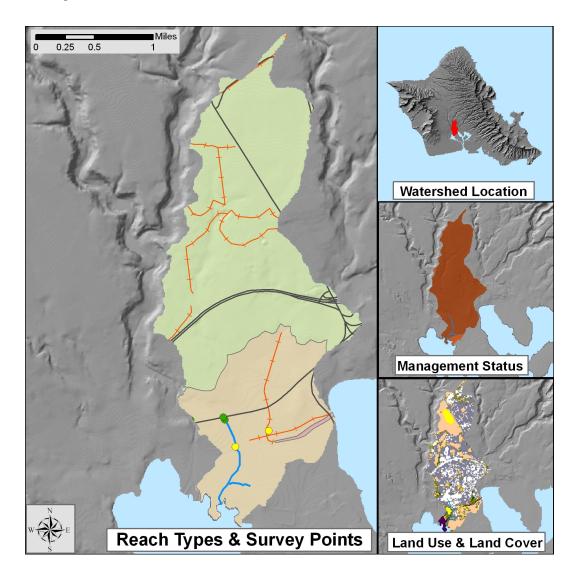
DAR Watershed Code: 34018



# Waipio Naval Reservoir, O'ahu

# WATERSHED FEATURES

Waipio Naval Reservoir watershed occurs on the island of O'ahu. The Hawaiian meaning of the name is unknown. The area of the watershed is 3.8 square mi (9.8 square km), with maximum elevation of 499 ft (152 m). The watershed's DAR cluster code is not yet determined. The percent of the watershed in the different land use districts is as follows: 20.6% agricultural, 4.4% conservation, 0% rural, and 75% urban.

Land Stewardship: Percentage of the land in the watershed managed or controlled by the corresponding agency or entity. Note that this is not necessarily ownership.

Military	<u>Federal</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>OHA</u>	<u>County</u>	Nature Conservancy	Other Private
0.0	2.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	97.5

Land Management Status: Percentage of the watershed in the categories of biodiversity protection and management created by the Hawaii GAP program.

Permanent Biodiversity	Managed for Multiple	Protected but	
Protection	Uses	<u>Unmanaged</u>	<u>Unprotected</u>
0.0	0.0	2.5	97.5

Land Use: Areas of the various categories of land use. These data are based on NOAA C-CAP remote sensing project.

	Percent	<u>Square mi</u>	<u>Square km</u>
High Intensity Developed	19.7	0.75	1.93
Low Intensity Developed	44.0	1.66	4.31
Cultivated	0.0	0.00	0.00
Grassland	22.0	0.83	2.16
Scrub/Shrub	8.4	0.32	0.83
Evergreen Forest	0.8	0.03	0.07
Palustrine Forested	0.0	0.00	0.00
Palustrine Scrub/Shrub	0.0	0.00	0.00
Palustrine Emergent	0.0	0.00	0.00
Estuarine Forested	1.7	0.06	0.16
Bare Land	3.2	0.12	0.32
Unconsolidated Shoreline	0.0	0.00	0.00
Water	0.2	0.01	0.02
Unclassified	0.0	0.00	0.00

## STREAM FEATURES

Waipio Naval Reservoir is a non-perennial stream. Total stream length is 1 mi (1.7 km). The terminal stream order is 2.

# **Reach Type Percentages: The percentage of the stream's channel length in each of the reach type categories.**

<u>Estuary</u>	Lower	Middle	<u>Upper</u>	Headwaters
0.2	99.8	0.0	0.0	0.0

The following stream(s) occur in the watershed: Kapakahi

#### **BIOTIC SAMPLING EFFORT**

Biotic samples were gathered in the following year(s): 1990 1997 1998

Distribution of Biotic Sampling: The number of survey locations that were sampled in the various reach types.

Survey type	<u>Estuary</u>	Lower	Middle	<u>Upper</u>	Headwaters
Damselfly Surveys	0	2	0	0	0
Published Report	0	2	0	0	0

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Anax junius

# **BIOTA INFORMATION**

**Native Species** 

**Introduced Species** 

Insects

# Species List

#### **Native Species**

Crustaceans	Ligia hawaiiensis
Fish	Eleotris sandwicensis
Worms	Myzobdella lugubris

#### **Introduced Species**

Amphibians	Bufo marinus Rana catesbiana	Insects	Aedes albopictus Crocothemis servilia
Clams Crustaceans	Corbicula fluminea Hyalella azteca Procambarus clarkii		Enochrus sayi Ischnura posita Ischnura ramburi
Fish	Gambusia affinis Limia vittata Mugilogobius cavifrons Poecilia latipinna Poecilia reticulata Poecilia sphenops Poecilia velifera Tilapia sp. unidentified poeciliid Xiphophorus maculatus		Orthemis ferruginea Pantala flavescens Tropisternus salsamentus
Snails	Pomacea canaliculata Thiarid sp.		

