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SURFACE WATER SUPPLY OF SNAKE RIVER BASIN, 1949

SCOPE OF WORK

This volume is one of a series of 14 reports presenting results of measurements of stage and flow made on streams, lakes, and reservoirs in the United States during the water year ending September 30, 1949. The work was begun in 1888 in connection with special studies relating to irrigation. Measurements of the flow of streams and of the stage and contents of lakes and reservoirs have been made at about 11,680 gaging stations in the 48 States and also at many in the Territories of Alaska and Hawaii. On September 30, 1949, 6,240 gaging stations, including those in Hawaii and Alaska were being maintained by the Geological Survey and cooperating organizations. Miscellaneous discharge measurements were made during the water year at many other points.

In the execution of the work many State and private organizations have cooperated, either by furnishing data or by assisting in collecting data. Cooperation of the first kind is acknowledged in connection with the description of each station affected; cooperation of the second kind is acknowledged; under the heading "Cooperation," in the introductory matter that precedes the gaging-station records in each volume. In the present volume, the section on cooperation of the second kind appears on page 12.

DEFINITION OF TERMS

The units in which stream-flow data are presented in this report and other terms used herein are defined as follows:

"Second-foot" is an abbreviation for "cubic feet per second." A second-foot is the rate of discharge of a stream whose channel is 1 square foot in cross-sectional area and whose average velocity is 1 foot per second.

"Second-foot per square mile" is the average number of cubic feet of water flowing per second from each square mile of area drained, on the assumption that the runoff is distributed uniformly both as regards time and area.

"Runoff in inches" is the depth to which an area would be covered if all the water draining from it in a given period were uniformly distributed on its surface. It is used for comparing runoff with rainfall, which is usually expressed in inches.

An "acre-foot" is the quantity of water required to cover an acre to the depth of 1 foot and is equivalent to 43,560 cubic feet. The term is commonly used in connection with storage for irrigation.

"Second-foot-day" is the volume of water represented by a flow of 1 second-foot for 24 hours. It is equivalent to 86,400 cubic feet, 1.983471 acre-feet, or 646,317 gallons and represents a runoff of 0.0372 inch from 1 square mile.

"Stage-discharge relation" is an abbreviation for the term "relation between gage height and discharge."

"Control" is a term used to designate a feature downstream from the gage that determines the stage-discharge relation at the gage. This feature may be a natural section, a reach of the channel, or an artificial structure.

"Contents" is a term applied to the volume of water in a reservoir. Unless otherwise indicated, it is computed on the basis of a level pool and does not include bank storage.

EXPLANATION OF DATA

The base data collected at gaging stations consist of records of stage, measurements of discharge, and general information used to supplement the records of stage and discharge measurements in determining the daily flow. The records of stage are obtained either from direct readings on a nonrecording gage or from a water-stage recorder that gives a continuous record of the fluctuations. Measurements of discharge are made with a current meter by the general methods outlined in standard textbooks on the measurement of river discharge. Typical structures in use at gaging stations are shown in figure 1.

Rating tables giving the discharge for any stage are prepared from the discharge measurements. The application of the daily mean gage height to those rating tables gives the daily mean discharge, from which the monthly and the yearly mean discharge are computed. If the stage-discharge relation is subject to change because of frequent or continual change in the physical features that form the control, the daily mean discharge is determined by the "shifting-control method," in which correction factors based on individual discharge measurements and notes by engineers and observers are used in applying the gage heights to the rating tables. At times the stage-discharge relation for a station may be temporarily changed by the presence of aquatic growth or debris on the control. For such times the daily mean discharge is computed by what is essentially the "shifting-control" method, described above.

At some gaging stations the stage-discharge relation is affected by backwater from reservoirs, tributary streams, or other sources, which necessitates the use of the "slope method," in which the slope or fall in a reach of the stream is a factor in the determination of discharge. Information requisite for determining the slope or fall is obtained by means of an auxiliary gage set at some distance from the base gage. At some stations the stage-discharge relation is affected by changing stage, and for them the rate of change of stage is used as a factor in the determination of discharge.

At most gaging stations in the northern part of the United States and at some in the mountainous regions of other parts the stage-discharge relation is affected by ice during the winter, which makes it impossible to compute the discharge in the usual manner. Discharge for periods of ice effect is computed on the basis of the gage-height record and occasional winter discharge measurements, consideration being given to the available information on temperature and precipitation, notes by gage observers and engineers, and comparable records of discharge for stations in the same or nearby basins. For those stations at which the stage-discharge relation is affected by ice, the days included in the periods of ice effect either are indicated in the table by symbols referring to a footnote that states this fact or are given in a general note following the table. The days on which discharge measurements were made during or between periods of ice effect, shortly before the first period, or shortly after the last period are similarly indicated by a footnote.

For most of the gaging stations on streams in the area covered by this report the data presented comprise a description of the station, a table showing the daily discharge of



A. SNAKE RIVER AT KING HILL, IDAHO.



B. SNAKE RIVER NEAR MURPHY, IDAHO.



C. SNAKE RIVER NEAR CLARKSTON, WASH.

FIGURE 1.—GAGING-STATION STRUCTURES.

the stream, and a table of monthly and yearly discharge and runoff. Skeleton rating tables are published for all stations except those at which the daily discharge for the greater part of the year was determined by the shifting-control method, the slope method, or other special methods.

The description of the station gives the type of gage, location, drainage area, records available, average discharge, extremes of discharge, general remarks, and notations of revisions of previously published record. The location of the gaging station and the drainage area are obtained from the most accurate maps available. Under "Average discharge" is given the average discharge for the number of years indicated. It is not given for stations having less than 10 complete years of record or for stations where changes in water development during the period of record cause the figure to have little significance. Under "Extremes" are given the maximum discharge and gage height; the minimum discharge if there is little or no regulation; the minimum daily discharge if there is extensive regulation (also the minimum discharge if useful); and the minimum gage height (unless it is of no importance). Unless otherwise qualified, the maximum discharge corresponds to the crest stage, obtained by use of a water-stage recorder or a nonrecording gage read at the time of the crest. Information pertaining to the accuracy of the records and conditions which affect the natural flow at the gaging station is given under "Remarks."

For some stations previously published records have been found to be in error on the basis of data or information obtained subsequently. Revisions of such records are usually published along with the current records in one of the annual reports. In order to make it easier to find such revised records, a paragraph headed "Revisions (water years)" has been added to the station description of all stations for which revised records have been published. Listed therein are all the reports in which revisions appear, each followed by the water years for which figures are revised in that report. In listing the report number, W. means Water-Supply Paper. In listing the years, water years are indicated by only 1 year, for instance, 1933 stands for the water year October 1, 1932, to September 30, 1933. If there were no daily, monthly, or annual figures of discharge involved in the revision, that fact is brought out by notations after the year dates as follows: (M) means that only the instantaneous maximum discharge was revised; (m) that only the instantaneous minimum was revised; and (P) that only peak discharges were revised. If the drainage area has been revised, the report in which the revised figure was first published is given. It should be noted that for all stations for which second-feet per square mile and runoff in inches are published, a revision of the drainage area necessitates corresponding revision of all figures based on the drainage area. Revised figures of second-feet per square mile and runoff in inches resulting from a revision of the drainage area only are usually not published in the annual series of reports.

For stations equipped with water-stage recorders, except those on streams subject to sudden or rapid fluctuation, the table gives the discharge corresponding to the daily mean gage height. For stations subject to such fluctuation the daily mean gage height may not indicate the true daily mean discharge, which must be obtained by averaging the discharge for parts of the day or by using the discharge integrator, an instrument for obtaining the daily mean discharge from a continuous gage-height graph and containing as an essential element a curve representing the stage-discharge relation at the station. For stations equipped with nonrecording gages, the table of daily discharge gives the discharge

corresponding to either once-daily readings of the gage, the mean of twice-daily readings, or the mean gage height determined from gage-height graphs based on gage readings. For periods of rapidly changing stage, the daily mean discharge is determined from gage-height graphs based on gage readings, the frequency of which is stated in the station description.

In the table of monthly discharge the column headed "Second-foot-days" gives the sum for each month of the figures given in the table of daily discharge. The column headed "Maximum" gives the maximum daily discharge, not the momentary discharge when the water surface was at crest stage. Likewise, in the column headed "Minimum" the quantity given is the minimum daily discharge. The column headed "Mean" gives the average flow in cubic feet per second during the month.

Peak discharges with the times of their occurrence are listed below the table of monthly discharge for most stations. All independent peaks above the selected base are given. The base discharge, which is given in parentheses, is selected so that an average of about three peaks a year will be presented. Peak discharges are not published for canals, ditches, drains, or for any stream for which the peaks are subject to substantial control by man.

For most gaging stations on lakes and reservoirs the data presented comprise a description of the station and a monthly summary table of stage and contents. For some reservoirs a table showing daily contents or stage is given. A skeleton table of capacity at given stages is usually given in the first report in which data for a station are published but is omitted from succeeding reports.

ACCURACY OF FIELD DATA AND COMPUTED RESULTS

The accuracy of stream-flow data depends primarily on (1) the permanency of the stage-discharge relation or, if the control is unstable, the frequency of discharge measurements and (2) the accuracy of observations of stage, measurements of flow, and interpretation of records.

The station description gives a statement in regard to the general accuracy of the records. "Excellent" indicates that, in general, the error in the daily records is believed to be less than 5 percent; "good," less than 10 percent; "fair," less than 15 percent; and "poor," probably more than 15 percent. The records of monthly and yearly mean discharge and runoff are, in general, more accurate than the daily records.

Yield at some stations as indicated by monthly means may vary widely from natural yield, owing to diversion, consumption, regulation by storage, increase or decrease in evaporation due to artificial causes, or other factors. For such stations figures of "second-feet per square mile" and "runoff in inches" are not published unless storage or diversion records are included indicating the extent of the regulation or diversion or unless satisfactory adjustments can be made for changes in contents or reservoirs or for other changes incident to use and control. Evaporation from a reservoir is not included in the adjustments for changes in reservoir contents, unless its inclusion is indicated. Even at those stations where adjustments are made, in some instances large errors in computed yields may occur when relatively large negative adjustments are applied or when evaporation is large in comparison with the observed discharge. Figures of second-feet per square mile and runoff in inches are also omitted if the drainage area includes large noncontributing areas or if the average annual rainfall over the drainage area is less than 20 inches.

Many gaging stations on streams in the irrigated areas of the United States are situated above most of the diversions from those streams, and therefore the discharge recorded does not show the water supply available for further development, as prior appropriations below the station must first be satisfied.

The table of monthly discharge presents in summary the distribution of the flow past the station. The table of daily discharge affords opportunity for more detailed studies of the variation in flow. As further observations in each succeeding year may be expected to throw new light on data previously published, it should be borne in mind that such data are subject to revision in succeeding water-supply papers.

PUBLICATIONS

The results of stream-flow measurements are now published annually in 14 parts, each part covering an area whose boundaries coincide with natural drainage features as indicated below:

- Part 1. North Atlantic slope basins (St. John River to York River).
 2. South Atlantic slope and eastern Gulf of Mexico basins (James River to Mississippi River).
 3. Ohio River Basin.
 4. St. Lawrence River Basin.
 5. Hudson Bay and upper Mississippi River Basins.
 6. Missouri River Basin.
 7. Lower Mississippi River Basin.
 8. Western Gulf of Mexico basins.
 9. Colorado River Basin.
 10. The Great Basin.
 11. Pacific slope basins in California.
 12. Pacific slope basins in Washington and upper Columbia River Basin.
 13. Snake River Basin.
 14. Pacific slope basins in Oregon and lower Columbia River Basin.

Water-supply papers and other publications of the Geological Survey containing data on the water resources of the United States may be obtained or consulted as explained below.

1. Copies may be purchased at nominal cost from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., who will, on application, furnish lists giving prices.
2. Sets of the reports may be consulted in the libraries of the principal cities in the United States.
3. Sets are available for consultation in the offices of the water resources division of the Geological Survey as follows:

East of the Mississippi River:

Albany, N. Y., 526 Federal Building.
 Asheville, N. C., 220 Post Office Building.
 Atlanta, Ga., 644 Peachtree Seventh.
 Augusta, Maine, 420 Statehouse.
 Baton Rouge, La., 850 North 5th Street.
 Boston, Mass., 939 Post Office Building.
 Champaign, Ill., 605 South Neil Street.
 Charleston, W. Va., 408 Union Building.
 Charlottesville, Va., Cabell Hall, University of Virginia.
 Chattanooga, Tenn., 442 Post Office Building.
 College Park, Md., 106 Engineering Building, University of Maryland.
 Columbia, S. C., 207 Creason Building.
 Columbus, Ohio, 1509 Hess Street.
 Harrisburg, Pa., 490 Education Building.
 Hartford, Conn., 203 Federal Building.
 Indianapolis, Ind., 311 West Washington Street.
 Jackson, Miss., Room 1, Fidelity Building.
 Knoxville, Tenn., 337 Post Office Building.
 Louisville, Ky., 531 Federal Building.
 Madison, Wis., 666 State Office Building.
 Montgomery, Ala., 507 Post Office Building.
 New Philadelphia, Ohio, Muskingum Watershed Conservancy District Building.
 Ocala, Fla., Building 311, Camp Roosevelt.
 Pittsburgh, Pa., 515 Plaza Building.
 Raleigh, N. C., 908 Capitol Club Building.
 St. Paul, Minn., 1427 New Post Office Building.
 Trenton, N. J., 228 Federal Building.
 Washington, D. C., General Services Administration Building.

West of the Mississippi River:

Austin, Tex., 302 West Fifteenth Street.
 Bismarck, N. Dak., 7 Eltinge Building.
 Boise, Idaho, 429 Federal Building.
 Denver, Colo., 476 New Customhouse.
 Fort Smith, Ark., 6 Post Office Building.
 Helena, Mont., 408 Federal Building.
 Honolulu, Hawaii, 225 Federal Building.
 Idaho Falls, Idaho, 204 Federal Building.
 Iowa City, Iowa, 508 Hydraulic Laboratory, University of Iowa.
 Lincoln, Nebr., 510 Rudge-Guenzel Building.
 Los Angeles, Calif., 429-F United States Post Office and Courthouse.
 Oklahoma City, Okla., 405 Post Office Building.
 Pierre, S. Dak., 207 Federal Building.
 Portland, Oreg., 606 Post Office Building.
 Rolla, Mo., 211 Ramsey Building.
 St. Louis, Mo., 1004 New Federal Building.
 Salt Lake City, Utah, 303 Federal Building.
 San Francisco, Calif., 702 Appraisers Building.
 Santa Fe, N. Mex., 204 United States Courthouse.
 Tacoma, Wash., 207 Federal Building.
 Topeka, Kans., 305 Federal Building.
 Tucson, Ariz., 210 Post Office Building.

A list of Geological Survey publications may be obtained by applying to the Director, Geological Survey, Washington, D. C.

Prior to publication, records of discharge in provisional form for individual stations may usually be obtained from the district offices listed above.

Early records of the flow of streams in the United States are published in the reports listed below. In many of these reports records for years earlier than those indicated have been included for some streams.

Stream-flow data for the years 1884-1901, in reports of the Geological Survey
 (A = Annual Report; B = Bulletin; W = Water-Supply Paper)

Report	Character of data	Year
10th A, pt. 2	Descriptive information only.	
11th A, pt. 2	Monthly discharge and descriptive information.....	1884 to September 1890.
12th A, pt. 2	.....do.....	1884 to June 30, 1891.
13th A, pt. 3	.....do.....	1884-92.
14th A, pt. 2	Monthly discharge.....	1888-93.
B 131.....	Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings.....	1893-94.
16th A, pt. 2	Descriptive information only.	
B 140.....	Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, ratings, and monthly discharge.	1895.
W 11.....	Gage heights.....	1896.
18th A, pt. 4	Descriptions, measurements, ratings, and monthly discharge...	1895-96.
W 15.....	Descriptions, measurements, and gage heights of streams east of the Mississippi River, and Missouri River and tributaries above Kansas River.	1897.
W 16.....	Descriptions, measurements, and gage heights of stream west of the Mississippi River, except Missouri River and tributaries above Kansas River.	1897.
19th A, pt. 4	Descriptions, measurements, ratings, and monthly discharge.	1897.
W 27.....	Measurements, ratings, and gage heights of streams east of the Mississippi River, and Missouri River and tributaries.	1898.
W 28.....	Measurements, ratings, and gage heights of streams west of the Mississippi River, except Missouri River and tributaries.	1898.
20th A, pt. 4	Monthly discharge.....	1898.
W 35 to 39...	Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings.....	1899.
21st A, pt. 4	Monthly discharge.....	1899.
W 47 to 52...	Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings.....	1900.
22d A, pt. 4	Monthly discharge.....	1900.
W 55, 66.....	Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings.....	1901.
W 75.....	Monthly discharge.....	1901.

Papers on surface water supply containing records from 1899 to date, grouped by years and drainage basins, are listed by number on page 8. The data for any particular gaging station will, in general, be found in the reports covering the years during which the station was maintained. For example, the data for 1910 to 1920 for any station in the area covered by part 3 are published in Water-Supply Papers 283, 303, 323, 353, 403, 433, 453, 473, and 503, which contain records for the Ohio River Basin for those years.

Numbers of water-supply papers containing results of stream measurements, 1899-1949 (for basins included see p. 6).

Year	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
1899 a.....	35	b55, 48	35	35	35	35	37	37	d37, 38	38, 39	38	38	38	38
1900 g.....	47, b48	48, 149	48, 149	49	49	49, 150	50	50	50	51	51	51	51	51
1901 f.....	65, 75	65, 75	65, 75	65, 75	k65, 66, 75	66, 75	k65, 66, 75	66, 75	66, 75	66, 75	66, 75	66, 75	66, 75	66, 75
1902.....	82	b62, 83	83	m85, 87	k85, 88	84	k85, 84	84	85	85	85	85	85	85
1903.....	97	b97, 98	98	98	k99, 99, n100	99	k99, 99	99	100	100	100	100	100	100
1904.....	o124, p125, q126	q126, 127	128	129	k128, 130, r131	130, r131	k128, 131	132	133, 135, s134	134	135	135	135	135
1905.....	o185, p186, q187	q187, 188	189	190	k189, 191	191	k189, 191	192	175, t177, u178, v179	177	178	178	178	178
1906.....	201	202, 203	204	205	k205, 207	207	k205, 207	208	211, 212, 213, 214, 215	215	216	216	216	216
1907.....	221	222, 223	224	225	246	246	247	249	243, 245, 246, 247, 248	253	253	253	253	253
1908.....	261	262	263	264	285	265	267	268	269, 270, 271	271	272	272	272	272
1909.....	281	282	283	284	285	286	287	288	289	290	291	292	292	292
1910.....	301	302	303	304	305	306	307	308	309	310	311	312	312	312
1911.....	321	322	323	324	325	326	327	328	329	330	331	332-A	332-B	332-C
1912.....	351	352	353	354	355	356	357	358	359	360	361	362-A	362-B	362-C
1913.....	381	382	383	384	385	386	387	388	389	390	391	392	393	394
1914.....	401	402	403	404	405	406	407	408	409	410	411	412	413	414
1915.....	431	432	433	434	435	436	437	438	439	440	441	442	443	444
1916.....	451	452	453	454	455	456	457	458	459	460	461	462	463	464
1917.....	471	472	473	474	475	476	477	478	479	480	481	482	483	484
1918.....	491	492	493	494	495	496	497	498	499	500	501	502	503	504
1919-20.....	501	502	503	504	505	506	507	508	509	510	511	512	513	514
1921.....	521	522	523	524	525	526	527	528	529	530	531	532	533	534
1922.....	541	542	543	544	545	546	547	548	549	550	551	552	553	554
1923.....	561	562	563	564	565	566	567	568	569	570	571	572	573	574
1924.....	581	582	583	584	585	586	587	588	589	590	591	592	593	594
1925.....	601	602	603	604	605	606	607	608	609	610	611	612	613	614
1926.....	621	622	623	624	625	626	627	628	629	630	631	632	633	634
1927.....	641	642	643	644	645	646	647	648	649	650	651	652	653	654
1928.....	661	662	663	664	665	666	667	668	669	670	671	672	673	674
1929.....	681	682	683	684	685	686	687	688	689	690	691	692	693	694
1930.....	696	697	698	699	700	701	702	703	704	705	706	707	708	709
1931.....	711	712	713	714	715	716	717	718	719	720	721	722	723	724
1932.....	729	730	731	732	733	734	735	736	737	738	739	740	741	742
1933.....	743	744	745	746	747	748	749	750	751	752	753	754	755	756
1934.....	757	758	759	760	761	762	763	764	765	766	767	768	769	770
1935.....	771	772	773	774	775	776	777	778	779	780	781	782	783	784
1936.....	801	802	803	804	805	806	807	808	809	810	811	812	813	814
1937.....	821	822	823	824	825	826	827	828	829	830	831	832	833	834
1938.....	851	852	853	854	855	856	857	858	859	860	861	862	863	864
1939.....	871	872	873	874	875	876	877	878	879	880	881	882	883	884
1940.....	891	892	893	894	895	896	897	898	899	900	901	902	903	904
1941.....	911	912	913	914	915	916	917	918	919	920	921	922	923	924
1942.....	925	926	927	928	929	930	931	932	933	934	935	936	937	938
1943.....	941	942	943	944	945	946	947	948	949	950	951	952	953	954
1944.....	971	972	973	974	975	976	977	978	979	980	981	982	983	984
1945.....	1001	1002	1003	1004	1005	1006	1007	1008	1009	1010	1011	1012	1013	1014
1946.....	1031	1032	1033	1034	1035	1036	1037	1038	1039	1040	1041	1042	1043	1044
1947.....	1051	1052	1053	1054	1055	1056	1057	1058	1059	1060	1061	1062	1063	1064
1948.....	1081	1082	1083	1084	1085	1086	1087	1088	1089	1090	1091	1092	1093	1094
1949.....	1111	1112	1113	1114	1115	1116	1117	1118	1119	1120	1121	1122	1123	1124
1949.....	1141	1142	1143	1144	1145	1146	1147	1148	1149	1150	1151	1152	1153	1154

a Rating tables and index to WSP 35-39.

b Monthly discharge of Kings and Kern Rivers and index to WSP 47-52.

c for 1899 in 21st Annual Report, part 4. g Rating tables and index to WSP 47-52.

d James River only.

e contained in WSP 52. Monthly discharge

f for 1900 in 22d Annual Report, part 4.

g Shuykill River to James River.

h River above Gunnison River.

i Scioto River.

j Loup, Platte, and Elkhorn Rivers and

k Tributaries below Platte River.

l Tributaries of Mississippi River from east.

m Lake Ontario and tributaries to St.

n Lawrence River proper.

o Hudson Bay only.

p New England rivers only.

p Hudson River to Delaware River.

q Susquehanna River to Yackin River.

r Platte and Kansas Rivers.

s The Great Basin in California, except

t Truckee and Carson River Basins.

u Below mouth of Gila River.

v Hudson River.

w Rogue, Umpqua, and Siletz Rivers only.

The records at most of the stations discussed in these reports extend over a series of years. Miscellaneous measurements at many points other than regular gaging stations have been made each year and are published under "Miscellaneous discharge measurements" at the end of each report, the streams and points of measurement listed appearing in the same relative order as the streams and gaging stations in the body of the report. An index of the records obtained prior to 1904 has been published in Water-Supply Paper 119.

Each of the reports on surface water supply for the year 1939, issued as Water-Supply Papers 871 to 884 (see table on p. 8), contains, for the area covered by that report, a summary of yearly discharge at gaging stations at which 10 or more complete years of record have been collected. These summaries are available also as separate reprints.

Reports have been published that are compilations of records for various areas, usually a single State or drainage basin. These reports contain records previously published (some of which have been revised), as well as some records not contained in the annual series of water-supply papers. The following table gives the numbers and titles of these reports, arranged alphabetically, some by States and some by drainage basins.

Reports containing compilations of records of discharge by States and drainage basins

Report	Period	Water-Supply Paper
STATE		
Alabama, Water powers of, with an appendix on stream measurements in Mississippi.	1895-1903	107
California, Water resources of, part 1, Stream measurements in Sacramento River Basin.	1887-1912	298
California, Water resources of, part 2, Stream measurements in San Joaquin River Basin.	1878-1912	299
California, Water resources of, part 3, Stream measurements in the Great Basin and Pacific Coast river basins.	1891-1912	300
California, southern, Surface water supply of Pacific slope of.....	1890-1918	447
California, Surface water supply of Sacramento River Basin.....	1895-1927	597-E
California, Surface water supply of San Joaquin River Basin.....	1895-1927	636-D
California, southern, Surface water supply of Pacific slope basins in....	1894-1927	636-E
California, Surface water supply of minor San Francisco Bay, northern Pacific, and Great basins in.	1895-1927	637-A
Colorado, Water resources of.....	1884-1900	74
Georgia, Water resources of.....	1895-1905	197
Massachusetts, Surface waters of.....	1848-1915	415
Massachusetts, Hydrology of, Part 1, Summary of stream-flow and precipitation records.	1863-1945	1105
Nebraska, Surface water supply of.....	1894-1906	230
Oregon, Surface water supply of.....	1878-1910	370
Texas, Summary of records of surface waters of.....	1898-1937	850
Vermont, Surface waters of.....	1875-1916	424
Washington, Summary of hydrometric data in.....	1878-1919	492
Washington, Summary of records of surface waters of.....	1919-35	870
Wisconsin, northern, Water power of.....	1895-1905	155
Wyoming, Surface waters of, and their utilization.....	1894-1921	469
DRAINAGE BASIN		
Colorado River (Ariz., Colo., N. Mex., Utah, Wyo.) and its utilization...	1888-1914	395
Colorado River, upper (Colo., Utah), and its utilization.....	1897-1927	617
Colorado River Basin (Ariz., Calif., Colo., Utah, Wyo.), Surface waters at base stations in.	1891-1938	918
Colorado River Basin (Ariz., Calif., Nev., N. Mex., Utah), Surface waters at stations on tributaries in lower.	1888-1938	1049
Columbia River Basin, upper (Mont., Idaho), Surface waters of.....	1898-1938	916
Great Salt Lake Basin, Water powers of.....	1889-1920	517
Green River (Colo., Utah, Wyo.) and its utilization.....	1894-1926	618
Kennebec River Basin (Maine), Water resources of.....	1890-1906	198
Milk River. See St. Mary and Milk Rivers.....		
Missouri and St. Mary River Basins (Mont.), Surface waters of.....	1881-1938	917
New-Kanawha River Basin (W. C., Va., W. Va.), Surface water supply of.....	1895-1920	536
Penobscot River Basin (Maine), Water resources of.....	1904-9	279
Potomac River Basin (D. C., Md., W. Va.).....	1895-1906	192
Rio Grande Basin (Colo., N. Mex., Tex.), Water resources of.....	1888-1913	358
St. Mary and Milk Rivers (Mont., Canada), Water supply of.....	1898-1917	491
St. Mary River. See St. Mary and Milk Rivers; Missouri and St. Mary River Basin.		
Sevier Lake Basin (Utah), Utilization of surface water resources of.....	1889-1937	920
Susquehanna River Basin (Pa., Md.) Hydrography of.....	1890-1904	109

Records of discharge have been published also in State reports. Some of these are not contained in the publications of the Geological Survey or are revisions of records previously published in its water-supply papers. The following table contains a list of these reports.

SURFACE WATER SUPPLY, 1949, PART 13

State reports containing compilations of records of discharge

State	Period	Report	Issued by
Alabama.....	1895-1915	Bull. 17, Water powers of Alabama.....	Geological Survey of Alabama.
Do.....	1904-47	Special Report 20, Water Resources and Hydrology of southeastern Alabama.	Do
Arkansas.....	1857-1928	Stream-gaging Rept. 1.....	Arkansas Geological Survey.
Do.....	1903-48	Surface Water Resources of Arkansas.....	Arkansas Resources and Development Commission; University of Arkansas, Institute of Science and Technology.
Colorado.....	1881-1935	Water resources of Colorado, Appendix 2, Data on stream-gaging stations of Colorado. ¹	State Planning Commission, Water Conservation Board, State engineer.
Do.....	1881-1938	Water resources of Colorado, Appendix 3, vols. 1 and 2, Stream-flow data of Colorado.	Do.
Connecticut...	1900-1927	Bull. 44, Water resources of Connecticut...	State Geological and Natural History Survey.
Do.....	1912-33	5th biennial report.....	State Water Commission.
Florida.....	1898-1946	Bull. 31, Springs of Florida.....	Florida Geological Survey.
Georgia.....	1895-1906	Bull. 16, Water powers of Georgia.....	Geological Survey of Georgia.
Do.....	1907-19	Bull. 38, Water powers of Georgia.....	Do.
Illinois.....	1908-11	Water resources of Illinois.....	Rivers and Lakes Commission.
Do.....	1900-1934	Stream-flow data of Illinois.....	Division of Waterways.
Indiana.....	1923-27	Pub. 72, Surface water supply of Indiana.....	Department of Conservation.
Do.....	1927-30	Pub. 112, Surface water supply of Indiana.....	Do.
Iowa.....	1873-1932	Stream-flow records of Iowa.....	State Planning Board.
Do.....	1873-1940	Water-Supply Bull. 1, Summaries of yearly and flood flow relating to Iowa streams..	Iowa Geological Survey.
Do.....	1941-42	Water-Supply Bull. 2, Surface water resources of Iowa.	Do.
Kansas.....	1895-1919	Surface waters of Kansas.....	Kansas Water Commission.
Do.....	1919-24	.....	Do.
Do.....	1924-28	Report of Division of Water Resources.....	State Board of Agriculture.
Do.....	1928-35	Stream-flow data of Kansas.....	Do.
Do.....	1935-39	.....	Do.
Kentucky.....	1910-20	Surface waters of Kentucky.....	Kentucky Geological Survey.
Louisiana.....	1903-38	Geol. Bull. 16, Surface water supply of Louisiana.	Department of Conservation.
Maine.....	1887-1920	1st annual report.....	Maine Water Power Commission.
Maryland.....	1929-37	Flow data and draft storage curves for major streams in Maryland.	State Planning Commission and Water Resources Commission.
Do.....	1892-1943	Bull. 1, Summary of records of surface waters of Maryland and the Potomac River Basin.	Department of Geology, Mines, and Water Resources.
Do.....	1931-48	Bull. 5, Anne Arundel County Water Resources	Do.
Minnesota.....	1909-12	Water-resources investigation of Minnesota.	State Drainage Commission.
Mississippi...	1900-1948	Bull. 68, Surface Waters of Mississippi....	Mississippi Geological Survey.
Missouri.....	1857-1926	Vol. 20, 2d series, Water resources of Missouri.	Missouri Bureau of Geology and Mines.
Do.....	1927-39	Vol. 26, 2d series, Surface waters of Missouri.	Missouri Geological Survey and Water Resources.
Montana.....	1889-1911	5th biennial report.....	Office of the State Engineer.
Do.....	1881-1938	Special Rept. 10, vols. 1-4, Water resources of Montana.	Montana Agricultural Experiment Station.
Nebraska.....	1894-1914	1st hydrographic report.....	Bureau of Water Power, Irrigation, and Drainage.
Do.....	1914-28	2d hydrographic report.....	Do.
New Hampshire.	1889-1922	Annual and statistical report, vol. 12.....	Public Service Commission.
New Jersey....	1892-1928	Bull. 33, Surface water supply of New Jersey.	Department of Conservation and Development.
Do.....	1928-34	Special Rept. 5, Surface water supply of New Jersey.	State Water Policy Commission.
Do.....	1934-40	Special Rept. 9, Surface water supply of New Jersey.	Do.
New Mexico....	1888-1925	Surface water supply of New Mexico.....	Office of the State Engineer.
North Carolina	1889-1923	Bull. 34, Discharge records of North Carolina streams.	Department of Conservation and Development.
Do.....	1889-1936	Bull. 39, Discharge records of North Carolina streams. ²	Do.
Do.....	1866-1945	Hydrologic Data on the Neuse River Basin.	Do.
Do.....	1820-1945	Hydrologic Data on the Cape Fear River Basin.	Do.
Do.....	1866-1945	Hydrologic Data on the Yadkin-Pee Dee River Basin.	Do.
Do.....	1872-1945	Hydrologic Data on the Catawba and Broad River Basins.	Do.
Do.....	1857-1945	Hydraulic Data on The French Broad River Basin.	Do.
North Dakota..	1919-21	Report to Governor of North Dakota on flood control.	State chief engineer.
Do.....	1882-1938	Surface water in North Dakota.....	State Planning Board.
Do.....	1882-1944	Supplement B, 4th biennial report.....	State Water Conservation Commission.
Ohio.....	1898-1921	Bull. 73, Ohio stream flow, Part 1.....	Engineering Experiment Station, Ohio State University.
Do.....	1898-1944	Bull. 127, Ohio stream flow, Part 2.....	Do.
Do.....	1902-39	Bull. 200, Compilation of stream-flow records of Ohio.	Department of Agriculture, Division of Conservation and Natural Resources.
Do.....	1898-1939	Bull. 111, Ohio stream-drainage areas and flow-duration tables.	Engineering Experiment Station, Ohio State University.
Oregon.....	1878-1914	Bull. 4, Water resources of the State of Oregon.	Office of the State Engineer.
Do.....	1914-24	Bull. 7, Water resources of the State of Oregon.	Do.
Do.....	1924-30	Bull. 8, Water resources of the State of Oregon.	Do.

¹ Contains records of yearly discharge only.² Contains records of maximum and minimum daily, weekly, and monthly discharge and yearly mean discharge.

State reports containing compilations of records of discharge--Continued

State	Period	Report	Issued by
Oregon.....	1930-36	Bull. 9, Water resources of the State of Oregon.	Office of the State Engineer.
Do.....	1936-41	Bull. 10, Water resources of the State of Oregon.	Do.
Pennsylvania..	1890-1911	Report of the Water Supply Commission of Pennsylvania.	Water Supply Commission of Pennsylvania.
Do.....	1928-32	Stream-flow records of Pennsylvania.....	Department of Forests and Waters.
Rhode Island..	1929-41	7th annual report.....	Department of Public Works.
South Carolina	1884-1946	Bull. 17, Summary of records of surface water supply of South Carolina.	South Carolina Research, Planning and Development Board.
Tennessee.....	1874-1924	Bull. 34, Water resources of Tennessee ⁵	Department of Education.
Do.....	1920-30	Bull. 40, Surface waters of Tennessee.....	Do.
Utah.....	1889-1905	5th biennial report.....	Office of the State Engineer.
Do.....	1906-10	7th biennial report.....	Do.
Do.....	1911-16	10th biennial report.....	Do.
Virginia.....	1895-1927	Bull. 31, Water resources of Virginia.....	Virginia Geological Survey.
Do.....	1927-42	Bull. 4, Surface water supply of Virginia (Potomac, Rappahannock, and York River Basins).	Virginia Conservation Commission.
Do.....	1927-42	Bull. 5, Surface water supply of Virginia (James River Basin).	Do.
Do.....	1927-42	Bull. 6, Surface water supply of Virginia (Roanoke and Chowan River Basins).	Do.
Do.....	1927-42	Bull. 7, Surface water supply of Virginia (New, Tennessee, and Big Sandy River Basins).	Do.
Washington....	1878-1935	Bull. 5, Monthly and yearly summaries of hydrometric data.	Department of Conservation and Development.
Wisconsin.....	1888-1914	1st report of Railroad Commission of Wisconsin to Legislature on water powers.	Railroad Commission of Wisconsin.
Do.....	1914-23	2d report of Railroad Commission of Wisconsin to Legislature on water powers.	Do.

⁵ Includes records of discharge for all stations in North Carolina in the Tennessee River Basin. Note.- In addition to the records contained in the reports listed above, the following States have issued annual or biennial reports in which are contained records of discharge: California, Colorado, Connecticut, Idaho, Indiana, Kansas, Maine, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, New York (also New York City Board of Water Supply and city of Rochester), North Dakota, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Washington, and Wyoming.

The reports listed in the foregoing tables contain the customary records of discharge collected during the systematic operation of gaging stations. Detailed information on the stage and discharge of many streams during major floods has been included in special reports on these floods published by the Geological Survey. The more recent of these special reports also contain other pertinent hydrologic information and analyses and compilations of data relating to earlier noteworthy floods. The following list gives the numbers and titles of these reports:

Water-Supply Paper	Title
88	The Passaic flood of 1902.
92	The Passaic flood of 1903.
96	Destructive floods in the United States in 1903.
147	Destructive floods in the United States in 1904.
162	Destructive floods in the United States in 1905.
334	The Ohio Valley flood of March-April 1913.
426	Southern California floods of January 1916.
487	The Arkansas River flood of June 3-5, 1921.
488	The floods in central Texas in September 1921.
520-G	Some floods in the Rocky Mountain region.
636-C	The New England flood of November 1927.
771	Floods in the United States, magnitudes and frequency.
773-E	The New York State flood of July 1935.
796-B	Flood on Republican and Kansas Rivers, May and June 1935.
796-C	Flood in La Canada Valley, Calif., January 1, 1934.
796-G	Major Texas floods of 1935.
798	The floods of March 1936, part 1, New England rivers.
799	The floods of March 1936, part 2, Hudson River to Susquehanna River region.
800	The floods of March 1936, part 3, Potomac, James, and upper Ohio Rivers.
816	Major Texas floods of 1936.
836-A	Stages and flood discharges of the Connecticut River at Hartford, Conn.
838	Floods of Ohio and Mississippi Rivers, January-February, 1937.
842	Floods in Canadian and Pecos River Basins of New Mexico, May and June 1937.
843	Floods of December 1937 in northern California.
844	Floods of March 1938 in southern California.
847	Maximum discharges at stream-measurement stations through September 1938.
867	Hurricane floods of September 1938.
869	Flood of August 1935 in Muskingum River Basin, Ohio.
914	Texas floods of 1938 and 1939.
966	Minor floods of 1938 in North Atlantic States.
967-A	Floods of September 1939 in Colorado River Basin below Boulder (Hoover) Dam.
967-B	Flood of July 5, 1939, in eastern Kentucky.
967-C	Flood of August 21, 1939, in town of Baldwin, Maine.
994	Cloudburst floods in Utah, 1850 to 1938.
997	Floods in Colorado.
1046	Texas floods of 1940.
1066	Floods of August 1940 in the southeastern States.
1080	Floods of May-June 1948 in Columbia River Basin.

RECORDS OF DISCHARGE COLLECTED BY AGENCIES OTHER THAN THE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

The following table contains a list of gaging stations for the area covered by this report at which records of daily discharge were collected during the water year October 1948 to September 1949 by agencies other than the Geological Survey. The records for these stations are not contained in the publications of the Geological Survey except as noted.

Records of discharge collected by agencies other than the Geological Survey

Streams	Location	Period	Collected by
American Falls Reservoir, inflow to.	Near American Falls, Idaho.....	1927-28, 1932-49	Idaho Water District 36.
Lake Milner.....	Near Milner, Idaho.....	1930-49† (gage heights only).	Do.
Malheur River.....	SW¼ sec. 32, T. 20 S., R. 41 E., near Namorf, Oreg.	1932-49†.....	Oregon State engineer.
Do.....	SW¼ sec. 21, T. 18 S., R. 45 E., below Nevada Dam, near Vale, Oreg.	1936-42, 1944-49†	Do.
SNAKE River tributaries.	Near Irwin, Idaho.....	1940-49†.....	Idaho Water District 36.
Teton River tributaries and diversions.	Near Driggs, Idaho.....	1934-49†.....	Do.
Wallowa Lake Reservoir.	Sec. 5, T. 3 S., R. 45 E., at outlet, near Joseph, Oreg.	1925-49† (gage heights only).	Oregon State engineer.
Wallowa River.....	Sec. 5, T. 3 S., R. 45 E., below Wallowa Lake, near Joseph, Oreg.	1926-49†.....	Do.

† Records for some earlier years published in water-supply papers of the Geological Survey.

* Fragmentary.

Note.--Of the records for the stations operated by the Oregon State engineer, those for 1925-30 are published in Bulletin 8 of the State engineer, and those for 1931-36 (including some to December 1936) in Bulletin 9; those for 1937-41 in Bulletin 10; those for 1942-49 have not been published. Records for the stations operated by Idaho Water District 36 are published in the annual reports of that organization.

COOPERATION

The work in the several States was done under cooperative agreements with the organizations listed below.

Idaho: Idaho Department of Reclamation, M. R. Kulp, State reclamation engineer.

Oregon: Office of the State Engineer, C. E. Stricklin.

Utah: Office of the State Engineer, E. H. Watson, succeeded by H. A. Linke.

Washington: State Department of Conservation and Development, F. A. Stewart, director, succeeded by J. V. Rogers, and C. J. Bartholet, consulting engineer for the department and supervisor of hydraulics.

Wyoming: Office of the State Engineer, L. C. Bishop.

Financial assistance was furnished by the Corps of Engineers in the operation of 18 gaging stations, of which 14 were in Idaho and 4 in Wyoming.

Financial assistance was furnished also by the Office of Indian Affairs and the Bureau of Reclamation of the United States Department of the Interior. Assistance was furnished by the Weather Bureau and the Forest Service of the United States Department of Commerce.

Assistance in collecting records was rendered by the following organizations and water-masters.

Idaho: City of Pocatello, Idaho Power Co., Board of Control for Boise Project, Idaho Water District 36, North Side Canal Co., Twin Falls Canal Co., Utah Power & Light Co., Washington Water Power Co., and watermasters for Big Lost, Little Lost, Big Wood, Little Wood, Boise, and Weiser Rivers, Lake Fork of Payette River, and Mud Lake.

Oregon: Malheur, Baker, Union, and Wallowa Counties, Pacific Power & Light Co., and Warm Springs Irrigation District.

Washington: Bonneville Power Administration, Washington Water Power Co.

The stream-gaging work was conducted by the water resources division of the Geological Survey--Carl G. Paulsen, chief hydraulic engineer, and Joseph V. B. Wells, chief of the surface water branch. The data for the stations in the several States were collected and prepared for publication under supervision of district engineers as listed below.

Idaho: Stations on Snake River between Heise and Milner, stations on tributaries of Snake River above American Falls Reservoir (except Teton River near Victor, Teton Creek and Horseshoe Creek near Driggs, and Packsaddle Creek and Spring Creek near Tetonia) and diversions from Snake River at and above Milner, Lynn Crandall; all other stations in Idaho, T. R. Newell.

Nevada: M. T. Wilson (except for Salmon Falls Creek near San Jacinto and above Upper Vineyard ditch, near Contact, T. R. Newell).

Oregon: K. N. Phillips (except for Jordan Creek above Lone Tree Creek, near Jordan Valley and Snake River at Oxbow, T. R. Newell), the work being done in collaboration with C. E. Stricklin, State engineer.

Utah: M. T. Wilson (Clear Creek near Naf, Idaho).

Washington: F. M. Veatch.

Wyoming: Grassy Lake, Jackson Lake, and Snake River at Moran, Lynn Crandall; Cottonwood Creek near Smoot, Salt River near Smoot and at Wyoming-Idaho State line, and Swift Creek near Afton, F. M. Bell; all other stations in Wyoming, T. R. Newell.

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GAGING-STATION RECORDS

SNAKE RIVER MAIN STEM

Jackson Lake at Moran, Wyo.

Location.--Electric tape gage, lat. 43°51', long. 110°35', in sec. 18, T. 45 N., R. 114 W., at dam on Snake River, at Moran. Datum of gage is at mean sea level (levels by Bureau of Reclamation).

Drainage area.--816 square miles.

Records available.--July 1908 to September 1949 (1908-10 fragmentary).

Extremes.--Maximum contents during year, 853,120 acre-feet June 20 (elevation, 6,769.24 feet); minimum, 234,880 acre-feet Oct. 1 (elevation, 6,742.61 feet).
1908-49: Maximum contents, 857,220 acre-feet June 23, 1937 (elevation, 6,769.40 feet); no usable contents on several days during period August to October 1919 (elevation, 6,730.00 feet).

Remarks.--Reservoir was formed by log crib dam in 1906 with a usable capacity of 300,000 acre-feet. The dam washed out in July 1910 and was replaced by an earth dam, forming a reservoir with a usable capacity of 380,000 acre-feet. The earth dam was raised in 1916 increasing the usable capacity to 790,000 acre-feet. In 1917, by dredging the outlet, the capacity was further increased to 847,000 acre-feet between elevations 6,730 feet (top of baffles to sluices) and 6,769 feet (top of spillway gates). Water is used for irrigation in Snake River Valley, Idaho. Gage read once daily at 8 a.m. Contents as given herein are computed from elevation at that time; all available for release.

Cooperation.--Reservoir elevations and capacity table furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Contents, in acre-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	234,880	259,990	289,120	322,030	351,230	379,610	370,090	416,160	754,250	850,300	619,100	399,830
2	235,900	281,640	290,180	323,470	351,890	380,050	369,650	419,770	763,220	849,790	609,550	392,010
3	236,310	282,980	292,510	324,120	352,580	379,170	369,430	422,950	767,950	845,950	600,710	382,490
4	237,120	284,550	293,570	325,180	353,420	378,060	369,210	427,660	771,180	841,880	592,170	370,870
5	238,350	285,180	293,990	326,480	354,520	376,950	369,430	432,630	775,440	836,280	582,920	361,320
6	239,360	285,600	294,630	327,990	355,400	375,620	369,430	437,140	776,700	832,980	573,690	352,550
7	240,180	287,070	296,120	328,860	356,280	374,520	369,430	441,000	781,720	830,180	564,730	342,740
8	240,790	287,690	298,870	329,720	357,150	372,960	369,430	446,000	788,740	827,630	556,490	332,980
9	242,010	288,320	300,570	330,590	358,470	371,860	369,430	453,050	795,760	822,800	548,510	324,330
10	242,630	289,160	301,630	331,240	360,000	371,190	369,430	462,390	802,590	817,990	542,890	314,240
11	243,450	290,000	302,900	332,110	362,850	370,090	369,650	472,470	810,660	814,200	537,750	307,690
12	244,070	290,840	304,390	333,200	364,170	369,430	369,870	483,470	819,000	810,160	531,190	301,630
13	244,900	271,460	306,730	334,060	363,050	368,560	370,750	495,470	827,120	805,360	525,140	297,600
14	245,930	272,510	308,450	334,930	365,710	367,680	371,640	510,040	832,980	797,530	518,870	293,360
15	248,000	272,930	309,950	335,800	366,800	367,680	372,080	524,680	836,790	789,490	511,900	290,600
16	248,830	274,190	310,380	336,450	368,560	367,680	373,190	540,320	843,920	779,710	505,630	289,960
17	249,240	276,070	311,020	337,320	369,560	368,340	373,630	557,200	849,530	771,690	499,160	287,630
18	250,270	276,910	311,670	338,620	370,750	368,120	374,070	573,220	849,280	762,220	492,700	287,420
19	250,890	277,540	312,530	339,490	371,640	368,340	375,180	589,080	851,070	752,010	486,010	287,830
20	251,510	278,380	314,460	340,360	372,300	368,340	376,510	602,620	853,120	742,080	478,120	286,060
21	252,340	279,630	315,320	341,440	372,960	368,560	376,500	614,080	851,580	730,960	472,470	286,890
22	253,170	280,680	316,860	342,740	373,630	368,560	381,160	628,920	851,330	719,840	465,140	286,340
23	253,990	281,620	318,600	343,610	374,290	369,000	385,600	641,190	851,580	709,040	457,600	287,420
24	254,820	282,770	317,460	344,480	374,740	369,000	386,030	651,800	851,330	697,740	451,000	284,030
25	255,440	284,030	318,110	345,560	375,620	369,210	388,470	661,240	851,330	686,230	444,410	280,470
26	256,060	284,870	318,540	346,650	376,290	369,650	392,900	671,650	851,840	678,720	437,810	278,590
27	256,890	285,150	319,870	347,520	377,400	369,870	397,150	682,860	852,350	668,500	431,500	276,070
28	257,300	287,000	319,590	348,600	378,720	370,090	402,070	696,480	851,330	658,580	424,860	273,770
29	257,920	288,270	320,250	349,700	-	370,090	406,990	714,930	851,330	648,650	418,640	272,510
30	258,340	288,690	321,110	350,140	-	370,090	412,350	729,470	851,580	638,300	413,020	273,140
31	258,960	-	321,750	350,890	-	370,090	-	742,820	-	627,720	406,320	-

Monthly elevation and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Elevation (feet)	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30.....	6,742.58	234,260	-
Oct. 31.....	6,743.78	258,960	+24,700
Nov. 30.....	6,745.20	288,690	+29,730
Dec. 31.....	6,746.75	321,750	+33,060
Calendar year 1948...	-	-	-226,760
Jan. 31.....	6,748.09	350,890	+29,140
Feb. 28.....	6,749.36	378,720	+27,830
Mar. 31.....	6,748.97	370,090	-8,630
Apr. 30.....	6,750.87	412,350	+42,260
May 31.....	6,764.86	742,820	+330,470
June 30.....	6,769.18	851,580	+108,760
July 31.....	6,780.18	827,720	-23,860
Aug. 31.....	6,750.60	406,320	-221,400
Sept. 30.....	6,744.46	273,140	-133,180
Water year 1948-49...	-	-	+38,880

Snake River at Moran, Wyo.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°51', long. 110°35', in sec. 18, T. 45 N., R. 114 W., at Moran, 1,000 feet downstream from Jackson Lake Dam. Datum of gage is 6,725.61 feet above mean sea level (Bureau of Reclamation bench mark).

Drainage area.--816 square miles.

Records available.--September 1903 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--46 years, 1,417 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 7,310 second-feet July 21 (gage height, 8.60 feet); minimum daily, 3 second-feet on many days.

1903-49: Maximum discharge, 15,100 second-feet June 12, 1918 (gage height, 10.41 feet, site and datum then in use); practically no flow for a few days in 1907 and 1909.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for Oct. 1 to Feb. 27, which are good. Flow regulated by Jackson Lake (see preceding page).

Cooperation.--Gage-height record furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	27	3	3	3	4	640	386	363	1,020	3,050	6,080	4,520
2	27	3	3	3	4	972	386	363	1,680	3,970	5,890	5,270
3	27	3	3	3	4	972	386	358	2,420	5,980	5,880	6,160
4	27	3	3	3	4	1,000	386	354	3,160	5,540	5,940	6,300
5	15	3	3	3	4	1,000	386	350	3,370	4,040	5,650	5,620
6	6	3	3	3	4	1,000	386	350	3,520	3,810	5,600	5,590
7	3	3	3	3	4	1,000	386	350	3,300	3,650	5,510	5,620
8	3	3	3	3	4	993	386	350	3,410	3,910	5,300	5,440
9	3	3	3	3	4	993	386	350	3,440	4,740	4,500	5,410
10	4	3	3	3	4	993	386	44	3,500	4,220	3,600	5,060
11	4	3	3	3	4	993	386	46	3,560	3,920	3,790	4,490
12	6	3	3	3	4	986	386	46	3,640	4,310	3,950	3,250
13	6	3	3	3	4	986	386	46	3,720	5,520	4,010	2,410
14	6	3	3	3	4	614	386	46	3,740	6,080	4,180	2,310
15	6	3	3	3	4	390	386	46	2,570	5,940	4,220	1,640
16	6	3	3	3	4	394	412	47	1,200	6,330	3,840	1,210
17	6	3	3	3	4	394	426	48	4,380	6,590	4,020	723
18	6	3	3	3	4	394	426	47	4,400	6,710	4,100	292
19	6	3	3	3	4	390	440	47	4,780	6,790	4,140	43
20	3	3	3	3	4	390	462	47	6,930	7,100	4,260	16
21	4	3	3	3	4	390	471	47	4,980	7,220	4,320	4
22	4	3	3	3	4	390	485	48	4,240	7,060	4,420	968
23	3	3	3	3	4	390	495	48	4,220	7,000	4,430	1,930
24	3	3	3	3	4	390	510	48	4,000	6,660	4,430	2,180
25	3	3	3	3	4	390	515	48	3,180	6,230	4,250	1,820
26	3	3	3	3	4	386	520	48	3,280	6,500	4,040	1,570
27	3	3	3	3	4	386	525	46	3,710	6,490	3,910	1,670
28	3	3	3	3	120	386	535	43	3,290	6,300	3,860	1,420
29	3	3	3	3	-	386	415	41	2,430	6,270	3,820	624
30	3	3	3	3	-	386	358	41	2,630	6,270	3,820	175
31	3	-	3	3	-	386	-	286	-	6,180	3,950	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	232	27	3	7.5	460
November.....	90	3	3	3.0	179
December.....	93	-	-	3.0	184
Calendar year 1948	633,134	8,430	3	1,730	1,256,000
January.....	93	-	-	3.0	184
February.....	228	120	-	8.1	452
March.....	19,760	1,000	386	637	39,190
April.....	12,785	535	358	426	25,360
May.....	4,145	363	41	134	8,220
June.....	103,700	6,930	1,020	3,457	205,700
July.....	174,180	7,220	3,050	5,619	345,500
August.....	139,680	6,080	3,600	4,506	277,100
September.....	83,735	6,300	4	2,791	166,100
Water year 1948-49	538,721	7,220	3	1,476	1,069,000

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 24 to Mar. 1. Discharge computed from staff-gage readings Oct. 1 to June 3.

Snake River below Greys River, at Alpine, Idaho

Location.--Wire-weight gage, lat. 43°10'20", long. 111°02'30", in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 19, T. 37 N., R. 118 W., sixth principal meridian, Wyoming, at State line bridge on U. S. Highway 89, a quarter of a mile south of Alpine, Idaho, post office, $1\frac{1}{4}$ miles upstream from Salt River, and 2 miles downstream from Greys River.

Drainage area.--3,940 square miles.

Records available.--October 1944 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 18,200 second-feet June 20 (gage height, 8.24 feet); minimum daily, 1,050 second-feet Jan. 25-31, during period of ice effect; minimum gage height observed, 2.82 feet Feb. 16, 25, 28.
1944-49: Maximum discharge observed, 24,200 second-feet June 3, 1948 (gage height, 9.66 feet); minimum daily, that of Jan. 25-31, 1949; minimum gage height observed, 2.23 feet Mar. 6, Apr. 3, 1945.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Gage read once daily except May 17 to June 25, when it was read twice daily. Diversions from tributaries above station. Some regulation by Jackson Lake (see p. 14).

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1,990	1,650	1,560	1,340	1,100	1,410	1,810	5,970	13,200	10,200	9,140	6,000
2	1,940	1,840	1,560	1,320	1,180	1,440	1,970	5,620	12,200	9,170	8,790	5,480
3	1,860	1,830	1,560	1,300	1,200	2,250	1,950	5,940	11,500	8,860	8,690	8,010
4	1,910	1,750	1,560	1,280	1,200	2,320	2,050	7,000	12,100	13,100	8,470	8,350
5	2,050	1,650	1,540	1,260	1,200	2,230	2,110	6,510	12,300	11,200	8,420	7,850
6	2,020	1,680	1,590	1,240	1,200	2,280	2,160	5,910	12,300	10,700	8,320	7,530
7	2,000	1,700	1,640	1,220	1,200	2,270	2,300	6,220	13,500	10,400	8,280	7,400
8	1,970	1,560	1,600	1,210	1,200	2,270	2,440	6,810	14,700	9,700	7,880	7,030
9	1,940	1,560	1,560	1,190	1,240	2,250	2,600	7,590	15,800	10,600	7,780	7,000
10	1,890	1,620	1,560	1,180	1,280	2,230	2,650	8,320	15,900	10,400	7,120	7,060
11	1,840	1,620	1,560	1,180	1,280	2,200	2,790	9,200	16,900	9,620	6,480	6,690
12	1,810	1,620	1,560	1,250	1,280	2,230	3,050	10,700	17,600	9,200	6,540	6,140
13	1,750	1,590	1,560	1,320	1,280	2,230	3,280	12,800	17,800	10,200	6,500	4,480
14	1,790	1,590	1,560	1,350	1,300	2,230	3,100	12,500	16,700	10,800	6,490	4,830
15	1,920	1,700	1,520	1,320	1,330	2,050	3,160	13,400	15,600	10,900	6,480	4,210
16	1,920	1,680	1,460	1,250	1,380	1,830	3,220	14,000	13,100	10,800	6,450	3,550
17	1,830	1,580	1,420	1,220	1,450	1,830	3,590	15,600	12,200	10,900	6,310	3,220
18	1,790	1,530	1,400	1,160	1,540	1,840	3,900	15,300	14,900	10,800	6,310	2,870
19	1,700	1,530	1,400	1,100	1,480	1,870	4,480	14,600	15,500	10,600	6,360	2,560
20	1,710	1,530	1,390	1,100	1,480	1,870	5,310	14,200	18,200	10,900	6,420	2,320
21	1,680	1,540	1,380	1,100	1,480	1,910	5,410	13,000	17,000	10,500	6,340	2,150
22	1,670	1,560	1,360	1,100	1,530	1,970	5,940	12,000	14,700	10,400	6,450	2,180
23	1,670	1,580	1,320	1,100	1,520	1,970	6,450	11,500	14,100	10,300	6,600	3,030
24	1,680	1,590	1,260	1,060	1,460	1,910	6,720	10,600	13,200	10,200	6,720	3,510
25	1,670	1,600	1,250	1,050	1,580	1,890	7,140	10,300	12,200	9,480	6,220	3,710
26	1,650	1,540	1,250	1,050	1,440	1,870	7,560	10,800	12,100	9,420	6,160	3,350
27	1,640	1,520	1,250	1,050	1,400	1,790	7,620	11,800	12,800	9,620	6,020	3,310
28	1,640	1,530	1,250	1,050	1,380	1,780	8,150	13,100	11,800	9,100	5,890	3,220
29	1,650	1,560	1,270	1,050	-	1,730	7,240	14,100	10,500	9,200	5,860	2,970
30	1,640	1,520	1,290	1,050	-	1,710	6,690	13,900	9,840	9,200	5,720	2,630
31	1,640	-	1,320	1,050	-	1,750	-	13,800	-	9,200	5,720	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	55,860	2,050	1,640	1,820	110,800
November.....	48,350	1,840	1,520	1,612	95,900
December.....	44,760	1,640	1,250	1,444	88,780
Calendar year 1948	1,898,800	23,900	1,090	5,188	3,766,000
January.....	36,500	1,350	1,050	1,177	72,400
February.....	37,400	1,540	1,100	1,336	74,180
March.....	61,410	2,320	1,410	1,981	121,800
April.....	126,840	8,150	1,810	4,228	251,600
May.....	353,090	15,600	5,620	10,740	650,700
June.....	420,240	18,200	9,840	14,010	833,500
July.....	315,570	13,100	8,860	10,180	625,900
August.....	214,910	9,140	5,720	6,933	426,300
September.....	143,700	8,350	2,150	4,790	285,000
Water year 1948-49	1,838,630	18,200	1,050	5,037	3,647,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 17 to Feb. 15. No gage-height record Nov. 20-22, 24, 25, Dec. 18, 25, Jan. 16, Jan. 26 to Feb. 8, Apr. 25, June 14, Aug. 13-15; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for stations near Heise and Irwin.

Snake River near Irwin, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 43°21', long. 111°13', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 6, T. 1 S., R. 45 E., 2 miles upstream from Palisades Creek and 5 miles southeast of Irwin.

Drainage area.--5,215 square miles.

Records available.--May to September 1949. April 1935 to October 1936 at site $3\frac{1}{2}$ miles downstream.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during period May to September 1949, 20,500 second-feet June 13 (gage height, 7.24 feet); minimum daily, 2,820 second-feet Sept. 22.

1935-36, 1949: Maximum daily discharge, 26,850 second-feet June 1, 1936; minimum daily recorded, 1,600 second-feet Apr. 1-7, 1936.

Remarks.--Records fair. Some regulation by Jackson Lake (see p. 14).

Cooperation.--Gage-height record furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1949 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1								a3,000	15,700	10,500	9,670	6,580
2								7,930	15,100	10,400	9,570	6,640
3								8,710	14,100	10,200	9,310	a7,750
4								9,630	13,700	13,900	9,310	8,830
5								9,220	14,100	12,900	9,250	8,100
6								8,460	14,800	11,800	a8,950	7,960
7								8,740	15,300	11,300	a8,750	7,840
8								9,150	16,300	11,000	a8,600	7,650
9								10,000	17,800	11,300	8,430	7,480
10								11,000	18,400	a11,700	8,100	a7,900
11								11,900	19,100	11,000	7,120	a7,700
12								13,100	19,600	10,400	6,960	7,200
13								14,400	20,400	a10,300	a6,960	a5,600
14								15,000	19,200	11,100	a6,960	4,990
15								15,700	17,600	11,400	6,960	4,660
16								16,200	15,400	a11,100	7,090	4,590
17								18,000	14,800	a11,300	6,990	a4,000
18								18,700	17,000	11,400	6,900	a3,700
19								18,000	a17,300	11,300	6,960	a3,300
20								17,200	18,400	11,300	a7,000	a3,140
21								16,000	19,400	11,200	a7,050	a2,900
22								15,000	16,600	11,300	7,230	a2,820
23								14,400	15,700	11,100	7,260	a3,800
24								13,700	14,800	a10,900	7,180	a4,400
25								15,200	13,400	10,600	7,090	a4,600
26								13,100	a13,000	10,100	7,090	a4,250
27								14,300	13,500	10,100	a6,860	a4,100
28								15,500	13,000	10,300	a6,670	a4,150
29								16,500	12,100	10,000	6,550	a3,850
30								16,700	11,100	9,860	6,530	a3,700
31								16,300	-	a9,750	6,500	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....					
November.....					
December.....					
Calendar year					
January.....	-	-	-	-	-
February.....	-	-	-	-	-
March.....	-	-	-	-	-
April.....	-	-	-	-	-
May.....	414,740	16,700	7,930	13,380	822,600
June.....	476,700	20,400	11,100	15,890	945,500
July.....	340,610	13,900	9,750	10,990	675,000
August.....	235,850	9,670	6,500	7,608	467,800
September.....	164,180	8,830	2,820	5,473	325,600
The period	-	-	-	-	3,238,000

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of records for station near Heise.

SNAKE RIVER MAIN STEM

Snake River near Heise, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°37', long. 111°40', in sec. 5, T. 3 N., R. 41 E., 3 miles upstream from Heise and 23 miles upstream from Henrys Fork. Altitude of gage, 5,015 feet (from river-profile map).

Drainage area.--5,740 square miles.

Records available.--September 1910 to September 1949, except winters of 1914-24.

Average discharge.--39 years, 6,738 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 21,000 second-feet June 13 (gage height, 7.45 feet); minimum daily, 1,950 second-feet Jan. 27-29.

1910-49: Maximum discharge, about 60,000 second-feet May 19, 1927, result of washing out of landslide of Gros Ventre River (gage height, about 16.0 feet, present datum); minimum, 1,210 second-feet Jan. 22, 1935 (gage height, 1.15 feet).

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of ice effect, which are good.

Station is above all irrigation diversions from main river except Riley ditch (4,850 acre-feet diverted during year), which diverts 1 mile upstream from station. About 110,000 acres in Wyoming and Idaho irrigated by diversions from tributaries above station. Some regulation by Jackson Lake (see p. 14).

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	3,060	2,830	2,610	2,350	2,050	2,290	2,810	10,100	17,100	11,100	10,200	6,990
2	3,050	2,970	2,560	2,300	2,070	2,280	2,830	8,990	16,500	11,400	10,100	7,240
3	3,050	3,140	2,680	2,250	2,100	2,460	2,870	9,280	15,200	11,900	9,940	7,840
4	3,030	3,190	2,730	2,200	2,100	3,190	2,960	10,500	14,500	14,600	9,690	8,890
5	3,120	3,060	2,710	2,150	2,150	3,320	3,080	10,400	14,700	14,400	9,720	9,280
6	3,300	2,940	2,640	2,160	2,150	3,400	3,280	9,620	15,300	12,800	9,490	8,670
7	3,130	2,960	2,680	2,170	2,200	3,440	3,600	9,590	16,000	12,100	9,350	8,510
8	3,100	2,880	2,680	2,150	2,200	3,420	3,970	10,100	17,000	11,500	9,250	8,510
9	3,060	2,760	2,600	2,100	2,250	3,440	4,300	11,100	18,600	11,300	9,050	8,300
10	3,050	2,760	2,630	2,050	2,250	3,440	4,500	12,300	19,100	12,400	8,760	8,300
11	3,050	2,810	2,680	2,100	2,250	3,440	4,730	13,300	19,600	11,600	7,780	8,420
12	3,030	2,810	2,690	2,200	2,300	3,340	5,210	14,400	20,200	11,600	7,610	8,050
13	2,990	2,850	2,710	2,300	2,300	3,210	5,610	15,700	20,900	10,900	7,660	7,240
14	2,990	2,830	2,660	2,330	2,250	3,190	5,540	16,600	20,300	11,700	7,610	5,910
15	3,120	2,850	2,640	2,250	2,250	3,190	5,360	17,200	18,600	12,100	7,640	6,060
16	3,210	2,900	2,530	2,200	2,200	2,880	5,660	17,900	16,800	11,800	7,750	5,280
17	3,150	2,940	2,480	2,200	2,180	2,830	6,110	19,300	14,700	11,900	7,380	4,820
18	3,080	2,850	2,470	2,150	2,290	2,830	6,780	20,500	16,700	12,100	7,430	4,450
19	3,010	2,800	2,450	2,120	2,280	2,830	7,580	20,300	17,600	12,000	7,430	4,050
20	2,970	2,640	2,400	2,100	2,400	2,940	8,640	19,300	18,400	11,700	7,580	3,750
21	2,960	2,730	2,350	2,080	2,320	3,010	8,420	18,400	20,500	11,800	7,490	3,440
22	2,960	2,710	2,300	2,050	2,320	3,030	7,810	17,300	17,900	11,800	7,490	3,320
23	2,940	2,710	2,240	2,050	2,350	3,100	10,000	16,400	16,500	11,500	7,610	3,270
24	2,920	2,810	2,220	2,020	2,380	3,080	10,900	15,500	15,900	11,400	7,960	4,410
25	2,920	2,850	2,200	2,000	2,310	2,940	12,000	14,500	14,800	11,100	7,930	4,990
26	2,900	2,780	2,180	1,980	2,280	2,850	12,800	14,500	13,800	10,600	7,720	5,110
27	2,900	2,680	2,150	1,950	2,270	2,830	12,600	15,400	14,500	10,500	7,410	4,590
28	2,880	2,560	2,200	1,950	2,240	2,830	13,000	16,600	13,900	10,700	7,270	4,610
29	2,870	*2,640	2,250	1,950	-	2,760	13,200	17,600	12,900	10,400	7,180	4,660
30	2,830	2,630	2,300	1,980	-	2,760	11,800	18,000	11,700	10,300	7,100	4,340
31	2,810	-	2,350	2,000	-	2,780	-	17,400	-	10,500	7,020	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	93,500	3,300	2,810	3,016	185,500
November.....	84,670	3,190	2,560	2,822	167,900
December.....	76,970	2,730	2,150	2,463	152,700
Calendar year 1948	2,509,050	30,100	2,050	6,855	4,977,000
January.....	65,840	2,350	1,950	2,124	150,600
February.....	62,790	2,400	2,050	2,242	124,500
March.....	93,330	3,440	2,280	3,011	185,100
April.....	207,950	15,200	2,810	6,932	412,500
May.....	458,080	20,500	8,990	14,780	908,800
June.....	500,400	20,900	11,700	16,880	992,500
July.....	360,700	14,600	10,300	11,640	715,400
August.....	253,400	10,200	7,020	8,174	502,800
September.....	183,280	9,280	3,270	6,109	363,500
Water year 1948-49	2,440,910	20,900	1,950	6,687	4,841,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 18-22, Dec. 24 to Feb. 16.

Diversions from Snake River between Heise and Shelley gaging stations, Idaho

Between Heise and Shelley gaging stations, 47 canals divert water from Snake River for irrigation; of these 36 divert above mouth of Henrys Fork. Records available during each irrigation season from 1919 to 1949. One of the canals is equipped with a water-stage recorder, the others with staff gages, which are read once daily. Discharge combined to show total diverted flow. Records include Riley ditch which diverts 1 mile above Heise gaging station. Records good.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1								1,480	4,610	8,520	8,710	7,080
2								1,780	4,160	8,870	8,550	7,120
3								2,700	4,050	8,780	8,600	6,910
4								3,850	4,120	9,190	8,280	7,040
5								4,580	4,180	8,930	8,380	7,220
6								5,670	4,990	8,740	8,210	7,500
7								6,170	6,480	8,720	8,130	7,350
8								6,650	7,390	8,710	8,100	7,280
9								7,160	7,720	8,640	7,950	7,330
10								7,560	8,140	8,680	7,760	7,230
11								8,030	8,650	8,960	7,260	7,120
12								8,110	8,800	8,540	6,990	6,810
13								8,390	9,160	8,770	7,490	6,590
14								8,130	9,390	8,700	7,160	6,050
15								7,910	9,520	8,980	7,120	5,940
16								7,660	9,320	9,040	7,310	5,590
17								5,900	8,880	8,920	7,290	5,010
18								4,170	8,570	8,950	7,260	4,700
19								3,340	8,150	9,250	7,270	4,360
20								3,490	7,800	9,270	7,260	4,150
21								3,000	7,580	8,930	7,290	4,170
22								2,840	7,560	9,300	7,210	4,040
23								2,640	7,660	9,110	7,240	3,990
24								2,540	7,780	8,880	7,110	4,630
25								2,580	8,290	8,850	7,020	4,840
26								2,810	8,220	8,950	6,760	4,850
27								3,300	8,480	8,910	6,710	4,670
28								3,680	8,670	8,940	6,570	4,690
29								3,930	8,460	8,830	6,630	4,480
30								4,500	8,320	8,850	6,760	4,180
31								5,000	-	8,600	6,900	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....					
November.....					
December.....					
Calendar year					
January.....	-	-	-	-	-
February.....	-	-	-	-	-
March.....	-	-	-	-	-
April.....	-	-	-	-	-
May.....	149,540	8,580	1,480	4,824	296,600
June.....	225,090	9,520	4,050	7,503	446,500
July.....	275,020	9,300	8,340	8,872	545,500
August.....	231,280	8,710	6,570	7,461	458,700
September.....	172,930	7,500	3,990	5,784	343,000
The period.....	-	-	-	-	2,090,000

SNAKE RIVER MAIN STEM

Snake River near Shelley, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°25', long. 112°08', in sec. 17, T. 1 N., R. 37 E., a quarter of a mile east of Woodville and 3 miles north of Shelley. Altitude of gage, 4,596 feet (from river-profile map).

Records available.--March 1915 to September 1949 (summer months only during some years).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 25,700 second-feet May 20 (gage height, 12.00 feet); minimum, 1,370 second-feet Sept. 23 (gage height, 4.56 feet).

1915-49: Maximum discharge, 47,200 second-feet June 17, 1918 (gage height, 16.97 feet); minimum, 288 second-feet Nov. 5, 1934 (gage height, 2.22 feet).

Maximum discharge known, 70,000 second-feet (estimated) June 6, 1894, at former station at Eagle Rock (now Idaho Falls), 7 miles upstream from present site.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of ice effect, which are fair. Some regulation by Jackson Lake (see p.14), Henrys Lake (see p.58), Island Park Reservoir (see p.50), and Grassy Lake (see p.58). Many diversions above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	3,010	3,030	3,110	2,750	2,050	3,320	3,660	13,200	19,000	5,470	4,100	2,370
2	2,980	3,130	3,420	2,600	2,070	3,300	3,750	11,400	19,400	4,550	4,000	2,200
3	2,920	3,290	3,270	2,350	2,100	3,400	3,730	9,610	19,500	4,270	3,900	2,340
4	2,940	3,520	3,520	2,320	2,120	3,750	3,730	9,120	18,700	4,720	3,950	2,860
5	2,940	3,830	3,440	2,350	2,140	4,100	3,800	9,470	17,600	7,460	3,850	3,730
6	3,110	3,870	3,230	2,300	2,170	4,400	3,990	8,520	16,500	7,900	3,870	4,020
7	3,370	3,680	3,250	2,250	2,200	4,500	4,040	8,660	15,600	6,850	3,950	3,550
8	3,420	3,660	3,150	2,200	2,200	4,650	4,410	5,920	14,800	6,310	4,000	3,420
9	3,330	3,590	3,190	2,150	2,220	*4,750	4,840	6,080	15,000	5,670	3,920	3,500
10	3,250	3,550	2,980	2,250	2,230	*4,900	5,250	6,630	15,900	5,670	3,950	3,500
11	3,150	3,640	3,110	2,350	2,250	4,830	5,470	7,630	15,700	6,150	4,020	3,780
12	3,150	3,660	3,330	2,280	2,250	4,750	5,860	8,590	15,900	5,190	3,640	4,300
13	3,070	3,680	3,590	2,200	2,250	4,720	6,340	10,200	16,500	4,460	3,130	3,950
14	2,980	3,780	*3,800	2,280	2,200	4,690	6,900	11,600	16,400	4,140	3,050	3,710
15	2,940	3,680	3,660	2,320	2,100	4,580	6,900	13,200	15,600	4,550	3,190	3,070
16	3,010	*3,480	3,460	2,330	2,060	4,520	6,500	14,300	14,200	4,520	3,150	3,070
17	3,070	3,460	2,960	2,350	2,070	4,440	6,770	16,800	11,800	4,250	3,050	2,900
18	3,070	3,480	2,240	2,350	2,130	4,380	7,200	20,200	10,500	4,490	2,830	2,650
19	3,030	3,330	2,400	2,300	2,250	4,360	7,940	24,000	12,200	4,300	2,850	2,540
20	3,050	3,010	2,610	2,250	2,400	4,330	8,870	25,300	13,300	4,170	2,850	2,520
21	3,030	3,150	2,500	2,200	2,600	4,380	10,100	25,200	14,800	4,170	2,850	2,700
22	2,980	3,310	2,500	2,170	2,800	4,410	9,860	24,900	16,400	4,360	2,860	2,140
23	3,000	3,230	2,200	2,150	2,950	4,410	9,540	23,700	14,100	4,640	2,860	1,650
24	2,920	3,250	2,250	2,130	3,100	4,440	11,400	23,000	12,600	4,780	3,130	1,700
25	2,900	3,350	2,400	2,100	3,250	4,560	12,600	22,000	11,400	4,970	3,730	2,080
26	2,850	3,370	2,600	2,070	3,400	4,220	14,100	20,400	9,830	4,550	3,970	2,420
27	2,860	3,250	2,640	2,050	3,380	4,100	15,000	19,200	9,290	4,100	3,950	2,540
28	2,940	2,760	2,670	2,030	3,350	3,950	14,500	18,800	8,900	4,020	3,590	2,340
29	3,000	3,170	2,500	2,000	-	3,850	14,500	19,400	7,800	4,000	3,420	2,460
30	2,980	3,250	2,600	2,020	-	3,710	14,600	20,100	6,700	3,900	2,900	2,960
31	3,000	-	2,700	2,040	-	3,640	-	19,800	-	4,000	2,630	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	94,250	3,420	2,850	3,040	186,900
November.....	102,420	3,870	2,760	3,414	203,100
December.....	91,280	3,800	2,200	2,945	181,100
Calendar year 1948	2,207,980	27,400	1,980	6,033	4,380,000
January.....	69,490	2,750	2,000	2,242	137,800
February.....	68,290	3,400	2,050	2,439	135,500
March.....	132,140	4,900	3,300	4,263	262,100
April.....	236,150	15,000	3,660	7,872	468,400
May.....	475,330	25,300	5,920	15,330	942,800
June.....	425,620	19,500	6,700	14,190	844,200
July.....	152,580	7,900	3,900	4,921	302,600
August.....	107,120	4,100	2,650	3,455	212,500
September.....	86,970	4,300	1,650	2,899	172,500
Water year 1948-49	2,041,620	25,300	1,650	5,593	4,050,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of record for station near Blackfoot.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 21-27, Dec. 29 to Mar. 12.

Diversions from Snake River between Shelley and Blackfoot gaging stations, Idaho

Between Shelley and Blackfoot gaging stations, 13 canals divert water from Snake River for irrigation. Records available during each irrigation season from 1919 to 1949. The two largest canals are equipped with recorders, the others with staff gages, which are read once daily. Discharge combined to show total diverted flow. Records good.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1								1,950	2,610	3,500	3,040	2,390
2								2,170	2,570	3,390	3,170	2,010
3								2,360	2,470	3,130	3,260	1,800
4								2,880	2,720	3,140	3,010	2,060
5								3,330	2,890	3,890	3,320	2,630
6								3,400	3,110	3,780	3,320	2,760
7								3,450	3,340	3,660	3,290	2,670
8								3,600	3,530	3,690	3,200	2,670
9								3,710	3,640	3,760	3,000	2,720
10								3,900	3,850	3,700	2,800	2,610
11								3,960	3,970	3,790	2,610	2,550
12								3,930	3,950	3,760	2,530	2,340
13								3,990	3,970	3,730	2,530	2,070
14								4,000	4,010	3,680	2,530	2,080
15								3,960	3,920	3,830	2,600	2,010
16								3,670	3,830	3,900	2,590	2,080
17								2,800	3,750	3,780	2,580	1,970
18								2,170	3,250	3,810	2,520	1,820
19								1,800	2,990	3,750	2,470	1,690
20								1,780	3,060	3,720	2,440	1,540
21								1,410	3,000	3,610	2,430	1,820
22								1,400	3,000	3,580	2,490	1,870
23								1,510	3,110	3,470	2,500	1,670
24								1,560	3,240	3,390	2,230	1,320
25								1,590	3,520	3,540	2,260	1,520
26								1,650	3,490	3,570	2,340	1,940
27								1,800	3,620	3,570	2,380	2,100
28								1,960	3,600	3,540	2,330	1,940
29								2,030	3,580	3,490	2,290	1,820
30								2,200	3,560	3,440	2,360	1,800
31								2,510	-	3,260	2,470	-
Month	Second-foot-days						Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet		
October.....												
November.....												
December.....												
Calendar year												
January.....							-	-	-			
February.....							-	-	-			
March.....							-	-	-			
April.....							-	-	-			
May.....							82,430	4,000	1,400	2,659	163,500	
June.....							101,150	4,010	2,470	3,372	200,600	
July.....							111,850	3,900	3,130	3,608	221,900	
August.....							82,890	3,320	2,230	2,674	164,400	
September.....							62,270	2,760	1,320	2,076	123,500	
The period.....							-	-	-	-	873,900	

Snake River near Blackfoot, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°07', long. 112°31', in SE¹/₄ sec. 30, T. 3 S., R. 34 E., a quarter of a mile downstream from Blackfoot River and 14 miles southwest of Blackfoot. Altitude of gage, 4,401 feet (from river-profile map).

Records available.--June 1910 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 24,500 second-feet May 22 (gage height, 10.63 feet); minimum, 225 second-feet Sept. 3 (gage height, 0.50 foot).
1910-49: Maximum discharge, 46,200 second-feet June 18, 1918 (gage height, 14.80 feet); minimum, 111 second-feet Nov. 10, 1934 (gage height, 0.80 foot).
Late in summer of 1905 there was no flow in Snake River for a distance of 10 miles in vicinity of Blackfoot. On Aug. 9, 1905, discharge of Snake River just below mouth of Blackfoot River was 39 second-feet, supplied by ground-water inflow a short-distance upstream.

Remarks.--Records excellent. Some regulation by Jackson Lake (see p.14), Henrys Lake (see p.58), Island Park Reservoir (see p.50), Grassy Lake (see p.58), and Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir, having a combined capacity of 1,483,000 acre-feet. Many diversions above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	2,280	2,820	3,110	2,570	1,660	3,030	a3,480	a10,500	16,900	2,840	995	340
2	2,370	2,950	2,800	2,390	1,680	2,960	3,420	a9,500	16,900	1,740	1,080	270
3	3,320	3,080	3,390	1,920	1,730	3,030	3,390	8,580	17,400	a1,430	793	270
4	2,340	3,250	3,650	1,940	1,790	3,120	3,390	6,360	16,800	1,120	808	440
5	2,390	3,440	3,120	1,960	1,780	3,360	3,410	5,840	15,800	2,800	758	779
6	2,540	3,720	a3,000	1,780	a1,850	4,030	3,510	5,650	14,500	4,230	654	1,160
7	2,810	3,170	2,900	1,690	a1,900	4,280	3,540	4,280	12,900	3,390	800	1,080
8	2,960	a3,250	2,750	1,620	a1,930	4,410	3,780	2,840	11,700	3,110	904	744
9	2,900	3,390	2,560	1,610	1,870	4,500	4,190	2,340	11,400	2,660	1,080	730
10	2,690	3,390	2,750	1,870	1,870	4,710	4,560	2,740	11,900	2,390	1,130	816
11	2,570	3,540	3,140	2,020	a1,900	4,650	4,820	3,370	11,700	2,520	1,550	920
12	2,580	3,610	3,370	1,930	a1,950	4,610	6,250	4,320	12,400	2,250	1,570	1,620
13	2,520	3,630	3,650	1,730	a1,980	4,520	6,250	5,510	11,900	1,180	1,050	2,300
14	2,370	3,760	3,760	1,780	a1,950	4,350	6,270	6,940	12,200	660	793	2,130
15	2,240	3,700	3,290	1,910	1,660	4,420	6,320	8,720	12,200	576	751	1,680
16	2,240	a3,550	3,030	1,920	1,640	4,800	6,140	10,300	11,100	880	786	1,250
17	a2,550	3,390	2,820	1,970	1,690	4,740	6,070	13,100	9,580	793	751	1,250
18	2,860	a3,200	2,570	2,040	1,820	4,250	6,450	16,700	7,740	832	654	1,300
19	2,870	a3,000	a2,100	1,920	1,900	4,080	7,020	20,400	8,100	912	534	1,180
20	2,880	2,760	1,810	1,820	1,980	4,050	7,960	23,000	10,600	688	510	1,230
21	2,870	2,800	1,610	1,800	2,270	4,120	9,270	23,900	11,400	642	516	1,290
22	2,840	2,960	1,870	1,810	2,410	4,150	9,860	24,300	13,700	832	522	928
23	2,780	2,960	1,690	1,760	2,680	4,190	9,330	23,500	12,400	960	480	510
24	2,740	2,850	1,720	1,690	2,800	4,260	11,000	22,400	10,800	1,360	702	514
25	2,690	3,000	1,380	1,690	2,930	4,210	11,900	21,600	8,990	1,580	1,370	455
26	2,660	3,030	1,860	a1,650	3,110	4,120	12,900	19,800	7,480	1,360	1,720	674
27	2,660	2,820	1,900	a1,550	3,090	3,970	13,600	18,400	6,410	896	1,900	600
28	2,700	2,510	2,080	a1,450	3,060	3,790	13,500	17,600	5,940	606	1,730	612
29	2,700	2,810	1,840	1,410	-	3,760	12,800	17,700	5,010	612	1,440	709
30	2,750	3,000	2,130	1,450	-	a3,650	12,700	18,000	3,880	808	1,110	1,100
31	2,750	-	2,210	1,580	-	a3,550	-	17,900	-	702	588	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	81,420	2,960	2,240	2,626	161,500
November.....	95,440	3,760	2,510	3,181	189,300
December.....	79,860	3,760	1,380	2,576	158,400
Calendar year 1948	1,770,413	23,600	318	4,837	3,512,000
January.....	56,230	2,570	1,410	1,814	111,500
February.....	58,880	3,110	1,640	2,103	116,800
March.....	125,680	4,800	2,960	4,054	249,300
April.....	217,080	13,600	3,390	7,236	430,600
May.....	396,090	24,300	2,340	12,777	785,600
June.....	340,730	17,400	3,880	11,558	675,800
July.....	47,157	4,250	576	1,521	83,530
August.....	30,010	1,900	480	968	59,520
September.....	28,681	2,300	270	955	56,890
Water year 1948-49	1,557,258	24,300	270	4,267	3,089,000

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of records for stations near Heise and Shelley.

American Falls Reservoir at American Falls, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°46', long. 112°53', in sec. 30, T. 7 S., R. 31 E., at outlet gates of reservoir on Snake River at American Falls. Datum of gage is at mean sea level (levels by Bureau of Reclamation).

Records available.--March 1926 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents during year, 1,720,310 acre-feet June 23 (elevation, 4,354.86 feet); minimum, 535,030 acre-feet Sept. 30 (elevations, 4,327.33 feet).
1926-49: Maximum contents, 1,726,580 acre-feet June 10, 1938 (elevation, 4,354.97 feet); minimum since full capacity was attained on July 13, 1927, 17,200 acre-feet Oct. 22, 1931 (elevation, 4,299.72 feet).

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by concrete gravity dam with earth dikes at each end; partial storage began in 1926, full storage in 1927. Capacity, 1,700,000 acre-feet between elevations 4,295.66 feet (bottom of outlet gate) and 4,354.50 feet (top of spillway radial gates). Small amount of dead storage. Water is used for irrigation by canals diverting from Snake River at Minidoka and Milner Dams. Contents given herein are computed from mean daily elevations; all available for release.

Cooperation.--Reservoir elevations and capacity table furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Contents, in acre-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
1	670,360	902,170	1,148,290	1,187,090	1,122,480	1,004,560
2	676,010	910,660	1,150,140	1,186,820	1,119,710	999,840
3	683,360	914,300	1,151,980	1,185,680	1,117,860	996,410
4	691,210	923,600	1,153,360	1,184,730	1,116,460	992,540
5	692,920	932,900	1,158,430	1,183,320	1,111,950	990,400
6	702,490	942,220	1,168,250	1,180,970	1,113,760	989,970
7	709,660	953,070	1,171,080	1,180,030	1,117,860	988,250
8	717,570	962,660	1,172,960	1,175,320	1,111,960	986,530
9	724,590	971,430	1,177,870	1,170,610	1,108,350	989,110
10	733,360	980,190	1,175,320	1,169,190	1,108,350	993,400
11	743,900	989,540	1,176,730	1,166,840	1,106,540	999,410
12	750,220	996,840	1,183,320	1,165,900	1,105,190	1,004,130
13	757,040	1,004,990	1,195,090	1,163,070	1,103,390	1,005,420
14	763,530	1,016,580	1,196,980	1,160,740	1,100,680	1,005,850
15	766,060	1,026,450	1,199,800	1,157,050	1,097,520	1,009,710
16	778,680	1,037,900	1,204,040	1,155,670	1,093,470	1,011,000
17	782,640	1,044,060	1,204,510	1,162,130	1,090,760	1,011,430
18	791,790	1,053,300	1,204,040	1,161,200	1,086,250	1,011,430
19	796,980	1,062,110	1,203,570	1,158,890	1,077,230	1,015,290
20	802,540	1,069,270	1,201,690	1,155,670	1,069,590	1,020,440
21	809,210	1,075,430	1,201,220	1,154,280	1,058,140	1,028,650
22	817,360	1,086,250	1,200,740	1,151,060	1,046,700	1,034,810
23	824,790	1,093,010	1,199,330	1,146,450	1,036,130	1,039,220
24	833,180	1,096,620	1,198,860	1,145,520	1,027,770	1,046,260
25	841,940	1,106,540	1,197,450	1,142,760	1,024,300	1,050,660
26	850,330	1,111,950	1,196,040	1,140,910	1,017,010	1,053,740
27	856,800	1,120,630	1,194,620	1,139,070	1,015,720	1,056,380
28	867,240	1,128,470	1,192,270	1,135,380	1,014,000	1,064,750
29	874,690	1,136,310	1,191,330	1,132,620	-	1,070,470
30	882,930	1,145,060	1,188,970	1,128,470	-	1,070,470
31	891,950	-	1,188,500	1,124,780	-	1,074,530

Contents, in acre-feet, of American Falls Reservoir at American Falls, Idaho,
water year October 1948 to September 1949--Continued

Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1,077,230	1,295,670	1,613,440	1,669,760	1,198,860	751,630
2	1,079,490	1,300,540	1,634,940	1,656,500	1,182,650	738,280
3	1,081,290	1,302,000	1,650,420	1,642,120	1,169,190	723,180
4	1,086,250	1,299,080	1,663,680	1,627,750	1,152,440	705,560
5	1,087,150	1,298,590	1,674,220	1,613,440	1,139,530	689,510
6	1,090,310	1,294,700	1,683,750	1,603,120	1,123,400	677,670
7	1,094,820	1,287,390	1,684,310	1,594,420	1,105,640	667,040
8	1,098,430	1,278,620	1,683,190	1,584,640	1,092,560	657,410
9	1,103,840	1,266,450	1,682,060	1,574,310	1,079,490	645,870
10	1,106,540	1,254,790	1,682,620	1,560,230	1,063,430	633,310
11	1,111,050	1,245,680	1,683,750	1,546,390	1,045,820	622,350
12	1,113,760	1,238,010	1,687,670	1,532,010	1,030,850	614,040
13	1,120,170	1,232,730	1,692,710	1,517,110	1,014,860	608,420
14	1,129,850	1,228,410	1,700,000	1,501,790	998,980	604,660
15	1,138,150	1,226,020	1,704,480	1,486,610	982,280	602,480
16	1,146,450	1,227,450	1,708,400	1,466,180	965,590	594,660
17	1,154,750	1,237,530	1,714,040	1,448,020	948,890	589,660
18	1,162,130	1,253,350	1,714,610	1,432,080	933,310	584,360
19	1,169,190	1,272,780	1,706,720	1,412,540	915,920	580,130
20	1,175,790	1,300,540	1,711,760	1,388,190	901,560	572,860
21	1,184,260	1,333,130	1,714,040	1,377,100	894,500	570,740
22	1,187,450	1,366,510	1,715,180	1,360,960	868,810	566,800
23	1,211,150	1,398,280	1,720,310	1,344,510	854,140	562,560
24	1,218,340	1,428,990	1,711,200	1,325,210	840,420	557,420
25	1,229,370	1,459,380	1,710,080	1,308,380	825,170	552,340
26	1,243,760	1,487,650	1,705,600	1,293,720	814,760	548,820
27	1,256,710	1,513,380	1,705,040	1,275,210	804,020	544,710
28	1,269,860	1,535,740	1,698,320	1,260,610	792,900	540,610
29	1,275,210	1,552,780	1,685,990	1,245,200	783,350	538,260
30	1,283,980	1,573,770	1,680,940	1,229,370	773,990	535,030
31	-	1,592,790	-	1,214,980	764,250	-

Monthly elevation and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Elevation (feet)	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30.....	4,331.49	664,720	-
Oct. 31.....	4,337.76	891,950	+227,230
Nov. 30.....	4,343.64	1,145,060	+253,110
Dec. 31.....	3,344.57	1,188,500	+43,440
Calendar year 1948....	-	-	-10,830
Jan. 31.....	4,343.20	1,124,780	-65,720
Feb. 28.....	4,340.71	1,014,000	-110,780
Mar. 31.....	4,342.09	1,074,530	+60,530
Apr. 30.....	4,348.56	1,283,980	+209,450
May 31.....	4,352.56	1,592,790	+308,810
June 30.....	4,354.16	1,680,940	+88,150
July 31.....	4,345.13	1,214,980	-465,960
Aug. 31.....	4,334.37	764,250	-450,730
Sept. 30.....	4,327.33	535,030	-229,220
Water year 1948-49....	-	-	-129,690

Snake River at Neeley, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°45', long. 112°54', in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 31, T. 7 S., R. 31 E., 0.9 mile downstream from American Falls Dam. Datum of gage is 4,241.4 feet above mean sea level (river-profile survey). Records computed to show flow at former site in sec. 11, T. 8 S., R. 30 E., half a mile north of Neeley and $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles downstream from present site, by adding inflow between sites.

Records available.--March 1906 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 16,800 second-feet June 23 (gage height, 7.74 feet); minimum, 72 second-feet Nov. 7, 8 (gage height, 0.98 foot).
1906-49: Maximum daily discharge, 48,400 second-feet June 20, 1918 (gage height, 13.5 feet, site and datum then in use); minimum, 50 second-feet Oct. 22, 23, Nov. 14-16, 1941.

Remarks.--Records excellent. Flow regulated by American Falls Reservoir (see preceding page) and other reservoirs, having a combined usable capacity of 3,200,000 acre-feet. About 700,000 acres of land irrigated by water diverted from river and tributaries upstream from station.

Cooperation.--Gage-height record furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	2,420	2,240	4,950	5,520	5,360	10,600	5,010	11,600	9,700	11,900	12,000	9,610
2	2,670	2,200	5,010	5,520	5,400	7,500	5,020	11,600	10,500	11,800	12,000	10,800
3	161	2,160	4,900	5,520	5,430	8,160	3,350	11,600	13,000	11,700	11,900	11,700
4	2,400	2,150	4,900	5,480	6,220	8,160	3,030	11,500	13,000	11,500	11,900	11,700
5	2,490	2,180	79	5,460	5,410	5,990	5,060	11,300	13,100	11,300	11,800	10,500
6	2,460	2,170	4,930	5,400	107	8,180	5,030	10,900	14,600	11,200	11,700	9,460
7	2,290	72	4,950	5,860	7,320	8,180	5,030	10,800	16,000	11,200	11,600	8,910
8	2,260	2,150	4,930	5,300	7,510	7,720	5,030	10,800	15,400	11,100	11,700	9,050
9	2,270	2,180	4,930	2,540	5,370	5,520	5,010	10,400	13,600	11,400	11,700	9,460
10	156	2,160	4,950	7,550	5,520	5,520	5,010	10,200	12,800	11,800	11,700	9,420
11	2,280	2,180	4,950	5,440	5,430	5,520	5,030	10,200	12,300	11,900	11,600	9,320
12	2,270	2,160	77	5,440	5,460	5,830	5,030	10,200	11,300	12,100	11,800	8,460
13	2,280	2,170	4,950	5,440	6,070	7,950	5,060	10,700	10,900	12,000	12,300	7,130
14	2,300	106	4,950	6,130	5,950	7,510	5,030	10,900	11,000	12,000	12,500	5,890
15	2,300	3,040	4,950	7,570	6,070	5,860	5,060	10,900	11,100	12,100	12,400	6,280
16	2,310	2,870	4,930	82	6,030	8,050	5,090	10,800	11,100	12,400	12,100	7,090
17	175	2,840	5,440	5,370	6,520	8,050	5,090	9,980	11,200	12,800	11,900	7,830
18	2,920	2,680	5,450	5,820	7,300	7,510	5,090	9,370	12,680	12,800	11,800	6,910
19	2,920	2,680	5,450	5,570	9,980	5,400	5,090	9,050	11,800	12,700	11,800	6,190
20	2,910	2,660	5,450	6,380	9,980	2,530	5,610	9,090	11,100	12,400	11,500	6,190
21	1,810	74	5,430	5,320	10,000	5,040	6,230	9,140	12,300	12,100	11,300	6,400
22	1,710	2,700	5,430	7,510	9,980	5,030	6,200	9,180	12,800	12,000	11,300	6,230
23	1,720	2,710	5,440	5,650	9,980	5,010	6,740	9,280	15,400	12,000	11,200	6,070
24	175	2,720	5,450	5,410	9,320	5,030	7,740	9,000	14,700	12,000	11,000	6,070
25	1,750	2,710	5,380	5,600	7,370	4,980	8,050	8,860	12,500	12,200	10,600	5,820
26	1,500	2,770	5,380	6,480	10,300	5,010	9,090	8,910	12,000	12,300	10,600	5,900
27	1,430	2,710	5,420	6,250	2,880	5,010	9,840	8,950	11,700	12,200	10,100	6,080
28	1,430	76	5,420	5,370	11,300	5,000	10,000	9,610	11,400	12,000	9,840	5,750
29	1,450	2,730	5,450	5,660	-	5,010	10,400	10,100	11,900	12,400	9,510	4,550
30	1,480	2,730	5,400	6,520	-	5,010	11,500	9,890	11,900	11,600	9,140	4,550
31	175	-	5,400	5,400	-	5,010	-	9,610	-	11,600	9,280	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	56,852	2,920	156	1,834	112,800
November.....	64,938	3,040	72	2,165	128,800
December.....	150,726	5,450	77	4,862	299,000
Calendar year 1948	2,835,278	25,600	72	7,747	5,624,000
January.....	175,562	8,300	82	5,665	348,200
February.....	195,567	11,300	107	6,913	383,900
March.....	194,890	10,600	2,530	6,287	386,600
April.....	185,550	11,500	3,350	6,185	368,000
May.....	314,420	11,600	8,860	10,140	623,600
June.....	372,700	16,000	9,700	12,420	739,200
July.....	370,500	12,800	11,100	11,950	734,900
August.....	351,570	12,500	9,140	11,340	697,300
September.....	229,420	11,700	4,550	7,647	455,000
Water year 1948-49	2,660,695	16,000	72	7,290	5,277,000

SNAKE RIVER MAIN STEM

Lake Walcott near Minidoka, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 42°40', long. 113°29', in sec. 1, T. 9 S., R. 25 E., in powerhouse at Minidoka Dam on Snake River, 6 miles southeast of Minidoka. Datum of gage is 4,200.00 feet above datum of Bureau of Reclamation, which is 49.52 feet below mean sea level.

Records available.--April 1909 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents during year, 98,560 acre-feet Sept. 5-6, 12 (gage height, 45.28 feet); minimum, 70,180 acre-feet Feb. 7 (gage height, 42.81 feet).
1909-49: Maximum contents, 110,740 acre-feet Aug. 8, 1922 (gage height, 46.28 feet); minimum, -101,410 acre-feet Nov. 17, 1941 (gage height, 15.19 feet).

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by rock-fill dam with concrete core; storage began in 1909. Capacity, 107,240 acre-feet between gage heights 36.00 feet (sill of powerhouse penstock) and 46.00 feet (top of flashboards). Dead storage below gage height 36.00 feet, about 115,000 acre-feet. Gage read at 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Contents given herein are computed from mean gage heights. Water used for power development and irrigation on Minidoka project of Bureau of Reclamation.

Cooperation.--Gage-height record and capacity table furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Contents, in acre-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	88,430	88,200	89,130	93,550	77,000	83,510	89,130	90,640	92,620	96,150	96,870	92,160
2	89,560	89,600	90,550	93,200	77,000	79,830	89,360	91,230	93,320	96,150	96,750	90,760
3	88,900	88,550	90,760	93,520	76,770	80,040	87,960	91,620	95,550	96,390	97,110	93,550
4	85,980	90,290	90,990	93,090	77,450	79,370	86,220	93,550	96,390	96,030	96,750	96,150
5	85,640	91,690	91,920	93,320	77,790	79,030	91,110	95,180	96,510	96,150	96,630	98,560
6	88,080	92,160	85,400	93,320	75,650	79,710	92,160	95,790	97,470	95,670	96,150	98,560
7	89,360	92,860	87,030	93,670	70,180	80,380	92,390	95,670	97,590	95,670	94,720	98,080
8	90,290	89,600	88,200	95,670	78,800	80,380	91,570	95,910	97,110	94,950	94,250	96,990
9	91,460	90,530	88,680	95,670	77,680	77,230	92,970	96,390	96,390	94,250	94,250	96,870
10	91,230	91,920	90,640	95,430	76,770	76,320	93,200	95,670	96,150	94,490	94,600	96,630
11	89,480	92,860	91,920	94,250	76,770	75,650	93,550	94,720	95,070	94,950	94,840	97,350
12	89,940	94,250	91,920	93,670	76,550	75,200	91,690	94,020	95,670	95,180	94,250	98,560
13	90,990	94,950	85,870	93,320	76,770	78,130	92,390	93,550	95,430	95,070	94,370	98,320
14	91,570	95,180	88,920	93,790	77,450	79,590	93,550	93,670	96,150	95,070	94,840	97,230
15	91,230	92,860	88,430	94,950	77,560	77,560	93,550	93,550	95,910	94,720	96,270	95,430
16	92,390	94,950	89,600	93,550	77,680	78,350	93,200	93,550	95,790	94,020	96,990	94,250
17	91,230	94,490	91,110	86,800	77,900	79,820	93,080	93,550	96,750	94,250	96,990	95,180
18	89,480	96,750	92,390	89,250	77,560	79,930	92,510	93,900	96,390	96,150	97,350	96,630
19	90,180	97,590	92,620	92,160	81,510	76,770	90,760	92,620	96,150	96,150	96,870	96,270
20	92,040	98,200	93,550	95,670	82,640	73,170	87,730	91,230	96,630	95,180	97,350	95,430
21	94,250	97,350	93,320	94,950	82,860	71,830	89,600	91,920	96,270	96,870	96,870	95,430
22	94,250	97,250	93,090	95,180	82,980	75,310	89,830	92,860	95,670	96,630	96,270	96,390
23	93,550	94,020	93,090	95,430	83,200	76,770	89,250	93,900	95,550	96,630	96,630	97,110
24	92,740	92,860	93,200	90,060	83,090	77,560	88,900	95,070	94,950	95,550	96,750	97,590
25	90,290	94,600	93,200	84,470	79,140	77,230	89,600	95,910	95,070	95,180	96,630	97,720
26	90,180	92,270	93,090	84,010	82,980	75,200	90,290	95,790	94,020	95,910	96,150	96,390
27	90,640	94,720	93,320	83,540	77,340	75,420	91,460	94,840	95,910	95,670	96,510	95,550
28	90,990	94,140	93,090	78,800	79,260	76,130	92,160	93,790	95,670	97,350	96,390	96,870
29	91,460	90,180	93,550	77,110	-	79,710	89,630	93,670	94,840	97,590	96,510	96,150
30	91,230	91,690	93,320	78,690	-	82,980	88,900	95,180	96,150	97,840	95,910	95,310
31	90,640	-	93,090	78,020	-	86,570	-	93,550	-	96,870	93,550	-

Monthly gage height and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Gage height (feet)	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30.....	44.43	88,550	
Oct. 31.....	44.81	90,640	+2,090
Nov. 30.....	44.70	91,690	+1,050
Dec. 31.....	44.82	93,090	+1,400
Calendar year 1948...	-	-	+11,690
Jan. 31.....	43.51	78,020	-15,070
Feb. 29.....	43.62	79,260	+1,240
Mar. 31.....	44.26	86,570	+7,310
Apr. 30.....	44.46	88,900	+2,330
May 31.....	44.86	93,550	+4,650
June 30.....	45.08	96,150	+2,600
July 31.....	45.14	96,870	+720
Aug. 31.....	44.86	93,550	-3,320
Sept. 30.....	45.01	95,310	+1,760
Water year 1948-49...	-	-	+6,760

Snake River near Minidoka, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°40', long. 113°30', in sec. 2, T. 9 S., R. 25 E., 1 mile downstream from Minidoka Dam and 6 miles southeast of Minidoka. Datum of gage is 4,132.2 feet above mean sea level (river-profile survey).

Records available.--April 1910 to September 1949. August 1895 to December 1899 and May 1901 to December 1910 at site at Montgomery Ferry, 6 miles downstream.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 14,300 second-feet June 8 (gage height, 9.27 feet); minimum, 96 second-feet Nov. 30 (gage height, 1.65 feet).
1910-49: Maximum discharge, 45,900 second-feet June 21, 1918 (gage height, 16.02 feet); minimum, 59 second-feet Nov. 18, 1936 (gage height, 1.56 feet).

Remarks.--Records good. Flow regulated by American Falls Reservoir (see p. 23), Lake Walcott (see preceding page), and other reservoirs, having a combined usable capacity of about 3,300,000 acre-feet; many diversions above station for irrigation.

Cooperation.--Gage-height record furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1,690	2,320	4,630	5,800	6,250	8,600	4,410	8,600	8,450	8,450	8,690	8,420
2	1,640	2,120	4,610	5,750	*5,940	*9,110	5,140	8,510	8,390	8,480	8,750	8,420
3	1,690	1,980	4,000	5,750	5,750	8,330	5,140	8,330	11,000	8,630	8,780	8,120
4	1,640	1,980	3,950	5,750	5,700	8,420	4,180	8,330	11,400	8,630	8,870	8,210
5	1,600	1,950	3,950	5,750	5,700	7,970	3,470	8,390	11,200	8,630	8,780	8,060
6	1,480	1,910	4,000	5,750	5,200	8,030	5,050	8,480	12,300	8,450	8,900	7,730
7	1,450	1,900	4,300	5,700	4,900	8,480	5,100	8,270	14,100	8,420	9,050	7,730
8	1,280	1,690	4,600	5,850	5,100	8,540	5,190	8,360	13,800	8,480	9,080	7,410
9	1,280	1,690	5,120	6,350	5,600	7,020	5,080	8,180	12,100	8,600	8,780	7,500
10	1,290	1,670	4,870	6,350	6,300	6,380	5,120	8,060	10,400	8,540	8,540	7,270
11	1,280	1,680	4,810	*6,350	6,200	6,080	5,100	8,060	9,890	8,510	8,600	7,300
12	1,290	1,580	4,550	6,000	5,800	5,950	5,170	8,060	8,930	8,750	8,840	7,020
13	1,290	1,580	*4,400	5,900	5,800	7,100	5,210	8,120	8,420	8,840	8,930	6,410
14	1,310	1,580	4,300	5,850	6,100	7,970	5,140	8,330	8,390	8,810	9,210	5,440
15	1,350	2,570	4,200	6,800	6,300	6,900	5,120	8,360	8,420	8,600	9,210	5,560
16	1,330	2,460	4,200	5,900	6,500	7,530	5,080	8,330	8,450	8,810	8,990	5,540
17	1,310	2,560	4,500	4,900	6,900	8,150	4,980	8,390	8,660	9,080	8,870	6,150
18	1,380	2,470	5,000	4,800	7,300	8,270	4,960	8,060	9,640	9,110	8,870	5,850
19	1,660	2,440	5,600	4,850	8,200	6,760	5,120	8,480	9,790	9,240	8,900	5,240
20	1,390	2,470	6,000	5,500	9,400	5,880	5,260	8,330	8,510	9,480	8,810	5,300
21	1,670	2,440	5,800	6,000	10,400	4,190	5,240	8,240	9,810	9,140	8,840	5,010
22	1,720	2,830	5,700	*8,500	10,800	4,120	5,420	8,060	9,860	9,110	8,900	4,480
23	1,930	2,790	5,700	7,800	11,000	4,850	5,370	7,940	12,000	9,110	8,840	4,280
24	1,930	2,910	5,700	8,400	10,700	5,370	5,640	7,820	12,900	9,240	8,720	4,370
25	1,950	2,800	5,700	7,900	9,000	5,330	5,950	7,730	9,980	9,330	8,810	4,480
26	1,440	2,960	5,700	7,100	8,000	5,350	6,360	7,880	8,960	9,300	8,870	4,390
27	1,440	2,890	5,700	7,200	8,500	5,240	6,820	7,880	8,870	9,240	8,330	4,040
28	1,450	2,520	5,800	7,000	6,900	5,050	7,330	7,910	8,030	9,110	8,120	3,230
29	1,450	2,490	6,000	6,500	-	4,120	8,270	8,120	8,180	8,960	8,090	3,170
30	1,450	3,290	5,850	6,350	-	3,490	8,930	8,240	8,450	8,900	8,150	3,230
31	1,700	-	5,750	6,250	-	3,560	-	8,270	-	8,720	8,660	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	46,760	1,950	1,280	1,508	92,750
November.....	68,420	3,290	1,580	2,281	135,700
December.....	154,990	6,000	3,950	5,000	307,400
Calendar year 1948.....	2,471,020	22,500	1,280	6,751	4,901,000
January.....	192,650	8,400	4,800	6,215	382,100
February.....	200,240	11,000	4,900	7,151	397,200
March.....	202,140	9,110	3,490	6,521	400,800
April.....	184,350	8,930	3,470	5,478	326,000
May.....	254,120	8,600	7,730	8,197	504,000
June.....	299,080	14,100	8,050	9,969	593,200
July.....	274,700	9,480	8,420	8,861	544,900
August.....	271,780	9,210	8,090	8,767	539,100
September.....	179,360	8,420	3,170	5,979	355,800
Water year 1948-49.....	2,308,590	14,100	1,280	6,325	4,578,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 3-8, Dec. 12 to Mar. 1.

Snake River at Milner, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°32', long. 114°01', in sec. 29, T. 10 S., R. 21 E., at Milner, a quarter of a mile downstream from Milner Dam. Altitude of gage, 4,062 feet (from river-profile map).

Records available.--May 1909 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 11,300 second-feet Feb. 24 (gage height, 14.38 feet); minimum, 11 second-feet July 12-14 (gage height, 1.74 feet).

1909-49: Maximum discharge, 44,400 second-feet June 12, 1909 (gage height, 20.10 feet, site and datum then in use); minimum, 2 second-feet Mar. 17-28, 1936 (gage height, 1.18 feet).

Remarks.--Records good. Flow regulated by American Falls Reservoir (see p. 23), Lake Walcott (see p. 26) and other reservoirs having a combined usable capacity of about 3,300,000 acre-feet. About 1,330,000 acres of land irrigated by diversion from river and its tributaries above station, from which the return flow in large part enters Snake River between Milner and King Hill stations. Flow includes some stored water released for use downstream by Idaho Power Co.

Cooperation.--Gage-height record furnished by Twin Falls Canal Co. and North Side Canal Co.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	228	419	3,080	5,040	5,630	8,490	4,870	533	291	13	232	317
2	252	440	3,960	4,980	5,430	9,090	5,520	314	515	15	232	290
3	658	443	3,750	5,030	5,230	7,740	5,060	396	3,190	49	232	403
4	630	450	3,040	5,040	5,160	7,800	5,040	165	3,810	329	234	429
5	534	475	2,720	5,040	5,190	7,920	3,360	165	3,630	117	232	479
6	563	493	3,390	5,060	5,190	7,240	1,520	367	3,800	380	228	368
7	541	511	3,700	5,030	4,710	7,640	3,450	173	6,280	65	223	371
8	433	497	3,720	4,960	4,360	7,780	3,680	588	6,390	12	223	1,100
9	666	511	4,250	5,290	5,020	7,600	3,910	232	4,920	16	244	237
10	840	522	4,380	5,480	5,590	6,120	4,190	41	3,000	16	223	239
11	889	694	4,140	5,500	5,720	5,800	4,380	20	1,820	13	221	246
12	972	862	4,120	5,500	5,580	5,540	4,050	18	1,140	11	214	479
13	1,150	845	4,100	5,260	5,490	5,500	3,920	18	686	11	212	678
14	1,120	563	3,900	5,030	5,520	6,940	4,090	18	746	11	216	274
15	924	479	3,480	5,250	5,790	6,900	3,360	18	594	13	416	239
16	918	1,740	3,110	6,040	6,180	6,160	2,550	18	377	12	511	239
17	606	1,860	3,330	4,990	6,340	7,190	2,240	387	690	12	239	230
18	423	2,280	4,470	4,150	6,930	7,490	1,500	556	1,010	181	230	787
19	450	2,460	4,910	3,990	7,760	7,260	575	123	2,030	228	223	566
20	534	2,330	5,100	4,020	9,260	5,740	365	152	786	232	368	230
21	662	2,240	5,120	4,840	9,930	5,220	287	16	1,480	234	280	685
22	1,180	2,090	5,030	5,410	10,300	3,550	825	20	1,560	232	274	930
23	1,180	2,130	4,770	5,920	10,500	3,250	531	20	2,780	232	346	436
24	1,180	1,980	4,630	7,080	10,700	4,470	175	20	4,970	230	447	230
25	1,180	1,920	4,860	7,820	10,100	4,930	175	20	1,940	230	312	232
26	1,170	2,180	4,910	7,010	7,900	4,350	175	22	346	266	454	733
27	1,100	1,910	4,980	6,390	8,400	4,330	175	22	1,020	299	530	1,480
28	825	1,910	5,150	6,550	5,760	4,950	175	20	136	232	249	972
29	582	1,880	5,200	6,350	-	4,210	171	14	13	232	232	254
30	409	1,700	5,110	5,660	-	3,500	221	13	12	232	232	269
31	419	-	4,890	5,560	-	3,130	-	26	-	232	232	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	23,218	1,180	228	749	46,050
November.....	38,814	2,480	419	1,294	76,990
December.....	131,320	5,200	2,720	4,236	260,500
Calendar year 1948.....	1,048,819	14,700	10	2,866	2,080,000
January.....	169,270	7,820	3,990	5,460	335,700
February.....	189,670	10,700	4,360	6,774	376,200
March.....	187,330	9,090	3,130	6,043	371,600
April.....	70,540	5,520	171	2,351	159,900
May.....	4,315	556	13	139	8,560
June.....	59,962	6,390	12	1,999	118,900
July.....	4,387	380	11	142	8,700
August.....	8,831	530	212	285	17,520
September.....	14,422	1,480	230	481	28,610
Water year 1948-49.....	902,079	10,700	11	2,471	1,789,000

Snake River near Kimberly, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°36', long. 114°22', in NW¹/₄ sec. 4, T. 10 S., R. 18 E., 1,200 feet downstream from Twin Falls power plant, 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ miles upstream from Shoshone Falls, and 4 miles north of Kimberly. Datum of gage is 3,362.67 feet above mean sea level (levels by Idaho Power Co.).

Records available.--July 1923 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 10,700 second-feet Feb. 24 (gage height, 14.96 feet); minimum, 16 second-feet May 15 (gage height, 1.24 feet); minimum daily, 211 second-feet May 15.

1923-49: Maximum discharge, 27,200 second-feet July 4, 1927 (gage height, 14.76 feet, site and datum then in use), from rating curve extended above 20,000 second-feet; minimum recorded, 10 second-feet May 17, 1944 (gage height, 1.15 feet); minimum daily recorded, 139 second-feet July 4, 1941.

Remarks.--Records good. Flow regulated by Twin Falls power plant and several reservoirs above station. Practically entire flow is diverted at Milner during irrigation season; no diversion between Milner and Kimberly.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	696	a820	2,440	5,360	a6,000	8,500	4,680	646	572	425	688	742
2	696	a830	4,560	5,360	a5,800	9,790	5,950	948	605	414	658	754
3	694	a840	4,120	5,360	a5,600	8,100	5,390	868	2,270	400	694	878
4	1,190	a860	3,470	5,360	5,520	8,130	5,360	820	4,180	453	656	813
5	1,080	a900	3,350	5,360	5,480	8,180	4,340	496	4,070	848	743	891
6		1,010	990	3,600	a5,380	5,650	7,560	596	3,810	651	700	1,020
7		1,050	910	4,800	a5,360	5,350	7,810	2,320	707	6,310	753	938
8		1,020	910	4,040	a5,300	4,730	8,020	4,130	485	6,810	520	679
9		954	903	4,610	a5,600	5,020	8,280	4,230	826	5,710	417	694
10		1,300	910	4,900	a5,820	5,670	6,520	4,490	724	3,740	422	714
11		1,380	930	4,560	a5,820	6,160	6,230	4,820	442	2,670	403	674
12		1,450	1,230	4,440	a5,800	5,940	5,960	4,640	352	1,720	421	694
13		1,600	1,340	4,490	a5,700	5,800	5,680	4,280	425	1,410	435	671
14		1,640	1,230	4,320	a5,420	5,800	7,020	4,510	367	1,110	364	691
15		1,560	950	4,020	a5,650	5,950	7,400	4,030	211	1,170	468	729
16		1,380	1,530	3,600	a6,350	6,430	6,430	3,030	418	1,000	428	744
17		1,350	2,250	3,710	5,100	6,590	7,230	2,620	412	956	432	986
18		998	2,280	4,500	4,740	7,040	7,780	2,280	984	1,500	665	839
19		875	2,780	5,350	4,400	7,780	7,750	1,170	866	2,360	614	735
20		886	2,760	5,420	4,430	9,300	6,010	1,070	570	1,800	654	776
21		946	2,620	5,620	4,850	10,000	5,750	854	556	1,640	662	771
22		1,400	2,580	5,460	5,650	10,400	3,910	784	279	2,150	677	853
23		1,620	2,430	5,200	6,090	10,600	3,500	1,480	502	2,450	696	767
24		1,620	2,440	4,980	7,380	10,600	4,460	731	338	5,500	654	848
25		1,700	2,180	5,280	7,940	10,300	5,300	806	402	3,250	671	924
26		1,720	2,190	5,230	7,460	8,800	4,800	570	379	1,640	690	896
27		1,580	2,200	5,280	6,940	9,120	4,610	526	353	1,170	678	931
28		1,470	2,330	5,460	a6,950	5,960	5,100	551	412	1,250	734	1,070
29		1,210	2,310	5,570	a6,600	-	4,790	583	287	659	655	854
30		a820	2,250	5,490	a6,150	-	3,900	582	380	399	677	768
31		a820	-	5,360	a5,950	-	3,190	-	476	-	643	745

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	37,695	1,720	694	1,216	74,770
November.....	49,663	2,780	820	1,655	98,500
December.....	142,590	5,620	2,44C	4,600	282,800
Calendar year 1948	1,173,607	14,200	316	3,207	2,328,000
January.....	179,610	7,940	4,400	5,794	356,300
February.....	197,390	10,600	4,730	7,050	391,500
March.....	197,690	9,790	3,190	6,377	392,100
April.....	83,397	5,950	526	2,780	165,400
May.....	16,525	984	211	533	32,780
June.....	73,881	6,810	399	2,463	146,500
July.....	17,404	848	364	561	34,520
August.....	23,849	1,070	656	769	47,300
September.....	30,303	1,970	620	1,010	60,100
Water year 1948-49	1,049,997	10,600	211	2,877	2,083,000

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of records for stations at Milner and near Buhl.

Snake River near Buhl, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°40', long. 114°43', in NW¼ sec. 9, T. 9 S., R. 15 E., 2 miles downstream from Niagara Springs, 3½ miles upstream from outlet of Clear Lake, and 6 miles northeast of Buhl. Datum of gage is 2,952.9 feet above mean sea level, by stadia levels.

Records available.--December 1946 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 12,400 second-feet Feb. 23 (gage height, 6.61 feet); minimum, 1,950 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 0.45 foot).

1946-49: Maximum discharge, 23,100 second-feet June 13, 1947 (gage height, 10.34 feet); minimum observed, 1,900 second-feet May 5, 1947 (gage height, 0.38 foot).

Remarks.--Records good. Flow regulated by Twin Falls and Shoshone Falls power plants and several reservoirs above station. No diversion except by small ranch ditches between this station and station at Milner, where practically entire flow is diverted during irrigation season.

Rating table, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet,
and discharge in second-feet)

0.5	1,990	2.0	3,450	5.0	8,550
.8	2,240	3.0	4,750	6.0	10,900
1.2	2,580	4.0	6,450	6.6	12,400

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	2,710	2,790	3,690	6,790	7,590	9,400	5,420	2,260	2,460	2,290	2,560	2,750
2	2,700	2,820	6,170	7,010	7,420	11,600	7,460	2,390	2,450	2,230	2,590	2,790
3	2,720	2,780	5,920	6,810	7,170	9,860	7,030	2,540	2,660	2,270	2,580	2,890
4	2,850	2,740	5,620	6,870	7,050	9,750	6,830	2,540	5,690	2,200	2,540	2,930
5	3,220	2,730	4,970	6,850	6,970	9,880	6,390	2,540	6,080	2,330	2,540	2,920
6	3,090	2,740	4,970	6,850	7,130	9,470	4,280	2,350	5,770	2,530	2,540	3,080
7	3,060	2,750	5,720	6,790	6,890	9,350	3,450	2,310	7,380	2,460	2,550	3,100
8	3,060	2,750	5,690	6,750	6,240	9,630	5,580	2,380	5,940	2,450	2,510	3,060
9	2,980	2,740	5,990	6,850	6,470	9,880	5,600	2,260	7,800	2,340	2,540	3,820
10	3,060	2,770	6,490	7,360	7,150	8,550	5,990	2,380	6,190	2,230	2,550	3,190
11	3,280	2,760	6,410	7,290	7,850	7,870	6,280	2,360	4,750	2,220	2,550	2,980
12	3,340	2,850	6,170	7,440	7,500	7,590	6,210	2,190	3,940	2,220	2,540	2,900
13	3,400	3,090	6,170	7,310	7,270	7,130	5,760	2,070	3,500	2,220	2,540	3,000
14	3,570	3,110	6,040	7,030	7,210	8,110	5,680	2,060	3,110	2,190	2,540	3,200
15	3,560	2,950	5,690	6,930	7,380	8,960	5,650	2,070	3,090	2,190	2,550	3,080
16	3,360	2,790	5,280	7,420	7,690	8,180	4,780	2,010	2,990	2,200	2,600	2,870
17	3,290	3,940	5,120	7,800	8,250	8,410	4,330	2,180	2,850	2,200	2,680	2,820
18	3,120	3,980	5,620	6,530	9,010	9,360	4,200	2,180	2,900	2,260	2,760	2,790
19	2,880	4,490	6,830	6,060	9,750	9,470	3,300	2,750	3,850	2,300	2,620	3,160
20	2,810	4,530	6,930	6,010	10,900	8,020	2,750	2,560	4,210	2,380	2,620	3,360
21	2,860	4,380	7,250	6,170	11,700	7,310	2,790	2,380	3,230	2,490	2,640	3,040
22	2,960	4,320	7,010	7,010	12,100	5,810	2,550	2,320	3,610	2,540	2,660	3,020
23	3,490	4,190	6,850	7,380	12,200	5,130	2,620	2,190	3,940	2,550	2,740	3,530
24	3,560	4,250	6,540	8,690	12,300	5,490	2,930	2,260	6,220	2,540	2,740	3,180
25	3,570	3,970	7,650	9,650	12,200	6,620	2,470	2,170	5,690	2,520	2,810	3,070
26	3,580	4,070	6,790	9,240	10,800	6,430	2,340	2,160	3,990	2,570	2,860	2,850
27	3,500	3,810	6,850	8,440	10,900	6,040	2,230	2,170	2,950	2,620	2,870	2,950
28	3,400	4,060	6,970	8,730	8,180	6,370	2,200	2,230	3,140	2,600	2,980	3,950
29	3,190	4,110	7,030	8,410	-	6,600	2,190	2,250	2,730	2,590	2,950	3,710
30	2,980	4,030	7,070	7,890	-	5,670	2,180	2,150	2,490	2,580	2,840	3,120
31	2,820	-	6,990	7,360	-	4,850	-	2,270	-	2,570	2,760	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	97,970	3,580	2,700	3,160	194,300
November.....	103,290	4,530	2,730	3,443	204,900
December.....	191,790	7,250	3,890	6,187	380,400
Calendar year 1948.....	1,808,130	15,900	2,090	4,940	3,586,000
January.....	227,720	9,650	6,010	7,346	451,700
February.....	243,470	12,300	6,240	8,695	482,900
March.....	246,770	11,600	4,650	7,960	469,500
April.....	131,670	7,460	2,180	4,389	261,200
May.....	70,930	2,750	2,010	2,288	140,700
June.....	128,500	8,640	2,450	4,283	254,900
July.....	73,940	2,620	2,190	2,385	146,700
August.....	82,330	2,980	2,510	2,656	163,300
September.....	93,110	3,950	2,750	3,104	184,700
Water year 1948-49.....	1,691,490	12,300	2,010	4,634	3,355,000

Snake River below Lower Salmon Falls, near Hagerman, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°51'36", long. 114°54'42", in lot 3, sec. 2, T. 7 S., R. 13 E., half a mile downstream from lower Salmon Falls power plant, 1 mile upstream from Big Wood (Malad) River, and 3½ miles north of Hagerman. Datum of gage is 2,727.7 feet above sea level, datum of 1929, supplementary adjustment of 1947, by stadia levels.

Records available.--November 1937 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 17,300 second-feet Feb. 25; maximum gage height, 11.66 feet Sept. 21; minimum discharge, probably less than 1,500 second-feet at times on each day Sept. 19-30; minimum daily discharge, 4,880 second-feet July 10. 1937-49: Maximum discharge, 28,800 second-feet June 7, 1943 (gage height, 15.66 feet), from rating curve extended above 22,000 second-feet; minimum, probably less than 1,500 second-feet at times on each day Sept. 19-30, 1949; minimum daily, that of July 10, 1949.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of fragmentary or no gage-height record, which are good. Flow regulated by Lower Salmon Falls power plant and many reservoirs above station. Practically entire flow at Milner diverted during irrigation season; only minor diversions below Milner.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	7,430	7,330	8,340	11,200	12,400	12,500	9,320	6,190	6,800	6,760	7,670	7,160
2	7,370	7,410	10,300	11,400	12,200	15,800	11,500	6,230	6,820	6,240	6,570	7,140
3	7,370	7,330	10,500	11,300	12,000	14,500	11,200	6,190	7,570	6,110	6,960	7,080
4	7,330	7,250	10,300	11,200	11,800	13,900	11,000	6,380	8,950	6,000	6,680	7,110
5	7,650	7,270	9,410	11,200	11,800	14,100	10,800	6,340	10,600	6,440	6,930	7,610
6	7,730	7,270	9,370	11,200	11,700	14,000	8,740	6,440	10,300	6,000	6,940	7,860
7	7,650	7,210	10,100	11,200	11,400	13,400	7,820	6,090	10,900	5,390	6,500	7,680
8	7,650	7,230	10,300	11,200	10,500	13,700	9,080	6,300	15,200	5,390	7,350	7,330
9	7,610	7,250	10,500	11,100	10,500	14,000	9,630	6,800	12,400	5,390	7,020	8,390
10	7,530	7,330	11,200	11,300	11,300	13,200	10,200	6,190	10,800	4,880	6,820	7,990
11	7,730	7,330	11,300	11,600	12,100	12,100	10,500	6,570	9,150	6,680	6,870	7,420
12	7,730	7,390	11,000	11,800	11,900	11,900	10,400	6,150	8,380	6,530	7,520	7,820
13	7,730	7,550	11,000	11,800	11,600	11,500	10,000	6,150	7,960	6,680	6,270	7,390
14	7,960	7,670	10,900	11,500	11,400	11,700	9,980	6,130	7,170	5,730	6,450	7,900
15	7,860	7,590	10,300	11,400	11,600	13,200	9,920	5,390	7,170	6,550	6,930	8,030
16	7,940	7,390	9,900	11,400	12,200	12,900	9,210	6,340	7,270	6,440	7,010	7,710
17	7,710	8,190	9,450	12,000	12,700	12,300	8,700	6,170	7,170	5,390	6,850	5,670
18	7,670	8,510	9,950	11,800	13,400	13,400	8,360	6,340	7,070	6,360	6,750	7,890
19	7,390	8,910	11,200	11,700	14,400	13,600	7,860	6,320	7,690	6,820	7,260	7,830
20	7,370	9,150	11,500	11,600	15,200	13,000	6,740	6,890	8,780	7,980	6,510	7,710
21	7,410	9,080	11,800	11,400	16,000	11,600	6,620	6,680	7,880	6,340	7,040	7,550
22	7,410	8,990	11,600	11,000	16,400	10,900	6,550	6,090	7,250	7,240	6,910	7,900
23	7,770	8,890	11,400	11,500	16,600	9,500	6,400	6,740	7,920	6,520	7,420	7,690
24	8,000	8,840	11,100	12,600	16,700	9,650	6,240	6,340	9,760	6,370	7,120	7,870
25	7,940	8,680	11,100	11,300	16,700	10,800	6,740	6,440	10,500	6,590	6,930	7,740
26	7,860	8,590	11,200	11,300	15,500	11,000	6,400	6,340	8,490	6,780	7,220	7,480
27	7,790	8,240	11,300	11,200	15,000	10,400	5,940	6,240	7,710	7,100	7,300	7,680
28	7,650	8,440	11,400	12,900	13,300	10,500	5,640	6,240	6,780	6,660	7,190	7,550
29	7,510	8,740	11,500	13,100	-	11,100	5,860	5,900	7,170	7,060	7,150	7,430
30	7,270	8,630	11,500	12,800	-	10,200	5,940	6,820	6,780	6,880	7,350	7,810
31	7,330	-	11,400	12,500	-	9,450	-	6,550	-	6,530	7,380	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	236,370	8,000	7,270	7,625	468,800
November.....	239,680	9,150	7,210	7,989	475,400
December.....	332,120	11,800	8,340	10,710	658,800
Calendar year 1948	3,385,180	20,600	5,940	9,249	6,714,000
January.....	366,900	13,700	11,100	11,640	727,700
February.....	368,300	16,700	10,500	13,150	750,500
March.....	379,800	15,800	9,450	12,250	753,300
April.....	253,280	11,500	5,640	8,443	502,400
May.....	195,980	6,890	5,390	6,322	388,700
June.....	256,390	13,200	6,780	8,546	508,500
July.....	197,830	7,980	4,880	6,382	392,400
August.....	216,580	7,670	6,270	6,986	429,600
September.....	233,320	9,550	5,670	7,777	462,800
Water year 1948-49	3,276,560	16,700	4,880	8,977	6,499,000

f Fragmentary gage-height record; discharge computed from partly estimated gage heights.

Note.--No gage-height record Jan. 10-24, Jan. 29 to Feb. 6; discharge computed on basis of records for stations near Buhl and at King Hill.

Snake River at King Hill, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°00', long. 115°11', in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 7, T. 5 S., R. 11 E., 300 feet east of railroad station at King Hill and 20 miles downstream from Big Wood River. Datum of gage is 2,492.3 feet above mean sea level, by stadia levels.

Records available.--May 1909 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 18,100 second-feet Feb. 25 (gage height, 9.54 feet); minimum, probably less than 2,500 second-feet at times when stage was below intake on several days during period Sept. 21-30; minimum daily, 5,790 second-feet July 10.

1909-49: Maximum discharge observed, 47,200 second-feet June 22, 1918 (gage height, 16.3 feet), from rating curve extended above 30,000 second-feet; minimum, probably less than 2,500 second-feet at times when stage was below intake on several days during period Sept. 21-30, 1949; minimum daily, 4,760 second-feet July 7-9, Aug. 15, 16, 1910.

Remarks.--Records good. Flow regulated by power plants at Lower Salmon Falls and near Bliss and many reservoirs above station. Practically entire flow at Milner diverted during irrigation season; flow at King Hill is then derived largely from springs and seepage entering below Milner.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	9,200	9,240	10,200	13,100	13,500	13,400	10,700	7,210	8,160	8,040	8,810	8,690
2	9,000	9,320	11,100	13,100	13,500	16,600	12,700	6,980	8,380	7,510	8,160	8,560
3	8,930	9,300	12,500	13,000	13,300	16,400	13,300	7,180	8,740	7,480	8,030	8,750
4	8,900	9,200	12,400	13,000	13,200	15,500	12,900	7,300	9,830	7,160	8,000	8,750
5	9,200	9,120	11,300	12,900	13,100	15,800	12,900	7,280	12,000	7,670	8,080	9,040
6	9,270	9,120	11,100	13,000	13,000	15,800	11,400	7,320	11,800	7,710	8,080	9,380
7	9,200	9,120	11,700	13,000	13,200	15,300	9,970	7,140	11,700	6,880	7,710	9,510
8	9,220	9,100	12,100	13,000	12,400	15,600	10,400	7,210	14,500	6,680	8,420	9,210
9	9,220	9,100	12,100	12,900	12,100	15,800	11,600	7,440	14,000	6,300	8,080	9,790
10	9,300	9,170	12,800	13,200	12,800	15,500	11,800	7,210	12,400	5,790	8,210	9,810
11	9,500	9,200	13,200	13,400	13,700	14,300	12,100	7,090	10,800	7,920	8,170	9,190
12	9,520	9,170	12,900	13,600	13,600	14,600	12,100	7,140	9,670	7,580	8,410	9,570
13	9,520	9,320	12,800	13,500	13,500	13,800	11,700	7,080	9,200	8,020	7,950	9,160
14	9,720	9,520	12,500	13,400	13,100	14,000	11,200	7,000	8,650	7,390	7,720	9,810
15	9,770	9,520	12,100	13,100	13,200	15,500	11,200	6,790	8,500	7,460	8,210	9,710
16	9,740	9,270	11,700	13,200	13,600	16,000	10,700	6,930	8,620	8,040	8,180	9,980
17	9,540	9,770	11,100	13,900	14,300	15,500	9,870	7,280	8,520	6,680	8,220	7,480
18	9,520	10,500	11,400	13,600	14,800	15,900	9,700	7,440	8,470	7,640	8,110	10,500
19	9,220	10,700	12,500	13,400	15,700	16,300	9,370	7,530	8,930	7,870	8,440	10,300
20	9,120	11,200	13,200	13,300	16,400	16,300	8,380	8,020	10,200	8,230	7,760	19,860
21	9,240	11,000	13,400	13,200	17,200	14,500	7,690	7,870	9,640	8,210	8,950	19,440
22	9,270	10,900	13,300	13,100	17,600	13,700	7,940	7,640	8,620	7,710	8,690	19,860
23	9,520	10,800	13,200	13,500	17,900	11,700	7,870	7,600	9,270	7,920	8,630	19,580
24	9,870	10,700	12,900	13,800	18,000	11,700	7,830	7,400	10,300	7,510	8,600	19,500
25	9,840	10,600	12,700	15,400	17,900	12,700	7,690	7,500	12,400	8,260	8,480	19,840
26	9,740	10,500	12,900	15,700	17,100	12,900	7,320	7,420	9,920	8,020	8,470	110,800
27	9,640	10,300	13,000	15,000	16,100	12,100	7,280	7,370	9,140	8,200	8,680	19,250
28	9,520	10,000	13,100	14,500	15,400	11,900	6,660	7,320	8,110	8,030	8,680	19,340
29	9,420	10,500	13,200	14,700	-	12,500	7,050	7,140	8,470	8,240	8,950	110,600
30	9,140	10,500	13,200	14,300	-	11,800	6,820	7,830	8,160	7,990	8,850	110,000
31	9,200	-	13,200	13,500	-	11,100	-	7,990	-	7,870	8,970	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	231,010	9,870	8,900	9,387	577,200
November.....	295,760	11,200	9,100	9,859	586,600
December.....	384,800	13,400	10,200	12,410	763,200
Calendar year 1948	3,959,150	21,700	7,180	10,820	7,853,000
January.....	421,300	15,700	12,900	15,590	835,600
February.....	409,000	18,000	12,100	14,610	811,200
March.....	444,500	16,600	11,100	14,340	881,700
April.....	298,140	13,300	6,660	9,938	591,400
May.....	227,660	8,020	6,790	7,344	451,600
June.....	297,110	14,500	8,110	9,904	589,300
July.....	236,010	8,280	5,790	7,613	468,100
August.....	258,680	8,970	7,710	8,345	513,100
September.....	285,260	10,800	7,480	9,509	565,900
Water year 1948-49	3,849,230	18,000	5,790	10,550	7,635,000

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of records for stations near Murphy and below Lower Salmon Falls, near Hagerman.

f Fragmentary gage-height record; discharge computed from partly estimated gage heights.

