

Table D8-1 Areal Extent of the Vegetation Types

Vegetation Type	Study Area (Main Permit Area) ⁽²⁾	
	Acres ⁽¹⁾	Percent of the Area
Upland Big Sagebrush Shrubland	3610	85
Lowland Big Sagebrush Shrubland	610	15

- ⁽¹⁾ The Study Area covered 4,220 acres, slightly more than the Main Permit Area of 4,194 acres, due to differences in rounding techniques, the use of more than one computer program for estimating area, and adjustment of a claim boundary. The existing disturbance of about 31 acres was not incorporated into the table because it represents such a small fraction of the total acreage (<1%). The 31 acres of disturbance was calculated by assuming that each of the existing two-track roads (Figure D7-3) is 10 feet wide.
- ⁽²⁾ The vegetation along the East and West Access Roads is described in Appendix D - East & West Roads.