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| INTERPRETING INDICATORS OF RANGELAND HEALTH *VERSION 5* EVALUATION FORM – PAGE 1  *Complete the following information as necessary for project documentation and assessment purposes.* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Evaluation area name or ID: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Date: | | | |
| Management unit: | | | | | | | | | | | | | State: | | | | Office: | | | |
| Evaluator(s): | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Ecological Site/ Reference Sheet Used for Evaluation** *(Complete this section last)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ecological Site name: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Ecological Site ID: | | | | |
| Reference sheet used/authors: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Date: | |
| Soil component: | | | | | | | | **Composition based on (check one)**: Cover  Annual Production | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Ecological Site Determination** *(Describe reference on the left**and observations of the**evaluation area on the right.)* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Soil Survey: | | | | | | | | | | Soil map unit: | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Soil and site reference description**  Description Source: Ecological Site Description OR Soil Survey | | | | | | | | | | **Evaluation area soil and site characterization** | | | | | | | | | | |
| Parent material: | | | | | Slope range: % | | | | | Parent material: | | | | | | | Elevation: ft / m | | | |
| Elevation range: ft/ m | | | | | Aspect (if specified): | | | | | Slope: % | | | | | | | Aspect: | | | |
| Topographic position: | | | | | | | | | | Topographic position: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Precipitation range: in / cm | | | | | | | | | | Average annual precipitation: in / cm | | | | | | | | | | |
| Seasonal precipitation distribution: | | | | | | | | | | Seasonal precipitation distribution: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Soil depth1: Very shallow  Shallow  Moderate  Deep\_ Very deep | | | | | | | | | | Pit depth: in / cm | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Type and depth of diagnostic horizons:** in / cm | | | | | | | | | | **Type and depth of diagnostic horizons:** in / cm | | | | | | | | | | |
| Soil horizon | Depth | Texture | | | | | Eff2 | | Other | Soil horizon | Depth | | | | Texture | | | Eff2 | | Other |
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| **Evaluation Area Location** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Criteria used to select evaluation area: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Location description/directions: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Size of evaluation area: | | | | | | UTM Zone: Datum: | | | | | | | | Position by GPS? Yes / No | | | | | | |
| Township Range | | | | **OR** | | UTM E m | | | | | | **OR** | | N. Latitude | | | | | | |
| Section ¼ Section | | | | N m | | | | | | W. Longitude | | | | | | |
| **Supplemental Information & Reference Community Phase** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Recent weather (last 2 years): drought \_\_\_ normal \_\_ wet\_\_\_ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Natural disturbance type(s) and date(s): | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Land treatment type(s) and date(s): | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wildlife, livestock, recreation, or other uses: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Offsite influences: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Photos taken? Yes / No | | | Quantitative data collected: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| F/S groups worksheet completed? **Yes**(*attach worksheet*) **No** (document expected relative dominance on next line) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Reference community phase/description3: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

1Depth classes: Very shallow < 25 cm; Shallow 25-50 cm; Moderate 50-100 cm; Deep 100-150 cm; Very Deep > 150 cm

2Soil effervescence (Eff) codes: NE – non-eff.; VS – very slightly eff.; SL – slightly eff.; ST – strongly eff.; V – violently eff.

3If F/S worksheet is not completed, describe expected reference community F/S groups’ relative dominance in this field.