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1. PROJECT PURPOSE AND INTRODUCTION

The Truckee River Watershed Council (TRWC) requested that Balance Hydrologics, Inc. (Balance) monitor streamflow and groundwater conditions at multiple locations in at Perazzo Meadows, Sierra County, California. The purpose of the monitoring program is to evaluate pre- and post-restoration hydrologic conditions in the Upper Little Truckee River watershed as part of the Perazzo Meadows Restoration project. Monitoring streamflow, groundwater levels, and their interactions are important for the following reasons:

- Streamflow is the principal attribute affecting aquatic habitat and fish populations;
- Little is known about shallow groundwater fluctuations and the amount that can be retained in restored meadows;
- Limited documentation is available regarding the effect of meadow restoration on downstream peak flows and mid- to late-summer baseflow;
- Observed conditions and restoration performance criteria need to be placed in context of long-term variability in order to make reliable comparisons to other systems and other years, (e.g. are initial post-project conditions representative of extreme drought or above-average precipitation); and
- A continuous record of streamflow and groundwater levels allows for an evaluation of the restoration program in terms of geomorphic and vegetation changes that accompany trends in streamflow and groundwater levels for which the project was designed.

This report summarizes groundwater conditions in Upper and Middle Perazzo Meadows and streamflow at six different locations upstream and downstream of Upper, Middle, and Lower Perazzo Meadows for water year 2014 (WY2014)¹, the fifth year of a multiyear hydrology monitoring program. This data report includes:

- A brief description of what measurements were made, and where;
- A summary of the measurements;

¹ Most hydrologic and geomorphic monitoring occurs for a period defined as a water year, which begins on October 1 and ends on September 30 of the named year. Water year 2014 (WY2014) began on October 1, 2013 and concluded on September 30, 2014.

- Daily, monthly, and annual streamflow values for the six gaging stations during WY2014;
- Groundwater levels at 15 wells for select areas of the meadows;
- A comparison of annual peaks, daily mean, and base streamflow at measured inflows to and outflows from Perazzo Meadows; and
- A comparison of groundwater level fluctuations in a restored meadow to groundwater levels prior to restoration.

In late WY2014, funding was provided to continue the monitoring program through WY2016, including the completion of data analysis for WY2014 and development of this monitoring report. As such, we note that observations were limited in WY2014 and unexplained anomalies during periods of non-observation may exist.

1.1 Acknowledgments

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2. SITE DESCRIPTION

2.1 Perazzo Meadows

Perazzo Meadows is located in the Little Truckee Watershed, part of the Truckee River Watershed, about 15 miles northwest of the Town of Truckee in Sierra County, California. The Meadows are accessed from Jackson Meadows Road to the north and from Henness Pass Road to the south (**Figure 1**). Its watershed comprises three named tributaries: the Little Truckee River (termed Lacey Creek upstream of Webber Lake), Perazzo Creek, and Cold Stream. The series of meadows is divided into an Upper, Middle, and Lower Meadow, separated by small canyons and volcanic bedrock outcrop.

These sub-alpine meadows are situated in a tectonically formed basin, now filled with glacial outwash and alluvial silt, sand, and gravel. The watershed reflects many of the geologic events that have shaped the Central Sierra: the hillsides north and south of the meadows consist of andesitic breccia, mudflow deposits, and welded tuff, while the headwaters of Perazzo Creek drain meta-sedimentary rocks. A veneer of glacial till and moraines are also present throughout the margins of the valley. A number of glacial outwash terraces are present within the alluvium of the valley floor; most notably on the south side of the Middle Meadow at an elevation approximately 30-feet above the Middle Meadow. Remnant outwash terraces are also present on the northeast side of the Upper Meadow, approximately 2- to 3-feet higher than the meadow surface. The banks of Perazzo Creek and the Little Truckee River are typically composed of sand and silty sand overlying gravel and cobble, with occasional exposures of silty clay underlying the alluvial sediments.

Hydrology in the watershed is influenced by California's Mediterranean climate and the sub-alpine elevation. The watershed ranges from 6,459 feet above mean sea level (msl, NGVD29) at the Lower Meadow to 9,148 feet msl at Mount Lola. Most of the annual precipitation falls as snow, with occasional summer thunderstorms, early fall rainstorms, and atmospheric rivers, which can drive rain on snow events in the mid-winter. Annual peak flows tend to occur during spring snowmelt, but the periodic rain-on-snow events account for the highest flows. Perennial streams and associated wet meadows are

supported by springs emanating from the adjacent hillsides, especially on the south side of the valley, creating discharge slope wetlands.²

2.2 Restoration Activities

Prior to restoration, portions of the meadows had been converted from riparian low and middle gradient meadows to dry meadows (Swanson, 2008). The channel followed a meandering course through the meadow, and flow was largely contained in one single-thread channel in most locations with limited floodplain connectivity. During the summers of 2009 and 2010, the USFS employed a 'plug and pond' restoration approach with the aim of blocking the channel and spreading water across the valley floor to reoccupy multiple relic channels that had been abandoned.

2.3 Groundwater Monitoring

Balance and the TRWC established a groundwater monitoring program beginning in summer 2009, just prior to implementation of restoration activities in the Upper Watershed. A network of eleven shallow monitoring wells ('piezometers') was installed in the Upper and Middle Meadows, supplementing four monitoring wells that had been previously installed by the USFS. Wells were installed in the Upper Meadow on August 21, 2009, and the Middle Meadow on August 27, 2009. On September 23, 2009, several piezometers were instrumented with water-level recorders, programmed to measure and record water levels every 15 minutes. In order to relate changes in groundwater level to water surface elevations in the channel, several staff plates were installed in the main stream channel to monitor stream stage. Groundwater and stream stage monitoring station locations are shown in **Figures 2 and 3**.

Piezometers were designed with the aim of measuring seasonal water-table fluctuations, and range in depth from 4.1 to 8.0 feet below the meadow surface. Piezometer locations were chosen to represent a range of geomorphic and hydrologic conditions, including spring-fed areas with perennial saturation (e.g. Piezometers 09-02, 09-06), upland surfaces (e.g. 09-05, FS-14, 09-11), and areas adjacent to the main channel (e.g. 09-03, 09-09), as shown in **Figures 2 and 3**.

Campbell well points were used to construct the screened interval of each piezometer, with a nominal diameter of 1¹/₄ -inches, and connected via galvanized steel couplers to

² Meadow and wetland terminology used herein is based on Weixelman and others' (2011) hydrogeomorphic classification system for the Sierra Nevada and Southern Cascade Ranges in California.

1¹/₄ -inch galvanized steel pipe. The well points were driven by hand with a fencepost pounder until refusal, presumably in gravels or perhaps clayey silt at depth. In order to evaluate potential vertical hydraulic gradients, a reflection of the upward or downward movement of shallow groundwater, the piezometers were selected with screens only in the bottom 24 inches. When present, vertical hydraulic gradients provide an indication of the shallow groundwater flow direction, either downward from the surface into the ground, or upward from the ground to the surface.

During the summer of 2011, UC Merced researchers installed a number of wells in Lower Perazzo Meadow, where restoration had not yet taken place, and assisted with field measurements of groundwater levels in the Middle Meadow and streamflow at the Lower Perazzo Meadow outlet, as part of a Sierra-wide study of restoration effects on meadow hydrology. Data from the UC Merced study are not included in our analysis at this time.

Piezometers were monitored by TRWC and Balance staff beginning in September 2009. Monitoring consists of measuring the depth to water with an electronic water-level sounder and measuring the specific conductance and temperature of the groundwater at each piezometer. Specific conductance measures the ability of water to conduct electricity, and is a field surrogate for the concentration of total dissolved salts in the water. Snow and rain have a very low specific conductance, (approaching zero) and groundwater is considerably higher; as water passes over and through the ground, salts are dissolved and the specific conductance increased. Higher specific conductance, therefore, indicates longer residence times in the ground, or transmittal through salt-bearing geologic formations, and can be used to distinguish groundwater sources.

The piezometers were occasionally bailed after water-level readings were taken in order to 'flush' the piezometer and allow the water level to equilibrate with the surrounding soil. The specific conductance and temperature measured in bailed piezometers were thus assumed to have remained representative of groundwater conditions. TRWC or Balance staff performed these activities approximately monthly during the dry season and periodically during months of snowpack as access permitted.

2.4 Streamflow Monitoring

The TRWC authorized Balance to establish and maintain a streamflow monitoring program beginning in summer 2009, just prior to implementation of restoration activities in the Upper Watershed. Beginning October 1, 2009, one continuous-recording streamflow gaging station was established on the Little Truckee River at the downstream end of the Middle Meadow (Station ID LTPM). Early in WY2011, Balance received authorization to establish five additional streamflow gaging stations to help evaluate inflows to the meadow, flows through the meadows and downstream of the meadows. Four gages were installed and instrumented in November 2010, while two additional gages were installed and instrumented in August 2011. All six gages were instrumented with water level and temperature recorders, programmed to measure and record readings every 15 minutes. For the purposes of this report, our results are presented as daily mean streamflow values. Locations of all six streamflow gaging stations are illustrated in **Figure 4** and summarized in **Table 1**. WY2012 was the first year in which we reported a full annual record for all six stream gages, which continues through the current water year (WY2015).

Balance stream-gaging practices follow procedures used by the USGS, as outlined by Carter and Davidian (1968). Balance hydrologists and U.S. Forest Service staff measured flow over a range of different water depths at all six stations. Based on our periodic site visits, staff plate readings, and streamflow measurements, we created an empirical stage-to-discharge relationship for each station, also referred to as a stage-discharge "rating curve." We then used this rating curve at each station to convert the continuous-logging record of stage to flow. As is typically done, we applied multiple stage shifts to account for local scour and fill during the monitoring period, and the effects of leaf and debris dams during low flows. As with all open-channel gaging of natural streams, a higher degree of uncertainty remains at high flows and during periods of ice formation, despite efforts to be as precise as possible, as discussed in more detail by Rantz (1982).

2.4.1 Description of the Streamflow Gaging Stations

2.4.1.1 Perazzo Creek above Perazzo Meadows (PCAP)

The stream gage is located on the west bank of Perazzo Creek, along a bedrock channel approximately 0.5 miles upstream from Upper Perazzo Meadow and approximately 1.4 miles upstream from the confluence with the Little Truckee River. The gaging site was selected to evaluate inflows to the Upper Meadow from Perazzo Creek. The gaging station was installed on November 17, 2010 and designated as 'PCAP' (Perazzo Creek above Perazzo) according to Balance Hydrologics' gaging station naming conventions. The watershed area above PCAP is approximately 6.1 square miles and receives an average of 63.5 inches of precipitation (USGS, 2011). This gage can be affected by ice during winter and spring months.

2.4.1.2 Little Truckee River above Perazzo Meadows (LTAP)

The stream gage is located on the south bank of the Little Truckee River, just downstream of a bedrock channel and boulder riffle, approximately 0.25 miles upstream from Upper Perazzo Meadow, at the USFS road #7-030 Bridge. The gaging site was selected to evaluate inflows to the Upper Meadow from the Little Truckee River. The gaging station was installed on November 18, 2010 and designated as 'LTAP' (Little Truckee above Perazzo). The watershed area above LTAP is approximately 15.8 square miles and includes Webber Lake and the Lacey Meadows watershed. This area receives an average of 58.6 inches of precipitation (USGS, 2011), and can be affected by ice during winter and spring months.

2.4.1.3 Little Truckee River below Upper Perazzo Meadows (LTUM)

The stream gage is located on the east bank of the Little Truckee River, along a boulder and cobble channel approximately 0.9 miles downstream from the confluence with Perazzo Creek, downstream of Upper Perazzo Meadow, at the Henness Pass Road Bridge. The gaging site was selected to evaluate outflows from the Upper Meadow, which originate from the Little Truckee River and Perazzo Creek, as well as a portion of inflow to the Middle Meadow. The gaging station was installed on November 19, 2010 and designated as 'LTUM' (Little Truckee below Upper Perazzo Meadow). The watershed area above LTUM is approximately 25.5 square miles and includes the subwatersheds gaged by LTAP and PCAP and additional intervening areas of 3.6 square miles. Mean annual precipitation in the contributing watershed area is approximately 58.5 inches (USGS, 2011). This gage can be affected by ice during winter and spring months.

2.4.1.4 Cold Stream above Perazzo Meadows (CSAP)

The stream gage is located on the right (east) bank of Cold Stream, a perennial tributary to the Little Truckee River, along a step-pool reach with abundant wood, approximately 1.57 miles upstream from the confluence with the Little Truckee River. The gaging site was chosen to be well above the meadow to avoid the dynamic channel changes in the lower alluvial fan reach, and very steep and dynamic reaches immediately above the alluvial fan. The gaging station was installed on August 18,

2011. The gaging site has been designated as 'CSAP' (Cold Stream above Perazzo Meadows). The watershed area above CSAP is approximately 3.1 square miles and receives an average of 54.2 inches of precipitation (USGS, 2011). Due to access restrictions and very dynamic channel conditions, this gage is operated as a baseflow gage with limited accuracy during the winter; measurements take place during the summer and fall months only.

2.4.1.5 Little Truckee River below Middle Perazzo Meadows (LTPM)

The stream gage is located on the north bank of the Little Truckee River at the outlet of the Middle Meadow. The gaging site was selected to evaluate outflows from the Middle Meadow, as well as a portion of inflows to the Lower Meadow. The gaging station was installed on September 25, 2009 and designated as 'LTPM' (Little Truckee at Middle Perazzo Meadow). The watershed area above LTPM is approximately 32.8 square miles and includes the subwatersheds gaged by the four upstream gages (LTAP, PCAP, CSAP, and LTUM) and additional intervening areas totaling 4.2 square miles. The contributing watershed receives an average of 56.3 inches of precipitation (USGS, 2011). This gage can be affected by ice during winter and spring months.

2.4.1.6 Little Truckee River at Lower Perazzo Meadows (LTLM)

The stream gage is located on the north bank of the Little Truckee River at the outlet of the Lower Meadow. The gaging site was selected to evaluate flows at the outlet of the Lower Meadow, an unrestored meadow, downstream of the Upper and Middle Meadows. The gaging station was installed on August 18, 2011 and designated as 'LTLM' (Little Truckee at Lower Meadow), according to Balance gaging station naming conventions. The watershed area above LTLM is approximately 34.2 square miles and includes the subwatersheds gaged by the five upstream gages (LTAP, PCAP, CSAP, LTUM and LTPM) and additional intervening areas totaling 1.4 square miles. The watershed receives an average of 56.3 inches of precipitation. This gage can be affected by ice during winter and spring months.

2.5 Historical Streamflow Gaging

The United States Geological Survey (USGS) operated a stream gage from June 26, 1993 to September 30, 1998 (partial WY1993 – WY1998) on the Little Truckee River downstream from Perazzo Meadows (USGS 10341950). Historical streamflow at this station was affected by the Sierra Valley diversion ditch immediately upstream. Mean annual flows for the period of record at the USGS gage ranged between 23.5 cfs to 183 cfs. Peak annual flows ranged between 300 cfs to 3,980 cfs. Peak flows are generally

less affected by diversions and can be used for context when interpreting peak flows reported for Perazzo Meadows. **Table 2** summarizes the USGS gage station information and data for the period of record. This station was reoccupied and operated by the USGS from November 11, 2012 to October 20, 2013.

We understand that streamflow data has been collected on the Sierra Valley Diversion Ditch, but have not evaluated that data set as part of this monitoring program.

2.6 Comparisons to Other Watersheds

The streamflow records for Perazzo Meadows are compared to at least one of two other nearby gaging records to provide a basic check on flow magnitudes and timing of streamflow variations. These gages include: 1) Sagehen Creek, near Truckee, California (USGS 10343500), about 7 miles to the southeast, and; 2) Cold Creek, near Truckee, California (Balance gaging station CCTB), approximately 13.5 miles to the southeast.

The Sagehen Creek station (USGS 10343500) measures streamflow from a 10.5 squaremile watershed with a mean annual precipitation of 38 inches. Sagehen Creek watershed is more distant from the Sierra Nevada crest with less precipitation than many of the Perazzo Meadow contributing watersheds. However, this gaging station has an uninterrupted 65-year period of record with no upstream storage or diversions; therefore, it is referenced and used as part of this monitoring program for comparison with general hydrology trends.

Cold Creek is a tributary to Donner Creek, a tributary to the Truckee River, and has a watershed size of 12.6 square miles along the eastern crest of the Sierra Nevada. This location provides a comparable watershed relative to mean annual precipitation (approximately 49 inches) (USGS, 2011) but a slightly lower elevation (5,920 feet) and more distant from Perazzo Meadows. Balance installed this gaging station on October 5, 2010 and operated this gage year-round for the Truckee River Watershed Council (TRWC). This station is rarely affected by ice and its hydrology is more influenced by higher elevations along the Sierra Crest than the Sagehen Creek gage, and therefore provides a reasonable record for correlation and estimation of daily flows during ice-affected periods at Perazzo Meadows.

3. WY2014 HYDROLOGIC SUMMARY AND DISCUSSION

This section summarizes the WY2014 annual precipitation, streamflow conditions at each gaging station, and groundwater trends, concluding with a comparison of streamflow stations and discussion of groundwater conditions following restoration of Perazzo Meadows and three consecutive years of below-average precipitation and snowpack.

3.1 Annual Precipitation

Daily and annual precipitation for Perazzo Meadows is available from data collected at Independence Creek (California Data Exchange Center Station INN) located at similar elevation (6,500 feet) and approximately 3.5 miles southeast of Perazzo Meadows. Annual and long-term average snow-water equivalent is reported from Central Sierra Snow Lab, located near Donner Pass at 6,950 feet elevation and about 11 miles southsouthwest. The Snow Lab has over 100 years of record and serves as a good reference for comparison to WY2014 conditions at Perazzo Meadows.

Cumulative precipitation during WY2014 is illustrated in **Figure 5** with the daily mean and minimum air temperatures. WY2014 was the third consecutive year with below-average precipitation (20.1 inches compared to the long-term average of 32.7 inches as measured at Independence Creek), and exhibited a lower than normal snowpack through the duration of the winter. Snow-water equivalent during WY2014 is illustrated relative to the previous 4 years and long-term averages in **Figure 6**, which shows that on May 1, 2014, snowpack at Independence Lake was only 40 percent (18 inches) of the long-term average seasonal maximum.

WY2014 was unusually dry through the fall and early winter with only 2.2 inches of precipitation recorded through late January. A rain-on-snow event on January 29-30, 2014 dropped 1.5 inches of rain at relatively high elevations. Subsequently, another rain and rain-on-snow event dropped an additional 4.6 inches between February 8 and 10, 2014, resulting elevated flows on both days. Additional rain and snow were recorded in late February and early March. Abundant snowfall was recorded in late March and early April.

Limited additional precipitation was recorded through the spring months. The summer was relatively warm, punctuated with a few significant isolated thunderstorms in July and August. Continued warm temperatures and absence of measurable rainfall through the end of the water year caused baseflow at many stations to fall below longterm averages and to the lowest levels observed since monitoring began in WY2010.

3.2 Streamflow

In the following subsections, we describe streamflow during WY2014 at each gaging station from upstream to downstream. We first summarize inflows to Upper Perazzo Meadow from Perazzo Creek and the Little Truckee River (stations PCAP and LTAP). We then describe flows on the Little Truckee River below the Upper Meadow and above the Middle Meadow (LTUM). Together with Cold Stream (CSAP), these stations account for the bulk of inflows to the Middle Meadow. Middle Meadow outflow (LTPM) is described in relationship to the inflows. Finally, we describe conditions at the outflow from the Lower Meadow (LTLM), which has not yet been restored. Streamflow is reported as daily mean values, unless otherwise specified. We note that there are additional intermittent tributaries, springs, and other areas between which were not gaged (see **Figure 4**); estimates of contributing flow from these intervening tributary areas are based on data collected at the existing six gaging stations.

3.2.1 Perazzo Creek above Upper Perazzo Meadows (PCAP)

Table 3 provides information and observations from site visits and manualmeasurements of flow at Station PCAP. An annual streamflow summary, including peakflows, monthly, and annual statistics is provided in Form 1. Daily mean stage and floware graphically illustrated in Figures 7 and 8, respectively.

After three below average years, the 2014 water year began with baseflow fluctuating between 0.6 cfs and 1.0 cfs. A small increase in flow to 6.2 cfs occurred on December 5, 2013 in response to rain. Air temperatures in mid-December, as recorded at Independence Creek, dropped below -20 degrees Celsius and likely initiated ice-affected flows in Perazzo Creek where the gage is located in a north-facing shadow. Rain-on-snow events on January 29-30 and again on February 8-9, 2014 were recorded throughout the region, but the stage record at this station indicates effects from ice, so flows were estimated from a correlation with flows on Sagehen Creek, near Truckee, California. Based on this correlation, an estimated annual peak flow of 110 cfs occurred on February 9, 2014. These storms likely flushed much of the ice from the gaging pool during this peak, after which minimal or no ice effects are apparent. Winter baseflows remained elevated and an additional rain-on-snow event on March 6, 2014 resulted in a peak flow of approximately 46 cfs. Subsequent to this event, winter baseflows remained above 10 cfs.

Spring snowmelt began in early April and peaked at approximately 70 cfs on April 17, 2014. Peak snowmelt runoff was followed by relatively dry and warm conditions,

resulting in quickly receding streamflow into June. Summer thunderstorms occasionally elevated flows, but baseflow was primarily sustained by springs, groundwater discharge to the channel through the remainder of the summer and water year. In early September, baseflow was not measured below a minimum of 0.1 cfs, and may have been intermittent. September rainfall briefly caused flow to rise to nearly 0.5 cfs for a short-lived period.

In total, Perazzo Creek delivered approximately 5,625 acre-feet of surface water to the Upper Meadow during WY2014, almost half that of WY2013 (9,679 acre-feet) and less than 30 percent of that in WY2011 (23,582 acre-feet), a direct result of three consecutive years with below-average rainfall and snowpack.

3.2.2 Little Truckee River above Upper Perazzo Meadows (LTAP)

Table 4 provides information and observations from site visits and manualmeasurements of flow. An annual streamflow summary, including peak flows, monthly,and annual statistics is provided in Form 2. Daily mean stage and flow are graphicallyillustrated in Figures 9 and 10, respectively.

Similar to WY2013, the water year began with no surface flow in the Truckee River above Perazzo Meadow. It wasn't until the rain-on-snow event of January 29-30, 2014 when streamflow rose to between 0.8 and 2.6 cfs. Flow receded to near 0.6 cfs before the February 8-9, 2014 rain-on-snow event caused a second increase to approximately 25 cfs. Flows remained elevated through mid-February. The March 6, 2014 rain event triggered a peak flow of 74 cfs on the same day. Afterwards, winter baseflow remained above 15 cfs.

Spring snowmelt began in early April with several very similar peaks on April 18 (168 cfs), April 20 (163 cfs), and May 6 (182 cfs); the last of which was also the annual peak flow for WY2014. Peak snowmelt runoff was followed by continued dry and warm conditions, which, combined with a very limited snowpack and depleting watershed storage, resulted in quickly receding streamflow through the summer months. Summer thunderstorms occasionally elevated flows, but in early September streamflow at and below the gaging station ceased (less than 0.1 cfs). While flow may have continued upstream of the gaging station, it is likely these flows infiltrated into the streambed where the canyon begins to open to the alluvial fan. Late September rains briefly returned flows to nearly 0.3 cfs at end of the water year.

In total, the Little Truckee River, above Perazzo Meadows, contributed approximately 9,011 acre-feet of surface water to the Upper Meadow during WY2014, roughly 60 percent of that in the previous year (15,075 acre-feet) and less than 20 percent of runoff in WY2011 (55,667 acre-feet).

3.2.3 Little Truckee River below Upper Perazzo Meadows (LTUM)

Table 5 provides information and observations from site visits and manualmeasurements of flow. An annual streamflow summary, including peak flows, monthly,and annual statistics is provided in Form 3. Daily mean stage and flow are graphicallyillustrated in Figures 11 and 12. A comparison of Upper Perazzo Meadow streamflowinputs and outputs is provided in Figure 13.

Mean daily flow at the beginning of the water year was approximately 0.7 to 1.0 cfs, slightly higher than observed at the beginning of WY13, largely due to late September rains prior to the start of the water year. Similar to upstream gages, baseflow held steady until the storms of late January and early February caused flows to increase. The early February peak flow was measured to 123 cfs, and was followed by a similar peak in early March of 125 cfs. Other than these storms, winter baseflow fluctuated between approximately 15 cfs and 45 cfs, ultimately rising with warming temperatures in the spring. Snowmelt runoff peaks occurred on April 18 (275 cfs), April 20 (258 cfs), and May 6 (279 cfs). The May 6 peak was also the peak flow of WY2014 at this station.

In total, the Little Truckee River at the outlet of Upper Perazzo Meadows discharged approximately 18,137 acre-feet of water during WY2014, less than half that of WY2013 (37,314 acre-feet) and only 20 percent of the total runoff during WY2011. This is 3,501 acre-feet more than the sum of the two contributing tributaries (PCAP + LTAP = 14,636). This finding is generally consistent with findings in previous years, when we calculated a roughly 10 percent increase in flow across the Upper Meadow. This year and last year, however, we calculated a roughly 24 and 36 percent increase in flow across the Upper Meadow, perhaps associated with limited contributions from lower-elevation intervening areas associated with periods of limited precipitation and snowpack.

3.2.4 Cold Stream above Middle Perazzo Meadows (CSAP)

Table 6 provides information and observations from site visits and manualmeasurements of flow at Station CSAP.Daily streamflow for the partial water year isprovided in Form 4.Daily mean stage and flow are graphically illustrated in Figures 14and 15.

The water year began with baseflow at 1.0 to 1.2 cfs, slightly higher than the beginning of the previous water year and slightly higher than surface inflows to the Middle Meadow along the Truckee River. Similar to other streamflow monitoring stations in this watershed, the storms of late January and early February caused streamflow to increase, but winter baseflow did not increase a reflection of the higher mean elevation in this subwatershed. Aside from periodic response to precipitation, winter baseflow held steady at less than 2 cfs. Warmer temperatures in the spring released snowmelt water beginning in late March and early April, with spring snowmelt holding steady into May, with occasional peaks as high as 16 cfs. The annual peak flow of 16 cfs occurred during this period on May 26, 2014, significantly later than the other subwatersheds, as in previous years. Following the peak snowmelt, flows receded steadily and stabilized at a baseflow of 0.5 to 0.6 cfs, slightly lower than in previous years. As comparison, baseflow on Cold Stream was approximately 3 cfs following WY2011, a year with extremely high precipitation and snowpack depths.

In total, Cold Stream contributed approximately 2,004 acre-feet of surface water to the Middle Meadow in WY2013. This is about 67 percent of that in WY2013 (3,006 acre-feet) and of surface water to the Middle Meadow in WY2013. As consistent with previous years, Cold Stream appears to provide only a small fraction (roughly 11 percent) of the total annual runoff to the Middle Meadow, but accounts for a larger portion (25- to 45-percent) of the baseflow entering the Middle Meadow during the late summer and fall months. This effect however, is, muted during this third consecutive year, perhaps indicating that groundwater storage in Coldstream becomes depleted during droughts, or that late season snowpack is the driving factor behind the late-season flows emanating from Coldstream.

