

Appendix C
Biological Data Results
2008-2014
Compiled by the Town of Plymouth

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<u>Location ID</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Macrophyte/ Phytoplankton</u>	<u>Macroinvertebrate/ Periphyton</u>
BM-1	Downstream of Russell Mill Pond, near hatchery		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
BM-2	Downstream of Hayden Pond, near Sandwich Road		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
BM-3	Near Forge Drive		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
BM-4	Downstream of Sawmill Pond Dam *		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Russell Mill Pond		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Hayden Pond		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Howland Pond		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Eel River Basin		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

*Sawmill Pond Dam removed in 2009/2010. Location following dam removal is downstream of footbridge

2006 Master List of Aquatic Macrophytes Observed in Ponds of the Eel River System
(No Significant Changes in 2008 from 2006/2007 List)

Species Name	Common Name	Occurance in Ponds			
		<u>Russell Mill</u>	<u>Hayden</u>	<u>Howland</u>	<u>Eel River</u>
<u>Submerged Plants</u>					
<i>Cabomba caroliniana</i>	Fanwort (non-native)		X		X
<i>Callitriche sp.</i>	Water-starwort	x			
<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i>	Coontail	x		x	
<i>Elodea nuttallii</i>	Waterweed	X	X	x	X
<i>Nitell sp.</i>	macroalga			x	x
<i>Potamogeton sp.</i>	Pondweed	x	x	x	x
<i>Utricularia sp.</i>	Bladderwort	X	x		
<i>Vallisneria americana</i>	Tapegrass	x			
<u>Floating-Leaved Plants</u>					
<i>Nuphar variegata</i>	Yellow Waterlily	x	x		
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	White Waterlily	x		X	x
<u>Emergent Plants</u>					
<i>Alnus sp.</i>	Alder			x	
<i>Clethra alnifolia</i>	Sweet Pepperbush			x	x
<i>Decodon verticillatus</i>	Water-willow	x	x	x	x
<i>Impatiens capensis</i>	Jewelweed	x			
<i>Juncus sp.</i>	Rush		x		x
<i>Lythrum salicaria</i>	Purple Loosestrife	x			x
<i>Myosotis sp.</i>	Forget-me-not	x			
<i>Myrica gale</i>	Sweet Gale	x	x	x	x
<i>Phragmites australis</i>	Common Reed		x		x
<i>Pontederia cordata</i>	Pickereel-weed		x		x
<i>Sagittaria sp.</i>	Arrowhead	x	x		
<i>Scirpus cyperinus</i>	Wool-grass		x	x	
<i>Sparganium sp.</i>	Bur-reed		x	x	x
<i>Spiraea tomentosa</i>	Steeple-bush		x	x	x
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	Common Cattail		x	x	
*dominant species indicated in bold, capital X					

Results of Eel River Periphyton Sampling Conducted May 20, 2008

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: **Abundant** = 60-100%, **Very Common** = 30-60%, **Common** = 5-30%, **Rare** <1%

BM-1 (hatchery) **BM-2** **BM-3a** **BM-4 (TNC)**

Periphyton Taxa				
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)				
<i>Cocconeis</i>			A	R
<i>Eunotia</i>	R		R	R
<i>Gomphonema</i>			R	
<i>Melosira</i>			R	
<i>Navicula</i>	V		R	A
<i>Nitzschia</i>	V		R	R
<i>Tabellaria</i>			R	
Chlorophyta (green algae, excluding desmids)				
<i>Coleochaete</i>	R		R	O
<i>Oedogonium</i>			R	
<i>Zygnema</i>			R	
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Oscillatoria</i>				R
<i>Phormidium</i>	R			O
Desmidiaceae (desmids)				
<i>Closterium</i>				R
<i>Cosmarium</i>				R
Protozoa				
<i>Vorticella</i>			R	
Bacteria				
<i>unidentified</i>	V			
*BM-4 slides supported many midge (Chironomidae) retreats				

Results of Eel River Periphyton Sampling Conducted October 3, 2008

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Very Common = 30-60%, **Common** = 5-30%, **Rare** <1%

Periphyton Taxa	BM-1 (hatchery)	BM-2	BM-3a	BM-4 (TNC)
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)				
<i>Cocconeis</i>		A	C	
<i>Cymbella</i>	R	R		
<i>Eunotia</i>	R	R	C	R
<i>Gomphonema</i>	R			
<i>Melosira</i>	R			R
<i>Navicula</i>	R	C	C	R
<i>Nitzschia</i>		R		R
<i>Synedra</i>	R		R	R
<i>Tabellaria</i>	C	R		
Chlorophyta (green algae, excluding desmids)				
<i>Coleochaete</i>	R	R	R	
<i>Oedogonium</i>				R
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Oscillatoria</i>				R
<i>Phormidium</i>			V	
Protozoa				
<i>Carchesium</i>			R	R
<i>Platycola</i>			R	
<i>Rhipidodendron</i>				R
<i>Sphaerophyra</i>			R	
<i>Vorticella</i>			R	R
Bacteria				
<i>unidentified</i>	A		R	A

Results of Eel River Plankton Sampling Conducted May 20, 2008

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Russell Mill Pond **Hayden Pond** **Howland Pond** **Eel River Basin**

Phytoplankton Taxa				
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)				
<i>Asterionella</i>	A	A	A	A
<i>Eunotia</i>			R	R
<i>Fragilaria</i>		R	R	R
<i>Melosira</i>	R	R	R	
<i>Navicula</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Nitzschia</i>		R	R	R
<i>Rhizosolenia</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Synedra</i>	R	R	R	
<i>Tabellaria</i>	R			
Chlorophyta (green algae, excluding desmids)				
<i>Eudorina</i>				R
<i>Mougeotia</i>		R		
<i>Pediastrum</i>			R	
<i>Scenedesmus</i>				R
<i>Spirogyra</i>			R	R
Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)				
<i>Dinobryon</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Mallomonas</i>			R	
<i>Rhizochrysis</i>	R			
<i>Synura</i>	R			
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Anabaena</i>	R			
<i>Microcystis</i>	R			
Euglenophyta				
<i>Phacus</i>	R	R	R	R
Pyrrophyta (dinoflagellates)				
<i>Peridinium</i>	R	R		

Eel River Field Measurements Recorded by DW on May 20, 2008

Station	Depth	Temp	SpC	DO	DO	pH
	<i>meters</i>	°C	<i>uS/cm</i>	<i>% Sat</i>	<i>mg/L</i>	<i>units</i>
BM4 (TNC/Sawmill tailrace)	0.2	10.4	79.3	97.2	10.9	5.6
BM1 (Fish Hatchery)	0.2	14.1	99.1	91.3	9.4	5.8
Hayden Pond	0.3	13.7	105.7	87.7	9.1	6
BM2 (Sandwich Road)	0.2	13.8	105.3	97.2	10.1	6.1
BM3A (Forge Road)	0.4	14.9	95.1	97.4	9.8	5.8
Howland Pond	1.1	14.7	93.5	131.4	13.3	6.8
Eel River Basin	0.5	15.1	108.8	98.5	9.9	6.1
Russell Mill Pond(secchi = 3.5ft)	0.2	15.1	98.8	115	11.6	6.1
	1	15.1	99.2	114.9	11.6	6.2
	2	15	99.3	114.9	11.6	6.3
	3	14.7	98.8	112.9	11.5	6.3
	4	12.9	103.9	49.5	5.2	5.7
	5	10.9	117.2	2.2	0.2	5.8
	5.4	10.6	136.7	1.9	0.2	6

Results of Eel River Plankton Sampling Conducted September 28,2008

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Russell Mill Pond **Hayden Pond** **Howland Pond** **Eel River Basin**

<u>Phytoplankton Taxa</u>				
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)				
<i>Asterionella</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Cymbella</i>		R		R
<i>Eunotia</i>			R	R
<i>Fragilaria</i>			R	R
<i>Gomphonema</i>		R		R
<i>Melosira</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Nitzschia</i>	R	R	R	C
<i>Rhizosolenia</i>	R	R		R
<i>Synedra</i>	R	R		R
<i>Tabellaria</i>	A	A	A	A
Chlorophyta (green algae, excluding desmids)				
<i>Arthrodesmus</i>		R		
<i>Closterium</i>			R	R
<i>Coelastrum</i>				R
<i>Crucigenia</i>				R
<i>Eudorina</i>	R			
<i>Mougeotia</i>			R	R
<i>Oedogonium</i>				R
<i>Pandorina</i>		R		R
<i>Pediastrum</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Scenedesmus</i>		R	R	R
<i>Sphaerocystis</i>			R	R
<i>Spondylosium</i>		R		
Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)				
<i>Dinobryon</i>	R	R		R
<i>Mallomonas</i>			R	R
<i>Rhizochrysis</i>			R	
<i>Synura</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Uroglenopsis</i>			R	
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Anabaena</i>	R	R		R
<i>Microcystis</i>	R	R		
<i>Oscillatoria</i>				O
Pyrrhophyta (dinoflagellates)				
<i>Glenodinium</i>	R		R	R
Protozoa				
<i>Euglena</i>				R
<i>Phacus</i>				R
<i>Trachelomanas</i>	R	R	R	R

