

Welcome to MiCorps Cooperative Lakes Monitoring Program's Annual Training.

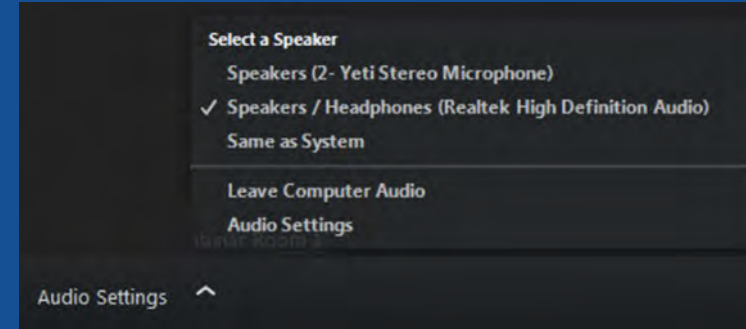
- For CLMP procedures and data forms please visit: micorps.net/lake-monitoring/clmp-documents/ and then click on the name of the parameter.

Today's Agenda:

9:00 AM – 9:30 AM	Welcome and Introduction to CLMP
9:30 – 10:00 AM	Secchi Disk
10:00 - 10:15 AM	BREAK
10:15 – 10:45 AM	Spring and Summer Phosphorus
10:45 AM – Noon	Dissolved Oxygen & Temperature
Noon – 1:00 PM	Lunch Break
1:00 – 2:00 PM	Score the Shore
2:00 – 3:00 PM	Chlorophyll-a
3:00 – 3:15 PM	BREAK
3:15 PM – 4:30 PM	Exotic Aquatic Plant Watch

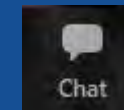
Getting Started

- Audio is through your computer speakers or headset: **You may not hear sound until training begins.**
- Use the **Audio Settings** option to do a sound check.
- During the webinar if you do not hear audio, make sure your sound is turned on then contact the **Help Desk**.



How to Ask Questions

- Click on the Chat Icon to submit a question to the presenters.



Help Desk

Call the MSU Distance Learning Help Desk 844-678-6200 for technical support.



Dissolved Oxygen and Temperature

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How is Dissolved Oxygen and Temperature Measured?



Dissolved Oxygen (DO) and Temperature

- What it is & Why Important.
- Program Overview
- Equipment
- Procedure
- End of Year



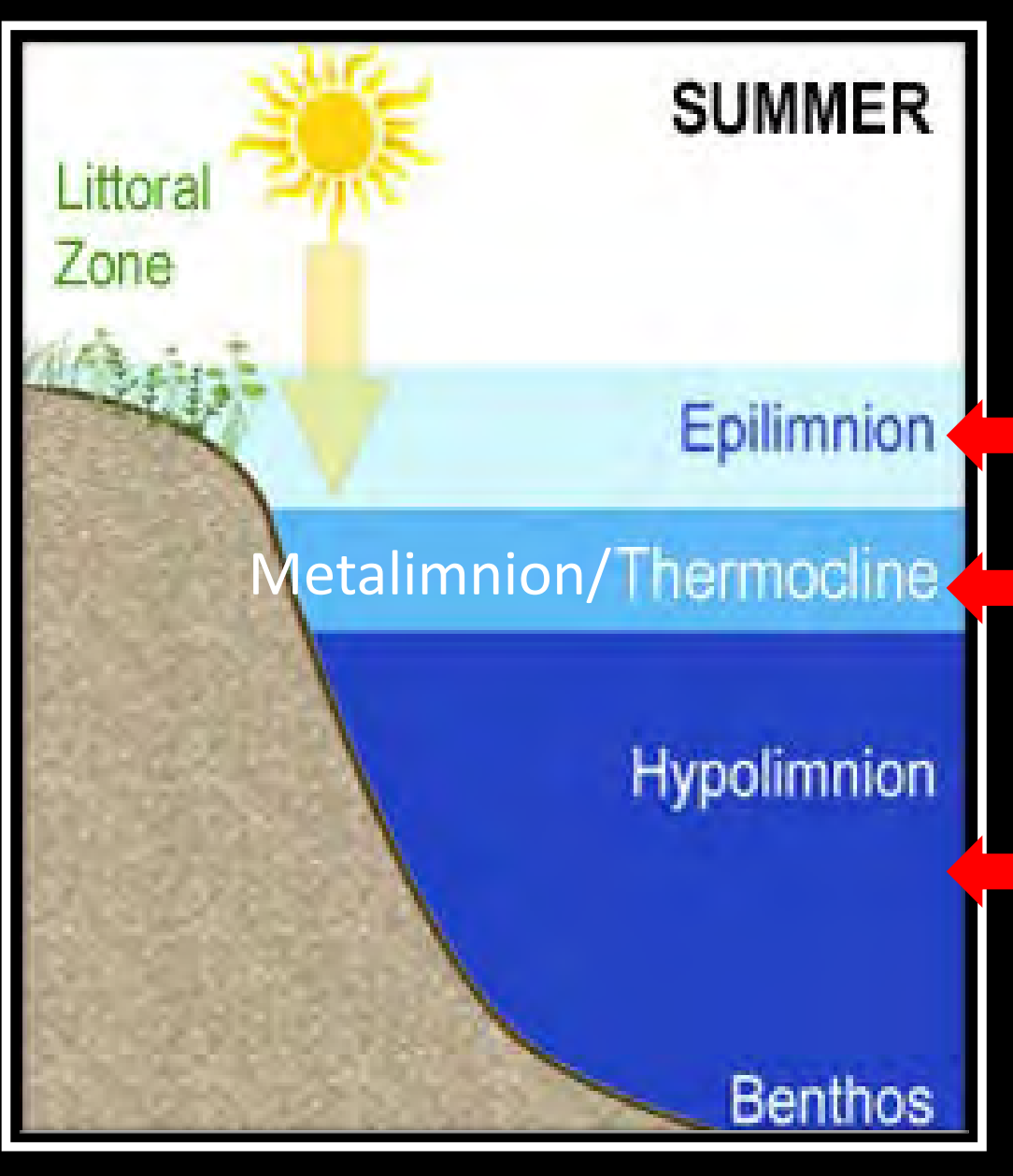
What D.O. and Temperature Measure?



