

Snowpack and Water Supply Conditions for the Arkansas Basin
as of April 15, 2007

During the first half of April snowpack conditions across the Arkansas basin have seen a combination of early melting followed by the latest upslope storm. The result was only a slight overall increase to snow water equivalent in the basin. Basinwide snowpack totals (measured at automated SNOTEL sites) did manage to recover back to 100% of average on April 15th, just two days later than the average date of the peak snow accumulation in the basin. This was the highest percent of average measured at these sites since they dipped to below average readings back on March 18, 2007.

With only these slight improvements to snowpack, no changes have been issued in the streamflow forecasts issued on April 1.

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