

Table 1. Assessment Variables Affected by Potential CALFED Bay-Delta Program Actions: Reservoir Community

CALFED Programs and Components	Effect of CALFED Actions	Affected Assessment Variable	
		Primary	Secondary
Conveyance	Change in reservoir operations due to changes in Delta diversion timing and volume	Reservoir elevation	Habitat, species interaction
	Change in coldwater pool, in addition to change in reservoir operations due to changes in Delta diversion timing and volume	Temperature	Habitat, species interaction
Storage	Change in reservoir operations due to changes in available storage volume and locations	Reservoir elevation	Habitat, species interaction
	Change in coldwater pool, in addition to change in reservoir operations due to changes in available storage volume and locations	Temperature	Habitat, species interaction
Water Use Efficiency	Change in reservoir operations due to changes in urban and agricultural water demand	Reservoir elevation	Habitat, species interaction
	Change in coldwater pool, in addition to change in reservoir operations due to changes in urban and agricultural water demand	Temperature	Habitat, species interaction
Water Quality Improvements	Change in reservoir operations to provide water to dilute pollutant concentrations	Reservoir elevation	Habitat, species interaction
	Change in coldwater pool, in addition to change in reservoir operations to provide water to dilute pollutant concentrations	Temperature	Habitat, species interaction

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Water Quality Improvements	Reduction of discharges upstream of reservoirs of water quality constituents that are of concern to aquatic habitats and water users, in addition to change in reservoir operations to provide water to dilute pollutant concentrations	Water quality	Habitat, species interaction
Ecosystem Restoration	Change in reservoir operations to provide environmental water	Reservoir elevation	--
	Riparian habitat restoration that may provide shade, in addition to change in coldwater pool and change in reservoir operations to provide environmental water	Temperature	--
	Protection, enhancement, and restoration of physical habitat, in addition to change in coldwater pool and change in reservoir operations to provide environmental water	Habitat	--
	See "Water Quality Improvements"	Water quality	--
	Improvement of data management for fish harvest regulation	Fishing	--
	Management of fish hatchery production	Artificial production	--

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Ecosystem Restoration	Control of introduced species, in addition to protection, enhancement, and restoration of physical habitat; change in coldwater pool; and change in reservoir operations to provide environmental water	Species interaction	--
Levee System Integrity	Not relevant to this aquatic community	--	--

Notes:

-- = not relevant.

A primary assessment variable is directly affected by a CALFED action that may be included in one of the programs and components.

A secondary assessment variable is indirectly affected by CALFED actions and changes in response to primary variables.