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Stream: Sprague River  
Tributary to: Williamson River  
Reach: 8A Kirk  
Survey Type: ODFW Stream Habitat  
Start: T36S-R11E-S10NW RM 49.5  
Quad: Sprague River West  
Date Surveyed: 10 August 04  
Surveyors: R. Nawa K. Hartzell  
Report: R. Nawa, C. Huntington  
Distance Surveyed: 1.5km

#### Land Use

Land use is light grazing with heavy use in some areas (Photo 71).

#### Valley and Stream Channel Geometry

The map measured 0.03 percent gradient river was in a broad valley over 1000 m wide. Sinuosity was uncharacteristically low (1.1). Low terraces sloped abruptly to constrain narrow (<8m) floodplains adjacent to the 58 m wide river.

#### Substrate

The streambed was very fine textured. An estimated 93 percent of the streambed was sand/organics; seven percent was gravel.

#### Spawning Gravel

A riffle formed by a mid channel bar was 30 percent 25 mm gravel and 70 percent sand/silt (Photo 68). An estimated 200 m<sup>2</sup> of gravel was judged to be unsuitable for salmon spawning due to high sand and fine gravel content (Photo 67).

#### Riparian Vegetation

Sagebrush and grass dominate the riparian zone. Streambanks lacked woody vegetation due to livestock grazing (Photo 71). In some areas all vegetation had been removed from streambanks leaving the soil vulnerable to erosion. Existing grass and shrub cover is inadequate to stabilize streambanks. About 21 percent of streambanks were actively eroding. Shade from terraces averaged only 3 percent.

#### Wood

The reach had low amounts of wood debris (<1 pieces/100m) because streambanks lack tree cover.

#### Rearing and Adult holding Habitat

Due to very low stream gradient, the reach consisted of long scour pools and glides (170-790 m). Pools were segregated from glides based on maximum depths that ranged from (2.6m-2.8 m). Residual pool depths averaged (2.1 m). Glides averaged about 0.5 m deep. Rooted aquatic vegetation was abundant in areas less than 1.5 m deep. About 8 percent of streambanks were undercut. Pool depths >1 m, dense aquatic vegetation, and undercut streambanks provide cover for fish.

#### Stream Temperature

Maximum spot stream temperature was 23.5°C at 1045 pdt.

Photo 67 Unit3  
Fine gravel judged  
unsuitable for  
salmon spawning

Photo 68 Unit 3  
Shallow riffle with  
fine gravel deposit  
(foreground, middle)

**Photo 71 Unit 6**  
Lack of riparian  
vegetation resulted  
in 21% streambank  
erosion and only 3%  
shade.

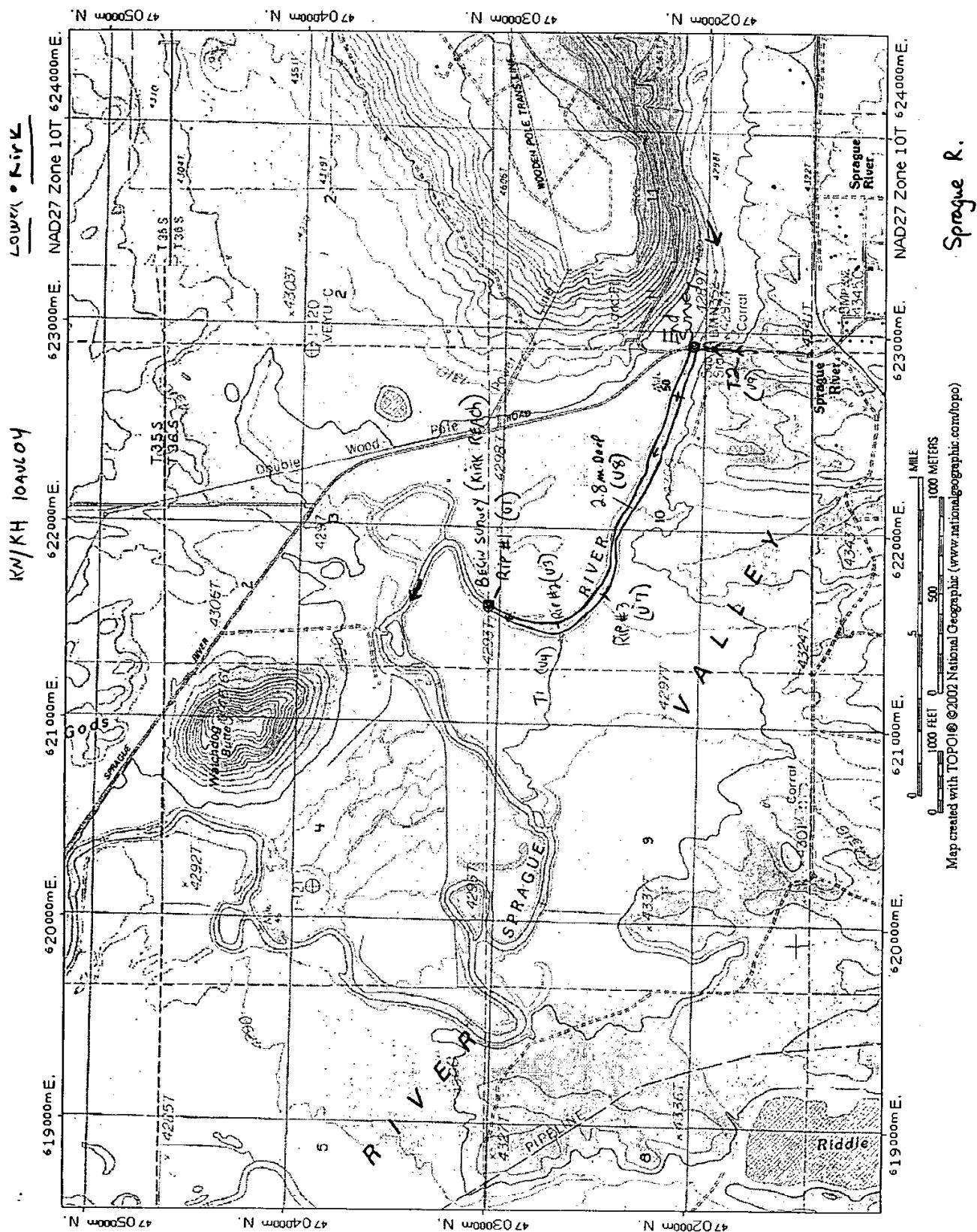
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Sprague R.

