stoneflies and near complete absence of sensitive mayflies.



Conclusions

In the case of Two Lick Creek, degradation of water quality is evident as sampling progressed downstream. Several sites appear to be severely impaired, including Buck Run, Sample Run, lower Dixon Run, Penn Run, and Yellow Creek at Homer City. While stocking trout for fishermen may permit recreation along certain reaches, the depauperate macroinvertebrate community makes it unlikely that wild breeding populations of game fish can survive without additional mitigation efforts. Tributaries in the headwaters of Blacklick Creek are largely in good shape, with both Elk Creek and Unnamed Tributary of Williams Run evidently showing improvement since earlier surveys. The soon-to-be-completed active treatment facility at Wehrum may rescue Blacklick Creek from AMD entering at Red Mill, Vintondale, and Wehrum, in which case the main stem should improve quickly via colonization of macroinvertebrates from tributaries. Data from this survey should be useful in measuring recovery in future years.

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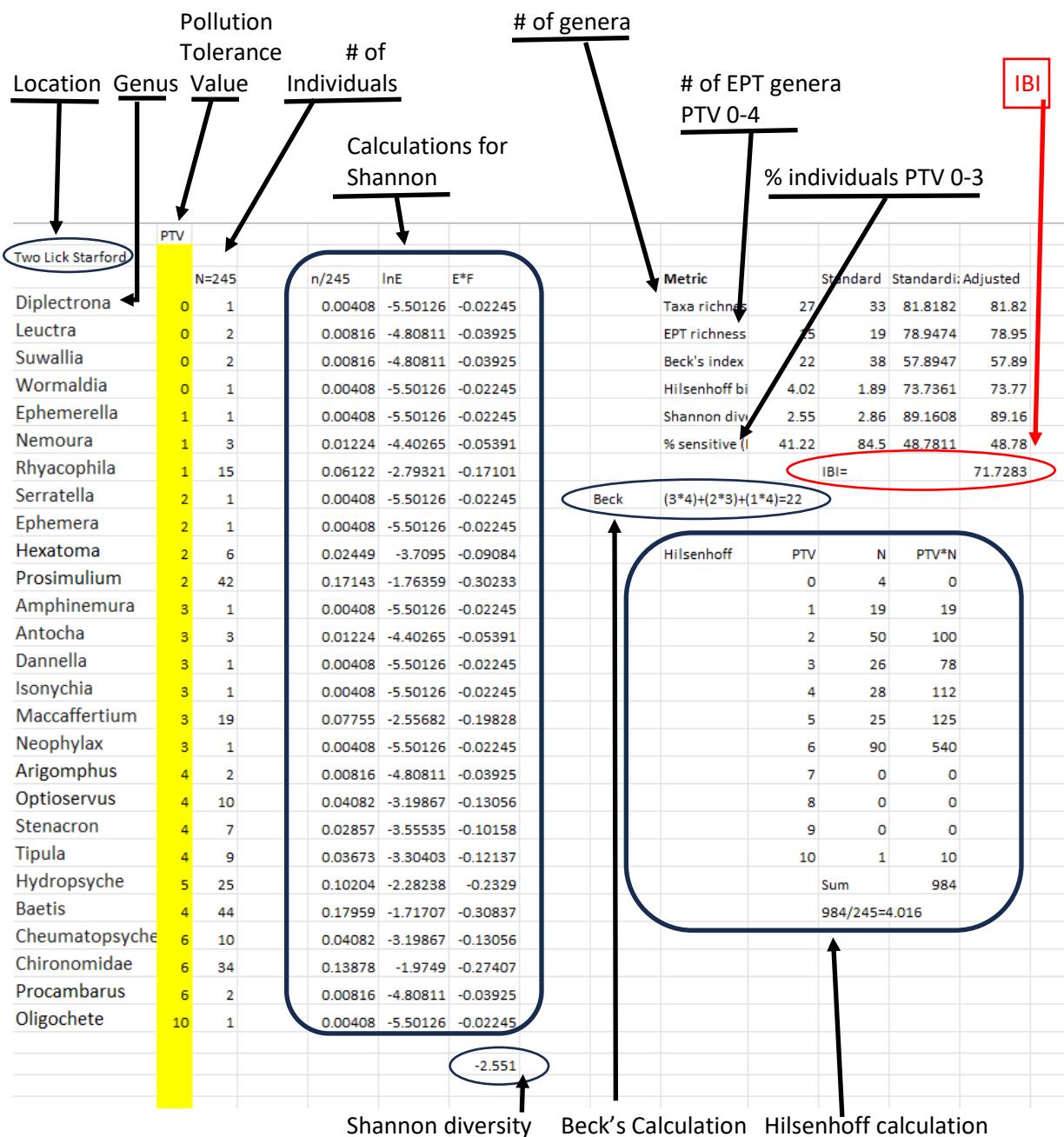
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APPENDIX A

Individual site records and calculations for IBI. The pages that follow are in the order of Table 1, with old surveys following the 2023 survey of the same site. Demonstrations of Beck's and Hilsenhoff indeces are provided in Appendix B, taken from PA DEP 2012. IBI is the average of the adjusted standardized values for all six indeces: taxa richness; Ephemeroptera, Plecoptera, and Trichoptera richness with PTV of 0 to 4; Beck's index; Hilsenhoff index; Shannon diversity; and Percent sensitive individuals with PTV 0 to 3.



	PTV		N=245	n/245	InE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted
Two Lick Starford										
Diplectrona	0	1		0.004082	-5.50126	-0.02245	Taxa richness	27	33	81.81818
Leuctra	0	2		0.008163	-4.80811	-0.03925	EPT richness	15	19	78.94737
Suwallia	0	2		0.008163	-4.80811	-0.03925	Beck's index	22	38	57.89474
Wormaldia	0	1		0.004082	-5.50126	-0.02245	Hilsenhoff	4.02	1.89	73.73613
Ephemerella	1	1		0.004082	-5.50126	-0.02245	Shannon diversity	2.55	2.86	89.16084
Nemoura	1	3		0.012245	-4.40265	-0.05391	% sensitive	41.22	84.5	48.78107
Rhyacophila	1	15		0.061224	-2.79321	-0.17101	IBI=			71.72833
Serratella	2	1		0.004082	-5.50126	-0.02245	Beck	(3*4)+(2*3)+(1*4)=22		
Ephemera	2	1		0.004082	-5.50126	-0.02245				
Hexatoma	2	6		0.02449	-3.7095	-0.09084	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N
Prosimulium	2	42		0.171429	-1.76359	-0.30233		0	4	0
Amphinemura	3	1		0.004082	-5.50126	-0.02245		1	19	19
Antocha	3	3		0.012245	-4.40265	-0.05391		2	50	100
Dannella	3	1		0.004082	-5.50126	-0.02245		3	26	78
Isonychia	3	1		0.004082	-5.50126	-0.02245		4	28	112
Maccaffertium	3	19		0.077551	-2.55682	-0.19828		5	25	125
Neophylax	3	1		0.004082	-5.50126	-0.02245		6	90	540
Arigomphus	4	2		0.008163	-4.80811	-0.03925		7	0	0
Optioservus	4	10		0.040816	-3.19867	-0.13056		8	0	0
Stenacron	4	7		0.028571	-3.55535	-0.10158		9	0	0
Tipula	4	9		0.036735	-3.30403	-0.12137		10	1	10
Hydropsyche	5	25		0.102041	-2.28238	-0.2329	Sum			984
Baetis	4	44		0.179592	-1.71707	-0.30837				984/245=4.016
Cheumatopsyche	6	10		0.040816	-3.19867	-0.13056				
Chironomidae	6	34		0.138776	-1.9749	-0.27407				

Procambarus	6	2	0.008163	-4.80811	-0.03925
Oligochete	10	1	0.004082	-5.50126	-0.02245
					-2.551

PTV						Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Two Lick South Branch	Wandin	N=157	n/157	lnE	E*F					
Leuctra	0	1	0.006369	-5.05625	-0.03221	Taxa richness	24	33	72.72727	72.7
Suwallia	0	6	0.037975	-3.27084	-0.12421	EPT richness	15	19	78.94737	78.95
Rhyacophila	1	3	0.018987	-3.96398	-0.07527	Beck's index	13	38	34.21053	34.21
Serratella	2	2	0.012658	-4.36945	-0.05531	Hilsenhoff	4.25	1.89	70.90012	70.9
Boyeria	2	1	0.006329	-5.0626	-0.03204	Shannon diversity	2.59	2.86	90.55944	90.56
Hexatoma	2	3	0.018987	-3.96398	-0.07527	% sensitive	36.94	84.5	43.71598	43.72
Nigronia	2	1	0.006329	-5.0626	-0.03204	IBI=				65.17333
Prosimilium	2	6	0.037975	-3.27084	-0.12421	Beck	(3*2)+(2*1)+(1*5)=13			
Amphinemura	3	1	0.006329	-5.0626	-0.03204	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
Antocha	3	1	0.006329	-5.0626	-0.03204					
Maccaffertium	3	33	0.208861	-1.56609	-0.32709					0
Chimarra	4	1	0.006329	-5.0626	-0.03204					7
Eurylophella	4	5	0.031646	-3.45316	-0.10928					0
Optioservus	4	5	0.031646	-3.45316	-0.10928					3
Pycnopsyche	4	8	0.050633	-2.98315	-0.15105					35
Stenacron	4	3	0.018987	-3.96398	-0.07527					105
Tipula	4	4	0.025316	-3.6763	-0.09307					26
Hydropsyche	5	8	0.050633	-2.98315	-0.15105					104
Baetis	4	24	0.151899	-1.88454	-0.28626					40
Polycentropus	6	3	0.018987	-3.96398	-0.07527					0
Cheumatopsyche	6	10	0.063291	-2.76001	-0.17468					0
Probezzia	6	1	0.006329	-5.0626	-0.03204					0
Chironomidae	6	24	0.151899	-1.88454	-0.28626		Sum		668/157=4.254	
Procambarus	6	3	0.018987	-3.96398	-0.07527					

