

# List of changes implemented in the latest printing of the Applied River Morphology textbook by Dave Rosgen - 1/15/01.

## PAGE # DESCRIPTION OF CHANGES MADE.

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|--------------------|---|
| Dedication Page:   | Added a comma after "Luna B. Leopold".  |
| Table of Contents: | Last page; deleted the appendix information and replaced it with an index.  |
| xv                 | 1st paragraph, 3rd line, added a hyphen to "flood-ravaged".<br>2nd paragraph, 3rd line, changed "effected" to "affected".   |
| xvi                | 2nd paragraph, 5th and 6th lines, closed up the spacing between words.  |
| xvii               | All paragraphs, closed up the spacing between words.  |
| 1-4                | 1st column, 1st paragraph, 6th line, closed up the spacing between words.   |
| 1-5                | 2nd column, 1st paragraph, 2nd line, changed "to include" to "including".   |
| 2-1                | 1st column, 1st paragraph, 6th line, changed "stream flow" to "streamflow".   |
| 2-3                | 2nd column, 2nd paragraph, 8th line, added period after "(Nash, 1994)".   |
| 2-4                | 1st column, 1st paragraph, 36th line, changed "et al ,1964" to read "et al. 1964".  |
| 2-5                | 2nd column, 3rd paragraph, 3rd line, closed up spacing between words.   |
| 2-7                | 1st column, Changed part of equation to read " $L_m K^{1.5}$ ".   |
| 2-9                | 1st column, 3rd paragraph, 3rd line, changed "an example" to "the following example".   |
| 3-8                | 1st column, 1st 2nd & 3rd bullets, added period at end of each sentence.  |
| 4-1                | 1st column, 7th line, changed "inspires" to "inspire".  |
| 4-5                | Stream type Aa+, Slope, changed to ">0.10".   |
| 4-6                | 1st column, 1st paragraph, 3rd line, changed "Stream flow" to "Streamflow".   |
| 4-13               | Montana photograph, changed to read "Wyoming".  |
| 4-15               | 1st paragraph of both columns, closed up spacing between words.   |
| 4-23               | 1st column, 2nd paragraph, 13th line, closed up spacing between words.<br>1st column, 4th paragraph, 6th line, changed "(Valley Slope/Sinuosity)." to read "by dividing valley slope by sinuosity".<br>2nd column, 1st paragraph, 2nd line, replaced semi-colon with a comma. |
| 4-25               | Upper left photo, changed "Montana" to "Wyoming".   |
| 4-29               | 2nd column, 1st paragraph, 7th line, changed "discreet" to "discrete".  |
| 5-2                | 1st column, 2nd paragraph, 3rd line, removed hyphen from planform.<br>1st column, 3rd paragraph, previous change applied to new issue.  |
| 5-5                | Replaced entire chart with new chart.   |
| 5-6                | Replaced entire chart with new chart.   |
| 5-9                | 1st column, 1st paragraph, 2nd column 2nd paragraph, closed up spacing between words.   |
| 5-14               | 1st column, 3rd paragraph, 5th line, changed "indicated with an arrow on the photograph at each stream reach." to "described for each photograph".  |
| 5-22               | 2nd column, 2nd paragraph, previous change applied to new issue.  |
| 5-25               | 1st column, 3rd paragraph, 3rd line, replaced semi-colon with a comma.  |
| 5-26               | 1st column, closed up spacing between words.  |
| 5-27               | Both columns, closed up spacing between words.  |
| 5-42               | Replaced chart with chart from page XI of the Appendix.   |
| 5-48               | 1st column, 1st paragraph, previous change applied to new issue.  |
| 5-61               | Text below illustrations, previous change applied to new issue.   |
| 5-65               | Text below illustrations, previous change applied to new issue.   |
| 5-73               | Text below illustrations, previous change applied to new issue.   |
| 5-75               | Previous change applied to new issue.   |
| 5-97               | Text below illustrations, Sinuosity, changed to ">1.2".   |
| 5-101              | Text below illustrations, Sinuosity, changed to ">1.2".   |
| 5-105              | Text below illustrations, Sinuosity, changed to ">1.2".   |
| 5-120              | 1st column, previous change applied to new issue.   |
| 5-123              | Text below illustrations, previous change applied to new issue.   |
| 5-124              | 2nd photo, "Anastamosed" changed to "Anastomosed".  |
| 5-125              | All 3 photos, "Anastamosed" changed to "Anastomosed".   |
| 5-138              | 1st column, 9th line, "E5" changed to "E6".   |
| 5-155              | Text below illustrations, Sinuosity, changed to ">1.2".   |
| 5-159              | Text below illustrations, previous change applied to new issue.   |
| 6-13               | 1st column, 2nd paragraph, 6th line, changed equation to read as follows: " $(\omega = \rho g Q_s / w)$ ".<br>1st column, 2nd paragraph, 10th line, changed to read: "... $\rho$ = water density;...".  |

