

**ODFW AQUATIC INVENTORY PROJECT
OREGON PLAN FOR SALMON & WATERSHEDS
STREAM RESTORATION HABITAT REPORT**

STREAM: Gourlay Creek (L-201)
BASIN: Scappoose River
SURVEY TYPE: Post-Tx
DATE: June 30, 2004
SURVEY CREW: Scott Young, Ben Walczak
REPORT PREPARED BY: Paul Jacobsen
BASIN AREA: 9.0 km²
USGS MAPS: Dixie Mountain
ECOREGION: Coast Range Astoria Willapa

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

The Gourlay Creek habitat survey extended 480 meters. The channel was constrained by terraces in a broad valley floor. The average valley width index was 6.9 (range: 4.5-10.0). Land use for the reach was second growth (15-30 cm dbh) trees. The average unit gradient was 3.3 percent. Rapids (71%) dominated stream habitat. Gravel (60%) dominated stream substrate. Wood volume was moderate at 22.1 m³/100m.

COMMENTS:

There were no potential barriers to upstream fish migration in the surveyed length.

The crew noted several habitat structures during the survey.

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Valley and Channel Summary

Valley Characteristics (Percent Reach Length)

<u>Narrow Valley Floor</u>		<u>Broad Valley Floor</u>	
Steep V-shape	0%	Constraining Terraces	100%
Moderate V-shape	0%	Multiple Terraces	0%
Open V-shape	0%	Wide Floodplain	0%
Valley Width Index	6.9	VWI Range:	4.5 - 10

Channel Morphology (Percent Reach Length)

<u>Constrained</u>		<u>Unconstrained</u>	
Hillslope	0%	Single Channel	0%
Bedrock	0%	Multiple Channel	0%
Terrace	100%	Braided Channel	0%
Alt. Terrace/Hill	0%		
Landuse	0%		

Channel Characteristics

<u>Type</u>	<u>Length (m)</u>	<u>Area (m2)</u>	<u>Dry Units</u>
Primary	480	1,770	0
Secondary	55	119	1

Channel Dimensions (m)

<u>Wetted</u>	<u>Active</u>	<u>Floodprone</u> n = 5	<u>First Terrace</u> n = 4
Width: 3.5	Width: 5.5	11.5 (7.3 - 21)	10.9 (7.5 - 14.3)
Depth: 0.16	Height: 0.4	0.9 (0.8 - 1)	1.4 (1 - 2)

W:D ratio: 12.7

Stream Flow Type: MF

Average Unit Gradient: 3.3%

Water temperature (°C): 13.0 - 13.0

Entrenchment (ACW:FPW ratio): 2.2

Habitat Units/100m (total channel length): 6.2

Habitat Units/100m (primary channel length): 6.9

Riparian, Bank, and Wood Summary

	<u>Primary</u>	<u>Secondary</u>
Land Use:	ST	
Riparian Vegetation:	D30	S

Bank Condition and Shade

<u>Bank Status</u>	<u>Percent Reach Length</u>	<u>Shade (% of 180)</u>
Actively Eroding:	8%	Reach avg: 82%
Undercut Banks:	5%	Range: 48 - 100

Large Wood Debris

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Total / 100m primary channel</u>
All pieces (>=3m x 0.15m):	111	23.1
Volume (m ³):	106	22.1
Key pieces (>=12m x 0.60m):	5	1.0

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GOURLAY CREEK POST-TX (L-201)

HABITAT INVENTORY

Report Date: 10/27/2004

Survey Date:

6/30/2004

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HABITAT DETAIL

Habitat Type	Number Units	Total Length (m)	Avg Width (m)	Avg Depth (m)	Total Area (m ²)	Large Boulders (#>0.5m)	Substrate Percent Wetted Area					
							S/O	Snd	Grvl	Cbl	Bldr	Bdrk
POOL-ISOLATED	2	5	1.4	0.15	9	0	15	30	48	8	0	0
POOL-LATERAL SCOUR	7	61	3.2	0.37	198	0	9	14	61	16	0	0
POOL-PLUNGE	1	4	5.0	0.25	22	0	10	10	70	10	0	0
PUDDLED UNIT	1	29	3.1	0.05	89	0	10	10	60	10	0	10
RAPID/BOULDERS	16	377	3.6	0.10	1,339	23	4	10	60	25	2	0
RIFFLE	4	56	3.9	0.10	219	0	6	14	68	12	0	0
STEP/COBBLE	1	1	5.7	0.05	8	3	0	5	24	67	5	0
STEP/LOG	1	1	5.5	0.05	6	0	5	15	70	10	0	0
Total:	33	535	3.5	0.16	1,889	26	Avg: 6	13	60	20	1	0

