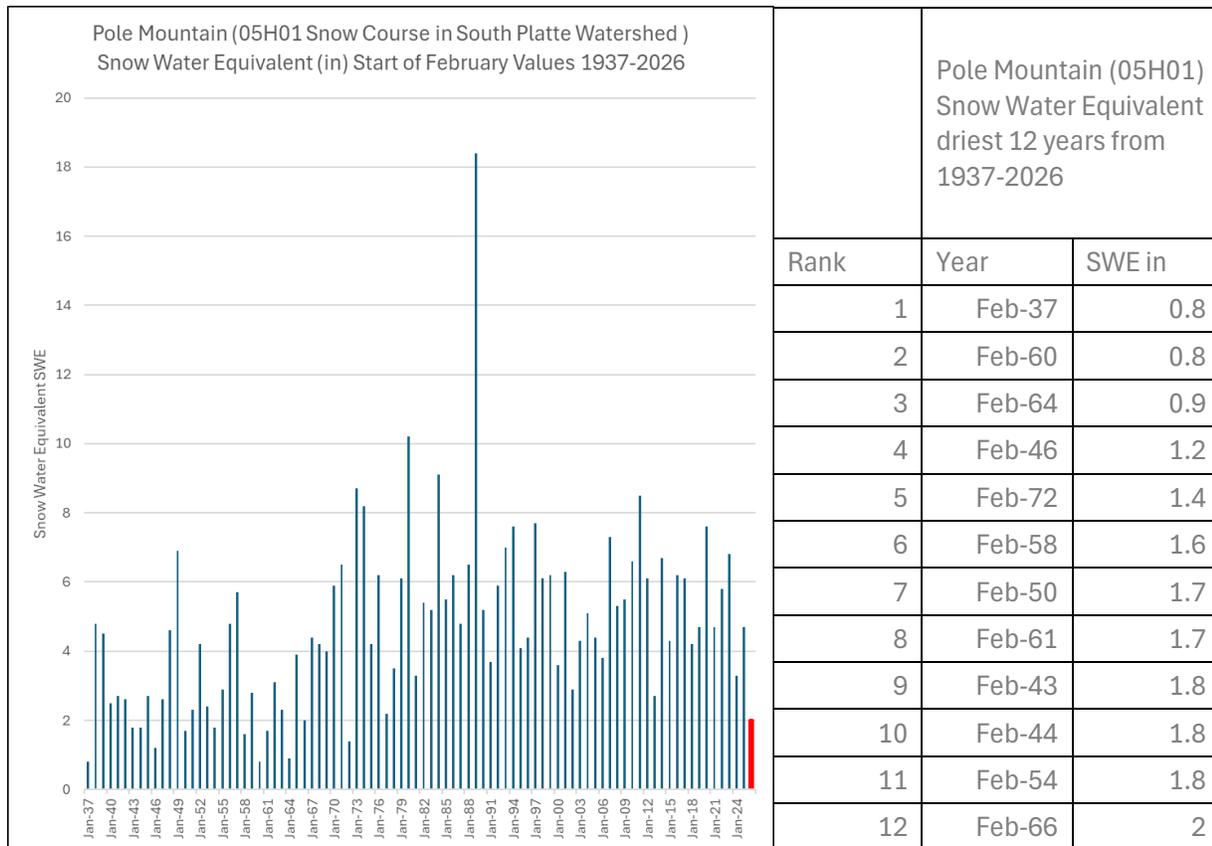


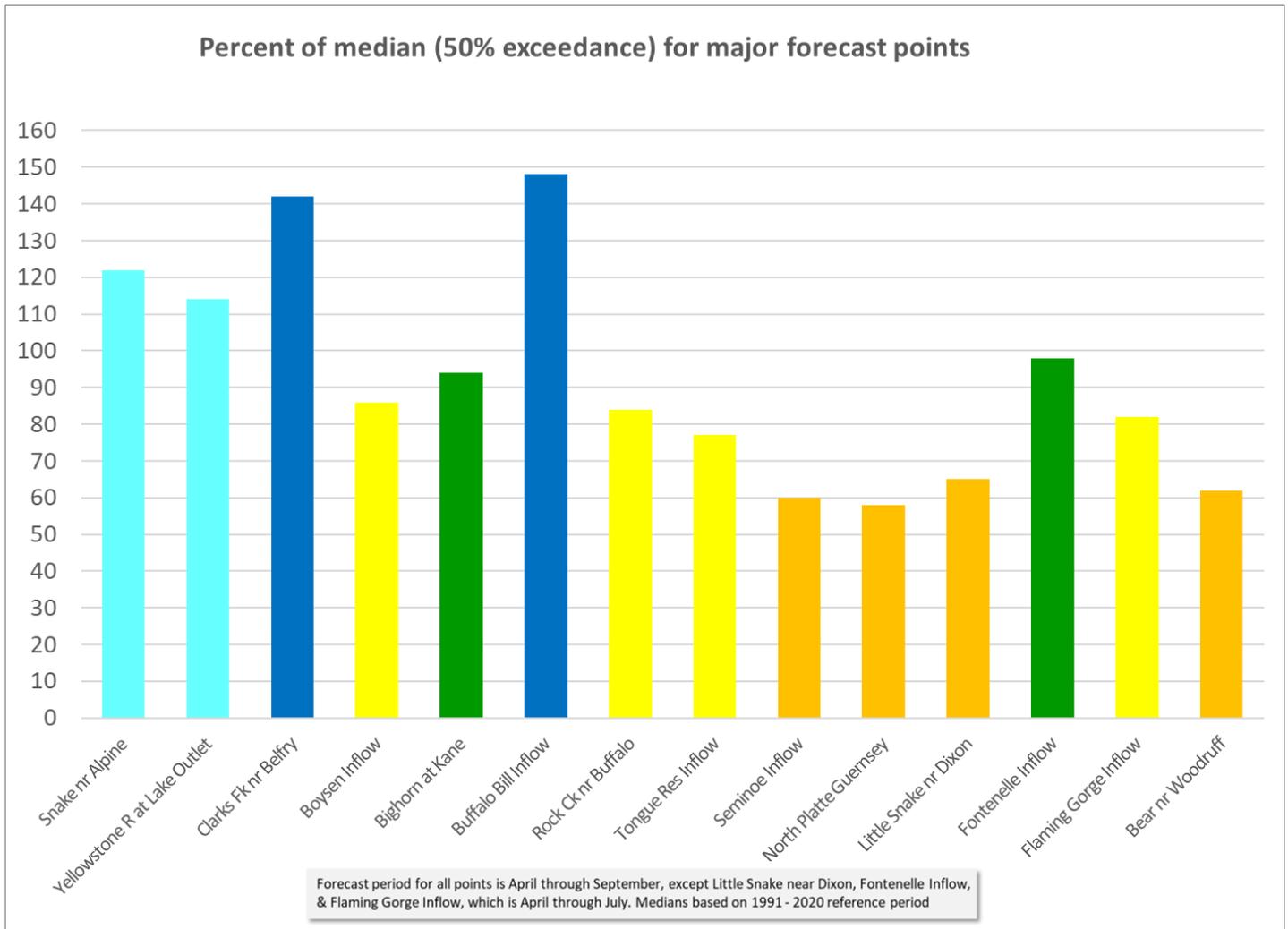
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Forecasted stream flows for February 1st, 2026



Fifty percent exceedance probability for 4 major forecast points listed above are expected to be above 110% of normal. 4 major forecast points listed above are expected to be below 70% normal.

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How forecasts are made

Most of the annual streamflow in the western United States originates as snowfall that has accumulated in the mountains during the winter and early spring. As the snowpack accumulates, hydrologists estimate the runoff that will occur when it melts. Measurements of snow water equivalent at selected manual snow courses and automated SNOTEL sites, along with precipitation, antecedent streamflow, and indices of the El Niño / Southern Oscillation are used in computerized statistical and simulation models to prepare runoff forecasts. Unless otherwise specified, all forecasts are for flows that would occur naturally without any upstream influences.

Forecasts of any kind, of course, are not perfect. Streamflow forecast uncertainty arises from three primary sources: (1) uncertain knowledge of future weather conditions, (2) uncertainty in the forecasting procedure, and (3) errors in the data. The forecast, therefore, must be interpreted not as a single value but rather as a range of values with specific probabilities of occurrence. The middle of the range is expressed by the 50% exceedance probability forecast, for which there is a 50% chance that the actual flow will be above, and a 50% chance that the actual flow will be below, this value. To describe the expected range around this 50% value, four other forecasts are provided, two smaller values (90% and 70% exceedance probability) and two larger values (30%, and 10% exceedance probability). For example, there is a 90% chance that the actual flow will be more than the 90% exceedance probability forecast. The others can be interpreted similarly.

The wider the spread among these values, the more uncertain the forecast. As the season progresses, forecasts become more accurate, primarily because a greater portion of the future weather conditions become known; this is reflected by a narrowing of the range around the 50% exceedance probability forecast. Users should take this uncertainty into consideration when making operational decisions by selecting forecasts corresponding to the level of risk they are willing to assume about the amount of water to be expected. If users anticipate receiving a lesser supply of water, or if they wish to increase their chances of having an adequate supply of water for their operations, they may want to base their decisions on the 90% or 70% exceedance probability forecasts, or something in between. On the other hand, if users are concerned about receiving too much water (for example, threat of flooding), they may want to base their decisions on the 30% or 10% exceedance probability forecasts, or something in between. Regardless of the forecast value users choose for operations, they should be prepared to deal with either more or less water. (Users should remember that even if the 90% exceedance probability forecast is used, there is still a 10% chance of receiving less than this amount.) By using the exceedance probability information, users can easily determine the chances of receiving more or less water.

Note: The median is the official normal for snowpack (SWE), precipitation, reservoir storage, and streamflow calculations. Please refer to the **Appendix** of this report for more detailed information.

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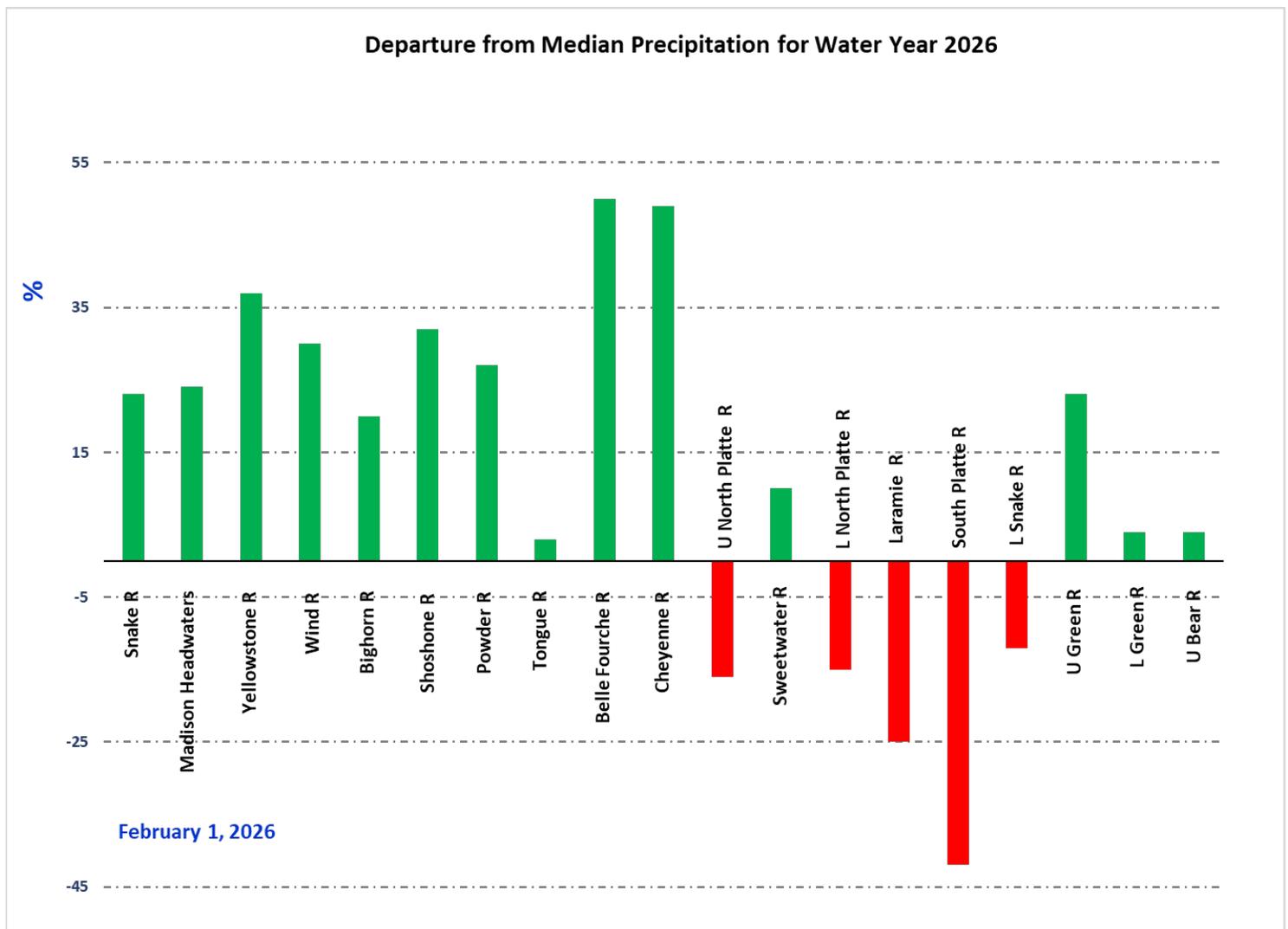
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Snowpack

Snow water equivalent (SWE) across Wyoming for February 1st was at 77% of median. SWE in the Yellowstone River Basin was the highest at 109% of median and lowest for the South Platte River Basin at 20% of median. On February 1st, 2026, the following basins were below the 89% of median SWE recorded for the 1991 - 2020 interval: Belle Fourche, Big Horn, Cheyenne, Laramie, Little Snake, Lower Green, Lower North Platte, Powder, Snake, South Platte, Tongue, Upper Bear, and Upper North Platte. *See the map on page 6 and the Appendix for further information.*

Precipitation

The Cheyenne River Basin had the highest precipitation for the month at 133% of median. The Big Horn River Basin had the lowest precipitation amount for the month at 53% of median. The following graph displays the precipitation in major river basins and their departure from median for the water year beginning February 1st, 2026. *See Appendix for further information.*



Streams

Forecast median streamflow yields for April thru September in Wyoming basins (except Green, Little Snake and Cheyenne) average 93%. Forecast median stream flow yields for April thru July in Upper and Lower Green, Little Snake, and Cheyenne average are 95%, 84%, 68%, and 58%. The Snake River and Yellowstone River in Wyoming, basins should yield about 117% and 128% of median. Yields from the Wind and Bighorn River basins should be about 104% and 94% of median. Yields from the Shoshone River basin should be 134% of median. Yields from the Powder and Tongue River basins should be about 84% and 74% of median. Yields for the Sweetwater, Upper North Platte, Lower North Platte, and Laramie Rivers of Wyoming should be about 90%, 66%, 67%, and 79% of median, respectively.