Snake River near Murphy, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°18', long. 116°26', in NE¹ sec. 35, T. 1 S., R. 1 W., 4½ miles downstream from Swan Falls power plant and 7½ miles northeast of Murphy. Datum of gage is 2,271.3 feet above mean sea level, by stadia levels.

Drainage area.--41,900 square miles.

Records available.--August to October 1912, August 1913 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 19,100 second-feet Mar. 3 (gage height, 7.62 feet); minimum recorded, 3,900 second-feet July 9 (gage height, 2.53 feet); minimum daily, 6,640 second-feet July 9.
1912-49: Maximum discharge, 47,300 second-feet June 22, 1918 (gage height, 13.95 feet, site and datum then in use); minimum recorded, that of July 9, 1949; minimum daily, 5,440 second-feet Aug. 4, 1914.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are good. Flow regulated by many reservoirs above station. Diurnal fluctuation caused by Swan Falls power plant. Several diversions by pumping between this station and station at King Hill.

Rating table, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet,
and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used May 27 to Sept. 30)

3.7	6,630	5.5	11,900
4.0	7,450	6.0	13,500
4.5	8,890	6.6	15,400
5.0	10,400	7.4	18,200

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	9,520	9,640	10,700	12,800	13,800	15,400	12,000	8,980	9,460	8,470	8,040	8,890
2	9,550	9,610	10,400	13,000	13,600	14,100	11,700	9,290	9,520	8,160	8,420	8,560
3	9,280	9,730	11,600	13,000	13,600	17,600	13,600	9,710	9,700	7,900	8,100	8,560
4	9,130	9,670	12,500	13,000	13,500	17,200	14,200	8,920	10,000	7,810	7,930	8,710
5	9,250	9,640	12,400	13,000	13,400	16,600	13,800	9,040	11,200	7,590	7,930	8,390
6	9,490	9,460	11,400	13,000	13,200	16,800	13,800	8,860	12,900	7,760	7,980	8,950
7	9,580	9,370	11,300	13,000	12,700	16,800	12,300	8,890	12,800	7,870	7,930	9,310
8	9,490	9,550	11,800	13,000	12,700	16,100	11,300	8,620	12,600	7,530	7,930	9,250
9	9,580	9,490	12,200	13,000	12,500	16,600	12,100	8,560	15,400	6,640	8,010	8,980
10	9,460	9,430	12,100	13,000	12,500	16,700	13,200	9,040	14,900	7,010	8,160	9,570
11	9,610	9,610	13,000	13,400	13,000	16,300	13,600	8,920	13,300	6,780	8,130	9,550
12	9,700	9,550	13,300	13,500	13,700	15,200	14,000	8,890	11,600	6,660	8,160	9,090
13	9,820	9,610	12,800	13,500	13,600	15,500	14,400	9,160	10,600	7,930	8,330	9,390
14	9,730	9,730	12,700	13,500	13,400	14,600	14,000	8,950	10,100	7,670	8,240	9,030
15	9,850	9,850	12,600	13,300	13,200	14,900	13,200	9,010	9,580	7,870	7,900	9,720
16	9,910	9,880	12,200	13,300	13,100	16,600	13,300	9,160	9,310	7,760	7,840	9,600
17	10,000	9,730	11,600	13,300	13,900	17,200	12,600	9,400	9,310	7,450	8,040	9,720
18	9,790	9,940	11,300	14,100	14,400	16,500	12,000	10,100	9,250	7,560	8,240	8,300
19	9,820	10,900	11,500	13,600	15,200	17,200	12,000	10,400	9,100	7,140	8,130	9,580
20	9,550	10,900	12,800	13,200	16,200	17,700	11,700	10,200	9,610	7,450	8,240	10,200
21	9,460	11,500	13,200	13,200	16,800	17,400	10,700	10,500	10,800	7,930	8,100	9,930
22	9,430	11,200	13,300	13,300	17,600	15,400	10,100	9,970	10,100	8,270	8,470	9,510
23	9,490	11,100	13,300	13,600	18,100	14,800	10,000	9,940	9,100	7,790	8,590	9,910
24	9,640	11,100	13,200	13,800	18,500	13,000	10,200	9,760	9,760	8,040	8,550	9,730
25	10,000	10,900	13,200	14,000	18,600	12,900	10,400	9,340	10,800	7,870	8,650	9,340
26	10,100	10,900	13,200	15,800	18,500	13,800	10,200	9,340	12,400	7,810	8,330	9,850
27	10,000	10,700	13,300	15,800	17,400	13,700	9,760	9,070	10,000	7,840	8,360	10,400
28	10,000	10,500	13,200	15,000	16,700	13,100	9,610	8,860	9,580	8,130	8,500	9,680
29	9,880	10,200	13,100	14,700	-	12,700	8,860	8,890	8,330	7,980	8,680	9,900
30	9,850	10,700	12,800	14,600	-	13,300	9,250	8,800	8,300	8,130	8,650	10,600
31	9,610	-	12,900	14,400	-	12,600	-	9,400	-	7,950	8,650	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	299,570	10,100	9,130	9,664	594,200
November.....	304,090	11,500	9,370	10,140	603,200
December.....	384,900	13,300	10,400	12,420	763,400
Calendar year 1948	4,103,240	23,400	7,250	11,210	8,138,000
January.....	422,700	15,800	12,800	13,640	838,400
February.....	413,200	18,600	12,300	14,760	819,600
March.....	478,300	17,700	12,600	15,430	948,700
April.....	357,880	14,400	8,860	11,930	709,800
May.....	266,960	10,500	8,560	9,257	569,200
June.....	319,410	15,400	8,300	10,650	633,500
July.....	238,750	8,470	6,640	7,702	473,600
August.....	255,190	8,680	7,840	8,232	506,200
September.....	282,200	10,600	8,300	9,407	559,700
Water year 1948-49	4,043,150	18,600	6,640	11,080	8,020,000

Note.--No gage-height record Dec. 24-29, Jan. 2-12, Jan. 14 to Feb. 15; discharge computed on basis of records for stations at King Hill and at Weiser.

SNAKE RIVER MAIN STEM

Snake River at Weiser, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°15', long. 116°59', in sec. 31, T. 11 N., R. 5 W., a third of a mile upstream from highway bridge at Weiser and half a mile downstream from Weiser River. Datum of gage is 2,087.09 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929.

Records available.--October 1910 to September 1949. Fragmentary gage-height record obtained by U. S. Weather Bureau since 1895.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 34,300 second-feet Mar. 19 (gage height, 8.01 feet); minimum not determined, occurred during period of no gage-height record; minimum daily, 8,800 second-feet July 10.

1910-49: Maximum discharge observed, 83,100 second-feet May 23, 1921 (gage height, 13.60 feet); minimum observed, 5,100 second-feet Aug. 5, 1924 (gage height, 1.35 feet). Flood of Mar. 3, 1910, reached a stage of 15.7 feet on old U. S. Weather Bureau gage (discharge, about 100,000 second-feet). Flood in June 1894 was considerably higher.

Remarks.--Records good. Flow regulated by many reservoirs above station. Some diurnal fluctuation caused by Swan Falls power plant. Some diversions below Murphy for irrigation.

Cooperation.--Gage-height record collected in cooperation with U. S. Weather Bureau.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	a15,700	a15,000	a13,100	16,200	16,400	25,100	22,600	19,900	a28,100	a10,600	a10,600	11,000
2	a15,500	a12,900	a13,000	15,900	16,400	24,400	22,000	20,200	a27,000	a10,300	a10,800	11,100
3	a15,300	a13,200	13,300	15,000	16,400	22,700	21,700	21,100	a24,500	a10,300	a10,800	11,100
4	13,100	13,100	14,000	15,000	15,800	27,300	23,500	20,400	a22,800	a10,200	a10,800	10,900
5	13,100	a13,300	15,400	14,500	15,800	27,500	25,000	19,500	a21,900	a9,800	a10,300	11,000
6	a12,800	12,800	15,200	15,300	15,000	26,900	25,300	17,700	a22,600	a9,600	a10,200	11,000
7	a13,200	12,300	14,500	14,700	15,000	28,000	26,200	18,700	a24,100	a9,600	a10,000	11,100
8	a13,500	11,900	14,300	15,300	15,000	27,500	25,700	19,100	a24,000	a9,600	a10,000	11,500
9	g14,100	12,100	14,500	15,000	15,000	26,400	24,200	19,800	a23,300	a9,200	a10,000	11,700
10	13,800	12,100	15,200	15,800	15,500	27,600	25,200	20,300	a24,100	a9,800	a10,300	11,700
11	a13,400	12,000	15,200	15,800	16,500	29,200	26,800	21,800	a24,600	a9,400	a10,300	11,800
12	a13,100	11,900	16,100	15,800	17,500	30,100	27,400	23,500	a23,000	a9,400	a10,500	12,700
13	a13,100	12,300	17,200	16,000	17,000	30,200	28,400	24,300	a21,200	a9,000	a10,600	12,500
14	a13,100	12,300	16,700	15,700	17,000	29,400	26,800	25,300	a19,000	a10,000	a10,700	12,400
15	a13,000	12,400	16,200	15,200	17,500	27,800	25,400	26,300	a16,800	a9,800	a10,300	12,500
16	a13,300	a12,500	16,100	16,000	18,200	29,200	24,200	27,900	a15,100	a10,200	a10,400	12,500
17	a13,400	a12,500	a15,200	16,500	21,000	31,900	24,000	29,500	a13,800	a10,500	a10,200	12,600
18	a13,400	a12,600	14,300	16,500	22,600	32,700	24,400	28,500	a13,000	a10,200	a10,300	12,900
19	a13,100	a13,000	14,100	16,300	26,000	33,900	24,600	28,500	a12,800	a10,200	a10,500	12,300
20	a13,200	a13,500	14,100	16,200	27,300	33,200	24,600	29,600	a12,800	a9,900	a10,500	11,900
21	a13,100	g13,600	a15,500	15,800	*25,800	32,900	23,000	29,400	a13,100	a10,000	a10,500	13,100
22	a12,800	a14,200	16,300	15,800	25,200	32,400	20,800	28,400	a13,500	a10,600	a10,800	13,100
23	a12,700	a14,200	16,100	16,000	27,200	30,100	20,100	27,100	a13,100	a10,600	a10,800	12,900
24	a12,700	a13,900	15,000	16,300	29,200	28,200	20,600	25,700	a12,100	a11,000	a10,600	12,700
25	a12,800	a13,900	15,000	16,500	29,000	25,600	21,300	24,200	a11,800	a11,000	a10,600	12,900
26	a13,100	a13,900	14,500	17,500	28,000	a26,500	21,300	23,800	g13,000	g10,900	10,700	12,400
27	a13,000	a13,700	15,400	*18,000	27,300	a26,500	20,600	24,100	a13,800	g10,400	10,900	12,600
28	a13,000	a13,500	15,600	17,500	26,300	g24,800	20,200	24,800	a12,900	a10,500	10,700	13,000
29	g13,100	a13,200	15,700	17,500	-	23,600	20,300	26,000	a11,600	a10,600	11,000	13,100
30	a13,000	a13,000	16,000	17,000	-	22,800	19,100	a27,000	a10,700	a10,500	11,200	12,900
31	g12,900	-	16,100	16,500	-	22,800	-	a28,000	-	a10,500	11,100	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	408,400	14,100	12,700	13,170	810,000
November.....	368,800	14,200	11,900	12,960	771,200
December.....	468,900	17,200	13,000	15,130	930,000
Calendar year 1948	6,295,210	47,400	9,640	17,200	12,480,000
January.....	497,100	18,000	14,500	16,040	986,000
February.....	574,900	29,200	15,000	20,530	1,140,000
March.....	867,200	33,900	22,700	27,970	1,720,000
April.....	705,300	28,400	19,100	23,510	1,399,000
May.....	749,500	29,600	17,700	24,180	1,487,000
June.....	540,100	28,100	10,700	18,000	1,071,000
July.....	313,400	11,000	8,800	10,110	621,600
August.....	327,200	11,200	10,000	10,550	649,000
September.....	364,900	13,100	10,900	12,160	723,800
Water year 1948-49	6,205,700	33,900	8,800	17,000	12,310,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for stations at Oxbow and near Murphy.

g Computed from graph based on gage readings or fragmentary gage-height record.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 24-28, Jan. 3 to Feb. 15.

Snake River at Oxbow, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°57', long. 116°51', in NW¼ sec. 16, T. 7 S., R. 48 E., at Oxbow, five-eighths of a mile upstream from intake of diversion tunnel for Oxbow power plant and 2½ miles upstream from Indian Creek. Datum of gage is 1,696.71 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929, supplementary adjustment of 1947.

Records available.--May 1923 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 37,400 second-feet Mar. 19; maximum gage height, about 29 feet (ice jam), from floodmark, sometime during period Jan. 17-27; minimum, 8,320 second-feet July 11 (gage height, 7.55 feet).
1923-49: Maximum discharge, 74,600 second-feet Apr. 21, 1943; maximum gage height, that of January 1949; minimum, 4,890 second-feet Aug. 6, 1924 (gage height, 6.30 feet).

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for period of ice effect, which are good. Flow regulated by many reservoirs above station. Diurnal fluctuation caused by Swan Falls power plant. Some diversions below Weiser for irrigation.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used July 29 to Sept. 30)

7.8	9,000	9.0	12,600	12.0	25,100
8.0	9,570	10.0	16,500	13.0	30,200
8.5	11,100	11.0	20,600	14.2	36,600

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	14,100	13,400	13,500	16,300	16,700	26,300	23,800	20,700	30,200	10,700	10,700	11,000
2	14,000	13,600	13,800	16,300	16,700	26,100	23,200	21,800	30,400	11,100	10,600	10,900
3	13,600	13,400	14,000	15,900	16,700	24,200	22,800	22,600	27,600	10,800	10,500	11,000
4	13,500	13,700	14,000	15,000	16,700	25,200	23,600	22,600	25,200	10,900	10,900	10,800
5	13,200	13,900	15,400	15,800	16,200	29,400	26,100	21,400	24,400	10,500	11,000	10,800
6	13,200	13,700	15,900	15,000	16,200	28,600	26,600	19,800	23,800	10,200	10,200	11,000
7	13,500	13,200	15,900	15,800	15,700	29,300	27,600	19,800	26,000	10,000	10,000	10,900
8	13,800	12,700	14,900	15,200	15,700	29,600	28,200	20,700	26,600	10,000	9,800	11,300
9	14,200	12,600	14,800	15,600	15,700	26,600	26,600	23,600	23,600	9,800	9,920	11,700
10	14,100	12,700	15,500	15,400	16,000	28,100	26,400	22,400	24,500	9,540	10,100	11,700
11	13,900	12,600	15,800	16,200	17,000	30,100	28,100	24,200	26,700	9,030	10,100	11,600
12	13,800	12,500	16,200	16,200	18,000	31,400	29,000	26,200	25,200	9,600	10,400	12,300
13	13,500	12,700	17,300	16,200	17,500	32,400	30,100	27,200	23,400	9,540	10,500	12,700
14	13,500	12,800	17,900	16,400	17,500	31,600	29,600	28,100	21,300	9,110	10,500	12,300
15	13,500	12,900	17,100	16,200	17,500	30,900	28,100	29,300	16,900	10,300	10,700	12,600
16	13,400	13,000	16,700	15,700	18,000	29,900	26,600	30,900	16,800	10,100	10,700	12,300
17	13,700	13,000	16,200	16,200	18,900	33,100	25,900	32,400	15,200	10,300	10,200	12,600
18	13,800	13,000	15,300	16,900	22,100	34,900	26,200	32,400	14,000	10,200	10,100	12,800
19	13,800	13,000	14,600	16,900	25,000	36,800	26,800	31,600	13,600	10,200	10,300	12,900
20	13,500	13,500	14,400	16,700	27,600	36,400	27,300	32,200	13,500	10,300	10,300	11,600
21	13,600	14,000	14,900	16,600	26,600	35,600	26,000	33,000	13,600	10,000	10,300	12,700
22	13,500	14,100	16,200	16,100	25,600	35,200	24,200	31,400	14,100	10,400	10,300	13,300
23	13,200	14,700	16,300	16,000	26,200	33,000	22,100	30,200	14,400	10,900	10,300	13,000
24	13,100	14,700	15,900	16,200	29,200	31,100	22,100	28,800	13,300	11,300	10,700	12,700
25	13,100	14,400	15,500	16,600	30,200	28,500	23,200	26,800	12,300	10,600	10,700	12,900
26	13,200	14,400	15,500	16,800	29,200	26,900	23,400	26,400	12,700	11,100	10,700	12,700
27	13,500	14,400	15,000	17,800	28,400	26,800	22,600	26,400	14,300	10,700	10,700	12,400
28	13,400	14,200	15,900	18,000	27,700	26,800	22,800	27,300	14,500	10,600	10,600	12,600
29	13,400	14,000	16,300	18,000	-	25,200	22,200	27,800	12,500	10,600	10,700	13,300
30	13,400	13,700	16,300	18,000	-	24,100	21,600	29,700	11,800	10,800	10,900	13,000
31	13,400	-	16,300	17,500	-	23,700	-	30,600	-	10,700	11,100	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	420,400	14,200	13,100	13,560	833,900
November.....	404,400	14,700	12,500	13,480	802,100
December.....	483,300	17,900	13,500	15,590	958,600
Calendar year 1948	6,697,690	54,200	9,630	18,300	13,280,000
January.....	507,500	18,000	15,000	16,370	1,007,000
February.....	584,500	30,200	15,700	20,880	1,159,000
March.....	920,000	36,800	23,700	29,680	1,825,000
April.....	763,000	30,100	21,600	25,430	1,513,000
May.....	626,300	35,000	19,800	26,650	1,639,000
June.....	585,800	30,400	11,800	19,530	1,162,000
July.....	320,210	11,300	9,030	10,330	635,100
August.....	324,520	11,100	9,800	10,470	643,700
September.....	363,400	13,300	10,600	12,110	720,800
Water year 1948-49	6,530,330	36,800	9,030	17,820	12,900,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Jan. 10 to Feb. 15 (no gage-height record Jan. 17-27; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for stations at King Hill, at Weiser, and near Clarkston.

Snake River near Clarkston, Wash.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 46°25'30", long. 117°10'30", in lot 1, sec. 16, T. 11 N., R. 45 E., 2 miles upstream from Alpowa Creek, 7 miles downstream from Clarkston, and 134 miles upstream from mouth. Datum of gage is 670 feet above mean sea level (Corps of Engineers bench mark).

Drainage area.--103,200 square miles.

Records available.--October 1935 to September 1949 in reports of Geological Survey. October 1915 to September 1922 and August 1928 to September 1935 at site 66 miles downstream, published as Snake River at Riparia, in reports of Geological Survey. October 1909 to September 1933 (at site at Riparia) in State Water-Supply Bulletin 5.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 248,900 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 33.83 feet); minimum, 14,700 second-feet Sept. 6 (gage height, 9.97 feet); minimum daily, 17,200 second-feet Sept. 3, 6.

1909-49: Maximum discharge, 369,000 second-feet May 29, 1948 (gage height, 40.36 feet, from high-water mark in well); minimum observed, 10,600 second-feet Aug. 14, 18, 20, 24-28, 30, 31, Sept. 1, 2, 5, 1931, but may have been less during period of ice effect in January 1937.

Maximum stage known, 24.7 feet, Riparia site and datum, June 5, 1894, determined from floodmarks by U. S. Weather Bureau (discharge, 409,000 second-feet).

Remarks.--Records excellent. Small diversions by pumping between this station and station at Oxbow, Oreg. Large diurnal fluctuation caused by power plant on Clearwater River above Lewiston, Idaho.

Revisions (water years).--W 463: 1916. W 933: 1937.

Rating table, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

10.4	16,500	15.0	40,600	26.0	138,900
10.9	18,700	16.0	47,200	28.0	163,400
11.4	21,100	18.0	62,000	30.0	190,400
12.0	24,000	20.0	78,300	32.0	219,800
13.0	29,200	22.0	96,500	34.0	251,700
14.0	34,600	24.0	116,600		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	24,400	23,200	25,000	27,400	28,600	67,800	51,500	120,800	150,800	42,100	21,600	17,800
2	24,000	24,300	24,700	27,400	28,000	69,000	54,400	121,300	141,200	40,900	21,500	17,800
3	23,600	26,200	25,600	27,800	28,200	68,400	55,900	126,100	128,900	41,600	21,000	17,200
4	23,100	29,500	26,500	27,500	27,200	69,000	57,200	152,100	115,700	38,600	20,900	17,500
5	23,600	28,500	26,400	27,100	28,000	63,600	64,700	119,600	112,800	38,000	20,700	17,300
6	26,100	26,900	27,600	26,100	27,100	58,500	76,100	109,300	118,900	37,200	21,100	17,200
7	25,900	25,600	27,700	23,200	26,400	58,000	86,900	105,500	127,600	36,900	18,500	17,800
8	25,600	24,500	27,700	25,300	26,500	56,300	95,300	111,000	132,900	35,100	18,900	17,900
9	26,900	23,400	26,400	26,400	26,300	59,300	97,100	127,600	127,400	33,900	18,400	18,300
10	25,600	22,500	26,200	26,600	27,400	62,900	92,600	150,700	121,400	32,400	18,500	18,300
11	24,500	22,400	27,200	24,700	27,600	65,000	96,200	175,800	120,400	31,400	18,700	18,600
12	24,800	22,700	28,600	26,200	26,800	61,600	106,600	200,300	116,300	30,000	18,600	19,100
13	24,200	23,300	29,500	25,600	27,400	64,100	106,200	217,800	106,100	29,800	19,200	20,800
14	23,600	23,600	30,100	25,600	27,900	68,900	98,800	225,500	97,100	28,700	19,500	21,500
15	23,600	24,100	29,800	26,500	28,500	69,500	91,800	234,600	89,100	27,400	19,800	20,400
16	23,300	24,900	28,200	25,800	29,300	73,500	90,700	242,300	81,700	27,800	19,700	20,700
17	23,100	25,300	27,000	27,600	30,900	70,000	95,800	243,100	75,800	27,000	19,500	24,100
18	23,700	25,300	24,800	29,200	38,800	81,900	106,500	221,800	70,500	26,300	18,500	21,900
19	23,500	24,900	22,400	26,200	46,200	95,100	118,000	193,900	64,400	25,800	18,100	22,200
20	23,200	24,400	23,400	26,400	46,400	102,900	126,600	184,800	61,200	25,600	18,500	21,100
21	22,900	25,100	24,900	26,900	47,200	98,900	119,500	186,200	59,400	25,100	18,500	19,800
22	22,900	25,600	26,400	25,800	47,600	92,400	109,500	173,200	57,900	24,900	18,400	20,100
23	22,500	26,300	26,600	24,300	55,600	86,600	105,500	163,100	58,700	25,200	18,000	20,700
24	22,500	30,500	24,900	24,700	60,600	80,000	110,300	155,600	57,000	25,100	17,400	21,500
25	21,900	33,400	23,200	24,700	61,900	75,200	118,000	150,900	53,300	22,900	18,300	19,600
26	22,500	30,700	23,800	26,100	63,300	68,400	115,100	152,200	50,800	23,700	18,500	19,200
27	22,900	28,700	25,900	24,700	65,200	63,400	114,900	162,600	53,000	23,600	18,500	19,700
28	23,200	27,500	25,600	26,900	66,700	59,800	121,500	170,900	51,000	23,200	18,200	19,200
29	22,800	26,700	26,300	28,200	-	56,100	137,100	172,000	49,100	22,800	17,600	19,500
30	22,700	25,800	27,100	28,600	-	53,400	136,500	170,000	48,700	22,600	17,500	20,600
31	22,800	-	27,200	27,700	-	51,500	-	160,300	-	22,300	17,900	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	736,300	26,900	21,900	23,750	1,460,000
November.....	775,600	33,400	22,400	25,650	1,538,000
December.....	816,700	30,100	22,400	26,350	1,620,000
Calendar year 1948.....	22,667,600	349,500	20,200	61,930	44,970,000
January.....	817,200	29,200	23,200	26,360	1,621,000
February.....	1,071,600	66,700	26,300	38,270	2,125,000
March.....	2,178,000	102,900	51,500	70,260	4,320,000
April.....	2,954,600	137,100	51,500	98,490	5,860,000
May.....	5,210,900	243,100	105,500	168,100	10,340,000
June.....	2,696,900	150,800	48,700	89,900	5,349,000
July.....	917,900	42,100	22,300	29,610	1,821,000
August.....	589,400	21,600	17,400	19,010	1,169,000
September.....	587,400	24,100	17,200	19,580	1,165,000
Water year 1948-49.....	19,352,500	243,100	17,200	53,020	38,390,000

Pacific Creek near Moran, Wyo.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°51', long. 110°31', in sec. 23, T. 45 N., R. 114 W., 50 feet downstream from bridge on U. S. Highway 287, half a mile above mouth, and 3 miles southeast of Moran.

Drainage area.--160 square miles.

Records available.--July to November 1906 (gage heights only), July 1917 to September 1918 (no winter record), September 1944 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 2,150 second-feet June 13 (gage height, 4.53 feet); minimum discharge not determined, occurred during period of ice effect or no gage-height record.
1917-18, 1944-49: Maximum discharge observed, 3,030 second-feet June 15, 1918 (gage height, 3.98 feet, former site and datum); minimum recorded, 32 second-feet Dec. 17, 1946, but may have been less during period of ice effect.

Remarks.--Records fair except those for periods of ice effect, which are poor. No diversion or regulation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	57	54				51	56	485	1,420	570	99	61
2	57	59				52	58	455	1,240	550	95	60
3	57	62				54	62	568	1,100	532	102	62
4	57	57				56	66	623	1,080	495	102	64
5	64	54				*60	70	568	1,270	478	100	64
6	61	53				60	72	550	1,410	436	90	60
7	57	52				58	80	644	1,610	392	85	58
8	57	49		54		56	82	809	1,750	351	85	57
9	57	46				55	80	963	1,700	322	90	57
10	57	50				56	82	1,100	1,790	350	119	64
11	55	50				58	91	1,210	1,840	296	100	80
12	56	52				56	107	1,360	2,000	273	94	87
13	54	52				52	108	1,480	1,900	254	92	79
14	54	50	(*)			54	103	1,570	1,640	234	87	76
15	65	53				52	101	1,660	1,510	f222	84	72
16			58		50							
17	f67	49				52	108	1,720	1,360	206	80	70
18	58	45				h52	125	1,900	1,280	190	76	69
19	57	43				54	152	1,840	1,170	182	74	67
20	57	42				54	197	1,780	1,480	174	73	66
21	57	50				54	241	1,680	1,440	162	72	64
22	57	49				52	208	1,510	1,150	155	69	61
23	57	46				54	223	1,440	1,150	141	67	58
24	54	54		50		53	274	1,380	1,100	f132	72	60
25	*53	52				h51	372	1,280	970	130	80	60
26						50	495	1,300	931	123	78	61
27	52	56				50	535	1,460	950	119	72	61
28	52	50				47	584	1,560	822	115	69	61
29	52	50				45	634	1,700	7444	110	67	61
30	52	50			-	45	650	1,700	696	106	67	62
31	52	-			-	49	568	1,600	605	104	67	73
						h50	-	1,580	-	102	66	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October	1,751	67	52	56.5	0.353	0.41	3,470
November	1,547	62	42	51.6	.322	.36	3,070
December	1,798	-	-	58.0	.362	.42	3,570
Calendar year 1948	96,460	2,210	-	264	1.65	22.43	191,300
January	1,610	-	-	51.9	.324	.37	3,190
February	1,400	-	-	50.0	.312	.33	2,780
March	1,642	60	45	53.0	.331	.38	3,260
April	6,584	650	56	219	1.37	1.53	13,060
May	39,455	1,900	455	1,273	7.96	9.17	78,280
June	39,108	2,000	605	1,304	8.15	9.09	77,570
July	7,987	570	102	258	1.61	1.86	15,840
August	2,573	119	66	83.0	.519	.60	5,100
September	1,955	87	57	65.2	.408	.45	3,980
Water year 1948-49	107,410	2,000	-	294	1.84	24.97	213,000

Peak discharge (base, 1,300 sec.-ft.)--May 17 (7 a.m.) 1,980 sec.-ft.; May 29 (4 a.m.) 1,860 sec.-ft.; June 13 (2 a.m.) 2,150 sec.-ft.; June 19 (11:30 p.m.) 1,680 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

f Computed from partly estimated gage-height record.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 18 to Mar. 15. No gage-height record Nov. 23 to Dec. 13, Jan. 8-20, Mar. 13 to Apr. 7, Aug. 4-6 except about once-weekly staff-gage readings; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for nearby Snake River tributaries.

TRIBUTARIES ABOVE SALT RIVER

Buffalo Fork near Moran, Wyo.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°50', long. 110°31', in sec. 26, T. 45 N., R. 114 W., 30 feet below bridge on county road, half a mile above mouth, 2½ miles downstream from Lava Creek, and 4 miles southeast of Moran.

Drainage area.--378 square miles.

Records available.--July to November 1906 (gage heights only), July 1917 to September 1918 (no winter records), September 1944 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 3,380 second-feet June 12 (gage height, 5.07 feet); minimum not determined, occurred during period of ice effect.

1917-18, 1944-49: Maximum discharge observed, 5,840 second-feet June 13, 1918 (gage height, 6.78 feet, datum then in use), from discharge measurement; minimum recorded, 86 second-feet Dec. 17, 1946 (gage height, 0.95 foot), but may have been less during periods of ice effect.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect, which are fair. No diversion or regulation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	192	179					140	567	1,940	1,580	462	237
2	192	186					140	508	1,660	1,800	444	234
3	192	188					140	646	1,420	1,870	439	250
4	192	186				125	145	720	1,340	1,810	422	260
5	204	173				(*)	150	652	1,580	1,780	406	256
6	202	181					160	561	1,770	1,770	391	237
7	192	177					170	591	2,010	1,720	395	228
8	195	170	160				1188	713	2,490	1,610	375	225
9	192	170					195	854	2,430	1,500	366	225
10	192	165					195	1,030	2,710	1,450	385	225
11	192	170					207	1,170	2,920	1,360	356	256
12	190	180		130			234	1,490	3,220	1,310	358	270
13	188	180					247	1,720	3,210	1,300	333	253
14	188	180	(*)				225	1,770	2,850	1,230	317	247
15	212	186					212	1,940	2,590	1,130	308	237
16	220	190			125		217	2,060	2,580	1,110	295	234
17	192	186					234	2,330	2,560	1,130	296	234
18	188						278	2,230	2,250	902	295	228
19	192						347	2,050	2,640	808	281	225
20	190					140	371	1,900	2,790	808	274	222
21	188						325	1,730	2,330	713	270	220
22	186						325	1,680	2,380	664	267	220
23	186						356	1,830	2,380	658	263	217
24	184	160	130				435	1,460	2,020	652	285	220
25	*186						579	1,470	2,040	627	261	217
26	181						609	1,700	2,340	591	263	217
27	177			125			646	1,960	2,000	573	260	217
28	179						745	2,210	1,740	561	253	215
29	179				-		776	2,360	1,780	514	250	217
30	179				-		689	2,340	1,660	531	244	263
31	175				-		-	2,250	-	473	240	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October	5,897	220	175	190	0.503	0.58	11,700
November	5,127	190	-	171	.452	.50	10,170
December	4,480	-	-	145	.384	.44	8,890
Calendar year 1948	202,765	3,770	-	554	1.47	19.94	402,100
January	3,995	-	-	129	.341	.39	7,920
February	3,500	-	-	125	.331	.34	6,940
March	4,255	-	-	137	.362	.42	8,400
April	9,678	776	140	323	.854	.95	19,200
May	46,282	2,360	508	1,493	3.95	4.55	91,820
June	67,600	3,220	1,340	2,253	5.96	6.65	134,100
July	34,535	1,870	473	1,114	2.95	3.40	68,500
August	10,035	462	240	324	.857	.99	19,900
September	7,006	270	215	234	.619	.69	13,900
Water year 1948-49	202,580	3,220	-	554	1.47	19.90	401,400

Peak discharge (base, 3,100 sec.-ft.).--June 12 (9:45 a.m.), 3,380 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

† Computed from partly estimated gage-height record.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 8-14, Nov. 18 to Apr. 7. No gage-height record Dec. 17-30, Jan. 8 to Mar. 4 except staff-gage readings Dec. 18, 23, Jan. 14, 21, 27, Feb. 18, 25; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Gros Ventre River at Kelly and Hoback River near Jackson.

Gros Ventre River at Kelly, Wyo.

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 43°37', long. 110°38', in NW¼ sec. 11, T. 42 N., R. 115 W., at bridge on private road, 0.3 mile south of Kelly post office and 3 miles downstream from Turpin Creek. Prior to Aug. 9, 1949, wire-weight gage on bridge, 25 feet downstream, at same datum.

Drainage area.--622 square miles.

Records available.--October 1944 to September 1949. June to September 1918 at site 1 mile upstream.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 2,480 second-feet June 12 (gage height, 5.55 feet); minimum observed, 125 second-feet Jan. 26 (gage height, 1.08 feet).
1918, 1944-49: Maximum discharge observed, 6,220 second-feet June 16, 1918 (gage height, 9.95 feet, site and datum then in use); minimum observed, 102 second-feet Dec. 16, 1944; minimum gage height observed, that of Jan. 26, 1949.
Flood of May 18, 1927 when landslide about 2 miles upstream washed out, releasing about 60,000 acre-feet of impounded water, was considerably higher; discharge not determined.

Remarks.--Records good. Diversions above and below station for irrigation.

Revisions.--W 1043: Drainage area.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

1.1	128	2.6	543	4.5	1,660
1.4	179	3.0	735	5.0	2,040
1.8	267	3.5	1,020	5.6	2,520
2.2	384	4.0	1,320		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	151	174	154	158	138	134	134	710	1,660	990	214	195
2	149	175	154	159	142	133	139	597	1,660	960	207	193
3	147	187	161	144	138	141	141	574	1,450	924	232	195
4	151	183	168	138	141	144	144	679	1,190	960	222	197
5	154	175	165	133	141	131	149	725	1,130	990	222	203
6	163	168	165	149	134	139	156	650	1,190	990	216	205
7	163	175	163	146	142	*144	163	602	1,220	960	220	205
8	163	170	163	151	138	146	175	630	1,520	894	214	201
9	159	161	165	138	141	146	191	730	1,730	843	212	199
10	163	154	166	133	139	144	197	948	1,880	762	216	197
11	159	158	172	139	b145	144	207	1,100	2,240	735	227	203
12	158	161	172	138	147	146	222	1,310	2,480	720	222	207
13	156	163	172	147	136	146	250	1,500	2,440	679	212	214
14	154	165	*165	151	131	146	260	1,670	1,840	650	205	214
15	158	165	163	151	139	146	243	1,940	1,800	621	197	207
16	165	172	147	139	147	146	232	1,740	1,700	584	191	214
17	172	a165	144	139	142	146	241	2,180	1,700	566	185	205
18	163	a145	144	144	139	146	255	2,460	1,450	530	179	201
19	165	a150	151	133	139	147	299	1,900	1,530	500	175	199
20	158	a150	152	146	133	147	348	1,720	1,450	475	172	199
21	156	a150	147	133	144	149	374	1,580	1,660	451	166	193
22	154	a140	134	141	144	151	351	1,420	1,520	364	165	193
23	154	a150	139	139	146	156	377	1,370	1,420	327	161	189
24	152	a150	147	131	138	154	471	1,310	1,320	307	166	191
25	151	a140	136	126	139	149	548	1,300	1,310	296	174	187
26	151	a145	144	125	136	144	635	1,310	1,240	262	177	183
27	151	a140	141	141	134	144	669	1,480	1,380	253	205	183
28	149	151	154	141	133	138	735	1,760	1,260	243	201	183
29	144	154	147	130	-	136	849	1,990	1,110	238	197	185
30	174	151	154	144	-	130	816	2,160	1,050	227	195	193
31	175	-	144	139	-	139	-	1,880	-	218	195	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	4,882	175	144	157	0.252	0.29	9,680
November	4,787	187	140	160	.257	.29	9,490
December	4,795	172	134	155	.249	.29	9,510
Calendar year 1948	148,357	3,200	116	405	.651	8.89	294,300
January	4,366	159	125	141	.227	.26	8,660
February	3,908	147	131	140	.225	.23	7,750
March	4,452	156	130	144	.232	.27	8,850
April	9,971	849	134	332	.534	.60	19,780
May	41,925	2,460	574	1,352	2.17	2.51	83,160
June	46,570	2,480	1,050	1,552	2.50	2.78	92,370
July	18,519	990	218	597	.960	1.11	36,730
August	6,142	232	161	198	.318	.37	12,180
September	5,933	214	183	198	.318	.35	11,770
Water year 1948-49	156,248	2,480	125	428	.688	9.35	309,900

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.
a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Hoback River near Jackson and other nearby streams.
b Stage-discharge relation affected by snow from blizzard.

TRIBUTARIES ABOVE SALT RIVER

Hoback River near Jackson, Wyo.

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 43°17'55", long. 110°40'10", in sec. 32, T. 39 N., R. 115 W., at Camp Creek Camp, a quarter of a mile downstream from Willow Creek, 4 miles upstream from mouth, and 13½ miles southeast of Jackson.

Drainage area.--564 square miles.

Records available.--November 1944 to September 1949. July 1917 to September 1918 at site a quarter of a mile above mouth, published as Hoback River near Cheney.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 3,280 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 5.62 feet); minimum observed, 142 second-feet Feb. 11 (gage height, 2.05 feet).
1917-18, 1944-49: Maximum discharge observed, 6,160 second-feet June 16, 1918 (gage height, 13.46 feet, former site and datum); minimum observed, 90 second-feet Dec. 18, 1946 (gage height, 1.70 feet).

Remarks.--Records fair. Gage read once daily. No regulation. Small diversions above station for irrigation.

Discharge in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	236	227	179	b170	173	176	170	1,110	2,310	1,290	486	299
2	227	236	191	b180	b170	173	176	1,190	1,980	1,340	466	293
3	219	244	201	173	b165	187	179	1,620	1,670	1,360	460	304
4	236	227	205	b160	181	191	191	1,760	1,640	1,420	453	293
5	285	173	184	b150	184	179	201	1,520	1,620	1,380	440	314
6	270	219	191	184	170	181	216	1,340	1,730	1,330	453	304
7	252	201	201	187	179	*184	240	1,460	1,970	1,290	434	299
8	244	157	187	201	167	198	265	1,530	2,370	1,180	420	288
9	236	154	184	b170	181	191	304	1,790	2,590	1,070	427	284
10	219	191	198	176	184	194	319	2,040	2,640	1,110	460	304
11	212	187	209	187	142	205	352	2,160	2,700	1,050	440	320
12	223	212	219	b170	176	198	397	2,420	2,810	975	434	314
13	227	209	216	184	b180	181	476	2,580	2,750	786	414	304
14	219	205	201	198	173	191	409	2,640	2,300	794	395	293
15	231	219	*198	194	198	181	414	2,840	2,200	879	408	284
16	236	198	191	b170	181	184	464	2,890	2,150	845	395	274
17	244	216	176	b170	191	179	509	3,280	2,140	828	395	270
18	244	157	184	184	198	187	645	2,930	1,940	752	377	266
19	227	b170	194	b170	187	191	770	2,910	2,220	720	371	270
20	236	191	191	b180	179	191	966	2,870	2,170	688	365	256
21	219	198	179	b170	191	181	850	2,590	1,920	620	353	266
22	227	170	b150	b180	184	184	1,330	2,330	1,880	598	341	252
23	227	191	b160	b180	191	191	1,770	2,300	1,830	570	341	256
24	*223	201	b170	b170	181	184	1,740	2,060	1,620	562	353	252
25	227	181	b150	b160	176	176	2,060	2,090	1,600	548	365	256
26	219	187	167	b160	170	173	2,090	2,260	1,770	534	347	248
27	216	b160	162	b170	176	179	2,050	2,550	1,630	520	350	243
28	219	b190	170	176	167	152	2,040	2,640	1,420	514	325	239
29	216	191	b160	b160	-	145	2,090	2,820	1,430	520	314	248
30	209	159	b170	179	-	167	1,620	2,590	1,370	520	320	314
31	219	-	b160	b170	-	181	-	2,570	-	500	309	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	7,144	285	209	230	0.408	0.47	14,170
November	5,821	244	154	194	.344	.38	11,550
December	5,698	219	150	184	.326	.38	11,300
Calendar year 1948	205,467	3,180	130	561	.995	13.56	407,600
January	5,433	201	150	175	.310	.36	10,780
February	4,995	198	142	178	.316	.33	9,910
March	5,655	205	145	182	.323	.37	11,220
April	25,303	2,090	170	843	1.49	1.67	50,190
May	69,680	3,280	1,110	2,248	3.99	4.59	138,200
June	60,370	2,810	1,370	2,012	3.57	3.98	119,700
July	27,083	1,420	500	874	1.55	1.79	53,740
August	12,131	486	309	393	.697	.80	24,180
September	8,407	320	239	280	.496	.55	16,680
Water year 1948-49	237,790	3,280	142	651	1.15	15.67	471,600

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Salt River near Smoot, Wyo.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°36', long. 110°55', in sec. 7, T. 30 N., R. 118 W., 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ miles south of Smoot and 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles upstream from Willow Creek.

Drainage area.--47.8 square miles.

Records available.--June 1932 to September 1949 (no winter records 1933-35, 1936-37).

Average discharge.--13 years (1935-36, 1937-49), 35.4 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 192 second-feet May 19 (gage height, 2.85 feet); no flow Jan. 25-28.
1932-49: Maximum discharge, 430 second-feet May 15, 1936, from rating curve extended above 200 second-feet; no flow Jan. 25-28, 1949.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. A few diversions above station for irrigation.

Revisions.--W 1093: Drainage area.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Mar. 15 to Apr. 24)

1.3	5	1.6	19	2.0	58
1.4	8	1.7	27	2.3	100
1.5	13	1.8	36	2.9	200

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	11		8.1	2.9	0.4	3.2	7.4	78	152	56	18	9.0
2	10	13	8.1	2.3	.5	3.5	7.4	79	134	55	17	9.0
3	10	13		1.5	1.0	4.5	7.7	92	122	55	17	9.5
4	12	12	9.0	1.4	1.2	4.0	7.7	93	113	55	16	9.0
5	13	12	8.6	1.5	1.0	3.7	8.5	85	111	54	17	8.5
6	13	12	9.3	1.9	1.0	3.8	10	79	108	48	15	8.0
7	12	10	8.8	2.0	1.2	4.4	12	79	106	45	15	7.7
8	12	9.0	8.5	2.0	1.1	4.9	15	82	113	44	15	7.7
9	12	10	7.6	2.1	1.3	4.5	15	92	122	42	14	7.4
10	11	10	9.5	1.8	1.6	4.8	17	111	132	40	12	7.7
11	10	9.6	9.0	*1.6	1.7	*5.2	20	137	140	39	12	8.0
12	10	10	11	1.7	1.3	5.6	25	144	137	38	12	8.0
13	10	12	12	1.9	1.1	6.2	23	144	140	33	10	10
14	10	11	*11	2.3	1.2	6.8	*21	147	137	32	10	10
15	14	11	11	2.0	1.6	7.4	23	158	130	32	10	9.5
16	12	12	8.0	1.7	2.4	7.7	29	183	121	31	9.0	9.0
17	11	17	7.0	1.6	3.5	7.4	35	176	119	30	9.0	9.0
18	11	7.8	7.8	1.8	3.7	7.1	46	188	119	30	9.0	9.5
19	11	7.1	6.8	1.7	4.2	7.4	56	186	124	28	8.0	9.0
20	10	8.4	7.4	2.3	3.3	7.7	69	178	113	27	8.0	8.5
21	*10	8.0	4.5	1.6	5.0	7.4	57	171	100	25	7.7	8.0
22	10	7.9	2.6	2.0	4.6	7.4	72	168	84	25	7.7	8.0
23	10	*8.1	3.0	2.0	6.8	7.4	106	164	86	27	9.5	8.0
24	10	8.6	3.5	1.6	*6.0	7.4	122	152	82	27	9.5	8.0
25	11	8.0	2.0	0	4.2	7.4	124	149	79	26	8.5	8.0
26	10	7.6	2.2	0	3.1	7.1	116	151	80	25	8.0	8.0
27	9.0	5.7	2.4	0	3.0	7.1	118	154	73	25	9.0	7.7
28	10	6.6	2.7	*0	3.1	7.4	124	161	68	21	9.0	7.7
29	11	7.7	3.1	.1	-	8.0	116	171	64	19	9.0	8.5
30	10	6.4	2.8	.2	-	7.7	93	171	59	18	8.5	10
31	10	-	2.9	.2	-	7.7	-	161	-	18	9.0	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	336.0	14	9.0	10.8	666
November.....	292.5	17	5.7	9.75	580
December.....	210.2	12	2.0	6.78	417
Calendar year 1948	13,253.8	241	2.0	36.2	26,290
January.....	45.7	2.9	0	1.47	91
February.....	70.1	6.8	.4	2.50	139
March.....	191.8	8.0	3.2	6.19	380
April.....	1,502.7	124	7.4	50.1	2,980
May.....	4,264	188	78	138	8,460
June.....	3,278	152	59	109	6,500
July.....	1,071	56	18	34.5	2,120
August.....	348.4	18	7.7	11.2	691
September.....	255.9	10	7.4	8.53	508
Water year 1948-49	11,866.3	188	0	32.5	23,530

Peak discharge (base, 170 sec.-ft.).--May 19 (7 a.m.) 192 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement or observation of no flow made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 8-12, 17, 18, Nov. 23 to Jan. 2, Jan. 11-15, Jan. 28 to Feb. 3, Mar. 11-14. No gage-height record Nov. 19-22, Jan. 3-10, 16-27, Feb. 4 to Mar. 10 (stage-discharge relation affected by ice during most of periods); discharge computed on basis of 1 discharge measurement, weather records, and records for stations on nearby streams.

Salt River at Wyoming-Idaho State line

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°10', long. 111°04', in sec. 16, T. 3 S., R. 46 E., just downstream from Trout Creek, half a mile upstream from mouth, and three-quarters of a mile west of Wyoming-Idaho State line.

Drainage area.--890 square miles.

Records available.--April 1934 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--15 years, 692 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,850 second-feet May 22 (gage height, 3.43 feet); minimum daily, 384 second-feet Feb. 11.
1934-49: Maximum discharge, 3,520 second-feet May 6, 1936 (gage height, 4.64 feet), from rating curve extended above 2,600 second-feet; minimum, 216 second-feet May 17, 1934 (gage height, 1.30 feet); minimum daily, 220 second-feet May 17, 1934.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of ice effect, which are fair. Divisions above station for irrigation. Flow partly regulated by many small power plants on tributaries.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

1.5	360
1.8	460
2.2	705
2.6	1,010
3.0	1,380
3.4	1,820

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	611	611	569	515	b410	411	466	1,390	1,440	705	599	563
2	611	64	581	515	b410	411	471	1,320	1,510	698	605	569
3	605	649	581	b470	b410	417	476	1,350	1,440	719	605	569
4	611	649	587	b455	399	414	493	1,390	1,350	754	599	581
5	629	623	581	b495	399	411	533	1,350	1,290	761	593	593
6	623	623	575	b520	393	408	587	1,300	1,240	768	581	581
7	623	617	581	b517	399	408	656	1,320	1,210	747	581	569
8	611	593	581	493	393	408	740	1,320	1,200	726	553	575
9	605	587	557	493	387	405	820	1,380	1,190	726	593	569
10	611	587	569	*b480	396	405	858	1,380	1,160	768	599	587
11	617	593	581	b470	384	405	902	1,390	1,100	733	593	611
12	611	605	575	b455	387	408	993	1,410	1,060	705	587	649
13	611	605	563	b450	b390	408	1,050	1,380	1,060	712	581	635
14	611	599	563	444	b390	414	1,040	1,340	993	705	575	635
15	635	611	557	448	b390	411	1,080	1,330	910	684	581	635
16	623	617	527	456	b390	424	1,190	1,370	842	726	575	629
17	611	617	539	b450	387	432	1,300	1,510	805	684	581	623
18	611	599	557	b450	399	436	1,400	1,630	782	677	569	629
19	605	563	539	b450	405	440	1,480	1,710	812	670	551	629
20	611	587	545	b450	405	456	1,570	1,710	812	656	545	623
21	635	593	539	b450	411	471	1,470	1,710	798	649	533	605
22	623	593	*b425	b450	411	488	1,440	1,820	782	642	545	605
23	623	593	b465	440	*414	488	1,610	1,760	747	635	563	599
24	623	*599	b520	b440	424	476	1,720	1,660	719	617	587	599
25	617	587	b470	b410	420	466	1,790	1,540	698	605	587	599
26	617	581	b520	b440	420	466	1,760	1,480	719	611	587	599
27	617	563	b560	b480	414	460	1,720	1,440	740	605	587	587
28	623	551	b540	b440	411	466	1,730	1,380	726	617	581	581
29	623	569	b495	b425	-	466	1,710	1,360	726	611	575	587
30	617	557	b500	b420	-	460	1,590	1,360	712	599	569	623
31	611	-	b510	b410	-	466	-	1,330	-	593	575	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	19,115	635	605	617	37,910
November.....	17,963	589	551	599	35,630
December.....	16,852	547	425	544	33,430
Calendar year 1948.....	279,762	2,080	375	764	554,900
January.....	14,261	520	410	460	28,290
February.....	11,248	424	384	402	22,310
March.....	13,505	488	405	436	26,790
April.....	34,645	1,790	466	1,155	68,720
May.....	45,120	1,820	1,300	1,455	89,490
June.....	29,553	1,510	698	985	58,620
July.....	21,108	768	593	681	41,870
August.....	17,975	605	533	580	35,650
September.....	18,038	649	563	601	35,780
Water year 1948-49.....	259,383	1,820	384	711	514,500

Peak discharge (base, 850 sec.-ft.).--Apr. 23 (4 p.m.) 1,830 sec.-ft.; May 22 (9 a.m.) 1,850 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Cottonwood Creek near Smoot, Wyo.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°37', long. 110°53', in sec. 4, T. 30 N., R. 118 W., 1½ miles downstream from Porcupine Creek and 1½ miles southeast of Smoot.

Drainage area.--26.3 square miles.

Records available.--October 1932 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--16 years, 42.2 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year not determined; minimum daily, 14 second-feet Feb. 27 to Apr. 4.

1933-49: Maximum discharge observed, 332 second-feet (revised) June 17, 18, 1933 (gage height, 2.76 feet, site and datum then in use), from rating curve extended above 230 second-feet; minimum, 6.4 second-feet Mar. 11, 1948 (gage height, 1.02 feet).

Revisions.--The maximum discharge for the water year 1933 has been revised to 332 second-feet June 17, 18 (gage height, 2.76 feet, site and datum then in use), superseding figure published in Water-Supply Paper 753.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are fair. No diversion above station. Flow regulated by Cottonwood Lake.

Revisions.--Revised figures of discharge for the water year 1933, superseding those published in Water-Supply Paper 753 are given herein (figures for October 1932 to April 1933 not previously published).

Rating table, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet,
and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Oct. 1 to Nov. 20,
Jan. 11-18, 21-31, Apr. 10 to May 26)

1.0	13	1.3	25	1.9	88
1.1	16	1.5	40	2.2	148
1.2	20	1.7	60	2.6	242

Discharge, in second-feet, 1932-33, 1948-49
1932-33

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1								24	126	119	50	29
2								24	158	110	46	27
3								24	178	101	43	27
4								24	187	92	42	27
5								24	194	87	40	27
6								24	209	83	40	27
7								24	203	83	40	27
8								24	200	83	40	27
9								24	200	79	40	27
10								24	218	78	40	26
11								24	239	89	40	26
12								24	267	98	40	24
13								24	289	92	38	24
14								24	299	87	37	23
15								25	313	80	35	23
16		23	19	17	15	14	13	17	26	315	78	33
17									27	350	84	32
18									29	332	82	32
19									32	302	79	36
20									33	271	74	33
21									38	241	69	32
22									46	224	62	32
23									44	207	59	30
24									43	189	57	30
25									42	178	55	30
26												
27									49	177	52	30
28									55	165	51	30
29									59	150	51	30
30									78	142	51	30
31									91	128	51	30
32									106	-	51	29

Note.--No gage-height record Oct. 1 to May 8; discharge computed on basis of one discharge measurement, weather records, and depletion curves based on pattern of winter flow in later years.

Discharge, in second-feet, of Cottonwood Creek near Smoot, Wyo., 1932-33, 1948-49--Continued
1948-49

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	27	23	18	a18	16	14	14	38	a137	93	46	30
2	27	23	18	a18	16	14	14	38	a125	92	46	29
3	27	22	18	a18	16	14	14	38	a114	90	45	29
4	28	22	18	a18	16	14	14	38	a105	85	45	28
5	28	22	18	a18	16	14	15	38	a98	82	44	28
6	29	21	18	a18	16	14	15	38	a103	80	42	27
7	28	21	18	a18	16	14	15	37	a120	76	41	27
8	27	20	19	a18	16	14	16	38	a134	74	41	27
9	27	20	19	a18	16	14	16	41	a153	72	41	26
10	27	20	19	a18	16	14	17	46	a183	69	40	27
11	27	20	19	18	a16	14	18	57	a200	68	39	27
12	27	20	19	18	a16	14	19	68	a230	66	38	28
13	27	20	19	18	a16	14	19	78	a200	66	38	28
14	27	20	19	18	a16	14	19	92	187	64	38	28
15	30	20	19	18	a16	14	19	106	185	63	38	27
16	29	19	19	18	a15	14	20	122	178	61	38	26
17	28	19	18	18	a15	14	20	130	173	61	38	26
18	28	19	18	17	a15	14	22	134	170	61	37	26
19	27	19	18	17	a15	14	24	132	168	59	36	26
20	27	19	18	16	a15	14	25	132	161	58	35	26
21	26	19	a18	16	a15	14	24	130	155	57	34	25
22	26	19	a18	16	a15	14	26	128	148	55	34	25
23	26	19	a18	16	a15	14	29	124	144	54	34	24
24	25	19	18	16	15	14	31	118	136	54	34	24
25	24	19	18	16	15	14	34	116	130	52	34	24
26	24	19	a18	16	15	14	38	120	124	51	33	24
27	24	18	a18	16	14	14	39	a140	116	51	32	24
28	24	18	a18	16	14	14	42	a150	116	50	31	24
29	24	18	a18	16	-	14	43	a170	112	49	31	25
30	23	18	a18	16	-	14	40	a154	101	48	31	26
31	23	-	a18	16	-	14	-	a145	-	47	30	-

Peak discharge (base, 140 sec.-ft.)--June 12 (time and discharge unknown).
No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for stations on nearby streams.

Monthly discharge, in second-feet, 1932-33, 1948-49

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October 1932	713	-	-	23	1,410
November	570	-	-	19	1,130
December	527	-	-	17	1,050
Calendar year	-	-	-	-	-
January 1933	465	-	-	15	922
February	392	-	-	14	778
March	403	-	-	13	799
April	510	-	-	17	1,010
May	1,159	106	24	37.4	2,300
June	6,831	332	126	221	13,150
July	2,365	119	51	76.3	4,690
August	1,110	50	29	35.8	2,200
September	734	29	22	24.5	1,460
Water year 1932-33	15,579	332	-	42.7	30,900
December 1933	465	-	-	15	922
January 1934	434	-	-	14	861
February	364	-	-	13	722
March	372	-	-	12	738
Water year 1933-34	8,618	69	-	23.6	17,090
Calendar year 1934	8,191	208	-	22.4	16,240
October 1948	821	30	23	26.5	1,630
November	595	23	18	19.8	1,180
December	567	19	18	18.3	1,120
Calendar year 1948	16,767	258	11	45.8	33,250
January 1949	532	18	16	17.2	1,060
February	433	16	14	15.5	859
March	434	14	14	14.0	861
April	701	43	14	23.4	1,390
May	2,936	170	37	94.7	5,820
June	4,406	230	98	147	8,740
July	2,007	93	47	64.7	3,980
August	1,164	46	30	37.5	2,310
September	791	30	24	26.4	1,570
Water year 1948-49	15,587	230	14	42.2	30,520

Note.--Monthly discharge for the period December 1933 to March 1934, not previously published.

Swift Creek near Afton, Wyo.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°43'30", long. 110°54'00", in SE¹ sec. 29, T. 32 N., R. 118 W., 1 mile upstream from mouth of canyon and 1½ miles east of Afton.

Drainage area.--27.4 square miles.

Records available.--May 1943 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 495 second-feet June 12 (gage height, 3.19 feet), from rating curve extended above 320 second-feet; minimum daily, 36 second-feet Dec. 28, Feb. 19 to Mar. 11, Mar. 13, 14, 17-20, 22-25, 27-31.
1943-49: Maximum discharge, 560 second-feet June 10, 1948 (gage height, 3.39 feet), from rating curve extended above 320 second-feet; minimum daily, 28 second-feet Apr. 3, 4, 1945.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are fair. Pipe line (capacity, about 5 second-feet) diverts water above station for town of Afton. Diurnal fluctuation caused by small power plant and reservoir a quarter of a mile upstream.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet,

and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Oct. 31 to Dec. 10,
Jan. 11 to Mar. 6, Mar. 31 to Apr. 23)

Oct. 1 to Nov. 20

Nov. 21 to Sept. 30

1.9	42	1.9	38	2.2	70	2.6	215
2.0	50	2.0	42	2.3	100	2.9	350
2.1	63	2.1	52	2.4	135	3.2	500

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	58	48	41	37	40	36	37	56	251	195	85	59
2	58	49	41	37	40	36	37	52	215	191	82	57
3	56	48	41	38	40	36	37	54	191	191	82	57
4	56	48	41	38	40	36	37	57	171	183	79	57
5	56	48	41	39	40	36	38	57	163	175	79	57
6	56	46	40	40	40	36	38	52	175	171	79	57
7	55	46	40	40	38	36	39	52	199	171	76	57
8	54	46	41	39	38	36	40	56	260	163	76	57
9	55	46	40	39	38	36	40	68	335	155	73	56
10	54	46	40	38	38	36	40	94	360	155	70	56
11	54	45	40	38	38	36	41	114	415	151	68	56
12	54	45	39	38	38	37	42	139	455	143	68	56
13	54	45	39	38	38	36	42	155	375	143	68	56
14	54	44	39	38	38	36	41	183	360	135	66	56
15	55	45	39	38	38	37	41	191	375	128	66	56
16	54	44	38	38	38	37	42	220	370	128	68	54
17	53	44	38	39	38	36	42	228	341	128	66	52
18	54	44	39	39	38	36	44	238	323	124	66	52
19	54	44	38	39	36	36	45	215	375	121	66	52
20	53	44	39	39	36	36	46	211	323	118	66	51
21	53	43	39	39	36	37	44	199	318	110	66	51
22	53	43	38	40	36	36	45	173	296	110	66	51
23	53	43	40	39	36	36	46	163	278	107	66	50
24	51	44	40	39	36	36	47	159	260	107	66	50
25	51	43	38	39	36	36	54	159	260	104	66	50
26	51	42	39	41	36	37	56	199	260	100	65	49
27	51	42	40	40	36	36	59	238	233	94	63	50
28	51	41	36	40	36	36	65	260	215	91	63	50
29	51	42	37	40	-	36	66	310	211	91	61	49
30	50	41	37	40	-	36	61	278	195	88	59	49
31	49	-	37	40	-	36	-	260	-	85	59	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,661	58	49	53.6	3,290
November.....	1,339	49	41	44.6	2,680
December.....	1,215	41	36	39.2	2,410
Calendar year 1948.....	32,425	505	34	68.6	64,330
January.....	1,206	41	37	38.9	2,390
February.....	1,056	40	36	37.7	2,090
March.....	1,121	37	36	36.2	2,220
April.....	1,352	66	37	49.1	2,680
May.....	4,696	310	52	158	9,710
June.....	8,559	455	163	285	16,980
July.....	4,156	195	85	134	8,240
August.....	2,149	85	59	69.3	4,260
September.....	1,610	59	49	53.7	3,190
Water year 1948-49.....	30,320	455	36	83.1	60,120

Peak discharge (base, 390 sec.-ft.)--June 12 (10:30 p.m.) 495 sec.-ft.

Note.--No gage-height record Jan. 27, Jan. 30 to Feb. 17; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for stations on nearby streams.

SALT RIVER BASIN
Crow Creek near Fairview, Wyo.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°40'10", long. 111°01'20", in sec. 17, T. 31 N., R. 119 W., 1½ miles upstream from Spring Creek, 1½ miles downstream from Idaho-Wyoming State line, and 2½ miles southwest of Fairview.

Drainage area.--114 square miles.

Records available.--March 1946 to November 1949 (discontinued).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during period October 1948 to November 1949, 120 second-feet May 19; maximum gage height recorded, 3.02 feet Dec. 21 (ice jam); minimum discharge recorded, 31 second-feet Aug. 30 to Sept. 2 (gage height, 1.25 feet), but probably less during period of ice effect.

1946-49: Maximum discharge observed, 236 second-feet Apr. 19, 1946; maximum gage height observed, 3.52 feet Feb. 8, 1947; minimum discharge observed, 16 second-feet Mar. 5, 1948 (discharge measurement), but probably less during periods of ice effect; minimum gage height recorded, 1.22 feet Apr. 7, 1948.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Small diversions above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

1948-49												
Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	39	45	44			37	44	68	89	49	35	32
2	38	51	44			39	45	65	89	48	39	32
3	39	50	45			*41	46	69	76	52	41	32
4	40	48	47			40	49	75	73	57	59	32
5	45	44	46			40	54	70	72	57	39	34
6	45	43	45			42	61	67	70	51	38	34
7	45	43	43			41	66	66	70	46	38	33
8	43	43	42		35	41	72	68	91	44	39	32
9	41	42	42			41	72	69	79	44	39	33
10	40	40	43			42	71	72	71	44	39	35
11	40	41	44			42	73	71	68	45	36	39
12	40	41	45			42	76	71	67	44	37	39
13	40	41	45			42	74	72	64	46	36	36
14	41	41	40			42	70	73	65	42	35	36
15	44	43	*35			44	69	76	61	42	35	37
16	42	41	33	34		46	71	88	61	42	35	36
17	41	44	34			46	73	108	61	41	34	36
18	41	42	35			46	75	99	61	41	34	36
19	42	40	36			49	77	113	77	43	34	36
20	43	42	38			50	78	101	68	42	33	36
21	42	44	36			47	72	88	65	41	33	38
22	41	41	33			47	70	96	59	39	33	37
23	*41	42	33		36	47	75	102	57	39	35	37
24	44	43				46	76	95	58	39	39	36
25	44	42				45	76	89	56	36	37	37
26	44	43				45	75	84	55	35	35	37
27	45	40	34			45	72	75	57	36	35	36
28	46	42				46	73	72	53	36	35	36
29	46	43				46	76	67	50	36	35	39
30	45	44				44	74	70	49	36	34	46
31	45	-				44	-	73	-	36	33	-

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 5, 8-10, 18-23, Nov. 27 to Mar. 10. No gage-height record Oct. 8-12, 19-22, Dec. 23 to Mar. 2 except staff-gage readings Dec. 29, Jan. 2, 29, Feb. 13, 25; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Stump Creek near Auburn and other nearby streams.

1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Day	Oct.	Nov.	Day	Oct.	Nov.	Day	Oct.	Nov.
1	45	41	9	40	-	17	42	-	25	44	-
2	40	-	10	40	-	18	64	-	26	44	-
3	37	-	11	44	-	19	52	-	27	44	-
4	37	-	12	43	-	20	49	-	28	43	-
5	38	-	13	42	-	21	46	-	29	44	-
6	41	-	14	41	-	22	44	-	30	42	-
7	39	-	15	41	-	23	46	-	31	41	-
8	40	-	16	41	-	24	44	-			

Monthly discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October 1948	1,511	46	38	42.3	2,600
November	1,289	51	40	43.0	2,560
December	1,201	47	-	38.7	2,380
Calendar year 1948	19,944	181	24	54.5	39,550
January 1949	1,054	-	-	34.0	2,090
February	993	-	-	35.5	1,970
March	1,355	50	37	43.7	2,680
April	2,055	78	44	58.5	4,080
May	2,472	113	65	79.7	4,900
June	1,990	91	49	66.3	3,950
July	1,329	57	35	42.9	2,640
August	1,119	41	33	36.1	2,220
September	1,075	46	32	35.8	2,130
Water year 1948-49	17,243	113	-	47.2	34,210
October 1949	1,338	64	37	43.2	2,650

Stump Creek near Auburn, Wyo.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°47', long. 111°03', in sec. 26, T. 7 S., R. 46 E., 0.6 mile upstream from Wyoming-Idaho State Line, 0.8 mile downstream from Tygee Creek, and 2½ miles west of Auburn.

Drainage area.--103 square miles.

Records available.--March 1946 to November 1949 (discontinued).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during period October 1948 to November 1949, 356 second-feet May 18 (gage height, 3.08 feet); minimum, 11 second-feet Mar. 1 (gage height, 0.81 foot), but may have been less during period of ice effect or no gage-height record.

1946-49: Maximum discharge, 490 second-feet May 18, 20, 1948 (gage height, 3.61 feet); minimum, 6.0 second-feet Feb. 5, 1947 (gage height, 0.66 foot), ice jam upstream.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect, which are fair. Some diversions above and below station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

1948-49

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	24	24	24			21	24	154	189	53	26	23
2	24	29	26			20	25	145	174	53	26	22
3	24	31	26			*23	26	174	154	63	26	23
4	27	28	24			21	29	185	140	67	26	23
5	31	26	22			21	34	174	136	62	26	23
6	31	25	23		19	23	43	167	128	59	26	23
7	30	24	24			21	50	176	133	54	25	22
8	28	23	24			22	64	183	138	52	26	21
9	26	24	26			21	69	198	135	50	31	22
10	26	23	26			22	71	202	122	49	40	24
11	26	24	26			21	79	206	117	47	31	25
12	25	24	26			20	90	212	110	46	30	25
13	25	24	25			20	91	218	104	44	29	24
14	26	24	23			20	84	220	93	44	28	24
15	29	26	24			20	90	220	87	44	27	23
16	27	25	*21	19	20	23	110	256	83	41	28	23
17	25	25	19		20	24	123	308	82	40	28	23
18	25	22	20		21	23	151	320	87	40	27	23
19	25	23	21		21	24	145	303	94	39	26	23
20	25	24	20		20	26	163	286	83	38	25	22
21	24	24	19		22	26	135	328	76	38	25	22
22	24	23	18		21	26	145	293	70	38	25	22
23	*24	25	19		23	26	176	270	69	36	27	22
24	24	24	20		21	25	189	239	70	35	29	21
25	24	25	18		21	24	200	216	69	33	26	22
26	24	24	19		23	24	200	204	75	31	24	22
27	24	21	19		24	24	208	198	71	31	24	21
28	24	23	20		24	24	220	189	66	30	24	23
29	24	26	20		-	24	216	177	64	28	23	28
30	24	22	18		-	24	176	163	54	26	22	34
31	23	-	18		-	24	-	163	-	26	23	-

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 8, 18-20, 22, 27, 28, Nov. 30 to Dec. 2, Dec. 5, 6, 14, Dec. 16 to Feb. 17, Feb. 20, 22, Feb. 24 to Mar. 2, Mar. 5 (no gage-height record Dec. 18, 19, Dec. 23 to Jan. 13, Jan. 21 to Feb. 10; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for nearby streams).

1949

Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge
Oct. 1	33	Oct. 9	27	Oct. 17	32	Oct. 25	31
2	27	10	29	18	54	26	30
3	26	11	28	19	40	27	29
4	24	12	28	20	38	28	28
5	31	13	27	21	34	29	32
6	31	14	26	22	33	30	30
7	28	15	26	23	32	31	28
8	27	16	27	24	31		

Note.--Daily discharge for Nov. 1, 1949, was 26 sec.-ft.

Monthly discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October 1948	792	31	23	25.5	1,570
November	735	31	21	24.5	1,460
December	678	26	18	21.9	1,340
Calendar year 1948	21,101	432	16	57.7	41,850
January 1949	589			19.0	1,170
February	571	24	-	20.4	1,130
March	713	26	20	23.0	1,410
April	3,406	220	24	114	6,760
May	6,747	328	145	218	13,380
June	3,073	189	54	102	6,100
July	1,337	67	26	43.1	2,650
August	829	40	22	26.7	1,640
September	698	34	21	25.3	1,380
Water year 1948-49	20,168	328	-	55.3	39,990
October 1949	947	54	24	30.5	1,880

Strawberry Creek near Bedford, Wyo.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°54' (revised), long. 110°54', in sec. 27, T. 34 N., R. 118 W., at mouth of canyon, 1½ miles east of Bedford.

Drainage area.--21.3 square miles.

Records available.--June 1932 to September 1943 (discontinued).

Average discharge.--11 years, 62.4 second-feet.

Extremes.--1932-43: Maximum discharge recorded, 396 second-feet June 27, 1943 (gage height, 4.51 feet), from rating curve extended above 250 second-feet, but may have been higher during period of no gage-height record June 19-26, 1943; minimum not determined.

Revisions.--The maximum observed discharge for the period June to September 1932 has been revised to 316 second-feet June 25, and the maximum observed gage height for this period has been revised to 2.58 feet June 24. These figures supersede those published in Water-Supply Paper 738.

Remarks.--One small diversion above station.

Revisions.--Revised figures of discharge for the period June to September 1932, superseding those published in Water Supply Paper 738, are given herewith.

Discharge, in second-feet, June to September 1932

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1										220	88	71
2										206	88	71
3										195	88	68
4										186	86	68
5									a140	169	86	68
6										166	83	68
7										162	83	68
8										159	83	68
9									118	154	83	66
10									110	146	83	66
11									112	142	83	66
12									122	154	83	66
13									154	126	83	64
14									222	123	81	64
15									266	120	79	64
16									260	117	79	64
17									222	117	81	62
18									204	114	78	59
19									211	111	78	57
20									186	104	78	55
21									204	102	76	55
22									237	99	76	55
23									252	99	75	55
24									296	97	75	55
25									316	97	73	55
26									304	94	71	55
27									274	94	71	55
28									278	91	71	55
29									264	91	81	55
30									259	88	71	55
31									-	88	71	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....					
November.....					
December.....					
Calendar year					
January.....	-	-	-	-	-
February.....	-	-	-	-	-
March.....	-	-	-	-	-
April.....	-	-	-	-	-
May.....	-	-	-	-	-
June.....	5,971	316	110	199	11,840
July.....	4,011	220	88	129	7,960
August.....	2,461	88	71	79.4	4,880
September.....	1,853	71	55	61.8	3,680
The period.....	-	-	-	-	28,360

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of records for stations on nearby streams.

Henrys Fork near Lake, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°36', long. 111°21', in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 26, T. 15 N., R. 43 E., a quarter of a mile downstream from Henrys Lake Dam and 4 miles south of former Lake post office. Datum of gage is 6,450.62 feet above mean sea level, levels by Bureau of Reclamation (Corps of Engineers bench mark).

Drainage area.--104 square miles, including that of Dry Creek Basin.

Records available.--September 1922 to September 1949. May 1920 to September 1922 at site 3 miles downstream and below mouth of Dry Creek, floodwaters of which have been diverted into Henrys Lake at times since 1923.

Average discharge.--29 years, 48.1 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 252 second-feet Aug. 1 (gage height, 3.07 feet); minimum daily, 5 second-feet during November (leakage through reservoir gates).
1920-49: Maximum discharge, 907 second-feet June 13, 1926 (gage height, 5.40 feet); minimum, 0.1 second-foot Oct. 3-31, 1937. Outflow from Henrys Lake entirely ceased late in summer of 1889.

Remarks.--Records good except those for Oct. 1 to May 7, which are fair. Flow regulated by Henrys Lake (see p. 58), gates of which remained closed Oct. 1 to July 17. No diversion from Dry Creek into Henrys Lake during year.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1								13	31	64	251	220
2								13	34	64	249	219
3								13	35	65	245	219
4								13	34	67	243	219
5								14	34	65	242	219
6								14	36	65	240	219
7								14	39	67	240	219
8								14	43	68	238	220
9								14	45	67	238	220
10								14	50	68	235	220
11								14	55	67	235	220
12								14	60	59	233	148
13								14	61	47	230	75
14								14	61	48	228	75
15								16	62	52	225	74
16	9	5	6	8	10	11	13	16	65	55	224	73
17								17	67	57	224	73
18								17	66	138	224	73
19								17	67	245	224	73
20								18	77	247	224	73
21								18	77	249	222	73
22								18	80	247	222	73
23								18	77	245	222	73
24								18	73	245	220	73
25								19	71	245	220	73
26								20	75	249	222	72
27								19	69	249	222	72
28								20	67	245	222	72
29								21	64	247	222	71
30								23	65	249	220	70
31								25	-	249	220	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	279	-	-	9	553
November.....	150	-	-	5	298
December.....	186	-	-	6	369
Calendar year 1948	24,222	321	-	66.2	48,040
January.....	248	-	-	8	492
February.....	280	-	-	10	555
March.....	341	-	-	11	676
April.....	390	-	-	13	774
May.....	512	25	13	16.5	1,020
June.....	1,740	80	31	58.0	3,450
July.....	4,394	249	47	142	8,720
August.....	7,126	251	220	230	14,130
September.....	3,873	220	70	129	7,680
Water year 1948-49	19,519	251	-	53.5	38,720

Note.--No gage-height record Oct. 1 to May 7; discharge computed on basis of discharge measurements made Oct. 15, Nov. 18, Mar. 10, Apr. 14.

HENRY'S FORK BASIN

Island Park Reservoir near Island Park, Idaho

Location.--Electric-tape gage, lat. 44°25', long. 111°24', in gatehouse shaft at dam on Henry's Fork, a quarter of a mile south of quarter corner between secs. 28 and 29, T. 13 N., R. 43 E., a quarter of a mile upstream from Buffalo River and 2 miles west of Island Park post office. Datum of gage is at mean sea level (levels by Bureau of Reclamation).

Drainage area.--478 square miles.

Records available.--November 1938 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents during year, 137,315 acre-feet May 22 (elevation, 6,303.26 feet); minimum, 28,890 acre-feet Sept. 29 (elevation, 6,281.50 feet).
1938-49: Maximum contents, 137,805 acre-feet June 8, 1945 (elevation, 6,303.32 feet); minimum after first filling of reservoir in May 1939, 16,855 acre-feet Sept. 27, 1940 (elevation, 6,274.22 feet).

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by earth-fill, rock-faced dam. Storage began Nov. 15, 1938. Capacity, 127,265 acre-feet between elevations 6,239 feet (normal low-water level with outlet gates open) and 6,302 feet (crest of spillway). Natural flow passing through reservoir when outlet gates are open prevents withdrawal of storage to elevation 6,230 feet (sill of lower outlet). Dead storage negligible. Water is used for irrigation of lands in Fremont-Madison irrigation district between Ashton and Rexburg. Gage read daily at 8 a.m. Contents given herein are computed from elevations at that time; all available for release.

Cooperation.--Reservoir elevations and capacity table furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Contents, in acre-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	33,230	33,130	50,960	73,370	97,545	108,375	102,665	117,220	136,340	133,030	90,920	47,025
2	33,205	33,560	51,660	74,465	98,275	108,090	102,595	118,265	136,340	133,030	88,465	46,320
3	33,205	33,890	52,645	75,185	99,075	107,585	102,525	119,235	136,095	132,710	86,175	45,350
4	33,180	34,120	53,730	75,855	99,860	106,755	102,525	120,740	136,015	131,910	84,355	44,095
5	33,305	34,145	54,590	76,650	100,895	-	102,460	121,120	135,690	131,555	81,725	43,270
6	33,280	34,145	55,465	77,370	101,845	106,335	102,460	122,565	135,450	130,880	79,440	42,365
7	33,255	34,145	56,310	78,115	102,665	106,055	102,460	124,475	135,450	130,405	77,090	41,420
8	33,305	34,145	57,165	78,860	103,420	105,775	102,390	126,405	135,365	130,010	74,795	40,405
9	33,305	34,095	58,120	79,615	104,395	105,495	102,320	128,045	135,205	129,615	72,500	39,465
10	33,305	34,095	59,185	80,485	105,430	105,560	102,255	130,090	134,960	129,380	70,220	38,705
11	33,305	34,070	60,080	81,250	106,895	105,220	102,185	131,590	134,960	129,220	68,615	38,075
12	33,305	34,070	60,945	82,080	107,740	105,220	102,185	132,950	134,880	128,830	67,090	37,590
13	33,305	-	61,920	82,910	108,375	105,150	102,185	134,235	134,800	128,360	65,550	37,000
14	33,330	34,605	62,805	83,630	109,015	105,080	102,320	135,205	134,475	127,345	64,190	36,450
15	33,355	-	63,660	84,720	109,655	104,870	102,255	135,855	134,395	126,565	62,900	35,905
16	33,355	-	64,530	85,445	110,300	104,595	102,185	136,260	134,075	125,165	61,455	35,795
17	33,355	-	65,405	86,175	110,945	104,595	102,320	136,905	134,075	124,165	60,080	35,450
18	33,355	-	66,195	87,040	111,665	104,455	102,460	137,150	133,430	122,640	58,740	35,000
19	33,330	-	67,040	87,780	111,305	104,250	102,390	137,230	133,910	121,500	56,860	32,375
20	33,330	-	66,990	88,655	110,870	103,970	102,665	137,070	133,590	119,835	56,180	30,835
21	33,330	41,545	66,940	89,470	110,515	103,835	103,075	137,230	133,750	117,740	55,130	30,835
22	33,280	42,655	66,840	90,290	110,230	103,695	103,490	137,315	133,590	115,375	54,260	30,285
23	33,280	43,465	66,790	91,110	110,015	103,490	104,110	136,990	133,590	112,745	53,245	29,480
24	33,255	44,665	66,740	91,745	109,725	103,280	104,870	136,665	133,590	110,370	52,245	29,500
25	33,255	45,420	67,445	92,320	109,440	103,075	106,195	136,095	133,590	107,950	51,345	29,500
26	33,180	46,390	68,205	93,095	109,155	103,075	107,740	136,095	133,430	105,290	50,610	29,480
27	33,180	47,455	68,920	93,805	108,875	103,005	109,800	136,095	133,350	102,870	50,080	29,435
28	33,155	48,145	69,700	94,520	108,660	102,940	111,880	136,095	133,190	100,490	49,395	29,040
29	33,130	49,175	70,480	95,235	-	102,870	114,060	136,260	133,350	98,075	48,765	28,890
30	33,130	50,115	71,435	95,960	-	102,800	116,110	136,175	133,110	95,435	48,215	28,060
31	33,130	-	72,395	96,750	-	102,730	-	136,015	-	93,225	47,635	-

Monthly elevation and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Elevation (feet)	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30.....	6,283.37	33,230	-
Oct. 31.....	6,283.33	33,130	-100
Nov. 30.....	6,288.82	50,115	+16,985
Dec. 31.....	6,293.71	72,395	+22,280
Calendar year 1948.	-	-	-36,265
Jan. 31.....	6,297.76	96,750	+24,355
Feb. 28.....	6,299.50	108,660	+11,910
Mar. 31.....	6,298.65	102,730	-5,930
Apr. 30.....	6,300.53	116,110	+13,380
May 31.....	6,303.10	136,015	+19,905
June 30.....	6,302.74	133,110	-2,905
July 31.....	6,297.22	95,225	-39,885
Aug. 31.....	6,288.15	47,635	-45,590
Sept. 30.....	6,281.58	29,060	-18,575
Water year 1948-49.	-	-	-4,170

HENRYS FORK BASIN

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Henrys Fork near Island Park, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°25', long. 111°24', in SW¹/₄ sec. 28, T. 13 N., R. 43 E., an eighth of a mile upstream from Buffalo River, an eighth of a mile downstream from Island Park Dam, and 2 miles west of Island Park post office. Altitude of gage, 6,225 feet (from river-profile map).

Drainage area.--478 square miles.

Records available.--January 1933 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--16 years, 518 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,940 second-feet July 22 (gage height, 5.19 feet); minimum daily, 5 second-feet Nov. 15 to Dec. 18, Dec. 25-31.
1933-49: Maximum discharge, 2,770 second-feet Apr. 26, 1946 (gage height, 6.15 feet); minimum daily, 1 second-foot Nov. 16 to Dec. 7, 1938.

Remarks.--Records good. Flow regulated by Henrys Lake (see p. 58) and Island Park Reservoir (see preceding page).

Cooperation.--Gage-height record furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	504	514	5	6	7	481	486	576	961	495	1,880	1,000
2	504	514	5	6	7	481	490	576	966	567	1,880	1,100
3	504	514	5	6	7	610	490	576	930	816	1,870	1,140
4	509	514	5	6	7	557	490	576	900	920	1,870	1,170
5	509	514	5	6	7	486	495	232	870	821	1,860	1,160
6	504	514	5	6	7	486	500	9	826	738	1,850	1,160
7	504	514	5	6	7	486	509	10	816	689	1,850	1,160
8	509	514	5	6	7	486	509	11	797	655	1,860	1,150
9	509	514	5	6	7	406	519	101	777	630	1,840	1,060
10	509	514	5	6	7	490	524	244	758	610	1,730	981
11	509	514	5	6	7	490	528	409	748	650	1,490	981
12	514	514	5	6	7	490	528	567	748	797	1,470	981
13	461	514	5	6	7	490	533	704	738	890	1,430	925
14	514	132	5	6	7	490	528	802	708	875	1,430	806
15	514	5	5	6	7	490	533	885	694	981	1,430	748
16	514	5	5	6	7	490	538	971	674	1,060	1,420	669
17	514	5	5	6	7	490	543	1,060	635	1,070	1,410	581
18	514	5	5	6	7	490	543	1,060	606	1,090	1,400	1,620
19	514	5	272	6	310	490	548	1,200	625	1,220	1,310	1,490
20	514	5	463	6	481	490	548	1,380	610	1,610	1,180	778
21	514	5	463	6	481	490	548	1,380	610	1,850	1,180	683
22	514	5	445	6	481	490	552	1,380	596	1,880	1,170	935
23	514	5	445	6	481	490	557	1,340	572	1,930	1,170	693
24	514	5	207	6	481	490	562	1,250	572	1,930	1,160	552
25	514	5	5	6	481	490	567	1,020	562	1,930	1,110	552
26	514	5	5	6	481	490	572	930	572	1,920	976	562
27	514	5	5	6	481	490	572	930	533	1,910	971	660
28	514	5	5	6	481	490	576	930	538	1,910	971	699
29	514	5	5	6	-	549	576	930	543	1,910	971	581
30	514	5	5	6	-	500	576	930	495	1,910	971	557
31	514	-	5	6	-	495	-	925	-	1,900	971	-
Month						Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet		
October.....						15,801	514	461	510	31,340		
November.....						6,894	514	5	230	13,670		
December.....						2,420	463	5	78.1	4,800		
Calendar year 1948						232,053	1,910	5	634	460,300		
January.....						186	6	6	6.0	369		
February.....						4,765	481	7	170	9,450		
March.....						15,133	610	349	488	30,020		
April.....						16,040	576	486	535	31,810		
May.....						23,894	1,380	9	771	47,390		
June.....						20,980	966	495	699	41,610		
July.....						38,164	1,930	495	1,231	75,700		
August.....						44,081	1,880	971	1,422	87,430		
September.....						27,134	1,620	552	904	53,820		
Water year 1948-49						215,492	1,930	5	590	427,400		

Note.--Discharge computed from staff-gage readings Nov. 15 to Dec. 18, Dec. 25 to Mar. 2.

Henrys Fork at Warm River, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°07', long. 111°20', in sec. 12, T. 9 N., R. 43 E., 1,000 feet upstream from Warm River and half a mile northwest of Warm River railroad station. Altitude of gage, 5,255 feet (from river-profile map).

Drainage area.--660 square miles.

Records available.--September 1910 to March 1915, April 1918 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--35 years, 989 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 2,280 second-feet July 25 (gage height, 6.60 feet); minimum daily, 310 second-feet Feb. 14.
1910-15, 1918-49: Maximum discharge, 3,540 second-feet May 18, 1927; maximum gage height, 7.80 feet Apr. 27, 1946; minimum discharge, 218 second-feet Jan. 19, 1940 (gage height, 3.17 feet).

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Flow regulated by Henrys Lake (see p. 58) and Island Park Reservoir (see p. 50). Some water diverted above station for irrigation of meadows on headwaters.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	a880	a920	384	388	b370	963	879	1,350	1,570	a930	2,230	1,310
2	a880	a1,000	400	380	b360	963	885	1,330	1,600	a900	2,220	1,410
3	b879	a985	409	335	b350	1,150	879	1,380	1,540	a1,100	2,230	1,460
4	a885	a970	422	324	b375	1,130	885	1,360	1,440	a1,350	2,220	1,510
5	a910	a940	372	368	b350	927	903	1,290	1,390	1,310	2,220	1,520
6	a880	a900	356	400	b345	909	903	773	1,360	1,200	2,200	1,520
7	a880	a880	364	430	b340	897	915	778	1,340	1,160	2,200	1,510
8	a885	a900	338	413	b330	897	933	837	1,320	1,110	2,200	1,500
9	a885	a890	372	380	b330	885	927	843	1,290	1,070	2,200	1,490
10	a885	a880	392	a350	b325	813	933	927	1,280	1,050	2,160	1,340
11	a885	a875	376	a400	b325	879	951	1,090	1,260	1,040	1,880	1,340
12	885	b873	388	439	b320	891	969	1,230	1,300	1,130	1,850	1,350
13	867	a900	384	430	b315	891	981	1,380	1,260	1,300	1,790	1,340
14	831	a860	392	434	b310	873	969	1,490	1,220	1,310	1,780	1,340
15	891	a400	368	430	b320	873	981	1,540	1,190	1,310	1,760	1,160
16	885	a440	356	409	b350	873	993	1,620	1,170	1,480	1,740	1,050
17	879	400	356	413	b390	885	1,010	1,780	1,160	1,480	1,740	1,020
18	879	328	372	409	439	879	1,060	1,750	1,100	1,480	1,730	1,250
19	873	404	372	*409	795	879	1,110	1,820	1,110	1,530	1,720	2,200
20	873	434	b700	396	957	897	1,180	2,050	1,110	1,840	1,560	1,470
21	873	409	b840	384	939	891	1,200	2,080	1,080	2,160	1,520	939
22	879	409	*b800	b370	957	891	1,240	2,140	1,080	2,200	1,510	1,220
23	879	409	b780	b360	969	897	1,360	2,090	1,080	2,260	1,540	1,260
24	873	396	b820	b340	*981	891	1,580	1,940	1,050	2,260	1,520	921
25	873	400	511	b350	969	a895	1,720	1,750	1,040	2,260	1,500	933
26	873	413	328	b360	981	a910	1,730	1,520	1,040	2,260	1,360	927
27	879	353	426	b370	969	a895	1,630	1,510	1,050	2,250	1,310	939
28	873	400	448	b375	981	a885	1,560	1,510	1,000	2,240	1,310	1,080
29	879	413	413	b380	-	873	1,560	1,490	a980	2,250	1,310	1,000
30	879	388	388	b375	-	761	1,500	1,470	a960	2,250	1,310	993
31	a880	-	360	b370	-	909	-	1,490	-	2,240	1,310	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	27,237	910	831	879	54,020
November.....	18,969	1,000	328	632	37,620
December.....	13,987	840	328	451	27,740
Calendar year 1948	388,693	2,320	328	1,062	770,900
January.....	11,971	439	324	386	23,740
February.....	15,742	981	310	562	31,220
March.....	28,052	1,150	761	905	55,640
April.....	34,326	1,730	879	1,144	68,080
May.....	45,608	2,140	773	1,471	90,460
June.....	36,370	1,600	960	1,212	72,140
July.....	49,710	2,260	900	1,604	98,600
August.....	55,130	2,230	1,310	1,778	109,300
September.....	38,302	2,200	821	1,277	75,970
Water year 1948-49	375,404	2,260	310	1,029	744,500

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of records for stations near Ashton and near Island Park.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Henrys Fork near Ashton, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°05', long. 111°30', in sec. 28, T. 9 N., R. 42 E., a quarter of a mile downstream from power plant and 3 miles west of Ashton. Altitude of gage, 5,095 feet (from river profile map).

Drainage area.--1,030 square miles.

Records available.--August 1902 to June 1909, April 1920 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--30 years (1903-8, 1924-49), 1,294 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 3,740 second-feet May 22 (gage height, 7.32 feet); minimum, 360 second-feet Jan. 29 (gage height, 5.36 feet); minimum daily, 570 second-feet Dec. 26.

1902-9, 1920-49: Maximum discharge, 6,220 second-feet May 7, 1925; minimum, 65 second-feet Dec. 5, 1931.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for period of no gage-height record, which are good. Flow regulated by power plant above station and by Henrys Lake (see p. 58) and Island Park Reservoir (see p. 50). Some water diverted above station for irrigation of meadows on headwaters.

Cooperation.--Gage height record during nonirrigation season furnished by Utah Power & Light Co.

Discharge in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1,140	1,230	747	699	676	1,230	1,210	2,260	2,570	1,360	2,610	1,680
2	1,140	1,400	707	702	656	1,240	1,240	2,200	2,660	1,330	2,630	1,830
3	1,160	1,340	726	614	665	1,450	1,280	2,380	2,440	1,470	2,660	1,880
4	1,170	1,340	768	581	718	1,450	1,320	2,360	2,240	1,810	2,660	1,960
5	1,230	1,260	728	614	656	1,240	1,330	2,260	2,140	1,790	2,630	1,980
6	1,160	1,240	706	727	636	1,230	1,360	1,650	2,100	1,630	2,630	1,940
7	1,160	1,230	716	748	646	1,210	1,390	1,790	2,100	1,580	2,610	1,960
8	1,170	1,210	669	636	769	1,210	1,440	1,860	2,020	1,500	2,650	1,820
9	1,170	1,260	677	661	608	1,210	1,400	1,920	1,940	1,470	2,610	1,940
10	1,170	1,230	757	646	618	1,120	1,400	2,040	1,900	1,440	2,580	1,770
11	1,160	1,230	706	722	656	1,190	1,440	2,280	1,880	1,420	2,280	1,750
12	1,160	1,260	744	781	608	1,230	1,480	2,440	1,940	1,500	2,220	1,810
13	1,160	1,290	745	812	618	1,210	1,470	2,590	1,840	1,680	2,140	1,750
14	1,200	1,030	759	771	589	1,190	1,450	2,720	1,790	1,680	2,140	1,630
15	1,200	720	694	781	627	1,170	1,440	2,740	1,730	1,650	2,140	1,530
16	1,190	812	666	711	696	1,170	1,470	2,800	1,730	1,860	2,120	1,400
17	1,200	772	652	702	718	1,200	1,520	3,060	1,680	1,830	2,100	1,390
18	1,190	608	737	742	728	1,170	1,630	2,930	1,600	1,880	2,100	1,560
19	1,190	721	698	707	876	1,190	1,770	3,040	1,600	1,900	2,080	2,820
20	1,200	765	1,040	678	1,200	1,210	1,920	3,240	1,630	2,240	1,920	1,960
21	1,190	752	1,150	670	1,230	1,210	1,940	3,240	1,560	2,590	1,860	1,260
22	1,190	742	1,080	665	1,210	1,200	1,980	3,420	1,550	2,610	1,840	1,550
23	1,200	742	1,080	650	1,270	1,200	2,220	3,420	1,550	2,700	1,940	1,680
24	1,210	773	1,250	a630	1,270	1,200	2,570	3,100	1,500	2,700	1,920	1,260
25	1,190	749	772	a640	1,240	1,210	2,780	2,820	1,470	2,680	1,920	1,280
26	1,200	810	570	a650	1,230	1,240	2,740	2,530	1,480	2,700	1,750	1,270
27	1,210	608	a670	1,230	1,200	2,680	2,470	1,500	2,660	1,680	1,300	
28	1,200	719	749	a680	1,230	1,200	2,630	2,490	1,440	2,660	1,700	1,470
29	1,210	747	707	678	-	1,160	2,700	2,440	1,420	2,660	1,720	1,380
30	1,200	652	712	656	-	1,090	2,570	2,420	1,400	2,660	1,720	1,450
31	1,200	-	642	665	-	1,240	-	2,380	-	2,630	1,720	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	36,640	1,230	1,120	1,192	72,670
November.....	29,240	1,400	975	1,188	58,000
December.....	24,050	1,250	570	776	47,700
Calendar year 1948	538,451	3,120	570	1,471	1,068,000
January.....	21,422	812	581	691	42,490
February.....	23,841	1,270	589	851	47,290
March.....	37,670	1,450	1,090	1,215	74,720
April.....	53,770	2,780	1,210	1,792	106,700
May.....	79,290	3,420	1,650	2,558	157,300
June.....	54,400	2,660	1,400	1,813	107,900
July.....	62,270	2,700	1,330	2,009	123,500
August.....	67,270	2,660	1,680	2,170	133,400
September.....	50,380	2,820	1,260	1,679	99,930
Water year 1948-49	540,243	3,420	570	1,480	1,072,000

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of comparison with powerplant records and records for station at Warm River.

HENRYS FORK BASIN

Diversions from Henrys Fork between Ashton and St. Anthony gaging stations, Idaho

Between Ashton and St. Anthony gaging stations seven canals divert water from Henrys Fork for irrigation. Records available each irrigation season from 1919 to 1949. Discharge of canals computed from daily or biweekly staff-gage readings, or interpolated, and combined to show total diverted flow. Records good.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1								1,130	951	1,000	1,250	800
2								1,110	763	1,010	1,280	758
3								1,130	788	871	1,320	783
4								1,100	859	866	1,300	746
5								1,200	874	853	1,230	822
6								1,180	839	841	1,160	817
7								1,270	939	788	1,120	758
8								1,280	1,030	845	1,120	730
9								1,260	1,040	831	1,100	605
10								1,310	1,060	902	1,000	588
11								1,340	1,110	1,130	896	551
12								1,370	1,140	1,080	935	529
13								1,360	1,140	1,100	938	525
14								1,400	1,090	1,030	959	496
15								1,320	1,110	1,120	989	450
16								938	1,150	1,210	903	445
17								899	1,160	1,200	888	461
18								739	1,170	1,230	887	486
19								903	1,140	1,230	833	509
20								837	879	1,270	811	482
21								850	844	1,310	816	446
22								874	884	1,320	825	427
23								844	826	1,320	873	426
24								783	827	1,260	788	428
25								818	773	1,260	695	430
26								844	978	1,300	669	431
27								960	968	1,310	788	433
28								997	969	1,300	801	436
29								998	1,000	1,280	816	437
30								994	1,010	1,130	796	437
31								992	-	1,130	882	-
Month							Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet	
October.....												
November.....												
December.....												
Calendar year												
January.....							-	-	-	-		
February.....							-	-	-	-		
March.....							-	-	-	-		
April.....							-	-	-	-		
May.....							33,030	1,400	739	1,065	65,520	
June.....							29,311	1,170	763	977	58,140	
July.....							34,333	1,320	788	1,108	68,100	
August.....							29,866	1,320	669	957	58,840	
September.....							16,652	822	426	555	33,030	
The period.....							-	-	-	-	283,600	

Henrys Fork at St. Anthony, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°58', long. 111°41', in sec. 1, T. 7 N., R. 40 E., half a mile upstream from bridge on main street of St. Anthony. Altitude of gage, 4,950 feet (from river-profile map).

Drainage area.--1,730 square miles.

Records available.--March 1919 to September 1949 (irrigation seasons only).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge recorded during year, 6,820 second-feet May 22 (gage height, 6.03 feet); minimum daily recorded, 636 second-feet July 12.
1919-49: Maximum discharge recorded, 9,030 second-feet May 8, 1925 (gage height, 6.70 feet); minimum daily recorded, 413 second-feet July 22, 1931.

Remarks.--Records excellent. Diversions above station for irrigation. Flow regulated by power plant 17 miles above station and by Henrys Lake (see p. 58), Island Park Reservoir (see p. 50), and Grassy Lake (see p. 58).

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1							-	3,370	4,120	794	1,600	1,090
2							-	3,120	4,600	692	1,620	1,160
3							-	3,390	4,000	803	1,580	1,260
4							-	3,390	3,410	1,140	1,630	1,290
5							-	4,200	3,520	1,250	1,730	1,340
6							-	2,290	3,320	1,100	1,730	1,300
7							-	2,670	3,390	1,020	1,740	1,360
8							-	2,960	3,560	880	1,780	1,420
9							-	3,210	3,410	724	1,840	1,540
10							-	3,580	3,230	700	1,980	1,360
11							-	3,820	3,210	660	1,780	1,350
12							-	4,170	3,530	656	1,650	1,520
13							-	4,380	3,730	758	1,490	1,420
14							-	4,250	3,440	794	1,550	1,380
15							-	4,540	2,880	732	1,550	1,280
16							-	5,120	2,540	821	1,520	1,190
17							-	6,280	2,420	880	1,470	1,150
18							-	6,340	2,090	910	1,540	1,180
19							-	45,700	2,020	974	1,550	2,440
20							-	45,750	2,370	1,110	1,400	1,780
21							-	5,830	2,290	1,470	1,360	1,190
22							-	6,120	2,230	1,570	1,340	1,260
23							-	6,530	2,150	1,830	1,420	1,470
24							-	5,580	1,930	1,840	1,540	1,110
25							-	4,780	1,780	1,830	1,600	1,080
26							-	4,250	1,680	1,780	1,470	1,020
27							-	4,220	1,460	1,660	1,220	1,030
28							-	3,750	4,300	1,170	1,660	1,160
29							-	3,820	4,380	1,080	1,710	1,190
30							-	3,730	4,120	952	1,790	1,260
31							-	-	4,000	-	1,700	1,190

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....					
November.....					
December.....					
Calendar year					
January.....	-	-	-	-	-
February.....	-	-	-	-	-
March.....	-	-	-	-	-
April.....	-	-	-	-	-
May.....	135,640	6,530	2,290	4,375	269,000
June.....	81,312	4,600	952	2,710	161,300
July.....	36,218	1,840	636	1,168	71,840
August.....	47,460	1,980	1,190	1,531	94,140
September.....	39,520	2,440	1,020	1,317	78,390
The period.....	-	-	-	-	674,700

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of records for stations near Ashton and near Rexburg.

HENRYS FORK BASIN

Diversions from Henrys Fork between St. Anthony and Rexburg gaging stations, Idaho

Between St. Anthony and Rexburg gaging stations four canals divert water from Henrys Fork for irrigation. Records available for part of each irrigation season from 1919 to 1949. Discharge of canals computed from daily or biweekly staff-gage readings, or interpolated, and combined to show total diverted flow. Records good.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1								1,070	675	781	751	576
2								1,100	611	756	724	574
3								1,110	630	749	735	634
4								1,120	611	753	737	622
5								1,130	635	719	744	584
6								1,140	657	630	711	585
7								1,150	688	607	711	581
8								1,180	775	713	712	585
9								1,180	845	720	712	601
10								1,210	900	732	668	577
11								1,210	895	750	629	551
12								1,220	849	728	612	556
13								1,210	829	714	614	542
14								1,170	830	785	611	494
15								1,180	869	792	611	435
16								1,120	887	841	603	433
17								829	848	860	634	438
18								770	831	873	676	338
19								704	800	856	652	338
20								649	790	851	638	334
21								610	747	835	655	331
22								594	738	817	666	328
23								597	772	814	676	324
24								644	799	813	603	317
25								611	795	807	606	313
26								675	788	857	562	310
27								733	749	840	526	310
28								751	762	821	514	310
29								779	746	778	513	310
30								804	720	802	564	310
31								809	-	801	579	-
Month	Second-foot-days						Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet		
October.....												
November.....												
December.....												
Calendar year												
January.....							-	-	-			
February.....							-	-	-			
March.....							-	-	-			
April.....							-	-	-			
May.....							29,059	1,220	594	937	57,640	
June.....							23,071	900	611	789	45,780	
July.....							24,195	873	607	780	47,990	
August.....							19,949	751	513	644	39,570	
September.....							13,541	634	310	451	26,960	
The period.....							-	-	-	-	217,800	

Henrys Fork near Rexburg, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°50', long. 111°54', in sec. 30, T. 6 N., R. 39 E., just downstream from highway bridge, downstream from all tributaries, and 7 miles west of Rexburg. Altitude of gage, 4,807 feet (from river-profile map).

Drainage area.--3,010 square miles.

Records available.--April 1909 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--41 years (1908-49), 1,920 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 7,650 second-feet May 24 (gage height, 9.79 feet); minimum, 655 second-feet July 18 (gage height, 3.15 feet).
1909-49: Maximum discharge, 9,490 second-feet June 29, 1927 (gage height, 9.90 feet); minimum, 183 second-feet Mar. 24-28, 1934 (gage height, 1.45 feet).

Remarks.--Records good except those for period of ice effect, which are fair. Flow regulated by operation of power plant near Ashton and by Henrys Lake (see following page), Island Park Reservoir (see p. 50), and Grassy Lake (see following page). About 172,000 acres irrigated upstream from station, the return flow from which in part escapes westward beneath the Snake River plains above gaging station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1,740	1,900	1,520	1,200	1,070	1,850	1,560	3,790	5,800	1,310	1,500	1,160
2	1,750	2,000	1,640	1,220	1,070	1,900	1,510	3,200	6,110	1,040	1,480	1,100
3	1,770	2,180	1,620	1,220	1,070	2,050	1,500	2,950	6,320	904	1,480	1,140
4	1,770	2,250	1,580	1,150	1,070	2,050	1,480	3,340	5,900	950	1,500	1,200
5	1,790	2,200	1,540	1,100	1,120	1,950	1,480	3,060	5,290	1,450	1,590	1,280
6	1,870	2,030	1,480	1,130	1,100	1,850	1,450	2,720	4,910	1,730	1,640	1,290
7	1,870	2,020	1,420	*1,160	1,080	1,850	1,510	2,160	4,650	1,690	1,640	1,290
8	1,880	1,950	1,350	1,170	1,070	1,850	1,650	2,400	4,590	1,520	1,640	1,380
9	1,860	1,940	*1,300	1,160	1,060	1,850	1,790	2,680	4,590	1,220	1,700	1,460
10	1,830	2,040	1,300	1,100	1,050	1,700	1,600	3,060	4,390	1,050	1,810	1,450
11	1,820	2,080	1,320	1,080	1,030	1,750	1,910	3,430	4,100	1,010	1,920	1,580
12	1,790	2,100	1,350	1,250	1,020	1,780	2,040	3,770	3,990	861	1,720	1,520
13	1,770	2,100	1,350	1,350	1,020	1,810	2,270	4,160	4,300	792	1,690	1,620
14	1,760	2,070	1,350	1,450	1,000	1,800	2,300	4,500	4,530	803	1,610	1,680
15	1,780	1,860	1,350	1,350	1,030	1,820	2,100	4,790	4,160	735	1,600	1,660
16	1,850	1,770	1,300	1,350	1,100	*1,800	1,990	5,240	3,470	670	1,570	1,620
17	1,840	1,760	1,280	1,200	1,200	1,820	1,910	6,030	3,070	660	1,500	1,490
18	1,850	1,690	1,250	1,180	1,300	1,880	1,930	7,020	2,870	665	1,480	1,570
19	1,880	1,460	1,300	1,250	1,400	1,850	2,090	7,380	2,660	705	1,490	2,040
20	1,860	1,580	1,350	1,150	1,800	1,850	2,230	7,460	2,800	760	1,470	2,630
21	1,860	1,640	1,700	1,130	1,880	1,910	2,470	7,560	3,230	975	1,360	2,080
22	1,850	1,630	1,800	1,100	1,890	1,900	2,370	7,490	3,100	1,270	1,310	1,640
23	1,850	1,600	1,750	1,100	*1,890	1,880	2,350	7,550	2,930	1,340	1,320	1,850
24	1,850	1,630	1,750	1,100	1,880	1,850	2,670	7,580	2,760	1,540	1,500	1,790
25	1,840	1,580	1,900	1,100	1,870	1,800	3,070	7,170	2,490	1,590	1,600	1,520
26	1,840	1,560	1,400	1,090	1,860	1,770	3,580	6,570	2,320	1,520	1,680	1,500
27	1,840	1,550	1,150	1,090	1,850	1,720	3,850	6,130	2,250	1,500	1,520	1,470
28	1,870	1,420	1,300	1,080	1,850	1,670	3,740	5,880	1,990	1,480	1,460	1,480
29	1,860	1,550	1,300	1,080	-	1,620	3,770	5,930	1,740	1,520	1,360	1,600
30	1,900	1,520	1,300	1,080	-	1,620	3,860	5,960	1,580	1,570	1,290	1,610
31	1,900	-	1,250	1,070	-	1,510	-	5,840	-	1,580	1,270	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	56,790	1,900	1,740	1,832	112,640
November.....	54,640	2,250	1,420	1,821	108,400
December.....	44,550	1,900	1,150	1,437	88,360
Calendar year 1948	765,636	6,650	595	2,092	1,519,000
January.....	36,250	1,450	1,070	1,169	71,900
February.....	37,630	1,890	1,000	1,344	74,640
March.....	56,310	2,050	1,510	1,816	111,700
April.....	69,210	3,860	1,450	2,274	135,300
May.....	156,950	7,580	2,160	5,063	311,300
June.....	112,890	6,320	1,580	3,763	223,900
July.....	36,411	1,730	660	1,175	72,220
August.....	47,700	1,920	1,270	1,539	94,610
September.....	46,500	2,630	1,100	1,550	92,230
Water year 1948-49	754,831	7,580	660	2,068	1,497,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 8 to Mar. 11.

Smaller reservoirs in Henrys Fork Basin

Henrys Lake.--Staff gage, lat. 44°36', long. 111°21', at dam on Henrys Fork in SW¼ sec. 26, T. 15 N., R. 43 E., 4 miles south of former Lake, Idaho, post office. Datum of gage is 6,457.16 feet above mean sea level (levels by Bureau of Reclamation). Drainage area, 104 square miles, including that of Dry Creek. Records available, June 1923 to September 1949 (fragmentary). Maximum contents observed during year, 80,114 acre-feet June 23 (gage height, 15.12 feet); minimum observed, 53,418 acre-feet Sept. 12 (gage height, 10.76 feet). Maximum contents observed during period 1923-49, 83,184 acre-feet June 12, 1947; minimum observed, 140 acre-feet Nov. 8, 1934 (gage height, 0.03 foot).

Reservoir is formed on natural lake by concrete dam; storage began Sept. 21, 1922; dam completed July 1923. Capacity, 79,351 acre-feet between gage heights 0.0 foot (normal low-water level of Henrys Lake prior to construction of dam) and 15.0 feet (top of 5-foot flashboards on spillway). Floodwaters of Dry Creek are diverted into Henrys Lake at times (none diverted during water year 1948-49). Water used for irrigation near St. Anthony. Gage read about once weekly during period of storage withdrawal and occasionally during remainder of year. Records given herein represent usable contents. Gage-height record and capacity table furnished by North Fork Reservoir Co.

Grassy Lake.--Mercury pressure gage, lat. 44°08', long. 110°49', in gatehouse at dam on Grassy Creek, approximately in sec. 7, T. 48 N., R. 116 W. (unsurveyed), half a mile upstream from mouth and 24 miles northwest of Moran, Wyo. Datum of gage is at mean sea level (levels by Bureau of Reclamation). Drainage area, 12 square miles, including basin of Cascade Creek, from which water is diverted into Grassy Lake. Records available, October 1939 to September 1949. Maximum contents during year, 15,291 acre-feet May 23-25, June 13-15 (elevation, 7,210.35 feet); minimum, 11,930 acre-feet Aug. 28 to Sept. 30 (elevation, 7,199.10 feet). Maximum contents during period 1939-49, 15,446 acre-feet July 2, 1943 (elevation, 7,210.85 feet); no contents Oct. 2-5, 1940.

Reservoir is formed by earth-fill, rock-faced dam; storage began Oct. 18, 1939. Capacity, 15,182 acre-feet between elevations 7,135.0 feet (sill of trash rack) and 7,210.0 feet (crest of spillway) above mean sea level. Water is used for irrigation of lands in Fremont-Madison irrigation district, Idaho. Gage read once daily about 7 a.m. except for period November to April when occasional readings were made. Records given herein represent usable contents. Gage-height record and capacity table furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Monthly elevations or gage heights and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Henrys Lake			Grassy Lake		
	Gage height (feet)	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)	Elevation (feet)	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30.....	-	a53,300	-	7,199.80	12,129	-
Oct. 31.....	-	a55,500	+2,200	-	a12,187	+58
Nov. 30.....	-	a57,700	+2,200	7,200.40	12,303	+116
Dec. 31.....	-	a59,800	+2,100	7,201.35	12,578	+275
Calendar year 1948..	-	-	-5,700	-	-	-1,002
Jan. 31.....	-	a61,900	+2,100	-	a12,700	+122
Feb. 28.....	-	a63,800	+1,900	-	a12,840	+140
Mar. 31.....	-	a66,000	+2,200	-	a12,999	+159
Apr. 30.....	-	a70,000	+4,000	7,203.50	13,205	+206
May 31.....	-	a76,000	+6,000	7,210.15	15,229	+2,024
June 30.....	-	a79,300	+3,300	7,210.15	15,229	0
July 31.....	-	a71,700	-7,600	7,208.85	14,826	-403
Aug. 31.....	-	a58,200	-13,500	7,199.10	11,930	-2,896
Sept. 30.....	-	a52,060	-6,140	7,199.10	11,930	0
Water year 1948-49..	-	-	-1,240	-	-	-199

a No gage-height record; contents interpolated.

Diversions from Fall River above gaging station near Squirrel, Idaho

Above Squirrel gaging station two canals divert water from Fall River for irrigation. Records available for part of each irrigation season from 1919 to 1949. Discharge of canals computed from daily or biweekly staff-gage readings, or interpolated, and combined to show total diverted flow. Records good.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1								0	100	246	251	122
2								0	120	251	250	122
3								0	137	248	253	109
4								0	137	252	253	98
5								0	137	259	241	101
6								0	157	257	253	99
7								0	157	253	241	91
8								0	155	245	230	91
9								0	155	256	216	89
10								0	150	262	229	86
11								0	140	245	232	76
12								0	137	234	216	77
13								0	137	255	218	60
14								30	147	254	214	59
15								45	161	254	203	59
16								50	167	255	177	0
17								4	167	260	175	0
18								4	167	260	171	0
19								4	190	262	167	0
20								4	218	259	167	0
21								4	209	260	165	0
22								4	242	267	167	0
23								4	252	17	167	0
24								4	252	0	169	0
25								4	252	218	169	0
26								30	263	233	161	0
27								50	263	253	137	0
28								60	263	250	127	0
29								69	260	256	124	0
30								69	264	256	122	0
31								70	-	256	121	-
Month						Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet		
October.....												
November.....												
December.....												
Calendar year												
January.....						-	-	-	-	-		
February.....						-	-	-	-	-		
March.....						-	-	-	-	-		
April.....						-	-	-	-	-		
May.....						509	70	0	16.4	1,010		
June.....						5,556	264	100	185	11,020		
July.....						7,323	262	0	236	14,520		
August.....						5,986	253	121	193	11,870		
September.....						1,339	122	0	44.6	2,660		
The period.....						-	-	-	-	41,080		

HENRYS FORK BASIN

Fall River near Squirrel, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°04', long. 111°15', in NE¹/₄ sec. 34, T. 9 N., R. 44 E., 4 miles northeast of Squirrel and 10 miles upstream from Conant Creek.

Drainage area.--380 square miles.

Records available.--January 1904 to June 1909, May 1918 to September 1949. August 1902 to December 1903 at Wilson's sawmill, 3 miles upstream.

Average discharge.--36 years (1904-8, 1917-49), 746 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 3,710 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 3.88 feet); minimum daily, 380 second-feet Feb. 14-16, 25-28.
1904-9, 1918-49: Maximum discharge observed, 6,440 second feet June 27, 1927; minimum observed, 72 second-feet Feb. 9, 1930.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Flow since October 1939 partly regulated by Grassy Lake (see p. 58). Two diversions above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	h522	499	483	425	390	385	397	1,400	2,740	908	530	551
2	a522	630	483	425	395	395	408	1,380	2,680	917	537	551
3	a522	622	483	420	395	405	419	1,780	2,230	872	537	572
4	a530	562	485	415	395	415	443	1,800	2,020	776	523	572
5	a570	499	440	410	400	425	456	1,770	2,130	809	530	572
6	a640	506	454	405	400	435	476	1,790	2,240	728	523	558
7	a580	491	447	400	400	440	502	2,070	2,450	648	502	551
8	537	447	440	400	405	440	530	2,360	2,650	618	495	544
9	537	483	468	400	405	440	523	2,440	2,500	625	502	544
10	530	499	483	400	405	432	551	2,650	2,570	656	530	551
11	522	506	468	405	400	425	580	2,730	2,730	602	495	588
12	514	506	476	420	395	454	648	2,870	3,090	558	488	618
13	514	506	461	420	385	440	656	2,900	3,090	551	495	588
14	514	499	476	420	380	425	588	2,840	2,770	551	488	572
15	613	554	411	415	380	418	572	3,070	2,360	537	495	565
16	630	506	411	415	380	425	618	3,180	2,270	530	502	602
17	579	*506	418	415	385	440	680	3,590	2,210	516	495	610
18	570	468	418	415	390	425	784	3,210	1,920	502	495	602
19	554	468	432	*414	395	425	908	3,140	1,900	502	495	595
20	545	499	432	412	395	461	1,030	2,990	2,060	495	502	595
21	506	483	*431	410	395	440	953	2,960	1,880	488	495	588
22	499	483	430	405	390	425	971	3,260	1,920	482	488	572
23	499	483	425	400	385	418	1,140	3,210	1,890	580	565	565
24	499	499	425	400	*381	411	1,360	2,690	1,700	588	818	558
25	506	499	420	395	380	418	1,620	2,470	1,650	488	752	551
26	491	499	420	395	380	418	1,780	2,580	1,700	502	595	551
27	499	432	425	390	380	418	1,930	2,740	1,250	462	551	551
28	491	468	425	390	380	404	2,090	3,010	1,110	476	551	551
29	491	476	430	390	-	*397	2,020	3,020	1,140	530	551	558
30	483	480	430	390	-	390	1,680	2,770	953	537	551	656
31	476	-	430	390	-	390	-	2,690	-	537	551	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	16,485	640	476	532	32,700
November.....	15,058	630	432	502	29,870
December.....	13,758	483	411	444	27,290
Calendar year 1948	286,483	3,690	390	783	568,200
January.....	12,606	425	390	407	25,000
February.....	10,946	405	380	391	21,710
March.....	13,079	461	385	422	25,940
April.....	27,313	2,090	397	910	54,170
May.....	61,260	3,590	1,380	2,621	161,200
June.....	63,803	3,090	953	2,127	126,600
July.....	18,571	917	462	599	36,830
August.....	16,627	818	488	536	32,980
September.....	17,202	656	544	573	34,120
Water year 1948-49	306,708	3,590	380	840	608,400

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Snake River near Heise.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 30 to Dec. 2, Dec. 21 to Mar. 6.

Diversions from Fall River between Squirrel and Chester gaging stations, Idaho

Between Squirrel and Chester gaging stations eight canals divert water from Fall River for irrigation. Records available for part of each irrigation season from 1919 to 1949. Discharge of canals computed from daily or biweekly staff-gage readings, or interpolated, and combined to show total diverted flow. Records good.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1								316	481	688	466	436
2								332	448	728	479	427
3								336	449	724	492	424
4								321	453	718	488	426
5								320	455	736	489	436
6								313	458	700	492	411
7								318	547	686	454	355
8								330	572	650	463	354
9								389	607	652	460	363
10								448	650	656	454	421
11								453	669	592	434	418
12								464	692	576	427	441
13								471	705	562	423	435
14								473	719	565	417	428
15								510	736	553	426	427
16								537	756	547	450	418
17								428	764	473	440	425
18								367	777	474	430	443
19								351	787	500	407	476
20								362	809	516	407	449
21								360	795	499	403	429
22								354	787	492	405	414
23								357	741	466	424	413
24								326	754	413	411	401
25								331	734	402	376	381
26								513	715	447	370	375
27								560	705	427	356	375
28								553	688	407	378	374
29								528	669	409	390	374
30								514	633	470	288	374
31								503	-	470	397	-
Month	Second-foot-days					Maximum		Minimum		Mean		Runoff in acre-feet
October.....												
November.....												
December.....												
Calendar year												
January.....												
February.....												
March.....												
April.....												
May.....						12,738		560		313		25,270
June.....						19,755		809		448		39,180
July.....						17,198		736		402		34,110
August.....						13,196		492		288		26,170
September.....						12,323		476		354		24,440
The period.....												149,200

HENRYS FORK BASIN

Fall River near Chester, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°01', long. 111°34', in sec. 13, T. 8 N., R. 41 E., half a mile upstream from mouth and 2 miles north of Chester. Altitude of gage, 5,060 feet (from river-profile map).

Drainage area.--560 square miles.

Records available.--April 1920 to September 1949 (irrigation seasons only).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge recorded during year, 4,040 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 5.27 feet); minimum recorded, 74 second-feet Aug. 4 (gage height, 1.36 feet).
1920-49: Maximum discharge recorded, 6,380 second-feet June 27, 1927 (gage height, 6.60 feet); minimum recorded, 9 second-feet Aug. 7, 1923 (gage height, 1.01 feet).

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are good. Flow since October 1939 partly regulated by Grassy Lake (see p. 58). Station is below all diversions for irrigation from Fall River.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1							-	a1,500	2,610	333	86	126
2							-	a1,400	2,630	320	80	117
3	+331						-	a1,700	2,110	290	86	117
4							-	a1,750	1,860	249	80	123
5							-	a1,750	a1,950	261	88	132
6							-	1,740	a2,050	249	103	137
7							-	2,080	a2,200	208	101	169
8							-	2,310	a2,350	143	106	186
9							-	2,260	a2,200	88	115	172
10							-	2,660	a2,220	101	156	149
11							-	2,640	2,280	162	143	172
12							-	2,930	2,600	186	129	219
13							-	a2,930	2,730	156	132	193
14							-	2,800	2,440	134	132	169
15							-	2,950	1,940	110	132	169
16							-	3,140	1,730	94	137	183
17							-	3,790	1,700	132	132	186
18							-	3,610	1,420	132	143	179
19							-	3,510	1,330	117	166	172
20							-	3,310	1,500	101	166	176
21							-	3,150	1,340	108	166	215
22							-	3,370	1,340	106	162	234
23							-	3,510	1,290	412	166	226
24							-	2,950	1,120	294	219	230
25							-	2,480	1,050	230	215	234
26							-	2,480	1,090	234	230	230
27							-	2,550	819	146	201	226
28							-	2,760	607	140	179	219
29							-	2,520	2,830	557	159	234
30							-	a2,000	2,550	429	126	230
31							-	2,440	-	103	176	-
Month							Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet	
October.....												
November.....												
December.....												
Calendar year												
January.....							-	-	-	-		
February.....							-	-	-	-		
March.....							-	-	-	-		
April.....							-	-	-	-		
May.....							81,830	3,790	1,400	2,640	162,300	
June.....							51,492	2,730	429	1,716	102,100	
July.....							5,624	412	88	8	11,160	
August.....							4,533	230	80	146	8,990	
September.....							5,605	311	117	187	11,120	
The period.....							-	-	-	-	205,700	

† Result of discharge measurement.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of records for station near Squirrel.

Teton River near Victor, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°33'50", long. 111°04'00", on line between secs. 19 and 30, T. 3 N., R. 46 E., 100 feet downstream from Moose Creek, 200 feet upstream from String Canal, and $3\frac{1}{4}$ miles southeast of Victor. Prior to July 29, at datum 1.54 feet higher. Altitude of gage, 6,450 feet, from topographic map.

Drainage area.--47.6 square miles.

Records available.--May 1946 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 338 second-feet June 11; maximum gage height, 1.87 feet (ice jam) sometime between Jan. 7 and Feb. 26; minimum discharge recorded, 23 second-feet Mar. 28 (gage height, -0.04 foot), but may have been less during periods of ice effect or no gage-height record.

1946-49: Maximum discharge observed, 398 second-feet June 8, 1948 (gage height, 2.03 feet); minimum recorded, 22 second-feet Feb. 20, 1947 (gage height, -0.15 foot), but may have been less during periods of ice effect or no gage-height record.

Remarks.--Records fair. No regulation or diversion above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	49	47	40	35	32	31	29	93	241	157	82	54
2	49	49	40	35	32	31	29	87	219	155	82	53
3	49	49	40	35	32	32	28	86	200	155	80	54
4	50	45	40	34	32	30	29	87	192	152	79	54
5	53	44	37	34	32	30	30	86	196	148	78	52
6	50	45	37	33	33	30	31	88	211	143	76	51
7	50	43	38	33	33	30	33	100	234	137	74	50
8	49	40	38	33	33	31	33	116	270	130	74	50
9	49	42	38	33	33	31	33	136	288	127	76	50
10	49	44	38	33	33	31	33	163	300	125	74	53
11	48	44	38	34	33	30	35	186	318	123	71	55
12	47	43	38	35	32	30	37	204	320	120	70	52
13	47	43	*38	35	32	30	37	223	305	116	69	51
14	47	43	38	35	31	30	35	239	280	114	69	50
15	54	44	38	35	31	30	35	258	263	111	69	50
16	54	43	33	34	31	30	37	253	260	109	68	49
17	52	44	33	34	31	29	40	253	248	108	67	50
18	50	41	33	34	32	29	46	253	232	104	66	50
19	48	41	34	34	33	30	55	246	239	101	64	49
20	48	42	34	34	33	30	59	243	226	100	63	49
21	47	42	34	34	33	30	51	234	211	96	62	49
22	47	42	34	33	33	30	57	215	208	93	61	49
23	47	42	34	33	32	29	65	202	204	90	64	49
24	47	43	34	33	32	29	78	194	194	87	63	49
25	47	43	33	32	32	29	92	196	192	86	61	49
26	46	41	33	32	*32	29	96	215	196	86	59	49
27	47	38	33	32	31	29	109	239	184	86	56	49
28	47	40	33	32	31	28	114	255	174	85	55	49
29	47	40	34	32	-	28	114	282	172	84	55	49
30	46	40	35	32	-	29	103	288	163	86	54	53
31	46	-	35	32	-	29	-	265	-	84	54	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	1,506	54	46	48.6	1.02	1.18	2,990
November	1,287	49	38	42.9	.901	1.01	2,550
December	1,115	40	33	36.0	.756	.87	2,210
Calendar year 1948	29,041	383	-	79.3	1.67	22.69	57,610
January	1,039	35	32	33.5	.704	.81	2,060
February	900	35	31	32.1	.674	.70	1,790
March	924	32	28	29.8	.626	.72	1,830
April	1,603	114	28	53.4	1.12	1.25	3,180
May	5,985	288	86	193	4.05	4.68	11,870
June	6,940	320	163	231	4.85	5.42	13,770
July	3,498	157	84	113	2.37	2.73	6,940
August	2,095	82	54	67.6	1.42	1.64	4,160
September	1,520	55	49	50.7	1.07	1.19	3,010
Water year 1948-49	28,412	320	28	77.8	1.63	22.20	56,360

Peak discharge (base, 200 sec.-ft.),--May 15 (11 p.m.) 265 sec.-ft.; May 30 (1:30 to 5 a.m.) 298 sec.-ft.; June 11 (11 p.m.) 338 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 6, 9, Dec. 16-19, Dec. 21 to about Feb. 15, Mar. 28, 29. No gage-height record Oct. 15-21, Nov. 17 to Dec. 12, Jan. 7 to Feb. 25, July 28; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Fall River near Squirrel, Teton River near Teton, and Teton Creek near Driggs.

Teton River near Tetonía, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°51', long. 111°15', in sec. 15, T. 6 N., R. 44 E., $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles downstream from highway bridge, 4 miles downstream from Packsaddle Creek, and 6 miles northwest of Tetonía.

Drainage area.--460 square miles.

Records available.--October 1929, March 1930 to September 1932, May to September 1934; July to September 1935, May to September 1940, July 1941 to September 1949. Additional records collected by Water District 36, State of Idaho, October and November 1932, July to September 1936, July to September 1937.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,510 second-feet May 19 (gage height, 2.55 feet); minimum daily, 208 second-feet Jan. 17 to Feb. 8, Feb. 12-15.

1929-32, 1934-35, 1940-49: Maximum discharge observed, 1,900 second-feet June 28, 1945 (gage height, 2.97 feet); minimum observed. 62 second-feet Jan. 16, 17, 1943.

Remarks.--Records good except those for Nov. 7 to Apr. 22, which are fair. Many diversions from tributaries above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	301	*283	290	225	208	215	220	497	1,200	643	419	339
2	296	359	285	220	208	215	227	472	1,190	608	419	334
3	296	392	280	210	208	215	255	460	1,060	601	419	339
4	296	386	270	210	208	217	290	472	888	664	414	344
5	329	319	260	210	208	220	340	466	815	738	408	349
6	344	310	250	210	208	218	410	448	831	693	408	339
7	319	280	250	210	208	218	470	448	864	622	397	329
8	310	310	250	210	208	216	*539	454	947	588	397	324
9	301	305	*262	210	210	215	601	472	1,060	574	397	319
10	301	300	265	210	210	214	630	503	1,070	568	408	324
11	296	295	270	210	210	213	640	581	1,130	568	408	354
12	292	292	270	210	208	213	650	723	1,210	554	402	375
13	292	292	270	210	208	213	600	888	1,310	541	397	364
14	296	300	265	210	208	213	540	972	1,220	528	386	349
15	375	360	260	210	208	213	540	1,040	1,050	516	380	339
16	370	350	220	210	212	230	550	1,250	955	510	380	324
17	319	310	225	208	212	250	560	1,420	897	497	375	319
18	305	265	225	*208	212	275	580	1,450	847	491	370	319
19	301	270	225	208	214	292	600	1,490	958	497	364	319
20	296	300	230	208	214	300	550	1,410	1,060	491	359	314
21	292	295	230	208	214	295	530	1,310	989	478	349	310
22	292	290	230	208	214	290	528	1,270	897	472	339	319
23	292	285	230	208	214	285	528	1,160	880	466	354	314
24	283	295	230	208	214	280	516	1,020	856	460	392	314
25	279	290	230	208	*214	275	535	905	792	454	386	319
26	274	290	230	208	214	266	516	864	776	448	370	314
27	274	266	230	208	214	250	503	897	808	437	364	305
28	279	285	230	208	214	225	516	1,010	753	431	354	310
29	279	290	230	208	-	217	548	1,160	716	431	349	310
30	283	290	230	208	-	217	554	1,220	664	425	349	344
31	279	-	230	208	-	217	-	1,220	-	419	344	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	9,341	375	274	301	18,530
November.....	9,174	392	266	306	18,200
December.....	7,652	290	220	247	15,180
Calendar year 1948	143,369	1,290	105	392	284,400
January.....	6,505	225	208	210	12,900
February.....	5,902	214	208	211	11,710
March.....	7,392	300	213	238	14,660
April.....	15,066	650	220	502	29,880
May.....	27,952	1,490	448	902	55,440
June.....	28,673	1,310	664	956	56,870
July.....	16,413	738	419	529	32,550
August.....	11,857	419	359	382	23,520
September.....	9,875	375	305	329	19,590
Water year 1948-49	155,802	1,490	208	427	309,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 7 to Apr. 22 (no gage-height record Nov. 8 to Apr. 22, except weekly readings on staff gage; discharge computed on basis of weekly readings of auxiliary staff gage $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles above station, 4 discharge measurements, weather records, and records for station near St. Anthony).

Teton River near St. Anthony, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°56', long. 111°37', in sec. 15, T. 7 N., R. 41 E., Half a mile upstream from railroad bridge and 4 miles southeast of St. Anthony.

Drainage area.--920 square miles.

Records available.--April 1903 to June 1909, April 1920 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--22 years (1903-8, 1921-22, 1933-49), 757 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 3,660 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 6.36 feet); minimum, 332 second-feet Jan. 20.

1903-9, 1920-49: Maximum discharge, 7,820 second-feet June 5, 1909 (gage height, 6.90 feet, site and datum then in use); minimum, 88 second-feet Mar. 12, 1906 (gage height, 1.00 foot, site and datum then in use).

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Flow affected by diversions from streams in Teton Basin, 20 miles upstream, and by flow diverted from Henrys Fork through Cross Cut Canal into Teton River (6,870 acre-feet diverted into river during 1949 irrigation season).

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	516	471	507	400	350	405	417	1,320	2,460	1,090	823	573
2	503	498	484	390	350	410	417	1,140	2,380	1,080	823	583
3	489	582	480	370	350	410	430	1,140	2,140	1,060	823	583
4	489	592	476	350	350	415	448	1,270	1,890	1,090	762	582
5	507	539	453	350	355	417	480	1,250	1,790	1,230	737	587
6	535	526	426	350	355	408	544	1,200	1,850	1,150	731	587
7	521	521	450	350	355	408	628	1,310	1,980	1,070	725	573
8	503	471	440	350	360	412	731	1,560	2,080	1,010	719	563
9	489	539	460	350	360	399	810	1,760	2,270	969	719	558
10	484	535	460	350	360	395	844	2,010	2,250	946	743	558
11	480	521	460	350	360	391	809	2,250	2,360	924	743	587
12	480	526	460	360	355	408	1,070	2,570	2,500	902	737	623
13	480	516	460	360	350	399	1,180	2,800	2,530	902	719	618
14	480	512	460	360	355	399	976	2,810	2,320	917	683	602
15	516	558	458	355	370	404	909	2,950	2,040	837	678	592
16	592	597	386	350	380	*426	969	3,280	1,860	816	678	582
17	535	544	400	350	390	458	1,010	3,530	1,760	816	666	573
18	516	*476	400	350	395	466	1,090	3,590	1,620	810	634	563
19	498	448	410	350	400	471	1,150	3,450	1,650	810	608	563
20	489	498	410	*350	400	518	1,190	3,440	1,960	830	597	554
21	489	503	410	350	400	549	1,110	3,130	1,820	866	608	554
22	489	466	410	350	400	535	969	2,870	1,660	859	608	568
23	489	484	410	350	*400	530	1,040	2,810	1,800	859	602	568
24	484	494	405	350	400	526	1,160	2,630	1,550	859	634	549
25	476	471	405	350	400	489	1,370	2,310	1,440	844	689	544
26	471	498	405	350	400	480	1,440	2,260	1,390	852	644	544
27	466	426	400	350	400	458	1,440	2,370	1,380	852	602	539
28	471	444	400	350	400	430	1,500	2,540	1,280	844	587	535
29	471	512	403	350	-	426	1,590	2,800	1,220	844	582	535
30	476	489	*408	350	-	426	1,560	2,740	1,150	837	582	573
31	471	-	405	350	-	417	-	2,620	-	830	578	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	15,355	592	466	495	30,460
November.....	15,257	597	426	509	30,280
December.....	13,529	507	386	436	26,830
Calendar year 1948	289,570	3,480	310	791	574,400
January.....	10,995	400	350	355	21,610
February.....	10,500	400	350	375	20,830
March.....	13,683	549	391	441	27,140
April.....	29,381	1,590	417	979	58,280
May.....	73,710	3,590	1,140	2,378	146,200
June.....	58,180	2,530	1,150	1,873	111,400
July.....	28,605	1,230	810	923	56,740
August.....	21,064	823	578	679	41,780
September.....	17,073	623	535	569	33,860
Water year 1948-49	305,332	3,590	350	837	605,600

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of records for station on Fall River near Squirrel.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 7, Dec. 17 to Mar. 4 (no gage-height record Jan. 27 to Feb. 22, Feb. 26 to Mar. 1 except weekly readings on staff gage; discharge computed on basis of 3 discharge measurements, weather records, observed gage heights, and records for Fall River near Squirrel).

