



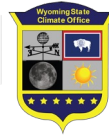
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WY Conditions & Outlooks:

Precipitation, Temperatures, Drought, Floods, & Everything In-between

June 15, 2023

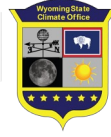


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Presentation Outline

- **Current Conditions:** Overview
 - SWE
 - Streamflow
 - Reservoir Supply
- **Outlooks:** Temperature & Precipitation
 - Fuels' Status & Wildland Fire Outlook
- **Highlight of the Month**
 - Runoff & Flood Summary
- **Questions**



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Extension



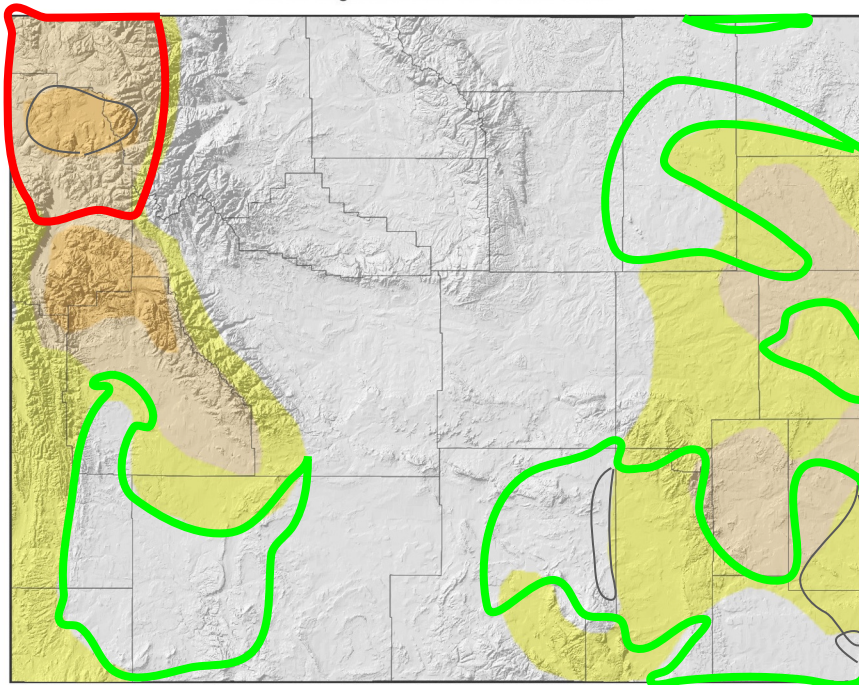
Current Conditions

US Drought Monitor for June 13, 2023

(Released Thursday, June 15, 2023)

Valid 8 a.m. EDT

US Drought Monitor for 13 Jun 2023



US Drought Monitor	
23.12%	D0 Abnormally Dry
13.04%	D1 Moderate Drought
2.92%	D2 Severe Drought
0.00%	D3 Extreme Drought
0.00%	D4 Exceptional Drought

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National Drought Mitigation Center
<https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu>



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Drought Level	Percentile
None	>30
D0 (Abnormally Dry)	21 to 30
D1 (Moderate Drought)	11 to 20
D2 (Severe Drought)	6 to 10
D3 (Extreme Drought)	3 to 5
D4 (Exceptional Drought)	0 to 2

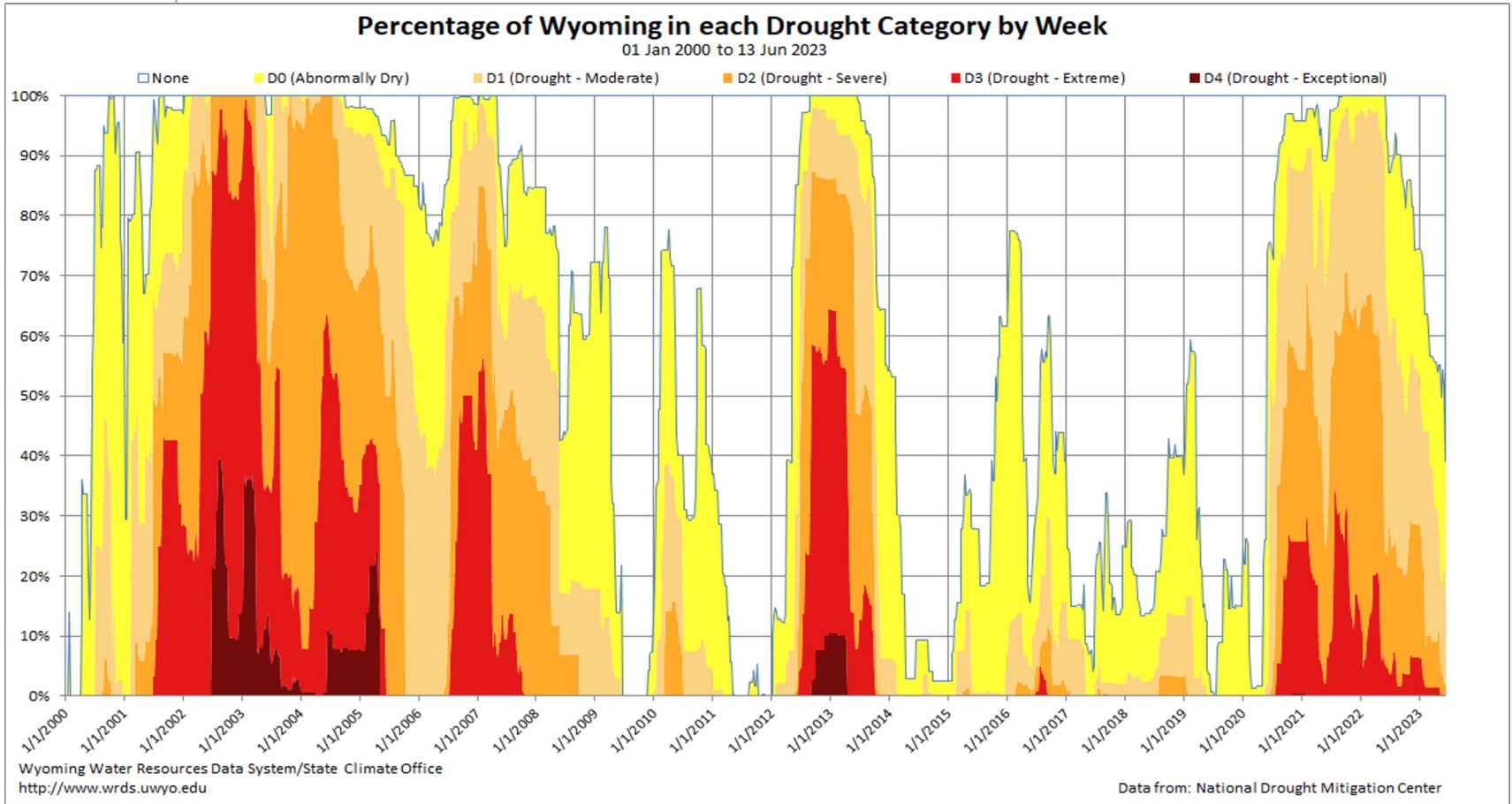
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Improvements since the last webinar throughout the east and southwest central parts of the state. **Degradation** in the northwest where precipitation deficits are beginning to accumulate, impacting soils.

The U.S. Drought Monitor, is a weekly map of drought conditions produced jointly by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, the U.S. Department of Agriculture, and the National Drought Mitigation Center (NDMC) at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. The U.S. Drought Monitor website is hosted and maintained by the NDMC. <http://droughtmonitor.unl.edu>

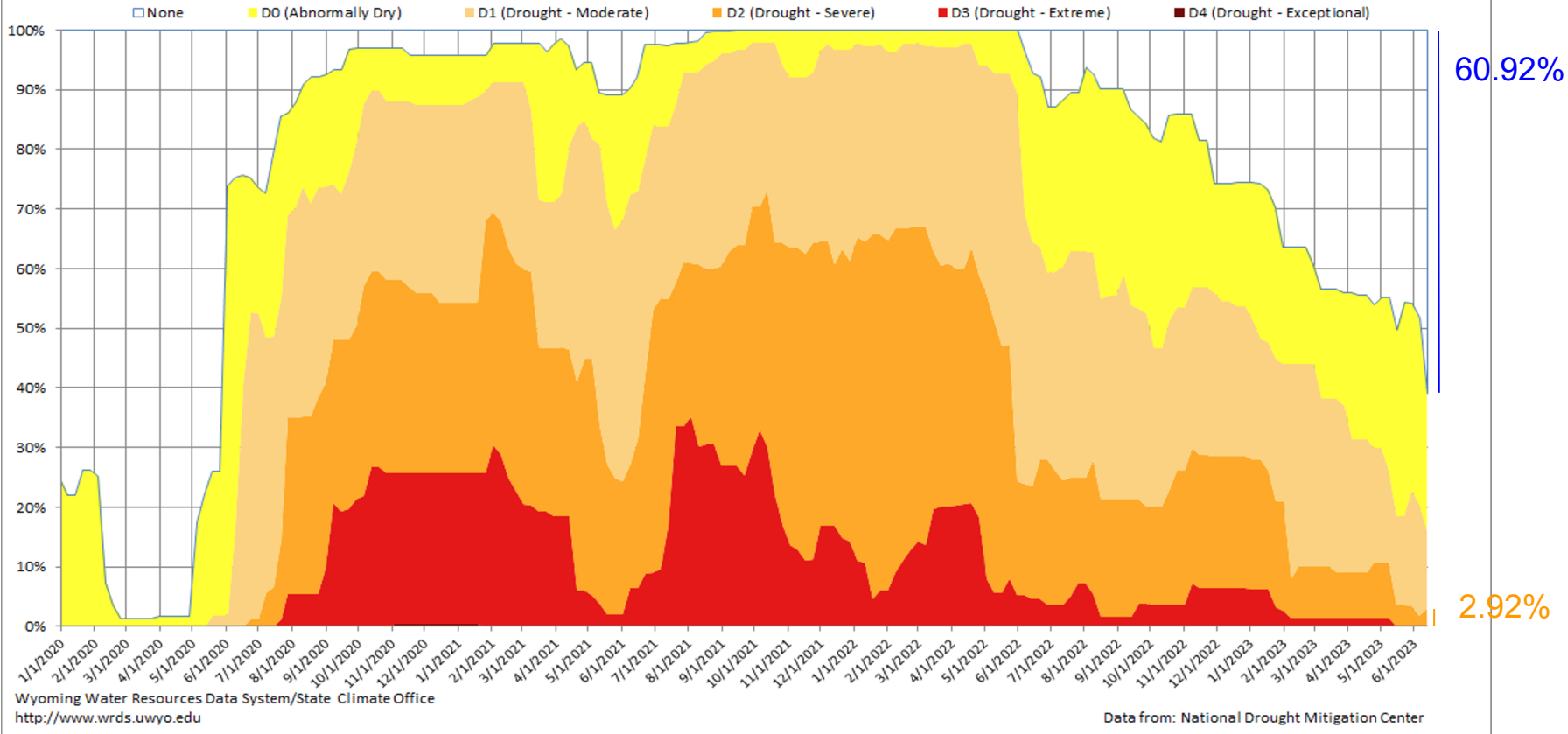
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Wyoming Area Affected: 39.08% D0-D4 ; 15.96% D1-D4



Percentage of Wyoming in each Drought Category by Week

01 Jan 2020 to 13 Jun 2023



14-Day Precipitation Percentile (01 June 2023 to 14 Jun 2023)

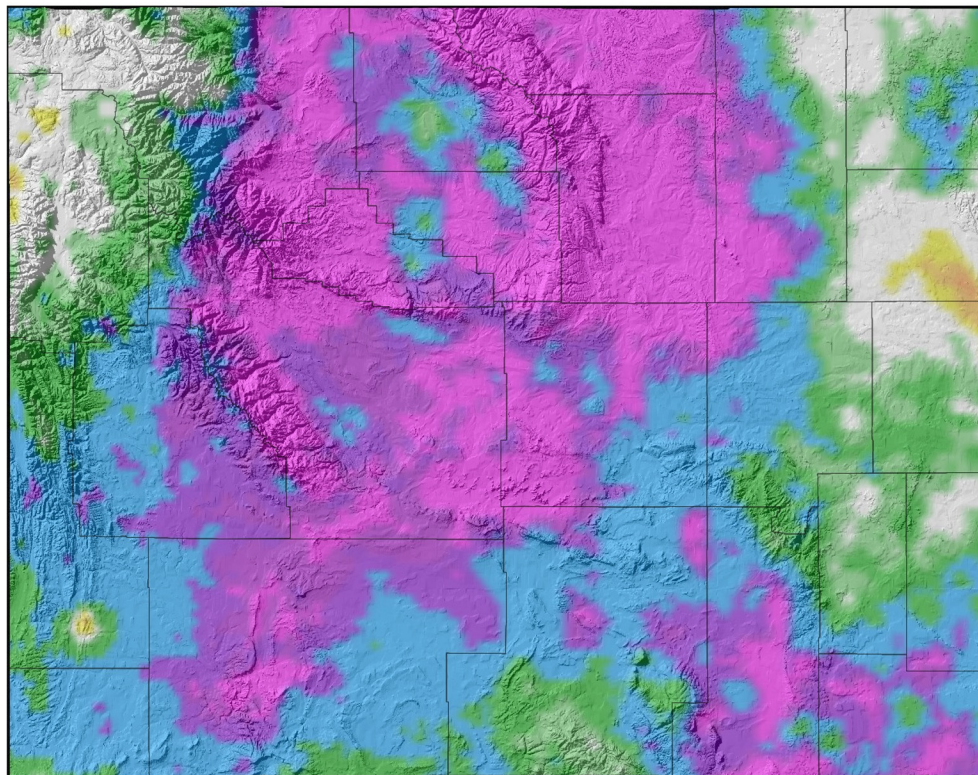
14-Day Precipitation (Percentile) for 01 Jun 2023 to 14 Jun 2023

Above Median:

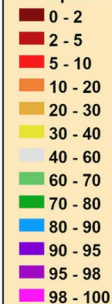
- Most of the state

Below Median (Areas of Concern):

- Northwest Teton County
- Northeast Niobrara/Southeast Weston Counties



Precipitation Percentile



Precipitation Data
PRISM Climate Group
<http://prism.oregonstate.edu>



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90-Day Precipitation Percentile (17 Mar 2023 to 14 Jun 2023)

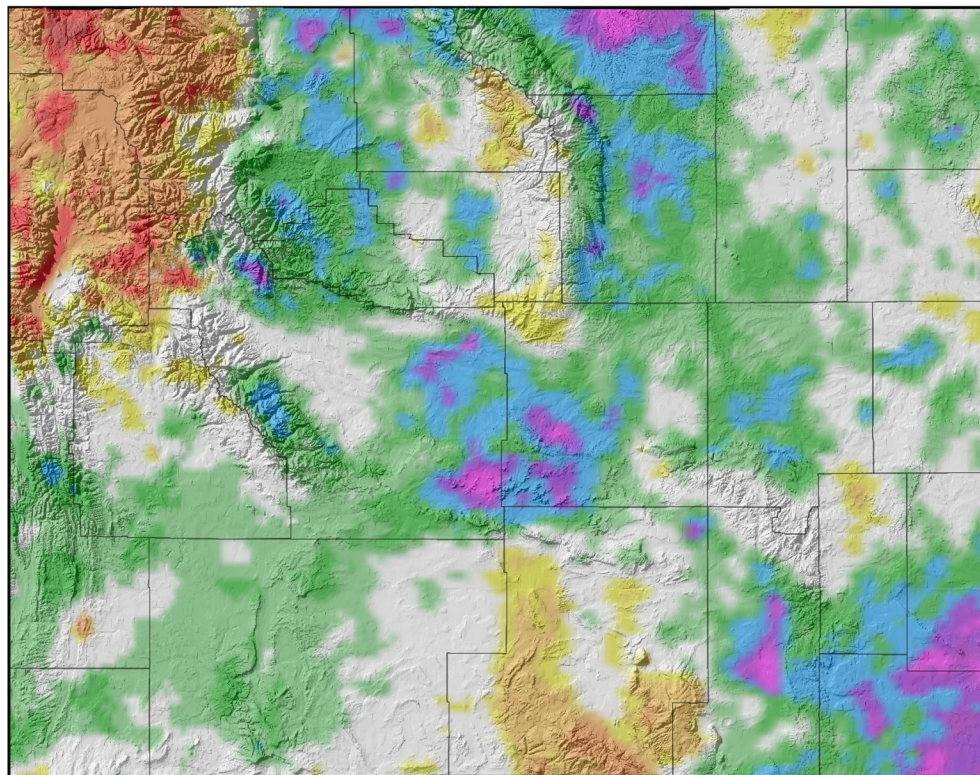
90-Day Precipitation (Percentile) for 17 Mar 2023 to 14 Jun 2023

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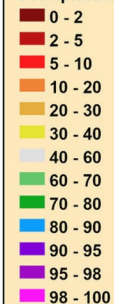
- Much of Wyoming

Below Median (Areas of Concern):

- Western flank of Bighorns
- South Central Wyoming
- Northwest



Precipitation Percentile



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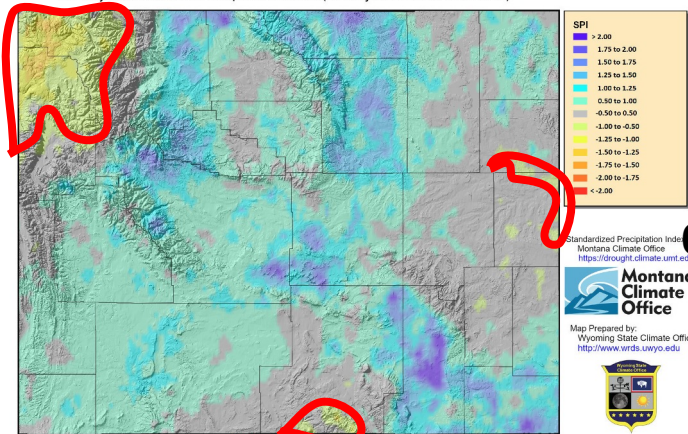
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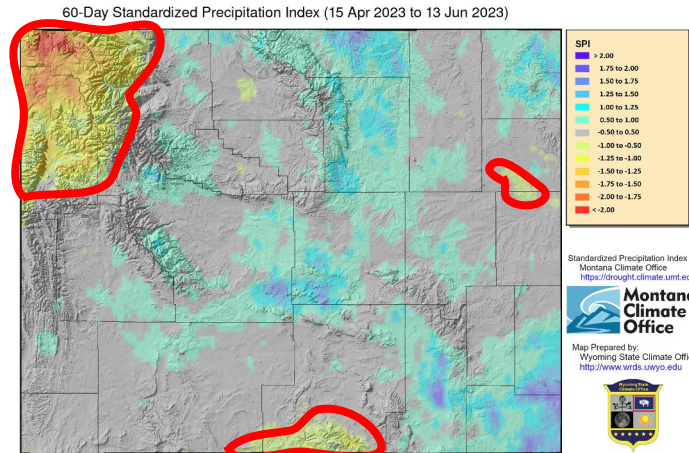
30-Day Standardized Precipitation Index (15 May 2023 to 13 Jun 2023)

30-Day
 May 15 - Jun 13



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60-Day
 Apr 15 - Jun 13

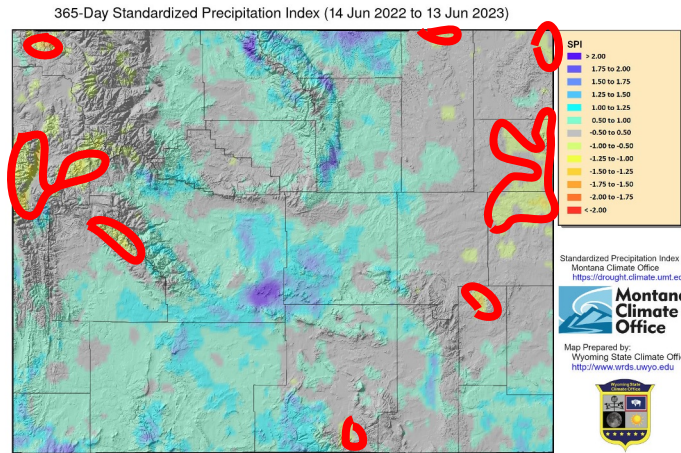


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Standardized Precipitation Index (SPI)

Short term: Northwest, Southcentral, Bighorn Basin, Southwest, Central, Northcentral
Long term: Central, Southwest, Northcentral, Minor areas of the Winds/Tetons, east Central