Reservoirs

Reservoir storage was 84% of median across the entire state. Reservoirs in the Snake River basin are near median at 97%. Reservoirs in the Wind River basin are below median at 83%. The Boyson Reservoir in the Bighorn basin is near median at 95%. The Buffalo Bill Reservoir on the Shoshone is below median at 88%. Reservoirs in the Belle Fourche and Cheyenne River basins are at 102% and 79% respectively. Reservoirs on the Upper and Lower North Platte River are at 58% and 96% respectively. Reservoirs on the Upper Green River are near median at 101%. Reservoirs on the Lower Green River are near median 96%. Reservoirs in the Upper Bear are below median at 36%. Reservoir in the Laramie Basin is below median at 53%. *See below for further information. Wyoming Reservoir Levels*

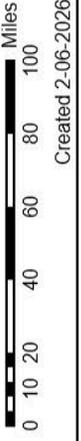
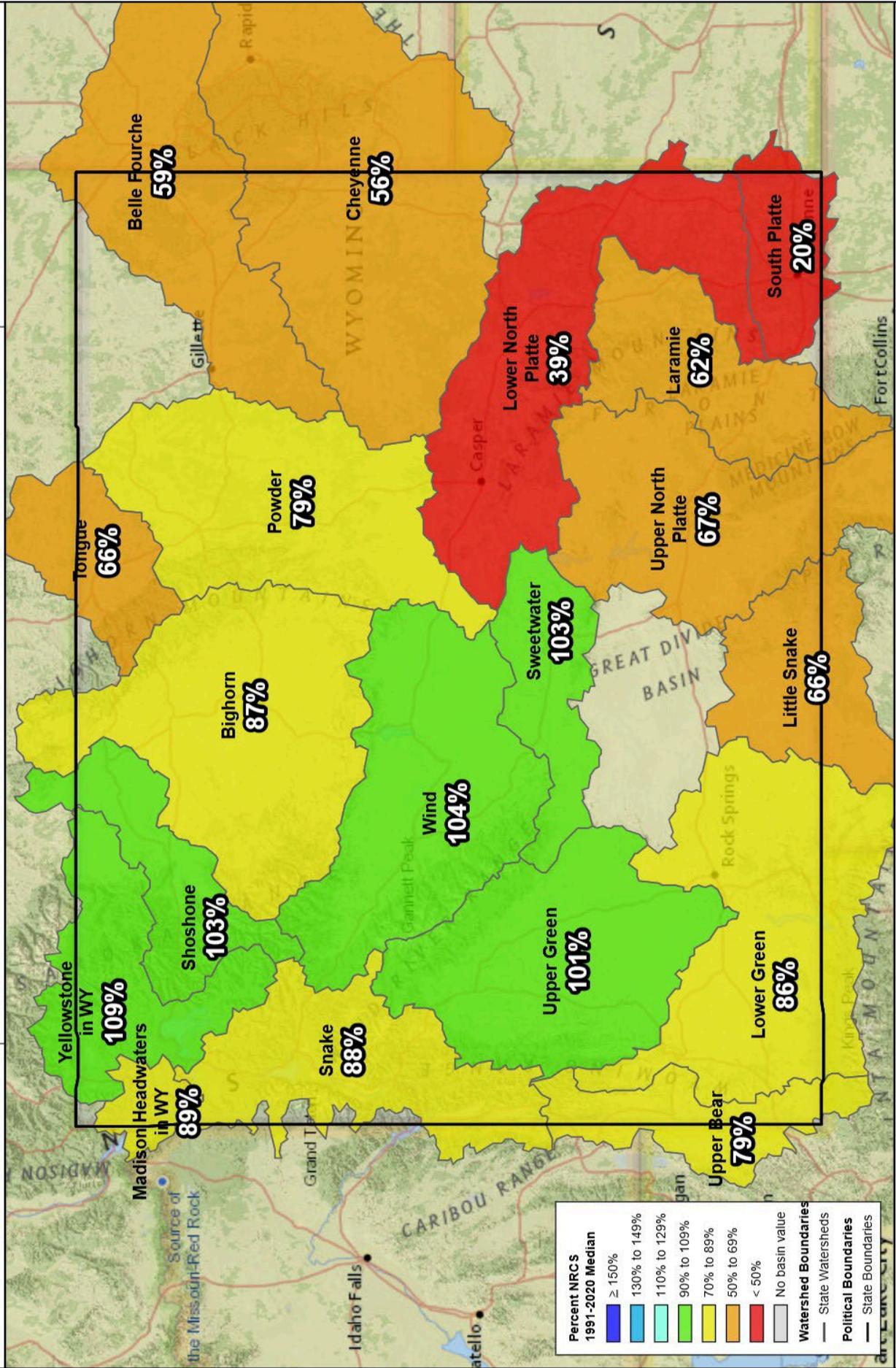
| Reservoir Storage Summary For the End of January 2026 | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| | Current (KAF) | Last Year (KAF) | Median (KAF) | Capacity (KAF) | Current % Capacity | Last Year % Capacity | Median % Capacity | Current % Median | Last Year % Median |
| Alcova | 157.6 | 157.5 | 156.4 | 184.3 | 86% | 85% | 85% | 101% | 101% |
| Angostura | 65.1 | 80.9 | 93.3 | 122.1 | 53% | 66% | 76% | 70% | 87% |
| Belle Fourche | 143.1 | 112.5 | 132.1 | 178.4 | 80% | 63% | 74% | 108% | 85% |
| Big Sandy | 16.8 | 24.4 | 18.2 | 38.3 | 44% | 64% | 48% | 92% | 134% |
| Bighorn Lake | 813.8 | 818.4 | 854.2 | 1356.0 | 60% | 60% | 63% | 95% | 96% |
| Boysen | 479.6 | 479.9 | 551.9 | 596.0 | 80% | 81% | 93% | 87% | 87% |
| Buffalo Bill | 391.9 | 372.3 | 446.7 | 646.6 | 61% | 58% | 69% | 88% | 83% |
| Bull Lake | 39.2 | 35.0 | 80.9 | 151.8 | 26% | 23% | 53% | 48% | 43% |
| Deerfield | 14.9 | 14.7 | 14.8 | 15.2 | 98% | 97% | 97% | 100% | 99% |
| Eden | 2.0 | 5.5 | 4.0 | 11.8 | 17% | 47% | 34% | 50% | 135% |
| Flaming Gorge Reservoir | 2992.0 | 3088.3 | 3111.0 | 3749.0 | 80% | 82% | 83% | 96% | 99% |
| Fontenelle | 169.0 | 146.2 | 165.4 | 344.8 | 49% | 42% | 48% | 102% | 88% |
| Glendo | 260.4 | 247.3 | 281.5 | 506.4 | 51% | 49% | 56% | 93% | 88% |
| Grassy Lake | 11.6 | 11.1 | 12.7 | 15.2 | 77% | 73% | 84% | 92% | 87% |
| Guernsey | 14.7 | 8.2 | 13.9 | 45.6 | 32% | 18% | 30% | 106% | 59% |
| High Savery Reservoir | 8.0 | 11.4 | 11.6 | 22.4 | 36% | 51% | 52% | 69% | 98% |
| Jackson Lake | 601.9 | 649.6 | 620.4 | 847.0 | 71% | 77% | 73% | 97% | 105% |
| Keyhole | 110.5 | 112.6 | 117.2 | 193.8 | 57% | 58% | 60% | 94% | 96% |
| Meeks Cabin Reservoir | 6.4 | 7.6 | 9.8 | 32.5 | 20% | 23% | 30% | 65% | 78% |
| Pactola | 46.8 | 46.5 | 52.4 | 55.0 | 85% | 85% | 95% | 89% | 89% |
| Pathfinder | 346.7 | 604.8 | 565.6 | 1016.5 | 34% | 59% | 56% | 61% | 107% |
| Pilot Butte | 26.4 | 25.8 | 25.2 | 31.6 | 84% | 81% | 80% | 105% | 102% |
| Seminole | 330.0 | 492.8 | 595.8 | 1016.7 | 32% | 48% | 59% | 55% | 83% |
| Stateline Reservoir | 4.4 | 4.1 | 5.7 | 12.0 | 36% | 34% | 48% | 76% | 72% |
| Tongue River Res | NA | 44.9 | 48.2 | 79.1 | NA | 57% | 61% | NA | 93% |
| Viva Naughton Res | 28.8 | 30.4 | 30.2 | 42.4 | 0.68 | 72% | 71% | 0.95 | 101% |
| Wheatland #2 | 24.8 | 24.3 | 46.0 | 98.9 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 47% | 0.53 | 0.53 |
| Woodruff Creek | 3.0 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 4.0 | 74% | 51% | 55% | 135% | 92% |
| Woodruff Narrows Reservoir | 10.7 | 31.4 | 36.0 | 57.3 | 19% | 55% | 63% | 30% | 87% |

Snow Water Equivalent

Wyoming Basins

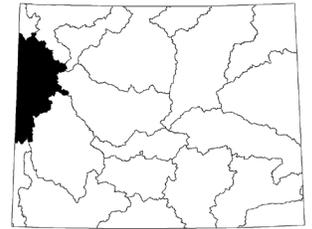
Percent NRCS 1991-2020 Median

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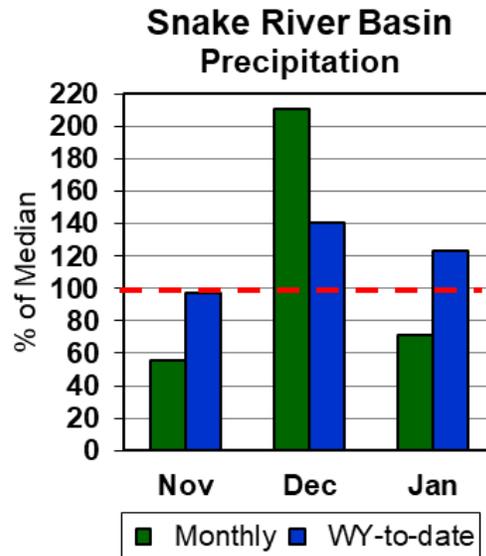
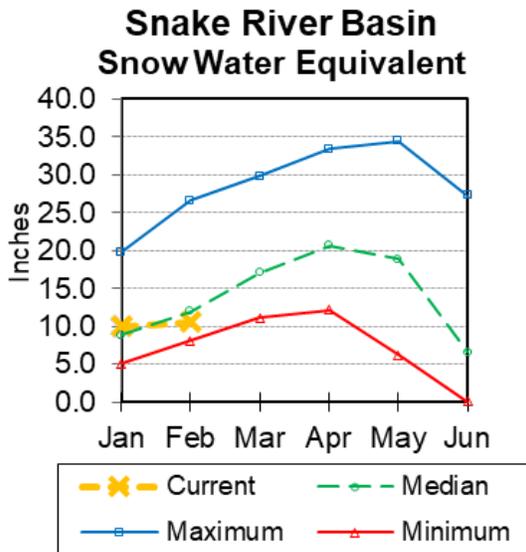
Snake River Basin



Snow

The overall Snake River basin SWE (portion above Palisades dam) is 88% of median. SWE in the Snake River Basin above Jackson Lake is 86% of median. Pacific Creek basin SWE is 105% of median. Buffalo Fork SWE is 104% of median. Gros Ventre River basin SWE is 107% of median. SWE in the Hoback River drainage is 92% of median. SWE in the Greys River drainage is 100% of median. Salt River Basin SWE is 82% of median.

See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.



Precipitation

Last month's precipitation for the Snake River Basin was 71% of median. Water-year-to-date precipitation is 123% of median.

Reservoirs

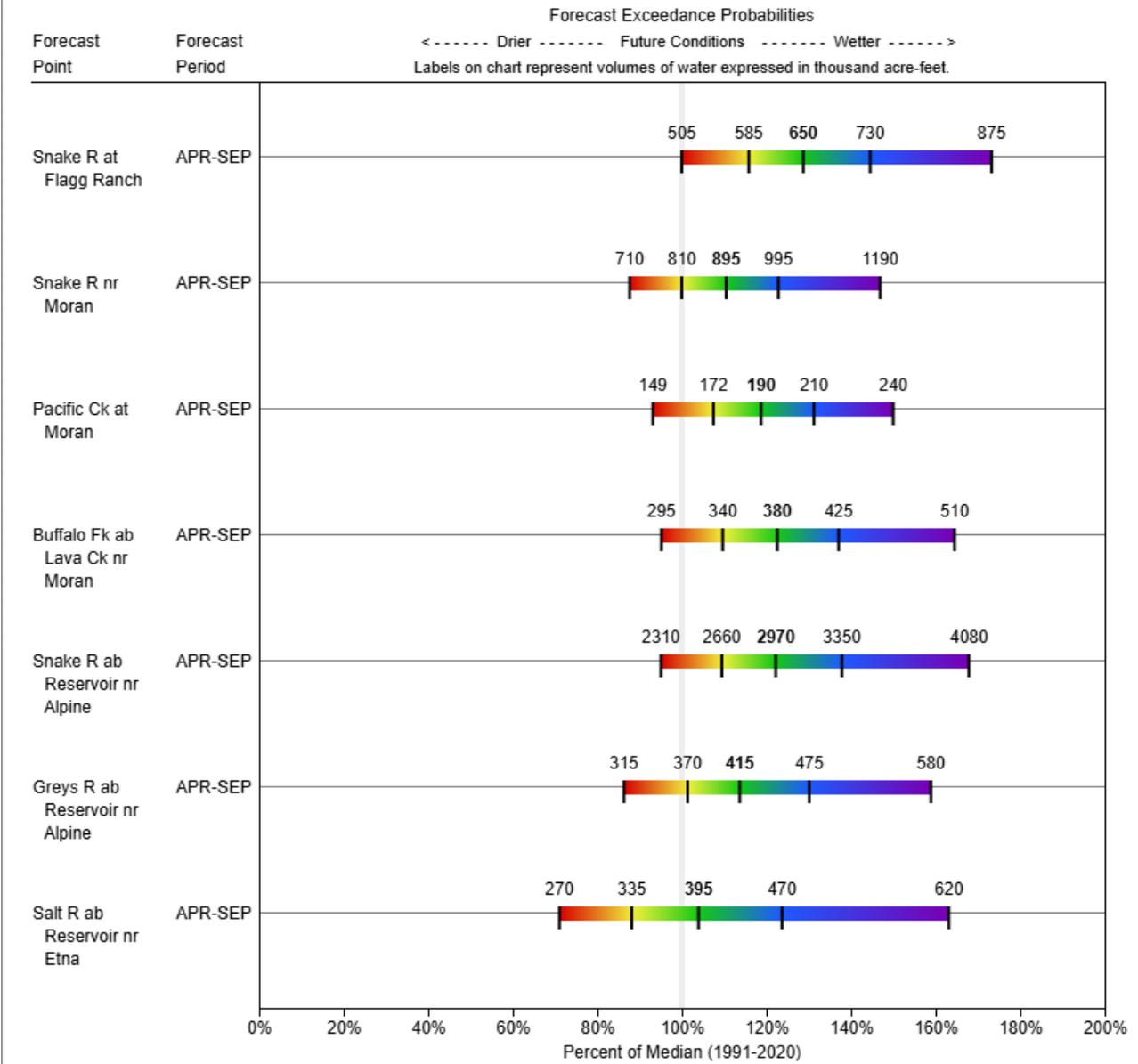
Current reservoir storage is 97% of median for the two storage reservoirs in the basin.

| | Current (KAF) | Last Year (KAF) | Median (KAF) | Capacity (KAF) | Current % Capacity | Last Year % Capacity | Median % Capacity | Current % Median | Last Year % Median |
|--------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Grassy Lake | 11.6 | 11.1 | 12.7 | 15.2 | 77% | 73% | 84% | 92% | 87% |
| Jackson Lake | 601.9 | 649.6 | 620.4 | 847.0 | 71% | 77% | 73% | 97% | 105% |
| Basin Index | | | | | 71% | 77% | 73% | 97% | 104% |
| # of reservoirs | | | | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |

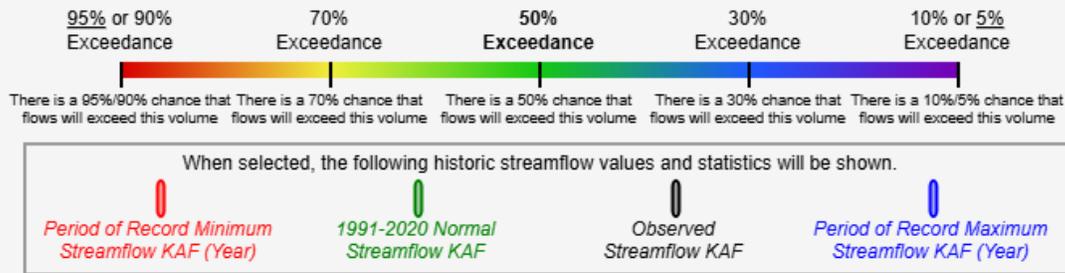
Streamflow

The 50% exceedance forecasts for April through September are above median for this basin. The Snake near Moran yield should be 110% of median. Snake River above reservoir near Alpine will yield about 114%. Pacific Creek near Moran yield will be around 119%. Buffalo Fork above Lava near Moran will be around 123% of median. Greys River above reservoir near Alpine should yield about 114%. Salt River near Etna yield will be about 104%. *See the following graph for further information.*

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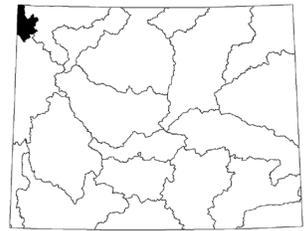


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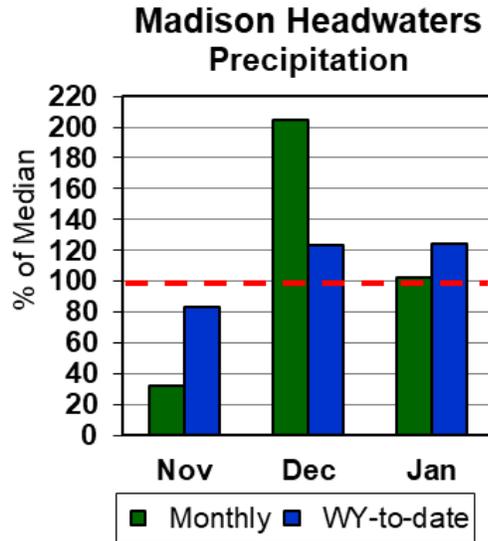
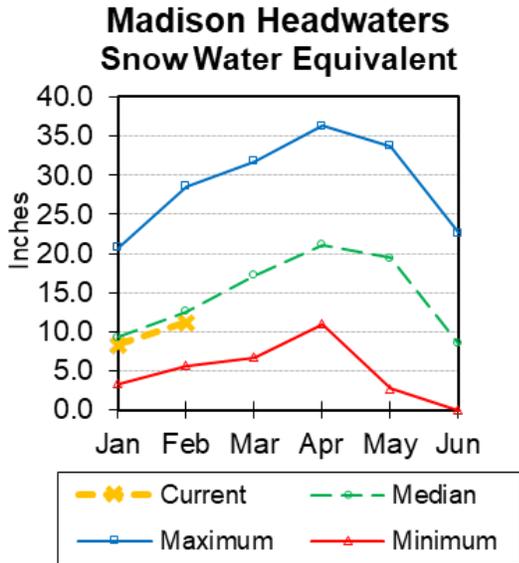
Some forecasts may be for volumes that are regulated or influenced by diversions and water management.

Madison Headwaters in Wyoming



Snow

SWE is 89% of median in the Madison Headwaters in Wyoming drainage. *See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.*



Precipitation

Last month precipitation in the Madison Headwaters drainage was 102% of median. Water-year-to-date precipitation is at 124% of median.

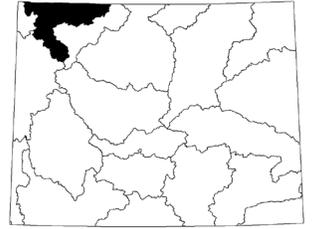
Reservoirs

No reservoir data.

