

## Summary of Current Grazing Capacity for Wild Horses (cont.)

### Wyoming Portion of Horse Range

Range Site	PZ Zone	Condition Class	Total Acres	Acres/AUMs (Median)	AUMs
MD-1			149	49.7	3
M-37			76	47	1.5
M-37(a)			290	78.7	3.5
M-26			359	35.9	10
M-38			<u>787</u>	27.1	<u>29</u>
			1,661		47
Lower Pasture (includes NPS)					
D-1			1,300	38.5	33.75
M-38			623	27.1	23
M-26			1,176	35.9	32.75
			<u>1,323</u>	-	<u>0</u>
			4,422		89.5
			6,083	Total for Wyoming	136.5*

\*The Wyoming portion of the PMWHR is used as a holding area for wild horses during capture and excessing operations. Limited forage is available in the area and it will be reserved for use during capture operations. The 136.5 AUMs in the Wyoming portion are therefore not calculated into yearlong carrying capacity of the PMWHR.

#### Sources:

1. Archeological Site Inventory, BLM, 1981
2. Occular Reconnaissance Range Survey, BLM, 1971-72
3. South Carbon County, Montana Cooperative Soil Survey Update Project, BLM and SCS, 1981