

PUBLIC INTEREST REVIEW FOR GROUND WATER APPLICATIONS

TO: Water Rights Section Date 11 March 2009
 FROM: Ground Water/Hydrology Section Gerald H. Grondin
Reviewer's Name
 SUBJECT: Application G-17177 Supersedes review of N.A.
Date of Review(s)

PUBLIC INTEREST PRESUMPTION; GROUNDWATER

OAR 690-310-130 (1) *The Department shall presume that a proposed groundwater use will ensure the preservation of the public welfare, safety and health as described in ORS 537.525.* Department staff review ground water applications under OAR 690-310-140 to determine whether the presumption is established. OAR 690-310-140 allows the proposed use be modified or conditioned to meet the presumption criteria. **This review is based upon available information and agency policies in place at the time of evaluation.**

A. GENERAL INFORMATION: Applicant's Name: Balin Farm Trust County: Klamath

A1. Applicant(s) seek(s) 1.00 (449 gpm) cfs from 1 well(s) in the Klamath Basin,
Lost River sub basin Quad Map: Merrill

A2. Proposed use: Irrigation (supplemental 76.1 acres) Seasonality: 1 April through 31 October (214 days)

A3. Well and aquifer data (attach and number logs for existing wells; mark proposed wells as such under logid):

Well	Logid	Applicant's Well #	Proposed Aquifer*	Proposed Rate(cfs)	Location (T/R-S QQ-Q)	Location, metes and bounds, e.g. 2250' N, 1200' E fr NW cor S 36
1	KLAM 52824	?	Basalt	1.00	40S/9E-sec 13 BBA	200' S, 1320' E fr NW cor S 13
2						

* Alluvium, CRB, Bedrock

Well	Well Elev ft msl	First Water ft bls	SWL ft bls	SWL Date	Well Depth (ft)	Seal Interval (ft)	Casing Intervals (ft)	Liner Interval s (ft)	Perforations Or Screens (ft)	Well Yield (gpm)	Draw Down (ft)	Test Type
1	4105	1121	46	07/21/01	1414	0 - 50 190 - 201	+1 - 202	None	None	3000	33	P
2												

Use data from application for proposed wells.

A4. **Comments:** _____

The application requests 1.00 cfs (449 gpm) for supplemental irrigation of 76.1 acres. Often, the allowed rate is 1/80 cfs per acre. For 76.1 acres, that would be 0.95 cfs (427 gpm).

The reported casing and seal in well KLAM 52824 is a split seal and it leaves exposed 868 feet of basin fill below the casing and above the basalt.. Ground water occurrence was not identified above 1121 feet. Ground water occurs in both the basin fill and the basalt. Other water well reports (well logs) for nearby wells report water bearing zones in the basin fill with first water less than 100 feet below land surface.

The well is also under files: G-15426 (drought permit G-14005), LL-554, G-15679 (permit G-15333).

This application is filed concurrently with application G-17178 (well KLAM 52797, also T40S/R09E-sec 13). Both ground water permit applications are for supplemental irrigation within the USBOR Klamath Project. A permit for supplemental irrigation (ground water when project surface water is not available) is one current qualification for participation in the USBOR water bank.

A5. Provisions of the N.A. Basin rules relative to the development, classification and/or management of ground water hydraulically connected to surface water are, or are not, activated by this application. (Not all basin rules contain such provisions.)

Comments: **No basin rule applies. Only the Klamath River Compact ORS 542.610 to 542.630 applies to the Klamath Basin. However, that compact applies to surface water only, not ground water**

A6. Well(s) # N.A., _____, _____, _____, _____, tap(s) an aquifer limited by an administrative restriction.

Name of administrative area: _____
 Comments: **Currently, no administrative area.**

B. GROUND WATER AVAILABILITY CONSIDERATIONS, OAR 690-310-130, 400-010, 410-0070

B1. **Based upon available data**, I have determined that ground water* for the proposed use:

- a. is over appropriated, is not over appropriated, or cannot be determined to be over appropriated during any period of the proposed use. * This finding is limited to the ground water portion of the over-appropriation determination as prescribed in OAR 690-310-130;
- b. will not or will likely be available in the amounts requested without injury to prior water rights. * This finding is limited to the ground water portion of the injury determination as prescribed in OAR 690-310-130;
- c. will not or will likely to be available within the capacity of the ground water resource; or
- d. will, if properly conditioned, avoid injury to existing ground water rights or to the ground water resource:
 - i. The permit should contain condition #(s) 7B and 7N and 7K
 - ii. The permit should be conditioned as indicated in item 2 below.
 - iii. The permit should contain special condition(s) as indicated in item 3 below;

- B2. a. **Condition** to allow ground water production from no deeper than _____ ft. below land surface;
- b. **Condition** to allow ground water production from no shallower than _____ ft. below land surface;
- c. **Condition** to allow ground water production only from the _____ ground water reservoir between approximately _____ ft. and _____ ft. below land surface;
- d. **Well reconstruction** is necessary to accomplish one or more of the above conditions. The problems that are likely to occur with this use and without reconstructing are cited below. Without reconstruction, I recommend withholding issuance of the permit until evidence of well reconstruction is filed with the Department and approved by the Ground Water Section.

Describe injury –as related to water availability– that is likely to occur without well reconstruction (interference w/ senior water rights, not within the capacity of the resource, etc): _____

B3. **Ground water availability remarks:** _____

Recommend conditions 7B and 7N and 7K (for blank 1: specify casing and seal depth to 1081 or greater at well KLAM 52824, and for blank 2: specify that the well may not allow ground water to be developed from the basin fill materials above the consolidated basalt.

Recommend condition saying: “The ground water reference level at well KLAM 52824 (well tag = L 29451) shall be 38.6 feet below land surface”

Data from the eastern Lost River sub-basin ground water investigation (Grondin, 2004) and the USGS-OWRD cooperative Upper Klamath Basin ground water investigation (Gannett and others, 2007) indicate basin long-term ground water levels are generally controlled by climate and short-term (seasonal) ground water levels are controlled by ground water use.

Additionally, the USGS (2005) has documented annual ground water level declines in the basin south of Upper Klamath Lake since 2001, including wells in the vicinity of Spring Lake. The declines are greater than typically observed during drought periods. Gannett and others (2007) noted annual declines from 2001 to 2004 of 10 to 15 feet in the Spring Lake area. They appear related to the USBOR Klamath Project Water Bank.

At this time, future ground water use for the USBOR water bank is uncertain, and it is uncertain whether the post-1999 ground water level declines in the Spring Lake vicinity will continue, stabilize at a lower level, or recover.

Ground water level measurements at two Balin wells (KLAM 52824 and KLAM 52797) in T40S/R09E-section 13 are on file at OWRD. The data is primarily after the year 2000. The measurements show seasonal fluctuations and annual ground water level declines since 2001 consistent with the USGS (2005) and Gannett and others (2007) observations noted above. The measurements show a net decline of 5 to 10 feet since 2002. The annual decline moderated with decreased USBOR water bank activity.

C. GROUND WATER/SURFACE WATER CONSIDERATIONS, OAR 690-09-040

C1. **690-09-040 (1):** Evaluation of aquifer confinement:

Well	Aquifer or Proposed Aquifer	Confined	Unconfined
1	Basalt	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Basis for aquifer confinement evaluation: _____

System is identified as generally unconfined with discontinuous low permeability layers causing local (discontinuous, limited) confinement. Generally, low transmissivity (low permeability) sediment of varying thickness overlies high transmissivity (high permeability) basalt. Ground water occurs in both the sediment and basalt.

