

**LAKEWATCH Report for Blues Creek-1 in Alachua County**  
**Watershed Region: North Central**  
**Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22**

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Latitude	29.7179
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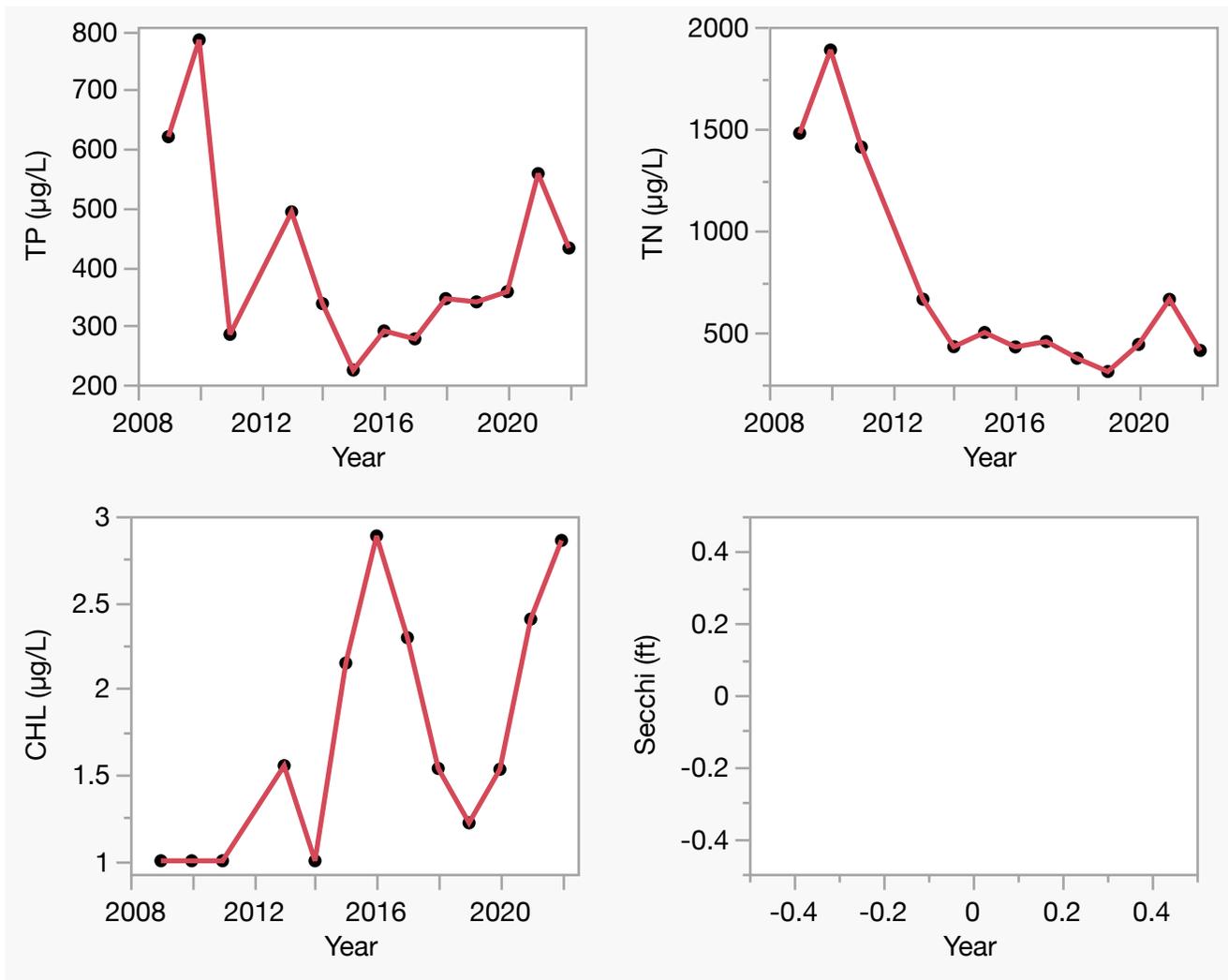
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Chlorophyll- uncorrected ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	1 - 3	2 (13)
Secchi (ft)	-	(0)
Secchi (m)	-	(0)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	10 - 393	35 (13)
Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25 C}$ )	89 - 284	208 (13)

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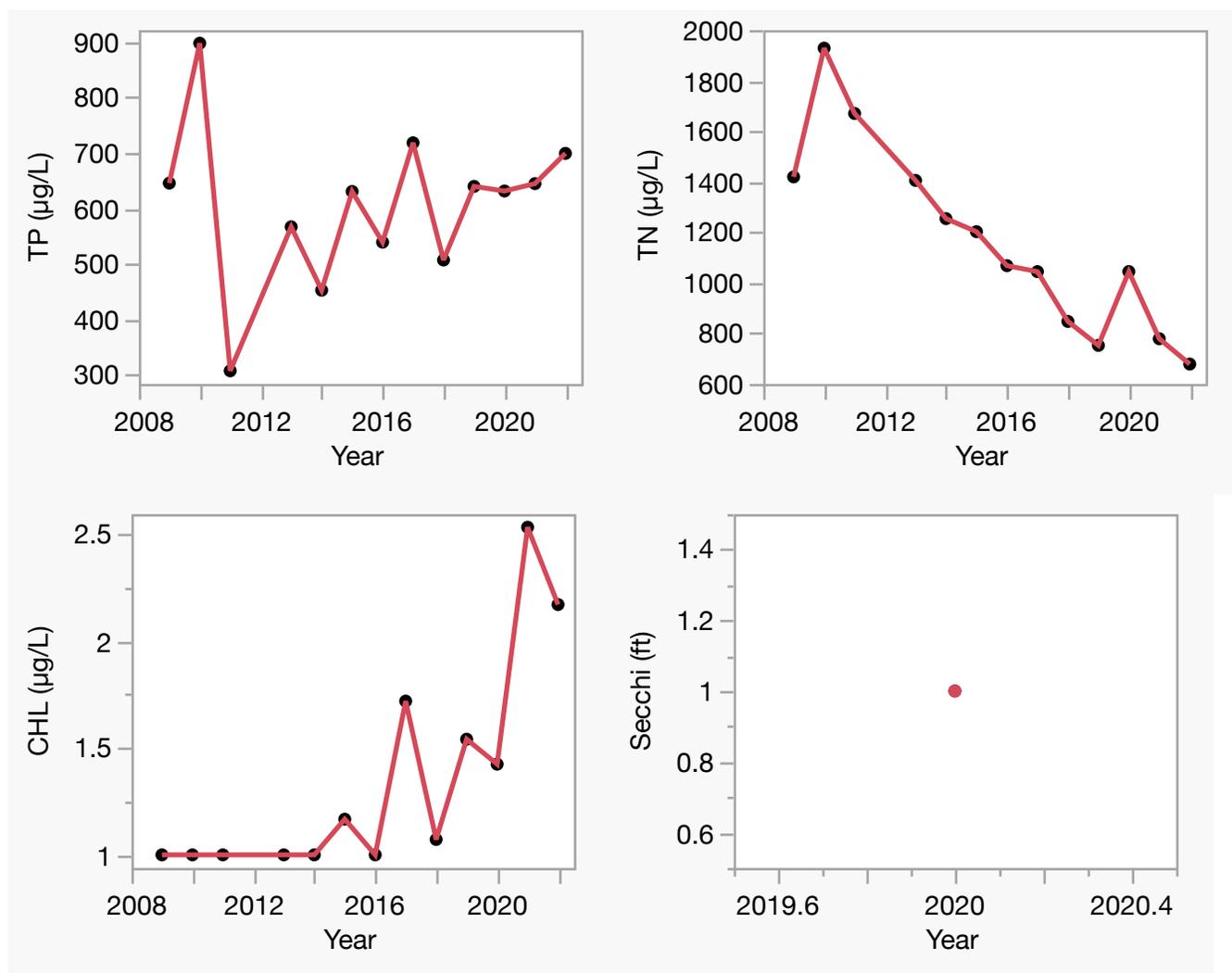
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Secchi (ft)	1.0 - 1.0	1.0 (1)
Secchi (m)	0.3 -0.3	0.3 (1)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	176 - 397	249 (13)
Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25 C}$ )	93 - 166	128 (13)