#### Species Distributions: Presence (P) of species in different stream reaches.

Scientific Name	<u>Status</u>	Estuary Lower	Middle	Upper Headwaters
Myzobdella lugubris	Cryptogenic	Р		
Ligia hawaiiensis	Endemic	Р		
Eleotris sandwicensis	Endemic	Р		
Anax junius	Indigenous	Р		
Bufo marinus	Introduced	Р		
Rana catesbiana	Introduced	Р		
Corbicula fluminea	Introduced	Р		
Hyalella azteca	Introduced	Р		
Mugilogobius cavifrons	Introduced	Р		
Procambarus clarkii	Introduced	Р		
Gambusia affinis	Introduced	Р		
Limia vittata	Introduced	Р		
Poecilia latipinna	Introduced	Р		
Poecilia reticulata	Introduced	Р		
Tilapia sp.	Introduced	Р		
unidentified poeciliid	Introduced	Р		

Xiphophorus maculatus	Introduced	Р
Aedes albopictus	Introduced	Р
Crocothemis servilia	Introduced	Р
Enochrus sayi	Introduced	Р
Ischnura posita	Introduced	Р
Ischnura ramburi	Introduced	Р
Orthemis ferruginea	Introduced	Р
Pantala flavescens	Introduced	Р
Tropisternus salsamentus	Introduced	Р
Pomacea canaliculata	Introduced	Р
Thiarid sp.	Introduced	Р

#### **HISTORIC RANKINGS**

Historic Rankings: These are rankings of streams from historical studies. "Yes" means the stream was considered worthy of protection by that method. Some methods include non-biotic data in their determination. See Atlas Key for details.

Multi-Attribute Prioritization of Streams - Potential Heritage Streams (1998): No Hawaii Stream Assessment Rank (1990): not ranked U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service High Quality Stream (1988): No The Nature Conservancy- Priority Aquatic Sites (1985): No National Park Service - Nationwide Rivers Inventory (1982): No

# Current DAR Decision Rule Status: The following criteria are used by DAR to consider the biotic importance of streams. "Yes" means that watershed has that quality.

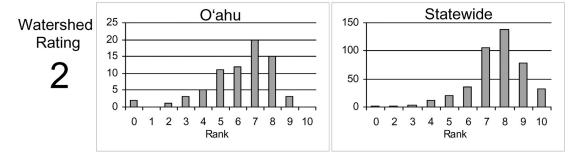
Native Insect Diversity	Native Macrofauna	Absence of Priority 1
> 19 spp.	<u>Diversity &gt; 5 spp.</u>	Introduced
No	No	No
Abundance of Any	Presence of Candidate	Endangered Newcomb's
<u>Native Species</u>	Endangered Species	<u>Snail Habitat</u>
No	No	No

#### **CURRENT WATERSHED AND STREAM RATINGS**

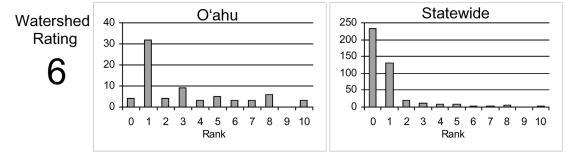
The current watershed and stream ratings are based on the data contained in the DAR Aquatic Surveys Database. The ratings provide the score for the individual watershed or stream, the distribution of ratings for that island, and the distribution of ratings statewide. This allows a better understanding of the meaning of a particular ranking and how it compares to other streams. The ratings are standardized to range from 0 to 10 (0 is lowest and 10 is highest rating) for each variable and the totals are also standardized so that the rating is not the average of each component rating. These ratings are subject to change as more data are entered into the DAR Aquatic Surveys Database and can be automatically recalculated as the data improve. In addition to the ratings, we have also provided an estimate of the confidence level of the ratings. This is called rating strength. The higher the rating strength the more likely the data and rankings represent the actual condition of the watershed, stream, and aquatic biota.

#### WATERSHED RATING: Waipio Naval Reservoir, O'ahu

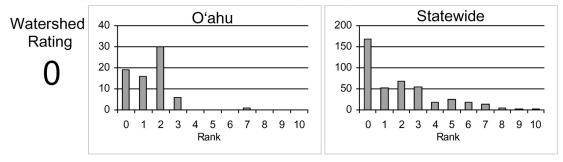
Land Cover Rating: Rating is based on a scoring sytem where in general forested lands score positively and developed lands score negatively.



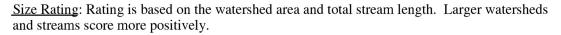
<u>Shallow Waters Rating</u>: Rating is based on a combination of the extent of estuarine and shallow marine areas associated with the watershed and stream.