Two Lick Diamondville		PTV	N=159	n/159	lnE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Ameletus	0	1	0.006289	-5.0689	-0.03188		Taxa richness	25	33	75.75758	75.76
Suwallia	0	1	0.006289	-5.0689	-0.03188		EPT richness	10	19	52.63158	52.63
Hexatoma	2	3	0.018868	-3.97029	-0.07491		Beck's index	9	38	23.68421	23.68
Nigronia	2	2	0.012579	-4.37576	-0.05504		Hilsenhoff	4.35	1.89	69.66708	69.67
Prosimilium	2	4	0.025157	-3.68261	-0.09264		Shannon diversity	2.4	2.86	83.91608	83.91
Antocha	3	6	0.037736	-3.27714	-0.12367		% sensitive	35.22	84.5	41.68047	41.68
Apatania	3	3	0.018868	-3.97029	-0.07491		IBI=				57.88833
Dannella	3	2	0.012579	-4.37576	-0.05504	Beck	(3*2)+(2*0)+(1*3)=9				
Isonychia	3	2	0.012579	-4.37576	-0.05504						
Maccaffertium	3	29	0.18239	-1.70161	-0.31036		Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
Neophylax	3	3	0.018868	-3.97029	-0.07491			0	2	0	
Arigomphus	4	1	0.006289	-5.0689	-0.03188			1	0	0	
Optioservus	4	7	0.044025	-3.12299	-0.13749			2	9	18	
Pycnopsyche	4	23	0.144654	-1.93341	-0.27968			3	45	135	
Stenacron	4	1	0.006289	-5.0689	-0.03188			4	34	136	
Stenonema	4	1	0.006289	-5.0689	-0.03188			5	12	60	
Tipula	4	1	0.006289	-5.0689	-0.03188			6	57	342	
Helichus	5	2	0.012579	-4.37576	-0.05504			7	0	0	
Hydropsychidae	5	7	0.044025	-3.12299	-0.13749			8	0	0	
Stenelmis	5	3	0.018868	-3.97029	-0.07491			9	0	0	
Baetis	6	2	0.012579	-4.37576	-0.05504			10		0	
Sialis	6	1	0.006289	-5.0689	-0.03188		Sum			691	
Cheumatopsyche	6	5	0.031447	-3.45947	-0.10879						691/159=4.345
Chironomidae	6	47	0.295597	-1.21876	-0.36026						
Procambarus	6	2	0.012579	-4.37576	-0.05504	= -2.4					

		PTV									
		Rn	N=267	n/267	InE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Two Lick above Brown											
Epeorus	0	2		0.007491	-4.8941	-0.03666	Taxa richness	31	33	93.93939	93.94
Soyedina	0	2		0.007491	-4.8941	-0.03666	EPT richness	12	19	63.15789	63.16
Suwallia	0	2		0.007491	-4.8941	-0.03666	Beck's index	18	38	47.36842	47.37
Nemoura	1	1		0.003745	-5.58725	-0.02093	Hilsenhoff	4.59	1.89	66.70777	67.57
Paraleptophlebia	1	8		0.029963	-3.50781	-0.1051	Shannon diversity	2.17	2.86	75.87413	75.87
Atherix	2	2		0.007491	-4.8941	-0.03666	% sensitive	38.95	84.5	46.09467	46.09
Ephemera	2	2		0.007491	-4.8941	-0.03666		IBI=			65.66667
Hexatoma	2	5		0.018727	-3.97781	-0.07449	Beck	(3*3)+(2*2)+(1*5)=18			
Nigronia	2	2		0.007491	-4.8941	-0.03666					
Prosimulium	2	10		0.037453	-3.28466	-0.12302	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
Antocha	3	5		0.018727	-3.97781	-0.07449		0	6	0	
Dannella	3	2		0.007491	-4.8941	-0.03666		1	9	9	
Maccaffertium	3	57		0.213483	-1.5442	-0.32966		2	21	42	
Neophylax	3	4		0.014981	-4.20095	-0.06294		3	68	204	
Arigomphus	4	1		0.003745	-5.58725	-0.02093		4	16	64	
Chimarra	4	1		0.003745	-5.58725	-0.02093		5	11	55	
Eurylophella	4	3		0.011236	-4.48864	-0.05043		6	125	750	
Optioservus	4	4		0.014981	-4.20095	-0.06294		7	0	0	
Pycnopsyche	4	2		0.007491	-4.8941	-0.03666		8	4	32	
Tipula	4	4		0.014981	-4.20095	-0.06294		9	0	0	
Dolichopodidae	4	1		0.003745	-5.58725	-0.02093		10	7	70	
Ectopria	5	1		0.003745	-5.58725	-0.02093		Sum		1226	
Hydropsyche	5	10		0.037453	-3.28466	-0.12302		1226/267=4.591			
Baetis	4	9		0.033708	-3.39002	-0.11427					
Sialis	6	1		0.003745	-5.58725	-0.02093					

Chironomidae	6	113	0.423221	-0.85986	-0.36391
Tabanidae	6	1	0.003745	-5.58725	-0.02093
Procambarus	6	1	0.003745	-5.58725	-0.02093
Prosobranchia	8?	1	0.003745	-5.58725	-0.02093
Physidae	8	3	0.011236	-4.48864	-0.05043
Oligochete	10	7	0.026217	-3.64134	-0.09547

-2.174

PTV										
Buck Run mth		N=31	n/31	lnE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Rhyacophila	1	1	0.032258	-3.43399	-0.11077	Taxa richness	9	33	27.27273	27.27
Diploperla	2	1	0.032258	-3.43399	-0.11077	EPT richness	4	19	21.05263	21.05
Isoperla	2	1	0.032258	-3.43399	-0.11077	Beck's index	4	38	10.52632	10.52
Pycnopsyche	4	4	0.129032	-2.04769	-0.26422	Hilsenhoff	4.225	1.89	71.20838	71.21
Tipula	4	12	0.387097	-0.94908	-0.36739	Shannon d	1.767	2.86	61.78322	61.78
Hydropsyche	5	6	0.193548	-1.64223	-0.31785	% sensitive	9.68	84.5	11.45562	11.46
Baetis	6	1	0.032258	-3.43399	-0.11077	IBI=				33.88167
Chironomidae	6	4	0.129032	-2.04769	-0.26422	Beck	$(3*0)+(2*1)+(1*2)=4$			
Procambarus	6	1	0.032258	-3.43399	-0.11077	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
					-1.767		0	0	0	
							1	1	1	
							2	2	4	
							3	0	0	
							4	15	60	
							5	6	30	
							6	6	36	
							7	0	0	
							8	0	0	
							9	0	0	
							10	0	0	
							Sum		131	
							131/31=4.225			

PTV												
Two Lick Clymer above		Dixon Rn		n/22		InE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Atherix	2	1	0.045455	-3.09104	-0.1405			Taxa richn	7	33	21.21212	21.21
Maccaffertium	3	6	0.272727	-1.29928	-0.35435			EPT richne	1	19	5.263158	5.26
Hydropsyche	5	7	0.318182	-1.14513	-0.36436			Beck's inde	1	38	2.631579	2.63
Polycentropus	6	1	0.045455	-3.09104	-0.1405			Hilsenhoff	4.86	1.89	63.37855	63.37
Chironomidae	6	5	0.227273	-1.4816	-0.33673			Shannon d	1.62	2.86	56.64336	56.64
Procambarus	6	1	0.045455	-3.09104	-0.1405			% sensitiv	31.81	84.5	37.64497	37.64
Oligochete	10	1	0.045455	-3.09104	-0.1405						IBI=	31.125
							-1.617	Beck	(3*0)+(2*0)+(1*1)=1			
								Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
								0	0	0	0	
								1	0	0	0	
								2	1	2		
								3	6	18		
								4	0	0		
								5	7	35		
								6	7	42		
								7	0	0		
								8	0	0		
								9	0	0		
								10	1	10		
								Sum		107		
											107/22=4.863	

Two Lick Sample Run		PTV		N=61			n/61			lnE			E*F			Metric			Standard		Standardiz		Adjusted	
Maccaffertium	3	3					0.04918	-3.01226	-0.14814						Taxa richness	10	33	30.30303	30.3					
Baetis	4	1					0.016393	-4.11087	-0.06739						EPT richness	1	19	5.263158	5.26					
Optioservus	4	2					0.032787	-3.41773	-0.11206						Beck's index	0	38	0	0					
Hydropsyche	5	11					0.180328	-1.71298	-0.3089						Hilsenhoff	5.56	1.89	54.74723	54.75					
Stenelmis	5	1					0.016393	-4.11087	-0.06739						Shannon diversity	1.36	2.86	47.55245	47.55					
Sialis	6	1					0.016393	-4.11087	-0.06739						% sensitive	4.92	84.5	5.822485	5.82					
Cheumatopsyche	6	3					0.04918	-3.01226	-0.14814						IBI=					23.94667				
Chironomidae	6	37					0.606557	-0.49996	-0.30325						Beck	(3*0)+(2*0)+(1*0)=0								
Hemerodromia	6	1					0.016393	-4.11087	-0.06739						Hilsenhoff PTV	N								
Procambarus	6	1					0.016393	-4.11087	-0.06739							0	0	0						
																-1.357								
																1	0	0						
																2	0	0						
																3	3	9						
																4	3	12						
																5	12	60						
																6	43	258						
																7	0	0						
																8	0	0						
																9	0	0						
																10	0	0						
																	Sum		339					
																				339/61= 5.56				