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- 6-15 1st column, last paragraph, last line "(P;2,6)" changed to "(P:2,6)".  
2nd column, 4th paragraph, changed to read "The photographs in figure 6-9 depict three B3 stream types in North Carolina, California and Arizona for three different flow regimes. Interpretations...".
- 6-17 Chart, #5 and #6, added period to end of each sentence.
- 6-18 2nd column, 2nd paragraph, 3rd line, changed "indices" to "index".
- 6-19 2nd column, 2nd paragraph, added parenthesis to all three dates.
- 6-23 Lower left photo, changed "Montana" to "Wyoming".
- 6-31 1st column, 5th paragraph, 3rd line, changed "stream flows" to "streamflows".
- 6-36 2nd column, 2nd paragraph, changed "correlates Numerical stress indices using velocity gradients ratio..." to "Converts numerical stress indices using velocity gradients and ratio...".
- 6-37 Photo a, changed "(Montana)" to "(Colorado)".
- 6-38 Photo a, changed "C4" to "C5".
- 6-39 2nd column, last paragraph, 5th line, changed "even produced" to "event produced".
- 6-40 2nd column, 2nd paragraph, 2nd line, changed "density;" to "density"
- 6-41 See copy of page 6-41 attached.
- 6-43 Text below illustration, changed "...1989) (Rosgen 1990)" to "...1988-1989) (Rosgen, 1993<sub>c</sub>)".
- 6-47 2nd column, 1st paragraph, 11th line, added a comma after "slope".
- 6-50 Last paragraph, changed semi-colon to a colon and changed "Stability" to "stability".
- 7-1 1st column, 1st paragraph, 6th line, changed "stream flow" to "streamflow".
- 7-3 1st column, 2nd paragraph, 1st line, changed "VIII" to "7".  
1st column, 3rd paragraph, last 2 lines, changed "...1963; Stall and Fok, 1967; and Marston, 1978." to "... (1963), Stall and Fok, (1967), and Marston, (1978).".  
2nd column, 2nd paragraph, 9th line, changed "#1" to "number one".
- 7-6 Figure 7-4a text, changed "Rating Curves" to "rating curves".
- 7-7 Two right hand charts, switched positions of the words "bedload" and "suspended".  
2nd column, 1st paragraph, changed "Rating Curves" to "rating curves".
- 7-15 2nd column, 2nd paragraph, 2nd line, changed "reds" to "redds".
- 7-16 1st column, 2nd paragraph, 6th line, changed "Discreet" to "Discrete".
- 8-3 Chart, last plotted coordinate in bottom right hand corner moved up to line up with .02.
- 8-4 1st column, Under Shear Stress and Velocity Relationships, changed "density of water," to "specific weight of water,"
- 8-13 Figure 8-8a text, changed "C4" to "C5".
- 8-17 2nd column, 4th paragraph, 6th line, changed "Andromous" to "andromous".
- 8-20 1st column, 2nd paragraph, changed "*Vortex Rock Weh*" to "*Cross-Vane*"  
1st column, 2nd paragraph, 16th line, changed "reds" to "redds".  
1st column, last sentence, replaced this sentence with "*J-Hook Vane* — This structure is designed to re-direct velocity distribution and high velocity gradient in the near-bank region, stabilize streambanks, dissipate energy in deep, wide and long pools created below the structure, creating holding cover for fish and spawning habitat in the tail-out of the structure (**Figure 8-23**). Materials can vary using native boulders, and logs."  
1st column, last paragraph, replaced this entire paragraph (including overflow onto column 2) with "Native Material Transplants and Log Vanes — Woody riparian vegetation is transplanted along streambanks for stabilization, shade, detritus, terrestrial insects and over-head cover for fish habitat. Vanes reduce back-eddy erosion for root wads and transplanted vegetation plus instream cover up and downstream of log and/or rock structure (**Figure 8-27**) (Rosgen, 1993a).".
- 8-21 Upper left illustration, current illustration replaced with Cross-Vane illustration.  
Upper right illustration, current illustration replaced with J-Hook Vane illustration.  
Figure 8-22 text changed to read "Cross-Vane structure".  
Figure 8-23 text changed to read "J-Hook Vane".  
Figure 8-27 text changed to read "Log-Vane bank feature. (Rosgen, 1993a)".
- 8-25 See copy of page attached.
- 8-26 See copy of page attached.
- 8-27 See copy of page attached.
- 8-28 See copy of page attached.
- 8-29 See copy of page attached.
- 8-30 See copy of page attached.
- 8-32 Text under illustration, previous change applied to new issue.
- 8-43 2nd column, last paragraph, changed "Applied River Morphology" with "*Applied River Morphology*".
- XI Replaced all the Appendix pages with a Subject Index.

