

# **CRESCENT CITY MARSH WILDLIFE AREA GRAZING IMPACTS MONITORING PLAN**

**FIRST YEAR:  
PLOT INSTALLATION, MONITORING PROTOCOL,  
AND BASELINE DATA COLLECTION**

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## INTRODUCTION

The Crescent City Marsh Wildlife Area (CCMWA) is a floristically diverse area supporting several rare plant species and wetland plant communities (Figure 1). Acquired by the California Department of Fish and Game (CDFG) in 1980, a specific goal of the CCMWA Management Plan (now in draft form) is to maintain and enhance the existing fen and coastal prairie habitats, as well as, to restore sites of degraded wetland and prairie (Wear, 2003). Nine of the eleven special interest plant species found at the CCMWA are restricted to these two habitat types.

Annual monitoring of the population and habitat of the federally endangered western lily (*Lilium occidentale*) at the CCMWA since 1994 has documented robust encroachment of woody vegetation into wetland areas, with a corresponding decline in the reproductive ability of western lily and the habitat available for the lily and other sensitive species (Bencie and Wear, 2004). Removal of shrub canopy at selected sites was followed by an increase in the number of western lily seedlings, juveniles, and flowering plants. Although manual vegetation removal was successful in releasing the population, this method of vegetation control is labor intensive and costly to implement at a frequency necessary for maintaining optimum habitat conditions (Bencie and Imper, 2003). Controlled grazing has been recommended as an effective and economical method for maintaining open habitats critical for many sensitive species present at the CCMWA.

Experimental controlled grazing at the Table Bluff Ecological Reserve (TBER) has been successful in maintaining forest openings, and has led to an increase in the number of western lily individuals in all age classes (Bencie and Imper, 2003). However, whereas experimental grazing controlled in duration, intensity, and seasonality has been beneficial, the uncontrolled deer browsing at TBER remains the most serious threat to mature western lily during the blooming season. In 2000 at the CCMWA, experimental goat grazing was attempted at the Humboldt Road and Highway 101 sites, but unfortunately resulted in the death of the goats presumably via toxicity from the vegetation (Imper and Sawyer, 2000). Thus, future experimental cattle grazing should be implemented cautiously during the initial grazing period.

The primary objective of this grazing impacts monitoring project is to identify and evaluate the beneficial and detrimental impacts of grazing on the populations of sensitive species and their habitat. The initial stage in determining grazing impacts is the collection of baseline data on the pre-grazing cover and height of common and sensitive species. Future post-grazing monitoring will indicate changes in vegetation structure, species composition, and the loss or introduction of species. Future monitoring should also include observations throughout the grazing area to assess the degree of soil compaction, increase in bare, unvegetated ground, shifts in the relative location of the marsh edge, and introduction of invasive species.

Target species for this monitoring plan include the federally endangered western lily (*Lilium occidentale*) and selected species appearing on the California Native Plant Society (CNPS) List 2 (rare, threatened, or endangered in California but more common outside the state): great burnet (*Sanguisorba officinalis*), marsh violet (*Viola palustris*), marsh pea (*Lathyrus palustris*), and arctic starflower (*Trientalis arctica*) (CNPS, 2001). Other species of interest include: uncommon northern bugleweed (*Lycopus uniflorus*) and *Carex buxbaumii*; stream orchid (*Epipactis*

*gigantea*) which typically is found inland in montane and serpentine habitats; pacific reed grass (*Calamagrostis nutkaensis*) as an indicator species of western lily habitat; *Danthonia decumbens*, an exotic grass recently found at the CCMWA; and western dog violet (*Viola adunca*), a larval host for the endangered Oregon silverspot butterfly (*Speyeria zerene hippolyta*). It is important also to monitor the abundance of common or dominant species that characterize habitat types, as changes may indicate broad-scale shifts in vegetation structure.

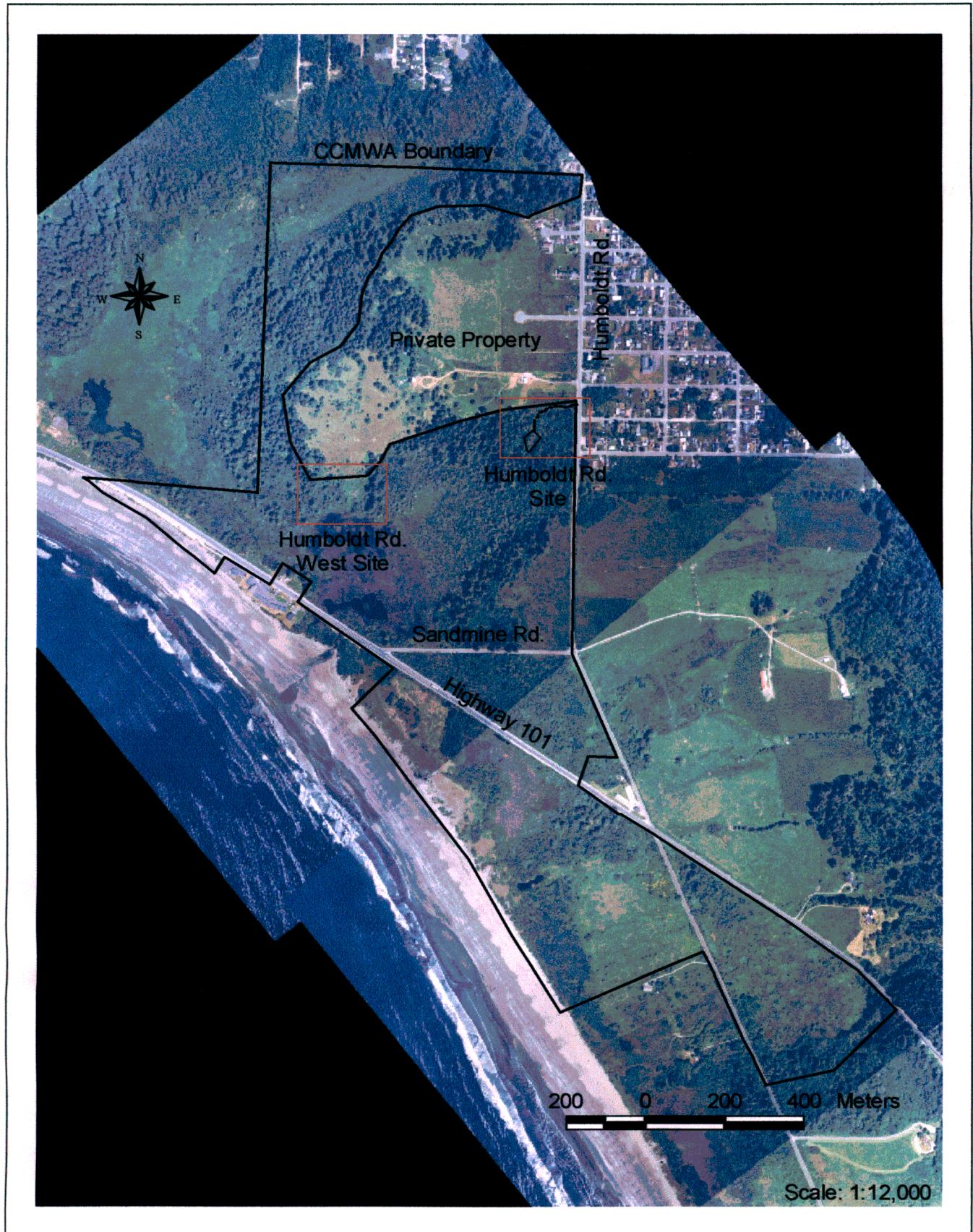


Figure 1. Locations of Humboldt Road and Humboldt Road West monitoring sites within the Crescent City Marsh Wildlife Area.

## METHODS

### **Plot Installation**

A total of 19 circular plots (each 30 ft. in diameter) and 38 quadrats (each 6 ft.<sup>2</sup>) were installed on July 24, 25, and 27, 2003 at the Humboldt Road West and Humboldt Road sites at the CCMWA. Each circular plot contains two interior quadrats (designated as A and B), with the exceptions of plot #7 with only a single interior quadrat and plot #18 with three interior quadrats. The large circular plots are intended to assess change in broad-scale vegetation structure, primarily the cover and height of woody species and the dominant herbaceous species. The interior quadrats provide a more detailed assessment of the species composition of the herbaceous layer and the abundance of sensitive species. The locations of circular plots and interior quadrats are given in Table 1. Circular plots and reference baselines are mapped in Figures 2 and 3.

At the Humboldt Road West site, three vegetation types (strata) were identified: scrub, marsh edge, and freshwater marsh. These three strata were generally delineated by changes in species composition and vegetation structure that correspond with elevation, ground saturation, and distance from the marsh shoreline. Along the eastern perimeter of the large freshwater *Carex* marsh, a search was conducted for sites that exhibited a clear transition from upland stratum to marsh stratum. At each of the five chosen sites, a circular plot was placed within each of the three strata, and a reference baseline was installed in order to facilitate relocation of each circular plot (Figure 2). Plot placement was made subjectively in order to include the most representative vegetation samples and to insure the presence of target species. The majority of monitoring plots were established at the Humboldt Road West site due to the high number of sensitive species present.

At the Humboldt Road site, scrub and herbaceous opening were the two vegetation strata identified. Plots were installed within the western lily census monitoring exclosure, and the census baseline was used as the grazing monitoring reference baseline (Figure 3).

Reference baselines were mapped using a Garmin GPS 12XL; UTM coordinates were taken for both the baseline origin (0 ft.) and the terminal end. Flagged rebar capped with plastic tubing was placed at both ends of the reference baseline. The centers of all circular plots were marked with flagged rebar, and then mapped with UTM coordinates and by compass direction and distance relative to the reference baseline (Table 1). For each interior quadrat, the location of the corner closest to the center of the circular plot and that corner's corresponding diagonal corner were recorded by compass direction and distance from the center of the circular plot. These two corners were also marked with flagged and capped rebar (Table 1).

Photographs were taken of each circular plot to visually document change in the overall vegetation structure. Each photograph was taken in the direction indicated on the photo, facing the center of the plot from a distance of 20 ft. (Attachment 3).

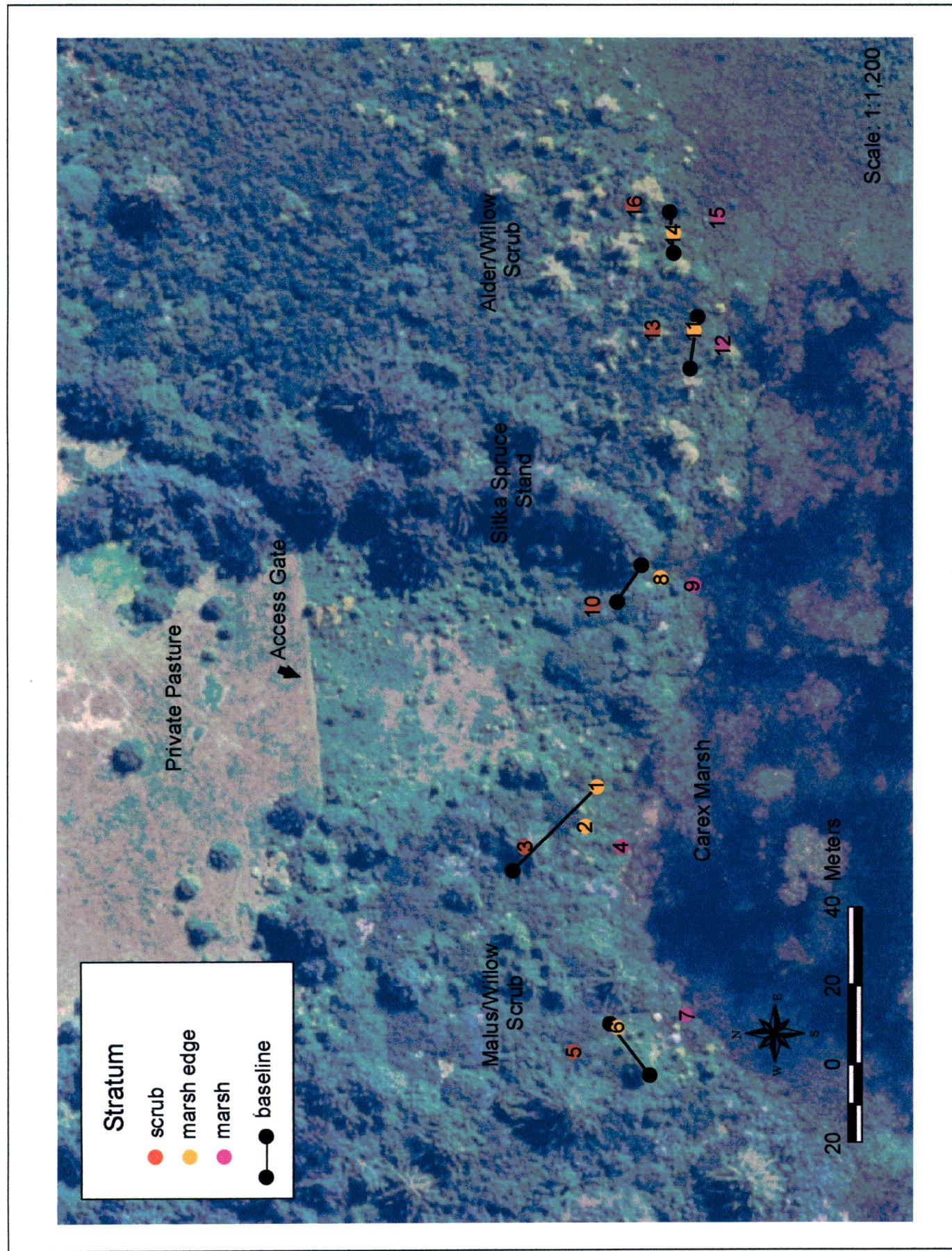


Figure 2. Grazing plot locations at the Humboldt Road West site. Circular plot centers and vegetation strata are indicated.

