

Passage Through Crossings Assessment

SITE

Forest _____ District _____

Route number: _____ INFRA milepost: _____

Milepost: _____ from junction of road no. _____

Watershed 6th HUC or name: _____ Stream name: _____

7.5-minute quad name: _____ Land ownership: _____ NF _____ Other: _____

Legal description: T. __ S / N, R. __ E / W, Sec. __, __ ¼ of __ ¼ Principal meridian _____

X/Y Coordinates _____ Coordinate system _____ Datum _____

Surveyor names: _____ Field date: __ / __ / __

Crossing ID number _____

Structure _____ **of** _____

Structure milepost _____

CROSSING STRUCTURE

Shape

- Circular
- Box
- Open-bottom arch
- Pipe-arch
- Ford
- Vented ford
- Bridge
- Other: _____

Dimensions (inches)

width: _____ height: _____

Rust line: _____ (feet)

Ford data: sag _____
 F₁ _____
 F₂ _____

Multiple structures at site:

____ # other openings identical to main structure
 Mileposts _____

____ # different openings with forms completed

____ # overflow pipes----no forms completed
 Mileposts _____

____ # overflow pipes with forms completed

Structure shape comments _____

Structure material

- Spiral CMP
 - Annular CMP
 - Structural plate
 - Concrete
 - PVC
 - Wood or log
 - Other: _____
- Steel Aluminum

Corrugations

- 2 2/3 x 1/2 inch
- 3 x 1 inch
- 5 x 1 inch
- 6 x 2 inch (SSP only)
- None
- Paved or smooth invert
- Other: _____

Skew from road

_____ degrees

Inlet type

- Projecting
 - Mitered
 - Wingwall 10-30°
 - Wingwall 30-70°
 - Headwall
 - Apron
 - Trashrack
 - Other: _____
- Describe: _____

Outlet configuration

- at stream grade
 - cascade over riprap
 - freefall into pool
 - freefall onto riprap
 - outlet apron
 - Other: _____
- Describe: _____

Fill Volume

L_u (upstream fill slope length): _____

L_d (downstream fill slope length): _____

S_u (slope of upstream fill): _____ %

S_d (slope of downstream fill): _____ %

W_r (Road Width): _____

W_f (length of road on fill): _____

W_c (length of fill base): _____

Baffles, weirs or other internal structures: Yes No Material: _____

Describe (see sketch): _____

Pipe condition: Breaks inside culvert (Location _____)

- Fill eroding Debris plugging inlet (% blockage _____) Bent inlet Bottom worn through
- Poor alignment with stream Debris in culvert (rock or wood) Bottom rusted through Water flowing under culvert
- Other _____ Describe overall condition _____

Diversion Potential: Yes No Comments: _____

SITE SKETCH

Include:

- North Arrow
- Direction of stream flow
- Culvert/channel alignment
- Lay of tape if needed
- Photo point locations and numbers
- Wingwalls and inlet / outlet aprons
- Multiple structures
- Baffle configurations
- Weirs and other instream structures
- Debris jams inside, upstream and downstream near site, depositional bars
- Trash racks, screens, standpipes etc. that may affect passage
- Damage to or obstacle inside structure
- Location of Riprap for bank armoring or jump pool formation
- Tailwater cross-section location

Crossing ID number _____

Site Biological information – (Core data and prioritization data)

ANALYSIS SPECIES

Species	Core data		Prioritization data	
	Life Stage	Comments	Upstream habitat blocked (mi)	Downstream habitat blocked (mi)
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
6.				
7.				
8.				
9.				
10.				

Habitat Quality Notes:

Watershed Information – Prioritization data

Exotic Species Crossing Barrier

<u>Upstream crossings:</u> No. of crossings _____ Distance to 1 st crossing (ft): _____ Barrier Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Distance to 2 nd crossing (ft): _____ Barrier Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Downstream crossings:</u> No. of crossings _____ Distance to 1 st crossing _____ mi Barrier Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Distance to 2 nd crossing _____ mi Barrier Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/>
<u>Other upstream barriers:</u> No. of barriers: _____ Distance to 1 st barrier: _____ mi Height _____ ft Distance to 2 nd barrier: _____ mi Height _____ ft	<u>Other downstream barriers:</u> No. of barriers _____ Distance to 1 st barrier: _____ mi Height _____ ft Distance to 2 nd barrier: _____ mi Height _____ ft

Is a barrier necessary at this site to meet management objectives, that is---passage barrier okay?

Yes No

Passage Through Crossings Assessment Multiple Structures Supplemental Form

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STREAMBED SUBSTRATE RETENTION IN STRUCTURE

- No substrate in structure
- Discontinuous layer of substrate in structure begins at _____ ft; ends at _____ ft (measured from inlet)
- Substrate is continuous throughout structure

If present, substrate depth at inlet _____ ft; substrate depth at outlet _____ ft

SUBSTRATE PARTICLE SIZES number 1 up to 3 in order of sizes occupying most streambed area

	Bedrock	Boulders	Cobbles	Gravel	Sand	Silt/Clay	Organics	Aquatic macrophytes
Culvert								
Downstream near tailwater control								

BANKFULL channel widths---outside of culvert influence (ft): (1) _____ (2) _____
 (3) _____ (4) _____ (5) _____ **Average** _____

CALCULATIONS FROM SURVEY

Culvert slope: ____ % $\frac{\text{elev}(P_2 - P_4)}{\text{dist}(P_2 - P_4)} * 100$

Outlet drop (F): ____ (P₄ minus P₆)

Channel gradient: ____ % upst; ____ % downst

Inlet gradient: ____ % $\frac{\text{elev}(P_1 - P_2) \times (100)}{\text{dist}(P_1 - P_2)}$

Ratio of inlet width to channel width : ____

Residual inlet depth: ____ (P₆ - P₂)

Substrate ratio: ____ (depth of substrate/structure height)

Residual pool depth: ____ (P₆ - P₅)

FIELD PASSAGE EVALUATION (use if in different channel from structure 1)

__ **Resembles natural channel** __ **Passage adequate (species/lifestage)** _____
 __ **Passage indeterminate** __ **Passage inadequate (species/lifestage)** _____

Comments:

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