

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN

**09339900 EAST FORK SAN JUAN RIVER ABOVE SAND CREEK, NEAR PAGOSA SPRINGS, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°23'23", long 106°50'26", in NE $\frac{1}{4}$  sec.4, T.36 N., R.1 E., Archuleta County, Hydrologic Unit 14080101, on right bank 0.3 mi upstream from Sand Creek, 4.0 mi upstream from West Fork San Juan River, and 13 mi northeast of Pagosa Springs.

DRAINAGE AREA.--64.1 mi<sup>2</sup>.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--October 1956 to September 1996, October 1998 to September 2003 (discontinued). Prior to October 1959, published as San Juan River above Sand Creek, near Pagosa Springs. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09339900](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09339900)

REVISED RECORDS.--WSP 1713: 1957.

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Elevation of gage is 7,940 ft above NGVD of 1929, from topographic map.

REMARKS.--Records fair except for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Diversions upstream from station for irrigation of about 500 acres of hay meadows upstream from station. Several measurements of specific conductance and water temperature were obtained and are published in the "Supplemental Water-Quality Data For Gaging Stations" section of this report.

EXTREMES OUTSIDE PERIOD OF RECORD.--Greatest flood since at least 1885 occurred Oct. 5, 1911.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003  
DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV  | DEC  | JAN  | FEB  | MAR   | APR   | MAY    | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   |
|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1     | 16    | 12   | 14   | e11  | e12  | e12   | 31    | 121    | 321   | 47    | 29    | 22    |
| 2     | 23    | 12   | 14   | e11  | e12  | e11   | 37    | 119    | 302   | 45    | 33    | 22    |
| 3     | 36    | 11   | 13   | e11  | e12  | e11   | 31    | 121    | 290   | 43    | 30    | 24    |
| 4     | 28    | 12   | e12  | e11  | e11  | e11   | 27    | 119    | 271   | 40    | 24    | 23    |
| 5     | 27    | 11   | e12  | e11  | e11  | e11   | 26    | 98     | 250   | 37    | 21    | 24    |
| 6     | 23    | 10   | e12  | e11  | e11  | e11   | 26    | 88     | 212   | 34    | 19    | 45    |
| 7     | 22    | 11   | e12  | e11  | e11  | e12   | 24    | 83     | 191   | 32    | 19    | 38    |
| 8     | 21    | 12   | e11  | e11  | e11  | e12   | 26    | 75     | 179   | 30    | 19    | 31    |
| 9     | 20    | 15   | e11  | e11  | e11  | e12   | 28    | 68     | 178   | 28    | 18    | 102   |
| 10    | 19    | 16   | e11  | e11  | e11  | e14   | 44    | 64     | 176   | 26    | 21    | 210   |
| 11    | 18    | 14   | e11  | e11  | e11  | e15   | 63    | 63     | 169   | 25    | 22    | 104   |
| 12    | 17    | 13   | e11  | e11  | e12  | e17   | 70    | 78     | 156   | 24    | 22    | 74    |
| 13    | 16    | 13   | e11  | e11  | e14  | e21   | 75    | 98     | 140   | 23    | 20    | 62    |
| 14    | 16    | 14   | e11  | e11  | e15  | e22   | 98    | 109    | 121   | 21    | 18    | 54    |
| 15    | 16    | 14   | e11  | e11  | e13  | e22   | 111   | 146    | 113   | 21    | 17    | 47    |
| 16    | 15    | 13   | e11  | e11  | e12  | e23   | 88    | 155    | 108   | 21    | 18    | 41    |
| 17    | 15    | 14   | e11  | e11  | e12  | 22    | 86    | 216    | 98    | 22    | 17    | 37    |
| 18    | 15    | 14   | e11  | e11  | e12  | 25    | 76    | 252    | 97    | 20    | 17    | 33    |
| 19    | 14    | 14   | e10  | e11  | e12  | 25    | 67    | 247    | 99    | 20    | 16    | 31    |
| 20    | 14    | 14   | e11  | e11  | e12  | 23    | 64    | 252    | 100   | 23    | 15    | 28    |
| 21    | 14    | 15   | e11  | e11  | e11  | 21    | 81    | 269    | 90    | 20    | 15    | 26    |
| 22    | 14    | 15   | e11  | e11  | e11  | 20    | 76    | 295    | 85    | 19    | 15    | 25    |
| 23    | 16    | 16   | e11  | e11  | e11  | 22    | 68    | 306    | 80    | 19    | 23    | 23    |
| 24    | 16    | 15   | e11  | e11  | e11  | 26    | 59    | 310    | 74    | 19    | 30    | 22    |
| 25    | 14    | 15   | e11  | e11  | e11  | 27    | 67    | 309    | 68    | 17    | 24    | 21    |
| 26    | 14    | 14   | e11  | e11  | e12  | 29    | 89    | 297    | 63    | 18    | 22    | 20    |
| 27    | 15    | e13  | e11  | e11  | e12  | 28    | 111   | 331    | 59    | 20    | 19    | 19    |
| 28    | 14    | e13  | e11  | e11  | e12  | 26    | 132   | 362    | 57    | 29    | 22    | 18    |
| 29    | 14    | e13  | e11  | e11  | ---  | 26    | 139   | 366    | 53    | 36    | 30    | 18    |
| 30    | 13    | e14  | e11  | e11  | ---  | 25    | 135   | 359    | 51    | 31    | 33    | 18    |
| 31    | 13    | ---  | e11  | e11  | ---  | e28   | ---   | 350    | ---   | 28    | 30    | ---   |
| TOTAL | 548   | 402  | 352  | 341  | 329  | 610   | 2,055 | 6,126  | 4,251 | 838   | 678   | 1,262 |
| MEAN  | 17.7  | 13.4 | 11.4 | 11.0 | 11.8 | 19.7  | 68.5  | 198    | 142   | 27.0  | 21.9  | 42.1  |
| MAX   | 36    | 16   | 14   | 11   | 15   | 29    | 139   | 366    | 321   | 47    | 33    | 210   |
| MIN   | 13    | 10   | 10   | 11   | 11   | 24    | 63    | 51     | 17    | 15    | 18    | 18    |
| AC-FT | 1,090 | 797  | 698  | 676  | 653  | 1,210 | 4,080 | 12,150 | 8,430 | 1,660 | 1,340 | 2,500 |

STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1957 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 33.9   | 22.0   | 14.1   | 11.8   | 12.8   | 27.1   | 103    | 291    | 320    | 111    | 54.2   | 42.6   |
| MAX  | 107    | 74.9   | 30.3   | 21.7   | 24.6   | 62.9   | 248    | 520    | 788    | 395    | 177    | 207    |
| (WY) | (1987) | (1987) | (1987) | (1973) | (1995) | (1986) | (1985) | (1984) | (1984) | (1957) | (1999) | (1970) |
| MIN  | 8.39   | 8.31   | 4.68   | 5.00   | 5.66   | 8.86   | 29.2   | 50.8   | 29.1   | 10.5   | 7.80   | 10.6   |
| (WY) | (1957) | (1961) | (1959) | (1959) | (1990) | (1977) | (1977) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (1978) |

SUMMARY STATISTICS

|                          | FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR |  |  |  | FOR 2003 WATER YEAR |  |  |  | WATER YEARS 1957 - 2003 |  |  |  |
|--------------------------|------------------------|--|--|--|---------------------|--|--|--|-------------------------|--|--|--|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             | 6,838.0                |  |  |  | 17,792              |  |  |  | 87.2                    |  |  |  |
| ANNUAL MEAN              | 18.7                   |  |  |  | 48.7                |  |  |  | 155                     |  |  |  |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |                        |  |  |  |                     |  |  |  | 18.3                    |  |  |  |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |                        |  |  |  |                     |  |  |  | 1,180                   |  |  |  |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       | 69                     |  |  |  | May 21              |  |  |  | 366                     |  |  |  |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        | 6.1                    |  |  |  | Sep 6               |  |  |  | 10                      |  |  |  |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM | 6.6                    |  |  |  | Aug 26              |  |  |  | 11                      |  |  |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |                        |  |  |  |                     |  |  |  | 413                     |  |  |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |                        |  |  |  |                     |  |  |  | 4.43                    |  |  |  |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    | 13,560                 |  |  |  | 35,290              |  |  |  | 6,75                    |  |  |  |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 42                     |  |  |  | 121                 |  |  |  | 63,180                  |  |  |  |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 12                     |  |  |  | 20                  |  |  |  | 264                     |  |  |  |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 8.7                    |  |  |  | 11                  |  |  |  | 28                      |  |  |  |
|                          |                        |  |  |  |                     |  |  |  | 10                      |  |  |  |

e Estimated.

a From rating curve extended above 460 ft<sup>3</sup>/s, on basis of slope-area measurement at gage height, 6.13 ft.

## 09342500 SAN JUAN RIVER AT PAGOSA SPRINGS, CO

LOCATION.--Lat 37°15'58", long 107°00'37", in NE<sup>1/4</sup>SW<sup>1/4</sup> sec.13, T.35 N., R.2 W., Archuleta County, Hydrologic Unit 14080101, on right bank at former bridge site in Pagosa Springs, 0.2 mi upstream from McCabe Creek, 0.6 mi downstream from bridge on U.S. Highway 160, and 2.0 mi upstream from Mill Creek.

DRAINAGE AREA.--298 mi<sup>2</sup>.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--October 1910 to December 1914, May 1935 to current year. Monthly discharge only for some periods, published in WSP 1313. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09342500](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09342500)

REVISED RECORDS.--WSP 1313: 1914(M).

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Datum of gage is 7,052.04 ft above NGVD of 1929. Jan. 29 to Mar. 6, 1911, nonrecording gage at site 0.5 mi upstream, at different datum. Mar. 7 to Oct. 4, 1911, nonrecording gage at present site, at different datum. Nov. 23, 1911 to Nov. 14, 1914, nonrecording gage at site 300 ft upstream, at different datum.

REMARKS.--Records good except for Sept. 24-30, those above 2,040 ft<sup>3</sup>/s and estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Diversions for irrigation of large areas upstream from station. Several measurements of specific conductance and water temperature were obtained and are published in the "Supplemental Water-Quality Data For Gaging Stations" section of this report.

EXTREMES OUTSIDE PERIOD OF RECORD.--Maximum stage known since at least 1885, that of Oct. 5, 1911. Flood of June 29, 1927, reached a stage of 13.5 ft, discharge about 16,000 ft<sup>3</sup>/s, from information by local residents.

DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003  
DAILY MEAN VALUES

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR    | MAY    | JUN    | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1     | 60    | 54    | 58    | 36    | 42    | 40    | e144   | 531    | 1,730  | 129   | 58    | 80    |
| 2     | 74    | 53    | 50    | 30    | 42    | 37    | 181    | 506    | 1,500  | 118   | 52    | 66    |
| 3     | 164   | 50    | 52    | 33    | 41    | 38    | 142    | 524    | 1,410  | 108   | 57    | 78    |
| 4     | 115   | 50    | 49    | 34    | 37    | 39    | 119    | 512    | 1,300  | 102   | 53    | 74    |
| 5     | 118   | 51    | 46    | 34    | 33    | 37    | 113    | 414    | 1,100  | 97    | 53    | 69    |
| 6     | 90    | 50    | 44    | 37    | 40    | 35    | 106    | 349    | 890    | 92    | 43    | 104   |
| 7     | 84    | 55    | 40    | 33    | 31    | 39    | 96     | 314    | 765    | 82    | 42    | 109   |
| 8     | 80    | 60    | 41    | 33    | 35    | 41    | 85     | 286    | 694    | 73    | 41    | 90    |
| 9     | 76    | 85    | 37    | 35    | 36    | 45    | 105    | 256    | 680    | 63    | 43    | 308   |
| 10    | 72    | 92    | 35    | 40    | 33    | 51    | 174    | 242    | 654    | 53    | 45    | 1,020 |
| 11    | 67    | 69    | 36    | 38    | 34    | 63    | 280    | 224    | 611    | 49    | 51    | 455   |
| 12    | 63    | 57    | 27    | 36    | 38    | 86    | 327    | 289    | 561    | 47    | 50    | 305   |
| 13    | 58    | 62    | 31    | 32    | 55    | 113   | 323    | 403    | 518    | 46    | 54    | 241   |
| 14    | 57    | 62    | 33    | 36    | 76    | 132   | 441    | 435    | 452    | 44    | 50    | 195   |
| 15    | 56    | 60    | 36    | 37    | 60    | 126   | 520    | 647    | 420    | 40    | 43    | 161   |
| 16    | 53    | 48    | 40    | 33    | 49    | 141   | 389    | 690    | 421    | 42    | 45    | 140   |
| 17    | 50    | 52    | 39    | 33    | 44    | 131   | 392    | 998    | 385    | 45    | 48    | 125   |
| 18    | 48    | 50    | 40    | 32    | 45    | 106   | 356    | 1,200  | 372    | 48    | 49    | 115   |
| 19    | 47    | 48    | 29    | 36    | 41    | e121  | 304    | 1,080  | 376    | 47    | 44    | 102   |
| 20    | 46    | 53    | 28    | 36    | 40    | e117  | 262    | 1,120  | 414    | 47    | 41    | 97    |
| 21    | 46    | 59    | 38    | 38    | 40    | e111  | 275    | 1,180  | 346    | 48    | 35    | 88    |
| 22    | 45    | 63    | 31    | 41    | 36    | e120  | 284    | 1,370  | 308    | 42    | 36    | 73    |
| 23    | 52    | 69    | 38    | 41    | 34    | e166  | 285    | 1,600  | 282    | 40    | 37    | 70    |
| 24    | 60    | 64    | 38    | 40    | 38    | e187  | 253    | 1,620  | 251    | 43    | 81    | 64    |
| 25    | 56    | 61    | 37    | 39    | 39    | e191  | 292    | 1,570  | 220    | 41    | 77    | 61    |
| 26    | 55    | 54    | 34    | 36    | 41    | e184  | 416    | 1,530  | 200    | 37    | 83    | 56    |
| 27    | 70    | 55    | 30    | 38    | 43    | 136   | 530    | 1,670  | 185    | 40    | 67    | 54    |
| 28    | 64    | 47    | 33    | 38    | 42    | 112   | 606    | 1,920  | 171    | 52    | 66    | 55    |
| 29    | 61    | 51    | 36    | 37    | ---   | 95    | 660    | 2,040  | 153    | 66    | 102   | 51    |
| 30    | 56    | 50    | 36    | 39    | ---   | 93    | 626    | 2,020  | 137    | 80    | 95    | 48    |
| 31    | 54    | ---   | 33    | 41    | ---   | e101  | ---    | 1,930  | ---    | 52    | 113   | ---   |
| TOTAL | 2,097 | 1,734 | 1,175 | 1,122 | 1,165 | 3,034 | 9,086  | 29,470 | 17,506 | 1,913 | 1,754 | 4,554 |
| MEAN  | 67.6  | 57.8  | 37.9  | 36.2  | 41.6  | 97.9  | 303    | 951    | 584    | 61.7  | 56.6  | 152   |
| MAX   | 164   | 92    | 58    | 41    | 76    | 191   | 660    | 2,040  | 1,730  | 129   | 113   | 1,020 |
| MIN   | 45    | 47    | 27    | 30    | 31    | 35    | 85     | 224    | 137    | 37    | 35    | 48    |
| AC-FT | 4,160 | 3,440 | 2,330 | 2,230 | 2,310 | 6,020 | 18,020 | 58,450 | 34,720 | 3,790 | 3,480 | 9,030 |

STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1936 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 145    | 93.9   | 64.1   | 55.1   | 61.7   | 147    | 552    | 1,273  | 1,304  | 385    | 181    | 151    |
| MAX  | 937    | 399    | 160    | 107    | 142    | 442    | 1,210  | 2,665  | 3,066  | 1,515  | 740    | 859    |
| (WY) | (1942) | (1987) | (1987) | (1986) | (1995) | (1986) | (1985) | (1941) | (1957) | (1941) | (1999) | (1970) |
| MIN  | 23.3   | 33.6   | 27.5   | 26.8   | 29.2   | 50.3   | 141    | 158    | 56.6   | 15.5   | 13.5   | 18.8   |
| (WY) | (1957) | (1956) | (1990) | (1990) | (1964) | (1964) | (1977) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (1956) |

SUMMARY STATISTICS

|                          | FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR |          |  |        |  |  | FOR 2003 WATER YEAR |  |        |  |         |  | WATER YEARS 1936 - 2003 |              |
|--------------------------|------------------------|----------|--|--------|--|--|---------------------|--|--------|--|---------|--|-------------------------|--------------|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             |                        | 22,073.7 |  |        |  |  | 74,610              |  |        |  |         |  | 368                     |              |
| ANNUAL MEAN              |                        | 60.5     |  |        |  |  | 204                 |  |        |  |         |  | 730                     | 1941         |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |                        |          |  |        |  |  |                     |  |        |  |         |  | 59.0                    | 2002         |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |                        |          |  |        |  |  |                     |  |        |  |         |  | a8.3                    | Aug 28, 2002 |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       |                        | 235      |  | Apr 15 |  |  | 2,040               |  | May 29 |  | 4,640   |  | May 13, 1941            |              |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        |                        | 8.3      |  | Aug 28 |  |  | 27                  |  | Dec 12 |  | a8.3    |  | Aug 28, 2002            |              |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM |                        | 8.7      |  | Aug 28 |  |  | 33                  |  | Dec 27 |  | 8.7     |  | Aug 28, 2002            |              |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |                        |          |  |        |  |  | 2,580               |  | May 30 |  | 25,000  |  | Oct 5, 1911             |              |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |                        |          |  |        |  |  | 4.99                |  | May 30 |  | b17.80  |  | Oct 5, 1911             |              |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    |                        | 43,780   |  |        |  |  | 148,000             |  |        |  | 266,800 |  |                         |              |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |                        | 142      |  |        |  |  | 522                 |  |        |  | 1,140   |  |                         |              |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |                        | 41       |  |        |  |  | 60                  |  |        |  | 107     |  |                         |              |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |                        | 14       |  |        |  |  | 36                  |  |        |  | 42      |  |                         |              |

e Estimated.

a Also occurred Sep 3, 2002.

b From floodmarks.

**09346400 SAN JUAN RIVER NEAR CARRACAS, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°00'49", long 107°18'42", in SE<sup>1/4</sup>SW<sup>1/4</sup> sec.17, T.32 N., R.4 W., Archuleta County, Hydrologic Unit 14080101, on right bank five feet above the maximum water surface of Navajo Reservoir, 3 mi northwest of Carracas, 7.2 mi upstream from Piedra River.

DRAINAGE AREA.--1,230 mi<sup>2</sup>, approximately.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--Streamflow records, October 1961 to current year. Statistical summary computed for 1971 to current year. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09346400](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09346400)

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry and crest-stage gage. Elevation of gage is 6,090 ft above NGVD of 1929, from river-profile map.

REMARKS.--Records good except for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Diversions for irrigation of about 11,000 acres upstream from station. Highwater diversions upstream from station into Rio Grande basin through Azotea tunnel(station 08284160) began in March 1971. Several measurements of specific conductance and water temperature were obtained and are published in the "Supplemental Water-Quality Data For Gaging Stations" section of this report.

EXTREMES OUTSIDE PERIOD OF RECORD.--Major floods occurred Sept. 5 or 6, 1909; Oct. 5, 1911; June 29, 1927.

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DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | JAN   | FEB   | MAR    | APR    | MAY    | JUN    | JUL   | AUG   | SEP    |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|--------|
| 1     | 141   | 126   | e108  | e62   | e78   | e80    | 251    | 717    | 1,830  | 163   | 99    | 181    |
| 2     | 130   | 124   | e106  | e61   | e78   | e79    | 266    | 713    | 1,630  | 145   | 98    | 144    |
| 3     | 234   | 121   | e104  | e61   | e74   | e78    | 261    | 689    | 1,500  | 144   | 97    | 126    |
| 4     | 280   | 115   | e103  | e64   | e71   | e80    | 225    | 686    | 1,370  | 135   | 78    | 138    |
| 5     | 237   | 121   | e101  | e68   | e71   | e81    | 217    | 628    | 1,230  | 128   | 65    | 152    |
| 6     | 204   | 107   | 97    | e70   | e69   | e82    | 209    | 541    | 1,030  | 123   | 51    | 171    |
| 7     | 175   | 102   | 93    | e70   | e68   | 87     | 200    | 483    | 891    | 114   | 49    | 213    |
| 8     | 165   | 116   | 90    | e71   | e72   | 100    | 179    | 422    | 796    | 102   | 49    | 201    |
| 9     | 152   | e143  | 98    | e73   | e70   | 116    | 177    | 415    | 763    | 94    | 47    | 244    |
| 10    | 136   | e137  | e90   | e74   | e70   | 147    | 219    | 388    | 726    | 80    | 50    | 2,080  |
| 11    | 123   | e119  | e88   | e74   | e72   | 199    | 332    | 377    | 686    | 73    | 59    | 745    |
| 12    | 118   | e113  | e84   | e71   | e80   | 288    | 403    | 382    | 627    | 66    | 82    | 436    |
| 13    | 118   | e117  | e88   | e70   | e105  | 394    | 410    | 494    | 584    | 63    | 82    | 332    |
| 14    | 109   | e118  | e88   | e72   | e137  | 478    | 513    | 557    | 525    | 61    | 94    | 281    |
| 15    | 101   | e108  | e88   | e72   | e110  | 515    | 643    | 689    | 472    | 62    | 70    | 244    |
| 16    | 96    | e104  | e84   | e71   | e102  | 478    | 596    | 871    | 461    | 54    | 60    | 220    |
| 17    | 93    | e105  | e79   | e71   | e102  | 605    | 527    | 1,040  | 436    | 54    | 62    | 197    |
| 18    | 90    | e106  | e74   | e71   | e99   | 449    | 495    | 1,380  | 452    | 53    | 55    | 179    |
| 19    | 87    | e106  | e66   | e72   | e99   | 354    | 445    | 1,240  | 466    | 50    | 53    | 169    |
| 20    | 81    | e111  | e68   | e74   | 102   | 293    | 384    | 1,270  | 500    | 46    | 45    | 150    |
| 21    | 80    | e116  | e72   | e75   | 99    | 302    | 358    | 1,300  | 450    | 61    | 40    | 145    |
| 22    | 81    | e120  | e71   | e77   | 97    | 315    | 377    | 1,480  | 373    | 78    | 37    | 127    |
| 23    | 87    | e123  | e74   | e77   | 86    | 281    | 400    | 1,640  | 337    | 64    | 51    | 116    |
| 24    | 120   | e119  | e74   | e77   | 80    | 336    | 359    | 1,720  | 307    | 54    | 154   | 114    |
| 25    | 130   | e114  | e73   | e76   | e82   | 334    | 361    | 1,670  | 272    | 58    | 184   | 99     |
| 26    | 122   | e110  | e69   | e75   | e84   | 336    | 437    | 1,670  | 245    | 52    | 160   | 93     |
| 27    | 168   | e104  | e68   | e74   | e85   | 330    | 556    | 1,740  | 227    | 49    | 148   | 91     |
| 28    | 160   | e103  | e70   | e74   | e84   | 243    | 673    | 1,890  | 209    | 109   | 146   | 88     |
| 29    | 146   | e106  | e71   | e74   | ---   | 277    | 723    | 1,970  | 193    | 148   | 200   | 86     |
| 30    | 146   | e111  | e69   | e74   | ---   | 247    | 743    | 1,960  | 178    | 157   | 196   | 83     |
| 31    | 129   | ---   | e66   | e77   | ---   | e248   | ---    | 1,970  | ---    | 138   | 202   | ---    |
| TOTAL | 4,239 | 3,445 | 2,574 | 2,222 | 2,426 | 8,232  | 11,939 | 32,992 | 19,766 | 2,778 | 2,863 | 7,645  |
| MEAN  | 137   | 115   | 83.0  | 71.7  | 86.6  | 266    | 398    | 1,064  | 659    | 89.6  | 92.4  | 255    |
| MAX   | 280   | 143   | 108   | 77    | 137   | 605    | 743    | 1,970  | 1,830  | 163   | 202   | 2,080  |
| MIN   | 80    | 102   | 66    | 61    | 68    | 78     | 177    | 377    | 178    | 46    | 37    | 83     |
| AC-FT | 8,410 | 6,830 | 5,110 | 4,410 | 4,810 | 16,330 | 23,680 | 65,440 | 39,210 | 5,510 | 5,680 | 15,160 |

STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1971 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 298    | 239    | 172    | 155    | 190    | 574    | 1,030  | 1,687  | 1,700  | 609    | 330    | 285    |
| (WY) | (1987) | (1987) | (1987) | (1987) | (1986) | (1995) | (1979) | (1973) | (1985) | (1995) | (1999) | (1982) |
| MAX  | 932    | 983    | 406    | 296    | 481    | 1,369  | 2,524  | 3,195  | 4,039  | 2,427  | 1,004  | 880    |
| (WY) | (1979) | (1990) | (1990) | (2003) | (1990) | (2002) | (1977) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (1978) |

| SUMMARY STATISTICS       | FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR | FOR 2003 WATER YEAR | WATER YEARS 1971 - 2003 |
|--------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             | 41,282.80              | 101,121             |                         |
| ANNUAL MEAN              | 113                    | 277                 |                         |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |                        |                     | a607                    |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |                        |                     | b1,191                  |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       | 365                    | May 20              | 1985                    |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        | 0.80                   | Sep 1               | b112                    |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM | 1.3                    | Aug 31              | 2002                    |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |                        |                     | b6,700                  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |                        |                     | c0.80                   |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    | 81,880                 | 200,600             | Mar 12, 1985            |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 240                    | 678                 | Sep 1, 2002             |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 101                    | 118                 | 1.3                     |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 17                     | 67                  | Aug 31, 2002            |
|                          |                        |                     | Mar 6, 1995             |
|                          |                        |                     | d8,590                  |
|                          |                        |                     | f8.10                   |
|                          |                        |                     | 439,500                 |
|                          |                        |                     | 1,660                   |
|                          |                        |                     | 270                     |
|                          |                        |                     | 105                     |

e Estimated.

a Average discharge for 9 years (water years 1962-70), 632 ft<sup>3</sup>/s; 457,900 acre-ft/yr, prior to completion of Azotea tunnel.

b Also the highest (or lowest, as is appropriate) for the period of record.

c Also minimum daily discharge for period of record.

d Maximum discharge for period of record, 9,730 ft<sup>3</sup>/s, Sep 6, 1970, gage height, 8.34 ft, from rating curve extended above 6,000 ft<sup>3</sup>/s, on basis of slope-area measurement of peak flow.

f Maximum gage height for statistical period, and period of record, 9.63 ft, Jan 4, 1994, backwater from ice.

**09349800 PIEDRA RIVER NEAR ARBOLES, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°05'18", long 107°23'50", in NE<sup>1/4</sup>SW<sup>1/4</sup> sec.21, T.33 N., R.5 W., Archuleta County, Hydrologic Unit 14080102, on left bank 2.5 mi upstream from Navajo Reservoir, 3.0 mi downstream from Ignacio Creek, and 4.6 mi northeast of Arboles Post Office.

DRAINAGE AREA.--629 mi<sup>2</sup>.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--August 1962 to current year. Gage 09350000 (Piedra River At Arboles) operated 1895-99 and 1910-27 at site 7.5 mi downstream at elevation 6,000 ft, published in WSP 1313. Low-flow records probably not equivalent. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09349800](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09349800)

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry, and crest-stage gage. Datum of gage is 6,147.52 ft above NGVD of 1929, Colorado State Highway Department benchmark.

REMARKS.--Records good except for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Diversions for irrigation of about 2,800 acres upstream from station. Several measurements of specific conductance and water temperature were obtained and are published in the "Supplemental Water-Quality Data For Gaging Stations" section of this report.

EXTREMES OUTSIDE PERIOD OF RECORD.--Major floods occurred Sept. 5 or 6, 1909, and Oct. 5, 1911.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003  
DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR    | MAY    | JUN    | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1     | 80    | 77    | 56    | e29   | 21    | 28    | 187    | 603    | 1,100  | 63    | 53    | 81    |
| 2     | 84    | 75    | 54    | e27   | 24    | 27    | 223    | 564    | 981    | 57    | 53    | 65    |
| 3     | 108   | 76    | 51    | e26   | 25    | 27    | 204    | 548    | 918    | 55    | 45    | 65    |
| 4     | 115   | 69    | 54    | e29   | 21    | 29    | 172    | 561    | 810    | 52    | 43    | 70    |
| 5     | 104   | 72    | 50    | e31   | 18    | 30    | 161    | 500    | 715    | 50    | 40    | 79    |
| 6     | 100   | 62    | 44    | 32    | 19    | 27    | 151    | 437    | 599    | 51    | 35    | 96    |
| 7     | 95    | 63    | 39    | 26    | e15   | 26    | 137    | 390    | e517   | 50    | 33    | 108   |
| 8     | 95    | 70    | 33    | 24    | 17    | 29    | 123    | 358    | e442   | 48    | 33    | 99    |
| 9     | 96    | 104   | 34    | 20    | 22    | 35    | 131    | 329    | e422   | 42    | 38    | 150   |
| 10    | 90    | 110   | 27    | 21    | e17   | 42    | 167    | 289    | 404    | 38    | 41    | 926   |
| 11    | 86    | 87    | 30    | e21   | e18   | 53    | 237    | 274    | 380    | 34    | 40    | 517   |
| 12    | 81    | 67    | 34    | e20   | e22   | 72    | 306    | 301    | 344    | 31    | 39    | 328   |
| 13    | 76    | 59    | 30    | e17   | 30    | 124   | 323    | 382    | 310    | 32    | 43    | 259   |
| 14    | 71    | 65    | 34    | 19    | 34    | 191   | 410    | 428    | 285    | 32    | 40    | 210   |
| 15    | 67    | 62    | 36    | 22    | 34    | 232   | 521    | 574    | 255    | 30    | 36    | 178   |
| 16    | 64    | 53    | 35    | e17   | 36    | 303   | 465    | 662    | 236    | 29    | 35    | 158   |
| 17    | 61    | 47    | 39    | e16   | 34    | 335   | 439    | 764    | 225    | 32    | 38    | 141   |
| 18    | 60    | 55    | 35    | e17   | 35    | 236   | 447    | 943    | 212    | 28    | 33    | 126   |
| 19    | 57    | 49    | 28    | 20    | 35    | 178   | 391    | 892    | 222    | 29    | 31    | 116   |
| 20    | 56    | 50    | 22    | 21    | 29    | 162   | 336    | 895    | 286    | 29    | 35    | 105   |
| 21    | 54    | 56    | 32    | 21    | 26    | 175   | 324    | 885    | 232    | 35    | 35    | 98    |
| 22    | 52    | 60    | 27    | 21    | 24    | 205   | 346    | 988    | 195    | 34    | 34    | 93    |
| 23    | 56    | 65    | 32    | 21    | 22    | 229   | 358    | 1,150  | 175    | 34    | 39    | 85    |
| 24    | 68    | 67    | 33    | 21    | 21    | 310   | 325    | 1,180  | 154    | 34    | 59    | 77    |
| 25    | 70    | 65    | 34    | 21    | 28    | 303   | 339    | 1,120  | 139    | 35    | 51    | 70    |
| 26    | 66    | 58    | 34    | 20    | 30    | 254   | 437    | e1,090 | 125    | 34    | 56    | 67    |
| 27    | 85    | 54    | 31    | 19    | 31    | 250   | 569    | 1,140  | 111    | 52    | 60    | 70    |
| 28    | 84    | 50    | 31    | 19    | 32    | 191   | 647    | 1,250  | 96     | 55    | 62    | 68    |
| 29    | 80    | 48    | 38    | 20    | ---   | 156   | 659    | 1,310  | 84     | 66    | 64    | 65    |
| 30    | 81    | 52    | e33   | 20    | ---   | e149  | 642    | 1,190  | 74     | 67    | 68    | 63    |
| 31    | 76    | ---   | e30   | 19    | ---   | e156  | ---    | 1,180  | ---    | 61    | 96    | ---   |
| TOTAL | 2,418 | 1,947 | 1,120 | 677   | 720   | 4,564 | 10,177 | 23,177 | 11,048 | 1,319 | 1,408 | 4,633 |
| MEAN  | 78.0  | 64.9  | 36.1  | 21.8  | 25.7  | 147   | 339    | 748    | 368    | 42.5  | 45.4  | 154   |
| MAX   | 115   | 110   | 56    | 32    | 36    | 335   | 659    | 1,310  | 1,100  | 67    | 96    | 926   |
| MIN   | 52    | 47    | 22    | 16    | 15    | 26    | 123    | 274    | 74     | 28    | 31    | 63    |
| AC-FT | 4,800 | 3,860 | 2,220 | 1,340 | 1,430 | 9,050 | 20,190 | 45,970 | 21,910 | 2,620 | 2,790 | 9,190 |

STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1963 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 172    | 126    | 89.2   | 73.7   | 90.7   | 315    | 851    | 1,267  | 1,004  | 329    | 221    | 210    |
| MAX  | 618    | 517    | 257    | 153    | 244    | 895    | 2,126  | 2,926  | 2,526  | 1,133  | 1,014  | 943    |
| (WY) | (1973) | (1987) | (1987) | (1987) | (1986) | (1995) | (1979) | (1979) | (1979) | (1975) | (1999) | (1970) |
| MIN  | 51.2   | 48.4   | 31.2   | 21.8   | 25.7   | 47.4   | 126    | 91.7   | 24.8   | 12.7   | 15.2   | 35.3   |
| (WY) | (1979) | (1968) | (1990) | (2003) | (2003) | (1964) | (1977) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (1978) |

SUMMARY STATISTICS FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR FOR 2003 WATER YEAR WATER YEARS 1963 - 2003

|                          |          |         |         |              |
|--------------------------|----------|---------|---------|--------------|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             | 19,973.0 | 63,208  |         |              |
| ANNUAL MEAN              | 54.7     | 173     | 396     |              |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |          |         | 822     | 1979         |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |          |         | 53.5    | 2002         |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       | 307      | Sep 12  | 5,360   | Sep 6, 1970  |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        | 3.9      | Aug 26  | a3.9    | Aug 26, 2002 |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM | 4.3      | Aug 26  | 4.3     | Aug 26, 2002 |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |          | 1,440   | b8,370  | Sep 6, 1970  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |          | 3.29    | c6.38   | Sep 6, 1970  |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    | 39,620   | 125,400 | 287,100 |              |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 108      | 479     | 1,170   |              |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 43       | 64      | 145     |              |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 11       | 23      | 52      |              |

e Estimated.

a Also occurred Aug 28-29, 2002.

b From rating curve extended above 4,400 ft<sup>3</sup>/s, on basis of slope-area measurement of peak flow.

c Gage height, 6.38 ft, recorded, 7.55 ft, from floodmarks.