Water well reports (well logs) for wells in the Spring Lake vicinity indicate the sediment thickness varies from less than 25 feet to more than 1000 feet.

C2. **690-09-040 (2) (3):** Evaluation of distance to, and hydraulic connection with, surface water sources. All wells located a horizontal distance less than ¼ mile from a surface water source that produce water from an unconfined aquifer shall be assumed to be hydraulically connected to the surface water source. Include in this table any streams located beyond one mile that are evaluated for PSI.

Well	SW #	Surface Water Name	GW Elev ft msl	SW Elev ft msl	Distance (ft)	Hydraulically Connected?			Potential for Subst. Interfer. Assumed?	
						YES	NO	ASSUMED	YES	NO
1	1	Lost River	4065	4070	7500	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
1	2	Klamath River	4065	4080	35100	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
						<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Basis for aquifer hydraulic connection evaluation: _____

Ground water elevation is based upon OWRD measurement at KLAM 52824 on 26 March 2003 (SWL = 38.57 blsd).

The ground water elevation measurement used here occurred prior to a seasonal decline due to seasonal ground water use in the area, prior to annual ground water level declines in the area related to ground water use for the USBOR water bank, but after the onset of smaller annual ground water declines related to climate.

Gannett and others (2007) show ground water flow from the uplands north, west, and east of the Spring Lake vicinity toward the Lost River and Tule Lake. This includes flow across the proposed well site. Generally in the Upper Klamath Basin, ground water and surface water are hydraulically connected.

Given available data, it appears ground water at the proposed well (KLAM 52824) is hydraulically connected to the Lost River and the Klamath River. The connection with the Lost River appears to be primarily at the nearest reach and north. Further south towards Merrill, it appears the ground water elevation drops below the Lost River.

Water Availability Basin the well(s) are located within: LOST R > TULE L – AT STATE LINE
KLAMATH R > PACIFIC OCEAN - AB JOHN C BOYLE RES

C3a. **690-09-040 (4):** Evaluation of stream impacts for each well that has been determined or assumed to be **hydraulically connected and less than 1 mile** from a surface water source. Limit evaluation to instream rights and minimum stream flows that are pertinent to that surface water source, and not lower SW sources to which the stream under evaluation is tributary. Compare the requested rate against the 1% of 80% *natural* flow for the pertinent Water Availability Basin (WAB). If Q is not distributed by well, use full rate for each well. Any checked box indicates the well is assumed to have the potential to cause PSI.

Well	SW #	Well < 1/4 mile?	Qw > 5 cfs?	Instream Water Right ID	Instream Water Right Q (cfs)	Qw > 1% ISWR?	80% Natural Flow (cfs)	Qw > 1% of 80% Natural Flow?	Interference @ 30 days (%)	Potential for Subst. Interfer. Assumed?
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>

C3b. **690-09-040 (4):** Evaluation of stream impacts by total appropriation for all wells determined or assumed to be **hydraulically connected and less than 1 mile** from a surface water source. **Complete only if Q is distributed among wells.** Otherwise same evaluation and limitations apply as in C3a above.

	SW #		Qw > 5 cfs?	Instream Water Right ID	Instream Water Right Q (cfs)	Qw > 1% ISWR?	80% Natural Flow (cfs)	Qw > 1% of 80% Natural Flow?	Interference @ 30 days (%)	Potential for Subst. Interfer. Assumed?
			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments: _____

Well KLAM 52824 is more than 1.00 mile from the Lost River and the Klamath River.

C4a. **690-09-040 (5):** Estimated impacts on **hydraulically connected surface water sources greater than one mile** as a percentage of the proposed pumping rate. Limit evaluation to the effects that will occur up to one year after pumping begins. This table encompasses the considerations required by 09-040 (5)(a), (b), (c) and (d), which are not included on this form. Use additional sheets if calculated flows from more than one WAB are required.

Non-Distributed Wells													
Well	SW#	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
1	1	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.2%	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	0.5%	0.5%	0.6%	0.5%	0.5%
Well Q as CFS		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.00	0.00
Interference CFS		0.005	0.005	0.005	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.005	0.005
Distributed Wells													
Well	SW#	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Well Q as CFS													
Interference CFS													
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Well Q as CFS													
Interference CFS													
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Well Q as CFS													
Interference CFS													
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Well Q as CFS													
Interference CFS													
(A) = Total Interf.		0.005	0.005	0.005	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.005	0.005
(B) = 80 % Nat. Q		182.0	403.0	453.0	336.0	223.0	139.0	124.0	110.0	97.00	95.40	104.0	151.0
(C) = 1 % Nat. Q		1.820	4.030	4.530	3.360	2.230	1.390	1.240	1.100	0.970	0.954	1.040	1.510
(D) = (A) > (C)		No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
(E) = (A / B) x 100		0.003	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.003	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.005	0.003

(A) = total interference as CFS; (B) = WAB calculated natural flow at 80% exceed. as CFS; (C) = 1% of calculated natural flow at 80% exceed. as CFS; (D) = highlight the checkmark for each month where (A) is greater than (C); (E) = total interference divided by 80% flow as percentage.

Basis for impact evaluation: _____

Well KLAM 52824 is more than 1.00 mile from the Lost River.

Given available data, it appears ground water at the proposed well (KLAM 52824) is hydraulically connected to the Lost River. The connection with the Lost River appears to be primarily at the nearest reach and north. Further south towards Merrill, it appears the ground water elevation drops below the Lost River.

Interference at the Lost River was calculated using Hunt (2003) given the well obtains ground water predominantly from basalt below basin fill. The basin fill in this vicinity near the Lost River likely exceeds 500 feet thickness, but thins to less than 100 feet near the upland areas. The values used in the model were basalt transmissivity of 26,300 ft²/day (based upon specific capacity data for proposed well KLAM 52824 and is within the range of values in Gannett and others (2007)), an intermediate storage coefficient of 0.001, basin fill thickness of 1,000 based on KLAM 52824 with a hydraulic conductivity of 2.09 ft/day based upon Upper Lost River sub-basin data.

The potential interference with distant springs to the northeast (west of Olene Gap) was not evaluated due conditions that exceed assumptions and capabilities of models currently available for analyses.

C4a. **690-09-040 (5):** Estimated impacts on **hydraulically connected surface water sources greater than one mile** as a percentage of the proposed pumping rate. Limit evaluation to the effects that will occur up to one year after pumping begins. This table encompasses the considerations required by 09-040 (5)(a), (b), (c) and (d), which are not included on this form. Use additional sheets if calculated flows from more than one WAB are required.

