



RIVER INFORMATION

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Boaters Pilots Fishers
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Knowing stream conditions
before leaving on your trip

YOU CAN HELP

Describe conditions found during
your trip. Submit your trip report
on-line at:

<http://aprfc.arh.noaa.gov/infomenu.php>
'River Trip Feedback Form'

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HIGH WATER LEVEL (Fast and pushy)

MEDIUM WATER LEVEL

LOW WATER LEVEL (Slow and rocky)

Key to Gauge Listing (next page)
+ USGS Gauge # BLM Gauge * Water Survey of Canada ^ USFWS
* Average interval in hours between water level readings
** Gauge is visible to the user
1 hr - recorded every hour, reported every 4 hrs or less
24 hrs - typically read and reported in the morning
Gauge reading is the level of the water surface
measured in feet above an arbitrary datum.



A table is provided below which shows estimated low, medium, and high water levels for several streams for which we normally have current daily gauge readings. Information that you provide on the Trip FEEDBACK Form is needed to update and expand the table. The whitewater class represents the most difficult section of the reach that cannot be readily avoided. We have water level information for other streams as well. This information is provided for general guidance only - boaters should remain alert for changing conditions.

Gauge Reading* (Whitewater Class)

| Name of Stream | Gauge ID | LOW | MEDIUM | HIGH |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|------------|------------------|
| Eagle River | ERBA2 | | | |
| above Visitors Center | | 3.0(IV) | 4.0(IV-) | 4.4(IV+) |
| above Campground Rapids | | 2.7(II) | 3.5(II) | 4.3(II+) |
| below Campground Rapids | | 2.7(III) | 3.5(III) | 4.3(III+) |
| Gulkana River | GULA2 | | | |
| above Sourdough | | 6.0(III) | 7.0(III) | 8.0(III+) |
| below Sourdough | | 6.0(II) | 7.0(II) | 8.0(II+) |
| Kenai River | COOA2 | | | |
| above Jim's Landing | | 6.0(II) | 9.0(II) | 11.0(II+) |
| below Jim's Landing | | 6.0(II) | 9.0(II+) | 11.0(III) |
| below Skilak Lake | SKLA2 | 8.4(I) | 10.4(I) | 11.4(II) |
| Little Susitna River | | | | |
| above Hatcher Bridge | LSOA2 | 6.3(V-) | 7.0(V-) | 7.5(V-) 8.0(VI-) |
| Matanuska River | | | | |
| Lion's Head | MAGA2 | 3.0(IV-) | 4.0(IV) | 4.8(IV+) |
| to King's River | MATA2 | 8.0(II+) | 10.5(III) | 11.5(III) |
| below King's River | MATA2 | 8.0(I) | 10.5(II) | 11.5(II) |
| Nenana River Canyon | HNRA2 | 8.5(IV-) | 10.0(IV) | 11.5(IV) |
| Ship Creek | SHIA2 | 4.9(IV+) | 5.3(V) | 5.7(V+) |
| Sixmile Creek | SIXA2 | 9.0(IV) | 10.6(IV+) | 11.3(V-) |
| Talkeetna River Canyon | TKTA2 | 6.2(IV-) | 8.2(IV) | 9.7(IV+) |
| Tonsina River Canyon | TONA2 | 9.0(III) | 10.0(III+) | 12.0(IV) |
| Willow Creek in Canyon | WLWA2 | 2.6(III) | 3.4(IV) | 4.1(IV) |
| at Parks Hwy | WILA2 | 7.5(III) | 8.3(IV) | 9.0(IV) |