

WILLAMETTE VALLEY FISH PASSAGE MONITORING – BULK MARKING PROJECT

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BULK MARKING SCHEDULE

Table 1. Tentative release schedule for brood years 2022 and 2023. Green rows highlight the release groups that have been tagged and released. Orange rows highlight release groups that have been tagged but have not yet been released. Date estimate is a rough estimate of when fish should be released to meet the intended target.

Date Estimate	Release Location	Target	Lifestage	#	Tag
		2023			
		MF Willamette			
Spring 2023	Head of Fall Creek Dam reservoir	Prior to reaching target elevation of 728 feet	fry	1000	8 mm PIT
Spring 2023	Head of Lookout Point Dam reservoir	30 day spill operations	fry	1000	8 mm PIT
Spring 2023	Head of Hills Creek Dam reservoir	Observed fry migration and RO operations	fry	1000	8 mm PIT
9/15/2023	Dexter Dam Tailrace	Fall deep drawdown	subyearli ng	2000	12 mm PIT
9/15/2023	Head of Lookout Point Dam reservoir	Fall deep drawdown	subyearli ng	5000	12 mm PIT
9/15/2023	Lookout Point Dam Forebay	Fall deep drawdown	subyearli ng	5000	12 mm PIT
10/15/2023	Fall Creek Dam Head of Reservoir	2-3 weeks prior to drawdown	subyearli ng	5000	12 mm PIT
10/15/2023	Fall Creek Dam tailrace	2-3 weeks prior to drawdown	subyearli ng	1000	12 mm PIT
11/15/2023	Fall Creek Dam Head of Reservoir	Midway between start of drawdown and streambed elevation	subyearli ng	5000	12 mm PIT
11/15/2023	Fall Creek Dam tailrace	Midway between start of drawdown and streambed elevation	subyearli ng	1000	12 mm PIT
11/16/2023	Hills Creek Dam Head of Reservoir	Prior to start of fall/winter RO operations	subyearli ng	5000	12 mm PIT
11/16/2023	Hills Creek Dam tailrace	Prior to start of fall/winter RO operations	subyearli ng	3000	12 mm PIT

11/16/2023	Hills Creek forebay or mid-reservoir	Prior to start of fall/winter RO operations	subyearli ng	5000	12 mm PIT
		North Santiam			
Spring 2023	Breitenbush River	Prior to beginning of spill	fry	7500	8 mm PIT
Spring 2023	North Santiam River	Prior to beginning of spill	fry	7500	8 mm PIT
10/1/2023	Big Cliff Dam Tailrace	Prior to Detroit Reservoir reaching 1520 feet	subyearli ng	8000	12 mm PIT
10/1/2023	Breitenbush River	Prior to Detroit Reservoir reaching 1520 feet	subyearli ng	5000	12 mm PIT
10/1/2023	North Santiam River	Prior to Detroit Reservoir reaching 1520 feet	subyearli ng	5000	12 mm PIT
11/15/2023	Big Cliff Dam Tailrace	When Detroit reaches 1465 feet	subyearli ng	6000	12 mm PIT
		SF McKenzie			
Spring 2023	Cougar Dam Head of Reservoir	Prior to start of spring drawdown	fry	5000	8 mm PIT
Spring 2023	Cougar Dam Head of Reservoir	After start of drawdown but prior to reaching 1520 feet	fry	5000	8 mm PIT
9/15/2023	Cougar Dam Head of Reservoir	Prior to start of drawdown	subyearli ng	3000	12 mm PIT
10/15/2023	Cougar Dam Forebay	Prior to reaching target elevation of 1505 feet	subyearli ng	5000	12 mm PIT
10/15/2023	Cougar Dam Tailrace	Prior to reaching target elevation of 1505 feet	subyearli ng	4000	12 mm PIT
10/15/2023	Cougar Head of Reservoir	Prior to reaching target elevation of 1505 feet	subyearli ng	4000	12 mm PIT
11/15/2023	Cougar Dam Forebay	At 1532 feet when RO is prioritized for day and night spill	subyearli ng	5000	12 mm PIT
11/15/2023	Cougar Dam Tailrace	At 1532 feet when RO is prioritized for day and night spill	subyearli ng	4000	12 mm PIT
11/15/2023	Cougar Head of Reservoir	At 1532 feet when RO is prioritized for day and night spill	subyearli ng	4000	12 mm PIT
		South Santiam			

Spring 2023	Green Peter Head of Reservoir in Middle Santiam River	Spill operation block	fry	5000	8 mm PIT
Spring 2023	Green Peter Head of Reservoir in Quartzville Creek	Spill operation block	fry	5000	8 mm PIT
8/30/2023	South Santiam River - Foster Dam Tailrace	Undefined - Late August	subyearli ng	1000	12 mm PIT
8/30/2023	South Santiam River above Foster Dam	Undefined - Late August	subyearli ng	2000	12 mm PIT
9/15/2023	Green Peter Reservoir - Head of Reservoir, Middle Santiam River	Fall Operations at Green Peter Dam	subyearli ng	2500	12 mm PIT
9/15/2023	Green Peter Reservoir - Head of Reservoir, Quartzville Creek	Fall Operations at Green Peter Dam	subyearli ng	2500	12 mm PIT
10/15/2023	Green Peter Dam Tailrace	Prior to Green Peter reaching 887 feet.	subyearli ng	4000	12 mm PIT
10/15/2023	Green Peter Reservoir - Head of Reservoir, Middle Santiam River	Prior to Green Peter reaching 887 feet.	subyearli ng	2500	12 mm PIT
10/15/2023	Green Peter Reservoir - Head of Reservoir, Quartzville Creek	Prior to Green Peter reaching 887 feet.	subyearli ng	2500	12 mm PIT
10/15/2023	South Santiam River - Foster Dam Tailrace	Fall operations at Foster Dam	subyearli ng	4000	12 mm PIT
10/15/2023	South Santiam River above Foster Dam	Fall operations at Foster Dam	subyearli ng	5000	12 mm PIT
		2024			
		MF Willamette			
2/1/2024	Hills Creek Dam Head of Reservoir	Prior to end of fall/winter RO operations	yearling	5000	12 mm PIT
2/1/2024	Hills Creek Dam tailrace	Prior to end of fall/winter RO operations	yearling	3000	12 mm PIT
2/1/2024	Hills Creek forebay or mid-reservoir	Prior to end of fall/winter RO operations	yearling	5000	12 mm PIT
2/28/2024	Fall Creek Dam Head of Reservoir	Prior to beginning of refill	yearling	5000	12 mm PIT
2/28/2024	Fall Creek Dam Tailrace	Prior to beginning of refill	yearling	1000	12 mm PIT
2/28/2024	Head of Lookout Point Dam reservoir	Prior to 30-day spill	yearling	5000	12 mm PIT

