

# Lake Mendocino and Lake Sonoma Water Accounting Weekly Report (Term 14, June 2022 TUCO)

Report Date: 2/4/2023

Units are cfs unless noted otherwise

	1/28/2023	1/29/2023	1/30/2023	1/31/2023	2/1/2023	2/2/2023	2/3/2023
<b>I. Upper East Fork Reach</b>							
<b>Potter Valley Project</b>							
Tunnel Diversion	45.0	45.0	45.0	44.0	44.0	45.0	45.0
PVID Requested Delivery	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
PVID Canals Actual Delivery	2.3	3.5	3.2	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.3
East Fork Release	43.0	42.0	42.0	43.0	43.0	44.0	44.0
PVID E Fork Diversions	7.7	6.5	6.8	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.8
PVID Water Use - PG&E Contract	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
PVID Water Use - License 5264	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
East Fork Downstream of PVID (Import)	35.3	35.5	35.2	34.1	34.1	35.2	35.3
PVID Canal Net Return Flow (assumed)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>East Fork / Potter Valley Reach Analysis</b>							
USGS E Fork @ Calpella	126.6	121.2	113.8	107.6	104.3	101.5	118.9
Net Reach Loss(-)/Gain(+)	+81.6	+76.2	+68.8	+63.6	+60.3	+56.5	+73.9
Unimpaired Natural Flow @ Calpella (est.)	39.7	36.7	34.9	32.7	30.5	28.3	27.2
Non-PVID East Fork Net Reach Losses (est.)	91.6	86.2	78.8	73.6	70.3	66.5	83.9
Natural Flow	56.3	50.8	43.6	39.5	36.2	31.3	48.7
Import (neg. value is return flow)	35.3	35.5	35.2	34.1	34.1	35.2	35.3
<b>II. Lake Mendocino</b>							
<b>Reservoir Operations</b>							
Calculated Inflow (ac-ft)	253	228	243	249	161	195	263
(cfs)	128	115	122	126	81	98	133
Natural Flow	92	79	87	91	47	63	97
Import	35	35	35	34	34	35	35
Storage Change (ac-ft)	-121.0	-103.0	-35.0	+0.0	-86.0	-52.0	+17.0
(cfs)	-61	-52	-18	+0	-43	-26	+9
Stored Natural Flow (cfs)	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Stored Import Water (cfs)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Evaporation (ac-ft)	8.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	7.0	7.0	6.0
RVCWD Diversion (ac-ft)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CVD Release Gage	185	162	135	121	121	121	121
Storage (Project Water)	57	47	13	0	40	23	0
Natural Flow	92	79	87	89	47	63	87
Import Water	35	35	35	32	34	35	34
<b>East Fork Min Instream Flow Requirement</b>	25	25	25	25	25	25	25
<b>Compliance Gage</b>	<i>Rvr mi.</i>						
CVD Release	99.9	185	162	135	121	121	121
<b>CVD Project Water Release to Meet Min Flow Requirement</b>							
Total Pass-through Water	128	115	122	121	81	98	121
Project Water Release Required	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
<b>III. Upper Russian River Reach</b>							
<b>Minimum Instream Flow Requirement</b>	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
<b>Controlling Compliance Gage</b>							
Min Gage Flow	282	252	218	198	193	189	198
Controlling Gage	Forks	Forks	Forks	Forks	Forks	Forks	Forks
<b>All Compliance Gages</b>							
Forks (CVD + USGS 11461000)	99.0	282	252	218	198	193	189
Talmage (USGS 11462080)	96.1	441	414	372	335	306	287
Hopland (USGS 11462500)	84.8	539	499	452	411	389	372
Cloverdale (USGS 11463000)	70.9	798	734	675	619	585	555
Geyserville (USGS 11463500)	54.4	1,164	1,062	971	883	821	774
Jimtown (USGS 11463682)	48.5	1,391	1,266	1,146	1,025	949	885
Digger Bend (USGS 11463980)	38.2	>400 cfs	>400 cfs	>400 cfs	>400 cfs	>400 cfs	>400 cfs
Healdsburg (USGS 11464000)	35.6	1,249	1,163	1,088	1,021	965	923
<b>Net Reach Loss(-)/Gain(+)</b>							
Forks - Talmage	+154	+158	+150	+137	+112	+97	+103
Talmage - Hopland	+95	+78	+73	+70	+79	+83	+98
Hopland - Cloverdale	+246	+227	+210	+201	+191	+179	+197
Cloverdale - Jimtown	+566	+513	+451	+389	+353	+321	+335
Jimtown - Digger Bend	n/d	n/d	n/d	n/d	n/d	n/d	n/d
Digger Bend - Healdsburg *when Digger Bend > 400 cfs, next u/s gage (Jimtown) used	-185	-146	-94	-43	-4	+17	+49
Upper Russian Net Reach Loss/Gain	+876	+829	+790	+754	+730	+697	+783
<b>CVD Project Water Release to Meet Min Flow Requirement</b>							
Net Reach Loss(-)/Gain(+) to Controlling Gage	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0
Storage (Project Water)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pass-through Water (Nat. + Imp.) + Natural	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Pass-through Water	128	115	122	121	81	98	121
Project Water Release Required	No	No	No	No	No	No	No

