

TABLE 1

Ecological Site Inventory

STATE	Acres Inventoried This Fiscal Year using the Ecological Site Inventory (ESI) /a/	Total Acres Inventoried to Date Using the Ecological Site Inventory (ESI) Method or Soil Vegetation Inventory Method (SVIM) /b/
ARIZONA	74,017	6,052,698
CALIFORNIA	0	1,242,638
COLORADO	100,316	3,654,146
IDAHO	0	8,473,560
MONTANA/DAKOTAS	179,397	5,596,452
NEVADA	241,010	17,616,786
NEW MEXICO	0	9,492,343
OREGON/WASHINGTON	0	7,618,922
UTAH	40,000	13,178,852
WYOMING	0	10,404,901
BLM TOTAL	634,740	83,331,298

/a/ Acres reported here represent acres inventoried with ESI, and include acres which have been categorized as: 1) Potential Natural Community, 2) Late Seral, 3) Mid Seral, 4) Early Seral, and 5) Unclassified (because they could not be categorized to seral stage).

/b/ Acres reported here only include acres categorized as to seral stage (Potential Natural Community, Late Seral, Mid Seral, and Early Seral).

The ESI or SVIM acres that were previously categorized as Unclassified, in reports previous to Fiscal Year 2004, are now included in a category of inventory called "Uncategorized", in Table 2A below.

TABLE 2

A. Rangeland Inventories

	Total Acres Available to be Inventoried	Ecological Site Inventory (ESI) /a/	Seedings /b/	Ephemeral /c/	Annual Grassland /d/	Annual Invasive/Exotic /e/	Uncategorized /f/
ARIZONA	11,489,994	6,052,698	0	744,875	0	0	4,692,421
CALIFORNIA	8,149,773	1,242,638	31,206	502,371	547,187	150,500	5,675,871
COLORADO	7,772,290	3,654,146	244,133	0	0	0	3,874,011
IDAHO	11,738,283	8,473,560	1,749,287	0	0	341,776	1,173,660
MONTANA/DAKOTAS	8,203,653	5,596,452	244,063	0	0	0	2,363,138
NEVADA	45,694,164	17,616,786	788,561	0	0	0	27,288,817
NEW MEXICO	12,570,539	9,492,343	4,500	0	0	0	3,073,696
OREGON/WASHINGTON	13,748,204	7,618,922	996,681	0	0	32	5,132,569
UTAH	21,893,252	13,178,852	838,209	0	0	17,254	7,858,937
WYOMING	17,634,110	10,404,901	2,547,937	1,329,038	481,541	18,923	2,851,770
BLM TOTAL	158,894,262	83,331,298	7,444,577	2,576,284	1,028,728	528,485	63,984,890

/a/ Same as footnote /b/ in Table 1.

/b/ Acres reported here are for non-native or native seedings. It's important to keep reporting to the public how many acres of seedings we administer, because segments of the public are interested in this, but the public typically does not ask what the conditions of the seedings are. We are eliminating the reporting of Excellent, Good, Fair, and Poor for Seedings. We are eliminating the Nonnative Public Rangeland label for seedings because some seedings now and in the future could be native seedings.

/c/ Ephemeral rangelands typically have very low carrying capacity, yet can produce short-lived, abundant forage in response to favorable climatic conditions. Ephemeral rangelands do not produce sufficient forage to allocate for livestock grazing on a sustained yield basis, yet may periodically produce forage suitable for livestock grazing for short periods of time. BLM can designate allotments or areas as ephemeral rangelands and manage them for ephemeral grazing use under the authority of the Ephemeral Range Special Rule applicable for the hot desert regions of Arizona, California, Nevada, and Utah.

/d/ Acres categorized as Annual Grassland primarily refer to the Mediterranean annual rangelands in California, which differ from perennial rangelands because they are primarily occupied by annual plants.

/e/ Acres categorized as Annual Invasive/Exotic primarily refer to rangelands which have transitioned to species such as cheatgrass, medusahead, red brome, and are dominated by these species to the extent that they no longer have the capacity to proceed successional to a higher seral status on their own.

/f/ Acres in Uncategorized include: 1) acres categorized as Unclassified in Ecological Site Inventory in reports previous to Fiscal Year 2004; 2) acres categorized as Professional Judgement in reports previous to Fiscal Year 2004; 3) acres categorized as Other in reports previous to Fiscal Year 2004; and 4) acres yet to be inventoried and cannot be categorized into any of the categories in this table.