Eel River Field Measurements Recorded by DW on September 28, 2008

Station	Depth	Temp	SpC	DO	DO	pH
	<i>meters</i>	°C	<i>uS/cm</i>	<i>% Sat</i>	<i>mg/L</i>	<i>units</i>
Hayden Pond	0.4	16.5	100.7	82.7	8.1	5.6
Howland Pond	0.5	17.4	67.1	82	7.9	5.2
Eel River Basin	0.5	17.8	64.2	64.4	6.1	5.2
Russell Mill Pond(secchi = 4.5ft)	0.3	17.3	87.8	114.8	11	5.9
	1	16.4	92.9	111.8	10.9	6
	2	16	95.7	99.1	9.7	5.9
	3	15.8	88.8	86.1	8.5	5.7
	4	15	103.5	60.1	6.1	5.4
	5	14.3	110.5	30.7	3.1	5.3
	6	13.7	222.8	2	0.2	5.8
	6.6	13	390.7	1.3	0.1	6.1

Results of Macroinvertebrate Sampling of Eel River on September 20 & 21, 2008

INSECT TAXA	FFG*	BM-1 (fish hatchery)	BM-2 (Old Sandwich Rd)	BM-3A (Forges Rd)	BM-4 (TNC; mill tailrace)
Diptera (flies and midges)					
<i>Chironomidae</i>	V		2		1
<i>Simuliidae</i>	CF	1	13	7	8
Ephemeroptera (mayflies)					
<i>Baetis</i>	CG/SC		20	6	
<i>Stenonema</i>	SC/CG		7	2	14
Odonata (damselflies and dragonflies)					
<i>Argia</i>	P			1	
<i>Boyeria</i>	P				3
Plecoptera (stoneflies)					
<i>Leuctra</i>	SH				3
Trichoptera (caddisflies)					
<i>Cheumatopsyche</i>	CF	4	6		
<i>Hydropsyche</i>	CF	56	1	17	32
<i>Polycentropodidae</i>	CF			1	
<i>Pycnopsyche</i>	SH			1	
<i>Triaenodes</i>	SH			1	
NON-INSECT TAXA					
Amphipoda (scuds)					
<i>Gammarus</i>	CG	3	41	24	1
<i>Hyalella</i>	CG			8	
Decapoda (crayfish)					
<i>unidentified (very small)</i>	SH		1	1	
Isopoda (aquatic sow bugs)					
<i>Caecidotea</i>	CG	3		11	32
Mollusca (snails and clams)					
<i>Physa</i>	SC	4			
<i>Pisidiidae (pea clams)</i>	CF	11		5	1
Oligochaetes (aquatic worms)					
<i>unidentified</i>	V				3
Turbellaria (flatworms)					
<i>Dugesia</i>	CG	2	1	4	
Total Specimens		84	92	89	98
Community Richness (Total Taxa)		8	9	14	10
Community Evenness (Scaled SD)		0.31	0.52	0.66	0.56
EPT Taxa		2	4	6	3
Percent Dominant Taxa		0.67	0.45	0.27	0.33
Dominant FFG *		CF	CG	CG	CF/CG

*Functional Feeding Groups: CF= Collector-filterer, CG=Collector-gatherer, SC=Scraper, SH=Shredder, P=Predator, V=Variable

Results of Macroinvertebrate Sampling of Eel River on September 26, 2009

INSECT TAXA	FFG*	BM-1 (fish hatchery)	BM-2 (Old Sandwich Rd)	BM-3A (Forges Rd)	BM-4 (TNC; mill tailrace)
Coleoptera (beetles)					
	<i>Dytiscidae</i>			1	
Diptera (flies and midges)					
	<i>Chironomidae</i>	V	3	1	3
	<i>Simuliidae</i>	CF	1	4	9
	<i>unidentified</i>				1
Ephemeroptera (mayflies)					
	<i>Baetis</i>	CG/SC		31	
	<i>Stenonema</i>	SC/CG		8	33
Odonata (damselflies and dragonflies)					
	<i>Aeshna</i>	P		1	
	<i>Argia</i>	P		1	
	<i>Boyeria</i>	P			2
	<i>Enallagma</i>	P		1	2
Plecoptera (stoneflies)					
	<i>Leuctra</i>	SH			1
Trichoptera (caddisflies)					
	<i>Cheumatopsyche</i>	CF	2		
	<i>Chimarra</i>	CF	1	1	3
	<i>Hydropsyche</i>	CF	40	5	13
	<i>Triaenodes</i>	SH		2	1
NON-INSECT TAXA					
Amphipoda (scuds)					
	<i>Gammarus</i>	CG	3	30	31
	<i>Hyalella</i>	CG		6	6
Isopoda (aquatic sow bugs)					
	<i>Caecidotea</i>	CG	5	4	15
Mollusca (snails and clams)					
	<i>Physa</i>	SC	3		1
	<i>Pisidiidae (pea clams)</i>	CF	31		1
Turbellaria (flatworms)					
	<i>Dugesia</i>	CG	8	1	
Total Specimens			97	88	79
Community Richness (Total Taxa)			10	13	12
Community Evenness (Scaled SD)			0.49	0.49	0.54
EPT Taxa			3	4	2
Percent Dominant Taxa			0.41	0.35	0.39
Dominant FFG *			CF	CG	CG
*Functional Feeding Groups: CF= Collector-filterer, CG=Collector-gatherer, SC=Scraper, SH=Shredder, P=Predator, V=Variable					

Results of Eel River Periphyton Sampling Conducted May 10,2009

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BM-4 (TNC) **BM-1*(hatchery)** **BM-2** **BM-3a**

Periphyton Taxa				
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)				
<i>Cocconeis</i>			C	C
<i>Eunotia</i>	V		R	R
<i>Gomphonema</i>	R	R		V
<i>Navicula</i>	O	V	V	C
<i>Nitzschia</i>		C		R
<i>Pinnularia</i>	R			
<i>Synedra</i>		C		
Chlorophyta (green algae, excluding desmids)				
<i>Coleochaete</i>	O		C	R
<i>Leptosira</i>		C		
<i>Microthamnion</i>		C		
<i>Zygnema</i>				
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Oscillatoria</i>		C		
<i>Phormidium</i>		R		R
Desmidiaceae (desmids)				
<i>Closterium</i>	R			R
Bacteria				
<i>unidentified</i>	A		C	C
*slides at station BM-1 could not be located, so periphyton was collected from natural gravel and cobble substrates				

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BM-1 (Hatchery) **BM-2** **BM-3a** **BM-4 (TNC)**

<u>Periphyton Taxa</u>				
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)				
<i>Asterionella</i>	C	R		
<i>Cocconeis</i>		V		
<i>Cymbella</i>		R		
<i>Eunotia</i>	R	C	R	C
<i>Gomphonema</i>	R			
<i>Melosira</i>	R			
<i>Nitzschia</i>	V			R
<i>Rhizosolenia</i>	R	R		R
<i>Synedra</i>	V	R		
<i>Tabellaira</i>	R			
Chlorophyta (green algae, excluding desmids)				
<i>Coleochaete</i>		C		
<i>Scenedesmus</i>	R			
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Phormidium</i>			R	
Protozoa				
<i>Carchesium</i>	R			
<i>Platycola</i>			R	
<i>Rhipidodendron</i>				R
<i>Sphaerophyra</i>				
<i>Vorticella</i>	R		R	R
Bacteria				
<i>unidentified</i>	R		A	A

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Hayden Pond	0.5	15.87	111.1	62.2	6.23	5.53
Howland Pond	1.4	16.36	105.3	70.5	7	5.41
Eel River Basin	0.9	17.46	117.1	69.9	6.78	5.59
Russell Mill Pond (secchi = 3.5feet / 1.1m)	0.3	18.66	100.8	113.9	10.78	5.62
	1	18.26	100.4	111.2	10.61	5.65
	2	17.86	104.8	77.6	7.47	5.41
	3	15.11	123.4	2.4	0.24	5.15
	4	14.63	123.6	18.9	1.95	5.14
	5	14.43	130	4.3	0.44	5.16
	6	14.22	138.7	3.1	0.32	5.24
	6.1	14.12	156.3	1.9	0.2	5.48

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Russell Mill Pond **Hayden Pond** **Howland Pond** **Eel River Basin**

Phytoplankton Taxa

Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)

<i>Asterionella</i>	A	A	A	V
<i>Eunotia</i>		R		R
<i>Fragilaria</i>			R	R
<i>Melosira</i>	R	R		R
<i>Nitzschia</i>	R	R		

Chlorophyta (green algae, excluding desmids)

<i>Crucigenia</i>				R
<i>Eudorina</i>		R		
<i>Pandorina</i>		R		
<i>Pediastrum</i>		R		
<i>Scenedesmus</i>				
<i>Sphaerocystis</i>		R	R	R

Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)

<i>Chrysospherella</i>	R			R
<i>Dinobryon</i>	R	R	R	C
<i>Mallomonas</i>	R	R	R	C
<i>Rhizochrysis</i>	R	R		R
<i>Synura</i>	R	R	R	R

Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)

<i>Oscillatoria</i>			R	
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Phytoplankton Taxa

Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)

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<i>Eunotia</i>			C	R
<i>Fragilaria</i>	R	R		R
<i>Melosira</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Navicula</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Nitzschia</i>			R	R
<i>Synedra</i>	R	R		R
<i>Tabellaria</i>	R		R	

Chlorophyta (green algae, excluding desmids)

<i>Closterium</i>		R	C	R
<i>Eudorina</i>			R	
<i>Micractinium</i>	R			
<i>Mougeotia</i>	R	R	R	
<i>Oedogonium</i>			R	
<i>Pediastrum</i>		R		R
<i>Pleurotaenium</i>			R	
<i>Spirogyra</i>			V	R

Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)

<i>Chrysospherella</i>	R			R
<i>Dinobryon</i>			O	R
<i>Mallomonas</i>		R		
<i>Synura</i>	A	A	R	A

Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)

<i>Oscillatoria</i>		R	R	R
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Protozoa

<i>Phacus</i>			R	
<i>Trachelomonas</i>			C	R

Pyrrhophyta (dinoflagellates)

<i>Peridinium</i>				R
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	<i>meters</i>	°C	<i>uS/cm</i>	<i>% Sat</i>	<i>mg/L</i>	<i>units</i>
BM-4 (TNC/Sawmill tailrace)	0.2	11.02	79.4	96.2	10.6	5.48
Russel Mill Pond	0.5	14.25	99.8	100.8	10.33	5.76
BM-1 (fish hatchery)	0.4	14.18	102	97.8	10.04	5.9
Hayden Pond	0.4	15.07	105.8	101.5	10.22	5.97
BM-2 (Sandwich Rd)	0.3	15.08	109.3	99.5	10.02	6.03
BM-3a (Forge Rd)	0.3	15.18	96.2	97.4	9.78	5.73
Howland Pond	1.2	15.75	97.7	101.9	10.11	5.72
Eel River Basin	0.9	16.6	113.9	83.2	8.11	5.78

Results of Macroinvertebrate Sampling of Eel River on September 5, 2010

INSECT TAXA	FFG*	BM-1 (fish hatchery)	BM-2 (Old Sandwich Rd)	BM-3A (Forges Rd)	BM-4 (TNC; mill tailrace)
Diptera (flies and midges)					
<i>Chironomidae</i>	V		3		2
<i>Simuliidae</i>	CF	7	18	73	6
<i>Tipulidae</i>	V				2
Ephemeroptera (mayflies)					
<i>Baetis</i>	CG/SC		55	12	
<i>Stenonema</i>	SC/CG	3	2	4	3
Megaloptera (alderflies)					
<i>Sialis</i>	P		1		
Odonata (damselflies and dragonflies)					
<i>Aeshna</i>	P		3	1	
<i>Argia</i>	P			1	
<i>Calopteryx</i>	P		1		
<i>Zygoptera</i>	P		2	1	
Trichoptera (caddisflies)					
<i>Limniphilus</i>	SH	1	1		
<i>Oecetis</i>	V		2		
<i>Hydropsychidae</i>	CF	61		7	13
NON-INSECT TAXA					
Amphipoda (scuds)					
<i>Gammarus/Hyalella</i>	CG	22	17	9	2
Isopoda (aquatic sow bugs)					
<i>Caecidotea</i>	CG	4			10
Hirudinea (leeches)					
<i>Helobdella stagnalis</i>	P	1			1
unidentified	P	1			1
Mollusca (snails and clams)					
<i>Pisidiidae (pea clams)</i>	CF	2			
Oligochaetes (aquatic worms)					
unidentified	V		1		
Turbellaria (flatworms)					
<i>Dugesia</i>	CG	1			
Total Specimens		103	106	108	40
Community Richness (Total Taxa)		10	12	8	9
Community Evenness (Scaled SD)		0.36	0.42	0.31	0.58
EPT Taxa		3	4	3	2
Percent Dominant Taxa		0.59	0.52	0.68	0.33
Dominant FFG *		CF	CG/SC	CF	CF

*Functional Feeding Groups: CF= Collector-filterer, CG=Collector-gatherer, SC=Scraper, SH=Shredder, P=Predator, V=Variable

Results of Eel River Periphyton Sampling Conducted May 25,2010

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: **Abundant** = 60-100%, **Very Common** = 30-60%, **Common** = 5-30%, **Rare** <1%

BM-4 (TNC) **BM-1*(hatchery)** **BM-2** **BM-3a**

Periphyton Taxa	BM-4 (TNC)	BM-1*(hatchery)	BM-2	BM-3a
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)	No Sample ⁽¹⁾			
<i>Asterionella</i>		R		
<i>Cocconeis</i>			V	V
<i>Eunotia</i>		V	C	C
<i>Navicula</i>		R		R
<i>Nitzschia</i>		R		
Chlorophyta (green algae, excluding desmids)				
<i>Coleochaete</i>		C	R	R
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Anabaena</i>			R	
Bacteria				
<i>unidentified</i>		V ⁽²⁾	V	V
(1) Slides were not deployed at station BM-4 due to river restoration/dam removal activities				
(2) Basal discs of "iron" bacteria (likely <i>Leptothrix</i>) were present on slides at BM-1				

Results of Eel River Periphyton Sampling Conducted September 25, 2010

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: **Abundant** = 60-100%, **Very Common** = 30-60%, **Common** = 5-30%, **Rare** <1%

BM-1 (Hatchery) **BM-2** **BM-3a** **BM-4 (TNC)**

Periphyton Taxa	BM-1 (Hatchery)	BM-2	BM-3a	BM-4 (TNC)
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)				
<i>Asterionella</i>	R			
<i>Cocconeis</i>	V	V	V	
<i>Cymbella</i>		R		R
<i>Eunotia</i>	V	V	V	V
<i>Gomphonema</i>		R		
<i>Navicula</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Nitzschia</i>	R	R		
<i>Pinnularia</i>	R			
<i>Synedra</i>			R	
<i>Tabellaira</i>	R			
Chlorophyta (green algae, excluding desmids)				
<i>Closterium</i>				R
<i>Coleochaete</i>	R	R	R	R
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Lyngbya</i>		R		
<i>Phormidium</i>				R
Protozoa				
<i>Platycola</i>			R	
<i>Rhipidodendron</i>				R
<i>Vorticella</i>		R	R	R
Bacteria				
<i>unidentified</i>				V

Eel River Field Measurements Recorded by DW on May 21, 2010

Station	Depth	Temp	SpC	DO	DO	pH
	<i>meters</i>	<i>°C</i>	<i>uS/cm</i>	<i>% Sat</i>	<i>mg/L</i>	<i>units</i>
Hayden Pond	0.4	15.58	106.2	74.7	7.48	5.51
Howland Pond	0.6	15.56	106.3	77.7	7.78	5.5
Eel River Basin	0.6	17.32	110	70.5	6.8	5.55
Russell Mill Pond	0.3	16.88	95.7	112.6	10.96	5.54
(Secchi = 5ft/1.5m)	1	16.43	95.5	108.7	10.69	5.5
	2	14.3	102.3	79.7	8.2	5.33
	3	12.42	110	26.8	2.87	5.13
	4	11.81	107.8	4.4	0.48	5.04
	5	11.46	113.7	1.7	0.18	5.19
	6	11.08	130.8	1.5	0.16	5.48
	6.3	10.94	146.3	1.4	0.15	5.66

Eel River Field Measurements Recorded by DW on September 24, 2010

Station	Depth	Temp	SpC	DO	DO	pH
	<i>meters</i>	°C	<i>uS/cm</i>	<i>% Sat</i>	<i>mg/L</i>	<i>units</i>
Hayden Pond	0.4	16.32	109.3	66.6	6.56	5.71
Howland Pond	1.2	17.62	111.6	64.7	6.2	5.16
Eel River Basin	1.2	18.29	116.3	68.2	6.45	5.81
Russell Mill Pond	0.2	18.2	102	120.1	11.38	6.27
(Secchi = 5.5ft/1.7m)	1	18.07	101.5	120.9	11.48	6.3
	2	17.95	101.8	120.3	11.46	6.31
	2.5	17.91	101.3	118.5	11.3	6.2
	3	14.95	120.1	41.9	4.25	5.45
	4	13.77	169.6	2.8	0.29	5.55
	5	12.9	204.5	2	0.22	5.39
	6	11.99	251.1	1.8	0.2	5.44
	6.3	11.85	293.6	1.7	0.19	5.62

Results of Eel River Plankton Sampling Conducted May 21 ,2010

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Very Common = 30-60%, **Common** = 5-30%, **Rare** <1%