Notes:  
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<b>IV. Lake Sonoma</b>							
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Storage Change (ac-ft)	+233.0	+155.0	+129.0	+52.0	+104.0	+26.0	+362.0
(cfs)	+117	+78	+65	+26	+52	+13	+183
Evaporation (ac-ft)	8.5	8.5	10.2	8.5	7.5	6.0	4.5
Inflow (Natural Flow)	214	174	162	123	148	108	277
WSD Release Gage	92	92	92	92	92	92	92
Storage (Project Water)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Natural Flow	92	92	92	92	92	92	92

#### V. Lower Dry Creek Reach

<b>Minimum Instream Flow Requirement</b>		75	75	75	75	75	75	75
<b>Controlling Compliance Gage</b>								
Min Gage Flow		92	92	92	92	92	92	92
Controlling Gage		WSD Release	WSD Release	WSD Release	WSD Release	WSD Release	WSD Release	WSD Release
<b>All Compliance Gages</b>								
	<i>Crk mi.</i>							
WSD Release	14.3	92	92	92	92	92	92	92
Yoakim (USGS 11465200)	11.1	154	147	138	135	134	130	143
Lambert (USGS 11465240)	6.8	196	190	182	176	171	167	174
Dry Crk Mouth (USGS 11465350)	0.1	242	206	189	176	154	162	183
<b>WSD to Russian River Confluence Reach Analysis</b>								
Total Pass-through Water		92	92	92	92	92	92	92
<b>Net Reach Loss(-)/Gain(+)</b>								
WSD - Yoakim		+62	+56	+46	+43	+42	+38	+51
Yoakim - Lambert		+42	+41	+43	+41	+37	+37	+32
Lambert - Dry Crk Mouth		+44	+14	+6	-0	-19	-6	+9
WSD - Dry Crk Mouth		+148	+111	+96	+84	+60	+69	+93
<b>WSD Project Water Release to Meet Min Flow Requirement</b>								
Net Reach Loss/Gain to Controlling Gage		+0	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0
Project Water Release Required		No	No	No	No	No	No	No

#### VI. Russian River - Dry Creek Confluence

<b>Upper Russian River Flow (Healdsburg Gage)</b>								
L. Mendocino Project Water + Import Water		92	83	48	32	74	58	34
Natural Flow		968	909	877	843	778	760	871
<b>Dry Creek Flow (Mouth Gage)</b>								
L. Sonoma Project Water		0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Natural Flow		242	206	189	176	154	162	183
<b>Russian River d/s of Confluence Flow</b>								
L. Mendocino Project Water + Import Water		92	83	48	32	74	58	34
L. Sonoma Project Water		0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Natural Flow		1,210	1,114	1,067	1,019	931	922	1,054

