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CHAPTER 11.
FISH AND AQUATIC HABITAT

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11. FISH AND AQUATIC HABITAT

11.1 Fish Studies, Mine

Objectives/Study Area/Methods and Approach

The 2006 fish study program for the mine has the same objectives (Section 11.1.1), study area (Section 11.1.2.1), and methods and approach (Section 11.1.2.2) as described in the 2005 study plan. Primary fish study tasks for 2006 are listed below:

- Overwinter sampling.
- Salmon-spawning surveys.
- Fish-tissue sampling.
- Arctic grayling radio-telemetry surveys—2006 surveys.
- Snorkel surveys.
- Instream flow study.

It should be noted that tasks such as habitat mapping, quantitative sampling (e.g., fish density), qualitative sampling, and index-species monitoring as described in the 2005 study plan are not planned for 2006 because data collection for these tasks is complete. Table 11.1-1 summarizes the primary tasks completed in 2004 and 2005 and lists study tasks planned for 2006. Table 11.1-2 provides a period-of-record summary of fish tissue sampling in the study area.

2006 Fish Study Task Summary

Task 1: Late Winter Field Investigations—Overwinter Sampling

During late winter of 2004 and 2005, minnow traps were set in 48 selected locations for stream sampling (primarily within open water) throughout the three major drainages. The overall catch rates were low and consisted mainly of juvenile Dolly Varden and coho salmon. Winter sampling will be conducted again during the 2006 field season. Sampling will take place in mid- to late March. Sample locations will be based on open water availability, and sample sites from previous years will be sampled again if possible.

Task 2: Rainbow Trout and Salmon Spawning Surveys

Aerial surveys for adult salmon and rainbow trout will continue in 2006 during the spawning season to acquire additional information about spawning abundance and distribution.

Task 3: Fish Tissue Sampling

Biological monitoring in 2004 and 2005 included trace metal analysis of fish tissues from a total of 22 riverine sample sites (17 in the mine study area and five in the road corridor) and four lakes in the mine study area (Table 11.1-2). In 2005 two additional lakes, Black Lake and Lake #2 were added to the

sampling program because they are located up and down range of the dominant wind direction and may show chemical differences in fish tissues from airborne particulates. To date, only one year of fish tissue data have been collected for these two lakes. Thus, Black Lake and Lake 2 are scheduled for fish tissue sampling in 2006 (Table 11.1-3) so that two years for fish tissue data will have been collected for all sample sites (see Figure 11.1-1 for sample site locations). Fish tissue samples from northern pike were collected from Big Wiggly Lake in 2004 and 2005, this lake is being sampled again in 2006 in an attempt to collect fish tissue samples from arctic grayling.

Task 4: Arctic Grayling Radio Telemetry Surveys

In 2005, radio transmitters were surgically implanted in 29 arctic grayling. The radio tags (Lotek Model MCFT-3BM) were programmed to be on for 14 weeks immediately after implantation, then off for 35 weeks, and back on for an additional 14-week period. Beginning in May 2006 a survey team will use telemetry equipment to track arctic grayling to spawning locations. Telemetry data between years will be compared to provide an index of species fidelity to spawning and summer feeding habitats.

Task 5: Snorkel Surveys

Snorkeling surveys were completed at 85 locations (Figure 11.1-2) in conjunction with the Instream Flow Study within the North and South Forks of the Koktuli and the Upper Talarik during the 2005 field season. The snorkel team documented fish species distribution, relative abundance, and location of fish in the water column. Snorkeling surveys will be conducted at the same locations in 2006.

Task 6: Instream Flow Study

Instream flow transects were completed at 84 locations (Figure 11.1-2) within the Mainstem and North and South Forks of the Koktuli and in the Upper Talarik during the 2005 field season (Table 11.1-4). In addition, off-channel habitat was surveyed at 16 locations (Figure 11.1-3) in Reach 2 (springs reach) of the South Fork Koktuli. Water depth, velocity, substrate, and cover were recorded at stations along each transect. Elevation and hydraulic slope were also surveyed. In 2006, data will be collected at all these sites again at two different river flow levels to allow for characterization of the relationship between habitat and flow (Tables 11.1-4 and 11.1-5).