Map created with TOPO! ©2002 National Geographic ([www.nationalgeographic.com/topo](http://www.nationalgeographic.com/topo))

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REACH

Sprague R. (Lower Kink Ranch)

## STREAM:

SPRAGUE BASIN

Sprague R. (Lower Kink Ranch)

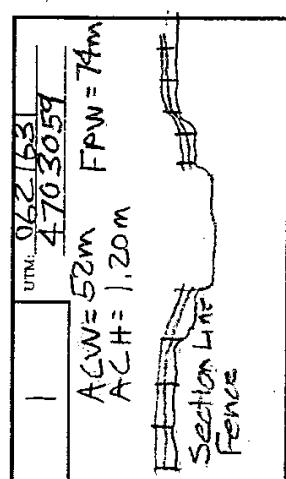
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4: 66	1		1045	Right Bank View of Sec. Line Fence
5: 67	3		130	Unit 3 Riffle Substrate
6: 68	3		145	Unit 3 Riffle View from LEFT Bank
7: 69	3		155	Unit 3 Riffle Substrate
8: 70	3		1705	U-3 Rt. Bank Inflow of Side Channel
9: 71	6		1720	Unit 6 Left Bank View of Pluvastat
10: 72	8		1725	" " " "
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STREAM: Sprague (Lower Kipp Branch) DATE: 8/11/04

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**Hartzell**  
ESTIMATOR

\* MEASURE FROM THE STREAMBED TO THE TOP OF THE ACTIVE CHANNEL. TAKE THE MEASUREMENT AT POOL TAIL CREST ON POOL UNITS.

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\* MEASURE FROM THE STREAMBED TO THE TOP OF THE ACTIVE CHANNEL. TAKE THE MEASUREMENT AT POOL TAIL CREST ON POOL UNITS.

UNIT-2

STREAM: SPRACUE River (Kink Reach) DATE: 10 AUG 04 NUMERATOR: R. Newell

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**Spruce River - (Kvik Reach)** DATE: 10 AUG 04

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NOTE COMMENT

## MAX DEPTH POOLS: MODAL DEPTH IN FAST WATER UNITS

\*\* ONLY MEASURED @ POOL'S EXCEPT @ EACH NINE POOLS

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UNIT 2

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AX DEPTH POOLS - MODAL DEPTH IN FAST WATER UNITS  
\*\* ONLY MEASURED @ POOLS (EXCEPT OFF-CHANNEL POOLS)

RIPARIAN

STREAM: SPRAGUE R. (Lower Kirk Ranch)

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NAME: R. NAWA  
DATE: 10 AUG 04

FEED EACH SURFACE (HT, LT, FP, HS, ETC) OF A CROSS SECTION IN THE BOX PROVIDED ABOVE. DRAWING AND LABELING VEGETATION IS NOT NECESSARY.

RIPARIAN

STREAM: Spruce R. (Lower Kink Branch)

DATE: 10 AUG 04

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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

WOOD

STREAM: Sprague R. (Lower) Reach DATE: 8/10/04 NAME: Hartzell

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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

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HABITAT INVENTORY      Report Date: 8/26/2004

SPRAGUE RIVER  
Survey Date 8/10/2004

REACH 1

T36S-R11E-S10NW

REACH 1

Valley and Channel Summary

Valley Characteristics (Percent Reach Length)

Narrow Valley Floor		Broad Valley Floor	
Steep V-shape	0%	Constraining Terraces	100%
Moderate V-shape	0%	Multiple Terraces	0%
Open V-shape	0%	Wide Floodplain	0%

Valley Width Index 3.0      VWI Range: 3 - 3

Channel Morphology (Percent Reach Length)

Constrained		Unconstrained	
Hillslope	0%	Single Channel	0%
Bedrock	0%	Multiple Channel	0%
Terrace	100%	Braided Channel	0%
Alt. Terrace/Hill	0%		
Landuse	0%		

Channel Characteristics

Type	Length (m)	Area (m <sup>2</sup> )	Dry Units
Primary	1,920	87,484	0
Secondary	20	61	0

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Channel Dimensions (m)

Wetted	Active	Floodprone n = 3	First Terrace n = 3
Width: 36.3	Width: 58.0	75.0 ( 74 - 76 )	81.3 ( 78 - 85 )
Depth: 0.92	Height: 1.0	1.9 ( 1.2 - 2.4 )	3.0 ( 2.4 - 3.4 )

W:D ratio: 67.8

Entrenchment (ACW:FPW ratio): 1.3

Stream Flow Type: LF

Habitat Units/100m (total channel length): 0.5

Average Unit Gradient 0.2%

Habitat Units/100m (primary channel length) 0.5

Water temperature (°C) 23.5 - 23.5

Riparian, Bank, and Wood Summary

	Primary	Secondary
Land Use:	AG	LG
Riparian Vegetation:	P	B

Bank Condition and Shade

Bank Status	Percent Reach Length	Shade (% of 180)
Actively Eroding:	21%	Reach avg: 3%
Undercut Banks:	8%	Range: 3 - 17

