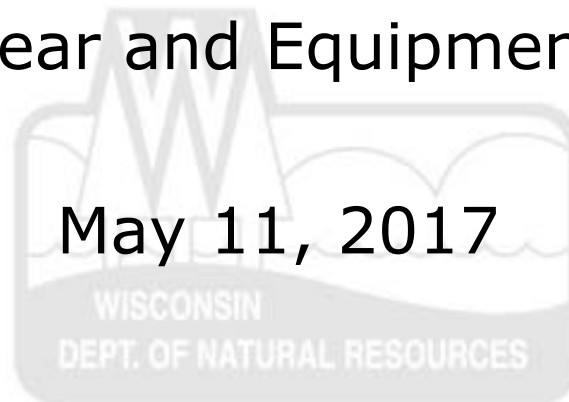




Wisconsin DNR Boat, Gear, and Equipment Decontamination and Disinfection Manual Code

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Methods and Protocols for Decontaminating Field
Gear and Equipment

May 11, 2017



Prevention

**PREVENT THE SPREAD OF
INVASIVE SPECIES
IT'S THE LAW**

PENALTIES MAY EXCEED \$2000

Before *launching* and before *leaving* ***YOU MUST:***

- ✓ **INSPECT** boats, trailers, and equipment.
- ✓ **REMOVE** all attached aquatic plants and animals.
- ✓ **DRAIN** all water from boats, vehicles, and equipment.
- ✓ **NEVER MOVE** plants or live fish away from a waterbody.*

 **STOP AQUATIC HITCHHIKERS!**
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HITCHHIKERS!™**

Prevent the transport of nuisance species.
Clean all recreational equipment.

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However...





Manual Code

- Prepared in 2007; updated in 2016
- Requires DNR, agents, contractors, permittees to clean equipment between waterbodies.



Manual Code

- Decontaminate
 - Inspect & remove, drain, dispose
- **DISINFECT** by either:
 - Dry 5 days
 - 212°F steam or 140°F hot water
 - 500 ppm Chlorine
 - 2% Virkon



Preparing to sample

1. Review manual code
2. Review best management practices
3. Check for known AIS
4. Select best disinfection for species



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State of Wisconsin
Department of Natural Resources
Manual Code # 9183.1 Boat, Gear, and Equipment Decontamination and Disinfection Protocol

 06/16/2016
Ed Eberle, Assistant Deputy Secretary Date

Rescinds and replaces: 9183.1 Date 04-10-2015

Approved by OMT: 04-10-2015

I. SCOPE

This manual code applies to all Department of Natural Resources employees moving boats, gear, and equipment between waterbodies and/or crossing a barrier while moving from downstream to upstream on the same waterbody or a connected waterbody, whether or not the presence of aquatic invasive species is known. This manual code outlines the minimum requirements to be followed by employees, and does not preclude employees from taking additional actions.

Employees will require any agents or service providers through the specific contract or agreement conferring that agency status or engaging that service provision to follow this manual code. Compliance with this manual code may be considered reasonable precautions as defined by s. NR 40.02(44), Wis. Adm. Code. Manual Code 9183.1 was developed in 2007 to provide department employees boat and gear disinfection guidelines. Based on new research and discoveries, Manual Code 9183.1 was amended in 2015 to improve the department decontamination/disinfection policy. This manual code will be effective on June 16, 2016.

Employees are advised to include this manual code and associated BMPs requirements in applicable permits where allowed by the underlying regulatory authority or agreed to with the permittee. Each permitting program is subject to its own statutory and code standards that must be assessed when considering decontamination/disinfection requirements.

II. POLICY

It is the department's policy to follow proper protocol for decontamination/disinfection to ensure that employees are minimizing or eliminating the risk of spreading aquatic invasive species and/or pathogens through work activities, and to comply with ch. NR 40, Wis. Adm. Code, s. NR19.055, Wis. Adm. Code, and ch. 23, Wis. Stats.





