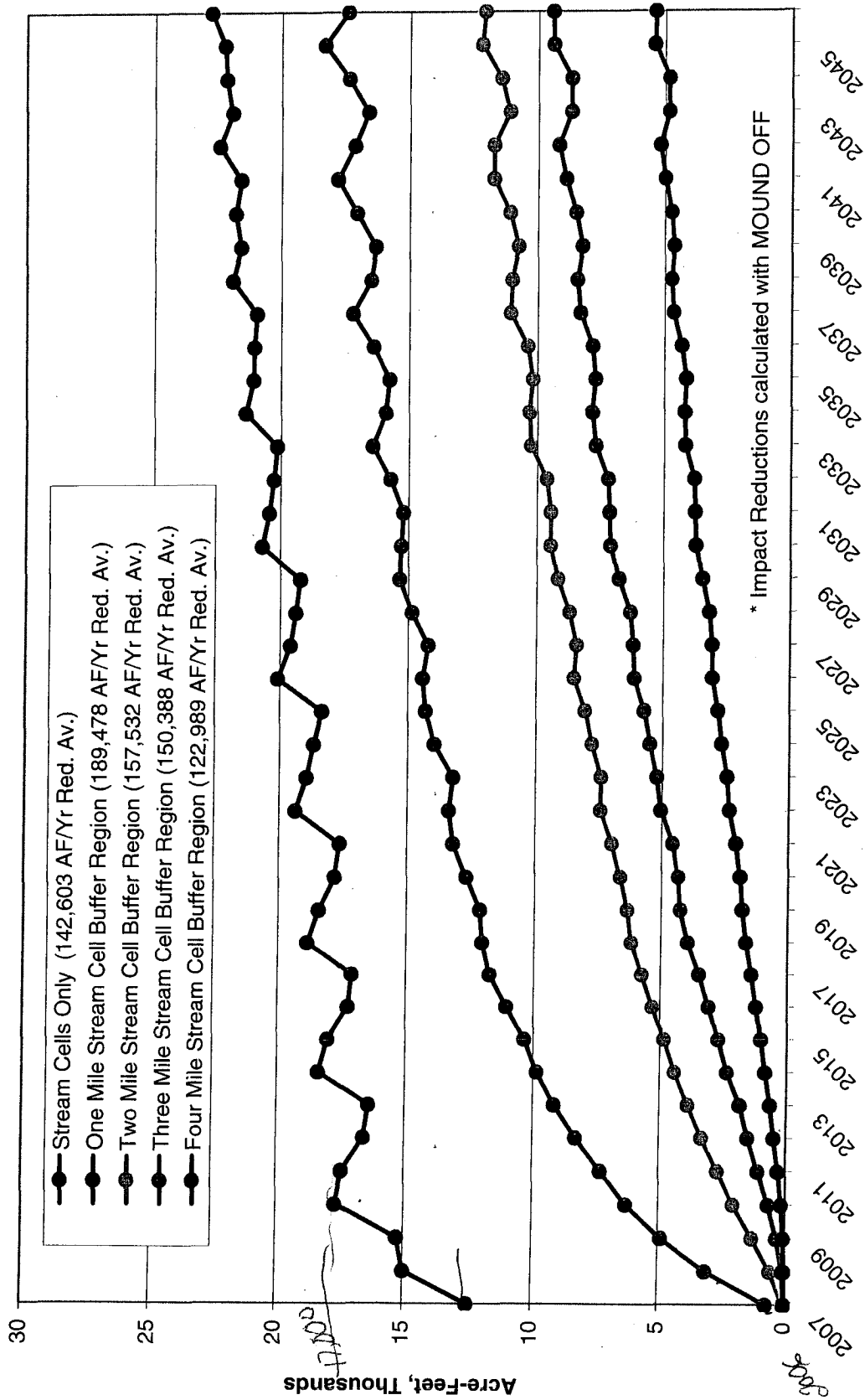
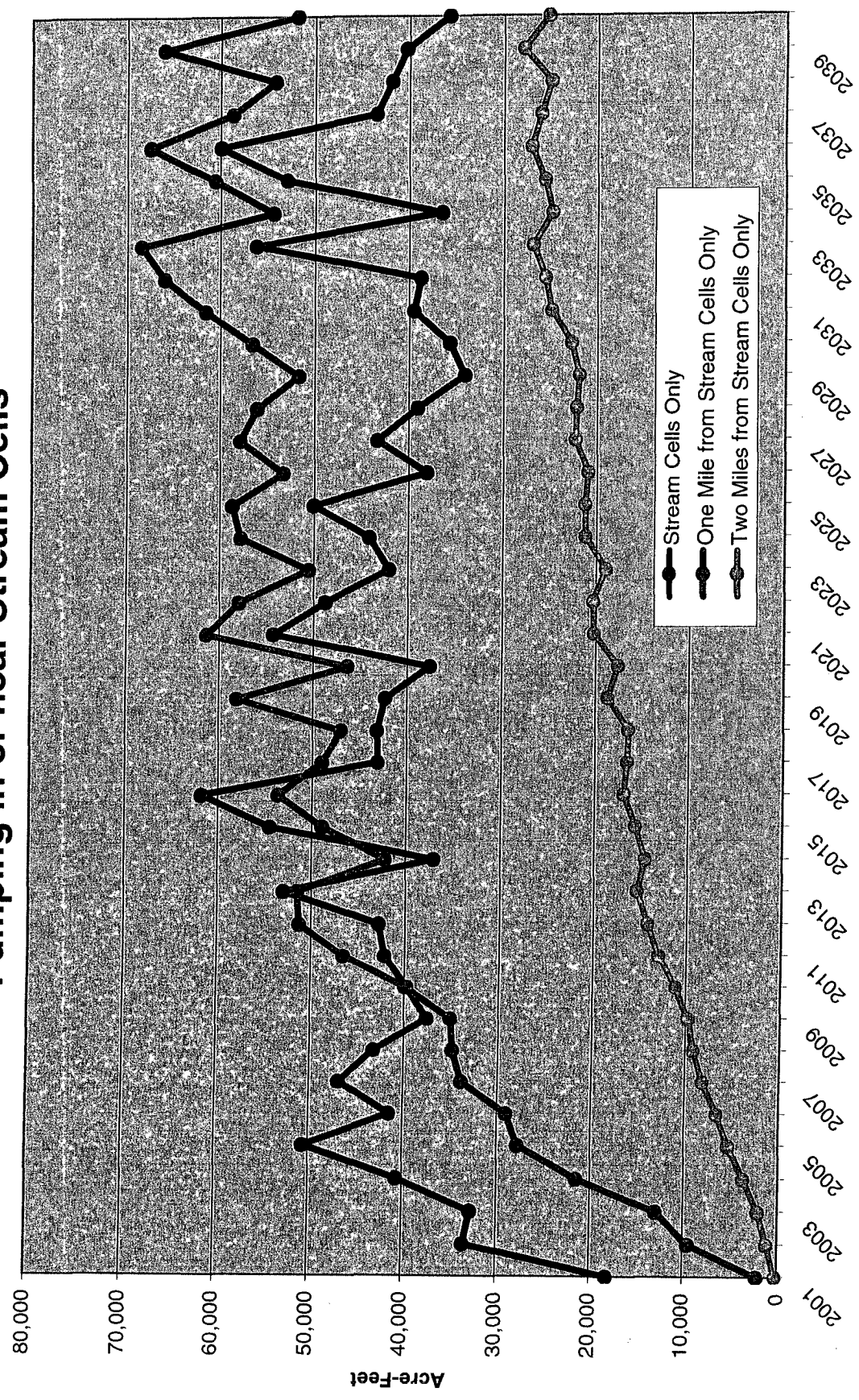


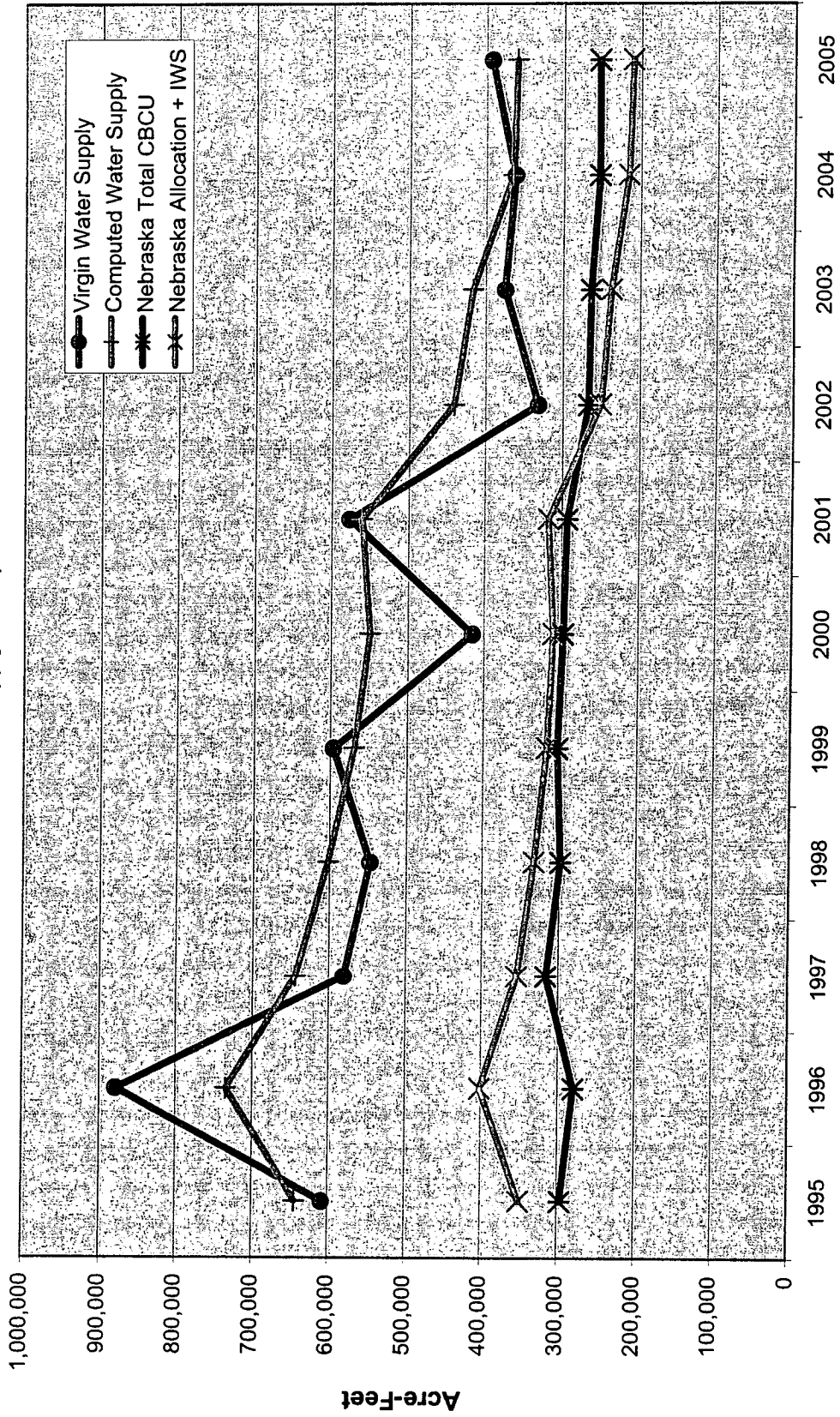
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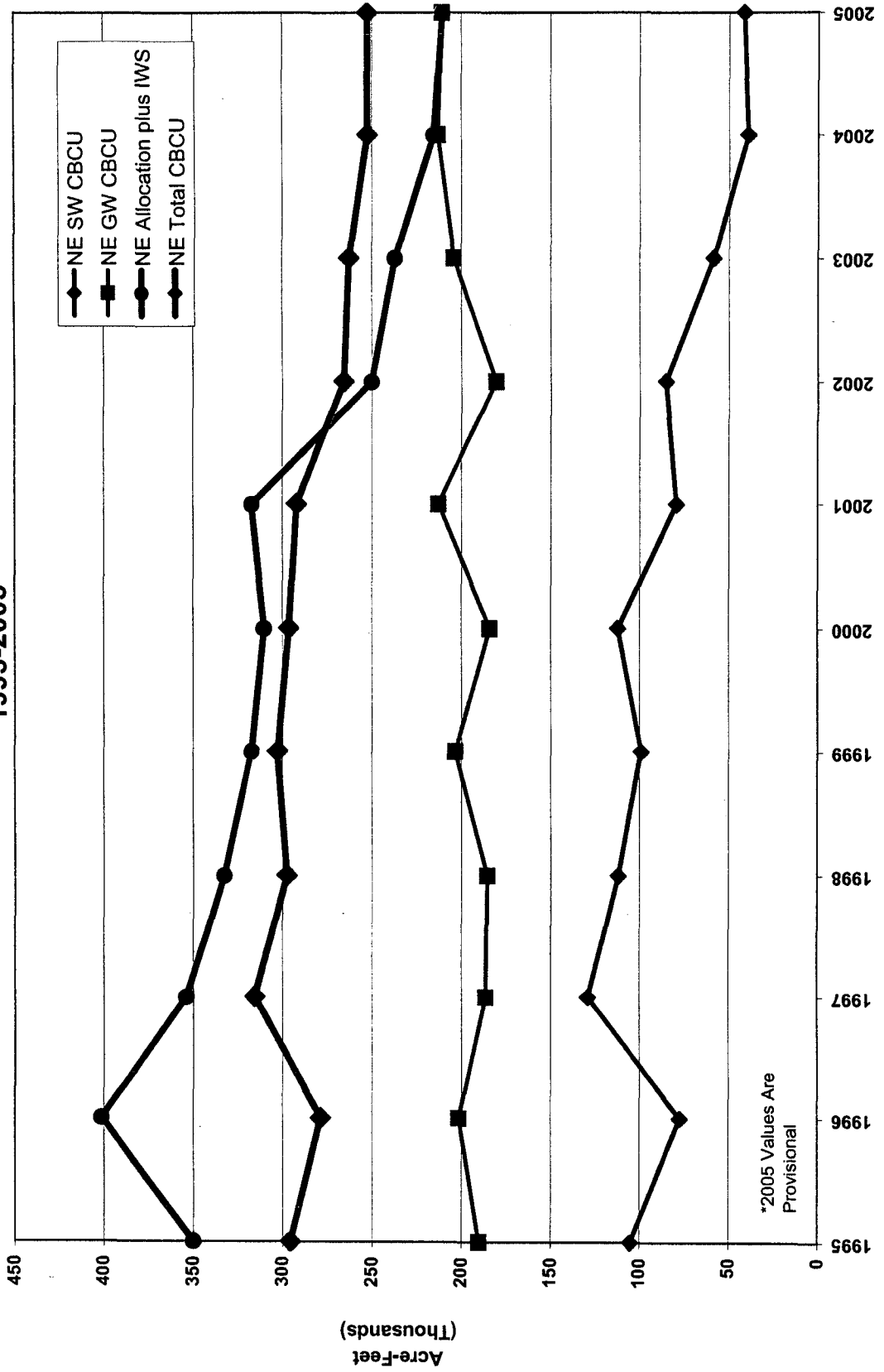
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Compact Water Supply, Allocation and Consumptive Use Values
 (including Imported Water Supply Credit)



Republican River Compact Data 1995-2005*

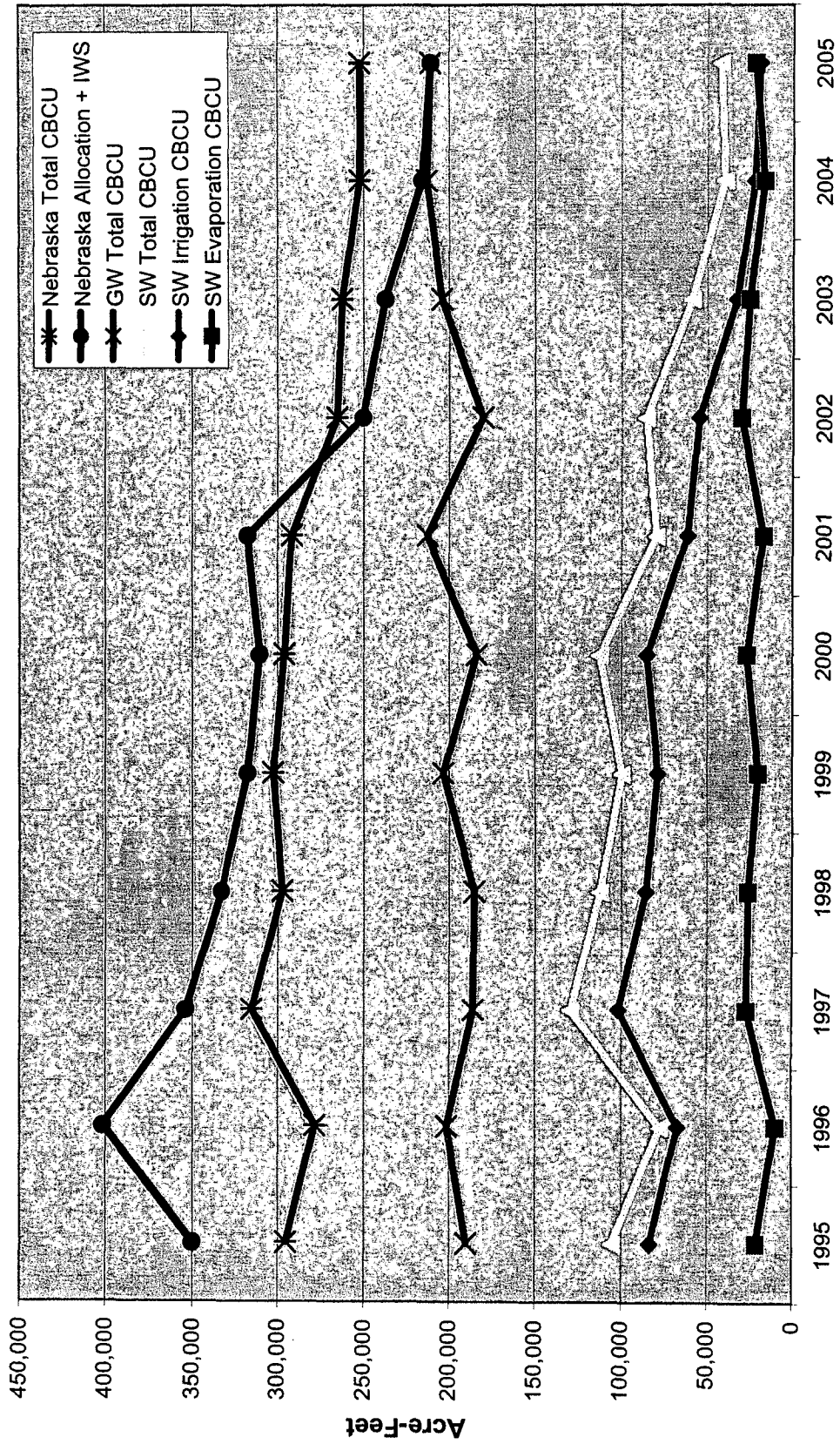


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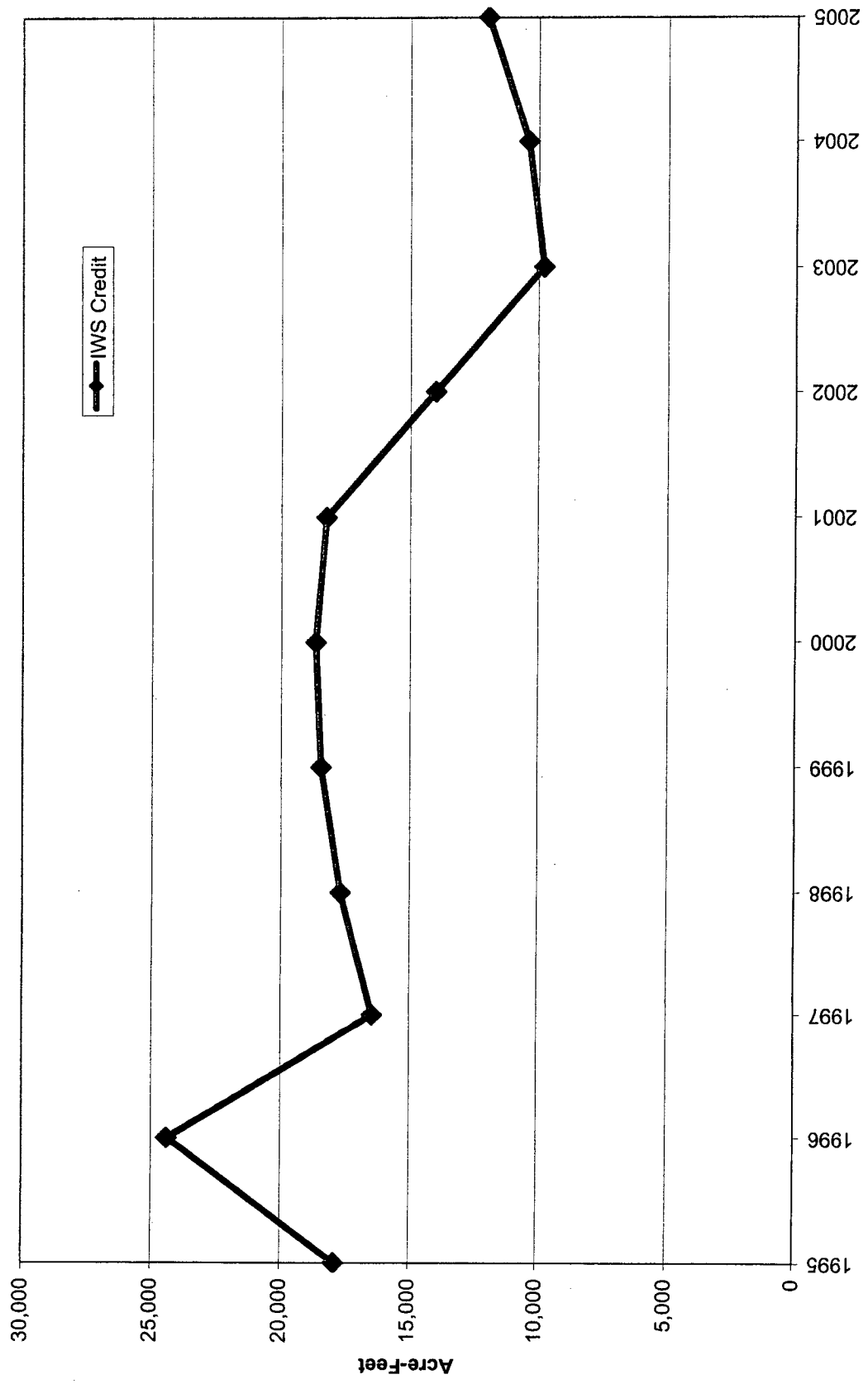
Blue shade indicates values directly or derived from old accounting tables
 Green shade indicates raw values from model output or values from accounting spreadsheet that utilized model data

| Year | CWS | NE | Compact | NE GW | NE IWS | NE SW | NE | NE | NE | |
|--|-----------|------------|------------|---------|---------|-------------|------------|------------|-----------|---------|
| | | Allocation | Accounting | Impacts | (Mound | (Using | Allocation | Allocation | (Plus IWS | |
| | | NE CBCU | GW CBCU | from GW | from GW | CBCU | minus | plus IWS | CBCU | |
| | | | | Model | Model | (Compact | CBCU | after 1994 | (Plus IWS | |
| | | | | | | Accounting) | | | Credit | |
| | | | | | | | | | after | |
| | | | | | | | | | 1994) | |
| 1981 | 518,900 | 259,390 | 174,500 | 84,140 | 142,490 | 15,240 | 90,360 | 84,890 | 259,390 | 84,890 |
| 1982 | 676,300 | 342,860 | 233,080 | 122,120 | 133,830 | 13,780 | 110,960 | 109,780 | 342,860 | 109,780 |
| 1983 | 672,570 | 337,620 | 248,130 | 115,010 | 124,240 | 13,140 | 133,120 | 89,490 | 337,620 | 89,490 |
| 1984 | 799,450 | 399,940 | 266,910 | 136,630 | 143,720 | 13,740 | 130,280 | 133,030 | 399,940 | 133,030 |
| 1985 | 605,300 | 307,510 | 257,130 | 143,810 | 151,680 | 16,790 | 113,320 | 50,380 | 307,510 | 50,380 |
| 1986 | 585,180 | 298,660 | 311,090 | 178,430 | 143,410 | 13,150 | 132,660 | -12,430 | 298,660 | -12,430 |
| 1987 | 717,680 | 362,140 | 275,680 | 162,060 | 152,180 | 16,760 | 113,620 | 86,460 | 362,140 | 86,460 |
| 1988 | 525,720 | 270,290 | 263,630 | 140,450 | 151,420 | 13,810 | 123,180 | 6,660 | 270,290 | 6,660 |
| 1989 | 506,930 | 258,660 | 296,060 | 172,530 | 147,570 | 13,850 | 123,530 | -37,400 | 258,660 | -37,400 |
| 1990 | 520,198 | 266,368 | 299,070 | 177,730 | 158,980 | 14,820 | 121,340 | -32,702 | 266,368 | -32,702 |
| 1991 | 421,300 | 210,960 | 263,220 | 158,450 | 175,050 | 12,690 | 104,770 | -52,260 | 210,960 | -52,260 |
| 1992 | 514,650 | 260,670 | 234,300 | 157,350 | 181,220 | 14,670 | 76,950 | 26,370 | 260,670 | 26,370 |
| 1993 | 1,035,820 | 512,950 | 105,970 | 55,720 | 177,490 | 24,610 | 50,250 | 406,980 | 512,950 | 406,980 |
| 1994 | 664,049 | 333,539 | 309,800 | 176,760 | 167,040 | 15,950 | 133,040 | 23,739 | 333,539 | 23,739 |
| 1995 | 644,010 | 332,550 | 295,880 | 190,320 | 190,320 | 17,900 | 105,560 | 36,670 | 350,450 | 54,570 |
| 1996 | 734,040 | 377,300 | 278,900 | 201,530 | 201,530 | 24,390 | 77,370 | 98,400 | 401,690 | 122,790 |
| 1997 | 644,210 | 337,700 | 315,680 | 186,350 | 186,350 | 16,430 | 129,330 | 22,020 | 354,130 | 38,450 |
| 1998 | 602,120 | 315,410 | 297,750 | 185,460 | 185,460 | 17,680 | 112,290 | 17,660 | 333,090 | 35,340 |
| 1999 | 569,030 | 299,050 | 302,890 | 203,490 | 203,490 | 18,440 | 99,400 | -3,840 | 317,490 | 14,600 |
| 2000 | 549,700 | 291,920 | 296,530 | 184,020 | 184,020 | 18,660 | 112,510 | -4,610 | 310,580 | 14,050 |
| 2001 | 560,520 | 299,380 | 292,320 | 212,870 | 212,870 | 18,240 | 79,450 | 7,060 | 317,620 | 25,300 |
| 2002 | 441,480 | 236,550 | 265,910 | 180,440 | 180,440 | 14,000 | 85,470 | -29,360 | 250,550 | -15,360 |
| 2003 | 416,780 | 227,580 | 262,780 | 204,170 | 204,170 | 9,780 | 58,610 | -35,200 | 237,360 | -25,420 |
| 2004 | 364,620 | 205,630 | 252,650 | 213,120 | 213,120 | 10,380 | 39,530 | -47,020 | 216,010 | -36,640 |
| 2005 | 360,260 | 198,940 | 252,690 | 210,880 | 210,880 | 11,960 | 41,800 | -54,290 | 210,900 | -41,790 |
| 2005 is not finally adopted by the RRCA as of 1-16-2007, NFR Evap for SW CBCU for above Harlan County Lake | | | | | | | | | | |
| '81-'00 | 318,774 | 266,310 | 156,618 | 165,075 | 165,075 | 16,325 | 109,692 | 52,464 | 324,449 | 58,139 |
| '81-'05 | 301,743 | 266,102 | 166,154 | 172,919 | 172,919 | 15,634 | 99,948 | 35,619 | 308,857 | 42,755 |
| '81-'85 | 329,464 | 235,950 | 120,342 | 139,192 | 139,192 | 14,538 | 115,608 | 93,514 | 329,464 | 93,514 |
| '86-'90 | 291,224 | 289,106 | 166,240 | 150,712 | 150,712 | 14,478 | 122,866 | 2,118 | 291,224 | 2,118 |
| '91-'95 | 330,134 | 241,834 | 147,720 | 178,224 | 178,224 | 17,164 | 94,114 | 88,300 | 333,714 | 91,880 |
| '96-'00 | 324,276 | 298,350 | 192,170 | 192,170 | 192,170 | 19,120 | 106,180 | 25,926 | 343,396 | 45,046 |
| '01-'05 | 233,616 | 265,270 | 204,296 | 204,296 | 204,296 | 12,872 | 60,972 | -31,762 | 246,488 | -18,782 |
| '96-'05 | 278,946 | 281,810 | 198,233 | 198,233 | 198,233 | 15,996 | 83,576 | -2,918 | 294,942 | 13,132 |
| '99-'05 | 251,293 | 275,110 | 201,284 | 201,284 | 201,284 | 14,494 | 73,824 | -23,894 | 265,787 | -9,323 |