B. Ecological Site Inventory

	Total ESI acres /a/	Potential Natural Community	Late Seral	Mid Seral	Early Seral
ARIZONA	6,052,698	508,398	2,640,706	2,275,216	628,378
CALIFORNIA	1,242,638	39,579	260,892	553,489	388,678
COLORADO	3,654,146	241,607	1,001,398	1,495,935	915,206
IDAHO	8,473,560	227,412	2,074,269	3,247,827	2,924,052
MONTANA/DAKOTAS	5,596,452	412,006	3,652,013	1,448,450	83,983
NEVADA	17,616,786	741,433	6,761,796	8,047,070	2,066,487
NEW MEXICO	9,492,343	352,208	2,267,428	4,052,010	2,820,697
OREGON/WASHINGTON	7,618,922	70,515	2,092,624	4,493,043	962,740
UTAH	13,178,852	1,584,776	3,896,157	5,910,463	1,787,456
WYOMING	10,404,901	2,809,820	3,953,670	3,083,602	557,809
BLM TOTAL	83,331,298	6,987,754	28,600,953	34,607,105	13,135,486

/a/ Same as footnote /b/ in Table 1.

Stewardship Report	
Ecological Condition	
Potential Natural Community	8.4%
Late Seral	34.3%
Mid Seral	41.5%
Early Seral	15.8%
TOTAL	100%

PUBLIC LAND STATISTICS TABLE 2-1

PERCENT OF ACRES IN ECOLOGICAL STATUS
BY STATE - FISCAL YEAR 2005

PERCENT BY ECOLOGICAL STATUS /a/

	Percent Acres Inventoried	Potential Natural Community	Late Seral	Mid Seral	Early Seral
ARIZONA	53%	8%	44%	38%	10%
CALIFORNIA	15%	3%	21%	45%	31%
COLORADO	47%	7%	27%	41%	25%
IDAHO	72%	3%	24%	38%	35%
MONTANA/DAKOTAS	68%	7%	65%	26%	2%
NEVADA	39%	4%	38%	46%	12%
NEW MEXICO	76%	4%	24%	43%	30%
OREGON/WASHINGTON	55%	1%	27%	59%	13%
UTAH	60%	12%	30%	45%	14%
WYOMING	59%	27%	38%	30%	5%
BLM TOTAL	52%	8%	34%	42%	16%

/a/ Expressed in degree of similarity of present vegetation to the potential natural, or historic climax, plant community: Potential Natural Community = 76-100% similar, Late Seral = 51-75% similar, Mid Seral = 26-50% similar, Early Seral = 0-25% similar

TABLE 3

Monitored Rangeland Trend

	Total Federal	Up	Static	Down	Undetermined
ARIZONA	11,838,287	1,862,828	2,834,257	861,096	6,280,106
CALIFORNIA	746,968	403,431	272,354	59,409	11,774
COLORADO	6,595,712	1,038,705	1,532,703	430,367	3,593,937
IDAHO	10,930,469	2,289,373	5,846,722	1,181,320	1,613,054
MONTANA/DAKOTAS	4,431,634	1,341,888	1,574,530	194,111	1,321,105
NEVADA	33,073,289	2,530,570	12,965,842	5,972,785	11,604,092
NEW MEXICO	4,442,111	795,986	3,047,108	458,738	140,279
OREGON/WASHINGTON	12,360,134	3,665,790	7,115,232	651,223	927,889
UTAH	22,117,258	5,594,338	11,667,395	3,597,045	1,258,480
WYOMING	13,799,086	2,820,459	6,824,881	1,864,052	2,289,694
BLM TOTAL	120,334,948	22,343,368	53,681,024	15,270,146	29,040,410

TABLE 4

Allotment Categorization

STATE	TOTAL		CATEGORY I		CATEGORY M		CATEGORY C		UNCATEGORIZED	
	Allot	Acres	Allot	Acres	Allot	Acres	Allot	Acres	Allot	Acres
ARIZONA	824	11,489,994	203	5,023,094	142	3,401,529	478	3,016,194	1	49,177
CALIFORNIA	717	8,149,773	176	4,947,824	175	2,035,237	366	1,166,712	0	0
COLORADO	2,397	7,772,290	687	5,808,384	307	813,691	1,398	1,148,660	5	1,555
IDAHO	2,256	11,738,283	966	8,299,598	584	3,055,643	705	382,797	1	245
MONTANA/DAKOTAS	5,264	8,203,653	1,048	3,440,304	1,478	3,732,244	2,738	1,031,105	0	0
NEVADA	802	45,694,164	279	29,887,260	269	9,204,353	251	6,532,181	3	70,370
NEW MEXICO	2,293	12,570,539	605	6,854,333	849	4,403,543	838	1,312,077	1	586
OREGON/WASHINGTON	2,027	13,748,204	459	8,634,017	397	4,361,042	1,169	753,057	2	88
UTAH	1,464	21,893,252	634	13,178,355	363	6,927,017	459	1,683,492	8	104,388
WYOMING	3,491	17,634,110	849	11,592,607	792	4,361,151	1,848	1,666,275	2	14,077
BLM TOTAL	21,535	158,894,262	5,906	97,665,776	5,356	42,295,450	10,250	18,692,550	23	240,486