Diversions from Teton River between St. Anthony gaging station and mouth, Idaho

Between St. Anthony gaging station and mouth 17 canals divert water from Teton River for irrigation. Records available for part of each irrigation season from 1919 to 1949. Discharge of canals computed from daily or biweekly staff-gage readings, or interpolated, and combined to show total diverted flow. Records good.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1								601	745	887	862	610
2								608	755	1,030	856	608
3								603	808	1,090	836	594
4								646	660	1,090	810	615
5								651	669	1,170	762	644
6								712	748	1,000	743	637
7								824	824	982	755	568
8								945	960	926	775	547
9								979	1,040	889	770	541
10								992	1,150	863	698	575
11								997	1,230	855	694	571
12								1,060	1,280	831	535	589
13								1,080	1,310	820	650	580
14								1,070	1,300	822	634	585
15								1,110	1,290	806	638	488
16								1,080	1,270	789	632	432
17								1,030	1,290	830	651	427
18								968	1,270	815	656	413
19								862	1,280	822	628	402
20								902	1,240	803	623	398
21								860	1,220	852	616	399
22								799	1,220	792	593	402
23								770	1,190	852	603	404
24								754	1,150	831	615	401
25								728	1,140	869	626	394
26								741	1,120	850	596	390
27								758	1,100	859	560	396
28								754	1,130	908	549	383
29								763	1,090	913	555	375
30								774	1,030	874	541	375
31								777	-	867	570	-
Month							Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet	
October.....												
November.....												
December.....												
Calendar year												
January.....							-	-	-	-	-	
February.....							-	-	-	-	-	
March.....							-	-	-	-	-	
April.....							-	-	-	-	-	
May.....							26,178	1,110	601	844	51,920	
June.....							32,409	1,310	860	1,080	64,280	
July.....							27,587	1,170	789	890	54,720	
August.....							20,632	862	535	866	40,920	
September.....							14,743	644	375	491	29,240	
The period.....							-	-	-	-	241,100	

Teton Creek near Driggs, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°45'30", long. 110°58', 1½ miles upstream from Mill Creek, 1.6 miles west of Boy Scout camp, 4.2 miles east of Wyoming-Idaho State line, and 7½ miles northeast of Driggs. Altitude of gage, 6,660 feet, from topographic map.

Drainage area.--33.8 square miles.

Records available.--June 1946 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 898 second-feet June 12 (gage height, 3.84 feet); minimum, 6.0 second-feet Mar. 30 (gage height, -0.07 foot).

1946-49: Maximum discharge, 925 second-feet June 8, 1948 (gage height, 3.91 feet); minimum recorded, 6.0 second-feet Apr. 7, 1948, Mar. 30, 1949; minimum gage height recorded, -0.06 foot Apr. 7, 1948.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of ice effect, which are fair. No diversion or regulation above station.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

Oct. 1 to June 12

June 13 to Sept. 30

0.0	7.5	0.5	28	1.7	193	0.2	12	0.9	59	2.3	340
.1	10	.7	42	2.1	233	.3	17	1.1	76	2.8	500
.2	13	1.0	67	2.5	414	.4	23	1.3	101	3.3	680
.3	17	1.1	79	3.0	587	.5	30	1.5	137		
.4	22	1.3	111	3.6	807	.7	43	1.8	205		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	15	17	14	12	b9.0	*8.3	8.0	132	357	294	59	20
2	15	18	14	12	b9.0	8.3	8.3	106	277	331	57	19
3	15	17	14	b11	b9.0	8.3	8.5	102	226	349	55	22
4	15	16	15	b11	b9.0	8.5	9.1	108	226	308	54	21
5	18	15	14	b11	b9.0	8.5	10	106	288	291	51	21
6	17	17	14	11	b9.0	8.5	11	106	363	283	51	18
7	17	16	14	11	b9.0	8.5	13	150	461	283	49	18
8	18	14	14	12	b9.0	8.8	17	233	562	264	46	17
9	19	15	14	b11	9.1	8.8	17	307	594	240	42	17
10	19	15	14	11	9.1	8.8	17	395	674	243	43	21
11	18	15	14	11	9.3	9.1	21	440	740	222	39	25
12	17	15	13	11	b9.0	8.8	30	512	777	205	38	25
13	16	15	14	11	b8.5	8.8	32	540	676	183	35	24
14	16	15	14	11	b9.5	8.8	28	526	600	174	34	23
15	35	16	13	11	b9.5	8.8	27	630	578	167	32	21
16	33	15	b12	b11	9.3	8.8	29	609	603	167	30	20
17	26	16	*b12	b11	9.3	8.5	35	573	567	150	29	19
18	25	13	b12	11	9.3	8.3	48	516	490	113	28	18
19	26	14	13	11	9.1	8.3	66	467	600	100	27	17
20	24	16	13	10	8.8	8.8	88	404	575	100	26	16
21	24	15	13	b10	8.8	8.3	69	333	486	84	25	16
22	23	15	b12	10	8.8	8.3	62	279	518	84	24	15
23	23	15	b12	10	8.8	8.5	64	238	486	85	26	15
24	22	15	b12	10	8.5	8.5	99	211	417	82	32	15
25	22	15	b12	b9.5	8.3	8.3	165	221	459	77	26	15
26	21	15	12	b9.5	8.3	8.3	167	310	469	74	24	14
27	21	14	12	b9.5	8.3	8.3	193	411	386	73	23	14
28	19	14	12	b9.5	8.3	b8.1	226	481	349	69	22	13
29	19	14	12	b9.0	-	8.0	221	537	346	66	21	14
30	18	14	12	b9.0	-	7.8	173	512	291	64	21	21
31	17	-	12	b9.0	-	8.0	-	444	-	62	20	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff Inches	Runoff Acre-feet
October	633	35	15	20.4	0.604	0.70	1,260
November	456	18	13	15.2	.450	.50	904
December	404	15	12	13.0	.385	.44	801
Calendar year 1948	37,136.8	853	7.5	101	2.99	40.85	73,660
January	327.0	12	9.0	10.5	.311	.36	649
February	249.9	9.5	8.3	8.92	.264	.27	496
March	262.7	9.1	7.8	8.47	.251	.29	521
April	1,961.9	226	8.0	65.4	1.93	2.16	3,890
May	10,939	630	102	353	10.4	12.04	21,700
June	14,441	777	226	481	14.2	15.89	28,640
July	5,285	349	62	170	5.03	5.82	10,480
August	1,089	59	20	35.1	1.04	1.20	2,160
September	554	25	13	18.5	.547	.61	1,100
Water year 1948-49	36,602.5	777	7.8	100	2.96	40.28	72,600

Peak discharge (base, 600 sec.-ft.).--May 15 (6 a.m.) 674 sec.-ft.; June 12 (2 a.m.) 898 sec.-ft.; June 19 (12 p.m.) 891 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Horseshoe Creek near Driggs, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°44', long. 111°15'30", in sec. 27, T. 5 N., R. 44 E., at mouth of canyon, 90 feet upstream from bridge on old railroad grade, 4 miles upstream from mouth, and 7½ miles west of Driggs. Altitude of gage, 6,200 feet (from topographic map).

Drainage area.--11.7 square miles.

Records available.--May 1946 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 77 second-feet May 19 (gage height, 3.62 feet); minimum daily, 2.2 second-feet on many days in January and February.
1946-49: Maximum discharge, that of May 19, 1949; minimum, 0.7 second-foot Nov. 12, 1946, but may have been less during winter period; minimum gage height observed, 0.96 foot Feb. 11, 1947.

Remarks.--Records good Apr. 15 to July 15, poor for remainder of year. No diversion or regulation above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	3.0	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.2	2.3	2.3	42	58	17	6.9	4.9
2	2.8	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.4	44	59	16	6.8	4.8
3	2.8	3.6	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.6	52	53	16	6.3	4.9
4	3.1	3.5	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.9	51	48	15	6.3	4.9
5	3.7	3.1	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.3	3.2	47	44	15	6.1	5.0
6	3.2	3.0	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.3	3.9	46	42	14	5.8	4.9
7	3.2	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.3	5.5	48	42	14	5.8	4.8
8	3.2	2.9	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.3	7.1	51	41	14	5.8	4.7
9	3.0	2.9	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.3	7.4	54	39	13	5.8	4.6
10	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.3	2.2	2.3	7.8	58	37	13	6.0	4.8
11	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.3	2.2	2.3	9.9	61	36	13	6.0	4.9
12	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.3	2.2	2.3	15	63	34	12	5.8	5.2
13	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.3	2.2	2.3	15	64	33	12	5.8	5.0
14	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.3	2.2	2.3	12	65	32	12	5.6	4.9
15	4.0	3.4	2.8	2.3	2.2	2.3	12	66	30	11	5.4	4.8
16	3.1	3.3	2.8	2.3	2.2	2.4	16	71	28	11	5.4	4.7
17	2.8	3.0	*2.7	2.2	2.2	2.6	18	72	27	10	5.2	4.6
18	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.2	2.2	2.8	26	71	26	10	5.2	4.6
19	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.2	2.2	3.1	33	73	27	9.9	5.2	4.6
20	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.2	2.2	3.2	38	70	25	10	5.0	4.6
21	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.2	2.2	3.1	34	71	24	9.7	4.9	4.5
22	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.2	2.2	3.0	40	69	22	9.7	4.8	4.6
23	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.2	2.2	3.0	47	68	22	9.2	5.0	4.5
24	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.2	2.2	3.0	54	64	21	9.0	5.2	4.5
25	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.2	2.3	2.9	56	61	20	8.3	5.4	4.6
26	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.2	2.3	2.8	53	60	20	8.3	5.2	4.5
27	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.2	*2.3	2.7	53	60	19	8.3	5.0	4.5
28	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.2	2.3	2.6	56	62	18	8.0	4.9	4.5
29	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.2	-	2.5	56	60	18	7.8	4.9	4.5
30	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.2	-	2.3	47	56	17	7.8	4.9	4.8
31	2.6	-	2.7	2.2	-	2.3	-	57	-	7.1	4.9	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	88.8	4.0	2.6	2.86	0.244	0.28	176
November	86.0	3.6	2.6	2.87	.245	.27	171
December	83.1	2.8	2.5	2.68	.229	.26	165
Calendar year 1948	3,418.0	57	-	9.34	.798	10.87	6,780
January	70.3	2.7	2.2	2.27	.194	.22	139
February	62.0	2.3	2.2	2.21	.189	.20	123
March	78.8	3.2	2.3	2.54	.217	.25	156
April	736.0	56	2.3	24.5	2.09	2.34	1,460
May	1,857	73	4.2	59.9	5.12	5.90	3,680
June	962	59	1.7	32.1	2.74	3.06	1,910
July	351.1	17	7.1	11.3	.966	1.12	696
August	171.3	6.9	4.8	5.53	.473	.54	340
September	141.7	5.2	4.5	4.72	.403	.45	281
Water year 1948-49	4,688.1	73	2.2	12.8	1.09	14.89	9,300

Peak discharge (base, 50 sec.-ft.)--Apr. 24 (9 p.m.) 64 sec.-ft.; May 3 (6:30 to 9:30 p.m.) 55 sec.-ft.; May 19 (7 p.m.) 77 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice about Dec. 10 to Mar. 15. No gage-height record Oct. 18-21, Oct. 31 to Dec. 16, Jan. 17 to Feb. 26, Feb. 28 to Apr. 5; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for other stations in Teton River Basin. Stage-discharge relation affected by backwater from beaver dams Aug. 6 to Sept. 30; discharge computed on basis of 1 discharge measurement, gage-height record, weather records, and records for other stations in Teton River Basin.

Packsaddle Creek near Tetonia, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°45'30", long. 111°18'30", in sec. 18, T. 5 N., R. 44 E., 0.9 mile upstream from North Fork and 8½ miles southwest of Tetonia. Altitude of gage is about 6,600 feet (from topographic map).

Drainage area.--5.7 square miles.

Records available.--June 1946 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 58 second-feet May 19 (gage height, 2.30 feet); minimum, 0.2 second-foot on several days in February and March, but may have been less during periods of ice effect or no gage-height record.

1946-49: Maximum discharge, that of May 19, 1949; minimum, 0.1 second-foot Jan. 22, 1947, and sometime between Dec. 18, 1947, and Jan. 26, 1948.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, and those below 1.0 second-foot, which are poor. No diversion or regulation above station.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Oct. 1-3, Oct. 13
to Dec. 3, Sept. 22-30)

0.4	0.2	0.8	5.8	1.4	24
.5	.8	.9	8.3	1.7	34
.6	2.0	1.0	11	2.1	50
.7	3.7	1.2	17		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	0.5	0.5	0.4			0.2	0.3	12	38	6.8	1.2	0.6
2	.5	.9	.4			.2	.3	14	35	6.6	1.2	.6
3	.5	.7	.4			.2	.3	17	31	6.3	1.2	.7
4	.5	.5	.5			.2	.4	16	29	6.3	1.2	.7
5	.6	.5	.5			.2	.5	15	28	6.0	1.2	.7
6	.5	.5				.3	.7	15	28	5.4	1.1	.6
7	.5	.5				.3	1.0	16	29	5.0	1.0	.6
8	.5	.4				.3	1.2	18	31	4.8	1.8	.6
9	.5	.5				.3	1.5	21	31	4.5	.8	.6
10	.5	.4				.3	1.6	22	31	4.3	1.0	.7
11	.5	.4				.3	2.2	24	31	3.9	1.0	1.1
12	.5	.4				.2	2.6	26	32	3.9	1.0	.8
13	.4	.4				.2	2.3	27	30	3.7	.9	.7
14	.5	.4				.2	2.0	29	27	3.4	1.0	.7
15	.9	.5				.2	2.2	31	24	3.2	.9	.6
16	.5	.5		0.3	0.5	.3	3.2	35	22	3.0	.8	.6
17	.5	.5				.3	4.3	43	20	2.8	.8	.6
18	.5	.4				.3	5.6	47	19	2.8	.8	.6
19	.5	.4	.4			.3	7.0	50	19	2.7	.8	.6
20	.5	.5				.3	8.3	49	16	2.7	.7	.6
21	.4	.5				.3	8.3	46	15	2.5	.7	.6
22	.4	.4				.3	11	42	13	3.4	.7	.7
23	.4	.4				.2	14	39	13	1.6	1.0	.7
24	.5	.5				.2	17	37	11	2.0	1.0	.6
25	.4	.5				.2	17	35	10	1.8	.9	.6
26	.4	.5				.2	17	37	10	2.8	.7	.6
27	.4	.4				.3	18	40	9.4	1.1	.7	.6
28	.4	.4				.3	18	45	8.6	1.5	.7	.6
29	.4	.4				.3	17	44	8.0	1.5	.7	.6
30	.4	.4				.3	14	42	7.3	1.5	.7	1.0
31	.4					.3		42		1.2	.7	

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	14.9	0.9	0.4	0.48	0.084	0.10	30
November	14.3	.9	.4	.48	.084	.09	28
December	12.6	-	-	.41	.072	.08	25
Calendar year 1948	1,365.3	53	-	5.72	.655	8.89	2,710
January	9.3	-	-	.30	.053	.06	18
February	8.3	-	-	.30	.053	.05	16
March	8.0	.3	.2	.26	.046	.05	16
April	198.8	18	.3	6.63	1.16	1.30	394
May	976	50	12	31.5	5.53	6.37	1,940
June	656.3	58	7.3	21.9	3.84	4.28	1,300
July	109.0	6.8	1.1	3.52	.618	.71	216
August	28.9	1.8	.7	.93	.163	.19	57
September	19.9	1.1	.6	.66	.116	.13	39
Water year 1948-49	2,056.3	50	-	5.63	.988	13.41	4,080

Peak discharge (base, 25 sec.-ft.)--May 19 (5 p.m.) 58 sec.-ft.; May 28 (3 p.m.) 51 sec.-ft.
Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 8, 18-20, 24, Nov. 26 to Dec. 2, Dec. 4 to about Feb. 20, Apr. 7, 8, 10-13. No gage-height record Oct. 18-21, Dec. 19 to Feb. 27; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for nearby streams.

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Spring Creek near Tetonla, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°50'30", long. 111°07', in sec. 14, T. 6 N., R. 45 E., 10 feet downstream from source of creek at spring and 3 miles northeast of Tetonla.

Records available.--June 1946 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 5.3 second-feet at times in May, June, and July; maximum gage height, 1.34 feet Dec. 12 (backwater from snow in channel); minimum discharge recorded, 1.9 second-feet Jan. 7-9, but may have been less during period of no gage-height record in January and February.

1946-49: Maximum discharge recorded, 9.5 second-feet Mar. 19, 1947, but may have been greater during period of no gage-height record Mar. 16-18, 1947; minimum, 1.9 second-feet Mar. 30, 31, 1948, Jan. 7-9, 1949, but may have been less during period of no gage-height record in January or February, 1949.

Remarks.--Records fair except those for Nov. 1 to July 31, which are poor. One diversion above station for irrigation. Approximately 137 acre-feet were diverted during year (15 in June, 31 in July, 46 in August, and 45 in September).

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	3.5	3.0	2.6	2.1		*2.3	2.8	4.4	5.1	5.3	3.7	3.7
2	3.5	3.0	2.8	2.1		2.3	2.8	4.4	5.1	5.3	3.5	3.7
3	3.7	3.0	2.7	2.1		2.3	2.8	4.4	5.1	5.3	3.5	3.7
4	3.7	3.2	2.7	2.1		2.3	2.8	4.4	5.1	5.3	3.5	3.5
5	3.7	3.2	2.7	2.0		2.3	3.0	4.4	5.1	5.1	3.5	3.5
6	3.7	3.2	2.7	2.0		2.3	3.0	4.4	5.1	5.1	3.5	3.5
7	3.5	3.2	2.7	1.9		2.3	3.2	4.6	5.1	5.1	3.5	3.5
8	3.2	3.0	2.5	1.9	2.0	2.5	3.2	4.8	5.1	5.1	3.5	3.3
9	3.2	3.0	2.5	1.9		2.5	3.2	4.8	5.1	5.1	3.5	3.5
10	3.2	3.0	2.5	2.0		2.5	3.2	4.8	5.1	5.1	3.5	3.5
11	3.4	3.0	2.5	2.0		2.7	3.2	4.8	5.1	5.3	3.1	3.5
12	3.0	3.0	b2.5	2.0		2.7	3.4	4.8	5.1	5.3	3.1	3.1
13	3.0	3.0	*2.5	2.0		2.7	3.4	5.1	5.1	5.3	3.3	3.1
14	3.0	3.0	2.7			2.7	3.4	5.1	5.1	5.3	3.5	2.9
15	3.4	3.0	2.5			2.8	3.4	5.1	5.1	5.3	3.5	2.7
16	3.2	3.0	2.7			2.8	3.4	5.1	5.1	5.3	3.5	2.7
17	3.2	3.0	2.7			2.7	3.4	5.1	5.1	5.3	3.5	2.7
18	3.2	3.0	2.7		2.1	2.7	3.7	5.1	5.1	5.1	3.5	2.7
19	3.2	3.0	2.5			2.7	3.9	5.3	5.1	5.1	3.5	2.7
20	3.2	2.8	2.5			2.7	3.9	5.1	5.1	5.1	3.5	2.7
21	3.2	3.0	2.5			2.7	3.9	5.1	5.1	5.1	3.7	2.7
22	3.0	2.8	2.4	2.0		2.8	4.2	4.8	5.1	5.1	3.7	2.7
23	3.2	2.8	2.4		2.2	2.8	4.2	4.8	5.3	5.1	3.7	2.7
24	3.2	2.8	2.4			2.8	4.2	4.8	5.3	5.1	3.7	2.7
25	3.0	2.8	2.4			2.8	4.2	4.8	5.3	5.1	3.7	2.7
26	3.0	3.0	2.4		2.3	2.8	4.2	4.8	5.3	4.8	3.7	2.7
27	3.0	3.0	2.4			2.8	4.2	5.1	5.3	4.6	3.5	2.7
28	3.0	2.8	2.3			2.8	4.4	5.1	5.3	4.6	3.5	2.9
29	3.0	2.8	2.1		-	3.0	4.4	5.1	5.3	4.4	3.7	3.1
30	3.0	2.8	2.1		-	2.8	4.4	5.1	5.3	4.4	3.7	3.1
31	3.0	-	2.1		-	2.8	-	5.1	-	4.0	3.7	-
Month												
						Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet		
October.....						100.3	3.7	3.0	3.24	199		
November.....						89.2	3.2	2.8	2.97	177		
December.....						77.9	2.8	2.1	2.51	155		
Calendar year 1948						1,427.0	-	1.9	3.90	2,835		
January.....						62.1	-	-	2.00	123		
February.....						58.5	-	-	2.09	116		
March.....						81.7	3.0	2.3	2.64	162		
April.....						107.4	4.4	2.8	3.58	213		
May.....						150.6	5.3	4.4	4.86	299		
June.....						154.6	5.3	5.1	5.15	307		
July.....						156.5	5.3	4.0	5.05	310		
August.....						109.5	3.7	3.1	3.53	217		
September.....						92.2	3.7	2.7	3.07	183		
Water year 1948-49						1,240.5	5.3	-	3.40	2,460		

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by snow in channel.

Note.--No gage-height record Jan. 14 to Feb. 28, June 6-18, July 31; discharge interpolated or computed on basis of weather records and records for Teton River near Tetonla.

Blackfoot River near Blackfoot, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°08', long. 112°28', at east quarter corner of sec. 28, T. 3 S., R. 34 E., 2 miles upstream from mouth and 9 miles southwest of Blackfoot. Altitude of gage, 4,420 feet (river-profile survey).

Drainage area.--1,100 square miles.

Records available.--July 1913 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 605 second-feet Apr. 22 (gage height, 5.77 feet); minimum, 6 second-feet June 12 (gage height, 1.20 feet).
1913-49: Maximum discharge, 868 second-feet May 21, 1921; no flow for many days.

Remarks.--Records good except those for Dec. 4 to Mar. 16, which are poor. Flow regulated by Blackfoot Marsh Reservoir (capacity, 413,000 acre-feet). Many diversions above station for irrigation. Most of flow during nonirrigation season and part of that during irrigation season is supplied by waste from Snake River canals.

Cooperation.--Gage-height record furnished by Office of Indian Affairs.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	141	180	186	120	55	*17	157	313	207	12	33	21
2	196	161	88	120	50	17	143	246	227	10	42	15
3	208	176	449	120	50	20	130	113	252	21	43	13
4	214	181	400	120	45	20	128	56	278	14	40	16
5	250	189	300	120	45	25	117	52	298	13	39	18
6	278	a195	270	110	45	30	96	93	a200	17	48	19
7	318	a185	*246	110	40	40	93	134	a100	18	41	22
8	310	177	235	110	40	55	101	86	40	16	44	22
9	273	306	230	110	40	65	116	86	18	22	58	25
10	218	333	235	110	35	75	123	75	9	23	60	31
11	153	372	240	110	35	85	148	56	9	28	75	41
12	121	402	245	110	30	85	150	37	16	18	94	54
13	94	440	241	110	25	90	144	35	26	16	90	63
14	86	459	227	110	20	90	132	49	27	14	50	63
15	88	428	218	110	20	90	148	43	28	14	38	60
16	96	416	215	110	20	90	149	50	29	22	36	63
17	100	418	193	100	20	92	158	413	68	30	37	70
18	101	407	180	90	20	86	185	434	83	28	33	90
19	116	392	170	85	20	87	193	153	204	28	25	68
20	138	366	160	80	20	87	203	207	218	35	18	45
21	135	376	150	75	20	92	454	308	217	33	28	40
22	150	389	145	70	20	*150	553	314	189	30	28	30
23	169	351	140	70	20	166	565	280	136	35	27	26
24	184	369	135	65	20	158	557	354	82	49	45	16
25	181	385	135	65	20	154	566	396	70	51	48	23
26	183	369	130	65	20	150	565	336	63	39	60	34
27	181	300	130	60	20	150	574	360	60	26	58	43
28	179	328	130	60	18	136	518	362	52	19	56	50
29	177	327	*130	55	-	130	388	364	37	21	52	61
30	192	277	130	55	-	161	350	324	25	26	42	80
31	192	-	130	*55	-	163	-	260	-	33	26	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	5,422	318	86	175	10,750
November.....	9,654	459	161	322	19,150
December.....	6,213	449	86	200	12,320
Calendar year 1948	65,241	592	4	178	129,400
January.....	2,860	120	55	92.3	5,670
February.....	833	55	18	29.8	1,650
March.....	2,856	166	17	92.1	5,660
April.....	7,904	574	93	263	15,680
May.....	6,419	434	35	207	12,750
June.....	3,266	298	9	109	6,480
July.....	761	51	10	24.5	1,510
August.....	1,415	94	18	45.6	2,810
September.....	1,222	90	13	40.7	2,420
Water year 1948-49	48,825	574	9	134	96,830

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge interpolated.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 4-11, Dec. 19 to Mar. 16 (no gage-height record Dec. 21, 22, 25-28, Dec. 31 to Feb. 28, Mar. 8, 16; discharge computed on basis of 4 discharge measurements, occasional gage readings, and weather records.

Portneuf River at Topaz, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 42°38', long. 112°16', in sec. 23, T. 9 S., R. 37 E., at Oregon Short Line Railroad bridge, a quarter of a mile west of Topaz, 1½ miles upstream from diversion dam of Portneuf-Marsh Valley Canal Co., and 6 miles southeast of McCammon.

Records available.--January 1913 to September 1915, July 1919 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--30 years (1913-14, 1919-22, 1923-49), 192 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 378 second-feet Apr. 6 (gage height, 2.25 feet); minimum observed, 117 second-feet Sept. 28; minimum gage height observed, 1.00 foot Jan. 24, 25.
1913-15, 1919-49: Maximum discharge observed, 902 second-feet Apr. 3, 1913 (gage height, 6.1 feet, site and datum then in use); minimum observed, 65 second-feet Oct. 9, 1934 (gage height, 0.81 foot).

Remarks.--Records good except those for period of no gage-height record or backwater from snow, which are fair. Gage read once daily. Flow regulated by Portneuf-Marsh Valley Canal Co.'s reservoir near Chesterfield. Many ranch diversions above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	151	149	147	149	138	140	251	294	263	214	223	192
2	147	155	147	145	140	140	271	290	271	210	223	192
3	143	174	147	149	140	138	290	286	255	218	223	192
4	147	159	143	142	136	138	328	282	251	220	223	202
5	143	160	147	142	140	138	360	275	247	220	216	202
6	151	157	145	145	a135	142	378	275	237	225	216	206
7	151	153	143	145	a135	140	346	267	233	245	216	202
8	151	149	143	142	a135	143	360	255	225	206	210	202
9	147	153	147	145	a135	143	371	259	220	206	210	214
10	143	157	143	149	b135	147	371	267	208	235	210	210
11	140	159	149	147	b135	155	313	259	202	227	210	214
12	142	162	145	143	b135	159	309	255	182	223	212	190
13	142	159	145	140	b135	160	290	267	182	218	212	180
14	145	155	142	147	b135	168	279	271	178	216	216	164
15	147	162	145	147	b135	172	259	275	178	216	204	153
16	149	159	145	143	b140	180	251	279	172	212	220	149
17	142	164	149	136	b140	188	267	286	168	220	220	132
18	143	160	149	136	143	196	271	324	196	223	216	132
19	147	160	153	140	140	206	271	353	212	223	212	128
20	143	160	153	*140	136	235	298	360	216	218	212	128
21	147	157	151	132	138	251	290	371	210	218	208	126
22	143	149	147	128	136	290	286	328	194	220	202	126
23	143	153	143	128	*136	290	324	320	210	220	223	126
24	149	153	128	124	136	271	328	313	231	225	214	126
25	149	153	132	124	136	267	371	294	239	220	210	124
26	145	153	151	143	136	255	339	286	229	214	210	121
27	149	149	151	147	138	251	328	279	220	206	206	121
28	145	149	147	136	136	247	346	269	220	208	204	117
29	149	149	143	136	-	239	360	277	225	216	200	130
30	151	145	147	132	-	231	364	273	214	225	196	130
31	151	-	147	138	-	235	-	277	-	229	196	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	4,535	151	140	146	9,000
November.....	4,676	174	145	156	9,270
December.....	4,514	153	128	146	8,950
Calendar year 1948	74,909	466	128	205	148,600
January.....	4,340	149	124	140	8,610
February.....	3,837	143	135	137	7,610
March.....	6,055	290	138	195	12,010
April.....	9,470	378	251	316	18,780
May.....	6,966	371	255	289	17,760
June.....	6,488	271	168	216	12,870
July.....	6,794	245	206	219	13,480
August.....	6,573	223	196	212	13,040
September.....	4,831	214	117	161	9,580
Water year 1948-49	71,079	378	117	195	141,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for other near-by streams.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by snow in river channel.

Portneuf River at Pocatello, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°52', long. 112°28', in sec. 27, T. 6 S., R. 34 E., at highway bridge at foot of Carson Street, in west end of Pocatello.

Records available.--August 1911 to September 1949. May 1897 to October 1899 at site 1 mile upstream.

Average discharge.--36 years (1912-16, 1917-49), 254 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 686 second-feet Apr. 26 (gage height, 6.00 feet); minimum, 35 second-feet July 2 (gage height, 2.23 feet).

1897-99, 1911-49: Maximum discharge, more than 2,000 second-feet sometime during period May 13 to June 14, 1917; minimum, 5 second-feet July 31, 1942, from rating curve extended below 40 second-feet.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect, which are poor. Many diversions above station for irrigation. Flow regulated by storage reservoir near Chesterfield.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	169	250	263	268	230	286	408	571	304	40	59	67
2	178	268	265	260	230	311	426	531	317	36	58	71
3	174	299	267	215	230	324	446	487	313	44	60	73
4	176	304	274	236	230	326	462	466	295	66	69	75
5	184	290	272	250	230	324	493	444	270	133	71	79
6	189	279	268	270	225	326	533	430	255	151	66	82
7	233	277	274	280	225	342	565	418	240	105	64	84
8	263	267	263	250	225	342	588	386	226	84	64	86
9	258	258	265	240	225	333	618	365	229	71	67	84
10	255	267	293	240	225	342	629	340	223	71	71	84
11	253	274	295	240	225	356	627	333	192	69	72	93
12	252	282	291	250	225	373	731	311	160	66	67	104
13	246	284	288	260	225	388	627	272	145	68	68	102
14	246	286	291	270	225	408	605	263	138	69	69	101
15	268	291	290	250	225	434	586	291	120	68	72	112
16	277	297	272	240	230	454	577	335	97	68	68	101
17	270	300	265	220	230	460	584	337	89	67	72	95
18	263	297	270	220	230	458	584	333	91	66	68	91
19	257	279	281	220	230	462	609	375	102	69	64	91
20	257	275	282	*220	230	478	636	404	100	68	64	88
21	257	275	260	220	230	491	634	468	101	64	64	88
22	255	275	234	220	233	510	618	492	101	60	62	87
23	257	*277	230	210	*228	514	629	489	97	66	62	83
24	253	282	210	210	229	516	658	456	87	67	62	83
25	250	293	210	210	228	502	675	422	75	67	63	84
26	248	295	240	230	228	*478	682	388	72	64	67	83
27	248	284	260	230	236	458	678	377	68	58	66	83
28	240	268	280	220	250	444	667	360	68	56	64	86
29	252	265	280	220	-	416	651	339	62	57	64	88
30	252	263	280	220	-	410	609	320	44	56	69	91
31	248	-	270	220	-	408	-	304	-	59	69	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	7,428	277	169	240	14,730
November.....	8,401	304	250	280	16,860
December.....	8,283	295	210	267	16,430
Calendar year 1948	102,787	730	33	281	203,900
January.....	7,309	280	210	236	14,500
February.....	6,412	250	225	229	12,720
March.....	12,674	516	286	409	25,140
April.....	17,745	682	408	592	35,200
May.....	12,107	571	263	391	24,010
June.....	4,681	317	44	156	9,280
July.....	2,153	151	36	69.5	4,270
August.....	2,045	72	58	66.0	4,060
September.....	2,619	112	67	87.3	5,190
Water year 1948-49	91,857	682	36	252	182,200

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 21, 23-31, Jan. 2, Jan. 5 to about Feb. 21, Feb. 24 to Mar. 1. No gage-height record Feb. 1-11, 13-21; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for station at Topaz.

Birch Creek near Downey, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage and wooden control, lat. 42°21', long. 112°15', in SE¹ sec. 28, T. 12 S., R. 36 E., just downstream from point where flow that is diverted through Malad power plant reenters stream, 8.6 miles southwest of Downey, and 10 miles upstream from confluence with Marsh Creek.

Records available.--September 1937 to September 1949 (discontinued). October 1911 to August 1914 at site 1½ miles upstream.

Average discharge.--13 years (1911-12, 1937-49), 9.31 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum daily discharge during year, 25 second-feet May 21; maximum gage height observed, 1.26 feet May 24; minimum daily, 7.5 second-feet on several days in October, January, and February.

1911-14, 1937-49: Maximum discharge observed, 95 second-feet July 15, 1938, by velocity-area method on basis of floodmark at measuring section; minimum observed, 3.4 second-feet Dec. 24-27, 1913.

Remarks.--Records poor. Gage read twice daily Oct. 1 to Nov. 30, and once daily thereafter. Malad power plant, which has a small reservoir above station, may cause slight diurnal fluctuations. Water is diverted from Birch Creek half a mile below station and carried by transmountain canal to Devil Creek in Bear River Basin.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	7.7	7.7	a7.7	a7.8	a8.2	a7.7	7.9	a17	a21	a9.5	a8.8	a8.5
2	7.7	7.7	a7.7	a7.7	a8.2	a7.7	7.7	17	a20	a9.5	a8.8	a8.5
3	7.7	7.7	7.7	a7.6	a8.2	a7.7	a7.8	a16	20	a9.5	a8.8	a8.5
4	7.7	7.7	a7.7	7.5	8.2	7.7	7.9	a16	a20	a9.5	a8.8	a8.5
5	7.5	7.7	a7.7	a7.7	a8.1	a7.7	a9.0	a16	a20	a9.0	a8.8	a8.5
6	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.9	a8.0	7.7	a12	a15	20	a9.0	a8.7	a8.5
7	7.7	7.7	a7.7	a7.9	a7.9	a7.8	a11	a15	a19	a9.0	a8.7	a8.5
8	7.7	7.7	a7.7	a7.9	a7.8	a8.0	a12	a16	a19	a9.0	a8.7	a8.5
9	7.7	7.7	a7.7	a7.9	a7.7	a8.0	a12	a17	a18	a9.0	a8.7	8.5
10	7.7	7.7	7.7	a7.9	7.7	a8.0	a12	17	16	9.0	a8.7	a8.5
11	7.7	7.7	a7.7	7.9	a7.9	a8.0	a11	a18	a16	a9.0	a8.7	a8.5
12	7.7	7.7	a7.7	a7.7	a8.0	a8.0	a11	a18	a16	a9.0	a8.7	a8.5
13	7.7	7.7	7.7	a7.6	a8.1	a8.0	a11	19	a16	a9.0	a8.7	a8.5
14	7.7	7.7	a7.7	7.5	8.2	a8.0	11	a19	a16	a9.0	a8.7	a8.5
15	7.7	7.7	a7.7	a7.5	a8.2	8.2	a11	a18	a15	a9.0	8.7	a8.5
16	7.7	7.7	a7.7	a7.5	8.2	a8.2	a10	18	a15	a9.0	a8.7	a8.5
17	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.5	a8.2	a8.2	a11	a18	a14	a9.0	a8.7	a8.5
18	7.7	7.7	a7.7	a7.5	8.2	8.2	a11	a18	a14	a9.0	a8.7	a8.5
19	7.7	7.7	7.7	a7.5	a8.2	a8.2	a11	a22	a14	a9.0	a8.7	a8.5
20	7.7	7.7	a7.7	a7.6	a8.2	a8.2	a12	a24	a13	a8.9	a8.7	a8.5
21	7.7	7.7	a7.7	a7.6	a8.2	8.2	13	a25	a13	a8.9	a8.7	a8.5
22	7.7	7.9	7.7	a7.7	8.2	a8.1	a13	a24	a13	a8.9	a8.7	a8.5
23	7.7	7.7	a7.8	a7.7	a7.8	a8.0	a15	a23	a12	a8.9	a8.7	a8.5
24	7.7	7.7	7.9	7.7	7.5	a7.9	a17	22	a12	a8.9	a8.6	a8.5
25	7.7	7.7	a7.9	a7.7	7.7	7.9	16	a22	a12	a8.9	a8.6	a8.5
26	7.7	7.7	a7.9	a7.7	a7.7	a8.0	a17	a22	a11	a8.9	a8.6	a8.5
27	7.7	7.7	7.9	a7.7	a7.7	8.2	a16	a22	a11	a8.9	a8.6	a8.5
28	7.7	7.7	a7.9	7.7	7.7	a8.1	a16	a21	a11	a8.8	a8.6	a8.5
29	7.7	7.7	7.9	a7.8	-	a8.0	17	a21	a10	a8.8	a8.6	a8.5
30	7.7	7.7	a7.9	a8.0	-	a8.0	a17	21	a10	a8.8	a8.6	a8.5
31	7.7	-	7.9	8.2	-	a7.9	-	a21	-	a8.8	a8.6	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	238.5	7.7	7.5	7.69	473
November.....	231.2	7.9	7.7	7.71	459
December.....	240.4	7.9	7.7	7.75	477
Calendar year 1948.....	3,348.2	25	6.2	9.15	6,640
January.....	239.1	8.2	7.5	7.71	474
February.....	223.9	8.2	7.5	8.00	444
March.....	247.5	8.2	7.7	7.98	491
April.....	368.3	18	7.7	12.3	731
May.....	598	25	15	19.3	1,190
June.....	457	21	10	15.2	906
July.....	279.4	9.5	8.8	9.01	554
August.....	269.4	8.8	8.6	8.69	534
September.....	255.0	8.5	8.5	8.50	506
Water year 1948-49.....	3,647.7	25	7.5	9.99	7,240

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for stations in Portneuf River and Malad River Basins.

Raft River at Peterson Ranch, near Bridge, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°04', long. 113°27', in sec. 5, T. 16 S., R. 26 E., 100 feet upstream from One Mile Creek, 400 feet downstream from road bridge, 7½ miles southwest of Bridge, and 16 miles south of Malta.

Records available.--September 1946 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 338 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 3.41 feet); minimum, 2.0 second-feet Dec. 21 (gage height, 0.99 foot), caused by ice jam upstream. 1946-49: Maximum discharge, that of May 17, 1949; minimum, that of Dec. 21, 1948.

Remarks.--Records good except those for period of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Diversions above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	6.7	7.0	12	12	12	21	30	87	97	12	8.3	7.0
2	6.4	7.0	12	11	12	23	30	81	89	12	8.3	7.0
3	6.4	7.4	12	10	12	22	31	77	76	12	8.3	7.0
4	6.4	7.4	11	10	12	26	32	75	67	50	8.3	7.0
5	6.4	7.0	12	10	12	26	32	69	63	26	8.3	7.0
6	6.4	7.4	12	10	12	26	38	62	55	25	8.0	7.0
7	6.4	7.4	13	10	12	24	42	60	53	18	7.7	7.0
8	6.4	7.7	11	11	12	24	47	60	47	14	7.7	7.0
9	6.4	7.4	12	11	12	23	52	61	41	14	7.7	7.0
10	6.4	7.7	13	11	13	25	52	61	37	14	7.7	7.0
11	6.4	8.0	14	11	13	26	67	63	32	13	7.4	7.0
12	6.4	8.3	14	11	12	29	98	64	29	13	7.4	7.0
13	6.4	8.6	14	11	12	29	132	65	28	12	7.4	7.4
14	6.4	8.6	14	11	12	31	123	66	26	11	7.4	7.4
15	8.0	8.6	11	11	12	32	115	64	23	9.9	7.4	7.4
18	7.0	8.6	11	11	15	33	93	111	19	9.4	7.4	7.0
17	6.7	9.4	12	11	17	31	91	266	16	8.9	7.4	7.0
18	6.7	8.9	11	11	18	32	94	242	15	9.9	7.4	7.7
19	6.7	*8.9	11	11	18	32	90	266	15	11	7.4	7.7
20	6.7	10	12	11	18	35	108	220	15	9.9	7.0	7.4
21	6.7	10	11	11	18	36	124	197	15	10	7.0	7.4
22	7.0	11	11	12	18	33	118	195	14	10	6.7	7.7
23	7.0	13	11	12	18	39	117	165	13	9.9	8.0	8.0
24	7.0	14	11	12	17	41	120	145	13	9.9	8.3	7.7
25	7.0	14	10	12	17	35	115	129	13	9.9	7.4	7.7
26	7.0	14	10	*12	17	31	101	118	13	9.9	7.4	7.7
27	7.0	9.4	11	12	18	31	93	112	12	9.9	7.0	7.7
28	7.0	11	11	12	*18	31	89	120	12	9.4	7.0	7.7
29	7.4	11	11	12	-	30	89	112	12	8.9	7.0	7.7
30	7.4	11	11	12	-	30	90	98	12	8.6	7.0	7.7
31	7.0	-	11	12	-	31	-	100	-	8.6	7.0	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	209.2	8.0	6.4	6.75	415
November.....	279.7	14	7.0	9.32	555
December.....	363	14	10	11.7	720
Calendar year 1948.....	5,042.4	72	5.4	13.8	10,000
January.....	347	12	10	11.2	688
February.....	409	18	12	14.6	811
March.....	918	41	21	29.6	1,820
April.....	2,453	132	30	81.8	4,870
May.....	3,613	268	60	117	7,170
June.....	972	97	12	32.4	1,930
July.....	410.0	50	8.6	13.2	813
August.....	233.7	8.3	6.7	7.54	464
September.....	220.0	8.0	7.0	7.33	436
Water year 1948-49.....	10,427.6	268	6.4	28.6	20,690

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Jan. 5-28. No gage-height record Jan. 19-25, Jan. 25 to Feb. 27; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for nearby streams.

Clear Creek near Naf, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 41°58'15", long. 113°17'15", in SW¹/₄SW¹/₄ sec. 1, T. 14 N., R. 13 W. Salt Lake meridian, 2 miles south of Utah-Idaho State line, 3 miles south of Naf post office, and 20 miles upstream from Raft River.

Drainage area.--19 square miles.

Records available.--January 1910 to June 1911 (fragmentary), June to December 1912 (gage heights only); November 1944 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 122 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 2.28 feet); minimum, 0.2 second-foot Aug. 15, caused by irrigation diversion.
1910-11, 1944-49: Maximum discharge observed, 180 second-feet May 13, 1910; minimum, that of Aug. 15, 1949.

Remarks.--Records good except those for period of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Diversions above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949												
Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1.5	2.0	2.0					24	50	13	2.9	1.4
2	1.4	2.0	2.0					22	42	12	2.9	1.4
3	1.1	2.2	1.8				a4	24	38	13	2.7	1.2
4	1.5	1.8	bl.8					24	32	14	2.7	1.2
5	2.1	1.4	bl.8			a2.5		22	31	13	2.7	1.2
6	2.0	2.0	1.8					20	32	9.7	1.8	1.0
7	2.0	1.8	1.6					21	37	8.3	1.0	.9
8	1.8	1.6	1.8		a1.7		a5	25	39	8.7	2.4	.8
9	1.5	bl.7	1.6					37	40	9.2	2.4	.9
10	1.6	1.8	1.5					60	40	8.7	2.2	1.1
11	1.5	1.8	1.6					68	43	8.0	2.2	1.1
12	1.4	1.6	1.6			a3.0	a7	62	45	7.3	2.1	1.4
13	1.4	1.6						62	40	6.5	2.1	1.4
14	2.1	1.5						72	38	6.9	1.6	1.1
15	6.2	1.8		a1.7				85	35	6.5	.9	1.0
16	3.2	1.6	(*)					81	34	6.2	1.6	.6
17	2.4	1.8	bl.7					104	32	5.8	1.6	1.0
18	*2.1	1.5					a10	109	28	5.8	1.5	1.0
19	2.0	bl.8						99	28	5.5	1.6	.9
20	2.0	2.0						92	26	5.1	1.5	.8
21	2.0	1.8		(*)				13	85	22	3.2	1.2
22	1.8	bl.8			a2.0			13	78	21	2.2	1.1
23	2.0	*1.8				a3.5		15	66	21	4.1	2.6
24	1.6	1.8						17	62	20	4.1	2.4
25	1.8	1.8						20	64	19	3.9	2.0
26	1.6	bl.9	a1.7					23	74	18	3.9	1.6
27	1.8	bl.9						24	81	16	3.7	1.5
28	2.1	2.0						28	85	16	3.7	1.5
29	2.1	b2.0			-			32	81	16	2.0	1.8
30	1.8	b2.0			-			27	68	14	1.5	1.8
31	1.8	-			-			60	-	3.2	1.5	-
Month						Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet		
October.....						61.2	6.2	1.1	1.97	121		
November.....						54.1	2.2	1.4	1.80	107		
December.....						53.2	-	-	1.72	106		
Calendar year 1948						3,509.5	102	.7	9.59	6,960		
January.....						52.7	-	-	1.7	105		
February.....						51.5	-	-	1.84	102		
March.....						96	-	-	3.10	190		
April.....						342	32	-	11.4	678		
May.....						1,917	109	20	61.8	3,800		
June.....						913	50	14	30.4	1,810		
July.....						208.7	14	1.5	6.73	414		
August.....						59.4	2.9	.9	1.92	118		
September.....						32.4	1.8	.6	1.08	64		
Water year 1948-49						3,841.2	109	.6	10.5	7,620		

Peak discharge (base, 70 sec.-ft.),--May 17 (3 a.m.) 122 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record (stage-discharge relation affected by ice during most of period); discharge computed on basis of winter discharge measurements and weather records.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

North Side Minidoka Canal near Minidoka, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°40', long. 113°29', in sec. 1, T. 9 S., R. 25 E., 600 feet downstream from head gates at Minidoka Dam and 6 miles south of Minidoka.

Records available.--May 1909 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,670 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 9.67 feet); no flow during winter.

1909-49: Maximum discharge, 1,780 second-feet July 11, 1943; maximum gage height, 10.00 feet May 7, 1943; no flow during winters.

Remarks.--Records excellent. Flow controlled by head gates. Canal diverts water from Snake River of 64,000 acres of land under North Side Minidoka project.

Cooperation.--Gage-height record furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	322						0	1,590	1,140	1,630	1,400	1,010
2	322						0	1,590	1,040	1,630	1,400	1,070
3	322						0	1,610	1,010	1,640	1,400	1,080
4	317						0	1,610	1,020	1,630	1,400	1,010
5	251						0	1,630	1,020	1,630	1,440	958
6	228						0	1,630	1,020	1,630	1,470	958
7	231						0	1,620	1,150	1,630	1,470	956
8	229						0	1,590	1,310	1,620	1,500	951
9	229						0	1,580	1,460	1,620	1,560	951
10	228						0	1,590	1,520	1,620	1,560	953
11	227						0	1,590	1,380	1,620	1,530	956
12	263						0	1,590	1,210	1,620	1,520	907
13	356						0	1,620	1,210	1,610	1,520	742
14	399						55	1,860	1,120	1,610	1,470	702
15	407						164	1,860	1,170	1,600	1,440	678
16	342						218	1,660	1,180	1,590	1,470	674
17	306						249	1,570	1,210	1,600	1,490	678
18	305						356	1,380	1,250	1,610	1,500	682
19	305						586	1,200	1,270	1,630	1,500	680
20	166						536	1,000	1,270	1,640	1,450	732
21	0						896	937	1,320	1,650	1,410	780
22	0						917	942	1,400	1,840	1,350	784
23	0						1,050	944	1,540	1,620	1,300	786
24	0						1,110	946	1,620	1,590	1,100	786
25	0						1,210	1,050	1,620	1,560	933	788
26	0						1,370	1,170	1,620	1,530	889	822
27	0						1,530	1,210	1,630	1,480	855	844
28	0						1,600	1,210	1,620	1,460	826	846
29	0						1,580	1,210	1,620	1,460	826	782
30	0						1,580	1,210	1,630	1,440	822	728
31	0						-	1,210	-	1,400	882	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	5,755	407	0	186	11,420
November.....	0	0	0	0	0
December.....	0	0	0	0	0
Calendar year 1948	217,599	1,700	0	595	431,600
January.....	0	0	0	0	0
February.....	0	0	0	0	0
March.....	0	0	0	0	0
April.....	14,987	1,600	0	500	29,730
May.....	43,009	1,660	937	1,387	85,310
June.....	39,580	1,630	1,010	1,319	78,510
July.....	49,240	1,650	1,400	1,590	97,670
August.....	40,683	1,560	822	1,313	80,690
September.....	25,274	1,080	674	842	50,130
Water year 1948-49	218,528	1,660	0	599	433,500

South Side Minidoka Canal near Minidoka, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°40', long. 113°29', in sec. 12, T. 9 S., R. 25 E., 300 yards downstream from head gates at Minidoka Dam and 6 miles south of Minidoka.

Records available.--April 1909 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,380 second-feet Apr. 29 (gage height, 5.82 feet); no flow during winter.

1909-49: Maximum discharge, 1,400 second-feet June 10, 12, 14, 1948; no flow during winters.

Remarks.--Records excellent. Flow controlled by head gates. Canal diverts water from Snake River for irrigation of 54,000 acres of land under South Side Minidoka project.

Cooperation.--Gage-height record furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	200						0	1,290	628	1,250	1,240	1,020
2	200						0	1,270	593	1,250	1,240	1,040
3	200						0	1,230	598	1,260	1,250	1,120
4	196						0	1,190	630	1,260	1,250	1,100
5	200						0	1,170	742	1,050	1,250	1,110
6	196						0	1,140	1,010	1,140	1,250	1,070
7	196						0	1,090	1,190	1,220	1,260	1,010
8	199						0	1,030	1,310	1,230	1,270	986
9	238						0	1,060	1,350	1,250	1,280	965
10	266						0	1,100	1,360	1,250	1,280	926
11	312						0	1,150	1,360	1,260	1,280	853
12	406						0	1,200	1,360	1,260	1,280	789
13	438						0	1,270	1,310	1,270	1,280	698
14	452						0	1,320	1,190	1,290	1,280	641
15	454						89	1,320	1,100	1,290	1,270	588
16	450						134	1,300	1,060	1,290	1,260	568
17	448						177	1,100	1,060	1,290	1,260	553
18	473						275	713	1,040	1,290	1,250	496
19	518						454	544	1,030	1,280	1,240	499
20	130						503	286	1,020	1,270	1,200	506
21	0						523	286	1,050	1,270	1,180	536
22	0						677	310	1,120	1,270	1,190	598
23	0						819	328	1,240	1,260	1,200	633
24	0						935	582	1,280	1,270	1,170	711
25	0						999	425	1,240	1,270	1,070	711
26	0						1,070	466	1,250	1,270	1,040	706
27	0						1,190	578	1,260	1,270	944	713
28	0						1,330	656	1,270	1,270	905	716
29	0						1,370	682	1,270	1,260	868	682
30	0						1,350	708	1,270	1,250	891	616
31	0						-	695	-	1,240	977	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	6,174	518	0	199	12,250
November.....	0	0	0	0	0
December.....	0	0	0	0	0
Calendar year 1948.....	179,541	1,390	0	491	356,100
January.....	0	0	0	0	0
February.....	0	0	0	0	0
March.....	0	0	0	0	0
April.....	11,875	1,370	0	396	23,550
May.....	27,089	1,320	286	874	53,730
June.....	33,191	1,360	593	1,106	65,830
July.....	38,850	1,290	1,050	1,253	77,060
August.....	36,608	1,260	868	1,181	72,600
September.....	23,160	1,120	496	772	45,940
Water year 1948-49.....	176,944	1,370	0	485	351,000

Goose Creek above Trapper Creek, near Oakley, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°07', long. 113°56', in sec. 13, T. 15 S., R. 21 E., 5 miles upstream from Trapper Creek and 10 miles south of Oakley.

Records available.--April 1911 to September 1916, March 1919 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--26 years (1911-14, 1926-49), 40.9 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 304 second-feet May 1 (gage height, 3.86 feet); minimum, 4.1 second-feet Sept. 11.

1911-16, 1919-49: Maximum discharge, 1,670 second-feet Jan. 23 or Feb. 24, 1943 (gage height, 7.6 feet, from high-water mark), from rating curve extended above 600 second-feet by logarithmic plotting; no flow July 22 to Aug. 10, Aug. 22-30, 1934, Aug. 15 to Oct. 3, 1935, July 22 to Sept. 25, 1940, Sept. 14, 1947.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect, which are poor. Diversions above station for irrigation. Flow of artesian well, completed in 1935, enters below. Practically entire flow passing station is stored in Oakley Reservoir.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	8.1	12					61	302	150	14	7.1	6.1
2	8.1	12					60	291	142	14	6.8	6.1
3	7.8	13				25	61	268	134	14	6.8	5.9
4	7.4	14					62	244	123	14	6.6	5.5
5	7.4	13	20	17			63	240	114	13	6.6	5.7
6	8.7	13					67	226	105	12	6.4	5.5
7	9.7	14					76	209	101	10	6.1	5.5
8	9.7	13				35	89	197	97	9.0	6.1	5.3
9	9.4	13					103	185	93	8.4	6.1	5.0
10	9.0	15			15		113	204	79	8.1	6.1	4.8
11	8.7	18				45	119	204	70	9.0	6.1	4.4
12	8.4	17	22			60	126	206	65	9.4	6.1	4.4
13	7.8	17				77	139	209	60	9.7	6.1	4.8
14	7.8	17				85	151	209	57	9.0	5.7	4.8
15	17	17				91	151	215	52	9.4	5.5	5.0
16	12	17		16		92	154	240	50	12	5.5	5.0
17	10	18				81	158	256	46	14	5.5	4.8
18	9.0	*18				93	170	278	39	14	5.5	5.0
19	9.0	15			(*)	106	188	268	37	12	5.5	5.5
20	8.4	19				114	207	262	38	13	5.7	6.1
21	8.4	21	16			95	228	246	a34	12	6.1	6.8
22	8.4	18				87	234	220	a27	11	5.9	6.6
23	8.4	20			17	93	234	207	a24	10	5.9	7.4
24	8.4	23				91	242	193	22	9.4	7.4	8.1
25	8.4	23				81	254	178	22	8.7	7.8	8.1
26	8.7	23				80	260	166	22	8.7	7.4	8.1
27	8.7	20			20	79	262	158	20	8.4	7.1	8.7
28	9.0	22	17	15		*72	276	162	19	8.1	6.6	8.4
29	9.7	20				67	293	157	18	7.8	6.6	9.0
30	9.7	18				63	299	156	15	7.8	6.6	9.4
31	9.7	-				62	-	148	-	7.4	6.4	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	280.9	17	7.4	9.06	557
November.....	513	23	12	17.1	1,020
December.....	574	-	-	18.5	1,140
Calendar year 1948.....	11,755.0	166	0.9	32.1	23,320
January.....	497	-	-	16.0	986
February.....	445	-	-	15.9	883
March.....	2,014	114	-	65.0	3,990
April.....	4,900	298	80	163	9,720
May.....	6,714	302	148	217	13,320
June.....	1,875	150	15	62.5	3,720
July.....	327.3	14	7.4	10.6	649
August.....	195.7	7.8	5.5	6.31	388
September.....	185.8	9.4	4.4	6.19	369
Water year 1948-49.....	18,521.7	302	4.4	50.7	36,740

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of records for nearby streams.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 8-10, Nov. 27 to Mar. 12 (no gage-height record Jan. 11 to Feb. 18; discharge computed on basis of weather records, records for nearby streams, and storage records for Oakley Reservoir).

Oakley Reservoir near Oakley, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 42°12', long. 113°55', in sec. 19, T. 14 S., R. 22 E., just upstream from right abutment of dam on Goose Creek, 4 miles southwest of Oakley.

Records available.--October 1912 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents observed during year, 31,700 acre-feet June 10 (gage height, 89.5 feet); minimum observed, 1,370 acre-feet Oct. 1 (gage height, 19.5 feet).
1912-49: Maximum contents observed, 74,600 acre-feet June 15, 1921 (gage height, 136.2 feet); reservoir drained at close of seasons in 1915, 1919, 1920, 1926, 1933.

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by earth dam constructed in 1911-13; storage began in 1911. Capacity, 74,350 acre-feet between gage heights 0.0 foot (bottom of diversion tunnel) and 136.0 feet (crest of spillway). Dead storage negligible. Water is used for irrigation of lands along Goose Creek in Oakley Canal Co. project. Figures given herein represent usable contents. Gage read occasionally and contents shown on days observations were made.

Cooperation.--Gage readings and capacity table furnished by Oakley Canal Co.

Contents, in acre-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1,370	-	4,670	6,520	-	-	14,400	23,900	31,300	27,400	-	9,600
2	1,400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31,600	26,400	-	-
4	-	-	-	-	-	9,940	-	-	-	-	-	8,400
5	1,450	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	-	-	5,040	-	-	-	-	-	-	26,600	14,900	-
8	-	-	-	-	-	-	15,600	24,800	-	26,300	-	-
9	-	3,300	-	6,880	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	1,620	-	-	-	-	10,700	-	-	31,700	25,200	-	-
11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14,200	6,990
12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31,400	-	-	-
13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	-	3,620	-	-	8,700	-	-	-	-	-	13,700	-
15	1,980	-	5,560	7,110	-	-	17,400	26,000	30,800	22,600	-	6,260
16	-	-	-	-	-	11,600	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22,100	-	-
18	-	-	-	7,250	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19	-	3,610	-	7,290	-	-	-	-	30,300	-	-	-
20	2,200	-	-	-	9,090	12,400	19,400	-	-	-	-	-
21	-	4,050	-	-	-	-	-	28,800	-	-	11,600	-
22	-	-	5,870	-	-	-	-	29,000	-	-	-	-
23	-	-	-	-	9,370	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	-	-	-	-	-	-	22,500	-	-	18,400	-	4,900
25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26	2,500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29,200	-	-	-
27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
28	-	4,500	-	-	9,690	13,900	-	-	-	-	10,400	-
29	-	-	-	-	-	-	23,400	30,700	-	-	-	-
30	-	4,610	-	-	-	-	23,600	-	27,800	-	-	3,910
31	2,790	-	6,480	8,290	-	14,300	-	31,100	-	16,400	9,800	-

Monthly elevation and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Gage height (feet)	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30.....	-	31,420	-
Oct. 31.....	27.2	2,790	+1,370
Nov. 30.....	-	4,610	+1,820
Dec. 31.....	40.5	6,480	+1,870
Calendar year 1948..	-	-	-820
Jan. 31.....	45.7	8,290	+1,810
Feb. 28.....	-	9,690	+1,400
Mar. 31.....	-	14,300	+4,610
Apr. 30.....	-	23,600	+9,300
May 31.....	-	31,100	+7,500
June 30.....	-	27,800	-3,300
July 31.....	64.5	16,400	-11,400
Aug. 31.....	-	9,800	-6,600
Sept. 30.....	-	3,910	-5,890
Water year 1948-49..	-	-	+2,490

a No gage-height record; contents interpolated.

Trapper Creek near Oakley, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder and concrete control, lat. 42°10', long. 113°59', in sec. 34, T. 14 S., R. 21, E., 4 miles upstream from Oakley Dam and 7 miles southwest of Oakley.

Records available.--May 1911 to September 1916, March 1919 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--25 years (1911-12, 1913-14, 1926-49), 13.7 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 57 second-feet May 15 (gage height, 5.42 feet); minimum, 2.3 second-feet Feb. 22 (gage height, 4.57 feet), ice jam upstream. 1911-16, 1919-49: Maximum discharge recorded, 270 second-feet Aug. 17, 1941 (gage height, 6.99 feet), during cloudburst, from rating curve extended above 100 second-feet on basis of velocity-area studies and flow over weir (a higher flow may have occurred during cloudburst about 12 p.m. Aug. 15, 1931); minimum recorded, that of Feb. 22, 1949.

Remarks.--Records good except those for period of no gage-height record, which are fair. A few small diversions above station. Flow of artesian well, completed in 1936, enters above. Practically entire flow passing station is stored in Oakley Reservoir.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by Oakley Canal Co.

Revisions (water years).--W 1063: 1941, 1943.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	8.5	10	9.5	10		12	13	46	41	16	10	9.5
2	8.5	9.5	10	7.3		12	14	45	40	15	10	9.5
3	8.5	10	10	4.5		12	14	46	37	15	10	9.5
4	9.5	9.5	9.5			12	14	44	36	16	10	10
5	10	9.5	8.5			12	15	44	34	16	10	9.5
6	10	10	10			12	16	44	33	15	10	10
7	10	8.5	10			12	18	45	34	15	10	9.5
8	9.5	9.0	10			12	18	45	32	14	10	9.5
9	10	9.5	10			12	19	48	30	14	10	9.5
10	9.5	9.5	10		10	12	20	50	30	14	10	9.5
11	10	9.5	11			14	20	52	28	14	9.5	10
12	10	9.5	10			14	24	53	27	13	10	10
13	10	9.0	10			14	28	53	26	12	10	10
14	12	8.5	9.5			14	27	54	25	12	10	10
15	10	9.5	7.3			14	26	56	25	12	9.5	9.5
16	10	10	7.3			15	28	54	25	12	10	9.5
17	9.5	10	9.5	9		15	30	54	24	12	9.5	10
18	9.5	9.5	8.0			15	34	55	23	12	9.5	10
19	9.5	9.5	10			17	36	52	24	12	10	9.5
20	9.5	10	12		12	17	37	54	23	11	10	9.5
21	9.5	9.5	7.6		12	16	36	54	22	12	10	9.5
22	9.5	10	5.2		11	17	37	52	20	11	10	9.5
23	9.5	9.5	7.3		12	17	40	50	20	11	12	9.5
24	9.5	10	9.0		12	15	43	48	20	11	12	9.5
25	9.5	10	8.0		12	14	43	46	20	11	10	10
26	9.5	8.5	9.5		12	14	43	45	19	11	10	9.5
27	10	9.5	10		12	14	45	45	19	11	9.5	10
28	10	9.5	12		12	14	46	43	18	10	10	10
29	10	9.5	10		-	13	49	44	18	10	10	10
30	10	9.5	10		-	13	48	46	17	10	10	10
31	10	-	10		-	13	-	45	-	10	9.5	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	301.0	10	8.5	9.71	597
November.....	285.5	10	8.5	9.52	566
December.....	290.7	12	5.2	9.38	577
Calendar year 1948	4,629.7	32	5.2	12.6	9,190
January.....	273.8	-	-	8.85	543
February.....	299	12	-	10.7	593
March.....	429	17	12	13.8	851
April.....	881	49	13	29.4	1,750
May.....	1,510	56	43	48.7	3,000
June.....	790	41	17	26.3	1,570
July.....	390	16	10	12.6	774
August.....	311	12	9.5	10.0	617
September.....	291.5	10	9.5	9.72	578
Water year 1948-49	6,052.5	56	-	16.6	12,020

Note.--No gage-height record Jan. 4 to Feb. 18; discharge computed on basis of weather records, records for nearby streams, and flow during adjacent periods.

P. A. lateral near Milner, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 42°32', long. 114°01', in sec. 22, T. 10 S., R. 21 E., 600 feet downstream from pumping station and $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles northeast of Milner.

Records available.--April 1919 to September 1949. Records collected by North Side Canal Co. 1916 to 1918.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 73 second-feet Aug. 10-16; no flow Oct. 1 to Apr. 25, Sept. 26-30.

1919-49: Maximum discharge, that Aug. 10-16, 1949; no flow for many days.

Remarks.--Records excellent. Gage read twice daily. Flow regulated by pumping plant, which lifts water from Snake River for irrigation on North Side Twin Falls tract. An additional pump was installed in 1949.

Cooperation.--Gage-height record and five discharge measurements furnished by North Side Canal Co.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1							0	59	59	59	70	59
2							0	59	59	59	70	57
3							0	59	59	59	70	57
4							0	59	59	59	70	57
5							0	59	59	59	72	57
6							0	59	59	70	72	57
7							0	59	59	69	72	55
8							0	59	59	69	72	53
9							0	59	59	69	72	53
10							0	59	59	69	73	53
11							0	59	59	69	73	53
12							0	59	59	69	73	53
13							0	59	59	70	73	53
14							0	59	59	70	73	53
15							0	59	59	70	73	53
16							0	59	59	70	73	53
17							0	59	59	70	72	53
18							0	59	59	70	72	50
19							0	59	59	70	72	50
20							0	59	59	70	66	50
21							0	59	59	70	66	44
22							0	59	59	70	71	44
23							0	59	59	70	71	44
24							0	59	59	70	70	44
25							0	59	59	68	68	40
26							17	59	59	68	68	0
27							32	59	59	68	68	0
28							58	59	59	68	68	0
29							57	59	59	68	68	0
30							59	59	59	68	68	0
31							-	59	-	68	67	-
Month						Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet		
October.....						0	0	0	0	0		
November.....						0	0	0	0	0		
December.....						0	0	0	0	0		
Calendar year 1948						8,898	61	0	24.3	17,650		
January.....						0	0	0	0	0		
February.....						0	0	0	0	0		
March.....						0	0	0	0	0		
April.....						223	59	0	7.4	442		
May.....						1,828	59	58	59.0	3,620		
June.....						1,770	59	59	59.0	3,510		
July.....						2,095	70	59	67.6	4,150		
August.....						2,186	73	66	70.5	4,340		
September.....						1,295	59	0	43.2	2,570		
Water year 1948-49						9,397	73	0	25.7	18,640		

Milner low-lift canal near Milner, Idaho

Location.--Pumping plant, 1st. 42°31', long. 114°01', in sec. 32, T. 10 S., R. 21 E., at head of canal and 1½ miles south of Milner.

Records available.--June 1921 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 201 second-feet July 31 to Aug. 9; no flow for many days.
1921-49: Maximum discharge, 203 second-feet Aug. 26, 27, 1945; no flow for many days.

Remarks.--Records excellent. Flow controlled by pumping plant, which lifts water from Snake River above Milner Dam for irrigation of 9,000 acres of land in Milner low-lift irrigation district.

Cooperation.--Record of pump discharges furnished by Milner low-lift irrigation district.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1							0	150	150	172	201	178
2							0	156	136	172	201	178
3							0	175	130	172	201	178
4							0	175	130	172	201	178
5							0	175	130	172	201	178
6							0	175	130	172	201	178
7							0	175	130	172	201	178
8							0	175	130	172	201	178
9							0	175	130	172	201	178
10							0	175	162	199	175	178
11							0	172	152	199	185	178
12							0	175	152	199	198	170
13							0	175	152	199	198	157
14							0	175	152	199	198	150
15							0	158	146	199	198	130
16							0	157	100	199	198	130
17							0	176	125	199	198	130
18							0	176	125	199	198	78
19							25	176	125	199	198	98
20							54	176	125	199	198	79
21							72	176	152	199	198	79
22							78	176	152	199	198	79
23							78	176	152	199	198	79
24							78	176	152	200	198	79
25							83	176	152	200	198	79
26							125	176	152	200	198	79
27							135	176	162	200	198	79
28							150	176	172	200	198	79
29							150	176	172	200	198	79
30							150	168	172	200	198	75
31							-	150	-	201	190	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	0	0	0	0	0
November.....	0	0	0	0	0
December.....	0	0	0	0	0
Calendar year 1948	26,821	198	0	73.3	53,190
January.....	0	0	0	0	0
February.....	0	0	0	0	0
March.....	0	0	0	0	0
April.....	1,178	150	0	39.3	2,140
May.....	5,324	178	150	172	10,580
June.....	4,292	173	100	143	8,510
July.....	5,935	201	172	191	11,770
August.....	6,121	201	175	197	12,140
September.....	3,866	178	75	129	7,670
Water year 1948-49	26,716	201	0	73.2	52,790

Gooding Canal at Milner, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder on Milner-Gooding Canal in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 18, staff gage on A Lateral in sec. 19, T. 10 S., R. 21 E., and differential recorder on control gates of North Side Canal Co. diversion in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 13, T. 10 S., R. 20 E., about 3 miles downstream from head gates that are in sec. 28, T. 10 S., R. 21 E., lat. 42°31', long. 114°01'.

Records available.--May 1930 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum daily discharge during year, 2,680 second-feet July 26, 28. No flow for many days.
1930-49: Maximum daily discharge that of July 26, 28, 1949; no flow for many days.

Remarks.--Records good. Gooding Canal diverts water from Snake River for Milner-Gooding project of Bureau of Reclamation and in part for project of North Side Canal Co. The latter project also receives water through North Side Twin Falls Canal and P. A. lateral. Discharge of canal is computed by combining the discharge of Milner-Gooding diversion and that of North Side Canal Co. diversions below their division point, and adding 35 second-feet to that sum for loss between head gates and division point.

Cooperation.--Gage-height record furnished by North Side Canal Co. and American Falls Reservoir District No. 2.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		0					0	2,020	2,190	2,460	2,630	2,420
2		0					0	2,020	2,280	2,560	2,630	2,400
3		0					0	2,020	2,300	2,580	2,610	2,410
4		0					0	2,030	2,290	2,630	2,590	2,420
5		0					0	2,160	2,290	2,630	2,620	2,420
6		0					0	2,200	2,290	2,650	2,610	2,390
7		0					0	2,210	2,310	2,630	2,600	2,310
8		0					0	2,210	2,300	2,610	2,600	2,280
9		380					0	2,220	2,300	2,640	2,620	2,260
10		570					0	2,220	2,300	2,650	2,590	2,260
11		470					0	2,210	2,300	2,610	2,550	2,260
12		440					0	2,210	2,300	2,590	2,520	2,290
13		150					0	2,190	2,300	2,590	2,500	2,200
14		0					0	2,190	2,350	2,600	2,430	2,130
15		0					0	2,200	2,370	2,620	2,420	2,100
16		0					0	2,220	2,380	2,570	2,420	1,880
17		0					0	2,220	2,400	2,570	2,400	1,790
18		0					130	2,210	2,460	2,800	2,410	1,840
19		0					740	2,200	2,470	2,570	2,430	1,760
20		0					950	2,200	2,460	2,550	2,470	1,690
21		0					950	2,150	2,460	2,610	2,420	1,630
22		0					970	2,120	2,460	2,610	2,430	1,600
23		0					1,090	2,050	2,460	2,620	2,430	1,580
24		0					1,150	1,980	2,440	2,610	2,420	1,580
25		0					1,480	1,980	2,430	2,650	2,430	1,600
26		0					1,750	1,980	2,450	2,680	2,430	1,630
27		0					1,920	2,050	2,460	2,630	2,410	1,600
28		0					1,950	2,090	2,460	2,680	2,390	1,530
29		0					1,950	2,080	2,390	2,670	2,370	1,000
30		0					1,960	2,150	2,420	2,660	2,360	0
31		-					-	2,210	-	2,660	2,400	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Discharge in second-feet			Total runoff in acre-feet	Distribution (acre-feet)	
		Maximum	Minimum	Mean		To Milner-Gooding Project	To North Side Canal Co. project
October.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
November.....	2,010	570	0	67.0	3,990	3,990	0
December.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Calendar year 1948...	358,540	2,580	0	980	711,100	417,580	293,560
January.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
February.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
March.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
April.....	16,970	1,960	0	566	33,660	25,010	8,650
May.....	66,200	2,220	1,980	2,135	131,300	75,530	55,780
June.....	71,090	2,480	2,190	2,370	141,000	84,220	56,790
July.....	80,990	2,680	2,480	2,613	160,600	92,710	67,930
August.....	77,140	2,630	2,560	2,488	153,000	84,380	68,630
September.....	57,280	2,420	0	1,909	113,600	64,560	49,050
Water year 1948-49...	371,680	2,680	0	1,018	737,200	430,400	306,830

North Side Twin Falls Canal at Milner, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°32', long. 114°01', in sec. 20, T. 10 S., R. 21 E., Half a mile north of Milner and three-quarters of a mile downstream from head gates at Milner Dam.

Records available.--May 1909 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 2,750 second-feet Aug. 15; no flow for many days.

1909-49: Maximum daily discharge, 3,200 second-feet July 5-7, 29-31, 1921, May 15, 1928, June 2, July 23, 1929; no flow at times when head gates were closed.

Remarks.--Records excellent October, November, March to September and good December to February. Flow controlled by head gates. Water diverted by this canal and by P. A. lateral and part of that diverted by Gooding Canal, all at Milner, is used for irrigation of 163,000 acres of land under North Side Canal Co. system. Diversions began in spring of 1909.

Cooperation.--Gage-height record furnished by North Side Canal Co..

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	896	710	510	385	340	320	555	2,680	2,380	2,540	2,500	2,300
2	908	732	490	385	340	320	338	2,640	2,340	2,560	2,500	2,160
3	904	678	466	360	*339	*320	250	2,660	2,340	2,560	2,560	2,140
4	810	650	421	380	340	320	250	2,500	2,280	2,540	2,580	2,130
5	810	619	395	380	340	299	124	2,460	2,300	2,540	2,590	2,140
6	825	605	390	380	340	234	306	2,440	2,320	2,550	2,580	2,070
7	817	615	390	380	340	234	299	2,400	2,300	2,500	2,620	1,980
8	806	501	390	380	340	234	299	2,420	2,290	2,500	2,660	1,940
9	233	454	390	295	340	224	157	2,420	2,280	2,540	2,680	1,880
10	0	460	379	395	300	243	85	2,420	2,290	2,560	2,640	1,740
11	0	463	373	395	200	262	88	2,480	2,350	2,540	2,630	1,750
12	0	466	370	*406	180	262	86	2,540	2,460	2,500	2,660	1,770
13	0	468	370	420	150	262	166	2,530	2,440	2,500	2,710	1,740
14	0	466	365	420	150	294	574	2,530	2,440	2,520	2,720	1,610
15	0	466	362	420	150	315	817	2,540	2,450	2,540	2,740	1,460
16	0	418	365	420	150	312	1,020	2,560	2,420	2,540	2,720	1,440
17	0	376	373	410	150	320	1,100	2,570	2,460	2,650	2,680	1,480
18	548	436	370	400	150	315	1,210	2,530	2,450	2,700	2,680	1,460
19	868	463	370	390	150	312	1,330	2,560	2,460	2,700	2,640	1,410
20	876	*448	370	390	150	299	1,350	2,520	2,420	2,660	2,580	1,230
21	860	439	370	390	150	320	1,280	2,550	2,400	2,720	2,560	1,140
22	856	460	370	395	150	325	1,420	2,580	2,440	2,720	2,560	1,110
23	856	479	370	395	150	336	1,720	2,570	2,410	2,720	2,550	1,090
24	852	460	370	400	150	357	1,800	2,570	2,410	2,700	2,560	1,090
25	848	476	370	400	230	354	1,680	2,480	2,440	2,680	2,520	1,110
26	844	497	375	400	300	384	1,620	2,440	2,490	2,670	2,520	840
27	791	510	385	395	300	416	1,620	2,440	2,530	2,600	2,500	636
28	758	510	385	395	310	418	1,750	2,520	2,520	2,600	2,460	678
29	732	510	385	390	-	401	2,120	2,580	2,530	2,570	2,440	868
30	717	510	385	390	-	433	2,560	2,630	2,540	2,560	2,400	1,410
31	706	-	385	360	-	552	-	2,640	-	2,560	2,380	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	18,121	908	0	585	35,940
November.....	15,343	732	376	511	30,430
December.....	12,059	510	362	389	23,920
Calendar year 1948	475,621	2,720	0	1,300	943,200
January.....	12,221	420	360	394	24,240
February.....	6,679	340	150	239	13,250
March.....	9,997	552	224	322	19,830
April.....	27,974	2,560	85	932	55,490
May.....	78,400	2,680	2,400	2,529	155,500
June.....	72,180	2,540	2,280	2,406	143,200
July.....	80,360	2,720	2,500	2,592	159,400
August.....	80,120	2,740	2,380	2,585	158,900
September.....	45,802	2,300	636	1,527	90,850
Water year 1948-49	459,256	2,740	0	1,258	911,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 27 to Dec. 2, Dec. 6-9, Dec. 18 to Mar. 2.

South Side Twin Falls Canal at Milner, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°31', long. 114°01', in sec. 29, T. 10 S., R. 21 E., 700 feet downstream from head gates at Milner Dam.

Records available.--May 1909 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 3,690 second-feet Aug. 15 (gage height, 10.45 feet); minimum, 14 second-feet Oct. 26, Apr. 4, 5.

1909-49: Maximum daily discharge, 4,600 second-feet Aug. 12, 1918, including about 1,200 second-feet wasted through spillway below station and returned to river; no flow Sept. 20, 1920.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of ice effect, which are good. Flow controlled by head gates. Canal has diverted water since March 1905 from Snake River at Milner Dam for irrigation of 202,000 acres of land in Twin Falls County.

Cooperation.--Gage-height record furnished by Twin Falls Canal Co.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	929	762	576	*552	475	415	17	3,290	3,190	3,560	3,540	3,300
2	855	660	489	525	470	440	16	3,290	3,140	3,540	3,540	3,280
3	804	638	489	510	*465	*476	15	3,410	3,110	3,540	3,560	3,290
4	801	615	529	500	465	428	14	3,460	3,060	3,560	3,560	3,240
5	811	615	540	490	465	423	93	3,540	3,030	3,550	3,560	3,240
6	832	601	535	485	465	431	350	3,490	3,040	3,560	3,550	3,170
7	821	604	540	490	450	438	302	3,410	3,040	3,580	3,550	3,070
8	794	607	527	490	425	431	1,050	3,400	3,030	3,600	3,550	2,190
9	781	598	538	510	430	381	1,120	3,410	3,090	3,590	3,560	3,090
10	781	598	538	505	445	394	711	3,420	3,180	3,580	3,560	3,190
11	781	584	535	505	420	399	675	3,480	3,230	3,560	3,590	3,090
12	781	554	554	*507	410	431	794	3,490	3,260	3,580	3,620	2,920
13	784	559	526	500	410	444	890	3,500	3,230	3,580	3,840	2,590
14	778	568	534	500	410	451	958	3,560	3,170	3,580	3,650	2,300
15	778	568	521	500	425	438	1,060	3,560	3,150	3,600	3,670	2,110
16	774	570	493	520	420	431	1,200	3,560	3,140	3,590	3,650	2,070
17	778	565	474	490	440	457	1,270	3,520	3,170	3,600	3,630	2,370
18	778	548	500	465	470	472	1,390	3,500	3,200	3,610	3,600	2,360
19	778	543	500	435	455	480	1,700	3,520	3,200	3,600	3,590	2,230
20	768	*537	519	440	455	491	1,940	3,460	3,200	3,580	3,580	2,170
21	610	548	512	475	450	478	2,070	3,480	3,240	3,800	3,560	2,030
22	51	540	514	485	445	478	2,170	3,460	3,260	3,570	3,560	1,840
23	30	529	500	490	430	502	2,320	3,400	3,350	3,570	3,570	1,750
24	30	532	500	500	430	505	2,580	3,370	3,440	3,560	3,520	1,750
25	21	532	495	515	410	478	2,710	3,360	3,500	3,550	3,500	1,750
26	479	534	479	475	370	475	2,870	3,350	3,450	3,540	3,470	1,770
27	818	532	481	455	395	489	3,180	3,330	3,440	3,540	3,350	1,720
28	714	537	498	490	400	475	3,300	3,340	3,490	3,540	3,330	1,670
29	811	526	503	490	-	464	3,310	3,330	3,540	3,530	3,340	1,690
30	808	524	503	475	-	470	3,290	3,310	3,580	3,540	3,330	1,640
31	816	-	515	480	-	360	-	3,260	-	3,540	3,310	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	21,157	929	21	682	41,960
November.....	17,228	762	524	574	34,170
December.....	15,957	576	474	515	31,650
Calendar year 1948	637,288	3,690	10	1,741	1,284,000
January.....	15,249	552	435	492	30,250
February.....	12,200	475	370	436	24,200
March.....	13,925	505	360	449	27,620
April.....	43,365	3,310	14	1,446	86,010
May.....	106,280	3,560	3,260	3,428	210,800
June.....	97,150	3,580	3,030	3,238	192,700
July.....	110,620	3,610	3,560	3,568	219,400
August.....	109,590	3,670	3,310	3,535	217,400
September.....	72,880	3,300	1,640	2,429	144,600
Water year 1948-49	635,581	3,670	14	1,741	1,261,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 6-11, Dec. 15 to Mar. 3.

Rock Creek near Rock Creek, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°22', long. 114°18', in sec. 25, T. 12 S., R. 18 E., 0.1 mile downstream from road bridge, three-quarters of a mile downstream from West Fork Rock Creek, 5 miles south of Rock Creek settlement, and 12 miles south of Hansen.

Records available.--November 1938 to July 1939, November 1943 to September 1949. November 1909 to August 1913 at site 2 miles downstream; records equivalent except for ranch diversions and small inflow from artesian wells developed in recent years.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 239 second-feet Apr. 25 (gage height, 2.94 feet); minimum recorded, 5.1 second-feet Aug. 27 (gage height, 0.85 foot).
1909-13, 1938-39, 1943-49: Maximum discharge observed, 429 second-feet May 21, 1912 (gage height, 10.4 feet, site and datum then in use); minimum observed, 3.6 second-feet Aug. 7-12, 1910 (gage height, 0.3 foot, site and datum then in use).

Remarks.--Records fair except those for periods of no gage-height record or ice effect, which are poor. Small ranch diversions above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	5.7	6	7.9	11	10	20	33	168	90	20	11	6.8
2	5.7	7	8.6	10	10	22	36	178	84	19	11	6.8
3	6	8	9	8	10	23	39	168	79	19	10	6.8
4	6	8	8.3	8	10	22	44	158	72	18	10	7.2
5	6	7	8.3	8	10	24	52	168	69	18	10	7.2
6	6	7	10	8	10	23	61	171	67	18	9	7.2
7	6	7	10	9	10	23	72	183	63	17	9	6.8
8	6	7	10	9	10	23	81	187	61	17	9	6.8
9	6	7	11	9	11	21	93	190	59	17	8	6.8
10	6	7	12	9	12	20	95	178	56	16	8	6.8
11	6	7	15	9	12	22	103	175	52	16	7.9	7.9
12	6	7	14	9	11	24	124	171	51	16	7.9	8.3
13	6	7	13	9	9	23	124	168	49	16	8	8.3
14	6	7	12	9	10	23	122	164	46	15	8	7.9
15	6	7	11	9	10	24	118	158	44	15	8	7.9
16	6	7	9	9	11	27	126	150	43	15	8	7.9
17	6	7	9	9	12	30	145	150	42	15	8	8.3
18	6	7.2	10	9	13	31	161	154	43	15	8	8.3
19	6	7.2	11	*9	14	36	175	158	42	14	8	7.9
20	6	7.5	12	9	14	45	192	162	38	14	8	7.9
21	6	7.2	10	9	*15	43	190	168	34	14	8	7.9
22	6	7.2	7	9	16	42	195	158	32	14	8	7.9
23	6	7.5	8	9	19	42	216	140	30	14	8	7.5
24	6	9	8	9	18	37	227	128	30	13	7.9	7.5
25	6	8.6	8	8	18	35	230	118	29	13	7.5	7.9
26	6	7.9	8	8	19	34	223	112	29	13	6.4	7.5
27	6	7.5	9	8	19	35	221	106	26	12	5.7	7.5
28	6	7.5	10	8	20	*34	220	102	24	12	6.4	7.5
29	6	8.3	9	8	-	33	195	106	23	12	7.9	8.3
30	6	7.5	10	9	-	32	182	106	21	12	7.5	8.6
31	6	-	11	9	-	32	-	100	-	11	6.8	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	185.4	6	5.7	5.98	368
November.....	220.1	6	7.34	7.34	437
December.....	309.1	15	7	9.97	613
Calendar year 1948	11,003.4	225	4.4	30.1	21,830
January.....	273	11	8	8.81	541
February.....	363	20	9	13.0	720
March.....	905	45	20	29.2	1,800
April.....	4,095	230	33	136	8,120
May.....	4,703	190	100	152	9,330
June.....	1,428	90	21	47.6	2,830
July.....	470	20	11	15.2	932
August.....	254.9	11	5.7	8.22	506
September.....	227.9	8.6	6.8	7.60	452
Water year 1948-49	13,434.4	230	5.7	36.8	26,650

Peak discharge (base, 130 sec.-ft.)--Apr. 25 (4 a.m.) 239 sec.-ft.; May 7 (4 p.m.) 197 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 11-14, Dec. 17 to Feb. 20. No gage-height record Oct. 3 to Nov. 17, Jan. 4-18, Jan. 26 to Feb. 9, May 16-20, June 29 to July 6, July 8 to Aug. 10, Aug. 13-23; discharge computed on basis of weather records, records for nearby streams, and flow during adjacent periods.

SALMON FALLS CREEK BASIN

Salmon Falls Creek above upper Vineyard ditch, near Contact, Nev.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 41°44', long. 114°52'30", near northwest corner sec. 5, T. 44 N., R. 63 E., three-quarters of a mile above former diversion point for Upper Vineyard ditch, 1½ miles above present diversion dam, and 6 miles southwest of Contact.

Drainage area.--439-square miles.

Records available.--October 1948 to September 1949. May 1914 to July 1915 at site three-quarters of a mile downstream.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 750 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 4.31 feet); minimum, 16 second-feet Sept. 6 (gage height, 1.21 feet).
1914-15, 1948-49: Maximum discharge, that of May 16, 1949; minimum, that of Sept. 6, 1949.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Many diversions above and below station for irrigation.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Oct. 21 to Dec. 15)

1.2	16	1.7	50	3.0	272
1.3	20	2.0	86	3.4	397
1.4	24	2.3	131	3.8	545
1.5	31	2.6	185	4.2	705

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		25	26			30	59	549	352	63	24	17
2		26	30			30	62	481	302	60	24	17
3		27	32			31	67	465	260	60	24	17
4		26	31			32	76	474	235	65	27	17
5		25	28			33	89	433	216	92	27	17
6		25	29			33	106	397	218	71	26	17
7		26	30			34	126	383	222	59	24	17
8		25	26		23	34	152	397	235	53	23	17
9		24	30			34	162	433	226	50	22	17
10	23	26	33			36	164	492	205	50	22	17
11		27	35			40	185	553	202	51	22	18
12		28	36			40	222	557	193	50	22	18
13		28	35			40	233	572	183	51	21	18
14		28	35			40	224	612	172	50	21	18
15		28	33			44	222	701	162	46	21	18
16		*28	30		24	50	233	738	150	42	21	18
17		30			25	51	260	726	138	36	20	18
18		28			26	58	308	697	138	34	20	19
19		28	27		28	71	362	689	140	32	20	19
20		30			29	86	426	664	131	30	20	18
21	h24	30			30	86	433	608	118	28	19	18
22	h24	29			*30	92	440	537	106	28	19	18
23	h24	29			30	85	518	470	100	28	19	19
24	h24	30		22	30	78	592	422	94	26	20	20
25	h24	30			30	74	624	401	87	27	19	20
26	24	29	25		30	71	632	394	85	27	19	20
27	24	27			30	68	620	401	78	26	19	20
28	26	25			30	63	624	419	74	25	18	20
29	25	27			-	55	656	415	68	26	18	20
30	24	26			-	58	632	376	67	24	19	21
31	25	-			-	59	-	380	-	24	18	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	728	-	-	23.5	1,440
November.....	820	30	24	27.3	1,630
December.....	682	36	-	28.5	1,750
Calendar year	-	-	-	-	-
January.....	697	-	-	22.5	1,380
February.....	717	30	-	25.6	1,420
March.....	1,656	92	30	52.8	3,240
April.....	9,509	656	59	317	18,860
May.....	15,834	738	376	511	31,410
June.....	4,957	352	67	165	9,830
July.....	1,334	92	24	43.0	2,650
August.....	658	27	18	21.2	1,310
September.....	548	21	17	18.3	1,090
Water year 1948-49	38,320	738	17	105	76,010

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 16 to about Feb. 15. No gage-height record Oct. 1-20, Jan. 14 to Feb. 21; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for station near San Jacinto and nearby streams.

Salmon Falls Creek near San Jacinto, Nev.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 41°57', long. 114°42', in sec. 23, T. 47 N., R. 64 E., in canyon, 200 yards downstream from highway bridge, 250 yards downstream from Shoshone Creek, and 5 miles north of San Jacinto.

Records available.--September 1909 to September 1916, October 1918 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--35 years (1910-16, 1919-20, 1921-49), 128 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 998 second-feet May 18 (gage height, 7.75 feet); minimum, 10 second-feet Aug. 27 (gage height, 2.81 feet).
1909-16, 1918-49: Maximum discharge between 2,060 and 2,420 second-feet Feb. 24, 1943 (gage height exceeded range of recorder, 10.20 feet, but was not more than 1.2 feet higher), from rating curve extended above 1,400 second-feet; minimum, 2.8 second-feet Nov. 13, 1947, during channel improvement work upstream.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of staff-gage record, which are fair, and those for periods of no gage-height record, which are poor. Many diversions above station for irrigation. Salmon Dam of Salmon River Canal Co., 15 miles below station, forms a reservoir having a capacity of about 180,000 acre-feet.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	37	46	54			68	106	861	h506	h75	30	18
2	37	46	54			68	109	768	g490	h70	29	20
3	36	51	58			68	123	685	g418	h66	27	20
4	38	52	62			72	135	668	h563	h66	21	19
5	42	50	60			75	154	666	h527	h70	19	18
6	44	50	55			75	193	621	h504	h70	20	18
7	44	50	55			75	256	584	h282	75	20	17
8	42	48	55		48	75	330	571	h282	72	17	17
9	42	48	52			75	393	584	h282	75	16	16
10	42	51	58	45		75	468	624	h272	h66	14	19
11	42	50	64			80	484	677	h272	h66	14	17
12	42	53	68			80	530	708	h232	h66	13	19
13	40	52	70			80	618	716	h222	h66	14	24
14	42	53	68			82	610	728	h204	h62	14	29
15	44	52	68			85	590	818	h187	h62	14	29
16	44	52	64		50	88	562	849	h179	h57	14	29
17	42	58			53	93	584	935	h164	h57	13	30
18	42	59	55	46	55	96	629	935	h156	h53	12	31
19	44	65			59	101	688	887	h156	h49	12	33
20	44	59			61	107	751	884	h149	h45	12	32
21	44	55			65	114	809	861	h142	40	12	32
22	44	55			65	123	771	809	h129	40	11	32
23	44	55			69	128	771	713	119	37	12	32
24	42	55			72	116	815	626	114	36	12	32
25	44	55		45	74	111	846	568	109	34	12	33
26	44	58	50		74	101	884	528	103	35	12	34
27	44	59			68	96	893	517	h100	34	10	34
28	46	58			68	101	878	526	h95	33	12	35
29	46	53			-	107	873	534	h85	31	12	37
30	46	54			-	106	896	534	h80	31	16	38
31	46	-			-	104	-	534	-	31	16	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,320	46	36	42.6	2,620
November.....	1,602	65	46	53.4	3,180
December.....	1,735	70	-	56.0	3,440
Calendar year 1948	45,630	533	10	125	90,510
January.....	1,396	-	-	45.0	2,770
February.....	1,553	74	-	55.5	3,080
March.....	2,625	128	68	81.1	5,600
April.....	16,749	896	106	558	33,220
May.....	21,519	935	517	694	42,680
June.....	6,523	506	80	217	12,940
July.....	1,670	75	31	53.9	3,310
August.....	482	30	10	15.5	956
September.....	794	38	16	26.5	1,570
Water year 1948-49	57,374	935	10	157	115,400

g Computed from graph based on gage readings.

h Computed from staff-gage readings.

Note.--No gage-height record Nov. 30 to Jan. 17, Jan. 19 to Feb. 16, Feb. 28 to Mar. 13; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Salmon River Canal Co. reservoir and nearby streams.

Salmon River Canal Co. reservoir near Rogerson, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage at dam on Salmon Falls Creek, lat. 42°13', long. 114°44', in sec. 18 (revised), T. 14 S., R. 15 E., 10 miles west of Rogerson. Datum of gage is 4,990.0 feet above mean sea level (surveys of Salmon River Canal Co.).

Records available.--January 1922 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents observed during year, 65,820 acre-feet June 6, 7 (gage height, 38.2 feet); minimum observed, 8,010 acre-feet Sept. 22-30 (gage height, 6.0 feet).
1922-49: Maximum contents observed, 123,700 acre-feet May 30, 31, 1922 (gage height, 61.1 feet); minimum observed, 125 acre-feet Sept. 21 to Oct. 5, 1934 (gage height, 0.1 feet).

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by gravity-section concrete-arch dam completed in 1911; storage began in 1910. Capacity, 182,650 acre-feet between gage heights 0.0 foot (bottom of outlet tunnel) and 80.0 feet (maximum operating level). Dead storage unknown. Water is used for irrigation of lands in Salmon River Canal Co. project. Figures given herein represent usable contents. Gage read once daily.

Cooperation.--Gage readings and capacity table furnished by Salmon River Canal Co.

Contents, in acre-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	8,735	9,750	11,200	13,510	14,550	16,050	23,200	51,000	65,390	52,800	29,150	11,200
2	8,880	9,895	11,340	13,510	14,550	18,200	23,370	52,000	65,390	52,400	28,470	10,620
3	8,880	9,895	11,340	13,510	14,700	16,350	23,540	53,000	65,390	52,400	27,960	10,040
4	8,880	9,895	11,490	13,510	14,700	16,500	23,710	53,600	65,600	52,400	27,280	9,460
5	8,880	9,605	11,490	13,510	14,700	16,650	23,880	54,000	65,600	52,600	26,600	9,025
6	8,880	9,605	11,490	13,510	14,700	16,800	24,050	54,600	65,820	51,800	25,750	8,445
7	8,880	9,750	11,640	13,660	14,850	16,950	24,390	55,400	65,820	50,800	24,900	8,300
8	8,880	9,750	11,640	13,660	14,850	18,950	24,730	56,000	65,800	49,800	24,220	8,300
9	9,025	9,750	11,780	13,660	14,850	17,100	24,900	56,200	65,600	48,800	23,540	8,300
10	9,025	9,895	11,780	13,660	15,000	17,250	26,090	56,600	65,600	48,000	22,690	8,300
11	9,025	9,895	11,920	13,660	15,000	17,400	26,600	56,800	65,390	47,000	21,840	8,300
12	9,025	9,895	12,070	13,660	15,000	17,700	27,280	57,230	65,180	46,000	21,180	8,300
13	9,025	9,895	12,220	13,800	15,000	18,000	28,300	57,680	64,740	45,000	20,360	8,300
14	9,025	9,895	12,550	13,800	15,150	18,150	29,320	58,300	64,350	44,000	19,560	8,155
15	9,025	9,895	12,500	13,800	15,150	18,300	30,340	58,950	63,670	43,000	18,940	8,155
16	9,170	10,040	12,640	13,950	15,150	18,620	31,530	59,380	63,250	42,060	18,300	8,155
17	9,170	10,040	12,640	13,950	15,150	18,780	32,620	59,810	62,600	41,140	17,550	8,155
18	9,170	10,180	12,640	14,100	15,150	18,940	33,550	60,460	61,960	40,210	16,800	8,155
19	9,170	10,180	12,780	14,100	15,300	19,100	34,680	61,320	61,320	39,280	15,900	8,155
20	9,315	10,350	12,780	14,100	15,300	19,420	36,140	62,180	60,680	38,360	15,150	8,155
21	9,315	10,480	12,780	14,250	15,300	19,740	37,620	63,040	60,460	37,250	14,400	8,155
22	9,315	10,480	12,930	14,250	15,450	20,060	39,100	63,680	59,810	36,320	13,660	8,010
23	9,315	10,620	12,930	14,250	15,450	20,380	40,580	64,530	59,160	35,400	12,930	8,010
24	9,315	10,760	13,080	14,250	15,600	20,700	42,060	65,180	58,520	34,660	12,350	8,010
25	9,460	10,760	13,080	14,400	15,600	21,020	43,600	65,390	58,090	33,920	12,070	8,010
26	9,460	10,910	13,220	14,400	15,750	21,340	45,200	65,600	57,440	33,180	12,070	8,010
27	9,460	11,060	13,220	14,400	15,750	21,670	46,600	65,390	56,800	32,440	12,070	8,010
28	9,460	11,060	13,360	14,400	15,900	22,010	48,000	65,390	55,600	31,700	12,070	8,010
29	9,460	11,060	13,360	14,400	-	22,350	49,000	65,390	54,800	31,020	11,920	8,010
30	9,605	11,060	13,510	14,550	-	22,690	50,000	65,180	53,800	30,340	11,920	8,010
31	9,605	-	13,510	14,550	-	22,860	-	65,390	-	29,660	11,780	-

Monthly gage height and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Gage height (feet)	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30.....	6.5	8,735	-
Oct. 31.....	7.1	9,605	+870
Nov. 30.....	8.1	11,060	+1,455
Dec. 31.....	9.8	13,510	+2,450
Calendar year 1948...	-	-	+4,195
Jan. 31.....	10.5	14,550	+1,040
Feb. 28.....	11.4	15,900	+1,350
Mar. 31.....	15.8	22,860	+6,960
Apr. 30.....	30.6	50,000	+27,140
May 31.....	38.0	65,390	+15,390
June 30.....	32.5	53,800	-11,590
July 31.....	19.8	29,660	-24,140
Aug. 31.....	8.6	11,780	-17,880
Sept. 30.....	6.0	8,010	-3,770
Water year 1948-49...	-	-	-725

Salmon River Canal Co. canal near Rogerson, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°15', long. 114°45', in sec. 7, T. 14 S., R. 15 E., half a mile downstream from Salmon River Canal Co. reservoir and 7 miles west of Rogerson.

Records available.--April 1937 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 534 second-feet July 15 (gage height, 7.19 feet); no flow during long periods.

1937-49: Maximum discharge, 660 second-feet July 20-24, 1944; no flow during long periods in each year.

Remarks.--Records good. Canal diverts from Salmon River Canal Co. reservoir for irrigation of lands in Salmon River Canal Co. project.

Cooperation.--Gage-height record furnished by Salmon River Canal Co.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		0					0	274	387	424	305	231
2		0					0	274	330	0	313	243
3		hl35					0	282	312	0	317	253
4		hl37					0	282	285	0	325	251
5		0					0	285	267	296	324	245
6		0					0	277	256	465	345	183
7		0					0	263	260	494	357	0
8		0					0	264	265	505	363	0
9		0					0	261	273	507	369	0
10		0					0	268	286	506	364	0
11		0					0	284	310	508	360	0
12		0					0	301	345	509	344	0
13		0					0	328	374	520	326	0
14		0					0	358	402	530	336	0
15		0					0	383	401	527	354	0
16		0					0	394	401	519	361	0
17		0					0	401	395	501	363	0
18		0					0	412	392	476	369	0
19		0					0	433	380	458	377	0
20		0					0	420	367	427	378	0
21		0					0	399	357	415	378	0
22		0					0	409	342	394	353	0
23		0					0	415	364	378	332	0
24		0					0	429	389	365	262	0
25		0					0	452	403	348	0	0
26		0					0	470	426	335	0	0
27		0					0	488	456	326	0	0
28		0					183	478	497	316	0	0
29		0					228	473	499	305	0	0
30		0					248	454	510	290	0	0
31		-					-	437	-	295	151	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	0	0	0	0	0
November.....	272	137	0	9.1	540
December.....	0	0	0	0	0
Calendar year 1948.....	29,832	407	0	81.5	59,170
January.....	0	0	0	0	0
February.....	0	0	0	0	0
March.....	0	0	0	0	0
April.....	659	248	0	22.0	1,310
May.....	11,348	488	261	366	22,510
June.....	10,931	510	256	364	21,680
July.....	11,939	530	0	385	23,680
August.....	8,427	378	0	272	16,710
September.....	1,406	253	0	46.9	2,790
Water year 1948-49.....	44,982	530	0	123	89,220

h Computed from staff-gage readings and time of gate changes.

Mud Lake near Terretton, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°53', long. 112°24', in SW¹/₄ sec. 1, T. 6 N., R. 34 E., 2 miles north of First Owsley pump house, 2½ miles northeast of Terretton, and 14 miles southwest of Hamer; supplemental staff gage at pump house. Datum of each gage is 4,775.33 feet above mean sea level.

Records available.--April 1921 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents during year, 43,500 acre-feet Apr. 29 (gage height, 8.55 feet); minimum daily, 4,940 acre-feet Aug. 22; minimum gage height, 0.51 foot Sept. 16 (affected by wind).

1921-49: Maximum contents observed, 61,660 acre-feet May 5, 1923 (gage height, 9.20 feet); practically no contents Oct. 1 to Nov. 15, 1937 (at 4 p.m. Nov. 15 water was released from Camas Creek into lake).

Remarks.--Mud Lake is a perched body of water confined by earth dikes and fed by ground-water and surface tributaries augmented by well flows. For complete description of Mud Lake region see Water-Supply Paper 818. Water for irrigation is diverted from lake by pumping. During low-lake stages inflow from Camas Creek may be bypassed through Camas Creek diversion canal directly to lake outlet channel leading to First Owsley pumping plant. Bypass was not used during 1949. Other irrigation diversions are made by various means from adjacent lakes and wells and Camas Creek above lake. Area of Mud Lake is varied from time to time by changes in dikes. Figures given herein represent contents above gage height -4.0 feet. Capacity table prepared from surveys made by Geological Survey and adjusted for changes in dikes. High winds occasionally disturb the recording of lake stages.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by Water District No. 66 and supplemental staff-gage readings furnished by Owsley Canal Co.

Contents, in acre-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	7,740	7,680	13,700		-	32,400	37,500	43,200	34,800	22,000	7,210	5,560
2	7,830	7,770	14,000			32,400	37,600	43,100	35,100	21,700	7,050	5,650
3	7,890	7,950	14,300		28,300	32,600	37,700	42,900	35,200	21,300	6,860	5,720
4	7,860	8,270	14,500			32,700	37,700	42,900	35,300	20,900	6,640	5,720
5	8,020	8,430	14,800			32,800	37,800	42,700	35,100	20,500	6,430	5,850
6	7,980	8,560	15,000		-	32,900	37,900	42,000	35,100	20,100	6,230	5,850
7	7,980	8,590	15,300			33,000	37,900	41,500	35,100	19,700	6,000	5,900
8	7,920	8,920	15,600			33,100	38,100	40,900	34,800	19,400	5,780	5,920
9	7,800	9,150	15,900		-	33,300	38,300	40,400	34,500	19,100	5,650	5,900
10	7,740	9,360	16,100			33,400	38,400	39,700	34,000	18,600	5,560	5,880
11	7,650	9,570	16,300		-	33,600	38,400	39,100	33,500	18,200	5,390	5,820
12	7,550	9,750	16,500		-	33,600	38,400	38,400	32,700	17,700	5,320	5,920
13	7,390	9,920	16,800		-	33,800	38,600	37,800	32,100	17,300	5,230	6,020
14	7,270	10,000	17,100		-	34,000	38,700	37,200	31,400	16,700	5,210	6,100
15	7,160	10,100	17,300		-	34,400	38,900	36,500	30,500	16,100	5,190	6,180
16	7,070	10,500	17,600		-	34,500	39,100	36,100	29,500	15,300	5,160	6,180
17	6,910	10,700	17,800		-	34,600	39,300	36,000	29,000	14,800	5,120	6,180
18	6,800	10,900	18,100		-	35,000	39,600	35,400	28,300	14,100	5,080	6,330
19	6,770	11,100	18,300		-	35,400	39,700	34,800	27,800	13,300	5,030	6,250
20	6,770	11,300	18,500		-	35,600	39,900	34,600	27,400	12,800	5,010	6,300
21	6,800	11,500	-		-	35,700	40,200	34,800	26,800	12,300	4,990	6,330
22	6,830	11,700	-		-	35,900	40,500	35,000	26,000	11,600	4,940	6,330
23	6,860	12,000	-		-	36,200	40,900	35,000	25,700	11,000	5,010	6,330
24	6,800	12,200	-		-	36,500	41,100	35,000	24,900	10,300	5,030	6,280
25	6,960	12,400	-		31,700	36,600	41,500	35,200	24,200	9,780	5,120	6,280
26	6,960	12,600	-		31,800	36,600	42,000	35,300	23,700	9,360	5,190	6,300
27	7,100	12,900	-		32,000	36,900	42,400	35,400	23,500	8,750	5,250	6,000
28	7,130	13,000	-		32,200	36,900	42,900	35,400	23,100	8,520	5,250	5,700
29	7,240	13,200	-		-	37,100	43,200	35,200	22,400	8,050	5,370	5,480
30	7,390	13,500	h20,900		-	37,200	43,200	35,000	22,400	7,680	5,460	5,370
31	7,470	-	a21,000	h27,100	-	37,300	-	34,800	-	7,390	5,530	-

a No gage-height record; contents interpolated.

c Gage height affected by wind; contents computed on basis of partial day gage height not affected by wind.

h Contents computed from staff-gage reading at supplemental gage; pumps not operating.

Monthly gage height and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Gage height (feet) [†]	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30.....	1.86	7,750	-
Oct. 31.....	1.81	7,590	-160
Nov. 30.....	3.45	13,600	+6,010
Dec. 31.....	-	a21,000	+7,400
Calendar year 1948....	-	-	-3,800
Jan. 31.....	h6.09	27,100	+6,100
Feb. 28.....	6.92	32,300	+5,200
Mar. 31.....	7.68	37,300	+5,000
Apr. 30.....	8.52	43,200	+5,900
May 31.....	7.32	34,900	-8,300
June 30.....	5.23	22,300	-12,600
July 31.....	1.71	7,300	-15,000
Aug. 31.....	1.03	5,530	-1,770
Sept. 30.....	.94	5,320	-210
Water year 1948-49....	-	-	-2,430

a No gage-height record; contents interpolated.

† Gage height at 12 p.m.

h Staff-gage reading at supplemental gage; pumps not operating.

Camas Creek at Eighteenmile shearing corral, near Kilgore, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°18', long. 111°52', in sec. 7, T. 11 N., R. 39 E., at bridge on county road at Eighteenmile shearing corral, just downstream from West Camas Creek, 7 miles south of Kilgore, and 18½ miles northeast of Dubois.

Drainage area.--210 square miles.

Records available.--May 1937 to September 1949 (no winter records prior to 1947).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 828 second-feet Apr. 21 (gage height, 4.46 feet); no flow for short periods in February.

1937-49: Maximum discharge, 1,340 second-feet Apr. 21, 1946 (gage height, 6.08 feet), from rating curve extended above 500 second-feet; no flow for short periods in February 1949.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Diversions above and below station for irrigation and stock water.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected occasionally by Water District No. 66.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	18	29					20	315	136	24	14	13
2	18	41					25	253	150	23	14	12
3	18	48					30	186	170	23	13	12
4	20	37					40	174	145	23	13	13
5	22	34					45	154	150	24	15	13
6	23	32				3	60	120	115	23	11	14
7	23	30					75	110	108	22	11	14
8	23	29	25				100	107	102	22	10	14
9	22	29					150	110	97	22	10	13
10	23	32					250	115	90	18	12	12
11	22	34					250	123	78	18	12	14
12	22	34					280	131	73	18	12	15
13	22	34					250	143	67	18	11	15
14	23	32					200	151	58	16	12	14
15	23	34		10			180	160	52	15	13	14
16	24				2	5	210	168	46	12	14	13
17	24		(*)				230	210	45	12	14	14
18	24						*f294	288	45	13	14	15
19	24						402	272	46	12	13	15
20	26						547	346	48	12	13	15
21	26						607	384	43	13	13	15
22	26	30					559	489	37	14	12	15
23	26		20				598	483	34	15	14	15
24	24				(*)		518	f359	35	14	15	15
25	26					10	360	h284	32	13	15	15
26	*26						322	200	29	15	14	15
27	26						275	170	28	17	15	15
28	26						238	150	26	15	14	15
29	26				-		244	140	28	15	13	15
30	26				-		340	135	28	14	13	16
31	26				-		-	135	-	14	13	-
Month							Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet	
October.....							728	25	18	23.5	1,440	
November.....							959	48	-	32.0	1,900	
December.....							695	-	-	22.4	1,380	
Calendar year 1948							22,109	500	-	60.4	45,840	
January.....							310	-	-	10	615	
February.....							56	-	-	2	111	
March.....							190	-	-	6.1	377	
April.....							7,719	607	20	257	15,310	
May.....							6,565	489	107	212	13,020	
June.....							2,121	170	26	70.7	4,210	
July.....							529	24	12	17.1	1,050	
August.....							402	15	10	13.0	797	
September.....							425	16	12	14.2	843	
Water year 1948-49							20,699	607	-	56.7	41,050	

* Winter discharge measurement or observation of no flow made on this day.

f Computed on basis of partly estimated gage-height record.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 6-9, about Nov. 20 to about Apr. 15. No gage-height record Nov. 16 to Dec. 17, Dec. 22 to Mar. 26, Apr. 14-17, May 26 to June 8; discharge computed on basis of weather records, 1 discharge measurement, 1 observation of no flow, and records from other streams in Mud Lake Basin.

Camas Creek at Camas, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°00', long. 112°13', in E½SE¼ sec. 21, T. 8 N., R. 36 E., 350 feet upstream from Oregon Short Line Railroad bridge at Camas and half a mile upstream from Beaver Creek.

Records available.--April 1925 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--23 years (1926-49), 24.2 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 470 second-feet Apr. 24 (gage height, 4.60 feet); no flow for long periods.
1925-49: Maximum discharge, 900 second-feet probably May 3, 1938 (gage height, 3.98 feet, datum then in use, from floodmark), from rating curve extended above 400 second-feet; no flow June 1-7, 1926, and many periods during 1930-49.

Remarks.--Records good except those below 10 second-feet, which are fair, and those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Diversions above and below station for irrigation and stock water.

Cooperation.--Gage-height record collected in cooperation with Water District No. 66 and five winter field estimates furnished by that district.

Revisions (water years).--W 813: 1935. W 1123: 1947.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	3.7	8.3					10	211	71	8.3		
2	3.2	9.3					13	f175	87	8.3		
3	3.2	14			(*)		16	f140	99	5.3		
4	2.7	25					20	f109	82	5.3		
5	2.9	20					25	f95	68	4.0		
6	3.2	18					30	f88	58	1.6		
7	4.5	14					35	69	49	1.6		
8	5.6	13					50	62	44	.9		
9	4.9	12					80	61	40	.5		
10	4.9	15					140	61	38	0		
11	4.5	18					150	61	36	2.6		
12	4.5	19					150	59	34	2.4		
13	4.2	19					140	58	34	2.2		
14	4.0	19					h129	60	36	.8		
15	3.7	17					h112	61	33	.3		
16	4.0	15		5	0	(+)	147	66	28	0		
17	3.8	13				3	158	71	25	0		
18	3.7	14					192	f94	23	0		
19	3.7	15					f258	124	23	0		
20	3.8	16					320	124	22	0		
21	4.0	15					402	185	24	0		
22	3.8	17					388	205	22	0		
23	4.0	17					378	270	18	0		
24	4.0	16					385	244	16	0		
25	4.0	15					336	168	15	0		
26	4.0	14					235	124	14	0		
27	2.7	13					f196	101	f12	0		
28	4.2	15			(+)		220	91	12	.3		
29	4.0	14			-		230	83	10	0		
30	6.8	14			-		250	77	8.3	0		
31	7.9	-	(+)	(+)	-	(+)	-	71	-	0		

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	128.1	7.9	2.7	4.13	254
November.....	463.6	25	8.3	15.5	920
December.....	340	-	-	11.0	674
Calendar year 1948	12,449.2	402	0	34.0	24,700
January.....	155	0	-	5	307
February.....	0	0	0	0	0
March.....	93.0	-	-	3	184
April.....	5,175	402	10	172	10,260
May.....	3,468	270	58	112	6,880
June.....	1,081.3	99	8.3	36.0	2,140
July.....	44.4	8.3	0	1.43	88
August.....	0	0	0	0	0
September.....	0	0	0	0	0
Water year 1948-49	10,948.4	402	0	30.0	21,710

* Winter discharge measurement or field observation of no flow made on this day.

† Field estimate by watermaster for Water District No. 66 made on this day.

f Computed on basis of partly estimated gage-height record.

h Computed on basis of staff-gage reading.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 6-13, Nov. 16 to about Apr. 5. No gage-height record Oct. 17-26, Nov. 23 to Apr. 13, Apr. 28-30 except staff-gage readings Nov. 30, Dec. 8; discharge computed on basis of weather records, 5 field estimates, 1 winter discharge measurement, 1 field observation of no flow, and records for other stations in Mud Lake Basin.

Beaver Creek at Spencer, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°21', long. 112°11', in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 23, T. 12 N., R. 36 E., at highway bridge, 0.4 mile southeast of Spencer post office and $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles upstream from Rattlesnake Creek.

Drainage area.--120 square miles.

Records available.--October 1940 to September 1949 (no winter records 1942-49).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 238 second-feet May 22 (gage height, 4.02 feet); minimum discharge observed, 1.3 second-feet Sept. 2-6 (gage height, 1.38 feet).

1940-49: Maximum discharge observed, 408 second-feet Apr. 13, 1942, from rating curve extended above 140 second-feet; maximum gage height observed, 5.95 feet Mar. 30, 1943 (ice jam); minimum discharge observed, 0.5 second-foot Jan. 26, 1942, Feb. 22, 1944.

Remarks.--Records fair except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Gage read twice daily. Several ranch diversions above station.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Oct. 1-22)

1.3	0.5	1.8	12	2.9	96
1.4	1.5	2.0	20	3.2	131
1.5	3.1	2.2	32	3.5	168
1.6	5.6	2.4	46	4.0	235
1.7	8.7	2.6	64		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	14	26				-	31	103	90	12	6.8	1.5
2	14	46				-	32	96	93	12	6.8	1.4
3	14	38				-	32	74	87	20	6.5	1.3
4	15	b30				-	32	60	74	20	6.8	1.4
5	16	b25				-	40	56	60	20	5.1	1.3
6	17	b23				-	56	52	56	20	4.8	2.1
7	18	b21				-	70	47	51	14	5.1	4.6
8	18	b19				-	95	47	52	12	4.6	4.8
9	16	b17				-	153	46	51	12	3.6	4.8
10	16	b18				-	188	46	42	13	3.4	5.1
11	17	b19				-	168	46	38	13	3.6	7.8
12	17	20				-	224	46	38	15	3.6	5.4
13	17	20				-	168	46	35	20	3.4	5.1
14	17	20				-	125	46	32	16	3.4	5.1
15	16	20				-	95	46	27	12	3.1	5.1
16	15	b19				-	105	64	26	12	2.5	3.8
17	15	b18				-	139	78	26	12	2.0	4.8
18	15	b17				-	154	143	25	12	1.8	5.4
19	16	b17				-	156	107	25	11	1.7	4.8
20	18	b17				-	168	129	23	11	2.1	4.8
21	18					-	143	168	20	12	2.1	4.1
22	18					-	100	229	20	7.5	2.6	3.8
23	18	a17				-	109	137	20	6.2	3.4	5.1
24	18					-	124	99	18	5.6	4.1	5.1
25	18					-	109	92	18	5.6	3.4	5.1
26	18					-	98	80	18	6.2	3.4	5.1
27	*18					20	84	74	16	9.4	2.9	5.1
28	20	a15				18	80	74	13	8.4	2.6	5.1
29	20					23	94	74	12	6.2	2.3	5.9
30	20					29	119	64	12	6.5	2.0	8.1
31	20	-				32	-	70	-	6.5	1.5	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	527	20	14	17.0	1,050
November.....	610	46	-	20.3	1,210
December.....	-	-	-	-	-
Calendar year	-	-	-	-	-
January.....	-	-	-	-	-
February.....	-	-	-	-	-
March 27-31	122	32	18	24.4	242
April.....	3,290	224	31	110	6,530
May.....	2,639	229	46	85.1	5,230
June.....	1,118	93	12	37.3	2,220
July.....	369.1	20	5.6	11.9	732
August.....	111.0	6.8	1.5	3.58	220
September.....	132.9	8.1	1.3	4.43	264
Water year	-	-	-	-	-

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height records; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for station at Dubois.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

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Beaver Creek at Dubois, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°11', long. 112°14', in NW¹ sec. 21, T. 10 N., R. 36 E., half a mile north of Dubois.

Drainage area.--220 square miles.

Records available.--April 1921 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--22 years (1921-24, 1928-29, 1931-49), 16.7 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge recorded during year, 213 second-feet May 22 (gage height, 2.27 feet); no flow for long periods.

1921-49: Maximum discharge, 858 second-feet Apr. 7, 1930; maximum gage height, about 6.5 feet May 16, 1926; no flow during long periods.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor.

Cooperation.--Five field estimates furnished and water-stage recorder inspected by Water District No. 66.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	7.8	9.5					12	81	65	5.3		
2	7.8	19					14	59	71	4.9		
3	7.4	23					17	50	59	4.2		
4	6.7	17					22	48	53	4.5		
5	12	8.5					30	41	43	11		
6	14	7.0					45	37	39	9.7		
7	12	5.9					55	35	36	10		
8	11	4.8	*7			2	80	34	33	6.8		
9	10	3.5					150	32	36	5.3		
10	9.5	4.5					170	31	34	5.1		
11	8.6	5.5					160	31	28	6.6		
12	8.6	7.0					200	30	26	5.7		
13	8.2	9.0					1156	30	24	6.4		
14	7.8	12				(+)	108	28	21	9.1		
15	7.8	12					*93	31	19	6.8		
16	7.8	11		3	0		103	40	18	5.7		
17	8.2	3.5					106	81	16	4.9		
18	7.4	7.8					122	126	18	4.4		
19	8.2						124	79	18	4.0		
20	8.6						136	95	15	3.5		
21	9.0						116	120	13	2.8		
22	9.6						81	196	11	3.3		
23	9.0						74	130	9.4	3.3		
24	9.0		5			8	88	90	9.4	2.1		
25	9.0	8			(*)		84	69	8.2	.8		
26	9.0						68	60	7.0	.3		
27	*8.2						59	55	6.2	.1		
28	9.0				(+)		53	52	6.2	0		
29	9.0				-		57	50	6.0	0		
30	10				-		92	47	5.3	0		
31	10	-	(+)	(+)	-	(+)	-	48	-	0		

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	279.2	14	6.7	9.01	554
November.....	266.5	23	3.5	8.88	529
December.....	185	-	-	6.0	367
Calendar year 1948	9,211.0	230	25.2	18,260	
January.....	93	-	-	3	184
February.....	0	-	0	0	0
March.....	158	-	-	5.1	313
April.....	2,655	200	12	88.5	5,270
May.....	1,936	196	28	62.5	3,840
June.....	733.7	71	5.3	25.1	1,490
July.....	136.6	11	0	4.41	271
August.....	0	0	0	0	0
September.....	0	0	0	0	0
Water year 1948-49	6,463.0	200	0	17.7	12,820

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

† Winter field estimate made by watermaster for Water District No. 66 on this day.

‡ Computed from partly estimated gage-height record.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 5, 6, about Nov. 20 to about Mar. 31. No gage-height record Nov. 9-14, Nov. 19 to Dec. 7, Dec. 9 to Apr. 12; discharge computed on basis of weather records, 5 field estimates, 2 discharge measurements, and records for Beaver Creek at Spencer and Camas Creek at Camas.

Beaver Creek at Camas, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°01', long. 112°14', in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 21, T. 8 N., R. 36 E., a quarter of a mile northwest of Oregon Short Line Railroad station at Camas and three-eighths of a mile upstream from mouth.

Records available.--April 1921 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 102 second-feet Apr. 13 (gage height, 2.80 feet); no flow most of year.

1921-49: Maximum discharge observed, 163 second-feet Apr. 7, 1930; usually no flow past station except for short period in spring of each year; none passed station during years 1931-36, 1940.

Remarks.--Records good except those below 10 second-feet, which are fair. Gage read twice daily. Flow affected by irrigation diversions above Dubois, about 14 miles above station, and by heavy channel losses below Dubois.

Rating table, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

0.6	0.3	1.1	3.8	1.9	40
.7	.6	1.2	5.6	2.3	65
.8	1.0	1.3	8.4	2.8	102
.9	1.6	1.4	12		
1.0	2.5	1.5	17		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1							0	28	14			
2							0	15	28			
3							0	6.4	24			
4							0	2.0	18			
5							0	1.7	9.2			
6							0	0	3.0			
7							0	0	0			
8							0	0	0			
9							14	0	0			
10							39	0	0			
11							50	0	0			
12							76	0	0			
13							100	0	0			
14							82	0	0			
15							59	0	0			
16							56	0	0			
17							55	0	0			
18							58	22	0			
19							61	25	0			
20							62	27	0			
21							65	37	0			
22							43	78	0			
23							31	85	0			
24							33	47	0			
25							34	32	0			
26							24	28	0			
27							14	21	0			
28							7.0	7.6	0			
29							5.4	5.9	0			
30							11	5.9	0			
31							-	4.0	-			

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	0	0	0	0	0
November.....	0	0	0	0	0
December.....	0	0	0	0	0
Calendar year 1948	2,417.6	122	0	6.61	4,795
January.....	0	0	0	0	0
February.....	0	0	0	0	0
March.....	0	0	0	0	0
April.....	979.4	100	0	32.6	1,940
May.....	478.5	85	0	15.4	949
June.....	96.2	28	0	5.21	191
July.....	0	0	0	0	0
August.....	0	0	0	0	0
September.....	0	0	0	0	0
Water year 1948-49	1,554.1	100	0	4.26	3,080

MUD LAKE BASIN

Medicine Lodge Creek at Ellis Ranch, near Argora, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°17', long. 112°30', in sec. 7, T. 11 N., R. 34 E., 4 miles upstream from Middle Creek, 6½ miles southeast of Argora, and 17 miles northwest of Dubois.

Records available.--October 1940 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 85 second-feet May 21 (gage height, 2.58 feet); minimum, 13 second-feet Nov. 27 (gage height, 1.17 feet).
1940-49: Maximum discharge, 229 second-feet June 9, 1944 (gage height, 4.23 feet), from rating curve extended above 120 second-feet by logarithmic plotting; minimum, 9 second-feet Dec. 12, 1940.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect, which are poor. Several diversions above and below station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	46	36	21	44	40	41	41	61	63	60	44	38
2	46	40	21	42	*41	41	41	59	59	59	44	37
3	46	37	23	27	42	41	44	58	56	59	44	38
4	46	35	28	b24	43	41	44	58	52	63	43	38
5	46	35	22	b21	42	41	44	58	51	63	43	39
6	45	35	23	b22	43	41	44	57	52	63	43	40
7	43	33	22	b24	43	41	45	56	56	58	42	39
8	44	28	*21	b23	43	41	41	54	58	57	41	39
9	44	26	20	b21	43	41	38	54	58	56	42	39
10	43	30	21	b19	44	41	37	54	58	56	44	39
11	43	35	23	b22	44	41	37	56	60	55	42	39
12	43	42	33	b27	32	41	36	56	61	56	41	39
13	43	43	50	34	25	41	34	55	60	56	41	39
14	43	43	60	36	26	41	33	56	64	54	40	38
15	43	43	50	b34	31	41	34	58	63	53	39	38
16	43	43	34	b28	35	42	33	61	63	52	39	37
17	43	43	26	b24	38	42	34	66	66	52	39	38
18	43	35	21	b21	45	42	33	65	67	52	40	38
19	43	39	21	b23	48	44	32	65	66	50	40	38
20	43	41	23	b24	44	46	30	63	65	50	40	37
21	43	45	23	b24	42	44	30	75	64	51	39	37
22	41	45	20	b24	41	42	29	65	63	50	39	37
23	37	44	19	b24	41	42	29	64	63	48	39	37
24	37	45	19	b20	41	41	36	63	61	48	41	37
25	36	41	19	b22	41	41	48	63	59	48	40	37
26	37	42	20	b23	41	41	48	63	60	47	39	37
27	38	20	21	b28	41	41	62	63	60	47	39	37
28	37	30	22	35	41	40	62	64	58	46	38	37
29	35	28	26	37	-	39	63	65	57	46	38	37
30	35	24	35	39	-	40	64	65	61	45	38	40
31	36	-	41	39	-	41	-	65	-	45	38	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,291	46	35	41.6	2,560
November.....	1,106	45	20	36.9	2,190
December.....	828	60	19	26.7	1,640
Calendar year 1948.....	16,367	71	16	44.7	32,450
January.....	855	44	19	27.6	1,700
February.....	1,119	48	23	40.0	2,220
March.....	1,283	46	39	41.4	2,540
April.....	1,226	64	29	40.9	2,430
May.....	1,885	75	54	60.8	3,740
June.....	1,804	67	51	60.1	3,580
July.....	1,645	63	45	53.1	3,260
August.....	1,259	44	38	40.6	2,500
September.....	1,140	40	37	38.0	2,260
Water year 1948-49.....	15,441	75	19	42.3	30,620

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Medicine Lodge Creek near Small, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°16', long. 112°25', in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 25, T. 11 N., R. 34 E., 400 feet west of H. W. Small's ranch house, 1 mile downstream from Indian Creek, 4 miles northwest of Small, and 11 miles northwest of Dubois.

Drainage area.--270 square miles.

Records available.--April 1921 to December 1923, October 1940 to February 1949 (discontinued).

Extremes.--Maximum daily discharge during period October 1948 to February 1949, 65 second-feet Dec. 14; maximum gage height observed, 5.91 feet Feb. 2 (ice jam); minimum daily discharge, 12 second-feet Jan. 9, 10.

1921-23, 1940-49: Maximum discharge recorded, 265 second-feet June 9, 1944, from rating curve extended above 150 second-feet; maximum gage height recorded, 6.49 feet Feb. 13, 1947 (ice jam); minimum discharge observed, 8 second-feet Dec. 14, 1940 (discharge measurement).

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect, which are poor. Many small diversions above and below station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	46	41	20	48	15							
2	46	44	19	44	*15							
3	46	42	20	30	-							
4	48	40	25	20	-							
5	48	40	20	13	-							
6	46	38	20	13	-							
7	46	36	20	13	-							
8	48	32	*18	13	-							
9	48	29	18	12	-							
10	47	34	18	12	-							
11	47	42	22	14	-							
12	46	46	30	17	-							
13	46	46	52	21	-							
14	46	46	65	30	-							
15	46	46	54	25	-							
16	45	46	40	21	-							
17	45	45	22	18	-							
18	45	40	19	15	-							
19	45	42	17	15	-							
20	44	45	18	15	-							
21	44	49	19	15	-							
22	44	50	17	15	-							
23	38	49	15	15	-							
24	37	49	14	15	-							
25	37	47	14	15	-							
26	37	46	15	15	-							
27	40	18	16	15	-							
28	41	27	18	15	-							
29	38	26	22	15	-							
30	39	24	30	15	-							
31	39	-	42	15	-							

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,358	48	37	43.8	2,690
November.....	1,205	50	18	40.2	2,390
December.....	759	65	14	24.5	1,510
Calendar year 1948.....	18,727	103	12	51.2	37,140
January.....	574	48	12	18.5	1,140
February.....	-	-	-	-	-
March.....	-	-	-	-	-
April.....	-	-	-	-	-
May.....	-	-	-	-	-
June.....	-	-	-	-	-
July.....	-	-	-	-	-
August.....	-	-	-	-	-
September.....	-	-	-	-	-
Water year.....	-	-	-	-	-

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 6-11, Nov. 17 to Feb. 2.

LITTLE LOST RIVER BASIN

Little Lost River near Howe, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°53', long. 11°06', in sec. 3, T. 6 N., R. 28 E., a quarter of a mile upstream from diversion dam of Blaine County Investment Co., 6 miles northwest of Berenice, and 7 miles northwest of Howe.

Records available.--April 1921 to September 1949 (no winter records except 1948, 1949).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 156 second-feet June 3; maximum gage height recorded, 4.45 feet Jan. 1 (ice jam); minimum discharge recorded, 26 second-feet Dec. 17, but may have been less during periods of ice effect or no gage-height record in winter. 1921-49: Maximum discharge, about 450 second-feet Aug. 11, 1936, during cloudburst (gage height, 3.1 feet, datum then in use, from floodmark), from rating curve extended above 100 second-feet; minimum observed, 4.1 second-feet Dec. 12, 1940.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of no gage-height record in March and those for periods of ice effect, which are poor. Many diversions above and below station for irrigation.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by Water District No. 9.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	87	81	50			35	55	93	154	99	60	56
2	86	81	50			35	56	90	154	91	59	58
3	86	78	45			*h35	57	90	158	90	56	58
4	85	76	42			35	59	90	153	97	56	60
5	88	68	40			36	63	90	145	107	57	62
6	90	63	40			36	66	89	140	102	57	58
7	90	62	40			36	69	88	140	97	56	58
8	89	52	40		30	36	70	90	143	94	55	56
9	88	44	40			37	68	97	145	94	57	57
10	87	52	42			37	68	103	145	95	67	57
11	86	56	43			38	65	107	146	91	65	59
12	86	54	43			39	66	113	145	89	60	63
13	85	70	42			40	65	120	146	87	59	63
14	82	82	43			42	68	126	120	84	60	62
15	84	*93	40			44	78	134	117	81	59	60
16	84	89	38	30		f46	80	138	111	80	58	59
17	85	88	35			48	81	143	134	78	59	59
18	87	65	35			52	84	146	130	78	58	63
19	87	57	38			57	85	146	129	78	58	60
20	86	57	*42			63	88	147	127	75	58	56
21	81	57				63	88	149	122	76	56	58
22	h79	56				63	86	149	116	75	56	58
23	h79	55			35	64	86	150	114	70	56	57
24	h80	60				62	86	150	114	66	60	56
25	h80	58				62	80	150	111	67	64	56
26	80	54	35			59	84	150	109	67	62	57
27	h80	52				52	88	150	113	66	58	57
28	f81	50				49	93	152	111	66	55	57
29	85	50			-	49	97	152	106	66	57	62
30	84	50			-	51	95	152	102	64	56	64
31	81	-			-	53	-	152	-	63	56	-
Month	Second-foot-days			Maximum		Minimum		Mean		Runoff in acre-feet		
October.....	2,618			90		79		84.4		5,190		
November.....	1,920			93		44		64.0		3,810		
December.....	1,213			50		-		39.1		2,410		
Calendar year 1948.....	27,464			158		-		75.0		54,480		
January.....	930			-		-		30.0		1,840		
February.....	895			-		-		32.0		1,780		
March.....	1,454			64		35		46.9		2,880		
April.....	2,274			97		55		75.8		4,510		
May.....	3,896			152		88		126		7,730		
June.....	3,898			156		102		130		7,730		
July.....	2,533			107		63		81.7		5,020		
August.....	1,810			67		55		58.4		3,580		
September.....	1,766			64		56		58.9		3,500		
Water year 1948-49.....	25,207			156		-		69.1		49,990		

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

f Computed from partly estimated gage-height record.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 5-9, 18-23, Nov. 27 to Dec. 3, Dec. 5-12, Dec. 15 to about Feb. 28. No gage-height record Oct. 26, Nov. 14, Jan. 3 to Mar. 2, Mar. 4-15; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for other nearby streams.