3.2.5 Little Truckee River below Middle Perazzo Meadows (LTPM)

Table 7 provides information and observations from site visits and manualmeasurements of flow at Station LTPM. An annual streamflow summary, including peakflows, monthly and annual statistics is provided in Form 5. Daily mean stage and flow forStation LTPM are graphically illustrated in Figures 16 and 17. A comparison of MiddlePerazzo Meadow streamflow inputs and outputs is provided in Figure 18.

At the beginning of the water year baseflow fluctuated between 2 and 3 cfs during the month of October, with roughly equal inputs from the Little Truckee River and Cold Stream. This station was affected by beaver dam construction at the outlet of the gaging station pool during the end of WY2013 and the beginning of WY2014, so

significant rating curve shifts were applied to the stage record during this time. With limited to no discharge measurements taken, the accuracy of the streamflow record is compromised through the fall. Similar to upstream gages, streamflow responded minimally to minimal autumn precipitation, and rose abruptly with the relatively warm winter storms of late January and early February, 2014, as well as the storm on March 6, 2014. Minimal ice effects were observed at the gaging station during WY2014 at this station, with minimal apparent effects on stage and flow, though ice has been accounted for by applying minor rating curve shifts.

The peak flow for the period of record occurred on April 18 during the spring snowmelt period, with sustained elevated flows between 100 and 200 cfs through April and into May. Streamflow receded through May, June, and July to a late summer baseflow of 0.5 to 1 cfs in mid-September, with punctuated flow increases associated with summer thunderstorms in July and August and early season precipitation in late September.

Total annual inflow to the Middle Meadow during WY2014 was measured to be 20,141 acre-feet, 18,137 acre-feet from the Little Truckee River (at station LTUM) and 2,004 acre-feet from Cold Stream (station CSAP). The total outflow volume (at station LTPM) was calculated to be 18,325 acre-feet, less than the sum of the two gaged inflows. This finding is inconsistent with previous years, and is attributed rating curve uncertainty associated with the lack of streamflow measurements during the WY2014 fall and winter. During WY 2012 and WY2013, the increase across the Middle Meadow was on the order of 10 to 15 percent. During the summer months in WY2014, when field observations improved gaging accuracy, streamflow leaving the Middle Meadow was consistently much higher than measured streamflow entering the Middle Meadow along the Truckee River and Cold Stream, on the order of 15 to 40 percent.

3.2.6 Little Truckee River below Lower Perazzo Meadows (LTLM)

Lower Perazzo Meadow, downstream from LTPM, has not yet been restored. Beginning in August 2011, Balance began coordinating with UC Merced researchers to develop a continuous record of flow at the Lower Meadow outlet (LTLM) to characterize baseline conditions in preparation for future restoration activities. This gage is the downstreammost gaging station in Perazzo Meadows, located approximately 0.85 river miles upstream of the Sierra Valley Diversion Ditch. Ongoing collection of baseline data prior to restoration of the meadow will provide a valuable data set against which to compare post-restoration conditions. Under current conditions, data at this station can be used to evaluate differences in meadow storage between a restored meadow (Middle or Upper Meadow) and an unrestored meadow (Lower Meadow). **Table 8** provides information and observations from site visits and manual measurements of flow at Station LTLM. Daily streamflow for the partial water year is provided in **Form 6**. Daily mean stage and flow are graphically illustrated in **Figures 19 and 20**. A comparison of Lower Perazzo Meadow inflow and outflow is shown in **Figure 21**.

Streamflow at the beginning of the water year was between 3 and 5 cfs, following early season precipitation before the start of the water year. Flow responded minimally to minimal fall precipitation and rose rapidly with the onset of winter storms in late January and early February, with the estimated peak flow of 247 cfs occurring during the February 9, 2014 rain on snow event. The March 6 rain event caused flow to increase to 131 cfs. Snowmelt runoff peaked at 243 cfs on May 6, 2014 and began to recede in June, with punctuated flow increases associated with summer thunderstorms in July and August, ultimately reaching a baseflow of between 1 and 2 cfs by mid-September before the onset of fall precipitation in late September.

Overall, streamflow at the Lower Meadow outlet is similar to the Middle Meadow outlet, with very limited tributary inflows between the two stations and only a minor (4 percent) increase in contributing watershed area. In total, the Little Truckee River, at the outlet of Lower Perazzo Meadow discharged approximately 22,551 acre-feet of water in WY2014. Total runoff input volume to the Lower Meadow was estimated to be 18,325 acre-feet (Station LTPM), reflecting an increase in runoff with the increased contributing watershed area. This 23 percent increase in flow between the two stations is much larger than that observed in past years, likely a reflection of the uncertainty introduced by beaver dam effects at the Middle Meadow and the lack of streamflow measurements in WY2014 during the Fall and Winter. This beaver dam has since washed out and with nearly monthly flow measurements through the year; gaging accuracy is anticipated to improve. A portion of this additional runoff volume reasonably originates from the intervening areas between the two gages (1.4 square miles; see **Figure 4**).

3.2.7 <u>Little Truckee River below Sierra Valley Mutual Water Company Diversion (USGS</u> <u>Station 10341950)</u>

USGS Station 10341950 below the Sierra Valley Diversion Dam was discontinued on October 20, 2013, so streamflow data below the diversion are not available. Periodic manual streamflow measurements have taken place during WY2014, however, perhaps an indication that the USGS may again operate this gage in the future.

3.2.8 Comparison of Streamflow and Annual Runoff during WY2014

WY2014 streamflow hydrographs from all six stations are illustrated in **Figure 22** and runoff volumes for all six stations (including estimates for ungaged areas) are reported in **Table 9**. Snowmelt recession runoff is reported for all six stations on a monthly basis (May-September) in **Table 10**, and monthly mean streamflow is tabulated in **Figure 23**.

Based on a comparison of streamflow at all six stations, we draw the following conclusions:

- Through comparison to streamflow on Cold Creek in Truckee, Sagehen Creek just south of the study area, and across stations within the study area, we conclude that the flow records are generally consistent with regional hydrology trends;
- Based on the frequency, methods used, and accuracy of our streamflow measurements, the flow records are reasonably accurate and consistent with USGS standards. It should be noted, however, that a significant degree of uncertainty was introduced during WY2014, especially during the fall and winter months when ice and snow can affect water levels at a station, but no field measurements or observations took place to verify conditions at the gages or calibrate the stage-discharge rating curves. These uncertainties are reduced during summer and fall baseflow periods, and are anticipated to be offset in the future with funding secured for additional field measurements during WY2015 and WY2016;
- All six stations exhibited similar timing for peak flows with the exception of Cold Stream (CSAP). The runoff peaks at this station shows a delay relative to the other stations and is attributed to the higher elevation of the Cold Stream watershed;
- With the exception of the Little Truckee River above Perazzo Meadow (LTAP), which went dry during the beginning and end of WY2014, baseflow at the beginning of WY2014 ranged between 0.5 cfs to 4 cfs, increasing from upstream to downstream. Baseflow toward the end of WY 2014 was markedly lower than at the beginning of the monitoring period, and lower than any other time since monitoring began in Fall 2009;
- The Little Truckee River was dry at the gaging station at the beginning of WY 2014 and became dry again at the end of the year in late September, and flow on the Little Truckee River between the Upper and Middle Meadow dropped below

the detection limit of 0.1 cfs (40 gallons per minute) at several times. These extreme low flows were offset by late season flows on Coldstream, which continues to provide a source of late season low flow support; and

 Annual precipitation and runoff volumes were very similar to the previous water year and reflect drought conditions, with three consecutive years of belowaverage precipitation and snowpack.

3.3 Groundwater

Groundwater levels were monitored in piezometers, beginning in July 2009 and continued through WY2014. The piezometers were located (shown in **Figures 2 and 3**) to characterize groundwater response to the plug and pond restoration efforts. Field observations during WY2014 are presented in **Table 11**, including depth to groundwater, specific conductance, water clarity and odor, and qualitative observations. Specific conductance in groundwater over the course of the monitoring period is illustrated in **Figure 25** shows depth to groundwater during the monitoring period.

Restoration activities were carried out during Summer 2009 in the Upper Meadow and Summer 2010 in the Middle Meadow. Limited information is available regarding preproject groundwater levels in the Upper Meadow because most of the piezometers were installed only days before restoration activities began. In the Middle Meadow, however, a full year of groundwater monitoring was completed prior to restoration, allowing for comparison of groundwater levels before and after the restoration period. As outlined in the first annual monitoring report for this study, immediate groundwater level increases in response to restoration ranged from 0 to 6 feet in the Upper Meadow, and 0.5 to 2 feet in the Middle Meadow, depending on location (Shaw, 2010).

3.3.1 Groundwater Conditions in the Upper Meadow

Specific conductance values in piezometers (**Figure 24**) provide an indication of whether shallow groundwater is primarily under the influence of snowmelt and surface runoff, or if slightly deeper groundwater is moving through the meadow at a particular location. Many areas of the meadow exhibit a trend in which specific conductance tends to start off low in the spring (an indication of relatively fresh snowmelt) and rise over the course of the summer and fall (indicating influences of deeper groundwater that has had more contact time in the ground). This rise indicates deeper groundwater support in an area as the summer progresses. In the past, piezometers FS-12 and FS-15 have shown relatively low or steady specific conductance water during much of the monitoring period. With the persistence of drought conditions, however, these areas

appear to be relying more on support from deeper groundwater, with limited influences from surface water. Piezometer 09-05 appears to be fairly disconnected from surface water, with relatively high conductivity. In the period following WY2011, however, this area appeared to receive more support from fresher surface water—a trend that continued for 2 years until WY2014, when conductance again began to rise at this location. Specific conductance in Piezometers 09-02 and 09-03 also reached extremely high levels toward the end of WY2014, also reflecting the limitations on surface water support for the Upper Meadow. Finally, Piezometer FS-12 appears to have been influenced by deeper groundwater prior to restoration activities, with a greater influence from surface water now under current restored conditions.

Groundwater elevations in the Upper Meadow responded similarly to below average precipitation in WY2014 as in previous years (**Figure 25**). Under very dry conditions, groundwater levels again fell to the lowest recorded since the restoration was implemented in many locations. WY2014, Piezometers FS-15, FS-14, fell to levels very similar to WY2012 and WY2013, establishing a hydraulic floor at approximately 2 to 3 feet below the ground surface in these areas.

Some areas, however, experienced different groundwater elevation dynamics over the course of the drought period, apparently due to micro-topographic changes and beaver activity in the vicinity of Piezometers FS-12 and FS13 (see **Figure 2**). Piezometers 09-04 and FS-12 reflect conditions in relic channels where surface flows were reintroduced by restoration activities. During Summer 2012, these areas dried out, apparently due to limitations on surface flow to this area as the result of beaver. Beaver activity was not as extreme in this area during WY2013 and WY2014, such that the relict channels were once again inundated. As a result, Piezometers 09-04 and FS-12 showed very low groundwater levels during Summer 2012, with recovery during WY2013 and WY2014. In contrast, Piezometer FS-13 showed a decrease in groundwater levels in WY2013 and WY2014, presumably a result of the beavers directing flows back toward the relict channels.

3.3.2 Groundwater Conditions in the Middle Meadow

Figure 24 shows specific conductance of groundwater in Middle Meadow piezometers prior to restoration (WY2010) and following restoration activities (WY2011 through WY2014). Piezometer 09-09 exhibited some of the highest specific conductance values both prior to restoration and during the past three years of drought, with the highest recorded specific conductance during the period of record during Summer 2014, indicating that this area is increasingly supported by deeper groundwater discharge in all but the wettest periods. Other piezometers showed increasing reliance on groundwater discharge, including 09-06, 09-10, and 09-11. Piezometer 09-07, on the other hand, showed some of the lowest specific conductance values since restoration took place.

Figure 25 shows depth to groundwater in piezometers located at across the Middle Meadow prior to and after restoration. In areas closer to the channel, as represented by Piezometers 09-06, 09-09, and 09-10, groundwater levels remained consistently high through the summer months. Groundwater elevations reflected in Piezometer 09-06 have increased year to year, highlighting the beaver activity that has taken place in that area following restoration.

Other areas, such as those reflected by Piezometer 09-08 and 09-11 have reflected the increasingly dry conditions with minimum summer groundwater levels falling over the course of the 3-year drought. None of these areas, however, have seen groundwater conditions fall lower than pre-restoration conditions. For example, minimum post-restoration (drought-period) groundwater levels in WY2014 in Piezometers 09-07, 09-08, and 09-10 were up to 2.6 feet higher pre-restoration groundwater minimums and higher than any pre-restoration groundwater maxima.

4. CONCLUSIONS

Five years after plug and pond restoration activities in the Upper Meadow and four years after the Middle Meadow restoration, we observed groundwater levels at Upper and Middle Perazzo Meadows to vary spatially and temporally, in some locations from the year type (i.e., wet, average or dry year), and in other locations due to minor modifications and re-direction of surface flows by beavers. Precipitation and snowpack conditions during WY2014 were below normal for the third straight year. Ongoing stream gaging at inflows and outflows from the three (Upper, Middle, and Lower) Perazzo Meadows showed very similar runoff volumes during WY2014 relative to the previous water year (a drought year).

Stream and groundwater monitoring activities during were temporarily discontinued during WY2014 but automated water level recorders were left in place and data were downloaded. As a result, uncertainty in streamflow data has increased, most notably at Station LTPM (Little Truckee River below Perazzo Meadow). Monitoring is now funded through WY2016 with field activities underway in WY2015. Additional data collected will help develop a sense of year-to-year variability in hydrologic conditions and identify where this variability is dependent on climate, modified conditions in the meadow, or other influences. A better understanding of how individual storms and episodic events affect (and are affected by) the reconfigured meadow systems, and help infer how meadow function may differ in years with different climate and precipitation patterns.

The USGS gaging station below the Sierra Valley Diversion appears to have been discontinued. We recommend that efforts be made to re-establish a gage below this diversion, so that low-flow support to downstream areas can continue to be evaluated, especially in the reaches between the diversion and the confluence with Independence Creek.

5. LIMITATIONS

This report was prepared in general accordance with the accepted standard of practice existing in Northern California at the time the investigation was performed. No other warranties, expressed or implied, are made. It should be recognized that interpretation and evaluation of streamflow records and of subsurface conditions is a difficult and inexact art. Judgment leading to conclusions and recommendations presented above were based on existing information and personnel communications, which in total represent an incomplete picture of the site. More extensive studies, including those recommended above, can reduce some of the uncertainties associated with this study.

Balance Hydrologics has prepared this report for the Truckee River Watershed Council's exclusive use on this particular groundwater and surface water monitoring study. Analyses and information included in this report are intended for use at the watershed scale. Analyses of channels and other water bodies, rocks, earth properties, topography and/or environmental processes are generalized to be useful at the scale of a watershed, both spatially and temporally. Information and interpretations presented in this report should not be applied to specific projects or sites without the expressed written permission of the authors, nor should they be used beyond the particular area to which we have applied them.

This study was conducted to monitor work done by others. Our conclusions and any implied or inferred recommendations are based on a limited range of surface water and groundwater data in a region of relatively complex geology. They are limited to restoration evaluation purposes and should not be used for design or site-specific work. If readers are aware of additional data, observations, conditions, or forthcoming changes to the bases of our decisions, please contact us or the Truckee River Watershed Council at the first opportunity, such that this report may be promptly revised.

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FORMS

Water Year:	2014	
Stream:	Perazzo Creek	
Station:	Above Perazzo Meadows (PCAP)	
County:	Sierra County, California	

Station Location / Watershed Descriptors N 39° 27' 53", W 120° 23' 16" near Truckee, California. Gage is located on west bank.

Along USFS Road 07-030 bridge Land use includes timber harvesting, recreation, and open space Flows are unregulated Drainage area is 6.1 square miles.

Annual Mean Flows Annual mean flow for WY2014 is 7.8 cfs; WY2013 is 13.9 cfs; WY2012 is 14.0 cfs; WY2011 is 37.4 cfs.

Pool Flow	(WV2014)

Date	Time	Gage Ht.	Discharge	Date	Time	Gage Ht.	Discharge
	(24-hr)	(feet)	(cfs)		(24-hr)	(feet)	(cfs)
1/29/2014	N/A	N/A	10				
2/9/2014	N/A	N/A	112				
3/30/2014	1:30	5.64	173				
0.00.2011	1.50	5.04	115				

Form 1. Annual Hydrologic Record, WY2014



Gaging is sponsored by the Truckee River Watershed Council and USFS

				WY 2	014 Daily Mo	ean Flow (cu	bic feet pe	r second)				
DAY	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEPT
1	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.0	3.2	7.1	18.0	27.3	13.9	1.2	0.6	0.1
2	0.7	1.0	0.8	1.0	2.3	7.3	14.3	34.4	13.9	1.1	0.4	0.1
3	0.7	1.1	1.2	1.0	2.1	8.4	14.0	37.6	13.6	1.0	0.3	0.1
4	0.6	1.0	1.6	0.9	2.0	9.0	12.4	34.9	12.8	0.9	1.0	0.1
5	0.6	0.9	3.2	0.9	1.8	11.2	13.3	29.0	12.7	0.8	1.6	0.1
6	0.7	1.0	2.0	0.9	1.7	33.1	14.5	23.8	14.6	0.7	2.6	0.1
7	0.6	0.8	1.5	0.9	1.7	17.2	19.0	19.1	13.0	0.7	1.6	0.1
8	0.7	0.9	1.7	0.9	31.3	13.7	25.9	21.7	11.6	0.7	0.8	0.1
9	0.8	1.0	1.1	0.9	111.4	12.8	38.2	46.8	10.4	0.6	0.6	0.1
10	0.9	1.0	1.1	0.9	40.3	14.5	43.7	29.7	9.1	0.6	0.5	0.1
11	0.8	0.9	1.2	1.1	16.0	12.8	43.4	21.4	7.9	0.6	0.5	0.1
12	0.9	0.8	1.1	1.1	11.0	11.7	44.3	22.9	6.6	0.6	0.5	0.1
13	0.9	1.0	0.9	1.0	13.4	11.2	36.6	28.0	6.0	0.5	0.4	0.1
14	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.9	14.9	10.5	34.3	34.3	5.4	0.4	0.4	0.1
15	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.9	9.8	11.1	39.7	39.7	4.6	0.3	0.4	0.1
16	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.9	8.4	12.8	38.9	37.9	3.9	0.3	0.3	0.1
17	0.9	1.0	0.9	1.0	8.1	15.1	45.6	32.4	4.1	0.3	0.3	0.1
18	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	6.7	14.2	45.4	31.2	3.7	0.5	0.3	0.1
19	0.7	1.2	1.0	1.0	5.7	14.3	41.5	24.2	3.0	0.4	0.3	0.1
20	0.7	2.0	1.0	1.1	5.8	14.5	36.8	20.6	2.7	0.3	0.2	0.1
21	0.7	1.6	1.0	1.2	5.5	15.7	33.5	18.8	2.5	0.6	0.2	0.2
22	0.7	1.1	1.0	1.1	5.3	15.9	27.8	24.5	2.4	0.5	0.2	0.2
23	0.7	0.9	1.0	1.0	5.3	16.1	19.2	26.3	2.1	0.4	0.2	0.1
24	0.7	1.0	1.0	1.0	5.4	17.7	18.6	30.9	2.0	0.5	0.2	0.1
25	0.7	1.0	1.0	1.1	5.5	19.7	19.7	34.0	2.0	0.4	0.2	0.3
26	0.7	1.0	1.1	1.1	6.4	18.8	16.4	31.2	2.4	0.4	0.2	0.3
27	0.7	0.9	1.0	1.1	8.5	17.9	13.3	25.9	2.2	0.6	0.2	0.5
28	1.2	0.9	1.0	1.7	7.3	14.4	12.3	19.3	1.8	0.5	0.1	0.4
29	1.2	0.9	0.9	9.6		15.0	14.4	16.2	1.6	0.6	0.1	0.2
30	1.1	0.9	0.9	8.1		17.2	19.2	15.8	1.4	0.5	0.1	0.2
31	1.1		0.8	3.6		16.4		15.2		0.8	0.1	
MEAN	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.6	12.4	14.4	27.1	27.6	6.5	0.6	0.5	0.1
MAX. DAY	1.2	2.0	3.2	9.6	111.4	33.1	45.6	46.8	14.6	1.2	2.6	0.5
MIN. DAY	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.7	7.1	12.3	15.2	1.4	0.3	0.1	0.1
cfs days	25	31	35	50	347	447	814	855	194	18	15	4
ac-ft	50	61	70	99	688	887	1615	1696	384	36	30	8

Monitor's Comments

Daily mean values are based on 15-minute automated measurements of stage; stage shifts have been applied to account for

changes in sedimentation of the gage over the course of the monitoring program.

. Stage and flow are commonly affected by ice in the winter months; flow during these periods have been estimated from daily mean flows at USGS 10343500 (Sagehen Crk near Truckee CA), and are italicized above

B. Peak flows associated with snow-melt hydrographs commonly occur between April and June; multiple peaks are also common

4. Data are subject to revision, should additional measurement or observer account warrant adjustment of the new rating curve.

Water Year 2014 Totals:									
Mean flow	7.8	(cfs)							
Max. daily flow	111	(cfs)							
Min. daily flow	0.06	(cfs)							
Annual total	2,836	(cfs-days)							
Annual total	5,625	(ac-ft)							

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Water Year:	2014
Stream:	Little Truckee River
Station:	Above Perazzo Meadows (LTAP)
County:	Sierra County, California

Station Location / Watershed Descriptors N 39° 28' 59", W 120° 22' 57" near Truckee, California. Gage is located on south bank approximately 130 feet upstream of USFS Road 07-030 bridge.

Land use includes timber harvesting, recreation, open space, and rural residential.

Streamflow may be affected by Webber Lake (reservoir)

Drainage area is 15.8 square miles.

Annual Mean Flows Annual mean flow for WY2014 is 12.4 cfs, WY2013 (partial) is 24.7 cfs, WY2012 is 27.0 cfs, WY2011 (partial) is 88.5 cfs.

Peak Flows (WY2014)

(feet) 3.08 3.15	(cfs) 74 83	5/3/14 5/6/14	(24-hr) 10:30 10:30	(feet) 3.16 3.82	(cfs) 84 182
3.15					
	83	5/6/14	10:30	3.82	182
3.73	168	5/9/14	22:15	3.11	78
3.70	163				
5.70	105				
	3.70	3.70 163	3.70 163	3.70 163	5.75 100 5.771

Form 2. Annual Hydrologic Record, WY2014



Staff plate and water level recorder were installed on November 18, 2010. Gaging is sponsored by the Truckee River Watershed Council and USFS

WY2014 Daily Mean Flow (cubic feet per second)												
DAY	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEPT
1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	12.5	23.2	53.6	19.6	2.6	1.0	0.0
2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	11.2	19.2	56.9	16.3	2.6	0.9	0.0
3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	11.5	16.0	62.1	13.8	2.5	0.9	0.0
4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	13.6	15.7	52.8	13.0	2.5	1.1	0.0
5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	16.8	16.0	47.1	17	2.4	1.1	0.0
6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	60.5	16.5	101.7	15	2.1	0.9	0.0
7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	48.9	23.8	85.4	13.6	1.9	0.9	0.0
8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.3	31.4	36.4	58.8	12.4	1.8	1.0	0.0
9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.2	26.9	56.0	69.0	11.9	1.7	0.8	0.0
10	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0	33.7	73.3	71.5	10.3	1.7	0.7	0.0
11	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.3	27.7	74.2	63.6	9.9	1.6	0.7	0.0
12	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	19.2	19.6	72.8	56.7	12.3	1.5	0.7	0.0
13	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.7	17.2	57.2	53.4	9.7	1.3	0.5	0.0
14	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	22.6	16.9	52.8	54.3	8.2	1.3	0.5	0.0
15	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	23.4	17.5	52.3	54.2	7.4	1.2	0.5	0.0
16	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	20.1	19.0	50.8	55.1	7.9	1.2	0.5	0.0
17	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.0	23.9	48.1	53.9	10.7	1.3	0.5	0.0
18	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.5	24.5	98.4	49.1	9.8	1.3	0.5	0.0
19	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.3	22.3	85.8	45.9	6.6	1.3	0.5	0.0
20	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0	21.6	104.0	45.6	4.8	1.4	0.5	0.0
21	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0	22.7	87.3	47.1	4.3	1.3	0.5	0.0
22	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.8	23.1	68.6	45.3	4.0	1.1	0.5	0.0
23	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.8	23.0	61.2	43.9	3.7	1.0	0.5	0.0
24	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.7	22.7	54.6	43.2	3.6	0.9	0.5	0.0
25	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0	22.3	56.8	40.9	3.4	0.9	0.5	0.0
26	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0	28.8	59.0	34.5	3.0	0.9	0.5	0.1
27	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.9	26.2	49.6	44.0	2.9	0.9	0.4	0.2
28	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	12.6	22.5	47.9	34.1	2.7	0.9	0.4	0.2
29	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6		31.0	47.8	61.9	2.7	0.9	0.4	0.0
30	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8		31.0	48.8	28.4	2.6	1.0	0.3	0.0
31	0.0		0.0	0.6		24.9		24.0		1.1	0.2	
MEAN	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	8.7	24.4	52	53	8.8	1.5	0.6	0.0
MAX. DAY	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	23.4	60.5	104	102	20	2.6	1.1	0.2
MIN. DAY	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	11.2	15.7	24.0	2.6	0.9	0.2	0.0
cfs days	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	244.4	755	1574	1638	263	46	19.2	0.6
ac-ft	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.1	485	1498	3123	3249	522	92	38.1	1.3

Monitor's Comments

. Daily mean values are based on 15-minute automated measurements of stage; stage shifts have been applied to account for

changes in sedimentation of the gage over the course of the monitoring program. 2. Stage and flow are commonly affected by ice in the winter months;

4. Peak flows associated with snow-melt hydrographs commonly occur between April and June; multiple peaks are also common

Daily mean flows may be affected by operations at Webber Lake (Reservoir)
 Data are subject to revision, should additional measurement or observer account warrant adjustment of the new rating curve.

	Water Yea 4 Totals:	ır
Mean flow	12.4	(cfs)
Max. daily flow	104	(cfs)
Min. daily flow	0.00	(cfs)
Annual total	4,543	(cfs-days)
Annual total	9,011	(ac-ft)

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Water Year:	2014	
Stream:	Little Truckee River	
Station:	Upper Perazzo Meadow (LTUM)	
County:	Sierra County, California	

Station Location / Watershed Descriptors N 39° 29' 10", W 120° 22' 13" near Truckee, California.

Located on east bank, approx. 40 feet downstream from Henness Pass Rd bridge. Subject to ice. Land use includes timber harvesting, recreation, open space, and rural residential Streamflow may be affected by Webber Lake (reservoir) Drainage area is 25.5 square miles

Annual Mean Flow Annual mean flow for WY2014 is 25 cfs, WY2013 is 54 cfs, WY2012 is 45 cfs, WY2011 (partial) is 141 cfs.