Large Wood Debris

	Total	Total / 100m primary channel
All pieces (>=3m x 0.15m):	5	0.3
Volume (m <sup>3</sup> ):	3	0.1
Key pieces (>=12m x 0.60m):	0	0.0

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## SPRAGUE RIVER

## HABITAT INVENTORY

Report Date: 8/26/2004

Survey Date: 8/10/2004

REACH 1		T36S-R11E-S10NW						REACH 1				
HABITAT DETAIL												
Habitat Type	Number	Total Units	Avg Length (m)	Avg Width (m)	Total Area ( $m^2$ )	Large Boulders (#>0.5m)	Substrate Percent Wetted Area					
							S/C	Snd	Grvl	Cbl	Bldr	Bdrk
GLIDE	5	783	35.3	0.51	33,750	0	91	0	9	0	0	0
POOL-LATERAL SCOUR	2	1,000	45.5	2.70	45,790	0	95	0	5	0	0	0
RIFFLE	2	157	29.8	0.15	8,005	0	85	0	15	0	0	0
<b>Total:</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1,940</b>	<b>36.3</b>	<b>0.92</b>	<b>87,545</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>Avg</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
HABITAT SUMMARY												
Habitat Group	Number	Total Units	Avg Length (m)	Avg Width (m)	Avg Depth (m)	Wetted Area ( $m^2$ )	Percent	Large Boulders Number	Large Boulders (# / 100m <sup>2</sup> )			
Dammed & BW Pools	0	0				0	0.00%	0	0.0			
Scour Pools	2	1,000	45.5	2.70	45,790	52.30%	0	0	0.0			
Glides	5	783	35.3	0.51	33,750	38.55%	0	0	0.0			
Riffles	2	157	29.8	0.15	8,005	9.14%	0	0	0.0			
Rapids	0	0				0	0.00%	0	0.0			
Cascades	0	0				0	0.00%	0	0.0			
Step/Falls	0	0				0	0.00%	0	0.0			
Dry	0	0				0	0.00%	0	0.0			
Culverts	0	0				0	0.00%	0	0.0			
POOL SUMMARY												
		Total	Total of all Channel Lengths			Primary Channel Length						
All Pools:		2	1.0			1.0						
Pools >=1m deep:		2	1.0			1.0						
Complex pools (LWD pieces>=3):		0	0.0			0.0						
Pool frequency (channel widths/pool):		16.7										
Residual pool depth (avg):		2.13										

**STREAM SUMMARY****SPRAGUE RIVER**

Number Units	Total Length (m)	Avg Width (m)	Avg Depth (m)	Total Area (m <sup>2</sup> )	Substrate					Large Boulders (#>0.5m)
					S/O	Snd	Grvl	Cbl	Bldr	
9	1,940	36.3	0.92	87,545	91	0	9	0	0	0

Habitat Group	Wetted Area	
	(m <sup>2</sup> )	Percent
Dammed & BW Pools	0	0.00%
Scour Pools	45,790	52.30%
Glides	33,750	38.55%
Riffles	8,005	9.14%
Rapids	0	0.00%
Cascades	0	0.00%
Step/Falls	0	0.00%
Dry	0	0.00%
Culverts	0	0.00%

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## SPRAGUE RIVER

HABITAT INVENTOR Report Date: 8/26/2004

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## RIPARIAN ZONE VEGETATION SUMMARY

REACH 1

REACH 1

## Summary of Riparian Zone (0-30m) 2 transects

Total hardwoods/1000	0
Total conifers/1000 ft	0
Total conifers >20" dbh/1000 f	0
Total conifers >35" dbh/1000 f	0

## Average number of trees in a 5-meter wide band

Diameter class (cm)	Zone 1		Zone 2		Zone 3		Zones 1-3	
	Conifer	Hardwood	Conifer	Hardwood	Conifer	Hardwood	Conifer	Hardwood
3-15cm	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
15-30cm	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
30-50cm	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
50-90cm	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
>90cm	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total/100m <sup>2</sup>	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

## Canopy closure and ground cover

	Zone 1		Zone 2		Zone 3	
	0-10 meters (%)	10 - 20 meters (%)	20 - 30 meters (%)			
Canopy closure	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shrub cover	0	20	50	50	50	50
Grass/forb cover	73	80	70	70	70	70

## Predominant landform in each zone

	Zone 1		Zone 2		Zone 3	
	0-10 meters (%)	10 - 20 meters (%)	20 - 30 meters (%)			
Hillslope	0	0	0	0	0	0
High terrace	0	25	50	50	50	50
Low terrace	0	25	50	50	50	50
Floodplain	100	50	0	0	0	0
Wetland/meadow	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stream channel	0	0	0	0	0	0
Roadbed/Railroad	0	0	0	0	0	0
Riprap	0	0	0	0	0	0
Surface slope (%)	10	14	0	0	0	0

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HABITAT INVENTORY - RIPARIAN SURVEY

SPRAGUE RIVER

8/10/2004

**Summary of Riparian Zone (0-30m) for all reaches**

**2 transects**

**Summary of riparian zone (0-100 feet) extrapolated to 1,000 feet along stream**

Total hardwoods/1000	0
Total conifers/1000 ft	0
Total conifers >20" dbh/1000 f	0
Total conifers >35" dbh/1000 f	0

**Average number of trees in a 5-m wide band**

Diameter <u>class (cm)</u>	Zones 1-3	
	<u>Conifer</u>	<u>Hardwood</u>
3-15cm	0.0	0.0
15-30cm	0.0	0.0
30-50cm	0.0	0.0
50-90cm	0.0	0.0
>90cm	0.0	0.0

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SPRAGUE RIVER

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**RIPARIAN ZONE VEGETATION**