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March 2017

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Check for species present

- Check!
- Spatial and tabular data available
- Sample from least to most known AIS

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Aquatic Invasive Species

Lakes, Rivers, and Wetlands with Aquatic Invasive Species

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observed"

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necessarily exhaustive so
it is important to report occurrences. To report new discoveries visit: <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/Invasives/report.html>. See the Aquatic
Invasive Species Guidance for information on how statuses are assigned. Personally identifiable information on data collection forms may
be provided to requesters to the extent required by Wisconsin's Open Records Law [ss. 19.31-19.39, Wis. Stats.].

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Waterbody Name	Waterbody ID Code (WBIC)	Invasive Species		
Adams County (28)				
Arkdale Lake	1374300	Chinese Mystery Snail, Curly-Leaf Pondweed, Eurasian Water-Milfoil, Purple Loosestrife, Rusty Crayfish, Water Hyacinth		
Big Roche A Cri Creek	1374100	Japanese Knotweed, Rusty Crayfish, Water Hyacinth, Zebra Mussel		
Bia Roche a Cri	1374800	Chinese Mystery Snail, Curly-Leaf Pondweed, Eurasian Water-		

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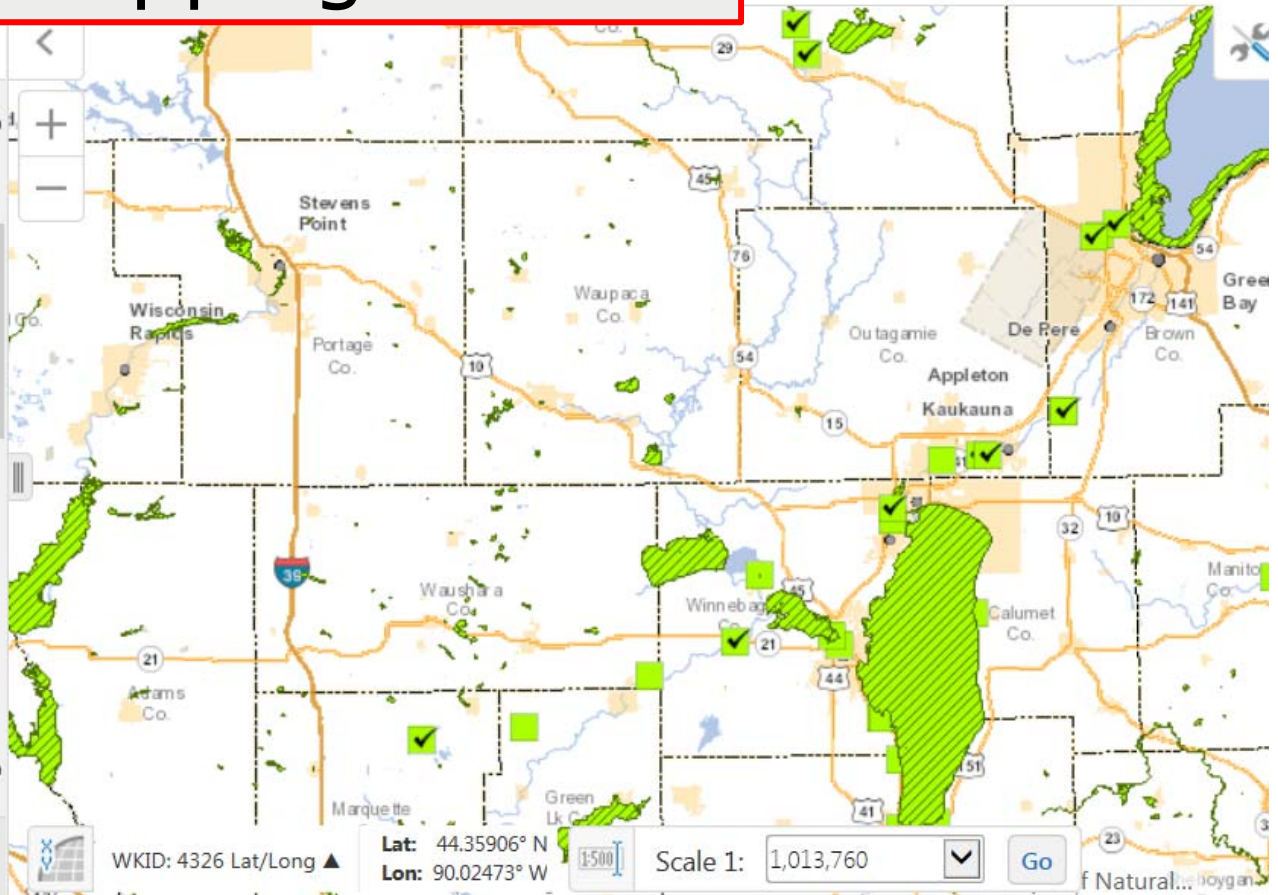


