



Maine Department of Environmental Protection  
Biological Monitoring Program  
Aquatic Life Classification Attainment Report

Station Information

**Station Number: S-594**  
Waterbody: Aroostook River - Station 594  
Town: Presque Isle  
Directions: UPSTREAM OF PRESQUE ISLE STREAM

DEP Drainage: St. John  
HUC8: 01010004  
HUC8 Name: Aroostook River  
Latitude: 46 42 48.19 N  
Longitude: 68 1 7.3 W  
Stream Order: 5

Sample Information

**Log Number: 1857**  
Subsample Factor: X1  
Type of Sample: ROCK BAG  
Replicates: 3  
Date Deployed: 7/22/2009  
Date Retrieved: 8/19/2009

Classification Attainment

**Statutory Class: B**  
Model Result with P>.6: A  
Date Last Calculated: 1/12/2010  
**Final Determination: A**  
**Reason for Determination: Model**  
Comments:

Date: 1/14/2010

Model Probabilities

First Stage Model		C or Better Model	
Class A	0.91	Class A, B, or C	1.00
Class B	0.09	Non-Attainment	0.00
Class C			
0.00			
NA			
0.00			
B or Better Model		A Model	
Class A or B	1.00	Class A	1.00
Class C or Non-Attainment	0.00	Class B or C or Non-Attainment	0.00

Model Variables

01 Total Mean Abundance	73.67	18 Relative Abundance Ephemeroptera	0.50
02 Generic Richness	38.00	19 EPT Generic Richness	22.00
03 Plecoptera Mean Abundance	9.67	21 Sum of Abundances: <i>Dicrotendipes</i> , <i>Micropsectra</i> , <i>Parachironomus</i> , <i>Helobdella</i>	0.00
04 Ephemeroptera Mean Abundance	36.67	23 Relative Generic Richness- Plecoptera	0.05
05 Shannon-Wiener Generic Diversity	4.35	25 Sum of Abundances: <i>Cheumatopsyche</i> , <i>Cricotopus</i> , <i>Tanytarsus</i> , <i>Ablabesmyia</i>	3.33
06 Hilsenhoff Biotic Index	3.78	26 Sum of Abundances: <i>Acroneuria</i> , <i>Maccaffertium</i> , <i>Stenonema</i>	19.75
07 Relative Abundance - Chironomidae	0.15	28 EP Generic Richness/14	1.00
08 Relative Generic Richness Diptera	0.24	30 Presence of Class A Indicator Taxa/7	0.43
09 <i>Hydropsyche</i> Abundance	1.33		
11 <i>Cheumatopsyche</i> Abundance	0.67		
12 EPT Generic Richness/ Diptera	2.44		
Generic Richness			
13 Relative Abundance - Oligochaeta	0.00		
15 Perlidae Mean Abundance	9.33		
(Family Functional Group)			
16 Tanypodinae Mean Abundance	0.33		
(Family Functional Group)			
17 Chironomini Abundance (Family	3.33		
Functional Group)			

Five Most Dominant Taxa

Rank	Taxon Name	Percent
1	<i>Maccaffertium</i>	14.14
2	<i>Acroneuria</i>	12.67
3	<i>Leucrocuta</i>	8.48
4	<i>Proclaeon</i>	7.69
5	<i>Dubiraphia</i>	7.24



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**Sample Collection and Processing Information**

Sampling Organization: BIOMONITORING UNIT

Taxonomist: MICHAEL WINNELL

**Waterbody Information - Deployment**

Temperature: 21.6 deg C  
Dissolved Oxygen: 8.3 mg/l  
Specific Conductance: 72 uS/cm  
Velocity: 6 cm/s  
pH: 7.99  
Wetted Width:  
Bankfull Width:  
Depth: 56 cm

**Waterbody Information - Retrieval**

Temperature: 28.2 deg C  
Dissolved Oxygen: 8.3 mg/l  
Specific Conductance: 78 uS/cm  
Velocity: 6 cm/s  
pH: 7.72  
Wetted Width:  
Bankfull Width:  
Depth: 44 cm

**Water Chemistry - 7/22/2009**

Soluble Reactive Phosphorus	1 ug/l	Nitrate+nitrite As N	0.03 mg/l
Total Phosphorus	0.015 mg/l	Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	0.4 mg/l
Dissolved Organic Carbon	6.2 mg/l	Total Alkalinity	81 mg/l

**Summary of Habitat Characteristics**

<u>Landuse Name</u>	<u>Canopy Cover</u>	<u>Terrain</u>
Upland Hardwood	Open	Rolling
<u>Potential Stressor</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Substrate</u>
	Main Stem	Boulder 10 %
		Gravel 40 %
		Rubble/Cobble 50 %

**Landcover Summary - 2004 Data**

**Sample Comments**

THICK MAT OF BROWN ALGAE.