1-Year

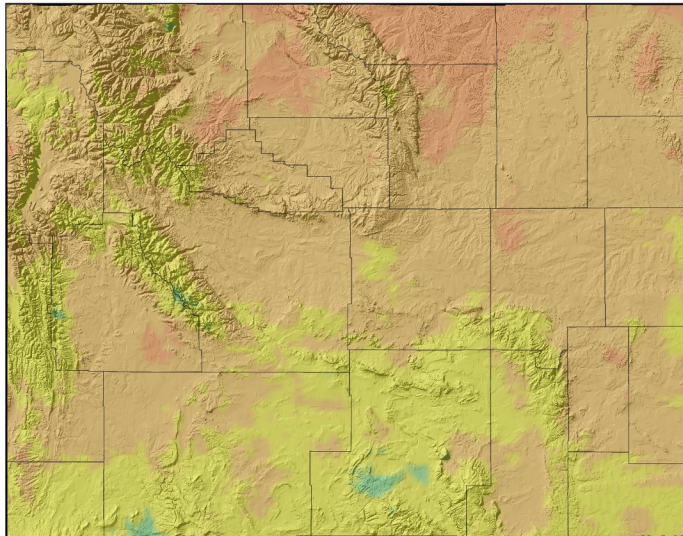


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14-Day Average Minimum Temperature (01 Jun to 14 Jun)

- High elevation mins still below freezing
- BH Basin and Northeast, 50s to upper 50s
- 40s elsewhere except high valleys in upper 30s

14-Day Average Minimum Temperature (Departure from 1991-2020 Average) for 31 May 2023 to 13 Jun 2023

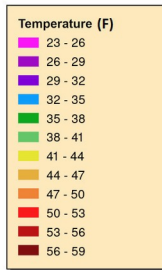
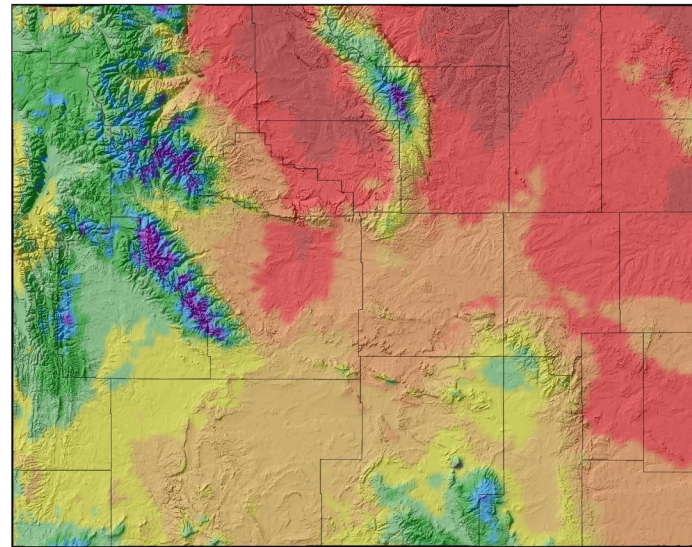


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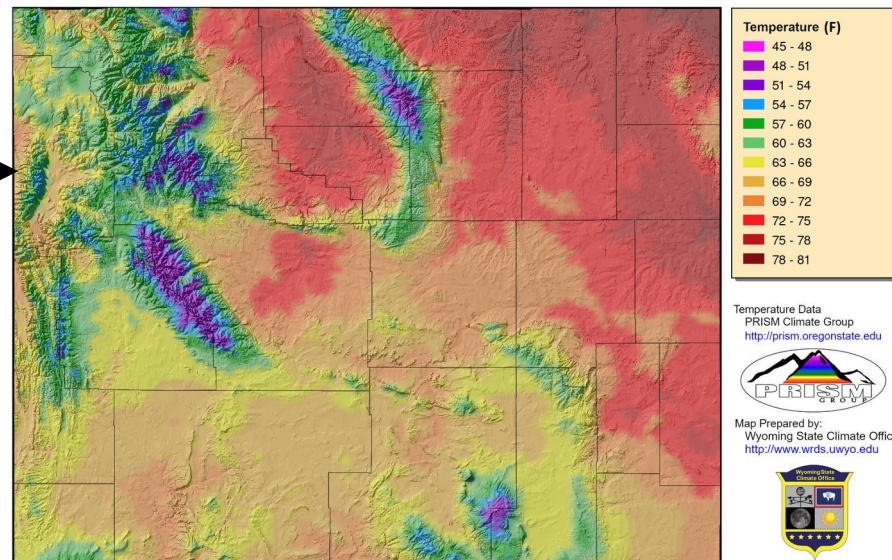
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14-Day *Departure from Normal* Average Minimum Temperature

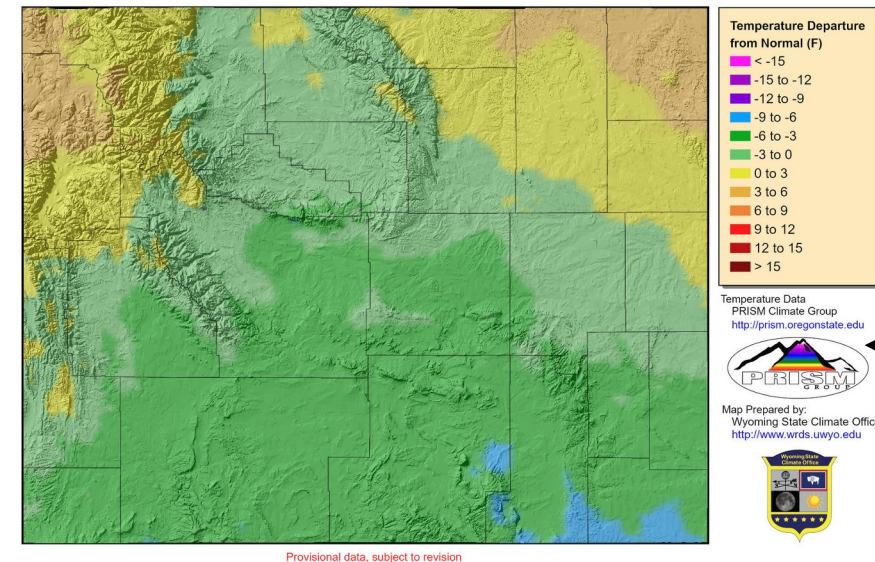
- Mostly above normal with a few 0-3F below average in areas in Sweetwater and Carbon Counties
- Bighorn and Powder/Tongue Basins 6-9F above avg
- Much of southern tier up to 3F above avg
- Remainder up to 3-6F above average

14-Day Average **Maximum** Temperature (01 Jun to 14 Jun)

- Highs in the 60s except for higher elevations
- Bighorn Basin & NE warmest, upper 70s avg



14-Day Average Maximum Temperature (Departure from 1991-2020 Average) for 01 Jun 2023 to 14 Jun 2023



14- Day *Departure from Normal* Average **Maximum** Temperature

- NE and NW 3-6F above average
- Surrounded by up to 3F above average
- Greater (-) departure as go south, 3-6F below avg
- As much as 9F below average in far southeast

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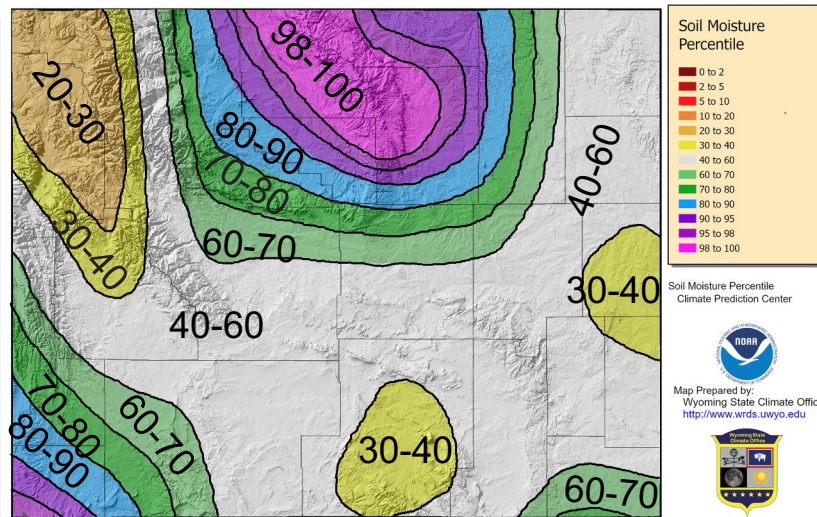
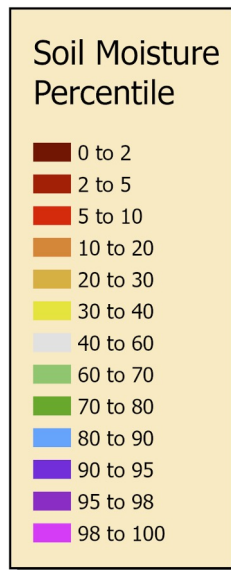
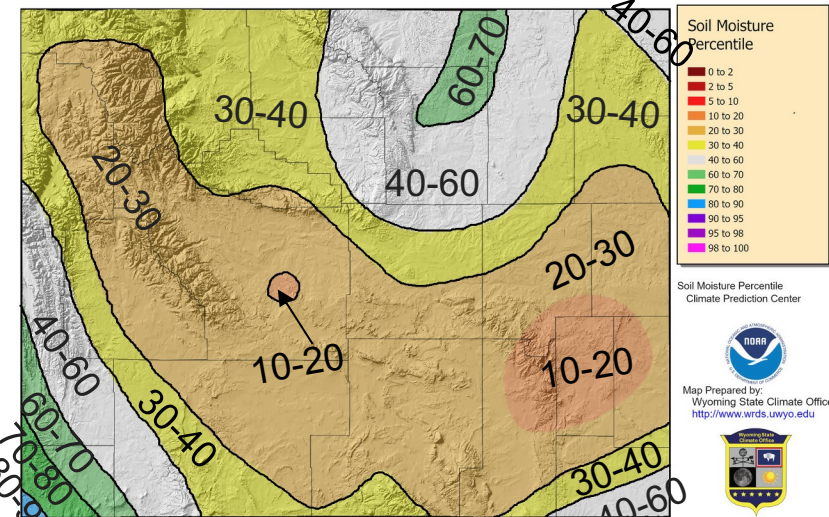
Soil Moisture Percentile

Two Weeks Ago

14 June 2023

Soil Moisture Percentile for 01 Jun 2023

Soil Moisture Percentile for 14 Jun 2023



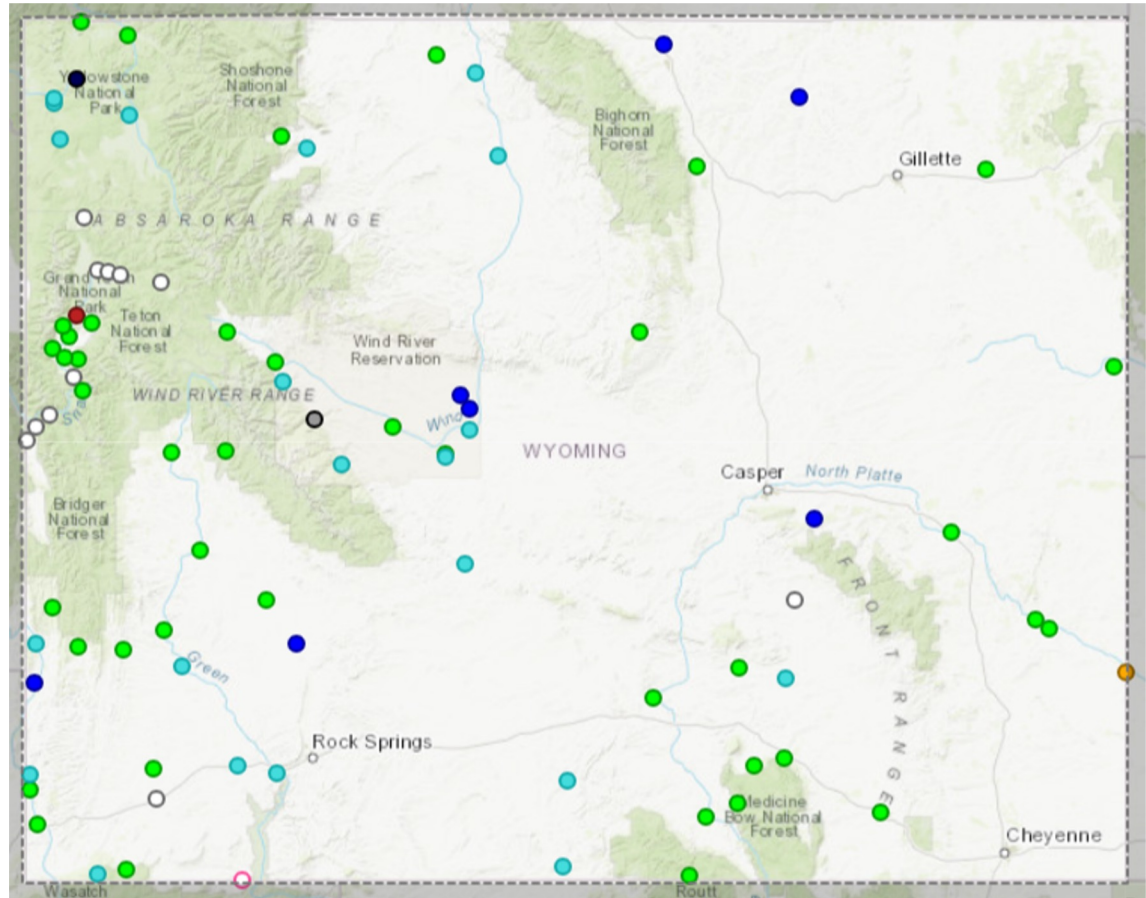
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90-95
Large improvements statewide, except Slight degradation in the far northwest.

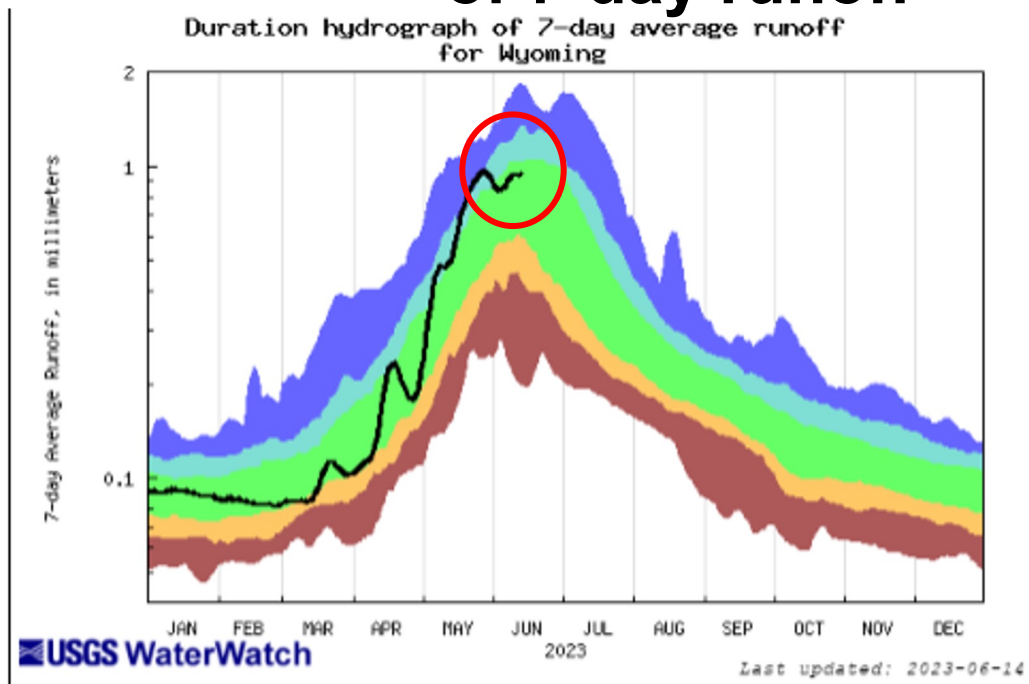
Streamflow Status

Streamflow: Status

- Above flood stage
- All-time high for this day
- Much above normal
- Above normal
- Normal
- Below normal
- Much below normal
- All-time low for this day
- Not flowing
- Not ranked
- Measurement flag
- Recent measurement unavailable



WY Duration Hydrograph of 7-day runoff



Explanation - Percentile classes				
lowest-10th percentile	10-24	25-75	76-90	90th percentile-highest
Much below normal	Below normal	Normal	Above normal	Much above normal

Spring Streamflow

- Past the peak for snowmelt - a little early.
- Spring rains helping to sustain flow.
- Abundant water supply- Normal & above

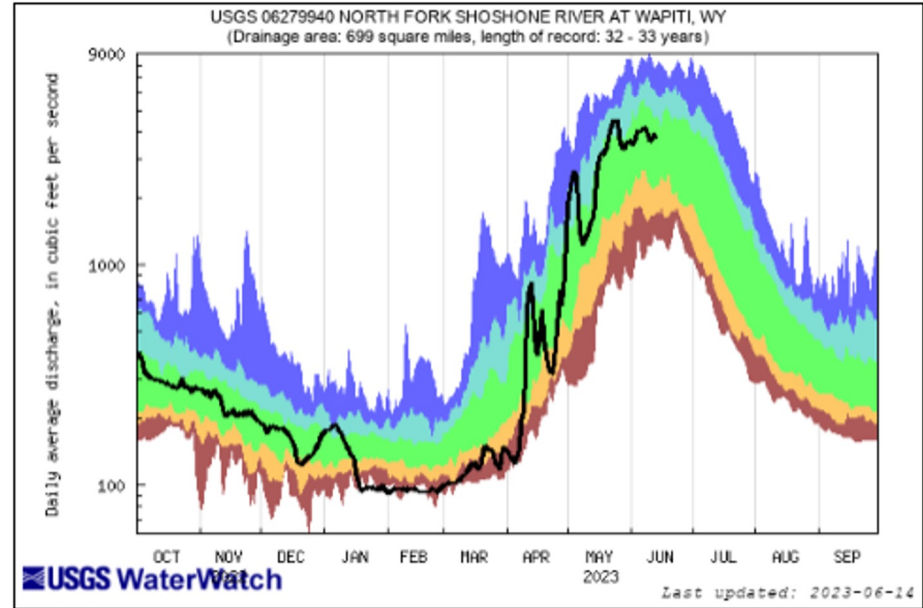
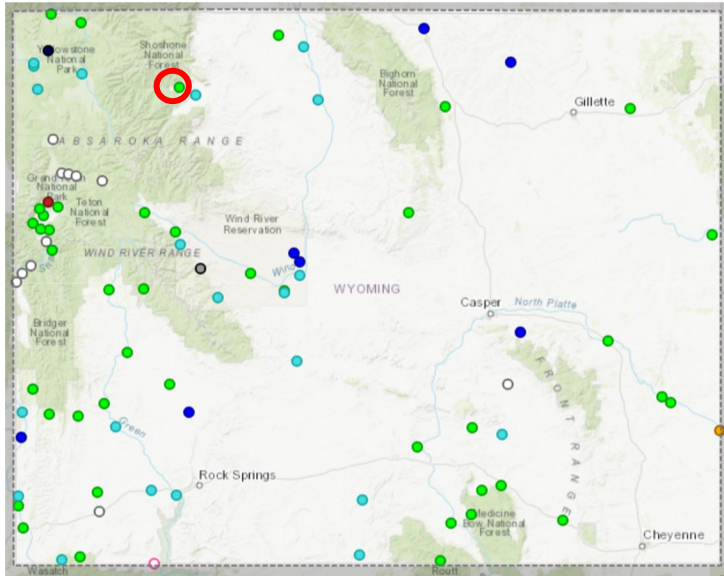
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North Fork Shoshone River, WY

