

DRAFT INSTREAM FLOW RECOMMENDATION March 13, 2004 Version

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

Dear Ms. Bassi:

The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is writing this letter to formally communicate its recommendation for an instream flow water right on Alkali Creek, located in Water Division 4.

Location and Land Status. Alkali Creek originates at the southern end of Grand Mesa near Point Peninsula, approximately eleven miles northwest of Delta. This recommendation covers the stream reach that begins at the headwaters and extends downstream to the headgate of the Lone Starr Ditch. This stream reach covers a distance of approximately 4.5 miles. The BLM and U.S. Forest Service manage the entire reach.

Biological Summary. Alkali Creek is a cold-water, high gradient stream in a narrow canyon. The stream is confined by bedrock in many locations. The stream generally has small to moderate sized substrate, consisting of sands, gravels, and cobbles. Pool habitat is abundant because of the step-pool nature of the stream morphology, but riffle habitat is limited.

Fisheries surveys have revealed a self-sustaining population of native cutthroat trout, possibly of high genetic quality. The BLM has taken fin samples from the fish population and is awaiting genetic analysis results. Intensive macro-invertebrate surveys have not been conducted, but spot samples have revealed various species of mayfly, caddisfly, and stonefly.

The riparian community along Alkali Creek at higher elevations is comprised of red osier dogwood, equisetum, currant, and sedges/rushes. At lower elevations, the riparian community is comprised of willow, alder, and narrowleaf cottonwood. The riparian community along the creek is narrow in width because of the steep gradient and canyon walls, and limited alluvial soils. Some portions of the lower riparian area are recovering from historic grazing practices. The robust riparian community creates good cover and shading for fish habitat purposes.

R2Cross Analysis. BLM collected the following R2Cross data from Alkali Creek:

Cross Section Date	Discharge Rate	Top Width	Winter Flow Recommendation (meets 2 of 3 hydraulic criteria)	Summer Flow Recommendation (meets 3 of 3 hydraulic criteria)
05/16/2013 #1	3.22 cfs	5.0 feet	Out of range	1.30 cfs
05/16/2013 #2	3.68 cfs	9.3 feet	Out of range	2.55 cfs
08/15/2013 #1	0.95 cfs	8.3 feet	0.51 cfs	Out of range
08/15/2013 #2	0.83 cfs	7.0 feet	0.82 cfs	2.00 cfs

Averages: 0.67 cfs 1.95 cfs

BLM's analysis of this data, coordinated with Colorado Parks and Wildlife, indicates that the following flows are needed to protect the fishery and natural environment to a reasonable degree.

1.9 cubic feet per second is recommended for the snowmelt runoff and early summer period from May 1 through August 15. This recommendation is driven by the average velocity criteria. This creek experiences consistently low flows during late summer and fall, so it is important to protect as much physical habitat as possible during the limited time when snowmelt runoff and growing season flows are available. This flow rate is capable of maintaining pool habitat in the creek and preventing excessively water high temperatures.

0.65 cubic feet per second is recommended for the late summer, fall, and winter period from August 16 to April 30. This recommendation is driven the average depth and wetted perimeter criteria. This flow rate should provide sufficient flow to prevent pools from freezing and protect overwintering fish.

Water Availability. The BLM is not aware of any historic gage data on Alkali Creek, but there are other sources of potentially useful data.

The BLM notes that there is approximately 10 years of historic gage data available from a gage on Dirty George Creek, located approximately eight miles to the northeast. Dirty George Creek has similar elevation, aspect, and weather patterns to Alkali Creek. It is important to note, however, that the gage data is likely influenced by historical reservoir releases from Granby Reservoirs. With this in mind, data during the late irrigation season, from July through October, may not be usable.

The Lone Star Ditch typically diverts the entire flow of the creek at its headgate. However, no diversion records exist for this ditch because it is the only water right on the creek, and it is not subject to being called out by other rights because Alkali Creek does not form a connection with the Gunnison River. However, the water commissioner may be able to confirm that the ditch consistently diverts throughout the growing season. It is also important to note that the creek provides sufficiently reliable flows that enable the ditch to be used to fill a reservoir during the non-irrigation season.

In developing this recommendation, the BLM also consulted StreamStats package developed jointly between the U.S. Geological Survey and the CWCB. While the package is useful for developing flow estimates, it is not capable of considering unique hydrologic and geological features associated with individual streams. The BLM notes that a very high percentage of the flow in Alkali Creek is from a large spring located in Alkali Basin. For this reason, the BLM believes that the flow estimates provided by Streamstats are too low during the baseflow season from mid-August through April.

The only decreed water right in this reach is the Lone Starr Ditch, which BLM is recommending as the downstream terminus for the instream flow water right. The water right is decreed for 6.5 cfs with a 1908 priority date.

Relationship to Land Management Plans. BLM land use plans for this area call for actions to maintain and enhance riparian and fisheries habitat. In general, any proposed new land use, such as right-of-way corridors or mineral development, must be implemented with no surface occupancy to avoid impacts to the creek. Any proposed land uses along this creek are also carefully reviewed and mitigated to prevent impacts to native cutthroat trout, which appear on BLM's sensitive species list. Establishing an instream flow water right would assist in meeting these objectives.

Data sheets, R2Cross output, fishery survey information, and photographs of the cross section were included with BLM's draft recommendation in February 2014. We thank both Colorado Parks and Wildlife and the Colorado Water Conservation Board for their cooperation in this effort.

If you have any questions regarding our instream flow recommendation, please contact Roy Smith at 303-239-3940.

Sincerely,

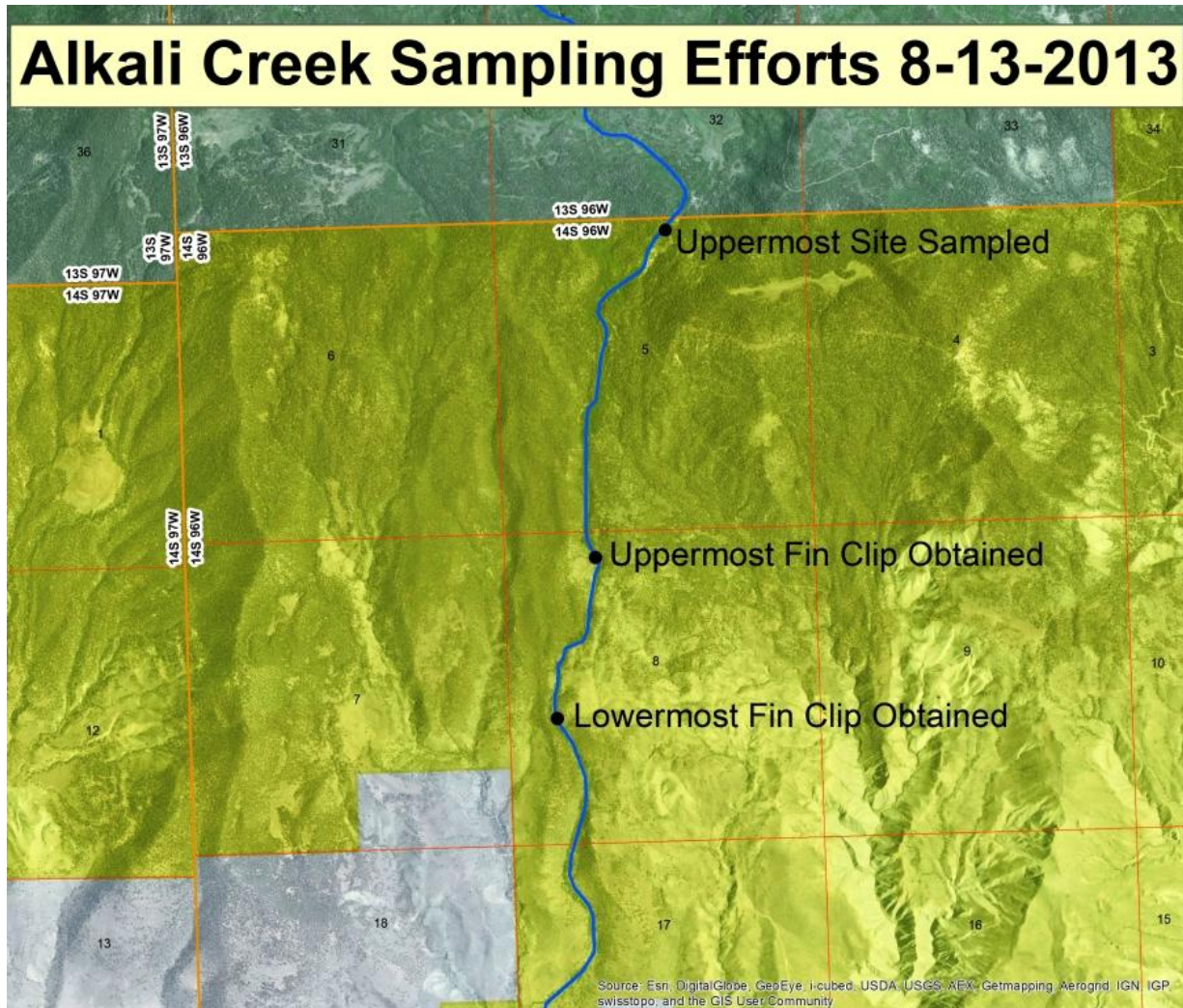
Leigh Espy
Deputy State Director
Resources and Fire

Cc: Barb Sharrow, Uncompahgre FO
Jedd Sondergard, Uncompahgre FO
Lori Armstrong, Southwest District Office

Uncompahgre Field Office Stream Surveys August 2013

Alkali Creek - Water Code # 37968

Alkali Creek, located northeast of Delta, Colorado on BLM lands managed by the Uncompahgre Field Office, was sampled on August 13, 2013. Alkali Creek is tributary to the Gunnison River. The stream was sampled to collect fin clips from resident cutthroat trout for genetic analysis and lineage identification, as well as determine upper and lower fish distribution limits. Sampling was conducted via throw crews, each with one backpack electro-shocker. Personnel present were Tom Fresques, Gregor Dekleva, and Ken Holsinger, BLM, Eric Gardunio and crew, CPW, and Mike Carrillo, USFS.





Alkali Creek



Representative pool habitat



Small waterfall possible fish movement barrier at some flows – upper distribution limit?



Cutthroat trout



Cutthroat trout

FISH SAMPLING DATA SUMMARY**2013**WATER Alkali Creek DATE 8/13/2013 GEAR Backpack Shocker - 1EFFORT spot sampling ~ 1.500 ft. CREW Fresques, Dekleva - BLM, Eric Gardunio and crew
CPW, Mike Carillo, USFS

Species	Length (mm)		Species	Length (mm)
CRN	140		CRN	135
CRN	147		CRN	154
CRN	164		CRN	148
CRN	139		CRN	151
CRN	156		CRN	160
CRN	145		CRN	143
CRN	156		CRN	141
CRN	128		CRN	159
CRN	250			

CRN = Cutthroat TroutNotes: Stream Width Average 17 ft. Sample Reach Length 401 ft.

GPS Coordinates at start of sample reach: Zone 12S X: 746911 Y: 4303827

Discussion:

A total of 17 fin clips were collected from adult fish during this effort. Fish densities are low but well distributed throughout the sample reach. A population estimate was not completed at this time. The lower distribution limit of fish was not determined and it is possible that the fishery extends up to 1 mile further downstream to where the majority of flow is diverted at the Lone Starr Ditch. No fish were collected or seen at the upper sample site noted on the map.

The riparian area is narrow, but vegetation along the stream is lush and dense, and is comprised of horsetail, red osier dogwood, wolf current, sedges/rushes, water leaf, hemlock, and wood rose. The stream substrate is a mix of gravels, cobbles, and small boulders. Substrates are slightly embedded. The stream is a steep Rosgen A/B channel type with step pools, and a mix of riffles and swift runs. Large, deep pools are limited. Fish were concentrated primarily in the pools sampled. Mayflies, stoneflies, and caddisflies were among the aquatic insects observed. Water quality data was previously collected by UFO staff.

Recommendations:

- Await genetics results and discuss future management/sampling needs with CPW
- Complete a population estimate at a representative site or two
- Although planned, lower distribution was not entirely determined. Determine lower distribution limits of the cutthroat population
- Assess fish entrainment potential at the Lone Starr Ditch to determine if fish are entering/using the ditch system

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STREAM CROSS-SECTION AND FLOW ANALYSIS

LOCATION INFORMATION

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
XS LOCATION: 1000' u/s from Lone Star Ditch headgate
XS NUMBER: 1

DATE: 15-Aug-13
OBSERVERS: R. Smith, J. Sondergard

1/4 SEC: NW NW
SECTION: 17
TWP: 14S
RANGE: 96W
PM: Sixth

COUNTY: Delta
WATERSHED: Gunnison River
DIVISION: 4
DOW CODE: 37968

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: 0.042

INPUT DATA CHECKED BY:DATE.....

ASSIGNED TO:DATE.....

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
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 XS NUMBER: 1

DATA POINTS= 24

VALUES COMPUTED FROM RAW FIELD DATA

FEATURE	DIST	VERT DEPTH	WATER DEPTH	VEL
LS	0.00	4.56		
1 G	4.00	5.50		
	4.80	5.62		
W	5.20	5.90	0.00	0.00
	5.50	6.00	0.10	0.00
	5.80	6.10	0.20	0.00
	6.10	6.15	0.25	0.08
	6.40	6.25	0.35	0.63
	6.70	6.30	0.40	0.97
	7.00	6.30	0.40	1.50
	7.30	6.05	0.15	1.44
	7.70	6.15	0.25	1.50
	8.00	6.25	0.35	1.35
	8.30	6.20	0.30	0.87
	8.60	6.30	0.40	0.62
	8.90	6.25	0.35	0.33
	9.20	6.15	0.25	0.20
	9.50	6.10	0.20	0.35
	9.80	6.00	0.10	0.24
	10.10	6.00	0.10	0.00
	10.60	6.05	0.15	0.04
W	11.20	5.90	0.00	0.00
1 G	13.00	5.60		
RS	17.20	2.92		

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%
0.32	0.10	0.03	0.00	0.0%
0.32	0.20	0.06	0.00	0.0%
0.30	0.25	0.08	0.01	0.6%
0.32	0.35	0.11	0.07	7.0%
0.30	0.40	0.12	0.12	12.2%
0.30	0.40	0.12	0.18	18.9%
0.39	0.15	0.05	0.08	7.9%
0.41	0.25	0.09	0.13	13.8%
0.32	0.35	0.11	0.14	14.9%
0.30	0.30	0.09	0.08	8.2%
0.32	0.40	0.12	0.07	7.8%
0.30	0.35	0.11	0.03	3.6%
0.32	0.25	0.08	0.02	1.6%
0.30	0.20	0.06	0.02	2.2%
0.32	0.10	0.03	0.01	0.8%
0.30	0.10	0.04	0.00	0.0%
0.50	0.15	0.08	0.00	0.3%
0.62		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%

TOTALS -----

6.26	0.4	1.36	0.95	100.0%
(Max.)				

Manning's n = 0.1569
 Hydraulic Radius= 0.21691999

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WATER LINE COMPARISON TABLE

WATER LINE	MEAS AREA	COMP AREA	AREA ERROR
	1.36	1.36	0.0%
5.65	1.36	3.09	127.6%
5.67	1.36	2.93	116.1%
5.69	1.36	2.78	104.9%
5.71	1.36	2.63	93.9%
5.73	1.36	2.48	83.0%
5.75	1.36	2.34	72.5%
5.77	1.36	2.20	62.1%
5.79	1.36	2.06	51.9%
5.81	1.36	1.93	42.0%
5.83	1.36	1.80	32.3%
5.85	1.36	1.67	22.8%
5.86	1.36	1.60	18.1%
5.87	1.36	1.54	13.5%
5.88	1.36	1.48	8.9%
5.89	1.36	1.42	4.4%
5.90	1.36	1.36	0.0%
5.91	1.36	1.30	-4.4%
5.92	1.36	1.24	-8.7%
5.93	1.36	1.18	-13.0%
5.94	1.36	1.12	-17.3%
5.95	1.36	1.07	-21.5%
5.97	1.36	0.95	-29.7%
5.99	1.36	0.85	-37.7%
6.01	1.36	0.74	-45.2%
6.03	1.36	0.65	-52.0%
6.05	1.36	0.57	-58.2%
6.07	1.36	0.49	-63.9%
6.09	1.36	0.42	-69.3%
6.11	1.36	0.35	-74.4%
6.13	1.36	0.29	-78.9%
6.15	1.36	0.23	-83.0%

WATERLINE AT ZERO

AREA ERROR = 5.900

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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	5.60	8.33	0.42	0.70	3.49	8.71	100.0%	0.40	3.69	1.06
	5.60	8.33	0.42	0.70	3.49	8.71	100.0%	0.40	3.69	1.06
	5.65	7.86	0.39	0.65	3.09	8.21	94.4%	0.38	3.12	1.01
	5.70	7.49	0.36	0.60	2.71	7.82	89.9%	0.35	2.59	0.96
	5.75	7.11	0.33	0.55	2.34	7.43	85.4%	0.31	2.10	0.90
	5.80	6.74	0.30	0.50	1.99	7.04	80.9%	0.28	1.67	0.84
	5.85	6.37	0.26	0.45	1.67	6.65	76.4%	0.25	1.29	0.77
WL	5.90	6.00	0.23	0.40	1.36	6.26	71.9%	0.22	0.95	0.70
	5.95	5.65	0.19	0.35	1.07	5.89	67.7%	0.18	0.66	0.62
	6.00	5.00	0.16	0.30	0.79	5.23	60.1%	0.15	0.44	0.55
	6.05	4.00	0.14	0.25	0.57	4.20	48.3%	0.13	0.29	0.51
	6.10	3.44	0.11	0.20	0.38	3.60	41.4%	0.11	0.17	0.43
	6.15	2.58	0.09	0.15	0.23	2.71	31.1%	0.09	0.09	0.38
	6.20	2.07	0.06	0.10	0.11	2.16	24.8%	0.05	0.03	0.27
	6.25	1.11	0.03	0.05	0.04	1.14	13.1%	0.03	0.01	0.19
	6.30	0.00	#DIV/0!	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0%	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!

