

Macroinvertebrate Monitoring Sampling Locations

Ipswich River Watershed Sampling Sites			
Site ID	Site Description	Town	Site Location
IP20	Ipswich River, Winthrop St.	Ipswich	<p>Park in the Greenbelt lot or on the shoulder of the road. Access the site from the Greenbelt trail.</p> <p>Sample about 100' upstream of the Winthrop St. Bridge</p>
GB	Gravelly Brook, Willowdale State Forest	Ipswich	<p>Park in the gravel turnoff on Topsfield Rd. Walk up the trail, staying near the stream and sample at a point about 250-300' upstream from the road.</p>
HB	Howlett Brook, Ipswich Rd.	Topsfield	<p>Park on Willowdale Rd. or on the side of Ipswich Rd. next to the field.</p> <p>Sample about 20 yds. upstream of the road. Will need to walk through some vegetation to reach the stream.</p>
FB-LL	Fish Brook, Lockwood Ln.	Boxford	<p>Park along the roadside by the stream. The bridge is closed pending repairs. Can only reach the site from Middleton Rd. on the Boxford side.</p> <p>Sample about 30' upstream of Lockwood Lane and below the dam. There is an old mill gear mechanism in the stream so you will know you are in the right area.</p>

BB-LS	Boston Brook, Liberty St.	Middleton	Park on the side of the road next to the stream. Sample the stream directly adjacent to Liberty St.
IP06	Ipswich River, Boston St.	Middleton	Located on Boston St. in South Middleton near the Bostik Company. Park before the gate at the trail entrance on Boston St. Sample about 100 yds. upstream of the Boston St. Bridge.
IP2.7	Ipswich River, Parish Park	North Reading	Located on Rt. 62 in North Reading between Chestnut St. and Central St. Park in the lot on Rt. 62 Sample behind the picnic tables where there is a small access trail down the river bank.
MB-PS	Martins Brook, Park St.	North Reading	Located on Park St. off of Rt. 62 in North Reading Park at the Masonic Lodge Sample immediately downstream of the bridge
IP01	Ipswich River, Mill St.	Reading	Park in the parking area on Mill St. and sample downstream of the bridge.
Parker River Watershed Sampling Sites			
Site ID	Site Description	Town	Site Location
PR01	Parker River, Glendale Rd.	Boxford	Site is at the intersection of Main St. and Glendale

	and Main St.		Rd. Park on Glendale Rd. Sample upstream of the culvert that goes under Main St.
PB04	Penn Brook, Mill St.	Georgetown	Park on Mill St. Sample upstream of the culvert containing Penn Brook. This is the stream closes to North St. The Parker River flows adjacent to Penn Brook under Mill St. as well.

Essex River Watershed Sampling Sites

Site ID	Site Description	Town	Site Location
AB	Alewife Brook, Apple St.	Essex	Park on the side of Apple St., just past the bridge and sample on the upstream side of the bridge.
CL	Chebacco Lake inlet, Chebacco Rd.	Hamilton	Park on the side of Chebacco Rd. and sample on the upstream side of where the stream crosses under the road.
WC	Walker Creek, Forest Ln.	Gloucester	Park at the trailhead parking area on Forest Ln. off of Rt. 133 and walk past the gate and sample down in the stream along the dirt Rd.