Reach 1

Reach 1

Unit	Side	Zone	Surface	Slope	Cover (percent)			Diameter class (cm)					Notes	
					Canopy	Shrub	Grass	3-15	15-30	30-50	50-90	>90		
1	LF	1	FP	5	0	0	80	Conifer						STREAMSIDE RUSHES
								Hardwood						
1	LF	2	LT	15	0	40	80	Conifer						
								Hardwood						
1	LF	3	LT	0	0	60	80	Conifer						
								Hardwood						
1	RT	1	FP	25			100	Conifer						EST. FROM RIVER
								Hardwood						
1	RT	2	HT	20	0	20	80	Conifer						
								Hardwood						
1	RT	3	HT	0	0	20	80	Conifer						
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3	LF	1	FP	5	0	0	100	Conifer						
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								Hardwood						
3	RT	1	FP	5	0	0	10	Conifer						
								Hardwood						
3	RT	2	FP	14	0	20	80	Conifer						
								Hardwood						
3	RT	3	HT	1	0	40	60	Conifer						
								Hardwood						

## SPRAGUE RIVER

REACH	UNIT#	TYPE	CHAN	DIST.(m)	COMMENTS	NOTE_ESTIMATOR	NOTE_NUMERATOR
1	1	GL	00	250		TEMP. 23C @ 1000	EMERGENT VEG 60% BOTTOM
1	3	RI	01	562			MOSTLY FINE GRAVEL <1"
1	4	RI	11	577		RB TRIB <1CFS	
1	6	LP	00	960			LIVESTOCK GRAZING LB
1	8	LP	01	1920	BC	ENDED @ BRIDGE	BOULDER PIERS BRIDGE SUPPORT
1	9	GL	11	1925		RB TRIB; 20C@1330	20C @ 1320

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Spokane R. (Lower Klik Reach)

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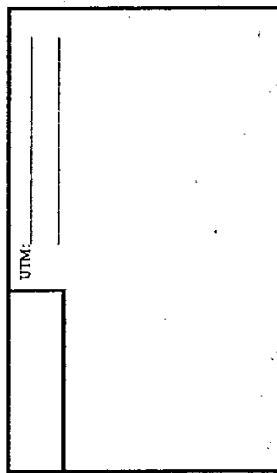
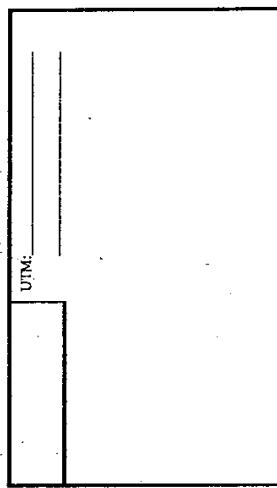
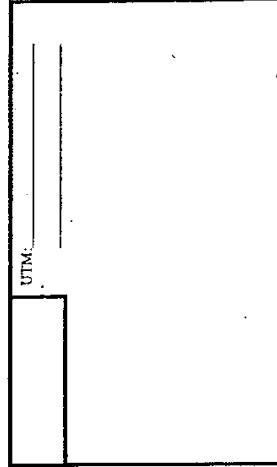
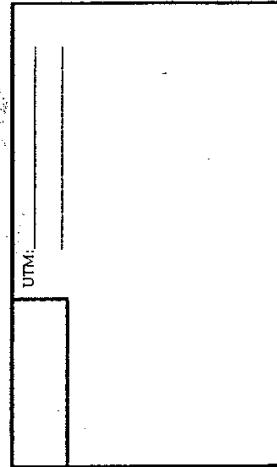
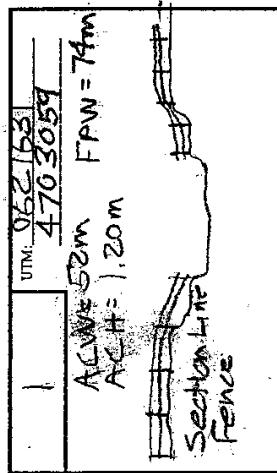
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Klik, RN  
CREW: \_\_\_\_\_

USGS 7.5 MAP NAMES: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE	REACH #	UNIT NUMBER	CHANL FORM	VALLEY FORM	VEG CLASS	VWI	DOM. SUB-DOM.	LAND USE	WATER FLOW	STRM TEMP	TIME	PHOTO #	REACH NOTE
8/10/04	1	CT	CT	72.5	P	B	AG	LG	74°F	LF 35, 1.5E, RW	1045	Sec. Line fence	



## WOOD

STREAM: Sprague R. (Lowerkunk Reach) DATE: 8/10/04 NAME: Hartzell

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UNIT NUMBER	UNIT TYPE	DEBRIS CONFIG	TYPE	LOCAT.	DBH CLASS	RW <3 CLASS	LENGTH CLASS (m)								WOOD NOTE
							6	9	12	15	18	21	24	28	
2	GL	S	C	R	30	1									
2	GL	S	C	R	45	2									
3	Z	S	C	S	45										
3	Z	S	C	S	30										
7	GL	S	C	S											

RIPARIAN

STREAM: SPRAGUE R. (Lower Kirk Reach)

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DATE: 10 AUG 04 NAME: R. Nawa

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FOR EACH RIPARIAN TRANSECT, DRAW AND LABEL THE SURFACES (HT, LT, FP, HS, ETC) OF A CROSS SECTION IN THE BOX PROVIDED ABOVE. DRAWING AND LABELING VEGETATION IS NOT NECESSARY.