2008 Two Lick Sample	PTV	N=220	n/220	InE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Acentrella - 2	4	2	0.009091	-4.70048	-0.04273	Taxa richne	9	33	27.27273	27.3
Plauditus - 3	4	3	0.013636	-4.29502	-0.05857	EPT richne	2	19	10.52632	10.53
Hydropsyche - 4	5	4	0.018182	-4.00733	-0.07286	Beck's inde	0	38	0	0
Cheumatopsyche - 1	5	1	0.004545	-5.39363	-0.02452	Hilsenhoff	5.97	1.89	49.69174	49.69
Baetis - 1	6	1	0.004545	-5.39363	-0.02452	Shannon d	0.464	2.86	16.22378	16.2
Hemerodromia - 2	6	2	0.009091	-4.70048	-0.04273	% sensitive	0	84.5	0	0
Chironomidae - 201	6	201	0.913636	-0.09032	-0.08252	IBI=				17.28667
Ceratopsyche - 4	6	4	0.018182	-4.00733	-0.07286	Beck	(3*0)+(2*0)+(1*0)=0			
Clitellata - 2	10	2	0.009091	-4.70048	-0.04273	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
				-0.464			0	0	0	
							1	0	0	
							2	0	0	
							3	0	0	
							4	5	20	
							5	5	25	
							6	208	1248	
							7	0	0	
							8	0	0	
							9	0	0	
							10	2	20	
							Sum		1313	
									1313/220= 5.97	

Dixon Run Pear Rd	PTV	N=239	n/239	InE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Alloperla	0	2	0.008368	-4.78332	-0.04003	Taxa richness	25	33	75.75758	75.75
Ameletus	0	1	0.004184	-5.47646	-0.02291	EPT richness	13	19	68.42105	68.42
Suwallia	0	2	0.008368	-4.78332	-0.04003	Beck's index	16	38	42.10526	42.12
Rhyacophila	1	1	0.004184	-5.47646	-0.02291	Hilsenhoff	3.25	1.89	83.23058	83.23
Serratella	2	2	0.008368	-4.78332	-0.04003	Shannon d	2	2.86	69.93007	69.93
Ephemera	2	1	0.004184	-5.47646	-0.02291	% sensitive	82	84.5	97.04142	97.04
Hexatoma	2	1	0.004184	-5.47646	-0.02291	IBI=			72.74833	
Isoperla	2	4	0.016736	-4.09017	-0.06845	Beck	(3*3)+(2*1)+(1*5)=16			
Prosimilium	2	115	0.481172	-0.73153	-0.35199	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
Amphinemura	3	1	0.004184	-5.47646	-0.02291		0	5	0	
Dicranota	3	1	0.004184	-5.47646	-0.02291		1	1	1	
Maccaffertium	3	22	0.09205	-2.38542	-0.21958		2	123	246	
Chimarra	4	1	0.004184	-5.47646	-0.02291		3	24	72	
Pycnopsyche	4	12	0.050209	-2.99156	-0.1502		4	25	100	
Stenacron	4	1	0.004184	-5.47646	-0.02291		5	15	75	
Stenonema	4	8	0.033473	-3.39702	-0.11371		6	42	252	
Tipula	4	3	0.012552	-4.37785	-0.05495		7	1	7	
Hydropsyche	5	14	0.058577	-2.83741	-0.16621		8	3	24	
Ptilostomis	5	1	0.004184	-5.47646	-0.02291		9	0	0	
Baetis	6	19	0.079498	-2.53202	-0.20129		10	0	0	
Chironomidae	6	20	0.083682	-2.48073	-0.20759		Sum		777	
Procambarus	6	3	0.012552	-4.37785	-0.05495					
Caenis	7	1	0.004184	-5.47646	-0.02291		777/239=3.251			
Prosobranchia	8?	2	0.008368	-4.78332	-0.04003					
Physidae	8	1	0.004184	-5.47646	-0.02291	= -2.001				

Dixon Run	Dixonville	PTV	N=313	n/313	lnE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Suwallia	0	4		0.01278	-4.35991	-0.05572	Taxa richness	22	33	66.66667	66.67
Ephemerella	1	1		0.003195	-5.7462	-0.01836	EPT richness	10	19	52.63158	52.63
Paraleptophlebia	1	2		0.00639	-5.05306	-0.03229	Beck's index	8	38	21.05263	21.05
Ephemera	2	1		0.003195	-5.7462	-0.01836	Hilsenhoff	3.54	1.89	79.65475	79.64
Isoperla	2	4		0.01278	-4.35991	-0.05572	Shannon diversity	1.84	2.86	64.33566	64.3
Prosimilium	2	158		0.504792	-0.68361	-0.34508	% sensitive	66.66	84.5	78.88757	78.89
Maccaffertium	3	4		0.01278	-4.35991	-0.05572		IBI=			60.53
Chimarra	4	7		0.022364	-3.80029	-0.08499	Beck	(3*1)+(2*2)+(1*3)=8			
Eurylophella	4	4		0.01278	-4.35991	-0.05572					
Pycnopsyche	4	2		0.00639	-5.05306	-0.03229	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
Stenacron	4	2		0.00639	-5.05306	-0.03229		0	4	0	
Tipula	4	2		0.00639	-5.05306	-0.03229		1	3	3	
Hydropsyche	5	28		0.089457	-2.414	-0.21595		2	163	326	
Ptilostomis	5	1		0.003195	-5.7462	-0.01836		3	4	12	
Stenelmis	5	2		0.00639	-5.05306	-0.03229		4	17	68	
Hydrophilidae	5	1		0.003195	-5.7462	-0.01836		5	32	160	
Baetis	6	15		0.047923	-3.03815	-0.1456		6	90	540	
Cheumatopsyche	6	1		0.003195	-5.7462	-0.01836		7	0	0	
Probezzia	6	17		0.054313	-2.91299	-0.15821		8	0	0	
Chironomidae	6	47		0.15016	-1.89606	-0.28471		9	0	0	
Simulium	6	3		0.009585	-4.64759	-0.04455		10	0	0	
Procambarus	6	7		0.022364	-3.80029	-0.08499		Sum		1109	
								1109/313=3.543			
								-1.84			

Dixon Run Rd24		PTV	N=4	n/4	lnE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted
Ephemera		2	1	0.25	-1.38629	-0.34657	Taxa richness	4	33	12.12121
Probezzia		6	1	0.25	-1.38629	-0.34657	EPT richness	1	19	5.263158
Chironomidae		6	1	0.25	-1.38629	-0.34657	Beck's index	1	38	2.631579
Oligochete		10	1	0.25	-1.38629	-0.34657	Hilsenhoff	6	1.89	49.32182
						-1.386	Shannon diversity	1.39	2.86	48.6014
							% sensitive	25	84.5	29.5858
								IBI=		24.58667
							Beck	(3*0)+(2*0)+(1*1)=1		
							Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N
							0	0	0	0
							1	0	0	0
							2	1	2	2
							3	0	0	0
							4	0	0	0
							5	0	0	0
							6	2	12	12
							7	0	0	0
							8	0	0	0
							9	0	0	0
							10	1	10	10
							Sum			24
							24/4=6			

Dixon Run Mouth Clymer											
	PTV		N=15	n/15	lnE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Epeorus	0	1	0.066667	-2.70805	-0.18054		Taxa richness	10	33	30.30303	27.27
Atherix	2	1	0.066667	-2.70805	-0.18054		EPT richness	4	19	21.05263	26.31
Prosimulium	2	1	0.066667	-2.70805	-0.18054		Beck's index	5	38	13.15789	10.52
Dannella	3	2	0.133333	-2.0149	-0.26865		Hilsenhoff	3.27	1.89	82.98397	72.01
Dicranota	3	1	0.066667	-2.70805	-0.18054		Shannon diversity	2.15	2.86	75.17483	61.78
Maccaffertium	3	4	0.266667	-1.32176	-0.35247		% sensitive	66.66	84.5	78.88757	11.46
Stenacron	4	2	0.133333	-2.0149	-0.26865		IBI=				34.89167
Tipula	4	1	0.066667	-2.70805	-0.18054	Beck	(3*1)+(2*0)+(1*2)=5				
Probezzia	6	1	0.066667	-2.70805	-0.18054						
Chironomidae	6	1	0.066667	-2.70805	-0.18054		Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
						-2.15		0	1	0	
								1	0	0	
								2	2	4	
								3	7	21	
								4	3	12	
								5	0	0	
								6	2	12	
								7	0	0	
								8	0	0	
								9	0	0	
								10	0	0	
								Sum	49		
								49/15=3.266			