Streamflow

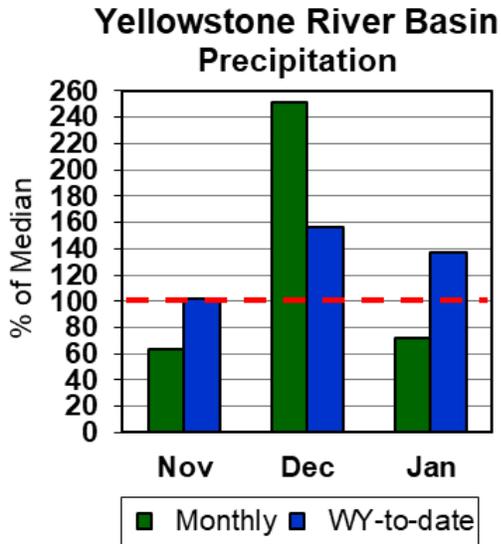
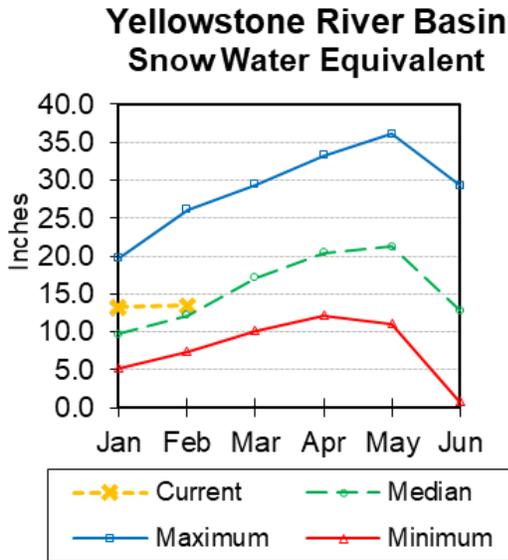
There are no streamflow forecast points for the basin.

Yellowstone River Basin



Snow

SWE in the Yellowstone River Basin is 109% of median. SWE in the Clarks Fork Drainage of the Yellowstone River basin in Wyoming is 116% of median. *See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.*



Precipitation

Last month's precipitation in the Yellowstone River Basin was 72% of median. Water-year-to-date precipitation is 137% of median.

Reservoirs

No reservoir data.

Streamflow

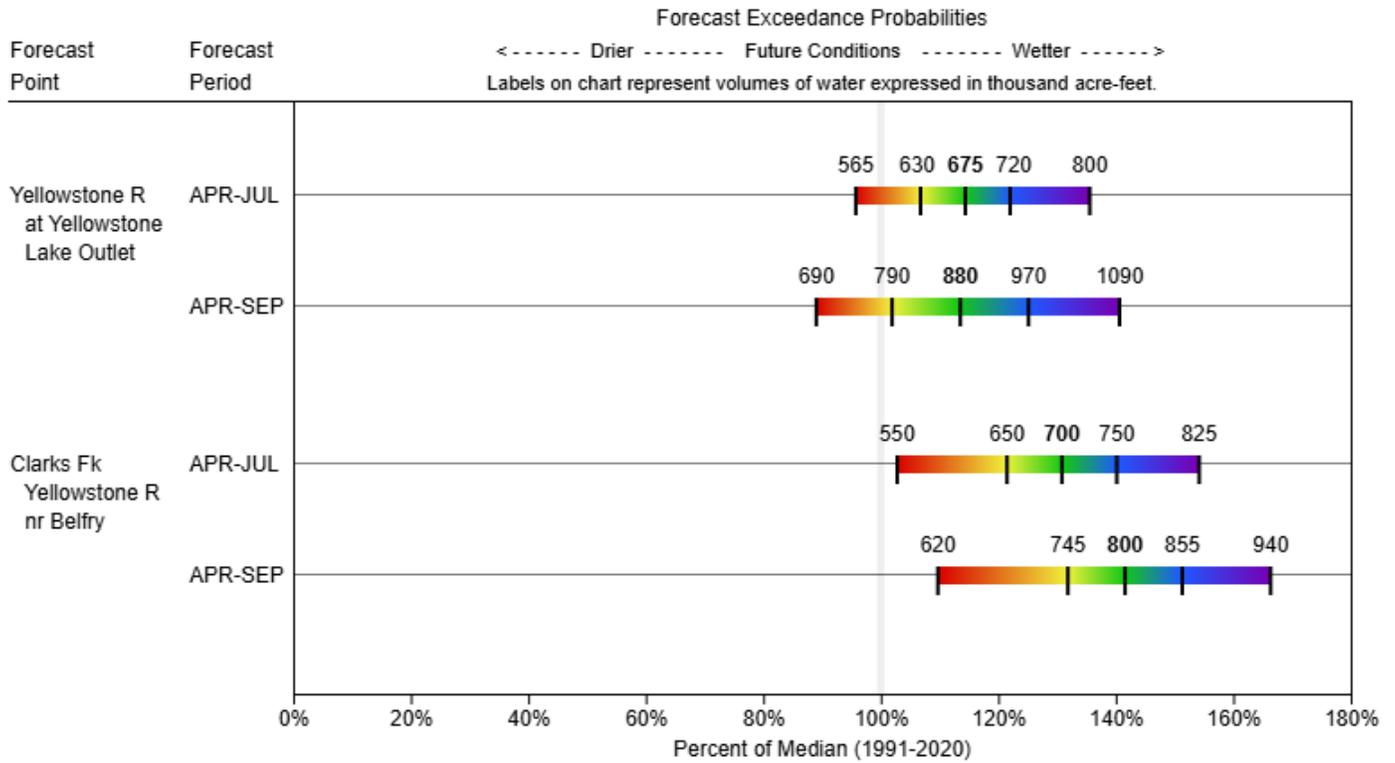
The 50% exceedance forecasts for April through September are above normal for the basin. Yellowstone at Lake Outlet will yield around 114% of median. Clarks Fork of the Yellowstone near Belfry will yield around 142%.

See the following graph for detailed information.

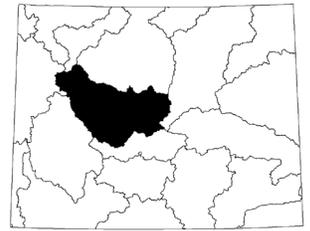
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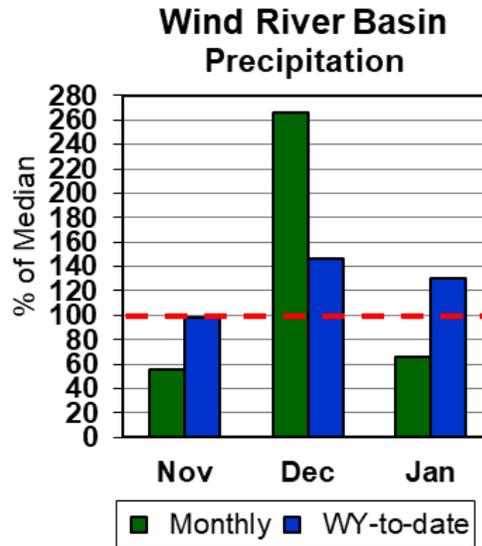
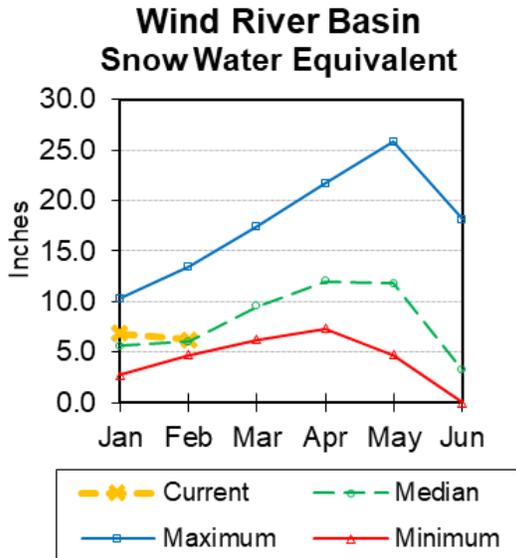


Wind River Basin



Snow

Wind River basin SWE (above Boysen Reservoir) is 104% of median. SWE in the Wind River above Dubois is 106% of median. Little Wind SWE is 110% of median, and Popo Agie drainage SWE is 100% of median. *See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.*



Precipitation

Last month's precipitation for the basin was 66% of median. Water year-to-date precipitation is 130% of median.

Reservoirs

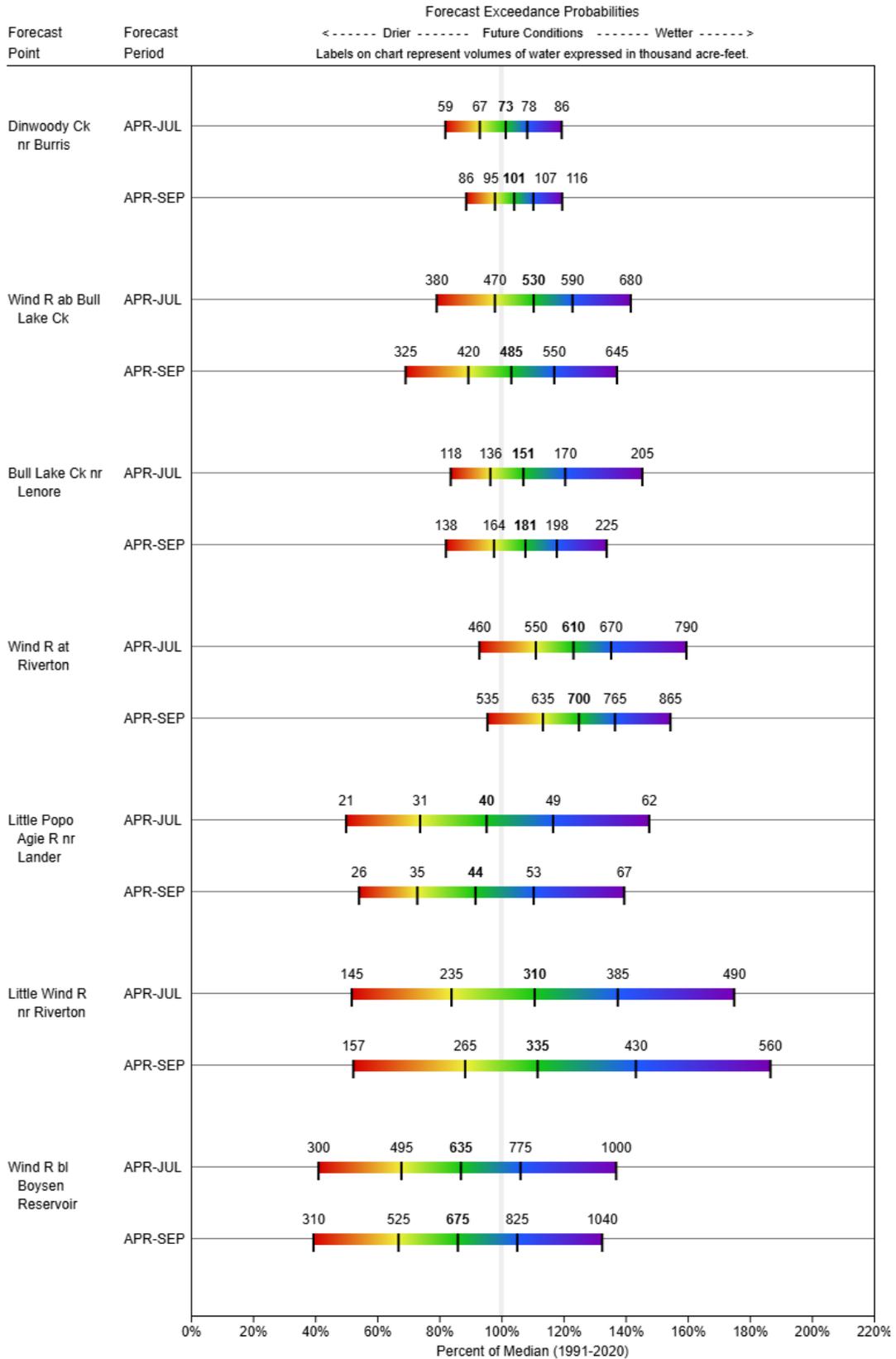
Current storage is 83% of median in the basin.

| | Current (KAF) | Last Year (KAF) | Median (KAF) | Capacity (KAF) | Current % Capacity | Last Year % Capacity | Median % Capacity | Current % Median | Last Year % Median |
|--------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Pilot Butte | 26.4 | 25.8 | 25.2 | 31.6 | 84% | 81% | 80% | 105% | 102% |
| Boysen | 479.6 | 479.9 | 551.9 | 596.0 | 80% | 81% | 93% | 87% | 87% |
| Bull Lake | 39.2 | 35.0 | 80.9 | 151.8 | 26% | 23% | 53% | 48% | 43% |
| Basin Index | | | | | 70% | 69% | 84% | 83% | 82% |
| # of reservoirs | | | | | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |

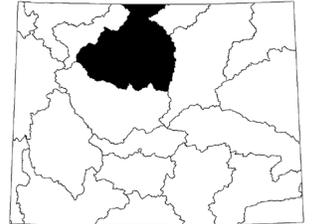
Streamflow

The 50% exceedance forecasts for the April through September runoff period should yield near median for the Wind River. The Wind River above Bull Lake Creek will yield about 103% of median. Little Popo Agie River near Lander should yield around 92% of median. Little Wind River near Riverton will yield around 112% of median. Boysen Reservoir inflow will yield about 86% of median. *See the following graph for detailed runoff volumes.*

WIND
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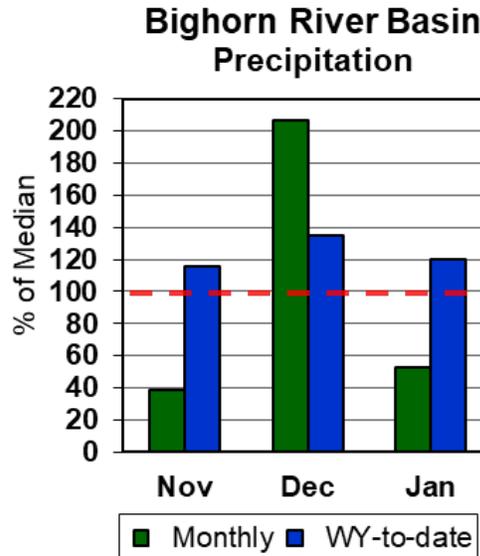
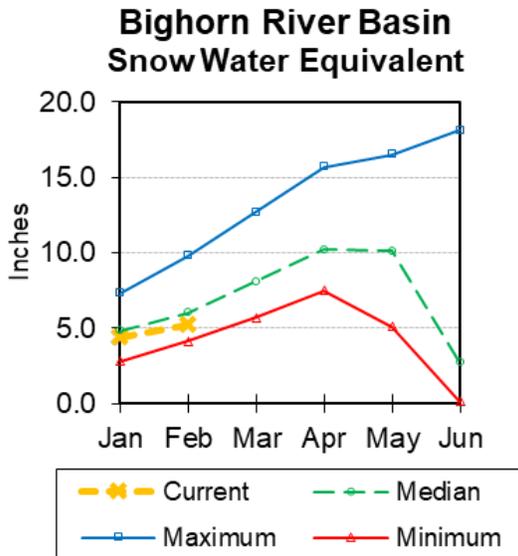


Bighorn River Basin



Snow

The Bighorn River Basin SWE (above Bighorn Reservoir) is 87% of median. The Greybull River SWE is at 78% of median. Shell Creek SWE is at 95% of median. *See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.*



Precipitation

Last month's precipitation was 53% of median. Year-to-date precipitation is 120% of median.

Reservoirs

Current reservoir storage in the basin is 96% of median.