2/28/2024	Dexter Dam Tailrace	Prior to 30-day spill	yearling	2000	12 mm PIT
2/28/2024	Lookout Point Dam Forebay	Prior to 30-day spill	yearling	5000	12 mm PIT
3/31/2024	Fall Creek Dam Head of Reservoir	After refill is completed	yearling	5000	12 mm PIT
3/31/2024	Fall Creek Dam Tailrace	After refill is completed	yearling	1000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2024	Head of Lookout Point Dam reservoir	After 30-day spill/beginning of nighttime spill	yearling	5000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2024	Dexter Dam Tailrace	After 30-day spill/beginning of nighttime spill	yearling	2000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2024	Lookout Point Dam Forebay	After 30-day spill/beginning of nighttime spill	yearling	5000	12 mm PIT
		North Santiam			
2/1/2024	North Santiam River	Prior to start of Detroit refill	fry	3750	8 mm PIT
2/1/2024	Breitenbush River	Prior to start of Detroit refill	fry	3750	8 mm PIT
4/1/2024	Breitenbush River	Prior to start of Detroit spill	fry	3750	8 mm PIT
4/1/2024	North Santiam River	Prior to start of Detroit spill	fry	3750	8 mm PIT
4/1/2024	Big Cliff Dam Tailrace	Prior to Detroit reaching 1541 feet (spillway crest elevation)	yearling	2000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2024	Breitenbush River	Prior to Detroit reaching 1541 feet (spillway crest elevation)	yearling	2000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2024	North Santiam River	Prior to Detroit reaching 1541 feet (spillway crest elevation)	yearling	2000	12 mm PIT
10/1/2024	Big Cliff Dam Tailrace	Prior to Detroit Reservoir reaching 1520 feet	subyearli ng	8000	12 mm PIT
10/1/2024	Breitenbush River	Prior to Detroit Reservoir reaching 1520 feet	subyearli ng	5000	12 mm PIT
10/1/2024	North Santiam River	Prior to Detroit Reservoir reaching 1520 feet	subyearli ng	5000	12 mm PIT

11/15/2024	Big Cliff Dam Tailrace	When Detroit reaches 1465 feet	subyearli ng	6000	12 mm PIT
		SF McKenzie			
2/28/2024	Cougar Dam Forebay	Prior to beginning of spring drawdown	yearling	2000	12 mm PIT
2/28/2024	Cougar Dam Tailrace	Prior to beginning of spring drawdown	yearling	1000	12 mm PIT
2/28/2024	Cougar Head of Reservoir	Prior to beginning of spring drawdown	yearling	2000	12 mm PIT
3/30/2024	Cougar Dam Forebay	After start of drawdown but prior to reaching 1520 feet	yearling	2000	12 mm PIT
3/30/2024	Cougar Dam Tailrace	After start of drawdown but prior to reaching 1520 feet	yearling	1000	12 mm PIT
3/30/2024	Cougar Head of Reservoir	After start of drawdown but prior to reaching 1520 feet	yearling	2000	12 mm PIT
		South Santiam			
4/1/2024	Green Peter Head of Reservoir in Middle Santiam River	At the start of the first spring spill block	fry	2500	8 mm PIT
4/1/2024	Green Peter Head of Reservoir in Quartzville Creek	At the start of the first spring spill block	fry	2500	8 mm PIT
4/1/2024	Green Peter Dam Tailrace	At the start of Green Peter spring spill	yearling	1000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2024	Green Peter Reservoir - Forebay	At the start of Green Peter spring spill	yearling	2000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2024	Green Peter Reservoir - Head of Reservoir, Middle Santiam River	At the start of Green Peter spring spill	yearling	1000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2024	Green Peter Reservoir - Head of Reservoir, Quartzville Creek	At the start of Green Peter spring spill	yearling	1000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2024	Green Peter Reservoir - mid reservoir	At the start of Green Peter spring spill	yearling	2000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2024	South Santiam River - Foster Dam Tailrace	Prior to start of Foster refill	yearling	4000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2024	South Santiam River above Foster Dam	Prior to start of Foster refill	yearling	5000	12 mm PIT
4/20/2024	South Santiam River - Foster Dam Tailrace	Post refill operations	yearling	2000	12 mm PIT

