LAKEWATCH Report for CBA GAP-1 in Okaloosa County Watershed Region: Panhandle West Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22

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Table 2. Base File Data.

County	Okaloosa
Name	CBA GAP-1
GNIS Number	
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	13 (2010 to 2022)
Latitude	30.4281
Longitude	-86.6675

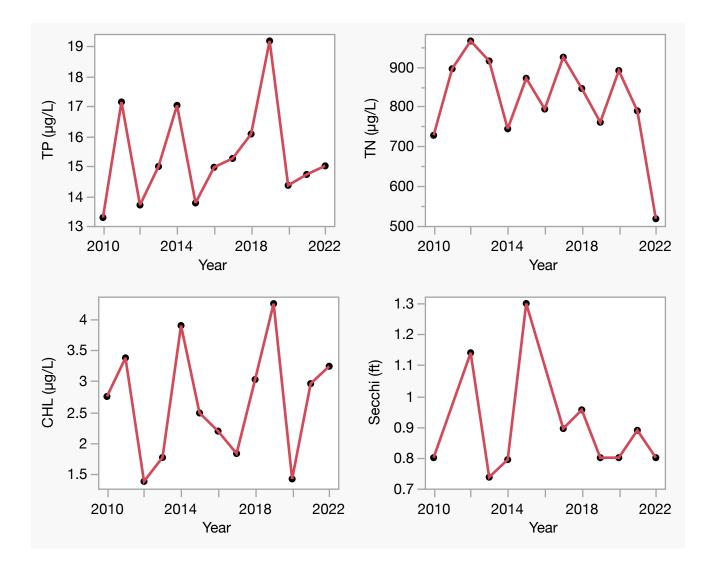
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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus (µg/L)	13 - 19	15 (13)
Total Nitrogen (µg/L)	516 - 965	809 (13)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected (µg/L)	1 - 4	3 (13)
Secchi (ft)	0.7 - 1.3	0.9 (11)
Secchi (m)	0.2 -0.4	0.3 (11)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	32 - 213	94 (13)
Specific Conductance (μ S/cm@25 C)	72 - 218	109 (13)

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LAKEWATCH Report for CBA GAP-2 in Okaloosa County Watershed Region: Panhandle West Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22

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Table 1. The nutrient thresholds for streams are listed in table below a	along with the map showing zones.
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South Florida	No numeric nutrient threshold. The	No numeric nutrient threshold. The
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	302.530(47)(b), F.A.C., applies.	302.530(47)(b), F.A.C., applies.

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Table 2. Base File Data.

County	Okaloosa
Name	CBA GAP-2
GNIS Number	
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	12 (2010 to 2021)
Latitude	30.4319
Longitude	-86.6489

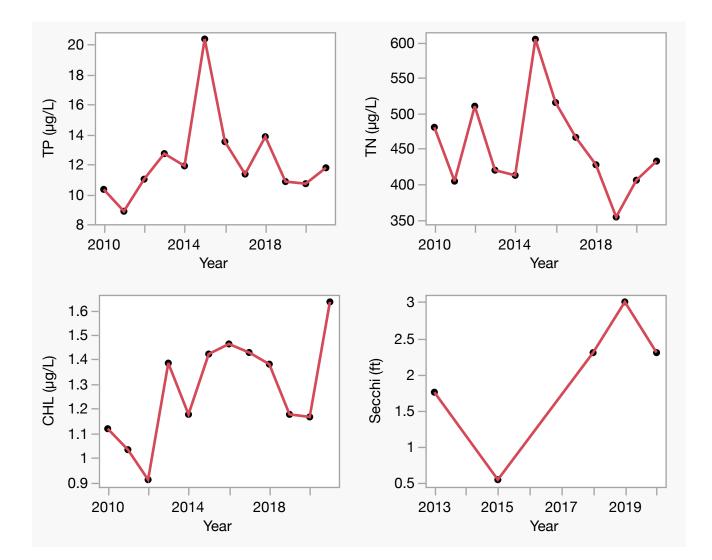
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- Specific Conductance (μ S/cm@25°C): Measurement of the ability of water to conduct electricity and can be used to estimate the amount of dissolved materials in water.

Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus (µg/L)	9 - 20	12 (12)
Total Nitrogen (µg/L)	354 - 605	448 (12)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected (µg/L)	1 - 2	1 (12)
Secchi (ft)	0.5 - 3.0	1.7 (5)
Secchi (m)	0.2 -0.9	0.5 (5)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	18 - 46	33 (12)
Specific Conductance (µS/cm@25 C)	61 - 496	115 (12)

Figure 2. CBA GAP-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, $R^2 = 0.02$, p = 0.70), total nitrogen (TN No Trend, $R^2 = 0.08$, p = 0.37), chlorophyll (CHL No Trend, $R^2 = 0.33$, p = 0.05) and Secchi depth (Secchi No Trend, $R^2 = 0.44$, p = 0.22).



LAKEWATCH Report for CBA GAP-3 in Okaloosa County Watershed Region: Panhandle West Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22

Introduction for River/Streams

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Table 2. Base File Data.

County	Okaloosa
Name	CBA GAP-3
GNIS Number	
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	13 (2010 to 2022)
Latitude	30.4327
Longitude	-86.6401

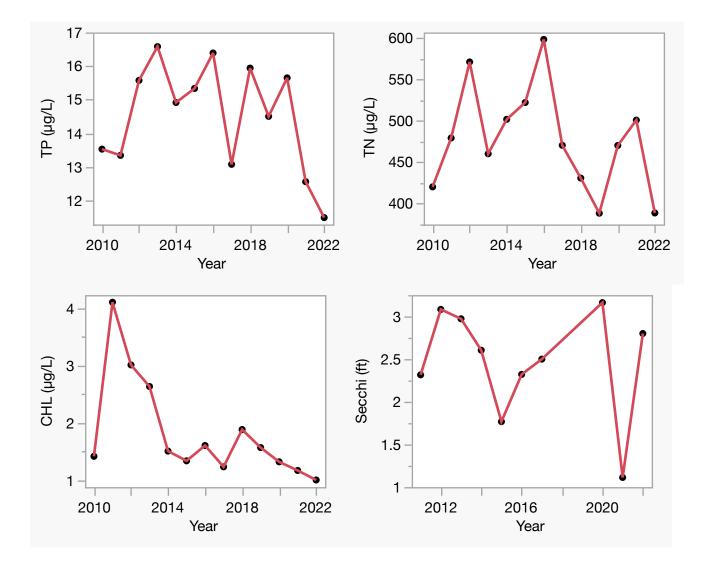
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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus (µg/L)	11 - 17	14 (13)
Total Nitrogen (µg/L)	389 - 598	473 (13)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected (µg/L)	1 - 4	2 (13)
Secchi (ft)	1.1 - 3.2	2.4 (10)
Secchi (m)	0.3 -1.0	0.7 (10)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	13 - 46	26 (13)
Specific Conductance (µS/cm@25 C)	539 - 5501	1917 (13)

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LAKEWATCH Report for CBA Shoal River-1 in Okaloosa County Watershed Region: Panhandle West Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22

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County	Okaloosa
Name	CBA Shoal River-1
GNIS Number	291074
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	1 (2007 to 2007)
Latitude	30.6960
Longitude	-86.5763

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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus (µg/L)	10 - 10	10 (1)
Total Nitrogen ($\mu g/L$)	333 - 333	333 (1)
		1 (1)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected (µg/L)	1 - 1	$\frac{1(1)}{50(1)}$
Secchi (ft)	5.0 - 5.0	5.0 (1)
Secchi (m)	1.5 -1.5	1.5 (1)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	13 - 13	13 (1)
Specific Conductance (µS/cm@25 C)	25 - 25	25 (1)

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Name	CBA Shoal River-2
GNIS Number	291074
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	1 (2007 to 2007)
Latitude	30.6959
Longitude	-86.5742

