# **2015 Detroit Water Levels Preview**

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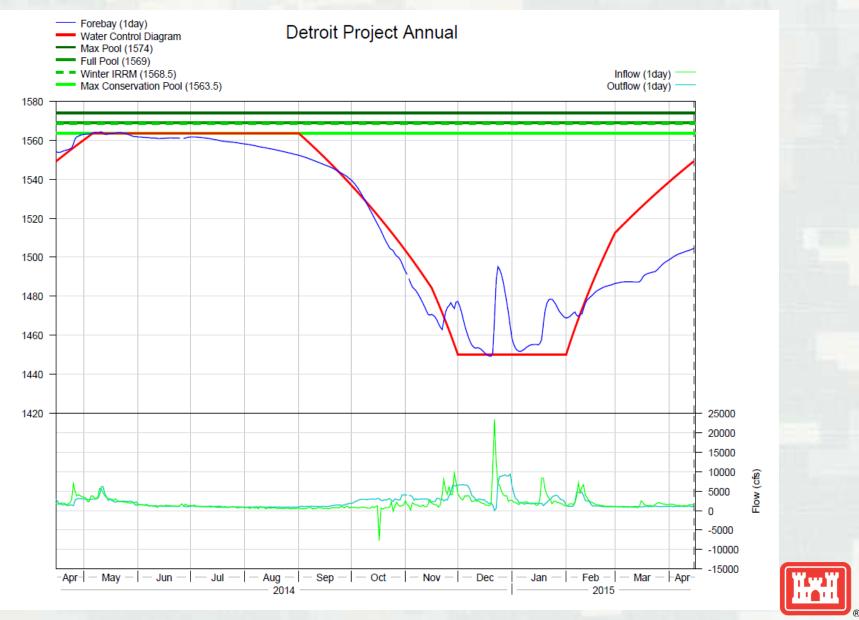
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## Overview

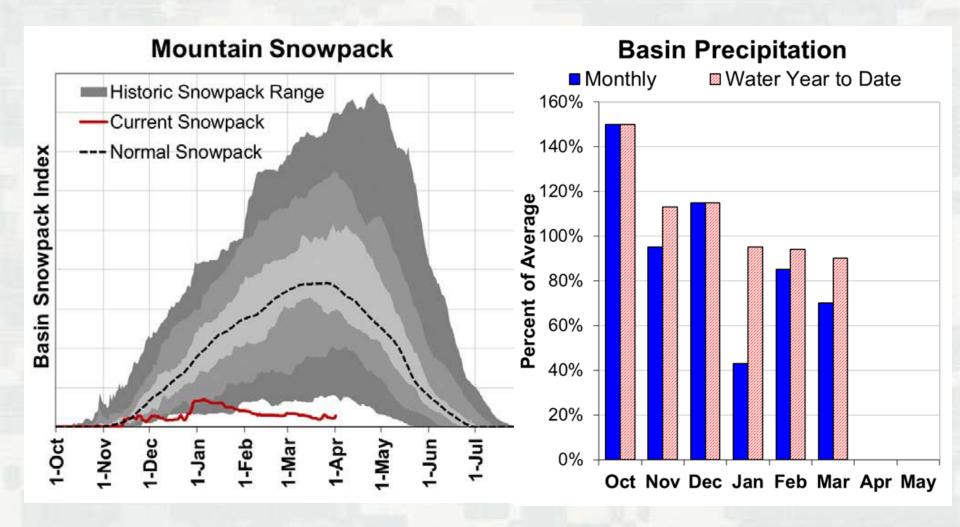
- Willamette system
- Detroit hydrograph
- Snowpack and precipitation data
- 2015 Detroit Reservoir water levels forecast
- Recent summer water levels
- Impacts of the Biological Opinion (ESA)
- Questions and answers