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN

**09352900 VALLECITO CREEK NEAR BAYFIELD, CO**  
**(Hydrologic Benchmark Station)**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°28'39", long 107°32'35", in NE<sup>1/4</sup>NW<sup>1/4</sup> sec.16, T.37 N., R.6 W., La Plata County, Hydrologic Unit 14080101, on right bank 60 ft upstream from Fall Creek, 0.8 mi downstream from Bear Creek, 6.7 mi north of Vallecito Dam, and 18 mi north of Bayfield.

DRAINAGE AREA.--72.5 mi<sup>2</sup>.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--October 1962 to current year. Daily record for water temperature available, November 1962 to September 1982. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09352900](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09352900)

REVISED RECORDS.--WDR CO-00-2: Drainage area.

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry and concrete control. Datum of gage is 7,906.08 ft above NGVD of 1929.

REMARKS.--Records good except for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. No diversion upstream from station.

EXTREMES OUTSIDE PERIOD OF RECORD.--Major floods occurred in October 1911 and June 1927.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND**  
**WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003**  
**DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | JAN   | FEB  | MAR   | APR   | MAY    | JUN    | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1     | 71    | 47    | 32    | e12   | e14  | 17    | 46    | 186    | 553    | 100   | 67    | 105   |
| 2     | 78    | 46    | 33    | e12   | e16  | 20    | 51    | 178    | 497    | 97    | 64    | 92    |
| 3     | 91    | 41    | 30    | e11   | 18   | e18   | 46    | 173    | 414    | 93    | 60    | 85    |
| 4     | 90    | 44    | 30    | e10   | 20   | e15   | 43    | 172    | 351    | 89    | e58   | 80    |
| 5     | 99    | 40    | e30   | e10   | e18  | e14   | 42    | 149    | 311    | 84    | e56   | 82    |
| 6     | 96    | 40    | e27   | e10   | e16  | e14   | 40    | 136    | 264    | 79    | e46   | 85    |
| 7     | 104   | 40    | e24   | e11   | e13  | e14   | 38    | 128    | 227    | 73    | 46    | 85    |
| 8     | 109   | 43    | e22   | e11   | e11  | e13   | 37    | 116    | 231    | 71    | 88    | 76    |
| 9     | 107   | 46    | e18   | e10   | e10  | e14   | 43    | 106    | 227    | 68    | 77    | 147   |
| 10    | 102   | 47    | e17   | e10   | e11  | e17   | 61    | 97     | 219    | 64    | 82    | 377   |
| 11    | 95    | 46    | e15   | e11   | e11  | e19   | 83    | 97     | 199    | 61    | 72    | 235   |
| 12    | 88    | 42    | e13   | e12   | e11  | 26    | 93    | 135    | 186    | 59    | 70    | 239   |
| 13    | 82    | 47    | e12   | e12   | e11  | 31    | 99    | 189    | 170    | 56    | 65    | 262   |
| 14    | 77    | 43    | e13   | e12   | e14  | 35    | 128   | 209    | 156    | 54    | 115   | 229   |
| 15    | 71    | 42    | e12   | e12   | e14  | 32    | 140   | 269    | 165    | 51    | 85    | 186   |
| 16    | 67    | 42    | e12   | e12   | 16   | 33    | 119   | 246    | 162    | 54    | 92    | 162   |
| 17    | 63    | 40    | e13   | e11   | 16   | 32    | 119   | 399    | 142    | 56    | 84    | 141   |
| 18    | 59    | 44    | e15   | e11   | 16   | 31    | 115   | 406    | 138    | 52    | 77    | 122   |
| 19    | 56    | 41    | e16   | e10   | 16   | 29    | 104   | 339    | 160    | 58    | 76    | 109   |
| 20    | 53    | 39    | e16   | e9.6  | 18   | 28    | 96    | 381    | 172    | 55    | 67    | 96    |
| 21    | 50    | 38    | e15   | e11   | 15   | 29    | 98    | 481    | 150    | 54    | 62    | 88    |
| 22    | 49    | 40    | e14   | e12   | e16  | 29    | 96    | 759    | 147    | 59    | 59    | 81    |
| 23    | 54    | 42    | e14   | e14   | e16  | 33    | 92    | 785    | 147    | 51    | 61    | 75    |
| 24    | 55    | 41    | e14   | e15   | e14  | 38    | 89    | 675    | 137    | 44    | 68    | 70    |
| 25    | 50    | 39    | e14   | 18    | e12  | 38    | 104   | 578    | 122    | 43    | 78    | 66    |
| 26    | 51    | 37    | e14   | 17    | e12  | 40    | 146   | 579    | 118    | 41    | 87    | 60    |
| 27    | 54    | 37    | e14   | e16   | e15  | 40    | 181   | 828    | 117    | 56    | 92    | 57    |
| 28    | 50    | 38    | e12   | e14   | 17   | 37    | 203   | 944    | 114    | 64    | 115   | 54    |
| 29    | 51    | 35    | e8.8  | e14   | ---  | 38    | 201   | 917    | 107    | 89    | 112   | 52    |
| 30    | 48    | 35    | e7.5  | e14   | ---  | 36    | 191   | 694    | 105    | 92    | 134   | 49    |
| 31    | 48    | ---   | e10   | e14   | ---  | e40   | ---   | 627    | ---    | 73    | 135   | ---   |
| TOTAL | 2,218 | 1,242 | 537.3 | 378.6 | 407  | 850   | 2,944 | 11,978 | 6,208  | 2,040 | 2,450 | 3,647 |
| MEAN  | 71.5  | 41.4  | 17.3  | 12.2  | 14.5 | 27.4  | 98.1  | 386    | 207    | 65.8  | 79.0  | 122   |
| MAX   | 109   | 47    | 33    | 18    | 20   | 40    | 203   | 944    | 553    | 100   | 135   | 377   |
| MIN   | 48    | 35    | 7.5   | 9.6   | 10   | 13    | 37    | 97     | 105    | 41    | 46    | 49    |
| AC-FT | 4,400 | 2,460 | 1,070 | 751   | 807  | 1,690 | 5,840 | 23,760 | 12,310 | 4,050 | 4,860 | 7,230 |

STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1963 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 78.0   | 44.2   | 27.2   | 20.7   | 19.8   | 34.1   | 111    | 401    | 506    | 237    | 136    | 115    |
| MAX  | 280    | 104    | 52.0   | 42.5   | 44.5   | 80.8   | 226    | 697    | 927    | 596    | 442    | 455    |
| (WY) | (1973) | (1987) | (1986) | (1986) | (1986) | (1989) | (1989) | (2001) | (1980) | (1995) | (1999) | (1970) |
| MIN  | 22.3   | 16.7   | 9.89   | 9.51   | 8.42   | 9.11   | 40.3   | 132    | 64.1   | 27.5   | 27.5   | 25.1   |
| (WY) | (1979) | (1976) | (1977) | (1977) | (1977) | (1977) | (1964) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (1978) |

SUMMARY STATISTICS FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR FOR 2003 WATER YEAR WATER YEARS 1963 - 2003

|                          |          |        |          |       |        |  |  |  |  |         |              |  |
|--------------------------|----------|--------|----------|-------|--------|--|--|--|--|---------|--------------|--|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             | 18,079.0 |        | 34,899.9 |       |        |  |  |  |  | 145     |              |  |
| ANNUAL MEAN              | 49.5     |        | 95.6     |       |        |  |  |  |  | 226     |              |  |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |          |        |          |       |        |  |  |  |  | 43.9    |              |  |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |          |        |          |       |        |  |  |  |  | 2002    |              |  |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       | 400      | Sep 11 |          | 944   | May 28 |  |  |  |  | 3,020   | Sep 6, 1970  |  |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        | 6.6      | Feb 8  |          | e7.5  | Dec 30 |  |  |  |  | 6.6     | Feb 8, 2002  |  |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM | 7.7      | Feb 6  |          | 10    | Dec 29 |  |  |  |  | 7.4     | Dec 23, 1976 |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |          |        |          | 1,610 | May 28 |  |  |  |  | a7,050  | Sep 6, 1970  |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |          |        |          | 2.76  | May 28 |  |  |  |  | b6.51   | Sep 6, 1970  |  |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    | 35,860   |        | 69,220   |       |        |  |  |  |  | 104,700 |              |  |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 107      |        | 194      |       |        |  |  |  |  | 409     |              |  |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 33       |        | 54       |       |        |  |  |  |  | 60      |              |  |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 11       |        | 12       |       |        |  |  |  |  | 17      |              |  |

e Estimated.

a From rating curve extended above 1,400 ft<sup>3</sup>/s, on basis of slope-area measurement of peak flow.

b Maximum gage height, 6.51 ft, from water-stage recorder, 6.76 ft, from floodmarks.

**09353000 VALLECITO RESERVOIR NEAR BAYFIELD, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°23'00", long 107°34'30", in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  sec.18, T.36 N., R.6 W., La Plata County, Hydrologic Unit 14080101, in gatehouse above outlet gates at Vallecito Dam on Los Pinos (Pine) River, 300 ft left of spillway, 0.4 mi upstream from Jack Creek, and 11 mi northeast of Bayfield.

DRAINAGE AREA.--255 mi<sup>2</sup>.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--April 1941 to current year, monthly acre feet only 1941-1960, published in WSP 1313 and 1733. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09353000](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09353000)

REVISED RECORDS.--WSP 959: 1941. WSP 1513: 1956. WDR CO-00-2: Drainage area.

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Elevation of gage is 7,580 ft above NGVD of 1929 (levels by U.S. Bureau of Reclamation); gage readings have been reduced to elevations above NGVD of 1929.

REMARKS.--Reservoir is formed by earth and rockfill dam; dam completed in March 1941. Capacity of reservoir, 125,640 acre-ft between elevations 7,580 ft, sill of outlet gate, and 7,665 ft, top of spillway gates. Dead storage, 4,314 acre-ft. Figures given are usable contents. Reservoir is used to store water for irrigation in Los Pinos (Pine) River basin and provide hydroelectric power.

COOPERATION.--Records provided by Pine River Irrigation District.

EXTREMES (AT 0900) FOR PERIOD OF RECORD.--Maximum contents, 128,200 acre-ft, July 27, 1957, elevation, 7,665.72 ft; minimum, 1,520 acre-ft, Oct. 24-25, 1944, elevation, 7,584.10 ft. No usable storage prior to April 1941.

EXTREMES (AT 0900) FOR CURRENT YEAR.--Maximum contents, 82,100 acre-ft, June 6, elevation, 7,647.95 ft; minimum contents, 19,430 acre-ft, October 1, elevation, 7,611.92 ft.

## MONTHEND ELEVATION AND CONTENTS, AT 0900, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| Date                 | Elevation (feet) | Contents (acre-feet) | Change in contents<br>(acre-feet) |
|----------------------|------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Sept. 30 . . . . .   | 7,611.78         | 19,280               | -                                 |
| Oct. 31 . . . . .    | 7,615.88         | 23,910               | +4,630                            |
| Nov. 30 . . . . .    | 7,619.82         | 28,880               | +4,970                            |
| Dec. 31 . . . . .    | 7,622.37         | 32,440               | +3,560                            |
| CAL YR 2002. . . . . | -                | -                    | -21,770                           |
| Jan. 31 . . . . .    | 7,624.24         | 35,220               | +2,780                            |
| Feb. 28 . . . . .    | 7,625.98         | 37,960               | +2,740                            |
| Mar. 31 . . . . .    | 7,628.62         | 42,360               | +4,400                            |
| Apr. 30 . . . . .    | 7,635.63         | 55,310               | +12,950                           |
| May 31 . . . . .     | 7,646.68         | 79,130               | +23,820                           |
| June 30 . . . . .    | 7,641.97         | 68,530               | -10,600                           |
| July 31 . . . . .    | 7,627.82         | 40,990               | -27,540                           |
| Aug. 31 . . . . .    | 7,616.93         | 25,180               | -15,810                           |
| Sept. 30 . . . . .   | 7,624.58         | 35,740               | +10,560                           |
| WTR YR 2003. . . . . | -                | -                    | +16,460                           |

**09353800 LOS PINOS RIVER NEAR IGNACIO, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°09'58", long 107°34'57", in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  sec.26, T.34 N., R.7 W., La Plata County, Hydrologic Unit 14080101, on right bank 1.7 mi downstream from Pine River Canal, 2.2 mi upstream from Beaver Creek and 5.2 mi northeast of Ignacio.

DRAINAGE AREA.--340 mi<sup>2</sup>.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--October 1999 to current year. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09353800](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09353800)

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Elevation of gage is 6,630 ft above NGVD of 1929, from topographic map.

REMARKS.--Records good except for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Flow regulated by Vallecito Reservoir (station 09353000, capacity 125,640 acre ft.) 14 mi upstream since April 1941. Diversions for irrigation of about 2,040 acres upstream and about 40,040 acres downstream from the station. Some waste water is diverted to adjacent basins. Several measurements of specific conductance and water temperature were obtained and are published in the "Supplemental Water-Quality Data For Gaging Stations" section of this report.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003  
DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY   | JUN   | JUL    | AUG   | SEP   |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|
| 1     | 7.1   | 17    | 12    | e6.6  | e8.5  | 10    | 28    | 6.1   | 7.4   | 3.6    | 1.2   | 18    |
| 2     | 11    | 16    | 12    | e6.5  | e8.6  | 10    | 31    | 16    | 6.8   | 2.4    | 4.6   | 5.5   |
| 3     | 13    | 14    | 12    | e6.5  | e8.4  | 10    | 30    | 23    | 7.5   | 1.5    | 9.0   | 3.1   |
| 4     | 12    | 16    | 12    | e6.5  | 8.0   | 11    | 25    | 11    | 6.6   | 3.7    | 4.3   | 3.0   |
| 5     | 11    | 16    | 11    | e6.5  | 8.1   | 11    | 24    | 8.5   | 5.5   | 3.3    | 1.3   | 3.9   |
| 6     | 9.8   | 15    | 11    | e6.5  | 8.6   | 10    | 24    | 12    | 5.2   | 2.4    | 1.4   | 7.9   |
| 7     | 7.2   | 12    | 11    | e6.5  | 8.0   | 11    | 22    | 7.3   | 6.2   | 4.1    | 1.3   | 8.8   |
| 8     | 2.9   | 7.8   | 11    | e6.5  | 9.0   | 12    | 21    | 4.9   | 6.5   | 1.3    | 1.8   | 4.5   |
| 9     | 2.6   | 24    | e10   | e6.5  | 11    | 14    | 18    | 15    | 5.6   | 2.5    | 4.0   | 133   |
| 10    | 2.5   | 15    | e9.9  | e6.5  | 12    | 15    | 20    | e20   | 8.5   | 8.3    | 9.9   | 71    |
| 11    | 3.0   | 9.0   | e9.4  | e6.6  | 11    | 18    | 22    | e14   | 10    | 8.1    | 4.3   | 21    |
| 12    | 4.1   | 7.3   | e9.4  | e6.7  | 11    | 25    | 23    | e8.0  | 6.6   | 10     | 2.9   | 9.4   |
| 13    | 3.7   | 6.4   | e9.4  | e6.9  | 12    | 29    | 25    | 7.9   | 3.6   | 9.7    | 3.3   | 6.0   |
| 14    | 4.2   | 5.6   | e9.3  | e7.2  | 15    | 32    | 24    | 17    | 6.6   | 8.3    | 4.0   | 5.2   |
| 15    | 4.0   | 5.2   | e7.8  | e7.3  | 13    | 31    | 27    | 31    | 6.8   | 3.3    | 1.5   | 4.1   |
| 16    | 17    | 5.0   | e7.6  | e7.8  | 10    | 38    | 29    | 22    | 5.2   | 1.5    | 7.2   | 4.3   |
| 17    | 21    | 5.6   | e7.3  | e7.9  | 9.5   | 51    | 29    | 7.1   | 11    | 2.4    | 24    | 3.6   |
| 18    | 9.8   | 5.3   | e7.5  | e8.1  | 10    | 43    | 28    | 3.8   | 13    | 3.0    | 17    | 3.1   |
| 19    | 13    | 5.1   | 7.5   | e8.1  | 9.7   | 38    | 22    | 3.5   | 20    | 1.2    | 7.1   | 3.4   |
| 20    | 28    | 6.7   | e7.3  | e8.2  | 9.3   | 32    | 17    | 5.1   | 12    | 0.92   | 2.9   | 4.4   |
| 21    | 16    | 12    | e7.2  | e8.2  | 9.1   | 34    | 14    | 5.5   | 8.8   | 1.2    | 2.4   | 5.5   |
| 22    | 18    | 14    | e7.2  | e8.2  | 8.7   | 33    | 14    | 9.7   | 2.9   | 1.4    | 7.4   | 5.9   |
| 23    | 22    | 15    | e7.1  | e8.3  | 8.8   | 33    | 16    | 14    | 2.0   | 1.5    | 1.7   | 5.4   |
| 24    | 24    | 15    | e7.0  | e8.3  | 8.8   | 40    | 16    | 27    | 1.9   | 1.0    | 3.3   | 5.7   |
| 25    | 24    | 16    | e6.9  | 8.3   | 10    | 42    | 13    | 21    | 1.1   | 1.8    | 3.0   | 6.1   |
| 26    | 21    | 15    | 6.8   | 7.8   | 12    | 44    | 17    | 60    | 2.8   | 1.1    | 2.8   | 6.8   |
| 27    | 28    | 14    | e6.9  | e8.3  | 11    | 41    | 16    | 26    | 1.8   | 1.2    | 6.7   | 7.9   |
| 28    | 22    | 11    | e6.6  | e8.3  | 11    | 35    | 18    | 6.2   | 1.3   | 2.4    | 8.8   | 7.4   |
| 29    | 22    | 11    | e6.6  | e8.4  | ---   | 31    | 16    | 3.7   | 1.1   | 3.4    | 7.8   | 7.5   |
| 30    | 21    | 11    | e6.6  | e8.4  | ---   | 30    | 13    | 6.3   | 1.6   | 5.1    | 22    | 7.2   |
| 31    | 18    | ---   | e6.6  | e8.5  | ---   | 29    | ---   | 5.1   | ---   | 1.3    | 22    | ---   |
| TOTAL | 422.9 | 348.0 | 269.9 | 230.9 | 280.1 | 843   | 642   | 427.7 | 185.9 | 102.92 | 200.9 | 388.6 |
| MEAN  | 13.6  | 11.6  | 8.71  | 7.45  | 10.0  | 27.2  | 21.4  | 13.8  | 6.20  | 3.32   | 6.48  | 13.0  |
| MAX   | 28    | 24    | 12    | 8.5   | 15    | 51    | 31    | 60    | 20    | 10     | 24    | 133   |
| MIN   | 2.5   | 5.0   | 6.6   | 6.5   | 8.0   | 10    | 13    | 3.5   | 1.1   | 0.92   | 1.2   | 3.0   |
| AC-FT | 839   | 690   | 535   | 458   | 556   | 1,670 | 1,270 | 848   | 369   | 204    | 398   | 771   |

STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 2000 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 48.2   | 22.5   | 26.5   | 26.6   | 25.2   | 72.7   | 165    | 90.3   | 70.7   | 10.3   | 13.6   | 12.9   |
| (WY) | (2000) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2000) | (2001) | (2001) | (2001) | (2001) | (2001) | (2001) | (2001) |
| MAX  | 120    | 31.6   | 46.3   | 45.0   | 36.9   | 188    | 531    | 298    | 253    | 24.2   | 36.4   | 17.1   |
| MIN  | 13.6   | 11.6   | 8.71   | 7.45   | 10.0   | 24.0   | 17.6   | 12.0   | 6.20   | 3.32   | 2.31   | 8.28   |

| SUMMARY STATISTICS       |  |  | FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR |  |  | FOR 2003 WATER YEAR |  |  | WATER YEARS 2000 - 2003 |  |  |
|--------------------------|--|--|------------------------|--|--|---------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             |  |  | 5,822.46               |  |  | 4,342.82            |  |  | 48.7                    |  |  |
| ANNUAL MEAN              |  |  | 16.0                   |  |  | 11.9                |  |  | 123                     |  |  |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |  |  |                        |  |  |                     |  |  | 2001                    |  |  |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |  |  |                        |  |  |                     |  |  | 11.9                    |  |  |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       |  |  | 61                     |  |  | Jan 22              |  |  | 1,040                   |  |  |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        |  |  | e0.33                  |  |  | Aug 16              |  |  | 0.33                    |  |  |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM |  |  | 1.1                    |  |  | Aug 15              |  |  | 1.1                     |  |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |  |  |                        |  |  | 449                 |  |  | 1,100                   |  |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |  |  |                        |  |  | 4.08                |  |  | 4.95                    |  |  |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    |  |  | 11,550                 |  |  | 8,610               |  |  | 35,290                  |  |  |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  |  | 33                     |  |  | 25                  |  |  | 67                      |  |  |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  |  | 12                     |  |  | 8.4                 |  |  | 22                      |  |  |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  |  | 2.5                    |  |  | 2.8                 |  |  | 4.0                     |  |  |

e Estimated.

**09354500 LOS PINOS RIVER AT LA BOCA, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°00'34", long 107°35'56", in NE<sup>1/4</sup>NW<sup>1/4</sup> sec.22, T.32 N., R.7 W., La Plata County, Hydrologic Unit 14080101, on downstream end of right abutment of the Denver & Rio Grande Western Railroad Co. bridge, at southeast edge of La Boca, 0.5 mi upstream from Spring Creek, and 2 mi upstream from maximum elevation of Navajo Reservoir.

DRAINAGE AREA.--520 mi<sup>2</sup>.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--October 1950 to current year. Monthly discharge only for some periods, published in WSP 1733. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09354500](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09354500)

REVISED RECORDS.--WDR CO-00-2: Drainage area.

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Datum of gage is 6,127.21 ft above NGVD of 1929.

REMARKS.--Records good except for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Flow regulated by Vallecito Reservoir (station 09353000, capacity 125,640 acre-ft.) 24 mi upstream since April 1941. Diversions for irrigation of about 55,000 acres upstream from station. Several measurements of specific conductance and water temperature were obtained and are published in the "Supplemental Water-Quality Data For Gaging Stations" section of this report.

EXTREMES OUTSIDE PERIOD OF RECORD.--A flood on Oct. 5, 1911 has not yet been exceeded.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003  
DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | JAN  | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY   | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1     | 26    | 30    | 22    | e15  | e17   | 26    | 43    | 41    | 65    | 72    | 101   | 68    |
| 2     | 30    | 28    | 22    | e15  | e17   | 25    | 49    | 36    | 71    | 74    | 102   | 55    |
| 3     | 37    | 27    | 23    | e15  | 17    | 24    | 52    | 43    | 60    | 74    | 164   | 52    |
| 4     | 37    | 28    | 23    | e15  | 16    | 25    | 47    | 39    | 58    | 79    | 104   | 56    |
| 5     | 30    | 29    | 21    | e15  | e17   | 26    | 42    | 28    | 55    | 78    | 68    | 53    |
| 6     | 28    | 27    | 20    | e15  | 16    | 24    | 41    | 29    | 61    | 73    | 55    | 51    |
| 7     | 27    | 26    | 19    | e15  | 17    | 25    | 40    | 25    | 65    | 76    | 55    | 59    |
| 8     | 23    | 23    | 20    | e15  | 17    | 28    | 38    | 20    | 68    | 71    | 59    | 50    |
| 9     | 21    | 85    | 20    | e15  | 17    | 36    | 34    | 19    | 68    | 65    | 70    | 564   |
| 10    | 18    | 67    | 20    | e15  | 18    | 49    | 34    | 41    | 65    | 65    | 63    | 727   |
| 11    | 17    | 36    | e19   | e15  | 20    | 88    | 39    | 36    | 66    | 65    | 58    | 151   |
| 12    | 17    | 27    | e19   | e16  | 19    | 122   | 48    | 33    | 71    | 70    | 58    | 74    |
| 13    | 16    | 23    | e19   | e16  | 27    | 106   | 55    | 27    | 70    | 67    | 59    | 52    |
| 14    | 16    | 21    | e19   | e16  | 57    | 80    | 60    | 27    | 74    | 69    | 55    | 41    |
| 15    | 15    | 19    | e18   | e16  | 41    | 66    | 67    | 61    | 72    | 67    | 51    | 37    |
| 16    | 20    | 17    | e17   | e16  | 28    | 68    | 70    | 46    | 72    | 64    | 69    | 31    |
| 17    | 49    | 17    | e17   | e17  | 24    | 164   | 64    | 37    | 83    | 67    | 82    | 28    |
| 18    | 32    | 17    | e16   | e17  | 24    | 146   | 65    | 38    | 94    | 64    | 106   | 25    |
| 19    | 44    | 16    | e16   | e17  | 26    | 94    | 59    | 37    | 112   | 63    | 71    | 27    |
| 20    | 48    | 16    | e16   | e17  | 22    | 71    | 50    | 34    | 124   | 63    | 55    | 27    |
| 21    | 47    | 19    | e16   | e17  | 20    | 68    | 44    | 39    | 103   | 72    | 50    | 26    |
| 22    | 38    | 22    | e16   | e17  | 19    | 70    | 42    | 39    | 94    | 69    | 55    | 25    |
| 23    | 41    | 23    | e16   | e17  | 17    | 62    | 47    | 47    | 92    | 68    | 55    | 25    |
| 24    | 44    | 24    | e16   | e17  | 18    | 68    | 48    | 70    | 84    | 72    | 50    | 25    |
| 25    | 40    | 25    | e16   | e17  | 22    | 71    | 43    | 70    | 83    | 71    | 51    | 24    |
| 26    | 39    | 25    | e16   | 17   | 29    | 71    | 47    | 99    | 86    | 76    | 47    | 23    |
| 27    | 58    | 25    | e16   | e17  | 30    | 68    | 52    | 85    | 85    | 112   | 48    | 24    |
| 28    | 46    | 22    | e16   | e17  | 29    | 60    | 55    | 60    | 80    | 125   | 65    | 23    |
| 29    | 40    | 20    | e16   | e17  | ---   | 53    | 51    | 56    | 77    | 119   | 57    | 23    |
| 30    | 37    | 20    | e16   | e17  | ---   | 47    | 48    | 61    | 73    | 120   | 61    | 22    |
| 31    | 34    | ---   | e16   | e17  | ---   | 45    | ---   | 59    | ---   | 104   | 82    | ---   |
| TOTAL | 1,015 | 804   | 562   | 500  | 641   | 1,976 | 1,474 | 1,382 | 2,331 | 2,394 | 2,126 | 2,468 |
| MEAN  | 32.7  | 26.8  | 18.1  | 16.1 | 22.9  | 63.7  | 49.1  | 44.6  | 77.7  | 77.2  | 68.6  | 82.3  |
| MAX   | 58    | 85    | 23    | 17   | 57    | 164   | 70    | 99    | 124   | 125   | 164   | 727   |
| MIN   | 15    | 16    | 16    | 15   | 16    | 24    | 34    | 19    | 55    | 63    | 47    | 22    |
| AC-FT | 2,010 | 1,590 | 1,110 | 992  | 1,270 | 3,920 | 2,920 | 2,740 | 4,620 | 4,750 | 4,220 | 4,900 |

STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1951 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 192    | 132    | 100    | 73.5   | 94.8   | 215    | 337    | 418    | 493    | 293    | 234    | 211    |
| MAX  | 672    | 709    | 396    | 182    | 362    | 972    | 1,339  | 1,719  | 1,555  | 1,381  | 1,349  | 725    |
| (WY) | (1987) | (1987) | (1983) | (1985) | (1993) | (1993) | (1979) | (1958) | (1979) | (1957) | (1999) | (1997) |
| MIN  | 32.7   | 26.8   | 18.1   | 16.1   | 22.9   | 31.7   | 22.6   | 40.6   | 60.8   | 23.8   | 13.0   | 33.4   |
| (WY) | (2003) | (2003) | (2003) | (2003) | (2003) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) |

SUMMARY STATISTICS FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR FOR 2003 WATER YEAR WATER YEARS 1951 - 2003

|                          |          |        |              |
|--------------------------|----------|--------|--------------|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             | 11,778.1 | 17,673 |              |
| ANNUAL MEAN              | 32.3     | 48.4   |              |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |          |        | 236          |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |          |        | 582          |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       | 114      | Sep 11 | 44.6         |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        | 6.6      | Aug 28 | Jul 27, 1957 |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM | 8.7      | Aug 23 | May 1, 1977  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |          | 1,490  | Apr 30, 1977 |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |          | 6.28   | a6,400       |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    | 23,360   | 35,050 | Jul 27, 1957 |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 58       | 80     | 542          |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 28       | 39     | 131          |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 14       | 16     | 48           |

e Estimated.

a From rating curve extended above 5100 ft<sup>3</sup>/s.

b Maximum gage height, 9.00 ft, backwater from ice, sometime during period, Dec 23, 1990 to Jan 17, 1991.

**09355000 SPRING CREEK AT LA BOCA, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°00'40", long 107°35'47", in SE<sup>1/4</sup>SW<sup>1/4</sup> sec.15, T.32 N., R.7 W., La Plata County, Hydrologic Unit 14080101, on right bank in an excavated channel, 0.2 mi upstream from mouth, and 0.2 mi east of La Boca.

DRAINAGE AREA.--58.2 mi<sup>2</sup>.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--October 1950 to current year. Monthly discharge only for some periods, published in WSP 1733. Water-quality data available, May 1974, January 1988 to September 1991. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09355000](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09355000).

REVISED RECORDS.-- WDR CO-00-02: Drainage area.

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Elevation of gage is 6,160 ft above NGVD of 1929, from topographic map.

