



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
CORPS OF ENGINEERS, PORTLAND DISTRICT
PO BOX 2946
PORTLAND OR 97208-2946

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

CENWP-EC-HD (1110a)

28 October 2012

MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: John Day (JDA) North Fish Ladder - Trip Report for field water velocity measurements – October 18 and 19, 2012.

Participants: Schlenker, Steve EC-HD
Hansen, Martin, EC-HD
Henrie, Gary, EC-HD

Field Trip Objectives:

1. The objective of this trip was to conduct water velocity measurements in the JDA North Fish Ladder. Total entrance discharge was determined for rating curve data at low tailwater, and average channel velocity was measured near Weir 155 and in the Auxiliary Water Supply (AWS) well. The general vicinity is noted in Appendix A. The USACE team consisted of Steve Schlenker, Martin Hansen and Gary Henrie. The USACE Price meter equipment was used to obtain water velocities in the various locations. Access for the work was coordinated with Miroslaw A Zyndol – resident JDA fish biologist.

Background:

2. Concern over problems of adult salmon migrating upstream through the North Fish Ladder has been noted by Miro Zyndol. Such delay at Columbia and Snake River dams is unacceptable to fishery agencies and has prompted the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to gather field data to address the situation recently noted. An additional purpose of the site visit was to calibrate the 1-D Model for low tailwater conditions including entrance head; AWS head losses, channel velocities, and pump curves. A summary is provided in Appendix B.
3. After Miro alerted FPOM on the poor fish passage numbers in September, discussion between him and EC-HD lead to a diagnosis of probable low velocities in the fish way channel between the approximate middle of Diffuser 2 and the base of the ladder, Weir 155. EC-HD provided to FPOM results from

their numerical 1-D model indicating varying degrees of low velocities under different operations and also future operations after the Season 2 construction is completed this spring. In early October, Miro & other Project Biologists collected surface velocities that were significantly higher than the 1-D Model results.

4. In past years, the adult fish ladder on the north side of JDA has struggled to meet current fish passage criteria for fish ladders, and past problems have been reviewed. The current situation has relatively slow velocities in the lower channel (Diffuser 2) just downstream of the last weir. Miro (with EC-HD concurrence) suggested the low velocities could be improved by an interim operation that increased the Auxiliary Water Supply (AWS) flow (using the three pumps in manual mode) to a level so that the entrance head would exceed NMFS criteria (> 2.0 feet). Also the flow from the Exit section could be increased by raising depth over the control ladder weir, from 1.0 to 1.3 feet. The excessively high entrance head operation was later moderated to between 1.7 – 1.9 feet in early October, as request by NMFS due to concerns for Lamprey passage. All three operations were tested during the EC-HD site visit.
5. The low velocity problems should be largely or entirely mitigated by the Season 2 construction improvements (lowering Stover Pipe weir crests for the ladder diffusers 3 -15 and sluices gates that can limit the discharge from diffuser 2).

Data Collection:

6. The members of the data collection team arrived at the project on Oct. 18th and organized at the JDSFL (185 deck) at approximately 15:12. Per the staff personnel in the 'Smolt' Building, The forebay elevation at that time was recorded as 265.16 feet with the N. shore tailwater being 159.3 feet. The Exit Control Section Weir was observed to be overtopped by 1.3 feet (i.e. Ladder head). This did not change during the site visit. On 10-19-12 AM, the forebay was 265.16 feet and south & north tailwater were 159.5 and 159.1 feet respectively.
7. Data was collected at two locations in the ladder: total AWS discharge from the AWS conduit vent, (east of Weir 174) and channel velocities at a location some six feet downstream of the former Weir 155 and nine feet downstream of the monolith joint. Appendix A shows the areas where data was taken. Appendix C contains copies of the field data sheets. Appendix D shows photographs of the collection points and associated equipment. The data collection took place under generally fixed forebay and tailrace conditions. Water levels in the Tailwater stillwell were recorded by an 'OnSet' data logger, to supplement water levels

taken using the 'Solinst' water level meter 'e-tape'. The measurements of the e-tape are good to about 0.1 foot or so. The data logger confirmed well water levels did not change much during testing.

Flow Conditions in the Ladder and Lower Ladder Auxiliary Water System (AWS) and Fish Ladder Entrance:

8. **Ladder Flow:** The total flow in the Entrance was computed by the summation of the measured AWS discharge and the upper ladder flow from the Exit and Ladder Control Section. The Auxiliary Water Supply (AWS) conduit feeds the downstream end and entrance section from the afterbay NavLock exit channel by pumping, to provide the majority of the entrance flow. The flow at the counting station was 113 cfs, based on previous model measurements for a ladder head of 1.3 feet. Depending on the ladder and entrance heads, the fish ladder exit provides 85 -113 cfs and the AWS provides 800 - 2200 cfs.

Auxiliary Water System: The water to the lower section AWS is supplied by recently replaced pumps (driven by electrical power from the turbines). Direct measurement of the flow through the pumps would be impractical, but can be calculated from a rating curve using tailrace elevation and rating curves. For this field trip, AWS flow is estimated by integrating q grid of velocity measurements over the width and depth of the AWS conduit, using the Price meter equipment.

Entrances: The approximate tailwater elevation was recorded from the staff gage on the concrete wall downstream of the fish ladder entrance. The head differential between the tailwater and water level just upstream of the entrance was determined by measuring upstream water levels from the Elev. 185 deck. The average tailwater elevations and entrance heads for Tests 11, 12, and 13 were the following:

Ladder Head = 1.3 feet (113 cfs ladder flow) in all test cases below.

Pump Test 11:

Conditions under operation on initial day of site visit:

Tailwater Elevation = 159.15 feet

Entrance head = 1.71 feet

Pump Test 12:

Conditions changed on 2nd day of site visit:

Tailwater Elevation = 159.15 feet

Entrance head = 1.51 feet

Pump Test 13:

Conditions changed on 2nd day of site visit:

Tailwater Elevation = 159.1 feet

Entrance head = 2.19 feet

Discharge Computations:

9. The measurements were recorded on data sheets in Appendix C. Three sets of data were taken, designated as 'Pump Tests 11, 12, 13; and consisted of:
 - A. Pumping parameters recorded in the pump house, e-tape water levels in the discharge channel well, AWS diffuser "stove pipe" water levels and other water levels. Changes in pumping were affected by Stephanie Lesko CENWP-OD-J.
 - B. AWS conduit discharge measurements in the air vent, using Price meter reading to determine average flow and velocities
 - C. Fish Ladder Channel velocity measurements – three sections were used, each with recordings at three different depths.

The total flow through the various sampling transects is determined by first calculating an integrated average velocity across the channel at each depth and then integrating the resultant averages again over all depths. The edge of the flow field was extrapolated from the two outermost measurements at a given depth. The total integrated average velocity was then multiplied by the total cross-sectional area to get a total flow rate.

Table 1 - Summary of Flow Rates, Pump Data, Entrance Head, and Channel Velocities

John Day North Fishladder Low Tailwater Pump Tests Measurement Data Summary Table										
Data Collected:		Ladder head =		1.3	feet (for shad)					
October 18-19, 2012		Ladder Flow =		113	cfs					
Pump Operations										
Max Pump RPM =		229								
Max Sustained Amperage =		510								
Pump Test No	Date	Aver. TW Elev. (ft)	Σ AWS Flow (cfs)	No. of Pumps	Pump RPM	% max RPM	Max Amps	Max VFD HP	Ave Static Lift (ft)	Average Unit Pump Discharge (cfs)
11	10/18	159.2	927	3	175	76%	379	244	4.0	309
12	10/19	159.2	841	2	224	98%	452	379	3.1	420
13	10/19	159.1	1,112	3	205	90%	474	371	5.2	371
Entrance Operations							Channel Velocities			
					Ave. Entrance Head Readings			Location 2**, near Weir 155		
					(1)	(2)				
					Meas. Future Location*	Diff (1) - (2)				
Pump Test No	Date	Ave. TW Elev. (ft)	Δ TW in test (ft)	En- trance Flow (cfs)	Con- trol Panel	Meas. Future Location*	Diff (1) - (2)	Flow Rate cfs	Average Velocity ft/s	Surface Velocity ft/s
11	10/18	159.15	-0.1	1,040	1.81	1.50	0.3	217	0.8	1.4
12	10/19	159.15	0.1	954	1.61	1.42	0.2	235	0.9	1.5
13	10/19	159.1	0	1,225	2.29	2.18	0.1	304	1.1	1.8
							Average	0.2	Ratio Surf /Ave = 170%	
* Future location for u/s stillwell is on right side of channel 50' feet u/s of entrance structure										
** 6 ft d/s of u/s end of Diffuser 2 & 9 ft east of Monolith joint										
Comparison of Measured Pump Performance with Pump Curves										
				Average Pump Discharge		% *** difference	Pump Horsepower based on Curves			
Pump Test No	No. of Pump	Ave Static Lift (ft)	% Max RPM	Meas. (cfs)	Curves (cfs)	Meas. to curves	Curves HP	Recorded VFD HP		
11	3	4.0	76%	309	296	4%	160	244		
12	2	3.1	98%	420	411	2%	366	379		
13	3	5.2	90%	371	349	6%	331	371		
Ave.:	2.7	4.1	0.9	366.7	352.1	4%	285.7	331.3		
*** Average of previous percent differences in Tests 1-4, 10 were 8%										

Observations:

