

WHITEWOOD LAKE

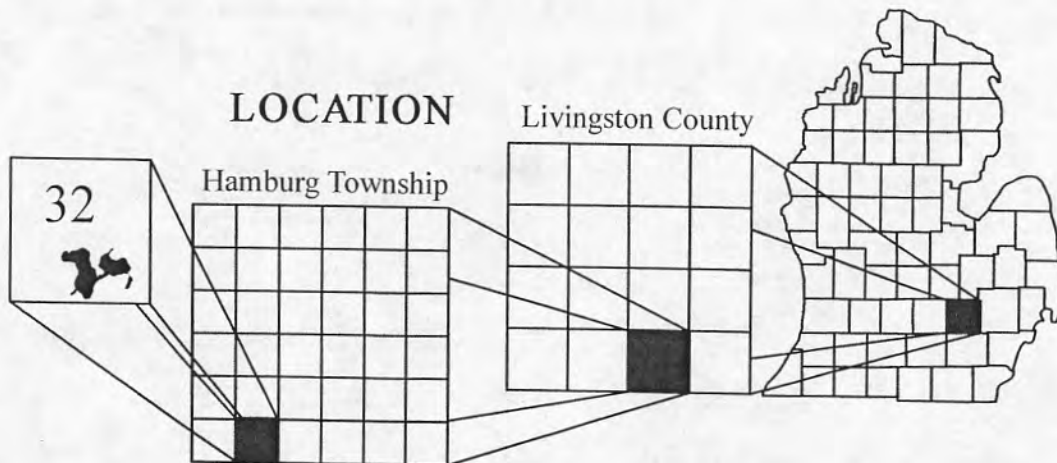
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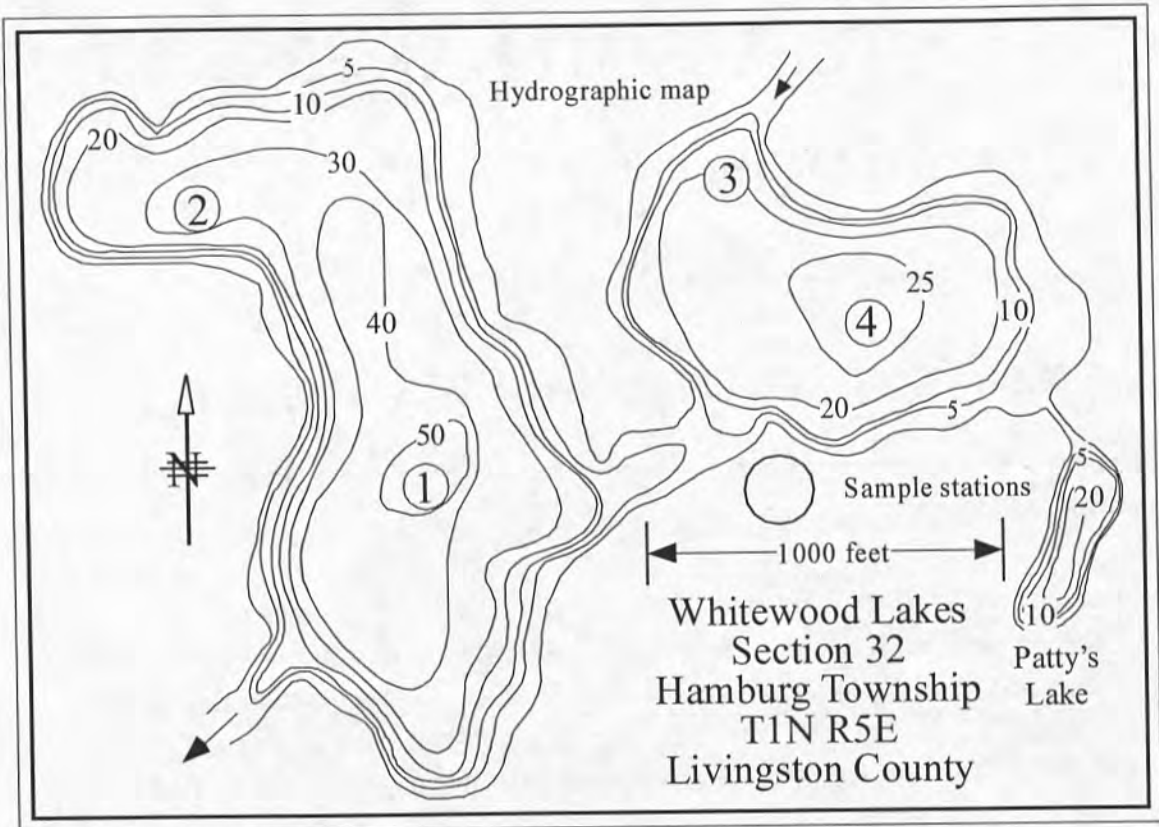
Whitewood Lake, called Whiteford Lake in the past, is a 62-acre natural hard-water kettle lake located in Section 32, Hamburg Township (T1N R5E) Livingston County, Michigan. The lake consists of a 40-acre downstream west basin and a 22-acre upstream east basin separated by a channel approximately 400 feet long. The channel depth between the two basins varies, but has a maximum depth of about 15 feet. The east basin has a maximum depth of 29 feet, a volume of 328 acre-feet, and a mean depth of 14.9 feet. The west basin has a maximum depth of 50 feet, a water volume of 1041 acre-feet, and a mean depth of 26.0 feet. The volume of both basins is 1369 acre-feet. Patty's Lake is a 2-acre, 20-foot-deep basin off the east basin. Whitewood Lake elevation is 851 feet above sea level. The Huron River flows through both basins. There are no islands in the lake.

The size of the watershed, which is the land area that contributes water to the lake, but does not include the lake, is large, 243,138 acres. The drainage area, which includes the lake and the watershed, is 243,200 acres. The watershed to lake ratio is large, 3922 to 1. Because of this the basins flush rapidly, 0.007 years or about once every 2 or 3 days, on an average.

The longitude and latitude of the 50-foot deep hole is 83° 52.601 W and 42° 26.004 N.

THE SAMPLE STATIONS

The locations of the four in-lake sample stations are shown as circles on the hydrographic map of the lake.



THE SAMPLE DATES

WQI limnologists took three or four spring surface samples for water quality testing plus Secchi disk readings at the sites shown on the map June 9, 1996, May 12, 1997, April 19, 1998, April 25, 1999, April 15, 2000, May 13, 2001, April 15, 2002, April 28, 2003, April 16, 2004, April 18, 2005, April 19, 2006, April 21, 2007, April 18, 2008, April 18, 2009 and April 20, 2010.

WQI limnologists collected three or four late summer surface samples for water quality testing at the stations shown on the map August 7, 1996, August 25, 1997, August 10, 1998, August 28, 1999, August 4, 2000, August 3, 2001, August 2, 2002, August 1, 2003, August 2, 2004, August 3, 2005, August 1, 2006, August 1, 2007, August 1, 2008, August 3, 2009 and August 2, 2010.

Bottom sediment samples were collected at three stations in 1996 and four stations in 2005. Upstream, the Huron River and Davis Creek were sampled 11 times June 2005 through April 2006. And Davis Creek was sampled 12 times May 2009 to April 2010.

THE ANALYSES

The tests performed on the samples included total phosphorus, total nitrate nitrogen, total alkalinity, pH, conductivity, chlorophyll a, Secchi disk depth, temperature, and dissolved oxygen.

Temperature, dissolved oxygen and Secchi disk depths were measured in the field. Chlorophyll a, phosphorus, nitrate nitrogen, alkalinity, pH and conductivity tests were performed at the Water Quality Investigators laboratory in Dexter, Michigan. All test procedures followed those outlined in APHA's *Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater* (1985).

THE TEST RESULTS

The results of the tests are found in the text, in the tables at the end of this report and on the enclosed atlas pages.

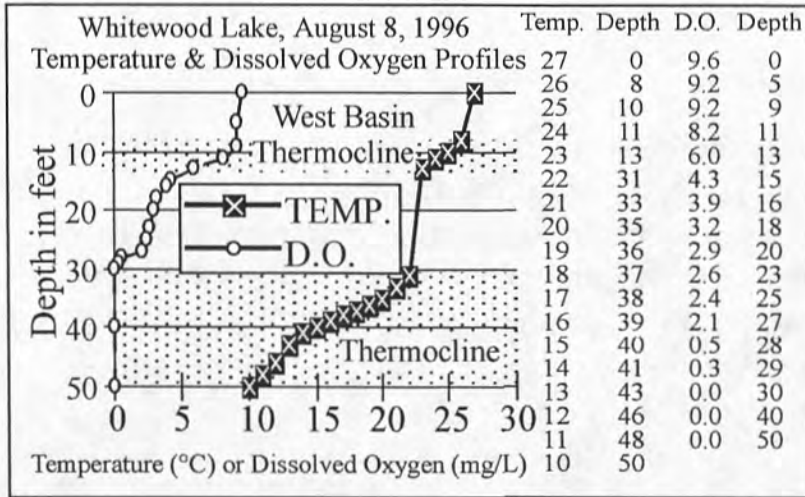
TEMPERATURE AND DISSOLVED OXYGEN

Temperature exerts a wide variety of influences on most lakes, such as the separation of layers of water (stratification), solubility of gasses and biological activity. In spring temperature generally doesn't need to be determined because we've found temperatures are low and dissolved oxygen is near saturation at that time.

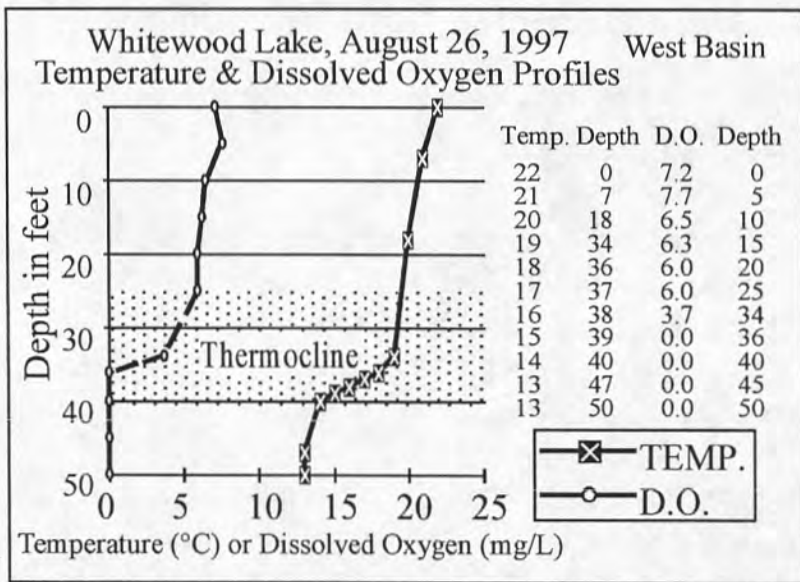
Dissolved oxygen is the test most often selected by lake scientists as being important. Besides providing oxygen for aquatic organisms, in natural lakes oxygen is involved the capture and release of various chemicals, such as iron and phosphorus. In spring top to bottom dissolved oxygen concentrations were not measured. On the other hand, top to bottom dissolved oxygen and temperature profile data were collected in both basins when they were sampled in late summer.

THE WEST BASIN

1996



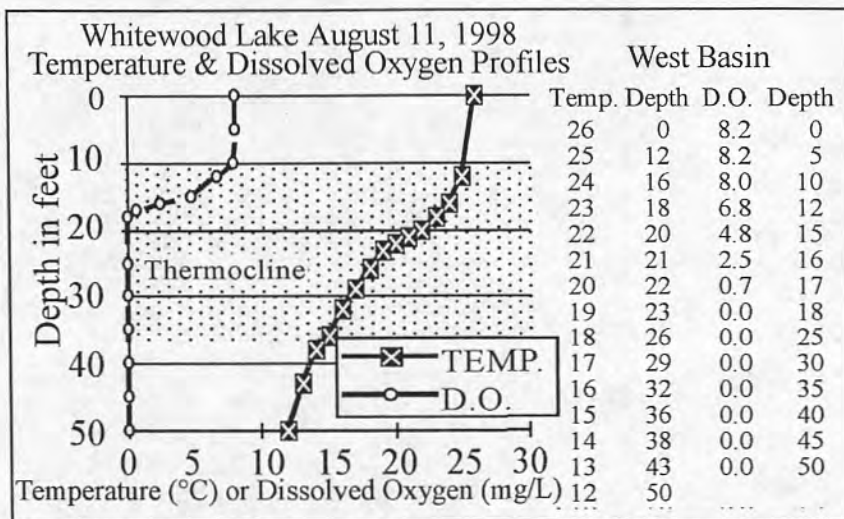
In late summer 1996, the west basin formed two thermoclines (where the temperature changes rapidly with depth and shown shaded on the graphs), a five foot thick one from 8 to 13 feet, and a second one 20 feet thick from 30 to 50 feet, which was the bottom of the lake. Dissolved oxygen was plentiful above ten feet and started to decrease below 10 feet. The basin ran out of dissolved oxygen at 30 feet. That condition remained to the



bottom. The hypsographic (depth-area) graph shows about 45 percent of this basin is deeper than 30 feet.

1997

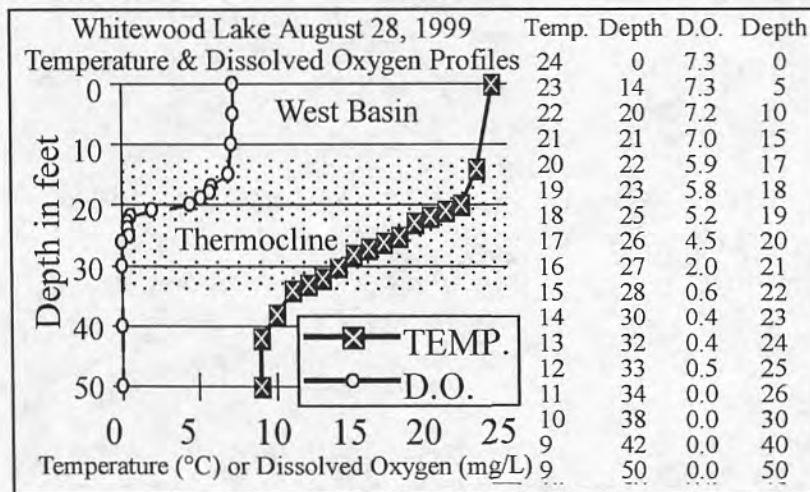
In late summer 1997, the west basin formed a 15-foot-thick thermocline from 25 to 40 feet. Dissolved oxygen was plentiful above 25 feet, and started to drop below that depth. The basin ran out of dissolved oxygen at



36 feet. That condition remained to the bottom. About 30% of the basin is deeper than 36 feet.

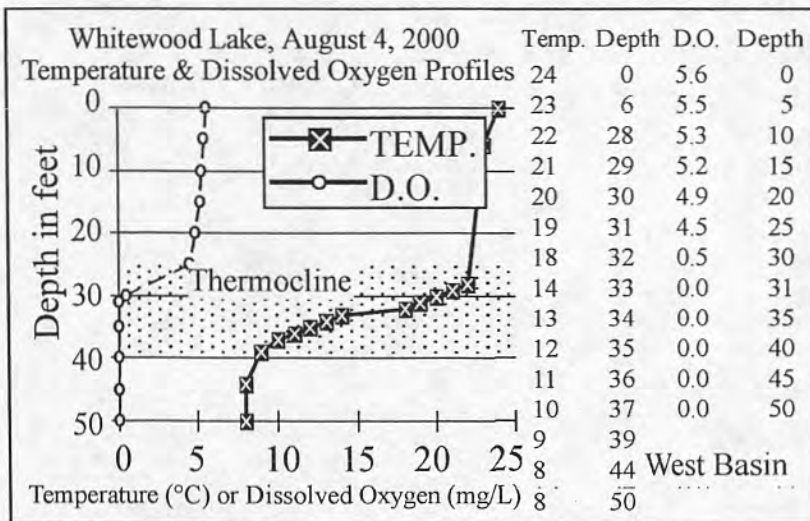
1998

In late summer 1998, the west basin formed a 27-foot-thick thermocline from 10 to 37 feet. Dissolved oxygen was plentiful above 10 feet and started to decrease below that depth. The basin ran out of dissolved oxygen at 18 feet, and that condition remained to the bottom. About 68 percent of the basin is deeper than 18 feet.

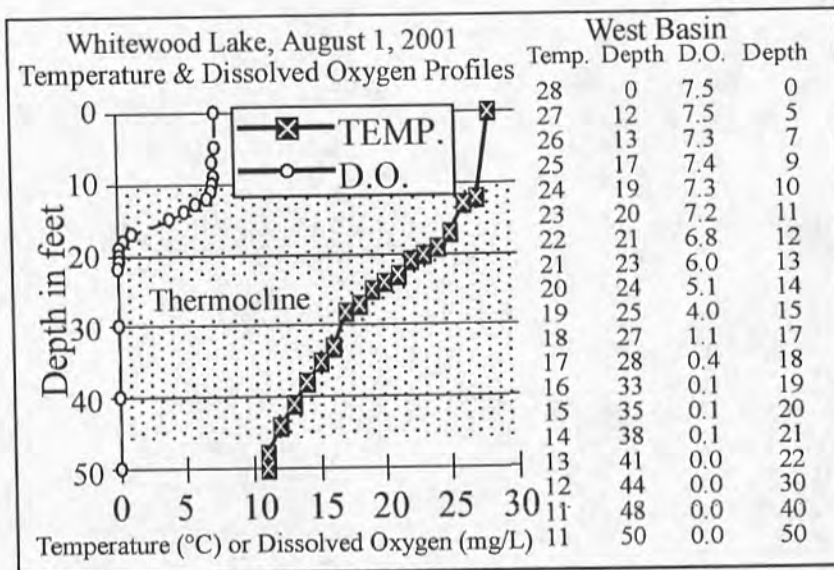


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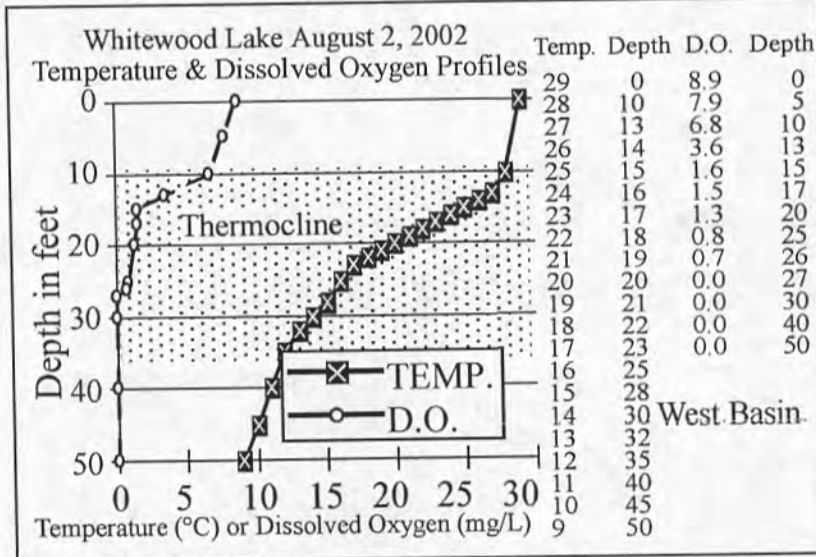
20-foot-thick thermocline from 14 to 34 feet. Dissolved oxygen was plentiful above the thermocline. The basin ran out of dissolved oxygen at 26



feet. That condition remained to the bottom. About 53 percent of the lake is deeper than 26 feet.

