

# Summary of Columbia River Basin Flood Risk Management Requirements, 1-Apr

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Project >>	MCDB	ARDB	LIB	DCDB	HGH	GCL	BRN	DWR	
<b>Project Limits</b>									
Maximum Elevation, ft	2475.0	1444.0	2459.0	1892.0	3560.0	1290.0	2077.0	1600.0	
Minimum Elevation, ft	2320.0	1378.0	2287.0	1794.2	3336.0	1208.0	1976.0	1445.0	
Usable Storage, kaf	12053.3	7100.0	4979.5	1398.6	2981.0	5349.6	975.3	2015.7	
Usable Storage, ksfd	6076.9	3579.6	2510.5	705.1	1502.9	2697.1	491.7	1016.3	
<b>Mar. 31 Project Conditions</b>									
Elevation, ft (MSL)	2393.1	1400.3	2397.6	1800.8	3518.5	1252.7	2044.5	1568.2	
Draft, kaf	7575.6	5057.5	2458.8	1341.6	900.3	2768.5	399.9	549.6	
Usable Stor. less Draft, kaf	4477.7	2042.4	2520.7	57.0	2080.6	2581.1	575.4	1466.2	
<b>Draft Required to meet Apr. 30 Flood Risk Management</b>									
Elevation Reduction, ft	-	-	10.2	-	-	9.0	-	24.7	
Storage Reduction, kaf	-	-	312.7	-	-	588.8	-	362.4	
<b>1-Apr Water Supply Forecast</b>									
Project >>	MCDB	ARDB	LIB	DCDB	HGH	GCL	BRN	DWR	TDA
Apr-Jul, kaf	-	-	-	-	-	-	4767	2308	-
Apr-Jul %-Normal (2)	-	-	-	-	-	-	87%	95%	-
Apr-Jul Change, kaf (1)	-	-	-	-	-	-	144	283	-
Apr-Aug, kaf	11042	22543	6681	1972	-	57009	-	-	86867
Apr-Aug %-Normal (2)	101%	103%	114%	98%	-	100%	-	-	99%
Apr-Aug Change, kaf (1)	22	555	209	10	-	598	-	-	340
May-Sep, kaf	-	-	-	-	1556	-	-	-	-
May-Sep %-Normal (2)	-	-	-	-	92%	-	-	-	-
May-Sep Change, kaf (1)	-	-	-	-	-17	-	-	-	-
<b>System Draft Requirements</b>									
Project >>	MCDB	ARDB	LIB VarQ	DCDB	HGH VarQ	GCL	BRN	DWR Sys	DWR Loc
Jan. 31, kaf	1648	1703	2083	850	300	0	0	712	727
Feb. 28/29, kaf	2824	2603	2145	1199	281	0	323	692	718
Mar. 15, kaf	-	-	-	1231	-	-	-	-	-
Mar. 31, kaf	4080	3600	2453	1231	337	1200	212	537	537
Apr. 15, kaf (4)	-	-	-	-	333	2650	296	618	618
Apr. 30, kaf	4080	3600	2772	1242	345	3357	374	912	-
<b>System Elevation Requirements</b>									
Jan. 31, ft	-	1430.5	2408.7	1839.8	3547.0	1290.0	2077.0	1557.4	1556.4
Feb. 28/29, ft	-	1422.9	2407.0	1813.8	3547.9	1290.0	2051.6	1558.8	1557.0
Mar. 15, ft	-	-	-	1811.1	-	-	-	-	-
Mar. 31, ft	-	1414.1	2397.8	1811.1	3545.4	1274.7	2061.1	1569.0	1569.0
Apr. 15, ft (4)	-	-	-	-	3545.6	1254.5	2054.0	1563.7	1563.7
Apr. 30, ft	-	1414.1	2387.4	1810.2	3545.0	1243.8	2046.9	1543.5	-
<b>Flood Risk Management Summary at The Dalles, Oregon</b>									
Apr-Aug, kaf	86867								
Apr-Aug %-Normal	99.2%								
Apr-Aug Change, kaf (1)	340								
May-Aug, kaf	73164								
					Upstream Storage Adjustment, kaf, Chart #2 (3) =		22029		
					Initial Controlled Flow, ICF, kcfs, Chart #1 (3) =		321		
					Estimated Unregulated Peak Discharge, kcfs, Chart #1-A (3) =		533		