4/20/2024	South Santiam River above Foster Dam	Post refill operations	yearling	1000	12 mm PIT
4/15/2024	Green Peter Head of Reservoir in Middle Santiam River	At the start of the second spring spill block	fry	2500	8 mm PIT
4/15/2024	Green Peter Head of Reservoir in Quartzville Creek	At the start of the second spring spill block	fry	2500	8 mm PIT
8/30/2024	South Santiam River - Foster Dam Tailrace	Undefined - Late August	subyearli ng	1000	12 mm PIT
8/30/2024	South Santiam River above Foster Dam	Undefined - Late August	subyearli ng	2000	12 mm PIT
9/15/2024	Green Peter Reservoir - Head of Reservoir, Middle Santiam River	Fall Operations at Green Peter Dam	subyearli ng	2500	12 mm PIT
9/15/2024	Green Peter Reservoir - Head of Reservoir, Quartzville Creek	Fall Operations at Green Peter Dam	subyearli ng	2500	12 mm PIT
10/15/2024	Green Peter Dam Tailrace	Prior to Green Peter reaching 887 feet.	subyearli ng	4000	12 mm PIT
10/15/2024	Green Peter Reservoir - Head of Reservoir, Middle Santiam River	Prior to Green Peter reaching 887 feet.	subyearli ng	2500	12 mm PIT
10/15/2024	Green Peter Reservoir - Head of Reservoir, Quartzville Creek	Prior to Green Peter reaching 887 feet.	subyearli ng	2500	12 mm PIT
10/15/2024	South Santiam River - Foster Dam Tailrace	Fall operations at Foster Dam	subyearli ng	4000	12 mm PIT
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		2025			
		North Santiam			
2/1/2025	Breitenbush River	Prior to start of Detroit refill	fry	3750	8 mm PIT
2/1/2025	North Santiam River	Prior to start of Detroit refill	fry	3750	8 mm PIT
4/1/2025	Breitenbush River	Prior to start of Detroit spill	fry	3750	8 mm PIT
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		South Santiam			
4/1/2025	Green Peter Head of Reservoir in Middle Santiam River	At the start of the first spring spill block	fry	2500	8 mm PIT
4/1/2025	Green Peter Head of Reservoir in Quartzville Creek	At the start of the first spring spill block	fry	2500	8 mm PIT
4/1/2025	Green Peter Dam Tailrace	At the start of Green Peter spring spill	yearling	1000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2025	Green Peter Reservoir - Forebay	At the start of Green Peter spring spill	yearling	2000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2025	Green Peter Reservoir - Head of Reservoir, Middle Santiam River	At the start of Green Peter spring spill	yearling	1000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2025	Green Peter Reservoir - Head of Reservoir, Quartzville Creek	At the start of Green Peter spring spill	yearling	1000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2025	Green Peter Reservoir - mid reservoir	At the start of Green Peter spring spill	yearling	2000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2025	South Santiam River - Foster Dam Tailrace	Prior to start of Foster refill	yearling	1000	12 mm PIT
4/1/2025	South Santiam River - Foster Dam Tailrace	Prior to start of Foster refill	yearling	4000	12 mm PIT
4/15/2025	Green Peter Head of Reservoir in Middle Santiam River	At the start of the second spring spill block	fry	2500	8 mm PIT
4/15/2025	Green Peter Head of Reservoir in Quartzville Creek	At the start of the second spring spill block	fry	2500	8 mm PIT
4/20/2025	South Santiam River above Foster Dam	Post refill operations	yearling	5000	12 mm PIT
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BULK MARKING SUMMARY

There were no bulk marking activities during this reporting period. The next release is tentatively scheduled for late February to early March and will target spring spill operations at Green Peter Dam.

As of this reporting period, the BY 2024 South Santiam stock Chinook salmon fry have a median fork length of 41 mm. North Santiam stock Chinook salmon fry being reared at Marion Forks Hatchery were too small to be handled and therefore no fork length estimates were possible.

Recaptures

During this reporting period, there were no detections of PIT-tagged fish released by this project. Since we began releasing fish in May 2023, we estimate that there have been a total of 5,828 unique detections of PIT tagged fish at various sites (Table 4).

Table 2. Bulk marking summary statistics. Total number of fish marked (N), mean fork length (FL), mean weight, start date of marking, end date of marking, total mortalities from start of tagging to release, mortality percentage, total shed tags from start of tagging to release, and shed tag percentage.

Mark Group	N	Mean FL (mm)	Mean Weight (g)	Date Start	Date End	Mort	Mort. %	Sheds	Shed %
Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Middle Santiam	5,071	56.2	NA	5/15/2023	5/16/2023	74	1.46	32	0.63
Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Quartzville Creek	5,203	58.5	NA	5/17/2023	5/18/2023	18	0.35	19	0.37
Lookout Point Head of Reservoir	10,041	63.1	2.9	5/22/2023	5/24/2023	39	0.39	53	0.53
Hills Creek Head of Reservoir	10,117	64.7	2.9	5/30/2023	6/1/2023	22	0.22	9	0.09
Fall Creek Head of Reservoir	10,040	67.4	3.2	6/1/2023	6/7/2023	68	0.68	30	0.3
Detroit Head of Reservoir Breitenbush Arm	7,530	66.9	3.6	6/13/2023	6/14/2023	82	1.09	24	0.32
Detroit Head of Reservoir - North Santiam Arm	7,528	66.9	3.6	6/14/2023	6/15/2023	83	1.10	25	0.32
Cougar Head of Reservoir	5,626	67.7	3.5	6/20/2023	6/20/2023	475	8.40	44	0.78
North Santiam – Fall 23 & Spring 24 Bulk Group	30,680	67.3	3.5	6/26/2023	7/20/2023	3,437	10.6	99	0.32
M.F. Willamette – Fall 23 & Spring 24 Bulk Group	85,233	NA	NA	7/26/2023	12/7/2023	380	0.45	340	0.40
South Santiam – Fall 23 &Spring 2024 Bulk Group	43,407	NA	NA	8/14/2023	12/20/2023	128	0.29	101	0.23
McKenzie– Fall 23 & Spring 24 Bulk Group	45,210	NA	NA	8/30/2023	2/14/2024	987	2.18	60	0.13
M.F. Willamette – Additional 51,000 Group	51,000	145.1	35.9	1/1/2024	1/31/2021	NA	NA	NA	NA
Green Peter Head of Reservoir	5,006	50.1	1.4	3/1/2024	3/3/2024	17	0.33	13	0.25
Green Peter Head of Reservoir	5,000	54.9	1.7	3/18/2024	3/19/2024	12	0.23	20	0.39
Detroit Head of Reservoir North Santiam Arm	7,500	46.7	1.2	5/13/2024	5/15/2024	58	0.77	70	0.93
Detroit Head of Reservoir Breitenbush Arm	7,500	46.7	1.2	5/15/2024	5/17/2024	58	0.77	63	0.84
South Santiam – Fall 24 and Spring 25 Bulk Group	45,000	NA	NA	6/26/2024	7/11/2024	62	0.14	108	0.24
North Santiam – Fall 24 and Spring 25 Bulk Group	18,000	NA	NA	7/15/2024	11/6/2024	47	0.15	196	0.63