10. The measurement of the discharge and channel velocities at different AWS pump settings at the low tailwater generally indicates overall compliance with the previously developed ladder model. This mathematical hydraulic model has been utilized to develop this season's information, the PLC logic, and will be used to develop the PLC logic after the Season 2 Construction upgrades. The velocity measurements taken were to verify/calibrate the ladder model at low tailwater levels and to provide experience for future operations. This data provides important channel velocity verification, to allow proper judgments to be made on how to best operate the fish ladder, in similar circumstances. The low velocity data confirms and helps document the reason why fish did not proceed up the ladder earlier this fall. The data is attached within Appendix B.
11. The two of the key improvements planned for Season 2 (FY 13 In-water work period) are designed to improve channel velocities in the lower ladder:
 - Lower Stove Pipe Weirs for Ladder Diffusers 3 – 15
 - This will direct more flow in the ladder diffusers which will in turn raise velocities at the base of the ladder
 - Install eight (8) new sluice gates for diffuser two (2) portals
 - This will limit flow into large Diffuser 2 and raise AWS hydraulic gradeline to help direct more flow into the ladder diffusers

Conclusions:

12. Water velocities in the vicinity of the former weir 155 and base of ladder Weir 158 were confirmed to be too low for acceptable salmon passage in the ladder. This out-of-criteria channel velocity condition will be addressed with the Season 2 construction. While not optimum, the interim operations with the increases in AWS flow and ladder head provided the best interim corrections for Season 1.
13. Also with calibration of the entrance head coefficient (0.694), the 1-D model simulated the field data with an average difference of 0.05 ft/s (higher in the field than model). The only aberration was with Pump Test 12, where the difference was +0.2 ft/s in the field. This shows that the model is a viable tool for simulating Season 2 Operations and PLC refinements.

Recommendations:

14. CENWP-EC-HD will provide a brief memo to FPOM on the Low Tailwater velocities experienced this year (Season 1) and the expected improvements with operations in Season 2.
15. Additionally, the Price meter equipment is in need of attention. Items needing consideration, given limited financial resources, are:
- replacement of the 'Aquacount' output reader
 - purchase of a second Sounding Reel crank arm
 - replacement of one of the threaded rods which guides the cable guide-wheel
 - installation of the geared sprocket near the handle to make the 'catch' functional
 - replace/refurbish Price meter that do not pass the 'two minute spin' test

Martin Hansen
Hydraulic Engineer

Encl.

CF:

CENWP-EC-H (Buchholz, Robert)
CENWP-EC-HD (Phillips, Marie)
CENWP-OD-J (Mackintosh, David)
CENWP-OD-J (Zyndol, Miro)

CENWP-EC-TG
CEN/FILES

CENWP-EC-H
CAPLEY

CENWP-EC-H
BUCHHOLZ

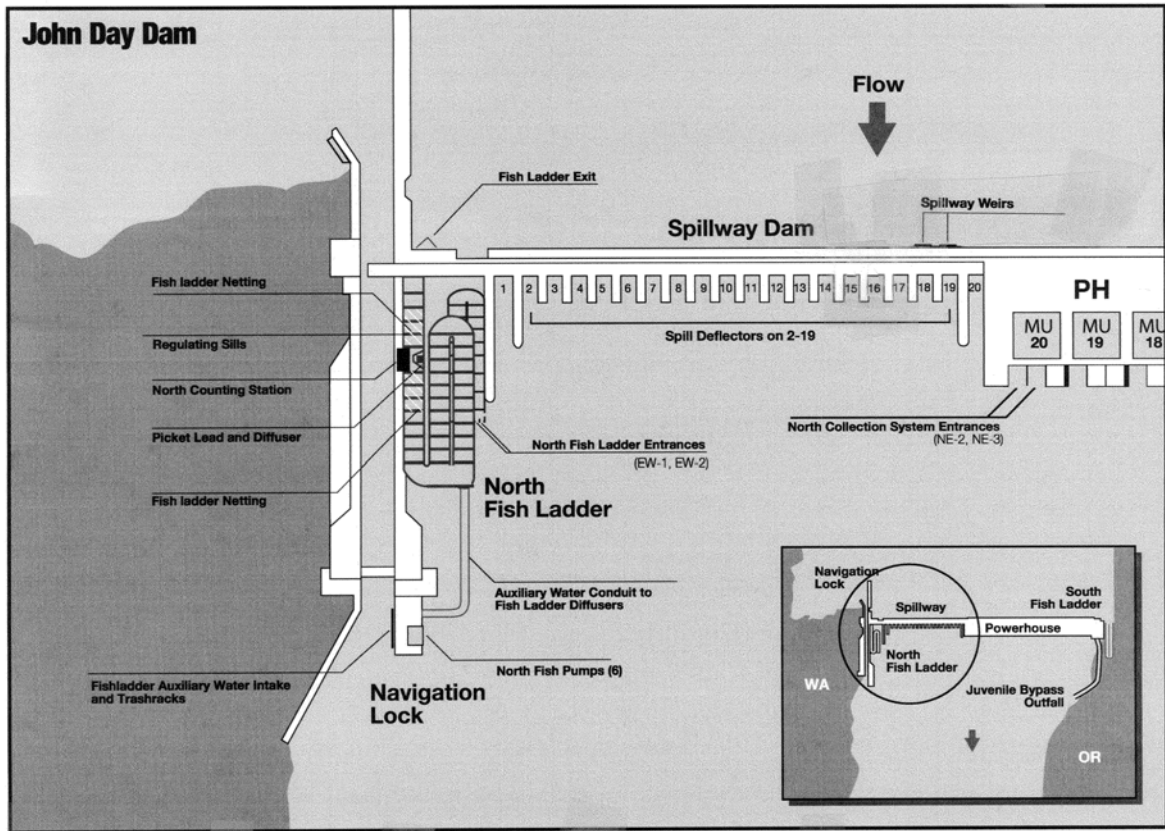
CENWP-EC-HD
PHILLIPS

CENWP-EC-HD
SCHLENKER

CENWP-EC-HD
HANSEN

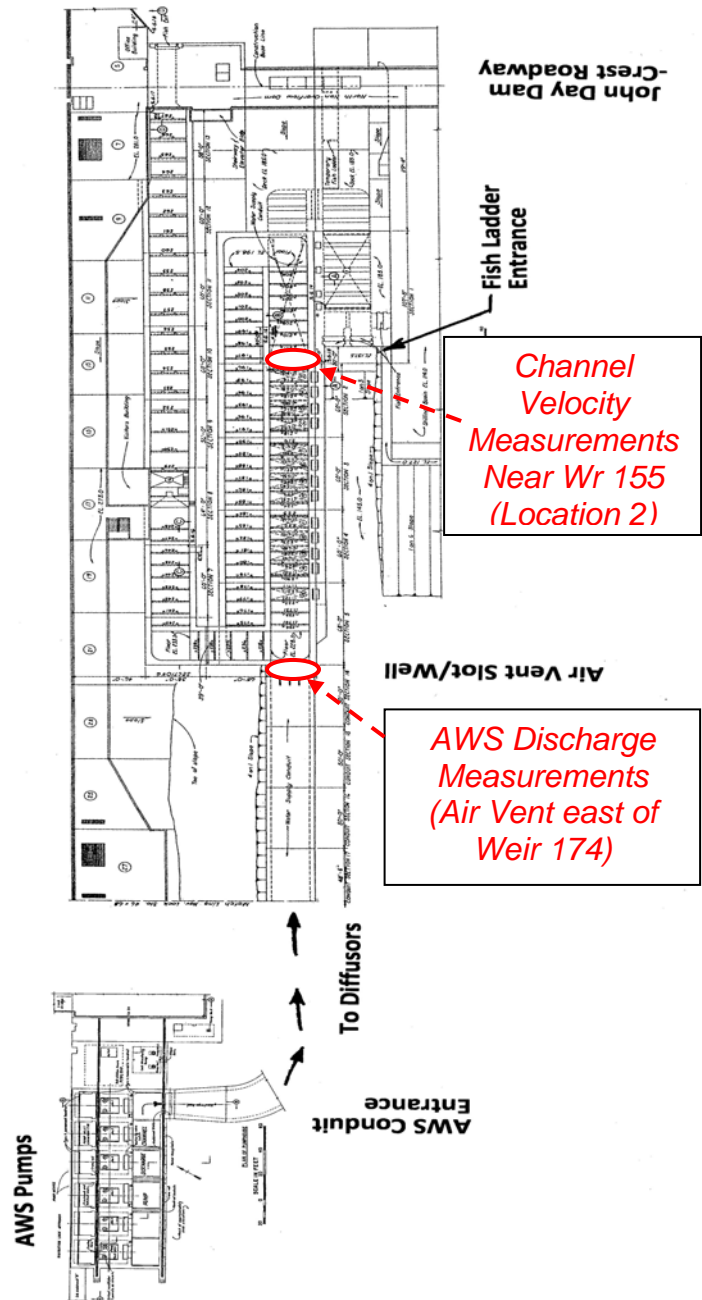
WAC/4871
28 OCT 2012

APPENDIX A - Vicinity Map sheets with schematic outline of North Fish Ladder



John Day Dam Spillway and North Fish Ladder.

Note: water velocity measurement locations are shown in red on the subsequent, more detailed pages, in **red**. See the photo collage for a visual depiction of the Price meter water velocity measurement locations.