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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus (µg/L)	9 - 9	9(1)
Total Nitrogen (µg/L)	415 - 415	415 (1)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected (µg/L)	1 - 1	1 (1)
Secchi (ft)	4.0 - 4.0	4.0 (1)
Secchi (m)	1.2 -1.2	1.2 (1)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	14 - 14	14 (1)
Specific Conductance (µS/cm@25 C)	27 - 27	27 (1)

LAKEWATCH Report for CBA Shoal River-3 in Okaloosa County Watershed Region: Panhandle West Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22

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County	Okaloosa
Name	CBA Shoal River-3
GNIS Number	291074
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	1 (2007 to 2007)
Latitude	30.6968
Longitude	-86.5716

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- Specific Conductance (μ S/cm@25°C): Measurement of the ability of water to conduct electricity and can be used to estimate the amount of dissolved materials in water.

Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus (µg/L)	9 - 9	9(1)
Total Nitrogen (µg/L)	390 - 390	390 (1)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected (µg/L)	1 - 1	1 (1)
Secchi (ft)	-	(0)
Secchi (m)	-	(0)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	14 - 14	14 (1)
Specific Conductance (µS/cm@25 C)	28 - 28	28 (1)

LAKEWATCH Report for CBA TKY-1 in Okaloosa County Watershed Region: Panhandle West Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22

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Table 2. Base File Data.

County	Okaloosa
Name	CBA TKY-1
GNIS Number	292520
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	13 (2010 to 2022)
Latitude	30.5313
Longitude	-86.5063

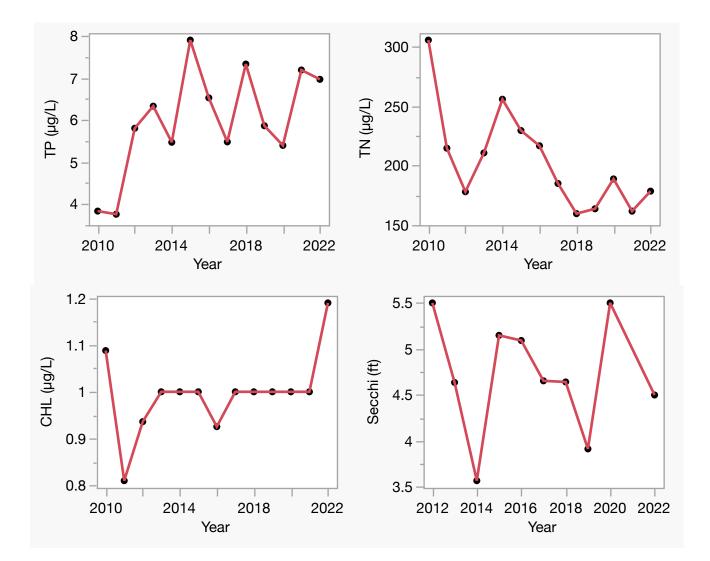
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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus (µg/L)	4 - 8	6 (13)
Total Nitrogen (µg/L)	160 - 306	200 (13)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected (µg/L)	1 - 1	1 (13)
Secchi (ft)	3.6 - 5.5	4.7 (10)
Secchi (m)	1.1 -1.7	1.4 (10)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	8 - 48	16 (13)
Specific Conductance (µS/cm@25 C)	12 - 166	22 (13)

Figure 2. CBA TKY-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 Increasing, $R^2 = 0.34$, p = 0.04), total nitrogen (TN Decreasing, $R^2 = 0.48$, p = 0.01), chlorophyll (CHL No Trend, $R^2 = 0.20$, p = 0.12) and Secchi depth (Secchi No Trend, $R^2 = 0.01$, p = 0.78).



LAKEWATCH Report for CBA TKY-2 in Okaloosa County Watershed Region: Panhandle West Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22

Introduction for River/Streams

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Region	Threshold ¹	
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North Central	300 µ/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	No numeric nutrient threshold. The
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	302.530(47)(b), F.A.C., applies.	302.530(47)(b), F.A.C., applies.

