

THE CERULEAN WARBLER IN MORGAN-MONROE AND YELLOWWOOD STATE FORESTS, INDIANA: PRE-TREATMENT DATA ON ABUNDANCE AND SPATIAL CHARACTERISTICS OF TERRITORIES

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Abstract.—The cerulean warbler (*Setophaga cerulea*) is a small Neotropical migrant songbird that is currently experiencing population declines. We monitored the number of cerulean warblers, as well as size and spatial attributes of territories, before two methods of silvicultural treatments took place in six of nine study units involved in the Hardwood Ecosystem Experiment within the Morgan-Monroe and Yellowwood State Forests in southern Indiana. Data were collected during the 2007 and 2008 breeding seasons. Relative abundance was apparently greater in 2008, but this increase was not consistent at each individual site. Territory sizes also increased from 2007 to 2008 and this trend was consistent across most study sites. Territories were spatially clustered in both years. These findings are similar to other research involving cerulean warblers in southern Indiana. There were no significant differences in the number of cerulean warbler detections or the size of territories among the three study groups (control, even-aged, and uneven-aged) for the two combined pre-treatment years. Future studies will examine how cerulean warblers respond to silvicultural prescriptions.

INTRODUCTION

Cerulean warbler (*Setophaga cerulea*²) is a small migratory songbird with a breeding range covering much of the Midwest, northeastern portions of the United States, and parts of Ontario and Quebec (Hamel 2000a, Robbins et al. 1992). It winters primarily on the slopes of the Andes in South America (Hamel 2000a). Cerulean warbler has experienced such long-term population declines at both the local and range-wide levels as to become a species of concern (Hamel 2000a, Robbins et al. 1992). For the past 40 years, this species has experienced annual population declines estimated at 4.1 percent (Sauer et al. 2008) based on

Breeding Bird Surveys. This decline represents the greatest annual rate of decline of any North American wood warbler and songbird (Jones et al. 2008, Robbins et al. 1992). As a result, it is listed as a top priority species for conservation action by Partners in Flight (Hamel et al. 2004). It has been listed as “Vulnerable” by the International Union for Conservation of Nature (Birdlife International 2004) and was petitioned for listing as a threatened species under the Endangered Species Act (U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service 2002). However, the petition to list was denied (U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service 2006).

In Indiana, cerulean warblers declined by 2.7 percent over the last 40 years (Hands et al. 1989). From 1980 through 1998, Breeding Bird Surveys conducted in Indiana indicated a relative abundance estimate of 0.29 birds/route for the entire survey period (Hamel 2000b). This abundance value was the lowest for any state in which an estimate could be calculated (Hamel 2000b). Cerulean warblers, once considered common

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summer breeders in Indiana, were listed as a “species of special concern” (Bruner 1998) but are now listed as endangered in the state (Indiana Department of Natural Resources-Division of Nature Preserves 2010).

The cerulean warbler is an area-sensitive species (Hamel 2000a, Robbins et al. 1992) with a preference for large contiguous tracts of mature deciduous forest. Robbins et al. (1992) concluded that 700 ha was the minimum tract size of forest for cerulean warblers in the Middle Atlantic states. In Wisconsin, however, cerulean warblers could be located in tracts ranging from as small as 16 ha to larger than 32 ha (Hands et al. 1989), suggesting that minimum tract size requirements may differ between regions. In Indiana, cerulean warblers are most commonly associated with forests that exhibit heterogeneous canopy structure with a preference for large, dominant trees (Jones and Islam 2006). Although the geographic limits of the breeding range for cerulean warblers have changed little over time, the abundance of the species in its breeding range has declined (Hamel 2000a). Much of the deciduous forest that makes up the breeding range throughout the Midwest has been converted for agricultural use (Hands et al. 1989), resulting in loss of habitat and further fragmentation of remaining habitat. Northern Indiana has been severely fragmented and now has less than 10 percent forest cover, while southern Indiana has nearly 80 percent forest cover (Fauth 1999).

