

Summary of Analysis*

Area Unique Identifier: UT-C010-021

Summary

Results of analysis: (Note: explain the inventory findings for the entirety of the inventory unit. When wilderness characteristics have been identified in an area that is smaller than the size of the total inventory unit, explain why certain portions of the inventory unit are not included within the lands with wilderness characteristics (e.g. the inventory found that certain parts lacked naturalness).

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? Yes No
2. Does the area appear to be natural? Yes No N/A
3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? Yes No N/A
4. Does the area have supplemental values? Yes No N/A

Check one:

The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as lands with wilderness characteristics.

The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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Date: 6/30/14

* This form documents information that constitutes an inventory finding on wilderness characteristics. It does not represent a formal land use allocation or a final agency decision subject to administrative remedies under either 43 CFR parts 4 or 1610.5-3.

Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics (Form 2)

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Acreage: 10,976

(If the inventory area consists of subunits, list the acreage of each and evaluate each separately).

(1) Is the area of sufficient size? Yes No

Description (describe the boundaries of the area--wilderness inventory roads, property lines, etc

The initial inventory boundary was delineated through a GIS exercise based on roads, land ownership and Rights of Way. The road data were digitized by AGRC using ARC/Info from USGS 7.5 Minute quadrangle maps. Roads with codes (1-4, 1 Primary Route, 2 Secondary Route, 3 Primary Road and 4 Secondary Road) were used initially as wilderness inventory roads and field verified during the inventory process to determine if they met the FLPMA definition of a road. The unit is located east of the Minersville Highway. The unit is located approximately 4 miles southeast of Minersville, Utah. The Northern boundary is based on a road and two state sections. The eastern, southern and western boundaries are based on roads.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural? Yes No N/A

Description (include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation, and summary of major human uses/activities

The unit is primarily BLM land but has a State section within it on the western side. Portions of the area are steep and there are incised drainages throughout the unit. The prominent mountain range within the unit is the Black Mountains. Pinyon and juniper are dominant throughout the majority of the unit; specifically, the northern and central portions of the unit. A portion of the southern portion of the unit is dominated by perennial grasses and forbs with limited shrub species. This is primarily the result of the Emergency Stabilization and Rehabilitation efforts following wildfire. The unit does have a few primitive routes but is fairly untrammelled by man.

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes No N/A

Description (describe the area's outstanding opportunities for solitude):

The unit does not have an outstanding opportunity for solitude. The area is incised by shallow drainages surrounded by sage-steppe habitat and pinyon-juniper which provide little opportunity to seek an outstanding opportunity for solitude. The Minersville Highway, hog and agricultural farms and the town of Minersville, Utah are visible from the majority of the vantage points within the unit.

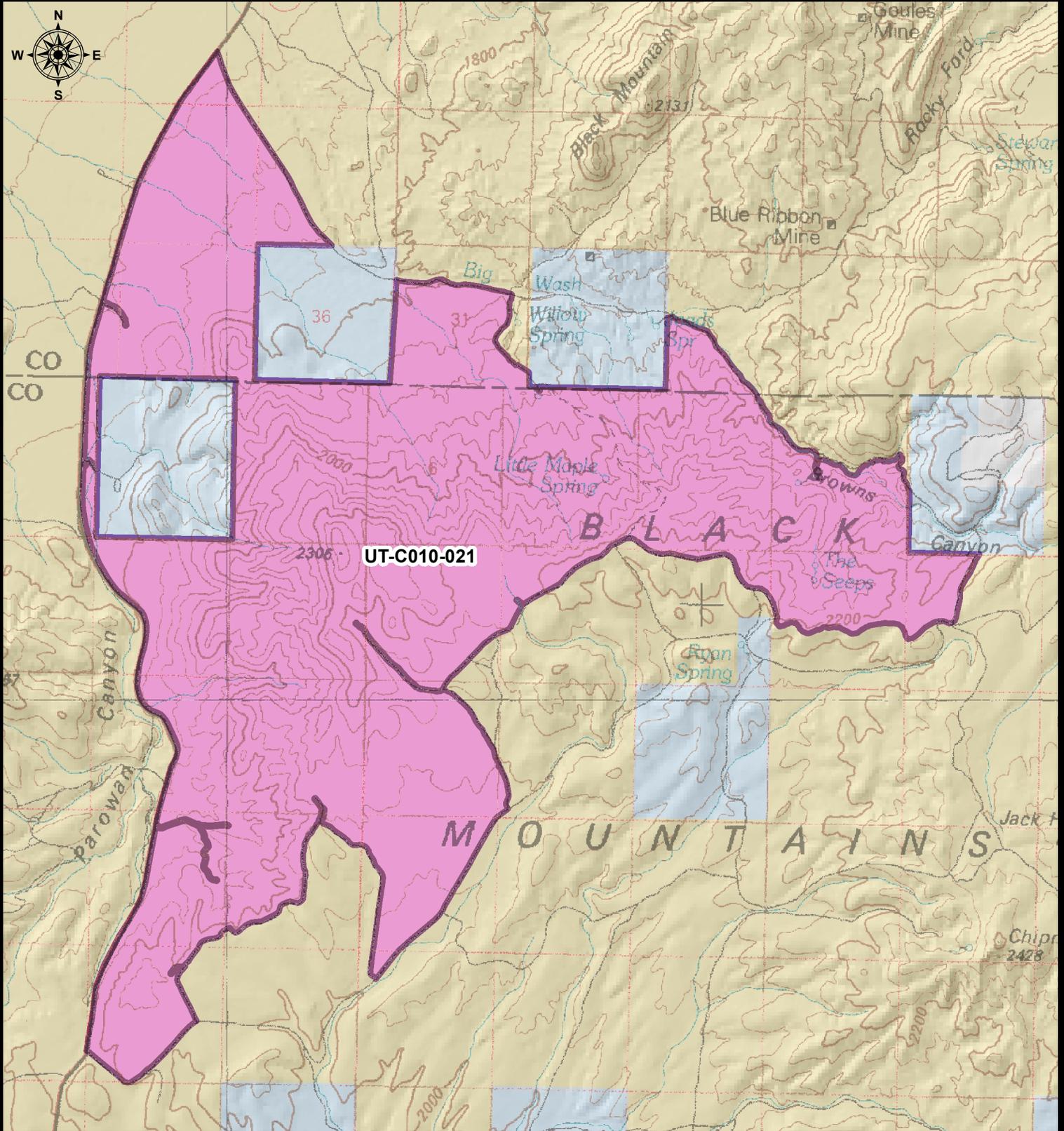
(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation? Yes No N/A