How much oxygen is dissolved in the water and is available for aquatic organisms to use



How warm or cold the water is



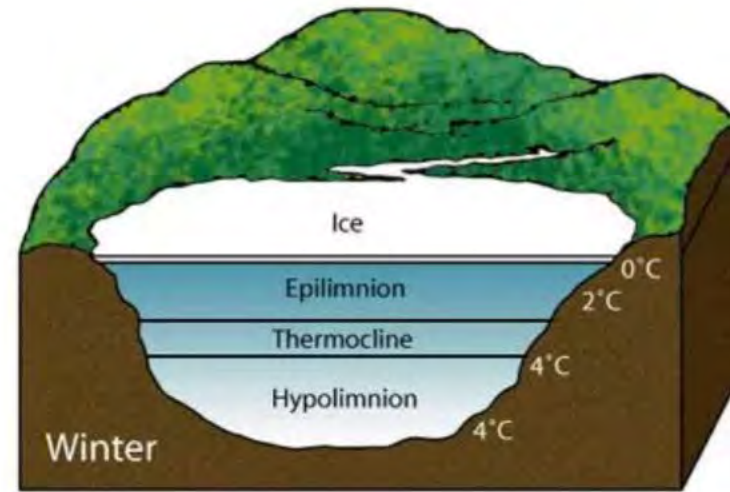
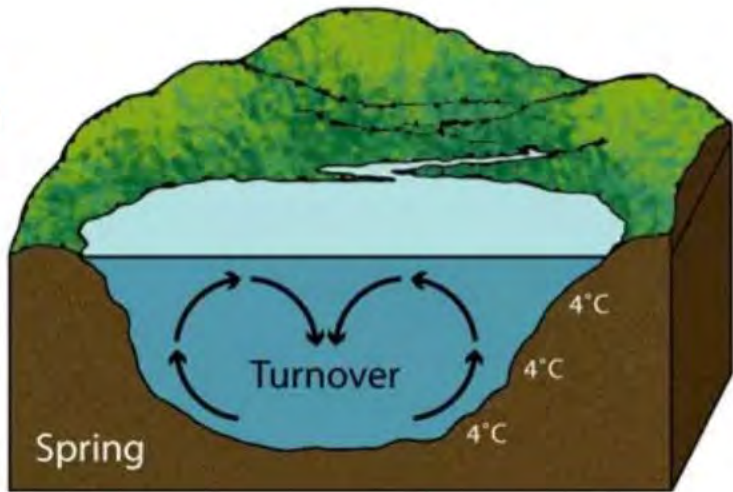
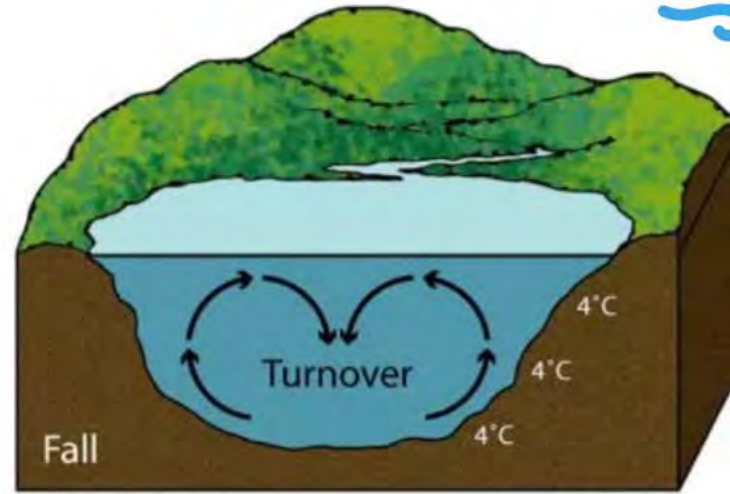
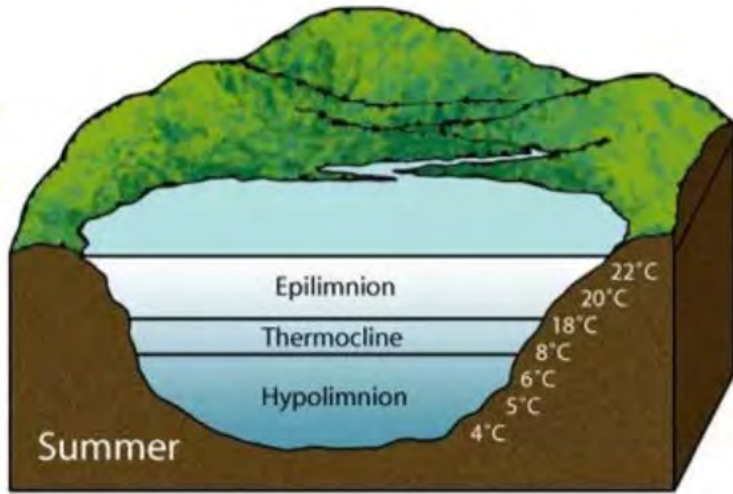
Thermal Stratification