Table 3. PIT tagged juvenile Chinook salmon release group summary statistics.

Basin	Release Location	Release Date	N	Mean Length	Mean Weight	Lifestage
MFW	Hills Creek Head of Reservoir	5/18/2023 15:50	509	55.8	1.9	Fry

Basin	Release Location	Release Date	N	Mean Length	Mean Weight	Lifestage
MFW	LOP Head of Reservoir - Black Canyon	5/30/2023 10:30	9647	63.1	2.9	Fry
MFW	Hills Creek Head of Reservoir	6/5/2023 10:30	9784	64.7	2.8	Fry
MFW	Fall Creek Head of Reservoir - Old Boat Ramp	6/12/2023 15:00	9638	67.4	3.2	Fry
MFW	LOP Head of Reservoir - Black Canyon	9/18/2023 8:15	4998	122.9	23.8	Subyearling
MFW	LOP Forebay - Signal Point	9/18/2023 17:00	5002	128.3	25.1	Subyearling
MFW	LOP Tailrace - Pengra	9/19/2023 11:30	2011	128.4	25.2	Subyearling
MFW	Fall Creek Head of Reservoir - Old Boat Ramp	9/28/2023 14:45	5006	133.5	29.1	Subyearling
MFW	Fall Creek Tailrace	9/28/2023 19:15	1001	134.8	29.8	Subyearling
MFW	Fall Creek Head of Reservoir - Old Boat Ramp	11/6/2023 15:40	4999	139.4	32.2	Subyearling
MFW	Fall Creek Tailrace	11/6/2023 19:00	1000	134.9	30.2	Subyearling
MFW	Hills Creek Head of Reservoir	11/7/2023 15:45	4997	135.2	28.6	Subyearling
MFW	Hills Creek Mid Reservoir - Packard Creek Boat Ramp	11/8/2023 15:15	4998	145.3	36.9	Subyearling
MFW	Hills Creek Dam Tailrace	11/9/2023 14:35	2969	129.6	27	Subyearling
MFW	LOP Head of Reservoir - Black Canyon	1/3/2024 16:45	4634	143.3	33.7	Yearling
MFW	LOP Head of Reservoir - Black Canyon	1/4/2024 16:30	4828	143.3	NA	Yearling
MFW	LOP Head of Reservoir - Black Canyon	1/8/2024 15:40	3789	143.3	NA	Yearling
MFW	LOP Head of Reservoir - Black Canyon	1/9/2024 16:15	5115	143.3	NA	Yearling
MFW	LOP Head of Reservoir - Black Canyon	1/25/2024 11:30	7617	143.6	34.3	Yearling
MFW	Hills Creek Dam Tailrace	1/31/2024 14:05	24861	141.6	34.7	Yearling
MFW	Hills Creek Head of Reservoir	2/6/2024 11:15	4963	153.8	40.9	Yearling
MFW	Hills Creek Mid Reservoir - Packard Creek Boat Ramp	2/7/2024 10:10	5000	155.9	41.7	Yearling
MFW	Hills Creek Dam Tailrace	2/7/2024 15:20	2998	151.3	42.8	Yearling
MFW	Fall Creek Head of Reservoir - Old Boat Ramp	2/20/2024 12:45	4993	148.4	38.9	Yearling
MFW	Fall Creek Tailrace	2/20/2024 16:05	1002	150.5	39.9	Yearling
MFW	LOP Head of Reservoir - Black Canyon	2/28/2024 11:30	4994	141.5	34.2	Yearling
MFW	LOP Forebay - Signal Point	2/28/2024 16:30	4988	144.2	35.9	Yearling
MFW	LOP Tailrace - Pengra	2/29/2024 11:00	1998	149.7	39.2	Yearling
MFW	Fall Creek Head of Reservoir - Old Boat Ramp	4/2/2024 11:00	2500	146	37.1	Yearling
MFW	Fall Creek Head of Reservoir - Old Boat Ramp	4/3/2024 10:55	2497	154.6	43.2	Yearling