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Other Tools & Actions

Layers

- Invasive Aquatic Plants
 - Brittle Waterlily (*Najas minor*)
 - Curly-Leaf Pondweed (*Potamogeton crispus*)
 - Eurasian Water-Milfoil (*Myriophyllum spicatum*)
 - Hybrid Water-Milfoil (Eurasian x Northern)
 - Java Water Dropwort (*Oenanthe javanica*)
 - Starry Stonewort (*Nitellopsis obtusa*)
 - Water Hyacinth (*Eichhornia crassipes/azorea*)
 - Water Lettuce (*Pistia stratiotes*)



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Layers



WKID: 4326 Lat/Long ▲

Lat: 44.35906° N
Lon: 90.02473° W

1:500

Scale 1: 1,013,760

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New Zealand mud snail	✓	✓ ^{4,65*}	✓ ^{6*,66*}	⊗ ^{21, 78*}	✓ ^{10*, 76, 77}	✓ ^{4,6*}
Quagga Mussel (Adults)	✓ [†]	✓ ^{7*,16*}	✓ ^{14*,67}	✓	✓ ⁹	✓
Quagga Mussel (Veligers)	✓ [†]	✓ ^{4,17}	✓ ^{69*, 79*}	✓	✓ ⁹	✓
Zebra Mussel (Adult)	✓ [†]	✓ ^{7*,8*,54,67}	✓ ^{14*,25*,67}	✓ ^{11,19,22}	Ⓡ	✓ ^{25,27,67,68}
Zebra Mussel (Veligers)	✓ [†]	✓ ⁴	Ⓡ	✓	Ⓡ	✓
Asian Clam	✓	✓ ^{4,37,41,42,43}	⊗ ^{4,44*,45}	⊗ ^{36*,37*,38*,39*,40}	✓ ²³	✓ ^{46*}
Spiny Water Flea (Adult)	✓	✓ ^{7*,47*}	✓ ⁴	✓ ⁷⁸	✓ ⁷⁸	✓ ⁷⁸
Spiny Water Flea (Resting Eggs)	✓	✓ ^{2*}	✓ ^{2*}	⊗ ^{2, 78*}	✓ ⁷⁸	✓ ^{2*}
Bloody Red Shrimp	Ⓡ	Ⓡ	Ⓡ	Ⓡ	Ⓡ	Ⓡ
Rusty Crayfish	?	?	?	?	?	?

*Additional details:

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Rusty Crayfish	?	?	?	?	?	?

- Green check = effective
- Red "X" = not effective
- Blue "R" = research needed

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Rusty Crayfish	?	?	?	?	?	?