Non-Distributed Wells													
Well	SW#	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
1	2	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Well Q as CFS		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.00	0.00
Interference CFS		0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Distributed Wells													
Well	SW#	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Well Q as CFS													
Interference CFS													
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Well Q as CFS													
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Well Q as CFS													
Interference CFS													
(A) = Total Interf.		0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
(B) = 80 % Nat. Q		1470.	1530.	1710.	2240.	2110.	1670.	1180.	915.0	831.0	810.0	955.0	1240.
(C) = 1 % Nat. Q		14.70	15.30	17.10	22.40	21.10	16.70	11.80	9.150	8.310	8.100	9.550	12.40
(D) = (A) > (C)		No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
(E) = (A / B) x 100		0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000

(A) = total interference as CFS; (B) = WAB calculated natural flow at 80% exceed. as CFS; (C) = 1% of calculated natural flow at 80% exceed. as CFS; (D) = highlight the checkmark for each month where (A) is greater than (C); (E) = total interference divided by 80% flow as percentage.

Basis for impact evaluation: _____

Well KLAM 52824 is more than 1.00 mile from the Klamath River.

Given available data, it appears ground water at the proposed well (KLAM 52824) is hydraulically connected to the Klamath River.

Interference at the Klamath River was calculated using Hunt (2003) given the well obtains ground water predominantly from basalt below basin fill. The basin fill near the Klamath River is about 100 feet thick, but thickening toward the valley and thinning toward upland areas. The values used in the model were basalt transmissivity of 26,300 ft²/day (based upon specific capacity data for proposed well KLAM 52824 and is within the range of values in Gannett and others (2007)), an intermediate storage coefficient of 0.001, basin fill thickness of 100 based on well log data for wells near the nearest reach of the Klamath River with a hydraulic conductivity of 2.09 ft/day based upon Upper Lost River sub-basin data.

C4b. **690-09-040 (5) (b)** The potential to impair or detrimentally affect the public interest is to be determined by the Water Rights Section.

- C5. **If properly conditioned**, the surface water source(s) can be adequately protected from interference, and/or ground water use under this permit can be regulated if it is found to substantially interfere with surface water:
- i. The permit should contain condition #(s) _____;
 - ii. The permit should contain special condition(s) as indicated in "Remarks" below;

C6. SW / GW Remarks and Conditions _____

Recommend conditions 7B and 7N and 7J and 7K (for blank 1: specify casing and seal depth to 1081 or greater at well KLAM 52824, and for blank 2: specify that the well may not allow ground water to be developed from the basin fill materials above the consolidated basalt).

If a permit is issued, include condition saying: "The ground water reference level at well KLAM 52824 (well tag = L 29451) shall be 38.6 feet below land surface"

References Used: _____

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Hydrographs and ground water level data for wells KLAM 52824, KLAM 52797

Water well reports (well logs) for wells within T40S/R09E-sec 13, T40S/R10E-sec 6 & 7, T40S/R08E-sec 1, 2, 3, 11,12

USGS Lost River quadrangle map (1:24,000 scale)

D. WELL CONSTRUCTION, OAR 690-200

D1. Well #: 1 Logid: KLAM 52824

D2. **THE WELL does not meet current well construction standards based upon:**

- a. review of the well log;
- b. field inspection by _____;
- c. report of CWRE _____;
- d. other: (specify) _____

D3. **THE WELL construction deficiency:**

- a. constitutes a health threat under Division 200 rules;
- b. commingles water from more than one ground water reservoir;
- c. permits the loss of artesian head;
- d. permits the de-watering of one or more ground water reservoirs;
- e. other: (specify) _____

D4. **THE WELL construction deficiency is described as follows:** _____

- D5. **THE WELL**
- a. was, or was not constructed according to the standards in effect at the time of original construction or most recent modification.
 - b. I don't know if it met standards at the time of construction.

Comment: _____

No need to route to enforcement. Meeting well construction permit condition 7K (blank 1: specify casing and seal depth to 1081 or greater at well KLAM 52824, and blank 2: specify that the well may not allow ground water to be developed from the basin fill materials above the consolidated basalt) for well KLAM 52824 (well tag = L 29451) and subsequent OWRD Enforcement Section review of the water well report that will be filed should address well construction standards. The condition as recommended is consistent with OAR 690-210-0150 (Sealing of Water Supply Wells in Consolidated Formations).

D6. Route to the Enforcement Section.

THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL

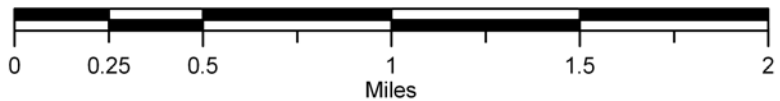
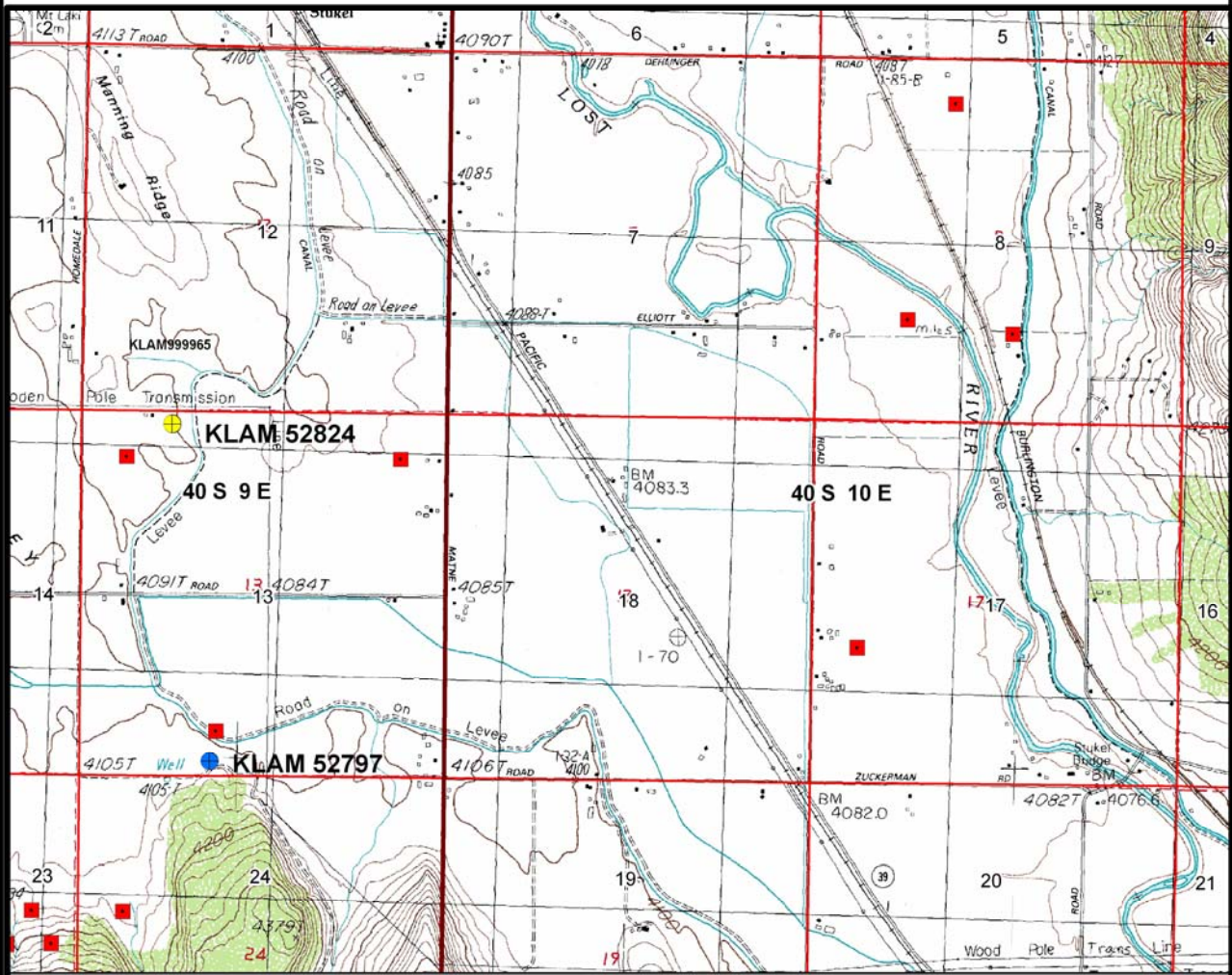
D7. Well construction deficiency has been corrected by the following actions: _____

_____, 200_____.

(Enforcement Section Signature)

D8. Route to Water Rights Section (attach well reconstruction logs to this page).

