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(Multiple stations are given if possible. Sites are grouped by ecosystem type. See Appendix 28 for length of record for each station.)

Site code	Taxon	Station	Richness ¹	Sampling area/effort
Coastal				
FCE	Osteichthyes	Shark Slough Taylor Slough	12 (0.5) 10 (0.7)	Unknown Unknown
MCR	Fish	North Shore region (7 research sites)	67 (2.0)*	Unknown
Eastern forests				
HBR	Aves	10-ha bird count plot	22 (0.5)*	10 ha
NTL	Fish	Crystal Lake Sparkling Lake Trout Lake	8 (0.3)* 14 (0.4) 23 (0.4)	Unit effort Unit effort Unit effort
Temperate grasslands and savannas				
CDR	Orthoptera	Cedar Creek	10 (0.5)*	200 sweeps of an insect net
KNZ	Orthoptera	Watershed 001d	11 (1.2)	200 sweeps of an insect net
		Watershed 004b	11 (1.2)	200 sweeps of an insect net
		Watershed 020b	13 (1.1)	200 sweeps of an insect net
SGS	Aves	USGS Bird Breeding Survey area 17901, Rockport, CO	22 (0.6)	Sighting effort
		USGS Bird Breeding Survey Route 17305, Nunn, CO	32 (0.9)	Sighting effort

¹ Unit is number of species per sampling area or effort.

* Linear regression of the variable against time is significant ($p < 0.05$) and the trend appears linear.