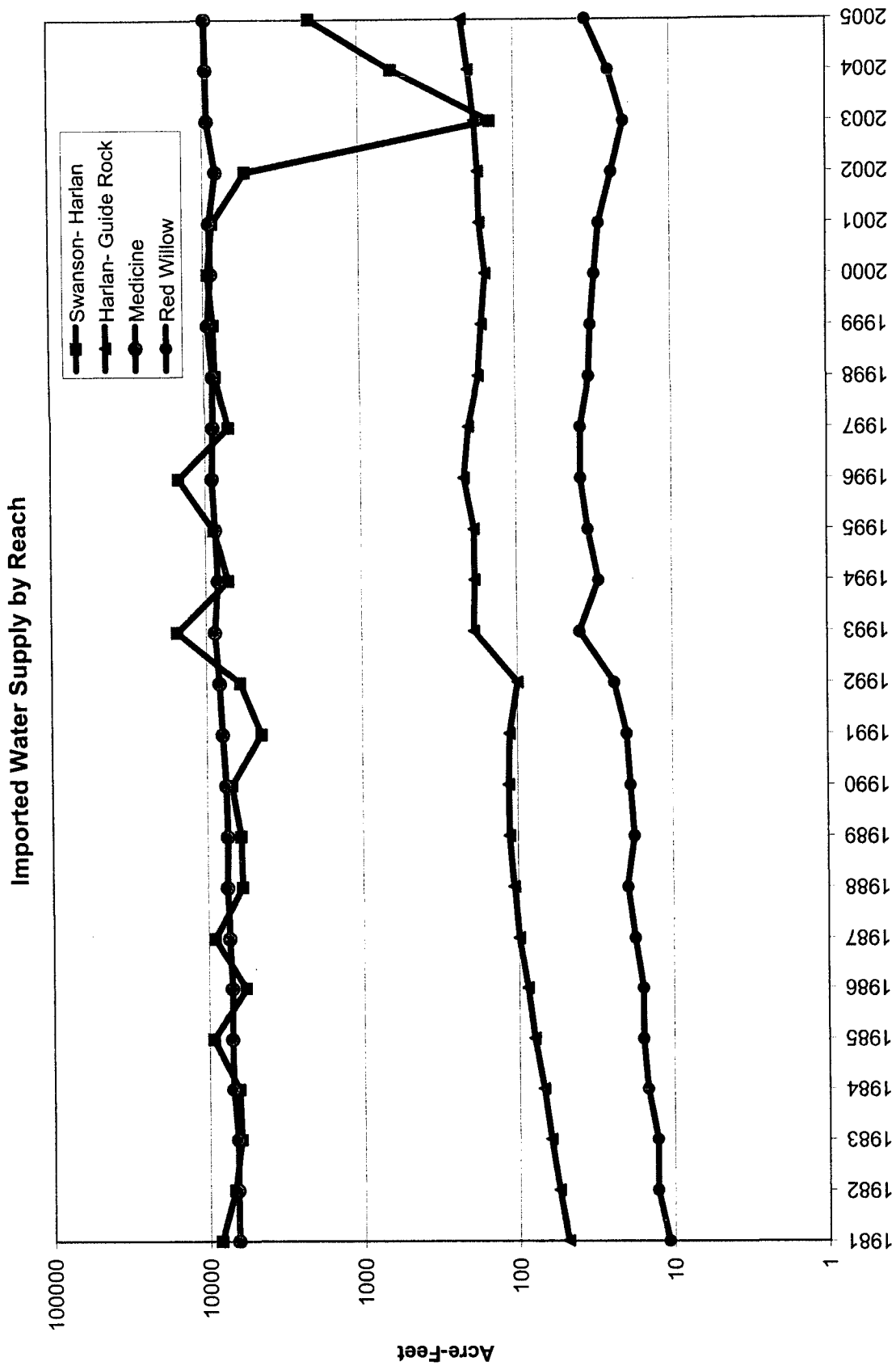
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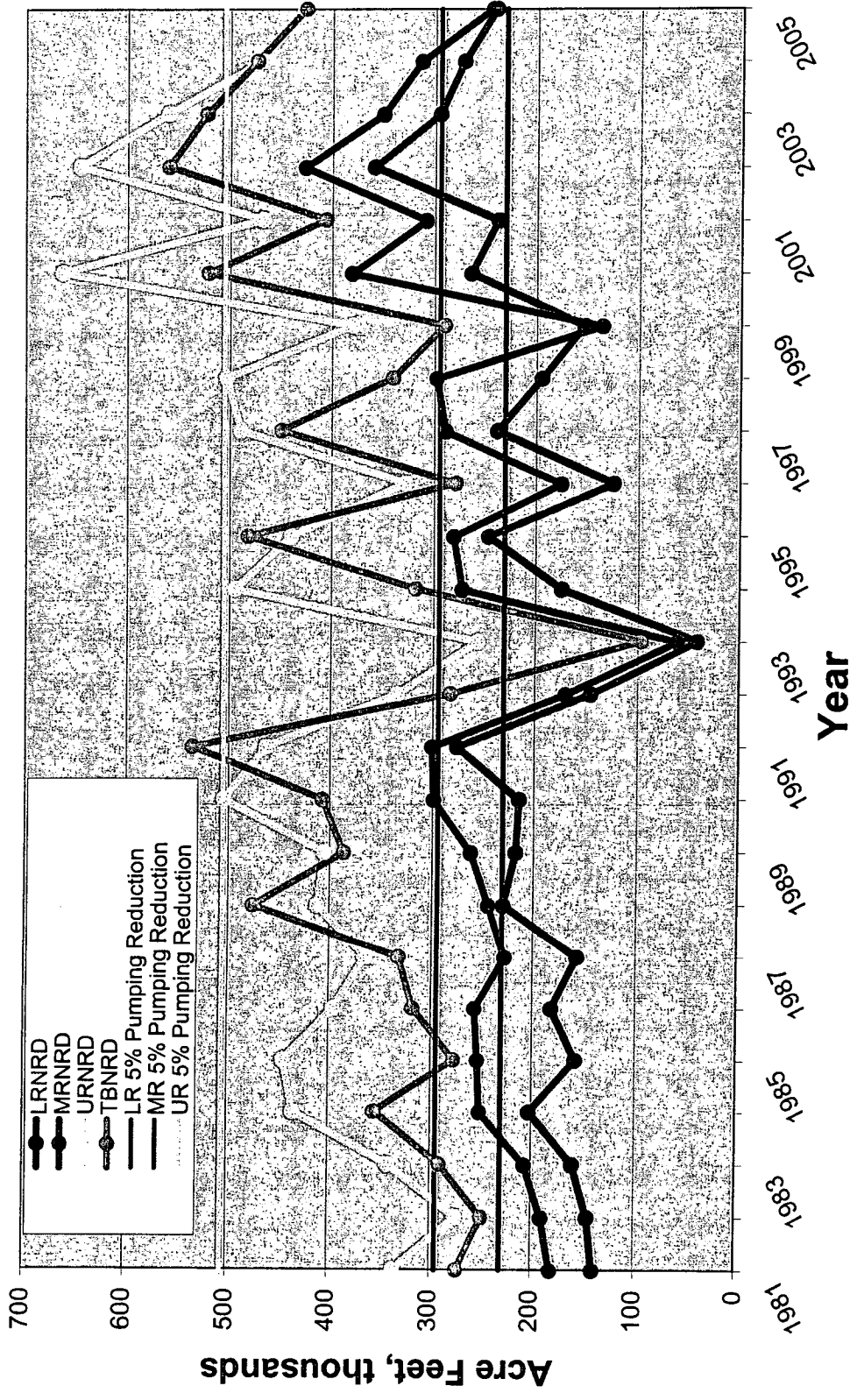
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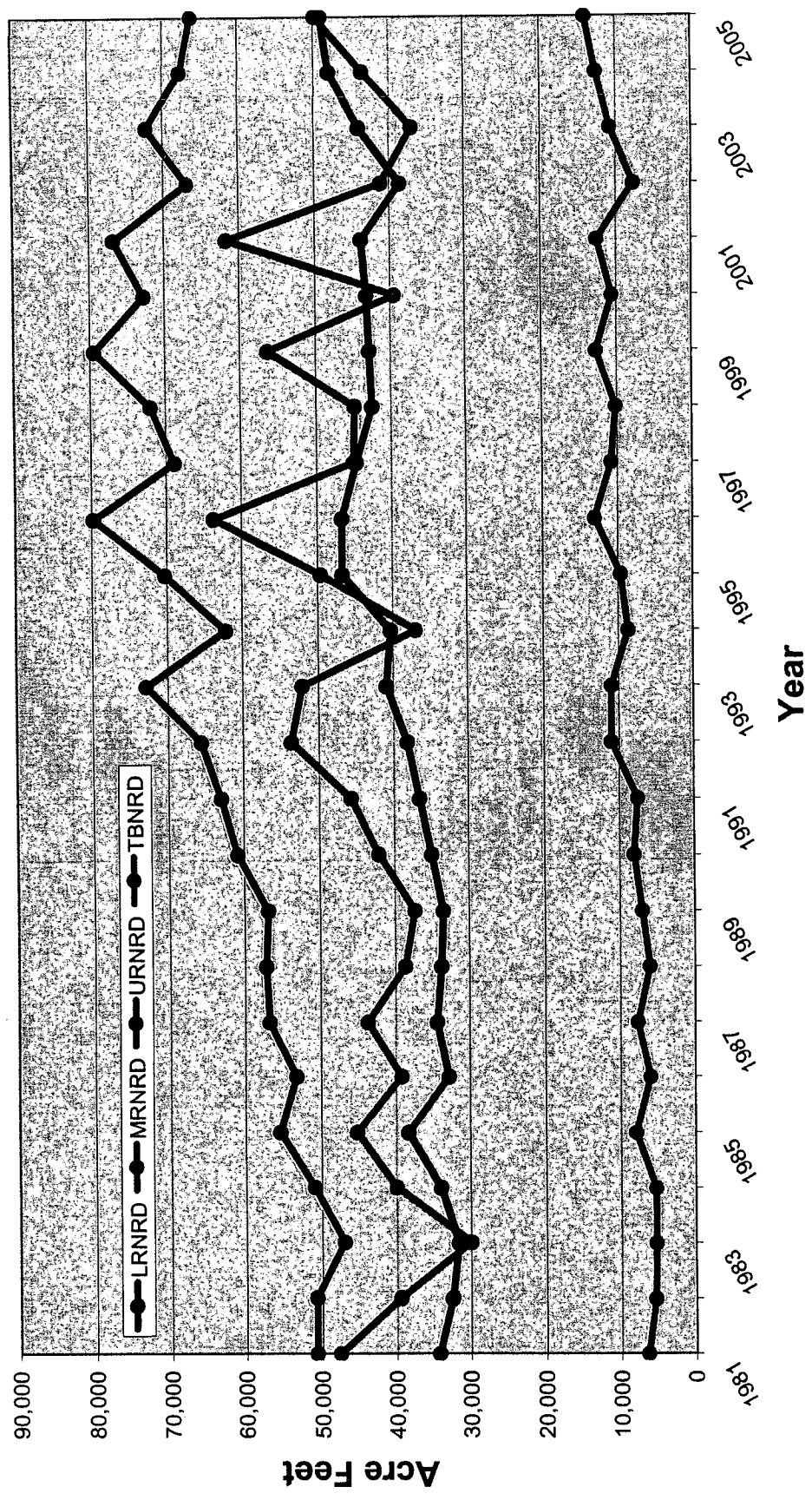
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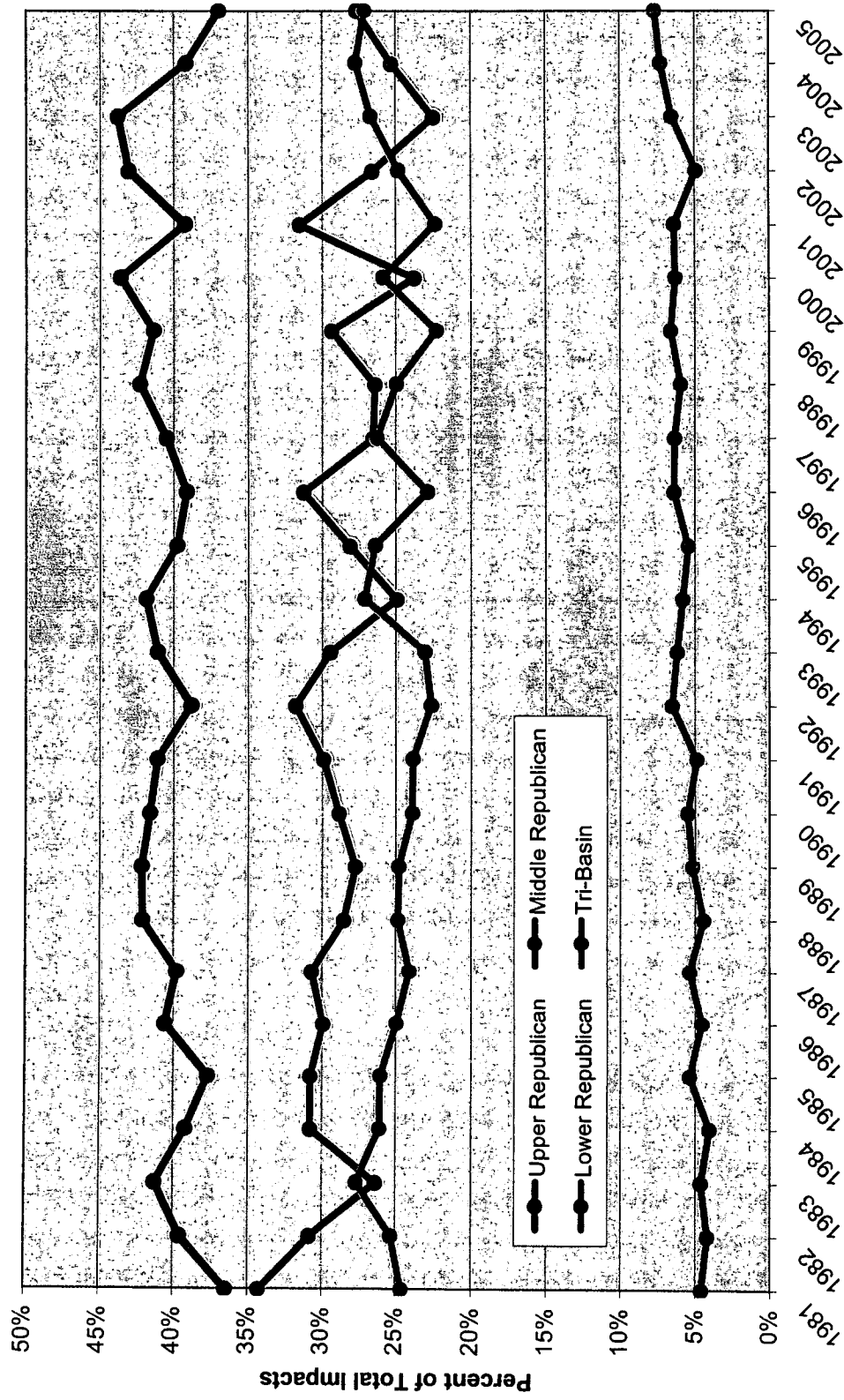
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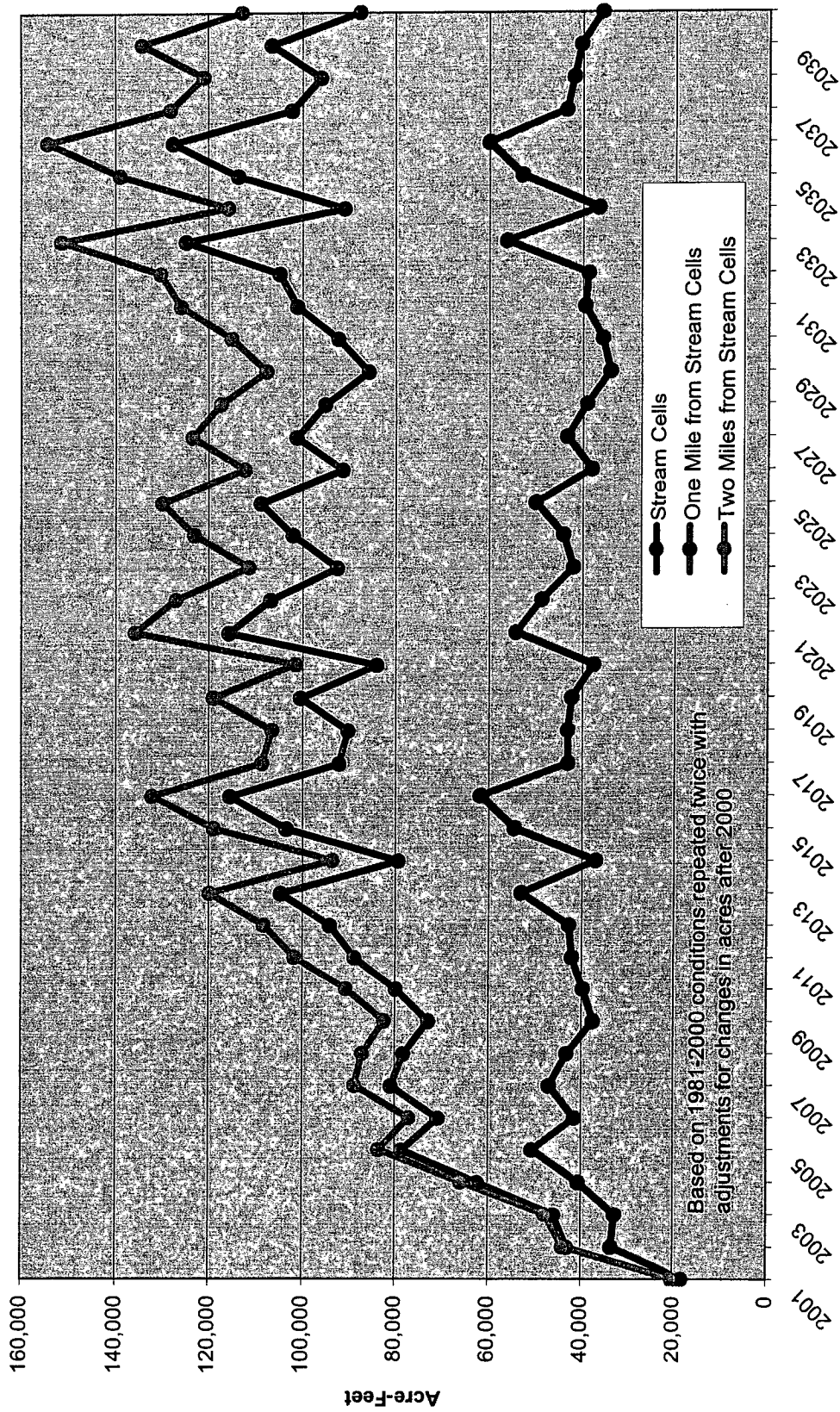
| Year | UR | MR | LR | TB | Other | Total Impact (acre-ft) | UR | MR | LR | TB | Other |
|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|
| 1981 | 50,771 | 47,662 | 34,285 | 6,430 | 127 | 139,275 | 36.5% | 34.2% | 24.6% | 4.6% | 0.1% |
| 1982 | 50,778 | 39,540 | 32,510 | 5,403 | 140 | 128,371 | 39.6% | 30.8% | 25.3% | 4.2% | 0.1% |
| 1983 | 47,117 | 30,077 | 31,661 | 5,308 | 176 | 114,339 | 41.2% | 26.3% | 27.7% | 4.6% | 0.2% |
| 1984 | 51,033 | 40,042 | 34,005 | 5,300 | -105 | 130,275 | 39.2% | 30.7% | 26.1% | 4.1% | -0.1% |
| 1985 | 55,514 | 45,318 | 38,381 | 7,955 | 203 | 147,371 | 37.7% | 30.8% | 26.0% | 5.4% | 0.1% |
| 1986 | 53,350 | 39,330 | 32,852 | 6,008 | 36 | 131,576 | 40.5% | 29.9% | 25.0% | 4.6% | 0.0% |
| 1987 | 56,840 | 43,808 | 34,431 | 7,675 | 160 | 142,914 | 39.8% | 30.7% | 24.1% | 5.4% | 0.1% |
| 1988 | 57,229 | 38,740 | 33,812 | 6,051 | 270 | 136,102 | 42.0% | 28.5% | 24.8% | 4.4% | 0.2% |
| 1989 | 56,937 | 37,409 | 33,521 | 7,007 | 355 | 135,229 | 42.1% | 27.7% | 24.8% | 5.2% | 0.3% |
| 1990 | 60,916 | 42,208 | 35,024 | 8,071 | 391 | 146,610 | 41.5% | 28.8% | 23.9% | 5.5% | 0.3% |
| 1991 | 63,031 | 45,852 | 36,623 | 7,526 | 541 | 153,573 | 41.0% | 29.9% | 23.8% | 4.9% | 0.4% |
| 1992 | 65,634 | 53,720 | 38,260 | 11,062 | 539 | 169,215 | 38.8% | 31.7% | 22.6% | 6.5% | 0.3% |
| 1993 | 73,008 | 52,256 | 40,980 | 11,011 | 636 | 177,891 | 41.0% | 29.4% | 23.0% | 6.2% | 0.4% |
| 1994 | 62,266 | 37,051 | 40,368 | 8,667 | 631 | 148,983 | 41.8% | 24.9% | 27.1% | 5.8% | 0.4% |
| 1995 | 70,391 | 49,689 | 46,749 | 9,666 | 656 | 177,151 | 39.7% | 28.0% | 26.4% | 5.5% | 0.4% |
| 1996 | 79,901 | 63,741 | 46,763 | 13,106 | 779 | 204,290 | 39.1% | 31.2% | 22.9% | 6.4% | 0.4% |
| 1997 | 68,944 | 45,154 | 44,775 | 10,830 | 801 | 170,504 | 40.4% | 26.5% | 26.3% | 6.4% | 0.5% |
| 1998 | 72,091 | 44,966 | 42,582 | 10,175 | 821 | 170,635 | 42.2% | 26.4% | 25.0% | 6.0% | 0.5% |
| 1999 | 79,557 | 56,416 | 42,901 | 12,746 | 911 | 192,531 | 41.3% | 29.3% | 22.3% | 6.6% | 0.5% |
| 2000 | 72,858 | 39,637 | 43,258 | 10,579 | 888 | 167,220 | 43.6% | 23.7% | 25.9% | 6.3% | 0.5% |
| 2001 | 76,913 | 61,776 | 43,891 | 12,579 | 1,022 | 196,181 | 39.2% | 31.5% | 22.4% | 6.4% | 0.5% |
| 2002 | 66,937 | 41,262 | 38,652 | 7,672 | 993 | 155,516 | 43.0% | 26.5% | 24.9% | 4.9% | 0.6% |
| 2003 | 72,315 | 37,052 | 44,131 | 10,794 | 937 | 165,229 | 43.8% | 22.4% | 26.7% | 6.5% | 0.6% |
| 2004 | 67,786 | 43,700 | 48,026 | 12,648 | 926 | 173,086 | 39.2% | 25.2% | 27.7% | 7.3% | 0.5% |
| 2005 | 66,268 | 49,496 | 48,644 | 13,764 | 1,198 | 179,370 | 36.9% | 27.6% | 27.1% | 7.7% | 0.7% |
| Average | 62,408 | 44,631 | 38,187 | 8,529 | 448 | 154,203 | 40.5% | 28.9% | 24.8% | 5.5% | 0.3% |

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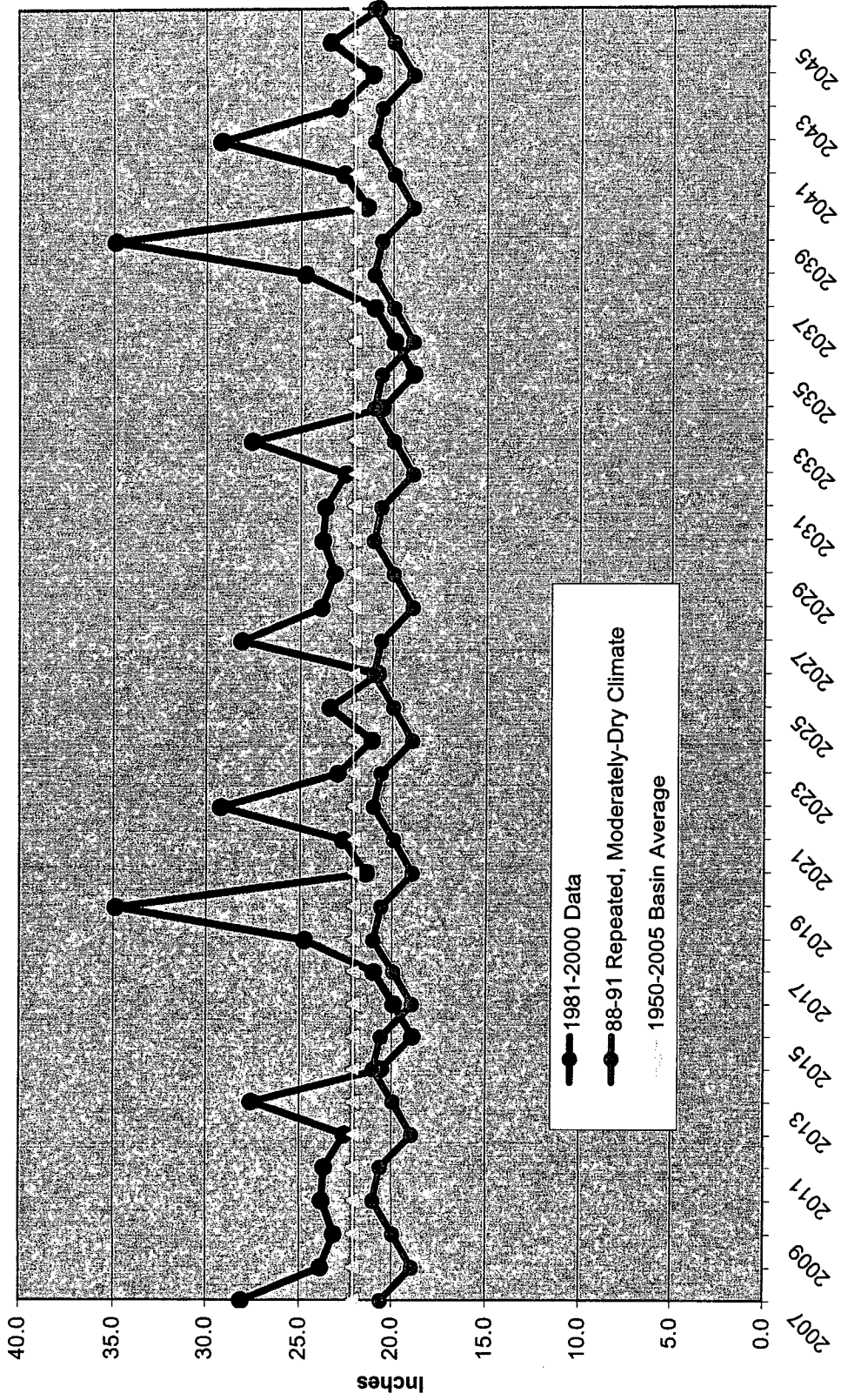
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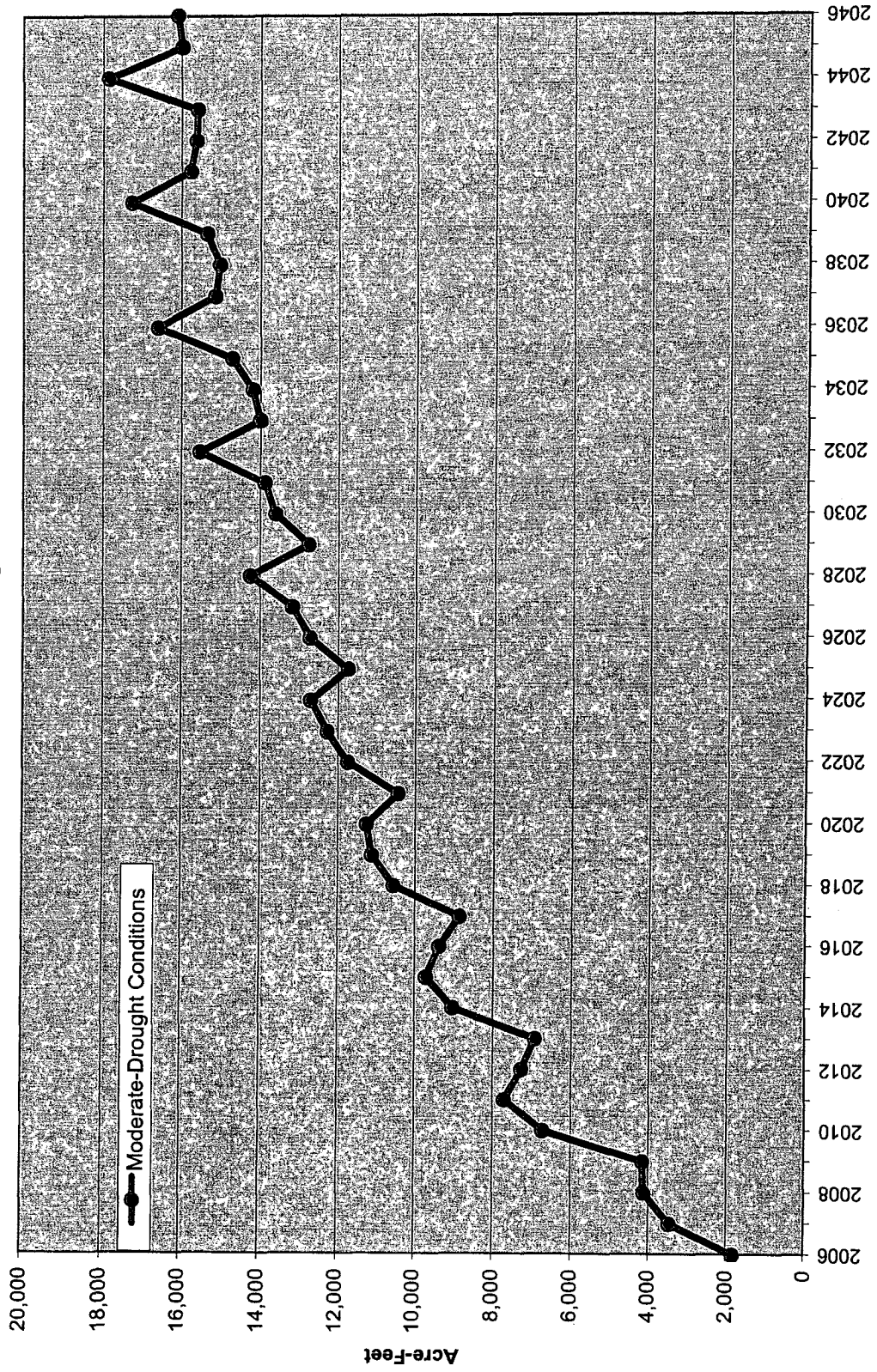
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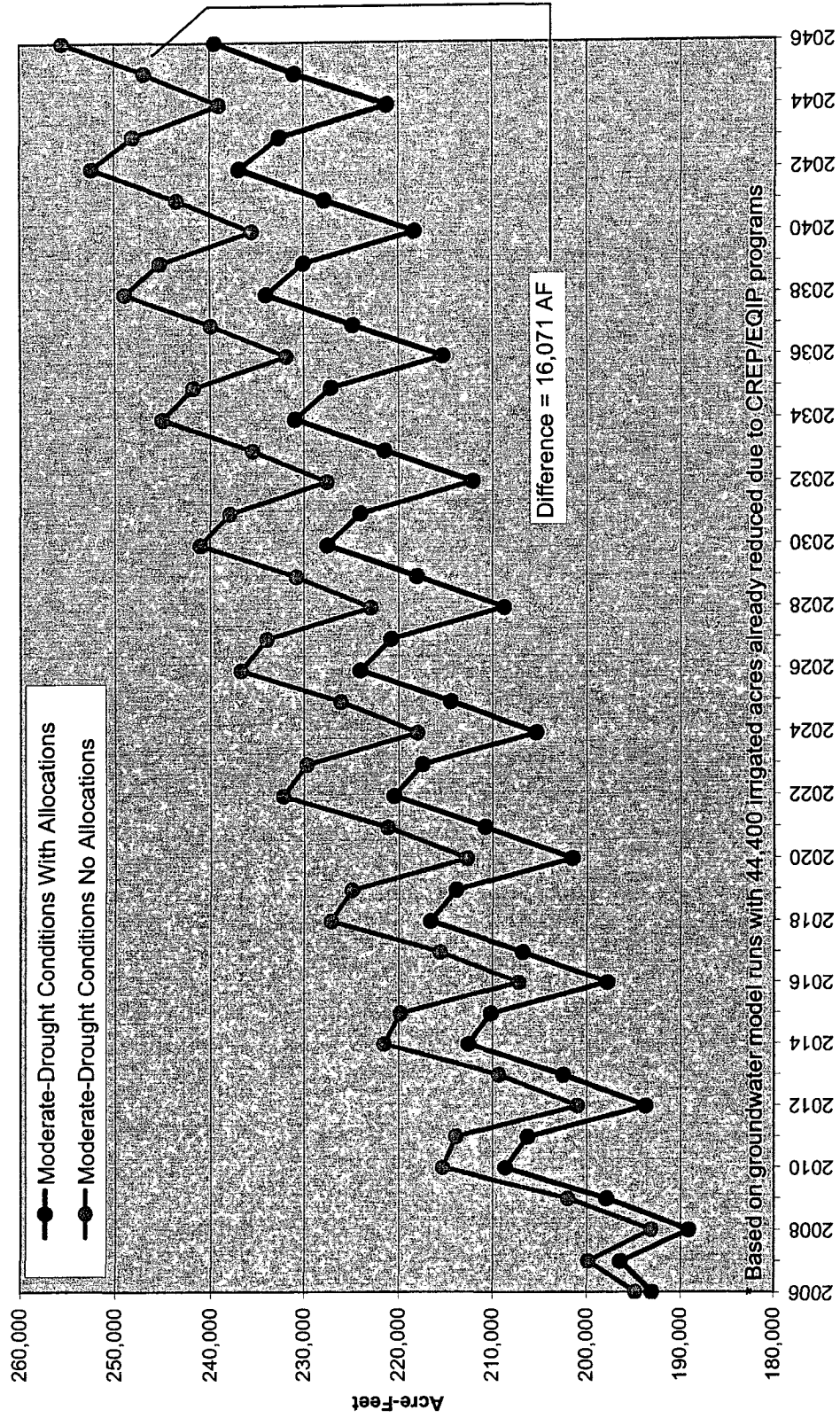
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Republican Basin Reduction in Stream Depletions with Continued Current NRD Pumping Allocations, 2006 - 2046

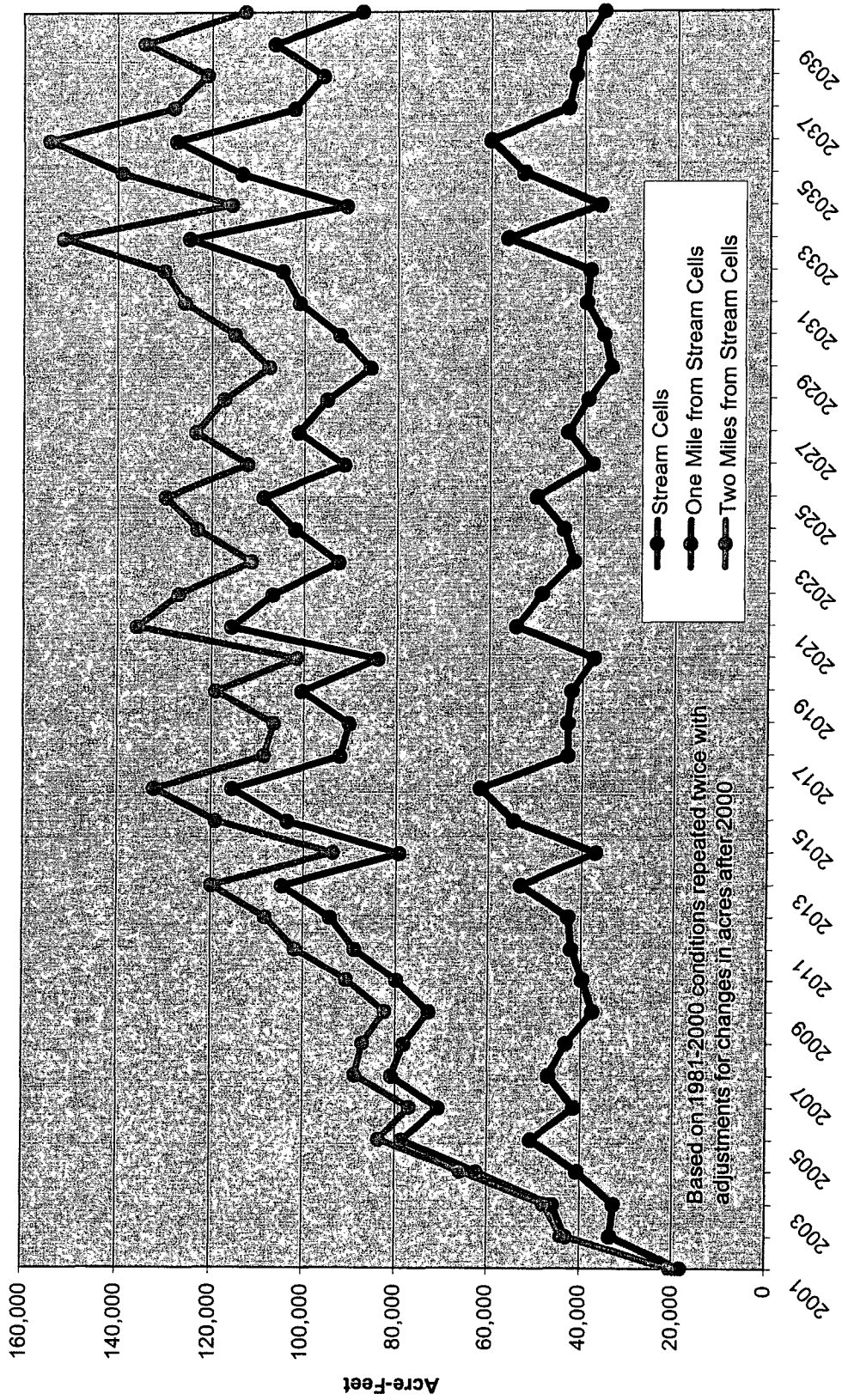


Republican Basin Stream Depletion for Moderate-Drought Conditions, with and without Current NRD Pumping Allocations

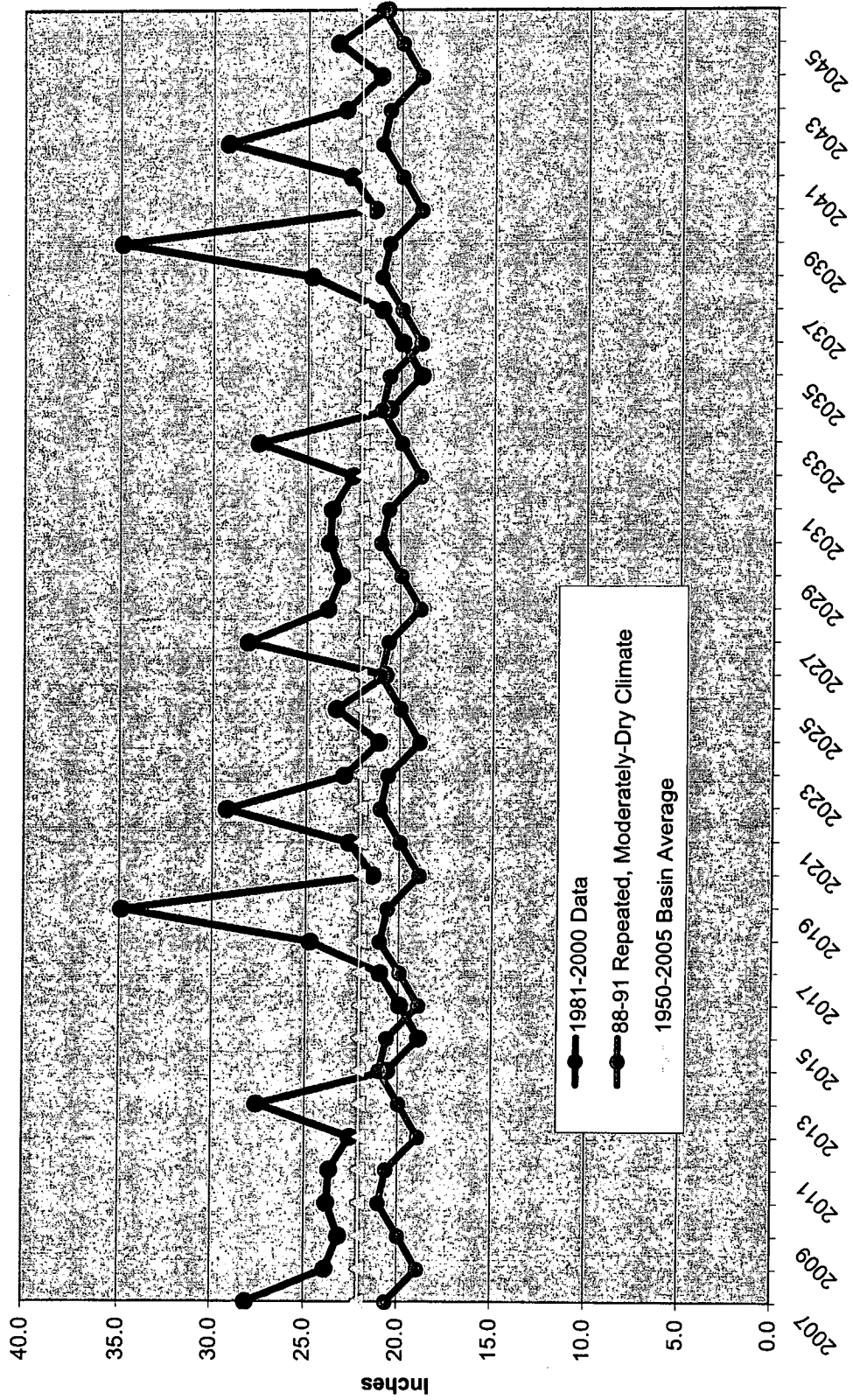


| Estimated Stream Depletion - Moderate Drought Conditions | | | | | | Est. Reduction in Stream Depletion from CREP/EQIP | | | Est. Reduction in Stream Depletion from Current Allocations | |
|--|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|------------------|---|---------------------|----------------------|---|--|
| Year | Alloc_Adj NO_CREP | Alloc_Adj 44,400 | Alloc_Adj 70,000 | Alloc_Adj 100,000 | NO_Adj 44,400 | Alloc_Adj 44,400 | Alloc_Adj 70,000 | Alloc_Adj 100,000 | Alloc_Adj 44,400 | |
| 2006 | 195,137 | 193,072 | 191,842 | 190,206 | 194,895 | 2,065 | 3,295 | 4,931 | 1,823 | |
| 2007 | 200,692 | 196,459 | 194,016 | 191,121 | 199,916 | 4,233 | 6,676 | 9,571 | 3,457 | |
| 2008 | 193,457 | 189,131 | 186,567 | 183,620 | 193,237 | 4,326 | 6,890 | 9,837 | 4,106 | |
| 2009 | 202,905 | 197,907 | 194,789 | 191,174 | 202,041 | 4,998 | 8,116 | 11,731 | 4,134 | |
| 2010 | 214,325 | 208,641 | 205,299 | 201,103 | 215,353 | 5,684 | 9,026 | 13,222 | 6,712 | |
| 2011 | 211,406 | 206,248 | 203,148 | 199,348 | 213,937 | 5,158 | 8,258 | 12,058 | 7,689 | |
| 2012 | 199,409 | 193,780 | 190,542 | 186,663 | 201,030 | 5,629 | 8,867 | 12,746 | 7,250 | |
| 2013 | 208,589 | 202,471 | 198,894 | 194,820 | 209,387 | 6,118 | 9,695 | 13,769 | 6,916 | |
| 2014 | 219,213 | 212,561 | 208,735 | 204,212 | 221,579 | 6,652 | 10,478 | 15,001 | 9,018 | |
| 2015 | 216,045 | 210,147 | 206,628 | 202,472 | 219,841 | 5,898 | 9,417 | 13,573 | 9,694 | |
| 2016 | 204,026 | 197,803 | 194,158 | 189,902 | 207,175 | 6,223 | 9,868 | 14,124 | 9,372 | |
| 2017 | 213,452 | 206,760 | 202,866 | 198,324 | 215,613 | 6,692 | 10,586 | 15,128 | 8,853 | |
| 2018 | 223,749 | 216,590 | 212,473 | 207,636 | 227,136 | 7,159 | 11,276 | 16,113 | 10,546 | |
| 2019 | 220,220 | 213,884 | 210,170 | 205,739 | 224,988 | 6,336 | 10,050 | 14,481 | 11,104 | |
| 2020 | 208,086 | 201,536 | 197,698 | 193,153 | 212,773 | 6,550 | 10,388 | 14,933 | 11,237 | |
| 2021 | 217,868 | 210,774 | 206,737 | 201,926 | 221,205 | 7,094 | 11,131 | 15,942 | 10,431 | |
| 2022 | 227,857 | 220,500 | 216,139 | 211,029 | 232,222 | 7,357 | 11,718 | 16,828 | 11,722 | |
| 2023 | 223,986 | 217,453 | 213,584 | 208,922 | 229,713 | 6,533 | 10,402 | 15,064 | 12,260 | |
| 2024 | 212,134 | 205,324 | 201,200 | 196,501 | 218,018 | 6,810 | 10,934 | 15,633 | 12,694 | |
| 2025 | 221,863 | 214,423 | 210,237 | 205,185 | 226,140 | 7,440 | 11,626 | 16,678 | 11,717 | |
| 2026 | 231,707 | 224,040 | 219,554 | 214,262 | 236,747 | 7,667 | 12,153 | 17,445 | 12,707 | |
| 2027 | 227,572 | 220,811 | 216,836 | 212,021 | 233,979 | 6,761 | 10,736 | 15,551 | 13,168 | |
| 2028 | 215,764 | 208,745 | 204,573 | 199,652 | 222,959 | 7,019 | 11,191 | 16,112 | 14,214 | |
| 2029 | 225,686 | 218,051 | 213,678 | 208,496 | 230,799 | 7,635 | 12,008 | 17,190 | 12,748 | |
| 2030 | 235,523 | 227,480 | 222,873 | 217,477 | 241,076 | 8,043 | 12,650 | 18,046 | 13,596 | |
| 2031 | 230,834 | 224,082 | 219,907 | 214,995 | 237,943 | 6,752 | 10,927 | 15,839 | 13,861 | |
| 2032 | 219,059 | 212,094 | 207,941 | 202,791 | 227,607 | 6,965 | 11,118 | 16,268 | 15,513 | |
| 2033 | 229,253 | 221,508 | 216,930 | 211,689 | 235,487 | 7,745 | 12,323 | 17,564 | 13,979 | |
| 2034 | 238,872 | 230,912 | 226,207 | 220,614 | 245,079 | 7,960 | 12,665 | 18,258 | 14,167 | |
| 2035 | 233,948 | 227,135 | 222,996 | 218,001 | 241,831 | 6,813 | 10,952 | 15,947 | 14,696 | |
| 2036 | 222,284 | 215,305 | 211,124 | 205,932 | 231,873 | 6,979 | 11,160 | 16,352 | 16,568 | |
| 2037 | 232,780 | 224,814 | 220,229 | 214,826 | 239,931 | 7,966 | 12,551 | 17,954 | 15,117 | |
| 2038 | 242,024 | 233,951 | 229,312 | 223,656 | 248,957 | 8,073 | 12,712 | 18,368 | 15,006 | |
| 2039 | 236,703 | 229,952 | 225,906 | 220,899 | 245,272 | 6,751 | 10,797 | 15,804 | 15,320 | |
| 2040 | 225,340 | 218,260 | 214,025 | 208,958 | 235,510 | 7,080 | 11,315 | 16,382 | 17,250 | |
| 2041 | 235,939 | 227,780 | 223,169 | 217,705 | 243,519 | 8,159 | 12,770 | 18,234 | 15,739 | |
| 2042 | 244,974 | 236,799 | 232,148 | 226,501 | 252,397 | 8,175 | 12,826 | 18,473 | 15,598 | |
| 2043 | 239,120 | 232,587 | 228,634 | 223,598 | 248,155 | 6,533 | 10,486 | 15,522 | 15,568 | |
| 2044 | 228,590 | 221,231 | 217,062 | 212,075 | 239,063 | 7,359 | 11,528 | 16,515 | 17,832 | |
| 2045 | 239,028 | 230,962 | 226,323 | 220,753 | 246,917 | 8,066 | 12,705 | 18,275 | 15,955 | |
| 2046 | 247,831 | 239,435 | 234,637 | 229,204 | 255,506 | 8,396 | 13,194 | 18,627 | 16,071 | |