PLAN VIEW - NORTH FISH LADDER - AWS PUMPS & SUPPLY CONDUIT SYSTEM

NTS (NavLock Channel is on north (upper) side of pumps and fish ladder)

Figure A-1 : Plan View of John Day North Fishladder with Measurement Locations

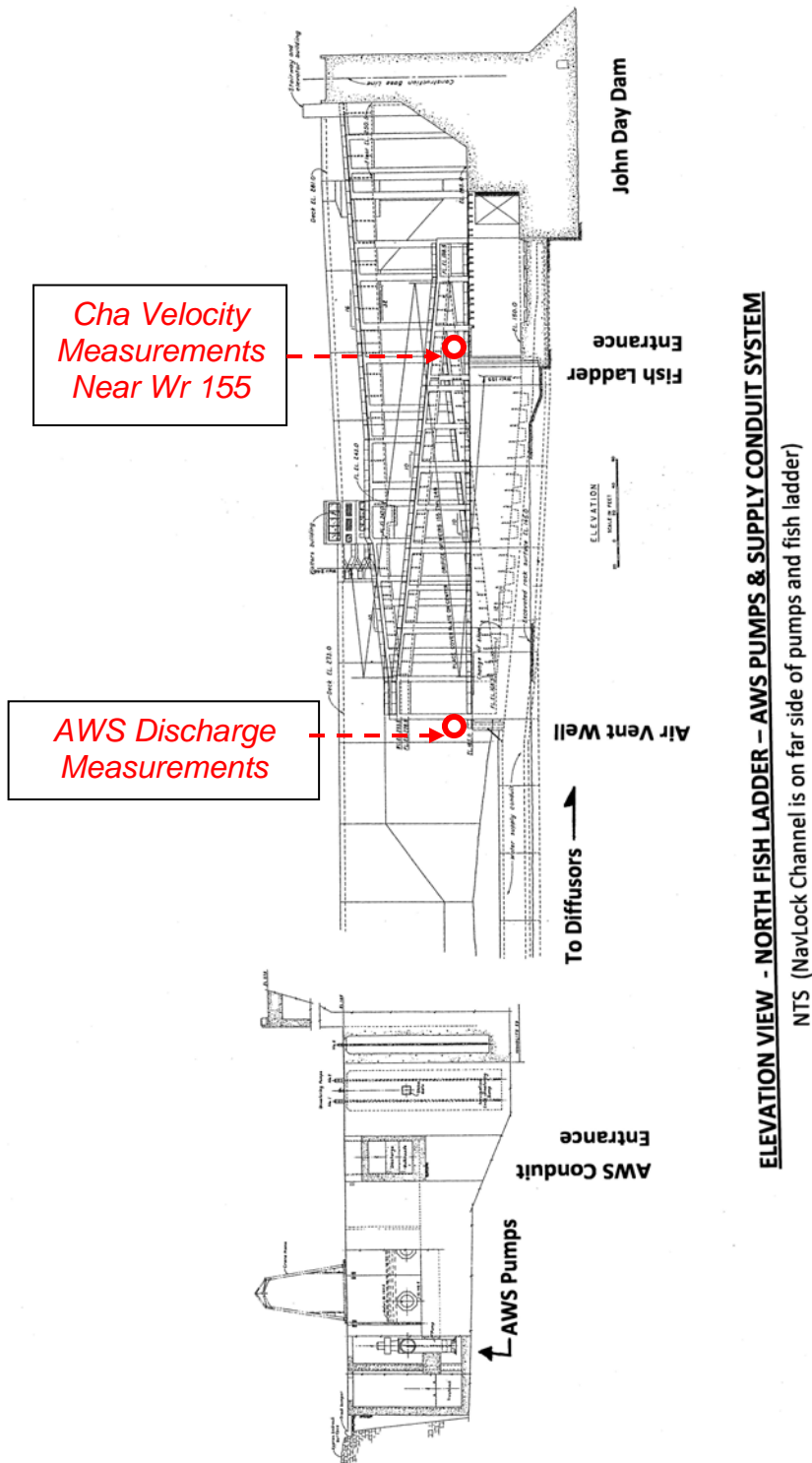


Figure A-1 : Elevation View of John Day North Fishladder with Measurement Locations

APPENDIX B - Outline of Events and Data for JDA Fish Ladder non-performance.

On September 10, 2012, Miro Zyndol, (JDA Project Biologist) reported that the count of adult migrants was unusually low after spill ceased on August 31. Also concurrently plotted is the fish ladder flow, weir elevation (ft above weir crest at North Count Station, the total AWS pump flow, and the entrance head (differential in feet as measured from water surface in the ladder about 40 - 60 feet upstream of the Fish Ladder Entrance minus the Columbia River tailwater elevation).

This incident was noticed when fish were 'holding', that is milling about in the lower North Fish Ladder at the same time that the fish count plummeted. John Day fish biologists responded by increasing flow by two methods:

1. Increase Diffuser 16 grating flow at the North Count Station. The diffuser grating is below the 'Control Section'. This resulted in an increase in water overtopping the weir from 1 ft (for salmon passage) to about 1.3 ft (for shad passage).
2. Pump flow from three units was increased by increasing the RPM's. This resulted in the 'head differential' increasing from 1 foot ('normal', typical condition) to 2.2 to 2.3 feet, starting On September 19, 2012. This was subsequently reduced to about 1.8 feet per request from NMFS. This is within NMFS criteria (but higher than the normal optimum 1.5 feet entrance head) and eases lamprey passage from the excessive head applied earlier.
3. Detailed Pump Operation Log From Miro Zyndol:
 - prior to 9/19 AWS pump[s] operated to maintain 1.5 foot entrance criteria and ladder head at 1.0 feet
 - 9/19 we increased the AWS output to max (pumps in manual setting) at approximately 1400 hrs.
 - 9/26 Due to NOAA concerns for violating flow criteria, we scaled down to below 2.0' differential, at approximately noon.

Additionally:

- 9/27 one AWS pump tripped AM, and JDN entrance was temporarily at 1.5 'differential
- 9/28 returned to all three AWS pumps operation, at approximately noon

The following figure shows a plot of the percent of total daily adult Chinook salmon passed by the North Fishladder in 2012 versus the average daily percent in 2009-2011 compiled by Miro Zyndol. The data record goes from Aug 06 – Oct 31 for each year. The red solid line represents 2012; the blue dashed line represents 2009-11. The light green line represents the total daily adult salmon passed in 2012 graphed against the secondary axis over the same time period.

The graph shows the poor, post-spill performance of JDAN in 2012 in comparison to previous years, and partial improvement with the interim operations after Sept 19.

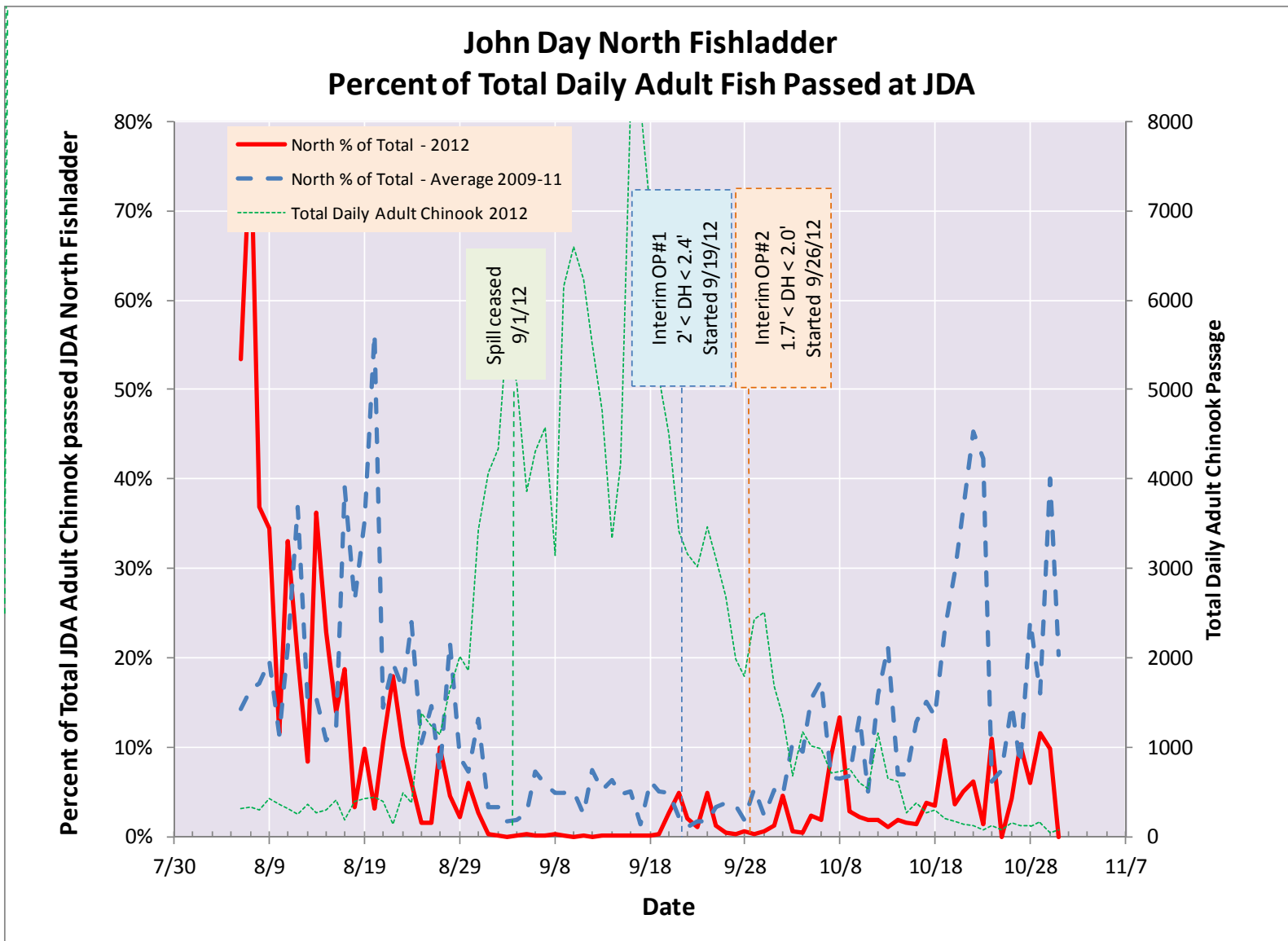


Figure B-1: Percent of Total Adult Chinook Salmon passed at North Fishladder and Total Daily Adult Chinook Count



