SOUTH DAKOTA BLACK HILLS COLD STREAM SURVEY

Whitetail Creek, Lawrence County

09-0059-00

2010

Table 1. Population and Biomass Estimates for Whitetail Creek

Site Number: 50 Site Midpoint (Latitude, Longitude): 44.32465294, -103.79815239 Survey Completed by: Unknown Consultant Firm for mining Stream Classification: BK0						Site Len Mean Wi	Date Sampled: Site Length (m): Mean Width (m): Number of Pass:		(um pH: Wat	Conductivity (umhos/cm): pH: Water Temperature (C): Voltage:		250	
Species	Size Class	Total Number Captured	Est. # in site	Upper 95% CI	Lower 95% Cl	# per Hectacre	Kg per Hectacre	# per Km	# per Acre	lb. per Acre	# per Mile	Mean Length (mm)	Mean Weight (grams)
Brook Trout	<200mm	62	62	63	62	3295	48	620	1334	43.08	998	104.6	14.6
Brook Trout	All	62	62	63	62	3295	48	620	1334	43.08	998	104.6	14.6

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				

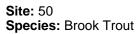
Table 2. Species composition and population estimates on Whitetail Creek, 2000-2010

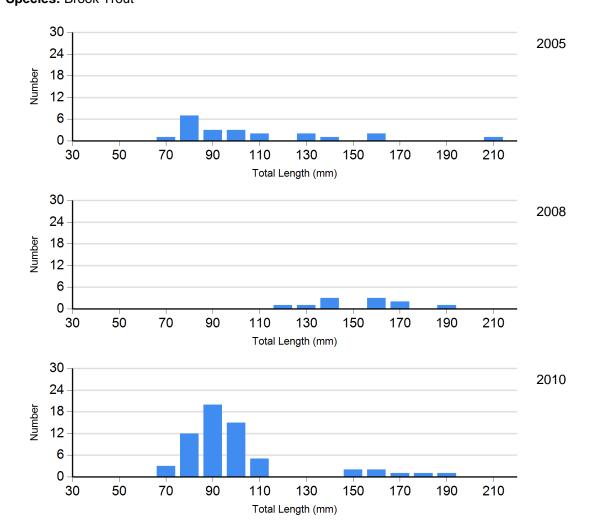
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Species/Size	Date	Pop Est.	(95% C.I.)	Stream Classification
Brook Trout <200mm	Aug 29, 2001	72	72-73	
	Aug 27, 2005	21	21-21	
	Jul 15, 2008	11	11-11	
	Aug 25, 2010	62	62-63	
Brook Trout >=200mm	Aug 27, 2005	1	1-1	BK3

Length Frequency Distribution

Length frequency histogram of species sampled by year.





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