Peak Flows (WY2014)

Date	Time	Gage Ht.	Discharge	Date	Time	Gage Ht.	Dischar
	(24-hr)	(feet)	(cfs)		(24-hr)	(feet)	(cfs)
2/9/14	9:30	6.06	123	4/20/14	11:45	6.58	258
3/6/14	18:00	6.02	125	5/6/14	12:00	6.71	279
4/12/14	23:45	6.18	156	5/9/14	21:45	6.24	173
4/18/14	11:15	6.65	275	5/15/14	22:00	6.18	157

Form 3. Annual Hydrologic Record, WY2014



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	WY2014 Daily Mean Flow (cubic feet per second)											
DAY	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEPT
1	0.7	1.7	1.0	1.3	3.5	25.0	43.6	103	44	4.8	1.1	0.7
2	0.7	1.3	0.7	1.2	2.8	24.9	36.6	119	41	4.5	1.1	0.1
3	0.7	1.3	1.4	1.1	2.2	29.6	32.9	131	39	4.1	0.7	0.0
4	0.6	1.3	1.6	1.3	2.4	32.5	32.2	119	36	3.9	1.7	0.1
5	0.6	1.2	1.7	1.0	2.2 1.7	37.2	33.2	107	38	3.5	4.3	0.3
6	0.6	1.1	1.1	1.0		111.1	37.0	168	37	3.2	3.8	0.3
7	0.6	0.9	1.9	0.9	1.7	79.7	49.6	136	38	3.0	3.9	0.2
8	0.7	1.0	2.4	1.0	16.7	52.9	69	102	33.0	2.9	2.6	0.1
9	0.9	1.1	1.7	1.0	90.8	46.4	100	144	30.1	2.8	1.8	0.1
10	0.9	1.3	1.7	1.1	53.5	58.4	128	137	27.0	2.5	1.4	0.1
11	0.9	0.9	1.8	1.6	36.7	48.1	129	112	25.1	2.3	1.3	0.1
12	0.9	0.7	1.5	1.7	27.1	36.6	130	103	24.9	2.1	1.1	0.1
13	1.0	1.0	1.4	1.3	28.9	33.5	115	106	22.3	1.9	1.0	0.1
14	0.9	0.9	1.5	1.2	42.5	33.1	101	115	19.3	1.6	0.9	0.2
15	0.8	1.0	1.4	1.0	39.7	33.6	106	126	17.2	1.6	0.8	0.2
16	1.0	1.1	1.4	1.1	36.1	35.1	107	128	16.1	1.5	0.7	0.2
17	0.9	1.1	1.3	1.1	26.5	43.1	118	120	18.9	2.0	0.6	0.1
18	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.1	20.0	43.7	190	108	18.2	2.0	0.6	0.2
19	0.8	1.2	1.5	1.2	18.3	39.9	170	97	13.8	2.1	0.6	0.2
20	0.8	2.4	1.3	1.2	16.1	39.2	186	91	11.1	2.4	0.6	0.2
21	0.9	2.6	1.2	1.1	14.6	41.4	161	86	9.7	3.1	0.6	0.3
22	0.9	1.4	1.2	1.0	14.1	42.1	130	88	9.3	2.3	0.6	0.2
23	1.0	1.1	1.3	0.9	13.9	42.1	106	91	8.5	1.7	0.5	0.1
24	1.0	1.2	1.2	0.9	13.6	42.1	95	95	8.1	1.5	0.6	0.1
25	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.0	14.0	43.1	104	98	7.6	1.3	0.6	0.4
26	1.0	0.9	1.6	1.0	16.1	50.9	100	90	7.6	1.2	0.7	0.4
27	0.9	0.9	1.6	1.0	29.3	46.6	87	94	7.3	1.1	0.6	1.1
28	1.6	1.1	1.8	1.1	24.8	40.9	81	76	6.6	1.0	0.5	1.1
29	1.7	1.1	1.6	8.2	25.0	56.6	81	63	6.0	1.0	0.4	0.8
30	1.7	1.0	1.4	11.1		56.5	90	55	5.4	1.0	1.4	0.6
31	1.8		1.2	5.4		44.8		50		1.1	1.0	
MEAN	0.9	1.2	1.4	1.8	21.9	44.9	98.3	105.1	20.9	2.3	1.2	0.3
MAX. DAY	1.8	2.6	2.4	11.1	90.8	111.1	190.1	168.2	44.2	4.8	4.3	1.1
MIN. DAY	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.9	1.7	24.9	32.2	50.2	5.4	1.0	0.4	0.03
cfs days	29.4	35.7	44.8	55.9	634.8	1390.7	2949	3259	627	71.0	37.9	8.7
ac-ft	58.4	70.8	88.9	110.9	1259.1	2758.5	5850	6463	1244	140.8	75.2	17.2

Monitor's Comments

I. Daily mean values are based on 15-minute automatd measurements of stage; stage shifts have been applied to account for changes in sedimentation of the gage over the course of the monitoring program.

. Daily mean stage and flow are commonly affected by ice in the winter months; these periods have been adjusted to correct daily mean flow Peak flows associated with snow-melt hydrographs commonly occur between April and June; multiple peaks are also common
 Daily mean flows may be affected by operations at Webber Lake (Reservoir)

Wa	Water Year											
201	2014 Totals:											
Mean flow	25	(cfs)										
Max. daily flow	190	(cfs)										
Min. daily flow	0.03	(cfs)										
Annual total	9,144	(cfs-days)										
Annual total	18,137	(ac-ft)										

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Water Year:	2014
Stream:	Cold Stream
Station:	Above Perazzo Meadows (CSAP)
County:	Nevada County, California

Station Location / Watershed Descriptors N 39° 28' 23", W 120° 20' 30" near Independence Lake, California. Gage is located on east bank . Gage accessed from Cold Stream Meadow Road, approx. 1,000 ft downstream of Lola Trail footbridge Land use includes timber harvesting, recreation, and open space No known regulation or diversions affect flow Drainage area is 3.1 square miles.

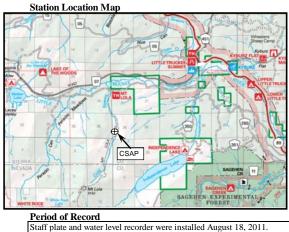
Mean Flow

Mean daily flow for WY 2014 is 2.8 cfs; WY 2013 is 4.2 cfs; WY 2012 was 5.4 cfs; WY 2011 (only a short period of data).

Peak Flows

Date	Time	Gage Ht.	Discharge	Date	Time	Gage Ht.	Discharge
	(24-hr)	(feet)	(cfs)		(24-hr)	(feet)	(cfs)
2/9/14	19:15	3.90	11	4/17/14	20:15	3.91	12
3/30/14	0:00	3.88	11	5/3/14	17:00	3.97	15
				5/16/14	16:30	4.00	15
				5/25/14	19:00	4.03	16
Extreme for pe	eriod of reco	ord, (Aug. 20)	11-Sept. 2013) is 58 cfs on M	ay 16, 2012		

Form 4. Annual Hydrologic Record, WY2014



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				WY 2	014 Daily M	ean Flow (cu	bic feet pe	r second)				
DAY	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEPT
1	1.2	2	1	1.3	2	1.4	1.9	7.7	9.6	2.1	1.1	0.6
2	1.2	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.6	1.3	1.8	9.4	9.4	2.0	1.0	0.6
3	1.1	1.5	1.6	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.7	10.2	9.4	1.9	0.9	0.6
4	1.0	1.7	1.9	1.2	1	1.3	1.6	10.5	9.2	1.8	1.2	0.6
5	1.0	2	3.3	1.1	1	1.4	1.7	10.3	9.2	1.7	1.1	0.6
6	1.1	1.5	3.5	1.2	1.2	2.3	1.8	9.5	9.3	1.6	0.9	0.6
7	1.1	1.2	3.6	1.1	1.1	1.7	2.1	8.8	9.0	1.6	0.8	0.6
8	1.2	1.3	3.5	1.1	1.2	1.7	2.5	8.7	8.6	1.7	0.8	0.6
9	1.3	1.5	1.9	1.1	6.6	1.5	3.3	10.0	8.2	1.5	0.8	0.6
10	1.3	1.3	1.8	1.2	4.3	1.5	4.1	8.7	7.9	1.5	0.8	0.5
11	1.2	1.2	1.7	1.1	2.0	1.5	4.5	8.2	7.4	1.4	0.8	0.5
12	1.2	1.2	1.6	1.2	1.5	1.4	5.2	8.3	6.1	1.5	0.7	0.5
13	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.7	1.6	5.0	8.8	5.6	1.4	0.7	0.5
14	1.2	1.3	1.6	1.2	2.2	1.6	5.1	9.9	5.6	1.3	0.7	0.5
15	1.0	1.4	1.7	1.2	1.9	1.6	5.7	11.7	5.0	1.3	0.7	0.6
16	1.1	1.3	1.6	1.2	1.8	1.6	6.5	12.1	4.5	1.3	0.7	0.5
17	1.1	1.4	1.6	1.2	1.7	1.6	8.2	11.5	4.5	1.8	0.7	0.5
18	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.6	1.7	8.8	11.3	4.2	1.8	0.7	0.6
19	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.8	9.0	10.7	3.7	1.6	0.7	0.6
20	1.2	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.9	8.7	10.1	3.4	1.5	0.7	0.6
21	1.1	1.7	1.3	1.4	1.5	2.0	8.4	9.1	3.3	1.5	0.7	0.6
22	1.1	2	1.3	1.4	1.5	2.0	7.4	9.0	3.2	1.2	0.7	0.6
23	1.1	2	1.4	1.0	1.5	2.0	6.5	9.8	3.0	1.0	0.7	0.5
24	1.1	2	1.3	1.0	1.5	2.2	6.6	11.6	2.9	1.1	0.7	0.4
25	1.1	2	1.3	1.1	1.5	2.3	6.5	13.4	2.9	1.1	0.7	0.6
26	1.1	1.5	1.5	1.2	1.4	2.4	5.7	13.8	2.9	1.1	0.7	0.6
27	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.1	1.5	2.5	5.1	12.7	2.6	1.0	0.7	0.7
28	2	1.4	1.3	1.0	1.5	1.8	5.0	10.9	2.3	1.0	0.6	0.7
29	1.6	1.4	1.2	2.6		5.5	5.3	10.2	2.2	1.0	0.6	0.7
30	2	1	1.3	3.6		5.5	6.1	<u>9.9</u> 9.7	2.3	1.2	0.6	0.6
31	2		1.2	2		1.9		9.7		1.3	0.6	
MEAN	1.2	1.4	1.7	1.4	1.8	2.0	5.1	10.2	5.6	1.4	0.8	0.6
MAX. DAY	1.6	1.7	3.6	3.6	6.6	5.5	9.0	13.8	9.6	2.1	1.2	0.7
MIN. DAY	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.6	7.7	2.2	1.0	0.6	0.4
cfs days	37.4	43.1	53.9	41.9	51.1	61.4	151.9	316.4	167.4	44.6	23.8	17.5
ac-ft	74.1	85.6	106.9	83.1	101.4	121.8	301.2	627.5	332.0	88.4	47.1	34.7

Monitor's Comments	Water Ye	ar 2014 To	tals:
1. Mean daily values are based on 15-minute measurements of stage; several stage shifts have been applied to account for changes	Mean flow	2.8	(cfs)
in sediment scour or fill at the gage over the course of the monitoring program.	Max. daily flow	14	(cfs)
2. Mean daily stage and flow are commonly affected by ice in the winter months; these periods have been adjusted to correct for ice.	Min. daily flow	0.4	(cfs)
3. Italicized font indicates an estimated flow (when affected by ice); and are shown without decimal digits.	Annual tota	1,010	(cfs-days)
4. Data are subject to revision, should additional measurements or observer accounts warrant adjustment of the rating curve.	Annual tota	2.004	(ac-ft)

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Water Year:	2014
Stream:	Little Truckee River
Station:	Middle Perazzo Meadow Outlet (LTPM)
County:	Sierra County, California

Station Location / Watershed Descriptors

N 39° 29' 42", W 120° 20' 7" near Truckee, California. Gage is located on north bank in downstream-

most pond, part of the USFS plug and pond restoration project.

Land use includes timber harvesting, recreation, open space, and rural residential

Flows may be affected by Webber Lake (reservoir)

Drainage area is 32.8 square miles.

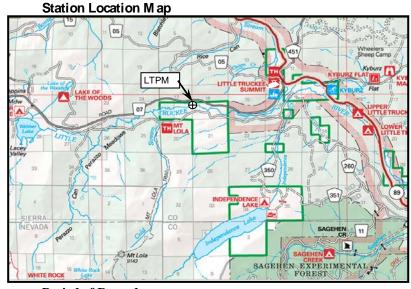
Annual Mean Flows

Annual mean flow for WY2014 is 25.3 cfs; WY2013 is 66.5 cfs, WY2012 is 56.5 cfs, WY2011 is 161.6 cfs.

Peak Flows (WY2014)

Date	Time	Gage Ht.	Discharge	Date	Time	Gage Ht.	Discharge
	(24-hr)	(feet, #3)	(cfs)		(24-hr)	(feet)	(cfs)
1/29/14	22:30	1.63	20				
2/9/14	11:00	1.95	132				
3/6/14	18:45	1.78	115				
4/18/14	15:00	2.12	210				
treme for per	iod of record	1 (WY2010-WY	(2014) is 1,166	ocfs on Decem	ber 2, 2012		

Form 5. Annual Hydrologic Record, WY2014



Period of Record

Staff plate #1 installed Sep 23, 2010. Datalogger installed on Oct 1, 2009.Staff plate #2 installed Sep 28, 2010.Staff plate #3 installed Jun 8, 2011.

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				WY2	014 Daily Me	<u>ean Flow (cu</u>	bic feet per	second)				
DAY	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEPT
1	2.3	3.2	2.9	2.8	5.9	26.2	44.0	94.3	46.7	5.3	4.0	1.7
2	2.5	3.0	2.5	2.8	5.4	26.8	38.7	111.8	43.0	4.8	2.8	1.6
3	2.7	3.2	3.5	2.7	5.1	34.2	36.3	126.2	40.9	4.5	2.2	1.3
4	2.4	3.1	3.5	2.9	5.1	36.6	35.8	117.7	37.9	4.5	5.5	1.0
5	2.5	2.8	3.3	2.7	4.6	37.9	36.3	111.6	38.0	4.2	14.1	0.8
6	2.6	2.9	2.7	2.6	4.2	103.2	41.2	139.4	39.0	3.8	10.9	0.8
7	2.5	2.6	3.4	2.5	3.9	81.7	50.7	135.9	38.5	3.8	7.6	0.6
8	2.6	2.7	4.8	2.6	15.7	54.4	66.0	100.7	34.5	4.4	6.7	0.6
9	2.9	3.0	3.5	2.7	98.8	46.5	88.6	128.2	31.3	4.3	4.2	0.6
10	2.9	3.0	3.5	3.1	60.1	59.0	112.9	135.8	28.2	3.9	3.2	0.6
11	2.6	3.1	3.5	3.7	34.5	52.0	116.0	109.5	25.5	3.7	3.1	0.6
12	2.7	2.7	3.2	4.1	28.5	38.8	113.3	99.0	22.7	3.6	3.1	0.6
13	2.8	3.0	2.9	3.6	31.8	34.5	110.3	100.1	22.7	3.2	2.4	0.5
14	2.8	3.2	3.2	3.4	40.4	33.1	91.2	108.3	19.4	2.8	2.3	0.5
15	2.5	3.3	3.0	3.3	36.5	33.2	99.5	120.7	17.0	2.7	2.0	0.5
16	2.4	2.9	3.0	3.2	32.1	34.7	97.9	124.9	14.6	2.8	1.9	0.7
17	2.4	3.1	2.9	3.2	22.6	41.9	109.6	121.0	16.3	3.3	1.7	0.8
18	2.3	3.0	2.9	3.3	17.5	44.2	157.6	109.8	17.1	7.3	1.4	1.0
19	2.3	3.3	3.3	3.4	15.6	39.8	158.5	103.0	13.3	5.3	1.2	1.0
20	2.3	4.1	3.1	3.4	14.0	38.5	156.0	92.8	10.7	5.7	1.1	0.9
21	2.2	5.0	2.9	3.3	12.8	40.8	155.0	83.9	9.3	9.7	1.2	1.0
22	2.2	3.6	2.9	3.2	12.6	41.1	125.3	81.4	8.8	7.0	1.0	1.1
23	2.3	3.0	3.0	3.0	12.1	41.0	101.3	86.4	8.2	4.6	1.1	0.8
24	2.3	3.0	3.0	3.0	12.1	41.4	93.2	89.5	8.0	3.5	1.1	0.6
25	2.3	3.0	2.9	3.3	12.6	45.7	102.6	94.0	8.1	3.0	1.6	1.4
26	2.4	3.0	3.0	3.3	15.2	51.2	95.5	89.7	8.4	2.6	2.1	2.6
27	2.4	3.0	2.9	3.1	31.1	47.7	84.7	90.5	8.0	2.3	1.6	6.0
28	3.0	3.1	2.9	3.1	26.5	42.5	79.5	78.1	7.3	2.1	1.4	5.7
29	3.0	3.1	2.6	9.1		58.8	77.9	64.5	6.2	2.1	1.2	3.5
30	3.1	3.0	2.5	12.0		60.6	84.3	57.9	5.8	3.0	1.1	2.4
31	3.2		2.4	7.2		48.9		52.8		4.0	1.4	
MEAN	2.6	3.1	3.1	3.7	22.0	45.7	92.0	101.9	21.2	4.1	3.1	1.4
MAX. DAY	3.2	5.0	4.8	12.0	98.8	103.2	158.5	139.4	46.7	9.7	14.1	6.0
MIN. DAY	2.2	2.6	2.4	2.5	3.9	26.2	35.8	52.8	5.8	2.1	1.0	0.5
cfs days	79.3	93.9	95.5	115.6	617.3	1416.9	2759.8	3159.4	635.1	128.0	96.0	42.0
ac-ft	157.2	186.2	189.4	229.3	1224.5	2810.5	5474.0	6266.7	1259.7	253.8	190.5	83.3

. Daily mean values are based on 15-minute automated measurements of stage; stage shifts have been applied to account for

changes in bed conditions or ice build-up at the gage over the course of the monitoring program.

2. Stage and flow are commonly affected by ice in the winter months; these periods have been corrected

Water Year2014 Totals:Mean flow25.3Max. daily flow159Min. daily flow0.5(cfs)

Peak flows associated with snow-melt hydrographs commonly occur between April and June; multiple peaks are also common
 Daily mean flows may be affected by operations at Webber Lake (Reservoir)

5. Data are subject to revision, should additional measurement or observer account warrant adjustment of the new rating curve.

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Annual total	9,239	(cfs-days)
Annual total	18,325	(ac-ft)

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Monitor's Comments

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Water Year:	2014
Stream:	Little Truckee River
Station:	Lower Perazzo Meadow outlet (LTLM)
County:	Nevada County, California

Station Location / Watershed Descriptors

N 39° 29' 39", W 120° 19' 07" near Independence Lake, California. Gage is located on north bank

Gage is accessed from USFS Road 07 (Jackson Meadows Road).

Land use includes timber harvesting, recreation, rural residential, and open space

Flow may be affected by Webber Lake (reservoir)

Drainage area is 34.2 square miles.

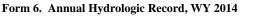
Mean Flow

Mean daily flow (MDQ) for WY2014 is 31 cfs; mean flow for WY2013 was 63 cfs; mean flow for WY2012 was 50 cfs.

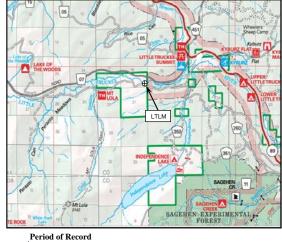
Peak Flows (WY 2014)

Date	Time	Gage Ht.	Discharge	Date	Time	Gage Ht.	Discharge
	(24-hr)	(feet)	(cfs)		(24-hr)	(feet)	(cfs)
1/30/14	23:15	5.17	65				
2/9/14	12:15	6.19	247				
5/6/14	16:30	6.18	243				

Extreme for period of record (Aug. 2011 to Sept 2014): 1,403 cfs on 12/2/2012



Station Location Map



Staff plate and water level recorder were installed August 18, 2011. Gaging is sponsored by the Truckee River Watershed Council

WY 2014 Daily Mean Flow (cubic feet per second)													
DAY	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEPT	
1	3.7	6.8	5.0	4.9	13.8	35.4	56.5	109.5	59.4	6.5	5.7	2.2	
2	3.8	5.9	4.2	4.9	9.6	35.2	47.5	124.0	54.2	5.8	4.9	2.1	
3	3.9	5.8	7.3	5.0	8.9	44.7	43.4	134.6	51.5	5.4	4.7	2.2	
4	3.4	5.4	7.6	5.2	8.7	48.0	42.9	127.6	47.3	5.3	7.7	2.3	
5	3.4	4.7	7.3	4.0	7.9	48.0	42.4	123.5	47.1	4.8	15.2	2.3	
6	3.6	5.3	6.6	4.0	7.3	119.8	48.9	154.5	49.1	4.2	13.2	2.2	
7	3.3	4.2	8.9	4.1	6.8	102.8	61.4	150.8	48.3	4.0	9.8	2.2	
8	3.7	4.5	10.5	4.8	28.5	71.0	81.7	115.8	43.1	4.4	8.4	2.2	
9	4.6	5.0	8.7	4.7	158.8	57.5	103.5	139.2	38.9	4.2	5.9	2.1	
10	4.7	4.7	8.4	5.6	105.0	77.2	127.4	149.9	34.8	3.7	4.9	2.1	
11	4.4	4.5	8.1	7.2	55.3	66.7	131.1	124.5	31.4	3.1	4.5	2.0	
12	4.5	3.8	7.1	7.8	35.6	46.3	127.6	112.9	27.1	3.0	4.2	1.9	
13	5.1	4.6	6.0	6.2	42.4	41.0	125.6	112.9	28.2	2.6	3.3	1.9	
14	4.9	4.6	6.0	5.4	56.3	39.0	107.3	118.9	24.4	2.4	3.5	1.9	
15	4.3	4.8	5.7	4.7	52.7	39.3	114.8	129.0	21.7	2.4	3.3	1.8	
16	4.1	4.2	5.7	4.4	51.6	40.5	112.6	133.8	18.6	2.5	3.2	1.7	
17	4.3	4.6	5.5	4.5	39.0	47.7	122.4	130.5	20.6	3.0	3.1	1.8	
18	4.2	4.7	5.6	4.9	28.6	51.0	172.5	119.6	21.9	6.1	3.0	1.7	
19	4.2	5.6	7.3	4.8	25.1	46.1	175.2	115.5	18.0	4.9	2.9	1.7	
20	4.2	8.0	6.5	4.6	22.9	45.3	170.4	111.2	15.0	5.3	2.9	1.6	
21	4.1	10.2	5.6	4.5	21.3	47.7	171.0	104.7	13.3	8.5	2.9	1.5	
22	4.0	6.8	5.5	4.1	20.3	47.9	140.5	100.6	12.3	6.9	2.8	1.4	
23	4.1	5.2	5.4	3.9	19.3	48.2	118.7	104.9	11.1	4.5	2.9	1.3	
24	4.0	4.9	5.2	4.1	18.7	48.4	109.7	107.2	10.7	3.9	2.8	1.3	
25	4.0	4.9	5.1	4.8	19.1	52.6	121.3	111.2	10.6	3.4	3.1	2.2	
26	4.1	5.2	4.9	4.8	21.9	62.8	115.6	107.5	10.7	3.5	3.1	4.8	
27	4.1	5.3	4.5	4.5	43.2	59.7	104.3	108.0	9.9	3.6	2.5	9.1	
28	6.4	5.6	4.3	4.9	36.3	52.3	99.0	96.7	9.3	3.6	2.3	9.3	
29	6.8	5.5	4.0	21.8		76.9	96.1	82.9	7.9	3.8	2.3	6.2	
30	6.8	5.1	3.9	34.2		82.7	101.0	74.8	7.3	4.9	2.2	4.4	
31	6.9		3.9	16.1		64.0		67.9		5.9	2.3		
MEAN	4.4	5.3	6.1	6.8	34.5	56.3	106.4	116.3	26.8	4.4	4.6	2.7	
MAX. DAY	6.9	10.2	10.5	34.2	158.8	119.8	175.2	154.5	59.4	8.5	15.2	9.3	
MIN. DAY	3.3	3.8	3.9	3.9	6.8	35.2	42.4	67.9	7.3	2.4	2.2	1.3	
cfs days	137.8	160.0	190.3	209.5	964.7	1745.5	3192.4	3604.5	803.8	136.2	143.2	81.4	
ac-ft	273.2	317.4	377.6	415.6	1913.5	3462.2	6332.1	7149.5	1594.3	270.1	284.0	161.4	

Monitor's Comments	Water Year	2014 Totals	:
1. A continuous record of water level was recorded during the water year.	Mean flow	31	(cfs)
2. Stage shifts have been applied to account for changes in sedimentation and blockage by sticks, leaves, or other debris.	Max. daily flow	175	(cfs)
3. Adjustments and estimates were applied to periods heavily affected by ice; shown in italics and with fewer decimal digits.	Min. daily flow	1.3	(cfs)
4. Mean daily values are based on 15-minute measurements.	Annual total	11,369	(cfs-days)
	Annual total	22,551	(ac-ft)

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TABLES

Table 1. Streamflow gaging station summary, Perazzo Meadows, Little Truckee River Wateshed, Sierra County, California

Gage	Gage Code	Location	Elevation	Drainage Area	Instrumentation	Period of Record	Extremes for Period of Record	Peak Discharge for Current Water Year	Remarks
		NAD27	ft above MSL	(mi ²)				(cfs)	
Perrazo Creek above Perazzo Meadow	PCAP	N39° 27' 53", W120° 23' 16"	6,627	6.1	Type C staff plate + Continuous water- level recorder	November 17, 2010 to current water year	248 cfs, April 26, 2012	248	Located in bedrock reach with numerous seeps entering channel at baseflow.
Little Truckee above Perazzo Meadow	LTAP	N39° 28' 59", W120° 22' 57"	6,583	15.8	Type C staff plate + Continuous water- level recorder	November 18, 2010 to current water year	694 cfs, April 26, 2012	694	Located on south bank, approximately 130 feet upstream from USFS road 7-030 bridge; subject to ice
Little Truckee at Upper Perazzo Meadow outlet	LTUM	N39° 29' 10", W120° 22' 13"	6,534	25.5	Type C staff plate + Continuous water- level recorder	November 19, 2010 to current water year	801 cfs, June 29, 2011	752	Located on east bank, approx. 40 feet downstream from Henness Pass Rd bridge; subject to ice
Cold Stream above Perazzo Meadow	CSAP	N39° 28' 23", W120° 20' 30"	7,221	3.1	Type C staff plate + Continuous water- level recorder	August 18, 2011 to current water year	58.4 cfs, May 16, 2012	58.4	Highest elevation station, subject to longer periods of ice and snow; delayer annual peak flow
Little Truckee at Middle Perazzo Meadow outlet	LTPM	N39° 29' 42", W120° 20' 7"	6,463	32.8	Type C staff plate + Continuous water- level recorder	October 2009 to current water year	1,052 cfs, June 6, 2010,	896	Gage relocated on September 28, 2010 and June 8, 2011. Current location is a last pond in Middle Meadow Plug and Pond project.
Little Truckee at Lower Perazzo Meadow outlet	LTLM	N39° 29' 39", W120° 19' 07"	6,459	34.2	Type C staff plate + Continuous water- level recorder	August 18, 2011 to current water year	1,337 cfs, April 26, 2012	1,337	Located below Lower Meadow, north bank

Notes:

1. Webber Lake Reservoir is located on the Little Truckee River above Perazzo Meadows. The Webber Lake outlet includes a rectangular weir with fish screens. Periodic cleaning, installation, and removal of fish screens may affect flows at downstream locations

Water Year	Annual Mean Flow	Maximum Daily Flow	Minimum Daily Flow	Peak Flow	Peak Stage	Date
	(cfs)	(cfs)	(cfs)	(cfs)	(ft)	
1993 (partial)				350	5.86	6/26/1993
1994	23.5	227	1.5	300	5.86	4/19/1994
1995	183.2	1,290	2.2	1,630	8.14	6/27/1995
1996	113.4	1,700	2.3	1,880	9.78	5/16/1996
1997	122.1	2,400	2.1	3,980	12.50	1/2/1997
1998	106.4	602	1.8	697	6.02	6/16/1998
2013	110.0	781	2.04	1,140	4.98	12/2/2012

Table 2. Historical gaging summary, Little Truckee River below Diversion Dam, near Sierraville, CaliforniaUSGS station #10341950, Water Years 1993 to 1998 and 2012 to 2013

Notes:

1. Gaging station was located N 39 29' 29", W120 19' 39", approximately 1.3 miles downstream of Balance gaging station LTLM at 6,380 feet elevation with a drainage area of 36.1 square miles.

