



Pacific States Marine Fisheries Commission

Bonneville Smolt Monitoring Weekly Report, #24-19

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SECTION 1. River Flow and Sampling Results

WEEK 19

	Min	Max	Mean		
			Current	Last Week	2023
A. River Flow	149.3	181.7	164.9	163.2	140.1
B. Powerhouse 1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2
C. Powerhouse 2	41.1	73.7	56.9	56.1	33.8
D. Spill (kcfcs)	99.8	101.2	100.5	99.7	97.8
% of River Flow	55.4	67.5	61.3	61.3	69.9
E. Water Temp *	67.2	69.6	68.7	65.3	69.2
F. % Saturation *					

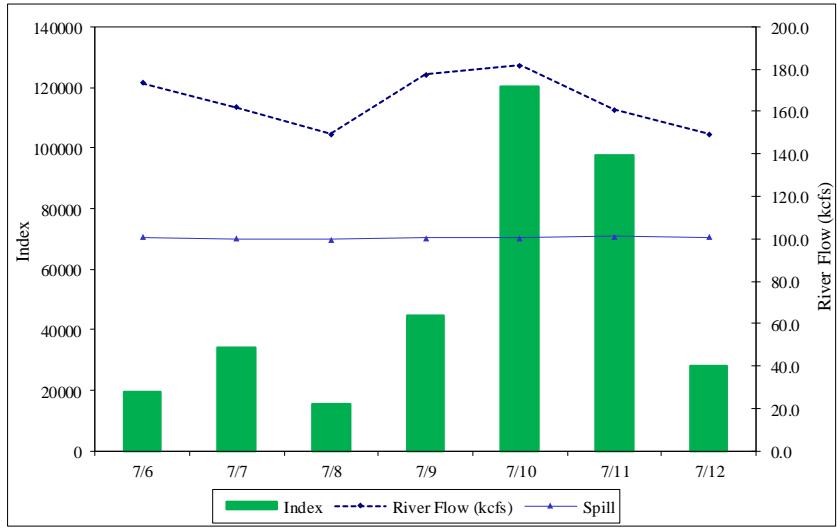
* In sampling facility.

% SAMPLE COMPOSITION	This Week	Last Week
YEARLING CHINOOK	0.0%	0.4%
SUBYEARLING CHINOOK	99.7%	98.6%
CHINOOK FRY	0.1%	0.1%
UNCLIPPED STEELHEAD	0.0%	0.0%
CLIPPED STEELHEAD	0.0%	0.1%
COHO	0.1%	0.3%
COHO FRY	0.0%	0.0%
SOCKEYE	0.0%	0.5%

YEARLING CHINOOK							SUBYEARLING CHINOOK							COHO						
End Date	Sample Rate	# Smpld	% Desc	% Mort	# Coll	Index	# Smpld	% Desc	% Mort	# Coll	Index	# Smpld	% Desc	% Mort	# Coll	Index				
7/6	4.0%	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	307	0.7	0.3	7,675	19,552	1	0.0	0.0	25	64				
7/7	2.8%	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	337	0.0	0.9	12,001	34,124	0	0.0	0.0	0	0				
7/8	2.0%	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	93	0.0	0.0	4,650	15,673	0	0.0	0.0	0	0				
7/9	3.0%	1	0.0	0.0	33	81	549	0.2	0.7	18,300	44,660	1	0.0	0.0	33	81				
7/10	1.4%	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	697	0.1	0.9	50,788	120,113	0	0.0	0.0	0	0				
7/11	0.7%	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	232	0.0	0.0	33,143	97,397	0	0.0	0.0	0	0				
7/12	0.7%	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	57	0.0	0.0	8,143	28,114	0	0.0	0.0	0	0				
Weekly		1	0.0	0.0	33	81	2,272	0.2	0.6	134,700	359,635	2	0.0	0.0	58	144				
Season to date		14,437	2.6	0.6	614,987	2,468,541	20,123	1.0	1.5	454,373	1,250,199	3,012	1.1	0.5	138,748	553,457				

UNCLIPPED							STEELHEAD							CLIPPED							SOCKEYE						
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7/6	4.0%	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						
7/7	2.8%	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						
7/8	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						
7/9	3.0%	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						
7/10	1.4%	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						
7/11	0.7%	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						
7/12	0.7%	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						
Weekly		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						
Season to date		368	0.3	0.5	15,750	59,527	1,210	1.3	0.2	71,514	296,645	892	5.6	2.2	50,446	175,547											