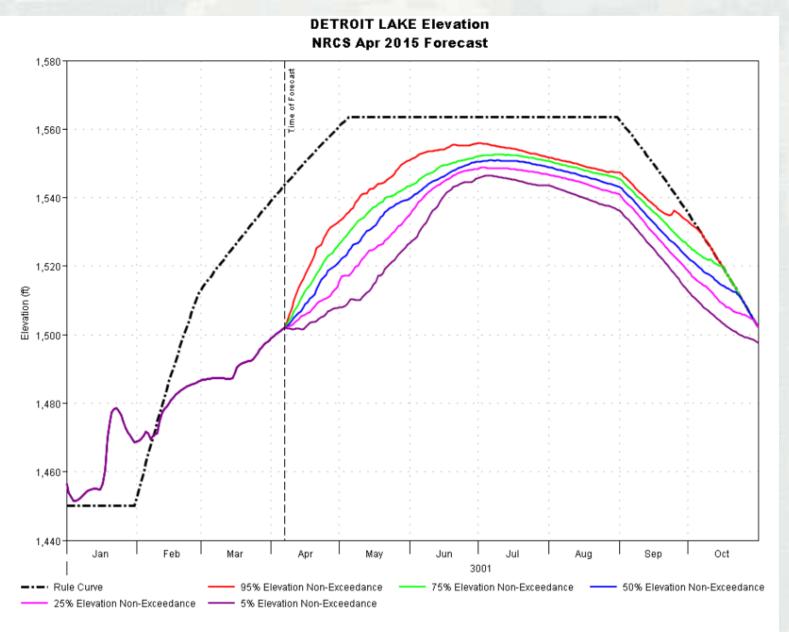


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Elevation (feet)

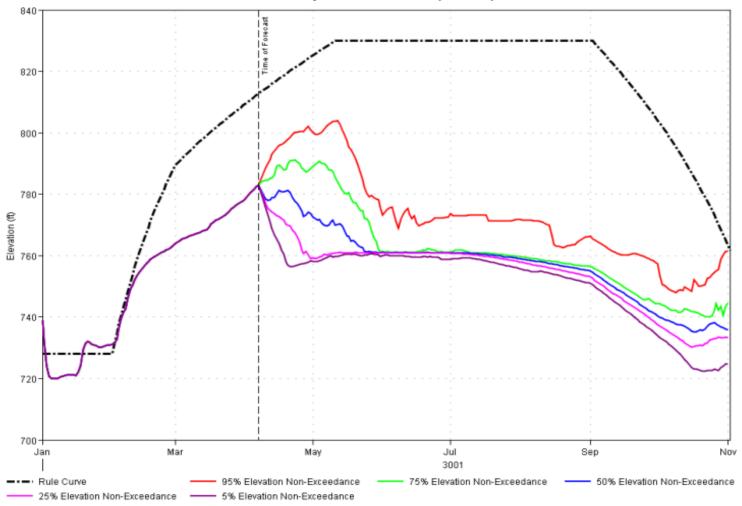






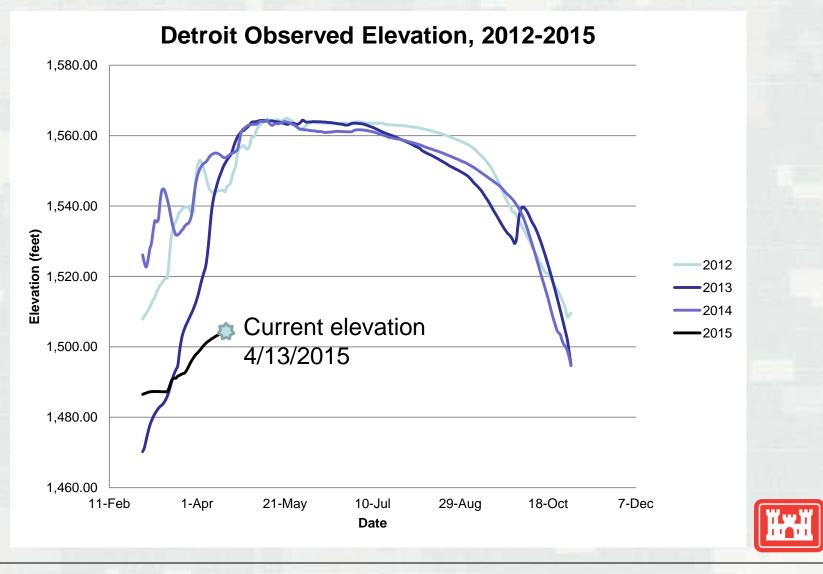


FALL CREEK LAKE Elevation NRCS Apr 2015 Forecast (Median)