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Taxon	Maine Taxonomic Code	Count (Mean of Samplers)		Hilsenhoff Biotic Index	Functional Feeding Group	Relative Abundance	
		Actual	Adjusted			Actual	Adjusted
<i>Hyalella</i>	09010203006		2.00	8	CG		2.7
<i>Hyalella azteca</i>	09010203006011	2.00			--	2.7	
Capniidae	09020203	0.33	0.33		--	0.5	0.5
<i>Acroneuria</i>	09020209042		9.33	0	PR		12.7
<i>Acroneuria lycorias</i>	09020209042125	9.33			--	12.7	
<i>Neurocordulia</i>	09020305026		0.33	2	PR		0.5
<i>Neurocordulia michaeli</i>	09020305026054	0.33			--	0.5	
<i>Calopteryx</i>	09020307043		0.67	5	PR		0.9
<i>Calopteryx aequabilis</i>	09020307043085	0.67			--	0.9	
<i>Baetis</i>	09020401001	1.00	2.00	4	CG	1.4	2.7
<i>Baetis intercalaris</i>	09020401001008	0.67			--	0.9	
<i>Baetis tricaudatus</i>	09020401001012	0.33			--	0.5	
<i>Acerpenna</i>	09020401007		2.67	5	CG		3.6
<i>Acerpenna pygmaea</i>	09020401007011	2.67			--	3.6	
<i>Procloeon</i>	09020401010	5.67	5.67		CG	7.7	7.7
Heptageniidae	09020402	4.33			--	5.9	
<i>Leucrocuta</i>	09020402011	5.00	6.25	1	SC	6.8	8.5
<i>Stenacron</i>	09020402014	2.00	5.00	7	SC	2.7	6.8
<i>Stenacron interpunctatum</i>	09020402014045	2.00			--	2.7	
<i>Maccaffertium</i>	09020402015	6.33	10.42	4	SC	8.6	14.1
<i>Maccaffertium luteum</i>	09020402015049	2.00			--	2.7	
Leptophlebiidae	09020406	0.67	0.67		--	0.9	0.9
<i>Ephemerella</i>	09020410035	0.67	0.67	1	CG	0.9	0.9
<i>Eurylophella</i>	09020410036	1.00	1.00	3	CG	1.4	1.4
<i>Tricorythodes</i>	09020411038	1.33	1.33	4	CG	1.8	1.8
<i>Caenis</i>	09020412040	0.67	0.67	7	CG	0.9	0.9
<i>Baetisca</i>	09020413041	0.33	0.33	4	CG	0.5	0.5
<i>Chimarra</i>	09020601003	0.33	0.33	2	CF	0.5	0.5
<i>Polycentropus</i>	09020603010	0.33	0.33	6	PR	0.5	0.5
<i>Cheumatopsyche</i>	09020604015	0.67	0.67	5	CF	0.9	0.9
<i>Hydropsyche</i>	09020604016		1.33	4	CF		1.8
<i>Hydropsyche morosa</i>	09020604016030	0.33			--	0.5	
<i>Hydropsyche sparna</i>	09020604016032	1.00			--	1.4	
<i>Brachycentrus</i>	09020609043		0.33	0	CF		0.5
<i>Brachycentrus appalachia</i>	09020609043096	0.33			--	0.5	
Limnephilidae	09020610				--		
<i>Lepidostoma</i>	09020611064	1.67	1.67	1	SH	2.3	2.3
<i>Helicopsyche</i>	09020616070		0.33	3	SC		0.5



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<i>Helicopsyche borealis</i>	09020616070137	0.33			--	0.5	
<i>Oecetis</i>	09020618078	0.33	1.00	8	PR	0.5	1.4
<i>Oecetis avara</i>	09020618078153	0.67			--	0.9	
<i>Ablabesmyia</i>	09021011001		0.33	8	PR		0.5
<i>Ablabesmyia mallochii</i>	09021011001004	0.33			--	0.5	
<i>Nanocladius</i>	09021011049		4.33	3	CG		5.9
<i>Nanocladius branchicolus</i>	09021011049091	2.33			--	3.2	
<i>Nanocladius downesi</i>	09021011049092	2.00			--	2.7	
<i>Symbiocladius</i>	09021011059	0.33	0.33		PA	0.5	0.5
<i>Stempellina</i>	09021011073	0.33	0.33	2	CG	0.5	0.5
<i>Stempellinella</i>	09021011074		0.33	2	--		0.5
<i>Stempellinella sp. a epler</i>	09021011074002	0.33			--	0.5	
<i>Tanytarsus</i>	09021011076	2.33	2.33	6	CF	3.2	3.2
<i>Microtendipes</i>	09021011094		2.67	6	CF		3.6
<i>Microtendipes pedellus group</i>	09021011094166	2.33			--	3.2	
<i>Microtendipes rydalensis group</i>	09021011094168	0.33			--	0.5	
<i>Phaenopsectra</i>	09021011101		0.33	7	SC		0.5
<i>Phaenopsectra obediens</i>	09021011101182	0.33			SC	0.5	
<i>Polypedilum</i>	09021011102		0.33	6	SH		0.5
<i>Polypedilum flavum</i>	09021011102182	0.33			--	0.5	
<i>Hayesomyia senata</i>	09021011112001				--		
<i>Psephenus</i>	09021108058		0.33	4	SC		0.5
<i>Psephenus herricki</i>	09021108058028	0.33			--	0.5	
<i>Dubiraphia</i>	09021113064	5.33	5.33	6	--	7.2	7.2
<i>Optioservus</i>	09021113067	0.33	0.33	3	SC	0.5	0.5
<i>Stenelmis</i>	09021113070	0.33	1.00	5	SC	0.5	1.4
<i>Stenelmis crenata</i>	09021113070055	0.67			--	0.9	