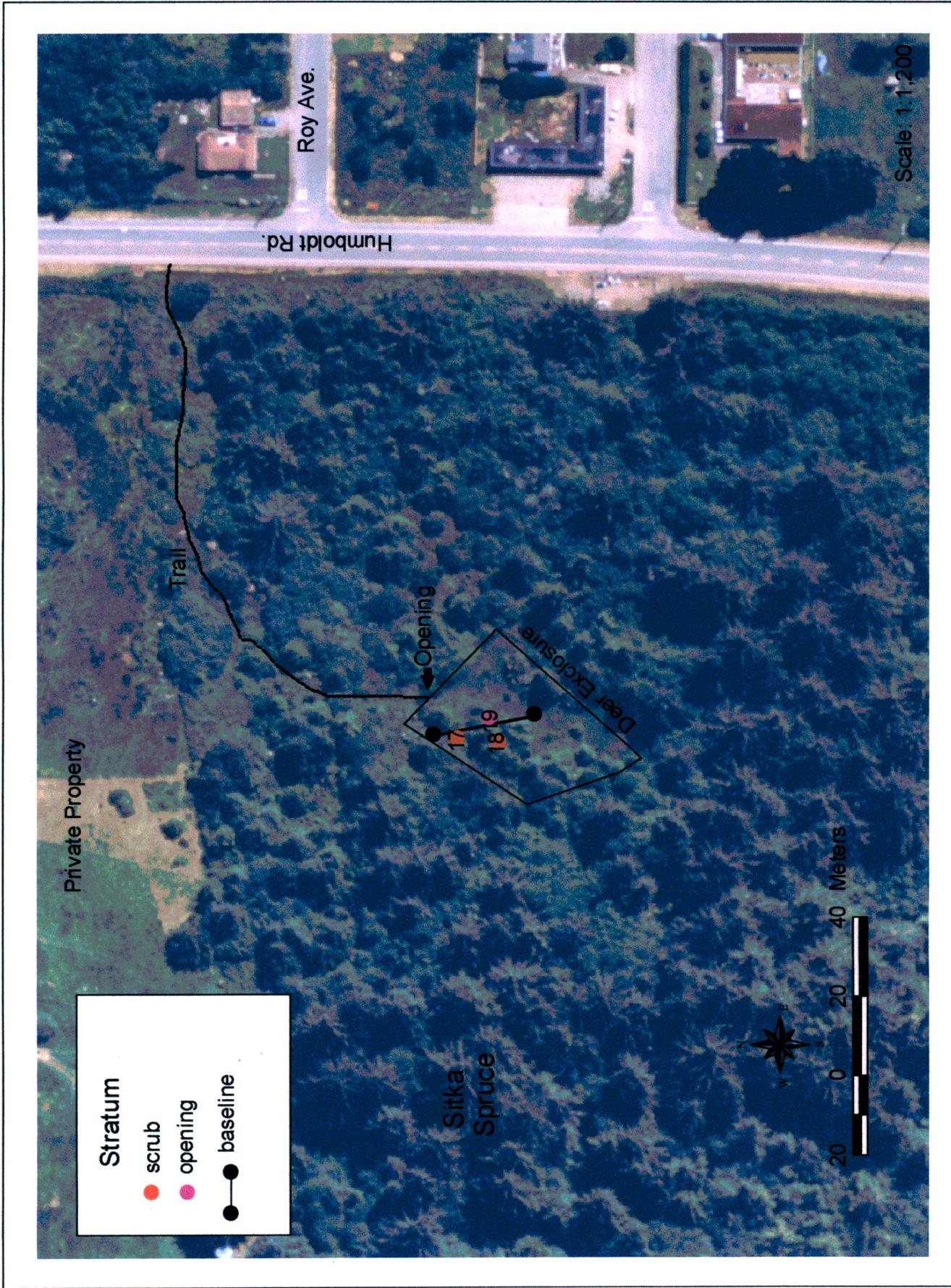


Figure 3. Grazing plot locations at the Humboldt Road Site. Circular plot centers and vegetation strata are indicated.

## **Monitoring Protocol**

For each circular plot and interior quadrat, the cover class value and average height for each species was recorded (Table 2). Overstory and understory species were recorded separately to more accurately describe the vegetation structure within each stratum (Attachment 1). The following cover class scale has familiar, easily observable categories which expedite field observations while still providing accurate data between years and botanists (Elzinga et al., 1998):

SO = solitary, occurring once

SE = seldom, scattered

1 = 1 – 4%

2 = 5 – 10%

3 = 11 – 25%

4 = 26 – 33%

5 = 34 – 50%

6 = 51 – 75%

7 = 76 – 90%

8 = 91 – 100%

Cover less than 50% is split into finer categories than cover above 50% in order to more accurately describe the low percent cover of a majority of the species present. This cover class scale allows a broad-scale assessment of vegetation structure and the composition of dominant species, in addition to a more precise evaluation of the relative abundance of sensitive species which generally occur at low cover.

## **Data Analysis**

The first year of monitoring data was summarized with an estimate of each species' average percent cover and average height within each vegetation stratum, calculated separately for circular plots and for interior quadrats (Table 2). A species' average percent cover was estimated by first determining the midpoint % of each cover class value recorded, and then calculating the mean of these midpoints. For example: *Potentilla palustris* was found in all 5 circular plots within the Marsh stratum, and was assigned a cover class value of 3 in three plots and a value of 1 in two plots. The average percent cover across circular plots =  $[(18*3) + (2.5*2)] / 5 = 11.8\%$ , or rounding up, 12% average cover. Frequency, or the proportion of sampling units in which a species occurs, was also determined separately for both circular plots and interior quadrats.

The primary goal of this monitoring project is to determine the difference, if any, in species cover and stature between grazing events. With future data, differences between species' pre- and post-grazing average percent cover, average height, and frequency will signify change in overall species composition and vegetation structure. Although circular plots and quadrats were subjectively placed, all plot placements are representative of the habitat, and thus provide useful and accurate data on change in vegetation structure and species abundance.

Whether a significant change has occurred between years in a species' average percent cover or average height can be determined by using a paired-sample t-test. Pair-wise comparisons may also be made between years for a species' cover and height within a single circular plot or quadrat. Because our sample plots are permanently located, a paired t-test is more powerful in detecting change than an independent sample t-test (Elzinga et al., 1998). A repeated measures analysis is not appropriate for this project as the important assumption of equal correlation between pairs of data for all years will likely not be satisfied. In addition, with repeated measures analysis there is often difficulty in determining which year is different when the *P* value indicates a significant difference exists.

The change in a species' frequency within a stratum should be analyzed using McNemar's test, a paired-sample test for proportions similar to a chi-square test (Elzinga et al., 1998). A drawback of the McNemar's test is it may only be used to test for a significant difference between two separate years.

## RESULTS

The 2004 pre-grazing monitoring data are provided in Table 2. Each species cover class value and average height within each circular plot and quadrat are given. Overall average percent cover, average height, and frequency were calculated separately among circular plots and quadrats. Many species' estimated averages were similar for both circular plots and quadrats.

### Humboldt Road West Site

**Scrub Stratum.** Five circular plots and 10 quadrats were installed within the Scrub stratum at the Humboldt Road West site. A total of 36 species were observed within the sample plots. The overstory was dominated by Oregon crabapple (*Malus fusca*), willow (*Salix* spp.), western azalea (*Rhododendron occidentale*), spiraea (*Spiraea douglasii*), and red alder (*Alnus rubra*). Oregon crabapple occurred within all sample plots, while spiraea and azalea were present in all circular plots and a majority of the quadrats. Other common associated shrubs in the Scrub stratum included cascara (*Rhamnus purshiana*) and wax myrtle (*Myrica californica*). The woody vegetation varied in average height from large trees (e.g., red alder, 20 ft.; cascara, 16 ft.) furthest from the marsh edge, to mid-size shrubs located closer to the shoreline (e.g., azalea, 8 ft.; wax myrtle, 12 ft.).

The herbaceous understory beneath the scrub canopy was dominated by slough sedge (*Carex obnupta*), with common associates: skunk cabbage (*Lysichiton americanum*), false lily-of-the-valley (*Maianthemum dilatatum*), lady fern (*Athyrium filix-femina*), and California blackberry (*Rubus ursinus*). Generally, the understory averaged 36 inches in height, with some skunk cabbage reaching 60 inches. Target species occurring at low frequency with low cover were: western lily, marsh pea, great burnet, and northern bugleweed. Bare, unvegetated ground beneath the scrub canopy was found in all circular plots and 90% of the quadrats, with an average percent cover from 8% in circular plots to 18% in quadrats.

Plots in this stratum are intended to track the annual growth and encroachment of woody vegetation into the open habitat near the marsh edge. Comparisons between grazing events will indicate whether cattle grazing can either reduce or maintain the existing shrub canopy cover.

**Marsh Edge Stratum.** A total of 6 circular plots and 12 quadrats were installed within the Marsh Edge stratum. This stratum is identified as the openings of low, herbaceous vegetation straddling the marsh shoreline, appearing as the transition zone between scrub and freshwater marsh. The greatest species diversity was found within this stratum (38 species), with target species marsh pea, great burnet, and northern bugleweed occurring in high frequency but with low cover. With the exception of stream orchid, all target species and species of interest were present within this stratum. It was also noted that arctic starflower, *Carex buxbaumii*, western dog violet, and marsh violet were only observed in sample plots within this stratum.

The Marsh Edge stratum was dominated by an understory of *Carex aquatilis* var. *dives*, slough sedge, and spiraea, with common associates: marsh cinquefoil (*Potentilla palustris*), skunk cabbage, rush (*Juncus effusus*), pacific silverweed (*Potentilla anserina* ssp. *pacifica*), great burnet, marsh pea, and northern bugleweed. The overstory is sparse and generally distributed

along the perimeter of the opening. The common shrubs present are spiraea, azalea, and willow, with red alder, wax myrtle, and Sitka spruce (*Picea sitchensis*) less frequent.

**Marsh Stratum.** A total of 5 circular plots and 9 quadrats were installed within the Marsh stratum. Only 17 species were observed within these sample plots. The vegetation is primarily herbaceous, dominated by *Carex aquatilis* var. *dives*, marsh cinquefoil, and pacific silverweed. Other common species with low cover values are: skunk cabbage, *Carex vesicaria*, slough sedge, and marsh pea. Spiraea and willow are the most common woody species in this stratum, but occur with low cover (less than 10%). The average height of spiraea was nearly equivalent to the average height of *Carex aquatilis* var. *dives* (42" and 44"). The presence of standing water or bare ground is characteristic of this stratum. Target species present within the Marsh stratum include marsh pea, great burnet, and *Carex buxbaumii*.

An indicator of significant change in species composition and vegetation structure will be whether target species currently absent within this stratum (marsh violet, arctic starflower, northern bugleweed, western lily, and pacific reed grass) appear after grazing. The post-grazing appearance of these species into the Marsh stratum could indicate several possible negative impacts due to grazing, from soil compaction to alteration of hydrological processes.

The following target species were observed only at the Humboldt Road West site: marsh violet, arctic starflower, northern bugleweed, marsh pea, western dog violet, and *Carex buxbaumii*.

### **Humboldt Road Site**

**Scrub Stratum.** Two circular plots and 5 quadrats were installed within the Scrub stratum at the Humboldt Road site. A total of 30 species were observed within the sample plots. Dominant overstory species included cascara, azalea, wax myrtle, Sitka spruce, and spiraea. Other overstory species present frequently but with relatively low cover are red alder, crabapple, and twinberry (*Lonicera involucrata* var. *ledebourii*). The understory beneath the scrub canopy is generally depauperate with a high cover of bare ground. Common herbaceous species present with relatively high cover values are California blackberry (*Rubus ursinus*), bracken fern (*Pteridium aquilinum*), and horsetail (*Equisetum telmateia*). Target species present with low cover values within the sample plots are western lily, great burnet, stream orchid, pacific reed grass, and *Danthonia decumbens*.

**Opening Stratum.** Only a single circular plot and 2 interior quadrats were installed within the Opening stratum, and thus no averages were calculated. A fewer number of species (25) were observed within this stratum than within the surrounding Scrub stratum. The herbaceous understory is dominated by California blackberry, great burnet, pacific reed grass, pacific silverweed, and *Aster chilensis*, with common associates bracken fern, slough sedge, and sweet vernal grass (*Anthoxanthum odoratum*). The overstory is depauperate with occasional red alder, wax myrtle, azalea, crabapple, cascara, and spiraea occurring along the perimeter.

Other species of interest included within the sample plots at the Humboldt Road site are tufted hairgrass (*Deschampsia caespitosa*), a native of coastal prairie and marshes, and invasive weeds *Cotoneaster* sp. and fireweed (*Erechtites minima*).

## SUMMARY

Annual population and habitat monitoring conducted at the Crescent City Marsh Wildlife Area for western lily indicates that encroachment of woody vegetation into fen and coastal prairie habitats has been detrimental to the lily's reproductive potential by decreasing the number of flowering plants and suppressing fruit development. Manual removal of woody vegetation has been necessary to maintain the open habitat structure required for western lily, which is likely also critical habitat for other sympatric sensitive species as well.

A formal controlled grazing plan, featuring a detailed seasonal grazing scenario followed by annual monitoring, has been recommended as both a biologically and economically effective method for maintaining optimal habitat conditions for sensitive species. This monitoring project is the initial phase in preparation for the introduction of controlled cattle grazing at the CCMWA. Additional activities required before grazing commences include specific recommendations for the total number of cows (intensity), the number of days grazing (duration), the seasonality of grazing, and the logistics of transporting cattle to and from the CCMWA. The criteria to be used for evaluating the success of the experimental grazing must also be determined.

The strengths of the monitoring protocol presented here is twofold: the ability to collect a considerable amount of reliable data in a cost effective and timely manner, and an enhanced power to assess changes over time by using a pair-wise statistical test with permanent sample plots. With subsequent year's data, increases and decreases in species' average percent cover and frequency will quantify the impacts to wetland habitats and sensitive species as a result of grazing.

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**TABLE 1.** Locations of Circular Plots and Interior Quadrats for Grazing Impacts Monitoring, Humboldt Road West and Humboldt Road Sites, CCMWA. Circular plots and reference baselines are mapped in Figures 2 and 3. For each interior quadrat, the closest corner to the center of the circular plot is given first, followed by its corresponding diagonal corner; (E) = the eastern corner of the quadrat, (W) = western, etc.

Circular Plot #	Stratum	Baseline UTM Coordinates	Location of Circular Plot Center easting / northing (easting / northing; relative to baseline)	Interior Quadrat A (6 ft. x 6 ft.)	Interior Quadrat B (6 ft. x 6 ft.)
1	Marsh Edge	403326 / 4621764 403347 / 4621743 0°=SE end; 100°=NW end	403347 / 4621743 X=0, Y=0 on western lily census monitoring grid	6.5 ft. @ 60° (E) 12.0 ft. @ 280° (W)	9.0 ft. @ 165° (N) 17.0 ft. @ 350° (S)
2	Marsh Edge	same as Plot #1	403337 / 4621746 X=38.5, Y=13 on census monitoring grid	10.0 ft. @ 260° (S) 17.0 ft. @ 280° (N)	10.0 ft. @ 160° (N) 17.0 ft. @ 150° (S)
3	Scrub	same as Plot #1	403332 / 4621761 X=75, Y=-16 on census monitoring grid	7.0 ft. @ 225° (N) 12.0 ft. @ 170° (S)	7.5 ft. @ 350° (E) 15.5 ft. @ 330° (W)
4	Marsh	same as Plot #1	403332 / 4621737 X=38.5, Y=46 on census monitoring grid	8.0 ft. unrecorded 14.0 ft. unrecorded	6.0 ft. @ 195° (W) 12.5 ft. @ 150° (E)
5	Scrub	403274 / 4621730 403287 / 4621740 0°=SW end; 57°=NE end	403280 / 4621749 50 ft. @ 340° from 42.5 ft. on baseline	7.7 ft. @ 85° (SW) 15.5 ft. @ 45° (NE)	15.0 ft. @ 120° (NE) 23.0 ft. @ 125° (SW)
6	Marsh Edge	same as Plot #5	403286 / 4621738 25 ft. @ 135° from 32.0 ft. on baseline	5.5 ft. @ 110° (SW) 8.0 ft. @ 5° (NE)	6.5 ft. @ 210° (NE) 15.0 ft. @ 180° (SW)
7	Marsh	same as Plot #5	403289 / 4621721 55 ft. @ 140° from 31.0 ft. on baseline	12.5 ft. @ 290° (E) 15.0 ft. @ 280° (W)	
8	Marsh Edge	403393 / 4621738 403402 / 4621732 0°=NW end; 61°=SE end	403399 / 4621727 9.5 ft. @ 205° from 14.5 ft. on baseline	6.0 ft. @ 350° (S) 14.5 ft. @ 355° (N)	3.5 ft. @ 145° (NE) 12.0 ft. @ 145° (SW)
9	Marsh	same as Plot #8	403397 / 4621719 40 ft. @ 200° from 19 ft. on baseline	6.5 ft. @ 5° (S) 15.0 ft. @ 5° (N)	6.0 ft. @ 125° (NW) 14.5 ft. @ 125° (SE)
10	Scrub	same as Plot #8	403392 / 4621744 35 ft. @ 340° from 5.5 ft. on baseline (at base of alder inside shrub thicket)	circle center (W) 8.5 ft. @ 70° (E)	6.5 ft. @ 340° (SE) 15.0 ft. @ 340° (NW)

**TABLE 1 (con't). Locations of Circular Plots and Interior Quadrats for Grazing Impacts Monitoring, Humboldt Road West and Humboldt Road Sites, CCMWA.** Circular plots and reference baselines are mapped in Figures 2 and 3. For each interior quadrat, the closest corner to the center of the circular plot is given first, followed by its corresponding diagonal corner; (E) = the eastern corner of the quadrat, (W) = western, etc.