## UNIT - 1

STREAM: Sprague (Lower Kip DATE: 10/10/04  
Reach

PAGE: 1 OF 1  
 ESTIMATOR: Hawzell

#	REACH	UNIT	UNIT	CHAN.	%	UNIT	SLOPE	SHADE (0-90)	ACTIVE CHANNEL		FLOOD PRONE	TERRACE	NOTE					
									TYPE	FLOW	LENGTH	WIDTH	%	LEFT*	RIGHT*	HT.	WIDTH	HT.
1	Kip	GL	00	100	250	40	0.5	3	3	3	72	52	2.4	74	34	70	72.5	Temp. 73° @ 1000
2	GL	00	100	170	45	0.5	3	3	3	3	72	52	2.4	74	34	70	72.5	
3	GL	00	100	142	56	0.5	3	3	3	3	72	52	2.4	74	34	70	72.5	
4	LP	00	100	15	35	0.5	3	3	3	3	72	52	2.4	74	34	70	72.5	
5	LP	00	100	199	44	0.5	3	3	3	3	72	52	2.4	74	34	70	72.5	
6	LP	00	100	210	45	0.5	3	3	3	3	72	52	2.4	74	34	70	72.5	
7	LP	00	100	770	40	0.5	3	3	3	3	72	57	2.2	75	32	81	72.5	
8	LP	00	100	790	42	0.5	3	3	3	3	72	57	2.2	75	32	81	72.5	
9	GL	01	1	5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6										

\* MEASURE FROM THE STREAMBED TO THE TOP OF THE ACTIVE CHANNEL; TAKE THE MEASUREMENT AT POOL TAIL CREST ON POOL UNITS.

UNIT-2

STREAM: Sprague River (Kirk Reach) DATE: 10 AUG 04  
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NUMERATOR: R. NAVIG.

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STREAM: Sprague River, (Kink. Reach) DATE: 10 AUG-04 NUMERATOR: R. NAVIT

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## AX DEPTH POOLS - MODAL DEPTH IN FAST WATER UNITS

**\*\* ONLY MEASURED @ POOLS (EXCEPT OFF-CHANNEL POOLS)**

EMO REBACK - AT Highway Bridge 0622919 - 4702042.

## RIPARIAN

STREAM: Spruce R. (Long Kink Branch)

DATE: 10 Aug 04

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UNIT NUMBER	SIDE	ZONE	SURFACE	SLOPE	CANOPY CLOSURE	SHRUB % COVER	GRASS/FORB % COVER	TREE COUNT (DBH in CENTIMETERS)	RIPARIAN NOTE		
									3-15	15-30	30-50
7	LEFT	1	FP	4	0	0	0	100	CONIFER		
		2	FT	4	0	0	0		HARDWOOD		
		3	LT	8	0	20	20	100	CONIFER		
7	RIGHT	1	FP	4	0	0	0	40	CONIFER		
		2	FT	1	0	0	0	100	CONIFER		
		3	HT	9	0	0	0	100	CONIFER		
7	LEFT	1							HARDWOOD		
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Stream: Sprague River  
Tributary to: Williamson River  
Reach: 8C Hess  
Survey Type: ODFW Stream Habitat  
Access: Canoe  
Start: T36S-R11E-S12SW  
Quad: Beatty  
Date Surveyed: 20 August 04  
Surveyors: R. Nawa, K. Hartzell  
Report: R. Nawa, C. Huntington  
Distance Surveyed: 4.3 km

#### Land Use

Land use is hay production and light grazing.

#### Valley and Stream Channel Geometry

The 0.03 percent gradient river was in a valley about 2.5 km wide. Anastomosing stream channels created high sinuosity (1.7). Low terraces sloped abruptly to constrain narrow floodplains adjacent to the 32 m wide river. The channel appeared to be locally downcutting in a hardened clay substrate which is deepening the glide at unit 3.

#### Substrate

The streambed was very fine textured. An estimated 86 percent of the streambed was sand/organics and 14 percent was gravel. Five riffles were fine textured gravel (28%) and sand (72%).

#### Spawning Gravel

About 106 m<sup>2</sup> of spawning gravel was associated with a mid-channel bar in unit 13 (Map) but 90 percent of the gravel was dry (Photos 130,131). Surveyors recorded an estimated 11 m<sup>2</sup> of spawning gravel suitable for steelhead at existing low flows (3 m<sup>2</sup>/km). An additional 95 m<sup>2</sup> (22 m<sup>2</sup>/km) would become available at bankful flows. A riffle at unit 6 had 20 m<sup>2</sup> of gravel (8-30 mm) and a dry mid channel bar in unit 11 had 80 m<sup>2</sup> of gravel (8-20 mm). Marginal spawning gravel at these 2 riffles were not judged suitable for salmon spawning.

#### Riparian Vegetation

Shade was only 3 percent because sagebrush and grass dominate the riparian zone (Photo 131). Riparian vegetation was inadequate to stabilize streambanks. About 23 percent of the streambanks were eroding.

#### Wood

The reach had no wood debris because streambanks lack tree cover.

#### Rearing and Adult holding Habitat

Due to very low stream gradient, the reach consisted of long scour pools (33%) and glides (50%). Pools were segregated from glides based on maximum pool depths that ranged from (1.6 m-2.6 m). Residual pool depths averaged 1.4 m. Glides averaged about 0.5 m deep. Undercut streambanks (7%) and emergent aquatic vegetation provide cover for fish.