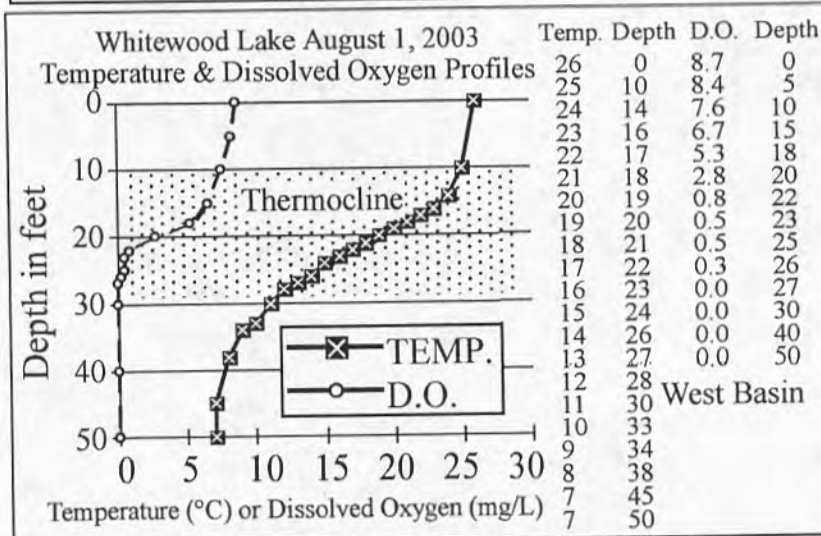
2000

In late summer 2000, the west basin formed a 15-foot-thick



thermocline from 25 to 40 feet. Dissolved oxygen was present, but low (5.6 milligrams per liter or less) above the thermocline. The basin ran out of dissolved oxygen at 31 feet. That condition remained to the bottom. About 42 percent of the lake is deeper than 31 feet.

2001



In late summer 2001, the west basin formed a 36-foot-thick thermocline from 10 to 46 feet.

Dissolved oxygen was plentiful above the thermocline.

The basin ran out of dissolved oxygen at 22 feet. That condition remained to the bottom. About 60 percent of the basin is deeper than 22 feet.

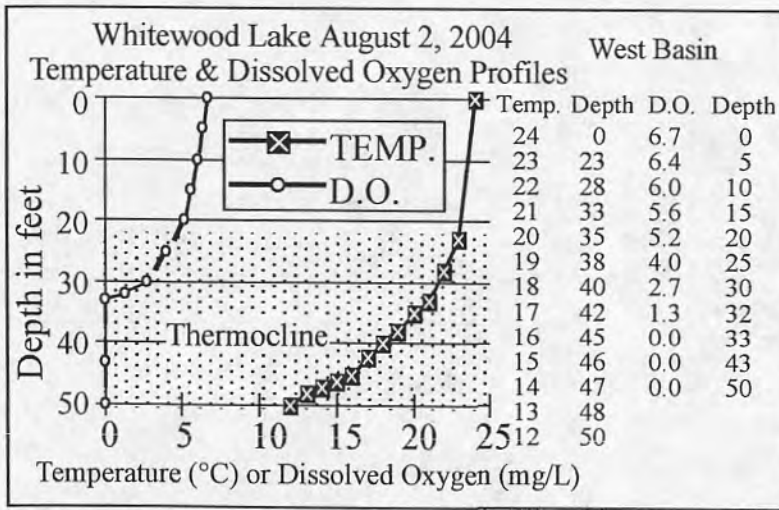
2002

In late summer 2002, the west basin formed a 26-foot-thick thermocline from 10 to 36 feet. Dissolved oxygen was plentiful above the thermocline. The basin ran out of dissolved oxygen at 27 feet. That condition remained to the bottom. About 52 percent of the basin is deeper than 27 feet.

2003

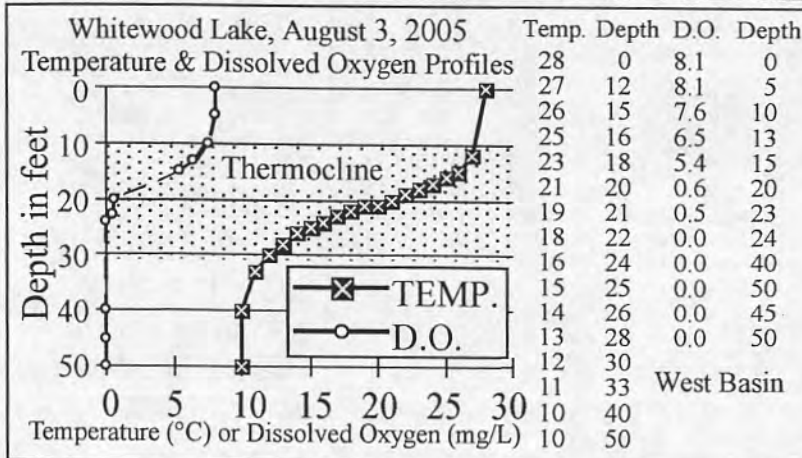
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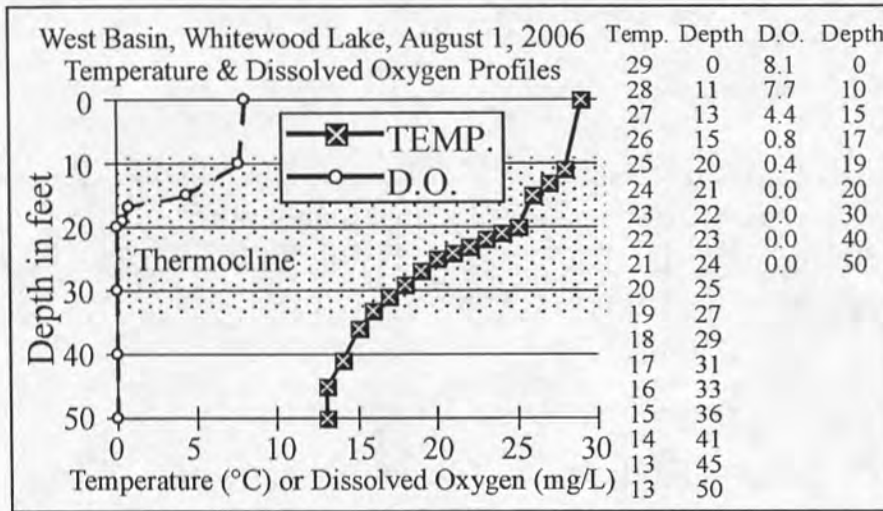
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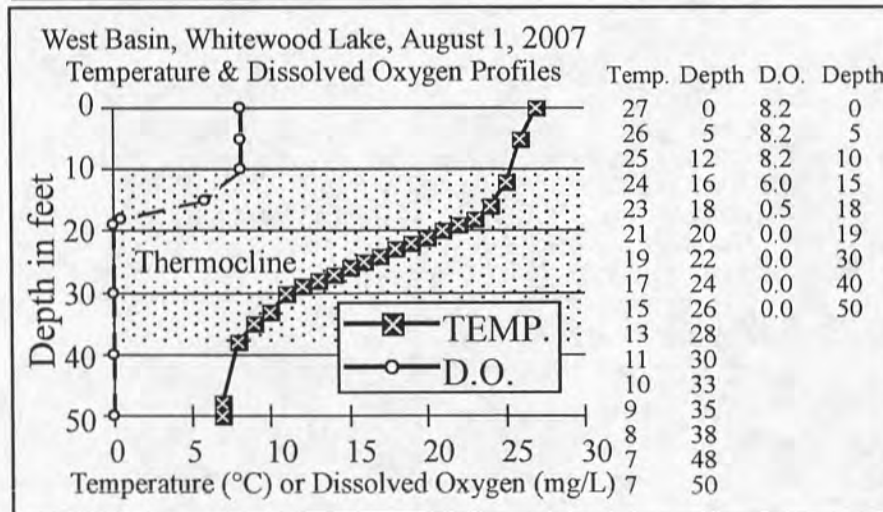


About 37 percent of the basin is deeper than 33 feet.

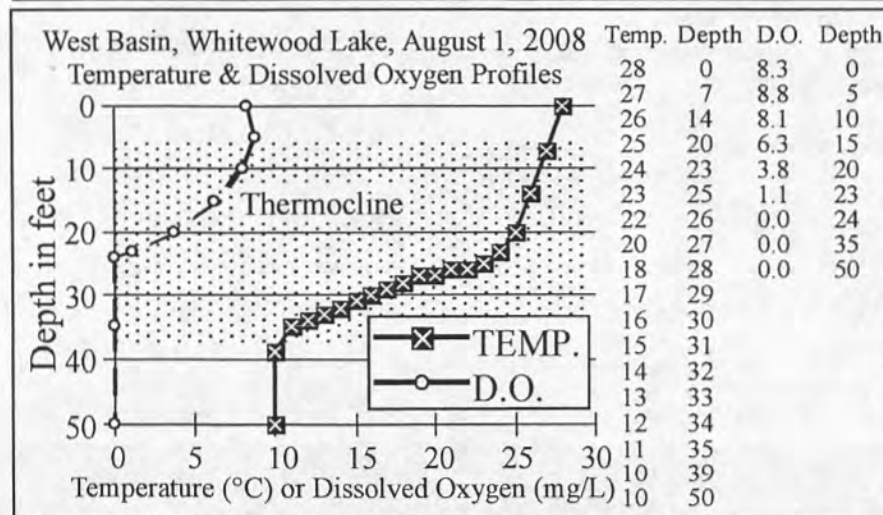
2005



In late summer 2005, the west basin formed a 20-foot-thick thermocline from 10 to 30 feet. Dissolved oxygen was plentiful above the thermocline. The basin ran out of dissolved oxygen at 24 feet. That condition remained to the bottom.



About 60 percent of the basin is deeper than 24 feet.



2006

In late summer 2006 the west basin formed a 23-foot-thick thermocline from 10 to 33 feet. Dissolved oxygen supplies were

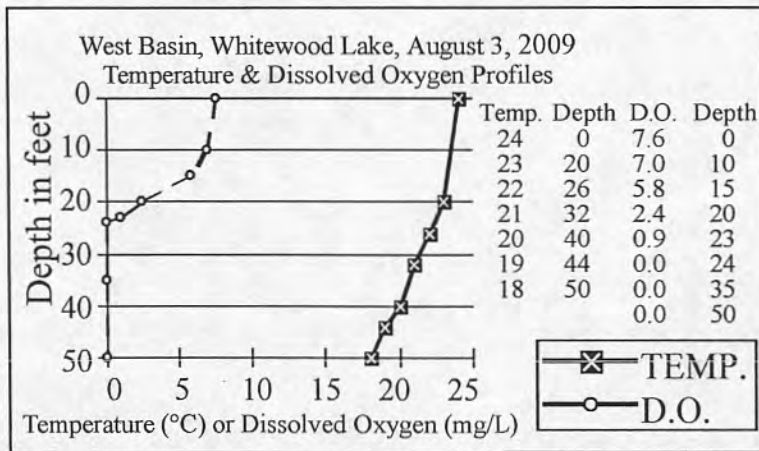
adequate above 10 feet. Below that depth dissolved oxygen concentrations started to decrease, and were zero at 20 feet. That condition remained to the bottom. About 62 percent of the basin is deeper than 20 feet.

2007

In late summer 2007 the west basin formed a 28-foot-thick thermocline from 10 to 38 feet. Dissolved oxygen was plentiful above 10 feet and started to decrease below that depth. It was zero at 19 feet, and that condition remained to the bottom.

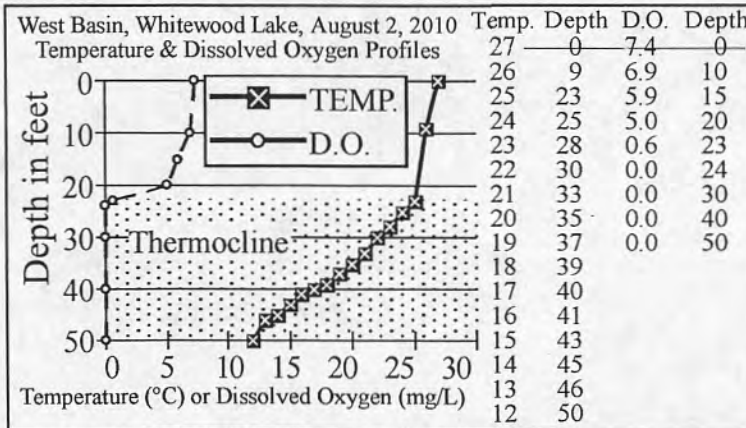
2008

In late summer 2008 the west basin formed a 30-foot thick thermocline from 5 to 35 feet. Dissolved oxygen supplies were plentiful above the thermocline and reached zero at 24 feet. About 56 percent of this basin is deeper than 24 feet.



2009

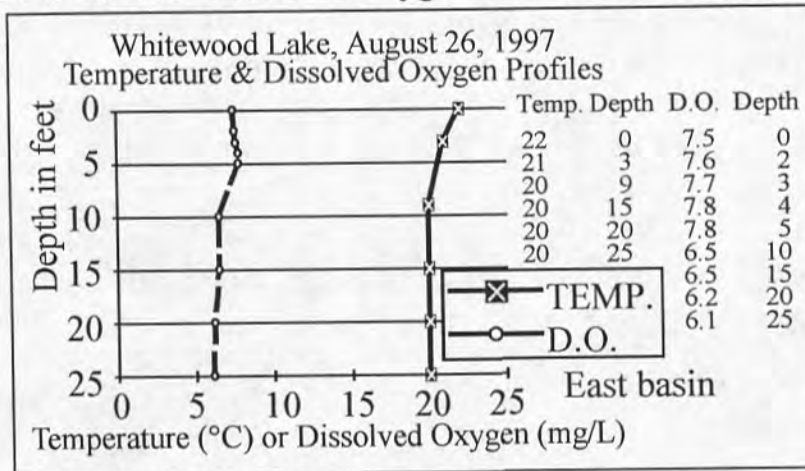
In late summer 2009 a most unusual condition occurred in the west basin in late summer in that the basin did not form a thermocline. The surface temperature was 24 degrees C and the bottom temperature was 18 degrees C, but the temperature just gradually changed from top to bottom. Even so, dissolved oxygen, which was adequate but low in the top 15 feet, dropped to zero at 24 feet, and that condition remained to the bottom.



This is interesting because it indicates a lake can run out of dissolved oxygen even if it is not stratified in summer.

2010

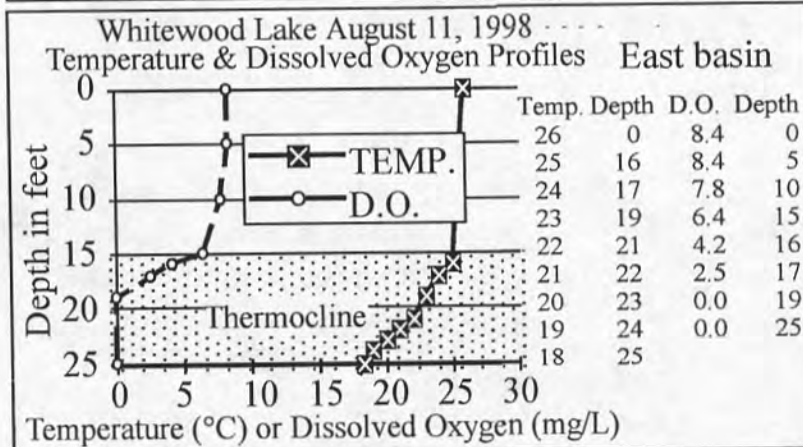
In late summer 2010 the west basin formed a 27-foot thick thermocline from 23 to 50 feet. Dissolved oxygen was low but adequate above 20 feet. The



basin ran out of dissolved oxygen at 24 feet and that condition remained to the bottom.

Late summer temperature and dissolved oxygen profiles show that no pattern is emerging in the west basin

regarding the depth the lake runs out of dissolved oxygen. That's a plus.



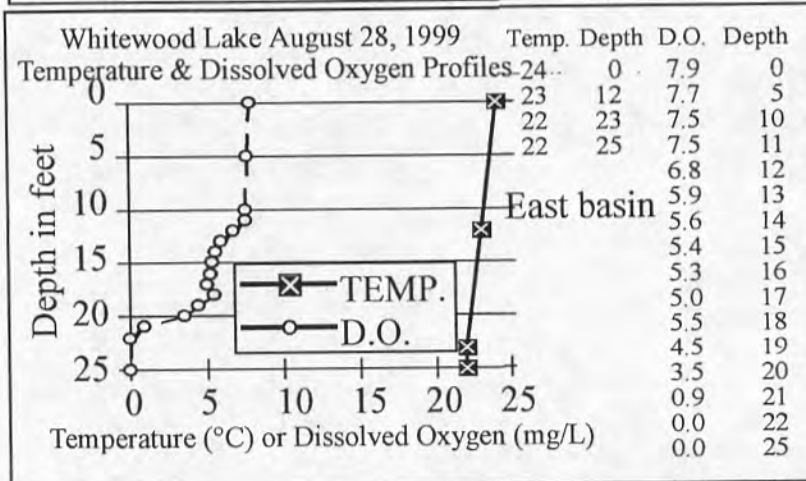
THE EAST BASIN

1997

In late summer 1997, the east basin did not form a thermocline.

Temperature was essentially uniform top to bottom.

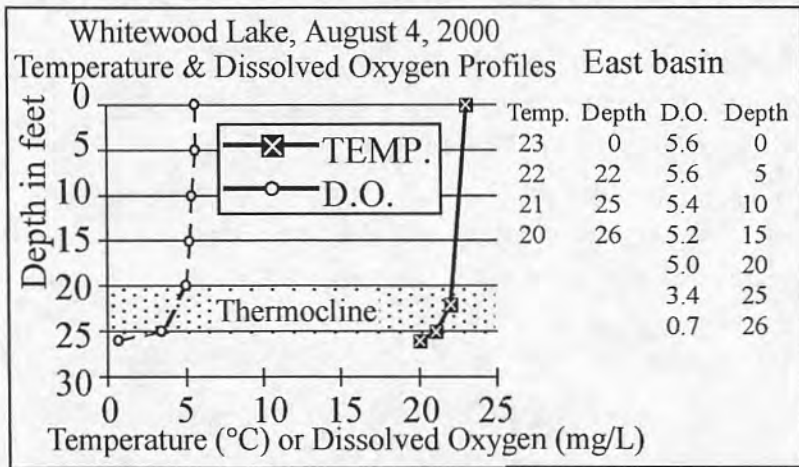
Since there was no stratification of layers of water in the lake, dissolved oxygen was also



uniformly mixed through the entire water column.

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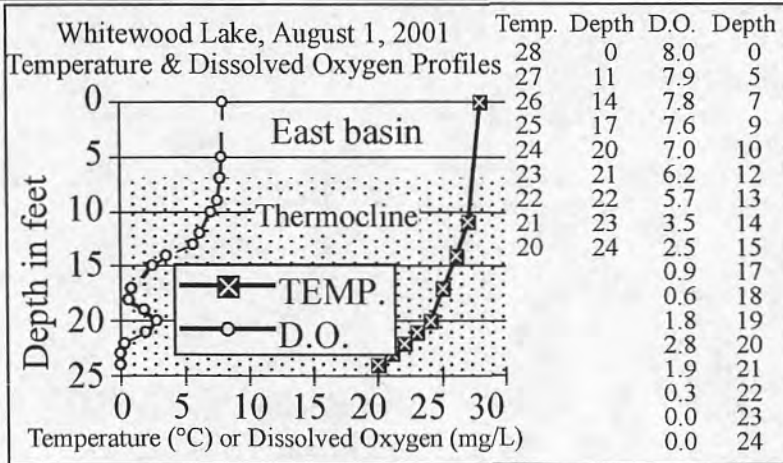
In late summer 1998 the east basin formed a ten-foot-thick thermocline from 15 to 25 feet. Above the thermocline, dissolved oxygen was plentiful. The



basin ran out of dissolved oxygen at 19 feet and that condition remained to the bottom. About 48 percent of the basin is deeper than 19 feet.