REMARKS.--Records fair except for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Part of flow is return waste from irrigation. Nearly all irrigation in this basin is water diverted from Los Pinos River which causes a considerable change in the annual pattern and natural flow. Several measurements of specific conductance and water temperature were obtained and are published in the "Supplemental Water-Quality Data For Gaging Stations" section of this report.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003  
DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | JAN   | FEB    | MAR   | APR   | MAY    | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP    |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 1     | 1.3   | 1.0   | 1.5   | e0.48 | 0.34   | 7.2   | 0.90  | 0.17   | 30    | 40    | 43    | 46     |
| 2     | 1.8   | 0.92  | e1.6  | e0.49 | 0.13   | 5.6   | 0.90  | 3.4    | 31    | 42    | 50    | 63     |
| 3     | 2.0   | 0.85  | 1.7   | e0.74 | e0.28  | 5.2   | 0.97  | 9.4    | 29    | 41    | 71    | 69     |
| 4     | 1.6   | 1.2   | 1.5   | e0.85 | e0.51  | 5.2   | 0.90  | 1.7    | 29    | 38    | 56    | 48     |
| 5     | 1.4   | 1.2   | 1.2   | e0.85 | e0.58  | 5.9   | 0.96  | 1.4    | 28    | 42    | 49    | 45     |
| 6     | 1.3   | 0.82  | e1.4  | e0.79 | e0.74  | 5.7   | 0.91  | 4.4    | 30    | 42    | 47    | 45     |
| 7     | 1.2   | 0.83  | e1.6  | e0.63 | e1.3   | 5.7   | 0.82  | 7.3    | 37    | 41    | 48    | 48     |
| 8     | 1.1   | 1.2   | e1.9  | e0.46 | e1.8   | 6.2   | 0.68  | 7.1    | 37    | 40    | 48    | 45     |
| 9     | 1.2   | 12    | e2.4  | e0.38 | e2.3   | 8.1   | 0.67  | 9.2    | 34    | 39    | 51    | 276    |
| 10    | e1.1  | 11    | e2.9  | e0.38 | e3.0   | 12    | 0.67  | 9.4    | 36    | 35    | 46    | 281    |
| 11    | e1.0  | 3.4   | e3.0  | e0.38 | e3.4   | 22    | 0.66  | 8.2    | 39    | 41    | 41    | 9.1    |
| 12    | e0.84 | 2.0   | e3.3  | e0.38 | e3.9   | 40    | 0.64  | 9.3    | 41    | 42    | 40    | 0.99   |
| 13    | 0.96  | 1.4   | e3.6  | e0.35 | 6.0    | 34    | 0.60  | 8.9    | 45    | 43    | 40    | 0.33   |
| 14    | 0.89  | 1.2   | e2.7  | e0.37 | 7.7    | 20    | 0.45  | 7.7    | 43    | 44    | 46    | 0.12   |
| 15    | 0.92  | 1.1   | e2.4  | e0.42 | 7.7    | 13    | 0.53  | 11     | 41    | 44    | 49    | 0.08   |
| 16    | 0.82  | e1.3  | e2.0  | e0.46 | 4.8    | 12    | 0.60  | 13     | 40    | 43    | 63    | 0.05   |
| 17    | 10    | e1.4  | e1.7  | e0.53 | 3.8    | 48    | 0.48  | 13     | 41    | 43    | 61    | 0.04   |
| 18    | 6.1   | e1.4  | e1.5  | e0.53 | 3.8    | 26    | 0.40  | 16     | 46    | 43    | 70    | 0.02   |
| 19    | 11    | e1.3  | e1.2  | e0.51 | 3.7    | 14    | 0.44  | 19     | 49    | 41    | 59    | 0.02   |
| 20    | 17    | e1.2  | e1.1  | e0.46 | e2.9   | 7.1   | 0.39  | 19     | 54    | 42    | 52    | 0.01   |
| 21    | 4.9   | e1.2  | e0.86 | e0.46 | e2.7   | 6.2   | 0.41  | 19     | 43    | 45    | 49    | 0.05   |
| 22    | 1.5   | e1.2  | e0.86 | e0.42 | e2.8   | 7.8   | 0.39  | 18     | 41    | 48    | 54    | 0.02   |
| 23    | e1.0  | e1.2  | e0.79 | e0.38 | e2.8   | 4.9   | 0.59  | 19     | 39    | 47    | 55    | 0.01   |
| 24    | 1.1   | e1.3  | e0.67 | e0.38 | e2.7   | 4.8   | 0.51  | 19     | 37    | 50    | 63    | 0.01   |
| 25    | 0.55  | 1.2   | e0.67 | e0.35 | 4.0    | 3.9   | 0.36  | 19     | 37    | 50    | 59    | 0.01   |
| 26    | 1.0   | e1.2  | e0.67 | e0.27 | 6.5    | 3.1   | 0.32  | 26     | 40    | 64    | 60    | 0.05   |
| 27    | 3.8   | e1.3  | e0.67 | e0.24 | 7.4    | 2.5   | 0.32  | 23     | 41    | 62    | 57    | 0.29   |
| 28    | 1.1   | e1.3  | e0.67 | e0.24 | 15     | 1.8   | 0.27  | 23     | 40    | 95    | 63    | 0.78   |
| 29    | 0.77  | e1.4  | e0.61 | 0.41  | ---    | 1.5   | 0.23  | 20     | 39    | 46    | 70    | 1.4    |
| 30    | 1.1   | e1.4  | e0.58 | 0.12  | ---    | e1.3  | 0.17  | 27     | 40    | 47    | 61    | 2.1    |
| 31    | 1.1   | ---   | e0.48 | 0.39  | ---    | 1.1   | ---   | 28     | ---   | 43    | 68    | ---    |
| TOTAL | 81.45 | 59.42 | 47.73 | 14.10 | 102.58 | 341.8 | 17.14 | 419.57 | 1,157 | 1,423 | 1,689 | 981.48 |
| MEAN  | 2.63  | 1.98  | 1.54  | 0.45  | 3.66   | 11.0  | 0.57  | 13.5   | 38.6  | 45.9  | 54.5  | 32.7   |
| MAX   | 17    | 12    | 3.6   | 0.85  | 15     | 48    | 0.97  | 28     | 54    | 95    | 71    | 281    |
| MIN   | 0.55  | 0.82  | 0.48  | 0.12  | 0.13   | 1.1   | 0.17  | 0.17   | 28    | 35    | 40    | 0.01   |
| AC-FT | 162   | 118   | 95    | 28    | 203    | 678   | 34    | 832    | 2,290 | 2,820 | 3,350 | 1,950  |

STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1951 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 34.1   | 10.4   | 5.38   | 4.73   | 9.78   | 17.9   | 12.8   | 38.1   | 56.9   | 65.9   | 65.1   | 56.9   |
| MAX  | 87.9   | 29.6   | 20.4   | 19.3   | 54.8   | 89.7   | 41.1   | 64.5   | 79.3   | 111    | 132    | 92.0   |
| (WY) | (1973) | (1956) | (1985) | (1980) | (1980) | (1979) | (1979) | (1992) | (1986) | (1996) | (1996) | (1983) |
| MIN  | 2.63   | 1.98   | 1.54   | 0.45   | 2.06   | 2.36   | 0.57   | 13.5   | 24.4   | 1.07   | 0.45   | 0.93   |

| SUMMARY STATISTICS       | FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR |  |  |  | FOR 2003 WATER YEAR |  |  |  | WATER YEARS 1951 - 2003 |  |  |  |
|--------------------------|------------------------|--|--|--|---------------------|--|--|--|-------------------------|--|--|--|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             | 2,589.82               |  |  |  | 6,334.27            |  |  |  | 31.9                    |  |  |  |
| ANNUAL MEAN              | 7.10                   |  |  |  | 17.4                |  |  |  | 47.7                    |  |  |  |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |                        |  |  |  |                     |  |  |  | 9.78                    |  |  |  |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |                        |  |  |  |                     |  |  |  | 2002                    |  |  |  |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       | 64                     |  |  |  | 281                 |  |  |  | 918                     |  |  |  |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        | 0.00                   |  |  |  | 0.01                |  |  |  | 0.00                    |  |  |  |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM | 0.03                   |  |  |  | 0.02                |  |  |  | 0.02                    |  |  |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |                        |  |  |  | 742                 |  |  |  | a1,980                  |  |  |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |                        |  |  |  | 5.50                |  |  |  | b4.62                   |  |  |  |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    | 5,140                  |  |  |  | 12,560              |  |  |  | 23,090                  |  |  |  |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 27                     |  |  |  | 48                  |  |  |  | 71                      |  |  |  |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 1.7                    |  |  |  | 3.0                 |  |  |  | 21                      |  |  |  |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 0.37                   |  |  |  | 0.38                |  |  |  | 3.0                     |  |  |  |

e Estimated.

a From rating curve extended above 160 ft<sup>3</sup>/s, on the basis of field estimate of peak flow.

b Maximum gage height, 5.98 ft, Mar 9, 1960, backwater from ice.

**09358000 ANIMAS RIVER AT SILVERTON, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°48'40", long 107°39'31", in SE<sup>1/4</sup>NW<sup>1/4</sup> sec.17, T.41 N., R.7 W., San Juan County, Hydrologic Unit 14080104, on right bank at southeast end of 14th Street, 800 feet upstream from Cement Creek, in the city of Silverton.

DRAINAGE AREA.--70.6 mi<sup>2</sup>.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--June to October 1903 (staff gage), monthly discharge only, published in WSP 1313. October 1991 to September 1993, October 1994 to current year. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09358000](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09358000)

REVISED RECORDS.--WDR CO 92-2: Drainage area.

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Elevation of gage is 9,290 ft above NGVD of 1929, from topographic map.

REMARKS.--Records fair except for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. No diversions upstream for irrigation in Animas River drainage. Natural regulation by many lakes upstream from station. Mineral Point Ditch exports 100 to 400 acre feet of water per year from headwaters of Animas River to Uncompahgre River drainage. City of Silverton diverts some water from Boulder Creek (tributary) for municipal use. Several measurements of specific conductance and water temperature were obtained and are published in the "Supplemental Water-Quality Data For Gaging Stations" section of this report.

EXTREMES OUTSIDE PERIOD OF RECORD.--Maximum stage since at least 1884, was probably that of October 5, 1911.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003  
DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | JAN   | FEB  | MAR   | APR   | MAY    | JUN    | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1     | 63    | 39    | e28   | e18   | e18  | e17   | e26   | 128    | 772    | 162   | 56    | 59    |
| 2     | 68    | 40    | e27   | e18   | e18  | e18   | e26   | 125    | 743    | 163   | 52    | 55    |
| 3     | 76    | 33    | e26   | e18   | e18  | e18   | e25   | 126    | 660    | 156   | 51    | 54    |
| 4     | 69    | 33    | e26   | e19   | e18  | e19   | e25   | 129    | 610    | 146   | 45    | 51    |
| 5     | 74    | 31    | e25   | e19   | e18  | e19   | e25   | 110    | 549    | 136   | 44    | 59    |
| 6     | 71    | 31    | e25   | e19   | e18  | e19   | e24   | 96     | 468    | 122   | 43    | 67    |
| 7     | 71    | 31    | e26   | e19   | e19  | e19   | e24   | 90     | 430    | 114   | 44    | 70    |
| 8     | 72    | 32    | e26   | e19   | e19  | e19   | e23   | 86     | 439    | 112   | 47    | 66    |
| 9     | 71    | 32    | e26   | e19   | e19  | e20   | e24   | 77     | 453    | 108   | 43    | 101   |
| 10    | 69    | e33   | e26   | e19   | e19  | e20   | e25   | 70     | 437    | 101   | 44    | 151   |
| 11    | 67    | e33   | e25   | e19   | e19  | e20   | 34    | 67     | 402    | 95    | 43    | 135   |
| 12    | 65    | e33   | e24   | e19   | e19  | e20   | 38    | 83     | 361    | 90    | 42    | 148   |
| 13    | 62    | e33   | e23   | e19   | e18  | e19   | 41    | 118    | 313    | 84    | 67    | 182   |
| 14    | 59    | e33   | e23   | e20   | e17  | e19   | 61    | 146    | 289    | 79    | 129   | 179   |
| 15    | 54    | e33   | e23   | e20   | e17  | e19   | 75    | 193    | 326    | 74    | 87    | 170   |
| 16    | 51    | e33   | e23   | e21   | e16  | e17   | 62    | 187    | 301    | 77    | 81    | 165   |
| 17    | 50    | e33   | e22   | e22   | e16  | e16   | 60    | 277    | 262    | 75    | 75    | 159   |
| 18    | 49    | e33   | e22   | e22   | e16  | e16   | 58    | 308    | 242    | 71    | 70    | 145   |
| 19    | 47    | e33   | e21   | e22   | e16  | e16   | 52    | 282    | 246    | 70    | 64    | 127   |
| 20    | 45    | e32   | e20   | e22   | e16  | e16   | 53    | 325    | 241    | 66    | 58    | 117   |
| 21    | 43    | e32   | e19   | e22   | e16  | e17   | 61    | 394    | 230    | 65    | 55    | 105   |
| 22    | 44    | e32   | e19   | e21   | e16  | e18   | 62    | 525    | 248    | 64    | 53    | 96    |
| 23    | 45    | e32   | e18   | e21   | e15  | e19   | 58    | 633    | 250    | 61    | 53    | 87    |
| 24    | 46    | e32   | e18   | e20   | e16  | e21   | 55    | 639    | 228    | 58    | 54    | 82    |
| 25    | 42    | e31   | e18   | e19   | e16  | e22   | 65    | 590    | 204    | 57    | 50    | 76    |
| 26    | 40    | e30   | e18   | e19   | e16  | e22   | 91    | 641    | 198    | 57    | 50    | 71    |
| 27    | 42    | e30   | e18   | e19   | e16  | e22   | 120   | 829    | 197    | 57    | 53    | 68    |
| 28    | 39    | e30   | e18   | e19   | e16  | e22   | 140   | 967    | 189    | 61    | 66    | 64    |
| 29    | 39    | e29   | e18   | e19   | ---  | e22   | 141   | 1,020  | 177    | 60    | 62    | 61    |
| 30    | 36    | e29   | e18   | e18   | ---  | e23   | 136   | 855    | 172    | 63    | 68    | 58    |
| 31    | 37    | ---   | e18   | e18   | ---  | e25   | ---   | 769    | ---    | 58    | 64    | ---   |
| TOTAL | 1,706 | 971   | 687   | 608   | 481  | 599   | 1,710 | 10,885 | 10,637 | 2,762 | 1,813 | 3,028 |
| MEAN  | 55.0  | 32.4  | 22.2  | 19.6  | 17.2 | 19.3  | 57.0  | 351    | 355    | 89.1  | 58.5  | 101   |
| MAX   | 76    | 40    | 28    | 22    | 19   | 25    | 141   | 1,020  | 772    | 163   | 129   | 182   |
| MIN   | 36    | 29    | 18    | 18    | 15   | 16    | 23    | 67     | 172    | 57    | 42    | 51    |
| AC-FT | 3,380 | 1,930 | 1,360 | 1,210 | 954  | 1,190 | 3,390 | 21,590 | 21,100 | 5,480 | 3,600 | 6,010 |

STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1992 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 60.8   | 37.3   | 28.7   | 25.0   | 23.1   | 27.5   | 63.7   | 312    | 498    | 252    | 113    | 79.7   |
| (WY) | (1998) | (1998) | (1998) | (1995) | (1995) | (1995) | (2000) | (1996) | (1997) | (1995) | (1995) | (1999) |
| MAX  | 136    | 64.9   | 41.4   | 33.8   | 36.1   | 43.3   | 92.9   | 454    | 794    | 734    | 253    | 131    |
| MIN  | 30.4   | 21.2   | 18.9   | 13.8   | 15.7   | 18.6   | 39.6   | 147    | 128    | 30.5   | 28.0   | 42.2   |
| (WY) | (2002) | (2002) | (1992) | (1992) | (1992) | (1992) | (1993) | (1995) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2001) |

| SUMMARY STATISTICS       |  |  | FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR |  |  | FOR 2003 WATER YEAR |  |  | WATER YEARS 1992 - 2003 |  |  |
|--------------------------|--|--|------------------------|--|--|---------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             |  |  | 20,398                 |  |  | 35,887              |  |  | 127                     |  |  |
| ANNUAL MEAN              |  |  | 55.9                   |  |  | 98.3                |  |  | 194                     |  |  |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |  |  |                        |  |  |                     |  |  | 52.7                    |  |  |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |  |  |                        |  |  |                     |  |  | 2002                    |  |  |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       |  |  | 281                    |  |  | Jun 1               |  |  | 1,180                   |  |  |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        |  |  | e14                    |  |  | Mar 1               |  |  | Jun 4, 1997             |  |  |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM |  |  | 15                     |  |  | Feb 25              |  |  | 9.7                     |  |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |  |  |                        |  |  |                     |  |  | Oct 30, 1999            |  |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |  |  |                        |  |  |                     |  |  | 13                      |  |  |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    |  |  | 40,460                 |  |  | 71,180              |  |  | Jan 16, 1992            |  |  |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  |  | 128                    |  |  | 241                 |  |  | Jun 4, 1997             |  |  |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  |  | 32                     |  |  | 45                  |  |  | 1,470                   |  |  |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  |  | 20                     |  |  | 4.32                |  |  | Jun 4, 1997             |  |  |
|                          |  |  |                        |  |  | a,b,3.99            |  |  | 91,980                  |  |  |
|                          |  |  |                        |  |  |                     |  |  | 370                     |  |  |
|                          |  |  |                        |  |  |                     |  |  | 48                      |  |  |
|                          |  |  |                        |  |  |                     |  |  | 19                      |  |  |

e Estimated.

a Maximum gage height during period Jun to Oct 1903, 4.90 ft, Jun 17, 1903, site and datum then in use.

b Maximum gage height since 1992, 4.32 ft, May 28, 2003, due to channel change, present site and datum.

**09358550 CEMENT CREEK AT SILVERTON, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°49'11", long 107°39'47", in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  sec.8, T.41 N., R.7 W., San Juan County, Hydrologic Unit 14080104, on left bank, at abandoned railroad crossing Cement Creek, 0.1 mile north of Silverton, and 0.8 mile upstream from mouth.

DRAINAGE AREA.--20.1 mi<sup>2</sup>.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--October 1991 to September 1993, October 1994 to current year. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09358550](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09358550)

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Elevation of gage is 9,380 ft above NGVD of 1929, from topographic map.

REMARKS.--Records fair except for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Natural regulation by many lakes upstream from station. Diversions for mining operations upstream from station. However, these diversions are returned to the creek upstream of the gage. Mine drainage contributes considerable amounts of water to the creek. Several measurements of specific conductance and water temperature were obtained and are published in the "Supplemental Water-Quality Data For Gaging Stations" section of this report.

EXTREMES OUTSIDE PERIOD OF RECORD.--A major flood occurred October 5, 1911. A more recent flood occurred June 6, 1978, when Lake Emma (6.5 mi northeast of Silverton) was undermined by mining operations, and released a large quantity of water into the headwaters of Cement Creek. Discharge not determined.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003  
DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV  | DEC   | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY   | JUN   | JUL   | AUG  | SEP   |
|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|
| 1     | 19    | 16   | e13   | e8.0  | e8.7  | e8.4  | 18    | 53    | 196   | 36    | 16   | 14    |
| 2     | 20    | 16   | e13   | e8.2  | e8.7  | e8.5  | 17    | 49    | 194   | 35    | 16   | 14    |
| 3     | 21    | 15   | e13   | e8.3  | e8.7  | e8.6  | 15    | 48    | 168   | 35    | 16   | 14    |
| 4     | 22    | 15   | e13   | e8.4  | e8.7  | e8.7  | 14    | 48    | 146   | 33    | 16   | 14    |
| 5     | 22    | 15   | e13   | e8.5  | e8.8  | e8.9  | 14    | 40    | 129   | 30    | 15   | 15    |
| 6     | 21    | 15   | e13   | e8.5  | e8.9  | e9.0  | 14    | 35    | 116   | 28    | 16   | 16    |
| 7     | 21    | 15   | 13    | e8.5  | e8.9  | e9.2  | 14    | 33    | 109   | 26    | 16   | 18    |
| 8     | 21    | 16   | 13    | e8.5  | e8.9  | e9.4  | 13    | 31    | 109   | 24    | 16   | 15    |
| 9     | 20    | 16   | e11   | e8.5  | e9.0  | e9.7  | 16    | 28    | 108   | 23    | 15   | 25    |
| 10    | 19    | 15   | e11   | e8.5  | e9.1  | e10   | 22    | 26    | 104   | 22    | 16   | 36    |
| 11    | 19    | 15   | e10   | e8.6  | e9.3  | e12   | 27    | 29    | 99    | 21    | e15  | 33    |
| 12    | 18    | 14   | e9.7  | e8.8  | e8.7  | 13    | 28    | 42    | 86    | 20    | e14  | 38    |
| 13    | 18    | 15   | e8.5  | e9.0  | e8.4  | 14    | 32    | 55    | 73    | 20    | 19   | 35    |
| 14    | 17    | 15   | e8.2  | e9.3  | e8.2  | 14    | 38    | 70    | 71    | 19    | 20   | 31    |
| 15    | 17    | 15   | e8.0  | e9.3  | e8.1  | 14    | 35    | 77    | 75    | 18    | 16   | 29    |
| 16    | 17    | 13   | e8.0  | e9.5  | e7.9  | 13    | 28    | 85    | 69    | 19    | 20   | 27    |
| 17    | 17    | 15   | e8.0  | e9.7  | e7.7  | 13    | 29    | 122   | 60    | 19    | 18   | 25    |
| 18    | 16    | 14   | e8.0  | e9.8  | e7.5  | 13    | 29    | 119   | 56    | 18    | 17   | 23    |
| 19    | 15    | 14   | e8.0  | e10   | e7.6  | 12    | 24    | 107   | 56    | 19    | 16   | e22   |
| 20    | 16    | 14   | e7.9  | e11   | e7.7  | 12    | 25    | 118   | 55    | 17    | 15   | e21   |
| 21    | 16    | 15   | e7.8  | e13   | e7.7  | 12    | 28    | 137   | 53    | 17    | 15   | 20    |
| 22    | 16    | 16   | e7.8  | e12   | e7.8  | 13    | 26    | 170   | 55    | 17    | 15   | 19    |
| 23    | 16    | 16   | e7.7  | e11   | e8.0  | 14    | 23    | 194   | 55    | 17    | 18   | 18    |
| 24    | 15    | 15   | e7.6  | e10   | e8.1  | 15    | 23    | 202   | 50    | 17    | 16   | 17    |
| 25    | 15    | 15   | e7.6  | e9.8  | e8.2  | 15    | 32    | 166   | 46    | 17    | 15   | 17    |
| 26    | 16    | 14   | e7.6  | e9.3  | e8.3  | 15    | 47    | 167   | 45    | 16    | 15   | 16    |
| 27    | 16    | 14   | e7.6  | e9.2  | e8.3  | 15    | 60    | 205   | 44    | 17    | 15   | 16    |
| 28    | 15    | e14  | e7.6  | e8.9  | e8.3  | 13    | 65    | 239   | 42    | 17    | 16   | 15    |
| 29    | 16    | e14  | e7.6  | e8.7  | ---   | e15   | 59    | 237   | 40    | 17    | 15   | 15    |
| 30    | 14    | e13  | e7.7  | e8.7  | ---   | e17   | 55    | 218   | 39    | 16    | 18   | 15    |
| 31    | 16    | ---  | e7.9  | e8.7  | ---   | e17   | ---   | 203   | ---   | 16    | 15   | ---   |
| TOTAL | 547   | 444  | 294.8 | 288.2 | 234.2 | 381.4 | 870   | 3,353 | 2,548 | 666   | 501  | 633   |
| MEAN  | 17.6  | 14.8 | 9.51  | 9.30  | 8.36  | 12.3  | 29.0  | 108   | 84.9  | 21.5  | 16.2 | 21.1  |
| MAX   | 22    | 16   | 13    | 13    | 9.3   | 17    | 65    | 239   | 196   | 36    | 20   | 38    |
| MIN   | 14    | 13   | 7.6   | 8.0   | 7.5   | 8.4   | 13    | 26    | 39    | 16    | 14   | 14    |
| MED   | 17    | 15   | 8.0   | 8.9   | 8.3   | 13    | 26    | 85    | 70    | 19    | 16   | 18    |
| AC-FT | 1,080 | 881  | 585   | 572   | 465   | 757   | 1,730 | 6,650 | 5,050 | 1,320 | 994  | 1,260 |

STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1992 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 18.7   | 16.1   | 13.0   | 12.1   | 12.1   | 15.3   | 29.3   | 101    | 125    | 54.0   | 26.2   | 21.7   |
| MAX  | 28.9   | 19.8   | 15.6   | 15.8   | 17.8   | 22.7   | 42.1   | 145    | 263    | 149    | 50.7   | 34.6   |
| (WY) | (1998) | (1999) | (1995) | (1995) | (1995) | (1995) | (2000) | (1996) | (1995) | (1995) | (1999) | (1999) |
| MIN  | 14.0   | 12.7   | 9.26   | 8.27   | 8.36   | 12.3   | 22.6   | 37.3   | 24.6   | 13.2   | 12.9   | 16.9   |
| (WY) | (1992) | (2002) | (2002) | (2003) | (2003) | (1998) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) |

SUMMARY STATISTICS FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR FOR 2003 WATER YEAR WATER YEARS 1992 - 2003

|                          |         |             |                    |
|--------------------------|---------|-------------|--------------------|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             | 6,364.3 | 10,760.6    |                    |
| ANNUAL MEAN              | 17.4    | 29.5        | 37.1               |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |         |             | 56.3               |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |         |             | 17.0               |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       | 50      | May 20      | 385 Jun 16, 1995   |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        | e7.6    | Dec 24      | a,e7.5 Jan 2, 1992 |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM | 7.6     | Dec 23      | e7.6 Dec 23, 2002  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |         | 300 May 28  | 471 Jun 14, 1995   |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |         | 2.26 May 28 | 2.85 Jun 14, 1995  |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    | 12,620  | 21,340      | 26,850             |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 33      | 60          | 95                 |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 14      | 16          | 18                 |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 8.2     | 8.4         | 11                 |

e Estimated.

a Also occurred Feb 18, 2003.

**09359010 MINERAL CREEK AT SILVERTON, CO**

**LOCATION.**--Lat 37°48'10", long 107°40'20", in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  sec.19, T.41 N., R.7 W., San Juan County, Hydrologic Unit 14080104, on right bank at southwest end of Greene Street at abandoned bridge crossing Mineral Creek, 300 ft downstream from U. S. Highway 550 crossing Mineral Creek, 1,400 ft upstream from mouth, and 0.5 mi southwest of Silverton.

**DRAINAGE AREA.**--52.5 mi<sup>2</sup>.

**PERIOD OF RECORD.**--October 1991 to September 1993, October 1994 to current year. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09359010](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09359010)

**GAGE.**--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Datum of gage is 9245.98 ft above NGVD of 1929, from San Juan County bench mark.

**REMARKS.**--Records good except for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Natural regulation by many lakes upstream from station. Diversions upstream from Mineral Creek drainage to Uncompahgre River drainage consists of 100 to 200 acre-feet per year through Red Mountain Ditch and 400 to 500 acre-feet per year through Carbon Lake Ditch. City of Silverton diverts some water from Bear Creek (tributary) for municipal use. Several measurements of specific conductance and water temperature were obtained and are published in the "Supplemental Water-Quality Data For Gaging Stations" section of this report.

**EXTREMES OUTSIDE PERIOD OF RECORD.**--Maximum flood known occurred October 5, 1911. An indirect determination of peak flow for flood of September 5, 1970, was run in very close proximity to present site, discharge, 3,070 ft<sup>3</sup>/s, gage height not determined.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003  
DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | JAN   | FEB  | MAR   | APR   | MAY    | JUN    | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1     | 48    | 31    | e24   | e16   | e14  | e14   | e25   | 84     | 681    | 126   | 53    | 60    |
| 2     | 54    | 30    | e24   | e16   | e14  | e14   | e25   | 82     | 671    | 124   | 51    | 55    |
| 3     | 55    | 28    | e22   | e17   | e14  | e15   | e24   | 82     | 597    | 119   | 49    | 51    |
| 4     | 53    | 27    | e22   | e17   | e14  | e15   | e23   | 83     | 565    | 111   | 47    | 49    |
| 5     | 55    | 27    | e22   | e17   | e14  | e15   | e23   | 70     | 464    | 103   | 44    | 49    |
| 6     | 55    | 27    | e22   | e17   | e14  | e16   | e23   | 63     | 370    | 91    | 46    | 54    |
| 7     | 57    | 27    | e21   | e17   | e15  | e16   | e22   | 60     | 326    | 86    | 46    | 61    |
| 8     | 58    | 26    | e21   | e17   | e15  | e16   | e23   | 56     | 337    | 84    | 47    | 54    |
| 9     | 57    | e27   | e21   | e17   | e15  | e16   | e24   | 51     | 343    | 81    | 43    | 72    |
| 10    | 55    | e28   | e21   | e17   | e16  | e16   | e25   | 47     | 337    | 76    | 45    | 102   |
| 11    | 54    | e28   | e22   | e17   | e16  | e17   | 31    | 48     | 319    | 73    | 51    | 97    |
| 12    | 51    | e29   | e22   | e18   | e16  | e18   | 35    | 66     | 281    | 70    | 52    | 107   |
| 13    | 48    | e29   | e21   | e19   | e16  | e18   | 40    | 92     | 225    | 66    | 58    | 127   |
| 14    | 45    | e29   | e21   | e19   | e16  | e18   | 52    | 119    | 211    | 63    | 104   | 125   |
| 15    | 42    | e29   | e21   | e20   | e15  | e18   | 53    | 151    | 238    | 60    | 78    | 112   |
| 16    | 40    | e29   | e21   | e20   | e14  | e17   | 45    | 155    | 211    | 62    | 80    | 105   |
| 17    | 39    | e29   | e20   | e14   | e17  | 44    | 222   | 180    | 62     | 80    | 100   |       |
| 18    | 38    | e29   | e19   | e20   | e14  | e17   | 42    | 229    | 169    | 60    | 71    | 91    |
| 19    | 36    | e28   | e18   | e20   | e14  | e17   | 38    | 227    | 180    | 64    | 64    | 82    |
| 20    | 35    | e28   | e18   | e21   | e14  | e17   | 38    | 261    | 180    | 59    | 56    | 75    |
| 21    | 34    | e28   | e17   | e21   | e14  | e18   | 42    | 318    | 173    | 56    | 53    | 70    |
| 22    | 34    | e28   | e17   | e21   | e14  | e18   | 41    | 440    | 189    | 57    | 51    | 65    |
| 23    | 35    | e28   | e16   | e20   | e14  | e19   | 38    | 504    | 187    | 54    | 53    | 60    |
| 24    | 35    | e28   | e16   | e18   | e14  | e21   | 37    | 483    | 167    | 52    | 57    | 57    |
| 25    | 32    | e27   | e16   | e18   | e14  | e22   | 47    | 422    | 149    | 52    | 52    | 54    |
| 26    | 32    | e27   | e16   | e17   | e14  | e23   | 65    | 485    | 150    | 50    | 61    | 51    |
| 27    | 32    | e27   | e16   | e17   | e14  | e23   | 87    | 725    | 149    | 52    | 62    | 49    |
| 28    | 31    | e26   | e16   | e16   | e14  | e23   | 103   | 791    | 143    | 60    | 76    | 47    |
| 29    | 32    | e25   | e16   | e16   | ---  | e23   | 98    | 880    | 135    | 68    | 75    | 45    |
| 30    | 30    | e25   | e16   | e16   | ---  | e23   | 88    | 788    | 130    | 66    | 74    | 44    |
| 31    | 31    | ---   | e16   | e15   | ---  | e23   | ---   | 681    | ---    | 56    | 68    | ---   |
| TOTAL | 1,333 | 834   | 601   | 557   | 406  | 563   | 1,301 | 8,765  | 8,457  | 2,263 | 1,860 | 2,170 |
| MEAN  | 43.0  | 27.8  | 19.4  | 18.0  | 14.5 | 18.2  | 43.4  | 283    | 282    | 73.0  | 60.0  | 72.3  |
| MAX   | 58    | 31    | 24    | 21    | 16   | 23    | 103   | 880    | 681    | 126   | 104   | 127   |
| MIN   | 30    | 25    | 16    | 15    | 14   | 14    | 22    | 47     | 130    | 50    | 43    | 44    |
| AC-FT | 2,640 | 1,650 | 1,190 | 1,100 | 805  | 1,120 | 2,580 | 17,390 | 16,770 | 4,490 | 3,690 | 4,300 |

**STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1992 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)**

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 47.8   | 31.7   | 24.8   | 21.2   | 19.6   | 23.6   | 52.1   | 246    | 384    | 209    | 109    | 73.6   |
| MAX  | 96.4   | 46.9   | 34.3   | 27.1   | 29.5   | 36.1   | 77.4   | 391    | 635    | 540    | 260    | 147    |
| (WY) | (1998) | (1998) | (2000) | (1995) | (1995) | (1995) | (2000) | (2001) | (1997) | (1995) | (1999) | (1999) |
| MIN  | 26.8   | 18.0   | 16.9   | 13.4   | 14.5   | 18.2   | 35.4   | 96.5   | 75.0   | 25.4   | 21.9   | 38.1   |
| (WY) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (1992) | (2003) | (2003) | (1998) | (1995) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2001) |

| SUMMARY STATISTICS       | FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR | FOR 2003 WATER YEAR | WATER YEARS 1992 - 2003 |
|--------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             | 15,340                 | 29,110              |                         |
| ANNUAL MEAN              | 42.0                   | 79.8                |                         |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |                        |                     | 104                     |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |                        |                     | 147                     |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       | 192                    | May 30              | 1999                    |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        | e13                    | Mar 1               | 39.6                    |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM | 14                     | Feb 27              | 2002                    |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |                        | 880                 | Jun 4, 1997             |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |                        | 52.1                | 964                     |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    | 30,430                 | Feb 1               | Jun 16, 2001            |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 99                     | May 29              | 10                      |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 27                     | May 27              | 13                      |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 17                     | May 27              | Jan 12, 1992            |
|                          |                        | 1,150               | 1,670                   |
|                          |                        | 3.05                | 3.41                    |
|                          |                        | 57,740              | Jun 15, 1995            |
|                          |                        | 176                 | 75,150                  |
|                          |                        | 40                  | 293                     |
|                          |                        | 16                  | 39                      |
|                          |                        |                     | 18                      |

e Estimated.