Lake Temperature/Density Zones

- Warm upper zone
- Metalimnion; rapid decrease in temperature and increase in water density (Thermocline)
- Cold bottom zone

Define where thermal layers are and classify your lake as a warm or cold-water lake

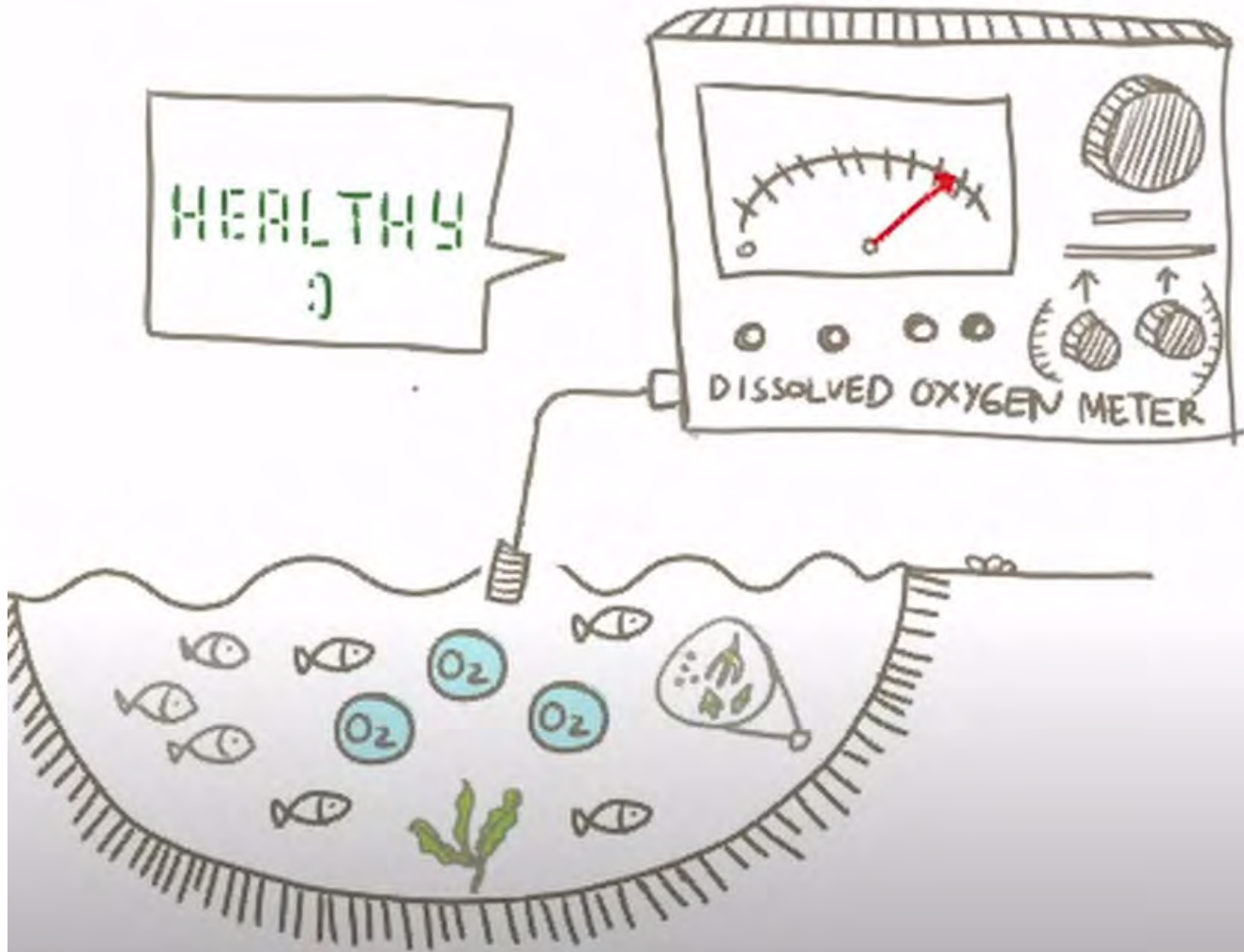
Lake Turnover



Dissolved Oxygen <http://k12videos.mit.edu/>



Dissolved Oxygen Take Home Points