Despite long-term declines in cerulean warblers’ overall relative abundance, some authors have documented that the species is expanding to the northeast (Oliarnyk and Robertson 1996, Robbins et al. 1992, Sauer et al. 2003), possibly due to changes in climate and land use. In this region, large areas of agricultural land have been allowed to succeed to mature forests (Hamel 1992), which suggests that forest management practices have the potential to benefit cerulean warblers.

Few studies have examined cerulean warblers’ response to silvicultural treatments³ (Hamel et al. 2006, 2010). However, some evidence suggests that large-scale habitat alterations can be detrimental to this species. In Arkansas and Ontario, ice storms negatively affected cerulean warbler relative abundance (Hamel et al. 1998, Jones et al. 2001). In West Virginia, cerulean warblers occurred at a lower abundance and frequency within 15- to 18-year-old regenerating clearcut stands compared to 70- to 80-year-old mature second-growth forests (Wood et al. 2006). Hamel et al. (2004) indicated that studying cerulean warblers’ response to experimental habitat manipulation is an important way to determine which characteristics of vegetation structure are preferred by the birds and how to produce these characteristics on the landscape.

The objectives of our study were to explore the abundance and spatial characteristics of cerulean warbler territories in the Hardwood Ecosystem Experiment (HEE) before silvicultural treatments. Our specific objectives were to determine:

1. If cerulean warbler relative abundance differed among the three groups (control, uneven-aged, and even-aged),
2. If cerulean warbler territory sizes differed among the three groups (control, uneven-aged, and even-aged), and
3. The spatial distribution of cerulean warbler territories across the landscape of the HEE.

STUDY AREA

Nine management units, ranging from 303 to 483 ha in size, were established in southern Indiana, with four units in Morgan-Monroe State Forest and five units

³ Cerulean Warbler Conservation Initiative, Joint AFO/COS/WOS conference, Kearney, NE, 9-13 March 2011, personal communication.

in Yellowwood State Forest (Kalb and Mycroft, this publication: Fig.1). Within each management unit, a 1.96-km² (196-ha) study site was overlain over a 200-ha core area. Pre-treatment data at each of the nine study sites were collected from 1 May - 8 August in 2007 and 2008.

MATERIALS AND METHODS

Point Count Surveys

Each study unit was overlain with a 7 point x 7 point grid study site with points 200 m apart for a total of 49 survey points (Fig. 1). We conducted point counts at each study site once per year using a 100-m radius at each survey point to locate male warblers. Survey points were spaced 200 m apart to minimize detection of the same bird twice. According to Jones et al. (2000) and Hamel et al. (2009), male cerulean warblers were found to broadcast their songs up to

100 m. The edge of each study site was surrounded by a 50-m buffer to minimize edge effects. Surveys were carried out between 05:30 and 10:30 EST. Surveys were not conducted during periods of rain, wind, or any other phenomenon that could have prevented vocalizations from being heard.

Observers listened for vocalizations for 2 minutes after arriving at the point, used playback of cerulean warbler songs for 1 minute, and then listened for an additional 2 minutes (Falls 1981). Compass direction and an estimate of the singer's distance were recorded for every vocalization to distinguish between multiple individuals. At each survey point, males were detected aurally and/or visually. The number of males detected at each study site was divided by the total area of each study site (196 ha) to determine number of males/km² for each unit. Point counts were conducted between 1 May - 8 June 2007 and 2008. To eliminate potential bias between time (day of month) of bird survey at a particular study site and the number of cerulean warbler detections, the order of survey of study sites was determined by drawing from a random numbers table for each year.

Territory Mapping

To demarcate territories, survey points where cerulean warblers were detected for a given year were revisited from 1 June - 15 July in 2007 and 2008. Trees where male birds were observed singing during the territory demarcation period (1 June - 15 July) were flagged with tape. Not all territories were demarcated in 2008 because of the early initiation of silvicultural treatments. Global Positioning System (GPS) coordinates of the trees were recorded, as well as tree species. GPS points were recorded as Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM) units in a Garmin GPS 76 handheld unit (Garmin International, Inc., Olathe, KS). Territories were considered to be completely mapped when 4-12 trees were flagged, depending on territory size.