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- 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	Okaloosa
Name	CBA TKY-2
GNIS Number	292520
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	13 (2010 to 2022)
Latitude	30.5305
Longitude	-86.5058

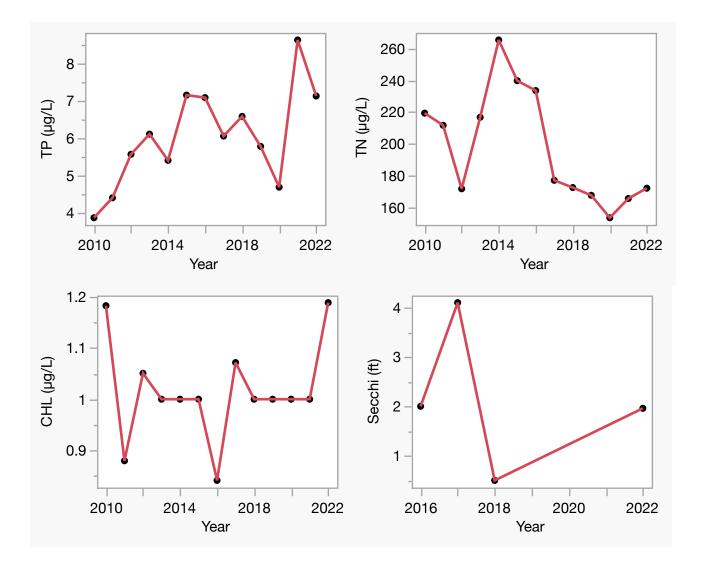
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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus (µg/L)	4 - 9	6 (13)
Total Nitrogen (µg/L)	153 - 265	195 (13)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected (µg/L)	1 - 1	1 (13)
Secchi (ft)	0.5 - 4.1	1.7 (4)
Secchi (m)	0.2 -1.2	0.5 (4)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	9 - 43	16 (13)
Specific Conductance (µS/cm@25 C)	13 - 163	20 (13)

Figure 2. CBA TKY-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 Increasing, $R^2 = 0.38$, p = 0.03), total nitrogen (TN Decreasing, $R^2 = 0.36$, p = 0.03), chlorophyll (CHL No Trend, $R^2 = 0.01$, p = 0.72) and Secchi depth (Secchi No Trend, $R^2 = 0.04$, p = 0.79).



LAKEWATCH Report for CBA TKY-3 in Okaloosa County Watershed Region: Panhandle West Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22

Introduction for River/Streams

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Region	Threshold ¹	
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North Central	300 µ/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	No numeric nutrient threshold. The
	narrative criterion in paragraph 62-	narrative criterion in paragraph 62-
	302.530(47)(b), F.A.C., applies.	302.530(47)(b), F.A.C., applies.

- **County**: Name of county in which the system resides.
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- 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	Okaloosa
Name	CBA TKY-3
GNIS Number	292520
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	13 (2010 to 2022)
Latitude	30.5239
Longitude	-86.4992

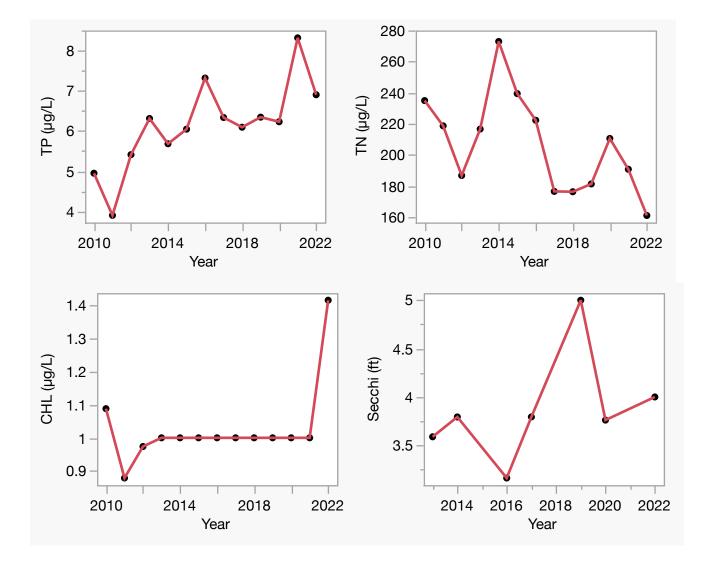
Long-Term Data for River/Streams: Definitions

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- 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 (μ S/cm@25°C): Measurement of the ability of water to conduct electricity and can be used to estimate the amount of dissolved materials in water.

Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus (µg/L)	4 - 8	6 (13)
Total Nitrogen (µg/L)	161 - 273	205 (13)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected (µg/L)	1 - 1	1 (13)
Secchi (ft)	3.2 - 5.0	3.8 (7)
Secchi (m)	1.0 -1.5	1.2 (7)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	10 - 41	17 (13)
Specific Conductance (µS/cm@25 C)	14 - 160	20 (13)

Figure 2. CBA TKY-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 Increasing, $R^2 = 0.58$, p = 0.00), total nitrogen (TN Decreasing, $R^2 = 0.33$, p = 0.04), chlorophyll (CHL No Trend, $R^2 = 0.21$, p = 0.11) and Secchi depth (Secchi No Trend, $R^2 = 0.18$, p = 0.34).



LAKEWATCH Report for Swift Creek-1 in Okaloosa County Watershed Region: Panhandle West Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22

Introduction for River/Streams

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South Florida	No numeric nutrient threshold. The	No numeric nutrient threshold. The
	narrative criterion in paragraph 62-	narrative criterion in paragraph 62-
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- 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	Okaloosa
Name	Swift Creek-1
GNIS Number	291960
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	12 (2011 to 2022)
Latitude	30.5312
Longitude	-86.4667

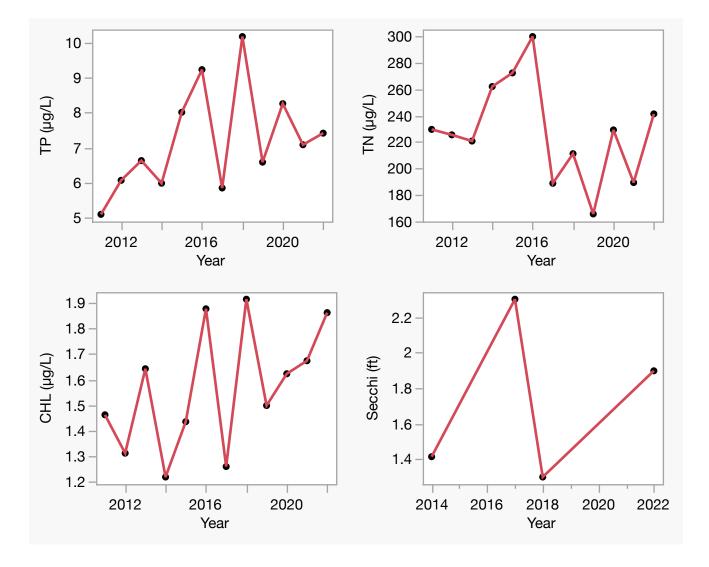
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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum	Grand Geometric Mean
	Annual Geometric Means	(Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus (µg/L)	5 - 10	7 (12)
Total Nitrogen (µg/L)	166 - 300	225 (12)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected (µg/L)	1 - 2	2 (12)
Secchi (ft)	1.3 - 2.3	1.7 (4)
Secchi (m)	0.4 -0.7	0.5 (4)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	9 - 17	13 (12)
Specific Conductance (µS/cm@25 C)	17 - 29	23 (12)

Figure 2. Swift Creek-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, $R^2 = 0.19$, p = 0.15), total nitrogen (TN No Trend, $R^2 = 0.09$, p = 0.34), chlorophyll (CHL No Trend, $R^2 = 0.26$, p = 0.09) and Secchi depth (Secchi No Trend, $R^2 = 0.09$, p = 0.70).



LAKEWATCH Report for Swift Creek-1A in Okaloosa County Watershed Region: Panhandle West Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22

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Table 2. Base File Data.