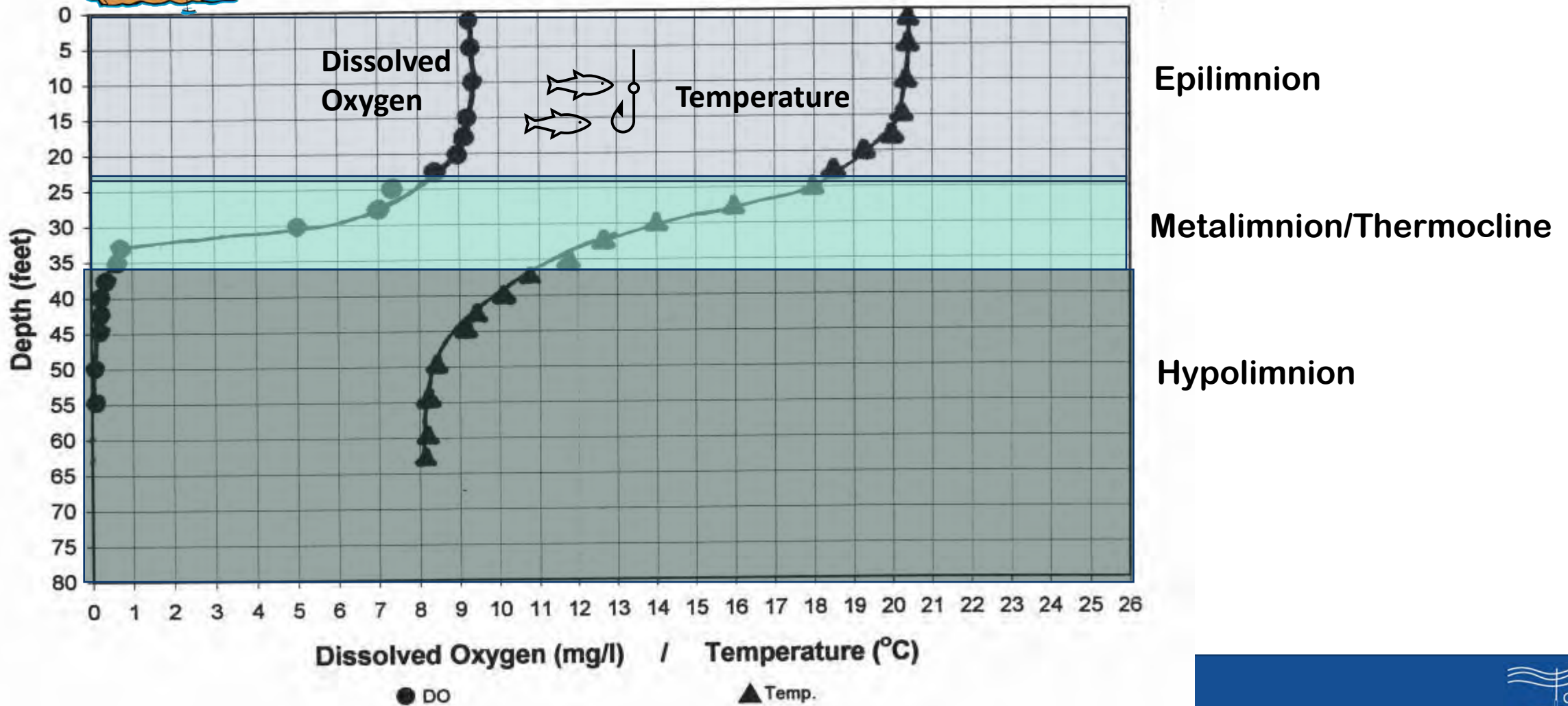
- The amount of salt and the temperature of the water impact the amount of DO in the water
- Oxygen enters the water through the air or by photosynthesis from plants and algae
- Too much algae/cyano bacteria leads to low DO when they die
- Nutrients speed up growth of plants and algae and the Eutrophication process