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SUMMARY SHEET

MEASURED FLOW (Qm)= 0.95 cfs
CALCULATED FLOW (Qc)= 0.95 cfs
(Qm-Qc)/Qm * 100 = 0.0 %

MEASURED WATERLINE (WLm)= 5.90 ft
CALCULATED WATERLINE (WLc)= 5.90 ft
(WLm-WLc)/WLm * 100 = 0.0 %

MAX MEASURED DEPTH (Dm)= 0.40 ft
MAX CALCULATED DEPTH (Dc)= 0.40 ft
(Dm-Dc)/Dm * 100 = 0.0 %

MEAN VELOCITY= 0.70 ft/sec
MANNING'S N= 0.157
SLOPE= 0.042 ft/ft

.4 * Qm = 0.4 cfs
2.5 * Qm= 2.4 cfs

RECOMMENDED INSTREAM FLOW:
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FLOW (CFS)	PERIOD
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_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
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RATIONALE FOR RECOMMENDATION:
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RECOMMENDATION BY: AGENCY..... DATE:.....
CWCB REVIEW BY: DATE:.....

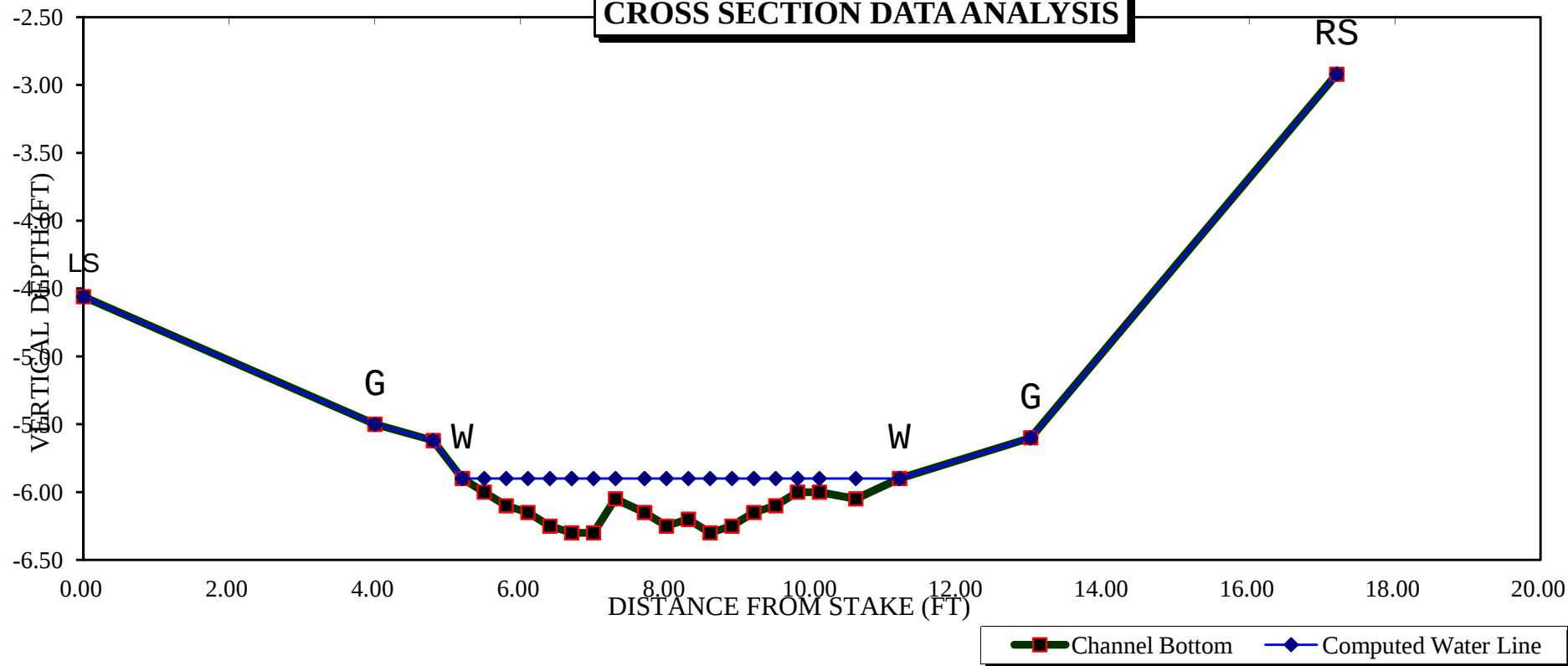
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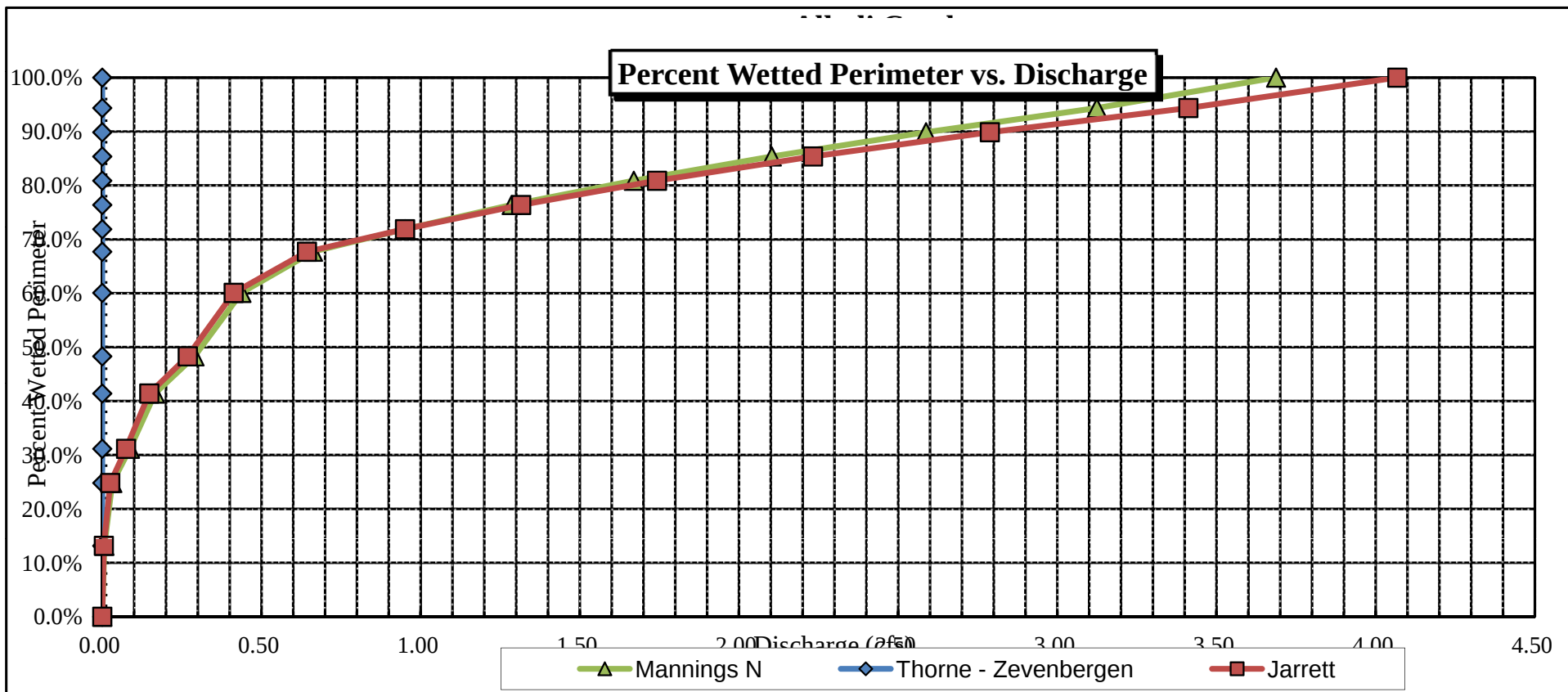
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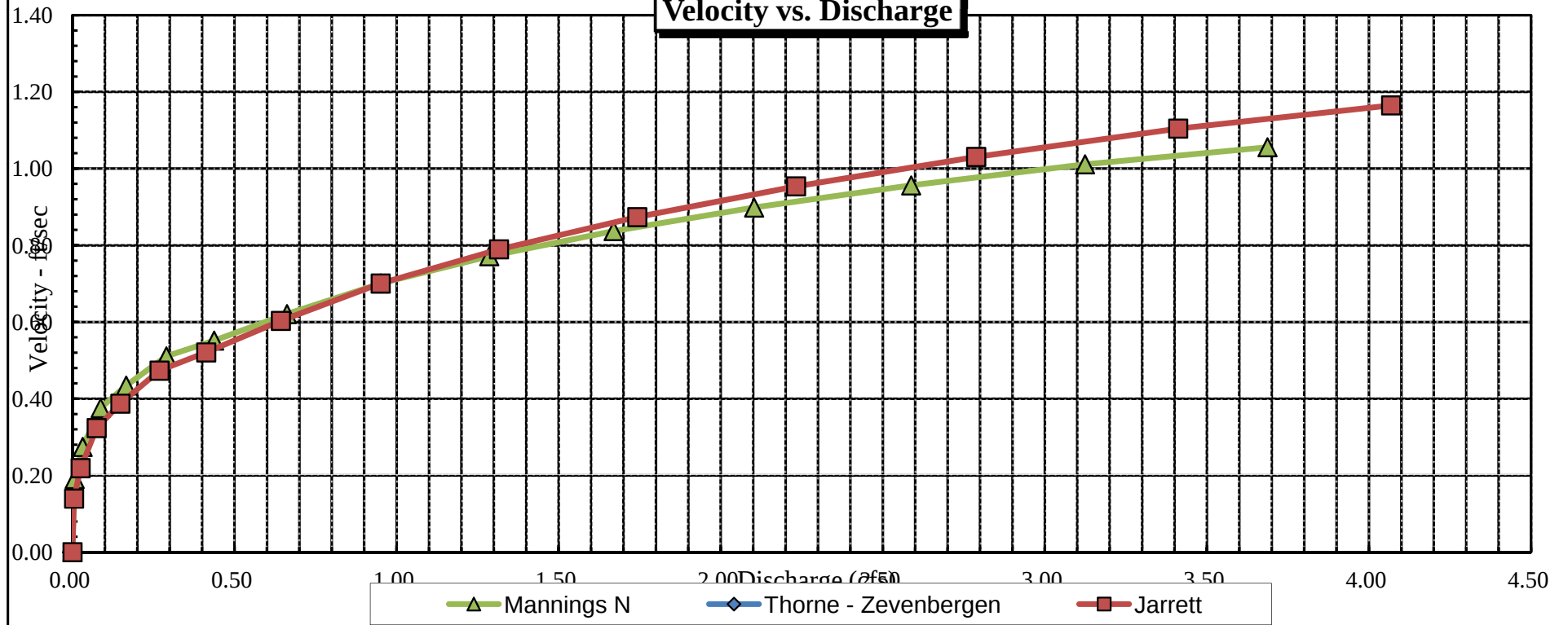
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	5.65	7.86	0.39	0.65	3.09	8.21	94.4%	0.38	3.41	1.10
	5.70	7.49	0.36	0.60	2.71	7.82	89.9%	0.35	2.79	1.03
	5.75	7.11	0.33	0.55	2.34	7.43	85.4%	0.31	2.23	0.95
	5.80	6.74	0.30	0.50	1.99	7.04	80.9%	0.28	1.74	0.87
	5.85	6.37	0.26	0.45	1.67	6.65	76.4%	0.25	1.32	0.79
WL	5.90	6.00	0.23	0.40	1.36	6.26	71.9%	0.22	0.95	0.70
	5.95	5.65	0.19	0.35	1.07	5.89	67.7%	0.18	0.64	0.60
	6.00	5.00	0.16	0.30	0.79	5.23	60.1%	0.15	0.41	0.52
	6.05	4.00	0.14	0.25	0.57	4.20	48.3%	0.13	0.27	0.47
	6.10	3.44	0.11	0.20	0.38	3.60	41.4%	0.11	0.15	0.39
	6.15	2.58	0.09	0.15	0.23	2.71	31.1%	0.09	0.07	0.32
	6.20	2.07	0.06	0.10	0.11	2.16	24.8%	0.05	0.03	0.22
	6.25	1.11	0.03	0.05	0.04	1.14	13.1%	0.03	0.00	0.14
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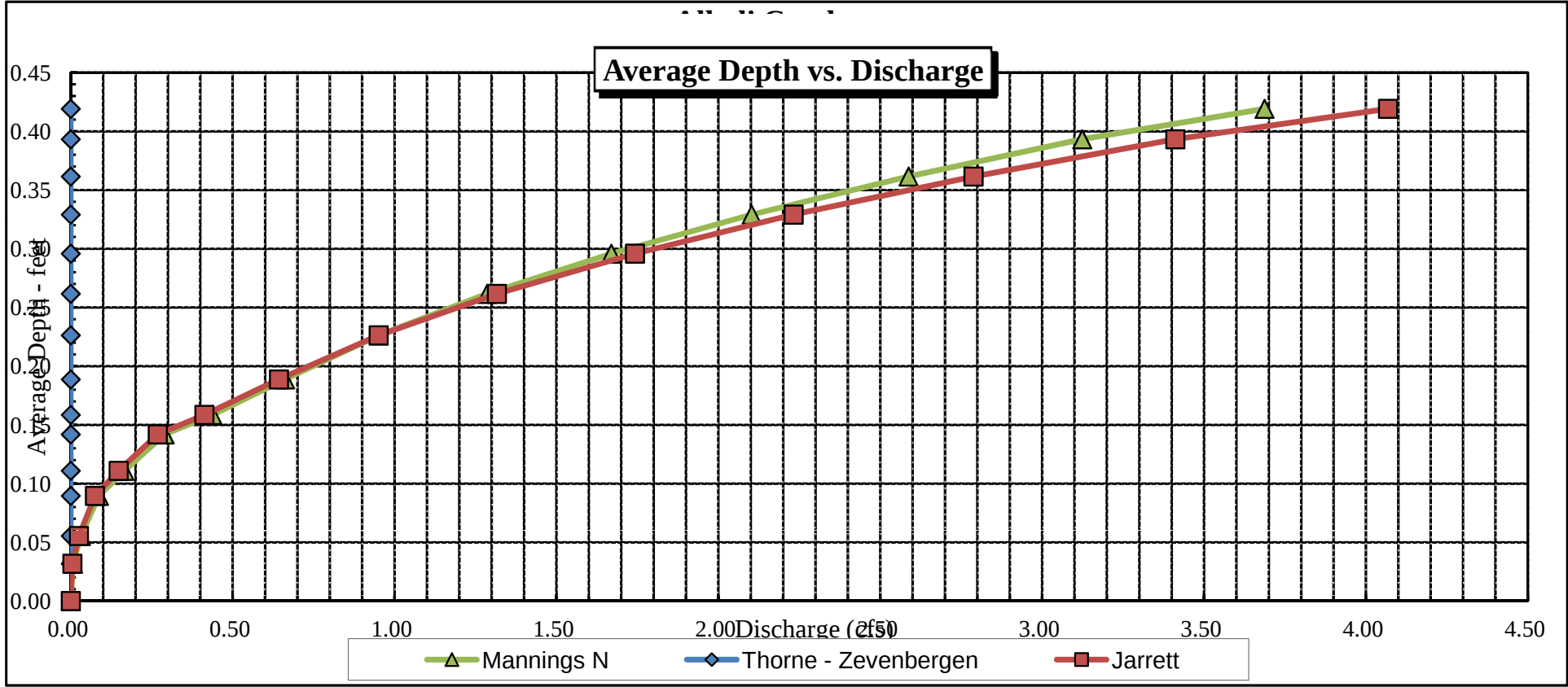
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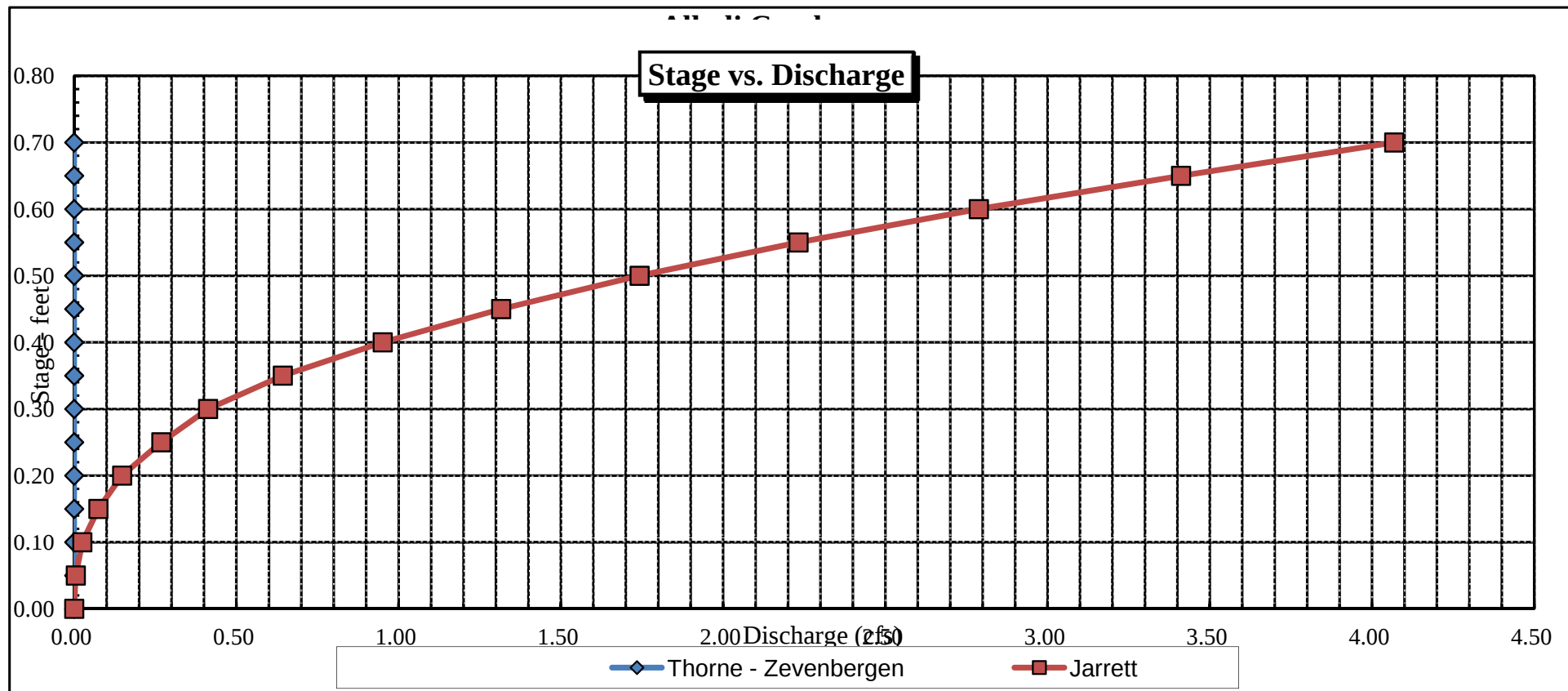




