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January 4, 2010

Ms. Linda Bassi  
Mr. Jeff Baessler  
Colorado Water Conservation Board  
1313 Sherman Street, Room 721  
Denver, Colorado 80203

Dear Ms. Bassi and Mr. Baessler,

Trout Unlimited in conjunction with the Colorado Division of Wildlife (CDOW) is formally submitting this instream flow recommendation for the South Fork of Slater Creek, located in Routt County, District 6.

**Location and Land Status.** The South Fork of Slater Creek (South Fork) originates on the northern flank of the Elkhead Mountains just west of Bears Ears Peaks at an elevation of 9,560 feet. It flows generally northward for 5.7 miles to the Routt National Forest boundary at an elevation of 7,700 feet. The proposed ISF reach covers the 1.1 mile reach from its confluence with West Prong South Fork Slater Creek to the USFS boundary. This segment is located entirely on Forest Service Land (Fig. 1).

**Biological Summary and R2CROSS Analysis.** In July and September of 2009, TU and CDOW collected stream cross sectional data, natural environment data, and other data needed to quantify instream flow needs (Table 1). Previous survey data collected by CDOW indicated the stream supports healthy populations of Colorado River cutthroat trout, brook trout and mottled sculpin.

**Table 1. Summary of R2CROSS datasets**

DATE	MEASURED FLOW (cfs)	MODELING RANGE (cfs)	FLOW MEETING 3 CRITERIA	FLOW MEETING 2 CRITERIA
07/08/09	9.59	3.8 – 24.0	<i>38.8</i>	<b>6.5</b>
09/17/09	1.71	0.7 – 4.3	<i>14.2</i>	<b>4.0</b>
Average of flows within modeling range			<b>Out of range</b>	<b>5.25</b>

Note: Table entries appearing in italicized font indicated flows that were either not met in R2CROSS staging table or outside of 0.4 to 2.5 times measured flow R2CROSS modeling window.

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The CDOW and TU worked cooperatively on this recommendation and together have collected stream cross section information, natural environment data, and other data needed to quantify the instream flow needs for these reaches of the South Fork Slater Creek. South Fork Slater Creek is classified as a large stream (between 36 to 59 feet wide) and fishery surveys indicate the stream environment of South Fork Slater Creek supports Colorado River cutthroat trout (*Oncorhynchus clarkii pleuriticus*) and a naturally reproducing brook trout (*Salvelinus fontinalis*) population. The Board staff relies upon the biological expertise of the cooperating agencies to interpret output from the R2CROSS data collected to develop the initial, biologic instream flow recommendation. This initial recommendation is designed to address the unique biologic requirements of each stream without regard to water availability. Three instream flow hydraulic parameters, average depth, percent wetted perimeter, and average velocity are used to develop biologic instream flow recommendations. The CDOW has determined that maintaining these three hydraulic parameters at adequate levels across riffle habitat types, aquatic habitat in pools

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### **Water Availability Analysis and Instream Flow Recommendation**

The TU staff conducted a preliminary evaluation of the stream hydrology to determine if water was physically available for an instream flow appropriation based on an aerial apportionment of USGS gage 09245500 on the North Fork of Elkhead Creek, CO. Subsequent to this preliminary analysis, the CWCB completed their geometric mean analysis of daily flows for South Fork Slater Creek. CDOW and TU used the CWCB's water availability analysis to adjust the seasonality and quantities of the R2CROSS instream flow recommendations so that the estimated daily flow of South Fork Slater Creek reasonably exceeds the recommended instream flow amounts. These seasonal adjustments are reflected in the final instream flow recommendations shown below:

#### **Headwaters to West Prong South Fork Slater Creek**

- 4.10 cfs (April 1 through June 30)
- 1.25 cfs (July 1 through July 31)
- 0.65 cfs (August 1 through September 15)
- 1.25 cfs (September 16 through March 31)

#### **West Prong South Fork Slater Creek to USFS Boundary**

- 9.00 cfs (March 15 through July 15)
- 2.00 cfs (July 16 through August 15)
- 0.80 cfs (August 16 through October 15)
- 5.75 cfs (October 16 through March 14)

### **Relationship to State Policy**

The CDOW supports the Instream Flow Program because the appropriation of instream flow water rights helps the CDOW meet our statutory mission as described in Title 33 of the Colorado Revised Statutes (CRS):

§33-1-101 – “It is the policy of the state of Colorado that the wildlife and their environment are to be protected, preserved, enhanced, and managed for the use, benefit, and enjoyment of the people of this state and its visitors ... that there shall be provided a comprehensive program designed to offer the greatest possible variety of wildlife-related recreational opportunity to the people of this state and its visitors and that, to carry out such program and policy, there shall be a continuous operation of planning, acquisition, and development of wildlife habitats and facilities for wildlife related opportunities.”

§33-2-106 – “(1) The division [of Wildlife] shall establish such programs including acquisition of land or aquatic habitat as are deemed necessary for management of nongame, endangered, or threatened wildlife. (2) ... the division may enter into agreements with federal agencies or political subdivisions of this state or with private persons for administration and management of any area established under this section or utilized for management of nongame, endangered, or threatened wildlife.”

§33-5-101 – “It is declared to be the policy of the state that its fish and wildlife resources, and particularly the fishing waters within the state, are to be protected and preserved from the actions of any state agency to the end that they be available for all time and without change in their natural existing state, except as may be necessary and appropriate after due consideration of all factors involved.”

In addition to meeting the state policy discussed above South Fork Slater Creek satisfies criteria identified by the CWCB for ISF appropriations, including:

- a) The recommendations have broad public support;
- b) The proposed appropriations will have a positive impact on state or local economies;
- c) The recommendations are part of a water acquisition strategy;
- d) The recommendations are part of a collaborative solution to a unique natural resource issue with federal, state or local partners; and
- e) The instream flow amount and timing recommended by TU, CDOW and CWCB staff:
  - Is based upon standard scientific methodology and an accurate R2CROSS analysis;
  - Reflects the amount of water available for appropriation as an instream flow water right; and
  - Is required to preserve the natural environment to a reasonable degree.

TU has provided copies of the field data sheets, the R2CROSS modeling runs, and stream photographs. If you have any questions regarding the provided information or the instream flow recommendations please contact me at (303)-291-7267.

Sincerely,

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Stream cross sectional data were analyzed using the R2CROSS program, and the output was evaluated using the methods described in Nehring (1979) and Espegren (1996). The R2CROSS models how average depth, percent wetted perimeter and average velocity vary with discharge. According to the criteria established by Nehring (1979), the relevant minimum requirements are an average depth of 0.2 feet, a wetted perimeter of 50%, and an average velocity of 1.0 ft/sec. Protecting salmonids during the summer season is accomplished by insuring all three criteria are met while during the winter protection can be accomplished by protecting 2 of three criteria.

The R2CROSS data from our two cross sections indicate that the fishery of South Fork Slater Creek can be protected with summer flows between 14.2 and 38.8 cfs and winter flows of 5.25 cfs. However, both summer flow recommendations were greater than 2.5 times the field measured discharge and therefore, were considered outside the modeling accuracy of R2CROSS. Therefore, we used the sum of the summertime instream flow recommendation from West Prong Slater Creek above the Decker Ditch (4.9 cfs ) together with the summertime instream flow recommendation from South Fork Slater Creek upstream of West Prong (4.1 cfs) to recommend a 9.0 cfs instream flow during the summer months for this stream reach. TU and CDOW recommend that the CWCB appropriate the following flow amounts to preserve the natural environment of South Fork Slater Creek to a reasonable degree:

- From **March 15 through July 15** a flow appropriation of **9.0 cfs** is recommended based on maintaining the three principal criteria of average depth, average velocity, and percent wetted perimeter in the two instream flow reaches located just upstream of this reach;
- From **July 16 through August 15** a flow appropriation of **2.0 cfs** is recommended based on water availability limitations;
- From **August 16 through October 15** a flow appropriation of **0.80 cfs** is recommended based on water availability limitations; and
- From **October 16 through March 14** a flow appropriation of **5.25 cfs** is recommended based on maintaining the average depth and wetter perimeter criteria.

**Water Availability.** The preliminary instream flow recommendation we submitted in February 2008 was based on an aerial apportionment of USGS gage 09245500 on the North Fork of Elkhead Creek, CO. Subsequent to that preliminary analysis, the CWCB provided us with a geometric mean analysis of daily flows on South Fork Slater Creek. We used the CWCB's water availability analysis to adjust the seasonality and quantities of the instream flow recommendation so that the estimated daily flow through South Fork Slater Creek typically exceeds the recommended instream flow. These seasonal adjustments are reflected in the final instream flow recommendation above.

**Relationship to Existing State Policy.** TU and the CDOW are forwarding this stream flow recommendation to the CWCB to meet the State of Colorado's policy "that the wildlife and their environment are to be protected, preserved, enhanced, and managed for the use, benefit, and enjoyment of the people of this state and its visitors ... and that, to carry out such program and policy, there shall be a continuous operation of planning, acquisition, and development of wildlife habitats and facilities for wildlife-related opportunities." C.R.S. 33-1-101(1). Further,

the CDOW Strategic Plan states “Healthy aquatic environments are essential to maintain healthy and viable fisheries, and critical for self-sustaining populations. The Division desires to protect and enhance the quality and quantity of aquatic habitats.” TU and CDOW recommend that South Fork Slater Creek be considered for inclusion in the Instream Flow Program because doing so would help meet these stated policies. Specifically, establishing minimum flows through this reach would preserve the natural environment of the stream to a reasonable degree.

Attached, please find copies of the field data sheets, the R2CROSS modeling runs, and stream photographs. If you have any questions regarding the attached information or the instream flow recommendations, please feel free to contact me at (303) 440-2937.

Trout Unlimited thanks the Colorado Division of Wildlife and the Colorado Water Conservation Board Staff for their support in preparing this recommendation.