Circular Plot #	Stratum	Baseline UTM Coordinates easting / northing	Location of Circular Plot Center (easting / northing; relative to baseline)	Interior Quadrat A (6 ft. x 6 ft.)	Interior Quadrat B (6 ft. x 6 ft.)
11	Marsh Edge	403451 / 4621719 403464 / 4621718 0'=W end; 40'=E end	403461 / 4621719 1.5 ft. @ 180° from 31.5 ft. on baseline	6.0 ft. @ 345°(S) 14.5 ft. @ 345°(N) (= baseline @ 40.0 ft. (E))	circle center (W) 8.5 ft. @ 90°(E)
12	Marsh	same as Plot #11	403457 / 4621712 30 ft. @ 190° from 22 ft. on baseline	5.5 ft. @ 10°(S) 14.0 ft. @ 10°(N)	circle center (W) 8.5 ft. @ 120°(E)
13	Scrub	same as Plot #11	403461 / 4621729 33 ft. @ 5° from 30.5 ft. on baseline	5.0 ft. @ 220°(N) 8.5 ft. @ 310°(W)	circle center (E) unrecorded
14	Marsh Edge	403480 / 4621724 403490 / 4621725 0'=W end; 36'=E end	403485 / 4621722 43.5 ft. @ 170° from 20.5 ft. on baseline	circle center (SE) 8.5 ft. @ 275°(NW)	5.5 ft. @ 105°(W) 14.0 ft. @ 105°(E)
15	Marsh	same as Plot #15	403489 / 4621713 36 ft. @ 160° from 20 ft. on baseline	circle center (W) 8.5 ft. @ 55°(E)	5.5 ft. @ 340°(S) 14.0 ft. @ 340°(N)
16	Scrub	same as Plot #15	403492 / 4621734 33 ft. @ 30° from 21 ft. on baseline	circle center (S) 8.5 ft. @ 35°(N)	12.5 ft. @ 260°(N) 14.5 ft. @ 225°(S)
17	Scrub	403816 / 4621933 403821 / 4621908 0'=S end; 116'=N end	403815 / 4621927 10 ft. @ 265° from 95 ft. on baseline (baseline is the census monitoring transect)	circle center (SE) 8.5 ft. @ 345°(NW)	2.5 ft. @ 105°(W) 11.0 ft. @ 105°(E)
18	Scrub	same as Plot #17	403814 / 4621917 27 ft. @ 300° from 35 ft. on baseline (baseline is the census monitoring transect)	*Interior Quadrat C: 14.0 ft. @ 225°(N) 22.5 ft. @ 200°(S)	6.0 ft. @ 120°(W) 14.5 ft. @ 120°(E)
19	Opening	same as Plot #17	403820 / 4621911 99 ft @ 75° from 55 ft. on baseline (baseline is the census monitoring transect)	circle center (S) 8.5 ft. @ 0°(N)	7.5 ft. @ 260°(E) 15.5 ft. @ 230°(W)

TABLE 2. Pre-Grazing Baseline Data for Grazing Impacts Monitoring Plots: Species Cover, Height, and Frequency, Humboldt Road West Site, July 24, 25, and 27, 2003.

\*Cover Class Values: SO = solitary; SE = seldom or scattered, 1 = 1-4%, 2 = 5-10%, 3 = 11-25%, 4 = 26-33%, 5 = 34-50%, 6 = 51-75%, 7 = 76-90%, 8 = 91-100%.

TABLE 2 (cont'): Pre-Grazing Baseline Data for Grazing Impacts Monitoring Plots: Species Cover, Height, and Frequency, Humboldt Road West Site, CCMWA, July 24, 25, and 27, 2003.

Plot Number:	(Plots grouped by stratum: cov. = cover class value *; ht. = average height (inches); avg. cov. (%), avg. ht. (in.), and frequency (%) were calculated within each stratum.)												CIRCLES				QUADRATS			
	1	1A	1B	2	2A	2B	Marsh Edge	6A	6B	Marsh Edge	8A	8B	Marsh Edge	11A	11B	Marsh Edge	14	14A	14B	
Stratum:	Marsh Edge	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	
<b>Species</b>																				
<i>Agristis sp.</i>																				
<i>Alinus nubra</i>	1	216																		
<i>Alnus viridis ssp. sinuata</i>																				
<i>Angelica genuflexa</i>																				
<i>Anthoxanthum odoratum</i>																				
<i>Aster chilensis</i>																				
<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i>	2	42																		
<i>Bare ground</i>																				
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<i>Carex aquatilis var. dives</i>																				
<i>Carex buxbaumii</i>	2	42																		
<i>Carex cespitiskii</i>																				
<i>Carex obnupta</i>	4	42	1	30	7	36	5	60	7	60	6	48	2	36	3	36	1	36	1	30
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<i>Comorus senicea</i>																				
<i>Danthonia decumbens</i>																				
<i>Deschampsia caespitosa</i>																				
<i>Disporum smilii</i>																				
<i>Eleocharis sp.</i>	3	12	3	18	2	12														
<i>Epipterygium firmatella</i>																				
<i>Erychites minima</i>																				
<i>Galium sp.</i>																				
<i>Gaultheria shallon</i>																				
<i>Holcus lanatus</i>																				
<i>Hypericum sp.</i>																				
<i>Hypochaeris radicata</i>																				
<i>Juncus sp.</i>																				
<i>Juncus effusus</i>	2	42	2	36																
<i>Lathyrus palustris</i>	1	24	SE	18	SE	18	1	60	1	48	SE	30	2	36	3	40	1	36	2	24
<i>Lathyrus sp. (2 leaflet)</i>	se	18	SE	18	SE	24	SE	24												
<i>Ledum glandulosum</i>	1	42																		
<i>Lilium occidentale</i>	1	54	1	60																
<i>Lonicera involucratavar. labecularii</i>	1	72																		
<i>Lotus corniculatus</i>																				
<i>Lotus formosissimus</i>																				
<i>Lycopodium uniforma</i>	SE	6	SE	6																
<i>Lysichiton americanum</i>	SE	12	1	60	SE	12	1	60												
<i>Malathemnum diffidatum</i>	SE	6	SE	6																
<i>Malus fusca</i>																				
<i>Myrica californica</i>																				
<i>Picea sitchensis</i>	1	216																		
<i>Polystichum munitum</i>																				
<i>Potentilla anserina</i> spp. pacifici	SE	24	1	24	SE	24	1	18	SE	48	1	24	2	18	3	24	1	24	1	24
<i>Potentilla palustris</i>	SE	24	SE	24	2	36	2	36												
<i>Prunella vulgaris</i>																				
<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i>	2	42	SE	24	1	60				1	24		1	24	1	24	1	24	1	24
<i>Ranunculus esculentus</i>																				
<i>Ranunculus purshiana</i>																				
<i>Rhododendron occidentalis</i>	3	72	5	60																
<i>Rosa sp.</i>																				
<i>Rubus hispida</i>																				
<i>Rubus spectabilis</i>																				
<i>Rubus ursinus</i>	SE	18	SE	18						1	60	SE	60							
<i>Salix sp.</i>	1	42								2	72									
<i>Sanguisorba officinalis</i>	1	24	1	24	2	30	SE	36	1	36	1	24	1	18	2	72	1	24	1	24
<i>Solidago sp.</i>	SE	20	SE	20																
<i>Spiraea douglasii</i>	3	42	1	30	1	24	4	60	3	60	3	48	2	48	3	36	5	50	2	48
<i>Standing water</i>																				
<i>Tribulus arcticus</i>	1	6	SE	6																
<i>Viola adunca</i>																				
<i>Viola palustris</i>	SE	10	SE	12																

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**TABLE 2 (cont.) Pre-Grazing Baseline Data for Grazing Impacts Monitoring Plots: Species Cover, Height, and Frequency, Humboldt Road West Site, July 24, 25, and 27, 2003.**

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 (Plots grouped by stratum; cov. = cover class value\*; ht. = average height (inches); avg. cov. (%) and frequency (%) were calculated within each stratum.)

Plot Number:	Stratum:	Species	Scrub	17A	17B	18	18A	18B	18C	QUADRATS	Opening cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.
		<i>Agrostis sp.</i>				1	240	2	180		0	0	0	0
		<i>Alnus viridis ssp. sinuata</i>								1	240	0.5	2	180
		<i>Angelica genuflexa</i>								0	0	0	0	0.2
		<i>Anthoxanthum odoratum</i>	1	36		1	30			0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Aster chilensis</i>	1	24						3	33	100	0	0
		<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i>								1	24	0.5	0	0
		Bare ground	2	4		5	5	3		0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Blechnum spicant</i>								25	100	18	0	0.6
		<i>Calamagrostis nutkaensis</i>	1	48		1	48			0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Cotoneaster sp.</i>								3	48	100	<1	24
		<i>Carex aquatilis var. dives</i>								0	0	0	0	0.2
		<i>Carex austbaumii</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Carex cusickii</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Carex obnuptia</i>	1	36		2	36	1	36	0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Carex vesicaria</i>								3	36	100	2	36
		<i>Danthonia decumbens</i>	SE	12		1	8	5	8	1	6	2	10	100
		<i>Deschampsia caespitosa</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Disporum smithii</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Eleocharis sp.</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Epiactis gigantea</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Equisetum telmateia</i>								12	<1	12	0.5	<1
		<i>Erythritis minima</i>	SE	24	SE	24	2	16	1	18	SE	12	3	24
		<i>Gallium sp.</i>								<1	24	0.5	<1	24
		<i>Gaultheria shallon</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Holcus lanatus</i>	1	30		SE	24			1	36	2	37	100
		<i>Hypericum sp.</i>	SO	3	SE	3	SE	12		<1	3	0.5	0	0
		<i>Hypochoeris radicata</i>	SE	3	SE	3	SE	12	1	8	100	<1	8	0.4
		<i>Juncus sp.</i>								SE	16	<1	16	0.2
		<i>Juncus effusus</i>	1	36	2	24	1	30	SE	24	2	36	0.5	2
		<i>Lathyrus palustris</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Lathyrus sp. (2-leaflet)</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Ledum glandulosum</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Lilium occidentale</i>	SE	40	SO	16	SE	40	SE	8	1	24	100	<1
		<i>Lonicera involucratia var. leb</i>	SO	60	1	60	SE	12	1	18	<1	60	0.5	<1
		<i>Lotus corniculatus</i>								12	0.5	<1	18	0.2
		<i>Lycopus uniflora</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Lysichiton americanum</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Maianthemum dilatatum</i>								6	0.5	<1	6	0.2
		<i>Malus fusca</i>	SE	6	SE	6	SE	6	SE	<1	240	0.5	0	0
		<i>Myrica californica</i>	3	120	2	72		1	18	<1	12	0.5	<1	24
		<i>Picea sitchensis</i>	2	370	5	360	5	360	3	480	5	425	100	20
		<i>Plantago lanceolata</i>								0	0	0	0	0.6
		<i>Polygonatum multiflorum</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Potentilla anserina ssp. pacificae</i>	SE	24						12	1	18	100	<1
		<i>Potentilla palustris</i>								1	240	0.5	0	0
		<i>Prunella vulgaris</i>	1	3						0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i>	2	36	2	36	1	36	2	30	SO	12	1	18
		<i>Ranunculus repens</i>								SE	12	1	18	8
		<i>Rhamnus purshiana</i>	2	240	3	240	1	120	5	240	2	240	100	10
		<i>Rhododendron occidentalis</i>	3	60	3	60	2	72	2	72	3	60	1	60
		<i>Rosa sp.</i>								SE	12	1	18	100
		<i>Rubus discolor</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Rubus spectabilis</i>	2	24	2	6	2	30	2	3	1	6	3	24
		<i>Rubus ursinus</i>								SE	12	1	3	0.5
		<i>Salix sp.</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Sanguisorba officinalis</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Solidago sp.</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Spiraea douglasii</i>	3	60	5	60	6	72	SE	12	1	18	10	36
		Standing water									0	0	0	0
		<i>Trientalis arctica</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Viola adunca</i>								0	0	0	0	0
		<i>Viola palustris</i>								0	0	0	0	0

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**CRESCEENT CITY MARSH WILDLIFE AREA  
GRAZING IMPACTS MONITORING PROJECT**

**ATTACHMENT 1**

**2003 FIELD DATA SHEETS  
PRE-GRAZING MONITORING  
HUMBOLDT ROAD WEST AND  
HUMBOLDT ROAD SITES**

# GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

SITE: Humboldt Rd West DATE 7-24-03 BY: AC/JC  
 STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
 Malus/Azalea Other: Marsh edge - Spiraea/Ledum - Azalea  
 CIRCULAR PLOT # 1 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)  
 LOCATION: x=0 y=0 (same rbar as x transect)

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:			
✓ Spruce	Solidago / 1-4%	10m	
✓ Azalea	11-25%	16 ft	
✓ Spiraea	5-10%	3.5 (+) ft	
✓ Ledum & Salix	1-4%	3.5 ft	
✓ Alnus Rubra	Solidary / 1-4%	10m	rooted outside 0
✓ Laurus Athyrium Pt. cordatum	Carex unk 1	3.5 ft	3 collectively up to 33%
Understory:	Carex obnupta	3.5 ft	
✓ Spiraea	11-25%	3.5 (-) ft	
✓ Sanguisorba	1	24 in.	
✓ Lilium occidentale	1	4.5 ft	
✓ Viola palustris	Seldom	10 in	
✓ Potentilla (both spp)	seldom	24 in	% cover is for each
✓ Lathyrus palustris	1	24 in	
✓ Trifoliate arctica	1	6 in.	
✓ Eleocharis	11-25%	12 in.	
✓ Lotus corniculatus (?)	1	36 in.	

INTERIOR QUADRAT #1A LOCATION FROM CENTER: 6.5 ft, 60°, 12 ft, 280°  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:			
✓ Azalea	5	5 ft	
✓ Little Mint	Seldom	6 in	Axillary white flrs. RB collected
✓ Awlless Danthonia mystery	Seldom	24 in	Collected
✓ Aster (latifolius ?)	Solidago	20 in	
Understory:			
✓ Lilium occidentale	1	5 ft (flowering)	(see counts over)
✓ Juncus (effusus)	2	36 in	
✓ Potentilla palustris	Seldom	24 in	
✓ Sanguisorba	1	24 in	
✓ Potentilla (Silverweed)	1	24 in	
✓ Carex do. / Carex obnupta	1	30 in	same info each sp.
✓ Eleocharis	3	18 in	
✓ Viola [palustris]	Seldom	12 in	no flower
✓ Bracken fern	Seldom	24 in	
✓ Lotus corniculatus	1	24 in	
✓ Rubus ursinus	Seldom	18 in	no flr.
✓ Lathyrus palustris	Seldom	18 in	
✓ L. 2-nd per	Seldom	18 in	
✓ Trifoliate / Mainanthium	Seldom	10 in	same info each sp

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 1B LOCATION FROM CENTER: 9 ft, 165°; 17 ft, 350

(azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory:

Spice

3

10ft functionally - not rooted in plot

Understory:

<u>Carex obnupta</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>36 in.</u>	<u>Lathyrus palustris</u>
<u>Sanguisorba</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>30 in</u>	<u>is nearby but</u>
<u>Spiraea</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>24 in</u>	<u>not in plot.</u>
<u>Skunk cabbage</u>	<u>seldom</u>	<u>12 in</u>	
<u>Potentilla (silverweed)</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>18 in</u>	
<u>Fleochans</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>12 in</u>	
<u>Athyrium</u>	<u>Solitary</u>	<u>12 in</u>	

### Cover Class Values:

solitary

very scattered; seldom

1 = 1 - 4%

2 = 5 - 10%

3 = 11 - 25%

4 = 26 - 33%

5 = 34 - 50%

6 = 51 - 75%

7 = 76 - 90%

8 = 91 - 100%

### Target Species:

*Lilium occidentale*

*Trientalis arctica*

*Lathyrus palustris*

*Viola palustris*

*Sanguisorba officinalis*

*Carex leptalea, C. viridula,*

*C. lyngbyei, C. praticola*

*Plantathera leucostachys*

*Epipactis gigantea*

*Hierochloe odorata*

### VIA lily count

1 seedlings

1 veg

60" (2 FR)

60" (3 FR)

48" (1 FR)



# GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

SITE: Humboldt Rd West DATE 7/24/03 BY: AC/JC  
 STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
 Malus/Azalea Other: ~~Spiraea | Carex | Ferns~~  
 CIRCULAR PLOT #2 (wetter than) (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)  
 LOCATION: X=38.5 Y=13 ft MM

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Center: Distance:  
 SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory:

Willow, Lonicera & Spiraea stand tall but the rest of  
the vegetation is so tall that there isn't functionally  
an overstory here.