Basin	Release Location	Release Date	N	Mean Length	Mean Weight	Lifestage
MFW	Fall Creek Tailrace	4/3/2024 14:05	999	159.5	44.5	Yearling
MFW	LOP Head of Reservoir - Black Canyon	4/9/2024 10:35	2499	150.9	41.2	Yearling
MFW	LOP Head of Reservoir - Black Canyon	4/9/2024 13:00	2499	150.9	NA	Yearling
MFW	LOP Forebay - Signal Point	4/10/2024 11:00	2500	150.7	39.7	Yearling
MFW	LOP Forebay - Signal Point	4/11/2024 11:55	2500	150.7	NA	Yearling
MFW	LOP Tailrace - Pengra	4/11/2024 15:25	2000	149	38.9	Yearling
MCK	Cougar Head of Reservoir - Cougar Crossing Bridge	8/29/2023 11:30	5198	67.9	3.6	Fry
MCK	Cougar Head of Reservoir - Cougar Crossing Bridge	10/2/2023 14:20	5005	117.2	18.9	Subyearling
MCK	Cougar Head of Reservoir - Cougar Crossing Bridge	10/2/2023 19:05	3006	116.7	19	Subyearling
MCK	Cougar Head of Reservoir - Cougar Crossing Bridge	10/18/2023 11:50	3977	118.4	19.8	Subyearling
MCK	Cougar Forebay	10/18/2023 18:00	5010	120.8	21	Subyearling
MCK	Cougar Tailrace - USGS	10/19/2023 12:40	4000	112.5	16.8	Subyearling
MCK	Cougar Head of Reservoir - Cougar Crossing Bridge	11/13/2023 13:15	3999	121.3	23	Subyearling
MCK	Cougar Forebay	11/14/2023 15:15	4995	124.6	23.8	Subyearling
MCK	Cougar Tailrace - USGS	11/15/2023 11:45	2411	120.1	21.5	Subyearling
MCK	Cougar Head of Reservoir - Cougar Crossing Bridge	3/8/2024 11:20	4799	136.9	31	Yearling
MCK	Cougar Forebay	3/11/2024 11:25	4800	136.5	29.5	Yearling
MCK	Cougar Tailrace - USGS	3/11/2024 15:10	2081	129.5	25.4	Yearling
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Quartzville Creek Arm	5/22/2023 13:00	5171	58.5	NA	Fry
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Middle Santiam Arm	5/22/2023 20:30	4961	56.2	NA	Fry
SST	Foster Tailrace - South Santiam Hatchery	8/23/2023 16:30	1030	115.7	18.2	Subyearling
SST	Foster Reservoir Head of Reservoir - Cascadia Covered Bridge	8/24/2023 10:00	2059	105.6	14.5	Subyearling
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Quartzville Creek Arm	9/20/2023 14:00	2518	113.5	19.5	Subyearling
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Middle Santiam Arm	9/21/2023 13:40	2508	117.1	20.7	Subyearling
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Quartzville Creek Arm	10/3/2023 12:45	2502	122.8	25.1	Subyearling
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Middle Santiam Arm	10/4/2023 14:40	2516	119.6	23.8	Subyearling
SST	Green Peter Tailrace - Sunnyside Boat Ramp	10/9/2023 16:05	4002	125.9	26.4	Subyearling
SST	Foster Reservoir Head of Reservoir - Cascadia Covered Bridge	10/10/2023 14:20	5000	125.8	24.5	Subyearling
SST	Foster Tailrace - South Santiam Hatchery	10/11/2023 15:20	4000	135.2	31.8	Subyearling

Basin	Release Location	Release Date	N	Mean Length	Mean Weight	Lifestage
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Middle Santiam Arm	2/21/2024 12:00	1004	164.4	51.6	Yearling
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Quartzville Creek Arm	2/22/2024 11:45	1014	150.8	40.2	Yearling
SST	Green Peter Mid Reservoir - Thistle Boat Ramp	2/22/2024 17:45	2006	153.8	42.9	Yearling
SST	Green Peter Mid Reservoir - Thistle Boat Ramp	2/23/2024 10:40	2003	159.4	46.5	Yearling
SST	Green Peter Tailrace - Sunnyside Boat Ramp	2/23/2024 14:15	1014	163.4	50.1	Yearling
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Middle Santiam Arm	3/6/2024 15:30	2506	50.1	1.4	Fry
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Quartzville Creek Arm	3/6/2024 17:30	2500	51.3	1.4	Fry
SST	Foster Reservoir Head of Reservoir - Cascadia Covered Bridge	3/26/2024 13:30	2997	156.3	44.1	Yearling
SST	Foster Reservoir Head of Reservoir - Cascadia Covered Bridge	3/27/2024 11:00	3001	145.3	38	Yearling
SST	Foster Tailrace - South Santiam Hatchery	3/28/2024 13:30	3005	154.6	43.8	Yearling
SST	Foster Tailrace - South Santiam Hatchery	4/1/2024 12:55	2991	156	44.3	Yearling
SST	Foster Reservoir Head of Reservoir - Cascadia Covered Bridge	4/4/2024 13:15	1908	145.4	37.2	Yearling
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Middle Santiam Arm	4/12/2024 11:50	2350	52.4	1.5	Fry
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Quartzville Creek Arm	4/12/2024 13:15	2500	54.9	1.7	Fry
SST	Foster Reservoir Head of Reservoir - Cascadia Covered Bridge	8/27/2024 13:40	2000	120.1	17.8	Subyearling
SST	Foster Tailrace - South Santiam Hatchery	8/27/2024 18:55	934	121.5	18.2	Subyearling
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Quartzville Creek Arm	9/9/2024 17:55	2492	120.5	18.4	Subyearling
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Middle Santiam Arm	9/10/2024 16:35	2496	122.4	19.7	Subyearling
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Middle Santiam Arm	10/8/2024 16:00	2500	130.4	23	Subyearling
SST	Green Peter Head of Reservoir - Quartzville Creek Arm	10/9/2024 15:30	2450	131.5	24.6	Subyearling
SST	Green Peter Tailrace - Sunnyside Boat Ramp	10/10/2024 15:30	3999	133.2	26.3	Subyearling
SST	Foster Reservoir Head of Reservoir - Cascadia Covered Bridge	10/15/2024 13:45	4994	137.5	28.6	Subyearling
SST	Foster Tailrace - South Santiam Hatchery	10/15/2024 19:45	3998	136.9	28.7	Subyearling
NST	Marion Forks Hatchery Escape	6/16/2023 12:00	1247	66.5	3.4	Fry
NST	Detroit Head of Reservoir - Breitenbush River	7/13/2023 8:45	7000	66.8	3.6	Fry
NST	Detroit Head of Reservoir - North Santiam River	7/13/2023 11:35	6638	67	3.6	Fry
NST	Detroit Head of Reservoir - Breitenbush River	9/26/2023 10:45	5002	106.5	11.8	Subyearling
NST	Detroit Head of Reservoir - North Santiam River	9/26/2023 16:00	4997	102.6	10.4	Subyearling
NST	Big Cliff Tailrace - Packsaddle Boat Ramp	9/27/2023 15:30	8009	106.5	11.9	Subyearling

