Appendix 3. Data Tables.

Appendix Table 2-1. List of mammal species, excluding bats, commonly seen along the Sittee River.

Virgina opossum

Gray four eyed opossum

Central American wooly opossum

Mouse opossum

Northern tamandua

Anteater

Armadillo

Yucatan squirrel

Central American agouti (Dasyprocta)

Paca (gibnut)

Gray fox

Jaguarundi

Margay

Ocelot

Jaguar

Striped hog nose skunk

Tayra

Neotropical otter

Kinkajou

White nosed coati

Collared peccary

White-lipped peccary

Red brocket deer

Baird's tapir

West Indian manatee

Appendix Table 4-1. Absolute values of litter mass and crab hole density.

Date/Location	Litter Mass (g dry wt./m2)	Crab Hole Density (#/25 m2)
8/05 Possum Point hardwoods	165.9	15.8
Possum Point bamboo	1037.4	0
3/06 Possum Point hardwoods	180.1	12.2
Possum Point bamboo	878.9	0.6
3/07 Downstream from Bocatura Bank:		
By river	102.5	38.5
Away from river	264.0	6.0
Kaway swamp	1720.0	0

Appendix Table 4-2. List of fish species collected in the lower Sittee River, classified as peripheral species or marine invaders by Miller (1966).

Family	Species	Common Name
Tetraodontidae	Sphoeroides sp.	puffer
Gerreidae	Gerres cinereus	stone bass
	Eucinostomus melanopterus	
	unknown	shad
Belonidae	Strongylura marina	needlefish
Carangidae	Caranx latus	jack
	Oligoplites saurus	leatherjacket
	Trachurus lathami	
Sciaenidae	unknown	drummer
	Bairdiella sp.	
Centropomidae	Centropomus ensiferus	snook
Soleidae	Achirus maculatus	flatfish
Eleotridae	Eleotris amblyopsis	mudfish
	Dormitator maculatus	mudfish
Gobiidae	Gobionellus sp.	goby
Engraulidae	Anchoviella sp. 1	anchovy
	Anchoviella sp. 2	anchovy
Ariidae	unknown	catfish
Megalopidae	Megalops atlanticus	tarpon

Appendix Table 4-2. Peripheral species continued.

Family	Species	Common Name
Mugilidae	Agonostomus monticola	mullet
Polynemidae	Polydactylus sp.	
Serranidae	Centropristis ocyurus	
Blenniidae	Lupinoblennius dispar	
Lobotidae	Lobotes surinamenis	
Haemulidae	Pomadasys crocro	
Lutjanidae	Lutjanus griseus	snapper
Albulidae	Albula vulpes	bonefish
Sphyraenidae	Sphyraena barracuda	barracuda

Appendix Table 4-3. List of fish species collected in the lower Sittee River, classified as primary or secondary species by Miller (1966).

Family	Species	Common Name
	PRIMARY	
Characidae	Astyana fasciatus	billum
	Brycon guatemalensis	machaka
	SECONDARY	
Synbranchidae	Synbranchus marmoratus	mud eel
Poeciliidae	Belonesox belizanus	alligator fish
	Gambusia sp.	pupsy
	Heterandria bimaculata	
	Xiphophorus sp.	swordtail
	Unknown sp. 1	
	Unknown sp. 2	
Cichlidae	Cichlisoma sp.	tuba
	Petenia splendida	bay snook

Appendix Table 4-4. Analysis of stomach contents of fishes from the lower Sittee River.

Species	Total fish	No. with empty stomaches	Algae	Plant material	Seed	Annelid	l Mollusc	Annelid Mollusc Decapod	Isopo	Isopod Amphipod		Insect	Fish
Albula vulpes	51	9	0	0	0	1	3	39	0	4	0		
Cichlisoma sp.	32	0	21	16	2	0	0	0	0	0	0		0
Centropomus ensiferus	63	32	-	9	0	0	0	14	0	0	0		15
Gerres cinereus	16	4	6	4	0	0	0	3	0	0	0		0
Megalops atlanticus	12	3	_	2	0	0	_	3	0	1	0		9
Brycon guatemalensis	46	2	0	44	19	0	0	0	0	0	1		0
Caranx latus	11	4	0	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0		4
Diapterus plumieri	3	2	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0		1
Unknown Ariidae4	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0		0 2		
Lutijanus griseus	13	4	0	1	0	0	0	5	yeard.	0	0		7
Sphyraena barracuda	9	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		4
Agonostomus monticola	∞	5	0	7	0	,	0	0	0	0	0		0
Micropogon undulates	6	9	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0		0
Strongylura marina	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0		1

