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The figures in Appendix G identify trout, salmon and steelhead stocking locations in each of California's 58 counties. The location data were obtained from the DFG hatchery information system database in the form of GIS shape files. The database was queried for all stocking locations utilized in the 2004 through 2008 time period. Locations for stocking of anadromous fish (yellow polygons) are differentiated from locations for stocking trout or inland salmon (red polygons). The hatchery information system database is the most accurate record of DFG stocking activity, but is not completely inclusive. The database may contain minor additions or exclusions when compared to actual stocking activity. Therefore, the numbers and names of stocking locations on the figures should not be considered exact. There are also stocking locations in the DFG program that were not stocked in the 2004 through 2008 period but remain an active part of the program and may be stocked in the future. In some cases, the stream segments shown as stocking locations may represent a longer section of the stream than is actually stocked. Also, some tributaries to major anadromous rivers are mapped as anadromous stocking locations. This may represent a release of fish at the confluence of the creek and river. The stocking locations are also shown on the species range figures at the end of Chapter 4 of this EIR/EIS.