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| Stream: | Blanchard River |  |  | Location: XS5 (Centennial Park) |  |  |  |  |
| Date: | 7/1/2020 Stre | Stream Type: | C4 | Valley Type: |  | C-AL-FD |  |  |
| Observers: | J. Ricketts, J. Moyer, N. Uhl |  |  | HUC: |  | HUC: 4100008 |  |  |
| INPUT VARIABLES |  |  |  | OUTPUT VARIABLES |  |  |  |  |
| Bankfull Riffle Cross-Sectional <br> AREA |  | 737.57 | $\mathrm{A}_{\mathrm{bkf}}$ <br> ( $\mathrm{ft}^{2}$ ) | Bankfull Riffle Mean DEPTH |  |  | 5.44 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \mathbf{d}_{\mathrm{bkf}} \\ & \text { (ft) } \\ & \hline \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| Bankfull Riffle WIDTH |  | 135.54 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \hline \mathbf{W}_{\text {bkf }} \\ & (\mathrm{ft}) \\ & \hline \hline \end{aligned}$ | Wetted PERMIMETER$\sim\left(2^{*} d_{\mathrm{bkf}}\right)+W_{\mathrm{bkf}}$ |  |  | 137.85 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{W}_{\mathrm{p}} \\ (\mathrm{ft}) \end{array} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| $D_{84}$ at Riffle |  | 171.33 | Dia. <br> (mm) | $D_{84}(\mathrm{~mm}) / 304.8$ |  |  | 0.56 | $D_{84}$ (ft) |
| Bankfull SLOPE |  | 0.0006 | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{S}_{\mathbf{b k f}} \\ & (\mathrm{ft} / \mathrm{ft}) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | Hydraulic RADIUS$\mathrm{A}_{\mathrm{bkf}} / \mathrm{W}_{\mathrm{p}}$ |  |  | 5.35 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \mathbf{R} \\ & \text { (ft) } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| Gravitational Acceleration |  | 32.2 | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{g} \\ \left(\mathrm{ft} / \mathrm{sec}^{2}\right) \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Relative Roughness$\mathrm{R}(\mathrm{ft}) / D_{84}(\mathrm{ft})$ |  |  | 9.52 | $\mathrm{R} / \mathrm{D}_{84}$ |
| Drainage Area |  | 274.0 | $\begin{gathered} \text { DA } \\ \left(\mathrm{mi}^{2}\right) \end{gathered}$ | Shear Velocity$\mathrm{u}^{*}=(\mathrm{gRS})^{1 / 2}$ |  |  | 0.308 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \hline \mathbf{u}^{*} \\ (\mathrm{t} / \mathrm{sec}) \end{gathered}$ |
| ESTIMATION METHODS |  |  |  |  | Bankfull VELOCITY |  | BankfullDISCHARGE |  |
| $\begin{gathered}\text { 1. Friction Relative } \\ \text { Factor }\end{gathered} \begin{gathered}\text { Roughness }\end{gathered} \quad u=\left[2.83+5.66 * \log \left\{R / D_{84}\right\}\right] u^{*}$ |  |  |  |  | 2.58 | $\mathrm{ft} / \mathrm{sec}$ | 1900.05 | cfs |
| 2. Roughness Coefficient: a) Manning's $n$ from Friction Factor / RelativeRoughness (Figs. 2-18, 2-19) $\quad u=1.49 * R^{2 / 3} * S^{1 / 2} / n \quad n=0.033$ |  |  |  |  | 3.23 | $\mathrm{ft} / \mathrm{sec}$ | 2383.83 | cfs |
| 2. Roughness Coefficient: $u=1.49 * R^{2 / 3 *} S^{1 / 2} / n$ <br> b) Manning's $n$ from Stream Type (Fig. 2-20) $n=0.019$ |  |  |  |  | 5.61 | $\mathrm{ft} / \mathrm{sec}$ | 4139.98 | cfs |
|  |  |  |  |  | 6.20 | $\mathrm{ft} / \mathrm{sec}$ | 4572.93 | cfs |
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