

Use Characteristics Checklist

USE CHARACTERISTICS:

Yes/No

Visit counts

Individual visits/Group visits

Observable characteristics

Group size

Number of stock

Method of travel

Gender

Approximate age

Time or date of entry/exit

Overnight or day use

Simple nonobservable characteristics

Length of stay

Wilderness travel patterns

Visitor residence

Age

Activities

Visit frequency

Entry/exit points

Complex nonobservable characteristics

Visitor perceptions (problems, etc.)

Past wilderness experience

Knowledge of regulations, low-impact behavior, etc.

Preferences for management strategies

Visitor attitudes

Preferences for wilderness conditions

Number of encounters

Summary-use statistics

Recreation Visitor-Days (RVD's)