Appendix Table 4-4. Continued

Species	Total fish	No. with empty stomaches	Algae	Plant material	Seed	Algae Plant Seed Annelid Mollusc Decapod material	follusc Dec	Isopod	Isopod Amphipod	Insect Fish larvae	Fish
Eleotris ambliopsis	2	0	0	0	0	0 0	y4	0		0	0
Epinephalus itajara	П	1	0	0	0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0
Bay snook	2	2	0	0	0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0
Grunt	,	0	0	0	0	0 0	1	0	0	0	0

Predator

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b 0	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
c 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 0	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
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j 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1	1 1
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y 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0

a.	detritus	
b.	fruit	
	4	

Prey

c. algae d. deadwood

e. shipworms

f. crabs

g. Palaemonid shrimp

h. small tuba

i. Atyid shrimp

j. mudfish

k. Gambusia

l. large tuba

m. bonefish n. shad

o. snapper

p. snook

q. tarpon

r. kingfisher

s. great blue heron

t. little blue heron

u. night heron

v. tiger heron

w. egret

x. turtles

y. crocodiles

Appendix Table 4-5. Adjacency matrix for the brackish water food web.

Appendix Table 4-6. Calculations for energy flow of top predators in the brackish zone of the Sittee River.

Crocodile average body mass = 30 kg/individual (assumed, based on Spector (1956))

Turtle average body mass = 5 kg/individual (assumed, based on Spector (1956))

Density of crocodiles from rivermouth to Flap Doodle Farm, 11 individuals

Density of turtles from rivermouth to Flap Doodle Farm, 9 individuals

Reptile metabolic equation: SMR = $0.086 (x)^{0.728}$ (Peters 1986)

Where, SMR = standard metabolic rate, watts and x = body mass, kg

Crocodile SMR = $0.086(30 \text{ kg/individual})^{0.728}$

= 1.0 watts/individual

Total crocodile energy flow = (1.0 watts/individual)(11 individuals) = 11 watts

Turtle SMR = $0.086(5 \text{kg/individual})^{0.728}$

= 0.3 watts/individual

Total turtle energy flow = (0.3 watts/individual)(9 individuals) = 2.7 watts

Total reptile energy flow = 2.7 watts + 11 watts = 13.7 watts

Aquatic bird average body mass = 2 kg/individual (assumed, based on (Spector 1956))

Density of aquatic birds from rivermouth to Flap Doodle Farm, 10 individuals

Bird metabolic equation: $SMR = 3.35(x)^{0.64}$ (Peters 1986)

Where, SMR = standard metabolic rate, watts/individual and x = body mass, kg

Aquatic bird SMR = $3.35(2 \text{ kg/individual})^{0.64}$

= 5.2 watts/individual

Aquatic bird energy flow = (5.2 watts/individual)(10 individuals) = 52 watts

Appendix Table 4-7. Fanny Young macroinvertebrates, 7/29/91, 6/20/92, 8/12/92, 3/20/06. The relative abundance classes are: abundant, common, uncommon and rare.

Taxa	Rel	ative Abundance
INSECTA		
Hemiptera		
Notonection	lae	abundant
Gerridae		uncommon
Nepidae		rare
Odonata		
Coenagrio	nidae	uncommon
Libellulida	ae	uncommon
Diptera		
Chironom	idae	uncommon
POLYCHAETA -	Oligochaeta	rare

Appendix Table 4-8. Boom Creek macroinvertebrates, 6/21/91, 7/26/91, 7/26/91, 6/22/92, 8/11/92, 3/21/06. The relative abundance classes are: abundant, common, uncommon and rare.

Taxa

Relative Abundance

INSECTA

Hemiptera

Gerridae uncommon

Notonectidae uncommon

Belostomatidae rare

Nepidae rare

Diptera

Chironomidae rare

CRUSTACEA - Decapoda

Palaemonidae abundant

Grapsidae rare

Ocypodidae rare

MOLLUSCA - Bivalvia

Teredinidae uncommon

Mytilidae uncommon

Appendix Table 4-9. Fishes caught in Fanny Young by seining, 7/21/91, 6/20/92, 8/13/92, 3/24/97.