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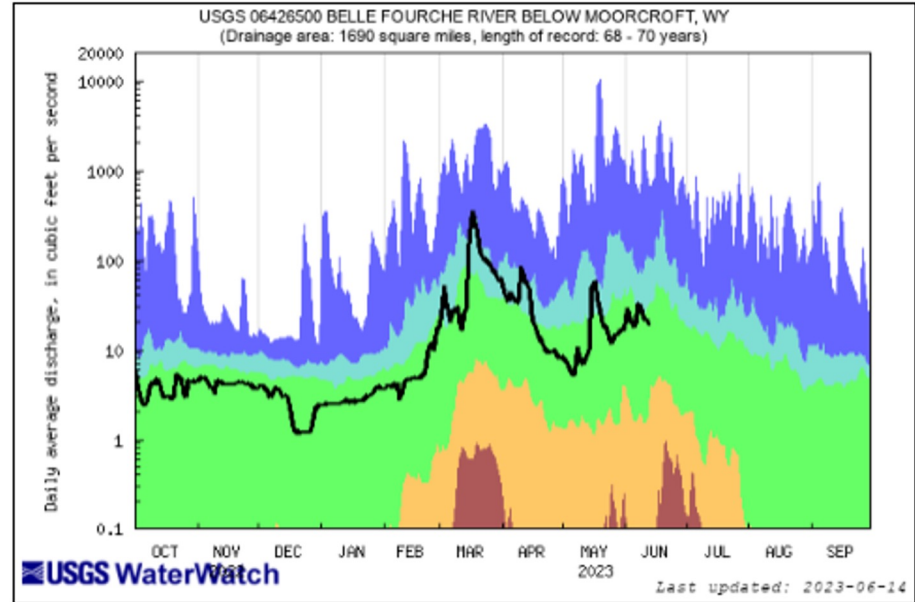
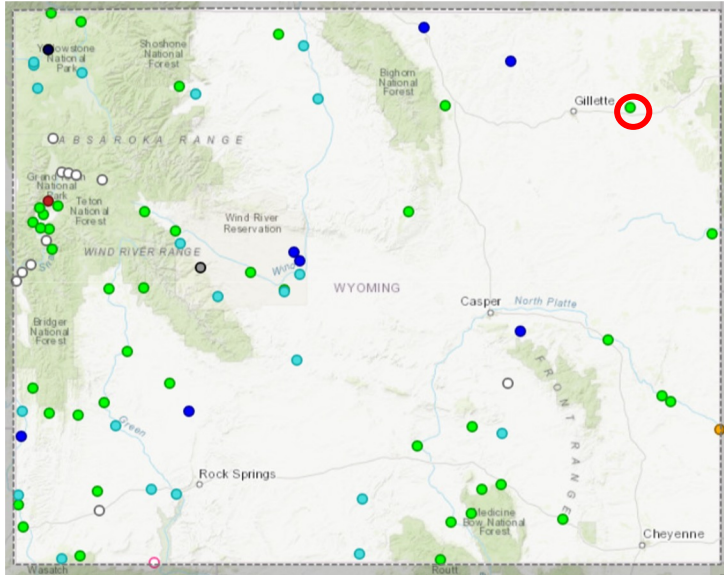
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Belle Fourche below Moorcroft, WY

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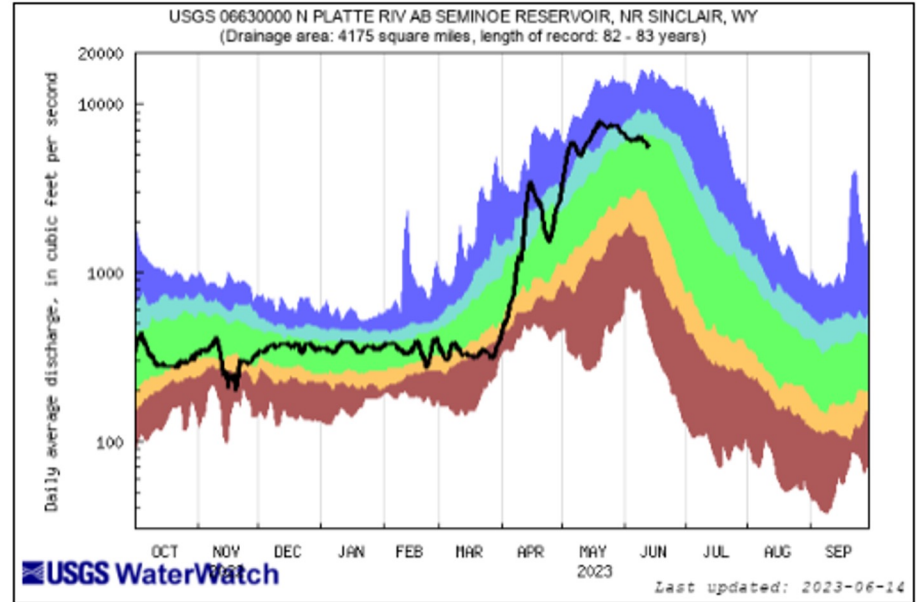
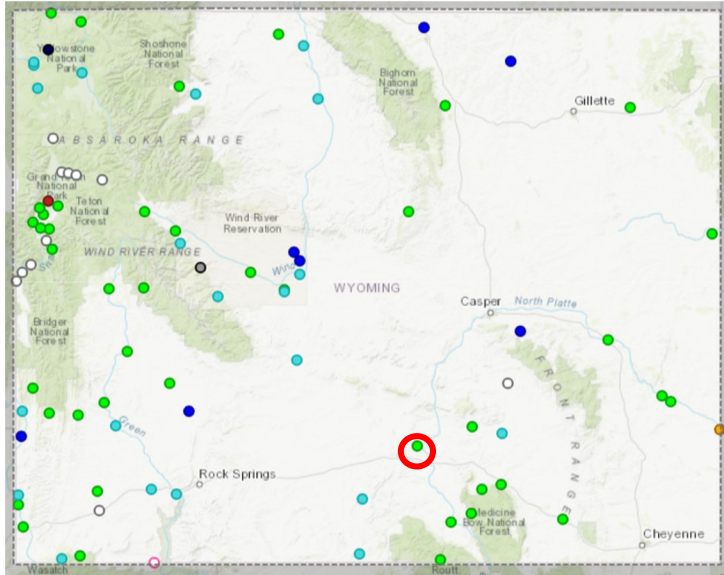
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North Platte River ab Seminoe Reservoir, WY

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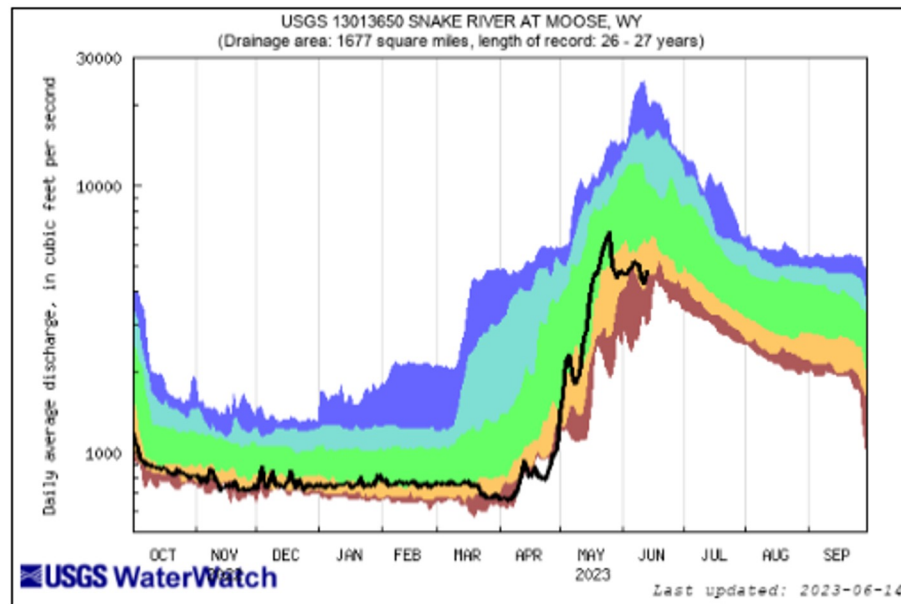
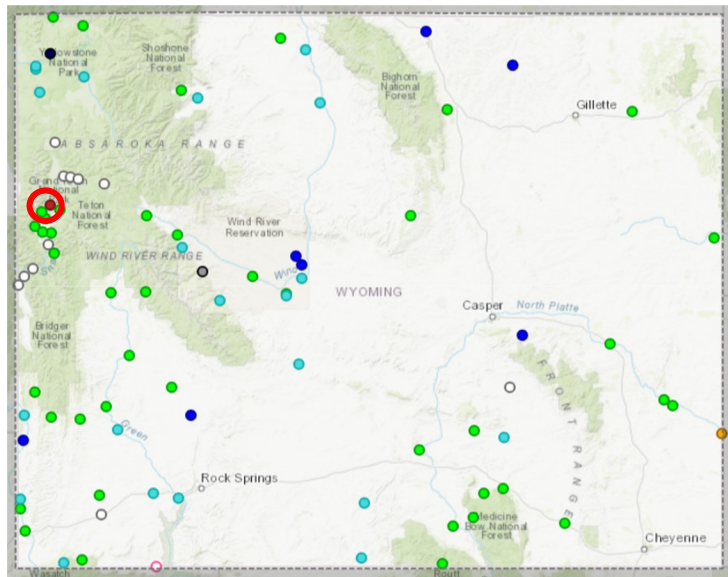
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Snake River at Moose, WY

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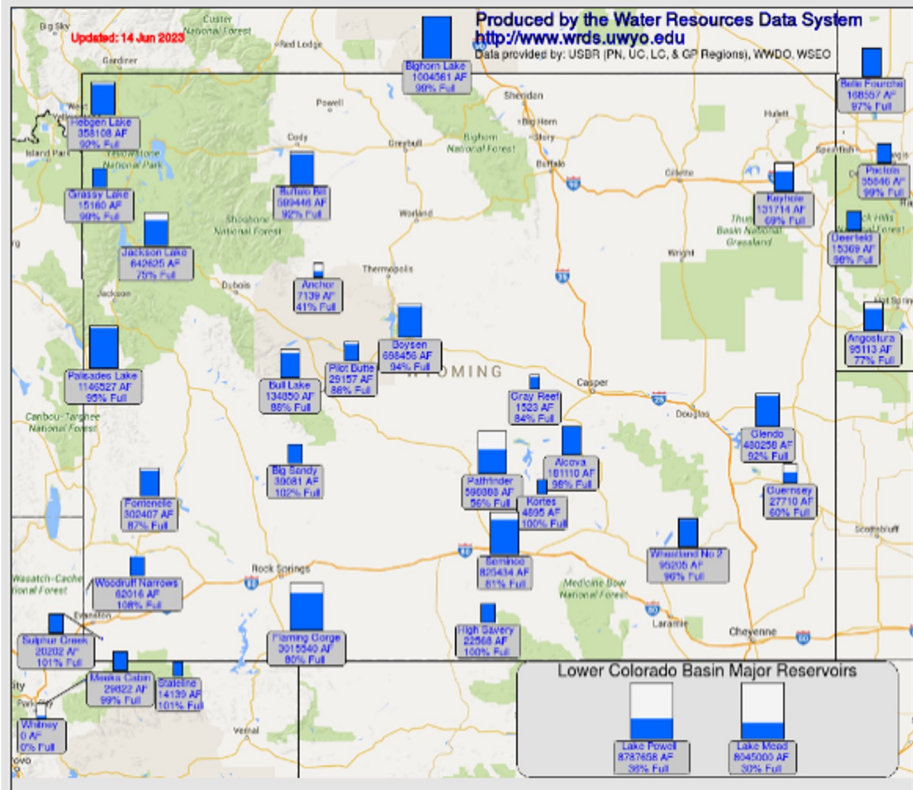
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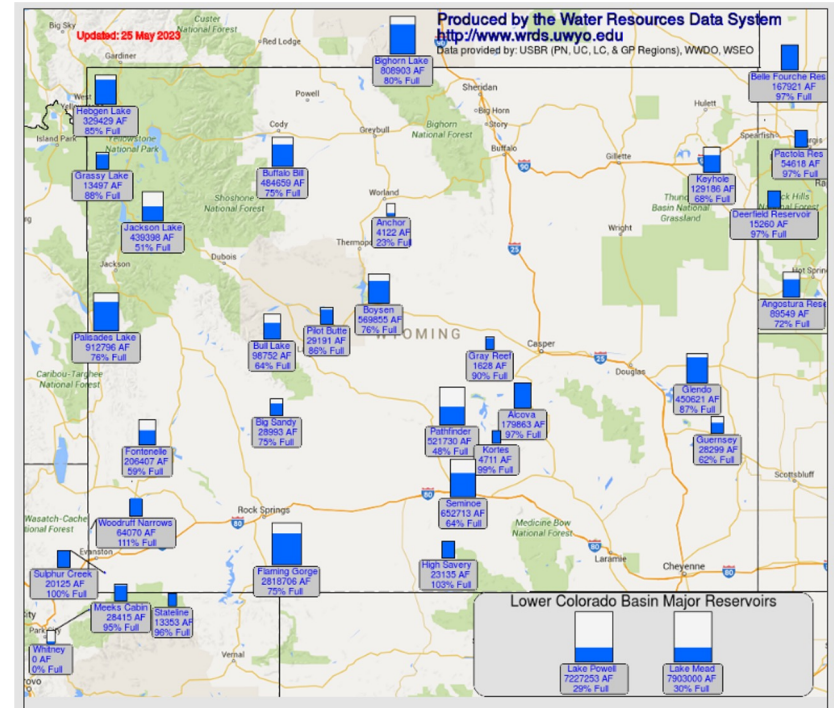
WY Reservoirs

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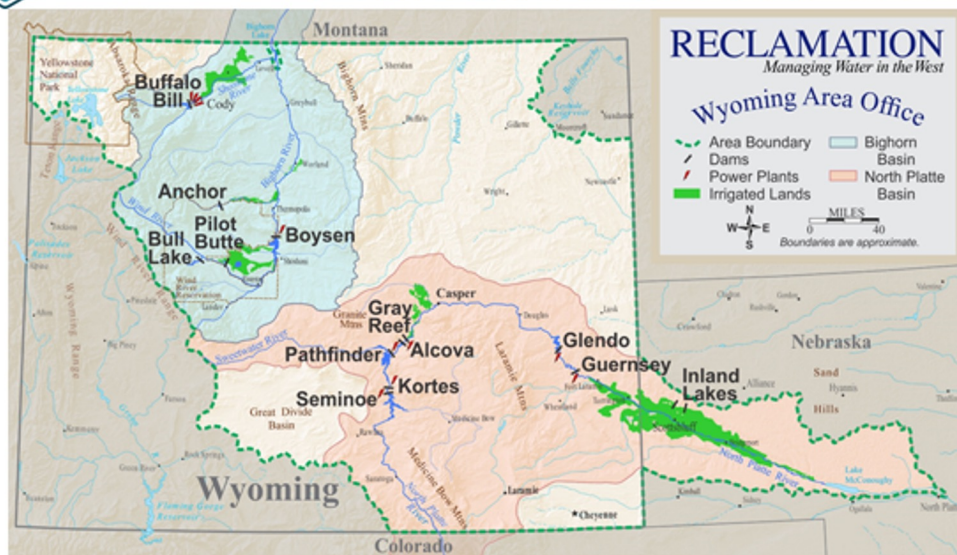
- Increases in most reservoirs
- Most are more than 75% full

May 25, 2023





Current Reservoir Conditions: Bighorn System



As of June 14, Bighorn System: 93% of Full, 115% of Average

<u>Reservoir</u>	<u>Content</u>	<u>Capacity</u>	<u>% of Full</u>	<u>% of Avg</u>
Bull Lake	134,900	152,500	89%	118%
Buffalo Bill	599,500	646,600	92%	115%
Boysen	698,500	741,600	94%	114%



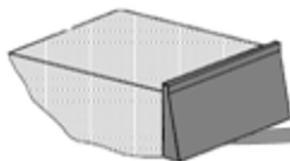
Current Reservoir Outflows



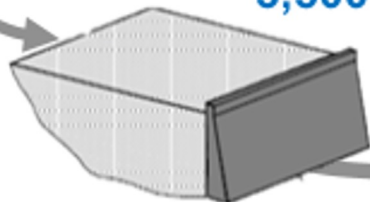
Bull Lake
850 cfs



Buffalo Bill
3,000 cfs

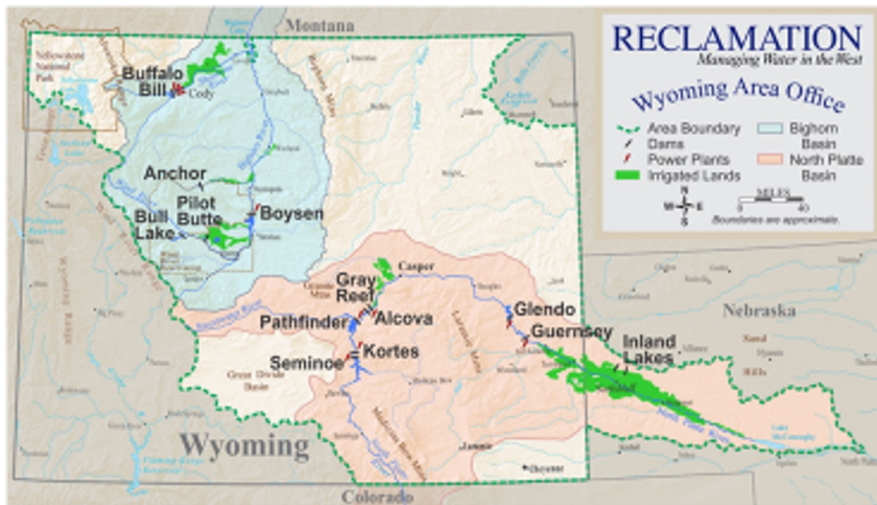


Boysen
3,500 cfs





Current Reservoir Conditions: North Platte System



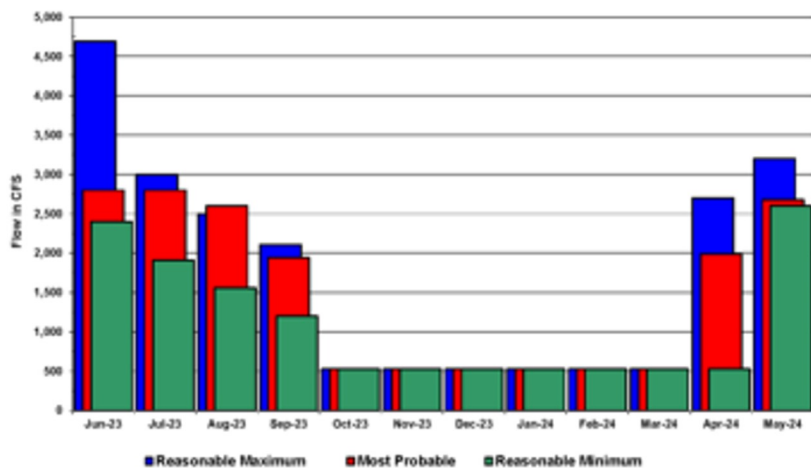
Forecast April – July Runoff:

<u>Forecast Point</u>	<u>Runoff (AF)</u>	<u>% of Avg</u>
Seminoe	1,040,000	145
Sweetwater above Pathfinder	90,000	170
Alcova to Glendo	177,000	121

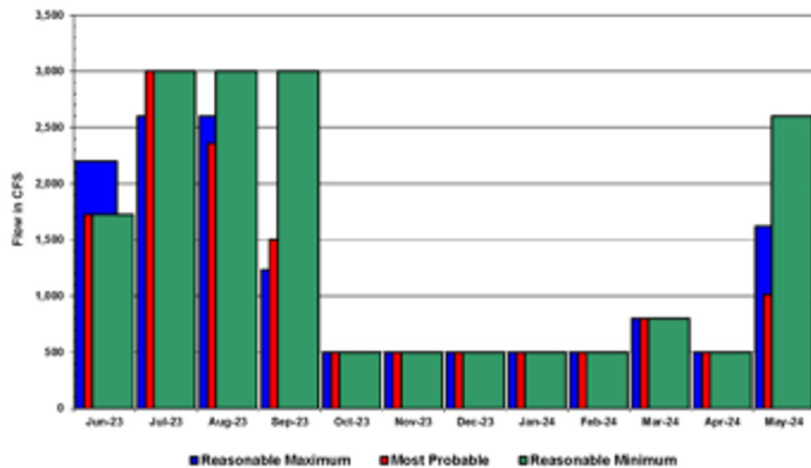
As of June 13, North Platte System: 75% of Full, 102% of Average

<u>Reservoir</u>	<u>Content (AF)</u>	<u>Capacity</u>	<u>% of Full</u>	<u>% of Avg</u>
Seminoe	819,088	1,017,300	81%	116%
Pathfinder	594,495	1,070,000	56%	91%
Glendo	480,258	492,000	98%	97%