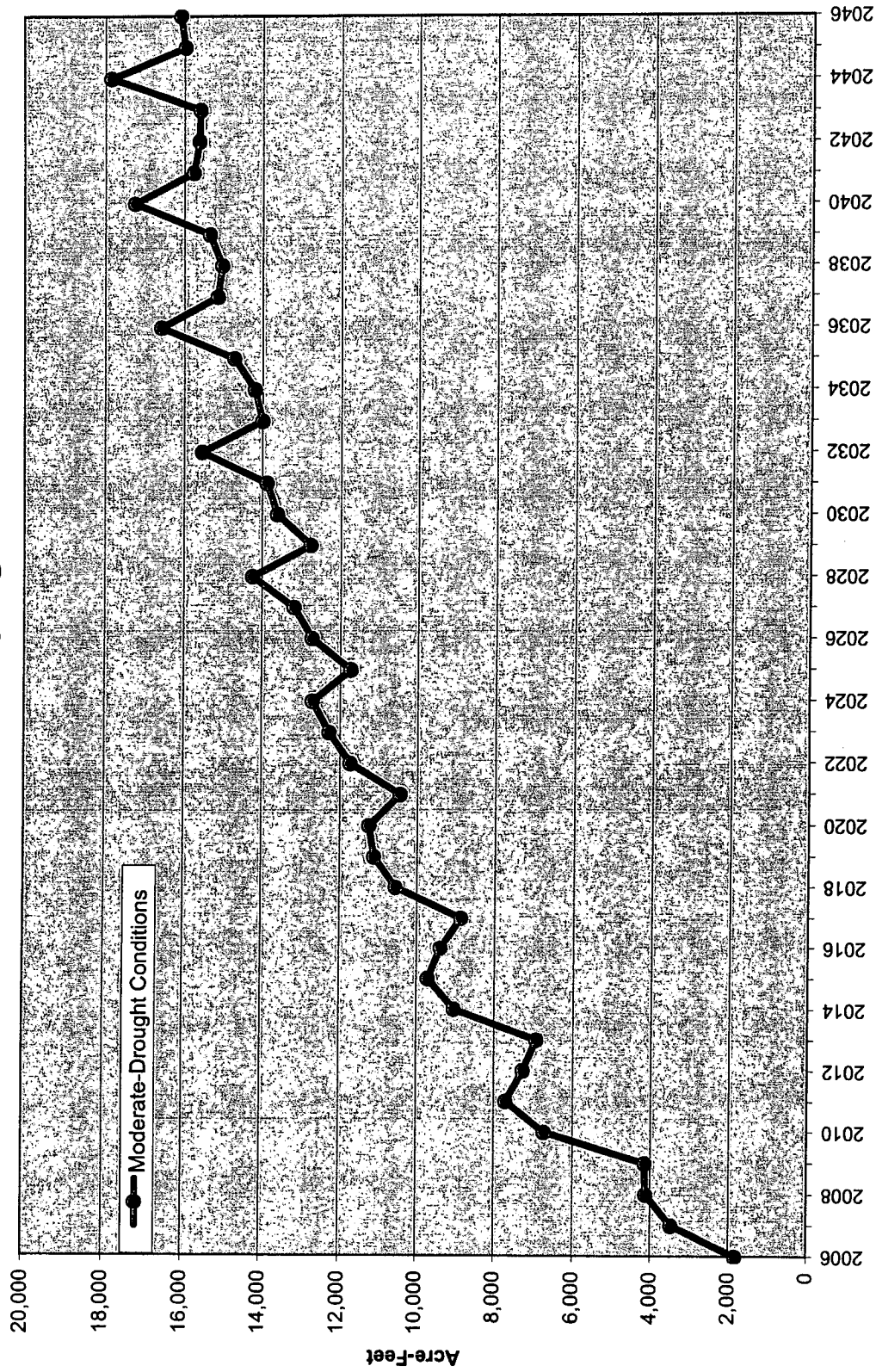
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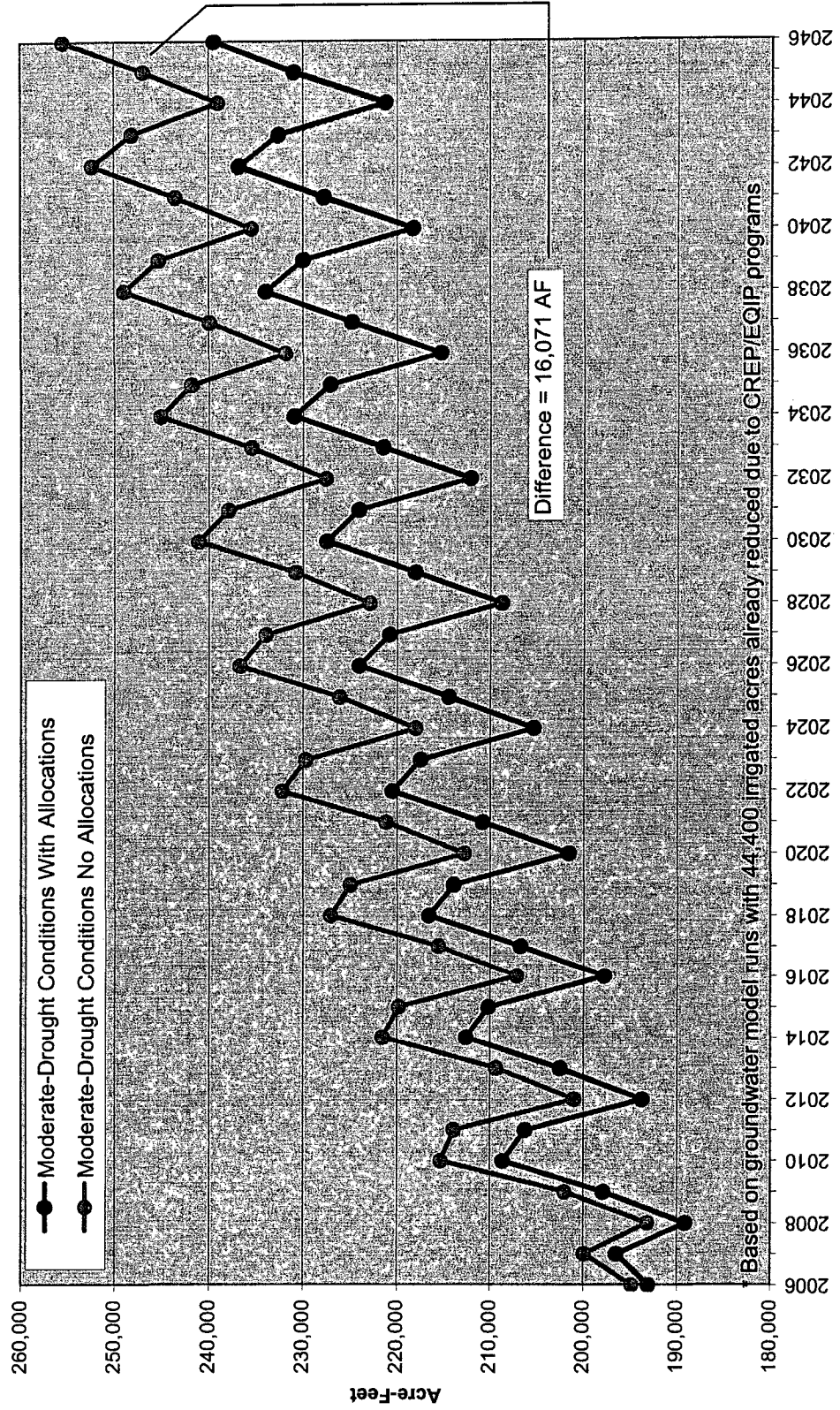
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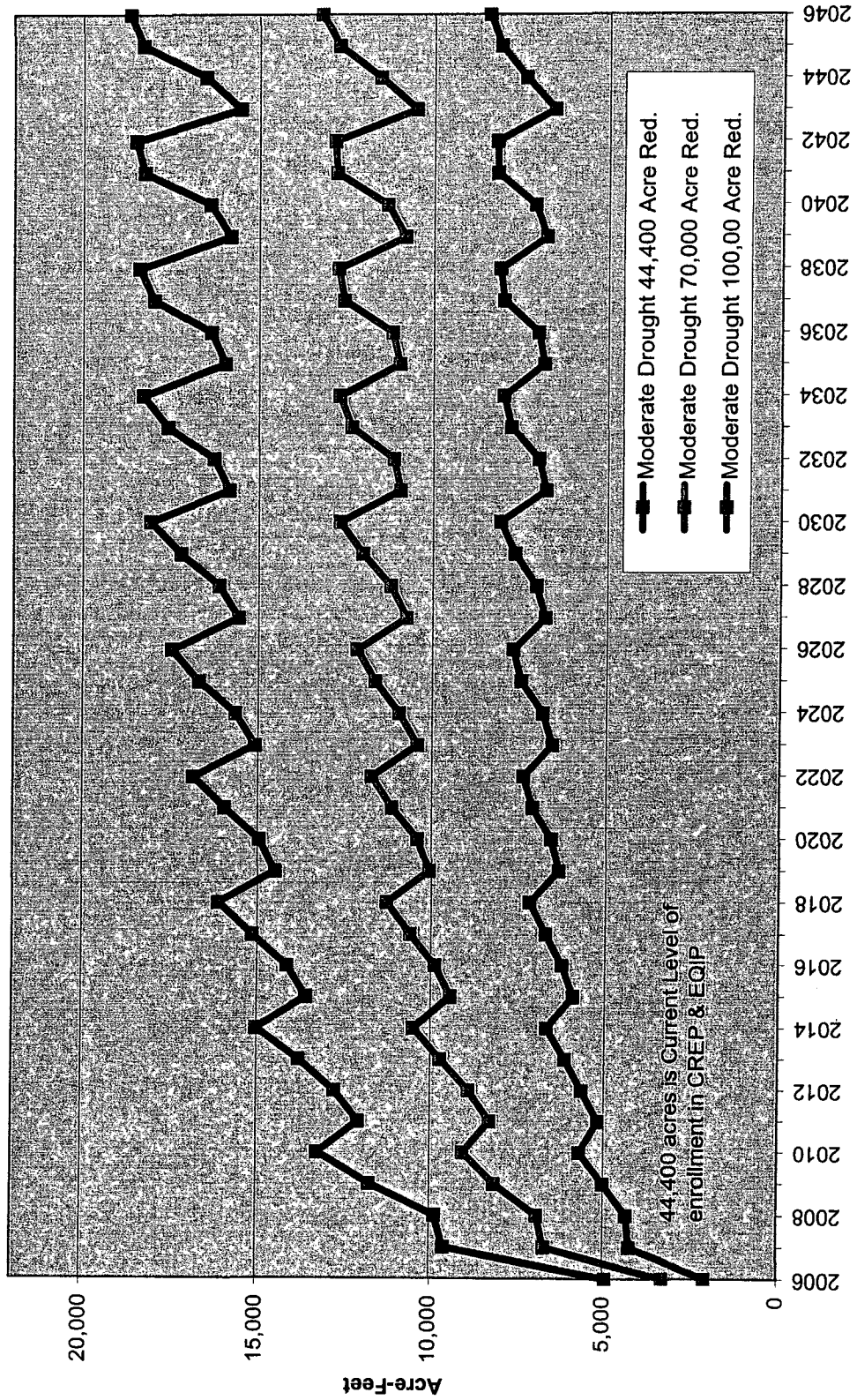
Republican Basin Reduction in Stream Depletions with Continued Current NRD Pumping Allocations, 2006 - 2046



Republican Basin Stream Depletion for Moderate-Drought Conditions, with and without Current NRD Pumping Allocations



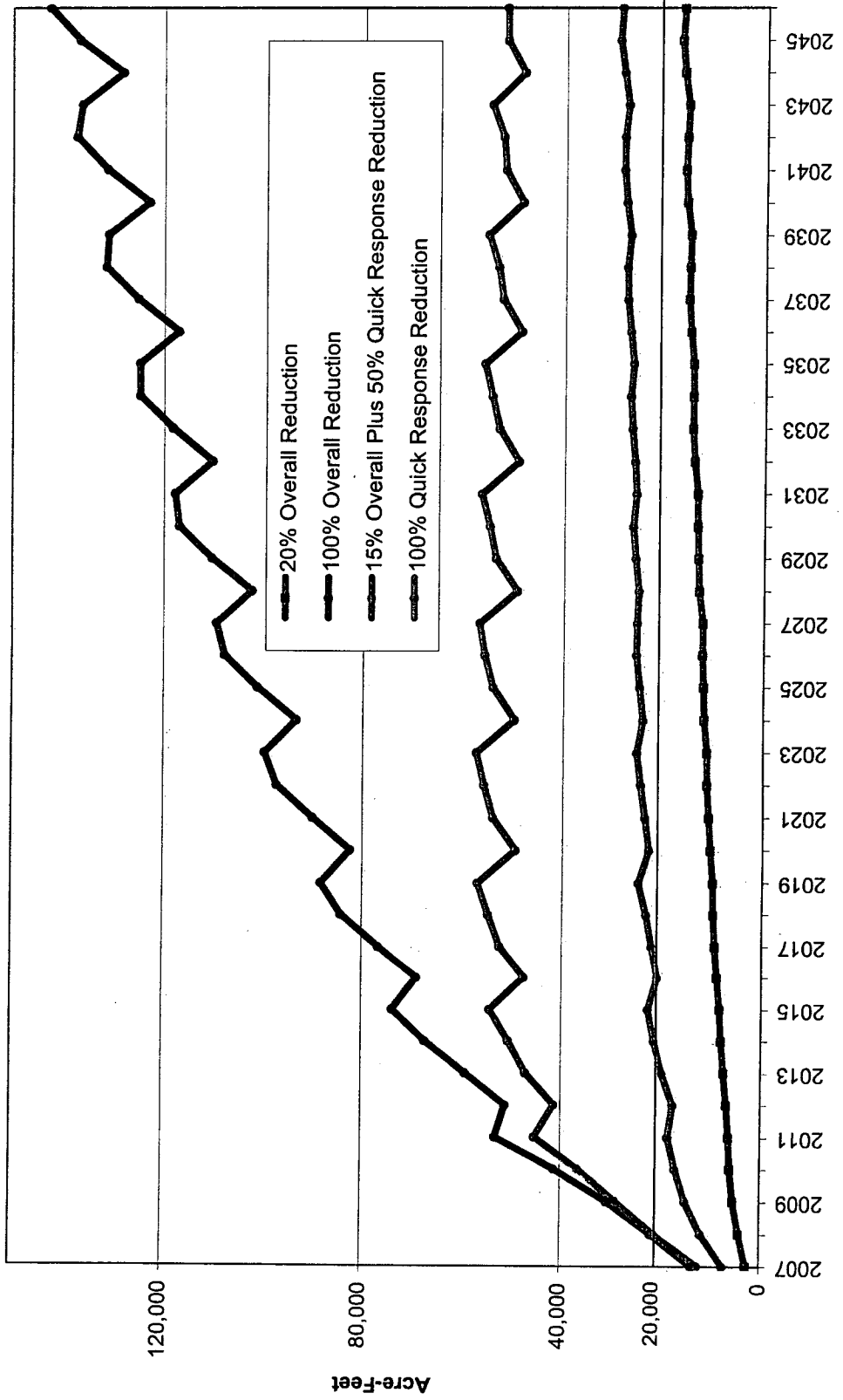
Republican Basin Reduction in Stream Depletion due to CREP/EQIP Irrigated Acres Conversion Programs



| Estimated Stream Depletion - Moderate Drought Conditions | | | | | | Est. Reduction in Stream Depletion from CREP/EQIP | | | Est. Reduction in Stream Depletion from Current Allocations |
|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------|---|-----------|-----------|---|
| Year | Alloc_Adj | Alloc_Adj | Alloc_Adj | Alloc_Adj | NO_Adj | Alloc_Adj | Alloc_Adj | Alloc_Adj | Alloc_Adj |
| | NO_CREP | 44,400 | 70,000 | 100,000 | 44,400 | 44,400 | 70,000 | 100,000 | 44,400 |
| 2006 | 195,137 | 193,072 | 191,842 | 190,206 | 194,895 | 2,065 | 3,295 | 4,931 | 1,823 |
| 2007 | 200,692 | 196,459 | 194,016 | 191,121 | 199,916 | 4,233 | 6,676 | 9,571 | 3,457 |
| 2008 | 193,457 | 189,131 | 186,567 | 183,620 | 193,237 | 4,326 | 6,890 | 9,837 | 4,106 |
| 2009 | 202,905 | 197,907 | 194,789 | 191,174 | 202,041 | 4,998 | 8,116 | 11,731 | 4,134 |
| 2010 | 214,325 | 208,641 | 205,299 | 201,103 | 215,353 | 5,684 | 9,026 | 13,222 | 6,712 |
| 2011 | 211,406 | 206,248 | 203,148 | 199,348 | 213,937 | 5,158 | 8,258 | 12,058 | 7,689 |
| 2012 | 199,409 | 193,780 | 190,542 | 186,663 | 201,030 | 5,629 | 8,867 | 12,746 | 7,250 |
| 2013 | 208,589 | 202,471 | 198,894 | 194,820 | 209,387 | 6,118 | 9,695 | 13,769 | 6,916 |
| 2014 | 219,213 | 212,561 | 208,735 | 204,212 | 221,579 | 6,652 | 10,478 | 15,001 | 9,018 |
| 2015 | 216,045 | 210,147 | 206,628 | 202,472 | 219,841 | 5,898 | 9,417 | 13,573 | 9,694 |
| 2016 | 204,026 | 197,803 | 194,158 | 189,902 | 207,175 | 6,223 | 9,868 | 14,124 | 9,372 |
| 2017 | 213,452 | 206,760 | 202,866 | 198,324 | 215,613 | 6,692 | 10,586 | 15,128 | 8,853 |
| 2018 | 223,749 | 216,590 | 212,473 | 207,636 | 227,136 | 7,159 | 11,276 | 16,113 | 10,546 |
| 2019 | 220,220 | 213,884 | 210,170 | 205,739 | 224,988 | 6,336 | 10,050 | 14,481 | 11,104 |
| 2020 | 208,086 | 201,536 | 197,698 | 193,153 | 212,773 | 6,550 | 10,388 | 14,933 | 11,237 |
| 2021 | 217,868 | 210,774 | 206,737 | 201,926 | 221,205 | 7,094 | 11,131 | 15,942 | 10,431 |
| 2022 | 227,857 | 220,500 | 216,139 | 211,029 | 232,222 | 7,357 | 11,718 | 16,828 | 11,722 |
| 2023 | 223,986 | 217,453 | 213,584 | 208,922 | 229,713 | 6,533 | 10,402 | 15,064 | 12,260 |
| 2024 | 212,134 | 205,324 | 201,200 | 196,501 | 218,018 | 6,810 | 10,934 | 15,633 | 12,694 |
| 2025 | 221,863 | 214,423 | 210,237 | 205,185 | 226,140 | 7,440 | 11,626 | 16,678 | 11,717 |
| 2026 | 231,707 | 224,040 | 219,554 | 214,262 | 236,747 | 7,667 | 12,153 | 17,445 | 12,707 |
| 2027 | 227,572 | 220,811 | 216,836 | 212,021 | 233,979 | 6,761 | 10,736 | 15,551 | 13,168 |
| 2028 | 215,764 | 208,745 | 204,573 | 199,652 | 222,959 | 7,019 | 11,191 | 16,112 | 14,214 |
| 2029 | 225,686 | 218,051 | 213,678 | 208,496 | 230,799 | 7,635 | 12,008 | 17,190 | 12,748 |
| 2030 | 235,523 | 227,480 | 222,873 | 217,477 | 241,076 | 8,043 | 12,650 | 18,046 | 13,596 |
| 2031 | 230,834 | 224,082 | 219,907 | 214,995 | 237,943 | 6,752 | 10,927 | 15,839 | 13,861 |
| 2032 | 219,059 | 212,094 | 207,941 | 202,791 | 227,607 | 6,965 | 11,118 | 16,268 | 15,513 |
| 2033 | 229,253 | 221,508 | 216,930 | 211,689 | 235,487 | 7,745 | 12,323 | 17,564 | 13,979 |
| 2034 | 238,872 | 230,912 | 226,207 | 220,614 | 245,079 | 7,960 | 12,665 | 18,258 | 14,167 |
| 2035 | 233,948 | 227,135 | 222,996 | 218,001 | 241,831 | 6,813 | 10,952 | 15,947 | 14,696 |
| 2036 | 222,284 | 215,305 | 211,124 | 205,932 | 231,873 | 6,979 | 11,160 | 16,352 | 16,568 |
| 2037 | 232,780 | 224,814 | 220,229 | 214,826 | 239,931 | 7,966 | 12,551 | 17,954 | 15,117 |
| 2038 | 242,024 | 233,951 | 229,312 | 223,656 | 248,957 | 8,073 | 12,712 | 18,368 | 15,006 |
| 2039 | 236,703 | 229,952 | 225,906 | 220,899 | 245,272 | 6,751 | 10,797 | 15,804 | 15,320 |
| 2040 | 225,340 | 218,260 | 214,025 | 208,958 | 235,510 | 7,080 | 11,315 | 16,382 | 17,250 |
| 2041 | 235,939 | 227,780 | 223,169 | 217,705 | 243,519 | 8,159 | 12,770 | 18,234 | 15,739 |
| 2042 | 244,974 | 236,799 | 232,148 | 226,501 | 252,397 | 8,175 | 12,826 | 18,473 | 15,598 |
| 2043 | 239,120 | 232,587 | 228,634 | 223,598 | 248,155 | 6,533 | 10,486 | 15,522 | 15,568 |
| 2044 | 228,590 | 221,231 | 217,062 | 212,075 | 239,063 | 7,359 | 11,528 | 16,515 | 17,832 |
| 2045 | 239,028 | 230,962 | 226,323 | 220,753 | 246,917 | 8,066 | 12,705 | 18,275 | 15,955 |
| 2046 | 247,831 | 239,435 | 234,637 | 229,204 | 255,506 | 8,396 | 13,194 | 18,627 | 16,071 |

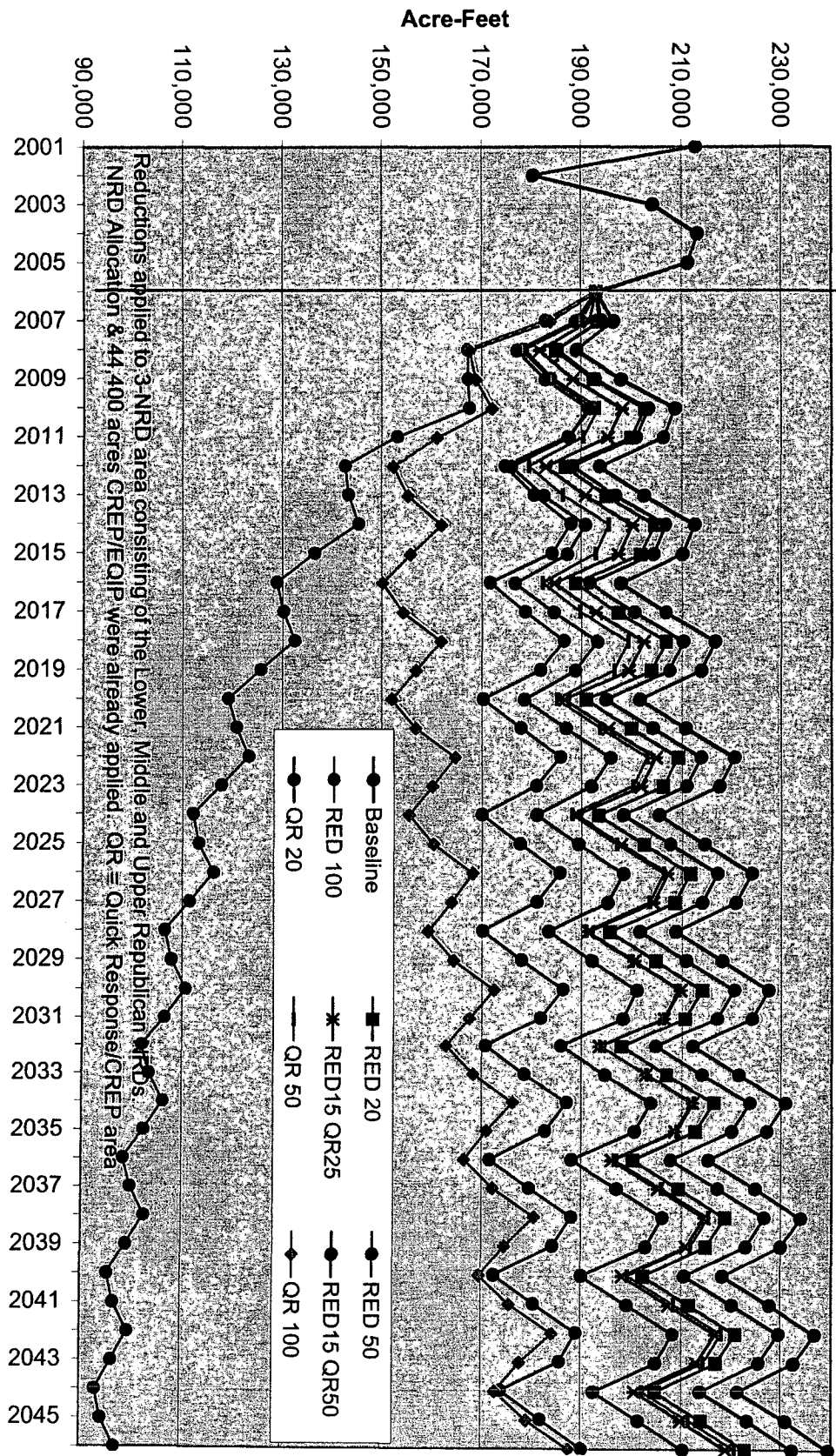
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Moderate Drought



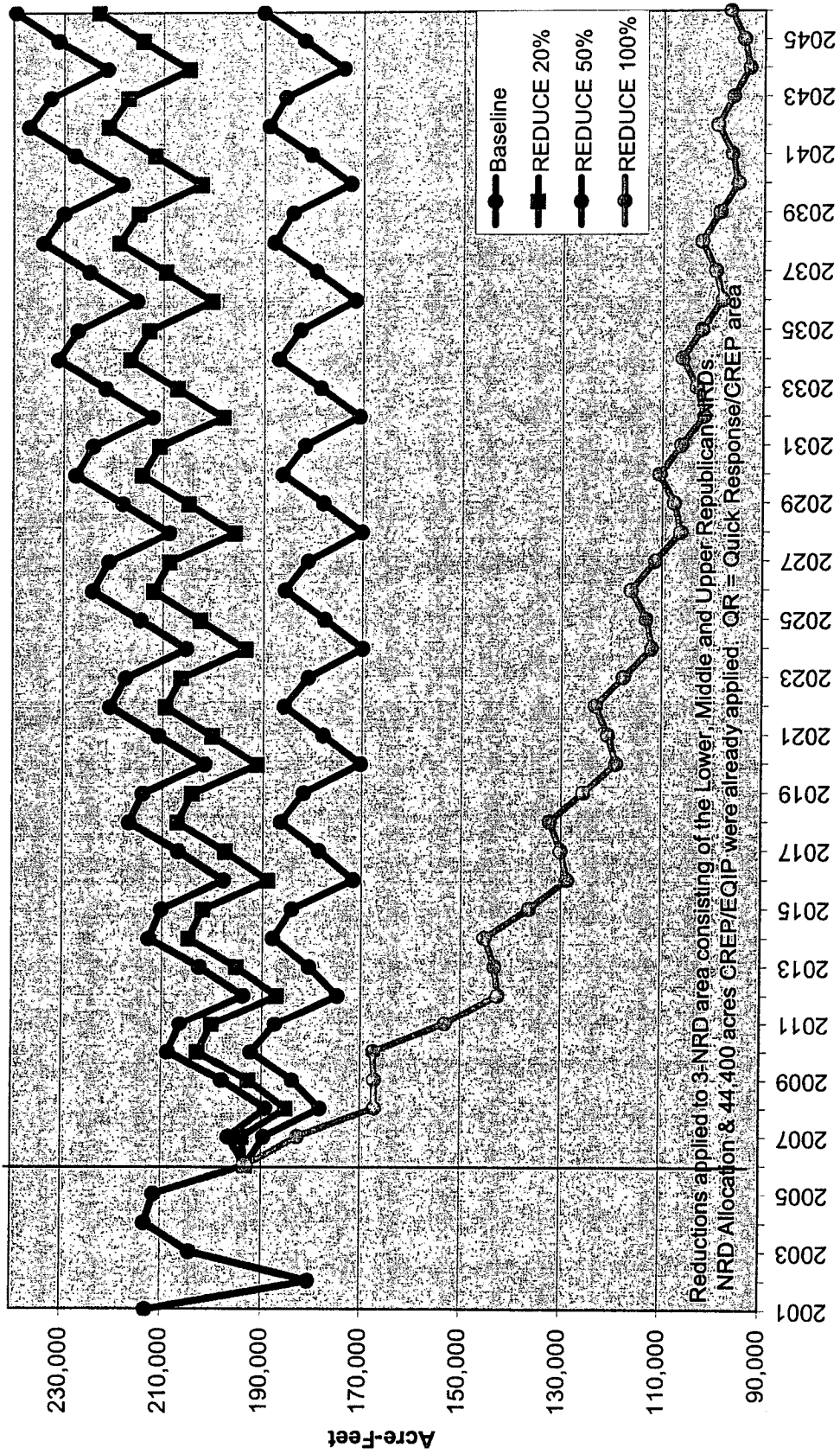
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Moderate Drought 3-NRD Reduction Scenarios