Penn Run mouth	PTV	N=15	n/15	InE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Epeorus	0	1	0.066667	-2.70805	-0.18054	Taxa richness	8	33	24.24242	24.24
Isoperla	2	2	0.133333	-2.0149	-0.26865	EPT richness	2	19	10.52632	10.52
Tipula	4	2	0.133333	-2.0149	-0.26865	Beck's index	4	38	10.52632	10.52
Hydropsyche	5	5	0.333333	-1.09861	-0.3662	Hilsenhoff	3.86	1.89	75.709	75.71
Polycentropus	6	1	0.066667	-2.70805	-0.18054	Shannon d	1.89	2.86	66.08392	66.08
Sialis	6	1	0.066667	-2.70805	-0.18054	% sensitive	2	84.5	2.366864	2.36
Chironomidae	6	2	0.133333	-2.0149	-0.26865		IBI=		31.57167	
Gerris	9	1	0.066667	-2.70805	-0.18054	Beck	(3*1)+(2*0)+(1*1)=4			
					-1.894	Hilsenhoff PTV	N		PTV*N	
						0	1		0	
						1	0		0	
						2	2		4	
						3	0		0	
						4	2		8	
						5	5		25	
						6	2		12	
						7	0		0	
						8	0		0	
						9	1		9	
						10	0		0	
						Sum			58	
						58/15=			3.86	

Penn Run Headwtr		PTV	N=172	n/172	lnE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Diplectrona	0	1	0.005814	-5.14749	-0.02993	Taxa richness	13	33	39.39394	39.39	
Atherix	2	1	0.005814	-5.14749	-0.02993	EPT richness	4	19	21.05263	21.05	
Amphinemura	3	5	0.02907	-3.53806	-0.10285	Beck's index	4	38	10.52632	10.52	
Antocha	3	1	0.005814	-5.14749	-0.02993	Hilsenhoff	5.77	1.89	52.15783	52.16	
Chimarra	4	6	0.034884	-3.35574	-0.11706	Shannon diversity	0.63	2.86	22.02797	22.03	
Stenacron	4	1	0.005814	-5.14749	-0.02993	% sensitive	4.65	84.5	5.502959	5.5	
Tipula	4	1	0.005814	-5.14749	-0.02993	IBI=		25.10833			
Baetis	6	1	0.005814	-5.14749	-0.02993	Beck	$(3*1)+(2*0)+(1*1)=4$				
Cheumatopsyche	6	1	0.005814	-5.14749	-0.02993	Hilsenhoff PTV	N	PTV*N			
Chironomidae	6	151	0.877907	-0.13021	-0.11432		0	1	0		
Hemerodromia	6	1	0.005814	-5.14749	-0.02993		1	0	0		
Procambarus	6	1	0.005814	-5.14749	-0.02993		2	1	2		
Oligochete	10	1	0.005814	-5.14749	-0.02993		3	6	18		
					-0.6335		4	8	32		
							5	0	0		
							6	155	930		
							7	0	0		
							8	0	0		
							9	0	0		
							10	1	10		
							Sum		992		
							992/172= 5.767				

	PTV									
Yellow Cr Rt 954	N=228	n/228	lnE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted		
Isoperla	2	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381	Taxa richness	20	33	60.60606	60.61
Prosimilium	2	64	0.280702	-1.27046	-0.35662	EPT richness	8	19	42.10526	42.11
Antocha	3	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381	Beck's index	2	38	5.263158	5.26
Isonychia	3	15	0.065789	-2.7213	-0.17903	Hilsenhoff	4.05	1.89	73.36621	73.37
Maccaffertium	3	31	0.135965	-1.99536	-0.2713	Shannon d	2.12	2.86	74.12587	74.13
Corydalus	4	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381	% sensitive	49.12	84.5	58.13018	35.78
Chimarra	4	10	0.04386	-3.12676	-0.13714	IBI=			48.54333	
Eurylophella	4	2	0.008772	-4.7362	-0.04155	Beck	(3*0)+(2*0)+(1*2)=2			
Optioservus	4	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381	Hilsenhoff PTV	N	PTV*N		
Pycnopsyche	4	3	0.013158	-4.33073	-0.05698		0	0	0	
Stenacron	4	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381		1	0	0	
Stenonema	4	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381		2	65	130	
Hydropsyche	5	6	0.026316	-3.63759	-0.09573		3	47	141	
Baetis	6	2	0.008772	-4.7362	-0.04155		4	19	76	
Polycentropus	6	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381		5	6	30	
Cheumatopsyche	6	15	0.065789	-2.7213	-0.17903		6	91	546	
Chironomidae	6	51	0.223684	-1.49752	-0.33497		7	0	0	
Hemerodromia	6	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381		8	0	0	
Simulium	6	20	0.087719	-2.43361	-0.21347		9	0	0	
Procambarus	6	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381		10	0	0	
					-2.121	Sum	923			
						923/228=	4.048			

2010 Yellow Cr @ Rt 954	PTV	N=228	n/228	lnE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Acroneuria - 1	0	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381	Taxa richn	24	33	72.72727	72.7
Taeniopteryx - 23	2	23	0.100877	-2.29385	-0.2314	EPT richne	6	19	31.57895	31.58
Nigronia - 2	2	2	0.008772	-4.7362	-0.04155	Beck's inde	5	38	13.15789	13.16
Isonychia - 15	3	15	0.065789	-2.7213	-0.17903	Hilsenhoff	4.79	1.89	64.24168	64.24
Antocha - 14	3	14	0.061404	-2.79029	-0.17133	Shannon d	2.51	2.86	87.76224	87.76
Maccaffertium - 11	4	11	0.048246	-3.03145	-0.14625	% sensitive	17.1	84.5	20.23669	20.24
Plauditus - 1	4	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381	IBI=				48.28
Stenacron - 1	4	1	'	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	Beck	(3*1)+(2*0)+(1*2)=5			
Optioservus - 1	4	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
Psephenus - 1	4	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381		0	1	0	
Corydalus - 1	4	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381		1	0	0	
Chimarra - 42	4	42	0.184211	-1.69168	-0.31162		2	25	50	
Hydropsyche - 30	5	30	0.131579	-2.02815	-0.26686		3	29	87	
Baetis - 1	6	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381		4	58	232	
Chironomidae - 18	6	18	0.078947	-2.53897	-0.20045		5	30	150	
Hemerodromia - 2	6	2	0.008772	-4.7362	-0.04155		6	65	390	
Simulium - 2	6	2	0.008772	-4.7362	-0.04155		7	10	70	
Cheumatopsyche - 36	6	36	0.157895	-1.84583	-0.29145		8	0	0	
Planorbidae - 2	6	2	0.008772	-4.7362	-0.04155		9	3	27	
Amphipoda - 3	6	3	0.013158	-4.33073	-0.05698		10	7	70	
Hydroptila - 1	6	1	0.004386	-5.42935	-0.02381		Sum		1076	
Acariformes - 10	7	10	0.04386	-3.12676	-0.13714		1076/228=4.719			
Nematoda - 3	9	3	0.013158	-4.33073	-0.05698					
Clitellata - 7	10	7	0.030702	-3.48344	-0.10695					

-2.513

PTV										
Yellow Cr Tide	N=86	n/86	InE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted		
Sweltsa	0	1	0.011628	-4.45435	-0.05179	Taxa richness	17	33	51.51515	51.51
Prosimilium	2	3	0.034884	-3.35574	-0.11706	EPT richness	3	19	15.78947	15.79
Antocha	3	16	0.186047	-1.68176	-0.31289	Beck's index	4	38	10.52632	10.52
Isonychia	3	5	0.05814	-2.84491	-0.1654	Hilsenhoff	4.8	1.89	64.11837	64.12
Strophopteryx	3	1	0.011628	-4.45435	-0.05179	Shannon d	2.06	2.86	72.02797	72.03
Eurylophella	4	1	0.011628	-4.45435	-0.05179	% sensitive	30.23	84.5	35.77515	35.78
Optioservus	4	1	0.011628	-4.45435	-0.05179	IBI=			41.625	
Pycnopsyche	4	1	0.011628	-4.45435	-0.05179	Beck	$(3*1)+(2*0)+(1*1)=4$			
Stenacron	4	1	0.011628	-4.45435	-0.05179	Hilsenhoff PTV	N	PTV*N		
Hydropsyche	5	15	0.174419	-1.7463	-0.30459		0	1	0	
Polycentropus	6	1	0.011628	-4.45435	-0.05179		1	0	0	
Sialis	6	1	0.011628	-4.45435	-0.05179		2	3	6	
Cheumatopsyche	6	8	0.093023	-2.37491	-0.22092		3	22	66	
Chironomidae	6	28	0.325581	-1.12214	-0.36535		4	4	16	
Hemerodromia	6	1	0.011628	-4.45435	-0.05179		5	15	75	
Simulium	6	1	0.011628	-4.45435	-0.05179		6	40	240	
Oligochete	10	1	0.011628	-4.45435	-0.05179		7	0	0	
					-2.056		8	0	0	
							9	0	0	
							10	1	10	
						Sum		413		
							413/86= 4.80			

PTV						Metric	Standard		Standardiz	Adjusted
Yellow Cr Homer City	N=3	n/3	lnE	E*F			3	33	9.090909	9.09
Amphinemura	3	1	0.333333	-1.09861	-0.3662	Taxa richness	3	33	9.090909	9.09
Chironomidae	6	1	0.333333	-1.09861	-0.3662	EPT richness	1	19	5.263158	5.26
Empididae	6	1	0.333333	-1.09861	-0.3662	Beck's index	1	38	2.631579	2.63
					-1.098	Hilsenhoff	4	1.89	73.98274	73.98
						Shannon d	1.1	2.86	38.46154	38.46
						% sensitive	66.66	84.5	78.88757	78.89
							IBI=		34.71833	
						Beck	(3*0)+(2*0)+(1*1)=1			
							Hilsenhoff PTV		N	PTV*N
							0	1	0	0
							1	0	0	0
							2	0	0	0
							3	0	0	0
							4	0	0	0
							5	0	0	0
							6	2	12	
							7	0	0	
							8	0	0	
							9	0	0	
							10	0	0	
							Sum		12	
							12/3= 4			