Species	numbers (percentage)	frequency
Astyana fasciatus	93 (44.7)	2/4
Hyphessobrycon milleri	47 (22.6)	1/4
Cichlisoma sp.	25 (12.0)	4/4
Dormitator maculatus	21 (10.1)	3/4
Gambusia sp.	5 (2.4)	2/4
Heterandria bimaculata	5 (2.4)	2/4
Eleotris ambliopsis	5 (2.4)	2/4
Belonesox belizanus	4 (1.9)	2/4
Synbranchus marmoratus	1 (0.5)	1/4
Xiphophorus sp.	1 (0.5)	1/4
Unknown Poeciliidae	1 (0.5)	1/4
TOTAL	208	,

Appendix Table 4-10. Fishes caught in Boom Creek by seining, 6/21/91, 7/26/91, 6/22/92, 8/11/92, 3/26/97.

Species	numbers (percentage)	frequency
Gambusia sp.	61 (61.0)	5/5
Cichlisoma sp.	11 (11.0)	2/5
Astyana fasciatus	6 (6.0)	1/5
Heterandria bimaculata	5 (5.0)	1/5
Oostetus maculatus	3 (3.0)	2/5
Centropomus ensiferus	3 (3.0)	2/5
Belonesox belizanus	3 (3.0)	2/5
Dormitator maculatus	3 (3.0)	2/5
Eleotis ambliopsis	3 (3.0)	1/5
Unknown Poeciliidae sp. 1	1 (1.0)	1/5
Unknown Poeciliidae sp. 2	1 (1.0)	1/5
TOTAL	100	

Appendix 5-1. Footnotes to Table 5-2. All data are from farmer interviews.

- 1 (cost of labor, 1\$/box of oranges)(100 trees/acre)(3 boxes harvested/tree/yr.)
- 2 (application rate, 8 lbs/tree/yr.)(price, 0.27\$/lb)(100 trees/acre)
- 3 (cleaning rate, 4 times/yr.)(1 hour/acre for cleaning)(rental price, 25\$/hour)
- 4 (application rate, 4 lbs/tree/yr.)(100 trees/acre)(price, 0.08\$/lb)
- 5 (application rate, 4 times/yr.)(1 backpack sprayer/20 trees)(3 gal of water/backpack sprayer)(4 oz of herbicide/3 gal of water)(1 gal/128 oz)(price, 47.00\$/gal of herbicide)(100 trees/acre)
- 6 (yield, 3 boxes of oranges harvested/tree/yr.)(100 trees/acre)(price, 3.00\$/box)

Appendix Table 5-2. Procedures for coconut oil production in Sittee River.

Step	Procedure
1	purchase or collect coconuts
2	husk outer shell
3	cut away inner shell of nut
4	collect meat from inner shell and grind it
5	mix ground meat with water and squeeze out liquid
6	let material settle overnight, then skim off oil
7	boil oil for approximately 1 1/2 hours
8	strain oil for impurities; pour in to bottles or buckets for transport to market

Appendix Table 5-3. Life stage distributions for coconut palms along the Sittee River. 1,103 individuals were counted in 1993 and 618 individuals were counted in 1997. See text for definitions of life stages.

	1993	1997
seedlings	50 %	48 %
juveniles	17 %	15 %
subadults	10 %	11 %
adults	23 %	26 %

Appendix Table 6-1. Survey of large mahogany trees along the lower Sittee River.

Location	diameter at breast height (cm)	height (ft.)
Clifford's old house	78.6	82
Big George's yard	73.3	70
	43.7	50
	83.0	72
	61.5	66
	65.5	78
	90.4	72
	83.8	66
Downstream from Bocatura Bank	109.0	76
	49.5	81
	85.0	110
	43.5	71
Possum Point trail – on river	67.5	78
Possum Point trail – inside forest	68.5	72
Gaskin property	99.1*	60
American guy along river	88.5	75
Marie Mead's property	67.3	62
	80.3	70
	85.2	72

Appendix Table 6-2. Wind speed attenuation over time at Wee Wee Caye on November 17, 2002. Data are average wind velocities in miles/hour with gust velocities in parentheses. The transect locations range from the protected, inner clearing at 0 meters to the exposed end of the dock at 60 meters.

