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# 1 Introduction

The BC Hydro Site C Fisheries and Aquatic Data Management System (FADMS) provides a structured index and access to all aquatic and environmental monitoring information collected by BC Hydro and its contractors. Reports, databases, and other supporting documents are grouped together into “deliverables packages” and are described by a range of searchable metadata tags. Additionally, data from Climate, Air Quality, and Water Quality continuous monitoring sensors can be loaded into the FADMS database and can be accessed in tabular formats through the FADMS interface. Data can also be exported to Excel for further custom analysis and reporting.

The FADMS is designed to provide access to reports and data collected from the pre-Project phase through construction and post-Project monitoring (Table 1). It is also designed for a wide variety of users, including BC Hydro staff and consultants, agency personnel, First Nations, and stakeholders.

Table 1: Potential users and uses of the Site C Fisheries & Aquatic Data Management System.

Data Users	Data Uses
BC Hydro Technical Staff and BC Hydro consultants	<b>Pre-Project</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Addressing detailed questions from stakeholders and regulatory agencies (latter particularly relevant to permitting)</li> <li>Designing monitoring and mitigation plans at a detailed level</li> <li>Power analyses (ongoing)</li> </ul>
	<b>Construction</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Monitoring during construction (compliance monitoring for water quality, fish plus effectiveness monitoring for mitigation)</li> </ul>
	<b>Post-Project</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Evaluating hypotheses described in EA and monitoring plans during construction and operation, e.g. distribution, abundance, survival and biomass of fish populations</li> <li>Post-Project vs pre-Project condition comparisons (for compensation)</li> <li>Testing EA predictions (water quality, habitat, primary and secondary production, fish abundance and biomass)</li> <li>Diagnosing problems</li> <li>Evaluating effectiveness of mitigation projects</li> <li>Iteratively refining monitoring protocols and analytical methods</li> <li>Testing and refining water quality and fish population models</li> </ul>
DFO, MOE, FLNRORD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reviewing reports produced by BC Hydro and BC Hydro consultants</li> <li>Making harvest decisions</li> </ul>

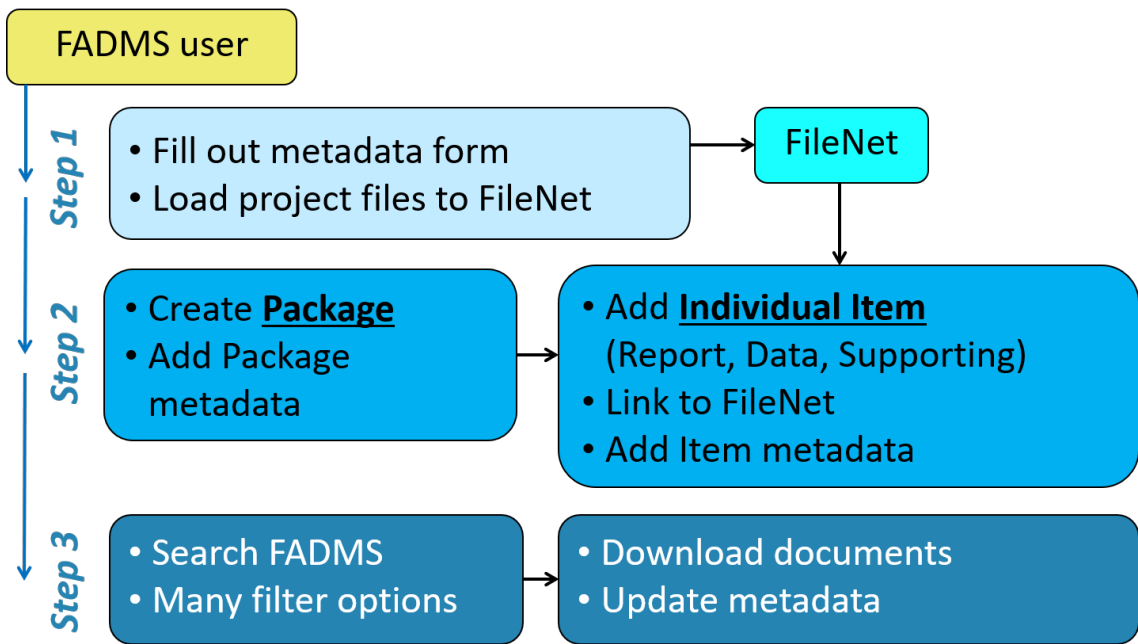


Data Users	Data Uses
First Nations, Stakeholders	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Getting the big picture overview from reports and presentations, Indigenous knowledge</li> </ul>

This document provides guidance to help users navigate the FADMS and use its features to explore existing data, add new data, and manage data properties.

## 1.1 Getting Started

The FADMS is a web-based application that organizes the multi-year, multi-disciplinary scientific studies related to the Site C Clean Energy Project (the Project); making them more accessible and searchable across disciplines over the extended lifetime of the Project. The application works with the Windows Internet Explorer browser and is closely integrated with the FileNet documentation repository used by BC Hydro. This close association requires that new documents and data be processed in a specific order prior to using the FADMS for its search capabilities, beginning with loading new documents into FileNet followed by adding information into the FADMS itself. The figure below shows the three main steps.



Step 1 begins with completing a metadata checklist for the monitoring program (see Appendix A: FADMS Metadata Checklist). Monitoring program documents may consist of one or more high-level **Packages**, each of which contains one or more **Items**. A checklist should be completed for each Package and for each Item with the Package. When complete, the





Package/Items checklist document should be submitted to the FADMS steward along with all the electronic documents. The FADMS steward will then load the documents into FileNet, completing Step 1. Section 2.4.3 describes how FileNet and FADMS are synchronized once new documents have been added to FileNet.

In Step 2 the FADMS steward will use the information in the metadata checklist to create the Package and its metadata using the FADMS software, as well as the Package's Items and their metadata. In this step the documents previously loaded into FileNet are linked to the relevant Item.

In Step 3 all users of the FADMS, including BC Hydro staff and outside consultants, can use the system to search for and extract relevant documents and data. As the number of documents currently stands at nearly 8,000 (and is expected to continue growing) the value of the search capabilities is very useful. Users fall into three groups:

1. Users supplied with a BC Hydro computer and situated within a BC Hydro office, linked directly to the BC Hydro network.
2. Users supplied with a BC Hydro computer and situated outside a BC Hydro office, who link directly to the BC Hydro network using a VPN.
3. Users with their own computer situated anywhere, who link directly to the BC Hydro network using a Citrix connection.

Regardless of their connection to the FADMS, all users must have a valid account on the BC Hydro computer network and know their account password. Users outside Group 1 must also know the four-digit PIN for their account and be in possession of a configured RSA Token Code which generates a unique time-sensitive six-digit tokencode (either from a physical fob or a digital phone app); both of which are required as part of the BC Hydro security authentication system.

**BC Hydro security standards require that passwords be changed every 90 days. The FADMS steward can be contacted for help with expired passwords or other connection problems.**

Prospective FADMS users must also apply to the FADMS steward to be added to one of these two Active Server groups: **Site C DMS** or **Site C DMS Admin**. Users in the Admin group are able to perform additional FADMS configuration tasks described in Section 2.5.

Group 1 users can use the FADMS as described in Section 1.2 once they have been added to the appropriate Active Server group by the FADMS steward.

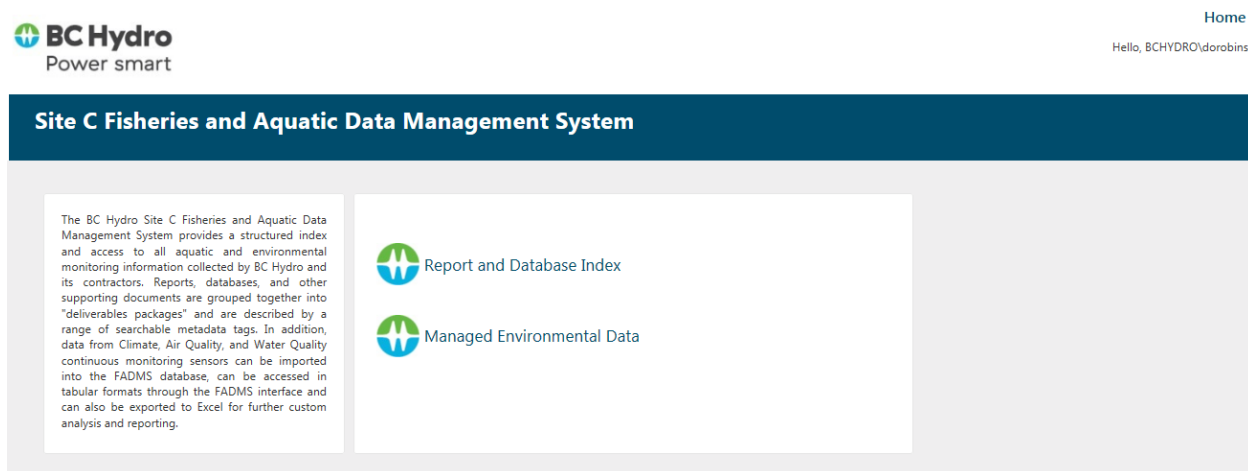


Group 2 users must first log onto their BC Hydro account and have a working internet connection. Next, they should use the Cisco AnyConnect Secure Mobility Client software installed on their BC Hydro computer to establish a VPN connection with the BC Hydro network at [vpn.bchydro.com](http://vpn.bchydro.com). To establish the VPN connection, the user must provide the Cisco software with their Username (i.e. BC Hydro LAN ID) and provide their 10-digit PIN+tokencode. Once they are authenticated on the BC Hydro network, they can use the FADMS as described below in Section 1.2.

Group 3 includes most contractors and users without Cisco VPN access to the BC Hydro network. Instead they connect to the FADMS using the Citrix portal using their BC Hydro account and password, and a PIN+tokencode at this URL: <https://citrix.bchydro.com/vpn/index.html>. First time users will be prompted to install the Citrix Receiver (also found here: <http://receiver.citrix.com>). They can then use the Internet Explorer browser provided through the Citrix portal.

## 1.2 Accessing the System

The FADMS is a web-based system that runs on BC Hydro servers and can be accessed through the Windows Internet Explorer browser. Other browsers are not supported but may provide some functionality. At the time of preparation of this User Guide, the web-address (URL) for the FADMS is: <http://10.242.150.48>. When regular users log in,<sup>1</sup> they are taken to a **Home** screen with the BC Hydro logo and a **Home** link in the white header bar. Clicking on the BC Hydro logo at any time will the user to the Home screen. Users will also find a description of the current page in the blue title bar, and a description of the FADMS along with links to view either the **Report and Database Index** or **Managed Environmental Data**.



<sup>1</sup> If a user is the first one to use the FADMS after its server has been rebooted, they will experience a one-time delay of about four minutes as the app initializes and rebuilds linkages to the FileNet system. Subsequent users will not experience this long delay.





## 2 Report and Database Index

### 2.1 Browsing Data

Users who select the **Report and Database Index** will be taken to the main data browsing interface of the FADMS, the **Find Data** screen, which is presented in an interactive spreadsheet format as shown below. Data types include: file **Name**, **Item Type**, **Project Phase**, **Study Type(s)**, **Location(s)**, **Season(s)**, **Fish Species**, **Start Year**, and **End Year**. Users can customize the appearance of this spreadsheet by clicking and dragging the vertical bar between header cells to resize columns (see inset).



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**Site C Fisheries and Aquatic Data Management System | Find Data**

Peace River

617 matching items found.

	Name	Item Type	Project Phase	Study Type(s)	Location(s)	Season(s)	Fish Species	Start Year	End Year
<a href="#">Details</a>	20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling and Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009_Final Report-LGL	Report	Pre-Project	Creel Survey, Fish Survey and Attributes	Peace River, Tributaries (upstream), Tributaries (downstream)	Summer, Fall, Winter	GR, BT, KO, NP, RB, WF	2000	2009
<a href="#">Details</a>	20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009 - LGL	Report	Pre-Project	Creel Survey, Fish Survey and Attributes	Peace River Tributaries (upstream), Tributaries (downstream)				

Width: 165 pixels

Name	Item Type	Project Phase	Study Type(s)	Location(s)
20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling and Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009_Final Report-LGL	Report	Pre-Project	Creel Survey, Fish Survey and Attributes	Peace River, Tributaries (upstream), Tributaries (downstream)

Users can sort data into alphabetical or numerical order by clicking directly on the header of each column, once for ascending order, again for descending order, and once more to clear the sorting.

Name	Item Type	Project Phase
Peace_Creel_DB_Final	Data	Pre-Project
Appendix A1 Water Chemistry Sample Collection Data	Data	Pre-Project

Name	Item Type	Project Phase
20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling and Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009-LGL (Appendices)	Supporting Documents	Pre-Project
20100224 FW Site C - Creel Report Comments	Supporting Documents	Pre-Project



Users can browse data by scrolling through entries and using various combinations of filters (▼) and drop-down menus (▼) in each of the column headers to narrow their search to specific data characteristics.

For example, **Item Type** can be filtered to show only reports by selecting **Report** from the drop-down menu (a), or the start year can be filtered to show only studies that began before 2005 by first typing 2005, then clicking on the filter button and selecting **LessThan** (b). More complex searches that involve more than one drop-down selection (e.g., multiple species of fish) can be accomplished through the search functions described in the next section.

(a)

Name	Item Type	Project Phase	Study Type(s)
20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling and Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009_Final Report-LGL	Report	All	All
20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009 - LGL	Report	Pre-Project	Creel Survey, Fish Survey and Attributes

(b)

Season(s)	Fish Species	Start Year	End Year
All	All	2005	
Summer, Fall	GR, EB, BT, BB, FHC, KO, LKC, LW, CSU, LNC, LSU, MW, NP, NSC, PCC, CAS, RB, RSC, CCG, CRI, STC, TP, WP, WSU, YP	2001	
Summer, Fall	GR, BT, MW	2002	2003

These criteria can be cleared one at a time by selecting **NoFilter** on filter menus and **All** on drop-down menus. To clear ALL filters, click **Clear** next to the search bar.

## 2.2 Searching for Data

Users can also locate entries according to more specific or complex criteria using the simple search bar or the advanced search feature. The simple search bar works as expected – simply type a word and either click **Search** or press Enter/Return on your keyboard to run the search. Note that this search function returns entries with the search term anywhere in their attributes or project description, including the name of the Deliverable Package which contains them; and these search terms may not necessarily appear in the spreadsheet view of the returned results.