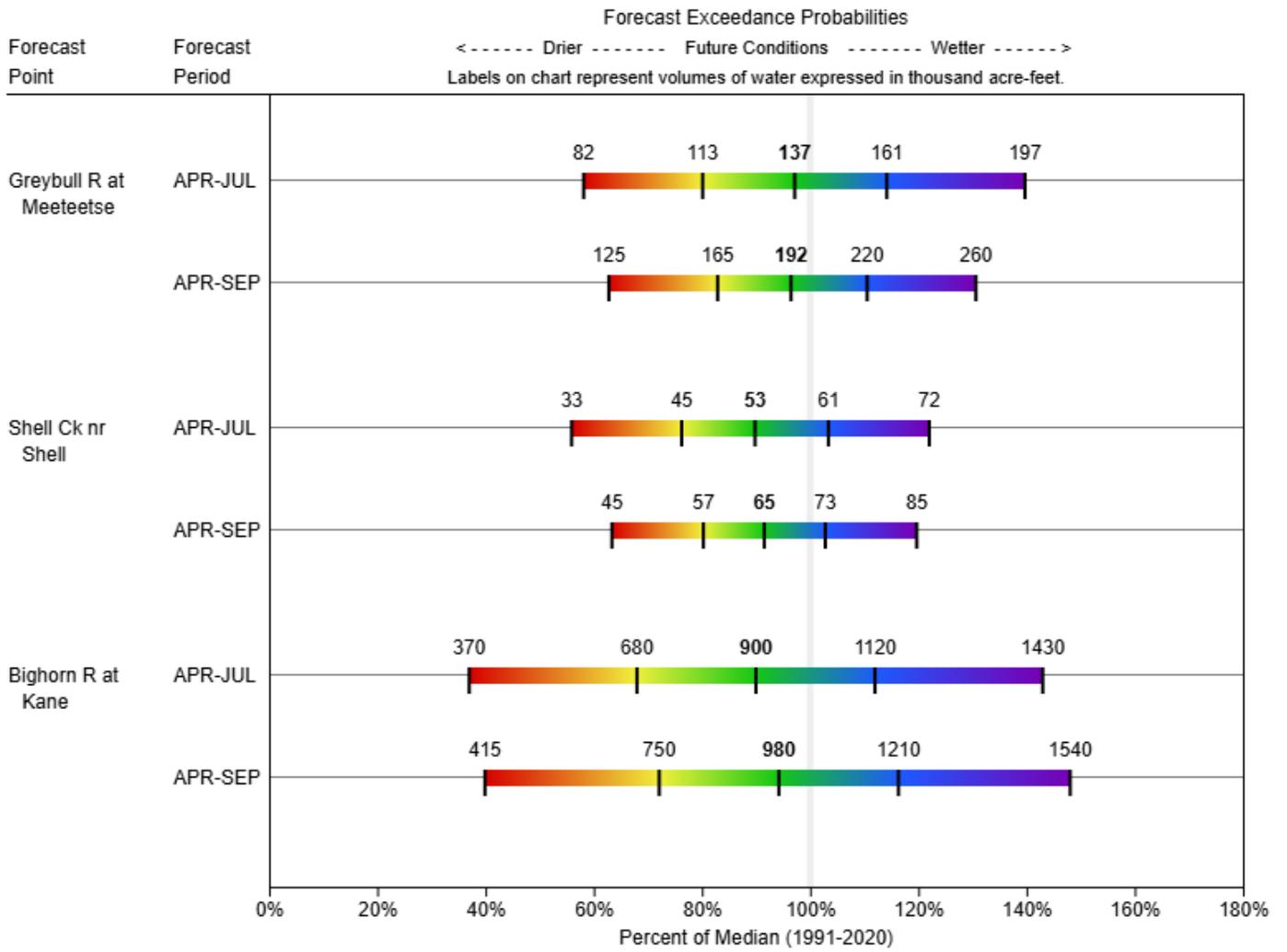
| | Current (KAF) | Last Year (KAF) | Median (KAF) | Capacity (KAF) | Current % Capacity | Last Year % Capacity | Median % Capacity | Current % Median | Last Year % Median |
|--------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Bighorn Lake | 813.8 | 818.4 | 854.2 | 1356.0 | 60% | 60% | 63% | 95% | 96% |
| Basin Index | | | | | 60% | 60% | 63% | 96% | 96% |
| # of reservoirs | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

Streamflow

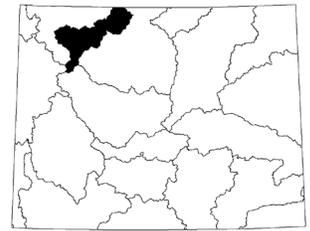
The 50% exceedance forecasts for the April through September runoffs are near normal. The Greybull River near Meeteetse should yield 96% of median. Shell Creek near Shell should yield around 92% of median. The Bighorn River at Kane should yield around 94% of median.

See the following graph for detailed runoff volumes.

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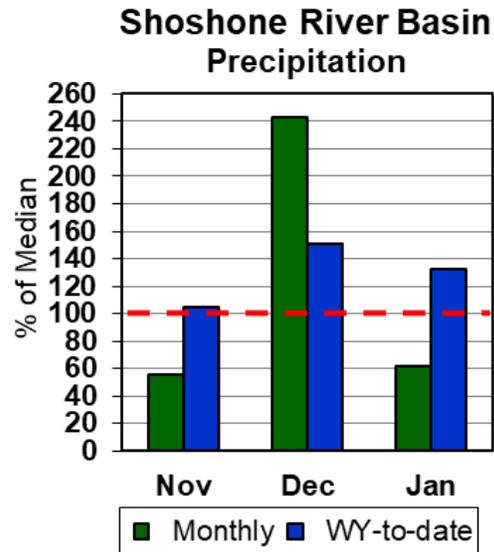
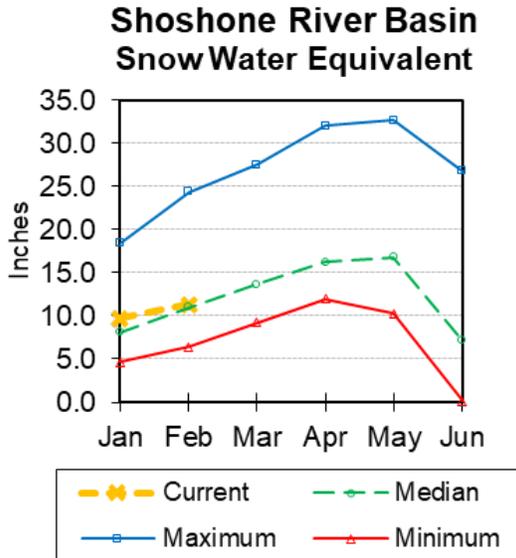


Shoshone River Basin



Snow

Snow Water Equivalent (SWE) is 103% of median in this basin. *See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.*



Precipitation

Precipitation for last month was 62% of median. The basin year-to-date precipitation is now 132% of median.

Reservoirs

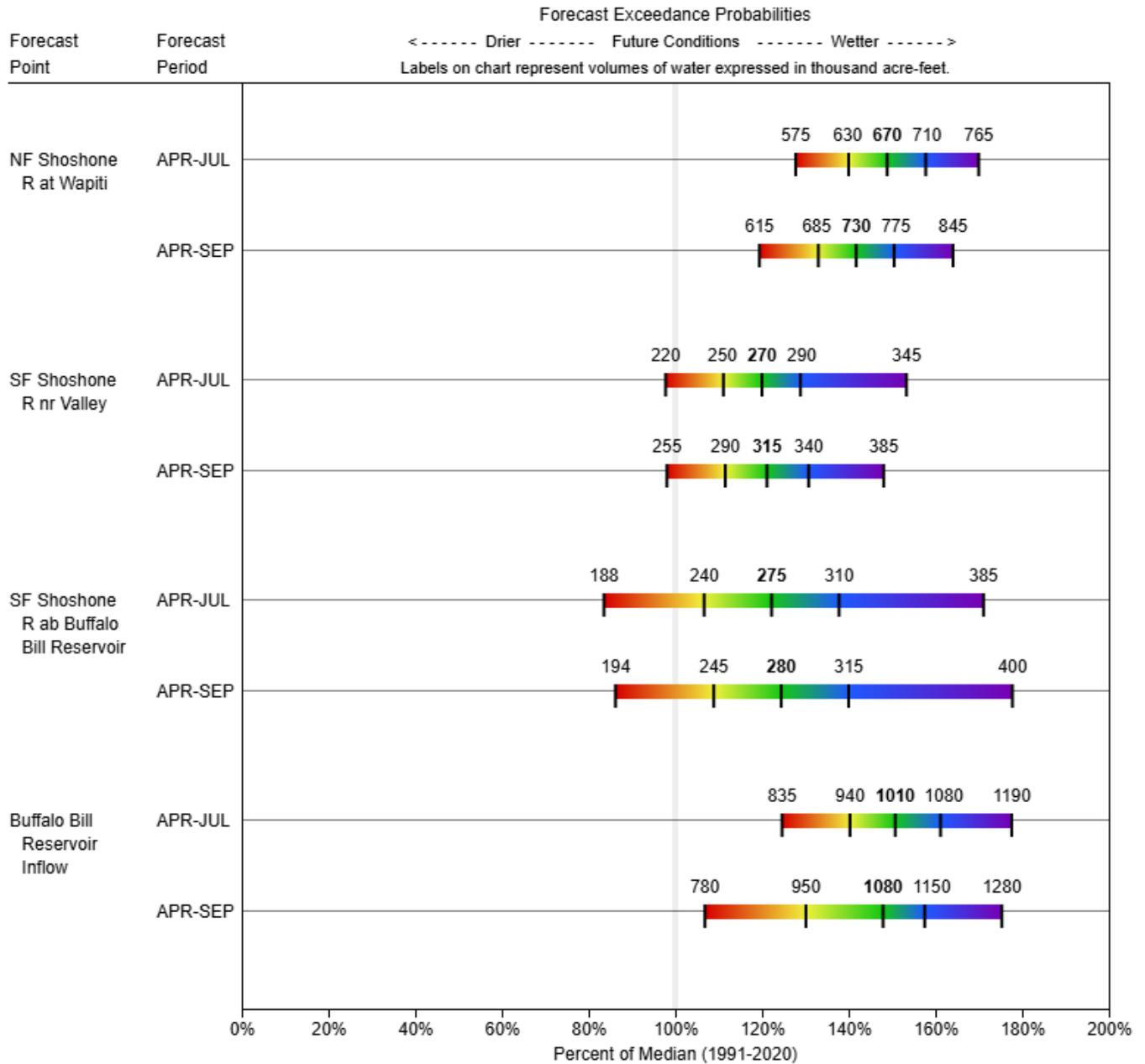
Current storage in Buffalo Bill Reservoir is about 88% of median.

| | Current (KAF) | Last Year (KAF) | Median (KAF) | Capacity (KAF) | Current % Capacity | Last Year % Capacity | Median % Capacity | Current % Median | Last Year % Median |
|--------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Buffalo Bill | 391.9 | 372.3 | 446.7 | 646.6 | 61% | 58% | 69% | 88% | 83% |
| Basin Index | | | | | 61% | 58% | 69% | 88% | 83% |
| # of reservoirs | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

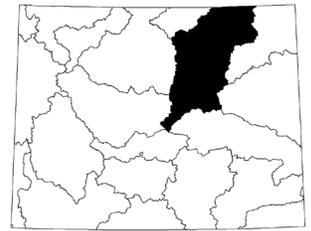
Streamflow

The 50% exceedance forecasts for the April through September period are above normal for the basin. The North Fork Shoshone River at Wapiti should yield 142% of median. The South Fork of the Shoshone River near Valley should yield 121% of median. The Buffalo Bill Reservoir inflow should yield 148% of median. *See the following graph for detailed runoff volumes.*

SHOSHONE
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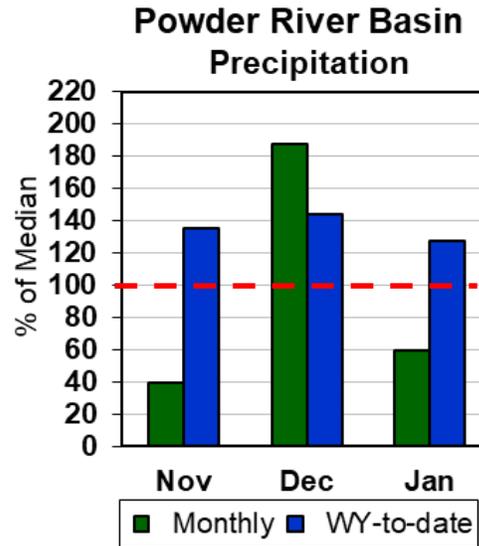
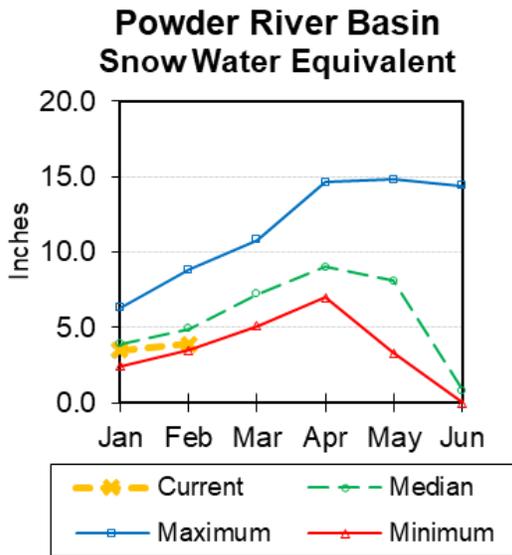


Powder River Basin



Snow

Powder River Basin SWE is at 79% of median. SWE in the Clear Creek drainage is 76% of median. *See appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.*



Precipitation

Last month's precipitation was 59% of median in the basin. Year-to-date precipitation is 127% of median.

Reservoirs

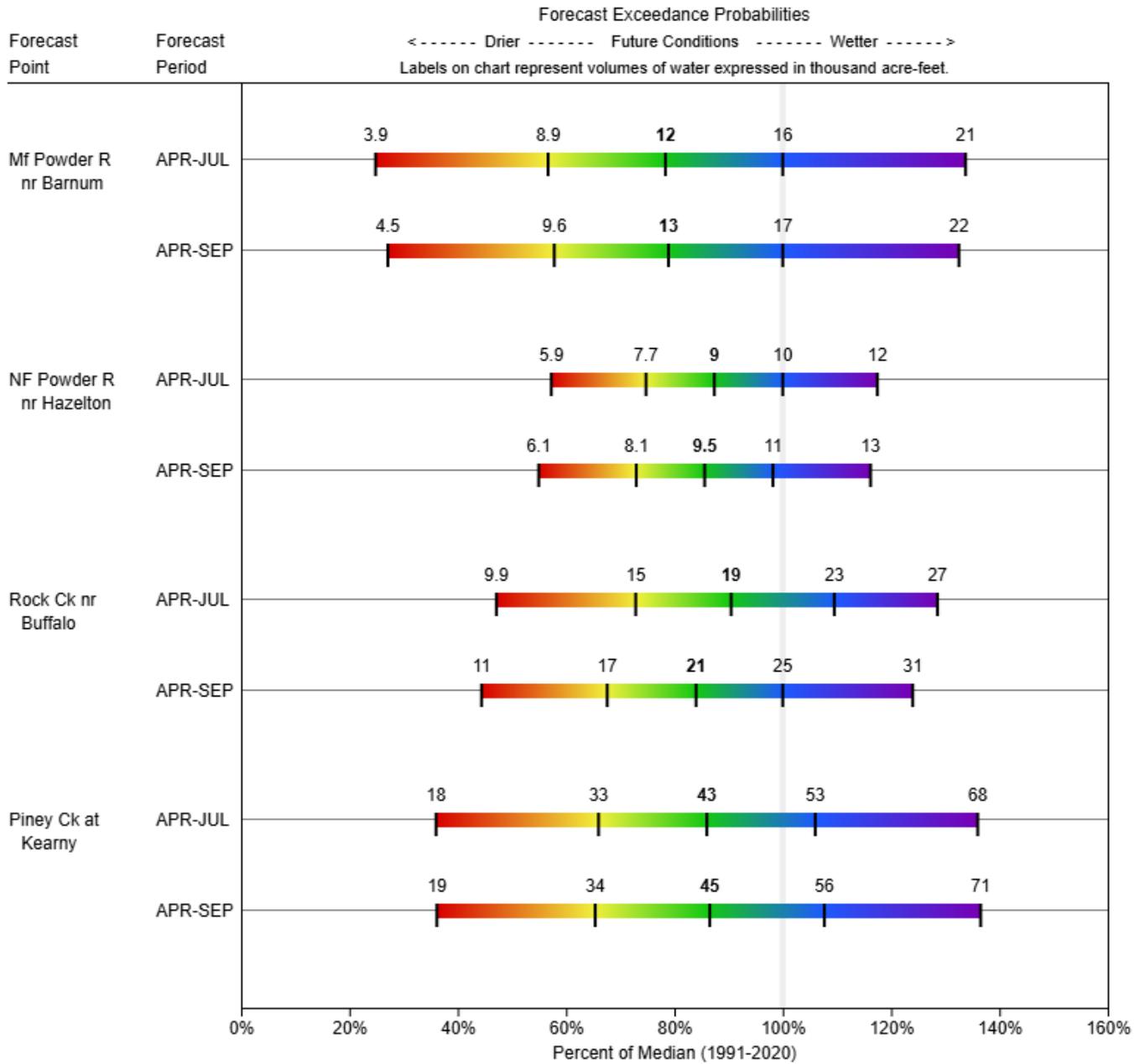
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Streamflow

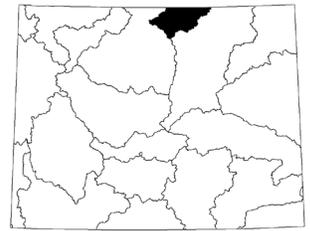
The 50% exceedance forecasts for the April through September period are below normal for the basin. The Middle Fork of the Powder River near Barnum should yield around 79% of median. The North Fork of the Powder River near Hazelton to yield around 86% of median.

See the following graph for detailed runoff volumes.

POWDER
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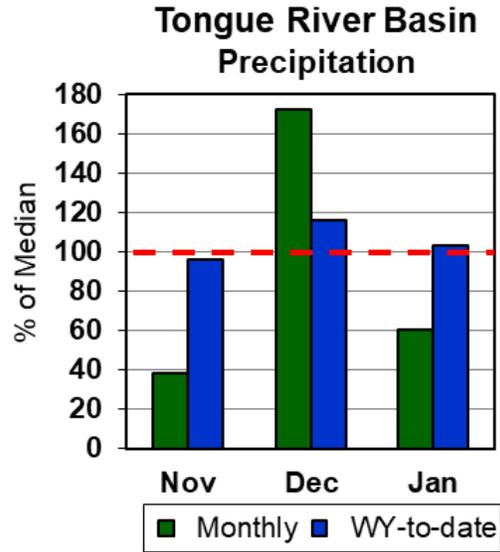
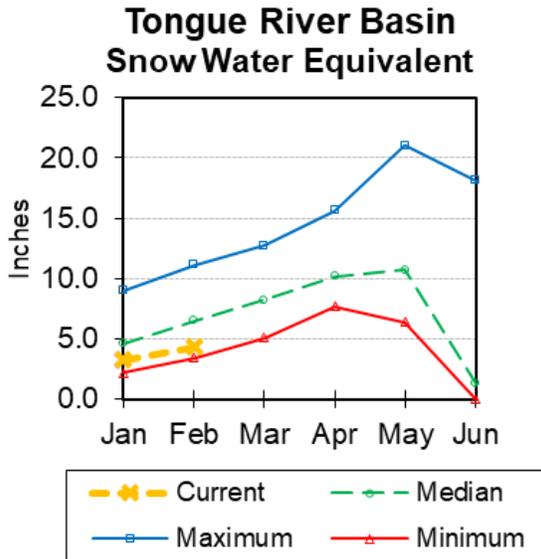


Tongue River Basin



Snow

Upper Tongue River drainage SWE is at 66% of median. *See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.*



Precipitation

Last month's precipitation was 60% of median. Year-to-date precipitation is 103% of median in the basin.