Velocity vs. Discharge









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FIELD DATA FOR INSTREAM FLOW DETERMINATIONS



LOCATION INFORMATION

STREAM NAME: <u>Alkali Creek</u>		CROSS-SECTION NO.: <u>1</u>
CROSS-SECTION LOCATION: <u>Approx. 1000' upstream from headgate of Lone Star Ditch</u>		
DATE: <u>8-15-13</u>	OBSERVERS: <u>R. Smith, J. Sondergard</u>	
LEGAL DESCRIPTION:	% SECTION: <u>NWN</u>	SECTION: <u>17</u>
COUNTY: <u>Delta</u>	WATERSHED: <u>Gunnison</u>	TOWNSHIP: <u>14 N(S)</u>
	WATER DIVISION: <u>4</u>	RANGE: <u>96 E(W)</u>
		PM: <u>Sixth</u>
MAP(S):	USGS:	DOW WATER CODE: <u>37968</u>
	USFS:	<u>GPS: 747112</u>
		<u>4302749</u>

SUPPLEMENTAL DATA

SAG TAPE SECTION SAME AS DISCHARGE SECTION: YES/NO	METER TYPE: <u>M-M</u>			
METER NUMBER:	DATE RATED:	CALIB/SPIN: _____ sec	TAPE WEIGHT: <u>surveyed</u> lbs/foot	TAPE TENSION: <u>surveyed</u> lbs
CHANNEL BED MATERIAL SIZE RANGE: <u>gravel to 4" cobble - recent huge storm event</u>		PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN: <u>(S)</u> YES/NO	NUMBER OF PHOTOGRAPHS: <u>3</u>	

CHANNEL PROFILE DATA

STATION	DISTANCE FROM TAPE (ft)	ROD READING (ft)
(X) Tape @ Stake LB	0.0	<u>surveyed</u>
(X) Tape @ Stake RB	0.0	<u>surveyed</u>
(1) WS @ Tape LB/RB	0.0	<u>5.90/5.90</u>
(2) WS Upstream	<u>17.3'</u>	<u>5.06</u>
(3) WS Downstream	<u>30.0</u>	<u>6.65</u>
SLOPE	<u>1.59/37.3' = .042</u>	

SKETCH

Sketch of channel profile showing stakes, tape, and water surface elevations. Includes a north arrow and a scale bar.

LEGEND:

Stake (X)

Station (1)

Photo (1) →

Direction of Flow (→)

AQUATIC SAMPLING SUMMARY

STREAM ELECTROFISHED: YES/NO <u>(NO)</u>	DISTANCE ELECTROFISHED: _____ ft	FISH CAUGHT: YES/NO	WATER CHEMISTRY SAMPLED: YES/NO <u>(NO)</u>															
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	
AQUATIC INSECTS IN STREAM SECTION BY COMMON OR SCIENTIFIC ORDER NAME																		

COMMENTS

<u>Storm event in July delivered 2" rain & reworked much of channel</u>

DISCHARGE/CROSS SECTION NOTES

[illegible]

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STREAM CROSS-SECTION AND FLOW ANALYSIS

LOCATION INFORMATION

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
XS LOCATION: 800' u/s from Lone Star Ditch headgate
XS NUMBER: 2

DATE: 15-Aug-13
OBSERVERS: R. Smith, J. Sondergard

1/4 SEC: NW NW
SECTION: 17
TWP: 14S
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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: 0.017

INPUT DATA CHECKED BY:DATE.....

ASSIGNED TO:DATE.....

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
 XS LOCATION: 800' u/s from Lone Star Ditch headgate
 XS NUMBER: 2

DATA POINTS= 20

VALUES COMPUTED FROM RAW FIELD DATA

FEATURE		VERT	WATER	
	DIST	DEPTH	DEPTH	VEL
LS	0.00	4.82		
1 G	3.80	5.03		
W	5.10	6.25	0.00	0.00
	5.20	6.45	0.20	0.00
	5.40	6.45	0.20	0.02
	5.70	6.55	0.30	0.19
	6.00	6.55	0.30	0.13
	6.30	6.50	0.25	0.20
	6.60	6.55	0.30	0.58
	6.90	6.65	0.40	0.94
	7.20	6.55	0.30	2.02
	7.50	6.55	0.30	1.27
	7.80	6.55	0.30	1.16
	8.10	6.65	0.40	1.45
	8.40	6.65	0.40	0.20
	8.70	6.50	0.25	0.38
W	8.90	6.25	0.00	0.00
	9.40	5.49		
1 G	11.00	4.95		
RS	13.30	4.36		

TOTALS -----

WETTED	WATER	AREA	Q	% Q
PERIM.	DEPTH	(Am)	(Qm)	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%
0.22	0.20	0.03	0.00	0.0%
0.20	0.20	0.05	0.00	0.1%
0.32	0.30	0.09	0.02	2.1%
0.30	0.30	0.09	0.01	1.4%
0.30	0.25	0.08	0.02	1.8%
0.30	0.30	0.09	0.05	6.3%
0.32	0.40	0.12	0.11	13.6%
0.32	0.30	0.09	0.18	21.8%
0.30	0.30	0.09	0.11	13.7%
0.30	0.30	0.09	0.10	12.5%
0.32	0.40	0.12	0.17	20.9%
0.30	0.40	0.12	0.02	2.9%
0.34	0.25	0.06	0.02	2.9%
0.32		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%

4.15	0.4	1.12	0.83	100.0%
(Max.)				

Manning's n = 0.1085
 Hydraulic Radius= 0.26912403

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
 XS LOCATION: 800' u/s from Lone Star Ditch headgate
 XS NUMBER: 2

WATER LINE COMPARISON TABLE

WATER LINE	MEAS AREA	COMP AREA	AREA ERROR
	1.12	1.12	0.0%
6.00	1.12	2.12	89.8%
6.02	1.12	2.04	82.3%
6.04	1.12	1.95	74.8%
6.06	1.12	1.87	67.4%
6.08	1.12	1.79	60.0%
6.10	1.12	1.71	52.7%
6.12	1.12	1.63	45.5%
6.14	1.12	1.55	38.3%
6.16	1.12	1.47	31.2%
6.18	1.12	1.39	24.2%
6.20	1.12	1.31	17.2%
6.21	1.12	1.27	13.7%
6.22	1.12	1.23	10.3%
6.23	1.12	1.19	6.8%
6.24	1.12	1.16	3.4%
6.25	1.12	1.12	0.0%
6.26	1.12	1.08	-3.4%
6.27	1.12	1.04	-6.8%
6.28	1.12	1.00	-10.1%
6.29	1.12	0.97	-13.5%
6.30	1.12	0.93	-16.9%
6.32	1.12	0.85	-23.5%
6.34	1.12	0.78	-30.1%
6.36	1.12	0.71	-36.7%
6.38	1.12	0.63	-43.2%
6.40	1.12	0.56	-49.7%
6.42	1.12	0.49	-56.1%
6.44	1.12	0.42	-62.5%
6.46	1.12	0.35	-68.7%
6.48	1.12	0.29	-74.5%
6.50	1.12	0.22	-80.2%

WATERLINE AT ZERO

AREA ERROR =

6.250

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
 XS LOCATION: 800' u/s from Lone Star Ditch headgate
 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	5.03	6.96	1.05	1.62	7.28	8.28	100.0%	0.88	11.93	1.64
	5.25	6.08	0.96	1.40	5.85	7.27	87.8%	0.80	9.03	1.54
	5.30	5.88	0.94	1.35	5.55	7.04	85.0%	0.79	8.45	1.52
	5.35	5.67	0.93	1.30	5.26	6.82	82.3%	0.77	7.90	1.50
	5.40	5.47	0.91	1.25	4.98	6.59	79.5%	0.76	7.38	1.48
	5.45	5.27	0.89	1.20	4.71	6.36	76.7%	0.74	6.89	1.46
	5.50	5.09	0.87	1.15	4.45	6.15	74.2%	0.72	6.41	1.44
	5.55	5.01	0.84	1.10	4.20	6.01	72.6%	0.70	5.91	1.41
	5.60	4.92	0.80	1.05	3.95	5.88	71.0%	0.67	5.42	1.37
	5.65	4.83	0.77	1.00	3.71	5.75	69.4%	0.65	4.94	1.33
	5.70	4.75	0.73	0.95	3.47	5.61	67.8%	0.62	4.49	1.30
	5.75	4.66	0.69	0.90	3.23	5.48	66.2%	0.59	4.06	1.26
	5.80	4.58	0.66	0.85	3.00	5.35	64.6%	0.56	3.65	1.22
	5.85	4.49	0.62	0.80	2.78	5.22	63.0%	0.53	3.26	1.17
	5.90	4.40	0.58	0.75	2.55	5.08	61.4%	0.50	2.88	1.13
	5.95	4.32	0.54	0.70	2.34	4.95	59.8%	0.47	2.53	1.08
	6.00	4.23	0.50	0.65	2.12	4.82	58.2%	0.44	2.19	1.03
	6.05	4.14	0.46	0.60	1.91	4.68	56.5%	0.41	1.88	0.98
	6.10	4.06	0.42	0.55	1.71	4.55	54.9%	0.38	1.59	0.93
	6.15	3.97	0.38	0.50	1.51	4.42	53.3%	0.34	1.31	0.87
	6.20	3.89	0.34	0.45	1.31	4.29	51.7%	0.31	1.06	0.81
WL	6.25	3.80	0.29	0.40	1.12	4.15	50.1%	0.27	0.83	0.74
	6.30	3.73	0.25	0.35	0.93	4.03	48.7%	0.23	0.62	0.67
	6.35	3.67	0.20	0.30	0.74	3.91	47.2%	0.19	0.44	0.59
	6.40	3.60	0.16	0.25	0.56	3.79	45.8%	0.15	0.28	0.50
	6.45	3.34	0.11	0.20	0.38	3.47	41.9%	0.11	0.16	0.41
	6.50	3.15	0.07	0.15	0.22	3.25	39.2%	0.07	0.07	0.30
	6.55	1.40	0.06	0.10	0.09	1.47	17.8%	0.06	0.02	0.27
	6.60	0.85	0.03	0.05	0.03	0.89	10.7%	0.03	0.01	0.18
	6.65	0.00	#DIV/0!	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0%	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
XS LOCATION: 800' u/s from Lone Star Ditch headgate
XS NUMBER: 2

SUMMARY SHEET

MEASURED FLOW (Qm)= 0.83 cfs
CALCULATED FLOW (Qc)= 0.83 cfs
(Qm-Qc)/Qm * 100 = 0.0 %

MEASURED WATERLINE (WLm)= 6.25 ft
CALCULATED WATERLINE (WLc)= 6.25 ft
(WLm-WLc)/WLm * 100 = 0.0 %

MAX MEASURED DEPTH (Dm)= 0.40 ft
MAX CALCULATED DEPTH (Dc)= 0.40 ft
(Dm-Dc)/Dm * 100 = 0.0 %

MEAN VELOCITY= 0.74 ft/sec
MANNING'S N= 0.108
SLOPE= 0.017 ft/ft

.4 * Qm = 0.3 cfs
2.5 * Qm= 2.1 cfs

RECOMMENDED INSTREAM FLOW:
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FLOW (CFS)	PERIOD
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_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

RATIONALE FOR RECOMMENDATION:
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RECOMMENDATION BY: AGENCY..... DATE:.....
CWCB REVIEW BY: DATE:.....