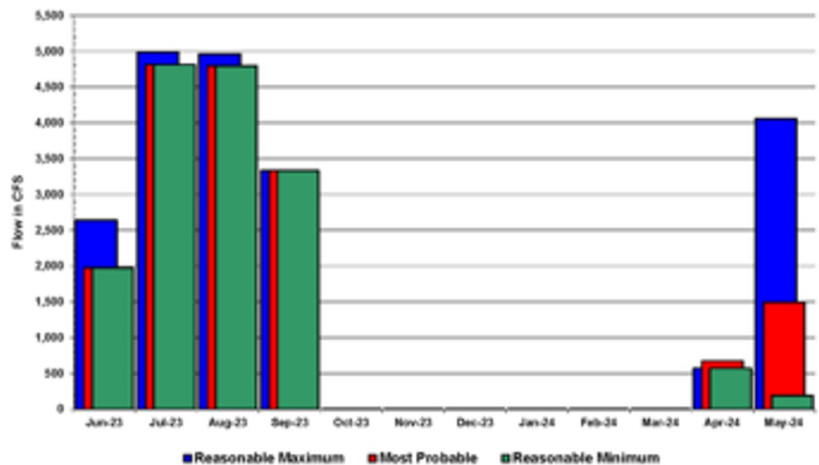
SEMNOE RESERVOIR RELEASES



GRAY REEF RESERVOIR RELEASES



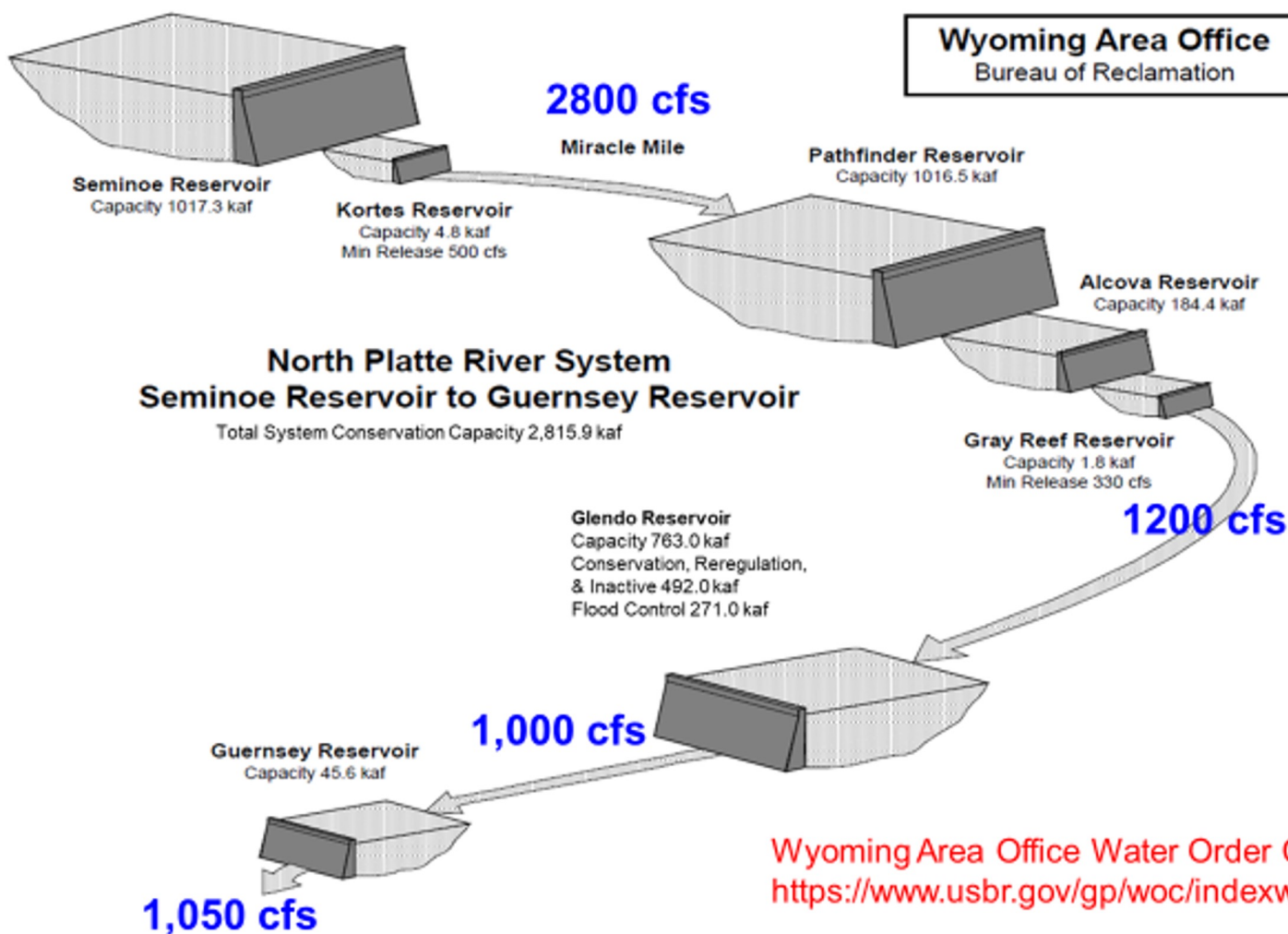
GUERNSEY RESERVOIR RELEASES



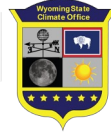


North Platte River System
Seminole Reservoir to Guernsey Reservoir

Total System Conservation Capacity 2,815.9 kaf



Wyoming Area Office Water Order Changes –
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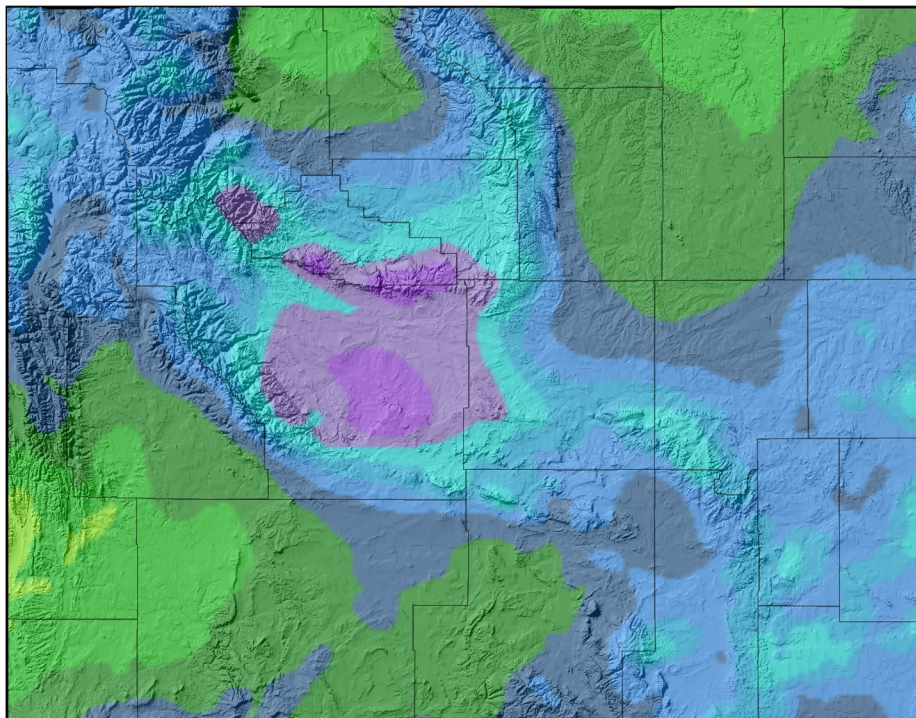


Forecasts & Outlooks



7-Day Total Precipitation Forecast Through 6/22/23

7-Day Quantitative Precipitation Forecast 15 Jun 2023



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Forecast:
Weather Prediction Center



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- Wet period continues, Early period conditions favor heavy rainfall.
 - Scattered afternoon & evening showers & thunderstorms through Saturday
 - Some locations could miss out on precipitation, despite map showing smoothed appearance
 - Showers more isolated after Sunday
- Wettest in the Wind River basin above and near Boysen Res.

The Quantitative Precipitation Forecast shows the liquid amount of forecasted precipitation over the next 7 days. The Forecast is created by the National Weather Service Weather Prediction Center, Department of Commerce, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, National Weather Service, National Centers for Environmental Prediction, and Weather Prediction Center - <https://www.wpc.ncep.noaa.gov>
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6-10 Day Outlooks (June 20 - 24)

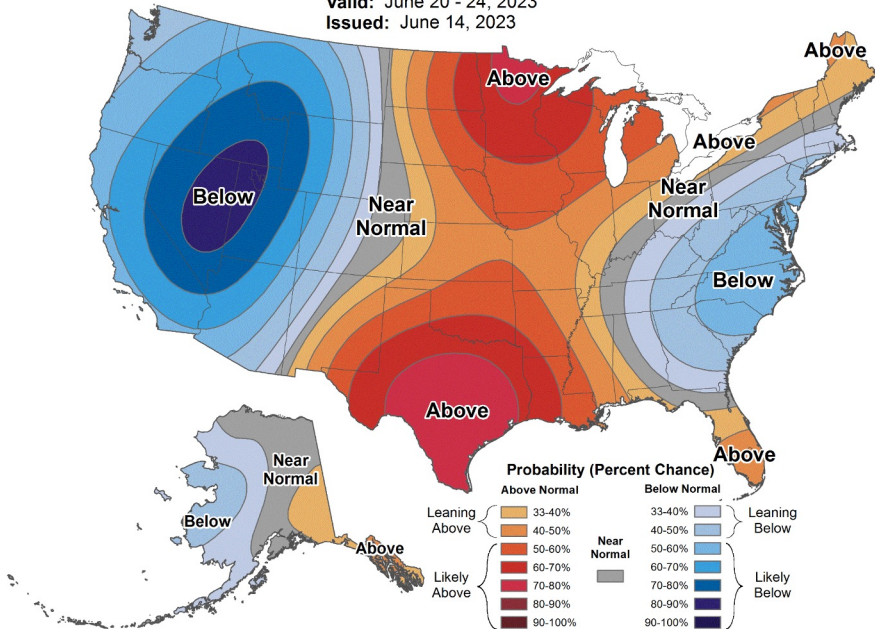
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6-10 Day Temperature Outlook



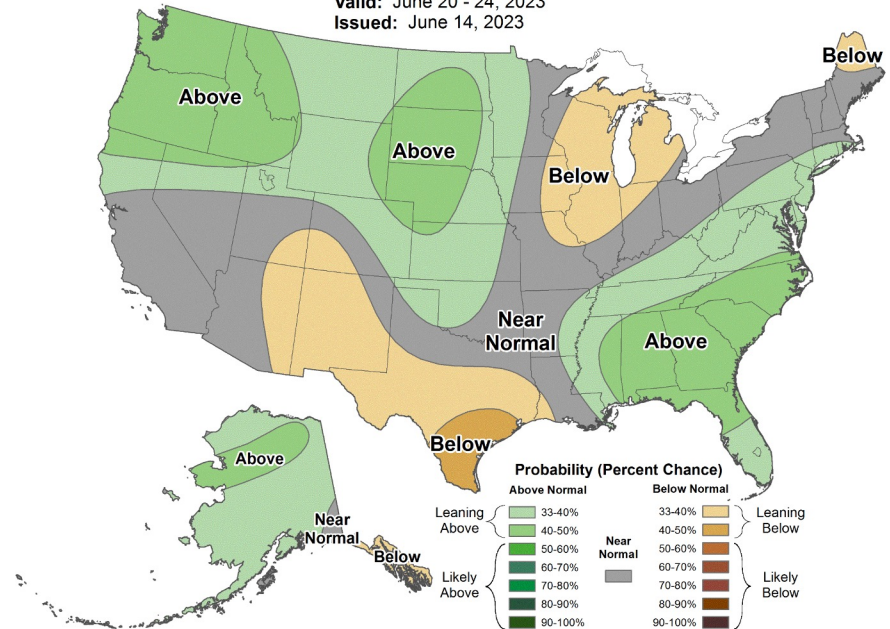
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6-10 Day Precipitation Outlook



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Below-normal temperature signal strengthening (weak to very strong) from east to west

Weak above-normal signal for above-normal precipitation. Strengthening to moderate in east



8-14 Day Outlooks (June 22 - 28)

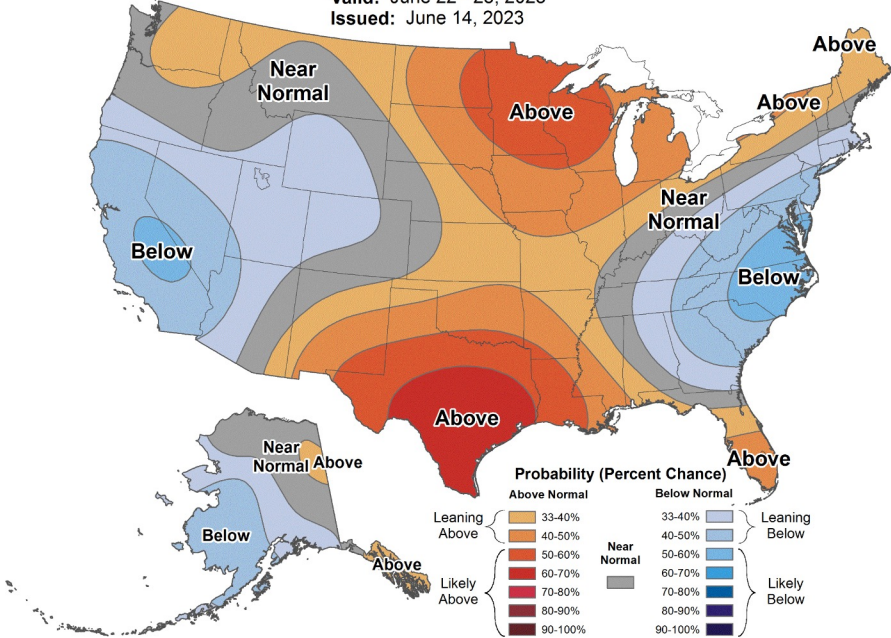
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8-14 Day Temperature Outlook



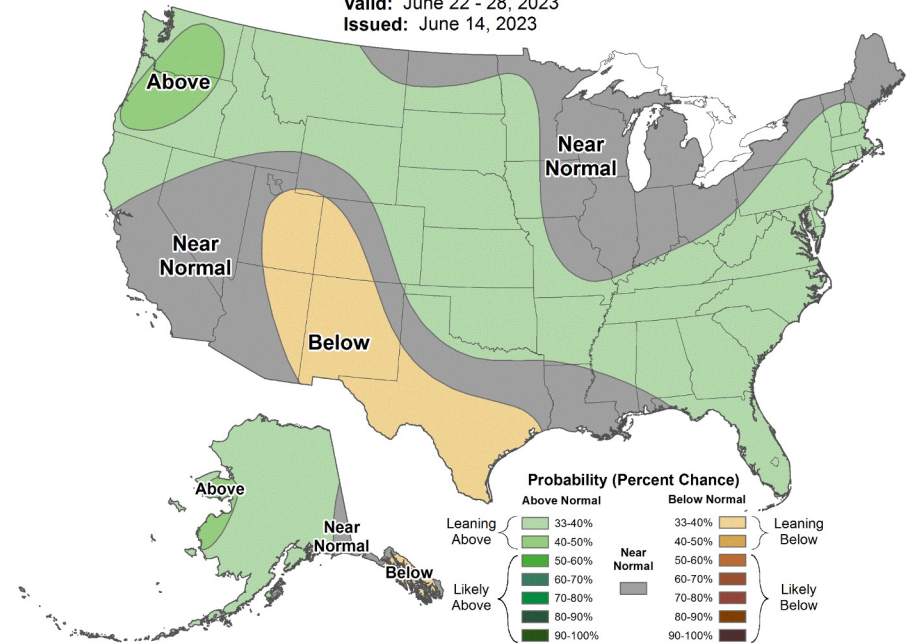
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8-14 Day Precipitation Outlook



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Weak signal for below-normal temperatures across most of the state, weakening to the northeast

Weak signal for above-normal precipitation across most of the state, weakening to the southwest



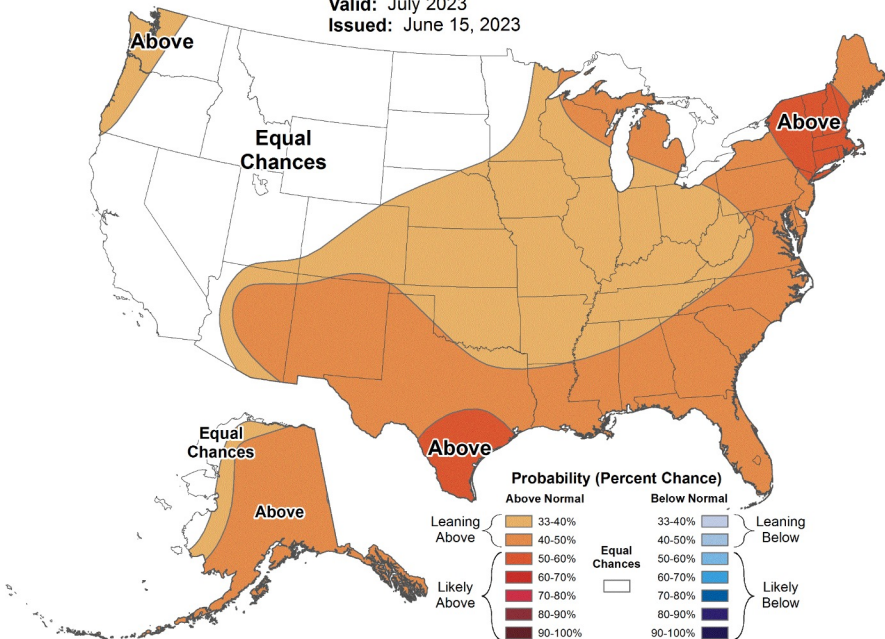
1-Month Outlooks (July)



Monthly Temperature Outlook



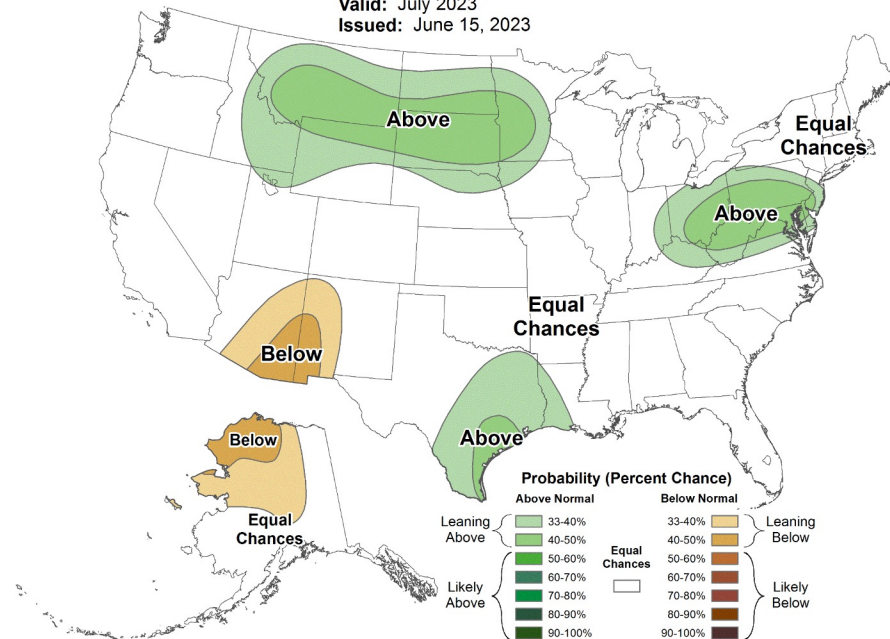
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Monthly Precipitation Outlook



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No clear signal from the global weather pattern: Near climatology is best forecast

Weak to moderate signal for above-normal precipitation in the north that weakens to no signal in the south

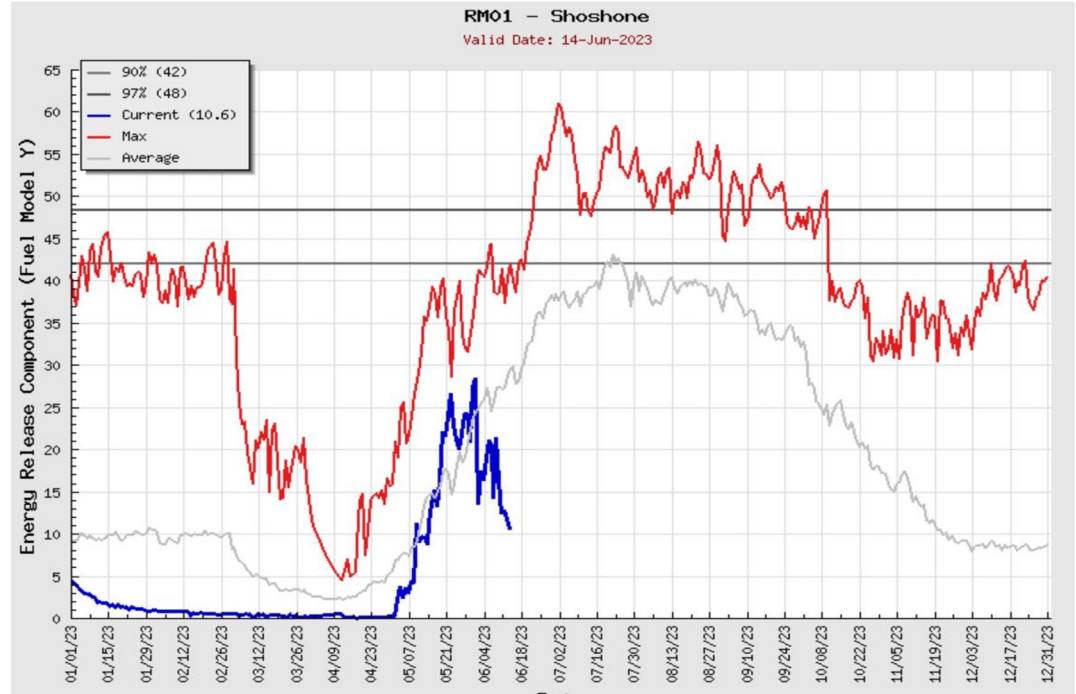
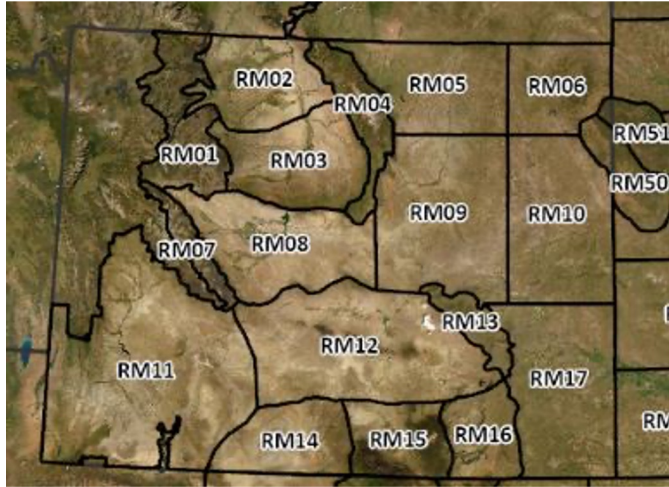


Fuel Moisture and Energy Release Component (ERC) -Definitions and Explanations

- **Live Fuel Moisture**- Influenced by seasonality, species characteristics and available moisture (soil and air).
- **Dead Fuel Moisture**- Influenced by precipitation and relative humidity. 4 Size Classes based on “Time Lag”, simply explained as the amount of time it takes the fuel to adjust to closely resemble the humidity of its surrounding environment.
 - **1 Hour Fuels**
 - Less than 1/4" diameter.
 - Fine flashy fuels that respond quickly to weather changes. Computed from observation time temperature, humidity, and cloudiness.
 - **10 Hour Fuels**
 - 1/4 to 1" diameter.
 - Computed from observation time temperature, humidity, and cloudiness. Or can be an observed value, from a standard set of "10-Hr Fuel Sticks" that are weighed as part of the fire weather observation.
 - **100 Hour Fuels**
 - 1 to 3" diameter.
 - Computed from 24-hour average boundary condition composed of day length, hours of rain, and daily temperature/humidity ranges.
 - **1000 Hour Fuels**
 - 3 to 8 " diameter.
 - Computed from a 7-day average boundary condition composed of day length, hours of rain, and daily temperature/humidity ranges.
- **Energy Release Component (ERC)**- Related to the available energy (BTU) per unit area (square foot) within the flaming front at the head of a fire. The ERC is considered a composite fuel moisture index as it reflects the contribution of all live and dead fuels to potential fire intensity.