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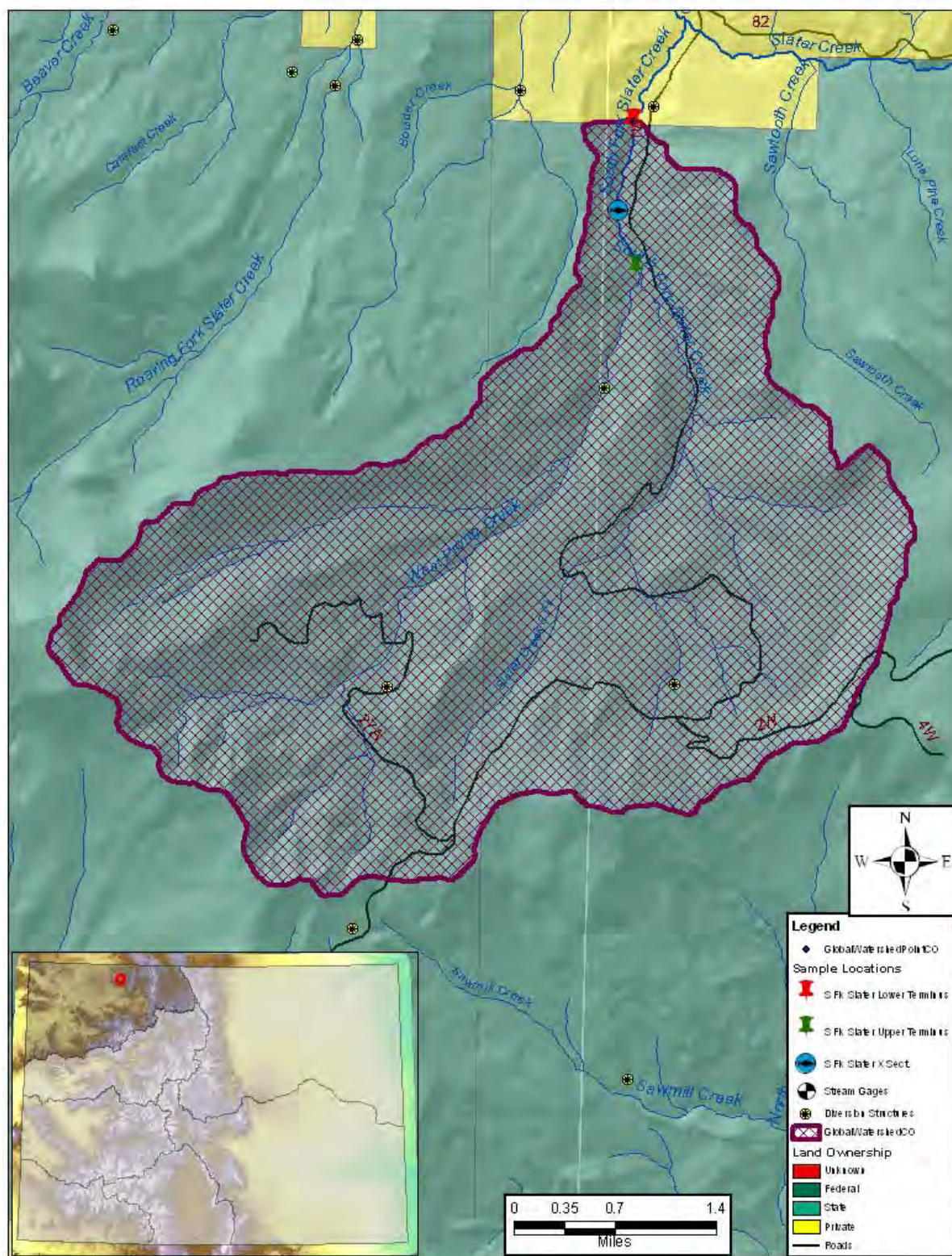


Figure 1. Map of South Fork Slater Creek watershed. Positions of upper and lower termini of the proposed instream flow reach are noted as is the location of the R2CROSS cross section. Additionally, locations known diversion structures are plotted. The watershed's location within Division 6 is indicated by the red box on the inset map of Colorado

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Q = 1.7  
3/3 = 14.2  
2/3 = 4.0

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STREAM CROSS-SECTION AND FLOW ANALYSIS

LOCATION INFORMATION

STREAM NAME: South Fork Slater Creek (Lower) #2  
XS LOCATION: below confl. 40 49' 38.8" 107 17' 48.7"  
XS NUMBER: 2

DATE: 17-Sep-09  
OBSERVERS: Uppendahl & Espegren

1/4 SEC: 0  
SECTION: 0  
TWP: 10 N  
RANGE: 88 W  
PM: 6

COUNTY: ROUTT  
WATERSHED: SLATER CREEK  
DIVISION: 6  
DOW CODE: 0

USGS MAP: 0  
USFS MAP: 0

SUPPLEMENTAL DATA

\*\*\* NOTE \*\*\*

Leave TAPE WT and TENSION  
at defaults for data collected  
with a survey level and rod

TAPE WT: 0.0106  
TENSION: 99999

CHANNEL PROFILE DATA

SLOPE: 0.02163462

INPUT DATA CHECKED BY: .....DATE.....

ASSIGNED TO: .....DATE.....

STREAM NAME: South Fork Slater Creek (Lower) #2  
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# DATA POINTS= 37

VALUES COMPUTED FROM RAW FIELD DATA

FEATURE	DIST	VERT DEPTH	WATER DEPTH	VEL
TS	0.00	0.97		
BS	0.01	1.21		
	0.50	2.11		
	1.90	2.39		
	2.50	2.77		
1 GL	6.70	3.34		
	7.20	4.32		
WL	10.20	4.97	0.00	0.00
	10.90	5.09	0.10	0.20
	11.60	5.20	0.20	0.43
	12.30	5.15	0.20	0.26
	13.00	5.23	0.25	0.74
	13.70	5.11	0.15	0.39
	14.40	5.11	0.15	0.83
	15.10	5.34	0.35	0.64
	15.80	5.15	0.25	0.97
	16.50	5.21	0.25	0.67
	17.20	5.30	0.30	0.25
	17.90	5.29	0.35	0.68
	18.60	5.30	0.35	0.78
	19.30	5.24	0.25	0.87
	20.00	5.12	0.15	0.81
	20.70	5.17	0.20	0.24
	21.40	5.42	0.45	0.18
	22.10	5.25	0.30	0.71
	22.80	5.16	0.20	0.00
	23.50	5.12	0.15	0.15
R	24.20	4.95	0.00	0.00
R	24.90	4.99	0.00	0.00
	25.60	5.07	0.10	0.00
	26.30	5.08	0.10	0.00
WL	28.40	4.95	0.00	0.00
	32.60	4.73		
	35.40	4.05		
1 GL	36.00	3.47		
	38.00	3.22		
BS	39.70	2.79		

TOTALS \_\_\_\_\_

WETTED PERIM.	WATER DEPTH	AREA (Am)	Q (Qm)	% Q CELL
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.71	0.10	0.07	0.01	0.8%
0.71	0.20	0.14	0.06	3.5%
0.70	0.20	0.14	0.04	2.1%
0.70	0.25	0.18	0.13	7.6%
0.71	0.15	0.11	0.04	2.4%
0.70	0.15	0.11	0.09	5.1%
0.74	0.35	0.25	0.16	9.1%
0.73	0.25	0.18	0.17	9.9%
0.70	0.25	0.18	0.12	6.8%
0.71	0.30	0.21	0.05	3.1%
0.70	0.35	0.25	0.17	9.7%
0.70	0.35	0.25	0.19	11.1%
0.70	0.25	0.18	0.15	8.9%
0.71	0.15	0.11	0.09	5.0%
0.70	0.20	0.14	0.03	2.0%
0.74	0.45	0.32	0.06	3.3%
0.72	0.30	0.21	0.15	8.7%
0.71	0.20	0.14	0.00	0.0%
0.70	0.15	0.11	0.02	0.9%
0.72		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.70	0.10	0.07	0.00	0.0%
0.70	0.10	0.14	0.00	0.0%
2.10		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%

17.72 0.45 3.43 1.71 100.0%  
 (Max.)

Manning's n = 0.1463  
 Hydraulic Radius= 0.19356571

STREAM NAME: South Fork Slater Creek (Lower) #2  
 XS LOCATION: below confl. 40 49' 38.8" 107 17' 48.7"  
 XS NUMBER: 2

WATER LINE COMPARISON TABLE

WATER LINE	MEAS AREA	COMP AREA	AREA ERROR
	3.43	3.38	-1.4%
4.72	3.43	8.57	149.9%
4.74	3.43	8.10	136.2%
4.76	3.43	7.64	122.8%
4.78	3.43	7.19	109.7%
4.80	3.43	6.75	96.8%
4.82	3.43	6.32	84.2%
4.84	3.43	5.89	71.9%
4.86	3.43	5.48	59.8%
4.88	3.43	5.08	48.0%
4.90	3.43	4.68	36.5%
4.92	3.43	4.30	25.3%
4.93	3.43	4.11	19.8%
4.94	3.43	3.92	14.4%
4.95	3.43	3.74	9.0%
4.96	3.43	3.56	3.7%
4.97	3.43	3.38	-1.4%
4.98	3.43	3.21	-6.4%
4.99	3.43	3.04	-11.3%
5.00	3.43	2.88	-16.1%
5.01	3.43	2.72	-20.8%
5.02	3.43	2.56	-25.4%
5.04	3.43	2.26	-34.2%
5.06	3.43	1.97	-42.7%
5.08	3.43	1.69	-50.6%
5.10	3.43	1.44	-58.0%
5.12	3.43	1.20	-65.1%
5.14	3.43	0.97	-71.6%
5.16	3.43	0.78	-77.4%
5.18	3.43	0.61	-82.2%
5.20	3.43	0.47	-86.3%
5.22	3.43	0.36	-89.6%

WATERLINE AT ZERO

AREA ERROR = 4.967

STREAM NAME: South Fork Slater Creek (Lower) #2  
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 XS NUMBER: 2

Constant Manning's n

\*GL\* = lowest Grassline elevation corrected for sag

STAGING TABLE

\*WL\* = Waterline corrected for variations in field measured water surface elevations and sag

	DIST TO WATER (FT)	TOP WIDTH (FT)	AVG. DEPTH (FT)	MAX. DEPTH (FT)	AREA (SQ FT)	WETTED PERIM. (FT)	PERCENT WET PERIM (%)	HYDR RADIUS (FT)	FLOW (CFS)	AVG. VELOCITY (FT/SEC)
*GL*	3.47	29.23	1.47	1.95	42.89	30.37	100.0%	1.41	80.66	1.88
	3.97	28.47	1.00	1.45	28.54	29.09	95.8%	0.98	42.10	1.48
	4.02	28.39	0.96	1.40	27.12	28.96	95.4%	0.94	38.78	1.43
	4.07	28.26	0.91	1.35	25.70	28.79	94.8%	0.89	35.61	1.39
	4.12	28.03	0.87	1.30	24.30	28.52	93.9%	0.85	32.62	1.34
	4.17	27.80	0.82	1.25	22.90	28.25	93.0%	0.81	29.74	1.30
	4.22	27.56	0.78	1.20	21.52	27.98	92.2%	0.77	26.98	1.25
	4.27	27.33	0.74	1.15	20.14	27.72	91.3%	0.73	24.33	1.21
	4.32	27.10	0.69	1.10	18.78	27.45	90.4%	0.68	21.79	1.16
	4.37	26.68	0.65	1.05	17.44	27.01	88.9%	0.65	19.46	1.12
	4.42	26.24	0.61	1.00	16.12	26.56	87.5%	0.61	17.26	1.07
	4.47	25.80	0.57	0.95	14.81	26.11	86.0%	0.57	15.17	1.02
	4.52	25.37	0.53	0.90	13.54	25.67	84.5%	0.53	13.20	0.98
	4.57	24.93	0.49	0.85	12.28	25.22	83.0%	0.49	11.35	0.92
	4.62	24.49	0.45	0.80	11.04	24.77	81.6%	0.45	9.63	0.87
	4.67	24.06	0.41	0.75	9.83	24.32	80.1%	0.40	8.03	0.82
	4.72	23.62	0.37	0.70	8.64	23.87	78.6%	0.36	6.55	0.76
	4.77	22.62	0.33	0.65	7.48	22.87	75.3%	0.33	5.30	0.71
	4.82	21.44	0.30	0.60	6.38	21.68	71.4%	0.29	4.21	0.66
	4.87	20.25	0.26	0.55	5.33	20.49	67.5%	0.26	3.25	0.61
	4.92	19.07	0.23	0.50	4.35	19.30	63.5%	0.23	2.41	0.55
*WL*	4.97	17.56	0.20	0.45	3.43	17.78	58.5%	0.19	1.71	0.50
	5.02	15.62	0.17	0.40	2.60	15.83	52.1%	0.16	1.17	0.45
	5.07	13.88	0.13	0.35	1.87	14.07	46.3%	0.13	0.72	0.39
	5.12	11.67	0.11	0.30	1.23	11.85	39.0%	0.10	0.41	0.33
	5.17	8.55	0.08	0.25	0.71	8.70	28.6%	0.08	0.20	0.28
	5.22	5.41	0.07	0.20	0.37	5.52	18.2%	0.07	0.09	0.25
	5.27	3.58	0.04	0.15	0.15	3.65	12.0%	0.04	0.03	0.18
	5.32	0.86	0.04	0.10	0.04	0.90	3.0%	0.04	0.01	0.18
	5.37	0.36	0.03	0.05	0.01	0.38	1.3%	0.03	0.00	0.13
	5.42	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.1%	0.00	0.00	0.02