Elk Creek Mouth		PTV	N=104	n/104	lnE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Acroneuria	0	4	0.038462	-3.2581	-0.12531		Taxa richness	18	33	54.54545	54.54
Ameletus	0	2	0.019231	-3.95124	-0.07599		EPT richness	11	19	57.89474	57.89
Leuctra	0	1	0.009615	-4.64439	-0.04466		Beck's index	22	38	57.89474	57.89
Soyedina	0	1	0.009615	-4.64439	-0.04466		Hilsenhoff	4.77	1.89	64.48829	64.73
Wormaldia	0	7	0.067308	-2.69848	-0.18163		Shannon diversity	2.04	2.86	71.32867	71.33
Ephemerella	1	1	0.009615	-4.64439	-0.04466		% sensitive	26.92	84.5	31.85799	31.86
Nemoura	1	1	0.009615	-4.64439	-0.04466					IBI=	56.37333
Isonychia	3	5	0.048077	-3.03495	-0.14591	Beck	(3*5)+(2*2)+(1*3)=22				
Oemopteryx	3	4	0.038462	-3.2581	-0.12531						
Strophopteryx	3	2	0.019231	-3.95124	-0.07599		Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
Chimarra	4	15	0.144231	-1.93634	-0.27928			0	15	0	
Tipula	4	2	0.019231	-3.95124	-0.07599			1	2	2	
Tipulidae	4	1	0.009615	-4.64439	-0.04466			2	21	42	
Hydropsyche	5	1	0.009615	-4.64439	-0.04466			3	11	33	
Baetis	4	1	0.009615	-4.64439	-0.04466			4	18	72	
Polycentropus	6	3	0.028846	-3.54578	-0.10228			5	1	5	
Cheumatopsyche	6	7	0.067308	-2.69848	-0.18163			6	57	342	
Chironomidae	6	46	0.442308	-0.81575	-0.36081			7	0	0	
						-2.042		8	0	0	
								9	0	0	
								10	0	0	
							Sum			496	
										496/104=4.769	

2010 Elk Cr	PTV	N=33	n/33	InE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted
Leuctra - 1	0	1	0.030303	-3.49651	-0.10595	Taxa richne	7	33	21.21212
Isonychia - 1	3	1	0.030303	-3.49651	-0.10595	EPT richne	12	19	63.15789
Antocha - 5	3	5	0.151515	-1.88707	-0.28592	Beck's inde	3	38	7.894737
Ceratopsyche - 7	5	7	0.212121	-1.5506	-0.32891	Hilsenhoff	5.06	1.89	60.91245
Sialis - 1	6	1	0.030303	-3.49651	-0.10595	Shannon d	1.64	2.86	57.34266
Chironomidae - 9	6	9	0.272727	-1.29928	-0.35435	% sensitive	21.21	84.5	25.10059
Cheumatopsyche	6	9	0.272727	-1.29928	-0.35435				IBI= 39.26667
						Beck	(3*1)+(2*0)+(1*0)=3		
					-1.641	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N
							0	1	0
							1	0	0
							2	0	0
							3	6	18
							4	0	0
							5	7	35
							6	19	114
							7	0	0
							8	0	0
							9	0	0
							10	0	0
							Sum		167
							167/33=5.06		

	PTV		N=240	n/240	InE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted
Little Elk Cr										
Ameletus	0	1		0.004167	-5.48064	-0.02284	Taxa richn	25	33	75.75758
Diplectrona	0	11		0.045833	-3.08274	-0.14129	EPT richne	18	19	94.73684
Dolophilodes	0	2		0.008333	-4.78749	-0.0399	Beck's inde	34	38	89.47368
Epeorus	0	39		0.1625	-1.81708	-0.29528	Hilsenhoff	1.82	1.89	100.8631
Goera	0	1		0.004167	-5.48064	-0.02284	Shannon d	1.99	2.86	69.58042
Leuctra	0	6		0.025	-3.68888	-0.09222	% sensitive	87.91	84.5	104.0355
Soyedina	0	1		0.004167	-5.48064	-0.02284				IBI= 88.25667
Wormaldia	0	1		0.004167	-5.48064	-0.02284	Beck	(3*8)+(2*4)+(1*2)=34		
Ephemerella	1	1		0.004167	-5.48064	-0.02284				
Nemoura	1	1		0.004167	-5.48064	-0.02284	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N
Paraleptophlebia	1	10		0.041667	-3.17805	-0.13242		0	62	0
Rhyacophila	1	12		0.05	-2.99573	-0.14979		1	24	24
Nigronia	2	1		0.004167	-5.48064	-0.02284		2	115	230
Prosimulium	2	114		0.475	-0.74444	-0.35361		3	10	30
Dannella	3	1		0.004167	-5.48064	-0.02284		4	10	40
Maccaffertium	3	7		0.029167	-3.53473	-0.1031		5	2	10
Neophylax	3	2		0.008333	-4.78749	-0.0399		6	17	102
Eurylophella	4	1		0.004167	-5.48064	-0.02284		7	0	0
Pycnopsyche	4	1		0.004167	-5.48064	-0.02284		8	0	0
Stenacron	4	3		0.0125	-4.38203	-0.05478		9	0	0
Tipula	4	5		0.020833	-3.8712	-0.08065		10	0	0
Hydropsyche	5	2		0.008333	-4.78749	-0.0399	Sum			436
Baetis	4	3		0.0125	-4.38203	-0.05478				436/240=1.816
Sialis	6	1		0.004167	-5.48064	-0.02284				
Chironomidae	6	13		0.054167	-2.91569	-0.15793	1.986			

PTV										
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Acroneuria	0	1	0.005263	-5.24702	-0.02762	Taxa richness	20	33	60.60606	60.6
Alloperla	0	1	0.005263	-5.24702	-0.02762	EPT richness	12	19	63.15789	63.16
Ameletus	0	3	0.015789	-4.14841	-0.0655	Beck's index	27	38	71.05263	71.05
Dolophilodes	0	1	0.005263	-5.24702	-0.02762	Hilsenhoff	2.34	1.89	94.45129	94.45
Epeorus	0	26	0.136842	-1.98893	-0.27217	Shannon diversity	2.13	2.86	74.47552	74.47
Leuctra	0	11	0.057895	-2.84913	-0.16495	% sensitive	76.32	84.5	90.31953	90.32
Wormaldia	0	8	0.042105	-3.16758	-0.13337	IBI=		75.675		
Rhyacophila	1	5	0.026316	-3.63759	-0.09573	Beck	$(3*7)+(2*1)+(1*4)=27$			
Boyeria	2	1	0.005263	-5.24702	-0.02762					
Diura	2	4	0.021053	-3.86073	-0.08128	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
Nigronia	2	1	0.005263	-5.24702	-0.02762		0	51	0	
Prosimilium	2	72	0.378947	-0.97036	-0.36771		1	5	5	
Maccaffertium	3	10	0.052632	-2.94444	-0.15497		2	78	156	
Neophylax	3	1	0.005263	-5.24702	-0.02762		3	11	33	
Pycnopsyche	4	2	0.010526	-4.55388	-0.04794		4	4	16	
Tipula	4	2	0.010526	-4.55388	-0.04794		5	0	0	
Polycentropus	6	2	0.010526	-4.55388	-0.04794		6	39	234	
Cheumatopsyche	6	18	0.094737	-2.35665	-0.22326		7	0	0	
Probezzia	6	1	0.005263	-5.24702	-0.02762		8	0	0	
Chironomidae	6	20	0.105263	-2.25129	-0.23698		9	0	0	
					-2.133		10	0	0	
						Sum	444			
							444/190=2.336			

PTV						Metric	Standard		Standardiz	Adjusted	
NB Blacklick Red Mill	N=39	n/39	InE	E*F							
Acroneuria	0	1	0.025641	-3.66356	-0.09394	Taxa richness	10	33	30.30303	30.3	
Alloperla	0	2	0.051282	-2.97041	-0.15233	EPT richness	4	19	21.05263	21.05	
Rhyacophila	1	2	0.051282	-2.97041	-0.15233	Beck's index	10	38	26.31579	26.32	
Nigronia	2	1	0.025641	-3.66356	-0.09394	Hilsenhoff	3.74	1.89	77.18866	77.19	
Prosimilium	2	13	0.333333	-1.09861	-0.3662	Shannon diversity	1.79	2.86	62.58741	62.59	
Chimarra	4	1	0.025641	-3.66356	-0.09394	% sensitive	48.72	84.5	57.6568	57.66	
Hydropsyche	5	6	0.153846	-1.8718	-0.28797	IBI=		45.85167			
Chironomidae	6	11	0.282051	-1.26567	-0.35698	Beck	(3*2)+(2*1)+(1*2)=10				
Pedicia	6	1	0.025641	-3.66356	-0.09394	Hilsenhoff PTV		N	PTV*N		
Oligochete	10	1	0.025641	-3.66356	-0.09394			0	3	0	
								1	2	2	
								2	14	28	
								3	0	0	
								4	1	4	
								5	6	30	
								6	12	72	
								7	0	0	
								8	0	0	
								9	0	0	
								10	1	10	
						Sum		146			
						146/39= 3.74					