# LEVEL III: ASSESSMENT OF STREAM CONDITION AND DEPARTURE

TABLE 6-8. Streambank characteristics used to develop Bank Erosion Hazard Index (BEHI)

| Adjective Hazard or risk rating categories |       | Bank Height/<br>Bankfull Ht | Root Depth/<br>Bank Height | Root<br>Bank Height | Bank Angle<br>(Degrees) | Surface<br>Protection % | Totals  |
|--|-------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|---------|
| Very Low                                   | Value | 1.0-1.1                     | 1.0-0.9                    | 100-80              | 0-20                    | 100-80                  |         |
|  | Index | 1.0-1.9                     | 1.0-1.9                    | 1.0-1.9             | 1.0-1.9                 | 1.0-1.9                 | 5-9.5   |
| Low  | Value | 1.11-1.19                   | 0.89-0.5                   | 79-55               | 21-60                   | 79-55                   |         |
|  | Index | 2.0-3.9                     | 2.0-3.9                    | 2.0-3.9             | 2.0-3.9                 | 2.0-3.9                 | 10-19.5 |
| Moderate                                   | Value | 1.2-1.5                     | 0.49-0.3                   | 54-30               | 61-80                   | 54-30                   |         |
|  | Index | 4.0-5.9                     | 4.0-5.9                    | 4.0-5.9             | 4.0-5.9                 | 4.0-5.9                 | 20-29.5 |
| High                                       | Value | 1.6-2.0                     | 0.29-0.15                  | 29-15               | 81-90                   | 29-15                   |         |
|  | Index | 6.0-7.9                     | 6.0-7.9                    | 6.0-7.9             | 6.0-7.9                 | 6.0-7.9                 | 30-39.5 |
| Very High                                  | Value | 2.1-2.8                     | 0.14-0.05                  | 14-5.0              | 91-119                  | 14-10                   |         |
|  | Index | 8.0-9.0                     | 8.0-9.0                    | 8.0-9.0             | 8.0-9.0                 | 8.0-9.0                 | 40-45   |
| Extreme                                    | Value | >2.8                        | <0.05                      | <5                  | <119                    | <10                     |         |
|  | Index | 10                          | 10                         | 10                  | 10                      | 10                      | 46-50   |

**For adjustments in points for specific nature of bank materials and stratification, the following is used:**

**Bank Materials:** Bedrock (very low), Boulders (low), cobble (subtract 10 points unless gravel/sand > 50%, then no adjustment), gravel (add 5-10 points depending on % sand), sand (add 10 points), silt/clay (no adjustment).

**Stratification:** Add 5-10 points depending on the number and position of layers.

TABLE 6-9. Velocity gradient and near-bank stress indices

| Bank Erosion Risk Rating | Velocity Gradient* | Near-Bank Stress/<br>Shear Stress** |
|--------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Very Low                 | Less than 0.5      | Less than 0.8                       |
| Low                      | 0.5-1.0            | 0.8-1.05                            |
| Moderate                 | 1.1-1.6            | 1.06-1.14                           |
| High                     | 1.61-2.0           | 1.15-1.19                           |
| Very High                | 2.1-2.4            | 1.20-1.60                           |
| Extreme                  | greater than 2.4   | greater than 1.60                   |

\* Velocity gradient in ft/sec/ft is the difference in velocity from the core of the velocity isovel along the orthogonal length to the near-bank region in feet.

\*\* Near-bank shear stress/mean shear stress  
where shear stress = (mean depth) (slope) (specific weight of water)