**09359020 ANIMAS RIVER BELOW SILVERTON, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°47'25", long 107°40'01", in SW<sup>1/4</sup>SW<sup>1/4</sup> sec.20, T.41 N., R.7 W., San Juan County, Hydrologic Unit 14080104, on right bank 500 ft upstream from Durango-Silverton Railroad, crossing Animas River, 0.7 mi downstream from Mineral Creek, and 1.1 mi south of Silverton.

DRAINAGE AREA.--146 mi<sup>2</sup>.

## WATER-DISCHARGE RECORDS

PERIOD OF RECORD.--October 1991 to current year. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09359020](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09359020).

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Elevation of gage is 9,200 ft above NGVD of 1929, from topographic map.

REMARKS.--Records fair except for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Natural regulation by many lakes upstream from station. Diversions from Animas River and Mineral Creek drainages through Red Mountain, Carbon Lake and Mineral Point ditches amount to 600 to 1100 acre-feet per year. City of Silverton diverts some water for municipal use from Bear Creek and Boulder Creek, both tributaries upstream.

EXTREMES OUTSIDE PERIOD OF RECORD.--Maximum flood known occurred October 5, 1911.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003  
DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY    | JUN    | JUL    | AUG   | SEP    |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|
| 1     | 132   | 95    | 68    | e49   | 42    | 44    | 67    | 276    | 1,630  | 358    | 135   | 145    |
| 2     | 149   | 97    | e67   | e50   | 41    | e41   | 68    | 274    | 1,550  | 363    | 129   | 136    |
| 3     | 166   | 82    | 64    | e52   | e36   | e43   | 63    | 277    | 1,280  | 355    | 123   | 130    |
| 4     | 154   | 80    | e65   | e55   | e37   | 43    | 63    | 281    | 1,140  | 331    | 114   | 124    |
| 5     | 164   | 78    | e66   | e57   | e39   | 42    | 62    | 248    | 896    | 306    | 108   | 131    |
| 6     | 157   | 78    | 65    | 57    | e41   | 46    | 62    | 225    | 722    | 266    | 109   | 149    |
| 7     | 161   | 77    | e66   | e60   | e42   | 44    | 60    | 217    | 681    | 246    | 112   | 164    |
| 8     | 163   | 78    | e66   | e59   | e43   | e44   | 61    | 207    | 685    | 242    | 117   | 150    |
| 9     | 158   | 85    | e66   | e57   | e44   | e43   | 66    | 189    | 709    | 231    | 105   | 223    |
| 10    | 152   | 85    | e66   | 47    | e46   | 42    | 84    | 175    | 700    | 219    | 106   | 338    |
| 11    | 149   | 81    | e66   | 43    | e47   | 43    | 101   | 179    | 678    | 204    | 115   | 297    |
| 12    | 142   | 83    | e66   | e67   | e46   | 46    | 113   | 246    | 629    | 195    | 116   | 326    |
| 13    | 133   | 89    | e66   | e65   | e45   | 51    | 126   | 343    | 551    | 186    | 149   | 392    |
| 14    | 127   | 78    | e65   | 60    | 42    | 54    | 161   | 431    | 528    | 177    | 288   | 385    |
| 15    | 118   | 80    | e65   | e62   | e45   | 52    | 175   | 542    | 569    | 168    | 196   | 356    |
| 16    | 112   | 83    | e64   | e60   | 43    | 52    | 146   | 574    | 535    | 173    | 196   | 341    |
| 17    | 108   | 92    | 60    | e61   | 35    | 50    | 146   | 726    | 490    | 170    | 189   | 326    |
| 18    | 104   | 83    | e58   | 67    | 36    | 48    | 143   | 798    | 479    | 162    | 173   | 292    |
| 19    | 100   | 92    | e54   | e69   | 37    | 47    | 129   | 823    | 485    | 166    | 156   | 262    |
| 20    | 97    | 75    | e53   | e69   | 38    | 47    | 130   | 927    | 484    | 155    | 139   | 233    |
| 21    | 95    | 80    | e52   | e67   | 38    | 47    | 147   | 1,030  | 476    | 149    | 131   | 210    |
| 22    | 96    | 85    | e52   | e67   | 37    | 48    | 147   | 1,270  | 492    | 149    | 125   | 194    |
| 23    | 103   | 85    | e52   | e63   | 41    | 53    | 138   | 1,410  | 493    | 142    | 132   | 182    |
| 24    | 102   | 86    | e53   | e62   | 53    | 56    | 134   | 1,410  | 474    | 136    | 139   | 171    |
| 25    | 93    | 77    | e51   | 40    | 38    | 58    | 162   | 1,300  | 436    | 134    | 145   | 162    |
| 26    | 91    | 77    | e49   | 45    | 37    | 60    | 219   | 1,410  | 428    | 135    | 139   | 153    |
| 27    | 94    | 77    | e48   | e47   | 37    | 61    | 270   | 1,810  | 427    | 137    | 144   | 146    |
| 28    | 88    | e77   | e47   | 42    | 39    | 57    | 301   | 2,040  | 408    | 154    | 175   | 139    |
| 29    | 92    | e77   | e47   | 44    | ---   | 56    | 298   | 2,120  | 385    | 160    | 169   | 136    |
| 30    | 86    | e76   | e48   | 56    | ---   | 56    | 287   | 1,860  | 377    | 159    | 175   | 130    |
| 31    | 91    | ---   | e48   | 42    | ---   | e63   | ---   | 1,640  | ---    | 141    | 163   | ---    |
| TOTAL | 3,777 | 2,468 | 1,823 | 1,741 | 1,145 | 1,537 | 4,129 | 25,258 | 19,817 | 6,269  | 4,512 | 6,523  |
| MEAN  | 122   | 82.3  | 58.8  | 56.2  | 40.9  | 49.6  | 138   | 815    | 661    | 202    | 146   | 217    |
| MAX   | 166   | 97    | 68    | 69    | 53    | 63    | 301   | 2,120  | 1,630  | 363    | 288   | 392    |
| MIN   | 86    | 75    | 47    | 40    | 35    | 41    | 60    | 175    | 377    | 134    | 105   | 124    |
| AC-FT | 7,490 | 4,900 | 3,620 | 3,450 | 2,270 | 3,050 | 8,190 | 50,100 | 39,310 | 12,430 | 8,950 | 12,940 |

## STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1992 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 132    | 88.8   | 68.3   | 61.4   | 56.2   | 68.0   | 161    | 684    | 1,034  | 494    | 247    | 186    |
| MAX  | 270    | 136    | 92.9   | 79.8   | 85.6   | 105    | 216    | 1,002  | 1,647  | 1,393  | 520    | 336    |
| (WY) | (1998) | (1998) | (1998) | (1998) | (1995) | (1995) | (2000) | (1996) | (1997) | (1995) | (1995) | (1999) |
| MIN  | 75.8   | 46.9   | 50.3   | 40.2   | 40.9   | 49.1   | 122    | 301    | 232    | 83.0   | 70.5   | 97.5   |

(WY) (2002) (2002) (2002) (1992) (2003) (2000) (1993) (1995) (2002) (2002) (2002) (2001)

| SUMMARY STATISTICS       |  |  | FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR |        |  | FOR 2003 WATER YEAR |        |  | WATER YEARS 1992 - 2003 |              |  |
|--------------------------|--|--|------------------------|--------|--|---------------------|--------|--|-------------------------|--------------|--|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             |  |  | 44,321                 |        |  | 78,999              |        |  | 274                     |              |  |
| ANNUAL MEAN              |  |  | 121                    |        |  | 216                 |        |  | 395                     |              |  |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |  |  |                        |        |  |                     |        |  | 114                     |              |  |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |  |  |                        |        |  |                     |        |  | 2002                    |              |  |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       |  |  | 443                    | May 18 |  | 2,120               | May 29 |  | 2,350                   | Jul 10, 1995 |  |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        |  |  | e42                    | Feb 26 |  | 35                  | Feb 17 |  | a34                     | Jan 30, 2000 |  |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM |  |  | 42                     | Feb 26 |  | 37                  | Feb 17 |  | 37                      | Feb 17, 2003 |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |  |  |                        |        |  | 2,610               | May 28 |  | 2,970                   | Jul 9, 1995  |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |  |  |                        |        |  | 4.27                | May 28 |  | b4.89                   | Jul 9, 1995  |  |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    |  |  | 87,910                 |        |  | 156,700             |        |  | 198,500                 |              |  |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  |  | 286                    |        |  | 487                 |        |  | 760                     |              |  |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  |  | 81                     |        |  | 112                 |        |  | 112                     |              |  |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  |  | 48                     |        |  | 44                  |        |  | 52                      |              |  |

e Estimated.

a Also occurred Nov 21, 2001.

b Maximum gage height, 4.90 ft, Jun 1, 1997.

## 09359020 ANIMAS RIVER BELOW SILVERTON, CO—Continued

## WATER-QUALITY RECORDS

PERIOD OF RECORD--October 1993 to current year. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09359020](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09359020)

## WATER-QUALITY DATA, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| Date      | Time | Instantaneous discharge, cfs<br>(00061) | pH, water, unfltrd field, std units<br>(00400) | Specif. conductance, wat unf 25 degC<br>(00095) | Temper-ature, water, deg C<br>(00010) | Hard-ness, water, unfltrd mg/L as CaCO <sub>3</sub><br>(00900) | Calcium water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00915) | Magnes-ium, water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00925) | Potas-sium, water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00935) | Sodium adsorp-tion ratio<br>(00931) | Sodium, water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00930) | Alka-licity, wat flt inc tit field, mg/L as CaCO <sub>3</sub><br>(39086) |    |
|-----------|------|---|--|---|---------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|---|---|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|----|
| DEC 05... | 1345 | 88                                      | 10.3   | 6.3   | 499                                   | 0.7  | 250                                   | 90.7                                      | 5.48                                      | 0.86                                | 0.1                                   | 3.40   | 5  |
| MAY 02... | 1245 | 263                                     | 9.0  | 6.6   | 284                                   | 6.1  | 130                                   | 45.2                                      | 3.16                                      | 0.63                                | 0.1                                   | 2.15   | 10 |
| 30...     | 1130 | 1,570                                   | 9.2  | 7.0   | 133                                   | 6.2  | 49                                    | 17.2                                      | 1.49                                      | 0.44                                | 0.1                                   | 0.97   | 12 |
| JUL 11... | 0945 | 209                                     | 8.5  | 6.7   | 292                                   | 8.4  | 130                                   | 45.3                                      | 3.19                                      | 0.72                                | 0.1                                   | 2.06   | 13 |

## WATER-QUALITY DATA, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| Date      | Bicar-bonate, wat flt incr., titr., field, mg/L<br>(00453) | Chlor-ide, water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00940) | Fluor-ide, water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00950) | Silica, water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00955) | Sulfate water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00945) | Residue water, fltrd, sum of constituents mg/L<br>(70301) | Residue water, fltrd, tons/acre-ft<br>(70303) | Residue water, fltrd, tons/d<br>(70302) | Residue evap. at 180degC wat flt mg/L<br>(70300) | Alum-inum, water, fltrd, ug/L<br>(01106) | Alum-inum, water, unfltrd recover-able, ug/L<br>(01105) | Cadmium water, fltrd, ug/L<br>(01025) | Copper, water, fltrd, ug/L<br>(01040) |
|-----------|--|--|--|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|--|---|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| DEC 05... | 6  | 1.36                                     | 0.63                                     | 15.3                                  | 242                                   | 368   | 0.54  | 94.7                                    | 399  | 140                                      | 2,790   | 1.7                                   | 6.4                                   |
| MAY 02... | 12   | 1.22                                     | 0.41                                     | 9.76                                  | 116                                   | 187   | 0.27  | 139                                     | 196  | 20                                       | 1,140   | 2.3                                   | 13.5                                  |
| 30...     | 15   | 0.36                                     | 0.2                                      | 5.11                                  | 39.9                                  | 73  | 0.11  | 355                                     | 84   | 25                                       | 1,410   | 0.9                                   | 4.1                                   |
| JUL 11... | 16   | 0.51                                     | 0.4                                      | 8.86                                  | 114                                   | 184   | 0.26  | 110                                     | 195  | 20                                       | 770   | 1.5                                   | 2.9                                   |

## WATER-QUALITY DATA, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| Date      | Copper, water, unfltrd recover-able, ug/L<br>(01042) | Iron, water, fltrd, ug/L<br>(01046) | Iron, water, unfltrd recover-able, ug/L<br>(01045) | Lead, water, fltrd, ug/L<br>(01049) | Mangan-ese, water, unfltrd recover-able, ug/L<br>(01056) | Mercury water, fltrd, ug/L<br>(71890) | Selen-ium, water, fltrd, ug/L<br>(01145) | Silver, water, fltrd, ug/L<br>(01075) | Zinc, water, fltrd, ug/L<br>(01090) |     |
|-----------|--|-------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----|
| DEC 05... | E20  | 2,880                               | 5,690  | <1                                  | 1,380  | 1,300                                 | <0.02                                    | <3                                    | <0.3                                | 531 |
| MAY 02... | 40   | 1,060                               | 2,840  | <1                                  | 744  | 723                                   | <0.02                                    | <3                                    | <0.3                                | 589 |
| 30...     | 40   | 60                                  | 4,310  | M                                   | 220  | 609                                   | <0.02                                    | <3                                    | <0.3                                | 209 |
| JUL 11... | 10   | 390                                 | 1,040  | <1                                  | 539  | 492                                   | <0.02                                    | <3                                    | <0.3                                | 322 |

<-- Actual value is known to be less than the value shown.

E -- Estimated laboratory analysis value.

M -- Presence of material verified but not quantified.

## MISCELLANEOUS FIELD MEASUREMENTS, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| Date      | Time | Instantaneous discharge, cfs<br>(00061) | Specif. conductance, wat unf uS/cm 25 degC<br>(00095) | Temper-ature, water, deg C<br>(00010) | Date      | Time | Instantaneous discharge, cfs<br>(00061) | Specif. conductance, wat unf uS/cm 25 degC<br>(00095) | Temper-ature, water, deg C<br>(00010) |
|-----------|------|---|---|---------------------------------------|-----------|------|---|---|---------------------------------------|
| JAN 23... | 1045 | 63                                      | 599   | 0.3                                   | MAY 23... | 1301 | 1,180                                   | 143   | 7.8                                   |
| APR 10... | 1500 | 77                                      | 515   | 9.8                                   | JUN 23... | 1350 | 472                                     | 203   | 11.1                                  |

**09361500 ANIMAS RIVER AT DURANGO, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat  $37^{\circ}16'45''$ , long  $107^{\circ}52'47''$ , in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  sec.20, T.35 N., R.9 W., La Plata County, Hydrologic Unit 14080104, on left bank at abandoned power plant at Durango, 0.8 mi upstream from Lightner Creek.

DRAINAGE AREA.--692 mi<sup>2</sup>.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--July to December 1895, April 1896 to December 1898, April 1899 to December 1900, March to August 1901 (gage heights and discharge measurements only), April to November 1902, March to April 1903 (gage heights only, erroneously stated as discredited in WSP 1563), May to October 1903, July 1904 to December 1905, January to December 1910 (gage heights only), January to September 1911, January 1912 to current year. Monthly or yearly discharge only for some periods, published in WSP 1313. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09361500](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09361500)

REVISED RECORDS.--WSP 764: Drainage area. WSP 929: 1927(M). WSP 1243: 1911, 1918(M). WSP 1563: 1911-25 (monthly figures only).

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Datum of gage is 6,501.57 ft above NGVD of 1929. See WSP 1713 or 1733 for history of changes prior to Mar. 2, 1921.

REMARKS.--Records good except for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Diversions for irrigation of about 4,000 acres upstream from station. Natural regulation by many lakes and regulation for power upstream from station. Several measurements of specific conductance and water temperature were obtained and are published in the "Supplemental Water-Quality Data For Gaging Stations" section of this report.

EXTREMES OUTSIDE PERIOD OF RECORD.--Maximum stage since at least 1885, that of Oct. 5, 1911.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003  
DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT    | NOV    | DEC    | JAN    | FEB   | MAR    | APR    | MAY     | JUN    | JUL    | AUG    | SEP    |
|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| 1     | 305    | 231    | 216    | e158   | 165   | 150    | e271   | 995     | 3,200  | 558    | 293    | 406    |
| 2     | 333    | 229    | 209    | e158   | 146   | 131    | 295    | 953     | 3,180  | 538    | 294    | 353    |
| 3     | 368    | 229    | 216    | 171    | 142   | 128    | 299    | 923     | 2,830  | 521    | 299    | 328    |
| 4     | 389    | 211    | 219    | 176    | 153   | 150    | 282    | 969     | 2,480  | 498    | 282    | 312    |
| 5     | 378    | 216    | 206    | 158    | 147   | 159    | 273    | 892     | 2,250  | 474    | 255    | 310    |
| 6     | 384    | 203    | 206    | 159    | e132  | 151    | 243    | 786     | 1,900  | 447    | 234    | 325    |
| 7     | 377    | 197    | 202    | 180    | e128  | 150    | 238    | 728     | 1,630  | 413    | 226    | 358    |
| 8     | 380    | 200    | 183    | 171    | e128  | 153    | 255    | 677     | 1,540  | 390    | 256    | 341    |
| 9     | 388    | 244    | 176    | 173    | 132   | 140    | 257    | 619     | 1,550  | 377    | 291    | 415    |
| 10    | 379    | 240    | 180    | 179    | 137   | 145    | 286    | 566     | 1,520  | 359    | 271    | 1,480  |
| 11    | 367    | 221    | 175    | 184    | e149  | 168    | 345    | 517     | 1,440  | 339    | 272    | 1,260  |
| 12    | 353    | 216    | 170    | 161    | 157   | 184    | 394    | 552     | 1,350  | 325    | 275    | 1,020  |
| 13    | 332    | 208    | 181    | 150    | 182   | 196    | 399    | 777     | 1,190  | 310    | 289    | 1,060  |
| 14    | 316    | 215    | 189    | 172    | 179   | 214    | 474    | 900     | 1,040  | 296    | 476    | 1,020  |
| 15    | 298    | 207    | 173    | 178    | 168   | 229    | 612    | 1,250   | 1,060  | 285    | 499    | 908    |
| 16    | 288    | 198    | 186    | 170    | 143   | 219    | 578    | 1,280   | 1,060  | 273    | 424    | 811    |
| 17    | 274    | 195    | 202    | 169    | 140   | 226    | 577    | 1,700   | 942    | 268    | 433    | 756    |
| 18    | 271    | 201    | 197    | 165    | 157   | 229    | 594    | 2,030   | 869    | 260    | 423    | 692    |
| 19    | 253    | 195    | 182    | 148    | 151   | 218    | 561    | 1,860   | 858    | 257    | 389    | e641   |
| 20    | 247    | 194    | e165   | 155    | 149   | 209    | 508    | 1,910   | 923    | 262    | 347    | 580    |
| 21    | 236    | 198    | e159   | 171    | 149   | 210    | 504    | 2,150   | 855    | 258    | 316    | 532    |
| 22    | 229    | 201    | e158   | 174    | 151   | 206    | 523    | 2,730   | 839    | 250    | 306    | 487    |
| 23    | 251    | 209    | 154    | 172    | 132   | 197    | 525    | 3,240   | 846    | 250    | 302    | 461    |
| 24    | 257    | 214    | e161   | 171    | 127   | 217    | 488    | 3,180   | 807    | 246    | 317    | 433    |
| 25    | 250    | 209    | e160   | 172    | 158   | 275    | 499    | 2,900   | 736    | 236    | 342    | 411    |
| 26    | 242    | 235    | e160   | 151    | 162   | 283    | 587    | 2,680   | 693    | 228    | 344    | 391    |
| 27    | 258    | 228    | e161   | 149    | 157   | 287    | 816    | 3,400   | 681    | 243    | 344    | 367    |
| 28    | 249    | 221    | e159   | 166    | 155   | 271    | 1,010  | 4,100   | 653    | 274    | 381    | 348    |
| 29    | 241    | 219    | 156    | 162    | ---   | 253    | 1,100  | 4,160   | 622    | 312    | 458    | 340    |
| 30    | 239    | 218    | e157   | 157    | ---   | 224    | 1,020  | 3,850   | 594    | 333    | 429    | 337    |
| 31    | 232    | ---    | e158   | 161    | ---   | e222   | ---    | 3,470   | ---    | 316    | 479    | ---    |
| TOTAL | 9,364  | 6,402  | 5,576  | 5,141  | 4,176 | 6,194  | 14,813 | 56,744  | 40,138 | 10,396 | 10,546 | 17,483 |
| MEAN  | 302    | 213    | 180    | 166    | 149   | 200    | 494    | 1,830   | 1,338  | 335    | 340    | 583    |
| MAX   | 389    | 244    | 219    | 184    | 182   | 287    | 1,100  | 4,160   | 3,200  | 558    | 499    | 1,480  |
| MIN   | 229    | 194    | 154    | 148    | 127   | 128    | 238    | 517     | 594    | 228    | 226    | 310    |
| AC-FT | 18,570 | 12,700 | 11,060 | 10,200 | 8,280 | 12,290 | 29,380 | 112,600 | 79,610 | 20,620 | 20,920 | 34,680 |

STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1898 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 409    | 285    | 222    | 202    | 205    | 296    | 832    | 2,288  | 2,825  | 1,190  | 587    | 464    |
| MAX  | 1,866  | 814    | 412    | 326    | 352    | 844    | 1,818  | 4,791  | 5,846  | 3,057  | 1,806  | 1,709  |
| (WY) | (1942) | (1942) | (1942) | (1973) | (1920) | (1916) | (1985) | (1920) | (1917) | (1995) | (1999) | (1970) |
| MIN  | 162    | 158    | 129    | 103    | 110    | 133    | 246    | 474    | 357    | 154    | 134    | 161    |
| (WY) | (1957) | (1935) | (1990) | (1933) | (1933) | (1990) | (1977) | (1977) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (1956) |

| SUMMARY STATISTICS       |  |         | FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR |  |         | FOR 2003 WATER YEAR |  |  | WATER YEARS 1898 - 2003 |              |  |
|--------------------------|--|---------|------------------------|--|---------|---------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--------------|--|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             |  | 91,125  |                        |  | 186,973 |                     |  |  | 816                     |              |  |
| ANNUAL MEAN              |  | 250     |                        |  | 512     |                     |  |  | 1,366                   |              |  |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |  |         |                        |  |         |                     |  |  | 238                     |              |  |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |  |         |                        |  |         |                     |  |  | 2002                    |              |  |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       |  | 947     | Sep 12                 |  | 4,160   | May 29              |  |  | 10,700                  | Jun 19, 1949 |  |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        |  | 116     | Aug 28                 |  | 127     | Feb 24              |  |  | 94                      | Mar 2, 1913  |  |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM |  | 119     | Aug 22                 |  | 136     | Feb 5               |  |  | 100                     | Dec 19, 1917 |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |  |         |                        |  | 4,680   | May 29              |  |  | a25,000                 | Oct 5, 1911  |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |  |         |                        |  | 5.88    | May 29              |  |  | 11.00                   | Oct 5, 1911  |  |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    |  | 180,700 |                        |  | 370,900 |                     |  |  | 591,200                 |              |  |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  | 463     |                        |  | 1,050   |                     |  |  | 2,210                   |              |  |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  | 193     |                        |  | 271     |                     |  |  | 340                     |              |  |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  | 130     |                        |  | 157     |                     |  |  | 179                     |              |  |

e Estimated.

a Present site and datum, from rating extended above 13,000 ft<sup>3</sup>/s.

**09362800 LEMON RESERVOIR NEAR DURANGO, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat  $37^{\circ}22'57''$ , long  $107^{\circ}39'44''$ , in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  sec.17, T.36 N., R.7 W., LaPlata County, Hydrologic Unit 14080104, in gatehouse at Lemon Dam on Florida River, 2.3 mi upstream from True Creek, and 15 mi northeast of Durango.

DRAINAGE AREA.--68.3 mi<sup>2</sup>.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--October 1989 to current year. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09362800](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09362800)

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Datum of gage is 7,948.00 ft above NGVD of 1929, (levels by U.S. Bureau of Reclamation); gage readings have been reduced to elevations above NGVD of 1929.

REMARKS.--Reservoir is formed by an earthfill dam. Dam was completed in 1963. Capacity, 40,100 acre-ft, between elevations 7,948.00 ft, sill of outlet gate, and 8,148.00 ft, normal reservoir water surface elevation. Dead storage below elevation 8,005.00 ft, 354 acre-ft. Figures given are total contents.

EXTREMES FOR PERIOD OF RECORD.--Maximum daily mean contents, 40,180 acre-ft, July 3-4, 1997, elevation, 8,148.06 ft; minimum daily mean contents, 3,080 acre-ft, Aug. 3, 2003, elevation, 8,043.00 ft.

EXTREMES FOR CURRENT YEAR.--Maximum daily mean contents, 20,330 acre-ft, June 3, daily mean elevation, 8,110.74 ft; minimum daily mean contents, 3,080 acre-ft, Aug. 3, daily mean elevation, 8,043.00 ft.

## MONTHEND ELEVATION AND CONTENTS, AT 2400, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| Date             | Elevation (feet) | Contents (acre-feet) | Change in contents<br>(acre-feet) |
|------------------|------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Sept. 30 .....   | 8,054.91         | 4,870                | -                                 |
| Oct. 31 .....    | 8,059.05         | 5,580                | +710                              |
| Nov. 30 .....    | 8,061.01         | 5,930                | +350                              |
| Dec. 31 .....    | 8,062.52         | 6,210                | +280                              |
| CAL YR 2002..... | -                | -                    | -7,190                            |
| Jan. 31 .....    | 8,062.96         | 6,290                | +80                               |
| Feb. 28 .....    | 8,063.38         | 6,370                | +80                               |
| Mar. 31 .....    | 8,065.54         | 6,780                | +410                              |
| Apr. 30 .....    | 8,078.55         | 9,620                | +2,840                            |
| May 31 .....     | 8,109.94         | 19,990               | +10,370                           |
| June 30 .....    | 8,091.90         | 13,330               | -6,660                            |
| July 31 .....    | 8,046.08         | 3,500                | -9,830                            |
| Aug. 31 .....    | 8,054.32         | 4,770                | +1,270                            |
| Sept. 30 .....   | 8,076.03         | 9,010                | +4,240                            |
| WTR YR 2003..... | -                | -                    | +4,140                            |

**09365500 LA PLATA RIVER AT HESPERUS, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°17'23", long 108°02'24", in NE<sup>1/4</sup>SW<sup>1/4</sup> sec.14, T.35 N., R.11 W., La Plata County, Hydrologic Unit 14080105, on right bank at Hesperus, 700 ft downstream from U.S. Highway 160.

DRAINAGE AREA.--37 mi<sup>2</sup>, approximately.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--June to August 1904, May 1905 to September 1906, August to November 1910, June 1917 to current year. Monthly discharge only for some periods, published in WSP 1313. Records for Nov. 11 to Dec. 31, 1910, published in WSP 289, have been found to be unreliable and should not be used. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09365500](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09365500)

REVISED RECORDS.--WSP 1243: 1906(M). WSP 1563: 1923 (monthly figures only). See also PERIOD OF RECORD.

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry and concrete flume. Datum of gage is 8,104.71 ft above NGVD of 1929. Prior to May 1, 1920, nonrecording gage, and May 1, 1920 to May 24, 1927, water-stage recorder, at several sites about 600 ft downstream at different datums. May 25, 1927 to Sept. 30, 1938, water-stage recorder at site 60 ft downstream and Oct. 1, 1938 to Sept. 30, 1941, at present site at datum 1.00 ft higher.

REMARKS.--Records good except for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Cherry Creek ditch exports water upstream from station for irrigation of about 2,000 acres in Cherry Creek drainage. The Pine Ridge ditch diverts water upstream from station for irrigation of about 300 acres downstream, and also for irrigation of about 300 acres in each of the Lightner and Basin Creek drainages. The Pine River ditch also diverts up to 1,000 acre-ft for storage in the Lightner Creek drainage.

COOPERATION.--Records collected and computed by Colorado Division of Water Resources and reviewed by Geological Survey.