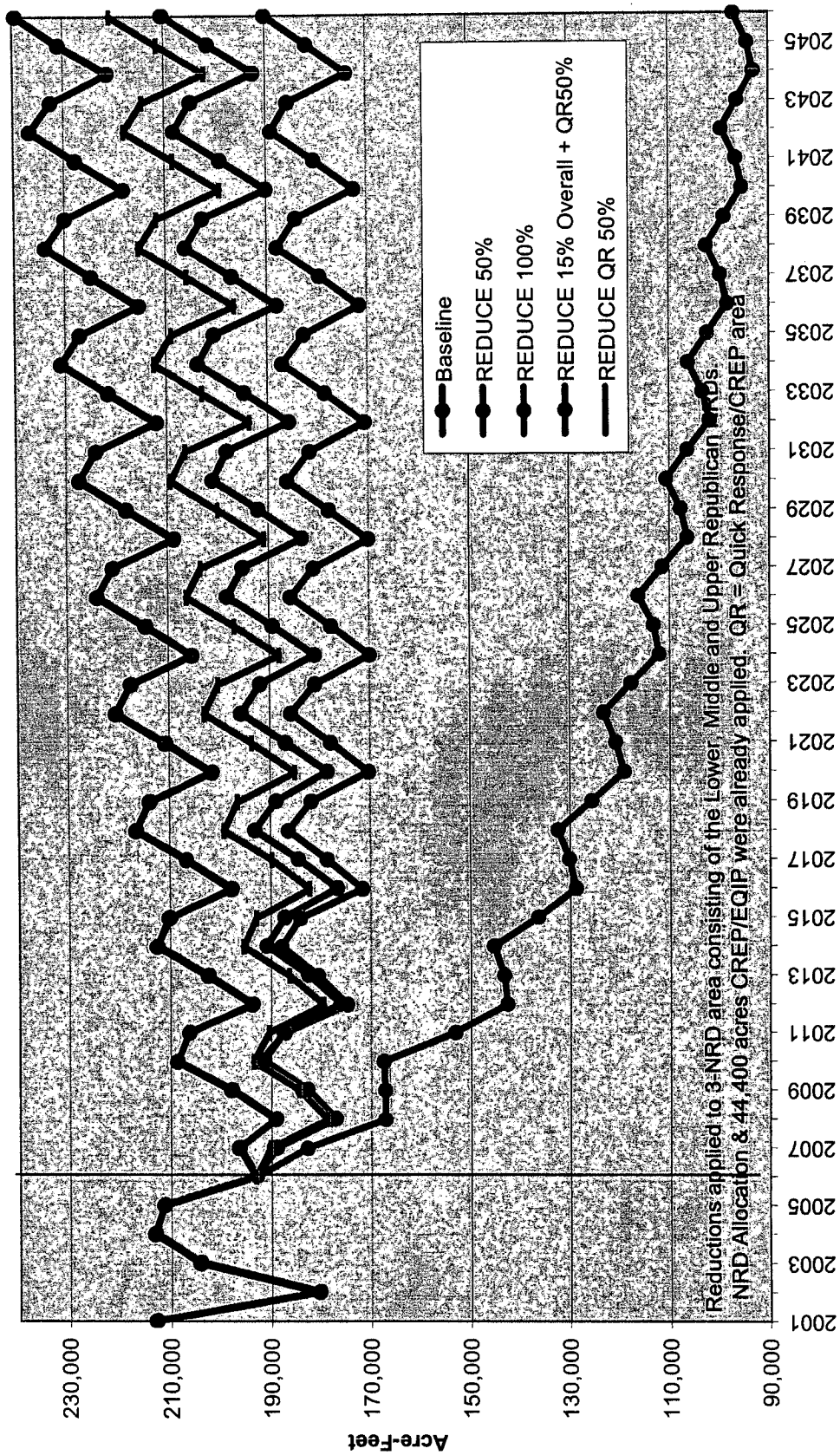
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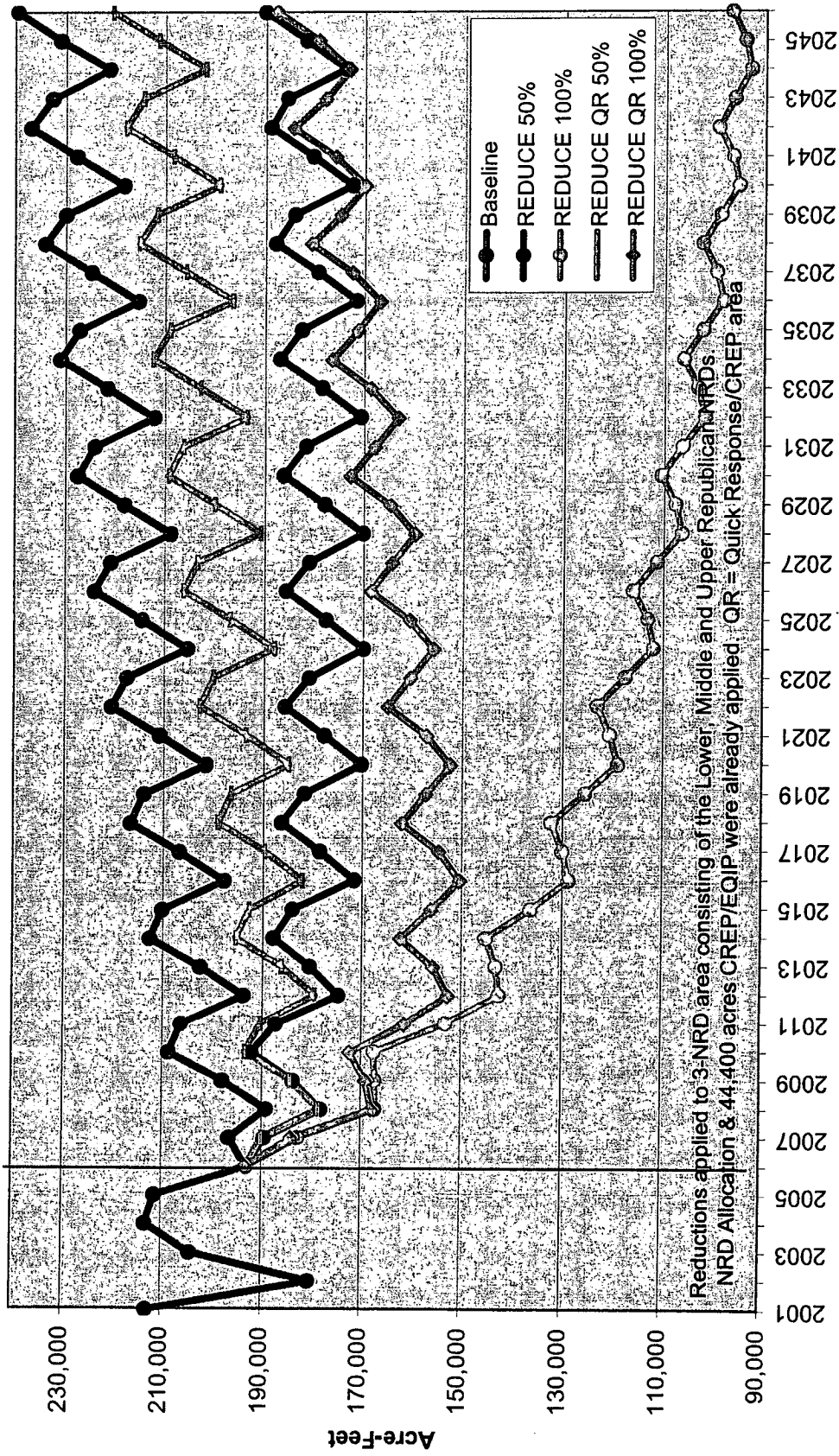
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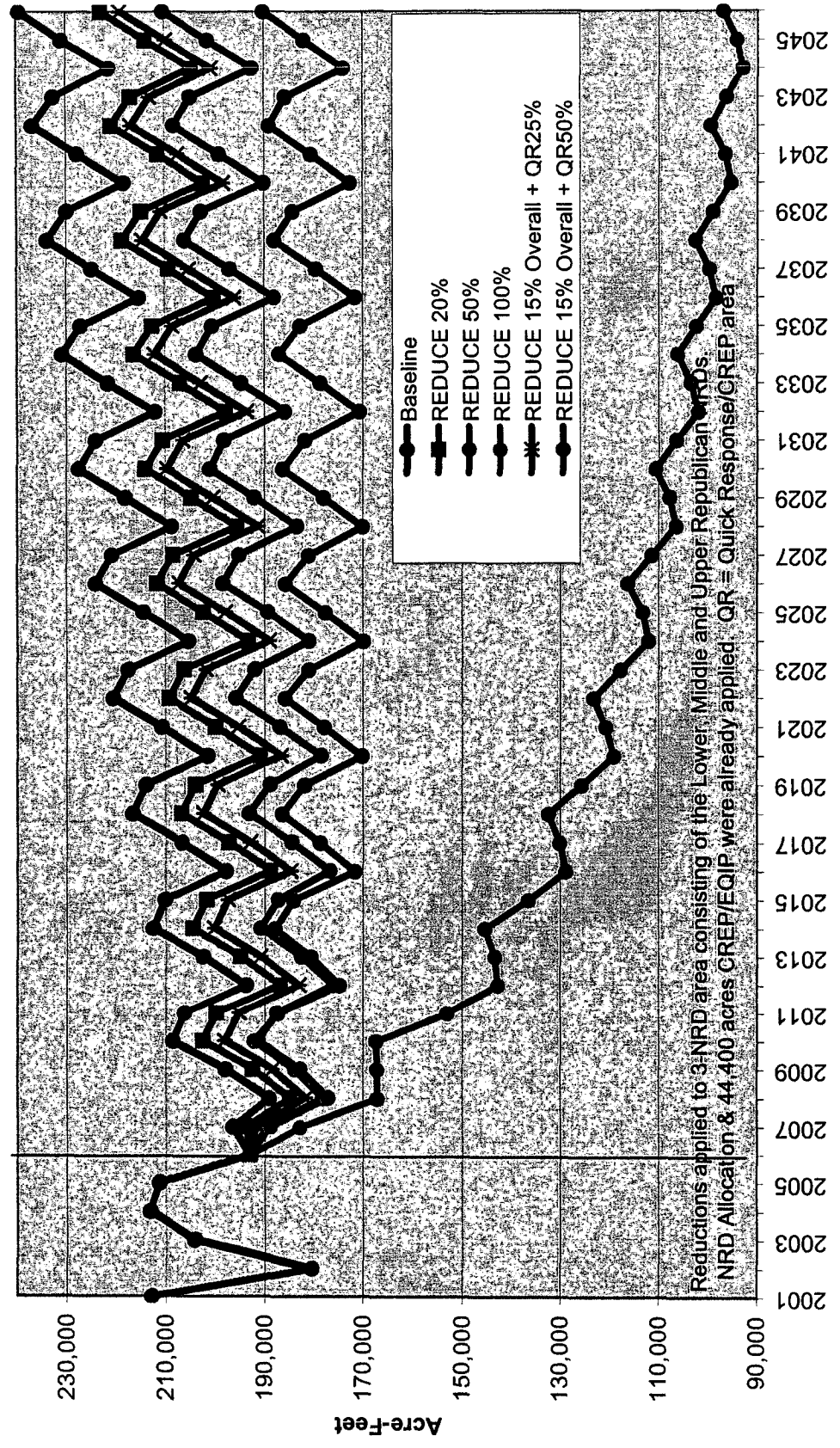
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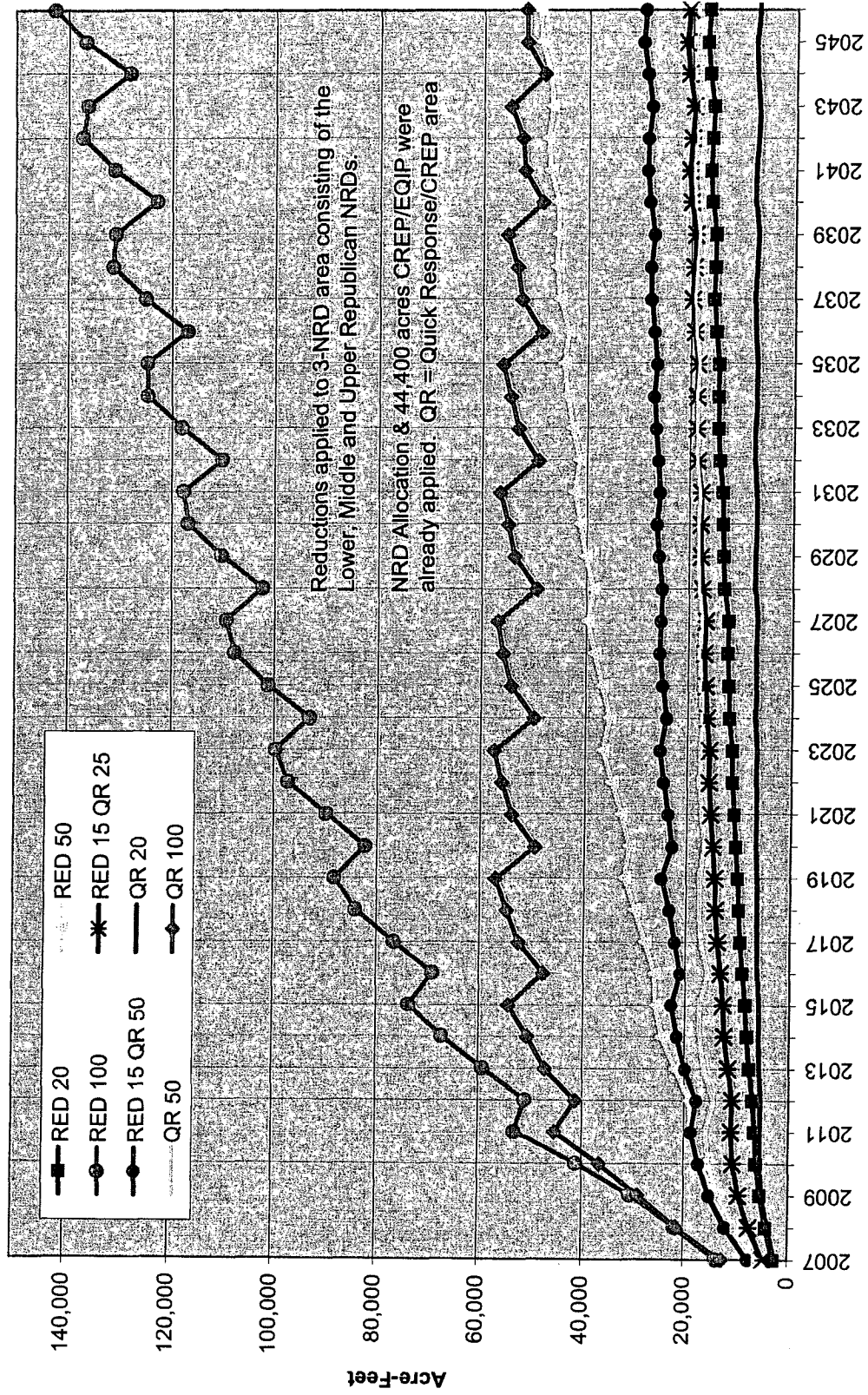
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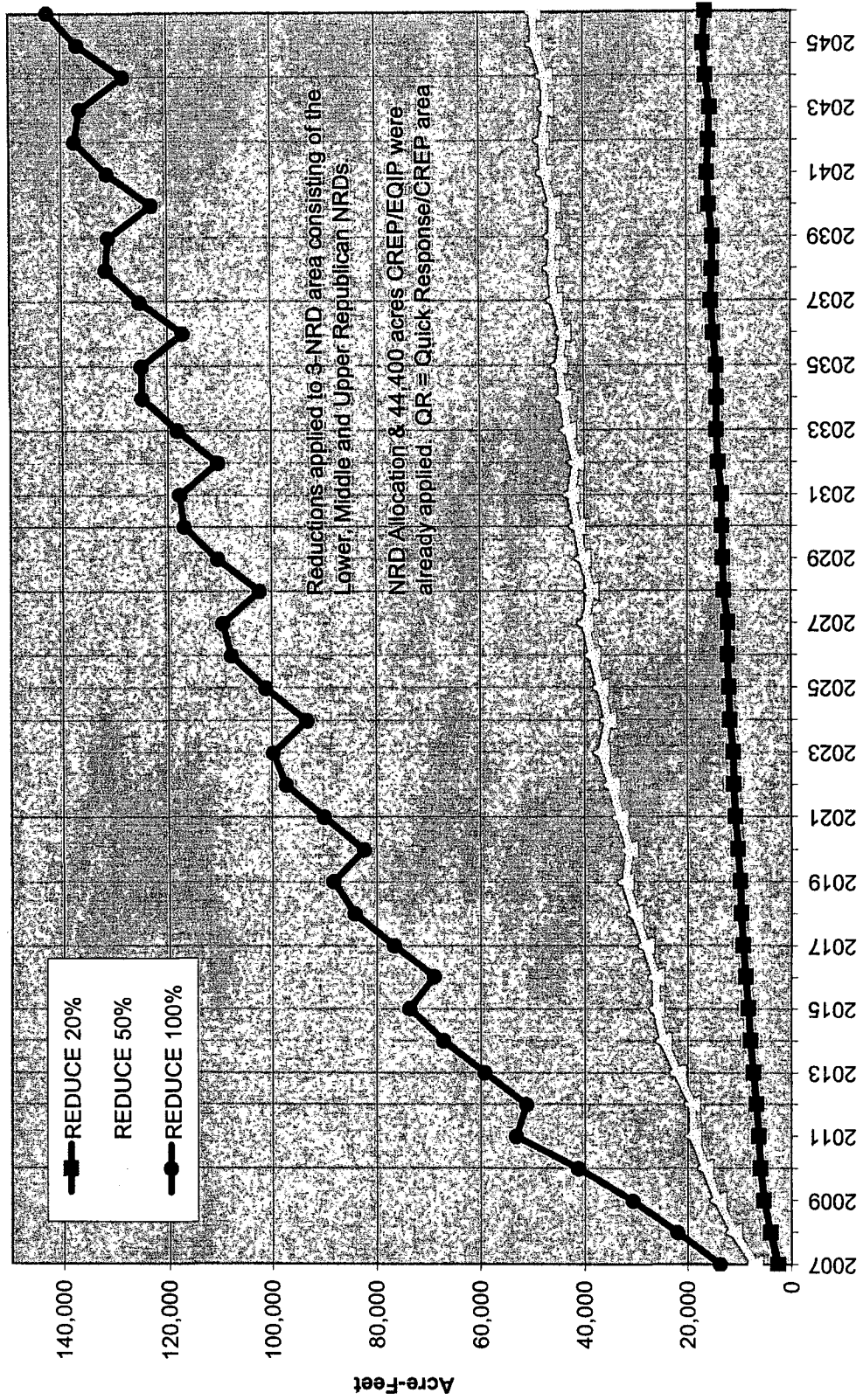
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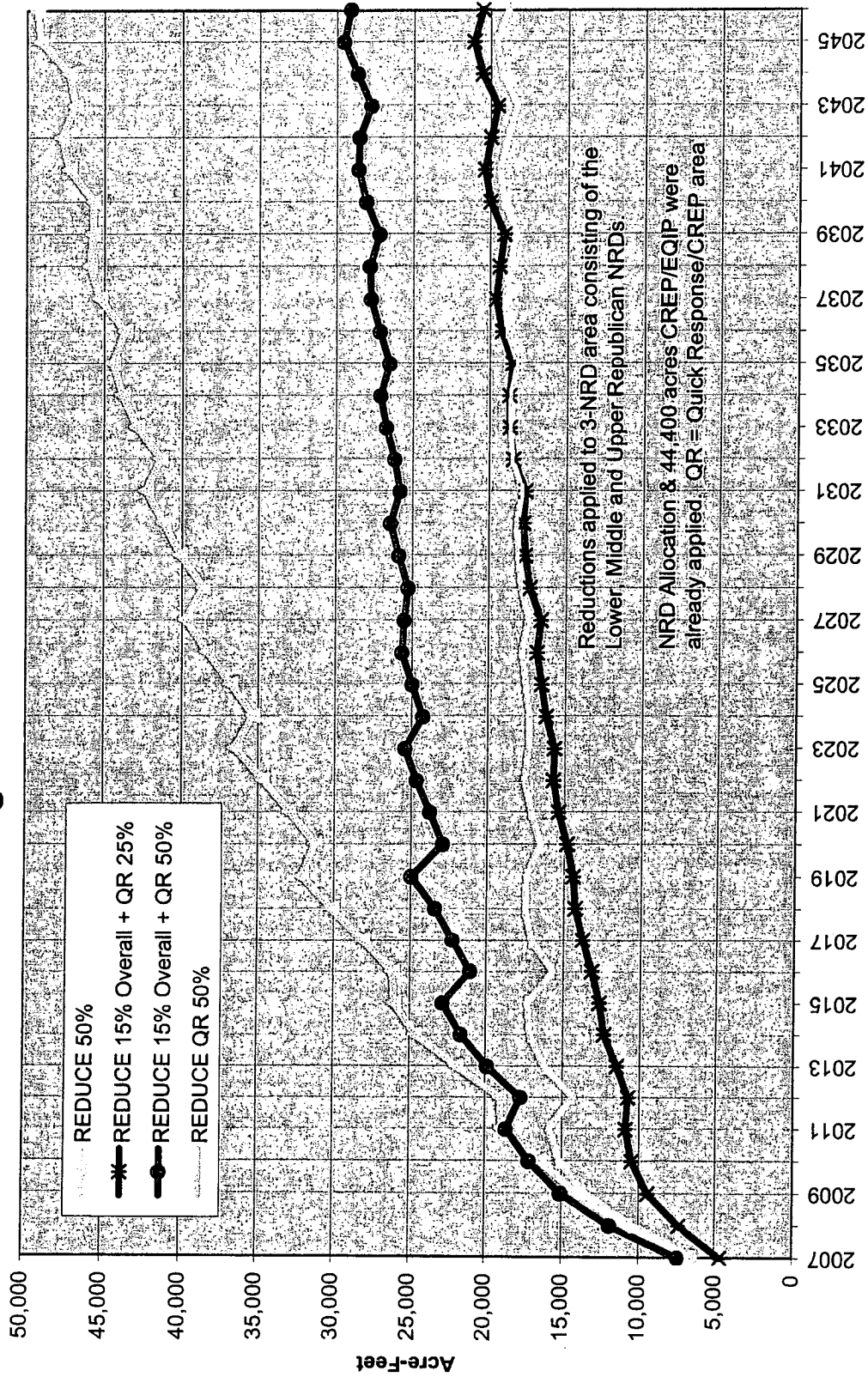
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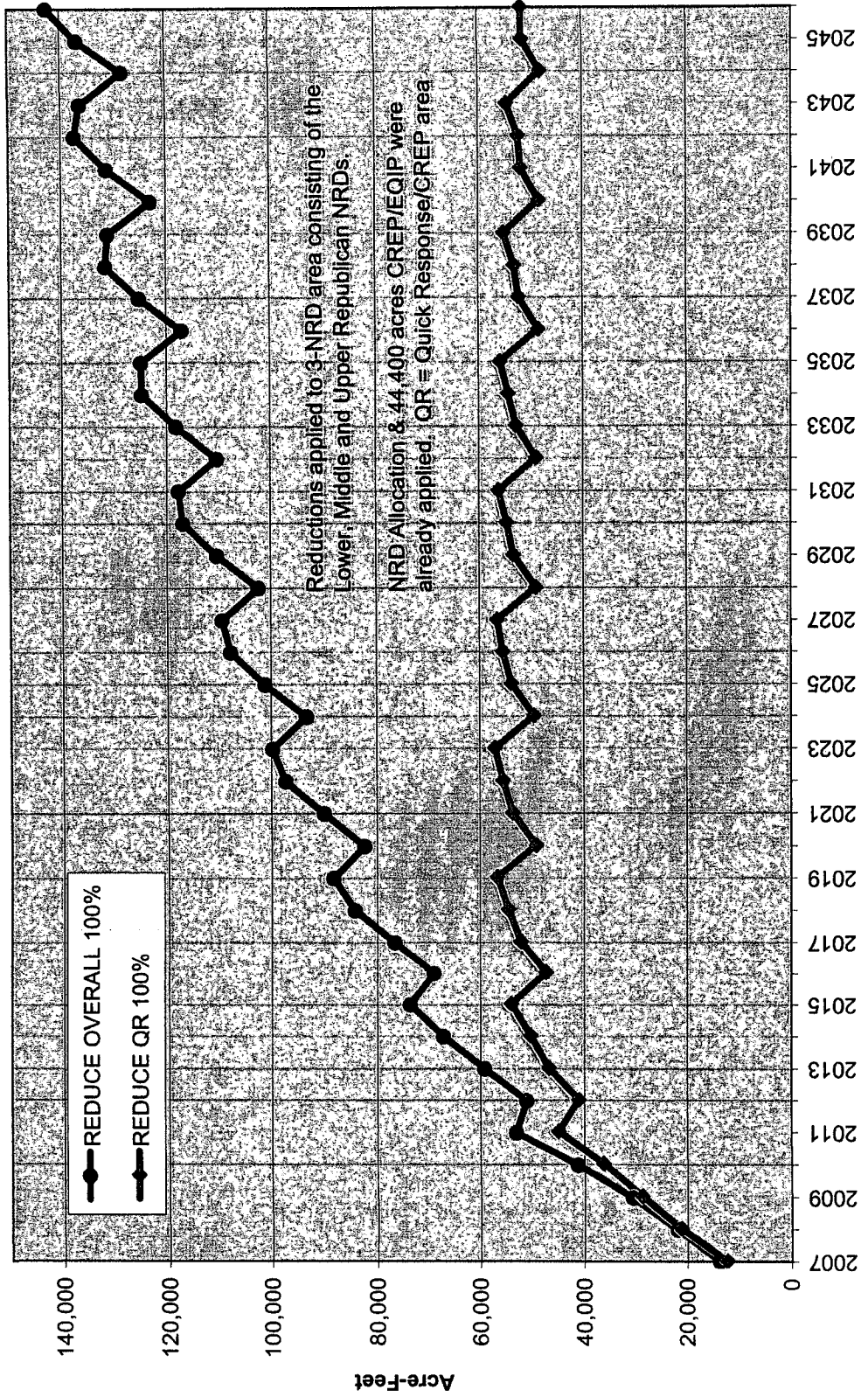
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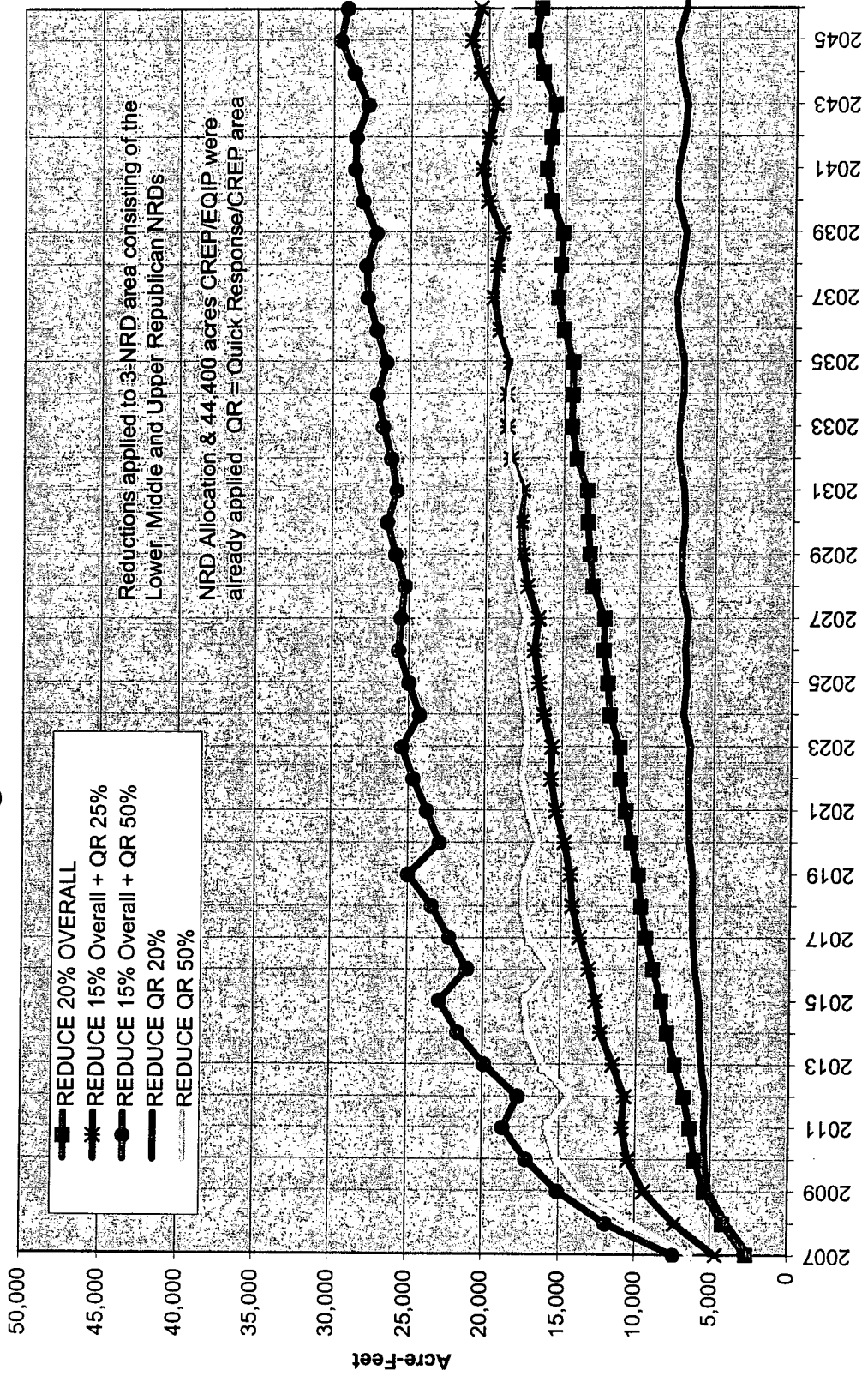
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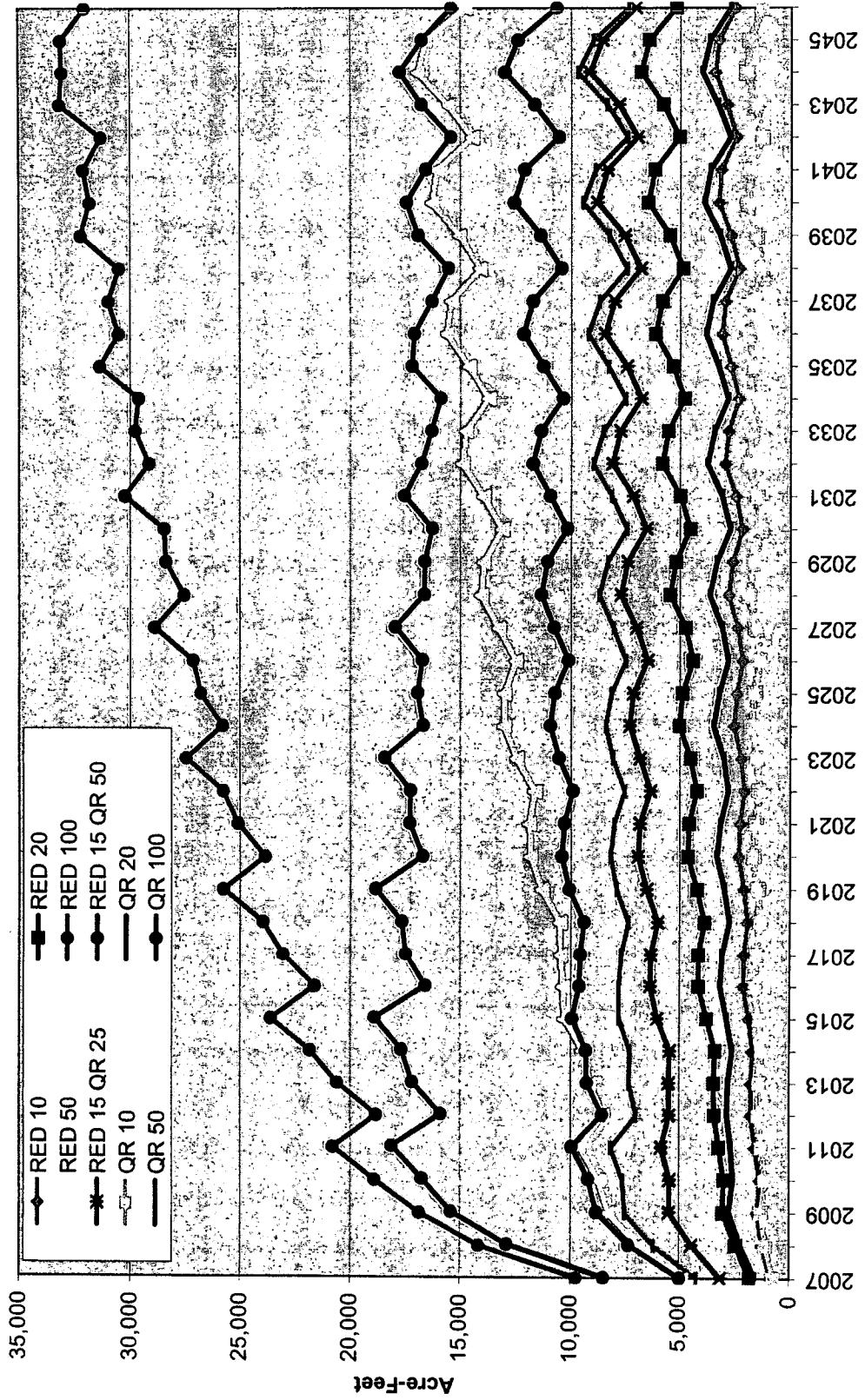


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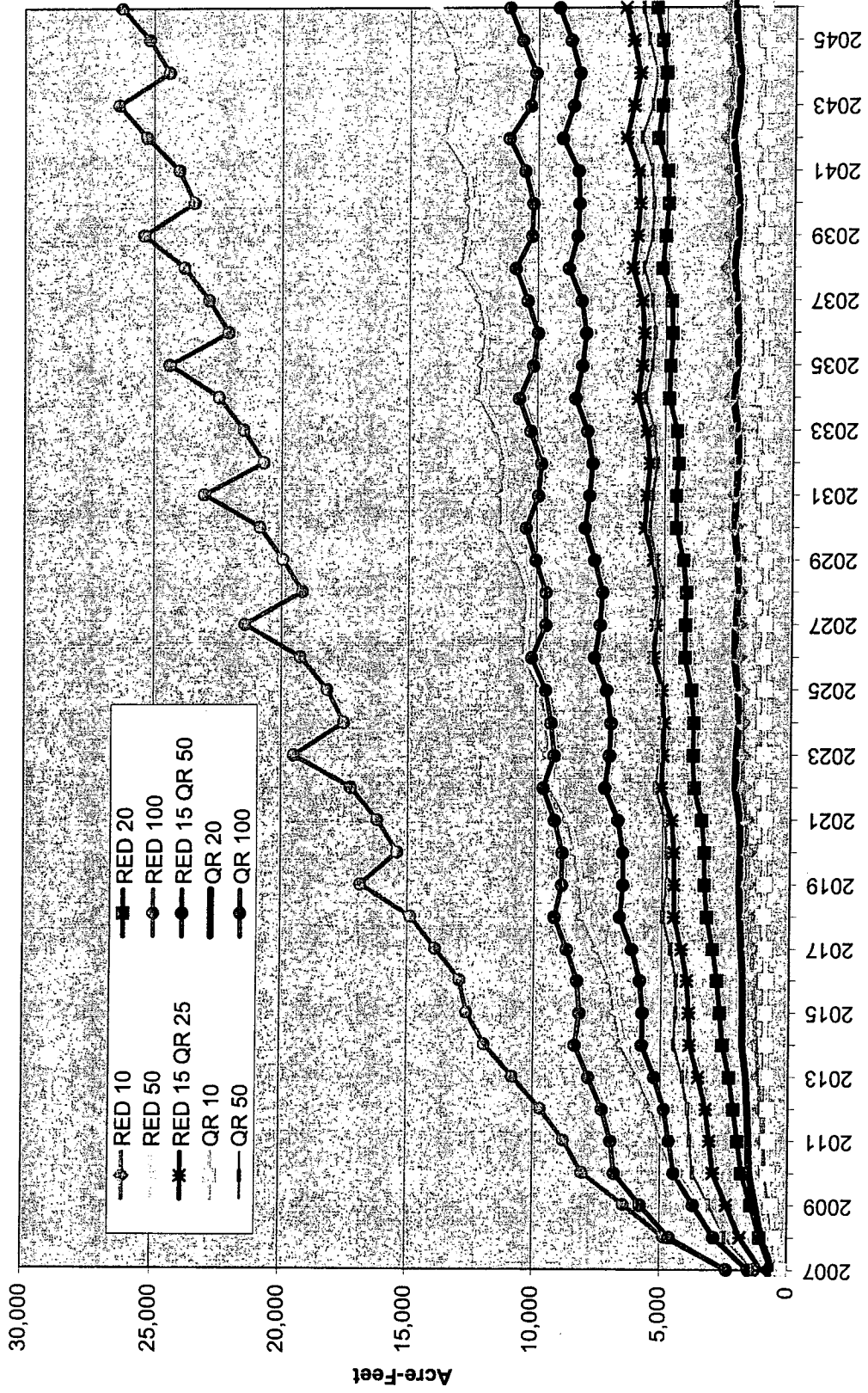


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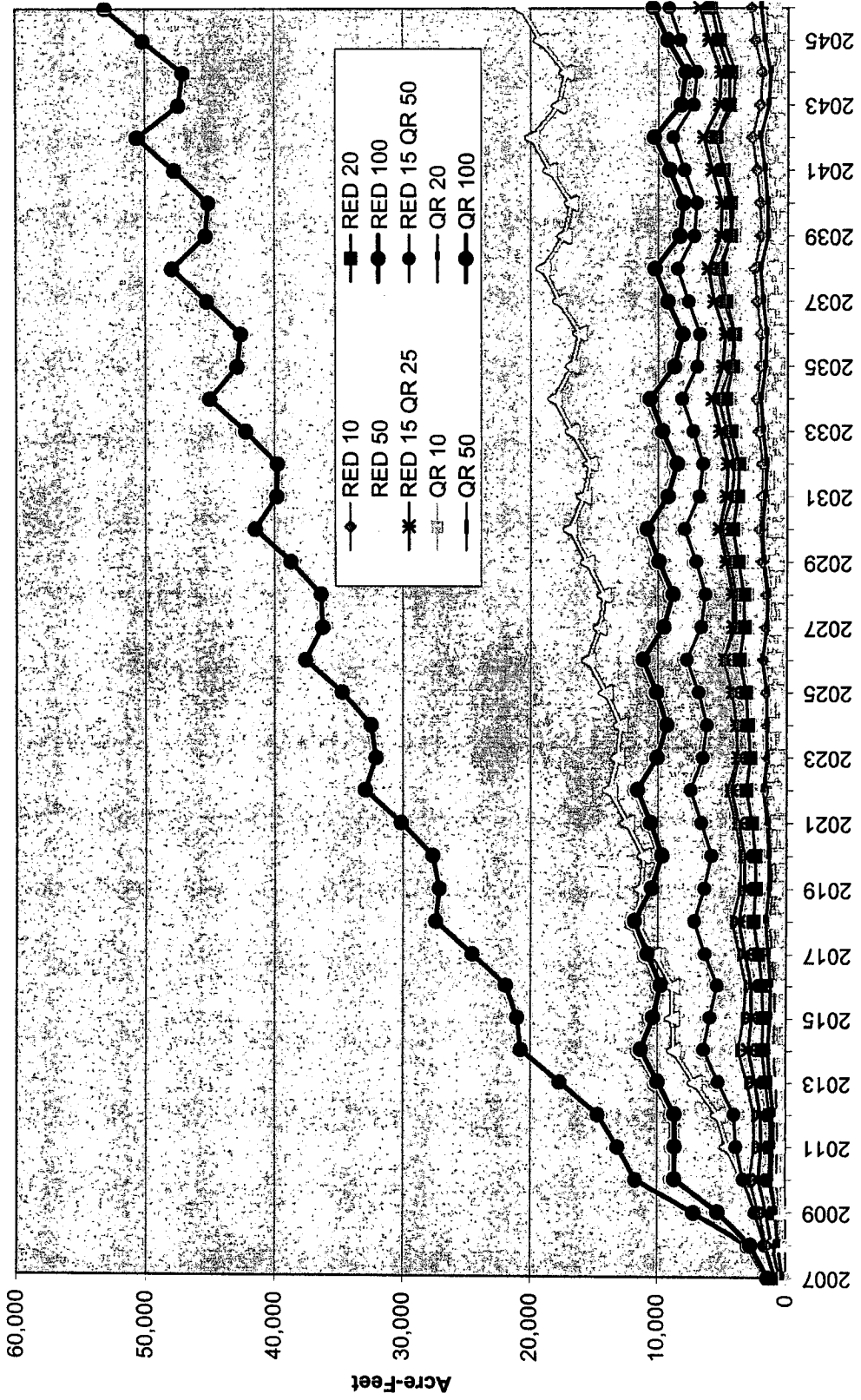


