

DRAFT OVERVIEW SUMMARY Appendix 1 StreamNet Project Fiscal Year 2008 Work Plan Proposal

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Appendix 1

StreamNet FY 2008 and 2009 Summary of Budget Options

Top priority data types as determined by the Data Management Framework Subcommittee of CBFWA in FY 2008 and 2009 was for abundance indicators for the focal species in the Status of the Resource Report, and exploratory work to identify the availability of productivity data for the SOTR to be provided in future years. Given the staff erosion caused by FY-08 being the fifth year at level funding, it will not be possible to provide all the requested priority data at level funding. Appendix Table 1 summarizes the specific data development actions planned by the StreamNet partner agencies under three staffing scenarios: Option A - Staffing available at continued level funding, Option B - "Parity" Staffing with previous staffing levels restored, and Option C - Potential Additional Staffing. The Level Staffing scenario was used to develop the initial FY-08 SOW in Pisces.

Option A: Level Funding (\$2,261,033)

Under level funding and the resulting decreased staffing, WDFW will work only on lower Columbia subbasins and drop data work in the eastern subbasins, ODFW will work on a bysubbasin basis and cover only as much of the basin as is possible, IDFG will focus on Chinook salmon and steelhead data, while MFWP will be able to maintain existing staffing and data delivery for resident species. Level funding will therefore not provide all of the abundance data needed for all focal species or all subbasins in the SOTR.

Option B: Parity Funding (\$2,470,308)

Parity staffing would restore staff levels more like those available at the beginning of the last funding cycle, and would restore full geographic coverage of the states and would provided abundance indicator data for all subbasins for the traditional species in the StreamNet database. That means that abundance data would be developed primarily for anadromous species and resident species in Montana. The MSRT recommended funding level for FY-08 of \$2,500,000 would cover the needed parity staffing level in the project's partner agencies and also cover a portion of other staffing cutbacks and cuts in operating expenses. Additional funding above current level funding needed to maintain staffing parity, by state agency, is:

WDFW	\$ 64,000
ODFW	\$112,200
IDFG	\$ 33,075
total	\$209.275

Option C: Funding to support Status of the Resource Report (\$2,647,608)

The Potential Increase column represents additional work to expand development of abundance data to all focal species in the SOTR, plus other additional data work that could be performed. Addressing all focal species in the SOTR represents an increase in work to cover a variety of additional species, including lamprey, sturgeon and resident species designated as "focal species" in the Subbasin Plans. Additional funding for SOTR work above the Parity level to cover development of abundance indicator data for all focal species and pilot work to identify productivity data, where they are calculated, by agency, is:

WDFW	\$ 39,000
ODFW	\$ 34,600
IDFG	\$103,700
total	\$177,300

The Potential Increase column also includes a partial list of work that could be accomplished in FY-08-09 if additional funding were available. The data types covered in this column relate to data prioritized by the DMFS, but it is recognized that other entities might desire other types of data or have other priorities. If other data types are requested, StreamNet would develop estimates of cost.

Appendix Table 1 is organized by priorities as established by the Data Management Framework Subcommittee as of July 17, 2007. The guidance provided by the DMFS priorities is:

- 1. Direct priority to DMFS and to support the SOTR Report. Try to obtain. If can't, identify support needed.
- 2. Develop plan to get in 2010, obtain if readily available or pilot in 08 if possible/reasonable
- 3. Low priority for SOTR. Obtain data if can, but not a priority. May get further guidance. Might be higher priority for some other data users.

Appendix Table 1. Data development work proposed for FY-08, by type of data, at three funding level options..

Data Type	StreamNet	Level Funded Staffing	"Parity" Staffing	Potential Additional Staffing
	Partners			(Incomplete list of what could be done)
Section 1: DMFS	designated P	riority 1		
Adult Abundance	IDFG	Chinook and steelhead, all	Restore previous cuts in 08, 09	Develop abundance data for
(redd counts,		Col. Subbasins in FY-08	data for all CS and steelhead.	other focal species, est. \$103,700
spawner counts,	MFWP	Redd counts for bull trout		
carcass counts,	ODFW	Steelhead, listed salmonids	Develop data for the remaining	Develop abundance data for all
dam / weir counts,		and focal species, by	Oregon subbasins. Will	other focal species. \$34,600
etc.)		subbasin ^a , beginning with	attempt for all focal species, if	
		John Day.	possible (\$112,200 for parity)	
	WDFW	27 of the 28 focal species in	Provide adult abundance data	Develop abundance data to all
		the 10 lower Columbia	for 19 of the 30 focal	remaining focal species in
		subbasins ^b .	populations in 8 relevant	Washington. Est. cost \$39,000
			eastern WA subbasins	
			(\$64,000 total for parity)	
Hatchery Fraction	IDFG	Chinook and steelhead		
		percentage of marked fish on		
		spawning grounds		
	ODFW	Preliminary work to plan;		Provide hatchery fraction for all
		pilot effort to get data		Oregon subbasins (\$15,200)
		beginning with John Day ^a		
		steelhead then other focal		
	THE EAST	species, as possible		D 11 11 11
	WDFW	No work planned on existing		Provide stream-level hatchery
		staffing		fraction data, all focal
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Attribute data to	IDFG	Will attribute all data to		
populations (for	ODEW	populations		
the data types	ODFW	Will be addressed according	Extend work to include all OR	
listed above, once		to priority of recovery	subbasins (\$112,200 total for	
population		populations ^a , beginning w/	parity)	
designations are		John Day		