Basin	Release Location	Release Location Release Date		Mean Length	Mean Weight	Lifestage	
NST	Big Cliff Tailrace - Packsaddle Boat Ramp	11/20/2023 16:50	5998	112.4	16.6	Subyearling	
NST	Detroit Head of Reservoir - North Santiam River	3/20/2024 14:45	2000	128.4	25.5	Yearling	
NST	Detroit Head of Reservoir - Breitenbush River	3/21/2024 11:15	2000	124	21.3	Yearling	
NST	Big Cliff Tailrace - Packsaddle Boat Ramp	3/21/2024 16:30	1998	129.4	24.1	Yearling	
NST	Detroit Head of Reservoir - North Santiam River	5/20/2024 12:00	7530	47	1.2	Fry	
NST	Detroit Head of Reservoir - Breitenbush River	5/20/2024 18:00	7491	47	1.2	Fry	
NST	Detroit Head of Reservoir - Breitenbush River	9/24/2024 15:45	5004	103.2	12.9	Subyearling	
NST	Detroit Head of Reservoir - North Santiam River	9/24/2024 17:35	4997	104.2	13	Subyearling	
NST	Big Cliff Tailrace - Packsaddle Boat Ramp	9/25/2024 16:20	7998	101.3	12.1	Subyearling	
NST	Big Cliff Tailrace - Packsaddle Boat Ramp	12/4/2024 18:15	2458	110.6	15.3	Subyearling	
NST	Big Cliff Tailrace - Packsaddle Boat Ramp	12/5/2024 18:00	3539	110.6	15.3	Subyearling	

Table 4. PIT tag recovery summary at established interrogation sites, rotary screw traps (RST), and reservoir sampling locations. Recoveries during screw trap efficiency testing that were recaptured during the test (i.e., within one week of release) are not included in this table. Observation Location descriptions are those that are reported to PTAGIS. RKM is estimates total river kilometer from the mouth of the Columbia to the Observation Location.

Basin	Observation Location	RKM	Capture Method	Total	Reporting Period Total
MCK	MCKESF - South Fork McKenzie River	552	Screw Trap	133	0
MCK	SFM - South Fork McKenzie River	551	Instream Array	8	0
MCK	Cougar Dam Powerhouse	542	Screw Trap	155	0
MCK	Cougar Dam Regulating Outlet	542	Screw Trap	2084	0
MCK	SFC - Cougar DamTailrace SF McKenzie	542	Instream Array	173	0
MCK	MCKESF - South Fork McKenzie River	536	Screw Trap	6	0
MCK	SID - Sauvie Island Dairy Creek	156	Instream Array	2	0
MCK	PD8 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 82	82	Instream Array	6	0
MCK	TWX - Estuary Towed Array (Exp.)	75	Towed Array	12	0
MCK	PD7 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 70	70	Instream Array	9	0
MCK	PD6 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 68	68	Instream Array	24	0

Basin	Observation Location	RKM	Capture Method	Total	Reporting Period Total
MCK	PD5 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 62	62	Instream Array	14	0
MCK	RICEIS - Rice Island	34	Predation Recovery	1	0
MCK	ASMEBR - Astoria-Megler Bridge	12	Predation Recovery	11	0
MCK	COLR1 - Columbia River - mouth to Three Tree Point, WA (km 0-49)	0	Predation Recovery	1	0
MCK	COLR2 - Columbia River - Three Tree Point, WA to Lewis River (km 49-140)	0	Predation Recovery	3	0
MFW	MCKESF - South Fork McKenzie River	552	Screw Trap	1	0
MFW	WILRMF - Middle Fork Willamette River	548	Screw Trap	41	0
MFW	Hills Creek Dam Powerhouse	537	Screw Trap	180	0
MFW	Hills Creek Dam Tailrace	537	Screw Trap	139	0
MFW	WILRMF - Middle Fork Willamette River	521	Screw Trap	1	0
MFW	Lookout Point Dam	512	Fyke Net	1	0
MFW	CRESIS - Crescent Island, Columbia River	510	Predation Recovery	1	0
MFW	WILRMF - Middle Fork Willamette River	506	Fyke Net	1	0
MFW	WILRMF - Middle Fork Willamette River	503	Fyke Net	1	0
MFW	Lookout Point Dam	500	Gillnet	1	0
MFW	Lookout Point Dam	498	Gillnet	1	0
MFW	Lookout Point Dam	496	Gillnet	4	0
MFW	Lookout Point Dam	496	Screw Trap	254	0
MFW	Dexter Dam	491	Screw Trap	93	0
MFW	Fall Creek Dam	477	Screw Trap	710	0
MFW	WILRMF - Middle Fork Willamette River	464	Fyke Net	1	0
MFW	TTOWER - Transmission towers near Troutdale, OR	190	Predation Recovery	1	0
MFW	PD8 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 82	82	Instream Array	21	0
MFW	TWX - Estuary Towed Array (Exp.)	75	Towed Array	72	0
MFW	PD7 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 70	70	Instream Array	43	0
MFW	PD6 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 68	68	Instream Array	91	0
MFW	PD5 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 62	62	Instream Array	42	0
MFW	RICEIS - Rice Island	34	Predation Recovery	3	0
MFW	ASMEBR - Astoria-Megler Bridge	12	Predation Recovery	29	0
MFW	ESANIS - East Sand Island, Columbia River	8	Predation Recovery	8	0