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
CORPS OF ENGINEERS, PORTLAND DISTRICT
PO BOX 2946
PORTLAND OR 97208-2946

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

APPENDIX C - Detailed field data – Fish Ladder Velocity Data sheets with reductions

Flow Conditions Measured (numbering started from initial tests in spring):

Ladder Head = 1.3 feet (113 cfs ladder flow) in all test cases below.

Pump Test 11:

Conditions under operation on initial day of site visit:

Tailwater Elevation = 159.15 feet Entrance head = 1.7 feet

Pump Test 12:

Conditions changed on 2nd day of site visit:

Tailwater Elevation = 159.15 feet Entrance head = 1.5 feet

Pump Test 13:

Conditions changed on 2nd day of site visit:

Tailwater Elevation = 159.1 feet Entrance head = 2.2 feet

The data for each Pump Test is arranged in the following order:

- Pump Data Sheet 1 – includes pumps used, pumps speeds, pump amperage and VFD horsepower
- Pump Data sheet 2 – includes static lift of pumps (based on difference between water level elevations in pump discharge channel and Navlock Tailwater), hydraulic gradeline in AWS conduit, tailwater and entrance head data from both control panel readouts in electrical building and physical measurements using sounding tapes.

(Note that entrance heads reported at the control panel report values 0.1 feet higher than physically measured on average. However, the physical measurements in the approach channel 50 feet upstream of the entrance are not precise due to the high channel velocities that cause difficulty with sounding tapes. The water sensor is located about 3 inches above the above of the bottom of the weighted metal sensor housing that is launched downstream and into a pendulum motion when immersed into fast moving flow.)
- AWS Flow Measurements through air vent east of Weir 174 – Includes depth in conduit and velocities measured over a grid of 5 columns (across the channel) with 5 depths of measurement is each column. The data is numerically integrated for each depth across the width of the channel. The velocities along sidewalls of the channels are estimated by means of modified projection from the outermost two measurements in proximity to the wall. The integrated average velocities for each depth are then integrated over the vertical depth of flow in the same manner. The flow rate is the total integrated velocity x depth x width.
- Channel Velocity Measurements at Location 2 (near former Weir 155) – Includes flow depths and velocities measured over a grid of 3 to 5 columns (across the channel) with 3 depths of measurement is each column. The average velocities and flow rates are computed in the same manner as described in the previous paragraph.

'Test 11' sheets, dated 10-18-12

JOHN DAY NORTH FISH LADDER HEAD DATA									
Date:	10/18/2012	Time:	16:17	18:38	Name:	MPH	GSH	SJS	
PUMP TEST NUMBER:	11	<i>ENTRANCE DATA READOUT:</i>							
				16:17	TW	159.2	App Cha	161.0	
NUMBER OF PUMPS OPERATING:		3		18:38	TW	159.1	App Cha	160.9	
RPM OF PUMPS OPERATING:		175							
% Max RPM		76%			<i>ENTRANCE DATA READOUT:</i>				
	Pump No.	1	2	3	4	5	6		
PUMPS IN OPERATION:			X	X	X				
PRESSURE AND WATER SURFACE ELEVATIONS:									
meas.									
COUNTING STATION STAFF GAGE =		1.3	ft	TIME:		16:06			
PUMP & AWS HEAD MEASUREMENTS:					(Deck Elev. =	185	ft)		
					(datum = NGVD 29/47)				
PUMPS FROM U/S END:									
CONTROL ROOM READINGS:									
PUMP #	1	<i>TIME:</i>	16:17	18:38	PUMP #	4			
PUMP AMPERAGE					AMPS	378	379		
HORSE POWER					HP	244	243		
VOLTAGE to PUMPS					VOLTS				
PUMP #	2	3			PUMP #	5			
PUMP AMPERAGE		361	363		AMPS				
HORSE POWER		233	234		HP				
VOLTAGE to PUMPS					VOLTS				
PUMP #	3	2			PUMP #	6			
PUMP AMPERAGE		366	367		AMPS				
HORSE POWER		238	237		HP				
VOLTAGE to PUMPS					VOLTS				
VOLTAGE TO VFDS									
VFD Frequency			45.4			45.4	Hz		

ETAPE MEASUREMENTS IN DISCHARGE CHANNEL:							
				meas.	elev.		
WS ELEV. LOCK CHANNEL (etape)				25.5	159.50	TIME:	16:33
				25.4	159.60	TIME:	18:44
DISCHARGE CHANNEL (etape)				Deck elev.=	185	ft	
CHANNEL ENDS:		U/S END	21.4	163.6	ft	D/S END	21.5 163.5
CHANNEL ENDS:		U/S END	21.5	163.5	ft	D/S END	21.6 163.4
AVERAGE PUMP STATIC LIFT:							
CHANNEL ENDS:		U/S END	4.1	ft		D/S END	4.0
CHANNEL ENDS:		U/S END	3.9	ft		D/S END	3.8
AWS DIFFUSER "STOVE PIPES" (ETAPE W/REF TO EL. 185 DECK)							
				meas.	elev.		
#15				22.1	162.9	TIME:	16:35
Note: if no overflow in diffuser slot, measure only the downstream slot without overflow in list below; then measure all openings with overflow (downstream of that slot).							
				meas.	elev.		
# 10			# 9			# 8	
# 7			# 6			# 5	22.50 162.50
# 4			# 3	22.60	162.40		
U/S most Diffuser with Flow over weir:				# 5	(lapping over at #6)		
READOUTS (Elec Building)							
			TIME:	16:16		18:38	
CHANNEL (u/s of Entrance)				161.0	ft	160.9	ft
TAILWATER @ ENTRANCE =				159.2	ft	159.1	ft
Entrance head =				1.80	ft	1.81	ft
E-Tape Readings							
			Distance to Water:		WATER LEVEL ELEV:		
			start	end	start	end	
		Time:	16:45		Ref EL	16:45	
Tailrace Level :			25.6		185.0	159.4	
			start	end		start	end
Existing Stillwell :							
Future Stillwell Location			24.1		160.9		1.5
(left side 50' u/s of entrance)							
STAFF GAGE READINGS							
					elev.		
Tailwater (+/- 1.0 ft)					159.3		ft
Fish Ladder over Diffuser 2 (+/1 0.2 ft)					161.5	161.4	ft

JOHN DAY NORTH FISHLADDER VELOCITY DATA													
AWS CONDUIT MEASUREMENTS (Air Vent Slot East of Weir 174)						Data Collectors: MPH GSH SJS							
Date:	10/18/2012	Time:	16:00	17:30	Pump Test number	11							
Distance to Water:						WATER LEVEL ELEV:			Datum = NGVD 29/47				
start		end		start		end		location					
Time:	16:45	0:00	Ref EL	16:45	0:00			TW		159.3			
Tailrace Level :	25.6	0.0	185.0	159.4	185.0			Diff 2		161.5			
CONTROL PANEL READOUTS:						159.2		159.1					
Exist U/s Stillwell:						0.0		0.0		185.0			
Future US Stillwell:						24.1		0.0		160.9			
CONTROL PANEL READOUTS:						161.0		160.9					
POINT VELOCITY AND FLOW MEASUREMENTS IN AWS:										No. of Pumps Operating			
										3			
Z ₁₅ = Meas. Distance to WS	22.20	ft (from 185 deck)		B = Channel Width =	24.0		ft		RPM	175.0			
WS = Water Surface Elev	162.80	(185 - Z ₁₅)		Deck elev =	185.0		ft		% Max	76%			
Y = Measured Depth =	12.80	ft (=WS - 2)		Z _i = INVERT =	150.0		ft		Max RPM	229			
X1 = Side Edge width inc=	3	Aprox internal dimension =		3.5	Div		est TW		26				
Y1 = Vertical edge height in	2	No of Internal X Incr =		5	10		internal Y		-124	(X' if YES) HP			
						No of Internal Y Incr. =		4		6			
										-36.42857143			
AWS CONDUIT MEASUREMENTS:						(Air Vent Slot East of Weir 174)			Pump 1				
Horiz. No.:	Formula for Depth from surface (pm)	Depth from Surface (ft)	Vert. Sect. No.:	1	2	4	6	7	Ave Vel	Pump 2	X	238	
			Est Dist. from Left Edge (ft)	1.5	5.0	12.0	19.0	22.5		Pump 3	X	234	
			(ft) from Fft side	1.5	5.0	12.0	19.0	22.5		Pump 4	X	244	
1	0.5*Y1/2	1.0	Counts	46	53	57	60	51	3.00	Pump 5			
			duration or angle	40.0	40.2	40.0	40.6	40.1		Pump 6			
			VELOCITY	2.55	2.93	3.16	3.28	2.82					
2	Depth 1 + (Y-Y1)/4	3.7	Counts	52	59	58	58	53	3.13				
			duration or angle	40.0	40.4	40.1	40.0	40.5					
			VELOCITY	2.88	3.24	3.21	3.22	2.90					
3	Depth 2 + (Y-Y1)/4	6.4	Counts	55	58	57	59	52	3.13	Price Meter	X		
			duration or angle	40.1	40.2	40.0	40.5	40.2					
			VELOCITY	3.04	3.20	3.16	3.23	2.87					
4	Depth 3 + (Y-Y1)/4	9.1	Counts	49	54	57	56	54	3.00	Price Meter Rotations per Count:			
			duration or angle	40.2	40.6	40.5	40.1	40.4			1		
			VELOCITY	2.71	2.95	3.12	3.10	2.97			V = 0.0178 + 2.2048 * (rotations/time)		
5	Depth 4 + (Y-Y1)/4 should = Y - 0.5*Y1/2	11.8	Counts	46	48	57	53	46	2.81				
			duration or angle	40.6	40.2	40.3	40.4	40.1					
			VELOCITY	2.52	2.65	3.14	2.91	2.55					
Total Average Integrated Velocity =				3.02									
Total Computed AWS FLOW RATE =				927 (= B * Y * V)									