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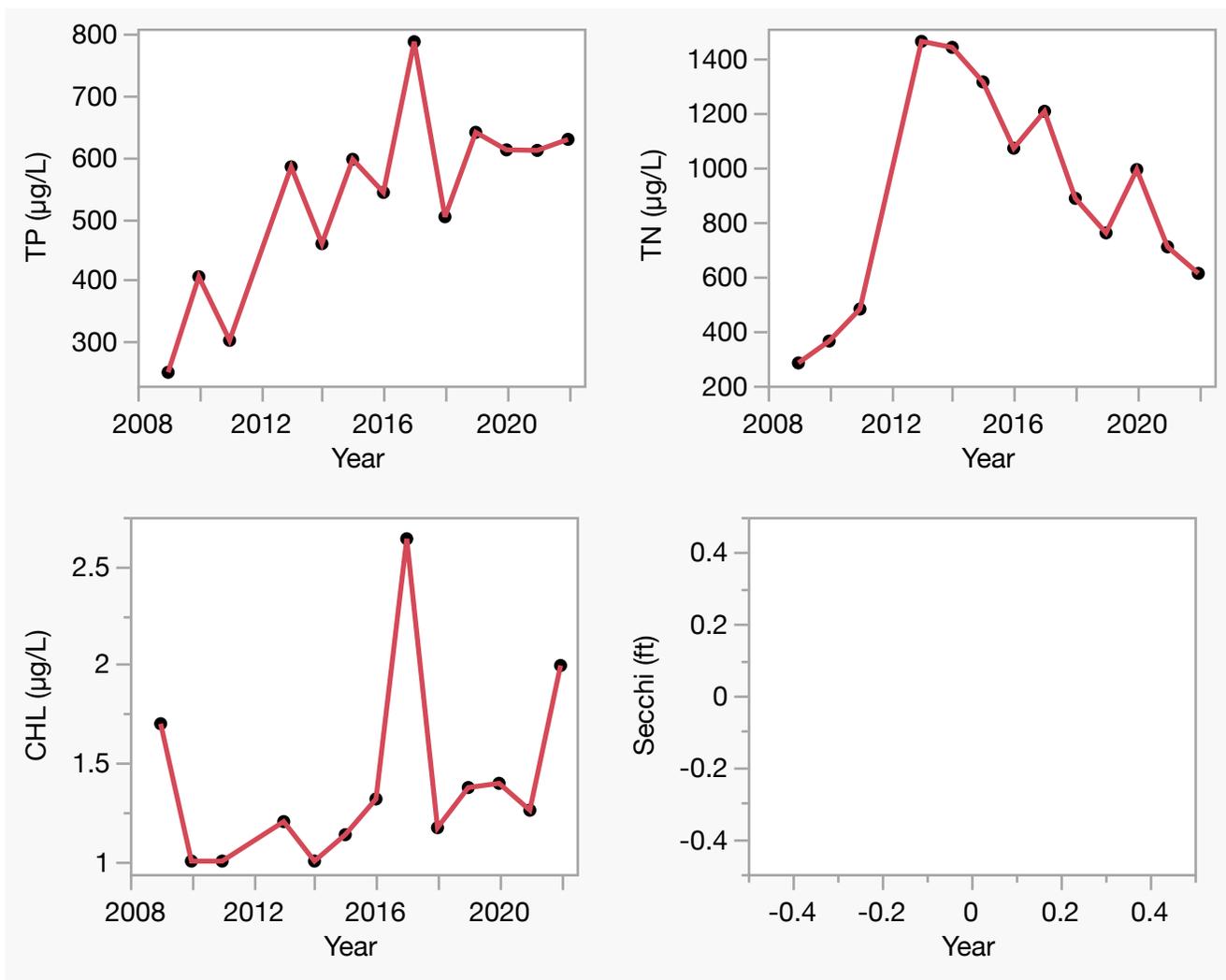
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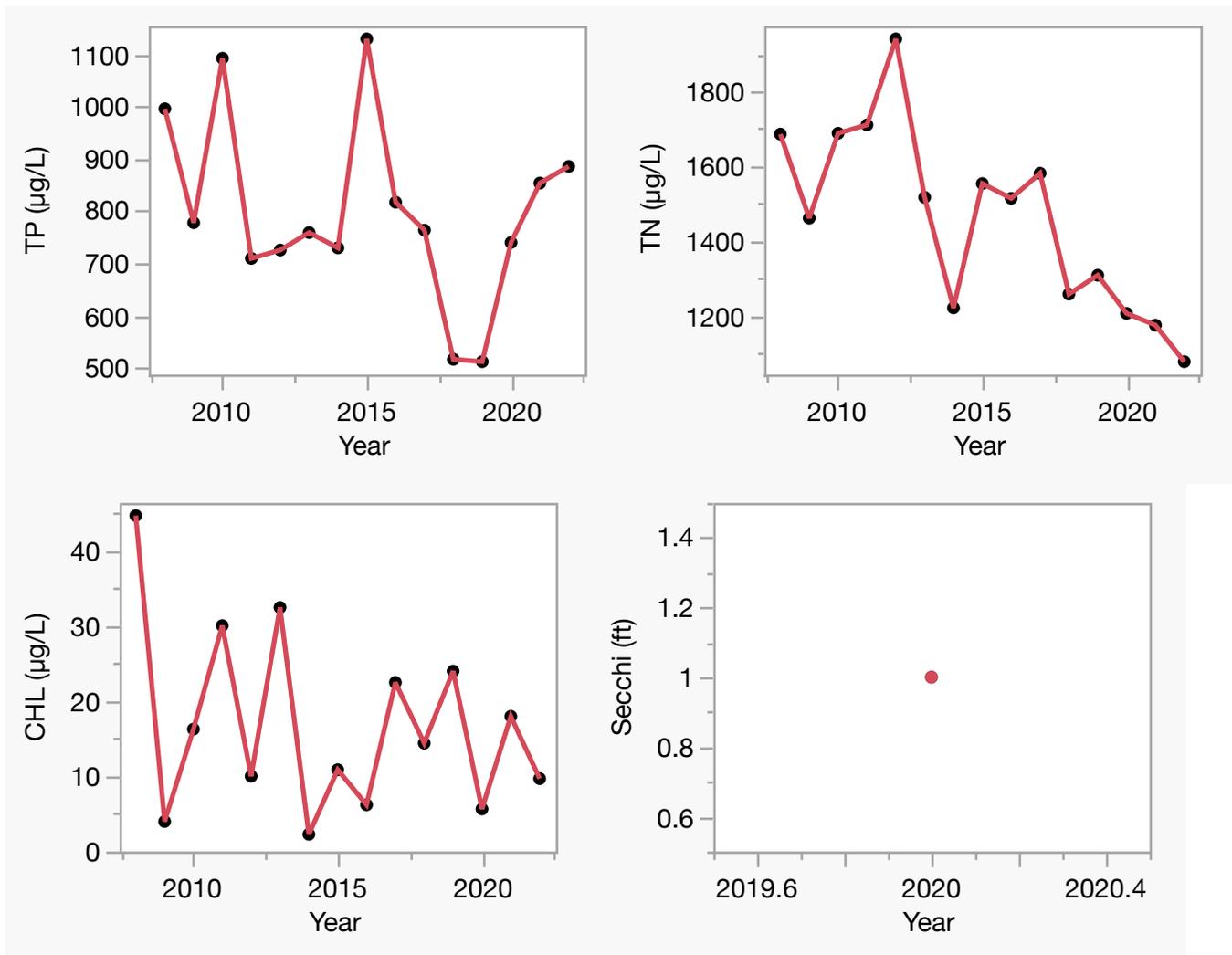
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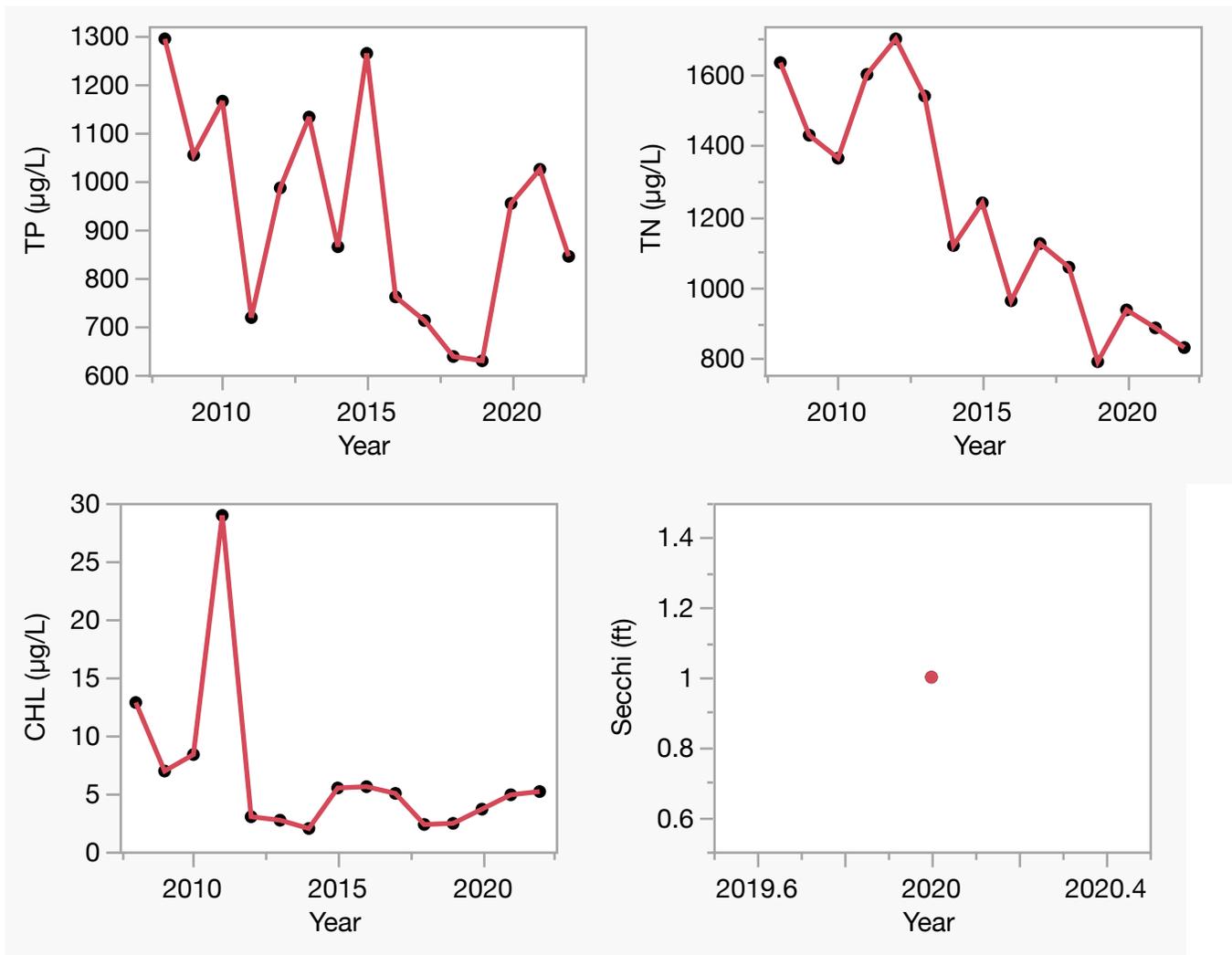
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## Base File Data for River/Streams: Definitions