Russell Mill Pond **Hayden Pond** **Howland Pond** **Eel River Basin**

<u>Phytoplankton Taxa</u>				
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)				
<i>Asterionella</i>	V	V	A	V
<i>Fragilaria</i>		R		
<i>Melosira</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Nitzschia</i>	R		R	R
<i>Rhizosolenia</i>	R	R		R
<i>Surirella</i>			R	
<i>Synedra</i>		R	R	R
Chlorophyta (green algae, excluding desmids)				
<i>Closterium</i>		R		
<i>Closteriopsis</i>		R		
<i>Dictyosphaerium</i>	R	R		R
<i>Oocystis</i>		R		
<i>Spaerocystis</i>	R			
Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)				
<i>Dinobryon</i>	C	C	R	C
<i>Mallomonas</i>	R	R		R
<i>Synura</i>	V	V		V
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Oscillatoria</i>			R	R

Results of Eel River Plankton Sampling Conducted September 24, 2010

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Very Common = 30-60%, **Common** = 5-30%, **Rare** <1%

Russell Mill Pond **Hayden Pond** **Howland Pond** **Eel River Basin**

Phytoplankton Taxa				
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)				
<i>Asterionella</i>	R		R	R
<i>Cymbella</i>				R
<i>Fragilaria</i>			O	R
<i>Melosira</i>	R	V	V	R
<i>Navicula</i>		R	R	
<i>Nitzschia</i>		C	O	V
<i>Rhizosolenia</i>	R			
<i>Synedra</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Tabellaria</i>	C	R	C	R
Chlorophyta (green algae)				
<i>Ankistrodesmus</i>			R	
<i>Botryococcus</i>				R
<i>Closterium</i>			R	
<i>Crucigenia</i>			R	
<i>Eudorina</i>	R	R		
<i>Kirchneriella</i>				R
<i>Micrasterias</i>			R	
<i>Mougeotia</i>			V	C
<i>Pandorina</i>	R			
<i>Pediastrum</i>		R	R	R
<i>Rhizoclonium</i>		R		
<i>Scenedesmus</i>		R	R	
<i>Spirogyra</i>		R	R	R
<i>Spondylosium</i>	R			
<i>Staurastrum</i>			R	
<i>Zygnema</i>		V	R	
Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)				
<i>Chrysophaerella</i>	R	R		
<i>Dinobryon</i>	A	V	R	
<i>Mallomonas</i>	R			
<i>Synura</i>			R	R
<i>Uroglenopsis</i>				R
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Anabaena</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Microcystis</i>				R
<i>Oscillatoria</i>				R
Protozoa				
<i>Climacostomum</i>	C	R		C
<i>Phacus</i>	R			
<i>Trachelomonas</i>	R			

Master List of Aquatic Macrophytes Observed in Ponds of the Eel River System
(No Significant Changes in 2010 from 2006-2009 List, see report for futher info)

Species Name	Common Name	Occurance in Ponds			
		<u>Russell Mill</u>	<u>Hayden</u>	<u>Howland</u>	<u>Eel River</u>
<u>Submerged Plants</u>					
<i>Cabomba caroliniana</i>	Fanwort (non-native)		X		X
<i>Callitriche sp.</i>	Water-starwort	X	x		
<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i>	Coontail	x		x	x
<i>Elecharis sp</i>	Spike-rush	x		x	
<i>Elodea nuttallii</i>	Waterweed	X	X	x	x
<i>Ludwigia palustris</i>	Water-purslane	x			
<i>Myriophyllum humile</i>	Water-milfoil	x		x	
<i>Najas flesilis</i>	Naiad			x	
<i>Potamogeton sp.</i>	Pondweed	x	x	x	x
<i>Utricularia sp.</i>	Bladderwort	X	x	x	x
<u>Floating-Leaved Plants</u>					
<i>Nuphar variegata</i>	Yellow Waterlily	x	x		
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	White Waterlily			X	x
<u>Emergent Plants</u>					
<i>Bidens sp.</i>	Beggar-ticks			x	
<i>Decodon verticillatus</i>	Water-willow		x	x	x
<i>Gratiola aurea</i>	Golden-pert			x	
<i>Iris pseudacorus</i>	Yellow Iris (alien)	x			
<i>Juncus sp.</i>	Rush	x	x		
<i>Lythrum salicaria</i>	Purple Loosestrife (alien)			x	x
<i>Myosotis sp.</i>	Forget-me-not				x
<i>Phragmites australis</i>	Common Reed		x		x
<i>Pontederia cordata</i>	Pickereel-weed	x	x	x	
<i>Sparganium sp.</i>	Bur-reed	x	x	x	x
<i>Sagittaria sp.</i>	Arrowhead			x	
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	Common Cattail		x	x	
*dominant species indicated in bold, capital X					

Results of Macroinvertebrate Sampling of Eel River on October 2, 2011					
INSECT TAXA	FFG*	BM-1 (fish hatchery)	BM-2 (Old Sandwich Rd)	BM-3A (Forges Rd)	BM-4 (TNC; footbridge)
Coleoptera (beetles)					
<i>Stenelmis</i>	SC/CG				
Diptera (flies and midges)					
<i>Chironomidae</i>	V				12
<i>Simuliidae</i>	CF		14	15	10
<i>Tipulidae</i>	V				1
Ephemeroptera (mayflies)					
<i>Baetis</i>	CG/SC		3		
<i>Stenonema</i>	SC/CG		8		16
Hemiptera (true bugs)					
<i>Ranatra</i>	P	1			
Odonata (damselflies and dragonflies)					
<i>Boyeria</i>	P		1		
<i>Calopteryx</i>	P	1		2	1
Trichoptera (caddisflies)					
<i>Chimarra</i>	CF				
<i>Hydropsychidae</i>	CF	44	23	15	40
NON-INSECT TAXA					
Amphipoda (scuds)					
<i>Gammarus</i>	CG	27	45	16	15
Isopoda (aquatic sow bugs)					
<i>Caecidotea</i>	CG		4	13	4
Mollusca (snails and clams)					
<i>Physa</i>	SC	2			
<i>Pisidiidae (pea clams)</i>	CF	9			
Oligochaetes (aquatic worms)					
unidentified	V				3
Turbellaria (flatworms)					
<i>Dugesia</i>	CG		1		
Total Specimens		84	99	61	102
Community Richness (Total Taxa)		6	8	5	9
Community Evenness (Scaled SD)		0.44	0.53	0.77	0.61
EPT Taxa		1	3	1	2
Percent Dominant Taxa		0.52	0.45	0.26	0.39
Dominant FFG *		CF	CG	CF	CF
*Functional Feeding Groups: CF= Collector-filterer, CG=Collector-gatherer, SC=Scraper, SH=Shredder, P=Predator, V=Variable					

Results of Eel River Periphyton Sampling Conducted May 30,2011

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: **Abundant** = 60-100%, **Very Common** = 30-60%, **Common** = 5-30%, **Rare** <1%

(1) **BM-4 (TNC)** **BM-1 (Hatchery)** **BM-2 (Sandwich Rd)** **BM-3a (Forges Rd)**

Periphyton Taxa

Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)

<i>Asterionella</i> (2)	R	R	
<i>Cocconeis</i>	R	C	V
<i>Cymbella</i>	R	R	
<i>Eunotia</i>	V	C	V
<i>Navicula</i>	V	R	R
<i>Nitzschia</i>	R		
<i>Pinnularia</i>	R		

Chlorophyta (green algae, excluding desmids)

<i>Chaetophora</i>	on natural substrates		
<i>Coleochaete</i>	R	V	R
<i>Vaucheria</i>	on natural substrates		

Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)

<i>Oscillatoria</i>		R	
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Protozoa

<i>Platycola</i>		R	
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Bacteria

<i>unidentified</i>	C	C	C
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(1) Slides mmissing at BM-4 station. Results are for macroscopic filaments collected from natural substrates (gravel and cobble).

(2) This diatom is usually planktonic, but occasionally appears enmeshed among periphyton when high densities are discharged from eutrophic Russell Mill Pond located upstream.

Results of Eel River Periphyton Sampling Conducted October 2, 2011

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: **Abundant** = 60-100%, **Very Common** = 30-60%, **Common** = 5-30%, **Rare** <1%

BM-4 (TNC) **BM-1 (Hatchery)** **BM-2 (Sandwich Rd)** **BM-3a (Forges Rd)**

Periphyton Taxa	BM-4 (TNC)	BM-1 (Hatchery)	BM-2 (Sandwich Rd)	BM-3a (Forges Rd)
<i>Asterionella</i>		O		
<i>Cymbella</i>			O	R
<i>Eunotia</i>		O		V
<i>Gomphonema</i>		R		R
<i>Navicula</i>		R	C	V
<i>Nitzschia</i>			A	C
<i>Synedra</i>		O	C	O
<i>Tabellaria</i>		O		
Chlorophyta (green algae, excluding desmids)				
<i>Coleochaete</i>		R		
<i>Mougeotia</i>				R
<i>Spirogyra</i>		v		
<i>Vaucheria</i>		V		
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Anabaena</i>		R		
<i>Phormidium</i>		R		
Protozoa				
<i>Vorticella</i>			C	R
Bacteria				
<i>unidentified</i>		A (1)		

(1) Slides at BM-1 were rusty-red with coatings of iron bacteria and precipitates.