#### VII. Lower Russian River Reach

<b>Minimum Instream Flow Requirement</b>		125	125	125	125	125	125	125
<b>Controlling Compliance Gage</b>								
Min Gage Flow		2,410	2,200	2,000	1,830	1,680	1,550	1,760
Controlling Gage		Hacienda	Hacienda	Hacienda	Hacienda	Hacienda	Hacienda	Hacienda
<b>All Compliance Gages</b>								
	<i>Rvr mi.</i>							
Windsor (USGS 11465390)	26.6	<i>n/d</i>	<i>n/d</i>	<i>n/d</i>	<i>n/d</i>	<i>n/d</i>	<i>n/d</i>	<i>n/d</i>
Hacienda (USGS 11467000)	21.8	2,410	2,200	2,000	1,830	1,680	1,550	1,760
<b>Confluence to Windsor Reach Analysis</b>								
Net Reach Loss/Gain to Windsor Gage		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
L. Mendocino Project Water + Import Water		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
L. Sonoma Project Water		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Natural Flow		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Confluence to SCWA Wohler Production Facility Reach Analysis</b>								
Approx. Flow u/s of Wohler		2,453	2,252	2,043	1,862	1,730	1,593	1,805
Net Reach Loss(-)/Gain(+)		+963	+884	+766	+665	+611	+508	+694
L. Mendocino Project Water + Import Water		92	83	48	32	74	58	34
L. Sonoma Project Water		0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Natural Flow		2,172	1,998	1,832	1,683	1,542	1,430	1,748
<b>Confluence to Hacienda (Guerneville) Reach Analysis</b>								
Net Reach Loss(-)/Gain(+)		+920	+832	+723	+633	+561	+465	+649
L. Mendocino Project Water + Import Water		92	83	48	32	74	58	34
L. Sonoma Project Water		0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Natural Flow		2,129	1,946	1,789	1,652	1,493	1,387	1,703

#### VIII. Water Production under Sonoma Water Rights (ac-ft)

<b>Lower Russian River</b>								
Sonoma Water Total		85.3	102.7	85.1	62.9	98.8	85.3	89.8
Wohler		38.1	55.5	38.8	16.9	51.3	38.7	41.7
Mirabel		47.2	47.2	46.3	46.1	47.6	46.6	48.1
Town of Windsor River Wellfield		4.3	4.9	5.3	5.3	4.6	4.6	4.6
Camp Meeker & Occidental		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>Upper Russian River</b>								
City of Healdsburg								
Gauntlett & Fitch Mtn		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>Dry Creek</b>								
City of Healdsburg								
Dry Creek Wellfield		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