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- **Latitude and Longitude:** Coordinates identifying the exact location of station 1 for each system.

**Table 2. Base File Data.**

County	Alachua
Name	Cellon Creek-3
GNIS Number	
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	15 (2008 to 2022)
Latitude	29.7686
Longitude	-82.4461

## Long-Term Data for River/Streams: Definitions

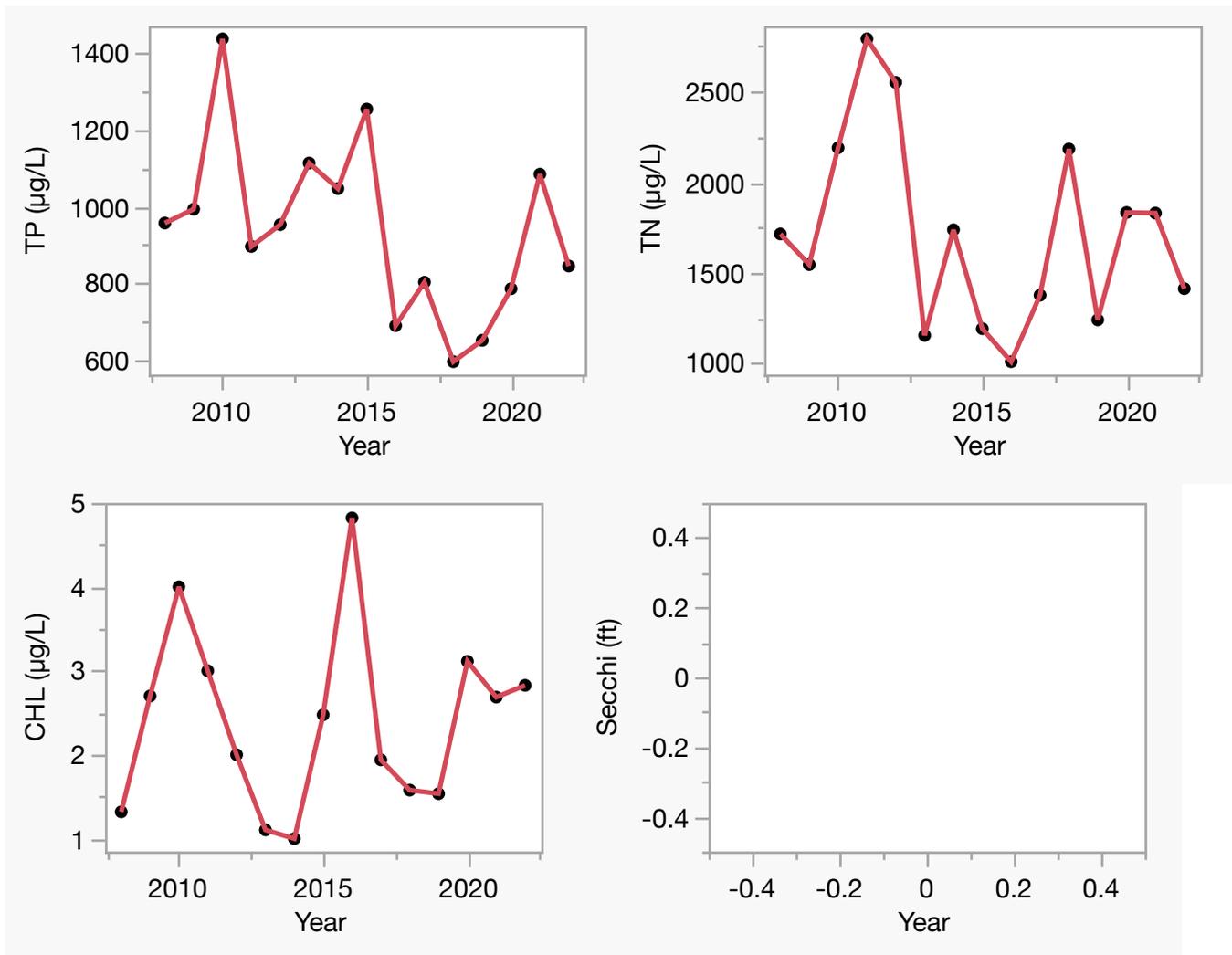
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- **Total Nitrogen ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ ):** Another nutrient needed for aquatic plant/algae growth but only limiting when nitrogen to phosphorus ratios are generally less than 10.
- **Chlorophyll-uncorrected ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ ):** Chlorophyll concentrations are used to measure relative abundances of open water algal population.
- **Secchi (ft), Secchi (m):** Secchi measurements are estimates of water clarity.
- **Color (Pt-Co Units):** LAKEWATCH measures true color, which is the color of the water after particles have been filter out.
- **Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25}^\circ\text{C}$ ):** Measurement of the ability of water to conduct electricity and can be used to estimate the amount of dissolved materials in water.

**Table 3. Long-term trophic state data collected monthly by LAKEWATCH volunteers and color and specific conductance (collected quarterly).**

Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	595 - 1438	915 (15)
Total Nitrogen ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	1010 - 2790	1646 (15)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	1 - 5	2 (15)
Secchi (ft)	-	(0)
Secchi (m)	-	(0)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	29 - 142	60 (14)
Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25 C}$ )	265 - 447	336 (14)

**Figure 2. Celson Creek-3 trend plots of year by average. The  $R^2$  value indicates the strength of the relations (ranges from 0.0 to 1.0; higher the  $R^2$  the stronger the relation) and the p value indicates if the relation is significant ( $p < 0.05$  is significant). Total phosphorus (TP No Trend,  $R^2 = 0.21$ ,  $p = 0.09$ ), total nitrogen (TN No Trend,  $R^2 = 0.09$ ,  $p = 0.28$ ), chlorophyll (CHL No Trend,  $R^2 = 0.00$ ,  $p = 0.82$ ) and Secchi depth (Secchi ,  $R^2 =$ ,  $p =$ ).**



**LAKEWATCH Report for Cellon Creek-4 in Alachua County**  
**Watershed Region: North Central**  
**Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22**

**Introduction for River/Streams**

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Panhandle East	180 µg/L	1030 µg/L
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Peninsular	120 µg/L	1540 µg/L
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**Table 2. Base File Data.**

County	Alachua
Name	Cellon Creek-4
GNIS Number	
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	15 (2008 to 2022)
Latitude	29.7703
Longitude	-82.4297

