



Statewide SNOTEL Precipitation is 82% of average on August 13, 2020



Water Year to Date Precipitation
Percent NRCS 1981-2010 Average
October 1, 2019 through August 12, 2020

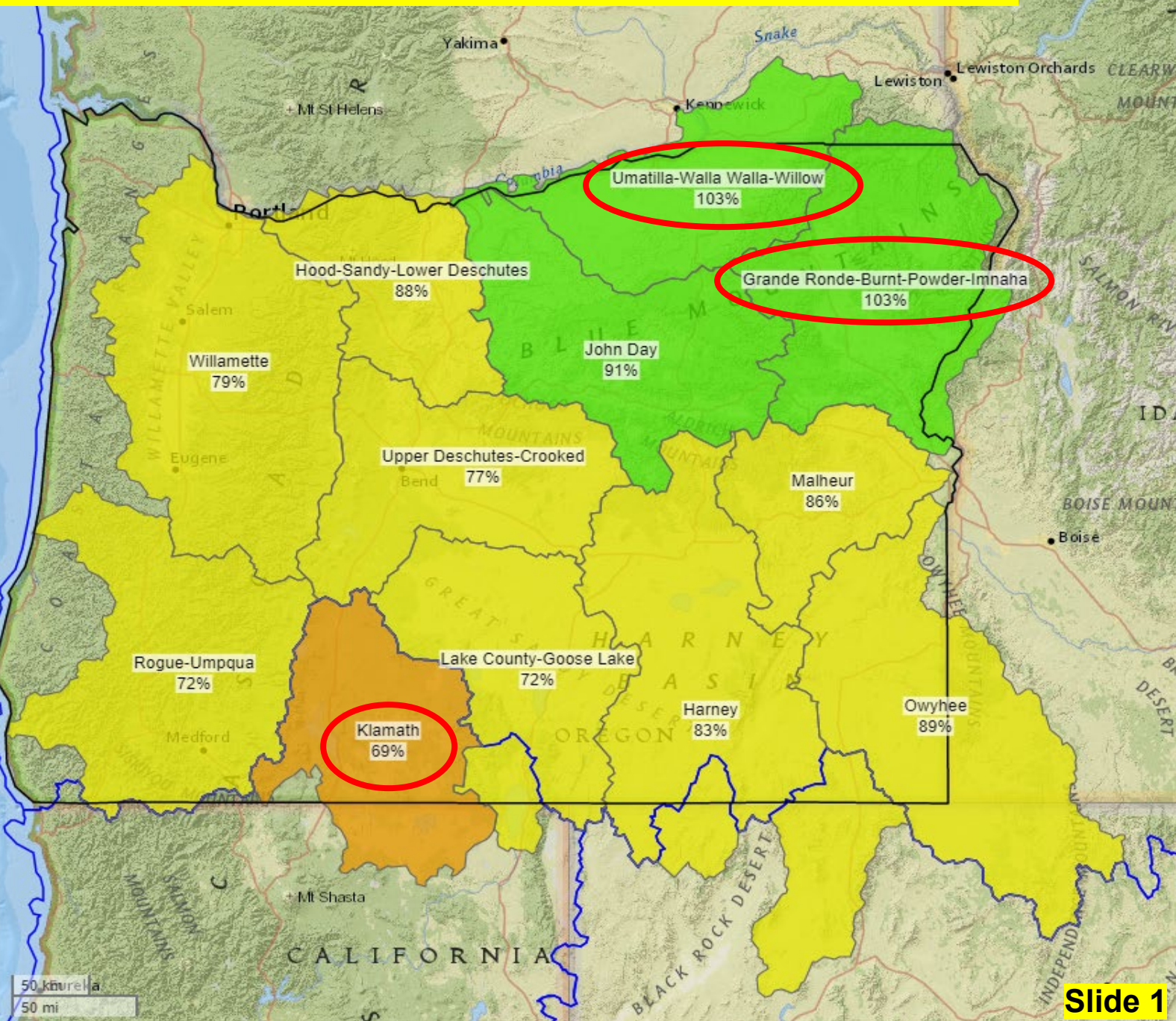
- ≥ 150%
- 130% - 149%
- 110% - 129%
- 90% - 109%
- 70% - 89%
- 50% - 69%
- < 50%

No basin value

Watershed Boundaries

- Region (2-Digit HUC)
- State Watersheds

Natural Resources Conservation Service
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SNOTEL Precipitation Water Year Percentile (POR) - August 12, 2020



**Water Year to Date
Precipitation
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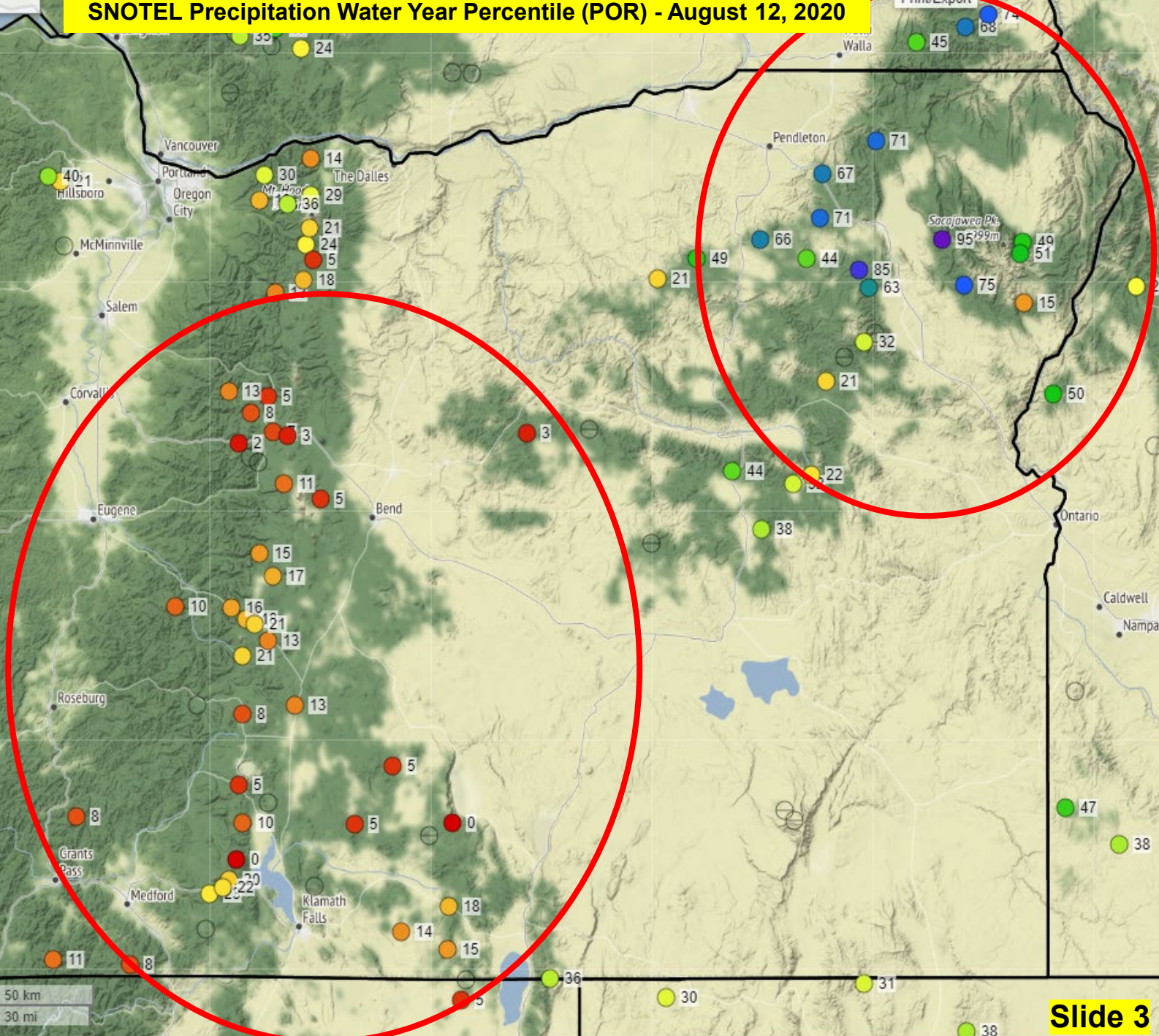
100
87.5
75
62.5
50
37.5
25
12.5
0

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Sites with less than 20 years of data
or low variability excluded

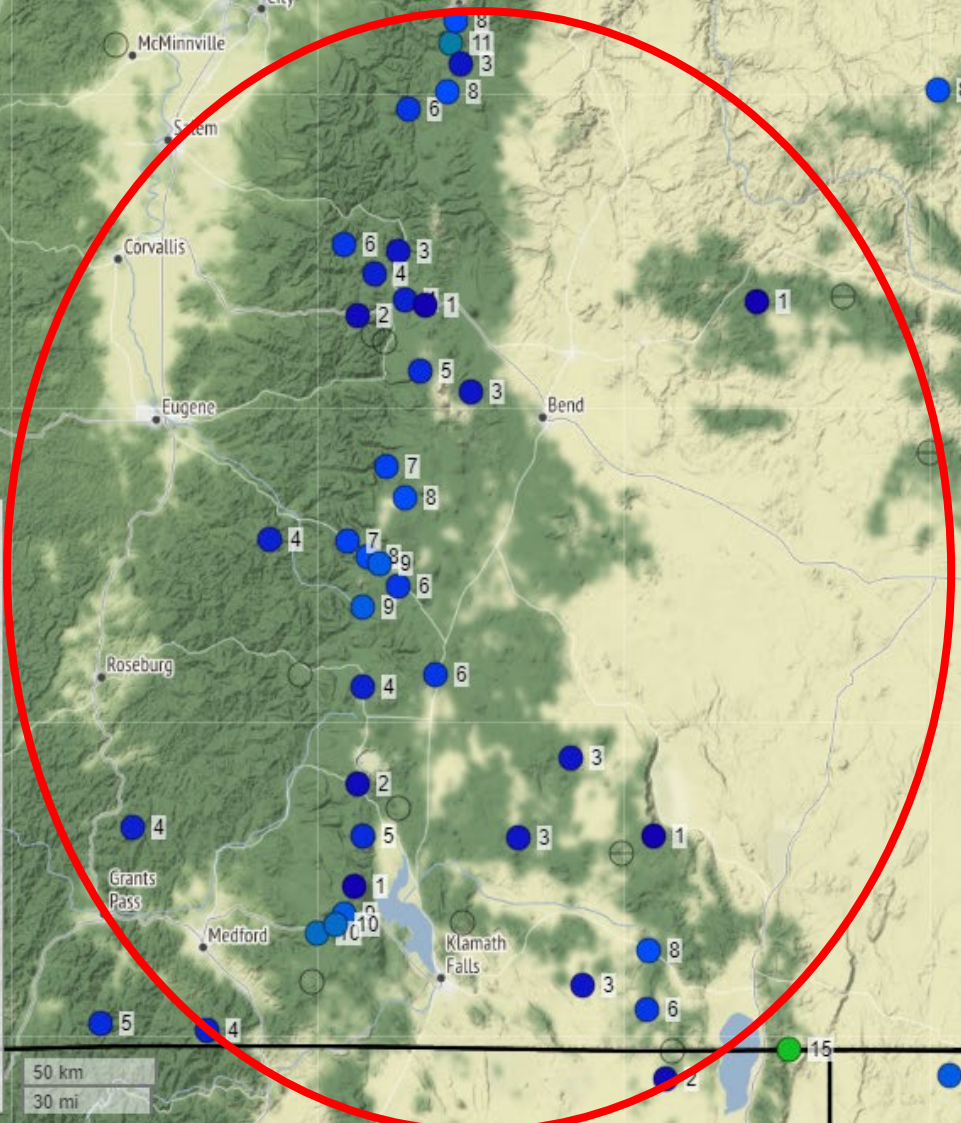
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Conservation Service

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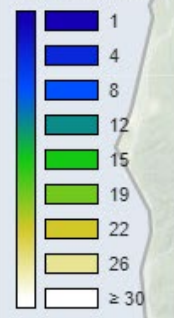
50 km
30 mi



SNOTEL Precipitation Water Year Minimum Rank (POR) - August 12, 2020



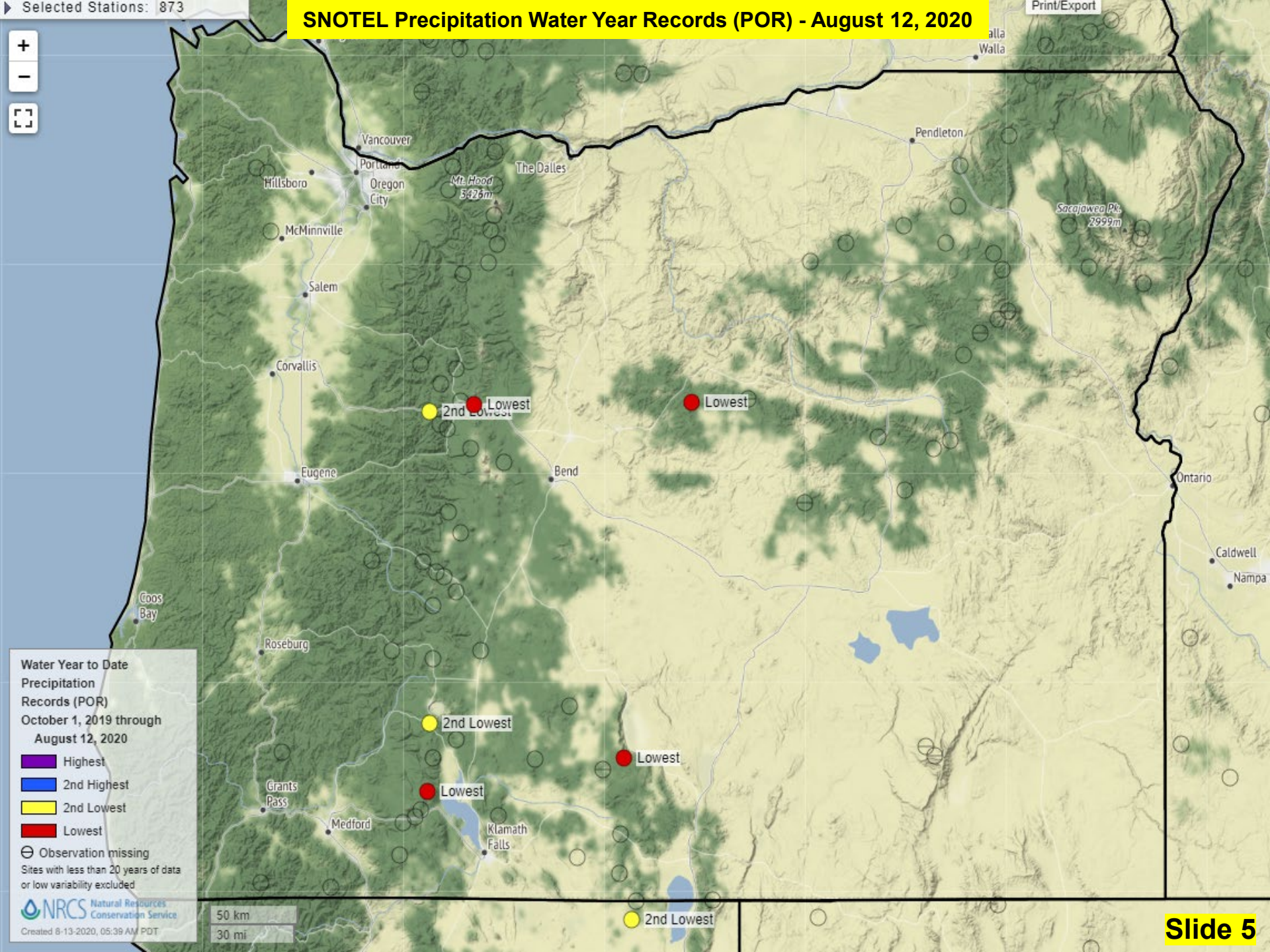
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50 km
30 mi

SNOTEL Precipitation Water Year Records (POR) - August 12, 2020



**Water Year to Date
Precipitation
Records (POR)
October 1, 2019 through
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- Highest
- 2nd Highest
- 2nd Lowest
- Lowest

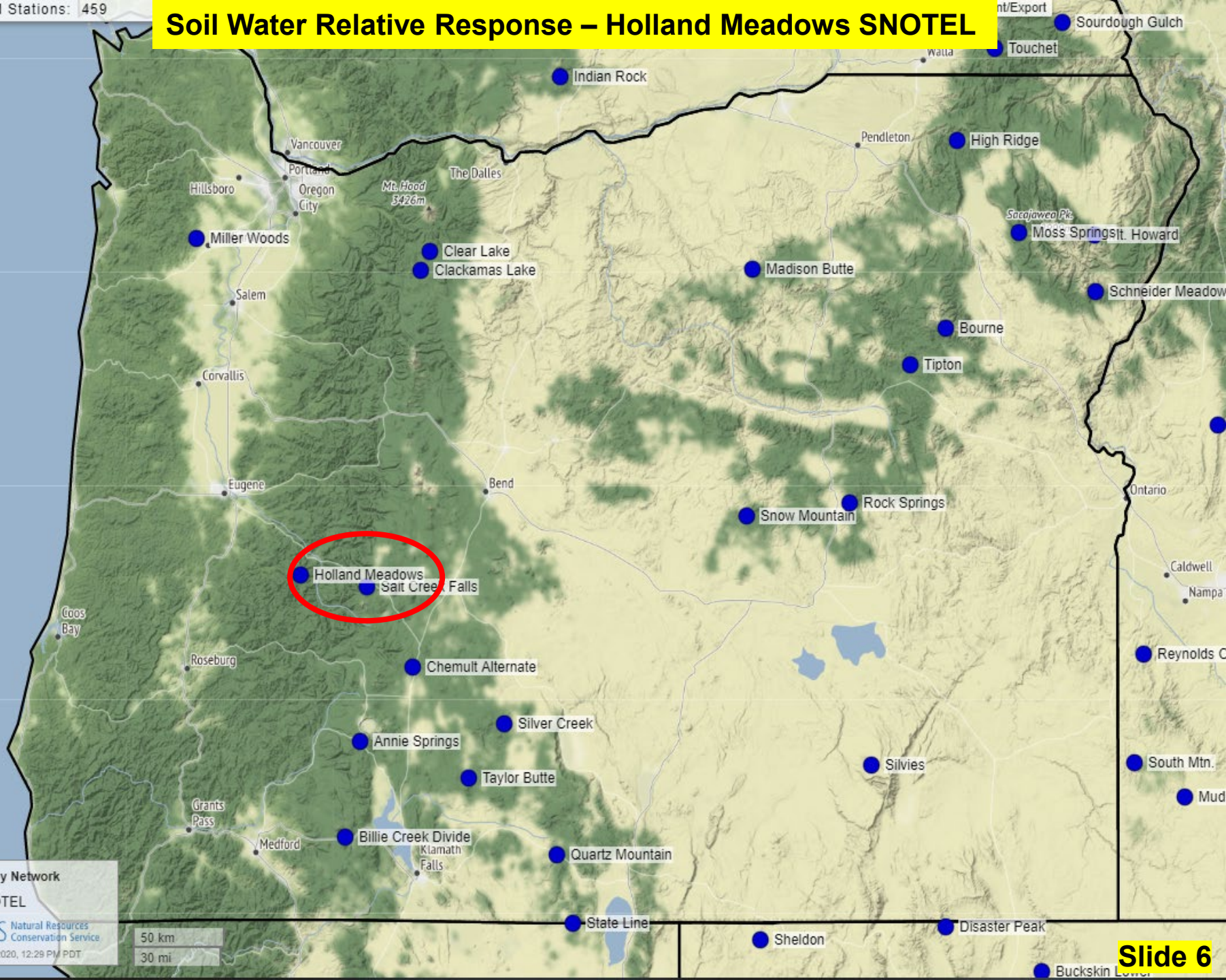
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Soil Water Relative Response – Holland Meadows SNOTEL



Stations by Network

- SNOTEL

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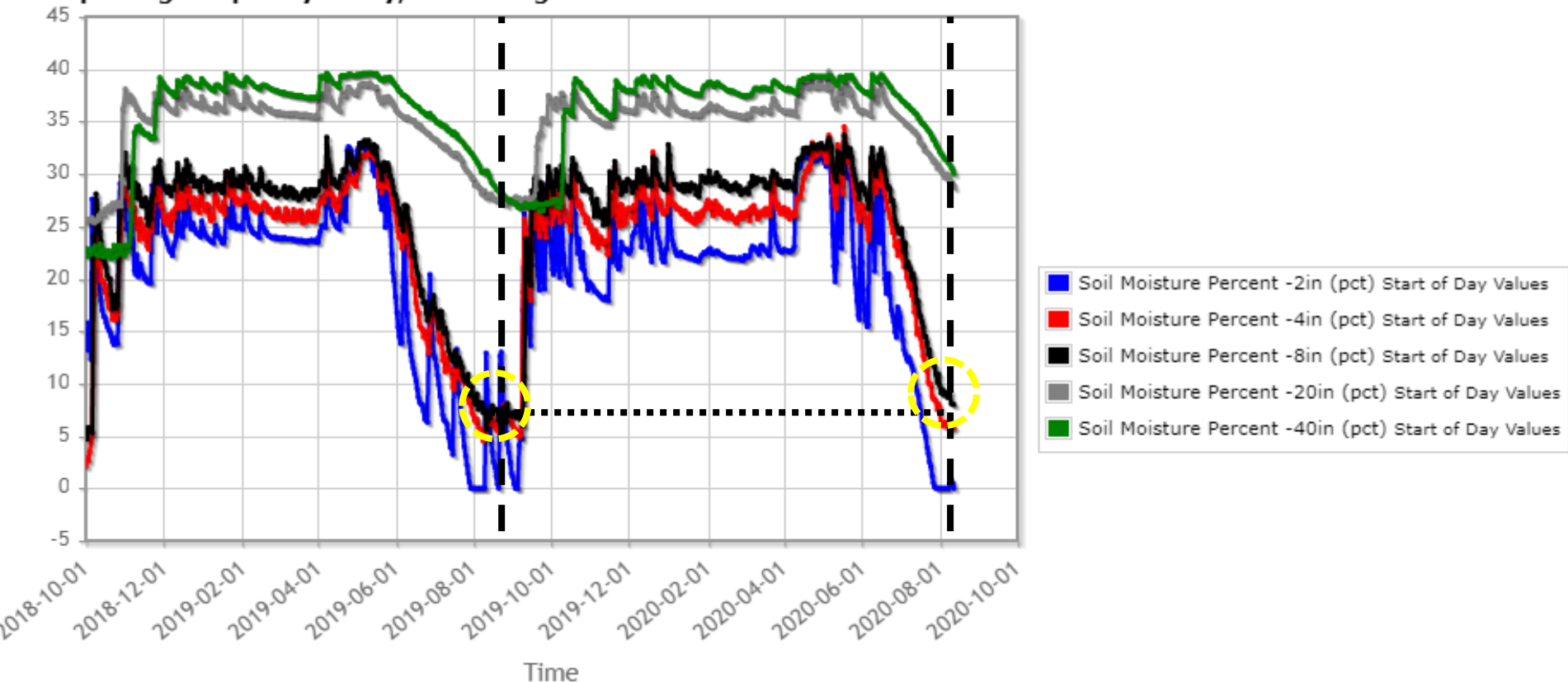
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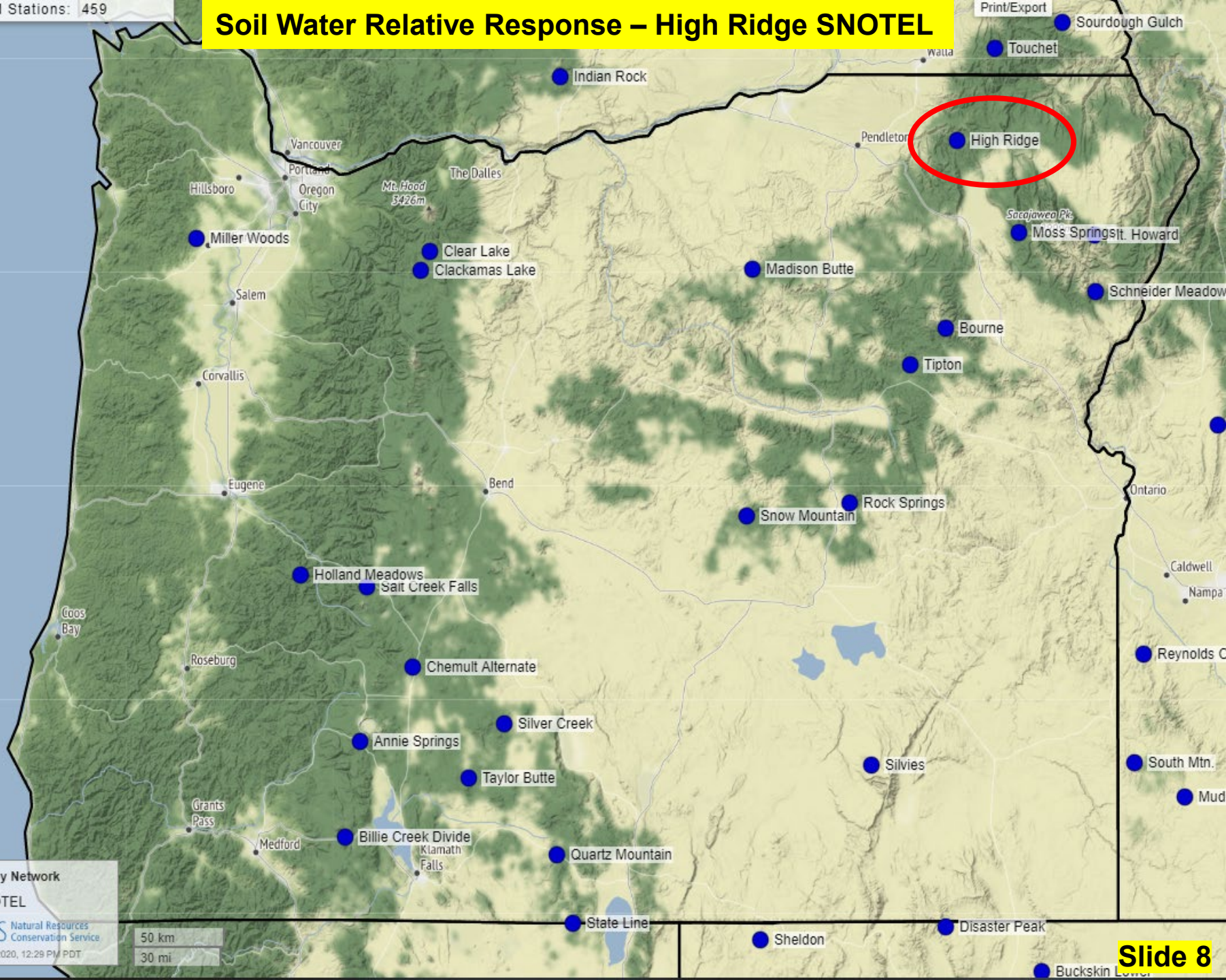
Soil Water Relative Response – Holland Meadows SNOTEL

Holland Meadows (529) Oregon SNOTEL Site - 4930 ft

Reporting Frequency: Daily; Date Range: 2018-10-01 to 2020-08-12



Soil Water Relative Response – High Ridge SNOTEL



Stations by Network

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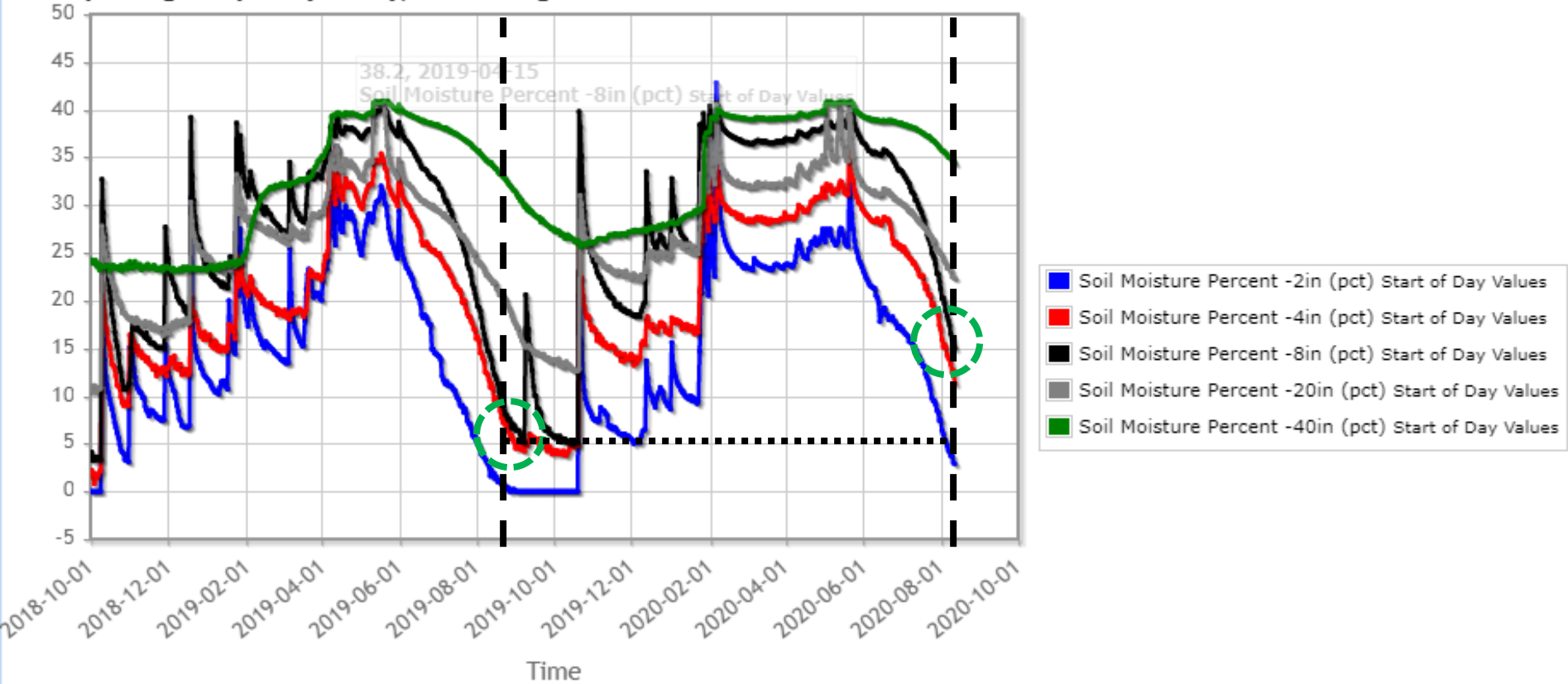
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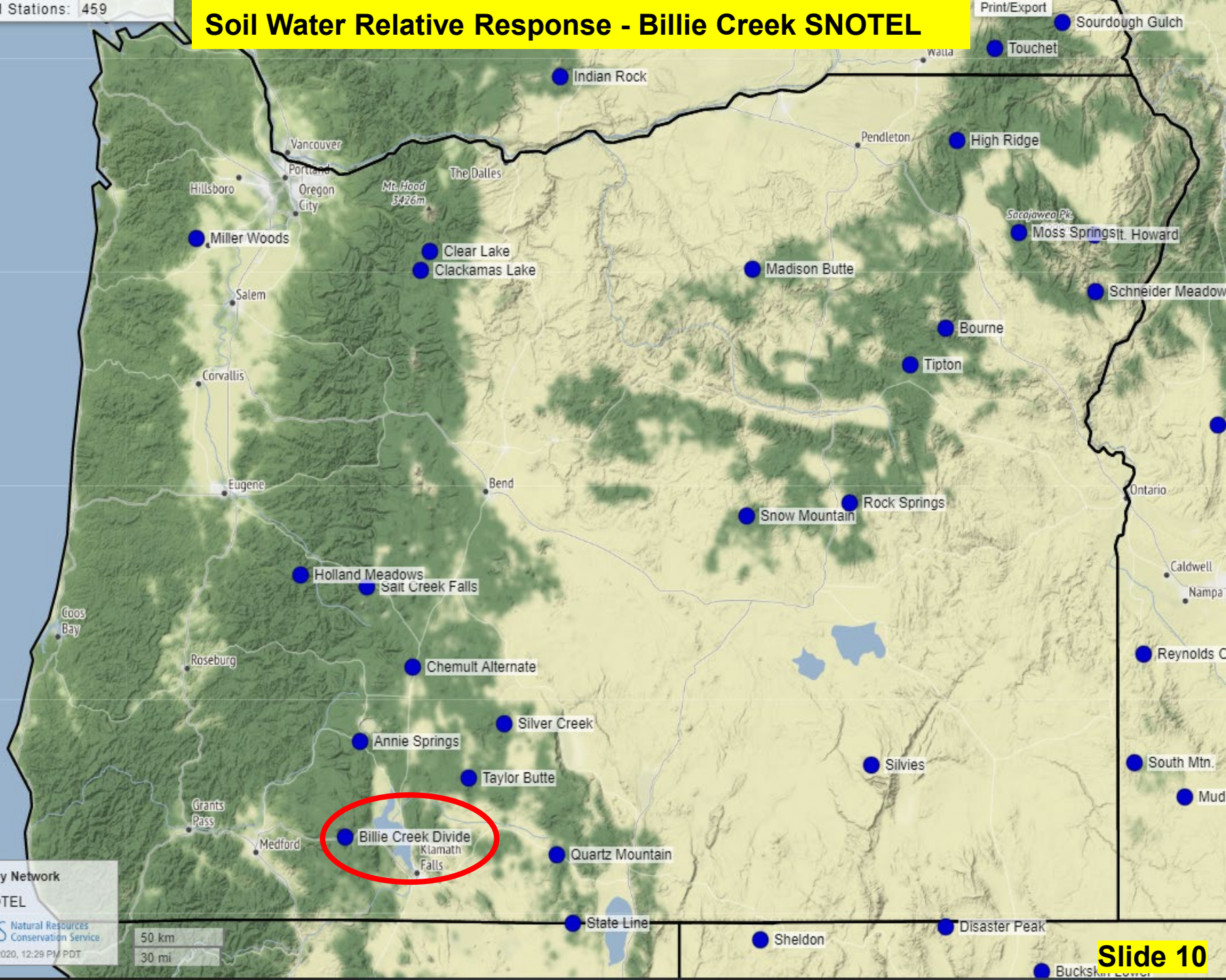
30 mi

Soil Water Relative Response – High Ridge SNOTEL

High Ridge (523) Oregon SNOTEL Site - 4920 ft
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Soil Water Relative Response - Billie Creek SNOTEL