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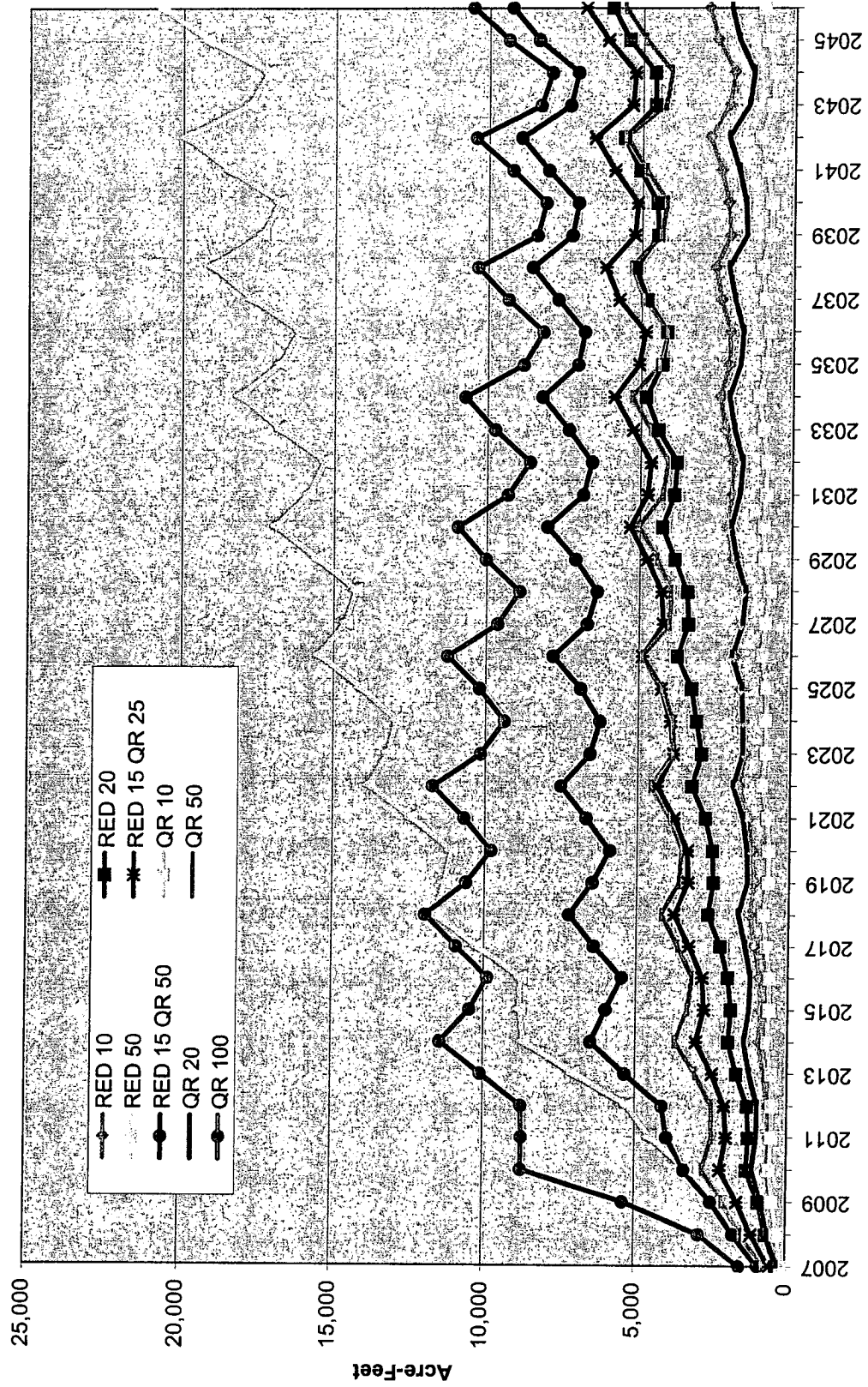
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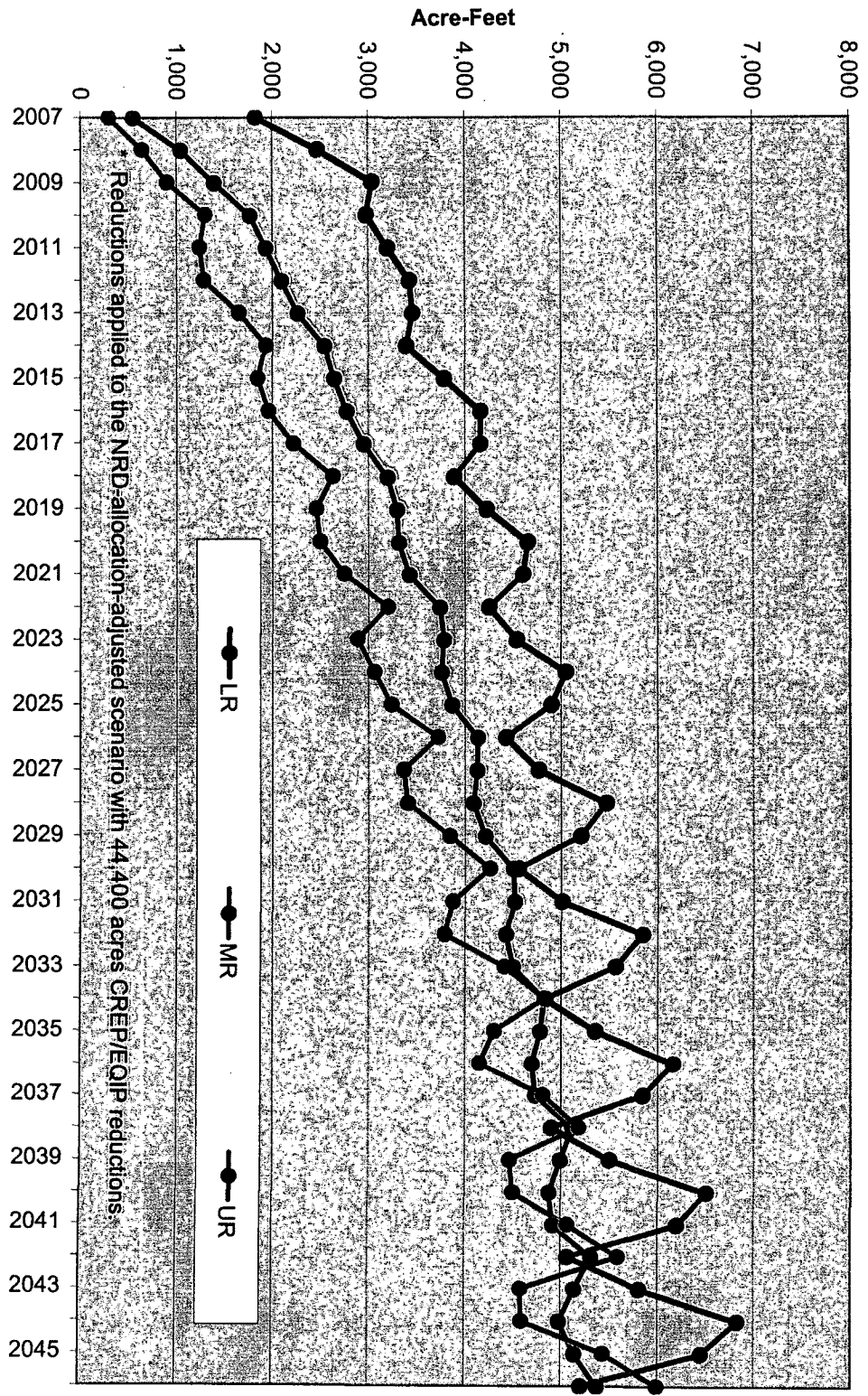
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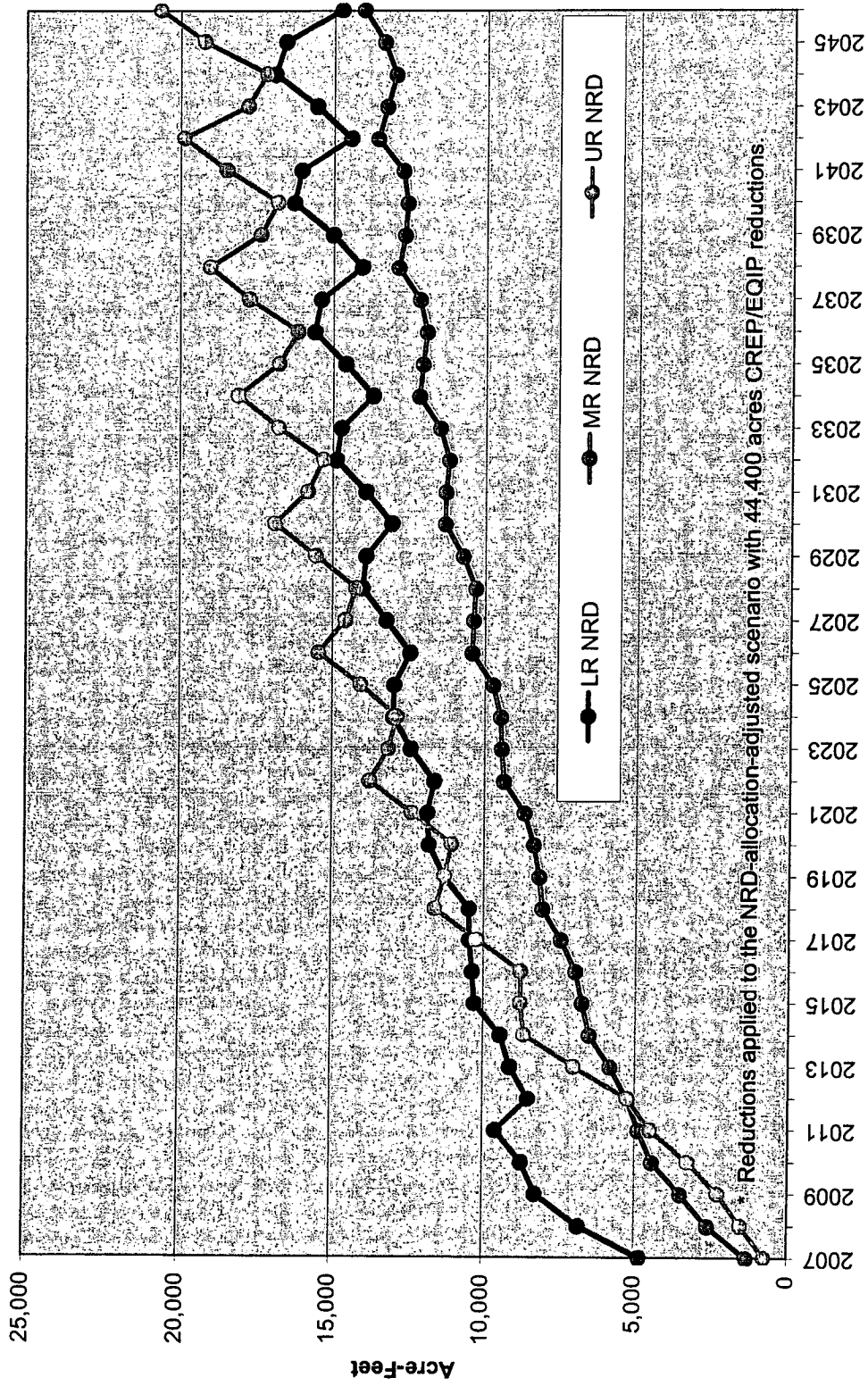
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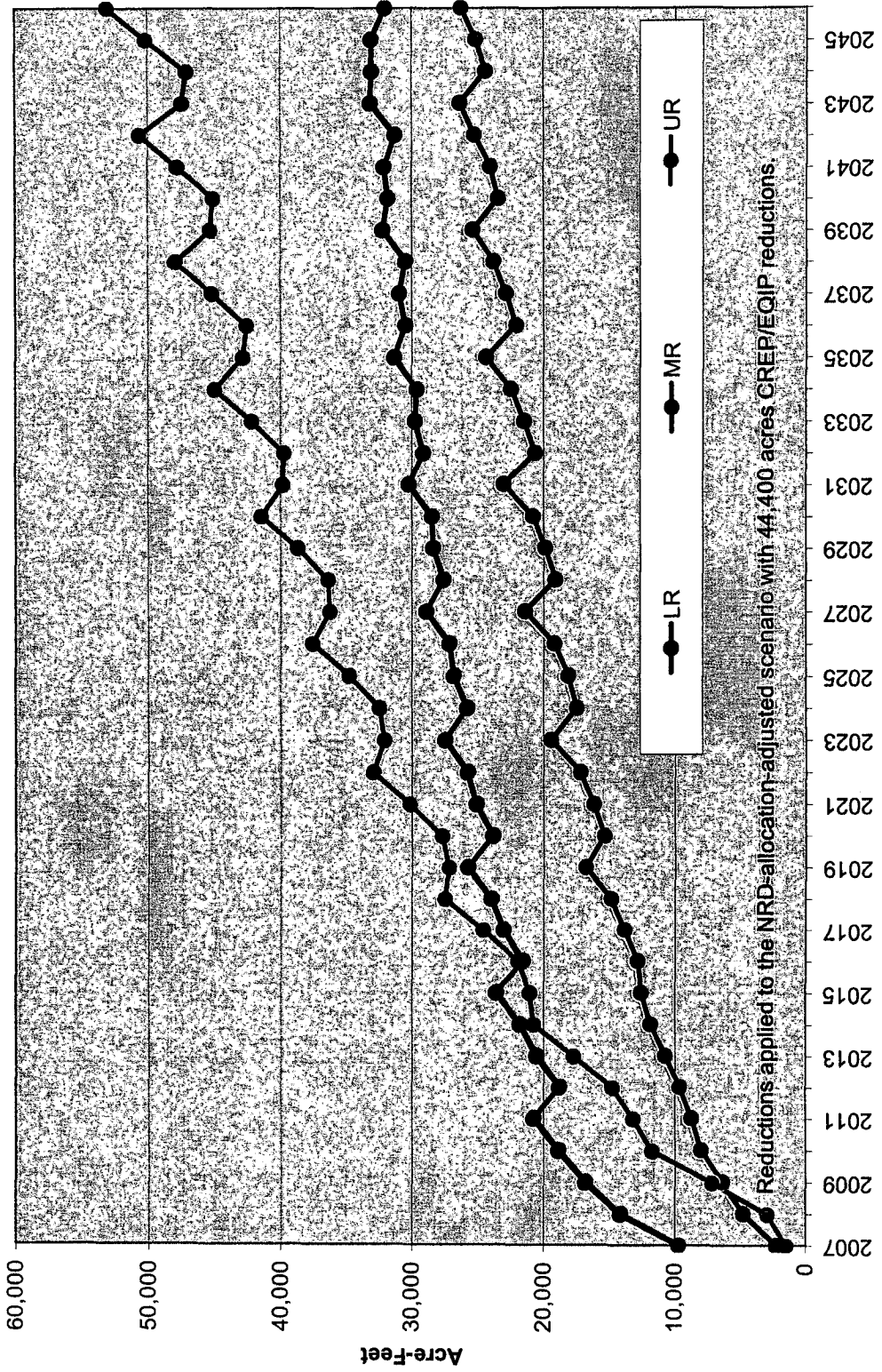
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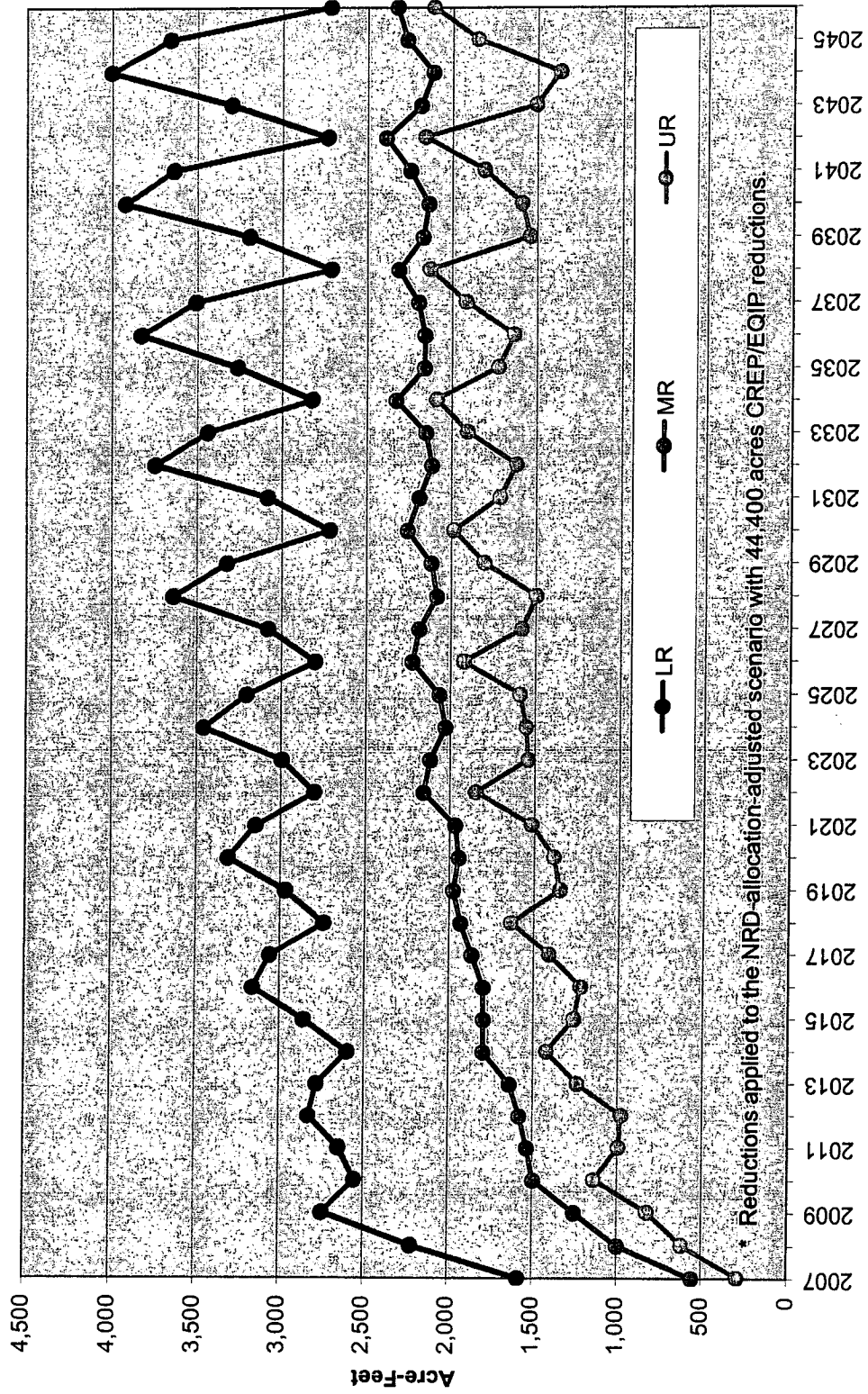
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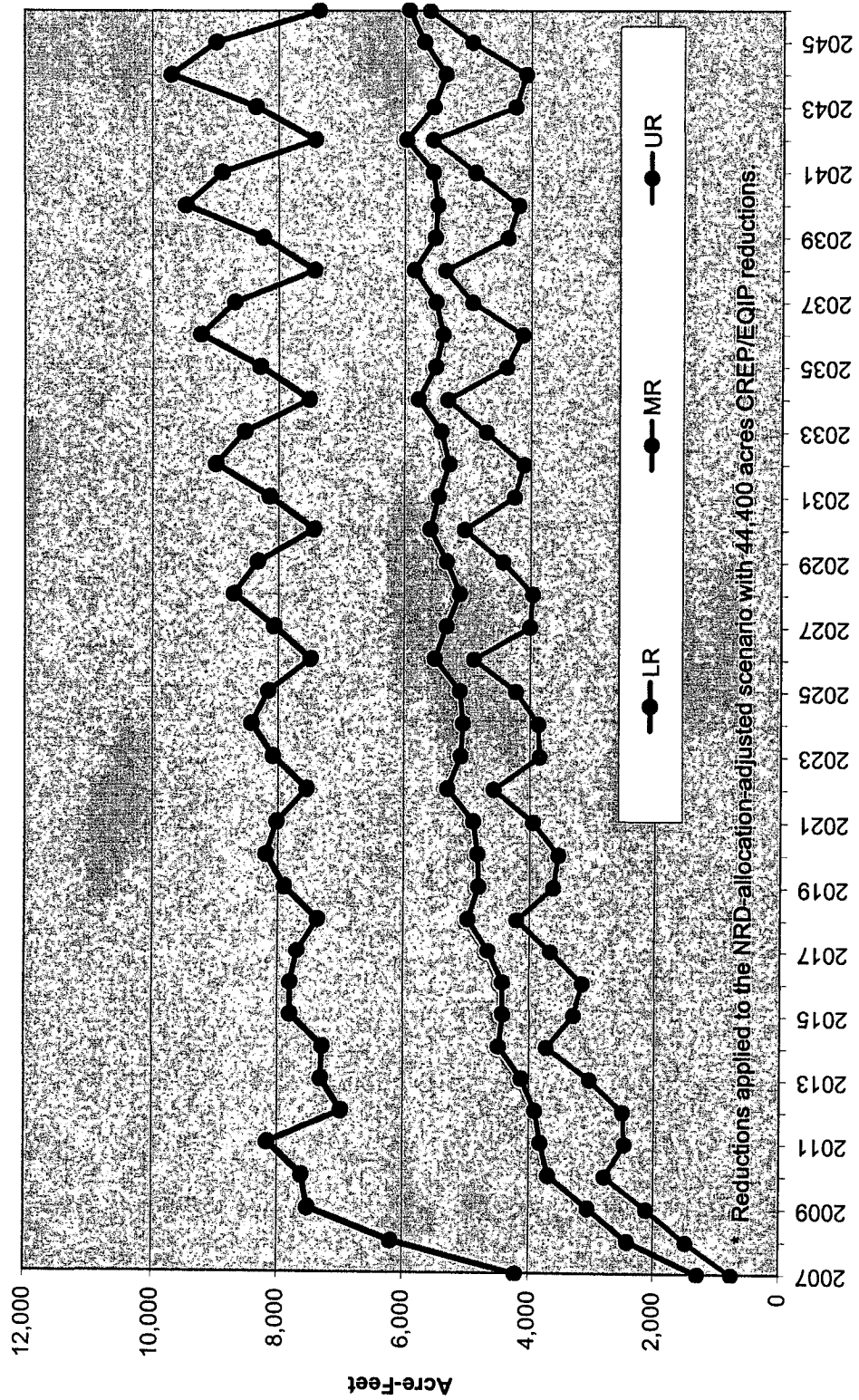
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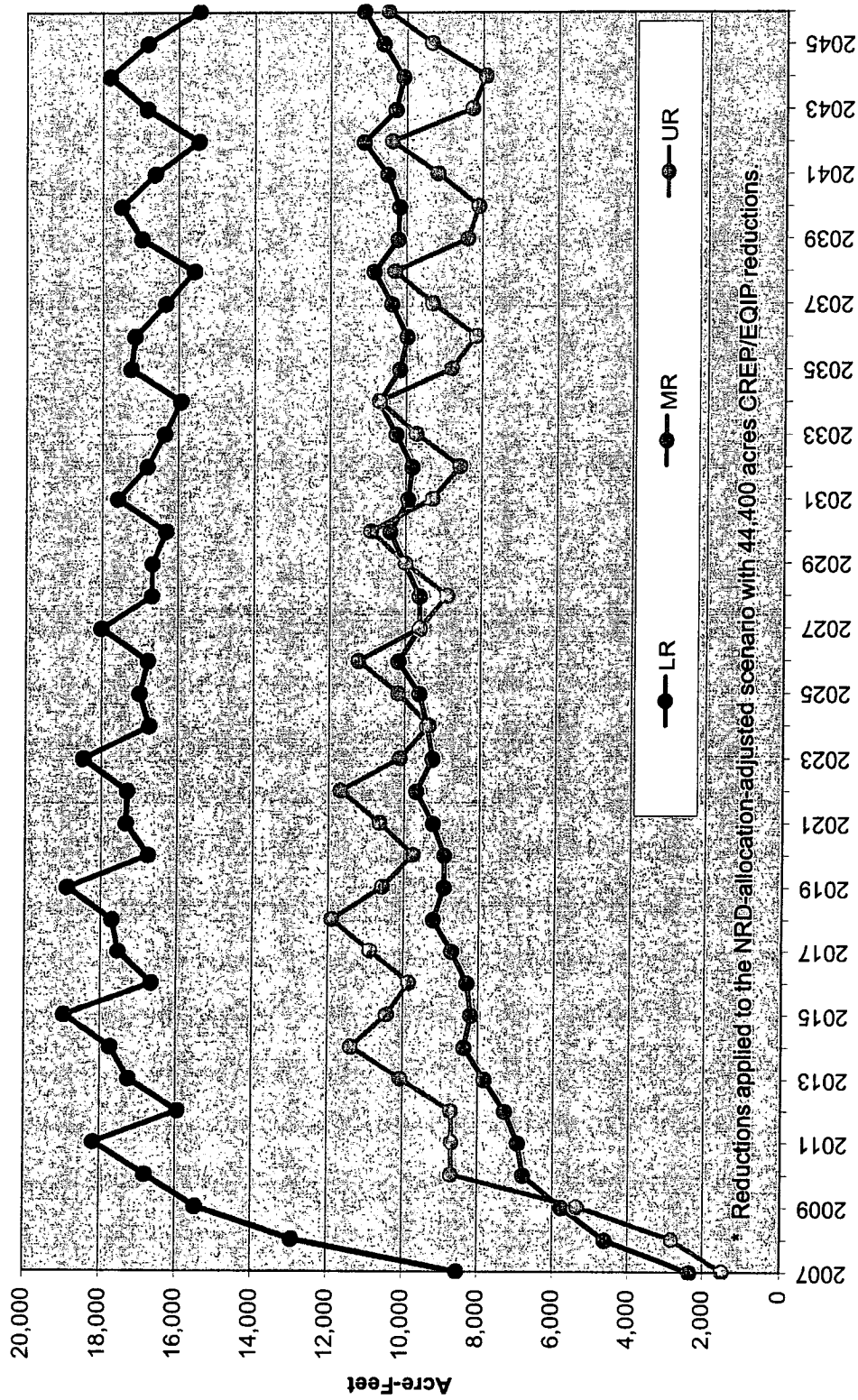
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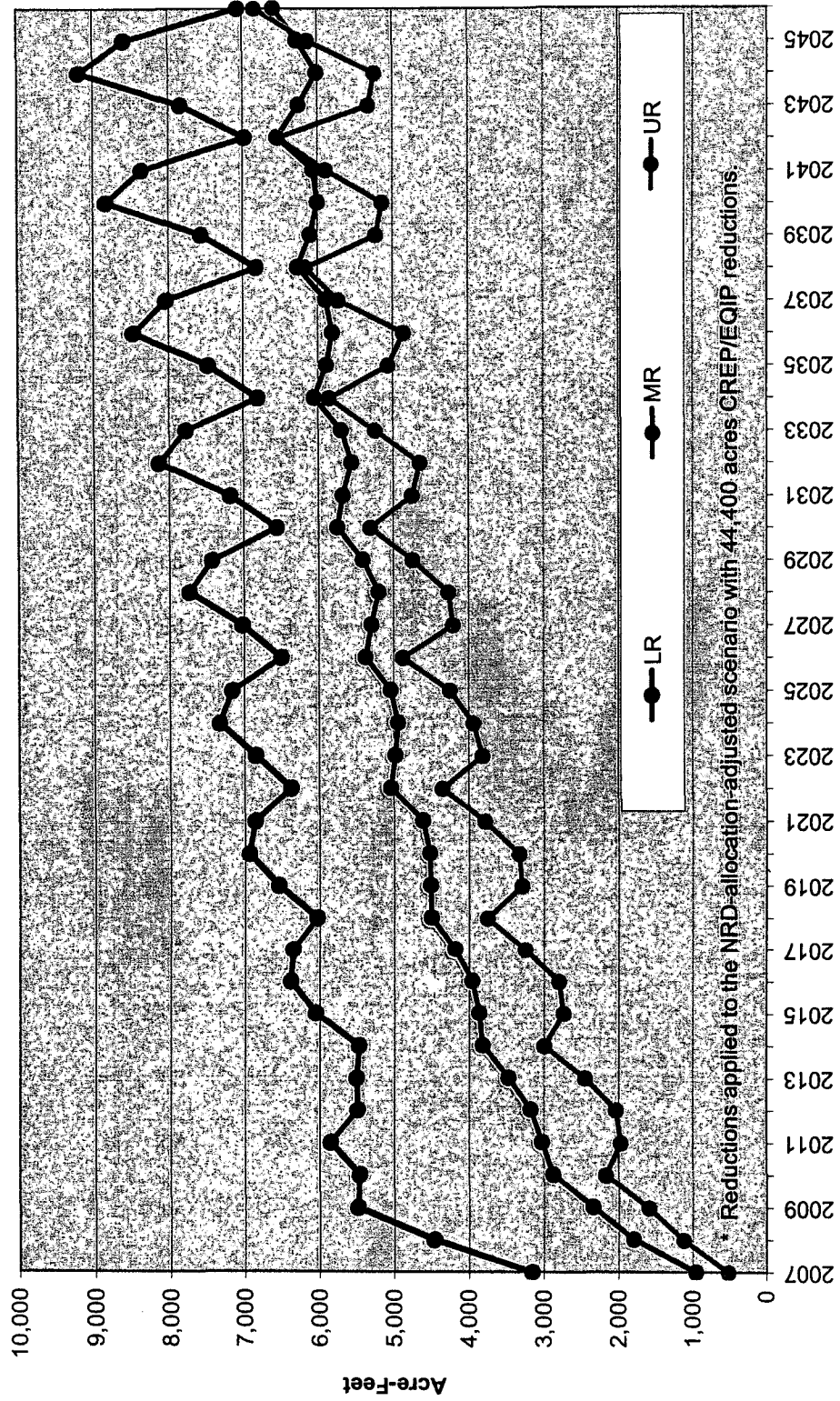
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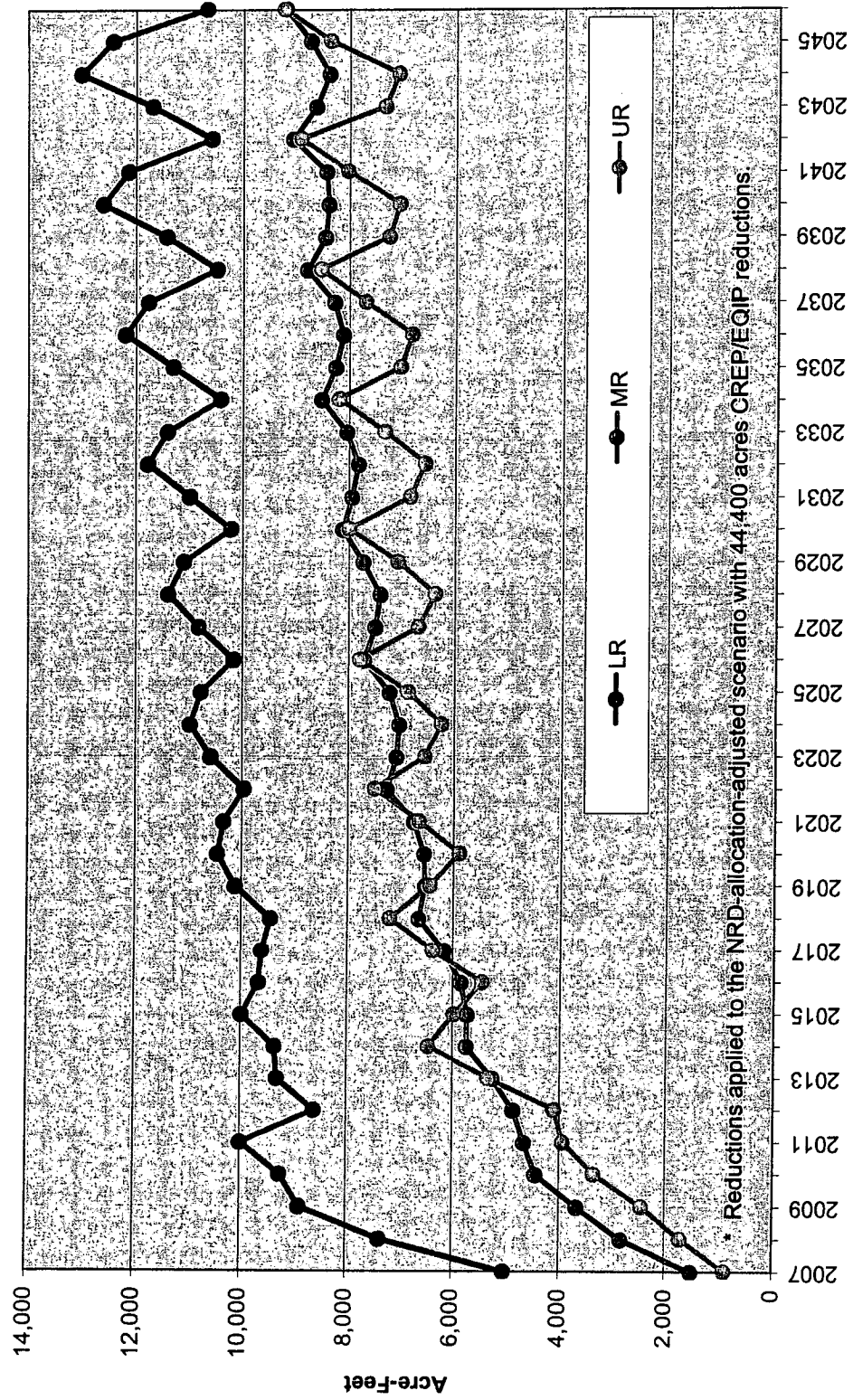
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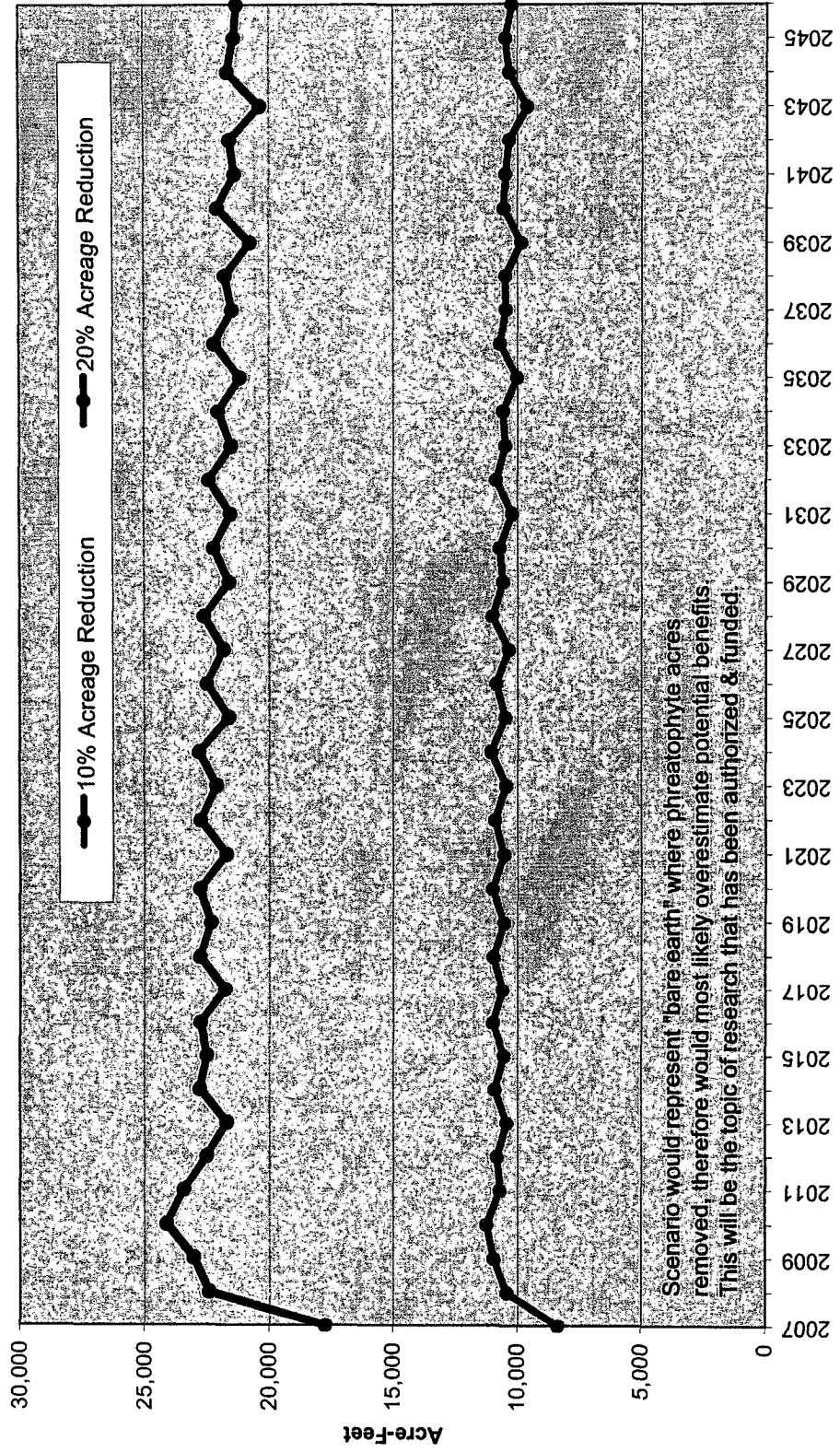
Moderate Drought Scenario Reduction in Stream Depletion due to 15% Overall, plus 25% Quick-Response Area Pumping Reductions, by NRD



Moderate Drought Scenario Reduction in Stream Depletion due to 15% Overall, plus 50% Quick-Response Area Pumping Reductions, by NRD



Republican Basin Reduction in Stream Depletion due to Phreatophyte Acreege Reduction in the NE Quick-Response Area Moderate Drought Scenario 2007 - 2046



Scenario would represent "bare earth" where phreatophyte acres removed, therefore would most likely overestimate potential benefits. This will be the topic of research that has been authorized & funded.