## Long-Term Data for River/Streams: Definitions

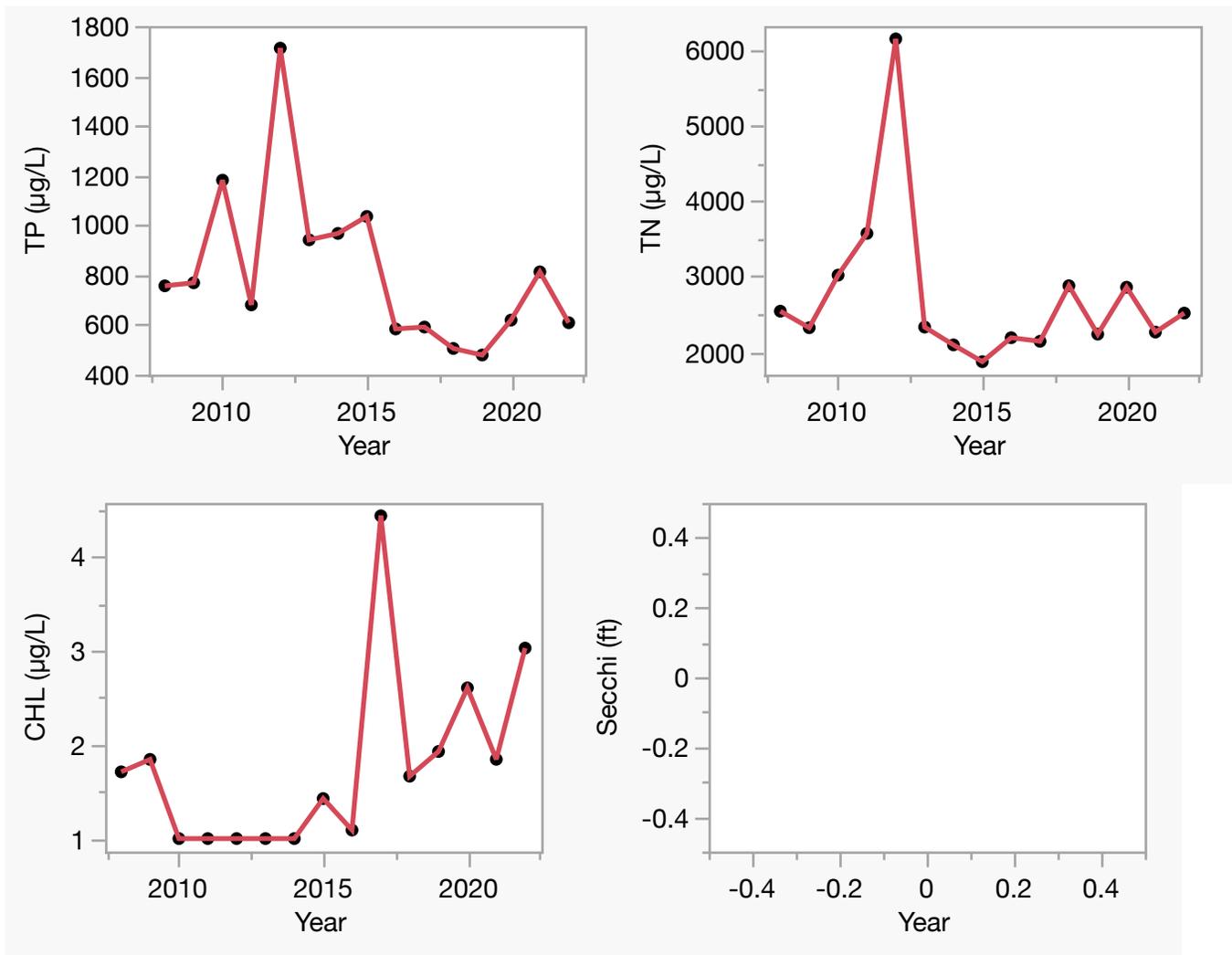
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**Table 3. Long-term trophic state data collected monthly by LAKEWATCH volunteers and color and specific conductance (collected quarterly).**

Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	479 - 1711	768 (15)
Total Nitrogen ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	1869 - 6150	2605 (15)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	1 - 4	2 (15)
Secchi (ft)	-	(0)
Secchi (m)	-	(0)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	21 - 111	47 (13)
Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25 C}$ )	308 - 473	382 (13)

**Figure 2. Celson Creek-4 trend plots of year by average. The  $R^2$  value indicates the strength of the relations (ranges from 0.0 to 1.0; higher the  $R^2$  the stronger the relation) and the p value indicates if the relation is significant ( $p < 0.05$  is significant). Total phosphorus (TP No Trend,  $R^2 = 0.20$ ,  $p = 0.09$ ), total nitrogen (TN No Trend,  $R^2 = 0.07$ ,  $p = 0.35$ ), chlorophyll (CHL No Trend,  $R^2 = 0.25$ ,  $p = 0.06$ ) and Secchi depth (Secchi ,  $R^2 = , p =$ ).**



**LAKEWATCH Report for Hogtown Creek-1 in Alachua County**  
**Watershed Region: North Central**  
**Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22**

**Introduction for River/Streams**

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**Table 2. Base File Data.**

County	Alachua
Name	Hogtown Creek-1
GNIS Number	
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	2 (2021 to 2022)
Latitude	29.6718
Longitude	-82.3460

## Long-Term Data for River/Streams: Definitions

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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	344 - 395	369 (2)
Total Nitrogen ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	598 - 726	659 (2)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	2 - 2	2 (2)
Secchi (ft)	0.3 - 0.5	0.4 (2)
Secchi (m)	0.1 -0.2	0.1 (2)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	83 - 88	86 (2)
Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25 C}$ )	196 - 199	197 (2)

**LAKEWATCH Report for Hogtown Creek-2 in Alachua County**  
**Watershed Region: North Central**  
**Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22**

**Introduction for River/Streams**

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**Table 2. Base File Data.**

County	Alachua
Name	Hogtown Creek-2
GNIS Number	
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	2 (2021 to 2022)
Latitude	29.6711
Longitude	-82.3467

## Long-Term Data for River/Streams: Definitions

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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	214 - 442	308 (2)
Total Nitrogen ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	590 - 748	664 (2)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	1 - 2	1 (2)
Secchi (ft)	0.5 - 1.3	0.8 (2)
Secchi (m)	0.2 -0.4	0.2 (2)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	83 - 86	84 (2)
Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25 C}$ )	190 - 196	193 (2)

**LAKEWATCH Report for Paroners Branch-1 in Alachua County**  
**Watershed Region: North Central**  
**Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22**

**Introduction for River/Streams**

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**Table 2. Base File Data.**

County	Alachua
Name	Paraners Branch-1
GNIS Number	288492
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	7 (2015 to 2021)
Latitude	29.9091
Longitude	-82.5635

## Long-Term Data for River/Streams: Definitions

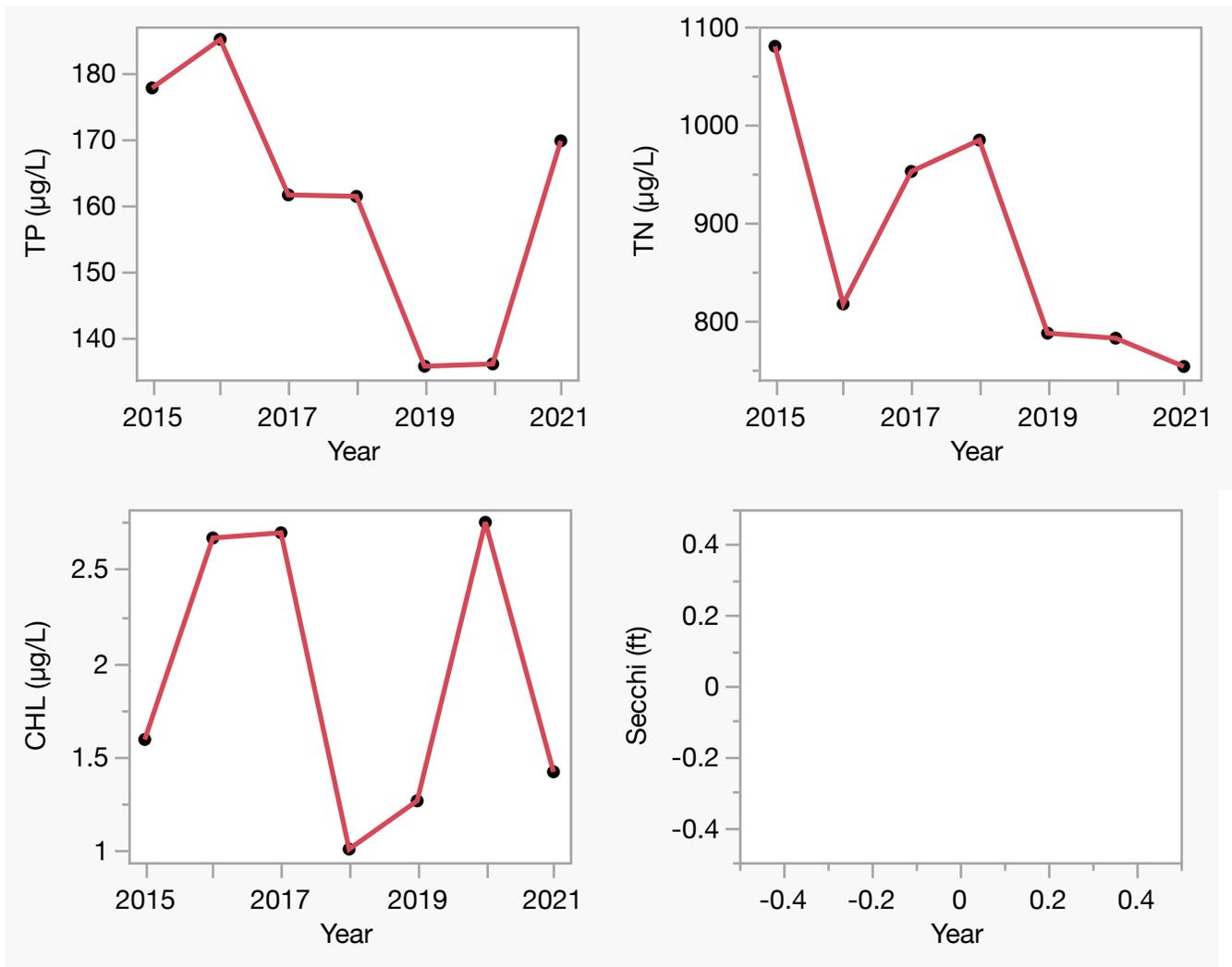
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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	136 - 185	160 (7)
Total Nitrogen ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	754 - 1080	872 (7)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	1 - 3	2 (7)
Secchi (ft)	-	(0)
Secchi (m)	-	(0)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	72 - 295	142 (7)
Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25 C}$ )	137 - 270	219 (7)