Cescara	seldom	5 ft	
Angelica	seldom	6 ft.	
Understory:			
Spiraea douglasii	4	5 ft	Rosa not seen
Salix sp.	2	6 ft	in circle but is
Lonicera involucrata	1	6 ft	just outside
Carex obnupta	5	5 ft	of circumference
Skunk Cabbage	1		
Lathyrus	0		
Lotus cornicu	seldom		
Rubus ursinus	1		
Athyrium	3		
Pteridium	1		

INTERIOR QUADRAT #2A LOCATION FROM CENTER: 10 ft, 260°; 17 ft, 180°  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: Distance:  
 SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory:



Understory:			
Carex obnupta	7	5 ft	
Spiraea douglasii	3	5 ft	
Athyrium	2	4.5 ft	
Lathyrus palustris	1	4 ft	
Potentilla (silverweed)	seldom	4 ft	
Lotus co.	1	4 ft	
Rubus ursinus	seldom	5 ft.	
Little Mint	seldom	8 in.	
2 leaflet pea	seldom	24 in.	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 2B LOCATION FROM CENTER: 10 ft 160° ; 17 ft 150

(azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
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Overstory:

Understory:

✓ <i>Spirea do.</i>	3	4 ft	
✓ <i>Carex ob.</i>	6	4 ft	
✓ <i>Potentilla</i> (silverweed)	1	2 ft	
✓ <i>Potentilla palustris</i>	2	3 ft	
✓ <i>Lathyrus palustris</i>	seldom	30 in.	• about to flower
✓ <i>Sanguisorba</i>	1	3 ft	
✓ Bare ground	2		• Carex covers most of bare ground temporarily but when pushed back, much of the ground lacks any rooted material.

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*Plantathera leucostachys*

*Epipactis gigantea*

*Hierochloe odorata*

# GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

SITE: Humboldt Rd West DATE 7-25-03 BY: JC/AC  
 STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
 WOODY Malus/Azalea Other: *Myrica* / Alder *Cascara* Spruce,  
 CIRCULAR PLOT # 3 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)  
 LOCATION: x = 75 y = -110 ft

PHOTOPOINT:	Azimuth	From / To	Center:	Distance:
SPECIES		COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:				
✓ <i>Myrica</i>	3		10	6 ft veg
✓ <i>Azalea</i>	2		6	base 1 ft
✓ <i>Malus</i>	2		12	4 ft buds
✓ <i>Ailanthus viridius</i>	1		7	
✓ <i>Spruce</i>	1		12	A
Understory:				
✓ <i>Lonicera</i>	1		5 ft	
✓ <i>Salal</i>	1		3.5 ft	
✓ <i>Pteridium</i>	1		4 ft	
✓ <i>Spiraea</i>	1		5 ft	
✓ <i>Lilium occidentale</i>	1		4 ft	(flowering)
✓ <i>Sanguisorba</i>	1		1 ft	
<i>ADD spp from A &amp; B to this list)</i>				

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 3A LOCATION FROM CENTER: 7 ft NNE; 12 ft E 170°

(azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT:	Azimuth	From / To	Circular Plot Center	Distance:
SPECIES		COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:				
✓ <i>Azalea</i>	3		6 ft	
✓ <i>Myrica</i>	2		3 ft	not reared in plot
✓ <i>Ailanthus viridius</i>	1		6 ft	
✓ <i>Malus</i>	3		1 ft	
✓ <i>Spiraea</i>	2		5 ft	
Understory:				
✓ <i>Juncus</i>	1		3 ft	
✓ <i>Carex</i> sp.	1		3.5 ft	
✓ <i>Salal</i>	2		3.5 ft	
✓ <i>Angelica</i>	seldom		3 ft	
✓ <i>Pteridium</i>	1		4 ft	
✓ <i>Lilium occidentale</i>	1		4 ft	blooming but
✓ <i>Rubus</i>	1		2 ft	in fact a thorn & seedling
✓ <i>Rosa</i>	1		3 ft	also absent
✓ <i>Spruce sapling</i>	solitary		5 ft	(See census 7/23)
✓ <i>Sanguisorba</i>	seldom		1 ft	
✓ <i>Fragaria</i>	2		1 ft	
✓ <i>Holcus</i>	seldom		1.5 ft	
✓ Little white mint	seldom		6 inches	
✓ <i>Maianthemum</i>	seldom		6 inches	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 3B LOCATION FROM CENTER: 7.5 ft 350°; 15.5 330°  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:			
✓ <i>Azalea</i>	6	8 ft	almost rooted in plot
✓ <i>Spruce</i>	5	20 ft	rooted outside plot
✓ <i>Cascara</i>	2	12 ft	rooted in plot
✓ <i>Myrifica</i>	3	15 ft	rooted outside

99% Canopy cover

Understory:			
✓ <i>Carex obnupta</i>	2	1 in	
✓ <i>Malus</i> seedlings	seldom	4 in	
✓ <i>Lilium occ.</i> (5 seedlings)	1	2 in	5 seedlings
✓ Bare ground	7		
✓ <i>Atropa bell.</i>	solitary	3 in	
✓ <i>Maianthemum</i>	1	4 in	

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*Hierochloe odorata*

✓ could be  
*X. fragilla*

# GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

SITE:  Humboldt Rd West DATE 9/25/03 BY: JCIAC  
 STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge  Marsh Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
 MARSH Malus/Azalea Other  
 CIRCULAR PLOT # 4 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)  
 LOCATION: X = 38.5 y = 46

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Center: Distance:  
 SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory:



Understory:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Carex obnupta</i>	1	42 inches	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Carex aquatica</i>	7	42	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Potentilla palustris</i>	1	36	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Potentilla</i> ( <i>silverweed</i> )	1	36	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Veronica</i> -P- UNK1	1	30 inches	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Carex (trichocarpa) vestigiania</i>	2	30 in	• chunky spikelet
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Skunk cabbage	seldom	18	There's probably more here than we see. We see ~10%.

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 4A LOCATION FROM CENTER: 8ft ; 14ft.  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: Distance:  
 SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory:



Understory:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Carex obnupta</i>	seldom	42	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Carex aquatica</i>	7	42	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Potentilla palustris</i>	seldom	36	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Potentilla</i> ( <i>silverweed</i> )	seldom	36	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Lysichiton</i> ( <i>skunk cabbage</i> )	solitary	18	pung

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 4B LOCATION FROM CENTER: 6 ft 195° ; 12.5 ft 150°

(azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory:

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Understory:

<u>Carex aquatica</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>40 in.</u>
<u>Carex</u> <del>intervirgata</del> <u>vesicaria</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>36 in.</u>
<u>Potentilla palustris</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>30 in</u>
<u>Potentilla ansurina</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>24 in</u>
<u>Bare water</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>—</u>

Cover Class Values:

solitary

very scattered; seldom

1 = 1 - 4%

2 = 5 - 10%

3 = 11 - 25%

4 = 26 - 33%

5 = 34 - 50%

6 = 51 - 75%

7 = 76 - 90%

8 = 91 - 100%

Target Species:

Lilium occidentale

Trientalis arctica

Lathyrus palustris

Viola palustris

Sanguisorba officinalis

Carex leptalea, C. viridula,

C. lyngbyei, C. praticola

Plantathera leucostachys

Epipactis gigantea

Hierochloe odorata

\* Add S013 to Shrub plot - place at edge towards shore

Please note

### GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

SITE: ~~Location for quadrats~~ Humboldt RI West DATE 7/27/03 BY: AC/JC  
STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
Malus/Azalea Other:

CIRCULAR PLOT # 5 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)

LOCATION: 50' @ 340° from 42.5 baseline

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Center: Distance:

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
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Overstory:

✓ Alder	5	20 ft	
✓ Malus	5	20 ft	
✓ Crocara	2	20 ft	

Understory:

✓ Carex obnupta	4	60 in	
Sword fern	4	54 in	
Athyrium	1	48 in	
✓ Rubus ursinus	1	48 in	viney
✓ Azalea	2	10 feet	
✓ Mianthium	1	6 inches	
✓ Blechnum spicant	1	12 inches	
Rubus spectabilis	1	100 inches	
✓ Bare ground	3	—	

15.5' @ 45° (2nd rebar)

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 5A LOCATION FROM CENTER: 7'8" @ 85° to SW corner  
(azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: Distance:

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
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Overstory:

✓ Alnus	5	20 ft	
✓ Malus	5	20 ft	

Understory:

✓ Carex obnupta	6	48	
Athyrium	1	36	
Blechnum spicant	seldom	12	
Rubus spectabilis	seldom	30	
Mianthium	1	6	
Polystichum munitum	1	42	
✓ Bare ground	2	—	

AT # 5B LOCATION FROM CENTER: 2nd rebar 23 ft @ 125°  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)  
 th From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
4	8 feet	sapling in plot
1	9	
1	10	
1	5	
1	11	saplings in plot

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pta	6	4 ft
	2	3.5 cft
	seldom	2 ft
		not goldenrod

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Target Species:

- Lilium occidentale
- Trientalis arctica
- Lathyrus palustris
- Viola palustris
- Sanguisorba officinalis
- Carex leptalea, C. viridula,  
C. lyngbyei, C. praticola
- Plantathera leucostachys
- Epipactis gigantea
- Hierochloe odorata

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 5B LOCATION FROM CENTER: 15 ft 120°

(azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:			
✓ <i>Salix</i>	4	8 feet	sapling in plot
✓ <i>Caocara</i>	1	9	
✓ <i>Malus</i>	1	10	
✓ <i>Spiraea</i>	1	5	
✓ <i>Alnus</i>	1	11	saplings in plot

Understory:

✓ <i>Rubus ursinus</i>	2	4 ft	
✓ <i>Carex oblonga</i>	6	4 ft	
✓ <i>Athyrium</i>	2	3.5 ft	
✓ <i>Bard ground</i>	1	—	
✓ <i>Aster</i>	seldom	2 ft	not goldenrod

#### Cover Class Values:

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#### Target Species:

- Lilium occidentale*
- Trientalis arctica*
- Lathyrus palustris*
- Viola palustris*
- Sanguisorba officinalis*
- Carex leptalea, C. viridula,*  
*C. lyngbyei, C. praticola*
- Plantathera leucostachys*
- Epipactis gigantea*
- Hierochloe odorata*

Please note the 2nd corner in location for quadrat

## GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

quadrat 3

SITE: Armstrong Rd. West DATE 7/27/03 BY: AC/JC  
STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
Malus/Azalea Other:

CIRCULAR PLOT # 6 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)

LOCATION: 25 ft. @ 135° from 32.0 ft. sn baseline

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Center: Distance:

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
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Overstory:

<i>Myrica</i>	1	9 ft	
<i>Azalea</i>	1	8 ft	
<i>Cascara</i>	solitary	6 ft	
<i>Agrostis</i>	1	24 in	very twiggly
<i>Sanguisorba</i>	1	24 in	
<i>Rubus strigosus</i>	1	24 in	
Understory: <i>Calamagrostis</i>	1	36 in	2 species?
<i>Carex oblonga</i>	2	36	
<i>Pteridium</i>	1	24	
<i>Athyrium</i>	1	18	
<i>Spiraea</i>	2	48 in	
<i>Lotus corn.</i>	1	24 in	
<i>Little White Mint</i>	1	12 in	
<i>Potentilla anserina</i>	2	24 in	
<i>Juncus</i>	2	36 in	
<i>Lonicera</i>	1	60 in	2 bushy
<i>Salix</i>	1	60 in	

*Trifoliate* 1-6  
*Viola* 1-18  
*Aster* 1-18  
*Solidago*

Most prolific yet

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 6A LOCATION FROM CENTER: 5.5 ft. @ 110° from plot center

(azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center) SW corner

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: Distance: 2nd retar: 8 ft @ 5°

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
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Overstory:



*Spiral Azalea / Lonicera*  
(one bush)  
almost in plot

Understory:

<i>Carox oblonga</i>	3	36	
<i>Rubus strigosus</i>	1	24	
<i>Juncus</i> sp.	3	36	
<i>Potentilla anserina</i>	3	18	
<i>Sanguisorba</i>	1	24	
<i>Spiraea douglasii</i>	1	24	
<i>Little White Mint</i>	1	12	
<i>Athyrium</i>	1	24	
<i>Lotus cornic.</i>	1	24	
<i>Aster</i> sp. <i>Solidago</i>	1	18	
<i>Viola</i> sp.	1	6	If ~1 in across

2nd rebar: 15 ft @ 180°

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 6B LOCATION FROM CENTER: 6.5 ft. @ 210° from  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center) Plot center to NE corner

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
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Overstory:

<u>Spiraea</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>4 ft</u>	<u>barely in</u>
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Understory:

<u>Juncus</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>40</u>	
<u>Spiraea</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>dying</u>
<u>Little White Mint</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>12</u>	
<u>Carex obnupta</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>36</u>	
<u>Pteridium</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>24</u>	
<u>Athyrium</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>18</u>	
<u>Potentilla anserina</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>12</u>	
<u>Anemone</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>24</u>	
<u>Lotus cornic.</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>12</u>	
<u>Sanguisorba</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>12</u>	
<u>Trientalis</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>• 1 cauline leaf?</u>
<u>Viola sp.</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>• edge of plot. there may be 2 spp out here (this ②).</u>

### Cover Class Values:

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very scattered; seldom

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### Target Species:

*Lilium occidentale*

*Trientalis arctica*

*Lathyrus palustris*

*Viola palustris*

*Sanguisorba officinalis*

*Carex leptalea, C. viridula,*

*C. lyngbyei, C. praticola*

*Plantathera leucostachys*

*Epipactis gigantea*

*Hierochloe odorata*

What we've  
been calling  
Aster all  
along may  
actually be  
Goldenrod.  
(Just saw one  
blooming)

~~Add TB in Marsh plot towards edge towards shore~~

Please note 2nd corner in location for quadrat

**GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET**

**SITE:** Hornback Rd West **DATE:** 7/27/03 **BY:** AC/JC  
**STRATA:** Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh **STRATA:** Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
Malus/Azalea Other.