| Submerged Shelter |          | Gravel Traps      |            |          |                           |            | Native Material Vegetation |                       |                          |    | Stream Type |
|-------------------|----------|-------------------|------------|----------|---------------------------|------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|----|-------------|
| Meander           | Straight | Migration Barrier | "V" Shaped | Log Sill | Spawning Gravel Placement | Cross Vane | "W" Weir                   | Bank Placed Root Wads | J-Hook, Log & Rock Vanes |    |             |
| N/A               | N/A      | EXC               | N/A        | N/A      | POOR                      | N/A        | N/A                        | N/A                   | N/A                      | A1 |             |
| N/A               | N/A      | EXC               | N/A        | N/A      | POOR                      | N/A        | N/A                        | N/A                   | N/A                      | A2 |             |
| POOR              | POOR     | FAIR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | FAIR       | POOR                       | GOOD                  | POOR                     | A3 |             |
| POOR              | POOR     | FAIR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | FAIR       | POOR                       | GOOD                  | POOR                     | A4 |             |
| POOR              | POOR     | POOR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | FAIR       | POOR                       | GOOD                  | POOR                     | A5 |             |
| POOR              | POOR     | FAIR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | FAIR       | POOR                       | GOOD                  | POOR                     | A6 |             |
| GOOD              | EXC      | GOOD              | GOOD       | GOOD     | FAIR                      | GOOD       | GOOD                       | N/A                   | N/A                      | B1 |             |
| N/A               | N/A      | GOOD              | EXC        | EXC      | FAIR                      | N/A        | N/A                        | N/A                   | N/A                      | B2 |             |
| GOOD              | EXC      | GOOD              | GOOD       | GOOD     | GOOD                      | EXC        | EXC                        | EXC                   | EXC                      | B3 |             |
| GOOD              | EXC      | GOOD              | N/A        | N/A      | GOOD                      | EXC        | EXC                        | EXC                   | EXC                      | B4 |             |
| GOOD              | EXC      | FAIR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | GOOD       | EXC                        | EXC                   | GOOD                     | B5 |             |
| GOOD              | EXC      | FAIR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | GOOD       | GOOD                       | EXC                   | EXC                      | B6 |             |
| EXC               | EXC      | POOR              | GOOD       | FAIR     | FAIR                      | GOOD       | GOOD                       | EXC                   | GOOD                     | C1 |             |
| N/A               | N/A      | POOR              | GOOD       | GOOD     | GOOD                      | N/A        | N/A                        | EXC                   | GOOD                     | C2 |             |
| EXC               | EXC      | POOR              | GOOD       | GOOD     | GOOD                      | EXC        | EXC                        | EXC                   | EXC                      | C3 |             |
| FAIR              | GOOD     | POOR              | N/A        | N/A      | N/A                       | EXC        | GOOD                       | EXC                   | EXC                      | C4 |             |
| FAIR              | GOOD     | POOR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | GOOD       | FAIR                       | EXC                   | GOOD                     | C5 |             |
| FAIR              | GOOD     | POOR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | GOOD       | GOOD                       | EXC                   | GOOD                     | C6 |             |
| POOR              | POOR     | POOR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | POOR       | POOR                       | FAIR                  | FAIR                     | D3 |             |
| POOR              | POOR     | POOR              | N/A        | N/A      | N/A                       | POOR       | POOR                       | FAIR                  | FAIR                     | D4 |             |
| POOR              | POOR     | POOR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | POOR       | POOR                       | FAIR                  | FAIR                     | D5 |             |
| POOR              | POOR     | POOR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | POOR       | POOR                       | FAIR                  | FAIR                     | D6 |             |
| GOOD              | GOOD     | POOR              | FAIR       | FAIR     | FAIR                      | GOOD       | N/A                        | GOOD                  | GOOD                     | E3 |             |
| GOOD              | GOOD     | POOR              | N/A        | N/A      | N/A                       | GOOD       | N/A                        | GOOD                  | GOOD                     | E4 |             |
| GOOD              | GOOD     | POOR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | GOOD       | N/A                        | GOOD                  | GOOD                     | E5 |             |
| GOOD              | GOOD     | POOR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | GOOD       | N/A                        | GOOD                  | GOOD                     | E6 |             |
| GOOD              | GOOD     | POOR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | N/A        | N/A                        | N/A                   | N/A                      | F1 |             |
| N/A               | N/A      | POOR              | FAIR       | FAIR     | FAIR                      | N/A        | N/A                        | N/A                   | N/A                      | F2 |             |
| GOOD              | GOOD     | POOR              | FAIR       | FAIR     | FAIR                      | GOOD       | FAIR                       | GOOD                  | GOOD                     | F3 |             |
| GOOD              | GOOD     | POOR              | N/A        | N/A      | N/A                       | GOOD       | FAIR                       | GOOD                  | GOOD                     | F4 |             |
| GOOD              | GOOD     | POOR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | GOOD       | FAIR                       | GOOD                  | GOOD                     | F5 |             |
| GOOD              | GOOD     | POOR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | GOOD       | FAIR                       | GOOD                  | GOOD                     | F6 |             |
| FAIR              | FAIR     | GOOD              | N/A        | N/A      | POOR                      | N/A        | N/A                        | N/A                   | N/A                      | G1 |             |
| N/A               | N/A      | GOOD              | N/A        | N/A      | POOR                      | N/A        | N/A                        | N/A                   | N/A                      | G2 |             |
| FAIR              | FAIR     | POOR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | GOOD       | POOR                       | GOOD                  | FAIR                     | G3 |             |
| FAIR              | FAIR     | POOR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | GOOD       | POOR                       | GOOD                  | FAIR                     | G4 |             |
| FAIR              | FAIR     | POOR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | GOOD       | POOR                       | GOOD                  | FAIR                     | G5 |             |
| FAIR              | FAIR     | POOR              | POOR       | POOR     | POOR                      | GOOD       | POOR                       | GOOD                  | FAIR                     | G6 |             |

**STREAM TYPES:**  
A1 → A6 Typically no fish habitat structures are installed in these stream types  
DA4 → DA6

TABLE 8-2b. Fish habitat improvement structures - suitability to stream types. (cont.)