Peace River Search Clear Advanced S

617 matching items found.

	Name	Item Type	Project Phase	Study Type(s)	Location(s)
		All	All	All	All
<a href="#">Details</a>	20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling and Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009_Final Report-LGL	Report	Pre-Project	Creel Survey, Fish Survey and Attributes	Peace River, Tributaries (upstream), Tributaries (downstream)
<a href="#">Details</a>	20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009 - LGL	Report	Pre-Project	Creel Survey, Fish Survey and Attributes	Peace River, Tributaries (upstream), Tributaries (downstream)
<a href="#">Details</a>	20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009_Final Report-LGL (no appendix)	Report	Pre-Project	Creel Survey, Fish Survey and Attributes	Peace River, Tributaries (upstream), Tributaries (downstream)

Users can execute even more specific multi-criteria searches by selecting the **Advanced Search** button on the right-hand side of the screen. This takes users to the advanced search interface where they can select multiple combinations of criteria for one or more categories of data attributes. Some categories allow users to choose a single option from a drop-down list, such as the **Monitoring Program** category.



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**Site C Fisheries and Aquatic Data Management System | Advanced Search**

Monitoring Program:  Mon-1a - Site C Reservoir Fish Community Monitoring Program  Mon-1b - Site C Reservoir Tributaries Fish Community and Spawning Monitoring Program

Monitoring Task(s):  Mon-2 - Peace River Fish Community Monitoring Program  Mon-3 - Peace River Physical Habitat Monitoring Program  Mon-4 - Site C Reservoir Riparian Vegetation Monitoring Program  Mon-5 - Peace River Riparian Vegetation Monitoring Program  Mon-6 - Site C Reservoir Fish Food Organisms Monitoring Program  Mon-7 - Peace River Fish Food Organisms Monitoring Program  Mon-8 - Site C Reservoir Water and Sediment Quality Monitoring Program  Mon-9 - Peace River Water and Sediment Quality Monitoring Program  Mon-10 - Site C Fish Entrapment Monitoring Program  Mon-11 - Site C TDG Monitoring Program  Mon-12 - Site C Fish Stranding Monitoring Program  Mon-13 - Site C Fishway Effectiveness Monitoring Program  Mon-14 - Site C Trap and Haul Fish Release Location Monitoring Program  Mon-15 - Site C Small-Fish Translocation Monitoring Program  Mon-16 - Site C Reservoir Constructed Shallow Water Habitat Areas Monitoring Program  Mon-17 - Peace River Water Level Fluctuations Monitoring Program

Species:  all fish species  selected fish species

Species List: Arctic Grayling (GR), Brassy Minnow (BMC), Brook Stickleback (BSB), Brook Trout (EB), Bull Trout (BT), Burbot (BB)

Project Phase(s):  all phases  selected phase(s)

Study Type:  Construction

Others, like the **Monitoring Task(s)** category, allow users to select multiple options from within that category by first choosing the “selected...” radio button and then using either Shift-click to select the start and end of a contiguous selection (a), or using Ctrl-click to select several non-contiguous options (b).



(a) Shift-click to select...



(b) Ctrl-click to select...

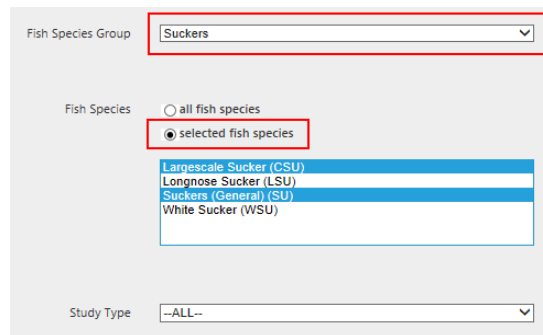


**Fish Species** can also be included in searches. Because of the large number of species, users are provided with the **Fish Species Group** drop-down list to help refine their search. By default, the Fish Species Group 'ALL' is selected, and 'all fish species...' are available for selection (a). By selecting a defined Fish Species Group (these groups are defined using the Management screens described in Section 2.5.2), a user-defined subset of all species is displayed. From that group, either the entire group or a subset of the group can be selected for the search (b). The Fish Species Group selection does not automatically include any of the species in the search; it simply refines the list to a more manageable length. Final species selection for the search can be made using Shift-click to select the start and end of a contiguous selection, or Ctrl-click to select several non-contiguous options.

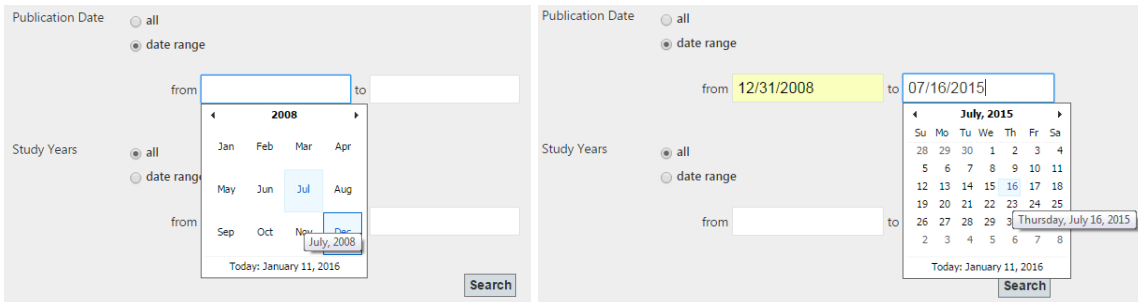
(a) default search



(b) search within Suckers, then select two species



Finally, time-related search fields require users to type in the date range they are looking for, or select specific dates from a series of pop-up calendar menus.



It is important not to specify too many options in the advanced search, or the search becomes more likely to return no results.



## 2.3 Exploring Data Attributes

Each document in the FADMS is referred to as a **Deliverable Item** and is associated with other related **Deliverable Items** to form a **Package**. Users can access the document associated with each Item and explore details on each individual Item and the Package to which it belongs by clicking on the **Details** button at the start of each data row to access the **Find Data** screen.

For example, clicking **Details** next to the “Peace River Angling and Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009” Item takes the user to the **Item Details** screen. This screen includes basic information on the Item and a permalink to download the Item, in this case a PDF of a report.

Find Data **Item Details** Package Details Package Contents History

**Name** 20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling and Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009\_Final Report-LGL  
**Item type** Report  
**Package** Creel Survey PR 2009 - LGL 2010  
**Citation** Robichaud, D., M. Mathews, A. Blakley, and R. Bocking, 2010. Peace River Angling and Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009, Final Report. LGL Limited, Sidney, BC: 45 p.  
**Description**  
**Comments**  
**File name** 20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling and Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009\_Final Report-LGL.pdf  
**Permalink** Document Repository/Creel Survey PR 2009 - LGL 2010/20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling and Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009\_Final Report-LGL.pdf

Peace River Angling and Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009  
Final Report  
Prepared by:  
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LGL Limited  
9768 Second Street,  
Sidney, BC  
V8L 3J8

From this page, users can click the other buttons along the top menu for more information.

**Package Details** lists the Package with which this Item is associated, and shows users the Package attributes (e.g., associated monitoring programs, fish types studied, years of study) through a series of more/less toggles.

Find Data Item Details **Package Details** Package Contents History

**Name** Creel Survey PR 2009 - LGL 2010  
**Description** With the aim of establishing a baseline for future assessment, a creel survey was initiated to monitor recreational use (particularly fishing activities) on the Peace and Pine rivers and to interview recreational users in order to quantify the timing, duration, type and location of their recreational activities.  
**Organization** LGL Limited  
**Publication year** 2010  
**Project phase** Pre-Project  
**Comments**

**Attributes**

**Monitoring Programs**

**Monitoring Program Tasks**

- Mon-1a T2c Site C Reservoir Creel Survey
- Mon-2 T2c Peace River Creel Survey

**Study Types**

**General Locations**

**Package Contents** shows users what other related Items are included in the Package, and lets users download these Items by clicking the permalink. Users can also view details about

each related Item by clicking on **Details**. When Packages include many Items, users can use the filter functions at the top of each column to find specific Item types (e.g., reports).

From this page, users also have the option of clicking on the **Download Package Docs** button to download all the documents in the Package. FADMS fetches all the Package documents from FileNet and places them in a zip-format file that can be opened or saved.

	Item Type	File Name
<a href="#">Details</a>	Report	20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling and Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009_Final Report-LGL.pdf
<a href="#">Details</a>	Report	20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009 - LGL.doc
<a href="#">Details</a>	Report	20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009_Final Report-LGL (no appendix).pdf
<a href="#">Details</a>	Report	20100713 06-041 Peace River Angling and Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009 Final Report-Annotation-LGL.doc
<a href="#">Details</a>	Supporting Documents	20100220 06-041 Peace River Angling and Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009-LGL (Appendices).pdf
<a href="#">Details</a>	Supporting Documents	20100224 FW Site C - Creel Report Comments.msg
<a href="#">Details</a>	Supporting Documents	20100305 Doc 06-041_Response to BM's comments.pdf
<a href="#">Details</a>	Data	Peace_Creel_DB_Final.zip

The **History** shows users an audit trail which states when Package Items were added or deleted or edited, and by which user. This can be useful when expected Items are missing, and the details of the document's removal need to be understood.

## 2.4 Adding New Data

Users can also add new data to the database by creating either a **New Package**, which encompasses multiple related documents pertaining to a project, or a **New Deliverable Item**, which is a single document like a data file or report that is associated with an existing Package. To add new data, navigate to the main data browsing interface (i.e., **Report and Database Index**), choose **Add Data** at the top right side of the screen, and select what type of data you want to add.

Alternatively, users can add a **New Deliverable Item** to a specific Package in the same way from the **Package Contents** screen. Users should only add final, not draft, versions of documents to the FADMS, and can only edit and delete data they have added themselves. (FADMS Administrators can edit and delete Packages and Items created by any user.)





## 2.4.1 Adding a Package

Selecting **Add Data > New Package** takes users to the screen shown below, where all the relevant Package details must be provided. In particular, the **Name** and **Project phase** are two required fields which must be filled in before the FADMS will allow the user to click **Save** to create the Package.

The screenshot shows the 'Package Details' form with the following data:

Field	Value
Name	Fish Attributes - Elemental Analysis 2012 - Earth Tone 2012
Description	The intent of the 2012 elemental signature study is to build on the initial results from the 2010 and 2011 studies. This report summarizes all years of study. The primary goals of the elemental signature work are: 1) to establish whether otolith
Organization	EarthTone Environmental; Mainstream Aquatics
Publication year	2013
Project phase	Pre-Project
Comments	N/A

Buttons: Save, Cancel

After saving, users will be prompted to assign **Attributes** to the Package using drop-down menus. Users open each category by clicking on the title, selecting one attribute from the drop-down list, and clicking the **+** button to add it. Users must select and add attributes within each category one at a time. Users can also delete the Package from this page if they have made an error. Once a Package is created, it can be populated with Items from the **Package Contents** screen. At least one **Deliverable Item** must be added to the Package.

The screenshot shows the 'Attributes' section of the 'Package Details' form. The 'Monitoring Programs' category is expanded, showing a dropdown menu with the following options:

- Select --
- Select --
- Mon-1a
- Mon-1b (Selected)
- Mon-2
- Mon-3
- Mon-4
- Mon-5
- Mon-6
- Mon-7
- Mon-8
- Mon-9
- Mon-10
- Mon-11
- Mon-12
- Mon-13
- Mon-14
- Mon-15
- Mon-16

Buttons: Edit, Delete

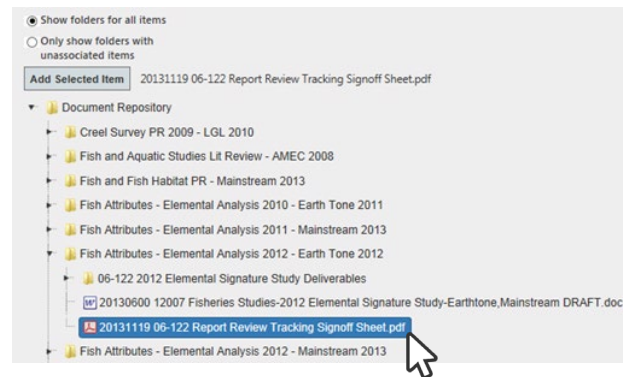
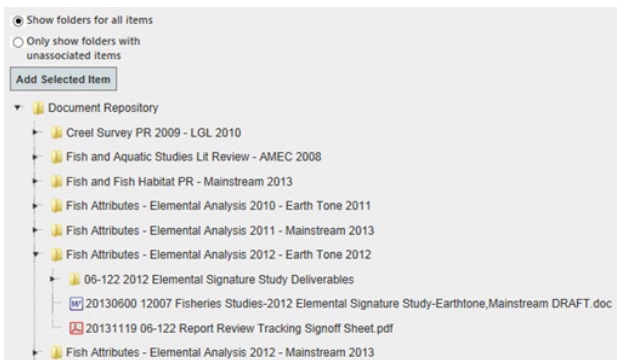


## 2.4.2 Adding an Item

Deliverable Items can be added to the database in two ways:

- From the main data browsing interface by using **Add Data > Add Deliverable Item**.
- From the **Package Contents** screen by using the same button.

In either case, selecting **Add Deliverable Item** will take users to a screen where they can browse the inventory of environmental data files contained in BC Hydro's FileNet documentation system, to find the Item they wish to add. Users can choose to show all Items, or only those folders which contain one or more Items that have not yet been added to FADMS. Users can click on the small arrows ( ▶ ) to toggle the folders open and view their contents. Once users find the file they wish to add, they can select it and click **Add Selected Item** to import it into the FADMS database.



After selecting the file to add, users will be prompted to fill in the Item details, including the Package, and to click **Save** to add the Item to the FADMS. The Item name, Item type, and deliverable Package are required fields and the FADMS will display an error message if they are not filled in before saving.