2015 Red Mill	PTV	N=78	n/78	lnE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted
Leuctra - 2	0	2	0.025641	-3.66356	-0.09394	Taxa richn	16	33	48.48485
Nigronia - 1	2	1	0.012821	-4.35671	-0.05586	EPT richne	11	19	57.89474
Antocha - 3	3	3	0.038462	-3.2581	-0.12531	Beck's inde	4	38	10.52632
Maccaffertium - 7	3	7	0.089744	-2.4108	-0.21635	Hilsenhoff	4.76	1.89	64.61159
Isonychia - 2	3	2	0.025641	-3.66356	-0.09394	Shannon d	2.44	2.86	85.31469
Taenionema - 1	3	1	0.012821	-4.35671	-0.05586	% sensitive	20.5	84.5	24.26036
Chimarra - 2	4	2	0.025641	-3.66356	-0.09394				IBI= 48.85667
Baetisca - 1	4	1	0.012821	-4.35671	-0.05586	Beck	(3*1)+(2*0)+(1*1)=4		
Optioservus - 5	4	5	0.064103	-2.74727	-0.17611				
Hydropsyche - 12	5	12	0.153846	-1.8718	-0.28797	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N
Baetis - 4	6	4	0.051282	-2.97041	-0.15233		0	2	0
Simulium - 1	6	1	0.012821	-4.35671	-0.05586		1	0	0
Chironomidae - 30	6	30	0.384615	-0.95551	-0.3675		2	2	4
Ceratopogon - 2	6	2	0.025641	-3.66356	-0.09394		3	13	39
Caenis - 2	7	2	0.025641	-3.66356	-0.09394		4	8	32
Cambaridae - 3	10	3	0.038462	-3.2581	-0.12531		5	12	60
							6	37	222
							7	2	14
							8	0	0
							9	0	0
							10	0	0
							Sum	371	
							371/78= 4.756		

	PTV	N=180	n/180	lnE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Carney Run										
Acroneuria	0	2	0.011111	-4.49981	-0.05	Taxa richness	23	33	69.69697	69.70
Ameletus	0	3	0.016667	-4.09434	-0.06824	EPT richness (PTV 0-4)	12	19	63.15789	63.16
Dolophilodes	0	4	0.022222	-3.80666	-0.08459	Beck's index	23	38	60.52632	60.53
Epeorus	0	10	0.055556	-2.89037	-0.16058	Hilsenhoff biotic index	3.73	1.89	77.31196	77.31
Leuctra	0	2	0.011111	-4.49981	-0.05	Shannon diversity	2.31	2.86	80.76923	80.77
Soyedina	0	1	0.005556	-5.19296	-0.02885	% sensitive (PTV 0-3)	45.56	84.5	53.91716	100.00
Rhyacophila	1	17	0.094444	-2.35974	-0.22286			IBI=	75.24	
Atherix	2	1	0.005556	-5.19296	-0.02885	Beck	(3*6)+(2*1)+(1*3)=23			
Isoperla	2	1	0.005556	-5.19296	-0.02885					
Prosimulum	2	37	0.205556	-1.58204	-0.3252	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
Amphinemura	3	1	0.005556	-5.19296	-0.02885		0	22	0	
Maccaffertium	3	3	0.016667	-4.09434	-0.06824		1	17	17	
Baetis	6	4	0.022222	-3.80666	-0.08459		2	39	78	
Optioservus	4	1	0.005556	-5.19296	-0.02885		3	4	12	
Pycnopsyche	4	1	0.005556	-5.19296	-0.02885		4	8	32	
Stenonema	4	2	0.011111	-4.49981	-0.05		5	12	60	
Tipula	4	4	0.022222	-3.80666	-0.08459		6	77	462	
Hydropsyche	5	12	0.066667	-2.70805	-0.18054		7	0	0	
Baetis	6	4	0.022222	-3.80666	-0.08459		8	0	0	
Polycentropus	6	1	0.005556	-5.19296	-0.02885		9	0	0	
Cheumatopsyche	6	20	0.111111	-2.19722	-0.24414		10	1	10	
Chironomidae	6	50	0.277778	-1.28093	-0.35581	Sum			671	
Procambarus	6	2	0.011111	-4.49981	-0.05				671/180=3.727	
Oligochete	10	1	0.005556	-5.19296	-0.02885					
					-2.31					

2014 Carney Run	PTV	N=222	n/222	lnE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Acroneuria - 2	0	2	0.009009	-4.70953	-0.04243	Taxa richn	31	33	93.93939	93.9
Epeorus - 11	0	11	0.04955	-3.00478	-0.14889	EPT richne	14	19	73.68421	73.68
Leuctra - 35	0	35	0.157658	-1.84733	-0.29125	% sensitiv	41.44	84.5	49.04142	49.04
Haploperla - 20	0	20	0.09009	-2.40695	-0.21684	Beck's inde	27	38	71.05263	71.1
Diplectrona - 15	0	15	0.067568	-2.69463	-0.18207	Hilsenhoff	2.98	1.89	86.5598	86.66
Ephemerella - 6	1	6	0.027027	-3.61092	-0.09759	Shannon d	2.66	2.86	93.00699	93
Paraleptophlebia -	1	1	0.004505	-5.40268	-0.02434				IBI=	77.89667
Rhyacophila - 1	1	1	0.004505	-5.40268	-0.02434	Beck	(3*5)+(2*4)+(1*4)=27			
Cinygmulia - 5	1	5	0.022523	-3.79324	-0.08543	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	4
Hexatoma - 2	2	2	0.009009	-4.70953	-0.04243		0	83	0	
Lype - 1	2	1	0.004505	-5.40268	-0.02434		1	13	13	
Isoperla - 1	2	1	0.004505	-5.40268	-0.02434		2	5	10	
Prosimilium - 1	2	1	0.004505	-5.40268	-0.02434		3	11	33	
Maccaffertium - 2	3	2	0.009009	-4.70953	-0.04243		4	2	8	
Antocha - 4	3	4	0.018018	-4.01638	-0.07237		5	45	225	
Dicranota - 2	3	2	0.009009	-4.70953	-0.04243		6	55	330	
Amphinemura - 3	3	3	0.013514	-4.30407	-0.05816		7	6	42	
Stenacron - 2	4	2	0.009009	-4.70953	-0.04243		8	0	0	
Lanthus - 2	5	2	0.009009	-4.70953	-0.04243		9	0	0	
Ectopria - 2	5	2	0.009009	-4.70953	-0.04243		10	0	0	
Oulimnius - 43	5	43	0.193694	-1.64148	-0.31794	Sum			661	
Polycentropus - 5	6	5	0.022523	-3.79324	-0.08543				661/222=2.977	
Cheumatopsyche -	6	1	0.004505	-5.40268	-0.02434					
Chironomidae - 35	6	35	0.157658	-1.84733	-0.29125					
Habrophlebiodes -	6	5	0.022523	-3.79324	-0.08543					
Baetis - 1	6	1	0.004505	-5.40268	-0.02434					
Diphetor - 2	6	2	0.009009	-4.70953	-0.04243					
Hemerodromia - 5	6	5	0.022523	-3.79324	-0.08543					
Ceratopogonidae -	6	1	0.004505	-5.40268	-0.02434					
Chrysops - 1	7	1	0.004505	-5.40268	-0.02434					
Chelifera - 5	7	5	0.022523	-3.79324	-0.08543					

-2.661

Downey Run	PTV						Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
		N=246	n/246	lnE	E*F						
Acroneuria	0	4	0.01626	-4.11904	-0.06698		Taxa richness	26	33	78.78788	78.79
Alloperla	0	1	0.004065	-5.50533	-0.02238		EPT richness (PTV 0-4)	15	19	78.94737	78.95
Diplectrona	0	1	0.004065	-5.50533	-0.02238		Beck's index	29	38	76.31579	76.32
Dolophilodes	0	11	0.044715	-3.10744	-0.13895		Hilsenhoff biotic index	3.028	1.89	85.96794	85.97.33
Epeorus	0	68	0.276423	-1.28582	-0.35543		Shannon diversity	2.52	2.86	88.11189	88.11
Haploperla	0	3	0.012195	-4.40672	-0.05374		% sensitive (PTV 0-3)	51.62	84.5	61.08876	61.09
Leuctra	0	4	0.01626	-4.11904	-0.06698				IBI=		76.65
Suwallia	0	11	0.044715	-3.10744	-0.13895	Beck	(3*9)+(2*0)+(1*2)=29				
Wormaldia	0	6	0.02439	-3.71357	-0.09057						
Hexatoma	2	1	0.004065	-5.50533	-0.02238		Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
Isoperla	2	4	0.01626	-4.11904	-0.06698			0	109		0
Prosimilium	2	6	0.02439	-3.71357	-0.09057			1	0		0
Beloneuria	3	6	0.02439	-3.71357	-0.09057			2	11		22
Dicranota	3	1	0.004065	-5.50533	-0.02238			3	7		21
Chimarra	4	8	0.03252	-3.42589	-0.11141			4	20		80
Pycnopsyche	4	2	0.00813	-4.81218	-0.03912			5	0		0
Stenacron	4	1	0.004065	-5.50533	-0.02238			6	92		552
Stenonema	4	2	0.00813	-4.81218	-0.03912			7	0		0
Tipula	4	7	0.028455	-3.55942	-0.10128			8	0		0
Polycentropus	6	2	0.00813	-4.81218	-0.03912			9	0		0
Cheumatopsyche	6	41	0.166667	-1.79176	-0.29863			10	7		70
Baetis	6	26	0.105691	-2.24723	-0.23751						
Probezzia	6	2	0.00813	-4.81218	-0.03912						745/246 = 3.028
Chironomidae	6	18	0.073171	-2.61496	-0.19134						
Procambarus	6	3	0.012195	-4.40672	-0.05374						
Oligochete	10	7	0.028455	-3.55942	-0.10128	-2.52					