# APPLICATIONS

| LOW STAGE CHECK DAM      |  |  | MEDIUM STAGE CHECK DAMS |  |   |
|--------------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|---|
| Rating                   | Channel Types  | Limitation/Discussion  | Rating                  | Channel Types                                | Limitation/Discussion   |
| Exc                      | B2,B3,B4   | No limitations   | Exc                     | B2   | No limitations  |
| Good                     | B5,B6<br>C2,C3   | Bank erosion due to lateral migration will occur unless bank stabilization is utilized   | Good                    | B3, B4                                       | Stage increase will result in floodplain encroachment. Limit dam height to less than 75% of bankfull stage and select sites with high stable banks  |
| Fair                     | A3-A6<br>C4-C6<br>F2-F6<br>G3-G6   | Low dams must be constructed in conjunction with bank stabilization in these channel types. Use in conjunction with confinement measures and bank stabilization to reduce lateral migration  | Fair                    | A6, B5, B6,<br>C2, C3                        | Banks must be adequately protected both up and downstream of structure  |
| Poor                     | B1,C1<br><br>D3-D6   | Bedrock streambed limits the development of pools<br><br>High width/depth ratio and high sediment yields makes ineffective. Increases bank erosion.  | Poor                    | A3-A5<br>C4-C6<br>D3-D6<br>F2-F6<br>G3-G6    | Increased stream aggradation accelerated bank erosion, slope rejuvenation and floodplain encroachment can result. Extensive bank stabilization measures must accompany installation. Exceptions are on headwater streams in ephemeral channels to stop gully headcuts, which rate fair. |
| N/A                      | A1,A2,F1E3-E6<br>F1,G1,G2  | Pools not limiting in these stream types   | N/A                     | B1, C1, F1<br>A1,A2,G1,G3<br><br>E3-E6       | Bedrock streambed limits pool scour depth, anchoring difficult. Pools not limiting factor in these channel types. These stream types provide excellent fish habitat and generally do not require modification.  |
| RANDOM BOULDER PLACEMENT |  |  | BANK PLACED BOULDER     |  |   |
| Rating                   | Channel Types  | Limitation/Discussion  | Rating                  | Channel Types                                | Limitation/Discussion   |
| Exc                      | B3,B4  | No limitations   | Exc                     | B1,B3 B6<br>C1,C3                            | No limitations  |
| Good                     | C3   | Lower gradient provides more opportunity for bar development up and downstream of rock - unless placed on meander points (See Bank placed rock). Use in conjunction with deflectors to increase velocity sufficient to create pools  | Good                    | A3-A6<br>C4-C6<br>E3-E6<br>F1,F3 F6<br>G3-G6 | Boulders must be keyed into the bank.   |
| Fair                     | B5,B6<br><br>F3  | Potential bar deposition and lateral migration can be offset by stabilizing the banks and by strategic placement. Due to bed armor and flatter gradients, it is advantageous to create deep pools with a combination of deflectors, boulders and/or rock clusters  | Fair                    | D3-D6  | Difficult to locate thalweg channel and where the banks will be inundated from one year to another  |
| Poor                     | B1,C1,F1,<br>G1<br>A3-A6<br>C4-C6<br>D3-D6<br>E3-E6<br>F4,F5,F6<br>G3-G6 | Bedrock limits bed scour, difficult to stabilize in place with high flows. The high sediment supply and highly unstable banks limit the effectiveness of boulders placed in the channel (other than along banks). Bar deposition up and downstream of boulder and excessive bank erosion often occur. Deflectors can reduce sediment deposition, but stress banks. | Poor                    |  |   |
| N/A                      | A1,A2,<br>B2,C2<br>F2,G2   | Large boulder and/or pools are not a limiting factor in these channel types  | N/A                     | B2,C2,F2,G1<br>G2, A1,A2                     | Bank rock and streamside boulders naturally occur and banks are naturally stable. Cover and pools not limiting in this channel type   |

TABLE 8-3a. Limitations and discussions of various fish habitat improvement structures by stream types.