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$$3/3 = 14.2$$

$$2/3 = 4.0$$



South Fork Slater Creek (Lower) #2  
below confl. 40 49' 38.8" 107 17' 48.7"  
2

## SUMMARY SHEET

MEASURED FLOW (Qm)=	1.71 cfs
CALCULATED FLOW (Qc)=	1.71 cfs
(Qm-Qc)/Qm * 100 =	0.2 %
MEASURED WATERLINE (WLm)=	4.97 ft
CALCULATED WATERLINE (WLc)=	4.97 ft
(WLm-WLc)/WLm * 100 =	0.1 %
MAX MEASURED DEPTH (Dm)=	0.45 ft
MAX CALCULATED DEPTH (Dc)=	0.45 ft
(Dm-Dc)/Dm * 100	-0.6 %
MEAN VELOCITY=	0.50 ft/sec
MANNING'S N=	0.146
SLOPE=	0.02163462 ft/ft
.4 * Qm =	0.7 cfs
2.5 * Qm=	4.3 cfs

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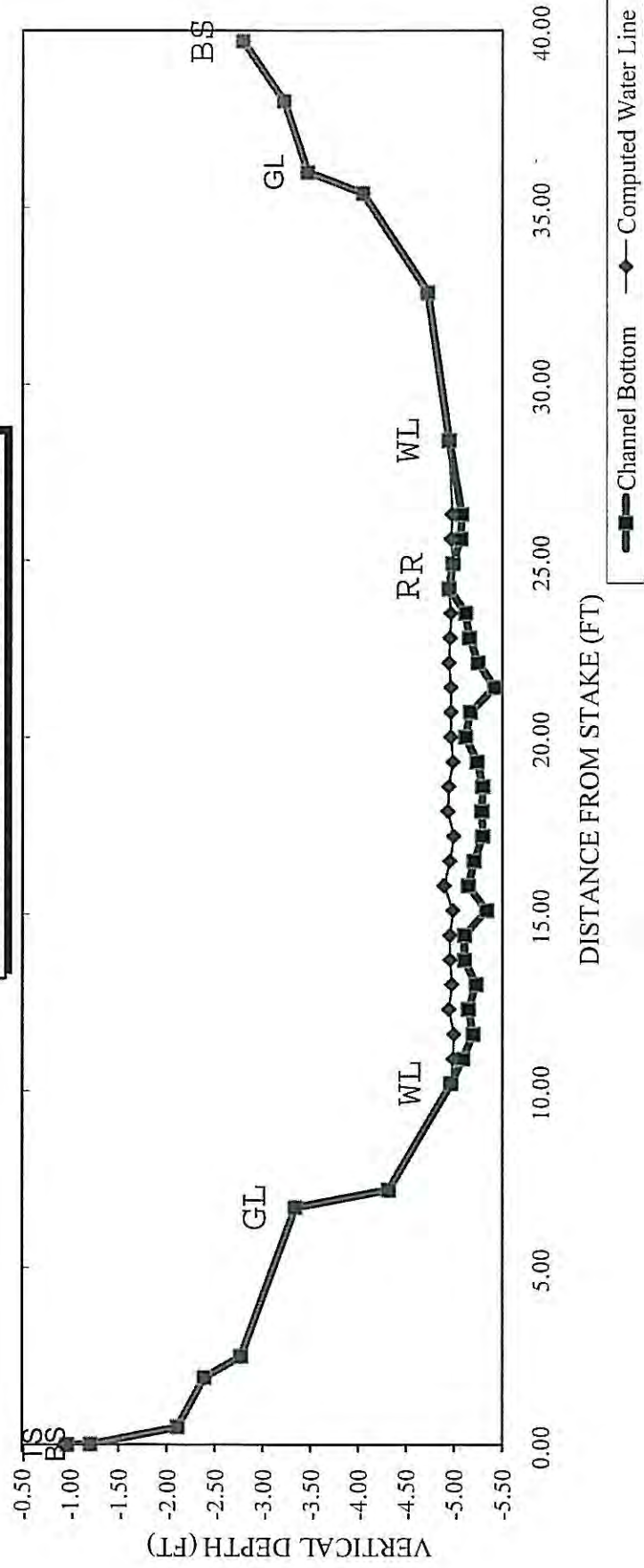
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RECOMMENDATION BY: \_\_\_\_\_ AGENCY: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

CWCB REVIEW BY: ..... DATE: .....

# South Fork Slater Creek (Lower) #2

## CROSS SECTION DATA ANALYSIS



### Data Input & Proofing

STREAM NAME: South Fork Slater Creek (Lower) #2  
 XS LOCATION: below confl. 40 49' 38.8" 107 17' 48.7"  
 XS NUMBER: 2  
 DATE: 9/17/2009  
 OBSERVERS: Uppendahl & Espegren

1/4 SEC:   
 SECTION:   
 TWP: 10 N  
 RANGE: 88 W  
 PM: 6

COUNTY: ROUTT  
 WATERSHED: SLATER CREEK  
 DIVISION: 6  
 DOW CODE:   
 USGS MAP:   
 USFS MAP:

TAPE WT: 0.0106 lbs / ft  
 TENSION: 99999 lbs

SLOPE: 0.021634615 ft / ft

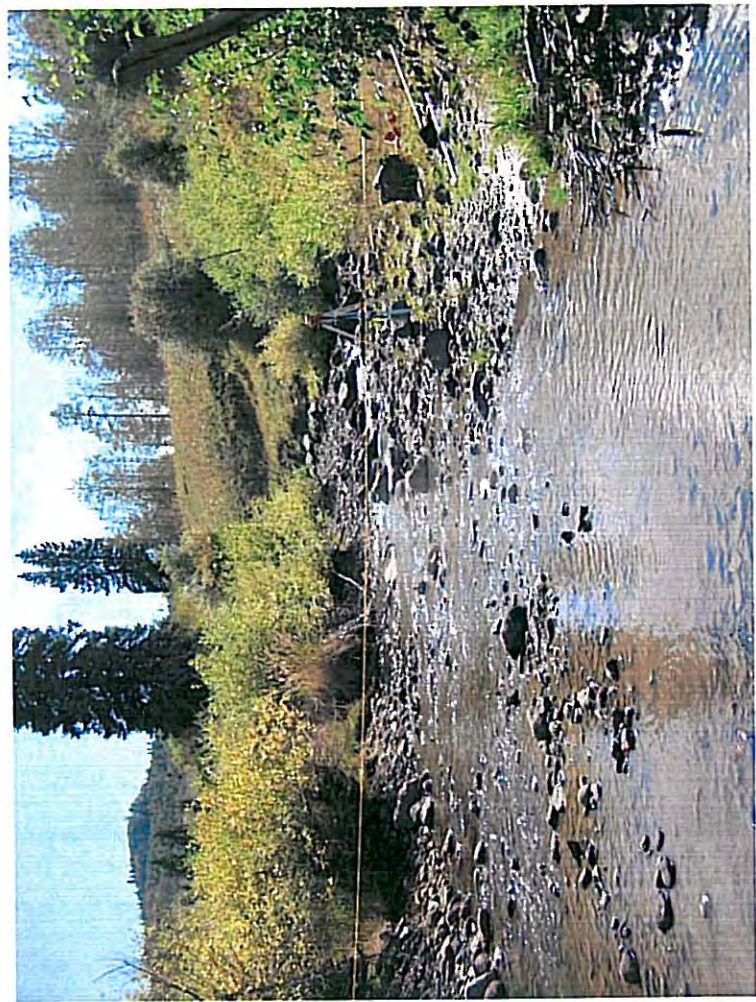
CHECKED BY: .....DATE.....

ASSIGNED TO: .....DATE.....

GL=1	FEATURE	DIST	VERT DEPTH	WATER DEPTH	VEL	A	Q	Tape to Water
Total Data Points = 37								
1	TS	0.00	0.97			0.00	0.00	0.00
	BS	0.01	1.21			0.00	0.00	0.00
		0.50	2.11			0.00	0.00	0.00
		1.90	2.39			0.00	0.00	0.00
		2.50	2.77			0.00	0.00	0.00
	GL	6.70	3.34			0.00	0.00	0.00
		7.20	4.32			0.00	0.00	0.00
	WL	10.20	4.97	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
		10.90	5.09	0.10	0.20	0.07	0.01	4.99
		11.60	5.20	0.20	0.43	0.14	0.06	5.00
		12.30	5.15	0.20	0.26	0.14	0.04	4.95
		13.00	5.23	0.25	0.74	0.18	0.13	4.98
		13.70	5.11	0.15	0.39	0.11	0.04	4.96
		14.40	5.11	0.15	0.83	0.11	0.09	4.96
		15.10	5.34	0.35	0.64	0.25	0.16	4.99
		15.80	5.15	0.25	0.97	0.18	0.17	4.90
		16.50	5.21	0.25	0.67	0.18	0.12	4.96
		17.20	5.30	0.30	0.25	0.21	0.05	5.00
		17.90	5.29	0.35	0.68	0.25	0.17	4.94
		18.60	5.30	0.35	0.78	0.25	0.19	4.95
		19.30	5.24	0.25	0.87	0.18	0.15	4.99
		20.00	5.12	0.15	0.81	0.11	0.09	4.97
		20.70	5.17	0.20	0.24	0.14	0.03	4.97
		21.40	5.42	0.45	0.18	0.32	0.06	4.97
		22.10	5.25	0.30	0.71	0.21	0.15	4.95
		22.80	5.16	0.20	0.00	0.14	0.00	4.96
		23.50	5.12	0.15	0.15	0.11	0.02	4.97
	R	24.20	4.95	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	R	24.90	4.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
		25.60	5.07	0.10	0.00	0.07	0.00	4.97
		26.30	5.08	0.10	0.00	0.14	0.00	4.98
	WL	28.40	4.95	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
		32.60	4.73			0.00	0.00	0.00
		35.40	4.05			0.00	0.00	0.00
	GL	36.00	3.47			0.00	0.00	0.00
		38.00	3.22			0.00	0.00	0.00
	BS	39.70	2.79			0.00	0.00	0.00