#### Stream Temperature

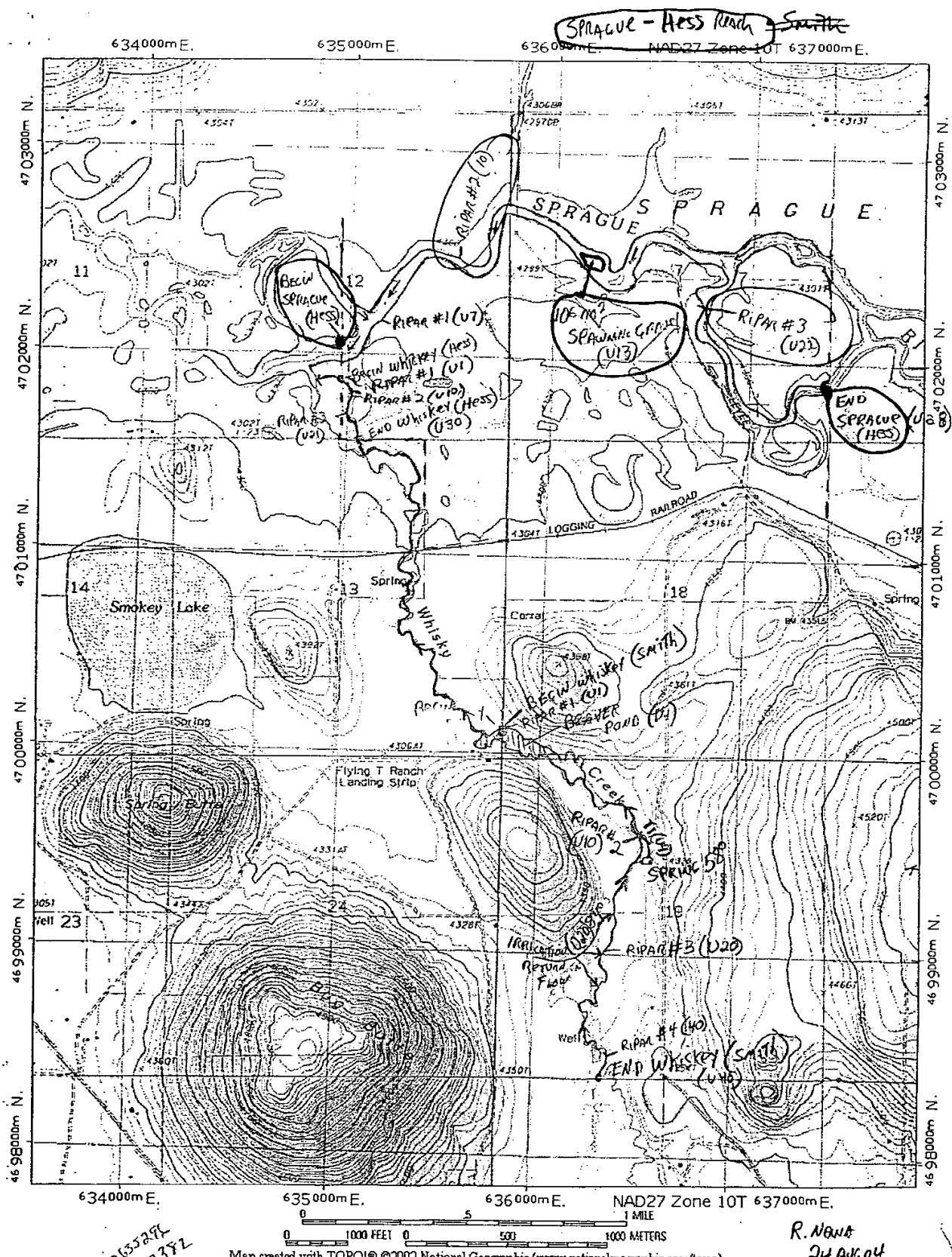
High stream temperature (25°C at 1630 pdt ) reduces salmonid rearing potential.

Photo 131 Unit 13  
Fine textured gravel  
deposited as mid-  
channel bar.

Photo 130 Unit 13  
Gravel judged suitable  
for steelhead  
spawning at higher  
flows. Most pebbles  
20 mm (1") or greater.

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UNIT - 1

## Sprague (Hess)

DATE: 8/20/04

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ESTIMATOR: Hess

REACH #	UNIT #	UNIT TYPE	CHANL %	UNIT FLOW	LENGTH	WIDTH	SLOPE %	SHADE (0-90) LEFT	SHADE (0-90) RIGHT	ACTIVE CHANNEL HT.	FLOOD PRONE HT.	TERRACE HT.	WIDTH	VWI	NOTE
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3	GL 02	LP 02	50	62	12	6.5	3	N	N						
4	GL 02	LP 02	40	68	16	6.5	1	N	N						
5	GL 03	LP 03	100	120	16	8.5	2								
6	R 00	LP 00	100	120	45	8.5	2								
7	GL 00	LP 00	104	250	30	0.5	2	3	1.0	3.2	2.0	45	2.2	50	22
8	GL 00	LP 00	100	250	34	0.5	2	3							
9	GL 00	LP 00	108	110	37	0.5	1	2							
10	LP 00	LP 00	109	40	44	0.5	1	2							
11	LP 00	LP 00	103	52	52	0.5	1	2							
12	LP 00	LP 00	100	150	37	0.5	2	2							
13	GL 00	LP 00	100	250	52	0.5	3	2							
14	LP 00	LP 00	100	575	26	0.5	3	4	5						
15	RP 00	LP 00	100	70	37	0.5	2	2							
16	RP 00	LP 00	100	35	35	0.5	2	2							
17	RP 00	LP 00	100	45	45	0.5	1	1							
18	RP 00	LP 00	100	260	43	0.5	1	1							
19	GL 00	LP 00	100	105	40	0.6	1								
20	GL 02	LP 02	40	250	24	0.5	2								
21	GL 01	LP 01	60	250	36	0.5	2								
22	GL 01	LP 01	60	250	32	0.5	2	2	1.2	3.2	2.4	45	19		
23	GL 01	LP 01	60	250	25	0.5	2								
24	GL 01	LP 01	60	65	34	0.5	2								
25	RP 01	LP 01	60	70	40	0.5	2								
26	RP 01	LP 01	60	250	24	0.5	2								
27	RP 03	LP 03	10	320	15	0.5	7								
28	LP 01	LP 01	60	390	20	0.5	2								

MEASURE FROM THE STREAMBED TO THE TOP OF THE ACTIVE CHANNEL. TAKE THE MEASUREMENT AT POOL TAIL CREST ON POOL UNITS.

