

(Friday, June 14, 2024)

Subject: 2024 Upper Snake River and Reservoir Operations Update

Purpose: The purpose of these updates is to provide information regarding Reclamation's operations and basin conditions as the season progresses. The information is provisional and subject to change.

Highlights

*****Notice of reservoirs approaching full levels and releases to the Snake River below Milner Dam**

Storage Update: The reservoir system continues filling and is 98% full, which is approximately 114% of median. The table below summarizes storage conditions.

Snake above King Hill Storage (Jun 13)

BASIN	CURRENT STORAGE (Acre-Feet)	Storage Capacity (Acre-Feet)	%Full	Space Available
Little Wood	28,183	30,000	94%	1,817
Upper Snake Reservoir System	4,069,976	4,137,675	98%	67,699
<i>Above Heise (Jck & Pal)</i>	2,016,243	2,047,000	98%	30,757
Jackson Lake (Jck)	842,160	847,000	99%	4,840
Palisades (Pal)	1,174,083	1,200,000	98%	25,917
<i>Henry's Fork (Hen, Isl, Grs)</i>	242,178	242,365	100%	187
Island Park (Isl)	134,958	135,205	100%	247
Ririe Reservoir (Rir)	80,470	80,540	100%	70
<i>Lower System (American Falls and Lake Walcott)</i>	1,731,085	1,767,770	98%	36,685

System Spill: Basin conditions indicate lower system inflows will exceed consumptive use and available storage capacity. Accordingly, an initial 500 cfs will be released to the Snake River below Milner Dam this afternoon.

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