Miss R-Winona watershed health assessment scores

Mean (average) Health Score 55
Minimum Health Index Score 7
Minimum Health Index: Connectivity - Aquatic

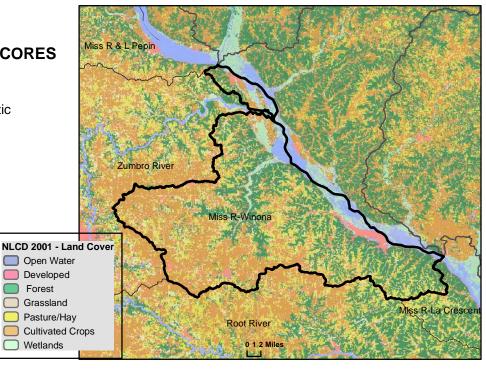
Watershed Assessment Tool

http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/watershed tool





Watershed Health Scores compare and rank various aspects of ecological health across Minnesota. Index values are based on a variety of data sources, calculations and scientific approaches. Each index is scored on a scale from 0 to 100, with 0 being the least desirable result or condition to 100 being the best existing condition or most desirable result. Major watershed scale rankings may mask the range of conditions that occur at more local scales. A high score may indicate the least impacted condition in Minnesota, not necessarily a healthy condition.



COMPONENT SCORES



HYDROLOGY

Mean Watershed

Health Scores

Health Score

0 - 20

Mean (Ave.) 81 Minimum Index 60

INDEX SCORES

Perennial Cover 60
Impervious Cover 83 *
Withdrawal 98 *
Storage 94
Flow Variability 69

Metric Sub-Scores Storage:

Stream/Ditch Ratio 100 Surface storage 89



GEOMORPHOLOGY

Mean (Ave.) 42 Minimum Index 18

INDEX SCORES

BIOLOGY

Mean (Ave.) 50 Minimum Index 36

INDEX SCORES

Terrestrial Habitat
Quality

Stream Species

Species Richness

At-Risk Species

Richness

41

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CONNECTIVITY

Mean (Ave.) 43 Minimum Index 7

INDEX SCORES

Terrestrial Habitat
Connectivity

Aquatic Connectivity

Riparian
Connectivity

76

Metric Sub-Scores Aquatic Connectivity:

Bridges/Culverts 7
Dams 6

WATER QUALITY

Mean (Ave.) 59 Minimum Index 41

INDEX SCORES

Non-Point Source 41
Point Source 79 *

56

Assessments

Metric Sub-Scores

Non-Point Source:

Nutrient Application 81
Riparian Impervious 0

^{*}These index values are influenced by very low scores associated with dense urban use of resources. This gives comparatively high scores for outstate Minnesota. Viewing input data is necessary to evaluate possible watershed scale concerns.