| SINGLE WING DEFLECTOR |   |  | DOUBLE WING DEFLECTOR |   |  |
|-----------------------|---|--|-----------------------|---|--|
| Rating                | Channel Types                             | Limitation/Discussion  | Rating                | Channel Types                                     | Limitation/Discussion  |
| Exc.                  | B2-B4                                     | No limitations.  | Exc.                  | B2-B4   | No limitations.  |
| Good                  | B5,B6<br>C2,C3,F3                         | May need bank stabilization.   | Good                  | B5,B6<br>C2,C3,F3                                 | May need bank stabilization in conjunction with double deflector.  |
| Fair                  | C4,D3 D6<br>F1,F2,<br>F4-F6               | Must be done with corresponding bank protection.<br>Extensive construction may be needed to gain stabilization of the channel.                             | Fair                  | A3-A6<br>C4,D3 D6<br>E3-E6,<br>G3-G6,F2,<br>F4-F6 | Need bank stabilization. Extensive construction may be needed to gain stabilization.   |
| Poor                  | A3-A6<br>C5,C6<br>E3-E6<br>G3-G6<br>C1,B1 | Channel instability and high sediment supply reduces effectiveness.<br>Increases W/D ratio.<br>Increase bank erosion.<br>Bedrock bed limits effectiveness. | Poor                  | C5,C6<br><br>F1,C1,B1                             | Channel instability and high sediment supply reduces effectiveness.<br>Bedrock bed limits effectiveness.                                     |
| N/A                   | A1,A2<br>G1,G2                            | Pools not a limiting factor.   | N/A                   | A1,A2<br>G1,G2                                    | Pools not a limiting factor.   |
| CHANNEL CONSTRICTOR   |   |  | BANK COVER            |   |  |
| Rating                | Channel Types                             | Limitation/Discussion  | Rating                | Channel Types                                     | Limitation/Discussion  |
| Exc.                  | B2-B4                                     | No limitations.  | Exc.                  | B1-B6<br>C1                                       | No limitations.  |
| Good                  | B5,B6,C2,<br>C3                           |  | Good                  | C2-C4,C6  | Locate on mid-lower 1/3 of outside bank only.  |
| Fair                  | C4,C6<br>F2-F6<br>D3-D6                   | Need bank protection downstream from constrictor.<br>Need to reshape channel to W/D ratio less than 40 to use - high bedload                               | Fair                  | C5,F1-F6  | Lateral migration may result in undermining the structure.   |
| Poor                  | C5<br><br>C1,F1,B1                        | Bank and bed instability and high sediment supply limits effectiveness.<br>Bedrock bed limits effectiveness.   | Poor                  | A3-A6<br>G1-G6<br>D3-D6                           | Channel instability limits effectiveness.<br>Structure loss common.<br>Change in annual thalweg position makes these structures impractical. |
| N/A                   | E3-E6<br>G1-G6<br>A1-A6                   | Not limiting due to existing low width/depth ratios.   | N/A                   | E3-E6 A1,A2                                       | Good cover generally available within these channel types - low W/D ratio promotes good bank cover.  |

TABLE 8-3a. Limitations and discussions of various fish habitat improvement structures by stream types. (Cont.)