2. Little Truckee Diversion Dam is an active diversion, operated by the Sierra Valley Water Company; most flows are affected by diversion.

3. WY1993 partial: June 17 -September 30, 1993

4. This station was re-established by the USGS in the Fall of 2012; data are available through October 20, 2014.

Preliminary and subject to revision

Table 3. Field Observer Log Perazzo Creek above Perazzo Meadow (PCAP), WY2014

Site Conditions				Streamflo	w		Water G	uality Obs	ervations		High-Water Marks		Remarks
Date/Time (observer time)	Observer	Stage	Hydrograph	Measured Discharge	Instrument Used	Estimated Accuracy	Water Temperature	Field Specific Conductance	Adjusted Specific Conductance	Additional sampling?	Estimated stage at staff plate	Inferred dates?	
(mm/dd/yr)		(feet)	(R/F/S/B)	(cfs)	(AA/PY)	(e/g/f/p)	(deg C)	(µmhos/cm)	(at 25 deg C)	(Qbed, etc.)	(feet)	(mm/dd/yr)	
9/16/2013 13:55	bkh	3.92	b —	— 0.26	ру	a/f –	— 14	89	111		4.18	recent T's	Record may reflect many thunderstorms this summer. Water clear w/ many fish. Gage in good condition. Aspen
			-			3.					5.60	4/29/2013	already dropped leaves. Alders still have green leaves.
7/14/2014 10:45	bkh/de/ sf	3.96	b	0.33	ру	g/f	14	58	73		4.54	Spring/Early Summer	Qmeas captured ~95% of total flow. 30+ days since last rain. Difficult to measure velocity in several sections
8/7/2014 12:00	bkh	4.10	f/u	1.26	mmb	g	10	60	83		4.30	prev. night	Water clear, recall seeing "red" cell thunderstorm over watershed last night at ~5pm. Ponding on roads, humid.
8/29/2014 13:00	rw	3.88	u	0.20	ру	f							Velocity not measurable on channel margins though movement was observed.
9/25/2014 9:30	pk	4.02	b	0.13	ру	g							30+ days since last rain. Minor leaf jam at riffle causing stage shift. Cleared leafs at 9:58. Staff read 3.965 after clearing, possibly still falling

Observer Key: (bkh) is Brian Hastings, (de) is Dylan Esmonde, (sf) is Sharon Falvey, (pk) is Peter Kulchawik, (rw) is Randy Westmoreland

Stage: Water level observed at outside staff plate

Hydrograph: Describes stream stage as rising (R), falling (F), steady (S), or baseflow (B)

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High-water mark (HWM): Measured or estimated at location of the staff plate

Specific conductance: Measured in micromhos/cm in field; then adjusted to 25degC by equation (1.8813774452 - [0.050433063928 * field temp] + [0.00058561144042 * field temp^2]) * Field specific conductance

Additional Sampling: Qbed = Bedload, Qss = Suspended sediment, Nutr = nutrients; other symbols as appropriate

Table 4. Field Observer Log

Little Truckee River above Perazzo Meadows (LTAP), WY2014

Site Conditions			Streamflow	/		Water Qu	ality Observa	ations	High-Water	Marks	F
Date/Time (observer time) Observer	Stage (feet)	(R/F/S/B)	(^{sto)} Measured Discharge	(WW/N/MW)	(d/y/g/e) (d/y/g/e) Accuracy	ap Water 60 Temperature	Field Specific Conductance	(at 52 degrad Conductance	(teet) (teet) (teet) (teet) (teet) (teet)	(////inferred dates	
7/14/14 12:15 bkh, USF	. ,	В	1.13	PY	g/f	18.1	41.0	47.0	3.05	Winter baseflow	30+ days since last rain; staff plate vandalize current water surfacerelated to draw down?
8/7/2014 12:45 bkh	1.74	В	0.68	MM	f	14.6	42.0	52.0			Flows elevated in other tributaries from t-stor
9/4/14 13:00 USFS	1.26	В	0.40	PY	f						no comments
9/25/2014 10:35 pk	1.04	В	0.11	PY	g						Water clear, dry period last 20+ days; leaves

Observer Key: (bkh) is Brian Hastings; (ds) is David Shaw, (pk) is Peter Kulchawik, and (USFS)- US Forest Service, Tahoe National Forest, Truckee, CA, various staff

Stage: Water level observed at outside staff plate

Hydrograph: Describes stream stage as rising (R), falling (F), steady (S), or baseflow (B)

Instrument: If measured, typically made using a standard (AA) or pygmy (PY) bucket-wheel ("Price-type") current meter, or Marsh McBurney (MM); can be accompanied with (BB) Bridge-Board at high flows. If estimated, from rating curve (R) or visual (V). Estimated measurement accuracy: Excellent (E) = +/- 2%; Good (G) = +/- 5%; Fair (F) = +/- 9%; Poor (P) = > 10%

High-water mark (HWM): Measured or estimated at location of the staff plate

Specific conductance: Measured in micromhos/cm in field; then adjusted to 25degC by equation (1.8813774452 - [0.050433063928 * field temp] + [0.00058561144042 * field temp^2]) * Field specific conductance

Additional Sampling: Qbed = Bedload, Qss = Suspended sediment, Nutr = nutrients; other symbols as appropriate

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Remarks

ce last rain; staff plate vandalized but intact and functional; many HWMs above surface--related to draw down?

ed in other tributaries from t-storms, but LTAP appears unaffected (Webber Lake)

dry period last 20+ days; leaves beginning to fall, small fish in pool

Table 5. Field Observer Log Little Truckee River below Upper Perazzo Meadow (LTUM), WY2014

Site Conditions				Streamflo	w		Water G	Quality Obs	ervations	High-Wat	er Marks	Remarks
(uun/qq/h/) (observer time)	Observer	Stage (feet)	(R/F/S/B)	(sjo) Discharge	Instrument Used	(d/J/6/e) (d/J/6/e) Accuracy	ap) Water 35 Temperature	Field Specific Conductance	Adjusted Specific Conductance	Estimated stage at staff plate	Inferred dates?	
9/16/13 12:00	bkh	4.46	В	0.20	PY	g/f	13.9	69	86			Abundant algae, cobbles heavily embedded, water slightly green hue; staff plate needs to be reinforced before winter
5/29/14 14:30	ds	5.58	В									Download; staff plate requires maintenance, LTUMa logger was hooked on fencepost
7/14/14 14:00	bkh, USFS	4.58	В	1.52	PY	g	20.5	60	66	5.75	annual peak?	Sunny, hot, water clear, still measureable flow as compared to this time in WY13
8/7/14 11:00	bkh	4.82	В	4.54	PY	g	12	74	98			Sunny, elevated stage from rain previous day; water slightly turbid
9/4/14 11:30	USFS	4.30	В	0.2	PY	р						No comments
9/25/14 12:00	pk	4.41	В	0.1	PY	р						Overcast, windy, rain expected; water mostly clear, past 20+ days were dry

Observer Key: (ds) is David Shaw; (bkh) is Brian Hastings; (USFS)-US Forest Service, Tahoe National Forest, Truckee, CA, various staff

Stage: Water level observed at outside staff plate

Hydrographic Describes stream stage as rising (R), falling (F), steady (S), or baseflow (B) Instrument: If measured, typically made using a standard (AA) or pygmy (PY) bucket-wheel ("Price-type") current meter. ("Other") includes Marsh-McBurney or Flo-Mate meters; If estimated, from rating curve (R) or visual (V).

Estimated measurement accuracy: Excellent (E) = +/- 2%; Good (G) = +/- 5%; Fair (F) = +/- 9%; Poor (P) estimated percent accuracy given

High-water mark (HWM): Measured or estimated at location of the staff plate

Specific conductance: Measured in micromhos/cm in field; then adjusted to 25degC by equation (1.8813774452 - [0.050433063928 * field temp] + [0.00058561144042 * field temp^2]) * Field specific conductance Additional Sampling: Qbed = Bedload, Qss = Suspended sediment, Nutr = nutrients; other symbols as appropriate

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Table 6. Field Observer Log:Cold Stream above Middle Perazzo Meadows (CSAP), water year 2014

Site Conditions	Site Conditions			Streamflo	w		Water G	Water Quality Observations			r Marks	Remarks
Date/Time (observer time)	Observer	Stage	Hydrograph	Measured Discharge	Instrument Used	Estimated Accuracy	Water Temperature	Field Specific Conductance	Adjusted Specific Conductance	Estimated stage at staff plate	Inferred dates?	
(mm/dd/yr)		(feet)	(R/F/S/B)	(cfs)	(AA/PY)	(e/g/f/p)	(deg C)	(µmhos/cm)	(at 25 deg C)	(feet)	(mm/dd/yr)	
9/16/2013 10:28	bkh	3.41	В	0.95	PY	g				5.4	Мау	water clear; free flow over downstream gravel/cobble/woo riffle; nights getting into 30's
5/29/2014 12:45	ds	3.87	R	8.67	PY	f						snow visible in upper watershed, diurnal snowmelt likely; possible scour at downstream end of gage pool
8/7/2014 9:50	bkh	3.54	U	0.85	MM	f	3.8	42	71	3.7	last week	rain over the last 7+ days; water clear and cold; downstream riffle looks mobile
9/25/2014 13:42	pk	3.44	В	0.58	PY	f						wood jam downstream of staff seems the same; good amount of rain today, first in ~30 days

Observer Key: (ds) is David Shaw, (PK) is Peter Kulchawik, (bkh) is Brian Hastings

Stage: Water level observed at outside staff plate

Hydrograph: Describes stream stage as rising (R), falling (F), steady (S), or baseflow (B)

Instrument: If measured, typically made using a standard (AA) or pygmy (PY) bucket-wheel ("Price-type") current meter, (MM) Marsh-McBirney. If estimated, from rating curve (R) or visual (V).

Estimated measurement accuracy: Excellent (E) = +/- 2%; Good (G) = +/- 5%; Fair (F) = +/- 9%; Poor (P) = > 10%

High-water mark (HWM): Measured or estimated at location of the staff plate

Specific conductance: Measured in micromhos/cm in field; then adjusted to 25degC by equation (1.8813774452 - [0.050433063928 * field temp] + [0.00058561144042 * field temp^2]) * Field specific conductance

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Table 7. Field Observer LogLittle Truckee River at Middle Perazzo Meadow Outlet (LTPM), WY2014

Site Conditions				Streamflo	w		Water G	Quality Obs	servations		High-Wate	er Marks	Remarks
(under time) (basever time)	Observer	Stage (feet)	(R/F/S/B)	لالعام) Discharge	Instrument Used	(d/J/6/e) (d/J/6/e) Accuracy	aap) Water () Temperature	Field Specific Conductance	(at 52 deg Conductance	(Qbed, etc.)	Estimated stage at staff plate	Inferred dates?	
9/16/2013 15:15	bkh	1.12	b	1.59	PY	f	15.8	100	121				beavers built dam at gaging pool riffe, stage is artificially elevated, water is cloudy, difficult to see meter at 0.6 depth
5/29/2014 16:30	ds	1.45									1.59	n/a	No Qmeas, download only. No beaver dam present.
7/15/2014 11:00	de/dm	0.48	b	2.95	PY	f					1.60	n/a	
8/7/2014 13:30	bkh	0.70	f/u	6.04	MMB	f	14	87	110		0.80	prev. night	Rain yesterday. "Red" cell over Little Truckee watershed yesterday. Roads are ponded in places. Water slightly turbid. No beaver dams this summer.
8/29/2014 11:00	rw	0.34	b	0.94	PY	g							Flow split by large boulders. Captured 98% of flow. Water slightly turbid. Overcast but no recent precip.
9/4/2014 10:30	dm	0.35	b	0.75	ΡY	f							
9/25/2014 15:30	pk	0.45	r/u	1.41	PY	g							Staff plate read 0.49 after Qmeas. Rain earlier in day. Stage possibly rose 0.04 during Qmeas. LTPMc was hanging 2-3 ft above water. LTPMd in good condition.

Observer Key: (bkh) is Brian Hastings, (ds) is David Shaw, (de) is Dylan Esmonde, (dm) is Dave McComb, (pk) is Peter Kulchawik, (rw) is Randy Westmoreland

Stage: Water level observed at outside staff plate

Hydrograph: Describes stream stage as rising (R), falling (F), steady (S), or baseflow (B)

Instrument: If measured, typically made using a standard (AA) or pygmy (PY) bucket-wheel ("Price-type") current meter. If estimated, from rating curve (R) or visual (V).

Estimated measurement accuracy: Excellent (E) = +/- 2%; Good (G) = +/- 5%; Fair (F) = +/- 9%; Poor (P) = > 10%

High-water mark (HWM): Measured or estimated at location of the staff plate

Specific conductance: Measured in micromhos/cm in field; then adjusted to 25degC by equation (1.8813774452 - [0.050433063928 * field temp] + [0.00058561144042 * field temp^2]) * Field specific conductance

Additional Sampling: Qbed = Bedload, Qss = Suspended sediment, Nutr = nutrients; other symbols as appropriate

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Table 3. Field Observer Log Little Truckee River below Lower Perazzo Meadow (LTLM), WY2014

Site Conditions				Streamfl	ow		S			High-Wate	r Marks	Remarks	
(mun) Date/Time (observer time)	Observer	Stage (feet)	(<i>K/F/S/B</i>)	(sj2) Measured Discharge	Used Used	(d/4/6/a) Estimated	(Sap) Water (S Temperature	Field Specific Conductance	Adjusted Specific Conductance	(<i>dped</i> , <i>etc.</i>)	Estimated stage at staff plate	um/priterred (u/prites ?	
9/16/2013 16:12	bkh	4.09	В	2.31	ΡY	f	18.3	105	121		6.2	4/29/2013	Low flow; beaver dam ~400 feet upstream; many thunderstorms/rain over last 2 weeks
7/15/2014 11:30	de/dm	4.11	В	2.19	ΡY	g/f					5.38	spring	
8/7/2014 14:00	bkh	4.32	F/U	6.85	MMB	g	18.0	94	108		4.40	41857	Water slightly turbid. Gage in good condition. Chance of t- storms today (30%).
9/25/2014 9:30	pk	4.10	В	2.28	ΡY	g							Only one logger. Rain from earlier in day mostly stopped. Water clear. Many pine needles in eddies though don't appear to affect stage.

Observer Key: (bkh) is Brian Hastings, (de) is Dylan Esmonde, (dm) is Dave McComb, (pk) is Peter Kulchawik

Stage: Water level observed at outside staff plate

Hydrograph: Describes stream stage as rising (R), falling (F), steady (S), or baseflow (B) Instrument: If measured, typically made using a Marsh-McBirney (MMB), standard (AA) or pygmy (PY) bucket-wheel ("Price-type") current meter. If estimated, from rating curve (R) or visual (V).

Estimated measurement accuracy: Excellent (E) = +/- 2%; Good (G) = +/- 5%; Fair (F) = +/- 9%; Poor (P) = > 10%

High-water mark (HWM): Measured or estimated at location of the staff plate

Specific conductance: Measured in micromhos/cm in field; then adjusted to 25degC by equation (1.8813774452 - [0.050433063928 * field temp] + [0.00058561144042 * field temp^2]) * Field specific conductance

Additional Sampling: Qbed = Bedload, Qss = Suspended sediment, Nutr = nutrients; other symbols as appropriate

Gaging Station	Gage ID	Drainage Area	Measured Runoff	Estimated Runoff	Unit Runoff	Unit Runoff	
		(mi²)	(acre-feet)	(acre-feet)	(acre-feet/square mile)	(cfs/square mile)	
Perrazo Creek above Upper Perazzo Meadow	ΡΟΔΡ	6.1	5,625		922	2.3	Unregulated perennial tril
Little Truckee above Upper Perazzo Meadow		15.8	9,011		570	1.7	Streamflow is regulated b Meadow
Remaining ungaged contributing area above LTUM		3.6		3,501	973		This area includes lower Perazzo Meadow (~30%) in the meadow
Little Truckee, below Upper Perazzo Meadow	LTUM	25.5	18,137		711	1.8	Outlet to the Upper Pera
Cold Stream, above Middle Perazzo Meadows	USAP	3.1	2,004		646	1.8	Unregulated perennial tril
Remaining ungaged contributing area above LTPM		4.2		-1,816	-432		Lower Cold Stream canyon are likely attributable to u and limited flow measure
Little Truckee, below Middle Perazzo Meadow	LTPM	32.8	18,325		559	1.7	Outlet to the Middle Per discharge rating curve at calculations from the Mid
Remaining ungaged contributing area		1.4		4,226	3,019		See above
Little Truckee, below Lower Perazzo Meadow	LTLM	34.2	22,551		659	1.8	Outlet to the Lower Pera

Table 9. Annual Runoff, Perazzo Meadows, Little Truckee River Watershed, Sierra County, California, water year 2014

Notes:

1. Webber Lake Reservoir is located on the Little Truckee River above LTAP gaging station;

2. Values in *italics* indicate calculated values computed from other data

3. Unit runoff is expressed as cfs/square mile for the annual mean flow

Remarks

tributary to the Upper Perazzo Meadow

d by Webber Lake (reservoir); tributary to the Upper Perazzo

er Perazzo Creek canyon (~70%) and portions of the Upper %); lower estimated unit-runoff may be associated with storage

erazzo Meadow;

tributary to the Middle Perazzo Meadow

nyon and two unnamed perennial tributaries; negative values o uncertainty in the LTPM flow record arising from beaver dams irements during the water year.

Perazzo Meadow; beaver dam construction affected stageat times, likely leading to an underestimate in total annual flow liddle Meadow.

erazzo Meadow (unrestored as of 2014)

Table 10. Snowmelt recession runoff, Perazzo Meadows, Little Truckee River Watershed, Sierra County, CaliforniaMay through September, 2014

Gaging Station	Gage ID	Drainage Area		М	onthly Runoff	Remarks		
			Мау	June	July	August	September	-
		(mi ²)	(acre-feet)	(acre-feet)	(acre-feet)	(acre-feet)	(acre-feet)	
Perrazo Creek abov Upper Perazzo Meado	ΡΕΔΡ	6.1	1,696	384	36	30	8	
Little Truckee abov Upper Perazzo Meado		15.8	3,249	522	92	38	1	Streamflow ceased between September 5-26, 201
Little Truckee, below Upper Perazzo Meadow	LTUM	25.5	6,463	1,244	141	75	17	Includes an ungaged area of 3.6 square miles
Cold Stream, abov Middle Perazzo Meadow		3.1	628	332	88	47	35	Maintained flow through summer
Little Truckee, below Middle Perazzo Meadow	LTPM	32.8	6,267	1,260	254	191	83	Includes an ungaged area of 4.2 square miles
Little Truckee, below Lower Perazzo Meadow	LTLM	34.2	7,150	1,594	270	284	161	Includes an ungaged area of 1.4 square miles

Notes:

Site C	Conditions				Water	Quality Ob	servations	_	Remarks
Date/Time	Observer	(t) Top-of-casing to water	(<i>ti, bgs</i>)	^{tf,} Water Surface Elevation	ී Temperature	ମ) Specific ସୁମୁମ୍ଭ Conductance (at field temp.)	te Specific S Conductance ດື (at 25 °C)	Bailed?	
Piezometer 09-1 - Hea	ad of Upper M	eadow							
Total Depth		ft bgs							
Depth to bottom =) ft btoc							
Total Stickup =		ft above gs							
Elevation =	6567.5								
8/21/09 0:00	ds,bc	6.75	3.79	6563.7					piezometer installed; DTW does not necessarily reflect static water level
9/23/09 17:16	ds	7.1	4.14	6563.3	8.8	66	97		stratified: 122uS at top (82@9.4)
10/23/09 9:43	bc	4.64	1.68	6565.8	7.9	73	108	n	labelled top of casing
12/4/09 12:39	bc	4.60	1.64	6565.8	4.3	62	102	n	water clear, no odor
5/21/10 16:00	ds,rw	3.04	0.08	6567.4	2.8	31	55	••	DTSW=2.83 (several inches deep and flowing), SCTsw=20@2.9C, 35@25
7/19/10 13:45	bc	3.64	0.68	6566.8	11.0	47	65	n	ground is wet
8/23/10 16:40	bc	4.78	1.82	6565.7	12.5	68	90	у	water clear
9/28/10 15:40	bc	4.98	2.02	6565.5	11.0	90	124	'n	water clear, no odor
11/2/10 9:50	ds	3.89	0.93	6566.6	6.1	75	116	n	not stratified; flowing water in depression just NW of piezo; main channel is now SE of piezo, ponds and plugs in original channel; sfc water SCT = 50@25; downloaded datalogger
7/8/11 7:41	ds, bc	2.71	-0.25	6567.7	3.2	16	27	n	top section of pipe buried and unable to recover LL. Filled with s and g, 1" of water on surface
8/11/11 10:40	bc								silted in, no standing water, ground dry
9/12/11 11:25	bc								silted in
10/9/11 0:00	bc								silted in
11/3/11 0:00	ds								unable to locate
12/5/11 0:00	bc								silted in
5/18/12 0:00	bc, ds								silted in
6/15/12 0:00	bc								silted in
7/17/12 0:00	bc								silted in
8/14/12 0:00	bc								silted in
5/2/2014 0:00	bc, ds								silted in
7/29/14 0:00	bc								silted in
9/11/14 0:00	bc								silted in
10/30/14 0:00	bc, ds								silted in

Remarks		servations	Quality Obs	Water				Site Conditions ව			
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							ft bgs		Total Depth		
							ft btoc		Depth to bottom =		
							ft above gs		Total Stickup =		
								6556.8	Elevation =		
piezometer installed; DTW does necessarily reflect					6554.3	2.58	4.34	ds, bc	8/21/09 0:00		
wp230		157	105	8.0	6554.6	2.26	4.02	ds	9/23/09 15:51		
	n	168	107	5.8	6556.2	0.67	2.43	bc	10/23/09 10:03		
water clear, no odor	n	194	112	2.8	6556.3	0.50	2.26	bc	12/4/09 11:45		
		40	24	4.4	6556.5	0.30	2.06	ds, rw	5/21/10 13:30		
		50	33	6.9	6556.3	0.50	2.26	bc	6/12/10 14:10		
	n	74	53	8.3	6555.9	0.96	2.72	bc	7/19/10 12:15		
water clear, no odor	у	150	98	6.6	6555.6	1.21	2.97	bc	8/23/10 15:00		
water clear, no odor	n	176	114	6.3	6555.9	0.92	2.68	bc	9/28/10 16:05		
gradual increase in SC with depth, SC=225 at bott	n	184	110	3.9	6556.3	0.55	2.31	ds	11/2/10 10:20		
water clear, turbid at bottom, no odor, SCT (top) =	y	177	118	7.1	6556.4	0.46	2.22	ds, bc	7/8/11 10:06		
no stratification, wat	n	227	154	8.3	6556.1	0.72	2.48	bc	8/11/11 10:50		
no stratificatio	y	203	137	8.0	6556.2	0.60	2.36	bc	9/12/11 11:30		
water clear	y	206	133	6.6	6556.5	0.37	2.13	bc	10/9/11 11:35		
dry at surface	y	237	142	4.0	6556.3	0.53	2.29	ds	11/3/11 11:00		
	n	201	154	1.7	6556.6	0.28	2.04	bc	12/5/11 11:20		
no stratification	n	148	92	5.1	6556.5	0.37	2.13	ds, bc	5/18/12 10:25		
water clear. SCT (depth) 174.6@3.2, 301.2@25	y	217	133	4.7	6556.2	0.65	2.41	bc	6/15/12 11:00		
couldn't get cap off.	y	217	100	4.7	0000.2	0.00	2.41	bc	7/17/12 0:00		
couldn't get cap off.								bc	8/14/12 0:00		
slightly muddy	у	188	124	7.3	6555.2	1.67	3.43	bc	9/17/12 12:30		
ground is dry, slight strat. SC @ 25 = 210 at depth	n	196	121	5.0	6555.9	0.91	2.67	ds	10/18/12 0:00		
stratified: SC @ $25 = 250$ at depth, 5.5 degC	n	210	135	6.6	6556.3	0.53	2.29	ds, bc	5/24/13 13:40		
stratifie: SC = $53@8.1$, $250@25$ at depth	y	213	131	4.9	6556.1	0.75	2.51	bc	6/20/13 12:30		
no stratification	n	229	162	9.6	6555.8	1.06	2.82	bc	7/24/13 11:00		
stratified: SC = 149@4.5, 247@25		221	139	5.7	6555.6	1.26	3.02	bc	8/30/13 11:55		
no stratification	y n	218	150	8.4	6555.7	1.19	2.95	ds	9/18/13 12:45		
stratified: SC = 153@-1.2, 297@25		76	40	-0.8	6556.4	0.49	2.35	bc, ds	5/2/14 14:00		
not stratified	у У	269	40 165	-0.8 4.6	6555.4	1.47	3.23	bc, us bc	7/29/14 11:35		
clear not stratified	y y	209	151	4.0	6555.0	1.47	3.63	bc	9/11/14 11:30		
stratified: 137.8 @ 1.1,	у У	169	92	4.2 0.9	6556.3	0.52	2.28	bc, ds	10/30/14 14:45		

ct static water level ttom of piezo 44.1@10.2, 62.3@25 ater clear on e th , 252 @ 25