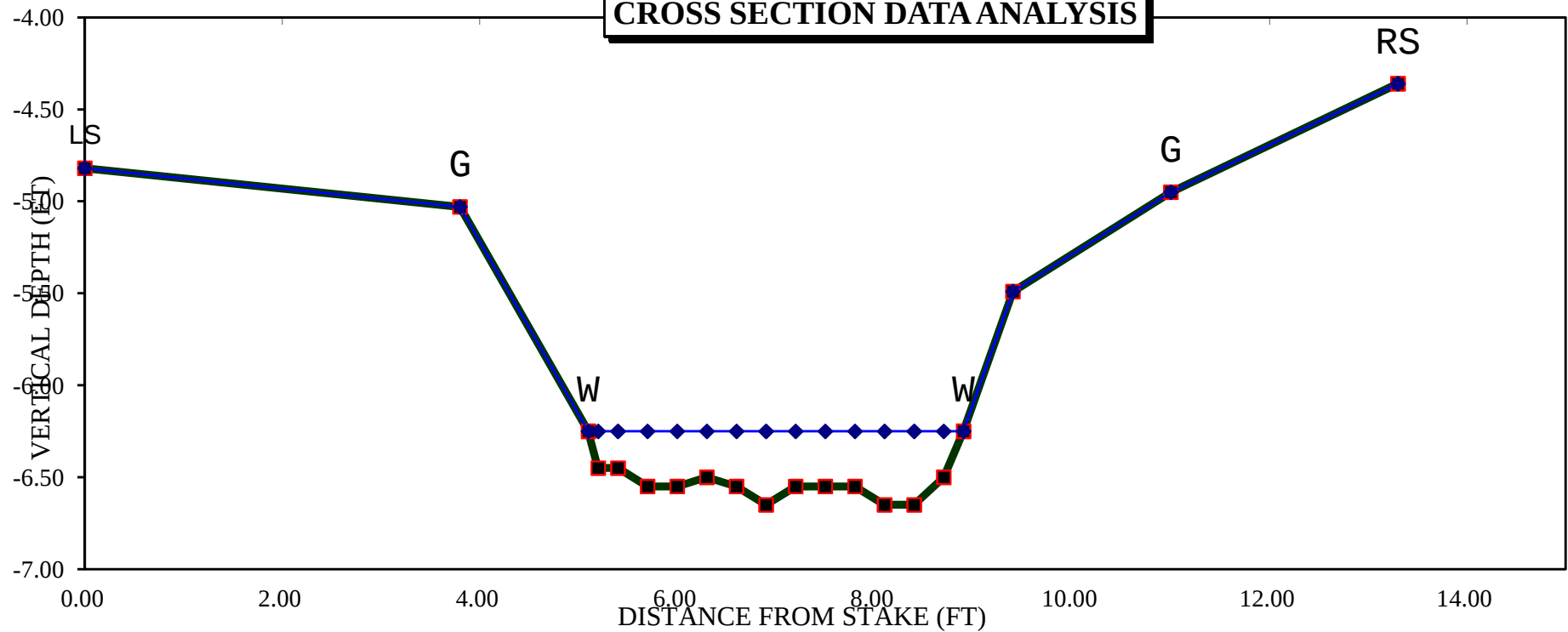
STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
 XS LOCATION: 800' u/s from Lone Star Ditch headgate
 XS NUMBER: 2 Jarrett Variable Manning's n Correction Applied

GL = lowest Grassline elevation corrected for sag

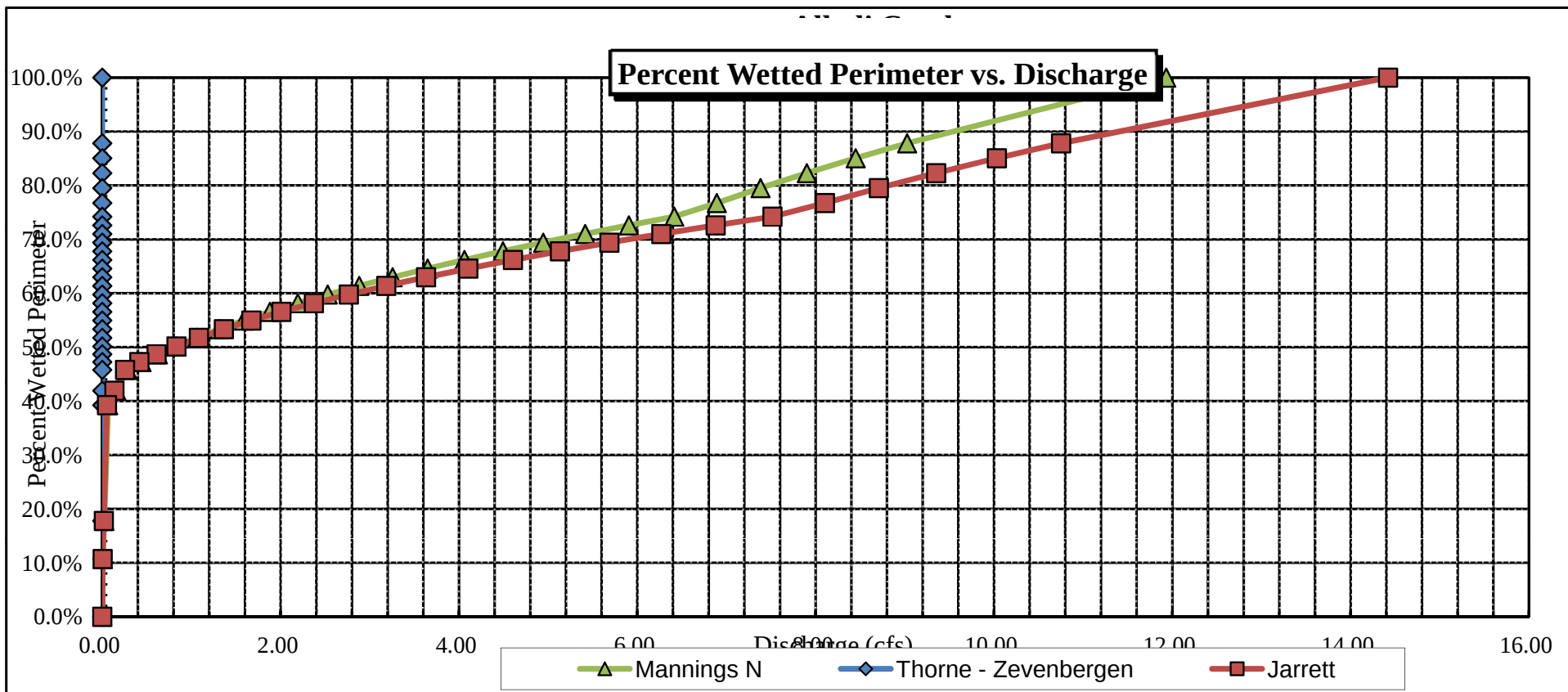
STAGING TABLE *WL* = Waterline corrected for variations in field measured water surface elevations and sag

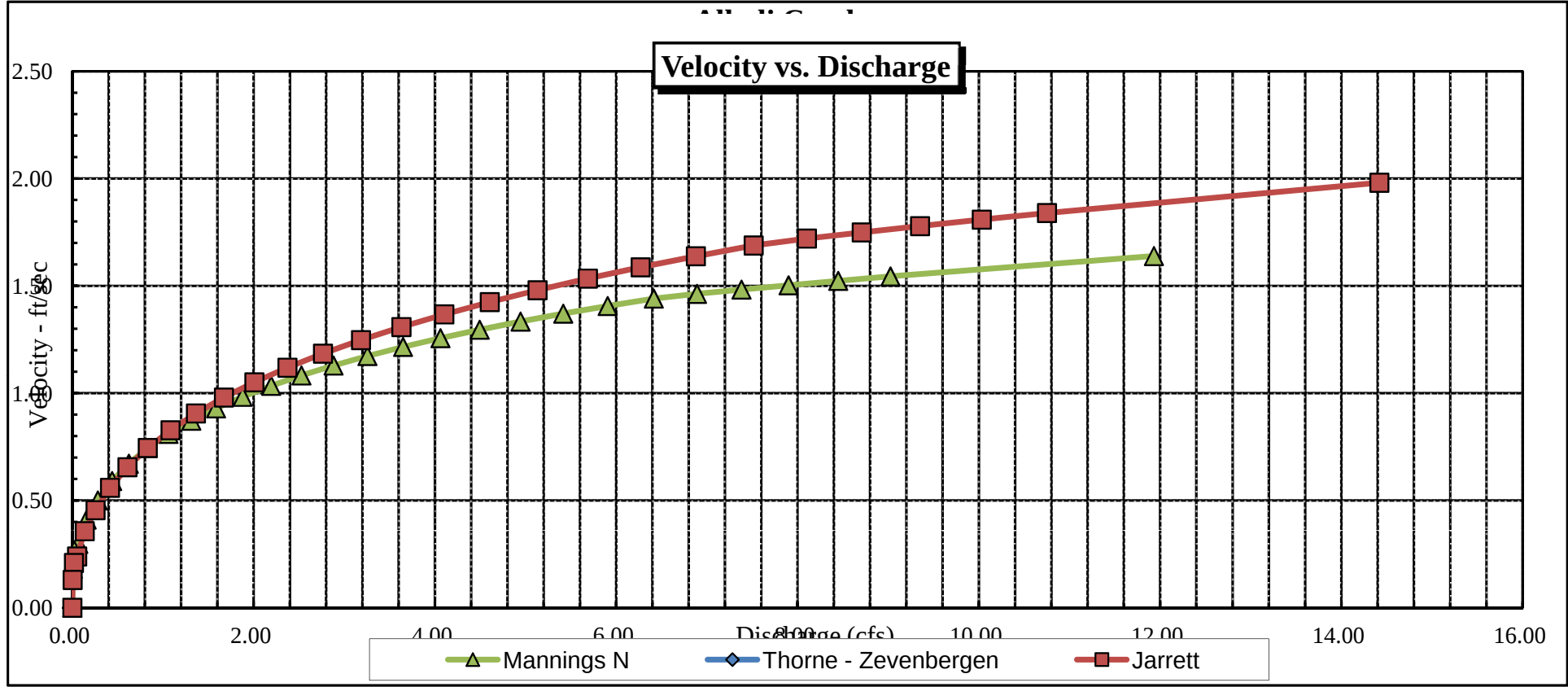
	DIST TO WATER (FT)	TOP WIDTH (FT)	AVG. DEPTH (FT)	MAX. DEPTH (FT)	AREA (SQ FT)	WETTED PERIM. (FT)	PERCENT WET PERIM (%)	HYDR RADIUS (FT)	FLOW (CFS)	AVG. VELOCITY (FT/SEC)
GL	5.03	6.96	1.05	1.62	7.28	8.28	100.0%	0.88	14.42	1.98
	5.25	6.08	0.96	1.40	5.85	7.27	87.8%	0.80	10.75	1.84
	5.30	5.88	0.94	1.35	5.55	7.04	85.0%	0.79	10.03	1.81
	5.35	5.67	0.93	1.30	5.26	6.82	82.3%	0.77	9.35	1.78
	5.40	5.47	0.91	1.25	4.98	6.59	79.5%	0.76	8.71	1.75
	5.45	5.27	0.89	1.20	4.71	6.36	76.7%	0.74	8.10	1.72
	5.50	5.09	0.87	1.15	4.45	6.15	74.2%	0.72	7.52	1.69
	5.55	5.01	0.84	1.10	4.20	6.01	72.6%	0.70	6.88	1.64
	5.60	4.92	0.80	1.05	3.95	5.88	71.0%	0.67	6.27	1.59
	5.65	4.83	0.77	1.00	3.71	5.75	69.4%	0.65	5.69	1.53
	5.70	4.75	0.73	0.95	3.47	5.61	67.8%	0.62	5.13	1.48
	5.75	4.66	0.69	0.90	3.23	5.48	66.2%	0.59	4.60	1.42
	5.80	4.58	0.66	0.85	3.00	5.35	64.6%	0.56	4.10	1.37
	5.85	4.49	0.62	0.80	2.78	5.22	63.0%	0.53	3.63	1.31
	5.90	4.40	0.58	0.75	2.55	5.08	61.4%	0.50	3.18	1.25
	5.95	4.32	0.54	0.70	2.34	4.95	59.8%	0.47	2.77	1.18
	6.00	4.23	0.50	0.65	2.12	4.82	58.2%	0.44	2.37	1.12
	6.05	4.14	0.46	0.60	1.91	4.68	56.5%	0.41	2.01	1.05
	6.10	4.06	0.42	0.55	1.71	4.55	54.9%	0.38	1.67	0.98
	6.15	3.97	0.38	0.50	1.51	4.42	53.3%	0.34	1.36	0.91
	6.20	3.89	0.34	0.45	1.31	4.29	51.7%	0.31	1.08	0.83
WL	6.25	3.80	0.29	0.40	1.12	4.15	50.1%	0.27	0.83	0.74
	6.30	3.73	0.25	0.35	0.93	4.03	48.7%	0.23	0.61	0.65
	6.35	3.67	0.20	0.30	0.74	3.91	47.2%	0.19	0.42	0.56
	6.40	3.60	0.16	0.25	0.56	3.79	45.8%	0.15	0.26	0.45
	6.45	3.34	0.11	0.20	0.38	3.47	41.9%	0.11	0.14	0.36
	6.50	3.15	0.07	0.15	0.22	3.25	39.2%	0.07	0.05	0.24
	6.55	1.40	0.06	0.10	0.09	1.47	17.8%	0.06	0.02	0.21
	6.60	0.85	0.03	0.05	0.03	0.89	10.7%	0.03	0.00	0.13
	6.65	0.00	#DIV/0!	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0%	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!