# APPLICATIONS

| HALF LOG COVER                         |                                       |  | FLOATING LOG COVER                             |                                 |  |
|--|---------------------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------|--|
| Rating                                 | Channel Types                         | Limitation/Discussion  | Rating   | Channel Types                   | Limitation/Discussion  |
| Exc.                                   | B3,B4,B6<br>C1                        | No limitations.  | Exc.   | B3-B6<br>C1                     | No limitations.  |
| Good                                   | B1,B5,C3                              | Will have to use anchoring techniques compatible with substrate.   | Good   | B1,C3 C6                        | Overlapping logs reduces bank erosion.   |
| Fair                                   | A6,C4,C6<br>F1-F6<br>G1,G2            | Increased sedimentation may cause bar formation which results in decreased channel capacity and increased bank erosion. Key is the use low deflectors in conjunction with half log structures.                                       | Fair   | F1,F3-F6<br>A3-A6, G1,<br>G3-G6 | Undercutting will cause undermining of the anchor and eventual loss of the structure. Take extra precautions to protect banks.               |
| Poor                                   | A3-A5<br>C5,D3-D6<br>G3-G6            | Extremely unstable bed conditions - degrading and aggrading reaches which limit the effectiveness of this structure.   | Poor   | D3-D6                           | Shifting active channel makes this structure infeasible.   |
| N/A                                    | C2,B2<br>E3-E6<br>A1-A2               | Cover generally not limiting in these stream types.  | N/A  | A1<br>E3-E6,A2,<br>B2,C2,F2,G2  | Steep, bedrock, high velocity. These stream types provide excellent fish habitat and generally do not require modification.                  |
| SUBMERGED SHELTERS LOCATED ON MEANDERS |                                       |  | SUBMERGED SHELTERS LOCATED ON STRAIGHT REACHES |                                 |  |
| Rating                                 | Channel Types                         | Limitation/Discussion  | Rating   | Channel Types                   | Limitation/Discussion  |
| Exc.                                   | C1,C3                                 | No limitations.  | Exc.   | B1,B3-B6<br>C1,C3               | No limitations.  |
| Good                                   | B1,B3-B6<br>E3-E6<br>F1,F3-F6         | Because structures are located on meanders (high velocity areas of the channel), these channel types may be subject to some bank erosion.  | Good   | C4-C6<br>E3-E6<br>F1, F3-F6     | Submerged shelters can be placed on straight reaches in these channel types.   |
| Fair                                   | C4-C6                                 | Need bank stability measures on opposite bank to prevent accelerate bank erosion and lateral migration. Done in conjunction with bank stabilization, this structure can deepen and narrow C1, C4, C5, and C6 channels in particular. | Fair   | G3-G6                           | High bedload transport and high stream power/high sediment supply and channel instability limits effectiveness.                              |
| Poor                                   | G3-G6<br>D3-D6                        | Unstable channel, high sediment supply, and bank erosion.<br>Shifting active and thalweg channel makes this structure ineffective.   | Poor   | D3-D6<br>A3-A6                  | Shifting active and thalweg channel makes this structure ineffective.<br>Steep gradient makes difficult to stabilize, structure loss common. |
| N/A                                    | A3-A6<br>A1, A2<br>B2,C2,F2,<br>G1,G2 | Very high sediment supply, Highly unstable channel<br>Cover naturally available.   | N/A  | A1,A2,C2,B2,<br>F2,G2,G1,G2     | Cover naturally available.   |

TABLE 8-3c. Limitations and discussions of various fish habitat improvement structures by stream types. (Cont.)

| V-SHAPED GRAVEL TRAP*  |  |   | LOG SILL GRAVEL TRAPS |   |  |
|--|--|---|-----------------------|---|--|
| Rating   | Channel Types  | Limitation/Discussion   | Rating                | Channel Types   | Limitation/Discussion  |
| Exc.   | B2   | No limitations.   | Exc.                  | B2  | No limitations.  |
| Good   | B1,B3,<br>C1-C3  |   | Good                  | B1,B3,<br>C2,C3   |  |
| Fair   | E3,<br>F2,F3   | Higher sediment yields make invasion of fines possible. Use with pervious trap so intra-gravel flow rate is maintained.   | Fair                  | C1,F2,F3,E3   | Frequent bed scour or bank erosion may inundate gravel with fines.   |
| Poor   | G3-G6<br>B5,B6,<br>C5,C6,<br>D3,D5,D6,<br>E5,E6,F1,<br>F5,F6,<br>A3-A6 | Entrench. and low w/d struct. unstable<br>Unstable bank and bed with high sediment supply limits effectiveness<br>and/or no source for suitable spawning gravel.  | Poor                  | B5,B6,C5,C6,<br>D3,D5,D6,F1<br>F5,F6,E5,E6,                 | High transport of fine sediments.<br>gravel size bedload unavailable.<br>Unstable bed and banks, hi. bedload,  |
| N/A  | B4,C4,E4,<br>F4,<br>A1,A2, G1,G2                                       | Stream too steep and/or unstable<br><br>Stream types that have gravel sizes for spawning potential.<br>Not associated with spawning habitat   | N/A                   | A3-A6<br>G3-G6<br><br>B4,C4,E4,F4,<br>D4<br>A1,A2,<br>G1,G2 | Channel too steep and/or unstable for structures.<br><br>Gravel bed stream types that have spawning potential.<br>Not associated with spawning habitat |
| *Note: Downcutting often occurs at the apex which can undermine the structure. |  |   |                       |   |  |
| GRAVEL PLACEMENT   |  |   | MIGRATION BARRIER     |   |  |
| Rating   | Channel Types  | Limitation/Discussion   | Rating                | Channel Types   | Limitation/Discussion  |
| Exc.   |  | No limitations.   | Exc.                  | A1,A2   | No limitations.  |
| Good   | B3,C2,C3   | Must select lower velocity areas within the reach - transition zones between pool and riffle.   | Good                  | B1-B4<br>G1,G2  | Proper site selection must be made within the reach where banks are high and stable.   |
| Fair   | B1,B2,C1<br>E3,F2<br>F3  | May not be effective considering the limited area where critical shear velocities would not be exceeded. Can cause capacity reduction and increase bank erosion. Treat smaller percentage of the channel area and/or stabilize banks. Potential for fine sediment invasion with minimal disturbance due to frequent bed shifts. | Fair                  | A3-A6<br>B5,B6  | Erodible banks and moderate confinement limit barrier placement.   |
| Poor   | B5,B6,C5,<br>C6,D3,D5,<br>D6,F5,F6<br>E5,E6,F1,<br>A1-A6<br>G1-G6      | Will fill in with finer bed load transported material.<br><br>Channel too steep, deeply incised and/or unstable for spawning channel.   | Poor                  | C1-C6<br>D3-D6<br>E3-E6<br>F1-F6<br>G3-G6                   | Bank and bed instability can result in structure failure. Low banks - cannot create adequate height for falls.   |
| N/A  | B4,C4,D4,<br>E4,F4   | Gravel bed stream type.   | N/A                   |   |  |