Understanding DO levels in your lake, is one more tool to understanding the health of your lake.

Dissolved Oxygen and Temperature Profiles



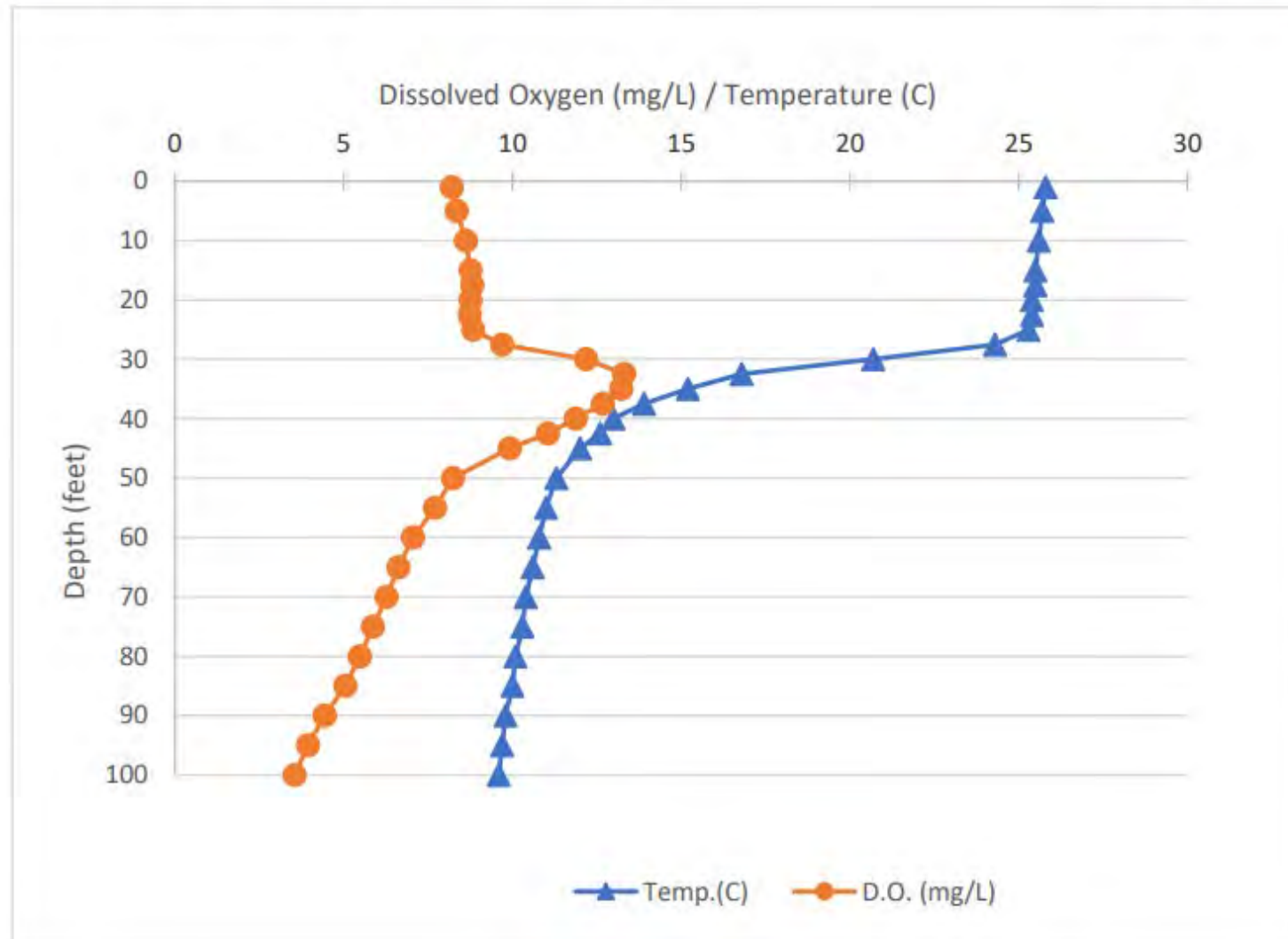
Lake Name DeadSpider (Lake Co.) Date 9-15-03



The power of photosynthesis

Lake: Gull Lake (Kalamazoo Co.)