EXTREMES OUTSIDE PERIOD OF RECORD.--Maximum flood observed occurred Oct. 5, 1911.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND**  
**WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003**  
**DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY   | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1     | 11    | 8.5   | 12    | 5.7   | 6.4   | e5.5  | 21    | 84    | 135   | 20    | 8.0   | 25    |
| 2     | 12    | 8.2   | 12    | e5.0  | 6.7   | 5.5   | 24    | 82    | 129   | 19    | 8.5   | 21    |
| 3     | 14    | 8.2   | 12    | e5.0  | 7.1   | 5.4   | 22    | 76    | 111   | 18    | 9.0   | 19    |
| 4     | 13    | 7.8   | 12    | e5.0  | e7.0  | 5.4   | 23    | 80    | 95    | 17    | 9.6   | 19    |
| 5     | 13    | 7.4   | 11    | 5.0   | e6.5  | 5.4   | 24    | 66    | 80    | 16    | 9.8   | 19    |
| 6     | 13    | 7.4   | 11    | 5.0   | e6.0  | 5.3   | 25    | 53    | 65    | 15    | 9.8   | 20    |
| 7     | 14    | 7.4   | 10    | e5.0  | e6.0  | 5.4   | 24    | 46    | 54    | 14    | 10    | 33    |
| 8     | 14    | 7.5   | 9.9   | e5.0  | e6.5  | 5.5   | 24    | 41    | 51    | 13    | 12    | 25    |
| 9     | 15    | 13    | 9.4   | 4.8   | e6.5  | 5.6   | 25    | 37    | 50    | 13    | 12    | 58    |
| 10    | 14    | 11    | 8.5   | 4.8   | e7.0  | 5.9   | 29    | 33    | 48    | 12    | 12    | 156   |
| 11    | 14    | 10    | 8.4   | 4.8   | e7.0  | 6.4   | 47    | 29    | 50    | 11    | 12    | 77    |
| 12    | 13    | 9.4   | 8.2   | 4.6   | e7.5  | 7.4   | 70    | 33    | 51    | 10    | 12    | 60    |
| 13    | 13    | 8.8   | 8.2   | 4.6   | 8.4   | 7.6   | 65    | 50    | 44    | 9.9   | 12    | 53    |
| 14    | 13    | 8.4   | 8.2   | 4.6   | 9.4   | 6.7   | 80    | 57    | 39    | 9.6   | 12    | 49    |
| 15    | 12    | 8.2   | 8.2   | 4.6   | 9.0   | 6.7   | 81    | 87    | 38    | 9.0   | 12    | 41    |
| 16    | 12    | 8.2   | 8.1   | 4.7   | 8.2   | 7.2   | 66    | 83    | 38    | 8.8   | 11    | 36    |
| 17    | 12    | 8.2   | 6.6   | 4.7   | 7.8   | 8.4   | 67    | 140   | 35    | 8.5   | 11    | 31    |
| 18    | 12    | 8.2   | 5.9   | e4.8  | 7.8   | 8.9   | 67    | 138   | 37    | 8.0   | 11    | 28    |
| 19    | 11    | 8.2   | 5.5   | 4.9   | 7.6   | 9.0   | 59    | 124   | 37    | 8.0   | 10    | 25    |
| 20    | 10    | 7.6   | e5.5  | 5.0   | 7.3   | 9.9   | 51    | 143   | 39    | 7.6   | 10    | 23    |
| 21    | 9.5   | 7.8   | 5.8   | 5.0   | 6.9   | 12    | 49    | 167   | 34    | 8.0   | 10    | 21    |
| 22    | 9.4   | 7.8   | 6.8   | 5.0   | 6.7   | 13    | 49    | 195   | 32    | 8.1   | 9.3   | 19    |
| 23    | 12    | 7.8   | 6.7   | 5.1   | 6.6   | 14    | 46    | 195   | 29    | 7.8   | 10    | 17    |
| 24    | 11    | 8.2   | 5.6   | 5.0   | 6.0   | 16    | 42    | 172   | 27    | 7.8   | 11    | 16    |
| 25    | 10    | 8.2   | e5.5  | 5.0   | e6.0  | 16    | 44    | 172   | 25    | 7.6   | 11    | 15    |
| 26    | 11    | 8.2   | e5.5  | e5.0  | e6.0  | 16    | 67    | 169   | 24    | 7.2   | 11    | 14    |
| 27    | 11    | 8.8   | e5.5  | 5.3   | 5.9   | 14    | 91    | 183   | 23    | 7.6   | 11    | 14    |
| 28    | 10    | 9.6   | e5.5  | 5.4   | 5.9   | 14    | 98    | 194   | 22    | 7.7   | 14    | 13    |
| 29    | 9.7   | 10    | e5.5  | 5.8   | ---   | 15    | 99    | 174   | 21    | 7.6   | 22    | 12    |
| 30    | 9.3   | 11    | 5.5   | 6.3   | ---   | 14    | 88    | 163   | 21    | 7.4   | 26    | 12    |
| 31    | 8.8   | ---   | e5.5  | 6.4   | ---   | 16    | ---   | 163   | ---   | 7.4   | 32    | ---   |
| TOTAL | 366.7 | 259.0 | 244.0 | 156.9 | 195.7 | 293.1 | 1,567 | 3,429 | 1,484 | 331.6 | 381.0 | 971   |
| MEAN  | 11.8  | 8.63  | 7.87  | 5.06  | 6.99  | 9.45  | 52.2  | 111   | 49.5  | 10.7  | 12.3  | 32.4  |
| MAX   | 15    | 13    | 12    | 6.4   | 9.4   | 16    | 99    | 195   | 135   | 20    | 32    | 156   |
| MIN   | 8.8   | 7.4   | 5.5   | 4.6   | 5.9   | 5.3   | 21    | 29    | 21    | 7.2   | 8.0   | 12    |
| AC-FT | 727   | 514   | 484   | 311   | 388   | 581   | 3,110 | 6,800 | 2,940 | 658   | 756   | 1,930 |

STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1918 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 15.1   | 10.6   | 8.20   | 6.94   | 7.36   | 15.5   | 81.0   | 169    | 130    | 37.3   | 23.6   | 20.3   |
| MAX  | 148    | 54.3   | 20.4   | 15.0   | 18.0   | 54.2   | 203    | 384    | 421    | 154    | 79.1   | 124    |
| (WY) | (1942) | (1942) | (1987) | (1926) | (1971) | (1997) | (1924) | (1941) | (1980) | (1957) | (1999) | (1927) |
| MIN  | 3.27   | 3.11   | 2.94   | 2.65   | 3.06   | 3.83   | 8.40   | 19.8   | 8.78   | 3.65   | 3.38   | 3.73   |
| (WY) | (1957) | (1938) | (1938) | (1990) | (1977) | (1977) | (1977) | (1977) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (1956) |

| SUMMARY STATISTICS       |  | FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR |        |  | FOR 2003 WATER YEAR |        |  | WATER YEARS 1918 - 2003 |              |  |
|--------------------------|--|------------------------|--------|--|---------------------|--------|--|-------------------------|--------------|--|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             |  | 3,502.3                |        |  | 9,679.0             |        |  |                         |              |  |
| ANNUAL MEAN              |  | 9.60                   |        |  | 26.5                |        |  | 43.8                    |              |  |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |  |                        |        |  |                     |        |  | 90.5                    | 1941         |  |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |  |                        |        |  |                     |        |  | 8.62                    | 2002         |  |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       |  | 57                     | Sep 11 |  | 195                 | May 22 |  | 934                     | Jun 28, 1927 |  |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        |  | 2.7                    | Sep 2  |  | 4.6                 | Jan 12 |  | 1.0                     | Feb 22, 1939 |  |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM |  | 2.8                    | Aug 31 |  | 4.7                 | Jan 11 |  | 1.9                     | Oct 13, 1917 |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |  |                        |        |  | 232                 | May 23 |  | a1,880                  | Sep 22, 1941 |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |  |                        |        |  | 4.81                | May 23 |  | b4.30                   | Sep 22, 1941 |  |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    |  | 6,950                  |        |  | 19,200              |        |  | 31,740                  |              |  |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  | 22                     |        |  | 67                  |        |  | 125                     |              |  |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  | 5.9                    |        |  | 11                  |        |  | 13                      |              |  |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  | 3.3                    |        |  | 5.5                 |        |  | 5.1                     |              |  |

e Estimated.

a Present datum, from rating curve extended above 620 ft<sup>3</sup>/s, on basis of slope-area measurement of peak flow.

b Maximum gage height for period of record, 5.13 ft, Sep 6, 1970.

**09366500 LA PLATA RIVER AT COLORADO-NEW MEXICO STATE LINE**

LOCATION.--Lat 36°59'59", long 108°11'17", in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  sec.10, T.32 N., R.13 W., La Plata County, CO, Hydrologic Unit 14080105, on right bank at Colorado-New Mexico State line, 0.5 mi downstream from Johnny Pond Arroyo, and 4.9 mi north of La Plata, NM.

DRAINAGE AREA.--331 mi<sup>2</sup>.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--January 1920 to current year. Monthly discharge only for some periods, published in WSP 1313. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09366500](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09366500)

REVISED RECORDS.--WSP 1313: 1934 (M), 1936 (M).

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry and concrete flume. Datum of gage is 5,972.03 ft above NGVD of 1929. See WSP 1713 or 1733 for history of changes prior to Mar. 17, 1934. Mar. 17, 1934 to July 1, 1996, water-stage recorder at same site, and at datum 3.12 ft higher.

REMARKS.--Records good except for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Diversions upstream from station for irrigation of about 15,000 acres, mostly upstream from station.

COOPERATION.--Records collected and computed by Colorado Division of Water Resources and reviewed by Geological Survey.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003  
DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT  | NOV   | DEC   | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY   | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP    |
|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 1     | 2.7  | 3.0   | 3.2   | e5.0  | 0.68  | 4.2   | 5.3   | 43    | 95    | 3.4   | 2.9   | 1.4    |
| 2     | 3.0  | 2.9   | 2.8   | e4.0  | 0.70  | 4.9   | 6.0   | 46    | 75    | 1.4   | 0.44  | 1.1    |
| 3     | 3.3  | 2.9   | 2.6   | e4.0  | 0.65  | 4.4   | 14    | 37    | 69    | 0.67  | 0.00  | 1.1    |
| 4     | 3.2  | 3.0   | 2.3   | e4.5  | 0.62  | 3.6   | 14    | 34    | 65    | 1.4   | 0.00  | 0.98   |
| 5     | 3.0  | 2.9   | 1.4   | e5.0  | 0.74  | 3.9   | 11    | 36    | 57    | 1.0   | 0.00  | 1.3    |
| 6     | 2.7  | 2.9   | 1.0   | e6.0  | 0.76  | 3.7   | 9.0   | 33    | 49    | 0.79  | 0.00  | 0.95   |
| 7     | 2.6  | 2.9   | 0.44  | 6.3   | 1.0   | 4.1   | 8.5   | 28    | 37    | 0.61  | 0.00  | 0.99   |
| 8     | 2.5  | 3.1   | 0.47  | 6.0   | 1.3   | 4.2   | 6.4   | 27    | 30    | 0.44  | 0.00  | 0.76   |
| 9     | 2.5  | 5.2   | 0.56  | 6.0   | 1.3   | 4.4   | 5.6   | 24    | 30    | 0.27  | 0.00  | 382    |
| 10    | 2.6  | 4.6   | 0.79  | 5.9   | 1.4   | 4.2   | 9.1   | 21    | 30    | 0.16  | 0.00  | 124    |
| 11    | 2.4  | 4.1   | 1.1   | 5.9   | 1.4   | 3.3   | 14    | 18    | 23    | 0.05  | 0.00  | 22     |
| 12    | 2.2  | 3.8   | 1.3   | 5.9   | 1.0   | 3.1   | 23    | 16    | 28    | 0.01  | 0.00  | 31     |
| 13    | 2.2  | 3.6   | 1.8   | 5.4   | 2.1   | 3.1   | 24    | 19    | 25    | 0.00  | 0.00  | 20     |
| 14    | 2.4  | 3.6   | 2.0   | 5.3   | 2.4   | 4.1   | 21    | 24    | 20    | 0.00  | 0.00  | 18     |
| 15    | 2.4  | 3.6   | 2.2   | 5.4   | 1.2   | 4.1   | 30    | 41    | 16    | 0.00  | 0.00  | 15     |
| 16    | 2.5  | 3.3   | 1.9   | 5.2   | 4.2   | 3.1   | 36    | 52    | 15    | 0.00  | 0.00  | 17     |
| 17    | 2.5  | 3.5   | 3.2   | 5.1   | 4.2   | 7.5   | 24    | 55    | 13    | 0.00  | 0.00  | 15     |
| 18    | 2.6  | 3.4   | 4.6   | 4.9   | 4.3   | 6.6   | 26    | 64    | 14    | 0.00  | 0.00  | 10     |
| 19    | 2.6  | 3.4   | e2.8  | 5.0   | 3.9   | 4.5   | 26    | e70   | 17    | 0.00  | 0.00  | 9.4    |
| 20    | 2.6  | 3.6   | 3.1   | 5.1   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 18    | e85   | 19    | 0.00  | 0.00  | 7.6    |
| 21    | 2.6  | 3.6   | 5.0   | 5.2   | 3.4   | 3.5   | 18    | e105  | 16    | 0.00  | 0.00  | 6.0    |
| 22    | 2.6  | 3.6   | e3.0  | 5.0   | 3.1   | 4.2   | 20    | e130  | 12    | 0.00  | 0.00  | 5.0    |
| 23    | 2.8  | 3.9   | e3.5  | 5.0   | 3.0   | 4.7   | 21    | e105  | 8.9   | 0.00  | 0.00  | 4.2    |
| 24    | 2.9  | 3.9   | e3.0  | 5.0   | 3.2   | 5.1   | 22    | 59    | 6.0   | 0.00  | 5.3   | 3.5    |
| 25    | 2.8  | 3.9   | e2.5  | 5.0   | 3.8   | 6.1   | e25   | 54    | 5.0   | 0.00  | 14    | 2.5    |
| 26    | 2.9  | 3.8   | e2.0  | 5.0   | 4.6   | 7.0   | e30   | 82    | 6.0   | 0.00  | 1.5   | 2.1    |
| 27    | 3.5  | 3.7   | e2.0  | 5.1   | 4.1   | 7.1   | e35   | 66    | 6.0   | 0.00  | 3.3   | 3.0    |
| 28    | 3.0  | 3.7   | e3.0  | 4.4   | 4.0   | 6.2   | 43    | 74    | 4.3   | 0.00  | 5.2   | 3.2    |
| 29    | 3.0  | 4.1   | e4.0  | 2.0   | ---   | 6.4   | 46    | 84    | 4.2   | 0.00  | 2.3   | 3.2    |
| 30    | 2.9  | 3.7   | e4.0  | 1.8   | ---   | 5.8   | 47    | 94    | 4.4   | 0.00  | 2.6   | 3.1    |
| 31    | 3.1  | ---   | e4.0  | 1.6   | ---   | 5.5   | ---   | 133   | ---   | 0.00  | 4.3   | ---    |
| TOTAL | 84.6 | 107.2 | 75.56 | 151.0 | 66.65 | 146.2 | 637.9 | 1,759 | 799.8 | 10.20 | 41.84 | 715.38 |
| MEAN  | 2.73 | 3.57  | 2.44  | 4.87  | 2.38  | 4.72  | 21.3  | 56.7  | 26.7  | 0.33  | 1.35  | 23.8   |
| MAX   | 3.5  | 5.2   | 5.0   | 6.3   | 4.6   | 7.5   | 47    | 133   | 95    | 3.4   | 14    | 382    |
| MIN   | 2.2  | 2.9   | 0.44  | 1.6   | 0.62  | 3.1   | 5.3   | 16    | 4.2   | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.76   |
| AC-FT | 168  | 213   | 150   | 300   | 132   | 290   | 1,270 | 3,490 | 1,590 | 20    | 83    | 1,420  |

STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1921 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 13.4   | 11.8   | 12.1   | 11.8   | 16.7   | 36.7   | 103    | 107    | 65.4   | 19.5   | 12.0   | 11.4   |
| (WY) | 260    | 99.2   | 53.9   | 38.3   | 53.9   | 139    | 364    | 506    | 306    | 99.4   | 65.1   | 126    |
| MIN  | 0.097  | 0.98   | 1.24   | 0.80   | 2.38   | 0.63   | 3.06   | 5.32   | 1.94   | 0.019  | 0.006  | 0.000  |
| (WY) | (1942) | (1942) | (1987) | (1942) | (1924) | (1997) | (1980) | (1941) | (1957) | (1957) | (1957) | (1927) |

| SUMMARY STATISTICS       |  |  | FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR |  |  | FOR 2003 WATER YEAR |  |  | WATER YEARS 1921 - 2003 |  |  |
|--------------------------|--|--|------------------------|--|--|---------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|--|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             |  |  | 1,581.83               |  |  | 4,595.33            |  |  | 35.0                    |  |  |
| ANNUAL MEAN              |  |  | 4.33                   |  |  | 12.6                |  |  | 109                     |  |  |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |  |  |                        |  |  |                     |  |  | 4.44                    |  |  |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |  |  |                        |  |  |                     |  |  | 1973                    |  |  |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       |  |  | 17                     |  |  | 382                 |  |  | 1,120                   |  |  |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        |  |  | 0.00                   |  |  | 0.00                |  |  | a0.00                   |  |  |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM |  |  | 0.16                   |  |  | Mar 24              |  |  | 0.00                    |  |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |  |  |                        |  |  |                     |  |  | Jul 13                  |  |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |  |  |                        |  |  |                     |  |  | 1,380                   |  |  |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    |  |  | 3,140                  |  |  | Sep 9               |  |  | 8.67                    |  |  |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  |  | 8.8                    |  |  | 33                  |  |  | 84                      |  |  |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  |  | 3.0                    |  |  | 3.8                 |  |  | 12                      |  |  |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       |  |  | 1.1                    |  |  | 0.00                |  |  | 1.7                     |  |  |

e Estimated.

a No flow at times in many years.

b From rating curve extended above 750 ft<sup>3</sup>/s, on basis of slope-area measurement of peak flow, at datum then in use.

**09371000 MANCOS RIVER NEAR TOWAOC, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°01'39", long 108°44'27", Ute Indian Reservation, Montezuma County, Hydrologic Unit 14080107, on left bank 700 ft upstream from bridge on U.S. Highway 666, 2.0 mi north of Colorado-New Mexico State line, 6.0 mi upstream from Aztec Creek, and 12 mi south of Towaoc.

DRAINAGE AREA.--526 mi<sup>2</sup>.

PERIOD OF RECORD.--October 1920 to September 1943, February 1951 to current year. Monthly discharge only for some periods, published in WSP 1313. Sediment data available, April to December 1961. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09371000](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09371000)

REVISED RECORDS.--WSP 1733: 1924 (monthly figures only). WDR CO-83-3: Drainage area.

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Datum of gage is 5,055.98 ft above NGVD of 1929. See WSP 1713 or 1733 for history of changes prior to Mar. 11, 1954.

REMARKS.--Records fair except those for Mar. 14-26, Apr. 12-14 and estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Diversions for irrigation of about 10,000 acres upstream from station. One diversion upstream from station for irrigation of about 100 acres downstream from station. Flow regulated by Jackson Gulch Reservoir, capacity, 10,000 acre-ft since March 1949. Several measurements of specific conductance and water temperature were obtained and are published in the "Supplemental Water-Quality Data For Gaging Stations" section of this report.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003  
DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR    | MAY   | JUN   | JUL   | AUG    | SEP      |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|----------|
| 1     | 0.00  | 0.87  | 0.00  | 0.00  | e1.4  | 4.7   | e6.3   | 5.7   | 1.9   | 0.00  | 0.00   | 23       |
| 2     | 2.4   | 1.3   | 0.00  | 0.00  | e1.4  | e4.3  | 7.2    | 3.5   | 3.5   | 0.00  | 0.00   | 14       |
| 3     | 5.5   | 0.92  | 0.04  | 0.00  | e1.2  | e3.9  | e13    | 3.7   | 2.4   | 0.00  | 45     | 9.3      |
| 4     | 12    | 0.78  | e0.14 | 0.00  | 0.76  | e4.5  | e15    | 2.9   | 2.0   | 0.00  | 9.4    | 5.2      |
| 5     | 2.1   | 0.50  | 0.11  | 0.00  | 0.28  | e5.3  | 10     | 2.9   | 1.4   | 0.00  | 1.7    | 6.1      |
| 6     | 0.58  | 0.47  | 0.03  | 0.00  | 0.06  | e5.4  | 8.5    | 4.0   | 0.44  | 0.00  | 0.29   | 3.2      |
| 7     | 0.15  | 0.18  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.01  | e3.7  | e7.7   | 3.5   | 0.15  | 0.00  | 0.00   | 2.8      |
| 8     | 0.02  | 0.13  | 0.00  | 0.09  | e0.34 | e3.4  | e6.9   | 2.1   | 0.04  | 0.00  | 0.00   | 20       |
| 9     | 0.00  | 4.6   | e0.09 | e0.83 | e0.37 | e4.4  | e5.8   | 0.91  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00   | 649      |
| 10    | 0.00  | 12    | e0.06 | e1.0  | 0.19  | e6.1  | 5.6    | 0.36  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00   | 1,810    |
| 11    | 0.00  | 8.5   | 0.02  | e0.94 | e0.14 | e11   | 5.7    | 0.19  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00   | 83       |
| 12    | 0.00  | 3.6   | 0.00  | e0.63 | 0.00  | 23    | 17     | 0.05  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 6.5    | 33       |
| 13    | 0.00  | 2.3   | 0.00  | e0.63 | 1.3   | 40    | 44     | 0.02  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 2.1    | 19       |
| 14    | 0.00  | 1.8   | 0.00  | e0.72 | 18    | 43    | 33     | 0.05  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.17   | 14       |
| 15    | 0.00  | 1.3   | 0.00  | e0.82 | 14    | 32    | 40     | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 48     | 10       |
| 16    | 0.00  | 1.00  | 0.00  | e0.84 | 6.7   | 26    | 33     | 0.91  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 6.9    | 7.1      |
| 17    | 0.00  | 0.32  | 0.00  | e0.64 | 4.7   | 34    | 19     | 5.8   | 0.00  | 0.00  | 16     | 5.4      |
| 18    | 0.00  | 0.23  | 0.22  | e0.70 | 4.2   | 41    | 13     | 3.1   | 0.00  | 0.00  | 2.1    | 6.4      |
| 19    | 0.00  | 0.03  | 0.02  | e0.70 | 3.9   | 27    | 15     | 4.5   | 0.00  | 0.00  | 1.2    | 9.4      |
| 20    | 0.00  | 0.07  | 0.00  | 0.44  | 4.7   | 22    | 7.9    | 1.7   | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.59   | 10       |
| 21    | 0.00  | e0.11 | 0.00  | e0.95 | e3.5  | 27    | 5.8    | 0.94  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.17   | 9.1      |
| 22    | 1.3   | e0.16 | 0.00  | e1.3  | e3.4  | 28    | 3.6    | 0.67  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 3.6    | 7.8      |
| 23    | 0.54  | e0.17 | 0.00  | e1.6  | e3.3  | 31    | 1.8    | 0.58  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 19     | 7.0      |
| 24    | 0.00  | e0.19 | 0.00  | e1.6  | e3.4  | 32    | 1.2    | 0.68  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 61     | 5.2      |
| 25    | 0.42  | e0.14 | 0.00  | e1.5  | e3.9  | 23    | 1.0    | 2.6   | 0.00  | 0.00  | 4.3    | 4.2      |
| 26    | 1.3   | 0.15  | 0.00  | e1.5  | 5.0   | 17    | 0.89   | 1.8   | 0.00  | 0.00  | 13     | 3.1      |
| 27    | 15    | 0.06  | 0.00  | 1.6   | 6.2   | e15   | 1.4    | 1.1   | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.99   | 2.4      |
| 28    | 9.0   | 0.00  | 0.00  | e1.4  | 6.4   | e11   | 21     | 0.61  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 2.0    | 1.5      |
| 29    | 8.5   | 0.00  | 0.00  | e1.4  | ---   | e9.4  | 32     | 0.16  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 15     | 0.98     |
| 30    | 1.3   | e0.13 | 0.00  | e1.4  | ---   | e3.7  | 27     | 0.02  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 43     | 0.50     |
| 31    | 0.49  | ---   | 0.00  | e1.4  | ---   | e3.7  | ---    | 0.17  | ---   | 0.00  | 38     | --       |
| TOTAL | 60.60 | 42.01 | 0.73  | 24.63 | 98.75 | 545.5 | 409.29 | 55.22 | 11.83 | 0.00  | 340.01 | 2,781.68 |
| MEAN  | 1.95  | 1.40  | 0.024 | 0.79  | 3.53  | 17.6  | 13.6   | 1.78  | 0.39  | 0.000 | 11.0   | 92.7     |
| MAX   | 15    | 12    | 0.22  | 1.6   | 18    | 43    | 44     | 5.8   | 3.5   | 0.00  | 61     | 1,810    |
| MIN   | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 3.4   | 0.89   | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00   | 0.50     |
| AC-FT | 120   | 83    | 1.4   | 49    | 196   | 1,080 | 812    | 110   | 23    | 0.00  | 674    | 5,520    |

STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1921 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN   | 26.6   | 19.4   | 14.0   | 13.2   | 24.8   | 56.9   | 121    | 172    | 81.9   | 28.5   | 28.3   | 27.0   |
| (WY)   | 459    | 113    | 45.5   | 45.6   | 92.1   | 198    | 330    | 642    | 395    | 185    | 364    | 137    |
| (1942) | (1987) | (1942) | (1942) | (1993) | (1993) | (1980) | (1922) | (1957) | (1921) | (1921) | (1921) | (1970) |
| MIN    | 0.11   | 1.00   | 0.024  | 0.31   | 3.53   | 5.26   | 0.15   | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.000  |
| (WY)   | (1978) | (1935) | (2003) | (1960) | (2003) | (1977) | (1959) | (1951) | (1939) | (1922) | (1922) | (1922) |

SUMMARY STATISTICS

FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR FOR 2003 WATER YEAR WATER YEARS 1921 - 2003

|                          |          |          |        |
|--------------------------|----------|----------|--------|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             | 1,223.98 | 4,370.25 |        |
| ANNUAL MEAN              | 3.35     | 12.0     | 50.4   |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |          |          | 138    |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |          |          | 4.28   |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       | 60       | Sep 11   | 3,050  |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        | 0.00     | May 2    | a0.00  |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM | 0.00     | May 2    | 0.00   |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |          | b3,530   | c5,300 |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |          | d9.09    | f7.30  |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    | 2,430    | 8,670    | 36,510 |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 10       | 17       | 138    |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 0.05     | 0.91     | 15     |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 0.00     | 0.00     | 0.04   |

e Estimated.

a No flow at times in most years.

b Based on slope-area measurement of peak flow.

c Present site and datum, from rating curve extended above 200 ft<sup>3</sup>/s, on basis of slope-area measurement of peak flow.

d From floodmarks.

f Maximum gage height, 9.09 ft, Sept. 10, 2003.

**09371492 MUD CREEK AT HIGHWAY 32, NEAR CORTEZ, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°18'46", long 108°39'38", in SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> sec.6, T.35 N., R.16 W., Montezuma County, Hydrologic Unit 14080202, on left bank 1 mi upstream from mouth and 4.5 mi southwest of Cortez.

DRAINAGE AREA.--33.6 mi<sup>2</sup>.

**WATER-DISCHARGE RECORDS**

PERIOD OF RECORD.--October 1981 to September 1986, August 1993 to current year. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09371492](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09371492)

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Elevation of gage is 5,765 ft above NGVD of 1929, from topographic map. Prior to Aug. 25, 1993, gage at present site and datum.

REMARKS.--Records good except for estimated daily discharges and discharges above 40 ft<sup>3</sup>/s, which are poor. Some small diversions upstream from station for irrigation. Most of flow is from diversion of water from Dolores River through Dolores Project and Montezuma Valley Irrigation Company.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND**  
**WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003**  
**DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY    | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1     | 0.83  | 0.81  | 1.1   | 1.1   | e0.95 | 2.1   | 0.92  | 0.65   | 9.8   | 12    | 12    | 21    |
| 2     | 1.4   | 0.81  | 1.0   | 0.91  | 1.0   | 2.0   | 0.90  | 0.67   | 11    | 13    | 17    | 20    |
| 3     | 3.3   | 0.70  | 1.0   | 0.93  | e1.0  | 1.8   | 0.88  | 0.71   | 11    | 13    | 16    | 19    |
| 4     | 1.5   | 0.77  | 0.92  | 0.97  | e0.99 | 1.6   | 0.84  | 0.77   | 11    | 12    | 14    | 20    |
| 5     | 0.95  | 0.76  | 0.81  | 1.1   | e0.95 | 1.6   | 0.88  | 0.84   | 11    | 11    | 12    | 20    |
| 6     | 0.79  | 0.70  | 0.81  | 1.1   | e0.90 | 1.6   | 0.92  | 0.83   | 9.4   | 11    | 10    | 22    |
| 7     | 0.74  | 0.75  | 0.89  | 1.2   | 0.85  | 1.5   | 0.89  | 1.1    | 9.5   | 11    | 11    | 21    |
| 8     | 0.75  | 0.85  | 0.82  | e1.1  | e0.88 | 1.8   | 0.73  | 2.7    | 11    | 11    | 11    | 21    |
| 9     | 0.67  | 1.8   | 0.84  | 1.0   | 0.75  | 1.6   | 0.75  | 4.5    | 10    | 11    | 9.6   | 64    |
| 10    | 0.68  | 1.9   | 0.93  | 1.1   | 0.61  | 1.4   | 0.79  | 4.0    | 9.8   | 11    | 8.7   | 77    |
| 11    | 0.70  | 1.4   | 0.87  | e1.1  | 0.59  | 1.4   | 0.83  | 4.5    | 11    | 10    | 7.7   | 22    |
| 12    | 0.83  | 1.1   | 0.87  | e1.0  | 0.67  | 1.4   | 0.81  | 4.7    | 10    | 10    | 9.3   | 8.6   |
| 13    | 0.82  | 1.2   | e0.90 | e1.0  | 3.2   | 1.2   | 0.78  | 4.7    | 11    | 9.1   | 12    | 22    |
| 14    | 0.73  | 1.0   | e0.92 | e1.0  | 8.0   | 1.0   | 0.75  | 7.6    | 15    | 9.5   | 10    | 21    |
| 15    | 0.66  | 0.87  | 0.95  | e0.98 | 1.6   | 1.2   | 0.81  | 7.0    | 12    | 8.4   | 20    | 19    |
| 16    | 0.66  | 0.74  | 1.3   | e0.97 | 1.1   | 1.9   | 0.81  | 7.0    | 12    | 9.8   | 22    | 17    |
| 17    | 0.67  | 0.77  | 1.5   | e0.95 | 1.1   | 4.6   | 0.79  | 8.1    | 12    | 11    | 22    | 14    |
| 18    | 0.70  | 0.77  | e1.8  | e0.96 | 1.6   | 3.3   | 0.80  | 8.9    | 12    | 11    | 22    | 8.7   |
| 19    | 0.69  | 0.74  | e1.3  | e0.97 | 1.5   | 1.8   | 0.82  | 9.0    | 14    | 11    | 21    | 7.8   |
| 20    | 0.62  | 0.77  | e0.98 | e0.97 | 1.2   | 1.4   | 0.79  | 6.6    | 15    | 9.6   | 18    | 8.9   |
| 21    | 0.66  | 0.76  | 0.87  | e0.94 | 1.0   | 1.7   | 0.71  | 6.2    | 14    | 10    | 16    | 9.4   |
| 22    | 0.69  | 0.80  | e0.88 | e0.93 | 0.82  | 1.3   | 0.77  | 6.4    | 13    | 17    | 16    | 10    |
| 23    | 0.95  | 0.81  | 0.81  | e0.93 | 0.78  | 1.2   | 0.75  | 6.8    | 13    | 13    | 17    | 10    |
| 24    | 0.88  | 0.81  | 0.90  | e0.93 | 0.99  | 1.3   | 0.75  | 6.5    | 13    | 11    | 21    | 10    |
| 25    | 0.81  | 0.81  | 0.88  | e0.94 | 1.4   | 1.2   | 0.70  | 8.4    | 12    | 11    | 23    | 10    |
| 26    | 1.1   | 0.75  | 0.90  | e0.94 | 2.5   | 1.3   | 0.69  | 8.0    | 14    | 11    | 21    | 11    |
| 27    | 2.0   | 0.69  | e0.88 | e0.95 | 2.3   | 1.2   | 0.68  | 7.3    | 13    | 9.9   | 20    | 10    |
| 28    | 1.0   | 0.69  | 0.84  | e0.95 | e2.2  | 1.5   | 0.72  | 7.7    | 20    | 11    | 20    | 12    |
| 29    | 1.2   | 0.73  | 1.1   | e0.95 | ---   | 1.3   | 0.72  | 8.7    | 13    | 13    | 21    | 13    |
| 30    | 1.0   | 0.85  | 1.2   | e0.94 | ---   | 0.74  | 0.68  | 8.6    | 12    | 12    | 21    | 13    |
| 31    | 0.87  | ---   | 1.00  | e0.95 | ---   | 0.83  | ---   | 9.1    | ---   | 11    | 22    | ---   |
| TOTAL | 29.85 | 26.91 | 30.77 | 30.76 | 41.43 | 49.77 | 23.66 | 168.57 | 364.5 | 345.3 | 503.3 | 562.4 |
| MEAN  | 0.96  | 0.90  | 0.99  | 0.99  | 1.48  | 1.61  | 0.79  | 5.44   | 12.2  | 11.1  | 16.2  | 18.7  |
| MAX   | 3.3   | 1.9   | 1.8   | 1.2   | 8.0   | 4.6   | 0.92  | 9.1    | 20    | 17    | 23    | 77    |
| MIN   | 0.62  | 0.69  | 0.81  | 0.91  | 0.59  | 0.74  | 0.68  | 0.65   | 9.4   | 8.4   | 7.7   | 7.8   |
| AC-FT | 59    | 53    | 61    | 61    | 82    | 99    | 47    | 334    | 723   | 685   | 998   | 1,120 |

**STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1982 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)**

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 7.95   | 2.88   | 2.40   | 2.06   | 2.63   | 3.00   | 2.68   | 9.42   | 13.5   | 14.5   | 15.1   | 13.1   |
| MAX  | 17.5   | 5.94   | 6.00   | 3.86   | 7.99   | 10.3   | 5.60   | 13.1   | 18.1   | 18.0   | 21.5   | 20.1   |
| (WY) | (1994) | (1994) | (1985) | (1997) | (1983) | (1983) | (1994) | (1982) | (1985) | (1986) | (1983) | (2001) |
| MIN  | 0.96   | 0.78   | 0.47   | 0.85   | 1.07   | 1.11   | 0.79   | 5.44   | 6.83   | 9.95   | 4.04   | 1.12   |
| (WY) | (2003) | (2000) | (2000) | (2000) | (2002) | (1998) | (2003) | (2003) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) |

| SUMMARY STATISTICS       | FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR | FOR 2003 WATER YEAR | WATER YEARS 1982 - 2003 |
|--------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             | 1,106.97               | 2,177.22            |                         |
| ANNUAL MEAN              | 3.03                   | 5.96                |                         |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |                        |                     | 7.49                    |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |                        |                     | 9.47                    |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       | 17                     | Aug 2               | 1985                    |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        | 0.27                   | Aug 28              | 2002                    |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM | 0.59                   | Aug 31              | Dec 15, 1999            |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |                        | 274                 | a598                    |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |                        | 5.68                | Aug 24, 1982            |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    | 2,200                  | 4,320               | 5,430                   |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 9.8                    | 15                  | 16                      |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 1.1                    | 1.4                 | 4.5                     |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 0.75                   | 0.75                | 1.0                     |

e Estimated.

a From rating curve extended above 26 ft<sup>3</sup>/s, on basis of slope-area measurement of peak flow.

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09371492 MUD CREEK AT HIGHWAY 32, NEAR CORTEZ, CO—Continued

## WATER-QUALITY RECORDS

PERIOD OF RECORD--August 1993 to current year. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09371492](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09371492)

## PERIOD OF DAILY RECORD.

SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE: September 1993 to current year.

WATER TEMPERATURE: September 1993 to current year.

INSTRUMENTATION.--Water-quality monitor since September 1993.

REMARKS.--Daily records of specific conductance are good except June 16-25, July 7-12, Aug. 25 to Sep. 1, Sep. 16, 17 which are fair, July 13-24 and Sept. 1-4, 18-25, which are poor. Daily records of water temperature are good. Daily data that are not published are due to probes being isolated by ice and severe fouling.

## EXTREMES FOR PERIOD OF DAILY RECORD.--

SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE: Maximum, 12,000 microsiemens/cm, Apr. 25, 1999; minimum, 580 microsiemens/cm, Sept. 10, 2002.

