

Site Days and Percentage of Days Sampled by Stratum

| Stratum* | | Days Sampled | Site Days# in Use Level/Proxy Population | Sampling Rate (%)& |
|------------|---------------------------|--------------|--|--------------------|
| Site Type† | Use Level‡ or Proxy Code§ | | | |
| DUDS | VERY HIGH | 9 | 105 | 8.6 |
| DUDS | HIGH | 15 | 1,130 | 1.3 |
| DUDS | MEDIUM | 15 | 2,526 | 0.6 |
| DUDS | LOW | 15 | 6,525 | 0.2 |
| OUDS | HIGH | 9 | 70 | 12.9 |
| OUDS | MEDIUM | 9 | 382 | 2.4 |
| OUDS | LOW | 14 | 1,925 | 0.7 |
| OUDS | DUR4 | 8 | 3,445 | 0.2 |
| OUDS | FE4 | 6 | 164 | 3.7 |
| GFA | VERY HIGH | 15 | 483 | 3.1 |
| GFA | HIGH | 16 | 2,758 | 0.6 |
| GFA | MEDIUM | 19 | 8,926 | 0.2 |
| GFA | LOW | 55 | 22,975 | 0.2 |
| WILDERNESS | MA2 | 17 | 13,139 | 0.1 |
| Total | | 222 | 64,553 | 0.3 |

Selected Forests:

Superior NF (FY 2016)

* Stratum is the combination of the site type and use level or proxy code. Sample days were independently drawn within each stratum.

† DUDS = Day Use Developed Site, OUDS = Overnight Use Developed Site, GFA = General Forest Area (“Undeveloped Areas”), WILDERNESS = Designated Wilderness

‡ Use level was defined independently by each forest by defining the expected number of recreation visitors that would be last-exiting a site or area on a given day. The forest developed the range for very high, high, medium, and low and then assigned each day of the year to one of the use levels.

§ Proxy Code - If the site or area already had counts of use (such as fee envelopes or ski lift tickets) the site was called a proxy site and sampled independent of nonproxy sites.

Site Days are days that a recreation site or area is open to the public for recreation purposes.

& 0.0 - This value is less than five one-hundredths.

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Proxy Code Definitions:

DUR4 - Daily use record of sites with people-at-one-time (PAOT) capacity of 14 or less.

DUR5 - Daily use record for group sites with a people-at-one-time (PAOT) capacity of 15 or more.

FE3 - Fee envelopes issued per vehicle.

FE4 - Fee envelopes issued per family site with a people-at-one-time (PAOT) capacity of 14 or less.

FR1 - Fee receipts or tickets sold to individual people only, such as visitor centers.

FR2 - Fee receipts or tickets sold per group of 14 or less people.

FR3 - Fee receipts or tickets sold per vehicle.

FR5 - Fee receipts, envelopes, or tickets sold per large group of 15 or more.

MA1 - Mandatory wilderness permits issued per individual.

MA2 - Mandatory wilderness permits issued per group.

PTC1 - Permanent traffic counters that count people.

PTC3 - Permanent traffic counters that count vehicles.

RE1 - Registration forms where managers report total number of room-nights sold or person-nights sold using register receipts.

RE2 - Registration forms issued on a per small group basis.

RE4 - Registration forms for room-nights sold.

ST1 - Skier tickets sold.

SUP4 - Special Use Permit

SV1 - Skier visits where ski area provides total number of skier days on a report rather than the number of lift tickets sold.

TB1 - Toll booth where everyone has to pay who enters area.

TB3 - Toll booth where charge is per vehicle rather than per person.