Site Co	onditions				Water	Quality Ob	servations		Remarks
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۵		Top-of-casing to water	Depth to water	Surface ion	Temperature	Specific Conductance (at field temp.)	c Specific 8 Conductance 2 (at 25 °C)		
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Date/Time	Observer	o v V	Dep	Water Sur Elevation	Len	Spe Sor at f	Spe Cor	Bailed?	
	0	(ft)	(ft, bgs)	ft, NGVD/NAVD)	(°C)	(μS/cm)	(at 25 °C)	ш	
Piezometer 09-3 - Low	er Upper Mea	adow, near co	nfluence U	pper Truckee /	Perazzo	Cr			
Total Depth) ft bgs							
Depth to bottom =) ft btoc							
Total Stickup =) ft above gs							
Ground Elevation =	6544.2								
8/21/09 0:00	ds,bc	8.33	6.23	6538.0					piezometer installed; DTW does necessarily reflect
9/23/09 12:50									piezo is filled with sediment to depth 3.52 below toc
10/23/09 11:25	bc	1.7	-0.40	6544.6	7.5	77	117	n	water ponded on ground surface
12/4/09 11:04	bc	1.7	0.40	0044.0	7.5		117		water ponded on surface and frozen solid
				05454	.		4.40		
5/21/10 14:30	ds, rw	0.93	-1.17	6545.4	2.1	83	142	n	water flowing at sfc, SCT(sw) = 18@3C, 31@25; de
6/12/10 15:30	bc	4 4 5	0.05		40.7	101	400		unable to access due to high water
7/19/10 10:40 8/23/10 14:00	bc	1.15 1.49	-0.95 -0.61	6545.2 6544.8	12.7 12.2	101 102	132 136	n	water ponded at sfc
9/28/10 15:00	bc bc	1.49	-0.01	6544.4	12.2	102	130	у	water ponded at sfc; water clear, no odor water ponded at sfc; water clear, no odor
11/2/10 12:48	ds	1.59	-0.21	6544.7	40.7	114	182	n n	water ponded at sic, water clear, no oddi waetr ponded at sic, slightly lower elevation (by 0.1
11/2/10 12.40	43	1.55	-0.01	0044.7	40.7	114	102		downward hydraulic gradient; sfc water SC=64@25
7/8/11 13:13	ds, bc	0.38	-1.73	6545.9	4.5	74	122		depth to SW = .53', SCT (top) = 58.5@11, 80.1@2
8/11/11 10:15	bc	1.57	-0.53	6544.7	9.2	169	243	n	depth to SW = 1.5, water clear, SCT (top) = 107.4
9/12/11 0:00	bc		0.00	001111	0.2	100	210		couldn't find, water on surface 1-4" deep, grasses r
10/9/11 13:00	bc	1.31	-0.79	6545.0	8.00	99.50	146	у	water clear, depth to SW = 1.31
11/3/11 13:30	ds	1.63	-0.47	6544.7	5.00	133.00	212	'n	SCT (sfc) 73@25, 42@3.1
12/5/11 12:46	bc	1.30	-0.80	6545.0	0.8	120		n	
5/18/12 12:25	ds, bc	0.37	-1.74	6545.9	10.4	59	82	n	no stratification, SCT (sfc) 23@10.5, 32.9@25. De
									well than in streams water surface. No cap
6/15/12 10:10	bc	0.91	-1.19	6545.4	10.1	63	88	У	in standing water, water clear.
7/17/12 0:00	bc								couldn't locate, carex waist high, water ponded on s
8/14/12 12:00	bc	1.74	-0.36	6544.6	10.3	94	131	У	muddy, no strat
9/17/12 11:45	bc	2.69	0.59	6543.6	7.9	112	166	У	muddy, well almost dry
10/18/12 0:00	ds	2.96	0.86	6543.3	6.7	108	168		meadow is driest I have seen since initial visit, pre-r
									Little truckee $Q = 0$
5/24/13 12:45	ds, bc	0.60	-1.50	6545.7	7.9	41	60	n	no stratification; water level is ~2' higher on meadow
6/20/13 11:25	bc	0.90	-1.20	6545.4	9.5	47	66	У	minor stratication: SC=53@8.1, 78@25
7/24/13 12:00	bc								could not locate, sedges waist high; standing water
8/30/13 12:00	bc								could not locate, ground is moist, but no standing w
9/18/13 13:45	ds								could not locate; DTW value is estimated based on
5/2/14 14:00	bc, ds	0.78	-1.32	6545.5	7.0	46	68	у	no stratification; surface water @ aprox 1ft
7/29/14 0:00	bc	••••						,	Could not locate
9/11/14 10:45	bc	2.13	0.03	6544.2	5.6	151	252	у	very muddy; not stratified
10/30/14 13:30	bc, ds	1.86	-0.24	6544.4	0.9	117	215	y	no strat, surface water SC
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ct static water level oc; adjacent to constr. Access road

depth to SW = 1.16

0.10') than groundwater impling 25 225 4@10.7, 144.7@25 s really tall

Depth to surface 6.75", water higher in

surface

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C=65.2, @3.1

Site Co	onditions				Water	Quality Ob	servations		Remarks
Date/Time	Observer	(t) Top-of-casing (t) to water	(<i>stit, bater</i>)	t ^t , Water Surface MAN/DAN/Elevation	ී Temperature	ත්) Specific හි Conductance (at field temp.)	ହ୍ଟ Specific ସେ Conductance ୦୦ଁ (at 25 °C)	Bailed?	
Piezometer 09-4 - Nor	th Side lower	upper meado	w, adjacer	nt to volcanic be	drock ou	utcrop			
Total Depth		ft bgs							
Depth to bottom =	10.10) ft btoc							
Total Stickup =	2.76	ift above gs							
Elevation =	6546.2	2 ft							
8/21/09 0:00	ds,bc	6.92	4.16	6542.0					piezometer installed; DTW does necessarily reflect static water level
9/23/09 14:59	ds	7.43	4.67	6541.5	8.7	69	101		wp228; installed levelogger
10/23/09 12:02	bc	3.18	0.42	6545.7	7.1	99	150		
12/4/09 10:32	bc	3.18	0.42	6545.7	1.7	68	122		
5/21/10 17:25	ds, rw	2.23	-0.53	6546.7	3.7	56	95		SCTsfc=23@4.9C, 38@25
6/12/10 16:00	bc								unable to access due to deep water and channels at well
7/19/10 13:15	bc	2.85	0.09	6546.1	11.6	67	90	n	ground saturated but no standing water
8/23/10 17:15	bc				12.0	65	87	у	water clear, no odor
9/28/10 16:50	bc	3.26	0.50	6545.7	9.4	79	113	'n	water clear, no odor
11/2/10 12:10	ds	2.65	-0.11	6546.3	6.8	64	99	n	not stratified; surface water is 76@25
7/8/11 12:05	ds, bc	1.79	-0.97	6547.1	4.2	58	96	у	water clear, depth to SW = 1.78. SCT (top) = 54@7.4, 81.1@25
8/11/11 12:20	bc	2.90	0.14	6546.0	9.0	121	175	'n	ground wet, but no standing water, SCT (top) 99.9@12.7, 130.3@25
9/12/11 12:50	bc	3.03	0.27	6545.9	10.3	85	119	у	no stratification
10/9/11 12:20	bc	2.87	0.11	6546.1	8.0	98	146	y	water clear, no strat
11/3/11 12:50	ds	3.05	0.29	6545.9	6.7	107	165	n	saturated just below SFC, LL time 1250 PC time 1247
12/5/11 12:00	bc	3.09	0.33	6545.8	2.1	111	196	у	
5/18/12 11:00	ds, bc	1.98	-0.78	6546.9	6.2	55	85	n	DTS 1.98'. SCT (depth) 140@1.3, SCT (sfc) 21.6@5.8
6/15/12 11:40	bc	2.62	-0.14	6546.3	8.5	68	100	y	no stratification, water clear, surfrace water at ground level
7/17/12 12:40	bc	3.38	0.62	6545.5	11.9	122	163	y	water slightly muddy. SCT (depth) 142.2@8.7, 200.4@25
8/14/12 13:15	bc	3.98	1.22	6544.9	10.7	180	251	y	SCT (depth) 173.6@7.7, 258.3@25
9/17/12 13:05	bc	5.44	2.68	6543.5	8.4	125	183	y V	slightly muddy. Stream dry, island pools.
10/18/12 16:15	ds	5.57	2.81	6543.4	5.8	152	238	n	LL time = 1632, PC time = 16:31. data downloaded.
5/24/13 14:15	ds, bc	2.61	-0.15	6546.3	9.8	58	82	n	stratified; SC = $255 @ 25$, $4.9 deg C at bottom of well.$
6/20/13 13:15	bc	3.08	0.32	6545.8	8.6	65	94	y	not stratified
7/24/13 11:45	bc	3.07	0.31	6545.9	14.0	127	158	n	stratified; SC = 162@10.3; 226@25 at bottom of well
8/30/13 12:35	bc	3.98	1.22	6544.9	7.9	117	174		no stratification
9/18/13 13:20	ds	4.17	1.41	6544.8	10.5	208	287	y n	minor stratification: SC=215@8.6, 312@25 at bottom of well
5/2/14 15:45	bc, ds	0.78	-1.98	6548.1	7.2	71	110		Stratified: SC=156@0.3, 291@25
7/29/14 12:25		2.86	0.10	6546.1	7.9	149	218	v	clear
9/11/2014 12:10	bc bc	3.7	0.10	6545.2	7.9 4.9	163	218	У	clear; stratified: 206 @ 4.4, 340.1@25
10/30/2014 15:50	bc, ds	2.69	0.94 -0.07	6546.2	4.9 1.2	170	203 310	У	stratified: sc=200 @ 2.2 , 357@ 25
10/30/2014 13:30	00, 05	2.09	-0.07	0040.2	1.2	170	310		Stratined. 30-200 @ 2.2, 307 @ 23

Site C	onditions				Water	Quality Ob:	servations		Remarks
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Date/Time	Observer	(t) Top-of-casing (t) to water	(<i>tt, bg</i>)	t, <i>WMAter</i> Surface (DAW/DAW (DAW/DAC)	ී Temperature	ମ) Specific ସୁମ୍ଚ Conductance (at field temp.)	te: S Conductance ເວີ້ (at 25 °C)	Bailed?	
Piezometer 09-5 - Nor			w, upland	terrace					
Total Depth		i ft bgs							
Depth to bottom =		ft btoc							
Total Stickup =		ft above gs							
Elevation =	6553.8 da ha								nie ze oto v in stelle d
8/21/09 0:00	ds,bc	dry	E 02	0540.0	44.0	4.45	407		piezometer installed
9/23/09 14:46	ds	9.78	5.03	6548.8	11.2	145	197	У	wp227; very little water in bottom of well.
10/23/09 12:12	bc	9.65	4.90	6548.9	9.3	362	517	n	murky brown color, water level near bottom of well
12/4/09 10:18	bc	8.91	4.16	6549.6	6.8	298	459	n	water clear, no odor; capped
6/12/10 15:45	bc	4.77	0.02	6553.8	9.2	174	250	n	
7/19/10 13:05	bc	5.80	1.05	6552.7	10.6	171	237	n	
8/23/10 17:00	bc	7.87	3.12	6550.7	10.1	194	270	У	water clear, no odor
9/28/10 16:40	bc	8.62	3.87	6549.9	9.9	280	393	n	water clear, no odor
11/2/10 11:58	ds da ha	6.18	1.43	6552.4	7.3	96	145	n	stratified: 374@25 at depth
7/8/11 11:48	ds, bc	4.85	0.10	6553.7	7.1	154 112	233	У	water clear, SCT (top) = $127.1@15.4$, $155.7@25$
8/11/11 12:05	bc	5.71	0.96	6552.8	8.6		163	n	SCT (top) = 128.3@12.3, 169@25
9/12/11 12:40 10/9/11 12:10	bc	7.31	2.56	6551.2	10.1	112 756	158	У	water clear, no stratification
	bc	8.23	3.48	6550.3	9.0		1080	У	water clear, no stratification
11/3/11 12:20 12/5/11 11:50	ds	8.33	3.58	6550.2	7.9 5.6	1092 124	1620 197	n	ground is dry, stratified, SCT (top) 250@25
	bc da ba	7.98	3.23	6550.6	5.6			n	
5/18/12 11:35	ds, bc	4.91	0.16	6553.6	8.2	105	154	n	water aleer no etretification
6/15/12 11:50	bc	5.41	0.66	6553.1	8.4	105	152	У	water clear, no stratificaiton
7/17/12 13:00	bc	7.50	2.75	6551.0	7.7	98	147	У	a little clear, no strat
8/14/12 13:25	bc	8.71	3.96	6549.8	7.5	101	152	У	water muddy, no strat
9/17/12 13:15	bc	9.47	4.72	6549.1 6548.8	7.5	127	187	у	muddy
10/18/12 0:00	ds da ha	9.75 5.44	5.00		6.7	107 71	165	n	
5/24/13 14:25 6/20/13 13:30	ds, bc	5.44 6.82	0.69 2.07	6553.1 6551.7	9.4 7.5	70	101 104	n	no stratification
7/24/13 11:50	bc	8.22	2.07 3.47	6550.3	7.5 10.4	70 75		у	no stratification
8/30/13 12:45	bc	0.22 9.26		6549.3	6.6	75 119	105	n	no strauncation
	bc		4.51				184	у	
9/18/13 13:35 5/2/14 16:05	ds bo.do	9.51 4.94	4.76 0.19	6549.0 6553.6	10.5 3.0	127 154	178 264	n	Stratified: 142.6 @ 1.9 255@25
	bc, ds							v	
7/29/04 12:35 9/11/14 12:25	bc bc	8.91 9.39	4.16 4.64	6549.6 6549.1	5.0 6.0	149 151	241 238	У	clear, no strat clear, no strat
9/11/14 12:25	bc, ds	9.39 9.24	4.64 4.49	6549.1 6549.3	0.0 3.7	151	236	у	no strat
10/30/14 10.10	00, 05	3.24	4.43	0043.0	5.7	100	200	У	no oliat

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Site C	onditions				Water	Quality Obs	servations		Remarks
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Date/Time	Observer	Top-of-casing to water	(<i>ti</i> , <i>bgb</i>)	# Mater Surface MAN/DAN/Elevation	ී Temperature	ମ୍ମ Specific ରୁମ୍ନ Conductance (at field temp.)	te) Specific 57 Conductance ດີ (at 25 °C)	Bailed?	
Piezometer 09-6 - S S	ide Middle Me	. /			. ,	ů ,	(0120 0)		
Total Depth		ft bgs		ine, aporean		oreek lan			
Depth to bottom =		ft btoc							
Total Stickup =		ft above gs							
Elevation =	6492.6								
8/27/09 0:00	ds, tb	4.23	0.98	6491.7					piezometer installed; water level not static, but fairly
9/23/09 10:35	ds	4.01	0.76	6553.0	9.3	95	137	у	replaced SCT meter battery just prior to measurem well
10/1/09 9:30	ds,bc	4.00	0.75	6553.0	7.3	82	124	n	downloaded levelogger
10/23/09 12:58	bc	3.69	0.44	6553.3	6.4	82	127	n	water clear, no odor
12/4/09 13:56	bc	3.83	0.58	6553.2	2.8	79	137	n	water clear, no odor
6/11/10 15:00	ds	3.28	0.03	6553.8	4.6	98	160	n	stratified; SCT at water table = 94.4@9.3degC, 135 sfc
7/19/10 9:24	bc	3.47	0.22	6553.6	10.4	116	161	n	
8/23/10 12:35	bc	4.21	0.96	6552.8	8.3	100	148	y	water clear, no odor; cap replaced with loose overs
9/28/10 13:45	bc	3.71	0.46	6553.3	6.4	86	133	n	water clear, no odor
11/2/10 13:43	ds	3.41	0.16	6553.6	5.2	83	131	n	stratified: 88@25 in upper portion of well; water pon evidence of surface flow in willows; downloaded dat
7/8/11 13:50	ds, bc	2.72	-0.53	6554.3	4.8	93	150	у	depth to sw=2.72, SCT (top) = 90.4@12.5, 118@25
8/11/11 9:02	bc	3.25	0.00	6553.8	9.6	83	117	n	no stratification, water clear
9/12/11 9:30	bc	3.61	0.36	6553.4	8.6	112	163	у	water clear, SCT (top) = 95.4@8.6, 126.5@25
10/9/11 13:40	bc	3.32	0.07	6553.7	7.0	108	165	ý	no stratification
11/3/11 14:00	ds	3.44	0.19	6553.6	6.3	103	160	,	minimal stratification
12/5/11 13:35	bc	3.45	0.20	6553.6	2.8	89	154	n	
5/18/12 12:55	ds, bc	2.82	-0.43	6554.2	9.5	117	165	n	in standing water. SCT (depth) 120@1.6
6/6/12 11:28	merced	3.02	-0.23	6554.0					č
6/15/12 9:00	bc	3.20	-0.05	6553.8	6.2	103	161	у	water slightly muddy. SCT (depth) 139.4@4.7, 226.
7/17/12 10:30	bc	3.63	0.38	6553.4	7.5	128	193	ý	no stratification
8/14/12 13:50	bc	3.60	0.35	6553.4	7.5	138	211	y	no strat, water clear
9/17/12 10:55	bc	3.29	0.04	6553.7	6.9	101	155	y	no strat, water slightly muddy
10/18/12 12:58	ds	3.24	-0.01	6553.8	6.9	113	177	n	downloaded
5/24/13 11:35	ds, bc	2.98	-0.27	6554.1	7.7	97	146	n	stratified; SCT = 220@25, 137@5.4 at depth
6/20/13 10:10	bc	3.07	-0.18	6554.0	7.1	91	138	У	wet at surface, bailed water is slightly muddy; stratif
7/24/13 12:45	bc	3.10	-0.15	6553.9	12.5	103	136	n	no stratification
8/30/13 10:05	bc	3.17	-0.08	6553.9	6.2	108	168	У	water clear; stratified: SC = 162@5.4, 259@25
9/18/13 14:05	ds	3.20	-0.05	6553.8	9.4	142	203	n	no stratification; downloaded
5/2/14 12:45	bc, ds	2.91	-0.34	6554.1	5.1	79	127	у	stratified; SC = 171 @ 0.5, 317@ 0.5
7/29/14 13:25	bc	3.40	0.15	6553.6	6.5	167	258	y	no strat; clear
9/11/14 9:25	bc	3.27	0.02	6553.8	3.8	120	202	y	no strat; clear
10/30/14 12:00	bc, ds	3.14	-0.11	6553.9	1.4	105	190	У	clear; stratification: sc = 112 @ 1.0 , 205 @ 25 ; gro

rly stable ment; installed levelloger after bailing

35@25; downloaded DL; saturated at

rsized cap

onded in nearby depressions, datalogger 225

26.9@25

atified: 110@5.9, 173@25

ground moist

Site Co	onditions				Water	Quality Ob:	servations		Remarks	
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Date/Time	Observer	(t) Top-of-casing to water	(<i>tt, bater</i>)	₩ Mater Surface (DAW/DA Elevation	ී Temperature	ମ୍ଚି Specific ସୁସ୍ନ Conductance (at field temp.)	te) Specific 57 Conductance ດຶ (at 25 °C)	Bailed?		
Piezometer 09-7 - S Si	de lower mid	dle meadow		, ,	\ _ /	u /				
Total Depth		ft bgs								
Depth to bottom =		ft btoc								
Total Stickup =		ft above gs								
Elevation =	6472.7									
8/27/09 0:00	ds, tb	7.19	3.45	6469.3	11.2	101	139		coupler driven onto pipe, could not remove, no cap	
9/23/09 11:16	ds	7.01	3.27	6469.5	9.7	102	72	У	SC rises slightly after purcging, ~10uS; water slightly	
10/1/09 11:55	ds,bc	6.97	3.23	6469.5	9.5	81	115		downloaded levellogger; measurement from top of	
10/23/09 14:30	bc	6.50	2.76	6470.0	8.1	73	107		water clear in color, no odor	
12/5/09 10:44	bc	6.38	2.64	6470.1	4.5	68	113	n	water clear, no odor; no cap installed; bird dropping	
6/11/10 16:00	ds	4.23	0.49	6472.3	8.5	95	142	n	temperature stratified, 4.1degC at bottom of well; do	
7/19/10 8:13	bc	5.96	2.22	6470.5	8.3	96	142	n	no cap	
8/23/10 11:20	bc	6.59	2.85	6469.9	8.9	92	133	У	water clear, no odor, replaced cap	
9/28/10 0:00									unable to located piezo	
11/3/10 16:23	ds			6472.7	6.6	119	183		well stickup is broken off, replaced; downloaded and damage.	
7/8/11 16:47	ds, bc				7.2	453	691		SCT (top) 66.5@25	
8/11/11 7:55	bc	4.26	0.52	6472.2	10.9	359	489	n	water clear, SCT (top) = 263.7@12.1, 328.5@25	
9/12/11 8:45	bc	4.05	0.31	6472.4	11.6	110	148	у	no stratification, slightly muddy water	
10/9/11 15:30	bc	3.74	0.00	6472.7	9.2	100	143	y	water clear	
11/3/11 16:00	ds	3.98	0.24	6472.5	5.4	93	149		did now download UC Merced LL, Stickup = 3.5'	
12/5/11 10:00	bc	3.99	0.25	6472.5	2.7	94	163	n	•	
5/18/12 15:15	ds, bc				7.9	126	187	n	levelogger embedded in mud. Removed but is now	
6/6/12 12:22	merced	3.48								
6/15/12 8:10	bc	3.78	0.04	6472.7	8.0	135	200	у	water muddy, no stratification	
7/17/12 9:45	bc	4.66	0.92	6471.8	7.2	106	161	y	muddy, no strat	
8/14/12 15:40	bc	4.57	0.83	6471.9	8.2	111	164	y	very muddy	
9/17/12 10:15	bc	4.22	0.48	6472.3	7.9	102	154	y	water clear, no strat	
10/18/12 14:06	ds	4.08	0.34	6472.4	5.6	89	140	n	downloaded	
5/24/13 10:35	ds, bc	3.55	-0.19	6472.9	5.8	86	135	n	minimal stratification but 4.8 degC at bottom of well	
6/20/13 9:25	bc	4.09	0.35	6472.4	5.2	82	131	у	water clear, with a little turbidity at bottom, no stratifi	
7/24/13 9:00	bc	4.52	0.78	6472.0	10.4	99	138	n	no stratification	
8/30/13 9:25	bc	4.23	0.49	6472.3	6.0	89	140	у	water clear, no strat	
9/18/13 11:15	ds	4.25	0.51	6472.2	9.2	82	119	n	not stratified; downloaded levellogger	
5/2/14 11:00	bc, ds	3.54	-0.20	6472.9	1.6			у	not stratified	
7/29/14 9:40	bc	4.88	1.14	6471.6	6.4	85	132	ý	no strat; muddy	
9/11/14 8:40	bc	4.81	1.07	6471.7	4.5	69	114	y	muddy, no strat	
10/30/14 11:00	bc, ds	4.12	0.38	6472.4	1.3	71	128	y	no strat	

ap installed htly turbid after bailing of inside casing, not coupling

ngs downloaded DL

and removed datalogger to avoid

ow resting on top of mud.

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Site Co	onditions				Water	Quality Ob	servations	_	Remarks
Date/Time	Observer	(t) Top-of-casing to water	(tt, bater (tt, bater)	t ^t , Water Surface (<i>dXNVDND</i> (<i>dXNVDN</i>	ී Temperature	ମ) Specific ସ୍ଥ୍ୟୁର୍ମ (at field temp.)	te Specific 5 Conductance ດຶ (at 25 °C)	Bailed?	
Piezometer 09-8 - Upp	er end middle	e meadow. no					,		
Total Depth		ft bgs							
Depth to bottom =		ft btoc							
Total Stickup =		ft above gs							
Elevation =	6497.4								
8/27/09 0:00	ds,tb	8.53	3.58	6493.8					piezometer installed; not static, fairly steady
9/23/09 16:05	ds	8.42	3.47	6493.9	10.6	115	160	у	wp238; no stratification
10/1/09 9:01	ds,bc	8.41	3.46	6493.9	10.4	97	135	n	
10/23/09 13:20	bc	7.96	3.01	6494.4	9.4	104	149	n	water clear; no odor
12/4/09 13:29	bc	7.82	2.87	6494.5	6.6	93	144	n	water clear no odor; capped
6/12/10 16:30	bc	5.14	0.19	6497.2	9.7	149	209	n	
7/19/10 9:45	bc	7.52	2.57	6494.8	9.4	117	167	n	
8/23/10 13:00	bc	7.03	2.08	6495.3	10.7	101	140	у	water muddy at bottom, next to active construction
9/28/10 14:15	bc	5.50	0.55	6496.8	10.2	98	134	'n	water clear, no odor
11/2/10 14:54	ds	4.97	0.02	6497.4	8.6	140	206		not stratified; no evidence of overland flow at this loo
7/8/11 14:30	ds, bc	4.69	-0.26	6497.6	6.0	104	163	у	SCT (top) = 62.4@12.6, 80.6@25
8/11/11 9:20	bc	5.46	0.51	6496.9	9.6	136	192	'n	SCT (top) = 64.1@10.8, 84.8@25
9/12/11 10:10	bc	5.81	0.86	6496.5	11.0	155	211	у	water clear, no stratification
10/9/11 14:05	bc	5.41	0.46	6496.9	9.1	161	232	'n	couldn't get bailer in deep enough to bail.
11/3/11 14:28	ds	5.95	1.00	6496.4	7.0	127	193	n	meadow dry, UC Merced levelogger pulled and repl
12/5/11 13:45	bc	5.95	1.00	6496.4	3.8	137	231	n	
4/24/12 0:00	ds	4.54	-0.41	6497.8	10.8	158	210		SCT (depth) 113@1.6. SCT (sfc) 53.4@ 15.9, 64.70 levelogger
4/24/12 0:00	ds	4.50	-0.45	6497.8					
5/18/12 13:30	ds, bc	4.71	-0.24	6497.6	6.2	124	194		no stratification
6/6/12 13:27	merced	4.89	-0.06	6497.4	-		-		
6/15/12 9:25	bc	5.23	0.28	6497.1	7.2	136	205	у	slightly muddy, SCT (depth) 127.8@4.9, 208.6
7/17/12 10:55	bc	6.47	1.52	6495.9	7.3	133	200	y	water clear, no strat
8/14/12 14:10	bc	6.80	1.85	6495.5	8.8	127	182	y	no stratification
9/17/12 11:15	bc	6.62	1.67	6495.7	8.5	135	196	y	water clear, no strat
10/18/12 12:20	ds	6.64	1.69	6495.7	7.1	135	206	n	downloaded
5/24/13 11:55	ds, bc	5.29	0.34	6497.0	7.2	53	80	n	stratified: SC = 106.8@6.2, 166@25 at depth
6/20/13 10:35	bc	5.95	1.00	6496.4	6.9	105	161	у	stratified: SC = 112@5.6, 179@25 at depth
7/24/13 13:15	bc	6.79	1.84	6495.5	10.3	142	196	n	
8/30/13 10:35	bc	6.74	1.79	6495.6	7.9	145	216	у	water muddy, no stratification
5/2/14 12:15	bc, ds	5.04	0.09	6497.3	4.9	111	183	y	Stratified: SC 122 @ 1.1, 223 @ 25
7/29/14 14:05	bc	6.99	2.04	6495.3	7.3	122	180	y	no strat; slightly muddy
11/9/14 9:55	bc	7	2.05	6495.3	6.0	122	191	y	no strat; slightly muddy
10/30/14 12:40	bc, ds	6.36	1.41	6496.0	2.8	130	225	y	no strat

location

placed but not downloaded

7@25, new cap installed with

Site C	Conditions				Water	Quality Ob	servations		Remarks
Date/Time	Observer	Top-of-casing to water	(<i>tt, bgs</i>)	# Mater Surface (DAN//DA DA	ි Temperature	ମ) Specific ସ୍ଥ୍ୟୁର୍ମ (at field temp.)	tti Specific ସେ Conductance ପଁ (at 25 °C)	Bailed?	
Piezometer 09-9 - Up	per end middle								
Total Depth		ft bgs							
Depth to bottom =		ft btoc							
Total Stickup =	1.63	ft above gs							
Elevation =	6493.2	ft							
8/29/09 0:00 9/23/09 18:00 10/1/09 8:48	ds,tb ds ds,bc	4.04 3.87	2.42 2.25	6490.8 6491.0	13.6 11.7 11.1	90 162 88	116 216 123	n	piezometer installed; water level not static stratified: 147uS at top (111@12.3); installed levello changed levellogger id to "09-9"; downloaded data
10/23/09 13:12	bc	3.36	1.74	6491.5	9.4	102	145	n n	water clear, no odor
12/4/09 13:22	bc	3.20	1.58	6491.7	4.7	88	143	n	water clear, no odor
6/11/10 14:07	ds	0.20	1.00	010111	9.4	76	108	n	
7/19/10 9:40	bc	3.50	1.88	6491.4	11.8	121	162	n	
8/23/10 13:15	bc	4.47	1.16	6492.1	12.4	94	124	y	water clear, no odor
9/27/10 11:00	ds	2.29	-1.02	6494.3	10.7	103	142	'n	downloaded levellogger
9/28/10 14:10	bc	2.38	-0.93	6494.2	11.2	101	137	n	water clear, no odor
11/2/10 14:27	ds	1.92	-1.39	6494.6	7.1	100	150	n	not stratified, downloaded datalogger, HWM is 0.55
7/8/11 14:14	ds, bc	1.07	-2.24	6495.5	7.8	76	113		depth to SW same as in well. SCT (top) = 69@10.5
8/11/11 9:15	bc	1.86	-1.45	6494.7	12.1	126	167	n	water clear, SCT (top) 144.4@12.7, 185.6@25
9/12/11 9:50	bc	2.11	-1.20	6494.4	12.6	182	238	У	no stratification
10/9/11 13:55	bc	2.08	-1.23	6494.5	9.3	190	270	y	water clear
11/3/11 14:20	ds	2.19	-1.12	6494.4	7.1	173	262		no stratification, meadow surface dry
12/5/11 13:15	bc	2.12	-1.19	6494.4	2.7	144	250	n	
4/24/12 12:57	ds	0.94	-2.37	6495.6	3.4	112	192	n	SCT (depth) 102@.6, SCT (sfc water) 21.4@4.3, 38 Depth to surface water 11.25"
5/18/12 13:20	ds, bc	1.04	-2.27	6495.5	7.7	131	195	n	SCT (sfc) 27@11.3, 36@25. in flowing water, no stu
6/6/12 13:22	merced	1.38	-1.9325	6495.1727					
6/15/12 9:15	bc	1.81	-1.50	6494.7	10.5	147	203	У	no stratification
7/17/12 10:40	bc	2.48	-0.83	6494.1	11.8	206	276	У	water clear, SCT(depth) 204.9@10.1, 285.4@25
8/14/12 14:05	bc	2.58	-0.73	6494.0	12.1	214	283	У	water clear
9/17/12 11:05	bc	2.45	-0.86	6494.1	10.2	192	267	У	no strat, water slightly muddy
10/18/12 11:50	ds	2.32	-0.99	6494.2	7.3	161	242	n	cap is off and missing, SCT at 25 = 234 at bottom, of
5/24/13 11:50	ds, bc	1.76	-1.55	6494.8	9.2	141	202	n	no stratification
6/20/13 10:20	bc	2.20	-1.11	6494.4	9.1	178	256	У	no stratification
7/24/13 13:00	bc	2.58	-0.73	6494.0	13.4	179	230	n	no stratification
8/30/13 10:20	bc	2.35	-0.96	6494.2	8.8	164	238	У	no stratification
9/18/13 14:30	ds	2.54	-0.77	6494.0	11.3	168	227	n	no stratification
5/2/14 12:00	bc, ds	1.58	-1.73	6495.0	3.8	60	100	У	no stratification
7/29/14 13:50	bc	2.63	-0.68	6493.9	8.6	206	301	У	no stratification
9/11/14 10:05 10/30/14 12:25	bc bc, ds	2.32 2.08	-0.99 -1.23	6494.2 6494.5	6.0 0.3	158 143	247 267	у У	no stratification, clear stratification: sc= 153 @ 2.1 , 272@25