WATER TEMPERATURE: Maximum, 26.3°C, July 25, 2003; minimum, -0.6°C, Nov. 7, 2002, Jan. 12, 2003.

## EXTREMES FOR CURRENT YEAR.--

SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE: Maximum, 11,900 microsiemens/cm, Mar. 6; minimum, 699 microsiemens/cm, Sept. 9.

WATER TEMPERATURE: Maximum, 26.3°C, July 25; minimum, -0.6°C, Nov. 7, Jan. 12.

## WATER-QUALITY DATA, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| Date      | Time | Instantaneous discharge, cfs<br>(00061) | pH, water, unfltrd field, std units<br>(00400) | Specif. conductance, wat unf 25 degC<br>us/cm<br>(00095) | Temper- ature, water, deg C<br>(00010) | Hard- ness, water, unfltrd mg/L as CaCO <sub>3</sub><br>(00900) | Calcium water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00915) | Magnes- ium, water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00925) | Potas- sium, water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00935) | Sodium adsorp- tion ratio<br>(00931) | Sodium, water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00930) | Alka- linity, wat flt fxd end lab, mg/L as CaCO <sub>3</sub><br>(29801) | Chlor- ide, water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00940) |
|-----------|------|---|--|--|--|---|---------------------------------------|--|--|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| OCT 29... | 1130 | 1.2                                     | 8.3  | 5,160  | 5.5                                    | 2,400   | 395                                   | 335  | 8.05                                       | 5                                    | 544                                   | 340   | 89.1                                      |
| DEC 18... | 1300 | 1.4                                     | 8.4  | 5,440  | 0.9                                    | 2,400   | 348                                   | 363  | 7.52                                       | 6                                    | 665                                   | E312  | 92.8                                      |
| FEB 06... | 1530 | 0.69                                    | 8.3  | 5,380  | -0.2                                   | 2,600   | 420                                   | 370  | 9.29                                       | 5                                    | 596                                   | 391   | 80.8                                      |
| APR 09... | 1600 | 0.83                                    | 8.2  | 5,760  | 12.6                                   | 2,700   | 414                                   | 395  | 8.00                                       | 6                                    | 687                                   | 325   | 90.2                                      |
| 30...     | 1030 | 0.70                                    | 8.2  | 5,860  | 7.5                                    | 2,600   | 402                                   | 388  | 9.12                                       | 6                                    | 695                                   | 366   | 96.4                                      |
| MAY 22... | 1530 | 6.3                                     | 8.2  | 2,290  | 21.2                                   | 1,100   | 250                                   | 127  | 8.40                                       | 2                                    | 159                                   | 238   | 33.0                                      |
| JUN 25... | 1515 | 12                                      | 8.3  | 1,630  | 19.7                                   | 840   | 207                                   | 78.2                                       | 4.87                                       | 1                                    | 69.5                                  | 201   | 17.4                                      |
| JUL 24... | 1500 | 11                                      | 8.2  | 1,600  | 24.7                                   | 830   | 212                                   | 73.0                                       | 5.33                                       | 0.9                                  | 62.8                                  | 199   | 17.8                                      |
| SEP 04... | 1615 | 20                                      | 8.3  | 1,560  | 19.7                                   | 740   | 192                                   | 64.1                                       | 4.61                                       | 0.9                                  | 53.3                                  | 195   | 17.1                                      |

## WATER-QUALITY DATA, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| Date      | Fluor- ide, water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00950) | Silica, water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00955) | Sulfate water, fltrd, mg/L<br>(00945) | Residue sum of constituents, mg/L<br>(70301) | Residue water, fltrd, tons/acre-ft<br>(70303) | Residue water, fltrd, tons/d<br>(70302) |
|-----------|---|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|---|---|
| OCT 29... | 0.48                                      | 8.6                                   | 2,900                                 | 4,490  | 6.10  | 14.5                                    |
| DEC 18... | 0.45                                      | 8.8                                   | 3,130                                 | --   | --  | --                                      |
| FEB 06... | 0.57                                      | 9.4                                   | 2,990                                 | 4,710  | 6.40  | 8.77                                    |
| APR 09... | 0.49                                      | 4.2                                   | 3,340                                 | 5,140  | 6.99  | 11.5                                    |
| 30...     | 0.47                                      | 3.2                                   | 3,460                                 | 5,270  | 7.17  | 9.96                                    |
| MAY 22... | 0.4                                       | 11.1                                  | 1,130                                 | 1,860  | 2.53  | 31.8                                    |
| JUN 25... | 0.3                                       | 8.2                                   | 696                                   | 1,200  | 1.63  | 37.6                                    |
| JUL 24... | 0.4                                       | 10.8                                  | 673                                   | 1,170  | 1.60  | 34.3                                    |
| SEP 04... | 0.4                                       | 11.2                                  | 651                                   | 1,110  | 1.51  | 60.6                                    |

E -- Estimated laboratory analysis value.

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09371492 MUD CREEK AT HIGHWAY 32, NEAR CORTEZ, CO—Continued

SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE, WATER, UNFILTERED, MICROSIEMENS PER CENTIMETER AT 25 DEGREES CELSIUS  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| DAY   | MAX      | MIN   | MEAN  | MAX      | MIN   | MEAN  | MAX      | MIN   | MEAN  | MAX     | MIN   | MEAN  |
|-------|----------|-------|-------|----------|-------|-------|----------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|
|       | OCTOBER  |       |       | NOVEMBER |       |       | DECEMBER |       |       | JANUARY |       |       |
| 1     | 4,700    | 4,530 | 4,610 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 2     | 5,300    | 3,300 | 4,360 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 3     | 6,740    | 3,600 | 4,480 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 4     | 4,380    | 3,980 | 4,190 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 5     | 4,920    | 4,220 | 4,620 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 6     | 5,010    | 4,880 | 4,950 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 7     | 5,050    | 4,860 | 4,980 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 8     | 5,030    | 4,870 | 4,950 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 9     | 5,120    | 4,880 | 5,050 | 10,500   | 4,630 | 6,930 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 10    | 5,480    | 4,950 | 5,100 | 10,500   | 5,120 | 6,340 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 11    | 5,090    | 4,980 | 5,030 | 7,920    | 5,020 | 5,560 | ---      | ---   | ---   | 9,150   | 5,220 | 5,770 |
| 12    | 5,080    | 4,600 | 4,820 | 7,880    | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 9,820   | 5,360 | 7,240 |
| 13    | 4,660    | 4,570 | 4,610 | ---      | 4,620 | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 6,050   | 4,960 | 5,380 |
| 14    | 5,120    | 4,570 | 4,810 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,870   | 4,880 | 5,230 |
| 15    | 5,320    | 5,120 | 5,200 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,640   | 4,930 | 5,190 |
| 16    | 5,300    | 5,220 | 5,260 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,950   | 4,980 | 5,240 |
| 17    | 5,330    | 5,230 | 5,280 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,910   | 4,930 | 5,270 |
| 18    | 5,270    | 5,190 | 5,230 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 6,020   | 4,560 | 5,180 |
| 19    | 5,270    | 5,180 | 5,230 | ---      | ---   | ---   | 6,420    | 5,150 | 5,590 | 5,760   | 4,240 | 5,020 |
| 20    | 5,300    | 5,110 | 5,230 | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,720    | 5,300 | 5,550 | 5,690   | 4,070 | 4,900 |
| 21    | 5,760    | 5,210 | 5,340 | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,380    | 5,000 | 5,200 | 5,520   | 4,520 | 5,020 |
| 22    | 5,290    | 5,180 | 5,230 | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,350    | 5,040 | 5,250 | 5,680   | 4,660 | 5,080 |
| 23    | 5,450    | 4,980 | 5,170 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,790   | 4,820 | 5,130 |
| 24    | 5,120    | 4,960 | 5,060 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,780   | 4,800 | 5,110 |
| 25    | 5,120    | 4,910 | 5,030 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,770   | 4,920 | 5,130 |
| MONTH | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---     | ---   | ---   |
|       | FEBRUARY |       |       | MARCH    |       |       | APRIL    |       |       | MAY     |       |       |
| 1     | 5,630    | 4,870 | 5,140 | 10,700   | 6,220 | 7,930 | 5,700    | 5,570 | 5,630 | 5,930   | 5,640 | 5,800 |
| 2     | 5,270    | 5,140 | 5,200 | 11,600   | 6,140 | 8,200 | 5,740    | 5,620 | 5,670 | 5,700   | 5,280 | 5,550 |
| 3     | 5,710    | 5,010 | 5,230 | 7,880    | 6,140 | 6,820 | 5,840    | 5,640 | 5,720 | 6,850   | 5,600 | 6,180 |
| 4     | 5,760    | 4,920 | 5,350 | 8,510    | 6,310 | 7,630 | 5,750    | 5,500 | 5,660 | 6,820   | 6,100 | 6,300 |
| 5     | 5,950    | 5,080 | 5,430 | 10,800   | 6,410 | 7,120 | 5,850    | 5,620 | 5,710 | 6,130   | 5,810 | 5,940 |
| 6     | 5,640    | 4,920 | 5,310 | 11,900   | 6,600 | 8,940 | 5,800    | 5,460 | 5,550 | 6,010   | 5,280 | 5,550 |
| 7     | 5,820    | 5,050 | 5,380 | 7,420    | 6,290 | 6,780 | 5,690    | 5,480 | 5,600 | 6,010   | 5,250 | 5,730 |
| 8     | ---      | ---   | ---   | 7,660    | 6,070 | 6,660 | 5,750    | 5,560 | 5,670 | 5,250   | 2,480 | 4,010 |
| 9     | ---      | ---   | ---   | 6,110    | 5,300 | 5,600 | 5,910    | 5,660 | 5,760 | 2,480   | 2,190 | 2,280 |
| 10    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,830    | 5,300 | 5,500 | 5,930    | 5,750 | 5,860 | 2,190   | 1,920 | 2,090 |
| 11    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,530    | 5,270 | 5,370 | 6,080    | 5,760 | 5,890 | 1,980   | 1,810 | 1,900 |
| 12    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,420    | 5,230 | 5,310 | 5,900    | 5,750 | 5,830 | 1,850   | 1,600 | 1,770 |
| 13    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,500    | 5,280 | 5,400 | 5,860    | 5,690 | 5,800 | 1,600   | 1,480 | 1,530 |
| 14    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,570    | 5,450 | 5,500 | 5,930    | 5,750 | 5,850 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 15    | 6,200    | 4,870 | 5,360 | 5,610    | 5,460 | 5,540 | 5,900    | 5,730 | 5,820 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 16    | 5,660    | 5,200 | 5,380 | 9,960    | 5,320 | 6,330 | 5,810    | 5,630 | 5,720 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 17    | 5,400    | 5,250 | 5,330 | 10,700   | 6,560 | 7,740 | 5,860    | 5,700 | 5,770 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 18    | 9,950    | 5,060 | 6,190 | 6,660    | 6,010 | 6,300 | 5,870    | 5,730 | 5,810 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 19    | 9,220    | 5,400 | 6,410 | 6,300    | 5,760 | 5,890 | 5,950    | 5,650 | 5,770 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 20    | 5,470    | 5,300 | 5,400 | 5,790    | 5,320 | 5,640 | 5,980    | 5,560 | 5,690 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 21    | 5,680    | 5,320 | 5,480 | 7,050    | 5,410 | 6,370 | 5,910    | 5,700 | 5,790 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 22    | 6,020    | 5,570 | 5,720 | 6,450    | 5,780 | 5,990 | 5,870    | 5,730 | 5,790 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 23    | 6,140    | 5,670 | 5,840 | 5,860    | 5,600 | 5,720 | 5,860    | 5,690 | 5,770 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 24    | 5,930    | 5,050 | 5,460 | 5,780    | 5,040 | 5,360 | 5,780    | 5,620 | 5,710 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 25    | 8,010    | 4,540 | 5,090 | 5,160    | 4,960 | 5,080 | 5,780    | 5,620 | 5,710 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 26    | 11,800   | 8,010 | 9,580 | 5,190    | 4,800 | 4,910 | 5,780    | 5,630 | 5,720 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 27    | 9,670    | 6,850 | 8,390 | 5,040    | 4,900 | 4,960 | 5,850    | 5,690 | 5,770 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 28    | 10,700   | 6,380 | 8,360 | 5,310    | 3,890 | 4,190 | 5,920    | 5,620 | 5,780 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 29    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 4,400    | 3,720 | 3,900 | 5,700    | 5,220 | 5,500 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 30    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,620    | 4,400 | 5,330 | 6,020    | 5,690 | 5,850 | ---     | ---   | ---   |
| 31    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 5,710    | 5,570 | 5,640 | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,020   | 1,870 | 1,940 |
| MONTH | ---      | ---   | ---   | 11,900   | 3,720 | 6,050 | 6,080    | 5,220 | 5,740 | ---     | ---   | ---   |

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN

09371492 MUD CREEK AT HIGHWAY 32, NEAR CORTEZ, CO—Continued

SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE, WATER, UNFILTERED, MICROSIEMENS PER CENTIMETER AT 25 DEGREES CELSIUS—CONTINUED  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| DAY   | MAX   | MIN   | MEAN  |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| 1     | 1,960 | 1,750 | 1,910 | 1,460 | 1,370 | 1,420 | 1,470 | 1,370 | 1,410 | 1,590 | 1,540 | 1,570 |
| 2     | 1,780 | 1,710 | 1,750 | 1,500 | 1,380 | 1,440 | 1,410 | 1,190 | 1,360 | 1,630 | 1,560 | 1,590 |
| 3     | 1,980 | 1,690 | 1,850 | 1,470 | 1,380 | 1,420 | 1,350 | 1,300 | 1,330 | 1,610 | 1,570 | 1,590 |
| 4     | 1,870 | 1,710 | 1,810 | 1,440 | 1,370 | 1,410 | 1,330 | 1,280 | 1,300 | 1,590 | 1,540 | 1,560 |
| 5     | 1,850 | 1,690 | 1,770 | 1,400 | 1,360 | 1,380 | 1,360 | 1,280 | 1,330 | 1,590 | 1,540 | 1,570 |
| 6     | 1,860 | 1,780 | 1,810 | 1,550 | 1,370 | 1,470 | 1,390 | 1,350 | 1,380 | 1,930 | 1,360 | 1,560 |
| 7     | 1,830 | 1,740 | 1,780 | 1,510 | 1,400 | 1,460 | 1,390 | 1,340 | 1,360 | 1,600 | 1,550 | 1,570 |
| 8     | 1,840 | 1,610 | 1,760 | 1,570 | 1,400 | 1,510 | 1,590 | 1,380 | 1,460 | 1,600 | 1,530 | 1,570 |
| 9     | 1,740 | 1,580 | 1,660 | 1,550 | 1,450 | 1,510 | 1,530 | 1,410 | 1,500 | 2,110 | 699   | 1,580 |
| 10    | 1,760 | 1,670 | 1,730 | 1,450 | 1,420 | 1,440 | 1,420 | 1,310 | 1,370 | 2,140 | 1,450 | 1,930 |
| 11    | 1,730 | 1,660 | 1,700 | 1,520 | 1,440 | 1,450 | 1,410 | 1,300 | 1,350 | 2,130 | 1,800 | 2,020 |
| 12    | 1,820 | 1,680 | 1,760 | 1,450 | 1,410 | 1,430 | 1,940 | 1,390 | 1,510 | 1,810 | 1,640 | 1,740 |
| 13    | 1,840 | 1,620 | 1,720 | 1,640 | 1,410 | 1,460 | 1,520 | 1,450 | 1,480 | 1,700 | 1,630 | 1,670 |
| 14    | 1,740 | 1,440 | 1,550 | 1,880 | 1,530 | 1,660 | 1,540 | 1,480 | 1,510 | 2,020 | 1,650 | 1,900 |
| 15    | 1,560 | 1,460 | 1,530 | 1,560 | 1,520 | 1,540 | 1,640 | 1,140 | 1,500 | 1,960 | 1,790 | 1,870 |
| 16    | 1,620 | 1,490 | 1,550 | 1,550 | 1,490 | 1,530 | 1,560 | 1,440 | 1,480 | 1,960 | 1,840 | 1,920 |
| 17    | 1,760 | 1,620 | 1,700 | 1,520 | 1,490 | 1,510 | 1,470 | 1,360 | 1,450 | 1,960 | 1,890 | 1,920 |
| 18    | 1,710 | 1,600 | 1,670 | 1,510 | 1,470 | 1,490 | 1,540 | 1,430 | 1,490 | 1,910 | 1,800 | 1,840 |
| 19    | 1,680 | 1,580 | 1,620 | 1,640 | 1,500 | 1,540 | 1,530 | 1,480 | 1,500 | 1,890 | 1,800 | 1,840 |
| 20    | 1,650 | 1,570 | 1,600 | 1,680 | 1,580 | 1,620 | 1,650 | 1,500 | 1,580 | 1,890 | 1,810 | 1,850 |
| 21    | 1,700 | 1,550 | 1,620 | 1,610 | 1,560 | 1,590 | 1,670 | 1,600 | 1,630 | 1,810 | 1,780 | 1,790 |
| 22    | 1,630 | 1,550 | 1,590 | 1,880 | 1,500 | 1,680 | 1,700 | 1,580 | 1,650 | 1,790 | 1,760 | 1,770 |
| 23    | 1,630 | 1,550 | 1,590 | 1,600 | 1,540 | 1,570 | 1,640 | 1,540 | 1,590 | 1,790 | 1,750 | 1,770 |
| 24    | 1,650 | 1,540 | 1,600 | 1,630 | 1,540 | 1,590 | 1,600 | 1,430 | 1,570 | 1,800 | 1,770 | 1,780 |
| 25    | 1,640 | 1,470 | 1,590 | 1,550 | 1,480 | 1,510 | 1,660 | 1,420 | 1,520 | 1,810 | 1,780 | 1,790 |
| 26    | 1,540 | 1,470 | 1,500 | 1,550 | 1,440 | 1,490 | 1,660 | 1,550 | 1,630 | ---   | ---   | ---   |
| 27    | 1,620 | 1,530 | 1,580 | 1,550 | 1,410 | 1,510 | 1,670 | 1,620 | 1,650 | ---   | ---   | ---   |
| 28    | 1,600 | 1,040 | 1,320 | 1,440 | 1,380 | 1,410 | 1,700 | 1,400 | 1,670 | ---   | ---   | ---   |
| 29    | 1,520 | 1,060 | 1,350 | 1,420 | 1,380 | 1,400 | 1,750 | 1,400 | 1,650 | ---   | ---   | ---   |
| 30    | 1,470 | 1,400 | 1,440 | 1,460 | 1,380 | 1,400 | 1,620 | 1,560 | 1,600 | ---   | ---   | ---   |
| 31    | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,560 | 1,420 | 1,520 | 1,590 | 1,560 | 1,570 | ---   | ---   | ---   |
| MONTH | 1,980 | 1,040 | 1,650 | 1,880 | 1,360 | 1,500 | 1,940 | 1,140 | 1,500 | ---   | ---   | ---   |

09371492 MUD CREEK AT HIGHWAY 32, NEAR CORTEZ, CO—Continued

TEMPERATURE, WATER, DEGREES CELSIUS  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| DAY   | MAX      | MIN  | MEAN | MAX      | MIN  | MEAN | MAX      | MIN  | MEAN | MAX     | MIN  | MEAN |
|-------|----------|------|------|----------|------|------|----------|------|------|---------|------|------|
|       | OCTOBER  |      |      | NOVEMBER |      |      | DECEMBER |      |      | JANUARY |      |      |
| 1     | 11.4     | 7.3  | 9.8  | 7.3      | 3.6  | 5.6  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---     | ---  | ---  |
| 2     | 11.7     | 10.2 | 10.9 | 7.8      | 4.7  | 6.3  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---     | ---  | ---  |
| 3     | 11.2     | 7.8  | 8.9  | 4.7      | 1.6  | 3.2  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---     | ---  | ---  |
| 4     | 10.3     | 5.5  | 7.9  | 5.5      | 2.1  | 3.6  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---     | ---  | ---  |
| 5     | 11.3     | 6.9  | 9.1  | 4.1      | 0.7  | 2.5  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---     | ---  | ---  |
| 6     | 11.3     | 6.5  | 9.0  | 3.8      | -0.3 | 1.7  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---     | ---  | ---  |
| 7     | 11.6     | 6.7  | 9.1  | 3.9      | -0.6 | 1.9  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---     | ---  | ---  |
| 8     | 11.6     | 6.8  | 9.2  | 5.2      | 3.7  | 4.4  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---     | ---  | ---  |
| 9     | 11.1     | 6.4  | 8.8  | 7.7      | 5.2  | 6.4  | ---      | ---  | ---  | 0.6     | -0.4 | 0.1  |
| 10    | 10.9     | 5.8  | 8.4  | 6.4      | 4.1  | 4.9  | ---      | ---  | ---  | 1.2     | 0.3  | 0.6  |
| 11    | 10.8     | 6.5  | 8.7  | 5.3      | 3.0  | 4.1  | ---      | ---  | ---  | 1.3     | -0.1 | 0.4  |
| 12    | 10.8     | 7.0  | 8.9  | 3.8      | 1.1  | 2.5  | ---      | ---  | ---  | 0.9     | -0.6 | 0.0  |
| 13    | 10.8     | 6.2  | 8.5  | 3.7      | 0.7  | 2.2  | ---      | ---  | ---  | 1.0     | -0.4 | 0.1  |
| 14    | 10.3     | 5.8  | 8.1  | 3.9      | 0.9  | 2.4  | ---      | ---  | ---  | 1.4     | -0.5 | 0.2  |
| 15    | 9.6      | 4.8  | 7.2  | 3.5      | ---  | ---  | ---      | ---  | ---  | 1.7     | -0.4 | 0.5  |
| 16    | 8.8      | 3.6  | 6.2  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---      | ---  | ---  | 1.2     | -0.4 | 0.2  |
| 17    | 8.1      | 3.6  | 6.1  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---      | ---  | ---  | 0.8     | -0.4 | -0.1 |
| 18    | 10.3     | 7.1  | 8.5  | ---      | ---  | 0.8  | ---      | ---  | ---  | 0.2     | -0.4 | -0.3 |
| 19    | 9.3      | 4.8  | 7.1  | ---      | ---  | -0.2 | -0.4     | -0.4 | -0.4 | -0.2    | -0.4 | -0.4 |
| 20    | 8.2      | 3.6  | 5.9  | ---      | ---  | -0.3 | -0.4     | -0.4 | -0.4 | -0.3    | -0.4 | -0.4 |
| 21    | 8.0      | 3.2  | 5.7  | ---      | ---  | -0.4 | -0.4     | -0.4 | 0.0  | -0.4    | -0.3 |      |
| 22    | 9.5      | 4.9  | 7.2  | ---      | ---  | -0.3 | -0.4     | -0.4 | 1.2  | -0.4    | 0.1  |      |
| 23    | 9.6      | 7.2  | 8.4  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---      | ---  | 1.6  | -0.4    | 0.3  |      |
| 24    | 9.4      | 7.2  | 8.2  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---      | ---  | 2.7  | -0.4    | 0.8  |      |
| 25    | 8.6      | 4.9  | 6.7  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---      | ---  | 1.8  | -0.4    | 0.5  |      |
| 26    | 7.3      | 5.2  | 6.3  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---      | ---  | 1.2  | -0.4    | 0.1  |      |
| 27    | 7.9      | 6.0  | 6.8  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---      | ---  | 1.7  | -0.5    | 0.2  |      |
| 28    | 6.7      | 3.5  | 5.3  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---      | ---  | 2.1  | -0.4    | 0.5  |      |
| 29    | 6.8      | 5.2  | 5.9  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---      | ---  | 1.7  | -0.5    | 0.3  |      |
| 30    | 6.8      | 3.8  | 5.3  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---      | ---  | 1.8  | -0.5    | 0.3  |      |
| 31    | 7.4      | 4.4  | 5.8  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---      | ---  | 3.0  | -0.4    | 0.9  |      |
| MONTH | 11.7     | 3.2  | 7.7  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---     | ---  | ---  |
|       | FEBRUARY |      |      | MARCH    |      |      | APRIL    |      |      | MAY     |      |      |
| 1     | 3.2      | -0.4 | 1.3  | 1.8      | -0.4 | 0.6  | 10.8     | 3.4  | 7.0  | 14.1    | 4.3  | 9.2  |
| 2     | 3.0      | 0.7  | 1.8  | 1.6      | -0.5 | 0.1  | 7.4      | 4.0  | 5.9  | 16.3    | 6.8  | 11.2 |
| 3     | 2.4      | -0.4 | 1.0  | 3.1      | -0.4 | 0.9  | 6.9      | 3.1  | 5.0  | 16.3    | 8.5  | 12.0 |
| 4     | -0.1     | -0.4 | -0.3 | 2.6      | 0.5  | 1.6  | 9.2      | 1.3  | 5.2  | 12.9    | 8.3  | 10.3 |
| 5     | -0.1     | -0.4 | -0.3 | 4.8      | 0.1  | 2.2  | 8.0      | 2.2  | 5.3  | 13.5    | 5.6  | 9.2  |
| 6     | -0.2     | -0.4 | -0.3 | 4.8      | -0.5 | 2.0  | 8.9      | 3.1  | 5.8  | 14.1    | 5.2  | 9.5  |
| 7     | -0.2     | -0.4 | -0.3 | 6.1      | 0.2  | 3.0  | 9.9      | 3.2  | 6.3  | 14.7    | 6.5  | 10.3 |
| 8     | ---      | ---  | ---  | 6.9      | 0.6  | 3.7  | 10.4     | 1.1  | 5.8  | 13.2    | 7.7  | 10.0 |
| 9     | ---      | ---  | ---  | 7.5      | 0.8  | 4.0  | 12.8     | 2.2  | 7.1  | 13.7    | 7.5  | 10.2 |
| 10    | ---      | ---  | ---  | 7.9      | 1.1  | 4.5  | 13.3     | 3.3  | 8.0  | 15.8    | 5.5  | 10.2 |
| 11    | ---      | ---  | ---  | 8.9      | 1.8  | 5.2  | 14.1     | 4.0  | 8.7  | 17.2    | 6.4  | 11.5 |
| 12    | ---      | ---  | ---  | 10.1     | 3.1  | 6.4  | 10.8     | 4.9  | 8.0  | 17.9    | 7.9  | 12.6 |
| 13    | ---      | ---  | ---  | 10.0     | 3.0  | 6.5  | 14.3     | 3.9  | 8.7  | 14.9    | 10.0 | 12.4 |
| 14    | 1.1      | ---  | ---  | 8.0      | 3.8  | 6.0  | 12.7     | 5.3  | 9.1  | 14.4    | 9.3  | 12.2 |
| 15    | 3.4      | -0.5 | 1.1  | 7.6      | 3.2  | 5.5  | 10.0     | 6.9  | 8.6  | 15.9    | 11.8 | 13.4 |
| 16    | 3.6      | -0.3 | 1.4  | 7.2      | 5.4  | 6.2  | 13.7     | 3.7  | 8.2  | 19.8    | 10.5 | 14.9 |
| 17    | 4.7      | 0.9  | 2.7  | 6.5      | 4.2  | 5.0  | 12.5     | 3.9  | 8.1  | 16.4    | 12.6 | 14.8 |
| 18    | 5.1      | 2.1  | 3.4  | 7.9      | 3.5  | 5.6  | 9.6      | 6.1  | 7.8  | 17.1    | 13.1 | 14.8 |
| 19    | 4.3      | 0.4  | 2.4  | 8.0      | 3.6  | 5.8  | 10.2     | 4.7  | 7.2  | 18.3    | 11.9 | 15.1 |
| 20    | 4.7      | 0.8  | 2.6  | 6.9      | 3.5  | 5.3  | 14.0     | 3.1  | 8.2  | 20.4    | 12.5 | 16.3 |
| 21    | 5.0      | 0.1  | 2.3  | 9.1      | 3.9  | 6.3  | 12.7     | 6.7  | 9.6  | 21.6    | 12.9 | 17.1 |
| 22    | 4.1      | -0.3 | 1.6  | 10.3     | 3.1  | 6.5  | 11.6     | 8.1  | 9.7  | 21.7    | 13.0 | 17.2 |
| 23    | 3.1      | -0.3 | 0.8  | 11.1     | 3.6  | 7.2  | 11.0     | 5.1  | 7.8  | 20.7    | 13.7 | 17.1 |
| 24    | 4.0      | -0.3 | 1.5  | 9.9      | 4.1  | 7.1  | 15.5     | 5.4  | 9.9  | 21.2    | 13.6 | 17.4 |
| 25    | 3.3      | 0.9  | 2.3  | 11.6     | 4.5  | 7.8  | 15.9     | 5.4  | 10.5 | 22.4    | 15.5 | 18.2 |
| 26    | 4.3      | 1.4  | 2.6  | 8.4      | 4.1  | 6.4  | 16.8     | 7.2  | 11.6 | 22.5    | 14.6 | 18.4 |
| 27    | 2.5      | 0.9  | 1.6  | 8.3      | 4.2  | 6.0  | 15.9     | 6.6  | 11.1 | 23.3    | 16.3 | 19.7 |
| 28    | 1.8      | 0.2  | 0.8  | 5.3      | 1.2  | 3.6  | 16.2     | 7.1  | 11.6 | 24.6    | 16.7 | 20.6 |
| 29    | ---      | ---  | ---  | 7.6      | 0.2  | 3.9  | 12.5     | 7.2  | 10.4 | 24.1    | 17.8 | 20.9 |
| 30    | ---      | ---  | ---  | 9.5      | 1.2  | 5.3  | 14.6     | 6.1  | 10.1 | 24.2    | 17.0 | 20.5 |
| 31    | ---      | ---  | ---  | 11.5     | 2.7  | 6.9  | ---      | ---  | ---  | 23.0    | 18.0 | 20.3 |
| MONTH | ---      | ---  | ---  | 11.6     | -0.5 | 4.7  | 16.8     | 1.1  | 8.2  | 24.6    | 4.3  | 14.4 |

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TEMPERATURE, WATER, DEGREES CELSIUS—CONTINUED  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| DAY   | MAX  | MIN  | MEAN |
|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| 1     | 21.6 | 17.1 | 19.3 | 23.2 | 16.9 | 20.1 | 23.2 | 20.1 | 21.5 | 19.6 | 15.8 | 18.1 |
| 2     | 22.2 | 15.7 | 19.0 | 23.0 | 16.9 | 20.1 | 23.4 | 20.2 | 21.8 | 20.2 | 16.7 | 18.7 |
| 3     | 22.2 | 16.5 | 19.3 | 23.0 | 17.0 | 20.1 | 23.6 | 20.1 | 21.8 | 19.8 | 18.0 | 18.9 |
| 4     | 21.4 | 15.2 | 18.4 | 23.3 | 16.4 | 19.9 | 23.9 | 18.8 | 21.4 | 20.0 | 17.8 | 18.9 |
| 5     | 20.8 | 14.8 | 17.9 | 23.3 | 16.8 | 20.2 | 23.8 | 18.2 | 21.1 | 19.5 | 17.4 | 18.5 |
| 6     | 19.9 | 13.6 | 16.9 | 23.5 | 17.8 | 20.5 | 23.5 | 18.1 | 20.8 | 18.8 | 16.6 | 17.4 |
| 7     | 19.2 | 13.1 | 16.3 | 23.2 | 16.6 | 20.0 | 23.7 | 19.6 | 21.5 | 18.6 | 15.0 | 16.7 |
| 8     | 20.7 | 13.4 | 17.0 | 23.3 | 16.3 | 19.9 | 23.9 | 19.4 | 21.7 | 17.9 | 15.3 | 16.8 |
| 9     | 20.4 | 15.0 | 17.9 | 23.5 | 16.6 | 20.1 | 24.6 | 20.2 | 22.3 | 17.5 | 12.0 | 15.2 |
| 10    | 21.5 | 15.8 | 18.6 | 23.5 | 16.2 | 19.9 | 23.9 | 19.1 | 21.5 | 15.4 | 11.9 | 13.5 |
| 11    | 21.1 | 14.7 | 18.0 | 23.9 | 16.5 | 20.2 | 23.9 | 19.3 | 21.6 | 16.3 | 12.9 | 14.6 |
| 12    | 20.3 | 14.3 | 17.5 | 24.1 | 17.2 | 20.6 | 23.9 | 19.9 | 22.0 | 17.6 | 12.5 | 14.8 |
| 13    | 20.9 | 15.0 | 18.0 | 24.3 | 17.0 | 20.6 | 23.7 | 20.1 | 21.9 | 16.6 | 13.7 | 15.2 |
| 14    | 20.0 | 15.1 | 17.8 | 24.5 | 17.4 | 20.9 | 22.7 | 18.9 | 20.8 | 15.3 | 12.1 | 14.1 |
| 15    | 22.2 | 15.8 | 19.1 | 25.6 | 19.3 | 22.2 | 21.5 | 18.9 | 20.2 | 15.8 | 12.3 | 14.2 |
| 16    | 22.6 | 17.5 | 19.9 | 24.0 | 20.3 | 21.9 | 21.3 | 18.5 | 19.8 | 16.5 | 12.8 | 14.7 |
| 17    | 21.0 | 17.6 | 19.3 | 25.0 | 18.9 | 21.8 | 20.6 | 17.2 | 19.1 | 16.7 | 13.7 | 15.2 |
| 18    | 21.3 | 16.0 | 18.5 | 25.7 | 19.9 | 22.7 | 20.6 | 17.8 | 19.3 | 15.7 | 11.7 | 13.7 |
| 19    | 21.2 | 17.2 | 19.1 | 25.7 | 20.4 | 23.0 | 21.9 | 18.2 | 20.3 | 15.6 | 10.6 | 13.0 |
| 20    | 19.3 | 16.5 | 18.0 | 25.5 | 20.3 | 22.7 | 22.8 | 18.8 | 21.0 | 16.0 | 11.5 | 13.6 |
| 21    | 19.9 | 14.3 | 17.2 | 24.6 | 20.4 | 22.3 | 22.3 | 18.7 | 20.7 | 15.5 | 11.1 | 13.3 |
| 22    | 20.6 | 14.9 | 17.8 | 24.2 | 18.7 | 21.6 | 22.7 | 19.3 | 20.8 | 15.4 | 10.9 | 13.1 |
| 23    | 20.3 | 15.0 | 17.7 | 23.5 | 21.0 | 22.0 | 22.5 | 19.4 | 21.0 | 15.8 | 11.5 | 13.6 |
| 24    | 19.9 | 15.3 | 17.5 | 25.5 | 19.6 | 22.4 | 22.3 | 19.4 | 21.0 | 15.4 | 12.0 | 13.7 |
| 25    | 20.4 | 14.1 | 17.3 | 26.3 | 21.0 | 23.4 | 21.8 | 18.9 | 20.6 | 16.6 | 12.3 | 14.3 |
| 26    | 20.6 | 14.4 | 17.6 | 25.7 | 21.0 | 23.1 | 21.6 | 18.1 | 20.2 | 15.8 | 11.8 | 13.9 |
| 27    | 21.5 | 14.8 | 18.3 | 24.7 | 20.4 | 22.2 | 21.4 | 19.4 | 20.4 | 16.1 | 12.1 | 14.1 |
| 28    | 20.3 | 16.3 | 18.5 | 23.3 | 19.2 | 21.4 | 21.4 | 19.2 | 20.4 | 16.0 | 12.2 | 14.1 |
| 29    | 22.0 | 15.9 | 18.9 | 23.5 | 20.1 | 21.8 | 21.7 | 18.3 | 20.1 | 15.8 | 12.2 | 14.1 |
| 30    | 23.0 | 16.8 | 19.7 | 23.8 | 19.4 | 21.8 | 20.4 | 17.6 | 18.9 | 15.8 | 12.2 | 14.1 |
| 31    | ---  | ---  | ---  | 24.2 | 20.5 | 22.0 | 20.4 | 17.2 | 18.9 | ---  | ---  | ---  |
| MONTH | 23.0 | 13.1 | 18.2 | 26.3 | 16.2 | 21.3 | 24.6 | 17.2 | 20.8 | 20.2 | 10.6 | 15.1 |

**09371520 McELMO CREEK ABOVE TRAIL CANYON, NEAR CORTEZ, CO**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°19'36", long 108°42'00", in NE<sup>1/4</sup>NE<sup>1/4</sup> sec.3, T.35 N., R.17 W., Montezuma County, Hydrologic Unit 14080202, on left bank adjacent to abandoned gravel pit 1.5 mi downstream from Mud Creek, 1.9 mi upstream from Trail Canyon, and 5.5 mi south of Cortez.