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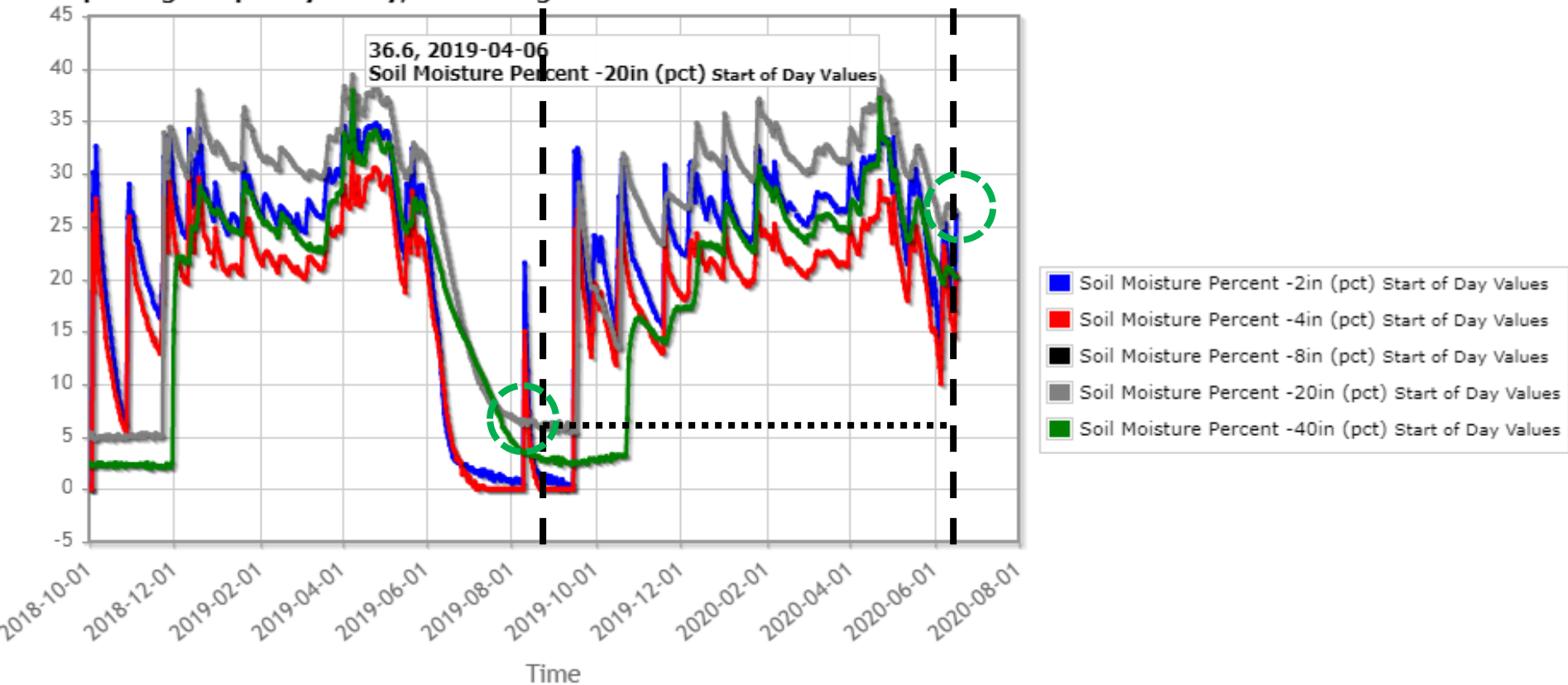
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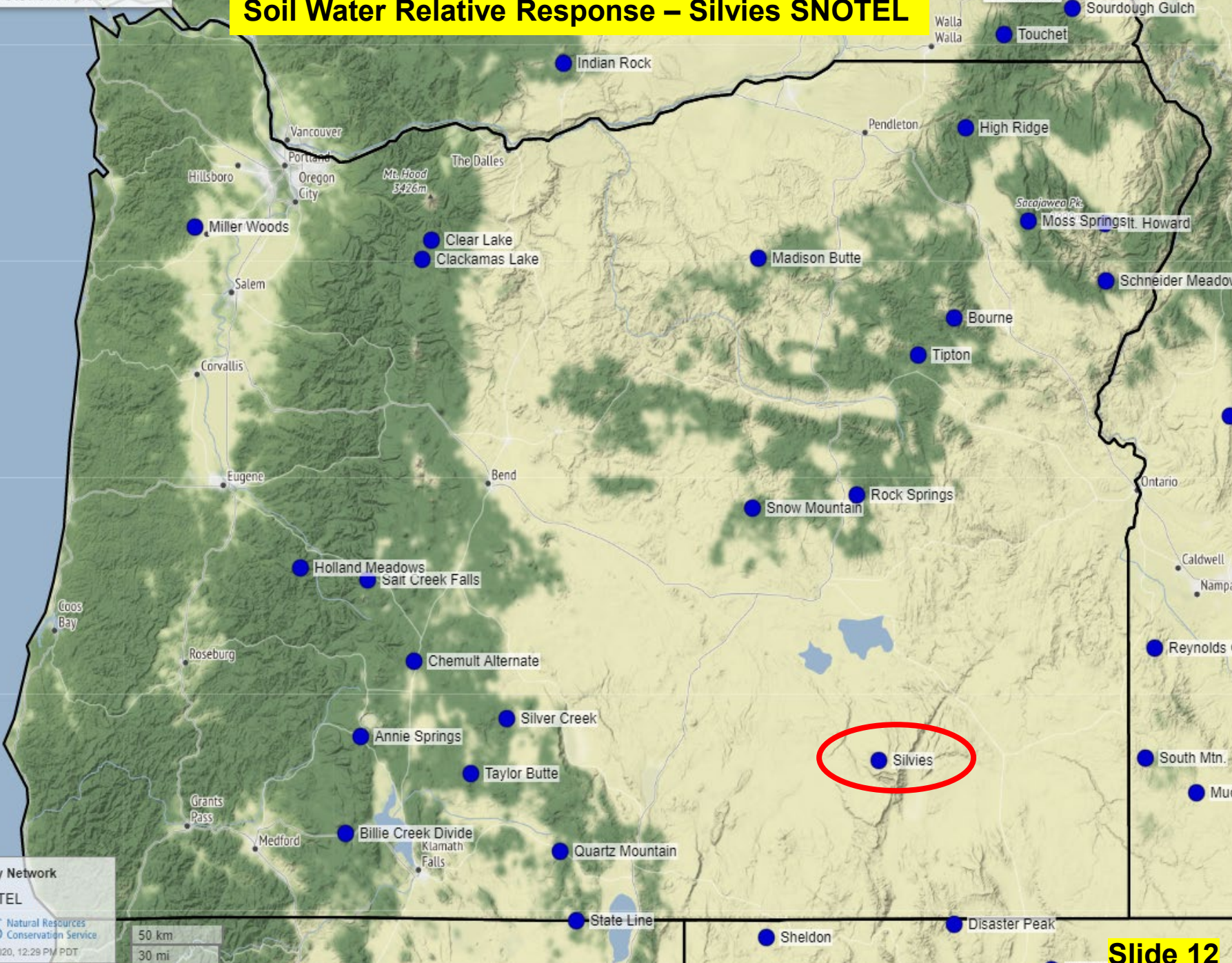
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30 mi

Soil Water Relative Response - Billie Creek SNOTEL

Billie Creek Divide (344) Oregon SNOTEL Site - 5280 ft
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Soil Water Relative Response – Silvies SNOTEL



Stations by Network

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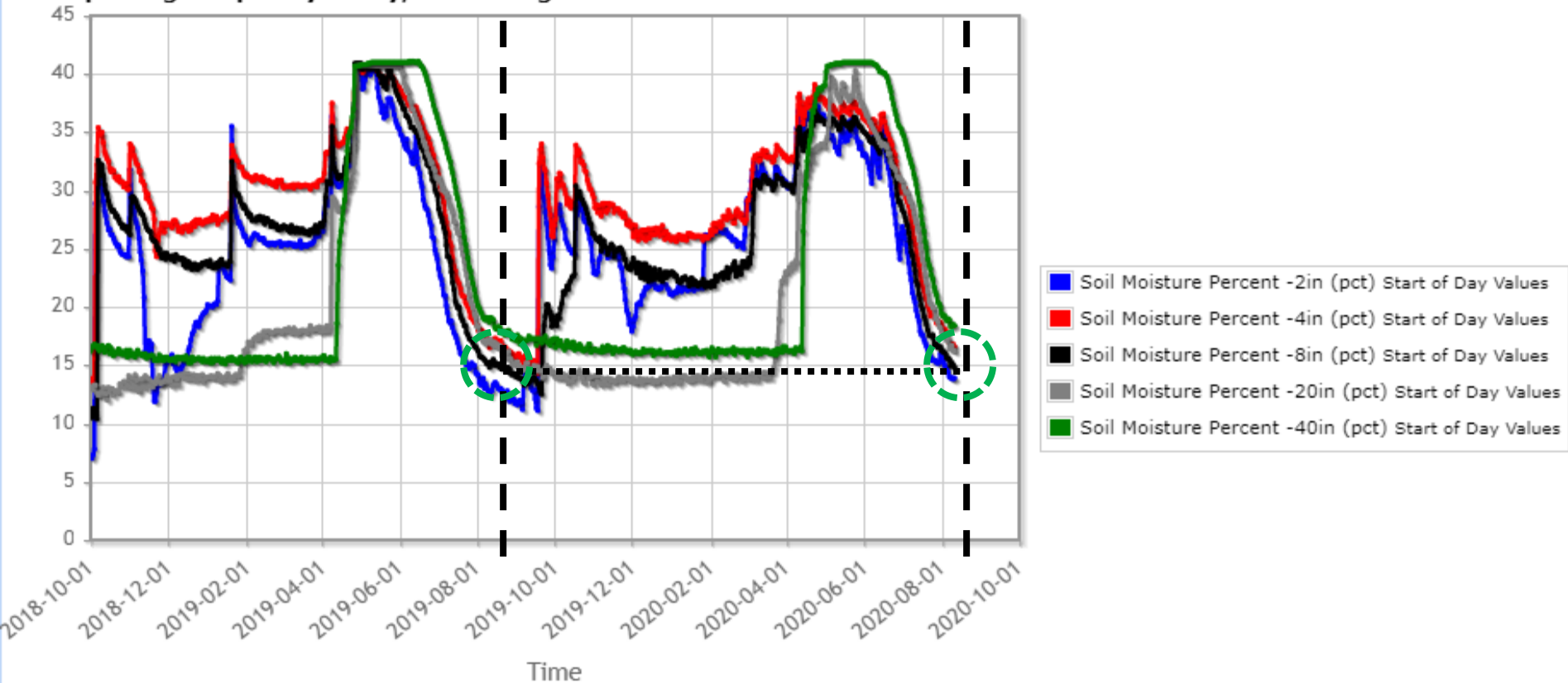
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Soil Water Relative Response – Silvies SNOTEL

Silvies (759) Oregon SNOTEL Site - 6990 ft

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Expert Chart Analysis

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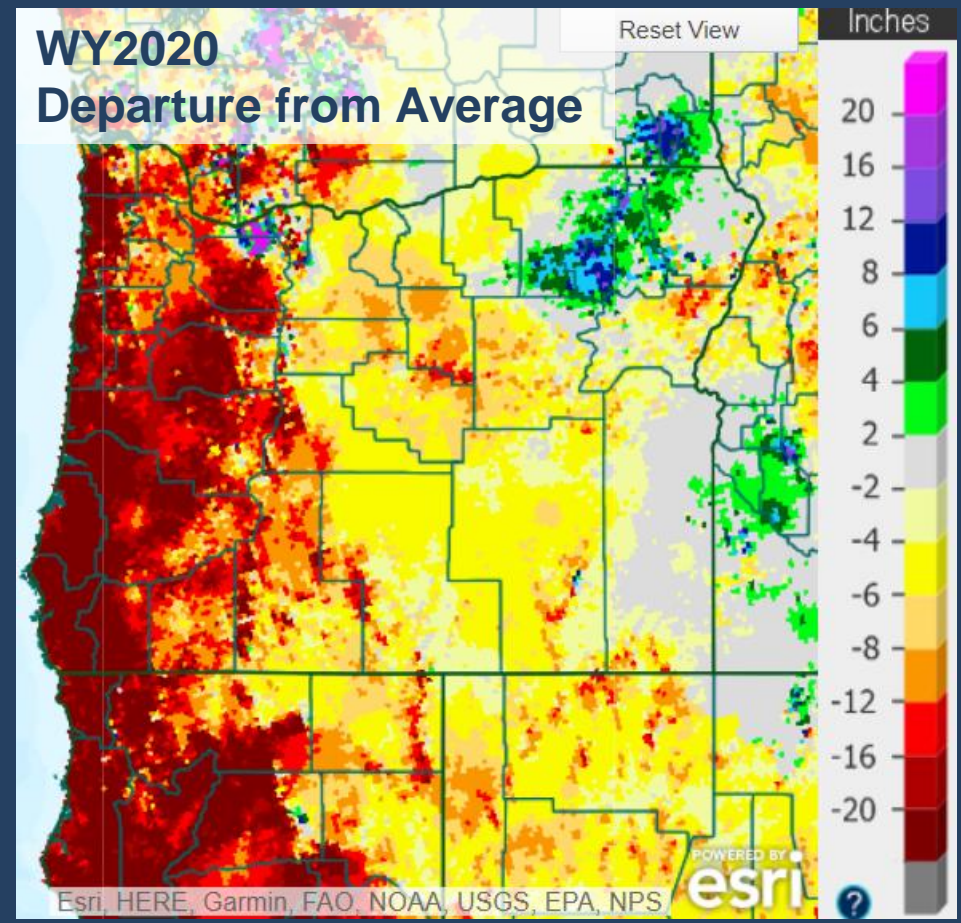
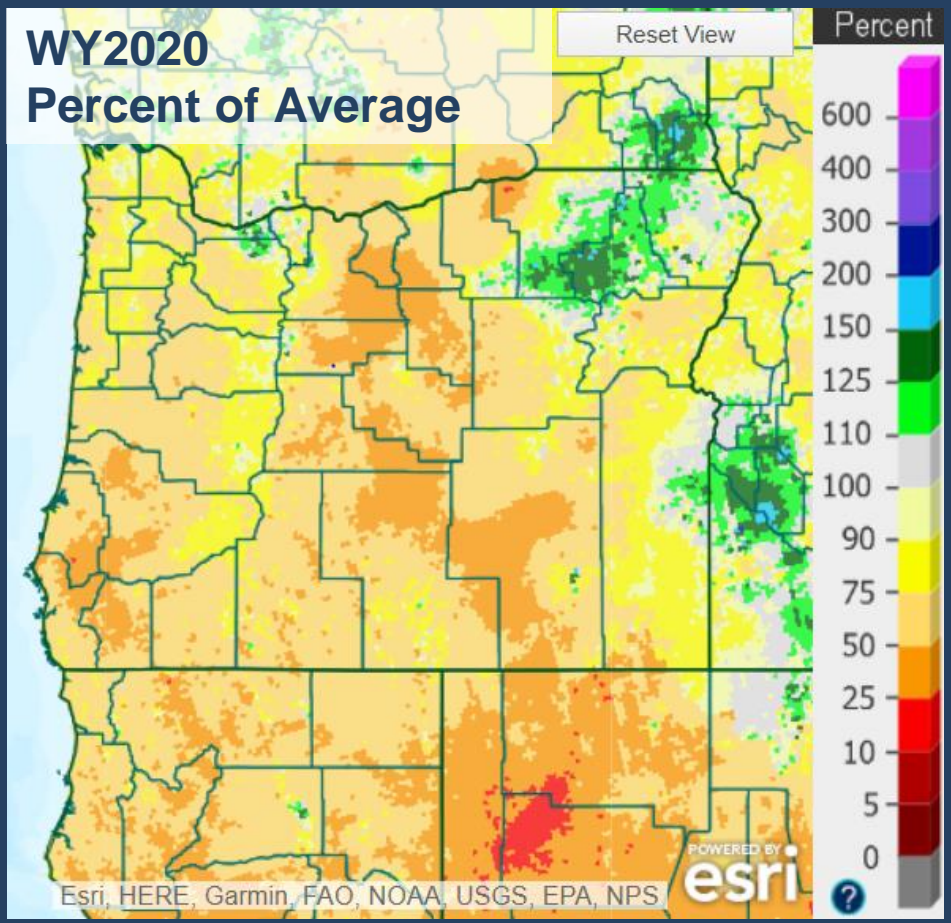
Precipitation & Temperatures Update

August 13, 2020

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Weather Forecast Office



Water Year Precipitation

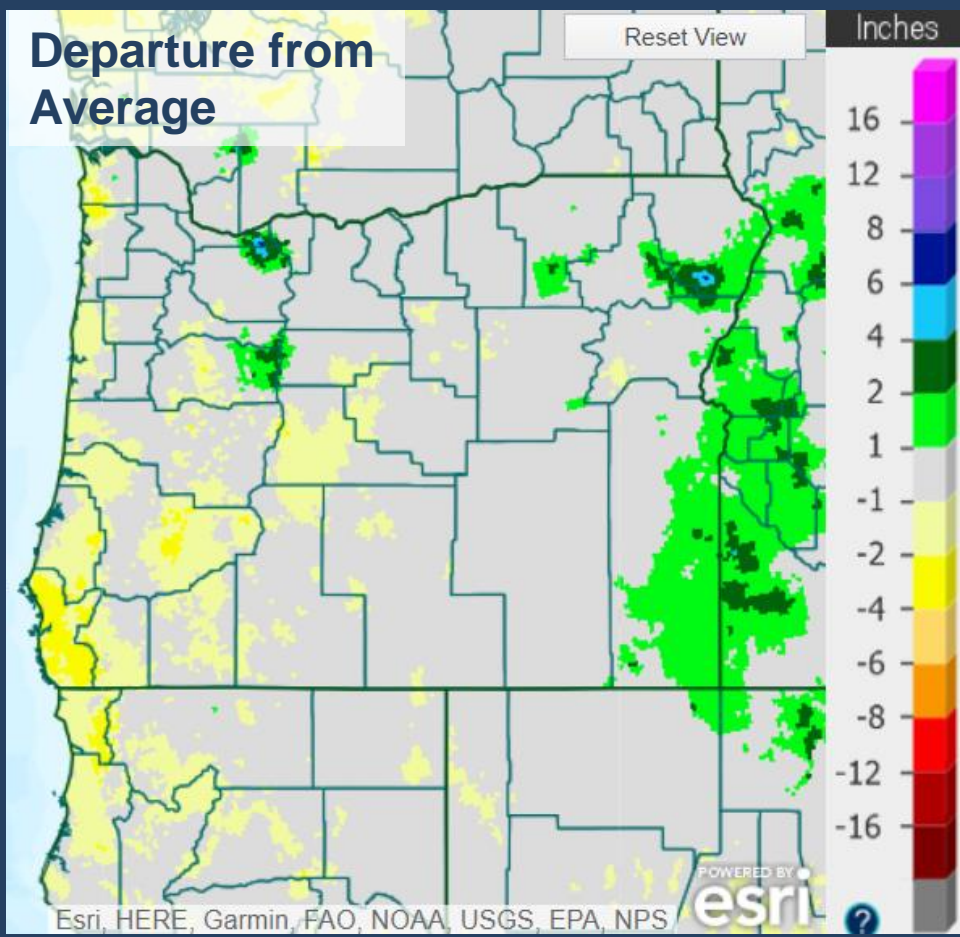
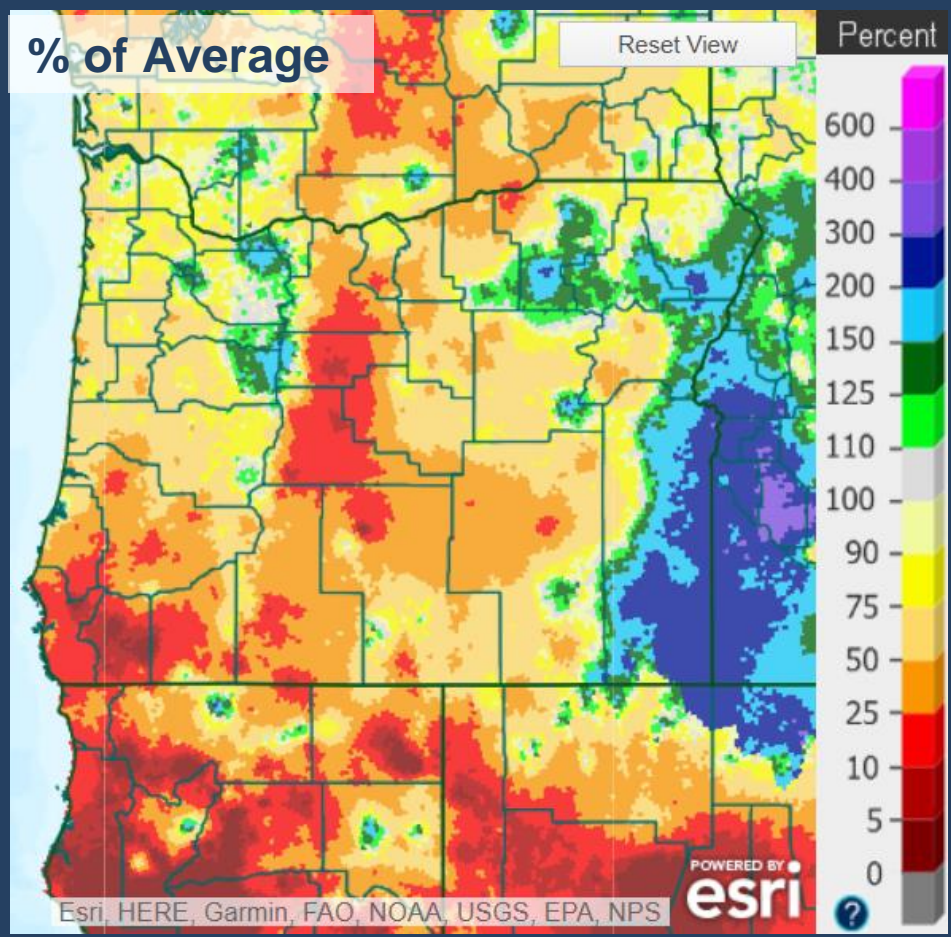


Precipitation Data as of August 12, 2020

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Precipitation – Past 60 Days



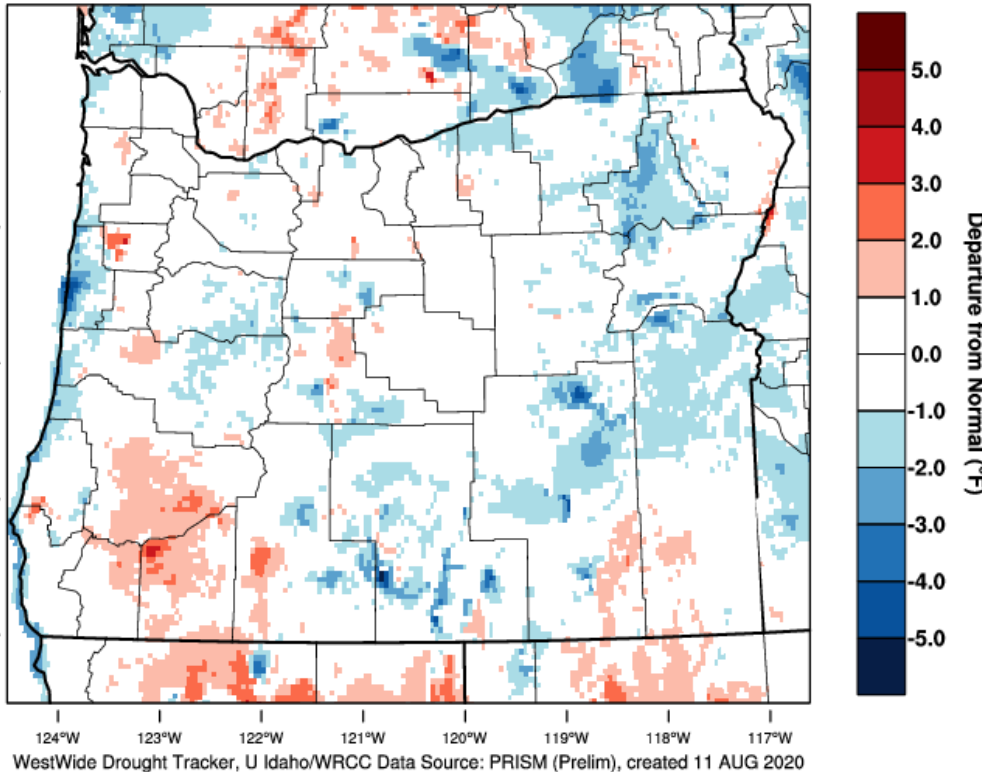
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Recent Temperatures

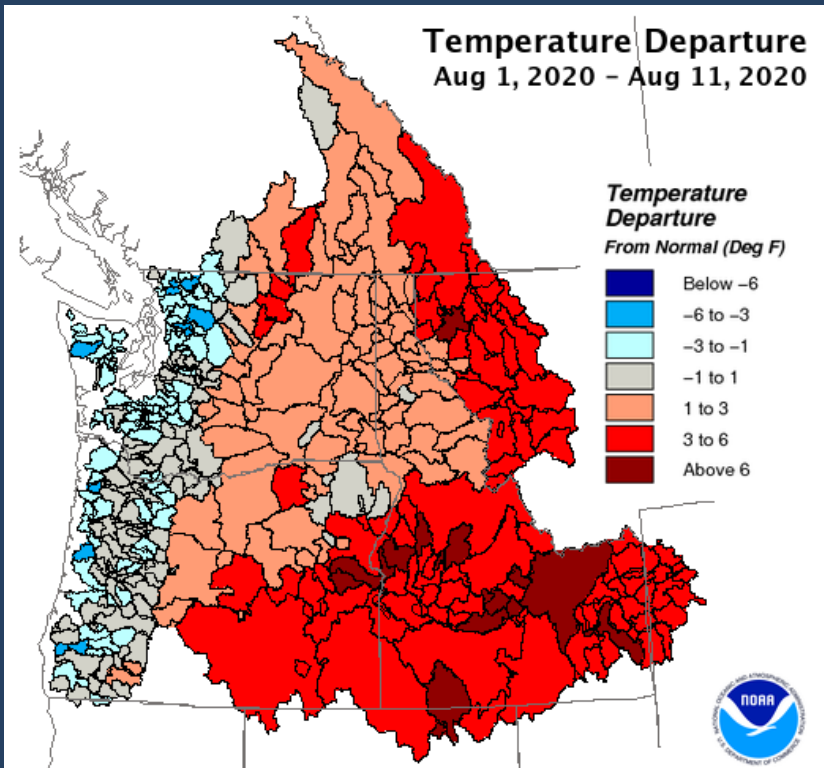
Oregon - Mean Temperature
July 2020 Departure from 1981-2010 Normal



July 2020

August 1 - 11, 2020

Temperature Departure
Aug 1, 2020 - Aug 11, 2020



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Northwest River Forecast Center



Drought Monitor

U.S. Drought Monitor

June 30, 2020

(Released Thursday, Jul. 2, 2020)

West

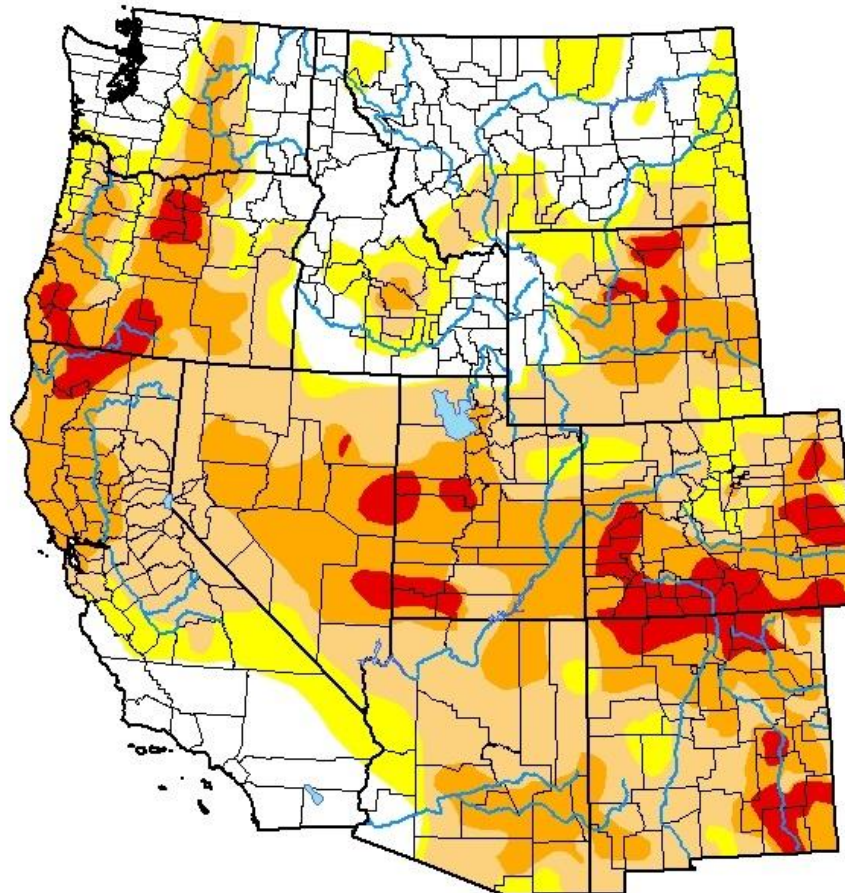
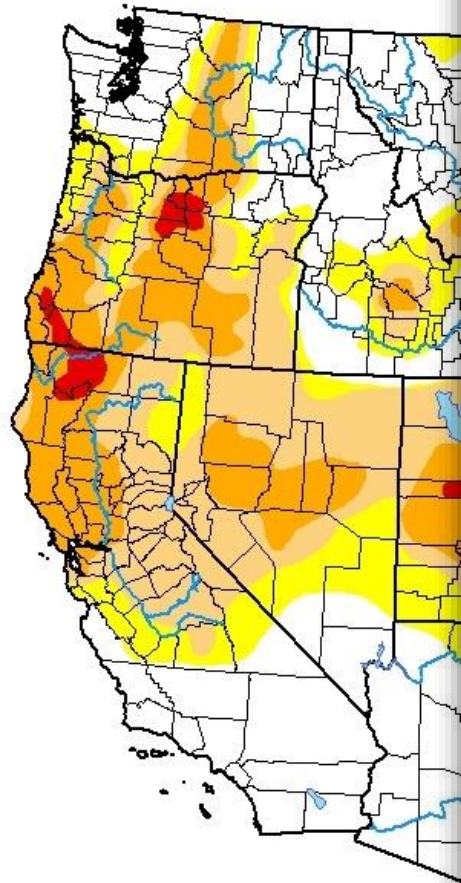
U.S. Drought Monitor

August 4, 2020

(Released Thursday, Aug. 6, 2020)

West

Valid 8 a.m. EDT



Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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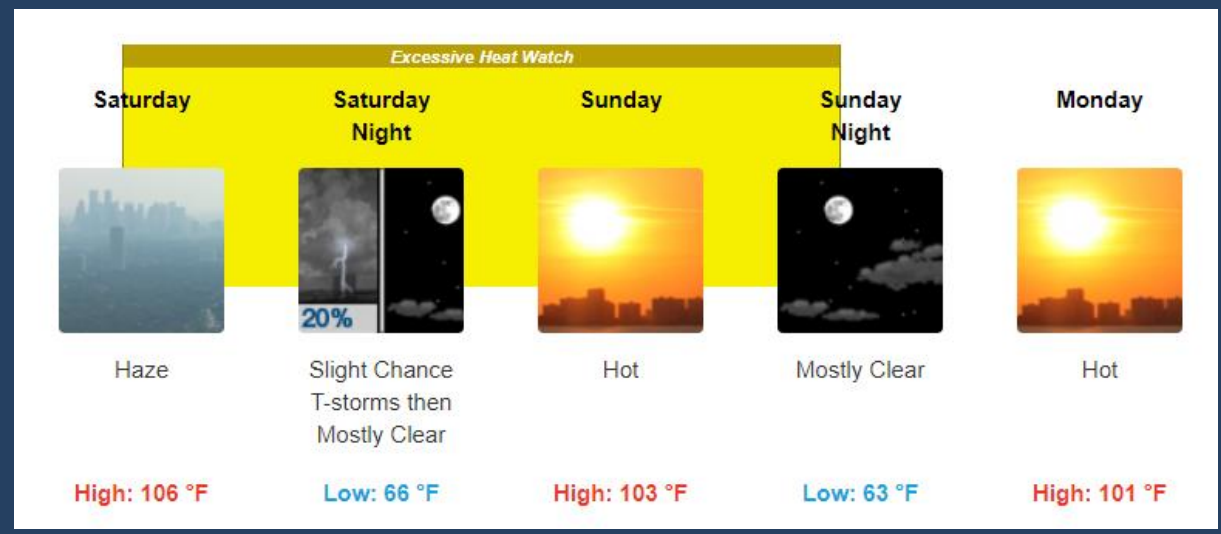
Upcoming Weather

HOT STATEWIDE THIS WEEKEND & EARLY NEXT WEEK

Pendleton



Medford



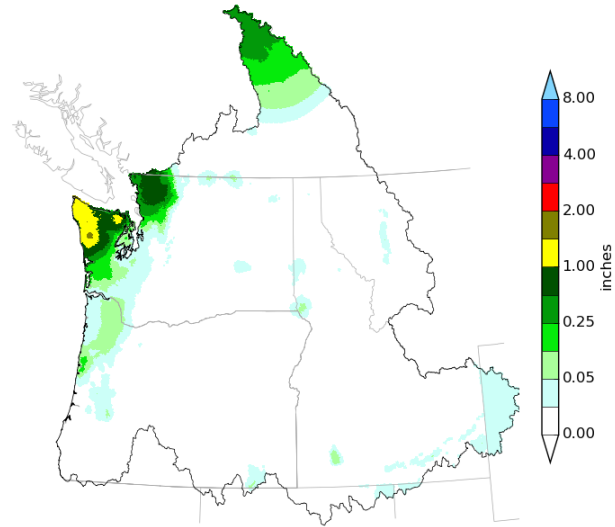


Mid/Late August Outlook

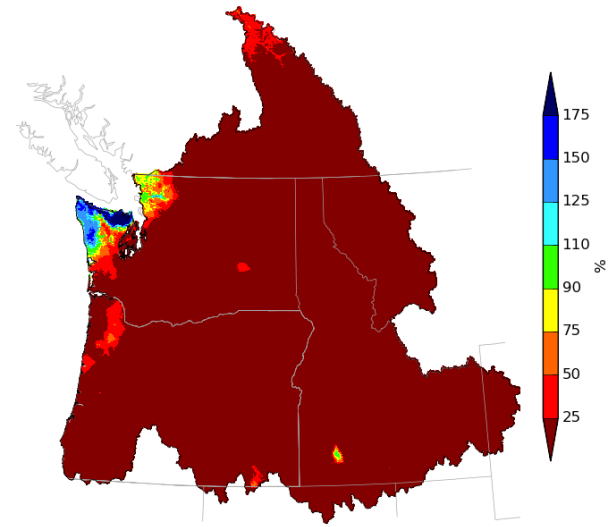
NWRFC 10-DAY PRECIPITATION



Northwest River Forecast Center
10 Day QPF, Ending 12Z, 08/22/20



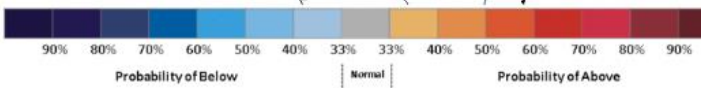
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10 Day QPF (Percent of Climatology), Ending 12Z, 08/22/20



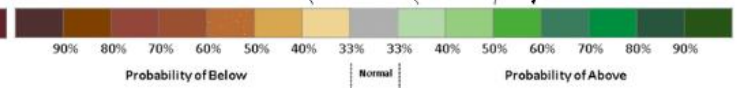
CPC 8 - 14 DAY OUTLOOK



8-14 DAY OUTLOOK
TEMPERATURE PROBABILITY
MADE 12 AUG 2020
VALID AUG 20 - 26, 2020



8-14 DAY OUTLOOK
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VALID AUG 20 - 26, 2020