Transect location, Meters	9:00AM	10:00AM	11:00AM	2:30PM
0	5 (8)	4 (6)	< 2 (3.5)	<2 (3.5)
18	4 (6)	3.5 (4.5)	2 (3)	<2 (3.5)
26	2 (3)	2 (3)	<2 (2)	<2 (<2)
30	5 (12)	2.5 (4)	2 (4)	<2 (5)
34	20 (24)	14 (20)	11 (14)	8 (10)
40	20 (26)	14 (21)	12 (17)	8 (10)
48	20 (24)	14 (16)	12 (18)	8 (10)
53	20 (30)	14 (16)	11 (14)	8 (10)
60	20 (26)	14 (18)	11 (16)	8 (10)

Residents

green heron great (American) heron snowy egret yellow crowned night heron common black hawk black vulture Montezuma oropendola bat falcon great tinamou great kiskadee yellow olive flycatcher social flycatcher white throated spadebill northern bentbill lineated woodpecker tawny winged woodcreeper red capped manakin collared aracari brown jay great tailed grackle red crowned ant tanager white collared seedeater groove billed ani ringed kingfisher pygmy kingfisher Aztec parakeet ruddy ground dove mangrove swallow spot breasted wren little hermit neotropic cormorant orange oriole bare-throated tiger heron tropical mockingbird gray headed kite green kingfisher yellow billed cacique anhingha

black throated shrike tanger

little blue heron great blue heron cattle egret roadside hawk turkey vulture king vulture chestnut headed oropendola plain chachalaca slaty breasted tinamou boat billed flycatcher Wied's crested flycatcher tropical kingbird northern beardless tyrannulet gold fronted woodpecker ivory billed woodcreeper masked tityra citreoline trogon keel billed toucan Yucatan jay melodius blackbird black headed slatator clay colored robin squirrel cuckoo Amazon kingfisher sun grebe yellow headed parrot white tipped dove rough winged swallow long tailed hermit rufous-tailed hummingbird mangrove warbler red crowned parrot white crowned parrot solitary eagle boat billed heron black cowled oriole

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common tudy flycatcher yellow winged tanager

gravish saltator

white collared swift olivaceous woodcreeper mangrove cuckoo white necked Jacobin swallow tailed kite gray necked woodrail hooded oriole blue honey creeper gray headed tanager vermiculated screech owl dusky capped flycatcher southern house wren pale vented pigeon mottled (wood) owl gray hawk yellow bellied tyrannolet red-legged honey creeper collared forest falcon red throated ant tanager mealy (blue-crowned) parrot plumbeous kite black hawk eagle limpkin violet sabrewing white-chinned swift blue-hooded euphonia bright-rumped atilla cinnamon hummingbird masked tanager

migrants

red-eyed vireo spotted sandpiper black & white warbler Kentucky warbler American redstart northern waterthrush wood thrush yellow throated warbler summer tanager prothonotary warbler

streak headed woodcreeper least grebe blue gray tanager white collared manakin blue ground dove jabiru smoky-brown woodpecker red lored (yellow cheeked) parrot yellow throated euphonia common parauque magnificent frigate bird black bellied whistling duck blue crowned motmot golden olive woodpecker tri-colored heron yellow tailed oriole osprey crested guan strong-billed woodpecker muscovy duck white-tailed hawk gray breasted martin gray chested dove laughing falcon Uxmal woodpecker chestnut-colored woodpecker white necked puffbird Yucatan vireo

orchard oriole
hooded warbler
magnolia warbler
worm-eating warbler
oven bird
yellow throated vireo
gray catbird
yellow bellied sapsucker
northern oriole
cedar waxwing

forked-tailed flycatcher



Appendix Table 6-3. Continued.

parula warbler
Vaux's swift
white-eyed vireo
barn swallow
blue winged warbler
palm warbler
scissor tailed flycatcher
yellow-breasted chat
golden-winged warbler
yellow warbler

yellow throat
Lousiana waterthrush
belted kingfisher
indigo bunting
Canada warbler
wood ibis (stork)
American coot
rose-breasted grosbeak
Blackburnian warbler

25%

Alleway TABLE 8-1

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = k_1 RN - k_2 N - k_3 IN - k_{11} \left(\frac{TIN}{P_o}\right) N$$

