

## **65320-2007-835 Rio Grande Cutthroat Genetics Assessment for Priority setting**

**State(s):** Colorado

**Managing Agency/Organization:** Colorado Division of Wildlife

**Type of Organization:** State Government

**Project Status:** Completed

**Project type:** WNTI Project

**Project action(s):** Watershed, Genetic diversity

**Trout species benefitted:** Rio Grande Cutthroat

The project will determine levels of introgression in selected Rio Grande cutthroat trout conservation populations in Colorado. Information provided by this assessment will be used to determine population classification and help direct strategies for future management and habitat enhancements.

**Objectives:**

- Information provided by this assessment will be used to determine population classification and help direct strategies for future management and habitat enhancements.

**Partners:**

- Pisces Molecular
- Trout Unlimited

**Measures:**

- Number of genetic samples analyzed

**Funding Source(s):**

- National Fish Habitat Action Plan

**Project cost:** \$23,800.00

**Start Date:** 08/01/2012 **Completion Date:** 11/15/2014

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