**CIRCULAR PLOT #** 7 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)  
**LOCATION:** 55 ft. @ 140° from 31' on baseline

**PHOTOPOINT:** Azimuth From / To Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_  
**SPECIES** **COVER CLASS** **AVG. HT.** **NOTES**

Overstory:

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Understory:

<u>✓ Carex aquatica</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>48 inches</u>
<u>✓ Potentilla palustris</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>24 inches</u>
<u>✓ Bare water</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>-</u>

15.0' @ 280 (and rebar)

**INTERIOR QUADRAT #** 7A **LOCATION FROM CENTER:** 12.5' from center @ 290°  
(azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

**PHOTOPOINT:** Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

**SPECIES** **COVER CLASS** **AVG. HT.** **NOTES**

Overstory:

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Understory:

<u>✓ Carex aquatica</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>48</u>
<u>✓ Potentilla palustris</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>24</u>
<u>✓ Bare water/muck</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>-</u>

This area: Baseline 0-28 ft. (120°)

## GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

SITE: Humboldt Road DATE 7/25/03 BY: RB / KW  
AC / SC  
STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
Malus/Azalea Other:

CIRCULAR PLOT # 8 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)  
LOCATION: PLOT center: 9.5 ft. from Baseline 14.5 ft. @ 205°

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Center: Distance:  
SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory:				
	Azalea	1	5 ft	barely hangs over (②) circumference
	Little White Mint	seldom	18 in	
	Carex	UNK 1-bulbed	18 in	
Understory:	Lathyrus palustris	1	18 in	
	Carex aquatica	6	40 in	
	Spiraea douglasii	4	48	
	Potentilla palustris	3	34	
	Potentilla anserina	2	18	
	Skunk Cabbage	1	18	
	Sambucus	1	24	
	Fleocharis	2	18	2 spp.
	Juncus	1	36	
	Angelica genuflexa	solitary	30	
	Carex obnupta	2	40	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 8A LOCATION FROM CENTER: 6ft. @ 350° to S. corner;  
(azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: Distance:  
SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory:				
	X			
Understory:				
	Lathyrus	seldom	36	
	Sanguisorba	2	30	
	Spiraea doug	2	40	
	Juncus	1	36	
	Carex obnupta	2	40	
	Carex aquatica	1	40	
	Skunk Cabbage	2	18	
	Fleocharis	2	12	
	Potentilla palustris	3		
	Potentilla anserina	1	30	
	Angelica gen.	solitary	30	
	Little White Mint	solitans	18	

+115' to N. corner

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 8B LOCATION FROM CENTER: 3.5 ft. @ 45° to NE corner  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center) 12' to SW

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
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Overstory:

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Understory:

<i>Spiraea douglasii</i>	3	42	
<i>Carex stans</i>	3	40	
<i>Potentilla anserina</i>	2	12 in	
<i>Potentilla palustris</i>	1	12 in	
<i>Juncus</i>	2	24 in	
<i>Eleocharis</i>	2	12 in	
<i>Carex aquatilis</i>	1	40	
<i>Skunk cabbage</i>	1	12 in	
<i>Lathyrus palustris</i>	seldom	24 in	
<i>Sanguisorba</i>	seldom	24 in	
Bare ground	2	—	
Little White Mint	seldom	18	
<i>Viola</i>	solitary	3 in	• looks like V. adunca No flwr.

#### Cover Class Values:

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#### Target Species:

*Lilium occidentale*

*Trientalis arctica*

*Lathyrus palustris*

*Viola palustris*

*Sanguisorba officinalis*

*Carex leptalea, C. viridula,*

*C. lyngbyei, C. praticola*

*Plantathera leucostachys*

*Epipactis gigantea*

*Hierochloe odorata*

# GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

KW/PB

**SITE:** Humboldt Road West **DATE:** 7/25/03 **BY:** AC/JC  
**STRATA:** Willow Scrub Marsh Edge **Marsh** Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
 Malus/Azalea Other:

**CIRCULAR PLOT #** 9 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)  
**LOCATION:** 40 ft. from baseline 19 ft. @ 20°

**PHOTOPOINT:** Azimuth From / To Center: Distance:  
**SPECIES** **COVER CLASS** **AVG. HT.** **NOTES**

Overstory:



Understory:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Carex aquatica</i>	6	40 in	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Spiraea douglasii</i>	2	40	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Potentilla palustris</i>	3	40 in	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Potentilla anserina</i>	1	10 in	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bare ground / mud	2	—	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Horsetail	1	10 in	(diminishing sp.)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ledum	1	40 in	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Skunk Cabbage	1	20 in	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Carex obnupta</i>	Seldom	40 in	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Veronicastrum</i>	Seldom	6 in	

**INTERIOR QUADRAT # 9A** LOCATION FROM CENTER: 6.5 ft. @ 5° to S corner, 15' to N. corner  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center) corner

**PHOTOPOINT:** Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: Distance:  
**SPECIES** **COVER CLASS** **AVG. HT.** **NOTES**

Overstory:



Understory:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Carex aquatica</i>	6	40 in	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Spiraea douglasii</i>	2	42 in	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Potentilla palustris</i>	2	40 in	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Potentilla anserina</i>	1	10 in	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bare ground / mud	2	—	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Horsetail	1	10 in	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 9B LOCATION FROM CENTER: 6' @ 125° to NW corner; 14.5'  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_ to SE corner

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
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Overstory:



Understory:

<u>Carex aquatilis</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>40 in</u>
<u>Spiraea douglasii</u>	<u>seldom</u>	<u>30 in</u>
<u>Potentilla palustris</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>30 in</u>
<u>Eriocharts</u>	<u>seldom</u>	<u>6 in</u>
<u>Potentilla anserina</u>	<u>seldom</u>	<u>10 in</u>
<u>Bare ground</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>—</u>
<u>Skunk cabbage</u>	<u>solitary</u>	<u>12 in</u>

#### Cover Class Values:

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Carex leptalea, C. viridula,

C. lyngbyei, C. praticola

Plantathera leucostachys

Epipactis gigantea

Hierochloe odorata

# GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

SITE: Humboldt Road West DATE 7/25/03 BY: RB/KW  
JC/AC

STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
ALDER Malus/Azalea Other:

CIRCULAR PLOT # 10 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)

LOCATION: 35 ft. from baseline 5.5 ft. @ 340°

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Center: Distance:

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
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Overstory:

✓ <i>Malus</i>	5	20 ft	
✓ <i>Cascara</i>	3	15 ft	
✓ <i>Azalea</i>	2	10 ft	
✓ <i>Lonicera</i>	1	8 ft	
✓ <i>Salix</i>	1	15 ft	
✓ <i>Rubus discolor</i>	1	10 ft	
Understory:			
✓ <i>Alnus</i>	2	20 ft	
✓ <i>Carex oblonga</i>	3	48 in	
✓ <i>Polystichum aculeatum</i>	1	36 in	
✓ <i>Athyrium</i>	1	48 in	
✓ <i>Blechnum</i>	1	20 in	
✓ <i>Rubus ursinus</i>	1	36 in	
✓ <i>Maianthemum</i>	1	6 in	
✓ <i>Skunk cabbage</i>	1	100 in	
✓ <i>Disporum</i>	seldom	6 in	
✓ <i>Bare ground</i>	2	—	
✓ <i>Spiraea</i>	2	6 ft	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 10A LOCATION FROM CENTER: Center of big plot is W; corner; E corner is 8.5 @ 70°  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: Distance:

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
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Overstory:

✓ <i>Malus</i>	2	15 ft	
✓ <i>Cascara</i>	5	8 ft	
✓ <i>Azalea</i>	2	8 ft	
✓ <i>Alder</i>	3	20 ft	

Understory: 10B

✓ <i>Carex oblonga</i>	2	42 in	<u>10B</u>
✓ <i>Maianthemum</i>	1	6	
✓ <i>Athyrium</i>	1	18	
✓ <i>Rubus</i>	1	24	
✓ <i>Polystichum</i>	2	36	
✓ <i>Blechnum</i>	solitary	8 in	
✓ <i>Disporum</i>	solitary	4 in	
✓ <i>Bare ground</i>	3	—	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 10B LOCATION FROM CENTER: 6.5 ft. @ 340° to SE corner  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center) 15'  
 PHOTOPPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: 340° to NW cor.

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:			
<i>Malus</i>	6	15 ft	
<i>Cascara</i>	1	8	
<i>Aralia</i>	1	8	
<i>Alder</i>	2	20	seedling

Understory: 10A

<i>Carex obnupta</i>	4	60 in.
<i>Polystichum munitum</i>	1	48 in
<i>Barren ground</i>	3	—
<i>Athyrium</i>	1	12 in
<i>Pleurozium</i>	1	12 in
<i>Skunk Cabbage</i>	1	40 in
<i>Rhubarb</i>		

#### Cover Class Values:

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#### Target Species:

- Lilium occidentale*
- Trientalis arctica*
- Lathyrus palustris*
- Viola palustris*
- Sanguisorba officinalis*
- Carex leptalea, C. viridula,*
- C. lyngbyei, C. praticola*
- Plantathera leucostachys*
- Epipactis gigantea*
- Hierochloe odorata*

# GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

SITE: Humboldt Rd, West DATE 7/27/03 BY: AC/JC  
 STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
 Malus/Azalea Other:

CIRCULAR PLOT # 11 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)

LOCATION: 1.5 ft. from baseline 31.5 ft. @ 180°

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:			
✓ <i>Salix</i>	2	6 ft	
✓ <i>Azalea</i>	1	5 ft	edge of ⊙
✓ <i>Juncus</i>	1	36	
✓ <i>Carex UNK 1</i>	1	24	
✓ <i>Hornstail</i>	1	18	<i>C. blaxbaumii</i> diminutus
Understory:			
✓ <i>Viola</i>	1	4	
✓ <i>Carex aquatilis</i>	5	40	✓ <i>Potentilla pal.</i> 2 / 36
✓ <i>Carex CUSICKII</i>	1	40	✓ <i>P. ansurinus</i> 1 / 12
✓ <i>Sanshisorum</i>	1	18	✓ <i>SKunk Cabbage</i> 2 / 24
✓ <i>Lathyrus palustris</i>	1	24	
✓ <i>Eriocharis</i>	2	10	
✓ <i>Spiraea</i>	5	42	
✓ Little White Mint	1	16	
✓ <i>Carex obnupta</i>	1	30	
✓ Big yellow Comp	1	18	
Bare ground	1		

INTERIOR QUADRAT #11A LOCATION FROM CENTER: 6' @ 345° from center = S corner  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center) 145 ft

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center Distance: @ 345° to N. corner

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:			
✓ <i>Viola</i>	1	4	<i>V. adunca</i> ??
✓ Little White Mint	1	6	
✓ <i>Spiraea</i>	3	36	
✓ Big yellow Comp	1	8	
✓ Skunk cabbage	2	20	
✓ <i>Carex obnupta</i>	2	30	
✓ <i>Carex CUSICKII</i>	1	30	
✓ <i>Potentilla pallens</i>	1	16	
✓ <i>P. ansurina</i>	1	12	
✓ Skunk cabbage	1	8	
✓ <i>Eriocharis</i>	2	6	
✓ Bare ground	1	—	
✓ <i>Jalium</i>	californicum	4	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 11B LOCATION FROM CENTER: center; eastern corner is 85° @ 90°  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
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Overstory:



Understory:

✓ <i>Viola</i>	1	4 in	V. adunca?
✓ <i>Spiraea</i>	5	36 in	
✓ <i>Carex aquatilis</i>	3	36 in	
✓ <i>Carex stans</i>	3	36	
✓ <i>Potentilla palustris</i>	2	24 in	
✓ <i>P. australis</i>	1	12 in	
✓ <i>Sanguisorba</i>	1	12 in	
✓ <i>Skunk cabbage</i>	2	12 in	
✓ Big yellow comp	1	20 in	
✓ Horsetail	1	8 in	
✓ <i>Carex</i> UNK 1	1	30 in	C. luteola?
✓ Little white mint	seldom	12 in	
✓ <i>Baneground</i>	2	—	

#### Cover Class Values:

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- very scattered; seldom
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#### Target Species:

- Lilium occidentale*
- Trientalis arctica*
- Lathyrus palustris*
- Viola palustris*
- Sanguisorba officinalis*
- Carex leptalea*, *C. viridula*,  
*C. lyngbyei*, *C. praticola*
- Plantathera leucostachys*
- Epipactis gigantea*
- Hierochloe odorata*

# GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

SITE: Humboldt Rd West DATE 7/25/03 BY: KW/PRB  
 STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
 Malus/Azalea Other

CIRCULAR PLOT # 12 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)

LOCATION: Center = 30 ft. from baseline 22.0' @ 190°

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Center: Distance:  
SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory:



Understory:

<u>Carex aquatilis</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>42</u>	
<u>Spiraea douglasii</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>42</u>	
<u>Salix</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>48 in</u>	
<u>Sanguisorba</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>30</u>	
<u>Skunk Cabbage</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>18</u>	
<u>Carex virginiana</u> (Cusick)		<u>54!</u>	<u>String culm only.</u>
<u>Potentilla palustris</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>veg is 42 in</u>
<u>Potentilla anserina</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>12</u>	
<u>Bare ground / water</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>—</u>	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 12A LOCATION FROM CENTER: 5.5 ft. @ 10° to S corner  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: Distance:  
SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory:



14 ft @ 10° to N. corner

Understory:

<u>Carex aquatica</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>36</u>	
<u>Spiraea</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>48</u>	
<u>Potentilla anserina</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>24</u>	
<u>P. palustris</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>24</u>	
<u>Bare muck</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>—</u>	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 12B LOCATION FROM CENTER: center, ~~western corner~~ <sup>circular plot center is center; E corner 8.5' @ 120°</sup> plot  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
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Overstory:

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Understory:

<i>Carex aquatica</i>	6	48
<i>Sorde'a douglasii</i>	3	48
<i>Potentilla palustris</i>	1	46
<i>Skunk cabbage</i>	1	24
<i>Potentilla anserina</i>	1	10
Bare ground/water	2	—

#### Cover Class Values:

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- very scattered; seldom
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#### Target Species:

- Lilium occidentale*
- Trientalis arctica*
- Lathyrus palustris*
- Viola palustris*
- Sanguisorba officinalis*
- Carex leptalea, C. viridula,*
- C. lyngbyei, C. praticola*
- Plantathera leucostachys*
- Epipactis gigantea*
- Hierochloe odorata*

# GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

SITE: Armstrong Rd West DATE 7/25/03 BY: RB/KW  
 STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
 Malus/Azalea Other:

CIRCULAR PLOT # 13 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)  
 LOCATION: 33 ft. from Baseline 30.5' @ 5°

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:			
✓ <i>Malus</i>	4	15 ft	
✓ <i>Salix</i>	4	15 ft	
✓ <i>Myrica</i>	1	10 ft	
<i>Spiraea</i>	2	9 ft	
✓ <i>Azalea</i>	1	8 ft	
Understory:			
<i>Spiraea</i>	2	4.5 ft	
<i>Carex obnupta</i>	5	4 ft	
<i>Skunk cabbage</i>	3	1 ft	
✓ <i>Salal</i>	1	4 ft	
✓ <i>Rubus</i>	1	3 ft	
<i>Sanguisorba</i>	1	3 ft	
✓ <i>Lathyrus palustris</i>	1	3 ft	
<i>Equisetum</i>	1	1 ft	
✓ Little White Mtnd	1	1 ft	
✓ <i>Ledum</i>	1	3 ft	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 13A LOCATION FROM CENTER: 5ft @ 220° to N corner  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:			
✓ <i>Malus</i>	4	10 ft	
<i>Spiraea</i>	1	8 ft	
✓ <i>Azalea</i>	2	7 ft	
Understory:			
✓ <i>Ledum</i>	2	4 ft	
✓ <i>Spiraea</i>	3	4 ft	
✓ <i>Carex obnupta</i>	4	4 ft	
<i>Skunk Cabbage</i>	3	4 ft	
✓ Bare ground	2	—	
✓ <i>Rubus</i>	seldom	6 inches	• seedlings
✓ Little White Mtnd	Solitary	4 inches	• on edge
<i>Sanguisorba</i>	Solitary	3+ inches	• on edge

