

Summary of Water Supply Conditions as of 03/31/06

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Precipitation averages 6.79 inches for March on the Northern Sierra Eight Station Index. This year, 14.07 inches were recorded, more that double for the month. The North and Central Sierra snow packs are well above the April 1st averages for each region.

Reservoir Storage remains above flood control at all facilities, though only slightly at some.

River Releases are still at or above their 15-year medians, with flood control operations in effect.

Water Supply Forecasts based on March 1st conditions were posted, and the outlook remains “wet.”

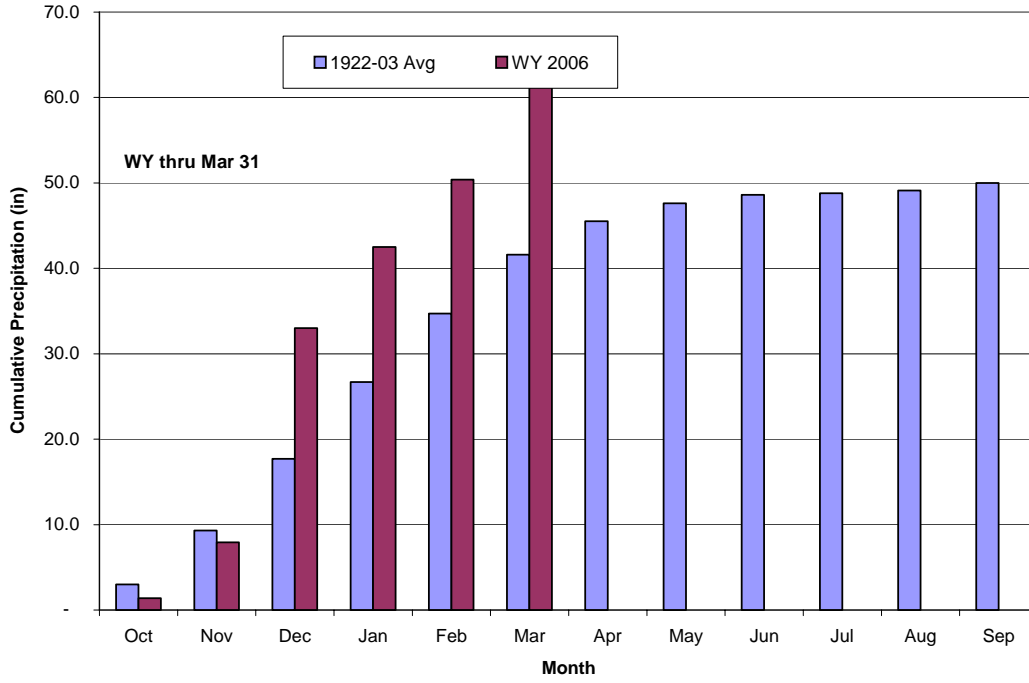
		03/31/06	02/28/06	Change
8 Station Index	(% of WY Avg to Date)	129%	101%	28%
Snow Pack - (Percent of April 1 Average)	North	141%	85%	56%
	Central	128%	85%	43%
		03/31/06	02/28/06	Change
River Releases - (Mean Daily cfs)	Trinity	293	306	(13)
	Sacramento	22,345	14,820	7,525
	American	10,904	7,050	3,854
	Stanislaus	3,038	2,529	509
		03/31/06	02/28/06	Change
Reservoir Storage - (Thousand AF)	Trinity	2,102	2,007	95
	Shasta	3,854	3,834	20
	Folsom	710	445	265
	New Melones	2,075	2,016	59
	Federal San Luis	968	875	93
		03/31/06	02/28/06	Change
Reservoir Inflow - (WY to Date in TAF)	Trinity	1,023	833	190
	Shasta	5,320	3,941	1,379
	Folsom	2,692	2,000	692
	New Melones	789	554	235
		03/31/06	02/28/06	Change
Precipitation (accumulated in.)	Trinity at Fish Hatchery	41.86	35.65	6.21
	Sacramento at Shasta Dam	72.26	55.43	16.83
	American at Blue Canyon	88.88	68.90	19.98
	Stanislaus at New Melones	30.60	21.06	9.54