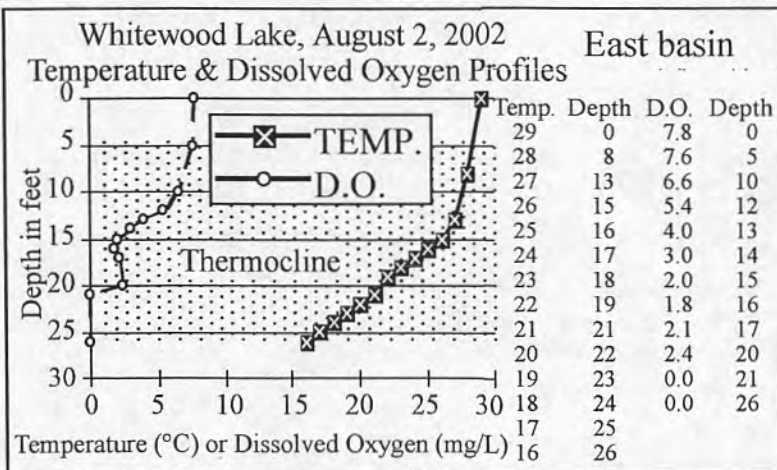
1999

In late summer 1999, no thermocline formed in the east basin. Temperature was essentially uniform top to bottom. Dissolved oxygen was plentiful above 10 feet. From that depth the dissolved oxygen concentration gradually decreased. It



was zero at 22 feet and that condition remained to the bottom. About 30 percent of the basin is deeper than 22 feet.

2000



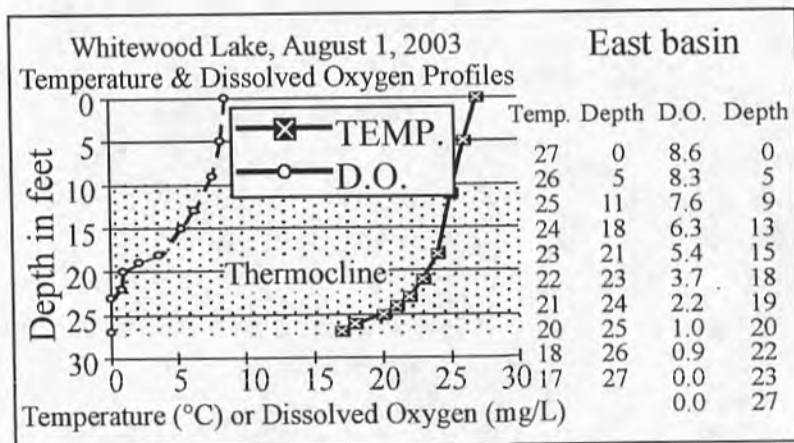
In late summer 2000, the east basin formed a

6-foot-thick thermocline from 20 to 26 feet (the bottom of the basin). The dissolved oxygen concentrations were low from the surface to 20 feet (less than 6 milligrams per liter). At 20 feet the dissolved oxygen concentration started to decrease. It reached 0.7 milligrams per liter at 26 feet, the bottom of the basin.

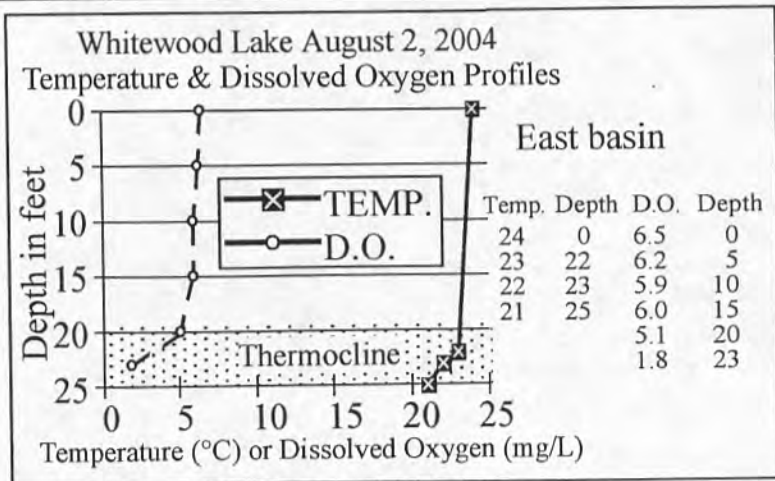
2001

In late summer 2001, the east basin formed a 16-foot-thick thermocline from 9 to 25 feet. In this case, dissolved oxygen concentration did a better job of defining the thermocline than did temperature. Dissolved oxygen was plentiful above 10 feet. From that depth the dissolved oxygen concentration gradually decreased to a low of 0.6 milligrams per liter at 18 feet. There was a small peak of dissolved oxygen at 20 feet, probably the result of an algal bloom which settled there. It was zero at 23 feet and that condition remained to the bottom. About 25 percent of the lake is deeper than 23 feet.

2002



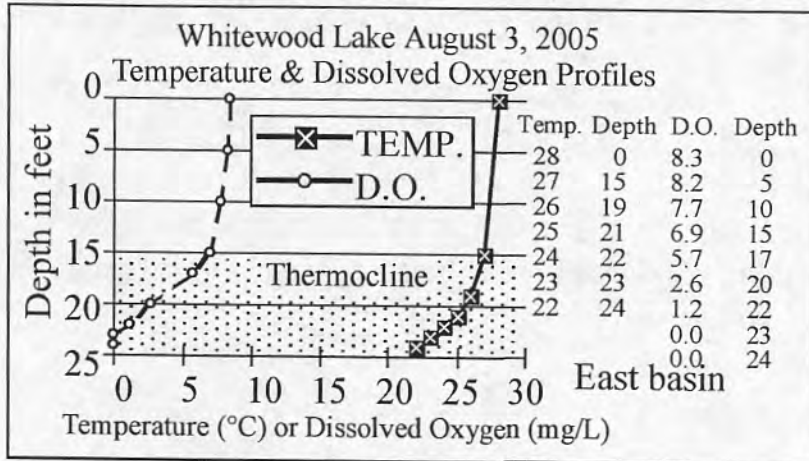
In late summer 2002, the east basin formed a 21-foot-thick thermocline from 5 to 26 feet. Dissolved oxygen concentration again did a better job of defining the thermocline than did temperature. Dissolved oxygen was plentiful above 10 feet. From that depth the dissolved oxygen concentration gradually decreased to a low of 1.8 milligrams per liter at 16 feet, then increased to 2.4 mg/L at 20 feet. Dissolved oxygen was



zero at 21 feet and that condition remained to the bottom.

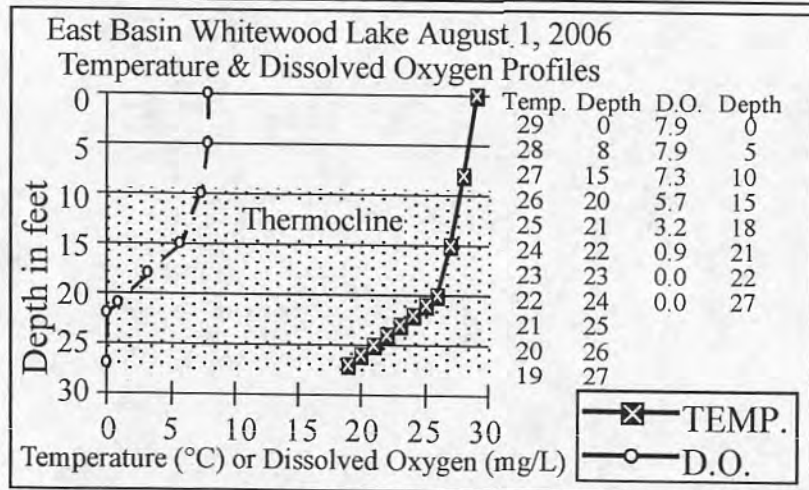
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In late summer 2003, the east basin formed a 17-foot-thick thermocline from 10 to 27 feet. Dissolved oxygen was plentiful above 10 feet. From that



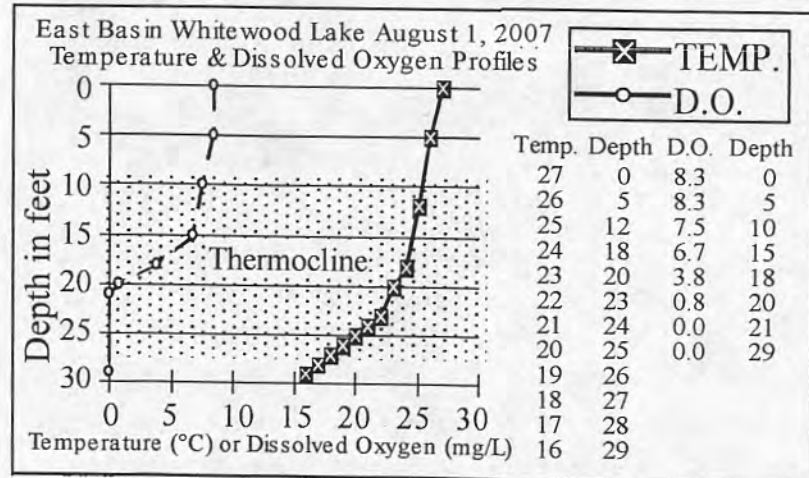
depth the dissolved oxygen concentration gradually decreased to zero at 23 feet and that condition remained to the bottom.

2004



In late summer 2004, the east basin formed a 5-foot-thick thermocline from 20 to 25 feet. Dissolved oxygen was low but adequate above 20 feet. From that depth the dissolved oxygen concentration gradually decreased to 1.8 mg/L at 23 feet.

2005



In late summer 2005 the east basin formed a 10-foot thick thermocline from 15 to 25 feet.

Dissolved oxygen was plentiful above 15 feet. This year the basin ran out of dissolved oxygen near the bottom, at 23 feet.

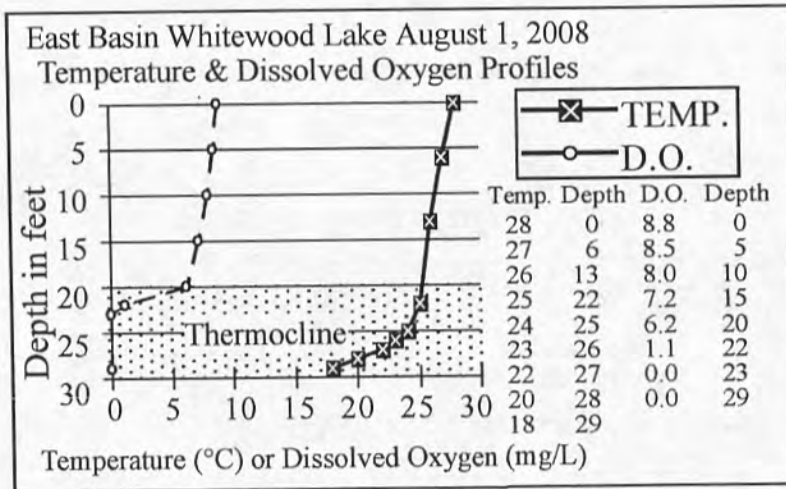
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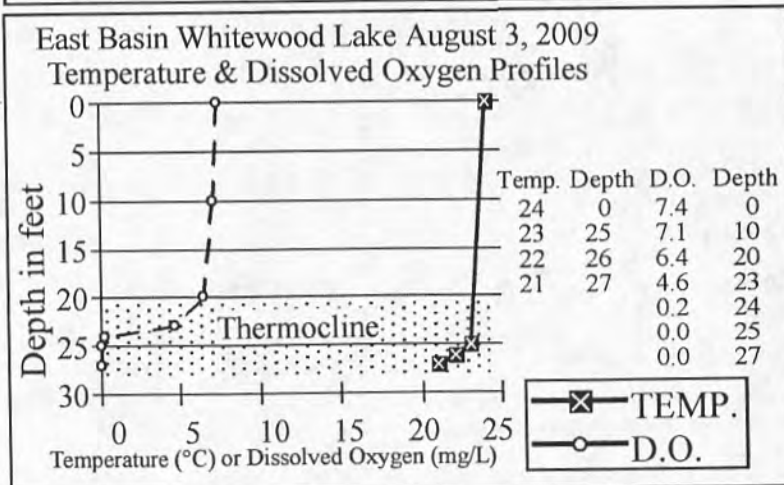
2007

In late summer 2007 the east basin formed an 18-foot thick thermocline from 10 to 28 feet. Dissolved oxygen was plentiful above 10 feet. This year the basin ran out of dissolved oxygen at 21 feet.

2008



In late summer 2008 the east basin formed an 8-foot thick thermocline from 20 to 28 feet. Dissolved oxygen was plentiful above 20 feet. This year the basin ran out of dissolved oxygen at 23 feet. About 25 percent of the east basin is deeper than 23 feet.

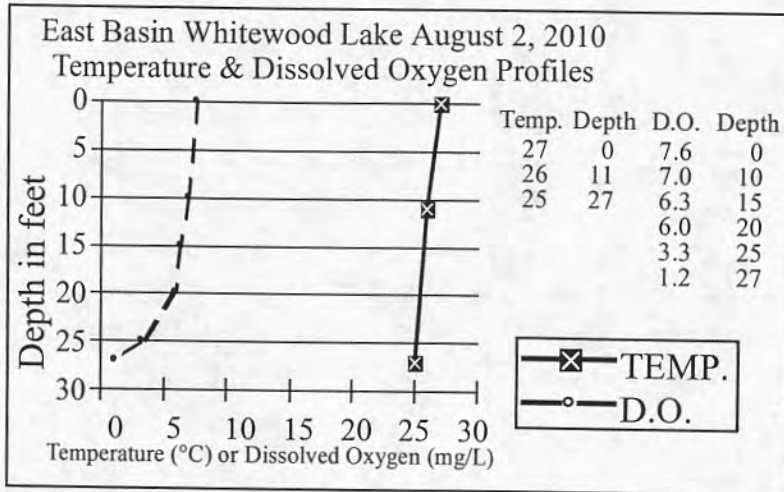


2009

In late summer 2009 the east basin formed a 7-foot thick thermocline from 20 to 27 feet. Dissolved oxygen was low but

adequate above 20 feet. This year the basin ran out of dissolved oxygen at 25 feet. About 12 percent of the east basin is deeper than 25 feet.

2010



In late summer 2010 the east basin temperature was 27 at the surface and 25 and the bottom, so a thermocline did not form. Dissolved oxygen was adequate to support fish life to 24 feet. This basin did not run out of dissolved oxygen at

any depth in 2010.

The data show this basin has unusually variable temperature and dissolved oxygen conditions, probably the result of the high flushing rate.

A NOTE ABOUT THE REMAINING GRAPHS

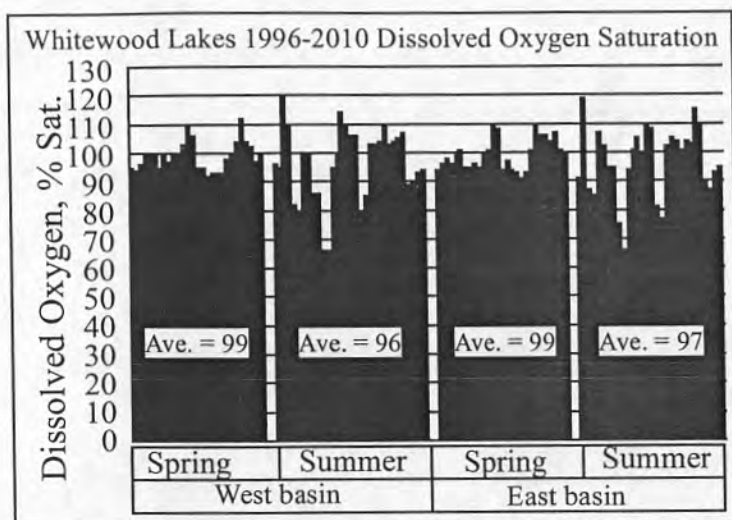
The graphs below are sorted first by spring and summer then by east and west basin, then by date. The purpose is to see if there are any differences in the spring and summer data between the two basins. Averages for each data set are also shown on the bars.

DISSOLVED OXYGEN, PERCENT SATURATION

Because the amount of dissolved oxygen a water can hold is temperature dependent, with cold water holding more than warm water, percent saturation is often a better way to determine if surface oxygen supplies are adequate. Best is near 100 percent.

The graph shows the saturation of dissolved oxygen is usually less than 100 percent, especially in summer, There are however, occasional higher values.

These data should indicate the lake does not have a lot of plants and algae, because plants and algae often create supersaturated conditions in lakes.

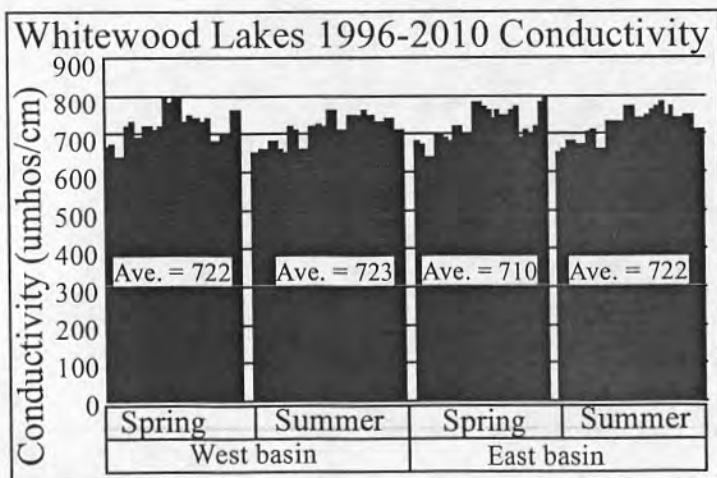


However the high flushing rate may be keeping these high dissolved oxygen concentrations in check. The graph does not show any large differences between the spring and summer data in either basin, although summer values vary more.

CONDUCTIVITY

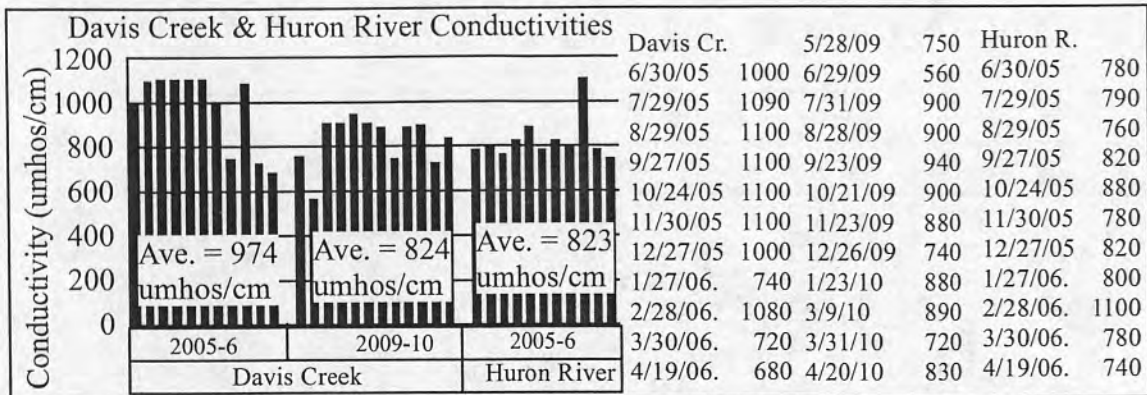
Conductivity, measured with a meter, detects the capacity of a water to conduct an electric current. More importantly however, it measures the amount of materials dissolved in the water (salts), since only dissolved materials will permit an electric current to flow. Theoretically, pure water will not conduct an electric current.