Basin	Observation Location	RKM	Capture Method	Total	Reporting Period Total
MFW	COLR1 - Columbia River - mouth to Three Tree Point, WA (km 0-49)	0	Predation Recovery	3	0
MFW	COLR2 - Columbia River - Three Tree Point, WA to Lewis River (km 49-140)	0	Predation Recovery	5	0
NST	HANIS - Islands in the Hanford Reach of the Middle Columbia River	594	Predation Recovery	1	0
NST	Cougar Dam Regulating Outlet	542	Screw Trap	1	0
NST	Big Cliff Dam	429	Screw Trap	122	0
NST	NSANTR - North Santiam River, Oregon	429	Screw Trap	5	0
NST	NSANTR - North Santiam River, Oregon	383	Bypass Sub-Sample	25	0
NST	TTOWER - Transmission towers near Troutdale, OR	190	Predation Recovery	3	0
NST	SID - Sauvie Island Dairy Creek	156	Instream Array	5	1
NST	ML1 - Lower Mill Creek (MILL4C)	88	Instream Array	1	0
NST	PD8 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 82	82	Instream Array	11	0
NST	TWX - Estuary Towed Array (Exp.)	75	Towed Array	55	0
NST	PD7 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 70	70	Instream Array	15	0
NST	PD6 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 68	68	Instream Array	45	0
NST	PD5 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 62	62	Instream Array	28	0
NST	RICEIS - Rice Island	34	Predation Recovery	1	0
NST	ASMEBR - Astoria-Megler Bridge	12	Predation Recovery	11	0
NST	ESANIS - East Sand Island, Columbia River	8	Predation Recovery	2	0
NST	COLR2 - Columbia River - Three Tree Point, WA to Lewis River (km 49-140)	0	Predation Recovery	5	0
SST	MSANTR - Middle Santiam River, Oregon	446	Screw Trap	92	0
SST	MSANTR - Middle Santiam River, Oregon	442	Fyke Net	2	0
SST	MSANTR - Middle Santiam River, Oregon	441	Fyke Net	1	0
SST	QUARTC - Quartzville Creek, tributary to Middle Santiam River	441	Fyke Net	1	0
SST	MSANTR - Middle Santiam River, Oregon	439	Fyke Net	1	0
SST	QUARTC - Quartzville Creek, tributary to Middle Santiam River	438	Fyke Net	1	0
SST	QUARTC - Quartzville Creek, tributary to Middle Santiam River	437	Gillnet	1	0
SST	QUARTC - Quartzville Creek, tributary to Middle Santiam River	434	Gillnet	4	0
SST	MSANTR - Middle Santiam River, Oregon	433	Gillnet	1	0
SST	MSANTR - Middle Santiam River, Oregon	432	Gillnet	1	0
SST	SSANTR - South Santiam River, Oregon	431	Screw Trap	26	0

Basin	Observation Location	RKM	Capture Method	Total	Reporting Period Total
SST	MSANTR - Middle Santiam River, Oregon	430	Fyke Net	1	0
SST	MSANTR - Middle Santiam River, Oregon	430	Gillnet	4	0
SST	Green Peter Dam	429	Screw Trap	120	0
SST	MSANTR - Middle Santiam River, Oregon	420	Gillnet	69	0
SST	Lebanon Dam	388	Instream Array	496	0
SST	TTOWER - Transmission towers near Troutdale, OR	190	Predation Recovery	1	0
SST	PD8 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 82	82	Instream Array	24	0
SST	TWX - Estuary Towed Array (Exp.)	75	Towed Array	63	0
SST	PD7 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 70	70	Instream Array	20	0
SST	PD6 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 68	68	Instream Array	62	0
SST	PD5 - Columbia River Estuary rkm 62	62	Instream Array	56	0
SST	RICEIS - Rice Island	34	Predation Recovery	1	0
SST	PIER3 - Pier 3 boat yard, Port of Astoria, OR	19	Predation Recovery	1	0
SST	ASMEBR - Astoria-Megler Bridge	12	Predation Recovery	45	0
SST	ESANIS - East Sand Island, Columbia River	8	Predation Recovery	4	0
SST	COLR2 - Columbia River - Three Tree Point, WA to Lewis River (km 49-140)	0	Predation Recovery	4	0

APPENDIX A. RELEASE SITE MAPS

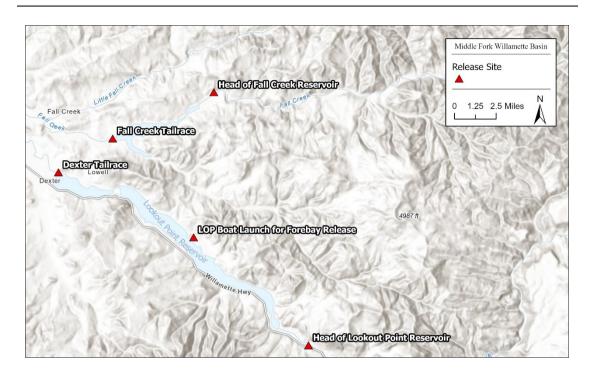


Figure A1. Map of LOP, Dexter tailrace and Fall Creek release locations within the Middle Fork Willamette Basin.