Blaine County Investment Co.'s canal near Howe, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage and Cippoletti weir, lat. 43°53', long. 113°05', in NW¼NW¼ sec. 11, T. 6 N., R. 28 E., 300 yards downstream from head gates and 7 miles northwest of Howe.

Records available.--April 1924 to September 1949 (prior to 1939, irrigation seasons only).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 59 second-feet June 2-4 (gage height, 2.10 feet); no flow during long periods.

1924-49: Maximum discharge observed, 87 second-feet May 24, 25, 1928; no flow during long periods each year.

Remarks.--Records good except those for Apr. 1-11, which are poor. Gage read once daily. Canal diverts water from Little Lost River in sec. 2, T. 6 N., R. 28 E., for irrigation of lands in project of Blaine County Investment Co.

Cooperation.--Gage-readings furnished by Water District No. 9.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	8.0	54						13	58	19	5.9	5.9
2	8.0	54						12	59	22	5.9	5.9
3	8.0	54						12	59	14	5.9	5.9
4	10	54						12	59	7.6	5.6	5.9
5	10	54						12	50	9.5	5.6	5.9
6	8.0	52					a30	12	47	9.5	5.6	6.2
7	8.0	22						12	47	9.1	5.6	5.9
8	9.1	0						12	47	9.1	5.6	5.9
9	9.9	0						14	47	8.7	5.6	5.9
10	9.9	0						18	47	8.7	6.9	5.9
11	9.9	0						21	47	8.7	6.9	5.9
12	9.9	0					37	26	47	7.6	6.9	5.9
13	9.9	0					45	29	47	7.6	6.9	5.9
14	9.9	0					42	29	23	6.9	6.9	5.9
15	9.9	0					48	37	23	6.9	5.5	5.9
16	9.9	0					46	40	15	6.9	0	5.9
17	9.9	0					26	45	42	6.9	1.2	5.9
18	13	0					22	48	42	6.9	6.2	5.9
19	13	0					21	52	42	6.9	6.2	5.9
20	13	0					26	52	34	6.9	6.2	5.9
21	13	0					28	52	34	6.9	5.9	5.9
22	14	0					28	52	24	6.9	5.9	5.9
23	20	0					28	55	24	6.9	5.9	5.9
24	20	0					20	55	24	6.2	5.9	5.9
25	20	0					20	55	17	6.2	5.9	5.9
26	a20	0					10	55	17	6.2	5.9	5.9
27	27	0					9.9	55	20	6.2	5.9	5.9
28	34	0					a9.7	55	20	6.2	5.9	5.9
29	39	0					9.5	58	19	6.2	5.9	5.9
30	54	0					13	57	19	5.9	5.9	5.9
31	54	-					-	57	-	5.9	5.9	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	512.2	54	8.0	16.5	1,020
November.....	344	54	0	11.5	682
December.....	0	0	0	0	0
Calendar year 1948	4,751.0	62	0	13.0	9,420
January.....	0	0	0	0	0
February.....	0	0	0	0	0
March.....	0	0	0	0	0
April.....	819.1	48	-	27.3	1,620
May.....	1,114	58	12	35.9	2,210
June.....	1,100	59	15	36.7	2,180
July.....	259.1	22	5.9	8.36	514
August.....	176.0	6.9	0	5.68	349
September.....	177.3	6.2	5.9	5.91	352
Water year 1948-49	4,501.7	59	0	12.3	8,930

a No gage-height record; discharge interpolated or computed on basis of weather records and records for preceding years.

BIG LOST RIVER BASIN

Big Lost River at Wild Horse, near Chilly, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°56', long. 114°07', in sec. 17, T. 7 N., R. 20 E., a quarter of a mile upstream from East Fork Big Lost River, 2 miles downstream from Wild Horse dam site, and 16 miles southwest of Chilly.

Drainage area.--114 square miles.

Records available.--March 1944 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 516 second-feet May 18 (gage height, 3.99 feet); minimum observed, 16 second-feet Mar. 17 (gage height, 1.33 feet).
1944-49: Maximum discharge, 876 second-feet June 9, 1948 (gage height, 4.99 feet); minimum recorded, 9 second-feet sometime during period Feb. 4 to Mar. 14, 1947 (from recorded range in stage); minimum gage height recorded, 1.12 feet Mar. 11, 1948.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are poor.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by Water District No. 27.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	46	38					19	170	311	131	53	32
2	46	40					20	170	275	137	52	31
3	45	40	30				21	155	244	139	51	30
4	49	36					22	152	220	148	49	30
5	52	32					25	147	237	154	50	31
6	50	32			18		30	143	275	145	48	30
7	49	30					35	159	319	137	47	29
8	47	29					35	194	348	128	45	28
9	46	30	30			18	37	240	371	126	45	28
10	46	34	31				40	270	414	122	49	28
11	45	32	32				50	289	455	118	48	28
12	44	34	32				55	333	449	113	44	28
13	43	33	31		17		50	356	389	110	43	28
14	43	32	29				45	365	333	105	42	28
15	46	33			21		48	429	313	102	41	27
16	43						58	468	297	99	39	27
17	41					17	72	490	250	95	40	27
18	41					18	104	490	222	88	40	27
19	40					18	131	477	227	82	39	27
20	40		24			18	132	452	205	78	37	25
21	39			20		18	122	414	192	74	34	25
22	38				18	18	124	360	129	72	34	25
23	37	30				18	145	342	190	69	36	25
24	37						168	319	183	68	37	25
25	37						181	327	192	65	35	25
26	36						179	348	185	62	34	26
27	37			19		18	188	386	162	60	32	25
28	36		26				213	408	154	58	32	25
29	36						227	414	147	55	32	26
30	36						194	377	134	54	33	27
31	35						-	339		54	33	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	1,306	52	35	42.1	0.369	0.43	2,590
November	955	40	-	31.8	.279	.31	1,890
December	837	-	-	27.0	.237	.27	1,660
Calendar year 1948	39,370	825	-	108	.947	12.86	78,080
January	620	-	-	20.0	.175	.20	1,230
February	499	-	-	17.8	.156	.16	990
March	557	-	-	18.0	.158	.18	1,100
April	2,770	227	19	92.3	.810	.90	5,490
May	10,003	490	143	323	2.83	3.26	19,840
June	7,892	455	134	263	2.31	2.58	15,650
July	3,048	154	54	98.3	.862	.99	6,050
August	1,274	53	32	41.1	.361	.42	2,530
September	825	32	25	27.5	.241	.27	1,640
Water year 1948-49	30,586	490	-	83.8	.735	9.97	60,660

Peak discharge (base, 300 sec.-ft.).--May 18 (4 a.m.) 516 sec.-ft.; May 29 (5 a.m.) 423 sec.-ft.; June 12 (4 a.m.) 481 sec.-ft.

Note.--No gage-height record Nov. 16 to Dec. 8, Dec. 12 to Mar. 16, Mar. 24 to Apr. 13; discharge computed on basis of weather records, records for Warm Springs Creek at Guyer Hot Springs, near Ketchum, and flow during adjacent periods.

Big Lost River at Howell Ranch, near Chilly, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°01', long. 114°00', in sec. 30, T. 8 N., R. 21 E., at Howell Ranch, 9 miles southwest of Chilly and 21 miles northwest of Mackay.

Records available.--April 1904 to August 1906, July 1907 to November 1914, May 1920 to September 1949 (no winter records prior to 1949).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,550 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 3.57 feet); minimum not determined, probably occurred during winter.

1904-14, 1920-49: Maximum discharge, 3,500 second-feet June 12, 1921 (gage height, 5.94 feet); minimum observed, 19 second-feet (discharge measurement) Dec. 12, 1939.

Remarks.--Records good except those for Nov. 15 to Apr. 10, which are poor. No regulation. Several small diversions above station. Hammerly ditch (capacity, about 20 second-feet) diverts a quarter of a mile below station.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by Water District No. 27.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	142	108						488	849	346	149	100
2	139	117						468	762	376	146	98
3	139	119						440	666	390	149	96
4	144	108						426	606	416	142	96
5	154	104		80				412	660	430	144	102
6	146	102			75		85	408	762	412	142	96
7	144	98				70		444	870	385	137	94
8	139	97	95					529	989	355	130	89
9	137	97						653	1,070	342	130	89
10	135	100					120	755	1,190	334	139	89
11	130	103						141	1,310	338	132	89
12	128	106		84				159	1,260	318	123	92
13	123	108			70			140	1,050	310	119	90
14	123	*110						130	961	302	115	87
15	130							137	1,220	842	287	113
16	123							152	1,430	802	275	115
17	119							186	1,450	653	264	113
18	119			80		(*)		236	1,360	578	232	115
19	117					72		306	1,360	612	216	113
20	113		85					318	1,250	551	210	106
21	113				74			291	1,140	509	197	102
22	113							294	1,040	545	189	100
23	110	100		78				355	919	514	189	102
24	108							416	842	498	186	108
25	106							478	849	524	186	106
26	104							473	919	504	172	104
27	106				72	70		498	1,040	430	166	102
28	104		90	76				551	1,200	403	162	100
29	108							612	1,180	398	154	100
30	102							534	1,060	359	153	104
31	100								912		152	102

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	3,818	154	100	123	7,570
November.....	3,078	119	-	103	6,100
December.....	2,905	-	-	90.5	5,560
Calendar year 1948	-	-	-	-	-
January.....	2,470	-	-	79.7	4,900
February.....	2,056	-	-	73.4	4,080
March.....	2,190	-	-	70.6	4,540
April.....	7,292	612	-	243	14,460
May.....	27,802	1,450	408	897	55,140
June.....	21,643	1,310	359	721	42,930
July.....	8,443	430	152	272	16,750
August.....	3,702	149	100	119	7,340
September.....	2,623	102	77	87.4	5,200
Water year 1948-49	87,922	1,450	-	241	174,400

Peak discharge (base, 900 sec.-ft.).--May 16 (6 a.m.) 1,550 sec.-ft.; May 28 (6 a.m.) 1,260 sec.-ft.; June 12 (4 a.m.) 1,430 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice during most of period Nov. 6 to Apr. 10. No gage-height record Nov. 7-9, 11-13, Nov. 15 to Mar. 15, Mar. 21 to Apr. 10, Apr. 13; discharge computed on basis of records for station at Wild Horse, near Chilly, weather records, and flow during adjacent periods.

Big Lost River (east channel) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder and concrete control, lat. 43°59', long. 113°45', in sec. 32, T. 8 N., R. 23 E., above flow line of reservoir, 3 miles upstream from Mackay Dam and $7\frac{1}{2}$ miles northwest of Mackay.

Records available.--May 1919 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--30 years, 65.2 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 508 second-feet June 12; maximum gage height, 4.16 feet May 19; no flow Oct. 10 to Jan. 31, Sept. 5-8.
1919-49: Maximum discharge, 1,320 second-feet June 7, 1938; maximum gage height, 5.02 feet July 1, 1944; no flow during long periods in many years.

Remarks.--Records good except those below 10 second-feet, which are fair. Diversions above station for irrigation. The sum of the combined discharge of east and west channels of Big Lost River and of the combined discharge of east and west channels of Warm Spring Creek, near Mackay, represents practically entire surface flow of Big Lost River which enters Mackay Reservoir.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder graph furnished by Water District No. 27.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	3				1	3	5	3	c333	151	26	8
2	2				1	3	5	3	c304	150	24	7
3	2				1	3	5	3	c281	144	22	5
4	2				1	3	5	3	c257	143	19	1
5	2				1	3	5	2	c244	146	19	0
6	2				1	3	5	2	c251	136	17	0
7	3				1	3	5	2	c274	127	16	0
8	1				1	3	5	2	c305	111	15	0
9	1				1	4	5	1	344	96	16	1
10	0				1	4	5	10	377	96	18	2
11	0				2	4	5	46	441	92	17	2
12	0				2	4	5	84	488	90	16	1
13	0				2	5	5	136	441	88	16	1
14	0				2	5	5	179	380	84	16	1
15	0				2	5	5	259	347	79	16	1
16	0				2	5	5	359	330	72	15	2
17	0				2	5	5	418	300	64	14	2
18	0				2	5	5	437	269	59	10	2
19	0				2	5	5	452	262	55	8	2
20	0				2	5	5	444	254	52	8	3
21	0				3	5	4	407	230	47	9	5
22	0				3	5	4	377	216	43	10	7
23	0				3	5	3	339	209	44	9	7
24	0				3	5	3	292	196	40	7	7
25	0				3	5	3	277	185	38	9	7
26	0				3	5	3	290	181	34	8	7
27	0				3	5	3	317	177	33	8	7
28	0				3	5	3	368	169	31	9	7
29	0				-	5	3	c395	160	31	8	7
30	0				-	5	3	c380	162	30	8	8
31	0				-	5	-	c340	-	28	8	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	18	3	0	0.6	36
November.....	0	0	0	0	0
December.....	0	0	0	0	0
Calendar year 1948	33,580	881	0	91.7	66,621
January.....	0	0	0	0	0
February.....	54	3	1	1.3	107
March.....	135	5	3	4.4	268
April.....	132	5	3	4.4	262
May.....	6,627	452	1	214	13,140
June.....	8,367	488	160	279	16,600
July.....	2,434	151	28	78.5	4,830
August.....	421	26	7	13.6	835
September.....	110	8	0	3.7	218
Water year 1948-49	18,298	488	0	50.1	36,300

c Backwater from Mackay Reservoir; discharge computed on basis of percentage submergence of control and a standard submerged weir formula corrected on basis of discharge measurements.

Note.--No gage-height record Feb. 1-22; discharge computed on basis of weather records.

Big Lost River (west channel) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°58', long. 113°45', in sec. 5, T. 7 N., R. 23 E., above flow line of reservoir, 3 miles upstream from Mackay Dam and 7½ miles north-west of Mackay.

Records available.--May 1919 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--30 years, 59.0 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 317 second-feet May 20 (gage height, 3.55 feet); minimum, 35 second-feet Feb. 21 to Mar. 31; minimum gage height, 2.12 feet Apr. 13 to May 8.

1919-49: Maximum discharge, 1,200 second-feet (estimated) sometime during period June 5-16, 1921 (gage height, 4.45 feet, site and datum then in use); minimum, 9 second-feet May 22, 26, 1935.

Remarks.--Records good. Diversions above station for irrigation. The sum of the combined discharge of east and west channels of Big Lost River and the combined discharge of east and west channels of Warm Spring Creek, near Mackay, represents practically the entire surface flow of Big Lost River which enters Mackay Reservoir (see p. 107).

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder graph furnished by Water District No. 27.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	58	54	50	41	38	35	36	36	209	73	47	43
2	56	54	50	41	38	35	36	36	185	70	47	43
3	56	54	50	41	38	35	36	36	162	72	46	43
4	56	54	48	41	38	35	36	36	142	72	46	43
5	56	54	47	41	38	35	36	36	135	72	46	44
6	58	54	47	41	38	35	36	36	135	69	46	44
7	58	54	47	41	38	35	36	36	144	65	46	44
8	58	54	47	41	38	35	36	36	162	61	46	46
9	59	54	47	41	38	35	36	38	183	59	47	46
10	59	54	47	41	38	35	36	40	204	59	48	46
11	59	53	47	41	36	35	36	46	239	59	47	46
12	59	53	47	40	36	35	36	52	260	59	47	47
13	59	53	47	40	36	35	36	77	236	58	48	47
14	59	52	47	40	36	35	36	112	196	54	48	47
15	59	52	47	40	36	35	36	137	170	53	48	47
16	61	52	46	39	36	35	36	189	158	50	47	47
17	61	52	46	39	36	35	36	246	140	50	47	47
18	61	52	46	39	36	35	36	275	125	47	47	47
19	61	52	44	39	36	35	36	287	120	46	47	47
20	59	52	44	39	36	35	36	297	116	46	46	47
21	59	52	43	39	35	35	36	263	112	44	46	47
22	58	52	43	39	35	35	36	246	108	44	44	47
23	58	52	43	39	35	35	36	209	105	44	43	46
24	58	52	43	39	35	35	36	170	101	46	43	46
25	58	52	41	39	35	35	36	152	99	46	43	46
26	58	52	41	39	35	35	36	150	97	46	43	47
27	56	52	41	39	35	35	36	172	94	46	43	47
28	56	52	41	39	35	35	36	218	87	46	43	47
29	54	52	41	39	-	35	36	248	82	46	43	47
30	54	52	41	39	-	35	36	256	77	46	43	47
31	54	-	41	39	-	35	-	229	-	47	43	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,795	61	54	57.9	3,560
November.....	1,583	54	52	52.8	3,140
December.....	1,400	50	41	45.2	2,780
Calendar year 1948	25,355	409	28	69.3	50,310
January.....	1,235	41	39	39.8	2,450
February.....	1,020	38	35	36.4	2,020
March.....	1,065	35	35	35.0	2,150
April.....	1,080	36	36	36.0	2,140
May.....	4,397	297	36	142	8,720
June.....	4,383	260	77	146	8,690
July.....	1,695	73	44	54.7	3,360
August.....	1,414	48	43	45.6	2,800
September.....	1,378	47	43	45.9	2,730
Water year 1948-49	22,465	297	35	61.5	44,540

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Combined discharge, in second-feet, of Big Lost River (east and west channels) and Warm Spring Creek (east and west channels) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	180	183	174	163	156	151	150	116	757	334	166	143
2	175	186	174	162	155	151	149	115	690	328	164	144
3	173	185	174	152	155	151	149	115	628	352	159	142
4	175	180	173	156	155	151	148	115	569	334	158	140
5	183	183	172	157	154	151	148	114	539	339	154	140
6	185	183	173	158	153	151	148	113	547	319	152	141
7	186	183	173	158	153	151	147	113	589	304	151	140
8	184	184	172	158	152	152	146	113	651	280	150	143
9	188	184	171	157	150	153	144	116	726	264	155	145
10	190	184	171	157	151	152	142	129	796	266	163	145
11	191	184	171	158	149	152	140	178	921	261	159	147
12	191	184	171	156	147	153	139	231	1,010	257	158	147
13	190	185	171	156	148	153	135	321	924	253	159	152
14	191	185	171	157	149	153	130	423	798	242	159	150
15	191	185	171	157	148	153	130	548	722	233	159	150
16	194	184	169	156	148	153	130	739	679	221	157	150
17	193	183	169	156	148	153	129	893	618	210	156	150
18	192	182	169	156	149	153	127	964	557	200	152	150
19	192	182	166	155	150	153	123	1,010	541	194	150	150
20	188	182	166	154	150	153	118	1,020	528	190	149	152
21	189	178	165	155	150	151	115	929	492	181	150	154
22	188	177	163	155	150	151	115	867	469	180	149	155
23	188	176	164	155	150	151	114	766	457	180	147	153
24	186	177	164	156	151	151	114	654	435	179	145	153
25	185	176	162	155	151	151	114	608	419	177	146	154
26	186	176	163	155	151	151	114	616	414	172	144	157
27	184	176	164	154	151	151	114	681	404	170	143	156
28	184	176	164	154	151	151	114	803	382	166	145	156
29	181	176	163	155	-	150	117	886	359	167	144	156
30	183	176	163	155	-	150	116	881	352	166	143	157
31	182	-	163	155	-	150	-	798	-	168	142	-
Month					Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet			
October.....					5,768	194	173	186	11,440			
November.....					5,435	186	176	181	10,780			
December.....					5,219	174	162	168	10,350			
Calendar year 1948.....					107,434	1,700	109	294	213,100			
January.....					4,843	163	152	156	9,610			
February.....					4,225	156	147	151	8,380			
March.....					4,701	153	150	152	9,320			
April.....					3,919	150	114	131	7,770			
May.....					15,975	1,020	113	515	31,690			
June.....					17,973	1,010	352	599	35,650			
July.....					7,267	359	166	234	14,410			
August.....					4,725	166	142	152	9,370			
September.....					4,472	157	140	149	8,870			
Water year 1948-49.....					84,522	1,020	113	232	167,600			

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Mackay Reservoir near Mackay, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage on head-gate tower of dam on Big Lost River, lat. 43°57', long. 113°40', in sec. 12, T. 7 N., R. 23 E., 4 miles northwest of Mackay. Datum of gage is 6,000 feet above mean sea level.

Records available.--January 1919 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents observed during year, 40,410 acre-feet May 31 (gage height, 68.55 feet); minimum observed, 230 acre-feet Sept. 29 (gage height, 8.35 feet).

1919-49: Maximum contents observed, 41,270 acre-feet May 30, 1938 (gage height, 64.20 feet); no available contents during periods in 1919, 1920, 1924, 1926, 1929, 1931-35; minimum gage height observed, 6.3 feet Aug. 5, 1934.

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by earth- and rock-fill dam, which was reconstructed 1917-18; storage impounded by original dam not recorded. Capacity, 38,400 acre-feet between gage heights 7.0 feet (bottom of outlet tunnel) and 62.0 feet (crest of spillway). Dead storage reported to be about 125 acre-feet. Water is used for irrigation of lands in Big Lost River irrigation district. Considerable seepage around dam because of its porous foundation, but the greater part of this water returns to Big Lost River between reservoir and station below reservoir, near Mackay. Figures given herein represent usable contents, computed for 12 p.m. on basis of once-daily readings of staff gage.

Cooperation.--Gage readings and capacity table furnished by Water District No. 27.

Contents in acre-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	8,670	17,910	25,030	30,550	34,350	36,650	38,180	38,950	39,800	31,520	12,510	1,520
2	9,960	19,190	25,240	30,680	34,450	36,720	38,150	38,670	39,690	31,190	11,800	1,310
3	9,260	18,430	25,460	30,790	34,490	36,630	38,130	38,450	39,510	30,820	10,970	1,090
4	9,520	18,640	25,660	30,910	34,620	36,900	38,130	35,860	39,450	30,420	10,340	920
5	9,780	18,890	25,870	31,060	34,770	36,940	38,140	35,300	39,420	30,110	9,760	810
6	10,130	19,230	26,070	31,200	34,860	37,030	38,160	34,650	39,340	29,720	9,260	740
7	10,450	19,500	26,290	31,340	34,960	37,120	38,190	34,100	39,400	29,320	8,770	690
8	10,800	19,770	26,510	31,490	35,020	37,180	38,280	33,510	39,450	28,860	8,290	640
9	11,080	20,040	26,700	31,610	35,120	37,240	38,340	32,170	39,450	28,440	8,010	560
10	11,440	20,230	26,910	31,750	35,240	37,330	38,270	31,020	39,450	27,660	7,770	490
11	11,690	20,470	27,110	31,890	35,340	37,410	38,150	30,070	39,450	27,160	7,530	470
12	12,040	20,750	27,300	32,020	35,410	37,440	38,140	29,050	39,450	26,550	7,300	490
13	12,390	20,970	27,500	32,160	35,490	37,490	38,150	28,370	39,250	25,900	7,040	490
14	12,620	21,160	27,680	32,290	35,580	37,580	38,150	27,890	39,000	25,480	6,780	490
15	12,950	21,350	27,840	32,440	35,670	37,640	38,150	27,780	38,550	25,250	6,580	470
16	13,300	21,570	27,990	32,580	35,750	37,700	38,150	28,270	37,850	24,660	6,430	460
17	13,670	21,780	28,170	32,670	35,830	37,770	38,150	29,200	37,280	23,950	6,160	450
18	13,970	22,010	28,360	32,790	35,910	37,830	38,140	30,390	36,680	22,160	5,820	450
19	14,220	22,210	28,520	32,930	35,970	37,870	38,130	31,580	36,070	21,250	5,450	450
20	14,540	22,550	28,680	33,020	36,020	37,920	37,890	32,890	35,550	20,440	5,040	450
21	14,860	22,900	28,850	33,140	36,060	37,990	37,780	34,270	35,060	19,700	4,620	450
22	15,110	23,070	29,030	33,260	36,070	38,050	37,660	35,560	34,490	18,900	4,250	460
23	15,380	23,250	29,170	33,370	36,090	38,100	37,690	36,570	34,190	18,110	3,830	460
24	15,700	23,550	29,300	33,460	36,120	38,150	37,670	37,410	33,700	17,410	3,450	450
25	15,990	23,810	29,460	33,560	36,280	38,210	37,660	38,010	33,130	16,760	3,050	470
26	16,210	24,010	29,650	33,670	36,450	38,230	37,850	38,610	32,810	16,130	2,600	360
27	16,460	24,220	29,760	33,810	36,550	38,250	37,660	39,070	32,610	15,540	2,290	300
28	16,780	24,420	29,950	33,910	36,610	38,190	37,510	39,500	32,380	14,950	2,150	250
29	17,050	24,650	30,080	34,020	-	38,180	37,240	39,890	32,150	14,280	2,000	380
30	17,320	24,850	30,210	34,140	-	38,180	37,070	40,280	31,890	13,620	1,870	480
31	17,610	-	30,370	34,240	-	38,180	-	40,150	-	12,960	1,720	-

Monthly gage height and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Gage height (feet)	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30.....	29.38	8,350	-
Oct. 31.....	42.29	17,610	+9,260
Nov. 30.....	50.16	24,850	+7,240
Dec. 31.....	55.31	30,370	+5,520
Calendar year 1948.....	-	-	+2,620
Jan. 31.....	58.63	34,240	+3,870
Feb. 28.....	60.57	36,610	+2,370
Mar. 31.....	61.82	38,180	+1,570
Apr. 30.....	60.94	37,070	-1,110
May 31.....	63.35	40,150	+3,080
June 30.....	56.64	31,890	-8,260
July 31.....	36.31	12,960	-18,930
Aug. 31.....	14.28	1,720	-11,240
Sept. 30.....	9.55	480	-1,240
Water year 1948-49.....	-	-	-7,870

Big Lost River below Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°56', long. 113°38', in sec. 18, T. 7 N., R. 24 E., 450 Feet downstream from Oleson Suspension Bridge, 1 mile downstream from head of Sharp ditch, 1½ miles downstream from Mackay Reservoir, and 2½ miles northwest of Mackay.

Records available.--December 1903 to August 1906, May 1912 to March 1915 (April 1913 to March 1915 at site 1 mile downstream), January 1919 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--33 years (1904-5, 1912-14, 1919-49), 272 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,030 second-feet June 15 (gage height, 3.58 Feet); minimum, 50 second-feet Oct. 6 (gage height, 1.68 feet).
1903-6, 1912-15, 1919-49: Maximum discharge, 2,990 second-feet June 10, 1921 (gage height, 5.79 feet); minimum, 18 second-feet Nov. 1, 1934; minimum gage height, 1.23 feet Nov. 5-8, 1926.

Remarks.--Records good. Sharp ditch is only diversion between station and reservoir; many diversions above reservoir. Flow regulated by Mackay Reservoir (see preceding page).

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by Water District No. 27.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	72	h65	85	104	125	135	166	193	821	527	527	268
2	72	67	88	104	125	135	162	236	737	539	527	287
3	75	69	86	107	126	h135	162	342	659	539	516	292
4	75	71	87	107	127	136	155	363	607	539	527	268
5	70	73	h88	107	127	137	155	384	584	539	500	245
6	50	75	89	108	h128	138	166	417	561	522	444	223
7	54	h76	91	108	128	138	155	461	555	516	406	201
8	54	76	92	109	128	138	145	535	590	561	379	189
9	56	76	h93	h110	129	138	135	612	695	590	347	197
10	56	77	90	111	129	138	142	683	779	618	332	210
11	54	77	93	112	130	138	148	665	881	612	312	197
12	56	78	93	113	130	142	152	648	929	595	302	189
13	58	78	93	115	h131	142	148	630	941	607	287	189
14	60	h78	93	116	131	142	145	636	899	607	283	193
15	63	83	96	118	131	142	142	590	923	607	283	193
16	63	83	96	h119	131	142	138	500	911	653	302	189
17	63	83	96	119	131	145	135	434	863	659	327	185
18	65	83	96	119	131	142	135	412	851	719	342	185
19	65	83	98	119	131	145	131	395	851	689	358	185
20	65	83	98	119	h131	148	135	363	815	642	374	189
21	69	h83	98	119	132	152	125	337	749	636	374	185
22	69	83	98	119	134	155	119	342	719	642	384	185
23	63	83	98	h119	h135	162	113	327	695	630	390	178
24	65	83	98	120	135	166	113	302	671	555	384	178
25	63	83	98	121	135	166	148	307	636	561	374	205
26	70	83	101	121	135	166	182	358	595	533	358	219
27	72	83	101	122	h135	166	178	458	561	522	322	201
28	72	h83	101	123	135	166	170	578	505	500	297	170
29	69	84	104	124	-	166	182	665	472	516	268	166
30	66	84	104	h125	-	166	193	743	494	505	232	185
31	h63	-	104	125	-	166	-	815	-	500	232	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,987	75	50	64.1	3,940
November.....	2,566	84	65	78.9	4,690
December.....	2,944	104	85	95.0	5,840
Calendar year 1948	111,137	1,770	50	304	220,400
January.....	3,582	125	104	116	7,100.
February.....	3,657	135	125	131	7,250
March.....	4,595	166	135	148	9,110
April.....	4,475	193	113	149	9,830
May.....	14,727	815	193	475	29,210
June.....	21,549	941	472	718	42,740
July.....	17,980	719	500	580	35,660
August.....	11,290	527	232	364	22,390
September.....	6,146	292	166	205	12,190
Water year 1948-49	95,296	941	50	261	189,000

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Note.--No gage-height record except once-weekly staff-gage readings during periods Oct. 29 to Dec. 8, Jan. 5 to Mar. 7; discharge interpolated between days of staff-gage reading.

Big Lost River near Arco, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°35', long. 113°17', in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 17, T. 3 N., R. 27 E., 600 feet downstream from head of box canyon, 2,000 feet southeast of Mower ranch house, and 3 miles southeast of Arco.

Records available.--August 1946 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 237 second-feet June 3 (gage height, 2.42 feet); minimum, 9.9 second-feet May 7 (gage height, 1.10 feet).
1946-49: Maximum discharge, 285 second-feet June 6, 1947; maximum gage height, 3.83 feet Feb. 3, 4, 1947 (ice jam); minimum discharge, 3.0 second-feet May 20, 21, 1948 (gage height, 1.01 feet).

Remarks.--Records good except those for Dec. 28 to Mar. 14, which are poor. Station is below all large diversions for irrigation in Big Lost River Valley. Flow regulated by Mackay Reservoir (see p. 107).

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	82	35	34				41	16	180	20	22	22
2	80	37	34				41	16	218	20	24	22
3	80	33	34				40	15	224	19	24	21
4	85	31	32				40	15	171	20	24	22
5	80	30	32				40	14	125	20	25	22
6	78	30	31				40	14	82	20	25	21
7	76	34	30				39	14	39	19	26	20
8	74	35	30			28	39	12	28	19	27	20
9	71	34	30				38	12	27	20	25	19
10	67	34	30				37	12	25	21	25	19
11	67	38	30				36	13	22	21	25	20
12	64	40	31				34	14	22	20	24	20
13	64	38	31				35	14	22	21	25	19
14	62	37	31				34	15	23	22	25	19
15	62	*36	30			*40	34	17	23	22	25	19
16	61	36	30	26	27	41	30	20	23	20	24	19
17	61	37	30			44	30	24	27	20	25	20
18	61	38	30			47	28	23	24	19	25	20
19	61	37	30			47	27	24	23	19	25	20
20	59	36	*30			46	27	25	24	18	24	21
21	59	36	30			46	27	28	25	17	24	21
22	57	36	30		(*)	45	26	29	24	18	23	21
23	56	36	30			45	26	33	23	19	24	21
24	56	35	29			44	25	35	22	15	25	20
25	54	35	29			44	20	31	22	15	24	18
26	54	36	29			43	18	27	22	16	22	18
27	56	36	29			43	17	26	22	17	22	18
28	53	35	29			43	16	26	23	17	22	16
29	44	35	29		-	43	16	31	22	18	24	17
30	40	34	29		-	43	16	80	21	18	24	18
31	38	-	29		-	41	-	143	-	20	21	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,962	85	38	63.3	3,890
November.....	1,060	40	30	35.3	2,100
December.....	942	34	29	30.4	1,870
Calendar year 1948	13,956	158	3.3	38.1	27,670
January.....	806	-	-	28	1,600
February.....	756	-	-	27	1,500
March.....	1,137	47	-	36.7	2,260
April.....	915	41	16	30.5	1,810
May.....	818	143	12	26.4	1,620
June.....	1,578	224	21	52.6	3,130
July.....	590	22	15	19.0	1,170
August.....	749	27	21	24.2	1,490
September.....	593	22	16	19.8	1,180
Water year 1948-49	11,906	224	12	32.6	23,620

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 27 to Dec. 2, Dec. 5 to about Mar. 14 (no gage-height record Dec. 28 to Feb. 21, Feb. 25 to Mar. 14; discharge computed on basis of weather records and flow during adjacent periods).

BIG LOST RIVER BASIN

Warm Spring Creek (east channel) near Mackay, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°58', long. 113°45', in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 5, T. 7 N., R. 23 E., 700 feet upstream from confluence with west channel and $7\frac{1}{2}$ miles northwest of Mackay.

Records available.--May 1919 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--30 years, 28.7 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 109 second-feet May 20 (gage height, 2.94 feet); minimum, 20 second-feet Apr. 20-28, May 1-8.
1919-49: Maximum discharge observed, 225 second-feet June 15, 1922 (gage height, 3.24 feet, site and datum then in use); minimum, 9 second-feet May 8, 9, 13, 14, 1919, May 18-21, 1920.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of no gage-height record and those for Sept. 14-30, which are fair. Practically all natural flow above station diverted during irrigation season. Discharge during summer represents return water from irrigation. The sum of the combined discharge of east and west channels of Warm Spring Creek and the combined discharge of east and west channels of Big Lost River, near Mackay, represents practically the entire surface flow of Big Lost River which enters Mackay Reservoir.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder graph furnished by Water District No. 27.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	31	35	35	35	34	a35	34	20	71	30	27	24
2	30	37	35	34	33	a35	34	20	66	30	27	25
3	29	37	35	30	33	a35	34	20	60	32	27	25
4	30	36	36	31	33	a35	33	20	53	35	26	26
5	32	36	36	32	33	a35	33	20	49	35	26	26
6	32	36	37	33	32	35	33	20	50	32	26	26
7	32	36	37	33	32	a35	32	20	54	32	26	25
8	32	36	36	33	31	a36	32	20	60	30	26	24
9	32	36	35	33	30	a36	32	21	65	31	28	24
10	33	36	35	33	31	a36	31	22	72	30	30	23
11	33	36	35	34	31	a36	30	24	83	30	25	24
12	33	36	35	34	31	a37	30	28	91	30	29	23
13	32	36	35	34	32	37	28	35	87	30	29	24
14	34	37	35	35	33	37	26	45	78	29	29	24
15	34	38	35	35	32	37	26	52	71	28	29	24
16	35	38	35	35	32	37	26	68	66	28	29	24
17	34	38	35	35	32	37	25	83	61	27	29	24
18	33	38	35	35	33	37	24	91	55	26	29	24
19	33	38	35	34	34	37	22	97	52	25	29	24
20	33	38	35	34	34	37	20	102	52	26	29	24
21	32	36	35	35	34	35	20	93	49	24	29	24
22	32	35	33	35	34	35	20	86	46	26	29	24
23	32	35	34	35	34	35	20	75	45	26	29	24
24	32	36	34	35	35	35	20	64	43	26	29	24
25	32	35	34	34	35	35	20	60	42	26	28	24
26	32	35	35	34	35	35	20	58	42	26	27	25
27	32	35	36	33	35	35	20	64	41	25	26	25
28	32	35	36	33	a35	35	20	74	38	25	26	25
29	32	35	35	33	-	35	22	84	33	26	26	25
30	35	35	35	33	-	35	21	84	31	26	25	25
31	35	-	35	33	-	35	-	77	-	27	24	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,005	35	29	32.4	1,980
November.....	1,066	38	35	36.2	2,150
December.....	1,089	37	33	35.1	2,160
Calendar year 1948	13,691	166	16	37.4	27,130
January.....	1,045	35	30	33.7	2,070
February.....	923	35	30	33.0	1,830
March.....	1,107	37	35	35.7	2,200
April.....	788	34	20	26.3	1,560
May.....	1,647	102	20	53.1	3,270
June.....	1,706	91	31	56.9	3,380
July.....	880	35	24	28.4	1,750
August.....	857	30	24	27.6	1,700
September.....	732	26	23	24.4	1,450
Water year 1948-49	12,865	102	20	35.2	25,510

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of records for nearby streams.

Note.--Part of flow diverted around station Sept. 14-30 by beaver dams; published discharge includes diverted flow and was computed on basis of records for nearby streams.

Warm Spring Creek (west channel) near Mackay, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°58', long. 113°45', in NE¹ sec. 5, T. 7 N., R. 23 E., 500 feet upstream from confluence with east channel and $\frac{7}{8}$ miles northwest of Mackay.

Records available.--May 1919 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--30 years, 92.4 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 190 second-feet May 20 (gage height, 2.24 feet); minimum, 55 second-feet Apr. 21-28, May 6-8 (gage height, 1.08 feet).
1919-49: Maximum discharge, 600 second-feet (estimated) Aug. 11, 1936 (gage height, 4.42 feet, datum then in use, from high-water mark); minimum, 49 second-feet Apr. 27, 1935 (gage height, 0.62 foot, datum then in use).

Remarks.--Records good. Flow during summer represents return flow from irrigation. The sum of the combined discharge of east and west channels of Warm Spring Creek and the combined discharge of east and west channels of Big Lost River, near Mackay, represents practically the entire surface flow of Big Lost River which enters Mackay Reservoir.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder graph furnished by Water District No. 27.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	88	94	89	87	83	78	75	57	144	80	66	68
2	87	95	89	87	83	78	74	56	135	78	66	69
3	86	94	89	81	83	78	74	56	125	84	64	69
4	87	90	89	84	83	78	74	56	117	84	64	70
5	93	93	89	84	82	78	74	56	111	86	63	70
6	93	93	89	84	82	78	74	55	111	82	63	71
7	93	93	89	84	82	78	74	55	117	80	63	71
8	93	94	89	84	82	78	73	55	124	78	63	73
9	96	94	89	83	81	78	71	56	134	78	64	74
10	98	94	89	83	81	77	70	57	143	81	67	74
11	99	95	89	83	80	77	69	62	158	80	66	75
12	99	95	89	82	78	77	68	67	169	78	66	76
13	99	96	89	82	78	76	66	73	160	77	66	80
14	98	96	89	82	78	76	63	87	144	75	66	78
15	98	95	89	82	78	76	63	100	134	73	66	78
16	98	94	88	82	78	76	63	123	125	71	66	77
17	98	93	88	82	78	76	63	146	117	69	66	77
18	98	92	88	82	78	76	62	161	108	68	66	77
19	98	92	87	82	78	76	60	173	107	67	66	77
20	96	92	87	81	78	76	57	180	106	66	66	78
21	98	90	87	81	78	76	55	166	101	66	66	78
22	98	90	87	81	78	76	55	158	99	67	66	77
23	98	89	87	81	78	76	55	143	98	66	66	76
24	96	89	87	82	78	76	55	128	95	67	66	76
25	95	89	87	82	78	76	55	119	93	67	66	77
26	96	89	87	82	78	76	55	118	94	66	66	78
27	96	89	87	82	78	76	55	128	92	66	66	77
28	96	89	87	82	78	76	55	143	88	64	67	77
29	95	89	87	83	-	75	56	159	84	64	67	77
30	94	89	87	83	-	75	56	161	82	64	67	77
31	93	-	87	83	-	75	-	152	-	66	67	-
Month						Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet		
October.....						2,950	99	86	95.2	5,850		
November.....						2,766	96	89	92.2	5,490		
December.....						2,730	89	87	88.1	5,410		
Calendar year 1948						34,810	239	61	95.1	69,140		
January.....						2,563	87	81	82.7	5,080		
February.....						2,228	83	78	79.6	4,420		
March.....						2,374	78	75	76.6	4,710		
April.....						1,919	75	55	64.0	3,810		
May.....						3,306	180	55	107	6,560		
June.....						3,515	169	82	117	6,970		
July.....						2,258	86	64	72.8	4,480		
August.....						2,033	67	63	65.6	4,030		
September.....						2,252	80	68	75.1	4,470		
Water year 1948-49						30,894	180	55	84.6	61,280		

Sharp ditch near Mackay, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder and artificial control, lat. 43°57', long. 113°39', in sec. 7, T. 7 N., R. 24 E., 1,600 feet downstream from head of ditch, three-quarters of a mile downstream from Mackay Reservoir, and 3½ miles northwest of Mackay.

Records available.--April 1939 to September 1949. June 1912 to October 1914 and March 1919 to April 1939 at site 1,400 feet upstream, above Hintze ditch.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 41 second-feet June 18 (gage height, 1.51 feet); no flow for long periods during fall and winter.
1912-14, 1919-49: Maximum discharge, 50 second-feet July 10, 1947 (gage height, 1.63 feet); no flow at times.

Remarks.--Records good. Sharp ditch diverts from east side of Big Lost River in SE¼ sec. 12, T. 7 N., R. 23 E., half a mile below Mackay Reservoir and 1 mile above station on Big Lost River below Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay. Water used for irrigation northwest of Mackay and above Streeter ditch. Hintze ditch, which diverts from Sharp ditch above station, was reported by watermaster to have carried 110 acre-feet during year (43 in June, 26 in July, 12 in August, and 29 in September).

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder graph furnished by Water District No. 27.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949											
Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Sept.
1	a3.7	11				0	1.0	7.9	14	17	19
2	a3.7	7.1				0	5.6	11	11	19	18
3	3.7	6.0				0	5.6	6.6	11	25	18
4	3.0	4.3				0	10	6.6	10	25	17
5	3.0	2.4				0	5.8	6.6	9.9	25	15
6	2.8	2.4				0	.1	7.1	9.9	25	13
7	2.4	2.4				0	7.7	8.2	12	26	13
8	2.4	0				0	21	8.2	15	28	13
9	1.5	0				0	28	9.9	16	29	13
10	2.6	0				0	16	12	18	26	14
11	5.0	0				0	12	11	21	23	12
12	5.0	0				0	12	11	26	23	11
13	2.4	0				0	12	12	31	20	11
14	1.8	0				0	12	13	38	17	11
15	1.6	0				0	13	12	38	17	12
16	1.2	0				0	14	11	39	17	11
17	1.2	0				0	15	10	39	17	9.9
18	1.2	0				0	16	11	41	22	9.9
19	h3.5	0				0	16	12	35	24	9.3
20	1.3	0				0	18	11	30	24	9.3
21	.8	0				0	20	11	26	23	9.0
22	h4.1	0				0	22	12	23	23	9.0
23	h6.6	0				0	25	11	23	23	8.5
24	h4.9	0				0	23	11	23	25	8.7
25	6.8	0				0	23	11	23	25	11
26	1.1	0				0	24	12	23	23	14
27	.5	0				.3	26	13	22	24	12
28	.4	0				.5	29	14	21	24	8.7
29	h5.5	0				.5	12	18	20	27	1.4
30	11	0				.6	3.2	19	20	26	0
31	11	-				.1	-	18	-	29	-
Month						Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet	
October.....						105.7	11	0.4	3.41	210	
November.....						35.6	11	0	1.19	71	
December.....						0	0	0	0	0	
Calendar year 1948						3,735.7	38	0	10.2	7,400	
January.....						0	0	0	0	0	
February.....						0	0	0	0	0	
March.....						2.0	.6	0	.06	4	
April.....						449.0	19	.1	15.0	891	
May.....						348.1	19	6.6	11.2	690	
June.....						688.8	41	9.9	23.0	1,370	
July.....						721	29	17	23.3	1,430	
August.....						527	27	10	17.0	1,050	
September.....						341.7	19	0	11.4	678	
Water year 1948-49						3,218.9	41	0	8.82	6,390	

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of flow during adjacent periods.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Big Wood River near Ketchum, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 43°48', long. 114°26', in sec. 4, T. 5 N., R. 17 E., half a mile upstream from North Fork and 8 miles northwest of Ketchum. Altitude of gage, 6,240 feet (from topographic map).

Drainage area.--137 square miles.

Records available.--May 1948 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 721 second-feet May 19 (gage height, 2.38 feet); minimum observed, 38 second-feet Feb. 12, Mar. 25 (gage height, 0.27 foot).

Remarks.--Records fair. Gage read once daily. No diversion or regulation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	80	73	60	62	48	46	50	345	448	192	94	66
2	76	76	59	51	50	51	59	341	408	190	89	65
3	76	74	63	55	49	53	58	330	361	187	89	65
4	81	68	62	53	49	51	58	316	353	187	85	71
5	85	83	66	58	46	49	62	294	353	197	87	66
6	81	80	59	60	48	*50	74	306	404	187	83	66
7	78	73	60	59	50	51	87	313	440	172	80	65
8	78	48	53	55	49	50	85	353	471	167	83	65
9	78	45	59	44	48	49	92	404	489	167	83	63
10	74	e65	66	b46	45	52	106	444	498	167	87	62
11	74	62	65	b50	39	50	129	498	526	158	85	63
12	74	76	65	b52	38	50	149	556	498	146	81	63
13	74	69	65	b54	40	50	131	586	458	144	78	63
14	74	69	60	55	44	45	129	666	435	142	76	63
15	73	68	43	53	48	46	131	677	390	137	78	62
16	71	69	42	46	49	46	158	694	373	131	76	63
17	71	76	46	b46	51	46	192	694	338	129	78	63
18	71	66	56	b50	52	45	282	694	306	129	81	62
19	69	e72	65	52	51	46	276	721	300	122	74	60
20	68	e69	68	52	42	48	276	646	275	118	71	63
21	68	66	55	51	49	48	270	566	259	122	69	63
22	68	e72	49	50	51	46	306	489	259	114	71	59
23	69	74	53	51	50	46	349	453	253	108	73	59
24	66	71	63	49	42	45	365	430	247	110	71	59
25	63	66	62	48	43	e47	373	448	244	108	69	59
26	66	63	63	51	45	48	399	498	239	106	68	58
27	69	49	65	52	43	46	408	551	230	104	69	56
28	60	58	63	50	42	e46	435	586	219	104	68	55
29	66	58	*60	48	-	e46	408	606	208	100	68	63
30	66	48	58	51	-	46	357	541	197	96	69	62
31	66	-	58	50	-	56	-	526	-	98	66	-
Month				Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff			
									Inches	Acre-feet		
October				2,233	85	60	72.0	0.526	0.61	4,430		
November				2,006	83	45	66.9	.488	.54	3,980		
December				1,829	66	42	59.0	.431	.50	3,630		
Calendar year				-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
January				1,604	62	44	51.7	.377	.44	3,180		
February				1,301	52	38	46.5	.339	.35	2,580		
March				1,494	56	45	48.2	.352	.41	2,960		
April				6,254	435	50	208	1.52	1.70	12,400		
May				15,572	721	294	502	3.66	4.23	30,890		
June				10,477	526	197	349	2.55	2.84	20,780		
July				4,339	197	96	140	1.02	1.18	8,610		
August				2,399	94	66	77.4	.565	.65	4,760		
September				1,878	71	56	62.6	.457	.51	3,720		
Water year 1948-49				51,386	721	38	141	1.03	13.96	101,900		

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

c Gage reading not representative of mean for the day; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for combination of Big Wood River and Big Wood Slough at Hailey, and Warm Springs Creek at Guyer Hot Springs, near Ketchum.

BIG WOOD RIVER BASIN

Big Wood River at Hailey, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°31', long. 114°20', in SW¹/₄ sec. 9, T. 2 N., R. 18 E., at steel highway bridge a quarter of a mile southwest of Hailey and three-eighths of a mile above Croy Creek.

Drainage area.--640 square miles (total area above river and slough stations).

Records available.--July to December 1889, June 1915 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--34 years, 296 second-feet. Average combined discharge of Big Wood River and Big Wood Slough, 34 years, 408 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,730 second-feet May 20 (gage height, 4.98 feet); minimum, 7 second-feet Aug. 16 (gage height, 0.96 foot).

1889, 1915-49 (river only): Maximum discharge, 4,480 second-feet June 7, 1938; maximum gage height, 8.66 feet June 12, 1921; practically no flow Sept. 15-23, Nov. 20, 22, 23, 1931, Oct. 25, 1937.

1889, 1915-49 (combined): Maximum daily discharge, 4,500 second-feet June 6, 7, 1938; minimum daily, 15 second-feet Dec. 27, 1921.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Water diverted around station through Big Wood Slough (see p. 121).

Total flow of river at Hailey (combined flow of Big Wood River and Big Wood Slough) is given on following page. Diversions above station for irrigation.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected, and one discharge measurement furnished, by Water District No. 7 AB.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(shifting-control method used Dec. 19, 20, 27-31, July 28 to Aug. 17)

1.0	8	1.9	120	4.0	1,060
1.1	13	2.2	192	4.5	1,380
1.2	20	2.5	282	5.0	1,750
1.4	38	3.0	486		
1.6	65	3.5	762		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	147	144	135	165	150	135	118	874	1,230	378	12	84
2	147	159	152	150	160	135	122	856	1,100	382	11	82
3	144	164	152	150	160	142	123	815	994	378	11	82
4	152	152	156	150	160	142	138	768	816	374	11	86
5	161	158	147	170	140	143	152	721	934	369	10	87
6	156	149	131	170	150	144	174	697	1,020	361	10	84
7	154	135	144	170	160	142	203	716	1,100	338	10	80
8	152	122	149	160	150	147	212	809	1,160	316	10	77
9	147	118	144	150	150	144	226	922	1,170	309	10	77
10	144	153	159	160	140	144	235	1,020	1,240	302	10	80
11	144	158	161	160	150	144	269	1,060	1,310	323	10	86
12	144	135	164	160	120	147	457	1,190	1,330	323	10	93
13	142	158	164	170	120	147	416	1,280	1,170	313	9	95
14	142	138	164	170	150	144	382	1,280	1,020	302	8	95
15	147	144	133	170	150	144	382	1,380	976	296	8	91
16	144	142	114	165	150	144	416	1,550	940	276	8	89
17	144	140	124	150	160	147	491	1,620	827	217	68	93
18	142	122	131	150	165	149	597	1,560	739	217	112	93
19	142	124	156	170	160	154	716	1,620	721	214	110	89
20	142	131	189	170	130	161	797	1,610	676	206	108	87
21	140	129	150	170	140	166	756	1,460	625	200	104	87
22	138	144	140	170	142	164	809	1,350	625	187	104	87
23	138	164	145	170	*152	133	964	1,250	591	176	120	86
24	138	171	166	165	120	116	1,020	1,170	569	171	120	82
25	138	159	176	155	124	116	1,020	1,170	580	166	118	80
26	138	161	176	160	130	116	934	1,220	553	124	110	75
27	138	140	192	160	130	118	940	1,320	486	14	86	72
28	138	140	*189	160	130	112	1,010	1,440	457	13	87	77
29	138	149	184	155	-	112	1,040	1,460	434	13	87	79
30	138	131	187	160	-	116	954	1,440	412	12	87	89
31	135	-	179	155	-	116	-	1,380	-	12	87	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	4,454	161	135	144	8,830
November.....	4,254	171	118	142	8,440
December.....	4,853	192	114	157	9,630
Calendar year 1948.....	131,603	2,670	48	360	261,000
January.....	5,010	170	150	162	9,940
February.....	4,023	165	120	144	7,980
March.....	4,284	166	112	138	8,500
April.....	16,089	1,040	118	536	31,910
May.....	37,008	1,620	697	1,194	73,400
June.....	25,905	1,330	412	864	51,580
July.....	7,282	362	12	235	14,440
August.....	12,666	120	8	53.7	5,300
September.....	2,552	95	72	85.1	5,060
Water year 1948-49.....	117,380	1,620	8	322	232,800

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 15-18, 21-26, Jan. 1 to about Feb. 16. No gage-height record Feb. 17-21, 24, Feb. 26 to Mar. 2, Mar. 4, 5; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Big Wood River near Ketchum and Warm Springs Creek at Guyer Hot Springs, near Ketchum.

Combined discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood River and Big Wood Slough at Halley, Idaho,
water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	207	183	135	165	150	135	172	940	1,240	404	190	124
2	206	202	152	150	160	135	178	920	1,110	408	178	122
3	200	208	152	150	160	142	190	876	1,000	404	175	122
4	208	193	156	150	160	142	204	824	926	400	175	127
5	221	176	147	170	140	143	229	774	944	395	173	130
6	215	188	131	170	150	144	264	744	1,030	388	170	125
7	209	173	144	170	160	142	334	759	1,120	361	166	120
8	206	155	149	160	150	147	354	855	1,190	337	167	116
9	201	149	144	150	150	144	377	970	1,190	330	166	116
10	196	168	159	160	140	144	403	1,060	1,280	321	167	120
11	194	178	161	160	130	144	475	1,090	1,360	344	167	128
12	193	172	164	160	120	147	532	1,220	1,580	344	160	139
13	191	175	164	170	120	147	488	1,310	1,220	334	153	141
14	190	175	164	170	150	144	450	1,300	1,060	321	148	139
15	193	183	133	170	150	144	447	1,400	1,020	316	144	136
16	188	180	114	165	150	144	486	1,570	982	304	140	133
17	187	177	124	150	160	147	569	1,640	865	297	133	139
18	184	159	131	150	165	149	672	1,580	771	297	132	139
19	182	158	156	170	160	154	777	1,640	752	289	131	132
20	161	166	189	170	130	161	810	1,630	705	279	127	129
21	179	164	150	170	140	166	767	1,480	649	269	123	127
22	177	159	140	170	142	164	820	1,370	658	250	123	126
23	177	164	145	170	152	164	976	1,270	625	235	139	125
24	177	171	166	165	120	165	1,030	1,190	601	226	139	121
25	176	159	176	155	124	164	1,040	1,190	608	218	136	118
26	176	161	176	160	130	163	1,020	1,240	579	217	129	110
27	175	140	192	160	130	168	1,030	1,340	522	214	124	102
28	176	140	189	160	130	160	1,090	1,460	491	209	124	110
29	176	149	184	155	-	160	1,110	1,480	466	201	125	127
30	175	131	187	160	-	167	1,040	1,460	441	196	127	127
31	172	-	179	155	-	168	-	1,400	-	194	127	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	5,888	221	172	190	11,680
November.....	5,054	208	131	168	10,020
December.....	4,853	192	114	157	9,630
Calendar year 1948	149,742	2,700	111	409	297,000
January.....	5,010	170	150	162	9,940
February.....	4,023	165	120	144	7,960
March.....	4,709	188	135	152	9,340
April.....	18,334	1,110	172	611	36,360
May.....	37,982	1,640	744	1,225	75,340
June.....	26,785	1,380	441	893	53,130
July.....	9,300	408	194	300	18,450
August.....	4,578	190	123	148	9,080
September.....	3,770	141	102	126	7,480
Water year 1948-49	130,285	1,640	102	357	258,400

Big Wood River near Bellevue, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°19', long. 114°21', in sec. 20, T. 1 S., R. 18 E., 1½ miles upstream from flow line of Magic Reservoir, 3 miles upstream from Camas Creek, and 10 miles southwest of Bellevue.

Drainage area.--823 square miles.

Records available.--July 1911 to September 1949 (except winters of 1942 and prior to 1940).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,290 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 3.78 feet); minimum, 38 second-feet during periods in February and March (gage height, 1.64 feet).

1911-49: Maximum discharge recorded, 3,660 second-feet June 16, 1921 (gage height, 6.07 feet), from rating curve extended above 2,800 second-feet; minimum recorded, 7 second-feet Apr. 14, 1932 (gage height, 1.10 feet).

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Many diversions above station for irrigation.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected, and five discharge measurements furnished by Water District No. 7 AB.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used June 1 to Aug. 16)

1.6	33	2.0	107	3.0	600
1.7	46	2.2	176	3.3	825
1.8	62	2.4	263	3.6	1,110
1.9	82	2.7	415	3.7	1,210

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	87	146	87	51	43	38	59	635	753	126	92	70
2	84	184	90	b50	a40	38	64	574	607	120	84	68
3	82	184	97	b50	a40	38	80	487	517	120	84	64
4	84	184	100	b50	a40	38	97	398	415	126	82	68
5	92	169	94	a50	a40	38	123	330	382	123	82	70
6	94	150	84	a50	a40	40	158	282	398	113	84	68
7	92	150	78	b50	40	40	214	227	457	107	90	66
8	87	*126	72	b50	a40	40	258	236	499	104	90	68
9	82	117	72	b50	40	38	272	305	535	107	90	70
10	82	120	74	b50	40	38	291	382	574	107	94	70
11	80	123	80	b50	40	40	315	421	649	107	94	76
12	78	120	87	b50	38	40	427	499	715	107	97	76
13	78	126	107	b50	40	38	433	587	594	110	92	72
14	84	129	117	b50	40	38	404	649	481	100	92	70
15	87	143	b97	b50	40	40	388	730	427	97	90	72
16	87	146	b92	b50	40	41	404	934	410	100	82	70
17	90	143	70	b50	40	43	469	1,030	371	100	78	74
18	92	129	b68	49	40	43	542	1,010	335	102	78	64
19	94	120	66	49	40	46	628	1,070	345	102	76	59
20	94	129	60	49	40	51	685	1,140	335	100	76	56
21	94	133	b60	45	38	54	670	1,060	296	100	70	56
22	100	133	b60	45	38	52	692	972	277	92	70	56
23	117	133	b60	45	38	52	761	972	272	87	70	56
24	120	136	a60	45	*38	56	801	870	268	84	68	54
25	123	136	a55	45	38	59	852	801	250	84	68	56
26	123	129	a55	45	b38	56	852	777	245	87	68	54
27	126	117	*54	45	38	54	843	793	232	87	70	54
28	129	113	54	45	38	52	852	906	218	92	72	54
29	133	113	54	45	-	51	834	982	184	97	72	57
30	143	94	54	45	-	51	745	953	154	100	70	60
31	136	-	52	45	-	54	-	879	-	92	68	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	3,064	136	78	98.8	6,080
November.....	4,075	184	94	136	8,080
December.....	2,300	117	52	74.2	4,560
Calendar year 1948.....	78,268	1,640	43	214	155,200
January.....	1,493	51	45	48.2	2,960
February.....	1,105	43	38	39.5	2,190
March.....	1,397	59	38	45.1	2,770
April.....	14,213	852	59	474	28,190
May.....	21,891	1,140	227	708	43,420
June.....	12,195	753	154	406	24,190
July.....	3,180	126	84	103	6,510
August.....	2,493	97	68	80.4	4,940
September.....	1,928	76	54	64.3	3,820
Water year 1948-49.....	69,334	1,140	38	190	137,500

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of records for Magic Reservoir and station at Hailey.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Magic Reservoir near Richfield, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage at dam on Big Wood River, lat. 43°15', long. 114°22', in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 18, T. 2 S., R. 18 E., 18 miles northwest of Richfield. Datum of gage is 4,800 feet above datum of Idaho Irrigation Co., which is reported to be about 137 feet below mean sea level.

Drainage area.--1,500 square miles.

Records available.--February to April 1909 (gage heights only), April 1909 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents observed during year, 193,100 acre-feet May 29 (gage height, 135.4 feet); minimum observed, 74,050 acre-feet Sept. 30 (gage height, 93.6 feet).
1909-49: Maximum contents observed, 193,500 acre-feet June 26-28, 1944 (gage height, 135.5 feet); no storage for several days in 1909, 1919, 1920, 1924, 1928, 1935.

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by earth- and rock-fill dam, completed in 1909, and raised 5 feet in 1917. Capacity, 191,500 acre-feet between gage heights 21.4 feet (2.9 feet above bottom of outlet pipe) and 135.0 feet (top of 5-foot flashboards). Dead storage unknown. Water is used for irrigation of lands in Carey Act project of Big Wood Canal Co. Figures given herein represent usable contents including bank storage. Gage read in morning except during irrigation season when it was read morning and evening; contents computed from morning reading.

Cooperation.--Gage readings and yield table furnished by Water District No. 7 AB.

Contents, in acre-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	86,170	91,830	96,980	102,000	107,000	110,300	97,460	190,700	192,000	174,800	131,400	97,220
2	86,170	92,290	97,220	102,900	107,000	110,660	97,690	191,100	191,500	175,300	129,700	96,270
3	86,400	92,520	97,460	102,300	107,000	111,100	98,650	191,100	191,500	172,200	128,500	95,320
4	86,640	92,900	97,690	102,300	107,300	111,100	99,860	191,100	191,100	171,500	127,200	94,380
5	86,840	93,450	97,930	103,000	107,300	111,400	101,100	190,700	190,700	170,400	126,000	92,980
6	87,290	93,680	98,170	103,300	107,500	111,400	102,300	190,300	190,300	168,300	124,700	92,290
7	87,290	93,920	98,410	103,500	107,800	111,400	103,800	190,300	189,900	167,600	123,300	91,830
8	87,510	94,360	98,650	103,800	108,000	111,600	106,500	189,200	189,500	166,200	121,900	91,140
9	87,510	94,360	98,650	104,000	108,300	111,600	109,600	188,400	189,200	164,100	120,600	90,450
10	87,730	94,850	99,130	104,000	108,500	110,300	114,500	188,000	189,200	163,000	119,200	89,540
11	87,960	95,090	99,370	104,300	108,800	108,800	118,400	187,600	188,800	161,700	118,400	88,640
12	88,180	95,320	99,620	104,500	108,800	108,000	123,800	187,200	188,800	161,000	116,600	87,290
13	88,410	95,560	99,860	104,800	108,800	107,300	130,200	187,200	188,400	159,300	116,000	86,620
14	88,640	95,800	100,300	105,000	108,800	105,300	137,400	187,200	188,000	158,300	115,000	85,950
15	88,860	96,000	100,600	105,300	109,000	104,300	143,600	187,600	187,600	156,900	113,700	84,850
16	89,090	96,270	100,800	105,500	109,300	103,500	148,800	188,000	187,000	155,300	112,600	84,190
17	89,320	96,500	101,300	105,500	109,300	101,800	153,600	189,200	186,400	153,600	111,100	83,100
18	89,540	96,980	101,600	105,800	109,600	100,800	158,300	190,300	185,700	152,000	110,100	82,240
19	89,540	97,220	101,300	105,800	109,600	99,620	161,700	191,500	184,900	150,700	109,600	81,590
20	89,770	97,460	101,600	105,800	109,600	99,130	166,000	192,300	184,100	149,100	108,300	81,160
21	89,770	97,460	101,600	106,000	109,800	97,460	169,400	192,300	183,400	147,500	107,300	80,060
22	90,220	98,980	101,600	106,000	110,100	96,740	172,200	192,300	182,600	146,000	106,500	79,460
23	90,220	98,270	101,800	106,300	110,100	96,030	175,900	192,700	181,900	144,400	105,800	78,820
24	90,220	95,560	101,800	106,300	110,100	95,320	178,500	192,300	181,100	143,100	104,800	78,190
25	90,450	95,800	101,800	106,500	110,100	94,380	180,700	192,300	180,000	141,300	103,800	77,360
26	90,690	96,100	101,600	106,500	110,300	94,850	182,600	191,900	179,600	139,800	102,500	76,730
27	90,910	96,500	101,800	106,500	110,300	95,090	184,500	191,900	178,500	138,300	101,800	76,110
28	91,140	96,500	101,800	106,500	110,300	95,320	186,400	192,300	177,700	136,800	101,100	75,280
29	91,140	96,740	101,800	106,800	-	95,800	188,200	192,700	176,600	135,400	100,100	74,660
30	91,370	96,740	101,800	106,800	-	96,030	189,600	192,700	175,900	133,900	99,130	74,050
31	91,600	-	102,000	106,800	-	96,740	-	192,300	-	132,800	97,930	-

a No gage-height record; contents computed on basis of measured inflow and outflow.

Monthly gage height and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Gage height (feet)	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30	99.3	86,170	-
Oct. 31	101.7	91,600	+5,430
Nov. 30	103.9	96,740	+5,140
Dec. 31	106.1	102,000	+5,260
Calendar year 1948	-	-	+6,680
Jan. 31	108.0	106,800	+4,800
Feb. 28	109.4	110,300	+3,500
Mar. 31	105.9	96,740	-13,560
Apr. 30	-	189,600	+92,860
May 31	135.2	192,300	+2,700
June 30	130.9	175,900	-16,400
July 31	117.7	132,800	-43,100
Aug. 31	104.4	97,930	-34,870
Sept. 30	93.6	74,050	-23,880
Water year 1948-49	-	-	-12,120

Big Wood River below Magic Dam, near Richfield, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°14', long. 111°22', in sec. 18, T. 2 S., R. 18 E., Half a mile downstream from Magic Dam and 18 miles northwest of Richfield.

Records available.--April 1911 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--37 years (1912-49), 400 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,580 second-feet May 20 (gage height, 5.50 feet); minimum, 9 second-feet Dec. 4 to Feb. 28.

1911-49: Maximum discharge, 7,160 second-feet Apr. 13, 1943 (gage height, 13.31 feet); no flow Feb. 3, 1915.

Remarks.--Records good. Many ranch diversions in upper drainage area. Flow regulated by Magic Reservoir (see preceding page).

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected, and six discharge measurements furnished by Water District No. 7 AB.

Rating table, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet,
and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Oct. 1 to Nov. 4, Mar. 25
to Apr. 22, June 13 to July 16, Sept. 6-29)

1.1	9	2.0	74	4.0	735
1.2	13	2.3	113	4.5	1,010
1.3	18	2.6	170	5.0	1,280
1.4	24	3.0	284	5.5	1,580
1.7	46	3.5	488		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	16	14	10	9	9	10	14	768	1,120	719	796	539
2	16	13	10	9	9	10	14	1,020	900	740	790	539
3	16	13	10	9	9	10	14	988	812	757	774	539
4	16	13	9	9	9	11	14	972	762	768	762	539
5	16	12	9	9	9	11	14	856	779	762	740	534
6	16	12	9	9	9	11	14	762	757	762	724	529
7	16	12	9	9	9	299	14	790	752	757	740	529
8	16	12	9	9	9	544	14	845	752	779	724	529
9	16	12	9	9	9	544	14	850	752	812	682	529
10	14	12	9	9	9	539	15	828	752	812	672	529
11	14	12	9	9	9	539	15	818	762	801	656	529
12	14	12	9	9	9	534	15	850	757	796	651	529
13	14	12	9	9	9	534	15	867	752	812	651	520
14	14	12	9	9	9	529	16	867	752	818	646	502
15	14	12	9	9	9	616	16	872	740	812	616	497
16	14	12	9	9	9	796	16	872	730	806	606	493
17	14	12	9	9	9	867	16	840	730	806	606	493
18	14	12	9	9	9	862	16	818	703	801	587	466
19	13	12	9	9	9	862	16	922	693	796	592	448
20	13	136	9	9	9	850	16	1,270	687	823	558	443
21	13	367	9	9	9	586	16	1,410	672	850	553	430
22	13	430	9	9	9	493	17	1,330	656	850	553	422
23	12	452	9	9	9	367	91	1,320	656	850	577	422
24	12	179	9	9	9	122	543	1,160	677	856	587	422
25	12	10	9	9	9	14	529	1,030	677	850	582	422
26	13	10	9	9	9	14	461	928	677	834	568	422
27	14	10	9	9	9	14	466	938	687	818	563	422
28	14	10	9	9	9	14	470	850	708	818	563	417
29	13	10	9	9	-	14	548	1,250	687	818	548	417
30	13	10	9	9	-	14	592	1,300	687	818	539	173
31	13	-	9	9	-	14	-	1,180	-	812	539	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	438	16	12	14.1	869
November.....	1,857	452	10	61.9	3,680
December.....	282	10	9	9.1	559
Calendar year 1948.....	109,882	1,030	9	300	217,900
January.....	279	9	9	9.0	553
February.....	252	9	9	9.0	500
March.....	10,644	867	10	343	21,110
April.....	4,031	592	14	134	8,000
May.....	30,391	1,410	762	980	60,280
June.....	22,228	1,120	656	741	44,090
July.....	24,913	856	719	804	49,410
August.....	19,745	796	539	637	39,180
September.....	14,224	539	173	474	28,210
Water year 1948-49.....	129,284	1,410	9	354	256,400

Note.--No gage-height record Jan. 21 to Feb. 27; discharge computed on basis of record of operation of gates in dam.

Big Wood River near Gooding, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°54', long. 114°48', in sec. 21, T. 6 S., R. 14 E., at Hudson Ranch, 2 miles downstream from bridge on Bliss-Gooding highway, 3½ miles downstream from Little Wood River, 5 miles upstream from diversion dam for King Hill project, and 6 miles southwest of Gooding.

Records available.--March 1916 to September 1949 (fragmentary 1922-37, 1941, 1942).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,910 second-feet Mar. 17 (gage height, 7.10 feet); minimum, 1 second-foot Oct. 7, 8; minimum daily, 4 second-feet Oct. 7, 1916-49; Maximum discharge, 5,220 second-feet Apr. 14, 1943 (gage height, 9.80 feet); no flow at times in many years.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of fragmentary gage-height record or those computed from shaft gage readings, which are fair, and those for periods of ice effect, which are poor. Diversions above and below station for irrigation. Flow regulated by Magic Reservoir (see p.117) and affected by deliveries from canals diverting from Snake River at Milner.

Cooperation.--One discharge measurement furnished by Water District No. 7 AB.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

0.7	4	1.2	26	2.5	180	4.5	589
.8	7	1.4	41	3.0	258	5.0	752
.9	10	1.7	71	3.5	347	5.5	937
1.0	15	2.0	109	4.0	450	6.2	1,280

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	253	137	105			50	237	g71	f247	61	61	47
2	119	137	99			100	260	h76	h183	59	64	43
3	48	140	115			125	268	h20	178	54	46	41
4	35	145	85			150	289	30	190	44	41	42
5	31	130	70			180	310	36	184	32	43	55
6	20	129	60		40	200	347	g63	208	39	35	73
7	4	*130	46			250	380	g91	202	44	42	82
8	16	119	45			450	321	g69	194	38	44	86
9	24	109	45			600	362	h59	183	30	58	84
10	25	116	50			700	272	h51	161	18	69	90
11	15	119	71		44	700	242	g47	134	20	72	88
12	5	108	75			700	234	42	113	32	60	100
13	30	112	92		22	700	189	40	123	35	55	117
14	30	109	90	35		*735	141	32	130	32	46	154
15	29	112	80		22	910	124	h25	122	37	49	151
16	28	112	*70		21	1,240	171	h31	101	35	52	140
17	21	136	50		21	1,320	198	g136	97	35	46	148
18	7	239	35		20	998	220	g129	h104	32	28	166
19	10	270	40		20	1,030	117	g105	h117	37	19	218
20	56	195	45		21	1,100	72	g133	h151	36	17	242
21	81	152	40		24	990	115	h148	h159	30	26	177
22	101	159	30		25	705	289	g336	h131	35	39	138
23	92	151	25		25	592	242	h376	f88	37	39	109
24	83	171	25		22	510	162	g343	69	44	41	97
25	76	242	25		18	458	154	223	57	45	38	112
26	76	204	25		18	339	130	67	47	45	42	109
27	77	115	25	(*)	*21	290	97	20	52	45	57	87
28	82	158	25		30	266	h61	7	70	46	72	90
29	83	159	30	40	-	234	h25	49	61	46	76	93
30	86	112	*33		-	221	h32	113	60	52	70	79
31	119	-	35		-	221	-	f207	-	59	55	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,762	253	4	56.8	3,490
November.....	4,427	270	108	148	8,780
December.....	1,686	115	25	54.4	3,340
Calendar year 1948	37,640	584	3	103	74,650
January.....	1,110	-	-	35.8	2,200
February.....	818	-	18	29.2	1,620
March.....	17,064	1,320	50	550	33,850
April.....	6,064	380	28	202	12,030
May.....	3,175	376	7	102	6,300
June.....	3,916	247	47	131	7,770
July.....	1,236	61	18	39.9	2,450
August.....	1,502	76	17	48.5	2,980
September.....	3,258	242	41	109	6,460
Water year 1948-49	46,018	1,320	4	126	91,270

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

f Computed from partly estimated gage-height record.

g Computed from graph based on gage readings.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 1, 4-6, 8, 9, Dec. 15 to Feb. 10, Feb. 12-14, Feb. 28 to Mar. 13 (no gage-height record Dec. 26, 27, Jan. 4-6, 21, 22, 24-26, Feb. 3, 4; discharge computed on basis of records for station below Magic Reservoir and Moore Creek near Arrowrock).

Warm Springs Creek at Guyer Hot Springs, near Ketchum, Idaho

Location--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°41', long. 114°25', in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 15, T. 4 N., R. 17 E., at Guyer Hot Springs, 2 1/8 miles upstream from mouth and 2.2 miles west of Ketchum.

Drainage area--96 square miles.

Records available--November 1940 to September 1949.

Extremes--Maximum discharge during year, 416 second-feet May 30 (gage height, 2.64 feet); minimum recorded, 18 second-feet Nov. 18 (gage height, 0.91 foot), but may have been less during period of no gage-height record in winter.
1940-49: Maximum discharge, 696 second-feet May 30, 1943 (gage height, 3.36 feet); minimum, 6 second-feet Feb. 29, 1944 (gage height, 0.55 foot), ice jam upstream; minimum daily, 17 second-feet Dec. 17, 1946.

Remarks--Records good except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are fair. Diversions above station for irrigation.

Rating table, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet,
and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Oct. 1 to Dec. 16,
Jan. 26 to Mar. 20, Sept. 11-30.)

1.0	27	1.8	155
1.2	48	2.0	205
1.4	76	2.2	263
1.6	112	2.5	364

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	36	32	31	a30	a31	28	34	192	211	72	40	30
2	35	34	34	a28	a32	31	36	192	192	70	39	30
3	34	36	33	a29	h32	31	37	187	174	66	38	30
4	35	31	33	a29	a32	31	40	182	165	68	37	32
5	37	30	29	a33	a27	30	47	177	160	68	37	32
6	36	34	29	a34	a30	31	61	165	165	67	37	31
7	35	26	30	a34	a31	30	74	187	169	62	36	31
8	34	28	30	a32	a30	31	72	208	174	61	36	30
9	34	29	33	a29	30	30	76	230	172	60	37	30
10	34	32	35	a30	a28	31	88	239	172	60	38	30
11	33	33	35	a30	26	31	110	236	177	58	38	31
12	32	34	34	30	24	31	125	257	172	57	36	32
13	31	34	33	33	24	31	104	273	165	54	36	32
14	31	33	33	33	h30	30	95	295	148	53	35	32
15	32	34	28	33	a31	30	99	329	137	53	35	31
16	32	34	28	a31	a31	30	118	343	129	52	34	31
17	32	33	a29	a30	a32	30	146	340	120	49	34	33
18	31	27	a32	a30	a33	32	172	326	114	49	34	33
19	32	32	34	35	a32	32	184	371	112	48	34	33
20	32	31	39	35	h26	33	184	386	104	47	33	32
21	31	29	30	a35	a30	33	167	343	101	47	33	32
22	31	31	a29	a34	a31	33	184	309	95	46	33	32
23	31	31	a30	a34	a30	33	200	279	91	45	36	33
24	30	33	a35	a32	25	33	211	260	90	44	35	32
25	30	30	a37	a31	26	32	222	254	86	44	34	32
26	30	32	37	h32	26	32	211	254	84	44	33	31
27	30	27	37	a32	26	33	213	263	83	44	32	31
28	30	31	37	a32	27	30	225	276	81	42	31	34
29	30	31	37	a31	-	30	227	263	76	42	32	36
30	29	31	35	a33	-	32	216	251	74	41	33	36
31	28	-	31	a32	-	33	-	233	-	41	31	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	998	37	28	32.2	1,980
November.....	943	36	26	31.4	1,870
December.....	1,017	39	28	32.6	2,020
Calendar year 1948.....	25,440	439	21	69.5	50,470
January.....	986	35	28	31.8	1,960
February.....	813	33	24	29.0	1,610
March.....	968	33	28	31.2	1,920
April.....	3,978	227	34	133	7,890
May.....	8,100	366	165	261	16,070
June.....	3,993	211	74	133	7,920
July.....	1,654	72	41	53.4	3,280
August.....	1,087	40	31	35.1	2,160
September.....	957	38	30	31.9	1,900
Water year 1948-49.....	25,494	386	24	69.8	50,580

Peak discharge (base, 300 sec.-ft.)--May 20 (2 a.m.) 416 sec.-ft.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for combination of Big Wood River and Big Wood Slough at Halley and other nearby streams.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Big Wood Slough at Hailey, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°31'00", long. 114°19'30", in sec. 9, T. 2 N., R. 18 E., at highway bridge an eighth of a mile northeast of steel highway bridge over Big Wood River and an eighth of a mile southwest of Hailey

Records available.--June 1915 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--34 years, 112 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 219 second-feet July 27 (gage height, 3.07 feet); no flow Nov. 22 to Mar. 23.

1915-49: Maximum discharge observed, 419 second-feet June 6, 1921, from rating curve extended above 280 second-feet; maximum gage height, 5.55 feet (top of ice in well) Jan. 20-23, 1937; no flow May 8, 1931, Oct. 20 to Nov. 3, 1938, Nov. 22, 1948, to Mar. 23, 1949.

Remarks.--Records good. Flow controlled at inoperative power plant half a mile upstream to meet the requirements of irrigation diversion from slough and sewage dilution. Big Wood Slough is a natural channel of Big Wood River and its discharge plus the discharge of Big Wood River at Hailey (see p. 114) is total discharge of river at this point.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected and one discharge measurement furnished by Water District No. 7 AB.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	60	39				0	54	66	15	26	178	40
2	59	43				0	56	64	11	26	167	40
3	56	44				0	61	61	11	26	164	40
4	56	41				0	66	56	10	26	164	41
5	60	38				0	77	53	10	26	163	43
6	59	39				0	90	47	10	25	160	41
7	55	38				0	131	43	21	23	156	40
8	54	33				0	142	46	27	21	157	39
9	54	31				0	151	48	24	21	156	39
10	52	35				0	168	37	35	19	157	40
11	50	38				0	206	28	53	21	157	42
12	49	37				0	75	26	52	21	150	46
13	49	37				0	72	26	50	21	144	46
14	48	37				0	68	22	45	19	140	46
15	46	39				0	65	22	41	20	136	45
16	44	38				0	70	20	42	28	132	44
17	43	37				0	78	18	38	80	65	46
18	42	37				0	75	18	32	80	20	46
19	40	34				0	61	18	31	75	21	43
20	39	35				0	13	18	29	73	19	42
21	39	35				0	11	17	24	69	19	40
22	39	15				0	11	16	33	63	19	39
23	39	0				31	12	16	34	59	19	39
24	39	0				49	12	16	32	55	19	39
25	38	0				48	25	16	28	52	18	38
26	38	0				47	87	16	26	93	19	35
27	37	0				50	91	18	36	200	38	30
28	38	0				48	79	18	34	196	37	33
29	38	0				48	74	21	32	188	38	38
30	37	0				51	72	21	29	184	40	38
31	37	-				52	-	20	-	182	40	-
Month						Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean		Runoff in acre-feet	
October.....						1,434	60	37	46.3		2,840	
November.....						800	44	0	26.7		1,590	
December.....						0	0	0	0		0	
Calendar year 1948						18,130	132	0	49.5		35,950	
January.....						0	0	0	0		0	
February.....						0	0	0	0		0	
March.....						424	52	0	13.7		841	
April.....						2,253	206	11	75.1		4,470	
May.....						932	66	16	30.1		1,850	
June.....						895	53	10	29.8		1,780	
July.....						2,018	200	19	65.1		4,000	
August.....						2,912	178	18	93.9		5,780	
September.....						1,218	46	30	40.6		2,420	
Water year 1948-49						12,886	206	0	35.3		25,570	

BIG WOOD RIVER BASIN

Camas Creek near Blaine, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°20', long. 114°33', in sec. 15, T. 1 S., R. 16 E., a quarter of a mile north of Macon siding on Hill City branch of Oregon Short Line Railroad, three-eighths of a mile downstream from Willow Creek, 2½ miles upstream from backwater of Magic Reservoir, and 4 miles southeast of Blaine.

Drainage area.--618 square miles.

Records available.--May 1912 to September 1949 (no winter records prior to 1945). Discharge measurements only for 1922.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 3,560 second-feet Apr. 13 (gage height, 9.64 feet); minimum recorded, 2.5 second-feet Aug. 20 (gage height, 0.92 foot).
1912-40: Maximum discharge recorded, 9,780 second-feet Apr. 8, 1943; maximum gage height, 15.48 feet about Apr. 18, 1938, from floodmark; minimum discharge recorded, 1.5 second-feet Aug. 29, 1940.

Remarks.--Records good except those below 10 second-feet, which are fair, and those for periods of no gage-height record, which are poor. Many small diversions above station; no appreciable regulation.

Cooperation.--Three discharge measurements and occasional inspections of recorder furnished by Water District No. 7 AB.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	4.0	7.8				h16	200	459	187	16	3.2	2.8
2	4.0	17				16	300	425	179	14	3.2	2.6
3	4.0	18				17	450	397	168	13	3.0	2.6
4	4.2	14				17	500	376	153	11	3.2	2.8
5	4.6	11				17	600	346	129	11	3.2	2.6
6	4.8	9.8				17	650	323	118	12	3.0	2.8
7	4.8	9.0				17	900	310	109	11	3.0	3.0
8	4.8	8.1			10	18	1,200	295	102	9.8	2.8	2.8
9	4.8	8.1				18	1,600	285	96	8.4	3.0	2.8
10	4.6	8.4				18	2,100	271	85	6.3	3.0	2.8
11	5.0	8.4				19	2,300	293	80	6.6	3.0	3.0
12	4.6	8.4				19	2,600	300	71	6.0	3.0	3.0
13	4.4	8.4				19	3,250	300	60	5.2	3.2	3.2
14	4.2	8.4				19	2,810	308	56	4.6	3.2	3.2
15	4.4	11	10	10		20	2,210	310	52	4.2	3.2	3.2
16	4.4	12				25	1,890	320	47	4.4	3.2	3.3
17	4.4	11				30	1,820	330	45	4.2	3.0	3.3
18	4.4	8.7				35	1,550	318	40	4.0	3.0	3.2
19	4.4	8.7				40	1,240	330	37	4.0	2.8	3.3
20	4.4	9.8				45	1,030	357	32	4.0	2.6	3.5
21	4.2	9.0				55	908	343	29	4.0	2.6	3.3
22	4.4	9.0				80	856	310	23	3.8	2.6	3.5
23	4.2	9.0			16	110	912	271	22	3.7	2.8	3.5
24	4.0	9.8				130	894	248	20	3.8	2.6	3.5
25	4.0	9.8				140	856	230	18	3.8	3.0	3.5
26	4.2	9.4				140	747	213	18	4.0	2.8	3.5
27	4.0	6.9				140	632	205	18	3.5	2.8	3.7
28	4.6					140	553	199	17	3.3	2.8	3.8
29	5.4	9.0				140	517	197	17	3.3	2.8	3.8
30	5.2					150	488	193	16	3.3	2.8	4.0
31	5.6	-				160	-	193	-	3.2	2.6	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	139.0	5.6	4.0	4.48	276
November.....	295.9	18	6.9	9.66	587
December.....	310	-	-	10.	615
Calendar year 1948	30,099.0	1,040	2.5	822	59,700
January.....	310	-	-	10	615
February.....	358	-	-	12.8	710
March.....	1,827	160	16	58.9	3,620
April.....	36,563	3,250	200	1,219	72,520
May.....	9,255	459	193	299	18,360
June.....	2,044	187	18	68.1	4,050
July.....	199.4	16	3.2	6.43	395
August.....	91.0	3.2	2.6	2.94	180
September.....	95.9	4.0	2.6	3.20	190
Water year 1948-49	51,488.2	3,250	2.6	141	102,100

Peak discharge (base, 500 sec.-ft.)--Apr. 13 (8 a.m.) 3,560 sec.-ft.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Note.--No gage-height record Nov. 28 to Feb. 28, Mar. 2-4, Mar. 11 to Apr. 12; discharge computed on basis of inflow-outflow studies for Magic Reservoir, weather records, and records for nearby streams.

Little Wood River at Campbell Ranch, near Carey, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°28', long. 114°03', in SW¼ sec. 35, T. 2 N., R. 20 E., at Campbell Ranch, above flow line of Little Wood Reservoir, 1½ miles downstream from High Five Creek, 2½ miles downstream from Muldoon Creek, 11 miles east of Bellevue, and 12 miles northwest of Carey.

Drainage area.--267 square miles.

Records available.--February 1920 to September 1926 (published as Little Wood River near Carey); March 1941 to December 1942, April 1944 to September 1949 (no winter records except 1921-24, 1926).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 595 second-feet Apr. 17 (gage height, 2.76 feet); minimum recorded, 19 second-feet Sept. 2, 3, 6, 7 (gage height, 0.94 foot).
1920-26, 1941-42, 1944-49: Maximum discharge recorded, 1,420 second-feet Apr. 10, 1942 (gage height, 4.31 feet, former site and datum); minimum, 14 second-feet Aug. 29, 30, 1926).

Remarks.--Records good except those for Nov. 26-30, which are fair, and those for Apr. 1-11, which are poor. Flow may be slightly regulated by Campbell Reservoir (capacity, 2,700 acre-feet) on unnamed tributary. Diversions for irrigation from Muldoon Creek.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by Little Wood Reservoir Co. and Water District NO. 11C.

Revisions.--W 633: Drainage area.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	47	58						283	252	79	34	23
2	47	88						259	245	82	34	22
3	48	92						249	232	84	33	21
4	50	66						239	207	84	33	24
5	50	60						223	210	86	33	24
6	48	62					a270	216	223	79	31	22
7	50	54						223	232	73	30	20
8	50	48						236	245	68	28	21
9	48	54						249	252	64	30	22
10	48	64						266	259	64	33	22
11	48	57						283	262	64	32	24
12	48	57					530	306	252	60	29	27
13	48	57					437	317	213	60	29	27
14	48	57					376	329	186	58	29	27
15	48	63					363	386	177	58	27	27
16	50	62					418	433	177	62	26	26
17	50	58					478	452	a164	60	26	27
18	50	47					467	413	a151	58	27	28
19	50	50					457	483	a138	58	26	27
20	50	51					433	483	a124	56	24	22
21	48	52					376	423	110	54	24	23
22	48	52					381	386	119	51	24	24
23	48	52					386	346	114	51	24	25
24	48	54					394	306	107	50	24	26
25	48	51					386	294	107	47	21	26
26	48						354	291	103	43	21	25
27	50						342	306	94	39	21	25
28	50	a50					350	321	86	38	22	27
29	50						346	317	84	36	23	32
30	50						313	294	82	35	24	32
31	50	-					-	266	-	33	23	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,514	50	47	48.8	3,000
November.....	1,706	88	-	56.9	3,380
December.....	-	-	-	-	-
Calendar year	-	-	-	-	-
January.....	-	-	-	-	-
February.....	-	-	-	-	-
March.....	-	-	-	-	-
April.....	10,557	530	-	352	20,840
May.....	9,874	483	216	319	19,580
June.....	5,207	262	82	174	10,330
July.....	1,834	86	33	59.2	3,640
August.....	845	34	21	27.3	1,680
September.....	748	32	20	24.9	1,480
Water year	-	-	-	-	-

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for nearby streams.

Little Wood River near Carey, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°23', long. 114°00', in E $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. 30, T. 1 N., R. 21 E., a third of a mile upstream from West Canal, 1 $\frac{1}{3}$ miles upstream from East Canal, 2 miles downstream from Little Fish Creek, 3 miles downstream from Little Wood Reservoir and 6 miles northwest of Carey.

Drainage area.--312 square miles.

Records available.--April 1904 to May 1905, September 1926 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--20 years (1926-27, 1929-42, 1943-49), 126 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 660 second-feet Apr. 17 (gage height, 4.80 feet); minimum, 8 second-feet Sept. 22 (gage height, 2.01 feet); minimum daily, 18 second-feet Sept. 6, 7.

1904-5, 1926-49: Maximum discharge, 6,000 second-feet (due to failure of reservoirs on Little Fish Creek) Apr. 20, 1938 (gage height, 12.07 feet, datum then in use, from floodmark), from rating curve extended above 1,800 second-feet; minimum, 1 second-foot Jan. 26, 1945, Jan. 20, 1948; minimum daily, 3 second-feet on several days during November, December 1943, January 1944, November, December 1947.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Regulation and diversions above station for irrigation. Storage in Little Wood Reservoir (capacity, 10,000 acre-feet), 3 miles above station, began Feb. 12, 1941. Flow is also affected by Condie, Cameron, and Howard Reservoirs (combined capacity, 990 acre-feet) on Little Fish Creek. Capacities are as shown in 11th Biennial Report of Department of Reclamation, State of Idaho.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by Little Wood Reservoir Co. and Water District No. 11C.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	34	a36	40	45	45	a60	34	326	264	114	98	56
2	34	a38	40	45	45	a60	37	297	253	124	107	40
3	34	a38	40	45	45	a60	41	277	248	130	112	39
4	34	a38	40	45	45	*61	42	266	220	137	114	36
5	35	a58	40	45	45	61	48	251	210	145	114	24
6	35	a38	40	48	44	60	59	243	220	165	118	18
7	35	a38	40	50	44	66	53	243	238	172	114	18
8	36	a38	*40	50	44	60	59	253	245	174	112	19
9	37	a38	42	50	44	60	54	269	256	200	109	40
10	37	*38	44	53	44	60	54	288	277	225	107	40
11	36	38	44	56	44	60	54	306	280	232	105	47
12	37	38	44	56	44	60	53	329	285	230	107	52
13	37	38	45	56	44	61	49	341	264	225	105	49
14	37	38	45	56	44	61	46	350	258	220	86	36
15	37	39	45	56	44	55	66	373	302	210	60	30
16	38	39	45	50	44	50	432	415	283	198	46	28
17	39	39	48	45	44	52	576	446	243	186	28	28
18	39	39	50	45	44	52	596	419	205	186	20	29
19	40	39	50	45	44	53	576	468	184	179	20	28
20	40	39	50	45	44	55	561	486	168	177	19	27
21	38	40	50	45	44	54	471	436	145	163	25	24
22	41	39	50	45	44	55	457	402	135	118	46	22
23	42	39	48	45	48	56	453	369	122	87	64	26
24	41	40	45	45	55	50	450	326	107	112	70	30
25	34	40	45	45	a56	43	443	311	99	135	69	27
26	33	40	45	45	a58	43	415	302	99	139	68	27
27	a33	40	45	45	a60	39	392	294	92	135	68	27
28	a33	40	45	45	a60	32	392	332	96	139	68	28
29	a34	40	45	45	-	30	396	332	107	133	69	31
30	a36	40	45	45	-	30	369	317	112	116	66	33
31	a37	-	45	45	-	31	-	283	-	98	81	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,133	42	33	36.5	2,250
November.....	1,164	40	38	38.8	2,310
December.....	1,380	50	40	44.5	2,740
Calendar year 1948.....	43,468	592	5	119	86,220
January.....	1,481	56	45	47.8	2,940
February.....	1,310	60	44	46.8	2,800
March.....	1,630	66	30	52.6	3,230
April.....	7,728	596	34	258	15,330
May.....	10,352	486	243	334	20,530
June.....	6,017	302	92	201	11,930
July.....	5,004	232	87	161	9,920
August.....	2,415	118	19	77.9	4,790
September.....	960	56	18	32.0	1,900
Water year 1948-49.....	40,574	596	18	111	80,470

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of gate changes for Little Wood Reservoir.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 18, 20, Nov. 25 to Dec. 1, Dec. 6 to Feb. 20. Feb. 24.

Little Wood River near Richfield, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°03', long. 114°08', in sec. 30, T. 4 S., R. 20 E., half a mile upstream from Byrns Slough and heading of Dietrich Canal, 1 mile east of railroad station at Richfield, and 14 miles downstream from Silver Creek.

Records available.--January 1911 to September 1949 (irrigation seasons only).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge recorded during year, 195 second-feet Apr. 21 (gage height, 1.96 feet); minimum recorded, 68 second-feet May 12 (gage height, 1.27 feet).
1911-49: Maximum discharge recorded, 868 second-feet May 3, 1938 (gage height, 3.97 feet); minimum recorded, 7.6 second-feet June 24, 25, 1920 (gage height, 0.52 foot).

Remarks.--Records good. Diversions above station for irrigation. Flow partly regulated by Little Wood Reservoir and four small reservoirs on tributaries. River above Silver Creek is dry, except during freshet seasons, because of channel losses and irrigation diversions above Carey.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder graph and five discharge measurements furnished by Water District No. 11 AB.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	131	138				-	171	105	122	118	82	117
2	129	142				-	173	106	125	118	82	118
3	129	144				-	178	98	125	117	82	117
4	129	148				-	182	93	136	122	84	117
5	129	150				-	182	90	150	125	80	118
6	129	146				-	185	90	146	125	87	118
7	129	*144				-	188	89	140	120	89	117
8	131	144				-	180	84	140	120	89	115
9	131	142				-	169	86	136	120	90	112
10	131	142				-	165	84	134	117	97	112
11	131	140				-	162	75	124	120	98	108
12	133	140				-	152	71	118	127	97	108
13	133	140				-	150	72	118	129	103	108
14	133	140				-	150	71	108	122	106	103
15	133	140				-	150	76	101	112	108	101
16	133	142				-	148	87	103	112	108	101
17	133	142				-	146	97	108	108	108	105
18	133	142				-	152	97	112	103	112	110
19	133	142				-	180	110	115	97	115	112
20	133	b140				-	188	124	120	95	118	112
21	133	140				-	190	146	115	92	118	113
22	133	138				-	180	165	117	92	122	115
23	133	140				-	173	171	117	93	124	112
24	134	140				-	171	171	113	92	124	108
25	136	140				-	167	160	113	98	127	108
26	136	140				-	160	150	120	89	133	105
27	136	138				-	150	133	118	86	131	100
28	136	b130				h165	140	118	125	78	133	113
29	136	b130				a167	125	108	127	76	134	113
30	136	b130				169	117	113	120	76	131	117
31	136	-				169	-	117	-	80	124	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	4,111	136	129	133	8,150
November.....	4,214	150	130	140	8,380
December.....	-	-	-	-	-
Calendar year	-	-	-	-	-
January.....	-	-	-	-	-
February.....	-	-	-	-	-
March.....	-	-	-	-	-
April.....	4,924	190	117	164	9,770
May.....	3,357	171	71	108	6,660
June.....	3,666	150	101	122	7,270
July.....	3,279	129	76	106	6,500
August.....	3,336	134	80	108	6,620
September.....	3,331	118	100	111	6,610
Water year	-	-	-	-	-

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of records for Silver Creek near Picabo.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Little Wood River at Shoshone, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°56', long. 114°24', in sec. 2, T. 6 S., R. 17 E., just upstream from diversion dam for town water supply and 400 feet upstream from highway bridge in Shoshone.

Records available.--April 1922 to September 1949 (irrigation seasons only).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 513 second-feet June 21 (gage height, 3.03 feet); minimum recorded, 44 second-feet Oct. 6; minimum gage height recorded, 0.75 foot Oct. 6, Mar. 2-5.

1922-49: Maximum discharge recorded, 664 second-feet June 18, 1922; maximum gage height recorded, 4.49 feet June 11, 1944; practically no flow July 29, 1931, Oct. 3, 1938.

Remarks.--Records good. Many diversions above and below station for irrigation. Flow affected by operation of Milner-Gooding Canal, which diverts from Snake River and crosses Little Wood River above station, by operation of several reservoirs above Carey, and by Big Wood River water deliveries through Byrns Slough for Dietrich Canal via Little Wood River at Richfield.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder graph and five discharge measurements furnished by Water District No. 11 AB.

Rating table, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet,
and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Mar. 1 to Apr. 21,
July 30 to Sept. 30)

0.8	54	1.2	159	2.0	398
.9	75	1.4	231	2.3	438
1.0	100	1.6	311	2.6	472
1.1	128	1.8	362		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	134	103				56	169	362	456	470	468	384
2	103	111				56	173	366	463	458	466	390
3	98	111				54	173	370	486	446	463	390
4	92	117				54	176	351	489	445	451	398
5	66	117				56	173	384	495	457	421	398
6	46	117				62	173	453	489	456	422	400
7	60	111				120	186	443	484	452	425	395
8	58	108				137	183	425	479	439	426	381
9	58	106				140	173	430	474	430	438	377
10	58	114				125	162	436	463	434	440	375
11	58	106				122	156	431	452	444	439	379
12	58	100				122	150	420	445	443	437	384
13	58	103				122	131	413	451	442	428	391
14	58	100				131	140	407	454	443	431	377
15	58	106				140	134	413	450	463	386	370
16	58	108				153	125	451	446	465	377	366
17	58	108				193	122	453	458	457	372	362
18	58	114				201	114	452	473	460	370	370
19	60	108				201	120	463	495	459	372	379
20	60	111				204	150	475	506	446	377	368
21	60	120				197	307	478	505	437	390	351
22	60	114				201	328	465	494	451	383	354
23	60	137				220	317	471	488	460	375	328
24	60	117				227	379	434	476	466	383	342
25	60	111				220	414	421	466	460	391	347
26	62	97				212	422	401	473	466	401	347
27	62	165				223	427	390	484	464	402	344
28	64	131			58	193	395	416	486	463	400	340
29	72	125			-	183	360	422	490	463	393	354
30	106	147			-	176	356	416	479	457	390	272
31	100	-			-	169	-	442	-	463	390	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	2,123	134	46	68.5	4,210
November.....	3,444	166	97	115	6,830
December.....	-	-	-	-	-
Calendar year	-	-	-	-	-
January.....	-	-	-	-	-
February.....	-	-	-	-	-
March.....	4,670	227	54	151	9,280
April.....	3,787	427	114	226	13,460
May.....	13,154	478	351	424	26,090
June.....	14,249	506	445	475	28,260
July.....	14,059	470	430	454	27,890
August.....	12,707	468	370	410	25,200
September.....	10,973	400	272	366	21,760
Water year	-	-	-	-	-

Silver Creek near Picabo, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°17', long. 114°01', in sec. 1, T. 2 S., R. 20 E., 1½ miles downstream from drain ditch of Blaine County Drainage District No. 1 and 3 miles southeast of Picabo.

Records available.--May 1920 to September 1949 (1922-35, irrigation seasons only).

Average discharge.--16 years (1920-22, 1935-49), 148 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 241 second-feet Apr. 6; maximum gage height recorded, 3.67 feet Jan. 2 (ice jam); minimum discharge recorded, 79 second-feet Dec. 15 (gage height, 1.34 feet).

1920-49: Maximum discharge, 312 second-feet Apr. 3, 1923; maximum gage height, 3.97 feet Jan. 8, 1942 (ice jam); minimum discharge, 26 second-feet June 2, 1920 (gage height, 0.48 foot).

Remarks.--Records good except those for period of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Many diversions above station for irrigation. Records of discharge do not include water bypassed around station at times by slough on right bank from which there is some diversion for irrigation.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected during irrigation season by Water District No. 11 AB.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	186	184	158			150	212	109	153	170	126	151
2	184	190	158			150	220	108	153	174	122	149
3	182	209	161			151	227	104	171	176	121	150
4	181	210	159			154	230	109	192	182	121	152
5	183	201	155			156	235	113	184	189	125	156
6	185	192	191			157	236	113	181	183	122	155
7	182	187	159			158	229	113	185	178	118	151
8	180	186	159		140	157	218	106	185	174	116	151
9	180	181	155			157	209	106	186	171	124	151
10	180	*177	158			154	201	95	182	174	123	150
11	180	176	159			164	193	93	161	178	123	146
12	179	175	161			170	187	90	153	176	125	143
13	178	175	158			165	161	91	144	167	127	138
14	177	174	158			166	175	98	133	148	127	137
15	179	176	128			171	171	108	132	142	130	135
16	180	184				179	168	115	130	137	132	146
17	180	185				184	165	117	129	130	134	151
18	179	180				189	162	125	129	128	141	153
19	176	173				195	160	136	140	123	146	155
20	177	171				204	158	141	136	111	146	158
21	177	170				208	153	144	142	116	155	158
22	177	168				212	150	147	149	123	157	153
23	178	168				213	152	156	147	128	154	151
24	179	170	150			213	151	151	144	129	158	155
25	179	170				*154	222	148	149	126	164	150
26	179	168				152	220	138	145	151	124	159
27	179	162				151	216	128	142	159	119	158
28	180	161				150	211	119	135	170	119	157
29	180	161				-	205	113	137	169	120	154
30	178	159				-	204	110	143	161	121	150
31	180	-				-	207	-	-	123	150	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	5,574	186	176	180	11,060
November.....	5,343	210	159	178	10,600
December.....	4,777	191	-	154	9,480
Calendar year 1948	54,428	216	88	149	108,000
January.....	4,340	-	-	140	8,610
February.....	4,070	-	-	145	8,070
March.....	5,662	222	150	183	11,230
April.....	5,299	236	110	177	10,510
May.....	3,786	156	90	122	7,510
June.....	4,702	192	129	157	9,330
July.....	4,559	189	111	147	9,040
August.....	4,265	164	116	138	8,460
September.....	4,505	162	135	150	8,940
Water year 1948-49	56,882	236	90	156	112,800

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Flow in bypass channel, which carries water around gage, measured as 7.90 sec.-ft. Nov. 10; 8.12 sec.-ft. Apr. 14; 0.43 sec.-ft. May 30; 1.37 sec.-ft. Aug. 27. Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 27, 28, Dec. 6-9, Dec. 16 to about Feb. 15 (no gage-height record Dec. 22-27, Jan. 5 to Feb. 23; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for nearby streams).

King Hill Canal near Hagerman, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage in concrete-lined channel above entrance to inverted siphon crossing Snake River, lat. 42°52', long. 114°55', in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 27, T. 6 S., R. 13 E., half a mile west of highway bridge over Big Wood River and $3\frac{1}{2}$ miles north of Hagerman. Prior to Apr. 12, 1949, staff gage at approximately same site, but at datum, 1.95 feet higher.

Records available.--March 1930 to September 1949 (irrigation seasons only except 1939, 1947-1949).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 338 second-feet May 30 (gage height, 5.14 feet, regular gage); no flow for long periods when gates were closed.
1930-49: Maximum discharge observed, 343 second-feet May 27, 1947; maximum gage height observed, 3.80 feet July 19-22, 26, 27, 1944 (site and datum then in use); no flow or small flow from leakage at head gate during nonirrigation seasons and other periods when gates were closed.

Remarks.--Records fair. Gage read twice daily Apr. 12 to May 31 and once daily during balance of irrigation season. This canal, which is operated by King Hill Irrigation District to provide water for irrigation of its project, diverts from Idaho Power Co.'s canal, which in turn diverts from Big Wood River (Malad Springs water). Diversion works and approach to siphon again reconstructed during nonirrigation season of 1948-49.

Cooperation.--Gage readings furnished by King Hill Irrigation District. Three discharge measurements furnished by Idaho Power Co.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	177						0	310	322	314	299	319
2	192						0	304	318	316	299	319
3	177						0	308	316	309	302	319
4	177						0	308	321	312	299	317
5	177						0	310	328	305	303	312
6	177						0	310	311	302	303	317
7	177						0	310	307	305	303	310
8	158						0	308	307	305	303	289
9	109						0	311	309	303	301	285
10	0						0	311	312	304	299	290
11	0						0	313	301	305	301	282
12	0						80	313	304	308	301	290
13	0						149	315	306	308	301	290
14	0						165	319	309	307	299	286
15	0						178	324	309	311	298	289
16	0						235	326	311	311	301	286
17	0						248	324	315	311	301	286
18	0						241	329	305	311	303	283
19	0						235	333	140	309	305	286
20	0						236	333	0	310	229	282
21	0						245	333	0	311	0	282
22	0						250	331	258	307	0	265
23	0						248	333	312	307	269	269
24	0						280	333	312	307	292	265
25	0						298	331	307	311	302	260
26	0						291	328	307	303	309	262
27	0						292	333	304	303	314	260
28	0						301	335	308	305	316	260
29	0						306	333	304	303	316	260
30	0						308	333	302	303	315	260
31	0						-	331	-	299	319	-
Month						Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet		
October.....						1,521	192	0	49.1	3,020		
November.....						0	0	0	0	0		
December.....						0	0	0	0	0		
Calendar year 1948.....						48,640	340	0	133	96,490		
January.....						0	0	0	0	0		
February.....						0	0	0	0	0		
March.....						0	0	0	0	0		
April.....						4,586	308	0	153	9,100		
May.....						9,973	335	304	322	19,780		
June.....						8,465	328	0	282	16,790		
July.....						9,525	316	299	307	18,890		
August.....						8,702	319	0	281	17,260		
September.....						8,580	319	260	286	17,020		
Water year 1948-49.....						51,352	335	0	141	101,900		

Note.--Discharge computed on basis of gage-height record at auxiliary gage 500 feet below inverted siphon June 1 to Sept. 30.

Mountain Home feeder canal near Mountain Home, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder and concrete control, lat. 43°13', long. 115°42', in sec. 36, T. 2 S., R. 6 E., 40 feet downstream from point of diversion from Canyon Creek and 5 miles north of Mountain Home.

Records available.--April 1924 to September 1929, April 1931 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 167 second-feet May 15 (gage height, 2.39 feet); no flow for many days during winter.

1924-29, 1931-49: Maximum discharge, 226 second-feet Feb. 21, 1927 (gage height, 2.18 feet, datum then in use), from rating curve extended above 120 second-feet; no flow at times during most years.

Remarks.--Records good except those for Apr. 15 to May 10, which are fair, and those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Canal diverts from Canyon Creek in sec. 36, T. 2 S., R. 6 E., and delivers water to Mountain Home cooperative canal, which heads in Mountain Home feeder canal half a mile below station, for irrigation of about 5,000 acres in Mountain Home Irrigation District. During nonirrigation season and at times when there is a surplus of water for irrigation, canal feeds directly into Mountain Home Reservoir. No diversion from canal above station; two small diversions between station and headgates of Mountain Home cooperative canal. Flow regulated by headgates in Canyon Creek and by Long Tom and Little Camas Reservoirs.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	0.8	1.7	b1.7			b50	50	75	39	65	26	57
2	.8	2.0	1.7			*b44	54	71	28	57	26	54
3	.8	2.4	1.7			b36	58	65	23	56	41	56
4	.8	2.7	1.7			b47	58	61	20	56	44	55
5	1.4	2.7	b1.8			77	57	56	19	56	44	58
6	1.4	2.7	2.0			80	56	69	20	64	44	53
7	1.5	b2.6	b2.1		b2	77	57	70	34	73	44	58
8	1.4	b2.5	b2.1			73	51	97	45	83	44	58
9	1.2	b2.4	2.0			75	50	102	72	81	45	63
10	1.0	b2.3	2.0			73	48	102	77	73	46	66
11	.8	b2.2	3.0			74	43	100	73	65	56	71
12	.8	b2.1	3.4			93	44	96	77	66	59	67
13	.7	2.0	2.7			83	67	93	71	62	58	62
14	.8	2.0	2.4			85	66	100	62	60	58	60
15	.7	2.0	b2.2			99	65	115	62	55	55	62
16	.7	2.4	b2.0	b0		113	97	105	69	46	58	61
17	.7	*2.7	b1.8	(*)		113	118	97	70	50	46	58
18	.7	b2.0	b1.6		b5	112	114	95	58	51	44	16
19	.8	2.0	b1.4			109	111	85	57	48	55	6.4
20	.8	1.7	b1.2			121	108	51	65	46	57	5.0
21	1.0	b1.7	b1.0			127	98	43	67	56	57	3.6
22	1.0	1.7				*99	98	52	66	57	56	3.3
23	1.0	1.7			b15	111	100	53	69	56	64	3.0
24	1.2	2.0				101	101	50	69	56	62	3.0
25	1.2	2.0				75	98	54	69	62	54	2.4
26	1.2	2.0	b1.0		b60	56	97	63	65	56	52	2.4
27	1.4	b1.9				54	90	71	69	50	52	2.4
28	1.7	b1.8		(*)		52	88	72	77	43	52	2.4
29	1.7	b1.7				50	83	73	77	31	42	2.4
30	1.7	b1.7				49	79	65	72	28	41	3.0
31	1.7	-				50	-	71	-	27	49	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	33.4	1.7	0.7	1.08	66.2
November.....	63.3	2.7	1.7	2.11	126
December.....	51.5	3.4	-	1.66	102
Calendar year 1948	98,847	111	1.0	27.0	19,600
January.....	0	0	-	0	0
February.....	351	-	-	12.5	696
March.....	2,458	127	36	79.3	4,880
April.....	2,304	118	43	76.8	4,570
May.....	2,372	115	43	76.5	4,700
June.....	1,741	77	19	58.0	3,450
July.....	1,735	83	27	56.0	3,440
August.....	1,531	64	25	49.4	3,040
September.....	1,074.3	71	2.4	35.8	2,130
Water year 1948-49	13,714.5	127	0	37.6	27,200

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice. No gage-height record Dec. 22 to Feb. 17; discharge computed on basis of weather records, reports of no flow by engineer Jan. 17, 28, and records for nearby streams of similar runoff characteristics.

Bruneau River near Winter Camp Ranch, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°38', long. 115°42', in sec. 13, T. 9 S., R. 6 E., at Roberson Trail crossing, 6 miles downstream from East Fork, 11 miles northwest of Winter Camp Ranch, and 11 miles south of Hot Spring. Datum of gage is 3,015.68 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929.

Records available.--November 1946 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 3,290 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 5.23 feet); minimum daily, 28 second-feet Dec. 17; minimum gage height, 0.61 foot Nov. 9. 1946-49: Maximum discharge, that of May 17, 1949; minimum daily, that of Dec. 17, 1948; minimum gage height, 0.48 foot Sept. 16, 1948.

Remarks.--Records good except those for period of ice effect, which are fair. Several small reservoirs and many small diversions for irrigation above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	47	60	72	72	70	110	205	1,900	1,460	294	78	44
2	49	60	74	70	120	199	1,700	1,480	272	76	43	
3	46	66	104	60	65	120	202	1,700	1,380	263	78	42
4	44	72	91	40	65	130	215	1,700	1,150	252	78	41
5	44	74	72	35	70	135	263	1,560	1,020	248	76	41
6	51	69	74	40	65	140	389	1,420	980	240	72	41
7	57	66	74	45	65	146	529	1,350	980	222	67	41
8	56	64	80	50	65	151	747	1,360	1,000	208	66	41
9	56	49	80	60	55	151	988	1,460	1,060	195	61	42
10	54	59	85	65	65	151	1,110	1,600	1,050	184	66	42
11	53	80	89	60	75	151	1,200	1,710	1,040	181	66	42
12	53	76	97	55	85	151	1,460	1,770	1,030	175	60	42
13	51	71	*104	45	80	151	1,600	1,840	1,000	164	59	43
14	51	71	99	50	55	151	1,410	1,960	912	161	57	44
15	51	71	80	60	60	159	1,360	2,160	858	154	59	44
16	53	72	30	65	75	175	1,360	2,490	789	143	60	43
17	60	76	28	65	85	189	1,500	3,140	740	136	60	42
18	59	76	40	65	95	195	1,750	2,900	679	128	60	44
19	59	71	50	65	100	202	1,930	2,700	634	121	60	46
20	57	80	120	*62	95	240	2,040	2,400	608	116	56	46
21	57	84	90	60	95	290	2,000	2,300	558	112	53	44
22	57	82	45	60	95	308	1,970	2,150	529	108	51	43
23	57	78	30	65	95	337	2,170	1,900	496	101	53	42
24	57	80	35	65	96	*308	2,380	1,650	468	99	53	42
25	56	80	33	65	*96	276	2,460	1,550	442	95	54	42
26	56	84	35	55	96	255	2,340	1,570	426	93	53	42
27	54	74	40	45	96	248	2,200	1,580	405	93	50	42
28	54	57	50	60	100	244	2,180	1,600	373	87	49	46
29	56	67	70	65	-	222	2,230	1,600	342	85	49	50
30	57	78	80	70	-	195	2,180	1,550	318	84	49	51
31	57	-	70	70	-	205	-	1,500	-	82	49	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,669	60	44	53.8	3,310
November.....	2,147	94	49	71.6	4,260
December.....	2,107	120	28	68.0	4,180
Calendar year 1948	98,751	1,590	24	271	195,900
January.....	1,813	74	35	58.5	3,600
February.....	2,229	100	55	79.6	4,420
March.....	6,006	357	110	194	11,910
April.....	42,567	2,460	199	1,419	84,430
May.....	57,770	3,140	1,350	1,864	114,600
June.....	24,187	1,480	318	806	47,970
July.....	4,896	294	82	158	9,710
August.....	1,883	78	49	60.7	3,730
September.....	1,297	51	41	43.2	2,570
Water year 1948-49	148,571	3,140	28	407	294,700

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 15 to Mar. 6. Doubtful gage-height record May 17 to June 12; discharge computed on basis of records for station near Hot Spring.

Bruneau River near Hot Spring, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°46', long. 115°43'30", in SE¼ sec. 34, T. 7 S., R. 6 E., at Dunham Ranch, 1 mile downstream from Hot Creek, 1½ miles south of Hot Spring post office, 9 miles southeast of Bruneau, and about 16 miles downstream from East Fork. Datum of gage is 2,598.5 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929 (from stadia level circuit by Topographic Branch in 1945).

Records available.--July 1909 to March 1915, October 1943 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--11 years (1909-14, 1943-49), 427 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 3,100 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 8.99 feet); minimum, 54 second-feet Dec. 17 (gage height, 3.83 feet).

1909-15, 1943-49: Maximum discharge observed, 5,660 second-feet Mar. 1, 1910 (gage height, 10.6 feet, site and datum then in use), from rating curve extended above 1,200 second-feet; minimum observed, 40 second-feet Jan. 23, Nov. 29, 1911.

Remarks.--Records good. Several small reservoirs and many small diversions from tributaries above station for irrigation.

Revisions (water years).--W 1063: 1913.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	90	100	98	125	118	172	242	1,830	1,490	347	112	85
2	90	102	102	128	120	181	235	1,660	1,510	319	110	83
3	90	102	139	110	112	181	242	1,630	1,410	306	110	81
4	87	110	136	79	115	187	253	1,650	1,180	297	112	79
5	87	112	112	72	118	187	293	1,540	1,050	289	112	79
6	90	110	110	79	115	187	400	1,410	1,000	289	108	79
7	102	105	112	87	115	184	535	1,340	997	273	102	79
8	100	105	115	98	115	187	750	1,340	1,020	253	100	79
9	102	92	118	110	105	191	980	1,440	1,080	242	100	79
10	100	94	120	115	115	194	1,110	1,610	1,070	228	100	79
11	100	118	128	112	128	191	1,190	1,710	1,060	221	98	79
12	100	118	139	105	139	194	1,470	1,780	1,060	214	94	79
13	98	110	145	94	133	187	1,630	1,850	1,000	204	94	81
14	96	110	139	102	110	194	1,420	1,950	916	204	92	83
15	94	112	118	112	115	197	1,390	2,140	846	194	92	83
16	96	112	64	118	136	214	1,370	2,390	794	184	94	81
17	100	115	61	118	147	235	1,510	2,950	762	175	94	79
18	102	118	72	118	153	242	1,730	2,780	707	165	94	79
19	100	112	85	118	159	249	1,890	2,470	659	159	92	81
20	100	115	165	118	153	273	1,970	2,500	638	150	92	83
21	100	122	128	112	153	333	1,950	2,210	602	147	90	81
22	100	122	83	110	153	356	1,900	2,080	560	145	87	79
23	100	120	65	118	156	390	2,080	1,770	525	139	87	77
24	98	118	72	118	162	361	2,240	1,620	505	133	85	77
25	98	120	70	118	162	324	2,280	1,560	475	128	87	77
26	98	122	74	100	162	293	2,210	1,580	460	125	87	77
27	98	115	85	96	162	285	2,080	1,610	440	122	87	79
28	98	100	98	108	165	285	2,050	1,620	410	122	87	81
29	98	98	118	112	-	265	2,100	1,610	390	120	87	90
30	98	110	133	122	-	239	2,100	1,560	366	118	87	-
31	100	-	125	118	-	246	-	1,520	-	115	87	90

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	3,010	102	87	97.1	5,970
November.....	3,319	122	92	111	6,580
December.....	3,329	165	61	107	6,600
Calendar year 1948	112,303	1,590	56	308	222,700
January.....	3,350	128	72	108	6,640
February.....	3,796	185	105	136	7,530
March.....	7,404	390	172	239	14,660
April.....	41,600	2,280	235	1,387	82,510
May.....	56,510	2,950	1,340	1,823	112,100
June.....	24,982	1,510	366	833	49,550
July.....	6,127	347	115	198	12,150
August.....	2,960	112	85	95.5	5,870
September.....	2,418	90	77	80.6	4,800
Water year 1948-49	158,805	2,950	61	435	315,000

BRUNEAU RIVER BASIN

Bruneau River near Grand View, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°56', long. 115°57', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 35, T. 5 S., R. 4 E., 0.8 mile downstream from diversion dam for Grand View Canal, 1 mile upstream from mouth, and 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles southeast of Grand View. Datum of gage is 2,372.3 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929 (from stadia level circuit by Topographic Branch in 1945).

Records available.--January 1895 to December 1903 (gage heights only January 1900 to December 1903), May 1909 to September 1916, December 1944 to October 1949 (discontinued).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during period October 1948 to October 1949, 2,780 second-feet May 18 (gage height, 6.48 feet); minimum, 1 second-foot Oct. 14-17, 1948; minimum gage height, 0.49 foot Oct. 1, 1948.

1895-1903, 1909-16, 1944-49: Maximum discharge observed, 5,700 second-feet Mar. 2, 1910 (gage height, 10.1 feet, from floodmark, site and datum then in use), from rating curve extended above 1,200 second-feet; minimum, 0.9 second-foot Sept. 30, Oct. 7-9, 1947.

Remarks.--Records good except those during periods of ice effect or doubtful or no gage-height record, which are fair. Many diversions for irrigation above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49
1948-49

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	2	28	146	150	169	208	274	1,760	1,310	160	10	7
2	2	29	146	150	156	220	284	1,480	1,300	140	10	7
3	2	28	159	140	159	248	287	1,340	1,270	125	9	7
4	2	29	159	*129	159	248	297	1,380	1,120	110	8	7
5	2	35	146	b115	164	245	320	1,320	930	90	8	7
6	2	47	154	b115	152	245	408	1,200	840	80	8	7
7	2	49	142	114	154	255	509	1,100	805	55	8	7
8	2	47	139	107	156	242	688	1,060	835	36	8	7
9	2	46	142	119	154	236	880	1,140	875	30	8	7
10	2	36	142	122	167	258	980	1,270	905	22	8	7
11	2	46	152	130	169	255	1,040	1,370	890	22	8	7
12	2	72	154	140	172	258	1,200	1,460	865	23	8	7
13	2	66	159	125	197	242	1,460	1,530	835	23	8	7
14	1	66	164	135	167	245	1,340	1,630	720	21	8	7
15	1	119	152	150	156	248	1,220	1,810	662	19	8	7
16	1	154	112	150	180	264	1,140	2,030	599	19	8	7
17	1	152	78	150	220	271	1,180	2,240	563	19	7	8
18	2	162	72	150	208	277	1,380	2,700	514	19	8	8
19	15	162	120	148	208	320	1,570	2,570	473	20	8	7
20	12	154	180	145	205	350	1,660	2,310	451	21	7	8
21	12	162	155	*142	211	380	1,730	2,130	401	20	7	9
22	16	164	120	139	205	410	1,660	2,000	386	16	7	8
23	12	164	100	149	200	423	1,680	1,790	451	10	7	7
24	11	159	110	154	220	419	1,870	1,490	451	10	7	7
25	11	159	120	b150	*217	372	2,000	1,340	404	10	8	7
26	11	159	130	b145	205	344	2,000	1,300	290	10	8	7
27	18	136	130	b140	223	334	1,910	1,340	250	10	8	7
28	19	53	130	152	217	320	1,820	1,330	220	10	8	7
29	19	100	145	156	-	313	1,800	1,360	200	10	8	7
30	23	152	150	162	-	290	1,850	1,330	180	10	7	8
31	25	-	150	164	-	271	-	1,330	-	10	7	-

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Note.--Doubtful or no gage-height record Dec. 19 to Jan. 3, Jan. 11-20, Mar. 19-22, June 26 to July 7; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for station near Hot Spring.

1949

Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge
Oct. 1	8	Oct. 9	10	Oct. 17	18	Oct. 25	56
2	7	10	15	18	18	26	56
3	7	11	17	19	18	27	58
4	7	12	17	20	18	28	55
5	7	13	18	21	18	29	a55
6	7	14	18	22	25	30	a54
7	8	15	18	23	51	31	a54
8	8	16	18	24	53		

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Bruneau River near Hot Spring.

Monthly discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October 1948	236	25	1	7.6	.468
November	2,935	164	28	97.8	5,820
December	4,238	180	72	137	8,410
Calendar year 1948	86,949.4	1,390	1	238	172,500
January 1949	4,337	164	107	140	8,600
February	5,170	223	152	185	10,250
March	9,011	423	208	291	17,870
April	36,438	2,600	274	1,215	72,270
May	49,440	2,700	1,060	1,595	98,060
June	19,995	1,310	180	688	39,680
July	1,180	160	10	38.1	2,340
August	245	10	7	7.9	486
September	217	9	7	7.2	430
Water year 1948-49	133,442	2,700	1	366	264,700
October 1949	797	58	7	25.7	1,580

East Fork Bruneau River near Hot Spring, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°34', long. 115°31', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 16, T. 10 S., R. 6 E., at Winter Camp Ranch, 7 miles upstream from mouth, and 20 miles (revised) southeast of Hot Spring. Former gage at practically same site but at different datum.

Records available.--August 1910 to April 1915, December 1948 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during period December 1948 to September 1949, 204 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 5.62 feet); minimum discharge, 1.6 second-feet Sept. 23; minimum gage height, 1.85 feet July 31.

1910-15, 1948-49: Maximum daily discharge, 450 second-feet Mar. 7, 8, 1911, during period of ice effect; maximum gage height observed, 10.65 feet Mar. 8, 1911, former site and datum; minimum observed, 0.4 second-foot Aug. 28, 29, Sept. 13, 1910. Maximum stage known, 16.9 feet, from floodmark, former site and datum, during spring of 1910.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record and those for Aug. 18 to Sept. 30, which are fair. Diversions for irrigation from main stem and tributaries above station. Water diverted from Deadwood Creek, tributary of East Fork, to Cedar Creek Reservoir in Salmon Falls Creek Basin for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1			-	15	7	19	32	187	128	13	3.1	4.2
2			-	15	7	20	34	176	125	13	3.4	3.6
3			-	12	7	21	36	156	120	12	3.1	3.9
4			-	10	7	21	37	141	105	11	3.3	4.0
5			-	8	7	22	46	144	90	10	3.3	4.0
6			-	8	7	23	58	142	88	11	3.9	3.9
7			-	8	7	25	77	133	72	12	4.0	4.4
8			-	8	7	26	79	126	68	10	3.7	4.7
9			-	8	7	28	88	119	66	8.2	3.4	4.7
10			-	10	8	30	103	119	64	7.0	3.4	4.8
11			*12	8	8	32	100	133	58	5.8	4.7	4.7
12			14	8	9	34	99	146	52	6.4	5.9	4.8
13			16	8	9	36	109	150	48	9.1	4.7	5.4
14			19	7	9	34	120	150	46	7.9	5.0	4.2
15			16	7	10	32	112	157	44	7.3	6.4	3.9
16			13	7	11	37	104	166	42	6.4	6.8	5.4
17			14	7	13	47	99	187	40	6.0	6.4	6.6
18			11	7	14	40	102	197	39	5.4	4.7	6.6
19			19	*7	15	34	112	186	37	4.5	4.7	6.8
20			25	7	15	36	117	191	32	4.7	3.7	4.4
21			30	7	15	47	136	178	35	4.7	5.6	2.4
22			24	7	16	54	143	176	32	4.2	6.0	2.1
23			16	7	16	62	133	180	28	4.4	5.6	2.1
24			12	7	17	*54	133	143	24	4.2	4.8	3.6
25			11	7	*17	44	142	132	22	4.0	5.0	4.7
26			12	7	17	44	155	126	20	3.7	5.4	5.2
27			14	7	18	49	161	121	15	3.6	3.9	6.0
28			15	7	18	49	160	117	15	3.7	4.0	6.2
29			15	7	-	44	162	115	15	4.0	4.4	7.3
30			16	7	-	34	171	120	15	3.6	4.7	10
31			16	7	-	34	-	125	-	2.8	4.0	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	-	-	-	-	-
November.....	-	-	-	-	-
December 10-31.....	350	30	10	15.9	694
Calendar year.....	-	-	-	-	-
January.....	250	15	7	8.1	496
February.....	317	18	7	11.3	629
March.....	1,112	62	19	35.9	2,210
April.....	3,160	171	32	105	6,270
May.....	4,619	197	115	149	9,160
June.....	1,585	128	15	52.8	3,140
July.....	213.6	13	2.8	6.9	424
August.....	140.1	6.8	3.1	4.5	278
September.....	144.6	10	2.1	4.8	287
The period.....	-	-	-	-	23,590

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 26 to Mar. 11. No gage-height record Jan. 17, 18, 26-28, Feb. 6-24, May 27, 30, 31, June 2-12; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Bruneau River near Winter Camp Ranch.

BRUNEAU RIVER BASIN

Wickahoney Creek near Bruneau, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°47', long. 115°49', in sec. 27, T. 7 S., R. 4 E.,
0.3 mile upstream from mouth and 11 miles southwest of Bruneau.

Records available.--December 1938 to October 1949 (discontinued).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during period October 1948 to October 1949, 198 second-feet
Apr. 12 (gage height, 2.25 feet); no flow for long periods.
1938-49: Maximum discharge, 2,100 second-feet Jan. 22, 1943 (gage height, 12.4 feet,
from high-water mark), by slope-area method; no flow during long periods during each
year.

Remarks.--Records fair.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1							0	38	14	1.9	0.5	
2							0	36	14	1.7	.4	
3							0	36	13	1.6	.4	
4							0	38	11	1.6	.4	
5							0	36	10	1.5	.3	
6							0	33	9.3	1.5	.3	
7							0	31	8.2	1.5	.2	
8							0	30	8.2	1.4	.2	
9							38	29	8.2	1.2	.2	
10							104	29	7.9	1.2	.4	
11							94	28	4.7	1.1	.4	
12							123	27	6.4	1.2	.3	
13							76	26	5.5	1.1	.3	
14							61	26	5.3	1.1	.2	
15							54	26	5.3	1.0	.2	
16							48	28	4.9	1.0	.2	
17							70	30	5.1	1.0	.2	
18							74	29	5.1	1.0	.1	
19							60	28	4.7	1.0	.1	
20							58	27	4.9	1.0	0	
21							47	25	4.3	1.0	0	
22							44	22	3.9	.9	0	
23							44	19	3.4	.9	0	
24							46	17	3.2	.3	0	
25							44	16	3.0	.9	0	
26							39	15	2.9	.9	0	
27							36	14	3.0	.9	0	
28							36	13	2.6	.9	0	
29							36	12	2.3	.8	0	
30							37	12	2.2	.8	0	
31							-	15	-	.6	0	

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October 1948.....	0	0	0	0	0
November.....	0	0	0	0	0
December.....	0	0	0	0	0
Calendar year 1948	235.8	52	0	.64	468
January 1949.....	0	0	0	0	0
February.....	0	0	0	0	0
March.....	0	0	0	0	0
April.....	1,269	123	0	42.5	2,520
May.....	791	38	12	25.5	1,570
June.....	186.5	14	2.2	6.22	370
July.....	35.1	1.9	.6	1.13	70
August.....	5.3	.5	0	.17	11
September.....	0	0	0	0	0
Water year 1948-49	2,286.9	123	0	6.27	4,541
October 1949.....	0	0	0	0	0

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Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°47', long. 115°59', in sec. 27, T. 7 S., R. 4 E., 650 feet upstream from confluence with Wickahoney Creek and 11 miles southwest of Bruneau.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during period October 1948 to October 1949, 172 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 3.68 feet), from rating curve extended above 50 second-feet on basis of slope-area determination; no flow for long periods.

1938-49: Maximum discharge, 908 second-feet Jan. 21, 1943 (gage height, 7.2 feet, from high-water mark), from rating curve extended above 50 second-feet on basis of slope-area determination; no flow for long periods in each year.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1							0	6.8	5.0	0.1		
2							0	6.1	4.4	0.1		
3							0	6.4	3.8	0		
4							0	6.4	2.9	0		
5							0	6.1	2.5	0		
6							0	4.4	2.1	0		
7							0	4.4	1.7	0		
8							0	4.4	1.7	0		
9							0	4.4	1.6	0		
10							1.1	4.0	1.4	0		
11							1.8	4.4	1.4	0		
12							6.8	5.4	1.4	0		
13							7.2	5.0	1.4	0		
14							5.4	5.4	1.3	0		
15							5.0	6.8	1.5	0		
16							4.4	34	1.3	0		
17							5.4	11	1.7	0		
18							6.4	8.3	1.4	0		
19							7.2	7.9	1.3	0		
20							7.9	7.2	1.2	0		
21							6.8	6.4	.9	0		
22							7.2	5.8	.8	0		
23							7.5	5.0	.6	0		
24							8.3	3.8	.1	0		
25							7.9	3.6	0	0		
26							7.2	3.4	.1	0		
27							7.2	3.0	.1	0		
28							7.2	5.0	.1	0		
29							7.5	4.4	.1	0		
30							7.2	4.0	.2	0		
31							-	6.4	-	0		
Month							Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet	
October 1948.....							0	0	0	0	0	
November.....							0	0	0	0	0	
December.....							0	0	0	0	0	
Calendar year 1948							2.3	2.2	0	.006	4.6	
January 1949.....							0	0	0	0	0	
February.....							0	0	0	0	0	
March.....							0	0	0	0	0	
April.....							132.6	8.3	0	4.42	263	
May.....							197.6	34	3.0	6.37	392	
June.....							43.8	0	1.46	1.46	87	
July.....							0.2	.1	0	.01	.4	
August.....							0	0	0	0	0	
September.....							0	0	0	0	0	
Water year 1948-49							374.2	34	0	1.03	742.4	
October 1949.....							0	0	0	0	0	

Wild Horse Reservoir near Gold Creek, Nev.

Location.--Reference point on Wild Horse Dam on Owyhee River, lat. 41°41'10", long. 115°51'20", in NE¼NW¼ sec. 25, T. 44 N., R. 54 E., 8 miles west of Gold Creek. Datum of gage is 6,109.18 feet above mean sea level (levels by Office of Indian Affairs).

Drainage area.--209 square miles.

Records available.--March 1938 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents observed during year, 33,530 acre-feet May 21 (gage height, 80.45 feet); minimum observed, 3,330 acre-feet Nov. 4.
1938-49: Maximum contents observed, 34,460 acre-feet Apr. 18, 1942 (gage height, 80.95 feet); no contents at times during each year 1938-41.

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by concrete-arch dam; storage began Mar. 18, 1938. Capacity, 32,690 acre-feet between gage heights 20.0 feet (sill of outlet gate) and 80.0 feet (spillway crest). No dead storage. Water is used for irrigation on Duck Valley project.

Cooperation.--Most of gage-height record and base data for capacity table furnished by Office of Indian Affairs.

Contents, in acre-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Contents	Date	Contents	Date	Contents
Oct. 22	3,440	Feb. 28	64,950	June 21	31,610
31	3,360	Mar. 31	5,770	30	28,650
Nov. 4	3,330	Apr. 29	24,340	July 18	22,860
29	3,610	May 21	33,530	Aug. 12	18,200
Dec. 31	4,060	31	33,540	31	14,440
Jan. 31	4,470	June 15	32,840	Sept. 27	11,100
				30	10,880

b Contents computed from gage readings corrected for ice cover.

Owyhee River near Gold Creek, Nev.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 41°41'10", long. 115°51'30", in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 25, T. 44 N., R. 54 E., 500 feet downstream from Wild Horse Dam and 8 miles west of Gold Creek. Altitude, 6,130 feet (from topographic map).

Drainage area.--209 square miles.

Records available.--March 1916 to September 1925, October 1936 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--20 years (1917-21, 1922-25, 1936-49), 41.4 second-feet (unadjusted).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 202 second-feet June 30; no flow Nov. 5 to Apr. 30.