It is the perception of the experts that poor quality water has more dissolved materials than good quality water. I agree. Lower is usually better. The graph shows spring and summer conductivities ranged from 640 to 800 micromhos per centimeter, which is high for a Michigan inland lake.



The graph shows spring conductivities in both basins formed the same hump seen in both Base and Portage Lake conductivity data. However, the summer data in both basins do not show this same trend. They show steadily increasing conductivities, which are probably coming from

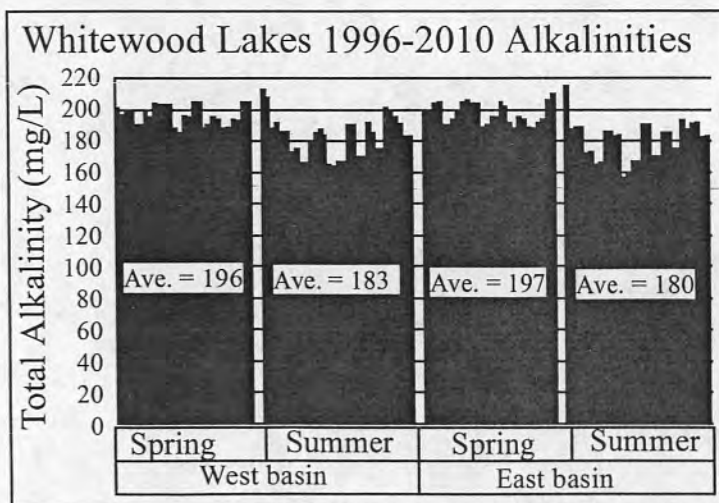
upstream sources.



The graph shows the conductivities of the 2005-6 Davis Creek samples were higher than Whitewood Lake, while the conductivities of the Huron River samples were about the same as Whitewood Lake. The 2009-10 Davis Creek conductivities were considerably lower than the 2005-6 conductivities, and about the same as the Huron River. This is a plus.

TOTAL ALKALINITY

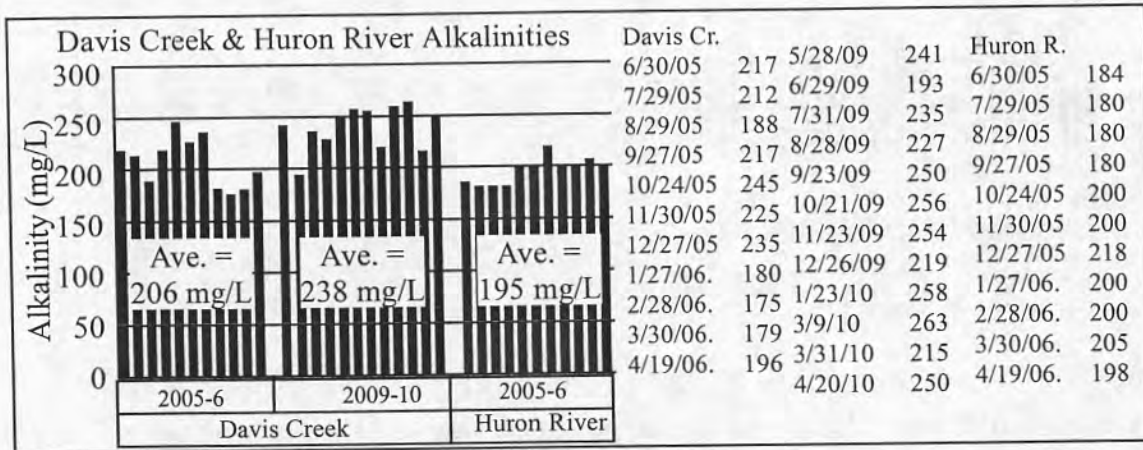
Alkalinity measures carbonates and bicarbonates in water. Soft water lakes have alkalinities below 75 milligrams per liter. Moderately hard water lakes have alkalinities between 75 and 150 milligrams per liter. Hard water lakes have alkalinities above 150 milligrams per liter.



The alkalinity of Whitewood Lake(s) ranges from 157 to 215 milligrams per liter. This indicates the lake is a hard water lake, not surprising given the Huron River flows through both basins. The graph shows summer alkalinities are lower than spring alkalinities, which is normal and expected.

The graph does not show any specific trend in either basin.

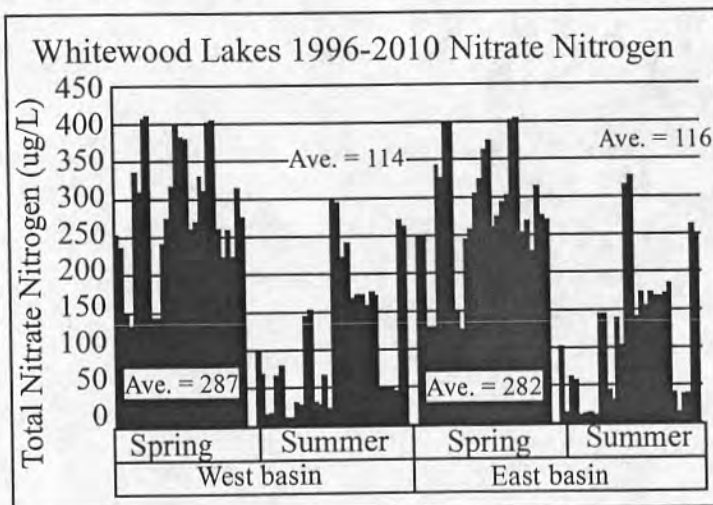
Hard water lakes are tougher than soft water lakes because they have the ability to precipitate some phosphorus to the bottom sediments as calcium phosphate. Soft water lakes lack this ability.



The alkalinities of the Davis Creek samples in the 2005-6 are slightly higher than the Huron River, and for some reason, the 2009-10 alkalinities in the Davis Creek samples are quite a bit higher than the Huron River. This is not a problem. It's just interesting because the alkalinity of a stream shouldn't change much as time passes. Huron River alkalinities are about the same as Whitewood Lake samples, not surprising given the Huron River flows through both basins.

NITRATE NITROGEN

Most Michigan inland lakes have spring nitrate nitrogen concentrations around 200 micrograms per liter (or parts per billion). Summer nitrate



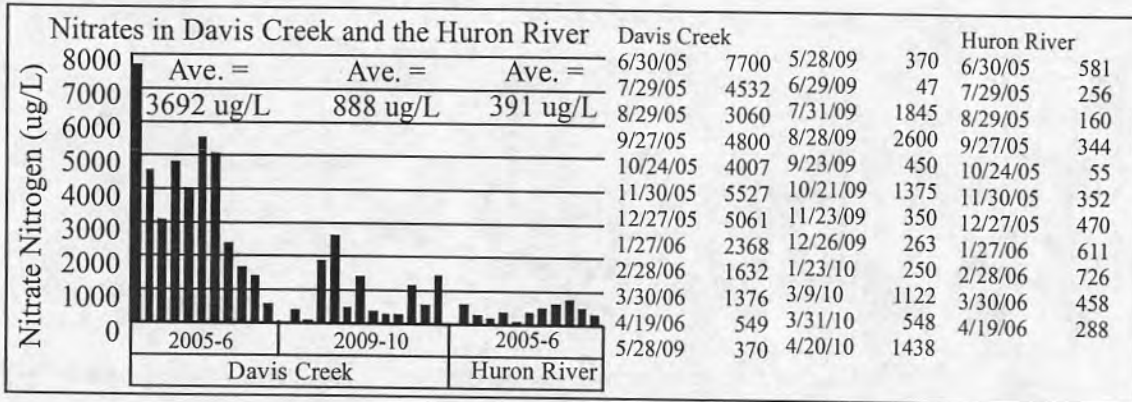
nitrogen concentrations are generally much lower, in the 10 to 40 micrograms per liter range.

The graph shows spring nitrate nitrogen concentrations are higher than summer nitrates, and range from 69 micrograms per liter to a

high of 410 micrograms per liter in both basins.

Summer values are variable; sometimes low (less than 100 ug/L) and sometimes higher than 300 ug/L. The amount of variation is unusual.

The graph seems to show nitrates are generally increasing in both basins in both spring and summer. That is not a plus.



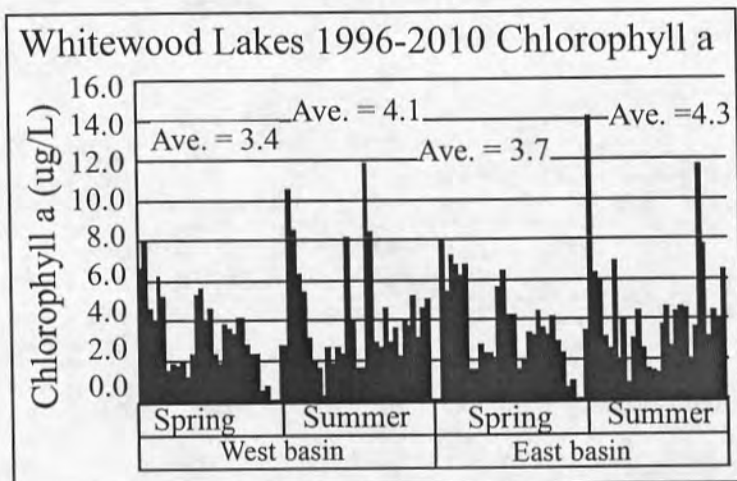
Good news here. The graph shows nitrate concentrations in the 2005-6 Davis Creek samples were about ten times higher than the Huron River samples, averaging 3692 ug/L. However the 2009-10 Davis Creek nitrates were considerably lower (average 888 ug/L). I suspect the source of these nitrates in Davis Creek is the Northfield Township sewage treatment plant. And the data indicates nitrates in the creek are lower by a factor of about 4, which is a real plus.

The DNR does not feel nitrates are a problem. In fact, they encourage nitrate production at sewage treatment plants.

I feel nitrates are a problem because although limiting the amount of phosphorus in the water may control algal communities in lakes, that is not the case with aquatic plants. Since aquatic plants have roots, and the bottom sediments of most lakes have plenty of phosphorus, the plants can get their phosphorus from the bottom sediments. Hence controlling phosphorus does little to limit aquatic plant growth. Therefore nitrogen needs to be controlled, because the aquatic plants get their nitrogen from the water, just like the algae do.

CHLOROPHYLL A

Chlorophyll a, reported in micrograms per liter (or parts per billion) generally gives an estimate of algal densities. Best is less than 1 microgram per liter.



The chlorophyll graph shows not a lot of difference between the spring and summer data of both basins. It shows chlorophyll concentrations are above 2 ug/L most of the time, and sometimes above 5 ug/L. Spring chlorophylls average 3.4 ug/L in the

west basin and 3.7 in the east basin. These are essentially the same. In summer west basin chlorophylls average 4.1 ug/L while the east basin chlorophylls average 4.3 ug/L. Again, these are essentially the same.

The graph does not show any specific trend in either basin in either spring or summer, although summer values appear to be higher than spring values, but just by a bit.

pH (Hydrogen ion concentration) (no graph)

Lakes with extensive plant communities often have high summer pH values (greater than 9) because the plants use the carbonates in the water as a carbon source. This causes a decrease in the buffering capacity of the water and allows the pH to increase.

The pH values of Whitewood Lake range from 7.4 to 8.4 which are normal for a lake with a river flowing through it.

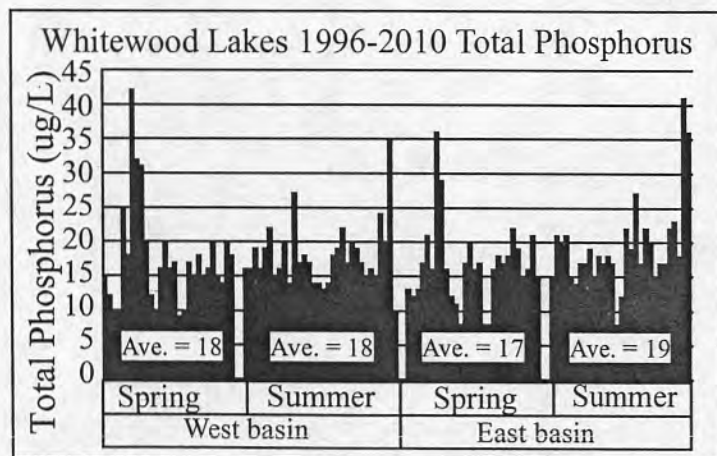
TOTAL PHOSPHORUS

Although there are several forms of phosphorus found in lakes, the experts selected total phosphorus as being most important. This is probably because

all forms of phosphorus can be converted to the other forms. Currently, most lake scientists feel phosphorus, which is measured in parts per billion (1 part per billion is one second in 31 years) or micrograms per liter (ug/L), is the one nutrient which might be controlled. If its addition to lake water could be limited, the lake might not become covered with the algal communities so often found in eutrophic lakes.

However, based on our studies of many Michigan inland lakes, we've found many lakes were phosphorus limited in spring (so don't add phosphorus) and nitrate limited in summer (so don't add nitrogen). 10 parts per billion is considered a low concentration of phosphorus in a lake and 50 parts per billion is considered a high value in a lake by many limnologists.

The total phosphorus graph shows Whitewood Lake had phosphorus concentrations ranging from 8 to 37 micrograms per liter. Best is below 10 micrograms per liter.



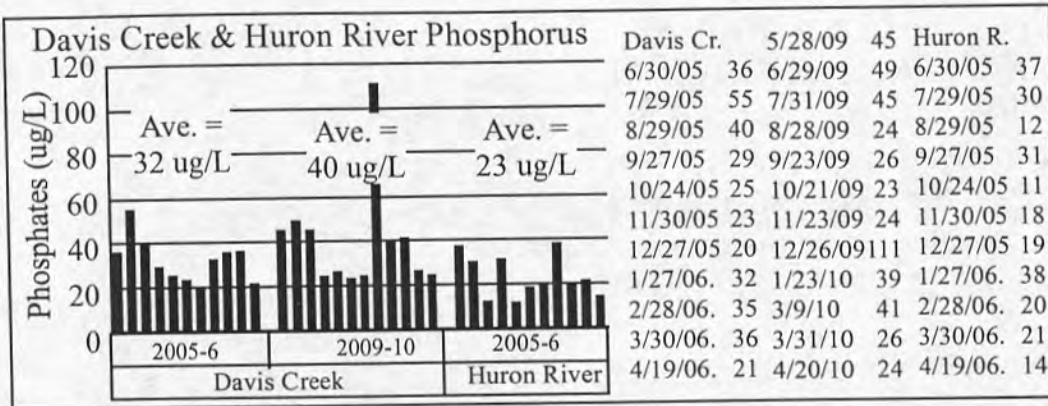
The graph shows there is not a lot of difference between the phosphorus concentrations of the two basins in either spring or summer.

The graph shows most of the time, phosphorus concentrations are less than 20 ug/l. Once they

start exceeding that value, if other nutrients are present in sufficient quantities, plants and algae will grow to nuisance levels.

More importantly, the graph does not show phosphorus is increasing in either spring or summer in either basin although 2010 summer phosphorus was high in the east basin, 37 and 42 ug/L.

The graph shows the 2005-6 Davis Creek average phosphorus concentration is 32 ug/L and the average 2009-10 Davis Creek phosphorus concentration is 40 ug/L (but that's influenced by a single high 111 ug/L value) while the average Huron River phosphorus concentration is 23 ug/L. Both are higher than the average Whitewood Lake phosphorus concentration of 18 ug/L.



During both sample periods, Davis Creek had a phosphorus concentration about 50 percent higher than the Huron River. That's not a plus for the lakes.

It is a real plus that the Portage, Base and Whitewood Board passed a resolution recommending no fertilizers, containing either phosphorus or nitrogen be used on lands within four hundred feet of the lakes, or from streams that feed the lakes. If residents heed this policy, the quality of their lakes should improve.

SECCHI DISK TRANSPARENCY (originally Secchi's disk)

In 1865, Angelo Secchi, the Pope's astronomer in Rome, Italy devised a 20 centimeter (8 inch) white disk for studying the transparency of the water in the Mediterranean Sea. Later an American limnologist (lake scientist) named Whipple divided the disk into black and white quadrants which many are familiar with today.

The Secchi disk transparency is a lake test widely used and accepted by limnologists. The experts generally felt the greater the Secchi disk depth, the better quality the water. However, one Canadian scientist pointed out acid lakes have very deep Secchi disk readings. Most lakes in southeast Michigan have Secchi disk transparencies of less than ten feet. On the other hand, Elizabeth Lake in Oakland County had 34 foot Secchi disk readings in summer 1996, evidently caused by a zebra mussel invasion a couple of years earlier.

Most limnology texts recommend the following: to take a Secchi disk transparency reading, lower the disk into the water on the shaded side of an

anchored boat to a point where it disappears. Then raise it to a point where it's visible. The average of these two readings is the Secchi disk transparency depth.

We do it slightly differently. We lower the disk on the shaded side of an anchored boat until the disk disappears, and note the depth, then report the depth to the next deepest foot. For example if the disk disappears at six and a half feet, we report the Secchi disk depth as 7 feet. The reason we do this is that some suggest using a water telescope (a device that works like an underwater mask and eliminates water roughness) to view the disk as it disappears. Since we don't use this device, we compensate for it by noting the slightly deeper depth.