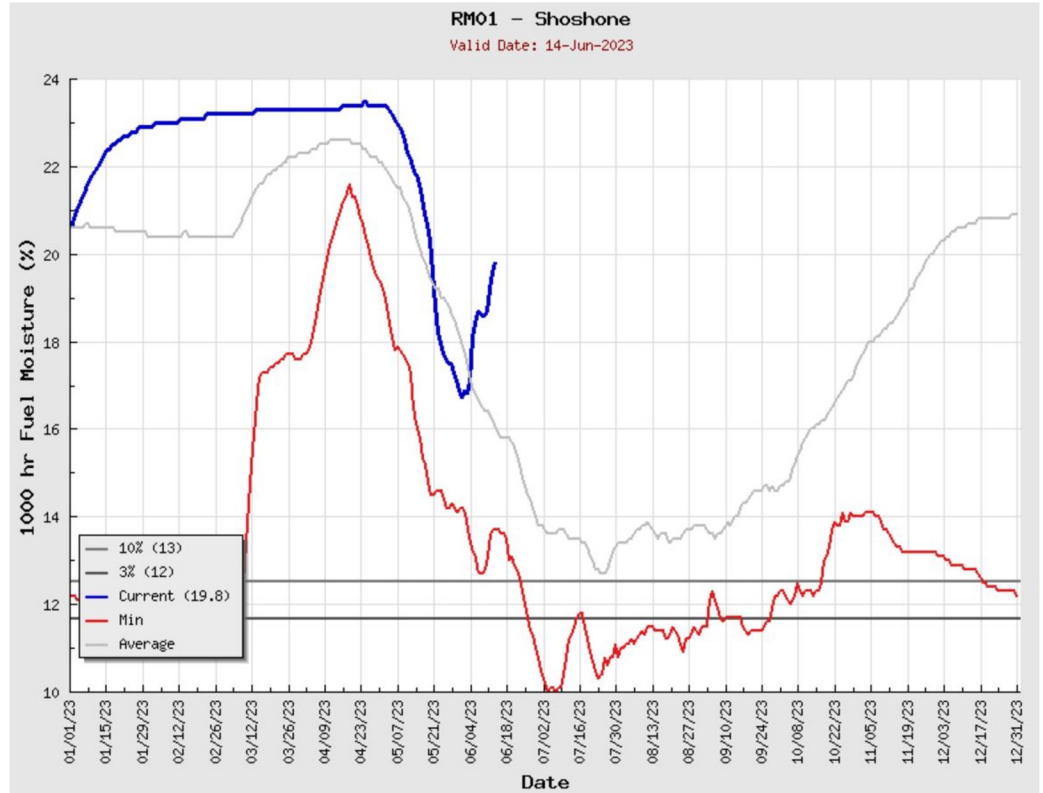
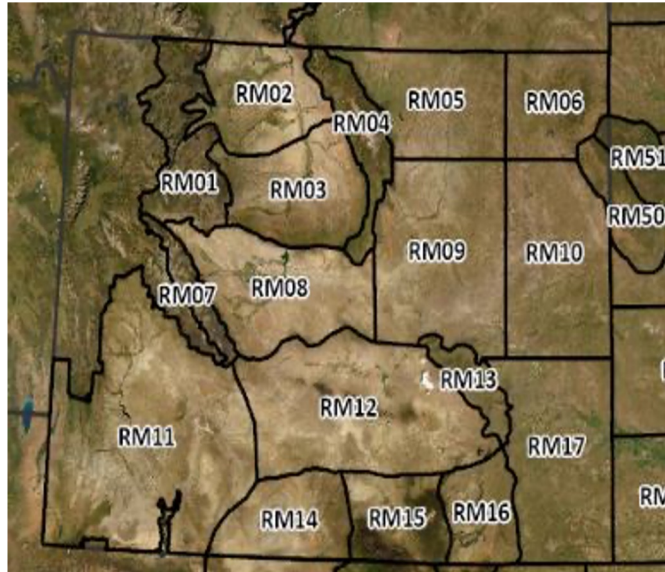


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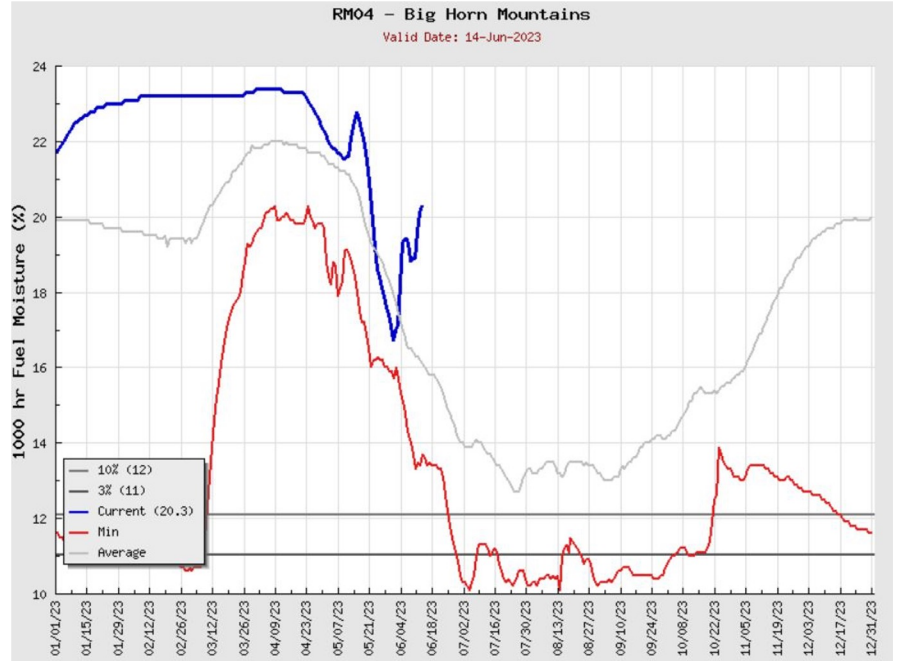
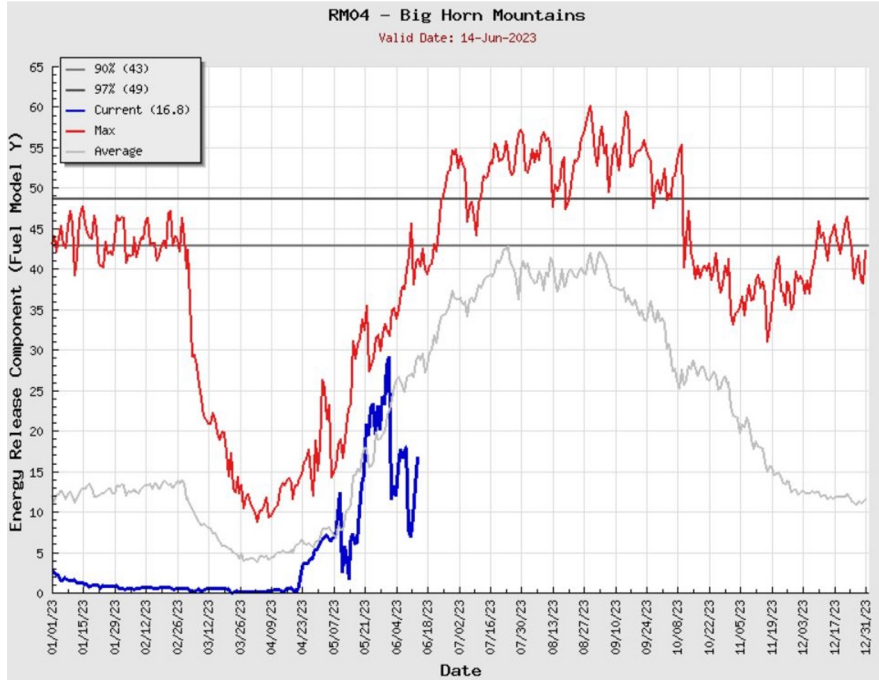


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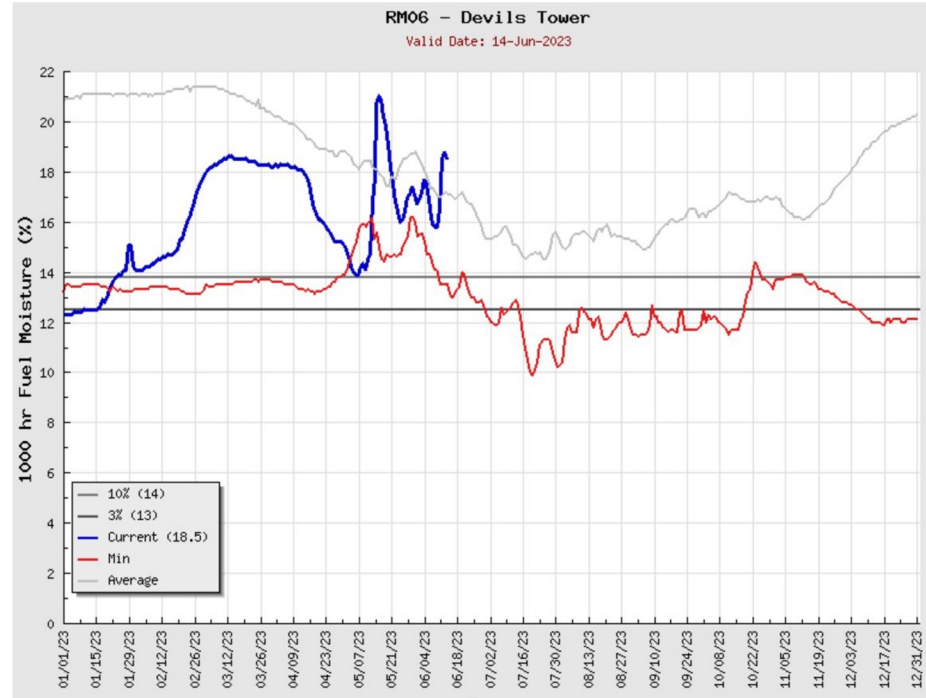
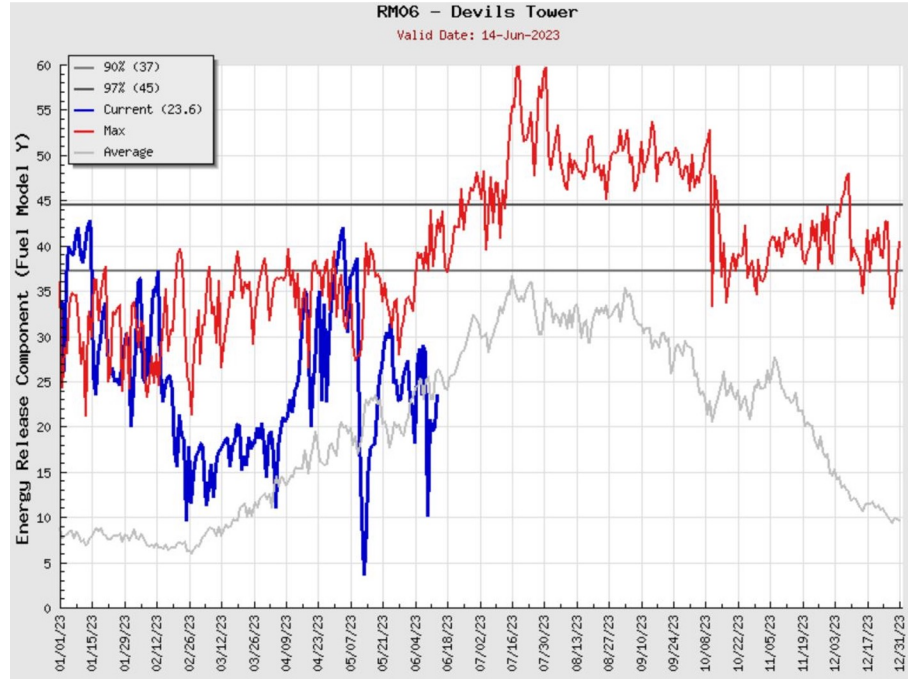


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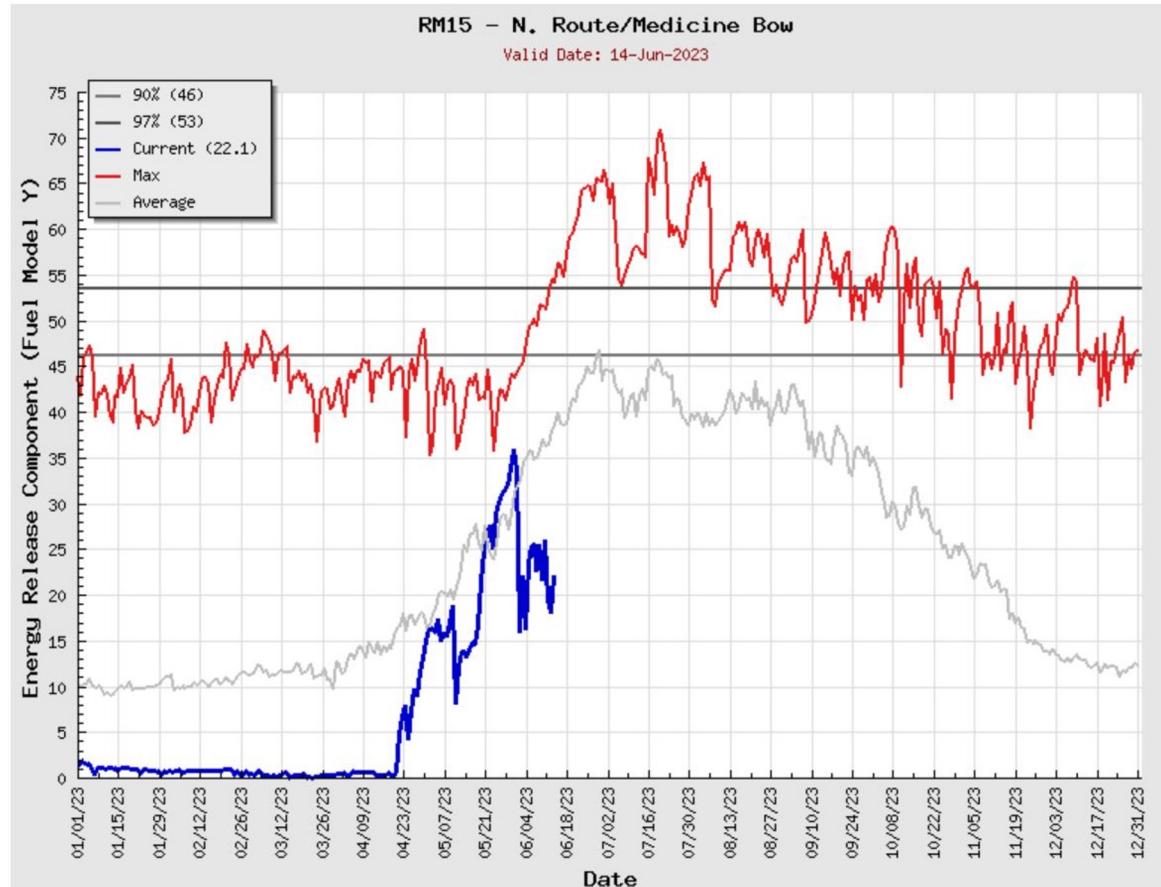
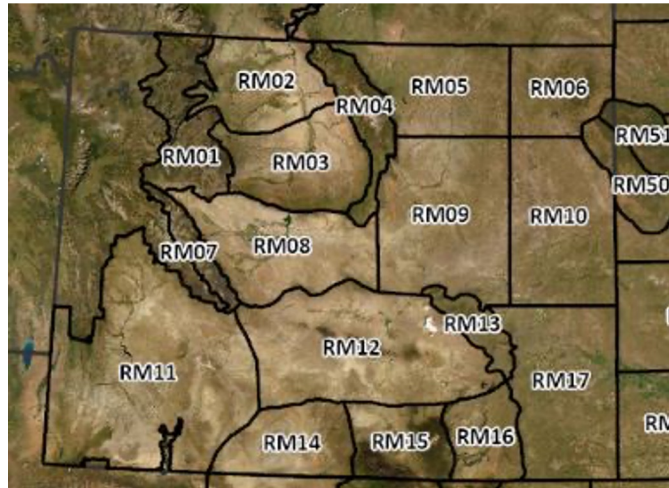


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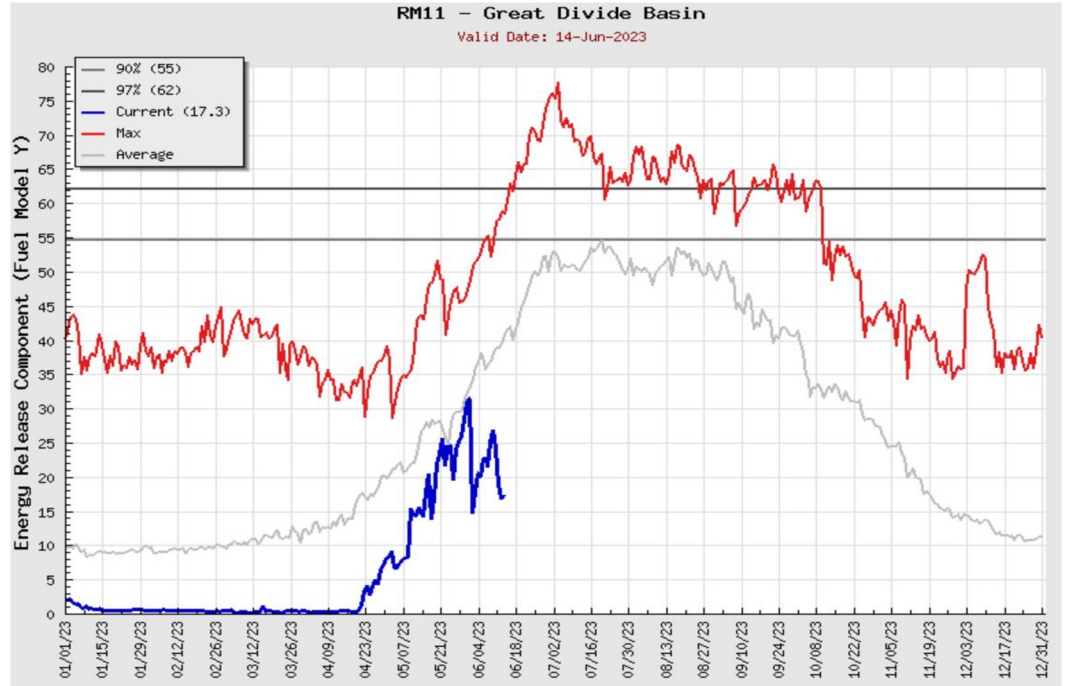
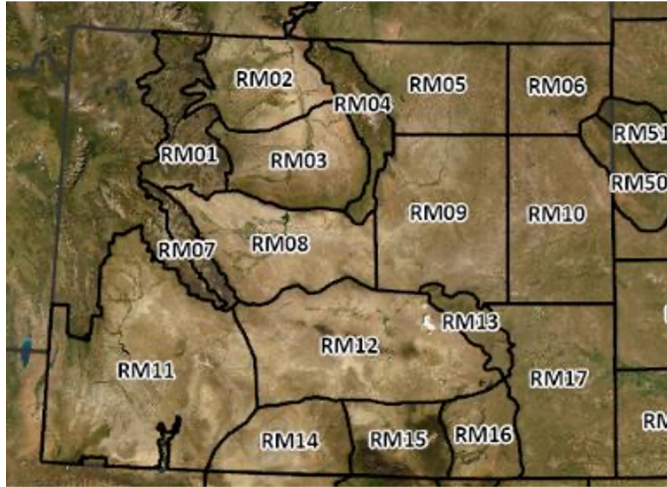