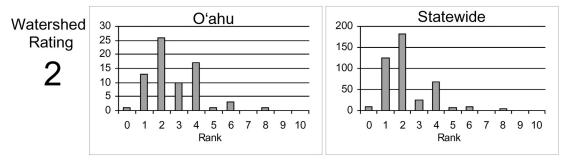


<u>Stewardship Rating</u>: Rating is based on a scoring system where higher levels of land and biodiversity protection within the watershed score positively.

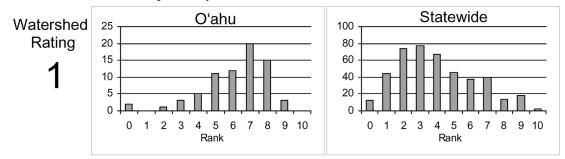


# WATERSHED RATING (Cont): Waipio Naval Reservoir, O'ahu

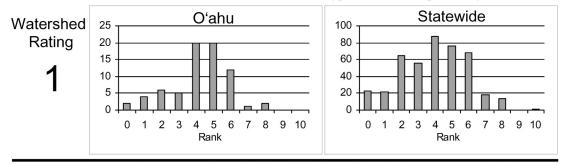




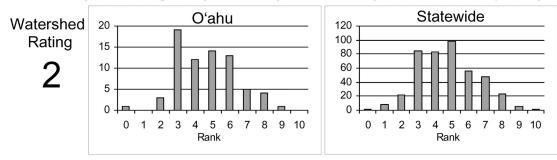
Wetness Rating: Rating is based on the average annual rainfall within the watershed. Higher rainfall totals score more positively.



<u>Reach Diversity Rating</u>: Rating is based on the types and amounts of different stream reaches available in the watershed. More area in different reach types score more positively.

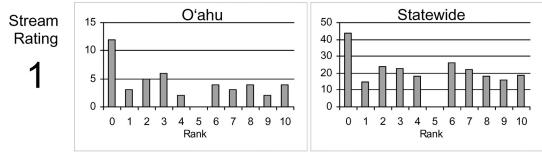


<u>Total Watershed Rating</u>: Rating is based on combination of <u>Land Cover Rating</u>, <u>Shallow</u> <u>Waters Rating</u>, <u>Stewardship Rating</u>, <u>Size Rating</u>, <u>Wetness Rating</u>, and <u>Reach Diversity Rating</u>.

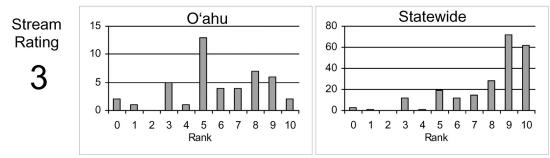


#### **BIOLOGICAL RATING: Waipio Naval Reservoir, O'ahu**

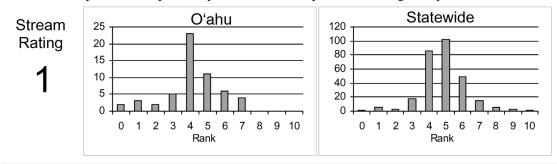
<u>Native Species Rating</u>: Rating is based on the number of native species observed in the watershed.



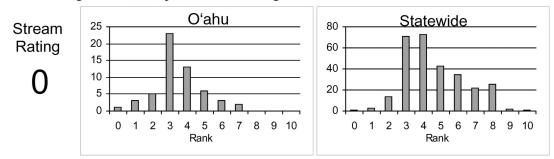
Introduced Genera Rating: Rating is based on the number of introduced genera observed in the watershed.



<u>All Species' Score Rating:</u> Rating is based on the Hawaii Stream Assessment scoring system where native species score positively and introduced species score negatively.

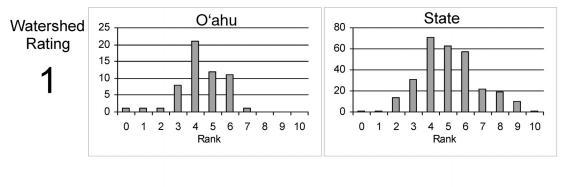


<u>Total Biological Rating</u>: Rating is the combination of the <u>Native Species Rating</u>, <u>Introduced</u> <u>Genera Rating</u>, and the <u>All Species' Score Rating</u>.



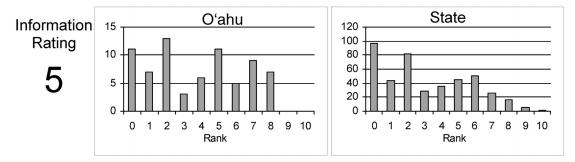
# **OVERALL RATING: Waipio Naval Reservoir, O'ahu**

Overall Rating: Rating is a combination of the <u>Total Watershed Rating</u> and the <u>Total Biological</u> <u>Rating</u>.



## RATING STRENGTH: Waipio Naval Reservoir, O'ahu

<u>Rating Strength</u>: Represents an estimate of the overall study effort in the stream and is a combination of the number of studies, number of different reaches surveyed, and the number of different survey types.



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