SOUTH DAKOTA BLACK HILLS COLD STREAM SURVEY

Bear Gulch, Custer County 10120109000999 2015

Table 1. Population and Biomass Estimates for Bear Gulch

Site Number: 66 Date Sampled: 07/16/2015 Conductivity

Site Midpoint (Latitude, Longitude): 43.79201243, -103.35262400

Site Length (m): 100

pH: 7.9

Survey Completed by: South Dakota Game, Fish and Parks

Mean Width (m): 2.9

Stream Classification: BK0

Number of Pass: 1

Water Temperature (C): 18.0

Voltage: 400

Total Mean Mean Upper Size Est. # in Lower # per Kg per # per # per # per lb. per **Species** Weight Number Length **Class** 95% CI 95% CI **Hectacre Hectacre** Acre site Km Acre Mile Captured (mm) (grams) <200mm 54 1892 766 54 **Brook Trout** 54 54 72 540 64.65 869 147.0 38.3 **Brook Trout** ΑII 54 54 54 54 1892 72 540 766 64.65 869 147.0 38.3

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Stream sites are classified based on the estimates of adult trout over eight inches that exist within the site. Estimates are derived from 3-pass backpack electrofishing surveys at 100-meter sites within streams. While all fish in the site are collected and measured, only trout species are used for classifications. Sites are numbered in accordance for the distance (m) from the stream confluence of a higher order stream/river.

Based on number of trout in excess of eight inches				
Class BR1	Number of wild Brown Trout exceeds 150 per acre			
Class BR2	Number of wild Brook Trout ranges from 25 to 150 per acre			
Class BR3	Number of wild Brown Trout is less than 25 per acre			
Class BK1	Number of wild Brook Trout exceeds 150 per acre			
Class BK2	Number of wild Brook Trout ranges from 25 to 150 per acre			
Class BK3	Number of wild BrookTrout is less than 25 per acre			
Class RB1	Number of wild Rainbow Trout exceeds 25 per acre			
Class RB2	Number of wild Rainbow Trout is less than 25 per acre			

Table 2. Species composition and population estimates on Bear Gulch, 2005-2015

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Species/Size	Date	Pop Est.	(95% C.I.)	Stream Classification
Brook Trout <200mm	Jul 16, 2015	54	54-54	_

Length Frequency Distribution

Length frequency histogram of species sampled by year.

Site: 66 Species: Brook Trout