The screenshot shows the 'Item Details' form with the following fields filled in:

- Name:** Fish Attributes - Elemental Analysis 2012
- Item type:** Report
- Package:** Fish Attributes - Elemental Analysis 2012 - Earth Tone 2012
- File name:** 20131119 06-122 Report Review Tracking Signoff Sheet.pdf
- Permalink:** Document Repository/Fish Attributes - Elemental Analysis 2012 - Earth Tone 2012/

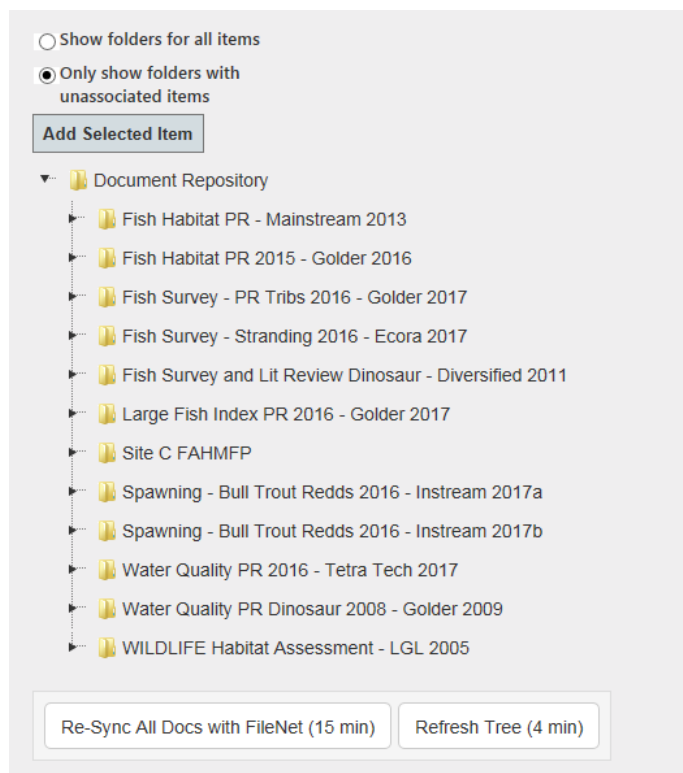
The 'Save' button is highlighted with a mouse cursor.

The item name cannot be blank  
Please select an item type  
Please select a deliverable package



### 2.4.3 Synchronizing FADMS with FileNet

FADMS depends on a linkage to FileNet that makes every Item locatable. There are two situations described below, where the FADMS “snapshot” of FileNet doesn’t accurately match what is actually in FileNet. This requires manual synchronization of FADMS with the FileNet repository. Depending on the need, this manual synchronization is done using one of the two buttons shown at the bottom of the page.



In the first case, when new documents have been added to FileNet, FADMS needs to be manually re-synchronized with FileNet using the “Re-Sync All Docs with FileNet (15 min)” button. This step currently takes about 11 minutes and is only required when new documents have been added to FileNet. After synchronization, the graphical Tree is refreshed, taking a further 4 minutes. When these steps are complete the page will refresh, and the new folders and documents will be visible. Once done, this re-synchronization will persist across different browser sessions and across different users until new documents are added.

In the second case, the addition of FileNet-based Items to new or existing FADMS Packages may result in **all** the documents in a folder being added to FADMS. At this point there are no unassociated Items in the folder. FADMS requires about 4 minutes to re-evaluate all the documents in FileNet and compare them to its own internal list of Items. Because of this long delay, refreshing the list of “folders with unassociated Items” has not been automated but is carried out using the “Refresh Tree (4 min)” button whenever the FADMS user feels the need to “tidy up” the list of unassociated is folders. This synchronization step is done automatically



on the first use after the FADMS web service is restarted but affects only the first user of FADMS after the restart.

## 2.5 Additional Tools for Administrators

Additional options are available in the FADMS for administrators, who can also manage data added by other users and manage the list of attribute options available for assigning to Packages.

### 2.5.1 Managing data

Adding data and managing data added by other users is accomplished through the same **Report and Database Index** interface as previously described.

When administrators choose to view the details of any Item in the database, regardless of who added the document, they will see that each of the details tabs now features a **Delete** option. As a precaution against accidental data loss, choosing to **Delete** an Item or Package will trigger a prompt to confirm the action.



Unlike regular users, administrators can also change the attributes of any Package from the **Package Details** screen using the drop-down menus.



Find Data | Item Details | **Package Details** | Package Contents | History

**Name** Creel Survey PR 2009 - LGL 2010  
**Description** With the aim of establishing a baseline for future assessment, a creel survey was initiated to monitor recreational use (particularly fishing activities) on the Peace and Pine rivers and to interview recreational users in order to quantify the timing, duration, type and location of their recreational activities.  
**Organization** LGL Limited  
**Publication year** 2010  
**Project phase** Pre-Project  
**Comments**

Edit Delete

**Attributes**

**Monitoring Programs**

**Monitoring Program Tasks**

- Mon-1a T2c Site C Reservoir Creel Survey
- Mon-2 T2c Peace River Creel Survey
- + -- Select --




**Study Types**

## 2.5.2 Managing attribute lists

When administrators log into the FADMS, they will see an additional menu option on the **Home** screen for **System Administration** to access these functions.

**Site C Fisheries and Aquatic Data Management System**

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-  Report and Database Index
-  Managed Environmental Data
-  System Administration

This will take administrators to the existing attribute lists, which are:

Fish Species Groups	Measures	Study Types
Fish Species	Methods	Tributaries
General Locations	Project Phases	Units
Item Types	Seasons	

The options available for managing each list vary by list type.

### Lists Made up of Other Lists

e.g., Fish Species Groups, Study Types

#### Add New

To add a new group to the list

#### Edit

To modify the group name

#### Manage

To change the list of individual Items that make up each group

As a precaution against accidental data loss, choosing to **Delete** an attribute will trigger a prompt to confirm the deletion.

### Lists with Multiple Fillable Fields and Check Boxes

e.g., Fish Species

**Edit:** to modify the species codes, names, and other properties of existing entries.

Code	Common Name	Latin Name	Harvestable	Sport Fish	Body Size	Length Type
GR	Arctic Grayling	Thymallus arcticus	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Large	Fork
BMC	Brassy Minnow	Hybognathus hankinsoni	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Small	Fork
BSB	Brook Stickleback	Culea inconstans	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Small	Fork
EB	Brook Trout	Salvelinus fontinalis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Large	Fork





**Edit:** to create a new species entry.

Back		Add New						
Code	Common Name	Latin Name	Harvestable	Sport Fish	Body Size	Length Type		
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>		
<input type="button" value="Save"/>	<input type="button" value="Cancel"/>							
Code	Common Name	Latin Name	Harvestable	Sport Fish	Body Size	Length Type		
<input type="button" value="Edit"/>	<input type="button" value="Delete"/>	GR	Arctic Grayling	Thymallus arcticus	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Large	Fork
<input type="button" value="Edit"/>	<input type="button" value="Delete"/>	BMC	Brassy Minnow	Hybognathus hankinsoni	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Small	Fork
<input type="button" value="Edit"/>	<input type="button" value="Delete"/>	BSB	Brook Stickleback	Culea inconstans	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Small	Fork

### *Lists with Fillable Fields Only*

e.g., General Locations, Item Types, Measures, Methods, Project Phases, Seasons, Tributaries, Units

Back		Add New			
Name	Description				
<input type="text" value="Dinosaur Reservoir"/>	<input type="text" value="Dinosaur Reservoir, located upstream of Peace Canyon Dam"/>				
<input type="button" value="Save"/>	<input type="button" value="Cancel"/>				
<input type="button" value="Edit"/>	<input type="button" value="Delete"/>	Other	Rivers, lakes or dams that are not associated with the Peace River.		

Back		Add New			
Name	Description				
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>				
<input type="button" value="Save"/>	<input type="button" value="Cancel"/>				
<input type="button" value="Edit"/>	<input type="button" value="Delete"/>	Dinosaur Reservoir	Dinosaur Reservoir, located upstream of Peace Canyon Dam		
<input type="button" value="Edit"/>	<input type="button" value="Delete"/>	Other	Rivers, lakes or dams that are not associated with the Peace River.		

## 3 Managed Environmental Data

From the **Home** screen of the FADMS, click on the **Managed Environmental Data** link to access an environmental database of information that is collected routinely for BC Hydro at a number of permanent sampling stations, e.g., air and water quality, climate data. Clicking on the **Managed Environmental Data** link will take users to a **Physical Data** screen containing links for importing, exporting, graphing, and viewing these different types of environmental data.



## Site C Fisheries and Aquatic Data Management System | Physical Data

-  Air Quality & Climate Data
-  Turbidity & Temperature Data
-  Water Quality Data

Click on any one of the three data type links on the **Physical Data** screen to switch to an **Import Data** screen. From there, users can either import into the BC Hydro database from an Excel spreadsheet file or view selected data from the database in the form of tables and charts.

## Site C Fisheries and Aquatic Data Management System | Import Data

**Air Quality & Climate Data**

Import data from file

View data (charts or table)

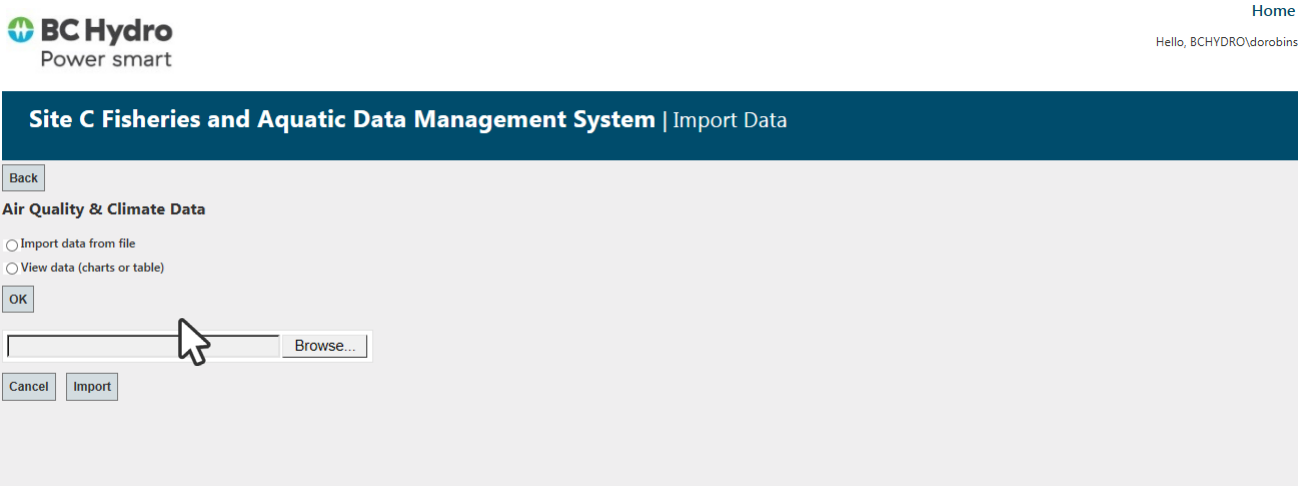
Use the **Back** button on the **Import Data** screen to return to the **Physical Data** screen (e.g., to select a different data type), or click on the **Home** link or the BC Hydro logo to return to the FADMS **Home** screen.

### 3.1 Importing Data

Before attempting to import data into the BC Hydro environmental information database, it will be necessary to ensure that the data comply with the required format. Specific formatting requirements for each type of environmental data are provided in Appendix B: Formatting Requirements for Importing Data. Additionally, if the new data relate to sites or parameters that are not already represented in the environmental database, a **System Administrator** will need to add them to the master lists of sites and parameters (see Section 3.3), otherwise the import will fail (in the case of sites) or the imported data will be inaccessible to users (in the case of parameters).

To import new data, go to the **Physical Data** screen and click on the link that corresponds to the type of data to be imported, e.g., to import air quality data, click on the **Air Quality & Climate Data** link. This action will take the user to the **Import Data** screen.

The options available for importing data differ depending on the data type selected. For **Air Quality & Climate Data** and **Turbidity & Temperature Data**, select the **Import data from file** option by clicking the adjacent radio button followed by **OK**.



A **Browse** button and single-line text box will appear. Clicking on **Browse** allows the user to navigate to and select the Excel file (\*.xlsx) containing the data to be imported.<sup>2</sup> Click **Open** and the filename will appear in the text box on the **Import Data** screen. Click **Import** to import the data into the environmental database. If the import is successful, a confirmation message will appear. If errors occur, e.g., a mismatch on site name, a message with red text will appear identifying the error.

For **Water Quality Data**, select the **Import data from file** option by clicking the adjacent radio button followed by **OK**. Four types of water quality data will be listed. Select a data type by clicking in the adjacent radio button and then clicking **OK**. A **Browse** button and single-line text box will appear. Proceed as above by clicking on the **Browse** button to select the file to be imported. Repeat for any other data types to be imported.

Note that the FADMS will not prevent users from importing the same dataset more than once. All imported data will be added to the environmental database. The data associated with redundant imports can be deleted from the database by users with administrative privileges (see Section 3.3.3).

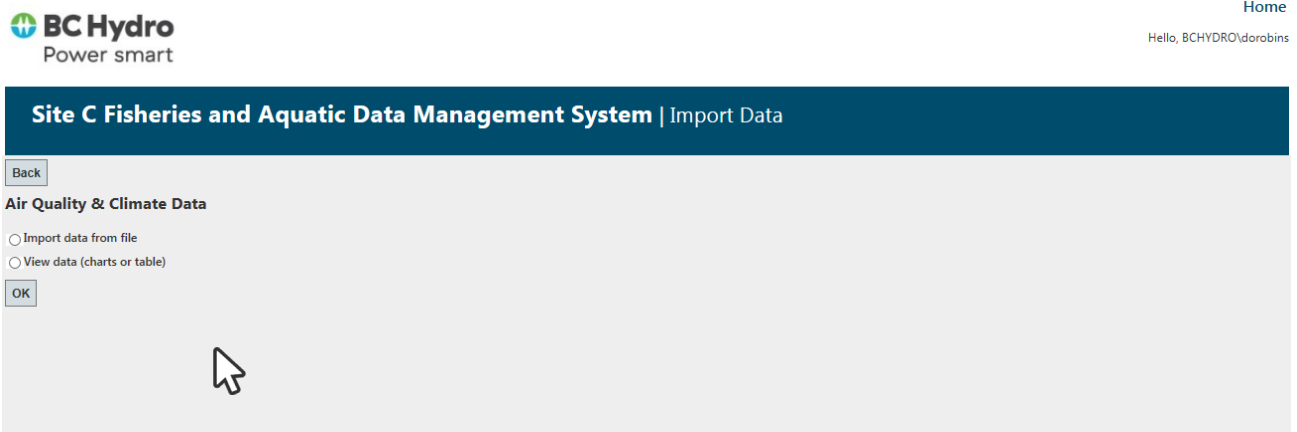
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<sup>2</sup> Other file formats may be added in the future, depending on demand.