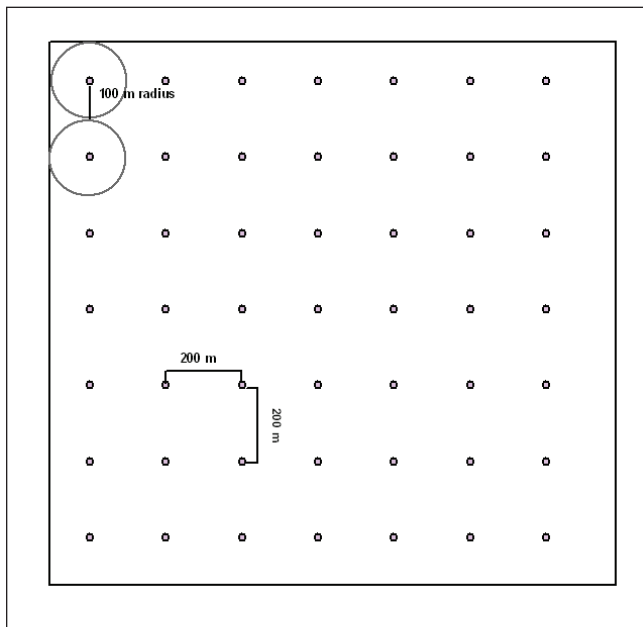


Figure 1.—Protocol established for cerulean warbler (*Setophaga cerulea*) surveys within nine study units located in Morgan-Monroe and Yellowwood State Forests in southern Indiana during pre-treatment years of 2007 and 2008. Seven transects, 200 m apart, were surveyed. Each transect contained seven survey points.

Whenever possible, we revisited known territories multiple times before final demarcation of the territory's perimeter was determined. Depending on the individual bird, territory marking took several hours to several days. The coordinates of all points collected while demarcating territories were imported into ArcMap (ESRI, Redlands, CA). These data were used to create territory polygons using the minimum convex polygon method. Distances between the centroids of each territory and the nearest neighboring territory were used as part of a nearest neighbor analysis (Krebs 1989), which was performed using the average nearest neighbor tool in ArcMap.

Data Analysis

Normal probability plots of cerulean warbler abundances for the two pre-treatment combined years (2007 and 2008), generated in Minitab16[®] (Minitab, Inc., State College, PA) for the control sites and each of the treatment sites (even-aged and uneven-aged study sites), were normal. However, territory size data for each of the three groups were negatively skewed and these data were transformed to approximate a normal distribution. One-way analysis of variance (ANOVA) was performed to determine if there were differences in the number of cerulean warbler detections and size of territories among even-aged, uneven-aged, and control sites for the pre-treatment years. ANOVAs were performed with Minitab16[®] at $\alpha = 0.05$ level to test for significance.

RESULTS

Two hundred eighteen male cerulean warblers were detected in 2007 (94) and in 2008 (124) (Table 1) in the nine sites surveyed. Cerulean warblers were located in all nine units for the combined pre-treatment years with the number of individual birds identified per unit ranging from 0 to 47. Relative abundance estimates ranged from 0 to 23.98 males/km², averaging 6.18 males/km² (Table 1). Although the number of detections increased overall from 2007 to 2008, this trend was not consistent at each individual site. Sites 3 and 8 had the most detections and sites 1 and 2 had the fewest detections over the 2-year period

Table 1.—Yearly cerulean warbler relative abundance in Yellowwood and Morgan-Monroe State Forests in southern Indiana according to site and harvest type for the pre-treatment years of 2007 and 2008. n = Number of males detected and R.A. = Relative abundance (males/km²).

Site/harvest	2007		2008	
	n	R.A.	n	R.A.
Uneven-aged				
1	0	0.00	5	2.55
7	15	7.65	15	7.65
8	40	20.41	47	23.98
Even-aged				
3	9	4.59	20	10.20
6	8	4.08	4	2.04
9	9	4.59	13	6.63
Control				
2	1	0.51	4	2.04
4	4	2.04	9	4.59
5	8	4.08	7	3.57
Total	94	5.33	124	7.03

(Table 1). However, there was no significant difference ($F = 2.57$, $df = 215$, $P = 0.11$) in the number of detections among the three groups for the two combined years.