JOHN DAY NORTH FISHLADDER VELOCITY DATA										
LADDER CHANNEL MEASUREMENTS				Data Collectors:			MPH	GSH	SJS	
LOCATION:		2		9 feet east of Monolith Joint Sections 1 and 2 (Approx Former WEIR 155 Location)						
							Pump Test number			
Date:	10/18/2012	Time:	18:08	18:30						11
				Tailwater		Entrance Head				
				start end		start end				
CONTROL PANEL READOUTS:				159.2	159.1	1.80	1.81			
							Price Meter		X	
No. of Pumps Operating:			3			Price Meter Rotations per Count =			1	
V = 0.0178 + 2.2048 * (rotations/time)										
POINT VELOCITY AND FLOW MEASUREMENTS IN AWS:										
Z ₁₅ = Meas. Distance to WS		ft (from 185 deck)	B = Channel Width =		24.0		ft			
WS = Water Surface Elev	161.40	(185 - Z ₁₅)	Deck elev =		185.0		ft			
Y = Measured Depth =	11.40	ft (=WS - 2)	Z _i = INVERT =		150.0		ft			
X1 = Side Edge width inc =		4	Approx internal dimension =		5.0 Div		est TW		26.0	
Y1 = Vertical edge height in		2	No. of Internal X Incr. =		3		internal Y		-124.0	
			No. of Internal Y Incr. =		2				-25.8	
AWS CONDUIT MEASUREMENTS: (Former Weir 155 Location)										
Horiz. No.:	Formula for Depth from surface (pm)	Depth from Surface (ft)	Vert. Sect. No.:	1	2	4	6	7	Ave Vel	
			Est Dist. from Left Edge (ft)	4.0		12.0		20.0		
			(ft) from Fft side	4.0		12.0		20.0		
1	0.5*Y1/2	1.0	Counts	23		26		25		
			duration or angle	41.2		40.6		40.1		
			VELOCITY	1.25		1.43		1.39	1.35	
Observed Angle of Flow (range)	Degrees from longitudinal			-20 to 10		-10 to 20		-20 to 20	South is - North is +	
4	Depth 3 + (Y-Y1)/2	5.7	Counts	10		12		12		
			duration or angle	42.4		42.9		42.4		
			VELOCITY	0.54		0.63		0.64	0.60	
5	Depth 4 + (Y-Y1)/4 should = Y - 0.5*Y1/2	10.4	Counts	10		8		9		
			duration or angle	42.4		40.4		41.5		
			VELOCITY	0.54		0.45		0.50	0.50	
Total Average Integrated Velocity =				0.79						
Total Computed AWS FLOW RATE =				217 (= B * Y * V)						

'Test 12' sheets, dated 10-19-2012

JOHN DAY NORTH FISH LADDER HEAD DATA									
Date:	10/19/2012	Time:	9:41	10:50	Name:	MPH	GSH	SJS	
PUMP TEST NUMBER:		12		ENTRANCE DATA READOUT:					
				9:41	TW	159.1	App Cha	160.7	
NUMBER OF PUMPS OPERATING:		2		10:50	TW	159.2	App Cha	160.8	
RPM OF PUMPS OPERATING:		224							
% Max RPM		98%							
		Pump No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
PUMPS IN OPERATION:				X	X				
PRESSURE AND WATER SURFACE ELEVATIONS:									
				meas.					
COUNTING STATION STAFF GAGE =				1.3	ft	TIME:			
PUMP & AWS HEAD MEASUREMENTS:						(Deck Elev. =		185	ft)
						(datum = NGVD 29/47)			
PUMPS FROM U/S END:									
CONTROL ROOM READINGS:									
PUMP #	1	TIME:	9:41	10:50	PUMP #	4			
PUMP AMPERAGE					AMPS	452	448		
HORSE POWER					HP	379	375		
VOLTAGE to PUMPS					VOLTS				
PUMP #	2	3			PUMP #	5			
PUMP AMPERAGE					AMPS				
HORSE POWER					HP				
VOLTAGE to PUMPS					VOLTS				
PUMP #	3	2			PUMP #	6			
PUMP AMPERAGE			434	428	AMPS				
HORSE POWER			364	364	HP				
VOLTAGE to PUMPS					VOLTS				
VOLTAGE TO VFDS									
VFD Frequency			58.1	58.1	Hz				

ETAPE MEASUREMENTS IN DISCHARGE CHANNEL:							
				meas.	elev.		
WS ELEV. LOCK CHANNEL (etape)				25.4	159.60	TIME:	9:48
				25.2	159.80	TIME:	10:53
DISCHARGE CHANNEL (etape)				Deck elev. =	185	ft	
CHANNEL ENDS:		U/S END	22.1	162.9	ft	D/S END	22.2 162.8
CHANNEL ENDS:		U/S END	22.2	162.8	ft	D/S END	22.2 162.8
AVERAGE PUMP STATIC LIFT:							
CHANNEL ENDS:		U/S END	3.3	ft		D/S END	3.2
CHANNEL ENDS:		U/S END	3.0	ft		D/S END	3.0
AWS DIFFUSER "STOVE PIPES" (ETAPE W/REF TO EL. 185 DECK)							
				meas.	elev.		
#15				22.6	162.4	TIME:	10:10
Note: if no overflow in diffuser slot, measure only the downstream slot without overflow in list below; then measure all openings with overflow (downstream of that slot).							
				meas.	elev.		
# 10			# 9			# 8	
# 7			# 6			# 5	22.80 162.20
# 4			# 3	23.00	162.00		
U/S most Diffuser with Flow over weir:				# 5	(barely lapping over)		
READOUTS (Elec Building)							
			TIME:	10:00		10:48	
CHANNEL (u/s of Entrance)				160.7	ft	160.80	ft
TAILWATER @ ENTRANCE =				159.1	ft	159.2	ft
Entrance head =				1.61	ft	1.60	ft
E-Tape Readings							
			Distance to Water:		WATER LEVEL ELEV:		
			start	end	start	end	
		Time:	10:00	11:04	Ref EL	10:00 11:04	
Tailrace Level :			25.8	25.7	185.0	159.3 159.3	ENTRANCE HEAD:
			start	end		start	end
Existing Stillwell :							
Future Stillwell Location			24.3	24.3		160.7 160.7	1.4 1.4
(left side 50' u/s of entrance)							
STAFF GAGE READINGS							
					elev.		
					Tailwater (+/- 1.0 ft)	?	ft
					Fish Ladder over Diffuser 2 (+/1 0.2 ft)	161.2	ft

