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THE UTAH ECOLOGY PROJECT:
ECOLOGICAL IMPACT OF WEATHER MODIFICATION
STUDIES IN THE UINTA MOUNTAINS,
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Mountains

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Corrections on "Resources of
The Uinta Mountains" Report

Page 6, line 13: eliminate s from "cabins".

Page 8, Figure 2: shading for distribution of precipitation through time failed to print. Values by month are given below:

<u>Month</u>	<u>Northern Mts.</u>	<u>Uinta Basin</u>
January	5.0 cm	1.5 cm
February	5.0	1.3
March	5.0	1.7
April	4.0	1.8
May	3.8	1.8
June	3.1	1.8
July	2.5	1.9
August	3.4	2.3
September	2.6	1.9
October	3.4	2.3
November	4.3	1.1
December	5.0	1.3

Page 15, last line of "Indian Reservation" paragraph: following comma insert "the Agency was moved to a site near Hanna".

Page 19, line 18: 360 angiosperm genera rather than 356. Also 1,053 angiosperm species rather than 1,012.

Page 19, lines 23 - 28: number of species for sunflowers, grasses, sedges, mustards, scropps, and legumes should be 175, 126, 86, 60, 51, and 53 respectively.

Page 20, line 11: add this sentence "Similarly the oakbrush zone is omitted because data are unavailable."

Page 23, line 18: delete "such".

Page 24, lines 1 - 3: delete all of lines 1 and 2 and the word climax on line 3.

Page 24, line 17: lodgepole not bodgepole.

Page 28, line 1: add Y to "wind".

Page 28, line 21: U.S. Forest Service rather than "U.S. Department of Interior".

Page 31, line 6: insert be in front of "designated".

Page 31, line 16: 10^6 rather than " 10^9 ".

Page 31, line 20: substitute were for "was".

Page 34, line 12: substitute summer for the second "snow".

THE RESOURCES OF THE UINTA
MOUNTAINS, UTAH

Location

The Uinta Mountains are located in extreme northeastern Utah and northwestern Colorado. The major portion of the range and all areas rising above 3,050 m (10,000 ft) lie within five Utah counties (Daggett, Duchesne, Summit, Uintah and Wasatch). The high elevation segment of the range in Utah is commonly referred to as the High Uintas. This report will consider only the so-called High Uintas.

Area and Elevation

The High Uintas include an area of about 15,091 km² (5,433 mi²) above the 2,135 m (7,000 ft) contour. Within that area, 26 peaks rise to more than 3,965 m (13,000 ft) above sea level (Hansen 1969). King's Peak at an altitude of 4,126 m is the highest point in the State of Utah.

Physical Features

Topography. The Uintas are unique in that they are the only major mountain range in North America whose long axis is oriented east-and-west. The range rises abruptly from adjacent plains to form a series of relatively flat ridges that retain massive snow drifts on their leeward margins until late summer. The plateau-like ridges are separated by deep glacial valleys or extensive glaciated plains dotted by an almost unnumberable array of ponds and lakes. Ridge tops and flanks are often little more than outcrops of naked rock. John Wesley Powell, in an early geological report on the eastern end of the High Uintas described the landscape in the following manner. "Above all it is the rocky region; rocks are strewn along the valleys, over the plains and plateaus;

the cañon walls are of naked rock; long escarpments or cliffs of rock stand athwart the country, and everywhere are mountains of rock" (Powell 1876).

The landscape is not heavily vegetated anywhere. Forests are usually open and slow growing. Meadow are often picturesque and verdant but are rarely highly productive. Large areas support plants only in rock crevices and along the edges of large boulders. Drainage bottoms of glaciated valleys are commonly a complex mosaic of gravel bars, willow thickets, and wet meadows.

Geology. The Uintas owe their existence to an early Cenozoic uplift of a deep (over 15,250 m) sequence of sedimentary beds which had been accumulating in the Uinta trough throughout most of recorded geologic time (Hansen 1969). The oldest recorded rocks now exposed in the area (Red Creek Quartzite) are shown to be about 2.3 billion years old by radiometric dating methods (Figure 1). The gigantic anticlinal uplift that forms the range rises abruptly from the floor of the Kamas valley on the west, but its upward incline is more gentle at the east end of the range in northwestern Colorado. Deep crustal movements have pushed the crest of the anticline northward until it is asymmetrical with a steep northern face and a more gentle south slope.

Except for a few igneous dikes intruded into the oldest sedimentary rocks in the range, the High Uintas are composed entirely of sedimentary materials (Hansen 1969). Igneous activities have otherwise been completely absent during the development of the range (Emmons 1907). The ravages of some 70 million years of erosion have stripped off the younger geologic strata from the apex of the Uinta anticline leaving

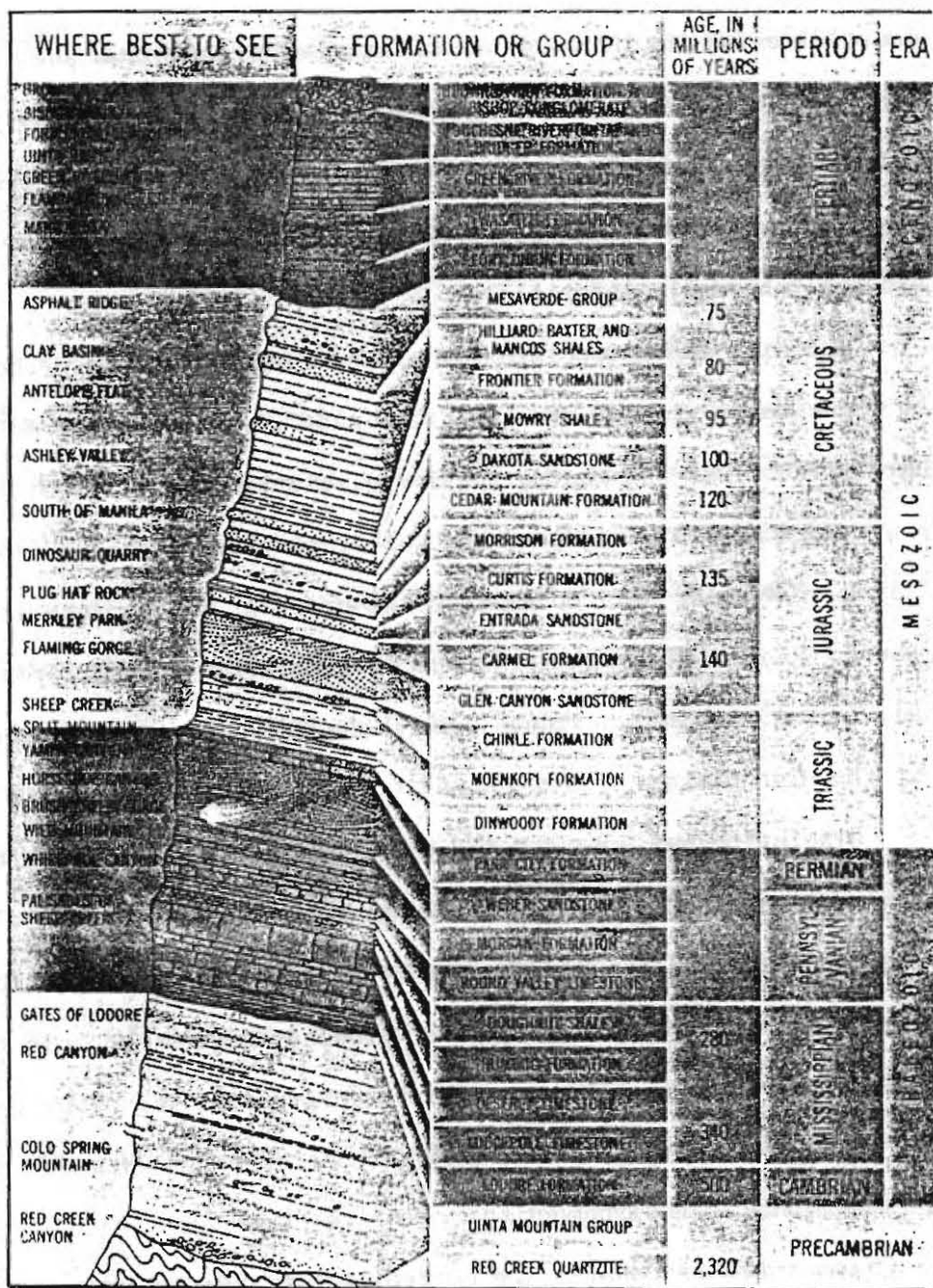


Figure 1. Generalized cross-section of the rock formations of the eastern Uinta Mountains (from Hansen 1969).

quartzites of the Uinta Mountain Group of Precambrian age to dominate most of the landscape above 3,050 m elevation. The generally reddish colored Uinta Mountain Quartzite is hard and deficient in the elements required by plants, thus soils develop slowly on that parent material and are inherently infertile.

The high elevation interior of the range has been further modified by three major glacial events in the past 60,000 years (Bradley 1936). During the first and most extensive glaciation, over 2,500 km² of the range were buried under ice, and valley glaciers pushed out onto the plains of Wyoming some 60 km from the crest of the ancient anticline (Hansen 1969). Today the evidence of glaciation in the forms of mountain lakes, moraines, cirques, and U-shaped valleys can be seen throughout the High Uintas.

Glaciation has enhanced the depressing effect of hard and nutrient poor rock on plant growth by scouring away or burying such soils as had developed prior to the Pleistocene at high elevations. Shallow, impoverished soils combine with short growing seasons and cold temperatures to make the High Uintas a harsh environment for plant growth. The low plant productivity of the interior of the range is a consequence of the inhospitable environment.

Limestones and shales are currently confined to the edges (particularly the western flank) of the range. Deciduous forests of aspen and thickets of oak are widespread above 1,900 m on limestones and calcareous shales, but coniferous forests and alpine herblands dominate the areas where soils are derived from quartzite.

Soils. Uinta landforms and their soils are complex. The soils are almost always immature and poorly developed above 2100 m elevation. Drainage of such soils is commonly extreme; either excessively well drained or undrained with attendant high water tables (Arnold and Olson 1964).

In poorly drained areas around the numerous lakes of the area, deep peats and mucks are often observed. Such deposits may be several meters deep and characteristically have pH values of 4.8 - 5.0 (Jatkar, Rushforth, and Brotherson 1978, Stutz 1951, and Christensen and Harrison 1961).

Upland soils at higher elevations are usually shallow, stoney or gravelly, acidic (pH of 4.3 - 6.2) and heavily leached (Harper 1977, Wagner 1973, Lewis 1970, and Murdock 1951). Ridge crests may have almost no soil due to glacial action and water erosion. Such upland landforms are not conducive to good plant growth, since they hold minimal nutrient reserves and store little water. Stream flow from such landscapes is unusually generous, since the areas accumulate deep snow packs (25 to 50 cm of water per unit area) but retain little of the melt water in the soil profile.

Soils in the foothill zone of the Uintas are often derived from calcareous substrates such as limestones, shales, and limey sandstones. In such areas, soils are circumneutral to basic, rather well developed and possessed of mollic epipedons. Such soils are as productive as the moisture supply will permit: there is no apparent growth suppression due to nutrient deficiencies as at higher elevations on soils derived from quartzite. Locally at both high and low elevations where slopes are steep, water is abundant, and the unconsolidated surface material is

deep, slopes are unstable. Construction of roads or trails through such material commonly results in soil slippages that necessitate additional construction work and produce accelerated siltation in streams.

Major Streams and Lakes. The Uintas are a major watershed of Utah. Four of the state's major rivers rise there (the Bear, Duchesne, Provo, and Weber) as do several major tributaries that enter the Green River before it passes through Flaming Gorge Canyon (e.g., Blacks Fork, Burnt Fork, Henrys Fork, and Smiths Fork). In addition over 1000 lakes and ponds lend variety to the Uinta landscape (Tanner 1930). More popular lakes include Chain, Echo, Granddaddy, Kidney, Lilly, Lost, Mirror, and Red Castle. The lake-type environment has been greatly expanded by construction of many reservoirs for water storage throughout the Uintas. Some of the larger reservoirs include Flaming Gorge, Meeks Cabins, Moon Lake, Steinaker, and Trial Lake.

In general, both stream and lake waters are cold, crystal clear and nutrient poor in the Uintas. Fish growth is usually slow because of the oligotrophic waters and the shortness of the ice-free season. All streams that drain the area support a diversity of native and introduced fish species, but most of the lakes and ponds did not support fish originally. Most of the region's lakes that can support fish year-round (about one-half the total) are now regularly stocked with eastern brook and cutthroat trout by the Utah Division of Wildlife Resources (Vincent, Gates and Regenthal 1963 a, b, and c and Gates and Regenthal 1964).

Climate

Temperature. In the absence of weather stations operated year-long in the High Uintas, we have resorted to general climatic maps extrapolated

from valley stations by Jeppson et al. (1968). Their maps suggest that mean yearly temperature may be as low as -1.7 C at high elevation and 2.2 C in the foothill zone. Temperatures rarely exceeds 24 C at 3,000 m elevation; average daily maxima are about 18 C in July. Freezing temperatures are known to occur in every month of the year at elevations in excess of 3,000 m. Average maximum temperatures in January never rise above the freezing point of water.

Precipitation. Jeppson et al. (1968) indicate that the crest of the Uinta backbone receives in excess of 100 cm of precipitation per year. Evidence presented below suggests that that may be an over estimate. Jeppson et al. (1968) show that precipitation drops to 40 cm in the foothill zone. Since there are several long-term weather stations in the foothills, this last value is reasonably reliable.

At higher elevations, the bulk of the annual precipitation comes in the period October 1 through April 30 (the so-called soil recharge period). As seen in Figure 2, the shape of the annual precipitation curve is different in the Uinta Mountains and the adjacent Uinta Basin. At higher elevations, roughly two-thirds of the annual precipitation accumulates in the recharge period, but in the Uinta Basin only about half the annual total falls during the cool season (October 1 - April 30). Consequently, higher elevation sites not only receive more precipitation but less of it is lost to physical evaporation. Thus a greater percentage of the annual precipitation is available for runoff or use by growing plants at higher elevations.

Data on distribution of summer rainfall in time and space are not available for the Uintas, but Whaley and McWhirter (1975) have summarized

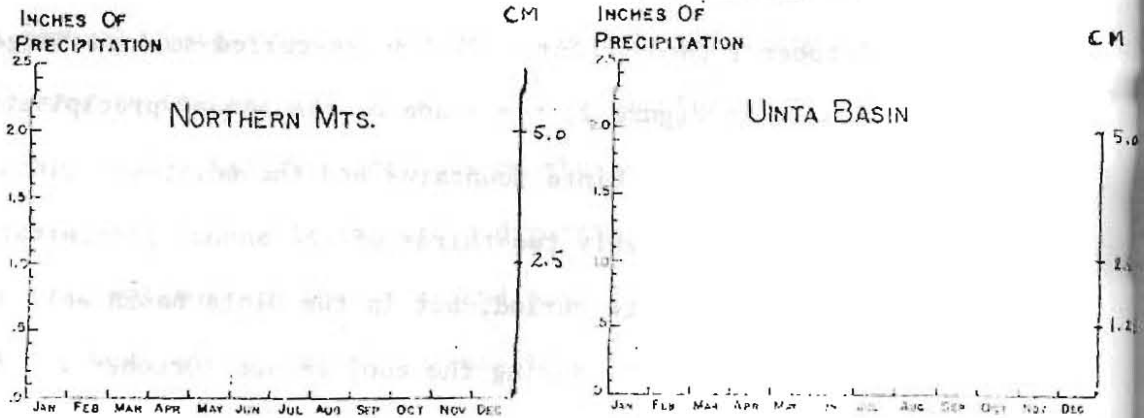
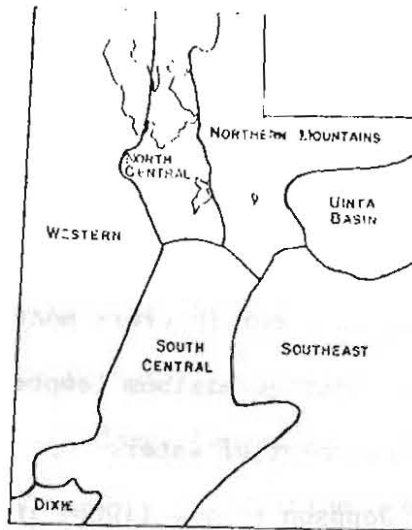


Figure 2. Climatic zones of Utah (above) and distribution of precipitation across the annual gradient in two climatic zones of northeastern Utah (below). Each time-precipitation graph is based upon a composite of all official U.S. Weather Stations in the climatic zone.

all available data for 47 snowcourses in those mountains. All snowcourses used in their report had at least 15 years of data. As summarized in Table 1, the snowcourses show that no altitudinal zone accumulates more than 40 cm of water in the April 1 snowpack in the average year. If the data from Jeppson et al. (1968) in Figure 2 are reliable (and indications are that the data are valid), it seems unlikely that any significant portion of the Uinta Mountains receives more than 80 cm of precipitation per year. This conclusion seems necessary, since the evidence is good that more precipitation falls in the winter period than in the summer.

As expected, snowpack increases with elevation in the Uintas, but the rate of increase does not appear to be uniform (Table 1). There is a sharp increase in depth of snowpack in the elevational zone between 2,750 and 3,050 m. Above 3,050 m, the rate of increase in snow depth with increase in elevation drops back to a value consistent with that observed below 2,750 m.

Winter precipitation becomes progressively more reliable in both time and space as one moves to higher elevations in the Uintas (Table 1). This conclusion is based on the fact that the coefficient of variation values reported in the last two rows of Table 1 decrease with increasing elevation.

History

Native Peoples. The Uinta Mountains were the ancestral home of Shoshone speaking Indians who called themselves Utes. Modern anthropologists refer to those peoples as Fremonts, a more inclusive term than Utes (Jennings 1960). Although only Christian Era archeological

Table 1. - Snowpack characteristics in the Uinta mountains. All data are drawn from "Summary of Snow Survey Measurements for Utah: 1924-74," a report prepared by Whaley and McWhirter (1975).