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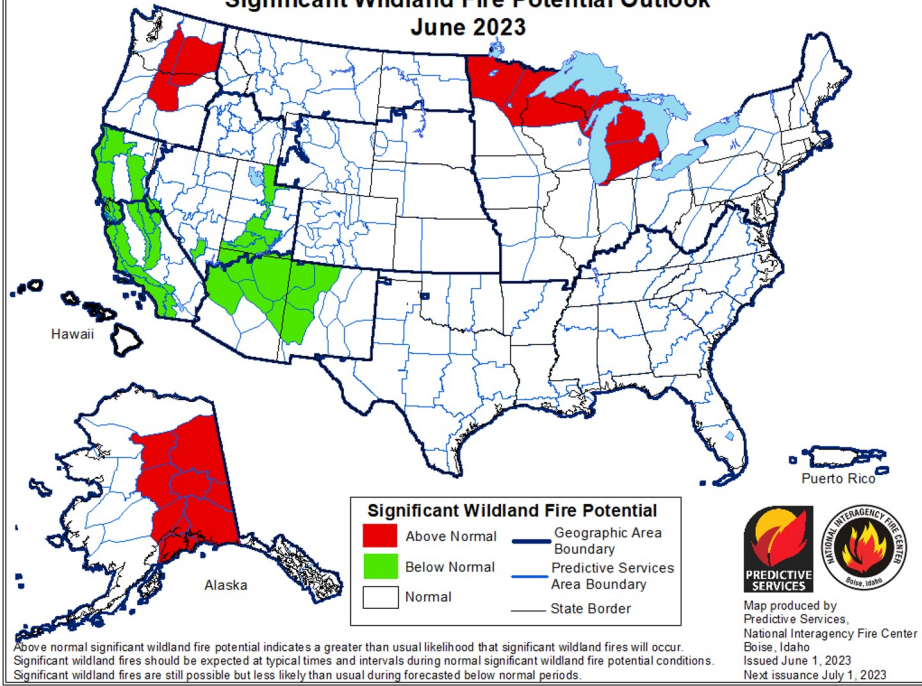
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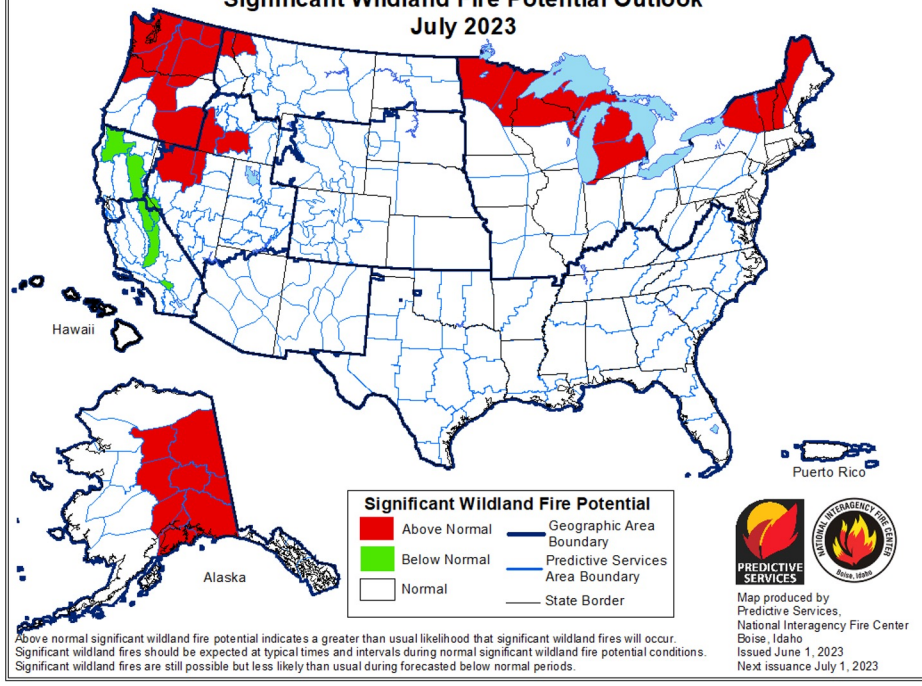


National Fire Danger Outlook

Significant Wildland Fire Potential Outlook June 2023



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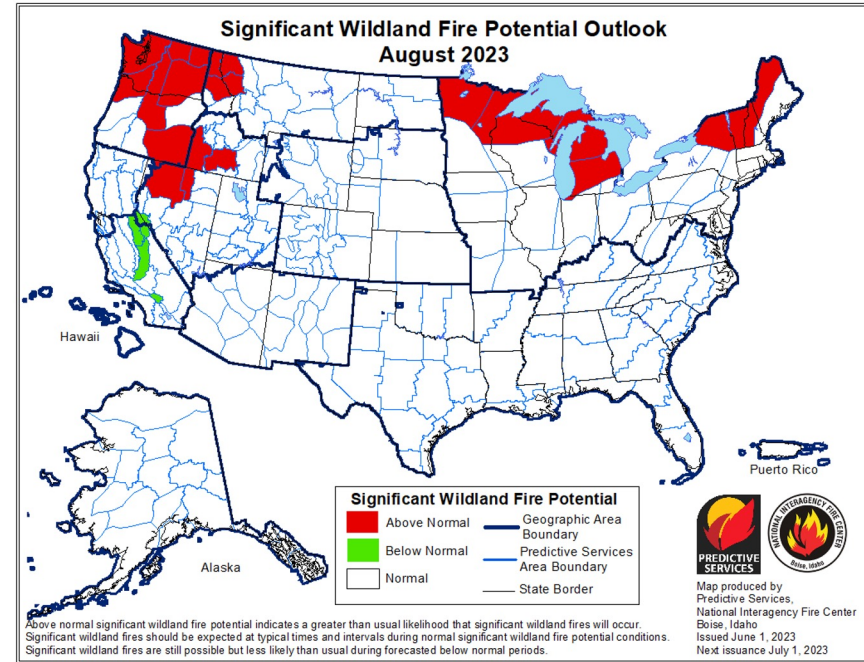
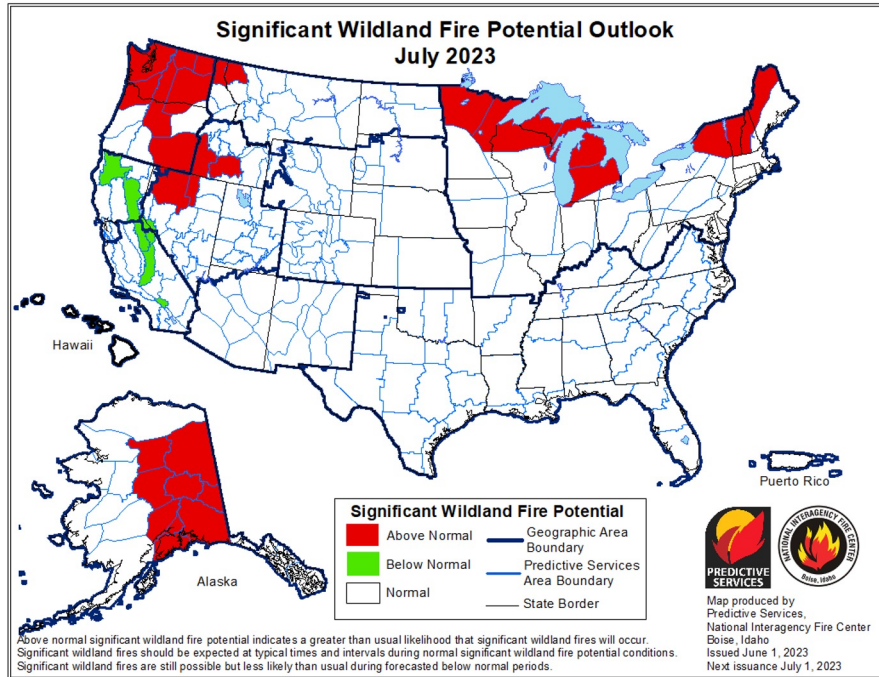


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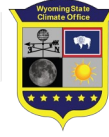


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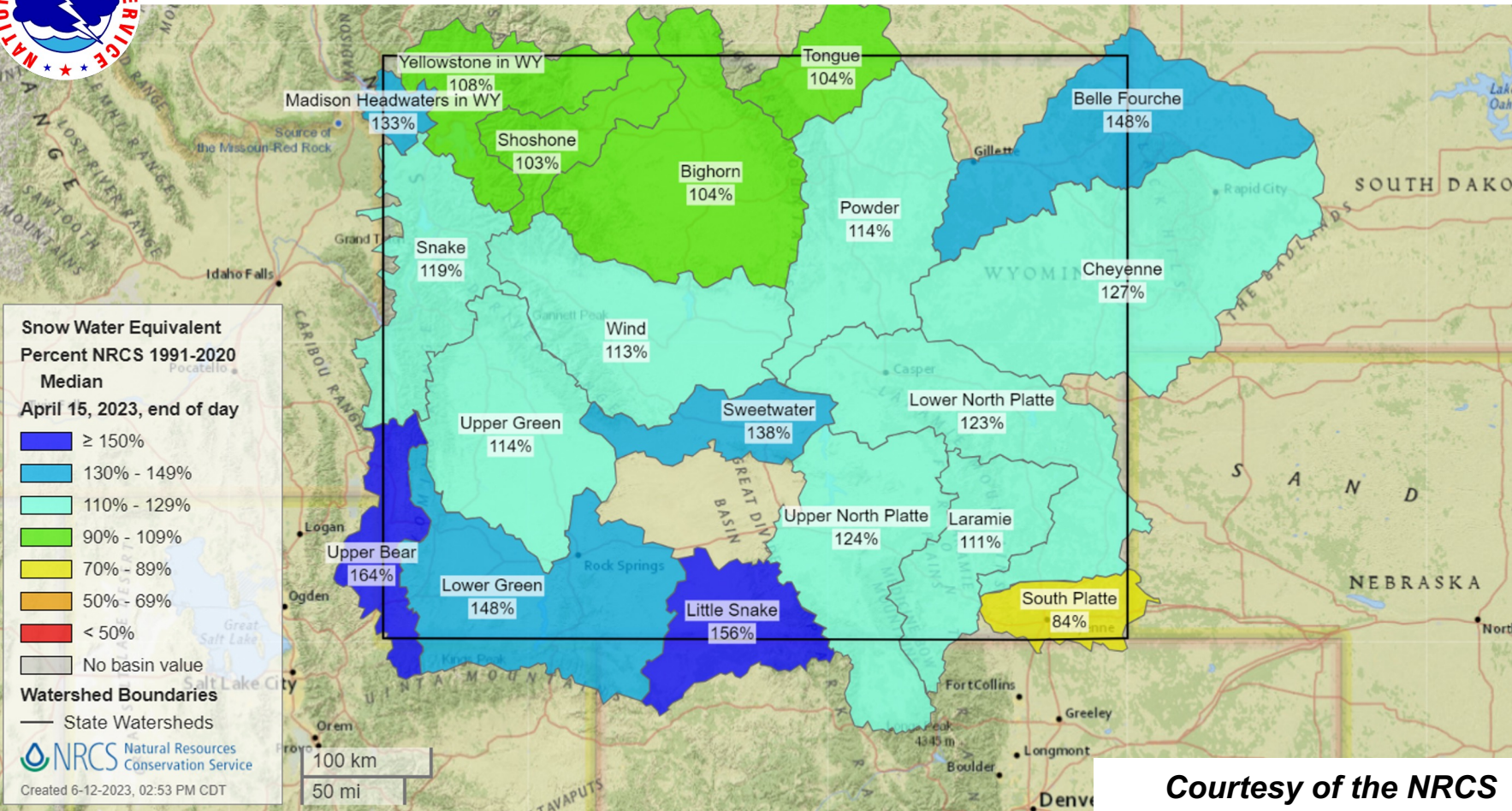


Highlight of the Month ...

2023 Runoff and Flood Summary



Snow Water Equivalent as of 15 April 2023, Percent of 30-Year Median



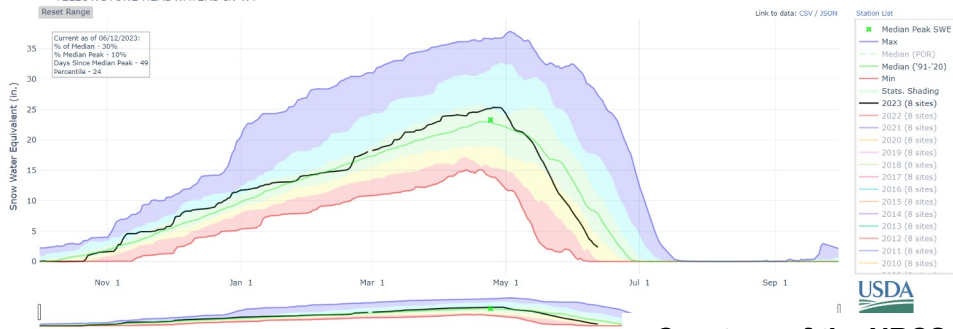
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Yellowstone River Basin

SWE peaked 26 April at 109% of 30-year median peak.

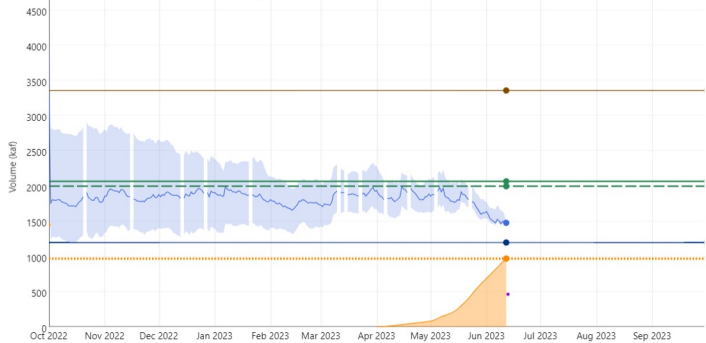
SNOW WATER EQUIVALENT IN YELLOWSTONE HEADWATERS IN WY



Courtesy of the NRCS

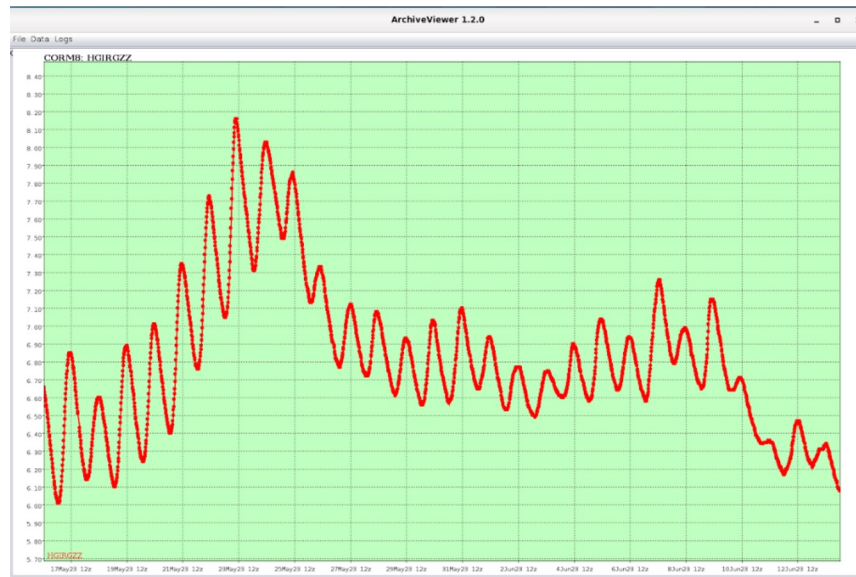
Yellowstone River At Corwin Springs (CORM8)
 Period: Apr-Sep, Official 50% Forecast (2023-06-01): 879 kaf (42% Average, 44% Median)
 ESP is Unregulated and Includes 120 Hour Precipitation Forecast

2023/06/12:
Max: 3360
Min: 1200
Average: 2070
Median: 2000
Observed Accumulation: 972
Observed Total: 972
ESP: 1480



NWS April-Sept runoff forecast is 74% (1480 kAcFt) of 30-year median

No flooding along Yellowstone due to melt (FS=11.0' Corwin Springs)

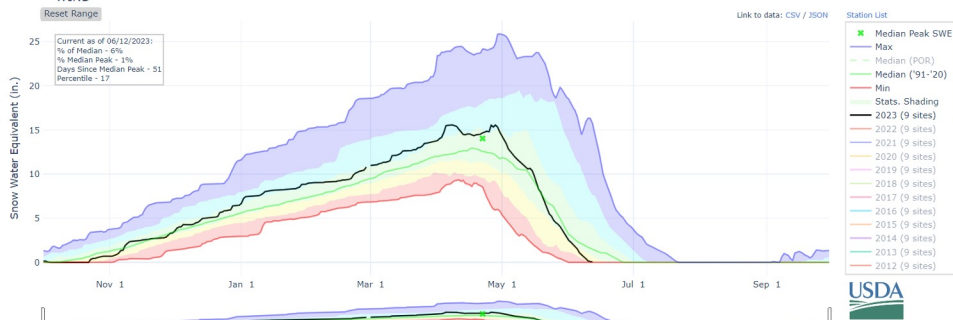




Wind River Basin

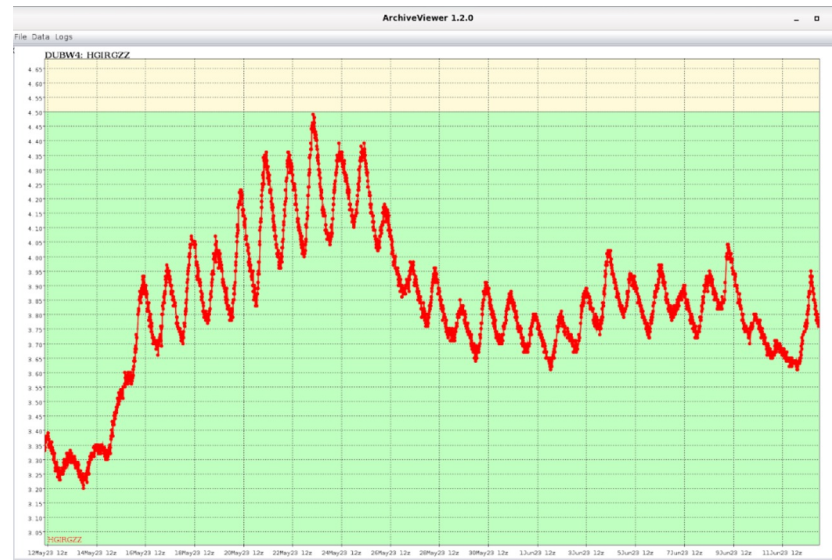
SWE peaked 28 April at 111% of 30-year median peak

SNOW WATER EQUIVALENT IN WIND

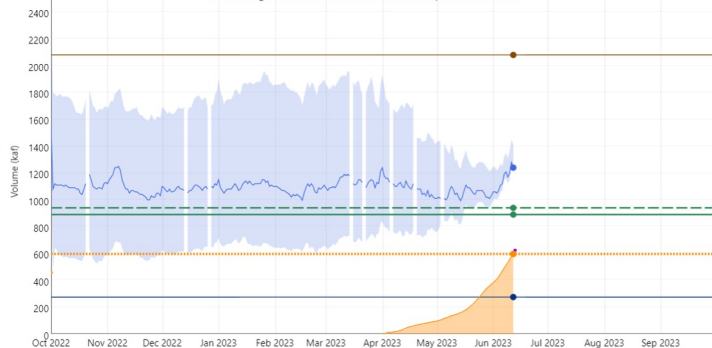


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No flooding along Wind due to melt runoff (FS=5.0' at Dubois)