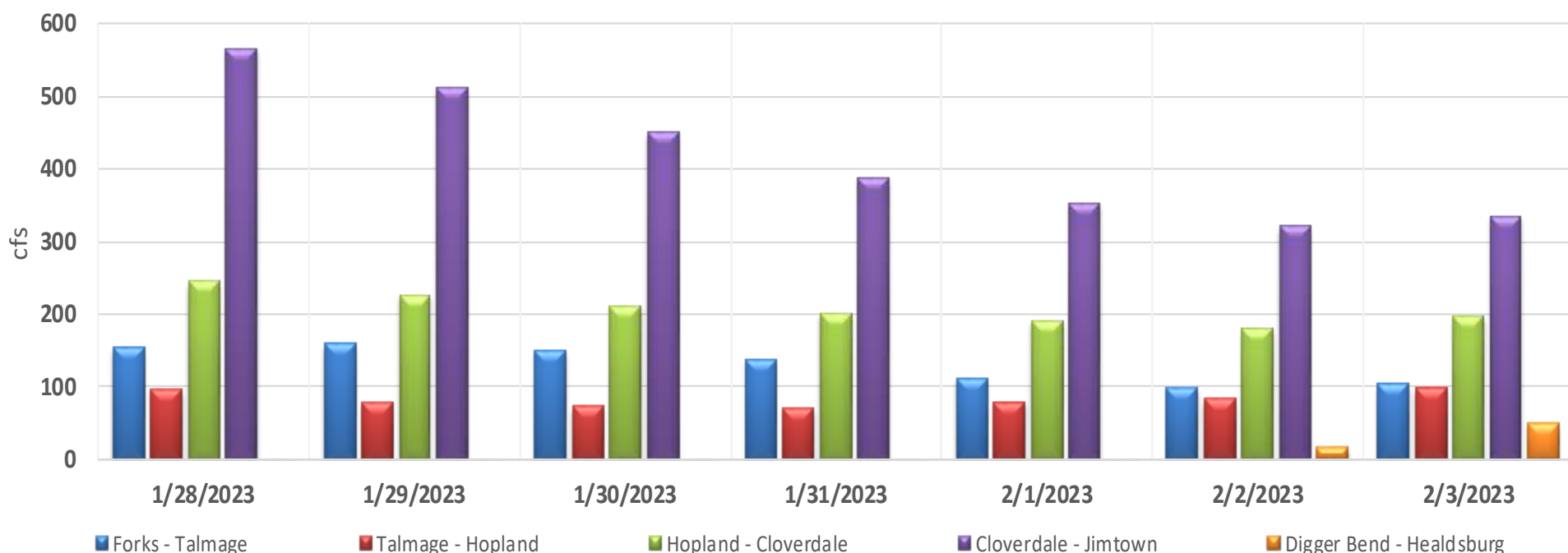
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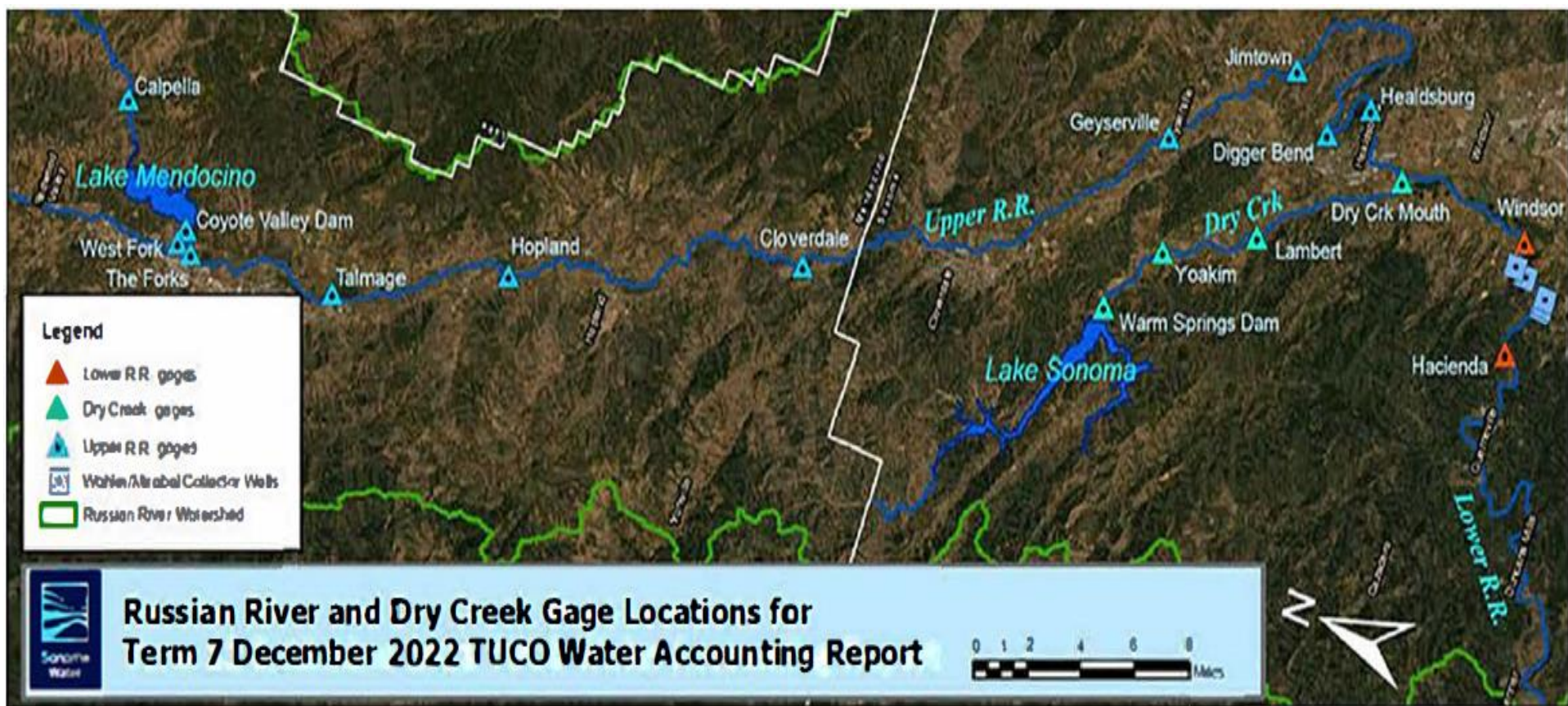