In 2007 and 2008, 120 cerulean warbler territories were demarcated (Table 2, Appendix 1). The number of territories demarcated at each study site ranged from 0 to 24. Overall territory sizes averaged from 0.11 ha to 0.86 ha (Table 2). We were unable to sample all territories in 2008 due to the initiation of the silvicultural treatments, which explains the apparent decrease in the number of territories for that year (see Materials and Methods: Territory Mapping above). There was no significant difference ($F = 0.29$, $df = 217$, $P = 0.75$) in the size of territories among the three groups for the two combined years. Mean distance of territories to the nearest neighboring territory in 2007 and 2008 was 126.5 m and 188.4 m, respectively. Based on the results of a nearest neighbor analysis, 83 percent of the territories were clustered in 2007 and 52 percent were clustered in 2008. These results suggest that most territories were spatially clumped and not randomly or uniformly distributed across the landscape.

Table 2.—Yearly cerulean warbler territory sizes in Yellowwood and Morgan-Monroe State Forests in southern Indiana according to site and harvest type for the pre-treatment years of 2007 and 2008. Values reported as mean $\pm$ 1 S.D.

Site/harvest	2007		2008	
	# of territories	Area (ha)	# of territories	Area (ha)
Uneven-aged				
1	0	0	1	0.44 $\pm$ 0
7	7	0.18 $\pm$ 0.08	7	0.86 $\pm$ 0.59
8	24	0.18 $\pm$ 0.17	21	0.19 $\pm$ 0.10
Even-aged				
3	8	0.18 $\pm$ 0.14	13	0.28 $\pm$ 0.16
6	6	0.16 $\pm$ 0.15	0	0
9	9	0.13 $\pm$ 0.13	5	0.31 $\pm$ 0.27
Control				
2	1	0.11 $\pm$ 0	3	0.40 $\pm$ 0.11
4	4	0.40 $\pm$ 0.46	2	0.44 $\pm$ 0.04
5	6	0.11 $\pm$ 0.07	3	0.69 $\pm$ 0.24
Total	65	0.18 $\pm$ 0.19	55	0.36 $\pm$ 0.34

DISCUSSION

The average estimate of 6.18 males/km² for the two pre-treatment years, although slightly higher, is comparable to previous density estimates in southern Indiana in the Hoosier National Forest, and Morgan-Monroe and Yellowwood State Forests. In 2000 and 2001, relative abundance estimates for these forested areas varied from 0 birds/km² to 3.9 birds/km² and the 2-year average for 2004 and 2005 was 3.58 males/km² (Islam and Basile 2002, Islam et al. 2006). A study at Big Oaks National Wildlife Refuge indicated an average relative abundance estimate of 1.78 birds/km² for 2002 and 2003 (Islam and Roth 2004). Despite the overall decline in cerulean warbler populations, density estimates in southern Indiana for the past 8 years have been similar. These results are a good indication that the population is continuing to persevere in some of Indiana's southern forests.

The number of territories and size of each territory differed among sites, with an average size of 0.28 ha. These results are similar to and within the range of territory sizes from previous studies (Islam and Basile 2002). In the Hoosier National Forest, and Morgan-Monroe and Yellowwood State Forests, mean

territory size (n=59) was 0.34 ha (Islam and Basile 2002). At Big Oaks National Wildlife Refuge (n=51), mean territory size was estimated at 0.21 ha (Islam and Roth 2004). In contrast, the mean for territories mapped (n=18) in Ontario was 1.04 ha (Oliarnyk and Robertson 1996), which is much larger than the mean territory size for this study or previous studies of territory size in southern Indiana.

According to Barg et al. (2006), territory size can be influenced by many factors, which can lead to variation in territory sizes. Factors that may affect territory size include habitat quality and resource distribution. These factors may explain why territories in this part of the cerulean warblers' breeding range are smaller than territories in Ontario.

Territories' occurring in clumps can also be an explanation for territory size. Cerulean warblers are known to exhibit clustered territoriality (Roth and Islam 2007). We found reduced clustering in 2008 as compared to 2007, but our territory sampling effort was reduced in 2008 due to the beginning of the silvicultural treatments.