$$\frac{dI}{dt} = k_5 GL - k_4 I$$

$$\frac{dO}{dt} = -k_8 OG$$

$$J_D = k_{10} \frac{TIN}{P_o} P_T$$

$$J_T = k_9 \frac{TIN}{P_o}$$

$$R = \frac{J}{k_o N + 1}$$

٨	OTE	Calibrated	d Storages and Flows	
	1	J≕	4.60E+10 m^3/yr	Rainfall energy
	2	R=	9.30E+09 m^3/yr	Estimated remainder after ET
	1 2 3	N=	1.35E+06 ha	Current area of rainforest
		Prehistorio	al numbers for rainforest	
	<u>4</u>	N=	2.11E+06 ha	Historical area of rainforest
	<u>5</u>	R=	6.40E+09 m^3/yr	Historical remainder after ET.
	4 5 6 7	J1=	2323 ha/yr	Natural expansion rate of rainforest (estimate).
	7	J2=	2323 ha/yr	Natural loss rate of rainforest (estimate).
		Current (2)	000) numbers for all others	
	8	N=	1.35E+06 ha	Total rainfarest name sining (PROC)
	9	R=	2.24E+10 m^3/yr	Total rainforest remaining (2000)
	10	1=	4450 rooms	ET potential remaining (scaled to N for 2000) Esitmate of rooms in 2000
	11	Po=	25 \$/bbl	
	12		5.19E+03 ha/yr	Annual average of oil prices (2000) Estimate of natural gain of N (2000)
	8 9 10 11 12 13	J2=k2N=	1.48E+03 ha/yr	Estimate of natural losses of N (2000)
			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Estimate of Hatural losses of N (2000)
	<u>14</u>	J3=	8.95E+03 ha/yr	Estimate of N losses from tourism construction (2000)
	<u>15</u>	J11=	8.95E+03 ha/yr	Estimate of N losses from tourist impact (2000)
	<u>16</u>	G=	2.16E+06 \$/yr	Estimate of global \$ input to I (2000)
	<u>17</u>	J6=	1.15E+08 man-hr/yr	Estimate of local labor input to I (2000)
	<u>18</u>	JT =	1.95E+05 tourists/yr	Annual flow of tourists (2000)
	14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24	T0=	1.00E+06 tourists/yr	Total supply flow of tourists (estimate)
	<u>20</u>	T=	8.05E+05	* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
	<u>21</u>	J4=	2.10E+02 rooms/yr	Assumed number of rooms lost (2000)
	<u>22</u>	J5=	2.10E+02 rooms/r	Assumed number of rooms built (2000)
	<u>23</u>	L0=	2.40E+08 man-hr/yr	Total labor pool (2003) Total labor
	<u>24</u>	L=	1.25E+08	Remainder of labor pool (2003)
	<u>25</u>	PL≔	1.13E+00 \$/man-hr	labor rate (2000)
	<u>26</u>	Joil=	2.40E+10 bbl/yr	Oil production rate for 1997
	27	Goil=	1.00E+06	Assumed
	28	0=	5.00E+12 bbl	Estimated oil reserves.
	<u> 29</u>	Poil=	2.50E+01 \$/bbl	Oil price for 2000
	<u>30</u>	J\$=	1.80E+13 \$/yr	Estimate of world GNP for 1997

Affendix TABLE 8-1 CONTINUED

Note

Comment

- Rainfall energy calculated as the average annual rainfall of 2.00 m/yr (NASA LARC, 2005) multiplied by the total land area of 2.30E10 m² (World Bank, 1984).
- 2 R determined by the estimated evapotranspiration rate. Total forested land area (in year 2000) is 1.348E6 ha (World Resources Institute, 2003). Estimated ET rate of 1.75 m yr⁻¹ yields a total ET of 2.359E10 m³ yr⁻¹. This is subtracted from the total rainfall of 4.60E10 m³ yr⁻¹ to yield 2.24E10 m³ yr⁻¹.
- 3 Estimated area of rainforest in FY2000, as reported by World Resources Institute (2003).
- Original, prehistoric area of rainforest, reported by World Resources Institute (2003) as 92% of total land area of Belize.
- Historical R determined by the estimated evapotranspiration rate. Total historical forested land area is reported as 92% of land area, thus 2.112E ha (World Resources Institute, 2003). Estimated ET rate of 1.75 m yr⁻¹ yeilds a total ET of 3.96E10 m³ yr⁻¹. This is subtracted from the total rainfall of 4.60E10 m³ yr⁻¹ to yield 0.64E10 m³ yr⁻¹.
- Natural expansion rate of rainforest. Estimated by multiplying rainforest primary productivity by total prehistorical rainforest area and dividing by average biomass density of rainforest, and assuming that 1% of productivity is available for spatial expansion. Tropical rainforest mean net primary productivity estimated as 22 t/ha/yr by Holdgate (1996). Average biomass density of rainforest was estimate at 351 t/ha for Colombia (Overman et al. 1994) and 149 t/ha for Brazil (Santos et al. 2002), thus an estimate of 200t/ha is used here for Belize. Thus, (0.01)(22 t/ha/yr)(2.112E6 ha) / (200 t/ha) = 2323 ha/yr.
- 7 Assumed equal to natural expansion rate at prehistoric steady state.
- Total area of remaining rainforest in FY 2000, as reported by World Resources Institute (2003).
- 9 See Note 2.
- Estimated total number of hotel rooms in Belize in 2000. Sluder (1995) reported 3,400 guest rooms in some 300 hotels for year 1995. Estimation from current hotel listings (Belize Tourism Board, 2005) yields 5500 guest rooms in some 523 hotels for year 2005. Interpolation yields 4450 rooms for year 2000.
- 11 Annual average of oil prices for FY2000, estimated from WTRG (2002).
- Estimate of the natural growth rate of N at the value of N for FY2000, and calculated by k1*R*N.
- Estimate of the natural loss rate of N at the value of N for FY2000, and calculated by k2*N.
- Estimate of annual losses of N due to construction of tourist infrastructure. Total forest lost from 1990 to 2000 reported to be 358,000 ha (World Resources Institute, 2003). Thus annual average forest lost was 35,800 ha/yr. Assumed that 50% (thus, 17,800 ha/yr) of this lost was for all tourism activities, and 50% of this (thus, 8,950 ha/yr) was due to impact from tourism infrastructure.
- Estimate of annual losses of N due to impact from tourists themselves. Assumed equivalent to J3 (see note 14).

