Day in the Life of the Hudson River 10/4/12 Data RIVER MILE 35W – Bowline Park, Haverstraw Waterfront Ryan Coulter, DEC helped with seining Chuck Barone, Nanuet High School – 12th grade – 20 students 41.° 12'11" N 73.° 57' 48" W





Location: Bowline Park, Haverstraw waterfront, Rockland County NY

Area: Parking lot, recreation, fishing

Surrounding Land Use: 25% beach, 5% Industrial/commercial, 68% recreational, 2%

forested



Sampling Site: shoreline is sandy, muddy, rocky, small beach, bank altered, large rip rap, bulkhead, industrial tress spans the water to the north and east, bricks in the sand

Piping coming into river Plants in area:
Water depth:

River Bottom –sandy, muddy, rocky

ITEM	Time	Reading 1	Reading 2	Comments
Physical				
Air Temperature	9:30 am	69°F 20.5°C		
Wind Speed		20.5 C		
Cloud Cover	cloudy	foggy		
Weather today	overcast			
Weather last 3	Very rainy			
days	last few days			
Water	calm			
Water Temp. – 2		22.5°C	74°F	Cloudy – in
ft. depth	9:30 AM	23.0	74	the shade
	12:13 PM	22.0°C	72°F	
Turbidity – Long	9:50 AM	48.2 cm		Average 44.2
site tube		40. cm		cm
Chlorophyll	12:20AM	0.3		
Chemical				

DO					
Drop count	10:45 AM	23 C	6.4 PPM	80 % sat	
•	12:00 PM	22.5 C	7.2 PPM	85 % sat	
рН	10:57 AM	*6		*seems too	
pH pen				low –	
				calibration?	
	12:00 PM	*5			
Salinity					
Hydrometer (?)	10:45 AM	1.002	Temp 22.5	4.1 ppt	
	10:50 AM	1.002	Temp 23	4.2 ppt	
	12:00 PM	1.002 ppm	Temp 22.5	4.1	
	12:00 PM	1.001 ppm	Temp 22.5	2.7	
Fish Catch	Time	Number	Species	Length of	
		Caught		largest	
Seine 50 ft. X 6ft.	10:30AM	11	Bay Anchovy	3 inch	
Mesh 0.25 inch					
	Diversity-3 Totals 24	10	White perch	7 inch	
	10001521	3	Blue crab	5 inch	
Tides	9:30 AM	120 cm			
			rising	70cm/195 min	
	12:45 PM	190 cm		0.36 cm/min	
Currents	CM/60 secs	Cm/Sec	North/South Ebb/Flood/Still	Knots	
9:50 AM	0	0	Still	0	
12:15 PM	250 cm/60 s	4.2 cm/sec	Flood		
Core –	Length	Rare	Common	Abundant	
Shipping	9:00 AM	Haverstraw	White/blue	North bound	
01		Ferry	4 64 4	·.	
Observations		transfer platform just north of the sampling site.			
		were along the beach showing how there were			
	old brick factories in the area. Large rocks sticking out of th ground. There is construction happening in the parking lot so whenever it rains the runoff comes on the beach and into the				
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river.					