There were no significant differences in the number of cerulean warbler detections or the sizes of territories among the three groups (control, even-aged, and uneven-aged treatments). These results are encouraging as any changes that occur in detection rates or the size and spatial arrangements of territories after silvicultural treatment will likely be a response to that treatment.

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APPENDIX 1.

The following sets of UTM coordinates demarcate cerulean warbler territories in Morgan-Monroe State Forest (units 1-4) and Yellowwood State Forest (units 5-9) in southern Indiana for 2007 and 2008. Projection is North American Datum 1983 UTM zone 16N.

Year	Unit	Bird name	Easting	Northing	Year	Unit	Bird name	Easting	Northing
2007	2	LP2E4	548427	4354817	2007	3	MH3F4	548160	4352366
			548420	4354815				548111	4352356
			548410	4354822				548104	4352333
			548446	4354793				548091	4352324
			548465	4354785				548108	4352326
			548478	4354771				548084	4352336
			548476	4354778				548058	4352344
			548477	4354755	2007	3	LP3EA	547866	4352147
2007	3	MH3E4	548479	4354749				547862	4352164
			547978	4352263				547881	4352203
			547995	4352332				547864	4352198
			548020	4352270				547872	4352200
			547921	4352230				547869	4352192
			547913	4352253				547894	4352168
			547903	4352230				547841	4352183
2007	3	LP3D	547946	4352249	2007	3	MH3E3B	547958	4352152
			547648	4351993				547963	4352141
			547640	4351998				547955	4352138
			547658	4351987				547954	4352150
			547643	4351986				547967	4352154
			547625	4351962				547010	4352162
			547556	4351968				547013	4352164
2007	3	MH3G2A	548279	4351991		4	LP4C7	548005	4352152
			548298	4351984				549482	4351227
			548293	4351996				549437	4351291
			548273	4351998				549450	4351300
			548303	4351997				549454	4351304
			548331	4352000				549443	4351258
			548320	4352028				549345	4351239
			548319	4352022				549324	4351257
2007	3	MH3G2B	548331	4352029	2007	4	N4C7	549329	4351309
			548326	4352035				549325	4351335
			548332	4352056				549377	4351462
			548345	4352047				549408	4351529
			548324	4352062				549430	4351530
			548334	4352042				549412	4351558
			548342	4352090				549439	4351499
								549420	4351506
2007	3	MH3G3	545350	4352164	2007	4	MHF6	550196	4351137
			548367	4352131				550280	4351157
			548393	4352063				550251	4351155
			548397	4352084				550266	4351165
			548397	4352078				550304	4351169
			548388	4352154				550317	4351158
			548385	4352149				550307	4351173
			548361	4352180					

APPENDIX 1. (continued)