1916-25, 1936-49: Maximum discharge, 1,810 second-feet May 5, 1922 (gage height, 10.11 feet, site and datum then in use), from rating curve extended above 400 second-feet; no flow at times when reservoir gates were closed.

Remarks.--Records good. Small diversions above station for irrigation. Flow regulated by Wild Horse Reservoir beginning Mar. 18, 1938 (see preceding page).

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	14	3.9						a0.1	124	200	80	99
2	14	3.9						a.1	128	200	80	99
3	14	3.9						a.2	121	200	79	99
4	14	1.8						.2	109	200	79	99
5	12	0						.2	101	198	79	98
6	7.8	0						.2	90	197	79	98
7	7.8	0						.2	82	197	79	82
8	8.0	0						.1	78	197	79	45
9	8.0	0						.1	74	193	79	45
10	8.0	0						.2	67	153	79	45
11	8.0	0						.2	60	98	79	45
12	8.0	0						.2	52	98	79	45
13	8.0	0						.2	44	98	79	45
14	8.0	0						.2	39	97	78	44
15	8.3	0						.2	46	96	78	44
16	7.2	0						.2	81	96	77	44
17	5.0	0						.2	92	96	77	44
18	5.0	0						14	109	96	77	44
19	5.0	0						70	137	96	86	45
20	5.0	0						113	138	96	103	43
21	5.0	0						155	139	96	103	43
22	5.2	0						169	138	96	103	43
23	5.2	0						166	138	94	101	42
24	5.2	0						156	137	94	101	42
25	5.0	0						148	143	94	101	42
26	5.0	0						138	161	94	101	42
27	5.0	0						130	161	94	100	42
28	4.2	0						123	161	94	100	42
29	3.9	0						112	161	94	100	30
30	3.9	0						107	176	89	100	19
31	3.9	-						111	-	80	100	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	226.6	14	3.9	7.31	449
November.....	13.5	3.9	0	.45	27
December.....	0	0	0	0	0
Calendar year 1948.....	9,207.1	170	0	25.2	18,260
January.....	0	0	0	0	0
February.....	0	0	0	0	0
March.....	0	0	0	0	0
April.....	0	0	0	0	0
May.....	1,715	169	0	55.3	3,400
June.....	3,287	176	39	110	6,520
July.....	3,921	200	80	126	7,780
August.....	2,715	103	77	87.6	5,390
September.....	1,637	99	19	54.6	3,250
Water year 1948-49.....	13,515.1	200	0	37.0	26,820

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of 1 field estimate and engineer's notes.

OWYHEE RIVER BASIN

Owyhee River above China diversion dam, near Owyhee, Nev.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 41°55'20", long. 116°04'10", in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 6, T. 46 N., R. 53 E., 1,000 feet downstream from Skull Creek, 1 mile upstream from China diversion dam, and 2 miles southeast of Owyhee.

Drainage area.--458 square miles.

Records available.--March 1939 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--10 years, 142 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 978 second-feet May 18 (gage height, 7.86 feet); minimum not determined, probably occurred during period of no gage-height record.
1939-49: Maximum discharge, 1,850 second-feet May 6, 1945 (gage height, 9.18 feet); minimum daily, 2 second-feet Sept. 15-18, 1940.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Diversions above station for irrigation. Flow partly regulated by Wild Horse Reservoir (see p. 136).

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	20	17				b28	63	566	507	222	84	101
2		18				b28	75	548	487	226	83	100
3	20	20				b28	96	559	422	228	83	99
4	20	20				b28	138	521	369	230	82	98
5	25	16				b28	192	468	327	232	82	98
6	24	17					244	427	302	226	81	98
7	18	b16			18		317	427	277	221	80	97
8	19	b15				28	425	433	272	218	80	75
9	19	b15					494	453	257	216	80	56
10	18	b16					463	485	243	214	80	54
11	18	18	b15			40	537	492	228	153	79	54
12	18	16				*53	661	482	209	121	79	54
13	18	16				57	536	482	192	114	76	54
14	19	16				48	530	507	173	109	76	52
15	21	16	(*)			49	488	568	162	107	76	51
16	20	16		15		54	532	836	163	106	76	49
17	20	17				65	622	858	188	103	76	49
18	18	b15				75	683	913	185	102	75	49
19	17	b16			23	103	693	750	218	100	75	49
20	17	16				132	761	761	231	101	90	49
21	17	16				128	744	871	218	103	95	48
22	*17	16	15			124	800	778	202	100	96	47
23	17	16	15			107	844	703	200	100	98	47
24	17	17				b23	91	871	634	197	99	103
25	17	15				b23	80	860	575	192	98	103
26	17	b16				b23	72	780	530	208	98	102
27	17	b16	b15			b23	69	736	499	215	98	103
28	17	b17				b23	65	727	463	212	97	103
29	17	b16				-	63	742	443	205	97	101
30	16	b16				-	67	645	427	204	97	100
31	16	-				63	-	441	-	90	101	-
Month						Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet		
October.....						574	25	16	18.6	1,140		
November.....						493	20	15	16.4	978		
December.....						465	-	-	15	922		
Calendar year 1948						33,819	433	-	92.4	67,080		
January.....						465	-	-	15	922		
February.....						569	-	-	20.3	1,130		
March.....						1,885	132	-	60.8	3,740		
April.....						16,299	871	63	543	32,330		
May.....						17,900	913	427	577	35,500		
June.....						7,465	507	152	249	14,810		
July.....						4,426	232	90	143	8,780		
August.....						2,698	103	75	87.0	5,350		
September.....						1,858	101	41	61.9	3,690		
Water year 1948-49						55,097	913	-	151	109,300		

Peak discharge (base, 380 sec.-ft.)--Apr. 12 (9:30 a.m.) 746 sec.-ft.; Apr. 24 (8 p.m.) 909 sec.-ft.; May 18 (3:30 p.m.) 978 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Note.--No gage-height record Dec. 22, 23, Jan. 1 to Feb. 21, Mar. 6-11 (stage-discharge relation affected by ice most of periods); discharge computed on basis of weather records and engineer's notes.

Owyhee River above Owyhee Reservoir, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°13', long. 117°30', in SE¹ sec. 18, T. 27 S., R. 43 E., 3 miles upstream from flow line of Owyhee Reservoir and 8 miles southwest of Watson. Altitude of gage, about 2,690 feet above mean sea level (levels by Bureau of Reclamation).

Drainage area.--10,400 square miles.

Records available.--October 1930 to September 1949 in reports of Geological Survey. April 1929 to September 1941 in reports of Oregon State engineer.

Average discharge.--20 years, 835 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 11,600 second-feet Apr. 13 (gage height, 11.44 feet); minimum, 99 second-feet Dec. 18 (gage height, 3.45 feet).

1929-49: Maximum discharge, 16,000 second-feet Mar. 20, 1932, Apr. 19, 1936; maximum gage height, 12.95 feet Mar. 20, 1932; minimum discharge, that of Dec. 18, 1948.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Diversions above station for irrigation. Flow slightly regulated by 11 small reservoirs which have a total capacity of 52,000 acre-feet.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected and some discharge measurements made by Bureau of Reclamation.

Revisions (water year).--W 793: 1939(M).

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

3.7	149	5.4	890	9.0	5,200
3.9	198	5.9	1,240	10.0	7,380
4.2	288	6.5	1,730	11.0	10,200
4.5	400	7.2	2,450		
4.9	585	8.0	3,480		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	190	218	a200		b180	388	883	2,650	1,500	298	209	172
2	190	218	a200		b180	396	932	2,500	1,630	285	209	172
3	190	215	a200		b180	525	1,330	2,370	1,780	272	209	177
4	188	212	a200		b180	495	1,780	2,230	1,780	272	201	175
5	188	215	a200		b180	495	2,430	2,010	1,690	272	201	170
6	190	218	a200		b180	550	3,630	1,840	1,510	278	198	167
7	193	218	a210		b180	520	4,640	1,680	1,340	269	195	165
8	193	212	a220		b180	525	5,870	1,570	1,170	265	190	170
9	190	209	a230		b180	550	7,180	1,470	1,050	278	193	177
10	193	209	a240		b180	540	8,280	1,420	911	278	193	172
11	193		a250		b190	545	7,680	1,350	827	278	190	180
12	195		a250		b200	640	9,250	1,390	772	278	188	180
13	195		a250		b210	624	9,960	1,450	730	278	188	182
14	198		a250		b220	618	7,740	1,450	658	282	185	182
15	206		a250		238	694	7,460	1,420	585	312	182	185
16	206		a240	b180	282	883	6,600	1,460	505	302	180	185
17	209		a230		424	967	6,410	1,620	467	295	177	180
18	209		a230		480	1,120	6,410	2,050	444	260	175	177
19	209		b220		706	1,300	6,230	2,090	444	259	175	175
20	209		220		580	1,540	5,870	2,310	420	244	175	177
21	212	a220	b220		420	1,700	5,460	2,230	408	235	172	177
22	212		b215		330	1,780	4,850	2,140	392	238	172	172
23	212		b210		330	1,790	4,660	2,110	368	229	172	175
24	218		b210		345	1,700	4,410	2,060	364	226	172	170
25	215		206		408	1,550	4,170	1,890	364	220	172	170
26	215		209		376	1,380	3,830	1,710	349	215	175	167
27	212		b205		376	1,310	3,580	1,580	334	209	185	170
28	212		b205		372	1,200	3,310	1,460	327	204	188	172
29	215		b200		-	1,130	3,030	1,410	316	209	188	188
30	215		b200		-	1,030	2,860	1,340	309	204	182	182
31	215	-	b200		-	939	-	1,360	-	201	177	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	6,287	218	188	203	12,470
November.....	6,544	-	-	218	12,980
December.....	6,770	250	200	218	13,430
Calendar year 1948.....	209,278	3,140	160	572	415,000
January.....	5,580	-	-	180	11,070
February.....	8,287	706	180	296	16,440
March.....	29,424	1,790	388	949	58,360
April.....	150,725	9,960	883	5,024	299,000
May.....	55,620	2,650	1,340	1,784	110,300
June.....	23,724	1,780	309	791	47,060
July.....	7,955	312	201	257	15,780
August.....	5,768	209	172	186	11,440
September.....	5,263	188	165	175	10,440
Water year 1948-49.....	311,947	9,960	-	855	618,800

Peak discharge (base, 3,100 sec.-ft.).--Apr. 10 (2 a.m.) 10,400 sec.-ft.; Apr. 13 (3:30 a.m.) 11,600 sec.-ft.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and computed inflow to Owyhee Reservoir.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

OWYHEE RIVER BASIN

Owyhee Reservoir at Owyhee Dam, near Nyssa, Oreg.

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 43°38', long. 117°15', in sec. 20, T. 22 S., R. 45 E., at Owyhee Dam, 21 miles southwest of Nyssa. Datum of gage is at mean sea level (levels by Bureau of Reclamation).

Drainage area.--11,160 square miles.

Records available.--October 1932 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents observed during year, 1,010,100 acre-feet June 7 (elevation, 2,660.88 feet); minimum observed, 630,600 acre-feet Oct. 1 (elevation, 2,622.30 feet). 1932-49: Maximum contents observed, 1,125,000 acre-feet June 11, 1936 (elevation, 2,670.27 feet); minimum observed since full capacity was attained on May 7, 1936, 630,500 acre-feet Sept. 30, 1948 (elevation, 2,622.29 feet).

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by concrete arch-gravity dam, completed in September 1932; storage began Oct. 16, 1932. Capacity, 1,121,800 acre-feet between elevations 2,367.5 feet (bottom of sluice gates) and 2,670 feet (top of spillway gate), 715,000 acre-feet between elevations 2,590.2 feet (diversions tunnel) and 2,670 feet. Dead storage below elevation 2,367.5 feet negligible. Figures given herein are of contents above elevation 2,367.5 feet. The reservoir will generally not be drawn below elevation 2,590.2 feet. Water is released through diversion tunnel to South Canal for irrigation of lands west of Snake River in the vicinity of Homedale, Idaho, and to North Canal for irrigation of lands north and west of Owyhee River, and through sluice gates to river for Owyhee Canal, which diverts about 18 miles downstream. Gage read once daily.

operation.--Gage-height record furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Monthly elevation and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Elevation (feet)	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30.....	2,622.29	630,500	-
Oct. 31.....	2,623.39	639,600	+9,100
Nov. 30.....	2,625.02	653,200	+13,600
Dec. 31.....	2,626.68	667,200	+14,000
Calendar year 1948.....	-	-	-14,600
Jan. 31.....	2,627.90	677,600	+10,400
Feb. 28.....	2,630.55	700,600	+23,000
Mar. 31.....	2,637.35	762,200	+61,600
Apr. 30.....	2,659.85	998,000	+235,800
May 31.....	2,660.73	1,008,300	+10,300
June 30.....	2,656.50	959,600	-48,700
July 31.....	2,648.77	875,400	-84,200
Aug. 31.....	2,640.70	794,100	-81,300
Sept. 30.....	2,634.45	735,500	-58,600
Water year 1948-49.....	-	-	+105,000

Owyhee River below Owyhee Dam, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°39', long. 117°15', in sec. 17, T. 22 S., R. 45 E., three-quarters of a mile downstream from Owyhee Dam. Datum of gage is 2,343.67 feet above mean sea level (levels by Bureau of Reclamation).

Drainage area.--11,160 square miles.

Records available.--February 1929 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--20 years, 388 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 199 second-feet May 2-4 (gage height, 1.52 feet); minimum observed, 4 second-feet Oct. 14 (gates closed at Owyhee Dam), but may have been less during periods of no gage-height record.
1934-49: Maximum discharge, 14,600 second-feet Mar. 21, 1932 (gage height, 12.79 feet); no flow for a few hours Aug. 8, 9, 1932, when temporary diversion tunnel at Owyhee Dam was closed.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are poor. Diversions above station for irrigation. Flow regulated by Wild Horse and Owyhee Reservoirs (see preceding page).

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by Bureau of Reclamation.

Revisions (water years).--W 983: 1941, 1942.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1								187	132	50	55	24
2								193	124	50	56	24
3								199	124	51	56	22
4								191	124	56	57	20
5								184	124	59	57	19
6							4	184	137	60	57	19
7								189	150	60	58	18
8	4							189	164	60	58	15
9								193	170	59	58	13
10							93	193	170	59	54	13
11								150	191	174	59	52
12								137	187	174	59	52
13								137	189	126	58	52
14	4							139	176	52	58	52
15								153	170	39	58	46
16		4		4		4		168	170	58	58	40
17								168	172	67	58	40
18								161	168	67	57	40
19								172	157	69	57	40
20								161	142	69	57	34
21								151	139	59	57	28
22	4							159	141	53	56	31
23								166	144	54	56	28
24								174	146	54	56	25
25								172	148	54	56	25
26								164	146	58	56	25
27								164	146	63	55	26
28								178	146	63	56	26
29						-		182	148	58	55	25
30						-		184	148	51	55	24
31						-		-	150	-	55	24
Month							Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet	
October.....							124	-	-	4.0	246	
November.....							120	-	-	4	238	
December.....							124	-	-	4	246	
Calendar year 1948							7,567	118	-	20.7	15,010	
January.....							124	-	-	4	246	
February.....							112	-	-	4	222	
March.....							124	-	-	4	246	
April.....							3,369	184	-	112	6,680	
May.....							5,226	199	139	169	10,370	
June.....							2,881	174	39	96.0	5,710	
July.....							1,756	60	50	56.6	3,480	
August.....							1,301	58	24	42.0	2,580	
September.....							303	24	-	10.1	601	
Water year 1948-49							15,564	199	-	42.6	30,860	

Note.--No gage-height record Oct. 1 to Apr. 9, Sept. 14-30; discharge (leakage only) computed on basis of measured discharge Oct. 14, Sept. 24.

OWYHEE RIVER BASIN

Jordan Creek above Lone Tree Creek, near Jordan Valley, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 42°53', long. 116°59', in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 19, T. 6 S., R. 5 W.; 2 miles upstream from Lone Tree Creek and 7 miles southeast of Jordan Valley.

Records available.--October 1945 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,350 second-feet Apr. 19, 23; maximum gage height, 4.50 feet Apr. 19; no flow part of day Oct. 4, 5.
1945-49: Maximum discharge, 2,100 second-feet Apr. 19, 1946 (gage height, 5.44 feet); no flow part of day Oct. 4, 5, 1948.

Remarks.--Records fair. Diversions above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	7.3	11	12	19	(*) 19	54	163	532	284	21	5.4	1.2
2	4.1	13	17	18		67	210	526	277	19	5.4	1.3
3	.4	15	16	18		72	224	510	246	18	4.3	1.3
4	.1	15	15			85	295	475	212	19	5.1	1.2
5	3.7	14	16			105	440	435	184	18	2.5	1.2
6	7.6	14	15		18	102	598	411	168	12	1.8	1.2
7	7.3	12	13			102	748	420	150	8.6	2.0	1.1
8	7.3	10	15			105	832	430	134	9.5	1.6	1.1
9	7.0	11	18			94	818	500	118	10	1.6	1.2
10	7.0	13	18			94	766	505	100	12	1.6	1.3
11	6.7	11	22			113	890	500	90	11	1.5	1.4
12	6.4	13	22			113	1,120	505	83	12	1.5	1.4
13	6.4	13	19			105	780	495	67	11	1.5	1.5
14	6.4	13	18			*125	712	495	55	10	1.5	1.4
15	7.6	15	13			168	688	490	49	9.2	1.6	1.5
16	7.6	18	12	18	20	192	825	475	47	8.3	2.7	1.8
17	7.3	18	11			224	1,040	465	39	7.6	2.9	2.0
18	7.3	14	10			22	274	1,220	420	34	6.7	2.0
19	7.6	15	15			24	370	1,280	420	41	6.1	2.0
20	8.0	16	19			26	411	1,160	411	46	5.6	1.8
21	8.3	15	14		29	344	1,010	375	41	5.6	1.6	1.5
22	8.3	16	*14		31	305	1,120	357	37	7.0	1.8	1.5
23	8.6	15	14		35	288	1,230	339	33	7.3	1.6	1.5
24	8.9	16	15		39	243	1,210	314	31	7.6	1.4	1.5
25	8.9	15	15		39	227	1,000	307	28	8.3	1.4	1.6
26	8.9	14	16		40	204	844	307	26	7.6	1.4	2.3
27	8.9	11	16		46	198	736	303	26	5.9	1.3	3.8
28	8.9	14	16		52	171	718	291	22	5.9	1.3	4.1
29	9.5	12	18		-	156	664	291	22	5.4	1.4	6.7
30	10	11	19		-	163	586	295	22	5.6	1.3	6.7
31	10	-	19		-	143	-	291	-	5.6	1.2	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	222.3	10	0.1	7.17	441
November.....	413	18	10	13.8	819
December.....	492	22	10	15.9	976
Calendar year 1948	47,564.4	1,250	.1	130	94,300
January.....	559	-	-	18.0	1,110
February.....	695	52	-	24.8	1,380
March.....	5,413	411	54	175	10,740
April.....	23,927	1,280	163	798	47,460
May.....	12,890	532	291	416	25,570
June.....	2,712	284	22	90.4	5,380
July.....	306.4	21	5.4	9.88	608
August.....	64.0	5.4	1.2	2.06	127
September.....	60.4	6.7	1.1	2.01	120
Water year 1948-49	47,754.1	1,280	.1	131	94,730

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 30, Dec. 7, 16-19, 24-26, Jan. 4 to Feb. 22 (no gage-height record Jan. 6 to Feb. 1, Feb. 3-16; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Moore Creek near Arrowrock and Weiser River near Cambridge).

Boise River near Twin Springs, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°40', long. 115°44', in sec. 27, T. 4 N., R. 6 E., a quarter of a mile upstream from Birch Creek, 1½ miles upstream from flow line of Arrowrock Reservoir, 4 miles downstream from Twin Springs, and 13 miles upstream from Arrowrock.

Drainage area.--830 square miles.

Records available.--March 1911 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--38 years, 1,124 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 6,990 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 6.78 feet); minimum not determined, occurred about Feb. 9 as a result of snowslides upstream; minimum daily, 250 second-feet Feb. 9.

1911-49: Maximum discharge, 10,300 second-feet May 17, 1927 (gage height, 8.30 feet feet), from rating curve extended above 8,000 second-feet; minimum, 109 second-feet Dec. 10, 1944; minimum gage height, 1.56 feet Dec. 15, 16, 1935.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those below 500 second-feet, which are good, and those for periods of no gage-height record, which are fair. No diversions or regulation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	348	410	280	390	340	400	879	3,380	3,870	1,180	456	309
2	343	605	444	345	330	475	1,050	3,260	3,300	1,180	450	301
3	343	636	426	315	315	510	1,150	3,120	2,980	1,160	432	297
4	348	538	385	310	310	540	1,340	2,900	2,740	1,140	420	301
5	450	420	385	310	300	630	1,660	2,820	1,940	1,130	410	309
6	420	415	390	350	290	680	1,800	2,890	3,570	1,230	400	305
7	395	410	410	350	290	650	2,080	3,170	3,780	1,080	395	297
8	405	313	390	350	290	640	1,940	3,650	3,900	1,030	390	293
9	390	309	395	350	250	642	2,170	4,350	3,950	980	390	293
10	380	390	405	350	290	642	2,270	4,840	4,040	933	390	301
11	370	405	420	350	290	*668	2,590	5,280	4,230	897	405	325
12	361	400	438	350	290	700	2,980	5,950	4,140	852	395	338
13	356	385	395	370	290	692	2,470	6,270	3,490	825	380	321
14	352	375	400	*370	290	700	2,090	6,410	3,100	789	375	313
15	366	458	400	370	290	756	2,050	6,510	2,850	764	375	305
16	370	420	343	370	290	816	2,290	6,760	2,700	732	366	309
17	356	415	313	345	345	888	2,780	6,330	2,330	692	356	343
18	356	*356	325	340	320	870	3,470	5,810	2,050	668	366	317
19	356	358	380	345	310	942	3,800	5,410	1,950	656	366	309
20	352	400	493	350	265	1,050	3,340	5,050	1,880	620	356	301
21	356	385	385	340	320	1,030	2,900	4,500	1,780	612	348	297
22	352	370	335	330	340	951	2,820	4,190	1,830	598	343	297
23	348	375	305	325	335	933	3,360	3,870	1,790	575	356	297
24	348	405	315	330	370	906	3,830	3,700	1,740	560	356	289
25	348	395	315	312	370	924	3,990	3,850	1,720	545	348	289
26	343	385	322	312	365	897	3,830	4,160	1,650	532	338	285
27	338	361	328	340	390	825	3,900	4,530	1,490	532	330	289
28	338	361	350	340	420	748	4,120	5,070	1,370	506	321	297
29	352	370	365	325	-	716	4,240	4,980	1,340	500	325	343
30	348	297	365	330	-	740	3,800	4,750	1,250	480	321	330
31	348	-	325	330	-	780	-	4,390	-	468	313	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff Inches	Acre-feet
October	11,236	450	338	362	0.436	0.50	22,290
November	12,047	636	297	402	.484	.54	23,890
December	11,527	493	280	372	.448	.52	22,860
Calendar year 1948	426,910	7,790	230	1,166	1.40	19.13	846,800
January	10,594	390	310	342	.412	.47	21,010
February	8,895	420	250	318	.383	.40	17,640
March	23,341	1,050	400	753	.907	1.05	46,300
April	80,989	4,240	879	2,700	3.25	3.63	160,600
May	142,130	6,760	2,820	4,585	5.52	6.37	281,900
June	79,730	4,230	1,250	2,658	3.20	3.57	158,100
July	23,436	1,230	468	788	.949	1.09	48,470
August	11,572	456	313	373	.449	.52	22,950
September	9,200	343	285	207	.370	.41	18,250
Water year 1948-49	425,697	6,760	250	1,166	1.40	19.07	844,300

Peak discharge (base, 3,700 sec.-ft.).--Apr. 19 (5 a.m.) 3,990 sec.-ft.; Apr. 29 (6-10 a.m.) 4,320 sec.-ft.; May 16 (7:30 a.m.) 6,990 sec.-ft.; May 28 (8 a.m.) 5,220 sec.-ft.; June 12 (5 a.m.) 4,570 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 22 to about Feb. 5. No gage-height record Dec. 28 to Jan. 12, Jan. 15 to Mar. 10; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Middle Fork Boise River near Twin Springs and inflow to Arrowrock and Anderson Ranch Reservoirs.

Arrowrock Reservoir at Arrowrock, Idaho

Location.--Graduations on upstream face of dam on Boise River, lat. 43°36', long. 115°55', in T. 13 S., R. 4 E., at Arrowrock, 22 miles by road east of Boise. Datum of gage is at mean sea level (surveys of Bureau of Reclamation).

Drainage area.--2,210 square miles.

Records available.--October 1917 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents observed during year, 299,700 acre-feet June 12 (elevation, 3,218.6 feet); minimum observed, 31,250 acre-feet Sept. 30 (elevation, 3,075.1 feet). 1917-49: Maximum contents observed, 301,200 acre-feet May 29, 1948 (elevation, 3,219.1 feet); no usable contents during period in each of several years when sluice gates were open and natural flow was passing through reservoir.

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by gravity-section concrete-arch dam completed in 1915 and raised 5 feet in 1937; storage began in 1915. Capacity, 291,600 acre-feet between elevations 2,956 feet (11 feet below center line of sluice gates, 8.5 feet below sill) and 3,216 feet (crest of movable spillway at highest position). Dead storage negligible. Figures given herein represent original total contents (including bank storage), which, according to survey by Bureau of Reclamation completed in December 1947, has been reduced 7,700 acre-feet by deposition of silt. Water is used for irrigation of lands in Boise Valley. Gage read once daily about 8 a.m.

Cooperation.--Gage readings and yield table furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Contents, in acre-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	70,400	53,890	63,770	88,940	115,700	202,200	112,500	183,200	297,800	262,500	212,800	108,600
2	67,800	55,200	63,770	90,240	116,600	209,000	107,600	188,500	297,200	259,000	212,800	105,200
3	65,070	57,560	64,030	91,020	117,500	214,500	103,700	193,600	296,600	255,400	213,800	101,300
4	62,210	56,560	64,290	91,660	118,400	219,500	100,300	197,900	296,200	252,000	214,000	97,370
5	59,400	59,520	64,550	92,300	119,300	225,000	97,710	202,200	296,900	246,600	214,000	94,860
6	57,000	60,520	64,940	93,260	120,200	227,800	96,180	206,800	297,500	247,800	213,200	88,780
7	54,480	61,690	65,980	94,220	121,300	230,700	95,500	211,000	297,600	241,900	212,000	84,650
8	52,130	62,470	67,020	95,180	122,300	233,000	95,020	216,000	297,500	238,200	210,000	79,860
9	50,480	63,250	67,800	96,180	123,000	232,500	94,540	221,900	297,800	234,100	207,500	79,160
10	48,400	64,030	68,970	97,030	123,600	226,800	94,540	229,400	298,700	229,900	205,300	76,600
11	46,700	65,070	70,140	97,880	124,200	219,500	94,860	237,500	299,000	225,800	201,700	78,040
12	45,000	66,110	71,180	98,560	124,900	212,200	96,010	246,700	299,700	221,600	197,600	77,760
13	43,500	67,020	72,480	99,240	125,500	205,100	97,200	257,300	299,400	218,800	193,100	77,760
14	42,150	67,930	73,560	100,300	126,100	198,300	97,540	268,000	299,000	218,000	188,500	77,760
15	40,710	68,840	74,680	101,400	127,400	191,700	98,220	277,100	298,400	217,500	183,700	76,080
16	40,620	70,010	75,520	102,600	128,700	187,400	101,100	286,700	296,900	217,000	178,800	72,610
17	41,520	70,920	76,360	103,300	130,200	183,500	106,000	291,900	295,500	216,200	174,200	69,100
18	42,510	71,960	77,060	104,000	132,000	179,900	111,500	294,700	294,400	215,500	169,300	65,980
19	43,410	71,960	77,760	105,000	135,400	176,400	118,300	295,000	293,200	214,800	164,200	62,600
20	44,400	71,050	78,740	105,700	140,200	173,800	124,500	295,000	291,800	214,000	159,200	59,280
21	45,300	70,400	79,580	106,600	146,200	171,200	125,300	294,400	290,400	214,000	154,400	55,920
22	45,800	69,620	80,300	107,400	152,200	168,800	128,200	293,800	289,100	214,200	149,400	52,570
23	46,500	69,620	80,900	108,100	156,900	166,100	132,200	293,200	287,300	214,500	144,600	49,380
24	47,300	67,930	81,650	109,100	164,000	163,000	135,000	293,500	284,900	214,800	140,000	46,500
25	48,100	67,280	82,400	109,600	171,200	157,700	141,000	293,600	282,200	214,800	135,400	43,500
26	48,940	66,500	83,150	110,300	178,400	151,000	148,600	295,300	279,500	214,800	130,600	40,800
27	50,040	66,500	84,200	111,300	186,700	144,000	155,600	295,900	276,500	214,500	126,800	38,190
28	50,700	66,500	85,250	112,200	194,000	137,400	163,000	297,600	273,200	214,200	123,000	35,290
29	51,470	65,850	86,500	113,200	-	130,600	170,100	298,400	269,700	214,200	119,300	32,800
30	52,240	64,940	87,500	114,100	-	123,800	177,300	298,400	266,200	214,000	115,700	31,250
31	53,010	-	88,140	115,000	-	118,100	-	298,100	-	213,500	112,200	-

Monthly elevation and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Elevation (feet)†	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30.....	3,115.0	73,000	-
Oct. 31.....	3,099.1	53,010	-19,990
Nov. 30.....	3,108.8	64,940	+11,930
Dec. 31.....	3,125.4	88,140	+23,200
Calendar year 1948.....	-	-	-13,460
Jan. 31.....	3,141.4	115,000	+26,860
Feb. 28.....	3,179.8	194,000	+79,000
Mar. 31.....	3,143.1	118,100	-75,900
Apr. 30.....	3,172.4	177,300	+59,200
May 31.....	3,218.1	298,100	+120,800
June 30.....	3,207.5	266,200	-31,900
July 31.....	3,187.8	215,500	-52,700
Aug. 31.....	3,139.8	112,200	-101,300
Sept. 30.....	3,075.1	31,250	-80,950
Water year 1948-49.....	-	-	-41,750

† Elevation at about 8 a.m.

Boise River at Dowling Ranch, near Arrowrock, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°35', long. 115°58', in sec. 15, T. 3 N., R. 4 E., at Dowling Ranch, three-quarters of a mile upstream from Moore Creek and 4 miles downstream from Arrowrock.

Drainage area.--2,220 square miles.

Records available.--March 1911 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--38 years, 2,242 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 8,500 second-feet May 29 (gage height, 7.14 feet); minimum, 4 second-feet Oct. 19-23, Nov. 10-18, Dec. 16, 18, 19, but may have been less during period of ice effect; minimum gage height, 0.84 foot Dec. 16.
1911-49: Maximum discharge, 18,800 second-feet Apr. 20, 1943 (gage height, 9.93 feet); minimum, 1 second-foot Jan. 3, 1945, Jan. 13, 1948; minimum gage height, 0.62 foot Nov. 21, 22, 1935; minimum daily discharge, 2 second-feet for many days in 1935, 1936, 1942.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those below 20 second-feet and those for period of ice effect, which are poor. Flow regulated by Arrowrock Reservoir (see preceding page) and Anderson Ranch Reservoir (see p. 152). No diversion above station.

Cooperation.--Two discharge measurements furnished by Water District No. 12 A.

Revisions.--W 883: Drainage area.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1,720	6	643			928	3,850	4,590	7,700	4,010	3,240	2,300
2	1,690	6	430			1,120	3,650	4,590	6,710	3,990	3,260	2,380
3	1,690	6	430			910	3,520	4,550	6,190	3,910	3,260	2,460
4	1,770	6	430			919	3,370	4,490	5,010	3,870	3,280	2,480
5	1,750	5	355			937	3,280	4,400	5,060	3,850	3,260	2,540
6	1,650	5	10			946	3,220	3,970	5,500	3,870	3,260	2,590
7	1,640	5	6	(*)		874	3,210	4,380	5,430	3,970	3,280	2,600
8	1,470	5	5			1,510	3,190	4,380	5,170	4,030	3,330	1,550
9	1,320	5	5			3,600	3,170	4,340	5,040	4,010	3,330	618
10	1,510	5	5		6	4,900	3,190	4,340	5,170	3,970	3,350	618
11	1,300	4	6			5,130	3,210	4,360	5,310	3,930	3,310	618
12	1,210	5	6			4,990	3,260	4,360	5,590	3,950	3,280	478
13	1,140	6	6			4,880	3,430	4,420	5,170	3,910	3,260	365
14	1,130	4	5	(*)		4,770	3,560	5,220	4,750	3,930	3,240	432
15	933	5	5			4,170	3,620	5,590	4,590	3,910	3,240	2,090
16		5	5		6		3,870	3,750	5,720	4,360	3,830	3,210
17	5	5	5			3,830	3,970	5,620	4,360	3,730	3,220	2,010
18	5	196	5		43	3,810	4,050	6,160	4,290	3,690	3,260	1,950
19	4	657			119	3,810	4,190	6,420	4,190	3,640	3,260	1,350
20	4	874			122	3,790	4,030	6,290	4,110	3,560	3,190	1,940
21	4	874			*130	3,730	3,870	5,860	4,070	3,520	3,100	1,980
22	4	*883			132	3,730	4,050	5,400	4,030	3,460	3,040	1,940
23	5	883			225	3,690	4,130	5,130	4,030	3,440	2,990	1,860
24	5	883			460	4,070	4,170	5,240	4,010	3,430	2,970	1,790
25	5	883	5		625	4,700	4,210	5,590	4,030	3,390	2,920	1,730
26	5	635			708	4,860	4,320	6,480	4,030	3,350	2,720	1,630
27	5	435			555	4,680	4,400	6,820	4,070	3,310	2,490	1,510
28	5	526			701	4,530	4,470	7,890	4,070	3,280	2,430	1,470
29	5	874			-	4,380	4,470	8,410	4,110	3,210	2,400	1,460
30	5	874			-	4,210	4,490	8,380	4,090	3,210	2,380	1,160
31	5	-			-	4,010	-	8,120	-	3,220	2,370	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	21,791	1,770	4	703	43,220
November.....	9,565	883	4	319	18,970
December.....	2,407	643	-	77.6	4,770
Calendar year 1948.....	775,573	11,800	-	2,119	1,538,000
January.....	186	-	-	-	369
February.....	3,922	708	-	140	7,780
March.....	106,084	5,130	874	3,422	210,400
April.....	113,300	4,490	3,170	3,777	224,700
May.....	171,510	8,410	3,970	5,533	340,200
June.....	144,230	7,700	4,010	4,808	286,100
July.....	114,360	4,030	3,210	3,689	226,800
August.....	95,130	3,550	2,370	3,069	189,700
September.....	50,559	2,860	365	1,685	100,300
Water year 1948-49.....	833,044	8,410	-	2,282	1,652,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 19 to Feb. 23.

BOISE RIVER BASIN

Diversions from Boise River between Dowling Ranch and Boise gaging stations, Idaho

Between Dowling Ranch and Boise gaging stations, 6 canals divert water from Boise River for irrigation.

Records of total diversion during irrigation seasons for each canal for years 1919-46, and daily flow of New York Canal February 1939 to October 1948 in reports of Geological Survey. Records of daily diversion for each canal during irrigation seasons from 1916 to 1949 on file in office of Idaho State Reclamation Engineer.

Records show summation of discharge for the six canals. Gage readings obtained daily or several times weekly and frequent discharge measurements made. Records summarized under direction of E. B. Karn, watermaster for Boise River.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1							1,460	3,520	3,450	3,070	2,570	1,990
2							1,470	3,530	3,450	3,090	2,640	1,930
3							1,470	3,530	3,480	3,080	2,630	1,990
4							1,600	3,530	3,460	3,020	2,610	1,980
5							1,600	3,180	3,470	2,990	2,620	1,990
6							1,660	3,320	3,490	2,940	2,570	2,010
7							1,700	3,420	3,490	2,990	2,580	2,060
8							1,840	3,430	3,490	3,010	2,570	1,670
9							1,920	3,430	3,490	3,080	2,580	51
10							2,010	3,480	3,490	3,050	2,580	51
11							2,540	3,510	3,510	3,000	2,620	51
12							2,900	3,510	3,520	3,010	2,570	51
13							2,990	3,510	3,520	3,050	2,540	50
14							3,020	3,500	3,530	3,090	2,570	50
15							3,100	3,500	3,520	3,080	2,490	1,270
16							3,200	3,490	3,230	3,040	2,420	1,760
17							3,230	3,500	3,080	3,030	2,510	1,750
18							3,310	3,500	3,140	3,020	2,490	1,670
19							3,320	3,500	3,110	3,000	2,610	1,680
20							3,340	3,490	3,120	2,900	2,560	1,740
21							3,330	3,470	3,100	2,880	2,470	1,700
22							3,310	3,470	3,100	2,900	2,410	1,680
23							3,360	3,460	3,110	2,840	2,410	1,530
24							3,330	3,480	3,080	2,820	2,340	1,390
25							3,370	3,480	3,040	2,800	2,280	1,380
26							3,390	3,490	3,040	2,700	2,280	1,310
27							3,400	3,500	3,030	2,720	2,200	1,220
28							3,440	3,500	3,040	2,640	2,110	1,220
29							3,440	3,500	3,080	2,620	2,080	1,250
30							3,450	3,500	3,080	2,560	2,080	951
31							-	3,500	-	2,580	2,060	-
Month						Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet		
October.....												
November.....												
December.....												
Calendar year												
January.....						-	-	-	-			
February.....						-	-	-	-			
March.....						-	-	-	-			
April.....						81,500	3,450	1,460	2,717	161,700		
May.....						107,730	3,530	3,180	3,475	213,700		
June.....						98,720	3,530	3,030	3,291	195,800		
July.....						90,600	3,090	2,560	2,923	179,700		
August.....						76,050	2,640	2,060	2,453	150,800		
September.....						39,425	2,060	50	1,314	78,200		
The period.....						-	-	-	-	979,900		

Boise River at Boise, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°37', long. 116°13', in SW¹/₄ sec. 10, T. 3 N., R. 2 E., at Capitol Boulevard Bridge at Boise. Datum of gage is 2,675.46 feet above mean sea level (datum of Corps of Engineers, Boise River Surveys).

Records available.--March 1938 to September 1949 (gage heights only), February 1940 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 5,760 second-feet May 30 (gage height, 6.58 feet); minimum, 19 second-feet Nov. 30 (gage height, 2.53 feet); minimum daily, 21 second-feet Nov. 30.
1940-49: Maximum discharge, 21,000 second-feet Apr. 20, 1943 (gage height, 10.00 feet, site and datum then in use); minimum, 7 second-feet Dec. 16, 1942 (gage height, 1.79 feet, site and datum then in use); minimum daily, 8 second-feet Mar. 8-15, Dec. 6, 1941.

Remarks.--Records good except those below 200 second-feet, which are fair, and those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Flow regulated by Arrowrock Reservoir (see p. 144) and Anderson Ranch Reservoir (see p. 152). New York, Ridenbaugh, and four smaller canals divert between Moore Creek and this station (see preceding page).

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	235	63	23	122	84	81	3,140	2,140	5,250	1,120	690	359
2	198	119	24	b120	84	81	3,020	2,200	4,300	1,070	681	415
3	184	162	26	b110	84	65	2,940	2,110	3,460	1,060	709	511
4	246	184	23	b100	87	65	2,870	2,000	2,360	1,040	748	504
5	280	148	23	b100	87	96	2,850	1,910	2,050	1,040	709	560
6	235	105	54	a100	87	188	2,800	1,850	2,460	1,040	738	601
7	225	87	115	a100	90	241	2,890	1,890	2,520	1,070	748	576
8	220	72	105	a100	90	292	2,690	1,940	2,240	1,080	827	619
9	214	55	100	a100	90	2,590	2,650	1,940	2,070	1,060	817	576
10	214	a60	133	a95	96	4,220	2,520	1,960	2,090	1,040	827	610
11	193	a70	152	a90	93	4,620	2,300	1,980	2,200	1,060	827	593
12	240	a70	170	a85	93	4,580	2,110	2,010	2,520	1,050	807	544
13	184	a95	180	*b85	96	4,500	1,910	2,050	2,260	1,000	796	365
14	193	a85	166	b85	96	4,420	1,750	2,610	1,750	956	796	346
15	224	a90	141	b85	93	4,600	1,640	3,200	1,570	933	827	346
16	122	a110	65	b85	93	4,880	1,680	3,370	1,350	922	827	346
17	108	a50	*b85	b85	90	4,880	2,000	3,340	1,350	879	807	332
18	105	a28	60	b85	111	4,820	2,280	3,490	1,560	807	807	313
19	81	a26	60	b85	141	4,850	2,320	3,880	1,450	807	786	262
20	114	a25	90	b85	258	4,850	2,200	3,750	1,440	807	757	258
21	93	a24	122	b85	93	4,800	1,800	3,340	1,320	767	719	252
22	76	24	84	b85	87	4,600	1,850	2,890	1,250	728	709	313
23	76	24	84	b85	102	5,820	2,030	2,500	1,260	709	700	365
24	67	23	79	b85	124	5,610	2,200	2,540	1,260	709	728	415
25	65	23	81	b85	94	4,250	2,180	2,830	1,280	728	700	379
26	67	23	96	b85	72	4,450	2,110	3,580	1,290	728	610	372
27	70	23	108	a85	81	4,200	2,110	4,050	1,290	728	379	306
28	65	22	118	*81	76	3,950	2,160	4,900	1,290	719	359	230
29	65	22	122	81	-	3,660	2,180	5,630	1,280	700	372	259
30	53	21	126	81	-	3,460	2,150	5,710	1,220	690	359	235
31	53	-	122	84	-	3,250	-	5,500	-	690	372	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	4,565	280	53	147	9,050
November.....	1,913	184	21	63.8	3,790
December.....	2,917	180	23	94.1	5,790
Calendar year 1948	376,243	9,500	16	1,028	746,200
January.....	2,824	122	81	91.1	5,600
February.....	2,772	258	72	99.0	5,500
March.....	98,969	4,880	65	3,193	196,300
April.....	69,290	3,140	1,640	2,310	137,400
May.....	93,090	5,710	1,850	3,003	184,600
June.....	58,970	5,250	1,220	1,968	117,000
July.....	27,737	1,120	690	895	55,020
August.....	21,538	827	359	695	42,720
September.....	12,181	619	230	406	24,160
Water year 1948-49	396,766	5,710	21	1,087	786,900

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Moore Creek near Arrowrock and other Boise River stations.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

BOISE RIVER BASIN

Diversions from Boise River between Boise and Notus gaging stations, Idaho

Between Boise and Notus gaging stations, 21 principal canals and several small farm laterals divert water from Boise River for irrigation.

Records of total diversion during irrigation seasons for each canal for years 1919-46 in reports of Geological Survey. Records of daily diversion for each canal during irrigation seasons from 1916 to 1949 on file in office of Idaho State Reclamation Engineer.

Records show summation of discharge for these diversions. Gage reading obtained daily or several times weekly and frequent discharge measurements made. Records summarized under direction of E. B. Karn, watermaster for Boise River.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1							26	2,300	2,210	2,030	1,370	1,090
2							35	2,290	2,120	1,970	1,350	986
3							35	1,980	2,130	1,940	1,350	1,170
4							155	2,250	2,090	1,970	1,380	1,200
5							185	2,280	2,020	1,930	1,340	1,250
6							178	2,210	2,060	1,920	1,320	1,260
7							221	2,280	2,090	1,920	1,320	1,280
8							256	2,300	2,090	1,920	1,340	1,300
9							236	2,320	2,100	1,910	1,400	1,300
10							280	2,340	2,120	1,940	1,430	1,360
11							386	2,340	2,130	1,950	1,430	1,350
12							492	2,360	2,160	1,910	1,450	1,350
13							647	2,370	2,140	1,870	1,450	1,170
14							760	2,380	2,120	1,870	1,490	969
15							883	2,360	2,130	1,590	1,520	947
16							1,160	2,380	2,080	1,760	1,500	933
17							1,490	2,320	2,080	1,780	1,470	973
18							1,680	2,300	2,070	1,730	1,450	930
19							1,730	2,300	2,090	1,660	1,440	982
20							1,880	2,250	2,060	1,610	1,430	953
21							1,890	2,230	2,070	1,520	1,400	977
22							2,060	2,190	2,060	1,570	1,380	980
23							2,080	2,160	2,040	1,490	1,390	1,000
24							2,130	2,170	2,040	1,440	1,400	1,080
25							2,170	2,190	2,100	1,480	1,390	1,100
26							2,180	1,880	2,120	1,500	1,380	1,090
27							2,200	2,180	2,130	1,480	1,010	1,070
28							2,210	2,180	2,220	1,480	1,150	950
29							2,240	2,160	2,200	1,420	1,140	921
30							2,250	2,170	2,150	1,400	1,130	951
31							-	2,230	-	1,390	1,090	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....					
November.....					
December.....					
Calendar year					
January.....	-	-	-	-	-
February.....	-	-	-	-	-
March.....	-	-	-	-	-
April.....	34,105	2,250	26	1,137	67,650
May.....	69,650	2,380	1,880	2,247	138,100
June.....	63,220	2,220	2,020	2,107	125,400
July.....	53,150	2,030	1,390	1,715	105,400
August.....	42,090	1,520	1,010	1,358	85,480
September.....	32,852	1,360	921	1,095	65,160
The period.....	-	-	-	-	585,200

Boise River at Notus, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°43', long. 116°48', in SE¹ sec. 34, T. 5 N., R. 4 W., 360 yards upstream from steel highway bridge, a quarter of a mile southeast of Notus, and 7 miles northwest of Caldwell. Datum of gage is 2,288.55 feet above mean sea level (datum of Corps of Engineers, Boise River Surveys).

Records available.--April 1920 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--27 years (1920-22, 1924-49), 1,080 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 5,710 second-feet Mar. 17 (gage height, 6.66 feet); minimum, 21 second-feet Aug. 6 (gage height, 1.11 feet); minimum daily, 23 second-feet Aug. 6.

1920-49: Maximum discharge, 20,500 second-feet Apr. 20, 1943 (gage height, 10.43 feet); minimum observed, 10 second-feet Aug. 18, 21, 1920.

Remarks.--Records good. Station is below all large diversions for irrigation in Boise Valley; many diversions above station. Flow regulated by Arrowrock Reservoir (see p. 144).

Rating tables, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet,
and discharge, in second-feet
(Shifting-control method used July 8 to Sept. 30)

Oct. 1 to Feb. 10

Feb. 11 to Sept. 30

2.2	235	2.9	595	1.0	18	1.5	83	2.4	337	4.3	1,880
2.4	324	3.3	860	1.1	27	1.7	120	2.7	485	5.0	2,790
2.6	425			1.2	38	1.9	167	3.1	755	5.8	4,090
				1.3	51	2.1	226	3.7	1,260	6.6	5,580

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	244	764	565	589	436	571	3,800	624	4,850	112	44	57
2	278	764	589	559	436	571	3,660	902	4,310	103	44	50
3	301	777	628	508	442	584	3,560	961	3,110	92	39	47
4	306	784	595	502	442	571	3,480	830	2,410	94	39	57
5	363	790	571	513	442	571	3,350	680	1,270	103	36	63
6	425	777	571	524	430	578	3,330	597	1,360	85	23	58
7	425	751	595	524	430	638	3,360	545	1,660	68	26	56
8	430	725	634	524	447	680	3,380	558	1,460	52	30	68
9	425	712	628	496	447	1,400	3,140	571	1,190	51	39	76
10	399	706	634	480	508	3,950	3,000	533	978	51	34	85
11	389	706	712	474	862	4,900	2,660	521	986	52	39	90
12	373	706	846	469	762	4,790	2,200	539	1,110	54	38	87
13	399	706	853	469	624	4,830	1,860	558	1,440	51	38	101
14	378	706	790	464	564	4,890	1,540	652	936	51	46	124
15	469	725	744	464	521	5,060	1,170	2,020	558	44	50	152
16	660	712	692	464	604	5,540	862	2,340	396	39	44	170
17	692	686	640	480	862	5,580	718	2,410	267	36	41	220
18	660	634	621	469	894	5,560	886	2,140	317	37	39	246
19	660	640	621	464	1,360	5,580	1,000	2,880	415	63	41	246
20	647	634	621	452	1,440	5,560	862	3,170	458	54	42	204
21	712	608	614	464	1,050	5,460	521	2,940	372	44	41	170
22	764	595	614	469	732	5,360	381	2,370	305	39	54	131
23	759	589	565	464	878	4,870	346	1,910	260	39	57	122
24	744	589	547	452	894	4,020	441	1,510	210	41	51	109
25	725	583	541	447	710	4,560	515	1,600	133	41	56	99
26	738	583	553	436	624	5,020	463	1,980	118	39	50	103
27	744	571	565	442	584	4,830	415	2,740	135	37	48	88
28	744	565	583	430	578	4,560	430	3,090	154	35	54	94
29	751	559	583	430	-	4,270	463	4,470	160	38	54	99
30	738	565	583	436	-	4,060	497	5,080	129	38	57	131
31	738	-	565	436	-	5,890	-	4,890	-	42	58	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	17,079	764	244	551	33,880
November.....	20,212	790	559	674	40,090
December.....	19,463	853	541	628	38,600
Calendar year 1948	323,902	7,590	29	885	642,500
January.....	14,794	589	430	477	29,340
February.....	19,003	1,440	430	679	37,690
March.....	113,304	5,580	571	3,655	224,700
April.....	52,290	3,800	346	1,743	103,700
May.....	56,611	5,080	521	1,826	112,300
June.....	31,457	4,850	118	1,049	62,390
July.....	1,725	112	35	55.6	3,420
August.....	1,352	58	23	43.6	2,680
September.....	3,403	246	47	113	6,750
Water year 1948-49	350,693	5,580	23	961	695,500

Middle Fork Boise River near Twin Springs, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°42'45", long. 115°37'50" in sec. 4, T. 4 N., R. 7 E., 1,000 feet upstream from confluence with North Fork Boise River, 1,000 feet upstream from Troutdale ranger station, and 4½ miles northeast of Twin Springs.

Drainage area.--382 square miles.

Records available.--October 1946 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 3,320 second-feet May 16; maximum gage height, about 11.0 feet Feb. 10 (result of snowslide); minimum, 65 second-feet Feb. 6 (gage height, 1.12 feet), result of snowslide upstream.

1946-49: Maximum discharge, 4,370 second-feet May 29, 1948; maximum gage height, that of Feb. 10, 1949; minimum discharge that of Feb. 6, 1949.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect, which are fair. No diversion or regulation above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	180	210	b150	202	175	225	420	1,440	1,970	701	259	178
2	178	295	216	180	170	245	498	1,380	1,670	712	253	175
3	172	306	219	b165	168	253	546	1,310	1,470	696	246	172
4	180	256	196	b160	b160	262	616	1,230	1,400	690	246	175
5	231	219	196	b160	153	299	728	1,210	1,570	718	243	180
6	210	219	202	b180	b150	341	784	1,240	1,950	767	237	175
7	205	193	205	b180	b150	327	894	1,360	2,070	665	231	172
8	210	168	199	b180	b150	316	860	1,590	2,210	611	228	168
9	202	170	202	b180	128	323	952	1,930	2,300	583	228	170
10	196	205	216	b180	b150	320	982	2,170	2,390	546	228	175
11	191	205	219	b180	b150	*331	1,100	2,380	2,530	533	234	185
12	185	199	228	b180	b150	345	1,260	2,740	2,450	506	225	191
13	182	193	213	*b190	b150	327	1,050	2,930	2,040	489	219	185
14	180	188	219	b190	a150	334	904	3,060	1,770	473	216	182
15	196	234	216	b190	a150	367	872	3,160	1,640	452	213	178
16	191	219	175	b190	a150	401	952	3,180	1,560	432	210	185
17	185	213	160	178	b175	440	1,150	3,000	1,320	409	207	199
18	185	*182	170	b175	165	428	1,400	2,800	1,170	393	205	185
19	180	196	193	178	158	473	1,540	2,670	1,130	375	207	182
20	180	213	237	b180	136	528	1,390	2,450	1,080	364	202	178
21	178	199	180	175	162	498	1,230	2,180	1,040	356	196	175
22	175	196	162	172	178	460	1,190	2,040	1,100	341	199	172
23	175	196	a150	168	168	456	1,400	1,870	1,080	327	199	172
24	172	216	a160	b168	185	440	1,580	1,820	1,060	320	199	168
25	178	205	a160	b160	188	448	1,660	1,960	1,070	313	191	170
26	175	202	a165	b160	182	428	1,620	2,200	1,020	306	191	168
27	175	193	b165	175	191	386	1,650	2,400	888	295	188	165
28	175	193	b180	175	210	352	1,770	2,770	822	289	185	175
29	178	193	b190	b165	-	327	1,790	2,720	806	282	188	199
30	178	156	191	170	-	331	1,610	2,540	740	269	182	182
31	178	-	170	170	-	360	-	2,330	-	262	178	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	5,756	231	172	186	0.487	0.56	11,420
November	6,232	306	156	208	.545	.61	12,360
December	5,904	237	150	190	.497	.57	11,710
Calendar year 1948	216,603	4,070	114	592	1.55	21.09	429,800
January	5,456	202	160	176	.461	.53	10,820
February	4,552	210	128	163	.427	.44	9,030
March	11,369	528	225	367	.961	1.11	22,550
April	34,398	1,790	420	1,147	3.00	3.35	68,230
May	68,060	3,180	1,210	2,195	5.75	6.63	135,000
June	45,316	2,530	740	1,511	3.96	4.41	89,880
July	14,475	767	262	467	1.22	1.41	28,710
August	6,633	259	178	214	.560	.65	13,160
September	5,336	199	165	178	.466	.52	10,580
Water year 1948-49	213,487	3,180	128	585	1.53	20.79	423,400

Peak discharge (base, 1,900 sec.-ft.).--May 16 (3 a.m.) 3,320 sec.-ft.; May 28 (7 a.m.) 2,870 sec.-ft.; June 12 (3 a.m.) 2,830 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records, records for other Boise River stations, and inflow into Arrowrock and Anderson Ranch Reservoirs.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

South Fork Boise River near Featherville, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°29'40", long. 115°18'20", in lot 6, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 19, T. 2 N., R. 10 E., $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles upstream from Deer Creek and 8 miles southwest of Featherville. Altitude of gage, about 4,220 feet, from topographic map of U. S. Bureau of Reclamation.

Drainage area.--635 square miles.

Record available.--April 1945 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 3,880 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 6.15 feet); minimum, 30 second-feet Feb. 10 (gage height, 0.60 foot), result of snow slide upstream.

1945-49: Maximum discharge, 4,750 second-feet May 29, 1948 (gage height, 6.87 feet); minimum, that of Feb. 10, 1949.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Small ranch diversions above station. No regulation.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Nov. 3-5, Sept. 25-30)

Oct. 1 to Nov. 5

Nov. 6 to Sept. 30

1.7	192	1.3	94	2.1	319	4.0	1,580
1.8	220	1.5	129	2.4	460	5.0	2,570
2.0	268	1.7	177	2.8	680	6.1	3,820
2.2	369	1.9	241	3.3	1,010		

Discharge in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	220	256	161	220	210	224	391	2,070	2,380	716	252	169
2	217	352	248	210	200	231	450	1,980	2,090	698	248	169
3	214	355	234	200	150	*245	490	1,920	1,870	680	241	167
4	240	304	221	190	190	245	582	1,830	1,760	662	234	169
5	263	249	214	190	180	256	716	1,800	1,820	668	231	175
6	252	256	214	200	175	263	844	1,840	2,050	668	227	169
7	242	207	227	*220	170	267	975	1,990	2,170	604	221	169
8	242	174	217	220	160	263	961	2,260	2,300	565	217	164
9	235	160	207	210	150	271	1,060	2,610	2,330	548	210	164
10	223	227	234	210	94	267	1,140	2,900	2,390	526	217	167
11	220	245	245	210	147	267	1,310	2,930	2,470	510	224	172
12	220	238	252	210	149	271	1,440	3,260	2,390	485	217	180
13	214	227	234	210	174	267	1,270	3,530	2,090	470	214	180
14	214	227	234	220	186	274	1,150	3,760	1,870	450	201	183
15	223	271	221	220	201	303	1,170	3,760	1,730	435	198	183
16	220	*252	186	224	210	307	1,310	3,780	1,620	425	198	172
17	217	241	167	214	221	311	1,580	3,710	1,440	405	198	183
18	217	186	164	207	245	319	1,870	3,530	1,310	396	198	177
19	217	183	177	214	271	345	2,050	3,570	1,250	382	195	177
20	226	227	256	207	248	372	1,980	3,320	1,180	363	189	172
21	226	214	231	214	248	391	1,770	3,000	1,110	354	189	172
22	220	198	204	210	238	391	1,830	2,840	1,100	337	189	172
23	217	207	186	210	238	396	2,100	2,670	1,070	323	189	169
24	217	227	190	200	231	391	2,210	2,580	1,040	311	195	169
25	214	214	190	200	224	405	2,360	2,660	1,010	307	189	167
26	212	207	190	200	214	396	2,290	2,800	947	303	183	167
27	212	169	200	210	214	396	2,310	2,960	891	298	177	167
28	212	177	200	210	217	345	2,440	3,140	838	290	177	169
29	214	196	210	200	-	337	2,490	3,140	805	278	180	198
30	214	159	210	200	-	354	2,300	2,940	760	267	174	198
31	217	-	210	200	-	359	-	2,790	-	252	169	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October	6,889	263	212	222	0.350	0.40	13,680
November	6,857	365	159	229	.361	.40	13,600
December	6,534	256	161	211	.332	.38	12,960
Calendar year 1948	240,306	4,470	147	657	1.04	14.06	476,700
January	6,460	224	190	208	.328	.38	12,810
February	5,595	271	94	200	.315	.33	11,100
March	9,719	405	224	314	.494	.57	19,280
April	44,839	2,490	391	1,495	2.35	2.63	88,940
May	87,770	3,780	1,800	2,831	4.46	5.14	174,100
June	48,081	2,470	760	1,603	2.52	2.82	95,370
July	13,976	726	252	451	.710	.82	27,720
August	6,341	252	169	205	.323	.37	12,580
September	5,209	198	164	174	.274	.31	10,330
Water year 1948-49	248,270	3,780	94	680	1.07	14.55	492,400

Peak discharge (base, 2,000 sec.-ft.).--Apr. 29 (5 a.m.) 2,570 sec.-ft.; May 17 (2 a.m.) 3,880 sec.-ft.; June 12 (4 a.m.) 2,650 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 24 to about Jan. 15, Jan. 22 to Feb. 9 (no gage-height record Jan. 5, 6, 12-15, Jan. 23 to Feb. 3, Feb. 8; discharge computed on basis of weather records, records for nearby streams, and computed inflow into Arrowrock and Anderson Ranch Reservoirs).

Anderson Ranch Reservoir at Anderson Ranch Dam, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 43°21'30", long. 115°27'10", in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 1, T. 1 S., R. 8 E., on inlet structure of outlet works of dam on South Fork Boise River, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles downstream from Camas Creek and 3 miles northwest of Bennett (Dixie Store). Datum of gage is at mean sea level (surveys by Bureau of Reclamation).

Drainage area.--980 square miles.

Records available.--December 1945 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents observed during year, 140,200 acre-feet June 28 (elevation, 4,101.2 feet); minimum observed, 1,676 acre-feet Aug. 30 to Sept. 2 (elevation, 3,994.6 feet).

1945-49: Maximum contents observed, 140,700 acre-feet June 28, 29, 1948 (elevation, 4,101.4 feet); no usable contents prior to Jan. 27, 1946.

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by earth-fill dam. Storage began Dec. 15, 1945. Usable contents, 464,200 acre-feet between elevations 3,992 and 4,196 feet (top of spillway gates). Elevation of spillway crest, 4,174 feet, and of top of dam, 4,206 feet. Dead storage below 3,992 feet is 28,980 acre-feet. Figures given herein represent usable contents. Water is used for irrigation of lands in Boise Valley. Gage read once daily about 8 a.m. Oct. 1 to May 10 and about 4:30 p.m. May 11 to Sept. 30.

Cooperation.--Gage readings and capacity table furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Contents, in acre-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	12,090	28,980	47,730	-	81,320	26,640	13,610	-	119,700	139,800	42,580	1,676
2	-	29,870	48,190	-	82,100	19,450	-	60,810	118,300	139,500	36,360	1,676
3	-	30,780	48,900	65,400	82,740	14,350	-	59,240	117,100	-	30,570	-
4	13,530	31,680	49,490	65,680	83,550	10,220	18,140	57,440	116,900	-	26,210	-
5	14,100	32,400	-	66,370	-	-	20,070	55,550	116,500	138,600	20,430	-
6	14,760	33,010	50,680	67,630	-	-	22,600	53,690	116,900	138,400	16,260	1,742
7	15,340	-	51,400	68,080	-	3,813	25,590	52,000	118,500	137,900	-	2,270
8	15,920	34,260	52,000	-	86,100	3,205	28,780	50,920	121,000	137,200	9,692	2,669
9	-	34,670	52,600	-	-	2,870	32,090	50,560	123,700	136,600	6,813	3,071
10	-	35,200	53,080	69,480	-	2,669	-	51,040	126,200	-	4,772	3,473
11	17,620	-	53,820	69,910	-	2,602	39,700	52,240	128,800	135,400	3,609	-
12	18,230	36,570	-	70,480	-	-	44,160	53,690	-	134,800	2,870	4,358
13	18,750	37,210	55,170	71,350	-	-	48,660	55,670	133,600	130,100	2,535	4,772
14	19,270	-	55,920	72,220	89,540	2,468	50,560	58,080	135,200	125,600	-	5,257
15	19,800	58,390	56,550	-	89,540	2,468	51,760	-	136,800	121,000	2,138	5,677
16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	-	39,150	57,060	-	89,710	2,535	50,320	65,130	139,100	116,500	2,006	6,100
17	-	39,810	57,700	73,250	-	2,535	-	73,550	139,300	-	1,940	6,526
18	21,410	40,470	57,700	73,850	88,720	2,669	48,540	81,480	139,300	107,600	1,874	-
19	21,960	41,020	-	74,440	87,240	-	48,900	88,880	-	103,200	1,874	7,390
20	22,510	-	58,720	75,190	-	-	51,520	96,180	139,100	98,820	1,808	7,901
21	23,060	-	59,240	75,940	81,480	3,004	56,800	102,400	138,600	93,760	-	8,344
22	23,620	42,690	60,180	-	-	3,071	57,700	109,500	138,200	88,720	1,808	8,789
23	24,180	43,250	60,180	-	69,910	3,138	58,980	112,800	138,600	83,680	1,742	9,239
24	-	43,820	-	77,450	63,350	4,289	-	115,300	139,100	-	1,742	9,692
25	25,210	-	-	77,760	57,060	5,537	64,170	117,100	139,500	73,700	1,742	-
26	25,690	44,950	-	78,220	-	-	64,030	117,900	-	68,910	1,742	10,530
27	26,280	45,640	61,740	78,830	-	-	63,620	119,100	140,000	64,300	1,742	10,920
28	26,840	-	62,290	79,300	34,670	9,239	63,350	119,500	140,200	59,760	-	11,390
29	27,320	46,330	62,950	-	-	10,300	63,220	120,200	140,000	55,170	1,742	11,860
30	27,800	47,140	63,490	-	-	11,390	62,810	120,400	140,000	50,920	1,676	12,330
31	28,390	-	64,170	80,850	-	12,490	-	120,400	-	446,750	1,676	-

a No gage reading; contents interpolated.

Monthly elevation and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Elevation (feet)†	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30.....	4,008.5	11,620	-
Oct. 31.....	4,027.5	28,390	+16,770
Nov. 30.....	4,045.0	47,140	+18,750
Dec. 31.....	4,058.6	64,170	+17,030
Calendar year 1948...	-	-	+29,600
Jan. 31.....	4,070.0	80,850	+16,680
Feb. 28.....	4,033.7	34,670	-46,180
Mar. 31.....	4,009.6	12,490	-22,180
Apr. 30.....	4,057.6	62,810	+50,320
May 31.....	4,092.1	120,400	+57,590
June 30.....	4,101.1	140,000	+19,600
July 31.....	-	446,750	-95,250
Aug. 31.....	3,994.6	1,676	-45,074
Sept. 30.....	4,009.4	12,330	+10,654
Water year 1948-49...	-	-	+710

† Elevation about 8 a.m. Sept. 30 to Apr. 30 and about 4:30 p.m. May 31 to Sept. 30.

a No gage reading; contents interpolated.

South Fork Boise River at Anderson Ranch Dam, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°20', long. 115°29', in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 11, T. 1 S., R. 8 E., 600 feet upstream from Dixie Creek, $\frac{1}{2}$ miles downstream from Anderson Ranch Reservoir, and 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ miles northwest of Bennett (Dixie store). Altitude of gage, about 3,850 feet from topographic map of U. S. Bureau of Reclamation.

Drainage area.--982 square miles.

Records available.--April 1943 to September 1949 (include flow of Dixie Creek prior to October 1946 and exclude Dixie Creek thereafter).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 4,320 second-feet Feb. 25 (gage height, 7.12 feet); minimum, 0.8 second-foot Nov. 29 (gage height, 1.06 feet), but may have been less during period of ice effect.

1943-49: Maximum discharge, 9,100 second-feet Apr. 17, 1943 (gage height, 10.06 feet); minimum, less than 1 second-foot on several days each year 1947-49.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for period of ice effect and those below 10 second-feet, which are poor. Some water stored in Little Camas Reservoir and diverted for irrigation of about 5,000 acres of land in vicinity of Mountain Home. Flow regulated by Anderson Ranch Reservoir beginning Dec. 15, 1945.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by Bureau of Reclamation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1.5	2.2				3,900	8.0	3,520	3,450	936	2,610	226
2	2.5	2.0				3,150	8.6	3,500	3,250	936	3,260	219
3	2.5	2.2				2,560	8.0	3,450	2,670	936	3,050	219
4	2.8	1.5				2,320	8.0	3,410	2,310	936	2,800	216
5	3.0	1.2				1,620	8.6	3,390	2,290	929	2,550	216
6	2.5	1.0				1,090	8.6	3,350	2,030	929	2,230	83
7	2.5	1.2		(*)	1.3	810	8.6	3,320	1,550	929	2,000	6.6
8	2.0	1.5				637	9.8	3,310	1,390	929	1,750	5.3
9	2.0	1.5				544	9.8	3,310	1,390	929	1,720	4.8
10	2.0	1.2				492	9.8	3,330	1,400	922	1,230	3.5
11	1.2	1.2				463	10	3,370	1,410	915	804	3.5
12	1.5	1.2				450	11	3,400	1,430	1,460	570	3.2
13	1.2	1.0			34	440	579	3,450	1,460	2,830	440	3.5
14	1.0	.9			180	436	1,230	3,500	1,440	2,610	367	3.2
15	1.0	2.0			275	440	2,120	3,550	1,040	2,790	327	3.2
16	1.0	1.5	1.3	1.3		319	463	2,980	1,970	1,080	300	3.0
17	1.0	*1.2				588	463	2,950	649	1,570	281	2.8
18	1.0	1.2				1,110	492	2,950	667	1,570	2,690	270
19	1.0	1.0				1,670	522	2,920	685	1,570	2,660	262
20	1.0	1.0				1,670	559	168	703	1,560	2,740	255
21	.9	1.0				2,230	592	1,710	715	1,560	3,030	251
22	1.0	1.0				2,840	620	2,450	727	1,280	2,980	248
23	.9	1.0				3,190	276	1,460	1,280	1,010	2,920	244
24	1.0	1.8				3,460	12	2,450	1,880	957	2,870	244
25	1.2	1.5				3,850	9.8	3,270	2,460	950	2,800	244
26	1.2	1.2				3,950	9.2	3,430	2,820	943	2,740	244
27	1.0	1.0				3,690	8.0	3,520	3,050	943	2,690	240
28	1.0	1.0				*3,900	8.0	3,520	3,450	943	2,620	237
29	1.0	1.2				-	7.6	3,520	3,460	943	2,560	233
30	1.0	1.2				-	7.6	3,520	3,460	943	2,480	230
31	1.0	-				-	7.6	-	3,460	-	2,390	230

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	45.4	3.0	0.9	1.46	90
November.....	39.6	2.2	.9	1.32	79
December.....	40.3	-	-	1.3	80
Calendar year 1948	288,206.3	4,190	-	787	571,700
January.....	40.3	-	-	1.3	80
February.....	32,981.6	3,950	-	1,178	65,420
March.....	23,428.8	3,900	7.6	756	46,470
April.....	44,835.8	3,520	8.0	1,495	88,930
May.....	82,596	3,550	649	2,664	163,800
June.....	46,302	3,450	943	1,543	91,840
July.....	63,766	3,030	915	2,057	126,500
August.....	29,701	3,260	230	958	58,910
September.....	1,251.3	226	1.8	41.7	2,480
Water year 1948-49	325,028.1	3,950	-	890	644,700

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 30 to Feb. 15 (no gage-height record Jan. 5, 6, 30).

BOISE RIVER BASIN

Lime Creek near Bennett, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°25', long. 115°16', in SW¼ sec. 16, T. 1 N., R. 10 E., 0.4 mile upstream from flow line of Anderson Ranch Reservoir, 2 miles upstream from mouth, and 12 miles northeast of Bennett. Altitude of gage, about 4,250 feet (from topographic map of Bureau of Reclamation).

Drainage area.--131 square miles.

Records available.--June 1945 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 531 second-feet Apr. 19; maximum gage height, 8.02 feet Feb. 15 (snowslide downstream); minimum, 2.5 second-feet Feb. 11 (gage height, 1.67 feet), result of snowslide upstream.
1945-49: Maximum discharge, 1,180 second-feet Apr. 19, 1946; maximum gage height, that of Feb. 15, 1949; minimum, that of Feb. 11, 1949.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. No diversion or regulation.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Oct. 1 to Feb. 21)

2.2	16	3.0	115
2.4	33	3.3	180
2.6	54	3.7	282
2.8	81	4.2	432

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	17	31	34	26	22	32	71	330	162	45	16	12
2	17	45	28	25	23	*33	84	316	146	43	16	12
3	17	40	28	24	24	34	97	296	139	41	15	12
4	18	29	24	21	24	35	115	282	125	39	15	14
5	25	25	25	22	24	38	137	271	115	40	15	15
6	22	28	27	*23	24	43	166	268	113	39	14	14
7	21	16	25	23	4.2	43	182	277	110	36	14	14
8	20	16	21	23	20	42	190	288	106	34	14	13
9	20	20	24	21	11	40	219	307	102	32	14	13
10	20	26	27	19	7.2	40	234	319	97	34	15	13
11	19	25	27	19	3.2	40	266	316	95	31	15	15
12	19	24	27	19	7.7	40	285	316	91	29	14	17
13	19	24	27	20	11	39	255	316	87	28	14	18
14	20	24	26	22	13	41	245	316	83	26	14	17
15	20	30	23	23	20	47	260	316	77	25	14	16
16	20	*26	21	23	25	50	304	313	74	25	14	17
17	20	23	19	23	30	53	375	293	73	24	14	19
18	20	12	17	22	35	55	426	274	71	23	14	19
19	20	22	20	20	40	66	426	313	70	22	14	18
20	20	25	26	19	38	74	439	285	67	22	13	18
21	20	21	28	19	37	75	432	247	63	22	12	18
22	20	25	23	19	37	73	432	224	60	21	13	18
23	20	23	19	19	37	70	432	204	59	21	14	15
24	20	25	17	20	34	68	426	192	57	20	15	15
25	20	22	17	21	33	74	419	180	54	20	14	15
26	20	22	18	21	32	70	397	178	52	20	14	15
27	22	21	18	21	32	64	391	171	51	19	13	15
28	22	23	21	21	32	62	394	168	50	19	13	17
29	22	22	23	22	-	59	388	168	48	18	14	20
30	21	22	25	22	-	59	357	164	46	18	13	19
31	22	-	25	22	-	62	-	204	-	17	12	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	624	25	17	20.1	0.153	0.18	1,240
November	738	45	12	24.6	.188	.21	1,460
December	730	34	17	23.5	.179	.21	1,450
Calendar year 1948	18,869	352	12	51.6	.394	5.37	37,420
January	664	26	19	21.4	.163	.19	1,320
February	680.3	40	3.2	24.3	.185	.19	1,350
March	1,621	75	32	52.3	.399	.46	3,220
April	8,844	439	71	295	2.25	2.51	17,540
May	8,112	330	164	262	2.00	2.30	16,090
June	2,543	162	46	84.8	.647	.72	5,040
July	853	45	17	27.5	.210	.24	1,690
August	435	16	12	14.0	.107	.12	863
September	473	20	12	15.8	.121	.13	938
Water year 1948-49	26,317.3	439	3.2	72.1	.550	7.46	52,200

Peak discharge (base, 230 sec.-ft.)--Apr. 11 (9 p.m.) 296 sec.-ft.; Apr. 19 (9:30 p.m.) 531 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 16 to Feb. 5, Feb. 15-21. No gage-height record Sept. 18-30; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Fall Creek near Anderson Ranch Dam and South Fork Boise River near Featherville.

Fall Creek near Anderson Ranch Dam, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°26'00", long. 115°23'10", in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 9, T. 1 N., R. 9 E., $\frac{1}{4}$ miles below Mill Creek and 6 miles northeast of Anderson Ranch Dam. Altitude of gage, about 4,350 feet (from topographic map of Bureau of Reclamation).

Drainage area.--55.3 square miles.

Records available.--April 1945 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 390 second-feet Apr. 24; maximum gage height, 4.84 feet Apr. 22; minimum, 1.6 second-feet Feb. 9 (gage height, 1.94 feet), result of snowslide upstream.

1945-49: Maximum discharge, 793 second-feet Apr. 17, 1946; maximum gage height recorded, 6.07 feet Jan. 5, 1947 (ice jam); minimum discharge, that of Feb. 9, 1949.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or backwater from debris, which are fair. No diversion or regulation.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet,
and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Oct. 1-31,
Feb. 17 to Mar. 23, Apr. 23-27)

Oct. 1 to Apr. 22

Apr. 23 to Sept. 30

2.5	11	3.6	110	2.4	11	3.6	113
2.7	19	3.9	161	2.5	14	3.9	165
3.0	38	4.2	221	2.7	23	4.2	228
3.3	68	4.6	316	3.0	42	4.5	303
				3.3	72	4.7	362

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	11	19	14	17	15	*18	50	249	154	40	17	13
2	11	22	19	16	15	19	60	235	138	37	17	13
3	11	26	16	15	15	19	70	224	126	36	17	13
4	12	19	16	17	15	20	85	213	119	35	17	13
5	15	17	15	17	15	22	100	208	119	36	16	14
6	14	17	15	17	14	24	130	213	121	34	16	13
7	13	14	15	*17	13	25	140	228	119	32	16	13
8	13	12	15	16	12	25	140	258	116	31	16	13
9	13	14	15	14	10	26	170	292	113	30	16	13
10	12	15	15	15	10	28	180	309	113	30	16	13
11	12	15	16	16	10	28	208	318	110	28	16	13
12	12	15	17	16	10	28	234	332	104	27	15	14
13	12	15	17	16	12	28	196	338	95	26	15	14
14	12	15	17	16	17	29	186	344	89	26	15	14
15	13	19	16	16	17	32	194	338	83	25	15	14
16	13	17	14	16	17	35	223	329	77	25	15	15
17	13	*16	13	16	17	38	273	315	72	24	15	15
18	13	14	13	15	17	42	324	281	68	24	14	15
19	13	15	14	16	17	48	336	274	67	23	15	14
20	13	15	18	16	18	54	306	242	65	22	14	14
21	13	15	16	16	17	57	280	224	60	22	14	14
22	13	15	15	15	19	57	306	208	58	21	14	14
23	13	15	15	15	18	57	353	198	54	20	14	13
24	13	16	15	15	18	54	353	191	52	20	15	13
25	13	15	15	15	18	56	353	189	50	20	14	13
26	13	15	15	15	18	52	338	189	49	20	14	13
27	13	15	15	15	18	50	335	193	47	19	14	13
28	13	16	16	15	19	48	347	191	45	18	14	15
29	13	15	17	16	-	45	338	187	42	18	14	16
30	13	14	16	15	-	45	281	175	41	18	14	15
31	14	-	17	15	-	45	-	175	-	18	13	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	395	15	11	12.7	0.230	0.27	783
November	482	26	12	16.1	.291	.32	956
December	482	19	13	15.5	.280	.32	956
Calendar year 1948	17,668	300	11	48.3	.873	11.88	35,060
January	487	17	14	15.7	.284	.33	966
February	431	19	10	15.4	.278	.29	855
March	1,154	57	18	37.2	.673	.76	2,290
April	6,889	353	50	230	4.16	4.63	13,660
May	7,660	344	175	247	4.47	5.15	15,190
June	2,566	154	41	85.5	1.55	1.73	5,090
July	805	40	18	26.0	.470	.54	1,600
August	467	17	13	15.1	.273	.31	926
September	412	16	13	13.7	.248	.28	817
Water year 1948-49	22,230	353	10	60.9	1.10	14.95	44,090

Peak discharge (base, 300 sec.-ft.)--Apr. 18 (9 p.m.) 368 sec.-ft.; Apr. 24 (9 p.m.) 390 sec.-ft.; May 13 (10 p.m.) 359 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 8, 9, Nov. 30 to Dec. 2, Dec. 4-10, 16-28, Feb. 6-13. Backwater from debris Mar. 24 to Apr. 10.

BOISE RIVER BASIN

Little Camas Canal at heading, near Bennett, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 43°21'30", long. 115°23', in sec. 9, T. 1 S., R. 9 E., 400 feet downstream from Little Camas Reservoir, 4 miles northeast of Bennett, and 22 miles northeast of Mountain Home.

Records available.--June to November 1917, April 1924 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 54 second-feet June 10-15, 29, 30, July 1-3; maximum gage height observed, 2.10 feet June 10-15, 29, 30, July 1-3, 13-15; no flow during long periods.
1917, 1924-49: Maximum discharge observed, 77 second-feet Apr. 27-30, May 1, 3, 9, 1924; no flow during nonirrigation seasons.

Remarks.--Records good. Gage read once daily. Canal diverts from Little Camas Reservoir (South Fork Boise River drainage) in sec. 9, T. 1 S., R. 9 E., and discharges into Long Tom Creek Basin, where water is stored in Long Tom Reservoir for irrigation of 5,000 acres of land near Mountain Home. No diversion above station. Flow regulated by head gates at Little Camas Reservoir.

Cooperation.--Gage readings furnished by Mountain Home Irrigation District.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1								0	50	54	49	
2								0	50	54	49	
3								0	50	54	49	
4								0	50	53	49	
5								0	50	53	49	
6								0	50	53	49	
7								0	50	53	49	
8								0	50	52	49	
9								0	50	52	49	
10								0	52	52	49	
11								0	54	52	49	
12								0	54	52	49	
13								0	54	53	49	
14								0	54	53	48	
15								0	51	53	48	
16								0	46	52	49	
17								0	46	52	48	
18								6	46	52	47	
19								10	46	52	48	
20								14	46	52	49	
21								26	46	52	48	
22								34	46	52	47	
23								34	46	52	48	
24								34	47	52	47	
25								34	50	52	47	
26								36	51	52	47	
27								39	51	52	48	
28								39	51	52	47	
29								39	52	52	46	
30								39	54	51	47	
31								45	-	50	32	

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	0	0	0	0	0
November.....	0	0	0	0	0
December.....	0	0	0	0	0
Calendar year 1948.....	4,814	52	0	13.2	9,550
January.....	0	0	0	0	0
February.....	0	0	0	0	0
March.....	0	0	0	0	0
April.....	0	0	0	0	0
May.....	427	43	0	13.8	847
June.....	1,493	54	46	49.8	2,960
July.....	1,622	54	50	52.5	3,220
August.....	1,478	49	32	47.7	2,930
September.....	0	0	0	0	0
Water year 1948-49.....	5,020	54	0	13.8	9,960

Moore Creek near Arrowrock, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 43°35', long. 115°59', in sec. 21, T. 3 N., R. 4 E., 150 feet below bridge on Boise-Arrowrock highway, a quarter of a mile upstream from mouth and 3 miles southwest of Arrowrock. Datum of gage is 2,896.11 feet above mean sea level, unadjusted. Prior to Oct. 1, 1948, staff gage at bridge at datum 0.23 foot higher.

Drainage area.--426 square miles.

Records available.--October 1914 to November 1915 (discharge measurements only), December 1915 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--33 years (1916-49), 293 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 1,670 second-feet Apr. 19 (gage height, 3.84 feet); minimum observed, 28 second-feet Aug. 26, 28-31, Sept. 1-4, 6-14; minimum gage height observed, 0.34 foot Sept. 3, 4, 8, 10, 11.
1915-49: Maximum discharge, 6,610 second-feet Apr. 8, 1943 (gage height, 7.1 feet, from high-water mark); minimum observed, 7.9 second-feet Aug. 13-15, 17, 18, 1924.

Remarks.--Records good. Gage read once daily except Mar. 1 to June 30, when it was read twice daily. No large diversions above station.

Cooperation.--Gage readings furnished by Water District No. 12-A.

Rating table, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet,
and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used June 26 to Sept. 30)

0.4	24	1.2	143	2.5	615
.5	33	1.5	212	2.9	860
.7	56	1.8	300	3.3	1,170
.9	86	2.1	415	3.8	1,630

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	42	67	31	90	76	210	604	994	555	115	36	28
2	42	104	86	93	76	239	712	978	495	112	35	28
3	43	135	104	86	76	265	784	881	433	112	31	28
4	42	115	76	83	76	278	916	784	386	106	32	28
5	54	104	64	83	64	343	1,080	718	358	99	31	29
6	64	86	70	83	73	377	1,200	712	390	106	31	28
7	57	83	83	84	70	366	1,320	730	369	84	28	28
8	56	56	76	86	70	381	1,230	766	358	83	29	28
9	59	51	76	83	80	358	1,390	874	339	80	30	28
10	54	67	93	80	73	354	1,380	874	324	69	29	28
11	51	62	90	76	64	358	1,470	909	310	70	33	28
12	51	90	112	76	64	394	1,590	902	290	66	32	28
13	50	73	119	76	73	411	1,310	916	265	63	31	28
14	51	76	112	76	76	442	1,160	946	254	55	31	28
15	54	83	93	76	80	515	1,130	902	234	52	31	29
16	54	112	70	76	83	480	1,180	1,020	215	54	30	29
17	51	100	51	80	90	620	1,380	909	207	51	29	35
18	51	86	37	80	80	632	1,550	839	202	51	29	37
19	51	76	54	80	100	712	1,610	784	204	48	29	35
20	51	86	93	80	108	730	1,420	742	215	48	29	35
21	51	80	83	76	119	730	1,290	700	190	48	29	34
22	51	80	59	76	123	659	1,240	632	176	49	29	34
23	54	97	56	80	135	682	1,360	593	164	45	29	33
24	54	83	62	76	151	659	1,360	560	158	43	29	33
25	54	80	64	76	164	712	1,310	545	151	41	30	33
26	54	86	76	76	164	626	1,210	545	145	38	28	33
27	51	70	86	76	173	566	1,190	550	143	40	29	34
28	51	80	86	76	187	490	1,150	593	135	40	28	52
29	54	90	93	76	-	451	1,150	566	127	41	28	50
30	54	42	93	76	-	490	1,040	545	127	38	28	45
31	54	-	86	76	-	500	-	588	-	38	28	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	1,610	64	42	51.9	0.122	0.14	3,190
November	2,500	135	42	83.3	.196	.22	4,980
December	2,434	119	31	78.5	.184	.21	4,830
Calendar year 1948	100,442	2,620	28	274	.643	8.76	199,200
January	2,467	93	76	79.6	.187	.22	4,890
February	2,778	187	64	99.2	.233	.24	5,510
March	15,050	730	210	485	1.14	1.31	29,850
April	36,716	1,610	604	1,224	2.87	3.21	72,830
May	23,597	1,020	545	761	1.79	2.06	46,800
June	7,919	555	127	264	.620	.69	15,710
July	1,985	115	38	64.0	.150	.17	3,940
August	931	36	28	30.0	.070	.08	1,850
September	974	52	28	32.5	.076	.09	1,930
Water year 1948-49	98,961	1,610	28	271	.636	8.64	196,300

Lake Lowell near Caldwell, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage attached to outlet structures at each end of reservoir. One gage is at lower embankment, lat. 43°35', long. 116°45', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 19, T. 3 N., R. 3 W., 5 miles south and 2 miles west of Caldwell; the other is at upper embankment, lat. 43°34', long. 116°39', in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 36, T. 3 N., R. 3 W., 1 mile south and 4 miles west of Nampa. Datum of gage is 2,500.5 feet above mean sea level (surveys of Bureau of Reclamation).

Records available.--October 1917 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents observed during year, 173,600 acre-feet Apr. 16 (gage height, 29.54 feet); minimum observed, 22,630 acre-feet Sept. 30.
1917-49: Maximum contents observed, 178,900 acre-feet Apr. 27, 28, 1922, Apr. 24, 1932 (gage height, 30.18 feet); minimum observed, 5,390 acre-feet Oct. 22, 1924.

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by two earth embankments; dams were completed and storage began in 1908. Capacity, 177,150 acre-feet between gage heights 0.0 foot (sill of outlet gates) and 30.0 feet (maximum operating level). Dead storage, about 13,000 acre-feet. Below gage height 12.0 feet reservoir divides into two pools. In addition to water received from local drainage, reservoir receives water from Boise River through New York Canal of Boise project. Water is used for irrigation of lower project lands. Figures given herein represent usable contents. Gages read once daily.

Cooperation.--Gage readings and capacity table furnished by Board of Control for Boise project.

Contents, in acre-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	40,990	59,300	81,070	89,040	89,680	102,200	151,800	154,500	137,400	107,700	70,680	35,900
2	42,600	59,780	82,160	89,040	89,680	103,900	153,600	153,300	137,300	106,400	68,950	35,260
3	44,130	59,840	83,740	89,040	89,820	106,200	155,700	152,300	137,800	105,200	67,680	34,520
4	45,080	59,960	85,120	89,040	89,820	108,900	157,900	151,500	138,500	104,200	66,360	33,790
5	45,880	60,080	86,160	89,040	89,960	111,200	160,000	150,600	139,300	103,300	64,740	33,160
6	46,640	60,080	87,210	89,040	89,960	113,300	161,900	150,100	140,400	101,700	63,380	32,490
7	47,340	60,260	87,980	89,040	90,100	115,300	164,000	149,400	140,900	100,100	61,720	31,820
8	47,940	60,440	88,410	89,040	90,100	117,800	165,600	148,800	141,300	98,570	60,080	31,360
9	49,100	60,440	87,910	89,040	90,240	119,700	167,100	148,100	140,900	96,740	58,520	30,750
10	50,260	60,560	88,050	89,180	90,240	121,800	168,800	147,200	140,600	95,280	57,040	30,200
11	51,330	60,620	88,190	89,180	90,390	124,000	170,400	146,200	139,900	93,780	55,510	29,640
12	52,570	60,810	88,480	89,180	90,390	126,300	171,400	145,300	139,100	92,600	54,010	29,100
13	53,600	60,810	88,760	89,180	90,530	128,600	172,400	143,900	138,200	91,170	52,690	28,350
14	54,350	60,930	88,970	89,180	90,530	131,100	173,200	142,500	137,200	89,610	51,500	27,900
15	54,930	61,050	88,970	89,180	90,670	133,400	173,500	141,100	136,400	88,260	50,540	27,410
16	55,570	61,600	89,040	89,180	90,670	135,200	173,600	139,800	134,700	86,790	49,430	26,830
17	57,210	61,840	89,040	89,180	90,670	135,200	173,400	138,600	133,200	85,400	48,320	26,550
18	57,330	61,960	89,040	89,180	90,820	135,000	172,900	137,500	131,600	84,220	47,020	26,500
19	57,390	62,210	89,040	89,180	90,820	134,900	172,100	136,500	129,500	83,050	45,720	26,460
20	57,630	62,880	89,040	89,390	91,240	134,800	171,300	136,000	127,500	81,880	45,080	26,120
21	57,870	64,670	89,040	89,390	91,960	134,600	170,100	136,200	125,700	81,000	43,700	25,700
22	58,040	66,550	89,040	89,390	92,680	134,300	168,500	136,600	123,800	80,320	43,020	25,220
23	58,220	68,640	89,040	89,390	93,610	134,400	166,800	137,500	121,800	79,440	42,310	24,810
24	58,460	70,630	89,040	89,390	94,700	134,800	165,200	138,200	120,000	78,770	41,510	24,300
25	58,520	72,620	89,040	89,390	96,220	137,100	163,900	139,000	118,100	77,900	40,260	24,080
26	58,640	74,980	89,040	89,390	97,690	138,900	162,200	139,500	116,300	77,100	39,470	23,710
27	58,760	76,830	89,040	89,390	99,160	141,000	160,700	139,600	114,300	76,170	38,600	23,350
28	58,880	77,760	89,040	89,390	100,600	143,200	158,900	139,200	112,500	75,180	38,250	23,170
29	59,000	78,570	89,040	89,390	-	145,600	157,100	138,600	110,800	74,060	37,650	22,860
30	59,060	79,580	89,040	89,390	-	148,000	155,800	138,100	109,200	72,880	37,040	22,630
31	59,120	-	89,040	89,610	-	149,900	-	137,600	-	71,840	36,390	-

Monthly gage height and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Gage height (feet)	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30 (upper).....	11.42	39,810	-
Oct. 31 (lower).....	11.30	-	-
Oct. 31.....	14.86	59,120	+19,310
Nov. 30.....	18.07	79,580	+20,460
Dec. 31.....	19.44	89,040	+9,460
Calendar year 1948.....	-	-	-13,560
Jan. 31.....	19.52	89,610	+570
Feb. 28.....	21.04	100,600	+10,990
Mar. 31.....	27.08	149,900	+49,300
Apr. 30.....	27.73	155,800	+5,900
May 31.....	25.66	137,600	-18,200
June 30.....	22.17	109,200	-28,400
July 31.....	16.90	71,840	-37,360
Aug. 31 (upper).....	10.78	36,390	-35,450
Aug. 31 (lower).....	10.55	-	-
Sept. 30 (upper).....	7.68	22,630	-13,760
Sept. 30 (lower).....	7.45	-	-
Water year 1948-49.....	-	-	-17,180

Malheur River near Drewsey, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°47', long. 118°20', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 31, T. 20 S., R. 36 E., 300 feet downstream from crossing of Burns-Ontario highway, half a mile downstream from Cottonwood Creek, and 3 miles southeast of Drewsey. Datum of gage is 3,479.29 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929.

Drainage area.--982 square miles.

Records available.--June to December 1920, April to September 1921, June 1939 to September 1949, April to September 1923 and June 1926 to June 1939 at site 7 miles downstream.

Records practically equivalent.

Average discharge.--23 years (1926-49), 157 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 2,920 second-feet Feb. 19 (gage height, 9.8 feet); minimum, 1.8 second-feet Sept. 24, 25 (gage height, 2.42 feet).

1920-21, 1923, 1926-49: Maximum discharge, 4,290 second-feet Feb. 27, 1940 (gage height, 11.35 feet), from rating curve extended above 2,500 second-feet; no flow at times.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect, which are poor. Several small diversions above station for irrigation.

Revisions (water year).--W 1093: 1927.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

Oct. 1 to Feb. 19

Feb. 20 to Sept. 30

2.7	19	3.6	157	5.5	680	2.4	1.5	2.9	29	3.9	220
2.8	27	3.9	225	6.2	930	2.5	3.0	3.0	41	4.3	320
3.0	49	4.3	325	7.0	1,270	2.6	6.5	3.2	70	4.8	460
3.3	97	4.8	460	7.8	1,670	2.7	15	3.4	108		
						2.8	20	3.7	170		

Note.--Same as preceding table above 4.8 feet.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	22	56	56	b50	b45	282	275	496	218	16	3.7	2.7
2	22	74	57			312	332	556	192	16	3.4	2.7
3	26	76	76			322	358	628	168	15	3.4	2.7
4	29	79	68			415	391	556	150	14	3.7	2.7
5	30	71	62			517	466	475	134	13	3.7	2.8
6	37	68	73	b50	b45	442	550	415	124	12	3.0	3.4
7	41	65	66			388	628	362	118	12	3.0	2.8
8	43	48	68			345	676	348	112	12	3.0	2.8
9	43	33	62			290	673	342	100	12	4.0	2.8
10	39	52	*65			262	698	348	79	11	4.4	2.8
11	41	63	73	b50	b45	328	764	362	58	10	4.8	2.8
12	42	63	134			388	869	379	54	11	3.4	2.8
13	39	63	99			409	930	382	52	11	3.0	2.8
14	49	62	88			397	774	406	44	10	2.8	2.8
15	49	73	81			457	750	484	39	9.8	2.8	2.8
16	44	63	b79	b50	b45	478	746	487	36	9.1	2.7	3.0
17	44	66	b76			538	806	448	35	9.1	2.7	3.4
18	44	63	b55			673	876	427	34	9.1	2.6	3.4
19	45	52	45			1,630	894	934	38	8.4	2.4	3.7
20	48	68	47			799	750	1,060	388	34	2.6	2.8
21	48	68	b56	b45	b45	403	592	934	382	29	8.4	2.4
22	48	66	b84			338	511	816	330	28	8.4	2.4
23	49	71	b81			475	562	771	305	27	7.8	2.7
24	48	69	b68			439	442	750	275	25	6.5	2.8
25	48	74	b60			320	388	736	250	24	6.5	2.8
26	48	69	b68	b50	b45	290	350	662	232	23	6.2	2.7
27	48	80	b70			292	342	592	225	21	5.4	2.6
28	50	b52	b70			290	312	556	218	20	5.1	2.7
29	50	b56	b70			-	280	541	225	19	4.4	3.0
30	53	57	b60			-	280	532	242	17	3.7	3.0
31	-	-	b50			-	270	-	225	-	3.7	2.8

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,315	53	22	42.4	2,610
November.....	1,900	79	33	65.3	3,770
December.....	2,167	134	45	69.9	4,300
Calendar year 1948	54,766.0	906	9.4	150	108,600
January.....	1,470	-	-	47.4	2,920
February.....	7,756	1,630	-	277	15,380
March.....	13,216	894	262	426	26,210
April.....	20,446	1,060	275	682	40,550
May.....	11,588	628	218	374	22,380
June.....	2,047	218	17	68.2	4,060
July.....	295.0	18	3.7	9.52	585
August.....	95.0	4.8	2.4	3.06	188
September.....	88.5	7.8	2.1	2.95	176
Water year 1948-49	62,381.5	1,630	2.1	171	123,700

Peak discharge (base, 800 sec.-ft.).--Feb. 19 (1:30 a.m.) 2,920 sec.-ft.; Mar. 19 (1:30 p.m.) 938 sec.-ft.; Apr. 13 (3 a.m.) 1,010 sec.-ft.; Apr. 20 (6 a.m.) 1,120 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Malheur River below Warmsprings Reservoir, near Riverside, Oreg.

Location.--Hook gage, lat. 43°34', long. 118°12', in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 17, T. 23 S., R. 37 E., 1 mile downstream from Warmsprings Dam, 3 miles upstream from South Fork, and 4 miles northwest of Riverside.

Drainage area.--1,100 square miles.

Records available.--December 1914 to July 1917, March 1919 to September 1949. January 1906 to March 1907 and December 1908 to September 1910 at site at Riverside, 4 miles downstream in reports of Geological Survey. October 1910 to November 1914 at site at Riverside, in reports of State engineer.

Average discharge.--37 years (1909-16, 1919-49), 172 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 620 second-feet June 14-29 (gage height, 5.14 feet); minimum daily, 1 second-foot Oct. 1 to Nov. 30, Feb. 20 to Apr. 14. 1906-7, 1908-17, 1919-49: Maximum discharge observed, 5,490 second-feet Mar. 2, 1910 (gage height, 10.7 feet, former site and datum), from rating curve extended above 820 second-feet; no flow at times.

Remarks.--Records good above 300 second-feet, fair below except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are poor. Gage read once daily. Flow completely regulated since November 1919 by Warmsprings Reservoir (see p. 163). Several small diversions above station for irrigation.

Revisions (water years).--W 833: 1936. W 1063: 1942-45.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	
1	1							405	332	600	346	246	
2	1							405	306	600	328	246	
3								405	290	600	342	246	
4								405	266	600	373	246	
5								405	242	595	373	223	
6								405	250	580	386	192	
7								405	306	580	391	186	
8	al						al	405	350	575	391	162	
9								405	405	570	391	132	
10					a2			405	450	570	391	128	
11								405	530	570	391	128	
12	1							405	560	560	391	112	
13								405	560	545	391	103	
14								405	595	535	391	97	
15								405	620	510	391	76	
16		al	a2	a2		al		195	405	620	500	391	68
17								206	405	620	485	391	68
18								250	405	620	485	391	68
19								250	405	620	460	391	68
20								250	405	620	425	391	80
21								250	386	620	410	391	88
22	al							250	355	620	386	391	84
23								282	314	620	386	373	66
24						al		310	262	620	386	364	46
25								310	286	620	386	364	30
26								346	310	620	378	364	18
27								378	324	620	360	328	13
28								386	368	620	346	310	9
29						-		405	368	615	346	290	5
30						-		405	368	600	346	270	5
31						-		-	355	-	346	262	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	31	-	-	1.0	61
November.....	30	-	-	1	60
December.....	62	-	-	2	123
Calendar year 1948.....	54,530	615	0	149	108,200
January.....	62	-	-	2	123
February.....	47	-	-	1.7	93
March.....	31	-	-	1	61
April.....	4,585	405	-	152	9,050
May.....	11,796	405	262	381	23,400
June.....	15,337	620	242	511	30,420
July.....	15,021	600	346	485	29,790
August.....	11,329	391	262	365	22,470
September.....	3,239	246	5	108	6,420
Water year 1948-49.....	61,550	620	-	169	122,100

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of measured flow Oct. 12 and observer's estimates of leakage.

Malheur River at Little Valley, near Hope, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°54', long. 117°30', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 24, T. 19 S., R. 42 E., at Little Valley, 8 miles southwest of Hope and 13 miles southwest of Vale. Datum of gage is 2,424.12 feet above sea level, datum of 1929, supplementary adjustment of 1947.

Drainage area.--3,010 square miles.

Records available.--April to September 1949. May 1919 to September 1949 at site 4 miles downstream, published as Malheur River near Hope; records equivalent except during irrigation seasons when return flow from Vale-Oregon Canal enters river between sites.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge April to September 1949, 1,160 second-feet May 19 (gage height, 4.66 feet), from rating curve extended above 330 second-feet on basis of peak discharge at station near Hope; minimum, 45 second-feet Sept. 25.
The two greatest floods known occurred in March 1894 and March 1910.

Remarks.--Records good. Vale-Oregon Canal diverts at Namorf; no other large diversions above station, but many small ones. Flow regulated by Warm Springs and Agency Valley Reservoirs (see p. 163).

Rating table, April to September 1949 (gage height, in feet,
and discharge, in second-feet)
(Backwater from moss Aug. 15 to Sept. 30)

1.9	40	2.5	170
2.0	56	2.8	265
2.1	75	3.1	380
2.3	119		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1							-	332	165	221	67	98
2							-	344	147	230	64	81
3							-	328	142	237	64	90
4							-	308	117	248	66	105
5							-	308	112	251	79	119
6							-	308	94	240	114	108
7							-	293	77	224	119	88
8							-	290	86	227	139	81
9							-	286	114	224	162	81
10							-	276	134	224	179	94
11							-	282	129	237	200	86
12							-	290	160	234	203	79
13							-	282	182	224	188	98
14							-	286	203	215	179	77
15							-	324	227	206	182	73
16							-	336	237	191	162	69
17							290	312	240	191	152	66
18							244	272	230	176	157	60
19							248	304	254	185	152	58
20							268	293	279	179	152	53
21							265	272	258	165	152	53
22							237	197	254	154	152	53
23							230	182	258	122	147	48
24							265	173	268	122	154	48
25							296	110	262	119	144	46
26							282	88	248	114	132	48
27							290	110	244	103	139	51
28							296	114	251	101	132	56
29							300	144	258	77	132	62
30							316	188	251	66	132	51
31							-	154	-	67	108	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....					
November.....					
December.....					
Calendar year					
January.....	-	-	-	-	-
February.....	-	-	-	-	-
March.....	-	-	-	-	-
April 17-30.....	3,827	316	230	273	7,590
May.....	7,786	344	88	251	15,440
June.....	5,881	279	77	196	11,660
July.....	5,574	251	66	180	11,060
August.....	4,304	203	64	139	8,540
September.....	2,180	119	46	72.7	4,320
The period.....	-	-	-	-	58,610

MALHEUR RIVER BASIN

Malheur River near Hope, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°57', long. 117°29', in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 5, T. 19 S., R. 43 E., half a mile upstream from intake of Vines Canal and 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles west of Hope.

Drainage area.--3,030 square miles.

Records available.--May 1919 to September 1949 (incomplete prior to October 1922), discontinued.

Average discharge.--26 years (1922-25, 1926-49), 211 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,180 second-feet May 19; maximum gage height, 3.88 feet Feb. 13 (affected by ice); minimum discharge, 19 second-feet Nov. 8, 16-18 (gage height, 0.63 foot).

1919-49: Maximum discharge, 8,100 second-feet Feb. 5, 1925 (gage height, 8.1 feet), from rating curve extended above 3,000 second-feet; minimum, 3.5 second-feet Sept. 2, 1919 (gage height, 0.02 foot).

The two greatest floods known occurred in March 1894 and March 1910.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height, which are poor. Vale-Oregon Canal diverts at Namorff; no other large diversions above station, but many small ones. Flow regulated by Warm Springs and Agency Valley Reservoirs (see following page).

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

0.6	17	1.0	55	1.8	245
.7	24	1.2	86	2.0	330
.8	33	1.4	128	2.2	440
.9	43	1.6	180		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	84	32	b40			a175	110	316	153	217	103	112
2	91	31	b42			*169	112	335	140	228	81	101
3	80	27	45			166	112	321	133	231	72	119
4	76	24	b41			180	119	298	114	245	72	146
5	73	24	b42			198	126	303	107	242	83	164
6	72	26	b33			210	110	316	90	234	123	164
7	68	22	b43		a30	198	123	294	86	220	130	126
8	64	20	44			172	136	281	81	220	150	114
9	61	23	b48			153	92	281	112	220	169	110
10	60	23	49			133	136	269	133	220	177	112
11	58	23	53			123	143	273	121	231	192	103
12	56	20	b52			126	94	285	148	234	201	114
13	55	22	b50			133	117	277	177	224	186	116
14	51	22	b50		b35	143	214	277	189	214	177	97
15	53	21	*b47		b50	150	198	326	220	204	183	92
16	53	20	b45		b100	164	207	340	231	189	172	78
17	50	19	b40		a250	189	261	334	234	201	158	75
18	41	20	b35		a350	195	230	312	228	198	166	72
19	38	23	b25		a400	245	228	331	242	201	169	70
20	36	28	b25		a300	281	253	303	277	186	172	67
21	33	42	b30		a250	269	242	277	249	172	175	64
22	31	44	b40		a200	224	220	204	245	161	180	61
23	30	43	a45		a250	136	214	175	249	126	175	60
24	29	42	a40		a230	186	238	166	261	126	180	58
25	28	42	a35		a210	177	277	103	253	123	172	55
26	28	41	a40		a200	146	265	83	238	123	158	54
27	33	40	a40		a190	175	269	99	238	123	166	61
28	37	42	a40		a180	164	281	101	242	130	161	70
29	36	40	a40		-	130	281	136	253	110	164	a75
30	27	b40	a35		-	123	308	175	249	101	161	a65
31	26	-	a30		-	116	-	153	-	101	121	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,548	84	26	49.9	3,070
November.....	886	44	19	29.5	1,760
December.....	1,264	53	25	40.8	2,510
Calendar year 1948	38,264	300	16	105	75,890
January.....	930	-	-	30	1,840
February.....	3,535	400	-	126	7,010
March.....	5,349	281	116	173	10,610
April.....	5,706	308	92	190	11,320
May.....	7,740	340	83	250	15,350
June.....	5,693	277	81	190	11,290
July.....	5,755	245	101	186	11,410
August.....	4,749	201	72	153	9,420
September.....	2,773	164	54	92.4	5,500
Water year 1948-49	45,928	400	19	126	91,090

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of records for stations at Drewsey and Little Valley and North Fork Malheur River above Agency Valley Reservoir, near Beulah.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Reservoirs in Malheur River Basin, Oreg.

Warmsprings Reservoir.--Tape gage, lat. 43°35', long. 118°12', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 8, T. 23 S., R. 37 E., at dam on Malheur River, 4 miles upstream from South Fork and 4 miles northwest of Riverside. Datum of gage is 3,327 feet above mean sea level (surveys of Bureau of Reclamation); gage readings have been reduced to elevations above mean sea level. Drainage area, 1,100 square miles. Records available, January 1920 to September 1949. Maximum contents observed during year, 99,310 acre-feet May 5 (elevation, 3,382.70 feet); minimum observed, 70 acre-feet Sept. 28-30 (elevation, 3,328.30 feet). Maximum contents observed during period 1920-49, 196,000 acre-feet Apr. 7, 1942 (elevation, 3,407.08 feet); no contents Sept. 18 to Nov. 1, 1929, Aug. 26 to sometime in November 1935.

Reservoir is formed by concrete-arch dam; capacity, 191,000 acre-feet between elevations 3,327 feet (bottom of outlet tunnel) and 3,406 feet (top of 5-foot flashboards). Dead storage, 1,400 acre-feet below elevation 3,327 feet. Records given herein represent contents above elevation 3,327 feet. Storage began in 1919. In 1926 a half interest in reservoir was purchased by the Federal Government for Vale project of Bureau of Reclamation. Water used to irrigate lands on both sides of river between Namorf and Ontario. Once-daily gage readings and data for computing capacity table furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Agency Valley Reservoir.--Pressure gage with mercury column, lat. 43°55', long. 118°09', in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 15, T. 19 S., R. 37 E., at dam on North Fork Malheur River, a quarter of a mile northwest of Beulah. Gage readings are elevations above mean sea level by original surveys of Bureau of Reclamation, or 7.72 feet less than elevations above mean sea level, datum of 1929. Drainage area, 420 square miles. Records available, December 1935 to September 1949. Maximum contents observed during year, 58,550 acre-feet Apr. 22 (elevation, 3,339.27 feet); minimum observed, 10,160 acre-feet Sept. 30 (elevation, 3,301.80 feet). Maximum contents observed during period 1935-49, 62,770 acre-feet May 3, 1941 (elevation, 3,341.50 feet); minimum observed since full capacity was attained Apr. 9, 1938, that of Sept. 30, 1949.

Reservoir is formed by earth-fill, rock-faced dam; storage began in December 1935. Capacity, 59,920 acre-feet between elevations 3,263.21 feet (bottom of outlet tunnel) and 3,340 feet (top of 17-foot spillway gates); with gates lowered the capacity is 32,220 acre-feet. No dead storage. Water is used for irrigation of lands below Juntura, on Vale project of Bureau of Reclamation. Capacity table and daily gage readings furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Other reservoirs.--There are several other reservoirs in the Malheur River Basin, all with less than 3,500 acre-feet capacity except Willow Creek No. 3 Reservoir near Malheur, which has a capacity of 49,000 acre-feet.

Monthly elevation and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Warmsprings Reservoir			Agency Valley Reservoir		
	Elevation (feet)*	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)	Elevation (feet)*	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30.....	-	al,340	-	3,319.35	27,440	-
Oct. 31.....	-	a4,670	+3,330	3,316.95	24,510	-2,930
Nov. 30.....	-	a8,950	+4,280	3,320.01	26,260	+3,750
Dec. 31.....	-	al3,120	+4,170	3,322.70	31,820	+5,560
Calendar year 1948...	-	-	-4,180	-	-	-160
Jan. 31.....	-	al4,300	+1,180	3,325.05	35,100	+3,280
Feb. 28.....	-	a34,890	+20,590	3,328.67	40,480	+5,390
Mar. 31.....	3,371.40	64,150	+29,270	3,336.48	53,440	+12,960
Apr. 30.....	3,382.40	98,320	+34,160	3,336.63	57,350	+3,910
May 31.....	3,382.35	98,160	-160	3,337.96	56,120	-1,230
June 30.....	3,372.65	67,780	-30,380	3,334.15	49,340	-6,780
July 31.....	3,359.15	33,420	-34,360	3,328.19	39,740	-9,600
Aug. 31.....	3,342.74	7,790	-25,630	3,317.72	25,440	-14,300
Sept. 30.....	3,328.30	70	-7,720	3,301.80	10,160	-15,280
Water year 1948-49...	-	-	-1,270	-	-	-17,280

† Gage reading observed about 10 a.m.

* Gage reading observed about 8 a.m.

a No gage-height record; contents interpolated.

North Fork Malheur River above Agency Valley Reservoir, near Beulah, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°58', long. 118°11', in sec. 33, T. 18 S., R. 37 E., at H. W. Scott's ranch, 3 miles upstream from Warm Springs Creek and 4 miles northwest of Agency Valley Dam and Beulah.

Drainage area.--355 square miles.

Records available.--January to September 1914, June 1936 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--13 years, 123 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 623 second-feet Apr. 20 (gage height, 3.11 feet); minimum, 22 second-feet Nov. 8, 9.
1914, 1936-49: Maximum discharge recorded, 1,010 second-feet Feb. 12, 1947; maximum gage height, 4.60 feet Mar. 26, 1940; minimum discharge recorded, 12 second-feet Jan. 27, 1948, but may have been less at times during periods of ice effect.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. A few diversions above station for irrigation.

Revisions (water years).--W 883: 1938(M). W 1093: 1944(m).

Rating tables, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

Oct. 1 to Feb. 20				Feb. 21 to Sept. 30			
0.6	22	1.0	65	0.5	32	1.1	105
.7	30	1.2	95	.7	48	1.4	160
.8	40	1.5	146	.9	74	1.7	225
						3.0	590

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	56	64	70			164	172	398	189	60	44	38
2	55	77	77			140	200	434	172	58	45	38
3	53	80	76			152	200	404	158	54	44	38
4	55	68	45			158	228	365	144	54	44	38
5	64	60	56			178	282	338	131	53	43	39
6	62	57	66			158	328	320	126	53	43	40
7	61	45	65			142	356	315	126	52	42	40
8	60	38	60	a55	a40	122	365	318	120	49	43	41
9	56	53	61			107	383	332	115	48	43	41
10	55	64	65			103	413	353	107	46	44	42
11	53	57	*64			122	476	392	100	48	44	43
12	53	56	74			191	509	404	95	47	44	44
13	52	55	57			172	440	410	92	44	45	43
14	55	55	61			170	410	425	88	44	44	44
15	56	56	47		a50	204	401	470	84	43	43	44
16	55	57	29		a60	240	431	419	84	43	39	44
17	55	58	36		a60	256	485	389	83	42	36	44
18	55	a50	a40		a150	395	533	350	82	41	40	44
19	56	a40	a45		a120	416	590	325	82	41	38	44
20	56	a50	a50		a90	322	575	356	80	42	37	43
21	56	a60	a55	a50	b80	285	521	302	76	43	38	42
22	56	a65	a60	(*)	b150	280	485	278	73	42	38	41
23	55	a70	a60		b250	262	491	255	70	42	40	41
24	a70	a55	a50		b210	230	500	235	70	43	40	42
25	56	a75	a50		b200	216	476	223	68	44	39	42
26	56	a65	b55		b190	191	434	216	67	44	39	41
27	53	a60	a60		b180	180	410	211	70	45	40	41
28	53	a50	a60	a40	174	152	404	209	67	46	40	44
29	56	a55	a65		-	144	410	225	64	44	39	63
30	55	a60	a60		-	156	374	240	61	43	37	56
31	55	-	a55		-	144	-	204	-	44	-	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,729	64	52	55.8	3,430
November.....	1,770	80	38	59.0	3,510
December.....	1,779	77	29	57.4	3,530
Calendar year 1948.....	43,442	684	29	119	86,170
January.....	1,565	-	-	50.5	3,100
February.....	2,544	250	-	90.9	5,050
March.....	6,157	416	103	199	12,210
April.....	12,282	590	172	409	24,360
May.....	10,115	470	204	326	20,060
June.....	2,944	189	61	98.1	5,840
July.....	1,442	60	41	46.5	2,850
August.....	1,272	45	36	41.0	2,520
September.....	1,285	63	38	42.8	2,550
Water year 1948-49.....	44,884	590	-	123	89,020

Peak discharge (base, 400 sec.-ft.).--Mar. 18 (12 p.m.) 554 sec.-ft.; Apr. 12 (5 a.m.) 536 sec.-ft.; Apr. 20 (3 a.m.) 623 sec.-ft.; May 15 (1 a.m.) 500 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record (stage-discharge relation affected by ice during most of winter period); discharge computed on basis of records for Malheur River near Drewsey and computed inflow to Agency Valley Reservoir.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

North Fork Malheur River at Beulah, Oreg.

Location.--Staff gage, lat: 43°54', long. 118°09', in NW¼NE¼ sec. 22, T. 19 S., R. 37 E., at Beulah, a quarter of a mile downstream from Agency Valley Dam and 12 miles northwest of Juntura. Datum of gage is 3,262.47 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929.

Drainage area.--420 square miles.

Records available.--January 1936 to September 1949. March 1909 to June 1912 and November 1913 to July 1914 at site 6 miles downstream. June 1926 to December 1935 at site three-quarters of a mile downstream, below intakes of two canals with combined capacity of about 10 second-feet.

Average discharge.--14 years (1935-49), 127 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 505 second-feet Apr. 23 to May 2 (gage height, 2.70 feet); practically no flow Sept. 28.

1909-12, 1913-14, 1926-49: Maximum discharge, 7,000 second-feet (regulated by sudden storage release) May 7, 1942 (gage height, 8.4 feet, from floodmark); maximum unregulated, 5,910 second-feet Mar. 20, 1910; no flow at times; minimum prior to construction of dam, 5 second-feet Dec. 28, 1910, Jan. 26, 27, 1911.

Remarks.--Records fair except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are poor. Gage read once daily, twice daily at times. Flow regulated by Agency Valley Reservoir (see p. 163). Small diversions above station for irrigation; practically entire summer flow is diverted below station and above Juntura.

Rating table, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

0.8	53	1.7	227
1.0	82	2.0	304
1.2	116	2.3	385
1.4	156	2.7	505

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	232						116	505	227	208	181	322
2	232						116	490	227	208	181	330
3	232						116	475	215	208	198	330
4	232						116	475	203	208	225	330
5	225						116	460	189	208	247	330
6	215			1			116	427	179	208	247	330
7	215						116	427	179	208	247	330
8	215						148	427	179	208	247	330
9	215						215	412	179	208	262	330
10	215						215	400	179	208	270	330
11	203			1		2	215	400	179	208	273	330
12	196						344	400	179	208	273	314
13	196						415	400	179	196	273	288
14	196						436	400	179	181	273	273
15	66						466	400	179	181	273	273
16		1		1	2		466	400	179	181	273	257
17							463	349	198	181	273	247
18							463	312	227	181	273	247
19						2	472	312	227	181	273	247
20						2	475	294	227	181	273	247
21						2	475	227	227	181	273	247
22			1			2	490	227	227	181	273	247
23						2	505	227	227	181	273	282
24	1					2	505	227	220	181	273	309
25						8	505	227	208	181	273	325
26						116	505	227	208	181	273	314
27						116	505	227	208	181	299	299
28						116	505	227	208	181	314	358
29					-	116	505	227	208	181	314	278
30					-	116	505	227	208	181	314	257
31		-			-	116	-	227	-	181	314	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	3,101	232	-	100	6,150
November.....	30	-	-	1	60
December.....	31	-	-	1.0	61
Calendar year 1948	44,823.9	469	-	122	98,900
January.....	31	-	-	1	61
February.....	56	-	-	2	111
March.....	822	116	-	26.5	1,630
April.....	10,610	505	116	354	21,040
May.....	10,662	505	227	344	21,150
June.....	6,056	227	179	202	12,020
July.....	5,950	208	181	192	11,800
August.....	8,228	314	181	265	16,320
September.....	8,811	330	247	294	17,480
Water year 1948-49	54,390	505	-	149	107,900

Note.--No gage-height record Oct. 16 to Dec. 10, Dec. 12 to Mar. 18, Mar. 20-24; discharge interpolated or computed on basis of observer's notes and estimates of flow Dec. 11, Mar. 19.

Bully Creek near Vale, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°58', long. 117°21', in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 33, T. 18 S., R. 44 E., 5 miles southwest of Vale.

Records available.--October 1945 to September 1949 in reports of Geological Survey; March 1937 to September 1941 in reports of State engineer; October 1941 to September 1945 in files of State engineer. August 1903 to March 1907, February 1910 to May 1917, March 1922 to June 1923 at site 9 miles upstream, in reports of Geological Survey; February to June 1919 in reports of State engineer. April 1904 to December 1905 at site at Vale, 6 miles downstream, in reports of Geological Survey; May to September 1938 in files of State engineer. April 1933 to May 1936 (fragmentary) at site 3 miles upstream, in files of State engineer. Records at various sites not equivalent because of diversions and increasing return flow from Vale-Oregon Canal since 1931.

Average discharge.--13 years (1933-34, 1937-49), 39.6 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 310 second-feet Mar. 23; maximum gage height, 3.4 feet Feb. 16 (ice jam); minimum daily discharge, 3 second-feet Jan. 11, 12, 24-26. 1903-7, 1910-17, 1919, 1922-23, 1933-49: Maximum discharge, 6,240 second-feet Mar. 1, 1910 (gage height, 8.6 feet, site and datum then in use), from rating curve extended above 1,200 second-feet; no flow at times.

Remarks.--Records fair except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Occasional fluctuations caused by releases from Vale-Oregon Canal of Vale-Oregon Irrigation District, which diverts water from Malheur River for irrigation of lands west of Vale; considerable return flow at times enters Bully Creek above station. Small diversions above station for irrigation.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by employees of Vale-Oregon Irrigation District.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	10	11	5	a5	a4	*31	48	21	20	15	14	14
2	10	12	6	a6	a5	33	74	22	18	14	13	13
3	10	11	7	a5	a5	34	69	25	17	14	13	12
4	10	10	6	a4	a6	34	40	24	16	15	13	20
5	10	10	5	a4	a7	46	16	22	28	14	13	29
6	10	9	4	a4	a6	52	52	21	40	15	13	32
7	11	9	6	a5	a7	47	34	24	16	13	13	31
8	11	9	4	a5	a7	41	22	35	15	14	19	31
9	11	9	6	a5	a7	36	27	30	11	14	19	34
10	11	9	5	a4	a10	32	26	24	12	12	12	36
11	11	9	6	a3	a20	29	18	20	11	13	11	36
12	10	9	8	a3	a22	31	17	15	13	14	12	35
13	11	9	8	a4	*b20	37	16	14	13	13	13	24
14	10	9	*8	a4	a30	38	12	16	18	13	14	17
15	10	8	6	a5	a40	38	11	18	19	13	12	16
16	10	8	5	a6	b50	41	10	43	13	12	13	16
17	10	8	5	a5	b40	50	11	17	16	12	20	16
18	10	6	b5	a4	b35	65	12	15	15	14	27	16
19	10	6	5	a4	b41	102	42	14	17	13	25	14
20	10	8	5	a5	b30	100	35	34	17	14	14	13
21	10	8	b4	a5	23	86	14	38	16	13	12	13
22	10	10	b4	a5	b22	80	12	29	16	11	19	12
23	9	9	a4	a4	b41	118	12	78	13	10	14	12
24	8	7	a4	a3	67	97	12	36	13	12	12	11
25	8	7	a4	a3	52	76	12	23	12	11	19	10
26	8	6	a5	a3	41	65	16	20	12	10	21	23
27	8	6	a5	a4	40	57	14	17	15	20	17	20
28	9	6	a5	a5	38	52	14	21	15	22	24	17
29	8	6	a6	a5	-	100	15	26	14	15	27	11
30	8	5	a6	a4	-	100	17	20	14	13	25	11
31	8	-	a5	a4	-	82	-	22	-	13	16	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	300	11	8	9.7	595
November.....	251	12	5	8.4	498
December.....	167	8	4	5.4	331
Calendar year 1948.....	5,142	22	4	8.6	6,230
January.....	135	6	3	4.4	268
February.....	716	67	4	25.6	1,420
March.....	1,828	118	29	59.0	3,630
April.....	730	74	10	24.3	1,450
May.....	784	78	14	25.3	1,560
June.....	485	40	11	16.2	962
July.....	421	22	10	13.6	835
August.....	507	27	11	16.4	1,010
September.....	595	36	10	19.8	1,180
Water year 1948-49.....	6,919	118	3	19.0	13,740

Peak discharge (base, 130 sec.-ft.).--Feb. 16 (7:30 p.m.) discharge unknown; Mar. 23 (12 m.) 310 sec.-ft.; May 20 (10 p.m.) 130 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Malheur River near Hope.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

South Fork Payette River at Lowman, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°05', long. 115°37'30", in SW¹ sec. 27, T. 9 N., R. 7 E., 1,200 feet upstream from Rock Creek, half a mile northwest of Lowman post office, and 4,100 feet downstream from Clear Creek. Altitude of gage, 3,790 feet (from river-profile map).

Drainage area.--456 square miles.

Records available.--May 1941 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 4,530 second-feet May 16; maximum gage height, 6.70 feet Jan. 29 (ice jam); minimum daily discharge, 220 second-feet Dec. 26, Feb. 13; minimum gage height, 2.60 feet Dec. 18.
1941-49: Maximum discharge, 5,250 second-feet May 28, 1948 (gage height, 6.73 feet); minimum, 148 second-feet Dec. 9, 1944 (gage height, 2.40 feet).

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of ice effect, which are fair. No regulation. Several small diversions for irrigation and placer mining, the return flow from which enters river above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	338	363	323	260	240	290	406	1,600	3,070	1,120	494	348
2	333	458	348	250	240	310	464	1,620	2,690	1,100	488	348
3	328	464	363	240	240	320	488	1,490	2,460	1,080	488	343
4	358	395	328	230	240	320	567	1,440	2,360	1,080	476	343
5	434	358	323	230	240	350	697	1,370	2,510	1,100	470	348
6	368	353	323	240	240	358	790	1,410	2,860	1,140	464	343
7	358	318	328	250	240	323	898	1,560	3,130	1,050	458	338
8	358	287	328	260	240	318	756	1,790	3,210	998	452	328
9	348	310	318	250	240	318	916	2,130	3,240	970	446	328
10	338	353	333	240	240	310	970	2,440	3,290	925	452	328
11	333	328	333	250	240	310	1,120	2,810	3,400	898	470	353
12	328	328	333	260	230	323	1,260	3,160	3,340	871	452	353
13	323	323	328	260	220	323	1,060	3,390	2,930	853	440	343
14	323	318	323	260	230	323	934	3,620	2,640	826	422	333
15	338	358	333	260	240	338	934	3,920	2,440	808	417	328
16	338	343	296	270	250	353	1,040	4,420	2,310	782	406	338
17	333	338	250	270	250	368	1,220	4,080	2,080	748	406	343
18	328	287	250	280	260	368	1,450	3,800	1,890	714	406	338
19	323	328	305	270	260	378	1,540	3,520	1,840	689	395	328
20	323	338	338	260	270	417	1,370	3,260	1,770	665	384	323
21	318	323	310	250	290	406	1,240	2,990	1,680	649	384	318
22	318	323	270	250	270	395	1,280	2,870	1,680	625	378	318
23	314	*314	250	250	280	*384	1,420	2,720	1,640	611	390	314
24	314	338	240	*240	270	384	1,620	2,640	1,570	596	390	310
25	314	328	250	240	270	395	1,710	2,750	1,560	582	373	305
26	314	328	220	250	270	390	1,680	3,020	1,500	575	368	305
27	310	310	240	260	280	373	1,730	3,310	1,370	553	363	305
28	310	314	260	250	280	358	1,840	3,680	1,280	546	363	318
29	314	300	270	230	-	348	1,940	3,760	1,240	527	363	353
30	310	254	260	240	-	353	1,770	3,640	1,180	514	358	333
31	318	-	250	230	-	368	-	3,390	-	508	353	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	10,305	434	310	332	0.728	0.84	20,440
November	10,080	464	254	336	0.737	.82	19,990
December	9,224	363	220	298	.654	.75	18,300
Calendar year 1948	309,722	4,910	190	846	1.86	25.27	614,300
January	7,780	280	230	251	.550	.63	15,430
February	7,060	290	220	252	.553	.58	14,000
March	10,832	417	390	349	.765	.88	21,480
April	35,110	1,940	406	1,170	2.57	2.86	69,640
May	87,600	4,420	1,370	2,826	6.20	7.14	173,800
June	68,140	3,400	1,180	2,271	4.98	5.56	135,200
July	24,703	1,140	508	797	1.75	2.01	49,000
August	12,963	494	353	418	.917	1.06	25,710
September	9,954	353	305	332	.728	.81	19,740
Water year 1948-49	293,751	4,420	220	805	1.77	23.96	582,700

Peak discharge (base, 2,500 sec.-ft.)--May 16 (4 a.m.) 4,530 sec.-ft.; May 28 (11 p.m.) 3,850 sec.-ft.; June 11 (10 p.m.) 3,460 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 24 to Mar. 5.

PAYETTE RIVER BASIN

South Fork Payette River near Garden Valley, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°04', long. 115°56', in sec. 1, T. 8 N., R. 4 E., at Garden Valley ranger station, 300 feet upstream from Station Creek, 2.7 miles south-east of Garden Valley, and 5.9 miles upstream from Middle Fork. Altitude of gage, 3,090 feet (from river-profile map).

Drainage area.--779 square miles.

Records available.--May 1921 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--25 years (1924-49), 1,227 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 7,560 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 6.40 feet); minimum recorded, 279 second-feet Nov. 30 (gage height, 1.46 feet), but was probably less during period of ice effect; minimum daily, 280 second-feet Dec. 26.

1921-49: Maximum discharge observed, 10,600 second-feet May 26, 1928 (gage height, 8.0 feet); minimum, 75 second-feet Dec. 15, 1935, Jan. 26, 1936 (gage height, 0.07 foot), from rating curve extended below 280 second-feet; minimum daily, 196 second-feet Dec. 10, 1944.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect, which are fair. Practically no diversions above station. Since Nov. 2, 1930, flow has been regulated by Deadwood Reservoir (see p. 174).

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	782	468	368	320	310	495	609	2,500	5,130	2,120	642	982
2	658	634	454	310	310	509	701	2,540	4,250	2,110	968	1,050
3	577	667	482	300	310	516	745	2,440	3,220	2,220	1,630	1,050
4	584	569	428	290	310	516	847	2,260	3,060	2,280	642	1,070
5	634	488	416	290	310	546	1,050	2,160	3,200	2,420	600	1,120
6	502	468	416	300	310	584	1,170	2,200	3,580	2,130	584	1,180
7	468	428	422	310	310	577	1,330	2,400	3,900	1,320	592	1,140
8	468	368	422	330	310	546	1,280	2,740	3,970	1,230	819	1,200
9	454	368	410	310	310	539	1,380	3,250	4,000	1,160	791	1,260
10	441	447	428	290	310	524	1,470	3,780	4,040	1,130	810	1,470
11	435	447	435	300	310	531	1,800	4,290	4,130	1,080	953	1,690
12	428	441	475	310	300	546	2,660	4,860	4,040	1,050	943	1,680
13	422	435	441	320	290	562	2,520	5,260	3,580	1,020	904	1,600
14	416	422	428	330	300	577	2,500	5,480	3,200	1,000	895	1,630
15	422	488	435	330	315	600	2,520	5,780	2,930	972	885	1,530
16	428	468	385	340	330	634	2,670	6,890	2,740	943	895	1,550
17	428	461	330	340	350	667	2,900	7,200	2,490	914	943	1,540
18	428	391	320	350	390	658	3,250	6,700	2,260	895	866	1,470
19	422	397	390	340	425	684	3,150	6,280	2,190	866	895	1,480
20	416	454	430	320	460	745	2,220	5,940	2,130	837	828	1,560
21	410	435	400	320	509	745	1,920	5,500	1,980	819	772	1,800
22	410	422	360	320	461	701	1,940	5,070	1,950	791	810	1,510
23	404	422	330	320	*502	684	2,250	4,730	1,980	772	828	1,190
24	404	*454	300	300	488	667	2,500	4,470	1,950	754	828	1,240
25	404	428	320	*290	468	675	2,680	4,500	1,950	754	810	1,280
26	404	422	280	305	468	658	2,610	4,820	1,960	737	800	1,290
27	397	397	300	325	475	625	2,680	5,190	1,910	728	800	1,350
28	397	397	320	310	482	577	2,870	5,620	2,070	710	875	1,350
29	404	385	340	300	-	554	3,010	5,900	2,020	684	934	1,260
30	404	317	330	310	-	569	2,780	5,860	2,090	667	924	1,160
31	410	-	310	300	-	562	-	5,640	-	650	924	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	14,261	782	397	460	28,290
November.....	13,388	667	317	446	26,550
December.....	11,905	482	280	384	23,610
Calendar year 1948	507,828	7,670	280	1,388	1,007,000
January.....	9,730	350	290	314	19,300
February.....	10,423	509	290	372	20,670
March.....	18,573	745	495	599	36,840
April.....	61,992	3,250	609	2,066	123,000
May.....	142,250	7,200	2,160	4,589	282,100
June.....	87,900	5,130	910	2,930	174,300
July.....	35,643	2,420	650	1,150	70,700
August.....	26,390	1,630	584	851	52,340
September.....	40,682	1,800	982	1,356	80,690
Water year 1948-49	473,137	7,200	280	1,296	938,400

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice most of period Dec. 17 to Feb. 20 (no gage-height record Dec. 21 to Jan. 24, Jan. 26 to Feb. 20; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for stations at Lowman and near Banks).

South Fork Payette River near Banks, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°05'30", long. 116°06', in sec. 28, T. 9 N., R. 3 E., 1 mile upstream from North Fork Payette River and 1½ miles northeast of Banks. Altitude of gage, 2,805 feet (from river-profile map).

Drainage area.--1,200 square miles.

Records available.--August 1921 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--28 years, 1,639 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 10,100 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 9.25 feet); minimum daily, 340 second-feet Dec. 26, 1921-49: Maximum discharge, 13,800 second-feet May 17, 1927 (gage height, 10.6 feet, from floodmarks); minimum, about 225 second-feet Dec. 15, 1935, Jan. 26, 1936, Dec. 26, 1939.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Small diversions above station for irrigation. Since Nov. 2, 1930, flow has been regulated by Deadwood Reservoir (see p. 174).

