

Progress Report
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Project Name: Tailed Frog Meta-analysis
Project Status: Final Report
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Background and Current Status

This project seeks to identify the geographic, regional, and local patterns in habitat use by the two species of tailed frog by assembling tailed frog data sets on a geographic scale for both species. Datasets from participating co-operators were assembled by WDFW to be used in the meta-analysis. Part of the analysis was conducted by Cortex Consultants, but it was insufficient to satisfy project objectives. WDFW will complete the analysis by evaluating the functional relationships between physical/biological components of headwater stream ecosystems and the effects of forest management on tailed frog habitats and populations. The meta-analysis is underway and planned for completion in FY 2009.

Budget

Total Allocated: \$80,000 (\$51,000 to WDFW and \$29,000 to Cortex)
Total Spent: \$77,588.56
Budget Remaining: \$0, Cortex contract closed July 2005, WDFW contract closed Dec. 31, 2005