

Table 29. Location, sample size, and general information of areas containing permanent plots.

Area	<i>n</i>	Sample years	Goat ^a removal years	C.T.'s (<i>n</i>) ^b	Site selection	Source of selected and nonselected species	Samples per year	Estimated annual precipitation (cm)
Klahhane Ridge	6	1983–86 1988 1990	1981–85 1988–89	2	Sites with high (2) and low (4) initial levels of goat use	Pfitsch and Bliss (1985)	3	110
Mount Dana	5	1984–86 1990 1992	1983 1985 1988–89	5	One plot in each of 5 community types delineated by TWINSpan using 1983 data	Plant community survey (<i>n</i> = 189)	1	400
Avalanche Canyon	6	1988–92	1988–89	4	Sites selected to represent Avalanche Canyon area	Plant community survey plots (<i>n</i> = 16); no species fit the selected category	2	175

^aMountain goat (*Oreamnos americanus*).

^bC.T.'s (*n*) = number of plant community types.