Description (describe the area's outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation):

This unit does not have outstanding opportunities for recreation. Though recreational opportunities may exist within the unit they are not outstanding.

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)? Yes No N/A

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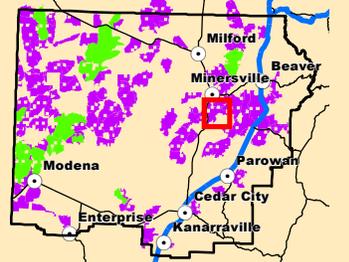
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- Lands With Wilderness Characteristics

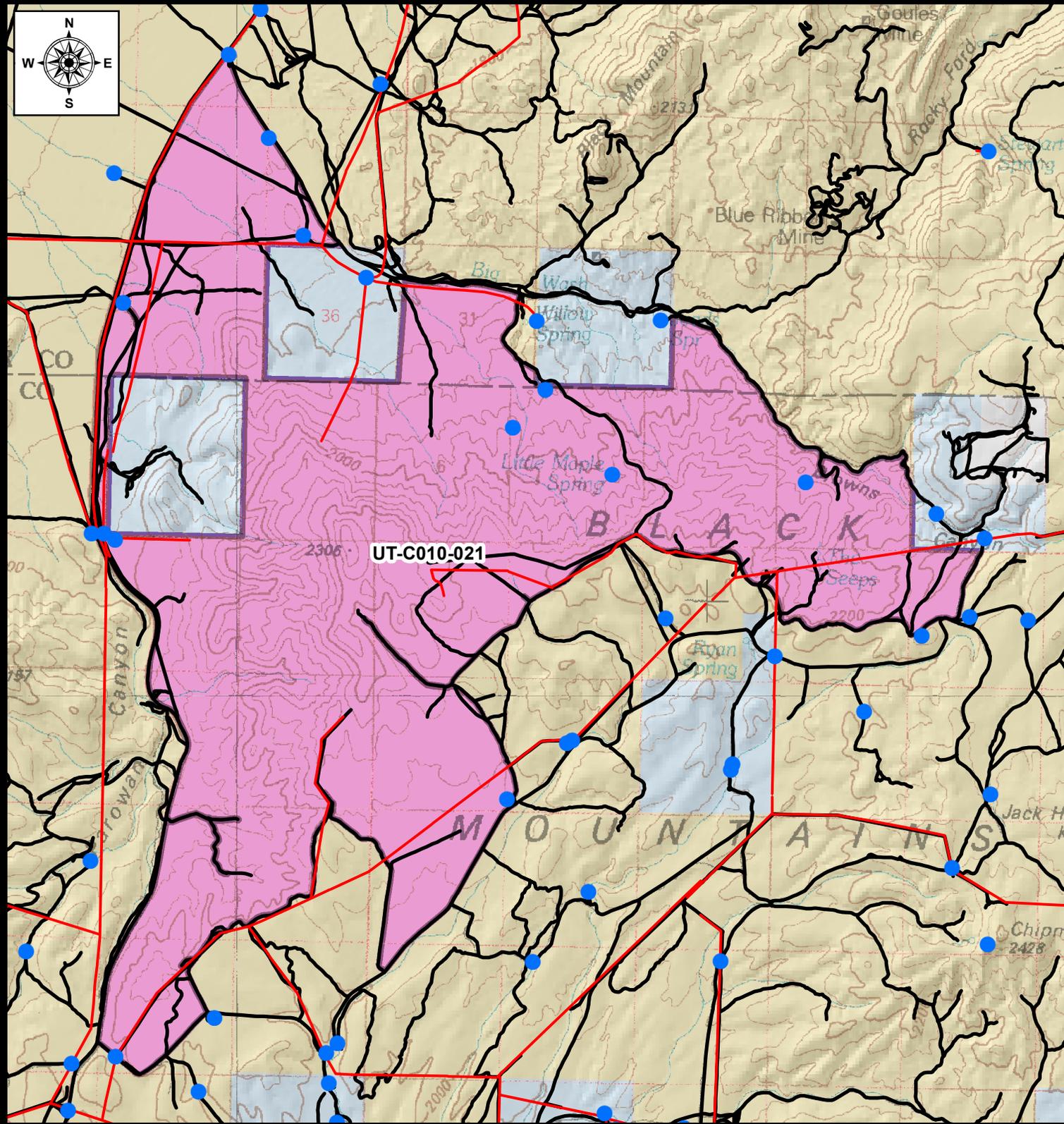
- Land Status**
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 - Indian Reservation
 - National Park Service
 - Private
 - State
 - State, County, City, Wildlife & Rec
 - US Forest Service
 - USFS Wilderness Area