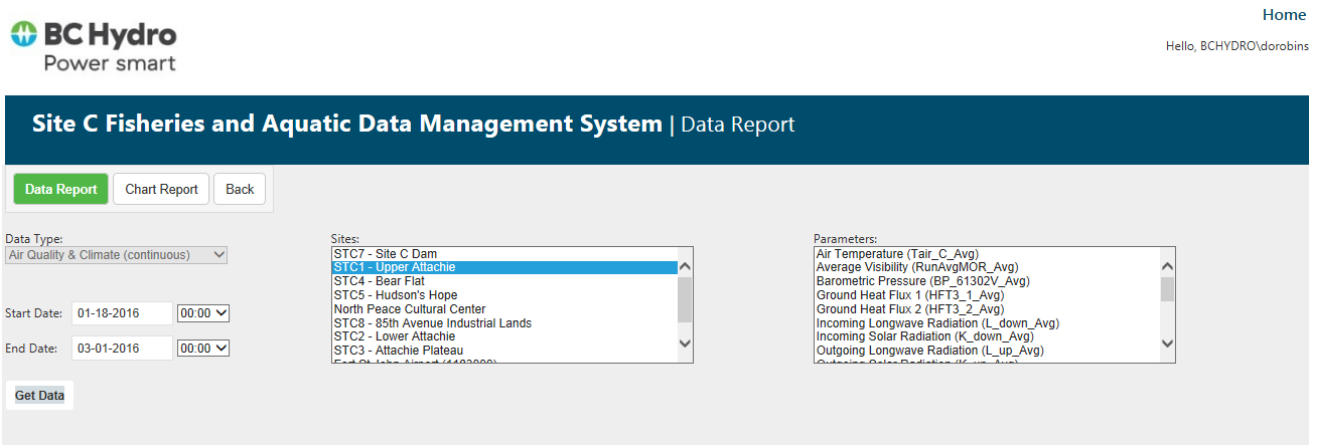


## 3.2 Viewing Data (Tables and Charts)

To view and export environmental data from the environmental database, select **View data (charts or tables)** on the **Import Data** screen by clicking the adjacent radio button followed by **OK**.



This action will open a **Data Report** screen that features two options: **Data Report** (for tabular data) and **Chart Report** (for graphical data).

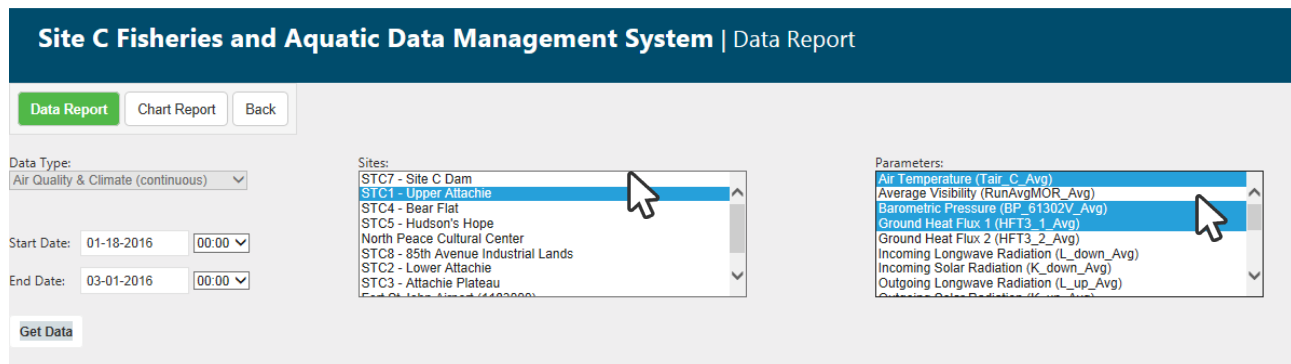


### 3.2.1 Data Report

The **Data Report** screen provides access to the fields available for querying the data in the environmental database and allows users to generate customized datasets in tabular format. Note that the **Data Type** field will already be populated with the data type selected by the user on the **Physical Data** screen. For example, if the user clicked on the **Air Quality & Climate Data** link on the **Physical Data** screen, that data type will be listed under **Data Type** on the **Data Report** screen. To switch to a different data type, users need to return to the **Physical Data** screen and change their selection there.



Options on the **Data Report** screen for querying the database include type of data (for Water Quality Data only, make a selection from the **Water Type** drop-down), start and end date/time, location, and parameter. Users can specify a start date by clicking in the **Start Date** field to open a calendar with which to select a date. Select a start time from the adjacent drop-down list. Repeat for **End Date** and time. Specify sampling location by selecting one or more entries from the list of **Sites**. Use Shift-click to make multiple contiguous selections, or Ctrl-click to make multiple non-contiguous selections. Specify the sampling parameter(s) of interest by selecting one or more entries from the **Parameters** list. Use Shift-click to select multiple contiguous parameters or Ctrl-click to select multiple non-contiguous parameters.



When at least one entry from each field has been selected, click on the **Get Data** button to generate a table of data captured by the query. An error message will appear if the query is incomplete.

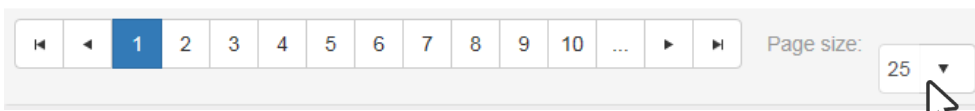
Tabular data always include a unique record number (**Record Num**), import identifier (**Import ID**), and sampling time (**Timestamp**). The remaining columns in the table correspond to the site names and parameters chosen by the user. For water quality (spot) data, additional fields are present. Whenever there is more than a single page of data, the total number of rows and pages (based on the default of 25 rows per page) in the table will be shown in the far-right corner of the screen. If there are no data in the environmental database that correspond to the user's query criteria, the message "No records to display" will appear under the table's column headings.

The columns in the table can be sized to accommodate the length of the column headings. To do this, the user can hover the cursor over the vertical line between two columns until a double-headed arrow appears. Left-click, hold and drag to the right to widen and to the left to narrow a column. Release when the desired width is achieved.



Record Num	Import ID	Site Name	Timestamp	Tair_C_Av	BP_61302V_Av	HFT3_1_Av
1	4	STC1 - Upper Attachie	2/1/2016 1:00:00 AM	-3.198	1009	-3.505
2	4	STC1 - Upper Attachie	2/1/2016 2:00:00 AM	-3.26	1009	-3.507
3	4	STC1 - Upper Attachie	2/1/2016 3:00:00 AM	-3.222	1009	-3.45
4	4	STC1 - Upper Attachie	2/1/2016 4:00:00 AM	-3.627	1009	-3.448
5	4	STC1 - Upper Attachie	2/1/2016 5:00:00 AM	-3.783	1008	-3.623
6	4	STC1 - Upper Attachie	2/1/2016 6:00:00 AM	-4.004	1008	-3.751
7	4	STC1 - Upper Attachie	2/1/2016 7:00:00 AM	-4.134	1008	-3.832

Specify the number of rows to display per page using the drop-down list below the table.



The default is 25 rows of data, and the maximum is 50. Scroll through datasets containing more than one page of data using the navigation bar below the table. Single-headed arrows advance or go back one page at a time. Arrows with a vertical bar jump to the first or last page of data. Access a specific page of data by clicking on the numbered box in the navigation bar that corresponds to the required page. The navigation bar shows 10 pages at a time. Click on the right-most box containing three dots to advance the display to the next 10 pages or click on the left-most box containing three dots to show the previous 10 pages.

Users can save the data captured by their queries. Click on the **Export to Excel** button to export the data in the table to an Excel spreadsheet. When the export is complete, a menu bar appears at the bottom of the screen giving the user a choice of opening the file (called RadGridExport.xlsx) and/or saving it.



Clicking **Open** will open the file in Excel, and users can use Excel's menu options for saving the file. Alternatively, there are three options in the **Save** drop-down: **Save**, **Save as**, and **Save and open**.

Choose **Save** to save the file with its default filename to the default location specified on the user's computer (e.g., the **Downloads** folder). Successive exports will not overwrite earlier exports. Each time an exported dataset is saved, the FADMS appends a number in parentheses to keep all filenames unique, e.g., RadGridExport (1).xlsx. After saving the file, the options on the menu bar change to **Open**, **Open folder**, and **View downloads**.







**Open** launches Excel and opens the file. Although **Open with** is an option here, only Excel can be used to open the file.

The **Open folder** option on the menu bar opens the folder in which the file containing the exported data was saved (e.g., the **Downloads** folder). From there, users can rename the file, open the file in Excel, make a copy of the file, or cut/copy the file to another folder.

Users can view a searchable list of their downloads, including data files exported from the FADMS, by clicking on the **View downloads** button on the menu bar.

This list is generated in a separate window by the user's Internet Explorer (IE) browser. Files can be opened from this window or removed from the downloads list. In IE, this window also provides users an opportunity to change the default folder into which downloads are saved. To change the default downloads folder, click on the **Options** link in the lower left corner of the window. **Browse** to and select the new destination folder for downloads and click **OK**. Changing the default downloads folder will affect all downloads, not just the ones generated by FADMS.

Back on the menu bar, the other options for saving exported datasets are **Save as** and **Save and open**. Choose **Save and open** to save the file to the downloads folder and open it in Excel to view and work with the data. Use **Save as** to save the file with a different filename and/or to a different folder.

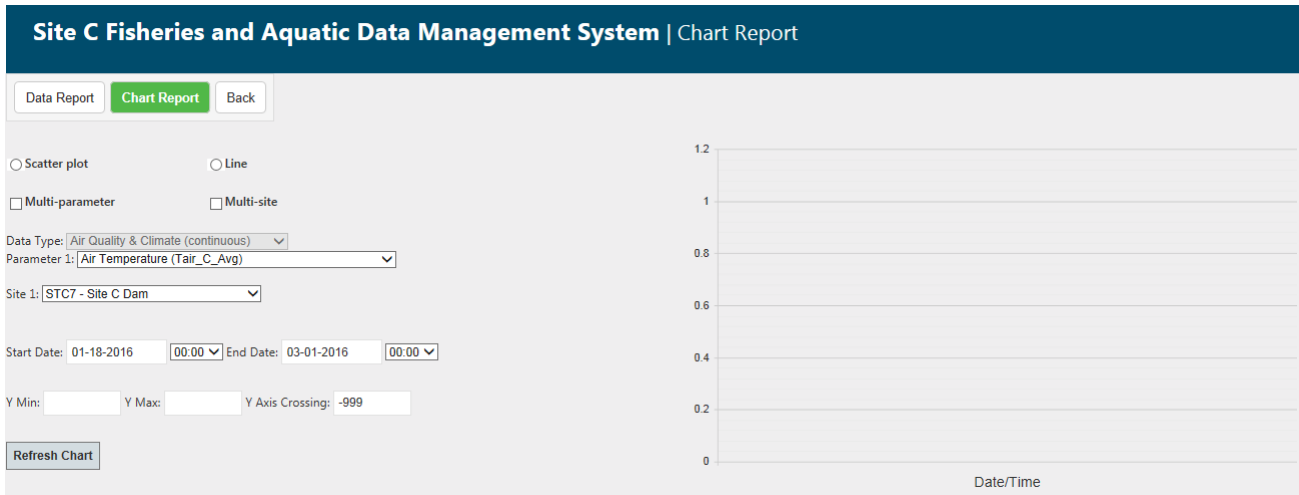
As soon as you choose one of these options, the menu bar will close.

### 3.2.2 Chart Report

On the **Data Report** screen, click on the **Chart Report** button to access the fields available for querying the data in the environmental database and generating graphical data reports. Note that the **Data Type** field will already be populated with the data type selected by the user on the **Physical Data** screen. For example, if the user clicked on the **Air Quality & Climate Data** link on the **Physical Data** screen, that data type will be listed under **Data Type** on the **Data Report** screen. To switch to a different data type, users need to return to the **Physical Data** screen and change their selection there.

Options on the **Chart Report** screen for querying the database include plot type, number of parameters and sites, and start and end date/time.





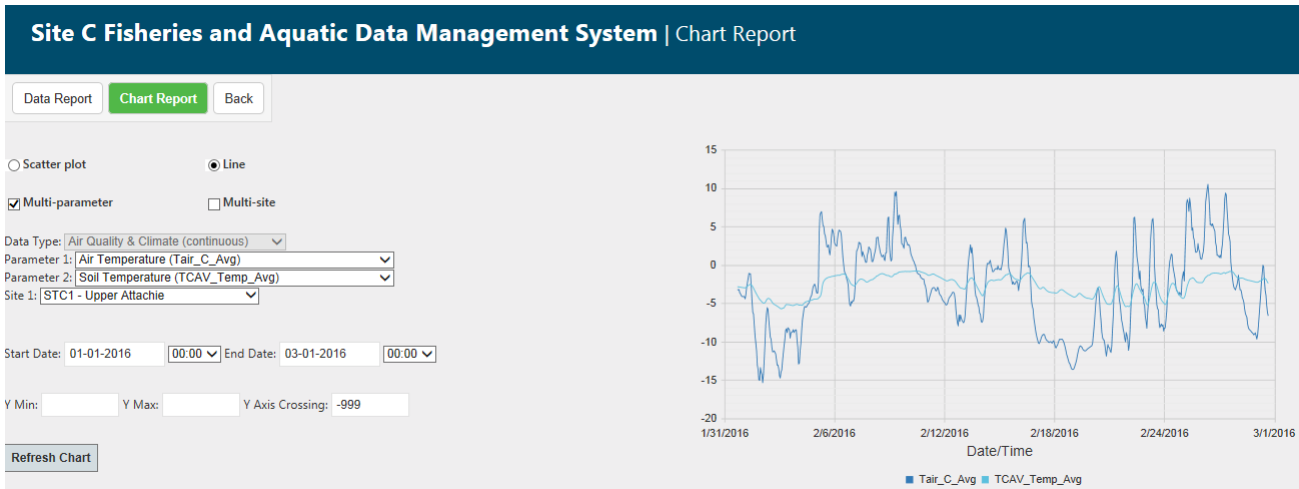
Users can select only one plot type, and they can plot either multiple parameters or multiple sites, but not both. If no plot type is selected, the FADMS will generate a scatter plot by default. If neither of the “multi-” options are checked, the plot will include only one site and one parameter.