HABITAT SUMMARY

Habitat Group	Number Units	Total Length (m)	Avg Width (m)	Avg Depth (m)	Wetted Area		Large Boulders	
					(m ²)	Percent	Number	(# / 100m ²)
Dammed & BW Pools	2	5	1.4	0.15	9	0.46%	0	0.0
Scour Pools	8	65	3.4	0.36	219	11.61%	0	0.0
Glides	0	0			0	0.00%	0	0.0
Riffles	4	56	3.9	0.10	219	11.62%	0	0.0
Rapids	16	377	3.6	0.10	1,339	70.91%	23	1.7
Cascades	0	0			0	0.00%	0	0.0
Step/Falls	2	2	5.6	0.05	13	0.71%	3	22.3
Dry	1	29	3.1	0.05	89	4.69%	0	0.0
Culverts	0	0			0	0.00%	0	0.0

POOL SUMMARY

	Total of all Channel Lengths		Primary Channel Length
	Total	# / Km	# / Km
All Pools:	10	18.7	20.9
Pools >=1m deep:	0	0.0	0.0
Complex pools (LWD pieces>=3):	3	5.6	6.3
Pool frequency (channel widths/pool):	9.7		
Residual pool depth (avg):	0.31		

RIPARIAN ZONE VEGETATION SUMMARY

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Summary of Riparian Zone (0-30m) 3 transects

Total hardwoods/1000	284
Total conifers/1000 ft	102
Total conifers >20" dbh/1000 ft	20
Total conifers >35" dbh/1000 ft	0

Average number of trees in a 5-meter wide band

Diameter class (cm)	Zone 1		Zone 2		Zone 3		Zones 1-3	
	0-10 meters		10 - 20 meters		20 - 30 meters		0-30 meters	
	Conifer	Hardwood	Conifer	Hardwood	Conifer	Hardwood	Conifer	Hardwood
3-15cm	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3
15-30cm	0.0	0.7	0.0	1.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	2.3
30-50cm	0.0	0.7	0.3	1.0	0.7	0.3	1.0	2.0
50-90cm	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0
>90cm	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total/100m2	0.0	1.7	0.7	2.3	1.0	0.7	0.6	1.6

Canopy closure and ground cover

	Zone 1		Zone 2		Zone 3	
	0-10 meters		10 - 20 meters		20 - 30 meters	
	(%)		(%)		(%)	
Canopy closure	74		78		78	
Shrub cover	15		18		20	
Grass/forb cover	77		77		77	

Predominant landform in each zone

	Zone 1		Zone 2		Zone 3	
	0-10 meters		10 - 20 meters		20 - 30 meters	
	(%)		(%)		(%)	
Hillslope	33		67		50	
High terrace	33		33		33	
Low terrace	17		0		0	
Floodplain	0		0		0	
Wetland/meadow	0		0		0	
Stream channel	0		0		0	
Roadbed/Railroad	17		0		17	
Riprap	0		0		0	
Surface slope (%)	15		27		26	