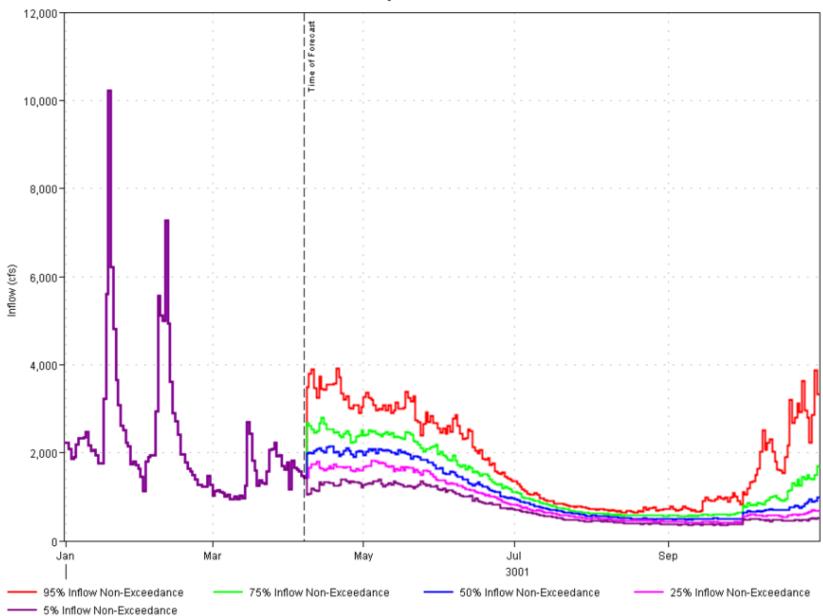


# Summer Elevations 2012-2015

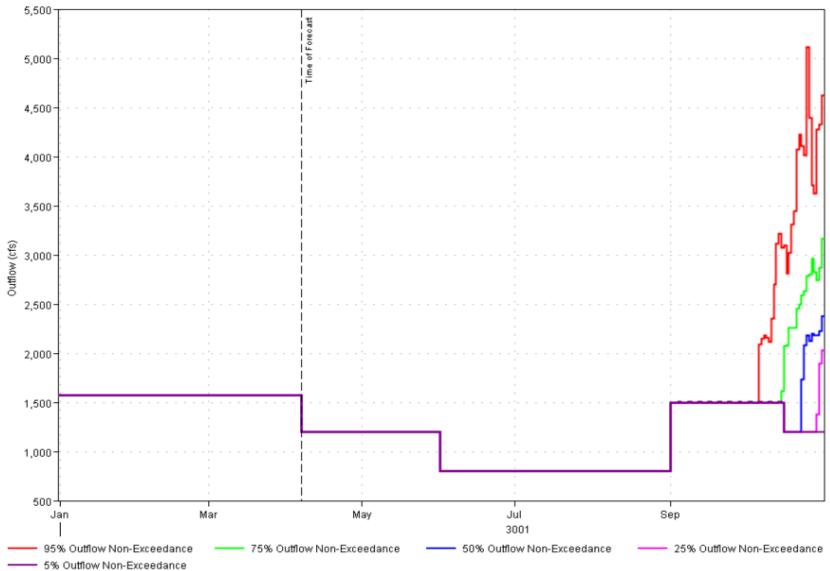


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#### DETROIT LAKE Inflow NRCS Apr 2015 Forecast



#### BIG CLIFF LAKE Outflow NRCS Apr 2015 Forecast



### Impacts of the Biological Opinion

- Continue operational temperature control if elevation is >1544'
- Short term- spring & fall flows
- Long term- may construct a facility for temperature control and/or juvenile passage
  - Either operational or physical changes required



### For more information:

- About the Corps: (Portland District web site) <u>www.nwp.usace.army.mil</u>
- Reservoir Levels:

http://www.nwd-wc.usace.army.mil/nwp/wm/

- River Levels: (NW River Forecast Center) <u>http://www.nwrfc.noaa.gov/</u>
- Portland District Public Affairs Office: 503-808-4510



# **Questions?**



