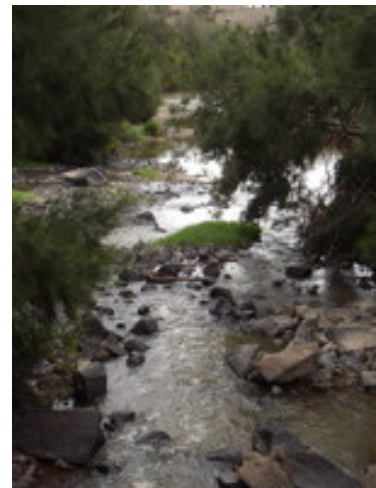
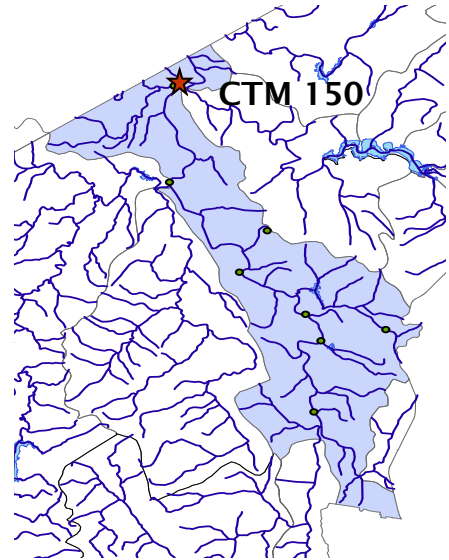


# Murrumbidgee River: Urriara Crossing

## GINNINDERRA CATCHMENT GROUP

### The State of the Stream:

- Except during spate events, the water is clear.
- Blackberries and willows present
- Native riparian cover is patchy, and the stream bed quite exposed, leading to higher temperatures may be difficult for stream life.
- Algal reports of high cover of tufted and filamentous forms may be the natural state for the river as it crosses a long shallow riffle bed.
- Algae examined included the filamentous golden green alga, filamentous diatoms, and some green algae
- All algae observed were tolerant of moderate turbidity and silt loads, and are regular inhabitants of riverine ecosystems.



### Current Activities:

- **Monitoring**
- **Riparian Assessment**
- **Species List**

	pH	Turbidity	Electrical Conductivity	Dissolved Oxygen	Orthophosphate
High	8.6	150	155	12.2	.1
Low	6.9	10	75	6	.01
Mode	8.1	15	95	7	.01
Mean	7.74	24	107.89	8.34	.024

### Potential Waterwatch Projects:

- **Weed control**