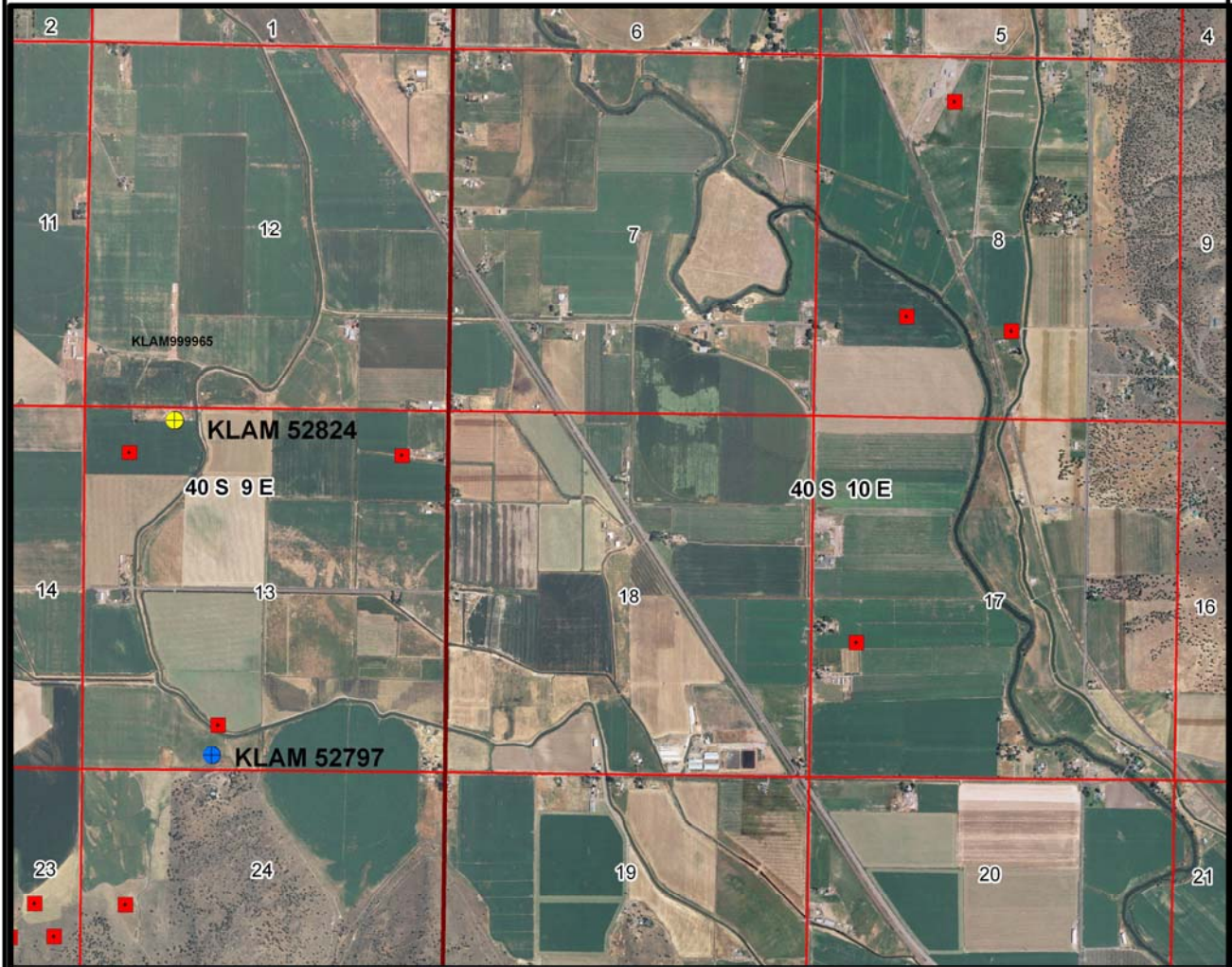
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Yellow = Proposed Well (KLAM 52824)
Red & Blue = Other Wells (many = qtr qtr location)
Green = Surface Water Rights



