



DATA SHEET

Site Name: Walnut Creek, north of the Visitor Center  
 Date: June 20, 1998 Day: 171 Time: 10:09 to 11:00 AM  
 Location: T78N R21W Sec 15, 16 Portion: Area North of Visitor  
 (NW center)

Distance: 4 mi Direction: SW Town: Prairie City  
 County: Jasper State: IA

Ownership: Federal

Elevation: Area:

Habitat: Type: prairie reconstruction

Quality: mixed

Threats:

Weather: Cloud Cover %: 0 Cloud Type:  
 Precipitation: Temperature: 87F  
 Wind Direction: SW Speed: 2-5 mph  
 Recent Weather:

Season Features: Early Wet Warm  
 Normal Normal Normal  
 Late Dry Cool

Transect Butterflies	sex	sightings	captured	released	condit
Ancyloxypha numitor		5			
Thymelicus lineola		3			
Artogeia rapae		12			
Colias philodice		19			
Colias eurytheme		2			
Everes comyntas		3			
Gaeides xanthoides dione		5			
Hyllolycaena hyllus		1			
Speyeria cybele		1			
Polygonia interrogationis		2			
Polygonia comma		1			
Vanessa atalanta		10			
Vanessa cardui		5			
Junonia coenia		1			
Basilarchia archippus		3			

Nearly all were along the trail or streams. The prairie plantings had only a few individuals.

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