Totals	3.43	1.71
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COLORADO WATER  
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# FIELD DATA FOR INSTREAM FLOW DETERMINATIONS



## LOCATION INFORMATION

STREAM NAME: <u>S FK SLATER BELOW W PRONG CONFL</u>		CROSS-SECTION NO.: <u>1</u>	
CROSS-SECTION LOCATION: <u>± 100 YDS D/S W/PRONG CONFL.</u>			
<u>40 49 38.8 107 17 95.7</u>			
DATE: <u>9/17/09</u>	OBSERVERS: <u>JPPENDAK, EPPERSON</u>		
LEGAL DESCRIPTION	1/4 SECTION:	SECTION:	TOWNSHIP: <u>N/S</u> RANGE: <u>E/W</u> PM:
COUNTY: <u>Routt</u>	WATERSHED: <u>Slater Creek</u>	WATER DIVISION: <u>6</u>	DOW WATER CODE:
MAP(S):	USGS:		
	USFS:		

## SUPPLEMENTAL DATA

SAG TAPE SECTION SAME AS DISCHARGE SECTION: <input checked="" type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO	METER TYPE: <u>Marsh-McBoney</u>
METER NUMBER:	DATE RATED:
CALIB/SPIN: _____ sec	TAPE WEIGHT: _____ lbs/foot
TAPE TENSION: _____ lbs	
CHANNEL BED MATERIAL SIZE RANGE:	PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN: <input checked="" type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
NUMBER OF PHOTOGRAPHS:	

## CHANNEL PROFILE DATA

STATION	DISTANCE FROM TAPE (ft)	ROD READING (ft)
(X) Tape @ Stake LB	0.0	
(X) Tape @ Stake RB	0.0	
(1) WS @ Tape LB/RB	0.0	
(2) WS Upstream	<u>318</u>	<u>464</u>
(3) WS Downstream	<u>112</u>	<u>509</u>
SLOPE: <u>.45 / 20.8 = 0.022</u>		

SKETCH

LEGEND:

Stake (X)

Station (1)

Photo (1)

Direction of Flow

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## AQUATIC SAMPLING SUMMARY

STREAM ELECTROFISHED: YES/NO	DISTANCE ELECTROFISHED: _____ ft	FISH CAUGHT: YES/NO	WATER CHEMISTRY SAMPLED: YES/NO															
LENGTH - FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION BY ONE-INCH SIZE GROUPS (1.0-1.9, 2.0-2.9, ETC.)																		
SPECIES (FILL IN)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	>15	TOTAL	
<u>Fish seen</u>						<u>1</u>												
AQUATIC INSECTS IN STREAM SECTION BY COMMON OR SCIENTIFIC ORDER NAME:																		

## COMMENTS




### DISCHARGE/CROSS SECTION NOTES

STREAM NAME:						CROSS-SECTION NO.:	DATE:	SHEET			
							OF	1			
BEGINNING OF MEASUREMENT	EDGE OF WATER LOOKING DOWNSTREAM: (0.0 AT STAKE)								Gage Reading:	TIME:	
									ft	1:15	
Features Stake (S) Grassline (G) Waterline (W) Rock (R)	Distance From Initial Point (ft)	Width (ft)	Total Vertical Depth From Tape/Inst (ft)	Water Depth (ft)	Depth of Observation (ft)	Revolutions	Time (sec)	Velocity (ft/sec)		Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	Discharge (cfs)
								At Point	Mean in Vertical		
TOPN	0.0		0.91								
	0.00		1.21								
	0.50		2.11								
	1.1		2.39								
	2.5		2.77								
E	6.7		3.34								
	7.2		4.32								
W	10.2		4.97	0.0							
	10.9		5.09	0.10							
	11.6		5.20	0.20							
	12.2		5.15	0.20							
	13.0		5.23	0.25							
	13.7		5.11	0.15							
	14.4		5.11	0.15							
	15.1		5.34	0.35							
	15.8		5.15	0.25							
	16.2		5.21	0.25							
	17.2		5.30	0.30							
	17.9		5.29	0.25							
	18.6		5.30	0.35							
	19.2		5.24	0.25							
	20.0		5.12	0.15							
	20.7		5.17	0.20							
	21.4		5.42	0.45							
	22.1		5.25	0.30							
	22.8		5.16	0.20							
	23.5		5.12	0.15							
Rock	24.2		4.95	0.0							
" "	24.9		4.99	0.0							
	25.5		5.07	0.10							
	26.2		5.08	0.10							
W	28.4		4.95	0							
	32.6		4.73								
	35.4		4.65								
E	36.0		3.47								
	38.0		3.22								
PIN	39.7		2.79								
TOTALS:											
End of Measurement	Time: 1:45	Gage Reading: _____ ft	CALCULATIONS PERFORMED BY:					CALCULATIONS CHECKED BY:			



COLORADO WATER CONSERVATION BOARD  
INSTREAM FLOW / NATURAL LAKE LEVEL PROGRAM  
STREAM CROSS-SECTION AND FLOW ANALYSIS

$$Q = 9.7$$
$$3/3 = 38.8$$
$$2/3 = 6.5$$

LOCATION INFORMATION

STREAM NAME: S. FK. SLATER CREEK (Lower Site)  
XS LOCATION: ~ 600' U/S OF USFS BOUNDARY  
XS NUMBER: 1

DATE: 8-Jul-09  
OBSERVERS: UPPENDAHL & ESPEGREN

1/4 SEC: SE  
SECTION: 7  
TWP: 10 N  
RANGE: 88 W  
PM: 6

COUNTY: ROUTT  
WATERSHED: SLATER CREEK  
DIVISION: 6  
DOW CODE: 0

USGS MAP: 0  
USFS MAP: 0

SUPPLEMENTAL DATA

\*\*\* NOTE \*\*\*

Leave TAPE WT and TENSION  
at defaults for data collected  
with a survey level and rod

TAPE WT: 0.0106  
TENSION: 99999

CHANNEL PROFILE DATA

SLOPE: 0.01243243

INPUT DATA CHECKED BY: .....DATE.....

ASSIGNED TO: .....DATE.....

STREAM NAME: S. FK. SLATER CREEK (Lower Site)  
 XS LOCATION: ~ 600' U/S OF USFS BOUNDARY  
 XS NUMBER: 1

# DATA POINTS= 39

VALUES COMPUTED FROM RAW FIELD DATA

FEATURE	DIST	VERT DEPTH	WATER DEPTH	VEL
TS	0.00	4.35		
BS	0.01	4.95		
1 GL	0.50	5.05		
	1.00	5.32		
	1.60	6.21		
SWL	8.50	6.78	0.00	0.00
	10.00	7.00	0.20	0.53
	11.00	7.00	0.20	0.37
BR	12.00	7.20	0.40	0.00
	13.00	7.40	0.60	0.71
	14.00	7.40	0.60	0.34
	15.00	7.40	0.60	0.42
	15.50	7.40	0.60	0.60
	16.00	7.35	0.55	1.48
	16.50	7.25	0.45	2.69
	17.00	7.25	0.45	3.23
	17.50	7.30	0.50	2.70
	18.00	7.80	1.00	1.59
	18.50	7.85	1.05	1.18
	19.00	7.80	1.00	0.81
	19.50	7.80	1.00	0.71
	20.00	7.90	1.10	1.41
	20.50	8.00	1.20	1.87
	21.00	7.90	1.10	1.65
	21.50	7.95	1.15	0.90
	22.00	8.00	1.20	0.21
	22.50	7.95	1.15	0.19
BR	23.00	8.00	1.20	0.00
BR	24.00	7.80	1.00	0.00
BR	25.00	7.65	0.85	0.06
BR	26.00	6.90	0.08	0.19
BR	27.00	7.85	1.05	0.00
BR	28.00	7.80	1.00	0.06
BR	29.00	6.90	0.10	0.00
	30.00	7.00	0.20	0.54
	31.00	6.73	0.00	0.00
	33.00	6.32		
	35.00	5.80		
1 BS, GL	37.60	5.05		

WETTED PERIM.	WATER DEPTH	AREA (Am)	Q (Qm)	% Q CELL
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
1.52	0.20	0.25	0.13	1.4%
1.00	0.20	0.20	0.07	0.8%
1.02	0.40	0.40	0.00	0.0%
1.02	0.60	0.60	0.43	4.4%
1.00	0.60	0.60	0.20	2.1%
1.00	0.60	0.45	0.19	2.0%
0.50	0.60	0.30	0.18	1.9%
0.50	0.55	0.28	0.41	4.2%
0.51	0.45	0.23	0.61	6.3%
0.50	0.45	0.23	0.73	7.6%
0.50	0.50	0.25	0.68	7.0%
0.71	1.00	0.50	0.80	8.3%
0.50	1.05	0.53	0.62	6.5%
0.50	1.00	0.50	0.41	4.2%
0.50	1.00	0.50	0.36	3.7%
0.51	1.10	0.55	0.78	8.1%
0.51	1.20	0.60	1.12	11.7%
0.51	1.10	0.55	0.91	9.5%
0.50	1.15	0.58	0.52	5.4%
0.50	1.20	0.60	0.13	1.3%
0.50	1.15	0.58	0.11	1.1%
0.50	1.20	0.90	0.00	0.0%
1.02	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.0%
1.01	0.85	0.85	0.05	0.5%
1.25	0.08	0.08	0.02	0.2%
1.38	1.05	1.05	0.00	0.0%
1.00	1.00	1.00	0.06	0.6%
1.35	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.0%
1.00	0.20	0.20	0.11	1.1%
1.04		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%

TOTALS -----

23.87 1.2 14.43 9.59 100.0%  
 (Max.)