**Figure 2. Paroners Branch-1 trend plots of year by average. The  $R^2$  value indicates the strength of the relations (ranges from 0.0 to 1.0; higher the  $R^2$  the stronger the relation) and the p value indicates if the relation is significant ( $p < 0.05$  is significant). Total phosphorus (TP No Trend,  $R^2 = 0.36$ ,  $p = 0.16$ ), total nitrogen (TN No Trend,  $R^2 = 0.56$ ,  $p = 0.05$ ), chlorophyll (CHL No Trend,  $R^2 = 0.03$ ,  $p = 0.70$ ) and Secchi depth (Secchi ,  $R^2 = , p =$ ).**



**LAKEWATCH Report for Paroners Branch-2 in Alachua County**  
**Watershed Region: North Central**  
**Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22**

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**Table 2. Base File Data.**

County	Alachua
Name	Paraners Branch-2
GNIS Number	288492
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	7 (2015 to 2021)
Latitude	29.9099
Longitude	-82.5593

## Long-Term Data for River/Streams: Definitions

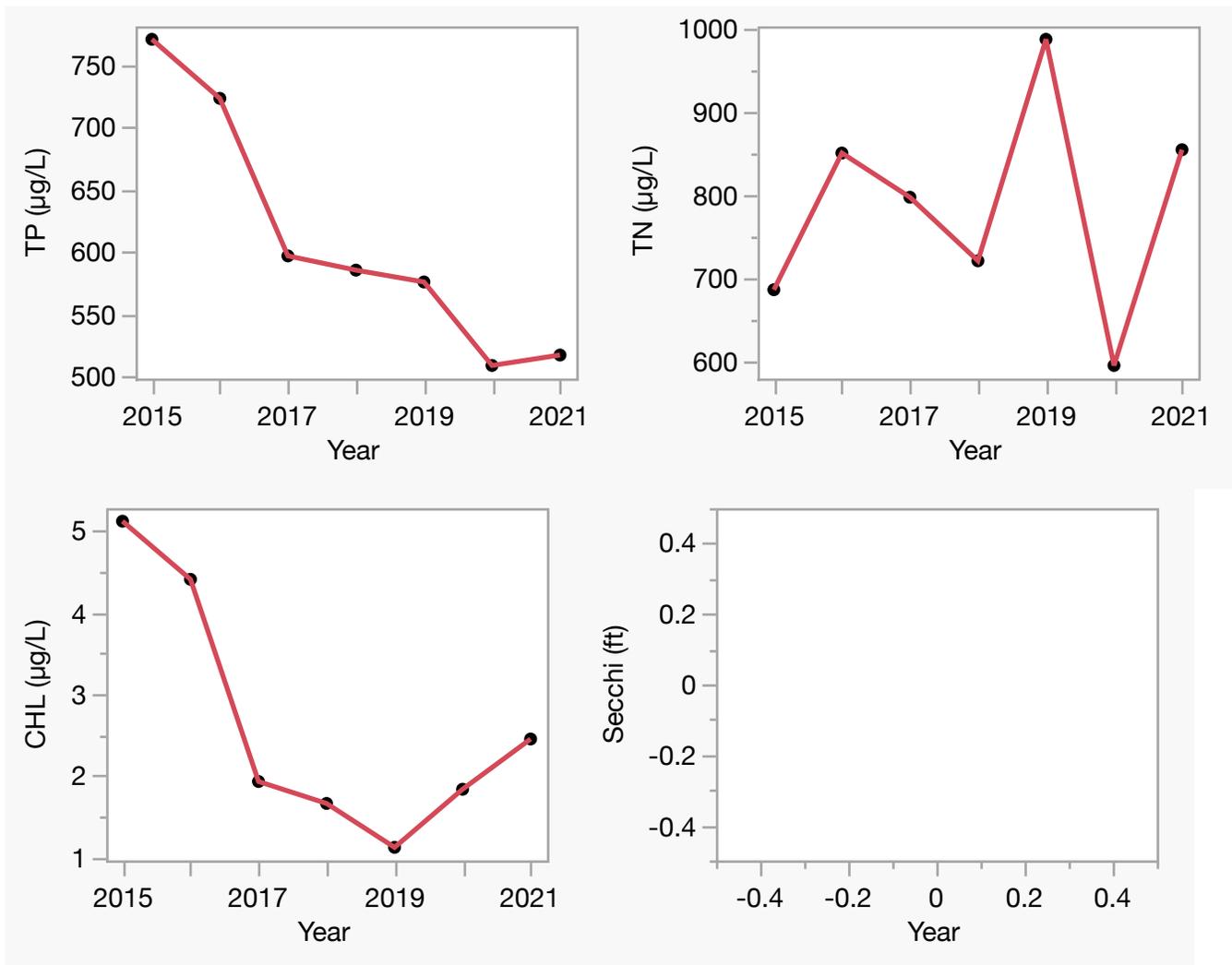
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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	509 - 771	605 (7)
Total Nitrogen ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	596 - 988	776 (7)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	1 - 5	2 (7)
Secchi (ft)	-	(0)
Secchi (m)	-	(0)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	53 - 78	63 (7)
Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25 C}$ )	169 - 203	187 (7)

**Figure 2. Paranners Branch-2 trend plots of year by average. The  $R^2$  value indicates the strength of the relations (ranges from 0.0 to 1.0; higher the  $R^2$  the stronger the relation) and the p value indicates if the relation is significant ( $p < 0.05$  is significant). Total phosphorus (TP Decreasing,  $R^2 = 0.88$ ,  $p = 0.00$ ), total nitrogen (TN No Trend,  $R^2 = 0.01$ ,  $p = 0.81$ ), chlorophyll (CHL No Trend,  $R^2 = 0.51$ ,  $p = 0.07$ ) and Secchi depth (Secchi ,  $R^2 = , p =$ ).**



**LAKEWATCH Report for Paroners Branch-3 in Alachua County**  
**Watershed Region: North Central**  
**Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22**

**Introduction for River/Streams**

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**Table 2. Base File Data.**

County	Alachua
Name	Paraners Branch-3
GNIS Number	288492
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	7 (2015 to 2021)
Latitude	29.9071
Longitude	-82.5351

