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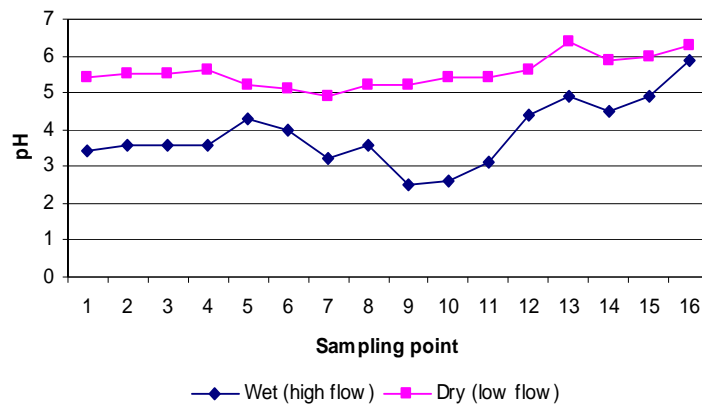


Figure 4: The observed variation (mean) in water quality parameter

Table 1: Recommended/Acceptable physical water quality criteria

Parameter	Raw Water Quality	Drinking Water Quality
Total coliform (MPN/100ml)	500	0
Turbidity (NTU)	1000	5
Color (Hazen)	300	15
pH	5.5-9.0	6.5-9.0

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