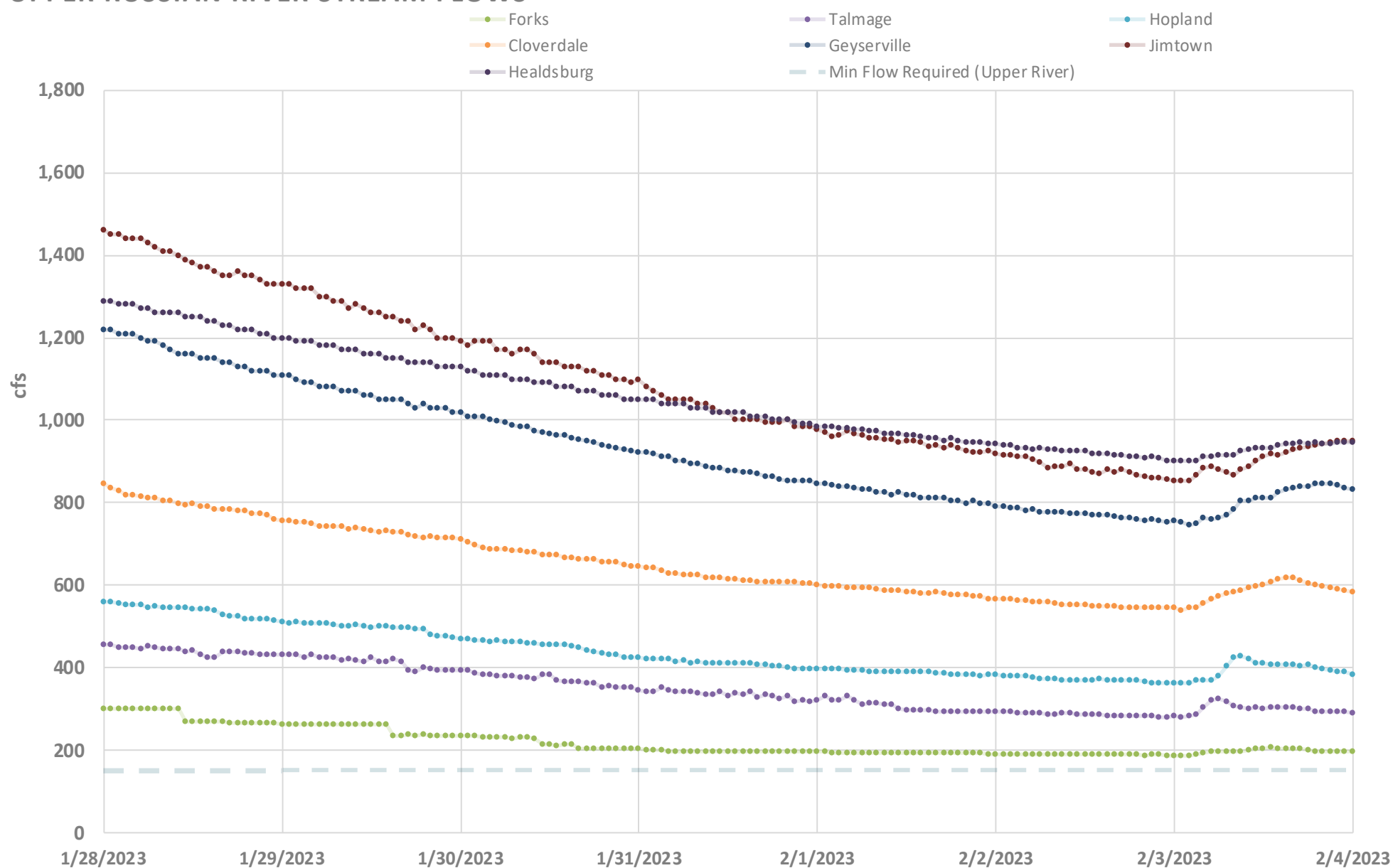
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## UPPER RUSSIAN RIVER NET REACH GAINS (+) / LOSSES (-)