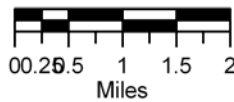
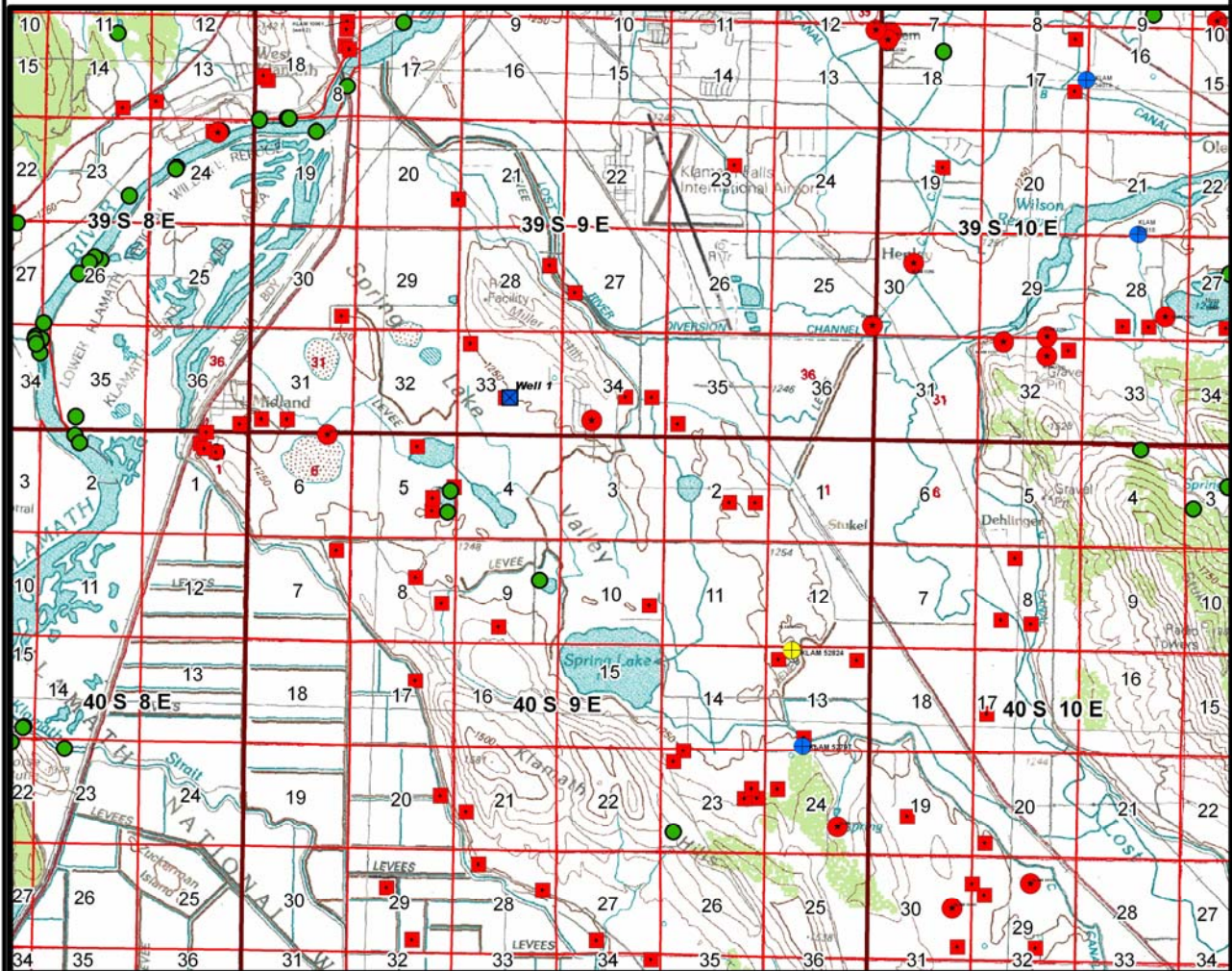
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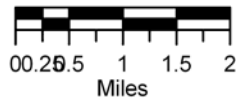
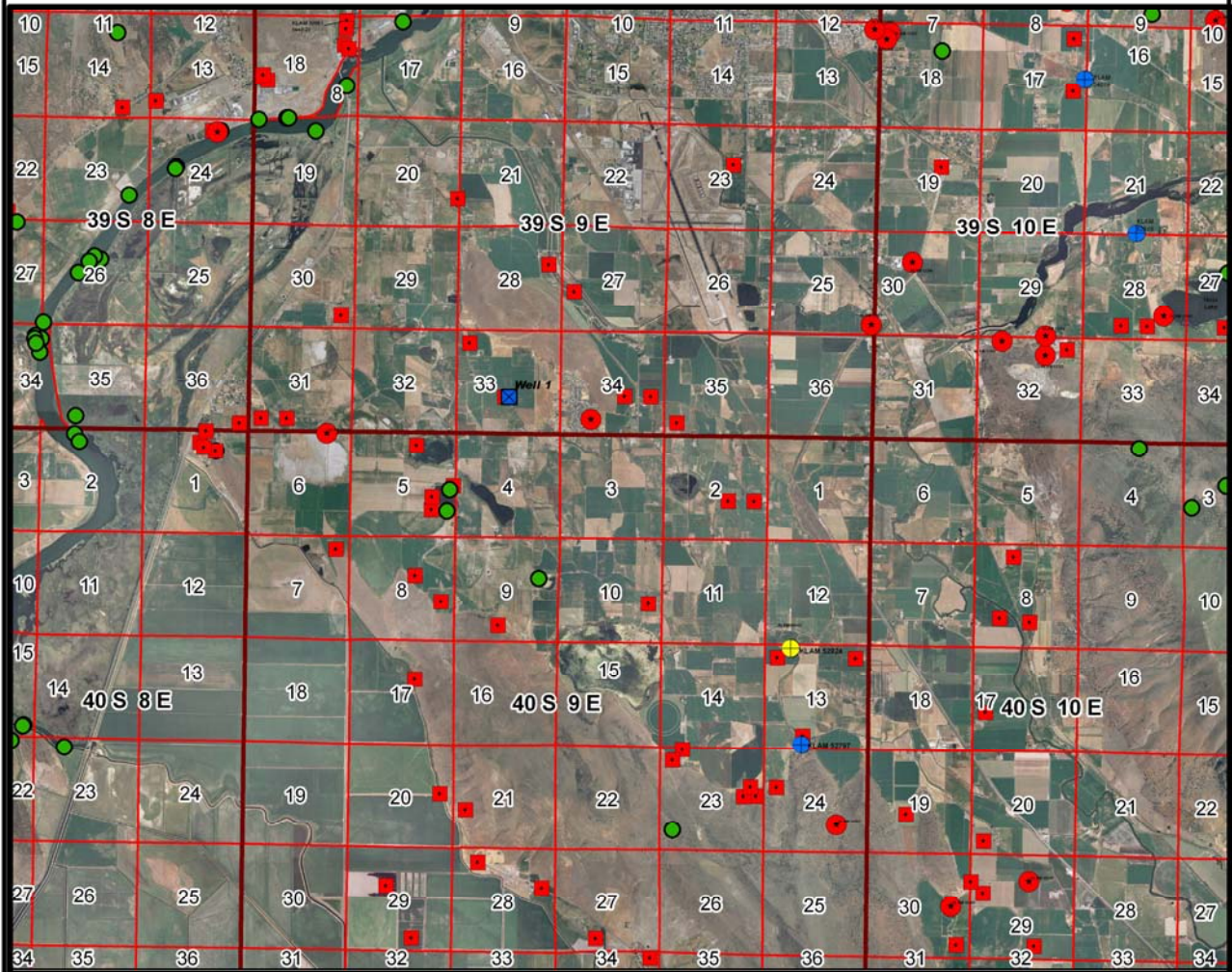
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KLAM 52824

STATE OF OREGON WATER SUPPLY WELL REPORT (as required by ORS 537.765)

WELL I.D. # L 27451 START CARD # 107251

Instructions for completing this report are on the last page of this form.

(1) OWNER: Well Number Name BALU RANCHES Address 13600 HOMEDALE RD City KUMMATH FALLS State ORE Zip 97603

(2) TYPE OF WORK [X] New Well [] Deepening [] Alteration (repair/recondition) [] Abandonment

(3) DRILL METHOD: [] Rotary Air [X] Rotary Mud [] Cable [] Auger [] Other

(4) PROPOSED USE: [] Domestic [] Community [] Industrial [X] Irrigation [] Thermal [] Injection [] Livestock [] Other

(5) BORE HOLE CONSTRUCTION: Special Construction approval [] Yes [X] No Depth of Completed Well 1414 ft. Explosives used [] Yes [X] No Type Amount

HOLE SEAL table with columns for Diameter, From, To, Material, Sacks or pounds

How was seal placed: Method [] A [] B [X] C [] D [] E [] Other 8 7/4" HOLE 1108 - 1414

(6) CASING/LINER: table with columns for Diameter, From, To, Gauge, Steel, Plastic, Welded, Threaded

(7) PERFORATIONS/SCREENS: table with columns for From, To, Slot size, Number, Diameter, Material, Casing, Liner

(8) WELL TESTS: Minimum testing time is 1 hour [X] Pump [] Bailer [] Air [] Flowing Artesian Yield gal/min Drawdown Drill stem at Time

(9) LOCATION OF WELL by legal description: County KUMMATH Latitude Longitude Township 40 S N or S Range 9 E E or W. WM. Section 12 SW 1/4 SW 1/4 Tax Lot 4009 Lot 01200 Block 01200 Subdivision 000 Street Address of Well (or nearest address) 13600 HOMEDALE K. FALLS ORE

(10) STATIC WATER LEVEL: 46 ft. below land surface. Date 7/20/01 Artesian pressure lb. per square inch. Date

(11) WATER BEARING ZONES: Depth at which water was first found 1121 FT

Table with columns: From, To, Estimated Flow Rate, SWL

(12) WELL LOG: Ground Elevation

Table with columns: Material, From, To, SWL. Includes RECEIVED stamp dated JUL 31 2001 and WATER RESOURCES DEPT SALEM, OREGON

Date started 6/20/01 Completed 7/20/01

(bonded) Water Well Constructor Certification: I certify that the work I performed on the construction, alteration, or abandonment of this well is in compliance with Oregon water supply well construction standards.