Boysen Reservoir Inflow (SBDW4)
 Period: Apr-Sep, Official 50% Forecast (2023-06-01): 664 kaf (75% Average, 71% Median)
 ESP is Unregulated and Includes 120 Hour Precipitation Forecast



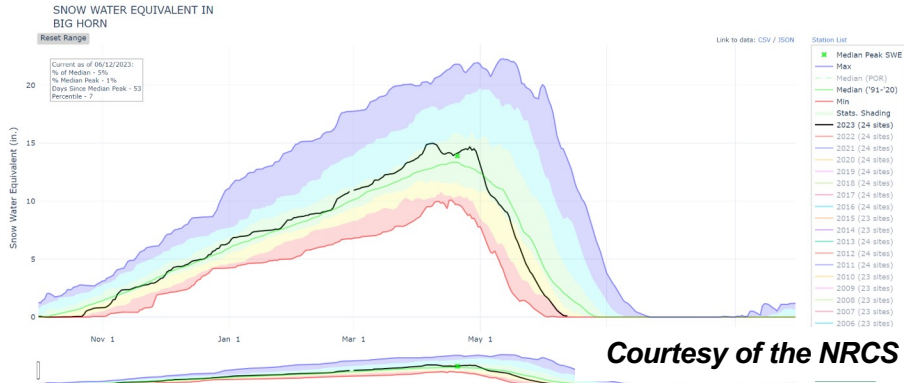
2023/06/12:
 Max: 2080
 Min: 275
 Average: 890
 Median: 940
 Observed: 596
 Accumulation: 596
 Observed Total: 596
 ESP: 1240

NWS April-Sept runoff forecast is 132% (1240 kAcFt) of 30-year median

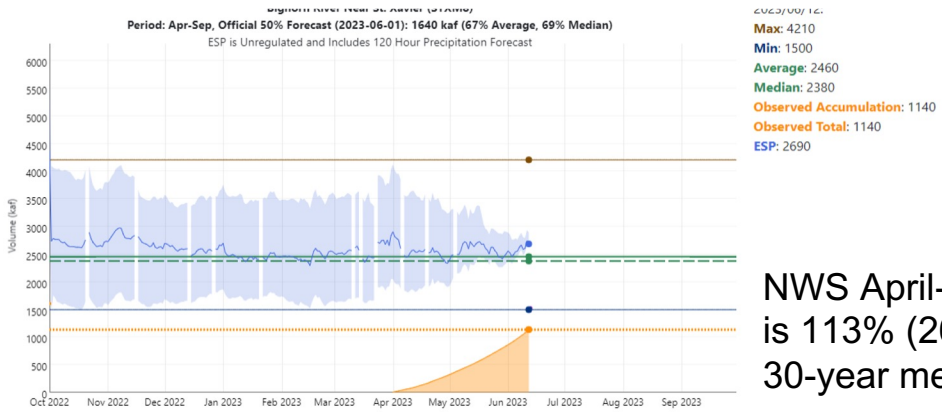
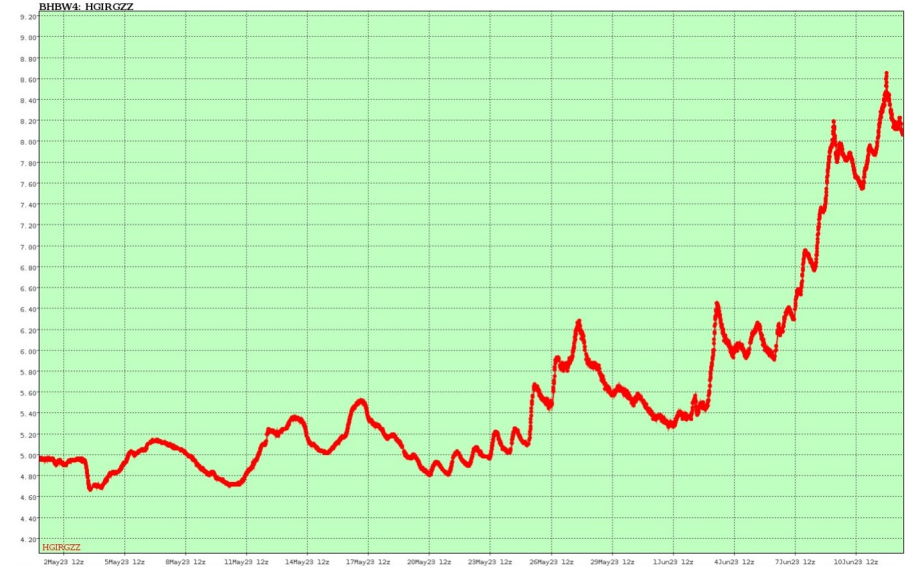


Bighorn River Basin

SWE peaked 09 April at 102% of 30-year median peak



No flooding along the Bighorn
(FS= 10.5' at Basin)



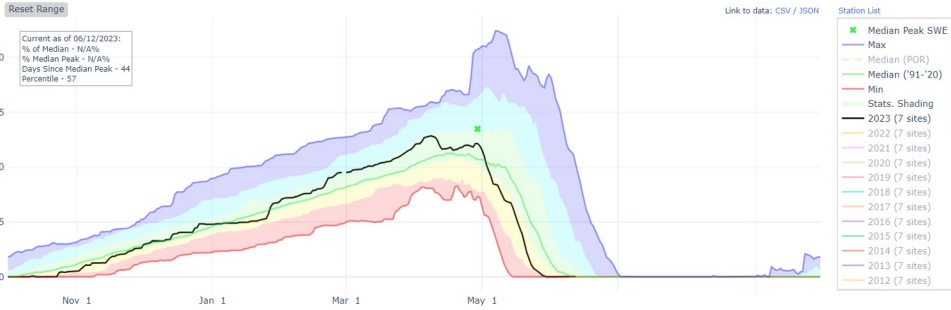
NWS April-Sept runoff forecast
is 113% (2690 kAcFt) of
30-year median



Tongue River Basin

SWE peaked 09 April at 95% of 30-year median peak

SNOW WATER EQUIVALENT IN TONGUE

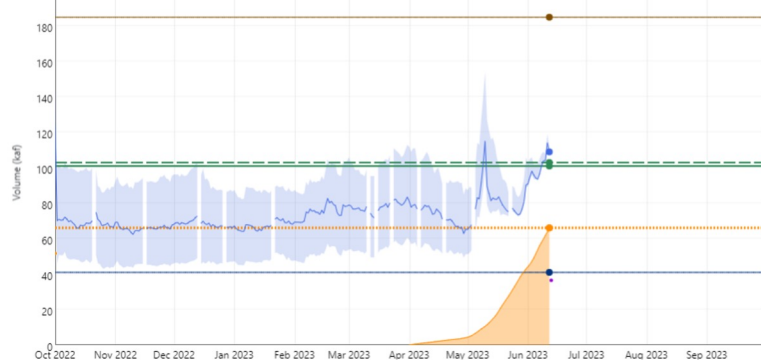


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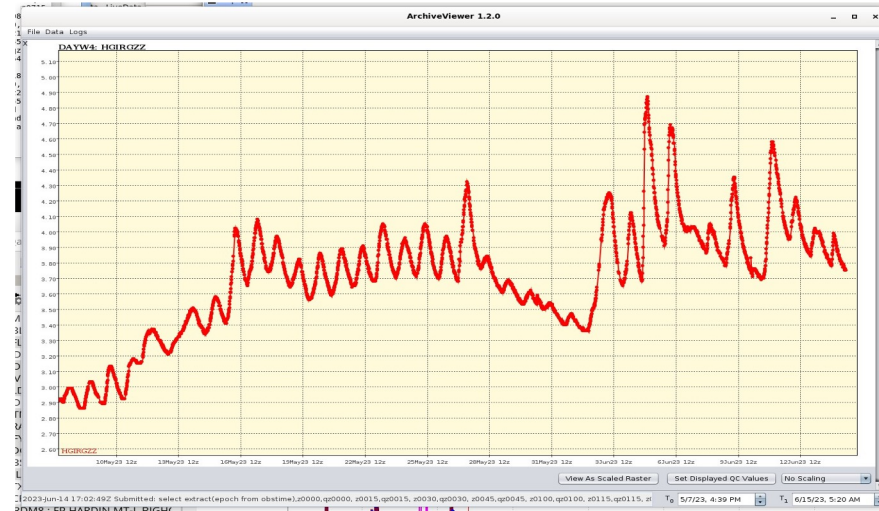
Tongue River Near Dayton (DAYW4)

Period: Apr-Sep, Official 50% Forecast (2023-06-01): 49 kaf (49% Average, 48% Median)
ESP is Unregulated and Includes 120 Hour Precipitation Forecast

2023/06/12:
Max: 185
Min: 41
Average: 101
Median: 103
Observed Accumulation: 66.1
Observed Total: 66.1
ESP: 109



No flooding along the Tongue River (NWS Action Stage = 6.0')

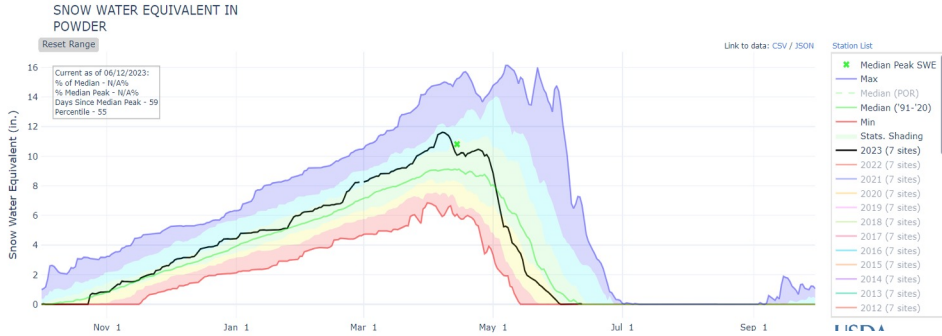


NWS April-Sept runoff forecast is 106% (109 kAcFt) of 30-year median

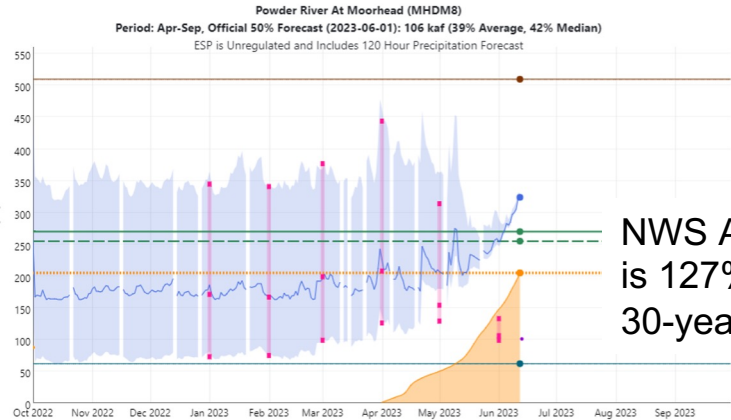


Powder River Basin

SWE peaked 08 April at 107% of 30-year median peak

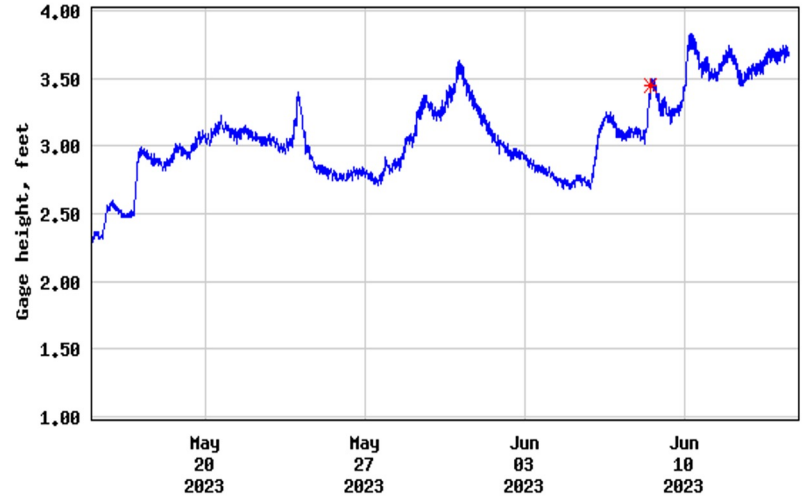


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NWS April-Sept runoff forecast is 127% (324 kAcFt) of 30-year median

USGS 06326500 Powder River near Locate MT



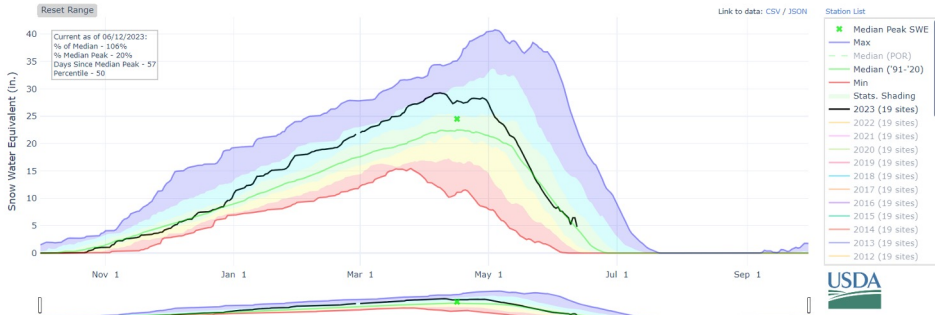
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North Platte River Basin

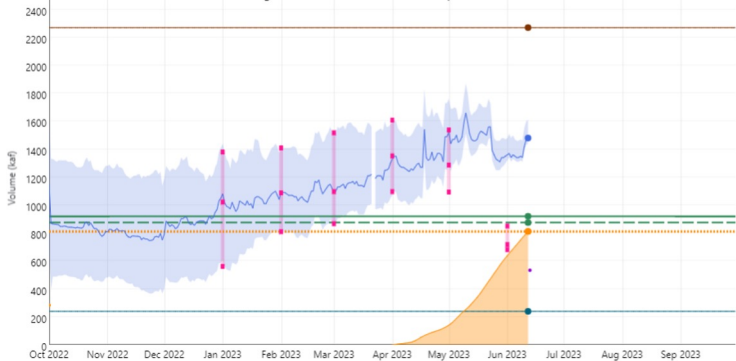
SWE peaked 08 April at 119% of 30-year median peak

SNOW WATER EQUIVALENT IN UPPER NORTH PLATTE



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Seminole Reservoir Inflow (SETW4)
 Period: Apr-Sep, Official 50% Forecast (2023-06-01): 718 kaf (78% Average, 82% Median)
 ESP is Unregulated and Includes 120 Hour Precipitation Forecast



NWS April-Sept runoff forecast is 168% (1480 kAcFt) of 30-year median

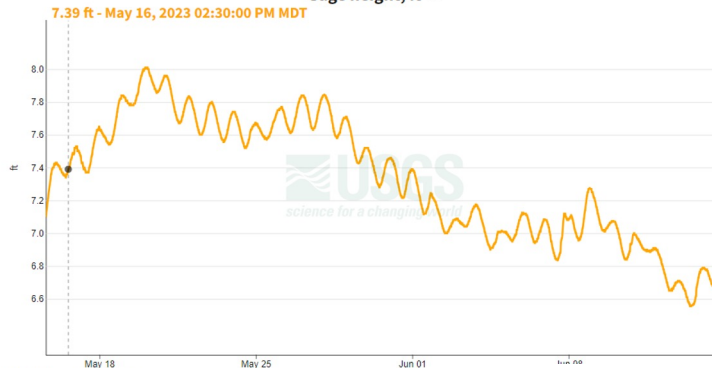
No flooding due to snowmelt along North Platte (FS= 9.0' at Sinclair)

N Platte Riv AB Seminoe Reservoir, NR Sinclair,

WY - 06630000

May 15, 2023 - June 14, 2023

Gage height, ft



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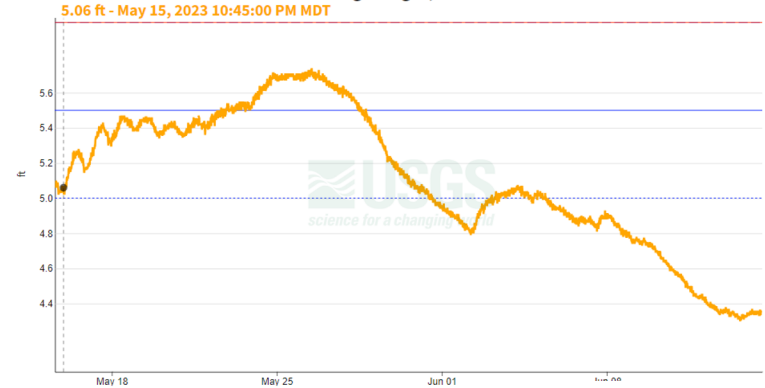
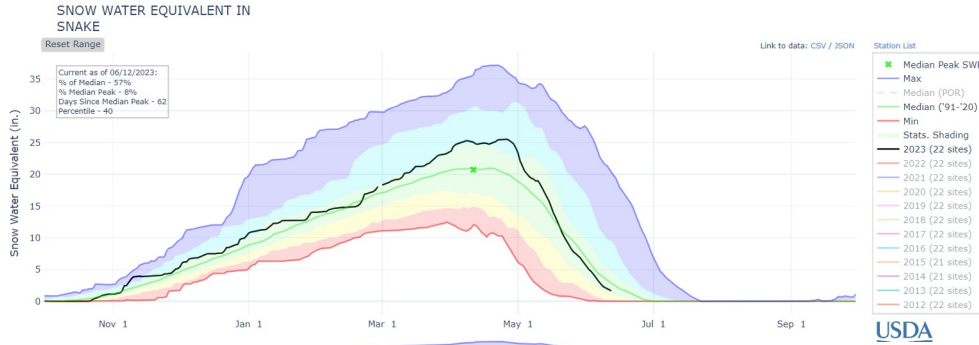


Snake River Basin

SWE peaked 26 April at 123% of 30-year median peak

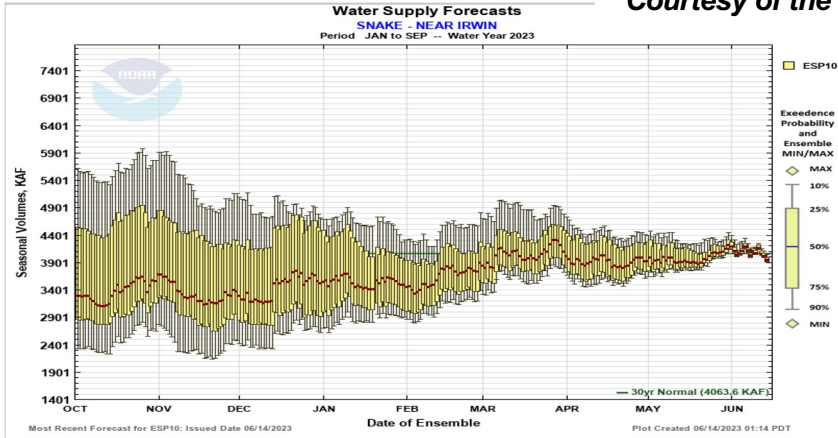
Flooding occurred on a trib to the Snake
Salt River Above Reservoir, Near Etna, WY - 13027500

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 Gage height, ft



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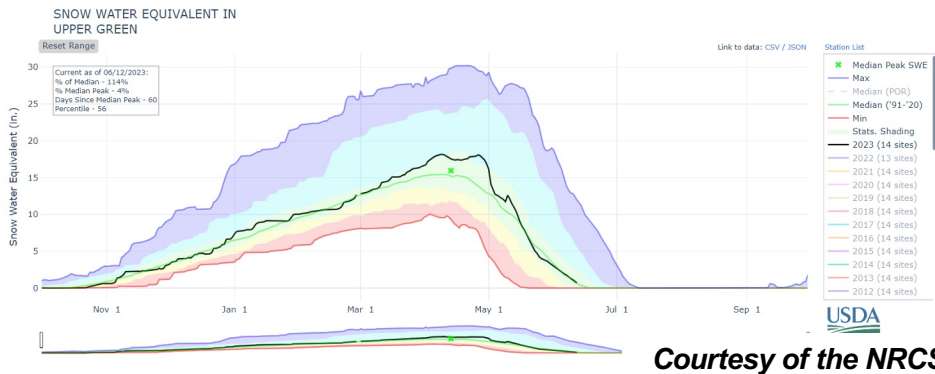