County	Okaloosa
Name	Swift Creek-1A
GNIS Number	291960
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	3 (2008 to 2011)
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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus (µg/L)	6 - 11	8 (3)
Total Nitrogen (µg/L)	289 - 452	372 (3)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected (µg/L)	2 - 2	2 (3)
Secchi (ft)	0.3 - 0.3	0.3 (1)
Secchi (m)	0.1 -0.1	0.1 (1)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	9 - 14	11 (3)
Specific Conductance (µS/cm@25 C)	26 - 33	29 (3)

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Name	Swift Creek-2
GNIS Number	291960
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	12 (2011 to 2022)
Latitude	30.5262
Longitude	-86.4654

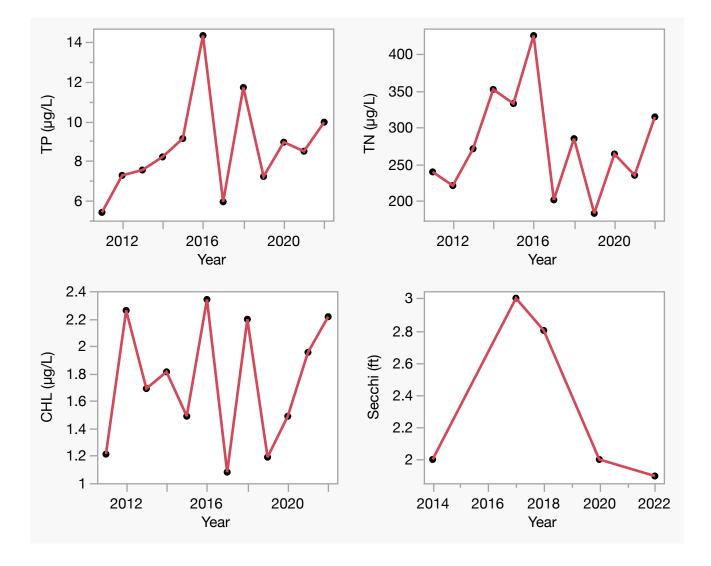
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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus (µg/L)	5 - 14	8 (12)
Total Nitrogen (µg/L)	182 - 426	269 (12)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected (µg/L)	1 - 2	2 (12)
Secchi (ft)	1.9 - 3.0	2.3 (5)
Secchi (m)	0.6 -0.9	0.7 (5)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	12 - 24	16 (12)
Specific Conductance (µS/cm@25 C)	22 - 36	29 (12)

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LAKEWATCH Report for Swift Creek-2A in Okaloosa County Watershed Region: Panhandle West Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22

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Table 2. Base File Data.

County	Okaloosa
Name	Swift Creek-2A
GNIS Number	291960
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	3 (2008 to 2011)
Latitude	30.5262
Longitude	-86.4654

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Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus (µg/L)	6 - 13	9 (3)
Total Nitrogen (µg/L)	276 - 429	363 (3)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected (µg/L)	1 - 6	2 (3)
Secchi (ft)	-	(0)
Secchi (m)	-	(0)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	9 - 14	12 (3)
Specific Conductance (µS/cm@25 C)	27 - 61	36 (3)

LAKEWATCH Report for Swift Creek-3 in Okaloosa County Watershed Region: Panhandle West Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22

Introduction for River/Streams

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https://www.flrules.org/gateway/RuleNo.asp?title=SURFACE%20WATER%20QUALITY%20STANDAR DS&ID=62-302.531).



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

Nutrient Watershed	Total Phosphorus Nutrient	Total Nitrogen Nutrient Threshold ¹
Region	Threshold ¹	
Panhandle West	60 µg/L	670 μg/L
Panhandle East	180 µg/L	1030 µg/L
North Central	300 µ/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	No numeric nutrient threshold. The
	narrative criterion in paragraph 62-	narrative criterion in paragraph 62-
	302.530(47)(b), F.A.C., applies.	302.530(47)(b), F.A.C., applies.