Specify either a **Scatter plot** or a **Line** plot by clicking the corresponding radio button. Checking the **Multi-parameter** checkbox opens another parameter drop-down from which users can choose a second parameter to graph. Alternatively, checking the **Multi-site** checkbox opens a second site drop-down from which users can select one additional site to graph.

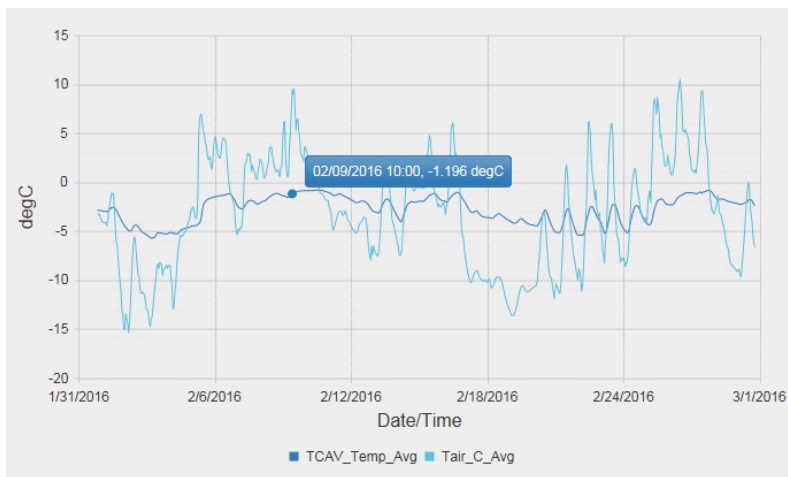
Start and end dates and times are specified in the same fashion as described for **Data Reports**. Minimum and maximum Y-axis values can also be specified by the user by entering values into the **Y Min** and **Y Max** fields. Note, however, that the FADMS graphing function automatically sets minimum and maximum Y-axis values that optimize the way the data are displayed. The **Y Axis Crossing** field is present and populated with the value -999 to ensure that the X-Axis labels display below the graph. Users do not need to change this value.

Click on the **Refresh Chart** button to generate a graph of the data captured by the selected criteria. The image below shows a line graph of two temperature parameters (air and soil) for the Upper Attachie site from January 1, 2016 00:00 to March 1, 2016 23:00. The two temperature parameters are distinguished by different colours which are defined in the legend below the X-Axis label.





To see the values associated with individual data points in the plots, hover the mouse over the area of interest. A box containing the date, time, and data value will appear. The colour of the box identifies the parameter, corresponding to the colours in the legend. For example, the image below shows a data point for air temperature in degrees Celsius at 10:00 on February 9, 2016.



### 3.3 Additional Tools for Administrators


Users with administrative access to the FADMS can add, delete, and edit data in the environmental database. For example, an administrator can delete all of the data from a specific import event, e.g., if the user who imported the data reports errors and wishes to re-import a corrected dataset.

When administrators log into the FADMS, they will see an additional menu option on the home screen for **System Administration**.




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 Report and Database Index

 Managed Environmental Data

 System Administration

Clicking on the **System Administration** link on the **Home** screen opens the **System Administration** screen. This screen provides access to all administrative features and functions of the FADMS, i.e., for both the **Report and Database Index** and the **Managed Environmental Data** components.

## Site C Fisheries and Aquatic Data Management System | System Administration

### Manage Report and Database Index Lists

- Fish Species Groups
- Fish Species
- General Locations
- Item Types
- Measures
- Methods
- Project Phases
- Seasons
- Study Types
- Tributaries
- Units

### Manage Environmental Data Lists

- Sites
- Parameters

### Manage Environmental Data

- Water Quality Import Log
- Water Quality Field Sheets
- Air Quality & Climate Import Log
- Turbidity & Temperature Import Log

The following text applies only to the **Managed Environmental Data** component of the FADMS; the administrative features and functions for the **Report and Database Index** are described in Section 2.5.

In the context of the **Managed Environmental Data** component of the FADMS, the **System Administration** screen allows administrators to manage master tables of sites and parameters, and to track and manage data import events by system users.

### 3.3.1 Manage Environmental Data Lists – Sites

Clicking on the **Sites** link opens a screen that contains a master table of all locations available in the site drop-downs used for generating data and chart reports. Administrators can **Edit** or **Delete** any site listed in the master sites table, and they can **Add New** sites.

The master sites table is linked to the environmental database. The FADMS reads the **Name** field in this table when users import new data into the environmental database (Section 3.1), and the value in the **Name** field of the master sites table must exactly match the value in the **Name** field of the data spreadsheet for the import to be successful. The only exception is for the turbidity data in which the **Logger Name** field is the one which must match the **Name** field in the data spreadsheet. Sites names are case sensitive. Before data for a new site can be imported into the database by a user, the new site must be added to the master sites table by the administrator.

Clicking on the **Add New** button opens a suite of fields that correspond to those in the sites table.

Name	UTM Zone	UTM Northing (NAD 83)	UTM Easting (NAD 83)	Elevation (m)	Operation Start	Operation End	Ground Water	Surface Water	Turbidity	Logger Name	Description
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Enter the site **Name** exactly as it appears in the spreadsheet of data to be imported. **Name** is a required field, and the value must be unique relative to all other entries in the master sites table. If the new site is one at which water quality data are being collected in field sheets, the administrator must indicate the type of water quality site by checking the relevant water quality checkbox. For sites at which turbidity data are being collected, the **Logger Name** field must also be populated, be the same as the **Name** field in the data spreadsheet, and be unique. In this one case, the **Name** field does not need to match the spreadsheet. All other fields are optional.

Click **Save** to add the new site to the sites table. Use the **Back** button to return to the master sites table.

To make changes to an existing entry in the sites table, click on the **Edit** button adjacent to the entry. The site details will open in editable text boxes in situ. Edit the required fields with caution, keeping in mind the constraints noted above. Also, be aware that changing the type of data associated with a site, e.g., from ground water to surface water, may change what data users will be able to access through the FADMS. Click **Save** when done editing.



Remove unwanted sites from the table, one at a time, by clicking on the **Delete** button adjacent to the entries to be removed. Choosing to **Delete** a site will trigger a prompt to confirm the deletion. Because the sites table is linked to the environmental database, and data are linked to specific sites, deleting a site removes all data associated with that site from the database and removes the site name from all **Sites** drop-downs in which it was listed.

When the sites table opens, the entries are sorted in ascending order by **Name**. Sort on any field by clicking on the column headings. Repeated clicks toggle the sort between ascending and descending order.

From the master sites tables, use the **Back** button to return to the **System Administration** screen.

### 3.3.2 Manage Environmental Data Lists – Parameters

From the **System Administration** screen, click on the **Parameters** link to open a screen that contains a master parameters table. The parameters table lists all the parameters available in the **Parameters** drop-downs used for generating data reports and charts. The FADMS reads the parameter **Field Name** and **Units** from this table when generating tables and charts. Administrators can **Add New** parameters, and they can **Edit** or **Delete** any listed parameter.

Clicking on **Add New** opens a suite of fields that correspond to those in the parameters table. New entries must include a **Name**, **Units**, and **Data Type** in order to be successfully saved to the parameters table. Enter any additional details about the parameter that are available. Click **Save** to add the parameter to the parameters table. Although entering a **Field Name** is not required for adding parameters to the table, only parameters with a **Field Name** that matches one already in the database will appear in parameter drop-down list and be available for generating data reports and charts.

Name	Data Type	Units	Field Name	Description
	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">Air Quality &amp; Climate (continuous) Water Quality (spot) Turbidity &amp; Temperature (continuous)</div>			

To make changes to an existing entry in the parameters table, click on the **Edit** button adjacent to the entry. The parameter details will open in editable text boxes in situ. Changes can be made to **Name**, **Units**, and **Description** fields without issue, but **Data Type** and **Field Name** should not be changed. **Field Name** is linked to **Field Name** in the database, so editing this value in the parameters table may generate an error. Also, changing the **Data Type** assigned to a parameter will result in the wrong parameters appearing in the data report and charting screens. Click **Save** when done editing.



There are two options for removing unwanted parameters from the parameters table: (1) delete the **Field Name**; or (2) click on the **Delete** button adjacent to the entry to be removed, and then click **OK** on the deletion confirmation request to finish. Removing a parameter by deleting its **Field Name** in the parameters table keeps the information about the parameter in the parameters table but renders the data associated with the parameter inaccessible to users by removing the parameter name from all **Parameters** drop-downs. Deleting a parameter altogether from the parameters table removes the entire entry from the table. Because the deletion includes the **Field Name**, all data associated with the deleted parameter will become inaccessible to users. Neither method for removing a parameter from the parameters table results in the loss of data from the environmental database.

When the parameters table opens, the entries are sorted in ascending order by **Data Type** and then **Name**. Sort on other fields by clicking on the column headings. Repeated clicks toggle the sort between ascending and descending order.

Use the **Back** button to return to the **System Administration** screen.

### 3.3.3 Manage Environmental Data

On the **System Administration** screen, four types of data imports are listed:

1. Water Quality Import Log
2. Water Quality Field Sheets
3. Air Quality & Climate Import Log
4. Turbidity & Temperature Import Log

Each import type shown here links to a master table that lists all successful data imports of that type that have been made by users (see about Importing Data, Section 3.1). System administrators can track and manage (edit, delete) data imports as needed. Deleting an entry from one of these tables removes the imported data from the environmental database, e.g., if a user reports an error in the data contained in an import, the data can be removed from the database, corrected, and re-imported. When an administrator clicks **Delete**, a message requesting confirmation of the deletion will open. Click **OK** to complete the deletion.

Clicking on **Water Quality Import Log** or **Air Quality & Climate Import Log** opens a table that lists all imports that have been made by users of that data type. Each entry in the table includes a unique **Import ID**, specifies the **Data Type** imported, gives the dates associated with the first (**Record Start**) and last (**Record End**) record in the imported dataset, identifies the user who imported the data (**Added By**), and gives the date of the import (**Added On**). The dates associated with the first and last records in the dataset along with the identity of the importer can be used by administrators to determine if a dataset has been inadvertently imported more than once. Redundant imports can only be deleted by a system administrator.





No water quality data from field sheets has been imported into the FADMS yet, so no table of import events for this data type exists.

Clicking on **Turbidity & Temperature Import Log** opens a table that lists all turbidity and temperature imports that have been made by users. Each entry in the table includes all of the same fields as the water and air quality import log tables, plus a **Site** field. Like the air quality import log table, the dates associated with the first and last records in the dataset along with the identity of the importer can be used by administrators to determine if a dataset has been inadvertently imported more than once. Redundant imports can only be deleted by a system administrator.



## Appendix A: FADMS Metadata Checklist

*The Metadata Checklist shown here is also available as a fillable-form PDF document. The fillable form should be used to enter document information. Please contact the FADMS steward to obtain a copy of the fillable document.*



### Metadata Checklist

#### Instructions

Use this sheet to record your information before it is entered into the Site C FADMS. This sheet corresponds closely with the data that is requested in the FADMS, including its use of the same terminology. In each case, either fill in the appropriate information (e.g., name, description, citation, etc.) or check the relevant Items (e.g., study type, methods, measures, etc.). Definitions of some of the terms are on the final pages.

This document is designed to match the two sections of the FADMS: **Packages** and **Items**. A Package contains most of the information about the study: name, location, study years and methods, etc. Items are the specific documents related to the study, such as reports, spreadsheets, or maps. This checklist includes blank templates for 3 Items; but as many Items can be added as is needed.

#### Best Practices

There is a lot of flexibility as to naming and location of the files. There are, however, some limitations and some guidelines that should be followed:

1. Project files should be loaded into FileNet directories using whatever logic is consistent with the files, and a top-level directory name that follows the naming pattern of top-level directories. In general, remember that other users are looking for concise high-level descriptions in the names of directories. Subdirectory names such as \Reports, \Data, \GIS, and \Photos may be useful, depending on the project. Subdirectories for locations may also be appropriate.
2. For highly repetitious data loaded into FileNet (e.g. 500 photos), consider putting the files in a ZIP file before adding to FileNet. This makes it simpler (i.e. less repetitious) to link them to the FADMS.
3. In the FADMS, the longest full path name for any document (including all subdirectories) is 250 characters. Documents that exceed this limit will not be visible within the FADMS even though they may exist in FileNet. When such very long filenames are detected by the FADMS, a file called "FileNet-Error-*nn*.txt" is created (where '*nn*' is the number of files found) at the top of the file tree; and can be downloaded to identify and correct these files by shortening their name or the pathname.

File names and locations can be recorded later in the document.





