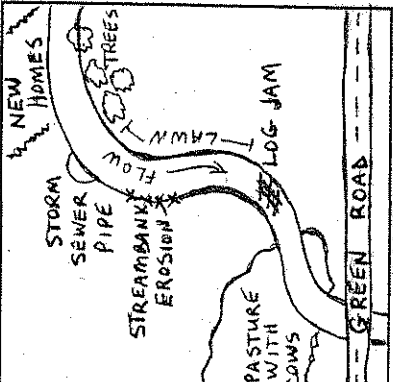


Sample Sketch



Stream Walk Data Sheet

Date _____

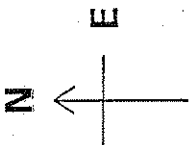
Stream name _____

County _____ State _____

Streamwalker(s) _____

Site location _____

Instructions: Walk 200 yards upstream noting the average conditions for this part of the stream. Complete checklist contained inside.



There are no, some, many trees hanging over the stream.

Other features in and around the stream

- | | None/few | Some | Much/many |
|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Log piles | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Tree roots | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Weed beds | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Rock ledges | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Islands | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Waterfalls | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Riffle areas | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Fish | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Eroding stream banks | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Litter | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

(what kind _____)

In the stream neighborhood there are

- | | None/few | Some | Much/many |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Houses | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Businesses | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Factories | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Farms with pastures with crops | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Woods | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Construction sites | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Paved roads | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Unpaved roads | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Other _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Are any pipes entering stream? Yes No

Location (facing downstream) Left bank Right bank

Description _____

Sketch the stream and its important features on the back of this card.

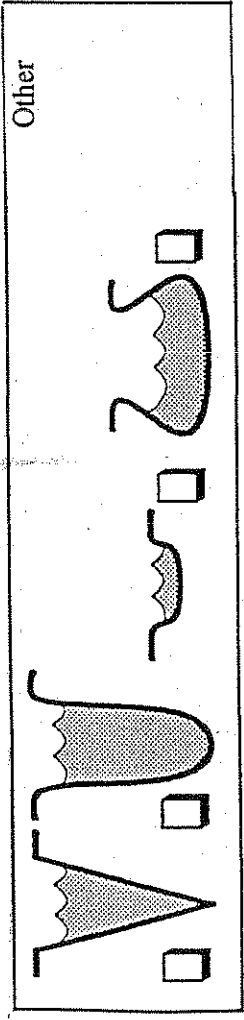
Weather Storm Rain showers Overcast Clear
Last rain event _____

Air temperature _____ Water temperature _____

Water appears clear muddy foamy milky
 oily other _____

Stream smells like rotten eggs musky sewage
 chlorine other _____

Stream/bank cross-section shape



How deep is the stream? _____ measured estimated

How wide is the stream? _____ measured estimated

The stream bottom is covered mostly with

- mud pebbles stones algae
 sand big rocks solid rock (bedrock)

Streamside vegetation

- | | None/few | Some | Much/Many |
|---------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Large trees | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Small trees | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Shrubs/bushes | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Plants | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Grasses | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Bare soil | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

The plants around the stream look

- natural and wild like someone's yard