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 13B LOCATION FROM CENTER: Corner, western corner 8.5 @

(azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center) 310

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:			
✓ <i>Salix</i>	3	8 ft	Large piece of
✓ <i>Malus</i>	3	10 ft	timber in 10%.
✓ <i>Spiraea</i>	2	7 ft	of plot was
✓ <i>Myrica</i>	1	10 ft	included in bare ground

## Understory:

✓ <i>Carex obnupta</i>	5	4 ft
✓ Skunk cabbage	3	4 ft
✓ Bare ground	3	-

Cover Class Values:

solitary

very scattered; seldom

1 = 1 - 4%

2 = 5 - 10%

3 = 11 - 25%

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Target Species:*Lilium occidentale**Trientalis arctica**Lathyrus palustris**Viola palustris**Sanguisorba officinalis**Carex leptalea, C. viridula,**C. lyngbyei, C. praticola**Plantathera leucostachys**Epipactis gigantea**Hierochloe odorata*

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outside of 

# GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

SITE: Humboldt Rd. West DATE 7/27/03 BY: AC/JC  
 STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
 Malus/Azalea Other:  
 CIRCULAR PLOT # 14 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)  
 LOCATION: 3.5 ft. from Baseline 20.5 ft. @ 170°  
 PHOTOPPOINT: Azimuth From / To Center: Distance:  
 SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory:

	Bare ground	1	—	
	✓ Lotus corniculatus	seldom	48	
Understory:	✓ Calamagrostis	seldom	48	
	✓ Salix	3	60	
	✓ Sanguisorba	1	24	
	✓ Spiraea	5	50	flowering stems taller
	Athyrium	1	36	
	✓ Skunk cabbage	2	36	
	✓ Ledum	1	48	
	Azalea	2	60	
	✓ Lathyrus palustris	1	48	
	✓ Carex aquatica	3	48	
	✓ Potentilla palustris	2	36	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 14A LOCATION FROM CENTER: center of circular plot is SE corner  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: Distance:

SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory:

	Bare ground	1	—	
	✓ Carex aquatica	3	48	
	✓ Potentilla palustris	1	36	
	✓ Salix	3	66	
	✓ Spiraea	2	48	
	✓ Bare ground	1	—	
	✓ Sanguisorba	1	28	
	✓ Lathyrus palustris	1	42	
	✓ Skunk Cabbage	3	36	
	Ledum	1	36	
	Calamagrostis	1	48	
	Athyrium	1	40	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 14B LOCATION FROM CENTER: 5.5 ft. @ 105° to western corner  
(azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
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Overstory:

<i>Carex aestivalis</i>	4	48	
<i>Polygonia cincta</i>	2	36	
<i>Salix</i>	1	48	
<i>Betula</i>	3	50	7.27 rooted
<i>Alnus</i>	1	—	
<i>Spiraea</i>	1	20	
<i>Plantago lanceolata</i>	1	40	
<i>Saxifrage</i>	1	24	
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Understory:

<i>Carex aestivalis</i>	4	48	
<i>Polygonia cincta</i>	2	36	
<i>Salix</i>	1	48	
<i>Betula</i>	3	50	7.27 rooted
<i>Alnus</i>	1	—	
<i>Spiraea</i>	1	20	
<i>Plantago lanceolata</i>	1	40	
<i>Saxifrage</i>	1	24	
	0		

#### Cover Class Values:

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#### Target Species:

- Lilium occidentale*
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- Viola palustris*
- Sanguisorba officinalis*
- Carex leptalea*, *C. viridula*,  
*C. lyngbyei*, *C. praticola*
- Plantathera leucostachys*
- Epipactis gigantea*
- Hierochloe odorata*

# GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

SITE: Humboldt Rd west DATE: 7/27/03 BY: AC/JC  
 STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
 Malus/Azalea Other:

CIRCULAR PLOT # 15 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)  
 LOCATION: 36 ft. from baseline 20ft. @ 160°

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_  
 SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory:

Salix solitary 10 ft

Understory:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Carex aquatica</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>48</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Spiraea</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>45</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Lathyrus palustris</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>46</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Salix</u>	<u>seldom)</u>	<u>46</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Potentilla galustris</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>40</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>P. anserina</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>24</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Carex virginica</u> <u>cusickii</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>50</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Athyrium</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>36</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Skunk cabbage</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>30</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Bare ground</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>—</u>

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 15A LOCATION FROM CENTER: center of circular is the western corner, eastern corner is  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center) 85 ft. @ 55°

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_  
 SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory: Ø Salix is almost overstory for this plot

Understory:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Carex aquatica</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>40</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Lathyrus palustris</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>24</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Skunk cabbage</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>24</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Spiraea</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>42</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Potentilla galustris</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>34</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>P. anserina</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>18</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Bare ground</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>—</u>

TER: 5.5 ft. @ 340° to S corner,  
quadrat corner from circular plot center)  
Distance: 14 ft. @ 340° to N. corner

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Same *Salix* is almost  
overstory for this plot  
(rising sun, if there were any,  
would be shaded)

up to rest of Marsh

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*i, C. praticola*  
*leucostachys*  
*igantea*  
*odorata*

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 15B LOCATION FROM CENTER: 5.5 ft. @ 340° to S corner,  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: 14 ft. @ 340° to N. corner

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:	Ø		Same <i>Salix</i> is almost overstory for this plot <i>(rising sun, if there were any, would be shaded)</i> <i>This side of marsh</i>

Marsh veg is tall (~~here relative to rest of marsh~~)

Understory:

✓ <i>Carex aquatilis</i>	4	48
✓ <i>Spiraea</i>	3	48
✓ <i>Lathyrus palustris</i>	1	36
✓ <i>Potentilla galustris</i>	2	36
✓ Skunk cabbage	1	24
✓ Bare ground	1	—
✓ <i>Athyrium</i>	1	20

#### Cover Class Values:

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#### Target Species:

- Lilium occidentale*
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- Sanguisorba officinalis*
- Carex leptalea, C. viridula,*
- C. lyngbyei, C. praticola*
- Plantathera leucostachys*
- Epipactis gigantea*
- Hierochloe odorata*

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## GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

SITE: Humboldt Rd West	DATE 7/25/03	BY: AC/JC RB/KW	
STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge	Marsh	Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings	
Malus/Azalea	Other:	Malus Spiraea Sparsae Scrub	
CIRCULAR PLOT # 16	(30 ft. diameter, 15 ft. radius)		
LOCATION: 33 ft. from 21' baseline @ 30°			
PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To	Center:	Distance:	
SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory: Dogwood	1	10 ft	
✓ Malus	3	15 ft	
✓ Pinus	2	15 ft	
✓ Myrica	1	10 ft	
✓ Salix	3	15 ft	
✓ Lonicera	1	10 ft	
✓ Azalea	2	6 ft	3 debatable also in understory
Understory: Rosa	1	4 ft	
✓ Skunk Cabbage	2	4 ft	
✓ Ledum	2	5 ft	• debatable in overstory
✓ Carex obnupta	3	4.5 ft	overstory
✓ Spiraea	2	5 ft	• debatable in overstory
✓ Lathyrus palustis	1	48 in	overstory
Bare ground	2	—	
✓ Rhynchospora	1	30 in	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 16A LOCATION FROM CENTER: Circular plot center is S. corner  
(azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: Distance:

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:			
✓ Azalea	2	10 ft	
✓ Malus	3	15 ft	
✓ Salix	3	15 ft	
✓ Spiraea	1	9 ft	
✓ Ledum	1	5 ft	
Understory:			
✓ Skunk Cabbage	1	60 in	
✓ Carex obnupta	3	54	
Bare ground	3	—	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 16B LOCATION FROM CENTER: 12.5' @ 260° from center  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)  
 to N. corner: 14.5' 275°  
 to S. corner: 14.5' 225°

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_  
SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory:

✓ Malus

2

8 ft

Understory:

✓ <u>Spiraea</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5 ft</u>
✓ <u>Skunk Cabbage</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3 ft</u>
✓ <u>Azalea</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>5 ft</u>
✓ <u>Ledum</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>5 ft</u>
✓ <u>Carex obtusata</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4.5 ft</u>
✓ <u>Lathyrus palustris</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>4 ft</u>
✓ <u>Bare ground</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>-</u>

### Cover Class Values:

solitary

very scattered; seldom

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### Target Species:

Lilium occidentale

Trientalis arctica

Lathyrus palustris

Viola palustris

Sanguisorba officinalis

Carex leptalea, C. viridula,

C. lyngbyei, C. praticola

Plantathera leucostachys

Epipactis gigantea

Hierochloe odorata

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# GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

Baseline is the  
enclosures baseline  
0 to +100 ft.

**SITE:** Humpoldt Road    **DATE:** 7-27-03    **BY:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**STRATA:** Willow Scrub    Marsh Edge    Marsh    Spiraea/Ledum    Grass/Openings  
 Malus/Azalea    Other: *Rhamnus / Myrica Shrub w/ Lilies*  
**CIRCULAR PLOT #** 17    (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)  
**LOCATION:** 10 ft from baseline + 95 ft @ 265°

<b>SPECIES</b>	<b>TOTAL COVER</b>	<b>COVER CLASS</b>	<b>AVG. HT.</b>	<b>NOTES</b>
Overstory:				
✓ Spruce	1	(on E. side)	= 40' tall	<i>Ilex</i> Solitary 5'
✓ Spiraea	3	5'		
✓ Azalea	3	5'		
✓ Rhamnus	2	20'		
✓ Myrica	1	20'		

**Understory:**

✓ Aster	1	24"	Azalea seedlings: Scattered 3"
✓ Anthoxanthum	1	36"	<i>Fragaria</i> 1 36"
✓ Thlaspi	Scattered	1	✓ Hypericum 3" Scattered 3"
✓ Pteridium	2	36"	Potentilla anserina Scattered 24"
✓ Lilium - the	3	from PLOT 17B	Rhamnus Seedling - scattered
✓ Calamagrostis	1	48"	Little Hypericum: Solitary clump 3"
✓ Rubus	2	24"	
✓ Euonymus	1	20"	
✓ Dianthonia decumbens	Scattered	12"	
✓ Prunella vulgaris	1	mostly just 1 or 3"	Circular plot center is SE corner of quadrat; N.W. corner is 8.5 ft (345)

**INTERIOR QUADRAT # 17A LOCATION FROM CENTER:** (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

<b>SPECIES</b>	<b>COVER CLASS</b>	<b>AVG. HT.</b>	<b>NOTES</b>
Overstory:	overstory > 90%.		
✓ Rhamnus	3	20'	
✓ Azalea	3	5'	
✓ Spiraea	5	5'	

**Understory:**

✓ Lilium	16"	g.v.r. at edge of Azalea/Spiraea on S. side of plot	
✓ Pteridium	2	36"	
✓ Equisetum	2	16"	
✓ Rubus	2	16"	
✓ Spergularia	2	24"	
✓ Blue ground	4		
✓ Rhamnus Seedlings	1	3"	
✓ Hypericum radicans			scattered - ground level. 3"

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 17B LOCATION FROM CENTER: 2.5' from center @ 105° (in corner)  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:	total canopy cover > 90%		
✓ <i>Spiraea</i>	6	72"	
✓ <i>Rhamnus</i>	1	10'	
✓ <i>Azalea</i>	2	72"	
✓ <i>Hornucera involucrata</i>	1	60"	

Understory:

✓ <i>Lilium occidentale</i>	5 seedlings	48" w/ 1 fr; 38" unopened; 43"	15' juv.
✓ <i>Pteridium</i>	1	36-30"	
✓ <i>Erychthites</i>	Scattered	24"	
✓ <i>Rubus ursinus</i>	2	30"	
✓ <i>Carex obnupta</i>	2	34"	
✓ <i>Equisetum</i>	1	18"	
✓ <i>Juniperus</i> l.	1	30"	

#### Cover Class Values:

- solitary
- very scattered; seldom
- 1 = 1 - 4%
- 2 = 5 - 10%
- 3 = 11 - 25%
- 4 = 26 - 33%
- 5 = 34 - 50%
- 6 = 51 - 75%
- 7 = 76 - 90%
- 8 = 91 - 100%

#### Target Species:

- Lilium occidentale*
- Trientalis arctica*
- Lathyrus palustris*
- Viola palustris*
- Sanguisorba officinalis*
- Carex leptalea*, *C. viridula*,  
*C. lyngbyei*, *C. praticola*
- Plantathera leucostachys*
- Epipactis gigantea*
- Hierochloe odorata*

# GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

In 30' circular count all flowers in small quadrats; cl lilies counted

SITE: Humboldt Road DATE 7-27-03 BY: Roz

STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
Malus/Azalea Other:

CIRCULAR PLOT # 18 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)

LOCATION: 27 ft. from baseline 35 ft. @ 300°

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Center: Distance:

SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory: total overstory > 95%.		12'	
✓ Spruce	2	35'	
✓ Rhamnus	5	20'	
✓ Alder rubra	1	20'	
✓ Myrica	3	10'	
✓ Azalea	2	6'	
✓ Malus	Solitary	20'	

Understory:

✓ Lilium → no flowering	Lilies Scattered	5-8"	Epiptaxis - 12" scattered on S side
✓ Rubus ursinus	2 ground level	3"	Tolcus scattered 24"
✓ Sanguisorba	1	16"	Potentilla anserina Scatt. 12"
✓ Pteridium	2	30"	Juncus effusus Seldom 16"
✓ Equisetum	2	16"	Corex obliqua 1 36"
✓ Danthonia decumbens	1	on ground - 8"	Lathyrus corniculatus scattered edge
✓ Maianthemum	Scattered	8"	Anthoxanthum 1 30"
✓ Calymagrostis	1	48"	
✓ Spirea	Scattered	12"	
✓ Bare ground:	5		

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 18A LOCATION FROM CENTER: 7 ft. @ 305° to E. corner

(azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: Distance: 15' @ 290° to W. corner

SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory: total overstory 298%.

✓ Spruce	5	30'	✓ Alder	2	15'
✓ Rhamnus	2	20'			
✓ Myrica	2	6'			
✓ Azalea	2	6'			

Understory:

✓ Lilium = 16" yuv; 3" yuv; 1 seedling			
✓ Rhamnus sapling	Solitary	9"	
✓ Rubus ursinus	1	on ground 3"	
✓ Danthonia decumbens	- 5	- laying @ ground level. 8" (mostly SW. side of plot)	
✓ Sanguisorba	Scattered	6"	
✓ Pteridium	Solitary	12"	
✓ Equisetum	1	18"	
✓ Bare ground	5	on NE side plot	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 18B LOCATION FROM CENTER: 6 ft. @ 120° to W. corner  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center) 14.5'  
 PHOTOPPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_  
 SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory: - total canopy cover = 298%.