- **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	Okaloosa
Name	Swift Creek-3
GNIS Number	291960
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	14 (2008 to 2022)
Latitude	30.5135
Longitude	-86.4541

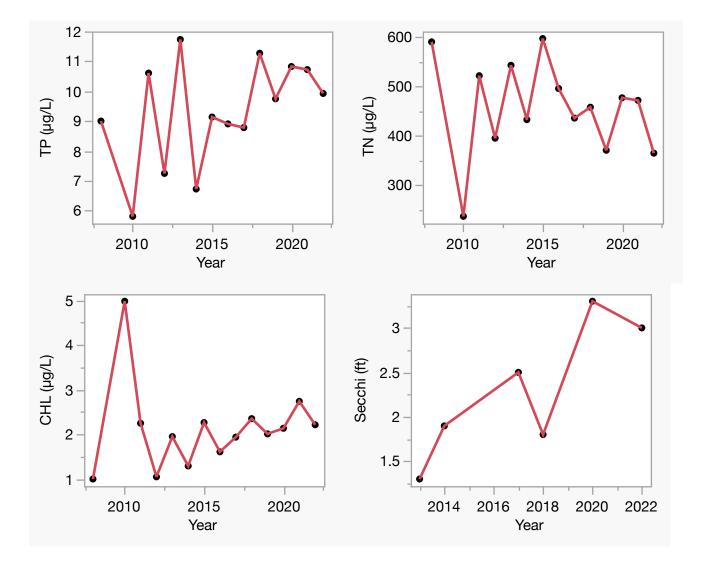
Long-Term Data for River/Streams: Definitions

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 (µg/L): The nutrient most often limiting growth of plant/algae.
- Total Nitrogen (μ 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 (µg/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 (μ S/cm@25°C): Measurement of the ability of water to conduct electricity and can be used to estimate the amount of dissolved materials in water.

Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean
		(Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus (µg/L)	6 - 12	9 (14)
Total Nitrogen (µg/L)	236 - 597	445 (14)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected (µg/L)	1 - 5	2 (14)
Secchi (ft)	1.3 - 3.3	2.2 (6)
Secchi (m)	0.4 -1.0	0.7 (6)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	12 - 27	18 (13)
Specific Conductance (µS/cm@25 C)	27 - 71	57 (13)

Figure 2. Swift 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 = 0.10), total nitrogen (TN No Trend, $R^2 = 0.02$, p = 0.59), chlorophyll (CHL No Trend, $R^2 = 0.00$, p = 0.94) and Secchi depth (Secchi Increasing, $R^2 = 0.72$, p = 0.03).



LAKEWATCH Report for Swift Creek-4 in Okaloosa County Watershed Region: Panhandle West Using Data Downloaded 12/9/22

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. <u>Plots were only made for systems with five or more years of data.</u>

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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 a	along with the map showing zones.
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	302.530(47)(b), F.A.C., applies.	302.530(47)(b), F.A.C., applies.

- **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	Okaloosa
Name	Swift Creek-4
GNIS Number	291960
Water Body Type	River/Stream
Period of Record (years, range)	12 (2011 to 2022)
Latitude	30.5109
Longitude	-86.4530

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 (µg/L): The nutrient most often limiting growth of plant/algae.
- Total Nitrogen (μ 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 (µg/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 (μ S/cm@25°C): Measurement of the ability of water to conduct electricity and can be used to estimate the amount of dissolved materials in water.

Parameter	Minimum and Maximum Annual Geometric Means	Grand Geometric Mean (Sampling years)
Total Phosphorus (µg/L)	8 - 15	11 (12)
Total Nitrogen (µg/L)	296 - 477	366 (12)
Chlorophyll- uncorrected (µg/L)	2 - 4	3 (12)
Secchi (ft)	1.3 - 4.3	2.6 (6)
Secchi (m)	0.4 -1.3	0.8 (6)
Color (Pt-Co Units)	10 - 38	18 (12)
Specific Conductance (µS/cm@25 C)	27 - 9142	1149 (12)

Figure 2. Swift 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, $R^2 = 0.00$, p = 0.99), total nitrogen (TN No Trend, $R^2 = 0.03$, p = 0.57), chlorophyll (CHL No Trend, $R^2 = 0.26$, p = 0.09) and Secchi depth (Secchi No Trend, $R^2 = 0.02$, p = 0.78).