MRNRD Stream Depletion from Ground Water Pumping - Moderate Drought Scenarios

Estimated Reduction in Stream Depletion - MRNRD

| | MRNRD Stream Depletion from Ground Water Pumping - Moderate Drought Scenarios | | | | | | | | | | Estimated Reduction in Stream Depletion - MRNRD | | | | | | | | | |
|------|---|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---|--------|--------|---------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| | RED 10 | RED 20 | RED 50 | RED 100 | QR 25 | QR 50 | QR 10 | QR 20 | QR 50 | QR 100 | RED 10 | RED 20 | RED 50 | RED 100 | QR 25 | QR 50 | QR 10 | QR 20 | QR 50 | QR 100 |
| 2001 | 212,869 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2002 | 180,438 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 274 | 558 | 1,319 | 2,346 | 973 | 1,496 | 271 | 554 | 1,308 | 2,328 |
| 2003 | 204,164 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 526 | 1,052 | 2,580 | 4,855 | 1,812 | 2,826 | 496 | 993 | 2,431 | 4,593 |
| 2004 | 213,157 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 704 | 1,408 | 3,420 | 6,452 | 2,356 | 3,654 | 626 | 1,247 | 3,070 | 5,749 |
| 2005 | 211,321 | 197,203 | 197,203 | 197,203 | 197,203 | 197,203 | 197,203 | 197,203 | 197,203 | 197,203 | 901 | 1,773 | 4,404 | 8,075 | 2,885 | 4,430 | 760 | 1,491 | 3,704 | 6,768 |
| 2006 | 193,072 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 963 | 1,938 | 4,844 | 9,688 | 3,336 | 4,644 | 760 | 1,530 | 3,828 | 6,915 |
| 2007 | 196,459 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 195,901 | 1,052 | 2,103 | 5,226 | 9,175 | 3,187 | 4,844 | 791 | 1,576 | 3,917 | 7,260 |
| 2008 | 189,131 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 186,079 | 1,158 | 2,273 | 5,791 | 10,840 | 3,881 | 5,721 | 873 | 1,792 | 4,438 | 8,351 |
| 2009 | 197,907 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 196,504 | 1,262 | 2,524 | 6,408 | 11,936 | 4,366 | 5,232 | 927 | 1,791 | 4,433 | 8,177 |
| 2010 | 208,641 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 206,668 | 1,358 | 2,652 | 6,728 | 12,637 | 3,880 | 5,705 | 927 | 1,791 | 4,433 | 8,284 |
| 2011 | 206,248 | 204,310 | 204,310 | 204,310 | 204,310 | 204,310 | 204,310 | 204,310 | 204,310 | 204,310 | 1,393 | 2,784 | 6,943 | 12,921 | 3,970 | 5,829 | 900 | 1,794 | 4,433 | 8,694 |
| 2012 | 193,780 | 191,677 | 191,677 | 191,677 | 191,677 | 191,677 | 191,677 | 191,677 | 191,677 | 191,677 | 1,470 | 2,959 | 7,434 | 13,891 | 4,196 | 6,147 | 927 | 1,861 | 4,666 | 8,694 |
| 2013 | 202,471 | 200,198 | 200,198 | 200,198 | 200,198 | 200,198 | 200,198 | 200,198 | 200,198 | 200,198 | 1,614 | 3,205 | 8,051 | 14,891 | 4,512 | 6,635 | 1,032 | 1,928 | 4,987 | 9,190 |
| 2014 | 212,561 | 211,299 | 211,299 | 211,299 | 211,299 | 211,299 | 211,299 | 211,299 | 211,299 | 211,299 | 1,651 | 3,304 | 8,158 | 16,866 | 4,520 | 6,519 | 974 | 1,972 | 4,819 | 8,914 |
| 2015 | 210,147 | 208,789 | 208,789 | 208,789 | 208,789 | 208,789 | 208,789 | 208,789 | 208,789 | 208,789 | 1,657 | 3,322 | 8,346 | 15,415 | 4,521 | 6,539 | 967 | 1,941 | 4,836 | 8,909 |
| 2016 | 197,803 | 196,410 | 196,410 | 196,410 | 196,410 | 196,410 | 196,410 | 196,410 | 196,410 | 196,410 | 1,727 | 3,432 | 8,659 | 16,213 | 4,627 | 6,741 | 994 | 1,963 | 4,907 | 9,216 |
| 2017 | 206,760 | 205,290 | 205,290 | 205,290 | 205,290 | 205,290 | 205,290 | 205,290 | 205,290 | 205,290 | 1,864 | 3,747 | 9,340 | 17,265 | 5,046 | 7,258 | 1,060 | 2,152 | 5,317 | 9,663 |
| 2018 | 216,590 | 214,976 | 214,976 | 214,976 | 214,976 | 214,976 | 214,976 | 214,976 | 214,976 | 214,976 | 1,879 | 3,769 | 9,418 | 19,503 | 4,990 | 7,077 | 1,040 | 2,114 | 5,107 | 9,238 |
| 2019 | 213,884 | 212,233 | 212,233 | 212,233 | 212,233 | 212,233 | 212,233 | 212,233 | 212,233 | 212,233 | 1,890 | 3,766 | 9,455 | 17,544 | 4,952 | 7,027 | 1,024 | 2,024 | 5,073 | 9,374 |
| 2020 | 201,536 | 198,719 | 198,719 | 198,719 | 198,719 | 198,719 | 198,719 | 198,719 | 198,719 | 198,719 | 2,079 | 4,142 | 10,399 | 18,195 | 5,051 | 7,210 | 1,035 | 2,061 | 5,124 | 9,591 |
| 2021 | 210,774 | 209,047 | 209,047 | 209,047 | 209,047 | 209,047 | 209,047 | 209,047 | 209,047 | 209,047 | 2,101 | 4,135 | 10,363 | 19,180 | 5,212 | 7,394 | 1,016 | 2,221 | 5,522 | 10,155 |
| 2022 | 220,500 | 216,753 | 216,753 | 216,753 | 216,753 | 216,753 | 216,753 | 216,753 | 216,753 | 216,753 | 2,049 | 4,097 | 10,289 | 19,180 | 5,212 | 7,394 | 1,016 | 2,221 | 5,522 | 10,155 |
| 2023 | 217,453 | 215,574 | 215,574 | 215,574 | 215,574 | 215,574 | 215,574 | 215,574 | 215,574 | 215,574 | 2,088 | 4,221 | 10,709 | 19,970 | 5,425 | 7,714 | 1,051 | 2,113 | 5,339 | 9,603 |
| 2024 | 205,324 | 203,434 | 203,434 | 203,434 | 203,434 | 203,434 | 203,434 | 203,434 | 203,434 | 203,434 | 2,239 | 4,512 | 11,306 | 20,870 | 5,759 | 8,099 | 1,124 | 2,254 | 5,601 | 10,000 |
| 2025 | 214,423 | 210,549 | 210,549 | 210,549 | 210,549 | 210,549 | 210,549 | 210,549 | 210,549 | 210,549 | 2,242 | 4,524 | 11,285 | 23,063 | 5,665 | 7,933 | 1,103 | 2,186 | 5,472 | 9,916 |
| 2026 | 224,040 | 216,961 | 216,961 | 216,961 | 216,961 | 216,961 | 216,961 | 216,961 | 216,961 | 216,961 | 2,194 | 4,436 | 11,179 | 20,719 | 5,569 | 7,810 | 1,040 | 2,111 | 5,305 | 9,806 |
| 2027 | 220,811 | 216,710 | 216,710 | 216,710 | 216,710 | 216,710 | 216,710 | 216,710 | 216,710 | 216,710 | 2,214 | 4,508 | 11,480 | 21,530 | 5,706 | 8,028 | 1,072 | 2,147 | 5,433 | 10,236 |
| 2028 | 208,745 | 206,696 | 206,696 | 206,696 | 206,696 | 206,696 | 206,696 | 206,696 | 206,696 | 206,696 | 2,402 | 4,832 | 12,173 | 22,504 | 6,064 | 8,504 | 1,179 | 2,323 | 5,795 | 10,689 |
| 2029 | 218,051 | 215,963 | 215,963 | 215,963 | 215,963 | 215,963 | 215,963 | 215,963 | 215,963 | 215,963 | 2,329 | 4,790 | 12,068 | 24,408 | 5,898 | 8,245 | 1,051 | 2,158 | 5,524 | 10,150 |
| 2030 | 227,480 | 225,241 | 225,241 | 225,241 | 225,241 | 225,241 | 225,241 | 225,241 | 225,241 | 225,241 | 2,332 | 4,704 | 11,936 | 22,129 | 5,819 | 8,098 | 1,071 | 2,156 | 5,408 | 9,960 |
| 2031 | 224,082 | 222,968 | 222,968 | 222,968 | 222,968 | 222,968 | 222,968 | 222,968 | 222,968 | 222,968 | 2,332 | 4,704 | 11,936 | 22,129 | 5,819 | 8,098 | 1,071 | 2,156 | 5,408 | 9,960 |
| 2032 | 212,094 | 209,900 | 209,900 | 209,900 | 209,900 | 209,900 | 209,900 | 209,900 | 209,900 | 209,900 | 2,442 | 4,882 | 12,165 | 22,890 | 5,904 | 8,267 | 1,194 | 2,194 | 5,524 | 10,367 |
| 2033 | 221,508 | 219,294 | 219,294 | 219,294 | 219,294 | 219,294 | 219,294 | 219,294 | 219,294 | 219,294 | 2,557 | 5,124 | 12,863 | 23,834 | 6,283 | 8,773 | 1,189 | 2,310 | 5,861 | 10,833 |
| 2034 | 230,912 | 228,510 | 228,510 | 228,510 | 228,510 | 228,510 | 228,510 | 228,510 | 228,510 | 228,510 | 2,437 | 4,997 | 12,661 | 25,392 | 6,111 | 8,435 | 1,097 | 2,167 | 5,529 | 10,200 |
| 2035 | 227,135 | 224,806 | 224,806 | 224,806 | 224,806 | 224,806 | 224,806 | 224,806 | 224,806 | 224,806 | 2,607 | 5,322 | 13,547 | 25,290 | 6,551 | 9,043 | 1,211 | 2,385 | 5,989 | 10,486 |
| 2036 | 215,305 | 212,973 | 212,973 | 212,973 | 212,973 | 212,973 | 212,973 | 212,973 | 212,973 | 212,973 | 2,442 | 4,928 | 12,723 | 24,056 | 6,074 | 8,415 | 1,120 | 2,241 | 5,569 | 10,162 |
| 2037 | 224,814 | 222,480 | 222,480 | 222,480 | 222,480 | 222,480 | 222,480 | 222,480 | 222,480 | 222,480 | 2,607 | 5,322 | 13,547 | 25,290 | 6,551 | 9,043 | 1,211 | 2,385 | 5,989 | 10,486 |
| 2038 | 233,951 | 231,394 | 231,394 | 231,394 | 231,394 | 231,394 | 231,394 | 231,394 | 231,394 | 231,394 | 2,518 | 5,147 | 13,258 | 26,364 | 6,268 | 8,615 | 1,118 | 2,180 | 5,549 | 10,274 |
| 2039 | 229,952 | 227,515 | 227,515 | 227,515 | 227,515 | 227,515 | 227,515 | 227,515 | 227,515 | 227,515 | 2,442 | 4,928 | 12,723 | 24,056 | 6,074 | 8,415 | 1,120 | 2,241 | 5,569 | 10,162 |
| 2040 | 228,260 | 225,338 | 225,338 | 225,338 | 225,338 | 225,338 | 225,338 | 225,338 | 225,338 | 225,338 | 2,607 | 5,322 | 13,547 | 25,290 | 6,551 | 9,043 | 1,211 | 2,385 | 5,989 | 10,486 |
| 2041 | 227,780 | 228,260 | 228,260 | 228,260 | 228,260 | 228,260 | 228,260 | 228,260 | 228,260 | 228,260 | 2,397 | 4,989 | 12,966 | 24,420 | 6,025 | 8,368 | 1,018 | 2,109 | 5,365 | 10,072 |
| 2042 | 236,799 | 234,192 | 234,192 | 234,192 | 234,192 | 234,192 | 234,192 | 234,192 | 234,192 | 234,192 | 2,397 | 4,989 | 12,966 | 24,420 | 6,025 | 8,368 | 1,018 | 2,109 | 5,365 | 10,072 |
| 2043 | 232,587 | 230,069 | 230,069 | 230,069 | 230,069 | 230,069 | 230,069 | 230,069 | 230,069 | 230,069 | 2,510 | 5,148 | 13,347 | 25,183 | 6,287 | 8,716 | 1,102 | 2,263 | 5,700 | 10,598 |
| 2044 | 221,231 | 218,834 | 218,834 | 218,834 | 218,834 | 218,834 | 218,834 | 218,834 | 218,834 | 218,834 | 2,571 | 5,380 | 14,009 | 26,251 | 6,584 | 9,191 | 1,178 | 2,321 | 5,938 | 11,110 |
| 2045 | 230,962 | 228,452 | 228,452 | 228,452 | 228,452 | 228,452 | 228,452 | 228,452 | 228,452 | 228,452 | 2,571 | 5,380 | 14,009 | 26,251 | 6,584 | 9,191 | 1,178 | 2,321 | 5,938 | 11,110 |
| 2046 | 239,435 | 236,864 | 236,864 | 236,864 | 236,864 | 236,864 | 236,864 | 236,864 | 236,864 | 236,864 | 2,571 | 5,380 | 14,009 | 26,251 | 6,584 | 9,191 | 1,178 | 2,321 | 5,938 | 11,110 |

Estimated Reduction in Stream Depletion - URRND

URRND Stream Depletion from Ground Water Pumping - Moderate Drought Scenarios

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| 2006 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | |
| 2007 | 196,459 | 196,305 | 196,166 | 195,703 | 194,952 | 195,939 | 195,562 | 196,305 | 196,167 | 195,706 | 194,957 | 154 | 293 | 756 | 1,507 | 520 | 897 | 154 | 292 | 753 | 1,502 | | |
| 2008 | 189,131 | 188,493 | 188,493 | 187,595 | 186,206 | 188,013 | 187,414 | 188,831 | 188,510 | 187,649 | 186,289 | 310 | 638 | 1,536 | 2,925 | 1,118 | 1,717 | 310 | 621 | 1,482 | 2,842 | | |
| 2009 | 197,907 | 197,426 | 197,011 | 195,610 | 190,747 | 196,315 | 195,449 | 197,456 | 197,081 | 195,791 | 192,535 | 481 | 896 | 2,297 | 7,160 | 2,458 | 4,511 | 481 | 826 | 2,116 | 5,372 | | |
| 2010 | 208,641 | 207,981 | 207,344 | 205,373 | 196,910 | 206,472 | 205,279 | 208,076 | 207,502 | 205,857 | 199,924 | 660 | 1,297 | 3,268 | 11,731 | 2,169 | 3,362 | 660 | 1,139 | 2,784 | 8,717 | | |
| 2011 | 206,248 | 205,642 | 205,010 | 201,727 | 193,089 | 204,746 | 202,749 | 205,783 | 205,253 | 203,783 | 197,550 | 606 | 1,238 | 4,521 | 13,159 | 1,972 | 3,942 | 606 | 995 | 2,465 | 8,698 | | |
| 2012 | 193,780 | 193,136 | 192,499 | 188,522 | 179,053 | 191,743 | 189,675 | 193,280 | 192,801 | 191,287 | 185,054 | 644 | 1,281 | 5,258 | 14,727 | 2,037 | 4,105 | 644 | 979 | 2,493 | 8,726 | | |
| 2013 | 202,471 | 201,670 | 200,826 | 195,438 | 184,733 | 200,019 | 197,139 | 201,947 | 201,231 | 199,440 | 192,398 | 801 | 1,645 | 7,033 | 17,738 | 2,452 | 5,332 | 801 | 1,240 | 3,031 | 10,073 | | |
| 2014 | 212,561 | 211,604 | 210,633 | 203,882 | 191,797 | 209,567 | 207,406 | 204,171 | 209,543 | 208,885 | 199,712 | 957 | 1,928 | 8,679 | 20,764 | 2,994 | 6,464 | 957 | 1,423 | 3,722 | 11,396 | | |
| 2015 | 210,147 | 209,237 | 208,300 | 201,348 | 189,097 | 207,507 | 205,047 | 201,896 | 211,138 | 208,939 | 201,165 | 910 | 1,847 | 8,799 | 21,050 | 2,741 | 5,976 | 910 | 1,223 | 3,294 | 10,435 | | |
| 2016 | 197,803 | 196,855 | 195,845 | 189,015 | 175,868 | 195,004 | 192,350 | 197,209 | 196,580 | 194,655 | 187,942 | 948 | 1,958 | 8,788 | 21,935 | 2,799 | 5,453 | 948 | 1,223 | 3,148 | 9,861 | | |
| 2017 | 206,760 | 205,642 | 204,541 | 196,531 | 182,212 | 203,512 | 200,374 | 206,046 | 205,350 | 203,097 | 195,861 | 1,118 | 2,219 | 10,229 | 24,548 | 3,248 | 6,386 | 1,118 | 1,410 | 3,663 | 10,899 | | |
| 2018 | 216,590 | 215,313 | 213,960 | 204,967 | 189,174 | 212,839 | 209,385 | 215,758 | 214,952 | 212,391 | 204,682 | 1,277 | 2,630 | 11,623 | 27,416 | 3,751 | 7,205 | 1,277 | 1,638 | 4,199 | 11,908 | | |
| 2019 | 213,884 | 212,752 | 211,424 | 202,579 | 186,738 | 210,593 | 207,435 | 213,199 | 212,535 | 210,264 | 203,310 | 1,132 | 2,460 | 11,305 | 27,416 | 3,291 | 6,449 | 1,132 | 1,349 | 3,620 | 10,574 | | |
| 2020 | 201,536 | 200,301 | 199,038 | 190,454 | 173,883 | 198,208 | 195,645 | 200,852 | 200,151 | 197,995 | 191,773 | 1,235 | 2,498 | 11,082 | 27,653 | 3,328 | 5,891 | 1,235 | 1,519 | 3,950 | 10,661 | | |
| 2021 | 210,774 | 209,432 | 208,028 | 198,366 | 180,651 | 206,991 | 204,110 | 210,065 | 209,255 | 206,824 | 200,113 | 1,342 | 2,746 | 12,408 | 30,123 | 3,783 | 6,664 | 1,342 | 1,849 | 4,568 | 11,694 | | |
| 2022 | 220,500 | 218,849 | 217,301 | 206,711 | 187,579 | 216,155 | 213,001 | 219,588 | 218,651 | 215,932 | 208,806 | 1,651 | 3,199 | 13,789 | 32,921 | 4,345 | 7,794 | 1,651 | 1,926 | 4,886 | 11,236 | | |
| 2023 | 205,324 | 203,779 | 202,264 | 192,422 | 172,866 | 213,639 | 210,986 | 216,657 | 215,911 | 213,606 | 207,322 | 1,475 | 2,885 | 13,175 | 32,084 | 3,814 | 6,557 | 1,475 | 1,542 | 3,847 | 10,131 | | |
| 2024 | 214,423 | 212,788 | 211,186 | 200,324 | 179,687 | 210,178 | 207,542 | 213,630 | 212,830 | 210,200 | 204,243 | 1,635 | 3,237 | 14,099 | 34,736 | 4,245 | 6,881 | 1,635 | 1,593 | 4,223 | 10,180 | | |
| 2025 | 224,040 | 222,186 | 220,322 | 208,567 | 186,477 | 219,163 | 216,246 | 223,097 | 222,114 | 219,154 | 212,804 | 1,854 | 3,718 | 15,473 | 37,563 | 4,877 | 7,794 | 1,854 | 1,926 | 4,886 | 11,236 | | |
| 2026 | 220,811 | 219,154 | 217,448 | 206,215 | 184,560 | 216,606 | 214,122 | 219,967 | 219,227 | 216,804 | 211,197 | 1,657 | 3,363 | 14,596 | 36,251 | 4,205 | 6,689 | 1,657 | 1,499 | 3,965 | 8,886 | | |
| 2027 | 208,745 | 207,146 | 205,340 | 194,491 | 172,385 | 204,479 | 202,372 | 208,033 | 207,246 | 204,780 | 199,849 | 1,599 | 3,405 | 14,254 | 36,360 | 4,266 | 6,373 | 1,599 | 1,809 | 4,436 | 10,004 | | |
| 2028 | 218,051 | 216,104 | 214,212 | 202,489 | 179,342 | 213,309 | 210,970 | 217,172 | 216,242 | 213,615 | 208,047 | 1,947 | 3,839 | 15,562 | 38,709 | 4,742 | 7,081 | 1,947 | 1,809 | 4,436 | 10,004 | | |
| 2029 | 227,480 | 225,346 | 223,223 | 210,565 | 186,015 | 222,173 | 219,476 | 226,543 | 225,493 | 222,439 | 216,556 | 2,134 | 4,257 | 16,915 | 41,465 | 5,307 | 8,004 | 2,134 | 1,987 | 5,041 | 10,924 | | |
| 2030 | 224,082 | 222,106 | 220,213 | 208,261 | 184,279 | 219,333 | 217,236 | 223,217 | 222,365 | 219,823 | 214,787 | 1,976 | 3,869 | 15,821 | 39,803 | 4,749 | 6,846 | 1,976 | 1,717 | 4,259 | 9,295 | | |
| 2031 | 212,094 | 210,151 | 208,306 | 196,783 | 172,345 | 207,451 | 205,527 | 211,273 | 210,475 | 207,985 | 203,514 | 1,943 | 3,768 | 15,311 | 39,749 | 4,643 | 6,567 | 1,943 | 1,619 | 4,109 | 8,580 | | |
| 2032 | 219,280 | 217,097 | 204,710 | 196,783 | 179,320 | 216,268 | 214,175 | 220,533 | 219,599 | 216,806 | 211,775 | 2,228 | 4,411 | 16,798 | 42,188 | 5,240 | 7,333 | 2,228 | 1,909 | 4,702 | 9,733 | | |
| 2033 | 230,912 | 228,520 | 226,087 | 212,792 | 185,936 | 225,060 | 222,714 | 229,803 | 228,820 | 225,599 | 220,201 | 2,392 | 4,825 | 18,120 | 44,976 | 5,852 | 8,198 | 2,392 | 2,092 | 5,313 | 10,711 | | |
| 2034 | 227,135 | 225,027 | 222,833 | 210,355 | 184,270 | 222,073 | 220,093 | 226,262 | 225,406 | 222,748 | 218,322 | 2,108 | 4,302 | 16,780 | 42,865 | 5,062 | 7,042 | 2,108 | 1,729 | 4,387 | 8,174 | | |
| 2035 | 215,305 | 213,228 | 211,156 | 199,148 | 172,721 | 210,449 | 208,478 | 214,510 | 213,667 | 211,172 | 207,131 | 2,077 | 4,149 | 16,157 | 42,584 | 4,856 | 6,827 | 2,077 | 1,638 | 4,133 | 8,174 | | |
| 2036 | 224,814 | 222,429 | 220,007 | 207,057 | 179,619 | 217,117 | 215,117 | 223,876 | 222,893 | 219,888 | 215,497 | 2,385 | 4,807 | 17,757 | 45,195 | 5,727 | 7,697 | 2,385 | 1,921 | 4,926 | 9,317 | | |
| 2037 | 233,951 | 231,390 | 228,772 | 214,922 | 186,020 | 227,788 | 225,413 | 232,916 | 231,819 | 228,597 | 223,635 | 2,561 | 5,179 | 19,029 | 47,931 | 6,163 | 8,538 | 2,561 | 2,132 | 5,354 | 10,316 | | |
| 2038 | 229,952 | 227,859 | 225,492 | 212,564 | 184,646 | 224,729 | 222,697 | 229,190 | 228,408 | 225,586 | 221,562 | 2,093 | 4,460 | 17,388 | 45,306 | 5,223 | 7,255 | 2,093 | 1,544 | 4,366 | 8,390 | | |
| 2039 | 218,260 | 216,090 | 213,765 | 201,433 | 173,185 | 213,122 | 211,200 | 217,507 | 216,668 | 214,060 | 210,151 | 2,170 | 4,495 | 16,827 | 45,075 | 5,138 | 7,060 | 2,170 | 1,592 | 4,200 | 8,109 | | |
| 2040 | 236,799 | 234,022 | 231,214 | 216,903 | 186,167 | 230,268 | 227,882 | 235,703 | 234,639 | 231,252 | 226,405 | 2,411 | 5,064 | 18,499 | 47,763 | 5,891 | 8,039 | 2,411 | 1,813 | 4,882 | 9,187 | | |
| 2041 | 227,780 | 225,369 | 222,716 | 209,281 | 180,017 | 221,889 | 219,741 | 226,888 | 225,967 | 222,898 | 218,593 | 2,777 | 5,585 | 19,896 | 50,632 | 6,531 | 8,917 | 2,777 | 1,936 | 5,547 | 10,394 | | |
| 2042 | 232,587 | 230,426 | 228,006 | 214,763 | 185,174 | 227,261 | 225,249 | 231,849 | 231,078 | 228,341 | 224,295 | 2,161 | 4,581 | 17,824 | 47,413 | 5,326 | 7,338 | 2,161 | 1,509 | 4,246 | 8,292 | | |
| 2043 | 231,231 | 219,226 | 216,640 | 204,012 | 174,158 | 215,990 | 214,143 | 220,553 | 219,864 | 217,154 | 213,293 | 2,005 | 4,591 | 17,219 | 47,073 | 5,241 | 7,088 | 2,005 | 1,367 | 4,077 | 7,938 | | |
| 2044 | 230,962 | 228,397 | 225,532 | 211,742 | 180,810 | 224,834 | 222,592 | 230,033 | 229,109 | 226,036 | 221,614 | 2,565 | 5,430 | 19,220 | 50,152 | 6,128 | 8,370 | 2,565 | 1,853 | 4,926 | 9,348 | | |
| 2045 | 239,435 | 236,598 | 233,448 | 218,774 | 186,372 | 232,597 | 230,203 | 238,405 | 237,322 | 233,841 | 228,933 | 2,837 | 5,987 | 20,661 | 53,063 | 6,838 | 9,232 | 2,837 | 2,113 | 5,594 | 10,502 | | |

Moderate-Drought Conditions 2007 through 2046 Modeling Scenario

Baseline Conditions and Assumptions

This scenario was performed in November of 2006 to calculate and analyze the baseflows and impacts to baseflows resulting from groundwater pumping during 'moderate drought' conditions. Five baseline runs (no pumping reductions apart from NRD allocations) were performed using the 'moderate drought' conditions, which were all based on final heads from equivalent (same NRD-pumping allocation and CREP/EQIP program acreage reductions) 2006 preliminary runs (See '2006_PreliminaryModelRunExp.doc'):

- 1) With NRD pumping allocations, no CREP/EQIP program irrigated acreage reductions.
- 2) With NRD pumping allocations, 44,400 Acres CREP/EQIP program irrigated acreage reductions. This is the baseline scenario upon which all future reduction scenarios were built (see below). It was chosen as the baseline for reduction scenarios because it is considered to be the most realistic representation of the current, unchanged condition.
- 3) With NRD pumping allocations, 70,000 acres CREP/EQIP program irrigated acreage reductions.
- 4) With NRD pumping allocations, 100,000 acres CREP/EQIP program irrigated acreage reductions.
- 5) No NRD pumping allocations, 44,400 acres CREP/EQIP program irrigated acreage reductions.

The years 1988 through 1991 were selected as years with relatively low precipitation, a time frame representative of real conditions. Both five-year and four-year time periods were examined to find a dry period with a low standard deviation indicating little deviation from the dry condition (See 'PrecipAnalysisFor0746Runs.xls'). The average precipitation for the NE groundwater model region is 22.1 inches per year, and the 1988-1991 time period is characterized by an average rainfall of 20.1 inches per year with a standard deviation of only .9 inches. The climatic conditions and resulting irrigation applications from this period were repeated for 40 years. Therefore, this four-year climate condition was repeated ten times, 2007-2011, 2012-2015...2043-2046.

Phreatophyte evapotranspiration and precipitation for all three states were repeated using the cycles outlined above. Nebraska surface-water, canal deliveries and groundwater-commingled pumping were repeated using the same cycle. Kansas and Colorado irrigation were also repeated using the four-year cycle.

Nebraska groundwater-exclusive (GWEX) pumping was treated differently from the other irrigation categories, as irrigated acreage in this category has increased significantly since the reference years 1988-1991. The assumption was made that GWEX acreages would remain at the 2005 levels (as was the preliminary 2006 run) for the duration of the 40-year scenario, so 1988-1991 GWEX irrigated volumes were not used for the modeling scenarios. Groundwater-exclusive volumes were calculated by multiplying the specific county reference year's irrigation depth by the number of GWEX acres in each grid cell from the 2005 preliminary update. In this manner, the distribution of pumping corresponding to the precipitation pattern was preserved.

Pumping and Acreage Reduction Scenarios: Details

NRD Allocation Runs

Adjustments were made to the depths of irrigation application to account for allocations agreed upon by the Lower, Middle, and Upper Republican NRDs. Irrigation depth was capped at 13.5 inches for the Upper Republican, 13 inches for the Middle Republican, 12 inches west of the inlet to Harlan Reservoir and 11 inches east of the inlet to Harlan Reservoir in the Lower Republican NRD. The irrigation in Harlan County was capped at 11.5 inches since approximately one-half of the county has an 11-inch allocation and the other half a 12-inch allocation.

Runs with allocations were performed with four different levels of CREP/EQIP acreage reductions. One run was performed without NRD reductions, but with 44,400 acres of CREP/EQIP acreage reductions to compare to the principle baseline run and observe the impact reductions resulting from the current NRD allocations.

CREP/EQIP Program Acreage Reductions

Estimates of acres enrolled, and locations thereof, of CREP/EQIP program lands for the year 2006 were obtained from Jeremy Gehle of the NE Department of Natural resources. The total enrollment in these two programs for the year 2006 was estimated to be 44,400 acres, and this level was continued on through 2046 as the principle scenario upon which all reduction runs are based. For comparison purposes and to further understand potential baseflow impact reductions from acreage reductions, the model was run (as outlined above) with the four levels of CREP/EQIP program acreage reductions.

Actual locations of the lands taken out of production due to the CREP/EQIP programs was unknown; however, an approximate distribution of these lands by county was known. All reductions were applied to lands in the groundwater-exclusive (GWEX) irrigation category. These 44,400 acres, and their corresponding pumping volumes were removed from the appropriate counties to create what was assumed to be the most probable baseline scenario upon which to perform future reduction scenarios.

Since the actual distribution in each county of these acre distributions was unknown, the reductions were applied evenly to all GWEX-irrigated lands found within the quick-response areas of each county. This was performed by first calculating an acreage ratio for each county. The acreage ratio for each county was calculated as:

$$\frac{(\# \text{Irrigated GWEX Acres in QR Area} - \# \text{Acres Enrolled in CREP/EQIP Programs})}{\# \text{Irrigated GWEX Acres in QR Area}}$$

These county-specific ratios were then multiplied by all the acres and volumes for each cell in the quick-response area, thereby calculating the new, reduced quick-response acres and volumes. This same method was used to prepare pumping files for all levels of CREP/EQIP reductions.

Pumping Reduction Scenarios

Several levels of reductions were applied to the baseline run with NRD allocations and 44,400 acres of CREP/EQIP reductions. The reductions fall into four categories: 1) Reductions applied to the 3-NRD region consisting of the Lower, Middle and Upper Republican NRDs ('RED' scenarios), 2) Reductions applied only to the quick-response area ('QR' scenarios) 3) Reductions applied to the 3-NRD and QR areas simultaneously, 4) Reductions applied to the Lower, Middle, Upper and Tri-Basin NRDs. The reductions applied are as follows:

RED 10%

RED 20%

RED 50%

RED 100 %

RED 15% + QR 25% (15% Reduction to both QR and Upland, plus 25% to just the QR area)

RED 15% +QR 25% (15% Reduction to both QR and Upland, plus 50% to just the QR area)

QR 20%

QR 50%

QR 100%

The reductions listed above were also applied to the individual NRDs.

Phreatophyte ET Control

Runs were performed to determine the reduction to baseflow impacts resulting from eliminating and controlling the return of phreatophyte vegetation located in the quick-response area. Reductions were not performed on vegetation outside of the quick response area. The total area of phreatophytes in NE, as represented by the groundwater model is 164,538 acres; 128,056 of these acres are in the quick-response area. Two levels of reductions, 10% and 20% were observed in the modeling scenarios.

Narrative for 15-50 Scenario Analysis

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Methods Used to Analyze the 15% Basin Wide Plus Additional 50% Pumping Reduction in the Quick Response Area from Ground Water Model Scenario Results

The following is a brief synopsis of the methods used to analyze the results of Scenario 15_50 in moderate drought conditions. The goal of the 15_50 scenario analysis was to estimate a volume of pumpage that would result in stream flow depletions less than a selected basin target allocation. The target allocation is Nebraska's estimated one-year share of the Computed Water Supply as determined by the methods detailed in Appendix C, Accounting Procedures and Reporting Requirements (as amended), of the Final Settlement Stipulation. Table 1 located in Microsoft Excel spreadsheet "15_50Summary.xls" provides a summary of Nebraska's allocation of water from the Republican River Basin from 1995 – 2005. These values represent the maximum volume of net consumptive use (the sum of all consumptive uses less the sum of all credits) which would approximate a one-year water budget. Using the allocation information from this table, a Basin target allocation of 200,000 acre-feet (AF) was selected.

Once the target allocation was selected, a series of model runs from the Republican River ground water model were scrutinized. This series of runs, collectively referred to as 0746-Moderate Drought, modeled a number of different scenarios involving various rates of groundwater pumpage with assumed conditions for climate, surface water, phreatophyte evapotranspiration, and land retirement programs. A more complete description of the 0746-Moderate Drought collection of runs can be located in the official DNR documentation document (DNR, 2006).

Table 2 provides a summary of the pumpage volumes, by Quick Response (QR) and Upland areas, assumed for each of the scenarios modeled as part of the 0746-Moderate Drought group of model runs. For each scenario, the computed beneficial consumptive use (CBCU) due to groundwater pumpage was calculated. These values (baseflow depletions) are summarized on Table 3. From this information, the pumpage volume represented in Scenario 15_50 was selected as an initial pumpage volume estimate from which to work. As shown on Table 3, Scenario 15_50 has a predicted average depletion due to groundwater pumpage from 2007-2010 of approximately 185,000 AF. With an Imported Water Supply (IWS) credit of 10,000 AF (based on trend information inferred from Table 1) and assumed surface water CBCU of 25,000 AF, the target of 200,000 AF could be met ($185,000 - 10,000 + 25,000 = 200,000$).

The pumpage volumes shown on Table 4 are based on Scenario 15_50. The reductions represented in Scenario 15_50 are uniform percentage reductions of the pumpage volumes currently represented in the model, as discussed in the documentation (DNR, 2006). The scenario did not look at optimizing the distribution of this volume; therefore, the volumes on Table 4 were presented as a range, rather than as a fixed volume. For instance, in the process of optimizing the pumpage volumes, it may make sense to have some QR areas greater than 50% while other areas might reduce less. The actual values will be dependent upon the results of optimization. The optimizations can be identified

by considerations regarding distribution of pump volumes across political boundaries or proximity to streams, desire to maximize production in the basin or other desired policies. The focus of Scenario 15_50 was to determine the general volume of pumpage from which to optimize.

Reference:

DNR, 2006. Moderate-Drought Conditions 2007 through 2046 Modeling Scenario (0746ModDrtModelingScenarioExp.doc).

TABLE 1
HISTORICAL NEBRASKA ALLOCATION, CBCU, AND IWS CREDIT

| Year | Allocation | CBCU | IWS Credit | Alloc-(CBCU-IWS) | GW CBCU | SW CBCU |
|-----------------|------------|---------|------------|------------------|----------------------|---------|
| 1995 | 332,550 | 295,880 | 17,902 | 54,572 | 190,317 | 105,581 |
| 1996 | 377,300 | 278,900 | 24,394 | 122,794 | 201,532 | 77,366 |
| 1997 | 337,700 | 315,680 | 16,434 | 38,454 | 186,345 | 129,340 |
| 1998 | 315,410 | 297,750 | 17,677 | 35,337 | 185,460 | 112,301 |
| 1999 | 299,050 | 302,890 | 18,444 | 14,604 | 203,488 | 99,390 |
| 2000 | 291,920 | 296,530 | 18,656 | 14,046 | 184,020 | 112,493 |
| 2001 | 299,380 | 292,320 | 18,242 | 25,302 | 212,871 | 79,446 |
| 2002 | 236,550 | 265,910 | 13,996 | -15,364 | 180,438 | 85,465 |
| 2003 | 227,580 | 262,780 | 9,780 | -25,420 | 204,165 | 58,614 |
| 2004 | 205,630 | 252,650 | 10,380 | -36,640 | 213,115 | 39,530 |
| 2005 | 198,940 | 252,690 | 11,965 | -41,785 | 210,879 | 41,803 |
| | | | | | w/ NFR evap above HC | |
| Averages | | | | | | |
| 1995-2005 | 283,819 | | 16,170 | | 197,512 | 85,575 |
| 2000-2005 | 243,333 | | 13,837 | | 200,915 | 69,559 |
| 2003-2005 | 210,717 | | 10,708 | | 209,386 | 46,649 |

TABLE 3
SUMMARY OF DEPLETIONS FROM GROUNDWATER PUMPING FOR MODEL SCENARIO 0746-MODERATE DROUGHT
 RECEIVED FROM DNR ON 13 DEC 2006