Year	Unit	Bird name	Easting	Northing	Year	Unit	Bird name	Easting	Northing
2007	4	RBMB4G5	550372	4350873	2007	6	MH6B6B	554574	4330631
			550357	4350878				554577	4330639
			550360	4350882				554551	4330644
			550362	4359878				554531	4330646
			550361	4350857				554579	4330618
2007	5	LP5C6	554289	4339828				554536	4330647
			554310	4339802				554567	4330646
			554302	4339802	2007	6	MH6B6C	554533	4330685
			554333	4339861				554501	4330674
			554305	4339822				554516	4330689
			554322	4339819				554527	4330683
			554314	4339793				554517	4330675
2007	5	CP5D6	554396	4339728				554537	4330673
			554397	4339724				554528	4330672
			554402	4339713	2007	6	RS6C7A	554795	4330659
			554413	4339731				554781	4330603
			554410	4339731				554795	4330605
			554397	4339725				554796	4330642
2007	5	RS5E6	554672	4339747				554827	4330666
			554720	4339776				554793	4330673
			554729	4339756				554827	4330679
			554716	4339749	2007	6	RS6C7B	554780	4330727
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			555093	4339187				554772	4330730
			555121	4339176	2007	6	RS6D3	554956	4329828
			555076	4339204				554957	4329897
			555140	4339202				554903	4329853
			555149	4339188				554945	4329841
2007	5	RS5G3B	555096	4339175				554907	4329856
			555063	4339170				554974	4329850
			555038	4339150				554926	4329945
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			555059	4339118				559578	4331505
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			555010	4339187				559590	4331446
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			555010	4339185				558432	4332043
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			554626	4330576				558407	4332003
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			554648	4330545				558455	4332077
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			558603	4331876				559074	4329850
			558596	4331897				559050	4329880
			558633	4331835				559021	4329847
			558606	4331823				559100	4329850
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			558615	4331809					
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			558429	4331764				558530	4329819
			558410	4331774				558532	4329810
			558448	4331722				558543	4329818
			558436	4331725				558546	4329828
			558468	4331612				558539	4329831
			558464	4331618				558533	4329846
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			558514	4331534				558626	4329782
			558501	4331555				558635	4329763
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2007	7	LP7G3A	559635	4331588	2007	8	MH8E6	558758	4329971
			559661	4331607				558784	4329989
			559625	4331590				558744	4329980
			559630	4331586				558744	4329989
			559656	4331557				558806	4330005
			559660	4331541				558777	4329970
			559656	4331538				558823	4329981
			559685	4331655					
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			559641	4331445				559151	4329258
			559643	4331432				559151	4329234
			559636	4331470					
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			559624	4331498					
			559631	4331437					
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			559109	4329734				557914	4329720
			559126	4329752				557891	4329721
			559128	4329743				557847	4329645
			559111	4329720				557847	4329629
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			559105	4329745					
					2007	8	MH8F7C	557974	4329778
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			558847	4330434				557845	4329305
			558824	4330439				557843	4329317
			558842	4330464				557840	4329336
			558847	4330468				557824	4329310
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2007	8	MH8F6A	558830	4330018	2007	8	RS8B2C	558160	4329270
			558829	4330043				558152	4329224
			558801	4330027				558139	4329219
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			558814	4329920				558140	4329212
			558784	4329914				558150	4329190
			558763	4329916				558127	4329232
			558837	4329921					
2007	8	MH8G2A	559196	4329380	2007	8	RS8B1B	558001	4329148
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			559217	4329268				557935	4329247
			559213	4329261				557998	4329187
			559206	4329276				558008	4329220
			559222	4329254				558010	4329228
			559223	4329263				558016	4329238
								558054	4329233
2007	8	LP8D3	558358	4329369	2007	8	LPC1A	558226	4329042
			558390	4329371				558241	4329066
			558411	4329364				558246	4329062
			558385	4329374				558220	4329061
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			558348	4329385				558208	4329010
			558348	4329375				558222	4329164
2007	8	LP8C3A	558186	4329529				558197	4329003
			558177	4329538				558192	4329000
			558175	4329565	2007	8	RS8B1A	558022	4329059
			558171	4329558				558056	4329016
			558167	4329534				558053	4329027
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			558129	4329544				558058	4329027
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			557959	4329171	2007	8	LP8B1Q	558000	4329030
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			557913	4329168				558003	4329020
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2007	9	MH9B23	560777 560797 560830 560831 560817 560898 560875 560886	4332355 4332364 4332326 4332324 4332360 4332240 4332253 4332238	2007	9	LP9A5Z	560616 560618 560639 560638 560624 560635 560646	4332747 4332750 4332738 4332761 4332751 4332760 4332755
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2008	2	233	548353 548472 548453 548417 548491 548489	4354874 4354845 4354873 4354882 4354783 4354808	2008	3	336	547826 547754 547837 547770	4352875 4352895 4352896 4352841