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

0.2	345	2.0	1,390	6.0	5,390
1.0	485	3.0	2,160	7.0	6,760
1.0	750	4.0	3,100	8.0	8,210
1.5	1,050	5.0	4,150	9.0	9,720

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	936	668	485	480		800	1,090	4,000	6,690	2,400	780	1,040
2	816	924	678	450		840	1,260	4,100	5,670	2,360	816	1,130
3	739	978	717	400		894	1,360	3,960	4,330	2,360	1,920	1,130
4	739	852	646	350		918	1,550	3,660	4,080	2,430	804	1,140
5	888	690	596	350		978	1,880	3,460	4,210	2,600	728	1,200
6	712	662	602	400	450	1,110	2,160	3,520	4,590	2,550	717	1,250
7	656	618	624	450		1,080	2,470	3,780	4,890	1,570	700	1,240
8	651	520	618	470		1,040	2,380	4,260	4,830	1,460	894	1,230
9	634	510	607	430		1,010	2,620	4,960	4,870	1,400	894	1,310
10	618	607	629	380		978	2,700	5,790	4,850	1,350	888	1,460
11	602	651	629	400		996	3,110	6,560	4,930	1,300	1,040	1,800
12	596	634	722	430	400	1,040	4,100	7,340	4,790	1,260	1,030	1,820
13	585	618	684	450	380	1,090	3,710	7,820	4,230	1,230	1,000	1,700
14	585	596	656	450	430	1,130	3,530	8,060	3,800	1,200	990	1,750
15	590	700	656	460	450	1,200	3,530	8,360	3,490	1,170	978	1,650
16	596	684	585	470	500	1,240	3,750	9,360	3,290	1,130	972	1,660
17	585	662	470	480	540	1,350	4,220	9,660	3,020	1,090	1,050	1,670
18	585	580	460	490	580	1,320	4,830	8,960	2,770	1,060	960	1,590
19	585	555	530	480	620	1,430	4,920	8,340	2,680	1,030	1,000	1,580
20	585	651	620	450	680	1,530	3,780	7,920	2,670	1,000	942	1,650
21	580	634	560	450	730	1,480	3,340	7,350	2,440	984	876	1,810
22	575	602	450	450	*680	1,370	3,330	6,800	2,380	966	912	1,750
23	575	607	380	450	730	1,380	3,840	6,370	2,370	936	918	1,300
24	570	*646	370	430	700	*1,310	4,290	6,050	2,320	918	924	1,320
25	575	629	400	430	670	1,310	4,410	6,010	2,300	900	912	1,380
26	575	618	340	*480	700	1,240	4,260	6,350	2,300	882	900	1,380
27	575	585	380	500	730	1,160	4,340	6,790	2,230	870	894	1,420
28	570	585	430	450	760	1,050	4,560	7,240	2,380	846	942	1,450
29	570	565	470	420	-	990	4,750	7,600	2,290	834	1,000	1,370
30	570	412	480	450	-	1,000	4,400	7,510	2,380	810	990	1,280
31	580	-	450	430	-	1,000	-	7,240	-	792	978	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	19,598	936	570	632	38,870
November.....	19,243	978	412	641	39,170
December.....	16,924	722	340	546	33,570
Calendar year 1948.....	664,491	9,300	340	1,816	1,318,000
January.....	13,660	500	350	441	27,090
February.....	15,230	760	380	544	30,210
March.....	35,264	1,530	800	1,138	69,950
April.....	100,470	4,920	1,090	3,349	199,300
May.....	199,180	9,660	3,460	6,425	395,100
June.....	108,170	6,690	2,230	3,606	214,600
July.....	41,688	2,600	792	1,345	82,690
August.....	29,349	1,920	700	947	58,210
September.....	43,460	1,820	1,040	1,449	86,200
Water year 1948-49.....	642,236	9,660	340	1,760	1,274,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice during much of period Dec. 20 to Mar. 2 (no gage-height record Dec. 22 to Jan. 25, Jan. 27 to Feb. 20, Feb. 26 to Mar. 2; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for other stations in Payette River Basin).

Payette River near Horseshoe Bend, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°56', long. 116°11'30", in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 14, T. 7 N., R. 2 E., 100 feet east of tracks of Idaho Northern branch of Oregon Short Line Railroad and 1½ miles north of Horseshoe Bend. Datum of gage is 2,623.5 feet above mean sea level (levels by Corps of Engineers).

Drainage area.--2,230 square miles.

Records available.--November 1912 to September 1916, July 1919 to September 1949. February 1906 to November 1912 at site 2 miles upstream.

Average discharge.--38 years (1907-15, 1919-49), 3,028 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 13,600 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 7.41 feet); minimum daily, 400 second-feet Dec. 26; minimum gage height, 0.51 foot Dec. 18.

1906-16, 1919-49: Maximum discharge, 22,100 second-feet June 9, 1921 (gage height, 9.57 feet); minimum, 350 second-feet Dec. 17, 1935 (gage height, 0.26 foot), from rating curve extended below 600 second-feet.

Remarks.--Records good except those for period of ice effect, which are fair. Flow regulated by Deadwood Reservoir (see p. 174), Payette Lake (see p. 177), Lake Fork Reservoir (see p. 184) and Cascade Reservoir (see p. 179). Several diversions from tributaries above station for irrigation.

Revisions.--W 533: Drainage area.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	
1	1,310	784	562	800	1,550	1,510	2,240	6,700	10,200	2,880	3,280	2,910	
2	1,140	1,220	768	850	1,480	1,550	2,410	7,340	8,770	3,120	3,240	2,950	
3	1,120	1,410	845	700	1,400	1,610	2,600	7,200	7,410	3,040	4,230	2,900	
4	1,140	1,150	792	650	1,400	1,510	2,840	6,740	7,290	2,970	3,300	2,810	
5	1,310	854	720	650	1,400	1,720	3,340	5,420	7,360	3,130	3,190	2,830	
6	1,140	768	699	700	1,400	1,910	3,870	5,820	7,720	3,180	3,140	2,870	
7	1,490	736	720	900	1,400	*1,860	4,430	6,580	8,050	2,810	3,120	2,830	
8	1,550	615	706	1,000	1,400	1,800	4,550	7,110	7,640	3,020	3,280	2,700	
9	1,410	568	685	1,100	1,400	1,730	5,230	7,450	7,520	3,260	3,300	2,740	
10	1,300	678	720	1,200	1,400	1,580	5,460	8,300	8,030	3,470	3,280	2,770	
11	1,170	744	720	1,200	1,400	1,770	5,860	9,400	8,030	3,500	3,380	3,040	
12	1,040	736	836	1,050	1,400	1,870	7,180	10,500	7,840	3,490	3,380	3,040	
13	935	706	*800	1,000	1,400	1,900	6,560	11,000	6,670	3,420	3,330	2,900	
14	890	685	760	900	1,400	1,930	6,140	11,400	5,630	3,390	3,310	2,910	
15	706	792	752	1,110	1,450	2,000	6,160	11,600	5,170	3,470	3,280	2,740	
16	685	836	692	1,200	1,500	2,060	6,360	12,700	4,380	3,470	3,250	2,690	
17	671	784	544	1,160	1,600	2,210	6,790	13,100	3,700	3,620	3,300	2,670	
18	657	699	490	1,150	1,900	2,210	7,450	12,100	3,420	3,570	3,200	2,550	
19	692	629	601	*1,130	1,800	2,260	8,170	11,500	3,330	3,500	3,220	2,490	
20	713	736	827	1,100	1,700	2,260	7,110	11,500	3,410	3,500	3,160	2,530	
21	678	760	744	1,200	1,800	2,240	6,600	10,800	3,080	3,500	3,060	2,690	
22	678	699	615	1,400	2,000	2,360	6,560	10,400	2,970	3,500	3,060	2,780	
23	685	706	550	1,400	1,800	2,560	7,200	9,900	2,950	3,490	3,040	2,630	
24	685	728	450	1,450	1,600	2,500	7,550	9,430	2,900	3,460	3,040	2,600	
25	685	728	500	1,450	1,550	2,600	7,620	9,250	2,870	3,420	3,010	2,570	
26	692	* 713	400	1,500	1,540	2,520	7,450	9,510	2,840	3,390	2,970	2,490	
27	685	671	600	1,550	1,490	2,390	7,480	9,900	2,760	3,410	2,920	2,460	
28	671	664	860	1,600	1,480	2,210	7,290	10,400	2,870	3,390	2,940	2,600	
29	671	657	860	1,600	-	2,150	6,790	10,800	2,730	3,360	2,950	2,390	
30	685	526	700	1,600	-	2,190	6,290	10,800	2,610	3,340	2,940	2,210	
31	692	-	720	1,600	-	2,130	-	10,500	-	3,300	2,870	-	
Month						Second-foot-days		Maximum		Minimum		Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....						28,576		1,550		657		922	56,680
November.....						22,982		1,410		526		766	45,580
December.....						21,238		860		400		685	42,120
Calendar year 1948						1,202,234		14,900		400		3,285	2,385,000
January.....						35,890		1,600		650		1,158	71,190
February.....						43,040		2,000		1,400		1,537	85,370
March.....						63,100		2,600		1,510		2,035	125,200
April.....						175,580		8,170		2,240		5,853	348,300
May.....						295,150		13,100		5,420		9,521	585,400
June.....						160,350		10,200		2,730		5,345	318,000
July.....						103,370		3,620		2,810		3,335	205,000
August.....						98,940		4,230		2,870		3,192	196,200
September.....						81,290		5,040		2,210		2,710	161,200
Water year 1948-49						1,129,506		13,000		400		3,095	2,240,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 23 to Feb. 25 (no gage-height record Jan 5 to Feb. 20 except for staff-gage readings Jan. 3, 11, 16, 19, 30, Feb. 5, 13, 19; discharge computed on basis of 1 discharge measurement, staff-gage readings, weather records and records for Payette River near Emmett and North and South Forks Payette River near Banks).

Payette River near Emmett, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°56', long. 116°27', in sec. 22, T. 7 N., R. 1 W., three-eighths of a mile downstream from Black Canyon Dam and 5 miles northeast of Emmett. Records available.--June 1925 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--24 years, 2,882 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 14,000 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 9.65 feet); minimum, 22 second-feet Dec. 20 (gage height, 0.79 foot); minimum daily, 341 second-feet Dec. 27.

1925-49: Maximum discharge, 22,800 second-feet May 1, 1938 (gage height, 12.90 feet); minimum daily, 3 second-feet Jan. 10-14, Feb. 2, 22-25, 1938, when gates in dam were closed.

Revisions.--The minimum discharge for the water year 1946 has been revised to 360 second-feet Nov. 10, 11, 1945, superseding figure published in Water-Supply Paper 1063, and that for water year 1948 has been revised to 318 second-feet Dec. 17, 18, 1947, superseding figure published in Water-Supply Paper 1123.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are fair. Diversions above station for irrigation. Flow regulated by diversion at and operation of gates in Black Canyon Dam and by Cascade Reservoir (see p. 179), Deadwood Reservoir (see p. 174), Payette Lake (see p. 177), and Lake Fork Reservoir (see p. 184).

Cooperation.--Gage-height record collected in cooperation with Bureau of Reclamation.

Rating table, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

1.9	360	5.0	4,170
2.1	495	6.0	5,880
2.4	760	7.0	7,780
3.0	1,420	8.0	9,860
4.0	2,690	9.5	13,600

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	850	760	670	762	1,910	2,340	2,330	5,880	10,200	1,620	2,070	1,840
2	840	932	790	834	1,820	2,370	2,540	6,730	8,660	1,940	2,000	1,940
3	665	1,200	1,120	876	1,700	2,610	2,930	6,720	6,980	1,790	2,750	1,880
4	665	1,450	1,120	a760	1,710	2,620	3,250	6,130	6,940	1,700	2,190	1,840
5	820	1,210	993	a660	1,590	2,770	3,740	4,900	6,940	1,860	1,890	1,790
6	780	771	945	657	1,610	2,790	4,310	4,950	7,280	1,900	1,830	1,840
7	1,020	773	1,010	727	1,500	2,890	5,080	5,880	7,540	1,710	1,760	1,850
8	1,240	793	1,010	1,190	1,560	2,720	5,140	6,320	7,380	1,640	1,910	1,740
9	1,170	696	1,070	1,270	1,540	2,470	5,790	7,000	6,560	1,800	1,980	1,740
10	1,020	703	1,040	1,310	1,530	2,190	5,990	7,740	7,420	2,110	1,910	1,730
11	915	566	1,080	1,410	1,720	1,650	6,260	9,000	7,320	2,170	2,030	2,030
12	840	830	1,160	a1,250	1,760	1,680	7,540	10,300	7,170	2,120	2,120	2,190
13	780	787	1,330	a1,200	1,620	1,720	6,980	10,900	6,040	2,000	2,030	1,940
14	703	767	1,200	a1,100	1,610	1,310	6,370	11,500	4,970	2,040	2,070	2,000
15	760	913	1,120	a1,100	1,620	1,600	6,190	11,700	4,330	2,060	2,040	1,900
16	732	890	993	a1,350	1,850	2,970	6,350	12,600	3,670	2,030	1,980	1,800
17	750	834	722	a1,340	2,080	3,150	6,750	13,500	2,830	2,220	2,100	1,780
18	757	784	735	a1,330	2,580	3,030	7,480	11,900	2,500	2,170	2,000	1,710
19	800	756	529	a1,320	2,910	3,340	8,160	11,100	2,330	2,080	1,950	1,650
20	863	714	889	a1,300	2,620	3,180	7,060	11,200	2,480	2,150	1,950	1,660
21	791	711	1,120	a1,350	2,220	3,100	6,320	10,500	2,190	2,220	1,890	1,700
22	702	954	966	a1,650	2,280	3,070	6,040	10,000	1,940	2,240	1,910	1,940
23	647	1,070	754	a1,600	3,000	3,280	6,790	9,550	1,900	2,220	1,890	1,940
24	652	910	568	a1,700	2,760	3,030	7,150	9,150	1,790	2,250	1,930	1,770
25	838	1,130	426	a1,650	2,420	3,120	7,230	8,920	1,780	2,170	1,880	1,830
26	666	1,150	554	a1,700	2,320	3,030	7,060	9,080	1,690	2,170	1,860	1,710
27	664	1,040	341	1,710	2,330	2,760	6,870	9,660	1,650	2,150	1,880	1,640
28	740	1,170	793	1,800	2,280	2,480	6,620	10,200	1,660	2,170	1,860	1,930
29	740	1,130	898	1,930	-	2,380	6,390	10,600	1,660	2,160	1,880	1,840
30	583	853	892	1,890	-	2,420	5,900	10,800	1,620	2,170	1,890	1,780
31	649	-	749	1,960	-	2,340	-	10,100	-	2,070	1,850	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	24,642	1,240	583	795	48,880
November.....	27,247	1,450	566	908	54,040
December.....	27,587	1,530	341	890	54,720
Calendar year 1948.....	1,154,561	15,100	341	3,155	2,290,000
January.....	40,686	1,960	657	1,312	80,700
February.....	56,450	3,000	1,500	2,016	112,000
March.....	80,410	3,540	1,510	2,594	159,500
April.....	176,590	8,160	2,330	5,886	350,300
May.....	284,510	13,500	4,900	9,178	564,300
June.....	137,410	10,200	1,620	4,580	272,500
July.....	63,100	2,250	1,620	2,035	125,200
August.....	61,280	2,750	1,760	1,977	121,500
September.....	54,940	2,190	1,640	1,831	109,000
Water year 1948-49.....	1,034,852	13,500	341	2,835	2,053,000

a No gage-height record except occasional staff-gage reading; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for stations near Horseshoe Bend and near Payette.

Payette River near Payette, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°02'30", long. 116°55'30", in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 10, T. 8 N., R. 5 W., at highway bridge, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles south of Payette.

Records available.--August 1935 to September 1949. January 1895 to July 1897 (incomplete) at site 2 miles downstream.

Average discharge.--14 years (1935-49), 3,018 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 13,200 second-feet May 17; maximum gage height, 11.18 feet Feb. 21 (ice jam); minimum discharge, 304 second-feet Dec. 27 (gage height, 4.14 feet); minimum daily, 500 second-feet Dec. 28.
1895-97, 1935-49: Maximum discharge observed, 28,300 second-feet June 4, 1896 (gage height, 9.30 feet, site and datum then in use); minimum, 180 second-feet Oct. 13, 20, 1935 (gage height, 2.04 feet); minimum daily, 220 second-feet Oct. 5, 1935.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for Nov. 1 to Dec. 15, which are good, and those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Many diversions above station for irrigation. Flow regulated by Black Canyon Dam and reservoirs on tributary streams.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Oct. 12 to Dec. 5)

Oct. 1 to Dec. 5

Dec. 6 to Sept. 30

4.5	800	4.3	480	5.4	2,030	8.0	7,090
4.7	1,060	4.4	600	6.0	3,020	9.0	9,800
5.0	1,520	4.8	1,140	7.0	4,900	9.9	12,800

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1,280	962	962	900	2,150	2,800	2,600	5,250	10,300	1,100	1,660	1,560
2	1,000	1,000	884	950	2,100	2,850	2,650	6,170	8,920	1,110	1,680	1,560
3	896	1,300	1,250	1,000	2,000	2,950	2,800	6,550	7,510	1,420	1,780	1,600
4	824	1,500	1,280	1,050	1,900	3,220	3,200	6,150	6,780	1,320	2,210	1,550
5	860	1,500	1,260	900	1,900	3,150	3,600	5,500	6,620	1,250	1,560	1,520
6	1,000	1,120	1,180	850	1,750	3,090	4,310	4,200	6,780	1,370	1,490	1,540
7	948	976	1,210	850	1,800	3,040	4,880	5,330	6,990	1,300	1,420	1,560
8	1,170	990	1,180	950	1,700	3,110	5,160	5,860	6,990	1,300	1,460	1,490
9	1,300	948	1,170	1,400	1,750	2,850	5,600	6,320	6,040	1,180	1,580	1,440
10	1,160	896	1,200	1,500	1,700	2,710	5,880	6,710	6,990	1,360	1,580	1,430
11	1,050	934	1,250	1,500	1,700	*2,030	6,100	7,870	6,760	1,620	1,600	1,540
12	934	812	1,360	1,600	2,000	2,020	6,830	9,090	6,570	1,600	1,730	1,820
13	872	1,020	1,730	1,500	2,050	2,090	7,160	9,770	5,820	1,550	1,700	1,850
14	824	920	1,380	1,450	1,900	2,050	6,320	10,400	4,700	1,480	1,680	1,760
15	800	920	1,280	1,350	1,900	1,370	5,910	10,900	3,870	1,520	1,660	1,780
16	800	1,130	1,220	1,350	2,100	2,760	5,910	11,500	3,340	1,550	1,640	1,680
17	824	976	*1,110	1,550	2,300	3,360	5,970	12,800	2,510	1,670	1,620	1,640
18	824	1,030	900	1,550	2,600	3,330	6,760	11,800	2,050	1,760	1,640	1,660
19	836	962	920	1,550	3,000	3,540	7,280	11,000	1,910	1,740	1,550	1,540
20	948	908	700	1,550	3,500	3,490	6,900	11,100	1,960	1,680	1,620	1,500
21	1,100	908	1,200	1,550	3,000	3,380	6,130	10,700	1,910	1,780	1,500	1,550
22	1,020	990	1,250	1,600	2,600	3,250	5,620	9,920	1,610	1,790	1,540	1,680
23	934	1,230	1,130	1,850	2,700	3,430	5,990	9,380	1,540	1,820	1,540	1,780
24	872	1,070	900	1,800	3,500	3,430	6,410	8,780	1,400	1,790	1,550	1,660
25	884	1,130	700	1,900	3,180	3,380	6,570	8,420	1,310	1,700	1,540	1,610
26	948	1,250	600	*1,850	2,970	3,350	6,530	8,290	1,220	1,660	1,540	1,610
27	848	1,200	700	2,000	2,880	3,200	6,300	8,700	1,220	1,720	1,520	1,520
28	848	1,090	500	2,000	2,830	3,000	6,020	9,060	1,130	1,760	1,550	1,560
29	908	1,220	1,000	2,100	-	2,700	6,100	9,620	1,150	1,760	1,550	1,800
30	908	1,120	1,050	2,100	-	2,600	5,580	9,980	1,200	1,730	1,580	1,730
31	812	-	1,050	2,100	-	2,650	-	9,860	-	1,680	1,580	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	29,232	1,300	800	943	57,980
November.....	32,012	1,500	812	1,067	63,490
December.....	33,506	1,730	500	1,061	66,460
Calendar year 1948.....	1,141,068	15,200	500	3,118	2,263,000
January.....	46,150	2,100	850	1,489	91,540
February.....	65,460	3,500	1,700	2,338	129,800
March.....	90,160	3,540	1,370	2,908	178,800
April.....	167,070	7,220	2,600	5,569	331,400
May.....	266,980	12,800	4,200	8,612	529,500
June.....	126,800	10,300	1,100	4,227	251,500
July.....	47,900	1,820	1,100	1,545	95,010
August.....	49,830	2,210	1,420	1,607	98,840
September.....	48,580	1,850	1,440	1,619	96,360
Water year 1948-49.....	1,003,680	12,800	500	2,750	1,991,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 18-20, Dec. 24 to Feb. 24; no gage-height record Jan. 30 to Feb. 9, Feb. 13-15, Mar. 26 to Apr. 5; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for station near Emmett.

Clear Creek at Lowman, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°05', long. 115°37', in SW¹/₄SE¹/₄ sec. 27, T. 9 N., R. 7 E., at highway bridge at Lowman, 550 feet upstream from mouth. Altitude of gage, 3,820 feet (from river-profile map).

Drainage area.--59.6 square miles.

Records available.--May 1941 to January 1949 (discontinued).

Extremes.--Maximum daily discharge during period, 56 second-feet Nov. 3; maximum gage height observed, 2.45 feet Dec. 20 (ice jam); minimum discharge observed, 18 second-feet Nov. 18.

1941-49: Maximum discharge observed, 754 second-feet May 31, 1943; maximum gage height observed, 6.10 feet Jan. 9, 10, 1942 (ice jam), site and datum then in use; minimum daily discharge, 16 second-feet Dec. 10, 1944.

Remarks.--Records fair except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Gage read once daily. Feeder canal for small power plant diverts about 1 mile above gage; water is returned to creek above station except that used for irrigation of small pasture adjacent to Lowman.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	36	36	a19	32								
2	36	37	b33	31								
3	a36	a56	b41	a30								
4	37	a40	b38	b28								
5	a40	a35	b36	b28								
6		45	a35	a36	b32							
7		41	a25	a36	a32							
8		37	a19	b36	29							
9		36	a25	a36	28							
10		36	a41	a36	a29							
11		a36	39	b40	29							
12		36	37	a43	a29							
13		a36	37	b41	29							
14		36	39	b38	a29							
15		34	a41	b36	29							
16		34	37	b30	29							
17		34	34	a28	a30							
18		34	18	b28	a30							
19		34	36	a33	a29							
20		34	41	b36	28							
21		a34	36	a29	29							
22		34	36	b24	29							
23		34	*32	a24	28							
24		a34	34	b27	*b28							
25		a33	a32	a28	a26							
26		a33	31	a26	28							
27		32	31	a28	28							
28		32	29	a30	a28							
29		32	b25	a32	28							
30		32	b22	34	28							
31		34	-	a33	26							

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	1,092	45	32	35.2	0.591	0.68	2,170
November	1,016	56	18	33.9	.569	.63	2,020
December	1,015	43	19	32.7	.549	.63	2,010
Calendar year 1948	35,261	692	18	96.3	1.62	21.99	69,950
January	894	32	26	28.8	.483	.56	1,770
February	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for South Fork South Fork River at Lowman and Deadwood River near Lowman.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Deadwood Reservoir near Lowman, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°18', long. 115°39', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 8, T. 11 N., R. 7 E., at dam on Deadwood River, 15 miles north of Lowman. Datum of gage is at mean sea level (levels by Bureau of Reclamation).

Drainage area.--108 square miles.

Records available.--October 1935 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum elevation observed during year, 5,334.6 feet June 26, 27; minimum observed, 5,298.6 feet Oct. 4.
1935-49: Maximum elevation observed, 5,337.1 feet June 1, 2, 1943; minimum observed, 5,260.1 feet Oct. 1, 1935.

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by concrete arch dam completed in 1930; storage began Nov. 2, 1930. Reported capacity, 160,400 acre-feet between elevations 5,230.0 feet (minimum operating level because of fish protection, 27 feet above still of emergency gate in front of needle valve) and 5,334.0 feet (crest of spillway). Storage below elevation 5,230.0 feet, about 1,500 acre-feet. Water is used to augment flow of Payette River at Black Canyon power plant near Emmett. During late fall of 1936, Bureau of Reclamation cut a transmountain canal to divert a small flow of water from a tributary of Johnson Creek in Salmon River Basin to Deadwood River Basin for supplemental storage in Deadwood Reservoir. Discharge of 3.12 second-feet measured in this canal July 20. Reservoir gage read once daily about 8 a.m.

Cooperation.--Gage-readings furnished by Bureau of Reclamation.

Elevation, in feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	298.9	300.35	302.75	304.2	305.0	306.85	309.95	309.9	325.0	333.75	333.25	327.8
2	298.8	300.45	302.8	304.25	305.05	306.95	310.05	310.5	325.0	333.4	333.3	327.45
3	298.7	300.6	302.95	304.25	305.05	307.05	310.15	311.1	325.6	333.1	332.55	327.1
4	298.6	300.8	303.0	304.3	305.1	307.15	310.25	311.6	326.1	332.65	332.55	326.7
5	298.7	300.9	303.05	304.3	305.1	307.25	310.35	312.0	326.7	332.1	332.57	326.3
6	298.85	300.95	303.1	304.35	305.15	307.35	310.45	312.5	327.3	331.5	332.6	325.8
7	298.95	301.0	303.2	304.35	305.2	307.45	310.55	313.0	328.0	331.6	332.65	326.3
8	299.0	301.05	303.25	304.4	305.25	307.55	310.65	313.45	328.6	331.7	332.55	324.9
9	299.1	301.1	303.3	304.4	305.3	307.65	310.75	314.0	329.2	331.8	332.45	324.4
10	299.2	301.15	303.35	304.45	305.35	307.75	310.85	314.75	329.8	331.9	332.35	323.7
11	299.25	301.2	303.4	304.45	305.4	307.85	311.0	315.65	330.35	332.0	332.2	322.9
12	299.3	301.25	303.5	304.5	305.45	307.95	310.6	316.7	330.9	332.1	332.0	322.0
13	299.35	301.3	303.6	304.5	305.45	308.05	310.15	317.75	331.55	332.2	331.8	321.2
14	299.4	301.35	303.65	304.55	305.5	308.15	309.45	318.9	331.7	332.25	331.6	320.3
15	299.45	301.45	303.7	304.55	305.55	308.25	308.8	320.0	332.1	332.35	331.45	319.5
16	299.5	301.6	303.75	304.6	305.6	308.35	308.05	321.4	332.45	332.45	331.25	318.7
17	299.55	301.65	303.8	304.6	305.65	308.45	307.35	321.7	332.7	332.55	331.0	317.9
18	299.6	301.7	303.8	304.65	305.7	308.55	306.55	321.9	333.0	332.55	330.8	317.1
19	299.6	301.75	303.85	304.65	305.75	308.65	305.8	322.0	333.25	332.6	330.6	316.3
20	299.65	301.85	303.85	304.7	305.85	308.75	305.9	322.1	333.55	332.65	330.45	315.5
21	299.7	301.9	303.9	304.7	305.9	308.85	306.1	322.1	333.8	332.7	330.3	314.6
22	299.75	302.0	303.9	304.75	306.0	308.95	306.5	322.2	334.0	332.75	330.1	313.5
23	299.8	302.05	303.95	304.75	306.1	309.05	306.8	322.4	334.2	332.8	329.9	312.9
24	299.85	302.2	303.95	304.8	306.25	309.15	307.0	322.55	334.35	332.85	329.7	312.3
25	299.9	302.25	304.0	304.8	306.4	309.25	307.3	322.8	334.5	332.9	329.55	311.5
26	299.95	302.3	304.0	304.85	306.55	309.35	307.7	323.1	334.6	332.95	329.35	310.8
27	300.0	302.4	304.05	304.9	306.65	309.45	308.1	323.45	334.6	333.0	329.2	310.1
28	300.1	302.5	304.05	304.9	306.75	309.55	308.55	323.9	334.5	333.05	328.95	309.3
29	300.2	302.6	304.1	304.95	-	309.65	309.0	324.3	334.55	333.1	328.7	308.7
30	300.25	302.7	304.1	304.95	-	309.75	309.4	324.6	334.1	333.15	328.45	308.1
31	300.3	-	304.15	305.0	-	309.85	-	324.8	-	333.2	328.2	-

Note.--Add 5,000 feet to obtain elevation above mean sea level.

Deadwood River below Deadwood Reservoir, near Lowman, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°18', long. 115°39', in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 17, T. 11 N., R. 7 E., 300 feet upstream from Wilson Creek, a quarter of a mile downstream from Deadwood Dam at lower end of Deadwood Basin, 15 miles north of Lowman, and 18 miles upstream from mouth. Altitude of gage, 5,180 feet (from river-profile map).

Drainage area.--108 square miles.

Records available.--October 1926 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--22 years (1927-49), 199 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 2,090 second-feet Aug. 2 (gage height, 5.65 feet); minimum not determined, occurred during period of no gage-height record when gates in dam were closed.

1926-49: Maximum discharge, 2,150 second-feet May 26, 1928 (gage height, 5.67 feet, site and datum then in use); small amount of leakage from reservoir for long periods during 1930-49 when gates in dam were closed.

Remarks.--Records good except those below 10 second-feet, which are poor. Flow regulated since Nov. 2, 1930, by Deadwood Reservoir (see preceding page). During late fall of 1936, Bureau of Reclamation cut a transmountain canal to divert a small flow from a tributary of Johnson Creek in Salmon River Basin to Deadwood River Basin for supplemental storage in Deadwood Reservoir. Discharge of 3.12 second-feet measured in this canal July 20.

Revisions (water years).--W 1123: 1943.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	252			a5			a6		1,000	700		551
2	173			a5			a6		581	704		594
3	140			a4		a6	a6	a6	787	787		598
4	53	a5		h4			h6	h6	h6	955	a6	635
5	h4			a5	h6	h6	a6		1,060	a6		695
6	a4	h5		a4			a6	a7	a6	417	h6	713
7	a5									a5	162	751
8	a6						a7	h7		a5	200	790
9	h6			a5	h5	a6	a6		a7	h6	200	915
10		a5					h7				272	1,140
11	a6		h5	a5			363	a7	h7		323	1,220
12					h6	h6	708		a7		326	1,160
13		h5					900		a7	a6	326	1,170
14	a5						1,040	h7	a5		326	1,150
15		a5	a5	h5		a6	1,050	a7	a8		326	1,110
16	h5	a5				a6	1,060	753	a9		383	1,110
17							1,070	1,240	a9	h6	357	1,070
18			h5				1,070	1,240	h9	a6	348	1,020
19				a5	h6	h6	508	1,200		a6	337	1,080
20	a5	h5					44	1,160	a9	h6	288	1,140
21					a6	a6		1,040		a6	298	1,200
22				h5			890		23	a6	312	905
23	h5						786	54	h6		315	786
24		a5		a5			704	99			317	847
25			a5				686	134			320	871
26	a5				h6	h6		691	158	a6	323	900
27		h5		a6	a6			691	343		354	960
28					a6			758	444		413	852
29		a5		h6	-	a6		925	511		432	726
30	h5			a6	-		h6	1,000	639	h6	432	673
31	a5	-		a6	-		-	1,000	-	a6	473	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	756	252	-	24.4	1,500
November.....	150	-	-	5.0	298
December.....	148	-	-	4.8	294
Calendar year 1948.....	77,454	1,570	-	212	153,600
January.....	161	-	-	5.2	319
February.....	168	-	-	6.0	333
March.....	166	-	-	6.0	369
April.....	7,937	1,070	-	265	15,740
May.....	14,865	1,240	-	480	29,480
June.....	3,928	1,000	-	131	7,790
July.....	4,753	1,060	-	153	9,430
August.....	9,470	855	6	305	18,780
September.....	27,312	1,220	551	910	54,170
Water year 1948-49.....	69,834	1,240	-	191	138,500

a No gage-height record; gates closed; discharge interpolated or computed on basis of weather records.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Deadwood River near Lowman, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°05', long. 115°40', in sec. 29, T. 9 N., R. 7 E., 700 feet upstream from mouth and 2½ miles west of Lowman. Altitude of gage, 3,680 feet (from topograph map).

Records available.--August 1921 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--28 years, 375 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 2,610 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 4.28 feet); minimum, 42 second-feet Nov. 8, 18 (gage height, 1.02 feet), but may have been less during periods of ice effect; minimum daily, 45 second-feet Dec. 1.
1921-49: Maximum discharge, 4,230 second-feet May 9, 1928 (gage height, 5.17 feet), from rating curve extended above 3,200 second-feet; minimum recorded, 28 second-feet Nov. 4, 1935 (gage height, 0.83 foot); minimum daily, 34 second-feet Nov. 4, 1935.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Flow regulated since Nov. 2, 1930, by Deadwood Reservoir (see p. 174). Small amount of water diverted from tributary of Johnson Creek in Salmon River Basin to Deadwood River Basin during year.

Revisions.--W 633: Drainage area.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	380	80	45				131	613	1,660	873	93	606
2	273	129	70				153	654	1,200	864	658	654
3	210	144	80				156	626	640	898	805	654
4	186	102	70			80	177	580	613	1,020	95	667
5	114	78	70				225	568	613	1,130	84	724
6	80	77	70				261	600	620	798	82	746
7	72	61	70				296	667	620	167	162	724
8	72	48	70		55	110	287	769	620	150	310	792
9	68	58	70			108	329	898	600	144	314	856
10	67	84	70			104	349	1,040	587	142	359	1,090
11	67	78	75			106	614	1,180	574	136	446	1,270
12	66	75	85	60		110	1,050	1,300	524	131	446	1,200
13	66	70	80			112	1,120	1,340	475	131	440	1,180
14	66	67	75			117	1,260	1,370	440	129	440	1,180
15	66	82	70			122	1,290	1,380	412	124	435	1,120
16	64	73	60			131	1,340	2,020	391	122	469	1,120
17	64	72	55			136	1,400	2,510	364	117	487	1,100
18	64	50	55			134	1,470	2,360	344	114	446	1,060
19	64	64	65			144	1,130	2,270	354	112	458	1,090
20	64	80	70			156	548	2,120	339	110	407	1,160
21	62	68	60			156	440	1,930	314	112	391	1,360
22	62	57	50		65	147	469	1,720	301	110	418	1,050
23	62	*67	50			*147	568	1,580	329	108	423	823
24	64	70	55			139	626	1,520	334	106	423	881
25	64	67	60	(*)		142	640	1,490	385	108	418	873
26	64	66	60			136	640	1,520	418	106	423	924
27	64	60	65			129	667	1,530	512	104	435	977
28	62	66	65	55		119	703	1,570	674	102	493	950
29	66	53	65		-	114	759	1,700	696	99	512	808
30	66	50	65		-	117	667	1,740	808	97	512	761
31	67	-	60		-	117	-	1,770	-	95	536	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	2,876	380	62	92.8	5,700
November.....	2,206	144	48	73.5	4,380
December.....	2,030	85	45	65.5	4,030
Calendar year 1948.....	146,335	2,020	45	400	290,200
January.....	1,825	-	-	58.9	3,620
February.....	1,670	-	-	59.6	3,310
March.....	3,613	156	-	117	7,170
April.....	19,745	1,470	131	658	39,160
May.....	42,935	2,510	568	1,385	85,160
June.....	16,761	1,660	301	569	33,240
July.....	8,559	1,130	95	276	16,980
August.....	12,420	805	82	401	24,630
September.....	28,380	1,270	606	946	56,290
Water year 1948-49.....	143,020	2,510	45	392	283,700

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 30 to about Mar. 7 (no gage-height record Dec. 26, 27, Dec. 29 to Jan. 13, Jan. 27 to Mar. 7; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for South Fork Payette River at Lowman and near Garden Valley and other nearby streams).

Payette Lake at McCall, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°55', long. 116°07', in sec. 8, T. 18 N., R. 3 E., at outlet of lake on North Fork Payette River, at McCall. Datum of gage is 4,982.24 feet above sea level, adjustment of 1912.

Drainage area.--144 square miles.

Records available.--August 1921 to September 1949 (fragmentary prior to Nov. 23, 1943).

Extremes.--Maximum gage height during year, 7.06 feet June 27; minimum, 2.20 feet Feb. 1-3, 1921-49: Maximum gage height observed, 8.75 feet July 13, 1935; minimum observed, 0.95 foot Oct. 3, 1931.

Remarks.--Flow from Payette Lake is regulated within natural range by taintor gates and removable stop logs of a buttress and slab-type dam completed in November 1943. During period 1923 to 1943 lake was regulated by structure consisting of a series of concrete-filled cribs supporting removable flashboards. Some regulation is reported to have been effected by timber flashboards for several years prior to 1923. Lake area is approximately 5,000 acres. No capacity table has been developed. Water is used for irrigation of lands in vicinity of Emmett. No diversion above station.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by U. S. Forest Service.

Revisions (water years).--W 753: 1931. W 1013: Drainage area.

Gage height, in feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	4.92	3.95	2.31	2.39	2.21	2.35	2.29	4.10	5.88	6.99	5.29	4.82
2	4.90	3.86	2.34	2.39	2.20	2.34	2.26	4.24	5.58	6.82	5.28	4.80
3	4.90	3.72	2.39	2.38	2.21	2.33	2.28	4.65	5.28	6.54	5.27	4.77
4	4.91	3.55	2.38	2.37	2.23	2.32	2.29	4.71	5.16	6.23	5.25	4.69
5	4.93	3.38	2.38	2.37	2.24	2.30	2.29	4.58	5.51	5.94	5.25	4.59
6	4.93	3.23	2.38	2.36	2.26	2.29	2.31	4.44	6.02	5.74	5.20	4.49
7	4.89	3.07	2.40	2.35	2.28	2.29	2.34	4.41	6.40	5.75	5.18	4.39
8	4.84	2.93	2.38	2.34	2.28	2.28	2.38	4.50	6.58	5.72	5.15	4.32
9	4.83	2.82	2.40	2.33	2.30	2.29	2.41	4.72	6.59	5.72	5.13	4.22
10	4.84	2.71	2.41	2.32	2.36	2.29	2.45	5.07	6.54	5.71	5.11	4.12
11	4.81	2.62	2.43	2.32	2.39	2.28	2.52	5.53	6.56	5.71	5.10	4.05
12	4.78	2.55	2.47	2.31	2.38	2.29	2.59	6.00	6.53	5.70	5.09	3.93
13	4.78	2.48	2.45	2.30	2.36	2.29	2.85	6.31	6.52	5.68	5.08	3.83
14	4.77	2.42	2.45	2.29	2.37	2.29	2.69	6.55	6.53	5.67	5.07	3.72
15	4.72	2.38	2.45	2.29	2.39	2.29	2.73	6.72	6.53	5.64	5.05	3.62
16	4.61	2.37	2.43	2.28	2.39	2.29	2.80	6.88	6.64	5.63	5.04	3.52
17	4.51	2.34	2.41	2.28	2.38	2.29	2.89	6.90	6.68	5.60	5.03	3.43
18	4.42	2.28	2.40	2.27	2.37	2.31	2.96	6.67	6.72	5.59	5.01	3.32
19	4.39	2.29	2.40	2.26	2.36	2.31	3.09	6.41	6.80	5.56	5.01	3.22
20	4.38	2.30	2.42	2.25	2.35	2.31	3.22	6.32	6.90	5.53	5.00	3.12
21	4.37	2.29	2.41	2.25	2.36	2.32	3.29	6.20	6.96	5.51	4.98	3.02
22	4.37	2.28	2.40	2.25	2.40	2.32	3.31	6.01	7.00	5.48	4.96	2.93
23	4.36	2.29	2.38	2.23	2.41	2.31	3.35	5.82	7.02	5.46	4.94	2.83
24	4.35	2.32	2.38	2.23	2.40	2.31	3.44	5.68	7.02	5.44	4.92	2.74
25	4.35	2.32	2.36	2.22	2.39	2.30	3.55	5.63	7.02	5.42	4.91	2.64
26	4.35	2.33	2.35	2.23	2.37	2.31	3.64	5.72	7.04	5.39	4.89	2.56
27	4.33	2.33	2.34	2.23	2.36	2.31	3.75	5.92	7.04	5.38	4.89	2.51
28	4.33	2.33	2.34	2.23	2.36	2.31	3.91	6.16	7.03	5.36	4.88	2.51
29	4.32	2.32	2.34	2.22	-	2.30	4.06	6.31	7.01	5.34	4.87	2.55
30	4.27	2.31	2.35	2.21	-	2.29	4.12	6.27	6.99	5.32	4.85	2.57
31	4.10	-	2.35	2.21	-	2.29	-	6.12	-	5.30	4.83	-

North Fork Payette River at McCall, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°54'30", long. 116°07'30", in sec. 8, T. 18 N., R. 3 E., at McCall, a quarter of a mile downstream from outlet of Payette Lake.

Drainage area.--144 square miles.

Records available.--September 1908 to June 1917, May 1919 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--38 years (1908-16, 1919-49), 349 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 3,230 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 6.77 feet); minimum, 4 second-feet Sept. 29, 30; minimum gage height, 1.18 feet Sept. 30.
1908-17, 1919-49: Maximum discharge, 4,260 second-feet June 10, 1933, June 4, 1948; maximum gage height, 7.71 feet June 4, 1948; practically no flow Nov. 5-8, 1931, Nov. 17-24, 1933, Nov. 14-27, 1935, Oct. 22 to Nov. 11, 1938.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are poor.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by employee of U. S. Forest Service.

Revisions.--W 963: Drainage area.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet,
and discharge, in second-feet)

Oct. 1-30

Oct. 31 to Sept. 30

1.7	26	2.5	134	1.2	4	2.2	74	4.4	1,030
1.8	34	2.7	184	1.3	6	2.4	108	5.2	1,670
1.9	42	2.9	243	1.4	9	2.6	154	6.0	2,430
2.1	65	3.0	276	1.6	17	2.9	241	6.8	3,260
2.3	95			1.8	30	3.3	393		
				2.0	48	3.7	591		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	36	559	59	73	42	64	56	967	2,330	255	58	15
2	35	542	63	73	41	63	55	1,060	2,050	854	56	15
3	35	522	71	71	42	60	54	1,340	1,790	890	52	61
4	108	501	70	69	46	59	55	1,390	1,260	925	47	241
5	35	462	70	69	47	56	55	1,300	848	890	43	244
6	106	420	70	67	50	55	54	1,190	1,030	406	38	232
7	187	376	72	65	52	54	60	1,180	1,540	184	35	213
8	153	335	74	64	52	52	70	1,250	1,800	181	32	186
9	35	301	75	62	56	53	77	1,410	1,610	181	28	246
10	34	268	79	60	67	53	87	1,690	1,720	178	27	258
11	165	241	82	60	73	52	99	2,080	1,470	176	25	251
12	37	219	90	58	71	53	115	2,480	1,330	175	24	244
13	36	198	87	57	67	55	126	2,760	967	170	24	244
14	144	178	85	55	67	54	137	2,930	772	162	22	241
15	250	168	85	55	73	53	149	3,070	320	157	21	238
16	243	162	82	53	73	54	162	3,200	343	149	20	238
17	243	157	79	h54	71	54	274	3,180	359	142	20	236
18	211	124	75	52	69	56	372	2,980	342	132	20	235
19	33	58	75	52	67	59	416	2,770	204	126	18	235
20	61	59	79	49	65	58	476	2,700	261	117	18	231
21	33	58	77	49	65	59	501	2,590	339	113	17	230
22	33	56	75	49	75	60	512	2,420	328	105	17	229
23	33	56	71	45	77	60	532	2,250	385	99	16	228
24	33	60	71	45	75	58	591	2,130	359	94	16	227
25	32	60	67	44	73	58	648	2,100	279	88	16	225
26	31	61	65	45	69	58	690	2,170	265	83	16	224
27	28	60	64	45	67	59	758	2,340	320	79	16	f118
28	28	60	64	45	64	59	842	2,550	275	72	15	7
29	28	59	64	44	-	58	946	2,690	255	67	15	5
30	32	59	65	42	-	58	981	2,660	197	63	15	4
31	575	-	65	42	-	56	-	2,550	-	60	15	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	3,073	575	28	99.1	6,100
November.....	6,439	559	56	215	12,770
December.....	2,270	90	59	73.0	4,500
Calendar year 1948.....	166,581	4,180	28	455	330,400
January.....	1,713	73	42	55.3	3,400
February.....	1,756	77	41	62.7	3,480
March.....	1,760	64	52	56.8	3,490
April.....	9,950	981	54	332	19,740
May.....	67,377	3,200	967	2,173	133,600
June.....	25,548	2,330	197	852	50,670
July.....	7,371	925	60	238	14,620
August.....	802	58	15	25.9	1,590
September.....	5,601	258	4	187	11,110
Water year 1948-49.....	133,660	3,200	4	366	265,100

f Computed from partly estimated gage-height record.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Note.--No gage-height record Dec. 17 to Jan. 5, Jan. 8-16, 18, Jan. 20 to Feb. 27, Sept. 17-26; discharge computed on basis of records for Payette Lake and record of gate changes.

Cascade Reservoir at Cascade, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°31'30", long. 116°03', in NE¼NE¼ sec. 26, T. 14 N., R. 3 E., just upstream from left abutment of dam on North Fork Payette River, half a mile downstream from Willow Creek and three-quarters of a mile northwest of Cascade. Datum of gage is at mean sea level (preliminary, unadjusted levels of U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey).

Drainage area.--620 square miles.

Records available.--January 1948 to December 1948 (fragmentary); January to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents observed during year, 290,100 acre-feet July 6 (elevation, 4,808.61 feet); minimum not determined, occurred during period of no gage-height record.

1948-49: Maximum contents observed, that of July 6, 1949; no contents at times during March and September 1948.

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by earth-fill dam completed in May 1949. Storage began Nov. 7, 1947. Capacity, 703,200 acre-feet between elevation 4,766 feet (4.0 feet above sill of outlet tunnel) and 4,828 feet (top of spillway gates). Figures herein represent contents currently usable. The Bureau of Reclamation plans to limit withdrawal to elevation 4,787.5 feet, retaining 50,000 acre-feet capacity as dead storage. Contents table computed from tables furnished by Bureau of Reclamation (revised 1950). Water is used for irrigation of lands in the Payette Division of the Boise project and for power at Black Canyon power plant near Emmett pending construction of Scriver Creek power development and Garden Valley Reservoir. Gage read once daily about 8 a.m.

Cooperation.--Gage readings and capacity table furnished by the Bureau of Reclamation.

Contents, in acre-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		-		70,400	38,940	6,870	3,850	61,490	246,100	285,800	186,500	58,210
2		-		71,120	37,460	6,690	3,850	63,490	251,200	285,300	182,200	54,870
3		-		71,120	35,580	6,690	4,150	67,580	254,700	286,100	178,300	51,550
4		-		71,850	34,670	6,690	5,200	70,400	256,700	287,100	173,800	48,350
5		-		71,850	33,320	6,870	5,830	75,100	257,800	288,900	169,100	45,580
6		-		72,590	32,000	7,050	7,050	77,690	258,100	290,100	164,600	42,720
7		-		73,340	30,680	7,050	7,970	79,640	259,400	289,100	159,800	40,460
8		-		72,590	29,390	7,050	9,440	82,140	262,600	286,800	155,600	38,440
9		-		71,850	28,120	6,870	10,820	85,160	266,300	284,000	151,100	37,460
10		-		70,400	26,470	6,690	13,090	89,620	268,500	280,100	146,400	36,500
11		-		69,690	24,870	6,690	15,900	94,620	270,400	276,800	142,100	34,220
12		-		68,280	23,700	6,510	18,710	100,200	271,200	273,600	137,400	31,780
13		32,880		67,580	22,200	6,510	23,700	107,900	273,400	269,900	133,500	30,250
14		34,220		66,890	20,750	6,510	25,670	117,000	274,900	266,300	129,000	29,390
15		-		65,520	19,370	6,690	28,960	126,400	275,900	262,500	124,800	27,700
16		-		64,840	17,740	6,510	32,000	136,300	276,700	258,300	120,100	26,880
17		38,440		64,160	15,900	6,510	35,120	146,800	277,600	253,600	116,500	24,870
18		-		62,820	14,460	6,690	36,500	157,100	278,400	248,900	111,900	23,320
19		-		62,150	13,090	6,870	39,440	166,400	279,400	244,700	107,900	22,200
20		-		60,830	12,050	6,870	41,500	174,700	280,400	240,500	103,800	21,830
21		-		59,510	11,300	6,870	43,100	181,800	281,500	236,000	99,820	20,750
22		42,560		57,560	10,580	6,870	44,740	189,000	282,200	231,400	95,720	20,050
23		-		55,640	9,890	6,170	45,860	194,500	282,800	226,700	91,420	18,640
24		-		53,740	9,440	6,510	47,580	199,700	283,300	222,200	87,380	16,800
25		-		51,860	8,790	6,870	48,770	204,000	284,100	218,000	82,990	15,030
26		-		50,000	8,170	6,340	49,380	208,700	284,600	213,400	79,230	14,180
27		-		48,170	7,590	5,830	50,620	213,800	284,800	208,800	75,490	13,090
28		-		46,430	7,050	5,510	52,480	218,900	285,100	204,300	71,700	11,300
29		-		44,740	-	5,350	56,280	225,100	285,300	200,000	68,140	9,890
30		-		42,560	-	4,600	60,170	232,000	285,800	196,100	64,840	8,580
31		-		40,980	-	3,850	-	238,400	-	190,700	61,490	-

Monthly elevation and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Elevation (feet)	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30.....	-	-	-
Oct. 31.....	-	-	-
Nov. 30.....	-	-	-
Dec. 31.....	-	-	-
Calendar year	-	-	-
Jan. 31.....	4,785.9	40,980	-
Feb. 28.....	4,776.0	7,050	-33,930
Mar. 31.....	4,774.0	3,850	-3,200
Apr. 30.....	4,789.1	60,170	+56,320
May 31.....	4,805.33	238,400	+178,230
June 30.....	4,808.35	285,800	+47,400
July 31.....	4,801.98	190,700	-95,100
Aug. 31.....	4,789.50	61,490	-129,210
Sept. 30.....	4,776.80	8,580	-52,910
Water year	-	-	-

Note.--Records for North Fork Payette River at Cascade indicate that gates were practically closed Oct. 13th to Dec. 17th except for short periods, and that outflow was regulated Oct. 1-13, Dec. 18-31.

PAYETTE RIVER BASIN

North Fork Payette River at Cascade, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°31', long. 116°02', in NE¼ sec. 36, T. 14 N., R. 3 E., at Cascade, 285 feet downstream from Halleck and Howard mill dam, half a mile upstream from Beaver Creek, and 1½ miles downstream from Cascade Dam. Altitude of gage, 4,730 feet (from topographic map of Bureau of Reclamation).

Drainage area.--626 square miles.

Records available.--May 1941 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 2,880 second-feet May 19 (gage height, 2.99 feet); minimum, 3 second-feet or less Dec. 14-15 when stage was below intake.
1941-49: Maximum discharge recorded, 7,320 second-feet May 10, 1947 (gage height, 6.29 feet); minimum, 2 second-feet or less in January 1948 when stage was below intake.

Remarks.--Records good except those below 10 second-feet, which are poor. Flow regulated by Cascade Reservoir since Nov. 6, 1947 (see p. 179), Payette Lake (see p. 177), Lake Fork Reservoir (see p. 184), and occasionally by Halleck and Howard mill dam. Several diversions from tributaries above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	237	4	14	357	1,010	364	644	2,060	2,040	572	2,430	1,820
2	316	8	14	370	883	350	644	2,080	1,860	504	2,020	1,750
3	338	8	17	383	907	212	653	2,100	2,370	293	2,410	1,640
4	252	7	15	383	907	357	692	1,400	2,320	287	2,410	1,610
5	298	6	11	390	883	383	816	948	2,300	282	2,390	1,590
6	773	5	7	396	883	390	907	2,040	2,160	754	2,370	1,560
7	859	5	6	505	883	344	1,030	2,000	2,200	1,180	2,350	1,510
8	741	4	5	712	919	327	1,250	1,650	1,310	1,630	2,350	1,420
9	644	5	5	762	907	208	1,360	1,150	2,500	1,970	2,340	1,300
10	522	5	5	751	895	390	1,380	1,420	2,440	2,140	2,300	1,220
11	396	6	4	617	883	376	1,370	1,800	2,370	2,200	2,280	1,180
12	257	6	4	581	883	364	1,460	1,800	1,930	2,200	2,250	1,140
13	184	7	6	407	883	364	1,420	2,100	1,340	2,180	2,240	1,080
14	29	8	a3	663	883	364	1,370	2,020	1,280	2,200	2,200	1,030
15	27	12	a3	608	907	370	1,370	2,240	1,000	2,160	2,180	955
16	32	34	6	608	931	383	1,170	2,200	278	2,460	2,160	907
17	34	74	18	608	1,010	396	1,020	1,730	316	2,410	2,160	848
18	27	16	40	608	967	285	1,560	1,990	321	2,350	2,120	816
19	8	8	71	608	883	165	1,970	2,340	353	2,340	2,100	751
20	7	8	108	836	751	174	2,200	1,990	282	2,430	2,020	722
21	5	8	144	931	617	422	2,160	2,370	287	2,460	1,910	791
22	5	9	181	895	498	673	2,220	2,350	298	2,480	2,020	1,280
23	4	12	215	1,010	409	712	2,180	2,280	310	2,460	2,180	1,190
24	4	26	237	1,010	376	816	1,990	2,240	316	2,460	2,140	1,140
25	4	11	262	1,020	357	773	2,160	2,060	316	2,440	2,100	1,060
26	4	12	287	871	357	692	2,160	2,180	310	2,410	2,060	883
27	4	13	304	1,140	364	673	1,560	2,200	272	2,460	1,990	f919
28	4	14	321	1,140	370	692	1,120	2,350	202	2,440	1,950	f907
29	3	14	333	1,120	-	712	467	2,160	206	2,440	1,890	f702
30	2	14	344	1,110	-	673	1,220	2,140	272	2,440	1,860	f859
31	2	-	357	1,100	-	673	-	2,240	-	2,440	1,840	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	6,022	859	2	194	11,940
November.....	369	74	4	12.3	732
December.....	3,347	357	3	108	6,640
Calendar year 1948.....	424,190	5,260	-	1,159	841,400
January.....	22,500	1,140	357	726	44,630
February.....	21,398	1,010	357	764	42,420
March.....	14,078	816	166	454	27,920
April.....	41,523	2,220	467	1,384	82,360
May.....	61,638	2,370	948	1,988	122,300
June.....	33,739	2,500	202	1,125	66,920
July.....	59,472	2,480	282	1,918	118,000
August.....	67,030	2,430	1,840	2,162	133,000
September.....	34,580	1,820	702	1,153	68,590
Water year 1948-49.....	365,684	2,500	2	1,002	725,500

a No gage-height record; discharge estimated.

f Computed from partly estimated gage-height record.

North Fork Payette River near Banks, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. $44^{\circ}07'$, long. $116^{\circ}06'$, in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 16, T. 9 N., R. 3E., 40 feet downstream from steel highway bridge, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles north of Banks, and 3 miles upstream from confluence with South Fork. Datum of gage is 3,081.13 feet above mean sea level, preliminary unadjusted elevation.

Drainage area.--933 square miles.

Records available.--April 1947 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 3,540 second-feet May 21; maximum gage height, 10.68 feet Jan. 28 (ice jam); minimum recorded, 50 second-feet Dec. 17 (gage height, 3.15 feet), but may have been less during period of ice effect.

1947-49: Maximum discharge, 8,830 second-feet May 11, 1947, computed on basis of records for station near Smiths Ferry; minimum recorded, 36 second-feet Dec. 31, 1947 (gage height, 3.01 feet).

Remarks.--Records excellent except those below about 500 second-feet, which are good, and those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Flow regulated by Payette Lake (see p. 177), Lake Fork Reservoir (see p. 184), Cascade Reservoir (see p. 179) and occasionally by mill dam at Cascade. Many diversions from tributaries above station for irrigation.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Oct. 14 to Dec. 17)

Oct. 1 to Dec. 17

Jan. 26 to Sept. 30

3.3	56	3.9	125	5.0	379	4.6	281	7.0	1,410
3.4	65	4.2	176	5.6	593	5.0	408	8.0	2,110
3.6	86	4.6	263	6.2	862	5.6	560	9.7	3,550
						6.2	950		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	306	86	72	370	1,100	470	895	2,610	3,360	404	2,480	1,850
2	295	159	96	370	1,020	460	925	2,960	2,830	730	2,370	1,810
3	356	230	102	390	960	450	1,010	2,980	3,050	602	2,210	1,740
4	399	211	98	400	960	268	1,130	2,870	3,130	423	2,420	1,650
5	350	148	108	400	960	394	1,340	1,640	3,140	416	2,410	1,620
6	501	119	94	410	950	482	1,600	2,430	3,130	419	2,410	1,600
7	819	101	87	420	950	454	1,840	2,680	3,080	1,220	2,390	1,550
8	862	80	82	500	950	435	2,060	2,690	2,470	1,560	2,380	1,460
9	744	65	76	700	950	412	2,410	2,410	2,680	1,830	2,370	1,380
10	647	99	86	800	960	318	2,520	2,440	3,090	2,090	2,360	1,270
11	547	92	79	800	960	490	2,580	2,830	3,030	2,130	2,340	1,230
12	439	98	76	600	950	486	2,680	3,030	2,880	2,150	2,330	1,180
13	353	94	*76	580	950	466	2,490	3,150	2,270	2,130	2,310	1,130
14	253	92	83	400	950	462	2,300	3,290	1,710	2,130	2,290	1,070
15	136	115	84	620	980	474	2,360	3,300	1,640	2,240	2,280	1,000
16	114	130	74	620	1,000	499	2,310	3,330	855	2,320	2,250	965
17	117	112	60	620	1,050	528	2,300	3,200	656	2,450	2,250	910
18	115	93	55	620	1,100	558	2,300	2,950	646	2,430	2,220	865
19	111	93	55	620	1,080	423	2,780	3,000	656	2,400	2,210	826
20	94	98	70	620	960	386	2,960	3,410	628	2,470	2,190	801
21	85	110	120	800	*905	416	2,930	3,420	593	2,460	2,170	787
22	82	150	940	748	660	3,020	3,490	562	2,510	2,150	950	
23	76	93	180	220	660	980	3,050	3,410	558	2,490	2,110	1,270
24	75	97	220	1,020	554	950	2,920	3,320	541	2,490	2,100	1,210
25	76	108	240	1,020	466	1,020	2,890	3,180	520	2,470	2,070	1,130
26	77	90	260	1,040	450	1,000	2,870	3,210	499	2,450	2,050	1,020
27	77	93	290	1,100	450	960	2,780	3,230	486	2,490	2,020	1,000
28	74	92	310	1,150	460	910	2,400	3,350	419	2,480	1,990	1,040
29	71	79	320	1,150	-	900	1,720	3,400	365	2,470	1,950	915
30	74	68	330	1,140	-	925	1,590	3,290	365	2,470	1,900	860
31	70	-	340	1,120	-	890	-	3,340	-	2,440	1,870	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	8,405	862	70	271	16,670
November.....	3,264	230	68	109	6,470
December.....	4,573	340	55	141	8,670
Calendar year 1948.....	527,490	5,740	55	1,441	1,046,000
January.....	22,260	1,150	370	718	44,150
February.....	24,433	1,100	450	873	48,460
March.....	18,426	1,020	268	594	36,550
April.....	66,960	3,050	895	2,232	132,800
May.....	33,840	3,490	1,640	3,027	186,100
June.....	49,839	3,360	365	1,661	98,850
July.....	59,764	2,510	404	1,928	118,500
August.....	68,850	2,480	1,870	2,221	136,600
September.....	36,089	1,850	787	1,203	71,580
Water year 1948-49.....	456,503	3,490	55	1,251	905,400

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice most of period Dec. 18 to Feb. 20; no gage-height record Dec. 18 to Jan. 25, Feb. 26 to Mar. 3, Mar. 23, 24; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for North Fork Payette River at Cascade, Payette River near Horseshoe Bend, and South Fork Payette River near Banks.

PAYETTE RIVER BASIN

Fish hatchery diversion at McCall, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage and Parshall flume, lat. 44°54'30", long. 116°07', in sec. 8, T. 18 N., R. 3 E., immediately below outlet from fish hatchery tanks, just above point of return to North Fork Payette River, and 1 mile west of McCall.

Records available.--October 1942 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 2.2 second-feet June 6-14; maximum gage height observed, 0.94 foot May 15, affected by backwater from North Fork Payette River; minimum observed, 0.6 second-foot Sept. 28-30; minimum gage height observed, 0.35 foot Sept. 30.

1942-49: Maximum discharge observed, 4.8 second-feet Apr. 18-24, 26-28, May 1, 2, 4, 5, 7-11; July 2, 4, 1943; maximum gage height observed, 1.60 feet June 11, 1948; no flow Sept. 22 to Nov. 7, 1943.

Revisions.--Maximum discharge observed for water year 1947 has been revised to 4.0 second-feet May 5-14, 1947, superseding figure published in Water-Supply Paper 1093.

Remarks.--Records fair except those for period of backwater from North Fork Payette River, which are poor. Gage read once daily. Flow regulated by fish hatchery, water for * which is diverted from Payette Lake or North Fork Payette River and bypasses gaging station on that stream.

Cooperation.--Gage readings furnished by Idaho State Fish and Game Commission.

Revisions.--Revised figures of discharge, in second-feet, for period in the water year 1947, are given herewith:

May 7 4.0
8 4.0

May 9 4.0
10 4.0

May 11 4.0
12 4.0

Month	Second-foot-days	Discharge in second-feet			Runoff in acre-feet
		Maximum	Minimum	Mean	
May.....	118.0	4.0	3.6	3.81	234
Water year 1946-47.....	1,141.0	4.0	2.1	3.13	2,280
Calendar year 1947.....	965.5	4.0	.8	2.65	1,920

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1.6	2.0	1.7	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.3
2	1.5	2.0	1.7	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.3
3	1.6	2.0	1.6	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	2.1	1.9	1.6	1.3
4	1.6	1.8	1.7	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	2.1	1.9	1.6	1.3
5	1.5	1.8	1.8	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	2.1	1.9	1.6	1.3
6	1.5	1.8	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	2.2	1.9	1.6	1.3
7	1.6	1.8	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	2.2	2.0	1.6	1.3
8	1.5	1.8	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	2.2	2.0	1.6	1.3
9	1.4	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	2.2	2.0	1.6	1.3
10	1.4	1.8	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	2.2	2.0	1.6	1.1
11	1.4	1.8	2.1	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	2.2	2.0	1.6	1.1
12	1.4	1.8	2.1	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	2.2	2.0	1.6	1.0
13	1.4	1.8	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	2.2	1.9	1.6	1.0
14	1.4	1.8	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	2.2	1.9	1.6	1.0
15	1.4	1.8	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.6	1.0
16	1.4	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.6	1.0
17	1.4	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.0
18	1.4	1.8	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.4	1.0
19	1.4	1.8	2.1	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.4	1.0
20	1.4	1.8	2.1	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.4	1.0
21	1.4	1.8	2.1	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.4	.9
22	1.4	1.8	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.4	.9
23	1.4	1.8	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.4	.9
24	1.4	1.8	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.4	.9
25	1.4	1.8	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.4	.9
26	1.4	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.4	.8
27	1.4	1.8	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.4	.8
28	1.4	1.8	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.7	1.4	.6
29	1.4	1.7	2.0	1.9	-	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.7	1.4	.6
30	1.6	1.7	2.0	1.9	-	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.4	.6
31	1.6	-	2.0	1.8	-	1.8	-	1.9	-	1.7	1.3	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	45.0	1.6	1.4	1.45	89.3
November.....	54.4	2.0	1.7	1.81	108
December.....	61.6	2.1	1.6	1.99	122
Calendar year 1948	616.4	2.1	1.4	1.68	1,220.0
January.....	59.0	2.0	1.8	1.90	117
February.....	52.0	2.0	1.8	1.86	103
March.....	55.8	1.8	1.8	1.80	111
April.....	53.5	1.8	1.7	1.78	106
May.....	53.9	1.9	1.7	1.74	107
June.....	60.1	2.2	1.8	2.00	119
July.....	57.3	2.0	1.7	1.85	114
August.....	46.8	1.7	1.3	1.51	92.8
September.....	30.8	1.3	.6	1.03	61.1
Water year 1948-49	630.2	2.2	.6	1.72	1,250.2

Note.--Backwater from North Fork Payette River May 11-23, 27-31 (no gage-height record May 16-20, 30, 31); discharge computed on basis of 1 discharge measurement and flow before and after period of backwater.

PAYETTE RIVER BASIN

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Lake Fork Payette River above Jumbo Creek, near McCall, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°55', long. 115°59', in NE¼ sec. 8, T. 18 N., R. 4 E., 200 feet upstream from bridge at abandoned power plant, a quarter of a mile upstream from Jumbo Creek, 3½ miles upstream from Lake Fork Reservoir dam, and 5½ miles east of McCall.

Drainage area.--48.9 square miles.

Records available.--October 1945 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,350 second-feet May 14 (gage height, 7.87 feet); minimum, 8.9 second-feet Sept. 28 (gage height, 1.89 feet).
1945-49: Maximum discharge, 2,600 second-feet June 3, 1948 (gage height, 9.19 feet), from rating curve extended above 1,000 second-feet by logarithmic plotting; minimum, that of Sept. 28, 1949.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. No diversion above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	17	*22	28			*21	26	317	586	117	32	11
2	17	54	30			21	28	552	453	118	32	11
3	16	54	32			21	30	520	408	115	34	11
4	21	35	31			21	35	335	519	112	30	11
5	44	28	31			21	45	303	730	107	27	12
6	27	27	30			21	56	313	783	99	28	12
7	26	20	30			21	72	370	788	91	21	11
8	30	18	*29		20	21	78	495	730	83	36	10
9	27	22	30			21	90	659	676	77	34	10
10	24	24	30			22	104	824	680	73	26	11
11	22	25	30			22	139	980	676	68	22	21
12	20	26	29			22	169	1,030	544	65	20	17
13	19	27	27			22	133	1,040	456	61	21	14
14	20	28	28			22	117	1,080	408	60	20	12
15	24	31	29			22	126	1,140	378	56	18	12
16	21	30	26	20		23	160	1,140	339	52	18	17
17	19	30	25			24	230	934	272	50	17	20
18	19	26	24			25	307	783	237	48	16	17
19	19	30	25	(*)		28	344	749	230	45	16	16
20	18	30	28			29	301	773	224	43	16	14
21	18	29	25			28	225	721	221	41	15	13
22	17	28	24			28	218	642	250	39	14	12
23	17	28	23		21	27	291	822	422	45	14	11
24	17	29	22			27	400	634	206	40	14	10
25	19	29	21			26	386	702	198	36	14	10
26	19	28	20			26	386	840	184	34	13	9.6
27	18	26	20			26	462	1,010	155	32	13	9.4
28	17	28	21			25	537	956	148	31	12	10
29	17	26	24			25	505	912	139	29	12	16
30	17	24	21			*26	368	744	119	28	12	17
31	18	-	20			25	-	680	-	28	11	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	644	44	16	20.8	0.425	0.49	1,280
November	862	54	18	28.7	.587	.66	1,710
December	813	32	20	26.2	.536	.62	1,610
Calendar year 1948	58,732	1,910	14	160	3.27	44.69	116,500
January	620	-	-	20.0	.409	.47	1,230
February	573	-	-	20.5	.419	.44	1,140
March	739	29	21	23.8	.487	.56	1,470
April	6,368	537	26	212	4.34	4.84	12,630
May	22,799	1,140	303	735	15.03	17.34	45,220
June	11,959	788	119	399	8.16	9.10	23,720
July	1,923	118	28	620	1.27	1.46	3,810
August	628	36	11	203	.425	.48	1,250
September	388.0	21	9.4	12.9	.264	.30	770
Water year 1948-49	48,316	1,140	9.4	132	2.70	36.76	95,840

Peak discharge (base, 850 sec.-ft.)--May 14 (11 p.m.) 1,350 sec.-ft.; May 27 (10 p.m.) 1,280 sec.-ft.; June 5 (10 p.m.) 944 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 8, 18, 19, 27, 29, 30, Dec. 1, 4, Dec. 12 to Mar. 21, Mar. 29; no gage-height record Dec. 24 to Mar. 14, May 3 except staff-gage readings Jan. 19, Mar. 1; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Lake Fork Payette River below Lake Irrigation District Canal, Johnson Creek at Yellow Pine, and other nearby streams.

Lake Fork Reservoir near McCall, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage and graduations on concrete gate-control structure of dam on Lake Fork Payette River, lat. 44°54', long. 116°03', in NW¼NW¼ sec. 13; T. 18 N., R. 3 E., 3 miles east of McCall. Datum of gage is at mean sea level (levels by Lake Irrigation District).

Records available.--April 1926 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents observed during year, 19,120 acre-feet June 17 (elevation, 5,118.37 feet); practically no storage at times during fall and winter.
1926-49: Maximum contents observed, 19,740 acre-feet June 19, 1941 (elevation, 5,118.75 feet); practically no storage above elevation 5,101.0 feet for long periods during fall and winter of most years.

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by earth- and rock-fill dam completed in 1926. Capacity, 16,940 acre-feet between elevations 5,101.0 feet (lower limit of capacity table, 4.0 feet above gate sill of outlet) and 5,117.0 feet (top of flashboards, 5.0 feet above spillway crest). Dead storage unknown. Water is used for irrigation of about 6,800 acres of land in vicinity of Norwood. Figures given herein represent contents above 5,101.0 feet. There is some usable storage below elevation 5,101.0 feet, but natural flow passing through reservoir when outlet gates are operating prevents withdrawal of storage to elevation of sill of gates. Gage reading of 5,099.64 feet observed Apr. 2. Gage read once daily. Time of reading variable. Storage figures from gage heights as observed.

Cooperation.--Elevation record and capacity table furnished by Lake Irrigation District.

Contents, in acre-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	-						-	-	-	17,430	7,840	1,152
2	-	2,469					-	11,490	-	17,100	7,449	1,073
3	-						-	-	-	17,030	7,160	940
4	-						-	13,390	17,570	16,760	6,832	838
5	-						-	-	-	16,550	6,594	736
6	-						-	-	-	16,360	6,360	638
7	-						-	-	-	16,010	6,093	569
8	-						-	13,770	-	15,700	5,838	481
9	2,807						-	-	-	15,390	5,606	422
10	2,807		682				-	-	-	14,950	5,341	346
11	-						-	-	18,680	14,800	5,076	326
12	-						-	-	-	14,460	4,864	302
13	-						-	-	-	14,120	4,652	168
14	-						-	15,930	18,800	13,850	4,408	120
15	-						-	-	18,910	13,390	4,173	72
16	2,700						-	-	19,100	13,160	3,987	-
17	-						-	-	19,120	12,850	3,754	-
18	-						-	-	19,040	12,390	3,534	-
19	-						-	-	18,990	12,170	3,332	-
20	-						-	15,160	18,970	11,660	3,088	-
21	-						-	15,230	18,910	11,300	2,855	-
22	-						-	-	18,930	10,940	2,686	-
23	2,385						2,967	14,690	18,890	10,390	2,511	-
24	-						-	14,620	18,830	10,240	2,329	-
25	-						-	14,850	18,780	9,954	2,112	-
26	-						-	-	18,680	9,666	1,946	-
27	-						-	16,010	18,520	9,379	1,812	-
28	-						-	16,320	18,280	9,081	1,654	-
29	-						-	-	18,030	8,730	1,486	-
30	-						-	-	17,760	8,366	1,359	-
31	-						-	-	-	8,096	1,232	-

Monthly elevation and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Elevation (feet)	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
June 30.....	5,117.52	17,760	-
July 31.....	5,111.05	8,096	-9,664
Aug. 31.....	5,103.50	1,232	-6,864

Lake Fork Payette River below Lake Irrigation District Canal, near McCall, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°54', long. 116°03', in SW¹/₄ sec. 13, T. 18 N., R. 3 E., 300 feet downstream from diversion dam for Lake Irrigation District Canal, half a mile downstream from Lake Fork Reservoir, and 3 miles southeast of McCall.

Records available.--October 1940 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year 1,410 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 6.28 feet); minimum, 9.9 second-feet Sept. 28 (gage height, 2.36 feet).
1940-49: Maximum discharge, 2,120 second-feet June 3, 1948 (gage height, 7.09 feet), from rating curve extended above 1,200 second-feet by logarithmic plotting; minimum, 0.4 second-foot Mar. 27, 28, 1944; minimum gage height, 1.76 feet Mar. 28, 1944.

Remarks.--Records good except those for period of no gage-height record, which are poor.
Flow regulated by Lake Fork Reservoir (see preceding page). Lake Irrigation District Canal diverts above station.

Revisions (water years).--W 963: 1941.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

2.3	7.5	2.9	54	4.5	436
2.4	12	3.1	79	5.0	635
2.5	17	3.4	128	5.5	900
2.6	24	3.7	194	6.3	1,420
2.7	33	4.0	273		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	19	27	46	28	23	24	36	50	436	84	62	29
2	19	28	45	28	23	24	*36	53	263	85	65	26
3	19	31	46	27	23	24	37	123	136	82	64	25
4	20	31	44	27	23	24	39	237	172	82	60	24
5	20	29	43	26	23	24	42	276	303	88	56	20
6	20	29	42	26	23	24	45	303	514	88	51	17
7	21	28	42	25	23	24	48	357	796	92	48	18
8	25	28	41	25	23	24	54	429	670	94	48	19
9	26	40	40	24	23	25	60	518	398	92	48	20
10	26	132	*39	24	23	25	69	675	374	96	50	17
11	26	187	39	23	23	25	79	924	443	96	48	19
12	25	170	39	23	23	25	92	1,110	440	91	43	20
13	26	159	39	23	23	26	107	1,220	306	82	40	21
14	27	146	37	23	23	26	114	1,280	202	78	45	22
15	27	136	37	23	24	26	121	1,310	97	78	46	19
16	25	124	36	23	24	26	130	1,360	108	82	46	16
17	25	114	36	23	24	27	146	1,300	108	80	47	15
18	25	104	35	*23	24	28	163	1,080	88	82	47	15
19	25	96	35	23	24	28	184	906	78	80	52	15
20	25	90	34	23	24	30	214	850	76	79	54	14
21	25	84	34	23	24	32	227	823	71	78	53	13
22	25	79	33	23	24	34	132	752	78	78	51	13
23	25	75	33	23	24	34	43	690	79	75	50	13
24	25	70	32	23	24	35	45	570	75	65	48	12
25	25	65	32	23	24	35	46	463	74	61	48	11
26	24	61	31	23	24	35	46	590	74	62	47	11
27	24	56	31	23	24	36	46	796	86	64	45	10
28	24	53	30	23	*24	36	47	948	86	66	45	9.9
29	24	51	30	23	-	36	48	966	86	67	32	10
30	24	48	29	23	-	36	48	845	84	61	22	10
31	25	-	29	23	-	36	-	675	-	61	27	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	741	27	19	23.9	1,470
November.....	2,371	187	27	79.0	4,700
December.....	1,138	46	29	36.7	2,260
Calendar year 1948	56,347.6	1,850	6.3	154	111,800
January.....	743	28	23	24.0	1,470
February.....	658	24	23	23.5	1,310
March.....	894	36	24	28.8	1,770
April.....	2,544	227	36	84.8	5,050
May.....	22,499	1,360	50	726	44,630
June.....	6,801	796	71	227	13,490
July.....	2,449	96	61	79.0	4,860
August.....	1,488	65	22	48.0	2,950
September.....	503.9	29	9.9	16.8	999
Water year 1948-49	42,829.9	1,360	9.9	117	84,960

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 16 to about Feb. 20, Mar. 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11, 24-26, 28, 29, 31, Apr. 1; no gage-height record Dec. 16 to Jan. 17, Jan. 19 to Feb. 27; discharge computed on basis of weather records, records for Lake Payette River above Jumbo Creek, near McCall, Lake Fork Reservoir near McCall, and records for nearby streams.

PAYETTE RIVER BASIN

Lake Irrigation District Canal near McCall, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°54', long. 116°03', in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 13, T. 18 N., R. 3 E., 600 feet downstream from head of canal, half a mile south of Lake Fork Reservoir, and 3 miles southeast of McCall.

Records available.--May 1926 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 198 second-feet June 16 (gage height, 4.02 feet); no flow for long periods.

1926-49: Maximum discharge observed, 201 second-feet June 30, July 1, 1948 (gage height, 4.05 feet); no flow or small amount of leakage through head gate during non-irrigation seasons.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are poor. Staff gage read once or twice daily. No diversion between head and station. Canal diverts from right bank of Lake Fork Payette River in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 13, T. 18 N., R. 3 E., for irrigation of 6,800 acres of land near McCall and Norwood, in the Lake Irrigation District project.

Cooperation.--Gage readings furnished by Lake Irrigation District.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	a14	a8						0	125	163	105	42
2	a20	7						0	125	156	102	42
3	36							0	129	150	102	41
4	36							0	141	147	103	40
5	36							0	152	145	103	40
6	36	a7						a0	152	144	102	36
7	36							a0	154	138	101	28
8	8							a0	160	133	101	25
9	8							a0	167	131	100	25
10	8							a0	172	131	100	30
11	8							8	184	128	97	30
12	8							8	a185	131	93	28
13	8							14	a186	133	90	22
14	8							20	187	135	89	23
15	8							40	187	134	86	26
16	8							40	194	134	81	a24
17	8							52	195	135	79	20
18	8							55	197	135	78	a20
19	8							55	186	134	77	a19
20	8	a0						54	178	133	71	a18
21	8							54	172	132	67	a18
22	8							54	174	127	66	a17
23	8							59	174	122	64	a16
24	a8							66	167	122	63	a16
25	a8							77	166	122	59	a15
26	a8							88	172	122	58	a15
27	a8							95	177	122	56	a14
28	a8							a100	178	119	55	14
29	a8							121	175	119	52	a14
30	a8							121	170	116	42	a13
31	a8	-						125	-	112	42	-
Month								Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....								406	36	8	13.1	805
November.....								71	-	0	2.4	141
December.....								0	0	0	0	0
Calendar year 1948								12,012	201	0	32.8	25,820
January.....								0	0	0	0	0
February.....								0	0	0	0	0
March.....								0	0	0	0	0
April.....								0	0	0	0	0
May.....								1,312	125	0	42.3	2,600
June.....								5,081	197	125	169	10,080
July.....								4,105	163	112	132	8,140
August.....								2,484	105	42	80.1	4,930
September.....								731	42	13	24.4	1,450
Water year 1948-49								14,190	197	0	38.9	28,150

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of inflow-outflow study of Lake Fork Reservoir, record of gate changes, and records for Lake Fork Payette River below Lake Irrigation District Canal.

Weiser River at Tamarack, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°57', long. 116°23', in sec. 30, T. 19 N., R. 1 E., 0.4 mile southeast of Tamarack.

Drainage area.--36.5 square miles.

Records available---September 1936 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--13 years, 41.5 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 309 second-feet Apr. 20 (gage height, 3.86 feet); minimum daily, 3.4 second-feet Jan. 30 to Feb. 4; minimum gage height observed, 0.80 foot Oct. 9, 11, 13, 16, Aug. 22, 23.

1936-49: Maximum discharge observed, 775 second-feet Mar. 27, 1940 (gage height, 6.00 feet); minimum observed, 1.0 second-foot Sept. 2, 1947 (gage height, 0.55 feet).

Remarks.--Records fair except those for periods of ice effect, no gage-height record, indefinite stage-discharge relation, or when gage readings were not representative of mean for the day, which are poor. Gage read once daily. No diversions above station. Diurnal fluctuation caused by millpond at Tamarack. Small flow from Boulder Creek in Salmon River Basin enters Weiser River above station through transmountain diversion during late irrigation season.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	8.9	a12	a6.0	6.0	3.4	a15	67	211	22	a9.2	5.5	4.5
2	8.9	a18	a6.0	a6.0	a3.4	a15	a120	a220	20	9.2	5.5	4.5
3	a8.0	8.9	6.2	6.0	a3.4	15	a150	234	a20	8.5	5.5	4.8
4	a8.0	a7.0	a5.5	a5.5	a3.4	a14	a180	a180	19	9.0	5.5	a4.8
5	8.3	6.2	a6.0	5.5	3.6	15	194	131	17	a8.0	5.5	4.8
6	7.1	6.2	6.2	a5.5	a3.5	14	208	a128	16	8.0	5.0	4.8
7	7.7	6.2	5.8	a5.5	b3.5	a14	a250	126	a18	a7.5	a5.0	4.8
8	a7.5	a6.0	a6.0	5.5	a3.5	15	242	a130	16	a7.0	5.0	4.5
9	6.5	a6.0	a6.2	a5.3	a3.5	a16	266	a135	14	7.5	5.0	4.5
10	a6.5	5.8	a6.2	4.8	a3.5	17	a230	a140	a13	a7.5	5.0	4.8
11	6.5	6.8	a6.2	a5.0	a3.5	a18	279	139	13	7.5	5.0	a5.5
12	a6.5	a6.8	a6.6	5.5	b3.5	21	a270	126	12	7.0	5.0	5.0
13	6.5	6.8	a6.4	a6.0	a4.0	28	260	109	12	7.0	5.0	5.0
14	a6.5	a6.8	a6.4	a6.0	b4.0	a40	225	98	12	a7.0	a5.0	5.0
15	a7.0	a6.8	a6.2	5.8	a4.0	50	232	a82	a12	a7.0	5.0	5.0
16	6.5	6.8	a5.8	a6.0	a4.0	a60	240	70	12	7.0	5.0	5.0
17	a6.2	a6.8	a5.0	b6.0	b4.0	a70	a250	a64	a12	7.0	5.0	5.0
18	a6.4	a6.4	a4.5	*b6.0	a4.5	103	254	57	12	7.0	5.0	a5.0
19	7.1	*7.1	a5.0	5.5	b5.0	115	268	a52	a12	a7.0	5.0	a5.0
20	a7.0	7.7	a6	a5.5	b6.0	133	309	a48	13	7.0	5.0	a5.0
21	7.1	6.0	a6.0	a5.5	a6.5	a120	290	44	a12	a7.0	a5.0	a5.0
22	a7.7	a6.0	a5.8	5.5	b8.0	109	a260	a43	a12	a7.0	5.0	a5.0
23	7.1	a6.0	a5.8	5.5	*b9.0	a110	273	42	12	7.0	5.0	a5.0
24	a7.0	6.0	a5.8	a5.5	a11	118	a300	41	a11	7.0	5.0	a5.0
25	7.1	a6.0	a6.0	5.0	b13	a122	271	a35	10	6.5	5.0	a5.0
26	a7.0	6.5	a6.2	a5.0	b13	*97	252	a30	a10	6.5	5.0	a5.0
27	a6.6	a5.5	6.5	5.0	a14	80	a240	26	a10	6.0	5.0	a5.0
28	a6.5	a6.0	a6.3	a5.0	b14	a72	a250	26	10	6.0	a4.8	a5.0
29	6.5	a6.0	6.0	3.6	-	a66	203	26	a10	6.0	4.8	a6.0
30	a6.5	5.0	a6.0	3.4	-	a66	205	a28	9.2	6.0	4.5	a6.0
31	7.1	-	a5.7	a3.4	-	70	-	24	-	a5.5	4.5	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	219.8	8.9	6.2	7.09	436
November.....	210.1	18	5.0	7.00	417
December.....	184.5	6.6	4.5	5.95	366
Calendar year 1948.....	21,152.2	628	4.5	57.8	43,950
January.....	165.3	60	3.4	5.33	328
February.....	165.7	14	3.4	5.92	329
March.....	1,818	133	14	58.6	3,610
April.....	7,038	309	67	235	13,960
May.....	2,845	234	24	91.8	5,640
June.....	403.2	22	9.2	13.4	800
July.....	221.4	9.2	5.5	7.14	439
August.....	156.1	5.5	4.5	5.04	310
September.....	149.3	6.0	4.5	4.98	296
Water year 1948-49.....	13,576.4	309	3.4	37.2	26,930

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge interpolated or computed on basis of weather records and records for other Weiser River stations.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation indefinite because of beaver dams or gage readings not representative of mean for day Nov. 30, July 3 to Sept. 17; discharge computed on basis of 3 discharge measurements, weather records, and records for Weiser River at Starkey and Mud Creek near Tamarack.

WEISER RIVER BASIN

Weiser River at Starkey, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°51', long. 116°27', in sec. 34, T. 18 N., R. 1 W., at Starkey Hot Springs, 200 feet upstream from Warm Springs Creek and 10 miles north of Council.

Drainage area.--106 square miles.

Records available.--August to September 1920, March 1939 to October 1949 (discontinued). Average discharge.--10 years (1939-49), 128 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during period October 1948 to October 1949, 786 second-feet Apr. 20 (gage height, 4.32 feet); minimum, 13 second-feet Aug. 29, Sept. 2 (gage height, 1.39 feet).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during October 1948 to October 1949, 786 second-feet Apr. 20 (gage height, 4.32 feet); minimum, 13 second-feet Aug. 29, Sept. 2 (gage height, 1.39 feet).

1920, 1939-49: Maximum discharge, 2,450 second-feet Mar. 27, 1940 (gage height, 6.00 feet), from rating curve extended above 700 second-feet by logarithmic plotting; minimum, 8.0 second-feet Aug. 31, 1939, Aug. 23, 1940; minimum gage height, 1.04 feet Aug. 31, 1939.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Diurnal fluctuation at low flow caused by millpond at Tamarack. Several small diversions from river and tributaries above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

1948-49

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	21	55	30	39	28	61	244	465	159	38	18	14
2	21	86	34	40	28	65	315	545	140	36	18	14
3	20	78	36	38	28	74	370	622	129	35	17	14
4	26	56	27	35	27	89	453	541	120	29	17	14
5	30	44	33	35	26	96	520	453	117	28	16	14
6	26	40	35	35	26	104	572	405	120	29	16	15
7	25	34	30	35	25	109	622	386	140	28	16	14
8	22	30	34	35	26	107	581	405	124	27	17	14
9	21	30	36	34	26	101	585	433	114	26	16	14
10	21	36	36	33	24	98	563	465	107	26	16	15
11	21	35	36	32	25	104	608	490	104	24	16	18
12	20	34	38	32	25	114	626	478	95	24	17	18
13	20	33	37	32	26	122	541	449	88	22	18	17
14	20	33	37	32	27	131	469	425	82	22	17	17
15	21	34	36	32	29	144	457	401	75	22	17	17
16	20	34	27	32	28	164	490	367	74	23	17	17
17	20	34	20	*30	29	183	567	311	67	22	17	16
18	20	26	22	30	31	264	636	270	65	22	17	17
19	20	35	27	30	33	340	684	238	63	21	17	17
20	21	*35	37	30	35	333	745	229	62	20	16	17
21	20	31	35	30	37	297	655	212	58	20	16	17
22	21	31	30	30	*38	273	576	196	56	20	16	16
23	19	31	29	29	50	277	599	186	52	20	16	16
24	20	33	32	29	57	280	669	173	49	20	16	17
25	20	31	33	28	56	294	613	166	48	20	16	17
26	21	30	36	27	56	251	550	166	47	19	16	17
27	27	27	38	27	58	*212	520	171	45	20	15	16
28	27	31	38	27	58	181	545	171	44	20	15	18
29	27	26	40	27	-	164	590	196	44	20	14	21
30	30	21	40	27	-	169	515	199	40	19	14	20
31	35	-	38	28	-	186	-	178	-	18	14	-

Peak discharge (base, 500 sec.-ft.).--Apr. 7 (1 a.m.) 660 sec.-ft.; Apr. 20 (3:30 a.m.) 786 sec.-ft.; May 3 (2 a.m.) 645 sec.-ft.; May 11 (10 to 12 p.m.) 507 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 18 to Feb. 24 (no gage-height record Dec. 23-25, Dec. 27 to Jan. 2, Jan. 4-8, 10-15, 19, 20, 22-29, Jan. 30 to Feb. 9, Feb. 13-15; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for station near Cambridge and other nearby streams).

1949

Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge
Oct. 1	22	Oct. 6	27	Oct. 11	25
2	19	7	26	12	28
3	20	8	25	13	28
4	20	9	24	14	28
5	28	10	25	15	28

Monthly discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October 1948	703	35	19	22.7	1,390
November	1,114	86	21	37.1	2,210
December	1,037	40	20	33.5	2,060
Calendar year 1948	57,414	1,270	15	157	113,900
January 1949	980	40	27	31.6	1,940
February	962	58	24	34.4	1,910
March	5,387	340	61	174	10,680
April	16,480	745	244	549	32,690
May	10,392	622	166	335	20,610
June	2,528	159	40	84.3	5,010
July	740	38	18	23.9	1,470
August	504	18	14	16.3	1,000
September	488	21	14	16.3	968
Water year 1948-49	41,315	745	14	113	81,940
October 1-15, 1949	373	28	19	24.9	740

Weiser River near Council, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°41', long. 116°29', in sec. 29, T. 16 N., R. 1 W., 0.7 mile downstream from Cottonwood Creek, 2 miles upstream from Middle Fork, and 3½ miles southwest of Council.

Drainage area.--390 square miles.

Records available.--April 1937 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--12 years, 410 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 2,320 second-feet Mar. 18 (gage height, 6.09 feet); minimum, 36 second-feet July 9 (gage height, 0.71 foot).

1937-49: Maximum discharge, 6,700 second-feet Mar. 16 or 17, 1938 (gage height, 7.6 feet, from floodmark, site and datum then in use), from rating curve extended above 3,500 second-feet; minimum, 22 second-feet June 29, 1940.

Remarks.--Records good except those for Dec. 16 to Feb. 11, June 10-16, which are fair, and those for Feb. 12-25, which are poor. Flow partly regulated by Lost Valley Reservoir (see p. 193) and other reservoirs. Many diversions above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	62	101	78	100	78	*533	660	1,190	519	63	80	51
2	63	217	107	100	78	561	786	1,290	446	54	80	48
3	63	188	111	95	76	660	890	1,410	400	50	58	55
4	69	134	88	90	74	846	1,020	1,260	382	48	58	58
5	88	106	91	90	72	955	1,180	1,100	379	44	57	59
6	78	98	93	90	72	1,040	1,300	1,000	373	40	58	57
7	74	85	87	90	70	1,040	1,410	985	427	37	59	59
8	72	73	94	90	76	970	1,340	1,040	376	37	59	61
9	68	73	93	90	76	895	1,380	1,100	353	37	59	61
10	67	85	96	84	66	875	1,340	1,210	306	50	59	64
11	66	85	99	84	65	900	1,410	1,350	296	58	56	69
12	64	82	132	84	66	1,100	1,490	1,380	275	59	57	70
13	66	81	132	84	80	1,140	1,310	1,370	240	61	61	70
14	66	78	125	84	90	1,140	1,130	1,320	205	59	58	69
15	68	81	116	84	120	1,230	1,080	1,270	181	54	57	69
16	69	88	100	84	140	1,380	1,140	1,250	154	50	57	106
17	66	96	80	84	160	1,340	1,280	1,120	140	47	57	119
18	67	74	70	84	200	1,890	1,470	990	136	45	59	118
19	68	84	87	*83	260	1,930	1,620	875	142	40	60	118
20	68	90	120	84	340	1,670	1,790	846	144	38	59	114
21	68	85	100	84	459	1,470	1,600	782	130	39	58	114
22	67	82	80	84	502	1,260	1,430	721	116	58	57	109
23	67	82	80	84	750	1,180	1,420	680	109	66	55	106
24	66	*91	80	84	700	1,100	1,550	652	99	68	55	104
25	66	88	85	78	660	1,040	1,470	621	90	67	55	102
26	66	84	95	76	579	900	1,330	602	87	68	56	101
27	66	77	100	76	547	768	1,270	613	84	66	56	99
28	67	82	100	78	536	648	1,300	610	77	66	54	99
29	67	75	105	78	-	576	1,410	613	77	63	54	109
30	68	84	105	76	-	561	1,290	629	73	62	52	111
31	72	-	100	80	-	569	-	554	-	60	50	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	2,112	88	62	68.1	4,190
November.....	2,809	217	64	93.6	5,570
December.....	3,031	132	70	97.8	6,010
Calendar year 1948.....	176,800	3,090	54	483	350,600
January.....	2,636	100	76	85.0	5,230
February.....	6,994	750	65	250	13,870
March.....	32,167	1,930	533	1,038	63,800
April.....	39,096	1,790	660	1,305	77,550
May.....	30,433	1,410	554	982	60,360
June.....	8,802	519	73	227	13,490
July.....	1,654	68	37	53.4	3,280
August.....	1,772	61	50	57.2	3,510
September.....	2,549	119	48	85.0	5,060
Water year 1948-49.....	132,055	1,930	37	362	261,900

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 16 to Feb. 20, Feb. 23, 24.

Weiser River near Cambridge, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°35', long. 116°38', in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 1, T. 14 N., R. 3 W., 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ miles northeast of Cambridge and 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles upstream from Rush Creek.

Drainage area.--605 square miles.

Records available.--March 1939 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--10 years, 642 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 4,010 second-feet Mar. 18 (gage height, 6.94 feet); minimum discharge, 44 second-feet Aug. 18 (gage height, 0.85 foot); minimum daily, 48 second-feet July 20, 21.

1939-49: Maximum discharge, 6,670 second-feet Mar. 31, 1940 (gage height, 8.30 feet); minimum, 23 second-feet Oct. 1, 1943 (gage height, 0.78 foot); minimum daily, 27 second-feet Sept. 2, 3, 1940.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are fair, and those for periods of ice effect, which are poor. Flow partly regulated by Lost Valley Reservoir (see p. 193) and other reservoirs. Diversions above station for irrigation.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

Oct. 1 to Feb. 28

Mar. 1 to Sept. 30

1.1	73	2.4	379	0.8	39	2.0	273	4.8	1,840
1.2	87	2.8	535	0.9	49	2.4	412	5.6	2,570
1.4	119	3.2	729	1.1	73	2.8	574	6.3	3,290
1.7	180	3.6	965	1.3	105	3.3	823		
2.0	255	4.2	1,350	1.6	168	4.0	1,260		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	94	136	105	a160	116	964	940	1,840	1,160	139	64	49
2	92	376	154	a160	116	994	1,080	2,000	1,000	120	64	49
3	88	307	178	a150	114	1,120	1,200	2,160	886	113	63	49
4	92	234	128	a140	110	1,500	1,340	1,930	852	105	59	57
5	152	165	138	a140	107	1,650	1,540	1,700	857	96	57	58
6	121	146	144	h138	107	1,840	1,680	1,600	857	86	57	60
7	110	127	119	a140	104	1,920	1,810	1,640	946	78	58	60
8	107	110	142	a140	112	1,740	1,720	1,760	852	72	59	63
9	100	102	142	a140	114	1,600	1,800	1,940	747	70	60	63
10	96	123	146	a130	100	1,560	1,750	2,170	675	70	60	66
11	94	130	152	a130	b100	1,630	1,870	2,480	632	86	60	74
12	93	127	199	a130	b100	2,070	1,980	2,600	574	79	59	79
13	92	125	222	h128	b120	2,130	1,760	2,660	499	76	60	80
14	88	123	216	a130	b140	2,120	1,550	2,620	443	70	61	80
15	92	128	199	a130	b180	2,190	1,490	2,560	412	64	60	82
16	94	132	162	a130	212	2,400	1,560	2,510	374	60	58	98
17	92	146	a120	a130	232	2,320	1,790	2,300	345	57	58	124
18	90	117	a90	h128	310	2,970	2,040	1,990	321	53	58	128
19	93	123	a138	a130	b450	3,280	2,190	1,760	318	51	60	120
20	93	134	a190	*127	b750	2,790	2,410	1,700	331	48	58	114
21	93	132	h165	125	*b680	2,450	2,160	1,620	292	48	58	114
22	92	127	a120	127	b750	2,130	1,930	1,490	270	51	58	111
23	92	127	a115	125	b1,100	1,950	1,960	1,420	247	69	57	105
24	87	132	a120	123	b1,300	1,750	2,240	1,350	228	69	56	105
25	92	134	a130	116	b1,150	1,620	2,150	1,320	207	69	56	105
26	92	132	a150	112	b1,050	1,390	2,000	1,320	190	69	56	102
27	93	116	a160	114	b1,000	1,210	1,960	1,360	187	69	55	102
28	92	125	a160	116	b960	1,000	2,040	1,350	170	68	52	100
29	94	114	h162	116	-	880	2,160	1,330	163	68	53	124
30	96	77	a160	114	-	852	1,980	1,400	154	65	52	128
31	99	-	a160	117	-	840	-	1,220	-	64	49	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	2,995	152	87	96.6	5,940
November.....	4,327	376	77	144	8,580
December.....	4,686	222	90	151	9,290
Calendar year 1948	263,937	4,060	58	721	523,600
January.....	4,036	-	112	130	8,010
February.....	11,684	1,160	100	417	23,170
March.....	54,860	3,280	840	1,770	108,800
April.....	54,080	2,410	940	1,803	107,300
May.....	57,080	2,660	1,220	1,841	113,200
June.....	15,189	1,160	154	506	30,130
July.....	2,302	139	48	74.3	4,570
August.....	1,795	64	49	57.9	3,560
September.....	2,649	128	49	88.3	5,250
Water year 1948-49	215,683	3,280	48	591	427,800

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for stations near Council and near Weiser and nearby streams.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

h Computed from wire-weight gage reading.

Weiser River above Crane Creek, near Weiser, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°18', long. 116°48', in sec. 10, T. 11 N., R. 4 W., 1 mile upstream from Crane Creek and 9 miles northeast of Weiser.

Drainage area.--1,160 square miles.

Records available.--July 1920 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--28 years (1921-49), 859 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 6,560 second-feet Mar. 19; maximum gage height, 8.59 feet Feb. 23 (ice jam); minimum discharge, 27 second-feet Sept. 5 (gage height, 0.80 foot).

1920-49: Maximum discharge, 16,900 second-feet Mar. 19, 1932 (gage height, 10.8 feet, from floodmarks), from rating curve extended above 9,000 second-feet by logarithmic plotting; minimum, 5 second-feet (estimated) Aug. 11 to Sept. 10, 1931.

Remarks.--Records good except those for Nov. 30 to Feb. 10, which are fair, and those for Feb. 11 to Mar. 5, July 1-20, which are poor. Flow partly regulated by Lost Valley Reservoir (see p. 193) and other reservoirs. Diversions above station for irrigation.

Revisions (water years).--W 903: 1932(M).

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	153	156	*110	210	160	1,600	1,340	2,370	1,940	143	48	34
2	143	306	220	210	160	1,600	1,500	2,520	1,610	127	48	31
3	140	429	230	200	160	1,900	1,620	2,760	1,420	124	48	32
4	140	402	180	190	150	2,500	1,780	2,520	1,350	118	50	30
5	167	278	190	190	150	2,900	2,010	2,210	1,350	110	52	30
6	219	223	200	180	150	3,100	2,220	2,010	1,360	99	50	37
7	185	204	170	180	150	3,300	2,440	2,020	1,390	88	47	42
8	167	185	190	180	160	3,000	2,400	2,180	1,360	77	44	50
9	160	160	190	180	160	2,600	2,430	2,460	1,180	68	44	52
10	153	156	200	170	150	2,500	2,390	2,790	1,060	79	41	52
11	143	178	210	170	140	2,600	2,460	3,230	968	81	41	55
12	140	185	275	170	140	3,500	2,660	3,520	880	81	45	66
13	137	181	300	170	170	3,500	2,500	3,690	778	73	48	70
14	134	178	290	170	225	3,500	2,140	3,690	697	68	47	73
15	130	178	270	170	300	3,700	1,980	3,740	608	64	48	77
16	130	181	240	170	350	*4,270	2,020	3,720	549	61	52	84
17	130	192	170	170	*450	4,370	2,220	3,590	499	55	53	96
18	124	200	130	170	540	5,020	2,580	3,100	463	48	42	118
19	127	170	200	170	800	5,830	2,800	2,700	446	44	45	118
20	127	189	250	170	1,300	4,780	3,090	2,550	452	41	45	112
21	127	196	220	170	1,200	4,250	2,900	2,520	418	40	55	112
22	127	189	170	170	1,400	3,740	2,560	2,260	359	38	53	115
23	127	185	160	*170	2,100	3,530	2,500	2,180	354	38	57	112
24	124	185	170	170	2,600	2,900	2,800	2,100	310	38	52	107
25	124	192	180	160	2,400	2,640	2,800	2,010	269	41	41	104
26	127	196	200	160	2,000	2,260	2,600	1,990	235	42	41	102
27	130	174	210	160	1,700	2,020	2,500	2,030	211	42	42	96
28	130	170	210	160	1,600	1,630	2,560	2,060	192	45	45	96
29	130	164	210	160	-	1,410	2,740	2,020	170	47	45	96
30	134	140	210	160	-	1,340	2,610	2,150	156	47	40	124
31	137	-	210	160	-	1,260	-	1,870	-	48	38	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	4,366	219	124	141	8,660
November.....	6,122	429	140	204	12,140
December.....	6,365	300	110	205	12,620
Calendar year 1948	367,831	5,360	57	1,005	729,600
January.....	5,390	210	160	174	10,690
February.....	20,965	2,600	140	749	41,580
March.....	92,850	5,830	1,260	2,995	184,200
April.....	71,150	3,090	1,340	2,372	141,100
May.....	80,560	3,740	1,870	2,599	159,800
June.....	23,014	1,940	156	767	45,650
July.....	2,115	143	38	68.2	4,200
August.....	1,447	57	38	46.7	2,870
September.....	2,323	124	30	77.4	4,610
Water year 1948-49	316,667	5,830	30	868	628,100

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 30 to Mar. 15 (no gage-height record Dec. 12 to Jan. 22, Jan. 24 to Feb. 16, Feb. 24 to Mar. 3; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for other Weiser River stations and nearby streams).

WEISER RIVER BASIN

West Fork Weiser River near Fruitvale, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°50', long. 116°28', in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 9, T. 17 N., R. 1 W., at bridge $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles northwest of Fruitvale and $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles upstream from mouth.

Drainage area.--78 square miles.

Records available.--October 1910 to January 1913, October 1919 to September 1925, April 1937 to October 1949 (discontinued).

Average discharge.--17 years (1911-12, 1919-22, 1924-25, 1937-49), 92.5 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during period October 1948 to October 1949, 578 second-feet Apr. 20 (gage height, 3.95 feet); minimum observed, 6.6 second-feet Nov. 8, July 7-9; minimum gage height observed, 1.37 feet July 7-9.

1910-12, 1919-25, 1937-49: Maximum discharge observed, 1,170 second-feet Mar. 31, 1940; minimum observed, 0.5 second-foot July 23-27, 1911.

Remarks.--Records fair except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Gage usually read once daily. Several diversions above and below station for irrigation. Flow regulated by Lost Valley Reservoir (see following page).

Revisions.--W 833: Drainage area.

Discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

1948

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	9.4	14	10	16	a12	56	101	408	30	9.7	49	45
2	9.7	23		16	a12	59	125	408	27	9.4	49	45
3	9.0	17	19	16	a12	61	140	425	24	9.4	47	57
4	19	14	13	15	a11	81	163	416	23	7.2	47	56
5	10	13	12	15	a11	95	199	376	20	7.6	47	54
6	12	11	15	a15	a11	104	211	330	19	7.6	47	54
7	10	9.7	13	15	11	107	248	309	22	6.6	48	57
8	10	6.6	14	15	11	114	235	323	17	6.6	48	57
9	10	10	15	15	11	a100	248	345	14	6.6	48	57
10	10	14	15	14	10	83	242	376	13	37	47	57
11	9.7	14	16	13	10	89	254	416	12	32	47	57
12	10	14	17	13	10	95	288	450	11	39	47	57
13	10	10	18	13	11	101	248	450	9.7	41	47	57
14	10	12	16	13	13	110	229	425	9.4	34	47	57
15	11	12	15	13	15	121	242	392	9.0	30	48	57
16	10	12	13	13	17	132	288	376	8.3	26	48	101
17	10	12	10	13	19	153	353	330	8.0	22	48	101
18	9.7	11	12	13	21	178	441	281	7.2	20	48	101
19	9.7	13	14	*13	24	229	512	242	7.2	16	49	98
20	9.4	*14	16	13	27	229	578	223	9.4	15	48	98
21	9.4	13	15	13	30	194	526	194	7.6	17	48	98
22	9.0	12	14	13	40	163	467	178	8.0	49	48	95
23	9.0	12	13	13	60	168	476	153	8.0	50	49	92
24	9.0	13	14	13	56	163	503	145	8.0	50	45	92
25	9.4	11	14	13	49	153	485	132	7.6	50	45	89
26	9.4	11	15	12	47	132	450	110	7.6	53	45	89
27	10	11	18	12	50	110	433	107	8.6	49	45	89
28	9.4	13	18	12	*54	93	101	9.4	49	45	83	
29	9.4	14	17	a12	-	81	467	54	10	51	45	83
30	9.7	7.2	17	a12	-	78	441	37	10	52	45	81
31	10	-	16	a12	-	82	-	32	-	50	45	-

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records, records for Lost Creek near Tamarack, and inflow between stations on Weiser River at Starkey and near Council.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 18, 19, 26, 27, Dec. 1, Dec. 6 to Feb. 23.

1949

Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge
Oct. 1	81	Oct. 6	86	Oct. 11	34
2	98	7	82	12	16
3	98	8	83	13	12
4	92	9	81	14	11
5	92	10	57	15	12

Monthly discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October 1948	303.3	12	9.0	9.78	602
November	375.5	25	6.6	12.4	741
December	463	19	10	14.9	918
Calendar year 1948	42,359.8	858	6.6	116	84,020
January 1949	419	16	12	13.5	831
February	365	60	10	23.8	1,320
March	3,714	229	56	120	7,370
April	10,026	578	101	334	19,890
May	8,544	450	32	276	16,950
June	585.0	30	7.2	12.8	764
July	902.7	53	6.6	29.1	1,790
August	1,459	49	45	47.1	2,890
September	2,214	101	45	73.8	4,390
Water year 1948-49	29,468.5	578	6.6	80.7	58,460
October 1-15, 1949	935	98	11	62.3	1,850

Lost Valley Reservoir near Tamarack, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°57'30", long. 116°28', in sec. 28, T. 19 N., R. 1 W., a short distance upstream from outlet gates near left end of dam on Lost Creek, 4 miles west of Tamarack and 16 miles north of Council. Datum of gage is 4,748.8 feet above mean sea level (river-profile survey).

Drainage area.--29.4 square miles.

Records available.--May to September 1924, May 1926 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum gage height observed during year, 25.44 feet June 28; minimum observed, 10.27 feet Sept. 30.

1924, 1926-49: Maximum gage height observed, 26.90 feet May 14, 1940; no storage at times during several years prior to 1938.

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by earth dam completed in 1910 and raised 6 feet in 1929. Permanent spillway crest is at gage height 22.26 feet; flashboard structure built in 1938 to permit storage to gage height about 26 feet. Water is used for irrigation of lands in Weiser River Basin.

Cooperation.--Several gage readings furnished by Lost Valley Reservoir Co.

Revisions.--W 833: Drainage area.

Gage height, in feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1							19.76	-	24.20	-	-	-
2								-	-	-	-	18.50
3								-	-	-	-	-
4								-	-	-	-	-
5								-	-	-	-	-
6								-	-	-	-	-
7								-	24.76	-	-	-
8								-	-	-	-	-
9	17.20							-	-	-	-	-
10								24.60	-	-	-	-
11								-	-	-	-	-
12								-	-	-	-	-
13								-	-	-	-	-
14								-	-	-	-	-
15								-	-	-	-	-
16								-	-	-	-	-
17								-	-	-	-	-
18								-	-	-	-	-
19								-	25.24	-	20.60	-
20		17.60						24.40	-	-	-	-
21								-	-	24.60	-	13.53
22								-	-	-	-	-
23								-	-	-	-	-
24								-	-	24.14	-	-
25								-	-	-	-	-
26								-	-	-	-	-
27								-	-	-	-	-
28								23.60	25.44	-	-	-
29								-	-	-	18.92	-
30								-	-	-	-	10.27
31		-					-	-	-	-	-	-

Lost Creek near Tamarack, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°57', long. 116°28', in sec. 28, T. 19 N., R. 1 W., a quarter of a mile downstream from dam of Lost Valley Reservoir, 4 miles west of Tamarack, and 16 miles north of Council. Datum of gage is 4,723.6 feet above mean sea level (river-profile survey).

Drainage area.--29.4 square miles.

Records available.--January 1910 to August 1914, May 1920 to September 1921, May 1924 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--19 years (1930-49), 36.9 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 350 second-feet May 12 (gage height, 3.08 feet); minimum, 2 second-feet June 7-19; minimum gage height, 0.94 foot June 12.
1910-14, 1920-21, 1924-49: Maximum discharge, about 688 second-feet May 17, 18, 1921 (gage height, 4.29 feet); practically no flow at times when gates in dam were closed.

Remarks.--Records good except those below 10 second-feet and those for periods of no gage-height record, which are fair. No diversion between reservoir and station; practically entire flow diverted below station during irrigation season. Flow regulated since 1910 by Lost Valley Reservoir (see preceding page).

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by Lost Valley Reservoir Co.

Revisions.--W 833: Drainage area.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	8	7	7	7	7	7	8	234	5	6	53	51
2	8	7	7	7	7	7	8	238	5	6	53	61
3	8	7	7	7	7	7	8	312	4	6	53	69
4	8	7	7	7	7	7	9	308	4	6	54	69
5	8	7	7	7	7	7	9	260	4	5	54	68
6	8	7	7	7	7	8	9	235	4	5	53	68
7	8	7	7	7	7	8	9	225	3	5	53	66
8	8	7	7	7	7	8	9	225	2	7	52	66
9	8	7	7	7	7	8	9	241	2	29	53	66
10	7	7	7	7	7	8	9	264	2	35	53	66
11	7	7	7	7	7	8	10	308	2	35	53	66
12	7	7	7	7	7	8	22	340	2	40	52	65
13	7	7	7	7	7	8	45	329	2	36	52	65
14	7	7	7	7	7	8	61	308	2	32	52	65
15	7	7	7	7	7	8	85	294	2	26	52	68
16	7	7	7	7	7	8	106	270	2	22	52	109
17	7	7	7	7	7	8	138	250	2	19	52	108
18	8	7	7	7	7	8	176	222	2	16	52	106
19	7	7	7	7	7	8	216	202	3	14	53	104
20	7	7	7	7	7	8	264	184	3	13	53	102
21	7	7	7	7	7	8	287	165	3	39	53	102
22	7	7	7	7	7	8	284	153	4	54	52	101
23	6	7	7	7	7	8	277	141	4	53	52	98
24	7	7	7	7	7	8	290	130	5	53	53	98
25	7	7	7	7	7	8	298	116	5	54	52	96
26	7	7	7	7	7	8	290	102	6	54	52	94
27	7	7	7	7	7	8	284	94	6	54	51	93
28	7	7	7	7	7	8	280	71	6	53	51	92
29	7	7	7	7	7	8	298	21	6	53	51	90
30	7	7	7	7	7	8	301	5	6	54	51	88
31	7	7	7	7	7	8	-	5	-	54	51	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	226	8	6	7.3	488
November.....	210	7	7	7.0	417
December.....	217	7	7	7.0	430
Calendar year 1948.....	19,462	441	5	53.2	38,610
January.....	217	7	7	7.0	430
February.....	196	7	7	7.0	389
March.....	243	8	7	7.8	492
April.....	4,097	301	8	137	8,130
May.....	6,372	340	5	206	12,640
June.....	108	6	2	3.6	214
July.....	938	54	5	30.3	1,860
August.....	1,623	54	51	52.4	3,220
September.....	2,480	109	51	82.7	4,920
Water year 1948-49.....	16,927	340	2	46.4	33,580

Note.--No gage-height record Dec. 15 to Mar. 31 when gates were nearly closed and were not reset; discharge computed on basis of records for adjacent periods and reservoir records.

Middle Fork Weiser River near Mesa, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°39', long. 116°27', in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 10, T. 15 N., R. 1 W., at old highway bridge, $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles north of Mesa and $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles upstream from mouth.

Drainage area.--86.5 square miles.

Records available.--August 1919 to November 1921, April 1937 to October 1949 (discontinued). October 1910 to August 1913 at site three-quarters of a mile upstream.

Average discharge.--12 years (1937-49), 118 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during period October 1948 to October 1949, 725 second-feet May 14; maximum gage height observed, 4.60 feet Feb. 11 (ice jam); minimum discharge observed, 0.1 second-foot Aug. 30, 31, Sept. 2-4; minimum gage height observed, 1.28 feet Sept. 2, 3.

1919-21, 1937-49: Maximum discharge observed, 1,380 second-feet May 1, 1938, from rating curve extended above 1,000 second-feet; no flow at times in 1937, 1939-41.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect, which are fair, and those below 0.5 second-foot, which are poor. Gage read twice daily. Mesa Orchards Canal diverts about $6\frac{1}{2}$ miles above station.

Rating table, Oct. 1, 1948, to Oct. 15, 1949, except periods of ice effect

(Gage height, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used June 26 to Oct. 15, 1949)

1.5	0.1	1.8	2.8	2.1	16	2.4	50	2.7	116	3.5	450
1.6	.2	1.9	6.0	2.2	24	2.5	68	2.9	180	4.0	725
1.7	.8	2.0	10	2.3	35	2.6	90	3.1	260		

Discharge, in second-feet. 1948-49

1948-49

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	19	31	26	28	20	163	111	365	450	50	0.4	0.2
2	16	166	30	28	20	137	113	375	395	47	.6	.1
3	15	106	32	27	20	153	128	410	365	40	.6	.1
4	21	40	25	27	20	149	134	395	360	35	.4	.1
5	24	30	26	27	20	160	184	314	360	33	.4	.2
6	27	27	27	27	20	163	214	336	360	28	.5	.2
7	20	20	30	27	20	156	231	355	360	26	.4	.2
8	19	16	33	27	20	125	243	405	360	22	.4	.2
9	18	19	33	27	20	108	256	495	314	22	.5	.2
10	16	28	33	25	20	103	274	577	296	22	.6	.2
11	18	26	34	25	19	106	287	577	278	20	.3	.2
12	18	23	33	25	19	180	292	654	269	16	.2	.4
13	18	26	41	25	19	153	260	643	260	14	.3	.4
14	18	31	36	26	21	160	256	701	243	11	.2	.3
15	18	30	32	25	23	156	239	695	214	9.5	.2	.2
16	16	27	25	25	26	180	282	658	146	8.6	.2	.3
17	14	27	20	25	30	188	360	616	137	8.2	.2	.3
18	13	28	23	25	40	278	380	555	131	7.8	.2	.4
19	12	27	24	25	65	269	425	544	111	6.4	.2	.4
20	12	26	26	*23	55	235	390	566	111	5.7	.2	.5
21	12	27	27	23	60	218	350	516	93	4.7	.2	.6
22	12	28	24	23	*80	210	310	511	77	4.1	.2	.5
23	12	27	22	23	150	146	405	522	72	3.8	.2	.5
24	12	*27	23	23	137	140	410	485	68	3.1	.2	.6
25	14	30	25	22	122	134	390	490	64	2.0	.2	.6
26	15	27	27	22	111	103	380	495	64	3.8	.3	.6
27	16	26	28	22	111	*103	420	490	63	2.2	.2	.6
28	16	27	28	22	116	90	440	500	57	.8	.2	8.6
29	16	27	28	23	-	93	410	572	54	.6	.2	30
30	18	22	28	23	-	86	365	500	54	.4	.1	27
31	22	-	28	22	-	85	-	465	-	.4	.1	-

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 30 to Dec. 9, Dec. 15 to Feb. 23.

1949

Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge
Oct. 1	10	Oct. 6	19	Oct. 11	14
2	8.6	7	16	12	15
3	9.1	8	16	13	16
4	10	9	18	14	16
5	48	10	18	15	16

Monthly discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October 1948	517	27	12	16.7	1,030
November	1,024	166	16	34.1	2,030
December	877	41	20	28.3	1,740
Calendar year 1948	46,516.7	965	.6	127	92,260
January 1949	766	28	22	24.7	1,520
February	1,404	150	19	50.1	2,780
March	4,728	278	83	153	9,580
April	8,939	440	111	298	17,730
May	15,762	701	314	508	31,280
June	6,186	450	54	206	12,270
July	458.1	50	.4	14.8	909
August	9.1	.6	.1	.29	18
September	74.7	30	.1	2.49	148
Water year 1948-49	40,744.9	701	.1	112	80,820
October 1-15, 1949	249.7	48	8.6	16.6	495

WEISER RIVER BASIN

Mesa Orchards Canal near Mesa, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°38', long. 116°25', in sec. 14, T. 15 N., R. 1 W., 1,500 feet upstream from end of flume, 1½ miles northeast of Mesa, and 3 miles downstream from head gates.

Records available.--1924, 1928-49 (irrigation seasons only except 1947-49).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 36 second-feet June 24, 25, July 5-16, 19-22, 25-28; maximum gage height observed, 2.56 feet June 24, 25, July 6, 12-15, 22; no flow for long periods during nonirrigation season.
1924, 1928-49: Maximum discharge observed, 39 second-feet July 17, 1945, July 18-23, 27, 30, 1947; maximum gage height observed, 2.71 feet July 18, 21-23, 1947; no flow during nonirrigation seasons.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are poor. Gages usually read twice daily and gate changes noted. Canal diverts from Middle Fork Weiser River in SE¼NW¼ sec. 9, T. 15 N., R. 1 E., for irrigation of Mesa orchards and for domestic supply of Mesa. Flow regulated by gates in diversion dam and waste gates in flume above gage.

Cooperation.--Gage readings furnished by The Mesa Co.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	a6.5						0	14	35	33	32	18
2							0	15	31	33	30	18
3							0	16	30	a34	30	19
4							0	14	29	a35	29	a19
5							0	11	30	36	28	a19
6	6.6						0	12	30	36	28	a18
7							0	15	31	36	25	18
8							0	15	31	36	27	18
9							0	18	30	36	27	18
10							0	22	31	36	27	18
11							0	23	33	35	26	17
12							0	31	34	36	26	20
13							0	28	34	36	28	20
14							0	32	34	36	a27	19
15							0	35	35	36	25	18
16	a6.5						0	32	34	35	25	19
17							0	32	35	35	23	18
18							0	34	33	34	23	17
19							0	34	33	36	24	17
20							0	33	33	36	23	17
21							10	29	33	36	a22	17
22							18	28	35	36	21	17
23							20	22	35	35	22	16
24							23	8.5	36	34	21	18
25							12	22	34	35	22	14
26	a5.0						13	30	32	35	21	15
27							17	35	32	35	21	14
28							17	34	33	35	a20	14
29							21	34	34	34	19	11
30							21	34	34	33	19	11
31							-	31	-	32	18	-
Month							Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet	
October.....							197.1	-	-	6.36	391	
November.....							0	0	0	0	0	
December.....							0	0	0	0	0	
Calendar year 1948							3,605.7	37	0	9.85	7,150	
January.....							0	0	0	0	0	
February.....							0	0	0	0	0	
March.....							0	0	0	0	0	
April.....							172	23	0	5.73	341	
May.....							767.5	34	8.5	24.8	1,520	
June.....							982	36	29	32.7	1,950	
July.....							1,086	36	32	35.0	2,150	
August.....							759	32	18	24.5	1,510	
September.....							512	20	11	17.1	1,020	
Water year 1948-49							4,475.6	36	0	12.3	8,880	

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of reported gate changes, weather records, and records for Bacon Creek and Middle Fork Weiser River near Mesa.

Johnson Creek below Johnson Park, near Council, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°46', long. 116°38', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 36, T. 17 N., R. 3 W., 50 feet downstream from Johnson Park Creek, three-quarters of a mile southeast of Johnson Park, and 10 miles northwest of Council.

Drainage area.--5 square miles.

Records available.--March 1941 to October 1949 (no winter records), discontinued.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during period October 1948 to October 1949, 104 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 1.97 feet); minimum recorded, 0.6 second-foot Oct. 27, 1948 (gage height, 0.30 foot).

1941-49: Maximum discharge, 222 second-feet June 3, 1948 (gage height, 3.35 feet); minimum recorded, 0.4 second-foot Oct. 16, 1946; minimum gage height recorded, that of Oct. 27, 1948.

Remarks.--Records poor. No diversion or regulation.

Revisions (water years).--W 1093: 1945(M).

Discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

1948-49

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	2.2	4.5					2.4	24	42	6.5	2.3	1.6
2	2.0	19					2.6	24	37	6.2	2.3	1.5
3	1.8	16					2.6	a30	34	5.8	2.2	1.5
4	3.9	5.4					2.4	a27	31	5.6	2.0	1.5
5	3.9	a2.8					2.3	a25	31	5.2	2.0	1.6
6	2.4	a2.0					2.3	a27	32	5.2	2.2	1.6
7	2.3	a1.7					2.4	a30	39	5.0	2.2	1.6
8	2.2	a1.5					2.4	a35	30	4.8	2.2	1.5
9	2.1	a1.9					2.6	a40	27	4.6	2.0	1.5
10	2.0	a1.8					2.4	a50	26	4.5	2.0	1.5
11	1.8	a1.8					2.3	a70	24	4.3	2.0	1.6
12	1.8	a1.8					2.8	a82	22	4.1	2.0	1.5
13	1.8	a1.8					2.4	84	19	3.9	1.8	1.5
14	1.8	a1.8					2.6	86	18	3.7	1.8	1.5
15	1.8	a1.8					2.3	87	17	3.7	1.8	1.5
16	1.7	a1.8					2.0	93	16	3.6	1.8	1.5
17	1.8	a1.8					6.6	80	16	3.4	1.7	1.4
18	1.7	a1.4					14	70	14	3.4	1.8	1.4
19	1.7	a1.6					23	68	16	3.4	1.8	1.4
20	1.7	a1.7					22	65	15	3.4	1.8	1.4
21	1.7	*b1.8					24	58	12	3.2	1.7	1.4
22	1.6	b1.8					24	57	11	2.6	1.7	1.4
23	1.5	b1.8					14	54	10	a2.7	1.7	1.4
24	1.5	b1.8					18	53	9.4	a2.8	1.6	1.3
25	1.5	a1.8					19	53	8.8	2.9	1.6	1.3
26	1.5	a1.8					19	54	8.8	2.9	1.7	1.3
27	1.4	a1.7					20	57	8.2	2.8	1.6	1.2
28	2.0	a1.6					20	58	7.6	2.8	1.6	1.6
29	1.6	a1.6					21	58	7.6	2.6	1.6	2.6
30	1.7	a1.4					22	51	7.0	2.4	1.6	1.5
31	1.8	-					-	48	-	2.3	1.6	-

Peak discharge (base, 80 sec.-ft.).--May 16 (2 to 3 p.m.) 104 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for stations on other Weiser River tributaries and for Warren Creek near Warren and Secesh River near Burgdorf.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

1949

Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge
Oct. 1	1.4	Oct. 5	2.6	Oct. 9	1.4
2	1.3	6	1.6	10	1.6
3	1.2	7	1.5	11	1.5
4	1.3	8	1.4	12	1.6

Monthly discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October 1948	60.2	3.9	1.4	1.94	119
November	91.0	19	1.4	3.05	180
December	-	-	-	-	-
Calendar year	-	-	-	-	-
January 1949	-	-	-	-	-
February	-	-	-	-	-
March	-	-	-	-	-
April	305.4	24	2.0	10.2	608
May	1,698	93.	24	54.8	3,370
June	596.4	42	7.0	19.9	1,180
July	120.2	6.4	2.3	3.88	238
August	57.7	2.3	1.6	1.86	114
September	45.1	2.6	1.2	1.50	89
Water year	-	-	-	-	-
October 1-12, 1949	18.4	2.6	1.2	1.53	36

Bacon Creek near Mesa, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°37'30", long. 116°28'40", in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 20, T. 15 N., R. 1 W., $1\frac{1}{4}$ miles west of Mesa and $5\frac{1}{2}$ miles upstream from mouth.

Records available.--June 1944 to January 1949 (discontinued).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during period October 1948 to January 1949, 23 second-feet Nov. 1 (gage height, 2.24 feet), from rating curve extended above 15 second-feet; minimum recorded, 0.7 second-foot Dec. 4; minimum gage height observed, 0.49 foot Jan. 20, 1944-49; Maximum discharge recorded, 50 second-feet Mar. 20, 1946; minimum observed, 0.6 second-foot (discharge measurement) Dec. 11, 1944.

Remarks.--Records fair except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Bacon Creek is the natural wasteway for irrigation water on Mesa orchards tract, and natural flow is augmented by surface and sub-surface runoff from this source.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	7.5	9.2	1.1									
2	7.2	6.9	1.3									
3	6.5	6.1	1.5									
4	7.4	4.6	bl.1									
5	7.5	4.8	1.1									
6	7.5	4.5	1.0									
7	7.2	3.6	1.1									
8	6.8	3.0	1.1									
9	6.6	2.7	1.1									
10	6.1	2.8	1.2	1.1								
11	5.7	2.5	1.4									
12	5.1	2.3	2.2									
13	5.1	2.1	1.7									
14	6.1	1.9	1.6									
15	6.8	2.2	1.5									
16	7.5	2.3	bl.3									
17	7.0	1.9	bl.2									
18	8.2	1.6										
19	8.1	1.6		*hl.1								
20	8.5	1.7										
21	8.2	1.5										
22	8.2	1.5										
23	7.3	1.5										
24	6.9	*1.4	1.2									
25	6.8	1.3		1.0								
26	7.7	1.3										
27	6.6	1.2										
28	6.9	1.2										
29	5.7	1.1										
30	5.5	1.1										
31	6.5	-										
Month												
	Second-foot-days			Maximum			Minimum			Mean		
October.....	214.7			8.5			5.1			6.93		
November.....	81.4			9.2			1.1			2.71		
December.....	39.3			2.2			-			1.27		
Calendar year 1948	2,629.5			21			-			7.18		
January.....	33.0			-			-			1.06		
February.....	-			-			-			-		
March.....	-			-			-			-		
April.....	-			-			-			-		
May.....	-			-			-			-		
June.....	-			-			-			-		
July.....	-			-			-			-		
August.....	-			-			-			-		
September.....	-			-			-			-		
Water year	-			-			-			-		

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Note.--No gage-height record Dec. 18 to Jan. 19, Jan. 21-31; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for stations on other Weiser River tributaries.

Pine Creek near Cambridge, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°35', long. 116°44', in SW¹ sec. 32, T. 15 N., R. 3 W., 300 feet upstream from West Fork and 3.2 miles northwest of Cambridge.

Records available.--April 1938 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--11 years, 38.0 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 259 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 2.80 feet); minimum observed, 0.7 second-foot Aug. 3 (gage height, 0.46 foot).
1938-49: Maximum discharge observed, 505 second-feet May 27, 1948 (gage height, 3.60 feet), from rating curve extended above 200 second-feet by logarithmic plotting, but may have been more when gage was overtopped June 3, 1948; minimum observed, that of Aug. 3, 1949; minimum gage height observed, 0.43 foot Aug. 27, 28, 1947.

Remarks.--Records fair except those for periods of ice effect or nonrepresentative gage readings, which are poor. Gage read twice daily. Several diversions above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	6.9	14	12	13	10	32	79	92	68	5.0	0.8	2.5
2	7.7	16	13	13	11	34	80	89	57	4.0	.8	2.5
3	6.9	13	13	13	11	39	82	83	46	3.8	.8	2.5
4	8.0	9.8	11	13	11	58	83	79	41	4.2	.8	2.4
5	8.8	10	13	13	11	66	87	67	43	4.5	1.4	2.2
6	8.4	11	13	12	11	79	88	77	42	4.8	2.4	2.2
7	9.3	9.3	8.8	12	11	74	93	79	39	5.4	4.0	2.2
8	9.3	8.8	12	12	11	71	96	84	37	3.2	4.5	2.2
9	8.4	8.0	12	12	11	70	100	103	32	2.5	4.5	1.9
10	8.4	8.8	12	12	11	70	97	118	28	2.8	4.5	2.2
11	8.4	8.8	13	9.8	11	79	94	184	25	2.8	4.0	2.5
12	8.4	9.8	14	11	11	93	98	213	21	2.0	3.8	2.8
13	8.4	9.8	13	11	11	93	90	211	20	1.6	3.8	2.8
14	8.4	11	12	12	11	98	85	193	19	1.6	4.8	2.5
15	9.3	11	11	12	12	103	77	211	17	1.9	4.2	3.2
16	9.3	11	10	12	12	103	84	247	14	1.6	4.0	3.0
17	8.4	10	9.5	12	13	122	89	195	12	1.4	4.0	3.5
18	9.3	9.8	9.0	12	14	182	90	161	12	1.6	4.5	2.8
19	8.4	12	10	11	14	198	94	e150	11	1.3	4.5	3.0
20	9.3	11	12	12	14	193	98	e140	11	.9	4.2	2.2
21	9.3	11	11	*12	*14	170	87	e120	10	.9	4.5	2.0
22	8.8	11	10	11	21	143	80	e100	9.8	.8	3.8	1.9
23	9.3	12	10	10	26	131	77	87	9.8	.9	3.5	2.0
24	9.3	12	10	12	31	119	83	83	8.4	.9	3.5	1.8
25	9.8	9.8	11	11	31	119	84	84	8.4	.9	3.2	2.2
26	9.3	*10	12	12	30	114	88	100	8.8	.9	2.2	2.2
27	9.8	9.8	14	10	33	114	87	97	8.4	.9	1.6	2.0
28	9.3	9.8	14	11	33	93	89	90	6.9	1.0	1.6	2.2
29	9.3	9.8	14	12	-	94	87	87	5.8	.8	1.9	2.4
30	9.3	10	14	11	-	84	85	84	6.1	.8	1.9	2.5
31	10	-	13	12	-	83	-	88	-	.8	2.2	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	273.2	10	6.9	8.81	542
November.....	318.1	16	8.0	10.6	631
December.....	366.3	14	8.8	11.8	727
Calendar year 1948	16,343.3	459	1.9	44.7	32,420
January.....	363.8	13	9.8	11.7	722
February.....	451	33	10	16.1	895
March.....	3,121	198	32	101.6	6,190
April.....	2,629	100	77	87.6	5,210
May.....	3,796	247	67	122	7,530
June.....	677.4	68	5.8	22.6	1,340
July.....	66.5	5.4	.8	2.15	132
August.....	96.2	4.8	.8	3.10	191
September.....	72.3	3.5	1.8	2.41	143
Water year 1948-49	12,230.8	247	.8	33.5	24,250

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

e Gage readings in error or not representative of mean for day; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for other stations in Weiser River Basin.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 4, Dec. 15 to Jan. 8, Jan. 15-17, Feb. 9-17.

WEISER RIVER BASIN

Little Weiser River near Indian Valley, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°30', long. 116°24', in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 1, T. 13 N., R. 1 W., 60 feet downstream from barn at Richardson Ranch, 1 mile upstream from diversion feeding C. Benn Ross Reservoir, and 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles southeast of Indian Valley.

Drainage area.--81.9 square miles.

Records available.--April 1938 to September 1949. June 1920 to February 1921, March to September 1923, and February 1924 to October 1927 at nearby sites.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 620 second-feet May 14 (gage height, 3.88 feet); minimum observed, 7.3 second-feet Sept. 7 (gage height, 0.36 foot).
1920-21, 1923-27, 1938-49: Maximum discharge observed, about 1,840 second-feet Feb. 4, 1925; minimum observed, 3.6 second-feet Aug. 23-30, Sept. 4, 5, 1924.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Gage read twice daily. One small reach diversion above station. Many diversions below station for irrigation including feeder canal to C. Ben Ross Reservoir.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	a13	16	14	20	15	72	87	300	348	57	14	8.5
2	a12	60	17	20	14	76	101	311	415	52	13	8.5
3	a12	45	20	19	14	89	109	300	276	49	12	8.1
4	a12	28	13	b19	14	101	147	269	286	50	12	8.1
5	a20	20	16	b19	14	94	175	238	316	47	11	8.1
6												
7	a18	20	17	b19	14	93	197	257	290	45	11	7.7
8	a16	13	20	b19	14	96	206	278	306	45	11	7.5
9	a15	12	20	b18	14	82	212	324	276	45	11	a7.7
9	a14	11	20	19	14	76	221	364	243	42	11	8.1
10	14	16	20	b18	14	77	218	a365	223	40	11	8.5
11												
12	a13	18	20	b18	b14	78	264	a430	204	38	11	9.3
13	12	16	29	b18	b14	107	269	a500	185	36	11	8.9
14	12	16	26	b18	b15	98	210	571	169	32	11	a8.5
15	16	15	22	b18	b18	98	193	599	160	31	11	8.1
16	14	19	22	b18	20	106	199	592	a150	31	10	8.5
17												
18	14	17	18	b18	22	114	232	610	134	28	10	8.5
19	13	18	14	b18	20	128	266	547	a120	26	10	8.1
20	13	13	16	b18	68	195	290	492	a110	26	10	8.1
21	12	17	17	b18	98	221	296	448	a100	24	10	8.1
22	12	20	18	b17	65	197	288	464	97	24	10	8.1
23												
24	12	15	19	*b17	68	164	264	427	88	22	10	8.5
25	12	16	b16	b17	*133	133	254	401	87	23	10	8.5
26	12	16	b15	b17	169	130	283	378	83	20	9.3	8.5
27	12	17	b16	b17	105	120	329	378	76	20	9.3	a8.1
28	14	16	b17	b16	89	113	298	375	76	19	9.3	8.1
29												
30	13	*18	19	b16	85	103	296	436	76	18	10	8.1
31	13	14	20	b16	81	93	311	470	67	17	10	8.3
1	13	16	20	b16	77	77	334	439	62	a16	9.1	13
2	13	16	20	17	-	70	348	392	64	16	8.7	15
3	13	15	20	17	-	70	298	381	60	16	8.5	16
4	14	-	20	16	-	71	-	430	-	14	8.5	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	416	20	12	13.4	0.164	0.19	825
November	567	60	11	18.9	.231	.26	1,120
December	581	29	13	18.7	.228	.26	1,150
Calendar year 1948	37,664.9	810	7.1	103	1.26	17.11	74,710
January	552	20	16	17.8	.217	.25	1,090
February	1,312	169	14	46.9	.573	.60	2,600
March	3,342	221	70	108	1.32	1.52	6,630
April	7,195	348	87	240	2.93	3.27	14,270
May	12,763	610	238	412	5.03	5.80	25,320
June	5,147	60	17	172	2.10	2.34	10,210
July	969	57	14	31.3	.383	.44	1,920
August	323.7	14	8.5	10.4	.127	.15	642
September	267.1	16	7.5	8.90	.109	.12	530
Water year 1948-49	33,454.8	610	7.5	91.6	1.12	15.20	66,310

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for other stations in Weiser River Basin.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Crane Creek Reservoir near Midvale, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°22', long. 116°37', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 19, T. 12 N., R. 2 W., at gate-control structure near left end of dam on Crane Creek, 10 miles southeast of Midvale.