Characteristic	Elevation Zone (m)				
	2,135-2,440	2,440-2,745	2,745-3,050	3,050-3,355	>3,355
No. Snow Courses	10	12	13	9	3
Average Elevation of Courses (m)	2,317	2,584	2,861	3,163	3,396
Average Years of Record/Course	28	29	27	16	15
Average April 1 Water Content (cm)	22.0	25.8	35.5	36.3	38.5
Maximum April 1 Water Content (cm) ¹	38.5	50.5	65.5	51.0	46.3
Minimum April 1 Water Content (cm) ¹	9.5	4.5	14.8	25.3	31.0
April 1 Snow Density (cm Snow/cm Water)	3.10	3.24	3.34	3.49	3.75
Average Temporal Coefficient of Variation for Water Content (%) ²	44.6	39.0	27.8	29.7	21.9
Average Spatial Coefficient of variation for Water Content (%) ³	39.1	52.5	44.2	23.4	19.8

- Both maximum and minimum April 1 water content values represent long term average values for single snow courses, not all-time maximum or minimum values.
- Coefficient of variation = $\frac{\text{Standard deviation}}{\text{mean}} \times 100$. C.V. values were computed for each snow course and averaged for all courses within a zone. These values thus represent variation among years at single snow courses.
- C.V. values are based on the long-term means for all courses in an altitude class. The mean and standard deviation for the long-term means of all courses in an altitude class are used to compute the C.V. values; these values thus represent variation among sites.

sites are known for primitive man in the areas here considered, there is presumptive evidence that he has been in the area for over 10,000 years (Untermann and Untermann 1958).

The Utes were unable to converse verbally with the Paiute and Goshiute Indians of nearby northwestern Utah because of deep differences in dialects, even though all were Shoshone speakers. Language differences were paralleled by other cultural differences from west to east among these native residents of Utah. The Utes were wealthier, more mobile and more warlike than their Paiute and Goshiute relatives to the west. Such differences arose primarily from the nature of the natural environments in which they lived. To the west, native peoples were hunters and gatherers at the time of initial contact with white men. Environmental harshness in their desert homeland made it impossible for large groups to exist in any single location; survival alone consumed the vast majority of their energy leaving none for war and little for ornamentation. Moister environments along the shoulders of the Uintas made it possible for the Utes to afford horses, beaded clothing and feather headdresses. New ideas flowed into the Ute culture via occasional contacts with Plains Indians from still farther east.

The Utes waged war with the Blackfeet of Idaho, the Comanches of the plains and the ever increasing population of white men (Jennings 1960). The great Chief Walker who often warred with white settlers throughout the Intermountain West was Ute.

Spanish Fathers. The shoulders of the Uinta Mountains cradled all of the early white contacts in Utah history. Fathers Dominguez and Escalante, the intrepid Franciscan Fathers from Santa Fe, entered Utah

on September 13, 1776, by crossing the Green River near the present site of Jensen, Utah, on the southeast corner of the Uintas (Chavez and Warner 1976). The Dominguez-Escalante party is considered to include the first white men to enter Utah. They came seeking a new overland route between the Catholic colonies of New Mexico and that at Monterey on the California coast. They also evaluated new sites for possible missions.

Fur Traders. William H. Ashley, trapper and trader and first white explorer of the gorge of the Green River through the Uintas, reached the northeast shoulder of the Uintas in April 1825 (Gowans 1976). Other mountain men had reached the Uintas earlier (e.g., in May 1825, Ashley found Etienne Provost and his company still at their winter camp at the confluence of the White and Green Rivers. John Weber and several hundred white men and Indians spent the same winter in the Cache and Salt Lake Valleys of northern Utah), but Ashley was destined to become the chief fur trader of the region because of his unique scheme to organize an annual rendezvous in the Rockies where mountain men and Indians alike could conveniently trade beaver pelts for supplies. His first rendezvous occurred in late June and early July 1825 on a large and lush meadow on the northeast corner of the Uintas along what is now known as Henry's Fork some 20 miles west of its confluence with the Green River. The site is in the state of Wyoming. That first rendezvous attracted a surprisingly large contingent of mountain men: Ashley gives the number as 120 including such well-known names as Etienne Provost, Jedediah Smith, and John H. Weber. All of the foregoing have been honored by having Uinta streams named for them (Gowans 1976).

Forts. Eventually, established trails and heavier traffic permitted established trading posts or so-called "forts" to prosper and rendered obsolete the rendezvous concept. The earliest trading post in the region and the first white settlement in Utah was Fort Robidoux, established in 1832 at the junction of the Uinta and Whiterocks Rivers in the Uinta Basin on the South Slope of the Uintas. The Fort existed only 12 years before it was burned to the ground in 1844 by Indians infuriated by the cruel and unprincipled conduct of the fort's founder, French trapper and trader Antoine Robidoux (Untermann and Untermann 1958).

Fort Crockett was established in 1837 by three fur traders named Sinclair, Craig, and Thompson. The Fort was located in the eastern end of Brown's Hole in northwestern Colorado and on the east end of the Uintas. The Fort apparently catered to Santa Fe rather than to St. Louis trade and for that reason is almost forgotten by western historians who have not seriously researched Santa Fe connections in our area (Purdy 1959). The Fort lasted less than seven years, since John C. Fremont found but a pile of ashes when he visited the site in 1843. How the Fort met its end is unknown.

The largest and most important trading post in the region was Fort Bridger, established in 1842 by the famous mountain man, Jim Bridger. Settlers on both the Oregon Trail and the California Trail passed through Fort Bridger until the Greenwood Cutoff was opened in 1844. In 1844 alone, 1500 emigrants took the Greenwood Cutoff and by-passed Fort Bridger (Gowans and Campbell 1975). Settlers moving through the Fort again increased in numbers when the Hastings Cutoff to California was opened in 1846.

Settlers arriving at Fort Bridger usually had money but equipment was generally in disrepair, draft animals (both cattle and horses) were emaciated and footsore, and supplies were depleted. Bridger's blacksmith shop, sleek draft animals, and surplus supplies were eagerly sought by all comers and his business flourished. Situated as it was on an island in the floodplain of Black's Fork, Fort Bridger offered copious cold, clear water, lush pastures, and cool shade from aspen and willows. The road weary draft animals which Bridger took in addition to money for his sleek animals quickly regained strength in the verdant pastures along Blacks Fork and were traded within weeks to other travellers at a handsome profit. Fort Bridger was thus a welcome oasis for travellers in an arid region and a most lucrative business for its owner. The Fort figured prominently in western history until 1890 when the U.S. Army closed down their operations there (Gowans and Campbell 1975).

Because of continuing legal conflicts between Bridger and the new Mormon government of the Territory of Deseret (which included Fort Bridger), the fort was finally sold to the Mormon church in 1855. Their active control of the Fort lasted only two years. In order to slow the movement of the U.S. Army into Utah at the outset of the so-called Utah War, Mormon forces abandoned and then burned the entire Fort on October 2, 1857. On September 9, 1859, the U.S. Army officially confiscated the remains of Fort Bridger and established a large military reserve on the site without offering any compensation to the Mormon owners of the site (Gowans and Campbell 1975).

Yet another forgotten Fort also existed along the North Slope of the Uintas. Fort Supply was established on a bench between Smith's Fork and

Black's Fork Rivers in December 1853. It was located near the present site of Robertson, Wyoming. This was a Mormon fort established during the height of difficulties with Jim Bridger. Fort Supply was clearly to have been an alternative stopping place to Fort Bridger. The thousands of Mormon emigrants arriving annually would now have no necessity to shop at Fort Bridger and enrich an open enemy of their group. It should be noted in passing that Bridger had grounds for resentment against his new neighbors, since they had sought to legislatively take over river ferries that had been operated by mountain men for two decades and to levy taxes on the fort which Bridger had built five years before the Mormons entered the Green River Valley.

Fort Supply's existence was always uncertain. The Fort was abandoned in July 1854 and reoccupied in May 1855. Feeble agricultural efforts and missionary work to the Indians occupied the settlers until the approaching U.S. Army forced final abandonment of the Fort in 1857. The entire Fort was burned on the same day that Fort Bridger was put to the torch (Gowans and Campbell 1976).

Indian Reservation. In 1861, President Abraham Lincoln issued a proclamation that made a large part of the South Slope of the Uintas an Indian Reservation. The first Indian Agency was established on the southwestern corner of the Uintas in 1864 at the head of Daniels Canyon. In 1865, on the Duchesne River (Untermann and Untermann 1958).

Cattle Industry. The cattle industry supported the first permanent white settlements along the shoulders of the Uintas. As noted earlier, Jim Bridger maintained large cattle herds for trading with emigrants. He apparently supplied animals to pioneer herdsmen such as Jack Robinson, early stockman of Daggett County, Utah. Robinson was mentioned as a

prosperous cattleman of the North Slope of the Uintas as early as 1859 by the famous publisher and politician, Horace Greeley (Purdy 1959). Another early stockman on the North Slope was Jim Baker, originally a mountain man and respected wilderness guide. Baker's herds were distributed along Henry's Fork. Baker's son, Dick, became the first postmaster in Daggett County and guide for the Yale Scientific Expedition which unearthed the famous dinosaur fossil beds along the Green River on the southeastern edge of the Uintas (Purdy 1959).

White settlements along the South slope of the Uintas came slowly. Although Mormon explorers visited the Uinta Basin in 1847 and 1861, both parties recommended against colonization there because of high elevations and short growing seasons. White settlers took up the first homesteads in the Basin in the 1870's. These became cattle ranches with cultivated fields that grew primarily wild hay. Uintah County was not established until 1880 (Untermann and Untermann).

Bad Men. The shoulders of the Uintas have also sheltered some of the West's most disreputable rustlers, train robbers, swindlers, and murderers. The notorious John Slack-Phil Arnold diamond swindle was perpetrated on the edge of the Uintas at Diamond Peak in extreme northwestern Colorado. The swindlers "salted" a claim with real gems and sold it in 1872 for a small fortune. The buyers included such notables as Wm. C. Ralston (California's leading banker), Baron Ferdinand Rothschild of London and Horace Greeley of New York. Henry Janin, one of America's leading mining experts, had "verified" the authenticity of the find. The fraud may well have gone unchallenged had not the pride of Clarence King of the U.S. Geological Survey been wounded by the deal. King had just published a

geological survey of the region wherein he had declared the area devoid of precious metals and gems. King spared no effort to demonstrate that Slack and Arnold only looked innocent--he ultimately proved them to be expert comen (Purdy 1959).

Brown's Hole, a remote, topographically complex and desolate region in northwestern Colorado was the hideout of a number of small-time cattle rustlers in the 1890's. The infamous Tom Horn, a killer-for-hire employed by the large cattle companies, murdered rustlers from ambush on three different occasions in Brown's Hole. The famous "Wild Bunch" lead by the wayward Mormon, Butch Cassidy (Robert Leroy Parker), also based their outlaw operations in the desolate reaches of Brown's Hole on the east end of the Uintas during the 1890's (Purdy 1959).

Transcontinental Railroad. The Uintas also made a significant contribution to the nation's most ambitious engineering project of the nineteenth century, the transcontinental railroad. During 1867 and 1868, the railroad inched westward across the Wyoming plains. A large percentage of the ties that supported the steel rails originated in lodgepole pine forests on the North slope of the Uintas. Colonies of hardy Finns lived year-around in the High Uintas felling lodgepole and squaring them into ties with hefty broadaxes. The Finns or "Tie-hackers" as they were called often dumped the ties into North Slope rivers at floodtide and floated them to their destination on the railroad right-of-way (Colton 1967 and Beulah Marshall, personal communication). The coming of the railroad triggered major cultural changes in the region and hastened the end of the frontier.

PLANT RESOURCES

Nonvascular Plants

Algae. A total of 173 genera and 831 species of algae are known from the Uinta Mountains (Appendix IIA). About one-third of the algal genera and over 60% of the algal species are contributed by diatoms and desmids. In both lakes and streams, the algae make an important contribution to food chains in Uinta aquatic systems. Since taxonomic work on the algae of the Uintas has been extensive, the list of species reported in Appendix IIA is probably over 90% complete.

Fungi. A total of 113 genera and 233 species of fungi have been reported from the Uintas (Appendix IIA). Some groups such as the fleshy fungi have been collected well while other groups such as the soil microfungi and parasitic fungi have never been studied seriously in the area. Thus, the list of fungal species of the Uintas could probably be doubled by paying close attention to neglected groups. Since fungi play a major role in nutrient cycling and pathological processes in ecosystems, there is a definite need for additional fungal research in the Uintas.

Lichens. The known lichen flora of the Uintas consists of but 39 species (Appendix IIA). That number may be increased by as much as an order of magnitude with additional collecting. Lichen cover contributes almost all the organic matter available on hundreds of hectares of quartzite outcrops and talus heaps at high elevations in the Uintas.

Mosses and Liverworts. These primitive green plants are represented by 59 genera and 139 species in the study area. The lists presented in

Appendix IIA are perhaps 80 to 90% complete for these organisms thanks to the tireless efforts of the late Dr. Seville Flowers, University of Utah, Salt Lake City.

The liverworts are rarely important constituents of any Uinta ecosystem. In contrast, mosses are major producers in many wet meadows, on many rocky faces, and in some aquatic situations.

Vascular Plants

The vegetative cover of most terrestrial locations on earth is heavily dominated by vascular plants. We recognized three major groups of vascular plants in the Uintas: ferns and fern allies, gymnosperms, and angiosperms or flowering plants. As in most other land situations, flowering plants far out-number the two other groups in respect to number of species in the Uintas (see Appendix IIB and the following table).

<u>Group</u>	<u>No.</u> <u>Genera</u>	<u>No.</u> <u>Species</u>
Ferns and Allies	11	20
Gymnosperms (Conifers, etc.)	6	15
Angiosperms (Flowering Plants)	356	1,012

Seven flowering plant families contribute over half the vascular plant species in the Uintas. Those families are:

<u>Family</u>	<u>No.</u> <u>Genera</u>	<u>No.</u> <u>Species</u>
Compositae (Sunflowers)	54	172
Graminae (Grasses)	39	124
Cyperaceae (Sedges)	5	85
Cruciferae (Mustards)	28	54
Scrophulariaceae (Scrophs)	12	50
Leguminosae (Legumes)	11	47
Rosaceae (Roses)	19	43

The vascular plant flora is reasonably well-known in the area but intensive collecting will undoubtedly add new species. The list in Appendix IIB is likely to be over 95% complete, however.

Vegetation and Vegetational Dynamics

Major Types. The vegetation of the Uintas is complex and could profitably be subdivided into over a score of distinct phytosociological types. For the purposes of this report, however, it seems best to maintain a broad classification scheme. Accordingly, only the vegetation types listed in Table 2 will be recognized. A significant community type of the South Slope, the Utah juniper type, is not listed in Table 2, because data for the type could not be found.

The vegetational types in Table 2 are arranged roughly in the order that the types are encountered in the field as one ascends from the base of the mountains to their crest. Although the sagebrush-grass community is the first encountered as one approaches the mountains, the average elevation of stands of that community which are reported by Proctor (1971) is greater than that for either aspen or lodgepole stands (Table 1), even though these latter communities reach maximum development above the sagebrush zone. This incongruity arises because sagebrush has a broad elevational tolerance and many isolated stands at high elevations were sampled by Proctor.

The plant production data in Table 2 include only that growth produced between ground level and a height of 2 meters. Accordingly production from trees is largely ignored. Under that sampling bias, the forests are less productive than adjacent herblands: the reverse would be true if both forest stratum and understory production were considered.

Table 2. - Characteristics of various vegetative types in the Uinta Mountains. Information has been gleaned from various reports as noted. Proctor (1971) reports on over 400 sites, but we have summarized only the first 200 in his report.

Vegetational Type	No. of Site Sampled	Average Elevation (m)	Dominant Plant life form in the forage	Annual Above Ground Production Below 2 m (Kg/Ha)	Source of Information
Sagebrush-Grass	26	2530	Shrubs and Grasses	855 ± 352	Proctor 1971
Aspen Forest	33	2313	Shrubs and Forbs	570 ± 321	Proctor 1971
Lodgepole Pine Forest	37	2335	Forbs and Grass	405 ± 398	Proctor 1971
Willow Thickets	4	2330	Shrubs and Grass	2044 ± 934	Proctor 1971
Meadows					
Dry	29	2573	Grasses and Forbs	488 ± 206	Proctor 1971
Forb	32	2550	Forbs and Grass	1250 ± 780	Proctor 1971
Mesic	29	3200	Grasses and Forbs	1074	Harper 1977
Wet	10	2250	Graminoides	2262 ± 1363	Proctor 1971
Wet	?	> 3500	Graminoides	1437	Lewis 1970
Subalpine Fir Forest	9	2500	Forbs and Shrubs	441 ± 461	Proctor 1971
Engelmann Spruce Forest					
Mid-elevations	20	2560	Forbs and Shrubs	675 ± 763	Proctor 1971
Moderately High elevat.	30	3200	Forbs and Grasses	828	Harper 1977
High elevations	?	> 3500	Forbs and Grasses	392	Lewis 1970
Alpine Tundra					
Moderately High elevat.	21	3420	Forbs and Grasses	773	Harper 1977
High Elevations	?	> 3500	Forbs and Grasses	610	Lewis 1970

The data in Table 2 demonstrate that Uinta communities are generally poor producers of plant material. Production is generally lower at high elevations than for comparable topographic situations at lower elevations. That pattern is probably a consequence of shorter growing seasons and poorer soils at higher elevations. Given comparable topographic and growing season conditions, better watered sites out-produce more xeric sites.

In passing, it should be pointed out that all above-ground plant production cannot be utilized by animals. Over half the annual production should be left to supply the plant's own energy requirements. Furthermore, a portion of the surplus tissue is usually unpalatable and not usable by animals. Lewis (1970) used a 40% utilization value in arriving at stocking rates for sheep on Uinta tundra ranges (i.e. only 40% of the total above-ground production was considered to be harvestable, if plant vigor was to be maintained).