**UNIT - 1**

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STREAM: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

ESTIMATOR: \_\_\_\_\_

REACH #	UNIT #	UNIT TYPE	CHANL %	UNIT FLOW	SLOPE %	SHADE (0-90)	ACTIVE CHANNEL HT.*	FLOOD PRONE HT.	TERRACE HT.	WIDTH	NOTE
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\* MEASURE FROM THE STREAMBED TO THE TOP OF THE ACTIVE CHANNEL. TAKE THE MEASUREMENT AT POOL TAIL CREST ON POOL UNITS.

## UNIT 2

STREAM: SPRACUE R. (HESS ROCK)

DATE: 20 AX 04

NUMERATOR: R. NAVAR / K. H.

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UNIT #	UNIT TYPE	DEPTH*	DEPTH**	VERIFIED PIC	LENGTH	WIDTH	SIO	SND	PERCENT SUBSTRATE	BLDR	% ACTIVE	% UNDER CUT	COMMENT	NOTE
										COUNT	BLDR COUNT			CODES
1	LP	1.6	.30				100				40			
2	ECR	0.6					80	20			30			74° @ 1420
3	RBL	0.6					90	10			20			
4	LP	1.0	0.2				80	20			50			G is < 6"; Channel Diverges into So + T Bereich
5	GL	.25					100				20			
6	RI	.30					70	30			20			
7	GL	0.6					80	20			10			G mostly < 6"
8	GL	0.5					70	30			40			G mostly < 7"
9	GL	0.4					90	10			30			
V 10	SP	2.6	0.2				100				20			
11	RF	0.5					70	30			20			G mostly < 1"
12	LP	1.0	0.3				70	10			20			
13	RI	.30					70	30			20			
14	LP	2.1	0.4				80	20			20			77° @ 1630
15	VI	0.30					70	30			40			
16	SP	1.5	0.3				90	10			10			
17	RI	0.36					70	30			10			
18	LP	1.7	0.3				100				10			
19	GL	.6					90	10			10			
V 20	GL	.5					100				40			
21	GL	.6					100				10			
22	GL	.7					80	20			30			
23	GL	.8					90	10			30			
24	GL	.6					90	10			10			
25	RI	.3					80	20			20			
26	GL	.4					60	40			20			Min Channel B.A.
27	AL	.9					100				20			Flood Stage Pump
28	LP	1.7	.3				100				40			77° 1820 - End of fence
V											-			81° 1830 Min Return at RI
														0637472 - 4701882 End

AX DEPTH POOLS - MODAL DEPTH IN FAST WATER UNITS

\*\* ONLY MEASURED @ POOLS (EXCEPT OFF-CHANNEL POOLS)

UNIT-2

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STREAM: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ NUMERATOR: \_\_\_\_\_

	DECEASED	SURNAME	FIRSTNAME	MIDDLENAME	SEX	DATE OF BIRTH	DATE OF DEATH	AGE AT DEATH	CAUSE OF DEATH	RELATIONSHIP	VERIFIED	DISMISSED**	REMOVED	NOTES
1	✓	SMITH	JOHN	WILLIAM	M	1850-01-01	1920-01-01	70	OLD AGE	PARENT	✓			

AX DEPTH POOLS: MODAL DEPTH IN EAST WATER UNITS

\*\* COST Y MEASURED @ P001 S (EXCEPT OFF-CHANNEL POOLS)

IRIPARIAN

STREAM: SPRACER R. (Hess Reach)

DATE: 8/20/04

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Name Nancy

NAME: Wang

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UNIT NUMBER	SIDE	ZONE	SURFACE	SLOPE	CANOPY CLOSURE	SHRUB % COVER	GRASS/FORB % COVER	TREE	COUNT (DBH in CENTIMETERS)				RIPARIAN NOTE
									3-15	15-30	30-50	50-90	
22	LEFT	1	FP	10	0	0	0	40	CONIFER				
		2	L1	0	0	0	0	90	CONIFER				HARDWOOD
		3	L1	0	0	40	60		CONIFER				HARDWOOD
22	RIGHT	1	FP	8	0	0	0	00	CONIFER				HARDWOOD
		2	FP	0	0	0	0	00	CONIFER				HARDWOOD
		3	FP	0	0	0	0	00	CONIFER				HARDWOOD
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RIGHT	RIGHT	1							CONIFER				
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**TRANSIENT PLANT** DRAW AND LABEL VEGETATION IN THE BOX PROVIDED ABOVE. DRAWING AND LABELING VEGETATION IS NOT NECESSARY.

## RIPARIAN

STREAM: Splagor R. (Hess Ranch)PAGE: 1 OF 2NAME: R. Nease / K. H.DATE: 20 Aug 04

UNIT NUMBER	SIDE	ZONE	SURFACE	SLOPE	CANOPY CLOSURE	SHRUB % COVER	GRASS/FORB % COVER	TREE CONIFER	COUNT (DBH in CENTIMETERS)				RIPARIAN NOTE
									3-15	15-30	30-50	50-90	
7	LEFT	1	FP	10	0	0	40	CONIFER					
		2	FP	10	0	0	80	HARDWOOD					
		3	LT	0	0	0	100	CONIFER					
7	RIGHT	1	FP	10	0	0	60	CONIFER					
		2	LT	0	0	20	100	HARDWOOD					
		3	LT	0	5	0	100	CONIFER					
10	LEFT	1	FP	12	0	0	100	CONIFER					
		2	LT	4	0	0	100	HARDWOOD					
		3	LT	0	0	0	100	CONIFER					
10	RIGHT	1	FP	10	6	0	80	CONIFER					
		2	LT	0	0	20	100	HARDWOOD					
		3	LT	0	0	20	100	CONIFER					
								HARDWOOD					
UNIT #	7	D635126 - 4902189				UNIT # <u>10</u> 063559 - 4702486				LT AC = 58			
		LT AC = 32 mm				LT AC = 58				LT			