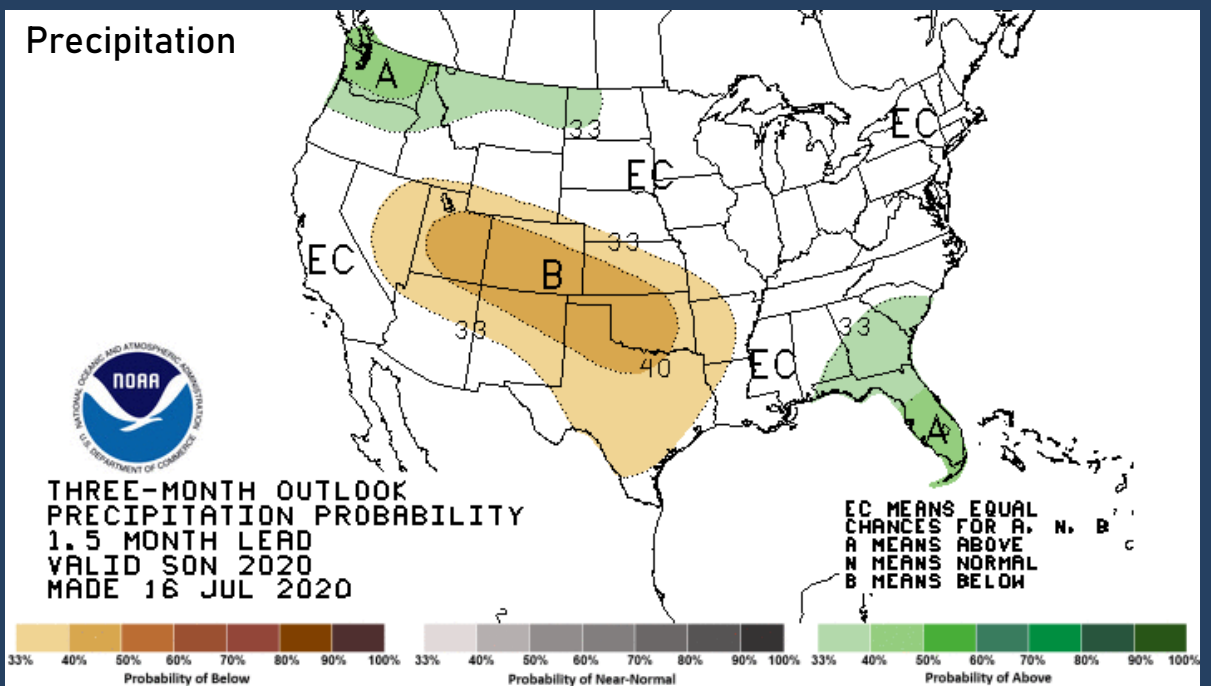
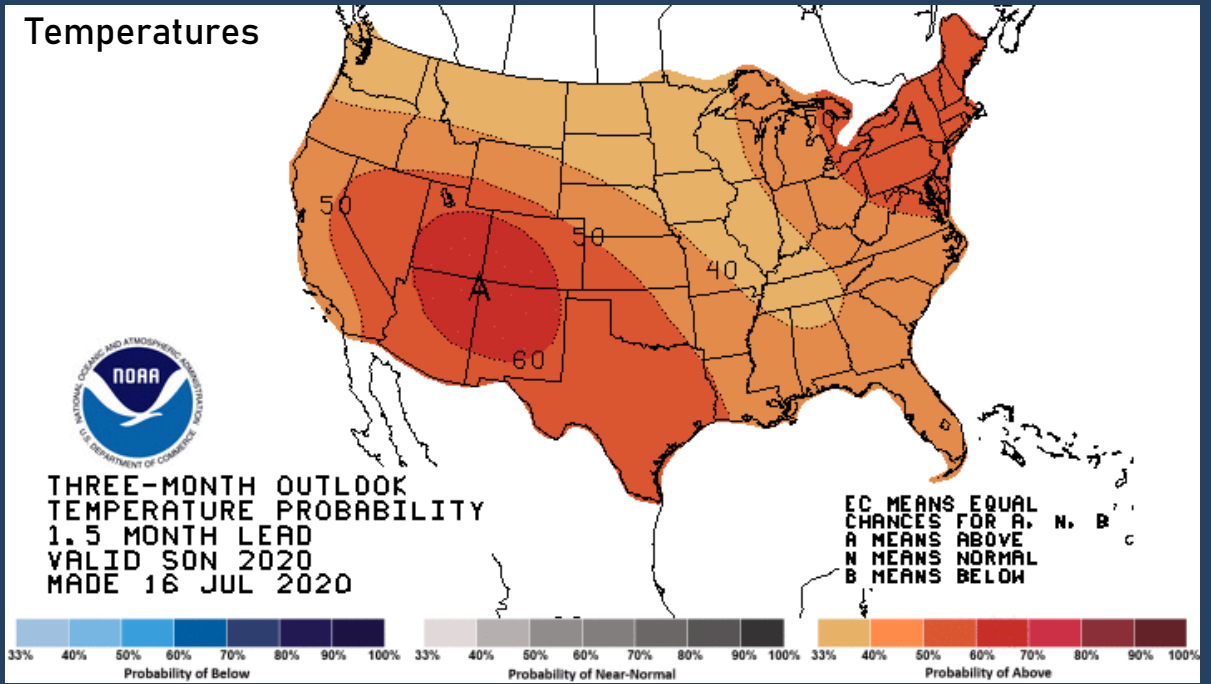




Climate Prediction Center Outlook

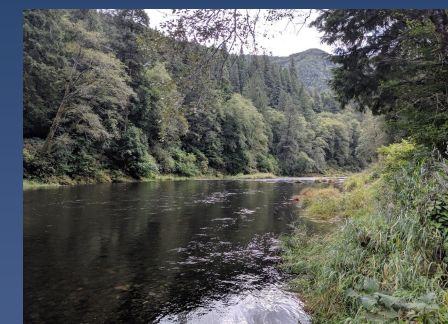
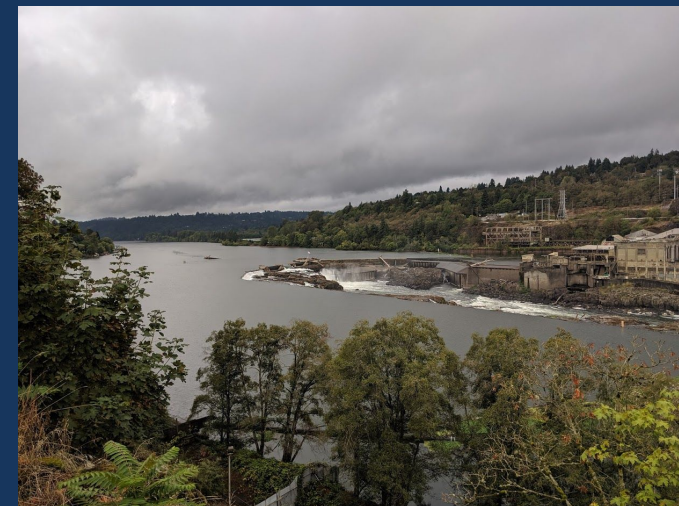
Sep – Oct – Nov 2020

La Niña Watch in effect for this fall and winter





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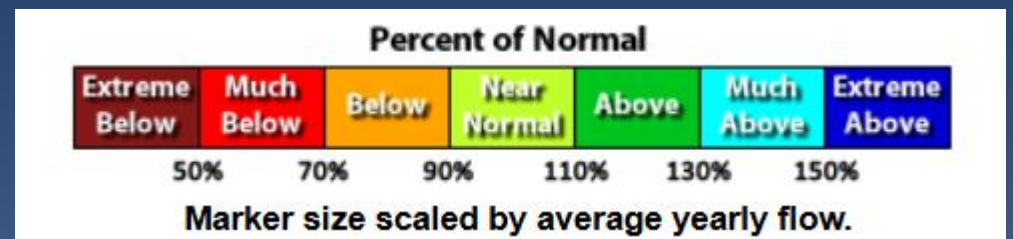
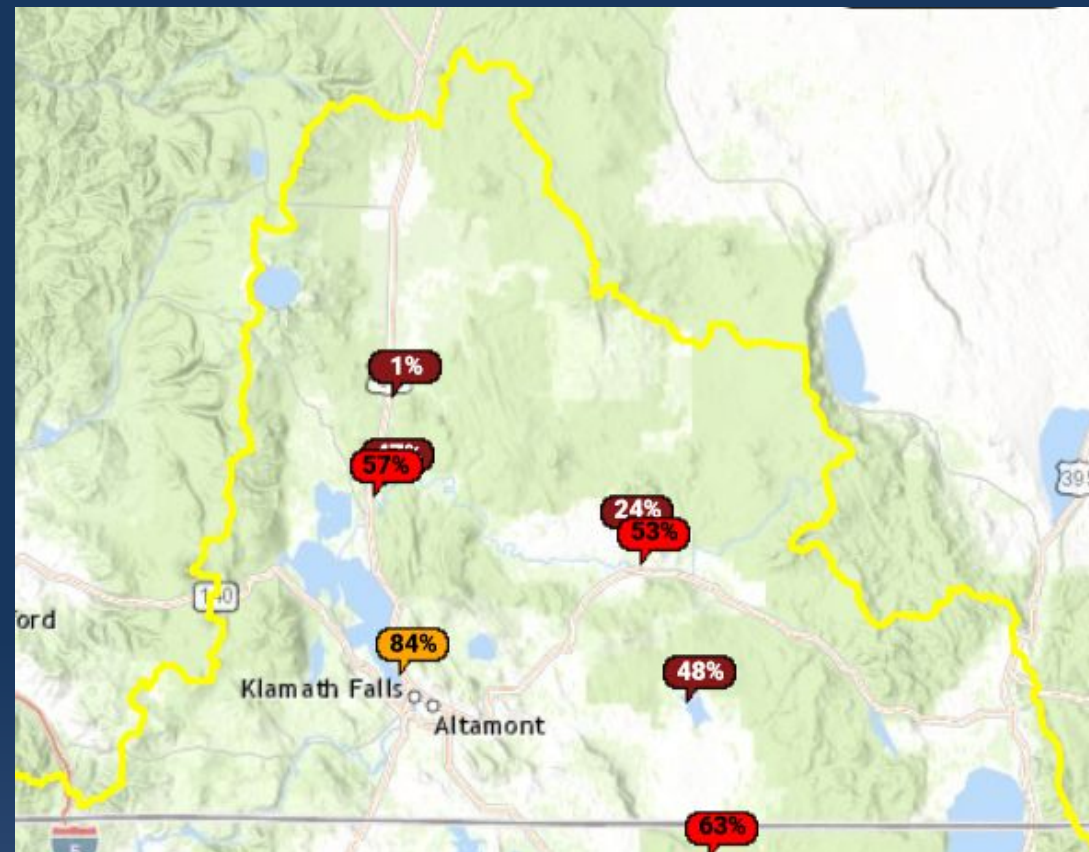
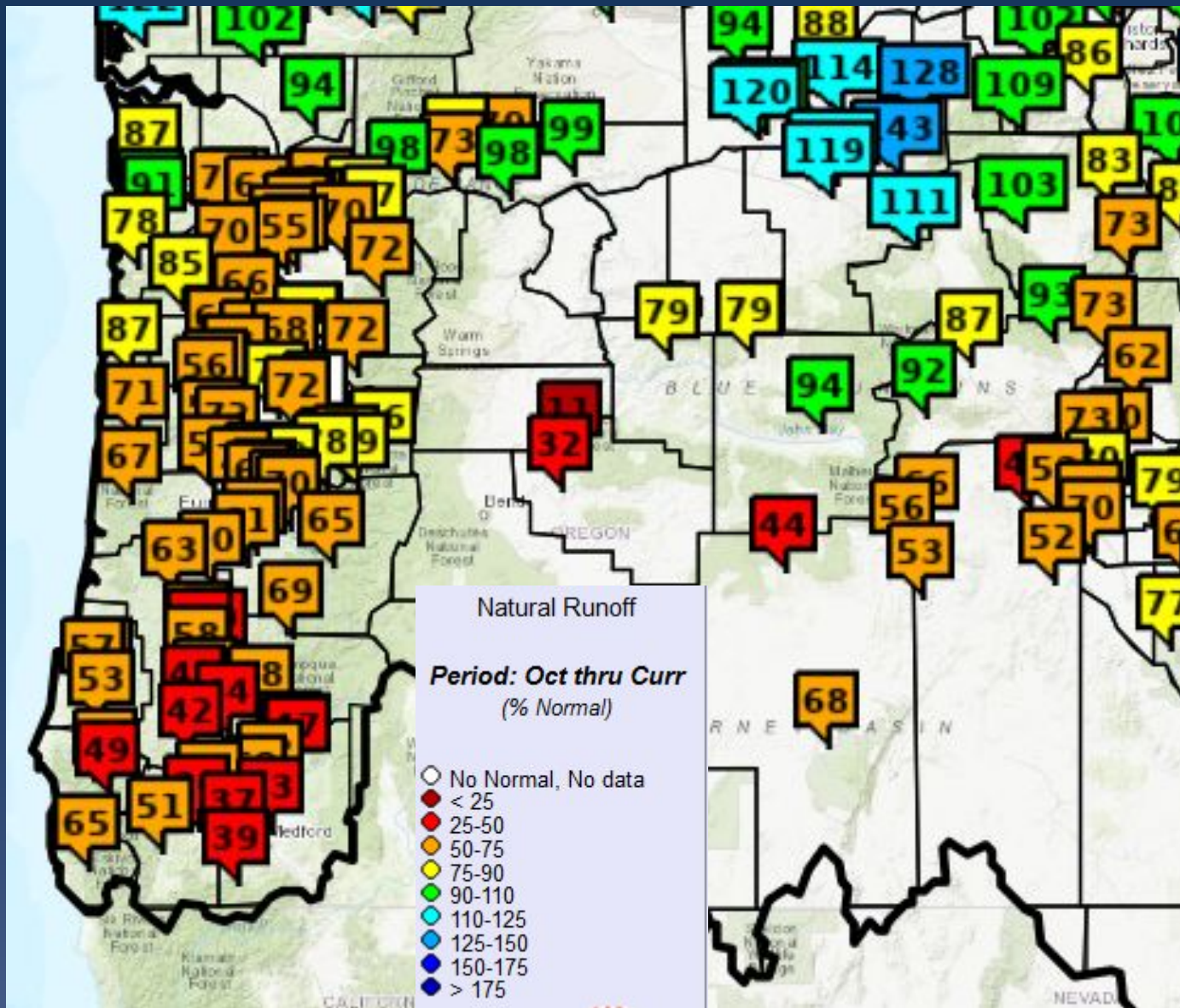


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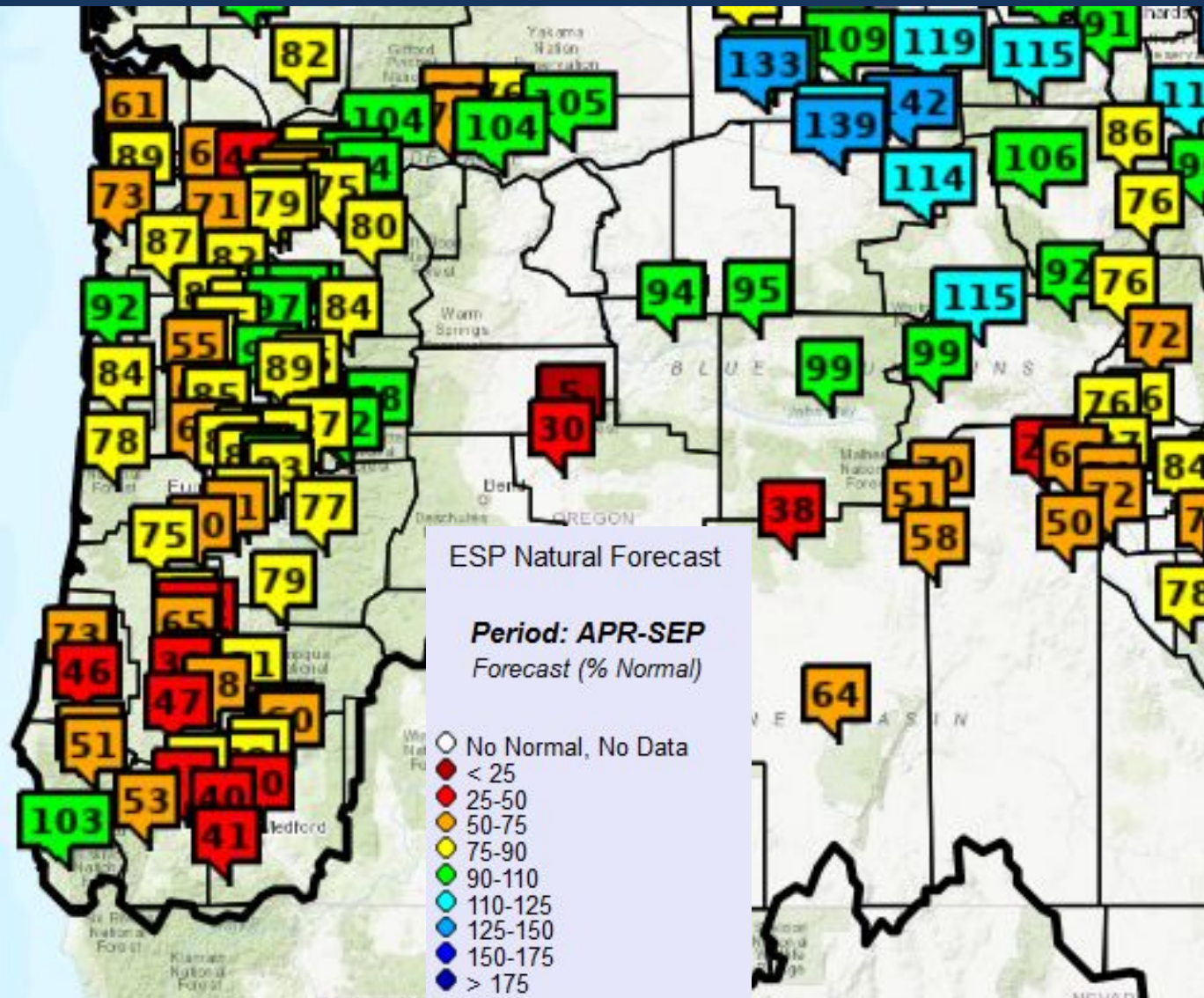
Current Adjusted Runoff Conditions



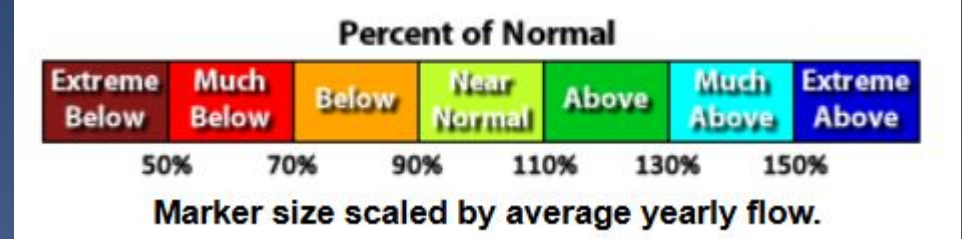
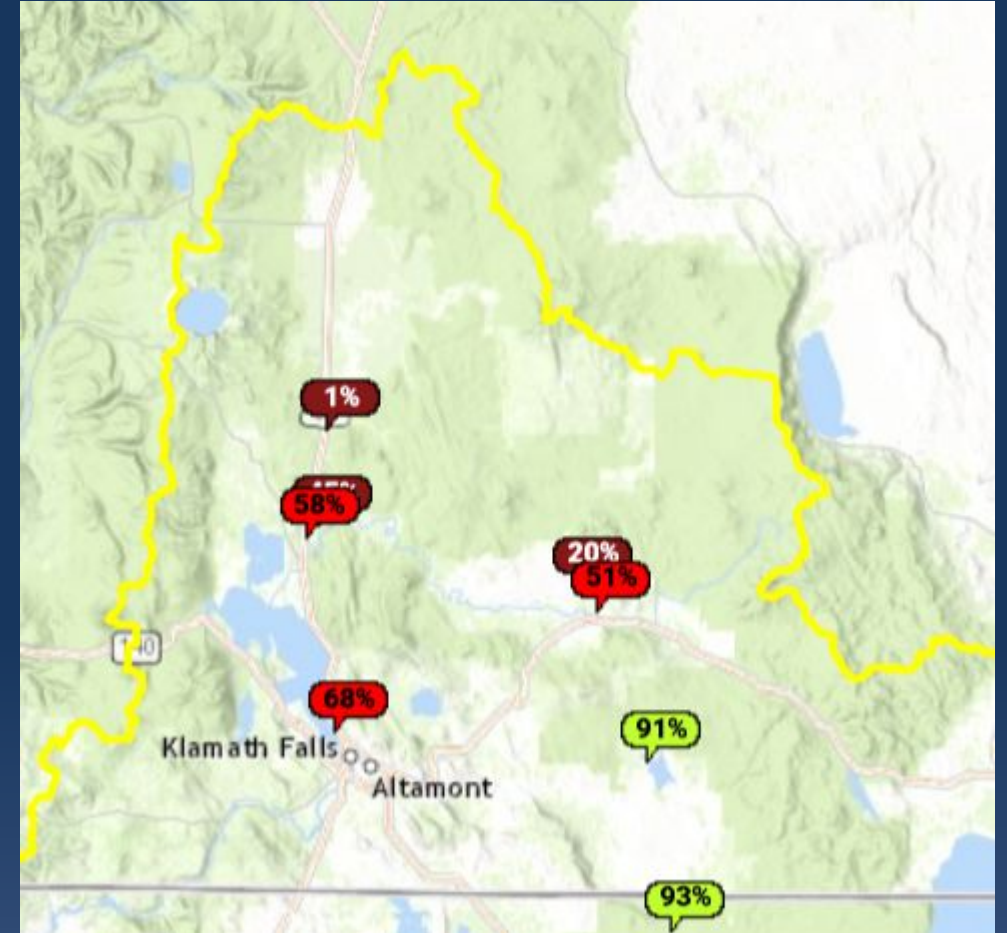
https://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/water_resources_update.php



Apr-Sep Volume Forecasts



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Water Supply Conditions Report

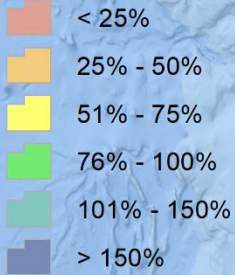
Water Supply Availability Committee



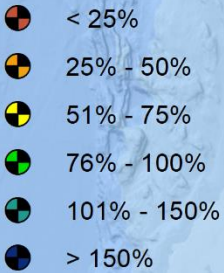
Ken Stahr
Oregon Water Resources
Department
August 13, 2020

Percent of Average Streamflow June, 2020

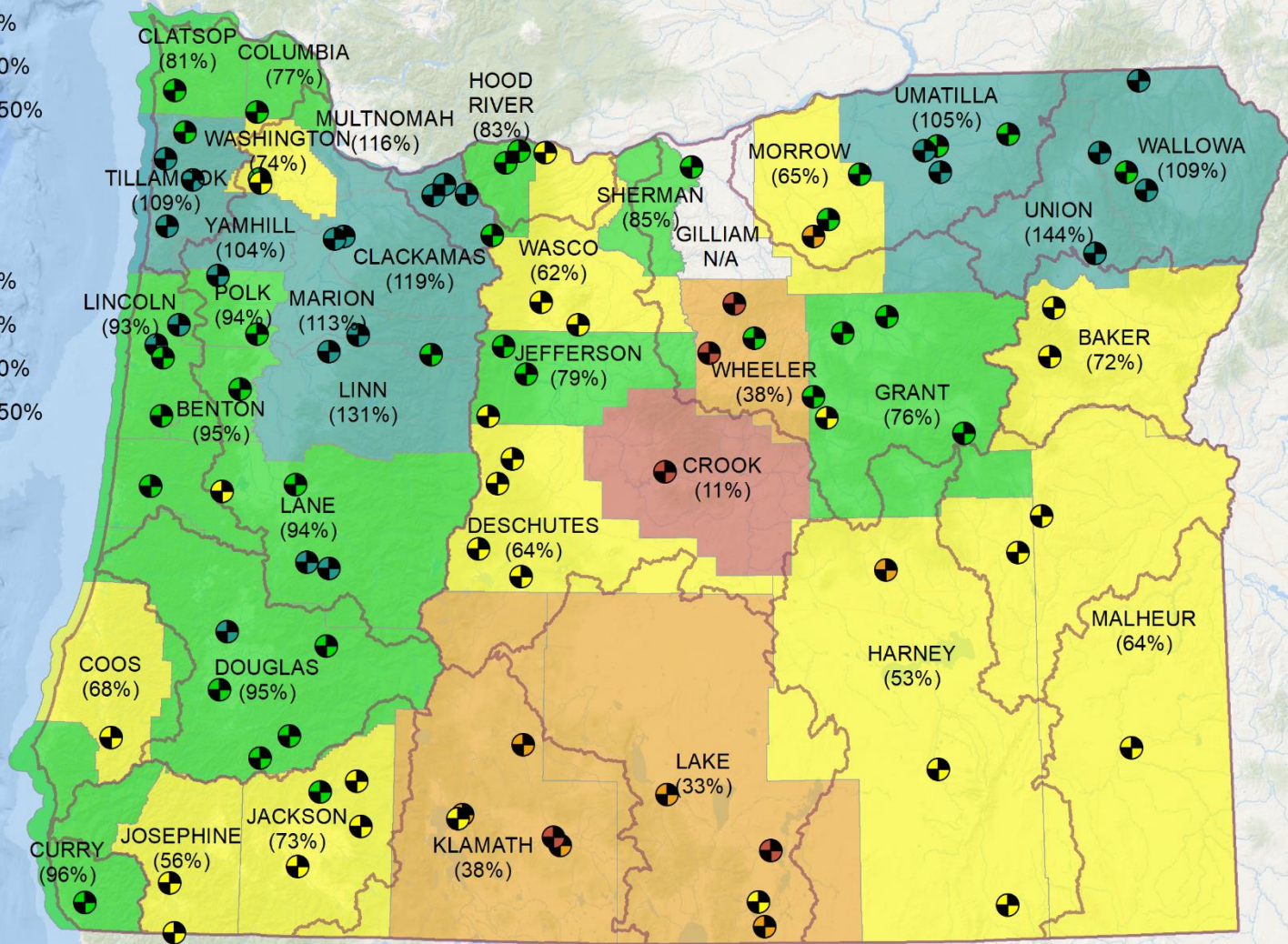
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Stream Gage



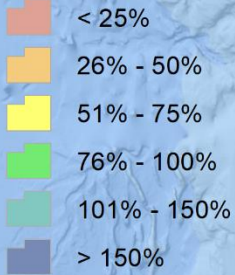
WRD Basin



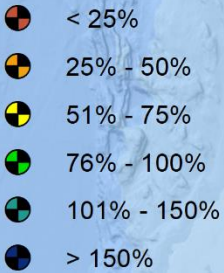
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Percent of Average Streamflow July, 2020

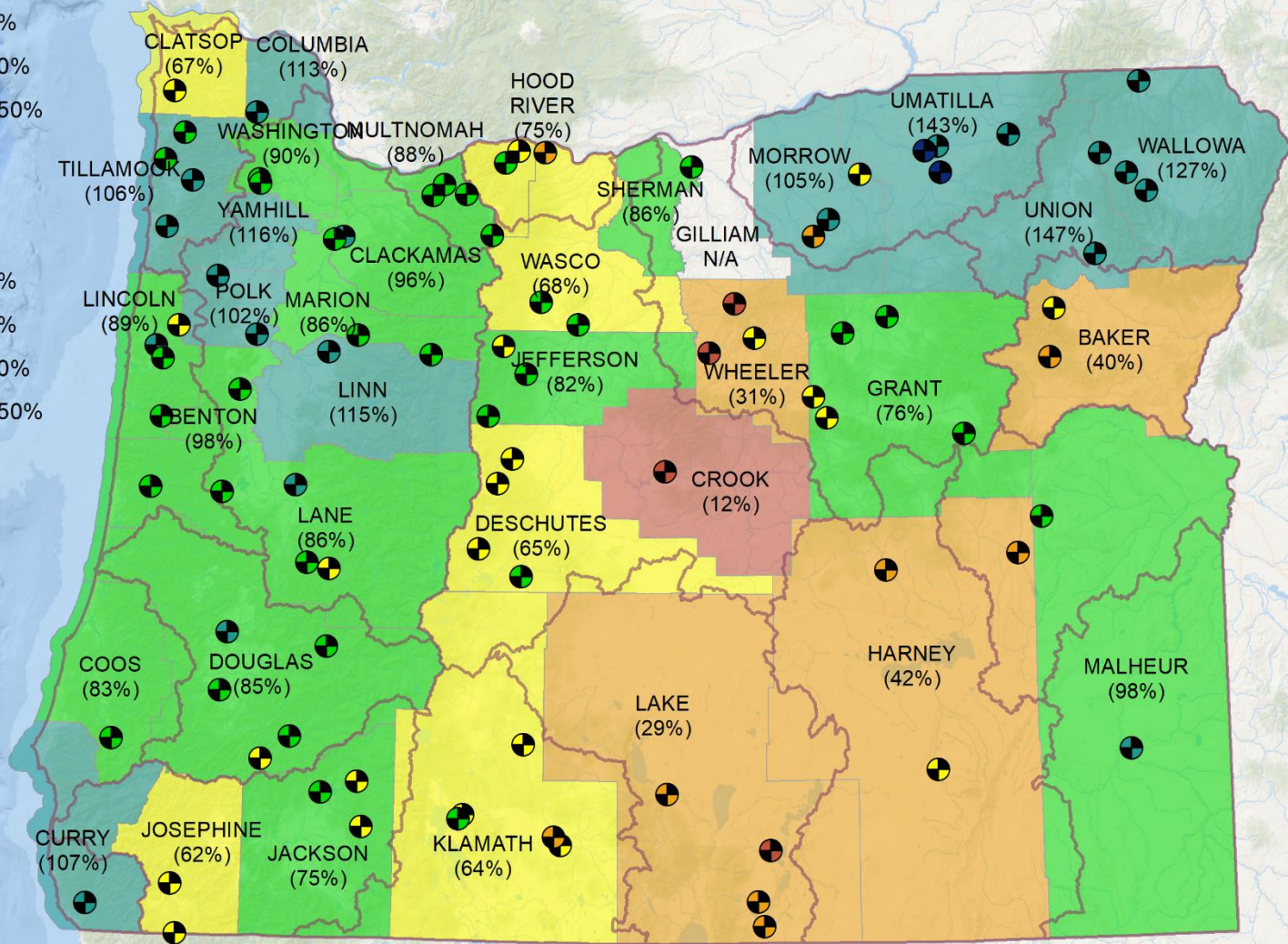
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Stream Gage



WRD Basin

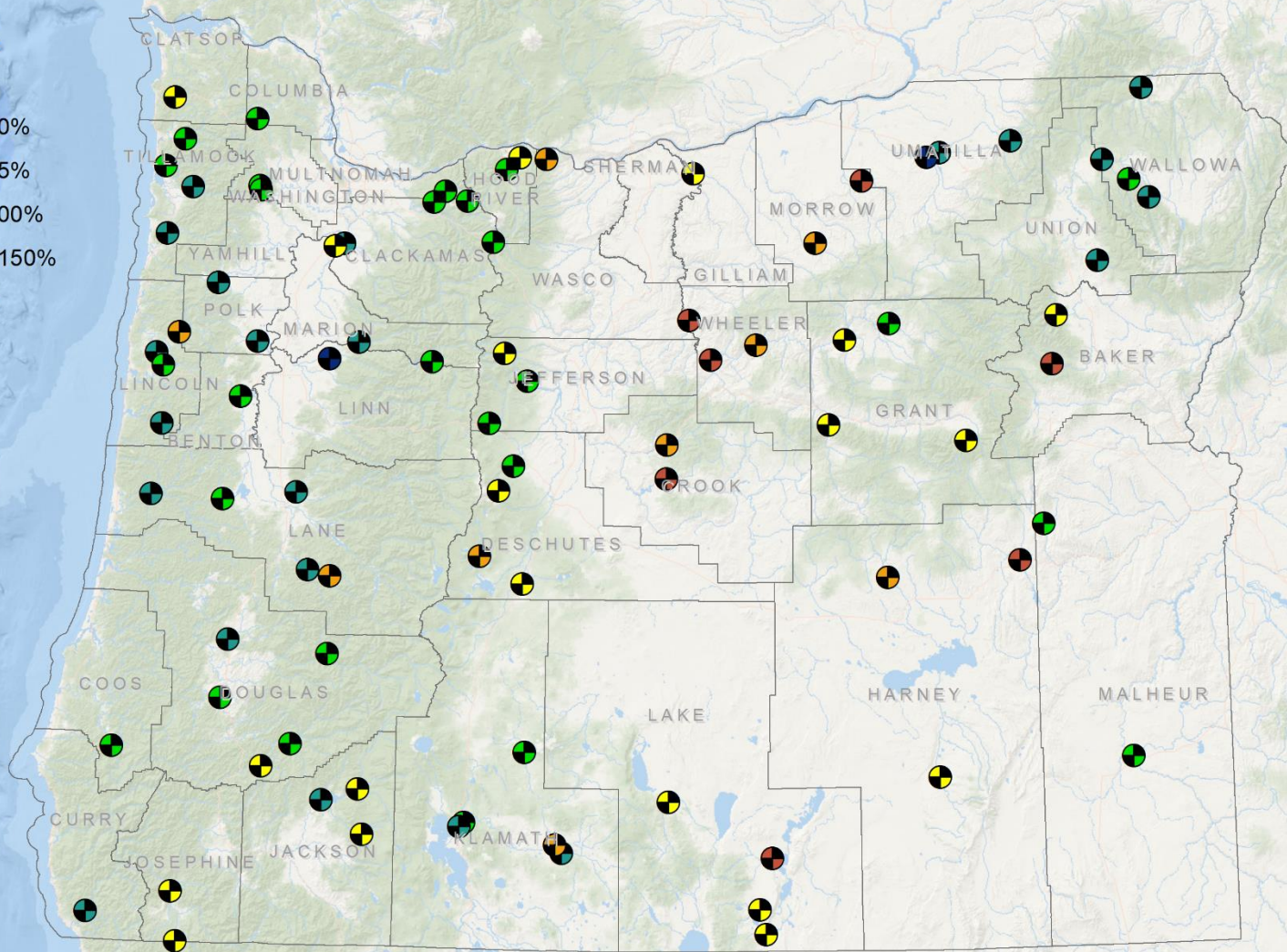


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7 Day Percent of Average Streamflow August 11, 2020