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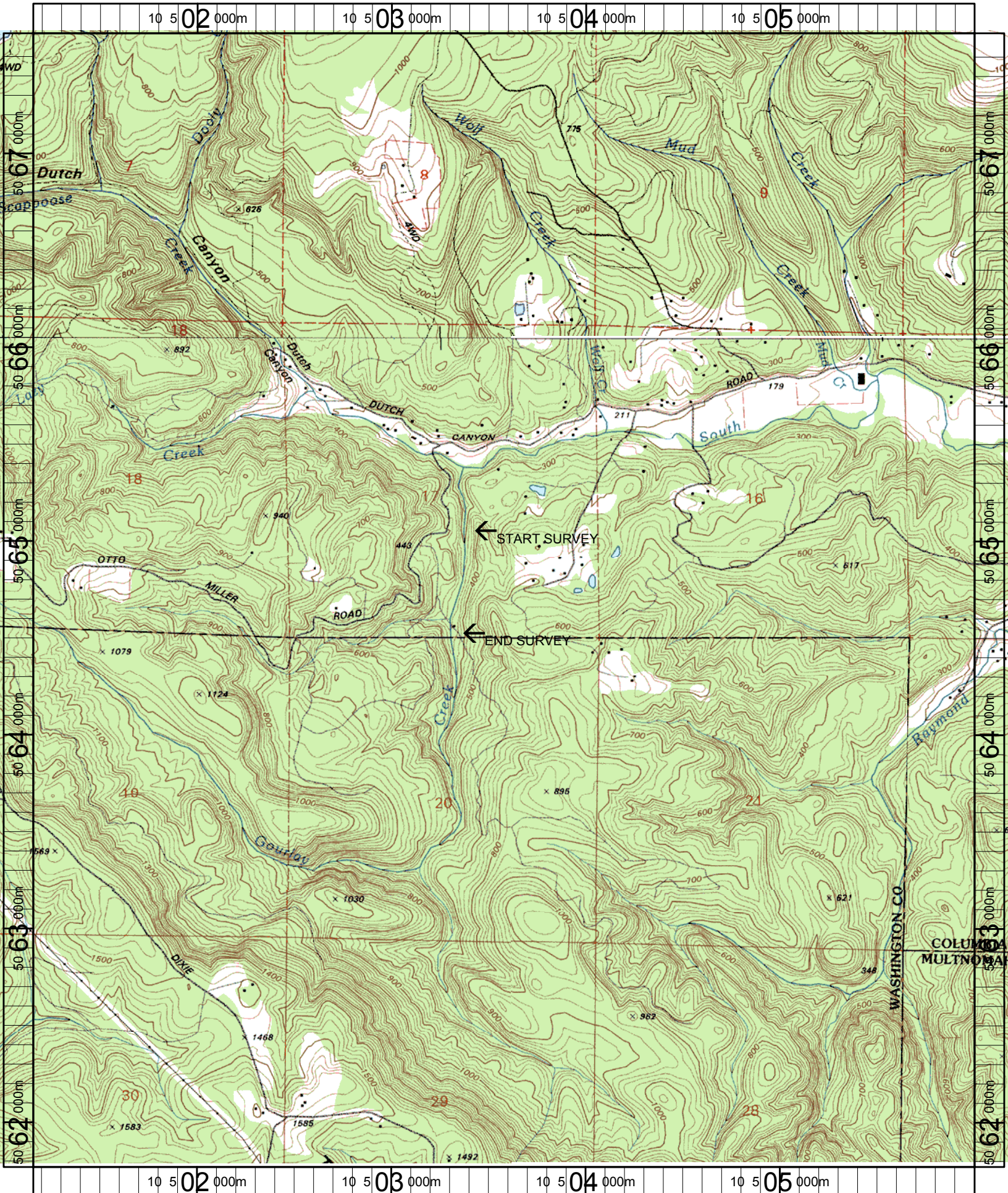
Unit	Side	Zone	Surface	Slope	Cover (percent)				Diameter class (cm)					Notes	
					Canopy	Shrub	Grass		3-15	15-30	30-50	50-90	>90		
12	RT	2	HS	30	80	20	80	Conifer							
								Hardwood	1						
12	RT	3	HS	55	80	10	90	Conifer		1					
								Hardwood							
12	LF	1	RB	0	75	10	50	Conifer							10T 0503352 5064905 2D
								Hardwood							
12	LF	2	HS	30	85	10	80	Conifer			1				RD CUT AFFECTED
								Hardwood	1						
12	LF	3	HS	25	85	20	80	Conifer				1			
								Hardwood							
12	RT	1	LT	0	70	10	90	Conifer							
								Hardwood							
20	LF	2	HT	0	75	10	70	Conifer							RB BUILT ON HT
								Hardwood		2					
20	LF	3	HT	0	75	20	80	Conifer				1			
								Hardwood							
20	RT	1	HS	50	75	10	90	Conifer							
								Hardwood							
20	RT	2	HS	70	80	5	95	Conifer							
								Hardwood			2				
20	RT	3	HS	75	80	0	100	Conifer							
								Hardwood		1					
20	LF	1	HT	0	75	15	85	Conifer							10T 0503465 5064677 (2D)
								Hardwood				1			
28	RT	1	HS	40	70	40	50	Conifer							
								Hardwood	1		1				
28	LF	1	HT	0	80	5	95	Conifer							10T 0503401 5004614 (2D)
								Hardwood		2					
28	LF	3	HT	0	80	10	90	Conifer							
								Hardwood				1			
28	LF	2	HT	0	80	5	95	Conifer							
								Hardwood				1			
28	RT	2	HS	30	70	60	40	Conifer							1
								Hardwood							
28	RT	3	RB	0	70	60	20	Conifer							
								Hardwood							

Comment Summary

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MONITORING AREA: 7-L SITE ID: 201 GOURLAY CREEK POST-TX (L-201)

UNIT#	TYPE	CHAN	DIST. (m)	COMMENTS	NOTE ESTIMATOR	NOTE NUMERATOR
1	RI	00	8.7	SS/ HS	0503436 5064906 - 2D	TEMP=13 DEG C - 12:05 HS=
2	LP	01	17.7	HS		HS=1 LOG
5	PP	00	31.2			CR CUTTING AROUND STEP
6	SL	00	32.2		H=.25	
9	RB	00	90.7	HS		COHO FRY HS=4 LOGS
10	LP	00	104.7	HS, HS		HS=4 LOGS, HS=1 LOG
12	LP	01	123		125M	RIP T 1 10T 0505352 5064905
16	RI	00	184.8	HS		HS=5 LOGS
17	RB	00	208.8			COHO IN POCKET CREATED
18	LP	00	216.8	HS		HS=3 LOGS
19	SC	00	218.2	HS	H=.45	HS=2 LOGS
20	RB	00	241.7	HS		HS=2 LOGS RIP T 2
21	RB	00	260.9	HS		HS=4 LOGS
24	RB	01	321.5			01,02 CREATED BY LG ROO
25	PD	02	321.5			BDRK= HARDPAN CLAY
28	RB	00	381.5			RIP T 3 10T 0503401 5064614
30	RB	01	432.1	/TJ, HS	/TJ	END GOURLAY CR SPAWNI
31	RB	02	432.1		TEMP: 14.5 DEG C	COHO FRY END UNIT - CC O
33	RB	00	479.6	HS		HS=6 LOGS



Name: DIXIE MT
 Date: 8/10/2004
 Scale: 1 inch equals 2000 feet

Location: 10 503574 E 5064696 N
 Caption: GOURLAY CREEK RESTORATION SITE - SCAPPOOSE BASIN