Note: 1) Allotments are categorized as I, M, or C during resource management planning. I allotments have the objective of "Improve the current resource condition".

M allotments have the objective of "Maintain the current resource condition". C allotments have the objective of "Custodially manage the existing resource values".

Source: Appendix 1 in BLM Manual 1622--Supplemental Program Guidance for Renewable Resources

2) The numbers of allotments in each category of I, M, and C can vary annually. Allotments can be moved from one category to another as new information becomes available, resource conditions change, or management activities are implemented (Source: Appendix 1 in BLM Manual 1622--Supplemental Program Guidance for Renewable Resources).

TABLE 5

Monitoring of Grazing Allotments

STATE	Cumulative Number of Allotments in which Monitoring Studies have been Established /a/		Allotments in which Monitoring Data were Collected During the Reporting Year		Allotments in which Monitoring Data were Evaluated During the Reporting Year		Allotments in which Decisions were Issued During the Reporting Year	
	Allot	Acres	Allot	Acres	Allot	Acres	Allot	Acres
ARIZONA	576	8,752,143	112	3,016,507	65	909,661	8	203,900
CALIFORNIA	336	7,492,891	123	2,953,814	36	498,361	16	430,819
COLORADO	1,219	7,133,734	342	2,329,445	104	598,067	145	819,837
IDAHO	1,061	9,603,012	427	4,871,192	147	477,399	155	1,209,322
MONTANA/DAKOTAS	2,292	5,982,585	403	1,663,711	368	1,511,664	592	1,240,137
NEVADA	690	43,401,177	210	18,567,108	47	3,640,402	14	1,943,104
NEW MEXICO	1,005	6,225,074	127	1,044,324	95	766,045	49	383,083
OREGON/WASHINGTON	1,442	11,987,969	450	8,379,426	38	333,998	27	255,218
UTAH	1,320	21,165,300	391	10,608,065	61	728,183	42	450,119
WYOMING	1,522	13,314,341	733	8,318,906	152	1,104,416	107	286,083
BLM TOTAL	11,463	135,058,226	3,318	61,752,498	1,113	10,568,196	1,155	7,221,622

/a/ Known as Total Established Monitoring Studies, in reports previous to Fiscal Year 2004.

TABLE 6

Allotment Management Plans or Other Applicable Activity Plans Intended to Serve as the Functional Equivalent of Allotment Management Plans

Number of Allotments and their Acreage, With and Without Allotment Management Plans or their Equivalent

STATE	TOTAL		With AMP or Equivalent		Without AMP or Equivalent	
	Allot	Acres	Allot	Acres	Allot	Acres
ARIZONA	824	11,489,994	274	5,010,269	550	6,479,725
CALIFORNIA	717	8,149,773	199	6,110,075	518	2,039,698
COLORADO	2,397	7,772,290	481	4,203,705	1,916	3,568,585
IDAHO	2,256	11,738,283	337	4,865,812	1,919	6,872,471
MONTANA/DAKOTAS	5,264	8,203,653	710	3,808,274	4,554	4,395,379
NEVADA	802	45,694,164	253	22,133,700	549	23,560,464
NEW MEXICO	2,293	12,570,539	348	4,578,362	1,945	7,992,177
OREGON/WASHINGTON	2,027	13,748,204	332	7,633,215	1,695	6,114,989
UTAH	1,464	21,893,252	388	10,091,927	1,076	11,801,325
WYOMING	3,491	17,634,110	440	7,460,292	3,051	10,173,818
BLM TOTAL	21,535	158,894,262	3,762	75,895,631	17,773	82,998,631

Note: The development of an Allotment Management Plan or its equivalent for a grazing allotment is discretionary (43 CFR §4120.2).

Grazing allotments without Allotment Management Plans or their equivalent are still undergoing resource management by the BLM.