established by CBFWA)	WDFW	Will attribute all data developed above ^b	Extend population attribution to data from eastern WA subbasins (parity \$64,000 tot.)	
	USFWS	Note-we need to find out if hatchery data will need to be attributed to populations also		
Hydrography	IDFG	Maintain 100K. 24K not yet needed.		
	MFWP	Maintain existing layers. NRIS is lead on 24K		
	ODFW	Maintain 100K. Continue work on mixed scale	Extend work to assure coverage of full Col. Basin	Convert remainder of state to MSH (\$20,300)
	WDFW	Maintain 100K and Mixed Scale		
Section 2: DMFS	designated P	riority 2		
Adult Abundance	IDFG	Chinook, sockeye and		
(hatchery returns)		steelhead, all subbasins		
	ODFW	Steelhead, listed salmonids &	All done under level staffing	
		focal species, by subbasin ^a ,	IF automatic data extraction	
		beginning in mid-Columbia.	restored with mainframe	
	WDFW	Anadromous focal	Extend hatchery return data to	
		populations in the 10 lower Columbia subbasins ^b .	the 8 relevant eastern WA subbasins (\$64,000 total)	
	USFWS	Returns to all national fish hatcheries in basin.		
Abundance	IDFG	Preparatory work. Will		
(juvenile		georeference stream survey		
anadromous & all		sites (approx. 4,000)		
resident)	MFWP	Survey data for resident species		
	ODFW	Sturgeon, bull trout, redband and westslope cutthroat, by subbasin ^a , begin in John Day	Extend work to all OR subbasins (\$112,200 total for parity)	

	WDFW	No work planned		
Fish Distribution,	IDFG	Maintain for bull trout,		
generalized		sturgeon, cutthroat, redband,		
		steelhead, Chinook and		
		sockeye		
	MFWP	Maintain and update for all		
		resident species		
	ODFW	Maintain and update as new		Convert non-Columbia events to
		information is submitted.		the higher resolution Mixed
		Convert Col. Basin events to		Scale hydro layer (\$40,600)
		Framework hydrography.		
	WDFW	Maintain across all subbasins,		
		increase resident coverage to		
		five priority species.		
Genetics ^c	MFWP	Develop genetics data as part		
		of fish distribution		
Age comp.	IDFG	Chinook, sockeye and		
		steelhead in all Columbia		
		River subbasins		
	MFWP	Preliminary work to explore		
		availability of data		
	ODFW	Preliminary work to plan;	Extend work on this data type	
		pilot effort to get data	to include all OR subbasins	
		beginning with John Day ^a	(\$112,200 total for parity)	
		steelhead		
	WDFW	Age linked to adult abundance	Extend age data type to 8	
		and hatchery returns for focal	eastern WA subbasins	
		populations in 10 lower Col.	(\$64,000 total for parity)	
		Subbasins ^b		
	USFWS	Age data for returns to		
		national fish hatcheries		

Size & sex	IDFG	Chinook and steelhead	
proportion on	ODFW	Preliminary work to plan;	Expand to all Oregon subbasins
spawning grounds		pilot effort to get data	(\$15,200)
		beginning with John Day ^a	
		steelhead	
	WDFW	No work planned with	Develop data for all focal
		existing staffing	populations (\$13,000)
Harvest (derived)	IDFG	No work planned in FY-08	Provide harvest data (\$75,000 total for 1 FTE, 3+ data types)
	ODFW	Preliminary work to	Develop harvest data, where
		investigate availability of	calculated, for remaining
		population level harvest	subbasins (\$10,700)
		estimates. Pilot effort	
		beginning in John Day ^a	
	WDFW	No work planned with	Develop harvest data, where
		existing staffing	calculated (\$6,500)
Upstream losses	IDFG	No work planned	
(derived)	ODFW	Preliminary work to	Develop upstream loss data,
		investigate availability of	where calculated, for remaining
		estimates of upstream losses.	subbasins (\$15,200)
		Pilot effort beginning in John	
		Day ^a	
	WDFW	No work planned with	
		existing staffing	
Smolt Abundance	IDFG	No work planned in FY-08	Provide smolt abundance data (\$75,000 total for 1 FTE, 3+ data types)
	ODFW	Smolt trap and index	Expand to all Oregon subbasins
		estimates, where available.	where these data exist (\$30,500)
		Pilot effort in FY-08; develop	where these data exist (\$50,500)
		a plan, begin effort in John	
		Day subbasin ^a	
		Day subbasili	