Drainage area.--242 square miles.

Records available.--November 1923 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum gage height observed during year, 46.8 feet Mar. 8; minimum observed, 21.5 feet Sept. 22.
1923-49: Maximum gage height observed, 56.3 feet Feb. 22, 1927; no usable contents Sept. 23, 1928, to Feb. 28, 1929, Sept. 25 to Dec. 1, 1929.

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by earth dam completed in 1910 and raised in 1920-21. Capacity is reported to be about 60,000 acre-feet at gage height 55.0 feet (elevation of spillway crest). Water is used for irrigation of lands in lower Weiser Valley.

Cooperation.--Gage readings furnished by Crane Creek Reservoir Administration Board.

Revisions.--W 833: Drainage area.

Gage height, in feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.0
2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	-	-	34.5	-	-	-	-	45.5	-	-	-	28.0
4	-	-	-	-	-	46.4	-	45.5	-	43.5	-	-
5	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.8	-	-	-	-	27.0
6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	35.1	34.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.0
8	-	-	-	-	-	46.8	-	-	-	42.9	-	25.5
9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0
10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	34.3	-	34.8	-	-	-	-	45.3	-	-	35.1	24.0
12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.3	-	-
13	-	-	-	-	-	45.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	-	-	-	-	-	45.7	-	-	44.8	-	-	-
15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.8	-	-	-
16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	-	-	35.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	-	-	-	-	36.7	45.1	45.5	-	-	-	-	-
19	-	34.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.7	-	-
20	-	-	-	35.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.5
21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.3	-	-
22	-	-	-	-	41.5	45.1	-	-	-	-	-	21.5
23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	-	-	35.3	-	45.2	-	-	-	44.6	-	-	-
25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.0	-
26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.3	-	-	-	21.7
27	34.3	34.4	-	35.3	-	44.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
28	-	-	-	-	46.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.4	-	-
30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.2	-	-
31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.5	-

WEISER RIVER BASIN

Crane Creek near Midvale, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder and concrete control, lat. 44°22', long. 116°37'30", in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 19, T. 12 N., R. 2 W., 400 feet downstream from Crane Creek Dam and 10 miles southeast of Midvale.

Drainage area.--242 square miles.

Records available.--October 1910 to April 1916, May 1924 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--28 years (1912-15, 1924-49), 70.1 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 680 second-feet Mar. 8 (gage height, 3.29 feet); no flow for long periods.

1910-16, 1924-49: Maximum discharge observed, 4,240 second-feet Dec. 3, 1910 (gage height, 8.9 feet), from rating curve extended above 3,500 second-feet; practically no flow at times in many years when gates in dam were closed.

Remarks.--Records good except those below 1 second-foot, which are poor. Flow regulated since 1911 by Crane Creek Reservoir (see p. 201). No large diversion above station.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by Crane Creek Reservoir Administration Board.

Revisions (water years).--W 833: Drainage area. W 963: 1941(M).

Rating table, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

0.0	0	0.5	18	1.9	168
.1	.5	.7	31	2.2	232
.2	3.0	1.0	56	2.5	323
.3	6.5	1.3	88	2.8	442
.4	12	1.6	124	3.3	685

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	127					500	1.8	13	12	85	158	148
2	127					500	1.8	13	12	85	158	145
3	128					504	1.5	13	12	103	158	145
4	127					504	1.5	13	12	120	157	148
5	127				0	509	1.8	12	12	120	157	143
6	125					509	1.8	12	12	120	157	132
7	125					514	1.5	12	12	120	166	145
8	123					580	1.5	12	12	123	177	143
9	124					672	1.5	12	12	129	177	135
10	123					672	1.5	12	12	145	177	125
11	87					667	1.5	12	12	163	188	124
12	0	0.4				667	1.8	12	13	177	205	118
13	0				.3	635	1.8	12	13	192	203	104
14	0					551	1.8	13	13	190	203	98
15	0					527	1.8	13	13	190	201	85
16	0					527	1.8	13	12	188	201	85
17	0					527	1.8	13	12	188	199	85
18	0				.3	451	2.5	13	12	188	199	84
19	0				.3	376	5.8	13	12	188	177	84
20	0				.3	360	5.8	12	12	186	151	67
21	0				.2	384	5.4	12	12	186	151	57
22	0				.4	384	5.4	12	12	186	149	49
23	0				.4	384	5.4	12	12	182	148	23
24	0				185	384	5.4	12	64	181	146	24
25	0				491	384	5.4	12	85	179	146	24
26	0				491	384	5.4	12	85	184	146	22
27	0				495	183	5.4	12	85	201	146	20
28	0				500	1.8	6.2	12	85	199	143	18
29	.1				-	1.8	12	12	85	199	143	18
30	0				-	1.8	13	12	85	175	138	18
31	0				-	1.8	-	12	-	160	132	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,543.5	128	0	45.3	2,660
November.....	0	0	0	0	0
December.....	0	0	0	0	0
Calendar year 1948.....	15,816.9	238	0	45.2	31,360
January.....	0	0	0	0	0
February.....	2,166.6	500	0	77.4	4,300
March.....	13,266.2	672	1.8	428	26,310
April.....	111.6	13	1.5	3.72	221
May.....	382	13	12	12.3	758
June.....	854	85	12	28.5	1,690
July.....	5,032	201	85	162	9,980
August.....	5,157	205	132	166	10,230
September.....	2,616	148	18	87.2	5,190
Water year 1948-49.....	30,928.9	672	0	84.7	61,340

Note.--No gage-height record Nov. 29 to Feb. 17 when gates in dam were closed; discharge computed or interpolated on basis of adjacent record, weather records, engineers' and observer's notes, and records for Crane Creek Reservoir.

Crane Creek at mouth, near Weiser, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder and concrete control, lat. 44°18', long. 116°47', in sec. 14, T. 11 N., R. 4 W., just downstream from steel highway bridge at Harris Ranch, a quarter of a mile upstream from mouth and 10 miles northeast of Weiser.

Drainage area.--288 square miles.

Records available.--July 1920 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--28 years (1921-49), 77.7 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,010 second-feet Mar. 12 (gage height, 5.58 feet); minimum, 1.2 second-feet Apr. 19, 29 (gage height, 1.60 feet); minimum daily, 1.6 second-feet Apr. 28.

1920-49: Maximum discharge, 2,350 second-feet about Feb. 7, 1925 (gage height, 6.80 feet, from well-defined marks on gage), from rating curve extended above 1,000 second-feet; minimum, 0.2 second-feet May 26, 1931; minimum daily, 1 second-foot or less at times during many years; minimum gage height, 1.30 feet Jan. 21, 1922.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are poor.

FIOW regulated since 1911 by Crane Creek Reservoir (see p. 201). Several small ditches divert above station for irrigation.

Revisions.--W 833: Drainage area.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	130	5.2	4.2	a6.2	a4.5	569	10	6.2	11	74	148	136
2	128	5.5	4.5	h6.0	a4.8	569	9.3	6.5	11	74	146	136
3	128	5.0	5.5	a5.6	a5.2	629	8.6	7.6	9.6	82	142	136
4	130	4.5	4.8	a5.4	a5.4	645	7.9	8.2	11	108	140	132
5	130	4.2	5.2	a5.2	a4.5	651	7.6	7.6	11	110	140	140
6	130	4.0	4.8	a6.0	h4.8	619	6.5	5.5	11	110	140	111
7	128	3.8	5.2	a5.6	a6.0	619	5.8	7.2	9.6	110	146	136
8	128	3.7	5.2	a5.4	a10	656	5.5	7.9	9.6	110	162	136
9	128	3.7	5.0	a5.6	a20	834	5.2	6.8	7.9	117	162	132
10	128	3.7	5.8	h6.0	f21	847	5.0	6.0	6.5	126	167	117
11	126	3.7	7.2	a5.2	25	834	5.0	7.2	8.9	152	173	110
12	22	3.7	15	a5.2	18	923	4.8	7.2	7.6	162	200	110
13	6.2	3.7	10	a5.2	116	834	4.2	5.5	6.0	182	200	92
14	5.2	3.8	8.2	a5.4	a18	667	3.8	7.9	6.5	182	200	88
15	5.0	3.8	6.8	a5.4	a20	603	3.5	8.6	8.2	182	193	77
16	4.8	3.8	5.2	h5.5	a22	603	3.3	9.6	9.3	182	193	74
17	4.5	4.0	5.5	a5.8	f26	593	3.5	10	10	184	193	76
18	4.5	3.8	5.5	a5.4	120	609	2.5	9.6	7.2	184	191	74
19	4.2	4.0	6.0	a5.5	237	430	1.8	9.6	6.0	184	180	73
20	4.2	4.2	6.2	a5.8	111	404	3.8	12	8.2	177	140	65
21	4.2	4.0	6.0	a5.4	80	412	4.0	13	8.6	173	138	51
22	4.2	4.0	5.8	6.5	118	404	5.5	11	6.5	180	138	49
23	4.0	4.0	a5.6	5.2	285	394	6.0	10	5.8	173	138	28
24	4.0	4.0	a5.4	a4.8	283	390	5.0	8.9	24	173	138	22
25	4.0	4.0	a5.8	a4.5	574	387	5.0	8.9	74	171	136	21
26	4.2	4.0	h7.2	a4.9	559	384	2.6	7.6	76	173	136	19
27	4.0	3.8	a7.6	a5.4	559	276	2.3	8.2	77	197	132	18
28	4.0	3.8	a7.6	a5.0	574	21	1.6	7.6	78	200	130	16
29	4.0	4.0	a6.0	a4.7	-	14	2.5	6.5	78	197	128	16
30	4.0	3.8	a7.2	h5.0	-	12	3.2	11	76	180	128	16
31	4.2	-	a5.8	a4.7	-	11	-	12	-	148	111	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,519.4	130	4.0	49.0	3,010
November.....	121.2	5.5	3.7	4.04	240
December.....	197.8	15	4.2	6.38	392
Calendar year 1948.....	17,982.3	339	3.0	49.1	35,660
January.....	165.5	6.2	4.5	5.37	330
February.....	3,731.2	574	4.5	135	7,400
March.....	15,845	923	11	511	31,420
April.....	145.3	10	1.6	4.84	288
May.....	261.4	13	5.5	8.43	518
June.....	680	78	5.8	22.7	1,350
July.....	4,757	200	74	153	9,440
August.....	4,807	200	111	155	9,530
September.....	2,407	140	16	80.2	4,770
Water year 1948-49.....	34,636.8	923	1.6	94.9	68,688

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for other Weiser River tributaries.

f Computed from partly estimated gage-height record.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Weiser Irrigation District Canal near Weiser, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°15', long. 116°51', in sec. 32, T. 11 N., R. 4 W., $3\frac{1}{4}$ miles downstream from headworks of canal and 7 miles east of Weiser.

Records available.--April 1920 to September 1949 (winter records fragmentary).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 204 second-feet June 28, 29 (gage height, 2.90 feet); dry or practically dry for long periods during nonirrigation season when gates were closed.

1920-49: Maximum discharge, 221 second-feet July 15, 1932; maximum gage height, 3.43 feet May 5, 1926; no flow at times when gates were closed.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Canal diverts water from Weiser River in sec. 35, T. 11 N., R. 4 W., $3\frac{1}{4}$ miles above station for irrigation of about 9,000 acres included in projects of Weiser and Weiser Bench Irrigation Districts. One farm lateral diverts a quarter of a mile above station.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder graph and gage readings furnished by Weiser Irrigation District.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	116					-		180		191	171	130
2	114					-		180		178	166	134
3	114					-		183		166	161	135
4	116					-				191	155	135
5	75					-		0		185	155	142
6	42					-				172	163	123
7	150					-			190	191	152	140
8	150					-				165	161	149
9	150					-				153	162	152
10	148					-				144	163	141
11	137					-				172	165	142
12	102					-	100			175	162	149
13	95					-				194	164	141
14	89					-				198	165	133
15	88					-			191	194	182	124
16	89					0				194	179	122
17	-					-		185		178	164	126
18	-					-				178	161	132
19	-					-				174	179	133
20	-					-				173	154	133
21	-					-			195	172	156	126
22	-					0				173	154	122
23	-					-	170			172	154	111
24	-			*b0.7		-				173	154	104
25	-					-				180	149	99
26	-					-				178	144	98
27	-					-				187	144	91
28	-					-				204	141	85
29	-					-				204	166	90
30	-					-				198	182	96
31	-					-				174	116	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October 1-16.....	1,775	150	-	111	3,520
November.....	-	-	-	-	-
December.....	-	-	-	-	-
Calendar year	-	-	-	-	-
January.....	-	-	-	-	-
February.....	-	-	-	-	-
March.....	-	-	-	-	-
April.....	3,150	-	-	105	6,250
May.....	5,723	-	-	185	11,350
June.....	5,797	204	-	193	11,500
July.....	5,532	198	144	178	10,970
August.....	4,967	185	116	160	9,850
September.....	3,738	152	85	125	7,410
Water year	-	-	-	-	-

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

f Computed on basis of partly estimated gage-height record.

Note.--Computed from staff-gage readings May 3, June 15, June 28 to July 18. No gage-height record Apr. 1 to May 2, May 4 to June 14, June 16-27; discharge computed on basis of records for Crane Creek at mouth, near Weiser, Weiser River above Crane Creek, Boise River diversions, and flow during adjacent periods.

Mann Creek near Weiser, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°24', long. 116°54', in sec. 11, T. 12 N., R. 5 W., at Richards Ranch, 11 miles northeast of Weiser and 12 miles upstream from mouth.

Drainage area.--56 square miles.

Records available.--March 1911 to September 1913, July to November 1920, April 1937 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--14 years (1911-13, 1937-49), 41.8 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 322 second-feet Mar. 18 (gage height, 2.00 feet, auxiliary gage); minimum observed, 0.7 second-foot Aug. 31 to Sept. 2.
1911-13, 1920, 1937-49: Maximum discharge, 1,540 second-feet Mar. 27, 1940 (gage height, 5.45 feet, from floodmark, site and datum then in use), from rating curve extended above slope-area determination at gage height 4.21 feet; no flow Aug. 18 to Sept. 22, 1937, July 31 to Sept. 13, 1939.

Remarks.--Records fair except those for period of ice effect, which are poor. Gage read twice daily. One diversion above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	3.6	5.9	*4.1	5.8	5.0	44	72	116	25	6.6	1.7	0.8
2	3.6	10	5.0	5.8	5.0	47	99	104	21	6.6	1.7	.8
3	3.4	6.6	5.0	5.8	5.0	62	111	96	19	5.9	1.6	.8
4	3.9	5.2	4.5	5.8	5.0	96	141	88	16	5.9	1.5	.9
5	6.2	4.9	5.0	5.8	5.0	100	155	62	16	5.9	1.3	1.0
6	5.4	4.1	5.0	5.5	5.0	105	204	75	16	5.7	1.3	1.3
7	5.4	5.9	4.0	5.5	5.0	106	244	78	15	5.4	1.2	1.5
8	4.6	3.6	5.0	5.5	5.0	115	222	79	15	5.4	1.5	1.8
9	4.4	4.9	5.0	5.5	5.2	109	214	83	14	5.4	1.2	2.2
10	4.1	4.6	5.0	5.5	4.9	86	217	86	14	5.2	1.2	2.3
11	4.1	4.4	5.5	4.5	4.9	102	238	85	14	4.6	1.2	2.5
12	3.6	4.6	5.5	5.0	5.2	120	238	83	12	4.4	1.2	2.5
13	3.6	4.6	5.5	5.0	4.9	116	204	83	11	4.1	1.4	2.3
14	3.6	4.6	5.0	5.5	4.4	118	171	85	13	3.9	1.4	2.0
15	3.6	4.6	4.5	5.5	6.6	137	164	85	12	3.6	1.3	2.0
16	3.6	4.6	4.3	5.5	*8.5	148	169	80	11	3.6	1.2	2.2
17	3.6	4.6	4.0	5.5	8.5	146	198	65	11	3.4	1.3	2.0
18	3.6	2.7	3.8	5.5	7.7	249	238	54	11	3.2	1.3	1.8
19	3.6	4.9	4.0	5.0	8.9	247	263	47	10	3.2	1.3	2.0
20	3.6	5.4	5.0	5.0	12	171	255	41	10	3.4	1.1	1.8
21	3.6	5.2	4.5	5.5	15	137	241	37	10	3.6	1.0	1.8
22	3.6	4.9	4.0	*5.5	18	109	230	35	9.2	3.4	1.2	1.6
23	3.6	4.9	4.0	5.0	20	107	214	32	9.2	3.2	1.0	1.5
24	3.9	4.9	4.0	5.5	22	107	196	29	8.9	3.2	1.1	1.5
25	3.9	5.2	4.5	5.5	25	104	176	28	8.5	3.2	1.3	1.5
26	3.9	4.6	5.0	5.0	26	92	157	28	8.5	2.7	1.2	1.6
27	3.9	4.6	6.0	5.5	36	78	135	27	8.5	2.7	1.1	1.6
28	3.9	4.6	6.0	5.5	40	72	139	25	8.1	2.7	.9	1.6
29	3.9	5.2	6.0	5.5	-	60	128	25	7.3	2.7	1.1	1.8
30	3.9	3.1	6.0	5.5	-	62	120	25	7.0	2.5	1.0	1.8
31	3.9	-	5.8	5.5	-	64	-	25	-	1.8	.8	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	123.1	6.2	3.4	3.97	244
November.....	143.9	10	2.7	4.80	285
December.....	150.5	6.0	3.8	4.85	299
Calendar year 1948.....	12,537.1	251	2.2	34.3	24,860
January.....	168.0	5.8	4.5	5.42	333
February.....	323.7	40	4.4	11.6	642
March.....	3,416	249	44	110	6,780
April.....	5,553	263	72	185	11,010
May.....	1,891	116	25	61.0	3,750
June.....	371.2	25	7.0	12.4	736
July.....	127.1	6.6	1.8	4.10	252
August.....	38.6	1.7	.8	1.25	76.6
September.....	50.8	2.5	.8	1.69	101
Water year 1948-49.....	12,356.9	263	.8	33.9	24,510

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Maximum discharge Mar. 18 and daily discharge Mar. 8-27, Mar. 29 to May 22 based on record at auxiliary gage 100 feet downstream. Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 2 to Feb. 8 (no gage-height record Dec. 13-27; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for other Weiser River tributaries).

Monroe Creek above Sheep Creek, near Weiser, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°20', long. 116°56', in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 34, T. 12 N., R. 5 W., on farm road bridge adjacent to U. S. Highway 95, 0.5 mile above Sheep Creek and 6 miles north of Weiser.

Records available.--October 1945 to February 1949 (discontinued).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during period October 1948 to February 1949, 7.6 second-feet Nov. 2; maximum gage height observed, 1.54 feet Dec. 26 (ice jam); minimum discharge observed, 0.3 second-foot Nov. 12 (gage height, 0.72 foot).
1945-49: Maximum discharge observed, 170 second-feet Mar. 18, 19, 1946 (gage height, 2.40 feet); no flow Aug. 1 to Sept. 7, Sept. 16, 17, 1947, July 8, 9, 1948.

Remarks.--Records fair except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Diversions above station for irrigation and storage in Barton Reservoir.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	0.4	3.7	*0.5	b2.3	b2.1							
2	.4	6.6	.6	b2.3	b2.1							
3	a.5	7.1	.8	b2.3	b2.1							
4	.4	6.1	.6	a2.3	b2.1							
5	.4	4.0	.6	a2.3	b2.1							
6	.7	2.2	b.6	b2.3	-							
7	.8	a1.4	b.5	b2.3	-							
8	1.0	.7	b.6	b2.3	-							
9	1.4	a.6	.6	a2.3	-							
10	1.0	.4	1.7	a2.3	-							
11	1.0	.4	4.7	b2.3	-							
12	.8	.3	a6.0	a2.3	-							
13	.7	.4	7.1	b2.3	-							
14	.7	a.4	6.6	a2.3	-							
15	.8	.4	3.7	b2.3	-							
16	.7	.4	b2.5	b2.1	-							
17	a.7	.4	b1.5	a2.1	-							
18	1.2	.5	a1.5	b2.1	-							
19	1.0	.5	a2.0	b2.1	-							
20	a1.4	.8	b2.5	b2.1	-							
21	a1.4	.5	b2.4	b2.1	-							
22	a1.4	.5	b2.0	*b2.1	-							
23	a1.5	.6	b2.0	b2.1	-							
24	a1.8	.6	b2.0	b2.1	-							
25	2.2	a.4	b2.3	b2.1	-							
26	2.2	.5	b2.5	b2.1	-							
27	2.2	.6	a2.5	b2.1	-							
28	2.2	.6	b2.5	b2.1	-							
29	2.7	.4	b2.5	b2.1	-							
30	a3.0	b.4	b2.5	a2.1	-							
31	a5.4	-	a2.5	b2.1	-							
Month						Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet		
October.....						40.0	3.4	0.4	1.29	79		
November.....						42.4	7.1	0.3	1.41	84		
December.....						70.9	7.1	0.5	2.29	141		
Calendar year 1948						1,615.8	70	0.1	4.41	3,200		
January.....						68.1	-	-	2.20	135		
February 1-5.....						10.5	-	-	2.10	21		
March.....						-	-	-	-	-		
April.....						-	-	-	-	-		
May.....						-	-	-	-	-		
June.....						-	-	-	-	-		
July.....						-	-	-	-	-		
August.....						-	-	-	-	-		
September.....						-	-	-	-	-		
The period.....						-	-	-	-	460		

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record, discharge interpolated or computed on basis of weather records and records for other Weiser River tributaries.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Unity Reservoir near Unity, Oreg.

Location.--Staff gage and low-water reference mark, lat. 44°30', long. 118°11', in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 21, T. 12 S., R. 37 E., at Unity Dam on Burnt River, just downstream from Job Creek, half a mile downstream from confluence of North, Middle, and South Forks of Burnt River, and 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles north of Unity. Datum of gage is at mean sea level, datum of Bureau of Reclamation. (To convert elevations to datum of 1929, add 0.12 foot.)

Drainage area.--309 square miles.

Records available.--March 1938 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum contents observed during year, 25,220 acre-feet May 17 (elevation, 3,820.0 feet); minimum observed, 2,284 acre-feet Sept. 30 (elevation, 3,785.9 feet). 1938-49: Maximum contents observed, 25,770 acre-feet Apr. 13, 1942 (elevation, 3,820.6 feet); minimum observed, 256 acre-feet Oct. 7, 1947 (elevation, 3,778.2 feet).

Remarks.--Reservoir is formed by earth-fill dam with concrete spillway and outlet works, completed by Bureau of Reclamation in 1937; storage began Feb. 19, 1938. Capacity, 25,220 acre-feet between elevations 3,776.5 feet (bottom of outlet gates) and 3,820.0 feet (top of radial gates on spillway when closed). Dead storage, 600 acre-feet below elevation 3,776.5 feet. Records given herein represent usable contents. Water used for irrigation of lands in Burnt River Irrigation District near Hereford and Bridgeport. Gage read or water surface elevation measured from reference mark once daily by employee of Burnt River Irrigation District. Contents computed from capacity table based on surveys by Bureau of Reclamation.

Monthly elevation and contents, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Elevation (feet)	Contents (acre-feet)	Change in contents during month (acre-feet)
Sept. 30.....	3,797.2	7,870	-
Oct. 31.....	3,792.1	5,052	-2,818
Nov. 30.....	3,795.4	6,834	+1,782
Dec. 31.....	3,798.0	8,350	+1,516
Calendar year 1948...	-	-	+4,790
Jan. 31.....	3,798.3	8,536	+186
Feb. 28.....	3,798.2	8,474	-62
Mar. 31.....	3,805.0	12,980	+4,486
Apr. 30.....	3,818.0	23,410	+10,450
May 31.....	3,818.4	23,770	+360
June 30.....	3,811.9	18,180	-5,590
July 31.....	3,805.1	13,030	-5,150
Aug. 31.....	3,795.2	8,722	-8,308
Sept. 30.....	3,785.9	2,284	-4,438
Water year 1948-49...	-	-	-5,586

Burnt River near Hereford, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°30', long. 118°11', in SE¹ sec. 21, T. 12 S., R. 37 E., at entrance to canyon, 1,250 feet downstream from Unity Dam, 0.7 mile downstream from South Fork, and 7 miles west of Hereford. Datum of gage is 3,756.75 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929, supplementary adjustment of 1947.

Drainage area.--309 square miles.

Records available.--March 1915 to September 1916, October 1928 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--20 years (1929-49), 75.2 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 455 second-feet Apr. 25 (gage height, 4.05 feet); minimum, 1 second-foot Oct. 31.
1915-16, 1928-49: Maximum discharge, 2,220 second-feet Apr. 17, 1943 (caused by opening of automatic spillway gates), from rating curve extended above 1,300 second-feet by logarithmic plotting; maximum gage height, 6.91 feet Apr. 14, 1936 (site and datum then in use); no flow at times; minimum discharge before construction of Unity Reservoir Dam, 1.6 second-feet Aug. 31, 1935.

Remarks.--Records good except those below 10 second-feet, which are poor. Many small diversions above station for irrigation: Van Cleve ditch diverts below gage but above cableway. Flow regulated by Unity Reservoir (see preceding page) and partly regulated by reservoir (capacity, about 700 acre-feet) on South Fork Burnt River, 3 miles above mouth.

Revisions (water years).--W 903: 1939.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	92	57	27	30	52	62	251	248	112	98	105	96
2	92	65	27	30	52	62	251	248	113	98	107	100
3	92	38	27	30	52	62	248	284	122	82	105	102
4	91	24	27	30	52	62	248	329	120	91	105	101
5	90	24	27	30	52	62	248	329	120	86	104	101
6	87	24	28	30	52	65	284	323	119	85	113	101
7	87	24	28	30	52	90	320	118	89	119	101	101
8	87	24	28	44	56	105	359	281	118	86	118	100
9	86	24	27	55	62	140	365	236	116	83	118	100
10	86	24	27	55	62	166	380	176	113	83	128	104
11	85	24	27	55	62	164	392	142	107	83	135	105
12	85	24	28	54	62	200	416	137	101	82	135	104
13	84	24	28	53	62	218	434	140	120	87	134	102
14	83	24	28	53	62	218	299	139	132	90	132	101
15	83	24	29	53	62	220	251	137	128	101	130	101
16	82	24	29	52	62	220	185	147	120	102	128	100
17	81	24	29	52	62	225	188	155	122	102	120	106
18	80	24	29	52	62	228	260	176	127	104	113	110
19	78	24	29	52	62	235	356	208	120	105	113	96
20	78	24	30	52	62	239	434	192	119	98	112	93
21	78	25	30	52	62	242	440	190	119	86	110	95
22	77	26	30	52	62	242	440	188	120	83	109	93
23	77	26	29	52	62	222	446	162	120	81	107	92
24	77	26	29	52	62	88	449	147	120	81	106	91
25	76	26	29	52	62	57	440	144	118	83	106	93
26	76	26	29	52	62	187	428	142	119	87	105	96
27	76	26	29	52	62	245	404	139	125	85	104	96
28	75	26	29	52	62	245	398	137	122	87	102	95
29	75	26	29	52	-	182	329	135	120	91	101	95
30	74	27	29	52	-	242	266	134	119	96	100	93
31	51	-	30	52	-	254	-	124	-	98	97	-
Month						Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet		
October.....						2,521	92	51	81.3	5,000		
November.....						828	65	24	27.6	1,640		
December.....						881	30	27	28.4	1,750		
Calendar year 1948						40,482	507	16	111	80,290		
January.....						1,464	85	30	47.2	2,900		
February.....						1,660	62	52	59.3	3,290		
March.....						5,247	254	57	169	10,410		
April.....						10,239	449	185	341	20,310		
May.....						5,989	329	124	193	11,880		
June.....						3,569	132	101	119	7,080		
July.....						2,781	105	81	89.7	5,520		
August.....						3,521	135	97	114	6,980		
September.....						2,963	110	91	98.8	5,880		
Water year 1948-49						41,663	449	24	114	82,640		

Powder River at Salisbury, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°39', long. 117°52', in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 36, T. 10 S., R. 39 E., 700 feet downstream from Salisbury siding of Sumpter Valley Railroad and Stices Gulch and $\frac{1}{2}$ miles south of Baker. Datum of gage is 3,632.31 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929, supplementary adjustment of 1947.

Drainage area.--219 square miles.

Records available.--December 1903 to August 1914 and October 1928 to September 1949 in reports of Geological Survey. January 1904 to July 1914 and June 1926 to September 1941 in reports of State engineer.

Average discharge.--31 years (1904-13, 1926-28, 1929-49), 110 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 876 second-feet May 15 (gage height, 5.17 feet); minimum, 6.0 second-feet Sept. 5 (gage height, 1.15 feet).

1903-14, 1926-49: Maximum discharge, 1,820 second-feet Mar. 20, 1910 (gage height, 7.05 feet, site and datum then in use); no flow Aug. 31, 1909, Sept. 7, 1931.

Remarks.--Records good, except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, and those below 10 second-feet, which are poor. Diversions above station for irrigation.

Revisions (water years).--W 813: 1935. W 1093: Drainage area.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect (gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

Oct. 1 to Nov. 7

Nov. 8 to Sept. 30

1.2	7.0	1.1	4.0	1.6	4.4	2.5	203
1.3	12	1.2	8.0	1.7	5.8	2.9	289
1.4	20	1.3	14	1.8	7.3	3.5	430
1.5	30	1.4	22	2.0	107	4.2	609
1.6	43	1.5	32	2.2	144	5.1	856

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	10	*21	25		b25	75	154	428	291	50	16	8.0
2	12	25	28		b25	81	181	482	247	45	16	7.2
3	12	33	32		b25	*89	195	515	226	44	16	7.2
4	13	30	27		b25	94	224	468	209	40	15	7.2
5	18	28	27		b25	100	305	406	203	38	14	7.6
6	19	26	28		b25	114	418	365	205	38	13	8.6
7	25	b22	27		b25	118	478	349	207	40	13	8.0
8	24	b22	27		b25	111	502	375	189	39	13	6.8
9	24	b21	31		b25	105	513	460	179	34	13	7.2
10	24	22	29		b25	107	508	606	171	33	12	7.6
11	24	22	29		b26	116	588	772	159	36	11	8.0
12	23	21	b27		*b26	136	647	834	146	36	9.8	8.6
13	21	21	*b26		b26	144	541	797	136	33	10	10
14	21	21	b26		b27	157	435	766	120	29	9.8	8.6
15	20	22	b27		b27	187	394	834	112	27	9.8	10
16	18	23	b27	b25	b27	207	420	803	102	28	10	9.8
17	18	25	b27		b30	228	518	712	103	27	10	9.8
18	18	b20	b26		b35	282	641	585	98	26	9.8	9.8
19	18	24	b25		b40	363	797	475	93	25	10	9.2
20	14	24	b27		b45	337	758	438	86	24	9.2	12
21	14	26	b30		b50	298	636	406	83	24	8.6	10
22	14	25	b30		b60	265	552	389	79	22	9.2	10
23	15	28	b28		75	241	531	363	75	21	8.6	10
24	16	29	b26		66	228	570	335	67	22	8.6	9.8
25	16	30	b25		61	218	549	326	64	22	8.6	8.6
26	22	27	b25		62	199	498	335	62	21	8.6	7.6
27	19	b25	b25		62	187	482	351	62	16	8.0	8.6
28	18	b24	b25		68	159	515	360	58	17	8.0	8.6
29	19	b20	b25		-	a155	528	351	55	17	7.6	14
30	18	19	b25		-	a150	460	326	52	16	8.0	11
31	19	-	b25		-	140	-	305	-	18	8.0	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	566	25	10	18.3	1,120
November.....	726	33	19	24.2	1,440
December.....	837	32	25	27.0	1,660
Calendar year 1948.....	47,534.0	1,040	9.0	130	94,286
January.....	775	-	-	25.0	1,540
February.....	1,063	75	25	38.0	2,110
March.....	5,391	363	75	174	10,690
April.....	14,538	797	154	485	28,840
May.....	15,315	834	305	494	30,380
June.....	3,939	291	52	131	7,810
July.....	906	50	16	29.2	1,800
August.....	332.2	16	7.6	10.7	659
September.....	269.4	14	6.8	8.98	534
Water year 1948-49.....	44,657.6	834	6.8	122	88,580

Peak discharge (base, 300 sec.-ft.).--Mar. 19 (8 p.m.) 413 sec.-ft.; Apr. 12 (12 m.) 668 sec.-ft.; Apr. 19 (7 p.m.) 834 sec.-ft.; May 12 (3 p.m.) 870 sec.-ft.; May 15 (5 p.m.) 876 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Powder River at Haines and Wolf Creek near North Powder.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice (no gage-height record, Jan. 23 to Feb. 3; discharge computed as explained in footnote a).

Powder River near Haines, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°56', long. 117°57', in S½ sec. 21, T. 7 S., R. 39 E., a tenth of a mile upstream from Muddy Creek, 1 mile downstream from Rock Creek, and 1.7 miles north of Haines.

Drainage area.--572 square miles.

Records available.--October 1946 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 884 second-feet May 15 (gage height, 5.68 feet), minimum, 1.4 second-feet Aug. 8.
1946-49: Maximum discharge, 1,300 second-feet June 8, 9, 1948, (gage height, 6.67 feet); minimum, that of Aug. 8, 1949.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Many diversions above station for irrigation; no seasonal regulation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	12	20	30	33	28	340	208	404	323	8.9	3.8	3.5
2	12	31	35	34	b35	358	210	417	288	8.5	3.1	3.3
3	11	33	41	b34	29	368	226	420	246	7.7	2.2	3.5
4	12	28	38	b32	29	363	237	424	211	9.3	2.2	3.5
5	14	25	34	b31	30	368	252	417	193	8.5	2.4	3.8
6	16	25	36	30	b30	394	272	382	158	8.1	2.9	4.2
7	16	27	38	30	b30	363	318	340	143	7.0	2.7	4.0
8	16	25	40	b30	b30	319	295	304	120	6.7	2.0	4.2
9	16	22	42	b30	31	298	367	288	82	5.8	2.0	4.2
10	16	26	46	b32	32	275	485	312	57	6.4	2.0	4.8
11	15	29	48	b33	*34	264	495	409	41	7.7	2.2	5.4
12	14	27	54	b34	35	288	512	479	55	8.1	2.4	5.1
13	14	27	*58	34	b32	312	561	527	38	7.0	2.7	5.4
14	14	27	59	33	33	312	577	641	30	5.8	2.9	5.1
15	14	29	57	31	33	307	519	839	22	5.8	2.4	5.4
16	14	30	58	32	33	331	447	854	15	5.4	2.4	6.4
17	13	31	b52	a30	36	340	406	854	15	4.8	2.7	6.1
18	14	30	b40	a29	42	360	415	803	15	6.4	2.9	18
19	14	34	36	a30	54	390	533	775	13	7.0	3.1	17
20	15	42	38	a30	130	424	633	768	13	7.7	3.3	11
21	14	39	42	a31	208	474	700	710	14	7.7	3.3	10
22	14	40	b42	a28	275	457	682	646	16	7.3	3.3	9.3
23	14	42	b40	a26	288	429	599	582	15	7.3	3.5	9.3
24	14	47	b35	a30	388	382	523	500	13	6.4	3.3	8.9
25	15	47	32	a32	478	343	493	438	12	6.4	3.3	8.5
26	16	42	30	a30	460	323	489	368	11	6.1	3.5	8.5
27	15	38	29	a29	372	304	460	370	11	5.4	3.5	8.1
28	15	b33	30	a30	341	271	429	387	11	4.5	8.1	8.5
29	17	b31	29	a29	-	243	399	380	12	3.8	4.0	8.5
30	17	30	b30	a27	-	228	393	375	12	4.0	3.5	9.3
31	16	-	b32	a27	-	220	-	356	-	4.0	3.5	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	449	17	11	14.5	891
November.....	957	47	20	31.9	1,900
December.....	1,251	59	29	40.4	2,480
Calendar year 1948	59,439.8	1,250	5.1	162	117,900
January.....	851	-	25	30.7	1,690
February.....	3,574	478	28	128	7,080
March.....	10,438	474	220	337	20,700
April.....	13,235	700	208	441	26,250
May.....	15,769	854	288	509	31,280
June.....	2,205	323	11	73.5	4,370
July.....	205.5	9.3	3.8	6.63	408
August.....	95.1	8.1	2.0	3.07	189
September.....	212.8	18	3.3	7.09	422
Water year 1948-49	49,542.4	854	2.0	135	97,870

Peak discharge (base, 300 sec.-ft.).--Feb. 25 (8 p.m.) 545 sec.-ft.; Mar. 21 (12 m. to 3 p.m.) 481 sec.-ft.; Apr. 14 (2 a.m.) 585 sec.-ft.; Apr. 21 (11:30 p.m.) 712 sec.-ft.; May 15 (6 to 10 p.m.) 884 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Wolf Creek near North Powder and Powder River at Salisbury.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

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Powder River near Robinette, Ore.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°46', long. 117°04', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 22, T. 9 S., R. 46 E., downstream from all tributaries, 2 miles northwest of Robinette and $\frac{3}{4}$ miles upstream from mouth. Prior to Nov. 1, 1948, staff gage at same datum, 50 feet upstream. Datum of gage is 1,937.01 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929, supplemental adjustment of 1947.

Drainage area.--1,710 square miles.

Records available.--September 1928 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--21 years, 497 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 3,620 second-feet May 17; maximum gage height, 5.85 feet Feb. 23 (ice jam); minimum discharge, .54 second-feet Sept. 3.

1928-49: Maximum discharge, 5,320 second-feet May 28, 1948; maximum gage height observed, 6.9 feet June 15, 16, 1933, site and datum then in use; minimum discharge observed, 18 second-feet Sept. 2-10, 1930.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record and those above 2,000 second-feet, which are fair. Gage read once daily Oct. 1-31. Many diversions above station for irrigation, none below. One canal with capacity of about 5 second-feet diverts around station on left bank. Flow partly regulated by several reservoirs, the largest being Thief Valley Reservoir near North Powder (capacity, 17,400 acre-feet).

Rating tables, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

Oct. 1-31

Nov. 1 to Sept. 30

0.7	141	0.2	58	1.1	263	3.0	1,410
.9	195	.3	70	1.4	383	3.5	1,870
1.1	255	.4	85	1.7	525	4.0	2,400
		.6	124	2.0	685	5.0	3,700
		.8	172	2.5	1,000		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	h170	218	178	290	a210	a720	1,090	1,690	1,810	362	107	64
2	h173	237	230	240	a220	a800	1,120	1,780	1,850	368	103	60
3	h159	253	248	190	a240	*870	1,120	1,690	1,550	368	105	59
4	h184	218	180	170	a270	1,080	1,180	1,590	1,590	383	96	60
5	h201	212	208	200	a300	1,140	1,270	1,500	1,770	383	79	65
6	h222	209	227	235	a280	1,290	1,380	1,460	1,940	370	70	69
7	h234	203	233	280	a310	1,380	1,460	1,490	2,030	336	69	65
8	h234	192	209	230	a340	1,310	1,500	1,600	1,690	308	70	68
9	h225	224	230	190	a370	1,280	1,520	1,610	1,380	274	98	70
10	h234	209	224	170	a400	1,230	1,510	2,060	1,320	274	99	73
11	h222	212	189	180	a410	1,270	1,620	2,540	1,270	282	85	70
12	h231	206	221	170	340	1,370	1,720	2,830	1,100	270	85	69
13	h219	203	197	190	310	1,460	1,640	2,740	949	246	94	74
14	h219	206	*312	220	330	1,430	1,530	2,770	870	230	92	76
15	h216	203	263	260	390	1,480	1,500	3,130	818	224	76	84
16	h210	206	233	240	450	1,510	1,540	3,130	775	194	89	87
17	h210	206	188	250	520	1,550	1,690	3,440	658	180	79	80
18	h210	197	200	200	490	1,680	1,860	3,170	597	178	76	79
19	h213	212	250	230	a520	1,750	2,030	2,820	555	162	78	79
20	h213	218	330	260	a540	1,640	1,670	2,720	535	147	85	76
21	h213	215	260	220	a520	1,540	1,610	2,480	545	142	92	78
22	h213	212	200	190	a560	1,470	1,480	2,420	597	138	79	78
23	h210	215	160	190	a600	1,410	1,420	2,300	575	140	74	76
24	h210	215	155	180	a590	1,380	1,570	2,280	570	138	72	70
25	h207	215	160	170	a560	1,350	1,690	2,270	550	129	72	72
26	h204	212	210	200	a590	1,290	1,650	2,310	505	129	70	72
27	h204	206	250	240	a620	1,230	1,680	2,370	456	118	70	70
28	h207	209	300	220	a660	1,170	1,780	2,370	442	111	72	70
29	h204	178	350	200	-	1,120	1,880	2,320	419	118	70	80
30	h201	175	280	195	-	1,100	1,760	2,160	374	120	65	85
31	h201	-	340	200	-	1,080	-	2,030	-	111	65	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October	8,453	234	159	208	12,800
November	6,276	237	175	209	12,450
December	7,229	350	155	233	14,340
Calendar year 1948	275,135	4,870	104	752	545,800
January	6,575	290	170	212	13,040
February	11,960	660	210	427	23,720
March	40,360	1,750	720	1,302	80,050
April	46,630	2,030	1,090	1,554	92,490
May	71,270	3,440	1,460	2,299	141,400
June	29,690	2,030	374	996	59,290
July	6,951	368	111	224	13,790
August	2,536	107	65	81.8	5,030
September	2,178	87	59	72.6	4,320
Water year 1948-49	238,308	3,440	59	653	472,700

Peak discharge (base, 1,100 sec.-ft.).--Mar. 18 (9 p.m.) 1,790 sec.-ft.; Apr. 20 (1 a.m.) 2,140 sec.-ft.; May 17 (3:30 a.m.) 3,520 sec.-ft.; June 7 (2 a.m.) 2,210 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for other Powder River stations and Imnaha River above Gumboot Creek.

b Computed from staff-gage reading.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 19 to Feb. 21.

Wolf Creek near North Powder, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°03', long. 118°01', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 11, T. 6 S., R. 38 E., 5 miles northwest of North Powder.

Drainage area.--32.9 square miles.

Records available.--May 1913 to July 1914 (incomplete), September 1946 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 275 second-feet May 10 (gage height, 3.72 feet); minimum, 0.5 second-foot Nov. 7.

1913-14, 1946-49: Maximum discharge, 433 second-feet May 23, 1948 (gage height, 4.46 feet); minimum, 0.2 second-foot Sept. 12-14, 1948.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or shifting control, which are fair. Many small diversions above station for irrigation.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect or shifting-control (gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

Oct. 1 to May 10						May 11 to Sept. 30					
1.4	0.2	1.9	14	2.4	52	1.5	0.6	2.0	12	2.6	70
1.5	1.1	2.0	19	2.7	94	1.6	1.1	2.1	16	3.0	138
1.6	3.1	2.1	25	3.1	160	1.7	2.5	2.2	24	3.7	271
1.7	5.9	2.2	32	3.6	252	1.8	4.5	2.3	32		
1.8	9.3	2.3	41			1.9	7.5	2.4	42		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1.0	5.3	b4.0	b3.0	b2.5	b6.5	28	157	31	6.6	1.0	0.8
2	1.0	5.1	4.2	b2.5	b2.5	b6.5	36	162	29	6.3	1.0	.8
3	1.0	6.6	b4.5	b2.5	b2.5	b7.0	41	160	29	5.7	.9	.8
4	1.7	4.8	b4.5	b3.0	b2.5	*b7.0	55	145	32	5.4	.8	.8
5	2.7	3.9	4.5	b3.0	b2.5	9.3	66	134	30	5.1	.8	.9
6	2.9	3.1	4.5	b3.0	b2.5	12	75	126	29	5.1	.9	.9
7	4.2	.9	3.9	b3.0	b2.5	14	79	134	29	4.5	1.0	.8
8	3.7	1.7	b4.0	b3.0	b2.5	14	79	152	25	4.3	1.0	.8
9	3.4	3.4	b4.0	b3.0	b2.5	11	82	187	24	3.9	.9	.8
10	3.1	3.7	b4.0	b3.0	b2.0	10	94	235	22	3.7	.9	1.0
11	2.9	2.9	b4.0	b3.0	*b3.1	11	113	263	21	3.7	1.1	1.2
12	2.7	2.7	b4.0	b3.0	b3.5	13	112	251	21	2.9	1.1	1.1
13	2.5	3.1	*b3.0	b3.0	b4.0	16	94	219	16	2.4	1.0	1.0
14	2.5	3.4	3.1	b3.0	5.1	18	84	190	11	2.2	1.0	1.0
15	2.7	3.7	b3.0	b3.0	b5.0	20	86	171	8.7	2.2	1.0	1.0
16	2.3	3.4	b3.0	b2.5	5.1	23	102	151	12	2.2	1.0	1.4
17	2.3	2.7	b3.0	b2.5	5.1	24	131	127	14	2.1	1.0	1.4
18	2.5	1.3	b3.0	b2.5	5.1	*26	153	105	12	1.9	1.0	1.2
19	2.3	2.9	b3.0	b2.5	5.1	34	218	91	10	1.9	1.0	1.2
20	2.1	3.4	b3.0	b2.5	5.1	28	209	91	8.7	2.2	1.0	1.2
21	2.1	3.1	b3.0	b2.5	5.3	27	171	84	8.7	1.9	1.0	1.1
22	1.9	3.7	b2.5	b2.5	5.6	25	160	81	8.7	1.8	.9	1.1
23	2.1	3.1	b2.5	b2.5	5.6	26	185	75	9.9	1.8	.9	1.1
24	2.1	3.7	b2.5	b2.5	5.9	30	203	66	9.1	1.4	.9	1.1
25	2.3	2.5	b2.5	b2.5	b5.5	29	178	58	7.9	1.2	.9	1.1
26	2.7	3.1	b3.0	b2.5	b5.5	25	162	51	8.7	1.4	.9	1.1
27	2.7	3.9	b3.0	b2.5	b6.0	21	167	45	8.3	1.2	.8	1.1
28	2.3	3.9	b3.0	b2.5	b6.0	18	191	39	7.9	1.2	.8	1.1
29	3.4	b4.0	b3.0	b2.5	-	17	185	36	7.5	1.5	.8	1.4
30	3.1	b4.0	b3.0	b2.5	-	17	164	34	6.9	1.1	.8	1.5
31	4.2	-	b3.0	b2.5	-	21	-	34	-	1.0	.8	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	78.4	4.2	1.0	2.53	156
November.....	103.0	6.6	.9	3.43	204
December.....	105.2	4.5	2.5	3.39	209
Calendar year 1948	12,021.2	368	.2	32.8	23,850
January.....	84	3.0	2.5	2.71	167
February.....	116.1	6.0	2.0	4.15	230
March.....	565.3	34	6.5	18.2	1,120
April.....	3,703	218	28	123	7,340
May.....	3,854	263	34	124	7,640
June.....	498.0	32	6.9	16.6	988
July.....	89.8	6.6	1.0	2.90	178
August.....	28.9	1.1	.8	.93	57
September.....	31.8	1.5	.8	1.06	63
Water year 1948-49	9,257.5	263	.8	25.4	18,350

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Note.--Shifting-control method used Oct. 1 to Mar. 19.

Imnaha River above Gumboot Creek, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°11', long. 116°53', in sec. 30 or 31, T. 4 S., R. 48 E., 0.1 mile upstream from Gumboot Creek and 5 miles northeast of Coverdale forest guard station.

Drainage area.--98 square miles.

Records available.--October 1944 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 2,160 second-feet May 15 (gage height, 4.51 feet); minimum not determined occurred sometime during period of ice effect or no gage-height record; minimum daily, 20 second-feet Dec. 17, result of ice jam upstream.
1944-49: Maximum discharge, 2,400 second-feet May 27, 1948 (gage height, 5.07 feet); minimum recorded, 14 second-feet Dec. 10, 1944.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of shifting-control, which are fair, and those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. No regulation or diversion above station.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect or shifting control (gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

Oct. 1 to Apr. 10				Apr. 11 to Sept. 30			
0.4	21	1.1	104	1.9	288	3.5	1,120
.5	29	1.3	138	2.1	355	4.0	1,600
.6	38	1.6	204	2.5	515	4.3	1,930
.7	49	1.9	288	3.0	780		
.9	75						

Note.--Same as preceding table below 1.9 feet.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	83	78	53	a50	b50	48	90	498	750	334	133	74
2	83	89	65	a45	a50	52	106	750	660	352	131	74
3	81	106	67	a35	a50	56	112	704	616	362	127	72
4	92	82	49	a30	a48	58	138	586	687	362	124	71
5	106	76	59	a34	a47	66	178	520	853	355	120	72
6	92	72	63	a38	a46	70	214	506	1,030	352	117	74
7	90	67	61	a40	a45	70	252	543	1,120	320	114	71
8	92	56	57	a44	a45	67	273	626	1,020	304	112	68
9	89	79	68	a35	a42	65	279	756	931	291	110	68
10	86	79	68	a34	b33	62	291	886	1,040	294	109	74
11	85	67	68	a38	b21	63	344	1,140	998	285	107	74
12	83	66	65	a42	a22	65	366	1,360	853	276	106	70
13	82	66	49	a45	a23	67	298	1,390	750	255	106	67
14	82	65	b42	a50	a24	67	270	1,500	704	241	102	65
15	83	67	b30	a53	a25	76	279	1,910	676	230	100	63
16	79	67	a25	a49	a29	89	317	1,700	621	220	96	66
17	79	65	a20	a46	a34	94	388	1,530	529	207	95	65
18	78	53	a30	a45	a35	125	443	1,110	485	197	94	62
19	78	72	b38	a43	a36	160	511	1,000	464	192	92	59
20	78	68	b47	a42	38	160	520	938	464	182	90	58
21	75	61	a54	a43	38	140	452	834	472	176	89	57
22	75	61	a56	a45	35	125	425	792	511	171	88	56
23	74	61	a57	a48	39	118	472	780	494	187	86	54
24	74	63	a58	a44	37	120	506	816	485	165	85	54
25	75	62	a65	a42	36	117	476	892	476	160	83	54
26	72	59	a70	a44	36	109	468	1,010	456	156	82	54
27	71	58	a80	a45	39	101	502	1,140	404	152	81	54
28	70	62	a80	*b46	42	94	586	1,160	388	146	79	54
29	71	46	a70	a48	-	89	610	1,090	374	142	78	66
30	70	42	a55	a50	-	88	524	918	334	139	76	62
31	71	-	a50	b50	-	86	-	872	-	134	75	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	2,499	106	70	80.6	0.822	0.95	4,960
November	2,014	106	42	67.1	.685	.76	3,990
December	1,716	80	20	55.4	.565	.65	3,400
Calendar year 1948	104,377	1,920	20	285	2.91	39.62	207,000
January	1,343	53	30	43.3	.442	.51	2,660
February	2,014	106	21	37.2	.380	.40	2,070
March	2,767	160	48	89.3	.911	1.05	5,490
April	10,688	610	90	356	3.63	4.06	21,200
May	30,257	1,910	498	976	9.96	11.48	60,010
June	19,645	1,120	334	655	6.68	7.46	38,970
July	7,318	362	134	236	2.41	2.78	14,520
August	3,087	133	75	99.6	1.02	1.17	6,120
September	1,932	74	54	64.4	.657	.73	3,830
Water year 1948-49	84,309	1,910	20	231	2.36	32.00	167,200

Peak discharge (base, 800 sec.-ft.)--May 15 (5 a.m.) 2,160 sec.-ft.; May 27 (10 p.m.) 1,370 sec.-ft.; June 7 (10 p.m.) 1,300 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record (stage-discharge relation affected by ice most of period); discharge computed on basis of records for Imnaha River at Imnaha and Grande Ronde River at Troy.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Note.--Shifting-control method used Oct. 1 to Nov. 20.

Imnaha River at Imnaha, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°34', long. 116°51', in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 16, T. 1 N., R. 48 E., at Imnaha, three-eighths of a mile downstream from Sheep Creek.

Drainage area.--705 square miles.

Records available.---June 1928 to September 1949.

Average discharge.---21 years, 459 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 2,570 second-feet May 15 (gage height, 4.91 feet); minimum, 24 second-feet Dec. 18 (gage height, 1.28 feet), result of ice jam upstream.
1928-49: Maximum discharge, 5,700 second-feet May 28, 1948 (gage height, 7.06 feet); minimum observed, 16 second-feet Nov. 22, 1931.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Diversions above station for irrigation.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Oct. 1 to Dec. 1)

1.3	26	2.4	350
1.4	41	2.8	554
1.5	59	3.2	805
1.6	81	3.7	1,200
1.8	134	4.3	1,790
2.1	232	4.8	2,430

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	161	187	128	165	170	312	a300	1,180	1,310	436	180	a106
2	158	218	150	140	170	333	a340	1,530	1,130	446	177	a105
3	155	250	160	105	165	350	a380	1,690	1,010	451	174	a108
4	161	228	155	90	165	359	470	1,450	1,030	441	164	a105
5	204	190	131	105	160	387	629	1,270	1,170	436	155	a105
6	187	187	152	130	150	421	805	1,180	1,380	446	155	a105
7	180	177	155	135	150	421	935	1,230	1,500	416	152	a105
8	177	155	a150	135	145	391	966	1,360	1,450	382	152	a100
9	174	143	a160	105	145	359	966	1,570	1,340	364	152	a105
10	167	194	a165	105	130	325	982	1,760	1,320	359	146	a110
11	167	190	a170	120	100	308	1,180	2,010	1,360	355	143	a110
12	164	177	a170	145	100	321	1,250	2,180	1,230	350	143	a110
13	161	174	a130	160	110	337	1,030	2,180	1,070	325	152	a110
14	167	171	a110	170	115	382	847	2,240	1,010	308	149	112
15	171	174	a90	180	120	426	826	2,430	958	296	143	112
16	164	177	a70	160	140	451	920	2,330	912	288	140	120
17	164	184	*50	150	174	611	1,130	2,240	791	277	128	123
18	164	164	37	150	174	770	1,300	1,850	709	269	128	117
19	161	161	70	150	180	702	1,470	1,700	658	258	137	112
20	161	180	130	145	177	600	1,450	1,700	640	254	128	109
21	161	177	140	150	180	538	1,290	1,530	629	247	123	106
22	164	167	145	170	204	504	1,170	1,420	683	239	123	104
23	167	171	150	160	236	499	1,300	1,360	652	232	123	101
24	171	177	155	150	243	457	1,420	1,350	640	225	123	101
25	174	174	170	a155	243	411	1,340	1,390	629	222	123	106
26	171	167	210	a160	250	373	1,240	1,510	623	214	123	106
27	171	161	270	a165	262	333	1,270	1,850	554	208	120	106
28	167	161	270	a170	265	325	1,420	1,740	521	204	117	106
29	164	155	200	170	-	308	1,550	1,680	516	190	114	120
30	167	140	165	*170	-	a300	1,340	1,490	462	187	112	128
31	171	-	165	170	-	a290	-	1,440	-	180	109	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	5,216	204	155	168	10,350
November.....	5,331	250	140	178	10,570
December.....	4,573	270	37	148	9,070
Calendar year 1948.....	266,886	4,560	37	729	529,400
January.....	4,535	180	90	146	9,000
February.....	4,843	285	100	173	9,610
March.....	12,904	770	290	416	25,590
April.....	31,482	1,550	300	1,049	62,440
May.....	51,640	2,430	1,180	1,660	102,400
June.....	27,887	1,500	462	930	55,310
July.....	9,505	451	180	307	18,850
August.....	4,308	180	109	139	8,540
September.....	3,270	128	100	109	6,490
Water year 1948-49.....	165,494	2,430	37	453	328,200

Peak discharge (base, 1,300 sec.-ft.)--Apr. 12 (6 a.m.) 1,320 sec.-ft.; Apr. 20 (2 a.m.) 1,600 sec.-ft.; Apr. 29 (3 a.m.) 1,680 sec.-ft.; May 3 (1 to 4 a.m.) 1,790 sec.-ft.; May 15 (9 a.m.) 2,570 sec.-ft.; June 8 (5:30 a.m.) 1,660 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records, recorded range in stage, and records for station at Gumbo Creek.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 2, 3, Dec. 17 to Feb. 16.

Salmon River near Obsidian, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°58', long. 114°48', in sec. 3, T. 7 N., R. 14 E., three-eighths of a mile below irrigation diversion dam, 1 mile upstream from Lost Creek, and 2½ miles southeast of Obsidian.

Drainage area.--94.7 square miles.

Records available.--November 1940 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 416 second-feet May 29; maximum gage height, 5.50 feet probably between Jan. 27 and Mar. 1, from ice mark in well (ice jam); minimum, 4.1 second-feet Aug. 26-29 (gage height, 1.19 feet).

1940-49: Maximum discharge, 706 second-feet June 3, 1948; maximum gage height, that during period Jan. 27 to Mar. 1, 1949; minimum discharge, 2 second-feet Sept. 7-11, 1942, Apr. 1, 1945.

Remarks.--Records good except those for July, which are fair, and those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Several diversions above station for irrigation.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Oct. 1-11, Sept. 17)

Oct. 1 to Sept. 17

Sept. 18-30

1.1	2.6	1.6	20	2.7	145
1.2	4.3	1.7	26	3.0	211
1.3	6.7	1.9	41	3.3	296
1.4	10	2.1	60	3.6	407
1.5	14	2.4	96		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	48	50	32				24	138	287	71	7.4	4.8
2	47	53	34				24	153	262	72	7.0	4.8
3	46	53	34				*24	145	232	72	6.2	4.8
4	48	*46	26				25	143	206	71	6.2	4.8
5	51	45	26				27	145	211	83	5.7	4.8
6	48	45					27	155	245	77	5.3	4.8
7	47	41					28	172	271	69	5.3	4.8
8	47	39					28	199	299	58	5.5	4.8
9	46	46					30	237	323	48	5.5	4.8
10	45	43					29	259	341	47	5.5	4.5
11	45	43					31	277	367	46	5.5	4.8
12	45	42					32	316	367	44	5.5	4.8
13	45	42	30				32	337	323	42	5.5	4.5
14	45	42					31	356	277	36	5.3	4.5
15	46	42					32	330	254	30	5.3	4.5
16	49	42		26	24	24	32	334	229	30	5.3	4.5
17	52	40					43	323	192	28	5.3	8.2
18	52	37					52	327	172	23	5.3	18
19	51	42					58	320	165	19	5.3	17
20	51	42					61	296	155	17	5.0	17
21	50	39					61	265	149	14	4.8	17
22	50	39					71	257	138	13	4.5	17
23	49	39					79	245	131	12	4.5	17
24	49	39					86	257	127	11	4.3	17
25	46	39	27				92	265	125	9.3	4.3	17
26	47	39					104	290	121	8.4	4.1	17
27	47	39					125	323	110	8.4	4.1	17
28	47	39					145	363	90	8.0	4.1	16
29	47	36				-	155	395	84	7.7	4.1	14
30	47	30				-	140	348	77	7.7	4.3	16
31	47	-				-	-	330	-	7.4	4.5	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,482	52	45	47.8	2,940
November.....	1,252	53	30	41.7	2,480
December.....	899	34	-	29.0	1,780
Calendar year 1948.....	26,091	625	6	76.8	55,720
January.....	806	-	-	26.0	1,600
February.....	672	-	-	24.0	1,330
March.....	744	-	-	24.0	1,480
April.....	1,728	155	24	57.6	3,430
May.....	8,300	395	138	268	16,480
June.....	6,330	367	77	211	12,580
July.....	1,089.9	83	7.4	35.2	2,160
August.....	160.5	7.4	4.1	5.18	318
September.....	300.5	18	4.5	10.0	596
Water year 1948-49.....	23,763.9	395	4.1	65.1	47,130

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 1-3, Dec. 6 to about Mar. 15. No gage-height record Dec. 26 to Jan. 9, Jan. 11-20, Jan. 27 to Apr. 2; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for upper Salmon River tributaries and other nearby streams.

Salmon River below Valley Creek, at Stanley, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°14', long. 114°55', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 34, T. 11 N., R. 13 E., three-quarters of a mile downstream from Valley Creek and $\frac{1}{4}$ miles northeast of upper Stanley. Datum of gage is 6,190.32 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929.

Drainage area.--535 square miles.

Records available.--July 1925 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--24 years, 612 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 2,840 second-feet May 16, June 12; maximum gage height observed, 3.27 feet Feb. 24 (ice jam); minimum daily discharge, 290 second-feet Feb. 11, Mar. 28.

1925-49: Maximum discharge, 5,020 second-feet June 27, 1927 (gage height, 4.41 feet), from rating curve extended above 4,000 second-feet; minimum, 100 second-feet (estimated) Nov. 20-30, 1929.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Diversions above station for irrigation.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except period of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Oct. 19 to Dec. 15)

0.8	254	1.7	908
.9	296	2.2	1,410
1.1	404	2.7	2,000
1.3	550	3.3	2,930

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	418	458	375	350	330	360	h301	1,300	2,390	992	438	326
2	418	584	404	350	330	370	310	1,480	2,130	973	431	326
3	411	600	404	340	330	370	320	1,400	1,920	954	424	326
4	431	511	398	340	330	370	330	1,280	1,740	964	418	321
5	495	*445	346	360	330	370	350	1,240	1,700	1,040	411	326
6	458	452	369	370	330	380	390	1,250	1,830	1,070	404	326
7	445	398	363	370	320	360	h411	1,300	2,010	992	392	326
8	438	392	369	370	330	370	400	1,390	2,160	954	387	326
9	424	369	381	350	340	370	420	1,510	2,320	916	392	326
10	418	411	404	330	330	360	450	1,640	2,450	887	404	326
11	411	404	404	340	290	h375	500	1,770	2,630	860	411	346
12	404	411	398	350	300	380	560	2,000	2,770	832	404	346
13	398	411	375	360	310	380	500	2,190	2,580	804	392	336
14	411	411	392	370	330	370	430	2,400	2,330	777	387	331
15	411	445	398	390	370	360	*h438	2,630	2,160	740	375	326
16	398	431	350	360	380	360	527	2,790	1,990	713	363	341
17	404	424	350	370	360	575	2,750	1,820	1,820	687	363	346
18	404	381	*360	360	380	340	669	2,750	1,850	669	363	346
19	404	398	370	360	370	h341	740	2,730	1,550	643	358	346
20	398	418	360	350	370	350	777	2,630	1,500	617	346	341
21	398	398	350	350	380	350	749	2,380	1,390	584	336	336
22	398	398	330	340	380	340	h916	2,270	1,360	558	336	336
23	398	392	330	330	390	350	h1,090	2,130	1,340	542	346	336
24	398	411	340	*380	330	320	h1,210	1,970	1,320	527	346	336
25	398	404	350	320	370	320	h1,380	1,940	1,320	511	336	336
26	392	404	350	330	370	h301	h1,150	2,010	1,320	503	331	331
27	387	392	360	340	370	310	h1,380	2,160	1,260	488	326	326
28	392	404	360	330	360	290	h1,360	2,340	1,170	472	326	336
29	404	375	360	330	-	300	1,450	2,560	1,090	458	331	358
30	398	363	340	340	-	310	1,330	2,580	1,040	452	331	346
31	411	-	360	330	-	310	-	2,560	-	445	331	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October	12,773	495	387	412	0.770	0.89	25,330
November	12,695	600	363	423	.791	.88	25,180
December	11,420	404	330	368	.688	.79	22,650
Calendar year 1948	275,156	3,990	280	752	1.41	19.12	545,800
January	10,780	390	320	348	.650	.75	21,380
February	9,770	390	290	349	.652	.68	19,380
March	10,777	380	290	348	.650	.75	21,380
April	21,413	1,450	301	714	1.33	1.49	42,470
May	63,330	2,790	1,240	2,043	3.82	4.40	125,600
June	54,240	2,770	1,040	1,808	3.38	3.77	107,600
July	22,624	1,070	445	730	1.36	1.57	44,870
August	11,539	438	326	372	.695	.80	22,890
September	10,037	358	321	335	.626	.70	19,910
Water year 1948-49	251,398	2,790	290	689	1.29	17.47	498,600

Peak discharge (base, 1,700 sec.-ft.)--May 16 (11 a.m. to 1 p.m.) 2,840 sec.-ft.; May 31 (1 to 3 p.m.) 2,650 sec.-ft.; June 12 (1 p.m.) 2,840 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 18 to about Mar. 10. No gage-height record Dec. 16 to Apr. 14 except for staff-gage readings Dec. 18, 24, 30, Feb. 24, Mar. 11, 19, 26, Apr. 1, 7; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for other Salmon River stations.

Salmon River below Yankee Fork, near Clayton, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°16', long. 114°44', in sec. 20, T. 11 N., R. 15 E., a quarter of a mile downstream from Sunbeam Dam and Yankee Fork and 18 miles upstream from Clayton.

Drainage area.--841 square miles.

Records available.--October 1921 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--26 years (1922-24, 1925-49), 894 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 4,920 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 7.92 feet); minimum, 251 second-feet Feb. 11 (gage height, 1.97 feet).

1921-49: Maximum discharge, 8,000 second-feet (estimated) June 27, 1927; minimum, 160 second-feet (estimated) Nov. 25-30, 1929.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or backwater from tree, which are fair. All diversions above station for irrigation are above Stanley.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	511	506	457	410	377	414	358	1,850	3,650	1,240	620	428
2	506	663	511	400	381	423	372	2,020	3,230	1,210	605	423
3	501	679	520	390	377	423	381	1,970	2,860	1,190	594	418
4	511	578	490	390	377	428	390	1,790	2,610	1,180	584	418
5	610	*501	450	410	372	418	433	1,730	2,640	1,290	568	423
6	558	532	460	420	386	433	486	1,780	2,940	1,320	563	428
7	542	452	470	430	367	409	532	1,960	3,170	1,200	542	423
8	537	442	460	430	386	418	522	2,220	3,340	1,160	537	418
9	522	447	450	400	390	423	542	2,500	3,510	1,110	537	418
10	511	496	490	380	381	409	610	2,840	3,650	1,090	552	423
11	501	491	490	390	327	414	732	3,300	3,850	1,060	563	452
12	491	511	500	400	340	433	826	3,740	3,860	1,020	542	457
13	486	501	450	410	360	433	722	4,070	3,550	992	537	442
14	491	496	420	420	381	418	658	4,460	3,190	968	522	433
15	506	532	430	442	423	414	679	4,710	2,900	945	511	428
16	486	511	410	410	433	414	776	4,870	2,690	922	496	442
17	481	511	*400	400	428	409	939	4,710	2,410	894	486	447
18	481	433	390	404	433	404	1,160	4,580	2,180	871	486	442
19	481	481	440	409	428	404	1,300	4,430	2,060	837	476	437
20	476	516	430	400	428	414	1,300	4,200	1,990	815	466	433
21	476	496	400	395	442	404	1,160	3,860	1,840	787	452	428
22	476	491	390	390	442	400	1,310	3,650	1,780	770	442	428
23	471	476	380	380	452	390	1,540	3,450	1,740	749	452	423
24	466	506	390	380	*433	381	1,900	3,200	1,700	738	457	418
25	466	496	400	360	418	372	2,060	3,200	1,680	738	442	418
26	457	491	410	380	418	377	2,020	3,390	1,670	716	437	414
27	452	462	420	395	414	386	2,170	3,640	1,590	695	437	409
28	452	476	420	381	409	340	2,190	3,900	1,470	689	433	418
29	476	462	420	386	-	349	2,280	4,160	1,370	668	437	452
30	466	414	420	395	-	367	1,990	4,120	1,300	642	433	437
31	471	-	420	381	-	367	-	4,020	-	626	428	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October	15,318	610	452	494	0.587	0.68	30,380
November	15,049	679	414	502	.597	.87	29,850
December	13,588	520	380	438	.521	.60	26,950
Calendar year 1948	400,824	6,830	358	1,095	1.30	17.74	795,000
January	12,368	442	360	399	.474	.55	24,530
February	11,203	452	327	400	.476	.50	22,220
March	12,468	433	340	403	.479	.55	24,770
April	32,338	2,280	358	1,078	1.28	1.43	34,140
May	104,320	4,870	1,730	3,365	4.00	4.61	206,900
June	76,410	3,860	1,300	2,547	3.03	3.58	151,600
July	29,132	1,320	626	940	1.12	1.29	57,780
August	15,637	620	428	504	.599	.69	31,020
September	12,878	457	409	429	.510	.57	25,540
Water year 1948-49	350,729	4,870	327	961	1.14	15.52	695,680

Peak discharge (base, 2,350 sec.-ft.).--Apr. 28 (11:30 p.m.) 2,520 sec.-ft.; May 16 (8 to 11 a.m.) 4,920 sec.-ft.; May 29 (9 p.m.) 4,250 sec.-ft.; June 11 (11:30 p.m.) 3,930 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice or fallen tree Dec. 3 to Jan. 14, Jan. 16, 17, 23-26, Feb. 12, 13.

Salmon River near Challis, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°23', long. 114°15', in sec. 7, T. 12 N., R. 19 E., 750 feet downstream from Bayhorse Creek and 9 miles south of Challis. Datum of gage is 5,163.99 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929.

Drainage area.--1,800 square miles.

Records available.--October 1928 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--21 years, 1,324 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 6,710 second-feet May 16; maximum gage height, 7.06 feet Jan. 13 (ice jam); minimum discharge, 358 second-feet Jan. 10 (gage height, 1.55 feet).
1928-49: Maximum discharge, 10,500 second-feet May 30, 1943 (gage height, 8.07 feet); minimum, 160 second-feet Dec. 14, 1940.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Some diversion above station for irrigation.

Revisions.--W 1043: Drainage area.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept
1	872	794	682	676	580	710	580	2,780	5,090	2,000	968	666
2	860	942	776	627	600	693	595	2,640	4,510	1,960	955	654
3	848	998	812	585	590	682	610	2,620	4,040	1,950	929	649
4	860	955	770	541	580	666	627	2,450	3,660	1,950	916	654
5	968	812	698	555	560	649	682	2,370	3,680	2,030	896	666
6	942	824	710	649	590	649	764	2,360	4,080	2,210	884	671
7	903	754	726	754	560	644	842	2,500	4,510	2,020	872	654
8	896	660	715	726	600	632	854	2,820	4,220	1,940	848	649
9	884	680	698	595	610	638	854	3,160	5,050	1,870	842	644
10	866	800	776	436	600	622	903	3,570	5,350	1,800	872	644
11	848	794	764	494	520	632	1,050	4,100	5,690	1,740	890	671
12	836	800	782	600	530	666	1,260	4,840	5,920	1,680	866	720
13	824	800	704	620	570	666	1,160	5,330	5,330	1,650	854	693
14	818	782	654	650	600	649	1,050	5,850	4,720	1,610	830	671
15	848	818	676	680	650	654	1,030	6,260	4,340	1,560	824	660
16	830	818	622	700	700	654	1,110	6,630	4,040	1,520	806	666
17	800	812	*550	650	710	649	1,310	6,540	3,660	1,480	788	710
18	806	704	521	640	720	638	1,590	6,360	3,290	1,430	798	693
19	800	710	644	640	730	638	1,840	6,200	3,100	1,370	776	688
20	800	818	748	640	750	649	1,890	5,870	2,960	1,500	759	676
21	788	800	622	630	760	632	1,710	5,370	2,770	1,260	737	660
22	788	770	580	620	780	622	1,740	5,010	2,690	1,220	720	654
23	776	764	507	600	780	610	2,000	4,800	2,660	1,180	715	649
24	770	788	531	580	770	600	2,300	4,430	2,610	1,150	737	649
25	770	770	545	570	*760	585	2,560	4,390	2,600	1,120	715	632
26	754	759	570	590	750	580	2,500	4,680	2,560	1,090	693	632
27	754	688	610	620	740	600	2,640	5,090	2,450	1,070	693	627
28	737	710	638	600	726	555	2,880	5,600	2,310	1,050	682	632
29	764	737	632	600	-	545	3,060	6,040	2,180	1,030	682	693
30	770	610	644	620	-	570	2,920	5,870	2,080	1,000	676	710
31	764	-	622	600	-	595	-	5,550	-	981	676	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	25,544	968	737	824	0.458	0.53	50,670
November	23,461	998	610	782	.434	.48	46,530
December	20,519	812	507	662	.368	.42	40,700
Calendar year 1948	588,143	9,790	489	1,607	.893	12.14	1,167,000
January	19,098	754	436	616	.342	.39	37,860
February	18,416	780	320	658	.366	.38	36,530
March	19,574	710	545	631	.351	.40	38,820
April	44,911	3,060	580	1,497	.832	.93	89,080
May	142,080	6,630	2,360	4,583	2.55	2.94	281,800
June	112,750	5,920	2,080	3,758	2.09	2.33	223,600
July	47,201	2,210	981	1,523	.846	.98	93,620
August	24,889	968	676	803	.446	.51	49,370
September	19,937	720	627	665	.369	.41	39,540
Water year 1948-49	518,370	6,630	436	1,420	.789	10.70	1,028,000

Peak discharge (base, 3,800 sec.-ft.).--May 16 (1 to 2 p.m.) 6,710 sec.-ft.; May 29 (2:30 p.m.) 6,200 sec.-ft.; June 12 (8:30 a.m.) 6,150 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Jan. 12 to Feb. 27. No gage-height record Nov. 9, Feb. 4-23, Apr. 30, May 1; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for other Salmon River stations and nearby streams.

Salmon River at Salmon, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°11', long. 113°54', in sec. 6, T. 21 N., R. 22 E., just upstream from Lemhi River, near Rose ranch buildings, 1,000 feet downstream from island and three-eighths of a mile downstream from highway bridge at Salmon.

Drainage area.--3,760 square miles.

Records available.--April 1912 to September 1916, July 1919 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--32 years (1913-16, 1920-49), 1,814 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 7,590 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 6.15 feet); minimum recorded, 802 second-feet Dec. 18 (gage height, 2.52 feet), but may have been less during period of ice effect.

1912-16, 1919-49: Maximum discharge observed, 16,400 second-feet June 12, 1921 (gage height, 9.35 feet, staff gage at site 700 feet upstream); minimum, 242 second-feet Jan. 8, 1937 (gage height, 1.50 feet).

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect, which are fair. Diver-sions above station for irrigation.

Revisions.--W 1043: Drainage area.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	MAY	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1,320	1,380	1,220	1,250	1,100	1,260	1,060	3,110	6,400	2,330	1,220	877
2	1,320	1,480	1,350	1,200	1,100	1,250	1,050	2,940	5,830	2,250	1,210	868
3	1,320	1,640	1,480	1,100	1,100	1,250	1,050	3,070	5,270	2,210	1,180	859
4	1,510	1,650	1,440	1,000	1,100	1,250	1,050	2,940	4,750	2,210	1,140	859
5	1,370	1,570	1,380	1,000	1,050	1,250	1,070	2,720	4,470	2,250	1,110	904
6	1,480	1,460	1,320	1,200	1,100	1,250	1,130	2,650	4,600	2,450	1,090	922
7	1,470	1,460	1,340	1,400	1,050	1,250	1,220	2,720	5,030	2,450	1,070	922
8	1,460	1,380	1,350	1,300	1,100	1,250	1,230	2,940	5,370	2,270	1,060	904
9	1,460	1,340	1,340	1,100	1,100	1,250	1,230	3,360	5,570	2,190	1,050	904
10	1,430	1,350	1,350	850	1,100	1,240	1,280	3,830	5,750	2,130	1,050	913
11	1,420	1,460	*1,380	950	950	1,250	1,350	4,400	5,990	2,120	1,070	931
12	1,400	1,460	1,380	1,100	1,000	1,280	1,520	5,030	6,300	2,070	1,100	985
13	1,380	1,460	1,370	1,150	1,050	1,320	1,870	5,650	6,140	1,960	1,090	1,020
14	1,380	1,460	1,260	1,200	1,100	1,340	1,540	6,190	5,540	1,900	1,090	1,000
15	1,380	1,460	1,240	1,250	1,150	1,320	1,430	6,660	5,060	1,850	1,090	985
16	1,400	1,490	1,230	1,300	1,200	1,310	1,410	7,200	4,710	1,810	1,070	985
17	1,410	1,480	1,070	1,200	1,250	1,300	1,520	7,530	4,380	1,740	1,060	994
18	1,380	1,440	904	1,200	1,250	*1,280	1,740	7,390	4,060	1,710	1,060	1,030
19	1,380	1,350	913	1,200	1,250	1,290	2,020	7,170	3,830	1,670	1,040	1,020
20	1,380	1,380	1,210	1,200	1,300	1,320	2,240	7,060	3,700	1,580	1,030	1,000
21	1,370	1,470	1,470	1,200	1,350	1,320	2,240	6,610	3,440	1,530	1,010	994
22	1,360	1,430	1,120	1,150	1,400	1,280	2,080	6,250	3,280	1,480	976	985
23	1,370	1,420	994	1,150	1,400	1,230	2,180	5,990	3,180	1,420	949	976
24	1,360	1,420	913	1,100	1,350	1,180	2,450	5,570	2,130	1,380	949	957
25	1,360	1,430	895	1,100	1,350	1,170	2,860	5,300	2,990	1,370	958	949
26	1,370	1,420	958	1,100	1,300	1,120	2,990	5,320	2,960	1,350	931	940
27	1,350	1,370	1,020	1,150	1,300	1,100	2,990	5,620	2,900	1,300	922	949
28	1,350	1,310	1,100	1,100	*1,300	1,100	3,200	6,090	2,770	1,260	922	949
29	1,340	1,360	1,160	1,150	-	1,030	3,500	6,530	2,570	1,230	922	967
30	1,370	1,320	1,200	1,150	-	1,030	3,480	6,740	2,450	1,210	913	1,020
31	1,370	-	1,200	1,100	-	1,060	-	6,560	-	1,200	895	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	42,820	1,480	1,310	1,381	84,930
November.....	43,100	1,650	1,310	1,437	85,490
December.....	37,567	1,480	895	1,212	74,510
Calendar year 1948	788,299	10,800	760	2,154	1,564,000
January.....	35,600	1,400	850	1,148	70,610
February.....	33,150	1,400	950	1,184	65,750
March.....	38,140	1,340	1,030	1,230	75,650
April.....	55,900	3,500	1,050	1,863	110,900
May.....	161,140	7,530	2,650	5,198	319,600
June.....	132,420	6,400	2,450	4,414	262,700
July.....	55,880	2,450	1,200	1,805	110,800
August.....	32,227	1,220	895	1,040	65,920
September.....	28,578	1,050	859	953	56,680
Water year 1948-49	696,522	7,530	850	1,908	1,382,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 28 to Mar. 7 (no gage-height record Jan. 3 to Feb. 22; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for other Salmon River stations).

Salmon River near Shoup, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 45°19'30", long. 114°25', in sec. 13, T. 23 N., R. 17 E., 200 feet downstream from highway bridge, 1 mile downstream from Panther Creek, and 8 miles southwest of Shoup. Dec. 12 to Apr. 12, auxiliary wire-weight gage 200 feet upstream at different datum. Datum of staff gage is 3,169.96 feet above mean sea level (unadjusted).

Drainage area.--6,270 square miles.

Records available.--October 1944 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 11,400 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 5.80 feet); minimum daily, 1,200 second-feet Dec. 18, 19, 24, 25, Jan. 10, Sept. 4. 1944-49: Maximum discharge observed, 16,900 second-feet June 4, 1948 (gage height, 7.90 feet); minimum observed, 1,040 second-feet Sept. 12, 13, 1945 (gage height, 1.93 feet, site and datum then in use), but may have been less during winter periods.

Remarks.--Records fair. Gage read once daily. Diversions above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	2,070	1,990	1,720	1,650	1,500	2,000	1,660	5,070	9,700	3,520	1,510	1,240
2	1,930	2,070	1,930	1,600	1,500	*2,000	1,600	5,070	9,190	3,250	1,480	1,240
3	1,930	2,220	2,040	1,500	1,500	2,000	1,680	4,410	8,710	3,100	1,460	1,220
4	1,930	2,220	2,040	1,320	1,500	2,000	1,660	4,630	7,770	2,990	1,430	1,200
5	2,070	2,220	1,930	1,350	1,450	2,000	1,680	4,200	7,510	2,960	1,410	1,340
6	2,220	2,220	1,790	1,550	1,400	2,000	1,850	4,200	7,280	3,320	1,390	1,370
7	2,220	2,070	e1,790	1,800	1,450	2,000	2,030	4,200	7,510	3,300	1,370	1,370
8	2,220	1,930	1,790	1,700	1,400	2,000	2,140	4,850	7,740	3,150	1,340	1,340
9	2,220	1,790	1,790	1,500	1,500	2,000	2,190	5,290	7,950	2,980	1,340	1,340
10	2,070	1,930	1,790	1,200	1,500	2,000	2,240	6,180	8,180	2,810	1,370	1,340
11	2,070	1,930	1,790	1,300	1,400	2,000	2,380	7,100	7,950	2,810	1,370	1,410
12	2,070	2,070	e1,900	1,500	1,300	2,100	2,460	7,790	8,630	2,710	1,380	1,510
13	2,070	2,190	e1,900	1,550	1,400	2,240	2,520	8,730	8,870	2,660	1,410	1,510
14	1,990	2,070	e1,700	1,600	1,500	2,310	2,580	e9,300	8,160	2,540	1,430	1,530
15	1,990	2,070	*e1,650	1,700	1,600	2,340	2,370	9,900	7,680	2,420	1,430	1,530
16	1,930	2,100	e1,600	1,750	1,700	2,210	2,370	10,900	e7,000	2,350	1,390	1,510
17	1,990	2,130	1,480	1,600	1,800	e2,200	2,540	11,400	6,360	2,260	1,390	1,510
18	1,990	2,070	e1,200	1,600	1,800	e2,200	2,840	10,200	5,300	2,240	1,410	1,530
19	2,040	2,010	e1,200	1,600	1,800	*2,300	3,360	10,400	5,840	2,220	1,390	e1,450
20	2,040	1,930	e1,600	1,600	1,900	2,270	3,580	10,600	5,620	2,160	1,370	e1,400
21	2,040	2,070	2,010	1,600	2,000	2,210	3,580	9,900	5,400	2,070	1,370	e1,380
22	1,930	2,010	1,700	1,500	2,100	2,080	3,380	9,580	4,960	2,010	1,320	e1,400
23	1,930	1,990	1,400	1,500	2,100	2,110	3,580	9,210	4,960	1,930	1,340	31,380
24	1,930	2,070	1,200	1,450	2,050	1,930	3,900	9,210	e4,800	1,820	1,370	e1,380
25	1,930	2,070	1,200	1,450	2,050	1,860	4,410	8,970	4,330	1,790	1,370	e1,340
26	1,930	1,930	1,300	1,450	2,000	1,790	4,850	8,970	4,330	1,760	1,330	e1,340
27	1,930	1,900	1,400	1,500	2,000	1,650	5,070	8,730	4,120	e1,700	1,320	e1,340
28	1,930	1,790	1,500	1,450	2,000	1,590	5,070	8,730	4,120	e1,650	1,320	e1,310
29	1,930	1,790	1,550	1,500	-	1,530	5,290	9,700	e3,800	e1,600	1,280	e1,310
30	1,930	1,720	1,600	1,500	-	1,570	5,510	9,900	3,700	1,580	1,260	1,410
31	1,930	-	1,600	1,450	-	1,610	-	9,700	-	1,530	1,260	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	62,400	2,220	1,930	2,013	123,800
November.....	60,480	2,220	1,720	2,016	120,000
December.....	50,990	2,040	1,200	1,645	101,100
Calendar year 1948	1,160,960	16,900	1,100	3,172	2,303,000
January.....	47,320	1,800	1,200	1,526	93,860
February.....	47,200	2,100	1,300	1,686	93,620
March.....	62,100	2,340	1,530	2,003	123,200
April.....	90,480	5,510	1,600	3,016	179,500
May.....	247,020	11,400	4,200	7,968	490,000
June.....	198,470	9,700	3,700	6,616	393,700
July.....	75,190	3,520	1,530	2,425	149,100
August.....	42,620	1,510	1,260	1,375	84,540
September.....	41,480	1,530	1,200	1,383	82,270
Water year 1948-49	1,025,750	11,400	1,200	2,810	2,035,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

e Gage reading inaccurate or not representative of mean for day; discharge computed on basis of records for other Salmon River stations.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 22 to Mar. 12 (no gage-height record Dec. 26 to Mar. 1; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for other Salmon River stations).

Salmon River near French Creek, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 45°26', long. 115°59', in sec. 8, T. 24 N., R. 4 E., 100 feet downstream from Fall Creek, 2½ miles northeast of French Creek post office, and 16 miles east of Riggins.

Drainage area.--12,270 square miles.

Records available.--October 1944 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 60,400 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 27.86 feet); minimum observed, 2,300 second-feet Dec. 18 (gage height, 1.71 feet).
1944-49: Maximum discharge observed, 75,300 second-feet May 29, 1948 (gage height, 33.50 feet); minimum observed, 1,890 second-feet Dec. 12, 1944 (gage height, 1.44 feet).

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for period of ice effect, which are good. Gage read twice daily. Amount of water diverted above station for irrigation is a negligible percentage of total flow.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	4,590	4,380	3,490	3,500	3,000	4,500	3,970	21,300	42,900	11,100	4,530	3,210
2	4,450	4,640	3,710	3,300	3,000	4,500	4,030	21,300	38,700	10,600	4,520	3,150
3	4,420	5,200	4,350	3,000	3,100	4,700	4,280	23,300	35,100	10,200	4,480	3,100
4	4,430	5,260	4,560	2,900	3,000	5,000	4,460	21,300	32,300	9,930	4,290	3,040
5	4,880	4,940	4,300	2,900	3,000	5,200	4,990	19,000	33,100	9,740	4,170	3,060
6	5,190	4,640	3,990	3,200	3,000	5,400	5,840	18,400	35,200	9,920	4,070	3,400
7	5,060	4,390	3,900	3,600	3,100	5,630	6,880	18,700	37,400	9,750	3,960	3,440
8	5,040	4,110	3,840	3,700	2,900	5,730	7,670	23,300	37,700	9,430	3,900	3,340
9	4,990	3,850	3,900	3,500	3,100	5,510	7,710	26,400	36,500	8,960	3,890	3,280
10	4,880	3,770	3,910	3,000	3,100	5,290	7,940	32,900	36,000	8,620	3,890	3,220
11	4,720	4,220	4,080	2,800	3,000	4,940	8,790	40,000	34,200	8,380	3,940	3,470
12	4,590	4,380	4,300	3,000	2,600	4,900	10,600	46,000	33,700	8,190	4,060	3,620
13	4,520	4,420	*4,280	3,300	2,800	5,150	11,300	49,300	30,900	7,920	4,130	3,780
14	4,440	4,390	4,070	3,500	3,000	5,110	10,100	52,600	28,300	7,600	4,100	3,690
15	4,600	4,500	3,390	3,600	3,000	5,200	9,290	55,300	25,700	7,240	3,920	3,520
16	4,620	4,580	3,460	3,700	3,100	5,360	9,360	60,400	23,400	7,000	3,860	3,510
17	4,430	4,520	3,150	3,500	3,400	5,490	10,700	57,800	21,500	6,780	3,780	3,720
18	4,360	4,390	2,330	3,400	3,600	5,410	12,800	52,600	20,000	6,540	3,770	3,750
19	4,330	4,220	2,400	3,400	3,900	5,670	15,300	48,300	18,500	6,360	3,780	3,630
20	4,300	4,080	2,600	3,300	4,100	5,720	15,800	48,400	18,600	6,240	3,760	3,490
21	4,290	4,250	3,100	3,300	4,300	5,630	15,600	46,600	17,300	6,070	3,640	3,390
22	4,260	4,340	3,500	3,400	4,600	5,620	13,600	44,100	16,400	5,920	3,550	3,320
23	4,220	4,260	3,200	3,400	4,800	*5,170	14,600	42,700	15,800	5,760	3,450	3,290
24	4,180	4,340	2,700	3,200	4,800	5,000	17,200	41,200	15,000	5,550	3,460	3,240
25	4,240	4,320	2,600	3,000	4,700	4,760	19,400	40,100	14,300	5,400	3,520	3,180
26	4,260	4,260	2,700	2,800	4,700	4,580	19,900	42,200	14,200	5,290	3,440	3,120
27	4,220	4,220	2,900	2,900	4,600	4,390	20,700	45,200	13,900	5,170	3,420	3,100
28	4,130	3,990	3,300	3,000	4,600	4,280	23,000	48,200	13,100	5,080	3,370	3,060
29	4,070	3,910	3,400	3,000	-	4,060	25,200	50,100	12,400	4,960	3,300	3,270
30	4,130	3,770	3,600	3,000	-	3,930	25,300	49,000	11,700	4,810	3,250	3,480
31	4,200	-	3,600	3,000	-	3,950	-	45,100	-	4,700	3,220	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	139,040	5,190	4,070	4,485	0.366	0.42	275,800
November	130,540	5,260	3,770	4,351	.355	.40	258,900
December	108,610	4,560	2,330	3,504	.286	.33	215,400
Calendar year 1948	4,091,510	74,800	2,330	11,180	.911	12.40	8,116,000
January	100,100	3,700	2,800	3,229	.263	.30	198,500
February	99,900	4,800	2,600	3,568	.291	.30	198,100
March	155,780	5,730	3,930	5,025	.410	.47	309,000
April	366,310	25,300	3,970	12,210	.995	1.11	726,600
May	1,231,100	60,400	18,400	39,710	3.24	3.73	2,442,000
June	763,800	42,900	11,700	25,460	2.07	2.32	1,515,000
July	229,210	11,100	4,700	7,394	.603	.69	454,600
August	118,420	4,530	3,220	3,820	.311	.36	254,900
September	100,870	3,780	3,040	3,362	.274	.31	200,100
Water year 1948-49	3,543,680	60,400	2,330	9,709	.791	10.74	7,029,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 19 to Mar. 6.

Salmon River at Whitebird, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°45', long. 116°20', in sec. 22, T. 28 N., R. 1 E., just upstream from Whitebird Creek, half a mile downstream from Canfield-Joseph highway bridge, and 1 mile southwest of Whitebird. Datum of gage is 1,412.65 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929, supplementary adjustment of 1947.

Drainage area.--13,550 square miles, including that of Whitebird Creek.

Records available.--August 1910 to September 1917, October 1919 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--37 years, 10,510 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 76,500 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 29.04 feet); minimum, 2,430 second-feet Dec. 19 (gage height, 11.53 feet), but may have been less during period of ice effect.

1910-17, 1919-49: Maximum discharge, 103,000 second-feet June 3, 1948 (gage height, 32.95 feet); minimum, 1,580 second-feet Dec. 11, 1932 (gage height, 10.23 feet), from rating curve extended below 2,200 second-feet.

Maximum stage known, about 37.5 feet, present datum, June 1894 (discharge, 120,000 second-feet).

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of ice-effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Amount of water diverted above station for irrigation is a negligible percentage of total flow.

Revisions (water years).--W 753: 1932. W 1043: Drainage area.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	5,330	4,950	4,120	4,200	3,400	5,360	5,140	25,100	51,300	12,600	5,160	3,480
2	5,170	5,340	4,070	4,070	3,400	5,310	5,250	25,600	46,200	12,100	5,060	3,450
3	5,100	6,020	4,720	3,600	3,500	5,360	5,400	29,300	40,400	11,600	5,010	3,390
4	5,080	6,240	5,060	3,300	3,400	5,590	5,670	26,600	36,800	11,200	4,900	3,360
5	5,440	5,940	4,970	3,300	3,400	5,800	6,220	23,700	36,600	11,000	4,740	3,380
6	5,900	5,520	4,660	3,500	3,400	6,140	7,310	21,900	39,200	11,000	4,630	3,540
7	5,900	5,210	4,560	3,900	3,500	6,280	8,760	22,100	41,900	10,900	4,520	3,780
8	5,840	4,950	4,390	4,400	3,300	6,360	9,860	25,000	43,500	10,700	4,450	3,700
9	5,820	4,630	4,360	4,100	3,600	6,260	10,200	30,200	41,600	9,960	4,380	3,610
10	5,690	4,480	4,470	3,600	3,600	5,980	10,300	37,200	40,300	9,620	4,340	3,530
11	5,520	4,630	4,570	3,000	3,600	5,780	10,900	46,000	39,700	9,290	4,380	3,650
12	5,360	5,040	4,770	3,500	3,000	5,760	12,400	54,400	37,600	9,090	4,360	3,950
13	5,290	5,080	4,860	3,700	3,200	5,960	13,500	60,000	35,000	8,850	4,470	4,100
14	5,140	5,040	4,650	3,900	3,400	6,220	12,500	64,600	33,200	8,350	4,470	4,030
15	5,170	5,080	4,260	4,000	3,500	6,280	11,500	69,000	28,400	8,030	4,290	3,930
16	5,290	5,190	3,810	4,100	3,560	6,600	11,400	73,700	26,100	7,770	4,170	3,880
17	5,210	5,210	3,650	4,000	3,700	6,890	12,500	73,900	23,900	7,500	4,100	3,930
18	5,100	5,120	*2,920	3,900	4,030	7,080	14,700	65,800	22,200	7,270	4,080	4,120
19	5,020	4,950	2,760	3,600	4,340	7,500	17,200	59,600	20,500	7,100	4,100	3,970
20	4,990	4,790	3,060	3,700	4,660	7,900	19,000	59,700	20,000	7,000	4,100	3,850
21	4,930	4,830	3,850	3,800	4,810	7,830	18,100	57,200	19,300	6,830	4,050	3,770
22	4,900	4,930	4,100	3,800	5,060	7,460	16,700	53,400	18,100	6,680	3,920	3,690
23	4,860	4,970	3,810	3,900	*5,480	7,170	16,600	50,200	17,600	6,540	3,860	3,640
24	4,830	5,010	3,000	3,700	5,650	6,830	19,600	49,000	16,700	6,360	3,850	3,570
25	4,840	5,020	2,990	3,500	5,630	6,560	22,200	47,200	16,000	6,180	3,860	3,530
26	4,860	4,970	3,060	3,100	5,610	6,200	22,800	48,400	15,700	6,020	3,830	3,460
27	4,840	4,880	3,440	3,300	5,520	5,800	23,500	52,800	15,600	5,940	3,770	3,390
28	4,750	4,700	3,850	*3,400	5,380	5,540	25,800	57,200	14,700	5,820	3,690	3,360
29	4,700	4,540	4,000	3,400	-	5,270	28,200	59,200	14,000	5,690	3,620	3,530
30	4,720	4,450	4,200	3,400	-	5,080	27,800	61,200	13,400	5,590	3,560	3,750
31	4,750	-	4,430	3,400	-	5,040	-	54,600	-	5,230	3,590	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	160,340	5,900	4,700	5,172	0.382	0.44	318,000
November	151,710	6,240	4,450	5,057	.373	.42	300,900
December	125,290	5,060	2,760	4,042	.298	.34	248,500
Calendar year 1948	5,077,560	99,200	2,760	13,870	1.02	13.93	10,070,000
January	114,200	4,400	3,000	3,684	.272	.31	226,500
February	114,630	5,650	3,000	4,094	.302	.31	227,400
March	193,190	7,900	5,040	6,232	.460	.53	383,200
April	431,010	29,200	5,140	14,370	1.06	1.18	854,900
May	1,483,800	73,900	21,900	47,860	3.53	4.07	2,943,000
June	863,500	51,300	13,400	28,780	2.12	2.37	1,713,000
July	257,800	12,600	5,420	8,316	.614	.71	511,300
August	131,250	5,160	3,530	4,234	.312	.36	260,300
September	110,320	4,120	3,360	3,677	.271	.30	218,800
Water year 1948-49	4,137,040	73,900	2,760	11,330	.836	11.34	8,206,000

Peak discharge (base, 29,700 sec.-ft.)--May 3 (10 a.m.) 29,800 sec.-ft.; May 16 (9 p.m.) 76,500 sec.-ft.; May 29 or 30 (time unknown) about 63,000 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records, records for other Salmon River stations, and nearby streams.

f Computed from partly estimated gage-height record.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Jan. 3 to Feb. 15. Discharge computed from staff-gage readings May 21 to June 13.

Alturas Lake Creek near Obsidian, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 43°56', long. 114°50', in SW¹ sec. 9, T. 7 N., R. 14 E., 1 mile downstream from outlet of Perkins Lake, 1½ miles downstream from outlet of Alturas Lake, and 4 miles south of Obsidian.

Drainage area.--35.7 square miles.

Records available.--November 1940 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 489 second-feet June 12 (gage height, 4.88 feet); minimum recorded, 9.4 second-feet Sept. 26 (gage height, 1.90 feet).
1940-49: Maximum discharge, 612 second-feet May 31, 1943; maximum gage height, 5.41 feet June 9, 1948; minimum discharge recorded, that of Sept. 26, 1949.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. No diversion or regulation above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	19	16					14	142	366	128	33	14
2	19	21					14	150	326	121	32	14
3	19	23					*14	149	278	118	31	14
4	20	*22					14	142	240	116	30	14
5	22	21					14	138	230	118	28	14
6	21	21					14	137	255	121	26	14
7	21	21					16	139	301	117	25	14
8	21	20					16	150	341	111	24	14
9	21	19	20	19			16	173	387	104	23	14
10	19	19		(*)			16	202	424	98	24	13
11	19	18					16	236	459	95	23	14
12	19	17					17	289	484	90	23	13
13	19	17					19	311	459	85	22	13
14	19	17					19	366	413	80	21	13
15	19	19					21	410	371	76	21	13
16	19	20			16	15	22	445	341	73	21	14
17	18	21					25	464	f301	68	20	13
18	18	21					28	467	270	64	20	13
19	17	21					35	456	240	60	19	13
20	17	19					42	435	f211	58	19	12
21	17	19					49	387	194	54	18	12
22	16	19					57	356	189	51	17	12
23	16	19	19	17			62	328	185	50	17	12
24	16	21					69	299	184	47	16	19
25	16	21					79	287	182	45	16	15
26	15	21					89	301	179	43	16	12
27	14	21					101	341	168	41	16	12
28	14	21					118	387	156	39	15	14
29	14	21				-	134	426	145	37	15	15
30	14	20				-	141	426	136	36	15	15
31	14	-				-	-	410	-	35	14	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	552	22	14	17.8	0.499	0.58	1,090
November	596	23	16	19.9	.557	.62	1,180
December	604	-	-	19.5	.546	.63	1,200
Calendar year 1948	26,814	601	13	73.3	2.05	27.95	53,190
January	557	-	-	18.0	.504	.58	1,100
February	448	-	-	16.0	.448	.47	889
March	465	-	-	15.0	.420	.48	922
April	1,291	141	14	43.0	1.20	1.34	2,560
May	9,329	467	137	301	8.43	9.72	18,500
June	8,415	484	136	280	7.84	8.77	16,890
July	2,379	128	35	76.7	2.15	2.48	4,720
August	660	33	14	21.3	.597	.69	1,310
September	408	19	12	13.6	.381	.43	809
Water year 1948-49	25,704	484	-	70.4	1.97	26.79	50,970

Peak discharge (base, 250 sec.-ft.).--May 18 (12 m.) 470 sec.-ft.; May 29 (2 p.m.) to May 30 (9 a.m.) 435 sec.-ft.; June 12 (10 a.m. to 1 p.m.) 489 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

f Computed from partly estimated gage-height record.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 7-9, 18, 24, 25, 27, Nov. 29 to Apr. 1, Apr. 4, 5, 9, 14. No gage-height record Dec. 14 to Jan. 9, Jan. 12 to Apr. 2, June 18, 19, July 25-28; discharge computed on basis of recorded range in stage, weather records, and records for nearby streams.

Valley Creek at Stanley, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°13', long. 114°56', in sec. 3, T. 10 N., R. 13 E., a quarter of a mile upstream from mouth, three-eighths of a mile downstream from upper Stanley, and three-quarters of a mile upstream from lower Stanley. Prior to May 1, 1949, staff gage at site 20 feet upstream at same datum.

Drainage area.--176 square miles.

Records available.--December 1910 to October 1913, May 1921 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--29 years (1911-13, 1922-49), 185 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 947 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 3.01 feet); minimum daily discharge, 67 second-feet Feb. 12; minimum gage height recorded, 0.98 foot Aug. 21.

1910-13, 1921-49: Maximum discharge observed, 1,850 second-feet May 29, 1921 (gage height, 4.4 feet), from rating curve extended above 1,300 second-feet; minimum, 40 second-feet (estimated) Nov. 17-30, 1929, Dec. 8-13, 1932.

Remarks.--Records good May 1 to Sept. 30, fair for remainder of year. Gage read about three times weekly Oct. 1 to Apr. 8 and once daily Apr. 15-29. Diversions above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	a98	102	83	a76	a78	a84	102	469	769	260	106	82
2	98	a125	a95	a74	b78	83	a102	531	647	253	104	80
3	a100	154	102	b72	a78	a84	a93	478	565	246	103	82
4	a110	a137	a102	a70	a78	86	84	413	521	246	104	82
5	146	*111	a92	b72	b76	a85	a93	394	556	256	101	84
6	a128	a110	98	a76	a75	a84	100	408	595	256	99	88
7	115	a95	a95	b78	b76	83	a105	436	674	231	95	86
8	a115	102	84	a74	a75	a87	113	473	715	221	94	84
9	104	a102	a96	a71	b76	92	a120	507	732	214	92	84
10	a102	102	102	b69	a74	a96	a130	550	744	211	95	86
11	a100	a100	a102	a68	a68	104	a150	605	694	201	99	99
12	98	98	a102	b70	a67	a100	a175	686	688	198	99	101
13	a100	a98	102	a72	a75	a98	a160	757	697	194	95	95
14	107	a95	a94	b74	b66	96	a145	814	615	182	94	92
15	a110	94	b90	a76	a86	a94	143	863	863	176	92	89
16	d100	a93	a85	a74	b84	92	167	912	541	165	86	99
17	a94	90	a75	a76	a84	a94	190	877	483	162	88	97
18	a90	a87	*b69	a78	86	96	209	849	436	159	90	94
19	a90	94	a77	b80	a87	a100	236	842	417	154	86	90
20	a88	a90	b88	a78	a87	a100	271	794	413	144	84	89
21	86	a100	a80	a76	90	86	250	732	376	139	82	88
22	a86	111	b70	a74	a90	a86	287	703	372	132	82	88
23	86	a108	a70	a74	92	86	354	680	376	125	88	88
24	a86	107	b72	a73	*75	a88	430	620	367	125	92	89
25	86	a105	a73	a72	86	94	532	610	367	123	86	88
26	a84	102	a70	b74	a85	a95	508	647	372	121	84	89
27	83	a89	b73	a78	a84	a97	592	686	345	116	83	89
28	a84	a92	a76	b76	b84	98	508	732	312	116	84	92
29	86	86	b77	a78	-	a90	532	794	291	112	84	97
30	a84	a84	a76	b80	-	94	a500	807	272	108	83	94
31	a88	-	b76	a79	-	a96	-	828	-	106	84	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	3,032	146	83	97.8	0.556	0.64	6,010
November	3,058	154	84	102	.580	.65	6,070
December	2,656	102	69	95.7	.487	.56	5,270
Calendar year 1948	78,881	1,290	65	216	1.23	16.68	156,500
January	2,312	80	68	74.6	.424	.49	4,590
February	2,259	92	67	80.7	.459	.48	4,480
March	2,848	104	83	91.9	.522	.60	5,650
April	7,381	592	84	246	1.40	1.56	14,640
May	20,497	912	394	661	3.76	4.33	40,660
June	15,707	794	272	524	2.38	3.32	31,150
July	5,452	260	106	176	1.00	1.15	10,810
August	2,838	106	82	91.5	.520	.60	5,630
September	2,685	101	80	89.5	.509	.57	5,330
Water year 1948-49	70,725	912	67	194	1.10	14.95	140,300

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge interpolated or computed on basis of weather records and records for nearby streams.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

d Doubtful gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for nearby streams.

Yankee Fork Salmon River near Clayton, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. $44^{\circ}17'$, long. $114^{\circ}44'$, in sec. 17, T. 11 N., R. 15 E., half a mile upstream from mouth and $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles west of Clayton.

Drainage area.--195 square miles.

Records available.--May 1921 to February 1949 (discontinued).

Average discharge.--25 years (1922-24, 1925-48), 194 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during period October 1948 to February 1949, 96 second-feet Oct. 5; maximum gage height, 2.86 feet Dec. 1 (ice jam); minimum discharge not determined, occurred during period of ice effect.

1921-49: Maximum discharge, 3,360 second-feet June 12, 1921 (gage height, 6.79 feet, site and datum then in use), from rating curve extended above 2,300 second-feet; minimum, 10 second-feet (estimated) Dec. 5, 6, 1927.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. No diversion or regulation above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	74	70										
2	74	79										
3	72	80										
4	75	72										
5	91	*58										
6	82	68										
7	81	52										
8	83	54	60		45							
9	81	58										
10	80	68										
11												
12	76	72										
13	74	70										
14	73	66										
15	76	70										
16	73	55		45								
17	70	65										
18	70	48										
19	70	68	(*)									
20	69	70										
21	70	68										
22	72	68										
23	69	68	50		50 (*)							
24	68	72										
25	68	72										
26	64	71										
27	68	68										
28	62	70										
29	69	62										
30	67	70										
31	67	-										

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	2,261	91	62	72.9	0.374	0.43	4,480
November	2,004	80	48	66.8	.343	.58	3,970
December	1,700	-	-	54.8	.281	.32	3,370
Calendar year 1948	88,796	2,180	-	243	1.25	16.93	176,100
January	1,395	-	-	45.0	.231	.27	2,770
February	1,325	-	-	47.3	.243	.25	2,630
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Water year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice. Nov. 8-11, 19-24, Nov. 28 to Feb. 28. No gage-height record Dec. 9, 11-14, 21-31, Jan. 2-6, 11-14, Jan. 16 to Feb. 28; discharge computed on basis of 1 discharge measurement, weather records, inflow between stations on Salmon River below Yankee Fork and below Valley Creek, and records for nearby streams.

Challis Creek near Challis, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°34', long. 114°19', in sec. 2, T. 14 N., R. 18 E., 0.1 mile downstream from Eddy Creek, 6 miles northwest of Challis, and 6½ miles upstream from mouth. Prior to Nov. 11, 1948, water-stage recorder at site 350 feet downstream at same datum.

Drainage area.--85 square miles.

Records available.--October 1943 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 193 second-feet May 17 (gage height, 5.52 feet); minimum, 9 second-feet Mar. 29 (gage height, 3.59 feet), but may have been less during winter period.

1943-49: Maximum discharge, 418 second-feet June 4, 1948 (gage height, 2.30 feet, site then in use); minimum, 8 second-feet Mar. 17, 1946, Mar. 9, 1948.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Diversions above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	27	25				14	15	59	137	47	24	16
2	27	27				14	16	59	129	45	24	15
3	26	27				14	16	59	117	45	23	14
4	28	24				14	17	57	109	43	22	16
5	31	23				14	18	55	106	47	28	18
6	29	23				14	20	55	106	47	25	18
7	29	21				14	20	59	108	43	22	16
8	29	20	19			14	21	71	108	43	22	16
9	28	21				14	20	83	104	40	22	16
10	28	22				14	22	100	104	38	24	17
11	27	*22				14	25	119	104	39	23	20
12	27	22				15	29	138	101	36	23	21
13	27					15	26	153	96	36	21	19
14	26					15	24	162	93	34	22	19
15	27					15	25	175	68	33	22	18
16	27		*17	15	14	16	28	187	83	31	22	18
17	25					17	32	190	84	33	21	18
18	26					*18	36	182	82	33	20	18
19	26					18	39	180	81	32	20	17
20	25					18	39	171	76	31	20	18
21	25	22				17	39	167	70	32	19	16
22	25					16	39	158	66	29	19	16
23	25					16	40	146	64	28	20	16
24	24		16			16	47	138	61	27	19	15
25	25				(*)	16	49	137	59	27	19	16
26	23					16	51	139	59	27	19	16
27	25					16	55	143	59	25	18	16
28	23					15	62	150	55	25	18	16
29	24					17	68	154	51	25	17	18
30	24					17	65	147	51	24	17	18
31	25	-				16	-	150	-	24	17	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	813	31	23	26.2	1,610
November.....	675	27	-	22.4	1,330
December.....	542	-	-	17.5	1,080
Calendar year 1948.....	18,971	403	-	51.8	37,630
January.....	465	-	-	15.0	922
February.....	392	-	-	14.0	778
March.....	479	16	14	15.5	950
April.....	1,003	68	15	33.4	1,990
May.....	3,945	190	55	127	7,820
June.....	2,611	137	51	87.0	5,180
July.....	1,068	47	24	34.5	2,120
August.....	652	28	17	21.0	1,290
September.....	511	21	14	17.0	1,010
Water year 1948-49.....	13,152	190	-	36.0	26,080

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 7-10, Nov. 17 to Feb. 28. No gage-height record Nov. 9, 10, Nov. 13 to Dec. 15, Dec. 17 to Feb. 24, Feb. 26 to Mar. 2, Mar. 5-17; discharge computed on basis of recorded range in stage, weather records, and records for nearby streams.

Pahsimeroi River near May, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 44°42', long. 114°03', in W $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. 25, T. 16 N., R. 20 E., a quarter of a mile downstream from old highway bridge on Challis-Salmon River highway, a quarter of a mile upstream from mouth, and 10 miles northwest of May. Datum of gage is 4,636.95 feet above mean sea level, adjustment of 1912.

Records available.--October 1929 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--19 years, (1930-49), 204 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 371 second-feet Nov. 18; maximum gage height observed, 3.14 feet Jan. 12 (ice jam); minimum discharge observed, 96 second-feet May 7.

1929-49: Maximum discharge observed, 454 second-feet May 30, 1943; maximum gage height observed, 3.21 feet June 4, 1948; minimum discharge observed, 75 second-feet Apr. 28, 1934.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Gage read once daily. Many diversions above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	337	360	303	247	262	291	291	111	146	132	148	160
2	337	352	306	254	258	295	291	111	150	130	148	163
3	341	344	322	254	262	287	291	111	153	132	150	163
4	a342	337	325	254	258	287	276	106	160	128	153	163
5	a343	333	318	258	258	291	265	99	155	150	153	166
6	a344	333	310	258	265	295	258	101	a152	146	153	166
7	a345	333	295	262	262	295	254	96	a149	139	150	171
8	a346	333	295	251	254	291	258	98	a146	143	148	173
9	a347	322	299	244	254	295	254	99	a143	143	146	179
10	348	318	*299	b230	254	299	254	101	a141	146	143	179
11	352	333	303	b235	251	303	251	101	a139	148	141	195
12	360	337	322	b240	251	306	247	103	a136	148	141	192
13	356	*341	314	b250	254	314	244	107	a134	148	141	188
14	344	341	310	254	254	310	237	124	132	148	139	182
15	344	360	299	269	254	303	240	124	132	153	141	182
16	341	367	295	262	254	322	240	126	135	153	141	185
17	337	367	280	258	265	322	224	126	137	155	143	188
18	344	371	272	269	265	322	217	122	135	155	141	188
19	344	367	272	265	295	322	188	124	146	153	141	192
20	348	360	251	258	306	322	173	130	153	153	143	198
21	344	352	230	262	291	318	168	139	150	150	143	198
22	341	346	237	258	299	310	158	146	150	148	148	201
23	337	337	b230	258	295	303	155	150	148	148	150	201
24	333	333	237	254	295	299	155	153	146	148	155	198
25	337	329	251	b250	295	287	150	148	141	150	155	201
26	341	329	244	284	295	291	146	150	139	146	158	207
27	341	322	244	272	291	291	137	139	139	146	160	214
28	341	305	247	272	*295	284	122	143	135	148	163	214
29	344	299	251	280	-	284	117	146	135	148	160	220
30	344	299	244	269	-	287	113	148	135	148	160	227
31	348	-	247	262	-	291	-	143	-	148	160	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	10,651	360	333	344	21,130
November.....	10,160	371	299	339	20,150
December.....	8,652	325	230	279	17,160
Calendar year 1948.....	95,798	438	101	256	186,000
January.....	7,993	284	250	258	15,850
February.....	7,592	306	251	271	15,060
March.....	9,317	322	284	301	18,480
April.....	6,374	291	113	212	12,640
May.....	3,825	153	96	123	7,590
June.....	4,292	160	132	143	8,510
July.....	4,531	155	128	146	8,990
August.....	4,616	163	139	149	9,160
September.....	5,654	227	160	188	11,210
Water year 1948-49.....	85,657	371	96	229	165,900

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records, inflow between Salmon River near Challis and Salmon River at Salmon, and records for nearby streams.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Panther Creek near Shoup, Idaho

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 45°19', long. 114°23', in sec. 19, T. 23 N., R. 18 E., 25 feet downstream from bridge on private road, 1 mile upstream from mouth, and 7 miles southwest of Shoup.

Drainage area.--529 square miles.

Records available.--October 1944 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 1,450 second-feet May 17; maximum gage height observed, 3.20 feet Dec. 21 (ice jam); minimum discharge observed, 64 second-feet Apr. 1 (gage height, 0.16 foot), but may have been less during period of ice effect.

1944-49: Maximum discharge observed, 2,500 second-feet May 9, 1947; maximum gage height observed, 4.4 feet Jan. 6, 1947 (backwater from ice); minimum discharge observed, 35 second-feet Dec. 17, 1946 (gage height, -.08 foot).

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect, which are fair. Gage read once daily. Small diversions above station for irrigation.

Revisison (water years).--W 1063: 1945.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49, except period of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

Oct. 1 to Mar. 3

Mar. 4 to Sept. 30

0.1	58	0.1	56	1.4	405
.2	73	.2	70	1.8	601
.3	92	.4	106	2.2	834
.4	113	.7	172	2.6	1,100
		1.0	256	3.1	1,490

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	118	118				90	64	495	1,030	244	116	84
2	118	123				*95	70	495	995	238	116	80
3	113	123				90	73	486	897	241	116	80
4	115	118				84	91	472	744	226	116	78
5	118	92				80	110	440	761	226	110	96
6	118	102				84	126	449	773	220	110	102
7	118	92				84	137	472	866	220	106	91
8	113	84	105		85	87	160	569	866	215	106	87
9	113	73				87	137	686	810	209	106	84
10	115	82				87	160	834	773	193	114	87
11	115	84				84	198	1,030	773	193	110	95
12	115	*118				84	256	1,140	657	193	110	96
13	115	109				87	276	1,210	601	182	110	96
14	118	113				87	185	1,330	579	182	106	95
15	123	113	(*)		85	87	188	1,330	569	167	106	95
16	118	96				91	220	1,410	521	160	106	95
17	115	109				91	253	1,450	467	160	106	95
18	115	102				98	326	1,210	440	160	106	102
19	113	84				106	349	1,210	440	160	102	91
20	113	113				106	360	1,250	405	148	102	87
21	113	102				102	319	1,250	380	148	95	87
22	113	113			90	102	319	1,100	356	144	91	84
23	109	109	90			87	356	1,030	345	144	91	84
24	109	109				84	472	962	334	137	102	84
25	109	102				84	466	949	308	137	98	84
26	109	96				87	526	996	349	137	96	78
27	109	88				84	569	1,030	319	137	91	73
28	109	96				80	629	1,100	283	130	87	73
29	109	88				87	686	1,030	276	122	91	91
30	105	72				70	590	1,060	256	122	87	96
31	113	-				67	-	1,030	-	116	87	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October	3,526	123	105	114	0.216	0.25	6,990
November	3,023	123	72	101	.191	.21	6,000
December	3,015	-	-	97.3	.184	.21	5,980
Calendar year 1948	106,673	2,250	-	291	.550	7.49	211,600
January	2,635	-	-	85.0	.161	.19	5,230
February	2,445	-	-	87.3	.165	.17	4,850
March	2,723	106	67	87.8	.166	.19	5,400
April	6,671	686	64	289	.546	.61	17,200
May	29,505	1,450	440	952	1.80	2.07	58,520
June	17,174	1,030	256	572	1.08	1.21	34,060
July	5,411	244	116	175	.331	.38	10,730
August	3,196	116	87	103	.195	.22	6,340
September	2,650	102	73	88.3	.167	.19	5,260
Water year 1948-49	83,974	1,450	-	230	.435	5.90	166,600

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 1 to Mar. 3.

Middle Fork Salmon River near Cape Horn, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°25', long. 115°11', in sec. 34, T. 13 N., R. 11 E., 1,100 feet downstream from Little Beaver Creek, half a mile downstream from confluence of Marsh and Beaver Creeks, and 2 miles northwest of Cape Horn.

Drainage area.--138 square miles.

Records available.--September 1928 to September 1949 (no winter records 1941-45).

Average discharge.--17 years (1928-41, 1945-49), 212 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,690 second-feet May 15 (gage height, 5.68 feet); minimum recorded, 43 second-feet Nov. 7 (gage height, 2.22 feet), but may have been less during winter period.

1928-49: Maximum discharge, 2,340 second-feet June 9, 1933, about May 31, 1943, June 3, 1948; maximum gage height, 6.26 feet June 9, 1933, June 3, 1948; minimum discharge recorded, 31 second-feet Apr. 14, 1945 (gage height, 2.12 feet), but may have been less during some winters.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. No diversion above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	101	99					68	386	1,080	264	127	89
2	99	117					66	431	930	251	127	89
3	99	111					666	402	814	238	121	89
4	117	98					68	371	779	235	119	89
5	132	96					73	382	838	235	117	94
6	117	96					80	431	1,000	229	117	94
7	115	83					83	518	1,080	215	113	90
8	113	80	85				85	615	1,020	206	113	89
9	107	82		(*)			87	740	982	201	113	87
10	103	95					92	923	975	198	117	89
11	99	95					103	1,090	988	201	117	99
12	99	95					113	1,220	892	195	113	99
13	96	90					103	1,310	788	187	109	92
14	99	90					103	1,410	686	182	107	89
15	105	92		65	65	70	107	1,480	620	174	107	89
16	98	92					117	1,540	570	164	107	103
17	94	92					141	1,470	509	164	107	96
18	94						172	1,390	469	162	107	90
19	92						198	1,300	496	159	103	89
20	92						201	1,190	456	157	101	85
21	92						190	1,140	406	155	99	85
22	90						209	1,100	386	150	98	83
23	90						242	1,040	371	147	105	83
24	90	90	70				280	1,000	355	145	101	82
25	92						308	1,040	340	143	98	82
26	89						333	1,120	340	143	96	82
27	87						375	1,210	322	141	94	80
28	87						423	1,300	298	138	94	83
29	89						456	1,390	284	134	92	92
30	89						414	1,300	274	130	92	87
31	92						-	1,240	-	130	90	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-foot
October	3,057	132	87	98.6	0.714	0.82	6,060
November	2,773	117	80	92.4	.670	.75	5,500
December	2,395	-	-	77.3	.560	.65	4,750
Calendar year 1948	98,726	-	-	270	1.96	26.62	195,800
January	2,015	-	-	65.0	.471	.54	4,000
February	1,820	-	-	65.0	.471	.48	3,610
March	2,170	-	-	70.0	.507	.58	4,300
April	5,356	456	66	179	1.30	1.44	10,620
May	31,479	1,540	371	1,015	7.36	8.48	62,440
June	19,308	1,080	274	644	4.67	5.20	38,300
July	5,573	264	130	180	1.30	1.50	11,050
August	3,321	127	90	107	.775	.89	6,590
September	2,668	103	80	88.9	.644	.72	5,290
Water year 1948-49	81,935	1,540	-	224	1.62	22.06	162,500

Peak discharge (base, 930 sec.-ft.)--May 15 (10 p.m.) 1,690 sec.-ft.; May 29 (7 p.m.) 1,450 sec.-ft.; June 8 (9 p.m.) 1,170 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

† Computed from partly estimated gage-height record.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 8-12, about Nov. 17 to about Mar. 15. No gage-height record Nov. 18 to Jan. 8, Jan. 18 to Apr. 2; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for nearby streams.

SALMON RIVER BASIN

Bear Valley Creek near Cape Horn, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°26', long. 115°17', in sec. 29, T. 13 N., R. 1 E., 250 feet downstream from Fir Creek, 3 miles upstream from mouth, and 7 miles north-west of Cape Horn.

Drainage area.--180 square miles.

Records available.--September 1921 to September 1928 (fragmentary); October 1928 to September 1949 (no winter records 1941-45).

Average discharge.--17 years (1928-41, 1945-49), 258 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 2,530 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 4.83 feet); minimum recorded, 57 second-feet Nov. 7 (gage height, 1.07 feet), but may have been less during period of ice effect or no gage-height record.

1921-49: Maximum discharge, 3,450 second-feet June 9, 1933 (gage height, 5.49 feet), from rating curve extended above 2,000 second-feet; minimum recorded, 28 second-feet Nov. 11, 1931.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. No regulation or diversion above station.

Revisions.--W 573: Drainage area.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	117	124					93	516	1,550	304	135	100
2	114	164					97	603	1,270	288	133	98
3	112	170					*102	615	1,110	275	128	98
4	124	143					104	550	1,070	267	126	98
5	182	121					110	567	1,100	263	121	100
6	151	124					119	657	1,190	259	119	102
7	140	98					121	779	1,230	244	117	100
8	140	98	95			85	130	924	1,190	233	119	98
9	130	98					130	1,100	1,150	225	119	96
10	124	110		(*)			151	1,310	1,110	222	121	96
11	119	109					170	1,510	1,200	215	133	108
12	117	108					188	1,740	1,020	211	128	119
13	114	107					179	1,860	889	201	121	110
14	117	104					170	1,930	798	191	117	104
15	119	104			75	75	176	2,050	727	185	114	102
16	114						191	2,380	669	182	112	114
17	110						222	2,130	609	176	112	117
18	110						259	1,970	567	173	124	108
19	110						296	1,680	603	170	119	104
20	110						288	1,590	633	167	112	102
21	108						271	1,560	516	167	108	100
22	108						292	1,540	472	164	106	100
23	108	100					357	1,450	445	158	112	100
24	108		80			90	405	1,370	420	156	112	98
25	112						456	1,360	395	153	108	96
26	108						500	1,430	390	151	106	96
27	104						555	1,550	381	148	104	96
28	102						615	1,650	353	145	104	100
29	110						657	1,730	330	143	104	119
30	106						573	1,750	317	138	102	112
31	110	-					-	1,570	-	135	100	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October	3,658	182	102	118	0.656	0.76	7,260
November	3,282	170	-	109	.606	.68	6,510
December	2,705	-	-	87.3	.485	.56	5,370
Calendar year 1948	115,221	2,620	-	315	1.75	23.81	228,500
January	2,325	-	-	75.0	.417	.48	4,610
February	2,100	-	-	75.0	.417	.43	4,170
March	2,715	-	-	87.6	.487	.56	5,390
April	7,977	657	93	286	1.48	1.65	15,820
May	43,421	2,580	516	1,401	7.78	8.97	86,120
June	23,604	1,550	317	787	4.37	4.88	46,820
July	6,109	304	135	197	1.09	1.26	12,120
August	3,596	135	100	116	.644	.74	7,130
September	3,091	119	96	103	.572	.64	6,130
Water year 1948-49	104,583	2,580	-	287	1.59	21.61	207,400

Peak discharge (base, 1,200 sec.-ft.)--May 16 (9:30 a.m.) 2,530 sec.-ft.; May 30 (8 a.m.) 1,870 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 8-14, Nov. 16 to Mar. 15. No gage-height record Dec. 11 to Jan. 9, Jan. 11 to Apr. 2; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for nearby streams.

Big Creek near Big Creek, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. $45^{\circ}07'$, long. $114^{\circ}55'$, in sec. 31, T. 21 N., R. 13 E., 1 mile downstream from Cabin Creek, $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles southeast of Wallace Ranch, and 19 miles east of Big Creek post office. Prior to Oct. 22, 1948, staff gage at site a quarter of a mile downstream at different datum.

Drainage area.--470 square miles.

Records available.--September 1944 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 3,460 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 5.65 feet); minimum not determined, occurred during period of ice effect or no gage-height record.

1944-49: Maximum discharge, 5,800 second-feet June 3, 1948 (gage height, 7.12 feet, from floodmark, former site and datum), from rating curve extended above 3,000 second-feet by logarithmic plotting; minimum observed, 66 second-feet Dec. 17, 1946 (discharge measurement), but may have been less during period of ice effect.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. No regulation. Small diversions above station for irrigation.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	224	176	179				132	978	1,990	532	238	162
2	208	207	176				139	1,110	1,740	518	238	159
3	210	221	170				142	1,170	1,560	504	230	159
4	235	199	149				151	996	1,480	504	225	159
5	350	176	139				179	888	1,630	497	221	168
6		280	179				230	862	1,910	490	217	173
7		260	156				284	942	2,030	458	214	165
8		290	146		120		293	1,140	2,010	433	214	163
9		270	132				293	1,400	1,910	421	214	165
10		250	173				324	1,730	1,890	409	221	165
11	240	173	149	(*)			421	2,150	1,840	398	238	196
12	230	162	149				567	2,580	1,690	386	217	185
13	222	159	124				477	2,790	1,500	368	225	173
14	222	156	132				403	3,200	1,360	352	210	168
15	204	173	140			130	392	3,290	1,250	340	203	159
16	197	162	120				440	3,410	1,180	330	199	196
17	187	162	110				588	3,110	1,090	318	199	196
18	197	146	110				750	2,400	978	308	199	176
19	184	154	120				838	2,140	906	303	196	170
20	184	162	130				782	2,150	888	298	189	162
21	180	156	120				670	2,110	814	293	185	159
22	176	154	110			125	616	1,990	822	288	182	159
23	173	156	100				678	1,940	790	274	179	159
24	176	156	100				951	1,850	742	269	179	156
25	185	154	102				1,010	1,930	726	269	176	154
26	176	151	110				996	2,160	718	260	173	154
27	173	144	120				1,080	2,490	670	255	170	151
28	170	149	120				1,210	2,760	609	255	168	151
29	173	132	130		-	*122	1,250	2,890	595	251	168	165
30	173	111	130		-	139	1,120	2,430	560	242	165	168
31	170	-	130		-	134	-	2,220	-	242	162	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	6,559	350	170	212	0.451	0.52	13,010
November	4,837	221	111	161	.343	.38	9,590
December	4,103	179	100	132	.281	.32	8,140
Calendar year 1948	219,834	5,480	-	601	1.28	17.38	436,000
January	3,720	-	-	120	.255	.29	7,580
February	5,425	-	-	122	.260	.27	6,790
March	4,035	-	-	130	.277	.32	8,000
April	17,406	1,250	132	580	1.23	1.38	34,520
May	63,206	3,410	862	2,039	4.34	5.00	125,400
June	37,878	2,030	560	1,263	2.69	3.00	75,130
July	11,065	532	242	357	.760	.88	21,950
August	6,214	238	162	200	.426	.49	12,330
September	4,997	196	151	167	.355	.40	9,910
Water year 1948-49	167,445	3,410	-	459	.977	13.25	332,200

Peak discharge (base, 2,000 sec.-ft.)--May 16 (7 a.m.) 3,460 sec.-ft.; May 29 (5 a.m.) 3,110 sec.-ft.; June 7 (5 a.m.) 2,120 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 15 to Mar. 15. No gage-height record Oct. 1-15, Dec. 25 to Jan. 10, Jan. 12 to Mar. 28, Sept. 8-10; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Johnson Creek at Yellow Pine and other nearby streams.

SALMON RIVER BASIN

South Fork Salmon River near Knox, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°39', long. 115°42', in NW¼ sec. 11, T. 15 N., R. 6 E., 800 feet downstream from Curtis Creek, 1 mile upstream from Warm Lake Creek, 1½ miles southwest of Knox, and 21 miles northeast of Cascade.

Drainage area.--92 square miles.

Records available.--September 1928 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--21 years, 133 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,310 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 5.95 feet); minimum, 20 second-feet Oct. 28 (gage height, 2.30 feet), but may have been less during winter period.

1928-49: Maximum discharge observed, 1,560 second-feet June 9, 1933 (gage height, 4.69 feet, site and datum then in use), from rating curve extended above 1,000 second-feet; minimum observed, 16 second-feet Feb. 17, Aug. 19, 20, 1931, Nov. 16, 1944.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. No diversion above station.

Revisions (water years).--W 1043: 1943.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

2.4	28	3.0	116	4.5	580
2.5	37	3.3	179	5.0	817
2.6	48	3.6	254	5.9	1,280
2.7	62	4.0	384		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	42	49	43			35	52	370	782	140	59	37
2	41	108	45			*35	56	550	670	130	58	36
3	40	90	45			38	58	489	606	128	55	36
4	58	62	43			38	65	398	602	122	52	36
5	76	49	41			39	81	370	652	118	51	36
6	54	47	42			39	95	380	694	116	49	38
7	51	35	41			39	*108	420	689	112	49	37
8	51	35	41			40	114	493	685	108	49	35
9	48	35	42			40	130	589	638	105	49	34
10	46	45	43			40	142	713	611	101	49	34
11	45	45	43			40	179	856	584	95	54	44
12	42	45	42			41	212	962	513	93	51	42
13	42	46	40			41	175	1,010	447	90	49	39
14	44	46	40			41	161	1,080	398	86	47	37
15	46	56	40			42	170	1,200	363	84	45	36
16	42	47		35	35	45	197	1,250	329	81	45	42
17	41	*47				47	251	1,160	296	81	44	39
18	41	40				48	318	1,030	271	81	44	38
19	40	47				51	296	922	289	79	44	36
20	40	48				54	280	897	268	76	44	36
21	41	46		(*)		54	251	862	238	76	41	35
22	41	46				51	289	812	222	74	40	35
23	40	45				51	346	762	210	72	41	35
24	42	44	35			49	406	747	197	72	41	34
25	47	42				48	388	772	188	70	39	33
26	44	41				52	380	862	181	69	39	34
27	41	40				49	406	962	170	67	39	33
28	39	46				55	439	1,000	164	65	38	36
29	40	46				52	450	1,120	155	65	38	48
30	40	38				51	380	994	146	62	38	40
31	42	-				49	-	927	-	59	37	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October	1,387	76	39	44.7	0.486	0.56	2,750
November	1,454	108	35	48.5	.527	.59	2,880
December	1,191	45	-	39.4	.437	.48	2,360
Calendar year 1948	59,621	1,260	-	163	1.77	24.11	118,200
January	1,085	-	-	35.0	.380	.44	2,150
February	980	-	-	35.0	.380	.40	1,940
March	1,394	55	35	45.0	2.489	.56	2,760
April	6,875	450	52	229	2.49	2.78	13,640
May	24,940	1,250	370	805	8.75	10.08	49,470
June	12,238	782	146	408	4.43	4.95	24,270
July	2,777	140	59	89.6	.974	1.12	5,510
August	1,418	59	37	45.7	.497	.57	2,810
September	1,111	48	33	37.0	.402	.45	2,200
Water year 1948-49	56,850	1,250	-	156	1.70	22.98	112,700

Peak discharge (base, 600 sec.-ft.).--May 16 (2:30 a.m.) 1,310 sec.-ft.; May 29 (10 p.m.) 1,230 sec.-ft.; June 6 (9 p.m.) 782 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 7-12, 18, 24-27, Nov. 29 to Mar. 2. No gage-height record Dec. 18 to Jan. 20, Jan. 26 to Mar. 1; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Johnson Creek at Yellow Pine and other nearby streams.