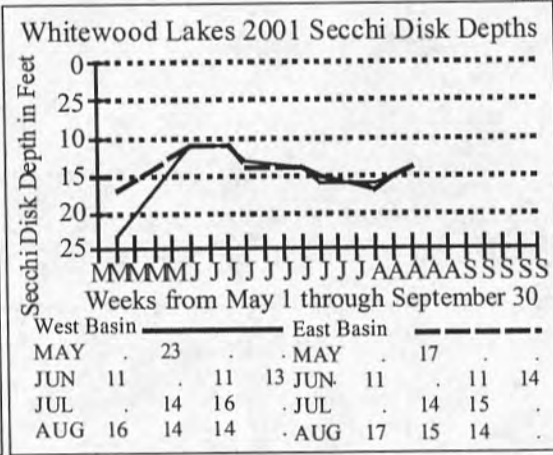
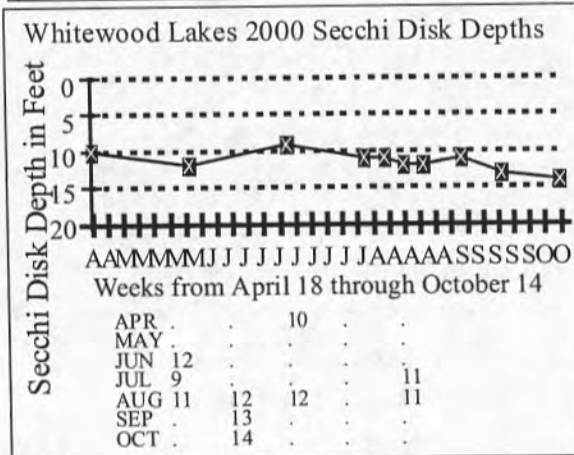
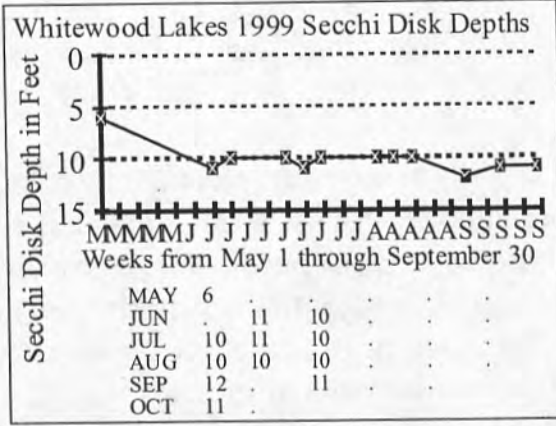
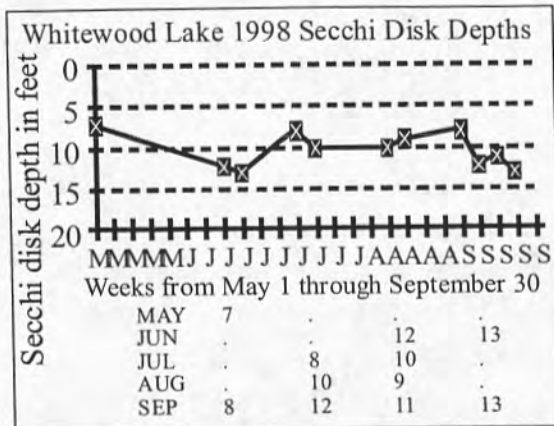
We feel it is only necessary to report Secchi disk measurements to the closest foot. Secchi disk measurements should be taken between 10 AM and 4 PM. Rough water will give slightly shallower readings than smooth water. Sunny days will give slightly deeper readings than cloudy days. However, roughness influences the visibility of the disk more than sunny or cloudy days. Furthermore, it's been reported that most adults can see the Secchi disk disappear at about the same depth, but grand-children see it disappear 3-4 feet deeper than grand-parents.

If there are sample sites where the lake is too shallow and the disk is visible when resting on the bottom, the reading should be taken at a nearby deeper site. Since the sampling procedure is designed to obtain "representative samples" moving the boat to an area where a Secchi disk transparency reading can be properly taken is appropriate. In the case of Secchi disk readings, this procedure is more valid than reporting the disk is visible on the lake bottom.

WHITEWOOD LAKES SECCHI DISK DATA

1998

The graph of 1998 Secchi disk data shows 7 foot readings in early May increasing to 14 feet the end of June, then decreasing to between 8 and 12 feet through the summer, ending up at 13 feet the end of September.



1999

The graph of 1999 Secchi disk data shows 6 feet in early May, increasing to 10 to 12 feet the remainder of the warm months. In other words after an initial shallow reading, the clarity of the lakes hardly changed when the water was warm.

2000

The graph shows the clarity of the water was in the 10 to 12 foot range for most of the summer, increasing to 14 feet in October.

2001

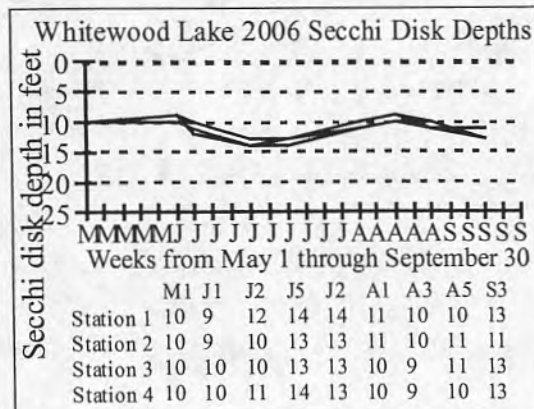
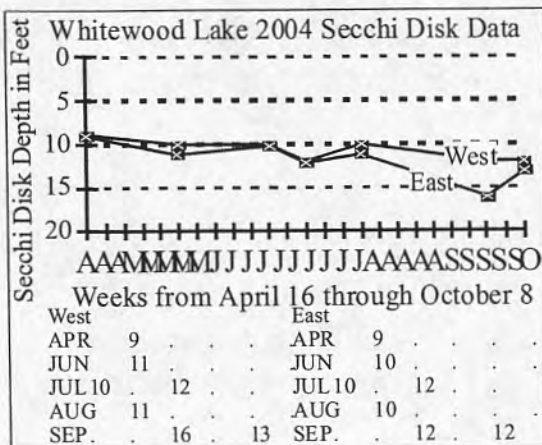
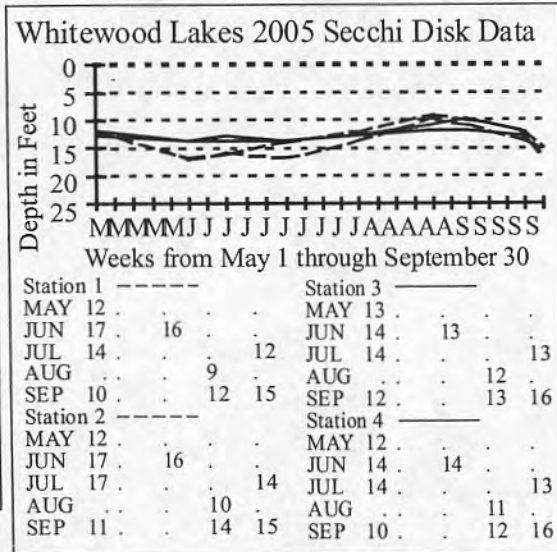
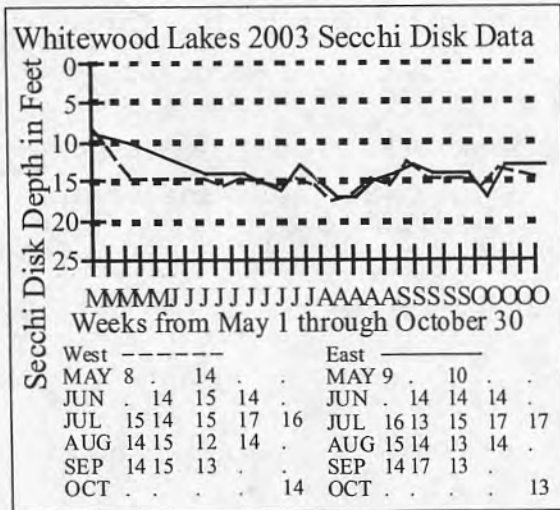
Jerry and Stacy Porman did a good job taking Secchi disk readings in both basins of Whitewood Lake in 2001. The graph shows their data.

The graph shows in May, the clarity of the west basin was better (23 feet) than the east basin (17 feet). After that, the Secchi disk readings in both basins were similar. The graph shows Secchi disk readings are shallowest in June, about 11 feet. From that point on, they gradually increased to 14 to 17 feet in July and August.

2003

Jerry and Stacy Porman collected Secchi disk data in 2003 from both basins. The graph shows their data from both basins, stacked.

The graph shows little change in water clarity between spring when the water is cold, and summer when it is warm. This is probably due to the high flushing rate.



2004

Jerry and Stacy Porman again collected Secchi disk data in 2004 in both basins of Whitewood Lake. The graph shows their data.

The graph shows three things. First, there is not a lot of difference between the clarity of the water in east and west basins, two; the clarity didn't change much between spring and summer, and three, in late summer the east basin was a bit clearer than the west basin.

2005

The Pormans collected Whitewood Lake Secchi disk data at all four stations in 2005. The graph shows the four data sets, stacked. The west basin data are represented by dashes, and the east basin data are represented by solid lines.

The graph shows the west basin had slightly deeper readings than the east basin in June and July, and slightly shallower readings in August. But all in all, the graph shows the clarity doesn't change much between spring and summer in either basin.

2006

The Pormans collected 2006 Secchi disk data at all four stations on a regular basis through the warm months.

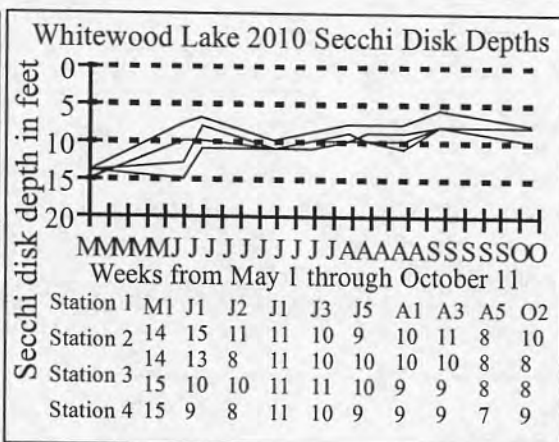
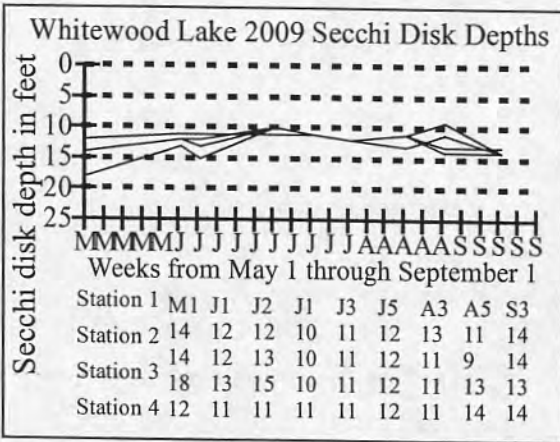
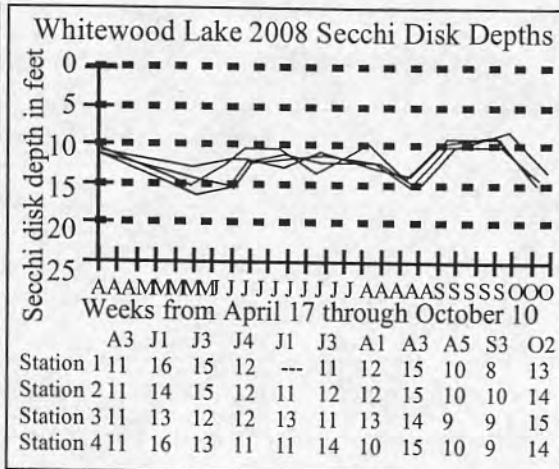
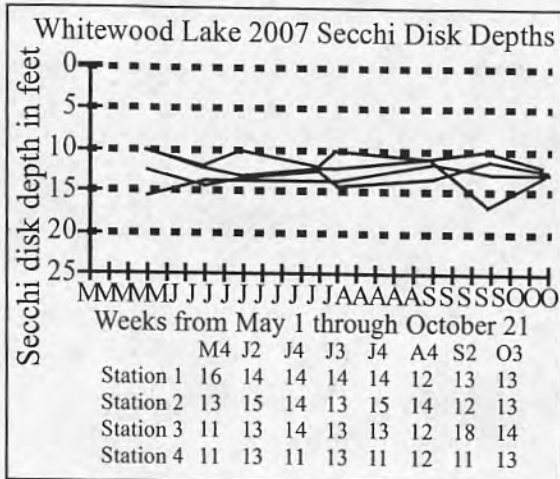
The graph shows little difference between the four stations. It also shows little variation between spring, when the water is cold, and summer when the water is warm.

2007

Porman's 2007 data shows more variation between the four stations this year. However, the graph is essentially a straight line, indicating the clarity of the lake didn't change much as the water warmed from spring to summer.

2008

Porman's 2008 data shows little variation between the four stations this year.



And the lines on the graph are essentially a straight line, indicating the clarity of the lake didn't change much as the water warmed from spring to summer. This is probably because of the high flushing rate.

2009

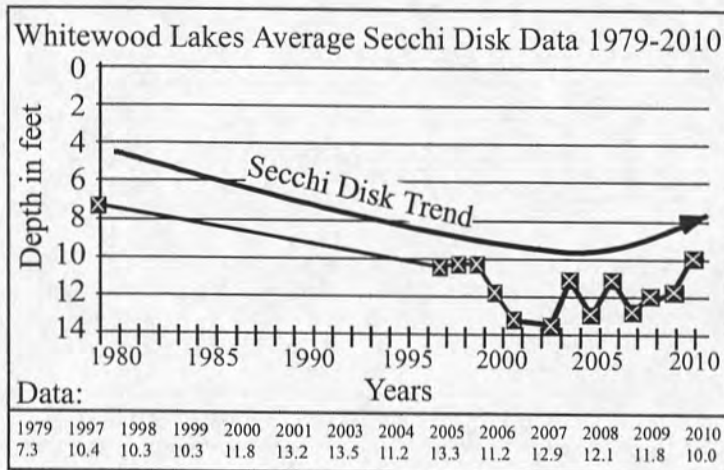
Porman's 2009 data shows the variation between the four stations ranged from 10 to 18 feet, but were mostly in the 10 to 15 foot range.

The lines on the graph are essentially a straight line, indicating the clarity of the lake didn't change much as the water warmed from spring to summer.

2010

The 2010 data for all four stations shows deepest readings in early spring, 14 and 15 feet, decreasing in June to 7 to 11 feet. The remainder of the warm months readings were in the 7 to 11 foot range.

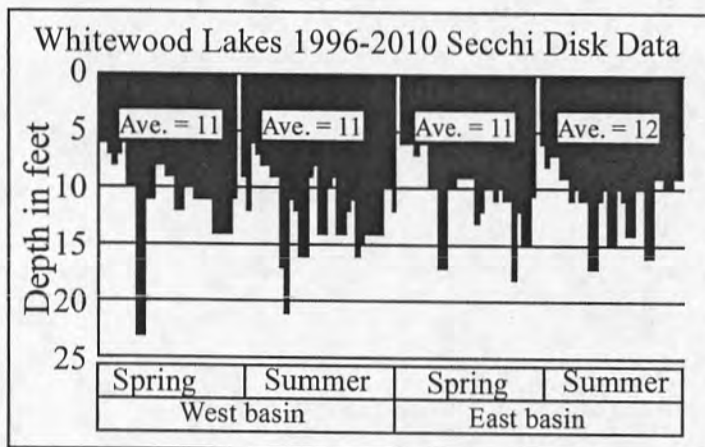
THE SECCHI DISK TREND GRAPH



Since we have average Secchi disk data from 1979, plus 1997 through 2010, we were able to construct a Secchi disk trend graph. The graph shows Whitewood Lake was getting clearer through 2003. Since then, the clarity has gradually decreased. Let's hope this trend doesn't continue.

It would be better if we had more data from the 1980s and early 1990s.

SECCHI DISK READINGS TAKEN WITH THE SAMPLES



The graph shows the Secchi disk readings taken with the spring and summer samples. It shows the clarity of the water in the west basin is getting better in both spring and summer. In the east basin that appears to be true in spring but not in summer.

The graph shows the west basin had the deepest readings, 23 feet in spring. The graph also shows the average Secchi disk readings for both basins is about the same, 11 or 12 feet.

THE LAKE WATER QUALITY INDEX

The Lake Water Quality Index used in this study to define the water quality of Whitewood Lake was developed for two reasons. First, there was no agreement among lake scientists regarding which tests should be used to

define the water quality of lakes, and second, there was no agreement among lake scientists regarding what the results of various tests meant in terms of lake water quality.

Development of the index used two questionnaires sent to a panel of 555 lake scientists who were members of the American Society of Limnology and Oceanography. The panel was specifically selected because they were chemists and biologists with advanced degrees who studied lake water quality.

The first questionnaire asked the scientists to select tests they felt should be used to define lake water quality. The tests most often selected by the panel became the index parameters (or tests). They were:

Dissolved oxygen (percent saturation)

Total phosphorus

Chlorophyll a

Secchi disk depth

Total nitrate nitrogen

Total alkalinity

Temperature

Conductivity

pH

The second questionnaire, sent out after the first was returned, asked the scientists what the results of the tests they selected as good indicators of lake water quality meant.

After the responses to the second questionnaire were returned and tabulated, the nine parameters and the accompanying rating curves were combined into a Lake Water Quality Index.

The index ranges from 1 to 100 and rates lakes about the same way professors rate students: 90-100=A, 80-90=B, 70-80=C, 60-70=D, and below 60 = E. The lake with the highest LWQI was Long Lake in Grand Traverse County, with a spring LWQI of 100. The lowest was 16 at an Ottawa County lake.

THE LAKE WATER QUALITY INDEX CALCULATION SHEETS

The Lake Water Quality Index calculation sheets which follow were developed to show graphically what the results of the nine different lake water quality tests mean in terms of lake water quality.

HOW TO READ THE LAKE WATER QUALITY INDEX CALCULATION SHEETS.

Listed across the top of the calculation sheets are the tests selected by the panel of experts as being good indicators of lake water quality. The results of the tests are entered into the square boxes immediately under the names of the tests.

The figures which look like thermometers are actually graphs which convert the test results (the numbers found outside the thermometer) to a uniform 1-100 lake water quality rating (found inside the thermometer).

The calculation sheet permits calculation of the Lake Water Quality Index, using the results of all nine lake water quality tests.

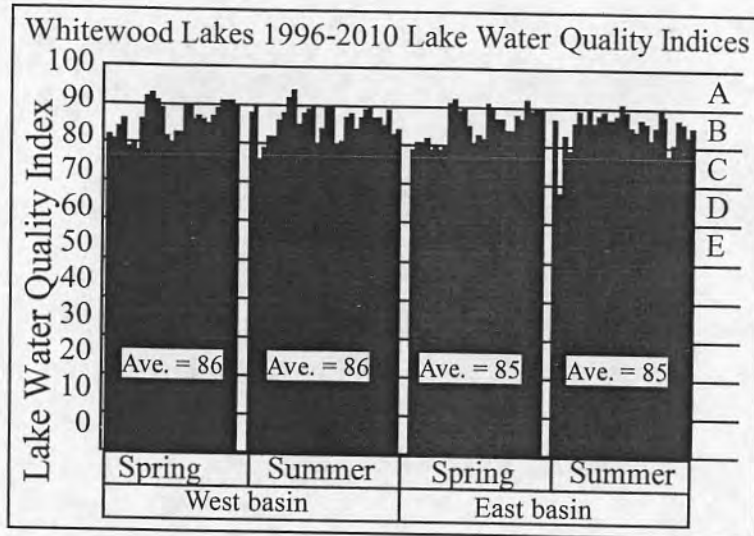
The position of the red lines across the thermometer indicates how the results of each test compare in terms of lake water quality. Test results indicating excellent water quality are indicated by red lines near the top of the thermometer. Test results indicating poor water quality are indicated by red lines lower on the thermometer. And the lower the red line on the thermometer, the greater the water quality problem. A glance at the top of the calculation sheet indicates the test and the actual test results.

The thermometer rating scales also allow you to determine what test results would be considered excellent in terms of lake water quality. They are the numbers found outside the thermometer near the top.

The index is shown three different ways, as a number between 1 and 100 in the circle marked LWQI, and by a color and position on the sheet edge scale. The purpose of the sheet edge scale is to review quickly large numbers of lakes or test sites within a lake, and determine how the water quality of the various lakes, or test sites within a lake compare.

THE 1996-2010 WHITEWOOD LAKES WATER QUALITY INDICES

The graph shows the Lake Water Quality Indices for Whitewood Lake ranges from a low of 68 to a high of 94. It shows most of the time the Lake Water Quality Indices are in the 80s, or B range with a few in the 90s (A range).



