# Colorado River Commission of Nevada

# Natural Resources Group Hydrologic Update June 13, 2017





# Unregulated Inflow & Storage

As of June 12, 2017

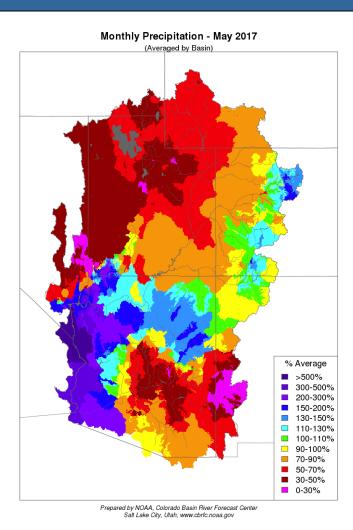
Projected unregulated inflow to Lake Powell	MAF*	% Avg**
WY 2017 (Forecast):	12.4	114%
April-July 2017 (Forecast):	8.3	116%

Storage	Elevation (f)	MAF*	% Capacity	/ Δ year
Lake Mead	1,081.0	10.1	39%	1 8.9 ft
Lake Powell	3,625.9	14.4	59%	13.0 ft
Total storage		32.5	55%	1 2.0 maf

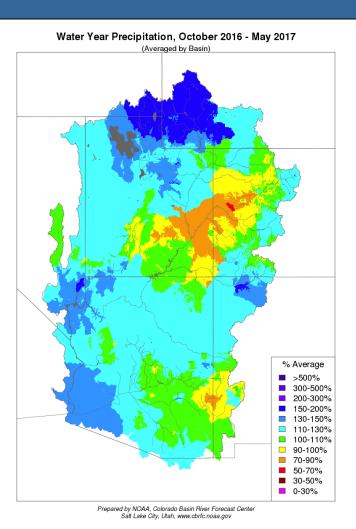
\*MAF=Million Acre-Feet

\*\*30-year average, from 1981-2010 (current normal)