TABLE 7

Standards for Rangeland Health

A. Current Year Accomplishments

	CATEGORY A - Rangelands meeting all standards or making significant progress toward meeting the standard		CATEGORY B - Rangelands not meeting all standards or making significant progress toward meeting the standards, but appropriate action has been taken to ensure significant progress toward meeting the standards (livestock is a significant factor).		CATEGORY C - Rangelands not meeting standards or making significant progress toward meeting the standards, and no appropriate action has been taken to ensure significant progress toward meeting the standards (livestock is a significant factor).		CATEGORY D - Rangelands not meeting all standards or making significant progress toward meeting the standards due to causes other than livestock grazing.		CATEGORY E - Total number of allotments that have been assessed	
	Allot No.	Acres	Allot No.	Acres	Allot No.	Acres	Allot No.	Acres	Allot No.	Acres
ARIZONA	62	892,630	0	0	3	16,741	0	0	65	909,371
CALIFORNIA	15	107,657	1	22,515	0	0	1	211,865	17	342,037
COLORADO	68	221,461	39	239,059	5	10,115	26	61,614	138	532,249
IDAHO	106	137,902	9	39,803	5	3,327	22	28,398	142	209,430
MONTANA/DAKOTAS	337	541,373	10	87,736	81	187,593	16	16,507	444	833,209
NEVADA	14	1,272,691	20	1,973,062	4	51,199	4	177,798	42	3,474,750
NEW MEXICO	45	537,104	0	0	2	39,108	0	0	47	576,212
OREGON/WASHINGTON	35	333,845	8	48,004	3	17,853	21	53,883	67	453,585
UTAH	56	877,845	5	132,856	7	129,780	2	76,672	70	1,217,153
WYOMING	125	629,108	9	46,445	6	159,755	23	33,006	163	868,314
BLM TOTAL	863	5,551,616	101	2,589,480	116	615,471	115	659,743	1,195	9,416,310

B. Cumulative Accomplishments

	CATEGORY A - Rangelands meeting all standards or making significant progress toward meeting the standard		CATEGORY B - Rangelands not meeting all standards or making significant progress toward meeting the standards, but appropriate action has been taken to ensure significant progress toward meeting the standards (livestock is a significant factor).		CATEGORY C - Rangelands not meeting standards or making significant progress toward meeting the standards, and no appropriate action has been taken to ensure significant progress toward meeting the standards (livestock is a significant factor).		CATEGORY D - Rangelands not meeting all standards or making significant progress toward meeting the standards due to causes other than livestock grazing.		CATEGORY E - Total number of allotments that have been assessed		CATEGORY F - Total number of allotments that have not been assessed		CATEGORY G - Total number of allotments	
	Allot No.	Acres	Allot No.	Acres	Allot No.	Acres	Allot No.	Acres	Allot No.	Acres	Allot No.	Acres	Allot No.	Acres
ARIZONA	464	4,975,951	11	354,387	12	255,687	3	26,936	490	5,612,961	334	5,877,033	824	11,489,994
CALIFORNIA	310	2,651,665	67	1,179,083	17	523,595	54	473,829	448	4,828,172	269	3,321,601	717	8,149,773
COLORADO	1,083	3,937,294	234	1,544,928	10	38,854	174	564,815	1,501	6,085,891	896	1,686,399	2,397	7,772,290
IDAHO	769	3,074,126	206	3,241,111	21	160,509	144	1,012,461	1,140	7,488,207	1,116	4,250,076	2,256	11,738,283
MONTANA/DAKOTAS	3,453	5,235,573	239	988,419	99	258,996	78	179,363	3,869	6,662,351	1,395	1,541,302	5,264	8,203,653
NEVADA	147	9,274,923	111	11,152,852	15	845,315	19	849,806	292	22,122,896	510	23,571,268	802	45,694,164
NEW MEXICO	172	1,048,798	15	103,223	2	39,108	14	9,766	203	1,200,895	2,090	11,369,644	2,293	12,570,539
OREGON/WASHINGTON	446	4,090,709	84	1,790,441	18	127,160	99	458,262	647	6,466,572	1,380	7,281,632	2,027	13,748,204
UTAH	468	5,964,252	80	1,351,229	10	241,859	57	1,366,784	615	8,924,124	849	12,969,128	1,464	21,893,252
WYOMING	876	6,990,569	227	4,246,064	59	805,431	88	260,798	1,250	12,302,862	2,241	5,331,248	3,491	17,634,110
BLM TOTAL	8,188	47,243,860	1,274	25,951,737	263	3,296,514	730	5,202,820	10,455	81,694,931	11,080	77,199,331	21,535	158,894,262