## Package

**Name:** *(A Short Name. Use the key words from the report. For example, “Peace River Angling and Recreational-Use Creel Survey 2008-2009” becomes “Creel Survey” or “Fish Otolith Collection for Elemental Signature Analyses Data Report” becomes “Fish Attributes – Elemental Analysis”*

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**Description:** *(do not include the full abstract. This should just contain enough information so that someone knows what they might be getting. For example, “this report summarizes the collection of water chemistry samples for dissolved metal concentrations and fish otolith samples in the Pine River.”; or “A creel survey was initiated to monitor recreational use (particularly fishing activities) on the Peace and Pine rivers and to interview recreational users in order to quantify the timing, duration, type and location of their recreational activities.”)*

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**Organization:** *(e.g., Golder Associates Ltd.)*

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**Author (actual names, not company name):** *(e.g., Joe Smith, Mary Brown)*

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**Comments:** *(optional, anything else you might want to add about this study)*

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**Monitoring Programs:**

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**Monitoring Program Tasks:**

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**Years: Publication** (*year that the report was produced*) \_\_\_\_\_  
**Start Year:** (*first year of study in this report*) \_\_\_\_\_  
**End Year:** (*last year of study in this report*) \_\_\_\_\_

**Project Phase:**

- Pre-Project
- Construction
- Construction – Channelization
- Construction – Diversion
- Construction - Reservoir Filling
- Operations

**Season** (*Select one or more seasons in which this data were collected*):

- Spring       Summer       Fall       Winter

**Study Types:**      *Level 1 or high level study type (see Appendix). Select one or more.*

<input type="checkbox"/> Air Quality	<input type="checkbox"/> Climate	<input type="checkbox"/> Creel Survey
<input type="checkbox"/> Fish Habitat	<input type="checkbox"/> Fish Movement	<input type="checkbox"/> Fish Passage
<input type="checkbox"/> Fish Survey and Attributes	<input type="checkbox"/> Flow	<input type="checkbox"/> Ground Water Quality
<input type="checkbox"/> Literature Review	<input type="checkbox"/> Noise	<input type="checkbox"/> Operations
<input type="checkbox"/> Lower Trophic Levels	<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment	<input type="checkbox"/> Soil
<input type="checkbox"/> Spawning	<input type="checkbox"/> Terrestrial Vegetation	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Quality
<input type="checkbox"/> Wildlife Habitat	<input type="checkbox"/> Wildlife Survey	



**General Locations:**

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Peace River              | <input type="checkbox"/> Tributaries (upstream) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tributaries (downstream) | <input type="checkbox"/> Site C Reservoir       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dinosaur Reservoir       | <input type="checkbox"/> Williston Reservoir    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other                    |   |

**Tributaries:** *In which creeks or rivers were the data collected? Select one or more. If your detailed location is not on the list, please write it in. Note: "PR" is Peace River*

<input type="checkbox"/> AG SITE 1B	<input type="checkbox"/> AG SITE 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Blueberry River	<input type="checkbox"/> Burnt River
<input type="checkbox"/> Cadotte River	<input type="checkbox"/> Callazon Creek	<input type="checkbox"/> Cameron River	<input type="checkbox"/> Charlie Lake
<input type="checkbox"/> Chowade River	<input type="checkbox"/> Clear River	<input type="checkbox"/> Cypress Creek	<input type="checkbox"/> Doig River
<input type="checkbox"/> Farrell Creek	<input type="checkbox"/> Fellers Creek	<input type="checkbox"/> Fiddes Creek	<input type="checkbox"/> Gething Creek
<input type="checkbox"/> Graham River	<input type="checkbox"/> Halfway River	<input type="checkbox"/> Johnson Creek	<input type="checkbox"/> Kiskatinaw River
<input type="checkbox"/> Little Smoky River	<input type="checkbox"/> Lynx Creek	<input type="checkbox"/> Maurice Creek	<input type="checkbox"/> Milligan Creek
<input type="checkbox"/> Moberly River	<input type="checkbox"/> Montney Creek	<input type="checkbox"/> Murray River	<input type="checkbox"/> Needham Creek
<input type="checkbox"/> Notekiwini River	<input type="checkbox"/> Peace River (PR)	<input type="checkbox"/> PR Section 1	<input type="checkbox"/> PR Section 1A
<input type="checkbox"/> PR Section 2	<input type="checkbox"/> PR Section 3	<input type="checkbox"/> PR Section 5	<input type="checkbox"/> PR Section 6
<input type="checkbox"/> PR Section 7	<input type="checkbox"/> PR Section 8	<input type="checkbox"/> PR Section 9	<input type="checkbox"/> Pine River
<input type="checkbox"/> Pouce Coupe R. Split	<input type="checkbox"/> Pouce Coupe River	<input type="checkbox"/> Smoky River	<input type="checkbox"/> Stoddard Creek
<input type="checkbox"/> Turnoff Creek	<input type="checkbox"/> Upper Farrell River	<input type="checkbox"/> Upper Halfway River	<input type="checkbox"/> Upper Moberly River
<input type="checkbox"/> Upper Pine River	<input type="checkbox"/> Whitemud River	<input type="checkbox"/> Wolverine River	

Other? \_\_\_\_\_

**Fish species:** *For which species was information collected? Full English and Latin names are in the Appendix.*

<input type="checkbox"/> GR	<input type="checkbox"/> BMC	<input type="checkbox"/> BSB	<input type="checkbox"/> EB	<input type="checkbox"/> BT	<input type="checkbox"/> BB	<input type="checkbox"/> CBC	<input type="checkbox"/> CT
<input type="checkbox"/> DC	<input type="checkbox"/> ESC	<input type="checkbox"/> FM	<input type="checkbox"/> FDC	<input type="checkbox"/> FHC	<input type="checkbox"/> GE	<input type="checkbox"/> KO	<input type="checkbox"/> LKC
<input type="checkbox"/> CL	<input type="checkbox"/> LT	<input type="checkbox"/> LW	<input type="checkbox"/> CSU	<input type="checkbox"/> LNC	<input type="checkbox"/> LSU	<input type="checkbox"/> C	<input type="checkbox"/> MW
<input type="checkbox"/> NSB	<input type="checkbox"/> NP	<input type="checkbox"/> RDC	<input type="checkbox"/> XDC	<input type="checkbox"/> NSC	<input type="checkbox"/> PCC	<input type="checkbox"/> PDC	<input type="checkbox"/> P
<input type="checkbox"/> CAS	<input type="checkbox"/> PW	<input type="checkbox"/> RB	<input type="checkbox"/> RSC	<input type="checkbox"/> CC	<input type="checkbox"/> CCG	<input type="checkbox"/> CRI	<input type="checkbox"/> STC
<input type="checkbox"/> SB	<input type="checkbox"/> SU	<input type="checkbox"/> TR	<input type="checkbox"/> TP	<input type="checkbox"/> WP	<input type="checkbox"/> WSU	<input type="checkbox"/> WF	<input type="checkbox"/> YP



**Methods:** Select one or more. This is a list of **how** the data were collected. For example, the fish may have been caught using a type of electrofishing or a type of trap. Then there may have been collection of tissue or scales, and spot water quality measurements. Definitions are in the Appendix.

<input type="checkbox"/> aerial photo assessment	<input type="checkbox"/> aerial (survey)	<input type="checkbox"/> ageing structure analysis	<input type="checkbox"/> ageing structure collection
<input type="checkbox"/> angling	<input type="checkbox"/> barrier net or fence	<input type="checkbox"/> beach seine	<input type="checkbox"/> benthic invertebrates
<input type="checkbox"/> boat-based wildlife/bird survey	<input type="checkbox"/> call play back	<input type="checkbox"/> continuous (water measurements)	<input type="checkbox"/> creel survey
<input type="checkbox"/> DNA analysis	<input type="checkbox"/> DNA collection	<input type="checkbox"/> dredge	<input type="checkbox"/> electrofishing - backpack
<input type="checkbox"/> electrofishing - boat (large fish)	<input type="checkbox"/> electrofishing - boat (small fish)	<input type="checkbox"/> elemental analysis	<input type="checkbox"/> fin ray collection
<input type="checkbox"/> foot survey (for wildlife)	<input type="checkbox"/> gill net	<input type="checkbox"/> grab	<input type="checkbox"/> habitat assessment
<input type="checkbox"/> kick disturbance	<input type="checkbox"/> larval drift net	<input type="checkbox"/> mark	<input type="checkbox"/> minnow trap
<input type="checkbox"/> modelling	<input type="checkbox"/> net capture (for wildlife)	<input type="checkbox"/> otolith collection	<input type="checkbox"/> passive listening
<input type="checkbox"/> periphyton	<input type="checkbox"/> photographs time-lapse	<input type="checkbox"/> phytoplankton	<input type="checkbox"/> rotary screw trap
<input type="checkbox"/> sample pits	<input type="checkbox"/> shore-based fish count	<input type="checkbox"/> shovel	<input type="checkbox"/> snorkel survey
<input type="checkbox"/> spot water quality measurement	<input type="checkbox"/> stable isotopes analysis	<input type="checkbox"/> stomach content analysis	<input type="checkbox"/> stomach content collection
<input type="checkbox"/> telemetry - acoustic	<input type="checkbox"/> telemetry - radio	<input type="checkbox"/> Terrestrial Ecosystem Mapping (TEM)	<input type="checkbox"/> time-constrained sampling
<input type="checkbox"/> tissue sampling	<input type="checkbox"/> traps	<input type="checkbox"/> variable radius point counts	<input type="checkbox"/> vehicle-based wildlife/bird survey
<input type="checkbox"/> wildlife/bird observation	<input type="checkbox"/> zooplankton		





**Measures:** Select one or more. This is a list of **what** was actually measured as part of the study, independent of how it was collected. Definitions are in the Appendix.

<input type="checkbox"/> absorbable organic halogens	<input type="checkbox"/> abundance	<input type="checkbox"/> access type	<input type="checkbox"/> activity type	<input type="checkbox"/> age
<input type="checkbox"/> algal cover	<input type="checkbox"/> alkalinity	<input type="checkbox"/> angler demographics	<input type="checkbox"/> angling type	<input type="checkbox"/> bank erosion
<input type="checkbox"/> bank irregularities	<input type="checkbox"/> bankfull width & height	<input type="checkbox"/> benthic invertebrates	<input type="checkbox"/> catch count	<input type="checkbox"/> cation exchange
<input type="checkbox"/> channel gradient	<input type="checkbox"/> chlorophyll a	<input type="checkbox"/> clarity	<input type="checkbox"/> conductivity	<input type="checkbox"/> count
<input type="checkbox"/> cover	<input type="checkbox"/> D90	<input type="checkbox"/> DELT	<input type="checkbox"/> depth	<input type="checkbox"/> discharge
<input type="checkbox"/> dissolved metals	<input type="checkbox"/> dissolved organic carbon	<input type="checkbox"/> dissolved oxygen	<input type="checkbox"/> distribution	<input type="checkbox"/> effort
<input type="checkbox"/> egg count	<input type="checkbox"/> elemental analysis	<input type="checkbox"/> fish count	<input type="checkbox"/> full width	<input type="checkbox"/> gender
<input type="checkbox"/> genetic information	<input type="checkbox"/> habitat	<input type="checkbox"/> habitat type	<input type="checkbox"/> instream cover	<input type="checkbox"/> large organic debris
<input type="checkbox"/> length	<input type="checkbox"/> light intensity	<input type="checkbox"/> location	<input type="checkbox"/> maturity	<input type="checkbox"/> mercury
<input type="checkbox"/> mercury levels	<input type="checkbox"/> metalloids	<input type="checkbox"/> metals	<input type="checkbox"/> methyl mercury	<input type="checkbox"/> mineral analysis
<input type="checkbox"/> moisture content	<input type="checkbox"/> movement	<input type="checkbox"/> near shore slope	<input type="checkbox"/> nest location	<input type="checkbox"/> nitrogen
<input type="checkbox"/> nutrients	<input type="checkbox"/> organic carbon	<input type="checkbox"/> overhead cover	<input type="checkbox"/> oxygen	<input type="checkbox"/> particulate size
<input type="checkbox"/> Periphyton	<input type="checkbox"/> pH	<input type="checkbox"/> Phytoplankton	<input type="checkbox"/> polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons	<input type="checkbox"/> recreational area type
<input type="checkbox"/> recreational user demographics	<input type="checkbox"/> redd count	<input type="checkbox"/> redox potential	<input type="checkbox"/> relative water velocity	<input type="checkbox"/> riparian vegetation type
<input type="checkbox"/> rooted width	<input type="checkbox"/> shoreline type	<input type="checkbox"/> silt content	<input type="checkbox"/> spatial origin	<input type="checkbox"/> spawning behaviour
<input type="checkbox"/> species	<input type="checkbox"/> stable isotope	<input type="checkbox"/> stomach contents	<input type="checkbox"/> substrate compaction & embeddedness	<input type="checkbox"/> substrate compactness
<input type="checkbox"/> substrate composition	<input type="checkbox"/> sulphides	<input type="checkbox"/> suspended solids	<input type="checkbox"/> tag information	<input type="checkbox"/> taxonomy
<input type="checkbox"/> TDS	<input type="checkbox"/> TGP	<input type="checkbox"/> total inorganic mercury	<input type="checkbox"/> total mercury	<input type="checkbox"/> total metals



<input type="checkbox"/> total organic carbon	<input type="checkbox"/> trophic level	<input type="checkbox"/> TSS	<input type="checkbox"/> turbidity	<input type="checkbox"/> velocity
<input type="checkbox"/> water temperature	<input type="checkbox"/> weight	<input type="checkbox"/> wetted areas	<input type="checkbox"/> wetted width	<input type="checkbox"/> zooplankton



## Item 1

**Citation:** *(full citation)*

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### Item Type(s)

- Report
- Data (spreadsheet or database)
- Supporting documents

**Description:** *(a description of this particular item: e.g., interim report, spreadsheet with raw data and analyses, map of sampling areas etc.)*

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**Comments:** *(optional, anything else you might want to add about this study)*

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**File Name:** *(including location)*

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## Item 2

**Citation:** *(full citation)*

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### Item Type(s)

- Report
- Data (spreadsheet or database)
- Supporting documents

**Description:** *(a description of this particular item: e.g., interim report, spreadsheet with raw data and analyses, map of sampling areas etc.)*

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**Comments:** *(optional, anything else you might want to add about this study)*

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**File Name:** *(including location)*

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### Item 3

**Citation:** *(full citation)*

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#### Item Type(s)

- Report
- Data (spreadsheet or database)
- Supporting documents

**Description:** *(a description of this particular item: e.g., interim report, spreadsheet with raw data and analyses, map of sampling areas etc.)*

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**Comments:** *(optional, anything else you might want to add about this study)*

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**File Name:** *(including location)*

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## Definitions

<b>Study Type</b>	<b>Description</b>
Air Quality	
Climate	
Creel Survey	Survey of angler effort
Fish Habitat	Study related to the assessment of habitat for fish
Fish Movement	Study of fish movement often through the use of radio or acoustic telemetry or tag recovery
Fish Passage	Study of fish passage through a hydroelectric facility
Fish Survey and Attributes	Survey of fish, often used to enumerate and collect fish for fish life history metrics (e.g., growth, body condition) using many methods including electrofishing, seining, and angling.
Flow	
Ground Water Quality	
Literature Review	Review of literature
Noise	
Operations	Study related to the operation of the Project
Lower Trophic Levels	Studies measuring primary or secondary trophic levels. These include the biomass and production of zooplankton, benthic invertebrates, periphyton, and phytoplankton.
Sediment	Study of sediment quality
Soil	Study of terrestrial soil quality
Spawning	Study related to fish spawning information
Terrestrial Vegetation	Study related to terrestrial vegetation
Water Quality	Study related to water quality including water temperature, pH, TDG
Wildlife Habitat	Study related to the assessment of habitat for wildlife
Wildlife Survey	Study related to the survey of type, location, or abundance of wildlife

<b>Project Phase</b>	<b>Description</b>
Pre-Project	The period where data are collected prior to the construction of the Project. For some monitoring, the Pre-Project phase will extend into the Construction Phase as the river will still exhibit riverine conditions.
Construction	The first 9 years from when the Project commences. This does not distinguish between the Channelization, Diversion, and Reservoir Filling stages.
Construction - Channelization	Years 1 to 4 of the Construction phase
Construction - Diversion	Years 5 to 9 of the Construction phase
Construction - Reservoir Filling	Years 8 to 9 of the Construction phase



Operations The Operations phase begins when Project construction is completed and the dam is fully functional

Location	Description
Peace River	Prior to the construction of the Project, the Peace River consists of everything from the Peace Canyon Dam to the Many Islands area in Alberta. After the construction of the Project, the Peace River consists of only the Peace River section downstream of the Project. The area upstream of the project is the Reservoir.
Tributaries (upstream)	Any river that flows into the Peace River upstream of the Site C dam site, or that flows into one of these tributaries. For example, the Halfway River is a main tributary upstream of the Site C dam site that has other creeks and rivers that are also considered tributaries (e.g., the Cameron River).
Tributaries (downstream)	Any river that flows into the Peace River downstream of the Site C dam site, or that flows into one of these tributaries. For example, the Pine River is a main tributary downstream of the Site C dam site that has other creeks and rivers that are also considered tributaries (e.g., the Sukunka River).
Site C Reservoir	Site C Reservoir
Dinosaur Reservoir	Dinosaur Reservoir, located upstream of Peace Canyon Dam
Williston Reservoir	Williston Reservoir, located upstream of W.A.C. Bennett Dam
Other	Rivers, lakes or dams that are not associated with the Peace River.

