

APPENDIX B

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Burgess Stream, Blessington.

Stream Discharge Calculations - 23/04/03

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Instrument - DTT C2 Small Current Meter

Location SF1

Propellor No. 3

Measurement 1

Measurement 2

Measurement 3

Average Rev

Stream Column 1		
T (seconds)=	60	
Revs	Revs/sec. (n)	
82	1.37	
90	1.50	
81	1.35	
Average Rev	1.41	
Measurement Depth (m)	0.07	
Depth (m)	0.35	
Width (m)	0.15	
Total Channel Width (m)	2.06	

Area of Stream Column 1 (X) = 0.0525 m²

Flow Velocity (V)

If $0.54 < n < 9.89$, $V = 0.2535 \times n + 0.001$

V (Stream Column 1) = 0.357 m/s

Discharge (Q)

Q = Cross Section Area (X) x Flow Velocity (V)

Location SF1 Q = 0.0188 m³/s
16.76 l/s

Note: Stream is dominated by weed growth (see Photographs 1 and 2), therefore measurement was only possible for one cross sectional area (X) of the channel at this location. The discharge reading at this location is conservative.

Location SF2

Propellor No. 5

Measurement 1

Measurement 2

Measurement 3

Average Rev

Stream Column 1		
T (seconds)=	60	
Revs	Revs/sec. (n)	
63	1.05	
77	1.28	
83	1.38	
Average Rev	1.24	
Measurement Depth (m)	0.03	
Depth (m)	0.06	
Width (m)	0.33	
Total Channel Width (m)	1.99	

Stream Column 2		
T (seconds)=	60	
Revs	Revs/sec. (n)	
168	2.80	
154	2.73	
172	2.87	
Average Rev	2.80	
Measurement Depth (m)	0.06	
Depth (m)	0.11	
Width (m)	0.66	
Total Channel Width (m)	1.99	

Area of Stream Column 1 (X) = 0.0198 m²
Area of Stream Column 2 (X) = 0.0726 m²

Flow Velocity (V)

If $n < 7.74$, $V = 0.0566 \times n + 0.028$

V (Stream Column 1) = 0.098 m/s

V (Stream Column 2) = 0.186 m/s

Discharge (Q)

Q = Cross Section Area (X) x Flow Velocity (V)

Q (Stream Column 1) = 0.0019 m³/sQ (Stream Column 2) = 0.0135 m³/sTotal Q (Location SF2) = 0.0155 m³/s
15.48 l/s

Note: Stream has recently been excavated at this cross section, see Photographs 3 and 4, no aquatic plants were present at this location

Refer to Figure 1 for location of Burgess Stream, channel profile, channel cross sections and flow measurement locations.

Burgess Stream, Blessington
Stream Discharge Calculations - 09/05/03

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Instrument: OTI C2 Small Current Meter

Location SF1

Propellor No. 3/No.5

Stream Column 1		
T (seconds)=	60	
Revs	Revs/sec. (n)	
Measurement 1	NA.	NA.
Measurement 2	NA.	NA.
Measurement 3	NA.	NA.
Average Rev	0.0	0.00
Measurement Depth (m)	0	
Depth (m)	0	
Width (m)	0	
Total Channel Width (m)	2.06	

NB: NO FLOW MEASUREMENT POSSIBLE
AT LOCATION SF1 DUE TO LOW FLOW IN STREAMArea of Stream Column 1 (X) = 0 m²

Flow Velocity (V)

if $0.54 < n < 9.89$, $V = 0.2535 \times n + 0.001$

V (Stream Column 1) = NA. m/s.

Discharge (Q)

Q = Cross Section Area (X) x Flow Velocity (V)

Location SF1 Q = NA. m³/s
NA. l/s

Note: Stream is dominated by weed growth (see Photographs 1 and 2), therefore measurement was only possible for one cross sectional area (X) of the channel at this location. The discharge reading at this location is conservative.

Location SF2

Propellor No. 5

Stream Column 1		
T (seconds)=	60	
Revs	Revs/sec. (n)	
Measurement 1	204	3.40
Measurement 2	209	3.48
Measurement 3	181	3.02
Average Rev	198.0	3.30
Measurement Depth (m)	0.05	
Depth (m)	0.14	
Width (m)	0.4	
Total Channel Width (m)	1.99	

Area of Stream Column 1 (X) = 0.056 m²

Flow Velocity (V)

if $n < 7.74$, $V = 0.0566 \times n + 0.028$

V (Stream Column 1) = 0.215 m/s

Discharge (Q)

Q = Cross Section Area (X) x Flow Velocity (V)

Total Q (Location SF2) = 0.0120 m³/s
12.03 l/s

Note: Stream has recently been excavated at this cross section, see Photographs 3 and 4, no aquatic plants were present at this location

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