Eel River Field Measurements Recorded by DW on May 7, 2011

Station	Depth	Temp	SpC	DO	DO	pH
	<i>meters</i>	°C	<i>uS/cm</i>	<i>% Sat</i>	<i>mg/L</i>	<i>units</i>
Hayden Pond	0.3	14.01	121.6	79.4	8.16	6.26
Howland Pond	1.1	14.12	119.2	87.8	9.01	6.08
Eel River Basin	1	15.05	134.5	93.5	9.4	6.48
Russell Mill Pond	0.2	15.81	109.1	107.7	10.65	6.4
(Secchi = 7ft/2.1m)	1	15.73	108.9	107.8	10.68	6.42
	2	15.55	108.4	107.5	10.69	6.44
	3	14.85	111	91.9	9.28	6.19
	4	13.09	119.8	51.7	5.43	6
	5	11.2	111.6	24.3	2.66	5.98
	6	10.4	135.8	0	0	6.35
	6.1	10.49	250.5	0	0	6.56

Eel River Field Measurements Recorded by DW on September 11, 2011

Station	Depth	Temp	SpC	DO	DO	pH
	<i>meters</i>	°C	<i>uS/cm</i>	<i>% Sat</i>	<i>mg/L</i>	<i>units</i>
Hayden Pond	0.4	16.3	NS	66.4	6.5	NS
Howland Pond	1	17.3	NS	72.4	6.9	NS
Eel River Basin	1	18.8	NS	62.8	5.8	NS
Russell Mill Pond	0.2	18.8	NS	104.4	9.7	NS
(Secchi = 4.4ft/1.3m)	1	17.8	NS	79	7.5	NS
	2	16.6	NS	6.2	0.6	NS
	3	15.9	NS	3.5	0.3	NS
	4	15.5	NS	3.2	0.3	NS
	5	13.6	NS	3	0.3	NS
	6	12.5	NS	3	0.3	NS

Results of Eel River Plankton Sampling Conducted May 7 ,2011

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: **Abundant** = 60-100%, **Very Common** = 30-60%, **Common** = 5-30%, **Rare** <1%

Russell Mill Pond **Hayden Pond** **Howland Pond** **Eel River Basin**

<u>Phytoplankton Taxa</u>				
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)				
<i>Asterionella</i>	A	A	O	V
<i>Attheya</i>	R			
<i>Cyclotella</i>	R	R	R	
<i>Eunotia</i>	R		R	
<i>Fragilaria</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Gyrosigma</i>				R
<i>Melosira</i>	R	R	R	C
<i>Navicula</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Nitzschia</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Pinnularia</i>				R
<i>Rhizosolenia</i>	R	R		R
<i>Synedra</i>	R	R	C	R
<i>Tabellaria</i>	R	R	V	R
Chlorophyta (green algae)				
<i>Closterium</i>			R	R
<i>Dictyosphaerium</i>		R		
<i>Mougeotia</i>			R	
<i>Pediastrum</i>				R
<i>Scenedesmus</i>		R		
<i>Spaerocystis</i>	R	R		
<i>Staurastrum</i>				R
Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)				
<i>Chrysophaerella</i>			O	
<i>Dinobryon</i>	R	R	V	C
<i>Mallomonas</i>	R	R		R
<i>Synura</i>			R	R
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Anabaena</i>	R			
<i>Oscillatoria</i>		R		C
Pyrrhophyta (dinoflagellates)				
<i>Peridinium</i>	R		R	R
Protozoa				
<i>Climacostomum</i>	R			
<i>Euglena</i>	R			R
<i>Phacus</i>	R			
<i>Trachelmonas</i>				R
unidentified flagellate	R			

Results of Eel River Plankton Sampling Conducted September 11 ,2011

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: **A**bundant = 60-100%, **V**ery Common = 30-60%, **C**ommon = 5-30%, **R**are <1%

Russell Mill Pond **Hayden Pond** **Howland Pond** **Eel River Basin**

<u>Phytoplankton Taxa</u>				
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)				
<i>Asterionella</i>	C	V	C	C
<i>Cyclotella</i>	R	R		
<i>Cymbella</i>		R		
<i>Eunotia</i>			R	
<i>Fragilaria</i>			R	R
<i>Gomphonema</i>		R		
<i>Gyrosigma</i>				R
<i>Melosira</i>	R	R	C	R
<i>Navicula</i>			R	
<i>Nitzschia</i>	R	R		
<i>Tabellaria</i>	V	V	V	A
Chlorophyta (green algae)				
<i>Ankistrodesmus</i>				R
<i>Closterium</i>			R	
<i>Desmidium</i>			R	
<i>Eudorina</i>	R	R	R	
<i>Kirchneriella</i>		R		
<i>Mougeotia</i>			R	
<i>Nephrocytium</i>			R	
<i>Pandorina</i>		R		
<i>Pediastrum</i>	R	R	R	R
<i>Pleurotaenium</i>			R	
<i>Scenedesmus</i>				R
<i>Spirogyra</i>			R	
Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)				
<i>Chrysophaerella</i>	R	R		R
<i>Dinobryon</i>		R		
<i>Synura</i>			V	
<i>Uroglenopsis</i>	R			
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Anabaena</i>	R	C	R	R
<i>Aphanocapsa</i>	R			
<i>Dactylococcopsis</i>	R			
<i>Oscillatoria</i>	V		R	
Pyrrhophyta (dinoflagellates)				
<i>Ceratium</i>		R		
Protozoa				
<i>Climacostomum</i>	C	C		R
<i>Euglena</i>	R	R	R	
<i>Trachelmonas</i>			R	

Results of Macroinvertebrate Sampling of Eel River on September 23, 2012

INSECT TAXA	FFG*	BM-1 (fish hatchery)	BM-2 (Old Sandwich Rd)	BM-3A (Forges Rd)	BM-4 (TNC; footbridge)
Coleoptera (beetles)					
<i>Stenelmis</i>	SC/CG				
Diptera (flies and midges)					
<i>Chironomidae</i>	V				14
<i>Simuliidae</i>	CF	7		11	16
<i>Tipulidae</i>	V				2
Ephemeroptera (mayflies)					
<i>Baetis</i>	CG/SC		38	22	11
<i>Stenonema</i>	SC/CG		5	8	15
Odonata (damselflies and dragonflies)					
<i>Boyeria</i>	P		2		3
<i>Calopteryx</i>	P		1	2	1
Trichoptera (caddisflies)					
<i>Chimarra</i>	CF				
<i>Oecetis</i>				2	
<i>Hydropsyche</i>	CF	31	1	12	27
NON-INSECT TAXA					
Decapoda (crayfish)					
unidentified	SH		3	1	
Amphipoda (scuds)					
<i>Gammarus</i>	CG	14	43	27	7
Isopoda (aquatic sow bugs)					
<i>Caecidotea</i>	CG	6		1	2
Mollusca (snails and clams)					
<i>Helisoma</i>		3			
<i>Physa</i>	SC	1		3	
<i>Pisidiidae (pea clams)</i>	CF	40			
Turbellaria (flatworms)					
<i>Dugesia</i>	CG			1	
Total Specimens		102	93	90	98
Community Richness (Total Taxa)		7	7	11	10
Community Evenness (Scaled SD)		0.58	0.42	0.62	0.7
EPT Taxa		1	3	4	3
Percent Dominant Taxa		0.39	0.46	0.3	0.28
Dominant FFG *		CF	CG	CG	CF

*Functional Feeding Groups: CF= Collector-filterer, CG=Collector-gatherer, SC=Scraper, SH=Shredder, P=Predator, V=Variable

Eel River Field Measurements Recorded by DW on May 12,2012

Station	Depth	Temp	DO	DO
	<i>meters</i>	°C	<i>% Sat</i>	<i>mg/L</i>
Hayden Pond	0.4	13.6	87.5	9.1
Howland Pond	0.5	14	75	7.7
Eel River Basin	0.5	14.4	83.7	8.5
Russell Mill Pond	0.2	15	119.9	12.1
(Secchi = 2.5FT / 0.76M)	1	14.9	119.9	12.1
	2	14.8	119.6	12.1
	3	14.7	118.6	12
	4	12.2	12.3	1.3
	5	11.8	1.5	0.2
	6	11.2	1.4	0.2

Results of Eel River Plankton Sampling Conducted May 12, 2012

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: **A**bundant = 60-100%, **V**ery Common = 30-60%, **C**ommon = 5-30%, **R**are <1%

Russell Mill Pond **Hayden Pond** **Howland Pond** **Eel River Basin**

<u>Phytoplankton Taxa</u>					
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)					
	<i>Asterionella</i>	A	A	C	A
	<i>Cymbella</i>		R	R	
	<i>Eunotia</i>	R			
	<i>Melosira</i>	R	R		
	<i>Navicula</i>		R		R
	<i>Nitzschia</i>		R	R	R
	<i>Rhizosolenia</i>	R			R
	<i>Synedra</i>				R
	<i>Tabellaria</i>	R	R	C	R
Chlorophyta (green algae)					
	<i>Crucigenia</i>		R		
	<i>Mougeotia</i>			O	
	<i>Pleurotaenium</i>				R
	<i>Staurastrum</i>			R	
Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)					
	<i>Chryso-sphaerella</i>				
	<i>Dinobryon</i>		R	V	R
	<i>Mallomonas</i>			R	
	<i>Synura</i>			R	
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)					
	<i>Anabaena</i>		R		
	<i>Oscillatoria</i>		R		
Protozoa					
	<i>Phacus</i>	R			
	<i>Trachelmonas</i>	R			