## Long-Term Data for River/Streams: Definitions

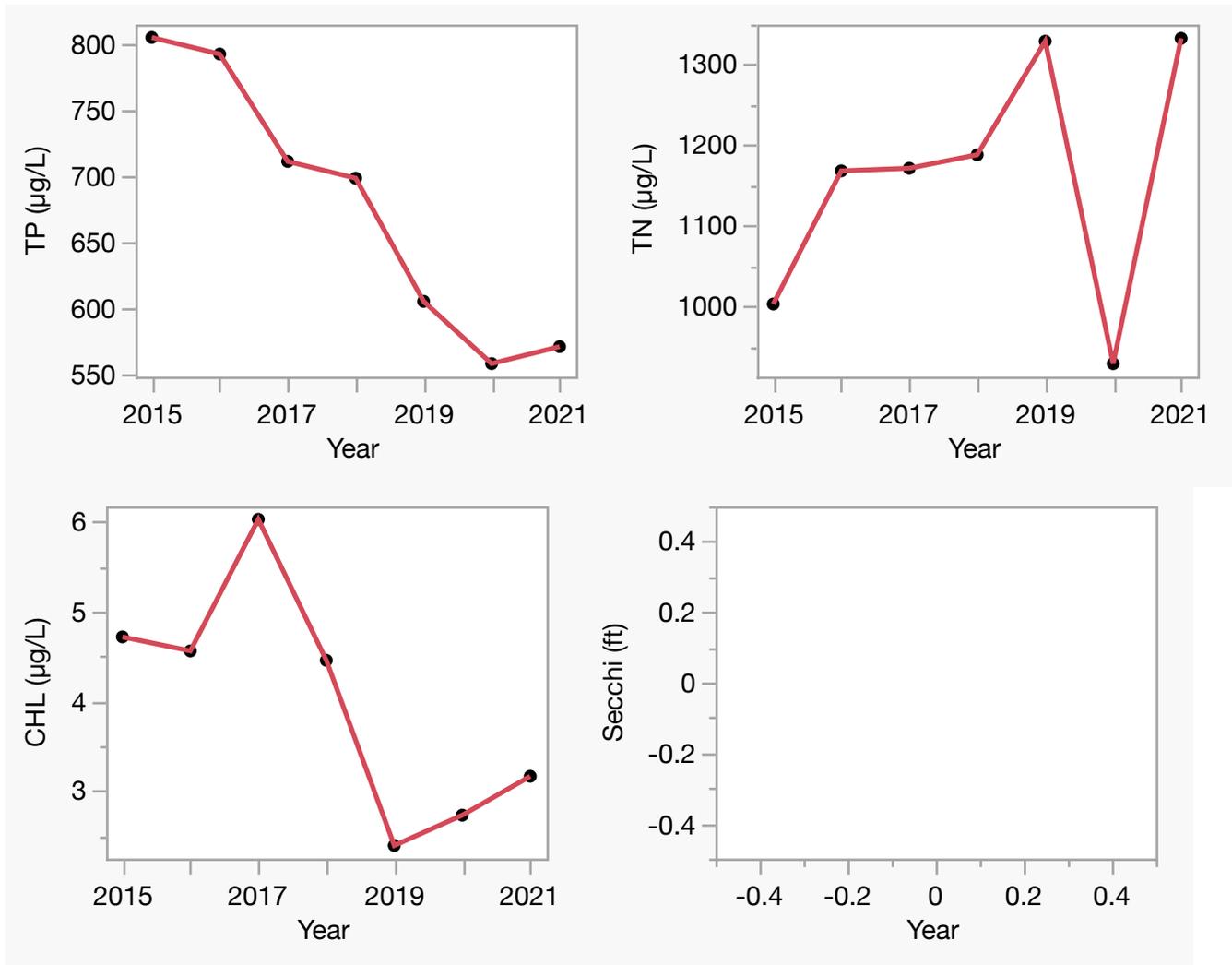
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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	558 - 806	671 (7)
Total Nitrogen ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	930 - 1333	1152 (7)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	2 - 6	4 (7)
Secchi (ft)	-	(0)
Secchi (m)	-	(0)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	37 - 53	46 (7)
Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25 C}$ )	173 - 199	188 (7)

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**LAKEWATCH Report for Santa Fe River Rise-1 in Alachua County**  
**Watershed Region: North Central**  
**Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22**

**Introduction for River/Streams**

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**Table 2. Base File Data.**

County	Alachua
Name	Santa Fe River Rise-1
GNIS Number	290658
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	7 (2015 to 2021)
Latitude	29.8740
Longitude	-82.5915

## Long-Term Data for River/Streams: Definitions

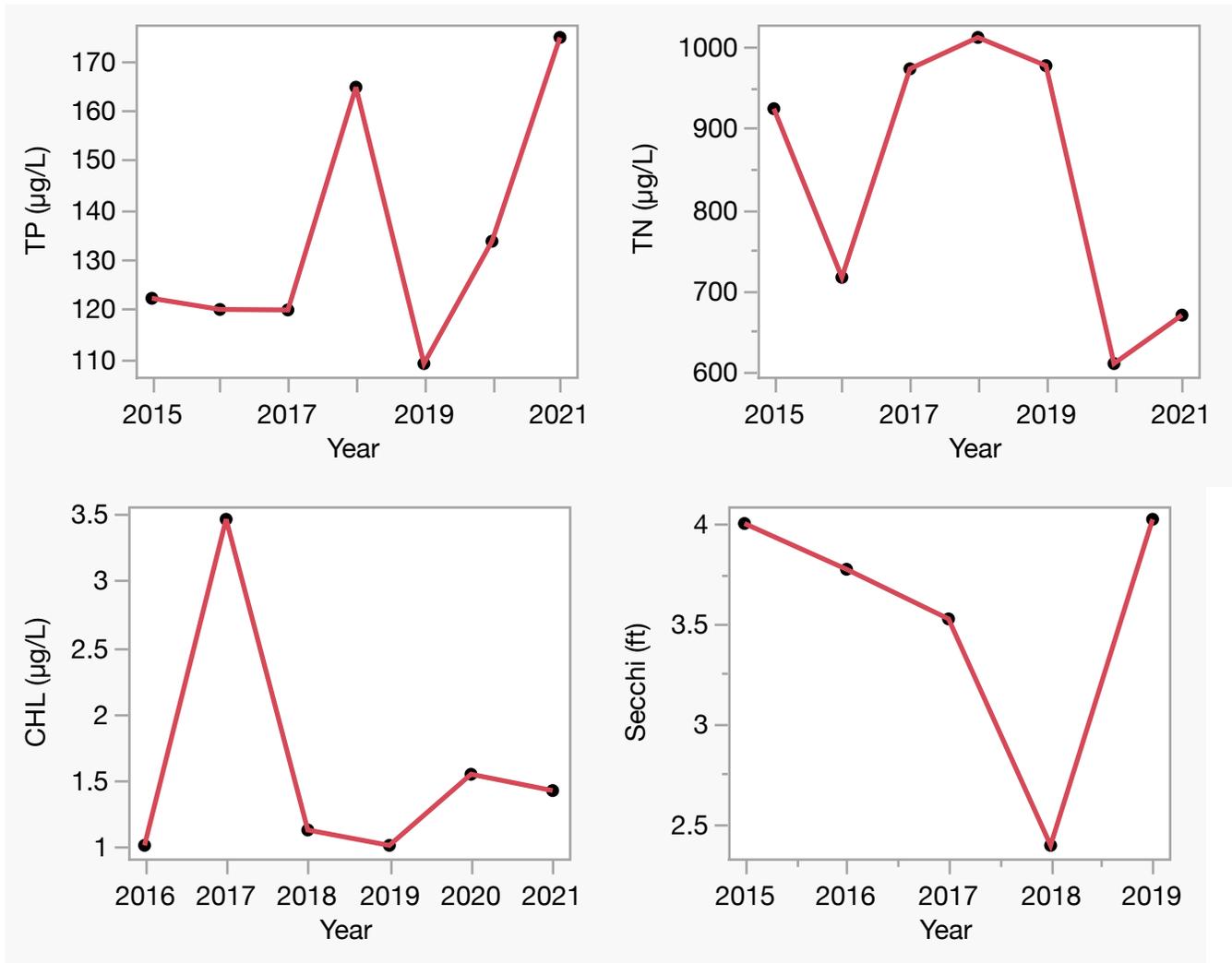
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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	109 - 175	133 (7)
Total Nitrogen ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	610 - 1011	825 (7)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	1 - 3	1 (6)
Secchi (ft)	2.4 - 4.0	3.5 (5)
Secchi (m)	0.7 -1.2	1.1 (5)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	69 - 231	131 (7)
Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25 C}$ )	114 - 350	250 (7)

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**LAKEWATCH Report for Santa Fe River Sink-1 in Alachua County**  
**Watershed Region: North Central**  
**Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22**

**Introduction for River/Streams**

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County	Alachua
Name	Santa Fe River Sink-1
GNIS Number	290658
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	7 (2015 to 2021)
Latitude	29.9146
Longitude	-82.5796