8/10/2021



Slide Credit: E. Elgin

A scenic view of a blue lake framed by trees, with the text "Brain Break!" overlaid in the center. The image shows a large body of water in the middle ground, surrounded by a dense forest of green trees. In the foreground, several trees with thin branches and some green leaves are visible, framing the view. The sky is a clear, bright blue. The text "Brain Break!" is written in a bold, blue, sans-serif font, centered horizontally and slightly above the middle of the image.

Brain Break!!

D.O./Temperature Program Overview

Borrow a Meter

May purchase own meter**

Meters will be distributed by mid-May

Measure 2 X per month May-September



No longer sold, parts will not be available in the future.

DO/Temperature Equipment YSI Oxygen Meter (550A or Pro-20)



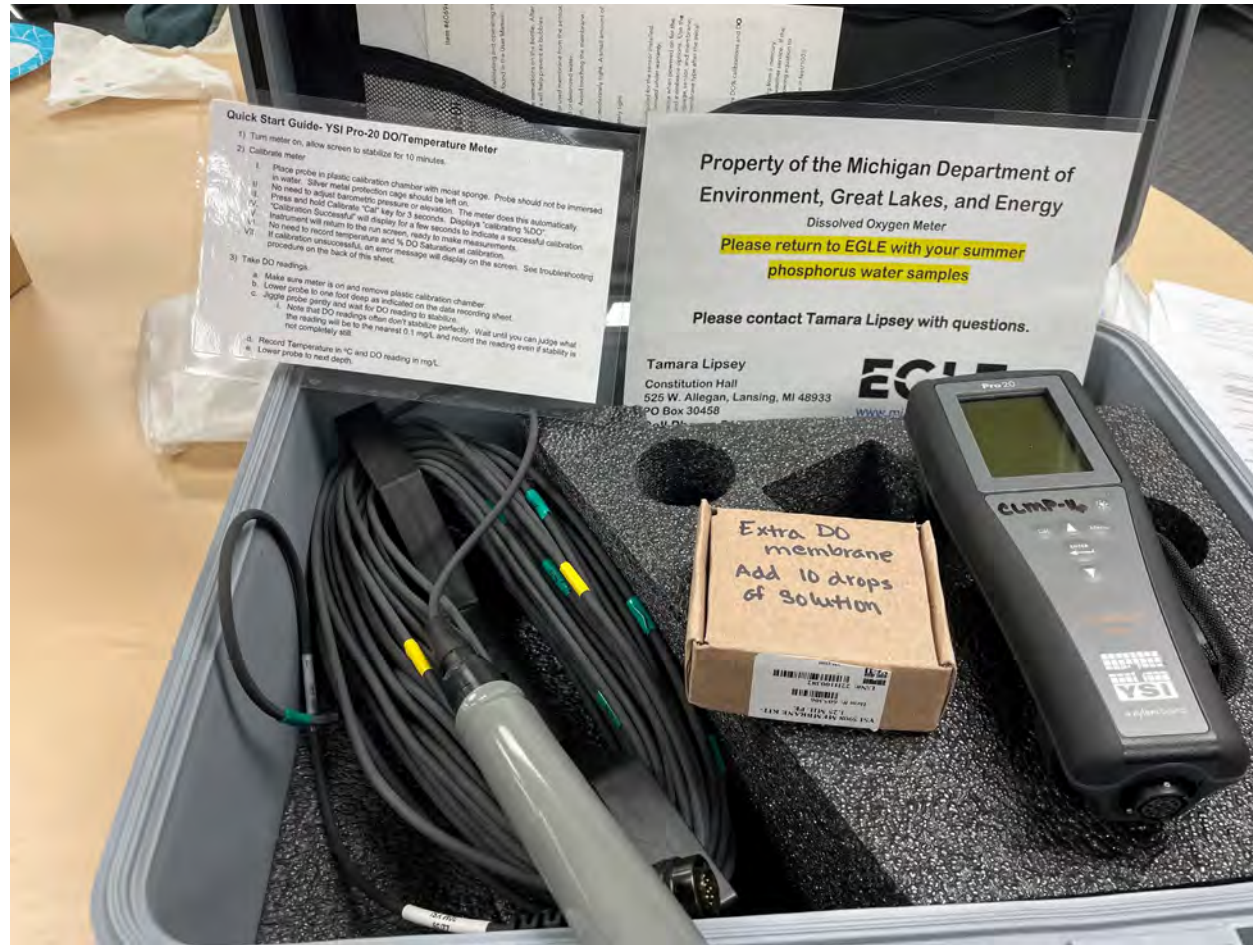
Probe of Each Meter



Pro-20 Dissolved Oxygen and Temperature Probe



Example of Do/Temperature Meter Kit



New for 2024-Stainless Steel Weights





Video: How to Change a Membrane Available Online-under Lake Training





Prepare for Sampling



Make sure you have calm and dry weather conditions



Safety equipment and a friend to help with data recording



Check the Quick Reference Procedure Checklist



Make sure you have your data forms



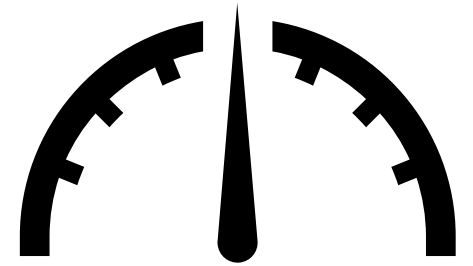
Turn on your meter for 15 minutes and Calibrate Meter

How to calibrate a Pro-20 meter.



Calibration and DO membrane change

- Videos Available Online
 - <https://micorps.net/lake-monitoring/lake-training/>
- Remember to turn on to warm up prior to calibrating
 - 5-10 minutes Pro-20
 - 15 minutes 550A
- Card available inside tub for reminders
- **Calibrate EVERYTIME you sample!!!!**





DISSOLVED OXYGEN AND TEMPERATURE 2024 Data Form



Lake Name: _____ County: _____ Township: _____

Lake Sampling Site (Field ID) Number: _____ (mark location on map below)