Spruce	5	30'
Rhamnus	3	20'
Azalea	3	5'

Understory:

✓ Small stemmed grass (Agrostis?) - Mostly laying flat, 3

✓ Maranthemum - scattered 6"

✓ Pteridium solitary 12"

✓ Rubus hispinosus 1 10"

✓ Spiraea scattered 12"

✓ Equisetum scattered 12" → on outer edge

✓ Carex magellanica 1 24" → inciso at base next to  
Lilium occidentale 6" juv.; 8" juv. - ~~at base next to~~ dense shrub

✓ Bare ground 3

#### Cover Class Values:

solitary

very scattered; seldom

1 = 1 - 4%

2 = 5 - 10%

3 = 11 - 25%

4 = 26 - 33%

5 = 34 - 50%

6 = 51 - 75%

7 = 76 - 90%

8 = 91 - 100%

#### Target Species:

Lilium occidentale

Trientalis arctica

Lathyrus palustris

Viola palustris

Sanguisorba officinalis

Carex leptalea, C. viridula,

C. lyngbyei, C. praticola

Plantathera leucostachys

Epipactis gigantea

Hierochloe odorata

# GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

SITE: Humboldt Rd. DATE 7-27-03 BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
 STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh Spiraea/Ledum Grass/Openings  
 Malus/Azalea Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
 CIRCULAR PLOT # 18C (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)  
 LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_

PHOTOPOINT:	Azimuth	From / To	Center:	Distance:
	SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory:				
Understory:				

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 18C LOCATION FROM CENTER: 14' @ 225° to N. corner,  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT:	Azimuth	From / To	Circular Plot Center:	Distance:
	SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
Overstory: total canopy cover < 50%				200
✓ Spruce	3	40'		plot placed for Epipactis
✓ Rhaphanus	1	10'		
✓ Azalea	1	5'		

Understory:				
	SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
✓ Equisetum	3	24"		
✓ Polypody	3	24"		
✓ Sanguisorba	1	18"		
✓ Liatris corn.	1	18"		
✓ Carex obn.	2	36"		
✓ Spiraea	1	18"		
✓ Hyperchaeris	Scattered	12"		
✓ Epipactis	(looks right, not flowering)		leaves clasp stem, rosette = 12"	
✓ Pteridium	1	18"		
✓ Adonis	1	36"		
✓ Potentilla anserina	Seldom	12"		
✓ Silene unifolia	- Scattered	16"		

# GRAZING IMPACTS FIELD DATA SHEET

SITE: Humboldt Rd. DATE 7-27-03 BY: RB  
 STRATA: Willow Scrub Marsh Edge Marsh Spiraea/Ledum  
 Malus/Azalea Other: Grass/Openings

CIRCULAR PLOT # 19 (30 ft. diameter; 15 ft. radius)  
 LOCATION: center = 9 ft. from baseline 55 ft. @ 75°

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_  
 SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES  
 Overstory: Total overstory = 10%

✓ <i>Myrica</i>	1	10'	
✓ <i>Agnus rubra</i>	Solitary	6'	
✓ <i>Rhamnus</i>	1	12'	
✓ <i>Malus</i>	1	20'	
✓ <i>Spiraea</i>	1	6'	

Understory:			
✓ <i>Rubus ursinus</i>	3	24"	<i>Carex obnupta</i> 2 36"
✓ <i>Aster chilensis</i>	3	24"	✓ <i>Agrostis</i> sp. Scattered 24"
✓ <i>Lotus formosissima</i>	Scattered	24"	✓ <i>Rechitites</i> Seldom 36"
✓ <i>Sanguisorba</i>	3	24"	✓ <i>Cotoneaster</i> Solitary 18"
✓ <i>Lotus cornic.</i>	1	24"	✓ <i>Doschampsia</i> Scattered 36"
✓ <i>Pteridium</i>	2	24"	✓ <i>Plantago lanceolata</i> 1 4" not
✓ <i>Anthoxanthum</i>	2	36"	✓ <i>Juncus effusus</i> Scattered 18" <i>florifer</i>
✓ <i>Folcus</i>	Seldom	36"	<i>Endemic</i>
✓ <i>Prunella vulgaris</i>	Scattered	12"	
✓ <i>Potentilla anserina</i>	3	24"	

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 19A LOCATION FROM CENTER: N corner is 8.5' @ 0°  
 (azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_  
 SPECIES COVER CLASS AVG. HT. NOTES

Overstory:	<u>total overstory = 0</u>		<u>plot placed for</u> <u><i>Sanguisorba</i></u>

Understory:			
✓ <i>Rubus ursinus</i>	4	24"	
✓ <i>Sanguisorba officinalis</i>	3	24"	
✓ <i>Lotus corniculatus</i> (Type)	1	24"	
✓ <i>Pteridium</i>	1	24"	
✓ <i>Anthoxanthum</i>	1	36"	
✓ <i>Carex obnupta</i>	2	36"	
✓ <i>Potentilla anserina</i>	2	24"	
✓ <i>Doschampsia caespitosa</i>	Scattered	36"	
✓ <i>Equisetum</i>	Scattered	24"	
<i>Thlaspi perfoliatum</i>			

INTERIOR QUADRAT # 19B LOCATION FROM CENTER:

(azimuth and distance to nearest quadrat corner from circular plot center)

7.5 ft @ 260° to E. corner

to W. corner = 15.5' @ 230°

PHOTOPOINT: Azimuth From / To Circular Plot Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIES	COVER CLASS	AVG. HT.	NOTES
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Overstory:

✓ <i>Azalea</i>	1	6'	<del>placed</del>
✓ <i>Myrica</i>	1	8'	PLOT
✓ <i>Mallis</i>	3	20'	for CANN
✓ <i>Rhamnus</i>	1	6'	

Understory:

✓ <i>Calamagrostis nikaensis</i>	46	48"
✓ <i>Pteridium</i>	31	36"
✓ <i>Rubus urceus</i>	2	24"
✓ <i>Holcus</i>	scattered	24"
✓ <i>Equisetum</i>	Seldom	24"
✓ <i>Potentilla anserina</i>	Seldom	24"

Cover Class Values:

solitary

very scattered; seldom

1 = 1 - 4%

2 = 5 - 10%

3 = 11 - 25%

4 = 26 - 33%

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6 = 51 - 75%

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Target Species:*Lilium occidentale**Trientalis arctica**Lathyrus palustris**Viola palustris**Sanguisorba officinalis**Carex leptalea, C. viridula,**C. lyngbyei, C. praticola**Plantathera leucostachys**Epipactis gigantea**Hierochloe odorata*

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**ATTACHMENT 2**

**2003 SPREADSHEET DATA FILES ON CD  
PRE-GRAZING MONITORING  
HUMBOLDT ROAD WEST AND  
HUMBOLDT ROAD SITES**

**TABLE 1. Locations of Circular Plots and Interior Quadrats for Grazing Impacts Monitoring, Humboldt Road West and Humboldt Road Sites, CCMWA.** Circular plots and reference baselines are mapped in Figures 2 and 3. For each interior quadrat, the closest corner to the center of the circular plot is given first, followed by its corresponding diagonal corner; (E) = the eastern corner of the quadrat, (W) = western, etc.

Circular Plot #	Stratum	Baseline UTM Coordinates easting / northing	Location of Circular Plot Center (easting / northing; relative to baseline)	Interior Quadrat A		Interior Quadrat B (6 ft. x 6 ft.)
				(6 ft. x 6 ft.)	(6 ft. x 6 ft.)	
1	Marsh Edge	403326 / 4621764 403347 / 4621743 0' = SE end; 100' = NW end	403347 / 4621743 X=0, Y=0 on western lily census monitoring grid	6.5 ft. @ 60° (E) 12.0 ft. @ 280° (W)	9.0 ft. @ 165° (N) 17.0 ft. @ 350° (S)	
2	Marsh Edge	same as Plot #1	403337 / 4621746 X=38.5, Y=13 on census monitoring grid	10.0 ft. @ 260° (S) 17.0 ft. @ 280° (N)	10.0 ft. @ 160° (N) 17.0 ft. @ 150° (S)	
3	Scrub	same as Plot #1	403332 / 4621761 X=75, Y= -16 on census monitoring grid	7.0 ft. @ 225° (N) 12.0 ft. @ 170° (S)	7.5 ft. @ 350° (E) 15.5 ft. @ 330° (W)	
4	Marsh	same as Plot #1	403332 / 4621737 X=38.5, Y=46 on census monitoring grid	8.0 ft. unrecorded 14.0 ft. unrecorded	6.0 ft. @ 195° (W) 12.5 ft. @ 150° (E)	
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5	Scrub	403274 / 4621730 403287 / 4621740 0' = SW end; 57' = NE end	403280 / 4621749 50 ft. @ 340° from 42.5 ft. on baseline	7.7 ft. @ 85° (SW) 15.5 ft. @ 45° (NE)	15.0 ft @ 120° (NE) 23.0 ft. @ 125° (SW)	
6	Marsh Edge	same as Plot #5	403286 / 4621738 25 ft. @ 135° from 32.0 ft. on baseline	5.5 ft. @ 110° (SW) 8.0 ft. @ 5° (NE)	6.5 ft. @ 210° (NE) 15.0 ft. @ 180° (SW)	
7	Marsh	same as Plot #5	403289 / 4621721 55 ft. @ 140° from 31.0 ft. on baseline	12.5 ft. @ 290° (E) 15.0 ft. @ 280° (W)		
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8	Marsh Edge	403393 / 4621738 403402 / 4621732 0' = NW end; 61' = SE end	403399 / 4621727 9.5 ft. @ 205° from 14.5 ft. on baseline	6.0 ft. @ 350° (S) 14.5 ft. @ 355° (N)	3.5 ft. @ 145° (NE) 12.0 ft. @ 145° (SW)	
9	Marsh	same as Plot #8	403397 / 4621719 40 ft. @ 200° from 19 ft. on baseline	6.5 ft. @ 5° (S) 15.0 ft. @ 5° (N)	6.0 ft. @ 125° (NW) 14.5 ft. @ 125° (SE)	
10	Scrub	same as Plot #8	403392 / 4621744 35 ft. @ 340° from 5.5 ft. on baseline (at base of alder inside shrub thicket)	circle center (W) 8.5 ft. @ 70° (E)	6.5 ft. @ 340° (SE) 15.0 ft. @ 340° (NW)	

**TABLE 1 (con't.). Locations of Circular Plots and Interior Quadrats for Grazing Impacts Monitoring, Humboldt Road West and Humboldt Road Sites, CCMWA.** Circular plots and reference baselines are mapped in Figures 2 and 3. For each interior quadrat, the closest corner to the center of the circular plot is given first, followed by its corresponding diagonal corner; (E) = the eastern corner of the quadrat, (W) = western, etc.

<b>Circular Plot #</b>	<b>Stratum</b>	<b>Baseline UTM Coordinates</b>	<b>Location of Circular Plot Center</b>	<b>Interior Quadrat A</b>	<b>Interior Quadrat B</b>
		eastng / northing	(eastng / northing; relative to baseline)	(6 ft. x 6 ft.)	(6 ft. x 6 ft.)
11	Marsh Edge	403451 / 4621720 403464 / 4621718 0'=W end; 40'=E end	403461 / 4621719 1.5 ft. @ 180° from 31.5 ft. on baseline	6.0 ft. @ 345° (S) 14.5 ft. @ 345° (N)	circle center (W) 8.5 ft. @ 90° (E) (= baseline @ 40.0 ft. (E))
12	Marsh	same as Plot #11	403457 / 4621712 30 ft. @ 190° from 22 ft. on baseline	5.5 ft. @ 10° (S) 14.0 ft. @ 10° (N)	circle center (W) 8.5 ft. @ 120° (E)
13	Scrub	same as Plot #11	403461 / 4621729 33 ft. @ 5° from 30.5 ft. on baseline	5.0 ft. @ 220° (N) 8.5 ft. @ 310° (W)	circle center (E) unrecorded
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14	Marsh Edge	403480 / 4621724 403490 / 4621725 0'=W end; 36'=E end	403485 / 462172 43.5 ft. @ 170° from 20.5 ft. on baseline	circle center (SE) 8.5 ft. @ 275° (NW)	5.5 ft. @ 105° (W) 14.0 ft. @ 105° (E)
15	Marsh	same as Plot #15	403489 / 4621713 36 ft. @ 160° from 20 ft. on baseline	circle center (W) 8.5 ft. @ 55° (E)	5.5 ft. @ 340° (S) 14.0 ft. @ 340° (N)
16	Scrub	same as Plot #15	403492 / 4621734 33 ft. @ 30° from 21 ft. on baseline	circle center (S) 8.5 ft. @ 35° (N)	12.5 ft. @ 260° (N) 14.5 ft. @ 225° (S)
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17	Scrub	403816 / 4621933 403821 / 4621908 0'=S end; 116'=N end	403815 / 4621927 10 ft. @ 265° from 95 ft. on baseline (baseline is the census monitoring transect)	circle center (SE) 8.5 ft. @ 345° (NW)	2.5 ft. @ 105° (W) 11.0 ft. @ 105° (E)
18	Scrub	same as Plot #17	403814 / 4621917 27 ft. @ 300° from 35 ft. on baseline (baseline is the census monitoring transect)	7.0 ft. @ 305° (E) 15.0 ft. @ 290° (W) *Interior Quadrat C: 14.0 ft. @ 225° (N) 22.5 ft. @ 200° (S)	6.0 ft. @ 120° (W) 14.5 ft. @ 120° (E)
19	Opening	same as Plot #17	403820 / 462191 99 ft @ 75° from 55 ft. on baseline (baseline is the census monitoring transect)	circle center (S) 8.5 ft. @ 0° (N)	7.5 ft. @ 260° (E) 15.5 ft. @ 230° (W)

TABLE 2 (cont'd): Pre-Grazing Baseline Data for Grazing Impacts Monitoring Plots: Species Cover, Height, and Frequency, Humboldt Road West Site, CCMWA, July 24, 25, and 27, 2003.

(Plots grouped by stratum; cov. = cover class value\*; ht. = average height (inches); avg. cov. (%), avg. ht. (in.), and frequency (%) were calculated within each stratum.)

Plot Number:	1	1A	1B	2	2A	2B	6	6A	6B	8	8A	8B						
Stratum:	Marsh Edge																	
Species	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.													
<i>Agrostis sp.</i>										1	24			1	24			
<i>Alnus rubra</i>	1	216																
<i>Alnus viridis ssp. sinuata</i>																		
<i>Angelica genuflexa</i>					SE	72								SO	30	SO	30	
<i>Anthoxanthum odoratum</i>																		
<i>Aster chilensis</i>																		
<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i>	2	42			SO	12	3	60	2	54		1	18	1	24	2	18	
<i>Bare ground</i>					SE				2								2	
<i>Blechnum spicant</i>																		
<i>Calamagrostis nutkaensis</i>											1	36						
<i>Carex aquatilis var. dives</i>														6	40	1	40	
<i>Carex buxbaumii</i>	2	42												SE	18			
<i>Carex cusickii</i>																		
<i>Carex obnupta</i>	4	42	1	30	7	36	5	60	7	60	6	48	2	36	3	36	1	36
<i>Carex vesicaria</i>														2	40	2	40	
<i>Cornus sericea</i>																	3	
<i>Danthonia decumbens</i>	SE		24	SE		24												
<i>Deschampsia caespitosa</i>																		
<i>Disporum smithii</i>																		
<i>Eleocharis sp.</i>	3	12	3	18	2	12									2	18	2	12
<i>Epipactis gigantea</i>																		
<i>Equisetum telmateia</i>											1	10						
<i>Erechtites minima</i>																		
<i>Galium sp.</i>																		
<i>Gaultheria shallon</i>																		
<i>Holcus lanatus</i>																		
<i>Hypericum sp.</i>																		
<i>Hypochaeris radicata</i>																		
<i>Juncus sp.</i>																		
<i>Juncus effusus</i>	2	42	2	36		SE		36			2	36	3	36	3	40	1	36
<i>Lathyrus palustris</i>	1	24	SE	18		1	60	1	48	SE	30			1	18	SE	36	SE

	11	11A	11B	14	14A	14B	CIRCLES			QUADRATS					
ht.	Marsh Edge		Marsh Edge				avg.	avg.	avg.	avg.					
	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	freq.				
							<1	24	0.17 <1	24	0.08				
							<1	216	0.17	0	0	0			
							0	0	0	0	0	0			
							<1	51	0.33 <1	30	0.08				
							0	0	0	0	0	0			
							0	0	0	0	0	0			
							5	39	0.67	2	25	0.42			
1	1	1	2	1	36	1	40	1	2	0.67	3	0.5			
							0	0	0	0	0	0			
					SE	48	1	48	<1	42	0.33 <1	48	0.08		
40	5	40		3	36	3	48	3	48	21	43	0.5	6	42	0.42
	1	24		1	30				2	28	0.5 <1	30	0.08		
	1	40	1	36					<1	41	0.17 <1	36	0.08		
40	1	30	2	30	3	36			15	42	0.83	30	39	0.83	
									0	0	0	0	0	0	0
									0	0	0	0	0	0	0
									<1	24	0.17 <1	24	0.08		
									0	0	0	0	0	0	0
									0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	2	10	2	6					6	13	0.5	4	12	0.42	
									0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	1	18		1	8				<1	14	0.33 <1	8	0.08		
									0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SE		6 SE		6					<1	6	0.17 <1	6	0.08		
									0	0	0	0	0	0	0
									0	0	0	0	0	0	0
									0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	1	36							4	37	0.83	11	34	0.42	
24	1	24		1	48	1	42	1	40	2	35	0.83 <1	34	0.58	

\*Cover Class Values: SO = solitary, SE = seldom or scattered, 1 = 1-4%, 2 = 5-10%, 3 = 11-25%, 4 = 26-33%, 5 = 34-50%, 6 = 51-75%, 7 = 76-90%, 8 = 91-100%.