JOHN DAY NORTH FISHLADDER VELOCITY DATA												
AWS CONDUIT MEASUREMENTS (Air Vent Slot East of Weir 174)						Data Collectors: MPH GSH SJS						
Date:	10/19/2012	Time:	9:30	10:40	Pump Test number	12						
Distance to Water:				WATER LEVEL ELEV:		Datum = NGVD 29/47						
Time:		10:00	11:04	Ref EL	10:00	11:04						
Tailrace Level :		25.8	25.7	185.0	159.3	159.3						
CONTROL PANEL READOUTS:				159.1		159.2		Entrance Head				
Exist U/s Stillwell:		0.0	0.0	185.0	185.0	185.0	25.8	25.7				
Future US Stillwell:		24.3	24.3		160.7	160.7	1.4	1.4				
CONTROL PANEL READOUTS:				160.7		160.8		1.61		1.60		No. of Pumps Operating
										2		
POINT VELOCITY AND FLOW MEASUREMENTS IN AWS:												
Z ₁₅ = Meas. Distance to WS	22.70		ft (from 185 deck)		B = Channel Width =	24.0		ft		RPM	224.0	
WS = Water Surface Elev	162.30		(185 - Z ₁₅)		Deck elev =	185.0		ft		% Max	98%	
Y = Measured Depth =	12.30		ft (=WS - 2)		Z _i = INVERT =	150.0		ft		Max RPM	229	
X1 = Side Edge width inc=	3		Approx internal dimension =		3.5		Div		est TW		26	
Y1 = Vertical edge height in	2		No of Internal X Incr =		5		10		internal Y		-124	
			No of Internal Y Incr. =		4		6				-36.42857143	
											(X' if YES)	HP
AWS CONDUIT MEASUREMENTS:						(Air Vent Slot East of Weir 174)			Pump 1			
									Pump 2			
									Pump 3			
									Pump 4			
									Pump 5			
									Pump 6			
Horiz. No.:	Formula for Depth from surface (pm)	Depth from Surface (ft)	Vert. Sect. No.:	1	2	4	6	7	Ave Vel			
			Est Dist. from Left Edge (ft) (ft) from Ft side	1.5	5.0	12.0	19.0	22.5				
1	0.5*Y1/2	1.0	Counts	51	54	55	57	47				
			duration or angle	40.0	40.4	40.3	40.7	40.4				
			VELOCITY	2.83	2.97	3.03	3.11	2.58	2.94			
2	Depth 1 + (Y-Y1)/4	3.7	Counts	48	54	55	57	49				
			duration or angle	40.1	40.5	40.3	40.0	40.4				
			VELOCITY	2.66	2.96	3.03	3.16	2.69	2.94			
3	Depth 2 + (Y-Y1)/4	6.4	Counts	52	56	55	54	50				
			duration or angle	40.3	40.5	40.0	40.6	40.6				
			VELOCITY	2.86	3.07	3.05	2.95	2.73	2.96	Price Meter X		
4	Depth 3 + (Y-Y1)/4	9.1	Counts	47	54	55	52	50		Price Meter Rotations per Count:		
			duration or angle	40.4	40.4	40.7	40.7	40.1		1		
			VELOCITY	2.58	2.97	3.00	2.84	2.77	2.86	V = 0.0178 + 2.2048 * (rotations/time)		
5	Depth 4 + (Y-Y1)/4 should = Y - 0.5*Y1/2	11.7	Counts	40	37	49	49	43				
			duration or angle	40.7	40.1	40.6	40.2	40.7				
			VELOCITY	2.19	2.05	2.68	2.71	2.35	2.43			
Total Average Integrated Velocity =				2.85								
Total Computed AWS FLOW RATE =				841		(= B * Y * V)						

JOHN DAY NORTH FISHLADDER VELOCITY DATA											
LADDER CHANNEL MEASUREMENTS					Data Collectors:			MPH	GSH	SJS	
LOCATION:		2	9 feet east of Monolith Joint Sections 1 and 2 (Approx Former WEIR 155 Location)							Pump Test number	
Date:	10/19/2012	Time:	11:10	11:49						12	
CONTROL PANEL READOUTS:				Tailwater		Entrance Head					
				start	end	start	end				
				159.1	159.2	1.61	1.60				
Time of Readings:				10:00	10:48					Price Meter	X
No. of Pumps Operating:		2		Price Meter Rotations per Count =						1	
V = 0.0178 + 2.2048 * (rotations/time)											
POINT VELOCITY AND FLOW MEASUREMENTS IN AWS:											
Z ₁₅ = Meas. Distance to WS	23.80	ft (from 185 deck)			B = Channel Width =	24.0	ft				
WS = Water Surface Elev	161.20	(185 - Z ₁₅)			Deck elev =	185.0	ft				
Y = Measured Depth =	11.20	ft (=WS - 2)			Z _i = INVERT =	150.0	ft				
Approx internal dimension =					5.0	Div	est TW 26.0				
X1 = Side Edge width inc=	4	No. of Internal X Incr. =			3	6	internal Y -124.0				
Y1 = Vertical edge height in	2	No. of Internal Y Incr. =			2	4	-25.8				
AWS CONDUIT MEASUREMENTS:					(Former Weir 155 Location)						
Horiz. No.:	Formula for Depth from surface (pm)	Depth from Surface (ft)	Vert. Sect. No. :	1	2	4	6	7	Ave Vel		
			Est Dist. from Left Edge (ft)	2.0	7.0	12.0	17.0	22.0			
			(ft) from Fft side	2.0	7.0	12.0	17.0	22.0			
1	0.5*Y1/2	1.0	Counts	31	21	27	27	32	1.49		
			duration or angle	42.6	41.4	40.3	40.8	40.9			
			VELOCITY	1.62	1.14	1.50	1.48	1.74			
Observed Angle of Flow (range)		Degrees from longitudinal		-20 to 10	-25 to 10	-20 to 10	-20 to 20	-10 to 10	South is - North is +		
4	Depth 3 + (Y-Y1)/2	5.6	Counts	9	9	18	13	15	0.70		
			duration or angle	41.6	45.5	40.2	41.4	41.2			
			VELOCITY	0.50	0.45	1.01	0.71	0.82			
5	Depth 4 + (Y-Y1)/4 should = Y - 0.5*Y1/2	10.2	Counts	13	7	7	7	13	0.51		
			duration or angle	41.0	44.5	42.7	44.2	41.0			
			VELOCITY	0.72	0.37	0.38	0.37	0.72			
Total Average Integrated Velocity =				0.88							
Total Computed AWS FLOW RATE =				235 (= B * Y * V)							

'Test 13' sheets, dated 10-19-2012

JOHN DAY NORTH FISH LADDER HEAD DATA									
Date:	10/19/2012	Time:	13:20	14:10	15:15	Name:	MPH	GSH	SJS
PUMP TEST NUMBER:			13			ENTRANCE DATA READOUT:			
			13:20			TW	159.1	App Cha	161.4
NUMBER OF PUMPS OPERATING:			3			14:10			TW 159.1 App Cha 161.4
RPM OF PUMPS OPERATING:			205			15:15			TW 159.1 App Cha 161.4
% Max RPM			90%			ENTRANCE DATA READOUT:			
Pump No.			1	2	3	4	5	6	
PUMPS IN OPERATION:				X	X	X			
PRESSURE AND WATER SURFACE ELEVATIONS:									
meas.									
COUNTING STATION STAFF GAGE =			1.3			ft		TIME:	
PUMP & AWS HEAD MEASUREMENTS:						(Deck Elev. = 185 ft) (datum = NGVD 29/47)			
PUMPS FROM U/S END:									
CONTROL ROOM READINGS:									
PUMP #	1	TIME:	13:20	14:10	15:15	PUMP #	4		
PUMP AMPERAGE						AMPS	473	474	475
HORSE POWER						HP	371	369	370
VOLTAGE to PUMPS						VOLTS			
PUMP #	2	3				PUMP #	5		
PUMP AMPERAGE		459	459	458		AMPS			
HORSE POWER		351	355	356		HP			
VOLTAGE to PUMPS						VOLTS			
PUMP #	3	2				PUMP #	6		
PUMP AMPERAGE		461	464	462		AMPS			
HORSE POWER		361	361	356		HP			
VOLTAGE to PUMPS						VOLTS			
VOLTAGE TO VFDS									
VFD Frequency			53.2		53.3	Hz			

ETAPE MEASUREMENTS IN DISCHARGE CHANNEL:							
				meas.	elev.		
WS ELEV. LOCK CHANNEL (etape)				25.7	159.30	TIME:	13:26
				25.4	159.60	TIME:	14:15
DISCHARGE CHANNEL (etape)				Deck elev.=	185	ft	
CHANNEL ENDS:		U/S END	20.4	164.6	ft	D/S END	20.4 164.6
CHANNEL ENDS:		U/S END	20.3	164.7	ft	D/S END	20.4 164.6
AVERAGE PUMP STATIC LIFT:							
CHANNEL ENDS:		U/S END	5.3	ft		D/S END	5.3
CHANNEL ENDS:		U/S END	5.1	ft		D/S END	5.0
AWS DIFFUSER "STOVE PIPES" (ETAPE W/REF TO EL. 185 DECK)							
				meas.	elev.		
#15				21.1	163.9	TIME:	13:45
Note: if no overflow in diffuser slot, measure only the downstream slot without overflow in list below; then measure all openings with overflow (downstream of that slot).							
				meas.	elev.		
# 10		# 9				# 8	
# 7	21.5	# 6	21.5	163.5		# 5	21.9 163.1
# 4	21.9	# 3	21.8	163.2			
U/S most Diffuser with Flow over weir:				# 6			
READOUTS (Elec Building)							
			TIME:	13:20	14:10	15:13	
CHANNEL (u/s of Entrance)				161.4	ft	161.40	ft
TAILWATER @ ENTRANCE =				159.1	ft	159.1	ft
Entrance head =				2.29	ft	2.29	ft
E-Tape Readings				Distance to Water:		WATER LEVEL ELEV:	
			start	end	Ref EL	start	end
		Time:	13:39	14:28		13:39	14:28
Tailrace Level :			25.8	25.8	185.0	159.2	159.3
			start	end		start	end
Existing Stillwell :							
Future Stillwell Location			23.6	23.6		161.4	161.4
(left side 50' u/s of entrance)			23.6	23.6	(right side)	161.4	161.4
STAFF GAGE READINGS							
					elev.		
Tailwater (+/- 1.0 ft)					?		ft
Fish Ladder over Diffuser 2 (+/1 0.2 ft)					162.0		ft