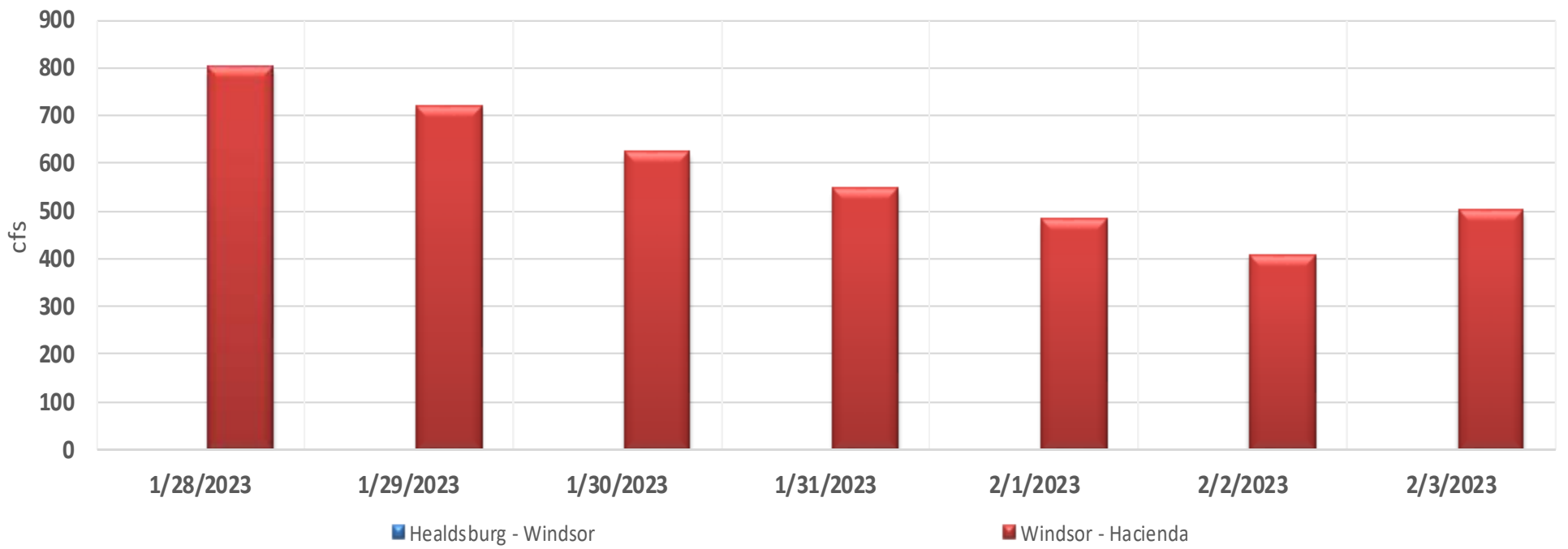
## UPPER RUSSIAN RIVER STREAM FLOWS



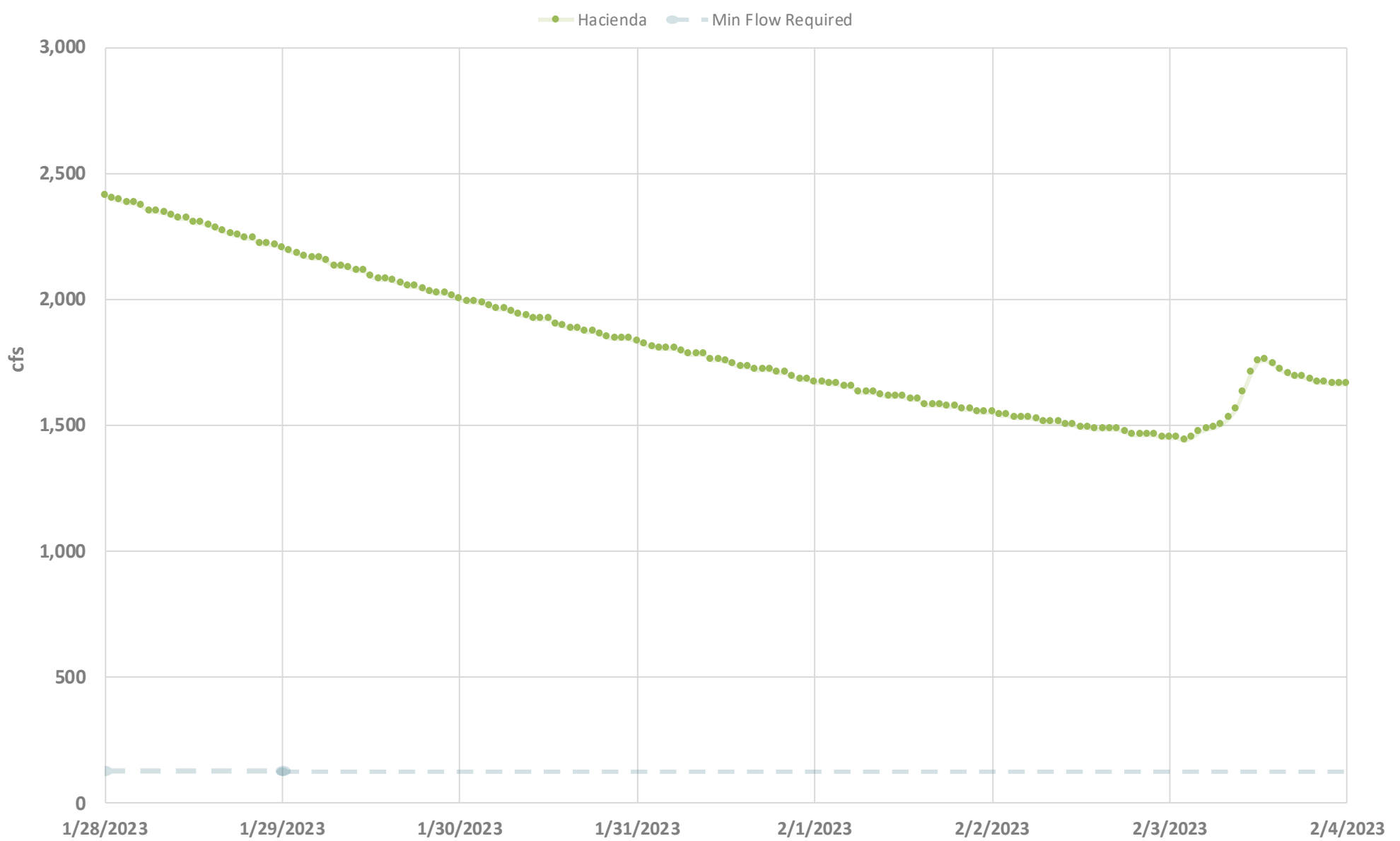