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 Cedar City Field Office, GIS
 November 27, 2012

Map Scale 1:62,681





- No Wilderness Characteristics
- Lands With Wilderness Characteristics
- Range Improvement
- Range Improvement
- Roads & Routes

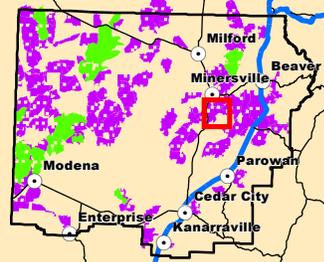
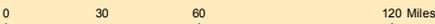
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LWC- Photo Log

Photographer(s): Dan Fletcher, Rob Wilson, Curtis Hall

Inventory Area Name & No.UT-C010-021

Date	Frame #	Camera Direction	Description	GPS/UTM Location	Town-ship	Range	Sec.
7-19-2011	4028	N	Big Wash Reference photo of the unit	333530E 4223910N			
7-19-2011	4029	NW	Big Wash Reference photo of the unit	333530E 4223910N			
7-19-2011	4030	W	Big Wash Reference photo of the unit	333530E 4223910N			
7-19-2011	4031	SW	Big Wash Reference photo of the unit	333530E 4223910N			
7-19-2011	4032	N	Black Mountain Reference photo of the unit	334340E 4221950N			
7-19-2011	4033	NW	Black Mountain Reference photo of the unit	334340E 4221950N			
7-19-2011	4034	W	Black Mountain Reference photo of the unit	334340E 4221950N			
7-19-2011	4035	SW	Black Mountain Reference photo of the unit	334340E 4221950N			
7-19-2011	4036	N	Big Wash Reference photo of the unit	333285E 4221083N			
7-19-2011	4037	N	Big Wash Reference photo of the unit	333285E 4221083N			
7-19-2011	4038	W	Big Wash Reference photo of the unit	333285E 4221083N			
7-19-2011	4039	SW	Big Wash Reference photo of the unit	333285E 4221083N			



**4028-Big Wash – North
E-333530, N-4223910**



**4029-Big Wash – North
E-333530, N-4223910**



**4030-Big Wash – North
E-333530, N-4223910**



**4031-Big Wash – North
E-333530,**



**4032-Black Mountain- Northwest
E-334340, N-4221950**



**4033-Black Mountain- Northwest
E-334340, N-4221950**



**4034-Black Mountain- Northwest
E-334340, N-4221950**



**4035-Black Mountain- Northwest
E-334340, N-4221950**



**4036-Black Mountain- Southwest
E-333285, N-4221083**



**4037-Black Mountain- Southwest
E-333285, N-4221083**



**4038-Black Mountain- Southwest
E-333285, N-4221083**



**4039-Black Mountain- Southwest
E-333285, N-4221083**

FORM 1

Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings from Previous Inventory on Record

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?

No (Go to Form 2)

Yes (If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.): UT-040-025-IPP (1979)

a) Inventory Source: IPP-5-17-1979

b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s): UT-040-025-IPP (1979) & (UT-C010-019, 019A), UT-C010-021, (UT-C010-025A, 025B, 025C, 025C, 025D, 025E), (UT-C010-035, 035A)

c) Map Name(s)/Number(s):

GisData\ut\cc\projects\Wilderness\Wilderness_Review\layers_final\MasterInventoryUnits_Final.gdb (Updated 2014 Inventory) & Wilderness Inventory State of Utah, US Government Printing Office 1979 678-663

d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): Cedar City

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory area is associated with the area, list each area and answer each question individually for each inventory area):

Inventory Source: IPP-5-17-1979

Area Unique Identifier	Sufficient Size? Yes/No (acres)	Naturalness? Yes/No	Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No	Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No	Supplemental Values? Yes/No
UT-040-025-IPP	Yes (101,070 acres)	No	N/A	N/A	N/A

Inventory Notes: The original 1979 unit was split into many different units for the updated 2014 inventory based on FLPMA roads.