	PTV	N=120	n/120	InE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted
Walker Run									
Acroneuria	0	2	0.016667	-4.09434	-0.06824	Taxa richness	24	33	72.72727
Alloperla	0	4	0.033333	-3.4012	-0.11337	EPT richness (PTV 0-4)	14	19	73.68421
Diplectrona	0	4	0.033333	-3.4012	-0.11337	Beck's index	30	38	78.94737
Epeorus	0	9	0.075	-2.59027	-0.19427	Hilsenhoff biotic index	2.883	1.89	87.75586
Haploperla	0	2	0.016667	-4.09434	-0.06824	Shannon diversity	2.59	2.86	90.55944
Leuctra	0	14	0.116667	-2.14843	-0.25065	% sensitive (PTV 0-3)	59.17	84.5	70.02367
Suwallia	0	3	0.025	-3.68888	-0.09222			IBI=	78.94833
Wormaldia	0	9	0.075	-2.59027	-0.19427	Beck	(3*8)+(2*1)+(1*4)=30		
Rhyacophila	1	2	0.016667	-4.09434	-0.06824				
Hexatoma	2	1	0.008333	-4.78749	-0.0399	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N
Isoperla	2	4	0.033333	-3.4012	-0.11337		0	47	0
Prosimilium	2	1	0.008333	-4.78749	-0.0399		1	2	2
Tallaperla	2	1	0.008333	-4.78749	-0.0399		2	7	14
Beloneuria	3	4	0.033333	-3.4012	-0.11337		3	15	45
Amphinemura	3	10	0.083333	-2.48491	-0.20708		4	6	24
Dicranota	3	1	0.008333	-4.78749	-0.0399		5	1	5
Pycnopsyche	4	6	0.05	-2.99573	-0.14979		6	41	246
Hydropsyche	5	1	0.008333	-4.78749	-0.0399		7	0	0
Polycentropus	6	2	0.016667	-4.09434	-0.06824		8	0	0
Probezzia	6	2	0.016667	-4.09434	-0.06824		9	0	0
Chironomidae	6	34	0.283333	-1.26113	-0.35732		10	1	10
Tabanidae	6	2	0.016667	-4.09434	-0.06824	Sum		346	
Procambarus	6	1	0.008333	-4.78749	-0.0399			346/120= 2.883	
Oligochete	10	1	0.008333	-4.78749	-0.0399				
					-2.588				

PTV	Unt	Williams	Run	Rev	loc	N=146	n/146	InE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Acroneuria	0	1				0.006849	-4.98361	-0.03413		Taxa richn	16	33	48.48485	48.48
Dolophilodes	0	3				0.020548	-3.88499	-0.07983		EPT richne	9	19	47.36842	47.37
Epeorus	0	47				0.321918	-1.13346	-0.36488		Beck's inde	22	38	57.89474	57.89
Leuctra	0	7				0.047945	-3.0377	-0.14564		Hilsenhoff	2.4	1.89	93.71147	93.71
Wormaldia	0	2				0.013699	-4.29046	-0.05877		Shannon d	2.1	2.86	73.42657	73.42
Ephemerella	1	2				0.013699	-4.29046	-0.05877		% sensitive	78.77	84.5	93.21893	93.22
Rhyacophila	1	20				0.136986	-1.98787	-0.27231		IBI=				69.015
Isoperla	2	6				0.041096	-3.19185	-0.13117	Beck	(3*5)+(2*2)+(1*3)=22				
Prosimilium	2	23				0.157534	-1.84811	-0.29114		Hilsenhoff PTV	N		PTV*N	
Tallaperla	2	1				0.006849	-4.98361	-0.03413			0	60	0	
Maccaffertium	3	3				0.020548	-3.88499	-0.07983			1	22	22	
Hydropsyche	5	3				0.020548	-3.88499	-0.07983			2	30	60	
Baetis	6	19				0.130137	-2.03917	-0.26537			3	3	9	
Polycentropus	6	2				0.013699	-4.29046	-0.05877			4	0	0	
Chironomidae	6	6				0.041096	-3.19185	-0.13117			5	3	15	
Pedicia	6	1				0.006849	-4.98361	-0.03413			6	28	168	
									-2.11		7	0	0	
										8	0	0		
										9	0	0		
										10	0	0		
										Sum		274		
												274/146= 2.4041		

Unt williams 2008	PTV	N=219	n/219	InE	E*F	Metric	Standard	Standardiz	Adjusted	
Diplectrona - 6	0	6	0.027397	-3.59731	-0.09856	Taxa richness	18	33	54.54545	57.6
Acroneuria - 1	0	1	0.004566	-5.38907	-0.02461	EPT richness	11	19	57.89474	57.9
Haploperla - 1	0	1	0.004566	-5.38907	-0.02461	Beck's index	18	38	47.36842	47.4
Sweltsa - 2	0	2	0.009132	-4.69592	-0.04289	Hilsenhoff	1.47	1.89	105.1788	100
Leuctra - 151	0	151	0.689498	-0.37179	-0.25635	Shannon diversity	1.25	2.86	43.70629	43.7
Rhyacophila - 2	1	2	0.009132	-4.69592	-0.04289	% sensitive	86.76	84.5	102.6746	100
Lepidostoma - 1	1	1	0.004566	-5.38907	-0.02461	IBI=				67.76667
Hexatoma - 1	2	1	0.004566	-5.38907	-0.02461	Beck	(3*4)+(2*2)+(1*2)=18			
Prosimilium - 1	2	1	0.004566	-5.38907	-0.02461	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
Maccaffertium - 1	3	1	0.004566	-5.38907	-0.02461		0	160	0	
Amphinemura - 22	3	22	0.100457	-2.29803	-0.23085		1	3	3	
Dicranota - 2	3	2	0.009132	-4.69592	-0.04289		2	2	4	
Eurylophella - 1	4	1	0.004566	-5.38907	-0.02461		3	25	75	
Optioservus - 2	4	2	0.009132	-4.69592	-0.04289		4	4	16	
Pycnopsyche - 1	4	1	0.004566	-5.38907	-0.02461		5	0	0	
Chironomidae - 21	6	21	0.09589	-2.34455	-0.22482		6	21	126	
Cambaridae - 2	10	2	0.009132	-4.69592	-0.04289		7	0	0	
Lepidoptera - 1	10	1	0.004566	-5.38907	-0.02461		8	0	0	
					-1.2465		9	0	0	
							10	10	100	
						Sum			324	
									324/219=1.47	

Stewart Run	PTV	N=312	n/312	lnE	E*F	Metric	Stand.	Standardized	Adjusted	
Acroneuria	0	1	0.003205	-5.743	-0.01841	Taxa richness	33	33	100	100
Alloperla	0	5	0.016026	-4.13357	-0.06624	EPT richness (PTV 0-4)	20	19	105.2631579	100
Ameletus	0	1	0.003205	-5.743	-0.01841	Beck's index	43	38	113.1578947	100
Dolophilodes	0	14	0.044872	-3.10395	-0.13928	Hilsenhoff biotic index	2.8	1.9	88.77928483	88.78
Epeorus	0	33	0.105769	-2.2465	-0.23761	Shannon diversity	2.83	2.9	98.95104895	98.95
Haploperla	0	2	0.00641	-5.04986	-0.03237	% sensitive (PTV 0-3)	63.8	85	75.47928994	75.48
Leuctra	0	2	0.00641	-5.04986	-0.03237			IBI=	93.86833	
Pteronarcys	0	7	0.022436	-3.79709	-0.08519					
Suwallia	0	1	0.003205	-5.743	-0.01841	Beck	(3*10)+(2*4)+(1*5)=43			
Wormaldia	0	1	0.003205	-5.743	-0.01841					
Ephemerella	1	38	0.121795	-2.10542	-0.25643	Hilsenhoff	PTV	N	PTV*N	
Nemoura	1	5	0.016026	-4.13357	-0.06624		0	105	0	
Paraleptophlebia	1	8	0.025641	-3.66356	-0.09394		1	62	62	
Rhyacophila	1	11	0.035256	-3.34511	-0.11794		2	47	94	
Serratella	2	8	0.025641	-3.66356	-0.09394		3	23	69	
Hexatoma	2	24	0.076923	-2.56495	-0.1973		4	8	32	
Isoperla	2	12	0.038462	-3.2581	-0.12531		5	6	30	
Prosimulium	2	1	0.003205	-5.743	-0.01841		6	98	588	
Tallaperla	2	2	0.00641	-5.04986	-0.03237		7		0	
Beloneuria	3	4	0.012821	-4.35671	-0.05586		8		0	
Amphinemura	3	1	0.003205	-5.743	-0.01841		9		0	
Antocha	3	2	0.00641	-5.04986	-0.03237		10			
Dicranota	3	4	0.012821	-4.35671	-0.05586			875/312 = 2.80		
Maccaffertium	3	12	0.038462	-3.2581	-0.12531					
Optioservus	4	7	0.022436	-3.79709	-0.08519					
Tipula	4	1	0.003205	-5.743	-0.01841					
Ectopria	5	1	0.003205	-5.743	-0.01841					

Hydropsyche	5	5	0.016026	-4.13357	-0.06624
Baetis	6	54	0.173077	-1.75402	-0.30358
Cheumatopsyche	6	32	0.102564	-2.27727	-0.23357
Probezzia	6	1	0.003205	-5.743	-0.01841
Chironomidae	6	10	0.032051	-3.44042	-0.11027
Simulium	6	1	0.003205	-5.743	-0.01841
					-2.82885

APPENDIX B

Calculation of Beck's index and Hilsenhoff's index. Demonstrations from PA DEP 2012.