JOHN DAY NORTH FISHLADDER VELOCITY DATA													
AWS CONDUIT MEASUREMENTS (Air Vent Slot East of Weir 174)						Data Collectors: MPH GSH SJS							
Date:	10/19/2012	Time:	13:10	14:07	Pump Test number	13							
Distance to Water:				WATER LEVEL ELEV:		Datum = NGVD 29/47							
Time:		13:39	14:28	Ref EL	13:39	14:28							
Tailrace Level :		25.8	25.8	185.0	159.2	159.3							
CONTROL PANEL READOUTS:				159.1		159.1		Entrance Head					
Exist U/s Stillwell:		0.0	0.0	185.0	185.0	185.0	25.8	25.8					
Future US Stillwell:		23.6	23.6		161.4	161.4	2.2	2.2					
CONTROL PANEL READOUTS:				161.4		161.4		2.29	2.29	No. of Pumps Operating			
POINT VELOCITY AND FLOW MEASUREMENTS IN AWS:										3			
Z ₁₅ = Meas. Distance to WS	21.10	ft (from 185 deck)		B = Channel Width =	24.0		ft		RPM	205.0			
WS = Water Surface Elev	163.90	(185 - Z ₁₅)		Deck elev =	185.0		ft		% Max	90%			
Y = Measured Depth =	13.90	ft (=WS - 2)		Zi = INVERT =	150.0		ft		Max RPM	229			
X1 = Side Edge width inc=		3		Aprox internal dimension =		3.5 Div		est TW		26			
Y1 = Vertical edge height in		2		No of Internal X Incr =		5		10		internal Y			
				No of Internal Y Incr. =		4		6		-36.42857143			
AWS CONDUIT MEASUREMENTS: (Air Vent Slot East of Weir 174)										(X' if YES)		HP	
Horiz. No.:	Formula for Depth from surface (pm)	Depth from Surface (ft)	Vert. Sect. No. :	1	2	4	6	7	Ave Vel	Pump 1			
			Est Dist. from Left Edge (ft)	1.5	5.0	12.0	19.0	22.5		Pump 2	X	355	
1	0.5*Y1/2	1.0	(ft) from Fft side	1.5	5.0	12.0	19.0	22.5	3.19	Pump 3	X	361	
			Counts	55	57	58	60	61		Pump 4	X	371	
			duration or angle	40.3	40.7	40.3	40.3	40.5		Pump 5			
2	Depth 1 + (Y-Y1)/4	3.5	VELOCITY	3.03	3.11	3.19	3.30	3.34	3.38	Pump 6			
			Counts	55	61	61	64	66					
			duration or angle	40.7	40.0	40.4	40.5	40.3					
3	Depth 2 + (Y-Y1)/4	6.4	VELOCITY	3.00	3.38	3.35	3.50	3.63	3.47	Price Meter	X		
			Counts	61	62	62	66	64					
			duration or angle	40.6	40.3	40.3	40.0	40.2					
4	Depth 3 + (Y-Y1)/4	10.5	VELOCITY	3.33	3.41	3.41	3.66	3.53	3.41	Price Meter Rotations per Count:			
			Counts	58	58	65	63	64		1			
			duration or angle	40.2	40.3	40.2	40.1	40.4		V = 0.0178 + 2.2048 * (rotations/time)			
5	Depth 4 + (Y-Y1)/4 should = Y - 0.5*Y1/2	12.9	VELOCITY	3.20	3.19	3.58	3.48	3.51	3.11				
			Counts	53	58	60	60	47					
			duration or angle	40.4	40.6	40.4	40.6	40.0					
Total Average Integrated Velocity =				3.33									
Total Computed AWS FLOW RATE =				1112 (= B * Y * V)									

JOHN DAY NORTH FISHLADDER VELOCITY DATA											
LADDER CHANNEL MEASUREMENTS					Data Collectors:			MPH	GSH	SJS	
LOCATION:		2	9 feet east of Monolith Joint Sections 1 and 2 (Approx Former WEIR 155 Location)							Pump Test number	
Date:	10/19/2012	Time:	14:35	17:05						13	
CONTROL PANEL READOUTS:				Tailwater		Entrance Head					
				start	end	start	end				
				159.1	159.1	2.29	2.29				
Time of Readings:				14:10	15:13					Price Meter	X
No. of Pumps Operating:		3		Price Meter Rotations per Count =						1	
V = 0.0178 + 2.2048 * (rotations/time)											
POINT VELOCITY AND FLOW MEASUREMENTS IN AWS:											
Z ₁₅ = Meas. Distance to WS		ft (from 185 deck)	B = Channel Width =		24.0		ft				
WS = Water Surface Elev	162.00	(185 - Z ₁₅)	- staff gage	Deck elev =	185.0		ft				
Y = Measured Depth =	12.00	ft (=WS - 2)	Z _i = INVERT =		150.0		ft				
X1 = Side Edge width inc=			4	Approx internal dimension =		5.0 Div	est TW		26.0		
Y1 = Vertical edge height in			2	No. of Internal X Incr. =		3	6	internal Y		-124.0	
				No. of Internal Y Incr. =		2	4			-25.8	
AWS CONDUIT MEASUREMENTS:					(Former Weir 155 Location)						
Horiz. No.:	Formula for Depth from surface (pm)	Depth from Surface (ft)	Vert. Sect. No. :	1	2	4	6	7	Ave Vel		
			Est Dist. from Left Edge (ft)	2.0	7.0	12.0	17.0	22.0			
			(ft) from Fft side	2.0	7.0	12.0	17.0	22.0			
1	0.5*Y1/2	1.0	Counts	36	30	30	32	36	1.79		
			duration or angle	41.4	39.9	41.0	40.9	40.9			
			VELOCITY	1.94	1.68	1.63	1.74	1.96			
Observed Angle of Flow (range)		Degrees from longitudinal		-10 to 10	-30 to 30	-20 to 20	-20 to 20	-5 to 5	South is - North is +		
4	Depth 3 + (Y-Y1)/2	6.0	Counts	16	13	16	15	20	0.85		
			duration or angle	43.1	46.2	40.6	41.4	41.6			
			VELOCITY	0.84	0.64	0.89	0.82	1.08			
5	Depth 4 + (Y-Y1)/4 should = Y - 0.5*Y1/2	11.0	Counts	19	9	9	6	14	0.62		
			duration or angle	42.1	42.1	41.5	43.1	40.0			
			VELOCITY	1.01	0.49	0.50	0.33	0.79			
Total Average Integrated Velocity =				1.05							
Total Computed AWS FLOW RATE =				304 (= B * Y * V)							

APPENDIX D - Photo collage of field data gathering showing equipment. (See following pages.)

Photo-stream of John Day Dam N. Fish Ladder, Oct. 18 & 19, 2012 data collection and associated equipment:
(Overall Images Nos. 1 to 9, on pages 1 to 4:)



Photo 1. Aerial View of North Fish Ladder from NavLock gate lifting tower – looking upstream towards dam, with Navlock on the left. The Fish Counting Station is in center of upper-most level of the fish ladder.



Photo 2. End view of North Fish Ladder – the AWS vent-well is shown in the lower right corner, as a projection from the end turn of the fish ladder channel, per the arrow. Three struts are at the base of the AWS vent-well wall.



Photo 3. N. Fish Ladder – looking downstream from AWS vent-well towards dam and former Weir 155, the other transect location where the fish ladder channel cross-sectional velocities were measured.



Photo 4. Elevation view of N Fish Ladder – the fish channel transect is located just right of the closely spaced dual concrete columns in line-sight with the entrance end of the fish ladder. The monolith joint runs between the two closely-spaced columns. The fish channel transect is nine feet to the right of the monolith joint, lying just to the right of right column as noted by the red arrow. The blue arrow pointing to the Elev. 185 deck is where e-tape water-surface level indicators are used to determine the water surface, just within the fish ladder entrance.



Photo 5. Water velocity measurement system – sounding reel on folding frame, plus 30# lead fish-weight, with Price meter. Price meter is lowered by stainless steel cable down into the AWS vent-well from the end pulley, via a hand-operated crank-arm mounted on the sounding reel.



Photo 6. Close-up of water velocity measurement system – sounding reel on folding frame, showing hand crank and electrical leads for measuring Price meter cup rotations, and hence water velocity. An adjustable cable-payout dial indicator is on the left upper end of the sounding reel chassis, directly above the reel axle.



Photo 7. Close-up of Price meter setup next to the AWS vent-well with 30# fish weight to maintain stability in turbulent flow. The upper wire connection lead (“one-count”) is normally used, not the lower wire connection lead as shown (“five-count”). The cups of the Price meter are given a ‘two minute spin’ test before immersion to insure proper functioning. Concurrently the spin reading on the ‘Aquacount’ output reader (not shown) is also checked.