DRAINAGE AREA.--234 mi<sup>2</sup>.

**WATER-DISCHARGE RECORDS**

PERIOD OF RECORD.--August 1993 to current year. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09371520](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09371520)

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Elevation of gage is 5,690 ft above NGVD of 1929, from topographic map.

REMARKS.--Records good except those for Oct. 1-4, July 20-24, estimated daily discharges and discharges above 1,000 ft<sup>3</sup>/s which are poor. A few small diversions upstream from station. Most of flow comes from diversions through the Dolores Project and Montezuma Valley Irrigation Company (water imported from Dolores River Basin).

EXTREMES OUTSIDE PERIOD OF RECORD.--Flood of Sept. 9, 1927 at location 1.5 mi upstream was determined to be 5,560 ft<sup>3</sup>/s, gage height, 5.72 ft, site and datum then in use. Feb. 20, 1993, 890 ft<sup>3</sup>/s, gage height, 7.57 ft, present datum, on basis of slope-area measurement at site 1 mi upstream.

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003  
DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY   | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1     | 17    | 9.7   | 9.0   | e13   | e10   | 25    | 11    | 7.0   | 33    | 33    | 35    | 51    |
| 2     | 19    | 12    | 13    | e13   | e11   | 20    | 13    | 7.6   | 33    | 30    | 45    | 49    |
| 3     | 39    | 12    | 11    | e12   | e10   | 20    | 12    | 12    | 27    | 30    | 44    | 48    |
| 4     | 18    | 12    | 10    | e12   | e8.6  | 20    | 16    | 9.6   | 30    | 27    | 41    | 50    |
| 5     | e17   | 12    | e10   | e12   | e8.6  | 20    | 15    | 11    | 30    | 27    | 42    | 46    |
| 6     | e15   | 12    | e9.8  | e12   | e8.4  | 20    | 14    | 17    | 32    | 27    | 38    | 54    |
| 7     | e13   | 13    | e9.7  | e12   | e8.4  | 20    | 13    | 26    | 32    | 27    | 32    | 58    |
| 8     | e12   | 15    | e9.7  | e12   | e8.4  | 25    | 11    | 27    | 28    | 28    | 33    | 58    |
| 9     | e12   | 32    | e9.7  | e12   | 8.3   | 29    | 11    | 24    | 32    | 27    | 35    | 167   |
| 10    | e12   | 38    | e9.6  | e12   | 8.5   | 31    | 11    | 21    | 27    | 27    | 35    | 976   |
| 11    | e11   | 25    | e9.6  | e12   | 8.9   | 30    | 11    | 18    | 26    | 31    | 35    | 174   |
| 12    | e9.2  | 19    | e9.7  | e12   | 11    | 30    | 9.1   | 16    | 30    | 27    | 38    | 104   |
| 13    | e6.7  | 26    | 9.6   | e12   | 18    | 25    | 9.2   | 19    | 37    | 24    | 34    | 67    |
| 14    | e6.2  | 28    | e10   | e11   | 37    | 21    | 9.1   | 24    | 42    | 27    | 34    | 47    |
| 15    | e7.4  | 25    | e11   | e11   | 18    | 19    | 11    | 27    | 36    | 25    | 50    | 41    |
| 16    | e7.2  | 28    | 11    | e10   | 14    | 22    | 11    | 34    | 37    | 26    | 48    | 38    |
| 17    | e11   | 25    | 12    | e10   | 13    | 64    | 12    | 29    | 38    | 26    | 52    | 32    |
| 18    | e10   | 23    | e14   | e9.9  | 15    | 67    | 10    | 23    | 31    | 29    | 50    | 18    |
| 19    | e8.0  | 9.2   | e13   | e9.8  | 19    | 37    | 9.9   | 27    | 37    | 29    | 42    | 16    |
| 20    | e8.2  | 3.2   | e13   | e9.8  | 14    | 26    | 9.1   | 25    | 37    | 25    | 34    | 26    |
| 21    | e6.2  | 2.7   | e12   | e9.7  | 13    | 30    | 8.4   | 28    | 27    | 31    | 37    | 28    |
| 22    | e9.2  | 2.7   | 11    | e9.7  | 11    | 24    | 8.2   | 28    | 27    | 42    | 52    | 30    |
| 23    | e18   | 3.1   | e12   | e9.7  | 9.7   | 20    | 7.9   | 30    | 27    | 33    | 47    | 31    |
| 24    | e13   | 3.3   | e12   | e9.7  | 9.7   | 18    | 8.2   | 30    | 26    | 33    | 65    | 29    |
| 25    | e14   | 3.3   | e12   | e9.7  | 12    | 16    | 8.2   | 33    | 25    | 26    | 87    | 31    |
| 26    | e19   | 3.7   | 11    | e9.6  | 24    | 16    | 7.0   | 35    | 34    | 27    | 60    | 33    |
| 27    | e20   | 5.5   | e13   | e9.6  | 27    | 17    | 5.6   | 28    | 36    | 29    | 58    | 33    |
| 28    | e18   | 7.3   | e14   | e9.6  | 27    | 16    | 4.4   | 29    | 44    | 36    | 58    | 32    |
| 29    | e19   | 11    | e14   | e9.6  | ---   | 15    | 7.1   | 32    | 31    | 37    | 61    | 32    |
| 30    | 15    | 14    | e13   | e9.6  | ---   | 13    | 6.7   | 37    | 31    | 40    | 61    | 32    |
| 31    | 12    | ---   | e13   | e9.8  | ---   | e12   | ---   | 33    | ---   | 37    | 60    | ---   |
| TOTAL | 422.3 | 435.7 | 351.4 | 335.8 | 391.5 | 768   | 300.1 | 747.2 | 963   | 923   | 1,443 | 2,431 |
| MEAN  | 13.6  | 14.5  | 11.3  | 10.8  | 14.0  | 24.8  | 10.0  | 24.1  | 32.1  | 29.8  | 46.5  | 81.0  |
| MAX   | 39    | 38    | 14    | 13    | 37    | 67    | 16    | 37    | 44    | 42    | 87    | 976   |
| MIN   | 6.2   | 2.7   | 9.0   | 9.6   | 8.3   | 12    | 4.4   | 7.0   | 25    | 24    | 32    | 16    |
| AC-FT | 838   | 864   | 697   | 666   | 777   | 1,520 | 595   | 1,480 | 1,910 | 1,830 | 2,860 | 4,820 |

**STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1993 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)**

|      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN | 76.6   | 48.8   | 31.3   | 31.0   | 35.2   | 37.0   | 28.8   | 54.6   | 69.1   | 78.9   | 93.3   | 93.5   |
| MAX  | 125    | 89.1   | 42.9   | 58.8   | 62.5   | 87.4   | 82.8   | 83.0   | 100    | 108    | 125    | 126    |
| (WY) | (1994) | (1999) | (1999) | (1997) | (1994) | (1995) | (1997) | (1998) | (1997) | (1997) | (1995) | (1997) |
| MIN  | 13.6   | 14.5   | 11.3   | 10.8   | 14.0   | 14.4   | 5.85   | 22.7   | 23.3   | 29.8   | 8.86   | 14.9   |
| (WY) | (2003) | (2003) | (2003) | (2003) | (2003) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2002) | (2003) | (2002) | (2002) |

**SUMMARY STATISTICS****FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR****FOR 2003 WATER YEAR****WATER YEARS 1993 - 2003**

|                          |         |        |         |        |        |        |      |  |  |              |      |  |
|--------------------------|---------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|------|--|--|--------------|------|--|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             | 6,108.6 |        | 9,512.0 |        |        |        |      |  |  | 56.4         |      |  |
| ANNUAL MEAN              | 16.7    |        | 26.1    |        |        |        |      |  |  | 78.8         | 1997 |  |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |         |        |         |        |        |        |      |  |  | 23.9         | 2002 |  |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |         |        |         |        |        |        |      |  |  |              |      |  |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       | 64      | Sep 11 |         | 976    | Sep 10 |        | 976  |  |  | Sep 10, 2003 |      |  |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        | 2.7     | Nov 21 |         | 2.7    | Nov 21 |        | a2.7 |  |  | Nov 21, 2002 |      |  |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM | 3.1     | Nov 20 |         | 3.1    | Nov 20 |        | 3.1  |  |  | Nov 20, 2002 |      |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |         |        | b1,790  | Sep 10 |        | b1,790 |      |  |  |              |      |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |         |        | c9.44   | Sep 10 |        | c9.44  |      |  |  |              |      |  |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    | 12,120  |        | 18,870  |        |        |        |      |  |  | 40,850       |      |  |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 32      |        | 42      |        |        |        |      |  |  | 108          |      |  |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 14      |        | 19      |        |        |        |      |  |  | 43           |      |  |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 5.1     |        | 9.0     |        |        |        |      |  |  | 17           |      |  |

e Estimated.

a Also occurred Nov 22, 2002.

b Based on slope area measurement of peak flow.

c From floodmarks.

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## WATER-QUALITY RECORDS

PERIOD OF RECORD--October 1990 to current year. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09371520](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09371520)

## PERIOD OF DAILY RECORD--

SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE: October 1990 to current year.

WATER TEMPERATURES: October 1990 to current year.

INSTRUMENTATION--Water-quality monitor since October 1990.

REMARKS.--Daily water temperature data are good. Daily specific conductance data are good except Oct. 1-9, Jan. 29 to Feb. 14, Apr. 28 to May 6, June 4-10 and July 7-17, which are poor.

## EXTREMES FOR PERIOD OF DAILY RECORD--

SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE: Maximum, 4,970 microsiemens/cm, Apr. 25, 2002; minimum, 947 microsiemens/cm, June 20, 2000.

WATER TEMPERATURE: Maximum, 28.0°C, July 25, 2003; minimum, -0.4°C during winter months most years.

## EXTREMES FOR CURRENT YEAR--

SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE: Maximum, 3,700 microsiemens/cm, Apr. 29; minimum, 1,060 microsiemens/cm, June 27.

WATER TEMPERATURE: Maximum, 28.0°C, July 25; minimum, -0.4°C, Jan. 17, 18, 19.

## WATER-QUALITY DATA, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| Date      | Time | Instantaneous discharge, cfs (00061) | pH, water, unfltrd field, std units (00400) | Specif. conductance, wat unf 25 degC (00095) | Temper-ature, wat-er, deg C (00010) | Hard-ness, wat-er, unfltrd mg/L as CaCO <sub>3</sub> (00900) | Calcium water, fltrd, mg/L (00915) | Magnes-ium, water, fltrd, mg/L (00925) | Potas-sium, water, fltrd, mg/L (00935) | Sodium adsorp-tion ratio (00931) | Sodium water, fltrd, mg/L (00930) | Alka-licity, wat-er, fxd end lab, mg/L as CaCO <sub>3</sub> (29801) | Chlor-ide, wat-er, fltrd, mg/L (00940) |
|-----------|------|--------------------------------------|---|--|-------------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|--|--|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|--|
| OCT 29... | 1400 | 19                                   | 8.5   | 2,710  | 7.5                                 | 1,500  | 326                                | 157                                    | 5.78                                   | 2                                | 165                               | 201   | 37.1                                   |
| DEC 18... | 1145 | 14                                   | 8.5   | 3,440  | 0.6                                 | 1,600  | 315                                | 208                                    | 5.16                                   | 3                                | 275                               | E234  | 49.6                                   |
| FEB 06... | 1345 | 8.4                                  | 8.5   | 3,300  | 0.2                                 | 1,700  | 346                                | 206                                    | 4.93                                   | 3                                | 239                               | 277   | 41.7                                   |
| APR 09... | 1400 | 12                                   | 8.6   | 3,030  | 13.0                                | 1,600  | 309                                | 195                                    | 4.99                                   | 2                                | 209                               | 173   | 39.0                                   |
| 30...     | 1430 | 7.1                                  | 8.5   | 3,220  | 15.4                                | 1,600  | 303                                | 203                                    | 5.74                                   | 3                                | 251                               | 197   | 52.8                                   |
| MAY 22... | 1345 | 29                                   | 8.3   | 1,410  | 20.5                                | 670  | 157                                | 68.5                                   | 6.41                                   | 1                                | 76.3                              | 207   | 20.4                                   |
| JUN 25... | 1330 | 27                                   | 8.4   | 1,400  | 20.0                                | 680  | 162                                | 66.8                                   | 4.71                                   | 1                                | 63.0                              | 194   | 19.1                                   |
| JUL 24... | 1330 | 33                                   | 8.3   | 1,150  | 24.5                                | 550  | 139                                | 49.4                                   | 4.42                                   | 0.9                              | 46.9                              | 201   | 16.6                                   |
| SEP 04... | 1445 | 51                                   | 8.4   | 1,410  | 20.4                                | 650  | 164                                | 58.5                                   | 4.65                                   | 0.8                              | 48.9                              | 187   | 17.1                                   |

## WATER-QUALITY DATA, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| Date      | Fluor-ide, water, fltrd, mg/L (00950) | Silica, water, fltrd, mg/L (00955) | Sulfate water, fltrd, mg/L (00945) | Residue sum of constituents mg/L (70301) | Residue water, fltrd, tons/acre-ft (70303) | Residue water, fltrd, tons/d (70302) |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|--|--------------------------------------|
| OCT 29... | 0.39                                  | 8.3                                | 1,470                              | 2,290                                    | 3.11                                       | 117                                  |
| DEC 18... | 0.34                                  | 7.8                                | 1,850                              | --                                       | --   | --                                   |
| FEB 06... | 0.44                                  | 7.3                                | 1,830                              | 2,840                                    | 3.86                                       | 64.8                                 |
| APR 09... | 0.31                                  | 1.5                                | 1,690                              | 2,550                                    | 3.47                                       | 79.2                                 |
| 30...     | 0.32                                  | 0.7                                | 1,860                              | 2,800                                    | 3.80                                       | 53.8                                 |
| MAY 22... | 0.3                                   | 10.8                               | 580                                | 1,040                                    | 1.42                                       | 81.0                                 |
| JUN 25... | 0.3                                   | 8.3                                | 557                                | 998                                      | 1.36                                       | 71.9                                 |
| JUL 24... | 0.3                                   | 10.3                               | 400                                | 789                                      | 1.07                                       | 70.9                                 |
| SEP 04... | 0.4                                   | 12.5                               | 539                                | 957                                      | 1.30                                       | 132                                  |

E -- Estimated laboratory analysis value.

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09371520 McELMO CREEK ABOVE TRAIL CANYON, NEAR CORTEZ, CO—Continued

SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE, WATER, UNFILTERED, MICROSIEMENS PER CENTIMETER AT 25 DEGREES CELSIUS  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| DAY   | MAX      | MIN   | MEAN  | MAX      | MIN   | MEAN  | MAX      | MIN   | MEAN  | MAX     | MIN   | MEAN  |
|-------|----------|-------|-------|----------|-------|-------|----------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|
|       | OCTOBER  |       |       | NOVEMBER |       |       | DECEMBER |       |       | JANUARY |       |       |
| 1     | 2,440    | 2,360 | 2,400 | 3,030    | 2,980 | 3,000 | 2,800    | 2,640 | 2,690 | 2,990   | 2,880 | 2,920 |
| 2     | 2,490    | 2,220 | 2,310 | 2,990    | 2,900 | 2,930 | 3,400    | 2,660 | 2,780 | 3,100   | 2,900 | 2,970 |
| 3     | 2,940    | 1,860 | 2,350 | 2,990    | 2,920 | 2,950 | 2,800    | 2,660 | 2,720 | 3,070   | 2,920 | 3,010 |
| 4     | 1,900    | 1,820 | 1,860 | 3,000    | 2,940 | 2,960 | 2,870    | 2,660 | 2,770 | 3,080   | 2,900 | 2,980 |
| 5     | 2,000    | 1,880 | 1,940 | 2,990    | 2,870 | 2,920 | 2,920    | 2,670 | 2,780 | 2,980   | 2,840 | 2,930 |
| 6     | 2,160    | 1,970 | 2,060 | 2,980    | 2,880 | 2,920 | 2,880    | 2,680 | 2,780 | 2,920   | 2,750 | 2,850 |
| 7     | 2,280    | 2,130 | 2,200 | 2,990    | 2,860 | 2,920 | 2,900    | 2,640 | 2,750 | 2,900   | 2,730 | 2,800 |
| 8     | 2,350    | 2,230 | 2,280 | 2,940    | 2,850 | 2,890 | 2,880    | 2,670 | 2,770 | 3,000   | 2,760 | 2,870 |
| 9     | 2,380    | 2,270 | 2,330 | 3,010    | 2,720 | 2,830 | 3,000    | 2,660 | 2,760 | 2,970   | 2,790 | 2,860 |
| 10    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,000    | 2,620 | 2,770 | 3,090    | 2,660 | 2,830 | 2,900   | 2,790 | 2,850 |
| 11    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,670    | 2,440 | 2,540 | 3,210    | 2,590 | 2,870 | 2,900   | 2,780 | 2,830 |
| 12    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,770    | 2,560 | 2,710 | 3,110    | 2,580 | 2,910 | 3,470   | 2,900 | 3,050 |
| 13    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,750    | 2,390 | 2,630 | 3,120    | 2,610 | 2,890 | 3,120   | 2,840 | 2,950 |
| 14    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,390    | 1,980 | 2,090 | 3,040    | 2,620 | 2,850 | 3,060   | 2,850 | 2,980 |
| 15    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,050    | 1,980 | 2,020 | 3,000    | 2,600 | 2,750 | 3,060   | 2,840 | 2,980 |
| 16    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,060    | 1,700 | 1,830 | 2,960    | 2,570 | 2,740 | 3,120   | 2,920 | 3,040 |
| 17    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 1,990    | 1,650 | 1,810 | 2,720    | 2,520 | 2,630 | 3,160   | 2,970 | 3,050 |
| 18    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,110    | 1,780 | 1,960 | 3,180    | 2,670 | 2,940 | 3,230   | 2,950 | 3,060 |
| 19    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,600    | 1,960 | 2,290 | 3,140    | 2,750 | 2,940 | 3,250   | 2,980 | 3,070 |
| 20    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,760    | 2,500 | 2,620 | 3,260    | 2,880 | 3,080 | 3,190   | 2,930 | 3,050 |
| 21    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,780    | 2,670 | 2,730 | 3,120    | 2,880 | 3,010 | 3,130   | 2,920 | 3,030 |
| 22    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,860    | 2,680 | 2,770 | 3,110    | 3,010 | 3,060 | 3,160   | 2,900 | 3,040 |
| 23    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,820    | 2,690 | 2,750 | 3,170    | 2,970 | 3,050 | 3,160   | 2,900 | 3,050 |
| 24    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,800    | 2,660 | 2,730 | 2,980    | 2,840 | 2,890 | 3,170   | 2,920 | 3,040 |
| 25    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,780    | 2,680 | 2,730 | 2,880    | 2,780 | 2,820 | 3,140   | 2,940 | 3,040 |
| 26    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,780    | 2,670 | 2,740 | 3,010    | 2,870 | 2,930 | 3,270   | 2,940 | 3,070 |
| 27    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,850    | 2,660 | 2,740 | 3,240    | 3,010 | 3,110 | 3,180   | 2,880 | 3,050 |
| 28    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,970    | 2,630 | 2,720 | 3,170    | 3,060 | 3,120 | 3,240   | 2,900 | 3,080 |
| 29    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,840    | 2,630 | 2,740 | 3,120    | 2,900 | 3,000 | 3,300   | 2,920 | 3,090 |
| 30    | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,940    | 2,650 | 2,740 | 2,990    | 2,830 | 2,890 | 3,280   | 2,910 | 3,110 |
| 31    | 3,050    | 2,970 | 3,010 | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,980    | 2,900 | 2,920 | 3,250   | 2,910 | 3,090 |
| MONTH | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,030    | 1,650 | 2,630 | 3,400    | 2,520 | 2,870 | 3,470   | 2,730 | 2,990 |
|       | FEBRUARY |       |       | MARCH    |       |       | APRIL    |       |       | MAY     |       |       |
| 1     | 3,200    | 2,960 | 3,080 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,370   | 3,220 | 3,300 |
| 2     | 3,140    | 3,030 | 3,080 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,310   | 3,200 | 3,250 |
| 3     | 3,130    | 2,960 | 3,060 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,390   | 3,010 | 3,200 |
| 4     | 3,220    | 2,950 | 3,100 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,280   | 2,980 | 3,120 |
| 5     | 3,340    | 2,880 | 3,100 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,380   | 3,060 | 3,200 |
| 6     | 3,460    | 2,940 | 3,210 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,220   | 2,910 | 3,060 |
| 7     | 3,540    | 3,000 | 3,240 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,500   | 2,200 | 2,710 |
| 8     | 3,450    | 2,950 | 3,220 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,280   | 1,870 | 2,010 |
| 9     | 3,390    | 2,940 | 3,130 | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 2,320   | 2,030 | 2,120 |
| 10    | 3,320    | 2,810 | 3,050 | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,230    | 3,120 | 3,170 | 2,100   | 1,860 | 1,990 |
| 11    | 3,230    | 2,810 | 2,970 | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,240    | 3,140 | 3,180 | 2,170   | 1,960 | 2,100 |
| 12    | 3,060    | 2,610 | 2,860 | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,310    | 3,120 | 3,190 | 2,150   | 1,940 | 2,050 |
| 13    | 2,760    | 2,300 | 2,520 | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,360    | 3,110 | 3,200 | 1,940   | 1,660 | 1,770 |
| 14    | 2,670    | 2,260 | 2,420 | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,310    | 3,100 | 3,210 | 2,040   | 1,540 | 1,650 |
| 15    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,330    | 3,080 | 3,220 | 1,860   | 1,550 | 1,670 |
| 16    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,380    | 3,120 | 3,220 | 1,690   | 1,540 | 1,610 |
| 17    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,190    | 2,700 | 2,980 | 1,950   | 1,530 | 1,790 |
| 18    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,160    | 2,820 | 2,960 | 1,840   | 1,680 | 1,760 |
| 19    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,230    | 3,110 | 3,160 | 1,700   | 1,520 | 1,620 |
| 20    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,230    | 3,070 | 3,130 | 1,870   | 1,510 | 1,640 |
| 21    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,180    | 3,080 | 3,130 | 1,820   | 1,490 | 1,690 |
| 22    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,240    | 3,140 | 3,200 | 1,490   | 1,400 | 1,430 |
| 23    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,310    | 3,190 | 3,250 | 1,470   | 1,350 | 1,420 |
| 24    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,310    | 3,190 | 3,240 | 1,500   | 1,340 | 1,400 |
| 25    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,280    | 3,170 | 3,230 | 2,000   | 1,350 | 1,510 |
| 26    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,330    | 3,190 | 3,250 | 1,920   | 1,300 | 1,410 |
| 27    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,460    | 3,300 | 3,380 | 1,450   | 1,300 | 1,380 |
| 28    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,510    | 3,290 | 3,410 | 1,420   | 1,300 | 1,370 |
| 29    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,700    | 3,210 | 3,390 | 1,370   | 1,250 | 1,340 |
| 30    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,340    | 3,260 | 3,290 | 1,280   | 1,140 | 1,220 |
| 31    | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 1,300   | 1,150 | 1,250 |
| MONTH | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | ---      | ---   | ---   | 3,500   | 1,140 | 1,970 |

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN

09371520 McELMO CREEK ABOVE TRAIL CANYON, NEAR CORTEZ, CO—Continued

SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE, WATER, UNFILTERED, MICROSIEMENS PER CENTIMETER AT 25 DEGREES CELSIUS—CONTINUED  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| DAY   | MAX   | MIN   | MEAN  | MAX   | MIN   | MEAN  | MAX    | MIN   | MEAN  | MAX       | MIN   | MEAN  |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-----------|-------|-------|
|       | JUNE  |       |       | JULY  |       |       | AUGUST |       |       | SEPTEMBER |       |       |
| 1     | 1,320 | 1,180 | 1,250 | 1,230 | 1,150 | 1,200 | 1,270  | 1,230 | 1,250 | 1,430     | 1,340 | 1,380 |
| 2     | 1,380 | 1,240 | 1,320 | 1,300 | 1,210 | 1,260 | 1,280  | 1,190 | 1,230 | 1,360     | 1,340 | 1,350 |
| 3     | 1,380 | 1,250 | 1,340 | 1,300 | 1,170 | 1,240 | 1,300  | 1,220 | 1,250 | 1,370     | 1,350 | 1,360 |
| 4     | 1,390 | 1,270 | 1,360 | 1,310 | 1,170 | 1,230 | 1,610  | 1,210 | 1,380 | 1,390     | 1,350 | 1,370 |
| 5     | 1,330 | 1,190 | 1,270 | 1,220 | 1,170 | 1,190 | 1,270  | 1,210 | 1,250 | 1,430     | 1,390 | 1,420 |
| 6     | 1,290 | 1,160 | 1,240 | 1,180 | 1,130 | 1,160 | 1,240  | 1,140 | 1,210 | 1,480     | 1,370 | 1,420 |
| 7     | 1,310 | 1,150 | 1,240 | 1,240 | 1,150 | 1,190 | 1,240  | 1,160 | 1,190 | 1,430     | 1,380 | 1,410 |
| 8     | 1,600 | 1,240 | 1,350 | 1,210 | 1,150 | 1,180 | 1,210  | 1,160 | 1,180 | 1,410     | 1,390 | 1,400 |
| 9     | 1,530 | 1,140 | 1,260 | 1,170 | 1,100 | 1,140 | 1,270  | 1,210 | 1,240 | 1,530     | 1,250 | 1,380 |
| 10    | 1,270 | 1,140 | 1,230 | 1,210 | 1,110 | 1,150 | 1,250  | 1,180 | 1,210 | 1,510     | 1,190 | 1,350 |
| 11    | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,300 | 1,080 | 1,200 | 1,250  | 1,200 | 1,230 | 1,560     | 1,430 | 1,500 |
| 12    | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,240 | 1,160 | 1,200 | 1,210  | 1,120 | 1,170 | 1,440     | 1,310 | 1,370 |
| 13    | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,210 | 1,140 | 1,180 | 1,270  | 1,160 | 1,230 | 1,400     | 1,280 | 1,320 |
| 14    | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,310 | 1,190 | 1,240 | 1,320  | 1,240 | 1,260 | 1,480     | 1,400 | 1,450 |
| 15    | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,230 | 1,170 | 1,190 | 1,920  | 1,240 | 1,440 | 1,660     | 1,470 | 1,540 |
| 16    | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,280 | 1,080 | 1,210 | 1,530  | 1,350 | 1,410 | 2,080     | 1,610 | 1,730 |
| 17    | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,220 | 1,090 | 1,160 | 1,420  | 1,370 | 1,390 | 2,090     | 2,040 | 2,060 |
| 18    | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,420  | 1,360 | 1,390 | 2,230     | 2,060 | 2,160 |
| 19    | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,430  | 1,400 | 1,420 | 2,320     | 2,220 | 2,280 |
| 20    | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,470  | 1,420 | 1,450 | 2,310     | 2,130 | 2,250 |
| 21    | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,490  | 1,400 | 1,460 | 2,130     | 1,950 | 2,040 |
| 22    | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | 2,200  | 1,310 | 1,580 | 1,950     | 1,910 | 1,930 |
| 23    | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,530  | 1,350 | 1,410 | 1,940     | 1,880 | 1,910 |
| 24    | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,480  | 1,300 | 1,400 | 1,950     | 1,880 | 1,910 |
| 25    | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,350 | 1,210 | 1,300 | 1,630  | 1,280 | 1,410 | 1,920     | 1,790 | 1,880 |
| 26    | 1,230 | 1,110 | 1,190 | 1,330 | 1,240 | 1,290 | 1,410  | 1,330 | 1,380 | 1,820     | 1,740 | 1,790 |
| 27    | 1,130 | 1,060 | 1,090 | 1,310 | 1,230 | 1,260 | 1,400  | 1,350 | 1,380 | 1,770     | 1,720 | 1,760 |
| 28    | 1,330 | 1,070 | 1,200 | 1,310 | 1,240 | 1,280 | 1,410  | 1,360 | 1,390 | 1,770     | 1,730 | 1,760 |
| 29    | 1,220 | 1,080 | 1,160 | 1,300 | 1,170 | 1,250 | 1,420  | 1,300 | 1,380 | 1,780     | 1,670 | 1,760 |
| 30    | 1,260 | 1,160 | 1,210 | 1,260 | 1,110 | 1,200 | 1,690  | 1,290 | 1,380 | 1,820     | 1,680 | 1,750 |
| 31    | ---   | ---   | ---   | 1,340 | 1,220 | 1,290 | 1,560  | 1,360 | 1,410 | ---       | ---   | ---   |
| MONTH | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | ---   | 2,200  | 1,120 | 1,330 | 2,320     | 1,190 | 1,670 |

