

3745-1-29 **Wabash river drainage basin.**

- (A) The water bodies listed in table 29-1 of this rule are ordered from downstream to upstream. Tributaries of a water body are indented. The aquatic life habitat, water supply and recreation use designations are defined in rule 3745-1-07 of the Administrative Code. The state resource water use designation is defined in rule 3745-1-05 of the Administrative Code. The most stringent criteria associated with any one of the use designations assigned to a water body will apply to that water body.
- (B) Figure 1 of the appendix to this rule is a generalized map of the Wabash river drainage basin.
- (C) RM, as used in this rule, stands for river mile and refers to the method used by the Ohio environmental protection agency to identify locations along a water body. Mileage is defined as the lineal distance from the downstream terminus (i.e., mouth) and moving in an upstream direction.
- (D) The following symbols are used throughout this rule:
- * Designated use based on the 1978 water quality standards;
 - + Designated use based on the results of a biological field assessment performed by the Ohio environmental protection agency;
 - o Designated use based on justification other than the results of a biological field assessment performed by the Ohio environmental protection agency; and
 - L An L in the warmwater habitat column signifies that the water body segment is designated limited warmwater habitat.

Table 29-1. Use designations for water bodies in the Wabash river drainage basin.

Water Body Segment	Use Designations												Comments
	Aquatic Life Habitat						Water Supply			Recreation			
	S R W	W W H	E W H	M W H	S S H	C W H	L R W	P W S	A W S	I W S	B W	P C R	
Wabash river		*							*	*		*	
Hickory branch		*							*	*		*	
Scherman ditch		*							*	*		*	
Beaver creek		+							+	+		+	
Big run		*							*	*		*	
Brush run		*							*	*		*	
Little Beaver creek		+							+	+		*	
Little Bear creek		*							*	*		*	
Buck run		*							*	*		*	
Hardin creek		*							*	*		*	
Grand Lake St. Marys			*					+	+	+		+	
Coldwater creek		*							*	*		*	
Burntwood creek		*							*	*		*	
Beaver creek		*							*	*		*	
Darlinghaus ditch		*							*	*		*	
Crab branch		*							*	*		*	
Toti creek		*							*	*		*	
Stony creek		*							*	*		*	

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Twomile creek		*						*	*		*		
Threemile creek		*						*	*		*		
Vandenbush ditch		*						*	*		*		
Ward ditch		*						*	*		*		
Bear creek		*						*	*		*		
Mississinewa river - headwaters to Ohio-Indiana state line				+				*	*			+	
Jordan ditch		*						*	*		*		
Grays branch		*						*	*		*		

SRW = state resource water; WWH = warmwater habitat; EWH = exceptional warmwater habitat; MWH = modified warmwater habitat; SSH = seasonal salmonid habitat; CWH = coldwater habitat; LRW = limited resource water; PWS = public water supply; AWS = agricultural water supply; IWS = industrial water supply; BW = bathing water; PCR = primary contact recreation; SCR = secondary contact recreation.

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