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- Estimate of annual outside foreign investment in tourism infrastructure. U.S. Embassy Belize (2002) reports two major investors in Belize tourism: Caye Chapel Ventures, investing \$10E6 from 1996 to 2002, yielding an average of \$1.667E6/yr, and Ramon's Village, investing \$5E6 from 1981 to 2002, yielding an average of \$250,000/yr. Total annual investment of \$1.917E6/yr is rounded up to \$2E6/yr. In addition, two oil companies invested in Belize: Esso, investing \$9.6E6 from 1954 to 2002, yielding an average of \$2.0E5/yr, and Texaco, investing \$4.5E6 from 1964 to 2002, yielding an average of \$1.2E5/yr. Thus total oil investments is \$3.2E5/yr, of which 50% is assumed to support tourism, yielding a total foreign tourism investment of \$2.16E6/yr.
- Estimate of local labor input to tourist infrastructure and services. Calculated from total work force of 90,000 persons (U.S. Embassy Belize, 2002; CIA, 2005). Assuming an 8-hour day and a 5-day work week yields 1.8E8 man-hr/yr. CIA (2005) reports that 55% (thus, 9.9E7 man-hr/yr) occupied in services, and 18% (tnus, 3.24E7 man-hr/yr) occupied in industry. Assuming all the service and half of industrial labor supports the tourism industry yields a resulting 11.5E8 man-hr/yr.
- Annual flow of tourists in 2002, as reported by U.S. Department of State (2004).
- 19 Arbitrary estimate of total number of possible international tourists.
- 20 Remainder of tourists, equal to total possible (note 19) minus the annual flow to Belize (note 18).
- Number of hotel rooms in Belize increased from 3400 (Sluder, 1995) to 5500 (Belize Tourism Board, 2005) in 10 years, thus averaging an increase of 210 rooms per year. This is assumed to be the number of rooms lost as steady-state.
- Using the calculation for note 21, this is assumed to be the number of rooms built per year at steady state.
- Total labor pool in man-hours. Population of Belize in 1999 approximately 240,000 (CSO Belize, 2003). Assumed that 1/2 of population (thus 120,000 people) is employable. This is multiplied by the number of man-hours per year (assumed to be 8 hours per day, 5 days per week, 50 weeks per year) to yield 2.40E8 man-hours.
- 24 Remainder of labor available, calculated by subtracting the labor input to toursim (in man-hours per year; see note 17) from the total labor (see note 23).
- National minimum wage for Belize is set at US \$1.13 (US Embassy Belize, 2002).
- Annual average world crude oil production rate calculated from daily average for 1997, reported by DOE (2002)
- 27 Assumed for arbitrary constant.
- 28 Probable oil reserves remaining, as reported by Odell and Rosing (1983)
- 29 Estimated annual average for price of oil for 1997 as reported by WTRG (2003)
- 30 Estimate of world GNP for 1997, as reported by Costanza, et al. (1997)