(bonded) Water Well Constructor Certification: I accept responsibility for the construction, alteration, or abandonment work performed on this well during the construction dates reported above.

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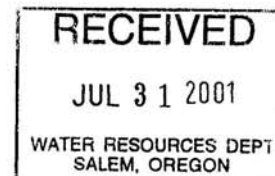


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 FINISH: July 20, 2001

WELL LOCATION: ¼ mile North of the O'Connor RD. & Homedale Rd. intersection; ¼ mile east of Homedale Rd.
 SW¼ SW¼ S12 T40S R9E

LOG

0 - 3	Brown top soil
3 - 9	Brown shale & hard pan
9 - 12	Hard pan with brown clay & fine gravel
12 - 19	Brown shale
19 - 32	Sandy yellow clay
32 - 98	Brown sandstone
98 - 138	Brown sandy clay
138 - 1070	Gray clay
1070 - 1076	Decomposed black lava with streaks black clay
1076 - 1114	Black basalt
1114 - 1116	Gray basalt
1116 - 1142	Black basalt
1142 - 1145	Gray basalt
1145 - 1146	Black basalt
1146 - 1147	Hard broken black basalt
1147 - 1160	Black basalt
1160 - 1177	Gray basalt
1177 - 1180	Black basalt
1180 - 1187	Hard gray basalt
1187 - 1201	Black basalt
1201 - 1208	Hard gray basalt
1208 - 1210	Hard broken gray basalt
1210 - 1216	Hard gray basalt
1216 - 1221	Black basalt
1221 - 1224	Hard gray basalt
1224 - 1231	Hard broken gray basalt
1231 - 1236	Black basalt
1236 - 1238	Gray basalt
1238 - 1248	Brown basalt
1248 - 1249	Hard black basalt
1249 - 1259	Black basalt
1259 - 1269	Gray basalt
1269 - 1278	Brown basalt with bubbly black basalt
1278 - 1292	Hard gray basalt
1292 - 1295	Broken gray basalt



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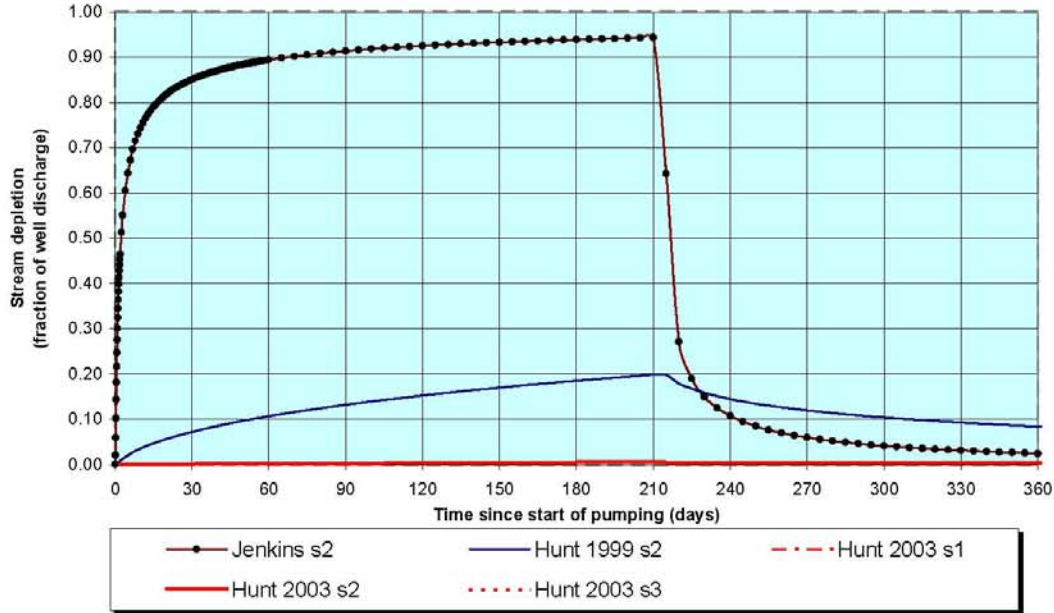
1295 - 1299	Brown lava
1299 - 1302	Black basalt
1302 - 1331	Brown Ash rock
1331 - 1335	Gray basalt
1335 - 1359	Brown ash rock
1359 - 1364	Broken gray basalt
1364 - 1369	Black basalt
1369 - 1376	Hard gray basalt
1376 - 1380	Black basalt
1380 - 1384	Gray basalt
1384 - 1398	Black basalt
1398 - 1414	Brown & black basalt



202 feet 6 inches of 16 inch O. D. x .250 wall steel casing set and cemented at 201½ feet.
22 inch diameter hole drilled from 0 - 201 feet to set casing; 16 inch diameter hole from 201 - 1083 feet;
12¼ inch diameter hole from 1083 - 1108 feet; 8¾ inch diameter hole from 1108 - 1414 feet.
Static water level 46 feet; Temperature 77° Fahrenheit
Test pumped 3000 GPM at 79 feet: Specific capacity is 91 gallons per minute per foot of drawdown.

