Field Data Sheet for Water Quality Monitoring

Surface Water Ambient Monitoring Project in the Stanislaus National Forest

Sample # for site	#5 after cows	_Legal Descrip	NW1/4 SW1/4	S36 T3N R17E
Waterbody	Unnamed Tributary of Bell C	reek	_Arrival time	14:02
Location ID	Lower Round Meadow (LRM)		_Depart time	14:10
Samplers	Lindsey Myers, Tracy Knopf		_ Date	7/23/09

Site Observaitons:

Cloud Cover	No Clouds; Partly Cloudy; Cloudy Sky (overcast)	
Precipitation	None; Misty; Foggy; Drizzle; Rain; Snow	
Wind	Calm; Breezy; Windy	
Water Murkiness	Clear Water; Cloudy Water (>4" visibility); Murky (<4"visibility)	
Flow (relative)	Very Low; Low; Medium; High; Very High; Same	
Sample color	None; Amber; Yellow; Green; Brown; Gray; Other	
Sample odor	None; Algae smell; Chlorine; Sulfide; Sewage; Other - Manure	
Presence	Algae or water plants; leaf litter; trash; Other	
Habitat	Describe; Willows along stream, annual grass meadow	
Bank Disturbance Describe; Yes, pocking from cattle crossing		

Comments:

Cows currently in shade by meadow - 20+ cattle.

Field Water Measurements:

Instrument ID	Parameter	Unit	Reading 1	Reading 2	Reading 3
YSI 63 meter	Conductivity	μS	68.1	68.0	70.1
YSI 63 meter	рН	рН	pH probe malfunciton - no data		
YSI 63 meter	Water Temp	Celsius	25.3	25.4	25.3

Comments:

Bacteria Sample Container ID	917	Time collected	14:04
Bacteria Sample Container ID	O27 - duplicate	Time collected	14:04
Sample arrival time at AquaLab	15:20		
Comments: Turbidity sample taken. Duplicate sample taken for bact	eria and turbidity.		
Entered into dBase by dBase check	Lindsey Myers	Date Date	9/7/09