

Table 3C-10. Summary Comparison of Effects: Tributary Riparian Vegetation

Alternative or Condition	Frequency of Channel Dewatering ^a	Erosion Potential ^b		Frequency of Recruitment Flows (% of Years)		Riparian Vegetation and Wetlands (% of Prediversion Extent) ^d
		Banks	Incision	Rush and Lee Vining	Parker and Walker	
Point of reference	NA	High	Low	NA	0	61
Point-of-reference scenario	Very low ^c	NA	NA	25	100 ^e	NA
No restriction	High*	High	Extreme*	23	0*	<50*/
6,372 Ft	Very low	Low-moderate	Moderate*	7*	7*	63-82/
6,377 Ft	Very low	Moderate ^f	Low	9,* 52	85	61-81/
6,383.5 Ft	Very low	High ^f	Very low	41	85	60-80/
6,390 Ft	Very low	High ^f	Very low	47	85	60-79/
6,410 Ft	Very low	Very high* ^f	Very low	55	85	59-79/
No diversion	Very low	Very high* ^f	Very low	47	85	60-80/
Prediversion	Moderate	--	Very low	--	--	100

Notes: -- = absence of data; indicates no estimation method available.
 * = significant adverse project effect.
 / = significant cumulative adverse effect.
 NA = not applicable.

^a Table 3C-11.

^b Table 3C-12.

^c Table 3C-13.

^d Figure 3C-11 and Table 3C-14.

^e Assumes point of reference includes current required flows for Parker and Walker Creeks.

^f Significant erosion of Parker and Walker Creeks would occur* unless planned releases were reduced.