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55' above ground surface 0.5, 95.1@25

35@25, downloaded levelogger.

stratification, datalogger downloaded

n, downloaded

Site	Conditions				Water	Quality Ob	servations		Remarks
			_		_		_		
Date/Time	Observer	(1) Top-of-casing (to water	(<i>tt, bgs</i>)	t ^t , ^t Water Surface (DAW/DAB Elevation	ී Temperature	ர்) Specific இதி (at field temp.)	ଛା Specific ସି Conductance ଠି (at 25 °C)	Bailed?	
Piezometer 09-10 -	Lower Middle M	eadow, S side	, opposite	and corral					
Total Depth	6.70) ft bgs							
Depth to bottom =	10.01	ft btoc							
Total Stickup =	3.31	ft above gs							
Elevation =	6477.1	ft							
8/29/09 0:00	ds,tb	5.76	2.45	6474.7	13.2	127	165	n	piezometer installed; water level not static
9/23/09 12:35	ds	5.21	1.90	6475.2	9.0	120	174	У	
10/1/09 11:04	ds,bc	5.11	1.80	6475.3	9.2	103	148	У	
10/23/09 14:47	bc	4.38	1.07	6476.1	7.4	102	154	n	water clear, no odor
12/5/09 10:13	bc	4.40	1.09	6476.1	2.6	91	158	n	water clear, no odor
6/11/10 13:35	ds	3.85	0.54	6476.6	9.5	102	144	n	temp stratified; 5.3 degC at depth
7/19/10 8:30	bc	5.00	1.69	6475.5	11.4	101	136	n	
8/23/10 10:55	bc	5.80	2.49	6474.7	10.4	91	126	У	water clear, no odor
9/28/10 12:00	bc								destroyed by cows
11/3/10 16:00	ds		0.55	6476.6	7.9	75	111	n	well is destroyed, DTW reading is in remnant hole, with gravel; need to replace.
7/8/11 16:20	ds, bc				15.6	25	30	n	knocked over by cows, water .75' deep at well, SCT
8/11/11 8:30	bc							n	ground damp, no standing water
9/12/11 8:20	bc	2.88	-0.43	6477.6	10.7	83	114	у	water clear, brown at bottom, no stratification
10/9/11 15:10	bc	2.88	-0.43	6477.6	7.9	87	129	ý	water clear
11/3/11 15:00	ds	2.93	-0.38	6477.5	6.2	77	120	,	SCT (sfc) 160@25, UC Merced LL pulled but not do bottom due to silt/mud
12/5/11 10:17	bc	2.78	-0.53	6477.7	2.0	90	160	n	
5/18/12 14:55	ds, bc	2.03	-1.28	6478.4	8.7	105	154		SCT (depth) 97.8@6.5, 151.6@25
6/6/12 14:05	merced	2.66	-0.652						
6/15/12 7:50	bc	2.82	-0.49	6477.6	10.4	146	203	у	a little muddy, no odor, no strat
7/17/12 9:25	bc	2.99	-0.32	6477.5	9.7	133	188	y	water clear, no strat
8/14/12 15:20	bc	2.55	-0.76	6477.9	9.6	150	212	y	slightly muddy, no strat
9/17/12 9:55	bc	2.86	-0.45	6477.6	7.6	122	182	y	water clear. SCT at depth = 115.9@7C, 177@25C
10/18/12 11:13	ds	2.95	-0.36	6477.5	4.8	126	207	'n	SCT at bottom = 172@25C. Downloaded
5/24/13 10:20	ds, bc	2.72	-0.59	6477.7	8.1	128	188	n	no stratification
6/20/13 9:00	bc	2.91	-0.40	6477.5	5.9	117	184	у	water clear with some muddy water at very bottom;
7/24/13 8:40	ds	3.08	-0.23	6477.4	11.0	136	186	'n	no stratification
8/30/13 9:05	bc	2.99	-0.32	6477.5	6.2	117	182	у	water clear, no stratification
5/2/14 10:40	bc, ds	2.57	-0.74	6477.9	2.0	122	217	y	no stratification
7/29/14 9:20	bc	3.09	-0.22	6477.4	7.3	146	220	y	no stratification; clear then slightly muddy
9/11/14 8:15	bc	3.05	-0.26	6477.4	4.2	142	236	y	no stratification; clear
10/30/14 10:35	bc, ds	2.88	-0.43	6477.6	0.8	110	203	y	no stratification; clear then muddy at bottom

e, was able to replace stickup, but well

CT is of SW

downloaded, could not get LL back to

5C

m; no stratification

Remarks	_		servations	Quality Obs	water				onditions	Site Co
		Bailed?	ຊີ Specific s Conductance ວິ (at 25 °C)	Specific Conductance (at field temp.)	Temperature	Water Surface Elevation	Depth to water	Top-of-casing to water	Observer	Date/Time
			(at 25 °C)	(µS/cm)	(°C)	ft, NGVD/NAVD)	(ft, bgs)	(ft)	Side lower mic	Piezometer 09-11 - N
						S boundary	w, just N OSP	ft bgs		Total Depth
								ft btoc		Depth to bottom =
								ft above gs		Total Stickup =
									6474.7	Elevation =
piezometer installed, water level not static, still ris	piezometer		267	199	11.9	6467.7	7.05	9.88	ds,tb	8/29/09 0:00
,		у	151	111	10.8	6472.4	2.33	5.16	ds	9/23/2009 12:00
no stratification		,	160	116	10.5	6472.5	2.18	5.01	ds,bc	10/1/2009 11:26
water clear, no odor		n	150	103	8.7	6473.6	1.15	3.98	bc	10/23/2009 15:03
		n	141	81	2.6	6474.3	0.40	3.23	bc	12/5/2009 10:28
water ponded in depressions; downloaded DL; re 211@25 at depth; depth to SW from TOC = 2.65 gradient	n water pond 211@25 at	n	157	140	19.5	6475.2	-0.45	2.38	ds	6/11/2010 12:52
gradion	-	n	137	178	12.8	6473.6	1.09	3.92	bc	7/19/2010 7:50
water clear, 'oily' odor		y	198	148	11.6	6472.4	2.32	5.15	bc	8/23/2010 10:35
water clear, no odor		n	223	157	9.6	6472.7	2.02	4.85	bc	9/28/2010 12:10
ground is moist; no evidence of overland flow; wa SC=164@25, appears to be spring fed from base	n ground is m	n	223	154	9.1	6474.6	0.09	2.92	ds	11/3/2010 15:15
depth to SW = 2.62 . No stratification		у	203	185	20.3	6475.2	-0.53	2.30	ds, bc	7/8/2011 15:51
no stratfication		n	180	135	12.4	6474.0	0.76	3.59	bc	8/11/2011 7:30
water clear, no stratification	y water clear,	У	157	118	11.9	6473.2	1.55	4.38	bc	9/12/2011 8:00
		y	157	113	10.3	6474.3	0.40	3.23	bc	10/9/2011 14:50
no stratification		-	151	99	6.7	6474.4	0.31	3.14	ds	11/3/2011 15:30
	า	n	136	80	3.2	6474.6	0.16	2.99	bc	12/5/2011 10:30
no stratification, datalogger downloaded	n no stratifica	n	121	83	8.4	6475.1	-0.43	2.40	ds, bc	5/18/2012 14:40
						3 6475.0533	-0.34333333	2.49	merced	6/6/2012 13:56
water clear, no odor, no strat	y water clear,	У	134	90	7.6	6474.6	0.15	2.98	bc	6/15/2012 7:35
water clear, no strat		У	146	100	8.6	6473.1	1.63	4.46	bc	7/17/2012 9:10
water clear, no strat		У	159	109	8.7	6472.6	2.14	4.97	bc	8/14/2012 15:05
water clear, no strat	y water clear,	У	176	122	8.6	6472.8	1.92	4.75	bc	9/17/2012 9:40
downloaded	n downloaded	n	196	128	7.1	6473.3	1.42	4.25	ds	10/18/2012 10:50
stratified: SC = 86@5.4, 137@25 at depth	n stratified: S	n	136	91	7.5	6475.0	-0.26	2.57	ds, bc	5/24/2013 10:05
	y	У	131	87	7.3	6473.7	0.98	3.81	bc	6/20/2013 8:40
minor temperature stratification: 9.3 degC at dept	n minor temp	n	177	131	11.3	6472.7	2.01	4.84	bc	7/24/2013 8:20
not stratified	y not stratified	У	181	121	7.5	6472.6	2.07	4.90	bc	8/30/2013 8:45
9.4 degC at bottom, no SCT stratification; downlo	n 9.4 degC at	n	195	141	10.5	6472.8	1.96	4.79	ds	9/18/13 10:30
not stratified	y not stratified	у	176	98	1.8	6474.8	-0.10	2.73	bc, ds	5/2/14 10:20
clear; Stratified: 135 @ 5.0 , 217.8 @25	•	у	221	146	6.9	6472.4	2.34	5.17	bc	7/29/14 9:00
clear, not stratified		у	229	146	6.0	6472.3	2.41	5.24	bc	9/11/14 8:00
clear; Stratified: 128 @ 3.7, 218 @25	v clear; Strati	у	218	124	2.4	6473.6	1.13	3.96	bc, ds	10/30/14 10:10

d-tail hawk; stratified: 131@4.9; , suggests upward vertical hydraulic

ater is flowing swale ~400' N of piezo, e of N hillside alluvial fan

aded levellogger

Remarks		ervations	Quality Obs	Water				onditions	Site C
	Bailed?	ୟ Specific ସ୍ଥ Conductance (୦ଁ (at 25 °C)	ள் Specific இற்ற (at field temp.)	_{ගී} Temperature	^{tf, NG} ANTface (<i>DAN/NAter</i> Surface)	(<i>ti, bgs</i>)	(t) to water	Observer	Date/Time
						w			Piezometer FS-12 - W
							ft bgs		Total Depth
							ft btoc		Depth to bottom =
							ft above gs		Total Stickup1 =
							ft above gs		Total Stickup2 = Elevation =
	n	145	102	9.5	6550.3	3.47	7.14	ds	7/19/09 0:00
stratified: 49 uS/cm at top (37@10.8)	n	122	90	9.9	6552.1	1.63	5.3	ds	9/23/09 16:19
stinky; well seems disturbed and data point is an ou	n	127	85	76			6.98	bc	10/23/09 10:22
water clear, no odor	n	59	36	4.7	6551.8	1.93	5.60	bc	12/4/09 12:18
SCT reading Lerr					6549.7	4.10	7.77	ds, rw	5/21/10 15:30
unable to remove cap								bc	6/12/10 0:00
unable to remove cap								bc	7/19/10 11:55
water light brown; cut cap off well, new stickup = 43'	У	78	59	12.2	6552.8	0.96	4.54	bc	8/23/10 15:35
water clear, no odor	n	90	64	9.7	6553.0	0.74	4.32	bc	9/28/10 15:50
stratified: 112@25 in bottom 1-2" of well; 78@25 in		40	62	6.5	6553.4	0.38	3.96	ds	11/2/10 11:17
water slightly turbid. Depth to $SW = 41"$. SCT (top)	У	79	47	3.6	6551.2	2.60	6.18	ds, bc	7/8/11 11:10
ground wet, but no standing water, no stratification	n	47 57	35	10.4	6553.7	0.07	3.65	bc	8/11/11 11:20
no stratification water clear, no strat	У	57 63	41 42	10.5 8.0	6553.3 6553.4	0.48 0.39	4.06 3.97	bc bc	9/12/11 12:20 10/9/11 11:15
water clear, no strat	У	66	42	5.2	6553.3	0.39	4.01	ds	11/3/11 11:20
	n	64	37	3.3	6553.1	0.72	4.30	bc	12/5/11 11:05
no stratification, water ponded in depression at sfc	n	36	22	4.3	6549.5	4.29	7.87	ds, bc	5/18/12 10:05
water clear, no strat	у	61	45	10.8	6553.1	0.67	4.25	bc	6/15/12 10:40
water clear, no strat	ý	64	48	12.2	6552.8	1.01	4.59	bc	7/17/12 11:50
slightly muddy, SCT (depth) 65.4@11, 89.8@25	У	95	75	13.8	6552.8	1.02	4.60	bc	8/14/12 12:25
water clear	У	95	69	11.0	6552.7	1.05	4.63	bc	9/17/12 12:10
not stratified	n	105	71	8.0	6552.8	0.99	4.57	ds	10/18/12 12:00
not stratified	n	44	30	8.5	6549.5	4.30	7.88	ds, bc	5/24/13 13:30
water clearn, not stratified	У	56	41	10.8	6553.0	0.74	4.32	bc	6/20/13 12:00
no stratification	n	73	61	16.1	6552.9	0.92	4.50	bc	7/24/13 10:40
water clear, no strat	У	94	67	9.9	6552.8	1.02	4.60	bc	8/30/13 11:35
not stratified	n	94 59	71	12.3	6552.7	1.03	4.61	ds ba da	9/18/13 12:15
not stratified not stratified, clear	у У	58 97	33 69	2.5 10.3	6553.3 6552.6	0.43 1.17	4.01 4.75	bc, ds bc	5/2/14 14:20 7/29/14 11:15
not stratified, clear	у У	97 118	82	9.4	6552.6	1.17	4.75	bc	9/11/14 11:10
not statiliou, oloui	у У	113	67	9.4 4.1	6552.9	0.85	4.43	bc, ds	10/30/14 14:10

outlier, omitted from the record

43" (see 'Total Stickup2)

in adjacent pond p) = 19.1@3.8, 31.9@25 on

Remarks		ervations	Quality Obs	Water				onditions	Site C
	Bailed?	ୟ Specific ସ୍ଥ Conductance (୦ଁ (at 25 °C)	ரி Specific (at field temp.)	ී Temperature	t ^t Water Surface Elevation	(ft, bgs)	Top-of-casing to water	Observer	Date/Time
			<i>u</i> 7	\ /	, ,		Upper Mead	ast (right) side	Piezometer FS-13 - E
							ft bgs		Total Depth
							ft btoc		Depth to bottom =
							ft above gs	3.25	Total Stickup =
							ft	6555.2	Elevation =
stratified: 75 uS/cm at top of water table	n	145	102	8.4	6552.8	2.44	5.69	ds	7/19/09 0:00
stratified: 62 uS/cm at top of water table; installed	у	152	104	8.2	6553.6	1.63	4.88	ds	9/23/09 16:04
labeled well; standing water at base of well frozen	n	63	41	6.5	6555.4	-0.16	3.09	bc bc	10/23/09 10:14 12/4/09 12:09
1" water on sfc, SCTsfc same as piezo; checked water ponded on sfc water flowing at sfc; downloaded LL	n n	39 38	24 26	4.4 7.0	6551.0 6554.9 6556.0	4.24 0.34 -0.72	7.49 3.59 2.53	ds, rw bc ds	5/21/10 14:20 6/12/10 14:40 6/16/10 12:30
water ponded on sfc	n	46	30	11.7	6555.8	-0.59	2.66	bc	7/19/10 11:55
ground wet, no standing water; water brown, no	y	216	177	15.4	6555.0	0.29	3.54	bc	8/23/10 15:45
water clear, no odor	n	207	151	10.8	6555.0	0.23	3.48	bc	9/28/10 15:55
conductance same as sfc water ponded at base datalogger	y	67	40	4.1	6555.5	-0.25	3.00	ds	11/2/10 11:00
water clear, turbid at bottom, cut off stuck cap, in SCT (top) = 18.1@4.9, 29.3@25	у	28	17	4.2	6551.6	3.61	6.86	ds, bc	7/8/11 10:45
depth to SW = $2.65'$, no stratification	n	37	27	11.3	6555.8	-0.60	2.65	bc	8/11/11 11:30
ground wet, no stratification		63	50	14.7	6555.6	-0.40	2.85	bc	9/12/11 12:15
water slightly muddy, depth to SW = $2.75'$	у	63	44	8.6	6555.7	-0.50	2.75	bc	10/9/11 11:25
file downloaded, cap missing	y	67	38	2.4	6555.7	-0.47	2.78	ds	11/3/11 11:10
frozen depth to ice					6555.9	-0.61	2.64	bc	12/5/11 11:15
depth to surface 29.375", water flowing on surface	n	36	21	3.8	6556.0	-0.80	2.45	ds, bc	5/18/12 10:10
in standing water. 2.48' to surface water	у	43	30	9.6	6555.9	-0.64	2.61	bc	6/15/12 10:45
water clear, no strat	y	180	137	12.5	6555.2	0.09	3.34	bc	7/17/12 11:55
light brown, no strat	y	189	143	12.5	6555.1	0.16	3.41	bc	8/14/12 12:35
slightly muddy	ý	208	152	10.4	6555.0	0.29	3.54	bc	9/17/12 12:20
not stratified, downloaded	-	208	141	7.8	6555.1	0.14	3.39	ds	10/18/12 0:00
not stratified	n	34	22	7.0	6555.9	-0.66	2.59	ds, bc	5/24/13 13:30
water muddy, not stratified, ponded at surface	У	48	35	10.1	6555.8	-0.52	2.73	bc	6/20/13 12:10
not stratified	n	190	146	12.9	6555.2	0.09	3.34	bc	7/24/13 10:45
not stratified	у	198	131	7.3	6555.0	0.20	3.45	bc	8/30/13 11:45
slightly stratified at bottom: SC=154@5.8, 218@	n	193	136	9.6	6555.0	0.22	3.47	ds	9/18/13 12:20
not stratified	у	41	26	5.4	6555.9	-0.67	2.58	bc, ds	5/2/14 14:25
slightly muddy; stratified: 123 @ 7.6, 184.4 @25	y	174	118	8.1	6555.0	0.27	3.52	bc	7/29/2014 11:25
slightly muddy	у	185	116	5.4	6554.8	0.42	3.67	bc	9/11/2014 11:20
Stratified: sc= 152 @ 3.4 , 261 @ 25	y	204	115	2.2	6555.2	0.01	3.26	bc, ds	10/30/2014 14:30

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of well 0-3" deep; downloaded

a 3-4" standing water and needs cap.

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Remark		ervations	Quality Obs	Water		Site Conditions						
	Bailed?	ୟ Specific ସେ Conductance ଠି (at 25 °C)	ന് Specific ഗ്രാവuctance (at field temp.)	ී Temperature	t, NGVD/NATER # NGVD/NAVD	(<i>tt, bgs</i>)	(tt) Top-of-casing to water	Observer	Date/Time			
		· · · · · ·			,		Upper Meado	est (left) side	Piezometer FS-14 - W			
				.,		,	ft bgs		Total Depth			
							ft btoc		Depth to bottom =			
							ft above gs		Total Stickup =			
								6553.8	Elevation =			
	n	671	471	9.5	6549.0	4.84	7.64	ds	7/19/09 0:00			
stratified: 412 uS at bottom (413@9.6); smells	У	580	413	9.6	6549.6	4.25	7.05	ds	9/23/09 16:33			
levelogger installed	-											
water clear, no odor; data point is an outlier, or	n	60	41	8.3			4.50	bc	10/23/09 10:37			
water clear, no odor, no cap	n	104	63	4.5	6548.7	5.13	7.93	bc	12/4/09 11:21			
no cap		36	23	6.5	6549.6	4.22	7.02	bc	6/12/10 15:00			
no cap	n	50	36	10.7	6552.3	1.53	4.33	bc	7/19/10 11:40			
water clear, no odor, replaced cap	y	79	59	11.8	6551.9	1.90	4.7	bc	8/23/10 15:15			
water clear, no odor	n	99	72	10.8	6552.0	1.88	4.68	bc	9/28/10 16:25			
terrace is now surrounded by remnant channe be 2-4' higher than meadow/floodplain; this pie surface flow and restoration activities than othe		102	68	7.6	6552.3	1.51	4.31	ds	11/2/10 10:45			
water clear, needs pvc cap. SCT (top) = 54@1	у	177	113	6.2	6552.7	1.09	3.89	ds, bc	7/8/11 10:25			
SCT (top)= 52.3@9.2, 74.8@25	n	73	50	8.1	6552.5	1.37	4.17	bc	8/11/11 11:05			
a little sediment in water (light tan), no stratifica	у	100	70	9.3	6552.3	1.58	4.38	bc	9/12/11 11:45			
water clear	ý	118	81	8.7	6552.4	1.45	4.25	bc	10/9/11 11:50			
beaver dam u/s, stratified 8" below sfc, SCT (d	y	62	40	6.1	6552.3	1.58	4.38	ds	11/3/11 11:35			
	'n	125	75	4.0	6552.2	1.62	4.42	bc	12/5/11 11:30			
dry ground, missing cap	n	128	73	2.4	6552.6	1.22	4.02	ds, bc	5/18/12 10:40			
no strat, water clear/slightly muddy	у	114	71	5.6	6552.3	1.52	4.32	bc	6/15/12 11:15			
water clear, no strat	ý	102	65	6.2	6551.7	2.09	4.89	bc	7/17/12 12:20			
water clear, no strat	y	122	80	7.5	6551.5	2.29	5.09	bc	8/14/12 12:55			
water clear	у	97	65	7.7	6551.3	2.52	5.32	bc	9/17/12 12:45			
minimal strat, SCT at bottom = 110@25C	n	100	65	6.4	6551.6	2.25	5.05	ds	10/18/12 0:00			
stratification: 107@6, 168@25 at depth	n	106	72	8.4	6552.2	1.65	4.45	ds	5/24/13 13:30			
no stratification	у	138	90	6.6	6551.9	1.89	4.69	bc	6/20/13 12:40			
no stratification	n	133	97	10.6	6551.7	2.16	4.96	bc	7/24/13 11:10			
water clear, no strat	у	122	79	6.4	6551.5	2.32	5.12	bc	8/30/13 12:10			
not stratified; willows have dropped leaves	n	95	68	9.8	6551.4	2.45	5.25	ds	9/18/13 13:00			
Stratified, 62.4@ 0.3, 116@25	У	89	49	1.8	6552.6	1.26	4.06	bc, ds	5/2/14 14:55			
clear to slightly muddy; no strat	У	138	89	6.4	6551.5	2.33	5.13	bc	7/29/14 11:50			
muddy; no stratification	У	131	85	6.6	6551.3	2.57	5.37	bc	9/11/14 11:50			
no strat	у	162	96	3.6	6551.9	1.97	4.77	bc, ds	10/30/14 15:05			

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vith flowing sw; terrace sfc appears to probably better reflects changes from w-influenced areas.