The graph also seems to show spring values are lower than summer values in both basins, but not by a lot. On the other hand, the average LWQIs for the four stations are 85 or 86, indicating not a lot of difference.

THE LAKE WATER QUALITY INDEX

CALCULATION SHEETS

Because the Lake Water Quality Indices were relatively uniform in both basins in spring 2010 (91 90 90 90), one Lake Water Quality Index calculation sheet is included in this report for those four surface samples, using averaged data.

In summer 2010, the Lake Water Quality Indices in both basins were relatively uniform, (83 84 83 81) so an additional LWQI calculation sheet is included, using averaged data.

In the report marked MASTER, all 8 of the 2010 Lake Water Quality Index calculation sheets are included. That is the only difference between the MASTER and the rest of the reports.

BOTTOM SEDIMENTS

Many times bottom sediments tell us more about what is happening in a lake than the water quality tests do. That's because bottom sediments provide sort of a history of what's been happening in a lake, while water testing just provides a snapshot.

Bottom sediments are collected with a Pederson dredge, transferred to pint freezer containers and allowed to air dry. Once they are dry, the (usually) shrunken block of material is measured to determine volume, then ground, placed in porcelain dishes, dried at 100 degrees C, weighed, burned at 550

degrees C, and weighed again. Color after air-drying and after burning is also noted.

Bottom sediments almost always come up from the lake bottom black, and many people consider these black sediments "muck". However that's not usually the case.

The bottom sediments are black because no oxygen penetrates them, so the decomposition processes which occur use sulfur rather than oxygen, and in this process, they produce iron sulfides, which are black. However once the sediments are exposed to air, they usually turn some other color.

If the sediments remain black after air drying it usually means they are less than about 65 percent mineral (or more than 35% organic material). Sediments also remain black if they are from soft water lakes, but there's a reason for that.

If the sediments turn gray after air drying it usually means they are made up primarily of carbonates. This is what we usually see in moderately hard water and hard water lakes.

If the sediments turn tan, it usually means they are made up primarily of clays. Further evidence of this occurs when we burn the sediments at 550 degrees C.

We determine how much bottom sediments shrink when they air dry because this information is useful when considering dredging a lake. Normal shrinkage after air-drying is in the range of 50 to 80 percent. However sands and gravels don't shrink at all. Excessive shrinkage is more than 95 percent. In other words, there is only five percent or less of the material remaining after air-drying.

If the gray bottom sediments remain gray after burning they are considered carbonates, and the loss of material during this process is considered organic material. The results are expressed in the percentage of minerals in the bottom sediments.

If the tan bottom sediments turn red after burning, it means the lake is filling with clay. Clay enters the lake from near-lake activities such as road

building, home building or farming. Usually clay is not a material that makes up the bottom sediments of most inland lakes.

Highly organic sediments that remained black after air drying usually turn tan after burning, but the mineral content is usually quite low.

I consider high quality bottom sediments from natural lakes to be above 85 percent mineral. And I consider bottom sediments less than 50 percent mineral to be muck.

WHITEWOOD LAKE BOTTOM SEDIMENTS

Three bottom sediment samples (Stations 1, 2 & 3) were collected from Whitewood Lake in 1996. Four were collected from the lake in 2005. The graph shows the data.

STATION 1

In 1996 the sediment sample from Station 1 collected in 50 feet of water was black when recovered, turned gray and shrunk 68 percent after air drying. It remained gray after burning at 550 degrees C, and was 83 percent mineral.

In 2005 the sediment sample from Station 1 collected in 50 feet of water was black when recovered, turned gray and shrunk 68 percent after air-drying. It remained gray after burning at 550 degrees C, and was 74 percent mineral.

STATION 2

In 1996 the sediment sample from Station 2 collected in 31 feet of water was black when recovered, turned gray and shrunk 65 percent after air-drying. It remained gray after burning at 550 degrees C, and was 82 percent mineral.

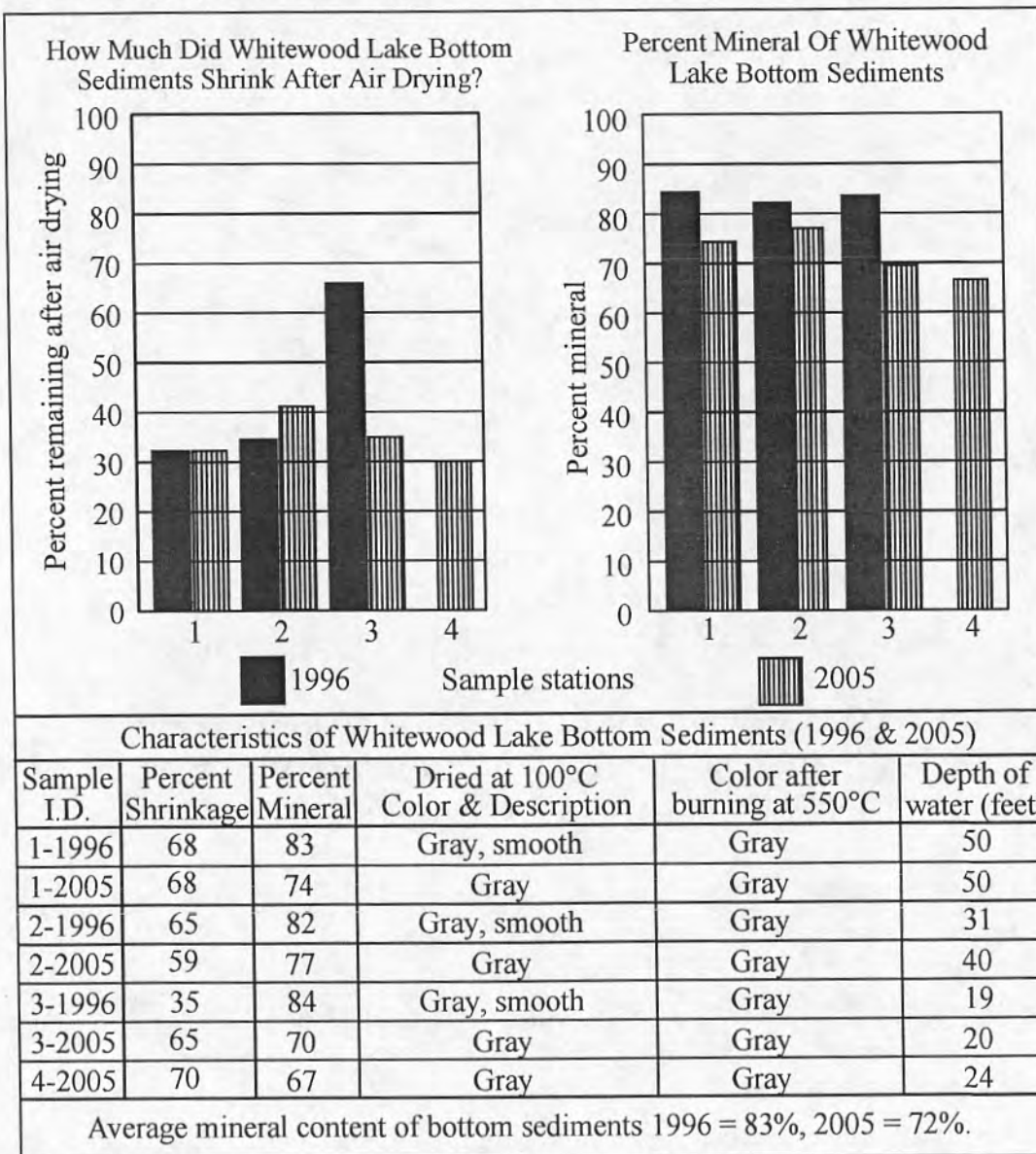
In 2005 the sediment sample from Station 2 collected in 40 feet of water was black when recovered, turned gray and shrunk 59 percent after air-drying. It remained gray after burning at 550 degrees C, and was 77 percent mineral.

STATION 3

In 1996 the sediment sample from Station 3 collected in 19 feet of water was black when recovered, turned gray and shrunk 35 percent after air-drying. It

remained gray after burning at 550 degrees C, and was 84 percent mineral.

In 2005 the sediment sample from Station 3 collected in 20 feet of water was black when recovered, turned gray and shrunk 65 percent after air-drying. It remained gray after burning at 550 degrees C, and was 70 percent mineral.



STATION 4

A bottom sediment sample was not collected from Station 4 in 1996

In 2005 the sediment sample from Station 4 collected in 24 feet of water was black when recovered, turned gray and shrunk 70 percent after air-drying. It

remained gray after burning at 550 degrees C, and was 67 percent mineral.

All of the samples shrunk a normal amount, indicating the bottom sediments of Whitewood Lake are fairly well consolidated, and not easily mixed into the water column by wind and wave, or boat action.

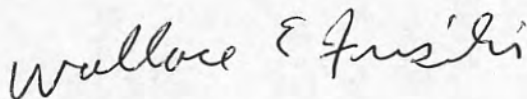
All sediments turned gray after air drying, indicating they are primarily carbonates and bicarbonates. This is not surprising given the high alkalinity of the lake. Carbonates are what Michigan inland lakes are normally filling with.

After burning at 550 degrees C, all sediment samples remained gray. If they had turned red, it would have indicated clay was being washed into the lake from near-shore activities such as home building or road building activities.

The three 1996 bottom sediment samples ranged from 82 to 84 percent mineral, and averaged 83 percent mineral.

The four 2005 bottom sediment samples ranged from 67 to 77 percent mineral, and averaged 72 percent mineral.

These data indicate Whitewood Lake is continuing to accumulate organic material in the bottom sediments at a rate faster than it can decompose it.



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Surface Lake Water Quality Data

Date	Sample Station Number	Temperature °C	Dissolved Oxygen		Chlorophyll a ug/L	Secchi Disk Depth (feet)	Total Nitrate Nitrogen ug/L	Alkalinity mg/L	pH	Conductivity umhos per cm at 25°C	Total Phosphorus ug/L	Lake Water Quality Index	Grade
			(mg/L)	Percent Saturation									
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8/7/96	1	27	9.6	120	10.5	6	15	188	8.3	660	19	76	C
8/7/96	2	27	8.7	109	8.5	7	17	192	8.3	660	16	79	C
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4/28/03	1	15	11.3	110	5.3	8	317	188	8.3	800	16	82	B
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8/1/03	4	27	8.6	108	1.3	15	326	167	8.3	770	12	89	B

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			(mg/L)	Percent Saturation									
4/16/04	1	11	10.6	95	3.9	9	381	196	8.2	800	16	83	B
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8/2/04	4	24	6.5	77	4.6	11	172	190	8.0	740	19	84	B
4/18/05	1	15	9.4	92	2.3	12	260	205	8.1	730	9	90	A
4/18/05	2	16	9.3	93	1.8	12	269	205	8.1	750	10	90	A
4/18/05	3	16	9.4	94	1.5	13	260	205	8.2	740	8	91	A
4/18/05	4	16	9.3	93	2.0	12	273	202	8.1	760	8	90	A
8/3/05	1	28	8.1	103	2.9	14	168	170	8.1	750	22	87	B
8/3/05	2	28	8.1	103	2.6	14	172	170	8.1	750	17	88	B
8/3/05	3	28	8.0	102	2.6	14	155	170	8.1	750	27	87	B
8/3/05	4	28	8.3	105	4.3	14	172	170	8.1	760	17	86	B
4/19/06	1	14	9.7	93	3.8	10	329	188	8.1	740	17	86	B
4/19/06	2	14	9.7	93	3.6	10	311	190	8.0	740	15	87	B
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4/20/10	4	14	10.4	100	0.9	15	269	210	8.2	800	15	90	A
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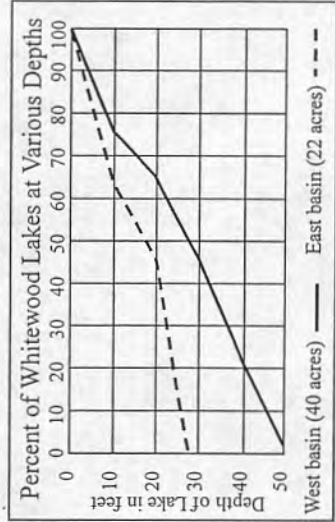
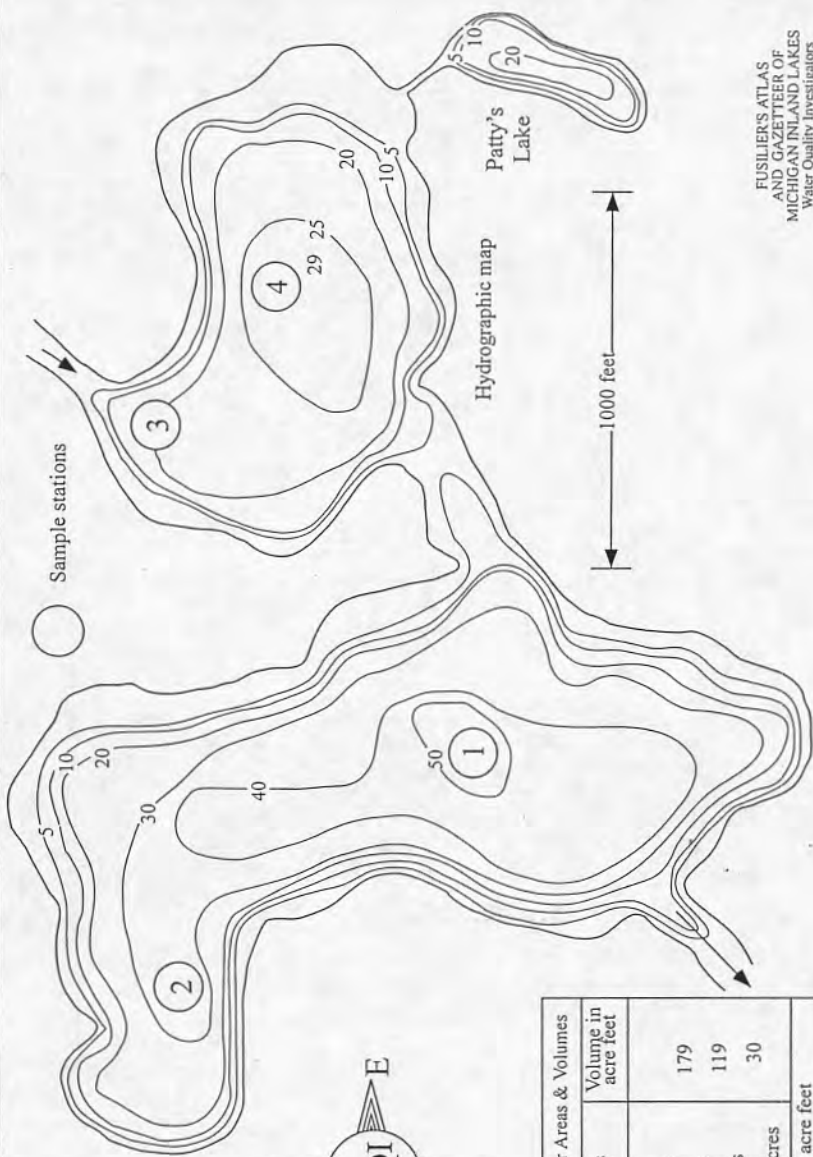
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			(mg/L)	Percent Saturation									
8/28/99	Patty's	25	7.8	93	1.7	11	68	150	8.1	595	17	92	A
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8/4/00	Patty's	25	8.1	95	2.9	8	13	185	8.0	550	13	89	B
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8/2/02	Patty's	26	8.6	105	2.2	8	47	140	8.4	680	5	89	B
4/28/03	Patty's	18	9.7	102	1.2	9	69	167	8.1	700	16	90	A
8/1/03	Patty's	26	8.6	105	2.7	8	47	140	8.4	680	5	89	B
4/16/04	Patty's	13	10.3	97	4.6	7	26	180	8.2	680	11	85	B
8/2/04	Patty's	27	6.2	78	2.6	7	32	201	8.0	630	23	84	B
4/18/05	Patty's	18	8.8	93	4.1	7	53	202	8.1	620	15	86	B
8/3/05	Patty's	29	7.9	99	3.1	8	31	158	8.1	620	27	84	B
4/19/06	Patty's	16	10.2	102	13.8	8	68	172	8.1	780	15	79	C
8/1/06	Patty's	29	7.8	100	2.4	8	16	178	8.4	570	16	87	B
4/21/07	Patty's	16	11.4	114	10.4	6	41	204	8.2	600	27	78	C
8/1/07	Patty's	27	8.0	100	2.5	9	48	166	8.3	570	24	88	B
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4/20/10	Davis Cr.	---	---	---	---	---	1438	250	8.2	830	24	---	---

TABLE OF LAKE DATA

Lake Name Whitewood Lake
 or Whitford Lake
 County Livingston
 U.S.G.S. Map Hamburg
 and Pinkney
 Type of lake Natural, kettle
 River basin Huron
 Lake area (acres) 62
 East basin 22
 West basin 40
 Maximum depth (feet) 29
 East basin 50
 Mean depth (feet) 14.9
 East basin 26.0
 West basin 13.69
 Lake volume (acre feet) 328
 East basin 1041
 West basin 12299
 Shoreline length (feet) 243138
 Watershed area (acres) 243200
 Drainage area (acres) 3922
 Watershed to lake ratio 0.007 years
 Flushing rate 851
 Elevation 2966
 Longest dimension (feet) 88 90 87
 Lake Water Quality Indices
 Spring 1996 76 79 68
 Summer 1996 82 81 79 81
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 Summer 2010 83 84 83 81

Bottom Sediments, % mineral
 1996 83 82 84 67
 2005 74 77 70 67
 Latitude 42° 26.004'N
 Longitude 83° 52.601'W
 Official Lake Monitors Jerry & Stacy Porman

Whitewood Lakes Contour Areas & Volumes	
Area of various contours	Volume in acre feet
East Basin	179
Surface area = 22 acres	
10 foot = 13.821 acres	119
20 foot = 9.992 acres	30
25-29 foot = 2.123 acres	
Basin volume = 328 acre feet	
West Basin	
Surface area = 40 acres	351
10 foot = 30.268 acres	282
20 foot = 26.154 acres	224
30 foot = 18.587 acres	136
40 foot = 8.592 acres	48
50 foot = 1.042 acres	
Basin volume = 1041 acre feet	
Lake volume = 1369 acre feet	