Latitude: _____ Longitude: _____

Volunteer Monitor Name(s): _____

Date Sampled: _____ Time: _____

Weather Conditions (sunny, cloudy, windy, etc.): _____

Unusual Conditions (heavy rain, boating, etc.): _____

Sampling Station Depth (make sure to measure before you begin sampling): _____ feet

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DO/Temp. Meter (circle one): YSI Model 550A YSI Pro20

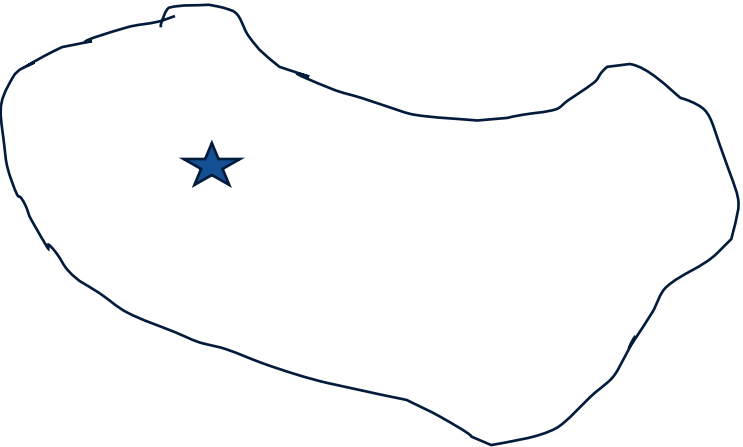
Calibration Values (Only for 550A; Skip if using a Pro20):

DO: _____ % air saturation (Must be 93-103%; Troubleshoot if out-of-range)

Lake Elevation Value: _____ (x100 ft.)

In the box below draw an outline of your lake (or attach a copy of a lake map). Mark your DO/temperature sampling location (this should be at the deepest location in your lake) and write the total lake depth.

North
▲



Surface Area : _____ (acres)



Proceed to Sampling Location

- **Anchor** just upwind of deep basin and drift back over deepest spot, as with other parameters
- **Check** for actual basin **depth** with depth finder or weighted line or secchi disk
- Turn on the meter, **calibrate** if you did not do on shore.
- Take the Cap off. Leave the guard.
- Add weight if needed

Taking a measurement

- Start at 1 foot deep
- Make sure in mg/L
- Move probe with slight jiggling motion
- The DO reading will drift-judge the nearest .5 mg/l.
- Go to the next depth on your data sheet.
- Stop about 2-3 feet above bottom sediment to protect probe



**** REMEMBER**** make sure you are measuring oxygen in mg/l before making oxygen measurements.**

Depth (ft.)	Temp (°C)	DO (mg/l)	Depth (ft.)	Temp (°C)	DO (mg/l)
1			55		
5			60		
10			65		
15			70		
17½			75		
20			80		
22½			85		
25			90		
27½			95		
30			100		
32½			105		
35			110		
37½			115		
40			120		
42½			125		
45			130		
50			Note: Take last measurement 2½-3 ft. above bottom sediments of the lake.		

Data Sheet Page 2.