Areal Extent. The two most widespread communities in the Uintas are sagebrush-grass and lodgepole pine. Although actual extent of the community types listed in Table 2 is currently unavailable, it is likely that sagebrush-grass and lodgepole pine combine to cover over 60% of the study area. Alpine tundra and meadows probably account for between 10 and 15% of the area. The remainder of the area is divided among the remaining plant communities, barren exposures of rock and talus, and lakes and ponds.

Successional Dynamics. Vegetational composition is never static anywhere, but time conditioned trends in composition of the vegetation of the Uintas are unusually conspicuous. Two basically different kinds of change have been recognized historically in vegetational succession:

primary and secondary. Primary successions are those in which sites that have never supported plants take a progressively different plant cover through time. Two types of primary succession are identifiable: xerarch and hydrarch. Xerarch primary successions are exemplified by those in which bare rock or raw glacial till on drained slopes is progressively changed as soils form or mature and the plant cover assumes greater stature and stability. Hydrarch successions are seen as depressions that hold ponds or lakes slowly fill with water borne sediments and autochthonous organic matter until the site eventually becomes a terrestrial rather than an aquatic environment. Characteristically, primary successions move slowly with their duration being measured in centuries or even millenia.

Secondary successions describe those vegetational processes that occur on sites that are denuded as by fire or avalanche without destroying the soil and its organic components. Secondary successions move relatively fast with their duration often being measured in decades.

Primary successions are everywhere at work at high elevations in the Uintas. Lichens and mosses colonize such rock surfaces and enhance the weathering processes. As soils begin to accumulate, a progression of vascular plants occupy a given site. Successional processes in the alpine tundra zone of the Uintas have been well summarized by Murdock (1950), Hayward (1952), and Lewis (1970). All agree that the primary successions there are very slow and frequently disrupted by frost action.

Primary hydrarch successions in the Uintas have been studied by Stutz (1951) and Christensen and Harrison (1961). Special attention has been devoted to the invasion of trees into the peat filled glacial depressions of the Uintas by Firmage (1969) and Yuan (1971). Both conclude that the peat filled depressions will not proceed to a forest climax,

depressions of the Uintas by Firmage (1969) and Yuan (1971). Both conclude that the peat filled depressions will not proceed to a forest climax, but will remain dominated by meadow vegetation unless a climatic change occurs that will lower the water table in the depressions.

Secondary successions in the study area are being induced regularly by fires, insect attacks, logging operations, and locally abusive grazing practices. Forest successional dynamics following fire and logging are discussed tangentially by both Proctor (1971) and Henderson et al. (1977). Aspen and lodgepole pine forests are often initiated by forest fires, although both forest types appear to be climax on some sites. Subalpine fir and Engelmann spruce are normally late successional species that depend upon aspen and/or lodgepole pine to properly condition a site for their invasion.

The mountain pine bark beetle is even more influential than fire and logging as a destroyer of lodgepole pine forests at the present time in the Uintas. Fire suppression by the U.S. Forest Service throughout most of this century has permitted the bulk of the Uinta lodgepole pine forests to reach maturity. The mountain pine beetle preferentially attacks mature lodgepole trees and eventually kills them (Amman 1977 and Amman et al. 1977). As a consequence, the Uintas are now experiencing a series of beetle epidemics that annually destroy or greatly reduce the canopy coverage of hundreds of hectares of lodgepole pine forests.

Successional processes following logging in the Uintas are complex and poorly understood. In some cases, forest removal produces a microhabitat so harsh that tree seedlings establish poorly if at all. In other cases, aspen dominates cutover areas. In yet other cases, coniferous species invade cleared areas, but there are no reliable models

for predicting which species will come to dominance on the site. A series of studies of successional dynamics on cutover areas is much needed. In this respect, a plant cover-type map of portions of the upper Bear River drainage prepared in 1972 by Van Balen (1973) may prove helpful in analysis of forest dynamics on cutover areas there.

Secondary successional processes in the alpine tundra zone are locally initiated by abusive grazing by sheep. Recovery rates on such sites have not been studied, but both Lewis (1970) and Thilenius (1975) discuss problems associated with such sore spots and suggest that recovery will probably require long time intervals.

Uses of Vegetation. The plant cover of the Uintas serves a myriad of functions. The most fundamental value of that cover undoubtedly lies in its ability to stabilize soils and control erosion. In addition, the green mantel of vegetation fuels all food chains in the area--without it there could be no animal life. The relationship between wild vertebrate animals and various North Slope vegetative types has recently been detailed in a valuable study by Winn (1976). Urness has studied the feeding behavior of mule deer and elk on the North Slope. He concludes that logging can greatly enhance big game habitat, provided that the logging is confined to small areas (5-20 ha) scattered throughout maturing lodgepole pine forests (Cox 1977). A final value of plant cover is aesthetic: green meadows set in a dark forest or flecks of golden aspen in a September landscape of lodgepole have a value even though none know how to compute it!

Rare Species

None of the vascular species listed in Appendix IIB appear on the official endangered species list which was released by the U.S. Department

of Interior on July 1, 1975 (Federal Register, Vol. 40(127), part V, pages 27880-27883). Six species on our list do appear as threatened species on the Department of Interior list, however. Species listed as threatened are:

Cryptantha stricta
Mertensia viridis var. cana
Mertensia viridis var. dilatata
Parrya rydbergii
Penstemon acaulis
Penstemon uintahensis

Other endemic or unusual plants of the Uintas that are listed by Welsh et al. (1975) are given in the introductory section of Appendix IIB.

ANIMAL RESOURCES

Invertebrate Animals

The invertebrates of the Uinta Mountains have been little studied and are thus poorly known. Economic considerations have resulted in the insects being better known than any other invertebrate group, but even in that group probably less than a third of the species have been collected and reported. The listings presented in Appendix IIC are grossly incomplete, but more adequate lists are unknown to us.

The mountain pine bark beetle (Dendroctonus monticolae - family Scolytidae) through its lethal attacks on lodgepole pine may exert a greater economic impact on the Uinta Mountains than any other animal occurring there.

Vertebrate Animals

Fishes. A total of 22 species are reported from the Uinta Mountains (Appendix IID). Nine of those species are not native to the streams and lakes of the area. Fish species diversity is considerably greater in the streams that drain into the Colorado River as opposed to those that

run into the Great Basin. The Utah cutthroat trout is native to the Uintas, but through hybridization, the original species is probably extinct.

No endangered fish species occur in the area considered in this study.

Amphibians and Reptiles. Cold temperatures and generally oligotrophic waters appear to combine to keep the number of amphibian and reptile species low in the Uintas. Only 8 amphibian and 15 reptile species are known from the study area (Appendix IIE). None of the species are considered to be endangered or threatened.

Birds. The Uintas support the richest avian fauna in the state of Utah. A total of 186 species are recorded for the area (Appendix IIF). The great diversity of species is attributable to ecological variability in the terrestrial environment and the presence of over 600 lakes that maintain a permanent aquatic community. None of the bird species are considered to be endangered or threatened.

Wild Mammals. In all, 82 species of mammals exclusive of man have been recorded at one time or another in the wild in the Uintas (Appendix IIG). Six of those species (i.e., the gray wolf, grizzly bear, fisher, wolverine, bison, and otter) are now believed to be extinct in the area. The endangered black-footed ferret may occasionally pass through the area, but it is not known to maintain a resident population there. No other endangered species are known from the area, but current hunting pressures may threaten the existence of the Canada Lynx.

Domestic Mammals. Cattle, horses, and sheep utilize Uinta ranges during the summer months. Cattle are normally confined to lower elevations, gentler slopes, and nonforested areas. Sheep are better

adapted for the cold, wind herblands at high elevations and for forested ranges. Horses utilize the ranges under special permits for herding or recreation use.

HUMAN ACTIVITIES

Management Agencies

The U.S. Forest Service manages the bulk of the core of the Uinta Mountains and far more land than any other agency in the area according to Bureau of Land Management (1978) Land Status Map. The next largest block of land above 2100 m elevation is apparently controlled by private individuals. Both BLM and the Bureau of Indian Affairs manage large blocks of land on the south and east slopes of the range. The Uinta and Ouray Indian Reservation extends for over 80 km along the South Slope and includes considerable acreages above the 2500 m contour. BLM holdings are concentrated on the east and southeast edges of the range. Land owned by the State of Utah includes sizeable acreages on Tabby Mountain north of Fruitland, in the area south and west of Manila and scattered throughout BLM holdings on the east and southeast edges of the Uintas. Private land above 2100 m elevation is abundant north and east of Strawberry Reservoir, between Diamond Mountain and Flaming Gorge Reservoir, west of Manila, and along the northwest corner of the range. The U.S. Department of Interior manages the Flaming Gorge National Recreation Area. Wildlife throughout the entire area under consideration is managed by the Utah Division of Wildlife Resources. Streamflow and water physical characteristics are monitored by the U.S. Geological Survey, Division of Water Resources. Snow courses are maintained by the Soil Conservation Service.

The Utah Division of Wildlife Resources estimates (see John 1977) that summer range land ownership for seven deer herd units that occur on the Uinta Mountains (Units 19, 20, 22, 22B, 24, 25, and 26 including about 1,568,700 ha) is distributed as shown below.

	Agency					
	Forest Service	Private	BLM	Indian Reservation	Utah State	Other
%	66.1	24.1	4.3	3.6	1.9	0.1

Nonbiological Resources

Minerals. The absence of igneous activities in the history of the Uintas has left them notably devoid of mineral deposits. Even the deep gravel deposits around the fringes of the range have been little exploited because of their remoteness from suitable markets. There is coal withdrawal in the Carrant Creek drainage on the South Slope.

Petroleum. Petroleum has been discovered on all sides of the Uinta uplift. The Uinta Basin field on the South Slope is particularly productive.

Water. The Uintas are the source of about 1.8 km^3 (1.6×10^6 acre feet) of surface runoff water in the average year (Jeppson et al. 1968). About 68% of that water feeds into the Green River, a major tributary of the Colorado. The remaining water finds its way into the Great Basin. Since hydrologists maintain that water-yielding areas in Utah occur only above about 2,000 m elevation (Croft and Bailey 1964), most of the runoff water noted above originates on the Uinta Mountains per se, with an area of roughly 1.5×10^6 ha. Accordingly, the Uintas appear to be yielding about 12 cm of runoff water per cm^2 of surface.

The runoff water is used locally for power generation and irrigation. A large percentage of the water that originates on watersheds that feed into the Green River eventually finds its way into the Colorado (Wasatch National Forest 1976).

Detailed watershed studies have been carried on at the East Fork of Smiths Fork Barometer Watershed since 1968 (Potyondy 1976 a and b). Status of the watershed is currently under review by the Wasatch National Forest. Continued operation of the watershed recording network is uncertain.

Biological Resources

Recreation. The Uintas are a major recreation ground for the population centers along the Wasatch Front in Utah. The Flaming Gorge Recreation Area attracts visitors from a much wider sphere than the remainder of the area. To cope with the visitors, management agencies have developed dozens of picnicing and/or camp sites on the Uintas (see multipurpose map 4 prepared by the Utah Travel Council, 1977 for exact locations and kinds of recreation developments in the area).

Recreation guides have been prepared for the Uinta area by a variety of government agencies and private individuals. Hiking trails across the Uintas have been summarized by Davis (1974). A general story of Uinta recreation opportunities and lore has been published by Lambert (1964). Evans and Belknap (1973 and 1974) have prepared sophisticated travel guides for the Flaming Gorge Dinosaur National Monument and the Desolation Canyon area. The Primitive Area of the Ashley and Wasatch National Forests has been described in considerable detail in a booklet prepared by the Intermountain Region of the U.S. Forest Service

(1967). The Intermountain Region of the Forest Service prepared a pocket-sized description of the area in 1972.

The Primitive Area as currently constituted includes the nuclear area of the High Uintas and has an area of about 81,500 ha (201,385 acres). The Intermountain Region of the Forest Service (1967) proposed that the Primitive Area be expanded to a size of 130,770 ha and designated as a Wilderness Area. At this time, that proposal has not been acted upon but there are strong pressures to move the proposal along (Bauman 1978). Currently in excess of 35,000 people hike, horseback ride, fish, or hunt in the Primitive Area annually (High Uintas Wilderness Coalition 1978). That use appears to be divided among activities in roughly the following way: hiking (27%), fishing (33%), back country camping (40%). The foregoing breakdown is drawn from annual recreation summaries made by the Ashley National Forest.

Total recreation use on lands controlled by the U.S. Forest Service currently appears to be running close to 3×10^9 visit days per year. The use distribution among the Forests is roughly 50% on the Ashley, 42% on the Wasatch and 8% on the Uinta (only a portion of the Uinta National Forest extends onto the Uinta Mountains). The three major contributors to the visitor day total was broken down roughly as follows on the Ashley National Forest in the early 1970's: camping (33%), fishing (20%), and hiking (13%). Hunting contributed about half as many visitor days as fishing. Similar use distribution appears to hold elsewhere on the Uintas as well.

Summer home developments are scattered throughout the Uintas, but the total number of homes is not large (probably less than 1000).

Recreation at private residences and camping areas on the Ashley National Forest contributed less than 5% of total visitor days in the early 1970's.

Even though hunting accounts for fewer visitor days than fishing, big game hunting particularly is a major activity on the Uinta Mountains. The range supports the largest of Utah's three moose herds (Wilson 1971 and Babcock 1977) and large elk and deer herds. In 1976, 45 bull moose were harvested on the Uintas (John and Fair 1977). The range also provided a harvest of 791 elk in 1976, roughly one-third of the elk harvested in Utah that year. During the period 1970-1976, an average of 1500 mule deer per year were harvested on the Uintas. The deer harvest was made by an average annual force of 4300 hunters, each of whom spent an average of 3.6 days in pursuit of their buck (John and Fair 1977).

In an experimental attempt at enriching the upland game bird resource in Utah, the Division of Wildlife Resources reintroduced ptarmigan into the tundra areas of the High Uintas in 1976. The population is apparently reproducing in its new home in Painter Basin near Kings Peak (Hall 1978).

Commercial Uses--Trapping. The number of fur bearers removed from the Uintas annually is unknown, but it is known that commercial trappers take muskrat and beaver in large number there annually. Other fur bearers on the range include the coyote, lynx, martin, and weasel.

Commercial Lodges. A popular lodge exists at Moon Lake on the South Slope. At least two other commercial lodges exist on the North Slope. The Lodge at Mirror Lake burned a few years ago and will not be rebuilt.

Commercial Logging. Over 44% of the volume of saw logs harvested in Utah originates on the Uinta Mountains (Setzer and Throssell 1977).

The timber is milled at plants in Evanston, Heber, and Vernal among other places. The total volume of timber harvested on the Uintas amounts to just slightly over 4.6×10^5 cubic meters per year (5 million cubic feet). The harvest is distributed among species as follows:

<u>Species</u>	<u>%</u>
Lodgepole Pine	58.6
Engelmann Spruce	30.8
Douglas Fir	5.5
Aspen	3.1
True Firs	1.3
Ponderosa Pine	0.7

Significantly only about 1.1% of the annual harvest comes from dead trees (Setzer and Throssell 1977). Considering the large volume of lodgepole killed annually by the mountain pine beetle, failure to harvest dead trees amounts to a large loss.

Commercial Grazing. The Uinta Mountains provide summer grazing for 119,709 animal unit months (an AUM is equal to one cow with calf at side or 5 ewes with lambs). The AUM's are allotted about equally to cattle and sheep (52.1% and 45.7% respectively). Horse account for 2.2% of the AUM's with most of those being recreation riding horses on the Ashley National Forest. The AUM's are distributed among Forests as shown below.

<u>Forest</u>	<u>AUM's</u>		
	<u>Cattle</u>	<u>Sheep</u>	<u>Horses</u>
Ashley	35,368	18,749	2,300
Uinta	8,032	18,272	-
Wasatch	18,989	17,653	346

CONTROLS ON HUMAN ACTIVITIES

Governmental

Both the Forest Service and BLM regulate multiple use activities under rather firm guidelines. Lumbering, grazing, and most recreation

activities are managed by those agencies. Hunting activities are controlled by the Utah Division of Wildlife Resources.

Natural

Winter. Deep snow, cold temperatures and difficulty of access severely limits human activities in the Uintas in winter. Logging and oil well maintenance roads are kept open to moderate elevations throughout the winter at several locations around the periphery of the range. All such activities are carried on by private concerns. The State of Utah maintains snowmobiling trail heads throughout the winter at several points around the range, but few snowmobilers venture more than a few kilometers away from the trail head.

Summer. Summer activities are affected by late lying snow and snow thunder storms which reach peak frequency in August. A lightning storm in the tundra country is a frightening experience for those that have survived one. Such storms have taken the lives of a few back country hikers.

Fire. Wildfires in the study area are common and do exert an influence on human activities although we know of no losses of human life from wildfires in the Uintas. Fires do cause significant economic losses, however.

We have summarized the fire records that pertain to the Uintas from both the Ashley and the Wasatch National Forests. An average of 58% of the fires reported on the two Forests over the period 1961-1974 were started by man. Man caused fires like natural (lightening) fires reach maximum frequency in July and August. Of the over 500 fires reported, the average distribution through time is shown on the following page.

	Month						
	<u>May</u>	June	July	August	September	October	November
Ave. % All Fires	1.0	5.5	29.5	27.0	14.5	15.5	0.0

The slight rise in fire frequency in October is attributable to heavier human use during the annual deer hunt which traditionally occurs in that month in Utah. Less than 3% of reported fires burn more than 4 hectares (10 acres).

Snow Avalanches. The absence of concentrated human activities in the bottoms of deep canyons in the winter has spared the Uintas of avalanche disasters such as are common at the ski resorts along the Wasatch Front in Utah. Uinta landforms are less precipitous than those of the Wasatch (Stevens 1970), but steep leeward slopes of high elevation ridges in the Uintas nevertheless accumulate deep snow drifts that regularly release avalanches. Fortunately few humans venture close to such slopes in the Uintas in winter.

Access Routes. Two blacktopped highways cross the ends of the Uintas. Utah Highway 150 (the so-called Mirror Lake Highway) crosses the west end of the range running between Kamaa and Evanston, Wyoming. On the east end of the range, Utah Highway 44 connects Vernal with Dutch John and Manila. Gravel roads extend into most major stream drainages, but the entire heart of the range is roadless.