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⁶ Drying: Must ensure hot and dry environment (>94°F for 24hrs; >104°F (40°C) for >2 hours); Freezing: < 27°F /

Decontaminate

- Inspect
- Remove
- Drain





Disinfect

- Pick one of 4 options:
 - Dry five days
 - $\geq 140^{\circ}\text{F}$
 - 500 ppm chlorine (bleach solution)
 - 2% Virkon Aquatic

Drying

- Soap and water or pressure wash, then store for 5 days
- Safety
 - No PPE required



Hot Water or Steam

- $\geq 140^{\circ}\text{F}$, 212°F preferred
(car washes not hot enough)
- Safety
 - Heat resistant gloves & clothing



Hot Water or Steam





Chlorine Solution

- Consider shelf life (24 hours!)
- 500 ppm solution ~ 2.5 tbsp/gal
- Check label concentration
- Soak 10 min
- Sodium thiosulfate (neutralize bleach)
- Rinse with tap water
- Safety:
 - Emergency eyewash station, eye protection, and nitrile gloves
 - Stay upwind of spray

Virkon Aquatic

- Consider shelf life
- 2:100 solution ~5.4 tbsp/gal
- Soak 20 min
- Safety:
 - Emergency eyewash station, eye protection, and nitrile gloves
 - Splash goggles and/or face shield
 - Respirators advised
 - Stay upwind of spray





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Boat, gear and equipment decontamination and disinfection manual code

This page outlines best management practices (BMP) for the decontamination of boats, equipment and gear to prevent the spread of aquatic invasive species (AIS) between waters. It is supplemental to Manual Code #9183.1 Boat, Gear and Equipment Decontamination and Disinfection Protocol, which requires all Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources employees, agents and service providers, and some permittees to take steps to decontaminate boats, gear and equipment when transporting equipment. Members of the general public who use boats and/or participate in water recreation are required to follow the decontamination procedures in s. NR 40.02(44). Following the general public permit if you are required to follow the decontamination procedures in s. NR 40.02(44). Following the general public permit if you are required to follow the decontamination procedures in s. NR 40.02(44).

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about invasive species in Wisconsin.

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Order

Following the general public permit if you are required to follow the decontamination procedures in s. NR 40.02(44).

- [MC 9183.1 memo \[PDF\]](#)
- [MC 9183.1 21 day review public comments and responses](#)
- [Manual Code #9183.1 \[PDF\]](#)
- [Full BMPs for boat, gear and equipment decontamination \[PDF\]](#)
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Training video coming soon!

BMPs are to be updated by their agencies, and will be periodically updated to reflect the latest scientific findings for decontamination. The guidelines outlined in this document cover many gear types, but do not cover all gear types. Boats, gear and equipment not expressly mentioned in this document that come in contact with surface waters are still subject to Manual Code #9183.1.



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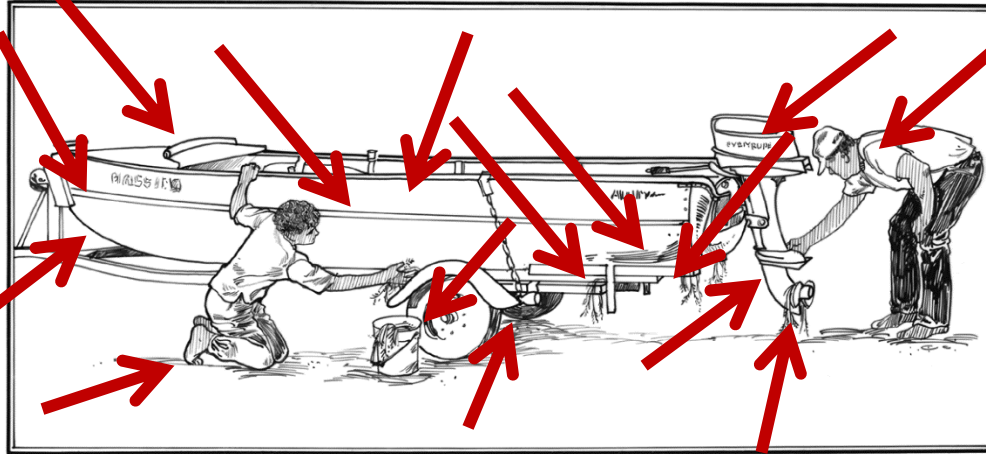
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Questions?



Remember, we are the stewards – always disinfect!