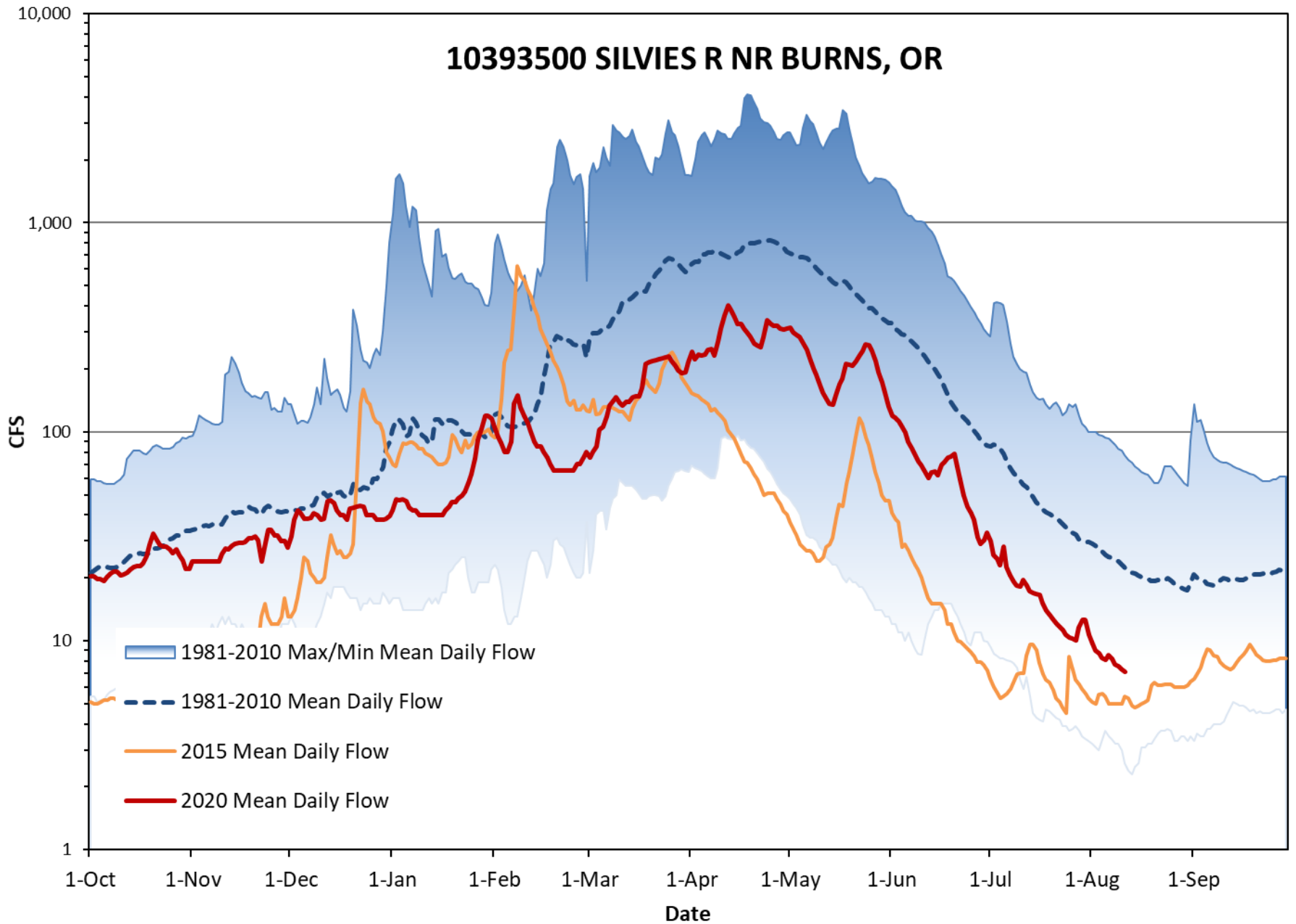
Stream Gage

- < 25%
- 25% - 50%
- 51% - 75%
- 76% - 100%
- 101% - 150%
- > 150%

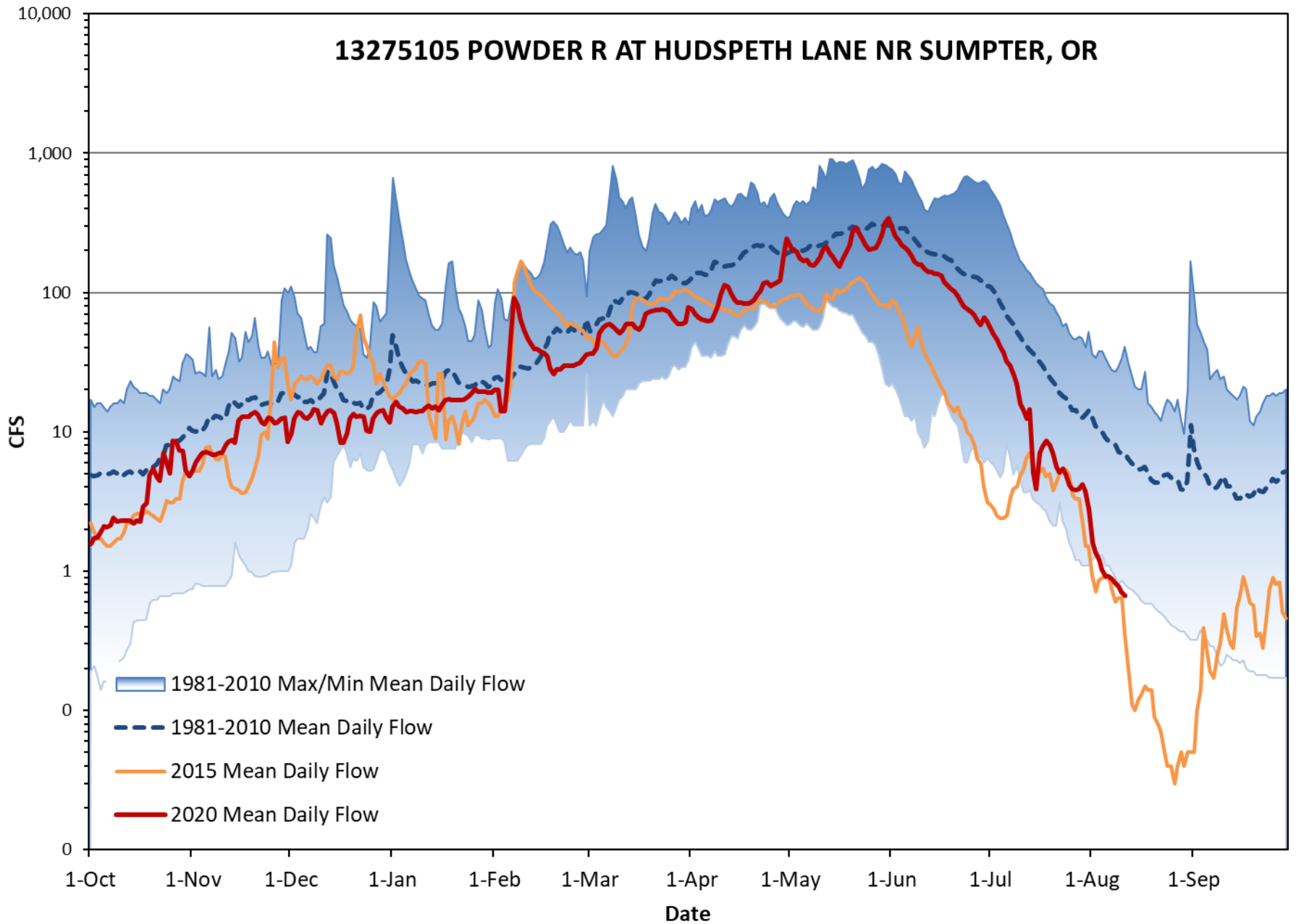


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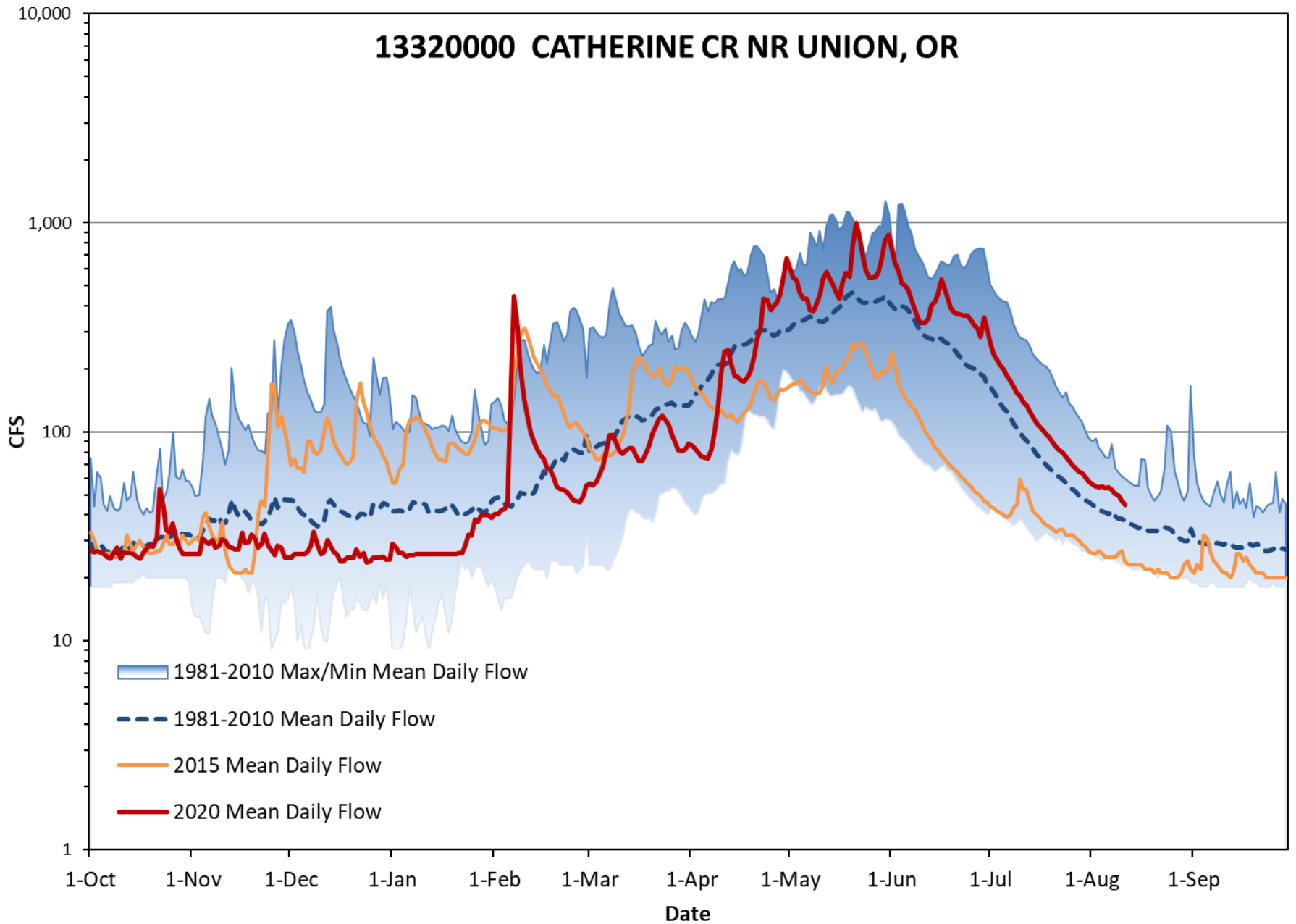
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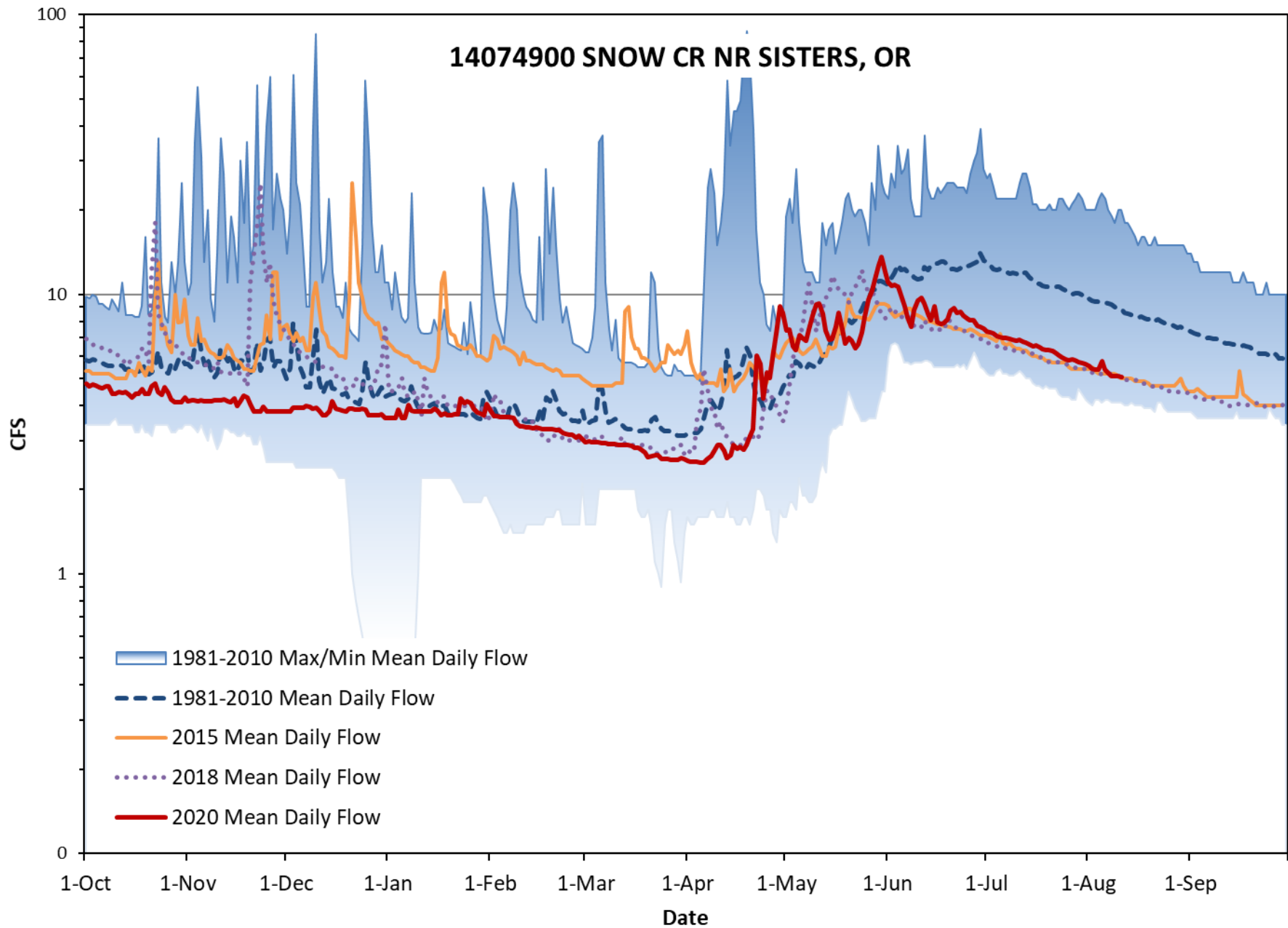
13275105 POWDER R AT HUDSPETH LANE NR SUMPTER, OR



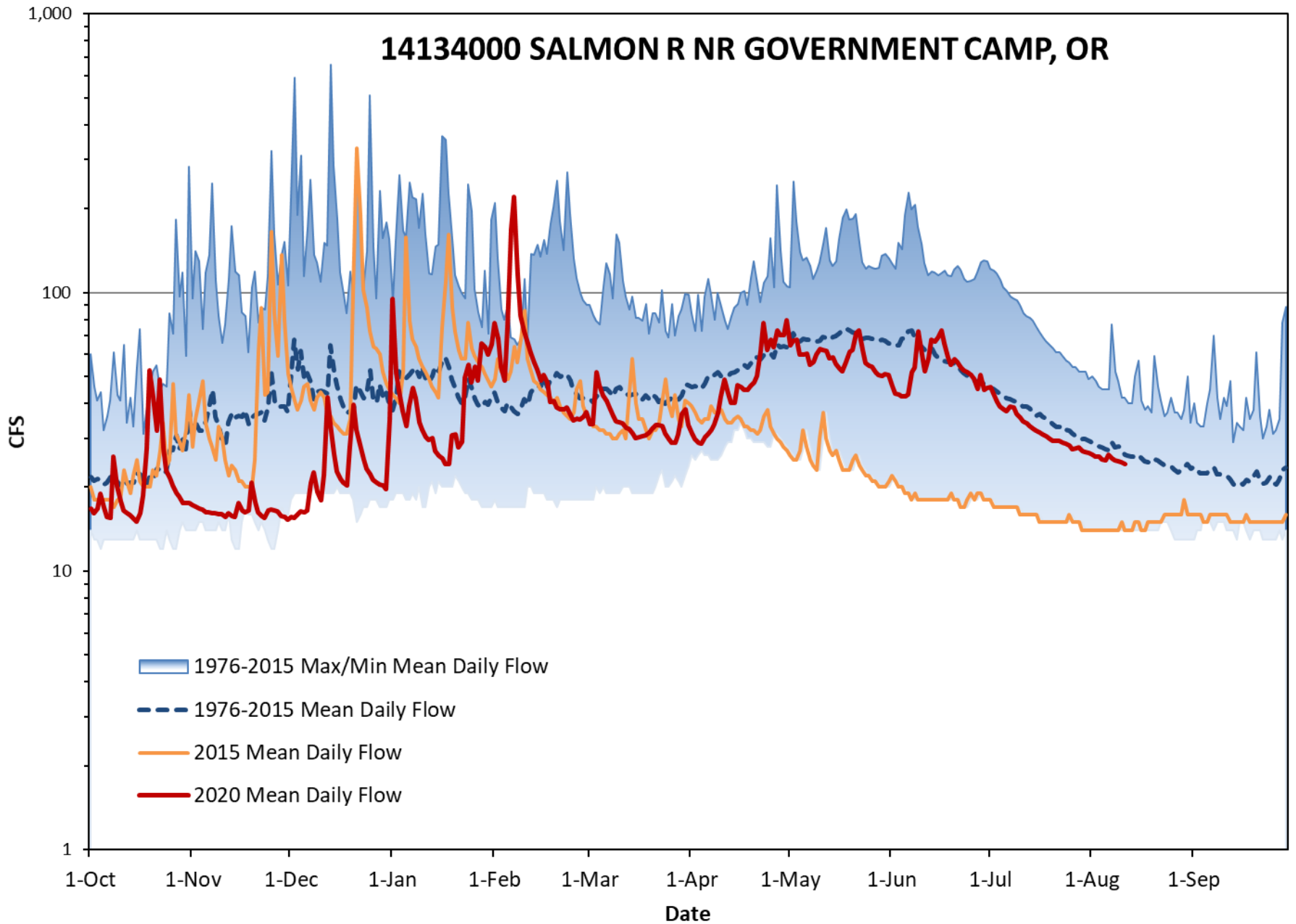
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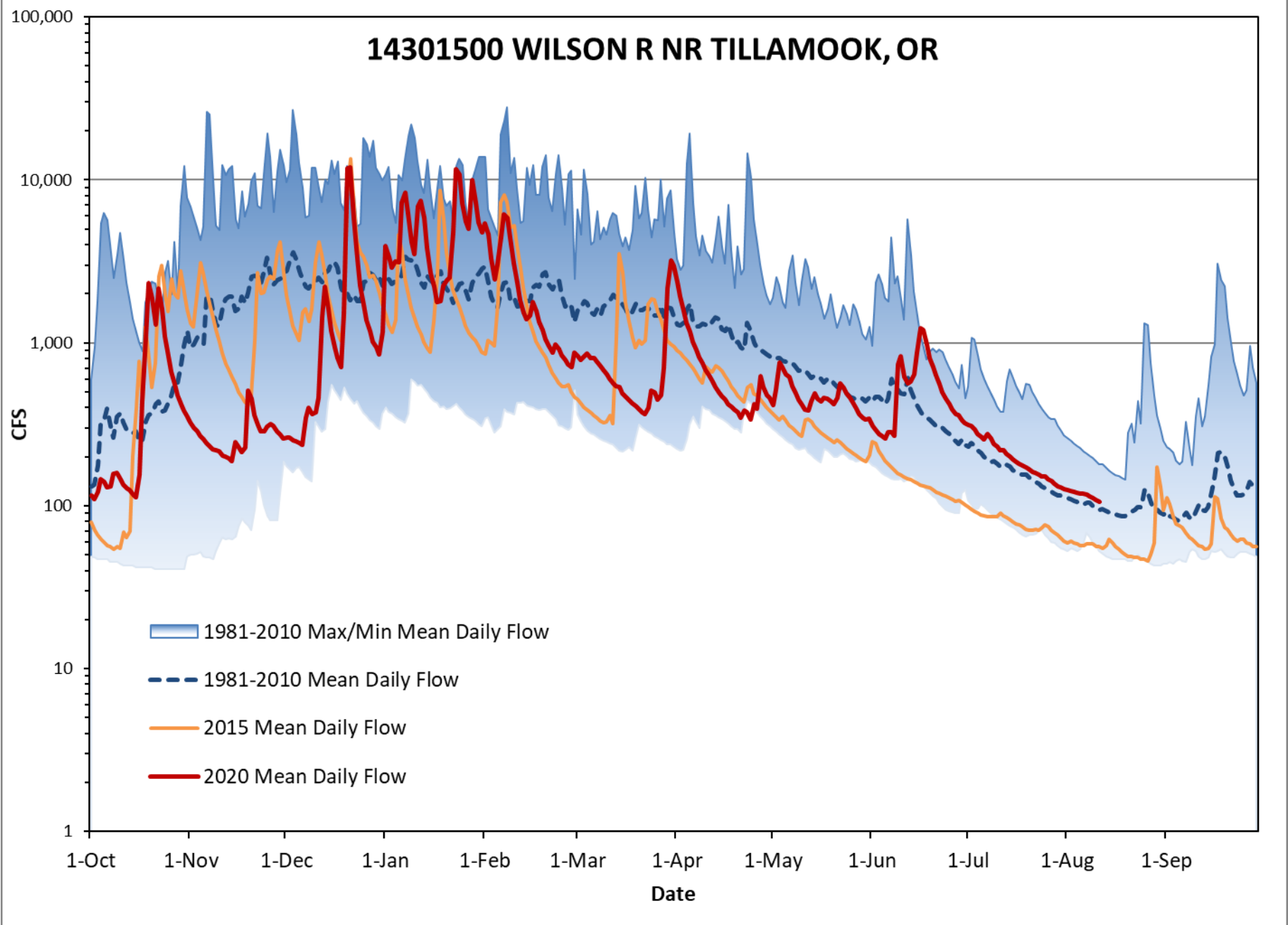
14074900 SNOW CR NR SISTERS, OR



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14301500 WILSON R NR TILLAMOOK, OR



Drought Declaration Status

August 2020

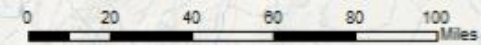
Drought Declaration by

-  County Requested
-  Governor Declared
-  Not Rated



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Projection: Oregon Lambert, NAD 83
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DEPARTMENT

Thank you

An aerial photograph of a river valley. A large, prominent rock formation with a reddish-brown hue sits in the center of the valley. The river flows through the valley, with some rapids visible. The surrounding hills are covered in sparse, green vegetation. The sky is blue with some white clouds.

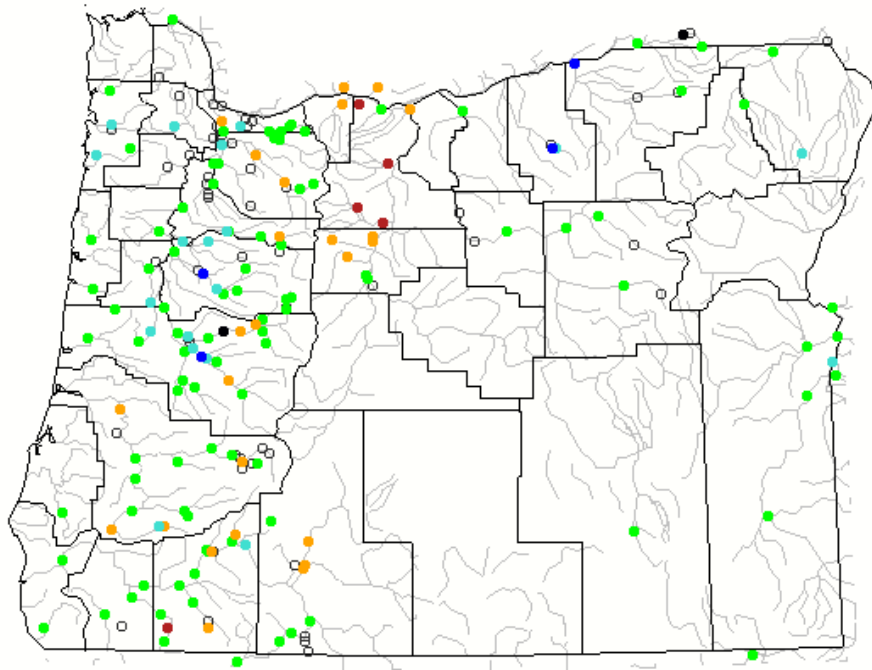
Oregon Water Supply Availability Meeting

August 2020

U.S. Department of the Interior
U.S. Geological Survey

USGS Update on Surface Water Conditions
Carrie Boudreau & Marc Stewart
Oregon Water Science Center
Photo: above USGS gage 14083780

July 2020



Search USGS streamgage

Choose a data retrieval option and select a location on the map

- List of all stations Single station Nearest stations Peak flow

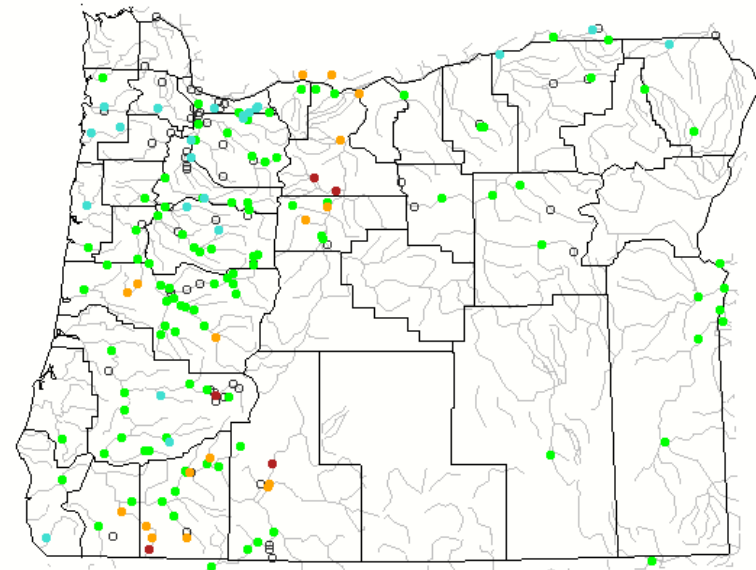
Explanation - Percentile classes

Low	<10	10-24	25-75	76-90	>90	High	Not-ranked
	Much below normal	Below normal	Normal	Above normal	Much above normal		



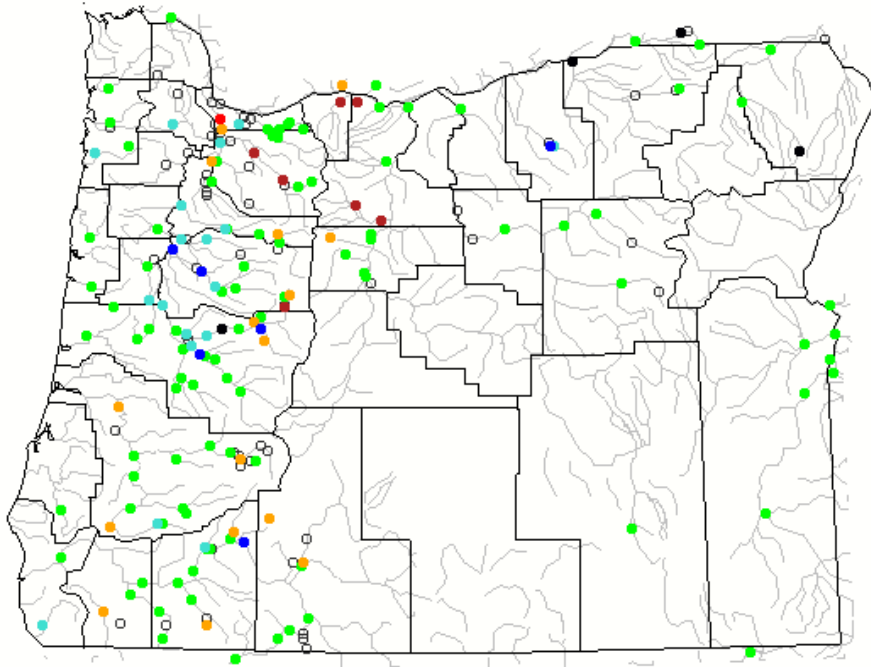
Monthly Average Streamflow (as compared to Historical Record)

June 2020



Tuesday, August 11, 2020

7-day Average Streamflow (as compared to Historical Record)



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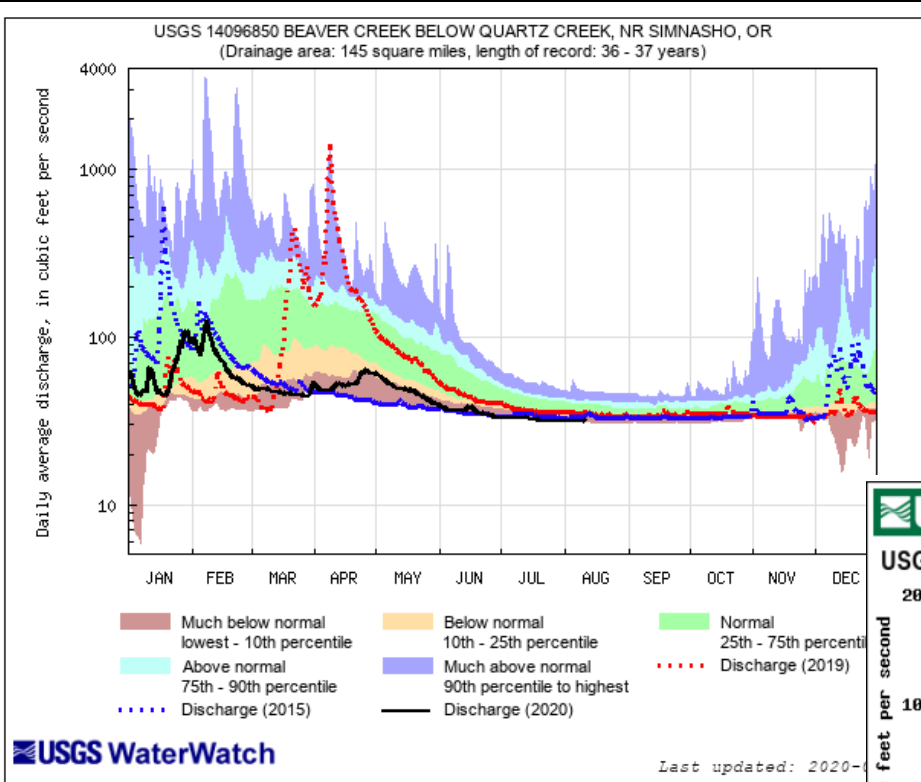
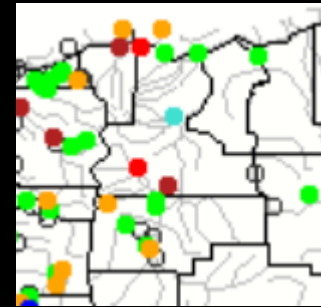
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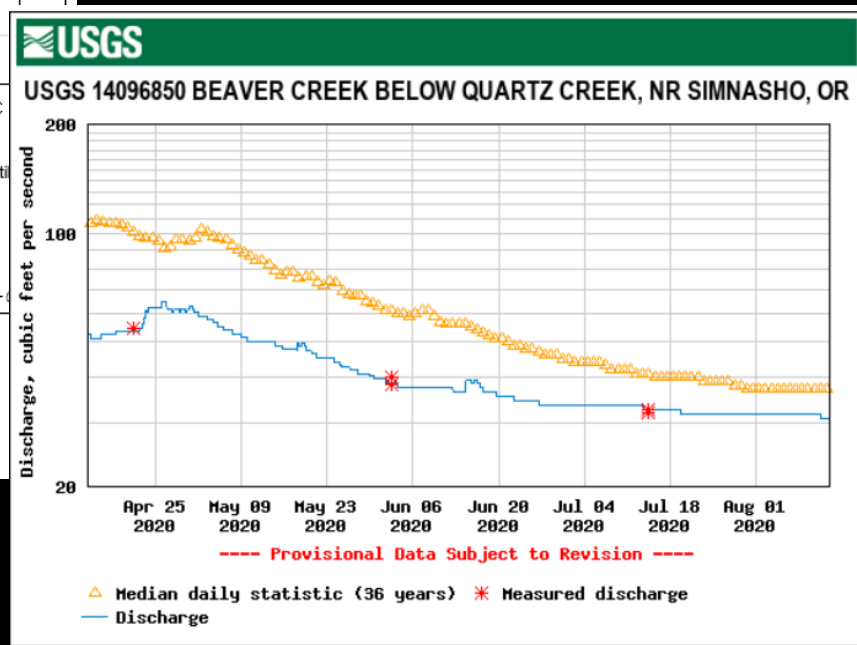


Wasco County

14096850 Beaver Cr blw
Quartz Cr, nr Shinnasho, OR

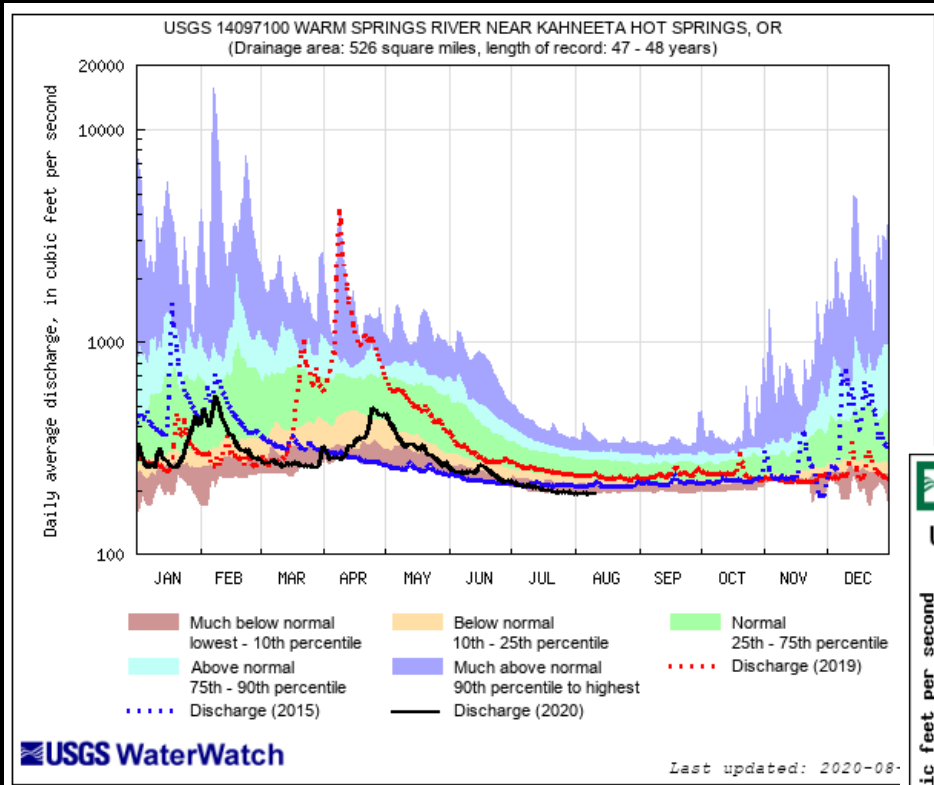


Explanation - Percentile classes					FLOW
lowest-10th percentile	10-24	25-75	76-90	90th percentile - highest	
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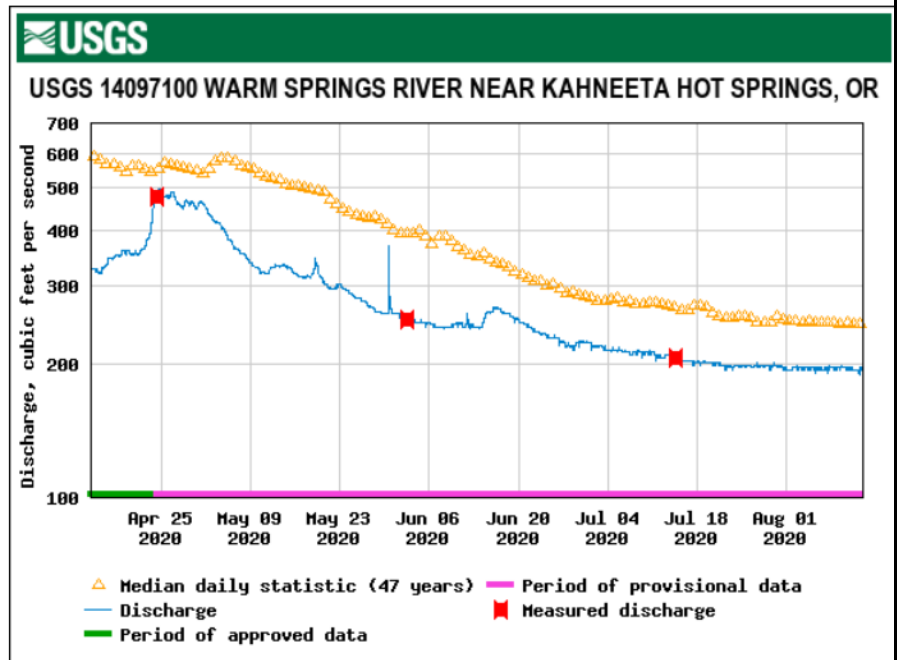