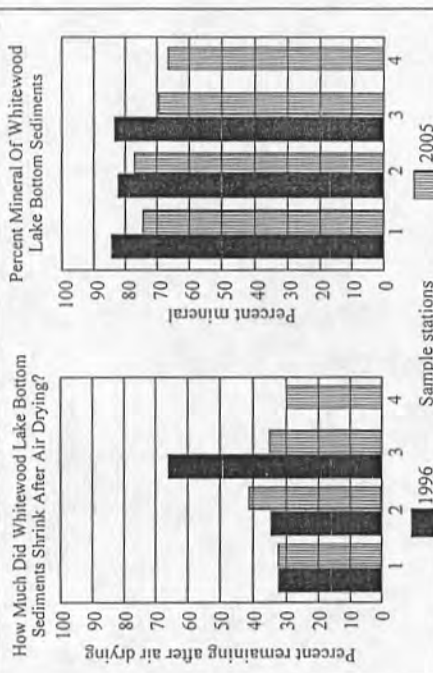


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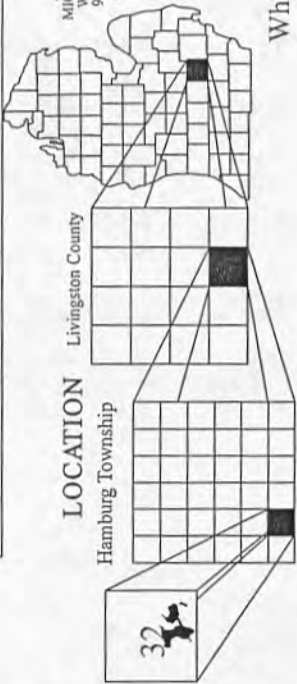
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6/9/96	1	21	8.6	96	2.7	9	96	213	8.2	650	16	88	B
6/9/96	2	21	8.7	95	2.7	12	69	208	8.2	650	16	88	B
6/23/96	1	21	9.6	101	3.4	6	101	215	8.2	650	15	87	A
6/23/96	2	21	9.6	120	10.5	6	115	188	8.3	660	16	79	B
8/7/96	1	27	8.7	109	8.5	7	137	192	8.3	660	16	68	C
8/7/96	2	27	9.5	119	14.1	8	13	187	8.3	660	21	82	D
5/12/97	1	13	10.1	95	6.6	6	252	201	8.2	670	12	81	B
5/12/97	2	12	10.2	94	7.9	6	236	197	8.2	680	13	79	B
5/12/97	3	12	10.2	94	7.9	6	247	198	8.2	680	13	81	B
5/12/97	4	13	10.2	96	5.4	6	247	200	8.2	670	12	81	B
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8/25/97	2	22	7.0	80	5.4	8	79	186	8.2	680	22	82	B
8/25/97	3	21	7.8	87	6.3	7	61	189	8.2	680	20	83	B
8/25/97	4	22	7.5	85	6.0	7	57	189	8.2	680	21	79	B
4/19/98	1	13	10.5	96	4.6	7	149	200	8.3	640	10	84	B
4/19/98	2	13	10.5	99	4.0	8	132	200	8.3	640	10	86	B
4/19/98	3	13	10.4	98	4.2	5	127	205	8.3	640	17	88	B
4/19/98	4	13	10.2	106	9.7	9	117	173	8.3	660	15	82	B
8/10/98	1	26	8.2	100	1.9	0	10	175	8.5	650	16	88	B
8/10/98	2	25	8.2	107	3.1	9	10	172	8.5	670	15	86	B
8/10/98	3	26	8.4	102	2.5	9	12	175	8.5	670	14	89	B
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4/25/99	3	13	10.5	99	6.2	6	325	190	8.3	700	21	80	B
4/25/99	4	14	10.5	101	6.7	6	29	166	7.9	720	20	92	A
8/28/99	1	24	7.3	86	1.6	17	27	166	7.9	720	20	94	A
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8/28/99	3	24	10.9	95	1.9	10	41	168	8.0	690	30	78	B
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4/13/00	2	11	10.6	95	1.5	10	396	194	8.3	690	36	79	B
4/13/00	3	11	10.6	95	1.5	10	144	180	8.0	660	29	80	B
8/4/00	1	24	5.6	66	2.6	11	144	180	8.0	660	27	85	B
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4/15/02	3	14	10.5	101	2.1	10	257	204	8.2	695	8	90	A
4/15/02	4	14	10.5	114	8.1	9	66	165	7.5	725	14	84	B
8/2/02	1	29	8.9	110	4.0	8	22	164	7.6	720	14	84	B
8/2/02	2	29	8.6	110	4.0	8	22	164	7.6	720	14	84	B
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8/2/02	4	29	7.8	100	1.5	10	102	158	7.4	730	17	88	B
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4/28/03	2	15	10.8	106	5.6	9	396	185	8.3	800	20	80	B
4/28/03	3	16	10.9	109	5.6	9	305	189	8.3	780	17	85	B
8/1/03	1	26	11.0	108	6.4	9	524	190	8.3	760	20	81	B
8/1/03	2	26	8.7	106	1.6	14	249	197	8.4	760	14	90	A
8/1/03	3	26	8.6	109	1.6	15	315	167	8.5	770	8	91	A
8/1/03	4	27	8.6	108	1.3	15	326	167	8.5	770	8	89	B



Characteristics of Whitehead Lake Bottom Sediments (1996 & 2005)

Sample I.D.	Percent Shrinkage	Percent Mineral	Dried at 100°C Color & Description	Color after burning at 550°C	Depth of water (feet)
1-1996	68	83	Gray, smooth	Gray	50
1-2005	68	74	Gray	Gray	50
2-1996	65	82	Gray, smooth	Gray	31
2-2005	59	77	Gray	Gray	40
3-1996	35	84	Gray, smooth	Gray	19
3-2005	65	70	Gray	Gray	20
4-2005	70	67	Gray	Gray	24

Average mineral content of bottom sediments 1996 = 83%, 2005 = 72%.



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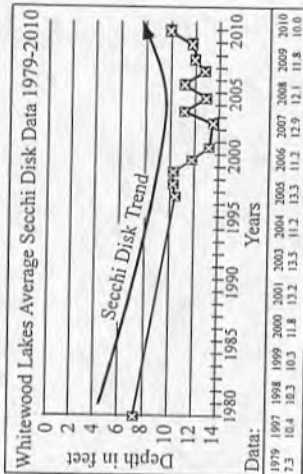
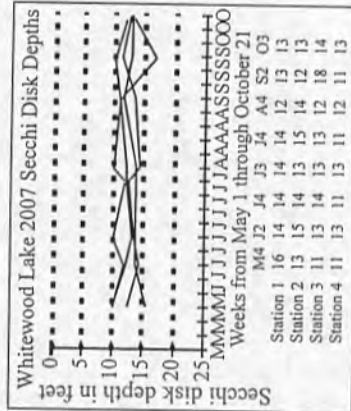
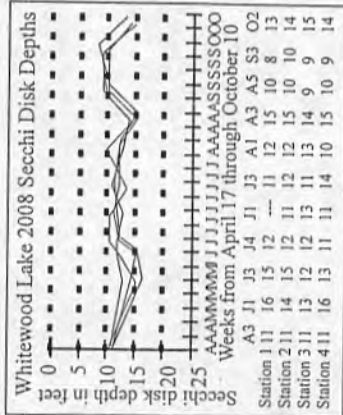
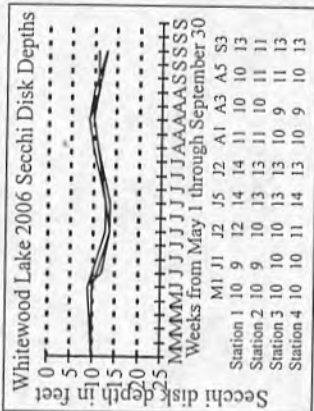
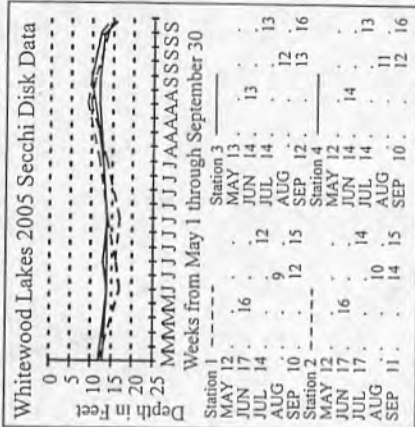
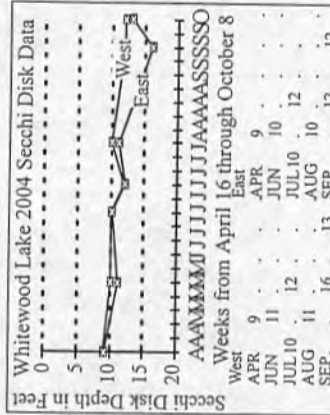
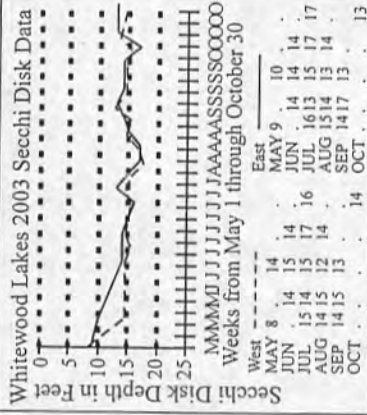
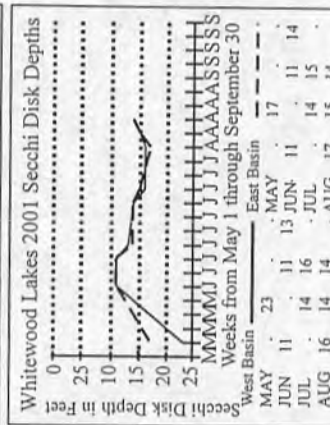
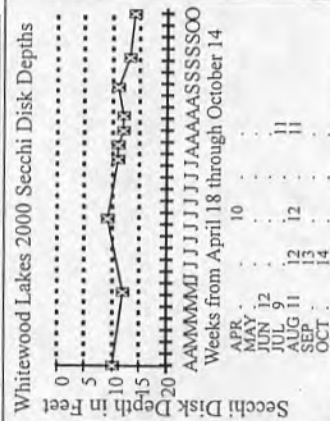
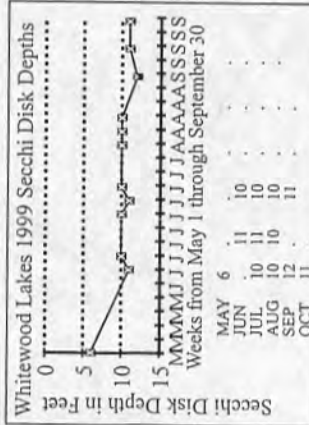
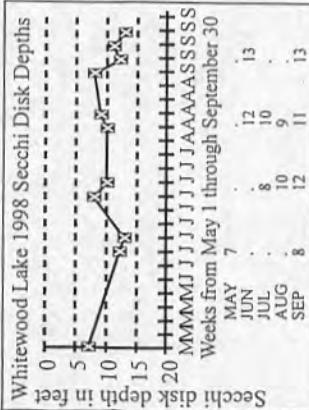
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8/28/99	Patty's	25	7.8	93	1.7	11	68	150	8.1	595	17	92	A
4/15/00	Patty's	14	10.7	103	1.8	10	83	188	8.2	590	51	86	B
8/4/00	Patty's	25	8.1	95	2.9	8	13	185	8.0	550	13	89	B
5/13/01	Patty's	20	9.0	98	2.9	12	33	188	8.2	580	19	91	A
8/3/01	Patty's	28	8.4	106	3.5	8	16	159	8.0	530	17	86	B
4/15/02	Patty's	18	9.5	100	5.0	7	46	186	8.2	570	8	86	B
8/2/02	Patty's	26	8.6	105	2.2	7	47	140	8.4	680	5	89	B
4/28/03	Patty's	18	9.7	102	1.2	9	69	147	8.1	700	16	90	A
8/1/03	Patty's	26	8.6	105	2.7	8	47	140	8.4	680	5	89	B
4/16/04	Patty's	13	10.3	97	4.6	7	32	180	8.0	680	11	85	B
8/2/04	Patty's	27	6.2	78	2.6	7	36	201	8.2	630	23	84	B
4/18/05	Patty's	18	9.8	99	4.1	8	53	202	8.1	620	15	86	B
8/3/05	Patty's	25	10.9	102	3.8	7	31	158	8.1	620	27	84	B
4/19/06	Patty's	16	10.2	102	1.8	8	68	172	8.1	780	15	79	C
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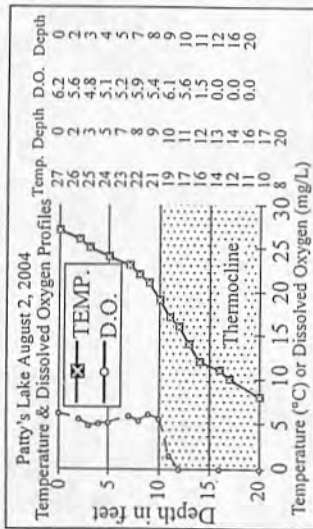
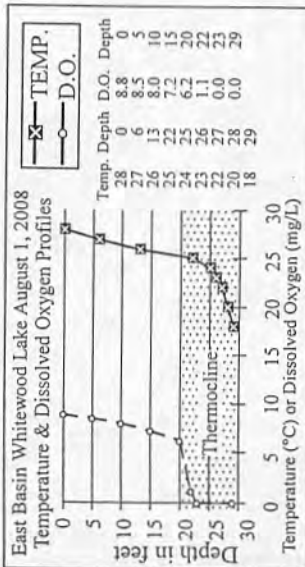
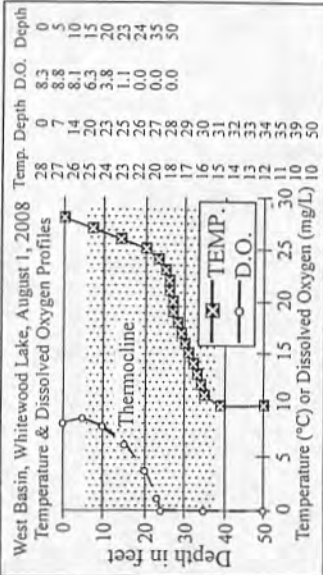
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8/2/04	1	24	10.7	79	11.8	10	231	190	8.3	710	18	82	B
8/2/04	2	24	7.1	84	8.4	10	211	190	8.0	710	19	81	B
8/2/04	3	24	6.9	81	3.7	10	159	190	7.9	740	22	85	B
8/2/04	4	24	6.5	77	4.6	11	172	190	8.0	740	19	84	B
4/18/05	1	15	9.4	92	2.3	12	260	205	8.1	730	9	89	B
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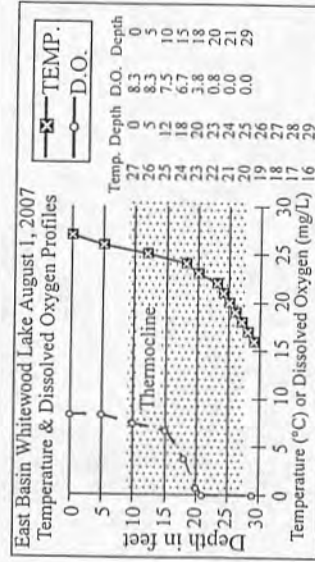
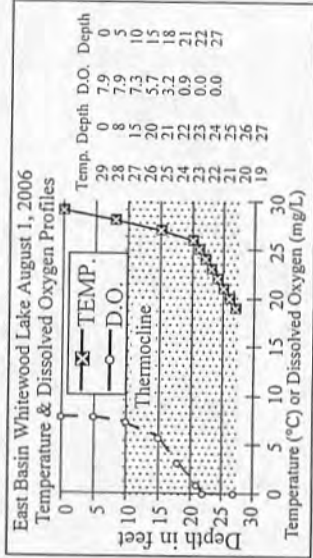
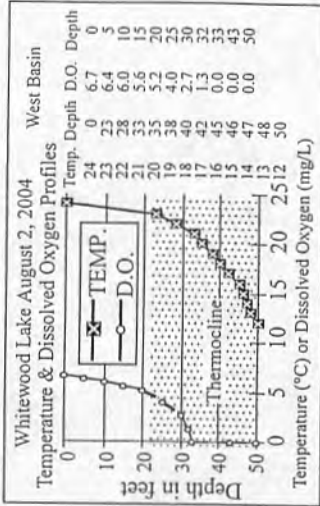
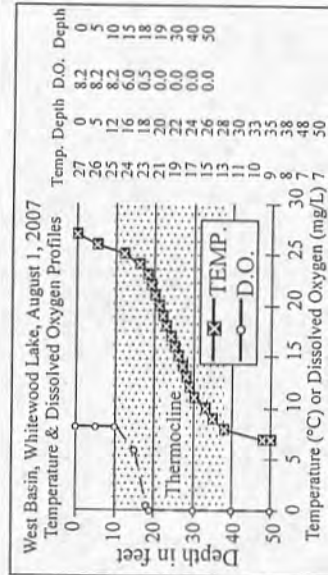
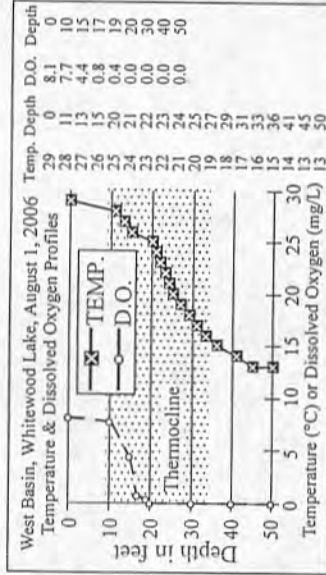
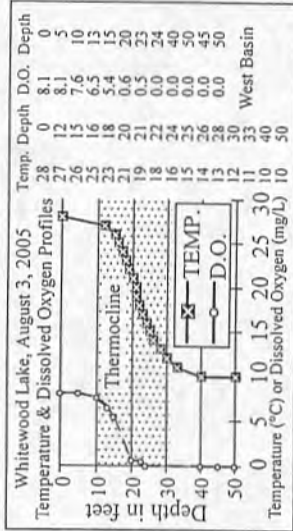
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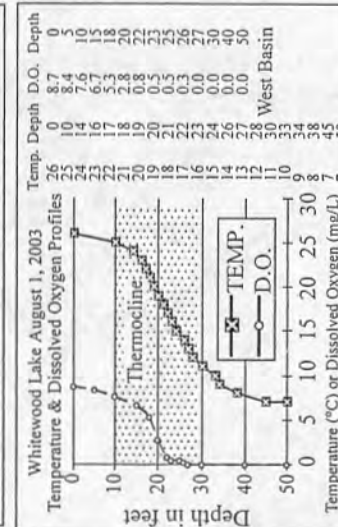
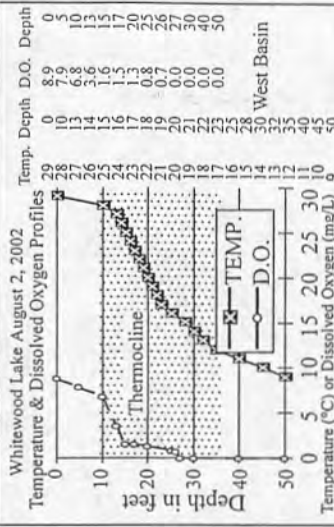
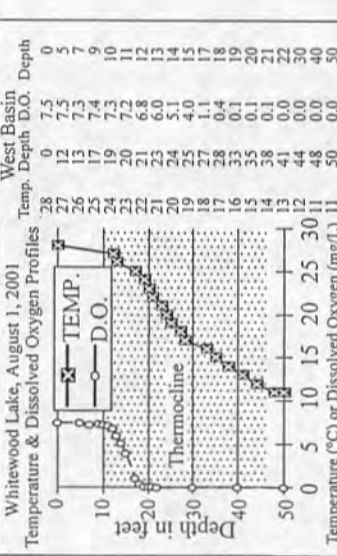
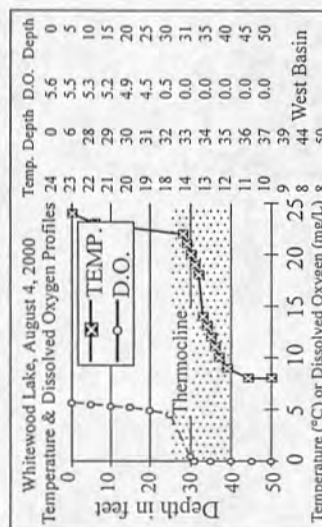
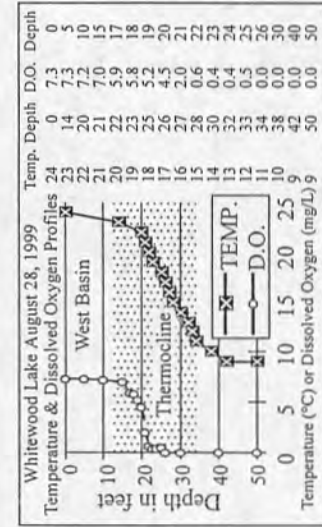
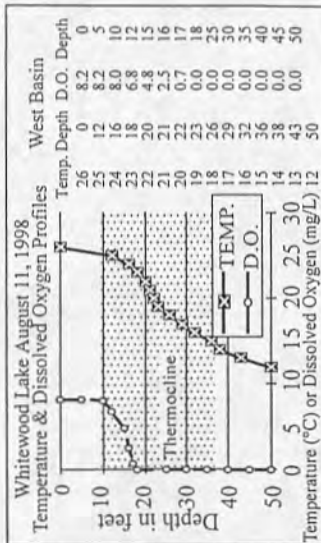
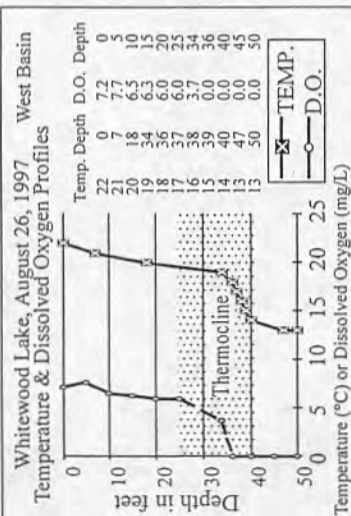
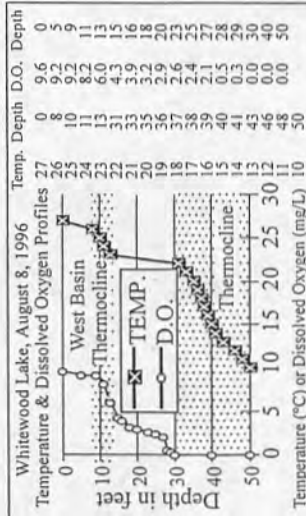
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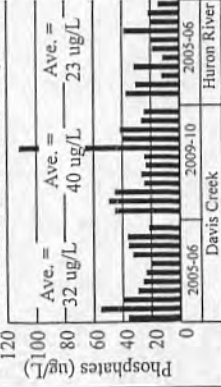
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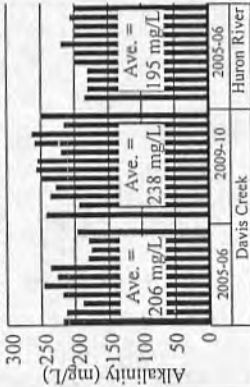
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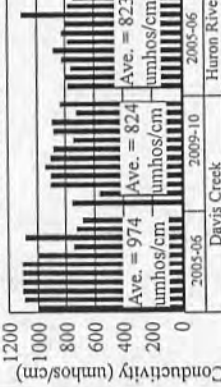
Davis Creek & Huron River Alkalinities