### Fish Species Codes

CODE	COMMON NAME	LATIN NAME
GR	Arctic Grayling	<i>Thymallus arcticus</i>
BMC	Brassy Minnow	<i>Hybognathus hankinsoni</i>
BSB	Brook Stickleback	<i>Culea inconstans</i>
EB	Brook Trout	<i>Salvelinus fontinalis</i>
BT	Bull Trout	<i>Salvelinus confluentus</i>
BB	Burbot	<i>Lota lota</i>
CBC	Chub (General)	
CT	Cutthroat Trout	<i>Oncorhynchus clarki</i> (formerly <i>Salmo clarki</i> )
DC	Dace (General)	<i>Rhinichthys</i> spp., <i>Phoxinus</i> spp.
ESC	Emerald Shiner	<i>Notropis atherinoides</i>
FM	Fathead Minnow	<i>Pimephales promelas</i>
FDC	Finescale Dace	<i>Phoxinus neogaeus</i> (formerly <i>Pfrittle neogaea</i> and <i>Chrosomus neogaeus</i> )
FHC	Flathead Chub	<i>Platygobio gracilis</i>
GE	Goldeye	<i>Hiodon alosoides</i>
KO	Kokanee	<i>Oncorhynchus nerka</i>
LKC	Lake Chub	<i>Couesius plumbeus</i>





<b>CODE</b>	<b>COMMON NAME</b>	<b>LATIN NAME</b>
CL	Cisco	<i>Coregonus artedii</i>
LT	Lake Trout	<i>Salvelinus namaycush</i>
LW	Lake Whitefish	<i>Coregonus clupeaformis</i>
CSU	Largescale Sucker	<i>Catostomus macrocheilus</i>
LNC	Longnose Dace	<i>Rhinichthys cataractae</i>
LSU	Longnose Sucker	<i>Catostomus catostomus</i>
C	Minnows (General)	many, all cyprinids
MW	Mountain Whitefish	<i>Prosopium williamsoni</i>
NSB	Ninespine Stickleback	<i>Pungitius pungitius</i>
NP	Northern Pike, Jackfish, Jack	<i>Esox lucius</i>
RDC	Northern Redbelly Dace	<i>Phoxinus eos</i> (formerly <i>Chrosomus eos</i> )
XDC	Northern Redbelly Dace x Finescale Dace	<i>Phoxinus eos</i> (Cope) x <i>Phoxinus neogaeus</i> (Cope)
NSC	Northern pikeminnow	<i>Ptycheilus oregonensis</i>
PCC	Peamouth	<i>Mylocheilus caurinus</i>
PDC	Pearl Dace	<i>Margariscus margarita</i>
P	Perch (General)	<i>Perca</i> sp., <i>Stizostedion</i> sp.
CAS	Prickly Sculpin	<i>Cottus asper</i>
PW	Pygmy Whitefish	<i>Prosopium coulteri</i>
RB	Rainbow Trout	<i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i> (formerly <i>Salmo gairdneri</i> )
RSC	Redside Shiner	<i>Richardsonius balteatus</i>
CC	Sculpins (General)	Primarily <i>Cottus</i> spp.
CCG	Slimy Sculpin	<i>Cottus cognatus</i>
CRI	Spoonhead Sculpin	<i>Cottus ricei</i>
STC	Spottail Shiner	<i>Notropis hudsonius</i>
SB	Sticklebacks (General)	
SU	Suckers (General)	<i>Catostomus</i> sp.
TR	Trout (General)	<i>Oncorhynchus</i> sp
TP	Trout-perch	<i>Percopsis omiscomaycus</i>
WP	Walleye	<i>Sander vitreus</i> (formerly <i>Stizostedion vitreum</i> )
WSU	White Sucker	<i>Catostomus commersoni</i>
WF	Whitefish (General)	<i>Prosopium</i> spp., <i>Coregonus</i> spp., <i>Stenodus</i> spp.
YP	Yellow Perch	<i>Perca flavescens</i>

<b>Measurement</b>	<b>Measurement Description or Example</b>
absorbable organic halogens	AOX
access type	e.g., bank trail, boat ramp, bushwhacking
activity type	e.g., fishing, hunting, birding, wildlife viewing, boating, swimming, camping, hiking, and many more potential uses
age	age calculated from otolith, scales, fin ray analysis, length, or unknown



Measurement	Measurement Description or Example
angler demographics	age and community of origin
angling type	how are they fishing? Catch/release?, shore/boat? Gear type?
bank irregularities	also called 'roughness': smooth, irregular or rough
catch count	how many fish were caught?
clarity	water clarity
conductivity	water conductivity
cover	unspecified in report as instream or overhead
DELT	deformity, erosion, lesion, tumor
depth	water depth
effort	hours spent
habitat	description
habitat type	instream and/or bank and/or off-channel habitat
instream cover	potential cover for fish within the stream. Examples include backwater areas, rock, large woody debris, non-wood vegetation
large organic debris	includes large woody debris
length	fork length or total length of fish
location	
maturity	e.g., immature, maturing to spawn current year, ripe, spent, resting, juvenile, and as defined in Appendix B of Mainstream (Mainstream Aquatics Ltd. 2009. Site C fisheries studies – Juvenile fish use and habitat inventory of Peace River tributaries in summer 2008. Prepared for B.C. Hydro. Report No. 08008CF: 78 p. + Appendices)
metalloids	These are defined as the elements in the periodic table that lie between the metals and the non-metals. They are: boron, silicon, germanium, arsenic, antimony, tellurium, polonium, and astatine
near shore slope	'low', 'moderate', or 'steep'.
particulate size	also called grain size or particulate class
recreational area type	e.g. boat access, shore access, campsite, picnic area, trail, cabin, view site
shoreline type	rocky, sandy beach, etc.
substrate compaction and embeddedness	Embeddedness is the amount of fine particles (sand, silt, and clay) present within the substrate. Compaction evaluates the density or looseness of the substrate within the channel. Compaction and embeddedness were evaluated as low (1), moderate (2), or high (3).
substrate composition	also called 'substrate type': the material forming the bottom of the stream bed
suspended solids	includes sediment loading
tag information	information about the tag, such as color, type, number
TDS	Total dissolved solids
TGP	Total gas pressure
TSS	total suspended solids



## Method

aerial photo assessment  
aerial survey  
ageing structure analysis  
ageing structure collection  
angling  
barrier net or fence  
beach seine  
benthic invertebrates  
boat-based wildlife/bird survey  
call play back  
continuous water measurements  
creel survey  
DNA analysis  
DNA collection  
dredge  
electrofishing - backpack  
electrofishing - boat (large fish)  
electrofishing - boat (small fish)  
elemental analysis  
fin ray collection  
foot survey (for wildlife)  
gill net  
grab  
habitat assessment  
kick disturbance  
larval drift net  
mark  
minnow trap  
modelling  
net capture (for wildlife)  
otolith collection  
passive listening  
periphyton  
photograph time-lapse  
phytoplankton  
rotary screw trap  
sample pits  
shore-based fish count  
shovel  
snorkel survey  
spot water quality measurement  
stable isotopes analysis

## Method Description or Example

Usually used for habitat assessment  
e.g., for fishing  
Actual analysis of the structures collected previously  
Usually collection of scales  
  
e.g., conduit fence, barrier fence, general fish fence  
  
e.g., interviews  
  
e.g., kick disturbance, kick nets  
  
e.g., butterfly collection



**Method**

stomach content - analysis  
stomach content - collection  
telemetry - acoustic  
telemetry - radio  
terrestrial ecosystem mapping  
(TEM)  
time-constrained  
tissue sampling  
traps  
variable radius point counts  
vehicle-based wildlife/bird survey  
wildlife/bird observation  
zooplankton

**Method Description or Example**

e.g., gastric lavage, lethal stomach content collection

Lethal or non-lethal



## Appendix B: Formatting Requirements for Importing Data

One part of the Fish & Aquatic Data Management System (FADMS) is the ability to load and view data. The initial process for this is the same.

1. From the **Home** screen, select **Managed Environmental Data**.
2. Click on the type of data that you wish to import.
3. Select **Import data from file** and click **OK**.
4. If you are working with Water Quality data, you will then need to select the type of data and click **OK**.
5. Use the **Browse** button to navigate to the spreadsheet that contains the data to be imported into the database system. Select the file from the **Choose File to Upload** window and click **Open**.
6. Click **Import** on the **Import Data** screen to import the data.
7. If all the data are imported successfully, a message will appear. Otherwise, check for any messages in red as they will indicate potential errors, such as a mismatch in site name.
8. You can now import more data of the same type, view these data, click the **Back** button to return to the screen that allows you to pick the type of data, or the **Home** button or BC Hydro icon to return to the **Home** screen.

There are three different categories of data that can be imported into the system. In each case, the data must be for predetermined sites and must be loaded from a spreadsheet. Below, for each category, is a description of the key required formats.

There are some common requirements in each case:

- Data must be in an Excel spreadsheet (xlsx format).
- Site names are case sensitive and must be one of those listed below. New sites may be added by a FADMS system administrator.

Sites primarily associated with Water Quality:

DH11-10, P1	DH11-49, P1	Halfway	Peace 1
DH11-14, P1	DH11-51, P1	Howe Pit - Tap	Peace 2
DH11-15, P1	FSJ Well (TPW-1)	Howe Pit - Well	Peace 3
DH11-16, P1	FSJ Well 2 (TPW-5)	Moberly DS	Peace 4
DH11-18, P1	FSJ Well 3 (TPW-6)		Pine
DH11-22, P1	FSJ Well 4 (TPW-7)		Taylor
DH11-45, P1	FSJ Well 5 (TPW-8)		Taylor Wells



Sites primarily associated with Air Quality:

STC1 - Upper Attachie	STC6 - Farrell Creek
STC2 - Lower Attachie	STC7 - Site C Dam
STC3 - Attachie Plateau	STC8 - 85th Avenue Industrial Lands
STC4 - Bear Flat	Fort St John Airport (1183000)
STC5 - Hudson's Hope	North Peace Cultural Center

Sites primarily associated with Turbidity (Note: Logger Name is synonymous with the site name used internally within the FADMS):

Logger Name	(Location)
NEP3952	Peace above Moberly Left Bank
NEP3952	Peace above Moberly Right Bank
NEP3953	Spectra Intake
NEP395PT	Peace above Pine Right Bank
Turbidity Station	Taylor Intake

- Multiple pages may be in the spreadsheet, but only the sheet with the appropriate name (see below) will be imported.
- Multiple stations may be on the same page.
- Order of the columns does not matter.
- Extra or missing columns are ignored (unless explicitly mentioned below). Missing values will be recorded as a null and cannot be replaced at a later date (unless the data are deleted from the database and imported anew).
- In all cases, the date-time format must be: DD-MM-YY H:MM such as 13-02-16 1:15. In some cases, the date and time are in separate columns, but must still follow the appropriate format (date portion or time portion).

Specifics about the different data formats are given below.

## Air Quality

Air quality data are the data that come from the continuous monitoring systems. Usually these data are recorded hourly and will need to be manually imported into the FADMS.

The tool imports only data on the page labelled "Hourly Data". Any other pages in the spreadsheet, even if they contain data, will be ignored.

The data columns in the table below are imported into the FADMS. Any other columns will be ignored. There are two types of columns: those that contain the data (e.g., Relative Humidity)



and those that contain a flag regarding data quality or other issues (i.e., all columns that end in \_Flag). The data and flag values are separated in this table for ease of reading. Column order in the spreadsheet does not matter to the tool.

Column name in spreadsheet	FADMS name	Required?
Station Name	SiteName	YES
TIMESTAMP	Timestamp	YES
Wind Speed - m/s	WS_ms_S_WVT	
Wind direction - Degrees from North	WindDir_D1_WVT	
STDEV(wind direction) - Degrees from North	WindDir_SD1_WVT	
Hourly Precipitation rate - tipping bucket - mm	Precip_mm_tot	
Hourly Precipitation rate - weighing gauge - mm	Precip_mm_gauge	
Air Temperature - Degrees C	Tair_C_Avg	
Relative Humidity - %	RH_Avg	
Barometric Pressure - HPa	BP_61302V_Avg	
Soil heat flux (1) - W/m2	HFT3_1_Avg	
Soil heat flux (2) - W/m2	HFT3_2_Avg	
Downwelling shortwave radiation - W/m2	K_down_Avg	
Upwelling shortwave radiation - W/m2	K_up_Avg	
Downwelling longwave radiation - W/m2	L_down_Avg	
Upwelling longwave radiation - W/m2	L_up_Avg	
PM10 - ug/m3	PM10_Avg	
PM2.5 - ug/m3	PM2_5_Avg	
Visibility - km	RunAvgMOR_Avg	
Soil temperature - DegreesC	TCAV_Temp_Avg	
Soil volumetric water content - fraction	SoilWater_Avg	
Wind Speed_FLAG	WS_FLAG	
Wind direction_FLAG	WindDir_FLAG	
Hourly Precipitation rate_FLAG	Precip_Tip_FLAG	
Hourly Precipitation rate gauge_FLAG	Precip_gauge_FLAG	
Air Temperature_FLAG	Tair_FLAG	
Relative Humidity_FLAG	RH_FLAG	
Barometric Pressure_FLAG	BP_FLAG	
Downwelling shortwave radiation_FLAG	K_down_FLAG	
Upwelling shortwave radiation_FLAG	K_up_FLAG	
Downwelling longwave radiation_FLAG	L_down_FLAG	
Upwelling longwave radiation_FLAG	L_up_FLAG	
Soil heat flux (1)_FLAG	HFT3_1_FLAG	
Soil heat flux (2)_FLAG	HFT3_2_FLAG	
Soil temperature_FLAG	TCAV_Temp_FLAG	
Visibility_FLAG	RunAvgMOR_FLAG	
PM10_FLAG	PM10_FLAG	
PM2.5_FLAG	PM2_5_FLAG	





Column name in spreadsheet	FADMS name	Required?
Soil volumetric water content_FLAG	SoilWater_FLAG	

## Turbidity

Turbidity data come from loggers that are permanently recording this information in various locations. Data will need to be periodically uploaded into the FADMS, manually.