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h) 86.6@6.9, 132@25

Site Co	onditions				Water	Quality Obs	servations	_	Remarks
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Date/Time	Observer	(t) Top-of-casing (to water	(<i>tt, bgd</i>)	t ^t , Water Surface MAN/DAN/Elevation	ී Temperature	ກີ Specific ເຊິ່ງ Conductance (at field temp.)	te) Specific 57 Conductance ດົ (at 25 °C)	Bailed?	
Piezometer FS-15 - Up	oper Meadow	, Immediately o	downstrea	m of bedrock rea	ach				
Total Depth		2 ft bgs							
Depth to bottom =		2 ft btoc							
Total Stickup =) ft above gs							
Elevation =	6548.3	3 ft							
7/19/09 0:00 9/23/09 15:20	ds ds	7.58	5.38	6542.9					not measured (locking cap) wp229 unable to get SC reading due to mud at bott recorder
10/23/09 11:04	bc	4.04	1.84	6546.5	9.6	54	79		water clear, no odor; added label
12/4/09 10:47	bc	3.88	1.68	6546.6	6.7	53	83	n	water clear, no odor;
6/12/10 15:15	bc	3.74	1.54	6546.8	4.7	43	70	n	
7/19/10 11:07	bc	3.93	1.73	6546.6	9.9	53	74	n	
8/23/10 14:30	bc	4.13	1.33	6547.0	14.6	59	73	у	clear on top, brown on bottom, no odor
9/28/10 15:10	bc	4.05	1.25	6547.0	12.7	63	83	n	water clear, no odor
7/8/11 12:35	ds, bc	3.46	0.66	6547.6	5.8	44	70	у	very turbid water with no odor. Cap stuck so cut off 44.8@7.2, 67.2@25
8/11/11 12:45	bc	3.58	0.78	6547.5	9.2	57	82	n	SCT (top) = 57.1@11.7, 76.8@25
9/12/11 13:00	bc	4.08	1.28	6547.0	11.4	62	84	У	water brown, no stratification
10/9/11 12:30	bc	3.39	0.59	6547.7	11.7	50	67	У	water clear
11/3/11 13:00	ds	3.9	1.10	6547.2	9.1	50	71	n	ground dry, not stratified
12/5/11 12:10	bc	3.92	1.12	6547.18	6.1	44	69	n	
5/18/12 10:50	ds, bc	3.4	0.60	6547.70	3.0	58	101	n	missing cap, SCT (depth) 430@2.2, 750@25.
6/15/12 11:30	bc	3.74	0.94	6547.36	5.5	69	110	У	medium muddy. SCT (depth) 98.1@4.9, 159.8@25
7/17/12 12:30	bc	4.56	1.76	6546.54	9.5	92	130	У	water muddy, no strat
8/14/12 13:05	bc	5.02	2.22	6546.08	10.8	105	146	У	very muddy, no strat
9/17/12 13:00 10/18/12 0:00	bc ds	5.61 5.03	2.81 2.99	6545.49 6545.31	11.3 10.6	92 84	125 115	у	muddy, well just about dry
5/24/13 14:05	ds, bc	3.91	2.99	6546.43	8.2	84 65	96	n n	not stratified, PVC broken, stickup = 24.5" on N side stratified: SC=75@6.3, 117@25
6/20/13 13:00	bc	4.08	2.04	6546.26	10.2	65	90 89	y	no stratification
7/24/13 11:30	bc	4.54	2.50	6545.80	14.8	103	127	y n	no stratification
8/30/13 12:25	bc	5.07	3.03	6545.27	12.4	107	135	y	water muddy, no strat
9/18/13 13:20	ds	4.92	2.88	6545.42	15.3	103	126	n	some of the transplanted willows still have leaves
5/2/14 15:20	bc, ds	3.71	1.67	6546.63	1.4	67	121	у	Stratified SC: 84 @ 0.9, 154 @ 25
7/29/14 12:15	bc	4.58	2.54	6545.76	11.4	108	147	ý	clear; no strat
9/11/14 12:00	bc	5.2	3.16	6545.14	10.9	114	153	ý	muddy
10/30/14 15:30	bc, ds	3.86	1.82	6546.48	6.4	72	111	y	no stratification

ottom; equipped with FS water level

off top, took off 1.875". SCT (top) =

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Site Con	ditions			Water	Quality Obs	servations	_	Remarks	
Date/Time	Observer	()), Top-of-casing (to water	(<i>tt, bgs</i>)	t ^t , WAter Surface MAN/MAter Surface (DAW/Plevation	ී Temperature	ர்) Specific ஜி Conductance (at field temp.)	ଛ Specific ସେ Conductance ପ୍ର (at 25 °C)	Bailed?	

Notes:

1) ds is David Shaw (Balance); bc is Beth Christman (Truckee River Watershed Council); rw is Randy Westmoreland (USFS); tb is Travis Bagget (Balance)

2) NR is not recorded, -- is not applicable

3) Water surface elevations are based on ground surface elevations indicated on high-resolution digital elevation models (DEM) provided by the USFS Tahoe National Forest Sierraville Ranger District.

4) btoc=below top of casing; bgs=below ground surface

Specific conductance: Measured in micromhos/cm in field using a YSI30 hand-held meter; then adjusted to 25degC by equation (1.8813774452 - [0.050433063928 * field temp] + [0.00058561144042 * field temp^2]) * Field specific conductance

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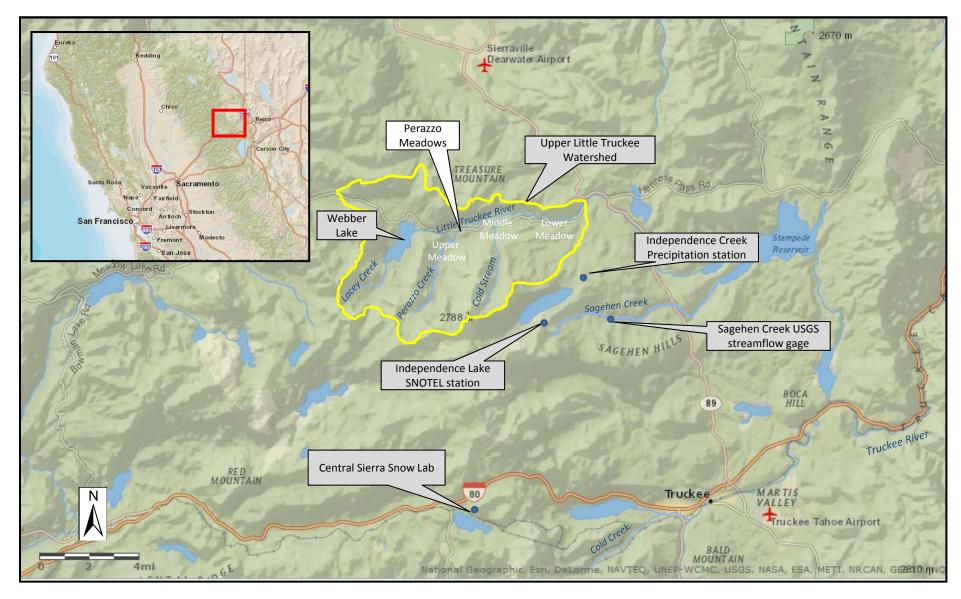




Figure 1. Perazzo Meadows, Sierra County, California

Perazzo Meadows is part of the Upper Little Truckee watershed, in the headwaters of the Truckee River. Other locations discussed in this report are identified on this map.

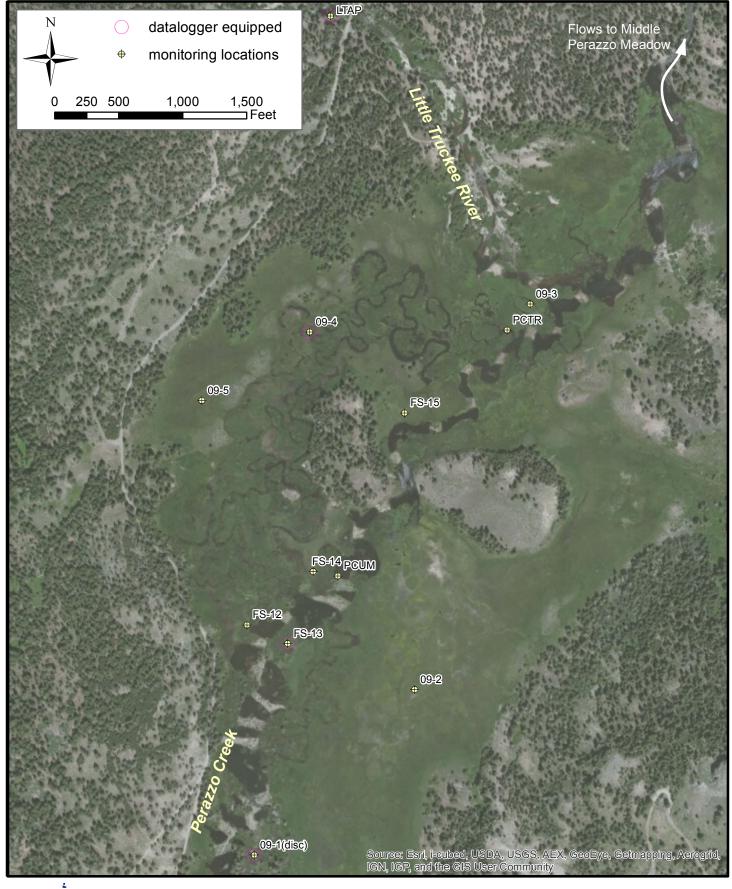
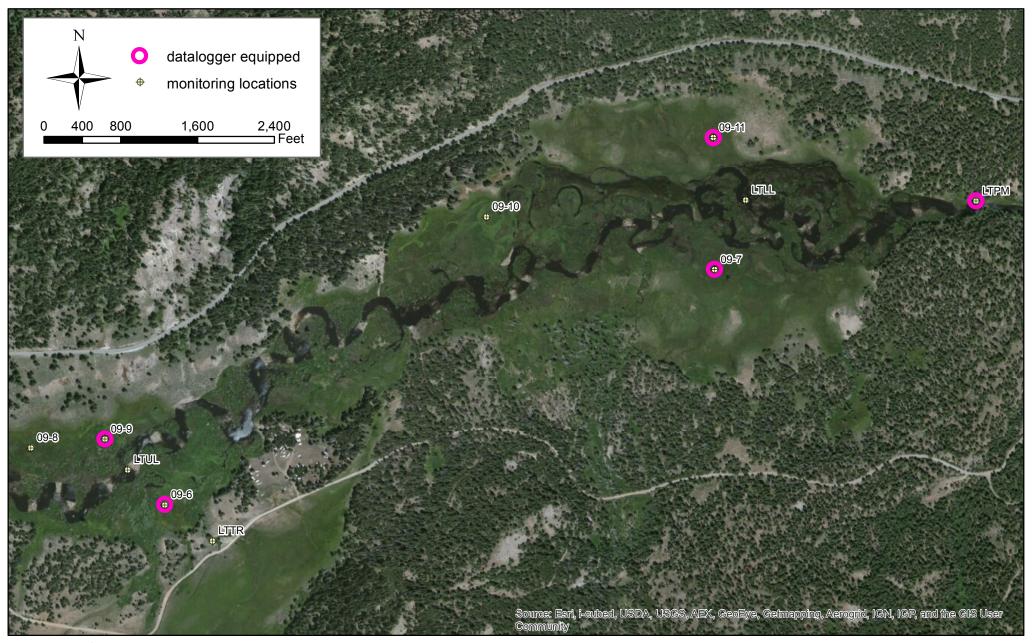




Figure 2. Location of groundwater and surface water monitoring stations Upper Perazzo Meadow, Sierra County, California



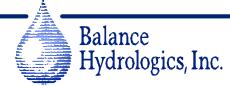
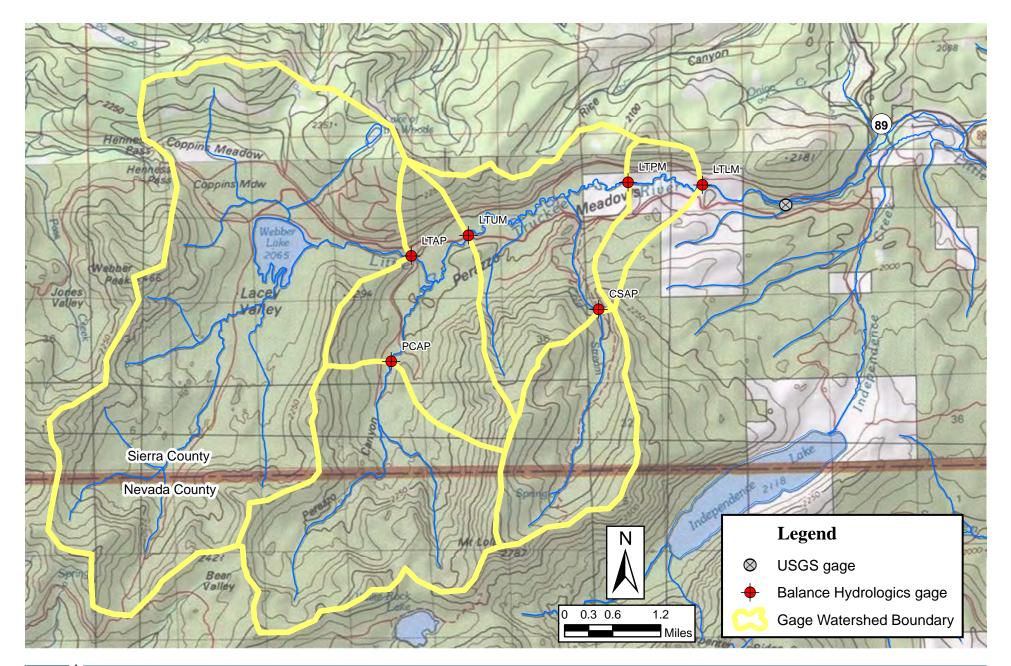
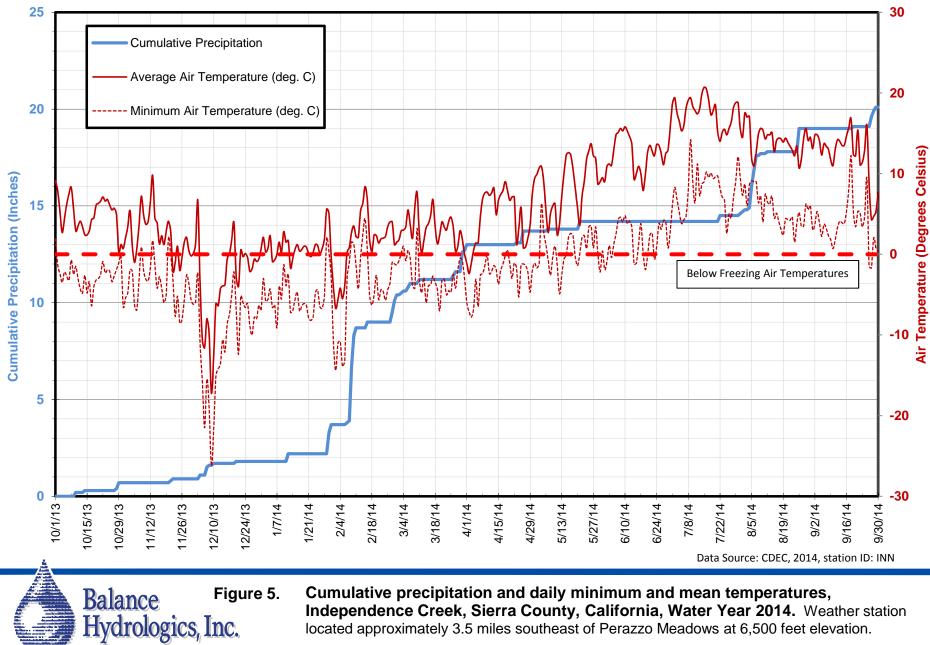


Figure 3. Location of groundwater and surface water monitoring stations Middle Perazzo Meadow, Sierra County, California

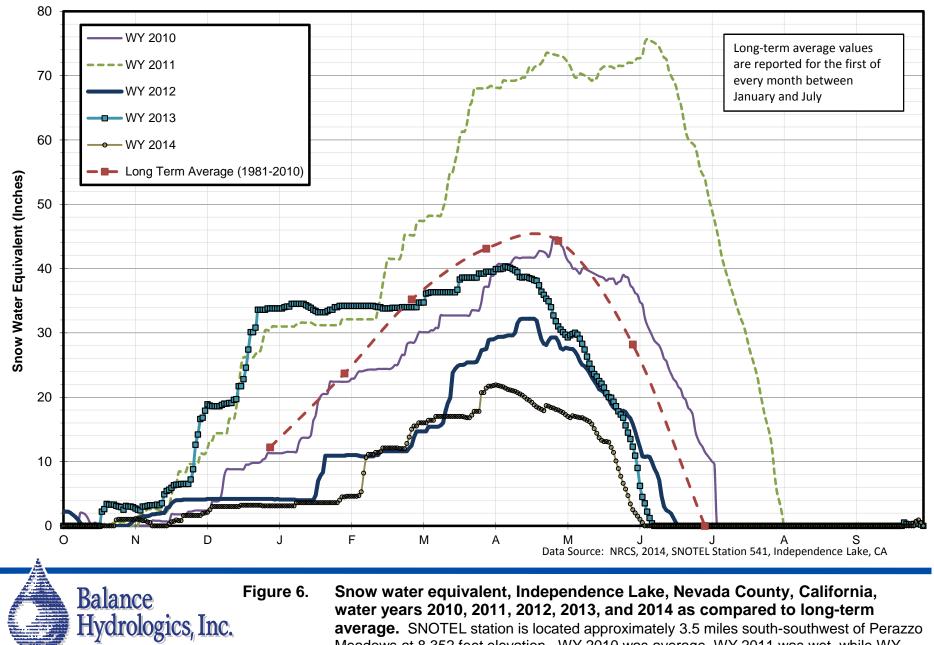




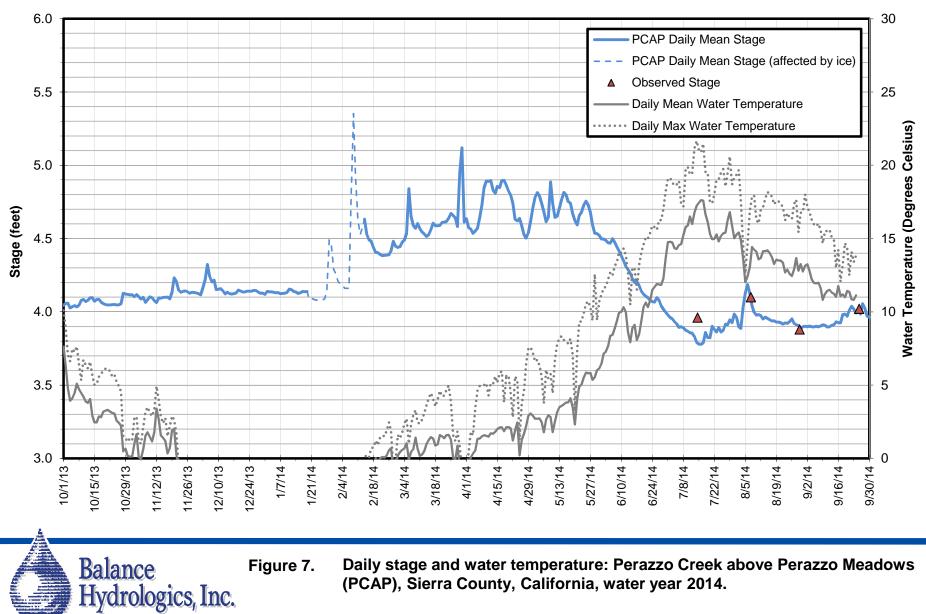
Stream gaging locations and contributing watersheds, Perazzo Meadows, Sierra and Nevada Counties, California

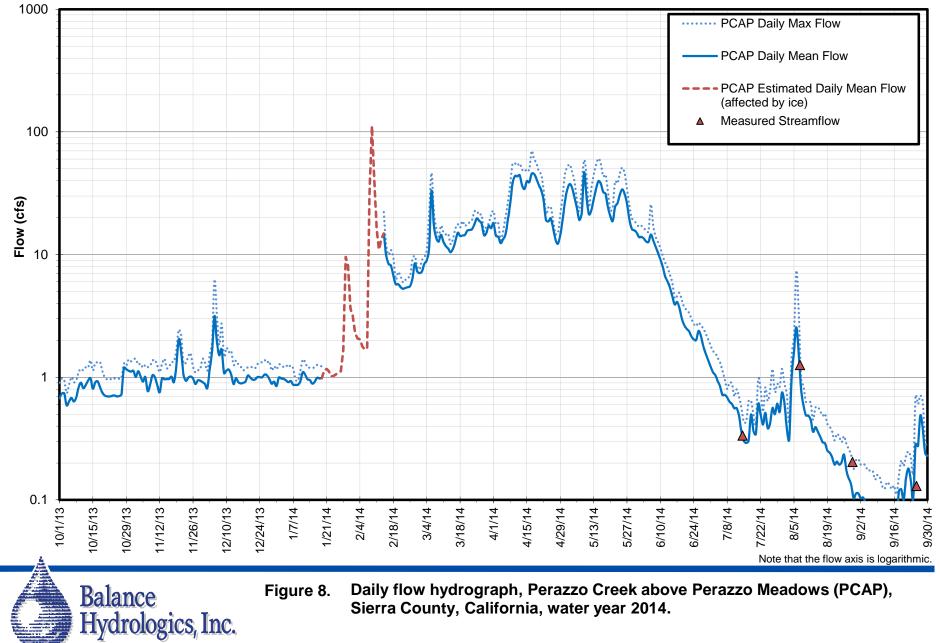


located approximately 3.5 miles southeast of Perazzo Meadows at 6,500 feet elevation.

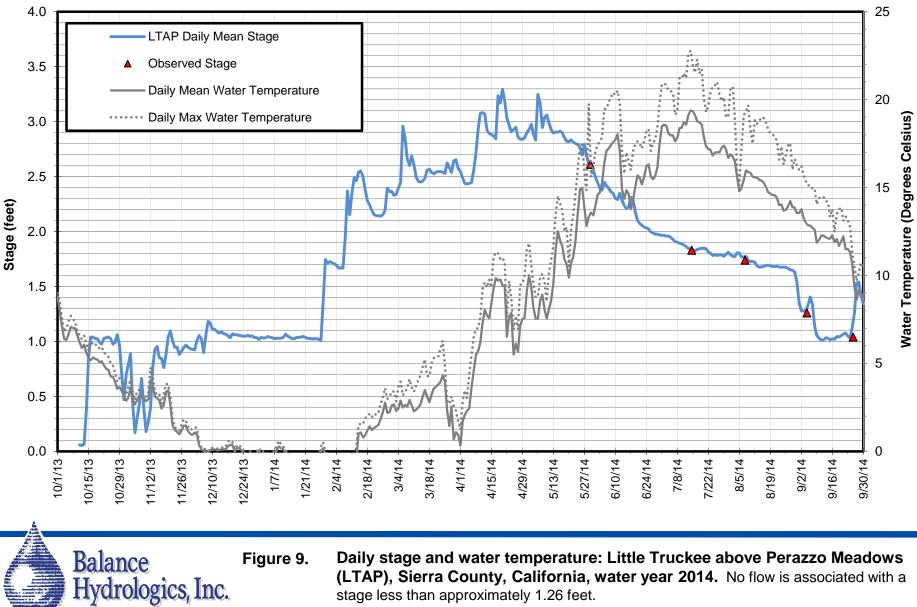


Snow water equivalent, Independence Lake, Nevada County, California, water years 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, and 2014 as compared to long-term average. SNOTEL station is located approximately 3.5 miles south-southwest of Perazzo Meadows at 8,352 feet elevation. WY 2010 was average, WY 2011 was wet, while WY 2012, WY 2013, and WY 2014 were dry.

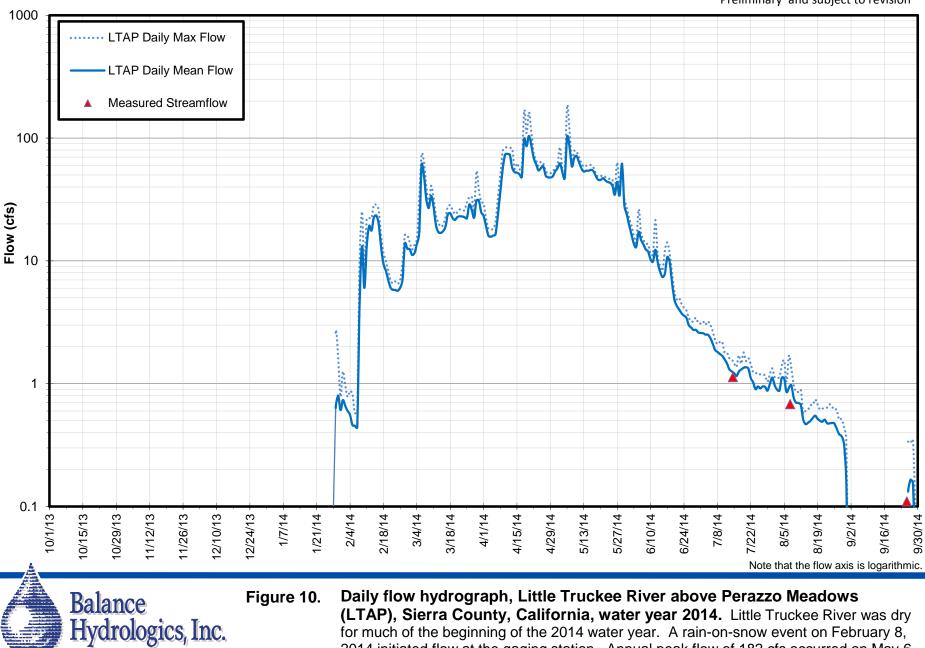




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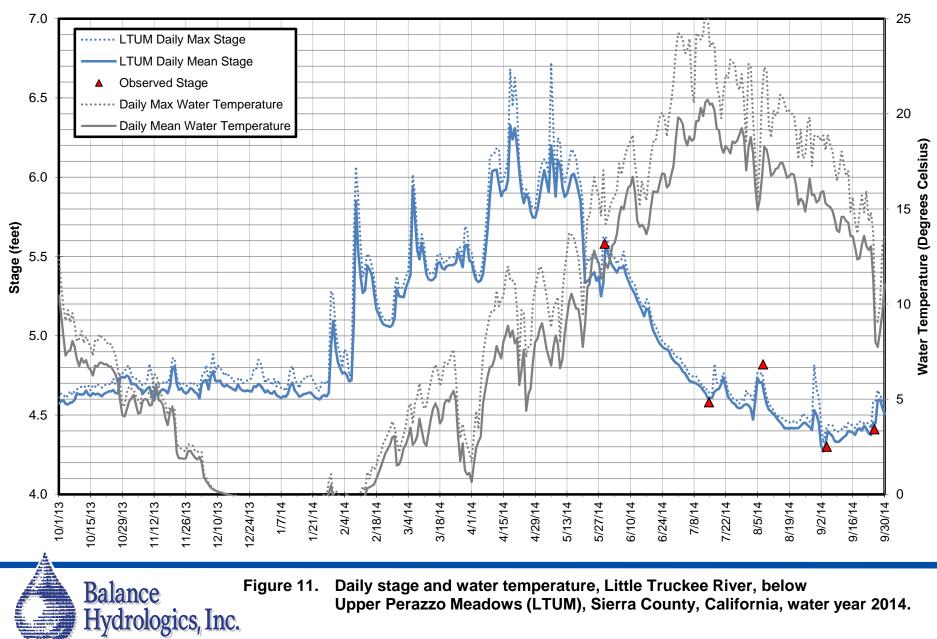


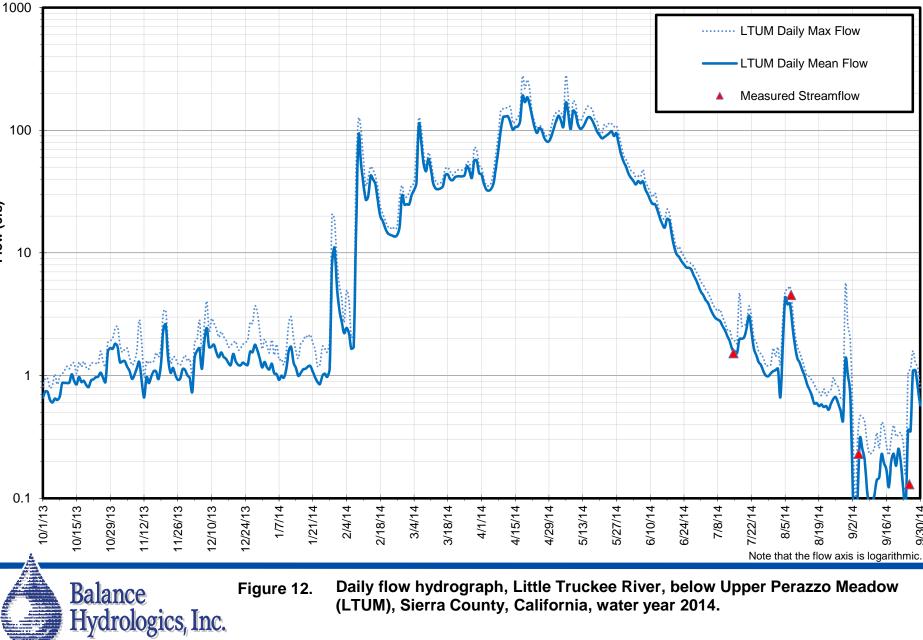
Daily stage and water temperature: Little Truckee above Perazzo Meadows (LTAP), Sierra County, California, water year 2014. No flow is associated with a stage less than approximately 1.26 feet.