TOTAL						
End Date	Sample Rate	# Smpld	% Desc	% Mort	# Coll	Index
7/6	4.0%	308	0.7	0.3	7,700	19,616
7/7	2.8%	337	0.0	0.9	12,001	34,124
7/8	2.0%	93	0.0	0.0	4,650	15,673
7/9	3.0%	551	0.2	0.7	18,366	44,821
7/10	1.4%	697	0.1	0.9	50,788	120,113
7/11	0.7%	232	0.0	0.0	33,143	97,397
7/12	0.7%	57	0.0	0.0	8,143	28,114
Weekly		2,275	0.2	0.6	134,791	359,860
Season to date		40,042	1.7	1.1	1,345,818	4,803,917



Notes: Condition percentages are calculated from sample numbers.
Subyearling chinook and coho include fry.

SECTION 2. Juvenile Lamprey Sampling Results

Juvenile lamprey are differentiated by species (Pacific or Western Brook lamprey) and by life stage (Macrophthalmia, the fully formed actively migrating juvenile, and Ammocoete, the blind, filter feeding larval stage). Weekly results and season to date totals are presented in the table below:

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End Date	Pacific Lamprey			Western Brook				
	Macrophthalmia		Ammocoetes		Ammocoetes			
# Smpld	% Mort	# Coll	# Smpld	% Mort	# Coll	# Smpld	% Mort	# Coll
7/6	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
7/7	0	0.0	0	1	0.0	4	0	0
7/8	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
7/9	1	0.0	33	0	0.0	0	0	0
7/10	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
7/11	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
7/12	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
Weekly	1	0.0	33	1	0.0	4	0	0
Season to date	197	2.5	2,793	5	0.0	22	0	0

SECTION 3. Smolt and Juvenile Lamprey Condition Monitoring Summary

Smolt Condition

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Subyearling	DESCALING		INJURY						Other Conditions						
	Chinook	SAMPLE #	3-19%	>20%	Pred. Desc.	BODY	EYE	HEAD	OP	FIN	POPEYE	PINK FIN	Fin Discolor.	FIN HEM	
This Week	649	0.8%	0.3%						0.8%						0.9%
Last Week	700	5.1%	2.1%	0.1%	3.7%						0.1%	1.7%	1.7%		
		DISEASE								PREDATION					
This Week	649	SAMPLE #	Columnaris	FUNGUS	BKD	PARASITES	DEFORMITY	EYE HEM		BIRD	FISH	LAMPREY	OTH		
Last Week	700		0.6%						0.2%						0.3%
			0.1%						1.3%						1.6%
		0.1%													

Juvenile Lamprey Condition

Week 19			INJURY					DISEASE and OTHER CONDITIONS				PREDATION				
MP- Macrophthalmia	End Date	SAMPLE #	BODY	EYE	HEAD	FIN	POPEYE	FIN HEM	Columnaris	FUNGUS	DEFORMITY	EYE HEM	BIRD	FISH		
This Week	7/12	1							100.0%				100.0%			
Last Week	7/5	3														
AP - Ammocoetes	SAMPLE #															
This Week	7/12	1	100.0%					100.0%								
Last Week	7/5	0														

SECTION 4. Incidental Summary

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	Bass Largemouth	Bass Smallmouth	Bluegill and Pumpkinseed	Bullhead	Carp	Catfish, Channel	Chiselmouth	Crappie species
This Week	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
Season to Date	0	23	11	2	0	1	0	0

	Dace - Longnose	Dace - Speckled	Chinook Jack	Kokanee	Lamprey Adult	Northern Pikeminnow	Peamouth	Perch Yellow
This Week	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	0
Season to Date	0	0	1	0	2	16	87	82

	Redside Shiner	Sand Roller	Sculpin species	Stickleback 3 spine	Sucker species	Shad Adult	Shad Juvenile	Sturgeon White
This Week	0	0	2	0	0	26	1	0
Season to Date	0	0	22	49	4	71	11	0

	Trout Trout Bull	Cutthroat	Rainbow	Walleye	Whitefish Mountain	Siberian Prawn		Other/Not Listed
This Week	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3
Season to Date	0	0	0	0	0	183	0	56

*Other/Not listed in this week's totals include: three Banded killifish.