**Notes:**

- 1 Change in official forecast from the previous month.
- 2 All %-Normal values are based on 30-year (1981-2010) Runoff Volume averages as determined by the Northwest River Forecast Center.
- 3 See Charts 1 and 2 of Columbia River Treaty Flood Control Operating Plan, Corps of Engineers, Northwestern Division, Corps of Engineers.
- 4 April 15 values include a shift of 294 kaf from DWR to GCL and a 75 kaf shift from BRN to GCL.

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Maximum Flood Risk Storage Shift from DWR to GCL												Maximum Flood Risk Storage Shift from BRN to GCL						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	
GCL	GCL	GCL	DWR	DWR	DWR	DWR / GCL	DWR	DWR	GCL	GCL	GCL	BRN	BRN / GCL	BRN	BRN	GCL	GCL	
Non-Shifted FC Draft	Maximum Draft Limit	Maximum Shift Potential	FC Draft		FC Shift		Shifted FC		Shifted FC		Maximum Shift Potential remaining	FC Shift		Shifted FC Draft		Shifted FC		
			System	Local	Granted	Allowable	Draft	Elevation	Draft (w/DWR Shift)	Elevation (w/DWR Shift)		Granted	Allowable	Draft	Elevation	Draft (w/DWR+BRN Shift)	Elevation (w/DWR+BRN Shift)	
Notes	-	<b>a</b>	2-1	-	4-5	Min 3,6	4-7	-	1+7	-	2-10	-	Min 12,13	-	-	10+14	-	
Units	kaf	kaf	kaf	kaf	kaf	kaf	kaf	ft	kaf	ft	kaf	kaf	kaf	kaf	ft	kaf	ft	
Jan. 31	0	2798	2798	712	727	0	0	727	<b>1556.4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1290.0</b>	2798	0	0	0	<b>2077.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1290.0</b>
Feb. 28/29	0	2798	2798	692	718	0	0	718	<b>1557.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1290.0</b>	2798	0	323	323	<b>2051.6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1290.0</b>
Mar. 31	1021	4336	3315	566	537	<b>29</b>	29	<b>537</b>	<b>1569.0</b>	<b>1050</b>	<b>1276.7</b>	3286	<b>150</b>	362	<b>212</b>	<b>2061.1</b>	<b>1200</b>	<b>1274.7</b>
Apr. 15	2281	3914	1632	912	618	<b>294</b>	294	<b>618</b>	<b>1563.7</b>	<b>2575</b>	<b>1255.6</b>	1338	<b>75</b>	371	<b>296</b>	<b>2054.0</b>	<b>2650</b>	<b>1254.5</b>
Apr. 30 <b>b</b>	3357	3357	0	912	-	<b>0</b>	0	<b>912</b>	<b>1543.5</b>	<b>3357</b>	<b>1243.8</b>	0	0	0	<b>374</b>	<b>2046.9</b>	<b>3357</b>	<b>1243.8</b>

**Notes:** Under certain conditions the required flood risk draft at DWR and BRN may be shifted to GCL prior to 30-April. The shifted rule curve shown above represents the maximum allowable flood risk storage shift(s) for the current water year based on the current month's flood risk management requirements for each project and evacuation limitations at GCL; however, the actual volume shifted to GCL on any date is ultimately determined by the Bureau of Reclamation. The shift of volume for DWR to GCL has priority over the shift of volume from BRN to GCL in cases when GCL cannot accept the total combined volume.

- a** The potential flood risk storage shift to GCL is limited to the operation at GCL above elevation 1252.3 ft (2744 kaf draft) at the end of February and elevation 1225.0 ft (4355 kaf draft) at end of March and 15-Apr, and also limited by the GCL maximum draft rate limit. All projects are to be at their non-shifted flood risk management draft requirements at the end of Apr.
- b** No shift is allowed, all projects to be back to their non-shifted flood risk draft requirement by 30-April.

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