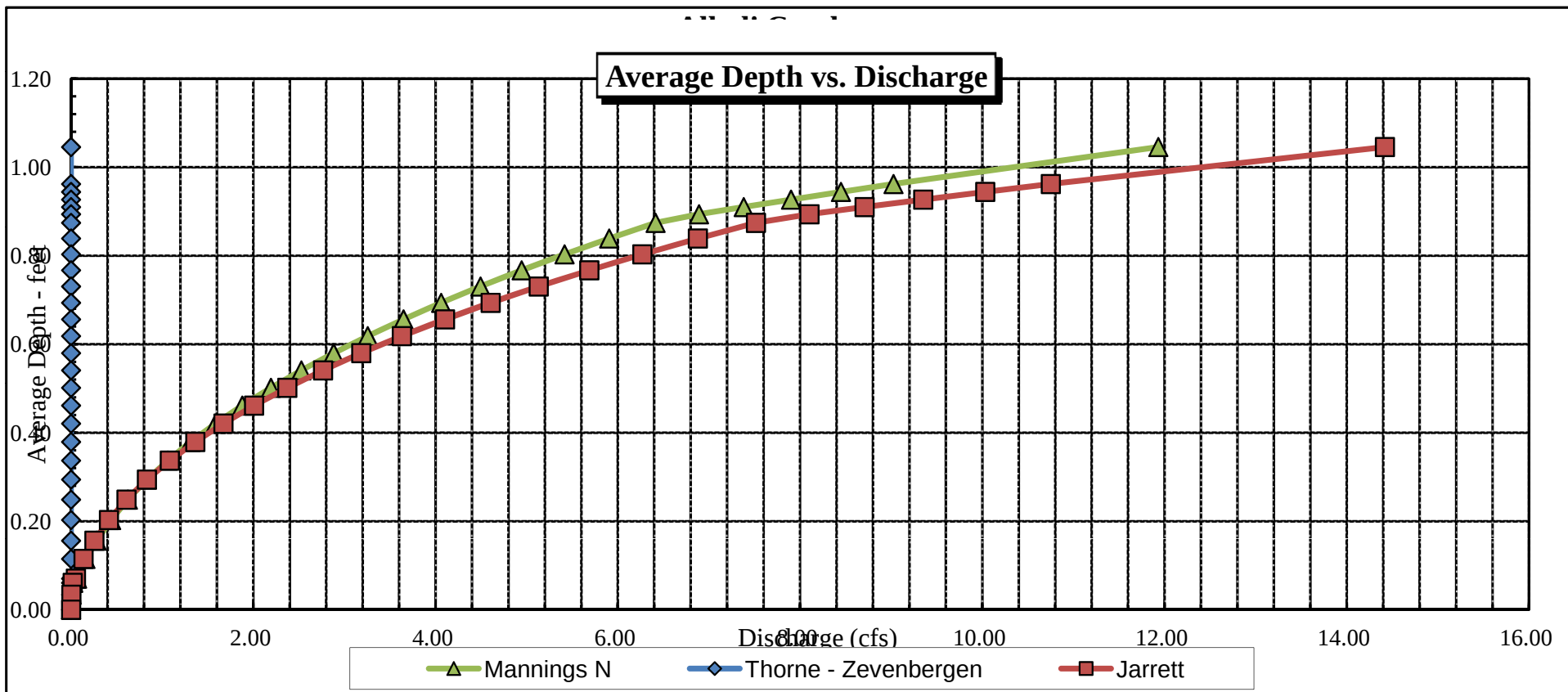
CROSS SECTION DATA ANALYSIS



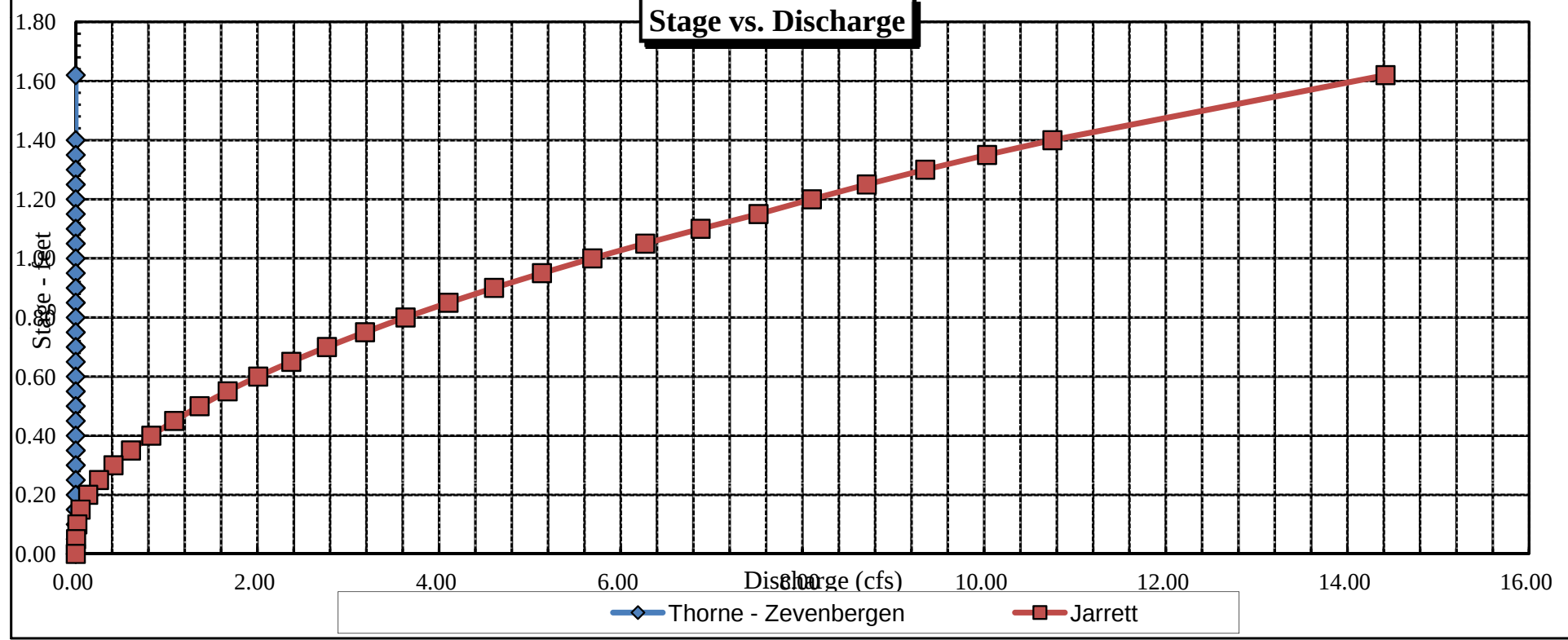
Channel Bottom Computed Water Line







Stage vs. Discharge





FIELD DATA FOR INSTREAM FLOW DETERMINATIONS



COLORADO WATER
CONSERVATION BOARD

LOCATION INFORMATION

STREAM NAME: <u>Alkali Creek</u>		CROSS-SECTION NO.: <u>2</u>
CROSS-SECTION LOCATION: <u>Approx. 800' upstream from headgate of Lone Star Ditch</u>		
DATE: <u>8-15-13</u>	OBSERVERS: <u>R. Smith, J. Sondergard</u>	
LEGAL DESCRIPTION:	1/4 SECTION: <u>NW NW</u>	SECTION: <u>17</u>
TOWNSHIP: <u>14 N/S</u>	RANGE: <u>96 E/W</u>	PM: <u>Sixth</u>
COUNTY: <u>Delta</u>	WATERSHED: <u>Gunnison</u>	WATER DIVISION: <u>4</u>
DOW WATER CODE: <u>37968</u>		
MAP(S):	USGS:	GPS <u>747106 Zone 12</u>
	USFS:	<u>4302701</u>

SUPPLEMENTAL DATA

SAG TAPE SECTION SAME AS DISCHARGE SECTION: ☒ YES ☐ NO	METER TYPE: <u>M-M</u>			
METER NUMBER:	DATE RATED:	CALIB/SPIN: _____ sec	TAPE WEIGHT: <u>surveyed</u> lbs/foot	TAPE TENSION: <u>surveyed</u> lbs
CHANNEL BED MATERIAL SIZE RANGE: <u>gravel to 6" cobbles</u>		PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN: ☒ YES ☐ NO	NUMBER OF PHOTOGRAPHS: <u>3</u>	

CHANNEL PROFILE DATA

STATION	DISTANCE FROM TAPE (ft)	ROD READING (ft)
⊗ Tape @ Stake LB	0.0	<u>surveyed</u>
⊗ Tape @ Stake RB	0.0	<u>surveyed</u>
① WS @ Tape LB/RB <u>8.7 5.1</u>	0.0	<u>6.25 / 6.25</u>
② WS Upstream	<u>21.2'</u>	<u>5.84</u>
③ WS Downstream	<u>6.0'</u>	<u>6.30</u>
SLOPE	<u>0.46 / 27.2' = .017</u>	

SECTION

LEGEND:
Stake ⊗
Station ①
Photo ①
Direction of Flow →

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
AQUATIC INSECTS IN STREAM SECTION BY COMMON OR SCIENTIFIC ORDER NAME:																	
<u>caddisfly, stonefly</u>																	

COMMENTS

DISCHARGE/CROSS SECTION NOTES

[illegible]

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

LOCATION INFORMATION

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
XS LOCATION: 1000' u/s fr hdg of Lone Star Ditch
XS NUMBER: 1

DATE: 16-May-13
OBSERVERS: R. Smith, J. Sondergard

1/4 SEC: NW NW
SECTION: 17
TWP: 14S
RANGE: 96W
PM: Sixth

COUNTY: Delta
WATERSHED: Gunnison
DIVISION: 4
DOW CODE: 37968

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: 0.033

INPUT DATA CHECKED BY:DATE.....

ASSIGNED TO:DATE.....

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
 XS LOCATION: 1000' u/s fr hdg of Lone Star Ditch
 XS NUMBER: 1

DATA POINTS= 20

VALUES COMPUTED FROM RAW FIELD DATA

FEATURE	DIST	VERT DEPTH	WATER DEPTH	VEL
LS	0.00	4.85		
1 G	2.00	5.10		
W	2.25	5.65	0.00	0.00
	2.30	6.40	0.75	1.08
	2.60	6.10	0.45	2.03
	2.90	6.20	0.55	2.57
	3.20	6.15	0.50	2.49
	3.50	6.30	0.65	2.10
	3.80	6.15	0.50	1.85
	4.10	6.20	0.55	1.49
	4.40	6.20	0.55	1.63
	4.70	6.30	0.65	1.30
	5.00	6.35	0.70	1.25
	5.30	6.45	0.80	0.62
	5.60	6.30	0.65	0.59
	5.90	6.30	0.65	0.14
	6.20	5.85	0.20	0.00
W	6.50	5.65	0.00	0.00
1 G	7.00	5.10		
RS	10.00	4.55		

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%
0.75	0.75	0.13	0.14	4.4%
0.42	0.45	0.14	0.27	8.5%
0.32	0.55	0.17	0.42	13.2%
0.30	0.50	0.15	0.37	11.6%
0.34	0.65	0.20	0.41	12.7%
0.34	0.50	0.15	0.28	8.6%
0.30	0.55	0.17	0.25	7.6%
0.30	0.55	0.17	0.27	8.3%
0.32	0.65	0.20	0.25	7.9%
0.30	0.70	0.21	0.26	8.1%
0.32	0.80	0.24	0.15	4.6%
0.34	0.65	0.20	0.12	3.6%
0.30	0.65	0.20	0.03	0.8%
0.54	0.20	0.06	0.00	0.0%
0.36		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%

5.54 0.8 2.35 3.22 100.0%
 (Max.)

Manning's n = 0.1112
 Hydraulic Radius= 0.42405781

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
 XS LOCATION: 1000' u/s fr hdg of Lone Star Ditch
 XS NUMBER: 1

WATER LINE COMPARISON TABLE

WATER LINE	MEAS AREA	COMP AREA	AREA ERROR
	2.35	2.35	0.0%
5.40	2.35	3.46	47.0%
5.42	2.35	3.36	43.1%
5.44	2.35	3.27	39.2%
5.46	2.35	3.18	35.4%
5.48	2.35	3.09	31.6%
5.50	2.35	3.00	27.8%
5.52	2.35	2.92	24.0%
5.54	2.35	2.83	20.2%
5.56	2.35	2.74	16.5%
5.58	2.35	2.65	12.8%
5.60	2.35	2.57	9.1%
5.61	2.35	2.52	7.3%
5.62	2.35	2.48	5.4%
5.63	2.35	2.44	3.6%
5.64	2.35	2.39	1.8%
5.65	2.35	2.35	0.0%
5.66	2.35	2.31	-1.8%
5.67	2.35	2.27	-3.6%
5.68	2.35	2.22	-5.4%
5.69	2.35	2.18	-7.2%
5.70	2.35	2.14	-9.0%
5.72	2.35	2.06	-12.5%
5.74	2.35	1.98	-16.0%
5.76	2.35	1.89	-19.5%
5.78	2.35	1.81	-22.9%
5.80	2.35	1.73	-26.4%
5.82	2.35	1.65	-29.8%
5.84	2.35	1.57	-33.1%
5.86	2.35	1.49	-36.5%
5.88	2.35	1.41	-39.8%
5.90	2.35	1.34	-43.2%

WATERLINE AT ZERO

AREA ERROR = 5.650

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
 XS LOCATION: 1000' u/s fr hdg of Lone Star Ditch
 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	5.10	5.00	0.98	1.35	4.90	6.89	100.0%	0.71	9.46	1.93
	5.10	5.00	0.98	1.35	4.89	6.89	100.0%	0.71	9.46	1.93
	5.15	4.93	0.94	1.30	4.65	6.77	98.2%	0.69	8.78	1.89
	5.20	4.86	0.91	1.25	4.40	6.65	96.4%	0.66	8.12	1.84
	5.25	4.80	0.87	1.20	4.16	6.52	94.7%	0.64	7.48	1.80
	5.30	4.73	0.83	1.15	3.92	6.40	92.9%	0.61	6.87	1.75
	5.35	4.66	0.79	1.10	3.69	6.28	91.1%	0.59	6.28	1.70
	5.40	4.59	0.75	1.05	3.46	6.16	89.3%	0.56	5.71	1.65
	5.45	4.52	0.71	1.00	3.23	6.03	87.6%	0.53	5.17	1.60
	5.50	4.45	0.67	0.95	3.00	5.91	85.8%	0.51	4.64	1.55
	5.55	4.39	0.63	0.90	2.78	5.79	84.0%	0.48	4.15	1.49
	5.60	4.32	0.59	0.85	2.57	5.67	82.2%	0.45	3.67	1.43
WL	5.65	4.25	0.55	0.80	2.35	5.54	80.4%	0.42	3.22	1.37
	5.70	4.17	0.51	0.75	2.14	5.40	78.4%	0.40	2.80	1.31
	5.75	4.09	0.47	0.70	1.93	5.26	76.4%	0.37	2.41	1.25
	5.80	4.02	0.43	0.65	1.73	5.12	74.3%	0.34	2.04	1.18
	5.85	3.94	0.39	0.60	1.53	4.98	72.3%	0.31	1.70	1.11
	5.90	3.90	0.34	0.55	1.34	4.87	70.7%	0.27	1.37	1.02
	5.95	3.86	0.30	0.50	1.14	4.76	69.1%	0.24	1.07	0.94
	6.00	3.83	0.25	0.45	0.95	4.65	67.5%	0.20	0.80	0.84
	6.05	3.79	0.20	0.40	0.76	4.54	65.9%	0.17	0.56	0.74
	6.10	3.75	0.15	0.35	0.57	4.43	64.3%	0.13	0.35	0.62
	6.15	3.52	0.11	0.30	0.39	4.09	59.4%	0.10	0.20	0.51
	6.20	2.18	0.11	0.25	0.24	2.62	38.1%	0.09	0.12	0.49
	6.25	1.74	0.08	0.20	0.14	2.06	29.9%	0.07	0.06	0.41
	6.30	1.01	0.06	0.15	0.07	1.20	17.4%	0.05	0.02	0.35
	6.35	0.55	0.05	0.10	0.03	0.66	9.6%	0.04	0.01	0.28
	6.40	0.25	0.03	0.05	0.01	0.27	3.9%	0.02	0.00	0.20
	6.45	0.00	#DIV/0!	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0%	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
XS LOCATION: 1000' u/s fr hdg of Lone Star Ditch
XS NUMBER: 1

SUMMARY SHEET

MEASURED FLOW (Qm)= 3.22 cfs
CALCULATED FLOW (Qc)= 3.22 cfs
(Qm-Qc)/Qm * 100 = 0.0 %

MEASURED WATERLINE (WLm)= 5.65 ft
CALCULATED WATERLINE (WLc)= 5.65 ft
(WLm-WLc)/WLm * 100 = 0.0 %

MAX MEASURED DEPTH (Dm)= 0.80 ft
MAX CALCULATED DEPTH (Dc)= 0.80 ft
(Dm-Dc)/Dm * 100 = 0.0 %

MEAN VELOCITY= 1.37 ft/sec
MANNING'S N= 0.111
SLOPE= 0.033 ft/ft

.4 * Qm = 1.3 cfs
2.5 * Qm= 8.1 cfs

RECOMMENDED INSTREAM FLOW:
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FLOW (CFS)	PERIOD
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_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

RATIONALE FOR RECOMMENDATION:
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RECOMMENDATION BY: AGENCY..... DATE:.....
CWCB REVIEW BY: DATE:.....

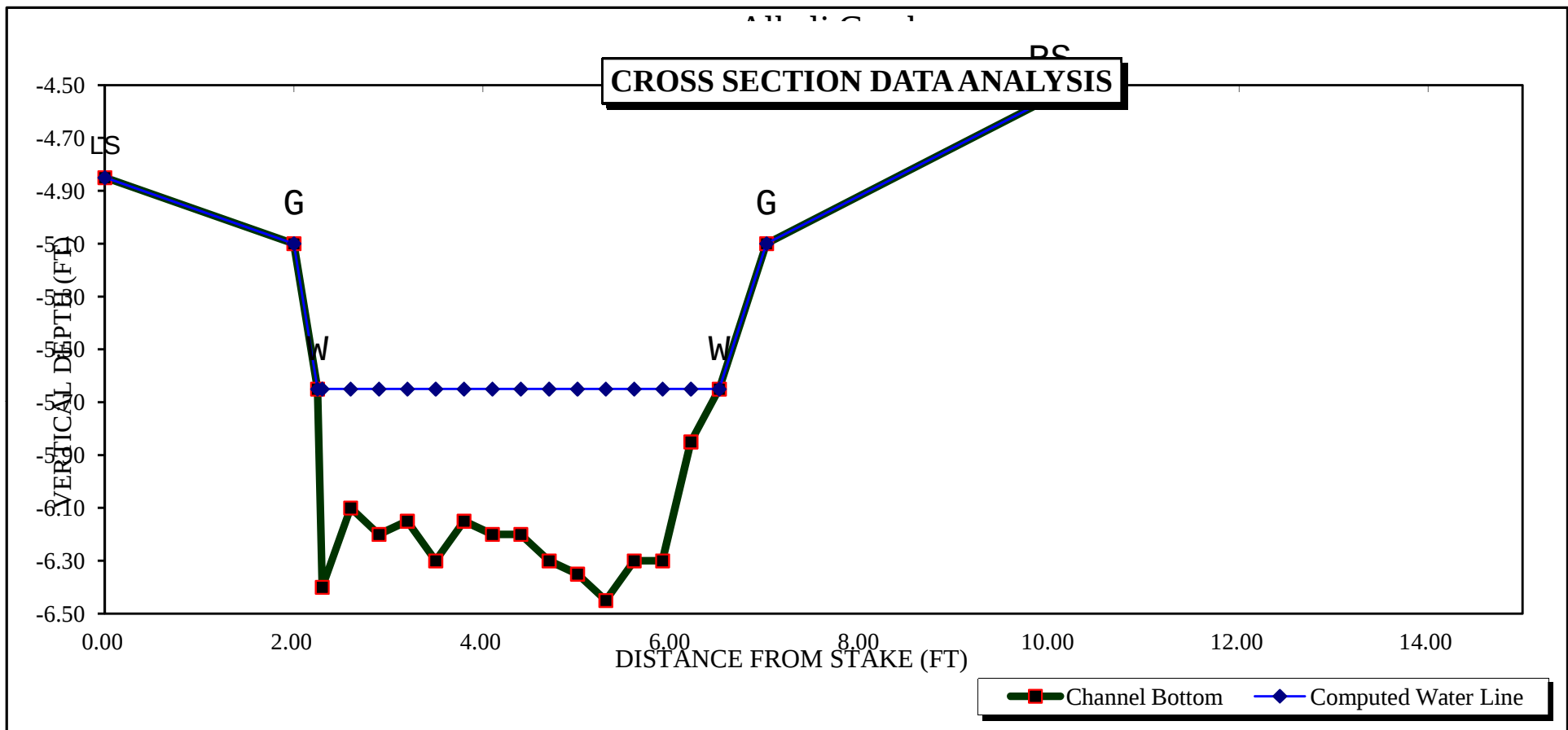
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 XS NUMBER: 1 Jarrett Variable Manning's n Correction Applied

