

Table K-1. Summary of Model Watershed Project activities in the Salmon Subbasin, Idaho.

Year	Sponsor	Collaborators	Location	U S	P S	M H	L P	M M	M M	M S	S F	S S	L O	L S	Project Description	Monitoring
1993	Natural Resources Conservation Service	IDFG, NRCS, Private Landowner	East Fork - Tributary to Salmon River	X											Log barbs installed to control bank erosion along the East Fork.	Photo Reference Points, Bank stability monitoring
1994	Idaho Fish & Game Screen Shop	IDFG Screen Shop, NRCS	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X								Diversion Consolidation (L23) to reduce passage delays.	Future evaluation of travel times using existing PIT tag information
1994	US Forest Service	Big Flat Ditch Co., USFS, NRCS	Carmen Creek - Tributary to Salmon River			X									Construction of an inverted siphon on Big Flat Ditch to route ditch under Carmen Creek so water could seasonally reconnect to Salmon River	Photo Reference Points
1994	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	IDFG, NRCS, Private Landowner	Hayden Creek - Tributary to Lemhi River				X								Diversion consolidation to reduce passage delays.	Future evaluation of travel times using existing PIT tag information
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1995	Natural Resources Conservation Service	NRCS, IDFG	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X								Diversion Consolidation L49 to reduce passage delays	Future evaluation of travel times using existing PIT tag information
1995	US Forest Service	USFS, BPA, MWP	Carmen Creek - Tributary to Salmon River			X									Change in the point of diversion from Carmen Creek to big flat ditch.	Photo Reference Points
1995	Idaho Fish and Game Department	BLM, IDFG, NRCS, USFS, Sho-Ban Tribes	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X								A riparian pasture fence was constructed around occupied spawning habitat on the upper Lemhi R. This put 279 acres under management. Willow and cottonwoods planted in 1998.	IDFG fisheries monitoring, willow survival monitoring, photo reference points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory.
1995	Bureau of Reclamation	BoR, Private Landowner, Nature Conservancy	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X								Irrigation diversion was eliminated through the assistance of the Nature Conservancy. 800 feet of irrigation channel modified into side channel rearing habitat. Net water savings estimated at 600 acre feet	Photo Reference Points Future evaluation of travel times using existing PIT tag information

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1995	Bureau of Reclamation	BoR, Private Landowner	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X							Irrigation diversion was eliminated by replacing the flood irrigation system with a more efficient sprinkler system. Net water savings estimated at 1000 acre feet.	Photo Reference Points Future evaluation of travel times using existing PIT tag information
1995	Bureau of Reclamation	BoR, WD 74 and LID, FSA/NRCS, Private Landowners, IDFG	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X							Consolidation of L7 and L7a. Variable crest dam at L6 and L7. Replacement and upgrade of fish screens. Fish ladder constructed to provide fish passage at low flows.	Photo Reference Points Future evaluation of travel times using existing PIT tag information
1996	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, NRCS, MWP, SBT, Private Landowner	Pahsimeroi River - Tributary to Salmon River	X										A jack fence was built to exclude grazing and enhance riparian vegetation on the Pahsimeroi River and slough channel to protect critical spawning and rearing habitat.	IDFG fisheries monitoring, photo reference points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1996	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	IDFG, BoR, NRCS, Private Landowner	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X							Water conservation demonstration project. Canal modification.	Photo Reference Points
1996	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	NRCS, BPA, Private Landowner	Pahsimeroi River - Tributary to Salmon River	X										Reconstructed head gate for fish passage and water control. Phase 2: modified headgate for improved fish passage.	Photo Reference Points
1996	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, NRCS, MWP, SBT, Private Landowner	Pahsimeroi River - Tributary to Salmon River	X										A jack fence was constructed to exclude grazing and enhance riparian vegetation along critical spawning and rearing habitat in	IDFG fisheries monitoring, photo reference points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1996	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	NRCS, BPA, Private Landowner, IDFG Screen Shop	East Fork - Tributary to Salmon River	X										Diversions EF7 and EF8 consolidated to reduce passage delays. A permanent instream diversion was constructed to minimize annual maintenance.	Photo Reference Points Future evaluation of travel times using existing PIT tag information
1996	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	IDFG, BLM, NRCS	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X							Electric fence was installed on 315 acres of pasture to establish 5 grazing units to manage grazing along critical anadromous spawning and rearing habitat on the upper Lemhi R.	IDFG fisheries monitoring, photo reference points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1996	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, NRCS, SBT, Private Landowner	East Fork - Tributary to Salmon River	X										Jack and barbed wire fence was built to enhance riparian vegetation and reduce sediment along a anadromous spawning, rearing, and migration corridor on the EFSR.	Photo Reference Points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory

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1996	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, NRCS, BLM Private Landowner	Pahsimeroi River - Tributary to Salmon River	X							A jack fence was built to control grazing and enhance riparian vegetation on Big Springs Creek along critical spawning and rearing areas	Challis High School riparian and channel morphology monitoring, IDFG fisheries monitoring
1996	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	USFWS, Private Landowner	Salmon		X						A fence was constructed and trees were planted to exclude grazing and enhance riparian vegetation along a slough channel that is utilized as off channel rearing habitat	Photo Reference Points
1996	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, NRCS, IDFG, Private Landowner	Pahsimeroi River - Tributary to Salmon River	X							Access was be restored to 2.1 miles in the Pahsimeroi and 5.7 miles in Big Springs Creek for anadromous and resident fish. The irrigation diversion was modified so 6 cfs. will not be diverted from the river	IDFG fisheries monitoring, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1996	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BLM, BPA, Private Landowner	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River			X					A combination of electric and jack fence was constructed on 490 acres of pasture create 6 grazing units including riparian pastures along critical spawning and rearing habitat in the upper Lemhi R.	IDFG fisheries monitoring, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1996	Idaho Fish & Game Screen Shop	IDFG Screen Shop, Private Landowners	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River			X					Diversion consolidation to reduce passage delays.	Future evaluation of travel times using existing PIT tag information
1996	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, Private Landowner	Pahsimeroi River - Tributary to Salmon River	X							A jack fence was constructed to exclude grazing and enhance riparian vegetation on the Pahsimeroi River along critical spawning and rearing habitat.	IDFG fisheries monitoring, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1996	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, SBT, Private Landowner	Pahsimeroi River - Tributary to Salmon River	X							A jack fence was constructed to exclude grazing and enhance riparian vegetation on the Pahsimeroi River along critical spawning and rearing habitat.	IDFG fisheries monitoring, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1996	Idaho Fish & Game Screen Shop	IDFG Screen Shop	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River			X					Diversion consolidation to reduce passage delays.	Future evaluation of travel times using existing PIT tag information

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1996	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	NRCS, IDFG	Salmon River				X							Elimination of two irrigation ditches by consolidation into Challis irrigation canal to reduce passage delays	Future evaluation of travel times using existing PIT tag information
1997	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, BLM, NRCS, Private Landowner	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River					X						Jack fencing was constructed to establish 5 grazing units to manage grazing along critical anadromous spawning and rearing habitat in the upper Lemhi R.	Photo Reference Points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1997	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	IDFG, MWP, IDFG Screen Shop, Private Landowners	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X							Three ditch consolidation to reduce passage delays	Future evaluation of travel times using existing PIT tag information
1997	NMFS, USFS, IDEQ, IDFG	Noranda Mine, Private Landowner	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X							Constructed 15 miles of riparian fence on the upper Lemhi R. in critical spawning and rearing areas to protect and enhance riparian conditions	IDFG fisheries monitoring, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory, temperature monitoring.
1997	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, MWP, Private Landowner	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X							A five wire fence constructed along the Lemhi River near Baker to enhance riparian vegetation along migration corridor	Photo Reference Points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1997	Idaho Fish & Game Screen Shop	BPA - IDFG Screen Shop	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X							Diversions consolidation to reduce passage delays.	Future evaluation of travel times using existing PIT tag information
1997	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	USFS, Lemhi County RipCon, BLM, Private Landowner	Salmon River				X							Construction of .75 miles of fence along mainstem salmon and construction of 8 bank barbs for bank stability. BLM purchased a conservation agreement along the Salmon River. Willow plantings	Photo Reference Points
1997	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	Priv. Land Owner, BoR, MWP	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X							Barb placement in the Lemhi for erosion protection and maintenance of limited pool habitat. Exclusion fenced 1/8 mile.	Photo Reference Points
1997	Idaho Fish & Game Department	IDFG, BLM, Private Landowner	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X							Construction of 5 bank barbs for bank stability Pool maintenance for juvenile chinook rearing habitat.	Inspection