Beck's index relies on counting sensitive genera. Genera with PTV of 0 are given weight 3, those with PTV 1 are given weight 2, and those with PTV 2 are given weight 1. All other genera are ignored in this calculation. For Beck, higher numbers are better, as with most other indeces.

Hilsenhoff's index counts all individuals and weighs them all according to their respective PTV. All individuals with PTV 0 are weighted zero, those with PTV of 1 are weighted one, and so forth. Unlike other indeces used in this study, lower values are better in Hilsenhoff. In the standardization process that precedes the calculation of the IBI, Hilsenhoff is subtracted from 10, inverting the polarity of the index: Hilsenhoff of 3 becomes 7 ($10-3=7$), and Hilsenhoff of 6 becomes 4 ($10-6=4$). By this method, *higher* values are now better, and values become more comparable to those of other indeces prior to calculating the average for all, which is IBI.

Beck's Index (version 3)

Driftwood Branch Sinnemahoning creek

$$= 3(n_{\text{taxaHILS0}}) + 2(n_{\text{taxaHILS1}}) + 1(n_{\text{taxaHILS2}})$$

where $n_{\text{taxaHILSi}}$ = the number of taxa in a sub-sample with a pollution tolerance value (PTV) of i

There are 3 taxa in this sub-sample with PTV = 0.

Epeorus **Acroneuria** **Glossosoma**

There are 6 taxa in this sub-sample with PTV = 1.

Leucrocuta **Ephemerella** **Paraleptophlebia**
Paragnetina **Rhyacophila** **Lepidostoma**

There are 4 taxa in this sub-sample with PTV = 2.

Serratella **Taeniopteryx** **Nigronia**
Atherix

$$\text{Beck's Index (version 3)} = 3(3) + 2(6) + 1(4)$$

$$\text{Beck's Index (version 3)} = 9 + 12 + 4$$

$$\text{Beck's Index (version 3)} = 25$$

Taxa Name	Number of Individuals	Pollution Tolerance Value
Isonychia	15	3
Epeorus	10	0
Leucrocuta	13	1
Maccaffertium	18	3
Ephemerella	3	1
Eurylophella	3	4
Serratella	8	2
Paraleptophlebia	5	1
Stylogomphus	1	4
Taeniopteryx	13	2
Taenionema	37	3
Allocapnia	1	3
Neoperla	4	3
Paragnetina	2	1
Acroneuria	2	0
Nigronia	1	2
Chimarra	3	4
Polycentropus	2	6
Ceratopsyche	3	5
Cheumatopsyche	1	6
Rhyacophila	1	1
Glossosoma	2	0
Lepidostoma	2	1
Apatania	5	3
Neophylax	1	3
Oligochaeta	2	10
Psephenus	5	4
Optioservus	20	4
Atherix	2	2
Antocha	1	3
Chironomidae	6	6

Hilsenhoff Biotic Index

Driftwood Branch Sinnemahoning Creek

$$= \sum_{i=0}^{10} [(i * n_{indvPTVi})] / N$$

where $n_{indvPTVi}$ = the number of individuals in a sub-sample with pollution tolerance value (PTV) of i and N = the total number of individuals in a sub-sample

There are 14 individuals with PTV = 0

There are 26 individuals with PTV = 1

There are 24 individuals with PTV = 2

There are 82 individuals with PTV = 3

There are 32 individuals with PTV = 4

There are 3 individuals with PTV = 5

There are 9 individuals with PTV = 6

There are 0 individuals with PTV = 7, 8, or 9

There are 2 individuals with PTV = 10.

There are a total of 192 individuals in the sub-sample.

Hilsenhoff Biotic Index =

$$[(0 * 14) + (1 * 26) + (2 * 24) + (3 * 82) + (4 * 32) + (5 * 3) + (6 * 9) + (7 * 0) + (8 * 0) + (9 * 0) + (10 * 2)] / 192$$

Hilsenhoff Biotic Index = 2.80

Taxa Name	Number of Individuals	Pollution Tolerance Value
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Ephemerella	3	1
Eurylophella	3	4
Serratella	8	2
Paraleptophlebia	5	1
Stylogomphus	1	4
Taeniopteryx	13	2
Taenionema	37	3
Allocapnia	1	3
Neoperla	4	3
Paragnetina	2	1
Acroneuria	2	0
Nigronia	1	2
Chimarra	3	4
Polycentropus	2	6
Ceratopsyche	3	5
Cheumatopsyche	1	6
Rhyacophila	1	1
Glossosoma	2	0
Lepidostoma	2	1
Apatania	5	3
Neophylax	1	3
Oligochaeta	2	10
Psephenus	5	4
Optioservus	20	4
Atherix	2	2
Antocha	1	3
Chironomidae	6	6

Appendix C: Scientific and common names. Listed by taxonomic order (“primitive to advanced”), with common names underneath appropriate scientific name. Note that common names often end with the designation for the order, mayflies in the Baetidae are the “small minnow mayflies,” stoneflies in the Chloroperlidae are “green stoneflies,” whereas the redundancy of “mayfly” or “stonefly” is omitted below.

Ephemoptera	Plecoptera	<i>Corydalus</i>
(Mayflies)	(Stoneflies)	(dobsonfly)
Ameletidae	Chloroperlidae	Sialidae
(comb-mouthed minnow)	(green)	<i>Sialis</i>
<i>Ameletus</i>	<i>Alloperla</i>	(alderfly)
Baetidae	<i>Haploperla</i>	
(small minnow)	<i>Suwallia</i>	
<i>Baetis</i>	<i>Sweltsa</i>	Trichoptera
<i>Diphetor</i>	Leuctridae	(Caddis flies)
Caenidae	(roll-winged)	Apataniidae
(small square-gilled)	<i>Leuctra</i>	(early smoky wing sedges)
<i>Caenis</i>	Nemouridae	<i>Apatania</i>
Ephemerellidae	(brown)	Hydropsychidae
(spiny crawler)	<i>Amphinemura</i>	(net spinning)
<i>Dannella</i>	<i>Nemoura</i>	<i>Ceratopsyche</i>
<i>Ephemerella</i>	<i>Soyedina</i>	<i>Cheumatopsyche</i>
<i>Eurylophella</i>	Peltoperlidae	<i>Diplectrona</i>
<i>Serratella</i>	(roachlike)	<i>Hydropsyche</i>
Ephemeridae	<i>Tallaperla</i>	Limnephilidae
(common burrower)	Perlidae	(northern)
<i>Ephemera</i>	(common)	<i>Goera</i>
Heptageniidae	<i>Acroneuria</i>	<i>Platycentropus</i>
(flatheaded)	<i>Beloneuria</i>	<i>Pseudostenophylax</i>
<i>Epeorus</i>	Perlodidae	<i>Pycnopsyche</i>
<i>Maccaffertium</i>	<i>Diploperla</i>	Philopotamidae
<i>Stenacron</i>	<i>Diura</i>	(fingernet)
<i>Stenonema</i>	<i>Isoperla</i>	<i>Chimarra</i>
Isonychidae	Pteronarcidae	<i>Dolophilodes</i>
(brushlegged)	(giant)	<i>Wormaldia</i>
<i>Isonychia</i>	<i>Pteronarcys</i>	Phryganeidae
Leptophlebiidae	Taeneopterygidae	(giant casemaker)
(prong-gilled)	(winter)	<i>Ptilostomis</i>
<i>Paraleptophlebia</i>	<i>Strophopteryx</i>	Polycentropodidae
	<i>Oemopteryx</i>	(tubemaker)
Odonata		<i>Polycentropus</i>
(Dragonflies)	Heteroptera	Rhyacophilidae
Gomphidae	(True Bugs)	(free-living)
(clubtails)	<i>Gerris</i>	<i>Rhyacophila</i>
<i>Arigomphus</i>	(waterstrider)	Thremmatidae
Aeshnidae		(no common name)
(darners)	Megaloptera	<i>Neophylax</i>
<i>Boyeria</i>	Corydalidae	
	<i>Nigronia</i>	
	(dark fishfly)	

Coleoptera	Diptera
(Beetles)	(True Flies)
Dryopidae	Athericidae
(long-toed)	(water snipe)
<i>Helichus</i>	<i>Atherix</i>
Elmidae	Ceratopogonidae
(riffle)	(punkie)
<i>Optioservus</i>	<i>Probezzia</i>
<i>Oulimnius</i>	Chironomidae
<i>Stenelmis</i>	(midge)
Hydrophilidae	Dolichopodidae
(water scavenger)	(long legged)
Psephenidae	Empididae
(water penny)	(dance)
<i>Ectopia</i>	<i>Clinocera</i>
	<i>Hemerodromia</i>
	Limoniidae
	(crane)
	<i>Pilaria</i>
	<i>Antocha</i>
	<i>Hexatoma</i>
	Pediciidae
	(hairy-eyed crane)
	<i>Pedicia</i>
	<i>Dicranota</i>
	Simuliidae
	(black)
	<i>Prosimulium</i>
	<i>Simulium</i>
	Tabanidae
	(horse, or deer)
	Tipulidae
	(crane)
	<i>Tipula</i>