11.2 Macroinvertebrate and Periphyton Studies, Mine

Objectives/Study Area/Methods and Approach

The objectives of the macroinvertebrate and periphyton program are to characterize baseline macroinvertebrate and periphyton populations in the mine study area and to begin building a pre-project baseline dataset to which post-project datasets can be compared. Macroinvertebrates and periphyton will not be collected from the stream sites detailed in the 2005 study plan. The effort associated with baseline characterization of macroinvertebrates and periphyton is complete. Monitoring will resume in future years once agency and permit specifications for monitoring are determined.

To complete the baseline characterization of the project area, zooplankton sampling will be added in four lakes near the mine study area: Frying Pan, Big Wiggly, Black Lake, and Lake #2. The field crew will also survey freshwater mussels in the Upper Talarik and North and South Fork Koktuli drainages.

2006 Macroinvertebrate Study Task Summary—Task 1: Zooplankton Sampling

During August, three horizontal zooplankton tows will be conducted from a zodiac boat in four lakes near the mine study area: Frying Pan, Big Wiggly, Black Lake, and Lake #2. These sites are shown on Figure 11.1-1. Samples will be preserved in ethanol and transported to Anchorage for processing and identification. Subsampling and identification will occur in accordance with the Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater (20th Ed.).

Freshwater mussel beds, if present in the Upper Talarik and Koktuli drainages, will be sampled in accordance with the protocols outlined in the 2005 quality assurance project plan (QAPP) and the 2005 field sampling plan for the Iliamna lake study. All samples will be submitted to the appropriate laboratories for analyses.

11.3 Fish Studies, Transportation Corridor

No fish studies are planned for 2006 in the transportation corridor.

11.4 Macroinvertebrate and Periphyton Studies, Transportation Corridor

No macroinvertebrate and periphyton studies are planned for 2006 in the transportation corridor.

11.5 Iliamna Lake Study

Objectives/Study Area/Methods and Approach

The objectives of the Iliamna Lake Study are to characterize existing conditions related to water quality, sediments, mussel tissues, and zooplankton at sites in the littoral zone of the northeast end of Iliamna Lake. The study will contribute to a pre-project dataset to which post-project datasets can be compared. Table 11.5-1 summarizes the work for this study in 2005 and 2006. The work conducted in 2006 will consist of sampling for mussels, sediments, and water quality at the four sites sampled during the 2005 field effort (Figure 11.5-1).

2006 Iliamna Lake Study Task Summary—Task 1: Lake Sampling

One sampling event will be conducted in July at the four mussel sites: Bucket Lake, Whistlewing Bay, Flat Island, and Finn Bay. One water quality sample, sediment sample, YSI reading, and in situ turbidity reading will be collected at each of these four sites. All samples will be submitted to the appropriate laboratories for analyses (refer to the 2005 field sampling plan and 2005 study plan for detailed collection and processing methods).

Table 11.1-1 Pebble Project Fish Studies Summary 2004-2006 Consultant: HDR Alaska

Date: 05/05/06

Field studies:	2004	2005	2006
Fish	Study Tasks	Study Tasks	Study Tasks
Fish - Mine	Winter Sampling	Winter Sampling	Winter Sampling
	Salmon and Rainbow Trout Spawning Surveys	Salmon and Rainbow Trout Spawning Surveys	Salmon and Rainbow Trout Spawning Surveys
	Fish Characterization: Population analysis FPL, Removal Sampling, Habitat survey	Arctic Grayling Telemetery	Arctic Grayling Telemetery
	Fish Tissue and Index Sampling	Fish Tissue and Index Species Sampling	Fish Tissue and Index Species Sampling- Black Lake and Lake No. 2
	Flow Habitat Study	Flow Habitat and Snorkel Study (Main Channel)	Flow Habitat and Snorkel Study (Main Channel)
		Flow Habitat (Off Channel Habitat)	Flow Habitat (Off Channel Habitat)
		Habitat Mapping and Fish Density Sampling	
Fish - Road Corridor	Road Corridor Survey	Y Creek Investigation	No field work planned
		Salmon Spawning Surveys	
		Barge Landing Area Survey	
		Transmission Line Corridor Survey	

Table 11.1-2 Pebble Project Sample Site Period Of Record Index Fish Resources

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- Continuous stage/discharge hydrometric data collected in streams (gaged stations with dataloggers).

 Macroinvertebrate sites were sampled with Drift nets AND ASCI methods; periphyton was collected with RBP and diatoms were assessed.

 Sediment samples collected. Seep sediment samples show number of seeps sampled in 2005. Sediment symbol not shown on associated map. Instantaneuous stream discharge measurements taken each month coincident with water quality (ungaged stations without dataloggers).

