

I. RIVER AREA INVENTORY FORM

A. General information

1. Name of River

Henry's Fork of the Snake River

2. Location of study unit

Henry's Lake to the Ashton power plan, including the fork that starts at Big Springs.

3. State

Idaho

4. County

Fremont

5. Major drainage basin

SNAKE RIVER (COLUMBIA RIVER BASIN)

6. Population within 50 miles 116,000; 150 miles 524,000; 250 miles 1,781,000.

7. Weather characteristics by seasons and inclusive dates when study unit is best suited for public use and normal weather conditions during that period.

Summer recreation season from mid-May to October. Temperature averages around 80° in the summer with lows of 55°. Thunder storms are not uncommon during the summer months.

B. Description and characteristics of river

1. Number of miles in study unit

65 miles, approximately

2. Width characteristics

The river at the outlet of Island Park Reservoir is about 125 feet wide. This width is fairly constant until coming out from the canyon at the conjunction with Warm River. The river increases in



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WYOMING

WEST
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