Transmissivity from Specific Capacity using the Theis Equation Adapted from Vanis (1979)		Data Entry		Enter Data Below (yellow boxes only)						
<p>Theis Equation: $T = \frac{Q}{4\pi u} (1 - W(u))$ $u = \frac{r^2 S}{4Tt}$ $W(u) = (-\gamma) \text{Ei}(-0.5772157 - \gamma + 1) \frac{u}{2.303} + \gamma \frac{u}{2.303} (0.5772157 - \gamma + 1) + \int_0^u \frac{e^{-t}}{t} dt$</p> <p>T = transmissivity (L²/T) S = drawdown (L) r = radial distance (L) t = time (T) u = dimensionless W(u) = well function</p> <p>Note: Transmissivity is derived using an iterative process The radius used is the one or assumed Storage Coefficient (S) provided by the user Specific Capacity (SC) is used to determine the Transmissivity (T) used to calculate u in the first Theis equation iteration The Transmissivity of the previous iteration is used to calculate u in a given Theis equation iteration Until Theis Equation is calculated, Transmissivity for the last 2 iterations is < 0.0001 Can accept answer if u in the last iteration is < 7.1</p>		<p>Well Log ID or Comment for Records</p> <p>Pumping Rate (gpm) = Q =</p> <p>Drawdown (feet) = s =</p> <p>Time (hours) = t =</p> <p>Storage Coefficient = S =</p> <p>Well Diameter (inches) = d =</p>		<p>KLH 52824</p> <p>3,000.00</p> <p>33.00</p> <p>8,0000</p> <p>0.000500</p> <p>12,0000</p> <p>Press F9 to Calculate</p>						
<p>Note: Well efficiency is not included in the calculations</p> <p>References: Theis, C.V. 1935. The relation between the lowering of the piezometric surface and the rate and duration of discharge of a well using ground water storage. American Geophysical Union Transactions, 16 annual meeting, vol. 16, pp. 519-524. Vanis, R.C. 1979. Transmissivity from pumped well data. Well Log, National Water Well Association newsletter, vol. 10, no. 11, Dec. 1979, pp. 50-52.</p>		<p>Calculated Results</p> <p>Transmissivity (ft²/day) = T =</p> <p>Transmissivity (gpd/ft) = T =</p> <p>Transmissivity Difference = (last 2 iterations)</p> <p>u = (last iteration)</p>		<p>25,284.50</p> <p>195,622.45</p> <p>0.0000E+00</p> <p>okay to use T if diff < 0.0001</p> <p>3,5667E-09</p> <p>okay to use T if u < 7.1</p>						
Drawdown s (feet)	Storage Coefficient S	Pumping Rate Q (gal/min)	Time t (days)	Distance r = d/2 (feet)	u	W(u)	Transmissivity T (ft ² /day)	Transmissivity difference from previous	Comments	Theis Equation Iteration
33.00	0.00050	3,000.00	0.33	0.50	7.0000	1.1545E-04	17,500.00		W(u) calculation test	
33.00	0.00050	3,000.00	0.33	0.50	5.3571E-09	18.4676	25,718.11	8.2181E+03	T = This Equation	1.00
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33.00	0.00050	3,000.00	0.33	0.50	3.5669E-09	18.8743	26,284.51	1.5233E+00	T = This Equation	4.00
33.00	0.00050	3,000.00	0.33	0.50	3.5667E-09	18.8744	26,284.59	8.0708E-02	T = This Equation	5.00
33.00	0.00050	3,000.00	0.33	0.50	3.5667E-09	18.8744	26,284.60	4.2761E-03	T = This Equation	6.00
33.00	0.00050	3,000.00	0.33	0.50	3.5667E-09	18.8744	26,284.60	2.2665E-04	T = This Equation	7.00
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33.00	0.00050	3,000.00	0.33	0.50	3.5667E-09	18.8744	26,284.60	0.0000E+00	T = This Equation	14.00
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33.00	0.00050	3,000.00	0.33	0.50	3.5667E-09	18.8744	26,284.60	0.0000E+00	T = This Equation	18.00
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33.00	0.00050	3,000.00	0.33	0.50	3.5667E-09	18.8744	26,284.60	0.0000E+00	T = This Equation	23.00
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33.00	0.00050	3,000.00	0.33	0.50	3.5667E-09	18.8744	26,284.60	0.0000E+00	T = This Equation	25.00

Transient Stream Depletion (Jenkins, 1970; Hunt, 1999, 2003)
KLAM 52824 to Lost River

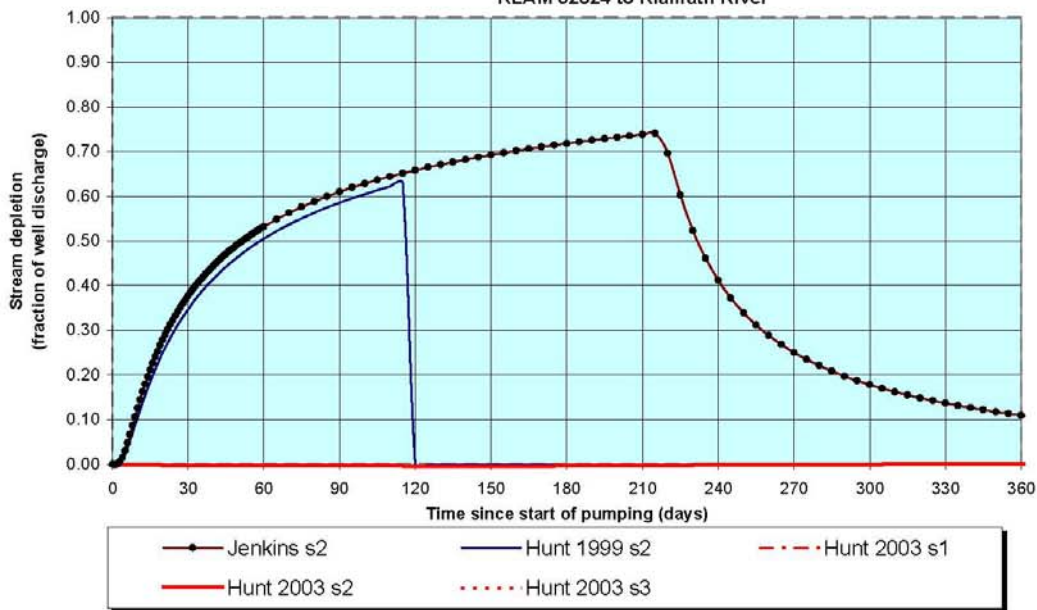


Output for Stream Depletion, Scenerio 2 (s2):												Time pump on (pumping duration) = 214 days		
Days	30	60	90	120	150	180	210	240	270	300	330	360		
J SD	85.0%	89.4%	91.3%	92.5%	93.3%	93.9%	94.3%	10.7%	6.0%	4.1%	3.1%	2.5%		
H SD 1999	7.2%	10.7%	13.2%	15.3%	17.0%	18.5%	19.9%	14.5%	12.0%	10.4%	9.3%	8.4%		
H SD 2003	0.2%	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	0.5%	0.5%	0.6%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%		
Qw, cfs	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950		
H SD 99, cfs	0.069	0.102	0.126	0.145	0.162	0.176	0.189	0.138	0.114	0.099	0.088	0.080		
H SD 03, cfs	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.004	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.005		

Parameters:		Scenario 1	Scenario 2	Scenario 3	Units
Net steady pumping rate of well	Qw	0.95	0.95	0.95	cfs
Time pump on (pumping duration)	tpon	214	214	214	days
Perpendicular from well to stream	a	7500	7500	7500	ft
Well depth	d	1414	1414	1414	ft
Aquifer hydraulic conductivity	K	52.6	52.6	52.6	ft/day
Aquifer saturated thickness	b	500	500	500	ft
Aquifer transmissivity	T	26300	26300	26300	ft*ft/day
Aquifer storativity or specific yield	S	0.001	0.001	0.001	
Aquitard vertical hydraulic conductivity	Kva	2.09	2.09	2.09	ft/day
Aquitard saturated thickness	ba	1000	1000	1000	ft
Aquitard thickness below stream	babs	950	950	950	ft
Aquitard porosity	n	0.2	0.2	0.2	
Stream width	ws	75	75	75	ft
Streambed conductance (lambda)	sbc	0.165000	0.165000	0.165000	ft/day
Stream depletion factor	sdf	2.138783	2.138783	2.138783	days
Streambed factor	sbf	0.047053	0.047053	0.047053	
input #1 for Hunt's Q_4 function	t'	0.467556	0.467556	0.467556	
input #2 for Hunt's Q_4 function	K'	4.470057	4.470057	4.470057	
input #3 for Hunt's Q_4 function	epsilon'	0.005000	0.005000	0.005000	
input #4 for Hunt's Q_4 function	lamda'	0.047053	0.047053	0.047053	