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APPENDIX II

SPECIES LISTS

APPENDIX A

CHECKLIST OF THE CRYPTOGAMIC FLORA
OF
THE UINTA MOUNTAINS, UTAH

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This list of cryptogamic species including algae, fungi, lichens, mosses and liverworts is a result of numerous collections over the past 50 years. Several works are unpublished but specimens have either been placed in the BYU herbarium or species lists were made available by the workers. Although this list is rather extensive, it is not a complete list of all cryptogams in the Uinta Mountains. For example, the list of phycomycetes is a result of a single study at Lily Lake. Streams would undoubtedly support a somewhat different phycomycete flora. The micro and parasitic fungi listed are also seriously under-represented. The total number of species present in those groups in the region in question would undoubtedly amount to a few hundred.

The algae make up about two-thirds of the total cryptogamic flora. Two fine studies, one of the diatoms of the Provo River and another of the desmids of Lily Lake account for over one-half of the total number of algae listed. The rest are primarily blue-greens with only a few representatives from the euglenoids, dinoflagellates and red algae.

Summary of Cryptogamic Species

	<u>Genera</u>	<u>Species</u>
BLUE GREEN ALGAE	37	126
YELLOW-BROWN ALGAE	47	281
DIATOMS	40	261
GREEN ALGAE	80	413
DESMIDS	20	253
EUGLENOIDS	4	6
DINOFLAGELLATES	2	2
RED ALGAE	3	3
WATER MOLDS	19	34
SLIME MOLDS	11	19

CUP FUNGI	20	47
LOCULASCOMYCETES	2	2
IMPERFECT FUNGI	2	2
RUSTS & SMUTS	2	2
FLESHY FUNGI	57	127
LICHENS	21	39
MOSESSES	42	102
LIVERWORTS	17	37
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TOTAL	366	1242
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ALGAE	173	831
FUNGI	113	233
LICHENS	21	39
MOSESSES & LIVERWORTS	59	139

The following references were used in compiling the list of algae. The numbers after each species correspond to these references.

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THE ALGAE

CYANOPHYTA (BLUE-GREEN ALGAE)

CHROOCOCCALES

CHROOCOCCACEAE

- ANACYSTIS MARGINATA 3
- APHANOCAPSA ELACHISTA 3,5,6
 - A. ENDOPHYTICA 3
 - A. GREVILLEI 3,6
 - A. PULCHRA 5
 - A. VIRESCENS 3
 - A. SP. 9
- APHANOTHECE CLATHRATA
 - A. SAXICOLA 3,6
 - A. STAGNINA 3,6
 - A. SP. 10
- CHROOCOCCUS COHAERENS 3,6
 - C. LIMNETICUS 5
 - C. MACROCOCCUS 3
 - C. MINUTUS 5
 - C. PRESCOTTII 3
 - C. TURGIDUS 3,5,6,9
- COELOSPHAERIUM DUBIUM 5
 - C. KUETZINGIANUM 3,5,6
 - C. NAEGELIANUM 11
 - C. SP. 3,9,10
- EUCAPSIS ALPINA 6
- GLOEOCAPSA CALCAREA 3
 - G. SP. 3,6,9
- GOMPHOSPAERIA APONINA 3
 - G. LACUSTRIS 5
 - G. SP. 10
- MERISMOPEDIA ELEGANS 3,5,6,10
 - M. GLAUCA 5
 - M. NOVA 5
 - M. SP. 3,9
- MICROCYSTIS AERUGINOSA 3,5,6,9
 - M. FLOS-AGUAE 3
 - M. INCERTA 3,9
 - M. PULVEREA 5,6
 - M. SP. 3
- RHABDODERMA LINEARE 3
- SYNECHOCOCCUS SP. 6
- SYNECHOCYSTIS SP. 6

ENTOPHYSALIDACEAE

- HETEROHORMONIUM SCHIZODICHOLOMUM 3

CHAMAESIPHONALES

CHAMAESIPHONACEAE

- CHAMESIPHON SP. 3

OSCILLATORIALES

OSCILLATORIACEAE

- LYNGBYA AERUGINEO 5
 - L. CONTORTA 5
 - L. MAJOR 3,6
 - L. MARCENSIANA 5,6

- L. NANA 5,6
- L. SP. 9
- L. SP. 9
- MICROCOLEUS PALUDOSUM 5
- M. SP. 6
- OSCILLATORIA AGHARDI 1,5
- O. AMOENA 11
- O. AMPHIBIA 3,5,6
- O. ANGSTISSIMA 6
- O. ANIMALIS 3,6
- O. CURVICEPS 5
- O. CRUENTA 3,6
- O. FORMOSA 3,6
- O. GEMINATA 5
- O. LEMERMANNII 3
- O. LIMOSA 5
- O. NIGRO-VIRIDIS 3
- O. PROLIFICA 3
- O. SANETA 3
- O. SPLENDIDA 3
- O. TENUIS 3,6
- O. SP. 3,9
- O. SP. 9
- PHORMIDIUM AMBIGUUM
- P. ANGSTISSIMUM 6
- P. INCRUSTATUM 3
- P. TENUE 3
- P. SP. 3
- P. SP. 9
- P. SP. 10
- SCHIZOTHRIX SP. 6
- SPIRULINA PRINCEPS 5
- S. SP. 9
- TRICHODESMIUM ERYTHRAEUM 5

NOSTOCALES

NOSTOCACEAE

- ANABAENA FLOS-AGUAE 3,6
- A. INAEQUALIS 3,5,6
- A. OSCILLARIOIDES 3,6
- A. VARIABILIS 6
- A. SP. 9
- A. SP. 9
- A. SP. 10
- A. SP. 11
- ANABOENOPSIS SP. 9
- AULOSIRA SP. 3
- NODULARIA AMERICA 11
- NODULARIA HARVEYANA 3, 11
- N. SPOMIGENA 3
- N. SP. 5
- NOSTOC COMMUNE 5
- N. MUSCORUM 5
- N. PALUDOSUM 3
- N. PISCINALE 3
- N. PRUNIFORME 9

N. SPHAEROIDES 3
N. VERRUSOSUM 3, 11
N. SP. 6
N. SP. 3
N. SP. 10
N. SP. 9
N. SP. 9

STIGONEMATACEAE

HAPALOSIPHON SP. 6
H. SP. 9
H. SP. 10
NOSTOCHOPSIS SP. 9
STIGNEMA TURTAUCEUM 3
S. SP. 3

SCYTONEMATACEAE

DESMONEMA SP. 9
MICROCHAETE ROBUSTA 5
SCYTONEMA SP. 10
TOLYPOTHRIX LANATA 5,6
T. LIMBATA 3
T. PENCILLATA 5
T. TENUIS 6
T. SP. 3
T. SP. 9
T. SP. 10

RIVULARIACEAE

CALOTHRIX PARIENTINA 11
DICOTHRIX MENEGHINIANA 5
D. ORSINIANA 5
RIVULARIA SP. 9
R. SP. 11

CHLOROPHYTA (Green Algae)

CHLOROPHYCEAE

VOLVOCALES

CHLAMYDOMONADACEAE

CHLAMYDOMONAS SP. 6,9

VOLVOCACEAE

EUDORINA SP. 6
GONIUM PECTORALE 6
G. SP. 9
PANDORINA MORUM 3,6,9
PLEODORINA SP. 9
VOLVOX SP. 6, 10

TETRASPORALES

TETRASPORACEAE

TETRASPORA CYLINDRICA 3
T. GELATINOSA 3
T. LUBRICA 3,5
T. SP. 6
T. SP. 9

GLEOOCYSTACEAE

ASTEROCOCCUS LIMNETICUS 3,5
GLEOOCYSTIS AMPLA 6
G. GIGAS 5,6
G. SP. 3

G. SP. 9

CHLOROCOCCALES

CHLOROCOCCACEAE

CHARACIUM AMBIGUUM 3
C. ELLIPSOIDEA 3
C. PRINGSHEII 3
C. SP. 6
C. SP. 8
CHLOROCOCCUM HUMICOLA 6
C. SP. 3
PLANKTOSPHAERIA GELATINOSA 3
P. SP. 6
TETROEDRON SP. 9

PALMELLACEAE

PALMELLA MUCOSA 3
SPHAEROCYSTIS 3,6

HORMOTILACEAE

PALMODICTYON VARIUM 5,6

OOCYSTACEAE

ANKISTODESJUS FLACATUS 3,5,6
A. F. VAR. MIRABILIS 5
A. SP. 2
A. SP. 9
CLOSTERIOPSIS SP. 6
EREMOSPHAERA VIRIDIS 3,6
GLOEOTAENIUM LOITLESBERGERIANUM 5
KIRCHNERIELLA OBESA 6
NEPHROCYTIUM LIMNETICUM 3
N. LUNATUM 3
N. OBESUM 5
OOCYSTIS CRASSA 5
O. ROTUNDA 5
O. SOLITARIA 5
O. SP. 6
QUADRIGULA CHODATII 6
SELENASTRUM GRACILE 6
S. WESTII 3,6

DICTYOSPHAERIACEAE

DICTROSPHAERIUM ACUTA 3
D. PULCHELLUM 3,5,6
WESTELLA BORTYOIDES 3
W. LINEARIS 5

SCENEDESMACEAE

COELASTRUM SP. 6
CRUCIGENIA RECTANGULARIS 3
SCENEDESMUS ARMATUS 9
S. BIJUGA 3,6
S. DENTICULATUS 6
S. DIMORPHUS 6
S. OBLIQUUS 5,6
S. QUADRACAUDA 5
S. QUADRISPINA 3,6
S. SP. 3
S. SP. 6

HYDROCITACEAE

- HYDRODICTYON RETICULATUM 3
- PEDIASTRUM ANGULOSUM 3
 - P. BORYANUM 3,5,6,9
 - P. DUPLEX 3,6
 - P. PERTUSUM 3
 - P. SCULPTATUM 5
 - P. TETRAS 3,6
 - P. YETRAODON 5
- SORASTRUM AMERICANA 3
- ULOTRICHALES
 - ULOTRICHACEAE
 - BINUCLEARIA TETRANA 5
 - HORMIDIUM SP. 9
 - H. SP. 10
 - ULOTHRIX SUBTILLISSIMA 5
 - U. TENUISSA 3, 11
 - U. VARIABILES 11
 - U. ZONATA 1,3,6,11
 - U. SP. 3
 - U. SP. 9
 - U. SP. 10
 - MICROSPORACEAE
 - MICROSPORA LOEFGRENII 5
 - M. STAGNORUM 5
 - M. WILLEANUM 3,5
 - M. SP. 6
 - M. SP. 9
 - M. SP. 10
- ULVALES
 - ULVACEAE
 - MONOSTROMA QUATERNARIUM 11
 - PRASIOLOACEAE (SHIZOGONIAACEAE)
 - SCHIZOGONIUM SP.
- CHAETOPHORALES
 - CHAETOPHORACEAE
 - CHAETOPHORA ELEGANS 3,6,11
 - C. INCRASSATA 5
 - C. SP. 9
 - DRAPARNALDIA GLOMERATA 3,6
 - D. SP. 3
 - D. SP. 9
 - D. SP. 10
 - MICROTHAMNION SP. 6
 - PROTOCOCCUS VIRIDIS 6
 - STIGEOCLONIUM SP. 3
 - S. SP. 9
 - CHAETOSPHAERIDIACEAE
 - CHAETOSPHOERIDIUM SP. 9
 - DICRANOCHAETACEAE
 - DICRANOCHAETE RENIFORMIS 5
- OEDOGONIALES
 - OEDOGONIAACEAE
 - BULBUCHAETE SP. 5
 - B. SP. 9
 - B. SP. 10

- OEDOGONIUM SP.
 - O. SP. 3
 - O. SP. 5
 - O. SP. 9
 - O. SP. 10
 - O. SP. 5
 - O. SP. 5
 - O. SP. 5
- SPHAEROPLEALES
 - SPHAEROPLEACEAE
 - SPHAEROPLEA ANNULINA 3
 - S. SP. 3
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 - CLADOPHORACEAE
 - CLADOPHORA GLOMERATA 3,11
 - C. KUETZINGIANA 11
 - RHIZOCLONIUM HEEROGLYPHICUM 5
- ZYGNEMATALES
 - ZYGNEMATACEAE
 - MOUGEOTIA CAPUCINA 3,6
 - M. GENUFLEXA 3
 - M. LAETEVIRENS 3
 - M. PARVULA 3,5,6
 - M. SP. 1 9
 - M. SP. 2 9
 - SPIROGYRA COMMUNIS 3,6
 - S. CRASSA 3,6
 - S. DECIMINA 3,6
 - S. DUBIA 6
 - S. GREVILLEANA 3,6
 - S. INFLATA 3,6
 - S. NEGLECTA 3
 - S. PARVULA 3
 - S. PROTICALIS 3,11
 - S. VARIANS 5
 - S. WEBERI 3,6
 - S. SP. 1
 - S. SP. 3
 - S. SP. 5
 - S. SP. 9
 - S. SP. 9
 - S. SP. 11
 - ZYGNEMA CRUCIATUM 5
 - Z. CYLINDRICUM 5
 - Z. ERICETORUM 5
 - Z. INSIGNE 3,5,6,11
 - Z. PECTINATUM 3
 - Z. SP. 1
 - Z. SP. 3
 - Z. SP. 9
 - ZYGONOGONIUM SP. 9
 - Z. SP. 10
- MESOTAENIACEAE
 - CYLINDROCYSTIS CONFERTA 5
 - C. SP. 6

- COSMARIUM ANGULOSUM 7
 - C. ANGULOSUM VAR. CONCINNUM 8
 - C. AMOENUM 7
 - C. BIOCULATIM 7,8
 - C. BOECKII 7
 - C. BOTRYTIS 1,6
 - C. BROOMII 6
 - C. CIRCULARE 3,6
 - C. CONNATUM 7
 - C. CONTRACTUM 7
 - C. CONSTRICTUM 3
 - C. COSTATUM 8
 - C. CRENATUM 3,6,8
 - C. CUCUMIS 7
 - C. DENTICULATUM F. BORGEI 7
 - D. DEPRESSUM 6
- C. DIFFICILE 7
 - C. ELEGANTISSIMUM F. MINOR 7
 - C. ELOISIANUM VAR. DEPRESSUM 7
 - C. EXCAVATUM 3,6
 - C. FURCATOSPERMUM 7
 - C. HAMMERI 7
 - C. H. VAR. PROTUBERONS 9
 - C. INTERMEDIUM 3
 - C. ISTHMOCHONDRUM 7
 - C. MARGARITATUM 3,6,8
 - C. MARGARITIFERUM 7,8
 - C. MELANOSPORUM 7
 - C. MENEGHINII 3,7,8
 - C. MONILIFORME 3,6,7
 - C. NITIDULUM 7
 - C. NORVEGICUM 7
 - C. OBTUSATUM 7
 - C. OCHTHODES 3
 - C. ORBICULATUM 6,7
 - C. ORNATUM 6,7
 - C. ORTHOSTICHUM 7
 - C. OVALE 6
 - C. PHASEOLUS 6
 - C. P. VAR. ELEVATUM 7
 - C. PORTELLA 3
 - C. PROTIANUM 7
 - C. PSEUDOCONNATUM 7
 - C. PSEUDAMOENUM 7
 - C. P. VAR. BASILARE 7
 - C. PSEUDOPYRAMINATUM 7
 - C. PUNCTULATUM 8
 - C. PYCNOCHONDRUM 3,6
 - C. PYRAMINDATUM 3,6
 - C. QUADRATULUM 7
 - C. QUADRIFARIUM F. HEXASTICHA 7
 - C. QUINARIUM F. IRREGULARIS 7
 - C. REFUSUM 3,6
 - C. RENIFORME 6

- C. SPECIOSUM 6
- C. SUBCOMINUS 9
- C. SUBCRENATUM 7,8
- C. S. VAR. ISTHMOCHONDRUM 8
- C. SUBEXCAVATUM 7
- C. SUBSPECIOSUM 7
- C. S. VAR. VALIDIUM 8
- C. SUBTURGIDUM F. MINOR 8
- C. SUPRASPECIOSUM 3,6
- C. TETRAPHTHALMUM 3,6
- C. TINCTUM 7
- C. TRACHYPLEURUM VAR. MINUS 7
- C. TUMIDUM 7
- C. TURPINII 8
- C. T. VAR. EXMIUM 8
- C. UNDULATUM 3,6,7
- C. VENUSTUM 7
- C. VIRIDE 7
- C. V. F. GLABRA 7
- C. SP. 7
- C. SP. 7
- C. SP. 7
- C. SP. 7
- C. SP. 7
- C. SP. 7
- C. SP. 5

DESMIDIUM COARCTATUM 7

- D. C. VAR. AMBRICUM 5
- D. CYLINDRICUM 7
- D. QUADRATUM 7
- D. SWARTZII 3,5,6,7
- D. SP. 3

DOCIDIUM BACOLUM 10

EUASTRUM AMERICANUM 3

- E. ANSATUM 3,6,7,8
- E. ABOENSE 7
- E. BIDENTATUM 7,8
- E. BINALE 6
- E. BINALE F. GUTWINSKII 7
- E. CRASSUM 3,7
- E. DENTICULATUM 7
- E. DIDELTA 3,6,7,8
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THE FUNGI

Next to the algae, the largest group of cryptograms known in the Uinta Mountains is the fungi. Nearly 75% of the 233 species of fungi are contributed by the macrofungi (fleshy and cup fungi). The next largest sections are the water and slime molds. There are only a couple of species known in each of the following groups: loculascomycetes, imperfect fungi and rusts and smuts.