*Season-to-Date totals include: 49 Banded killifish and seven Pink salmon fry.

SECTION 5. PIT Tag Summary

Bonneville season to date detections, 2024.

Migration Year	Chinook	Coho	Steelhead	Sockeye	Cutthroat	Pacific Lamprey	Other	Orphan/ Unknown	Grand Total
2020			1				1		2
2021	2		40				1		43
2022	5		102				2		109
2023	694	7	693						1,394
2024	37,061	3,247	18,770	2,386	7		5	5,951	61,476 5,951
Grand Total	37,762	3,254	19,606	2,386	7	0	9	5,951	68,975

SECTION 6. Facility Operations

Sample collections at the Smolt Monitoring Facility (SMF) began at 0700 on 2 March. Debris at the primary dewatering structure (PDS) and fish/debris separator was light consisting mostly of sticks and aquatic macrophytes. The Outfall hydro-cannons are operating.

Gas Bubble Trauma (GBT) examinations began on 13 April and are typically performed two days per week through the end of spill. Results of this week's Gas Bubble Trauma (GBT) examinations: 200 subyearling Chinook were examined: one fish (0.5%) was observed with GBT symptoms. Please follow this link <https://www.fpc.org/currentdaily/gbtsumbybatchdate.pdf> to the FPC web page for further details.

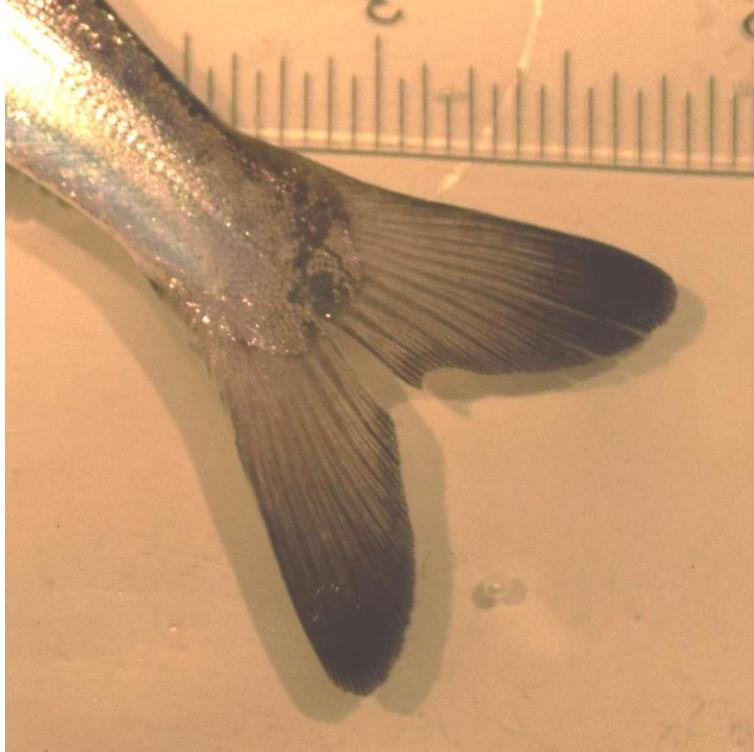
Non-salmonid GBT Monitoring was initiated at Bonneville on 19 June with the start of summer spill operations. This effort is paired in conjunction with salmonid GBT monitoring with the goal of examining up to 50 non-salmonids (native and non-native species) per session using the same procedures and protocols employed in the salmonid GBT Monitoring Program. Non-salmonid GBT exams only occur when TDG levels are above 110% and water temperatures are below 68°F. Results of this week's Non-salmonid Gas Bubble Trauma (GBT) examinations: two fish in total were examined with no GBT symptoms observed. Please follow this link https://www.fpc.org/currentdaily/Summer_NS_gbtsumbybatchdate_realtime.pdf to the FPC web page for specific details.

No fallbacks were observed this week.

SECTION 7. Research

A total of one fin clip was obtained from Pacific Lamprey macrourhthalmia and one from a Pacific Lamprey ammocoete for Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission's genetic studies.

SECTION 8. Sampling Pictures



Example of the most common type of fin injury observed at Bonneville Smolt Monitoring Facility: Caudal fin ray split to the peduncle.