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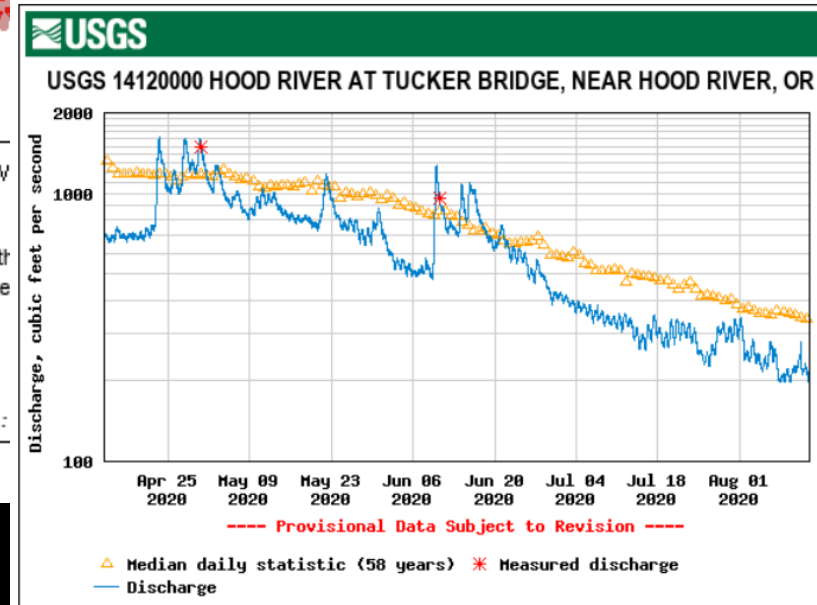
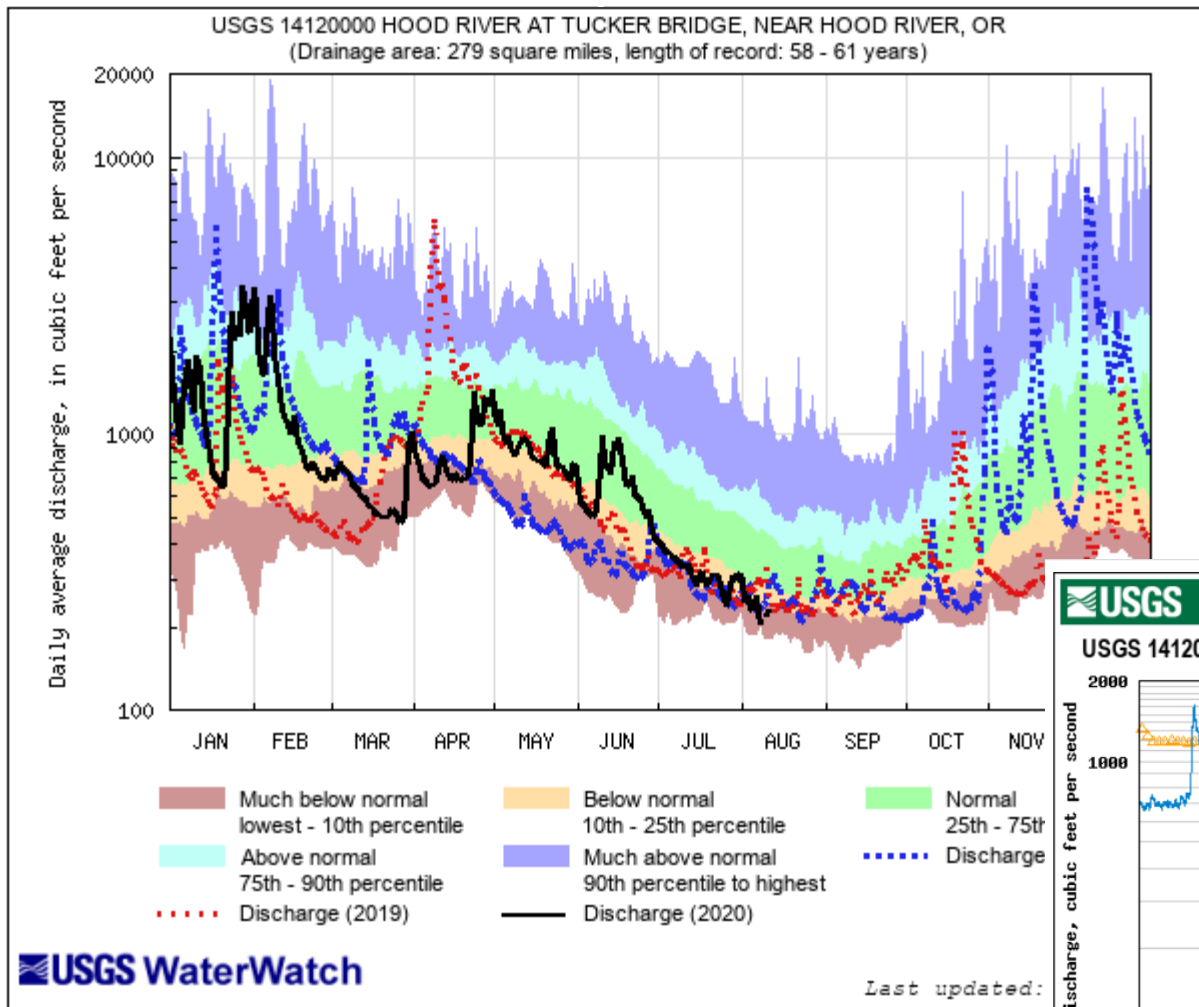
14097100 Warm Springs R nr
Kahneeta Hot Springs, OR



Explanation - Percentile classes					
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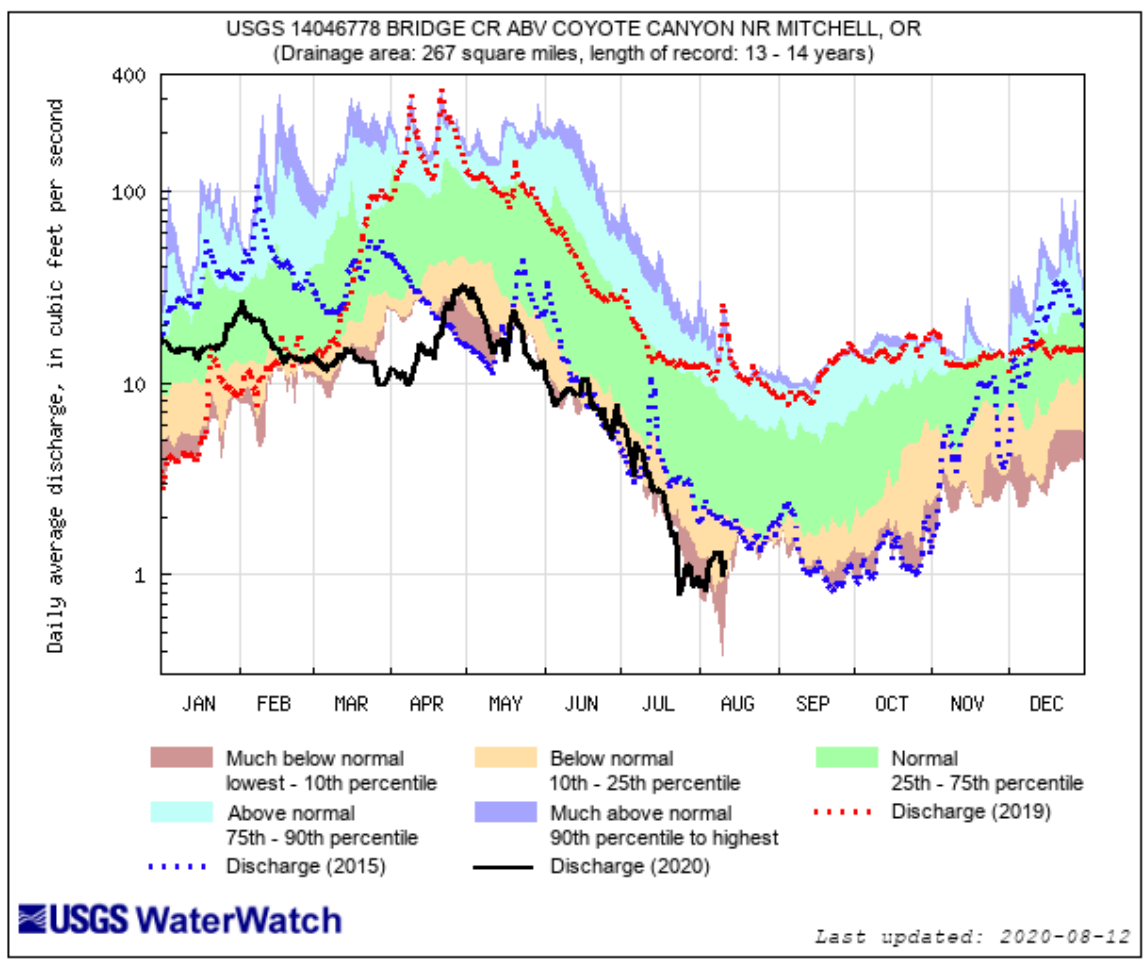


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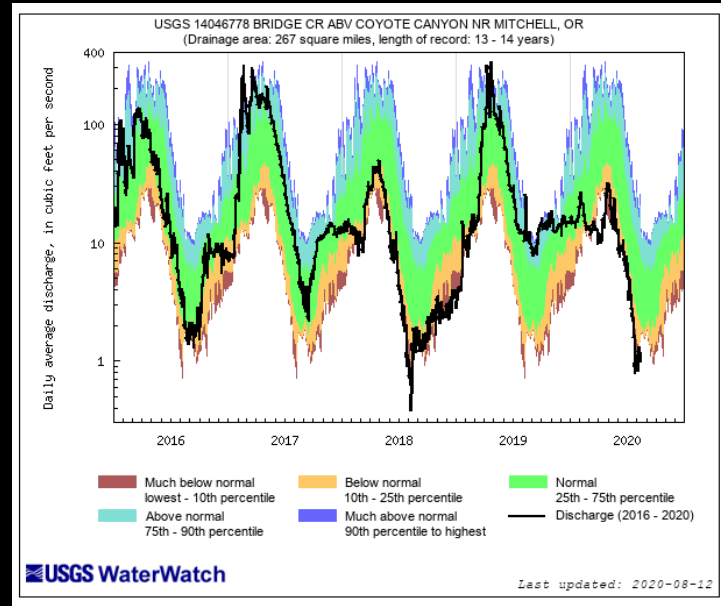


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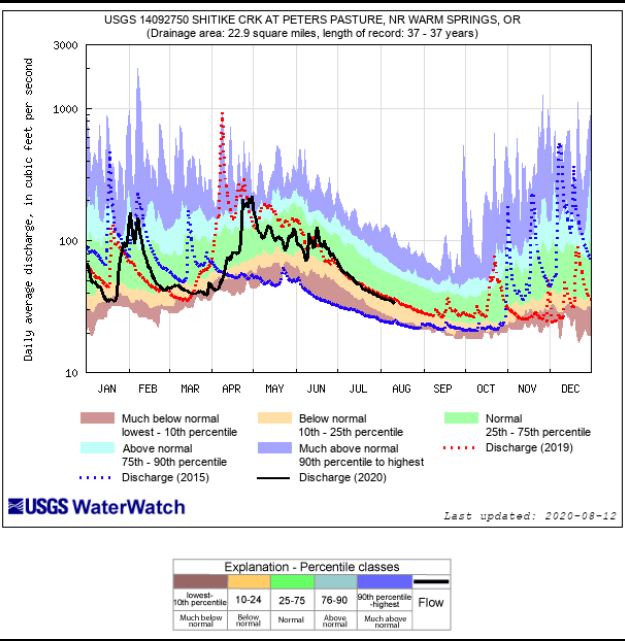


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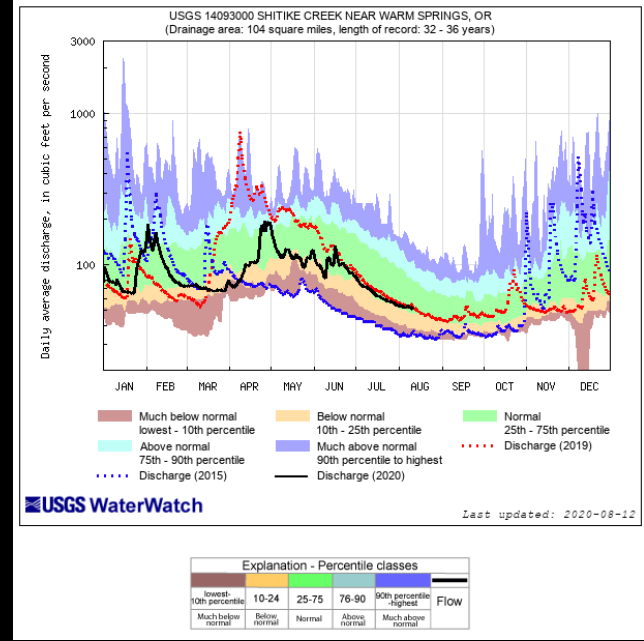


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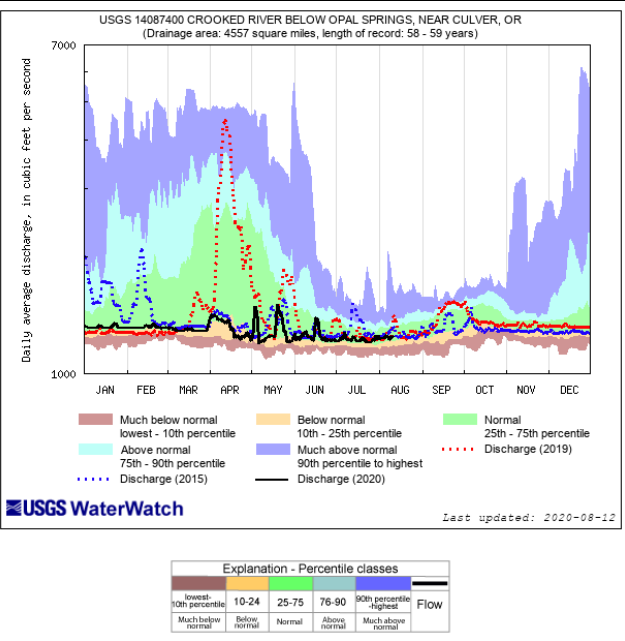
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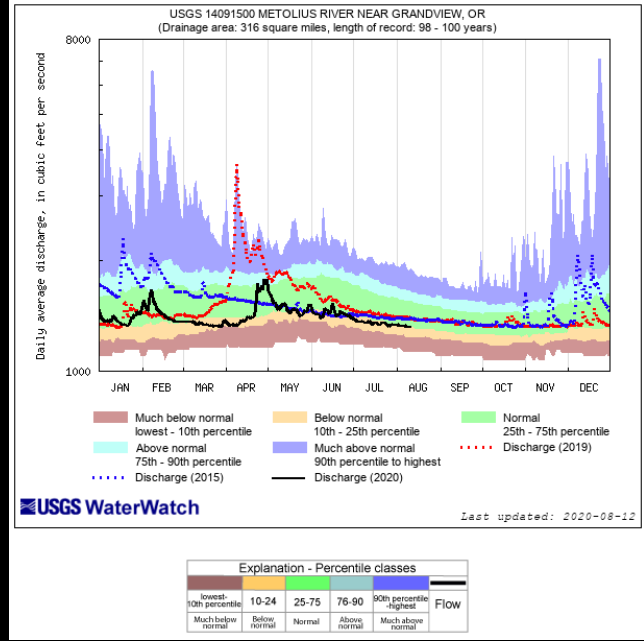
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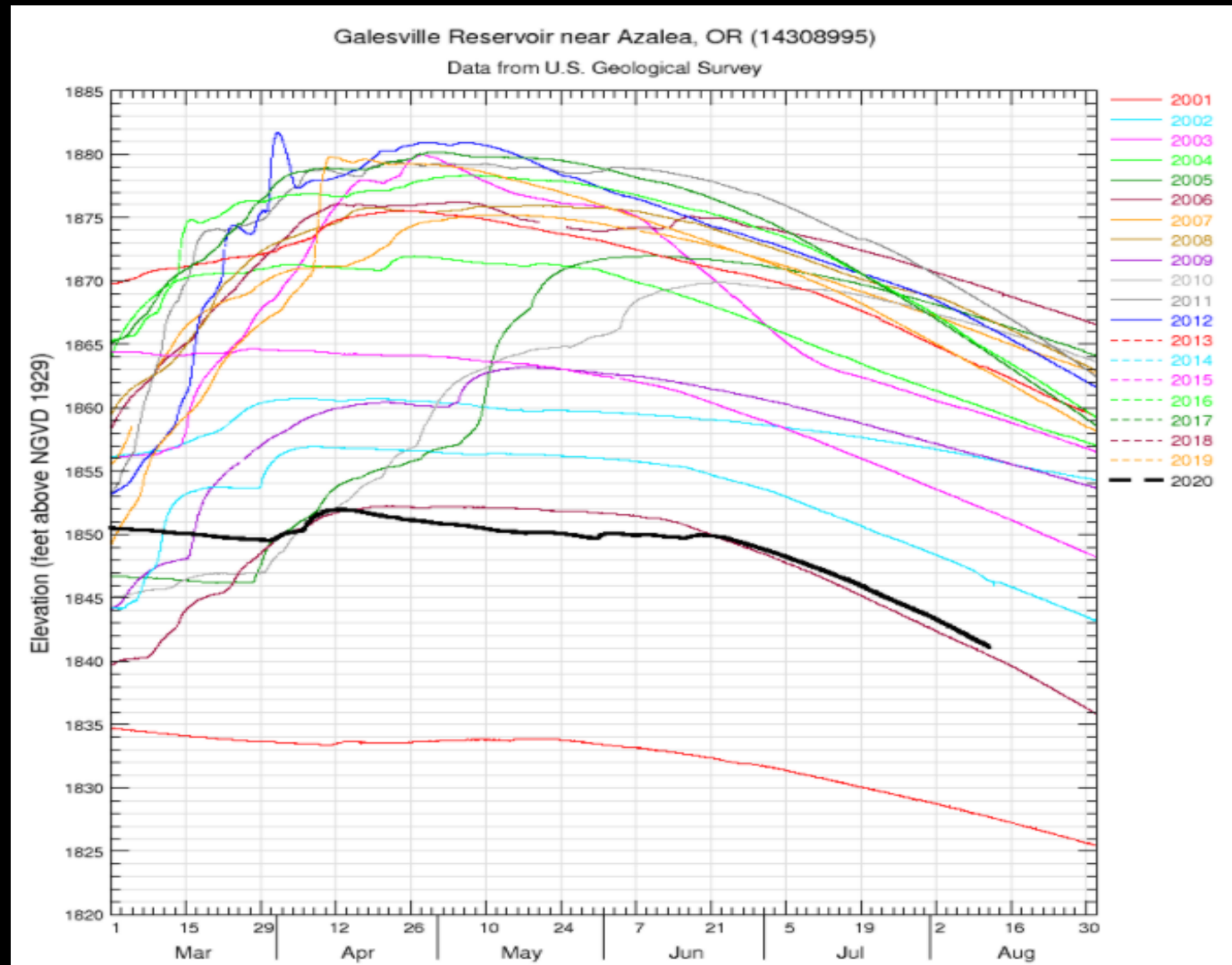


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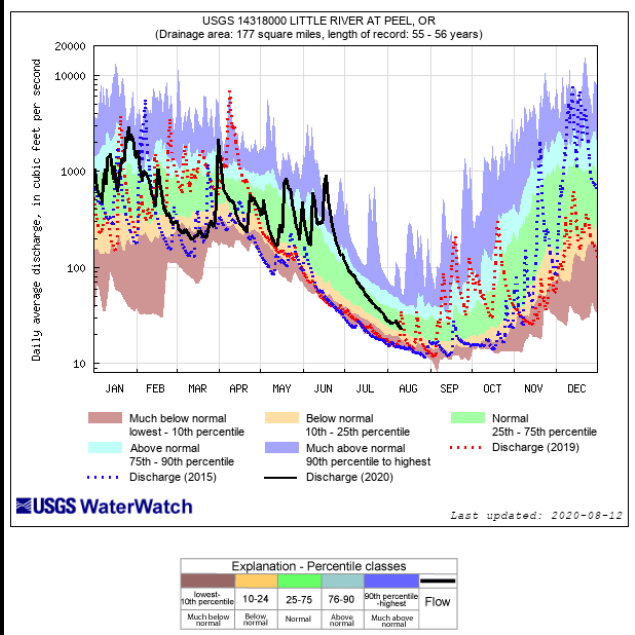


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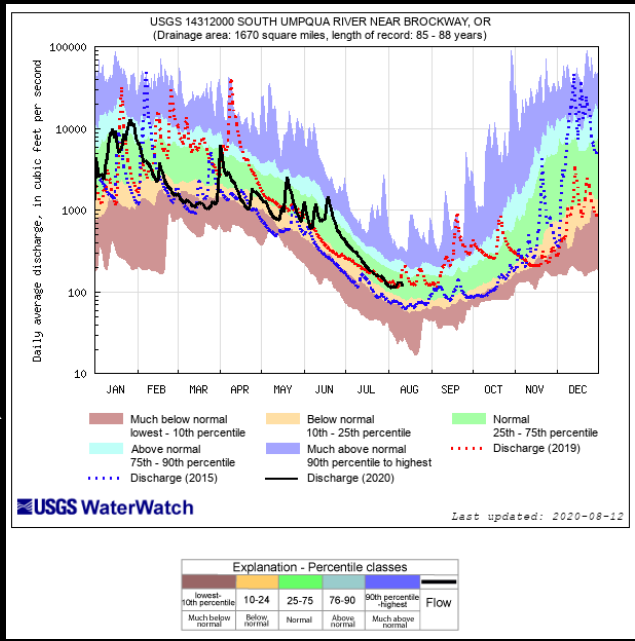
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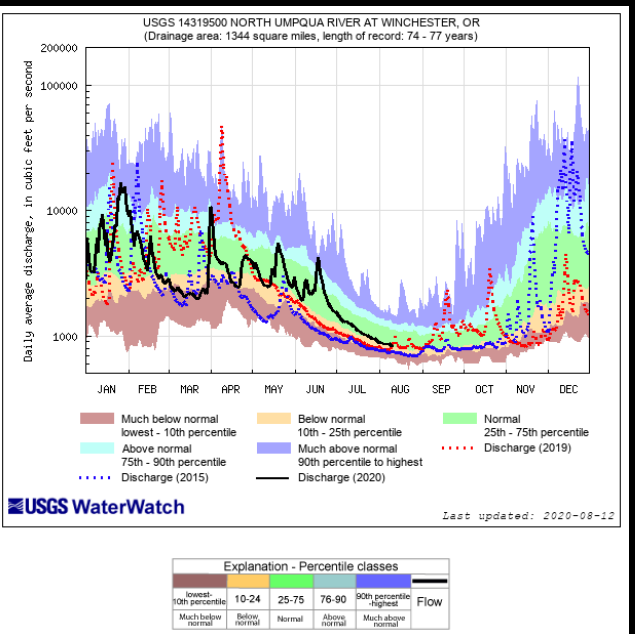
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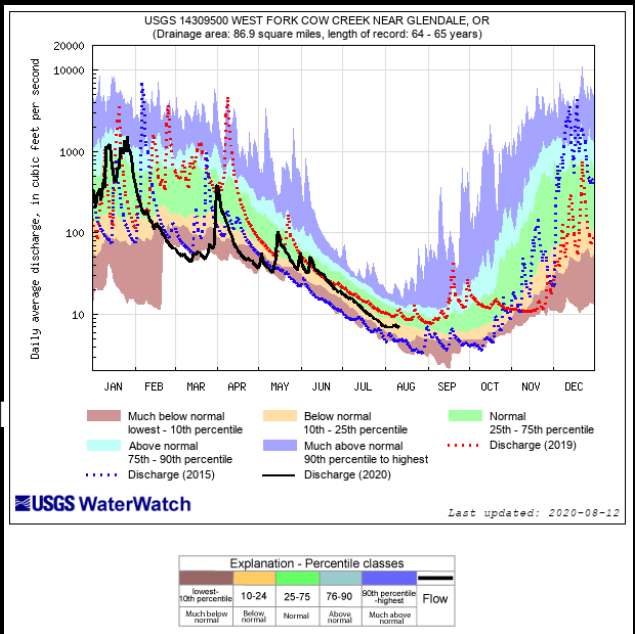
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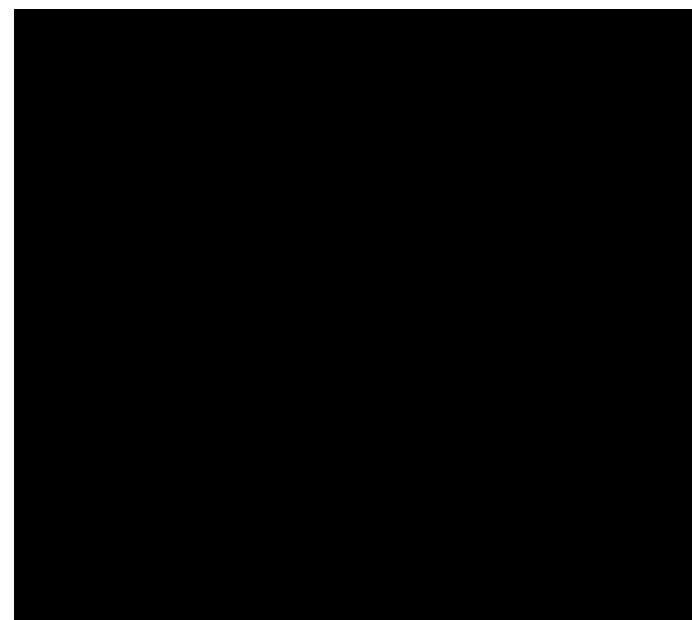
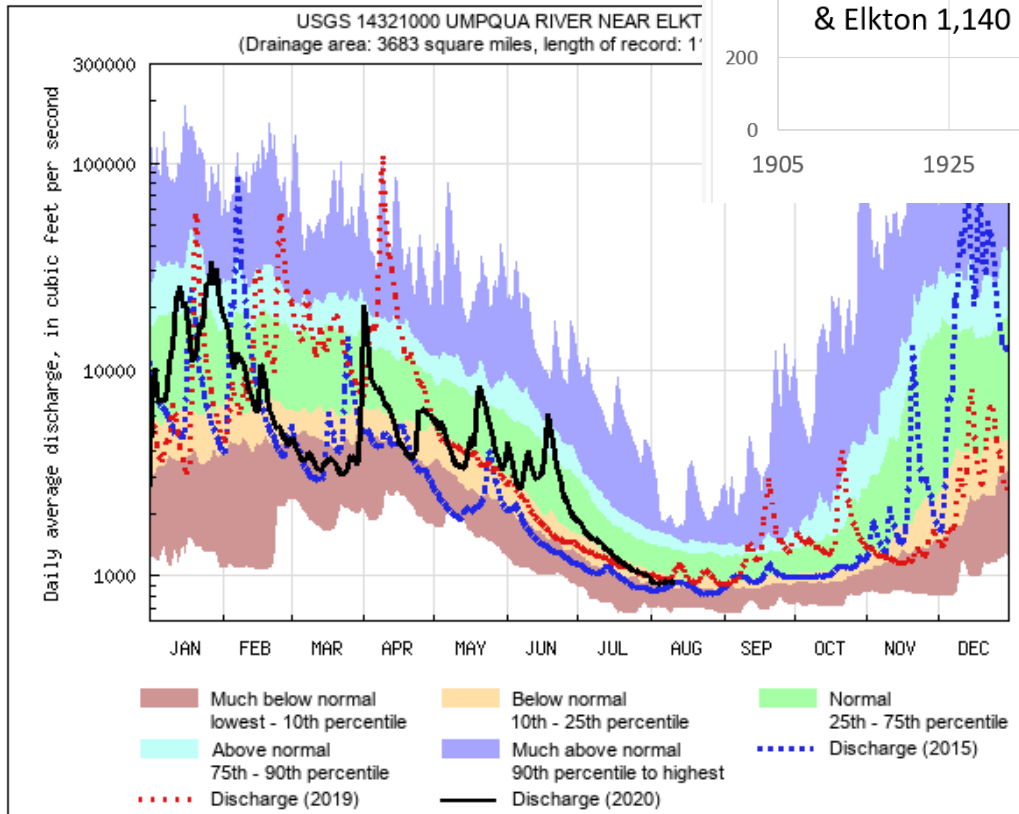
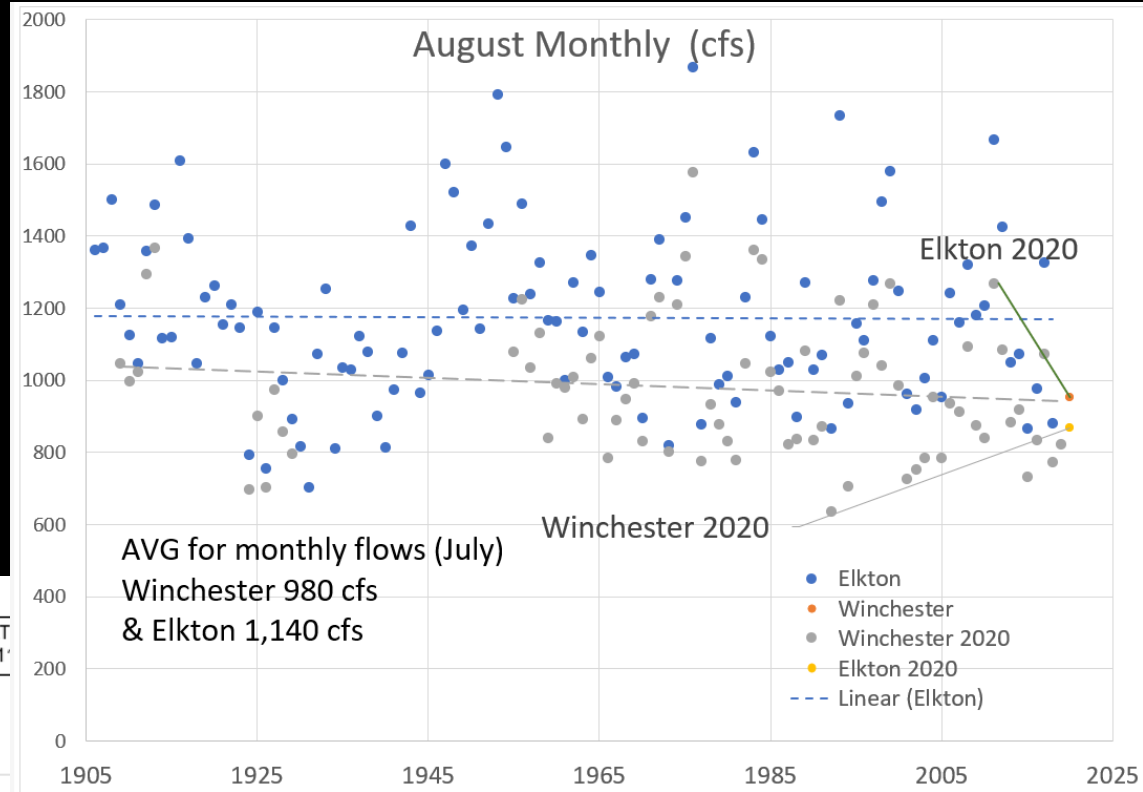


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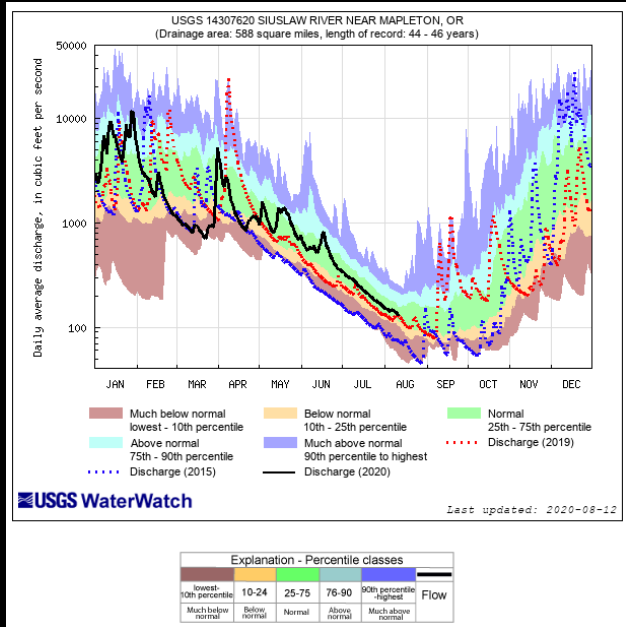
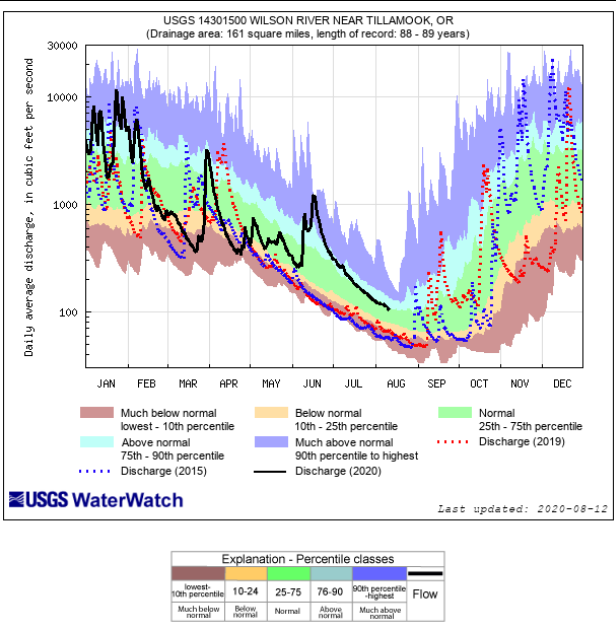
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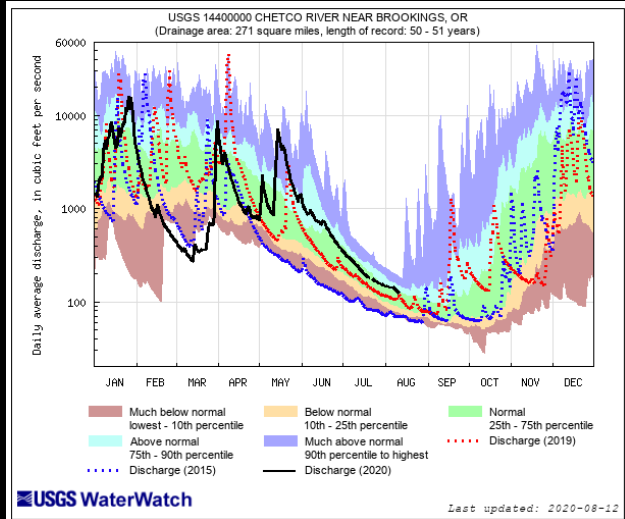