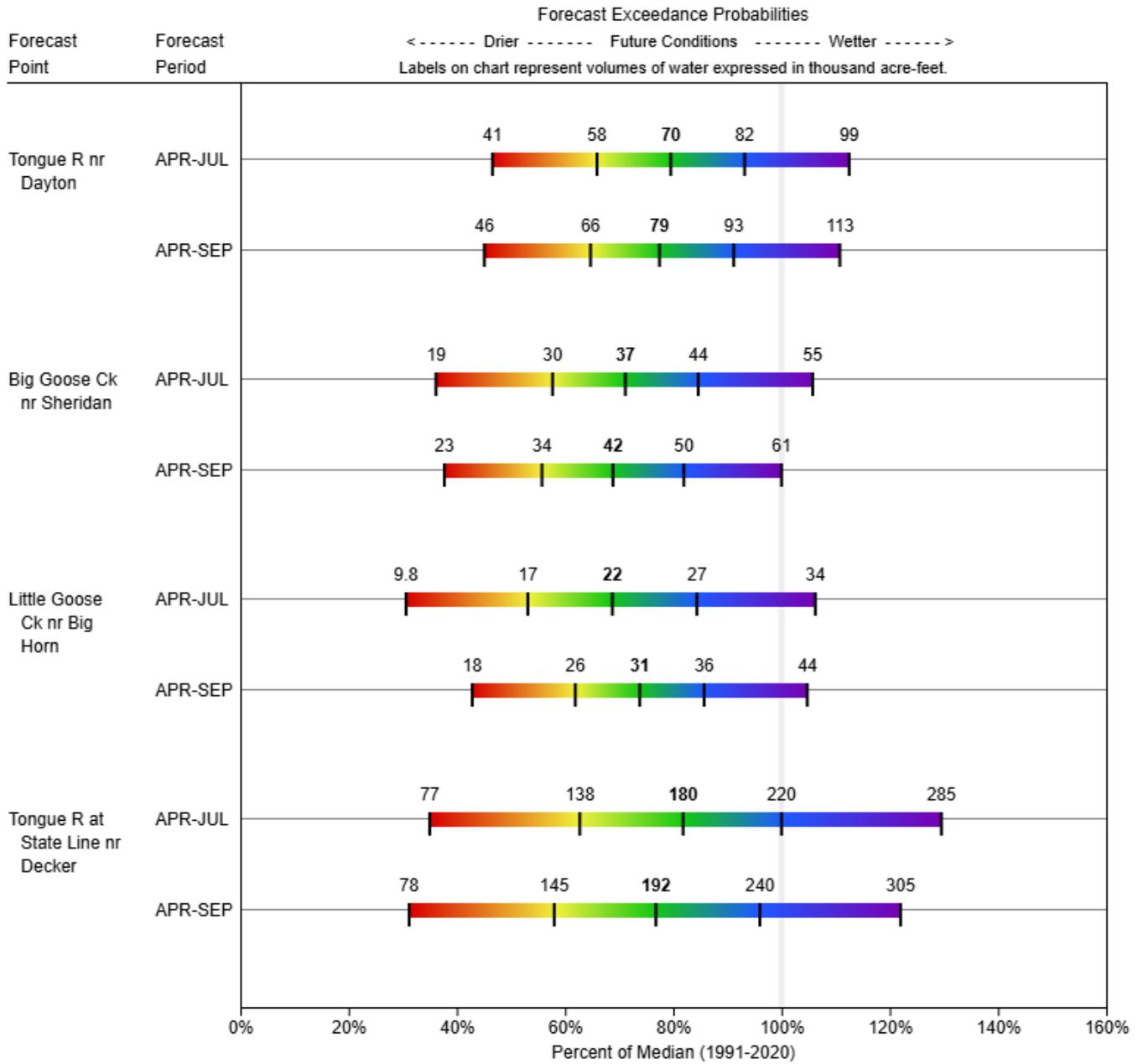
Reservoirs

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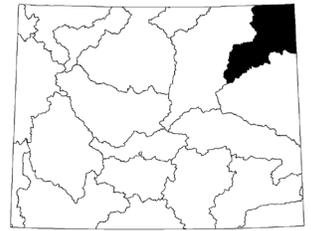
Streamflow

The 50% exceedance forecasts for the April through September period are below normal for the basin. The yield for Tongue River near Dayton is forecasted to be 77% of median. Big Goose Creek near Sheridan should yield around 69%. Little Goose Creek near Bighorn should yield 74% of median. The Tongue River Reservoir Inflow should yield 77% of median. *See below for detailed runoff volumes.*

TONGUE
Water Supply Forecasts
February 1, 2026

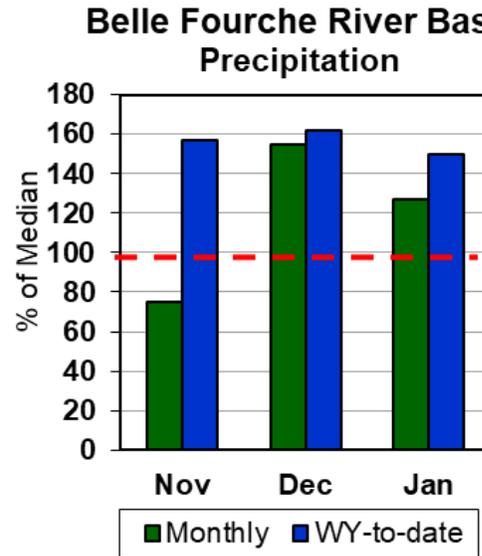
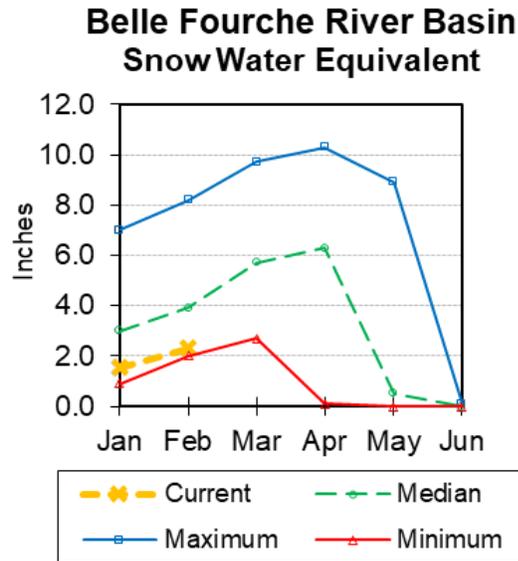


Belle Fourche River Basin



Snow

Currently the Belle Fourche River Basin SWE is at 59% of median. *See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.*



Precipitation

Precipitation for last month was 127% of median in the Belle Fourche basin. Year-to-date precipitation is 150% of median.

Reservoirs

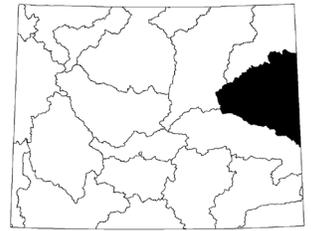
Combined storage for the 2 reservoirs in the basin is at 102% of median.

| | Current (KAF) | Last Year (KAF) | Median (KAF) | Capacity (KAF) | Current % Capacity | Last Year % Capacity | Median % Capacity | Current % Median | Last Year % Median |
|--------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Belle Fourche | 143.1 | 112.5 | 132.1 | 178.4 | 80% | 63% | 74% | 108% | 85% |
| Keyhole | 110.5 | 112.6 | 117.2 | 193.8 | 57% | 58% | 60% | 94% | 96% |
| Basin Index | | | | | 68% | 60% | 67% | 102% | 90% |
| # of reservoirs | | | | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |

Streamflow

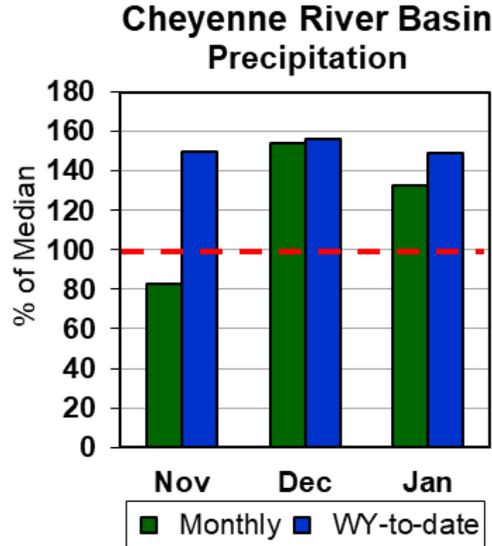
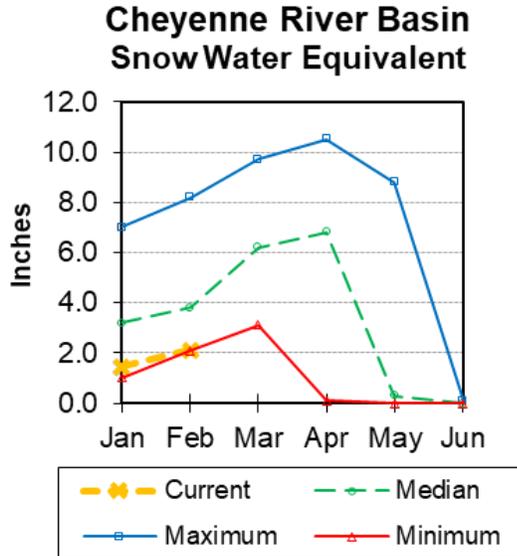
There are no streamflow forecast points for the basin.

Cheyenne River Basin



Snow

Currently SWE for sites in the Cheyenne River Basin are at 56% of median. *See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing.*



Precipitation

Precipitation for last month was 133% of median. Year-to-date precipitation is 149% of median.

Reservoirs

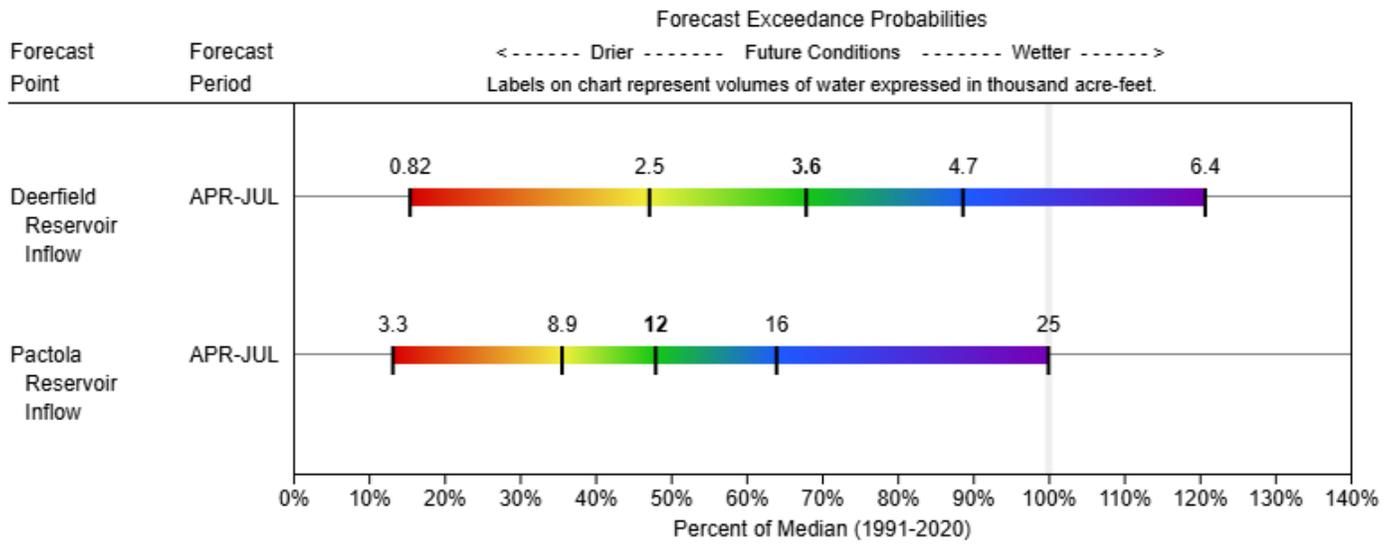
Combined storage for the 3 reservoirs in the basin is at 79% of median.

| | Current (KAF) | Last Year (KAF) | Median (KAF) | Capacity (KAF) | Current % Capacity | Last Year % Capacity | Median % Capacity | Current % Median | Last Year % Median |
|--------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Deerfield | 14.9 | 14.7 | 14.8 | 15.2 | 98% | 97% | 97% | 100% | 99% |
| Pactola | 46.8 | 46.5 | 52.4 | 55.0 | 85% | 85% | 95% | 89% | 89% |
| Angostura | 65.1 | 80.9 | 93.3 | 122.1 | 53% | 66% | 76% | 70% | 87% |
| Basin Index | | | | | 66% | 74% | 83% | 79% | 89% |
| # of reservoirs | | | | | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |

Streamflow

The 50% exceedance forecasts for the April through July period are below normal. The Deerfield Reservoir Inflow yield is forecasted at 68% of median. Pactola Reservoir Inflow yield should be 48% of median. *See the following graph for detailed runoff volumes.*

CHEYENNE
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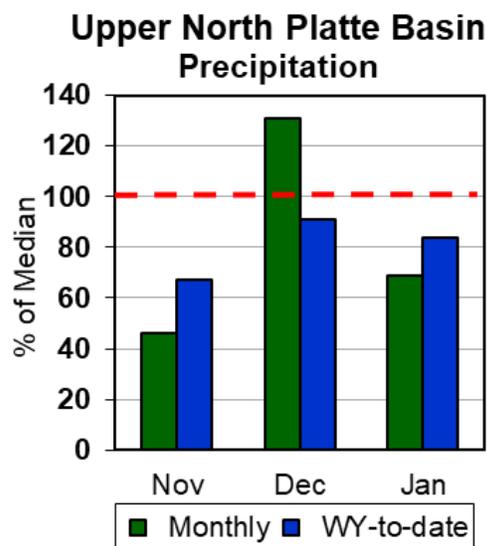
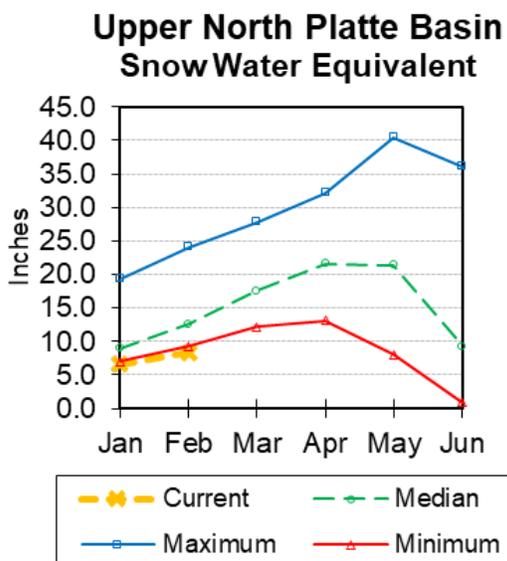
Upper North Platte River Basin



Snow

The Upper North Platte River basin SWE is 66% of median. North Platte above Northgate SWE is 63% of median. Encampment River SWE is 69% of median. Medicine Bow and Rock Creek SWE are 73% of median.

See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.



Precipitation

Last month's precipitation was 69% of median. Total water-year-to-date precipitation is 84% of median.

Reservoirs

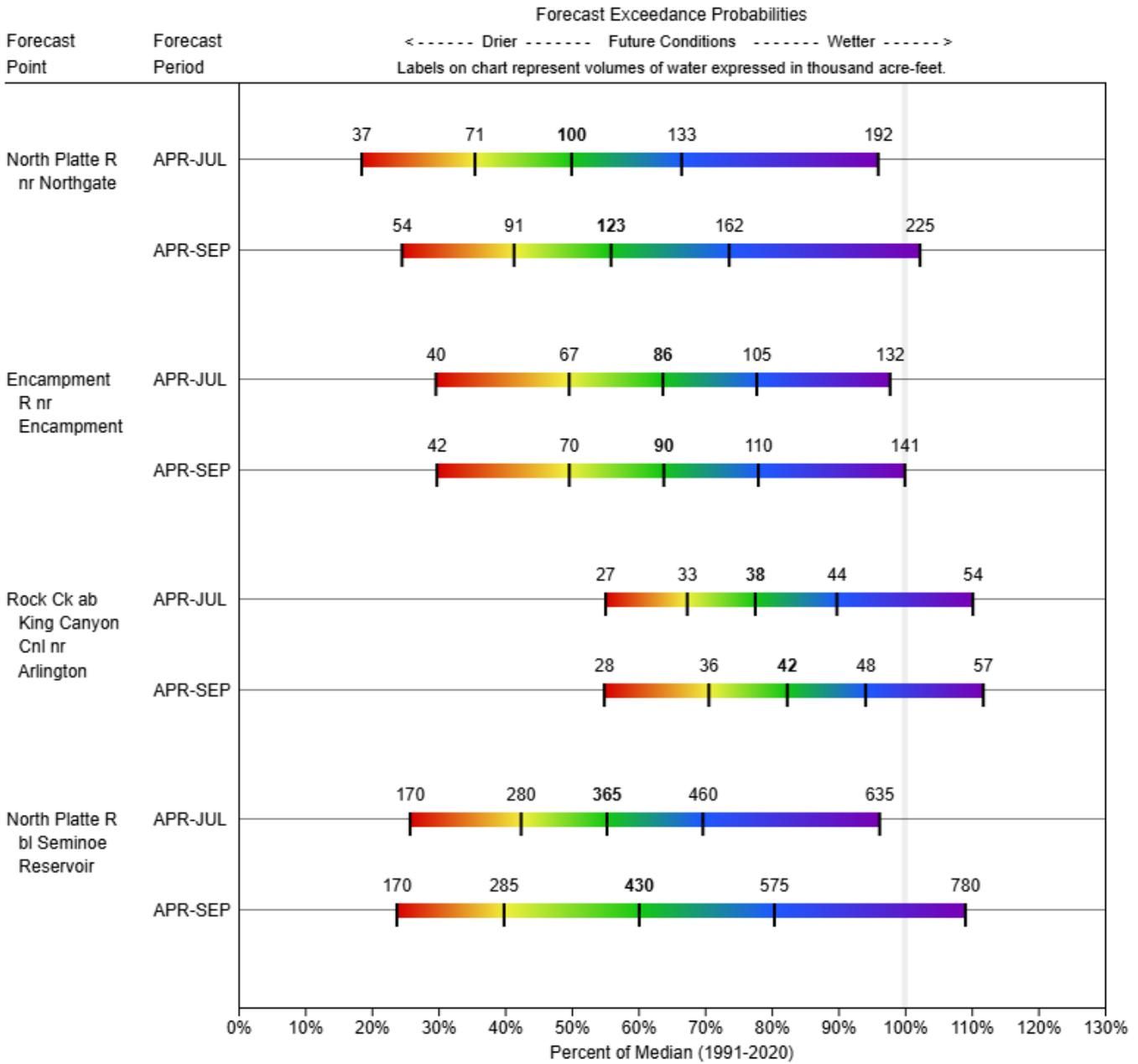
Combined storage for reservoirs in the Upper North Platte River Basin is at 58% of median.