The tool imports only data on the page labelled “Sheet1”. Any other pages in the spreadsheet, even if they contain data, will be ignored.

The data columns in the table below are imported into the FADMS.

Column name in spreadsheet	Name in FADMS	Required?
Date		YES
Time	Timestamp	YES
Logger Name	LoggerName	YES
Battery(RAW) OR		
Battery(AVG)	BatteryRaw	
Turbidity(RAW) OR		
Turbidity(AVG)	TurbidityRaw	
Variance(RAW) OR		
Variance(AVG)	VarianceRaw	
Water Temperature(RAW) OR		
Water Temperature(AVG)	WaterTemperatureRaw	

Logger names must be one of those given in the list of sites.

The spreadsheet will contain Date and Time in separate columns. These are joined together inside the database to make a single column that will match those used by other data types.

Most of the columns in this data type can be labelled in one of two ways: either ending in “(AVG)” or “(RAW)”. The tool will not allow both to be present. For example, the column must be labelled “Battery(AVG)” or “Battery(RAW)”, but both these columns cannot be present. However, “Battery(AVG)” and “Turbidity(RAW)” is permissible. Note that there is no space between the data label (e.g., Battery) and the “(“.

## Water Quality

Water quality data can come in four different formats. The most detailed format, in terms of the type of information, is the spreadsheet that contains the lab analysis of the water. The other formats are based on field water quality measurements. Each has its own format.



## Lab

The tool imports only data on the page labelled “Sheet1”. Any other pages in the spreadsheet, even if they contain data, will be ignored.

The data columns in the table below are imported into the FADMS.

Column name in spreadsheet	Name in FADMS	Required?
Locator	Locator	
LSD	LSD	
LoginNum	LoginNum	
ReceiveDate	ReceiveDate	
ClientID	ClientID	YES
SampleNum	SampleNum	
ETLCode	ETLCode	
JobName	JobName	
PCode	PCode	
Analyte	Analyte	
Result	Result	
Qualifier	Qualifier	
Units	Units	
DL	DL	
AnalDate	AnalDate	
Analyst	Analyst	
Category	Category	
SMPDate	SMPDate	YES
SMPTIME	SMPTIME2	YES
Method	Method	
Prefix	Prefix	
Parm_Type	ParmType	
MatNum	MatNum	

ClientID corresponds to the site name and must be one of those listed in the site table.

The spreadsheet contains several date or time columns. The most important one for the database is the SMPDate column as this contains the date and time of the sample.



## Surface Water Quality Field Forms

The first of the field forms is the one that measures surface water quality.

The tool imports only data on the page labelled “Surface water”. Any other pages in the spreadsheet, even if they contain data, will be ignored.

Column name in spreadsheet	Name in FADMS	Required?
Site	SiteName	YES
Date	Date	YES
Time	Time	YES
Location	Location	
Water Temperature	WaterTemperature	
pH	pH	
Conductivity (Us)	Conductivity_Us	
Salinity (ppm)	Salinity_ppm	
TDS (ppm)	TDS_ppm	
DO (mg/L)	DO_mgL	
DO (%)	DO_percent	
Turbidity (NTU)	Turbidity_NTU	
ORP	ORP	
Comments/Notes	Comments	

Site names are those that are in the column labelled **Site** and must be one or more of the ones listed. Note that the model does not recognize labels such as “Travel Blanks”, “Field Blanks” or “Duplicate” as valid site names.

## Ground Water Quality Field Forms

The second field form is the one that measures ground water quality.

The tool imports only data on the page labelled “Ground water”. Any other pages in the spreadsheet, even if they contain data, will be ignored.

Site names are those that are in the column labelled **Site** and must be one or more of the ones listed. Note that the model does not recognize labels such as “Travel Blanks”, “Field Blanks” or “Duplicate” as valid site names.

Column name in spreadsheet	Name in FADMS	Required?
Site	SiteName	YES
Date	Date	YES
Time of Sampling	Timestamp	YES
Time In	TimeIn	
Time Out	TimeOut	



Column name in spreadsheet	Name in FADMS	Required?
Depth to bottom	DepthToBottom	
Depth to water	DepthToWater	
Depth of water	DepthOfWater	
Volume bailed	VolumeBailed	
Location	Location	
Water Temperature	WaterTemperature	
pH	pH	
Conductivity (Us)	Conductivity_Us	
Salinity (ppm)	Salinity_ppm	
TDS (ppm)	TDS_ppm	
DO (mg/L)	DO_mgL	
DO (%)	DO_percent	
Turbidity (NTU)	Turbidity_NTU	
ORP	ORP	
Comments/Notes	Comments	

## Turbidity Field Forms

The third of the field forms is the one that measures turbidity. Note that these are different data than those from an in-place regular data logger. These data are collected at a point in time and information recorded onto a field form.

The tool imports only data on the page labelled “Turbidity”. Any other pages in the spreadsheet, even if they contain data, will be ignored.

Column name in spreadsheet	Name in FADMS	Required?
Site	SiteName	YES
Date	Date	YES
Time	Timestamp	YES
Location	Location	
Sample collected	SampleCollected	
Water Temperature	WaterTemperature	
LaMotte - Turbidity	Turbidity	
Temperature	Temperature	
Turbidity	Turbidity_YSI	
Temperature	Temperature_probe	
Turbidity	Turbidity_NTU	
Comments/Notes	Comments	



Site names are those that are in the column labelled **Site** and must be one or more of the ones listed. Note that the model does not recognize labels such as “Travel Blanks”, “Field Blanks” or “Duplicate” as valid site names.



## Appendix C: FADMS Server Configuration

### Source Code & IIS Web Server

The FADMS is written in the Visual Basic/ASPX languages using .NET framework 4.0 and three sets of 3<sup>rd</sup> party software:

- Telerik graphic controls (ASP.NET version 2016.1.113.45 and AjaxControlToolkit version 15.1.4.0);<sup>3</sup>
- CMIS controls (version 0.7 CMIS.Net),<sup>4</sup> and
- Ionic controls (version 1.9.1.8).<sup>5</sup>

The Telerik controls provide the graphical controls (buttons, check boxes, graphical trees, etc.) for the application. CMIS controls allow the FADMS to communicate with BC Hydro's FileNet document repository system, which is the ultimate location for all documentation. The Ionic controls allow multiple downloaded documents to be combined into zip-format files.

FADMS source code is currently held by ESSA Technologies in a Git repository managed with GitKraken software. Code development is done with Microsoft Visual Studio 2013 Community Edition Update 5.<sup>6</sup> More recent editions of Visual Studio are not compatible with the perpetual Telerik control license. When development and debugging is at an advanced stage and the application needs to be tested (and eventually deployed) in a live environment, the FADMS application is published as a collection of files and directories which are copied to a Windows-based host server (2008 R2 Standard) running Microsoft Internet Information Services (IIS version 7.5).

BC Hydro currently hosts the FADMS on a dedicated VM server which is accessible to authorized users inside the BCH firewall. The FADMS has been developed to work with the IE browser using a local URL (<http://10.242.150.48>). For configuration, administrators with the necessary privileges (i.e. the necessary Active Directory credentials) can log into the host server stcbchtsdb1 using RDP.

### SQL Server

The FADMS uses SQL Server 2016 (version 11.0.5058) software and a custom database installed on the host server, which maintains all the information used by the FADMS. The SQL

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<sup>3</sup> ESSA Technologies' permanent license is valid up to version 2016.3.1027 (October 27, 2016) "UI for ASP.NET AJAX R3 2016 SP2". [https://www.telerik.com/support/whats-new/aspnet-ajax/release-history/ui-for-asp-net-ajax-r3-2016-sp2-\(version-2016-3-1027\)](https://www.telerik.com/support/whats-new/aspnet-ajax/release-history/ui-for-asp-net-ajax-r3-2016-sp2-(version-2016-3-1027)). Contact Telerik for download help.

<sup>4</sup> <https://chemistry.apache.org/dotnet/dotcmis.html>.

<sup>5</sup> <https://www.nuget.org/packages/Ionic.Zip/>

<sup>6</sup> [https://my.visualstudio.com/Downloads?q=visual%20studio%202013&wt.mc\\_id=o~msft~vscom~older-downloads](https://my.visualstudio.com/Downloads?q=visual%20studio%202013&wt.mc_id=o~msft~vscom~older-downloads).



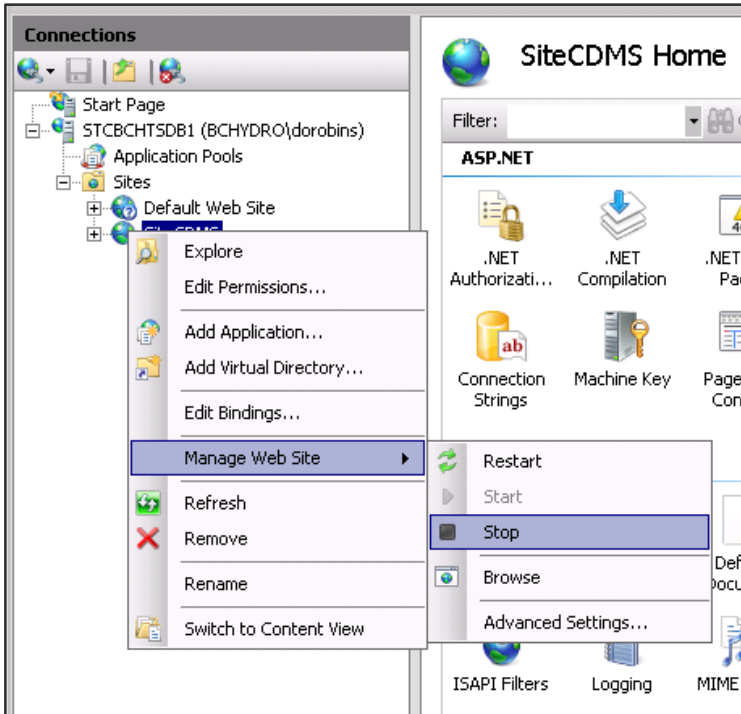
server STCBCHTSDB1 contains the FADMS database (“SiteCDMS”) and can be accessed using SQL Server Management Studio using SQL Server Authentication with login ID BChOwner. This database is backed up nightly and FADMS administrators should not normally need to interact with it.

## Stopping the FADMS

The FADMS must be stopped prior to updating the application software or after updating the documents stored in FileNet. When logged into the FADMS server using RDP, the IIS control panel can be opened as shown below, by pressing the Start key of the remote server and clicking on the Internet Information Services (IIS) Manager.



When the IIS Manager opens, expand the Sites folder found in the left panel tree control and right-click to highlight SiteCDMS, as shown below. To stop the FADMS, click on Manage Web Site and then click on Stop, as shown below. This will disconnect any users and allows the newer version to be installed.



## Updating the FADMS Application

The FADMS application files are found in this directory on the VM server:

C:\wwwroot\SiteCDMS

With the FADMS application stopped, it is good practice to create a backup of the current version by making a “snapshot” of the application before copying a new version of the FADMS into its place. For example, if an earlier version created on 21-November-2017 is being replaced by a more recent version, the previous version can be copied to a “backup” directory:

C:\wwwroot\SiteCDMS.21.Nov.2017

until the more recent version has been shown to be stable and reliable; after which the earlier version can be deleted or archived. With the FADMS application stopped, the newer application files and directories can then be copied directly to this location on the host server:

C:\wwwroot\SiteCDMS

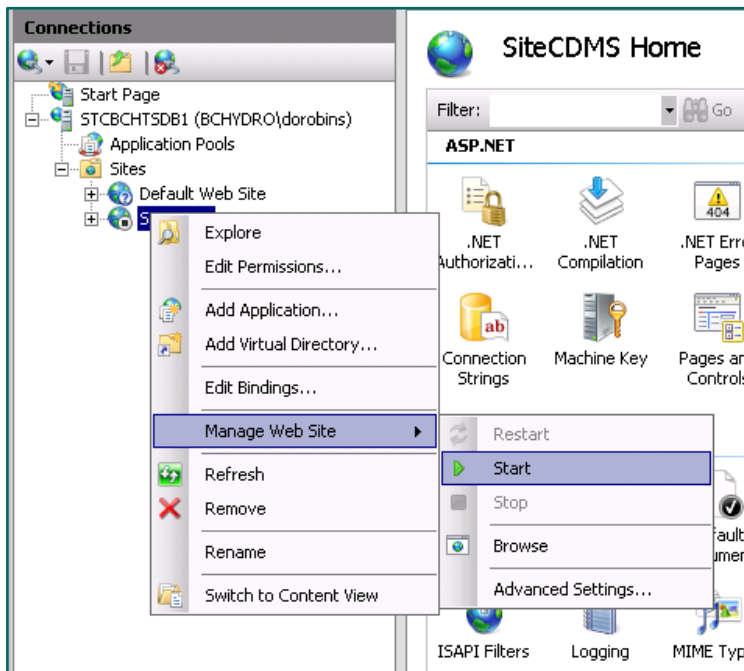
After the updated application software is installed, select Start to restart FADMS, as shown in the screen capture found at the end of this Appendix.



## Starting the FADMS

Once new documents have been added or the FADMS application software has been updated, the FADMS can be restarted by opening the IIS Manager, expanding the Sites folder found in the left panel tree control and right-clicking to highlight SiteCDMS as was described above in the steps required to shut down the application.

To start the FADMS, click on Manage Web Site and then click on Start. This will start the application and enable FADMS users to access the application, including the reconstruction of the files and directories found at C:\DMS.



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