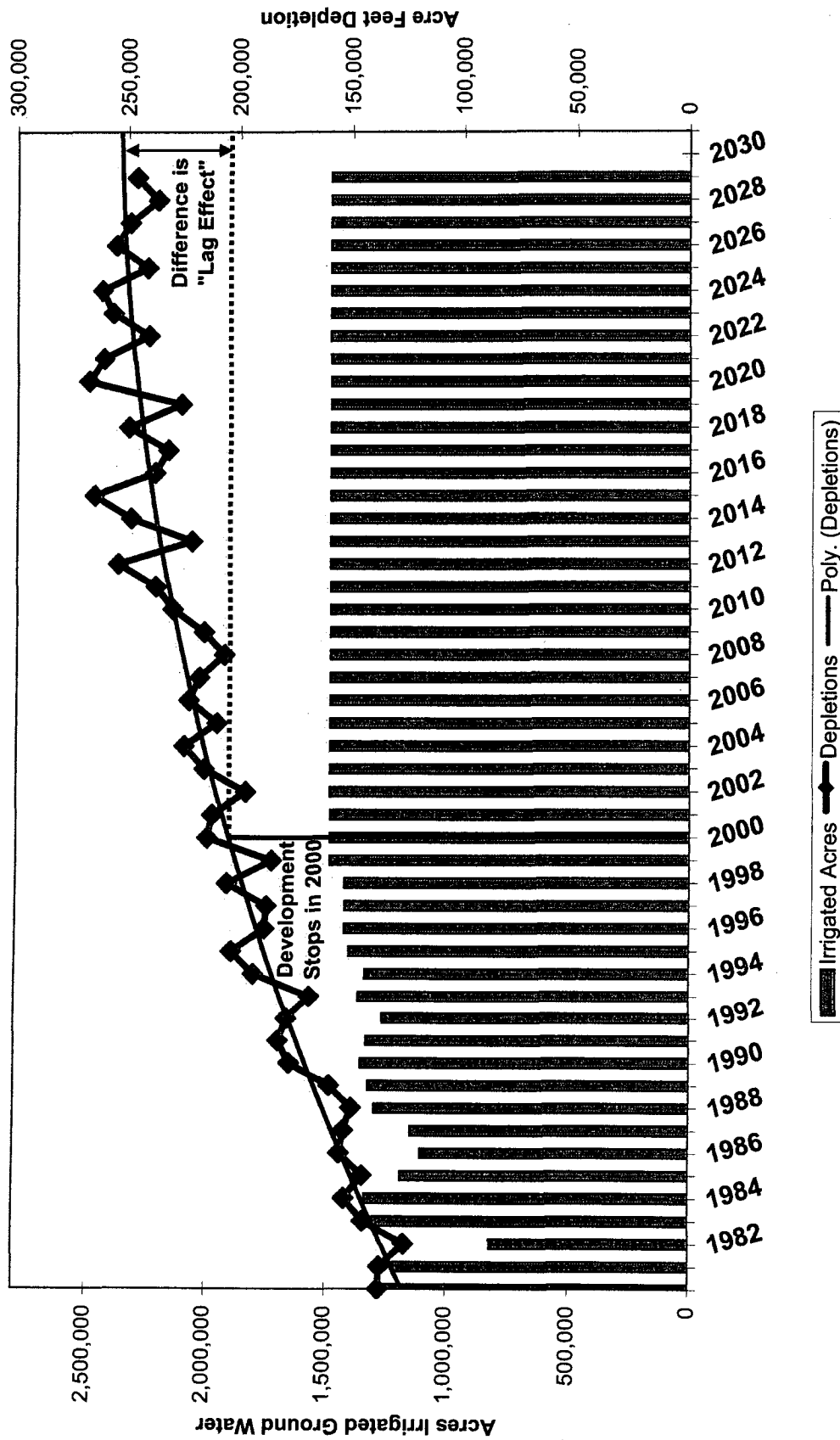
| | Base | RED 10 | RED 20 | RED 50 | RED 100 | RED 15 QR 25 | RED 15 QR 50 | QR10 | QR20 | QR50 | QR100 | ET RED 10% | ET RED 20% |
|-------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-----------------|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------------|---------------|
| 2001 | 212,869 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2002 | 180,438 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2003 | 204,164 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2004 | 213,157 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 211,321 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2006 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 | 193,072 |
| 2007 | 196,459 | 195,172 | 193,792 | 189,530 | 182,761 | 191,806 | 189,016 | 195,294 | 194,040 | 190,157 | 183,983 | 188,085 | 178,677 |
| 2008 | 189,131 | 187,057 | 184,965 | 178,174 | 167,166 | 181,777 | 177,231 | 187,225 | 185,221 | 178,648 | 167,753 | 178,687 | 166,714 |
| 2009 | 197,907 | 195,276 | 192,535 | 183,837 | 167,225 | 188,486 | 182,860 | 195,483 | 192,771 | 184,364 | 168,959 | 186,948 | 174,881 |
| 2010 | 208,641 | 205,766 | 202,617 | 192,188 | 167,452 | 198,185 | 191,553 | 206,074 | 203,252 | 193,480 | 172,221 | 197,400 | 184,511 |
| 2011 | 206,248 | 203,104 | 199,884 | 187,334 | 153,124 | 195,371 | 187,656 | 203,659 | 200,779 | 190,422 | 161,131 | 195,546 | 182,825 |
| 2012 | 193,780 | 190,354 | 186,964 | 174,750 | 142,673 | 183,056 | 176,131 | 191,083 | 188,396 | 179,475 | 152,533 | 182,946 | 171,262 |
| 2013 | 202,471 | 198,788 | 195,062 | 180,553 | 143,312 | 190,984 | 182,629 | 199,668 | 196,800 | 186,295 | 155,484 | 192,026 | 180,768 |
| 2014 | 212,561 | 208,579 | 204,591 | 187,917 | 145,352 | 200,237 | 190,968 | 209,658 | 206,726 | 195,456 | 162,073 | 201,651 | 189,781 |
| 2015 | 210,147 | 205,999 | 201,782 | 184,105 | 136,464 | 197,490 | 187,338 | 207,227 | 204,291 | 192,856 | 155,946 | 199,600 | 187,659 |
| 2016 | 197,803 | 193,353 | 188,886 | 171,649 | 128,832 | 184,668 | 176,797 | 194,694 | 191,632 | 182,162 | 150,292 | 186,811 | 175,042 |
| 2017 | 206,760 | 202,109 | 197,362 | 178,666 | 130,150 | 193,007 | 184,570 | 203,596 | 200,441 | 189,708 | 154,436 | 196,156 | 184,988 |
| 2018 | 216,590 | 211,777 | 206,829 | 186,435 | 132,414 | 202,355 | 193,230 | 213,445 | 210,205 | 199,128 | 161,902 | 205,630 | 193,824 |
| 2019 | 213,884 | 208,980 | 203,950 | 181,797 | 125,648 | 199,492 | 188,958 | 210,724 | 207,540 | 196,496 | 157,063 | 203,356 | 191,565 |
| 2020 | 201,536 | 196,322 | 191,101 | 170,290 | 119,146 | 186,744 | 178,659 | 198,205 | 194,925 | 185,004 | 152,217 | 190,530 | 178,762 |
| 2021 | 210,774 | 205,437 | 199,979 | 177,845 | 120,817 | 195,429 | 187,033 | 207,484 | 204,130 | 193,634 | 156,946 | 200,235 | 189,060 |
| 2022 | 220,500 | 214,958 | 209,330 | 185,798 | 123,269 | 204,813 | 195,873 | 217,121 | 213,805 | 202,929 | 164,796 | 209,593 | 197,764 |
| 2023 | 217,453 | 211,922 | 206,244 | 180,923 | 117,762 | 201,827 | 192,059 | 214,184 | 210,881 | 200,143 | 160,267 | 206,997 | 195,358 |
| 2024 | 205,324 | 199,378 | 193,470 | 169,987 | 112,085 | 189,145 | 181,091 | 201,761 | 198,282 | 188,038 | 155,627 | 194,266 | 182,518 |
| 2025 | 214,423 | 208,457 | 202,410 | 177,611 | 113,232 | 197,938 | 189,478 | 211,008 | 207,582 | 196,872 | 160,407 | 203,926 | 192,806 |
| 2026 | 224,040 | 217,921 | 211,746 | 185,704 | 116,287 | 207,236 | 198,424 | 220,603 | 217,086 | 206,233 | 168,356 | 213,188 | 201,550 |
| 2027 | 220,811 | 214,716 | 208,557 | 181,038 | 111,420 | 204,257 | 195,318 | 217,363 | 214,025 | 203,418 | 164,064 | 210,465 | 198,995 |
| 2028 | 208,745 | 202,319 | 195,713 | 170,126 | 106,409 | 191,459 | 183,501 | 205,154 | 201,516 | 190,874 | 159,457 | 197,740 | 186,149 |
| 2029 | 218,051 | 211,399 | 204,802 | 177,928 | 107,741 | 200,466 | 192,187 | 214,438 | 210,826 | 199,961 | 164,486 | 207,466 | 196,444 |
| 2030 | 227,480 | 220,903 | 214,096 | 186,260 | 110,607 | 209,771 | 201,081 | 224,009 | 220,450 | 209,326 | 172,662 | 216,757 | 205,261 |
| 2031 | 224,082 | 217,332 | 210,649 | 181,756 | 106,384 | 206,497 | 198,297 | 220,548 | 216,992 | 206,256 | 167,685 | 213,861 | 202,540 |
| 2032 | 212,094 | 205,031 | 197,985 | 170,705 | 101,869 | 193,695 | 185,947 | 208,340 | 204,633 | 193,628 | 162,968 | 201,237 | 189,694 |
| 2033 | 221,508 | 214,318 | 207,036 | 178,576 | 103,336 | 202,878 | 194,804 | 217,721 | 214,051 | 202,907 | 168,515 | 211,003 | 199,984 |
| 2034 | 230,912 | 223,788 | 216,482 | 187,063 | 106,171 | 212,243 | 203,827 | 227,284 | 223,705 | 212,331 | 176,431 | 220,320 | 208,876 |
| 2035 | 227,135 | 220,011 | 212,722 | 182,680 | 102,315 | 208,661 | 200,614 | 223,568 | 219,981 | 208,954 | 171,162 | 217,115 | 205,966 |
| 2036 | 215,305 | 207,840 | 200,290 | 171,600 | 98,267 | 196,135 | 188,166 | 211,553 | 207,717 | 196,465 | 166,658 | 204,608 | 193,126 |
| 2037 | 224,814 | 217,147 | 209,414 | 179,494 | 99,673 | 205,256 | 197,100 | 221,018 | 217,133 | 205,780 | 172,414 | 214,331 | 203,328 |
| 2038 | 233,951 | 226,467 | 218,726 | 188,005 | 102,464 | 214,625 | 206,154 | 230,397 | 226,638 | 215,241 | 180,682 | 223,467 | 212,191 |
| 2039 | 229,952 | 222,573 | 214,863 | 184,189 | 98,917 | 210,912 | 202,780 | 226,467 | 222,869 | 211,668 | 174,706 | 220,110 | 209,197 |
| 2040 | 218,260 | 210,433 | 202,385 | 172,560 | 95,292 | 198,309 | 190,217 | 214,481 | 210,586 | 199,162 | 169,757 | 207,721 | 196,214 |
| 2041 | 227,780 | 219,822 | 211,595 | 180,498 | 96,534 | 207,470 | 199,219 | 223,984 | 220,138 | 208,413 | 175,806 | 217,287 | 206,392 |
| 2042 | 236,799 | 228,972 | 220,894 | 189,031 | 99,401 | 216,866 | 208,293 | 233,277 | 229,587 | 217,960 | 184,349 | 226,468 | 215,225 |
| 2043 | 232,587 | 225,005 | 216,943 | 185,693 | 96,232 | 213,101 | 204,843 | 229,129 | 225,536 | 214,318 | 177,884 | 222,989 | 212,214 |
| 2044 | 221,231 | 213,388 | 204,774 | 173,962 | 93,001 | 200,742 | 192,616 | 217,540 | 213,700 | 201,991 | 172,954 | 210,917 | 199,587 |
| 2045 | 230,962 | 222,619 | 213,976 | 181,858 | 94,174 | 209,920 | 201,448 | 227,063 | 223,205 | 211,347 | 179,253 | 220,481 | 209,566 |
| 2046 | 239,435 | 231,503 | 222,862 | 190,118 | 96,878 | 218,970 | 210,364 | 235,918 | 232,284 | 220,579 | 187,683 | 229,215 | 218,158 |
| Averages | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2007 - 2010 | 198,035 | 195,818 | 193,477 | 185,932 | 171,151 | 190,064 | 185,165 | 196,019 | 193,821 | 186,662 | 173,229 | 187,780 | 176,196 |
| 2011 - 2014 | 203,765 | 200,206 | 196,625 | 182,639 | 146,115 | 192,412 | 184,346 | 201,017 | 198,175 | 187,912 | 157,805 | 193,042 | 181,159 |
| 2014 - 2046 | 219,809 | 213,357 | 206,741 | 180,360 | 110,562 | 202,503 | 193,977 | 216,332 | 212,821 | 201,795 | 166,967 | 209,257 | 197,872 |

| Year | LRNRD | | MRNRD | | URNRD | |
|------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|
| | SUM ACRES | SUM VOLUME | SUM ACRES | SUM VOLUME | SUM ACRES | SUM VOLUME |
| 1981 | 82,535 | 92,647 | 175,583 | 62,399 | 77,275 | 139,674 |
| 1982 | 78,172 | 95,061 | 173,233 | 69,086 | 75,919 | 145,004 |
| 1983 | 60,834 | 63,179 | 124,013 | 74,238 | 85,564 | 159,802 |
| 1984 | 84,190 | 98,303 | 182,493 | 94,468 | 108,155 | 202,823 |
| 1985 | 84,670 | 101,442 | 186,112 | 72,576 | 85,123 | 157,693 |
| 1986 | 85,713 | 102,974 | 188,686 | 85,334 | 96,416 | 181,751 |
| 1987 | 78,191 | 91,158 | 169,349 | 86,738 | 88,117 | 156,655 |
| 1988 | 78,990 | 95,022 | 174,013 | 98,451 | 129,732 | 229,883 |
| 1989 | 93,430 | 107,629 | 201,059 | 101,148 | 116,265 | 217,803 |
| 1990 | 92,938 | 108,824 | 201,563 | 98,600 | 115,888 | 214,668 |
| 1991 | 93,445 | 109,074 | 202,519 | 124,005 | 152,072 | 276,077 |
| 1992 | 93,090 | 108,256 | 202,346 | 66,618 | 78,930 | 145,945 |
| 1993 | 90,120 | 106,523 | 196,643 | 17,421 | 24,111 | 41,532 |
| 1994 | 97,891 | 112,548 | 210,139 | 80,179 | 94,889 | 174,586 |
| 1995 | 95,097 | 109,159 | 204,255 | 108,728 | 137,489 | 246,195 |
| 1996 | 98,662 | 112,662 | 211,575 | 50,973 | 73,585 | 124,499 |
| 1997 | 107,420 | 123,536 | 232,956 | 104,864 | 132,923 | 237,787 |
| 1998 | 105,930 | 124,613 | 230,543 | 88,506 | 106,054 | 194,960 |
| 1999 | 102,305 | 125,890 | 228,164 | 64,943 | 88,562 | 153,905 |
| 2000 | 113,245 | 129,149 | 242,395 | 110,588 | 153,329 | 263,918 |
| 2001 | 112,277 | 132,332 | 244,610 | 101,064 | 136,200 | 237,853 |
| 2002 | 115,022 | 133,290 | 248,492 | 158,312 | 200,105 | 358,417 |
| 2003 | 124,853 | 146,734 | 271,567 | 124,672 | 169,858 | 294,629 |
| 2004 | 133,461 | 159,044 | 292,505 | 118,900 | 152,617 | 271,517 |
| 2005 | 127,294 | 153,565 | 280,859 | 106,125 | 133,082 | 239,206 |
| 1981 | 82,535 | 92,647 | 175,583 | 62,399 | 77,275 | 139,674 |
| 1982 | 78,172 | 95,061 | 173,233 | 69,086 | 75,919 | 145,004 |
| 1983 | 60,834 | 63,179 | 124,013 | 74,238 | 85,564 | 159,802 |
| 1984 | 84,190 | 98,303 | 182,493 | 94,468 | 108,155 | 202,823 |
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| 1986 | 85,713 | 102,974 | 188,686 | 85,334 | 96,416 | 181,751 |
| 1987 | 78,191 | 91,158 | 169,349 | 86,738 | 88,117 | 156,655 |
| 1988 | 78,990 | 95,022 | 174,013 | 98,451 | 129,732 | 229,883 |
| 1989 | 93,430 | 107,629 | 201,059 | 101,148 | 116,265 | 217,803 |
| 1990 | 92,938 | 108,824 | 201,563 | 98,600 | 115,888 | 214,668 |
| 1991 | 93,445 | 109,074 | 202,519 | 124,005 | 152,072 | 276,077 |
| 1992 | 93,090 | 108,256 | 202,346 | 66,618 | 78,930 | 145,945 |
| 1993 | 90,120 | 106,523 | 196,643 | 17,421 | 24,111 | 41,532 |
| 1994 | 97,891 | 112,548 | 210,139 | 80,179 | 94,889 | 174,586 |
| 1995 | 95,097 | 109,159 | 204,255 | 108,728 | 137,489 | 246,195 |
| 1996 | 98,662 | 112,662 | 211,575 | 50,973 | 73,585 | 124,499 |
| 1997 | 107,420 | 123,536 | 232,956 | 104,864 | 132,923 | 237,787 |
| 1998 | 105,930 | 124,613 | 230,543 | 88,506 | 106,054 | 194,960 |
| 1999 | 102,305 | 125,890 | 228,164 | 64,943 | 88,562 | 153,905 |
| 2000 | 113,245 | 129,149 | 242,395 | 110,588 | 153,329 | 263,918 |
| 2001 | 112,277 | 132,332 | 244,610 | 101,064 | 136,200 | 237,853 |
| 2002 | 115,022 | 133,290 | 248,492 | 158,312 | 200,105 | 358,417 |
| 2003 | 124,853 | 146,734 | 271,567 | 124,672 | 169,858 | 294,629 |
| 2004 | 133,461 | 159,044 | 292,505 | 118,900 | 152,617 | 271,517 |
| 2005 | 127,294 | 153,565 | 280,859 | 106,125 | 133,082 | 239,206 |
| 1981 | 53,368 | 275,699 | 329,085 | 83,074 | 272,714 | 335,788 |
| 1982 | 54,660 | 270,531 | 325,191 | 60,515 | 224,274 | 274,788 |
| 1983 | 39,334 | 210,063 | 248,397 | 61,512 | 280,216 | 341,729 |
| 1984 | 66,564 | 319,087 | 375,652 | 78,896 | 364,594 | 444,608 |
| 1985 | 53,501 | 305,799 | 359,900 | 60,008 | 364,594 | 444,593 |
| 1986 | 49,220 | 265,268 | 314,509 | 69,389 | 366,342 | 395,732 |
| 1987 | 60,103 | 288,268 | 316,371 | 84,804 | 299,702 | 364,506 |
| 1988 | 51,515 | 270,946 | 322,461 | 74,159 | 338,012 | 412,170 |
| 1989 | 95,464 | 292,757 | 348,221 | 73,941 | 331,934 | 403,475 |
| 1990 | 96,037 | 297,423 | 385,460 | 90,199 | 414,809 | 505,007 |
| 1991 | 61,295 | 308,471 | 368,768 | 79,307 | 383,822 | 463,129 |
| 1992 | 59,859 | 306,330 | 367,998 | 60,526 | 274,438 | 334,965 |
| 1993 | 57,515 | 302,413 | 389,827 | 47,621 | 209,080 | 256,701 |
| 1994 | 58,516 | 310,312 | 388,827 | 87,858 | 363,274 | 494,942 |
| 1995 | 58,879 | 315,734 | 374,614 | 76,093 | 363,274 | 439,368 |
| 1996 | 61,664 | 323,135 | 384,799 | 60,538 | 267,929 | 328,467 |
| 1997 | 61,371 | 315,799 | 377,170 | 90,324 | 399,214 | 489,538 |
| 1998 | 58,220 | 313,375 | 371,596 | 83,020 | 410,397 | 503,407 |
| 1999 | 57,630 | 311,406 | 369,036 | 68,764 | 311,462 | 380,226 |
| 2000 | 60,321 | 323,691 | 384,012 | 116,578 | 546,503 | 663,481 |
| 2001 | 84,002 | 359,497 | 443,496 | 94,629 | 390,627 | 485,456 |
| 2002 | 84,274 | 360,121 | 444,396 | 131,648 | 536,219 | 669,867 |
| 2003 | 70,395 | 380,953 | 451,349 | 87,969 | 473,189 | 561,178 |
| 2004 | 65,175 | 377,036 | 442,214 | 69,215 | 396,809 | 466,023 |
| 2005 | 66,490 | 405,629 | 474,419 | 61,459 | 364,430 | 425,939 |

Data from RRCA Model Run Inputs

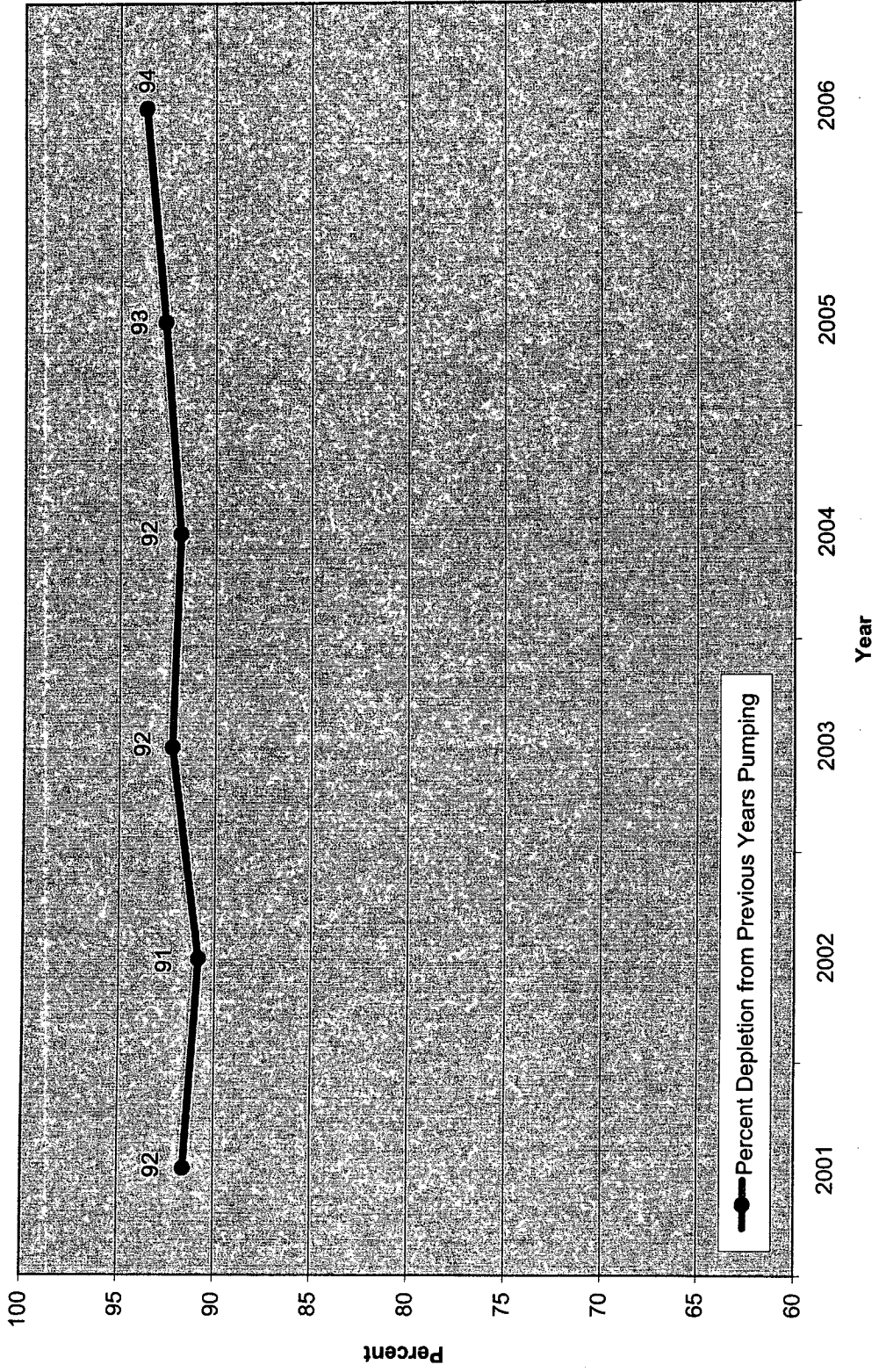
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Illustration of Lagged Depletions to Stream Flow



RR lag chart with polynomial trend.xls

Estimated Percent of Yearly Impacts from Past Pumping, 2001-2006



Excerpts from the Final Settlement Stipulation Regarding Stream Augmentation

III. Existing Development

B. Exceptions to Moratorium on New Wells

1. The Moratorium shall not apply to the following:

k. Wells acquired or constructed by a State for the sole purpose of offsetting stream depletions in order to comply with its Compact Allocations. Provided that, such Wells shall not cause any new net depletion to stream flow either annually or long-term. The determination of net depletions from these Wells will be computed by the RRCA Groundwater Model and included in the State's Computed Beneficial Consumptive Use. Augmentation plans and related accounting procedures submitted under this Subsection III.B.1.k. shall be approved by the RRCA prior to implementation.

IV. Compact Accounting

A. The States will determine Virgin Water Supply, Computed Water Supply, Allocations, Imported Water Supply Credit, augmentation credit and Computed Beneficial Consumptive Use based on a methodology set forth in the RRCA Accounting Procedures, attached hereto as Appendix C.

H. Augmentation credit, as further described in Subsection III.B.1.k., shall be calculated in accordance with the RRCA Accounting Procedures and by using the RRCA Groundwater Model.

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Natural Resources Committee

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Holdrege, Nebraska

Material Provided by
the Nebraska Department of
Natural Resources

Applicable Provisions in the Republican River Compact Settlement Agreement

Article II Definitions

Imported Water Supply Credit: The accretions to stream flow due to water ~~imports from outside of the Basin~~ as computed by the RRCA Groundwater Model. The Imported Water Supply Credit of a State shall not be included in the Virgin Water Supply and shall be counted as a credit/offset against the Computed Beneficial Consumptive use of that State's Allocation, except as provided in Subsection V.B.2. of this Stipulation and Subsections III.I.-J. of the RRCA Accounting Procedures;

Article V.B.2.b. Nebraska Action in Water-Short Year Administraion

- b. Nebraska may offset any Computed Beneficial Consumptive Use in excess of its Allocation that is derived from sources above Guide Rock with Imported Water Supply Credit. If Nebraska chooses to exercise its option to offset with Imported Water Supply Credit, Nebraska will receive credit only for Imported Water Supply that: (1) produces water above Harlan county Lake; (2) produces water below Harlan County Lake and above Guide Rock that can be diverted during the Bostwick irrigation season; (3) produces water that can be stored and is needed to fill Lovewell Reservoir; or (4) Kansas and Nebraska will explore crediting water that is otherwise useable by Kansas.

Article III.B.1.k. Exception to Moratorium on New Wells

The moratorium [on new wells] shall not apply to the following:

- k. Wells acquired or constructed by a State for the sole purpose of offsetting stream depletions in order to comply with its Compact Allocations. ~~Provided that such Wells shall not cause any new net depletion to stream flow either annually or long-term.~~ The determination of net depletions from these Wells will be computed by the RRCA Groundwater Model and included in the State's Computed Beneficial Consumptive Use. Augmentation plans and related accounting procedures submitted under this Subsection III.B.1.k. ~~shall be approved by the RRCA prior to implementation.~~

Interbasin Transfer Statutes for Surface Water

46-206. Appropriation; water to be returned to stream. The water appropriated from a river or stream shall not be turned or permitted to run into the waters or channel of any other river or stream than that from which it is taken or appropriated, unless such stream exceeds in width one hundred feet, in which event not more than seventy-five percent of the regular flow shall be taken and any such taking shall be subject to the provisions of section 46-289.

Source: Laws 1889, c. 68, § 6, p. 504; Laws 1893, c. 40, § 3, p. 378, R.S.1913, § 3376; Laws 1919, c. 190, tit. VII, art. V, div. 1, § 8, p. 832 .S.1922, § 8413 C.S.1929, § 46-508 R.S.1943, § 46-206; Laws 1981, LB 252, § 2.

46-288. Interbasin transfers; terms, defined. For purposes of this section and section 46-289, unless the context otherwise requires:

(1) Basin of origin shall mean the river basin in which the point or proposed point of diversion of water is located;

(2) Beneficial use shall include, but not be limited to, reasonable and efficient use of water for domestic, municipal, agricultural, industrial, commercial, power production, subirrigation, fish and wildlife, ground water recharge, interstate compact, water quality maintenance, or recreational purposes. Nothing in this subdivision shall be construed to affect the preferences for use of surface water as provided in section 46-204;

(3) Interbasin transfer shall mean the diversion of water in one river basin and the transportation of such water to another river basin for storage or utilization for a beneficial use; and

(4) River basin shall mean any of the following natural hydrologic basins of the state as shown on maps located in the Department of Natural Resources: (a) the White River and Hat Creek basin; (b) the Niobrara River basin; (c) the Platte River basin, including the North Platte and South Platte River basins, except that for purposes of transfer between the North and South Platte River basins each shall be considered a separate river basin; (d) the Loup River basin; (e) the Elkhorn River basin; (f) the Republican River basin; (g) the Little Blue River basin; (h) the Big Blue River basin; (i) the Nemaha River basin; and (j) the Missouri tributaries basin.

Source: Laws 1981, LB 252, § 5; Laws 1993, LB 789, § 3; Laws 2000, LB 900, § 129.

46-289. Legislative findings; interbasin transfers; application for water; factors considered; order issued. The Legislature finds, recognizes, and declares that the transfer of water to outside the boundaries of a river basin may have impacts on the water and other resources in the basin and that such impacts differ from those caused by uses of water within the same basin in part because any unused water will not be returned to the stream from which it is taken for further use in that river basin. The Legislature therefor recognizes the need to delineate factors for consideration by the Director of Natural Resources when evaluating an application made pursuant to section 46-233 which involves an interbasin transfer of water ~~in order to determine whether denial of such application is demanded by the public interest.~~ Those considerations shall include, but not be limited to, the following factors:

- (1) The economic, environmental, and other benefits of the proposed interbasin transfer and use;
- (2) Any adverse impacts of the proposed interbasin transfer and use;
- (3) Any current beneficial uses being made of the unappropriated water in the basin of origin;
- (4) Any reasonably foreseeable future beneficial uses of the water in the basin of origin;
- (5) The economic, environmental, and other benefits of leaving the water in the basin of origin for current or future beneficial uses;
- (6) Alternative sources of water supply available to the applicant; and
- (7) Alternative sources of water available to the basin of origin for future beneficial uses.

~~The application shall be deemed in the public interest if the overall benefits to the state and the applicant's basin are greater than or equal to the adverse impacts to the state and the basin of origin.~~ The director's order granting or denying an application shall specify the reasons for such action, including a discussion of the required factors for consideration, and shall document such decision by reference to the hearing record, if any, and to any other sources used by the director in making the decision.

Source: Laws 1981, LB 252, § 6; Laws 1986, LB 309, § 2; Laws 2000, LB 900, § 130.

Surface Water ~~Right~~ Transfer Statute

46-294. Applications; approval; requirements; conditions; burden of proof. (1) Except for applications approved in accordance with subsection (1) of section 46-291, ~~the Director of Natural Resources shall approve an application filed pursuant to section 46-290 only if the application and the proposed transfer or change meet the following requirements:~~

(a) The application is complete and all other information requested pursuant to section 46-293 has been provided;

(b) The proposed use of water after the transfer or change will be a beneficial use of water;

~~(c)(i) Any requested transfer in the location of use is within the same river basin as defined in section 46-288 or (ii) the river basin from which the appropriation is to be transferred is tributary to the river basin to which the appropriation is to be transferred;~~

(d) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (4) of this section, the proposed transfer or change, alone or when combined with any new or increased use of any other source of water at the original location or within the same irrigation district, reclamation district, public power and irrigation district, or mutual irrigation or canal company for the original or other purposes, will not diminish the supply of water available for or otherwise adversely affect any other water appropriator and will not significantly adversely affect any riparian water user who files an objection in writing pursuant to section 46-291;

(e) The quantity of water that is transferred for diversion or other use at the new location will not exceed the historic consumptive use under the appropriation or portion thereof being transferred, except that this subdivision does not apply to a transfer in the location of use if both the current use and the proposed use are for irrigation, the number of acres to be irrigated will not increase after the transfer, and the location of the diversion from the stream will not change;

(f) The appropriation, prior to the transfer or change, is not subject to termination or cancellation pursuant to sections 46-229 to 46-229.04;

(g) If a proposed transfer or change is of an appropriation that has been used for irrigation and is in the name of an irrigation district, reclamation district, public power and irrigation district, or mutual irrigation or canal company or is dependent upon any such district's or company's facilities for water delivery, such district or company has approved the transfer or change;

(h) If the proposed transfer or change is of a storage-use appropriation and if the owner of that appropriation is different from the owner of the associated

storage appropriation, the owner of the storage appropriation has approved the transfer or change;

(i) If the proposed transfer or change is to be permanent, either (i) the purpose for which the water is to be used before the transfer or change is in the same preference category established by section 46-204 as the purpose for which the water is to be used after the transfer or change or (ii) the purpose for which the water is to be used before the transfer or change and the purpose for which the water is to be used after the transfer or change are both purposes for which no preferences are established by section 46-204;

(j) If the proposed transfer or change is to be temporary, it will be for a duration of no less than one year and, except as provided in section 46-294.02, no more than thirty years;

(k) The transfer or change will not be inconsistent with any applicable state or federal law and will not jeopardize the state's compliance with any applicable interstate water compact or decree or cause difficulty in fulfilling the provisions of any other formal state contract or agreement; and

(l) The proposed transfer or change is in the public interest. The director's considerations relative to the public interest shall include, but not be limited to, (i) the economic, social, and environmental impacts of the proposed transfer or change and (ii) whether and under what conditions other sources of water are available for the uses to be made of the appropriation after the proposed transfer or change. The Department of Natural Resources shall adopt and promulgate rules and regulations to govern the director's determination of whether a proposed transfer or change is in the public interest.

~~(2) The applicant has the burden of proving that the proposed transfer or change will comply with subdivisions (1)(a) through (l) of this section, except that~~ (a) the burden is on a riparian user to demonstrate his or her riparian status and to demonstrate a significant adverse effect on his or her use in order to prevent approval of an application and (b) if both the current use and the proposed use after a transfer are for irrigation, the number of acres to be irrigated will not increase after the transfer, and the location of the diversion from the stream will not change, there is a rebuttable presumption that the transfer will be consistent with subdivision (1)(d) of this section.

(3) In approving an application, the director may impose any reasonable conditions deemed necessary to protect the public interest, to ensure consistency with any of the other criteria in subsection (1) of this section, or to provide the department with information needed to properly and efficiently administer the appropriation while the transfer or change remains in effect. If necessary to prevent diminution of supply for any other appropriator, the conditions imposed by the director shall require that historic return flows be maintained or replaced in

quantity, timing, and location. After approval of any such transfer or change, the appropriation shall be subject to all water use restrictions and requirements in effect at any new location of use and, if applicable, at any new diversion location. An appropriation for which a transfer or change has been approved shall retain the same priority date as that of the original appropriation. If an approved transfer or change is temporary, the location of use, purpose of use, or type of appropriation shall revert to the location of use, purpose of use, or type of appropriation prior to the transfer or change.

(4) In approving an application for a transfer, the director may also authorize the overlying of water appropriations on the same lands, except that if any such overlying of appropriations would result in either the authorized diversion rate or the authorized aggregate annual quantity that could be diverted to be greater than is otherwise permitted by section 46-231, the director shall limit the total diversion rate or aggregate annual quantity for the appropriations overlain to the rate or quantity that he or she determines is necessary, in the exercise of good husbandry, for the production of crops on the land involved. The director may also authorize a greater number of acres to be irrigated if the amount and rate of water approved under the original appropriation is not increased by the change of location. An increase in the number of acres to be irrigated shall be approved only if (a) such an increase will not diminish the supply of water available to or otherwise adversely affect another water appropriator or (b) the transfer would not adversely affect the water supply for any river basin, subbasin, or reach that has been designated as overappropriated pursuant to section 46-713 or determined to be fully appropriated pursuant to section 46-714 and (i) the number of acres authorized under the appropriation when originally approved has not been increased previously, (ii) the increase in the number of acres irrigated will not exceed five percent of the number of acres being irrigated under the permit before the proposed transfer or a total of ten acres, whichever acreage is less, and (iii) all the use will be either on the quarter section to which the appropriation was appurtenant before the transfer or on an adjacent quarter section.

Source: Laws 1983, LB 21, § 6; Laws 1984, LB 818, § 2; Laws 1993, LB 789, § 4; Laws 2000, LB 900, § 135; Laws 2004, LB 962, § 20.

Applicable Groundwater Transfer/Transport Statutes

Interstate Transfer of Groundwater

46-613.01. Ground water; transfer to another state; permit; Department of Natural Resources; conditions. The Legislature recognizes and declares that the maintenance of an adequate source of ground water within this state is essential to the social stability of the state and the health, safety, and welfare of its citizens and that reasonable restrictions on the transportation of ground water from this state are a proper exercise of the police powers of the state. The need for such restrictions, which protect the health, safety, and general welfare of the citizens of this state, is hereby declared a matter of legislative determination.

Any person, firm, city, village, municipal corporation, or other entity intending to withdraw ground water from any water well located in the State of Nebraska and transport it for use in another state shall apply to the Department of Natural Resources for a permit to do so. In determining whether to grant or deny such permit, the Director of Natural Resources shall consider:

- (1) The nature of the proposed use and whether it is a beneficial use of ground water;
- (2) The availability to the applicant of alternative sources of surface or ground water;
- (3) Any negative effect of the proposed withdrawal on ground water supplies needed to meet present or reasonable future demands for water in the area of the proposed withdrawal, to comply with any interstate compact or decree, or to fulfill the provisions of any other formal state contract or agreement;
- (4) Any negative effect of the proposed withdrawal on surface water supplies needed to meet present or reasonable future demands within the state, to comply with any interstate compact or decree, or to fulfill the provisions of any other formal state contract or agreement;
- (5) Any adverse environmental effect of the proposed withdrawal or transportation of ground water;
- (6) The cumulative effect of the proposed withdrawal and transfer relative to the matters listed in subdivisions (3) through (6) of this section when considered in conjunction with all other transfers subject to this section; and
- (7) Any other factors consistent with the purposes of this section that the director deems relevant to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the state and its citizens.

Issuance of a permit shall be conditioned on the applicant's compliance with the rules and regulations of the natural resources district from which the water is to be withdrawn. The applicant shall be required to provide access to his or her property at reasonable times for purposes of inspection by officials of the district or the department.

The director may include such reasonable conditions on the proposed use as he or she deems necessary to carry out the purposes of this section.

Source: Laws 1967, c. 281, § 5, p. 761; Laws 1969, c. 9, § 69, p. 144; Laws 1984, LB 1060, § 1; Laws 1993, LB 131, § 11; Laws 2000, LB 900, § 174; Laws 2003, LB 619, § 7.

Agricultural Transfer of Groundwater

46-691. Transfer off overlying land; when allowed; objection; procedure; natural resources district; powers and duties; Director of Natural Resources; duties. (1) Any person who withdraws ground water for agricultural purposes, or for any purpose pursuant to a ground water remediation plan as required under the Environmental Protection Act, including the providing of water for domestic purposes, from aquifers located within the State of Nebraska may transfer the use of the ground water off the overlying land if the ground water is put to a reasonable and beneficial use within the State of Nebraska and is used for an agricultural purpose, or for any purpose pursuant to a ground water remediation plan as required under the Environmental Protection Act, including the providing of water for domestic purposes, after transfer, and if such withdrawal, transfer, and use (a) will not significantly adversely affect any other water user, (b) is consistent with all applicable statutes and rules and regulations, and (c) is in the public interest. The determination made by a natural resources district under subsection (2) of this section or the Director of Natural Resources under subsection (3) of this section shall include consideration of the factors set forth in subdivisions (1) through (7) of section 46-613.01. For purposes of this section, domestic has the same meaning as in section 46-613.

(2) Any affected party may object to the transfer of ground water by filing written objections, specifically stating the grounds for such objection, in the office of the natural resources district containing the land from which the ground water is withdrawn. Upon the filing of such objections or on its own initiative, the natural resources district shall conduct a preliminary investigation to determine if the

withdrawal, transfer, and use of ground water is consistent with the requirements of subsection (1) of this section. Following the preliminary investigation, if the district has reason to believe that the withdrawal, transfer, or use may not comply with any rule or regulation of the district, it may utilize its authority under the Nebraska Ground Water Management and Protection Act to prohibit such withdrawal, transfer, or use. If the district has reason to believe that the withdrawal, transfer, and use is consistent with all rules and regulations of the district but may not comply with one or more other requirements of subsection (1) of this section, the district shall request that the Department of Natural Resources hold a hearing on such transfer.

(3) At the hearing, all interested persons may appear and present testimony. Agencies or political subdivisions of this state and the appropriate natural resources districts shall offer as evidence any information in their possession which they deem relevant to the purposes of the hearing. **After the hearing, if the Director of Natural Resources finds that the withdrawal, transfer, or use of ground water is contrary to the requirements of subsection (1) of this section, he or she shall issue a cease and desist order prohibiting the withdrawal and transfer.**

(4) The director may adopt and promulgate rules and regulations to carry out this section.

Source: Laws 1995, LB 251, § 1; Laws 2000, LB 900, § 223; Laws 2003, LB 619, § 14.

Cross References

Environmental Protection Act, see section 81-1532.

Nebraska Ground Water Management and Protection Act, see section 46-701.

NRD Approval of Transfers to a Stay or Moratorium Area

46-742. Transport of ground water; prohibited; when. (1) **Whenever the drilling of new wells has been stayed pursuant to section 46-714, ground water withdrawn outside the affected area shall not be transported for use inside such area unless (a) such withdrawal and transport began before the stay took effect, (b) the water is used solely for domestic purposes, or (c) such withdrawal and transport is approved in advance by the district in which the stay is in effect and, if the water is withdrawn in another natural resources district, by the other district.**

(2) Whenever a natural resources district pursuant to subdivision (1)(m) of section 46-739 has closed all or part of the district to the issuance of additional well permits, ground water withdrawn outside the affected area shall not be transported for use inside such area unless (a) such withdrawal and transport began before the affected area was closed to the issuance of additional well permits, (b) the water is used solely for domestic purposes, or (c) such withdrawal and transport is approved in advance by the district that closed the affected area to additional well permits and, if the water is withdrawn in another natural resources district, by the other district.