Precipitation

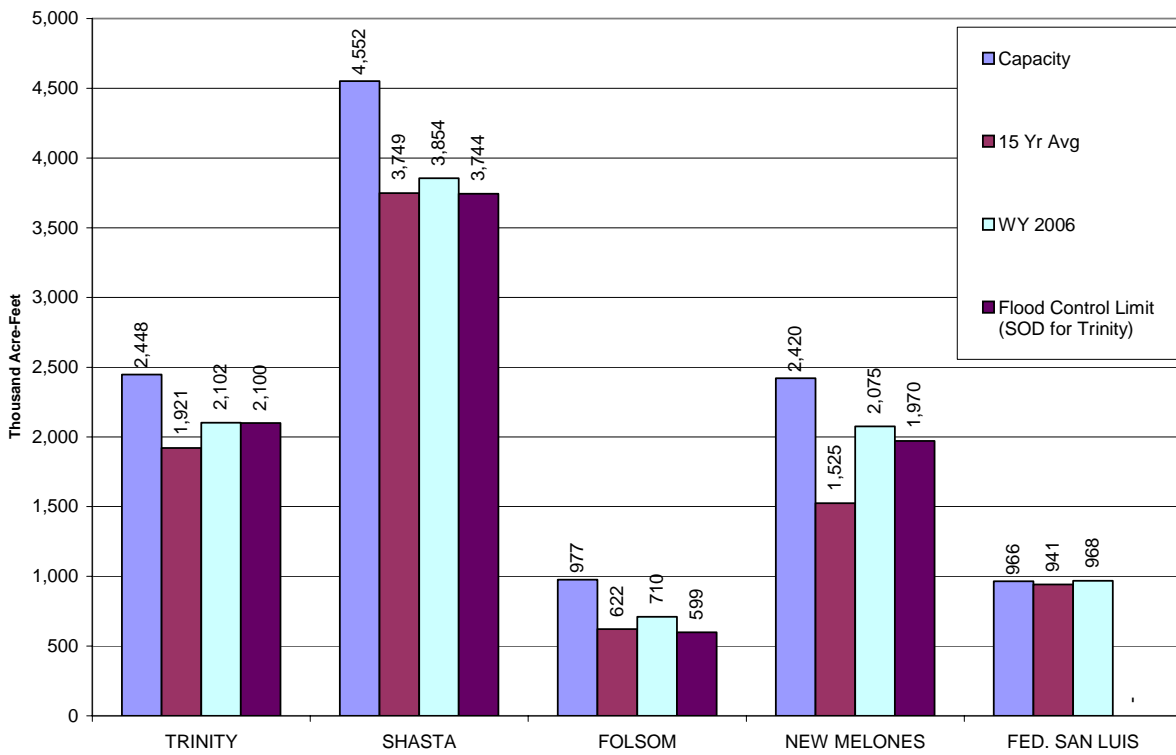
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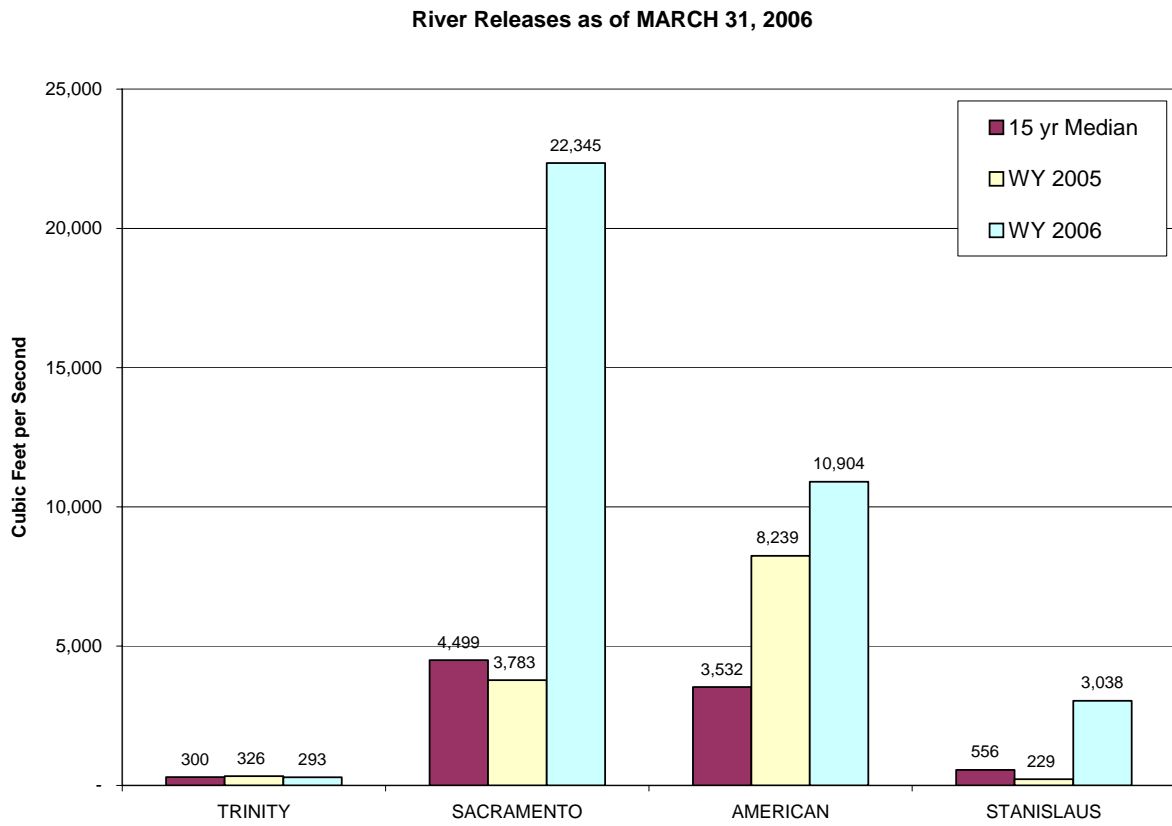
Northern Sierra Eight Station Index
Mt Shasta City, Shasta Dam, Mineral, Brush Creek RS
Quincy, Sierraville RS, Pacific House, Blue Canyon

Source: California Data Exchange Center



Reservoir Storage as of MARCH 31, 2006





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