## Long-Term Data for River/Streams: Definitions

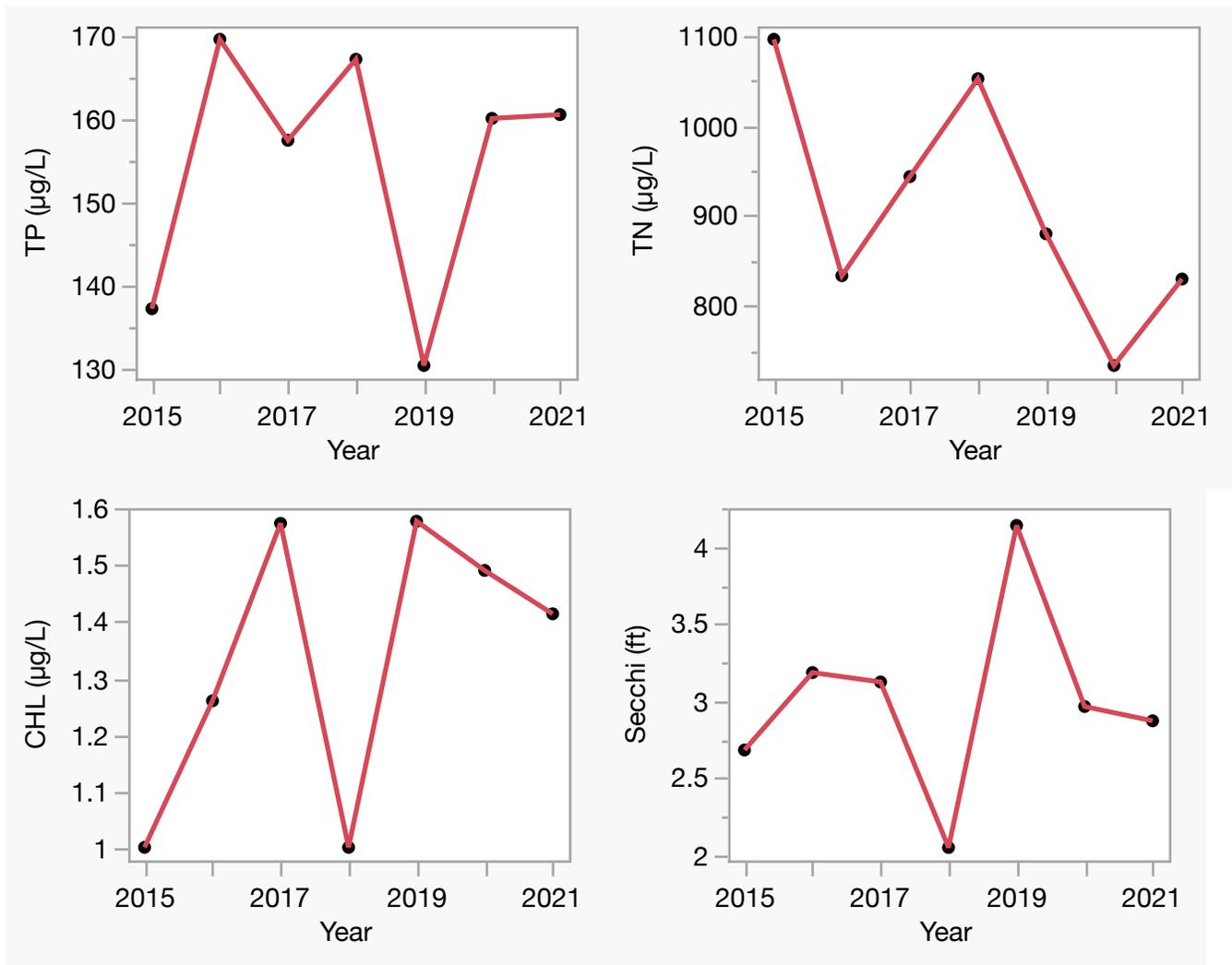
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Chlorophyll- uncorrected ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	1 - 2	1 (7)
Secchi (ft)	2.1 - 4.1	2.9 (7)
Secchi (m)	0.6 - 1.3	0.9 (7)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	87 - 310	157 (7)
Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25 C}$ )	104 - 217	158 (7)

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**LAKEWATCH Report for Santa Fe River Sink-2 in Alachua County**  
**Watershed Region: North Central**  
**Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22**

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**Table 2. Base File Data.**

County	Alachua
Name	Santa Fe River Sink-2
GNIS Number	290658
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	7 (2015 to 2021)
Latitude	29.9122
Longitude	-82.5730

## Long-Term Data for River/Streams: Definitions

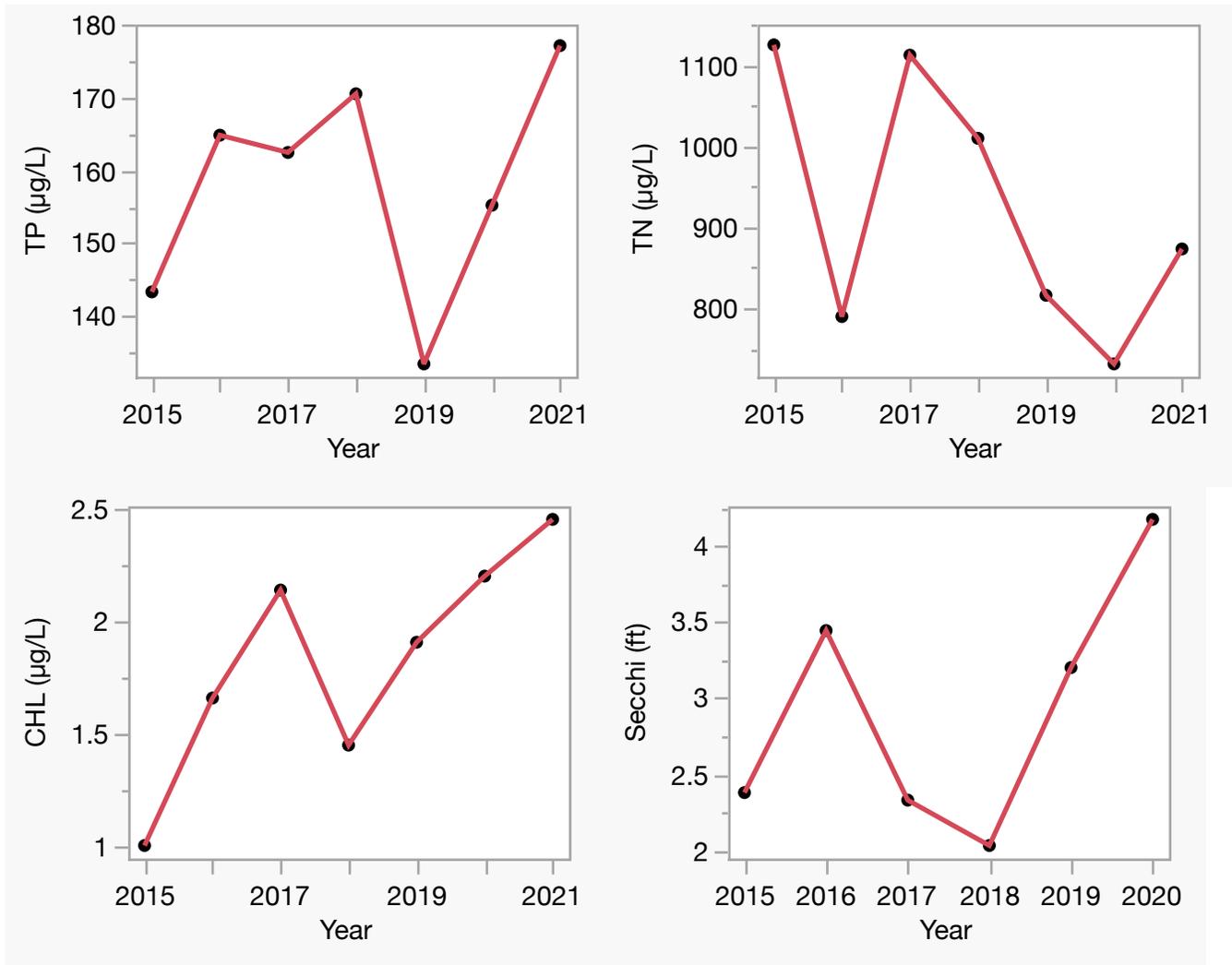
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Secchi (ft)	2.0 - 4.2	2.8 (6)
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Color (Pt-Co Units)	89 - 381	184 (7)
Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25 C}$ )	108 - 217	161 (7)

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**LAKEWATCH Report for Turkey Creek-1 in Alachua County**  
**Watershed Region: North Central**  
**Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22**

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- **Latitude and Longitude:** Coordinates identifying the exact location of station 1 for each system.