09371520 McELMO CREEK ABOVE TRAIL CANYON, NEAR CORTEZ, CO—Continued

TEMPERATURE, WATER, DEGREES CELSIUS  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| DAY   | MAX      | MIN  | MEAN | MAX      | MIN  | MEAN | MAX      | MIN  | MEAN | MAX     | MIN  | MEAN |
|-------|----------|------|------|----------|------|------|----------|------|------|---------|------|------|
|       | OCTOBER  |      |      | NOVEMBER |      |      | DECEMBER |      |      | JANUARY |      |      |
| 1     | 13.9     | 9.0  | 11.8 | 9.5      | 4.4  | 6.9  | 2.5      | -0.3 | 0.8  | -0.2    | -0.3 | -0.3 |
| 2     | 13.1     | 10.5 | 11.7 | 9.8      | 5.7  | 7.5  | 2.1      | -0.3 | 0.7  | -0.2    | -0.3 | -0.3 |
| 3     | 11.6     | 8.6  | 9.7  | 6.6      | 2.3  | 4.5  | 3.3      | 0.9  | 1.9  | 0.0     | -0.3 | -0.3 |
| 4     | 11.6     | 7.1  | 9.2  | 6.2      | 2.9  | 4.1  | 2.4      | -0.3 | 0.8  | -0.1    | -0.3 | -0.3 |
| 5     | 13.1     | 8.6  | 10.8 | 6.1      | 0.9  | 3.3  | 1.7      | -0.3 | 0.3  | -0.2    | -0.3 | -0.3 |
| 6     | 13.7     | 8.8  | 11.2 | 6.1      | 0.7  | 3.2  | 0.7      | -0.3 | 0.0  | -0.2    | -0.3 | -0.2 |
| 7     | 13.9     | 9.4  | 11.6 | 5.5      | 0.6  | 3.2  | 0.5      | -0.3 | 0.0  | -0.2    | -0.3 | -0.3 |
| 8     | 13.8     | 9.6  | 11.6 | 5.2      | 3.8  | 4.6  | 0.9      | -0.3 | 0.0  | -0.2    | -0.3 | -0.3 |
| 9     | 13.3     | 9.5  | 11.5 | 8.5      | 5.2  | 6.8  | 0.3      | -0.3 | -0.1 | -0.2    | -0.3 | -0.3 |
| 10    | 13.4     | 9.0  | 11.2 | 6.8      | 4.4  | 5.7  | 0.2      | -0.3 | -0.2 | -0.1    | -0.3 | -0.2 |
| 11    | 12.5     | 9.4  | 11.0 | 6.4      | 2.8  | 4.6  | -0.1     | -0.3 | -0.2 | 0.4     | -0.3 | -0.1 |
| 12    | 12.4     | 9.6  | 11.0 | 5.4      | 1.4  | 3.3  | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 0.4     | -0.3 | -0.2 |
| 13    | 12.8     | 8.4  | 10.5 | 4.5      | 1.3  | 2.8  | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 0.9     | -0.3 | -0.1 |
| 14    | 12.3     | 8.0  | 10.4 | 5.1      | 1.4  | 3.0  | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 1.0     | -0.3 | 0.1  |
| 15    | 12.0     | 7.4  | 9.9  | 4.6      | 1.4  | 2.8  | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 2.4     | -0.3 | 0.6  |
| 16    | 10.9     | 6.0  | 8.8  | 2.6      | -0.3 | 1.3  | 0.0      | -0.3 | -0.2 | 2.1     | -0.3 | 0.4  |
| 17    | 10.3     | 5.7  | 8.3  | 3.6      | -0.3 | 1.5  | 0.3      | -0.3 | -0.2 | 1.6     | -0.4 | 0.2  |
| 18    | 12.0     | 8.3  | 9.9  | 3.7      | -0.3 | 1.6  | 1.1      | -0.3 | 0.0  | 0.9     | -0.4 | 0.0  |
| 19    | 11.9     | 7.0  | 9.4  | 3.6      | -0.3 | 1.3  | 0.1      | -0.3 | -0.2 | 0.8     | -0.4 | -0.1 |
| 20    | 10.3     | 6.0  | 8.3  | 4.4      | -0.2 | 1.8  | -0.1     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 0.5     | -0.3 | -0.1 |
| 21    | 10.3     | 5.8  | 8.2  | 4.5      | -0.2 | 1.9  | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 1.4     | -0.3 | 0.2  |
| 22    | 11.4     | 7.0  | 9.3  | 4.7      | 0.0  | 2.1  | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 3.0     | -0.3 | 0.7  |
| 23    | 10.7     | 8.4  | 9.8  | 4.4      | 0.6  | 2.3  | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 3.5     | -0.3 | 1.0  |
| 24    | 11.0     | 8.4  | 9.5  | 4.4      | -0.1 | 2.0  | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 4.7     | -0.3 | 1.9  |
| 25    | 10.5     | 6.5  | 8.5  | 4.1      | 1.5  | 2.5  | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 3.1     | -0.2 | 1.5  |
| 26    | 8.8      | 6.9  | 7.9  | 3.0      | -0.3 | 1.0  | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 3.3     | -0.3 | 1.1  |
| 27    | 8.9      | 7.1  | 7.9  | 1.6      | -0.3 | 0.3  | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 3.9     | -0.3 | 1.3  |
| 28    | 8.1      | 6.7  | 7.4  | 0.8      | -0.3 | 0.1  | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 4.6     | -0.3 | 1.6  |
| 29    | 7.5      | 5.7  | 6.9  | 0.9      | -0.3 | 0.0  | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.2 | 4.1     | -0.3 | 1.5  |
| 30    | 9.1      | 4.5  | 6.5  | 0.5      | -0.3 | 0.0  | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 4.2     | -0.3 | 1.5  |
| 31    | 9.5      | 5.2  | 7.1  | ---      | ---  | ---  | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 5.9     | -0.3 | 2.4  |
| MONTH | 13.9     | 4.5  | 9.6  | 9.8      | -0.3 | 2.9  | 3.3      | -0.3 | 0.0  | 5.9     | -0.4 | 0.4  |
|       | FEBRUARY |      |      | MARCH    |      |      | APRIL    |      |      | MAY     |      |      |
| 1     | 5.7      | 0.5  | 3.0  | 3.2      | 0.2  | 1.6  | 14.2     | 5.5  | 9.9  | 16.5    | 7.3  | 12.3 |
| 2     | 4.5      | 2.0  | 3.1  | 5.6      | -0.3 | 1.5  | 9.9      | 6.1  | 8.0  | 18.5    | 9.5  | 14.3 |
| 3     | 4.1      | -0.1 | 1.9  | 6.6      | -0.3 | 2.5  | 8.8      | 3.9  | 6.2  | 18.3    | 11.0 | 14.6 |
| 4     | 1.9      | -0.3 | 0.5  | 4.0      | 2.0  | 2.9  | 11.4     | 2.3  | 6.6  | 16.4    | 9.8  | 12.9 |
| 5     | 0.5      | -0.3 | 0.0  | 7.3      | 0.5  | 3.6  | 10.0     | 4.0  | 7.2  | 16.9    | 8.3  | 12.7 |
| 6     | 0.1      | -0.3 | -0.2 | 7.5      | -0.3 | 3.5  | 11.4     | 3.5  | 7.3  | 17.4    | 8.2  | 12.9 |
| 7     | -0.1     | -0.3 | -0.2 | 9.0      | 1.3  | 5.0  | 12.3     | 4.4  | 8.1  | 16.1    | 9.5  | 12.9 |
| 8     | -0.2     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 9.6      | 2.1  | 5.7  | 14.1     | 3.3  | 8.6  | 13.6    | 9.6  | 11.4 |
| 9     | -0.1     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 9.8      | 2.6  | 6.1  | 16.1     | 4.8  | 10.3 | 15.5    | 7.9  | 11.3 |
| 10    | 0.0      | -0.3 | -0.2 | 9.9      | 2.9  | 6.4  | 16.2     | 6.1  | 11.2 | 17.1    | 6.5  | 11.6 |
| 11    | -0.1     | -0.3 | -0.3 | 10.9     | 3.6  | 7.2  | 17.0     | 6.9  | 11.9 | 18.8    | 7.4  | 13.1 |
| 12    | 0.0      | -0.3 | -0.2 | 12.2     | 5.0  | 8.4  | 13.6     | 7.7  | 11.0 | 19.7    | 8.9  | 14.3 |
| 13    | 0.4      | -0.2 | 0.0  | 12.9     | 4.9  | 8.9  | 17.4     | 6.4  | 11.8 | 15.9    | 10.7 | 13.4 |
| 14    | 3.8      | -0.2 | 1.5  | 10.2     | 5.8  | 8.1  | 15.3     | 8.2  | 12.1 | 16.7    | 10.1 | 13.5 |
| 15    | 6.3      | 0.6  | 3.2  | 9.7      | 4.5  | 7.4  | 12.8     | 8.9  | 10.9 | 16.3    | 11.9 | 13.6 |
| 16    | 5.5      | 1.1  | 3.1  | 9.2      | 6.7  | 7.7  | 15.9     | 5.2  | 10.4 | 21.0    | 10.5 | 15.4 |
| 17    | 6.0      | 2.0  | 4.0  | 7.3      | 5.4  | 6.1  | 15.2     | 6.5  | 10.8 | 17.1    | 12.6 | 15.3 |
| 18    | 7.4      | 2.9  | 4.9  | 8.4      | 4.7  | 6.4  | 11.9     | 7.8  | 9.7  | 17.5    | 13.0 | 14.9 |
| 19    | 6.2      | 1.7  | 3.9  | 9.3      | 4.5  | 6.7  | 12.4     | 5.7  | 8.9  | 20.0    | 11.4 | 15.5 |
| 20    | 6.6      | 2.0  | 4.1  | 8.3      | 4.4  | 6.5  | 16.3     | 4.9  | 10.4 | 22.1    | 12.2 | 17.0 |
| 21    | 7.2      | 1.0  | 3.8  | 10.6     | 4.7  | 7.6  | 14.8     | 8.5  | 11.9 | 22.5    | 13.1 | 17.8 |
| 22    | 6.4      | 0.4  | 3.1  | 12.5     | 4.3  | 8.3  | 13.6     | 9.8  | 11.6 | 22.8    | 13.1 | 17.9 |
| 23    | 5.5      | -0.3 | 2.2  | 13.9     | 5.2  | 9.4  | 13.8     | 6.5  | 10   | 22.0    | 13.9 | 17.9 |
| 24    | 6.6      | -0.2 | 3.0  | 11.5     | 6.1  | 9.0  | 17.7     | 7.1  | 12.2 | 22.2    | 14.0 | 18.2 |
| 25    | 5.0      | 1.6  | 3.6  | 14.2     | 6.2  | 9.9  | 18.9     | 8.3  | 13.7 | 23.2    | 15.6 | 19.1 |
| 26    | 6.1      | 2.6  | 3.9  | 10.5     | 5.9  | 8.2  | 19.4     | 10.0 | 14.8 | 23.3    | 14.8 | 19.0 |
| 27    | 3.5      | 1.2  | 2.5  | 11.6     | 5.3  | 7.7  | 18.8     | 9.8  | 14.6 | 24.7    | 16.0 | 20.3 |
| 28    | 3.0      | 0.5  | 1.6  | 7.9      | 2.3  | 4.8  | 18.5     | 10.2 | 14.7 | 25.4    | 16.7 | 21.1 |
| 29    | ---      | ---  | ---  | 10.3     | 1.0  | 5.4  | 15.0     | 9.8  | 13.1 | 24.1    | 17.3 | 20.9 |
| 30    | ---      | ---  | ---  | 12.4     | 2.4  | 7.2  | 16.1     | 7.8  | 12.2 | 25.3    | 16.8 | 20.9 |
| 31    | ---      | ---  | ---  | ---      | 4.6  | ---  | ---      | ---  | ---  | 23.6    | 17.6 | 20.5 |
| MONTH | 7.4      | -0.3 | 2.0  | ---      | -0.3 | ---  | 19.4     | 2.3  | 10.7 | 25.4    | 6.5  | 15.7 |

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN

09371520 McELMO CREEK ABOVE TRAIL CANYON, NEAR CORTEZ, CO—Continued

TEMPERATURE, WATER, DEGREES CELSIUS—CONTINUED  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| DAY   | MAX  | MIN  | MEAN |
|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| 1     | 22.8 | 16.9 | 19.6 | 25.5 | 16.1 | 20.7 | 24.5 | 20.0 | 22.0 | 21.9 | 15.0 | 18.2 |
| 2     | 23.7 | 15.2 | 19.3 | 24.9 | 16.2 | 20.6 | 25.0 | 19.5 | 22.1 | 21.4 | 16.0 | 18.8 |
| 3     | 24.1 | 16.1 | 20.0 | 25.2 | 16.2 | 20.6 | 25.5 | 19.8 | 22.4 | 20.7 | 17.6 | 18.9 |
| 4     | 23.1 | 14.4 | 18.7 | 25.4 | 15.6 | 20.5 | 25.3 | 17.9 | 21.4 | 20.9 | 17.1 | 18.9 |
| 5     | 22.5 | 14.2 | 18.3 | 25.0 | 16.2 | 20.7 | 24.8 | 17.8 | 21.2 | 20.6 | 16.7 | 18.6 |
| 6     | 20.7 | 13.0 | 17.1 | 24.9 | 17.3 | 20.9 | 24.1 | 17.5 | 21.0 | 18.6 | 15.6 | 17.0 |
| 7     | 20.6 | 12.7 | 16.8 | 25.2 | 15.9 | 20.5 | 25.4 | 19.3 | 21.9 | 20.3 | 14.2 | 16.9 |
| 8     | 23.0 | 13.2 | 18.1 | 25.1 | 15.8 | 20.5 | 26.2 | 18.9 | 22.3 | 18.7 | 14.7 | 16.8 |
| 9     | 22.4 | 14.9 | 18.8 | 25.5 | 16.1 | 20.7 | 26.6 | 19.8 | 22.9 | 17.2 | 12.9 | 15.2 |
| 10    | 23.8 | 15.7 | 19.5 | 25.5 | 15.4 | 20.5 | 26.0 | 18.4 | 22.1 | 14.8 | 12.3 | 13.4 |
| 11    | 23.6 | 14.3 | 18.8 | 25.6 | 16.1 | 20.9 | 26.4 | 18.8 | 22.3 | 16.4 | 12.7 | 14.5 |
| 12    | 22.3 | 13.5 | 18.0 | 25.9 | 16.6 | 21.2 | 25.4 | 19.4 | 22.4 | 17.1 | 12.6 | 14.8 |
| 13    | 23.8 | 14.8 | 18.9 | 26.0 | 16.7 | 21.4 | 25.5 | 19.8 | 22.3 | 17.8 | 13.4 | 15.5 |
| 14    | 22.5 | 14.3 | 18.3 | 26.6 | 17.5 | 22.0 | 25.3 | 18.5 | 21.3 | 16.7 | 11.8 | 14.4 |
| 15    | 22.8 | 15.0 | 19.1 | 27.1 | 19.1 | 22.8 | 23.0 | 18.6 | 20.6 | 17.2 | 11.9 | 14.6 |
| 16    | 23.4 | 16.5 | 19.7 | 26.0 | 20.2 | 22.7 | 22.9 | 17.7 | 20.0 | 17.9 | 12.6 | 15.2 |
| 17    | 25.1 | 17.2 | 19.6 | 27.1 | 18.5 | 22.6 | 22.5 | 17.0 | 19.6 | 18.2 | 13.9 | 15.8 |
| 18    | 22.6 | 15.5 | 18.8 | 27.0 | 19.2 | 23.2 | 22.8 | 17.3 | 19.9 | 16.4 | 11.7 | 14.0 |
| 19    | 21.4 | 16.8 | 18.9 | 27.7 | 19.8 | 23.6 | 24.3 | 17.8 | 20.9 | 16.4 | 10.4 | 13.5 |
| 20    | 20.4 | 16.1 | 18.4 | 27.0 | 19.9 | 23.4 | 25.2 | 18.5 | 21.6 | 16.8 | 11.5 | 14.1 |
| 21    | 22.6 | 13.8 | 18.1 | 25.4 | 20.2 | 22.6 | 23.9 | 18.3 | 21.2 | 16.0 | 11.1 | 13.7 |
| 22    | 23.6 | 14.5 | 18.8 | 26.7 | 19.3 | 22.8 | 23.8 | 19.1 | 21.2 | 16.1 | 10.7 | 13.5 |
| 23    | 23.1 | 14.1 | 18.5 | 24.7 | 20.6 | 22.4 | 23.1 | 19.2 | 21.3 | 16.5 | 11.4 | 14.0 |
| 24    | 22.2 | 14.4 | 17.9 | 27.7 | 19.4 | 23.3 | 24.0 | 18.6 | 21.1 | 16.0 | 11.8 | 14.0 |
| 25    | 22.3 | 13.7 | 17.9 | 28.0 | 20.8 | 24.2 | 23.2 | 18.3 | 20.7 | 17.2 | 12.1 | 14.7 |
| 26    | 22.6 | 13.5 | 18.1 | 27.2 | 20.7 | 23.6 | 23.0 | 17.9 | 20.5 | 16.5 | 11.6 | 14.3 |
| 27    | 23.3 | 14.2 | 18.8 | 25.9 | 20.3 | 22.7 | 21.6 | 18.9 | 20.4 | 16.7 | 11.9 | 14.4 |
| 28    | 23.3 | 14.7 | 19.1 | 25.4 | 18.9 | 22.1 | 23.2 | 19.1 | 20.8 | 16.9 | 11.9 | 14.5 |
| 29    | 24.0 | 15.3 | 19.7 | 25.8 | 19.8 | 22.5 | 22.7 | 18.0 | 20.2 | 16.6 | 12.0 | 14.4 |
| 30    | 24.7 | 16.1 | 20.4 | 26.1 | 18.8 | 22.3 | 21.3 | 16.9 | 19.1 | 16.5 | 11.8 | 14.3 |
| 31    | ---  | ---  | ---  | 25.6 | 20.2 | 22.4 | 21.9 | 16.7 | 19.1 | ---  | ---  | ---  |
| MONTH | 25.1 | 12.7 | 18.7 | 28.0 | 15.4 | 22.0 | 26.6 | 16.7 | 21.2 | 21.9 | 10.4 | 15.4 |

**09372000 McELMO CREEK NEAR COLORADO-UTAH STATE LINE**

LOCATION.--Lat 37°19'27", long 109°00'54", in NE $\frac{1}{4}$  sec.2, T.35 N., R.20 W., Montezuma County, Hydrologic Unit 14080202, on right bank 1.5 mi upstream from Colorado-Utah State line, 2.0 mi upstream from Yellowjacket Creek, and 2.0 mi west of former town of McElmo.

DRAINAGE AREA.--346 mi<sup>2</sup>.

## WATER-DISCHARGE RECORDS

PERIOD OF RECORD.--March 1951 to current year. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09372000](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09372000)

REVISED RECORDS.--WSP 1925: 1951-52 (M), 1957 (M). WRD CO-1972: Drainage area.

GAGE.--Water-stage recorder with satellite telemetry. Elevation of gage is 4,890 ft above NGVD of 1929, from topographic map.

REMARKS.--Records good except for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Diversions for irrigation of about 1,780 acres upstream from station. One diversion upstream from station for irrigation of about 60 acres downstream from station. Part of flow is return water from irrigated lands of Montezuma Irrigation District (water imported from Dolores River basin).

**DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND  
WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003  
DAILY MEAN VALUES**

| DAY   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC  | JAN  | FEB   | MAR   | APR    | MAY   | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP    |
|-------|-------|-------|------|------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 1     | 9.7   | 11    | e16  | e15  | e12   | 25    | 12     | 0.54  | 3.3   | 4.5   | 20    | 40     |
| 2     | 10    | 9.4   | 19   | e15  | 13    | 19    | 13     | 0.48  | 5.5   | 6.6   | 24    | 36     |
| 3     | 17    | 10    | 19   | e15  | 13    | 18    | 13     | 0.46  | 5.4   | 6.3   | 23    | 33     |
| 4     | 32    | 12    | 18   | e14  | 12    | 18    | 13     | 0.65  | 2.4   | 7.2   | 26    | 31     |
| 5     | 21    | 12    | e15  | e14  | 10    | 19    | 15     | 1.1   | 2.6   | 4.5   | 23    | 30     |
| 6     | 16    | 12    | e15  | e14  | 10    | 19    | 15     | 0.72  | 4.3   | 5.3   | 20    | 29     |
| 7     | 14    | 11    | e14  | e14  | 9.9   | 18    | 14     | 0.80  | 3.8   | 5.3   | 15    | 40     |
| 8     | 11    | 11    | e14  | 14   | e11   | 19    | 13     | 1.9   | 3.9   | 7.0   | 15    | 38     |
| 9     | 11    | 18    | e14  | e14  | e11   | 23    | 12     | 2.4   | 3.2   | 5.6   | 16    | 301    |
| 10    | 10    | 33    | e13  | e14  | e11   | 25    | 11     | 2.8   | 3.0   | 5.0   | 15    | e1,010 |
| 11    | 10    | 28    | e14  | e14  | e11   | 26    | 10     | 2.6   | 4.0   | 4.2   | 13    | 270    |
| 12    | 9.9   | 23    | e14  | e15  | e11   | 26    | 10     | 2.5   | 3.4   | 5.7   | 14    | 123    |
| 13    | 7.7   | 22    | e15  | e14  | 16    | 24    | 8.7    | 1.7   | 4.0   | 4.5   | 14    | 88     |
| 14    | 5.1   | 26    | e15  | e14  | 26    | 21    | 7.1    | 1.3   | 7.1   | 4.7   | 44    | 62     |
| 15    | 4.7   | 25    | e16  | e14  | 24    | 19    | 7.2    | 2.0   | 14    | 4.0   | 76    | 52     |
| 16    | 6.0   | 26    | 15   | e13  | 16    | 19    | 6.8    | 5.7   | 9.4   | 7.6   | 70    | 45     |
| 17    | 5.7   | 26    | 20   | e12  | 14    | 45    | 5.3    | 5.2   | 6.2   | 6.0   | 52    | 40     |
| 18    | 9.0   | 25    | e17  | e12  | 14    | 66    | 5.1    | 2.1   | 7.3   | 4.6   | 50    | 31     |
| 19    | 8.9   | 22    | e14  | e11  | 17    | 41    | 3.3    | 1.8   | 7.5   | 3.8   | 42    | 24     |
| 20    | 6.6   | 19    | e14  | e12  | 16    | 29    | 4.0    | 1.2   | 11    | 4.3   | 33    | 24     |
| 21    | 6.7   | 18    | e15  | e12  | 14    | 25    | 2.5    | 0.76  | 6.1   | 3.6   | 29    | 26     |
| 22    | 4.5   | 18    | e16  | e12  | 13    | 26    | 2.4    | 2.8   | 4.9   | 9.3   | 35    | 27     |
| 23    | 7.7   | 18    | e16  | e12  | 12    | 20    | 2.3    | 3.3   | 3.8   | 12    | 39    | 28     |
| 24    | 17    | 18    | e15  | e12  | 11    | 18    | 2.1    | 2.9   | 3.9   | 8.2   | 58    | 28     |
| 25    | 12    | 18    | e15  | e12  | 12    | 17    | 1.8    | 3.3   | 2.6   | 8.7   | 64    | 28     |
| 26    | 12    | 17    | 15   | e12  | 17    | 14    | 1.2    | 4.4   | 3.5   | 6.7   | 58    | 28     |
| 27    | 17    | e15   | e15  | e12  | 23    | 17    | 1.2    | 3.1   | 4.9   | 7.3   | 46    | 29     |
| 28    | 18    | e14   | e16  | e12  | 28    | 17    | 1.0    | 2.4   | 6.1   | 9.5   | 43    | 29     |
| 29    | 17    | e15   | e17  | e12  | ---   | 16    | 0.80   | 1.9   | 9.6   | 33    | 43    | 28     |
| 30    | 17    | e15   | e16  | e12  | ---   | 15    | 0.66   | 3.6   | 3.5   | 23    | 47    | 28     |
| 31    | 13    | ---   | e15  | e12  | ---   | 14    | ---    | 4.9   | ---   | 24    | 48    | ---    |
| TOTAL | 367.2 | 547.4 | 482  | 406  | 407.9 | 718   | 214.46 | 71.31 | 160.2 | 252.0 | 1,115 | 2,626  |
| MEAN  | 11.8  | 18.2  | 15.5 | 13.1 | 14.6  | 23.2  | 7.15   | 2.30  | 5.34  | 8.13  | 36.0  | 87.5   |
| MAX   | 32    | 33    | 20   | 15   | 28    | 66    | 15     | 5.7   | 14    | 33    | 76    | 1,010  |
| MIN   | 4.5   | 9.4   | 13   | 11   | 9.9   | 14    | 0.66   | 0.46  | 2.4   | 3.6   | 13    | 24     |
| AC-FT | 728   | 1,090 | 956  | 805  | 809   | 1,420 | 425    | 141   | 318   | 500   | 2,210 | 5,210  |

## STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR WATER YEARS 1951 - 2003, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| MEAN   | 59.8   | 50.5   | 38.8   | 33.0   | 47.0   | 56.4   | 39.2   | 45.5   | 53.5   | 52.1   | 64.7   | 61.9   |
| (WY)   | 161    | 122    | 95.4   | 68.4   | 192    | 197    | 148    | 108    | 105    | 132    | 160    | 226    |
| (1973) | (1988) | (1966) | (1969) | (1993) | (1973) | (1973) | (1992) | (1969) | (1957) | (1967) | (1986) |        |
| MIN    | 1.84   | 14.0   | 13.5   | 13.1   | 14.6   | 15.7   | 2.23   | 2.30   | 2.60   | 1.19   | 2.45   | 0.43   |
| (WY)   | (1957) | (1957) | (1978) | (2003) | (2003) | (1951) | (1977) | (2003) | (1977) | (1951) | (2002) | (1956) |

## SUMMARY STATISTICS FOR 2002 CALENDAR YEAR FOR 2003 WATER YEAR WATER YEARS 1951 - 2003

|                          |          |        |          |  |        |        |  |  |  |         |              |      |
|--------------------------|----------|--------|----------|--|--------|--------|--|--|--|---------|--------------|------|
| ANNUAL TOTAL             | 4,048.84 |        | 7,367.47 |  |        |        |  |  |  |         | 50.6         |      |
| ANNUAL MEAN              | 11.1     |        | 20.2     |  |        |        |  |  |  |         | 94.6         | 1973 |
| HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN      |          |        |          |  |        |        |  |  |  |         | 16.2         | 1977 |
| LOWEST ANNUAL MEAN       |          |        |          |  |        |        |  |  |  |         |              |      |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN       | 67       | Sep 11 |          |  | e1,010 | Sep 10 |  |  |  | 1,200   | Aug 7, 1967  |      |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN        | 0.96     | Jun 25 |          |  | 0.46   | May 3  |  |  |  | 0.08    | Sep 9, 1977  |      |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM | 1.1      | Jun 21 |          |  | 0.66   | Apr 28 |  |  |  | 0.14    | Sep 21, 1956 |      |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW        |          |        |          |  | 1,670  | Sep 9  |  |  |  | a3,040  | Aug 7, 1967  |      |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE       |          |        |          |  | 7.64   | Sep 9  |  |  |  | b,c7.58 | Aug 7, 1967  |      |
| ANNUAL RUNOFF (AC-FT)    | 8,030    |        | 14,610   |  |        |        |  |  |  | 36,670  |              |      |
| 10 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 21       |        | 32       |  |        |        |  |  |  | 97      |              |      |
| 50 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 11       |        | 14       |  |        |        |  |  |  | 38      |              |      |
| 90 PERCENT EXCEEDS       | 1.4      |        | 3.0      |  |        |        |  |  |  | 12      |              |      |

e Estimated.

a From rating curve extended above 2,100 ft<sup>3</sup>/s.

b From floodmark in gage well.

c Maximum gage height, 8.21 ft, Sep 21, 1997.

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN

09372000 McELMO CREEK NEAR COLORADO-UTAH STATE LINE, CO—Continued

## WATER-QUALITY RECORDS

PERIOD OF RECORD--November 1977 to September 1981, August 1987 to current year. For a complete listing of historical data available for this site, see [http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site\\_no=09372000](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/co/nwis/inventory/?site_no=09372000)

## WATER-QUALITY DATA, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| Date      | Time | Instantaneous discharge, cfs<br>(00061) | pH, water, unfltrd field, std units<br>(00400) | Specif. conductance, wat unf<br>25 degC<br>(00095) | Temper-ature, water,<br>deg C<br>(00010) | Hard-ness, water,<br>unfltrd mg/L as<br>CaCO <sub>3</sub><br>(00900) | Calcium water,<br>fltrd, mg/L<br>(00915) | Magnes-ium, water,<br>fltrd, mg/L<br>(00925) | Potas-sium, water,<br>fltrd, mg/L<br>(00935) | Sodium adsorp-tion ratio<br>(00931) | Sodium, water,<br>fltrd, mg/L<br>(00930) | Alka-licity, wat flt<br>fxd end lab,<br>mg/L as<br>CaCO <sub>3</sub><br>(29801) | Chlor-ide, water,<br>fltrd, mg/L<br>(00940) |
|-----------|------|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|-------------------------------------|--|---|---|
| OCT 28... | 1230 | 18                                      | 8.3  | 2,790  | 10.2                                     | 1,500  | 310                                      | 164  | 5.76   | 2                                   | 183                                      | 210   | 37.5  |
| DEC 17... | 1330 | 19                                      | 8.4  | 2,360  | 4.3                                      | 1,400  | 292                                      | 162  | 4.80   | 2                                   | 172                                      | E166  | 32.1  |
| FEB 06... | 1145 | 11                                      | 8.4  | 3,010  | 1.0                                      | 1,600  | 308                                      | 191  | 4.82   | 2                                   | 211                                      | 260   | 34.7  |
| APR 09... | 1200 | 12                                      | 8.4  | 2,940  | 11.0                                     | 1,500  | 292                                      | 191  | 5.11   | 2                                   | 209                                      | 201   | 36.3  |
| 30...     | 1230 | 0.96                                    | 8.2  | 3,320  | 17.8                                     | 1,700  | 326                                      | 219  | 7.35   | 3                                   | 259                                      | 282   | 46.6  |
| MAY 22... | 1200 | 3.5                                     | 8.1  | 3,200  | 22.5                                     | 1,900  | 379                                      | 234  | 11.2   | 3                                   | 287                                      | 272   | 45.5  |
| JUN 25... | 1145 | 2.7                                     | 8.1  | 2,770  | 21.6                                     | 1,400  | 294                                      | 170  | 8.73   | 2                                   | 195                                      | 279   | 36.8  |
| JUL 24... | 1100 | 8.8                                     | 8.1  | 2,220  | 23.5                                     | 990  | 216                                      | 110  | 6.08   | 2                                   | 117                                      | 229   | 31.2  |
| SEP 04... | 1300 | 32                                      | 8.3  | 1,750  | 20.1                                     | 790  | 185                                      | 79.6   | 5.30   | 1                                   | 78.6                                     | 196   | 23.7  |

## WATER-QUALITY DATA, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| Date      | Fluor-ide, water,<br>fltrd, mg/L<br>(00950) | Silica, water,<br>fltrd, mg/L<br>(00955) | Sulfate water,<br>fltrd, mg/L<br>(00945) | Residue sum of<br>constituents<br>mg/L<br>(70301) | Residue water,<br>fltrd, tons/<br>acre-ft<br>(70303) | Residue water,<br>fltrd, tons/d<br>(70302) |
|-----------|---|--|--|---|--|--|
| OCT 28... | 0.38  | 6.9                                      | 1,480                                    | 2,310   | 3.15   | 112  |
| DEC 17... | 0.37  | 7.8                                      | 1,470                                    | --  | --   | --   |
| FEB 06... | 0.44  | 5.6                                      | 1,620                                    | 2,530   | 3.44   | 75.8                                       |
| APR 09... | 0.36  | 1.3                                      | 1,570                                    | 2,430   | 3.30   | 80.6                                       |
| 30...     | 0.43  | 1.0                                      | 1,930                                    | 2,960   | 4.03   | 7.68                                       |
| MAY 22... | 0.5   | 11.8                                     | 1,740                                    | 2,870   | 3.90   | 27.0                                       |
| JUN 25... | 0.5   | 12.0                                     | 1,360                                    | 2,240   | 3.05   | 16.3                                       |
| JUL 24... | 0.5   | 13.0                                     | 1,020                                    | 1,650   | 2.25   | 39.4                                       |
| SEP 04... | 0.4   | 13.5                                     | 729                                      | 1,230   | 1.68   | 106  |

E -- Estimated laboratory analysis value.

## MISCELLANEOUS FIELD MEASUREMENTS, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2002 TO SEPTEMBER 2003

| Date      | Time | Instantaneous discharge, cfs<br>(00061) | Specif. conductance, wat unf<br>25 degC<br>(00095) | Temper-ature, water,<br>deg C<br>(00010) |
|-----------|------|---|--|--|
| APR 24... | 1236 | 2.3                                     | 3,400  | 16.7                                     |