

# Appendix A. Water Type Classification Worksheet

## Western Washington

Stream/Segment ID: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date(s) Observed: \_\_\_\_\_

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**1. Did you determine fish use as described in the Forest Practices Board Manual Section 13? Or, does the stream have waiver characteristics? [See WAC 222-16-031(3)(b)(ii)]**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Attach documentation or approved WTMF number:<br>_____<br><input type="checkbox"/> Fish found.<br>Type F water. Stop.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No fish. Continue to 6.<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Meets waiver criteria.<br>Continue to 6. | <input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Attach documentation or approved WTMF number:<br>_____<br><input type="checkbox"/> Fish found.<br>Type F water. Stop.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No fish. Continue to 6.<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Meets waiver criteria.<br>Continue to 6. | <input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Attach documentation or approved WTMF number:<br>_____<br><input type="checkbox"/> Fish found.<br>Type F water. Stop.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No fish. Continue to 6.<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Meets waiver criteria.<br>Continue to 6. |
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**2. Were fish observed or are fish known to use the stream any time of the year?**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type F water. Stop.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type F water. Stop.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type F water. Stop.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. |
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**3. Is there an impoundment (ponded water) upstream of the assessed segment that is greater than 0.5 acres?**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type F water. Stop.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type F water. Stop.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type F water. Stop.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. |
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**4. Are there segments within or upstream of the assessed portion of the stream where the average bankfull width is two feet or greater? AND, is the average stream gradient less than or equal to 16%?**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type F water. Stop.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type F water. Stop.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type F water. Stop.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. |
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**5. Are there segments within or upstream of the assessed portion of the stream where the average bankfull width is two feet or greater? AND, is the average stream gradient between 16% and 20%? AND, is the contributing basin to the stream greater than 50 acres?**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type F water. Stop.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type F water. Stop.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type F water. Stop.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. |
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**6. Does the stream segment contain water at all times during a normal rainfall year?**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type Np water. Go to 9.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type Np water. Go to 9.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type Np water. Go to 9.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. |
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**7. Is the stream segment downstream of a perennial source of water?**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type Np water. Go to 9<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type Np water. Go to 9.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Type Np water. Go to 9.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No. Continue. |
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**8. Is the stream physically connected by an above-ground channel to Type S, F, or Np water?**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, Type Ns water.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No, non-typed water. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, Type Ns water.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No, non-typed water. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, Type Ns water.<br><input type="checkbox"/> No, non-typed water. |
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**9. Describe how you determined the uppermost point of perennial flow. Include a description of its location and show the point on a map (Use a separate piece of paper if necessary).**

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