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|--------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Seminole | 330.0 | 492.8 | 595.8 | 1016.7 | 32% | 48% | 59% | 55% | 83% |
| Pathfinder | 346.7 | 604.8 | 565.6 | 1016.5 | 34% | 59% | 56% | 61% | 107% |
| Basin Index | | | | | 33% | 54% | 57% | 58% | 95% |
| # of reservoirs | | | | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |

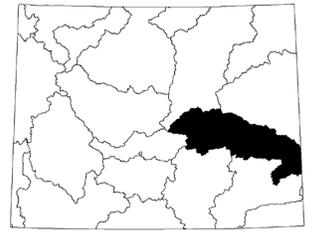
Streamflow

The 50% exceedance forecasts for the April through September period are below normal for the Upper North Platte River Basin. The yield for the North Platte River near Northgate will be around 56% of median. The Encampment River near Encampment yield will be about 64%. Rock Creek near Arlington yield will be around 82%. Seminole Reservoir inflow should be about 60% of median. *See the following page for more detailed information on projected runoff.*

UPPER NORTH PLATTE
Water Supply Forecasts
February 1, 2026

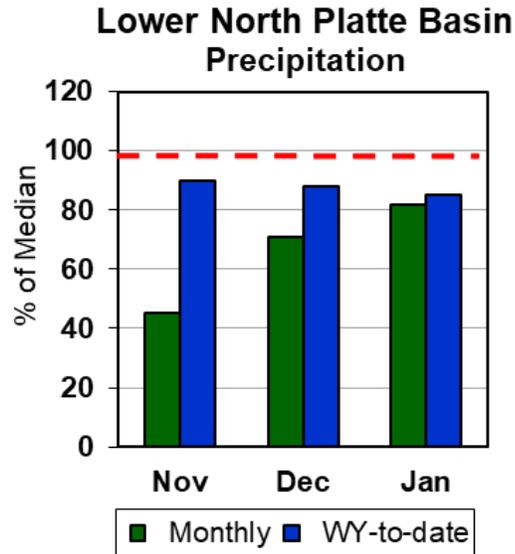
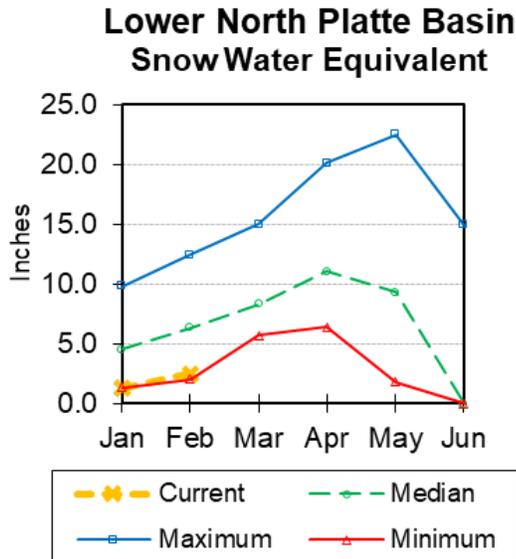


Lower North Platte River Basin



Snow

Currently, SWE in the Lower North Platte River Basin is 39% of median. *See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.*



Precipitation

Last month's precipitation was 82% of median. The water year-to-date precipitation for the basin is currently 85% of median.

Reservoirs

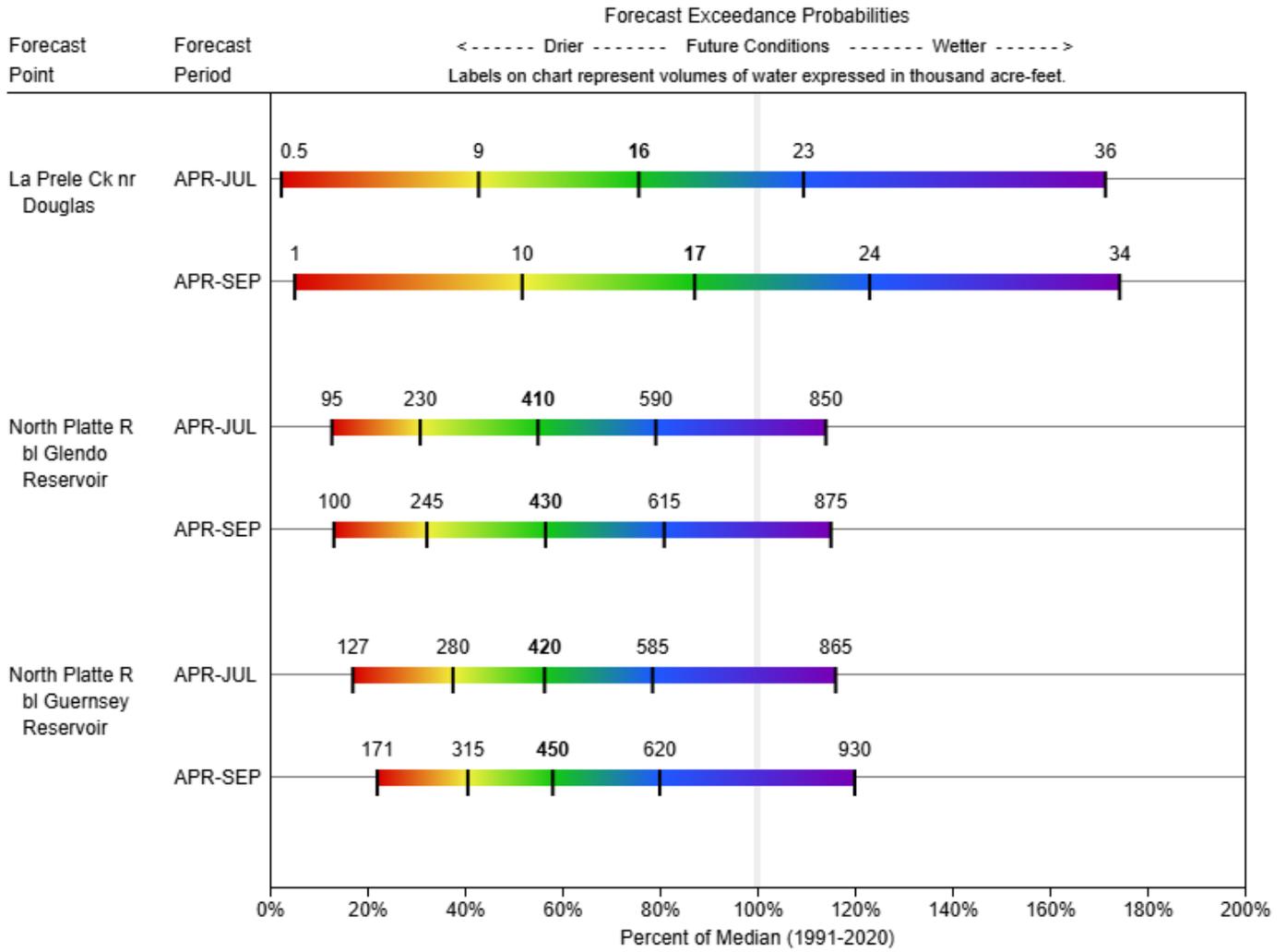
Combined storage for the 3 reservoirs in the basin is at 96% of median.

| | Current (KAF) | Last Year (KAF) | Median (KAF) | Capacity (KAF) | Current % Capacity | Last Year % Capacity | Median % Capacity | Current % Median | Last Year % Median |
|--------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Guernsey | 14.7 | 8.2 | 13.9 | 45.6 | 32% | 18% | 30% | 106% | 59% |
| Glendo | 260.4 | 247.3 | 281.5 | 506.4 | 51% | 49% | 56% | 93% | 88% |
| Alcova | 157.6 | 157.5 | 156.4 | 184.3 | 86% | 85% | 85% | 101% | 101% |
| Basin Index | | | | | 59% | 56% | 61% | 96% | 91% |
| # of reservoirs | | | | | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |

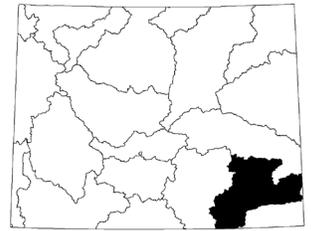
Streamflow

The 50% exceedance forecasts for the April through September period are below normal. LaPrele Creek near Douglas is forecasted to yield 87% of median. North Platte River below Guernsey Reservoir should yield around 58% of median. *See the following for more detailed information on projected runoff.*

LOWER NORTH PLATTE
Water Supply Forecasts
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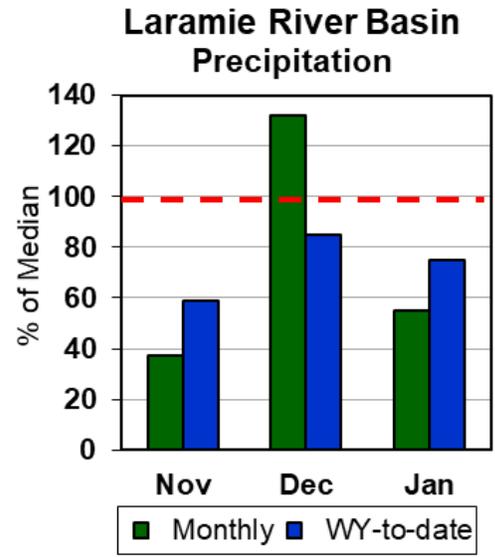
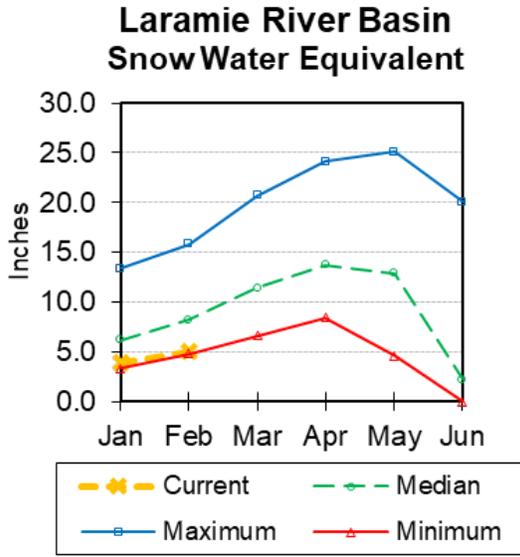


Laramie River Basin



Snow

SWE for the entire Laramie River Basin (above mouth entering North Platte) is 61% of median. SWE for the Laramie River above Laramie is 61% of median. SWE for the Little Laramie River is 74% of median. *See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.*



Precipitation

Last month's precipitation was 55% of median. The water year-to-date precipitation for the basin is currently 75% of median.

Reservoirs

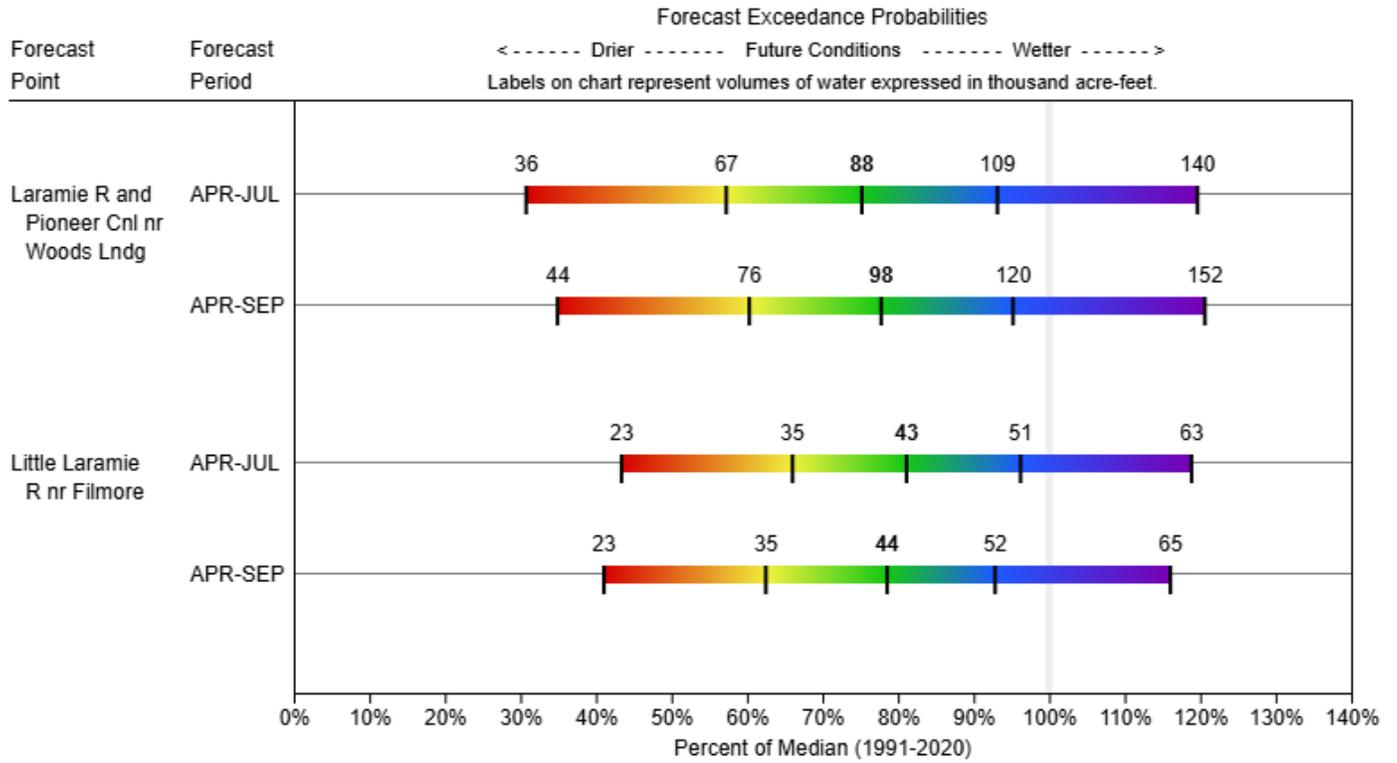
The storage for the reservoir in this basin is at 53% of median.

| | Current (KAF) | Last Year (KAF) | Median (KAF) | Capacity (KAF) | Current % Capacity | Last Year % Capacity | Median % Capacity | Current % Median | Last Year % Median |
|--------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Wheatland #2 | 24.8 | 24.3 | 46.0 | 98.9 | 25% | 25% | 47% | 53% | 53% |
| Basin Index | | | | | 25% | 25% | 47% | 53% | 53% |
| # of reservoirs | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

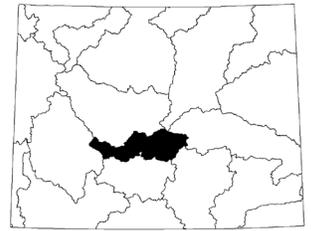
Streamflow

The 50% exceedance forecasts for the April through September period are below normal. Laramie River near Woods Landing is forecasted to yield around 78% of median. The Little Laramie near Filmore should produce about 79% of median. *See the following graph for detailed runoff volumes.*

LARAMIE
Water Supply Forecasts
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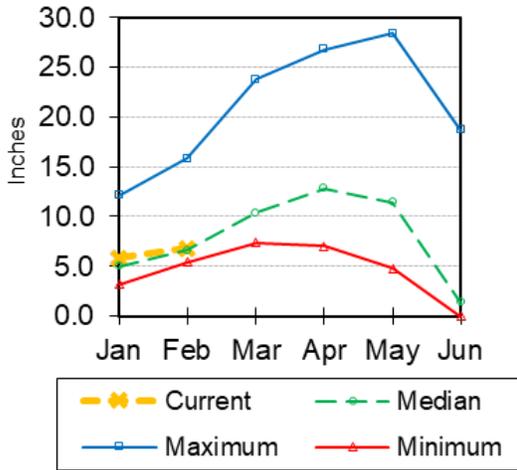
Sweetwater River Basin



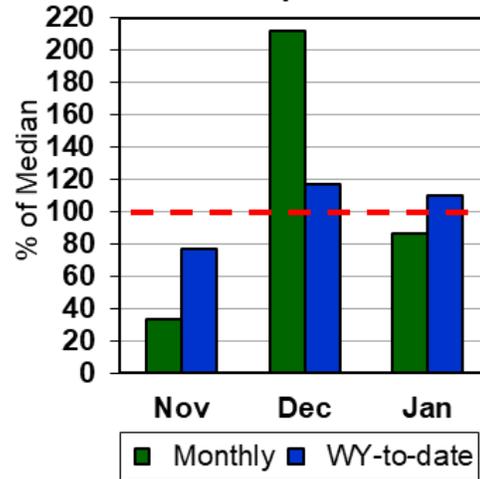
Snow

Sweetwater River Basin SWE is at 103% of median. *See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.*

**Sweetwater River Basin
Snow Water Equivalent**



**Sweetwater River Basin
Precipitation**



Precipitation

Last month's precipitation was 86% of median. The water year-to-date precipitation for the basin is currently 110% of median.