Manning's n = 0.1783  
 Hydraulic Radius= 0.60452372

STREAM NAME: S. FK. SLATER CREEK (Lower Site)  
 XS LOCATION: ~ 600' U/S OF USFS BOUNDARY  
 XS NUMBER: 1

WATER LINE COMPARISON TABLE

WATER LINE	MEAS AREA	COMP AREA	AREA ERROR
	14.43	15.42	6.8%
6.51	14.43	21.62	49.8%
6.53	14.43	21.08	46.1%
6.55	14.43	20.56	42.4%
6.57	14.43	20.03	38.8%
6.59	14.43	19.52	35.3%
6.61	14.43	19.01	31.7%
6.63	14.43	18.51	28.3%
6.65	14.43	18.02	24.8%
6.67	14.43	17.53	21.5%
6.69	14.43	17.05	18.1%
6.71	14.43	16.57	14.9%
6.72	14.43	16.34	13.2%
6.73	14.43	16.11	11.6%
6.74	14.43	15.87	10.0%
6.75	14.43	15.65	8.4%
6.76	14.43	15.42	6.8%
6.77	14.43	15.19	5.3%
6.78	14.43	14.97	3.7%
6.79	14.43	14.74	2.2%
6.80	14.43	14.52	0.6%
6.81	14.43	14.30	-0.9%
6.83	14.43	13.86	-3.9%
6.85	14.43	13.43	-7.0%
6.87	14.43	13.00	-9.9%
6.89	14.43	12.57	-12.9%
6.91	14.43	12.15	-15.8%
6.93	14.43	11.73	-18.7%
6.95	14.43	11.33	-21.5%
6.97	14.43	10.94	-24.2%
6.99	14.43	10.55	-26.9%
7.01	14.43	10.18	-29.5%

WATERLINE AT ZERO  
 AREA ERROR = 6.799

STREAM NAME: S. FK. SLATER CREEK (Lower Site)  
 XS LOCATION: ~ 600' U/S OF USFS BOUNDARY  
 XS NUMBER: 1

Constant Manning's n

\*GL\* = lowest Grassline elevation corrected for sag

STAGING TABLE

\*WL\* = Waterline corrected for variations in field measured water surface elevations and sag

	DIST TO WATER (FT)	TOP WIDTH (FT)	AVG. DEPTH (FT)	MAX. DEPTH (FT)	AREA (SQ FT)	WETTED PERIM. (FT)	PERCENT WET PERIM (%)	HYDR RADIUS (FT)	FLOW (CFS)	AVG. VELOCITY (FT/SEC)
*GL*	5.05	37.10	1.89	2.95	70.19	39.25	100.0%	1.79	96.08	1.37
	5.80	33.68	1.30	2.20	43.75	35.40	90.2%	1.24	46.82	1.07
	5.85	33.45	1.26	2.15	42.07	35.14	89.5%	1.20	44.08	1.05
	5.90	33.23	1.22	2.10	40.41	34.88	88.9%	1.16	41.41	1.02
	5.95	33.00	1.17	2.05	38.75	34.62	88.2%	1.12	38.81	1.00
	6.00	32.78	1.13	2.00	37.11	34.36	87.6%	1.08	36.29	0.98
	6.05	32.55	1.09	1.95	35.47	34.11	86.9%	1.04	33.84	0.95
	6.10	32.32	1.05	1.90	33.85	33.85	86.2%	1.00	31.46	0.93
	6.15	32.10	1.00	1.85	32.24	33.59	85.6%	0.96	29.15	0.90
	6.20	31.87	0.96	1.80	30.64	33.33	84.9%	0.92	26.92	0.88
	6.25	31.20	0.93	1.75	29.06	32.64	83.2%	0.89	24.99	0.86
	6.30	30.40	0.91	1.70	27.52	31.84	81.1%	0.86	23.21	0.84
	6.35	29.57	0.88	1.65	26.02	31.00	79.0%	0.84	21.52	0.83
	6.40	28.72	0.86	1.60	24.56	30.14	76.8%	0.81	19.91	0.81
	6.45	27.88	0.83	1.55	23.15	29.29	74.6%	0.79	18.39	0.79
	6.50	27.03	0.81	1.50	21.78	28.43	72.4%	0.77	16.94	0.78
	6.55	26.18	0.78	1.45	20.45	27.57	70.3%	0.74	15.56	0.76
	6.60	25.33	0.76	1.40	19.16	26.72	68.1%	0.72	14.26	0.74
	6.65	24.48	0.73	1.35	17.91	25.86	65.9%	0.69	13.03	0.73
	6.70	23.63	0.71	1.30	16.71	25.01	63.7%	0.67	11.87	0.71
	6.75	22.80	0.68	1.25	15.55	24.17	61.6%	0.64	10.77	0.69
*WL*	6.80	22.11	0.65	1.20	14.43	23.47	59.8%	0.61	9.69	0.67
	6.85	21.59	0.62	1.15	13.34	22.94	58.4%	0.58	8.63	0.65
	6.90	21.07	0.58	1.10	12.27	22.41	57.1%	0.55	7.63	0.62
	6.95	19.87	0.57	1.05	11.25	21.14	53.9%	0.53	6.86	0.61
	7.00	17.66	0.58	1.00	10.28	18.86	48.1%	0.55	6.38	0.62
	7.05	17.23	0.55	0.95	9.41	18.37	46.8%	0.51	5.60	0.59
	7.10	16.81	0.51	0.90	8.56	17.89	45.6%	0.48	4.87	0.57
	7.15	16.38	0.47	0.85	7.73	17.40	44.3%	0.44	4.18	0.54
	7.20	15.96	0.43	0.80	6.92	16.92	43.1%	0.41	3.54	0.51
	7.25	15.05	0.41	0.75	6.13	15.95	40.6%	0.38	3.01	0.49
	7.30	13.86	0.39	0.70	5.41	14.69	37.4%	0.37	2.58	0.48
	7.35	13.14	0.36	0.65	4.74	13.89	35.4%	0.34	2.15	0.45
	7.40	9.66	0.42	0.60	4.10	10.32	26.3%	0.40	2.06	0.50
	7.45	9.43	0.38	0.55	3.62	10.01	25.5%	0.36	1.71	0.47
	7.50	9.21	0.34	0.50	3.16	9.71	24.7%	0.33	1.39	0.44
	7.55	8.98	0.30	0.45	2.70	9.41	24.0%	0.29	1.09	0.40
	7.60	8.76	0.26	0.40	2.26	9.11	23.2%	0.25	0.83	0.37
	7.65	8.54	0.21	0.35	1.83	8.81	22.5%	0.21	0.59	0.33
	7.70	8.04	0.18	0.30	1.41	8.26	21.0%	0.17	0.40	0.29
	7.75	7.55	0.14	0.25	1.02	7.70	19.6%	0.13	0.25	0.24
	7.80	6.60	0.10	0.20	0.66	6.68	17.0%	0.10	0.13	0.20
	7.85	4.01	0.10	0.15	0.39	4.06	10.3%	0.10	0.08	0.20
	7.90	3.52	0.06	0.10	0.20	3.56	9.1%	0.06	0.03	0.14
	7.95	2.29	0.03	0.05	0.06	2.31	5.9%	0.03	0.00	0.08
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$$3/3 = 38.8$$

$$2/3 = 6.5$$

STREAM NAME: S. FK. SLATER CREEK (Lower Site)  
XS LOCATION: ~ 600' U/S OF USFS BOUNDARY  
XS NUMBER: 1

## SUMMARY SHEET

MEASURED FLOW (Qm)=	9.59 cfs
CALCULATED FLOW (Qc)=	9.69 cfs
(Qm-Qc)/Qm * 100 =	-1.1 %
MEASURED WATERLINE (WLm)=	6.76 ft
CALCULATED WATERLINE (WLc)=	6.80 ft
(WLm-WLc)/WLm * 100 =	-0.7 %
MAX MEASURED DEPTH (Dm)=	1.20 ft
MAX CALCULATED DEPTH (Dc)=	1.20 ft
(Dm-Dc)/Dm * 100	-0.1 %
MEAN VELOCITY=	0.67 ft/sec
MANNING'S N=	0.178
SLOPE=	0.01243243 ft/ft
.4 * Qm =	3.8 cfs
2.5 * Qm=	24.0 cfs

RECOMMENDED INSTREAM FLOW:

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FLOW (CFS)

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**RATIONALE FOR RECOMMENDATION:**

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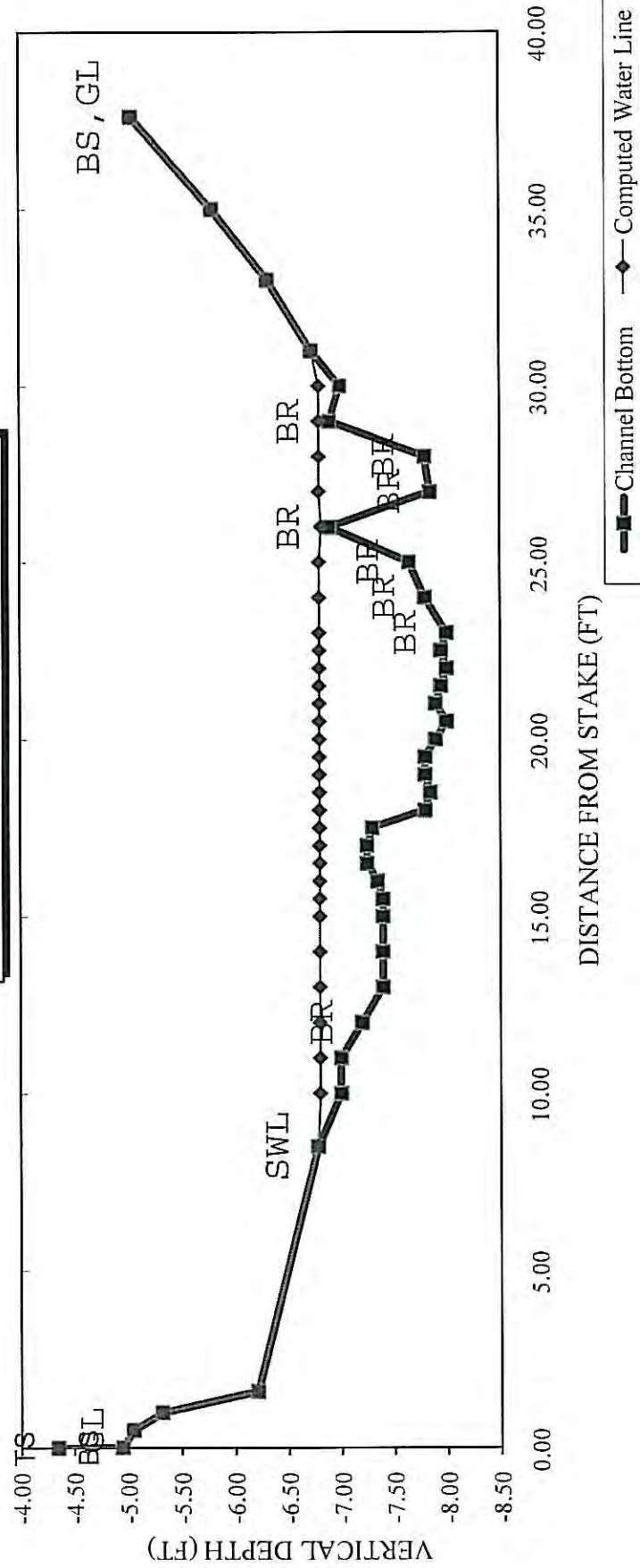
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RECOMMENDATION BY: \_\_\_\_\_ AGENCY: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

CWCB REVIEW BY: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

# S. FK. SLATER CREEK (Lower Site)

## CROSS SECTION DATA ANALYSIS





### Data Input & Proofing

STREAM NAME: S. FK. SLATER CREEK (Lower Site)  
 XS LOCATION: ~ 600' U/S OF USFS BOUNDARY  
 XS NUMBER: 1  
 DATE: 7/8/2009  
 OBSERVERS: UPPENDAHL & ESPEGREN

1/4 SEC: SE  
 SECTION: 7  
 TWP: 10 N  
 RANGE: 88 W  
 PM: 6

COUNTY: ROUTT  
 WATERSHED: SLATER CREEK  
 DIVISION: 6  
 DOW CODE:  
 USGS MAP:  
 USFS MAP:

TAPE WT: 0.0106 lbs / ft  
 TENSION: 99999 lbs

SLOPE: 0.012432432 ft / ft

CHECKED BY: .....DATE.....

ASSIGNED TO: .....DATE.....