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MYCOMYCETES (SLIME MOLDS)

MYXOGASTROMYCETIDAE

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 - P. SP. 5
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 - P. SP. 5
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 - THELEBOLEAE
 - LASIOBOLUS EQUINUS 1
 - L. RUBER 2
- ASCOBOLACEAE
 - ASCOBOLUS FURFURACEUS 2
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- SARCOSOMATACEAE
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 - LEOTIACEAE
 - HYMENOSCYPHOIDEAE
 - HYMENOSCYPHYS CITRINUM 5
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D. SYDOWII 1

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D. SP. 2

D. SP. 2

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MASTIGOMYCOTINA (WATER MOLDS)

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H. BAKERENSIS 1
H. CAMAROPHYLLUS 5
H. CONICUS 1
H. GLIOCYCLUS 1
H. MINATUS 1
H. SUBALPINUS 5
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C. GIBBA 1
C. PSEUDOIRINA 1
C. SQUAMULOSA 1
COLLYBIA ACERUATA 1
C. NILELLINA 1
C. VELUTIPES 1
C. SP. 2
C. SP. 2
C. SP. 5
FLAMMULINA VELUTIPES 2
LENTINELLUS MONTANUS 5
LEUCOPAXILLUS TRICOLOR 1
LYOPHYLLUM MONTANUM 1,2,5
L. SP. 2
L. SP. 2
MARASMIUS MACULATA 1

M. PICETICOLA 1
M. SP. 2
MELANOLEUCA SP. 2
M. SP. 2
MYCENA HAEMATOPUS 1
M. OVERHOLTSII 2,5
M. PURA 2
M. SP. 2
OMPHALINA EPICHYSIUM 2
O. SP. 2
TRICHOLOMA MYOMYCES 1,2
T. SAPONACEAE 2
XEROMPHALINA CAMPANELLA 2,5

ENTOLOMATACEAE
ENTOLOMA SP. 2

AMANITACEAE
AMANITA INAURATA 1

PLUTEACEAE
PLUTEUS CERUINUS 1,2

LEPIOTACEAE
LEPIOTA PRAEMAGNA 1

AGARICACEAE
ARMILLARIN LUTEOVIREN 1
A. MELLEQ 1
A. ZELLERI 1
RHODOPHYLLUS SERICEUS 5

BOLBITIACEAE
AGROCYBE AGERITA 2

STROPHARIACEAE
PHOLIOTA FULVOZONATA 2
P. VERNALIS 2
STROPHARIA AMBIGUA 1
S. HORNEMANNII 1
S. SQUAMOSA 1,2

COPRINACEAE
COPRINUS MICACEUS 2
C. SP. 2
PSATHYRELLA SP. 2

CORTINARIACEAE
CORTINARIUS AHSII 1
C. BIVELUS 2
C. DISTANS 1
C. GENTILLIS 1
C. GLAUCOPUS 1
C. LANIGER 1
C. RAPHANOIDES 2
C. SEMISANGUINEUS 1
C. SP. 5
C. SP. 5
C. SP. 2
C. SP. 2
C. SP. 2
CREPODIDOTUS SP. 2,5
GALERINA AUTUMNALIS 1
GALERINA LATISPIORA 1

	G. SP. 2
	GHYNIPIIUS SAPINEUS 1
	HEBELOMA SINAPIZANS 1
	THAXTEROGASTER PINGUIS (GASTEROID) 1
	TUBARIA SP. 2
	T. SP. 2
PAXILLACEAE	
	PAXILLUS INVOLUTUS 1
RUSSULACEAE	
	RUSSULA BREVIPES 1
	R. EMETICA 1
	R. FRAGILIS 1
	R. XERAMPELINA 1
	LACTARIUS DELICIOSUS 1
	L. PAYETTENSIS 1
	L. REPRAESENTANEUS 1
	L. RUTUS VAR. SEPTENRIONALIS 1
	L. UVIDUS 1
HYMENOGASTRALES	
RHIZOPOGONACEAE	
	RHIZOPOGON RUBESCENS 1
	R. SP. 2
GASTEROMYCETES	
LYCOPERDALES	
GEASTRACEAE	
	GEASTRUM CAMPESTRE 1
	G. FLORIFORME 1
LYCOPERDACEAE	
	BOVISTA PLUMBEA 1
	CALVITIA FUMOSA 1,5
	DISCISEDA SERUINUS 2,5
	LYCOPERDON PELLATUM 1
	L. PYRIFORME 1
	L. UMBRINUM 1
NIDULARIALES	
NIDULARIACEAE	
	CRUCIBULUM VULGARE 5
LICHEN FLORA	

The lichens of the Uinta Mountains are predominately from the order Lecanorales. Only two species outside of this order have been reported. The list of lichens is mainly from the work of S. Flowers and H. A. Imshaug.

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Taxonomy follows that of M. E. Hale, Jr. and W. L. Culberson, 1970 (A fourth checklist of the lichens of the continental United States and Canada. Bryologist 73:499-553. Reprinted 1975.)

EUMYCOTA

ASCOMYCOTINA

DISCOMYCETES (LICHENS)

LECANORALES

PLACYNTHIACEAE

PSOROMA HYPNORUM 1

PELTIGERACEAE

PELTIGERA APHTHOSA 1,4
P. CANINA 1,2

LECIDEACEAE

LECIDEA ATROBRUNNEA 1
L. DECIPIENS 4
L. GLOBEFERA 4
RHIZOCARPON BADIOATRUM 3,4
R. DISPORUM 1
R. GEOGRAPHICUM 1,4

CLADONIACEAE

CLADONIA PYXIDATA 1,2
C. SQUAMOSA 1
C. SYMPHYCARPA 1
C. TURGIDA 1
C. SP. PC

UMBILICARIACEAE

UMBILICARIA VIRGINIS 2,4
U. SP. 4

ACAROSPORACEAE

ACAROSPORA CHLOROPHANUM 4
A. FUSCATA 1

LECANORACEAE

AGRESTIA HISPIDA 4
LECANORA GIBBOSULA 3
L. NOVEMEXICANA 4
L. POLYTROPA 4

CANDELARIACEAE

CANDELARIELLA ARCTICA 3

PARMELIACEAE

CETRARIA CUCULLATA 4
C. TILESII 1,2
HYPOGYMNIA INTESTINIFORMIS 2
PARMELIA CHLOROCHROA 1,4
P. CONSPERA 1
P. LINEOLA 1
P. TARACTICA 2

USNEACEAE

ALECTORIA MINUSCULA 2
 CORNICULARIA ACULEATA 2
 DACTYLINA MADREPORIFORMIS 2
 BUELLIACEAE
 RINODINA NIMBOSA 3,4
 PHYSCIACEAE
 PHYSCONIA MUSCIGENA 2
 TELOSCHISTACEAE
 XANTHORIA ELEGANS 1,3,4
 XANTHORIA SP. 4

PYRENOMYCETES

SPHAERIALES

VERRUCARIACEAE

VERRUCARIA SP. 4

FUNGI IMPERFECTI

LEPRARIA MEMBRANACEA 4

MOSS FLORA

Of the 102 species of mosses listed here, over one-half of them are reported only in the Flaming Gorge study by S. Flowers. The entire list of mosses is a result of the extensive collections of Dr. Seville Flowers.

The references include three of his works.

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The moss taxonomy follows H. A. Crum, W. C. Steere and L. E. Anderson, 1973 (A new list of mosses of North America north of Mexico. Bryologist 76:85-130.)

BRYOPHYTA

MUSCI (MOSES)

SPHAGNIDAE

SPAGNACEAE

SPHAGNUM CAPILLACEUM 1

S. FUSCOM 1

S. WARNSTORFII 1

BRYIDAE

DICRANALES

DICRANACEAE

CERATODON PURPUREUS 1,3

DICRANELLA SCHREBERIANA 1
DICRANOWEISIA CRISPULA 3
DICRANUM SPADICEUM 1
D. SCOPARIUM 1
D. TAURICUM 3
DISTICHUM CAPILLACEUM 1,3
D. C. VAR. CURVATUM 2
D. INCLINATUM 1
PARALEUCOBRYUM ENERVE 1

POTTIALES

POTTIACEAE

BARBULA VINEALIS 3
BRYOERYTHROPHYLLUM RECURVIROSTRUM 3
DESMATODN CERNUS 3
D. HEIMII 3
D. LATIFOLIAS 1
D. LAUREI
D. OBTUSIFOLIUS 3
DIDYMODON TOPHACEUS 3
PTERYGONEURON OVATUM 3
STEGONIA LATIFOLIA VAR. PILIFERA 1
TORTULA MUCRONIFOLIA 3
T. NORVEGICA 3
T. RURALIS 3
T. R. VAR. HIRSUTA 3

ENCALYPTACEAE

ENCALYPTRA CILIATA 1
E. VULGARIS 3

GRIMMIALES

GRIMMIACEAE

GRIMMIA AGASSIZII 1
G. AFFINIS 1
G. ALPICOLA VAR. DUPRETI 3
G. ANODON 3
G. CALYPTRATA 3
G. HARTMANII VAR. ANOMALA 1
G. MONTANA 1
G. PLAGIOPODIA 3
G. TENERRIMA

FUNARIACEAE

FUNARIA HYGROMETRIC 3

EUBRALES

BRYACEAE

BRYUM ARGENTEUM 3
B. BICOLOR 1
B. CAESPITICIUM 3
B. CREBERRIMUM 3
B. GEMMIPARUM 3
B. PALLESCENS 3
B. PSEUDOTRIQUETRUM 3
B. WEIGELII 3
LEPTOBRYUM PYRIFORME 3
POHLIA BULBIFERA L
P. PROLIGERA 1
P. ROTHII 1

- P. WAHLENBERGII 3
- MNTACEAE
 - MNIUM AFFINE 3
 - M. MARGINATUM 3
- BARTRAMIACEAE
 - PHILONOTIS FONTANA 3
 - P. F. PUMILA 3
- TIMMIACEAE
 - TIMMIA BAVARICA 3
- ISOBRYALES
 - FONTINALACEAE
 - FONTINALIS ANTIPYRETICA 1
 - F. ANTIPYRETICA VAR. OREGONENSIS 1
 - F. HYPNOIDES 1
 - F. NEO-MEXICANA 1
 - DICHELYMA FALCATUM 1
 - CLIMACIACEAE
 - CLIMACIUM DENDROIDES 1
 - ORTHOTRICHACEAE
 - ORTHOTRICHUM AFFINE 3
 - O. ANOMALUM 3
 - O. CUPULATUM 3
 - O. HALLII 3
 - O. LAEVIGATUM 3
 - O. M. F. VERMICULARE 2
 - O. RUPESTRE 3
 - O. STRANGULATUM 3
- HYPNOBRALES
 - LESKEACEAE
 - LESCURAEA RADICOSA VAR. PALLIDA 1
 - L. INCURVATA TENUIRETIS 3
 - PSEUDOLESKEELA TECTORUM 3
 - AMBLYSTEGIACEAE
 - AMBLYSTEGIUM JURATSKANUM 3
 - A. VARIUM 3
 - CALLIERGON CORDIFOLIUM 1
 - C. STRAMINEUM 1
 - CAMPYLIUM CHRYSOPHYLLUM 1
 - C. POLYGAMUM 1
 - CRATONEURON FILICINUM 3
 - DREPANOCLADUS ADUNCUS 3
 - D. UNCINATUS 3
 - HYGROAMBLYSTEGIUM TENAX VAR. SPINIFOLIUM 3
 - HYGROHYPNUM OCHRACEUM VAR. FLACCIDUM 1
 - H. SMITHII 1
 - LEPTODICTYUM TRICHOPODIUM 3
 - SCORPIDIUM TRUGESCENS 1
 - BRACHYTHECIACEAE
 - BRACHYTHECIUM COLLINUM 3
 - B. RIVULARE 3
 - B. VELUTINUM 3
 - B. V. VAR. VENUSTUM 3
 - RHYNCHOSTEGIELLA COMPACTA 3
 - TOMENTHYPNUM NITENS 1
 - PLAGIOTHECIACEAE

- PLAGIOTHECTUM DENTICULATUM 1
- HYDNACEAE
 - HYDNUM LINGERCII 1
 - H. PRATENSE 1
 - H. REVOLUTUM 3
 - H. VAUCHERI 3
 - ISOPTERYGIUM PULCHELLUM 1
 - ORTHOTHECIUM DIMINUTIVUM 1
- POLYTROCHALES
 - POLYTRICHACEAE
 - POLYTRICHUM PILIFERUM 1

LIVERWORT FLORA

The liverworts known from the Uinta mountains are reported by Dr.

S. Flowers in two works.

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Taxonomy follows H. S. Conrad, 1956 (The mosses and liverworts, Wm.

C. Brown Co. Publishers, Dubuque, Iowa.)

BRYOPHYTA

HEPATICAE (LIVERWORTS)

MARCHANTIALES

RICCIACEAE

- RICCIA BEYRICHIANA 1
- R. GLAUCA 1

MARCHANTIACEAE

- CLEVEA HYALINA 1
- CONOCEPHALUM CONICUM 2
- C. SP. 1
- MARCHANTIA POLYMORPHA 2
- PREISSIA QUADRATA 2
- P. SP. 1

JUNGERMANNIALES

METZGERIACEAE

- RICCARDIA PINGUIS 1,2
- PELLIA APIPHYLLA 1
- P. NEESIANA 1,2

JUNGERMANNIACEAE

- BLEPHAROSTOMA TRICHOPHYLLUM 1
- CALYPOGEIA TRICHOMANIS 1
- CEPHALOZIA BICUSPIDATA 1
- C. MEDIA 1
- C. PLENICEPS 1
- CHILOSCYPHUS GEMMIPARUS 1

C. PALLESCENS 1
C. POLYANTHUS 1
C. RIVULARIS 1
JUNGERMANNIA PUMILA 1
 J. P. VAR. RIVULARIS 2
LOPHOCOLEA MINOR 1
LOPHOZIA ALPESTRIS 1
 L. BANTRIENSIS 1
 L. HATCHERI 1
 L. HETEROCOLPA 1
 L. INCISA 1
 L. LYCOPODIOIDES 1
 L. PORPHYROLEUCA 1,2
 L. VENTRICOSA 1
RADULA COMPLANATA 1
 S. CURTA 1
 S. SUBALPINA 1
SCAPANIA UNDULATA 1
 S. U. VAR. OAKSEI 1

APPENDIX B

CHECKLIST OF THE
VASCULAR PLANTS OF THE
UINTA MOUNTAINS, UTAH

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In this compilation, all known publications dealing with the taxonomy of the vascular flora of the Uinta Mountains have been searched. In addition, many unpublished collections made by Dr. Stanley L. Welsh are cited. I acknowledge with gratitude my debt to Mr. Sherel Goodrich of the U.S. Forest Service who prepared the initial checklist on which this expanded list is based. His original list included about 850 taxa: the present list has been expanded to 1047 species and 373 genera.

The families of vascular plants are arranged phylogenetically. Genera and species within a genus are arranged alphabetically following the family. Following each species name, one to several numbers occur: These designate the source of my information concerning the species in the Uinta Mountains. The numbers refer to the following references:

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Nomenclature follows Holmgren and Reveal (1966, Checklist of the Vascular Plants of the Intermountain Region. U.S. Forest Service Research Paper INT 32) in most cases. Species not listed by them follow the nomenclature of Harrington (1964, Manual of the Plants of Colorado, Sage Books, Denver).

Fourteen taxa of the Uinta Mountains appear on the endangered, threatened, extinct, rare or restricted list for Utah (Welsh, S. L., N. D. Atwood, and J. L. Reveal, 1975. Endangered, threatened, extinct, endemic, and rare or restricted Utah vascular plants. Great Basin Naturalist 35: 327-376). The following taxa and their status is taken from Welsh et al. 1975.

- Botrychium boreale var. obtusilobum: rare, possibly threatened.
Castilleja leonardi: endemic to Utah, locally common and neither threatened or endangered.
Cryptantha stricta: rare, neither threatened or endangered.
Cypripedium fasciculatum: rare and endangered; widespread throughout the Northwest U.S.
Elaeagnus commutata: restricted, local and possibly extirpated in Utah.
Gilia stenothyrsa: endemic, common and neither threatened nor endangered.
Helictotrichon mortonianum: rare and endangered.
Hermidium alipes var. pallidum: endemic, rare and endangered.
Lesquerella utahensis: endemic, rare to locally common.
Mertensia viridis var. cana: rare and restricted, possibly threatened.
Mertensia viridis var. dilatata: rare, known only from type specimen.
Parrya rydbergii: endemic, rare and threatened.
Penstemon acaulis: restricted, rare and threatened.
Penstemon leonardii: endemic, not threatened or endangered.
Penstemon uintahensis: endemic, rare, restricted and threatened.