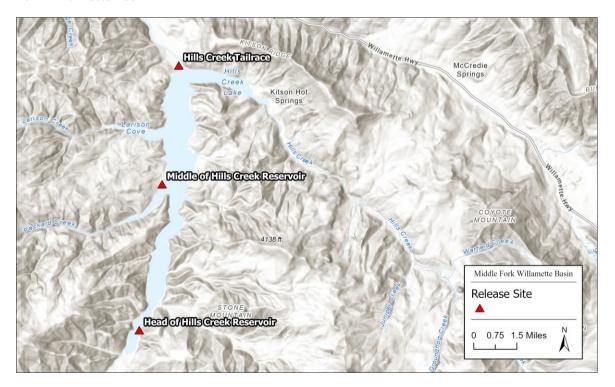


Figure A2. Map of Hills Creek Reservoir release locations within the Middle Fork Willamette Basin.

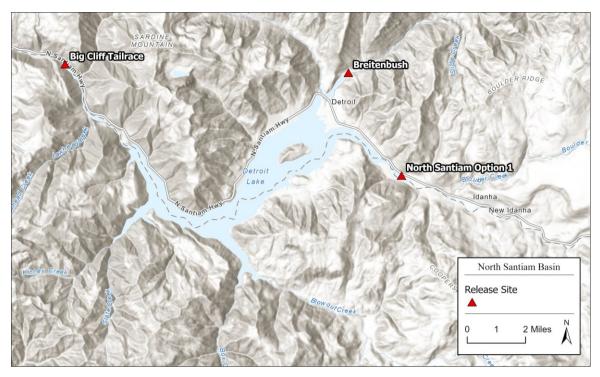


Figure A3. Map of release locations within the North Santiam Basin.

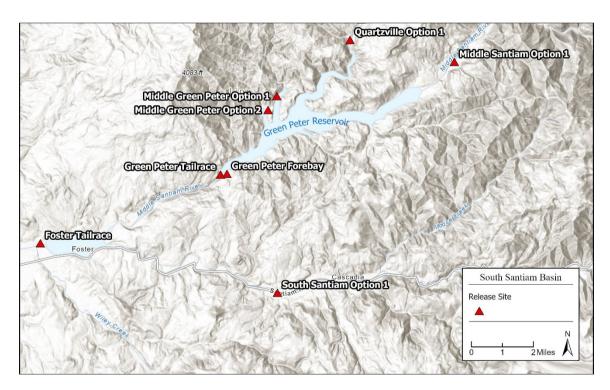


Figure A4. Map of release locations in the Middle/South Santiam basin including Green Peter Reservoir.

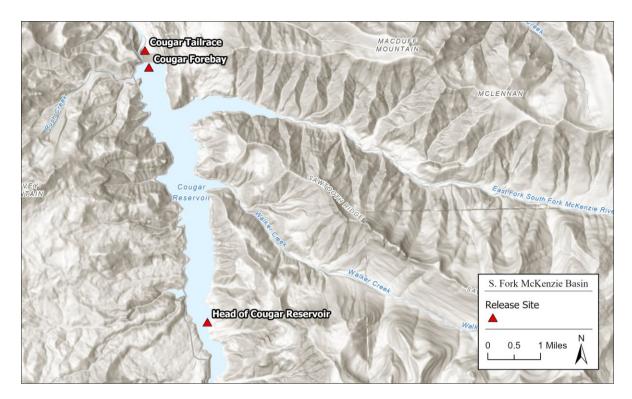


Figure A5. Map of release locations at Cougar Reservoir.

APPENDIX B. HATCHERY FISH SOURCED FROM ODFW HATCHERIES

Table B1. Total brood year 2023 ODFW hatchery fish released for rotary screw trap efficiency tests (EAS) and for the bulk marking project (CFS) through February 15, 2025.

Brood Year 2023 - Juvenile Chinook for RM&E								
Subbasin	Life Stage	Pickup Timing Bulk Releases ¹	Total Allocation ²	Total Used (EAS)	Total Used (CFS)	Total Used	Total Remaining	
	Fry	Late February - April 2024	16500	0	15021	15021	1479	
North Contiam (2111)	Subyearling	September - November 2024	47000	15580	23996	39576	7424	
North Santiam (21H)	Yearling	Feb-25	17000	1827	0	1827	15173	
	All	NA	80500	17407	39017	56424	24076	
	Fry	Late February - April 2024	11000	0	9856	9856	1144	
Courth Courtisms (2411)	Subyearling	August - October 2024	70000	26,250	25,863	52113	17887	
South Santiam (24H)	Yearling	Feb-25	40000	5000	0	5000	35000	
	All	NA	121000	31250	35719	66969	54031	
	Fry	February-April 2024	1,900	0	0	0	1900	
Makannia (2211)	Subyearling	September-November 2024	4,500	6250		6250	-1750	
McKenzie (23H)	Yearling	February-March 2025	0	0	0	0	0	
	All	NA	6,400	6,250	0	6250	150	
	Fry	February-May 2024	0	0	0	0	0	
M. Fork Willamette	Subyearling	August-November 2024	8,000	8000		8000	0	
(22H)	Yearling	January-February 2025	0	0	0	0	0	
	All	NA	8000	8000	0	8000	0	

- 1 Stated pickup timing is for bulk release groups. Fish will be picked up at least once per month year-round for screw trap efficiency trials.
- 2 Total numbers includes all fish needed for RM&E purposes per Brood Year (i.e., annual basis) and will come from a combination of 'routine production' and 'additional production for RM&E'. Numbers have been rounded up for general planning purposes as 'extra' fish are needed to account for tagging and holding studies.