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Transient Stream Depletion (Jenkins, 1970; Hunt, 1999, 2003)
KLAM 52824 to Klamath River

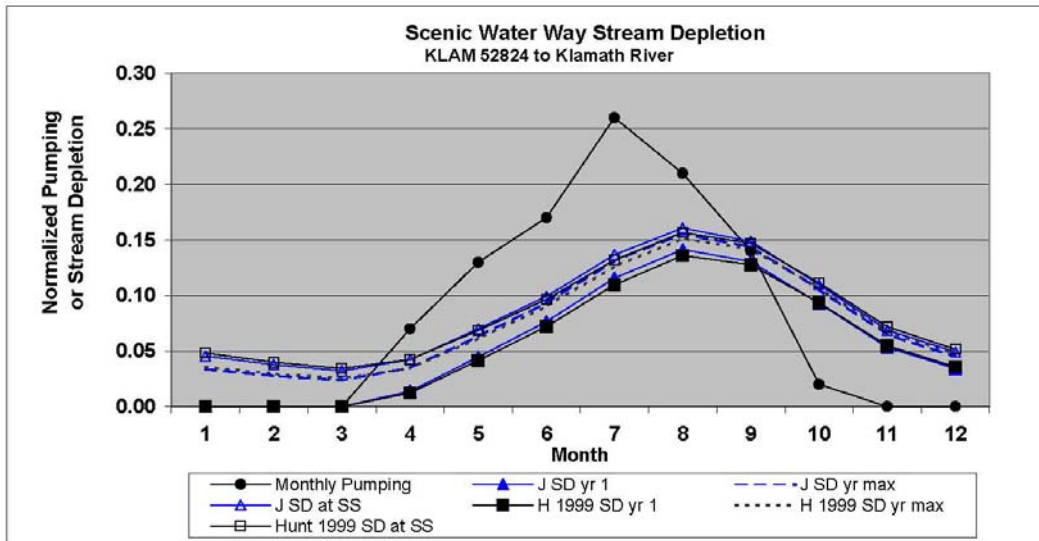


Output for Stream Depletion, Scenorio 2 (s2):					Time pump on (pumping duration) = 214 days							
Days	30	60	90	120	150	180	210	240	270	300	330	360
J SD	37.7%	53.2%	61.0%	65.9%	69.3%	71.8%	73.8%	41.2%	25.1%	17.8%	13.7%	11.0%
H SD 1999	34.8%	50.5%	58.6%	#NUM!	#NUM!	#NUM!	#NUM!	#NUM!	#NUM!	#NUM!	#NUM!	#NUM!
H SD 2003	-0.2%	-0.3%	-0.3%	-0.3%	-0.3%	-0.3%	-0.3%	-0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
Qw, cfs	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950	0.950
H SD 99, cfs	0.330	0.480	0.557	#NUM!	#NUM!	#NUM!	#NUM!	#NUM!	#NUM!	#NUM!	#NUM!	#NUM!
H SD 03, cfs	-0.002	-0.003	-0.003	-0.003	-0.003	-0.003	-0.003	-0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001

Parameters:		Scenario 1	Scenario 2	Scenario 3	Units
Net steady pumping rate of well	Qw	0.95	0.95	0.95	cfs
Time pump on (pumping duration)	tpon	214	214	214	days
Perpendicular from well to stream	a	35100	35100	35100	ft
Well depth	d	1414	1414	1414	ft
Aquifer hydraulic conductivity	K	52.6	52.6	52.6	ft/day
Aquifer saturated thickness	b	500	500	500	ft
Aquifer transmissivity	T	26300	26300	26300	ft ² /day
Aquifer storativity or specific yield	S	0.001	0.001	0.001	
Aquitard vertical hydraulic conductivity	Kva	2.09	2.09	2.09	ft/day
Aquitard saturated thickness	ba	100	100	100	ft
Aquitard thickness below stream	babs	75	75	75	ft
Aquitard porosity	n	0.2	0.2	0.2	
Stream width	ws	900	900	900	ft
Streambed conductance (lambda)	sbc	25.080000	25.080000	25.080000	ft/day
Stream depletion factor	sdf	46.844487	46.844487	46.844487	days
Streambed factor	sbfb	33.471787	33.471787	33.471787	
input #1 for Hunt's Q_4 function	t'	0.021347	0.021347	0.021347	
input #2 for Hunt's Q_4 function	K'	979.049772	979.049772	979.049772	
input #3 for Hunt's Q_4 function	epsilon'	0.005000	0.005000	0.005000	
input #4 for Hunt's Q_4 function	lamda'	33.471787	33.471787	33.471787	

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Region	18 Steady state stream depletion as a fraction of pumping normalized to crop water use consumption.												
Month	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Resid
Qw	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.07	0.13	0.17	0.26	0.21	0.14	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
Jenkins SD													
yr1	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.014	0.045	0.076	0.116	0.141	0.131	0.093	0.053	0.034	0.297
yrmax-1	0.034	0.028	0.024	0.035	0.063	0.093	0.131	0.156	0.144	0.105	0.065	0.045	0.077
yrmax	0.034	0.028	0.024	0.035	0.063	0.093	0.131	0.156	0.144	0.105	0.065	0.045	0.077
yrmax-yr1	0.034	0.028	0.024	0.021	0.019	0.017	0.016	0.014	0.013	0.012	0.012	0.011	0.221
J SD SS	0.045	0.038	0.032	0.042	0.070	0.099	0.137	0.161	0.149	0.110	0.069	0.049	0.000
Hunt SD 1999													
yr 1	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.012	0.041	0.072	0.110	0.136	0.128	0.093	0.055	0.036	0.317
yr max-1	0.036	0.030	0.025	0.035	0.061	0.090	0.126	0.151	0.142	0.107	0.067	0.047	0.082
yr max	0.036	0.030	0.025	0.035	0.061	0.090	0.126	0.151	0.142	0.107	0.067	0.047	0.082
yrmax-yr1	0.036	0.030	0.025	0.022	0.020	0.018	0.017	0.015	0.014	0.013	0.013	0.012	0.235
H99 SD SS	0.048	0.040	0.034	0.042	0.068	0.097	0.132	0.157	0.147	0.111	0.072	0.052	0.000

Parameters:		Values	Units	
Maximum number of years pumped	yrmax	25	years	
Days pumped each month	tpoff	30.4375	days/month	
Perpendicular from well to stream	a	35100	ft	
Well depth	d	1414	ft	
Aquifer hydraulic conductivity	K	52.6	ft/day	
Aquifer saturated thickness	b	500	ft	
Aquifer transmissivity	T_ft	26,300	ft ² /day	= K*b
Aquifer transmissivity	T_gal	196,724	gpd/ft	= K*b
Aquifer storativity or specific yield	S	0.001		
Streambed conductivity (Hunt 1999)	Ks	2.09	ft/day	
Streambed thickness, Hunt 1999	bs	75	ft	
Stream width (Hunt 1999)	ws	900	ft	
Streambed conductance (lambda)	sbc	25.0800	ft/day	= Ks*ws/bs
Stream depletion factor	sdf	46.8445	days	= (a ² *S)/(T)
Streambed factor	sbf	33.4718		= sbc*a/T

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