DIVISION PTERIDOPHYTA

OPHIOGLOSSACEAE

BOTRYCHIUM
BOREALE 7
LUNARIA 7

POLYPODIACEAE

ATHYRIUM
FILIX-FOEMINA 7
CHEILANTHES
FEEI 8
CRYPTOGRAMMA
ACROSTICHOIDES 1,2,7
CYSTOPTERIS
FRAGILIS 1,2,7
PELLAEA
BREWERI 7
POLYSTICHUM
LONGHITIS 7
PTERIDIUM
AQUILINUM 1,2
WOODSIA
OREGANA 2
SCOPULINA 2,7

EQUISETACEAE

EQUISETUM
ARVENSE 1,2,7
HYEMALE 1,2
KANSANUM 7
LAEVIGATUM 2,7

ISOETACEAE

ISOETES
BOLANDERI 5,7
HOWELLII 6
MURICATA 5

SELAGINELLACEAE

SELAGINELLA
DENSE 2,7
MUTICA 8
WATSONI 2,7

DIVISION SPERMATOPHYTA

SUBDIVISION GYMNOSPERMAE

PINACEAE

ABIES
CONCOLOR 1,2
LASIOCARPA 1,2
PICEA
ENGELMANNII 1,2
PUNGENS 1,2
PINUS
CONTORTA 1,2
EDULIS 1,2
FLEXILIS 1,2,6
LONGAEVA 1

PONDEROSA 1,2
PSEUDOTSUGA
MENZIESII 1,2
CUPRESSACEAE
JUNIPERUS
COMMUNIS 1,2,6
OSTEOSPERMA 1
SCOPULORUM 1,2
EPHEDRACEAE
EPHEDRA
NEVADENSIS 1
VIRIDIS 1
SUBDIVISION ANGIOSPERMAE
CLASS MONOCOTLYLEDONEAE
TYPHACEAE
TYPHA
LATIFOLIA 1
SPARGANIACEAE
SPARGANIUM
ANGUSTIFOLIUM 1,2,5
MINIMUM 2,4,5
MULTIPEDUNCULATUM 1,5
POTAMOGETONACEAE
POTAMOGETON
ALPINUS 1
AMERICANA 2
FILIFORMIS 1,6
FOLIOSUS 9
GRAMINEUS 6
NODOSUS 9
NUTANS 1
PECTINATUS 8,9
PUSILLUS 9
JUNCAGINACEAE
TRIGLOCHIN
MARITIMA 1
PALUSTRIS 1,6
ALISMACEAE
SAGITARIA
CUNEATA 9
ALISMA
TRIVIALE 9
GRAMINEAE
SUBFAMILY FESTUCOIDEAE
TRIBE FESTACEAE
BROMUS
ANOMALUS 1,2,4
CARINATUS 1
CILIATUS 1,2,4
INERMIS 1,2
POLYANTHUS 1,4
TECTORUM 1
CATABROSA

AQUATICA 1,2,6
DACTYLIS
 GLOMERATA 1
DISTICHILIS
 SPICATA 1,4
FESTUCA
 ARUNDINACEA 1
 IDAHOENSIS 1
 OCTOFLORA 1,4
 OVINA 1,2,4,5,6
 BRACHYPHYLLA
 OVINA
 RUBRA 1,4
 THURBERI 1,4
GLYCERIA
 BOREALIS 1,2
 ELATA 2
 GRANDIS 1
 PAUCIFLORA 5
 STRIATA 1
HESPEROCHLOA
 KINGII 1,2,4
MELICA
 BULBOSA 1,4
PHRAGMITES
 COMMUNIS 4
POA
 ALPINA 1,2,4,6
 AMPLA 1
 ANNUA 1
 ARIDA 4
 BULBOSA 1
 CANBYI 1,4
 COMPRESSA 1
 CURTA 1,2
 CUSICKII 1,6
 EPILIS 1,2,4
 FENDLERIANA 1,4
 GRACILLIMA 1,4
 INTERIOR 1,2
 JUNCIFLORA 1
 LEPTOCOMA 4
 NERVOSA 2,4,5,6
 NEVADENSIS 1
 PALUSTRIS 1,2
 PRATENSIS 1,4
 REFLEXA 1,2,5
 RUPICOLA 1
 SANDBERGII 1,2,4,6
PUCCINELLIA
 AIROIDES 1
 DISTANS 1
 PAUCIFLORA 1,2

SCHIZACHNE
PURPURASCENS 1
TRIBE HORDEAE
AGROPYRON
CRISTATUM 1
DASYSTACHYUM 1,2,4
GRIFFITHSII 1
INTERMEDIUM 1
PSEUDOREPENS 4
REPENS 1
RIPARIUM 1
SAXICOLA 2
SCRIBNER 1
SMITHII 1,4
SPICATUM 1,2
SUBSECUNDUM 1,2,4,6
TRACHYCAULUM 1,6
TRICHOPHORUM 1
ELYMUS
CANADENSIS 4
CINEREUS 1,4
GLAUCUS 1,2,4
MACOUNII 1
SALINA 1
HORDEUM
BRACHYANTHERUM 1,4
JUBATUM 1,4
SITANION
HYSTRIX 1,2,4,5
TRIBE AVENEAE
ARRHENATHERUM
ELATIUS 1
DANTHONIA
CALIFORNICA 1,2
INTERMEDIA 1,2,4,5
UNISPICATA 1
DESCHAMPSIA
CAESPITOSA 1,2,4,5,6
ELONGATA 1,4
HELICTOTRICHON
MORTONIANUM 3,4
KOELERIA
CRISTATA 1,2,4
TRisetum
MONTANUM 4
SPICATUM 1,2,4,5,6
WOLFII 1,2,4,5
TRIBE AGROSTIDEAE
AGROSTIS
BOREALIS 4,5
EXARATA 1,2,4
HUMILIS 1
IDAHOENSIS 1
PALUSTRIS 1

- SCABRA 1,2,6
- THURBERI 2,5
- VARIABILIS 1,2,5
- ALOPECURUS
 - ALPINUS 1,2
 - AEQUALIS 1,2,4,5
 - PRATENSIS 1
- ARISTIDA
 - FENDLERIANA 1
 - LONGISETA 1
- BLEPHARONEURON
 - TRICHOLEPIS 1
- CALAMAGROSTIS
 - CANADENSIS 1,2,4,5,6
 - INEXPANSA 1,4
 - NEGLECTA 1
 - PURPURASCENS 1,2,6
 - SCOPULORUM 1,2
- MUHLENBERGIA
 - ANDINA 4
 - ASPERIFOLIA 1
 - FILIFORMIS 1,4,5
 - RACEMOSA 1,4
 - RICHARDSONIS 1,4
- ORYZOPSIS
 - ASPERIFOLIA 1
 - EXIGUA 1
 - HYMENOIDES 1,4
 - MICRANTHA 1
- PHLEUM
 - ALPINUM 1,2,4,5,6
 - PRATENSE 1,4
- SPOROBOLUS
 - AIROIDES 1,4
 - CYPTANDRUS 1
- STIPA
 - COLUMBIANA 1,2
 - COMATA 1,4
 - LETTERMANNI 1,4
 - SCRIBNERI 4
- TRIBE ZOYSIEAE
 - HILARIA
 - JAMESII 1
- TRIBE CHLORIDEAE
 - BECKMANNIA
 - SYZIGACHNE 4,5
 - BOUTELOUA
 - GRACILIS 1
 - SPARTINA
 - GRACILIS 4
- TRIBE PHALARIDEAE
 - HIEROCHLOE
 - ODORATA 1,2,4,5

PHALARIS
ARUNDINACEA 1
SUBFAMILY PANICOIDEAE
TRIBE PANICEAE
ECHINOCHLOA
CRUSGALLI 1
CYPERACEAE
CAREX
ABLATA 3
ALBO-NIGRA 1,3
ANGUSTIOR 1,3,5
AQUATILIS 1,3,5
ATHROSTACHYA 1,3
ATRATA 3,5
ATROQUAMA 1
AUREA 1,3,5,6
BELLA 1,3
BIGELOWII 3
BIPARTITA 3
BREVIPIES 1
BRUNESCENS 1,3,5
BUXBAUMII 1
CANESCENS 1,3,5
CAPILLARIS 1,3
CAPITATA 3
CHALCIOLEPIS 3
DISPERMA 1,3,5
DOUGLASII 1,3
DRUMMONDIANA 1,3
EBENA 1,3
EGGLESTONII 1,3
ELEOCHARIS 1,3
ELYNOIDES 1,3
ENGELMANNII 1
EPAPILLOSA 1,3
FESTIVELLA 1,3
FOENEA 1
GEYERI 1,3
HASSEI 3
HAYDENIANA 1,3
HEPBURNII 1,3
HETERONEURA 1
HOODII 1,3
ILLOTA 1,3,5
INTERIOR 1,3
KELLOGII 1,3,5
LANUGINOSA 1,3,5
LASIOCARPA 1
LEPORINELLA 1,3
LEPTALEA 1
LIMOSA 1,3
MEDIA 1,3
MICROPTERA 1,3,5,6

- MISANDRA 1,3
- NEBRASKENSIS 1,3
- NELSONII 1,3
- NOVA 1,3,5
- NIGRICANS 1,3,5,6
- OBTUSATA 1,3
- OCCIDENTALIS 1,3
- PACHYSTACHYA 1
- PAUPERCULA 1,3,5
- PELOCARPA 1,3
- PETASATA 1,3
- PHAEOCEPHALA 1,3
- PHYSOCARPA 1,3,5
- PRAECEPTORUM 3
- PRAEGRACILIS 1,3
- PRATICOLA 1,3
- PSEUDOSCRIPOIDES 1,3,5
- PYRENAICA 3
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- LENTIBULARIACEAE
 - UTRICULARIA
 - MINOR 9
 - VULGARIS 9
- OROBANCHIACEAE
 - OROBANCHE
 - FASCICULATA 1,2
 - LUDOVICIANA 2
 - UNIFLORA 5
- PLANTAGINACEAE
 - PLANTAGO
 - ERIOPODA 1
 - MAJOR 1
 - PATAGONICA 1
 - TWEEDYI 1
- RUBIACEAE
 - GALIUM
 - APARINE 1
 - BIFLORUM 2
 - BOREALE 1,2,6
 - TRIFIDUM 1,2
 - TRIFLORUM 2
- CAPRIFOLIACEAE
 - LINNEAE
 - BOREALIS 1
 - LONICERA
 - INVOLUCRATA 1,2,5,6
 - UTAHENSIS 1,2
 - SAMBUCUS
 - CERULEA 1,2,6
 - RACEMOSA 1,2,6
 - SYMPHORICARPOS
 - ALBUS 1
 - OREOPHILUS 1,6
- VALERIANACEAE
 - VALERIANA
 - CAPITATA 6
 - EDULIS 1,2
 - OCCIDENTALIS 1,6
- CAMPANULACEAE
 - CAMPANULA
 - ROTUNDIFOLIA 1,2,5,6
 - PARRYI 1
 - UNIFLORA 1,2

COMPOSITAE

PORTIERELLA
CARNOSULA 6
ACHILLEA
MILLEFOLIUM 1,2,5
AGOSERIA
AURANTIACA 1
GLAUCA 1,2,6
 Var. GLAUCA 1
 LACINIATA 1
 MONTICOLA 1
AMBROSIA
ARTEMISIIFOLIA 1
ANAPHALIS
MARGARITACEA 1,6
ANTENNARIA
ALPINA 1
ANAPHALOIDES 2,6
CORYMBOSA 1,2,5
DIMORPHA 2
PARVIFLOIA 1,2
ROSEA 1,2,6
UMBRINELLA 2,6
ARCTIUM
MINUS 1
ARNICA
CHAMISSONIS 1,6
CORDIFOLIA 1,2,6
FULGENS 1
LATIFOLIA 1,2
MOLLIS 1,2,5,6
PARRYI 1,2
PUMILA 2
RYDBERGII 1,6
SORORIA 2
ARTEMISIA
ARBUSCULA 1,6
BIENNIS 1
CAMPESTRIS 1
CANA 1,6
DRACUNCULUS 1,2,6
FRIGIDA 1,2,6
LUDOVICIANA 1,6
MICHAUXIANA 2
SCOPULORUM 1,2
TRIDENTATA 1,2,6
ASTER
ALPIGENUS 2
BRACHYACTIS 1
CHILENSIS 1,6
COMMUTATUS 6

EATONII 6
ENGELMANNII 1,6
FOLIACEUS 1,5,6
GLAUCODES 1,2,6
HESPERIUS 1,6
INTEGRIFOLIUS 1
OCCIDENTALIS 1
PERELEGANS 1
BAHIA
DISSECTA 6
BALSAMORHIZA
HOOKERI 1
SAGITTATA 1,2
BRICKELLIA
CALIFORNICA 1
GRANDIFLORA 2
OBLONGIFOLIA 2
CARDUUS
NUTANS 1,6
CENTAUREA
CHEANACTIS
ALPINA 1,2
DOUGLASII 1,2
STEVIOIDES 8
CHRYSOPSIS
VILLOSA 1,6
CHRYSOTHAMNUS
GREENII 2
NAUSEOSUS 1,6
PARRYI 2,6
VISCIDIFLORUS 1,2,6
CIRSIIUM
ACRVENSE 1
EATONI 2,6
PULCHELLUM 2
POLYPHYLLUM 2
SCARIOSUM 1,2
SUBNIVEM 2
UNDULATUM 6
VULGARE 1
CONYZA
CANADENSIS 1
CREPIS
ACUMINATA 1
ATRABARBA 1
INTERMEDIA 2
MODOCENSIS 1
OCCIDENTALIS 2
ERIGERON
ACRIS 2
APHANACTIS 1

CAESPITOSUS 1
COMPOSITUS 1,2,6
CONCINNUS 1
DIVERGENS 1,2
EATONII 1,2
ENGELMANNII 1,2,6
FLAGELLARIS 1,2
GLABELLUS 1,2
LEIOMERUS 1,2,6
LONCHOPHYLLUS 1,2,6
PEREGRINUS 1,5,6
PUMILUS 1,2
SIMPLEX 1,2
SPECIOSUS 1,2,6
SUBTRINERVIS 1,2
SUPERBUS 1
URSINUS 1,2,6
FRANSCRIA
ACANTHICARPA 8
GAILLARDIA
ARISTATA 1,2,6
PINNATIFIDA 8
GNAPHALIUM
PALUSTRE 1
GRINDELIA
SQUARROSA 1,6
GUTIERREZIA
SAROTHRAE 1,6
HAPLOPAPPUS
ACAULIS 1
ARMERIOIDES 1
MACRONEMA 1
PARRYI 1,6
SUFFRUTICOSUS 2
UNIFLORUS 1
HELENIMUM
HOOPSII 6
HELIANTHELLA
MICROCEPHALA 6
QUINQUENERVIS 1,2
UNIFLORA 1,2
HELIANTHUS
ANNUS 1
NUTTALLII 2
HIERACIUM
ALBIFLORUM 1,6
FENDLERI 1
GRACILE 1,5,6
SCOULERT 1
HYMENOPAPPUS
FILIFOLIUS 1,6

HYMENOXYIS

ACAULIS 1
GRANDIFLORA 1,2
RICHARDSONII 1

IVA

AXILLARIS 1
XANTHIFOLIA 1

LACTUCA

PULCHELLA 1
SERRIOLA 1

LEUCELENE

ERICOIDES 1

LYGODESMIA

GRANDIFLORA 1

MACHAERANTHERA

CANESCENS 1,6
COMMIXTA 6
GRINDELIOIDES 6
LAETEVIRENS 1

MADIA

GLOMERATA 1

MALOCOTHRIX

TORREYI 1

MICROSERIS

NUTANS 1,2

PETRADORIA

PUMILA 1

RUDBECKIA

OCCIDENTALIS 1,2

SENECIO

ATRATUS 1,2
CANUS 1,2
CRASSULUS 1,6
CYMBALARIOIDES 2,5,6
EREMOPHILUS 1,2,5,6
DIMORPHYLLUS 1
FENDLERI 6
FREMONTII 1,2
HYDROPHILUS 1
INTEGERRIMUS 1,2,6
MULTILOBATUS 1,6
PSEUDAUREUS 1
SERRA 1,2,6
SPARTIOIDES 1,6
SPHAEROCEPHALUS 6
TRIANGULARIS 1,2,5,6
WERNERIAEFOLIUS 1

SOLIDAGO

CANADENSIS 1,2,6
MULTIRADIATA 1,5,6

NANA 2
PARRYI 2
SPATULATA 1,2,6
SONCHUS
ARVENSIS 1
STEPHANOMERIA
TENUIFOLIA 1,2
TANACETUM
NUTTALLII 1,3
TARAXACUM
LYRATUM 3
OFFICINALE 1,6
TETRADYMIA
AXILLARIS 1
CANESCENS 1,6
SPINOSA 1
TOWNSENDIA
EXSCAPA 8
INCANA 1
MONTANA 2
TRAGOPOGON
DUBIUS 1
VIGUIERA
MULTIFLORA 1,2
WYETHIA
AMPLEXIEAULIS 2
SCABRA

APPENDIX C

CHECKLIST OF THE
INVERTEBRATE ANIMALS
OF THE UINTA
MOUNTAINS, UTAH

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INTRODUCTION

The invertebrates of the Uinta Mountains have been little studied and are thus poorly known. Economic considerations have resulted in the insects being better known than any other invertebrate group, but even in that group probable less than a third of the species have been collected and reported. The listings that follow are grossly incomplete, but adequate lists are not known to me.

Nematodes, segmented worms and insects are likely to be the invertebrates having the greatest significance for man in this area. The nematodes probably have a deleterious effect on most plant and animal species at one time or another. The segmented worms exert a desirable effect on soils through their impact on soil mixing and incorporation of organic matter into the soil body. Their influence is most important on moist alluvial soils, soils underlying deciduous trees and shrubs, and soils of the better watered sagebrush communities. The bark beetle (Dendroctonus monticolae - family Scolytidae) through its lethal attacks on lodgepole pine may exert a greater economic impact on Uinta Mountain ecosystems than all other invertebrates combined.

SUMMARY OF INVERTEBRATE SPECIES KNOWN

FROM THE UINTA MOUNTAINS

<u>Animal Group</u>	<u>No. of Species Known</u>
Fresh Water Sponges	2
Flat Worms	1
Rotifers	4
Nematodes	1
Gastropods	21
Pelecypods	1
Segmented Worms	4
Crustaceans	17
Ticks, Spiders, and Allies	9
Insects	<u>273</u>
Total	333

The list of invertebrate animals that appears below has been compiled from the following list of publications.