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1997	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	USFWS (PFW), Private Landowner	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River			X						A jack fence was constructed to exclude grazing and enhance riparian vegetation along Lemhi River migration corridor. This project was coordinated by the Lemhi Co. Riparian Habitat Conservation Agreement Working Group	Photo Reference Points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1997	Idaho Fish & Game Department	IDFG, National Fish and Wildlife Foundation, Private Landowner	Agency Creek - Tributary to Lemhi River			X						Bank barbs and bank stabilization work was done. Riparian exclusion fence (electric and wire) was built. Also 3 headgate structures were built to better control water use from Agency Creek.	Photo Reference Points
1997	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	IDFG, BPA, IDFG Screen Shop	East Fork - Tributary to Salmon River	X								Fencing of 1.2 miles of the EFSR and Diversion elimination converting 308 acres of pasture to center-pivot irrigation system.	Photo Reference Points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1997	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BoR	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River			X						Barb placement in the Lemhi for erosion protection and maintenance of limited pool habitat.	Photo Reference Points
1998	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, Private Landowner	East Fork - Tributary to Salmon River	X								1450 feet of jack fence along the East Fork in critical habitat	Photo Reference Points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1998	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, Private Landowner	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River			X						Built jack fence to enhance riparian vegetation along upper Lemhi R.	Photo Reference Points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1998	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	USFWS (PFW), Private Landowner, BoR, Lemhi County	Salmon River	X								Constructed 1.4 miles of fence along the mainstem Salmon R. Also installed 10 rock barbs to improve bank stability	Photo Reference Points
1998	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, Private Landowner, NRCS, MWP	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River			X						Constructed Rock vortex weir, headgate and wasteway, to facilitate fish passage on the Lemhi River. (In low water years this section of river was typically dewatered).	Photo Reference Points
1998	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BoR, NRCS, IDFG, MWP	Agency Creek - Tributary to Lemhi River			X						Part of larger IDFG project to reconnect Agency Cr. Removal of barrier. Install log V-weir. Installation of headgate and culvert.	Photo Reference Points

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1998	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, IDFG Screen Shop, Private Landowner	East Fork - Tributary to Salmon River	X										Rip Rap on the EFSR. Fish and Game no longer responsible for the bridge easement.	Photo Reference Points
1998	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, Private Landowner	East Fork - Tributary to Salmon River	X										Bank stabilization using rock barbs. Willow plantings.	Photo Reference Points
1998	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, Private Landowner	Pine Creek - Tributary to East Fork Salmon River	X										Irrigation improvement to let 4 cfs remain in Pine Creek.	Photo Reference Points
1998	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, NRCS, Private Landowner	East Fork - Tributary to Salmon River	X										7200 feet of jack fence was built along the EFSR in critical habitat to protect riparian habitat.	Photo Reference Points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1999	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BoR, BPA, IDFG, MWP, Private Landowner	Pattee Creek - Tributary to Lemhi River				X							Installed fish passage siphon in Pattee cr. To allow fish passage through a dewatered section of the stream.	Photo Reference Points
1999	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, NRCS, Private Landowner	Pahsimeroi River - Tributary to Salmon River	X										Riparian fencing	Photo Reference Points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1999	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, NRCS, Private Landowner	Wimpy Creek - Tributary to Lemhi River				X							Install sprinkler system to save water, move corrals away from creek.	Photo Reference Points
1999	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, Private Landowner, BLM, MWP	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X							Corridor fence was installed on northwest side of the Lemhi River to improve riparian vegetation along 6500 feet of river bank in critical habitat	Photo Reference Points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1999	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	IDFG, BPA, Private Landowner, BLM, MWP	Canyon Creek - Tributary to Lemhi River				X							Install sprinkler pivots to improve irrigation efficiency. This project will reconnect Canyon Cr. to the Lemhi R. and provide access to historical anadromous habitat.	IDFG fisheries monitoring
1999	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, NRCS, Private Landowner	East Fork - Tributary to Salmon River	X										Rock barbs and riparian ribbon fence to protect 4000 feet of the EFSR.	Photo Reference Points