GL=1	FEATURE	DIST	VERT DEPTH	WATER DEPTH	VEL	A	Q	Tape to Water
Total Data Points = 39								
1	TS	0.00	4.35			0.00	0.00	0.00
	BS	0.01	4.95			0.00	0.00	0.00
	GL	0.50	5.05			0.00	0.00	0.00
		1.00	5.32			0.00	0.00	0.00
		1.60	6.21			0.00	0.00	0.00
	SWL	8.50	6.78	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
		10.00	7.00	0.20	0.53	0.25	0.13	6.80
		11.00	7.00	0.20	0.37	0.20	0.07	6.80
	BR	12.00	7.20	0.40	0.00	0.40	0.00	6.80
		13.00	7.40	0.60	0.71	0.60	0.43	6.80
		14.00	7.40	0.60	0.34	0.60	0.20	6.80
		15.00	7.40	0.60	0.42	0.45	0.19	6.80
		15.50	7.40	0.60	0.60	0.30	0.18	6.80
		16.00	7.35	0.55	1.48	0.28	0.41	6.80
		16.50	7.25	0.45	2.69	0.23	0.61	6.80
		17.00	7.25	0.45	3.23	0.23	0.73	6.80
		17.50	7.30	0.50	2.70	0.25	0.68	6.80
		18.00	7.80	1.00	1.59	0.50	0.80	6.80
		18.50	7.85	1.05	1.18	0.53	0.62	6.80
		19.00	7.80	1.00	0.81	0.50	0.41	6.80
		19.50	7.80	1.00	0.71	0.50	0.36	6.80
		20.00	7.90	1.10	1.41	0.55	0.78	6.80
		20.50	8.00	1.20	1.87	0.60	1.12	6.80
		21.00	7.90	1.10	1.65	0.55	0.91	6.80
		21.50	7.95	1.15	0.90	0.58	0.52	6.80
		22.00	8.00	1.20	0.21	0.60	0.13	6.80
		22.50	7.95	1.15	0.19	0.58	0.11	6.80
	BR	23.00	8.00	1.20	0.00	0.90	0.00	6.80
	BR	24.00	7.80	1.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	6.80
	BR	25.00	7.65	0.85	0.06	0.85	0.05	6.80
	BR	26.00	6.90	0.08	0.19	0.08	0.02	6.82
	BR	27.00	7.85	1.05	0.00	1.05	0.00	6.80
	BR	28.00	7.80	1.00	0.06	1.00	0.06	6.80
	BR	29.00	6.90	0.10	0.00	0.10	0.00	6.80
		30.00	7.00	0.20	0.54	0.20	0.11	6.80
		31.00	6.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
		33.00	6.32			0.00	0.00	0.00
		35.00	5.80			0.00	0.00	0.00
	BS, GL	37.60	5.05			0.00	0.00	0.00

Totals 14.43 9.59

STREAM NAME: S. FK. SLATER CREEK (Lower Site)  
 XS LOCATION: ~ 600' U/S OF USFS BOUNDARY  
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Thorne-Zevenbergen D84 Correction Applied

Estimated D84 =

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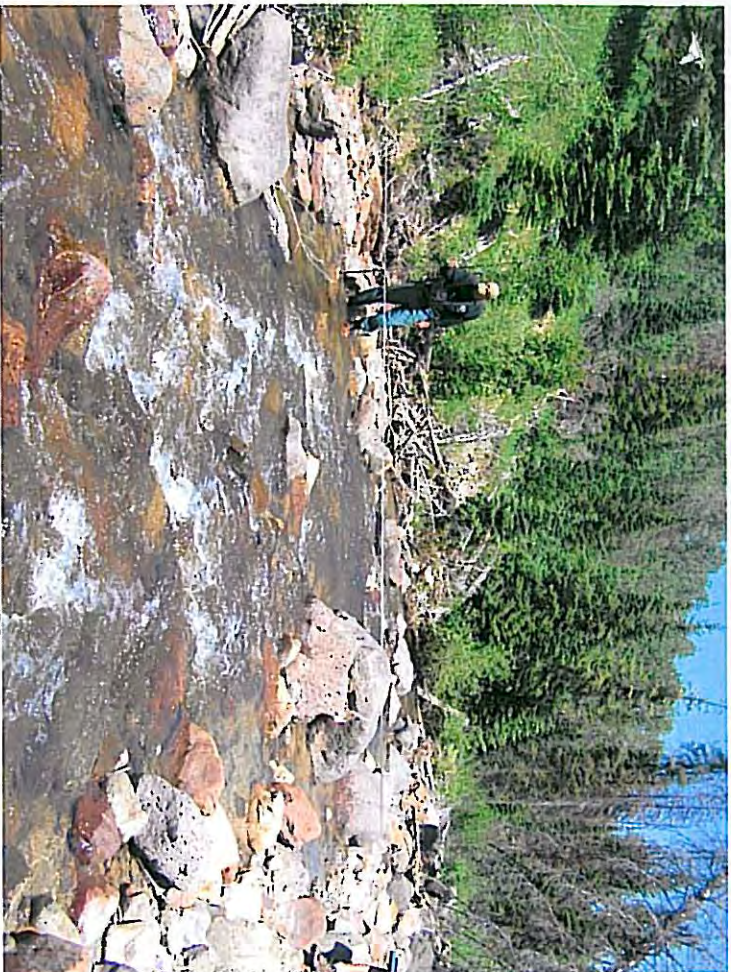
\*GL\* = lowest Grassline elevation corrected for sag

STAGING TABLE \*WL\* = Waterline corrected for variations in field measured water surface elevations and sag

Velocity based on test of R/D84>1

	DIST TO WATER (FT)	TOP WIDTH (FT)	AVG. DEPTH (FT)	MAX. DEPTH (FT)	AREA (SQ FT)	WETTED PERIM. (FT)	PERCENT WET PERIM (%)	HYDR RADIUS (FT)	FLOW (CFS)	AVG. VELOCITY (FT/SEC)
*GL*	5.05	37.10	1.89	2.95	70.19	39.25	100.0%	1.79	224.66	3.20
	5.80	33.68	1.30	2.20	43.75	35.40	90.2%	1.24	76.75	1.75
	5.85	33.45	1.26	2.15	42.07	35.14	89.5%	1.20	70.37	1.67
	5.90	33.23	1.22	2.10	40.41	34.88	88.9%	1.16	64.36	1.59
	5.95	33.00	1.17	2.05	38.75	34.62	88.2%	1.12	58.70	1.51
	6.00	32.78	1.13	2.00	37.11	34.36	87.6%	1.08	53.40	1.44
	6.05	32.55	1.09	1.95	35.47	34.11	86.9%	1.04	48.43	1.37
	6.10	32.32	1.05	1.90	33.85	33.85	86.2%	1.00	43.78	1.29
	6.15	32.10	1.00	1.85	32.24	33.59	85.6%	0.96	39.45	1.22
	6.20	31.87	0.96	1.80	30.64	33.33	84.9%	0.92	35.41	1.16
	6.25	31.20	0.93	1.75	29.06	32.64	83.2%	0.89	32.18	1.11
	6.30	30.40	0.91	1.70	27.52	31.84	81.1%	0.86	29.29	1.06
	6.35	29.57	0.88	1.65	26.02	31.00	79.0%	0.84	26.61	1.02
	6.40	28.72	0.86	1.60	24.56	30.14	76.8%	0.81	24.13	0.98
	6.45	27.88	0.83	1.55	23.15	29.29	74.6%	0.79	21.82	0.94
	6.50	27.03	0.81	1.50	21.78	28.43	72.4%	0.77	19.67	0.90
	6.55	26.18	0.78	1.45	20.45	27.57	70.3%	0.74	17.67	0.86
	6.60	25.33	0.76	1.40	19.16	26.72	68.1%	0.72	15.82	0.83
	6.65	24.48	0.73	1.35	17.91	25.86	65.9%	0.69	14.11	0.79
	6.70	23.63	0.71	1.30	16.71	25.01	63.7%	0.67	12.53	0.75
	6.75	22.80	0.68	1.25	15.55	24.17	61.6%	0.64	11.08	0.71
*WL*	6.80	22.11	0.65	1.20	14.43	23.47	59.8%	0.61	9.69	0.67
	6.85	21.59	0.62	1.15	13.34	22.94	58.4%	0.58	8.38	0.63
	6.90	21.07	0.58	1.10	12.27	22.41	57.1%	0.55	7.18	0.59
	6.95	19.87	0.57	1.05	11.25	21.14	53.9%	0.53	6.28	0.56
	7.00	17.66	0.58	1.00	10.28	18.86	48.1%	0.55	5.69	0.55
	7.05	17.23	0.55	0.95	9.41	18.37	46.8%	0.51	4.83	0.51
	7.10	16.81	0.51	0.90	8.56	17.89	45.6%	0.48	4.06	0.47
	7.15	16.38	0.47	0.85	7.73	17.40	44.3%	0.44	3.38	0.44
	7.20	15.96	0.43	0.80	6.92	16.92	43.1%	0.41	2.77	0.40
	7.25	15.05	0.41	0.75	6.13	15.95	40.6%	0.38	2.27	0.37
	7.30	13.86	0.39	0.70	5.41	14.69	37.4%	0.37	1.86	0.34
	7.35	13.14	0.36	0.65	4.74	13.89	35.4%	0.34	1.49	0.31
	7.40	9.66	0.42	0.60	4.10	10.32	26.3%	0.40	1.29	0.32
	7.45	9.43	0.38	0.55	3.62	10.01	25.5%	0.36	1.03	0.28
	7.50	9.21	0.34	0.50	3.16	9.71	24.7%	0.33	0.80	0.25
	7.55	8.98	0.30	0.45	2.70	9.41	24.0%	0.29	0.60	0.22
	7.60	8.76	0.26	0.40	2.26	9.11	23.2%	0.25	0.45	0.20
	7.65	8.54	0.21	0.35	1.83	8.81	22.5%	0.21	0.32	0.17
	7.70	8.04	0.18	0.30	1.41	8.26	21.0%	0.17	0.21	0.15
	7.75	7.55	0.14	0.25	1.02	7.70	19.6%	0.13	0.13	0.13
	7.80	6.60	0.10	0.20	0.66	6.68	17.0%	0.10	0.07	0.11
	7.85	4.01	0.10	0.15	0.39	4.06	10.3%	0.10	0.03	0.07
	7.90	3.52	0.06	0.10	0.20	3.56	9.1%	0.06	0.01	0.06
	7.95	2.29	0.03	0.05	0.06	2.31	5.9%	0.03	0.00	0.04
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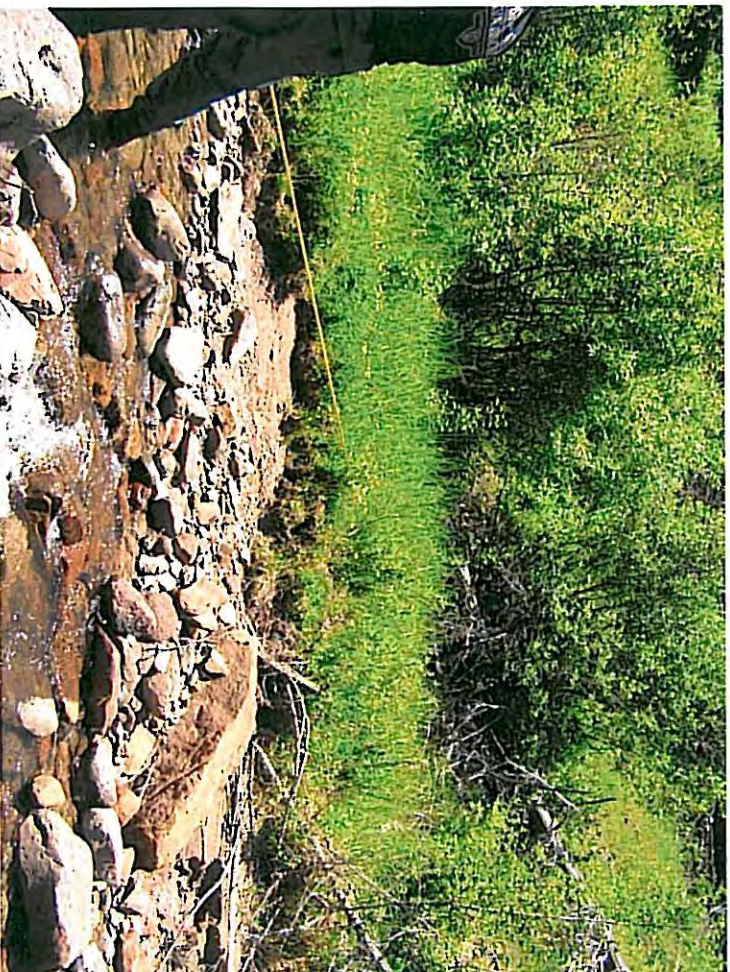