Coastal Oregon

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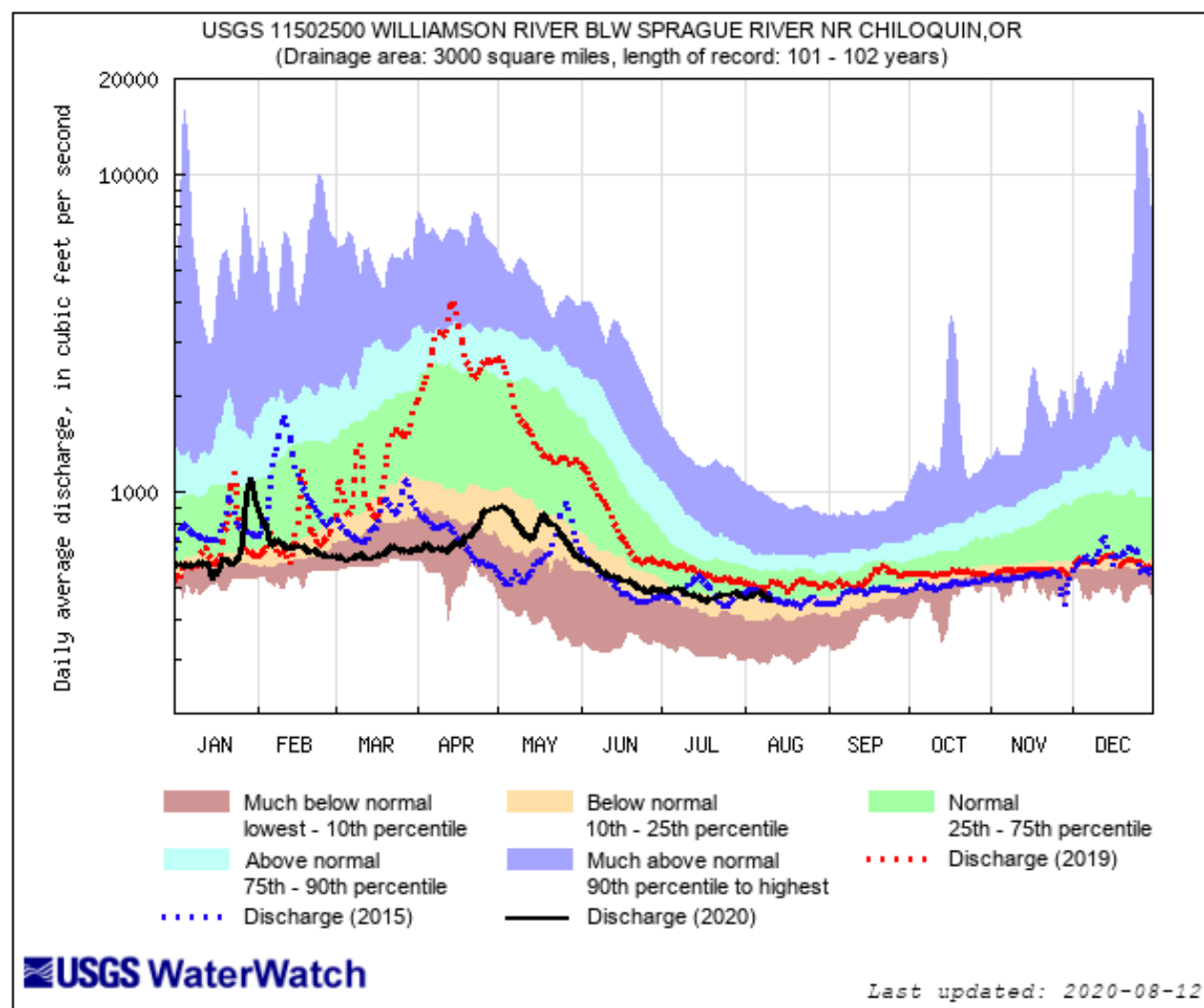
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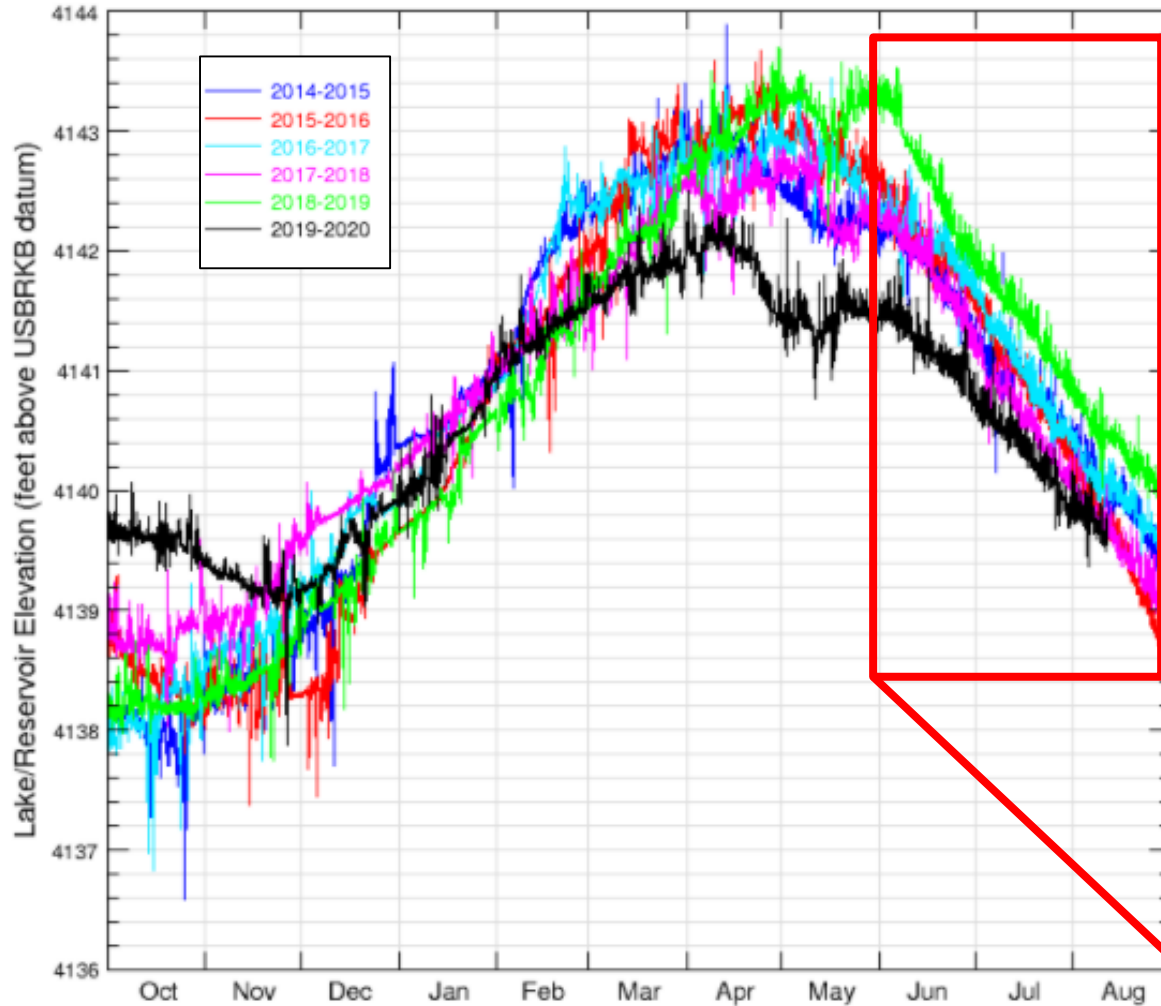


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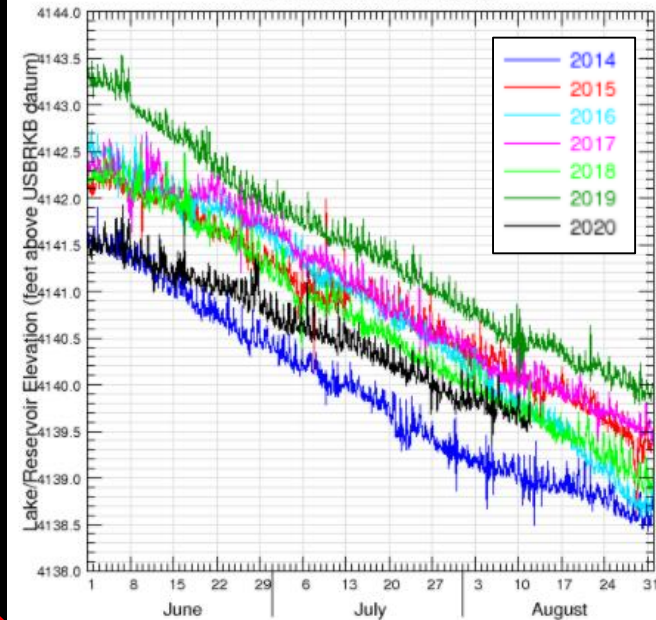
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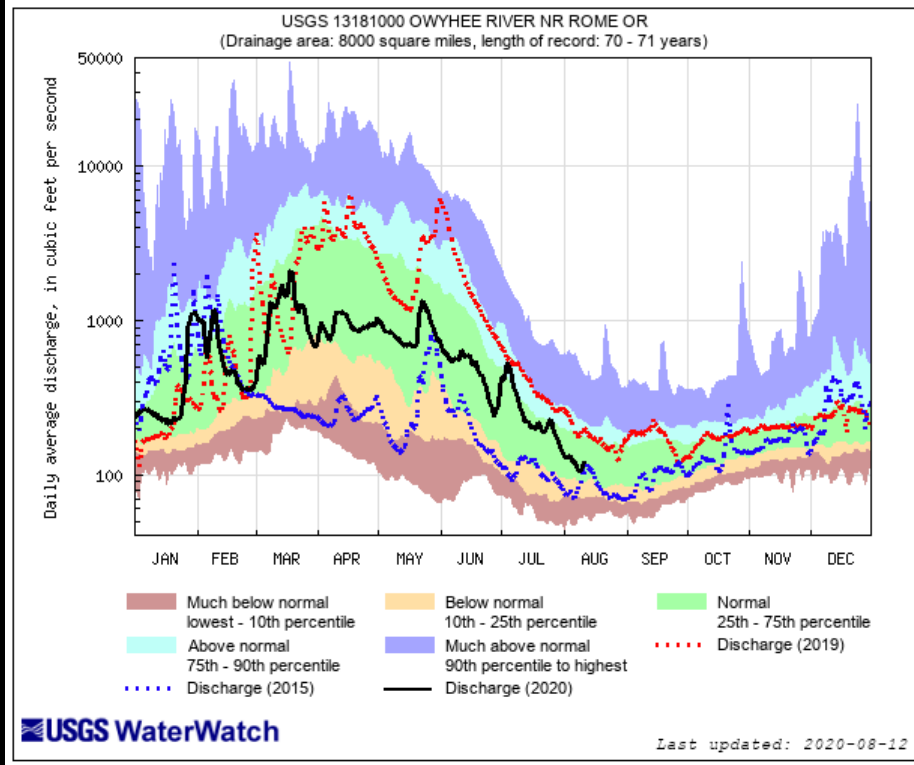
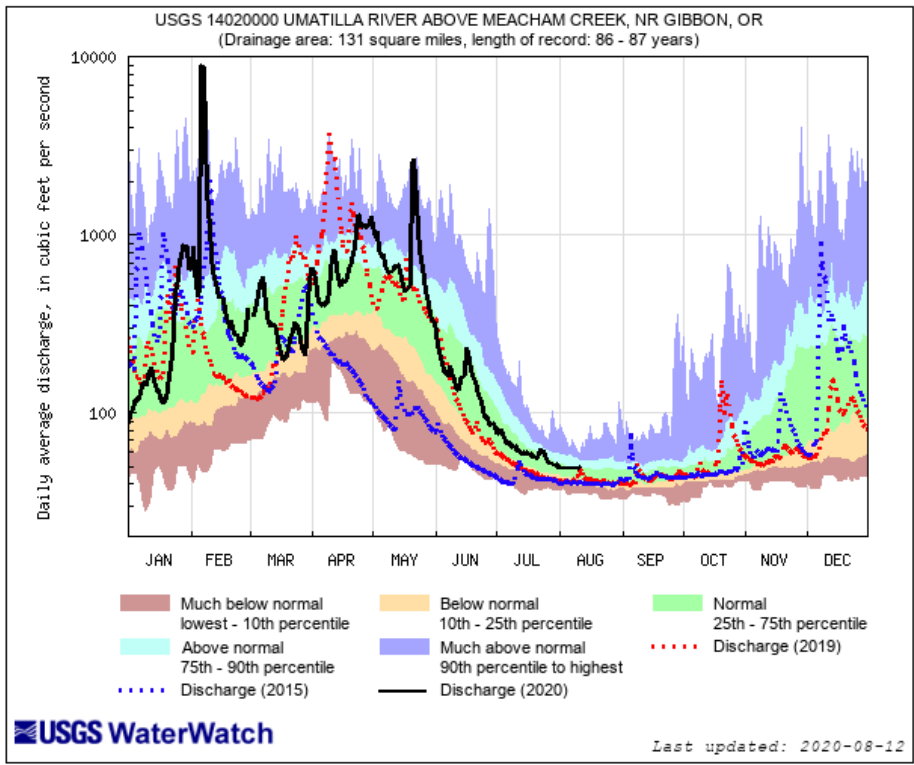
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Eastern Oregon

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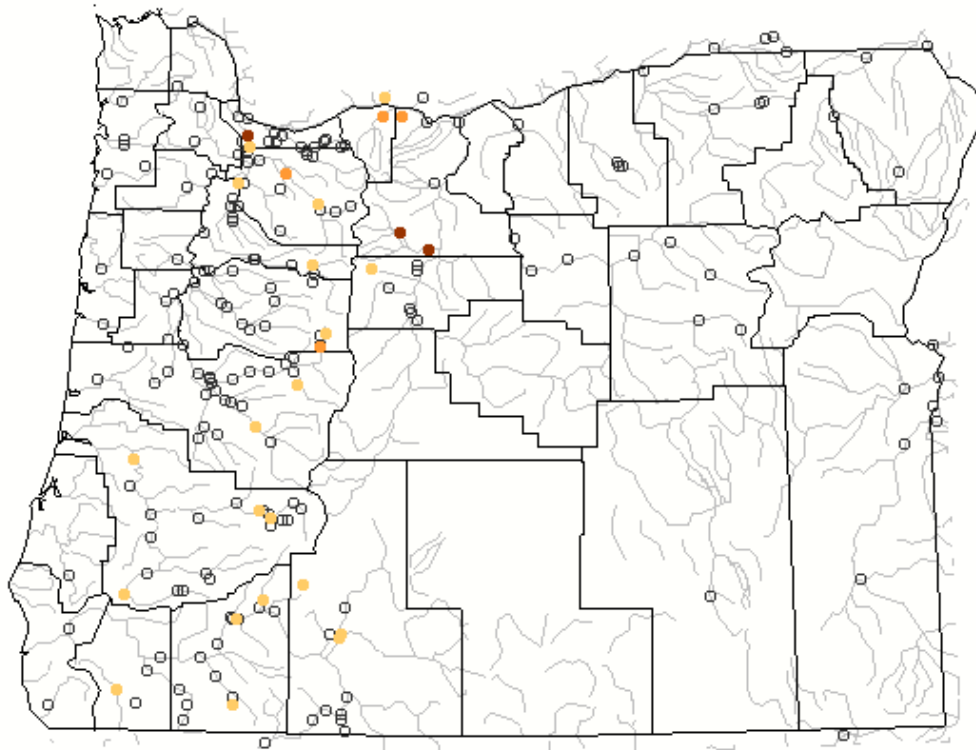


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14-day *below normal* Average Streamflow (as compared to Historical Record)



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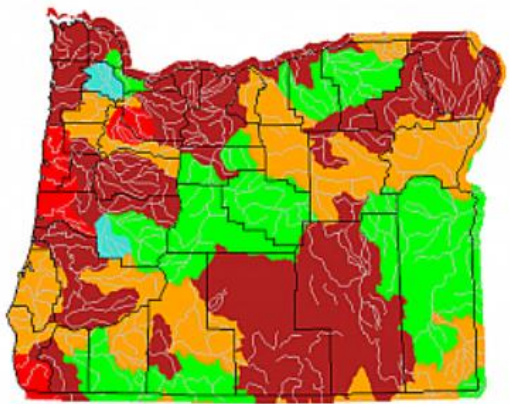
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Explanation - Percentile classes				
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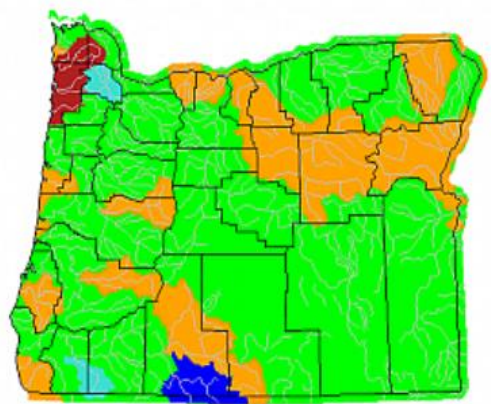
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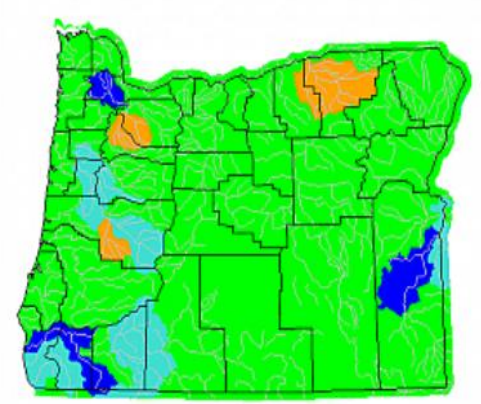
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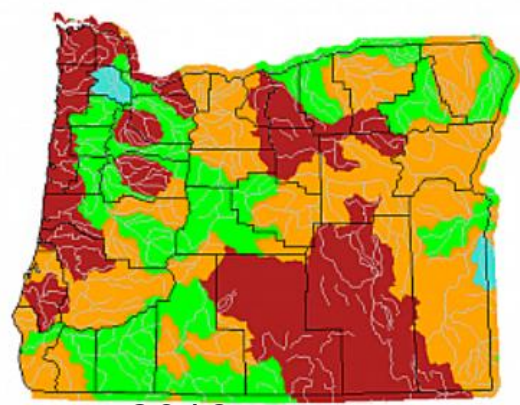


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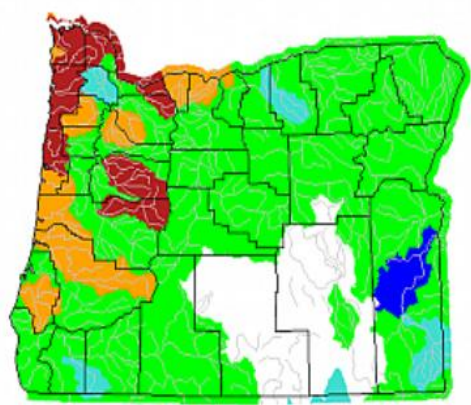
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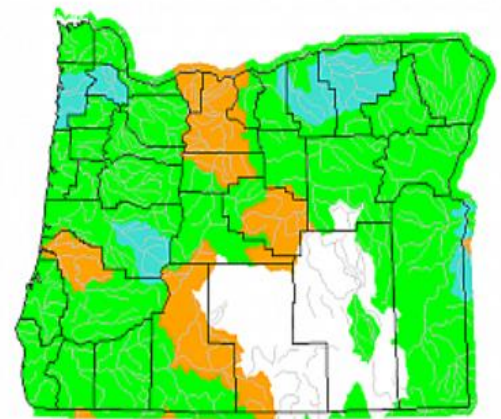
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Comparison of Streamflow Maps (month of July)



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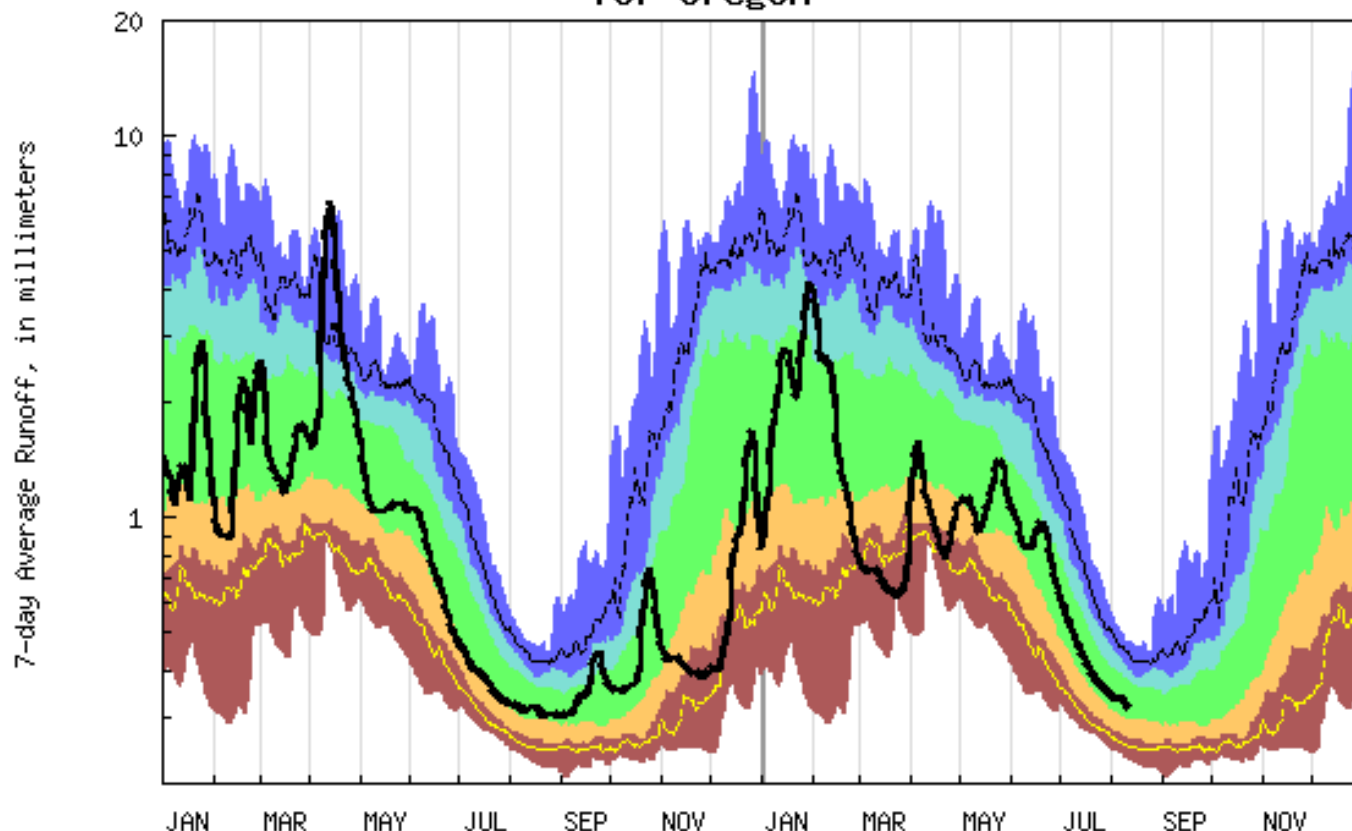
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		Cubic feet per second	Percent of average		
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(*)Deep Creek above Adel	Lake County	11	32	-90	61
(*)Chewaucan River near Paisley	Lake County	23	35	-67	52
Williamson River near Chiloquin	Klamath	476	87	-11	56
Owyhee River near Rome	Owyhee	266	110	-45	49
(*)NF Malheur River near Beulah	Malheur	55	82	-52	70
Grande Ronde R at Troy	Grande Ronde Powder/Burnt	2,540	135	-63	108
Umatilla River nr Gibbon	Umatilla Lower John Day	62	105	-59	141
John Day River at Service Crk	Upper John Day	414	69	-81	80
(*)Little Deschutes River nr LaPine	Upper Deschutes	138	81	-5	60
Hood River nr Hood River	Lower Deschutes Mt.Hood	320	65	-51	73
Willamette River at Salem	Willamette	7,930	105	-41	67
Wilson River near Tillamook	North Coast	201	122	-63	93
Umpqua River near Elkton	Rogue/Umpqua	1,310	81	-60	63
Rogue River near Agness	Rogue/Umpqua	2,070	84	-39	54
SF Coquille River at Powers	South Coast	58	95	-60	55
Chetco River near Brookings	South Coast	221	105	-69	65

All data should be considered provisional and subject to revision.
Percent of average computed using 30-year base period, water years 1981-2010.
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Duration hydrograph of 7-day average runoff for Oregon



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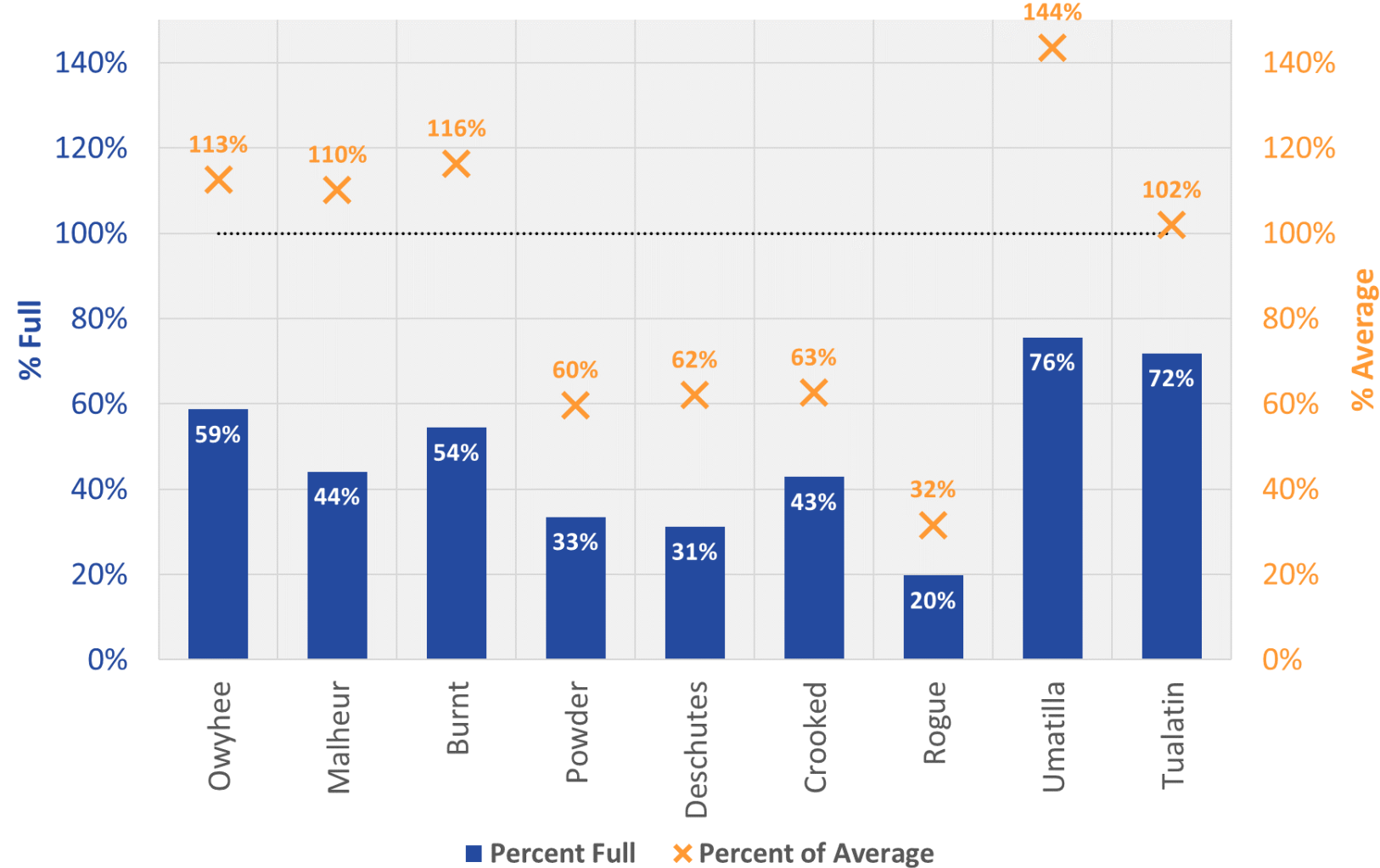
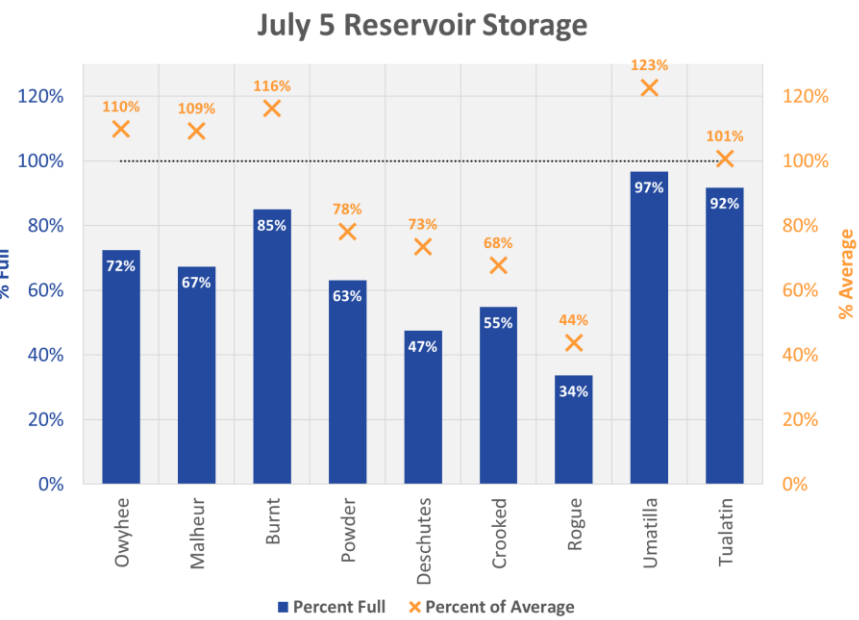
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Meeting

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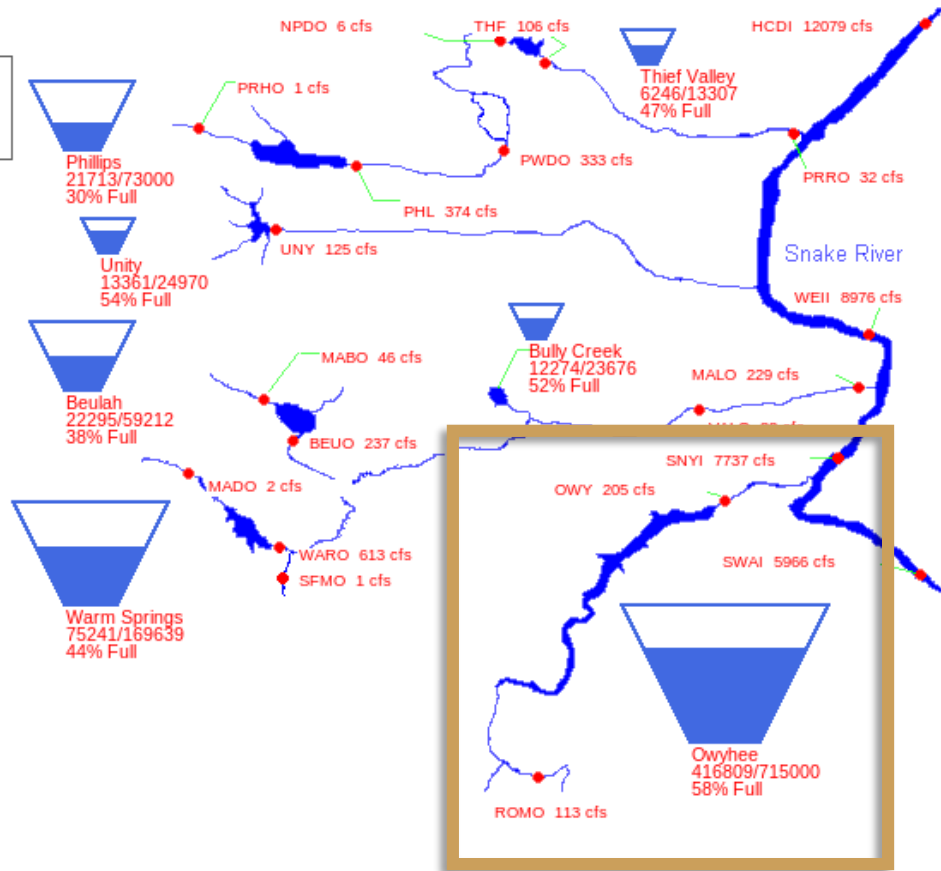
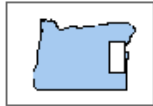
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August 10 Reservoir Storage