															<1	21	0.33 <1	21	0.17	
															<1	45	0.33 <1	36	0.08	
															<1	54	0.17 <1	60	0.08	
															<1	66	0.33	0	0	
SE	48														1	42	0.67 <1	27	0.33	
															0	0	0	0	0	
18	1	16	1	6	SE	12									1	12	0.83	2	12	0.67
12	2	24	2	20	2	12	2	36	3	36	1	24	4	30	0.83	4	19	0.58		
															<1	6	0.17 <1	6	0.08	
															0	0	0	0	0	
															<1	108	0.17	0	0	0
															<1	216	0.17	2	120	0.08
															0	0	0	0	0	
12	1	12	1	12	1	12									3	23	0.83	5	21	0.83
12	2	36	1	16	2	24	2	36	1	36	2	36	7	31	0.83	3	26	0.58		
															0	0	0	0	0	
															2	42	0.5 <1	24	0.17	
															<1	10	0.17	0	0	0
															<1	66	0.33	0	0	0
1	60						2	60							6	70	0.83	4	60	0.08
															0	0	0	0	0	
															0	0	0	0	0	
															0	0	0	0	0	
															1	34	0.5 <1	34	0.25	
2	72						3	60	3	66	1	48	6	61	0.83	2	57	0.17		
24	1	18			1	12	1	24	1	18	1	20	2	25	100	3	23	0.83		
															<1	19	0.33 <1	19	0.17	
42	5	42	3	36	5	36	5	50	2	48	3	54	28	48	100	25	40	100		
															0	0	0	0	0	
															<1	6	0.33 <1	6	0.17	
3	1	4	1	4	1	4									<1	4	0.33 <1	4	0.25	
															<1	9	0.33 <1	13	0.25	

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Plot Number:	3	3A		3B		5	5A		5B		10		10A		10B		13		13A		13B	
Stratum:		Scrub					Scrub															
Species	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	
<i>Agrostis</i> sp.																						
<i>Alnus rubra</i>							5	240	5	240	1	132	2	240	3	240	2	240				
<i>Alnus viridis</i> ssp. <i>sinuata</i>	1	84	1	72																		
<i>Angelica genuflexa</i>	SE		36	SE		36																
<i>Anthoxanthum odoratum</i>																						
<i>Aster chilensis</i>							SE		24		SE		24									
<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i>	SE		3		SO		3	1	48	1	36	2	42	1	48	1	12	1	18			
<i>Bare ground</i>	1				7			3		2		1		2		3		3		1	2	3
<i>Blechnum spicant</i>								1	12	SE		12			1	20	1	12	SO		8	
<i>Calamagrostis nutkaensis</i>																						
<i>Carex aquatilis</i> var. <i>dives</i>																						
<i>Carex buxbaumii</i>																						
<i>Carex cusickii</i>																						
<i>Carex obnupta</i>	1	36	1	42	2	1	4	60	6	48	6	48	3	48	4	60	2	42	5	48	4	48
<i>Carex vesicaria</i>																						
<i>Cornus sericea</i>																						
<i>Danthonia decumbens</i>																						
<i>Deschampsia caespitosa</i>																						
<i>Disporum smithii</i>															SE		6		SO		4	
<i>Eleocharis</i> sp.	2	12	2	12																		
<i>Epipactis gigantea</i>																						
<i>Equisetum telmateia</i>																				1	12	
<i>Erechtites minima</i>																						
<i>Galium</i> sp.																						
<i>Gaultheria shallon</i>	1	42	2	42																1	48	
<i>Holcus lanatus</i>	SE		18	SE		18																
<i>Hypericum</i> sp.																						
<i>Hypochaeris radicata</i>																						
<i>Juncus</i> sp.																						
<i>Juncus effusus</i>	1	36	1	36																		
<i>Lathyrus palustris</i>																				1	36	

16		16A		16B		CIRCLES			QUADRATS			
Scrub						avg.	avg.	avg.	avg.	avg.	avg.	
ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	freq.	cov	ht.	freq.		
						0	0	0	0	0		
						10	240	0.4	7	213	0.4	
						<1	84	0.2	<1	72	0.1	
						<1	36	0.2	<1	36	0.1	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
						<1	24	0.2	<1	24	0.1	
1	30					2	32	0.8	2	22	0.5	
2		3		2		8		100	18		0.9	
						1	16	0.4	<1	11	0.3	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
48	3	54	3	54	3	54	22	49	100	28	45	100
							0	0	0	0	0	0
1	120					<1		120	0.2	0	0	0
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
						<1	6	0.2	<1	4	0.1	
						2	12	0.2	<1	12	0.1	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
						<1	12	0.2	0	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
						<1	42	0.4	1	45	0.1	
						<1	18	0.2	<1	18	0.1	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
						<1	36	0.2	<1	36	0.1	
1	48					1	48	1	42	0.4	<1	
								48	48	0.1		

*Lathyrus* sp. (2-leaflet)*Ledum glandulosum*

1 36 2 48

*Lilium occidentale*

1 48 1 48 1 2

*Lonicera involucrata* var. *lebedourii*

1 60

1 96

*Lotus corniculatus**Lotus formosissimus**Lycopus uniflora*

SE

8 SE

8

*Lysichiton americanum**Maianthemum dilatatum*

1 5 SE

6

1

4

1

6

1

6

1 60

1

40

3

48

3

48

3

*Malus fusca*

2 144

3

72 SE

4

5

240

5

240

1

120

5

240

2

180

6

180

4

120

3

*Myrica californica*

3 120

2

96

3

180

*Picea sitchensis*

1 144 SO

60

5

240

*Polystichum munitum**Potentilla anserina* ssp. *pacifica**Potentilla palustris**Prunella vulgaris**Pteridium aquilinum*

1 48

1

48

*Ranunculus repens**Rhamnus purshiana*

1 144

2

144

2

240

1

108

3

180

5

96

1

96

1

96

2

84

*Rhododendron occidentalis*

2 72

3

72

6

96

2

120

*Rosa* sp.

1 36

1

36

*Rubus discolor**Rubus spectabilis**Rubus ursinus*

1 24

1

24

*Salix* spp.*Sanguisorba officinalis*

3 96

*Solidago* sp.*Spiraea douglasii*

1 12 SE

12

Standing water

*Trientalis arctica**Viola adunca**Viola palustris*

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							0	0	0	0	0	0
2	60	1	60	1	60	2	48	0.4	1	56	0.3	
					<1		48	0.2	<1	25	0.2	
1	120					2	92	0.6	0	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
					<1		10	0.4	<1	6	0.2	
48	2	48	1	60	3	36	6	52	0.6	6	46	0.5
						2	6	0.6	<1	6	0.4	
120	3	180	3	180	2	96	28	197	100	21	131	100
120	1	120				5	120	0.6	3	132	0.3	
2	180					2	162	0.4	4	150	0.2	
						6	45	0.4	1	42	0.3	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
					<1		48	0.2	<1	48	0.1	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
						6	188	0.6	5	111	0.4	
2	72	2	120	3	60	7	96	100	10	62	0.7	
1	48					1	42	0.4	<1	36	0.1	
						<1		10	0.2	0	0	
						<1		60	0.2	<1	30	0.1
						2	36	0.8	1	26	0.4	
96	3	180	3	180		14	159	0.8	7	124	0.3	
						1	24	0.4	<1	18	0.2	
84	2	60	1	108	4	60	6	67	100	6	74	0.6
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	
						0	0	0	0	0	0	

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15A		15B		CIRCLES		QUADRATS				
ht.	cov.	ht.	cov.	ht.	avg.	freq.	cov.	ht.	avg.	freq.
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
36		1	20	<1	36	0.2	<1	20	0.11	
	1	1			3		0.6	5		0.56
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
48	5	40	4	48	75	44	100	59	42	100
					0	0	0	0	0	0
50					1	50	0.4	0	0	0
				<1		41	0.4	<1	42	0.11
				2	30	0.2	2	36		0.11
				0	0	0	0	0	0	0
				0	0	0	0	0	0	0
				0	0	0	0	0	0	0
				0	0	0	0	0	0	0
				<1	6	0.2	<1	6		0.11
				0	0	0	0	0	0	0
				<1	10	0.2	<1	10		0.11
				0	0	0	0	0	0	0
				0	0	0	0	0	0	0
				0	0	0	0	0	0	0
				0	0	0	0	0	0	0
				0	0	0	0	0	0	0
46	1	24	1	36	<1	46	0.2	<1	3	0.22

<i>Lathyrus</i> sp. (2-leaflet)																										
<i>Ledum glandulosum</i>									1	46																
<i>Lilium occidentale</i>																										
<i>Lonicera involucrata</i> var. <i>lebedourii</i>																										
<i>Lotus corniculatus</i>																										
<i>Lotus formosissimus</i>																										
<i>Lycopus uniflora</i>																										
<i>Lysichiton americanum</i>	SE	18	SO	18					1	20			SO	12	1	18		1	24	1						
<i>Maianthemum dilatatum</i>																										
<i>Malus fusca</i>																										
<i>Myrica californica</i>																										
<i>Picea sitchensis</i>																										
<i>Polystichum munitum</i>																										
<i>Potentilla anserina</i> ssp. <i>pacifica</i>	1	36	SE	36	1	24			1	10	1	10	SE	6	1	12	1	24	1	10	1					
<i>Potentilla palustris</i>	1	36	SE	36	1	30	1	24	1	24	3	40	2	40	3	30	3	42	2	24	1	46	3			
<i>Prunella vulgaris</i>																										
<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i>																										
<i>Ranunculus repens</i>																										
<i>Rhamnus purshiana</i>																										
<i>Rhododendron occidentalis</i>																										
<i>Rosa</i> sp.																										
<i>Rubus discolor</i>																										
<i>Rubus spectabilis</i>																										
<i>Rubus ursinus</i>																										
<i>Salix</i> spp.															2	48				SO						
<i>Sanguisorba officinalis</i>															1	30										
<i>Solidago</i> sp.																										
<i>Spiraea douglasii</i>														2	40	2	42	SE	30	2	42	2	48	3	48	4
<i>Standing water, no vegetation</i>	SE			2		2		2									1				2					
<i>Trientalis arctica</i>																										
<i>Veronica</i> sp.	1	30																								
<i>Viola adunca</i>																										
<i>Viola palustris</i>																										

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					0	0	0	0	0	0
			<1		46	0.2	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
30	1	24	1	24	2	22	0.8	1	20	0.56
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
24	2	18			2	21	0.8	2	18	0.78
40	3	34	2	36	12	36	100	7	33	100
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
120					2	84	0.4	0	0	0
			<1		30	0.2	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
45	3	42	3	48	9	42	0.6	8	43	0.67
					2		0.6	3		0.33
					0	0	0	0	0	0
			<1		30	0.2	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0
					0	0	0	0	0	0

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19A

19B

cov. ht. cov. ht.

1 36

6 48

2 36

SE 36

SE 24 SE 24

SE 24

<i>Lathyrus</i> sp. (2-leaflet)													0	0	0	0	0	0			
<i>Ledum glandulosum</i>													0	0	0	0	0	0			
<i>Lilium occidentale</i>	SE	40 SO	16 SE	40 SE	8 SE	6 SE	8			1	24	100 <1	18	0.8							
<i>Lonicera involucrata</i> var. <i>lebedourii</i>	SO	60		1	60					<1	60	0.5 <1	60	0.2							
<i>Lotus corniculatus</i>				SE	12				1	18 <1	12	0.5 <1	18	0.2		1	24				
<i>Lotus formosissimus</i>										0	0	0	0	0	0	SE	24				
<i>Lycopus uniflora</i>										0	0	0	0	0	0						
<i>Lysichiton americanum</i>										0	0	0	0	0	0						
<i>Maianthemum dilatatum</i>				SE	6	SE	6		<1	6	0.5 <1	6	0.2								
<i>Malus fusca</i>				SO	240				<1	240	0.5	0	0	0		1	240				
<i>Myrica californica</i>	1	240			3	120	2	72		11	180	100	2	72	0.2		1	120			
<i>Picea sitchensis</i>	1	480			2	370	5	360	5	360	3	480	5	425	100	20	400	0.6			
<i>Plantago lanceolata</i>										0	0	0	0	0	0		1	4			
<i>Polystichum munitum</i>										0	0	0	0	0	0						
<i>Potentilla anserina</i> ssp. <i>pacifica</i>	SE	24		SE	12		SE	12	1	18	100 <1	12	0.2			3	24				
<i>Potentilla palustris</i>										0	0	0	0	0	0						
<i>Prunella vulgaris</i>	1	3								1	3	0.5	0	0	0	SE	12				
<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i>	2	36	2	36	1	36	2	30 SO	12 SO	12	1	18	8	33	100	3	22	100	2	24	
<i>Ranunculus repens</i>										0	0	0	0	0	0						
<i>Rhamnus purshiana</i>	2	240	3	240	1	120	5	240	2	240	3	240	1	120	25	240	100	10	192	100	
<i>Rhododendron occidentalis</i>	3	60	3	60	2	72	2	72	2	72	3	60	1	60	13	66	100	11	65	100	
<i>Rosa</i> sp.										0	0	0	0	0	0						
<i>Rubus discolor</i>										0	0	0	0	0	0						
<i>Rubus spectabilis</i>										0	0	0	0	0	0						
<i>Rubus ursinus</i>	2	24	2	6	2	30	2	3	1	3	1	6	3	24	8	14	100	8	14	100	
<i>Salix</i> spp.										0	0	0	0	0	0						
<i>Sanguisorba officinalis</i>					1	16 SE		6		1	18	1	16	0.5 <1	12	0.4		3	24		
<i>Solidago</i> sp.										0	0	0	0	0	0						
<i>Spiraea douglasii</i>	3	60	5	60	6	72 SE		12	SE	12	1	18	10	36	100	22	41	0.8		1	72
<i>Standing water</i>										0	0	0	0	0	0						
<i>Trientalis arctica</i>										0	0	0	0	0	0						
<i>Viola adunca</i>										0	0	0	0	0	0						
<i>Viola palustris</i>										0	0	0	0	0	0						

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1 24

3 240  
1 96

2 24 SE 24

1 24 1 36  
1 72  
1 72

4 24 2 24  
3 24



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**ATTACHMENT 3**

**2003 PHOTOGRAPHS OF CIRCULAR PLOTS  
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**Note: Not provided with final report**