Davis Cr. Huron R.

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8/29/05	7/31/09	235	7/29/05
9/23/05	8/28/09	227	8/29/05
10/24/05	9/23/09	250	9/27/05
11/30/05	10/21/09	256	10/24/05
12/27/05	11/23/09	254	11/30/05
1/27/06	12/26/09	219	12/27/05
2/28/06	1/23/10	258	1/27/06
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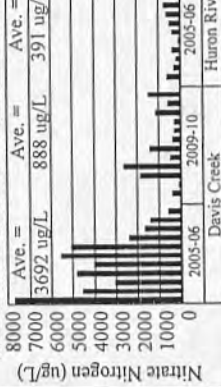
Davis Creek & Huron River Conductivities



Davis Cr. Huron R.

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9/23/05	8/28/09	900	8/29/05
10/24/05	9/23/09	940	9/27/05
11/30/05	10/21/09	900	10/24/05
12/27/05	11/23/09	880	11/30/05
1/27/06	12/26/09	740	12/27/05
2/28/06	1/23/10	880	1/27/06
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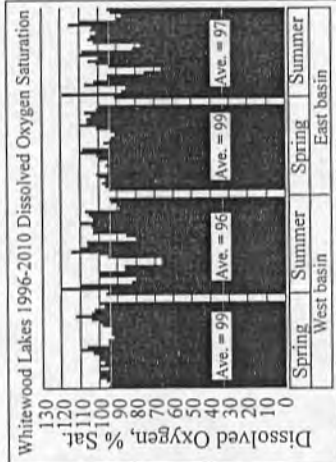
Nitrates in Davis Creek and the Huron River



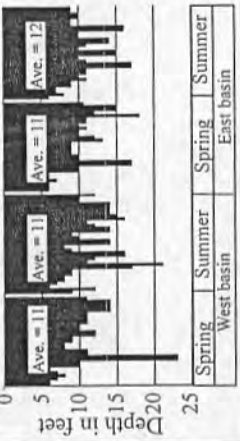
Davis Creek Huron River

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9/23/05	8/28/09	4800	8/29/05
10/24/05	9/23/09	4007	9/27/05
11/30/05	10/21/09	5527	10/24/05
12/27/05	11/23/09	5061	11/30/05
1/27/06	12/26/09	2368	12/27/05
2/28/06	1/23/10	1632	1/27/06
3/30/06	2/23/10	1376	2/28/06
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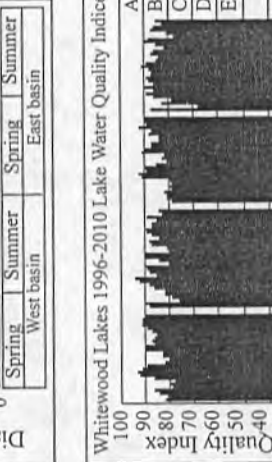
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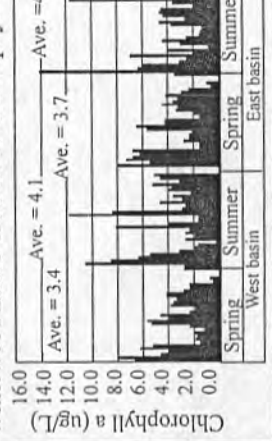
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Whitewood Lakes 1996-2010 Alkalinities



Whitewood Lakes 1996-2010 Lake Water Quality Indices



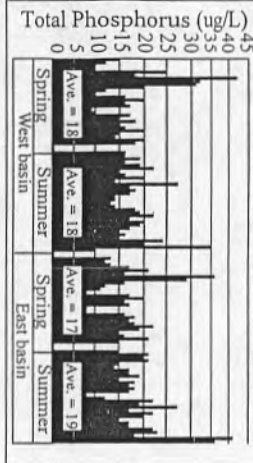
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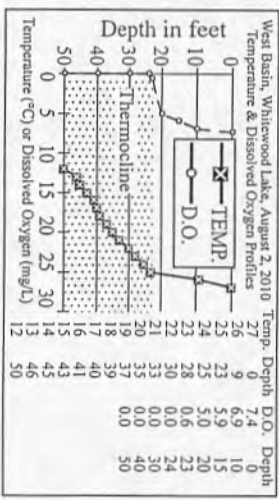
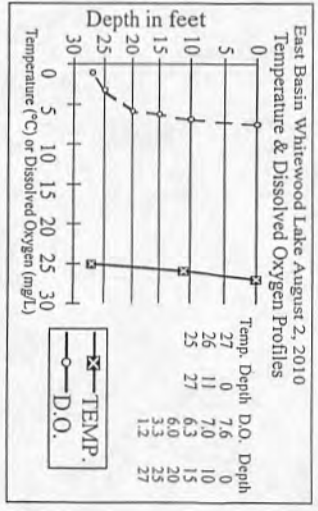
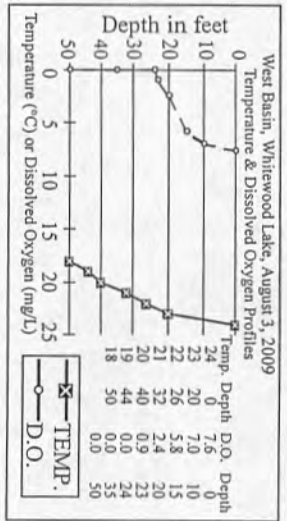
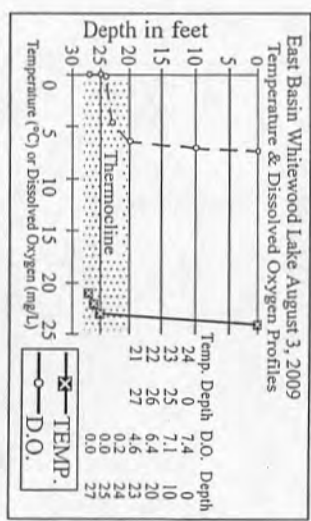
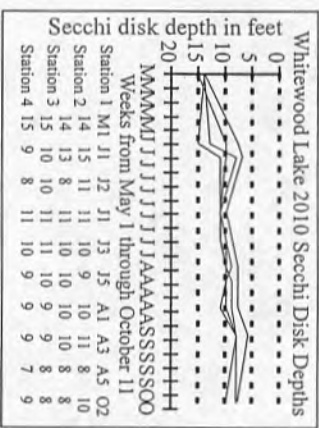
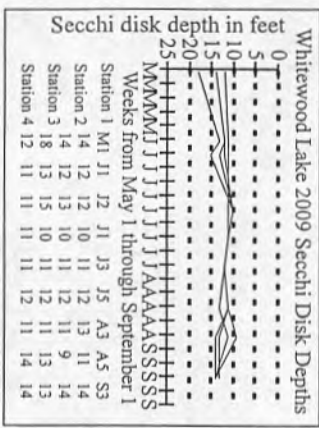
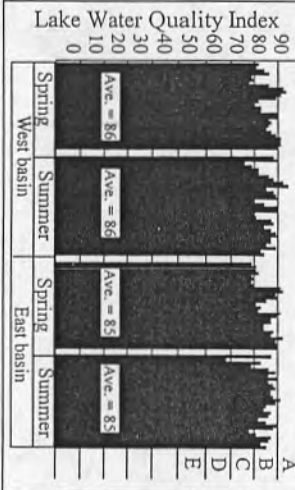
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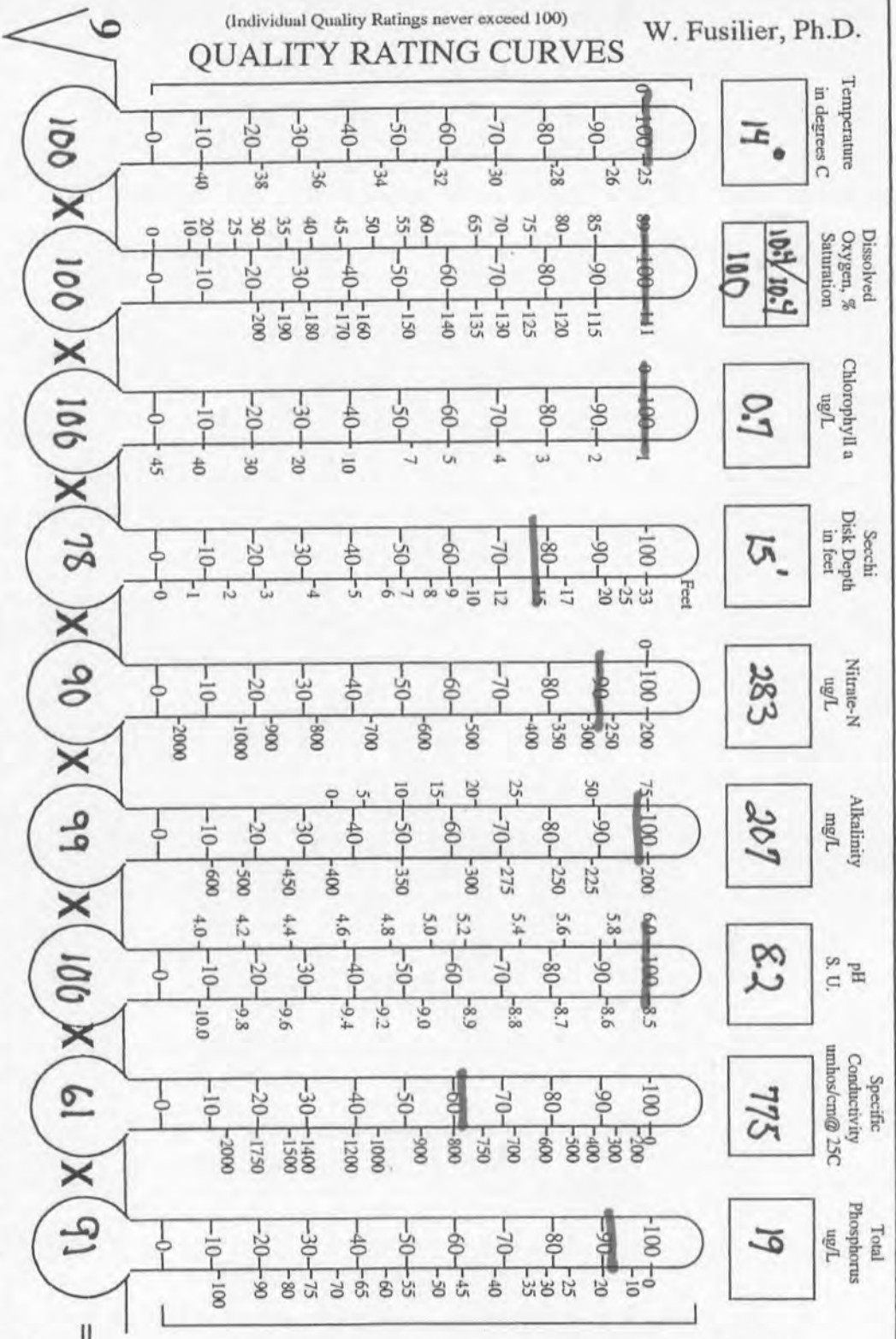


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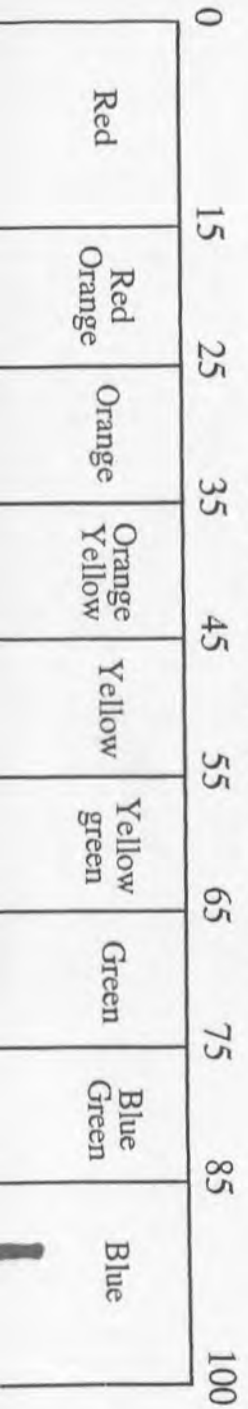
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Watershed to lake ratio: 3914
 Flushing rate: .007 years
 Huron
 Drainage Basin: 243,200
 Drainage Area: 1371
 Lake Volume: Livingston
 County: Huron
 Township: W.D.T
 Analyst: 50'
 Lake Depth: 62
 Lake Area: LWQI

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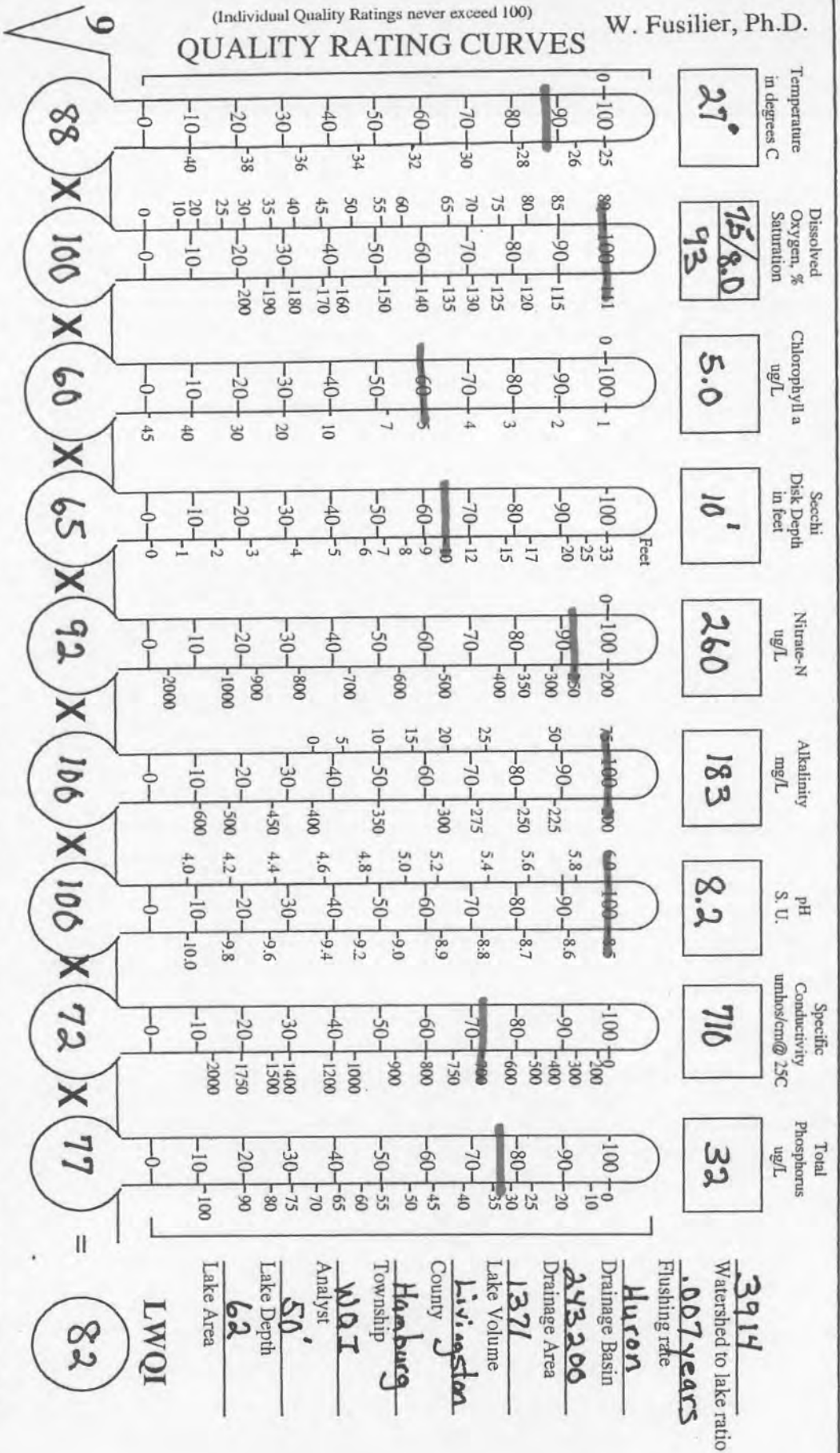
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0	15	25	35	45	55	65	75	85	100
R:d	Red Orange	Orange	Orange Yellow	Yellow	Yellow green	Green	Blue Green	Blue	

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