



Habitat Data Form

Observation Information

Monitoring site details

Site code: ~~YMR~~ ~~ME-YED 150~~ ~~015~~

Site description: Merri Edgars Wetland

Name of monitoring group

Persons monitoring: Sydney Rd Community School (Julia Childs supervision)

Date and time of monitoring: 29/10/18 @ 1pm

Habitat Assessment

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Bank vegetation:	<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>4</u>	(0-10) → <u>6</u>
Verge vegetation:	<u>4</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>4</u>	(0-10) → <u>6</u>
In-stream cover:	<u>4</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>2</u>	(0-10) → <u>4</u>
Bank erosion and stability:	<u>4</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	(0-5) → <u>3</u>
Riffles, pools and bends:	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>3-2</u>	(0-5) → <u>4</u>
Final Habitat Score:	<u>26</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>15-16</u>	(Add your scores)
<u>Average: 23</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>Δ</u>	<u>○</u>	

Score	Definition
Excellent (36-40)	Site in natural or virtually natural condition; excellent habitat condition.
Good (29-35)	Some alteration from natural state; good habitat conditions.
Fair (20-28)	Significant alteration from the natural state but still offering moderate habitat; stable.
Poor (12-19)	Significant alterations from the natural state, with reduced habitat value; may have erosion or sedimentation problems.
Degraded (8-11)	Very degraded, often with severe erosion or sedimentation problems.