

Table 8. Vegetation cover and substrate measured at Site 7 (Upper Tilted Park, Left).

Center Circle	Vegetation	Percent Cover
	Rice grass (<i>Oryzopsis hymenoides</i>)	12.5
	Inland saltgrass (<i>Distichlis spicata</i>)	3.25
	Unidentified aster/composite	1.25
	Unidentified aster/composite, dead	1.00
	Total	18.0
	Substrate	Percent Cover
	Sand	98.0
	Rock	0
	Leaf litter	2.00
	Biologic soil crust	0
Upstream Circle	Vegetation	Percent Cover
	Sand verbena (<i>Abronia elliptica</i>)	4.25
	Tamarisk (<i>Tamarix</i> sp.)	3.00
	Rice grass (<i>Oryzopsis hymenoides</i>)	2.25
	Unidentified forb	2.06
	Brome grasses (<i>Bromus</i> sp.)	1.50
	Inland saltgrass (<i>Distichlis spicata</i>)	0.25
	Total	13.3
	Substrate	Percent Cover
	Sand	91.3
	Rock	0
	Leaf litter	8.75
	Biologic soil crust	0

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Downstream Circle	Vegetation	Percent Cover
	Tamarisk (<i>Tamarix</i> sp.)	20.0
	Inland saltgrass (<i>Distichlis spicata</i>)	11.8
	Unidentified forb	3.30
	Rice grass (<i>Oryzopsis hymenoides</i>)	0.50
	Russian thistle (<i>Salsola</i> sp.)	0.50
	Total	36.1
	Substrate	Percent Cover
	Sand	97.3
	Rock	0
	Leaf litter	2.75
	Biologic soil crust	0
Inland Circle	Vegetation	Percent Cover
	Tamarisk (<i>Tamarix</i> sp.)	20.0
	Inland saltgrass (<i>Distichlis spicata</i>)	8.00
	Brome grasses (<i>Bromus</i> sp.)	5.00
	Spike dropseed (<i>Sporobolus contractus</i>)	3.50
	Unidentified aster/composite	0.20
	Total	36.7
	Substrate	Percent Cover
	Sand	40.0
	Rock	0
	Leaf litter	60.0
	Biologic soil crust	0

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Riverward Circle	Vegetation	Percent Cover
	Willow (<i>Salix exigua</i>)	6.50
	Total	6.50
Substrate		Percent Cover
	Sand	98.8
	Rock	0
	Leaf litter	1.25
	Biologic soil crust	0
Total gap length on upstream/downstream transect (out of 4,000 cm):		3,469 cm
Total gap length on inland/riverward transect (out of 4,000 cm):		2,226 cm
Summary		
Total vegetation cover, in percent		22.1
Total sand substrate, in percent		85.1
Total rock substrate, in percent		0
Total leaf litter substrate, in percent		15.0
Total biologic crust substrate, in percent		0
Total gap length, in percent		71.2