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INVERTEBRATES OF THE UINTA MOUNTAINS

- Porifera (Sponges)
Spongilla lacustris
Fredericella saltana
- Platyhelminthes (Flatworms)
Turbellaria Sp.
Aschelminthes
- Rotifera (Rotifers)
Anarara cochlearis
Polyarthra platyptera
Conochilus unicornis
Notops sp.
- Menatoda (Nematodes)
Heterodera raditicola
- Mollusca (Mollusks)
Gastropoda (Snails)
Musculium uintaense
Plysella ampullacea
Planorbis vermicularis
Oreohelix strigosa
Gonyodiscus shimeki
Pisidium marci
Vallonia gracilicosta
Microphysula ingersolli
Pupilla blandi

- Vitrina alaskana
- Euconulus fulvus
- Zonitoides arborea
- Punctum pygmaeum
- Stagnicola palustris
- Fossaria obrussa
- Gyraulus parvus
- Physella ampullacea
- Paludestrina longinqua
- Valvata humeralis
- Physa sp.
- Lymnaeidae (not identified to genus)
- Pelecypoda (Bivalved Mollusks)
- Pisidium sp.
- Annelida (Segmented Worms)
- Oligochaeta (Earthworms)
- Lumbricus terrestris
- Enchytraeus sp.
- Hirudinea (Leeches)
- Piscicola sp.
- Oligobdella biannulate
- Arthropoda (Jointed-Footed Animals)
- Crustacea (Water Fleas, etc.)
- Branchinecta coloradensis
- Sida crystallin
- Holopedium gibberum
- Daphnia pulex
- D. longispina
- Scapholeplinia mucronata
- Ceriodaphnia sp.
- Eurycereus lamellatus
- Alona affinis
- Polyphemus pediculus
- Diaptomus shoshone
- D. sp.
- Cyclops sp.
- Gammarus limnaeus
- Ostracoda (Ostracods)
- Genus unknown
- Amphipoda (Amphipods)
- Hyalrella sp.
- Gammarus sp
- Acarina (Mites and Ticks)
- Ornithodoros aquilae
- O. parperi
- Dermacentor andersoni
- Haemaphysalis leporis-palustris
- Ixodes sp.
- Ischyropoda armatus
- Haemolaelaps glasgowi
- Eubrachylaelaps circularis
- Whartonia perplexa
- Ephemeroptera (Mayflies)
- Siphonotus occidentalis

Ameletus sp.
A. chloraps
Caenis sp.
Centroptilum sp.
Isonychia sicca
Lachania powelli
Heptagenia elegantula
H. sp.
Cinygmula par
C. sp.
Rhithrogena undulata
R. hageni
Epeorus longimanus
E. albertae
Pseudiron sp.
Anepeorus rusticus
Ametropus albrighti
Callibactis doddsi
C. fuscus
C. nigrinus
C. sp.
Bactis tricaudatus
B. intermedius
B. bicaudatus
B. insignificans
B. sp.
Brachycercus sp.
Tricorythodes minutus
T. sp.
Ephemerella inermis
E. doddsi
E. tibialis
E. grandis
Leptophlebia gravastella
Paraleptophelbia pallipes
P. sp.
Choroterpes albiannulata
Traverella albertana
Hexagenia limbata
Ephemera simulans
Ephoron album
Pentagenia sp.
Odonata (Dragonflies)
Ophiogomphys severus
Gomphys intricatus
Aeshna interrupta
A. palmata
Libellula pulchella
L. quadrimaculata
Sympetrum corruptum
S. danae
S. occidentale
S. madidum
S. pallipes

S. rubicundulum

S. sp.

Argia sp.

Plecoptera (Stoneflies)

Pteronarcys californica

Pteronarcella badia

Nemoura californica

N. venusta

N. basametsa

N. cinctipes

Paraleuctra sara

Perlomyia utahensis

Capnia confusa

C. glabra

C. gracilaria

C. nana

C. uintahi

C. logana

C. lemoniana

Eucapnopsis brevicauda

Brachyptera pacifica

Arcynopteryx signata

A. parallela

Isogenus aestivalis

I. modestus

Diura knowltoni

Isoperla ebria

I. fulva

I. patricia

I. pinta

Paraperla frontalis

Utaperla sopladora

Alloperla severa

A. pallidula

A. borealis

A. coloradensis

A. lamba

A. signata

A. pintada

Acroneuria pacifica

Claassenia sabulosa

Perlesta sp.

Orthoptera (Grasshoppers, crickets, and allies)

Dissosteira carolina

Melanoplus femur-rubrum

M. bivittatus

Anabrus simplex

Nemobius fasciatus

Stenopelmatus fasciatus

Anoplura (True lice)

Hoplopleura hesperomydis

Neohaematopinus inornatus

Polyplax auricularis

Hemiptera (Bugs)

Gerridae (genus unknown)
Notonectidae (genus unknown)
Naucoridae
 Ambrysus
Corixidae
 Megaloptera corydalus
M. Sialidae
Homoptera (Cicadas, aphids, and allies)
 Ceresa bubalus
 Aphididae
 Cicada sp.
 Philaenus sp.
Coleoptera (Beetles)
 Cicindela limbalis
 C. repanda
 Omus californicus
 Chlaenius sericeus
 Megasattus erosus
 Chilocorus stigma
 Coccinella transversoguttata
 Dendroctonus monticolae
 Helodidae (genus unknown)
 Heleroceridae (genus unknown)
 Chrysomelidae (genus unknown)
 Elmidae (genus unknown)
 Dryopidae (genus unknown)
 Hydracnidae (genus unknown)
 Hydrophilidae (genus unknown)
 Hippodamia convergens
 Phyllophaga fervida
 Batyleoma suturale
 B. sp.
 Prionus californians
 Tetraopes femoratus
 Haliplidae (genus unknown)
 Dytiscidae (genus unknown)
 Gyrinidae (genus unknown)
Trichoptera (Caddisflies)
 Cheumatopsyche sp.
 Hydropsyche sp.
 Agraylea sp.
 Hydroptila sp.
 Leptocerus sp.
 Leptocella sp.
 Brachycentrus sp.
 Neuronia sp.
 Glossosoma sp.
 G. sp.
Lepidoptera (Butterflies and moths)
 Aglais antiopa
 Papilio rutulus
 Peiris protodice
 Vanessa carye

Zerene eurydice

Pyralidae (genus unknown)

Diptera (Two-winged flies)

Aedes dorsalis

A. campestris

A. melanimon

A. nigromaculis

A. spencerii

A. vexans

Nephrotoma erythrophrys

N. ferrupinea

Tipula sp.

Chrysops carbonaria

C. discalis

C. fulvaster

Tabanus aegrotus

T. punetifer

Anthomyiidae (genus unknown)

Empididae (genus unknown)

Rhagionidae (genus unknown)

Stratiomyidae (genus unknown)

Ceratopogonidae (genus unknown)

Chironomidae (genus unknown)

Simuliidae

Asilus sp.

Cyrtopogon sp.

Dasyllis sp.

Hybomitra rhombica

H. tetrica

Mallophora sp.

Promachus sp.

Dolichopus sp.

Peckia sp.

Baccha sp.

Syritta sp.

Eurycephala sp.

Calliphora sp.

Lucilia illustris

Neobellier sp.

Ravinia sp.

Sarocophaga bullata

S. sp.

Fabriciella spinosa

Drymeia sp.

Hylemyia cilicrura

H. sp.

Blephariceridae (genus unknown)

Psychodidae (genus unknown)

Culicidae (genus unknown)

Siphonaptera (Fleas)

Monopsyllus sp.

M. wagneri

Opisocrostis labis

Orchopeas sp.
O. sexdentatus
Callistopsyllus terinus
C. sp.
Catallagia decipiens
Cediopsylla inaequalis
Hymenoptera (Bees, wasps, and allies)
Tenthredinidae (genus unknown)
Siricidae (genus unknown)
Ichneumonidae (genus unknown)
Ophioninae (genus unknown)
Braconidae (genus unknown)
Cynipidae (genus unknown)
Chalcididae (genus unknown)
Torymidae (genus unknown)
Eurytomidae (genus unknown)
Formicidae (genus unknown)
Chrysididae (genus unknown)
Nyssonidae
Tachysphex sp.
Philanthidae (genus unknown)
Pemphredonidae
Trypoxylon sp.
Sphex sp.
Sceliphron sp.
Amnophila sp.
Sphecinae (genus unknown)
Crabronidae (genus unknown)
Dimorphidae (genus unknown)
Alyssonidae (genus unknown)
Mutillidae (genus unknown)
Tiphidae (genus unknown)
Eumenidae (genus unknown)
Psammocharidae (genus unknown)
Vespidae
Colletes sp.
Halictus sp.
Agapostemon sp.
Lasioglossum sp.
Perdita sp.
Diadasia sp.
Anthophora sp.
Hemisia sp.
Tetralonia sp.
Nomada sp.
Nomadopsis sp.
Megachile sp.
Coelioxys sp.
Hesperapis sp.
Heriades sp.
Apis sp.
Bombus sp.
Myrmica lobicornis

M. brevispinosa
M. brevinodis
M. scabrinodis
Pogonomyrmex occidentalis
Pheidole pilifera
Monomorium minimum
Solenopsis molesta
Leptothorax canadensis
Porymyrmex pyramicus
Tapinoma sessile
Campanotus vicinus
C. herculeanus
C. pennsylvanicus
Lasius americanus
L. niger
L. fавus
L. umbratus
Formica fusca
F. neorufibarbis
F. neoclara
F. altipetens
F. obscuripes
F. puberula
F. perpilosa
F. neogagates

APPENDIX D

CHECKLIST OF THE FISHES
OF
THE UINTA MOUNTAINS, UTAH

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This list of species of fishes reported from the Uinta Mountain region was compiled from the following references:

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- 3) Tanner, V. M. 1936. A study of the fishes of Utah. Utah Acad. Sci., Arts, and Letters 13:155-183.

Numbers appearing after each species correspond to these references and indicate the source of information for that particular species. Taxonomy follows that used in Sigler and Miller (1963).

Of the twenty two species reported, nine of them have been introduced into Utah waters. The Utah cutthroat trout was native to this area, but through hybridization the original species is probably extinct. Two resultant subspecies, Salmo clarki and S. pleuritecus, are present in the streams of the Uinta Mountains. Currently, S. pleuriticus is being managed in some streams to preserve its identity, since it frequently hybridizes with S. gairdneri (rainbow trout).

FISHES OF THE UINTA MOUNTAINS

SALMONIDAE (Trout)

Oncorhynchus nerka (Kokanee) 1. Introduced to Utah from Washington in 1922.

Prosopium williamsoni (Rocky Mountain Whitefish) 2,3

Salmo aguabonita (Golden Trout) 1. Introduced from California.

S. clarki (Cutthroat trout) 1,2,3

S. gairdneri (Rainbow trout) 1,2,3

S. pleuriticus (Colorado cutthroat) 3

S. trutta (Brown trout) 2. Introduced to United States in 1883.

Salvelinus fontinalis (Brook trout) 1,3. Introduced from eastern U.S.A. at unknown but historic date.

Thymallus arcticus (Arctic grayling) 1. Introduced in 1899.

CATOSTOMIDAE (Sucker)

Catostomus latipinnis (Flannelmouth sucker) 2

Pantosteus delphinus (Bluehead sucker) 2

Xyrauchen texanus (Humpback sucker) 2,3

CYPRINIDAE (Minnow)

Cyprinus carpio (Carp) 2,3. Introduced to Utah in 1881.

Gila cypha (Humpback chub) 2

G. robusta (Bonytail) 2,3

Pimephales promelas (Fathead minnow) 2

Ptychocheilus lucius (Colorado squawfish) 1,2,3

Rhinoichthys osculus (Speckled Dace) 1,2

Richardonius balteatus (Redside shiner) 1,2,3. Introduced prior to 1950.

ICTALUEIDAE (Catfishes)

Ictalurus melas (Black bullhead) 2. Introduced from Mississippi drainage.

I. punctatus (Channel catfish) 2,3. Introduced to Utah in 1888.

COTTIDAE (Sculpins)

Cottus bairdi (Colorado mottled sculpin) 2

APPENDIX E

CHECKLIST OF THE AMPHIBIANS AND REPTILES
OF
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SCAPHIOPODIIDAE:

Scaphiopus hammondi (Great Basin spadefoot) 2,3,4,5
S. intermountainus (Great Basin spadefoot) 7

BUTONIDAE

Bufo boreas (Boreal toad) 1,2,3,6
B. woodhousei (Rocky mountain toad) 2,3,5

HYLIDAE

Pseudacris nigrita (Western Chorus frog) 5
P. triseriata 1,2,3,6

RANADAE

Rana pipiens (Western leopard frog) 1,2,3,4,5,7

REPTILES OF THE UINTA MOUNTAINS

REPTILIA

DIAPSIDA

SQUAMATA

IGUANIDAE

Crotaphytus wislizeni (Yellowhead collard lizard)
3,5
Phrynosoma douglassi (Eastern short horned lizard)
3,4,5,7
Sceloporus graciosus (Great Basin sagebrush lizard)
3,4,5,7
S. undulatus (Northern Plateau lizard) 3,4,5,7
Urosaurus ornatus wrightii (Northern cliff lizard)
4,7
Uta stansburiana (Northern side-blotched uta) 3,5

TEIIDAE

Cnemidophorus tigris (Northern whiptail) 5

COLUBRIDAE

Coluber constrictor (Western yellow bellied racer,
western blue racer) 3,4,5,7
Lampropeltis doliata (Utah milk snake) 5
Masticophis taeniatus (Desert striped whipsnake) 3,5
Pituophis catenifer (deserticola) (Great Basin
gopher snake) 3,4,5
P. melandleueus (Great Basin gopher snake) 7
Sonora semiannulata (Great Basin ground snake) 3,5
Thamophis elegans (Wandering garter snake) 4,5,7
T. ordinoides vagrans (Wandering garter snake) 3

CROTALIDAE

Crotalus viridis (Midget faded rattlesnake, yellow
rattlesnake) 4,5,7

APPENDIX F

BIRDS OF THE
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INTRODUCTION

The Uinta Mountains support the richest avian fauna in the state of Utah. Great ecological variability in the terrestrial environment and over 600 lakes capable of supporting a permanent aquatic community are undoubtedly responsible for the great diversity of birds. In all, 186 bird species are known from the range (see following Table and appended species list).

SUMMARY OF UINTA BIRDS

<u>Group</u>	<u>No. of Species</u>
Water Fowl	23
Shore Birds	14
Raptors	16
Upland Gamebirds	9
All Others	<u>124</u>
Total	186

In the species list which follows, the numbers following each species name refer to the following references.

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Abundance Key:

A = Abundant = Seen daily in large numbers
 C = Common = Seen daily but in restricted numbers
 U = Uncommon = Infrequently seen
 O = Occasional = Seldom seen
 R = Rare = Only one or two observations
 * = Transient
 N = No abundance data given

BIRDS OF THE UINTA MOUNTAINS

SPECIES

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>Abundance</u>	<u>Source of Information</u>
Common Loon	<u>Gavia immer</u>	O	4,5
Western Grebe	<u>Aechmophorus occidentalis</u>	O	4
Great Blue Heron	<u>Ardea herodias</u>	C	1,4,5
Black-crowned Night Heron	<u>Mycticorax Nycticorax</u>	*	1,4,5
American Bittern	<u>Botaurus lentiginosus</u>	*	1,5
Mallard	<u>Anas platyrhyncho</u>	C	1,3,4,5
Wood Duck	<u>Aix sponsa</u>	O	1,3
Pintail	<u>Anas acuta</u>	U	1,3,4
Green-winged Teal	<u>Anas carolinesis</u>	U	1,3,4,5
Cinnamon Teal	<u>Anas cyanoptera</u>	O	1,3,4
Blue-winged Teal	<u>Anas discors</u>	O	1,3,4
American Widgeon (Baldpate)	<u>Mareca americana</u>	O	1,3,4,5
Shoveler	<u>Spatual clypeata</u>	O	1,3,4,5
Lesser Scaup	<u>Aythya affinis</u>	O	1,3,4
Redhead	<u>Aythya americana</u>	O	1,3,4,5
Ring-necked Duck	<u>Aythya collaris</u>	U	1,3,4,5

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>Abundance</u>	<u>Source of Information</u>
Buffle-head	<u>Bucephala albesta</u>	O	1,3,4,5
Common Goldeneye	<u>Bucephala clangula</u>	O	1,3
Common Merganser	<u>Mergus merganser</u>	O	1,3
Red-breasted Merganser	<u>Mergus serrator</u>	O	1,3,4
Ruddy Duck	<u>Oxyura jamaicensis</u>	O	1,3
Canada Goose	<u>Branta canadensis</u>	O	1,3
American Coot	<u>Fulica americana</u>	O	1,3,4
Goshawk	<u>Accipiter gentilis</u>	O	1,2
Sharp-shinned Hawk	<u>Accipiter striatus</u>	U	1,2,7
Red-tailed Hawk	<u>Buteo jamaicensis</u>	U	1,2,4,7
American Rough-legged	<u>Buteo lagopus</u>	U	1,2
Golden Eagle	<u>Aquila chrysaetos</u>	C	1,2,4
Marsh Hawk	<u>Circus cyaneus</u>	N	1,2,4
Cooper's Hawk	<u>Accipiter cooperii</u>	R	1,2
Swainson's Hawk	<u>Buteo Swainsoni</u>	R	1,2,4
Pigeon Hawk	<u>Falco columbarius</u>	R	1,5
Prairie Falcon	<u>F. mexicanus</u>	N	2
Sparrow Hawk	<u>Falco sparverius</u>	U	1,2,4
Turkey Vultures	<u>Cathartes aura</u>	U	1,5
Ospreys	<u>Pandion haliaetus</u>	R	1,4,7
Blue or Dusky Grouse	<u>Dendragapus obscurus</u>	U	1,2,4
Ruffed Grouse	<u>Bonasa umbellus</u>	U	1,2
Ring-necked Pheasant	<u>Phasianus colchicus</u>	N	5
Sage Grouse	<u>Dentrocercus urophasianus</u>	O	1,2

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>Abundance</u>	<u>Source of Information</u>
Ptarmigan	<u>Lagopus leucurus</u>	N	5,7
Chukar	<u>Alectoris graeca</u>	U	1
California Quail	<u>Lophortyx californicus</u>	N	2
Killdeer	<u>Charadriidae vociferus</u>	O	1,4
Sora	<u>Porzana carolina</u>	N	2
Spotted Sandpiper	<u>Actitis macularia</u>	C	1,2,4
Solitary Sandpiper	<u>Tringa solitaria</u>	O	1
Wilson's Snipe	<u>Capella gallinago</u>	*	1
Western Willet	<u>Catoptrophorus semipalmatus</u>	R	1
Baird's Sandpiper	<u>Erolia bairdii</u>	R	1
Least Sandpiper	<u>Erolia minutilla</u>	R	1
Semipalmated Sandpiper	<u>Ereunetes pusillus</u>	R	1
Western Sandpiper	<u>E. mauri</u>	R	1
Avocet	<u>Recurvirostra americana</u>	*	1
Black-necked Stilt	<u>Himantopus mexicanus</u>	N	1
California Gull	<u>Larus californicus</u>	O	4
Franklin's Gull	<u>Larus pipixcan</u>	*	1
Mourning Dove	<u>Zenaidura macroura</u>	U	1,2,6
Rock Dove (Domestic Pigeon)	<u>Columba livia</u>	R	1
Bandtailed Pigeon	<u>C. fasciata</u>	N	2,6
Screech Owl	<u>Otus asio</u>	R	1,6
Great Horned Owl	<u>Bubo virginianus</u>	O	1,2,6
Long-eared Owl	<u>Asio otus</u>	*	1,2,6
Nuttall's Poorwill	<u>Phalaenoptilus nuttalli</u>	U	1,2,4,6