Eel River Field Measurements Recorded by DW on September 15 & 16, 2012

Station	Depth	Temp	DO	DO
	<i>meters</i>	°C	% Sat	mg/L
Hayden Pond (9/15)	0.4	18.6	68.2	6.4
Howland Pond (9/15)	0.3	19.4	46.4	4.3
	1	19.4	43.7	4
Eel River Basin (9/15)	0.3	20.6	79	7.1
	1	20.5	80	7.2
Russell Mill Pond (9/16)	0.2	19.3	108.5	10
(Secchi = 5FT / 1.52M)	1	19	107.8	10
	1.5	18.8	102.4	9.5
	2	17.5	51.4	5
	3	16	3.4	0.3
	4	15.4	2.8	0.3
	5	14.2	2.7	0.3
	6	13.1	2.8	0.3

Results of Eel River Plankton Sampling Conducted September 15 & 16 2012

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: **Abundant** = 60-100%, **Very Common** = 30-60%, **Common** = 5-30%, **Rare** <1%

Russell Mill Pond **Hayden Pond** **Howland Pond** **Eel River Basin**

Phytoplankton Taxa

Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)

<i>Asterionella</i>			R	C
<i>Cymbella</i>			R	
<i>Eunotia</i>		R	C	R
<i>Fragilaria</i>		R	V	
<i>Melosira</i>			R	R
<i>Navicula</i>		R	R	
<i>Nitzschia</i>		R	O	R
<i>Synedra</i>	R		R	V
<i>Tabellaria</i>	A	A	C	V

Chlorophyta (green algae)

<i>Ankistrodesmus</i>			R	
<i>Arthrodesmus</i>	R			
<i>Closterium</i>			R	R
<i>Crucigenia</i>			R	
<i>Mougeotia</i>			O	
<i>Oocystis</i>	R			
<i>Pediastrum</i>	R	R	R	
<i>Scenedesmus</i>			R	
<i>Sphareocystis</i>			R	
<i>Spirogyra</i>		R		

Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)

<i>Chrysophaerella</i>	R			
<i>Dinobryon</i>	R			
<i>Mallomonas</i>	R			
<i>Synura</i>			R	

Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)

<i>Anabaena</i>	O	R		
<i>Aphanocapsa</i>	R			
<i>Gomphosphaeria</i>	R			
<i>Oscillatoria</i>	C			

Pyrrhophyta (dinoflagellates)

<i>Ceratium</i>	R			
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Protozoa

<i>Climacostomum</i>	O			
<i>Eulena</i>	O	R		
<i>Phacus</i>	R		R	
<i>Trachelomonas</i>	O			

Results of Eel River Periphyton Sampling Conducted September 23, 2012

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: **A**bundant = 60-100%, **V**ery Common = 30-60%, **C**ommon = 5-30%, **R**are <1%

Sample Identification (glass slides incubated as artificial substrates except BM-4 see note 1

BM-4 (TNC) **BM-1 (Hatchery)** **BM-2 (Sandwich Rd)** **BM-3a (Forges Rd)**

Periphyton Taxa

Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)

	BM-4 (TNC)	BM-1 (Hatchery)	BM-2 (Sandwich Rd)	BM-3a (Forges Rd)
<i>Cocconeis</i>		C	V	
<i>Cymbella</i>	R	R		V
<i>Eunotia</i>	C	C	V	C
<i>Gomphonema</i>				
<i>Navicula</i>	C	C	R	R
<i>Pinnularia</i>	R	R		
<i>Synedra</i>	C		R	R
Tabellaria (2)	C	C		

Chlorophyta (green algae, excluding desmids)

<i>Closterium</i>				R
<i>Coleochaete</i>	R	R		
<i>Mougeotia</i>				C
<i>Oedogonium</i>				R
<i>Pleurotaneium</i>				R

Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)

<i>Oscillatoria</i>	R	0		
<i>Phormidium</i>	R	R		

Protozoa

<i>Platycola</i>				
<i>Rhipidodendron</i>		R		
<i>Vorticella</i>		R	R	

(1) Slides at BM-4 were missing, periphyton was scraped off PVC standpipe supporting staff gauge

(2) This diatom is usually planktonic, but occasionally appears enmeshed among periphyton when high densities are discharged from Russell Mill Pond located upstream

Results of Macroinvertebrate Sampling of Eel River on September 10, 2013							
INSECT TAXA	FFG*	BM-1 (fish hatchery)	BM-2 (Old Sandwich Rd)	BM-3A (Forges Rd)	BM-4 (TNC; footbridge)	HEAD 2 (Bog 4/Preserve)	HEAD 4 (Bog 1,ds Long Pond Rd)
Coleoptera (beetles)							
<i>Stenelmis</i>	SC/CG					3	
<i>Haliplus</i>	SH	1		3			
<i>Uvarus</i>	P						
<i>Dytiscidae</i>	P					5	
Diptera (flies and midges)							
<i>Chironomidae</i>	V	15	14	32	13	12	2
<i>Simuliidae</i>	CF	1				15	4
<i>Tipulidae</i>	V						
Ephemeroptera (mayflies)							
<i>Baetis</i>	CG/SC					5	
<i>Stenonema</i>	SC/CG		2	1	4		23
Hemiptera (true bugs)							
<i>Ranatra</i>	P						
<i>Belostoma</i>	P					1	
<i>Hesperocorixa</i>						1	
Odonata (damselflies and dragonflies)							
<i>Boyeria</i>	P			1		2	5
<i>Calopteryx</i>	P				3	1	9
<i>Ischnura</i>	P			1			9
Trichoptera (caddisflies)							
<i>Chimarra</i>	CF			1		2	
<i>Hydropsyche</i>	CF	8	5	7	5	5	17
<i>Oecetis</i>	SC	2		6		1	
NON-INSECT TAXA							
Amphipoda (scuds)							
<i>Gammarus</i>	CG	16	48	22	35	25	13
<i>Hyaella</i>	CG	8	35	3	20	5	
Decapoda (crayfish)							
unidentified	SH						
Isopoda (aquatic sow bugs)							
<i>Caecidotea</i>	CG			3	5	3	
Mollusca (snails and clams)							
<i>Helisoma</i>			4	2	2		
<i>Physa</i>	SC	13			4		7
<i>Pisidiidae (pea clams)</i>	CF	39	11	5			
Oligochaetes (aquatic worms)							
unidentified	V	1					
Turbellaria (flatworms)							
<i>Dugesia</i>	CG		1	3		3	
Summary Statistics							
Total Specimens		104	120	90	91	89	89
Community Richness (Total Taxa)		10	8	14	9	16	9
Community Evenness (Scaled SD)		0.74	0.71	0.74	0.77	0.71	0.83
EPT Taxa		1	2	4	2	4	2
Percent Dominant Taxa		0.38	0.4	0.36	0.38	0.28	0.26
Dominant FFG *		CF	CG	CG	CG	CG	P/SC/CG

*Functional Feeding Groups: CF= Collector-filterer, CG=Collector-gatherer, SC=Scraper, SH=Shredder, P=Predator, V=Variable

Eel River Field Measurements Recorded by UMASS on May 28 & June 5, 2013

Station	Secchi Depth	Total Depth	Sample Depth	Temp	DO	DO	pH	Alkalinity	Conductivity
	<i>meters</i>	<i>meters</i>	<i>meters</i>	°C	% Sat	mg/L	unit	mg/L CaCO ₃	mS
Hayden Pond (5/28/2013)	0.4	0.5	0.25	23	99	8.4	6.71	11.5	0.1576
Howland Pond 5/28/2013)	0.7	0.7	0.5	19.1	98	9.2	6.69	10.9	0.1331
Eel River Basin (6/5/2013)	0.85	1.5	1	21.9	72.4	6.4	6.65	15.9	0.381
Russell Mill Pond (6/5/2013)	0.8	5.25	0.15	20.3	122.1	11.2	6.75	10.9	0.1227
			1	18.3	105	10	6.53	10.9	0.1115
			2	16.2	65.5	6	6.4	11.4	0.1427
			3	14.2	35	3.4	6.31	13.7	0.1379
			4	13.2	0	0	6.25	12.7	0.1517

