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Assessment Criteria (Weighting)	Comments	Score	Weighted Score
1. Naturalness (15%)	● The site consists of a natural stream with several tributaries running from upland to the lowland estuary.	3	0.45
2. Habitat diversity (15%)	● The site comprises four major habitat types, namely natural stream, mangrove stand / mudflat, agricultural land and woodland.	3	0.45
3. Non-recreatability (10%)	● It is a medium-sized natural stream running from upland to estuary without any fragmentation. The stream is impossible to be recreated.	3	0.30
4. Species diversity & richness (30%)	● Supports moderate diversity (20% < diversity \leq 50%) of freshwater fish (53 species, 32%) and amphibians (10 species, 43%).	2	0.60
5. Species rarity/endemism (30%)	● Supports the endemic Romer's Tree Frog <i>Philautus romeri</i> .	2	0.60
		Total:	2.40

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