2008	2	239	548580 548557 548546 548587 548606 548608 548627	4354690 4354739 4354697 4354719 4354711 4354675 4354680	2008	3	343	548414 548452 548428 548431 548456 548422 548441	4351706 4351744 4351645 4351595 4351593 4351603 4351680
2008	2	246	548786 548804 548731 548800 548838 548871 548777 548791	4354730 4354742 4354723 4354731 4354720 4354712 4354752 4354695	2008	3	344	548363 548414 548396 548388 548363 548353 548381 548323	4351983 4351946 4351920 4351932 4351975 4351958 4351982 4351981
2008	3	247	547416 547409 547389 547421 547401 547383 547361 547356 547355	4352483 4352524 4352517 4352490 4352465 4352484 4352477 4352482 4352453	2008	3	345	548323 548382 548377 548360 548373 548388 548364	4352184 4352131 4352178 4352174 4352160 4352162 4352140
2008	3	329	547960 547944 547960 547971	4351698 4351749 4351783 4351819	2008	3	3455	548291 548330 548314 548322 548315 548359 548360 548323	4352127 4352108 4352086 4352097 4352083 4352101 4352119 4352112
2008	3	331	547883 547886 547877 547935 547928 547862 547879 547862 547866 547870	4352174 4352170 4352170 4352186 4352214 4352276 4352342 4352276 4352173 4352201	2008	3	346	548313 548252 548264 548269 548239 548325 548302 548302	4352314 4352283 4352334 4352270 4352316 4352277 4352311 4352293
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			548269	4352546				558610	4331763
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2008	3	347	548423	4352441				558544	4331820
			548426	4352446				558570	4331840
			548505	4352467				558521	4331793
			548515	4352467	2008	7	730	558479	4331954
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			548465	4352459				558480	4332073
			548449	4352439				558352	4332103
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2008	4	414	549324	4350015	2008	7	719	559143	4331397
			549345	4350020				559148	4331389
			549363	4349970				559100	4331500
			549339	4349938				559057	4331368
			549361	4349923				559107	4331352
			549321	4349897				559182	4331351
			549373	4349998				559197	4331524
			549338	4350029	2008	7	706	559447	4330998
2008	4	443	550221	4350205				559434	4331040
			550218	4350217				559367	4331116
			550183	4350199				559373	4331123
			550177	4350207				559405	4331112
			550246	4350185				559467	4330997
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			550212	4350213	2008	7	714	559538	4331265
			550225	4350172				559557	4331295
			550229	4350153				559571	4331340
			550311	4350151				559535	4331376
2008	5	532	554606	4339350				559520	4331419
			554594	4339328				559475	4331407
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			554627	4339300	2008	7	715	559537	4331406
			554719	4339323				559548	4331400
			554673	4339306				559557	4331372
2008	5	539	554848	4339286				559592	4331375
			554852	4339299				559599	4331384
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			554733	4339207	2008	7	721	559504	4331450
			554858	4339241				559485	4331437
			554871	4339226				559477	4331417
2008	5	545	555045	4339063				559572	4331465
			555080	4339123				559581	4331480
			555092	4339213				559504	4331441
			555051	4339178				559505	4331460
			555084	4339182					
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			555111	4339205					
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			557974	4329045				558524	4329815
			557960	4329036				558553	4329822
			557969	4329040				558482	4329857
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			557990	4329049				558401	4329886
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			557987	4329025				558410	4329866
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			557977	4329075					
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			558029	4329167				558636	4329091
			558052	4329174				558638	4329150
			558060	4329148				558647	4329096
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					558623	4329117			
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			558616	4329420			558590	4329080	
			558624	4329446			558605	4329130	
			558626	4329420					
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2008	8	826	558202	4329590	2008	8	825	558542	4329653
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			558175	4329561				558560	4329631
			558133	4329578					
2008	8	8265	558168	4329526	2008	8	833	558620	4329807
			558193	4329520				558609	4329814
			558175	4329517				558600	4329761
			558174	4329529				558630	4329762
			558196	4329542				558638	4329766
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			558802	4329180				560518	4332850
			558821	4329190	2008	9	911	560813	4332543
2008	8	819	558797	4329418				560801	4332553
			558820	4329443				560814	4332540
			558779	4329482				560795	4332545
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			558810	4329411				560782	4332521
2008	8	820	558964	4329365	2008	9	918	561016	4332660
			558984	4329352				560939	4332630
			558953	4329314				561021	4332642
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			558931	4329365				561056	4332683
2008	8	821	559124	4329424				561000	4332600
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			559109	4329433					
			559130	4329416					
			559027	4329489					
			559058	4329477					
			559004	4329456					
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			559163	4329387					
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			559179	4329356					
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			560652	4332826					
			560647	4332824					

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