Johnson Creek near Landmark ranger station, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°41', long. 115°33', in sec. 31, T. 16 N., R. 8 E., 0.5 mile downstream from Bob Cat Creek, 0.8 mile upstream from Lunch Creek, 1½ miles north of Landmark ranger station, and 20 miles south of Yellow Pine.

Drainage area.--54.7 square miles.

Records available.--October 1942 to October 1949 (discontinued).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during period October 1948 to October 1949, 1,340 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 5.79 feet); minimum recorded, 9.9 second-feet Sept. 8-10 (gage height, 1.81 feet), but may have been less during period of ice effect.

1942-49: Maximum discharge, 1,510 second-feet May 27, 1948 (gage height, 5.95 feet); minimum observed, 7.8 second-feet Feb. 6, 1943 (discharge measurement), but may have been less some winters; minimum gage height recorded, 1.79 feet Nov. 25, 1943, Nov. 16, 1944.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. During late fall of 1936, the Bureau of Reclamation cut a trans-mountain canal to divert a small flow from a tributary of Johnson Creek to Deadwood River Basin to supplement storage in Deadwood Reservoir. Discharge measurement of July 20 indicated flow in this canal of 3.12 second-feet.

Revisions (water years).--W 1063: 1943, 1945(M).

Discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

1948-49

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	15	16					13	196	446	64	18	10
2	14	20				(*)	14	244	372	60	17	10
3	14	21					14	244	323	57	16	10
4	22	19					15	216	320	53	15	10
5	33	17					16	218	339	52	14	11
6	24	18					*17	249	366	49	14	12
7	23	13					19	298	369	45	14	11
8	25	13	15			12	20	379	349	44	14	10
9	22	14					20	468	333	43	14	9.9
10	20	17					23	592	323	42	14	10
11	18						28	752	314	45	18	15
12	18			(*)			36	813	274	38	15	15
13	17						35	802	233	36	14	13
14	17						34	938	208	34	14	12
15	18						40	1,100	190	32	14	12
16	16			12	12		46	1,180	170	30	13	15
17	15						60	871	157	29	12	14
18	14						70	731	144	28	13	13
19	14						80	642	159	27	12	12
20	14			(*)			76	623	155	26	12	12
21	14	16					71	614	129	25	12	11
22	14						72	578	119	24	11	11
23	14						95	329	112	23	12	11
24	14		13			13	129	514	103	22	12	11
25	17						161	514	96	22	12	11
26	15						181	554	93	21	12	10
27	14						208	605	90	21	11	10
28	16						238	627	80	19	11	11
29	14						257	614	77	18	11	15
30	14						223	545	70	18	11	14
31	14	-					-	506	-	18	11	-

Peak discharge (base, 600 sec.-ft.).--May 16 (3 a.m.) 1,340 sec.-ft.; May 28 (4 a.m.) 710 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 3 to Apr. 21 (no gage-height record Dec. 29 to Jan. 11, Jan. 23 to Mar. 1; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for station at Yellow Pine and other stations on nearby streams.

1949

Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge
Oct. 1	15	Oct. 4	12
2	13	5	24
3	12	6	23

Monthly discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October 1948	533	33	14	17.2	0.314	0.36	1,060
November	488	21	-	16.3	.298	.33	968
December	433	-	-	14.0	.256	.29	859
Calendar year 1948	37,144	1,240	-	102	1.86	25.24	73,670
January 1949	372	-	-	12.0	.219	.25	738
February	336	-	-	12.0	.219	.23	666
March	388	-	-	12.5	.229	.26	770
April	2,311	257	13	77.0	1.41	1.57	4,580
May	17,756	1,180	196	573	10.5	12.07	35,220
June	6,513	446	70	217	3.97	4.43	12,920
July	1,065	64	18	34.4	.829	.72	2,110
August	413	18	11	13.5	.243	.28	819
September	351.9	15	9.9	11.7	.214	.24	698
Water year 1948-49	30,959.9	1,180	-	84.8	1.55	21.03	61,410
October 1-6, 1949	99	24	12	16.5	.302	.07	196

SALMON RIVER BASIN

Johnson Creek at Yellow Pine, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 44°58', long. 115°30', in NE¼ sec. 29, T. 19 N., R. 8 E., 700 feet upstream from mouth and a quarter of a mile southwest of Yellow Pine post office.

Drainage area.--213 square miles.

Records available.--August 1928 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--21 years, 314 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 4,610 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 7.00 feet); minimum, 51 second-feet Feb. 12, Mar. 29 (gage height, 1.01 feet).
1928-49: Maximum discharge, 5,150 second-feet June 9, 1933 (gage height, 7.62 feet), from rating curve extended above 2,800 second-feet; minimum, 22 second-feet Nov. 30, 1933; minimum gage height, 0.70 foot Nov. 30, 1937.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of no gage-height record, which are fair. Small diversion from Johnson Creek Basin to Deadwood River Basin (see Remarks for station near Landmark ranger station).

Rating table, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used June 8 to Sept. 30)

1.0	50	1.9	260	4.0	1,420
1.1	64	2.3	418	4.5	1,830
1.2	80	2.6	560	5.0	2,300
1.4	118	3.0	770	5.7	3,060
1.6	167	3.5	1,070	6.5	3,990

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	94	98	87	74	75	72	75	759	1,910	401	125	74
2	89	118	94	74	72	72	80	975	1,810	379	102	74
3	89	120	93	a68	74	74	78	975	1,450	359	116	72
4	98	104	87	a66	75	74	85	820	1,510	346	112	72
5	149	91	85	a70	72	74	94	776	1,720	330	108	75
6		118	98	87	74	72	75	104	837	1,840	319	75
7		110	72	85	75	72	75	116	981	1,960	300	74
8		125	72	85	72	72	74	125	1,200	1,780	282	72
9		114	75	87	a68	74	74	127	1,500	1,690	271	70
10		106	94	89	a64	67	74	149	1,830	1,700	260	70
11		102	94	89	a65	61	74	187	2,300	1,680	250	80
12		96	94	87	a66	61	75	237	2,640	1,460	240	89
13		93	93	78	a68	67	74	218	2,750	1,250	227	82
14		93	93	82	a70	77	75	208	2,350	1,120	215	77
15		96	100	84	a72	75	75	224	3,550	1,040	205	84
16		93	94	69	a70	75	78	260	3,950	951	193	87
17		89	93	64	a76	74	77	323	3,070	843	184	89
18		87	80	64	a80	74	80	405	2,630	770	182	80
19		87	94	69	a80	75	82	458	2,350	792	178	77
20		85	94	75	77	70	82	445	2,340	776	170	74
21		87	93	69	77	72	78	418	2,290	693	170	72
22		85	93	63	a68	74	78	427	2,130	666	164	72
23		85	91	a60	a68	75	78	501	2,010	630	157	70
24		85	93	a60	a68	72	77	630	1,990	595	154	69
25		94	89	a60	a66	72	75	693	2,060	565	151	67
26		91	87	66	a70	72	77	742	2,300	550	146	67
27		87	80	69	a74	72	77	837	2,650	515	141	66
28		84	89	70	a72	72	72	945	2,740	477	139	70
29		89	80	74	a72	-	72	957	2,810	458	134	77
30		85	74	72	77	-	80	843	2,360	427	130	84
31		87	-	72	78	-	77	-	2,190	-	127	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Runoff Acre-feet
October	2,970	149	84	95.8	0.450	0.52	5,890
November	2,740	120	72	91.3	.429	.48	5,430
December	2,575	94	60	76.6	.360	.41	4,710
Calendar year 1948	147,162	4,070	60	402	1.69	25.69	291,900
January	2,215	80	64	71.5	.336	.39	4,390
February	2,017	77	61	72.0	.338	.35	4,000
March	2,351	82	72	75.8	.356	.41	4,660
April	10,989	957	75	366	1.72	1.92	21,600
May	63,913	3,950	759	2,062	9.68	11.16	126,800
June	35,428	1,960	427	1,114	5.23	5.84	66,300
July	6,902	401	127	223	1.05	1.21	13,690
August	2,971	125	75	95.8	.450	.52	5,890
September	2,265	91	66	75.5	.354	.40	4,490
Water year 1948-49	135,136	3,950	60	370	1.74	23.61	268,000

Peak discharge (base, 1,800 sec.-ft.).--May 16 (5:30 a.m.) 4,610 sec.-ft.; May 27 (10:30 p.m.) 3,160 sec.-ft.; June 7 (1:30 a.m.) 2,170 sec.-ft.
a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for nearby streams.

Secesh River near Burgdorf, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°14', long. 115°49', in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 23, T. 22 N., R. 5 E., 760 feet upstream from Long Gulch Creek and 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles southeast of Burgdorf.
Prior to Oct. 1, 1948, water-stage recorder at site 1 mile upstream at different datum.

Drainage area.--104 square miles; 102 square miles at former site.

Records available.--October 1948 to September 1949, April 1943 to September 1948 at site 1 mile upstream.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,420 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 5.57 feet); minimum not determined, occurred during winter period.
1943-49: Maximum discharge, 2,500 second-feet June 3, 1948 (gage height, 8.24 feet, site and datum then in use), by slope-area method; minimum observed, 29 second-feet (discharge measurement) Jan. 30, 1945, but may have been less during periods of ice effect.

Remarks.--Records good except those for period of ice effect, which are poor.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except period of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

1.8	32	2.9	229	4.5	795
1.9	44	3.3	333	4.9	1,020
2.2	89	3.7	456	5.5	1,380
2.5	145	4.1	608		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	70	67					37	417	910	202	68	39
2	68	75					40	839	790	193	66	39
3	68	78					40	650	700	182	62	39
4	80	73		(*)		(*)	45	506	682	171	61	42
5	115						50	463	769	171	56	43
6	79						64	470	828	176	55	51
7	87						76	532	844	161	55	45
8	103		60	45			78	629	795	151	55	43
9	87						82	738	729	145	54	42
10	78						98	905	700	139	54	43
11	72						120	1,070	677	134	52	75
12	68						150	1,150	592	130	52	66
13	64						132	1,180	521	122	58	52
14	64						120	1,250	474	117	54	48
15	76	65					130	1,290	440	113	51	45
16	67				35	35	159	1,360	408	110	46	55
17	62						208	1,260	383	104	47	54
18	62						258	1,080	359	101	51	48
19	61						283	1,060	362	96	55	44
20	60						273	1,210	342	96	51	44
21	60						246	1,060	311	96	47	44
22	58						246	1,010	311	87	45	43
23	58						322	966	305	84	45	43
24	60		45	40			417	927	278	83	47	47
25	62						404	672	260	81	45	40
26	61						420	990	305	79	44	40
27	61						477	1,070	273	78	43	40
28	61	60					551	1,150	259	78	42	43
29	62						555	1,190	231	73	42	87
30	60						449	1,120	213	70	40	67
31	62	-				(*)	-	1,000	-	68	40	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October	2,156	115	58	69.5	0.668	0.77	4,280
November	1,956	-	-	65.2	.627	.70	3,880
December	1,620	-	-	52.3	.503	.58	3,210
Calendar year 1948	88,673	2,080	-	242	2.35	52.27	175,900
January	1,315	-	-	42.4	.408	.47	2,610
February	980	-	-	35.0	.337	.35	1,940
March	1,065	-	-	35.0	.337	.39	2,150
April	6,530	555	37	218	2.10	2.34	12,950
May	29,214	1,360	417	942	9.06	10.45	57,950
June	15,031	910	213	501	4.82	5.58	29,810
July	5,691	202	68	119	1.14	1.32	7,320
August	1,587	68	40	51.2	.492	.57	3,150
September	1,446	87	39	48.2	.463	.52	2,870
Water year 1948-49	66,611	1,360	-	182	1.75	25.84	132,100

Peak discharge (base, 900 sec.-ft.)--May 2 (5 p.m.) 1,030 sec.-ft.; May 16 (6 a.m.) 1,420 sec. ft.; May 29 (1 to 4 a.m.) 1,240 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 5 to Apr. 12. No gage-height record Oct. 1-5, Dec. 22 to Jan. 3, Jan. 5 to Mar. 3; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Warren Creek near Warren and other nearby streams.

Warren Creek near Warren, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°17', long. 115°42', in sec. 3, T. 22 N., R. 6 E., 100 feet downstream from bridge on Warren-McCall road, a tenth of a mile downstream from Steamboat Creek, and 1.3 miles northwest of Warren.

Drainage area.--37 square miles.

Records available.--February 1943 to December 1949 (discontinued).

Extremes.--1948-49: Maximum discharge during water year, 521 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 3.72 feet); minimum, 7.7 second-feet Sept. 2, 3.

1949: Maximum discharge during period October to December, 40 second-feet Nov. 27 (gage height, 1.93 feet); minimum, 4.2 second-feet Dec. 3.

1943-49: Maximum discharge observed, 1,100 second-feet June 3, 1948 (gage height, 5.3 feet, site then in use, from floodmarks), by slope-area method; minimum, 4.2 second-feet Dec. 27, 1943, Dec. 3, 1949.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of no gage-height record and those for May and June, which are fair. No diversion or regulation above station. Small amount of flow bypasses station through debris from dredging operations.

Discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

1948-49

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	14	17	14				10	112	240	44	15	8.0
2	14	20	15	12		10	11	174	212	42	14	7.7
3	13	23	15				10	170	198	40	14	7.7
4	17	18	14	12		10	12	151	190	38	13	7.7
5	22	16	14				14	139	190	37	12	8.4
6	18	15	14				17	139	198	37	12	9.4
7	20	11	14				20	153	192	35	12	8.9
8	23	14	14				20	180	180	32	12	8.0
9	20	14	14				21	226	170	31	12	8.0
10	18	17	14	12			25	268	158	30	11	8.9
11	17	16	14				34	349	149	29	11	16
12	18	16	12				39	435	134	28	12	12
13	16	15	12				31	444	122	25	12	11
14	17	18	14				28	441	110	25	12	10
15	20	17	14				29	435	104	23	11	9.4
16	18	16	13		11		37	493	96	22	10	11
17	16	16	13			10	50	438	89	22	11	11
18	16	14					62	378	83	21	11	10
19	16	16					68	349	83	20	11	9.8
20	16	13					62	343	77	20	11	9.4
21	15	13					54	318	70	20	9.8	9.4
22	15	13					54	310	71	19	9.4	9.4
23	14	14		11			70	299	65	19	10	8.9
24	16	15	12				97	291	61	19	10	8.9
25	16	15					98	291	58	18	9.4	8.4
26	13	14					101	302	62	17	9.4	8.4
27	14	14					117	329	59	17	9.4	8.4
28	14	14					136	352	53	17	8.9	9.4
29	15	12					141	369	51	16	8.4	17
30	15	14					120	315	48	16	8.4	16
31	16	-				10	-	281	-	15	8.0	-

Note.--No gage-height record Dec. 18 to Mar. 30 except staff-gage readings Jan. 4, Mar. 4; discharge computed on basis of 2 discharge measurements, weather records, and records for nearby streams.

1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1	19	10	15	9	12	10	-	17	10	9.8	-	25	11	22	-
2	13	9.8	14	10	12	10	-	18	11	9.4	-	26	11	19	-
3	12	10	6.3	11	12	11	-	19	8.9	8.4	-	27	11	27	-
4	11	10	12	12	14	11	-	20	9.8	8.0	-	28	11	27	-
5	16	9.8	14	13	13	10	-	21	11	8.4	-	29	12	18	-
6	15	9.4	13	14	12	11	-	22	11	9.4	-	30	11	17	-
7	14	9.8	12	15	12	8.4	-	23	11	12	-	31	9.8	-	-
8	12	11		16	12	11	-	24	11	16	-				

Monthly discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff Inches	Runoff Acre-feet
October 1948	510	23	13	16.5	0.446	0.51	1,010
November	458	23	11	15.3	.414	.46	908
December	402	15	-	13.0	.351	.40	797
Calendar year 1948	26,078.2	750	9.3	71.3	1.93	26.21	51,710
January 1949	358	-	-	11.5	.311	.36	706
February	308	-	-	11.0	.297	.31	611
March	310	-	-	10.0	.270	.31	615
April	1,588	141	10	52.9	1.43	1.60	3,150
May	9,274	493	112	299	8.08	9.32	18,390
June	3,573	240	48	119	3.22	3.59	7,090
July	794	44	15	25.6	.692	.80	1,570
August	340.1	15	8.0	11.0	.297	.34	675
September	298.5	17	7.7	9.88	.267	.30	588
Water year 1948-49	18,209.6	493	7.7	49.9	1.35	18.30	36,110
October 1949	371.5	19	8.9	12.0	.324	.37	737
November	375.6	27	8.0	12.5	.338	.38	745
December 1-7	86.3	15	6.3	12.3	.332	.09	171

Mud Creek near Tamarack, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°00', long. 116°21', in sec. 9, T. 19 N., R. 1 E., 0.5 mile upstream from Little Mud Creek, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles northeast of Tamarack, and 5 miles upstream from mouth.

Drainage area.--15.8 square miles.

Records available.--April 1937 to September 1940 (incomplete), September 1945 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 155 second-feet Apr. 19; maximum gage height, 4.33 feet Mar. 18 (ice jam); minimum discharge, 0.9 second-foot Oct. 19 (gage height, 2.18 feet).

1937-38, 1945-49: Maximum discharge observed, about 300 second-feet probably on May 1, 1938 (gage height, 3.34 feet, from floodmark, site and datum then in use); minimum, probably less than half a second-foot during late summer of 1937.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. No diversion or regulation.

Correction.--Runoff in inches for April 1948 and runoff in inches for water year 1947-48 have been corrected to 6.96 inches and 20.89 inches, respectively, superseding figures published in Water-Supply Paper 1123.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	2.3	4.7	2.0	2.4		2.0	29	76	13	3.1	1.9	1.4
2	2.2	1.1	2.3				38	100	11	3.1	1.9	1.4
3	2.2	8.2	2.5				45	110	10	2.9	1.8	1.5
4	3.6	4.4	2.2				58	95	9.4	2.9	1.6	1.5
5	4.0	3.4	2.4				74	81	8.5	2.9	1.6	1.5
6	2.7	2.7	2.5	1.4		3.0	82	74	8.5	2.9	1.5	1.6
7	2.5	2.6	2.3				92	71	10	2.7	1.5	1.6
8	2.0	2.3	2.4				93	72	7.9	2.5	1.5	1.5
9	1.5	2.3	2.6				100	72	7.3	2.7	1.6	1.5
10	1.5	2.8	2.6				101	74	7.0	2.7	1.8	1.6
11	1.5	2.6	2.6	1.8		3.5	117	74	6.5	2.7	1.8	1.9
12	1.4	2.5	2.6				130	66	6.0	2.5	1.8	1.8
13	1.4	2.4	2.6				112	58	6.0	2.5	1.8	1.6
14	1.4	2.3	2.6				95	48	5.7	2.3	1.8	1.6
15	1.6	2.3	2.6				9.5	92	4.2	2.3	1.6	1.6
16	1.4	2.3	2.2	* 2.2		12	98	36	5.1	2.3	1.6	1.5
17	1.3	2.5	1.7				112	32	4.8	2.3	1.6	1.6
18	1.3	2.2	1.6				20	125	28	4.8	2.5	1.6
19	1.4	* 2.8	1.8				25	134	25	4.8	2.3	1.6
20	1.3	2.9	2.4				30	146	25	4.9	2.3	1.6
21	1.4	2.6	2.3	1.8		* 28	28	123	22	4.4	2.3	1.5
22	1.4	2.3	2.2				28	107	21	4.2	2.3	1.5
23	1.4	2.3	2.1				29	110	18	3.8	2.2	1.5
24	1.4	2.5	2.2				31	119	17	3.8	2.3	1.8
25	1.4	2.4	2.3				31	110	16	3.6	2.2	1.6
26	1.5	2.2	2.5	1.8		24	100	15	4.0	2.2	1.6	1.5
27	1.5	2.0	2.7				93	14	3.8	2.2	1.5	1.5
28	1.5	2.2	2.7				14	3.6	2.0	1.5	1.8	
29	1.6	2.0	2.7				95	14	3.8	2.0	1.5	2.0
30	1.8	1.6	2.7				84	14	3.4	2.0	1.4	2.0
31	2.2	-	2.7	-	-	-	22	-	-	1.9	1.4	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	55.6	4.0	1.3	1.79	0.113	0.13	110
November	91.3	11	1.6	3.04	.192	.21	181
December	73.6	2.7	1.6	2.37	.150	.17	146
Calendar year 1948	8,719.9	246	1.3	23.8	1.51	20.51	17,300
January	67.8	-	-	2.19	.139	.16	134
February	41.2	-	-	1.47	.093	.10	82
March	438.5	31	-	14.1	.892	1.03	870
April	2,907	146	29	96.9	6.13	6.84	5,770
May	1,436	110	14	46.4	2.94	3.38	2,850
June	185.0	13	3.4	6.17	.391	.44	367
July	760	3.1	1.9	2.45	.155	.18	151
August	50.4	1.9	1.4	1.63	.103	.12	100
September	47.5	20	1.4	1.58	.100	.11	94
Water year 1948-49	5,471.9	146	-	15.0	.949	12.87	10,860

Peak discharge (base, 100 sec.-ft.)--Apr. 11 (8 p.m.) 136 sec.-ft.; Apr. 19 (12 p.m.) 155 sec.-ft.; May 2 (6 p.m.) 117 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 7-14, 17-19, 21, Nov. 24 to Mar. 20. No gage-height record Dec. 19 to Jan. 17, Jan. 20 to Feb. 9, Feb. 13-15, Mar. 6-9, June 15-19, discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Weiser River at Starkey and at Tamarack.

Grande Ronde River near Hilgard, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°19', long. 118°16', near center of sec. 11, T. 3 S., R. 36 E., half a mile upstream from lower reservoir site of Bureau of Reclamation, three-quarters of a mile upstream from Spring Creek, and 3 miles southwest of Hilgard.

Drainage area.--489 square miles.

Records available.--October 1945 to September 1949 in reports of Geological Survey. March 1937 to September 1941 in reports of State engineer; October 1941 to September 1945 in files of State engineer.

Average discharge.--12 years, 264 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 2,220 second-feet Mar. 19; maximum gage height, 4.55 feet Feb. 23 (ice jam); minimum discharge, 13 second feet Nov. 8 (gage height, 0.82 foot).

1937-49: Maximum discharge, 3,300 second-feet May 28, 1948 (gage height, 5.26 feet); minimum, 6 second-feet Aug. 10, 12-29, Sept. 1-4, 1940.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. No regulation. Several small diversions above station for irrigation.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Backwater from debris Apr. 12, Sept. 9-30)

Oct. 1 to Apr. 6						Apr. 7 to Sept. 30					
0.9	19	1.4	116	2.6	600	1.0	13	1.5	62	2.4	410
1.0	29	1.5	149	3.0	800	1.1	17	1.6	84	2.8	610
1.1	43	1.7	221	3.5	1,110	1.2	24	1.7	112	3.3	890
1.2	63	1.9	300	4.0	1,560	1.3	33	1.9	184	3.8	1,260
1.3	87	2.2	420	4.4	2,050	1.4	46	2.1	270	4.3	1,750

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949												
Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	36	43	b40	b40	b37	b400	396	1,010	410	75	23	16
2	35	47	b45		b40	b450	470	1,280	370	69	23	16
3	35	68	b50		b41	b500	468	1,350	358	64	22	16
4	37	61	b45		b43	*532	586	1,180	315	60	20	16
5	70	49	b40		b40	586	816	981	310	59	20	16
6	59	47	b45		b40	685	1,240	872	306	59	19	17
7	53	32	b50		b41	645	1,270	842	297	57	19	18
8	53	b25	*b54		b42	578	1,180	925	284	52	19	18
9	45	b50	63		*b45	465	1,140	1,100	266	49	20	18
10	42	49	65		b46	434	1,230	1,240	261	46	19	22
11	40	55	63		b45	488	1,480	1,400	243	49	19	22
12	39	51	b77		b43	532	1,460	1,420	225	46	20	25
13	37	47	b63		b42	550	1,120	1,320	204	42	22	22
14	37	47	63		b43	630	918	1,240	192	38	21	20
15	37	51	b65		b45	750	890	1,240	176	37	19	20
16	37	*45	b55		b60	934	1,000	1,100	169	36	18	26
17	35	51	b50		b90	984	1,160	960	173	33	18	30
18	33	*b30	b45		b125	1,380	1,320	794	161	32	18	26
19	35	53	b50		b175	1,960	1,680	710	139	31	24	22
20	35	57	b52		b250	1,570	1,520	812	128	31	23	20
21	35	42	b48	b350	1,230	1,300	732	122	31	20	19	
22	33	57	b45	b500	946	1,210	710	129	31	19	19	
23	33	53	a40	b450	816	1,270	655	115	30	18	18	
24	35	87	a40	b425	735	1,330	600	104	29	18	18	
25	35	75	a42	b400	685	1,150	575	95	29	18	18	
26	35	b50	a44	b375	600	1,000	560	95	29	17	17	
27	*30	b55	a45	*b350	537	974	545	104	28	17	17	
28	27	b50	a47	b350	470	1,120	515	90	28	17	17	
29	30	b45	b45	-	429	1,250	480	87	27	17	19	
30	30	b35	b48	-	424	1,070	460	82	26	16	25	
31	37	-	b50	-	392	-	440	-	23	16	-	

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,188	70	27	38.3	2,560
November.....	1,487	87	28	49.6	2,950
December.....	1,574	77	40	50.8	3,120
Calendar year 1948	164,503	2,990	25	449	326,300
January.....	1,240	-	-	40	2,460
February.....	4,535	500	37	162	8,990
March.....	22,517	1,960	392	720	44,270
April.....	33,038	1,680	396	1,101	65,530
May.....	28,078	1,420	440	906	55,690
June.....	5,988	410	82	200	11,680
July.....	1,276	75	23	41.2	2,530
August.....	599	24	16	19.3	1,190
September.....	593	30	16	19.8	1,180
Water year 1948-49	101,911	1,960	16	279	202,200

Peak discharge (base, 1,500 sec.-ft.).--Mar. 19 (8 to 9 p.m.) 2,220 sec.-ft.; Apr. 12 (2:30 a.m.) 1,660 sec.-ft.; Apr. 19 (12 p.m.) 1,720 sec.-ft.; May 12 (3 a.m.) 1,500 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Grande Ronde River at La Grande and at Rondowa and Catherine Creek near Union.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Grande Ronde River at La Grande, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°21', long. 118°08', in sec. 36, T. 2 S., R. 37 E., 2 miles northwest of La Grande and 4 miles downstream from Fivepoint Creek. Datum of gage is 2,831.25 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929.

Drainage area.--678 square miles.

Records available.--February 1918 to June 1923, October 1925 to September 1949. November 1903 to September 1915 at Hilgard, 4 miles upstream.

Average discharge.--35 years (1905-9, 1910-11, 1912-15, 1918-20, 1921-22, 1925-49), 357 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 3,140 second-feet Mar. 19 (gage height, 5.89 feet); minimum, 17 second-feet Sept. 1-5.

1903-15, 1918-23, 1925-49: Maximum discharge, 8,880 second-feet Mar. 18, 1932 (gage height, 8.90 feet); minimum, 3.9 second-feet Aug. 26, 1940 (gage height, 1.23 feet).

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect, which are poor. Some discharge measurements made at cable 3 miles above station. Small diversions above station for irrigation.

Revisions (water years).--W 768: 1933.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

Oct. 1 to Mar. 19					Mar. 20 to Sept. 30				
1.7	34	2.4	210	4.4	1,470	1.5	14		
1.8	49	2.6	290	5.0	2,080	1.6	21		
1.9	68	2.9	435	5.7	2,910	1.7	31		
2.0	91	3.3	650			1.8	47		
2.2	143	3.8	980			1.9	68		

Note.--Same as preceding table above
1.9 feet.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	38	53	b45			655	568	1,450	529	91	26	18
2	37	55	b50			692	735	1,750	470	84	24	17
3	38	73	b55			788	782	1,870	420	80	23	17
4	42	75	b50			882	945	1,590	390	73	21	17
5	66	60	b45			994	1,380	1,350	380	68	21	18
6	70	57	b50			1,150	1,850	1,200	380	68	20	18
7	62	46	b55		b50	1,080	1,980	1,180	355	66	20	18
8	58	b35	*b60			973	1,840	1,260	335	62	20	18
9	43	b45	b70			756	1,750	1,500	312	58	20	19
10	46	82	b75		(*)	692	1,790	1,700	299	53	20	23
11	44	82	b70			827	2,160	1,860	278	53	20	24
12	43	70	b85			938	2,120	1,900	254	55	20	28
13	42	55	b75			931	1,670	1,770	230	49	21	26
14	40	53	b70			1,070	1,400	1,650	214	45	21	24
15	42	58	b70			1,290	1,350	1,630	200	44	20	23
16	42	*53		b45		b70	1,550	1,520	1,430	189	42	20
17	40	55				b100	1,670	1,740	1,280	196	39	19
18	38	*42				b150	2,090	1,950	1,040	182	37	19
19	38	49				b200	2,900	2,380	931	162	36	20
20	40	62				b300	2,330	2,180	1,050	146	36	25
21	40	53				b450	1,780	1,890	966	138	36	22
22	40	55				b650	1,410	1,800	924	140	34	20
23	38	60	b50			b600	1,200	1,860	854	132	33	20
24	40	82				b550	1,110	1,950	775	121	33	20
25	40	91				b520	1,050	1,700	742	114	34	20
26	42	89				b500	882	1,470	723	111	34	20
27	*37	57				*b500	742	1,420	704	116	34	20
28	34	b60				b500	612	1,630	668	106	33	19
29	37	b50				-	556	1,800	617	104	31	19
30	38	b45				-	578	1,550	595	98	29	18
31	44	-				-	534	-	562	-	27	18

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,349	70	34	43.5	2,680
November.....	1,802	91	35	60.1	3,570
December.....	1,725	85	-	55.6	3,420
Calendar year 1948	230,445	4,350	26	630	457,100
January.....	1,395	-	-	45	2,770
February.....	5,840	650	-	209	11,580
March.....	34,713	2,900	534	1,120	68,850
April.....	49,141	2,380	568	1,638	97,470
May.....	37,481	1,900	562	1,209	74,340
June.....	7,111	529	98	237	14,100
July.....	1,497	91	27	48.3	2,970
August.....	636	26	18	20.5	1,260
September.....	665	30	17	22.2	1,320
Water year 1948-49	143,355	2,900	17	593	284,300

Peak discharge (base, 1,900 sec.-ft.).--Mar. 19 (2 a.m.) 3,140 sec.-ft.; Apr. 7 (3 a.m.) 2,180 sec.-ft.; Apr. 12 (3 a.m.) 2,370 sec.-ft.; Apr. 19 (5 a.m.) 2,430 sec.-ft.; Apr. 24 (4 a.m.) 2,020 sec.-ft.; May 3 (2 a.m.) 1,940 sec.-ft.; May 12 (5 a.m.) 1,980 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Grande Ronde River at Rondowa, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°44', long. 117°47', in NW¹/₄ sec. 23, T. 3 N., R. 40 E., at Rondowa, 500 feet downstream from Wallowa River. Datum of gage is 2,381.87 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929.

Drainage area.--2,555 square miles.

Records available.--October 1926 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--33 years, 1,987 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 12,800 second-feet May 15 (gage height, 7.52 feet); minimum, 368 second-feet Sept. 4 (gage height, 0.93 foot).

1926-49: Maximum discharge, 19,900 second-feet May 28, 1948 (gage height, 9.76 feet); minimum, 225 second-feet Dec. 19, 1935.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Many diversions above station for irrigation. Flow slightly regulated by Wallowa Lake Reservoir.

Revisions (water years).--W 1093: 1927-29, 1932-33, 1936, 1938, 1939(M), 1943.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

0.9	350	3.0	2,550
1.1	475	3.5	3,440
1.3	620	4.5	5,500
1.6	865	5.5	7,720
2.0	1,250	6.5	10,100
2.5	1,840	7.5	12,700

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	605	a680	a750	b680	a600	3,060	2,930	7,060	5,920	1,590	598	423
2	605	a720	a750	b650	a650	3,120	3,170	8,200	5,270	1,640	590	404
3	598	a850	a750	b620	a700	3,210	3,290	8,710	4,740	1,710	552	392
4	684	a800	a750	b580	b750	3,660	3,560	7,860	4,700	1,740	538	374
5	814	a750	a700	b550	b750	4,160	4,180	7,170	5,270	1,740	524	380
6	764	a730	a750	b600	b700	4,100	4,910	6,750	6,290	1,780	503	392
7	788	a700	a800	b650	b750	4,060	5,500	6,640	6,780	1,650	496	404
8	788	a680	a800	b600	b800	3,960	5,650	6,970	6,470	1,520	475	404
9	764	a650	a800	b550	b850	3,460	5,680	7,790	5,920	1,420	468	404
10	748	a660	a800	b500	b900	3,120	5,740	8,850	5,790	1,380	462	430
11	732	a670	a850	b450	b850	3,010	6,310	10,300	5,830	1,380	456	462
12	723	a680	a900	b450	b800	3,290	6,710	11,300	5,160	1,300	475	462
13	708	a680	a950	b450	b750	3,600	6,160	11,500	4,490	1,230	503	456
14	692	a670	a850	b450	b850	3,960	5,720	11,700	4,060	1,140	510	449
15	684	a690	a750	b500	b1,000	4,600	5,520	12,400	3,740	1,100	503	456
16	668	a750	*a660	b550	1,390	5,120	5,680	12,000	3,460	1,070	496	552
17	652	a700	620	b550	2,420	5,060	6,140	11,300	2,830	1,010	489	524
18	652	a700	b620	b550	2,260	5,680	6,730	9,590	2,490	946	531	503
19	660	a700	b650	b500	1,660	7,440	7,440	8,690	2,260	901	560	482
20	652	a680	b700	b450	1,660	6,890	7,560	8,710	2,190	883	545	468
21	636	a650	b650	b500	1,700	6,640	7,280	8,020	2,170	814	531	475
22	628	a700	b600	b550	2,340	6,180	7,040	7,540	2,550	772	517	468
23	628	a800	b530	b600	3,680	5,760	7,220	7,190	2,460	756	503	462
24	636	a1,100	b530	b550	3,400	5,350	7,440	7,190	2,430	740	489	456
25	668	a1,000	b530	b550	3,120	4,910	7,170	7,420	2,370	716	475	449
26	652	a950	b560	b600	3,060	4,340	6,910	7,810	2,250	692	475	436
27	636	a900	b590	*b670	3,040	3,840	6,860	8,200	2,010	676	468	430
28	636	a850	b620	b700	3,040	3,380	7,510	8,300	1,870	668	462	436
29	a650	a800	b640	a700	-	3,120	8,060	7,700	1,890	668	456	442
30	a650	a750	b600	a700	-	2,950	7,420	7,040	1,720	644	449	449
31	a660	-	b650	a650	-	2,850	-	6,470	-	612	430	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet.
October.....	21,062	814	598	679	41,780
November.....	22,640	1,100	650	755	44,910
December.....	21,700	850	530	700	43,040
Calendar year 1948	1,118,288	18,500	524	3,055	2,218,000
January.....	17,650	700	450	569	35,010
February.....	44,470	3,680	600	1,588	88,200
March.....	133,880	7,440	2,850	4,319	265,500
April.....	181,490	8,060	2,930	6,050	360,000
May.....	266,370	12,400	6,470	8,593	528,300
June.....	115,400	6,780	1,720	3,847	228,900
July.....	34,888	1,780	612	1,125	69,200
August.....	15,529	598	430	501	30,800
September.....	15,324	552	374	444	26,430
Water year 1948-49	888,403	12,400	374	2,434	1,762,000

Peak discharge (base, 5,000 sec.-ft.).--Mar. 19 (6:30 a.m.) 7,670 sec.-ft.; May 2 (11 p.m.) 9,060 sec.-ft.; May 15 (9 a.m.) 12,800 sec.-ft.; June 7 (6 a.m.) 7,060 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for station at Troy.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Grande Ronde River at Troy, Ore.

Location.--Wire-weight gage, lat. 45°57', long. 117°27', in NW¼ sec. 4, T. 5 N., R. 43 E., at bridge at Troy, 100 feet downstream from Wenaha River.

Drainage area.--3,275 square miles.

Records available.--August 1944 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 17,400 second-feet May 15 (gage height, 21.00 feet); minimum observed, 662 second-feet Sept. 6.
1944-49: Maximum discharge observed, 30,000 second-feet Dec. 15, 1946 (gage height, 23.20 feet); minimum observed, 470 second-feet Sept. 11, 1944.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Flow slightly regulated by Wallowa Lake and Minam Lake Reservoirs. Many diversions for irrigation near La Grande, Enterprise, and Wallowa; no diversion around station.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used May 19 to Aug. 31, Sept. 16-30)

14.1	635	15.9	2,260	19.0	9,260
14.2	690	16.5	3,190	20.0	13,000
14.8	1,110	17.0	4,100	21.0	17,400
15.3	1,540	18.0	6,310		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	a850	1,000	1,110	1,300	b900	4,840	4,420	10,400	8,160	2,070	953	696
2	a850	1,050	1,130	1,190	b950	4,860	5,180	12,500	7,180	2,040	932	679
3	a850	1,280	1,110	1,030	bl,000	4,750	5,430	13,300	6,470	2,120	911	679
4	a950	1,190	1,130	738	bl,100	5,180	6,140	11,200	6,360	2,120	883	690
5	al,100	1,090	1,030	b800	bl,100	5,920	7,380	10,500	6,670	2,110	862	679
6	al,050	1,050	1,090	a850	bl,000	6,210	9,060	9,460	7,790	2,270	848	668
7	al,050	1,020	1,140	a900	bl,100	5,870	10,200	9,360	8,120	2,080	813	679
8	al,050	988	1,210	a900	al,150	6,110	10,100	9,400	8,030	1,990	792	668
9	1,060	918	al,220	a850	al,200	5,360	9,810	9,400	7,670	1,870	792	679
10	1,050	960	1,240	a800	al,300	4,770	10,500	10,900	7,380	1,790	778	690
11	1,050	967	1,270	a750	bl,250	4,630	11,400	15,500	7,350	1,720	764	679
12	1,010	974	1,500	b750	bl,200	4,960	12,000	16,600	6,470	1,640	792	a670
13	1,000	1,000	1,460	b750	al,100	5,340	10,100	16,700	5,680	1,550	792	679
14	1,010	988	1,350	b750	al,200	5,920	9,060	16,500	5,070	1,480	792	738
15	988	1,040	bl,150	b800	bl,500	6,780	8,930	17,300	4,750	1,400	778	757
16	960	1,060	bl,000	b800	a2,000	8,090	9,530	16,700	4,420	1,370	771	806
17	960	1,020	b900	b800	2,730	8,280	10,900	16,300	3,950	1,290	764	848
18	960	1,020	*b750	b800	5,140	8,860	11,800	16,400	3,700	1,250	792	806
19	960	1,020	b750	b750	3,090	11,800	12,800	14,500	5,330	1,270	820	792
20	960	967	b900	b750	2,610	10,900	12,700	11,300	2,890	1,270	813	764
21	946	946	b850	b750	2,400	9,810	11,600	10,700	2,940	1,210	792	738
22	946	1,000	b800	b800	2,760	8,670	11,000	10,100	3,120	1,170	778	764
23	932	1,090	a800	b850	5,340	8,120	11,100	9,230	3,220	1,140	778	750
24	932	1,820	a850	b800	5,210	7,910	11,700	9,190	3,100	1,130	778	764
25	939	1,540	953	b800	4,690	7,270	10,900	9,430	3,020	1,110	750	757
26	974	1,390	1,050	b850	4,600	6,410	10,600	10,200	2,960	1,080	750	738
27	939	1,290	1,020	b900	4,630	5,500	10,400	10,400	2,830	1,050	750	726
28	946	1,220	1,240	b950	4,650	4,960	11,800	10,100	2,520	1,020	738	726
29	932	1,190	1,360	b850	-	4,580	13,000	9,570	2,440	1,020	738	744
30	932	1,130	1,330	b950	-	4,540	11,200	9,570	2,320	1,000	726	764
31	974	-	1,280	*b900	-	4,380	-	8,860	-	988	714	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	30,110	1,100	850	971	59,720
November.....	33,218	1,820	918	1,107	65,890
December.....	33,973	1,500	750	1,096	67,380
Calendar year 1948.....	1,551,891	22,800	680	4,240	3,078,000
January.....	26,558	1,300	750	857	52,680
February.....	66,900	5,340	900	2,389	132,700
March.....	201,580	11,800	4,380	6,503	399,800
April.....	300,740	13,000	4,420	10,020	596,500
May.....	371,570	17,300	8,860	11,990	737,000
June.....	149,910	8,160	2,320	4,997	297,300
July.....	46,618	2,670	988	1,504	92,470
August.....	24,784	953	714	798	49,060
September.....	21,617	848	668	727	43,270
Water year 1948-49.....	1,307,728	17,300	668	3,583	2,594,000

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for station at Rondowa.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Catherine Creek near Union, Oreg.

Location.--Water stage recorder, lat 45°09', long. 117°47', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 2, T., 5 S., R. 40 E., 3 miles downstream from Little Catherine Creek and 6 miles southeast of Union. Datum of gage is 3,082.11 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929.

Drainage area.--105 square miles.

Records available.--May 1906 to May 1907 (gage heights only), August 1911 to December 1912, March to September 1915, February 1918 to August 1919, October 1925 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--25 years (1911-12, 1918-12, 1925-44, 1945-49), 120 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 974 second-feet May 15 (gage height, 3.49 feet); minimum not determined, probable occurred during periods of ice effect or no gage-height record Nov. 8 to Feb. 24; minimum daily, 24 second-feet Feb. 11-13, Sept. 23-30. 1906-7, 1911-12, 1915, 1918-19, 1925-49: Maximum discharge, 1,740 second-feet May 27, 1948 (gage height, 4.57 feet); minimum recorded, 4 second-feet Nov. 26, 27, 1930.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. A few small diversions above station for irrigation and some water diverted into Big Creek, in Powder River Basin.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	31	32	30		25	68	77	382	356	90	39	28
2	30	36	30		25	78	88	414	314	86	38	28
3	30	39	35		25	82	97	414	280	85	37	28
4	35	33	38		25	90	117	370	286	82	35	28
5	45	33	35		25	100	157	342	324	81	34	28
6	40	32	32		25	110	190	346	363	82	34	28
7	37	28	30		25	107	224	386	374	74	33	27
8	39	26	*28		25	100	237	470	342	71	34	27
9	35	25	30		25	88	244	558	321	71	34	27
10	33	30	30		25	81	258	665	307	70	33	27
11	32	35	35		*24	77	318	825	399	68	33	27
12	32	36	40		24	86	342	914	265	62	32	27
13	30	34	40		24	91	258	890	230	61	33	26
14	30	34	40		25	97	212	890	215	59	32	26
15	30	35	39		25	105	215	932	200	56	32	25
16	30	*34	35	25	27	115	265	878	192	56	30	28
17	30	34	30		30	128	349	795	173	53	30	28
18	30	31	29		35	141	402	856	157	51	30	27
19	30	35	28		40	171	490	579	147	50	30	26
20	30	35	30		45	169	462	570	141	50	30	26
21	30	33	33		50	151	386	510	141	49	29	26
22	30	35	33		60	128	346	470	141	47	29	26
23	30	36	30		70	119	390	442	131	46	29	24
24	31	37	28		65	114	418	442	128	46	29	24
25	32	35	27		63	112	398	458	122	45	29	24
26	30	34	25		61	107	390	494	119	45	29	24
27	*30	33	25		*62	97	422	530	110	44	29	24
28	30	32	25		66	88	502	542	103	43	28	24
29	30	30	25		-	72	522	498	102	42	28	24
30	30	30	26		-	71	442	442	96	41	28	24
31	31	-	27		-	71	-	410	-	39	28	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	993	45	30	32.0	1,970
November.....	992	39	25	33.1	1,970
December.....	968	40	25	31.2	1,920
Calendar year 1948.....	63,748	1,500	25	174	126,400
January.....	775	-	-	25	1,540
February.....	1,046	70	24	37.4	2,070
March.....	3,214	171	68	104	6,370
April.....	9,218	522	77	307	18,280
May.....	17,514	932	342	565	34,740
June.....	6,490	374	96	216	12,870
July.....	1,845	90	39	59.5	3,660
August.....	978	39	28	31.5	1,940
September.....	786	28	24	26.2	1,560
Water year 1948-49.....	44,819	932	-	123	88,890

Peak discharge (base, 500 sec.-ft.)--Apr. 19 (7 p.m. to 11 p.m.) 510 sec.-ft.; Apr. 28 (11 p.m.) 558 sec.-ft.; May 15 (5 a.m.) 974 sec.-ft.; May 28 (4 a.m.) 579 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--No gage-height record Oct. 3-6, Jan. 3 to Feb. 9; discharge computed on basis of recorded range in stage, weather records, and records for other stations in Grande Ronde River Basin. Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 8-11, Nov. 27 to Dec. 3, Dec. 5-11, Dec. 13 to Jan. 2, Feb. 10-24 and during most, if not all, of period of no gage-height record in January and February.

Indian Creek near Imbler, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°26', long. 117°49', in S½ sec. 33, T. 1 S., R. 40 E., 200 yards upstream from North Fork and 7 miles southeast of Imbler.

Drainage area.--22 square miles.

Records available.--October 1945 to September 1949 in reports of Geological Survey. March 1938 to September 1945 (incomplete) in files of Oregon State engineer.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 406 second-feet May 15; maximum gage height, 2.92 feet Feb. 23 (ice jam); minimum discharge, 1.8 second-feet Oct. 28 (gage height, 0.47 foot).

1938-49: Maximum discharge, 818 second-feet May 27, 1948, from rating curve extended above 270 second-feet; maximum gage height, 4.09 feet sometime during period Jan. 4-7, 1947 (ice jam); minimum discharge, 0.1 second-foot Nov. 15, 1939 (gage height, 0.05 foot).

Remarks.--Records fair except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. No diversion or regulation above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	4.4	5.2				4.4	9.0	130	211	33	8.6	2.8
2	4.2	7.9				4.2	10	152	181	31	8.6	2.8
3	4.0	7.4				4.0	11	175	162	30	8.2	2.8
4	9.3	5.4				4.2	14	166	165	28	7.9	2.8
5	8.2	4.8				4.8	18	144	193	27	7.9	2.8
6	6.8	4.4				4.8	22	132	229	26	7.4	2.8
7	8.2	4.0				5.0	27	134	235	24	7.1	2.7
8	6.8	3.5				4.8	29	158	211	23	7.1	2.7
9	6.0	3.0				4.4	30	214	193	22	7.1	2.6
10	5.7	3.5				4.4	35	259	187	20	6.5	2.7
11	5.2	4.0			4.0	4.4	44	298	175	20	6.2	3.6
12	5.0	4.6				5.0	51	340	170	19	6.2	3.0
13	4.8	4.6		3.5		5.5	41	382	150	18	6.2	2.7
14	4.6	4.8				6.0	35	400	130	16	5.7	2.6
15	4.6	5.0				7.0	36	400	120	16	5.4	2.6
16	4.4	4.8	4.0			9.0	43	394	100	15	5.2	5.4
17	4.4	*4.8				12	57	376	90	15	4.8	3.4
18	4.4	5.0				15	70	355	80	14	4.6	3.0
19	4.4	5.0				20	86	320	70	14	4.6	2.8
20	4.2	5.0				20	89	311	65	14	4.4	2.7
21	4.2	5.2				18	80	298	65	13	4.2	2.7
22	4.2	5.0			5.0	15	80	271	65	12	4.0	2.7
23	4.0	5.0			6.0	14	90	255	61	12	4.0	2.6
24	5.7	5.0			6.0	13	97	243	57	12	3.8	2.4
25	5.7	4.5			5.5	12	95	251	53	11	3.6	2.4
26	4.8	4.5		*3.6	5.2	12	95	263	50	11	3.6	2.3
27	4.2	4.5		3.4	5.0	11	101	284	43	11	3.4	2.3
28	3.5	4.5		3.5	4.8	10	126	288	40	11	3.4	2.3
29	4.4	4.5		3.5	-	9.0	150	275	40	10	3.3	2.8
30	4.0	4.5		3.5	-	8.0	144	243	36	9.7	3.1	2.8
31	5.7	-		3.5	-	8.0	-	239	-	9.3	3.1	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October	159.8	9.3	3.3	5.15	0.234	0.27	317
November	143.9	7.9	3.0	4.80	.218	.24	285
December	124.0	-	-	4.00	.182	.21	246
Calendar year 1948	19,062.8	665	3.0	52.1	2.37	32.22	37,810
January	108.5	-	-	3.50	.159	.18	215
February	121.5	-	-	4.34	.197	.21	241
March	278.9	20	4.0	9.00	.409	.47	553
April	1,815.0	150	9.0	60.5	2.75	3.07	3,600
May	8,150.0	400	130	263	12.0	13.78	16,170
June	3,627	255	36	121	5.50	6.13	7,180
July	547.0	33	9.3	17.6	.800	.92	1,080
August	169.2	8.6	3.1	5.46	.248	.29	336
September	84.6	5.4	2.3	2.82	.128	.14	168
Water year 1948-49	15,329.4	400	2.3	42.0	1.91	25.91	30,400

Peak discharge (base, 250 sec.-ft.).--May 15 (11 a.m. to 6 p.m.) 406 sec.-ft.; May 29 (1 to 3 a.m.) 293 sec.-ft.; June 6 (10 to 12 p.m.) 259 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--No gage-height record Dec. 23 to Jan. 25, Jan. 28 to Feb. 21, Mar. 12 to Apr. 1, June 13-20; discharge computed on basis of records for Catherine Creek near Union. Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 7-11, 18, 19, Nov. 23 to Dec. 22, Feb. 22-25.

East Fork Wallowa River near Joseph, Oreg.

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 45°16', long. 117°13', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 29, T. 3 S., R. 45 E., a quarter of a mile above confluence with West Fork, 1 mile upstream from Wallowa Lake, and 6 miles south of Joseph. Datum of gage is 4,517.69 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929.

Drainage area.--9.6 square miles.

Records available.--July 1924 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--25 years, 12.1 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 76 second-feet May 24; maximum gage height observed, 2.26 feet Feb. 22 (ice jam); minimum discharge observed, 0.2 second-foot Sept. 22-23.

1924-49: Maximum discharge, 300 second-feet July 25, 1937 (gage height, 3.63 feet, from floodmark), computed on basis of rating curve extended above 80 second-feet and unpublished records of storage in Wallowa Lake Reservoir; minimum observed, 0.1 second-foot Dec. 7, 1929, Nov. 1, 6, 1935.

Remarks.--Records poor. Gage read twice daily. Wallowa Falls power plant of Pacific Power & Light Co. diverts water 1 mile above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	5.3	b2.5			1.5	2.0	1.5	3.8	44	20	2.3	al.0
2	5.3	b2.5			1.6	1.4	2.0	13	41	19	2.5	.6
3	6.0	b2.5		al.5	2.0	1.6	1.8	7.1	40	a20	2.5	1.0
4	7.1	2.5			1.6	al.6	2.0	6.4	41	a20	a2.2	1.4
5	4.5	b2.5		1.3	2.3	1.6	2.0	6.8	44	20	1.8	1.0
6	5.3	b2.5		1.5	2.0	1.3	1.8	6.0	47	18	1.4	.9
7	4.9	b2.5	a2.5	2.0	1.8	1.5	2.0	6.8	38	17	1.4	.7
8	4.9	b3.0		1.4	2.0	1.6	2.0	8.0	63	16	al.3	.7
9	6.0	a3.0		1.3	a2.0	1.4	2.3	13	54	16	1.3	1.2
10	6.4	a3.0		1.4	a2.0	1.3	2.3	13	58	16	1.3	.8
11	4.5	a3.0		1.3	a2.0	1.4	2.0	21	61	14	1.3	.7
12	4.5	a3.0		1.3	a2.0	1.6	2.0	32	61	14	1.2	.7
13	4.2	a3.0		1.3	1.8	a1.5	2.0	35	61	14	1.2	.5
14	3.6	a3.0	2.3	1.5	1.6	1.5	2.0	41	54	a12	.9	.5
15	3.8	b3.0	2.0	1.5	1.6	al.5	a2.2	46	54	11	.9	.6
16	3.6	b3.0	al.5	1.4	1.8	1.5	2.5	52	49	11	.5	1.5
17	4.5	b3.0	bl.5	1.5	1.8	1.5	4.2	56	47	11	1.3	.6
18	3.8	b2.5	*bl.5	1.5	1.8	1.8	3.8	52	47	7.5	1.0	.9
19	3.4	a3.0	al.5	al.5	2.0	*2.0	5.3	70	41	8.0	.7	1.0
20	3.4	3.1	2.0	al.5	a2.0	2.7	3.6	58	41	9.2	.6	.6
21	2.9	3.8	1.6	1.3	1.8	1.3	3.1	47	38	6.8	.7	.4
22	4.2	3.8	1.6	1.5	b3.0	1.2	2.9	54	42	5.6	.8	.4
23	3.8	3.6	2.0	1.4	2.0	1.4	6.0	54	41	6.0	1.0	.2
24	5.3	2.5	1.6	1.2	1.6	1.4	4.9	65	41	6.0	1.3	.5
25	3.4	2.7	1.8	1.0	1.6	1.4	3.8	56	41	5.6	1.0	al.0
26	3.8	2.5	bl.5	1.6	1.4	2.7	3.8	65	40	5.3	1.3	1.5
27	5.1	a2.5	bl.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	4.2	47	36	5.3	1.3	1.0
28	2.9	a2.5	al.5	1.4	7.5	1.4	9.7	52	27	4.5	1.3	.9
29	3.1	a2.5	al.5	1.4	-	bl.4	7.5	58	27	4.5	1.3	1.3
30	2.9	a2.5	a2.0	*1.8	-	1.4	5.6	47	27	a4.0	1.0	.9
31	2.5	-	2.0	1.5	-	1.4	-	52	-	3.4	1.0	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	132.9	7.1	2.5	4.29	264
November.....	85.0	3.8	2.5	2.83	169
December.....	63.2	2.5	1.5	2.04	125
Calendar year 1948	6,022.1	154	.6	16.5	11,950
January.....	44.8	2.0	1.0	1.45	89
February.....	57.5	7.5	1.4	2.05	114
March.....	48.7	2.7	1.2	1.57	97
April.....	100.6	9.7	1.5	3.35	200
May.....	1,143.9	70	3.8	36.9	2,270
June.....	1,546	63	27	44.9	2,670
July.....	350.7	20	3.4	11.3	696
August.....	39.6	2.5	.5	1.28	79
September.....	25.0	1.5	.2	.85	50
Water year 1948-49	3,437.9	70	.2	9.42	6,820

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Wallowa Falls power-plant tailrace near Joseph, Oreg.

Location.--Staff gage and sharp-crested weir, lat. 45°16', long. 117°13', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 29, T. 3 S., R. 45 E., a quarter of a mile upstream from mouth and 6 miles south of Joseph. Datum of gage is 4,624.79 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929.

Records available.--August 1924 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--25 years, 8.09 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum daily discharge during year, 17 second-feet Aug. 19, 20; minimum daily, 6.2 second-feet Oct. 3.
1924-49: Maximum daily discharge, that of Aug. 19, 20, 1949; no flow at times.

Remarks.--Records poor. Gage read hourly. Flow regulated for impulse wheel in powerhouse. Water diverted at dam on East Fork Wallowa River into conduit 1 mile above powerhouse and discharged into West Fork a quarter of a mile below station.

Rating table, water year 1948-49 (gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

0.5	5.4
.6	8.1
.7	11
.8	14
.9	18

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	8.1	9.3	11	10	13	12	12	16	14	14	14	14
2	8.1	9.0	11	9.9	13	12	12	16	15	14	11	15
3	6.2	9.0	11	9.9	13	12	11	16	16	14	14	14
4	8.7	9.0	11	10	13	11	12	16	15	14	14	14
5	8.7	9.6	10	10	13	12	12	16	15	14	14	15
6	8.7	9.3	11	10	12	12	13	16	15	14	14	16
7	8.7	9.6	9.9	10	13	12	13	16	16	14	14	15
8	8.7	9.6	10	9.9	13	12	13	16	16	14	14	14
9	8.4	9.9	11	9.6	13	12	13	16	16	14	14	15
10	7.0	9.6	11	9.3	12	12	13	16	16	14	14	16
11	8.7	9.6	11	9.6	12	11	13	16	16	14	14	16
12	8.7	9.6	11	9.9	14	11	14	16	16	14	14	15
13	9.0	9.9	11	9.6	13	11	13	16	16	14	14	14
14	9.0	9.9	11	9.6	14	12	13	15	16	14	14	15
15	8.7	9.9	11	9.6	13	11	13	16	16	14	14	15
16	8.7	9.6	11	9.3	13	11	14	15	16	14	14	16
17	8.1	9.0	10	9.3	13	11	14	16	16	14	14	14
18	8.4	9.9	10	9.3	13	12	15	16	16	14	15	14
19	8.7	9.9	10	9.3	13	12	15	15	16	14	17	14
20	8.7	10	9.3	9.0	12	12	15	16	15	14	17	14
21	8.7	10	10	9.3	12	11	15	16	14	14	15	14
22	8.4	10	10	9.0	11	12	14	16	14	14	15	14
23	8.7	11	10	9.0	12	12	15	16	14	14	15	14
24	8.1	11	11	9.0	13	12	15	16	14	14	15	15
25	8.4	11	9.3	8.7	13	12	16	16	14	14	16	14
26	7.7	9.9	9.9	8.7	13	11	16	14	14	14	16	12
27	8.7	10	10	8.7	12	11	16	15	14	14	16	15
28	8.7	10	10	8.7	14	12	16	15	14	14	15	15
29	8.7	10	10	8.7	-	12	16	14	14	14	14	16
30	9.0	11	10	9.0	-	12	16	16	14	14	15	15
31	8.1	-	10	13	-	12	-	15	-	14	15	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	261.2	9.0	6.2	8.42	518
November.....	295.1	11	9.0	9.84	585
December.....	322.4	11	9.3	10.4	639
Calendar year 1948	4,167.2	15	4.0	11.4	8,260
January.....	294.9	13	8.7	9.51	585
February.....	358	14	11	12.8	710
March.....	362	12	11	11.7	718
April.....	418	16	11	13.9	829
May.....	486	16	14	15.7	964
June.....	453	16	14	15.1	899
July.....	434	14	14	14.0	861
August.....	451	17	11	14.5	895
September.....	439	16	12	14.6	871
Water year 1948-49	4,574.6	17	6.2	12.5	9,070

Hurricane Creek near Joseph, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°20', long. 117°18', in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 3, T. 3 S., R. 44 E., upstream from intake of Moonshine ditch and $3\frac{1}{2}$ miles southwest of Joseph.

Drainage area.--31 square miles.

Records available.--April to September 1915, April 1924 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--22 years (1927-49), 68.7 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 562 second-feet June 10; maximum gage height, 8.35 feet May 10, 15; minimum discharge, 5 second-feet Feb. 17, caused by ice jam upstream (gage height, 1.38 feet).

1915, 1924-49: Maximum discharge, 1,110 second-feet June 9, 1948 (gage height, 3.55 feet); minimum recorded, 3.4 second-feet Feb. 10, 1938, Feb. 6, 1946, probably caused by ice jam upstream.

Remarks.--Records fair. No diversion or regulation above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	24	21	16	17	14	14	16	131	210	148	79	32
2	23	23	17	16	14	14	16	218	183	174	80	32
3	23	24	17	15	14	14	16	176	169	192	80	32
4	31	21	15	14	14	14	16	140	194	188	77	32
5	28	21	14	15	14	14	17	120	275	195	72	32
6	26	20	14	15	14	14	19	118	350	184	70	32
7	29	19	14	15	14	14	22	140	392	170	67	31
8	29	16	13	14	14	14	23	206	404	160	62	30
9	27	16	14	14	14	14	26	275	584	157	60	31
10	26	18	15	14	12	14	31	326	418	170	59	33
11	25	19	14	14	12	14	44	338	397	170	60	33
12	24	19	12	14	12	14	51	374	330	167	59	30
13	24	18	12	14	14	14	56	362	310	151	56	30
14	24	18	13	14	15	14	40	386	295	145	53	29
15	24	18	13	14	15	14	42	447	295	139	50	29
16	23	18	13	14	15	15	52	392	262	130	49	33
17	23	17	12	14	15	15	66	338	211	116	62	30
18	22	14	13	14	15	16	80	250	192	111	54	29
19	21	16	14	14	15	17	100	254	192	103	48	29
20	21	17	15	14	15	16	96	246	199	95	46	28
21	21	18	15	14	16	16	79	214	227	92	44	27
22	20	18	14	14	16	16	72	206	253	92	41	27
23	19	19	13	14	15	16	86	206	235	92	40	27
24	22	22	13	14	15	16	105	226	235	92	40	26
25	22	19	14	14	14	16	105	254	223	86	39	26
26	21	17	16	14	14	16	110	320	195	86	38	26
27	21	16	16	14	14	16	131	380	187	84	37	26
28	20	17	16	14	14	16	194	380	187	80	37	27
29	20	16	16	14	-	16	186	315	160	77	37	27
30	20	16	16	14	-	16	146	254	142	77	36	27
31	20	-	16	14	-	16	-	234	-	79	34	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	723	31	19	23.3	1,430
November.....	551	24	14	18.4	1,090
December.....	445	17	12	14.4	883
Calendar year 1948.....	33,428	783	11	91.3	66,290
January.....	443	17	14	14.3	879
February.....	399	16	12	14.2	791
March.....	465	17	14	15.0	922
April.....	2,043	194	16	68.1	4,050
May.....	8,226	447	118	265	16,320
June.....	7,866	418	142	256	15,210
July.....	4,002	195	77	129	7,940
August.....	1,666	80	34	53.7	3,300
September.....	883	33	26	29.4	1,750
Water year 1948-49.....	27,512	447	12	75.4	54,560

Peak discharge (base, 350 sec.-ft.).--May 10 (6 p.m.) 545 sec.-ft.; May 15 (2 a.m.) 545 sec.-ft.; May 27 (8 to 9 p.m.) 482 sec.-ft.; June 7 (7 p.m.) 482 sec.-ft.; June 10 (8 p.m.) 562 sec.-ft.

Lostine River near Lostine, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°26', long. 117°26', in NW¼ sec. 34, T. 1 S., R. 43 E., 3½ miles south of Lostine and 10 miles upstream from mouth.

Drainage area.--70 square miles.

Records available.--August 1912 to March 1914, April to September 1915, July 1925 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--22 years (1912-13, 1928-49), 184 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,480 second-feet June 8; maximum gage height, 6.13 feet May 15; minimum discharge not determined, probably occurred during period of ice effect or no gage-height record Dec. 16 to Feb. 15; minimum daily discharge, 30 second-feet Jan. 21 to Feb. 14.
1912-14, 1915, 1925-49: Maximum discharge, 2,540 second-feet May 27, 1913; minimum recorded, 10 second-feet Nov. 28-30, 1936.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. No large diversions above station. Flow slightly regulated by Minam Lake Reservoir.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Backwater from debris Feb. 23 to May 29)

0.7	30	1.5	106	3.3	485
.8	37	1.8	148	4.0	700
1.0	53	2.2	220	5.0	1,050
1.2	73	2.7	325	5.8	1,360

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	39	40	40	46	30	36	40	355	656	a370	112	40
2	38	48	43	43	30	37	41	491	554	a400	111	40
3	38	54	44	40	30	36	41	449	497	a450	111	40
4	50	43	40	37	30	37	44	372	572	a450	107	40
5	62	42	40	35	30	37	57	323	854	a450	96	40
6	49	40	40	35	30	38	63	302	1,140	a430	92	41
7	54	38	40	35	30	38	78	316	1,350	405	87	41
8	55	35	40	35	30	38	83	398	1,260	585	83	41
9	53	38	41	35	30	38	92	565	1,150	375	81	42
10	49	41	44	35	30	37	111	777	1,200	400	75	42
11	48	37	44	35	30	38	162	994	1,240	400	77	43
12	47	37	48	35	30	37	193	1,110	1,050	372	75	41
13	46	36	40	35	30	37	159	1,120	938	335	73	38
14	45	36	42	35	30	37	140	1,180	889	314	66	37
15	45	37	40	35	35	38	142	1,360	868	300	62	37
16	43	37	38	35	40	39	175	1,290	760	277	60	54
17	41	37	38	35	44	38	240	1,220	557	236	59	47
18	41	34	40	35	46	41	300	886	479	212	69	43
19	40	38	42	35	43	48	352	826	461	201	69	40
20	39	38	43	35	43	48	330	830	485	173	58	39
21	38	36	42	30	43	46	275	710	563	156	54	38
22	38	37	40	30	58	43	256	668	690	158	51	38
23	37	40	40	30	55	42	289	656	650	156	49	37
24	39	55	40	30	44	42	335	746	644	153	47	36
25	40	44	45	30	41	41	311	872	614	145	46	36
26	39	40	45	30	38	39	316	1,060	524	136	44	35
27	38	40	45	30	37	39	365	1,280	a450	134	43	34
28	37	42	45	30	37	39	479	1,290	a400	123	42	34
29	36	38	45	*30	-	40	494	1,160	a350	116	41	37
30	37	38	45	30	-	39	400	910	a350	114	40	36
31	36	-	46	30	-	40	-	805	-	115	40	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,341	62	37	43.3	2,660
November.....	1,196	55	34	39.9	2,370
December.....	1,305	48	36	42.1	2,590
Calendar year 1948.....	86,916	1,750	34	237	172,400
January.....	1,056	46	30	34.1	2,090
February.....	1,024	58	30	36.6	2,030
March.....	1,223	48	36	39.5	2,430
April.....	6,353	494	40	212	12,520
May.....	25,322	1,360	302	817	50,230
June.....	22,195	1,350	350	740	44,020
July.....	8,441	450	114	272	16,740
August.....	2,120	112	40	68.4	4,200
September.....	1,187	54	34	39.6	2,350
Water year 1948-49.....	72,773	1,360	30	199	144,300

Peak discharge (base, 1,100 sec.-ft.).--May 15 (7 a.m.) 1,440 sec.-ft.; May 28 (2:30 a.m.) 1,460 sec.-ft.; June 8 (1 a.m.) 1,480 sec.-ft.; June 11 (1 a.m.) 1,450 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of records for Hurricane Creek near Joseph, Bear Creek near Willows, and Catherine Creek near Union.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 16-18, 21-30, Jan. 1 to Feb. 15 (no gage-height record Jan. 3-17, 20-28, Jan. 30 to Feb. 1; discharge computed as explained in footnote a).

GRANDE RONDE RIVER BASIN

Bear Creek near Wallowa, Oreg.

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°32', long. 117°33', in NE¼ sec. 34, T. 1 N., R. 42 E., at bridge 3 miles southwest of Wallowa.

Drainage area.--68 square miles.

Records available.--April to September 1915, November 1931 to September 1949. April 1924 to November 1931 (incomplete) at site 1 mile upstream above intakes of two irrigation ditches with a combined capacity of about 3 second-feet.

Average discharge.--20 years (1929-49), 107 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 1,080 second-feet May 11, 15 (gage height, 3.16 feet); minimum, 7 second-feet Feb. 10.

1915, 1924-49: Maximum discharge, 1,620 second-feet Apr. 22, 1936 (gage height, 3.82 feet, from floodmarks), from rating curve extended above 950 second-feet; minimum, 3 second-feet Jan. 20, Feb. 1, 1937.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are poor. Small diversions above station for irrigation.

Rating tables, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

Oct. 1 to May 15

May 16 to Sept. 30

0.7	5	1.4	62	2.6	560	1.0	8	1.5	58	2.5	390
.8	9	1.6	95	2.9	820	1.1	14	1.7	94	2.7	540
.9	15	1.8	140	3.1	1,020	1.2	22	1.9	140	3.0	830
1.0	22	2.0	200			1.3	31	2.1	200		
1.2	40	2.3	350			1.4	43	2.3	280		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	10	16	b24		11	54	45	290	354	130	23	10
2	10	21	b24		11	54	46	431	310	146	22	10
3	10	26	24		11	52	48	445	272	155	21	10
4	18	18	25		11	52	55	380	320	155	20	10
5	17	18	b25		10	54	76	308	492	152	20	10
6	14	18	b24		9	57	111	270	690	152	19	10
7	16	16	b23		9	58	155	290	720	130	18	10
8	16	b13	b22	a15	9	57	170	374	640	113	18	10
9	16	b12	b25		9	54	182	520	567	104	17	10
10	16	b15	25		b8	49	197	676	594	102	16	10
11	16	17	24		b8	47	255	890	558	94	17	12
12	16	17	31		b8	47	275	860	468	90	17	10
13	16	17	b30		9	49	208	830	411	61	17	9
14	15	17	b30		9	51	176	890	390	73	16	9
15	15	18	b30		10	56	173	1,000	378	68	15	9
16	15	18	b28		13	62	194	820	320	63	15	19
17	14	18	b27		28	68	245	720	240	56	14	13
18	15	17	b26		60	82	308	508	208	50	16	11
19	14	18	b25		38	118	338	453	200	48	15	10
20	14	18	b27		32	138	314	453	204	44	13	9
21	14	17	a28		31	118	260	390	232	41	13	9
22	14	a21		a12	42	101	232	366	272	39	12	8
23	*14	21	a26		63	87	270	360	248	37	12	8
24	17	33	a24		58	78	320	411	240	36	12	8
25	16	27	a23		55	73	298	492	220	33	12	8
26	14	27	a22		52	68	290	603	191	31	11	8
27	14	b26	a22		52	61	314	710	164	30	11	8
28	13	b25	a23		52	56	404	710	161	28	10	8
29	14	b24	a20	*12	-	61	424	585	155	26	10	12
30	14	b24	a20	11	-	48	344	460	130	25	10	10
31	16	-	a20	11	-	46	-	418	-	23	10	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	453	18	10	14.6	889
November.....	590	33	12	19.7	1,170
December.....	775	31	20	25.0	1,540
Calendar year 1948	53,973	1,190	10	147	107,100
January.....	415	-	-	13.4	823
February.....	718	-	8	25.6	1,420
March.....	2,046	138	46	66.0	4,060
April.....	6,725	424	45	224	13,340
May.....	16,913	1,000	270	546	33,550
June.....	10,349	720	130	345	20,530
July.....	2,355	155	23	76.0	4,670
August.....	472	23	10	15.2	936
September.....	298	19	8	9.9	591
Water year 1948-49	42,109	1,000	8	115	83,530

Peak discharge (base, 600 sec.-ft.)--May 11 (12 p.m.) 1,080 sec.-ft.; May 15 (2 a.m.) 1,080 sec.-ft.; May 26 (10 p.m.) 830 sec.-ft.; June 7 (9 p.m.) 800 sec.-ft.; June 10 (9 p.m.) 740 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record (stage-discharge relation affected by ice during most of period); discharge computed on basis of records for Hurricane Creek near Joseph, Lostine River near Lostine, and Catherine Creek near Union.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Asotin Creek near Asotin, Wash.

Location.--Staff gage, lat. 46°20', long. 117°12', in sec. 20, T. 10 N., R. 45 E., half a mile upstream from Washington Water Power Co.'s diversion for water supply and irrigation, 4 miles upstream from George Creek, and 8 miles west of Asotin.

Drainage area.--171 square miles.

Records available.--August 1928 to September 1949. March 1904 to November 1906 and August 1910 to October 1911 at practically same site.

Average discharge.--21 years (1928-49), 61.6 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 378 second-feet May 15 (gage height, 2.70 feet); minimum not determined, probably occurred sometime during period of ice effect.

1904-6, 1910-11, 1928-49: Maximum discharge observed, 1,180 second-feet Apr. 15, 1904 (gage height, 4.3 feet, datum then in use); minimum observed, 16 second-feet Jan. 5, 1937.

Remarks.--Records good except those for periods of rapidly changing stage, which are fair, and those for periods of ice effect, which are poor. Gage read twice daily. Large part of low flow diverted for irrigation.

Cooperation.--Gage-height record furnished by Washington Water Power Co.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	34	36	40	35	25	132	78	206	194	52	34	31
2	33	38	40	33	25	142	77	253	172	49	33	31
3	33	51	38	31	25	142	89	253	152	49	33	33
4	36	38	36	30	25	152	98	229	142	48	33	33
5	35	37	36	30	25	152	119	194	142	48	33	34
6	36	36	38	31	25	142	162	172	142	49	34	34
7	36	35	39	36	25	142	183	183	142	47	34	33
8	34	33	39	35	25	132	206	206	132	44	34	35
9	35	34	39	34	30	119	194	253	123	42	33	34
10	34	35	30	32	150	107	183	302	116	42	33	33
11	34	35	40	31	70	94	218	352	109	41	33	34
12	34	35	39	*28	40	96	241	352	105	40	34	35
13	34	36	38	27	40	91	206	352	96	39	34	33
14	34	36	38	26	40	94	172	352	91	39	34	35
15	34	36	38	26	42	100	162	378	84	37	33	35
16	34	35	34	26	152	116	172	352	84	37	34	40
17	34	36	33	26	142	132	206	302	78	39	34	37
18	34	34	33	26	89	152	241	253	75	39	34	35
19	34	36	37	26	88	206	265	218	72	39	33	35
20	34	34	45	26	68	218	253	206	67	39	33	35
21	34	34	40	25	*56	194	218	206	67	39	33	34
22	34	35	41	25	277	172	194	206	64	36	33	34
23	34	36	38	25	142	152	183	194	61	39	35	34
24	36	54	36	25	152	132	218	183	61	41	35	33
25	34	46	34	25	132	132	194	183	58	39	34	33
26	34	*44	32	25	132	118	172	183	61	37	33	31
27	34	40	31	25	132	110	172	194	58	37	33	31
28	34	42	30	25	132	96	218	194	55	37	33	33
29	35	40	30	25	-	89	277	183	58	35	33	37
30	35	40	30	25	-	87	229	183	55	35	31	39
31	36	-	33	25	-	78	-	194	-	35	31	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff in acre-feet
October.....	1,066	36	33	34.4	2,110
November.....	1,137	54	33	37.9	2,580
December.....	1,133	43	30	36.5	2,250
Calendar year 1948	35,327	636	30	96.5	70,070
January.....	870	36	25	29.1	1,730
February.....	2,286	277	25	81.6	4,530
March.....	4,021	218	78	130	7,980
April.....	5,600	277	77	187	11,110
May.....	7,471	378	172	241	14,820
June.....	2,916	194	55	97.2	5,780
July.....	1,269	52	35	40.9	2,520
August.....	1,034	35	31	33.4	2,050
September.....	1,020	40	31	34.0	2,020
Water year 1948-49	29,823	378	25	81.7	59,160

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 17-19, Dec. 23-31, Jan. 3-7, Jan. 9 to Feb. 14.

CLEARWATER RIVER BASIN

Selway River above Meadow Creek, near Lowell, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 46°03', long. 115°18', in sec. 11, T. 31 N., R. 9 E., a quarter of a mile upstream from Meadow Creek, 1½ miles upstream from Selway Falls, 13 miles upstream from gaging station on Selway River near Lowell, and 16.5 miles south-east of Lowell post office.

Drainage area.--1,550 square miles.

Records available.--October 1944 to October 1949 (discontinued).

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during period October 1948 to October 1949, 30,000 second-feet

May 16, computed on basis of records for station near Lowell; minimum, 253 second-feet Feb. 11 (gage height, 2.32 feet), result of snowslide upstream.

1944-49: Maximum discharge, 42,000 second-feet May 29, 1948 (gage height, 22.4 feet, from floodmark), by slope-area method; minimum daily, 175 second-feet Dec. 12, 1944.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of no gage-height record in summer, which are good, and those for period of ice effect, which are fair. Small diversions to Bitterroot River Basin from headwaters are reported and are shown on maps in T. 32 N., R. 16 E.

Discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

1948-49

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	490	620	658	560	460	1,100	1,700	9,400	14,500	3,510	860	388
2	480	788	824	540	460	1,150	1,930	11,100	12,500	3,520	842	384
3	465	958	794	470	460	1,200	2,020	11,600	11,000	3,550	818	374
4	515	892	746	370	460	1,250	2,310	9,890	10,500	3,510	776	374
5	764	734	674	450	460	1,350	2,970	8,760	11,500	3,430	746	406
6	770	674	686	540	460	1,400	4,080	8,440	14,000	3,340	716	450
7	734	647	722	550	470	1,600	5,120	8,960	15,000	3,140	680	475
8	800	598	686	480	470	1,600	5,580	10,700	14,500	2,910	664	415
9	782	532	686	440	490	1,500	5,350	14,500	13,500	2,720	652	388
10	716	505	704	410	500	1,350	5,310	18,900	13,500	2,550	642	388
11	658	658	746	410	470	1,280	6,110	22,000	13,000	2,350	664	510
12	625	625	746	420	430	1,340	7,100	25,000	11,500	2,250	658	625
13	598	652	700	460	430	1,480	16,250	26,300	19,580	2,100	710	542
14	576	652	570	490	460	1,670	15,570	27,000	8,960	1,950	740	475
15	570	746	620	490	500	1,680	5,250	27,500	8,290	1,850	647	440
16	564	752	650	490	560	1,940	5,740	28,500	7,740	1,750	620	642
17	542	728	470	470	680	2,150	7,010	26,000	7,170	1,650	592	734
18	537	674	375	470	740	2,440	8,400	22,000	6,360	1,550	592	570
19	526	647	410	470	680	2,930	9,640	19,000	5,960	1,450	620	490
20	520	674	700	470	620	3,270	8,980	20,000	5,620	1,400	576	450
21	515	669	750	470	600	3,120	7,890	19,000	5,430	1,400	532	420
22	510	740	625	430	900	2,780	7,060	116,000	6,110	1,300	505	406
23	505	880	500	430	1,050	2,630	7,170	16,000	5,840	1,250	500	402
24	505	1,160	380	430	1,200	2,510	9,640	15,000	5,190	1,200	537	388
25	532	1,060	380	440	1,150	2,380	9,480	15,500	4,930	1,150	510	384
26	532	938	420	440	1,100	2,180	9,160	17,000	5,420	1,110	480	379
27	520	818	430	440	1,100	2,000	9,740	19,500	4,740	1,100	455	370
28	505	776	500	430	1,100	1,790	11,400	20,000	4,180	1,100	445	356
29	495	776	630	430	-	1,660	12,400	19,500	4,120	1,020	430	384
30	500	636	600	450	-	1,650	10,900	18,500	3,830	951	406	450
31	542	-	550	450	-	1,620	-	15,500	-	899	397	-

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

f Computed from partly estimated gage-height record.

h Computed from staff-gage reading.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice, Dec. 13 to Mar. 10. No gage-height record Dec. 26-30; Jan. 4-24, Jan. 31 to Feb. 2, May 11, 12, 14-21, May 23 to June 12, July 10-25; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for station near Lowell.

1949

Day	Discharge	Day	Discharge
Oct. 1	505	Oct. 4	425
2	505	5	581
3	455	6	740

Monthly discharge, in second-feet, 1948-49

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October 1948	17,893	800	465	577	0.372	0.43	35,490
November	22,209	1,160	505	740	.477	.53	44,050
December	18,932	824	375	611	.394	.45	37,550
Calendar year 1948	1,352,911	36,500	375	3,696	2.38	32.47	2,683,000
January 1949	14,290	560	370	461	.297	.34	28,340
February	18,460	1,200	430	659	.425	.44	36,610
March	59,000	3,270	1,100	1,871	1.21	1.39	115,000
April	201,260	12,400	1,700	6,709	4.33	4.83	399,200
May	547,050	28,500	8,440	17,650	11.4	13.13	1,085,000
June	264,470	15,000	3,830	8,816	5.69	6.35	524,600
July	82,960	3,550	899	2,031	1.31	1.51	124,900
August	19,012	860	397	613	.395	.46	37,710
September	13,459	734	356	449	.290	.32	26,700
Water year 1948-49	1,257,995	28,500	356	3,447	2.22	30.18	2,495,000
October 1-6, 1949	3,211	740	425	535	.345	.08	6,370

Selway River near Lowell, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 46°05', long. 115°31', in sec. 25, T. 32 N., R. 7 E., a quarter of a mile upstream from O'Hara Creek and 7 miles upstream from Lowell post office.

Drainage area.--1,910 square miles.

Records available.--April 1911 to September 1912 (gage heights or fragmentary discharge records only), October 1929 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--20 years (1929-49), 3,454 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 38,600 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 13.95 feet); minimum, 457 second-feet Sept. 28, 29 (gage height, 2.71 feet), but may have been less Feb. 11 as a result of snowslide upstream.

1929-49: Maximum discharge, 48,900 second-feet May 29, 1948 (gage height, 16.04 feet); minimum, probably less than 100 second-feet Jan. 8, 1937, during period of ice effect.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for period of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. Small diversions from headwaters.

Revisions.--W 1043: Drainage area.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	715	870	889	760	660	1,600	2,190	12,700	18,500	4,060	1,070	517
2	699	1,070	1,080	720	660	1,700	2,480	14,900	15,900	4,040	1,040	504
3	682	1,290	1,070	650	660	1,700	2,600	15,600	13,800	4,040	1,020	490
4	740	1,220	1,000	500	660	1,800	2,840	13,200	13,300	3,980	963	490
5	1,050	1,000	925	600	660	1,900	3,770	11,700	14,900	3,860	898	517
6	1,080	934	916	720	660	2,000	5,100	11,200	17,700	3,770	870	582
7	1,020	889	953	730	680	2,300	8,550	11,900	18,900	3,500	834	597
8	1,070	825	944	670	680	2,300	7,390	14,200	18,200	3,250	825	546
9	1,040	757	944	620	680	2,200	7,140	18,400	17,000	2,920	808	504
10	963	732	963	570	700	2,000	6,950	23,300	16,900	2,790	800	510
11	880	870	982	570	680	1,800	7,850	28,100	16,700	2,680	843	723
12	843	870	1,000	580	600	1,800	9,450	31,200	14,500	2,550	852	817
13	808	898	898	620	600	2,100	8,440	32,800	12,200	2,400	898	639
14	782	907	*720	660	640	2,300	7,170	35,700	11,100	2,250	925	604
15	774	992	780	660	700	2,400	6,820	34,400	10,100	2,150	834	582
16	765	1,020	820	660	760	2,900	7,530	36,800	9,320	2,050	791	861
17	740	992	620	640	920	3,100	9,260	32,700	8,570	1,940	748	916
18	740	934	500	640	1,000	3,500	11,300	27,400	7,620	1,840	748	715
19	732	898	550	640	920	4,000	13,000	23,800	7,060	1,740	800	628
20	723	816	900	640	860	4,500	12,100	25,500	6,600	1,710	740	582
21	707	934	1,000	640	800	4,100	10,500	23,400	6,370	1,690	674	546
22	699	992	900	600	1,200	3,800	9,260	21,000	7,190	1,610	658	531
23	691	1,210	580	600	1,800	3,450	9,390	20,000	6,920	1,520	659	517
24	699	1,570	500	600	1,700	*3,310	12,800	19,100	6,070	1,490	707	504
25	740	1,480	500	640	1,600	3,110	12,900	19,800	5,750	1,440	658	497
26	740	1,260	550	*640	1,550	2,860	12,300	21,700	6,420	1,420	620	490
27	732	1,130	580	640	1,550	2,620	13,200	24,700	5,630	1,410	597	484
28	715	1,060	660	600	1,550	2,360	15,400	25,000	4,910	1,370	582	470
29	699	1,040	820	600	-	2,180	16,900	24,200	4,830	1,310	567	497
30	699	925	800	620	-	2,120	14,900	23,300	4,480	1,210	539	604
31	757	-	720	660	-	2,090	-	19,800	-	1,140	524	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Runoff		
					Per square mile	Inches	Acres-feet
October	24,704	1,070	682	797	0.417	0.48	49,000
November	30,485	1,570	732	1,016	.532	.59	60,470
December	25,074	1,080	500	809	.424	.49	49,750
Calendar year 1948	1,713,654	45,300	500	4,682	2.45	33.36	3,398,000
January	19,690	760	500	635	.332	.38	39,050
February	26,130	1,800	600	933	.488	.51	51,830
March	79,700	4,500	1,600	2,570	1.35	1.55	158,100
April	267,590	16,900	2,190	8,920	4.67	5.21	530,800
May	695,300	36,800	11,200	22,450	11.7	13.54	1,379,000
June	327,440	18,900	4,480	10,910	5.71	6.38	649,500
July	73,130	4,060	2,359	1,24	1.24	1.42	145,100
August	24,091	1,070	524	777	.407	.47	47,780
September	17,524	916	470	584	.306	.34	34,760
Water year 1948-49	1,610,858	36,800	470	4,413	2.31	31.36	3,195,000

Peak discharge (base, 18,000 sec.-ft.)--May 16 (8 a.m.) 38,600 sec.-ft.; May 28 (2 a.m.) 27,100 sec.-ft.; June 7 (2:30 a.m.) 20,200 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 14 to about Mar. 10. No gage-height record Dec. 20-28, 30, 31, Jan. 4, 5, 11-24, Feb. 20-25, Mar. 6-22; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Clearwater River at Kamiah and South Fork Clearwater River near Grangeville.

Clearwater River at Kamiah, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 46°14', long. 116°01', in sec. 1, T. 33 N., R. 3 E., a quarter of a mile downstream from highway bridge at Kamiah, three-quarters of a mile downstream from Lawyer Creek, and 6 miles downstream from South Fork. Datum of gage is 1,162.52 feet above mean sea level, datum of 1929, supplementary adjustment of 1947.

Drainage area.--4,850 square miles.

Records available.--August 1910 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--39 years, 8,004 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 76,200 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 16.31 feet); minimum, 902 second-feet Dec. 24; minimum gage height, 3.33 feet Sept. 4. 1910-49: Maximum discharge, 99,000 second-feet May 29, 1948 (gage height, 19.22 feet); minimum, probably less than 200 second-feet Jan. 8, 1937, during period of ice effect.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those below 4,000 second-feet, which are good, or those for period of ice effect, which are fair. Some diurnal regulation at low stages caused by power plant on South Fork.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1,520	1,870	1,920	1,840	1,550	4,450	5,650	27,000	35,700	8,050	2,240	1,040
2	1,470	2,080	2,130	1,750	1,550	4,570	6,310	31,400	30,900	7,650	2,170	1,010
3	1,440	2,760	2,350	1,570	1,550	4,800	6,570	38,100	26,300	7,620	2,120	1,000
4	1,500	3,000	2,190	1,200	1,550	5,100	7,120	31,100	24,600	7,470	2,030	990
5	2,160	2,380	2,020	1,450	1,550	5,400	8,700	26,500	26,500	7,290	1,930	1,000
6	2,450	2,080	1,940	1,750	1,550	5,700	11,300	24,800	30,700	7,290	1,850	1,110
7	2,110	1,960	2,000	1,800	1,550	6,440	14,200	25,600	34,500	6,920	1,780	1,170
8	2,140	1,810	1,980	1,600	1,600	6,440	16,300	33,600	33,600	6,390	1,700	1,150
9	2,130	1,670	1,960	1,450	1,650	6,130	16,300	37,500	30,600	5,920	1,690	1,050
10	2,000	1,590	1,940	1,350	1,650	5,500	15,600	46,300	29,900	5,600	1,640	1,040
11	1,850	1,710	2,020	1,350	1,600	5,130	17,300	54,800	29,600	5,350	1,630	1,250
12	1,740	1,850	2,140	1,400	1,450	5,250	20,200	62,200	26,200	5,180	1,700	1,850
13	1,870	1,850	1,980	1,500	1,450	5,580	18,800	64,900	22,100	4,920	1,730	1,670
14	1,630	1,940	1,600	1,600	1,550	6,650	16,000	66,300	20,200	4,580	1,840	1,430
15	1,570	2,060	1,780	1,600	1,700	6,730	15,100	67,400	18,400	4,350	1,720	1,290
16	1,560	2,240	*1,850	1,600	1,900	7,740	16,100	72,300	17,100	4,140	1,560	1,670
17	1,340	2,140	1,320	1,550	2,300	8,210	19,500	66,000	16,000	3,900	1,500	2,530
18	1,510	2,060	1,040	1,550	2,500	8,600	25,600	57,400	14,800	3,660	1,440	1,990
19	1,510	1,940	1,170	1,550	2,300	10,300	27,200	49,600	15,600	3,470	1,470	1,550
20	1,500	1,980	1,980	1,550	2,100	11,600	26,400	51,500	12,700	3,390	1,550	1,390
21	1,500	2,080	2,210	1,550	2,000	11,200	23,500	49,500	12,000	3,470	1,430	1,290
22	1,450	2,030	1,880	1,450	3,000	10,100	21,400	43,700	12,700	3,290	1,330	1,240
23	1,450	2,620	1,570	1,450	5,500	9,210	21,200	40,800	12,800	3,070	1,290	1,200
24	1,500	3,570	1,090	1,450	5,200	*8,670	27,500	38,200	11,500	2,940	1,340	1,150
25	1,670	3,310	1,090	1,500	*4,700	8,150	27,900	38,600	10,800	2,880	1,400	1,150
26	1,630	2,940	1,230	1,500	4,500	7,410	26,200	41,800	11,400	2,780	1,310	1,120
27	1,630	2,570	1,300	*1,500	4,450	6,790	27,000	47,700	11,500	2,800	1,240	1,110
28	1,570	2,290	1,470	1,450	4,400	6,210	31,000	49,100	9,660	2,820	1,200	1,090
29	1,540	2,240	1,900	1,450	-	5,720	35,400	46,500	9,210	2,730	1,150	1,100
30	1,470	2,050	1,850	1,500	-	5,620	32,000	45,200	9,080	2,510	1,120	1,360
31	1,560	-	1,770	1,550	-	5,500	-	38,200	-	2,370	1,070	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October	51,970	2,450	1,440	1,676	0.346	0.40	103,100
November	66,870	3,570	1,590	2,229	.460	.51	132,600
December	54,470	2,350	1,040	1,757	.362	.42	108,000
Calendar year 1948	3,903,600	94,000	1,040	10,670	2.20	29.94	7,742,000
January	47,360	1,840	1,200	1,528	.315	.36	93,940
February	68,400	5,500	1,450	2,443	.504	.52	135,700
March	214,900	11,600	4,450	6,932	1.43	1.65	426,200
April	581,350	35,400	5,650	19,380	4.00	4.46	1,153,000
May	1,409,300	72,300	24,800	45,460	9.37	10.81	2,795,000
June	604,650	35,700	9,080	20,160	4.16	4.64	1,199,000
July	144,800	8,050	2,370	4,671	.963	1.11	287,200
August	49,170	2,240	1,070	1,586	.327	.38	97,530
September	36,890	2,530	990	1,300	.268	.30	77,340
Water year 1948-49	3,332,230	72,300	990	9,129	1.88	25.56	6,609,000

Peak discharge (base, 28,200 sec.-ft.)--Apr. 29 (1 p.m.) 36,500 sec.-ft.; May 3 (2:30 a.m.) 41,100 sec.-ft.; May 16 (12 m.) 76,200 sec.-ft.; May 28 (6:30 a.m.) 51,900 sec.-ft.; June 7 (6:30 a.m.) 36,800 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Jan. 4 to Mar. 6. No gage-height record Oct. 21-24, Jan. 11-26; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for other stations in Clearwater River Basin and nearby streams.

Clearwater River at Spalding, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 46°25', long. 116°51', in lot 22, sec. 22, T. 36 N., R. 4 W., a quarter of a mile downstream from Lapwai Creek and three-eighths of a mile northwest of Spalding post office.

Drainage area.--9,570 square miles.

Records available.--March 1926 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--23 years, 14,510 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 123,000 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 19.81 feet); minimum, 2,070 second-feet Sept. 5 (gage height, 2.70 feet).
1926-49: Maximum discharge, 177,000 second-feet May 29, 1948; maximum gage height, 25.6 feet Jan. 5, 1928 (present site and datum), from floodmark (ice jam); minimum discharge, probably less than 500 second-feet Jan. 9, 1937, during period of ice effect.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of ice effect, which are fair. Small diversions from tributaries; slight diurnal fluctuation at times caused by power plant on South Fork.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	3,230	3,640	4,700	4,400	3,800	13,300	14,100	53,600	54,800	14,100	4,560	2,310
2	3,130	4,310	4,820	3,800	3,800	13,600	15,800	59,100	50,100	13,100	4,400	2,250
3	3,050	5,140	5,370	3,700	3,800	14,100	16,400	79,400	42,400	12,800	4,310	2,200
4	3,010	6,790	5,370	3,100	3,800	15,200	17,700	63,000	39,400	12,500	4,130	2,170
5	3,470	6,040	4,990	3,500	3,800	16,000	21,600	52,400	40,500	12,200	3,960	2,150
6	5,290	4,920	4,730	4,300	3,800	16,800	26,500	47,200	45,700	12,100	3,810	2,200
7	5,090	4,440	4,750	4,400	3,900	17,900	33,300	46,900	51,200	12,100	3,680	2,330
8	4,380	4,200	4,800	3,800	4,000	18,400	38,600	52,200	51,200	11,100	3,550	2,340
9	4,200	3,870	4,730	3,500	4,000	16,700	38,900	63,800	46,500	10,300	3,490	2,260
10	4,130	3,530	4,540	3,200	4,200	15,500	36,600	78,300	44,400	9,750	3,430	2,180
11	3,870	3,600	4,490	3,300	4,000	14,900	39,400	92,100	43,900	9,360	3,350	2,230
12	3,620	3,850	5,040	3,400	3,700	15,600	45,400	103,000	40,200	9,020	3,350	2,920
13	3,430	3,870	5,020	3,600	3,500	16,000	42,700	110,000	34,800	8,680	3,350	3,550
14	3,370	4,070	4,420	3,900	4,300	18,600	36,200	112,000	31,400	8,190	3,410	2,980
15	3,270	4,240	4,090	4,000	4,800	18,600	33,000	113,000	29,000	7,780	3,450	2,670
16	3,210	4,850	4,290	4,000	5,500	22,000	34,500	117,000	26,900	7,440	3,210	3,010
17	3,130	4,900	3,530	3,800	6,500	23,200	40,500	110,000	25,400	7,080	3,030	5,450
18	3,050	4,680	2,600	3,700	8,000	25,100	48,800	96,100	24,200	6,790	2,940	4,540
19	3,030	4,470	2,800	3,700	7,000	23,100	56,300	81,100	21,800	6,470	2,840	3,350
20	3,050	4,380	3,740	3,700	6,000	25,800	58,000	78,000	20,600	6,270	2,900	2,810
21	3,030	4,440	5,220	3,700	5,000	25,000	50,900	77,900	19,400	6,320	2,920	2,580
22	2,980	4,470	4,940	3,500	8,000	23,000	45,100	69,900	19,300	6,320	2,740	2,440
23	2,940	4,940	3,850	3,500	12,000	27,400	43,200	65,900	19,800	5,900	2,620	2,380
24	2,920	7,750	3,150	3,500	17,000	24,800	52,500	61,900	18,600	5,630	2,580	2,330
25	3,130	9,780	2,600	3,600	16,000	22,800	54,500	61,300	17,400	5,550	2,680	2,260
26	3,510	7,970	2,900	3,600	13,500	19,800	50,200	64,100	17,000	5,420	2,680	2,250
27	3,490	6,520	3,500	3,600	13,800	17,600	50,400	71,800	18,600	5,370	2,530	2,230
28	3,450	5,710	3,500	3,500	13,300	15,700	56,000	74,800	16,300	5,390	2,500	2,180
29	3,330	5,370	4,600	3,500	-	14,200	67,600	71,400	15,100	5,420	2,480	2,220
30	3,230	5,090	4,600	3,600	-	13,900	64,600	68,000	15,500	5,120	2,450	2,150
31	3,210	-	4,400	3,800	-	13,700	-	59,900	-	4,820	2,340	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff Inches	Acres-feet
October	107,230	5,290	2,920	3,459	0.361	0.42	212,700
November	151,830	9,780	3,530	5,061	.529	.59	301,200
December	131,680	5,370	2,600	4,248	.444	.51	261,200
Calendar year 1948	7,799,010	166,000	2,600	21,310	2.23	30.33	15,470,000
January	114,300	4,400	3,100	3,687	.385	.44	226,700
February	190,600	17,000	3,500	6,807	.711	.74	378,000
March	616,500	35,800	15,500	19,890	2.08	2.40	1,225,000
April	1,229,300	67,600	14,100	40,860	4.28	4.78	2,458,000
May	2,354,900	117,000	46,900	75,960	7.94	9.15	4,671,000
June	941,700	54,800	15,100	31,390	3.29	3.66	1,868,000
July	258,390	14,100	4,820	8,355	.871	1.00	512,500
August	99,610	4,560	2,340	3,212	.356	.39	197,600
September	78,920	5,450	2,150	2,631	.275	.31	156,500
Water year 1948-49	6,274,960	117,000	2,150	17,190	1.90	24.39	12,450,000

Peak discharge (base, 51,000 sec.-ft.).--Apr. 20 (2:30 a.m.) 59,800 sec.-ft.; Apr. 29 (4 p.m.) 71,800 sec.-ft.; May 3 (4:30 p.m.) 84,700 sec.-ft.; May 16 (4 p.m.) 123,000 sec.-ft.; May 28 (1 p.m.) 78,900 sec.-ft.; June 7 (2:30 p.m.) 54,400 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

g Computed from graph based on gage readings and shape of recorder graph for stations upstream.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 18, 19, Dec. 25 to Feb. 26.

CLEARWATER RIVER BASIN

Lochsa River near Lowell, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 46°09', long. 115°35', in SW¹/₄SE¹/₄ sec. 33, T. 33 N., R. 7 E., three-quarters of a mile upstream from Lowell post office, seven-eighths of a mile upstream from mouth, and 1¹/₂ miles downstream from Pete King Creek.

Drainage area.--1,180 square miles

Records available.--November 1910 to August 1912, October 1929 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--20 years (1929-49), 2,596 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 29,600 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 12.27 feet); minimum, 326 second-feet Sept. 10 (gage height, 1.68 feet).
1929-49: Maximum discharge, 34,800 second-feet June 10, 1933 (gage height, 13.44 feet), from rating curve extended above 25,000 second-feet; minimum, probably less than 100 second-feet Jan. 8, 1937, during period of ice effect.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. No diversion.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)

1.6	270	4.2	3,360	9.0	15,800
2.0	560	5.0	4,780	10.0	19,700
2.4	900	6.0	9,980	11.9	27,900
2.9	1,440	7.0	9,590		
3.5	2,250	8.0	12,500		

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	468	624	696	640	540	1,100	1,690	9,000	12,900	2,900	801	361
2	452	756	747	800	540	1,140	1,920	11,600	10,900	2,770	783	354
3	445	1,010	747	540	540	1,200	1,970	112,600	9,430	2,740	756	347
4	576	970	704	410	540	1,280	2,260	11,000	9,130	2,680	720	354
5	891	747	656	500	540	1,340	2,840	9,500	10,100	2,610	688	368
6	837	664	672	600	540	1,450	3,550	9,000	11,800	2,660	672	368
7	720	632	680	620	560	1,270	4,450	9,400	12,800	2,480	640	361
8	729	584	656	560	560	1,700	5,030	11,000	12,200	2,250	624	347
9	738	520	656	500	580	1,540	5,010	14,000	11,200	2,090	616	333
10	680	560	664	460	580	1,290	4,930	17,000	10,900	1,970	600	340
11	624	576	688	470	580	1,210	5,500	20,000	10,700	1,980	584	504
12	592	596	696	490	500	1,280	6,140	25,700	9,370	1,780	592	608
13	560	656	648	540	500	1,420	5,530	24,200	7,950	1,700	608	512
14	544	664	*560	560	540	1,680	4,870	24,700	7,290	1,600	608	438
15	528	774	620	560	600	1,560	4,830	25,500	6,630	1,510	568	410
16	504	765	640	560	660	1,730	5,400	27,600	6,120	1,440	536	846
17	496	729	460	540	800	1,810	6,580	24,700	5,760	1,360	512	990
18	488	672	370	540	880	2,060	7,790	20,700	5,230	1,290	496	688
19	480	648	430	540	800	2,760	8,750	18,000	4,930	1,220	528	552
20	480	672	680	540	740	3,220	8,230	16,800	4,660	1,230	536	496
21	473	680	770	540	740	3,090	7,340	17,200	4,360	1,260	504	459
22	459	738	670	500	1,000	2,810	6,730	15,400	4,520	1,170	473	438
23	445	1,000	480	500	1,200	2,610	7,090	14,500	4,410	1,070	459	424
24	466	1,460	380	500	1,200	*2,490	9,100	13,800	4,050	1,020	504	405
25	536	1,180	380	520	1,150	2,320	8,690	14,200	5,780	1,010	504	399
26	504	970	430	*520	1,100	2,100	8,620	15,700	4,090	980	459	382
27	504	837	450	520	*1,100	1,920	9,270	17,700	4,000	1,000	438	375
28	480	783	500	500	1,100	1,730	10,800	18,100	3,430	1,020	424	361
29	459	765	650	500	-	1,600	12,200	16,600	3,340	960	403	389
30	452	688	640	520	-	1,570	10,700	16,400	3,210	891	375	452
31	528	-	620	540	-	1,550	-	13,800	-	846	375	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October	17,136	891	445	553	0.469	0.54	33,990
November	22,916	1,460	520	764	.647	.72	45,450
December	18,640	770	370	601	.509	.59	36,970
Calendar year 1948	1,303,714	31,900	370	3,562	3.02	41.08	2,586,000
January	16,430	640	410	530	.449	.52	32,590
February	20,670	1,200	500	758	.625	.65	41,000
March	56,230	3,220	1,100	1,614	1.54	1.77	111,500
April	188,010	12,200	1,690	6,267	5.31	5.93	372,900
May	515,400	27,600	9,000	16,630	14.1	16.24	1,022,000
June	219,290	12,900	3,210	7,310	6.19	6.91	435,000
July	51,387	2,900	846	1,658	1.41	1.62	101,900
August	17,400	801	375	561	.475	.55	34,510
September	13,649	990	333	455	.386	.43	27,070
Water year 1948-49	1,157,158	27,300	333	3,170	2.69	36.47	2,295,000

Peak discharge (base, 12,000 sec.-ft.).--Apr. 29 (8:30 a.m.) 12,600 sec.-ft.; May 2 (9 p.m.) 14,100 sec.-ft.; May 16 (8:30 a.m.) 29,600 sec.-ft.; May 28 (4 a.m.) 19,400 sec.-ft.; June 7 (5 a.m.) 13,600 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

† Computed from partly estimated gage-height record.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 14, 15, Dec. 17 to Mar. 7. No gage-height record Dec. 25-27, Jan. 8-16, Feb. 1, May 4-11; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Selway River near Lowell and other stations in Clearwater River Basin.

South Fork Clearwater River near Elk City, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°49', long. 115°32', in NE¼ sec. 25, T. 29 N., R. 7 E., just upstream from bridge on road to Orogrande, 0.2 mile upstream from Crooked River and 4½ miles west of Elk City. Prior to June 23, 1949, wire-weight gage 24 feet downstream at datum 6.14 feet lower.

Drainage area.--261 square miles.

Records available.--September 1944 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 2,200 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 11.70 feet, site and datum then in use); minimum, 29 second-feet Sept. 1-4 (gage height, 1.41 feet, present site and datum).
1944-49: Maximum discharge observed, 3,700 second-feet May 29, 1948 (gage height, 13.06 feet, site and datum then in use); minimum daily, 17 second-feet Dec. 11, 1944.

Remarks.--Records fair except those for periods of ice effect or no gage height record, which are poor. No diversion or regulation above station except for mining operations.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	50	78	78	a65	a45	75	190	a1,050	845	155	47	30
2	48	92	78	a60	a45	80	209	1,300	795	150	47	29
3	a48	45	78	a55	a45	85	a210	1,300	660	139	45	29
4	53	124	78	a45	a45	90	258	1,220	620	132	43	29
5	98	112	a80	a50	a46	100	451	1,100	a660	126	41	32
6	97	97	81	a58	a46	a105	620	1,060	535	137	40	40
7	90	a90	86	a60	a44	110	690	1,050	520	124	38	42
8	76	86	83	a58	a44	105	755	a1,200	495	112	38	35
9	74	62	81	a50	a44	100	710	1,330	422	106	38	33
10	a70	44	81	a45	a45	90	a760	1,460	385	99	38	34
11	68	45	85	a45	a46	95	1,000	1,700	367	99	42	58
12	63	58	a85	a46	a45	90	1,050	1,840	a330	114	46	80
13	59	68	65	a48	a48	a95	898	1,920	304	95	54	54
14	54	a80	62	a50	a47	105	750	1,820	273	88	50	42
15	45	90	80	a50	a49	115	765	a1,900	258	84	43	38
16	43	90	a75	a50	a49	140	969	1,990	233	82	40	53
17	a40	85	a55	a49	a49	160	a1,080	1,810	236	76	38	68
18	38	81	a45	a49	a52	180	1,190	1,550	265	73	38	44
19	38	80	a70	a49	a54	210	1,210	1,450	a240	68	45	40
20	42	81	a75	a45	a47	a300	1,170	1,800	226	70	42	38
21	41	a85	a70	a45	a52	296	1,080	1,480	200	74	38	36
22	41	88	a60	a45	a56	254	1,040	a1,400	209	68	35	35
23	38	95	a45	a45	a70	*260	1,190	1,340	222	64	35	35
24	a50	133	a45	a42	*70	250	a1,450	1,220	201	63	40	34
25	70	127	a45	a50	70	226	1,330	1,150	186	61	38	33
26	60	114	a45	a52	70	216	1,250	1,080	259	59	35	35
27	59	108	a50	a50	a70	a185	1,260	1,060	228	60	33	34
28	56	a100	a60	a46	70	162	1,330	1,010	188	60	32	32
29	49	81	a60	a46	-	149	1,450	a1,030	188	57	33	36
30	47	81	a60	a45	-	176	1,270	1,050	183	53	32	56
31	a50	-	a60	a45	-	167	-	886	-	49	30	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October	1,745	97	38	56.3	0.216	0.25	3,460
November	2,700	145	44	90.0	.345	.38	5,360
December	2,101	86	45	67.8	.260	.30	4,170
Calendar year 1948	136,527	3,700	38	373	1.43	19.45	270,800
January	1,552	65	42	49.6	.190	.22	3,050
February	1,463	70	44	52.2	.200	.21	2,900
March	4,761	300	75	154	.590	.68	9,440
April	27,585	1,450	190	920	3.52	3.93	54,710
May	42,566	1,990	886	1,373	5.26	6.07	84,430
June	10,733	845	183	358	1.37	1.53	21,290
July	2,797	155	49	90.2	.346	.40	5,550
August	1,252	54	30	39.7	.152	.18	2,440
September	1,214	80	29	40.5	.155	.17	2,410
Water year 1948-49	100,435	1,990	29	275	1.05	14.32	199,200

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

a No gage-height record; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for station near Grangeville.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 13 to Mar. 24.

CLEARWATER RIVER BASIN

South Fork Clearwater River near Grangeville, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 45°55', long. 116°01', in SE¼NW¼ sec. 30, T. 30 N., R. 4 E., just downstream from powerhouse of Washington Water Power Co. and 6 miles southeast of Grangeville.

Drainage area.--865 square miles.

Records available.--November 1910 to September 1916, April 1923 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--30 years (1912-16, 1923-49), 834 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 6,170 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 9.06 feet); minimum, 10 second-feet Oct. 15 (gage height, 1.96 feet); minimum daily, 111 second-feet Sept. 28.

1910-16, 1923-49: Maximum discharge observed, 12,600 second-feet May 29, 1948 (gage height, 12.50 feet); no flow part of day Aug. 27, 1947; minimum daily, 41 second-feet Nov. 22, 1931.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods computed on basis of staff-gage readings and those for periods of ice effect, which are fair. Considerable diurnal fluctuation at low stages caused by power plant just above station. No diversion for irrigation.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by Washington Water Power Co. in connection with a Federal Power Commission project.

Revisions.--W 633: Drainage area.

Rating table, water year 1948-49, except periods of ice effect
(gage height, in feet, and discharge, in second-feet)
(Shifting-control method used Oct. 1-15)

2.7	105	3.6	393	6.0	2,200
2.8	125	4.0	603	7.0	3,390
3.0	175	4.5	905	8.0	4,740
3.3	267	5.0	1,270	9.0	6,090

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	216	294	238	253	204	b350	548	3,430	3,060	771	226	126
2	210	349	282	223	204	375	659	4,260	2,610	711	220	128
3	198	489	278	216	204	375	659	4,660	2,490	636	213	123
4	207	437	260	186	204	379	783	3,970	2,340	648	201	120
5	234	326	h213	187	207	418	1,020	3,490	2,390	625	193	145
6	301	282	h256	242	204	447	1,420	3,260	2,490	688	187	158
7	267	h264	h260	250	198	458	1,790	3,310	2,550	614	170	164
8	278	h204	h229	232	198	442	2,030	3,620	2,370	559	181	139
9	239	h201	h238	196	201	413	1,940	4,160	2,160	532	176	141
10	223	h216	h246	184	207	375	2,020	4,740	2,090	499	173	141
11	220	h278	h253	187	210	356	2,370	5,390	1,990	478	193	195
12	204	h242	h256	198	198	370	2,700	5,820	1,800	516	195	290
13	213	h256	h201	213	216	398	2,330	5,880	1,640	452	220	223
14	204	h275	h190	223	207	437	2,010	5,920	1,510	427	226	158
15	f199	h290	h253	223	216	489	2,010	5,860	1,410	398	190	166
16	h213	h297	h226	223	216	609	2,190	6,000	1,310	388	173	269
17	h190	h305	166	220	213	688	2,670	5,720	1,360	352	173	275
18	h213	h260	146	220	226	759	3,210	4,920	1,370	347	168	193
19	213	275	229	213	239	916	3,610	4,700	1,250	334	168	160
20	204	278	256	*220	210	1,020	3,560	5,620	1,110	330	179	148
21	h195	271	246	204	226	962	3,300	5,110	1,040	339	166	136
22	h181	267	210	198	246	884	3,220	4,710	1,090	318	148	151
23	h176	347	160	207	330	*820	3,470	4,500	1,070	305	153	118
24	h193	370	166	184	339	796	4,350	4,170	956	286	160	119
25	h236	347	166	b210	*322	753	4,030	4,010	890	294	166	130
26	232	h271	168	b210	b310	688	3,670	4,000	1,170	282	150	135
27	220	h250	190	b210	b320	625	3,770	3,970	1,080	290	150	146
28	216	h271	232	b210	b330	581	4,140	3,880	890	275	135	111
29	213	h256	236	210	-	521	4,400	3,730	903	275	133	172
30	207	226	236	207	-	559	3,930	3,490	890	246	138	196
31	221	-	232	207	-	548	-	3,200	-	226	131	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff Inches	Runoff Acre-feet
October	6,736	301	176	217	0.251	0.29	13,360
November	6,694	489	201	290	0.335	.37	17,240
December	6,919	282	146	223	0.258	.30	13,720
Calendar year 1948	525,462	11,300	146	1,440	1.66	22.58	1,042,000
January	6,548	253	166	211	.244	.28	12,990
February	6,605	339	198	236	.273	.28	13,100
March	17,811	1,020	350	575	.665	.77	35,330
April	77,809	4,400	548	2,584	3.00	3.35	154,500
May	139,500	6,000	3,200	4,500	5.20	6.00	276,700
June	49,479	3,060	890	1,649	1.91	2.13	98,140
July	13,481	771	226	435	.503	.58	26,740
August	5,455	226	131	176	.203	.23	10,820
September	4,876	290	111	163	.188	.21	9,670
Water year 1948-49	343,913	6,000	111	942	1.09	14.79	682,100

Peak discharge (base, 3,200 sec.-ft.).--Apr. 29 (8 a.m.), 4,510 sec.-ft.; May 2 (10 p.m.), 5,190 sec.-ft.; May 16 (9 to 10 p.m.), 6,170 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

c Computed on basis of partly estimated gage-height record.

d Computed on basis of twice-daily staff-gage readings.

North Fork Clearwater River at Bungalow ranger station, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 46°38', long. 115°30', in sec. 18, T. 38 N., R. 8 E., at Bungalow ranger station, 300 feet downstream from mouth of Orogrande Creek, 1,000 feet downstream from steel highway bridge, and 17 miles northeast of Pierce.

Drainage area.--996 square miles.

Records available.--September 1944 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 23,500 second-feet May 16 (gage height, 9.62 feet); minimum daily, 360 second-feet Jan. 4, 10; minimum gage height, 2.50 feet Dec. 10.

1944-49: Maximum discharge, 27,400 second-feet May 29, 1948 (gage height, 11.13 feet); minimum daily, 350 second-feet Dec. 12, 1944.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for periods of ice effect or no gage-height record, which are fair. No diversion or regulation above station.

Cooperation.--Water-stage recorder inspected by U. S. Forest Service ranger at Bungalow ranger station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	720	815	903	570	410	1,150	1,550	8,660	10,400	2,450	936	570
2	710	947	947	500	410	1,200	1,830	10,900	9,080	2,320	936	562
3	700	1,420	925	430	410	1,250	1,830	10,800	8,220	2,240	903	562
4	947	1,110	837	360	410	1,300	2,140	9,260	8,080	2,160	870	562
5	1,310	903	782	380	410	1,350	2,820	8,250	8,650	2,110	848	588
6	1,000	848	826	500	410	1,400	3,600	8,050	9,370	2,180	837	588
7	958	793	804	520	420	1,450	4,750	8,830	9,660	1,980	815	570
8	947	760	804	450	420	1,450	5,190	10,200	9,160	1,830	815	554
9	859	651	730	390	440	1,400	5,040	12,600	8,420	1,760	804	546
10	815	771	740	360	440	1,300	5,190	14,800	8,050	1,700	782	554
11	782	771	848	370	410	1,250	5,990	17,400	7,720	1,650	771	740
12	826	740	859	390	380	1,300	6,580	19,000	6,960	1,820	771	750
13	750	826	859	410	380	1,300	5,660	20,100	6,240	1,520	804	615
14	730	804	740	410	410	1,350	4,920	20,700	5,750	1,460	771	588
15	730	958	700	450	500	1,310	5,010	21,800	5,300	1,420	740	579
16	700	870	730	450	650	1,480	5,810	21,400	4,900	1,370	720	1,400
17	700	859	500	430	700	1,520	7,090	19,900	4,780	1,310	700	925
18	700	782	400	420	750	1,800	8,150	17,100	4,200	1,270	700	710
19	690	771	420	420	700	2,450	8,740	15,500	3,900	1,230	740	642
20	690	815	680	420	650	3,050	7,950	14,900	3,650	1,310	710	606
21	680	771	780	420	600	2,840	7,060	14,000	3,500	1,300	670	588
22	680	903	670	*390	850	2,470	6,580	13,100	3,430	1,190	651	579
23	660	1,100	470	390	1,400	2,330	7,090	12,800	3,300	1,150	660	570
24	670	1,460	380	390	1,300	2,240	8,980	12,400	3,160	1,150	710	570
25	760	1,150	370	400	1,250	2,090	8,490	12,700	3,010	1,140	670	582
26	690	992	410	400	1,200	1,870	8,320	13,500	3,100	1,110	651	562
27	700	903	430	400	1,150	1,710	9,020	14,500	2,900	1,130	633	546
28	670	881	480	380	1,150	1,540	10,300	14,200	2,870	1,140	606	530
29	660	848	600	380	-	1,420	11,600	13,100	2,850	1,040	597	530
30	651	782	580	400	-	1,430	10,100	12,000	2,720	.992	588	579
31	760	-	550	410	-	1,380	-	10,800	-	.958	579	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	23,845	1,310	651	769	0.772	0.89	47,300
November	27,004	1,460	651	900	.904	1.01	53,560
December	20,754	947	370	669	.672	.77	41,160
Calendar year 1948	1,223,421	25,200	370	3,343	3.36	45.67	2,427,000
January	13,020	570	360	420	.422	.49	25,820
February	18,610	1,400	380	665	.668	.69	36,910
March	51,380	3,050	1,150	1,657	1.66	1.82	101,900
April	187,380	11,600	1,550	6,246	6.27	7.00	371,700
May	433,050	21,800	8,050	13,970	14.0	16.17	896,800
June	173,230	10,400	2,670	5,774	5.80	6.47	343,600
July	47,190	2,450	958	1,522	1.53	1.76	93,600
August	22,988	936	579	742	.745	.86	45,600
September	18,827	1,400	530	628	.631	.70	37,340
Water year 1948-49	1,037,278	21,800	360	2,842	2.85	38.73	2,057,000

Peak discharge (base, 9,000 sec.-ft.).--Apr. 19 (1 a.m.) 9,190 sec.-ft.; Apr. 29 (4 a.m.) 12,000 sec.-ft.; May 2 (4:30 a.m.) 12,200 sec.-ft.; May 16 (12:30 a.m.) 23,500 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 14 to Mar. 14 (no gage-height record Jan. 8-21, Feb. 7-10; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for station near Ahsahka and nearby streams).

CLEARWATER RIVER BASIN

North Fork Clearwater River near Ahsahka, Idaho

Location.--Water-stage recorder, lat. 46°31', long. 116°18', in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 26, T. 37 N., R. 1 E., at Bruce's Eddy, $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles northeast of Ahsahka and 2 miles upstream from mouth.

Drainage area.--2,440 square miles.

Records available.--August 1926 to September 1949.

Average discharge.--23 years, 5,400 second-feet.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge during year, 42,900 second-feet May 15 (gage height, 22.14 feet); minimum daily, 950 second-feet Dec. 18, 24, 25; minimum gage height, 2.69 feet Sept. 9, 10, 30.

1926-49: Maximum discharge, 100,000 second-feet Dec. 23, 1933 (gage height, 35.5 feet, from floodmarks), from rating curve extended above 24,000 second-feet by logarithmic plotting; minimum, probably less than 250 second-feet Jan. 8, 1937, during period of ice effect.

Remarks.--Records excellent except those for period of ice effect, which are fair. No diversion or regulation above station.

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1,440	1,720	1,890	1,700	1,400	4,220	5,320	20,500	18,000	5,000	1,930	1,140
2	1,420	1,890	2,020	1,550	1,400	4,300	6,090	25,300	16,400	4,690	1,890	1,120
3	1,400	2,660	2,150	1,300	1,400	4,450	6,230	27,800	14,400	4,500	1,850	1,110
4	1,480	3,020	2,050	1,100	1,400	4,650	6,940	22,600	13,900	4,360	1,790	1,100
5	2,510	2,200	1,890	1,200	1,400	4,900	8,750	19,200	14,500	4,270	1,730	1,100
6	2,370	1,910	1,810	1,600	1,400	5,100	10,900	17,900	15,700	4,300	1,680	1,120
7	1,930	1,800	1,870	1,650	1,450	5,250	14,000	18,600	16,800	4,190	1,650	1,120
8	1,890	1,710	1,840	1,450	1,450	5,150	16,000	21,400	16,300	3,860	1,610	1,110
9	1,780	1,580	1,800	1,300	1,500	4,980	15,600	26,400	14,900	3,670	1,590	1,070
10	1,650	1,470	1,660	1,200	1,500	4,600	15,100	31,400	13,100	3,530	1,580	1,070
11	1,560	1,610	1,740	1,250	1,400	4,380	17,100	35,500	13,800	3,440	1,550	1,180
12	1,510	1,640	1,930	1,300	1,300	4,510	19,200	38,400	12,700	3,340	1,520	1,510
13	1,480	1,610	1,960	1,350	1,300	4,680	17,000	40,200	11,400	3,220	1,520	1,440
14	1,450	1,730	1,760	1,450	1,400	5,280	14,600	40,700	10,500	3,060	1,550	1,240
15	1,440	1,870	1,660	1,500	1,700	5,150	13,800	41,300	9,760	2,920	1,500	1,180
16	1,400	2,090	*1,760	1,500	2,000	5,620	15,100	41,300	9,120	2,860	1,460	2,100
17	1,380	1,970	1,200	1,450	2,400	6,440	18,000	37,700	8,700	2,710	1,410	2,770
18	1,380	1,850	950	1,400	2,700	7,310	21,300	32,900	8,040	2,640	1,390	1,750
19	1,380	1,770	1,050	1,400	2,500	10,300	24,600	28,800	7,400	2,560	1,380	1,390
20	1,370	1,780	1,700	1,400	2,300	12,600	23,700	26,900	7,010	2,500	1,390	1,260
21	1,360	1,800	2,000	1,400	2,000	12,600	19,900	25,300	6,730	2,640	1,360	1,200
22	1,350	1,800	1,700	1,300	3,000	10,900	17,800	23,400	6,620	2,500	1,310	1,150
23	1,350	2,370	1,200	1,300	4,900	9,640	17,900	22,700	6,380	2,360	1,280	1,150
24	1,360	3,790	950	*1,300	4,650	8,830	21,700	21,600	6,160	2,320	1,300	1,130
25	1,560	3,690	950	1,350	4,400	*8,150	20,900	21,700	5,910	2,360	1,350	1,120
26	1,560	2,890	1,100	1,350	*4,260	7,250	19,200	22,900	5,890	2,280	1,280	1,120
27	1,510	2,390	1,150	1,350	4,200	6,620	19,900	25,200	5,890	2,300	1,240	1,110
28	1,470	2,180	1,300	1,300	4,200	5,910	23,000	25,500	5,380	2,360	1,250	1,080
29	1,420	2,150	1,700	1,300	-	5,350	27,600	23,700	5,410	2,270	1,200	1,070
30	1,390	1,990	1,650	1,350	-	5,200	25,100	21,300	5,760	2,100	1,180	1,070
31	1,440	-	1,600	1,400	-	5,070	-	19,000	-	2,000	1,170	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acres-feet
October	47,990	2,510	1,350	1,548	0.634	0.73	95,190
November	62,930	3,790	1,470	2,098	.860	.96	124,800
December	49,990	2,150	950	1,613	.661	.76	99,150
Calendar year 1948	2,674,070	52,000	950	7,306	2.99	40.76	5,304,000
January	42,750	1,700	1,100	1,379	.565	.65	84,790
February	64,910	4,900	1,300	2,318	.950	.99	128,700
March	199,370	12,600	4,220	6,431	2.64	3.04	395,400
April	502,310	27,600	5,320	16,740	6.86	7.66	896,500
May	847,100	41,300	17,900	27,530	11.2	12.91	1,680,000
June	313,560	18,000	5,380	10,450	4.28	4.78	621,900
July	97,110	5,000	2,000	3,133	1.28	1.48	192,600
August	45,870	1,930	1,170	1,480	.607	.70	90,980
September	38,080	2,770	1,070	1,269	.520	.58	75,530
Water year 1948-49	2,311,870	41,300	950	6,334	2.60	35.24	4,585,000

Peak discharge (base, 18,000 sec.-ft.),--Apr. 12 (12 m.) 19,600 sec.-ft.; Apr. 19 (11 p.m.) 25,300 sec.-ft.; Apr. 29 (11:30 a.m.) 29,100 sec.-ft.; May 2 (11 p.m.) 39,900 sec.-ft.; May 15 (10 a.m.) 42,900 sec.-ft.

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 17 to Mar. 6 (no gage-height record Jan. 2-5, 7, 10-14; discharge computed on basis of weather records and records for Clearwater River at Kamiah and at Spalding and other nearby streams.

CLEARWATER RIVER BASIN

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Potlatch Creek at Kendrick, Idaho

Location.--Wire-weight gage, lat. 46°37', long. 116°39', in NW¼ sec. 25, T. 38 N., R. 3 W., at Mill Street Bridge in Kendrick, 0.9 mile downstream from Bear Creek and 3.2 miles upstream from Middle Potlatch Creek.

Drainage area.--460 square miles.

Records available.--October 1945 to September 1949.

Extremes.--Maximum discharge observed during year, 5,480 second-feet Mar. 19 (gage height, 9.57 feet); minimum observed, 6.1 second-feet Aug. 23; minimum gage height observed, 3.49 feet Sept. 28.

1945-49: Maximum discharge observed, 13,000 second-feet Feb. 26, 1948 (gage height, 12.6 feet, from floodmarks), by slope-area method; minimum observed, 4.3 second-feet Aug. 25; minimum gage height observed, 3.28 feet Oct. 12-16, 1945.

Remarks.--Records fair except those for periods of ice effect, which are poor. Gage read once or twice daily. No diversion or regulation.

Revisions (water years).--W 1093; 1946(M).

Discharge, in second-feet, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	29	28	86	85	45	1,540	1,320	962	128	48	15	7.2
2	27	33	93	80	45	1,520	1,800	2,340	135	39	17	7.7
3	26	77	108	70	45	1,610	1,370	2,590	104	31	12	6.5
4	29	88	104	65	45	1,860	1,800	1,480	97	30	10	7.7
5	32	64	77	70	45	2,030	2,360	1,060	92	30	10	7.7
6	35	48	88	80	45	2,300	2,820	808	77	27	10	34
7	39	43	88	70	45	2,280	3,080	725	75	24	10	20
8	36	42	75	60	45	2,770	2,870	677	72	23	10	12
9	34	57	83	55	45	2,140	2,300	636	65	23	9.6	9.1
10	31	47	88	45	45	1,490	2,150	689	58	21	9.6	8.1
11	28	34	99	45	45	1,650	2,430	636	58	21	10	12
12	27	33	118	45	45	2,180	2,530	576	58	20	10	10
13	25	33	104	48	45	1,990	1,970	521	54	18	10	13
14	26	37	110	50	80	2,510	1,490	497	49	16	10	17
15	26	43	*114	50	170	1,880	1,360	427	48	14	11	13
16	24	57	112	55	400	3,500	1,370	377	46	15	11	37
17	22	54	90	55	1,090	2,590	1,450	373	43	13	9.1	85
18	21	52	70	55	1,480	3,240	1,680	327	46	13	9.1	41
19	21	56	90	50	1,520	5,480	2,010	259	44	14	8.6	29
20	21	58	100	50	955	4,810	2,480	240	42	13	8.1	23
21	21	57	100	45	763	3,990	1,980	224	39	15	6.5	22
22	21	53	90	45	1,140	3,480	1,420	214	39	14	7.2	22
23	20	77	75	45	1,940	2,870	1,200	174	34	12	6.1	20
24	22	373	55	45	1,980	2,430	1,380	169	31	14	8.1	20
25	20	414	55	45	1,590	2,190	1,200	154	31	14	8.1	21
26	22	246	60	45	*1,460	1,590	932	138	32	16	10	21
27	25	135	65	*45	1,760	1,220	828	135	28	17	10	21
28	24	126	70	45	1,550	978	842	131	36	15	8.6	19
29	26	104	90	45	-	828	1,420	120	37	17	10	21
30	24	80	85	45	-	985	1,370	131	39	17	8.1	20
31	24	-	85	45	-	962	-	135	-	13	7.7	-

Month	Second-foot-days	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Runoff	
						Inches	Acre-feet
October	808	39	20	26.1	0.057	0.07	1,600
November	2,649	414	28	88.3	.192	.21	5,250
December	2,727	118	55	88.0	.191	.22	5,410
Calendar year 1948	225,088	7,950	19	615	1.34	18.21	446,500
January	1,678	85	45	54.1	.118	.14	3,330
February	18,443	1,980	45	659	1.43	1.49	36,580
March	70,893	5,480	828	2,287	4.97	5.73	140,600
April	53,222	3,080	828	1,774	3.86	4.30	105,600
May	17,925	2,590	120	578	1.27	1.45	35,550
June	1,737	135	28	57.9	.126	.14	3,450
July	617	48	12	19.9	.043	.05	1,220
August	300.5	17	6.1	9.69	.021	.02	596
September	607	85	6.5	20.2	.044	.05	1,200
Water year 1948-49	171,606.5	5,480	6.1	470	1.02	13.87	340,400

* Winter discharge measurement made on this day.

Note.--Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 17 to Feb. 16.

MISCELLANEOUS DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS

Measurements of stream flow in the Snake River Basin made at points other than gaging stations are given in the following table.

Miscellaneous discharge measurements in Snake River Basin during water year
October 1948 to September 1949

Snake River main stem				
Date	Stream	Tributary to or diverting from--	Locality	Discharge (sec.-ft.)
Sept. 1	Snake River.....	Columbia River.....	SW $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. 5, T. 3 S., R. 35 E., 1 mile southwest of Blackfoot, Idaho.	45.6
Oct. 15	....do.....	....do.....	At highway bridge in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 35, T. 9 N., R. 30 E., $\frac{2}{3}$ miles east of Pasco, Wash.	22,800
Nov. 19	....do.....	....do.....	....do.....	24,400
July 25	....do.....	....do.....	....do.....	22,800
Sept. 1	....do.....	....do.....	....do.....	16,900
Antelope Creek Basin, Idaho				
Aug. 2	Antelope Creek....	Snake River.....	Sec. 19, T. 2 N., R. 42 E., just below forks and about 11 miles northwest of Irwin.	1.7
2	....do.....	....do.....	Sec. 5, T. 2 N., R. 42 E., at Summers' farmhouse near south line of section and about 11 miles northwest of Irwin.	2.2
Henrys Fork Basin, Idaho				
July 21	Big Springs Creek.	Henrys Fork.....	Sec. 32, T. 14 N., R. 44 E., at site of former gaging station $\frac{1}{2}$ mile southeast of Big Springs railroad station and $\frac{1}{4}$ mile below road bridge.	182
Salmon Falls Creek Basin				
Oct. 1	Salmon Falls Creek	Snake River.....	Sec. 30, T. 45 N., R. 64 E., at U. S. Highway 93 bridge, 1.4 miles south of Contact, Nev.	25.3
Sept. 6	Salmon River Canal Co. canal.	Salmon Falls Creek.	Near line between secs. 7 and 14, T. 14 S., R. 15 E., just below outlet from Salmon River Canal Co. reservoir, $\frac{3}{8}$ mile above gaging station, and 7 miles west of Rogerson, Idaho.	247
Canyon Creek Basin, Idaho				
Nov. 17	Ake lateral No. 2.	Mountain Home feeder canal.	Sec. 36, T. 2 S., R. 6 E., at head, 5 miles north of Mountain Home.	0.60
Mar. 22	....do.....	....do.....	....do.....	.36
July 20	....do.....	....do.....	....do.....	2.41
Owyhee Creek Basin, Oreg.				
Aug. 17	Owyhee River.....	Snake River.....	Sec. 13, T. 31 S., R. 41 E., $\frac{1}{2}$ mile below Jordan Creek, near Rome.	88.1
17	Crooked Creek....	Owyhee River.....	Sec. 6, T. 32 S., R. 41 E., at highway bridge on route 95, 5 miles above mouth and 6 miles southwest of Rome.	22.7
Malheur River Basin, Oreg.				
Dec. 11	Warm Springs Creek.	North Fork Malheur River.	Sec. 1 or 2, T. 19 S., R. 37 E., 5 miles northeast of Beulah.	4.78
Weiser River Basin, Idaho				
Oct. 8	Johnson Creek....	Weiser River.....	SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 36, T. 17 N., R. 3 W., above Johnson Park Creek and 10 miles northwest of Council.	1.28
Nov. 21	Johnson Park Creek	Johnson Creek.....	SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 36, T. 17 N., R. 3 W., at mouth, 10 miles northwest of Council.	.32
July 25	....do.....	....do.....	....do.....	*.25
* Estimated.				
Powder River Basin, Oreg.				
Sept. 23	Eagle Creek.....	Powder River.....	Above Skull Creek, near New Bridge....	82.2
Clearwater River Basin, Idaho				
Feb. 26	Clearwater River..	Snake River.....	Sec. 7, T. 36 N., R. 2 E., at Highway 95 bridge at Orofino.	5,280
Tucannon River Basin				
(*)	Pataha Creek.....	Tucannon River.....	NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 4, T. 11 N., R. 41 E., 0.6 mile above Zumwalt siding, near Pomeroy, Wash.	†1,620

† Flow at crest stage; computed by slope-area method.

* Sometime in February.

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