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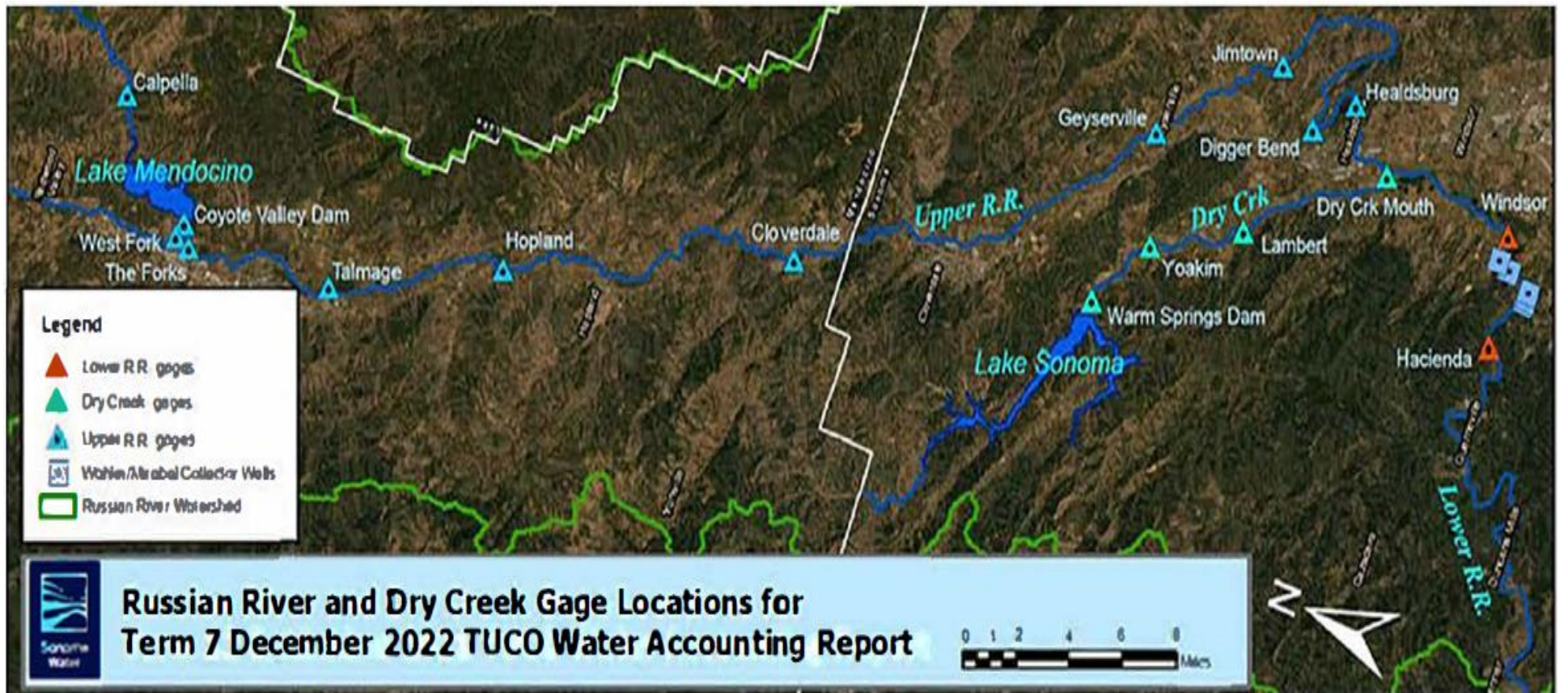
## LOWER RUSSIAN RIVER NET REACH GAINS (+) / LOSSES (-)