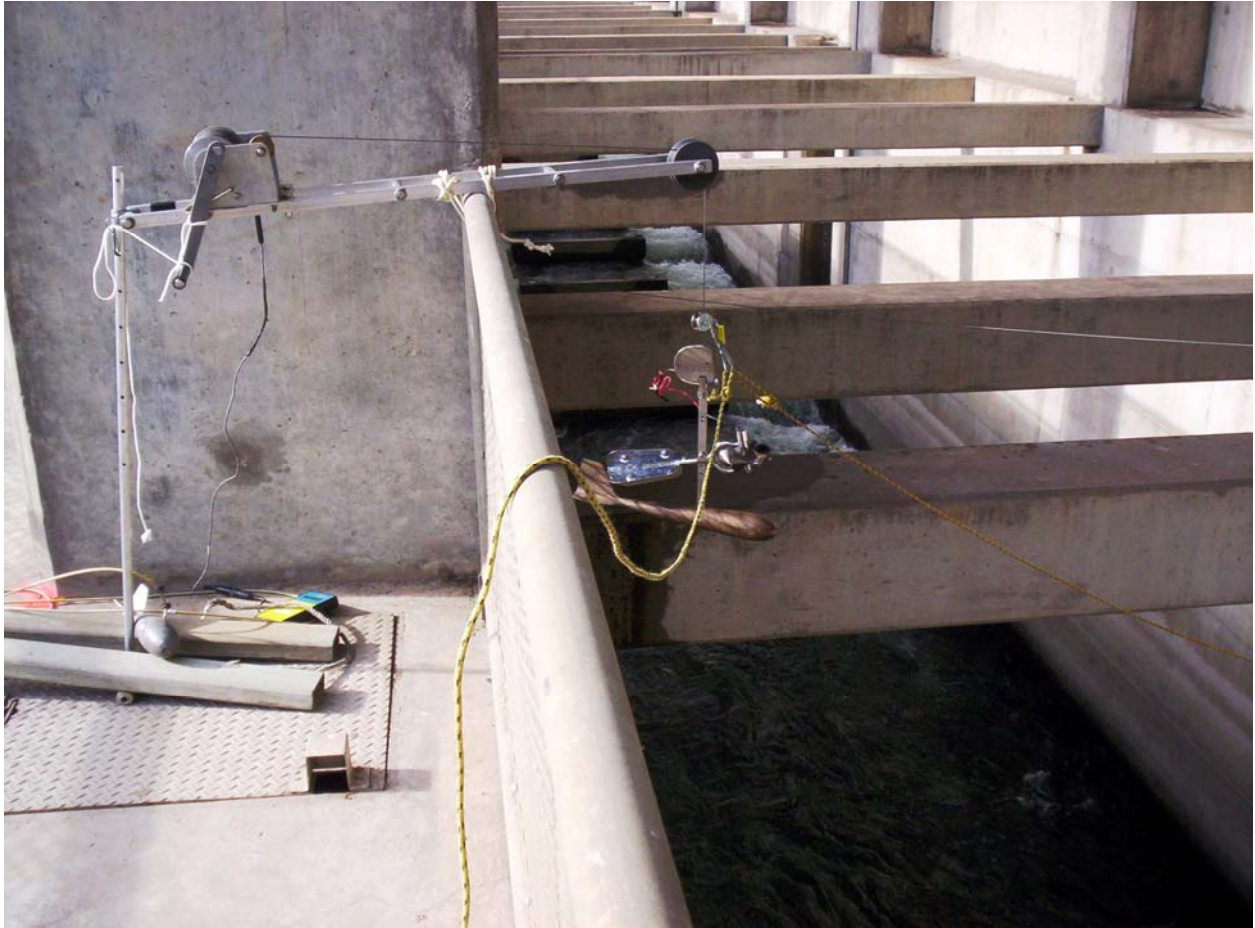


Photo 8. Close-up of Price meter setup next to the fish channel, near the former Weir 155. The fish weight and Price meter are drawn across the channel into position by the ropes attached to the metal links and metal cable-pulley. The position was checked using a marked-up light-weight white two inch plastic pipe. Note the connected blue and yellow 'Aquacount' output reader placed temporarily on the Elev. 185 deck. The operator normally stands on the folding frame where it rests on the deck, instead of the steel tubing sections shown.

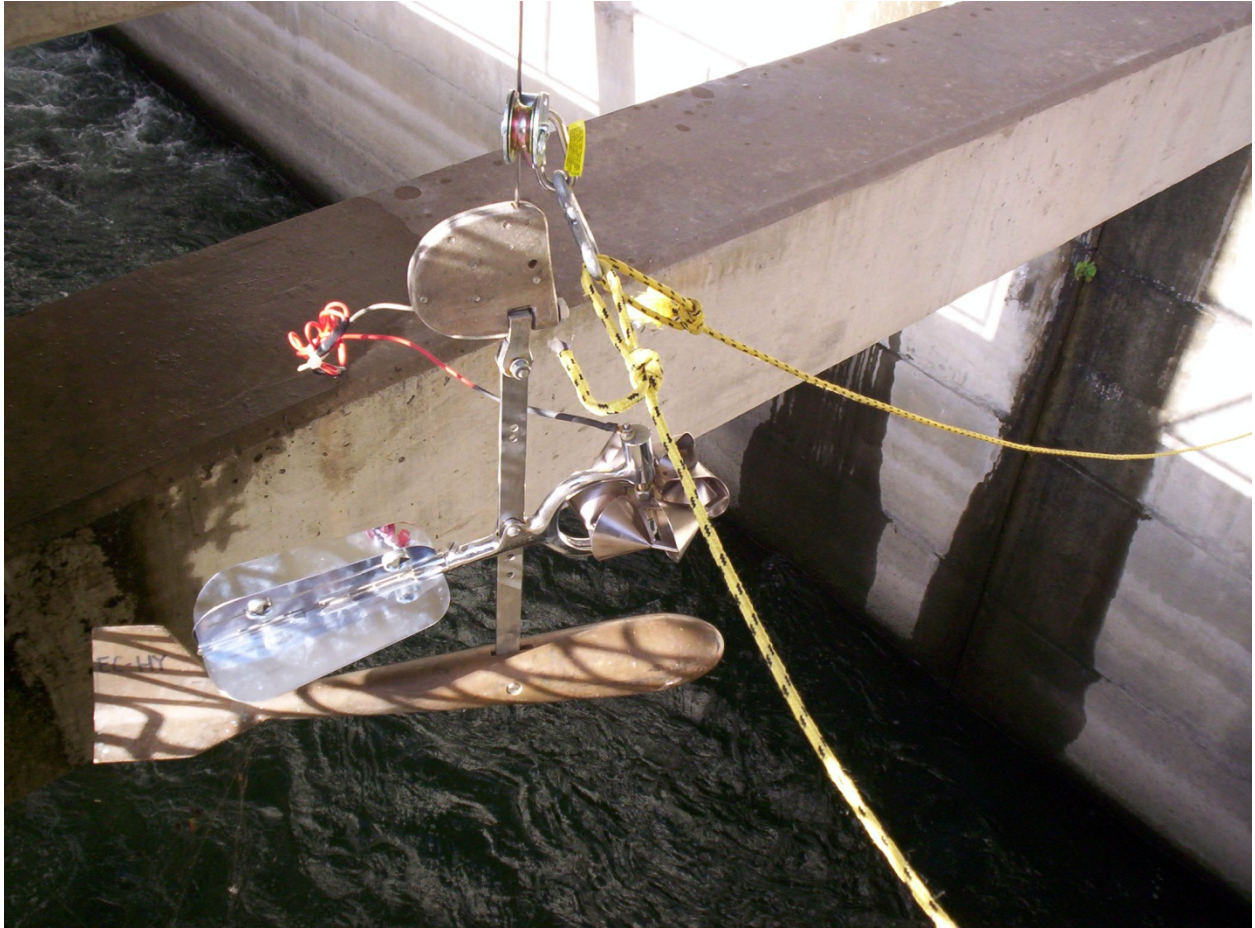


Photo 9. Close-up of Price meter setup next to the fish channel with the metal pulley positioning system. The cups of the Price meter are given a 'two minute spin' test before immersion to insure proper functioning. This test consists of seeing if the cups, once manually spun, remain in motion for at least two minutes. Concurrently the spin reading on the 'Aquacount' output reader is also checked.

References:

JD reference drawings –

JDF-1-3-4/5 N. Shore Fish Ladder - Pumphouse

JDF-1-3-4/8 N. Shore Fish Facilities - Section of Pump & Pump Discharge Chute
(Shows under-sized radius of interior concrete corner, leading to discharge duct)

JDF-1-4-2/1 N. Shore Fish Ladder – Concrete Outline

(Shows diffusers and stove-pipe wells & fish ladder entrance X-Section)

JDF-1-4-2/17 N. Shore Fish Ladder – Section Views No. 2 (shows stove-pipe shaft
& overflow weir)

JDF-1-4-2/18 N. Shore Fish Ladder – Section Views No. 3

JDF-1-4-2/52 N. Shore Fish Ladder – Weir 155 to 263

JDF-1-4-2/57 N. Shore Fish Ladder – Staff Gage Locations (incl. inside & outside of
fish ladder entrance), (shows ‘water supply conduit’ from pumps)

JDF-1-4-2/58 N. Shore Fish Ladder – Elevation View (shows orifice covers and
Stove-pipe shafts leading to diffusers. Also vent well in auxiliary water supply
(AWS) conduit where velocities are taken to compute AWS discharge rates.

JDF-1-4-2/104 N. Shore Fish Ladder – Temporary Fish Ladder

JDF-1-5-2/1 N. Shore Fish Ladder – Fish Entrance

JDF-1-5-2/12 N. Shore Fish Ladder – Existing General Layout (shows water
Supply conduit, ‘observation well’, and NavLock discharge conduits routed
Beneath water supply conduit)

JDF-1-5-2/19 N. Shore Fish Ladder – Modified Sections at Counting Station

JD misc. ref. -

2007 correspondence on North Fish Ladder evaluations – S. Schlenker, Cy Cook,
Karen Kuhn, et al.