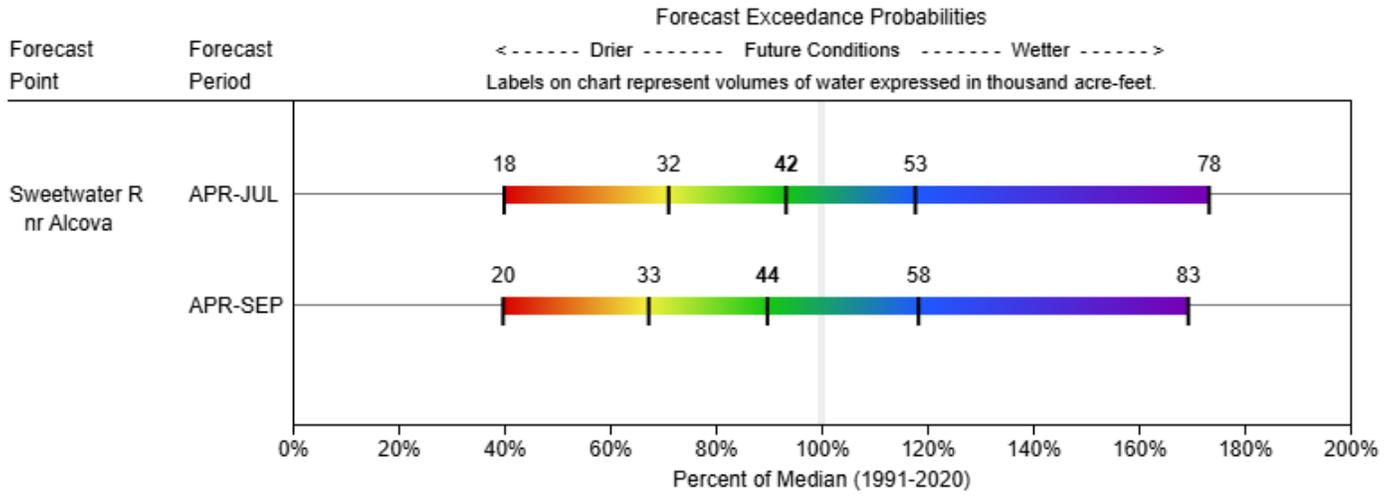
Reservoirs

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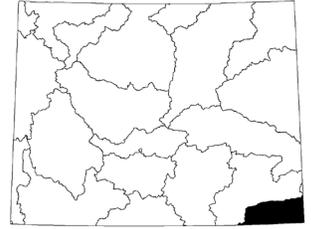
Streamflow

The 50% exceedance forecasts for the April through September period in the Sweetwater Basin is near normal. The Sweetwater River near Alcova will yield about 90% of median. *See below for detailed information on projected runoff.*

SWEETWATER
Water Supply Forecasts
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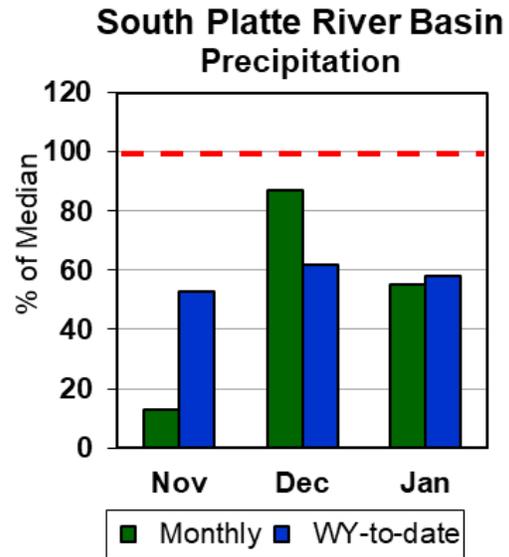
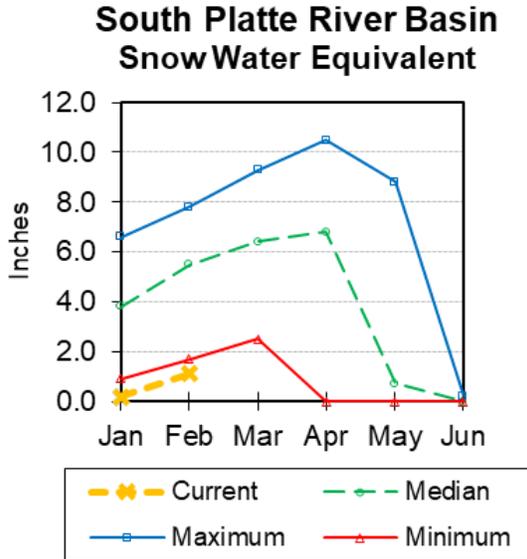


South Platte River Basin (WY)



Snow

The median SWE for sites in the South Platte River Basin is 20% of median. *See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.*



Precipitation

Last month's precipitation was 55% of median. The water year-to-date precipitation for the basin is currently 58% of median.

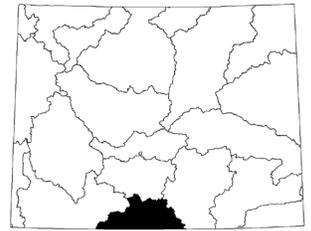
Reservoirs

No reservoir data for the basin.

Streamflow

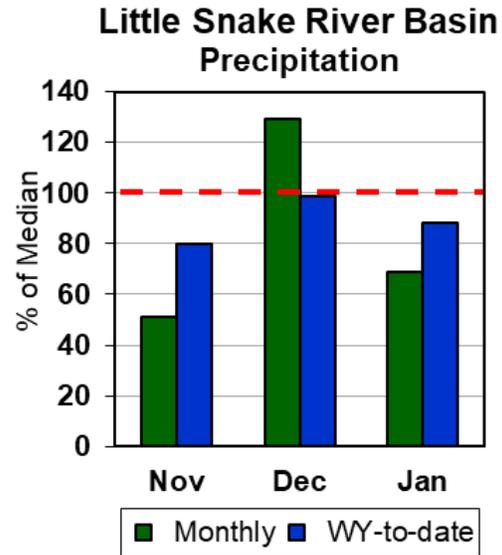
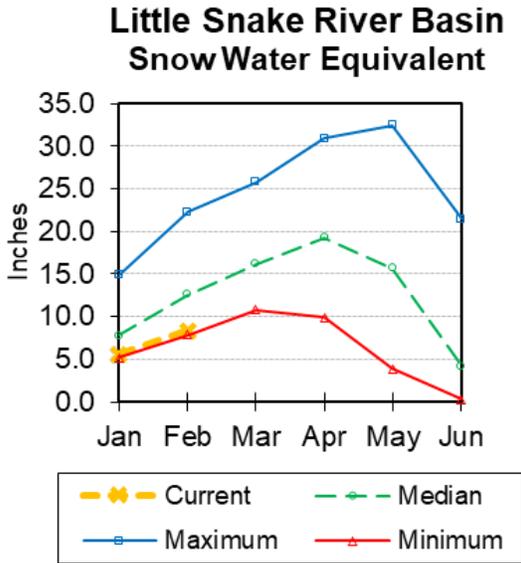
There are no streamflow forecast points for the basin.

Little Snake River Basin



Snow

Little Snake River drainage SWE is 66% of median. See *Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.*



Precipitation

Precipitation across the basin was 69% of median. The Little Snake River Basin water-year-to-date precipitation is currently 88% of median.

Reservoirs

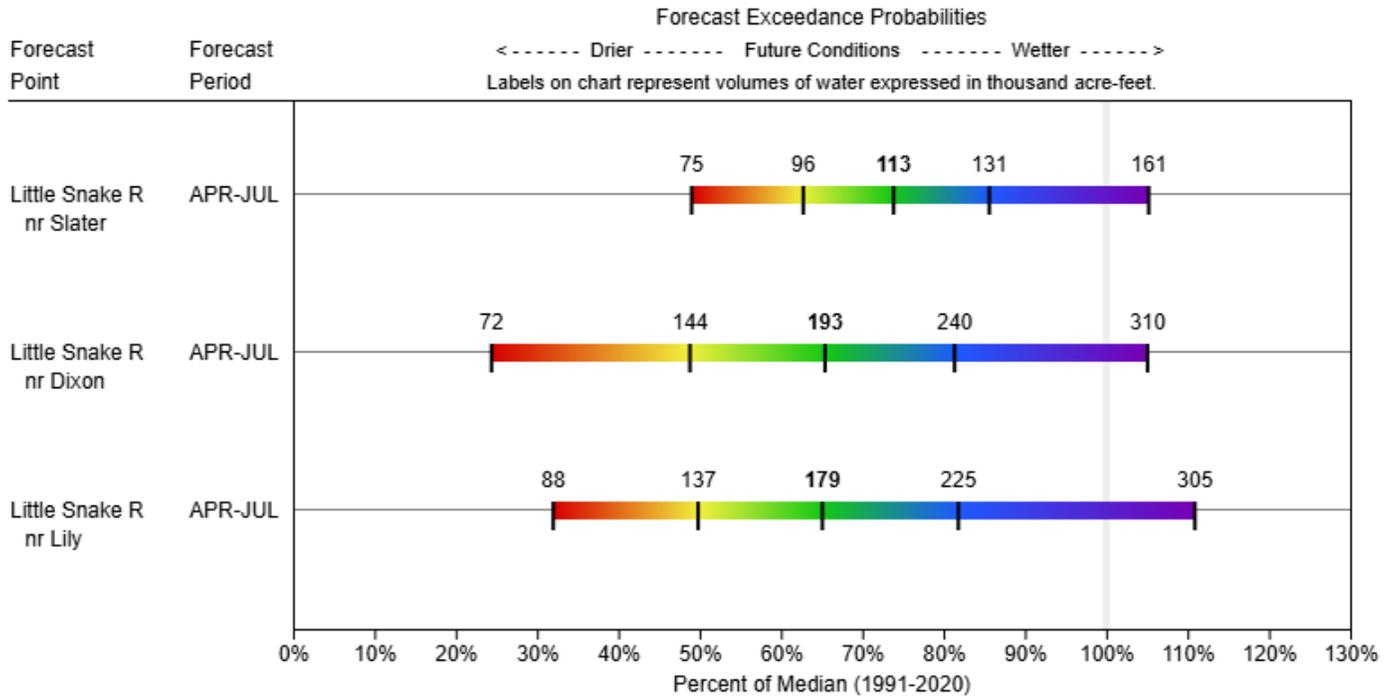
The storage for the reservoir in this basin is at 69% of median.

| | Current (KAF) | Last Year (KAF) | Median (KAF) | Capacity (KAF) | Current % Capacity | Last Year % Capacity | Median % Capacity | Current % Median | Last Year % Median |
|--------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| High Savery Res | 8.0 | 11.4 | 11.6 | 22.4 | 36% | 51% | 52% | 69% | 98% |
| Basin Index | | | | | 36% | 51% | 52% | 69% | 98% |
| # of reservoirs | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

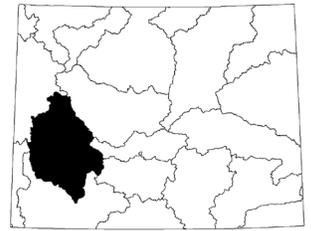
Streamflow

The 50% exceedance forecasts for the April through July period is below normal. The Little Snake River near Slater is forecasted to yield around 74% of median. *See below for detailed information on projected runoff.*

LITTLE SNAKE
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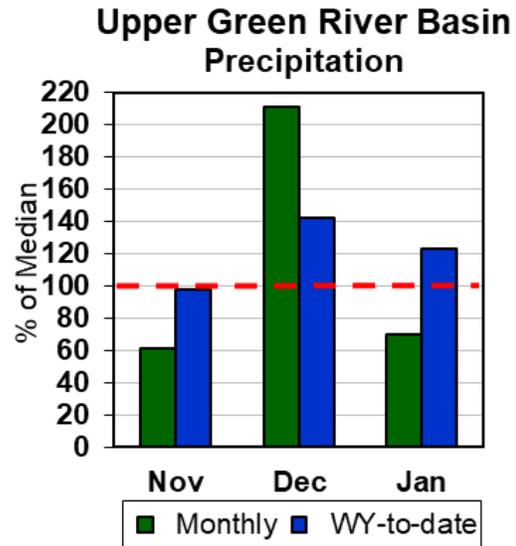
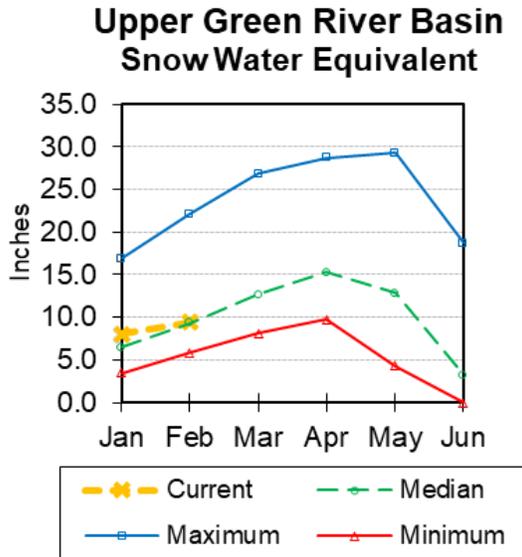


Upper Green River Basin



Snow

The Upper Green River Basin SWE (above Fontenelle Reservoir) is 101% of median. Green River Basin above Warren Bridge SWE is 110% of median. West Side of Upper Green River Basin SWE is 100% of median. *See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.*



Precipitation

Precipitation for sites in the basin was 70% of median last month. Water year-to-date precipitation is 123% of median.

Reservoir

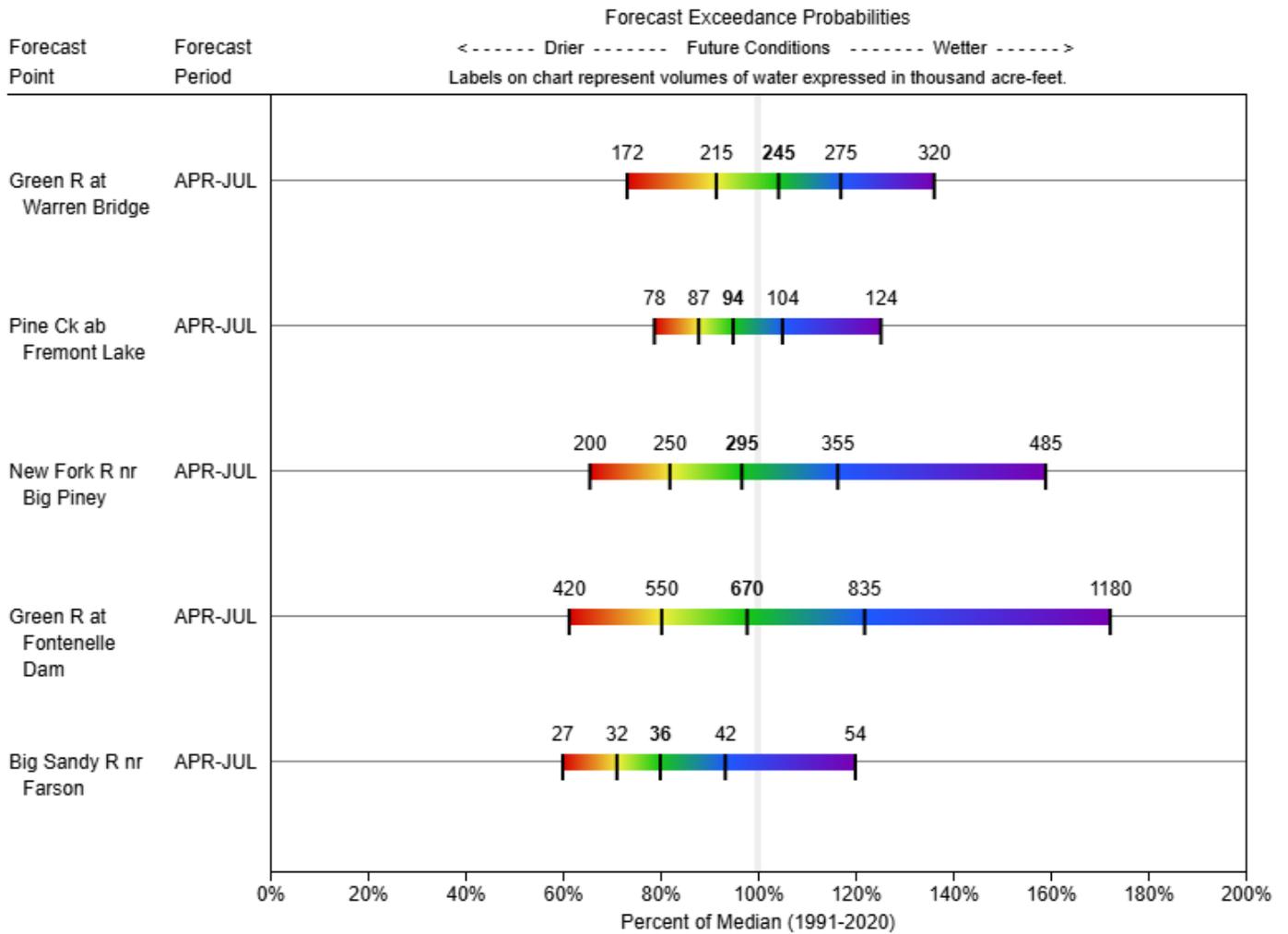
Combined water storage in the basin was at 101% of median for the 3 reservoirs.