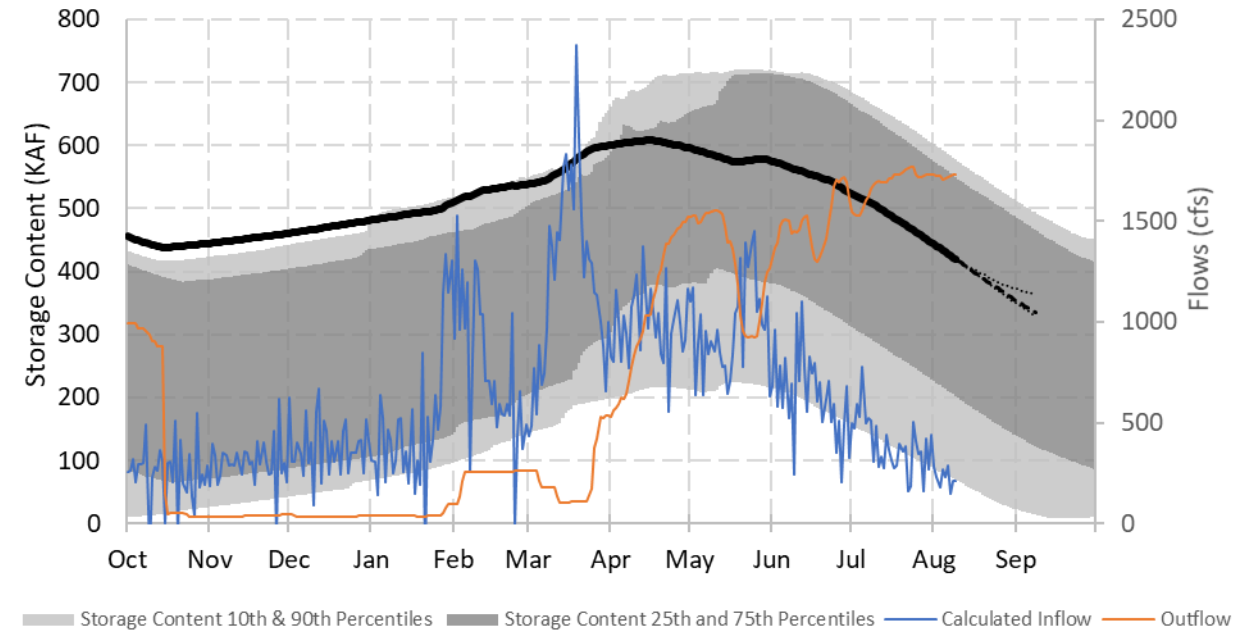


Owyhee River Basin

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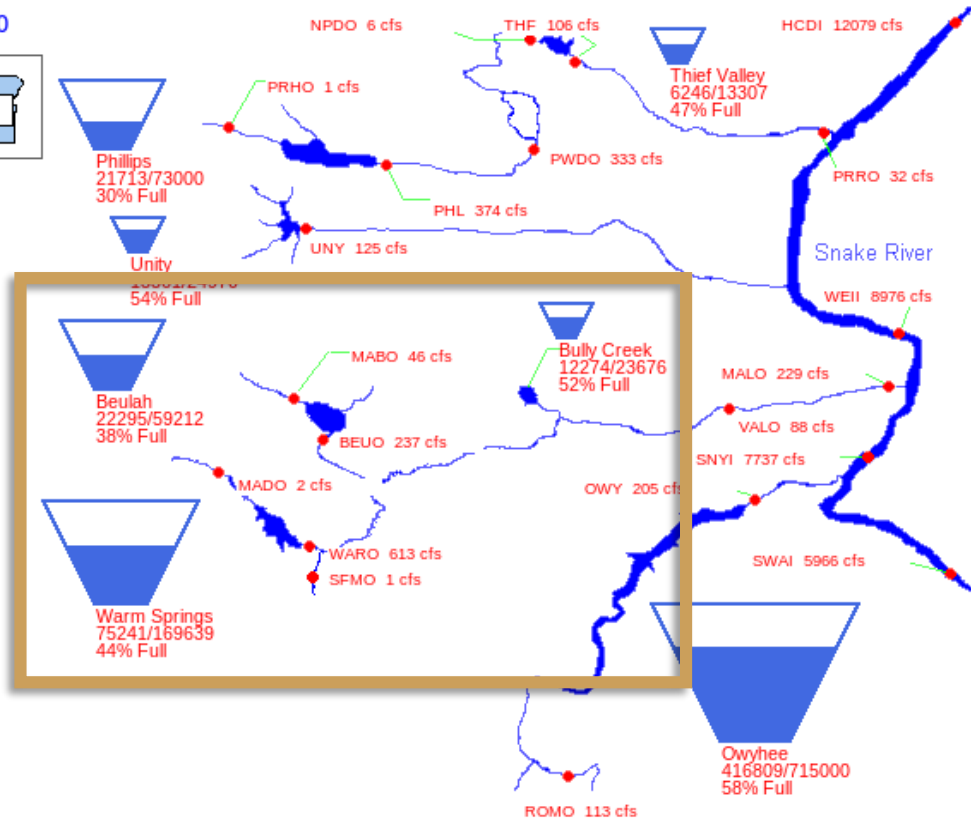
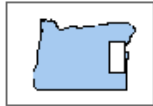
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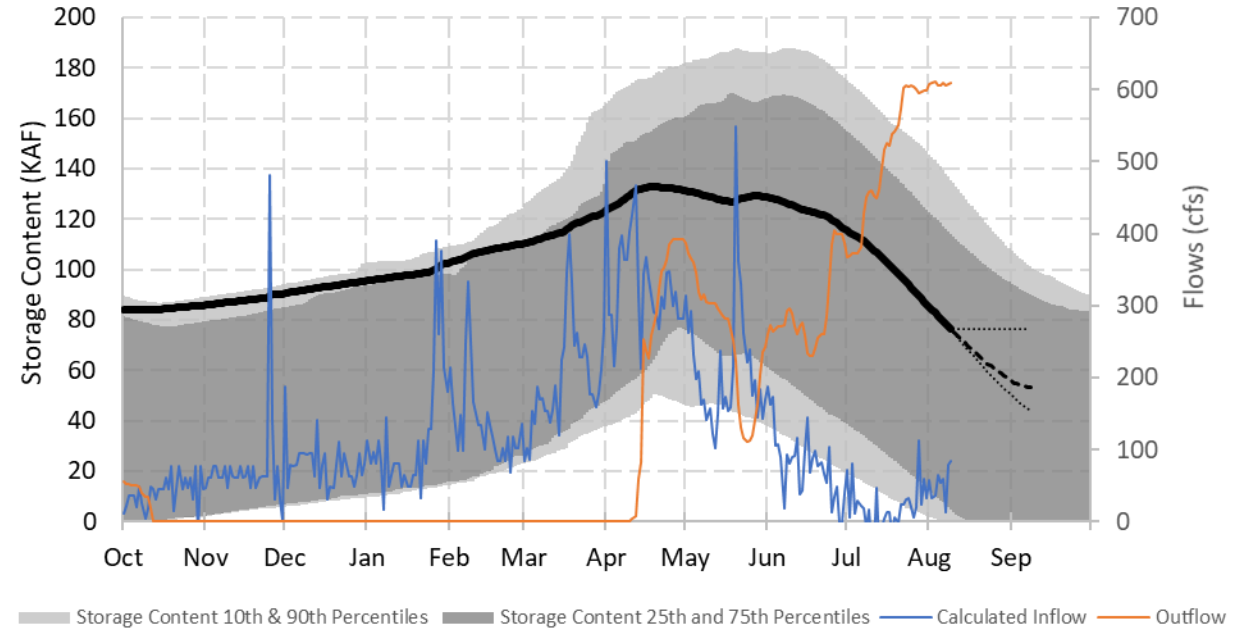
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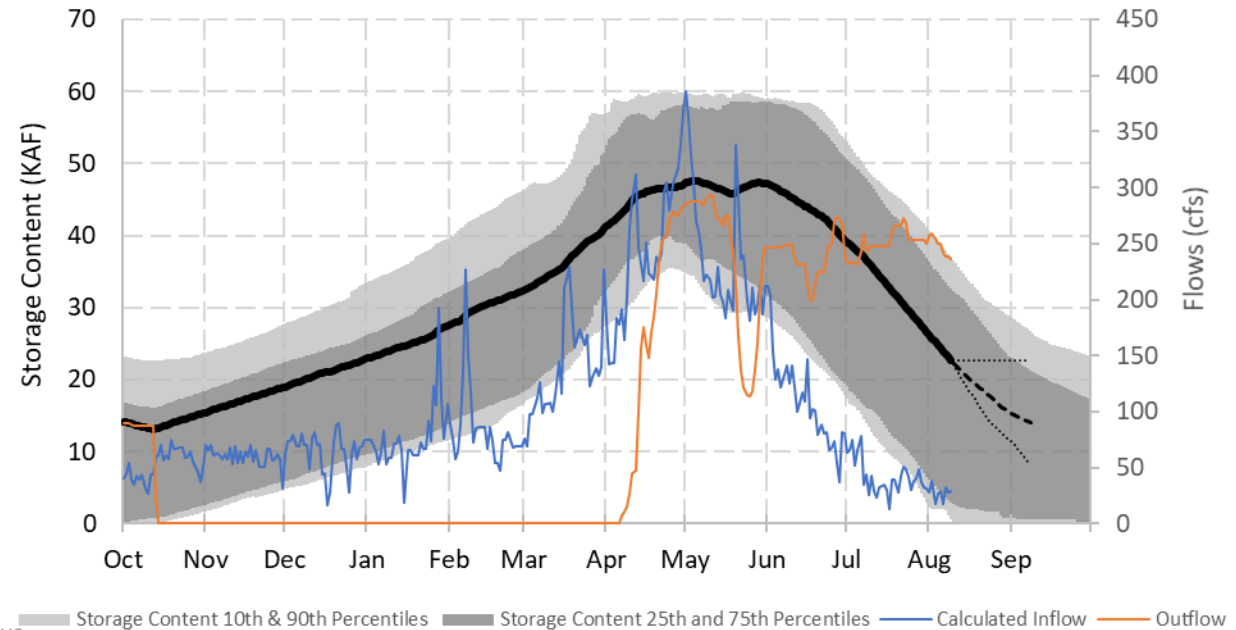
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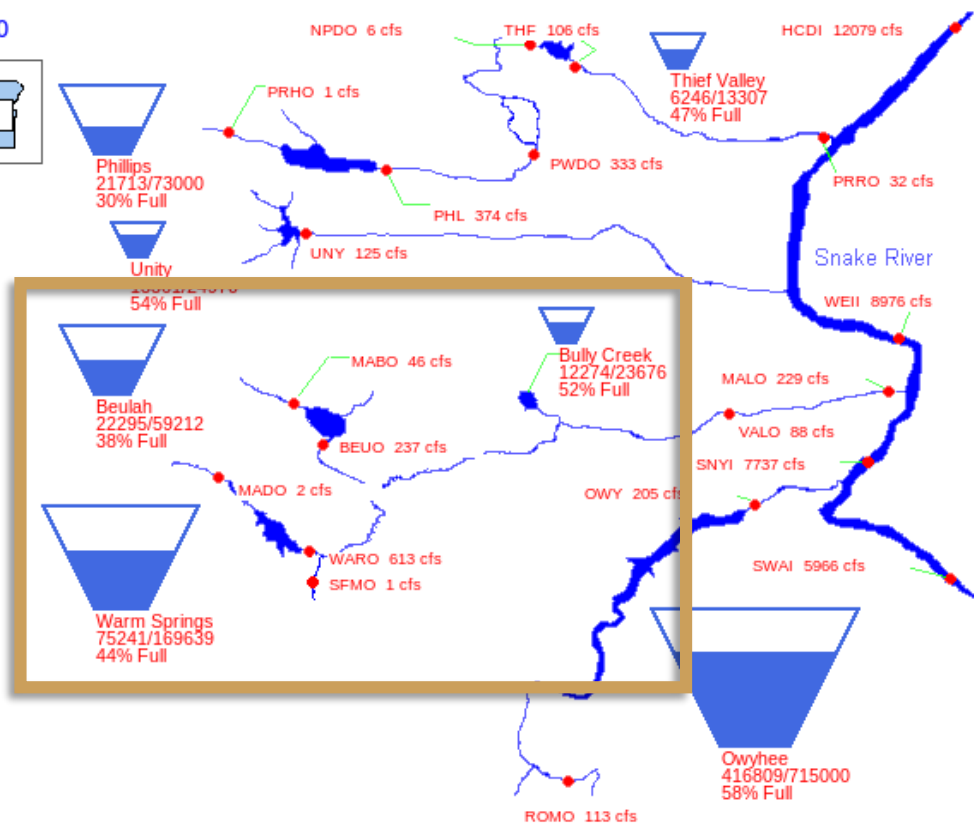
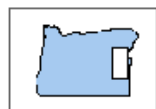
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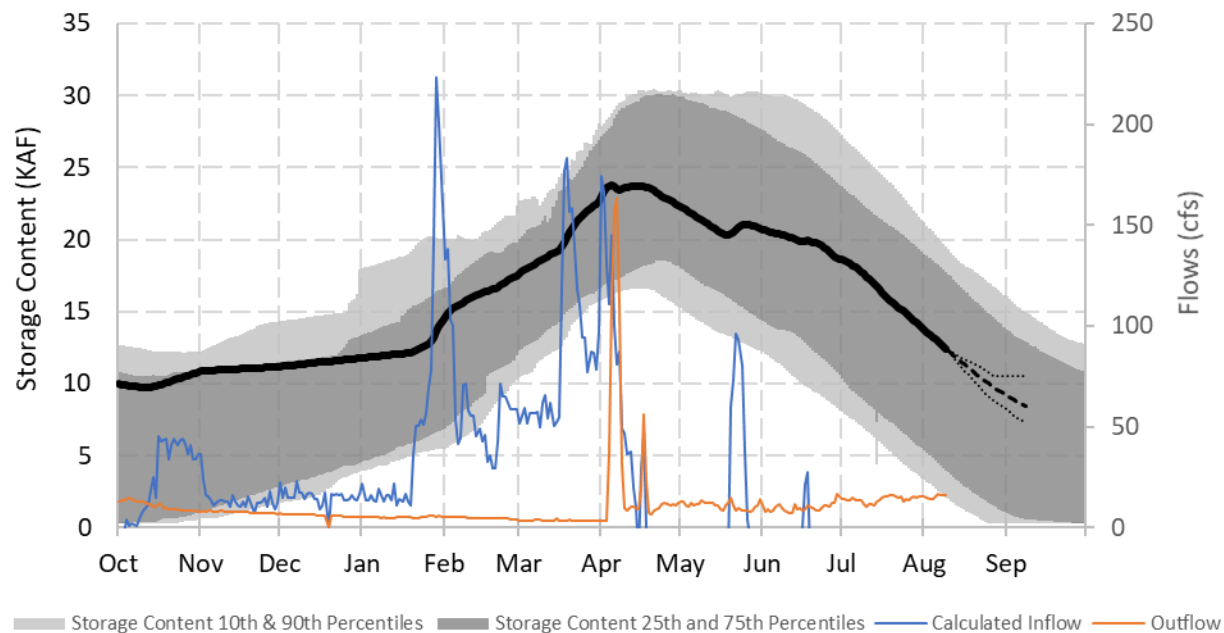
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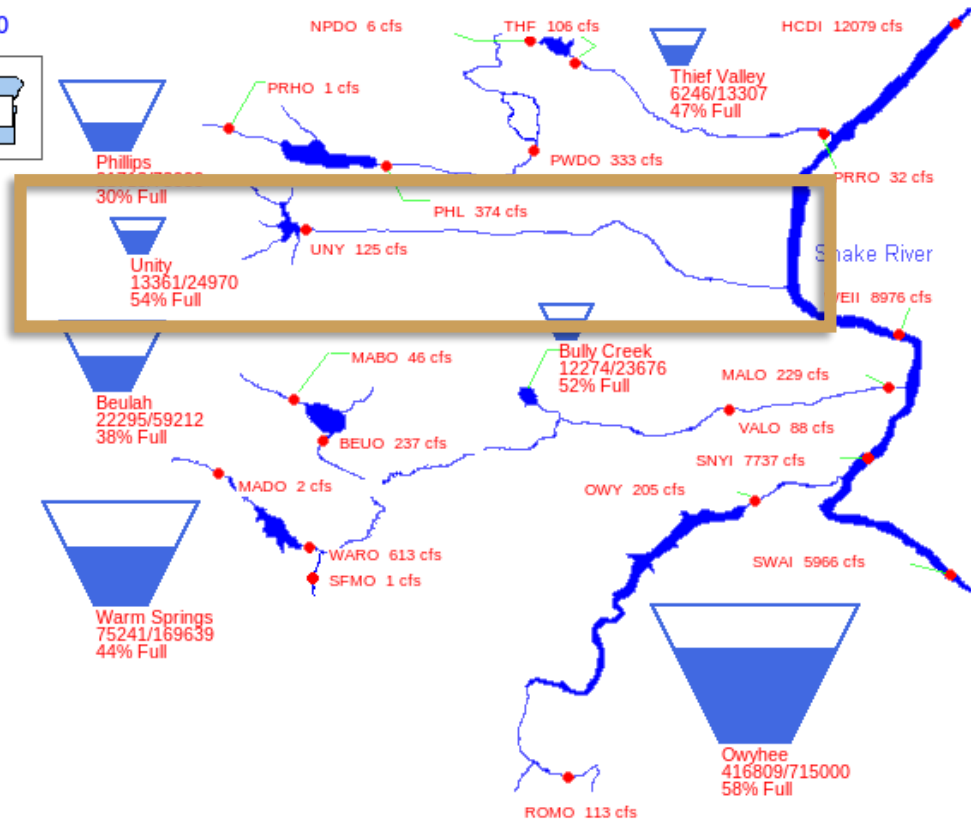
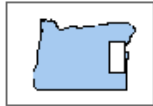
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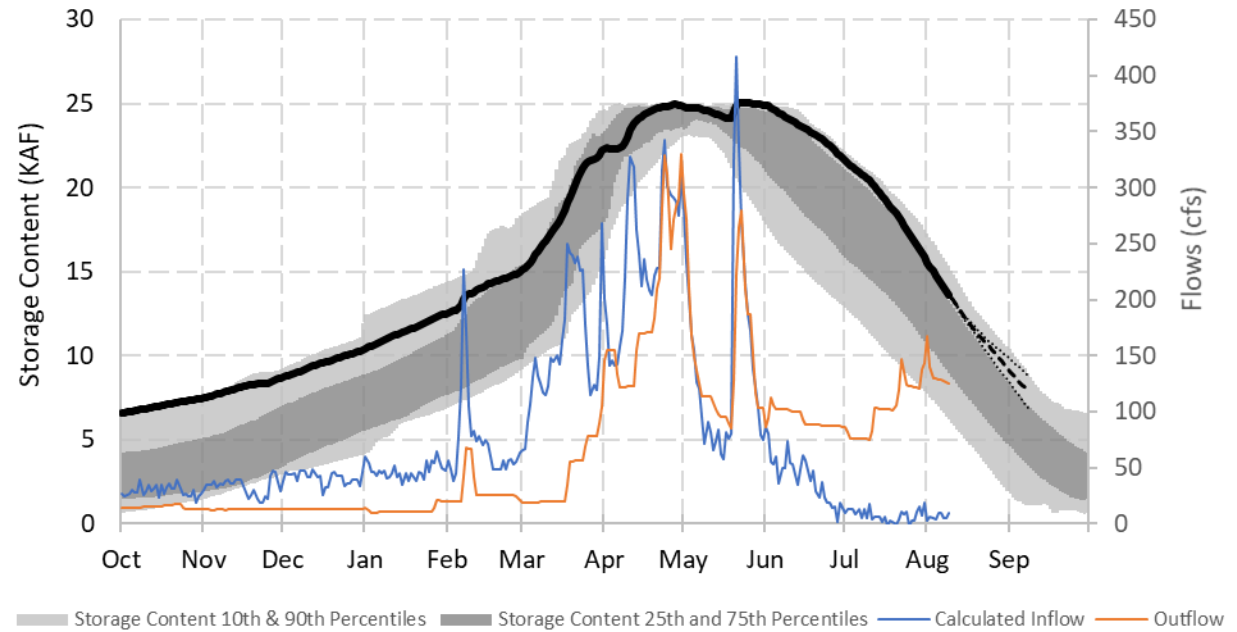
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Burnt River Basin

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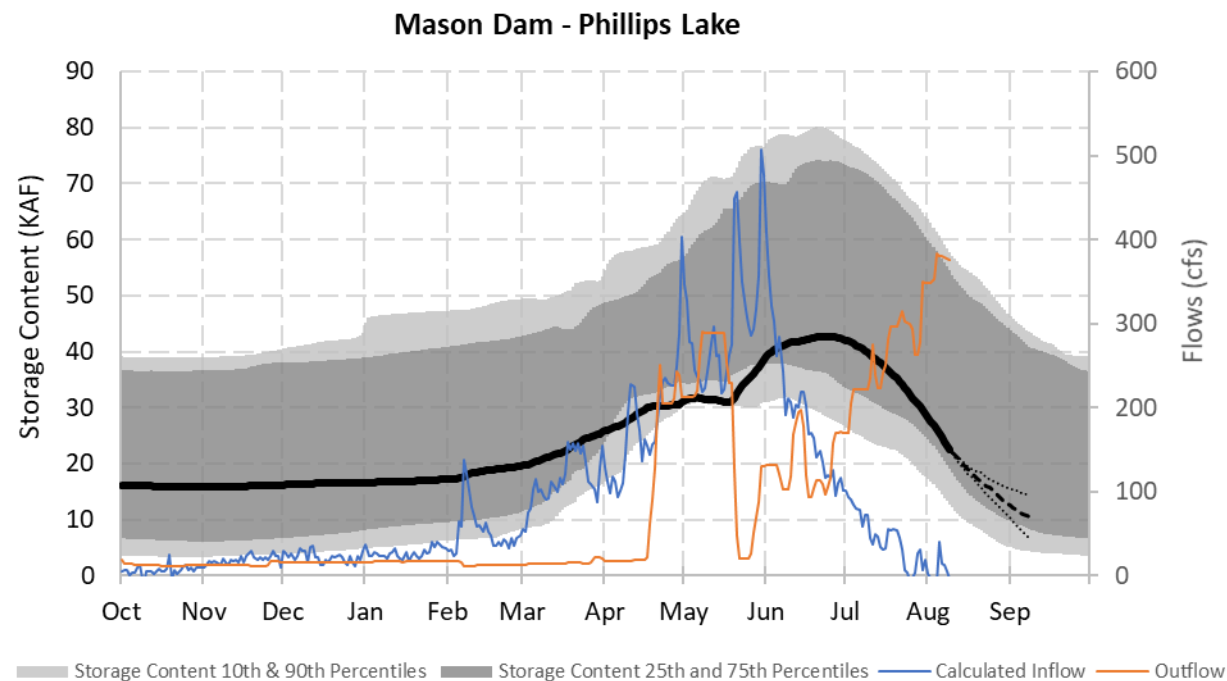
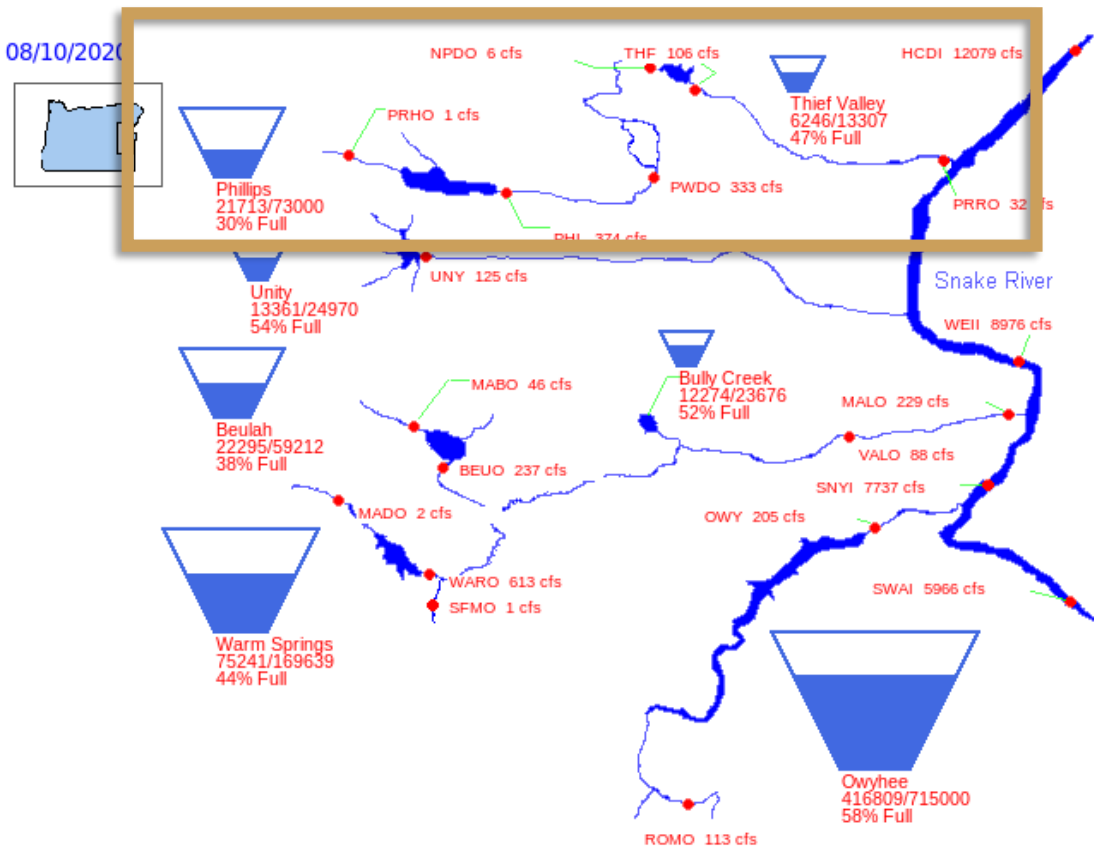


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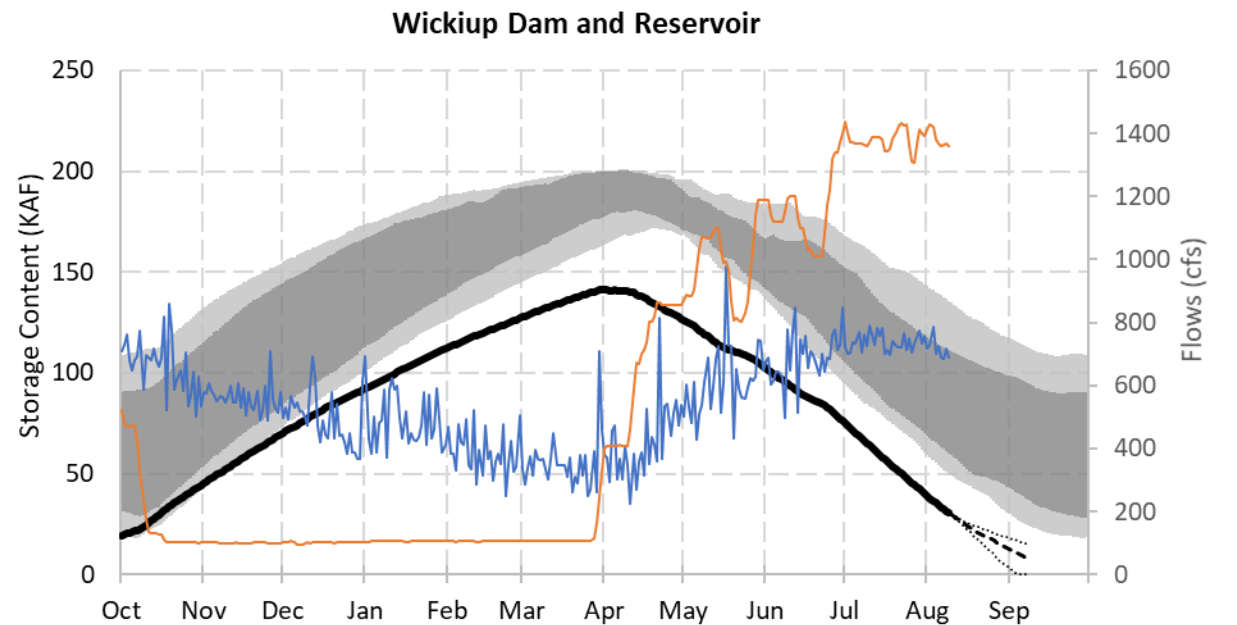
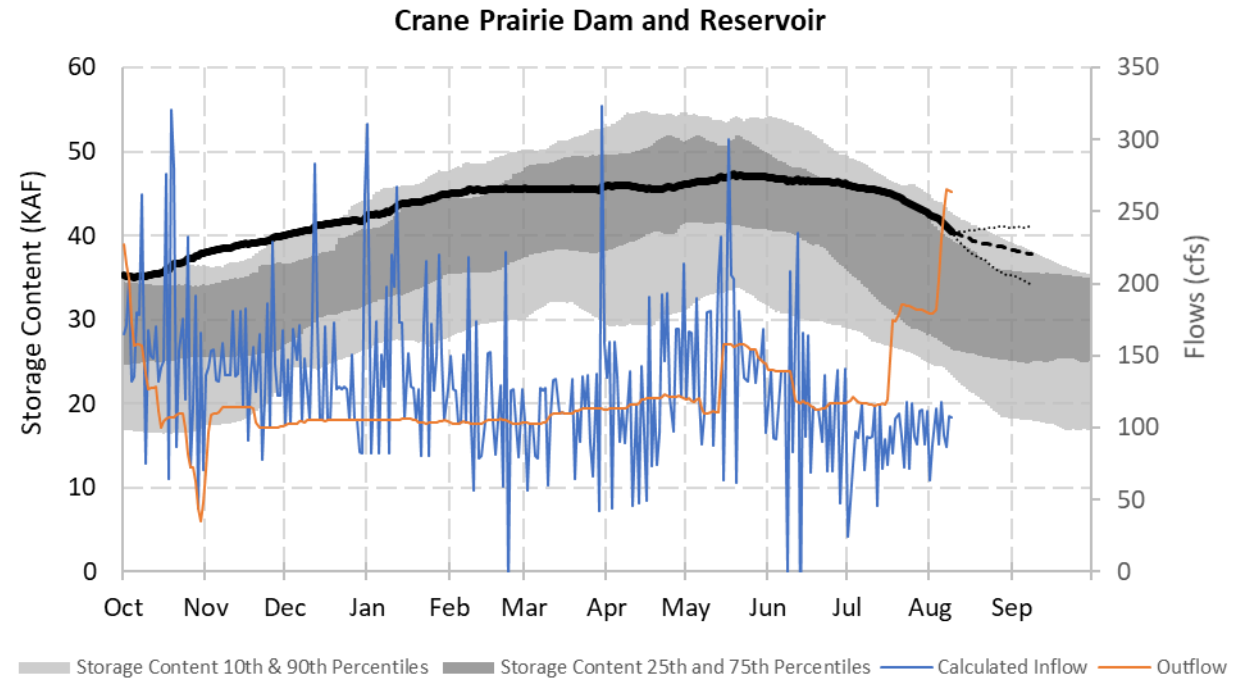
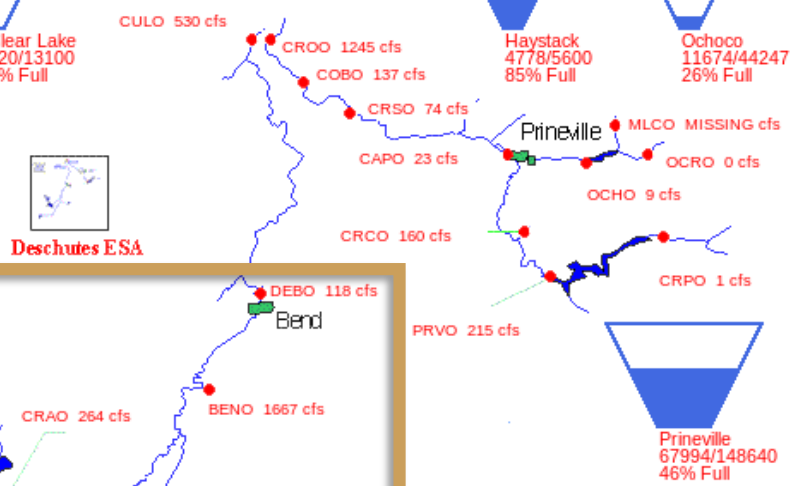
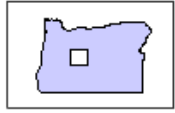
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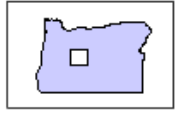
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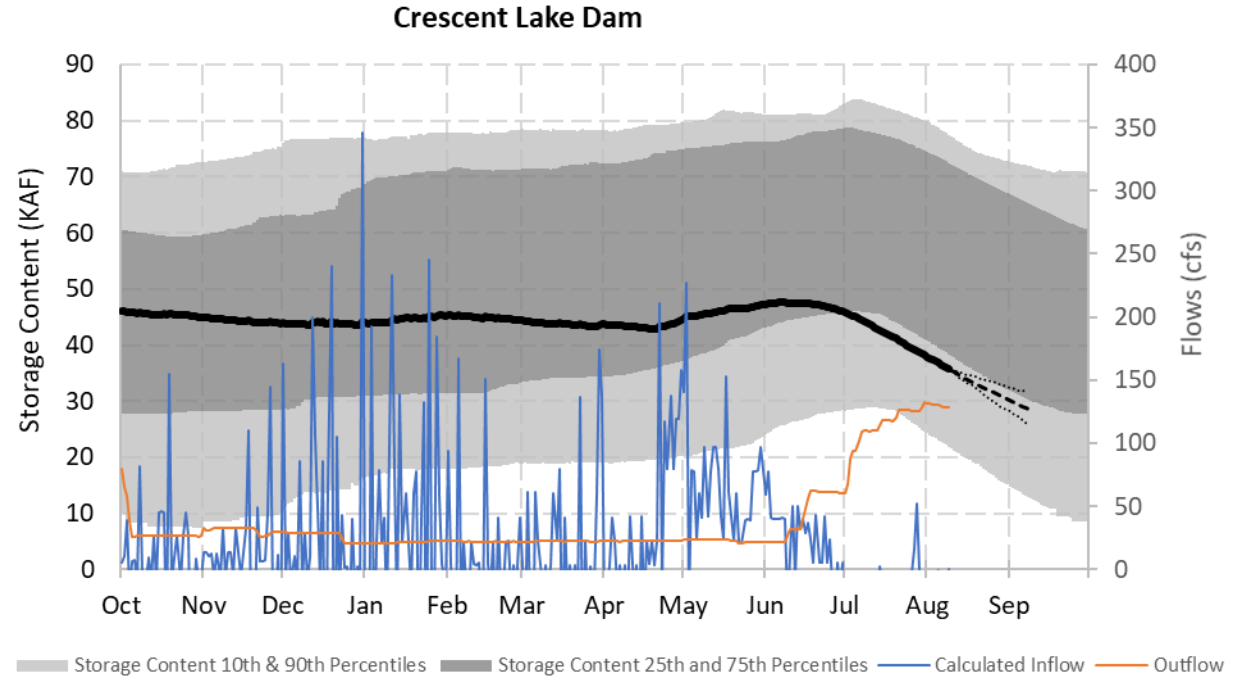
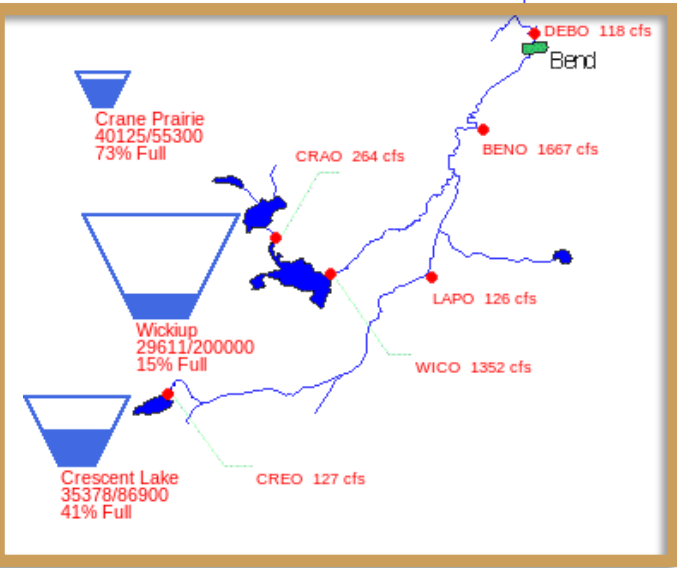
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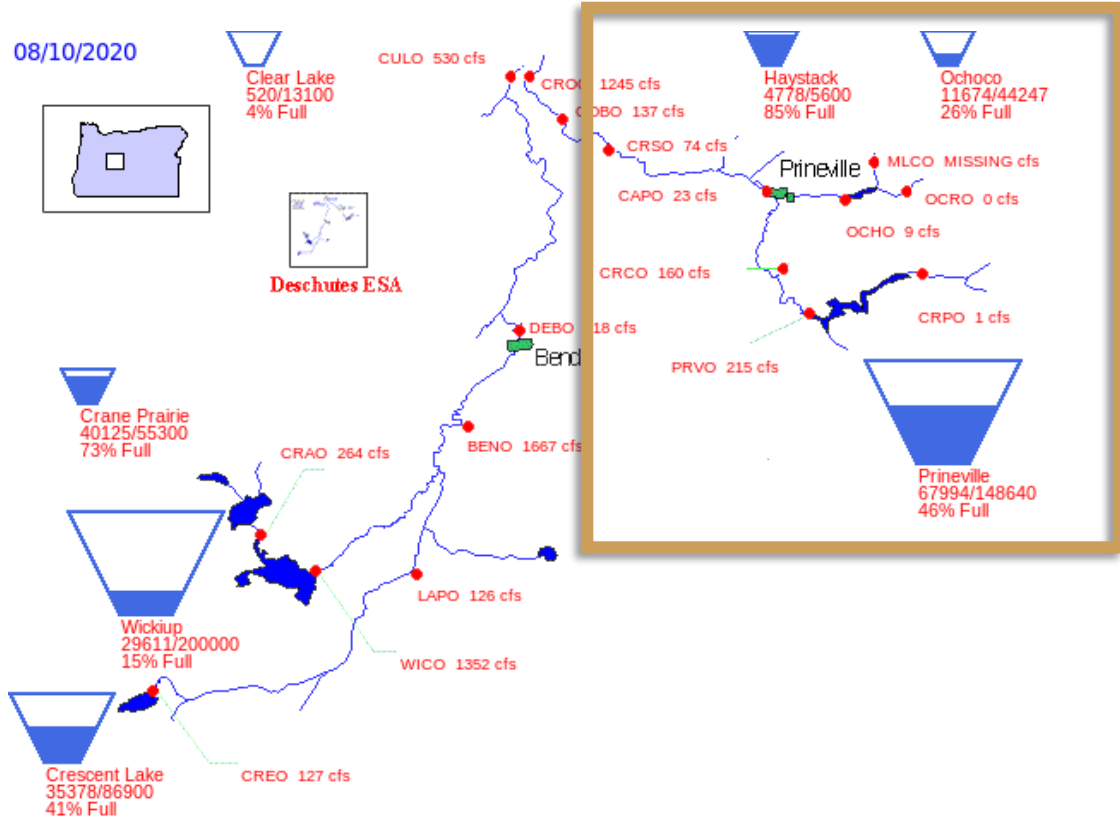
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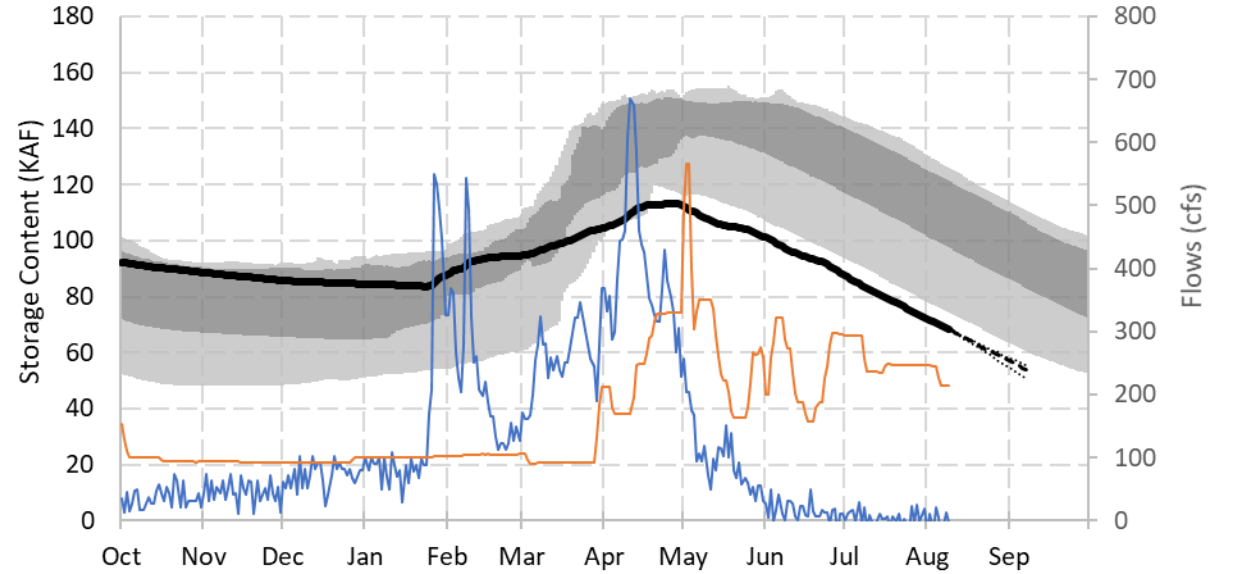
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Crooked River Basin