	WDFW	No work planned with	Provide for all focal populations
		existing staffing	where data exist (\$13,000)
Productivity	IDFG	Preliminary scoping	Cost est. under development
(derived)	ODFW	Investigate availability of	Compile derived productivity
		derived estimates, pilot effort	where calculated in remaining
		beginning in John Day	subbasins (\$15,200)
	WDFW	Preliminary scoping	Cost est. under development
Tribal data (work	IDFG	Work with tribes to capture	
to obtain priority 1		data	
data types from	MFWP	Prelim work to discuss	
tribal programs)		interest in data sharing with	
		CSKT	
	ODFW	Prelim work to contact tribes	Assess data availability and
		and discuss interest and	calculate costs to obtain (\$4,500)
		capability in sharing data,	
		emphasis on SOTR and	
		recovery planning data	
	WDFW	No work planned, but support	No work planned, but support
		idea of providing an FTE to	idea of providing an FTE to
		UCUT to develop	UCUT to develop
	CRITFC,		Separate funding proposal to
	UCUT,		address capture of tribal data.
	etc.		\$230,000, as contained in NED
			proposal.
Section 3: DMFS		· ·	,
Hatchery Releases	IDFG	Develop internal databases for	(Pursuing through other funding)
(for individual		Chinook and steelhead; create	
locations and		standard recording format	
times)	MFWP	Resident game fish stocking	
		that corresponds with valid	
		LLID location codes	

	ODFW	Continue preliminary work of relating release locations to LLID; exchange any completed work as pilot in the mid-Columbia ESU		Automated data capture routine (\$11,000); develop and exchange unrolled release data (\$20,000)
	WDFW	No work planned on existing staffing		Provide unrolled release data (19,500)
	USFWS	Data available for conversion, will provide if requested.		Provide release data (no additional funding requested)
Distribution (Documented occurrence)	IDFG	No work currently planned		Provide documented occurrence data (\$75,000 total for 1 FTE, 3+ data types)
	MFWP	Already incorporated in Generalized Fish Distribution		
	ODFW	No work currently planned		Provide documented occurrence data (\$47,600) once DEF is done
	WDFW	No work currently planned		Provide documented occurrence data for focal populations (\$39,000)
Dams/Passage	IDFG	Maintain existing data only		
Facilities	MFWP	Dam data will be updated and exchanged		
	ODFW	No work currently planned		
	WDFW	Maintain existing data only	Maintain and update current coverage alternate years (\$24,000 total for parity)	
Hatchery Facilities	IDFG	Maintain existing data only		
	MFWP	Maintain and update data annually		
	ODFW	No work currently planned		
	WDFW	Maintain and update data annually		

	USFWS	Maintain and update data annually		
Barriers/Culverts	IDFG	Maintain existing data only		
	MFWP	Maintain and update data annually		
	ODFW	Synthesize existing data for mid-Columbia recovery area; convert existing data to 24K	Extend work to synthesize existing data from ODFW & others for Lower Col. recovery area (\$112,200 total for parity)	Convert existing data statewide to 24K hydro (\$40,600)
	WDFW	Maintain existing data only	Update data in alternating years (\$64,000 total for parity)	
Hydrography, (lakes/reservoir	IDFG	Maintain 100K streams and lakes layers		
layer)	MFWP	Maintain 100K; NRIS is updating 24K		
	ODFW	Maintain and update 100k as necessary; contribute work on developing 24K; submit statewide 24K lakes layer		
	WDFW	Maintain 100K and mixed scale streams and lakes layers;		
HUCs 4, 5	PSMFC	Maintain layers, update as required		
HUC 6	PSMFC	Obtain as HUCs are finalized		
Subbasins	PSMFC	Maintain existing subbasin layer		
Maps, photographs	PSMFC	Maintain the catalog of pre- made maps and photographs		
Protected Areas	PSMFC	Maintain the Protected Areas database, resolve any remaining location issues		
Smolt Density	PSMFC	Maintain the Smolt Density		
Model data		Model data		

Independent Data	PSMFC	Maintain the Data Store;	
Sets		assist development of	
		independent data sets for	
		inclusion.	

Footnotes a

- ODFW StreamNet is limiting effort by location, focusing on a subbasin by subbasin approach, beginning with the John Day. Work in subsequent subbasins will be done in turn, to the extent possible by existing staff levels.
- WDFW StreamNet is limiting effort by location, with most work focused on the 10 subbasins in the Lower Columbia. Data development work in the upper subbasins in eastern Washington is being dropped under current staff levels.
- ^c Genetics was ranked Priority 1 for Montana, Priority 2 for the other states.

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