

Table 3-8b. SUMMARY OF AUTHORIZED USE OF GRAZING LEASE (SECTION 15) LANDS, FISCAL YEAR 2008

Administrative State	Cattle, Yearlings, & Bison	Horses & Burros	Sheep & Goats	Authorization Count /a/
Number of Authorizations				
Arizona	320	10	3	326
California	204	11	17	225
Colorado	350	13	41	376
Idaho	351	25	25	380
Montana	1,465	44	80	1,524
Nevada	8	0	0	8
New Mexico	705	26	30	717
Oregon	590	18	6	606
Utah /b/	0	0	0	0
Wyoming	1,466	140	154	1,541
Total	5,459	287	356	5,703
Animal Unit Months Authorized /c/				
Arizona	123,662	529	920	125,111
California	56,992	383	4,475	61,850
Colorado	36,580	437	6,218	43,235
Idaho	25,984	418	3,958	30,360
Montana	191,609	774	12,024	204,407
Nevada	13,154	0	0	13,154
New Mexico	163,644	822	32,751	197,217
Oregon	68,345	867	1,455	70,667
Utah /b/	0	0	0	0
Wyoming	362,459	5,563	34,530	402,552
Total /d/	1,042,429	9,793	96,331	1,148,553

/a/ This is a count of authorizations, regardless of livestock kind. Some lessees run more than one kind of livestock and thus may be represented in more than one livestock column. However, they are counted only once in this column.

/b/ There are no Section 15 lands in Utah.

/c/ These animal unit months (AUMs) were calculated for grazing authorized on bills that were due during Fiscal Year 2008 (October 2007–September 2008).

/d/ Totals do not include authorized nonuse.

Source: The BLM Rangeland Administration System (RAS).