Results of Eel River Macrophyte Survey Conducted May and June 2013

Species Name	Common Name	Occurance in Ponds			
		Russell Mill	Hayden	Howland	Eel River
		5/30/2013	5/30/2013	5/28/2013	6/5/2013
Submerged Plants					
<i>Cabomba caroliniana</i>	Fanwort (non-native)	x	X		x
<i>Callitriche sp.</i>	Water-starwort	X	X		
<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i>	Coontail	x			
<i>Elodea nuttallii</i>	Waterweed	x			x
<i>Ludwigia palustris</i>	Water-purslane	x	x	X	X
<i>Myriophyllum humile</i>	Water-milfoil	X	x	X	
<i>Najas flesilis</i>	Naiad			x	
<i>Potamogeton sp.</i>	Pondweed				x
<i>Utricularia sp.</i>	Bladderwort				
		x			
Floating-Leaved Plants					
<i>Nuphar variegata</i>	Yellow Waterlily	x		x	x
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	White Waterlily	x	x		
Emergent Plants					
<i>Alnus incana</i>	Speckled Alder			x	
<i>Clethra alnifolia</i>	Sweet Pepperbush	x	x		x
<i>Colocasia sp.</i>	Elephant-ear				x
<i>Decodon verticillatus</i>	Water-Willow			x	x
<i>Dennstaedtia punctilobula</i>	Hay-Scented Fern				x
<i>Digitaria sanguinalis</i>	Hairy Crabgrass			x	
<i>Elaeagnus umbellata</i>	Autumn Olive			x	
<i>Impatiens capensis</i>	Jewelweed	X			
<i>Iris pseudacorus</i>	Yellow Iris	X	x		x
<i>Juncus sp.</i>	Rush	X	x	x	x
<i>Lonicera sp.</i>	Honeysuckle	x		x	
<i>Lysimachia terrestris</i>	Swamp Candle				x
<i>Myosotis sp.</i>	Forget-Me-Not	x			x

Results of Eel River Plankton Sampling Conducted May 30 & June 5, 2013

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: **Abundant** = 60-100%, **Very Common** = 30-60%, **Common** = 5-30%, **Occasional**= 1-5%, **Rare** <1%

	Russell Mill Pond	Hayden Pond	Howland Pond	Eel River Basin
Phytoplankton Taxa				
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)				
<i>Asterionella</i>	A	R	O	V
<i>Cymbella</i>		R	R	
<i>Fragilaria</i>		R		R
<i>Gyrosigma</i>				C
<i>Melosira</i>	V	C	R	
<i>Navicula</i>	R	C		
<i>Nitzschia</i>		R	R	R
<i>Pinnularia</i>	C	V		R
<i>Synedra</i>		R		R
<i>Tabellaria</i>	V	C	O	R
Chlorophyta (green algae)				
<i>Closterium</i>		R		C
<i>Mougeotia</i>		C		C
<i>Pediastrum</i>				C
<i>Scenedesmus</i>				R
<i>Spirogyra</i>		R		
<i>Staurastrum</i>	R			R
Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)				
<i>Chrysosphaerella</i>	R			R
<i>Dinobryon</i>		R		R
<i>Mallomonas</i>				
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Gomphosphaeria</i>				R
Other				
<i>Invert Eggs</i>		R		

Results of Eel River Plankton Sampling Conducted September 25,2013

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: **Abundant** = 60-100%, **Very Common** = 30-60%, **Common** = 5-30%, **Occasional**=1-5%, **Rare** <1%

	Russell Mill Pond	Hayden Pond	Howland Pond	Eel River Basin
Phytoplankton Taxa				
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)				
<i>Asterionella</i>	V	C		V
<i>Cymbella</i>		R	R	
<i>Fragilaria</i>	C		R	R
<i>Fragilariopsis</i>			C	R
<i>Leptocylindrus</i>		C		C
<i>Melosira</i>	C		C	R
<i>Navicula</i>			R	O
<i>Nitzschia</i>	R			
<i>Pinnularia</i>	C	R		C
<i>Synedra</i>			R	
<i>Tabellaria</i>	V	C	C	
Chlorophyta (green algae)				
<i>Closterium</i>	R			R
<i>Mougeotia</i>	V			C
<i>Oocystis</i>	R			
<i>Pediastrum</i>	R	C		R
<i>Staurastrum</i>	R			
Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)				
<i>Dinobryon</i>	V	C		R
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Gomphosphaeria</i>			R	
Pyrrhophyta (dinoflagelletes)				
<i>Ceratium</i>		R		
Other				
<i>Royifer</i>	R			

Results of Eel River Periphyton Sampling Conducted May 29, 2013

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: Abundant = 60-100%,
Very Common = 30-60%, Common = 5-30%, Occasional = 1-5%, Rare <1%

	<u>Head 2 (Bog 4 Preserve)</u>	<u>Head 4 (ds Long Pond Rd)</u>	<u>BM-1 (Hatchery)</u>	<u>BM-2 (Sandwich Rd)</u>	<u>BM-3a (Forges Rd)</u>	<u>BM-4 (TNC)</u>
Periphyton Taxa						
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)						
<i>Asterionella</i>			V	O		
<i>Cymbella</i>			R			O
<i>Eunotia</i>			R		C	
<i>Fragilaria</i>		R				R
<i>Fragilariopsis</i>	R					
<i>Melorsira</i>	R			R		
<i>Navicula</i>	O	R				R
<i>Nitzschia</i>			R		R	
<i>Pinnularia</i>		R				
<i>Synedra</i>	R		C	R	O	
<i>Tabellaria</i>	C	O	V			R
Chlorophyta (green algae)						
<i>Chaetophora</i>		R				
<i>Mougeotia</i>	O		O			
<i>Oedogonium</i>	R					
<i>Spirogyra</i>	R			R		
Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)						
<i>Dinobryon</i>			R		R	
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)						
<i>Anabaena</i>		R				R
<i>Oscillatoria</i>	R	C				
<i>Phormidium</i>	C					

Results of Eel River Periphyton Sampling Conducted September 10, 2013

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: Abundant = 60-100%,
Very Common = 30-60%, Common = 5-30%, Occasional = 1-5%, Rare <1%

	<u>Head 2 (Bog 4 Preserve)</u>	<u>Head 4 (ds Long Pond Rd)</u>	<u>BM-1 (Hatchery)</u>	<u>BM-2 (Sandwich Rd)</u>	<u>BM-3a (Forges Rd)</u>	<u>BM-4 (TNC)</u>
Periphyton Taxa						
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)						
<i>Asterionella</i>			C	R		
<i>Cymbella</i>			C			C
<i>Eunotia</i>	O		R			
<i>Navicula</i>			R			
<i>Pinnularia</i>						R
<i>Synedra</i>	R					R
Tabellaria		R	C			C
Chlorophyta (green algae)						
<i>Closterium</i>						R
<i>Mougeotia</i>		R	O			
<i>Phormidium</i>				R		

Note: BM-1 Slides were rusty with iron deposits, BM-2 Slides were moderately colonized by macroinvert larvae, BM-3 Slides were very clean, few insect larvae attached

Results of Macroinvertebrate Sampling of Eel River on August 26,2014							
INSECT TAXA	FFG*	BM-1 (fish hatchery)	BM-2 (Old Sandwich Rd)	BM-3A (Forges Rd)	BM-4 (TNC; footbridge)	HEAD 2 (Bog 4/Preserve)	HEAD 4 (Bog 1,ds Long Pond Rd)
Coleoptera (beetles)							
<i>Stenelmis</i>	SC/CG					2	
<i>Haliplus</i>	SH						
<i>Uvarus</i>	P						
<i>Dytiscidae</i>	P						
unidentified	P	1				2	
Diptera (flies and midges)							
<i>Chironomidae</i>	V	3	17	32	20	14	8
<i>Simuliidae</i>	CF				57		3
<i>Tipulidae</i>	V						
Ephemeroptera (mayflies)							
<i>Baetis</i>	CG/SC	4			3	10	6
<i>Stenonema</i>	SC/CG				3		
Hemiptera (true bugs)							
<i>Ranatra</i>	P						
<i>Belostoma</i>	P						
<i>Hesperocorixa</i>							
Odonata (damselflies and dragonflies)							
<i>Boyeria</i>	P				3		3
<i>Calopteryx</i>	P						
<i>Ischnura</i>	P			6			4
Trichoptera (caddisflies)							
<i>Chimarra</i>	CF						
<i>Hydropsyche</i>	CF	33	20	4	2	4	23
<i>Oecetis</i>	SC						
NON-INSECT TAXA							
Amphipoda (scuds)							
<i>Gammarus</i>	CG	28	46	20	10	58	
<i>Hyaella</i>	CG	32		10	4	8	
Decapoda (crayfish)							
unidentified	SH						1
Isopoda (aquatic sow bugs)							
<i>Caecidotea</i>	CG		1				
Mollusca (snails and clams)							
<i>Helisoma</i>							17
<i>Physa</i>	SC	2				1	
<i>Pisidiidae (pea clams)</i>	CF	60		4		6	
Oligochaetes (aquatic worms)							
unidentified	V	4					
Turbellaria (flatworms)							
<i>Dugesia</i>	CG						
Summary Statistics							
Total Specimens		167	84	76	102	105	65
Community Richness (Total Taxa)		9	4	6	8	9	8
Community Evenness (Scaled SD)		0.75	0.76	0.83	0.67	0.68	0.83
EPT Taxa		2	1	2	3	2	3
Percent Dominant Taxa		0.36	0.55	0.42	0.56	0.55	0.26
Dominant FFG *		CF/CG	CG/V	CG/V	CF	CG	CF

*Functional Feeding Groups: CF= Collector-filterer, CG=Collector-gatherer, SC=Scraper, SH=Shredder, P=Predator, V=Variable

