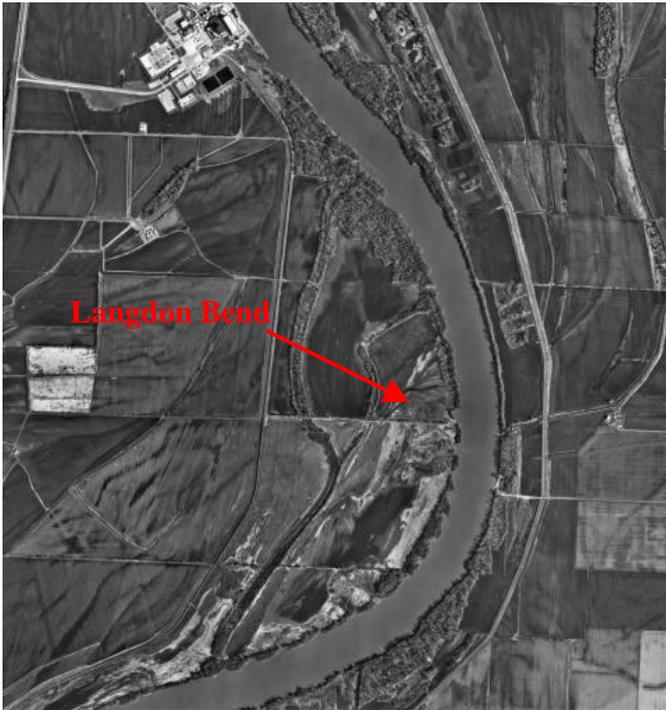




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# Information Paper

## Missouri River Fish and Wildlife Mitigation Project Langdon Bend



*Aerial view of Langdon Bend Mitigation Site*

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### Location

3 miles south of Brownville, Nebraska in Nemaha County.

### Description

The Langdon Bend site is located on 1,312 acres of former agricultural land purchased by the Corps of Engineers. The area is adjacent to the right descending bank of the Missouri River at river miles 532 to 528.

The chute at Langdon Bend was closed in conjunction with the Missouri River Bank Stabilization and Navigation Project (BSNP). Construction of the BSNP cut off the side channel

across Langdon Bend. In 2000, the Corps of Engineers completed construction of a backwater/shallow water area within the historic alignment of the closed off chute. The new backwater area could not be opened to the river at the upstream end of the site due to its proximity to the Cooper Nuclear Power Plant. However, during highest flows on the river, the area will act as a flow through chute.

The Nebraska Game & Parks Department has assumed operation and management of the constructed features. No motor vehicles are allowed on the site, but public foot access is available. This site can be used for a variety of outdoor activities including fishing, bird watching, hiking and hunting when in season.

### Current Status

This project was completed in 2000. It has been operational since that time and continues to function as planned providing shallow water and flood plain terrestrial habitat. A new public access road and parking lot is under construction and should be done by December 2004. We are also looking at adding additional land to this site.



*Outlet of backwater area during winter freeze*