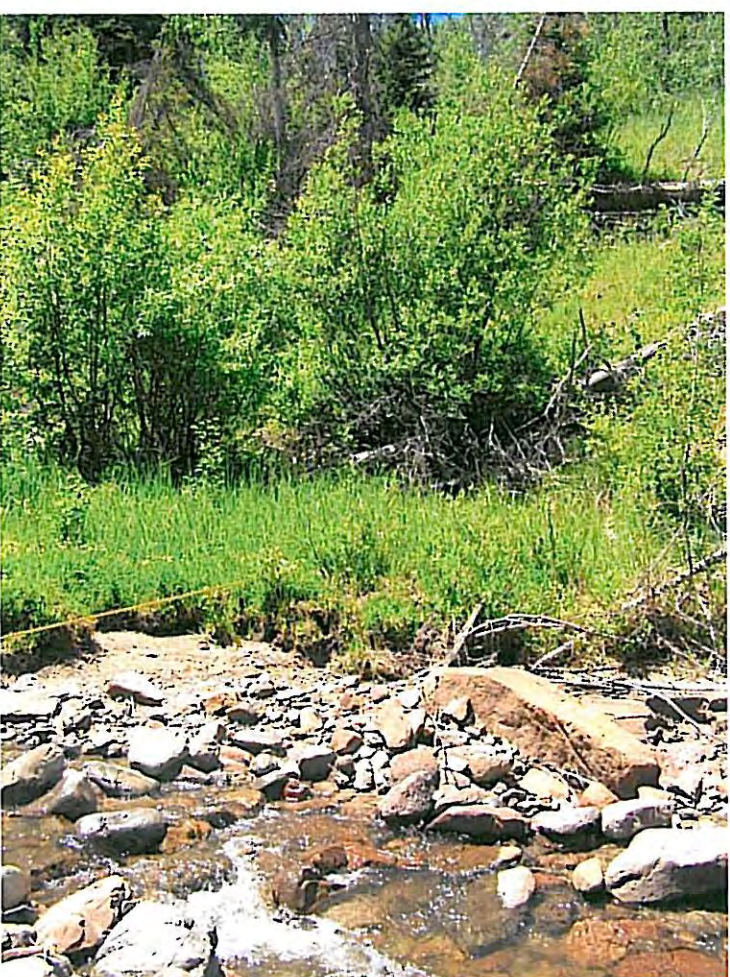
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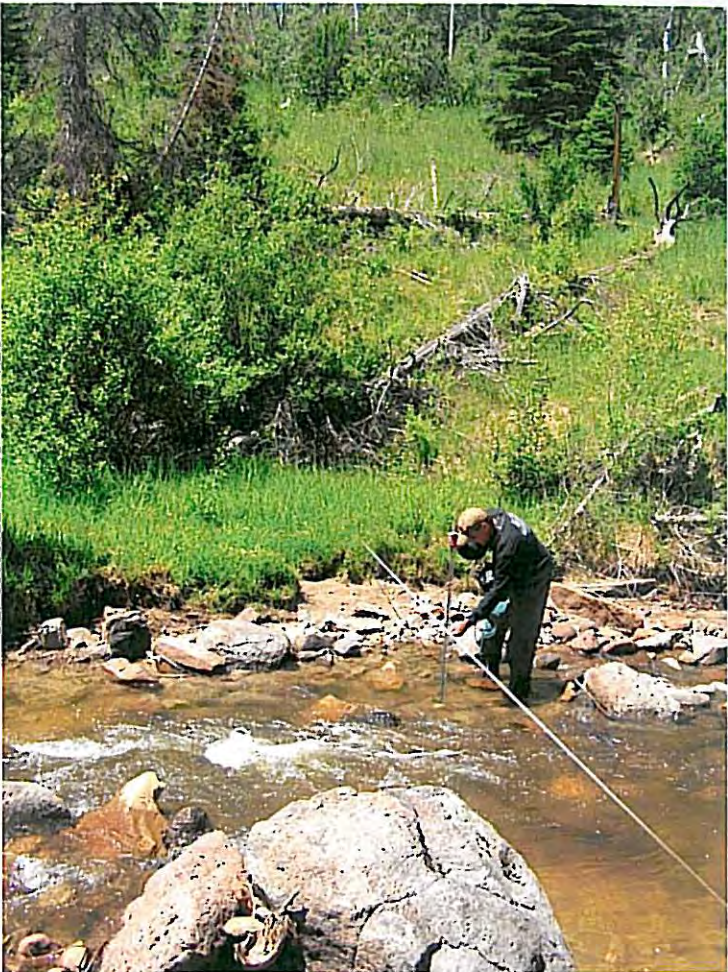


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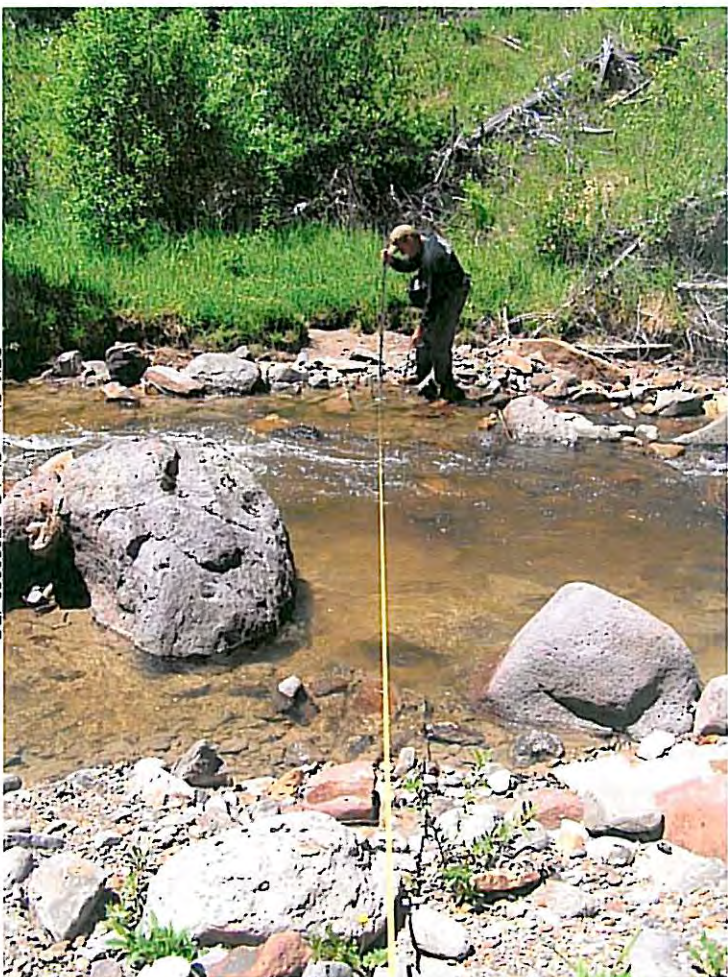


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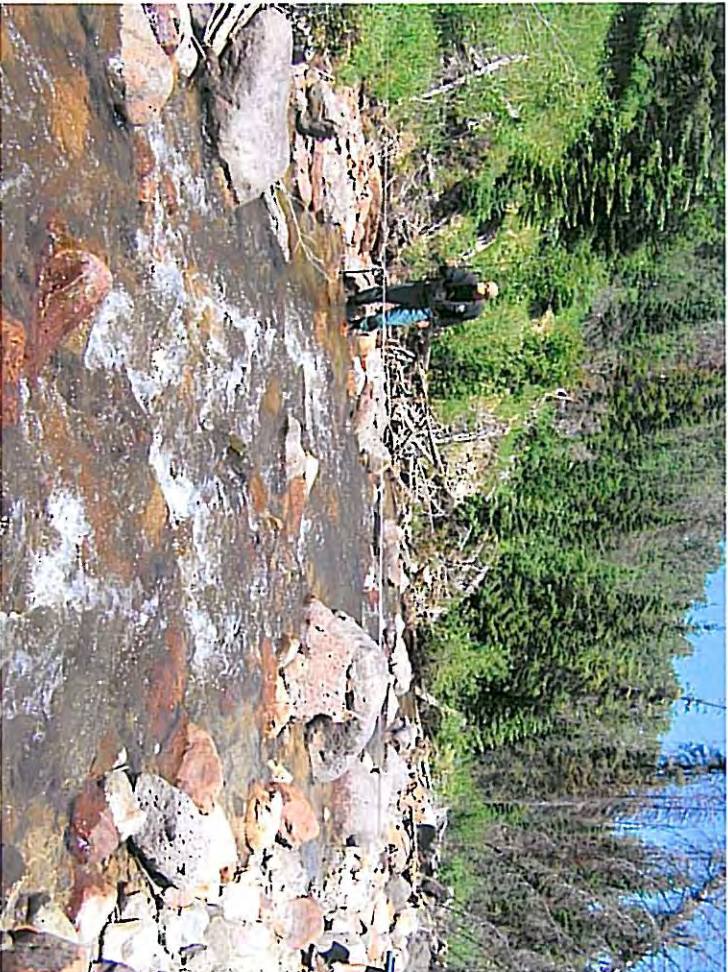