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>Abundance</u>	<u>Source of Information</u>
Nighthawk	<u>Chordeiles minor</u>	U	1,2,6
White-throated Swift	<u>Aeronautes saxatalis</u>	R	1,2,6
Broad-tailed Hummingbird	<u>Selasphorus platycercus</u>	U	1,2,4,7
Rufous Hummingbird	<u>S. rufous</u>	N	2
Black-chinned Hummingbird	<u>Archilochus alexandri</u>	R	1,5,6
Belted Kingfisher	<u>Megaceryle alcyon</u>	U	1,2,4
Red-shafted Flicker	<u>Colaptes cafer</u>	C	1,2,4
Pileated Woodpecker	<u>Hylatomus pileatus</u>	*	1,2
Hairy Woodpecker	<u>Dendrocopos villosus</u>	O	1,2,4
Three-toed Woodpecker	<u>Picoides tridactylus</u>	O	1,2
Alpine Three-toed Woodpecker	<u>P. arcticus</u>	N	4
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	<u>Sphyrapicus varius</u>	O	1,2
Williamson's Sapsucker	<u>S. thyroideus</u>	O	1,2
Downy Woodpecker	<u>Dendrocopos pubescens</u>	O	1,2
Western Kingbird	<u>Tyrannus verticalis</u>	N	5,6
Eastern Kingbird	<u>T. tyrannus</u>	N	2,6
Horned Lark	<u>Eremophila alpestris</u>	C	1,2,4,5
Violet-green Swallow	<u>Tachycineta thalassina</u>	O	1,2,4
Say's Phoebe	<u>Sayornis saya</u>	N	2,6
Purple Martin	<u>Progne subis</u>	U	1
Traill's Flycatcher	<u>Empidonax traillii</u>	N	2,6
Hammond's Flycatcher	<u>E. hammondii</u>	N	2,6
Dusky Flycatcher	<u>E. oberholseri</u>	N	2
Gray Flycatcher	<u>E. wrightii</u>	N	6
Ash-throated Flycatcher	<u>Myiarchus cinerascens</u>	N	6

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>Abundance</u>	<u>Source of Information</u>
Tree Swallow	<u>Iridoprocne bicolor</u>	R	1,4,5
Bank Swallow	<u>Riparia riparia</u>	R	1,6
Rough-winged Swallow	<u>Stelgidopteryx ruficollis</u>	R	1,2,6
Barn Swallow	<u>Hirundo rustica</u>	R	1,2,6
Cliff Swallow	<u>Petrochelidon pyrrhonota</u>	R	1,2,6
Western Wood Peewee	<u>Contopus sordidulus</u>	N	2,6
Olive-sided Flycatcher	<u>Nuttallornis borealis</u>	N	2
Canada Jay (Gray)	<u>Perisoreus canadensis</u>	C	1,2,6
Clark's Nutcracker	<u>Nucifraga columbiana</u>	O	1,2,4,6,7
Steller's Jay	<u>Cyanocitta stelleri</u>	C	1,2
Scrub Jay	<u>Apelocoma coerulescens</u>	O	1,2
Magpie	<u>Pica pica</u>	U	1,2,4
Crow	<u>Corvus brachyrhynchos</u>		4,6
Raven	<u>Corvus corax</u>	O	1,6
Pinyon Jay	<u>Gymnorhinus cyanocephala</u>	R	1,2,6
Mountain Chickadee	<u>Parus gambeli</u>	C	1,2,4,5
Black-capped Chickadee	<u>P. atricapillus</u>	C	1,2,5
Plain Titmouse	<u>P. inornatus</u>	U	1,5
Bushtit	<u>Psaltriparus minimus</u>	U	1,5
Red-breasted Nuthatches	<u>Sitta canadensis</u>	O	1,2
White-breasted Nuthatches	<u>S. carolinensis</u>	U	1,2,5
Pygmy Nuthatch	<u>Sitta Pygmaea</u>	U	1,5
Brown Creeper	<u>Certhia familiaris</u>	O	1,2,5
Water Ouzel	<u>Cinclus mexicanus</u>	C	1,2,4,5
Rock Wren	<u>Salpinctes obsoletus</u>	C	1,2,4,5,7

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>Abundance</u>	<u>Source of Information</u>
House Wren	<u>Troglodytes aedon</u>	R	1,2,5
Bewick's Wren	<u>Thryomanes bewickii</u>	O	1,5
Long-billed Marsh Wren	<u>Telmatodytes palustris</u>	O	1,5
Canyon Wren	<u>Catherpes mexicanus</u>	R	1,5
Western Mockingbird	<u>Mimus polyglottos</u>	O	1,5
Sage Thrasher	<u>Oreoscoptes montanus</u>	C	1,2,4,5
Robin	<u>Turdus migratorius</u>	C	1,2,4,5
Hermit Thrush	<u>Hylocichla guttata</u>	O	1,2,4,7
Olive-backed Thrush	<u>Hylocichia ustulata</u>	O	1,2
Mountain Bluebird	<u>Sialia currucoides</u>	O	1,2,4
Western Bluebird	<u>Sialia mexicana</u>	R	1
Townsend's Solitaire	<u>Myadestes townsendi</u>	R	1,2,4,6
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	<u>Regulus calendula</u>	C	1,2,4,6
Golden-crowned Kinglet	<u>R. satrapa</u>	N	2
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	<u>Polioptila caerulea</u>	U	1,6
American Pipit	<u>Anthus spinoletta</u>	A	1,2,4,6
Mountain Pipit	<u>A. rubescens alticola</u>	C	7
Northern Shrike	<u>Lanius excubitor</u>	R	1,2,6,
Loggerhead Shrike	<u>Lanius ludovicianus</u>	U	1,6
Waxwings	Bombycillidae	N	1
Starling	<u>Sturnus vulgaris</u>	R	1,2,4,6
Solitary Vireo	<u>Vireo solitarius</u>	U	1,2,6
Warbling Vireo	<u>V. gilvus</u>	R	1,2,6
Orange-crowned Warbler	<u>Vermivora celata</u>	O	1,2,6
Audubon's Warbler	<u>Dendroica auduboni</u>	C	1,2,4,6

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>Abundance</u>	<u>Source of Information</u>
Townsend's Warbler	<u>D. townsendi</u>	O	1,2,6
Virginia's Warbler	<u>Vermivora virginiae</u>	R	1,5
MacGillivray's Warbler	<u>Oporornis tolmiei</u>	N	2,6
Yellow Warbler	<u>Dendroica petechia</u>	C	1,2,6
Black-throated Gray Warbler	<u>D. nigrescens</u>	R	1,6
Yellowthroat	<u>Geothlypis trichas</u>	O	1,2,6
Yellow-breasted Chat	<u>Icteria virens</u>	C	1,2,6,
Wilson's Warbler	<u>Wilsonia pusilla</u>	O	1,2,6,
American Redstart	<u>Setophaga ruticilla</u>	N	2
House Sparrow	<u>Passer domesticus</u>	R	1,6
Meadow Lark	<u>Sturnella neglecta</u>	C	1,4,6
Yellow-headed Blackbird	<u>Xanthocephalus xanthocephalus</u> *		1,4,6
Red-winged Blackbird	<u>Agelaius phoeniceus</u>	R	1,2,4,6
Bullock's Oriole	<u>Icterus bullockii</u>	*	1,6
Brewer's Blackbird	<u>Euphagus cyanocephalus</u>	O	1,4,6
Cowbird	<u>Molothrus ater</u>	*	1,2,6
Western Tanager	<u>Piranga ludoviciana</u>	U	1,2,6
Black-headed Grosbeak	<u>Pheucticus melanocephalus</u>	N	2,6
Cassin's Purple Finch	<u>Carpodacus cassinii</u>	C	1,2,4,7
Pine Grosbeak	<u>Pinicola enucleator</u>	C	1,2,4,7
Black Rosy Finch	<u>Leucosticte atrata</u>	C	1,2,4,7
Pine Siskin	<u>Spinus pinus</u>	O	1,2,4,6
Red Crossbill	<u>Loxia curvirostra</u>	R	1,2,4
Green-tailed Towhee	<u>Chlorura chlorura</u>	U	1,2,4,6,7
Gray-headed Junco	<u>Junco caniceps</u>	A	1,2,4,7

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>Abundance</u>	<u>Source Informa</u>
Chipping Sparrow	<u>Spizella passerina</u>	C	1,2,4,6
White-crowned Sparrow	<u>Zonotrichia leucophrys</u>	C	1,2,4,6
Fox Sparrow	<u>Passerella iliaca</u>	O	1,2,4
Lincoln's Sparrow	<u>Melospiza lincolni</u>	R	1,2,6
Indigo Bunting	<u>Passerina cyanea</u>	*	1
Lazuli Bunting	<u>Passerina amoena</u>	*	1,2,6
Evening Grosbeak	<u>Hesperiphona vespertina</u>	R	1,6
House Finch	<u>Carpodacus mexicanus</u>	C	1,2,6
Common Redpoll	<u>Acanthis flammea</u>	R	1,6
Goldfinch	<u>Spinus tristis</u>	R	1,2,6
Rufous-sided Towhee	<u>Pipilo erythrophthalmus</u>	R	1,2,6
Lark Bunting	<u>Calamospiza melanocorys</u>	N	2
Vesper Sparrow	<u>Poocetes gramineus</u>	*	1,2,4,6
Lark Sparrow	<u>Chondestes Grammacus</u>	*	1,6
Sage Sparrow	<u>Amphispiza belli</u>	U	1,6
Slate-colored Junco	<u>Junco hyemalis</u>	R	1,2,6
Oregon Junco	<u>Junco oreganus</u>	R	1,2
Tree Sparrow	<u>Spizella arborea</u>	R	1,6
Brewer's Sparrow	<u>Spizella breweri</u>	C	1,6
Song Sparrow	<u>Melospiza melodia</u>	*	1,2,4,6
Lapland Longspur	<u>Calcarius lapponicus</u>	N	2
Snow Bunting	<u>Plectrophenax nivalis</u>	N	2

APPENDIX G

CHECKLIST OF THE MAMMALS
OF THE UINTA
MOUNTAINS, UTAH

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The following list of mammals of the Uinta Mountains has been compiled from the five references listed below. Numbers following each species name indicate which of the following references list that species.

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In all, 82 species of mammals exclusive of man have been recorded at one time or another in the Uinta Mountains. Six of those species (i.e., the gray wolf, grizzly bear, fisher, wolverine, bison, and otter) are now believe to be extinct in the area. The endangered black-footed ferret may occasionally pass through the area but is not known to maintain a resident population there: the same is true for 8 other species (4 of whom are bats). No endangered species occur in area, but current hunting pressures may threaten the existence of Canada Lynx.

In the list, abundance is indicated with a letter. The abundance key is as follows:

A = abundant, seen daily by careful observers

C = common, often seen
 U = uncommon, infrequently seen
 O = occasional, seldom seen
 R = rare, only one or two recorded observations
 * = transient
 E = now extinct in the area
 N = no abundance data reported

SPECIES CHECKLIST

Common Name	SPECIES Scientific Name	Abundance and Data Sources
Masked Shrew	<u>Sorex cinereus</u>	R 1,5
Vagrant Shrew	<u>S. vagrans</u>	U 1,4,5
Water Shrew	<u>S. palustris</u>	O 1,3,4,5
Long-eared Myotis	<u>Myotis evotis</u>	* 1,4,5
Little Brown Myotis	<u>M. lucifugus</u>	O 1,4,5
Long-legged Myotis	<u>M. volans</u>	U 1,4
Small-footed Myotis	<u>M. subulatus</u>	R 1
Silver-haired Bat	<u>Lasiorycteris noctivagans</u>	* 1,4,5
Townsend Big-eared Bat	<u>Plecotis townsendii</u>	N 5
Western Pipistrel	<u>Pipistrellus nesperus</u>	* 1
Mexican Free-tailed Bat	<u>Tadarida brailiensis</u>	N 4
Big Brown Bat	<u>Eptesicus fuscus</u>	* 1,4
Hoary Bat	<u>Lasiurus cinereus</u>	U 4,5
Least Chipmunk	<u>Eutamias minimus</u>	A 1,2,4,5
Cliff Chipmunk	<u>E. dorsalis</u>	U 1,3,4
Say Chipmunk	<u>E. quadrivittatus</u>	N 4
Uinta Chipmunk	<u>E. umbrinus</u>	A 1,3,4,5
Yellow-bellied Marmot	<u>Marmota flaviventris</u>	C 1,2,4
Thirteen Lined Ground Squirrel	<u>Citellus tridecemlineatus</u>	N 5

SPECIES		Abundance and Data Sources
Common Name	Scientific Name	
Richardson Ground Squirrel	<u>C. richardsoni</u>	R 1,4
Uinta Ground Squirrel	<u>C. variegatus</u>	R 1,4
Rock Rabbits	<u>Ochotona princeps</u>	C 1,2,4,5,
Nuttall's Cottontail	<u>Sylvilagus nuttallii</u>	C 1,3,4,5
Snowshoe Hare	<u>Lepus americanus</u>	C 1,4,5
Whitetail Jack Rabbit	<u>L. townsendii</u>	C 1,3,4
Black-tailed Jack Rabbit	<u>L. californicus</u>	C 1,4
Desert Cottontail	<u>Sylvilagus auduboni</u>	O 1
Coyote	<u>Canis latrans</u>	O 1,3,4
Gray Wolf	<u>C. lupes</u>	E 1,3,4,5
Red Fox	<u>Vulpes fulva</u>	R 1,4,5
Gray Fox	<u>Urocyon cinereoargenteus</u>	R 1,4,5
Black Bear	<u>Ursus americanus</u>	O 1,3,4,5
Grizzly Bear	<u>U. horribilis</u>	E 1,3
Raccoon	<u>Procyon lotor</u>	* 1,4
Ring-tailed Cat	<u>Bassariscus astutus</u>	* 1,4
Martin	<u>Martes Americana</u>	O 1,2,4
Fisher	<u>M. pennant</u>	E 1,4,5
Long-tailed Weasel	<u>Mustela frenata</u>	U 1,2,4
Mink	<u>M. vison</u>	O 1,3,4
Badger	<u>Taxidea taxus</u>	O 1,3,4
Western Spotted Skunk	<u>Spilogale putorius</u>	R 1,3,4
River Otter	<u>Lutra canadensis</u>	E 1,3,4,5
Striped Skunk	<u>Mephitis mephitis</u>	C 1,3,4
Ermine	<u>Mustela erminea</u>	R 1,2,4

SPECIES		Abundance and Data Sources
Common Name	Scientific Name	
Wolverine	<u>Gulo luscus</u>	E 3,4,5
Golden-mantled Ground Squirrel	<u>Citellus lateralis</u>	C 1,2,3,4
White-tailed Prairie Dog	<u>Cynomys leucurus</u>	U 1,3,4
Red Squirrel	<u>Tamiasciurus hudsonicus</u>	C 1,4,5
Northern Flying Squirrel	<u>Glaucomys sabrinus</u>	O 1,3,4,5
Northern Pocket Gopher	<u>Thomomys talpoides</u>	A 1,2,3,4,5
Great Basin Pocket Mouse	<u>Perognathus parvus</u>	U 1,3,4
Wyoming Pocket Mouse	<u>P. fasciatus</u>	U 1,4
Kangaroo Rat	<u>Dipodomys sp.</u>	N 3,4
Beaver	<u>Castor canadensis</u>	C 1,3,4
Deer Mouse	<u>Peromyscus maniculatus</u>	A 1,2,4
Brush Mouse	<u>P. boylii</u>	N 3,4
Canyon Mouse	<u>P. crinitus</u>	O 1,3,5
Northern Grasshopper Mouse	<u>Onychomys leucogaster</u>	R 1
Brushytail Wood Rat	<u>Neotoma cinerea</u>	R 1,3,4,5
Boreal Redback Vole	<u>Clethrionomys gapperi</u>	U 1,2,3,4,5
Heather Vole	<u>Phenacomys intermedius</u>	* 1,2,4,5
Western Harvest Mouse	<u>Reithrodontomys megalotis</u>	R 1
Mountain Vole	<u>Microtus montanus</u>	C 1,2,4
Long-tailed Vole	<u>M. longicaudus</u>	C 1,2,4
Water Vole	<u>M. richardsoni</u>	U 1,4
Sagebrush Vole	<u>Lagurus curtatus</u>	U 1,4,5
Muskrat	<u>Ondatra zibethica</u>	C 1,3,4
Western Jumping Mouse	<u>Zapus princeps</u>	U 1,3,4,5

SPECIES		Abundance and
Common Name	Scientific Name	Data Sources
Porcupine	<u>Erethizon dorsatum</u>	U 1,3,4
Black-footed Ferret	<u>Mustela nigripes</u>	* 1
Mountain Lion	<u>Felis concolor</u>	O 1,3,4,5
Canada Lynx	<u>Lynx canadensis</u>	O 1,4,5
Bob Cat	<u>Lynx rufus</u>	U 1,4
American Elk	<u>Cervus canadensis</u>	C 1,3,4,
Mule Deer	<u>Odocoileus hemionus</u>	A 1,2,4
Moose	<u>Alces alces</u>	C 1,4
Antelope	<u>Antilocapra americana</u>	O 1,3,4
Bison	<u>Bison bison</u>	E 1,4,5
Mountain Sheep	<u>Ovis canadensis</u>	R 1,2,4,5
House Mouse	<u>Mus musculus</u>	O 1
Norway Rat	<u>Rattus norvegicus</u>	* 1