**Table 2. Base File Data.**

County	Alachua
Name	Turkey Creek-1
GNIS Number	292515
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	9 (2014 to 2022)
Latitude	29.7586
Longitude	-82.4226

## Long-Term Data for River/Streams: Definitions

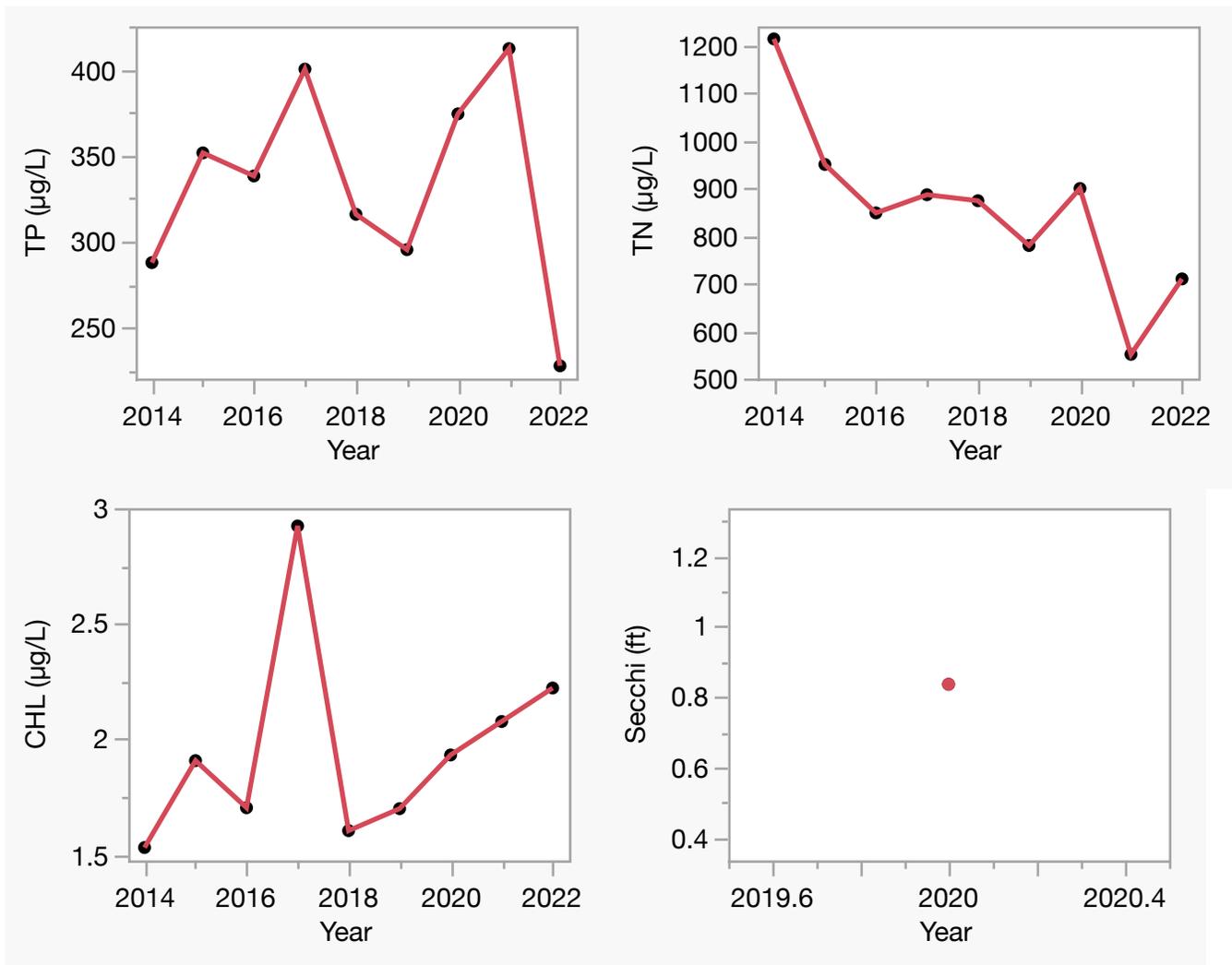
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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	228 - 412	329 (9)
Total Nitrogen ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	551 - 1214	840 (9)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	2 - 3	2 (9)
Secchi (ft)	0.8 - 0.8	0.8 (1)
Secchi (m)	0.3 -0.3	0.3 (1)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	56 - 163	92 (9)
Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25 C}$ )	197 - 269	236 (9)

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**LAKEWATCH Report for Turkey Creek-2 in Alachua County**  
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**Introduction for River/Streams**

This report summarizes data collected on systems that have been part of the LAKEWATCH program. Data are from the period of record for individual systems. The first part of this summary lists background data for each system, the second part lists the long-term data geometric means and ranges and the final part are the trend plots for nutrients, chlorophyll and Secchi depth. **Plots were only made for systems with five or more years of data.**

For decades Florida has had a narrative nutrient water quality criterion in place to protect Florida’s waters against nutrient over-enrichment. In 2009, the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) initiated rulemaking and, by 2011, adopted what would be the first set of statewide numeric nutrient standards for Florida’s waters. By 2015, almost all the remaining waters in Florida have numeric nutrient standards (see for FDEP Regulation Nutrient Criteria’s for: Streams, spring vents: <https://www.flrules.org/gateway/RuleNo.asp?title=SURFACE%20WATER%20QUALITY%20STANDARDS&ID=62-302.531>).



**Figure 1. Map showing nutrient thresholds areas for streams set forth by FDEP.**

**Table 1. The nutrient thresholds for streams are listed in table below along with the map showing zones.**

Nutrient Watershed Region	Total Phosphorus Nutrient Threshold <sup>1</sup>	Total Nitrogen Nutrient Threshold <sup>1</sup>
Panhandle West	60 µg/L	670 µg/L
Panhandle East	180 µg/L	1030 µg/L
North Central	300 µg/L	1870 µg/L
Peninsular	120 µg/L	1540 µg/L
West Central	490 µg/L	1650 µg/L
South Florida	No numeric nutrient threshold. The narrative criterion in paragraph 62-302.530(47)(b), F.A.C., applies.	No numeric nutrient threshold. The narrative criterion in paragraph 62-302.530(47)(b), F.A.C., applies.

<sup>1</sup>These values are annual geometric mean concentrations not to be exceeded more than once in any three calendar year period.

## Base File Data for River/Streams: Definitions

- **County:** Name of county in which the system resides.
- **Name:** Stream name that LAKEWATCH uses for the system.
- **GNIS Number:** Number created by USGS's Geographic Names Information System.
- **Water Body Type:** Four different types of systems; lakes, estuaries, river/streams and springs.
- **Period of Record (years):** Number of years a system has been in the LAKEWATCH program.
- **Latitude and Longitude:** Coordinates identifying the exact location of station 1 for each system.

**Table 2. Base File Data.**

County	Alachua
Name	Turkey Creek-2
GNIS Number	292515
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	9 (2014 to 2022)
Latitude	29.7544
Longitude	-82.4397

## Long-Term Data for River/Streams: Definitions

The following long-term data are the primary trophic state parameters collected by LAKEWATCH volunteers and classification variables color and specific conductance (LAKEWATCH recently began analyzing samples quarterly for color and specific conductance):

- **Total Phosphorus ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ ):** The nutrient most often limiting growth of plant/algae.
- **Total Nitrogen ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ ):** Another nutrient needed for aquatic plant/algae growth but only limiting when nitrogen to phosphorus ratios are generally less than 10.
- **Chlorophyll-uncorrected ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ ):** Chlorophyll concentrations are used to measure relative abundances of open water algal population.
- **Secchi (ft), Secchi (m):** Secchi measurements are estimates of water clarity.
- **Color (Pt-Co Units):** LAKEWATCH measures true color, which is the color of the water after particles have been filter out.
- **Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25}^\circ\text{C}$ ):** Measurement of the ability of water to conduct electricity and can be used to estimate the amount of dissolved materials in water.

**Table 3. Long-term trophic state data collected monthly by LAKEWATCH volunteers and color and specific conductance (collected quarterly).**

Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	264 - 465	377 (9)
Total Nitrogen ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	583 - 1166	768 (9)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )	1 - 2	2 (9)
Secchi (ft)	0.4 - 0.4	0.4 (1)
Secchi (m)	0.1 -0.1	0.1 (1)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	65 - 166	93 (9)
Specific Conductance ( $\mu\text{S/cm@25 C}$ )	196 - 274	236 (9)

**Figure 2. Turkey Creek-2 trend plots of year by average. The  $R^2$  value indicates the strength of the relations (ranges from 0.0 to 1.0; higher the  $R^2$  the stronger the relation) and the p value indicates if the relation is significant ( $p < 0.05$  is significant). Total phosphorus (TP No Trend,  $R^2 = 0.04$ ,  $p = 0.62$ ), total nitrogen (TN Decreasing,  $R^2 = 0.76$ ,  $p = 0.00$ ), chlorophyll (CHL No Trend,  $R^2 = 0.43$ ,  $p = 0.06$ ) and Secchi depth (Secchi No Trend,  $R^2 = , p = )$ .**