TABLE 8-3d. Limitations and discussions of various fish habitat improvement structures by stream types. (Cont.)

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| CROSS-VANE STRUCTURE             |   |   | "W" WEIRS                        |   |  |
|----------------------------------|---|---|----------------------------------|---|--|
| Rating                           | Channel Types                                       | Limitation/Discussion   | Rating                           | Channel Types                                       | Limitation/Discussion  |
| Exc.                             | B3,B4,<br>C3,C4                                     | No limitations  | Exc.                             | B3,B4,B5<br>C3                                      | No limitations   |
| Good                             | B1,B5,B6,<br>C1,C5,C6,<br>E3-E6,<br>F4-F6,<br>G3-G6 | Minor limitations, need bank vegetation to optimize habitat. Use on E types when starting to incise-bank height ratio >1.0. | Good                             | B1,B6,<br>C1,C4,C6                                  | Minor limitations  |
| Fair                             | A3-A6   | Steep banks need cut-off trench, difficult to install, debris flows add high risk-need extra footers/larger rock            | Fair                             | F3-F6<br><br>C5                                     | High width/depth ratio along with erodible banks limits effectiveness. Deposition of sand bedload occurs in backwater.   |
| Poor                             | D3-D6   | High width/depth ratio makes structure impractical.   | Poor                             | A3-A6<br>G3-G5<br><br>D3-D6                         | Low width/depth ratio, unstable, channel makes this structure inappropriate. Braided pattern not conducive for this structure.   |
| N/A                              | A1,A2,<br>B2,C2,<br>F1,F2,<br>G1,G2                 | Cross-vane structure not required for Bedrock and boulder channels.   | N/A                              | A1,B1,C1,<br>F1,G1,<br><br>B2,C2,<br>F2,G2<br>E3-E6 | Bedrock bed could not stabilize boulders, nor scour to make deep pools or holding water.<br><br>These stream types provide excellent fish habitat and generally do not require modification. |
| ROOT WADS/VEGETATION TRANSPLANTS |   |   | J-HOOK VANES, ROCK AND LOG VANES |   |  |
| Rating                           | Channel Types                                       | Limitation/Discussion   | Rating                           | Channel Types                                       | Limitation/Discussion  |
| Exc.                             | B3-B6<br>C1-C6                                      | No limitations  | Exc.                             | B3,B4,B6,<br>C3,C4                                  | No limitations   |
| Good                             | A3-A6<br>F3-F6<br>G3-G6<br>E3-E6                    | Need to use extensive re-vegetation above bankfull on entrenched stream types. Use log vane to stop back eddy bank erosion. | Good                             | B5,<br>C1,C2,C5,C6,<br>E3-E6,<br>F3-F6              | Need woody vegetation for optimum function. Need extra footers for rock vanes in sand.   |
| Fair                             | D3-D6   | Need to decrease W/D ratio to improve depth of flow in near bank region.  | Fair                             | G3-G6<br>D3-D6                                      | Steep banks make vanes difficult to install, need extensive transplants and cut-off trench. Braided channels need to reduce high width/depth ratio to be effective.                          |
| Poor                             |   |   | Poor                             | A3-A6   | Steep banks make difficult to install, entrenched, high bedload, rejuvenated slopes, debris torrents/flows create high risk.   |
| N/A                              | A1,A2<br>B1,B2<br>F1,F2<br>G1,G2                    | Bedrock/boulder banks do not require stabilization.   | N/A                              | A1,A2<br>B1,B2<br>F1,F2<br>G1,G2                    | Bedrock/boulder channels would not generally require this structure. Pools and cover are normally not limiting habitat components in these stream types.                                     |

TABLE 8-3e. Limitations and discussions of various fish habitat improvement structures by stream types.

This procedure is designed to evaluate the suitability of a wide range of fishery enhancement structures for various stream types.

These guidelines are intended for application in planning and designing enhancement structures over a wide variety of streams.