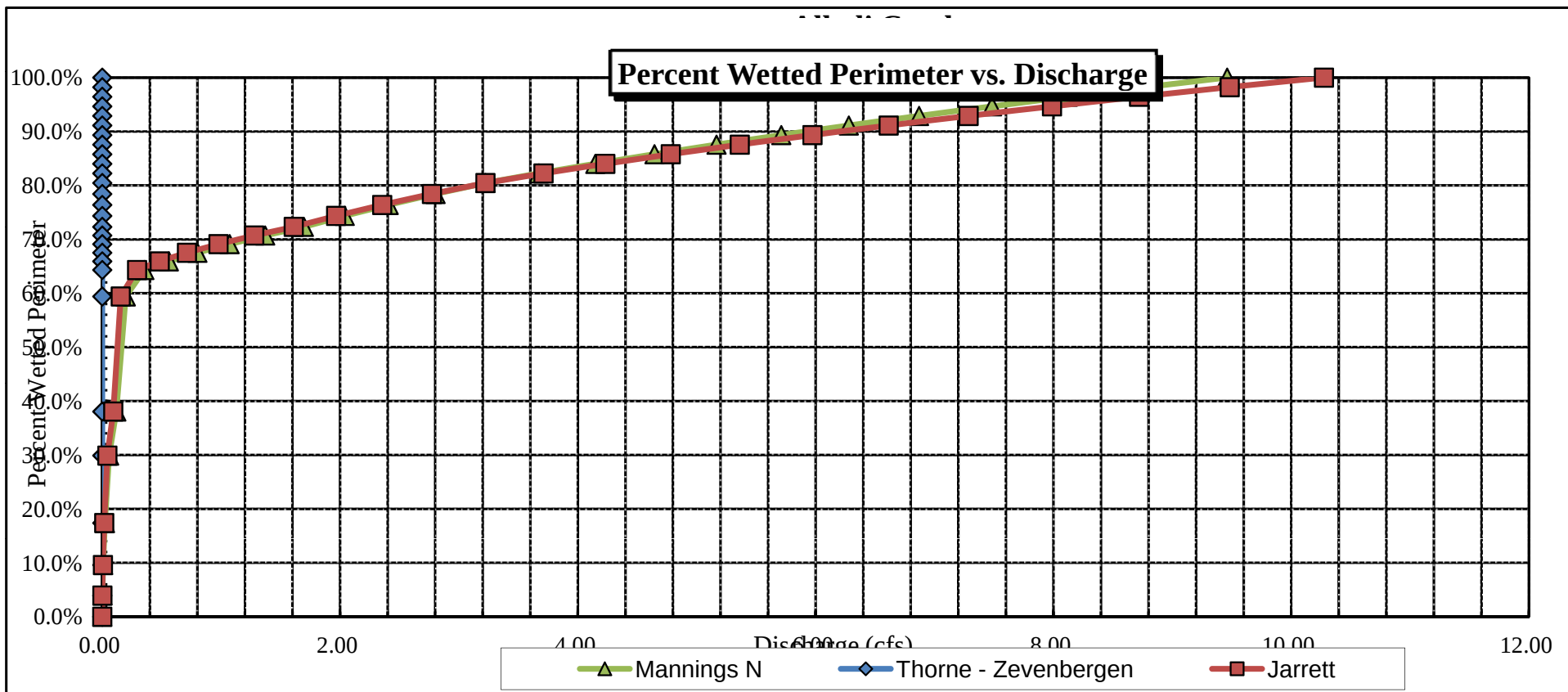
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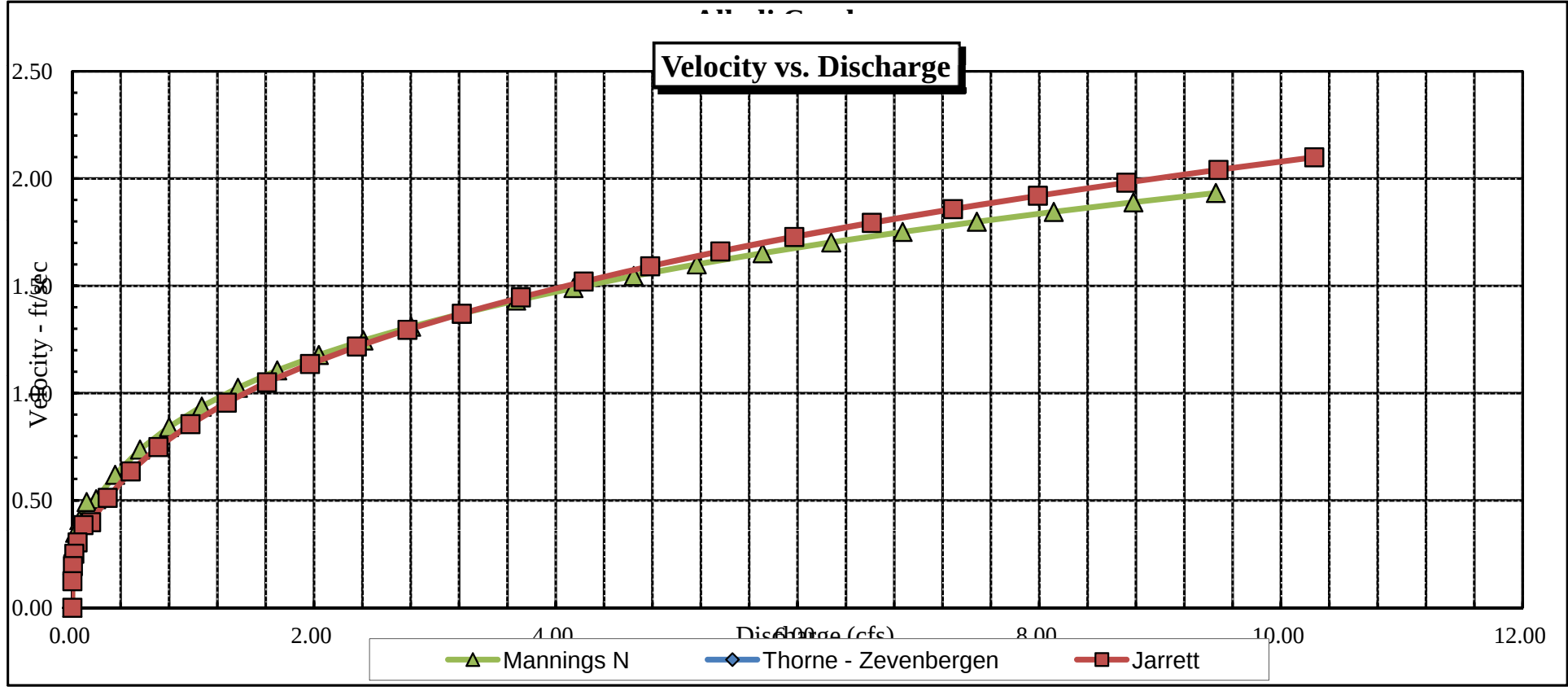
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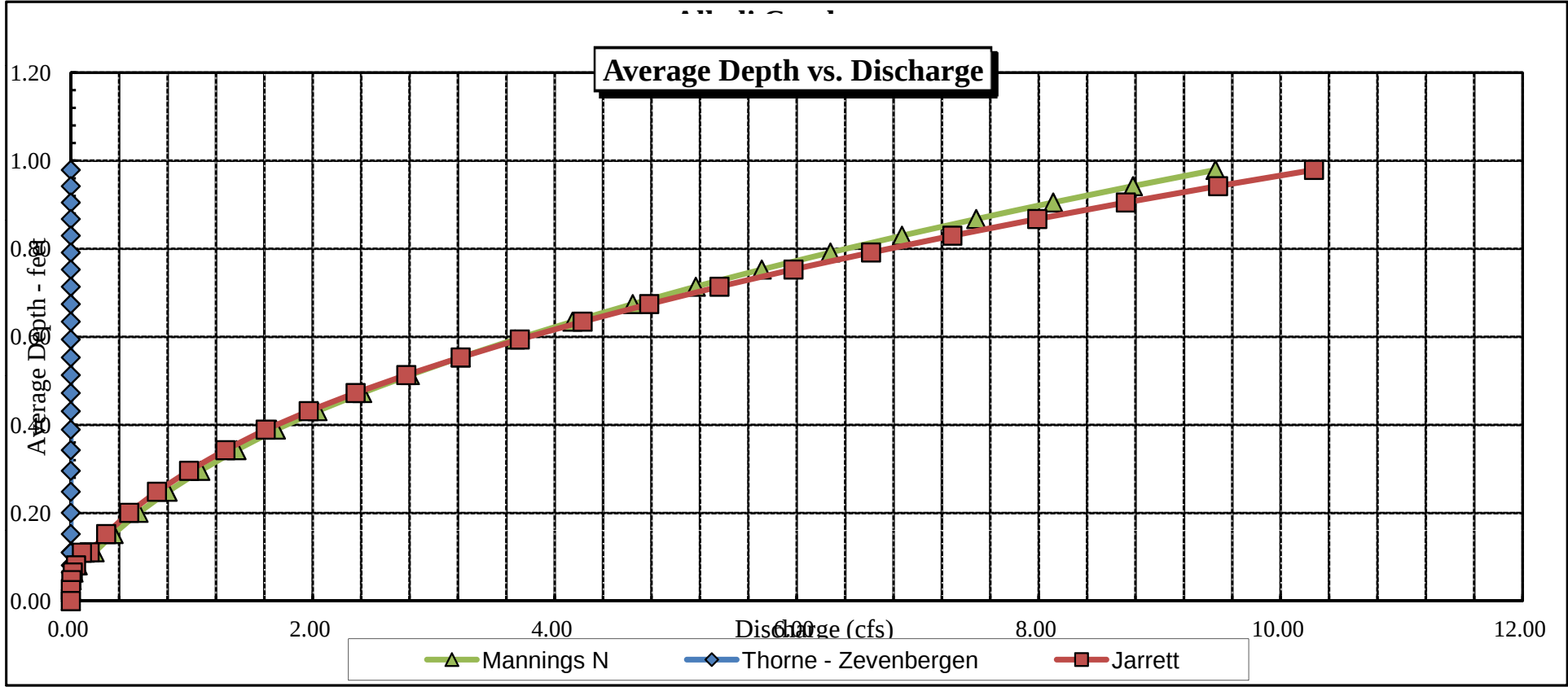
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GL	5.10	5.00	0.98	1.35	4.90	6.89	100.0%	0.71	10.27	2.10
	5.10	5.00	0.98	1.35	4.89	6.89	100.0%	0.71	10.27	2.10
	5.15	4.93	0.94	1.30	4.65	6.77	98.2%	0.69	9.48	2.04
	5.20	4.86	0.91	1.25	4.40	6.65	96.4%	0.66	8.72	1.98
	5.25	4.80	0.87	1.20	4.16	6.52	94.7%	0.64	7.99	1.92
	5.30	4.73	0.83	1.15	3.92	6.40	92.9%	0.61	7.29	1.86
	5.35	4.66	0.79	1.10	3.69	6.28	91.1%	0.59	6.61	1.79
	5.40	4.59	0.75	1.05	3.46	6.16	89.3%	0.56	5.97	1.73
	5.45	4.52	0.71	1.00	3.23	6.03	87.6%	0.53	5.36	1.66
	5.50	4.45	0.67	0.95	3.00	5.91	85.8%	0.51	4.78	1.59
	5.55	4.39	0.63	0.90	2.78	5.79	84.0%	0.48	4.23	1.52
	5.60	4.32	0.59	0.85	2.57	5.67	82.2%	0.45	3.71	1.45
WL	5.65	4.25	0.55	0.80	2.35	5.54	80.4%	0.42	3.22	1.37
	5.70	4.17	0.51	0.75	2.14	5.40	78.4%	0.40	2.77	1.30
	5.75	4.09	0.47	0.70	1.93	5.26	76.4%	0.37	2.35	1.22
	5.80	4.02	0.43	0.65	1.73	5.12	74.3%	0.34	1.97	1.14
	5.85	3.94	0.39	0.60	1.53	4.98	72.3%	0.31	1.61	1.05
	5.90	3.90	0.34	0.55	1.34	4.87	70.7%	0.27	1.28	0.96
	5.95	3.86	0.30	0.50	1.14	4.76	69.1%	0.24	0.98	0.86
	6.00	3.83	0.25	0.45	0.95	4.65	67.5%	0.20	0.71	0.75
	6.05	3.79	0.20	0.40	0.76	4.54	65.9%	0.17	0.48	0.64
	6.10	3.75	0.15	0.35	0.57	4.43	64.3%	0.13	0.29	0.51
	6.15	3.52	0.11	0.30	0.39	4.09	59.4%	0.10	0.16	0.40
	6.20	2.18	0.11	0.25	0.24	2.62	38.1%	0.09	0.09	0.39
	6.25	1.74	0.08	0.20	0.14	2.06	29.9%	0.07	0.04	0.30
	6.30	1.01	0.06	0.15	0.07	1.20	17.4%	0.05	0.02	0.25
	6.35	0.55	0.05	0.10	0.03	0.66	9.6%	0.04	0.01	0.19
	6.40	0.25	0.03	0.05	0.01	0.27	3.9%	0.02	0.00	0.12
	6.45	0.00	#DIV/0!	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0%	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!

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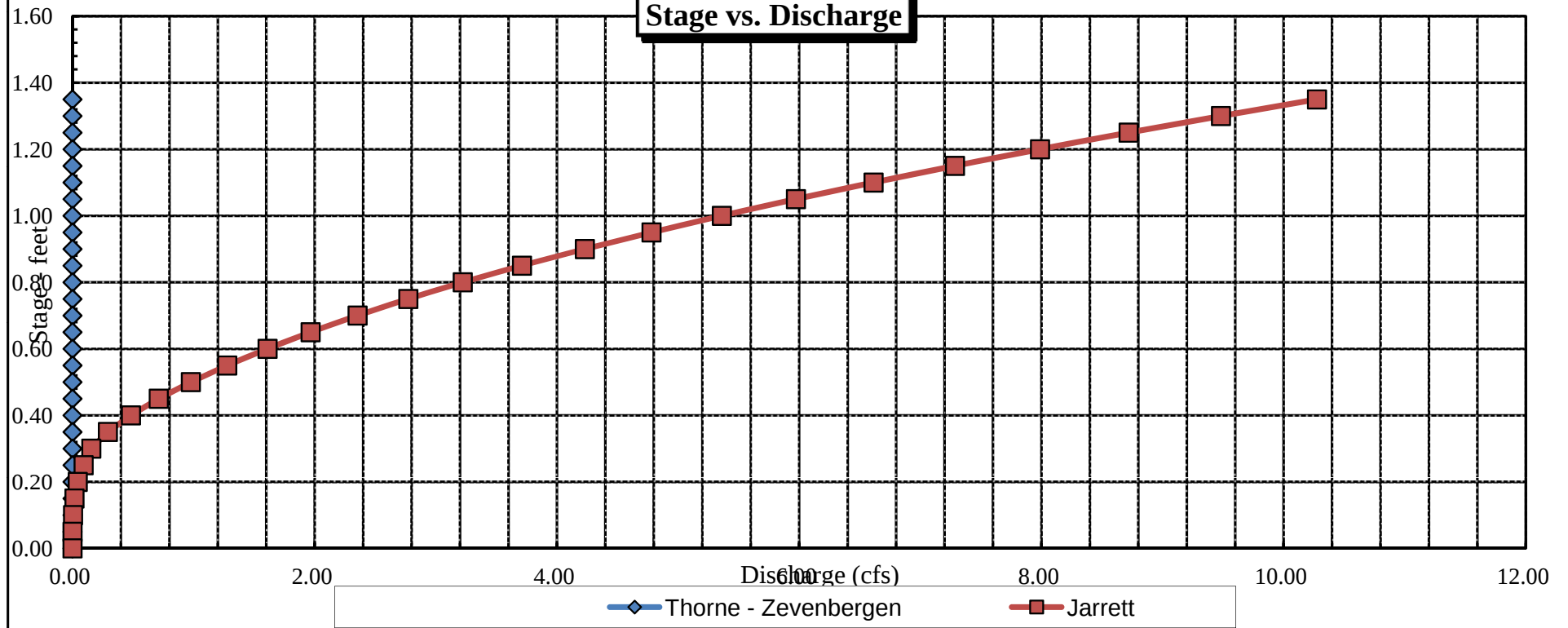








Stage vs. Discharge





FIELD DATA FOR INSTREAM FLOW DETERMINATIONS



**COLORADO WATER
CONSERVATION BOARD**

LOCATION INFORMATION

CONSERVATION BOARD		CROSS-SECTION NO. 1	
STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek		CROSS-SECTION LOCATION 1000' upstream from headgate of Lone Star Ditch	
DATE 5-16-13	OBSERVERS R. Smith, J. Sondergaard		
LEGAL DESCRIPTION	1/4 SECTION NW 1/4	SECTION 17	TOWNSHIP 14 N 5
COUNTY Delta	WATERSHED Gunnison	WATER DIVISION 4	RANGE 96 E 10 S 6th PM
MAP(S):	USGS	GPS = 747112	
	USFS	4302749	

SUPPLEMENTAL DATA

SAG TAPE SECTION SAME AS DISCHARGE SECTION		YES / NO	METER TYPE: M-M						
METER NUMBER:		DATE RATED:		CALIB/SPIN: _____	SEC: _____	TAPE WEIGHT: _____	lbs/foot	TAPE TENSION: _____	lbs
CHANNEL BED MATERIAL SIZE RANGE CHANNELS TO 4" COBBLES					PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN (YES/NO)		NUMBER OF PHOTOGRAPHS: 3		

CHANNEL PROFILE DATA

STATION		DISTANCE FROM TAPE (ft)	ROD READING (ft)
⊗	Tape @ Stake LB	0.0	SUNWEYED
⊗	Tape @ Stake RB	0.0	SUNWEYED
①	WS @ Tape LB/RB	0.0	5.65 / 5.65
②	WS Upstream	21.0	4.30
③	WS Downstream	21.0	5.70
SLOPE		$1.4 / 42.0 = .033$	

SKETCH

LEGEND

Stake ⊗

Station ①

Photo ◇

Direction of Flow →

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
AQUATIC INSECTS IN STREAM SECTION BY COMMON OR SCIENTIFIC ORDER NAME																	

COMMENTS

Temp: 7.4°C DOB for ditch: Zone 12 747063
Cond: 101 4302497
Salinity: 0 Ryponon = Alder - Narrowleaf
pH: 7.42

DISCHARGE/CROSS SECTION NOTES

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

LOCATION INFORMATION

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
XS LOCATION: 950' u/s fr hdg of Lone Star Ditch
XS NUMBER: 2

DATE: 16-May-13
OBSERVERS: R. Smith, J. Sondergard

1/4 SEC: NW NW
SECTION: 17
TWP: 14S
RANGE: 96W
PM: Sixth

COUNTY: Delta
WATERSHED: Gunnison
DIVISION: 4
DOW CODE: 37968

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: 0.033

INPUT DATA CHECKED BY:DATE.....