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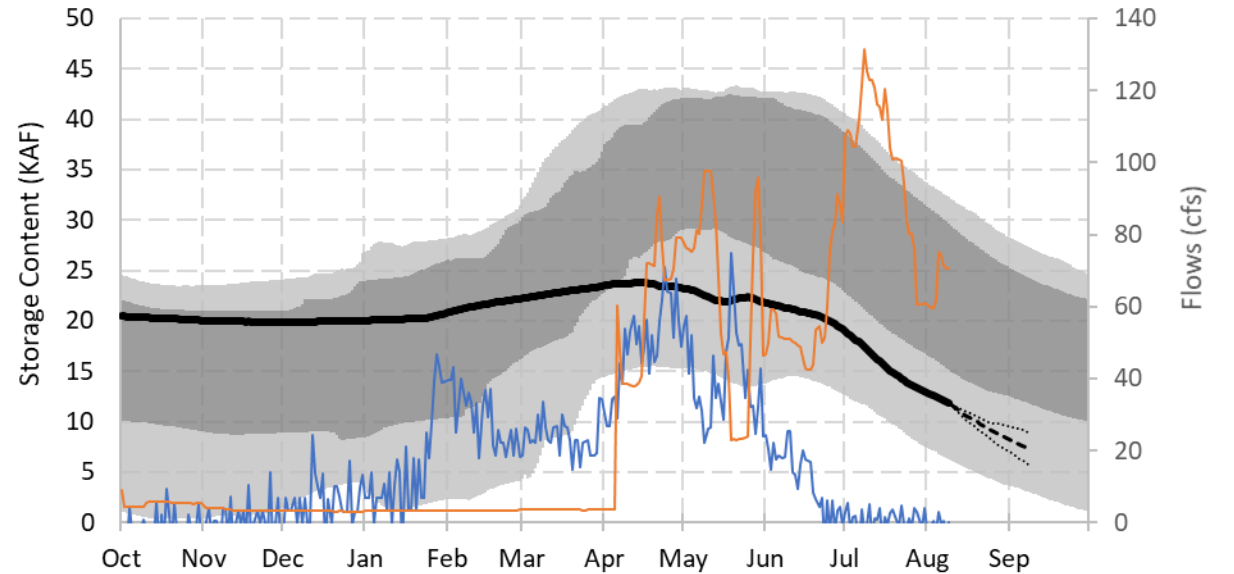


Bowman Dam - Prineville Reservoir



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Ochoco Dam and Reservoir

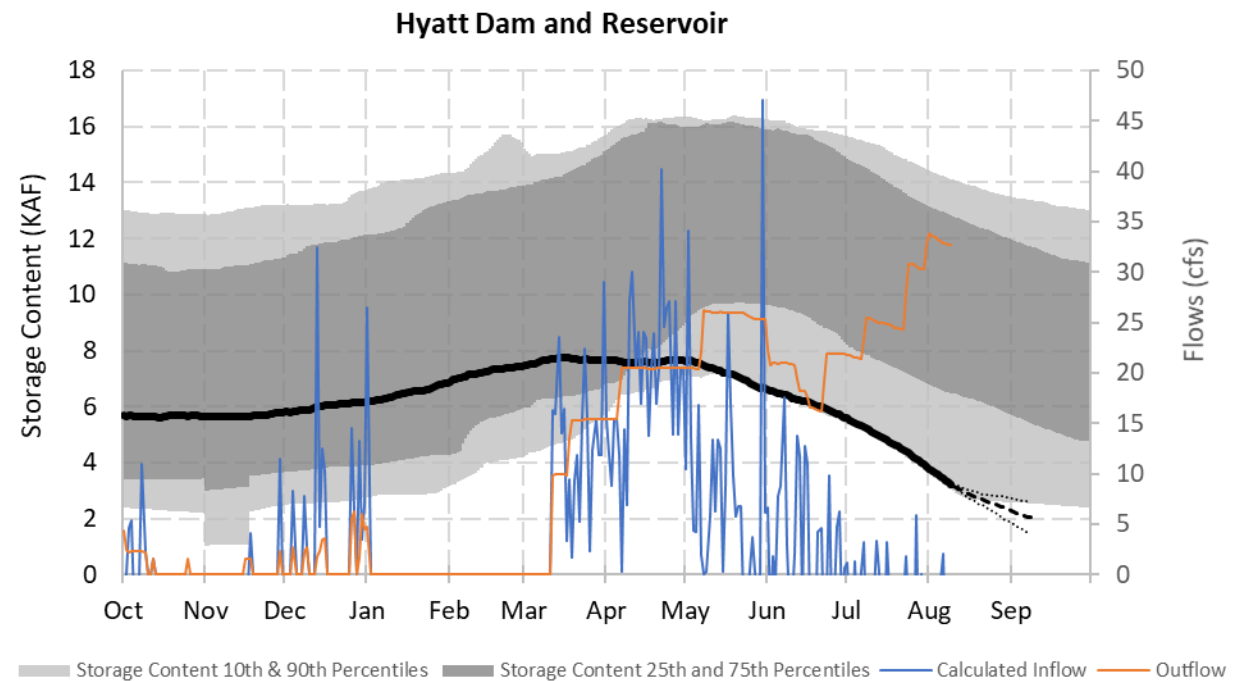
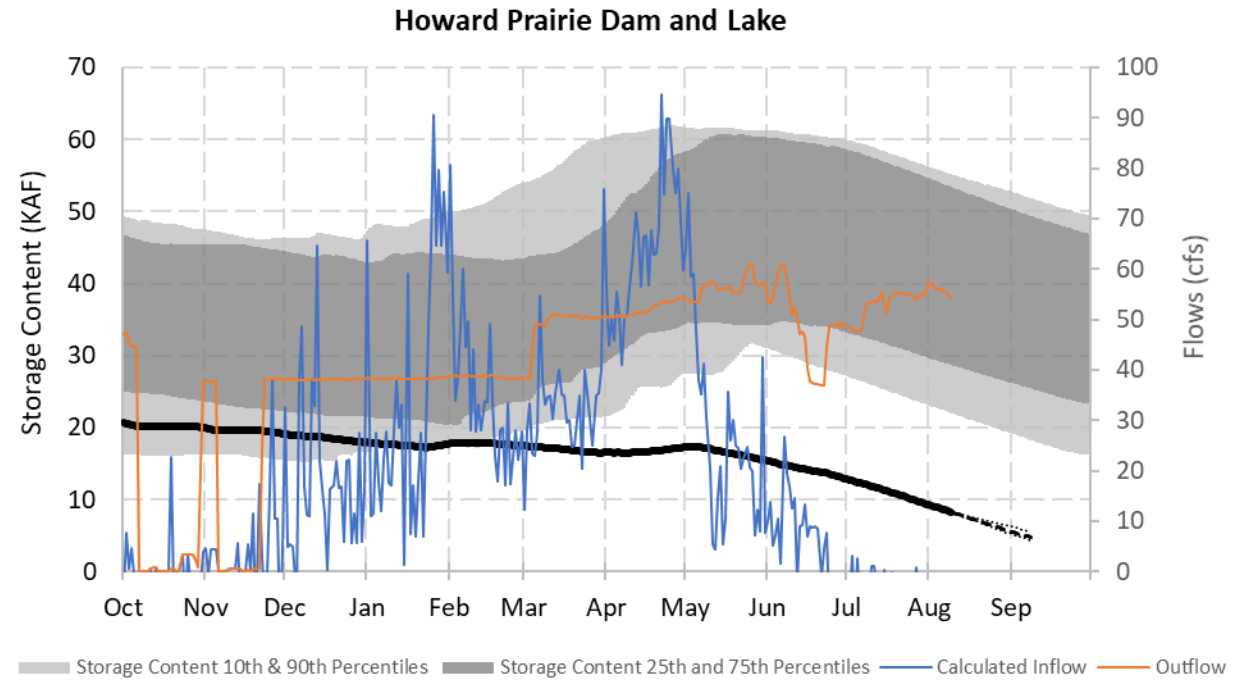
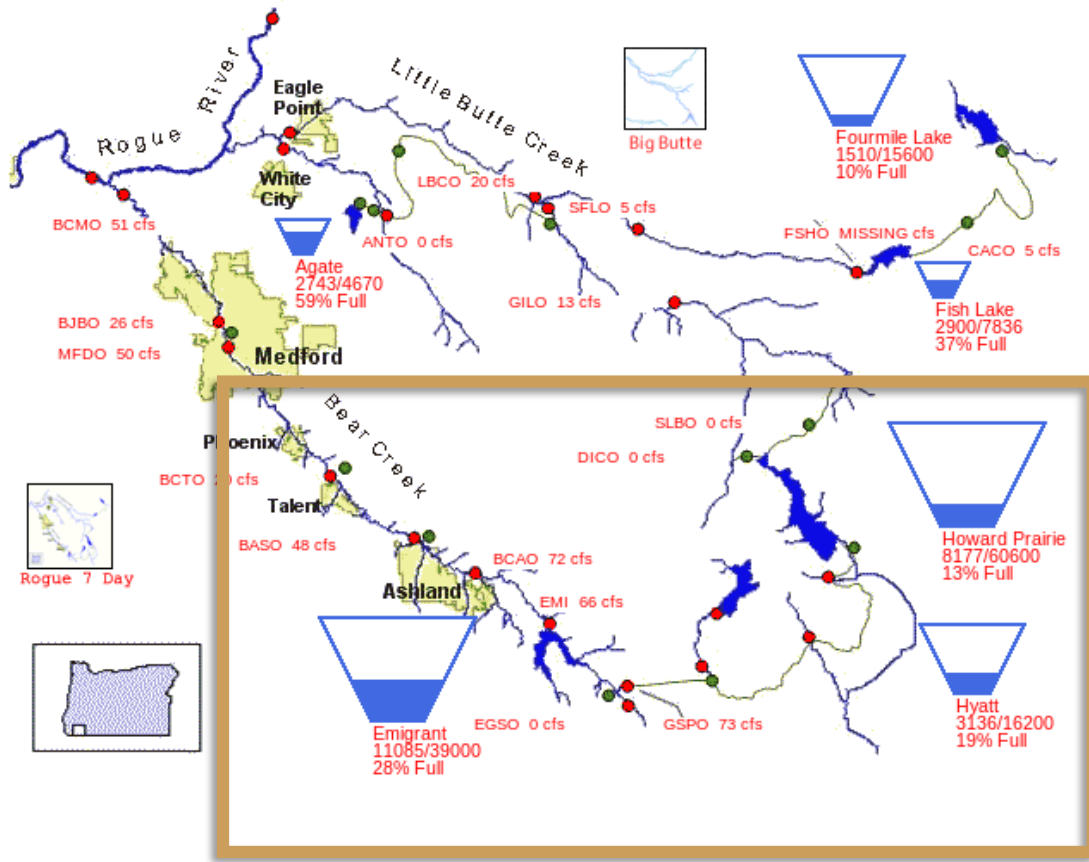


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Rogue River Basin

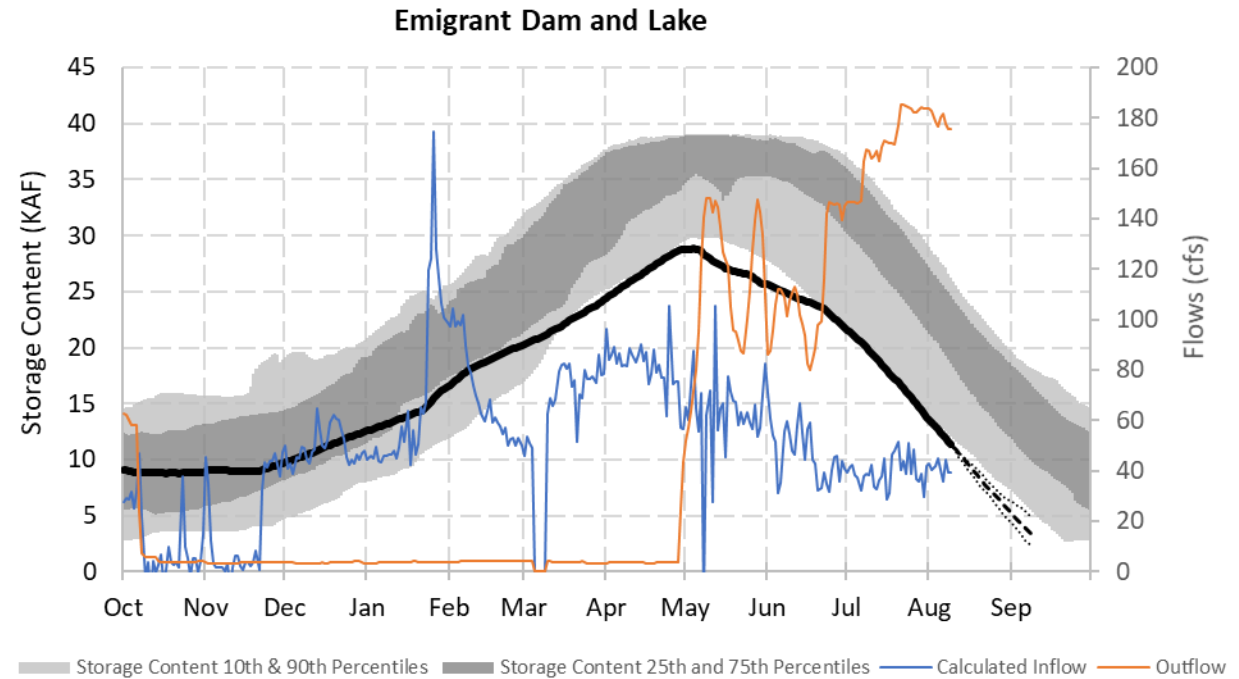
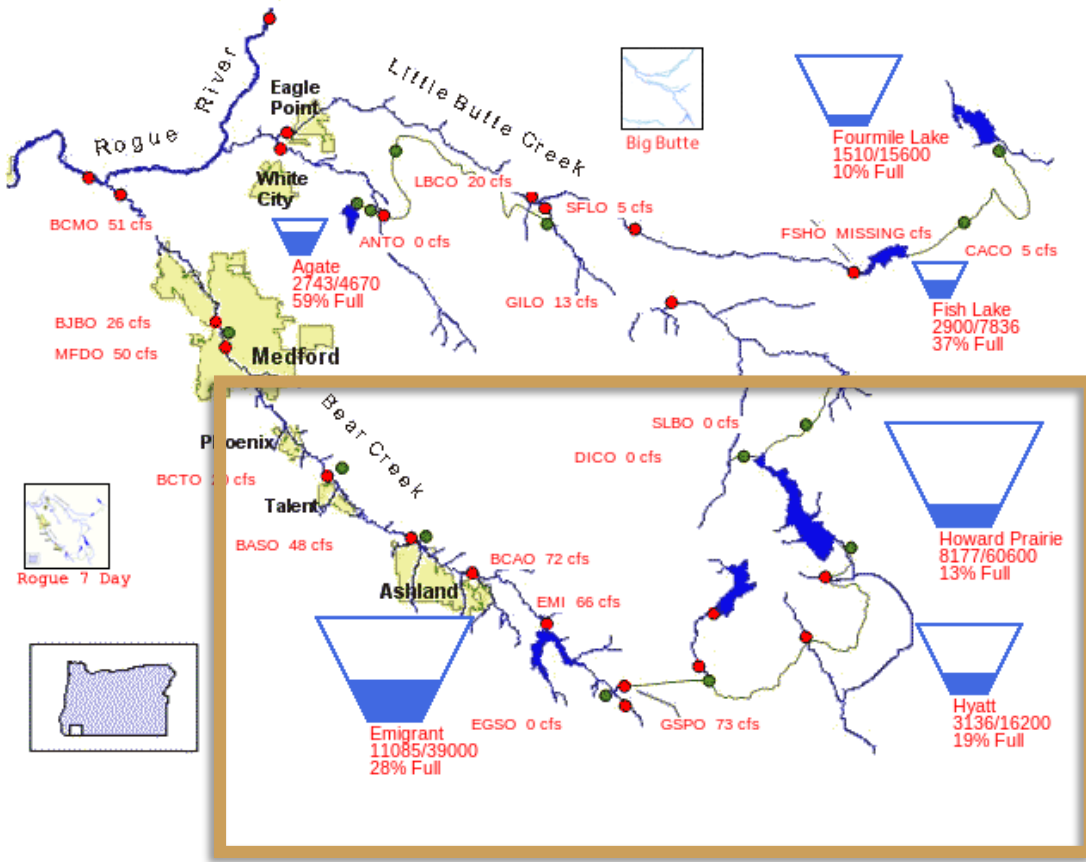
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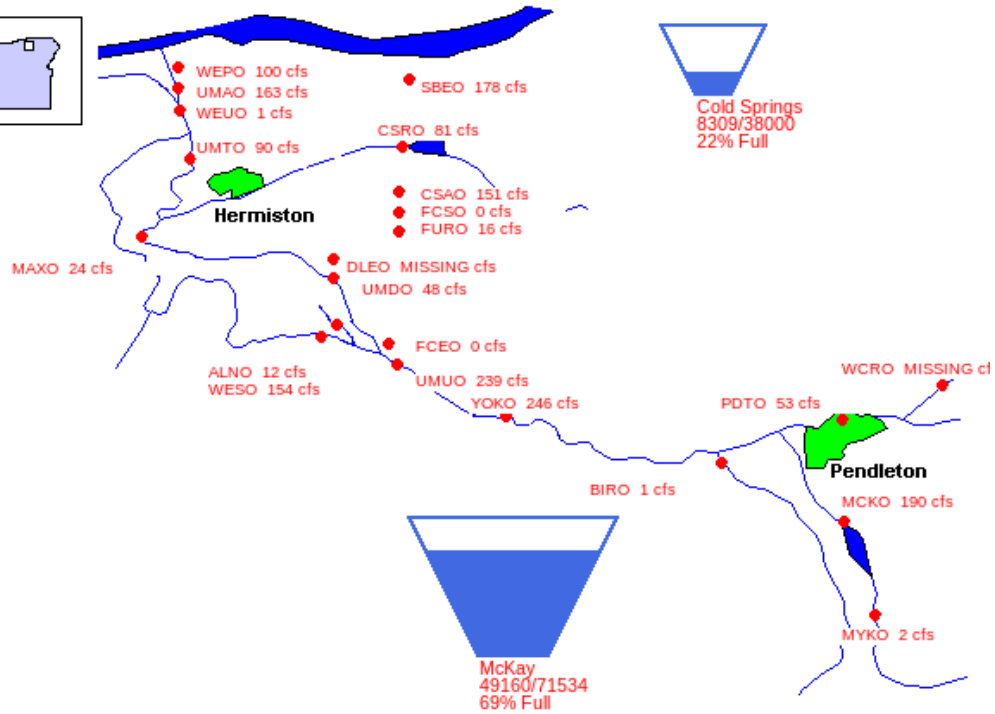
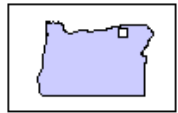
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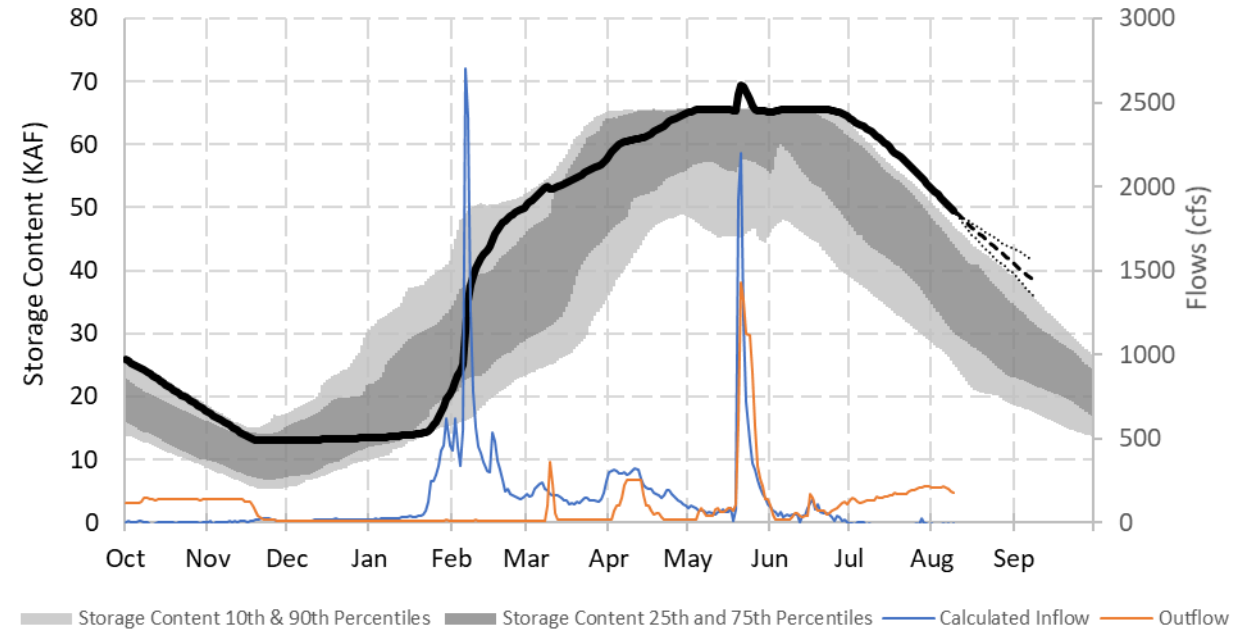
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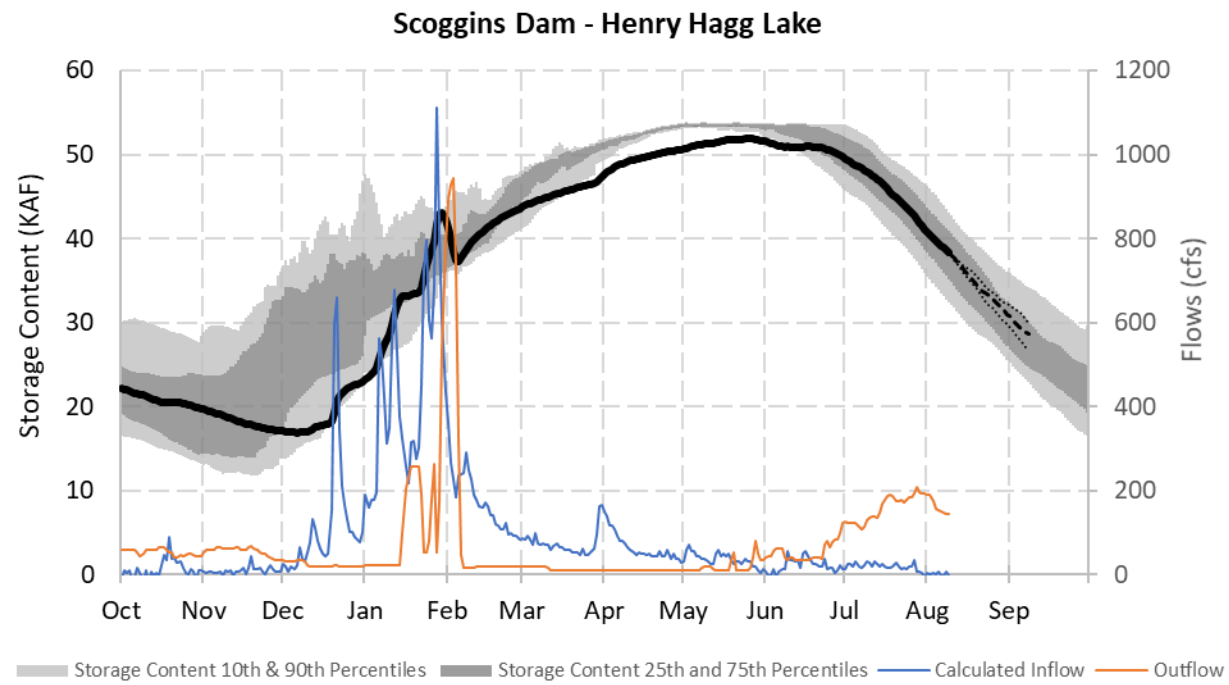
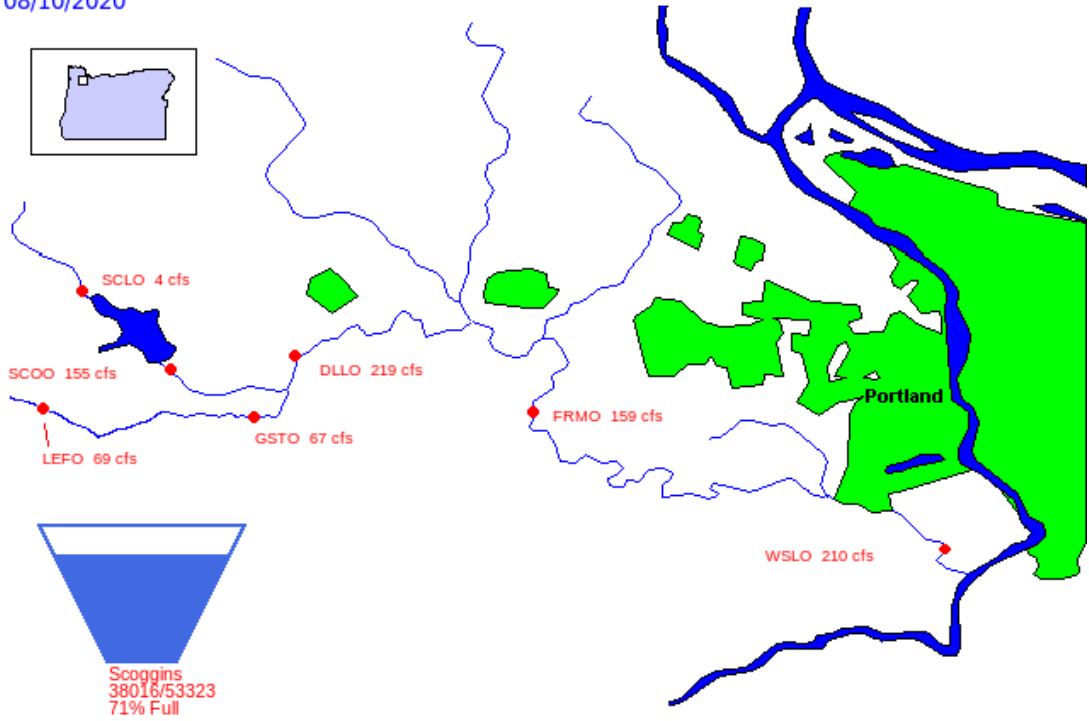
McKay Dam and Reservoir



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Tualatin River Basin

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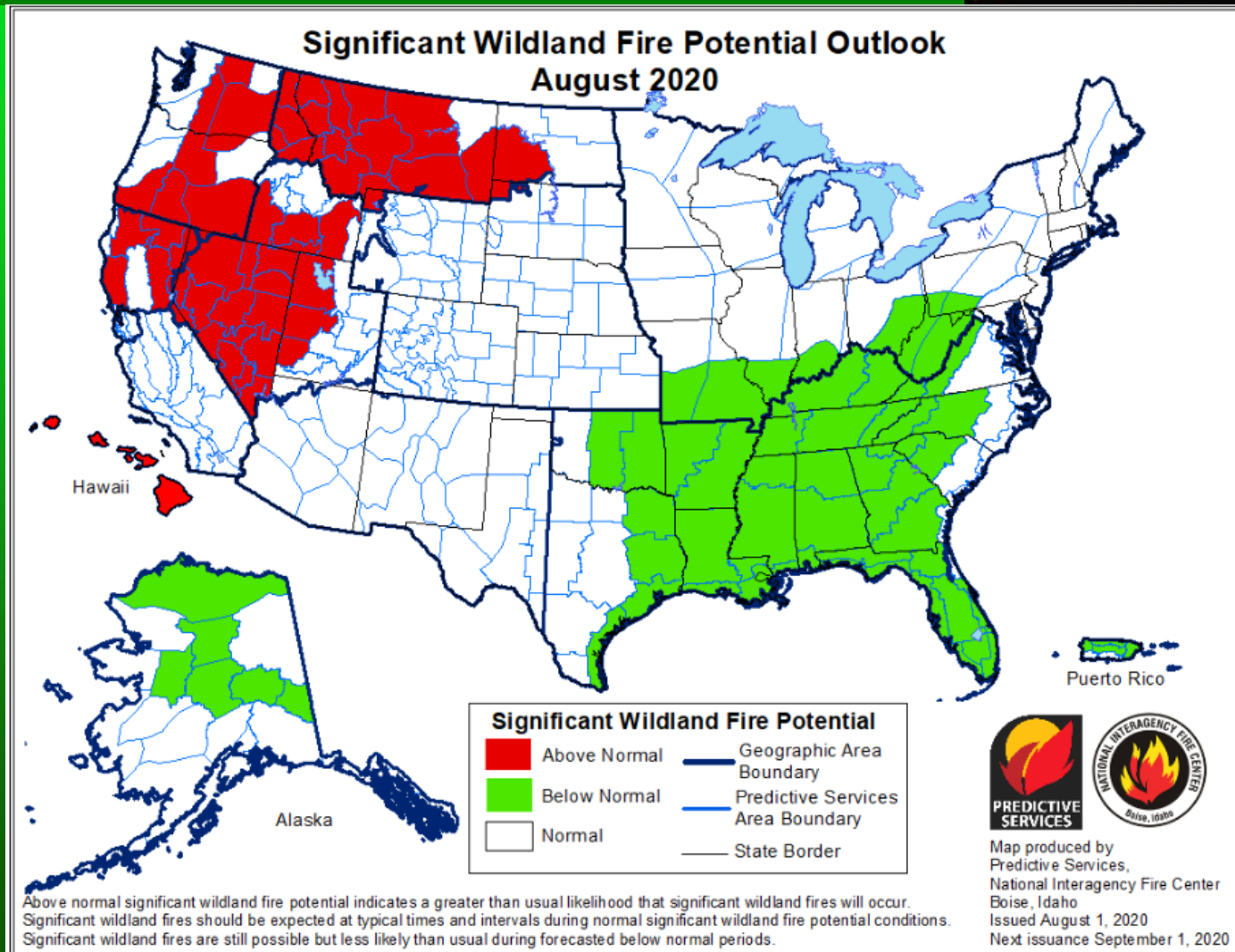
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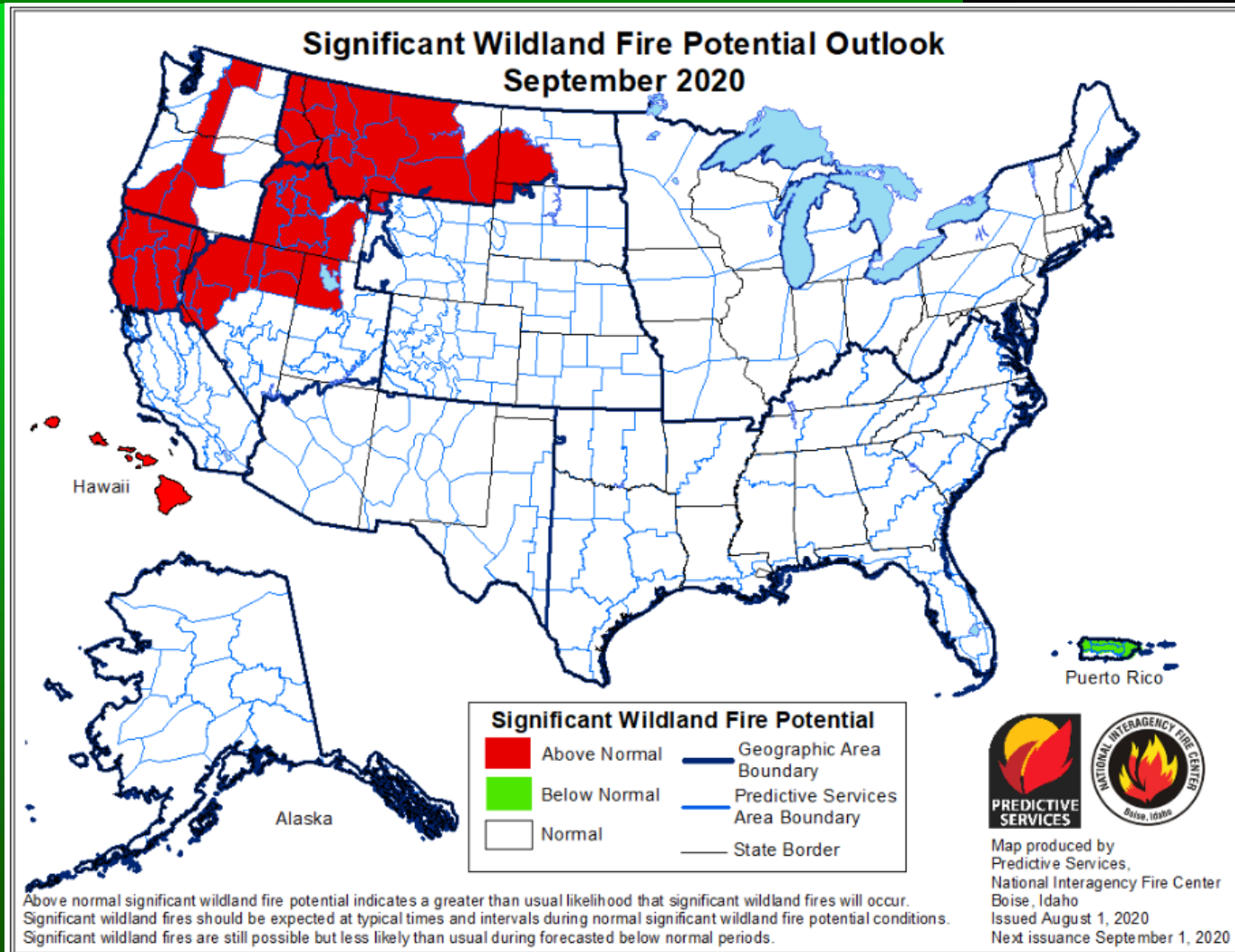
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