 Macroinvertebrate samples from lakes were collected with a modified ASCI approach.

- Macroinvertebrate samples from takes were collected with a modified ASCI approach.

 Plankton tows .

 Surface water quality samples collected for field and laboratory analyses.

 Macroinvertebrate sites were sampled with Surber Sampler AND ASCI methods; periphyton was collected with DNR methods and chlorophyll a was assessed.

 Fish tissue sample consisted of discrete muscle and liver samples from adult nothern pike.

 Fish tissue sample consisted of discrete whole body juvenile fish .

 Seep measurements/samples collected as described in notes.

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- Work for 2006 is shown as <u>planned</u>, but not yet completed.

 At stations where continuous hydrometric data is collected, continuous hydrographs will be estimated throughout winter months using standard hydrometric methods. Stream gages are reinstalled each spring as early as breakup conditions allow.

Table 11.1-3
Schedule for Fish Tissue Sampling for 2006

Location	Fish Species	Sample Matrix	No. of Primary Samples	No. of QC Samples	Total No. of Samples	Analytes
Black Lake	Northern Pike & Arctic Grayling or White Fish *	mussel	20	4	24	Antimony, arsenic, cadmium, copper, lead, nickel, selenium, silver, and total mercury
Big Wiggly Lake	Arctic Grayling	mussel	10	2	12	same as above
Lake 2	Northern Pike & Arctic Grayling or White Fish *	mussel	20	4	12	same as above
	Total Numb	er of Tissue		60		

^{*} Grayling are preferred, white fish will be sampled if more abundant.

Table 11.1-4 Pebble Project Instream Flow Study Main Channel Sample Site Period of Record Index

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	2006		X					X					
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05-ut190-rn1	2005		х	хх		\Box		х	\Box	\top		П	
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	2006		х	х				х					
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utc-pl1	2005			x x		\perp		X	-	\perp		Ш	
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	2006		X					X					
utc-rf3	2004 2005			x x x x		+	++	-	\vdash	+		Н	
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	2004			x x			-	 ^	Н	_			
utc-rn3	2005			x x		\vdash	++	x	\vdash	+	\vdash	\vdash	
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	2006		х					х					
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05-utc3-rn2	2005		х	хх				х					
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	2006			Х				X	ш				
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man-102	2005			X X				X					
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msk-rf3	2005							X					
	2006							X					
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Table 11.1-5
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Off-Channel Habitat Transect Sample Site Period of Record Index

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OCH-2	2005			Н	-				20	X					H				30			X					
	2006			H	+	-			х					H	H	+		-	X	H	X						
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OCH-3	2005			Н	_					X					L							Х					
	2006			H	-	-			X					H	H	-			X		X						
OCH-4	2004	L		╀	+	\dashv		Н	_	-	-	H	⊬	╁	₽	+	-	+	-	┢	⊢			-	H	⊢	
OCH-4	2005			Н	_					X					L							X					
	2006			H	-				X							-			X		X						
00115	2004	L		╀	+	\dashv		Н	_	-	-	H	⊬	╁	₽	+	-	+	-	┢	⊢			-	H	⊢	
OCH-5	2005			Н	_					X					L							X					
	2006			H	-	-			X					H	H	-			X		X						
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OCH-6*	2005	_		L	_									L	L	_		_									
	2006			H	-																						
	2004	L		╀	+	4		Ш				_	╀	L	Ł	\perp		_			_				_	_	
OCH-7	2005			L						X					L							X					
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	2006								X										X		X						
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^{*} Transects were plotted on field study maps but were not sampled to ensure transectes were representaive of the up welling reach and for purposes of efficiency. Transects were not renumberd to avoid creating confusion and ensure consistency between sample years.

Table 11.2-1 Pebble Project Macroinvertebrate and Periphtyon Studies Summary 2004-2006 Consultant: HDR Alaska

Date: 05/05/06

Field studies- Macroinvertebrates	2004 Study Tasks	2005 Study Tasks	2006 Study Tasks
Macroinvertebrates - Mine site	Sample Macroinvebrates and Periphyton at Study Sites	Sample Macroinvebrates and Periphyton at Study Sites	Sample for Zooplankton at Four Lakes
	Sample Processing/Identification	Sample Processing/Identification	Sample Processing/Identification
Macroinvertebrates - Road corridor	Sample Macroinvebrates and Periphyton at Study Sites	Sample Macroinvebrates and Periphyton at Study Sites	None
	Sample Processing/Identification	Sample Processing/Identification	