(LTAP), Sierra County, California, water year 2014. Little Truckee River was dry for much of the beginning of the 2014 water year. A rain-on-snow event on February 8, 2014 initiated flow at the gaging station. Annual peak flow of 182 cfs occurred on May 6, 2014 as the result of snowmelt runoff.

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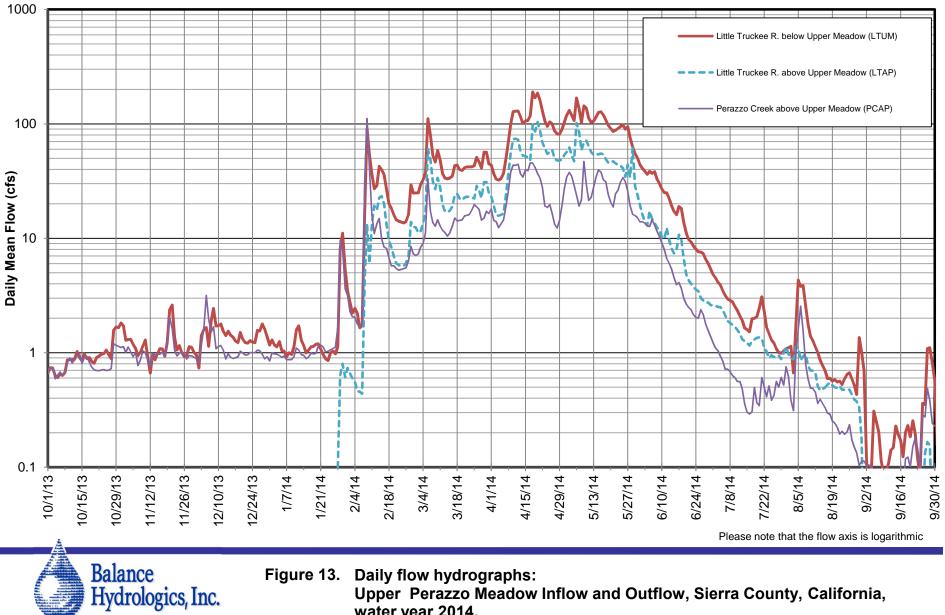




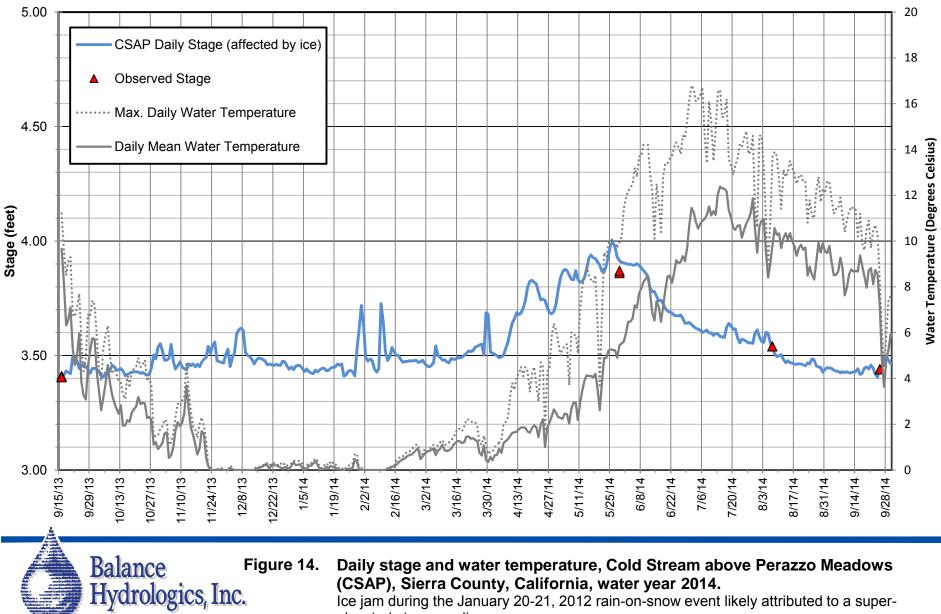
Daily flow hydrograph, Little Truckee River, below Upper Perazzo Meadow (LTUM), Sierra County, California, water year 2014.

Flow (cfs)

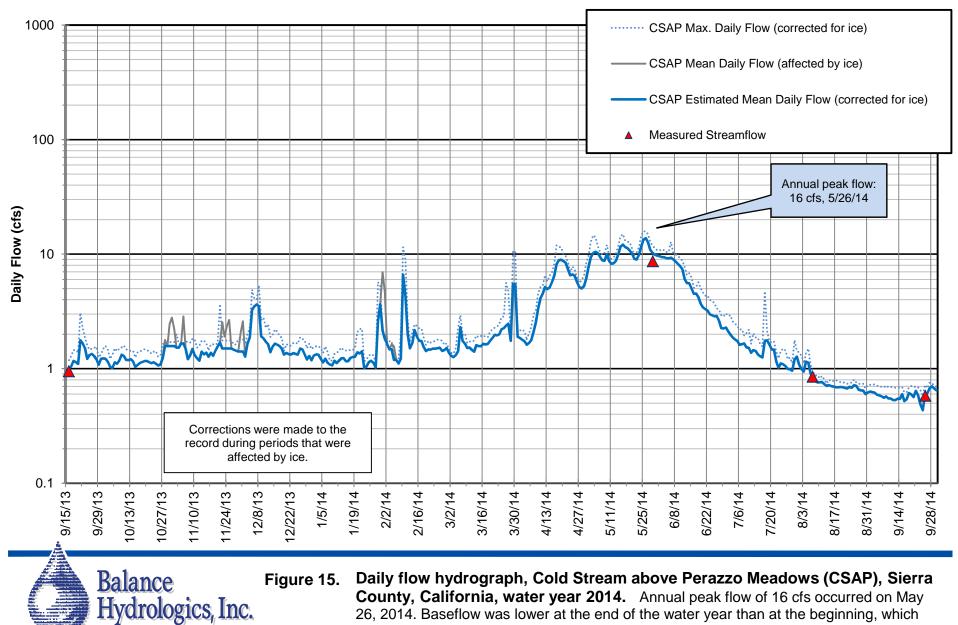
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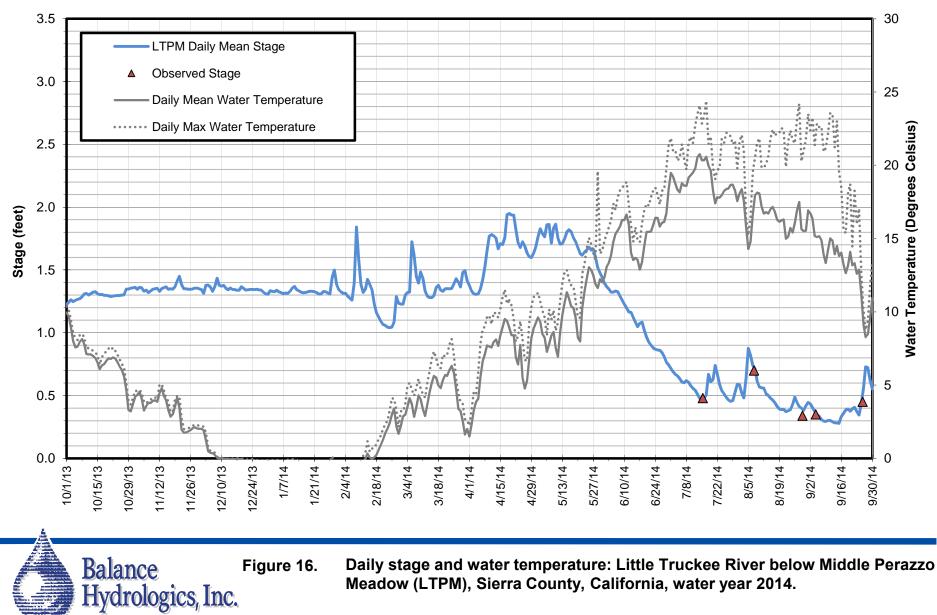
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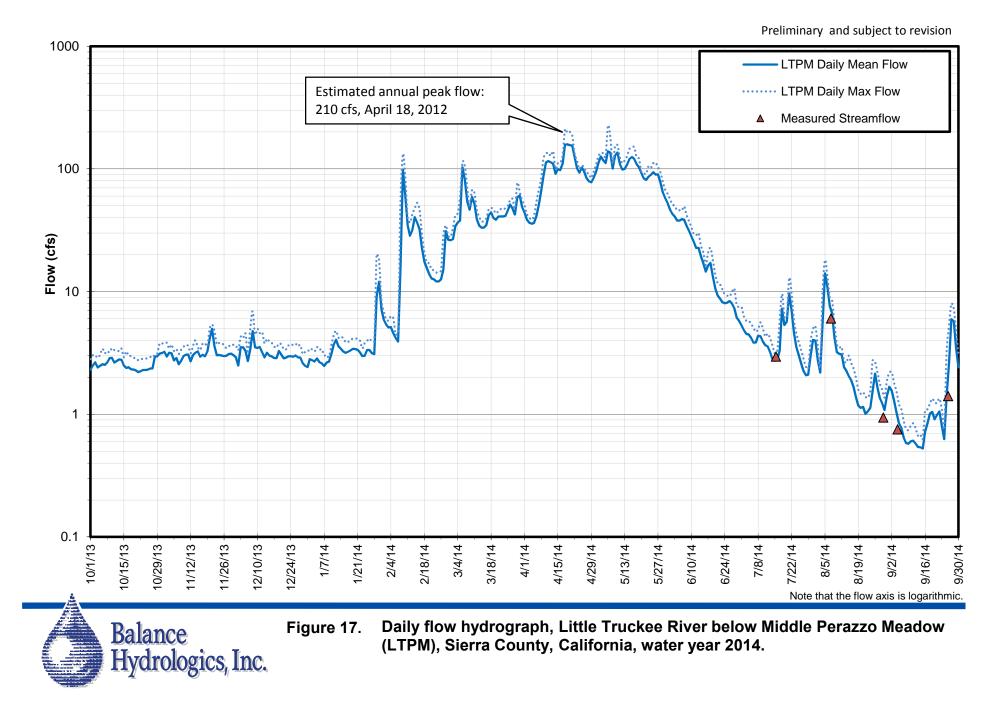


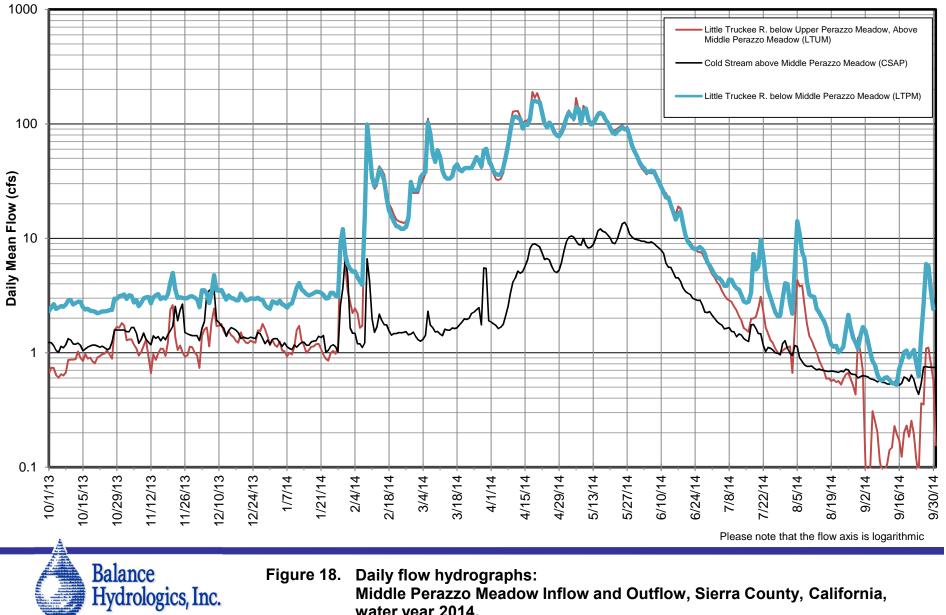
Ice jam during the January 20-21, 2012 rain-on-snow event likely attributed to a superelevated stage reading.



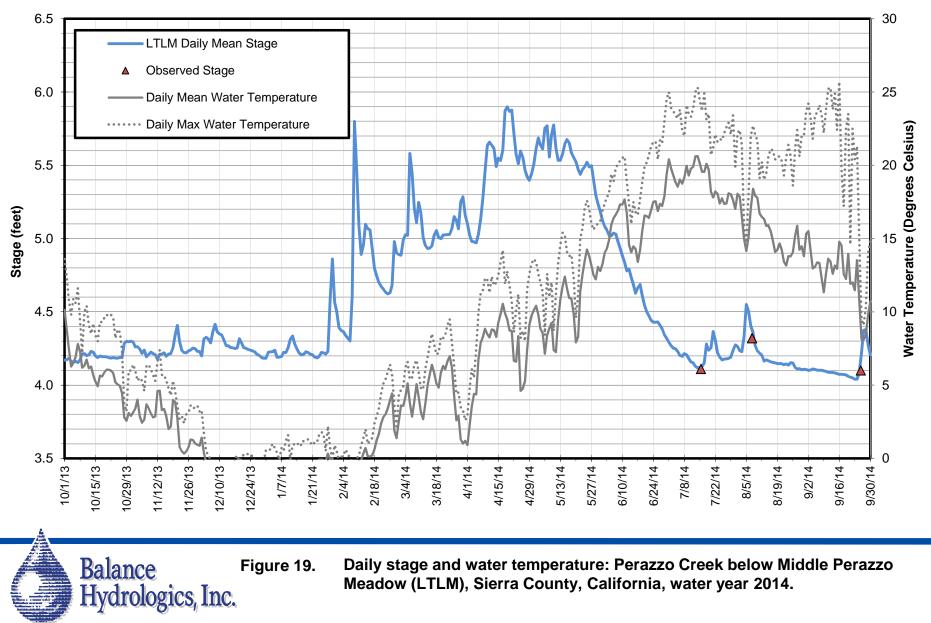
reflects water year 2014 being a low-precipitation year.

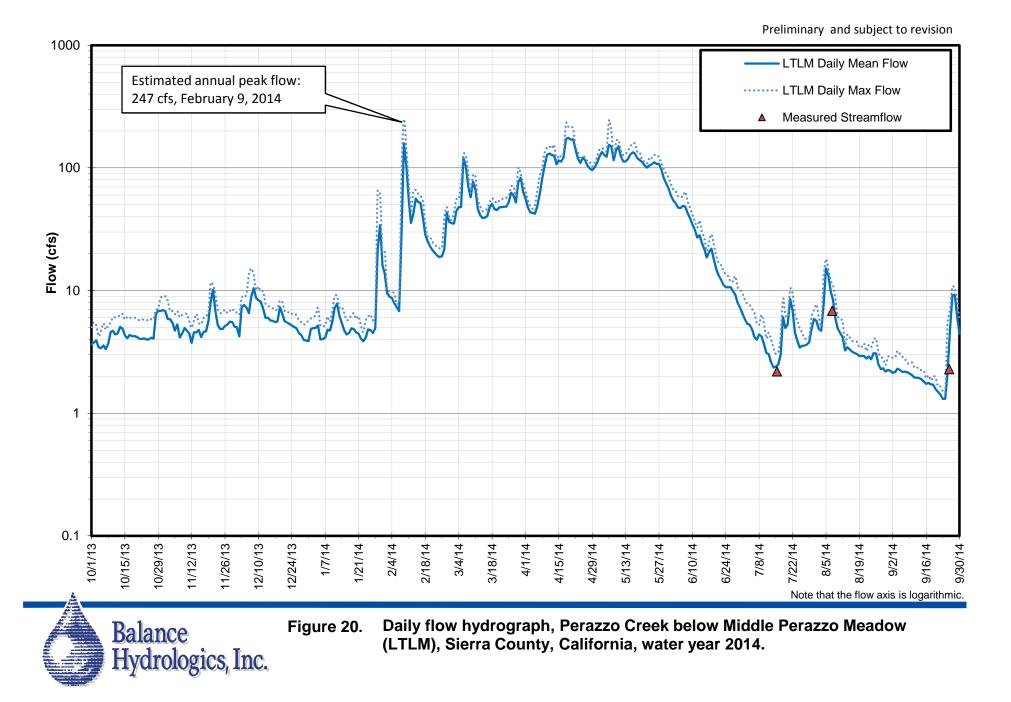


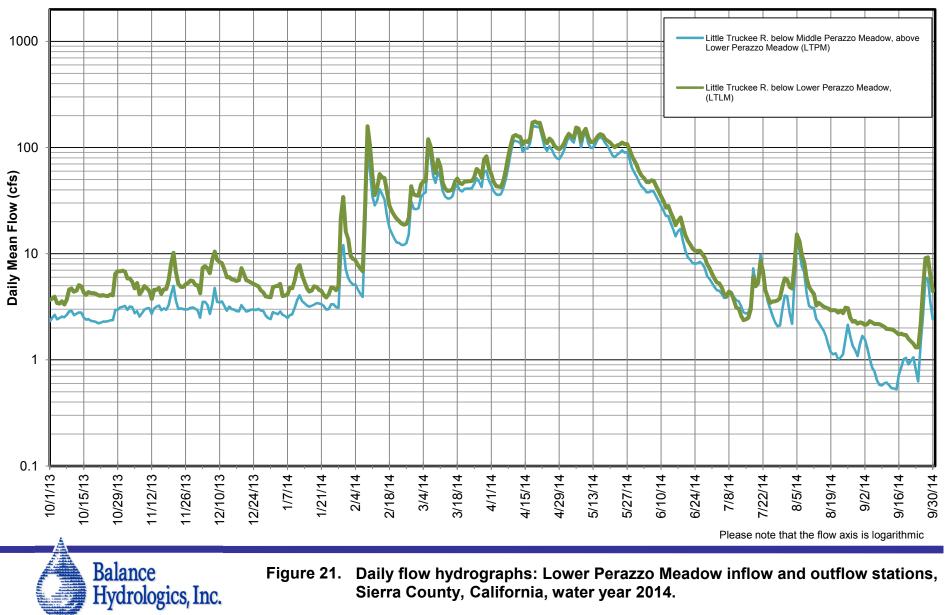




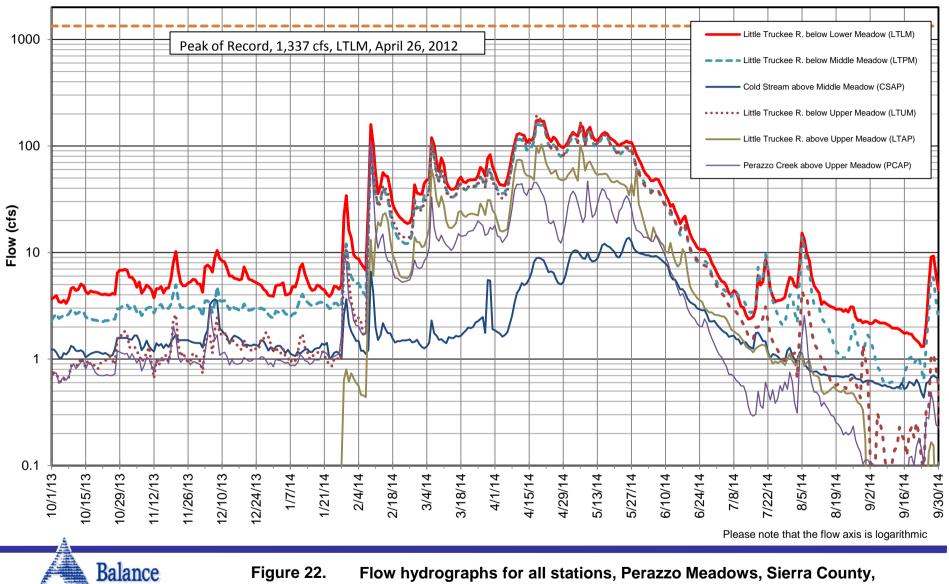
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Sierra County, California, water year 2014.



Flow hydrographs for all stations, Perazzo Meadows, Sierra County, California, water year 2014. Peak flows in WY2014 were an order of magnitude less than the peak of record. At the outlet of Lower Perazzo Meadow (Station LTLM), peak flow in WY2014 was 247 cfs, compared to peak flow in WY2012 of 1,337 cfs.

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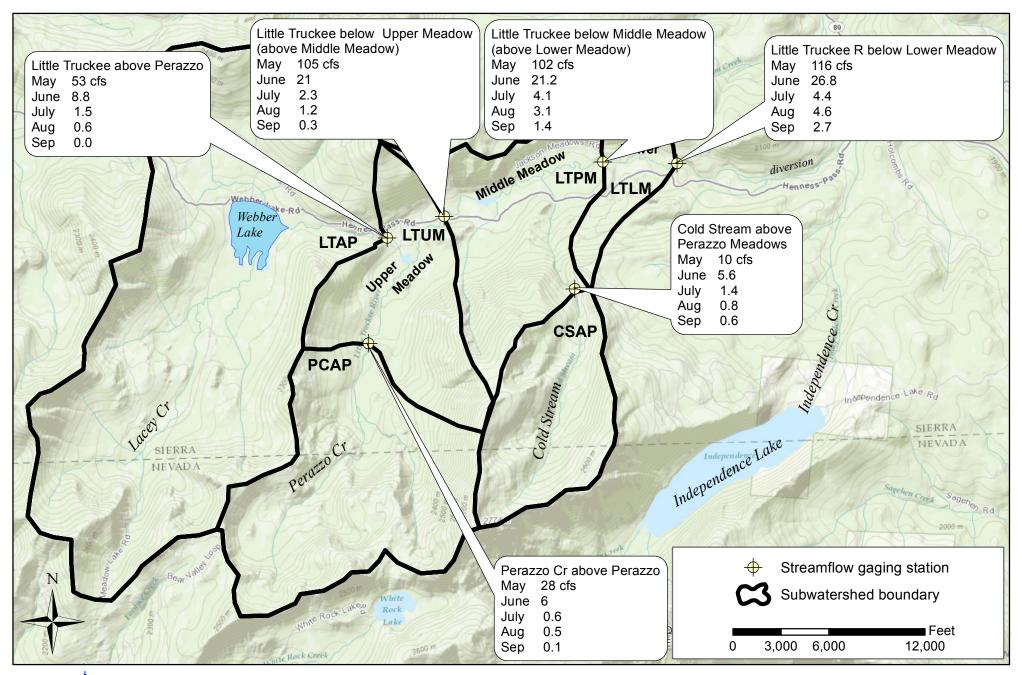




Figure 23. Monthly streamflow during the snowmelt recession period, WY2014, Perazzo Meadows, Sierra County, California

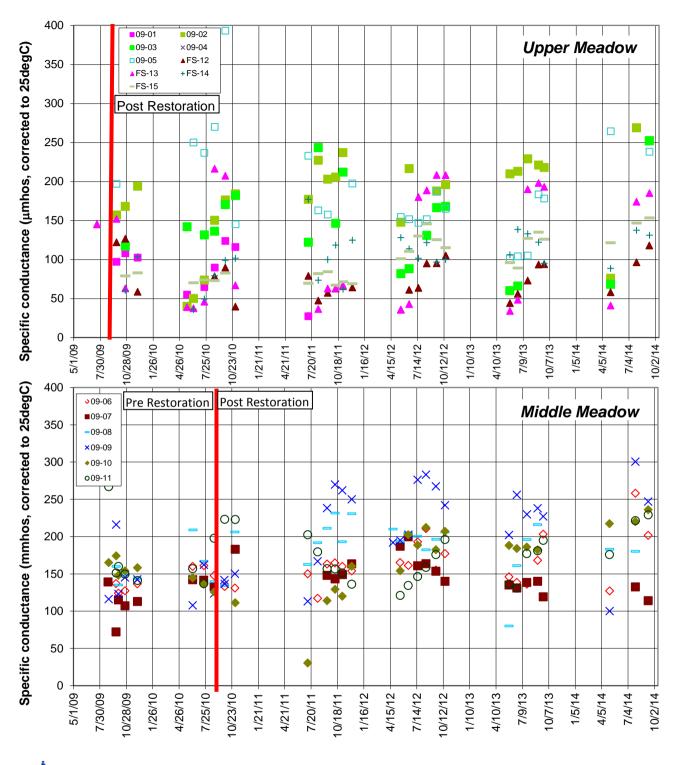
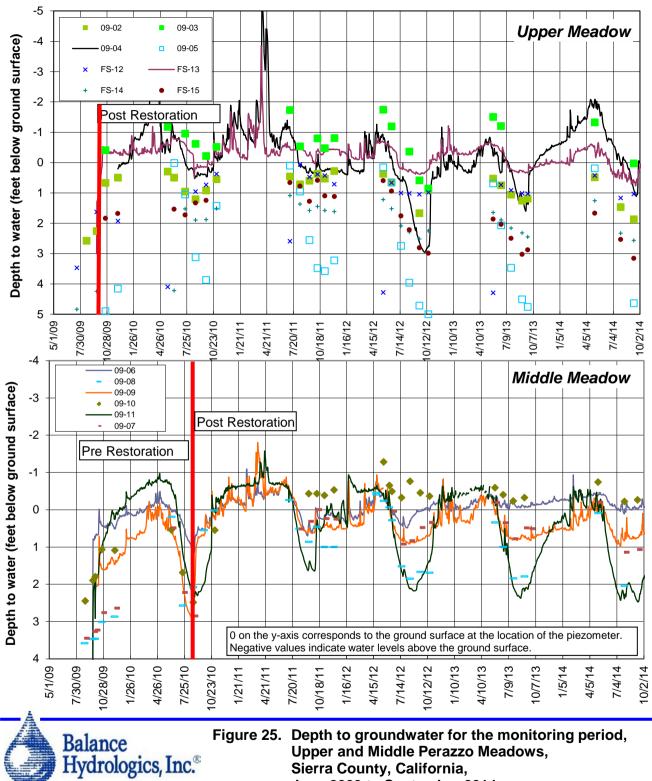




Figure 24. Specific conductance of groundwater, Upper and Middle Perazzo Meadows, Sierra County, California, June 2009 to September 2014 See Figures 2 and 3 for piezometer locations.



Upper and Middle Perazzo Meadows, Sierra County, California, June 2009 to September 2014.