NWS April-Sept runoff forecast is 99% (3060 kAcFt) of 30-year median



Upper Green River Basin

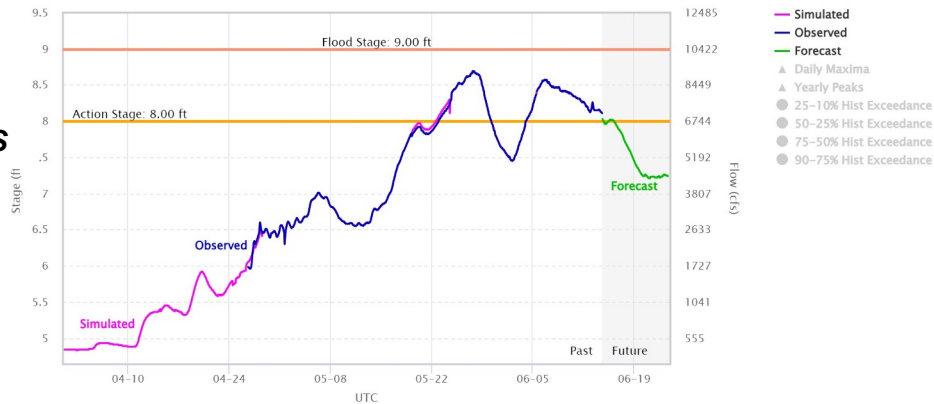
SWE peaked 26 April at 113% of 30-year median peak



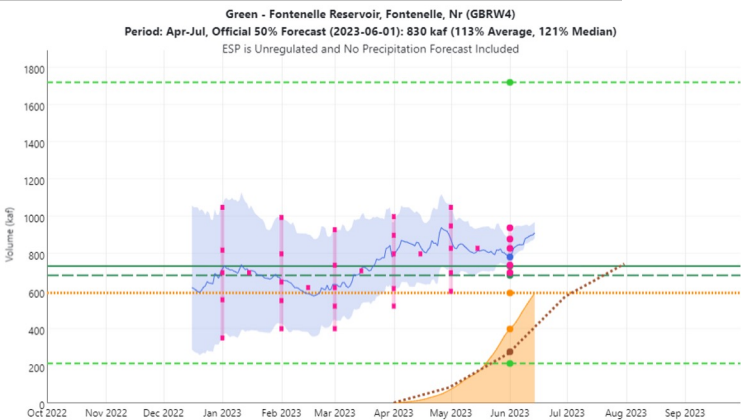
No flooding along the upper Green River

Forecast Hydrograph – Green – La Barge, Nr (LABW4) – NOAA/CBRFC

Fcst Date: 06/13/16Z – Latest Ob: 8.11 ft, 7106 cfs (06/14/14Z) – Flood: 9.0 ft, 10422 cfs – Action: 8.0 ft, 6744 cfs



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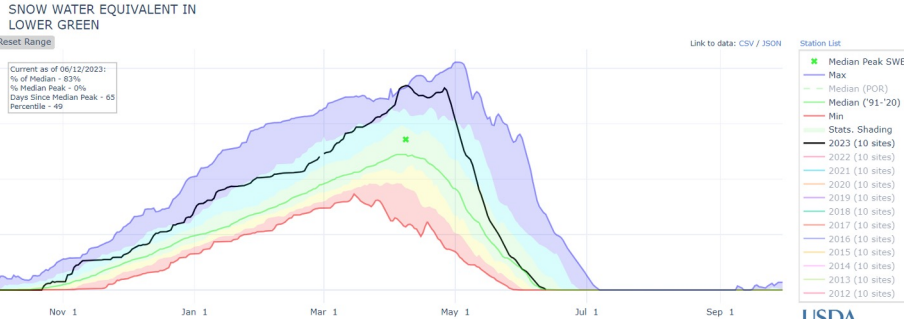
2023/06/01:
 Max 2017: 1719.17
 Min 1977: 213.31
 Average: 735
 Median: 685
 Observed Accumulation: 398
 Observed Total: 591
 Normal Accumulation: 276
 ESP: 784
 Official 10: 940
 Official 30: 880
 Official 50: 830
 Official 70: 740
 Official 90: 700

NWS April-Sept runoff forecast is 121% (830 kAcFt) of 30-year median

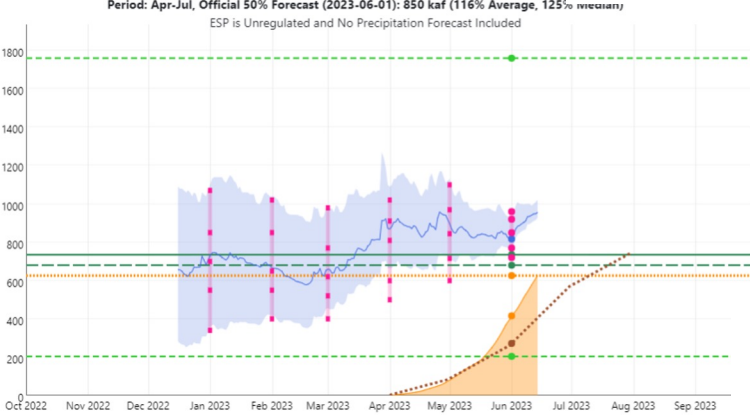


Lower Green River Basin

SWE peaked 08 April at 135% of 30-year median peak

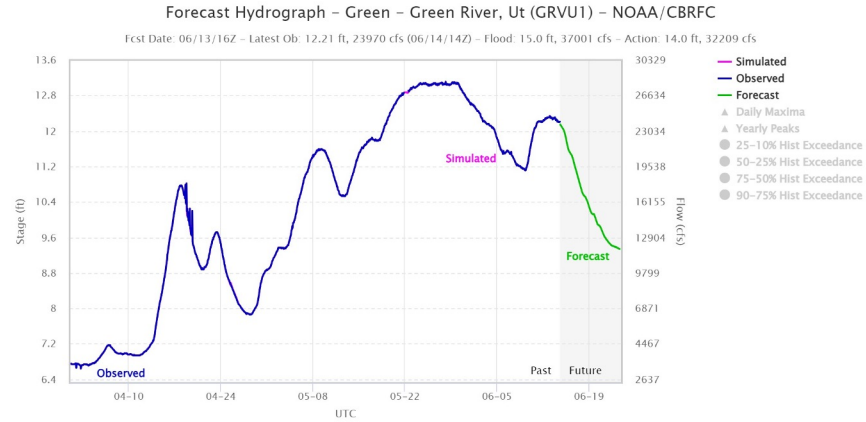


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- Max 2017: 1760.69
- Min 1977: 204.59
- Average: 735
- Median: 680
- Observed Accumulation: 416
- Observed Total: 626
- Normal Accumulation: 272
- ESP: 817
- Official 10: 960
- Official 30: 920
- Official 50: 850
- Official 70: 770
- Official 90: 720

No flooding along the lower Green River (FS=15' at Green River)



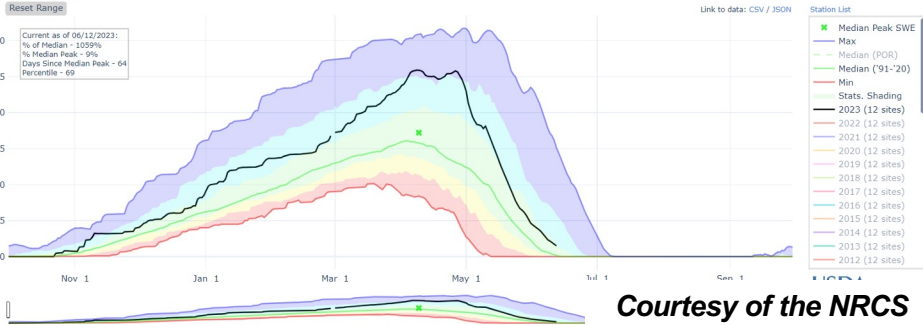
NWS April-Sept runoff forecast is 125% (850 kAcFt) of 30-year median



Bear River Basin

SWE peaked 09 April at 151% of 30-year median peak

SNOW WATER EQUIVALENT IN UPPER BEAR

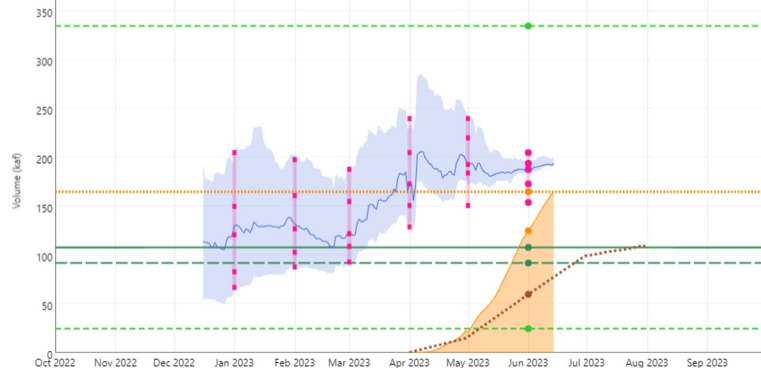


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Bear - Woodruff Narrows Rsvr, Abv (BEAW4)

Period: Apr-Jul, Official 50% Forecast (2023-06-01): 188 kaf (174% Average, 204% Median)
ESP is Unregulated and No Precipitation Forecast Included

2023/06/01:
Max 2011: 334.73
Min 1977: 24.73
Average: 108
Median: 92
Observed Accumulation: 125
Observed Total: 165
Normal Accumulation: 59.9
ESP: 188
Official 10: 205
Official 30: 194
Official 50: 188
Official 70: 173
Official 90: 154

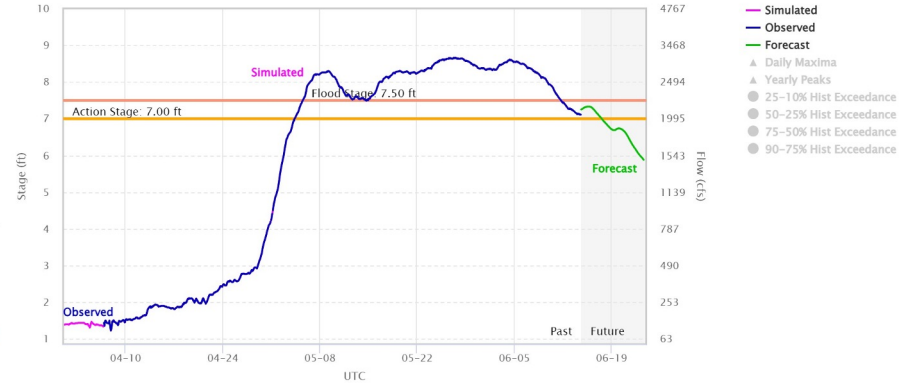


NWS April-Sept runoff forecast is 204% (188 kAcFt) of 30-year median

Bear River did see minor flooding

Forecast Hydrograph - Bear - Border (BRBW4) - NOAA/CBRFC

Fcst Date: 06/13/15Z - Latest Ob: 7.11 ft, 2048 cfs (06/14/14Z) - Flood: 7.5 ft, 2239 cfs - Action: 7.0 ft, 1995 cfs

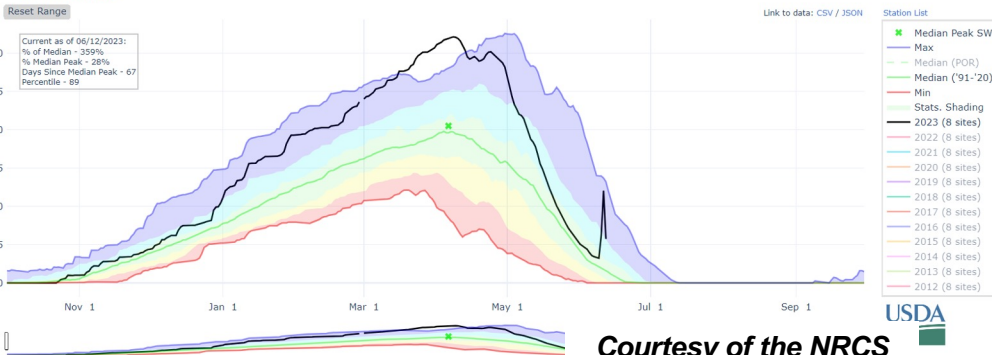




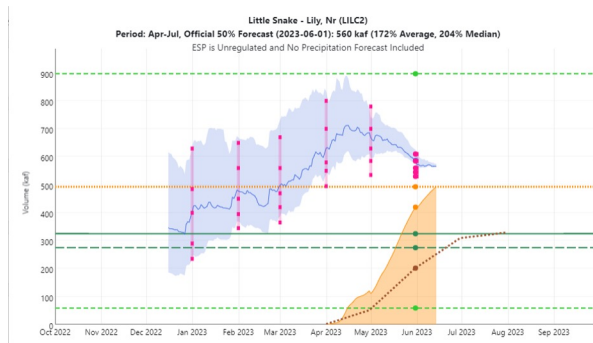
Little Snake River Basin

SWE peaked 09 April at 157% of 30-year median peak

SNOW WATER EQUIVALENT IN LITTLE SNAKE



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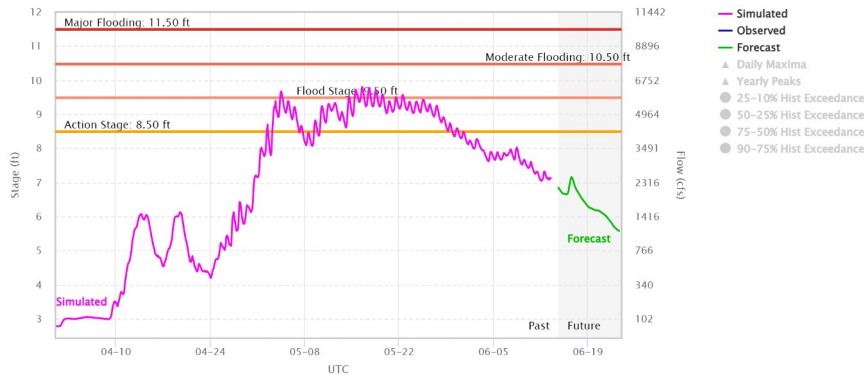


NWS April-Sept runoff forecast is 204% (560 kAcFt) of 30-year median

Little Snake did see minor flooding

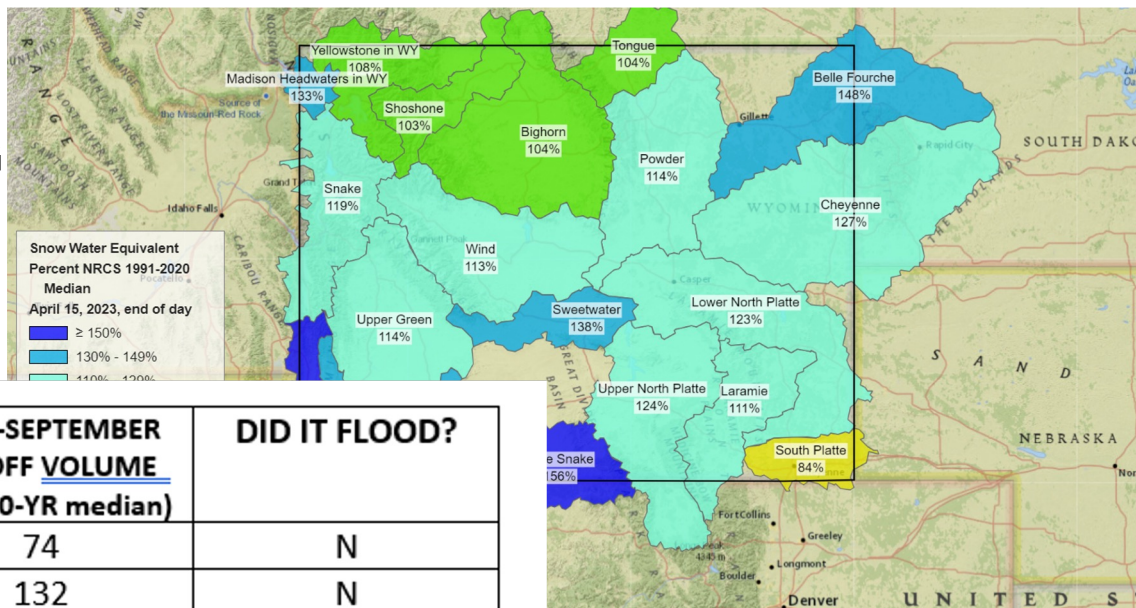
Forecast Hydrograph - Little Snake - Dixon, Nr (LSDW4) - NOAA/CBRFC

First Date: 06/13/15Z - Latest Ob: 7.13 ft, 2453 cfs (06/13/12Z) - Flood: 9.5 ft, 5818 cfs - Action: 8.5 ft, 4189 cfs





SUMMARY OF RUNOFF & FLOODING



BASIN	PEAK SWE (% OF 30-YEAR MEDIAN PEAK SWE)	APRIL-SEPTEMBER RUNOFF VOLUME (% of 30-YR median)	DID IT FLOOD?
YELLOWSTONE	109	74	N
WIND	111	132	N
BIGHORN	102	113	N
TONGUE	95	106	N
POWDER	107	127	?
NORTH PLATTE	119	168	N
SNAKE	123	99	Y
UPPER GREEN	113	121	N
LOWER GREEN	135	125	N
BEAR	151	204	Y
LITTLE SNAKE	157	204	Y



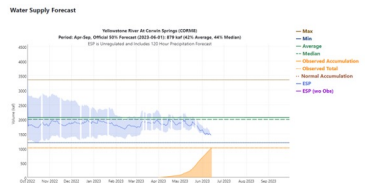
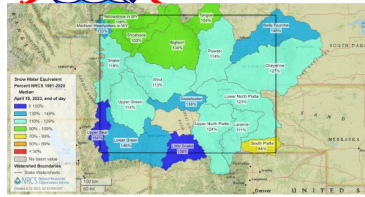
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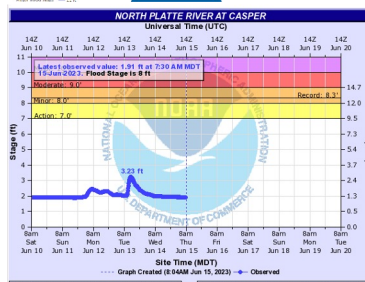
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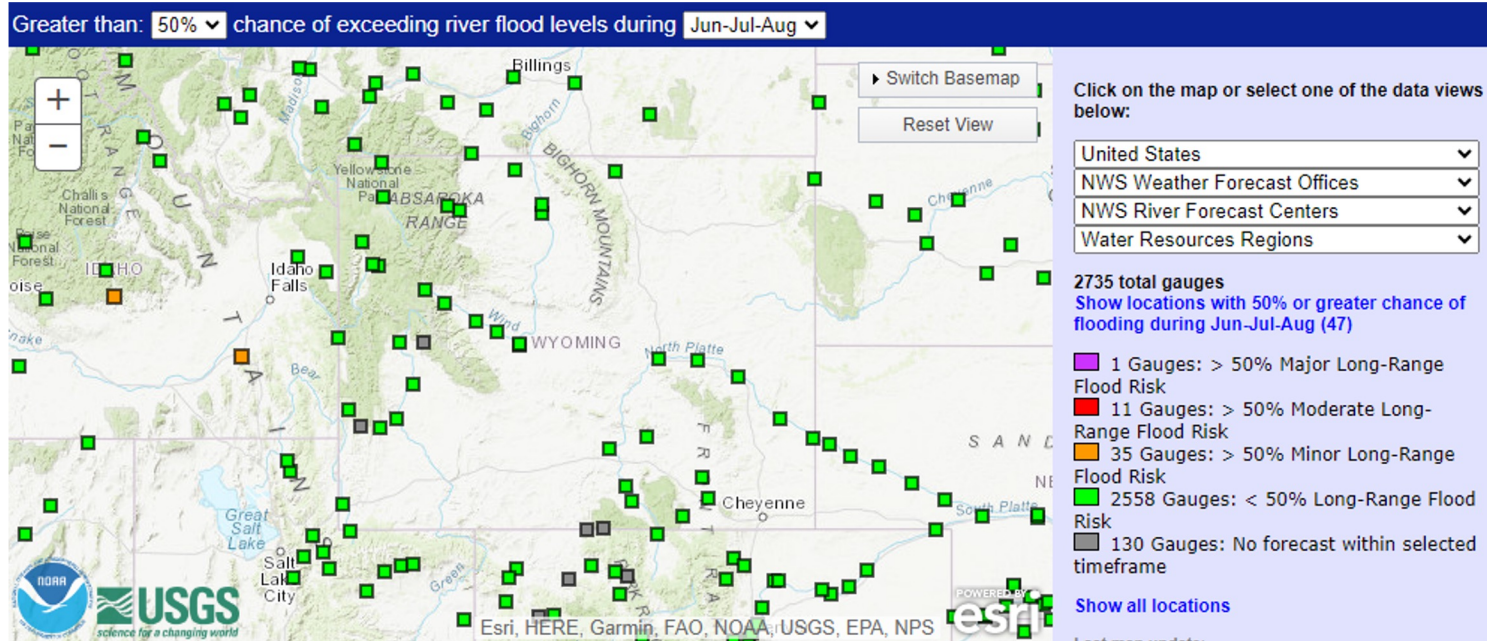


N Platte Riv AB Seminole Reservoir, NR Sinclair, WY - 06G30000
June 8, 2023 - June 15, 2023
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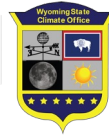




Flood Risk going forward



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