| | Current (KAF) | Last Year (KAF) | Median (KAF) | Capacity (KAF) | Current % Capacity | Last Year % Capacity | Median % Capacity | Current % Median | Last Year % Median |
|--------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Big Sandy | 16.8 | 24.4 | 18.2 | 38.3 | 44% | 64% | 48% | 92% | 134% |
| Eden | 2.0 | 5.5 | 4.0 | 11.8 | 17% | 47% | 34% | 50% | 135% |
| Fontenelle | 169.0 | 146.2 | 165.4 | 344.8 | 49% | 42% | 48% | 102% | 88% |
| Basin Index | | | | | 49% | 45% | 48% | 101% | 93% |
| # of reservoirs | | | | | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |

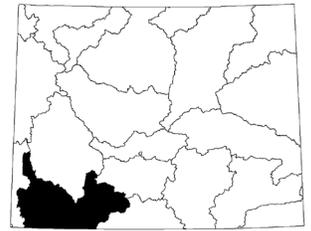
Streamflow

The 50% exceedance forecasts for the April through July period will be near normal. The yield on the Green River at Warren Bridge is about 104% of median. New Fork River near Big Piney yield will be around 97% of median. Green River at Fontenelle Dam is estimated to be about 98% of median. *See the following for a more detailed forecast.*

UPPER GREEN
Water Supply Forecasts
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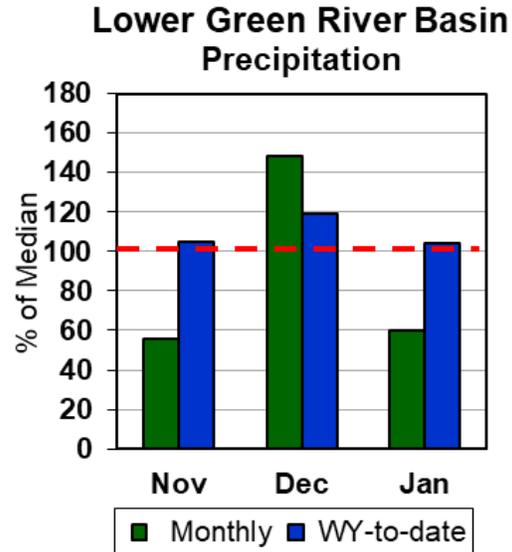
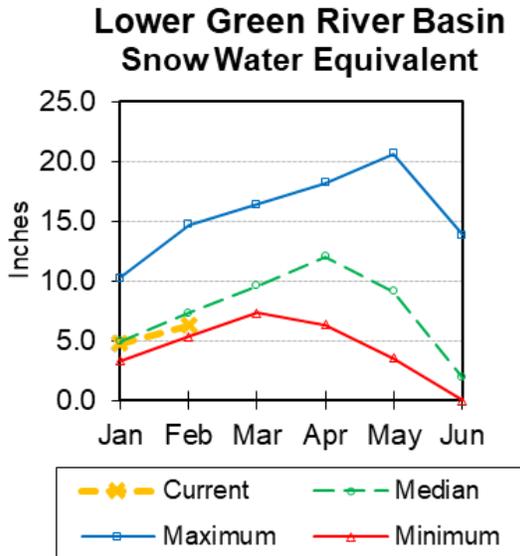
Lower Green River Basin



Snow

Lower Green River Basin SWE is at 85% of median. Hams Fork drainage SWE is 98% of median. Blacks Fork drainage SWE is 70% of median.

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Precipitation

Precipitation for the basin last month was 60% of median. The basin year-to-date precipitation is currently 104% of median.

Reservoirs

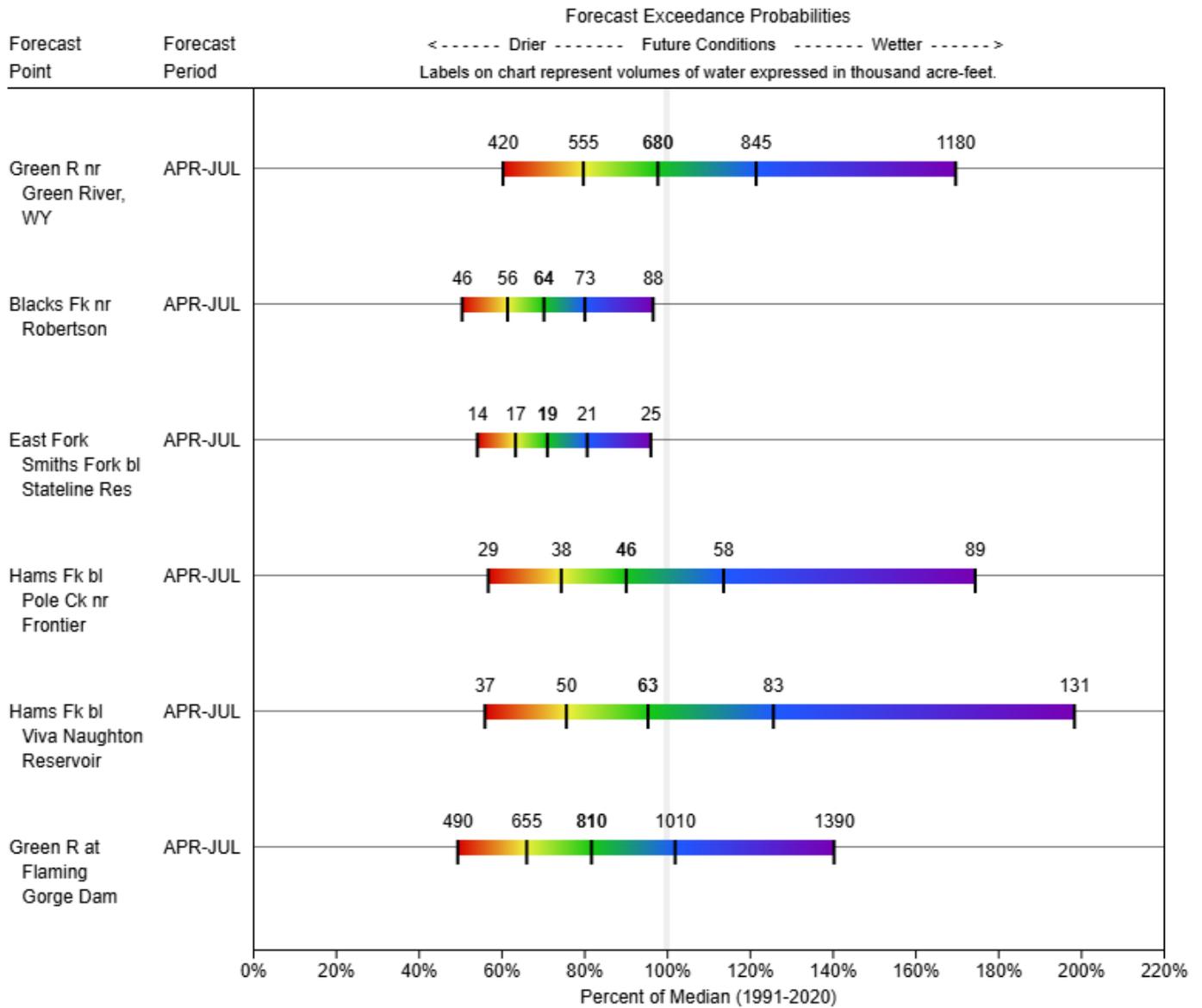
Combined storage for the 4 reservoirs in the basin was at 96% of median at the end of last month.

| | Current (KAF) | Last Year (KAF) | Median (KAF) | Capacity (KAF) | Current % Capacity | Last Year % Capacity | Median % Capacity | Current % Median | Last Year % Median |
|--------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Viva Naughton Res | 28.8 | 30.4 | 30.2 | 42.4 | 68% | 72% | 71% | 95% | 101% |
| Stateline Res | 4.4 | 4.1 | 5.7 | 12.0 | 36% | 34% | 48% | 76% | 72% |
| Flaming Gorge Res | 2992.0 | 3088.3 | 3111.0 | 3749.0 | 80% | 82% | 83% | 96% | 99% |
| Meeks Cabin Res | 6.4 | 7.6 | 9.8 | 32.5 | 20% | 23% | 30% | 65% | 78% |
| Basin Index | | | | | 79% | 82% | 82% | 96% | 99% |
| # of reservoirs | | | | | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 |

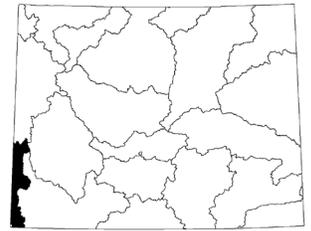
Streamflow

The 50% exceedance forecasts for the April through July period is below normal. The Green River near Green River will yield about 98% of median. The Flaming Gorge Reservoir inflow will be about 82% of median. *See the following page for more detailed information on projected runoff.*

LOWER GREEN
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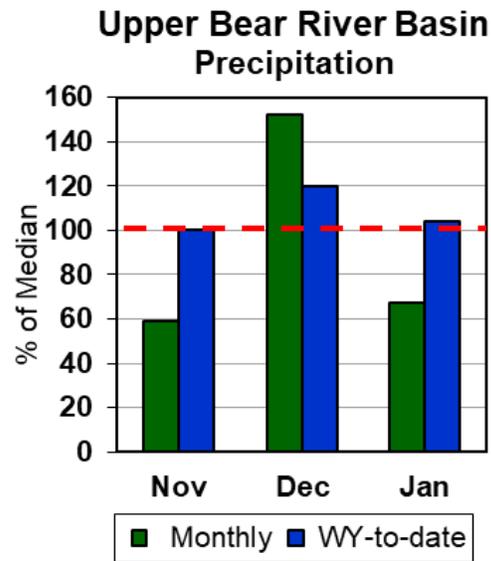
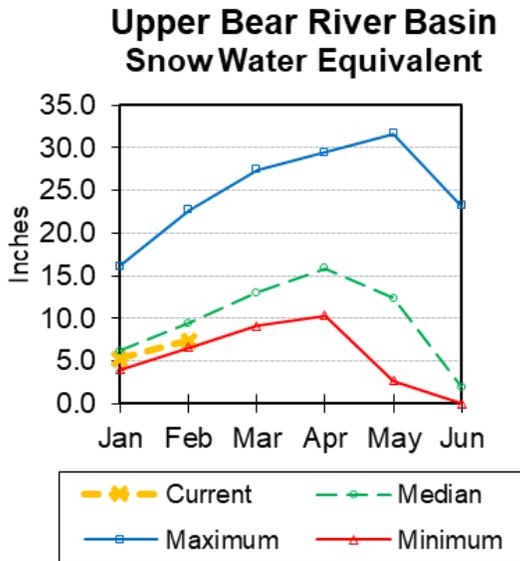
Upper Bear River Basin



Snow

SWE in the Upper Bear River Basin of Utah is 79% of median. SWE in the Wyoming portion of the Bear River drainage (Smiths and Thomas Forks) is 93% of median.

See Appendix at the end of this report for a detailed listing of snow course information.



Precipitation

Precipitation for last month was 67% of median in the basin. The year-to-date precipitation for the basin is 104% of median.

Reservoirs

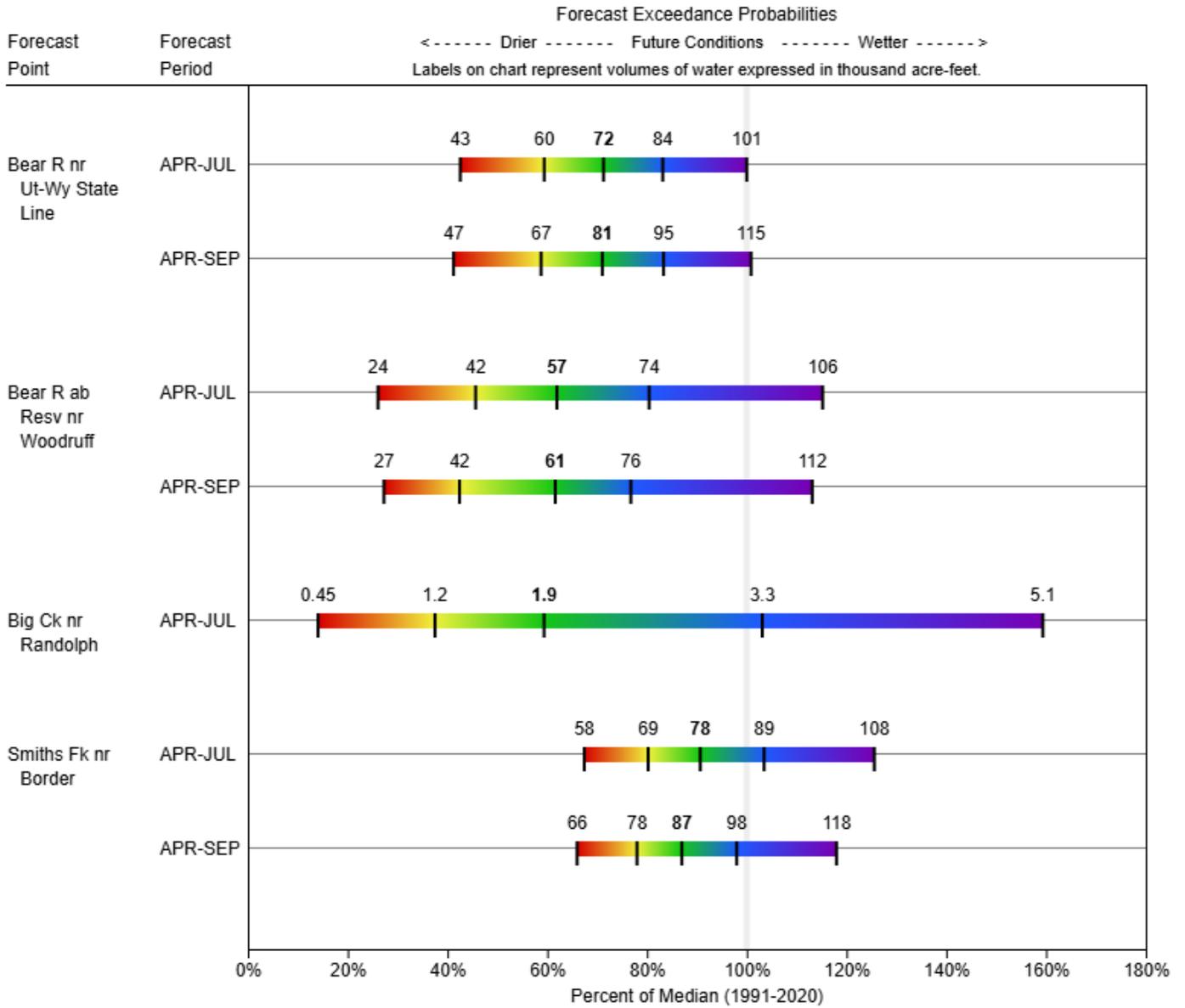
Combined reservoir storage in this basin is at 36% of median.

| | Current (KAF) | Last Year (KAF) | Median (KAF) | Capacity (KAF) | Current % Capacity | Last Year % Capacity | Median % Capacity | Current % Median | Last Year % Median |
|----------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Woodruff Creek | 3.0 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 4.0 | 74% | 51% | 55% | 135% | 92% |
| Woodruff Narrows Res | 10.7 | 31.4 | 36.0 | 57.3 | 19% | 55% | 63% | 30% | 87% |
| Basin Index | | | | | 22% | 54% | 62% | 36% | 87% |
| # of reservoirs | | | | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |

Streamflow

The 50% exceedance forecasts for the April through September period is below normal. The Bear River above Reservoir near Woodruff should yield around 62% of median. The Smiths Fork River near Border Jct. will yield around 87%. *See the following page for more detailed information on projected runoff.*

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Appendix

MEDIAN INFORMATION

Transitioning from 1981 – 2010 **Averages** to 1991 – 2020 **Medians**

Starting January 2022, the NRCS will use the 30-year **median** as the official normal for snowpack (SWE), precipitation, reservoir storage, and streamflow calculations. The National Water and Climate Center (NWCC) will continue to publish and distribute 30-year averages for alternate normal calculations.

The 30-yr reference period for median and normal calculations has also been recently updated from 1981-2010 to 1991-2020.

Please refer to this NWCC website or more information about the significant changes in data and forecast computations:

<https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/wcc/home/snowClimateMonitoring/30YearNormals/>

Topics include:

- **1991 – 2020 Median/Averages Overview**
- **Calculation Methods**
- **Differences Between 1991-2020 and Previous Normals**
- **Median vs. Average**
- **Retrieving 1991-2020 Normals**

For specific seasonal streamflow normal comparisons for NRCS forecasted stations, please refer to:

https://www.wcc.nrcs.usda.gov/ftpref/support/srvo_norms_comps/

LINKS (for more information/graphics)

National Water Climate Center (NWCC)

- Interactive maps featuring current conditions of snow, precipitation, reservoir storages:

<https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/wcc/home/quicklinks/predefinedMaps/>

Water Resources Data System and State Climate Office (WRDS)

- Clearinghouse of hydrological and climatological data for the State of Wyoming:

<http://www.wrds.uwyo.edu/>

USGS WaterWatch

- Tools and products to monitor streamflow, runoff, drought, and floods:

<https://waterwatch.usgs.gov/index.php>

Appendix - Snowpack Data

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Appendix - Precipitation Data

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Appendix - Streamflow Data

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