## LOWER RUSSIAN RIVER STREAM FLOWS



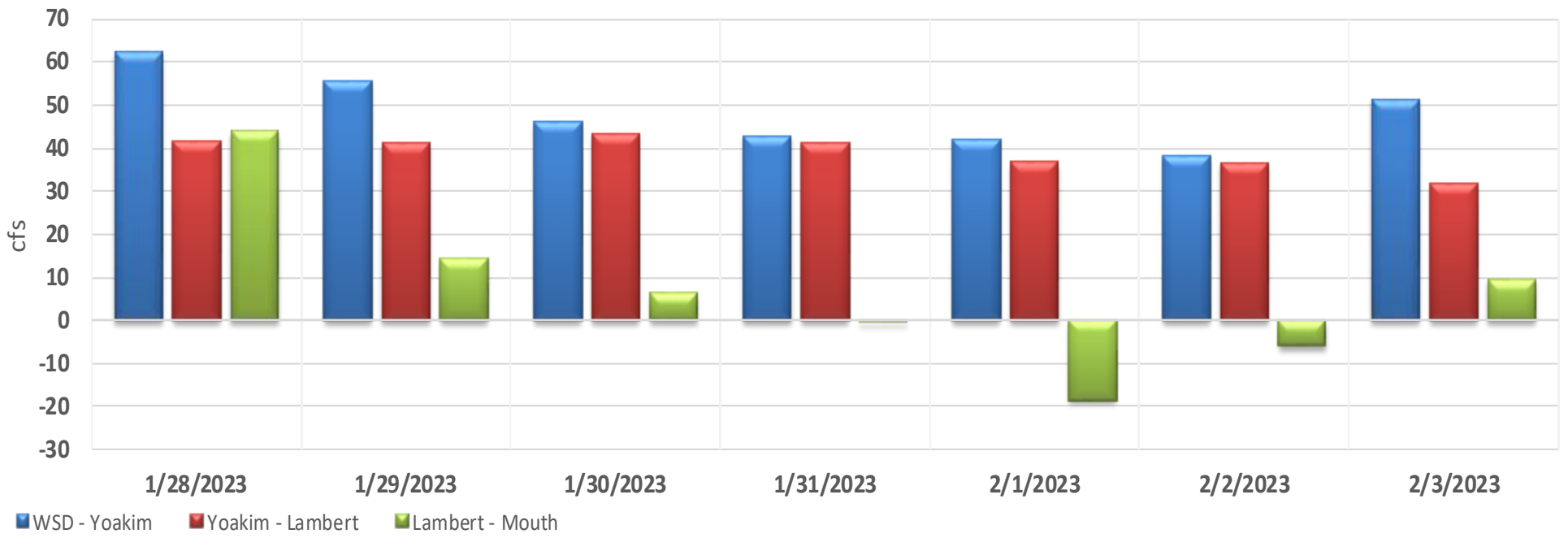
Note: Windsor gage is a seasonal gage and currently not operational. Windsor – Hacienda reach gain/loss is calculated with Healdsburg gages as the upstream gage.



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## DRY CREEK NET REACH GAINS (+) / LOSSES (-)



## DRY CREEK STREAM FLOWS

