

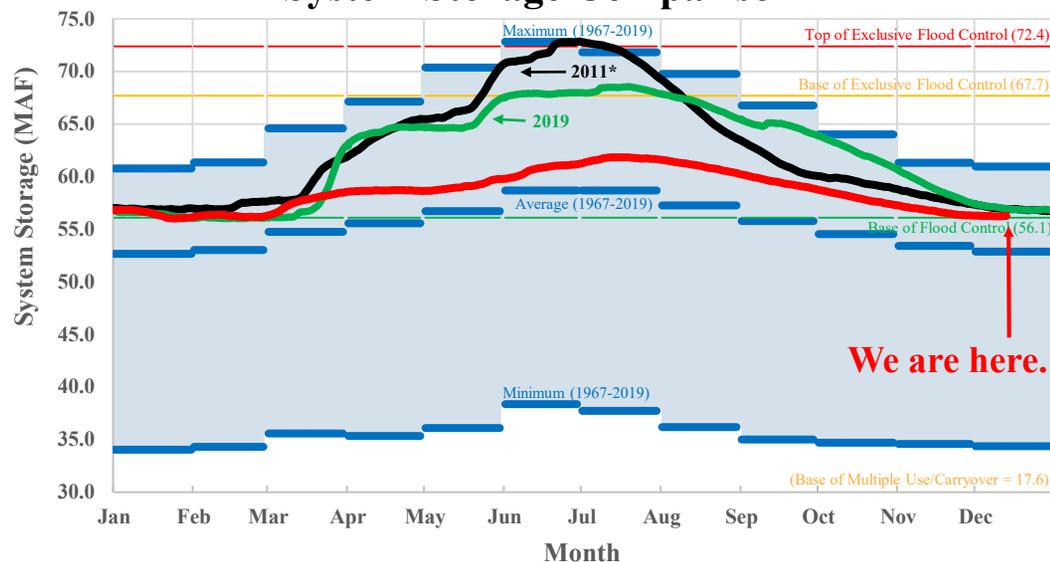
Missouri River Basin – Update – 15 December 2020

Mainstem Reservoir Status:

- ❖ System storage is 56.2 MAF (upper right quadrant).
- ❖ Mountain snowpack has begun accumulating and is below average in both reaches (lower right quadrant).
- ❖ The final 2020-21 Annual Operating Plan (AOP) will be posted on our website by the end of December.
- ❖ Gavins Point releases are at the winter release rate of 17,000 cfs.
- ❖ Refer to the 3-Week Forecast ([click here](#)) for the most up-to-date System information – pool levels, inflows and releases.
- ❖ The schedule and forecasted Missouri River flows and stages can be found here:

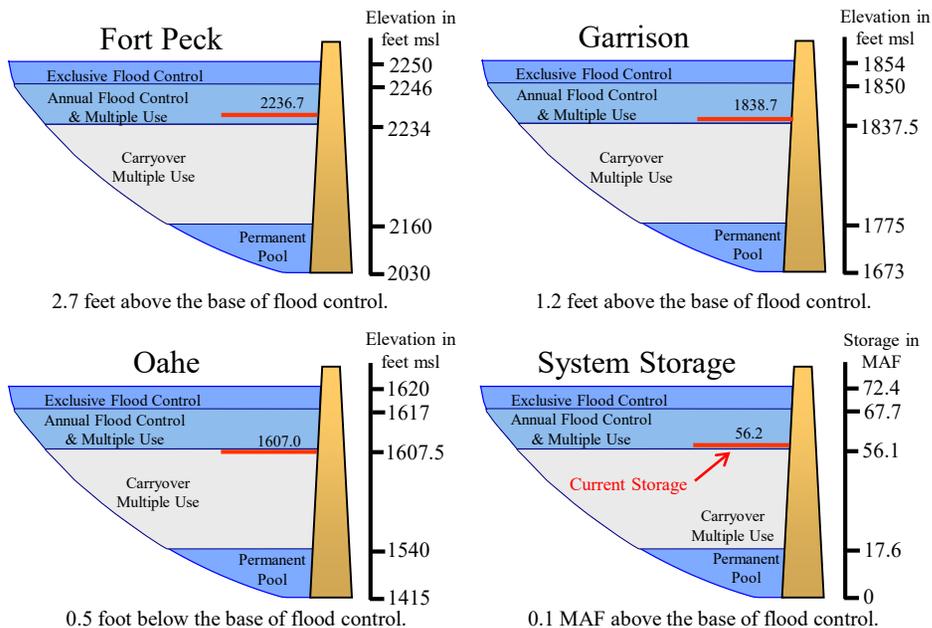
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System Storage Comparison



*In January 2011, the Base of Flood Control was 56.8 MAF, and the Top of Exclusive Flood Control was 73.1 MAF.

Current Reservoir Levels

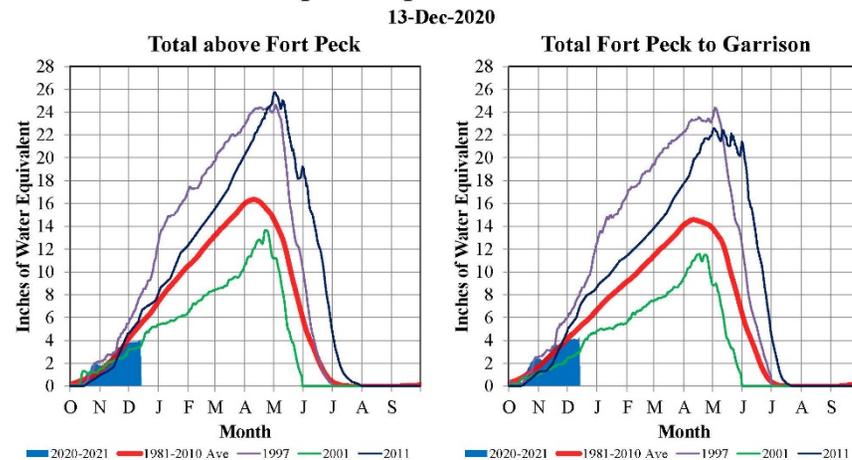


[Click Here](#) for Latest 3-Week Forecast

[Click Here](#) for Comparison Plots

Mountain Snowpack

Missouri River Basin – Mountain Snowpack Water Content 2020-2021 with comparison plots from 1997*, 2001*, and 2011



On December 13, 2020 the mountain Snow Water Equivalent (SWE) in the "Total above Fort Peck" reach was 4.1", 75% of the December 13 average. On December 13, 2020 the mountain SWE in the "Fort Peck to Garrison" reach was 4.3", 83% of the December 13 average. The normal peak for both reaches is near April 15.

*Generally considered the high and low year of the last 25-year period, respectively

Provisional data. Subject to revision.