ASSIGNED TO:DATE.....

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
 XS LOCATION: 950' u/s fr hdg of Lone Star Ditch
 XS NUMBER: 2

DATA POINTS= 30

VALUES COMPUTED FROM RAW FIELD DATA

FEATURE	DIST	VERT DEPTH	WATER DEPTH	VEL
LS	0.00	4.65		
1 G	2.60	5.45		
W	3.80	5.70	0.00	0.00
	4.10	5.75	0.05	0.00
	4.40	5.75	0.05	0.00
	4.70	5.75	0.05	0.00
	5.00	5.80	0.10	0.00
	5.30	5.80	0.10	0.00
	5.60	6.10	0.40	0.15
	5.90	6.10	0.40	0.54
	6.20	6.40	0.70	0.80
	6.50	6.35	0.65	1.05
	6.80	6.45	0.75	1.27
	7.10	6.45	0.75	1.48
	7.40	6.30	0.60	1.53
	7.70	6.40	0.70	1.51
	8.00	6.45	0.75	1.51
	8.30	6.40	0.70	1.35
	8.60	6.40	0.70	1.42
	8.90	6.40	0.70	1.27
	9.20	6.40	0.70	1.04
	9.50	6.40	0.70	0.98
	9.80	6.35	0.65	1.01
	10.20	6.35	0.65	0.64
	10.40	6.30	0.60	0.28
	10.70	5.95	0.25	0.07
	11.00	5.80	0.10	0.00
W	11.20	5.70	0.00	0.00
1 G	12.20	5.35		
RS	14.60	4.25		

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%
0.30	0.05	0.02	0.00	0.0%
0.30	0.05	0.02	0.00	0.0%
0.30	0.05	0.02	0.00	0.0%
0.30	0.10	0.03	0.00	0.0%
0.30	0.10	0.03	0.00	0.0%
0.42	0.40	0.12	0.02	0.5%
0.30	0.40	0.12	0.06	1.8%
0.42	0.70	0.21	0.17	4.6%
0.30	0.65	0.20	0.20	5.6%
0.32	0.75	0.23	0.29	7.8%
0.30	0.75	0.23	0.33	9.0%
0.34	0.60	0.18	0.28	7.5%
0.32	0.70	0.21	0.32	8.6%
0.30	0.75	0.23	0.34	9.2%
0.30	0.70	0.21	0.28	7.7%
0.30	0.70	0.21	0.30	8.1%
0.30	0.70	0.21	0.27	7.2%
0.30	0.70	0.21	0.22	5.9%
0.30	0.70	0.21	0.21	5.6%
0.30	0.65	0.23	0.23	6.2%
0.40	0.65	0.20	0.12	3.4%
0.21	0.60	0.15	0.04	1.1%
0.46	0.25	0.08	0.01	0.1%
0.34	0.10	0.03	0.00	0.0%
0.22		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%
0.00		0.00	0.00	0.0%

TOTALS -----

7.97	0.75	3.54	3.68	100.0%
(Max.)				

Manning's n = 0.1510
 Hydraulic Radius= 0.44399834

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
 XS LOCATION: 950' u/s fr hdg of Lone Star Ditch
 XS NUMBER: 2

WATER LINE COMPARISON TABLE

WATER LINE	MEAS AREA	COMP AREA	AREA ERROR
	3.54	3.54	0.0%
5.45	3.54	5.63	59.1%
5.47	3.54	5.44	53.8%
5.49	3.54	5.26	48.7%
5.51	3.54	5.08	43.7%
5.53	3.54	4.91	38.7%
5.55	3.54	4.73	33.8%
5.57	3.54	4.56	29.0%
5.59	3.54	4.40	24.3%
5.61	3.54	4.23	19.7%
5.63	3.54	4.07	15.2%
5.65	3.54	3.92	10.7%
5.66	3.54	3.84	8.5%
5.67	3.54	3.76	6.4%
5.68	3.54	3.69	4.2%
5.69	3.54	3.61	2.1%
5.70	3.54	3.54	0.0%
5.71	3.54	3.46	-2.1%
5.72	3.54	3.39	-4.1%
5.73	3.54	3.32	-6.2%
5.74	3.54	3.25	-8.2%
5.75	3.54	3.18	-10.2%
5.77	3.54	3.05	-13.7%
5.79	3.54	2.93	-17.2%
5.81	3.54	2.81	-20.5%
5.83	3.54	2.70	-23.7%
5.85	3.54	2.59	-26.9%
5.87	3.54	2.48	-30.0%
5.89	3.54	2.37	-33.1%
5.91	3.54	2.26	-36.2%
5.93	3.54	2.15	-39.2%
5.95	3.54	2.05	-42.2%

WATERLINE AT ZERO

AREA ERROR = 5.700

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
 XS LOCATION: 950' u/s fr hdg of Lone Star Ditch
 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	5.45	9.31	0.60	1.00	5.63	9.95	100.0%	0.57	6.88	1.22
	5.45	9.31	0.60	1.00	5.63	9.95	100.0%	0.57	6.88	1.22
	5.50	8.93	0.58	0.95	5.17	9.55	96.0%	0.54	6.14	1.19
	5.55	8.55	0.55	0.90	4.73	9.16	92.0%	0.52	5.45	1.15
	5.60	8.17	0.53	0.85	4.32	8.76	88.0%	0.49	4.81	1.12
	5.65	7.78	0.50	0.80	3.92	8.36	84.1%	0.47	4.22	1.08
WL	5.70	7.40	0.48	0.75	3.54	7.97	80.1%	0.44	3.68	1.04
	5.75	6.40	0.50	0.70	3.18	6.95	69.9%	0.46	3.37	1.06
	5.80	5.70	0.50	0.65	2.87	6.24	62.7%	0.46	3.05	1.07
	5.85	5.55	0.47	0.60	2.59	6.05	60.8%	0.43	2.62	1.01
	5.90	5.40	0.43	0.55	2.31	5.87	59.0%	0.39	2.22	0.96
	5.95	5.25	0.39	0.50	2.05	5.69	57.2%	0.36	1.85	0.90
	6.00	5.16	0.35	0.45	1.79	5.55	55.8%	0.32	1.50	0.84
	6.05	5.06	0.30	0.40	1.53	5.41	54.4%	0.28	1.18	0.77
	6.10	4.67	0.27	0.35	1.28	4.98	50.0%	0.26	0.92	0.72
	6.15	4.58	0.23	0.30	1.05	4.84	48.7%	0.22	0.68	0.64
	6.20	4.49	0.18	0.25	0.82	4.71	47.3%	0.17	0.46	0.56
	6.25	4.39	0.14	0.20	0.60	4.57	45.9%	0.13	0.28	0.46
	6.30	4.30	0.09	0.15	0.38	4.43	44.5%	0.09	0.13	0.35
	6.35	3.40	0.05	0.10	0.18	3.49	35.0%	0.05	0.04	0.25
	6.40	1.15	0.03	0.05	0.04	1.18	11.8%	0.03	0.01	0.18
	6.45	0.00	#DIV/0!	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0%	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!

STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
XS LOCATION: 950' u/s fr hdg of Lone Star Ditch
XS NUMBER: 2

SUMMARY SHEET

MEASURED FLOW (Qm)=	3.68 cfs
CALCULATED FLOW (Qc)=	3.68 cfs
(Qm-Qc)/Qm * 100 =	0.0 %
MEASURED WATERLINE (WLm)=	5.70 ft
CALCULATED WATERLINE (WLc)=	5.70 ft
(WLm-WLc)/WLm * 100 =	0.0 %
MAX MEASURED DEPTH (Dm)=	0.75 ft
MAX CALCULATED DEPTH (Dc)=	0.75 ft
(Dm-Dc)/Dm * 100	0.0 %
MEAN VELOCITY=	1.04 ft/sec
MANNING'S N=	0.151
SLOPE=	0.033 ft/ft
.4 * Qm =	1.5 cfs
2.5 * Qm=	9.2 cfs

RECOMMENDED INSTREAM FLOW:
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FLOW (CFS)	PERIOD
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RATIONALE FOR RECOMMENDATION:
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RECOMMENDATION BY: AGENCY..... DATE:.....

CWCB REVIEW BY: DATE:

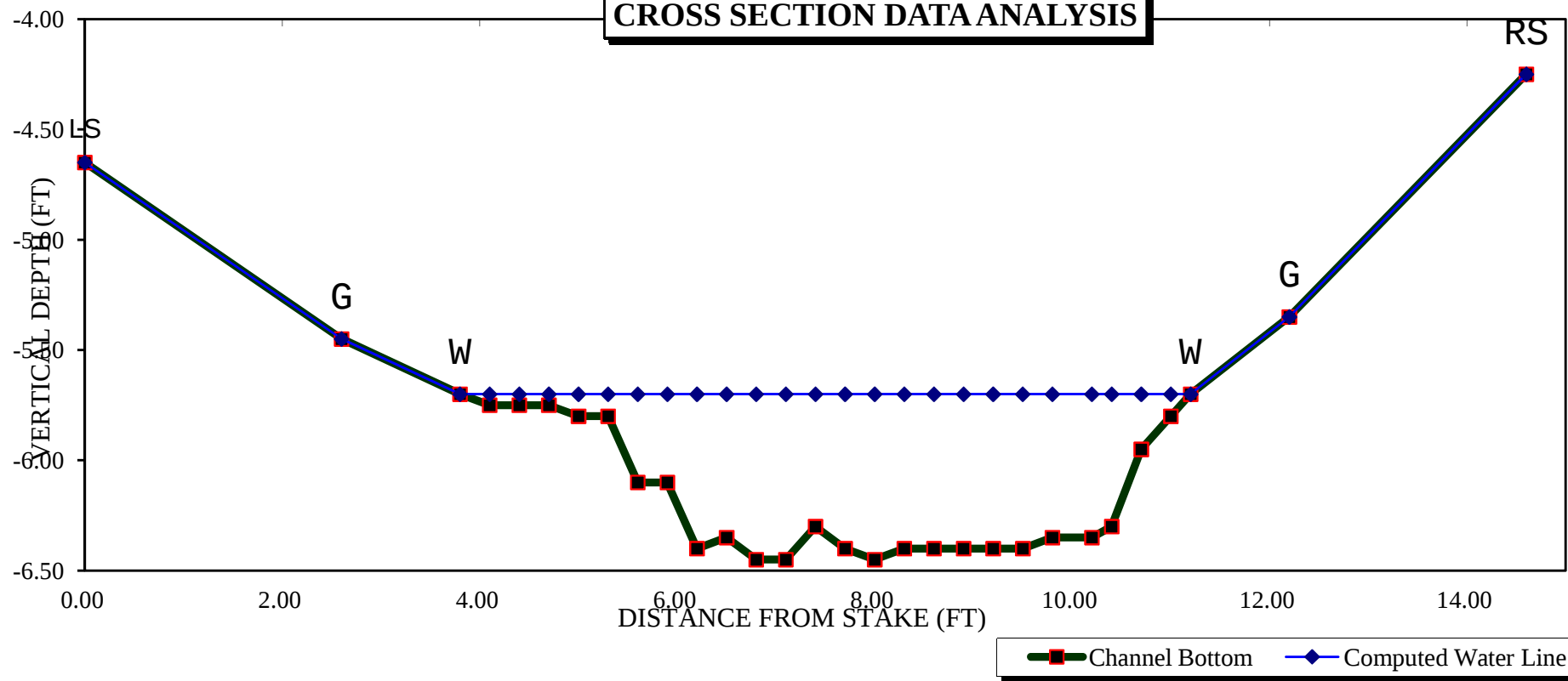
STREAM NAME: Alkali Creek
 XS LOCATION: 950' u/s fr hdg of Lone Star Ditch
 XS NUMBER: 2 Jarrett Variable Manning's n Correction Applied

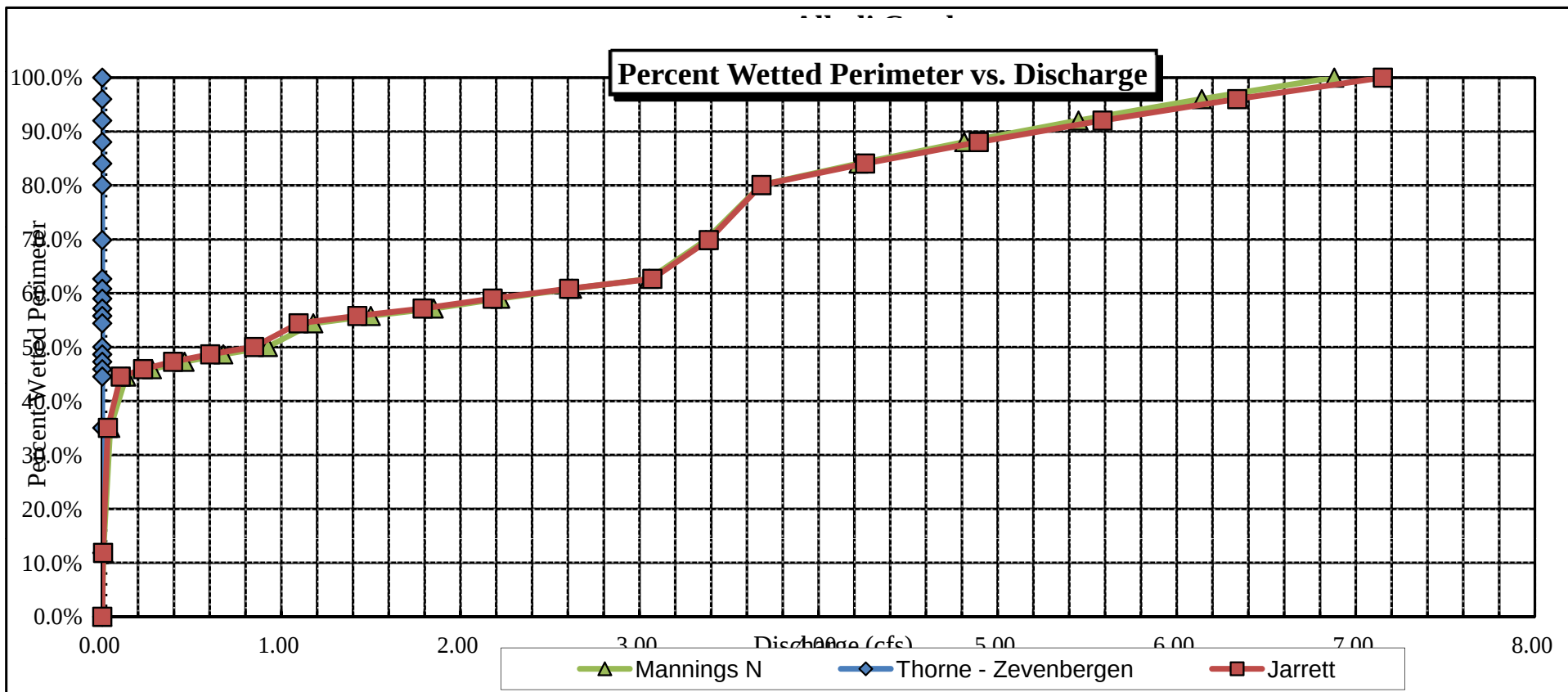
GL = lowest Grassline elevation corrected for sag