## PHOTO RECORD

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STREAM: SPRACUE R. (Hess Ranch) SURVEY TYPE: OR. PLAN  BASIN  MIXED BASIN OR GCG: SPRACUE FILM: DIGITAL  SLIDE  PRINTS 

SURVEY CREW: RN, KH ROLL #: MAILER #:

PHOTO # OR DIGITAL ID	UNIT #	DATE	TIME	STREAM / PHOTO DESCRIPTION
1: A 125	7	20 AUG 04	1400	UPSTREAM RIVER #1
2: 126	7	"	"	DOWN
3: 127	7	"	"	River Bank
4: 128	7	"	"	
5: 129	11	"	1600	GRAVEL BAR - SPawning CHANNEL <1"
6: 130	13	"	1630	GRAVEL BM - SPawning CHANNEL =1"
7: 131	17	"	"	"
8: 132	22	"	1730	UPSTREAM River #3
9: 133	22	"	"	DOWN
10: A 134	22	"	"	DOWN - Delta View
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## **SPAWNING HABITAT FORM**

Stream SPRACUE R. (Hess Road) Reach Hess Date 8/20/09  
Surveyor(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Class: G= gravel; C= small cobble (<150mm [6"])

**Usable habitat** is at least 150mm (6") deep and has water velocities between 1 and 4 feet/second.

## **SPAWNING HABITAT FORM**

Stream \_\_\_\_\_ Reach \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

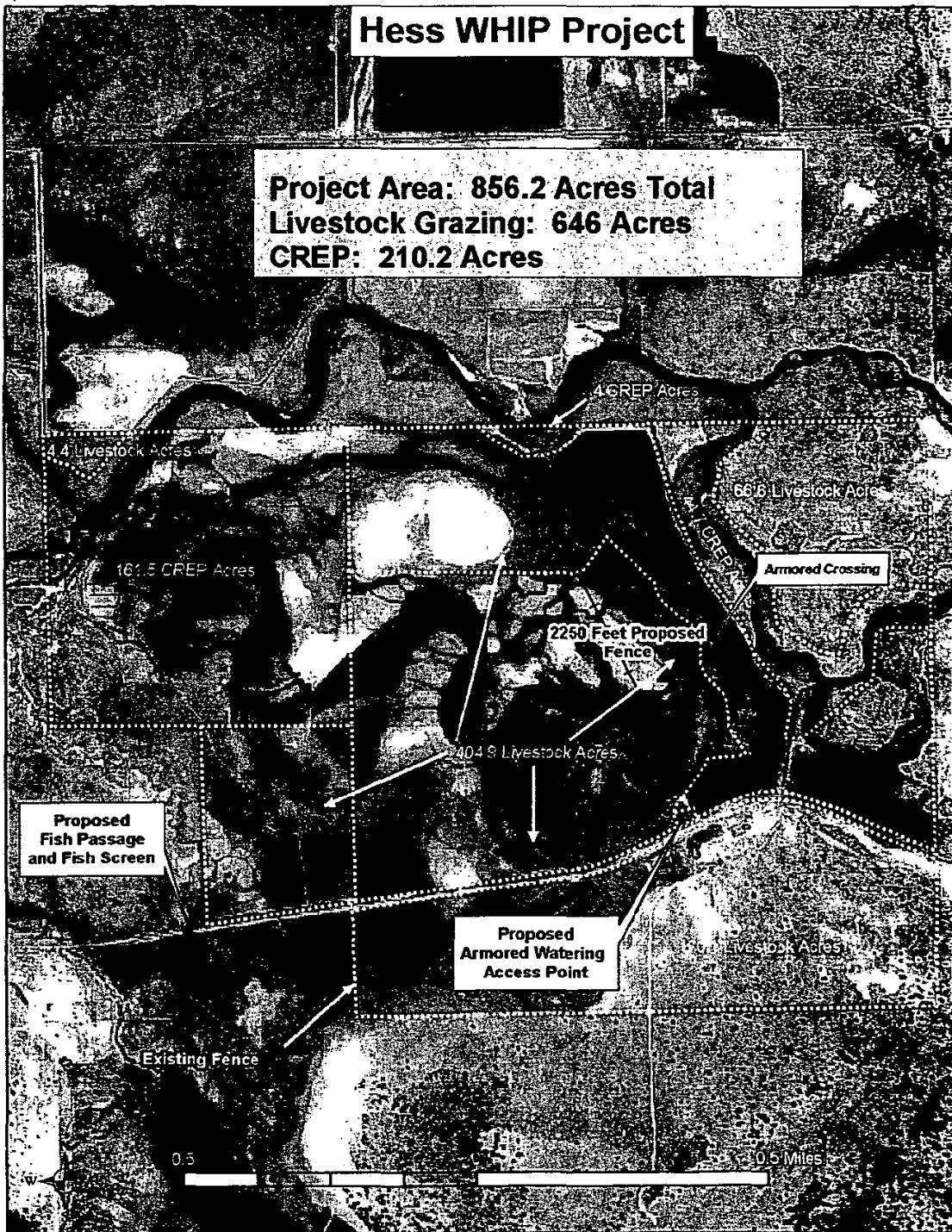
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## Hess WHIP Project

**Project Area: 856.2 Acres Total  
Livestock Grazing: 646 Acres  
CREP: 210.2 Acres**



Sprague A