Eel River Field Measurements Recorded by UMASS on May 20,2014

Station	Secchi Depth	Total Depth	Sample Depth	Temp	DO	DO	pH	Alkalinity
	<i>meters</i>	<i>meters</i>	<i>meters</i>	°C	% Sat	mg/L	unit	mg/L CaCO3
Hayden Pond	0.95	0.95	0.5	19.6	109.1	10.1	7.26	14
Howland Pond	0.85	0.85	0.4	21.1	127.8	11.7	6.87	12.6
Eel River Basin	1	1	0.5	20.2	84.6	7.7	6.93	17.6
Russell Mill Pond	1.65	4.75	0.5	105.8	18.7	9.8	6.81	12.1
			1	105.6	18.2	10.3	6.8	11.8
			2	88.1	16.9	8.5	6.51	11.7
			3	71	15.3	6.6	6.38	12.8
			4	27.6	14	2.7	6.38	15.2

Results of Eel River Macrophyte Survey Conducted May 20, 2014

Species Name	Common Name	Occurance in Ponds			
		Russell Mill	Hayden	Howland	Eel River
Submerged Plants					
<i>Cabomba caroliniana</i>	Fanwort (non-native)		X	x	
<i>Callitriche sp.</i>	Water-starwort	x	x	x	x
<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i>	Coontail	x	x		
<i>Ludwigia palustris</i>	Water-purslane	x	x	X	X
<i>Myriophyllum humile</i>	Water-milfoil	x	X	x	
<i>Najas flesilis</i>	Naiad	x			
Floating-Leaved Plants					
<i>Nuphar variegata</i>	Yellow Waterlily	x	x	x	x
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	White Waterlily	x			
Emergent Plants					
<i>Alnus incana</i>	Speckled Alder	x		x	x
<i>Clethra alnifolia</i>	Sweet Pepperbush	x	x	x	x
<i>Elaeagnus umbellata</i>	Autumn Olive	x		x	
<i>Fallopia japonica</i>	Japanese Knotweed	x			x
<i>Impatiens capensis</i>	Jewelweed	X			
<i>Iris pseudacorus</i>	Yellow Iris	X	x	x	x
<i>Juncus sp.</i>	Rush	X	x	x	x
<i>Lonicera sp.</i>	Honeysuckle	x	x	x	x
<i>Lysimachia terrestris</i>	Swamp Candle	x			x
<i>Myosotis sp.</i>	Forget-Me-Not	x			
<i>Myricaceae gale</i>	Bayberry	x	X	X	X
<i>Onoclea sensibilis</i>	Sensitive Fern	x		x	X
<i>Phragmites australis</i>	Common Reed		x		
<i>Pontederia cordata</i>	Pickereel-Weed	x	x	x	x
<i>Rosa multiflora</i>	Multiflora Rose	x			
<i>Rumex crispus</i>	Curly Dock	X	x		x
<i>Scirpus cyperinus</i>	Woolgrass	x			
<i>Symplocarpus foetidus</i>	Skunk Cabbage		x	x	x
<i>Sparganium sp.</i>	Bur-Reed	x	x	x	x
<i>Toxicodendron radicans</i>	Poison Ivy				x
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	Common Cattail	x	x	X	X
<i>Rubus idaeus</i>	Raspberry	x			
<i>Vitis labrusca</i>	Fox Grape				x
*dominant species indicated in bold, capital X					

Results of Eel River Plankton Sampling Conducted May 20 & 27, 2014

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: **Abundant** = 60-100%, **Very Common** = 30-60%, **Common** = 5-30%, **Occasional**= 1-5%, **Rare** <1%

	Russell Mill Pond	Hayden Pond	Howland Pond	Eel River Basin
Phytoplankton Taxa				
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)				
<i>Asterionella</i>	O	V	O	
<i>Cymbella</i>		O	O	
<i>Fragilaria</i>			O	
<i>Fragilariopsis</i>		O		A
<i>Guinardia</i>				A
<i>Leprocylindrus</i>				A
<i>Melosira</i>	C	O	O	
<i>Navicula</i>	O			
<i>Nitzschia</i>	O		V	O
<i>Pinnularia</i>	O		R	
<i>Synedra</i>	O			
<i>Tabellaria</i>	O	O		O
Chlorophyta (green algae)				
<i>Closterium</i>			R	
<i>Mougeotia</i>		V		
<i>Oocystis</i>		V		
<i>Oedogonium</i>			O	
<i>Pediastrum</i>	O		O	
<i>Scenedesmus</i>				
<i>Spirogyra</i>		O		
<i>Staurastrum</i>	V		O	O
Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)				
<i>Dinobryon</i>		O	A	O
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
Other				
<i>Tintinnids</i>	V	O	O	C

Results of Eel River Plankton Sampling Conducted August 26, 2014

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: **Abundant** = 60-100%, **Very Common** = 30-60%, **Common** = 5-30%, **Occasional**= 1-5%, **Rare** <1%

	Russell Mill Pond	Hayden Pond	Howland Pond	Eel River Basin
Phytoplankton Taxa				
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)				
<i>Asterionella</i>		O	O	O
<i>Cymbella</i>				
<i>Fragilaria</i>				A
<i>Fragilariopsis</i>	C			C
<i>Leprocylindrus</i>	C			A
<i>Melosira</i>		V	C	
<i>Navicula</i>			O	
<i>Nitzschia</i>			O	O
<i>Pinnularia</i>		O		
<i>Synedra</i>				
<i>Tabellaria</i>	A	O	O	C
Chlorophyta (green algae)				
<i>Closterium</i>			O	
<i>Mougeotia</i>		V	C	A
<i>Oocystis</i>				
<i>Pediastrum</i>	C			O
<i>Spirogyra</i>		O		
Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)				
<i>Dinobryon</i>	C	C		A
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)				
<i>Anabaena</i>	R			
Pyrrhophyta (dinoflagellates)				
<i>Ceratium</i>				
Other				
<i>Tintinnids</i>	C			

Results of Eel River Periphyton Sampling Conducted June 9, 2014

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: Abundant = 60-100%,
Very Common = 30-60%, Common = 5-30%, Occasional = 1-5%, Rare <1%

	<u>Head 2 (Bog 4 Preserve)</u>	<u>Head 4 (ds Long Pond Rd)</u>	<u>BM-1 (Hatchery)</u>	<u>BM-2 (Sandwich Rd)</u>	<u>BM-3a (Forges Rd)</u>	<u>BM-4 (TNC)</u>
Periphyton Taxa						
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)						
<i>Asterionella</i>			O	O		
<i>Cymbella</i>						
<i>Eunotia</i>						
<i>Fragilaria</i>						
<i>Fragilariopsis</i>						
<i>Melorsia</i>	O	R	R	R		
<i>Navicula</i>	R		O			
<i>Nitzschia</i>			R			
<i>Pinnularia</i>		R				R
<i>Synedra</i>	R		R	R	R	R
<i>Tabellaria</i>	V	R				R
Chlorophyta (green algae)						
<i>Chaetophora</i>						
<i>Closterium</i>						R
<i>Mougeotia</i>	V					
<i>Oedogonium</i>						
<i>Spirogyra</i>	R	O				
<i>Staurastrum</i>			R			
Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)						
<i>Dinobryan</i>			O	O	R	
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)						
<i>Anabaena</i>						
<i>Oscillatoria</i>						
<i>Phormidium</i>						

Note: Head 2 slide was loaded with epiphytic algae and lots of insect larvae attached, BM-1 some insect larvae attached

Results of Eel River Periphyton Sampling Conducted September 25, 2014

(Estimates of percent composition indicated as follows: Abundant = 60-100%, Very Common = 30-60%, Common = 5-30%, Occasional = 1-5%, Rare <1%

	<u>Head 2 (Bog 4 Preserve)</u>	<u>Head 4 (ds Long Pond Rd)</u>	<u>BM-1 (Hatchery)</u>	<u>BM-2 (Sandwich Rd)</u>	<u>BM-3a (Forges Rd)</u>	<u>BM-4 (TNC)</u>
Periphyton Taxa						
Bacillariophyceae (diatoms)						
<i>Asterionella</i>			VC			
<i>Cymbella</i>		R	R			R
<i>Eunotia</i>						
<i>Fragilaria</i>		R				R
<i>Fragilariopsis</i>						
<i>Melorsia</i>	O					
<i>Navicula</i>	R		R			
<i>Nitzschia</i>						
<i>Pinnularia</i>						R
<i>Synedra</i>		R	VC	R		R
<i>Tabellaria</i>	O		VC	A		
Chlorophyta (green algae)						
<i>Chaetophora</i>						
<i>Closterium</i>						
<i>Mougeotia</i>	R	R				
<i>Oedogonium</i>						
<i>Spirogyra</i>	O					
<i>Staurastrum</i>						
Chrysophyta (yellow-green algae, excluding diatoms)						
<i>Dinobryan</i>						
Cyanophyta (blue-green algae)						
<i>Anabaena</i>						
<i>Oscillatoria</i>						
<i>Phormidium</i>						

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