Note: You can enter additional depths if needed

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DATA ENTRY

If you can, please enter your data into the MiCorps Data Exchange by October 31st.

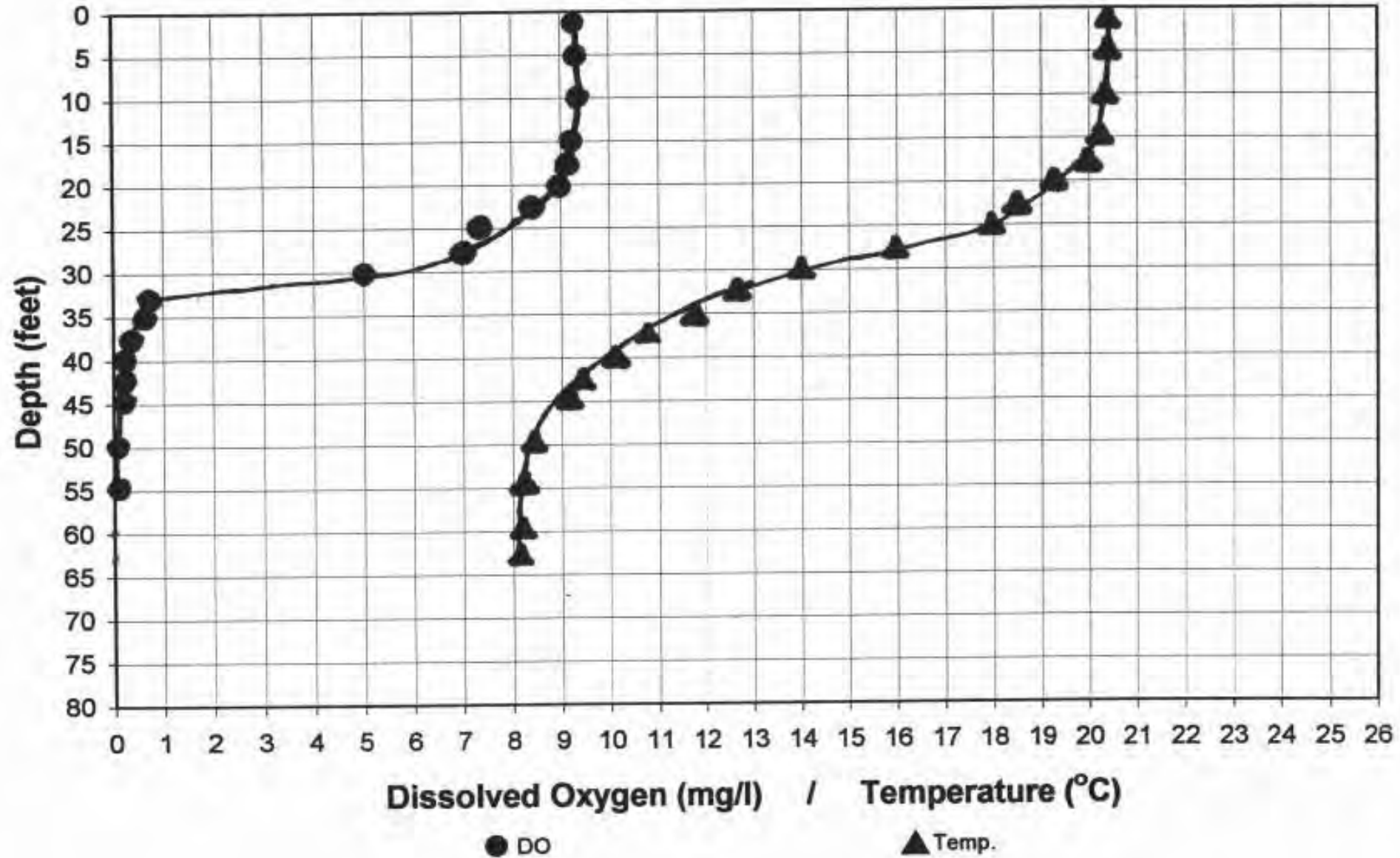
DATA SHEET TURN IN PROTOCOL

Please do the following:

- (1) Make a copy of your field data sheets to keep for your records,
- (2) Mail one copy by October 31st to: **MLSA, P.O. Box 303, Long Lake, MI 48743**

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Lake Name Dead Spider (Lake Co.) Date 9-15-03



End of the year- Don't Forget-Return the Meters



With last water chemistry sample drop off date



If forget? Need more time? Contact Tamara to make arrangements.



Damp Sponge-No pooled water



Meter disconnected from cable



Case is completely dry

Equipment Care



Keep meter in case until it is time to monitor



Do not kink cable. Disconnect meter from cable when not in use and take care when rolling up cable.



Keep meter case dry. Dry out before storing.



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