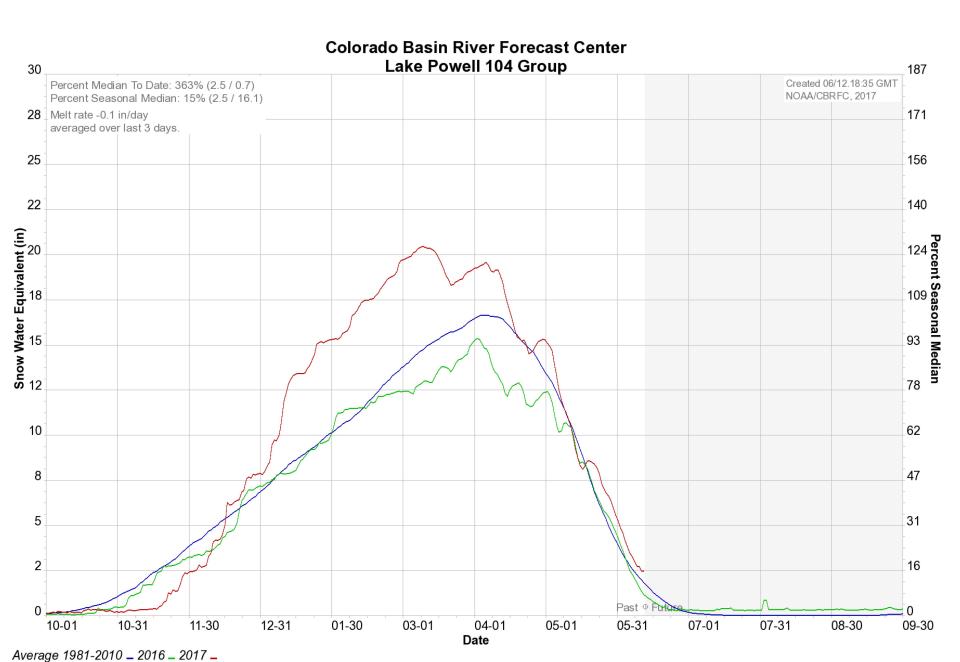
# Precipitation



Above Lake Powell May precipitation: 94%

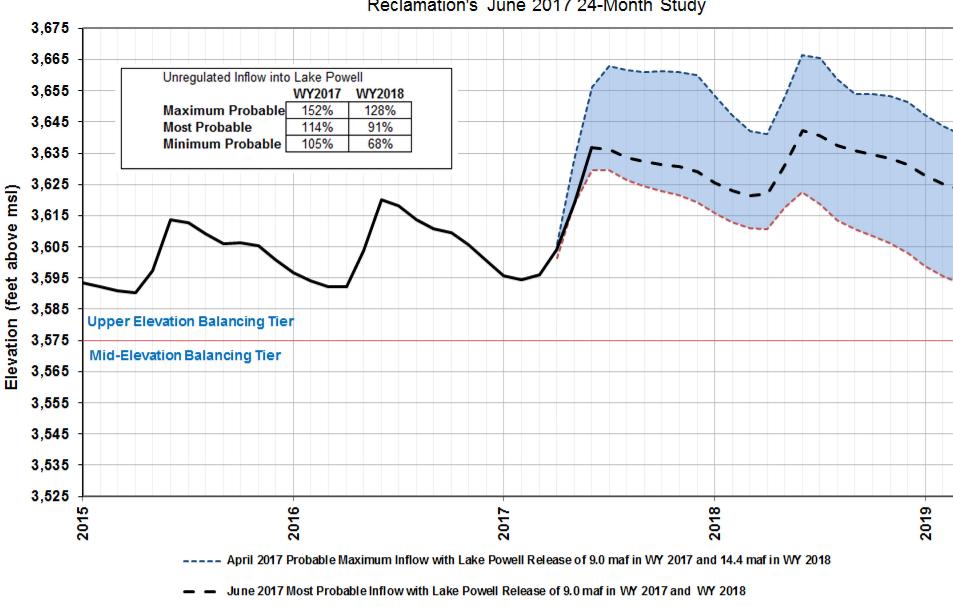


Above Lake Powell WY Precipitation to date: 115%



### Lake Powell Projections

Reclamation's June 2017 24-Month Study

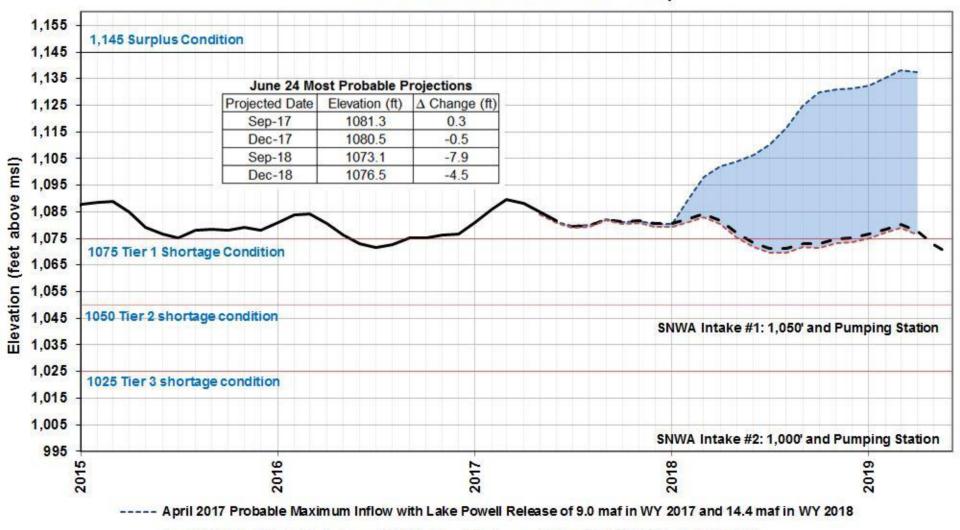


April 2017 Probable Minimum Inflow with Lake Powell Release of 9.0 maf in WY 2017 and WY 2018

Historical Elevations

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## Water Use in Southern Nevada

January- April 2017

2017: Consumptive Use = 50,928\* af

2016: Consumptive Use = 55,334 af

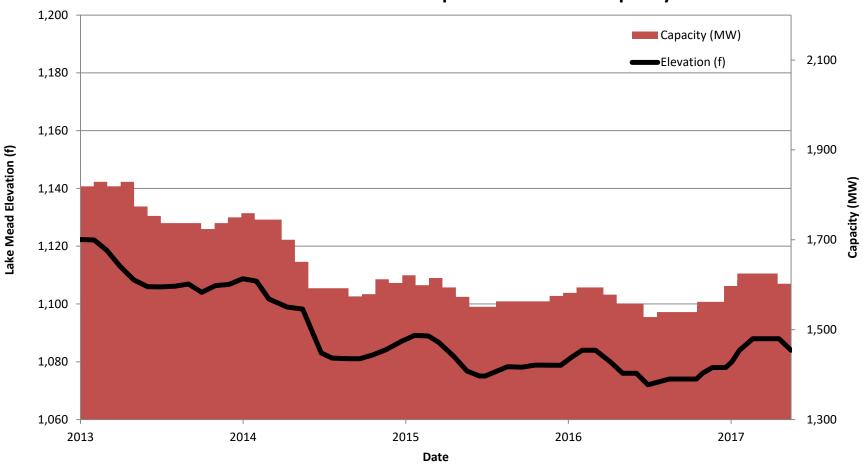
Difference = -4,406 af

\*Subject to final accounting.



# Hydropower Capacity

#### **Lake Mead Elevation and Hoover Powerplant Generation Capacity**



On May 19, 2017 capacity was decreased 23 MW to 1,602 MW.

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## **Questions?**

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