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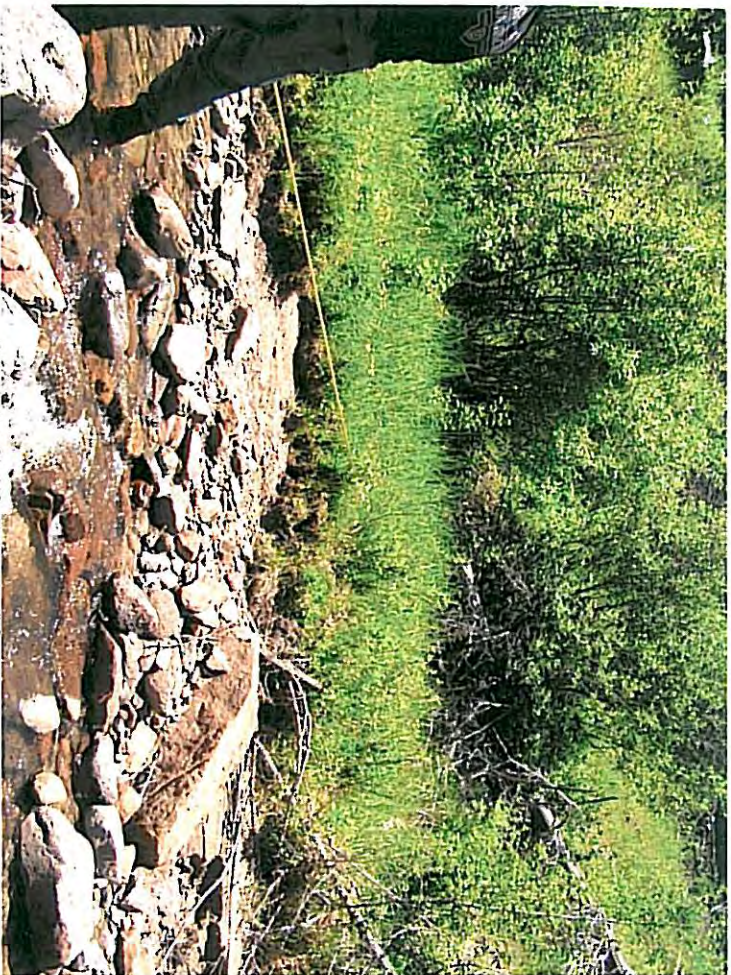


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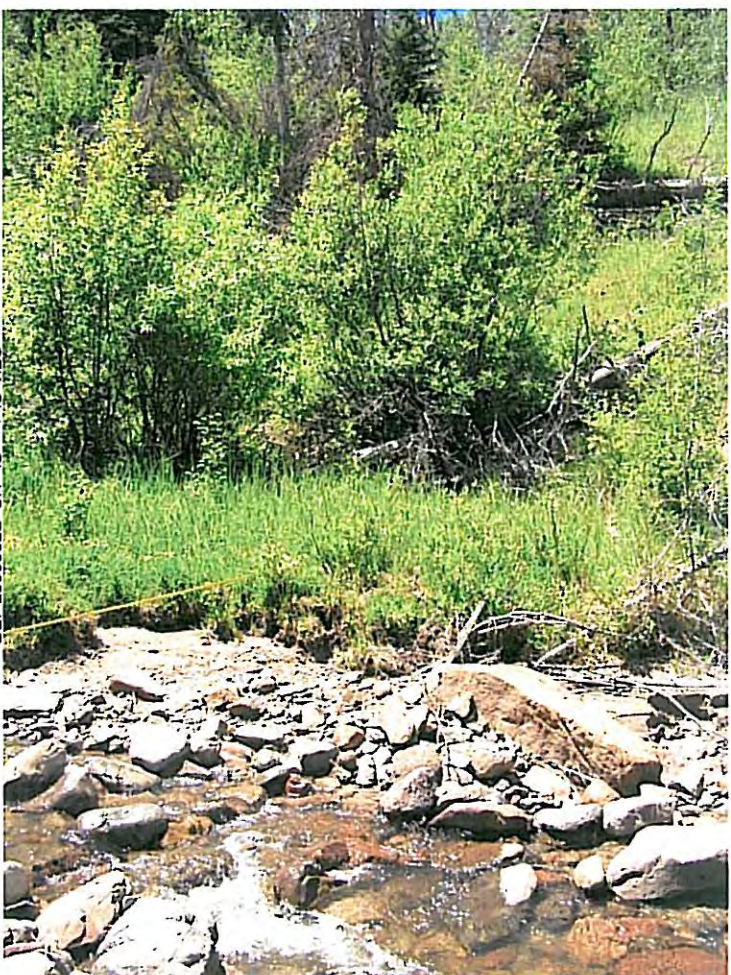


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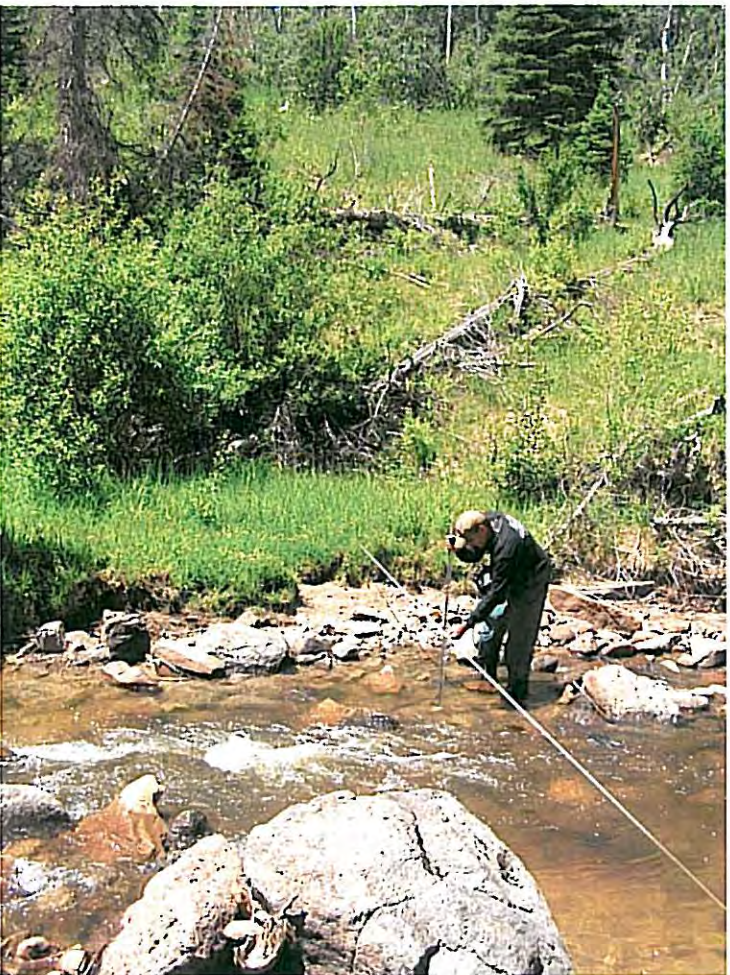




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**COLORADO WATER  
CONSERVATION BOARD**

## LOCATION INFORMATION

STREAM NAME: South Fork Slater Creek / upstream Forest Service boundary		CROSS-SECTION NO.:	
CROSS-SECTION LOCATION: 40° 50' 24.5" 107° 17' 50.1"			
DATE: 7/8/09 OBSERVERS: Vppendahl x Espgren			
LEGAL DESCRIPTION	1/4 SECTION: SE	SECTION: 7	TOWNSHIP: 10 N/S
			RANGE: 88 E/W PM: 6
COUNTY: ROUTT	WATERSHED: SLATER CK	WATER DIVISION: 6	DOW WATER CODE:
MAP(S):	USGS:		
	USFS:		

## SUPPLEMENTAL DATA

SAG TAPE SECTION SAME AS DISCHARGE SECTION: <input checked="" type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO		METER TYPE: <u>Marsh-McBirney</u>			
METER NUMBER: _____		DATE RATED: _____		CALIB/SPIN: _____ sec	
				TAPE WEIGHT: _____ lbs/foot	TAPE TENSION: _____ lbs
CHANNEL BED MATERIAL SIZE RANGE: _____				PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN: <input checked="" type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO	NUMBER OF PHOTOGRAPHS: _____

## CHANNEL PROFILE DATA

STATION		DISTANCE FROM TAPE (ft)	ROD READING (ft)
⊗	Tape @ Stake LB	0.0	
⊗	Tape @ Stake RB	0.0	
①	WS @ Tape LB/RB	0.0	
②	WS Upstream	5.5	6.72
③	WS Downstream	13.0	6.95
SLOPE	0.23 / 18.5 =		

SKETCH

## AQUATIC SAMPLING SUMMARY

STREAM ELECTROFISHED: YES/ <u>NO</u>		DISTANCE ELECTROFISHED: _____ft		FISH CAUGHT: YES/NO		WATER CHEMISTRY SAMPLED: YES/NO											
<b>LENGTH - FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION BY ONE-INCH SIZE GROUPS (1.0-1.9, 2.0-2.9, ETC.)</b>																	
SPECIES (FILL IN)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	>15	TOTAL
AQUATIC INSECTS IN STREAM SECTION BY COMMON OR SCIENTIFIC ORDER NAME:																	

## COMMENTS

Caddis Flies



## DISCHARGE/CROSS SECTION NOTES

STREAM NAME: <u>South Fork Slater Creek</u>				CROSS-SECTION NO.:		DATE: <u>7/8/09</u>		SHEET <u>1</u> OF <u>1</u>				
BEGINNING OF MEASUREMENT		EDGE OF WATER LOOKING DOWNSTREAM: <u>LEFT</u> <input checked="" type="radio"/> <u>RIGHT</u>			Gage Reading: <u>    </u> ft		TIME: <u>12:32 pm</u>					
Features	Stake (S) Grassline (G) Waterline (W) Rock (R)	Distance From Initial Point (ft)	Width (ft)	Total Vertical Depth From Tape/Inst (ft)	Water Depth (ft)	Depth of Observation (ft)	Revolutions	Time (sec)	Velocity (ft/sec)		Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	Discharge (cfs)
									At Point	Mean in Vertical		
TS		0		4.35								
BS		0		4.95								
GL		0.5		5.05								
		1.0		5.32								
		1.6		6.21								
SWL		8.5		6.78								
		10.0			0.2					0.53		
		11.0			0.2					0.37		
		12.0			0.4					0 (Behind rock)		
		13.0			0.6					0.71		
		14.0			0.6					0.34		
		15.0			0.6					0.42		
		15.5			0.6					0.60		
		16.0			0.55					1.48		
		16.5			0.45					2.69		
		17.0			0.45					3.23		
		17.5			0.5					2.70		
		18.0			1.0					1.59		
		18.5			1.05					1.18		
		19.0			1.0					0.81		
		19.5			1.0					0.71		
		20.0			1.1					1.41		
		20.5			1.2					1.87		
		21.0			1.1					1.65		
		21.5			1.15					0.90		
		22.0			1.2					0.21		
		22.5			1.15					0.19		
		23.0			1.2					0		
		24.0			1.0					0		
		25.0			0.85					0.06		
		26.0			0.08					0.19		
		27.0			1.05					0		
		28.0			1.0					0.06		
		29.0			0.1					0		
		30.0			0.2					0.54		
SWL		31.0		6.73								
		33.0		6.32								
		35.0		5.80								
GL		37.6		5.05								
(TR)												
NO stake												
TOTALS:												9.59
End of Measurement		Time: <u>1:02</u>		Gage Reading: <u>    </u> ft		CALCULATIONS PERFORMED BY:				CALCULATIONS CHECKED BY:		