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1999	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, MWP, Private Landowner	Eighteenmile Creek -Tributary to Lemhi River				X								Improve riparian vegetation and streambank stability along Eighteenmile cr.	Photo Reference Points
1999	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, Private Landowner	Pahsimeroi River - Tributary to Salmon River	X											Improve riparian vegetation along approx 5000 feet of the Pahsimeroi. This project established a 3 pasture grazing system along the river improving 120 acres of bottomland and irrigated pasture	Photo Reference Points
1999	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, NRCS, Private Landowner	East Fork - Tributary to Salmon River	X											Improve riparian vegetation along 5500 feet of the EFSR with Riparian ribbon fence	Photo Reference Points
1999	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, NRCS, Private Landowner	East Fork - Tributary to Salmon River	X											Construct riparian enhancement fence to improve riparian vegetation along approx 3700 feet of the EFSR	Photo Reference Points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1999	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, NRCS, Private Landowner	East Fork - Tributary to Salmon River	X											Riparian ribbon fencing to improve riparian vegetation along 1700 feet of the EFSR	Future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1999	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, NRCS, SBT, Private Landowner	East Fork - Tributary to Salmon River	X											3000 feet of fence was constructed by the Baker family. 1850 feet was constructed by the Shoshone Bannock tribes to enhance riparian vegetation in critical habitat on the EFSR.	Future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
1999	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, Private Landowner	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X								Construct 5 rock barbs, 4 tree barbs, and reconstruction of existing v-weir to provide bank stability	Photo Reference Points
2000	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, Private Landowner	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X								1200 feet of fence along Lemhi River, in critical habitat.	Photo Reference Points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory
2000	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, Private Landowner	Pahsimeroi	X											Place monolithic barbs to stabilize critical anadromous spawning habitat in the Pahsimeroi.	Bank Stability
2000	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, Riparian Fencing	East Fork - Tributary to Salmon River	X											Riparian fencing to protect spawning and rearing habitat.	

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2000	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	IDFG Screen Shop, BPA, Private Landowner	Pahsimeroi River - Tributary to Salmon River	X												Allan Bradbury	Photo Reference Points
2000	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, Private Landowner, NRCS, MWP, IDFG Screen Shop	Salmon River	X												Eliminate the S-29 diversion by converting the Lavery/Cutler Ranch from flood to sprinkler irrigation. Consolidate the S-26 (Hammond/Leaton ditch) and Chester pump diversion into the S-28 (Gini) canal. Both S-26 and S-29 were closed.	Photo Reference Points Future evaluation of travel times using existing PIT tag information
2000	Custer Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, Private Lanowner	Lawson Creek - Tributary to Pahsimeroi River	X												This project is to utilize Anderson Spring as a source for livestock watering to eliminate grazing pressure from the Lawson Creek	
2000	Idaho Transportation Department	ITD, IDFG, Private Landowners	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X									Instream structures constructed as part of mitigation for building highway 28 bridges. Funded by ITD.	IDFG fisheries monitoring
2000	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, BLM, MWP, Private Landowners	Eighteenmile Creek -Tributary to Lemhi River				X									Cross fence installed between Texas Cr and Eighteenmile Cr. to protect riparian resources	Photo Reference Points
2001	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	NRCS, BPA, Private Landowners	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X									Removal of feedlot from stream corridor.	Photo Reference Points
2001	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BoR, BPA, IDFG Screen Season	Salmon River				X									Consolidate S-13 into S-14 canal. Eliminate S-13 gravel push-up dam and close canal, reducing fish passage delays	Photo Reference Points Future evaluation of travel times using existing PIT tag information
2001	Lemhi Soil and Water Conservation District	BPA, Private Landowners	Lemhi River - Tributary to Salmon River				X									Riparian fencing to enhance stream-bank stability.	Photo Reference Points, future comparison to baseline habitat inventory