Table 11.2-2 **Pebble Project** Sample Site Period Of Record Index

Macroinvertebrates

	T	Macroinvertebra Period Of I	IteS Record By Discipline
Sample Location	Year ¹	Hydrology ² Water Quality	Fish Tissue Macroinvertebrates Sediment
KC100A	Month 2004		M J J A S O N D J F M A M J J A S O N D J F M A M J J A S O N D F F F F
AC100A	2005 2006 2004		W F F
KR100A	2004 2005 2006		
NK100A	2004 2005		W
(USGS) NK100B	2006 2004	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	W D D D
(Orig. Location)	2005 2006		W
NK100B	2004 2005		FFF
	2006 2004		W D D D F F
NK100C	2005 2006		W S F F F
NK119A	2004 2005		W D D
NK119B	2006 2004 2005		FF
MKIIJB	2006 2004		W D D D F
SK100A	2005 2006	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	W
SK100B	2004 2005		W
(USGS)	2006 2004		F
SK100B1	2005 2006		
SK100B2	2004 2005	1 1 1 1 1 1 1	
01/200	2006 2004		W D D D F F
SK100C	2005 2006		W F F
SK100D	2004 2005 2006		
SK100F	2004 2005		W D D F F
	2006 2004		W D D D F F F
SK100G	2005 2006		W
SK119A	2004 2005		W
01/1011	2006 2004		F
SK124A	2005 2006 2004		FF
SK131A	2004 2005 2006		
SK133A	2004 2005		
	2006 2004		
SK134A	2005 2006		
SK136A	2004 2005		
SK136B	2006 2004 2005		
OKISOB	2006 2004		F
UT100A	2005 2006		F
UT100B (USGS)	2004 2005		W
	2006 2004		W D D D F
UT100C	2005 2006		W
UT100D	2004 2005 2006		W D D D F F F F F F
UT100E	2006 2004 2005		W D D D F F
	2006 2004		W F F
UT119A	2005 2006		W
UT119B	2004 2005		F
LITAGES	2006 2004		
UT135A	2005 2006 2004		W D D D F F
UT138A	2004 2005 2006		W S
UT141A	2004 2005		
	2006 2004		F F
UT146A	2005 2006		
Black Lake	2004 2005		T
Big Wiggly	2006 2004 2005		T P M F F
	2006 2004		Т М Р
Frying Pan Lake	2005	Q	T M P
Chiquita Lake	2004		F
	2006 2004		
Lake No. 2	2005 2006		T F
Mud Lake (Near Lily	2004 2005		F
Lake) Seeps	2006 2004 2005	X X X	7 5
Cocha	2006	X X X X X	1 5
KEY:	Continuous		

KEY: C D F I

- - Continuous stage/discharge hydrometric data collected in streams (Stations with dataloggers).

 Macroinvertebrate sites were sampled with Drift nets AND ASCI methods; periphyton was collected with RBP and diatoms were assessed.

 Sediment samples collected. Seep sediment samples show number of seeps sampled in 2005. Sediment symbol not shown on associated map. Instantaneuous stream discharge measurements taken each month coincident with water quality (Stations without dataloggers).

 Macroinvertebrate samples from lakes were collected with a modified ASCI approach.

- M P Q S T W Plankton tows .
- Surface water quality samples collected for field and laboratory analyses.

 Macroinvertebrate sites were sampled with Surber Sampler AND ASCI methods; periphyton was collected with DNR methods and chlorophyll a was assessed.

 Fish tissue sample consisted of discrete muscle and liver samples from adult nothern pike.

 Fish tissue sample consisted of discrete whole body juvenile fish.
- Seep measurements/samples collected as described in notes.

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- Work for 2006 is shown as planned, but not yet completed.
- At stations where continuous hydrometric data is collected, continuous hydrographs will be estimated throughout winter months using standard hydrometric method

Table 11.5-1 Pebble Project Iliamna Lake Study Summary 2004-2006 Consultant: HDR Alaska

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Field studies: Lake Iliamna	2004 Study Tasks	2005 Study Tasks	2006 Study Tasks
		Sample at 5 Water Quality Stations for Water,	Sample at 4 Sites for Mussels, Water
		Sediments and Zooplankton May - Oct.	and Sediments in August
		Sample at 4 Sites for Mussels	
		Process and Identify Zooplankton Samples	