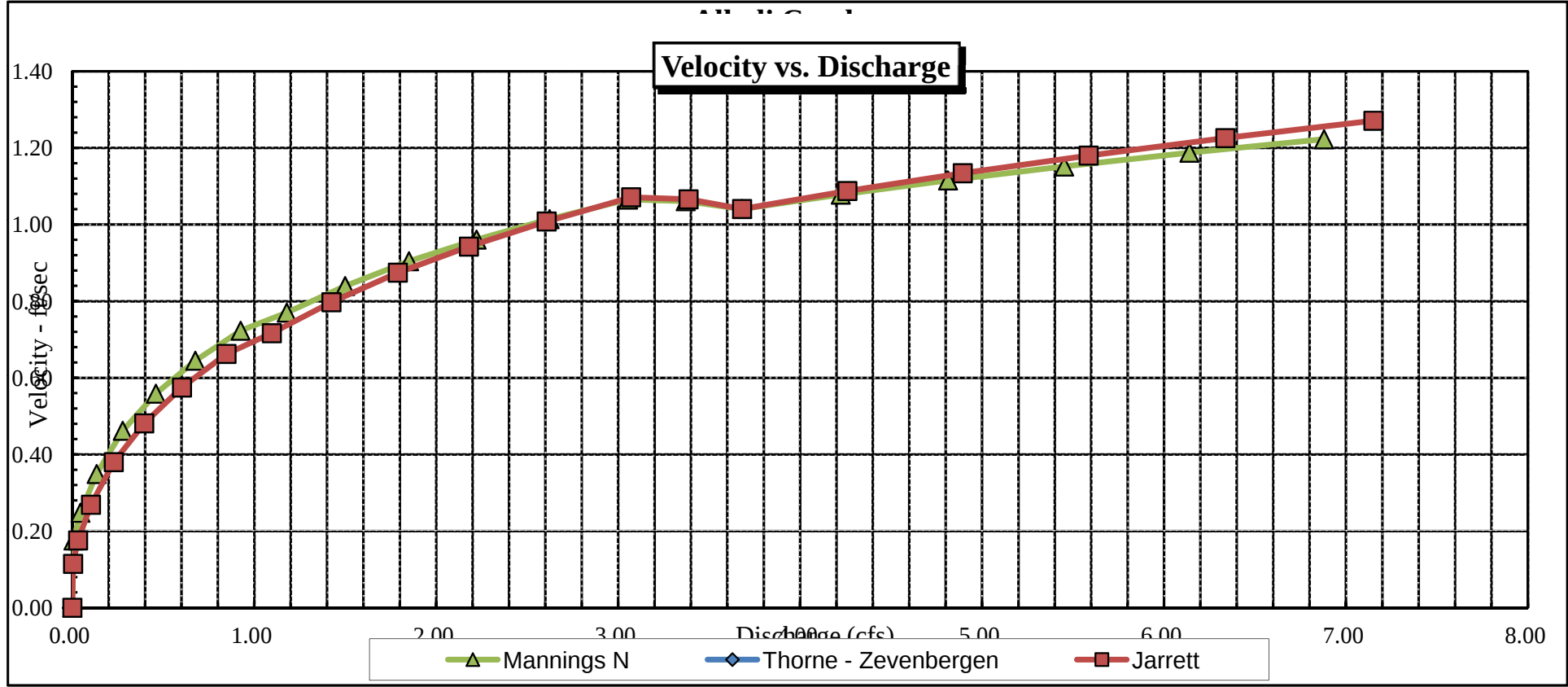
STAGING TABLE *WL* = Waterline corrected for variations in field measured water surface elevations and sag

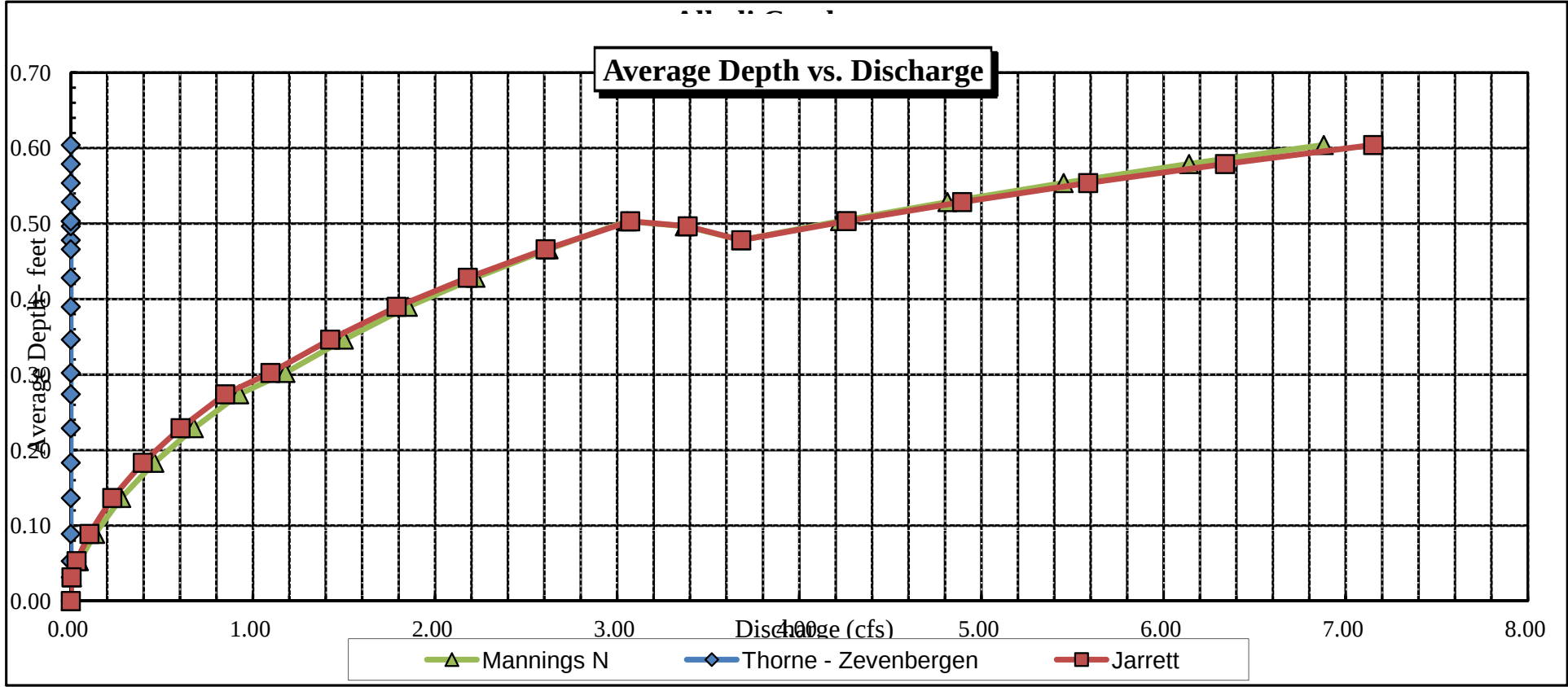
	DIST TO WATER (FT)	TOP WIDTH (FT)	AVG. DEPTH (FT)	MAX. DEPTH (FT)	AREA (SQ FT)	WETTED PERIM. (FT)	PERCENT WET PERIM (%)	HYDR RADIUS (FT)	FLOW (CFS)	AVG. VELOCITY (FT/SEC)
GL	5.45	9.31	0.60	1.00	5.63	9.95	100.0%	0.57	7.15	1.27
	5.45	9.31	0.60	1.00	5.63	9.95	100.0%	0.57	7.15	1.27
	5.50	8.93	0.58	0.95	5.17	9.55	96.0%	0.54	6.34	1.23
	5.55	8.55	0.55	0.90	4.73	9.16	92.0%	0.52	5.59	1.18
	5.60	8.17	0.53	0.85	4.32	8.76	88.0%	0.49	4.89	1.13
	5.65	7.78	0.50	0.80	3.92	8.36	84.1%	0.47	4.26	1.09
WL	5.70	7.40	0.48	0.75	3.54	7.97	80.1%	0.44	3.68	1.04
	5.75	6.40	0.50	0.70	3.18	6.95	69.9%	0.46	3.39	1.07
	5.80	5.70	0.50	0.65	2.87	6.24	62.7%	0.46	3.07	1.07
	5.85	5.55	0.47	0.60	2.59	6.05	60.8%	0.43	2.61	1.01
	5.90	5.40	0.43	0.55	2.31	5.87	59.0%	0.39	2.18	0.94
	5.95	5.25	0.39	0.50	2.05	5.69	57.2%	0.36	1.79	0.87
	6.00	5.16	0.35	0.45	1.79	5.55	55.8%	0.32	1.42	0.80
	6.05	5.06	0.30	0.40	1.53	5.41	54.4%	0.28	1.10	0.72
	6.10	4.67	0.27	0.35	1.28	4.98	50.0%	0.26	0.85	0.66
	6.15	4.58	0.23	0.30	1.05	4.84	48.7%	0.22	0.60	0.57
	6.20	4.49	0.18	0.25	0.82	4.71	47.3%	0.17	0.40	0.48
	6.25	4.39	0.14	0.20	0.60	4.57	45.9%	0.13	0.23	0.38
	6.30	4.30	0.09	0.15	0.38	4.43	44.5%	0.09	0.10	0.27
	6.35	3.40	0.05	0.10	0.18	3.49	35.0%	0.05	0.03	0.18
	6.40	1.15	0.03	0.05	0.04	1.18	11.8%	0.03	0.00	0.11
	6.45	0.00	#DIV/0!	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0%	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!

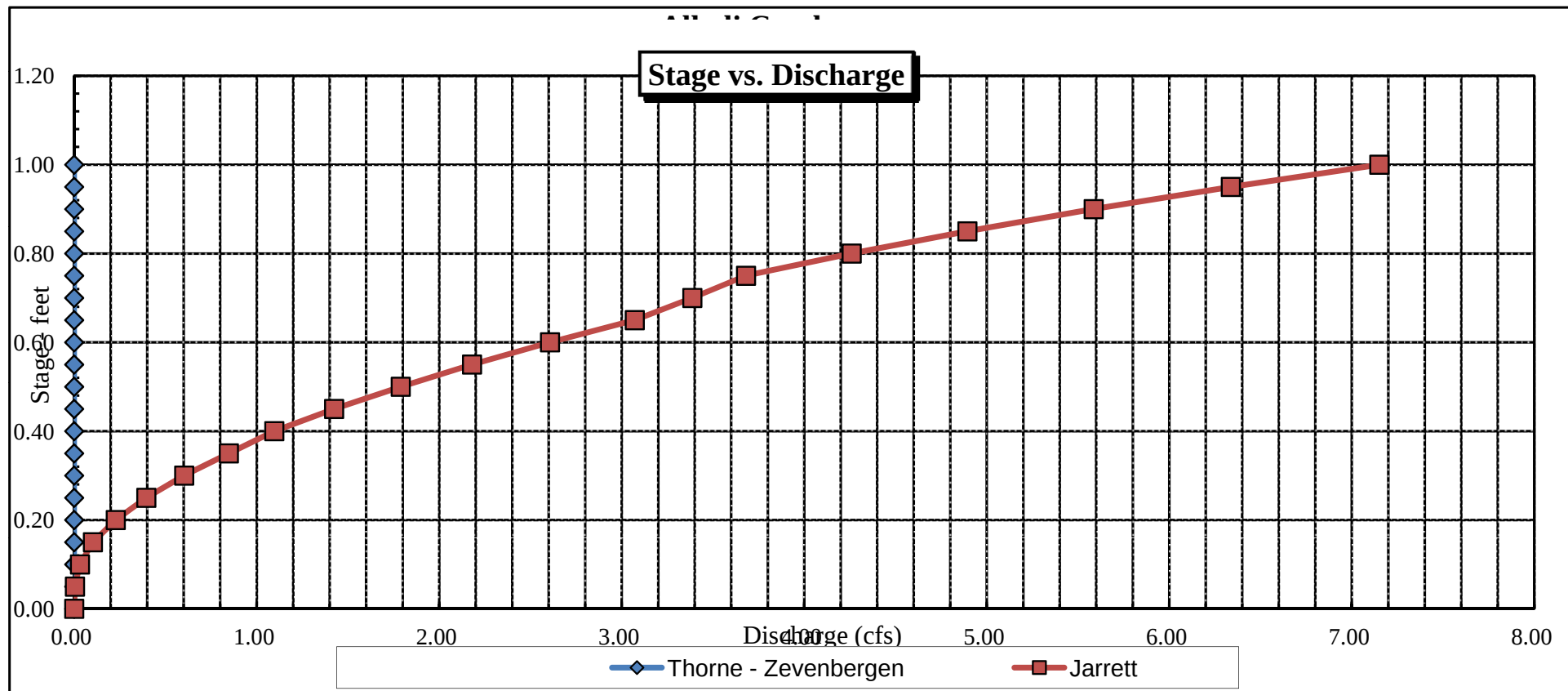
CROSS SECTION DATA ANALYSIS













FIELD DATA FOR INSTREAM FLOW DETERMINATIONS



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LOCATION INFORMATION

STREAM NAME: <u>Alkali Creek</u>		CROSS-SECTION NO. <u>2</u>
CROSS-SECTION LOCATION: <u>950' upstream from headgate of Lone Star Ditch</u>		
DATE: <u>5-16-13</u>	OBSERVERS: <u>R. Smith, J. Sondergaard</u>	
LEGAL DESCRIPTION:	1/4 SECTION: <u>NNW</u>	SECTION: <u>17</u>
	TOWNSHIP: <u>14 N</u>	RANGE: <u>96 E</u>
COUNTY: <u>Delta</u>	WATERSHED: <u>Gunnison</u>	WATER DIVISION: <u>4</u>
		DOW WATER CODE: <u>37968</u>
MAP(S):	USGS:	USFS:

SUPPLEMENTAL DATA

SAG TAPE SECTION SAME AS DISCHARGE SECTION	YES/NO	METER TYPE: <u>M-M</u>
METER NUMBER:	DATE RATED:	CALIB/SPIN: _____ SEC: _____
		TAPE WEIGHT: <u>surveyed</u> lbs/100
		TAPE TENSION: <u>surveyed</u> lbs
CHANNEL BED MATERIAL SIZE RANGE: <u>gravel</u>		PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN: <u>YES</u>
		NUMBER OF PHOTOGRAPHS: <u>3</u>

CHANNEL PROFILE DATA

STATION	DISTANCE FROM TAPE (ft)	ROD READING (ft)
⊗ Tape @ Stake LB	0.0	<u>surveyed</u>
⊗ Tape @ Stake RB	0.0	<u>surveyed</u>
① WS @ Tape LB/RB	0.0	<u>5.70 / 5.70</u>
② WS Upstream	<u>21.0</u>	<u>4.30</u>
③ WS Downstream	<u>21.0</u>	<u>5.70</u>
SLOPE	<u>1.4 / 42.0 = .033</u>	

SKETCH

A hand-drawn sketch of a channel cross-section. A vertical line represents the 'TAPE'. At the top and bottom of this line are 'X' marks representing stakes. To the right of the tape line, there are three points marked with circles containing numbers 1, 2, and 3. Point 1 is at the water surface level, point 2 is slightly below it, and point 3 is further down. Arrows indicate the direction of flow from right to left.

LEGEND:

Stake ⊗

Station ①

Photo ①

Direction of Flow →

AQUATIC SAMPLING SUMMARY

STREAM ELECTROFISHED: <u>YES</u>	DISTANCE ELECTROFISHED: _____ ft	FISH CAUGHT: <u>YES</u>	WATER CHEMISTRY SAMPLED: <u>YES</u>														
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
AQUATIC INSECTS IN STREAM SECTION BY COMMON OR SCIENTIFIC ORDER NAME																	

COMMENTS

<u>Temp: 7.40C</u>
<u>Cond: 101</u>
<u>Salinity: 0</u>
<u>pH: 7.42</u>

2.9 11.2

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