(3) If a proposed withdrawal and transport of water under subsection (1) or (2) of this section is intended for municipal purposes, the natural resources district shall approve the withdrawal and transport of ground water into the affected area when a public water supplier providing water for municipal purposes receives a permit from the Department of Natural Resources pursuant to the Municipal and Rural Domestic Ground Water Transfers Permit Act.

Source: Laws 2003, LB 619, § 11; R.S.Supp.,2003, § 46-656.24; Laws 2004, LB 962, § 82.

Cross Reference

Municipal and Rural Domestic Ground Water Transfers Permit Act, see section 46-650.

General NRD Authority to Approve and Regulate Physical Transfers of Ground Water and Transfers of Rights to Use Ground Water

46-739. Management area; controls authorized; procedure.

(1) A district in which a management area has been designated shall by order adopt one or more of the following controls for the management area:

(k) It may require district approval of (i) transfers of ground water off the land where the water is withdrawn or (ii) transfers of rights to use ground water that result from district allocations imposed pursuant to subdivision (1)(a) of this section or from other restrictions on use that are imposed by the district in accordance with this section. Such approval may be required whether the transfer is within the management area, from inside to outside the management area, or from outside to inside the management area, except that transfers for which permits have been obtained from the Department of Natural Resources prior to July 16, 2004, or pursuant to the Municipal and Rural Domestic Ground Water Transfers

Permit Act shall not be subject to district approval pursuant to this subdivision. If the district adopts rules and regulations pursuant to this subdivision, such regulations shall require that the district deny or condition the approval of any such transfer when and to the extent such action is necessary to (A) ensure the consistency of the transfer with the purpose or purposes for which the management area was designated, (B) prevent adverse effects on other ground water users or on surface water appropriators, (C) prevent adverse effects on the state's ability to comply with an interstate compact or decree or to fulfill the provisions of any other formal state contract or agreement, and (D) otherwise protect the public interest and prevent detriment to the public welfare.

Note: There are several other Nebraska statutes relating to transfer of ground water that are not included here because they are less likely to be applicable. Those are:

- Municipal and rural domestic transfers- Sections 46-638 through 46-650
- Industrial transfers of ground water – Sections 46-675 through 46-690
- Small capacity domestic transfers – Sections 46-691.01 and 46-691.02
- Transfers for environmental or recreational purposes – Section 46-691.03

Excerpt from Nebraska New Depletion Plan for the Platte River Recovery Implementation Program

Beginning on January 1, 2006, the responsibility for implementing this plan will be shared between the state and the NRDs involved. To the extent that new uses of groundwater require permits from NRDs (presently includes all new wells with pumping capacities greater than 50 gpm), the following new and expanded groundwater uses begun on or after January 1, 2006 (including any for which the purpose is to increase the water supply in a river basin other than the Platte River Basin) will not be allowed unless the adverse effects of those uses on state-protected flows and on target flows will be offset: uses that (a) are located within the North Platte, South Platte or the Platte River watershed in Nebraska and (b) are so located and constructed that if water were intentionally withdrawn for 40 years, the cumulative stream depletion to the North Platte, the South Platte, the Platte River or a base flow tributary thereto upstream of Chapman, NE would be greater than or equal to 28% of the total groundwater consumed as a result of the withdrawals from those wells. The relative responsibilities for providing offsets for uses that are initiated will vary depending on the nature of the use and the extent to which it causes new depletions to state-protected flows and/or to target flows. For new or expanded uses of groundwater that are not subject to the Federal Depletions Plan, are within the geographic area described in (a) and (b) above, but do not require permits from NRDs (e.g. less than 50 gpm wells), the cumulative impact of all such uses and of any offsetting decreases in uses of the same type will be estimated and the adverse net effects on state-protected flows and on target flows will be offset by the state.

To the extent that the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) has jurisdiction over new uses of surface water (presently includes all diversions from natural streams except those for instream livestock watering and all on-stream storage reservoirs greater than 15AF), new uses to be begun on or after January 1, 2006 (including any for which the purpose is to increase the water supply in any river basin other than the Platte River Basin) will not be allowed by the department unless any adverse effects on state-protected flows and target flows are either prevented or are offset. The extent to which the new surface water appropriator or the state is responsible for the offset will depend on the nature of the use and the extent to which it causes new depletions to state-protected flows and/or to target flows. For new or expanded sandpits and other surface water bodies that do not require permits from DNR (e.g. some new reservoirs with less than 15AF storage

capacity), the cumulative impact of all such uses will be estimated and adverse effects on state-protected flows and on target flows will be estimated and will be offset by the state. Nebraska has not permitted any new surface water storage reservoirs in the Platte River Basin upstream of the confluence of the Platte River with the Loup River since July 1, 1997 and currently has a moratorium on the issuance of any new surface water appropriations in that area. If that moratorium were to be lifted or modified during the term of the Program, the ESA compliance coverage provided for new surface water storage reservoirs through implementation of the Program (including this depletions plan) will include compliance coverage for (1) the depletions to target flows that are caused by all such Nebraska reservoirs constructed after that date, regardless of storage capacity; (2) the impacts to FWS peak flows that are caused by Program-approved reservoirs, regardless of storage capacity, that are implemented after that date in accordance with the Water Action Plan; and (3) as long as the storage capacities of all other Nebraska reservoirs constructed or permitted for construction in that part of the basin after Program initiation do not collectively exceed 10,000 acre feet, the impacts to FWS peak flows that are caused by any such other reservoir. Any need to mitigate separately for adverse peak flow impacts caused by a new Nebraska reservoir that is subject to ESA Section 7 consultation (other than a reservoir that is to be implemented in accordance with the Water Action Plan) after that collective storage capacity has been exceeded shall be determined during that Section 7 consultation.

Protection of Water Once Added to the Receiving Basin

46-252. Conducting of water into or along natural channels; withdrawal; permit, when required; liability. (1) Any person may conduct, either from outside the state or from sources located in the state, quantities of water over and above those already present into or along any of the natural streams or channels of this state, for purposes of instream beneficial uses or withdrawal of some or all of such water for out-of-stream beneficial uses, at any point without regard to any prior appropriation of water from such stream, due allowance being made for losses in transit to be determined by the Department of Natural Resources. The department shall monitor movement of the water by measurements or other means and shall be responsible for assuring that such quantities are not subsequently diverted or withdrawn by others unless they are authorized to do so by the person conducting the water.

(2) Except as provided in subsections (3) and (4) of this section, before any person may conduct water into or along any of the natural streams or channels of the state, he or she shall first obtain a permit from the department. Application for the permit shall be made on forms provided by the department. Applications shall include plans and specifications detailing the intended times, amounts, and streamreach locations and such other information as required by the department. The water subject to such a permit shall be deemed appropriated for the use specified in the permit. Permitholders shall be liable for any damages resulting from the overflow of such stream or channel when water so conducted contributed to such overflow.

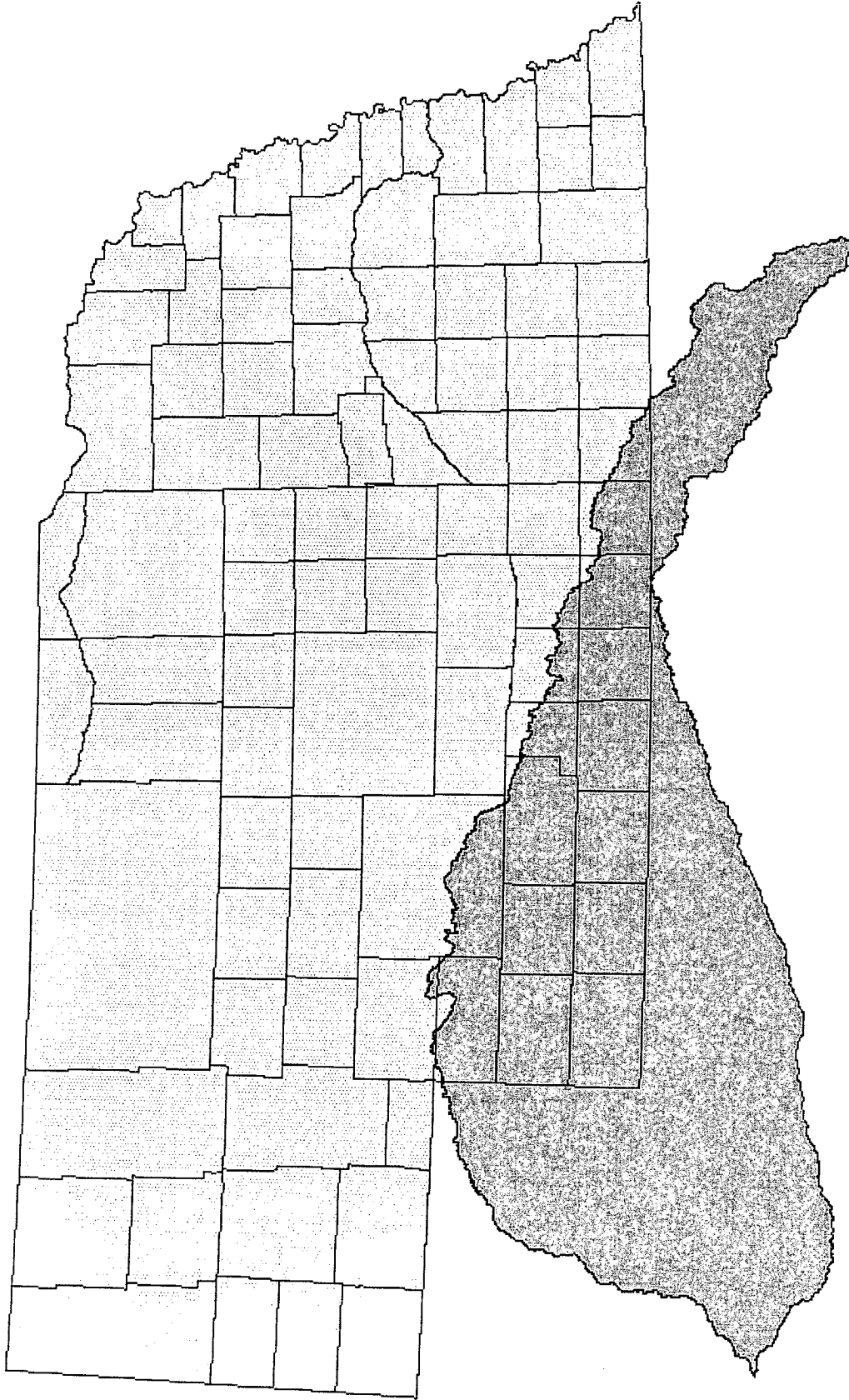
(3) Any person actually engaged in the construction or operation of any water power plant may, without filing with the department and upon payment of all damages, use any such stream or channel for a tailrace or canal and may, whenever necessary, widen, deepen, or straighten the bed of any such stream. All damages resulting therefrom shall be determined in the manner set forth in sections 76-704 to 76-724.

(4) Any person holding a storage use permit pursuant to section 46-242 shall not be required to obtain the permit required by this section.

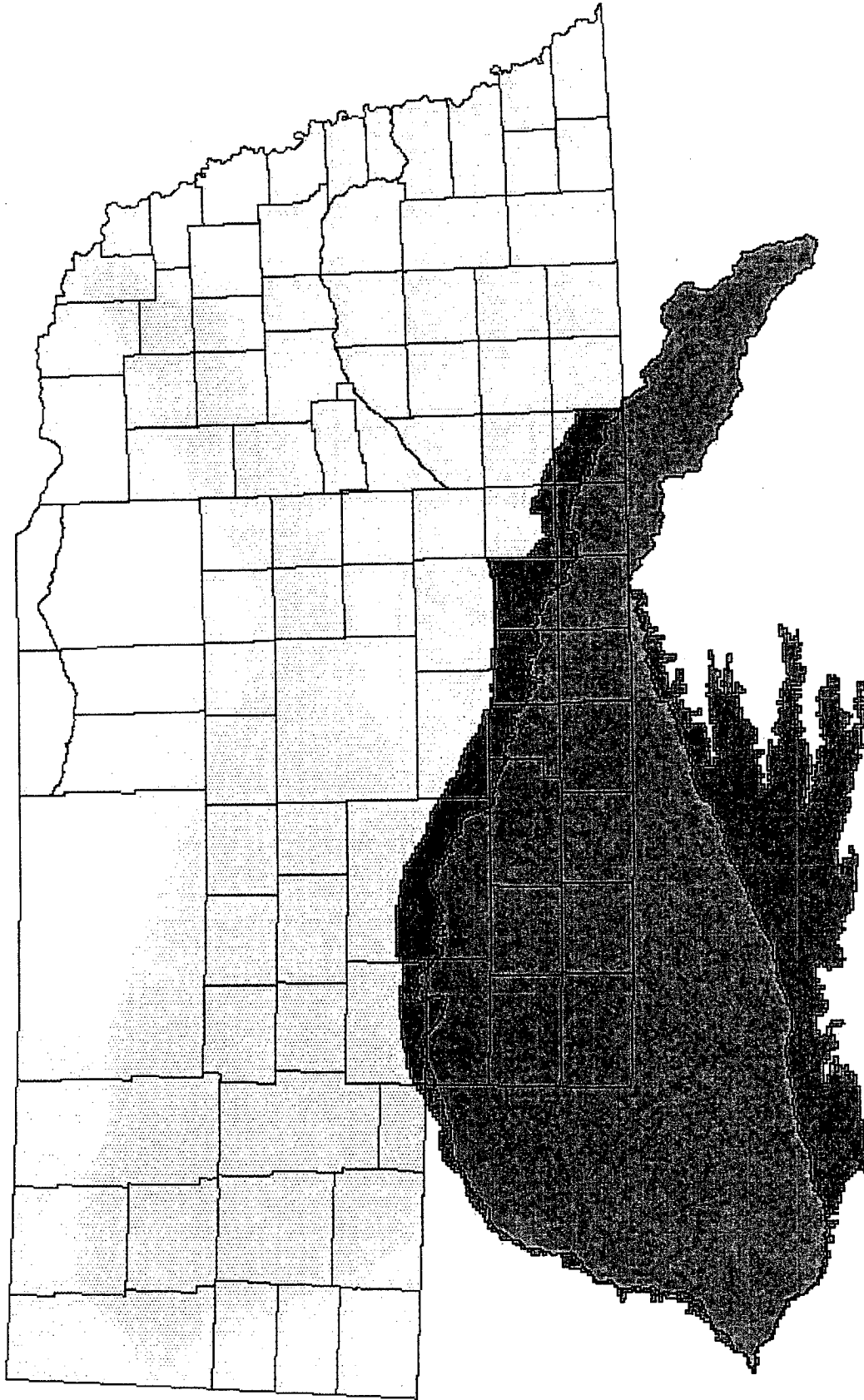
(5) Nothing in this section shall be construed to exempt a person from obtaining any other permits required by law.

Source: Laws 1919, c. 190, tit. VII, art. V, div. 3, § 8, p. 848; C.S.1922, § 8458; C.S.1929, § 46-608; R.S.1943, § 46-252; Laws 1951, c. 101, § 94, p. 488; Laws 1955, c. 183, § 4, p. 516; Laws 1992, LB 49, § 1; Laws 2000, LB 900, § 118.

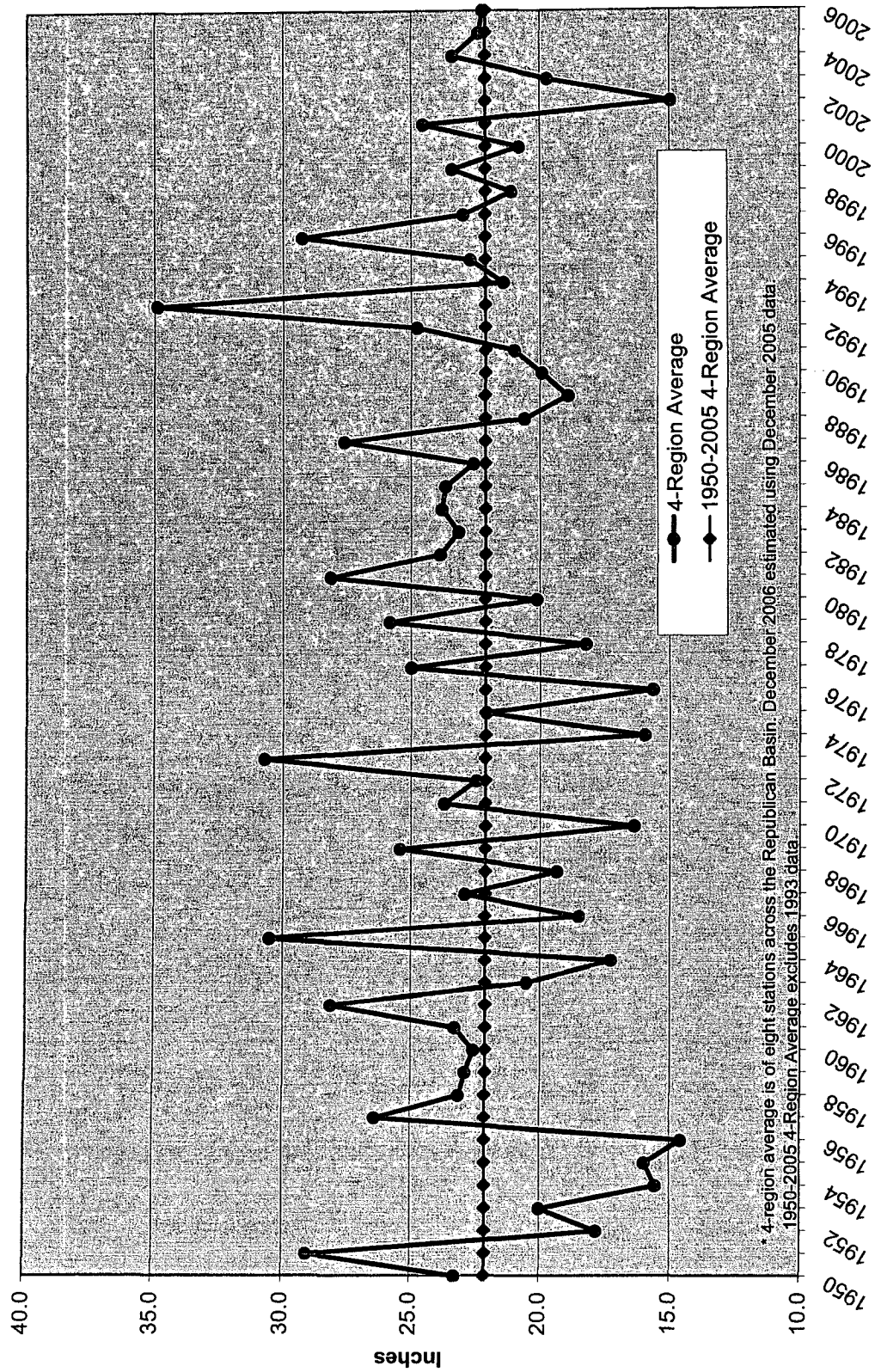
Republican River Compact Domain



RRC Ground Water Model Domain



Nebraska Republican Basin Precipitation, 1950-2006



RRCA
Compact Accounting

Table 2: Original Compact Virgin Water Supply and Allocations

| Basin | Virgin Water Supply | Colorado Allocation | % of Basin Supply | Kansas Allocation | % of Basin Supply | Nebraska Allocation | % of Basin Supply | Unallocated | % of Basin Supply |
|-------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| North Fork | 44,700 | 10,000 | 22.4% | | | 11,000 | 24.6% | 23,700 | 53.0% |
| Arikaree | 19,610 | 15,400 | 78.5% | 1,000 | 5.1% | 3,300 | 16.8% | -90 | -0.4% |
| Buffalo | 7,890 | | | | | 2,600 | 33.0% | 5,290 | 67.0% |
| Rock | 11,000 | | | | | 4,400 | 40.0% | 6,600 | 60.0% |
| South Fork | 57,200 | 25,400 | 44.4% | 23,000 | 40.2% | 800 | 1.4% | 8,000 | 14.0% |
| Frenchman | 98,500 | | | | | 52,800 | 53.6% | 45,700 | 46.4% |
| Driftwood | 7,300 | | | 500 | 6.9% | 1,200 | 16.4% | 5,600 | 76.7% |
| Red Willow | 21,900 | | | | | 4,200 | 19.2% | 17,700 | 80.8% |
| Medicine | 50,800 | | | | | 4,600 | 9.1% | 46,200 | 90.9% |
| Beaver | 16,500 | 3,300 | 20.0% | 6,400 | 38.8% | 6,700 | 40.6% | 100 | 0.6% |
| Sappa | 21,400 | | | 8,800 | 41.1% | 8,800 | 41.1% | 3,800 | 17.8% |
| Prairie Dog | 27,600 | | | 12,600 | 45.7% | 2,100 | 7.6% | 12,900 | 46.7% |
| Tributaries Sub-Total | 384,000 | | | | | | | 175,500 | |
| Main Stem | 94,500 | | | | | | | | |
| Main Stem + Unallocated | 270,000 | | | 138,000 | 51.1% | 132,000 | 48.9% | | |
| Total | 478,900 | 54,100 | | 190,300 | | 234,500 | | | |

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Original Compact Allocations

Republican River Compact Allocations

Colorado

11%

54,100 a.f.

Nebraska

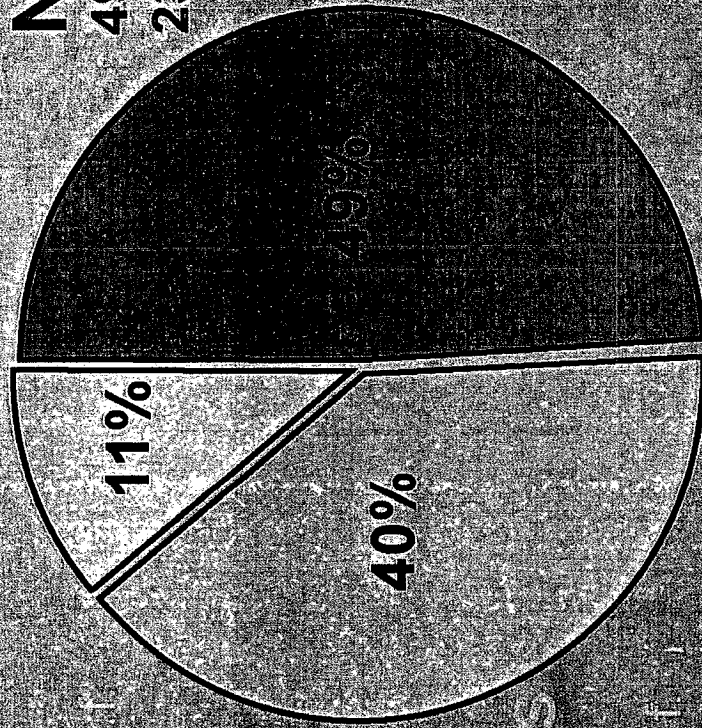
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234,500 a.f.

Kansas

40%

190,300 a.f.



Colorado

11%

Nebraska

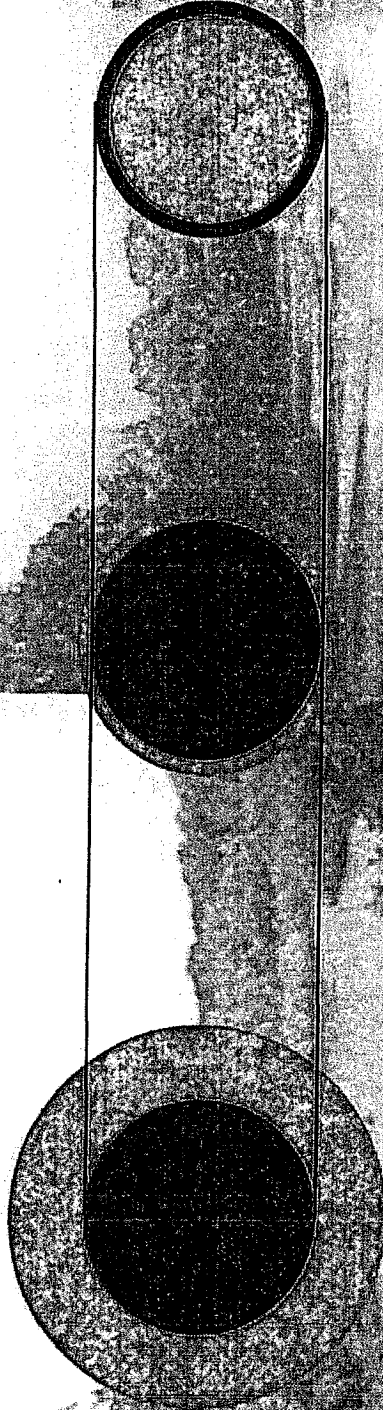
49%

Kansas

40%

Nebraska's 49% Share

Grows and Shrinks with the Water Supply



Wet Year

Allocation: 400 K AF

C.U.: 267K AF

Average Year

Allocation: 268K AF

C.U.: 258K AF

Dry Year

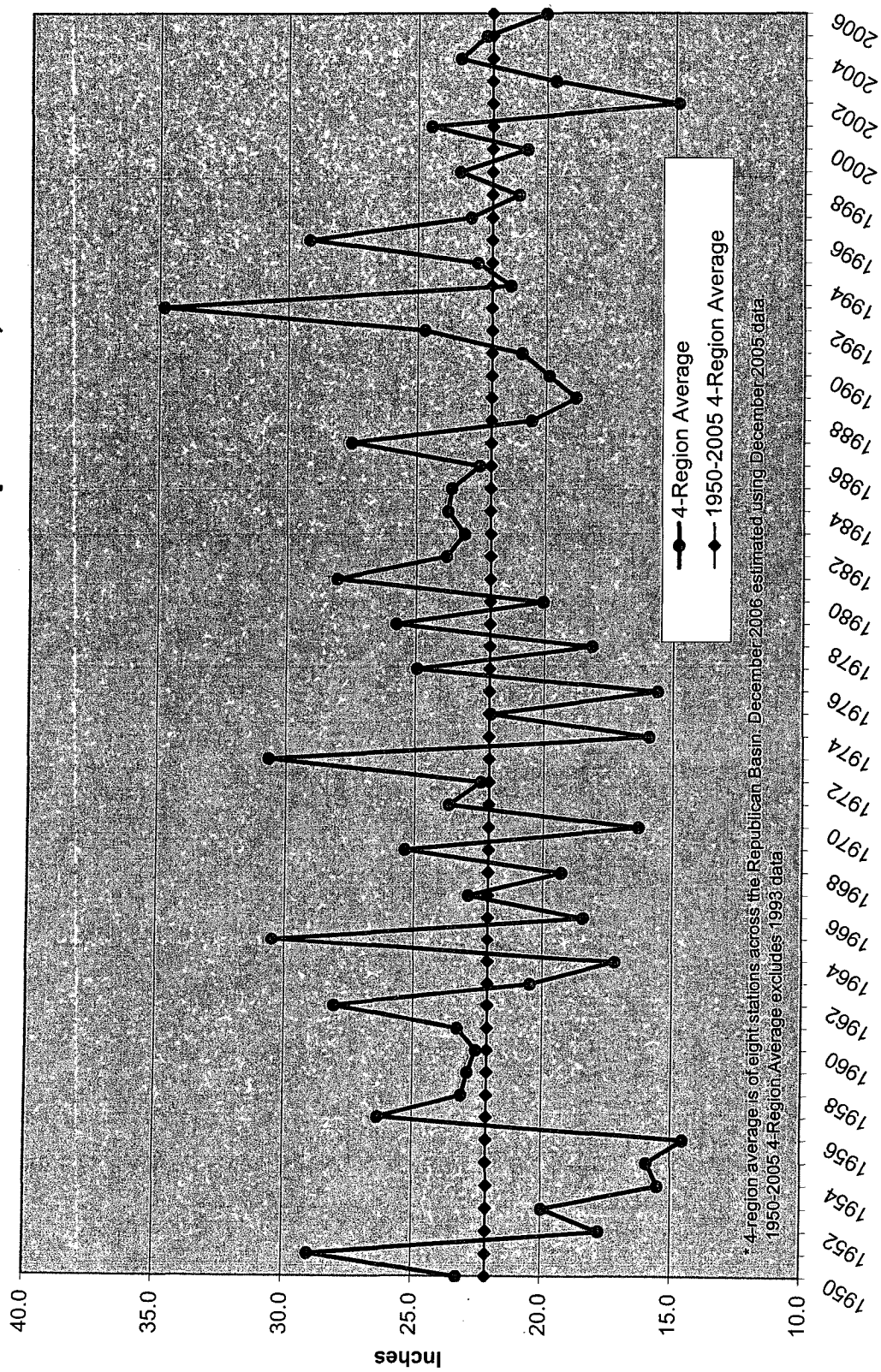
Allocation :211K AF

C.U.: 263K AF

Nebraska's Adjusted Allocation

Nebraska's Consumptive Use

Nebraska Republican Basin Precipitation, 1950-2006



Pumpage and Ground Water Irrigated Acres by NRD

| NRD | Volume Pumped | | | Irrigated Acres | |
|-------|----------------------|-----------------|------------------|--|------------------------------------|
| | Average 1998-2002 | 5% Reduction | 10% Reduction | Estimated Total GW Irrigated Acres 2002 | Estimated Certified GW Acres |
| URNRD | 531,763 | 505,175 | 478,587 | 455,031 | 448,716 |
| MRNRD | 309,479 | 294,005 | 278,531 | 290,191 | 335,000 |
| LRNRD | 242,289 | 230,175 | 218,060 | 277,503 | 330,000 |

448,924

313,198

338,397

1,090,519

Water Short Year Reduction by NRD Percentage
Based on Percentage Depletion 1998-2002

| URNRD | MRNRD | LRNRD | Total |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 44% | 30% | 26% | 100% |
| Acre Feet | Acre Feet | Acre Feet | Acre Feet |
| 8,800 | 6,000 | 5,200 | 20,000 |
| 11,000 | 7,500 | 6,500 | 25,000 |
| 13,200 | 9,000 | 7,800 | 30,000 |
| 17,600 | 12,000 | 10,400 | 40,000 |

| | GIR inches per acre | | Cert Ac | Volume of | | Percent | Depletions | |
|-------|---------------------|-----|---------|-----------|---------|---------|------------|------|
| | High | Low | | High | Low | | | |
| URNRD | 20 | 18 | 448924 | 748207 | 673386 | 47% | 51% | 44% |
| MRNRD | 18 | 14 | 313198 | 469797 | 365398 | 29% | 28% | 30% |
| LRNRD | 14 | 10 | 328397 | 383130 | 273664 | 24% | 21% | 26% |
| | | | | 1601134 | 1312448 | 100% | 100% | 100% |

200

2,564,500. — admin

Ann Bleed

From: Jim Schneider [jschneider@dnr.ne.gov]
Date: Friday, February 23, 2007 9:13 AM
To: ableed@dnr.ne.gov; 'Mike Thompson'; Paul Koester
Subject: RE: Allocation spreadsheet

Ann,

After 5 years we get this savings in the Rep. Basin from:

CREP ~7500 acft

Allocations ~7250 acft

Possible savings from correction going to meter pumping ~2,000-3,000 acft

Out average shortfall from last 4 years ~28,000

Remainder needed to make up at five years ~10,000 to 11000 acft

Mike offered to help if you need anything else.

Jim

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Thanks Jim

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Subject: Allocation spreadsheet

Here's the final spreadsheet.

James C. Schneider
 Senior Groundwater Modeler
 Nebraska Department of Natural Resources

2/26/2007

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| | Certified Surface water Acres | Irrigation water in Storage A.F. (Feb 7, 2007) | Estimated increase between now and irrigation season | Estimated total available water from Storage for 2007 | Estimated in per acre from Natural Flow and Storage | Estimated in. per acre from Natural Flow and Storage | Total Natural Flow and Storage | Inches X Acres / 12 = AF applied to the field | Remarks |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|---|---|--|--------------------------------|---|---|
| Enders Reservoir | | 2,400.0 | 1,200.0 | 3,600.0 | | | | | |
| Frenchman Valley H&RW | 9,292.0 | 1,000.0 | 500.0 | 1,500.0 | 0.5 | 1.0 | 1.5 | 1,161.5 | If Frenchman Valley took all natural flows and their portion of the storage water they would have approximately 4.0 in. |
| Total Certified Acres | 11,915.4 | 1,400.0 | 700.0 | 2,100.0 | 0.5 | 1.0 | 1.5 | 1,489.4 | |
| Swanson Reservoir | 16,200.0 | 16,200.0 | 5,800.0 | 22,000.0 | | | | | |
| Hugh Butler Reservoir | 2,700.0 | 2,700.0 | 1,900.0 | 4,600.0 | | | | | |
| Harry Strunk Reservoir | 17,600.0 | 17,600.0 | 9,200.0 | 26,800.0 | | | | | Releasing storage water would reduce the evap. By approximately 2500 AF based on the numbers for the past two years. |
| Frenchman Cambridge | | | | | | | | | |
| Meeker-Driftwood Canal | 16,854.8 | | | | 3.5 | 0.0 | 3.5 | 4,916.0 | |
| Red Willow Canal | 4,797.3 | | | | 3.5 | 0.0 | 3.5 | 1,399.2 | |
| Bartley Canal | 6,353.0 | | | | 3.5 | 0.0 | 3.5 | 1,853.0 | |
| Cambridge Canal | 17,663.9 | | | | 8.0 | 0.0 | 8.0 | 11,775.9 | |
| Total Certified Acres | 45,669.0 | | | | | | | | |
| Harlan County Reservoir | | 0.0 | 13,200.0 | 0.0 | | | | | Estimated shut off elevation for 2007 is 1928.86. 13,159 AF needed before any irrigation supply can be realized. |
| Bostwick Nebraska | | | | | | | | | |
| Franklin Canal | 10,920.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | |
| Naponee Canal | 1,650.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | |
| Franklin Pump Canal | 2,090.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | |
| Superior Canal | 5,848.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 1,462.0 | |
| Courtland Canal | 1,946.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | |
| Total Certified Acres | 22,454.0 | | | | | | | | |
| Pioneer Irrigation District | 1,899.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 14.0 | 14.0 | 2,216.2 | 2005 CBCU = 1453.8 AF |
| Riverside Canal Company | 672.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 17.0 | 17.0 | 952.1 | 2005 CBCU = 1257.6 AF |
| Total acres of Districts and Companys | 91,902.1 | | | | | | | | |
| Acres held by private appropriations | 23,492.0 | | | | | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1,957.7 | Approximately 3,300 acres are senior to April 4, 1946 which is the priority date for most of the Canals |
| Totals | 115,394.1 | 38,900.0 | 31,300.0 | 57,000.0 | | 1.0 | 3.0 | 29,183.0 | |

Note: 1998 to 2002 average consumptive use for all surface water is 97,824 AF. 2005 consumptive use of surface water was 41,800. Surface water has reduced its 1998 - 2002 average by 57% for 2005!

Republican River Basin Canals

| <u>District</u> | <u>Canal</u> | <u>Storage Source</u> | <u>Natural Flow Source</u> | <u>Communities effected</u> | <u>Permitted Acres</u> |
|---|----------------------------|---|-----------------------------|---|------------------------|
| Pioneer Irrigation District | Haigler Canal | None | North Fork Republican River | Haigler | 1899.6 |
| Frenchman Valley Irrigation District | Culbertson Canal | Enders Reservoir | Frenchman Creek | Culbertson | 9292.4 |
| H and RW Irrigation District | Culbertson extension Canal | Enders Reservoir | Frenchman Creek | Culbertson, McCook | 11915 |
| Riverside Irrigation Company | Riverside Canal | None | Frenchman Creek | Culbertson | 672.1 |
| Frenchman Cambridge Irrigation District | Meeker-Driftwood Canal | Swanson Reservoir | Republican River | Trenton, Culbertson, McCook | 16854.8 |
| Frenchman Cambridge Irrigation District | Red Willow Canal | Hugh Butler Reservoir | Red Willow Creek | Indianola, Bartley, Cambridge | 4797.3 |
| Frenchman Cambridge Irrigation District | Bartley Canal | Swanson and Hugh Butler Reservoirs | Republican River | Bartley, Cambridge | 6353 |
| Frenchman Cambridge Irrigation District | Cambridge Canal | Harry Strunk, Hugh Butler, Swanson Reservoirs | Republican River | Cambridge, Holbrook, Arapahoe, Edison, Oxford, Orleans and Alma | 17663.9 |
| Bostwick Irrigation District | Naponee Canal | Harlan County Reservoir | Republican River | Naponee, Bloomington, Franklin | 1650 |
| Bostwick Irrigation District | Franklin Canal | Harlan County Reservoir | Republican River | Naponee, Bloomington, Franklin, Riverton, Red Cloud | 10920 |
| Bostwick Irrigation District | Franklin Pump Canal | Harlan County Reservoir | Republican River | Franklin, Riverton | 2090 |
| Bostwick Irrigation District | Superior Canal | Harlan County Reservoir | Republican River | Guide Rock, Superior | 5840 |
| Bostwick Irrigation District | Courtland Canal | Harlan County Reservoir | Republican River | Guide Rock, Superior | 1946 |
| | | | | Total | 91894.1 |

Table 1: Annual Virgin and Computed Water Supply, Allocations, and Computed Beneficial Consumptive Uses by State.

| 1997 Basin | Water Supply | | Allocations | | | | Computed Beneficial Consumptive Use | | | | NE CBCU FROM SW | | | | Total SW | | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|---------|-------------|---------|----------|---------|-------------------------------------|-------------|----------|---------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|---------------------|---------|----------|--------|
| | Supply | Water | Kansas | | Nebraska | | Colorado | Unallocated | Nebraska | Kansas | Colorado | NE CBCU GW | NE CBCU SW | NE CBCU M&I | NE CBCU SW - M&I | CBCU NE | Total SW | |
| | | | Supply | Water | Supply | Water | | | | | | | | | | | | Supply |
| North Fork | 43,960 | 43,960 | 0 | 10,810 | 23,300 | 15,210 | 10 | 4,290 | 970 | 3320 | 4290 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3320 | 0 | |
| Arikaree | 4,940 | 3,880 | 250 | 1,690 | 20 | 1,690 | 140 | 160 | 164 | 0 | 160 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Buffalo | 5,770 | 5,770 | 0 | 1,900 | 3,870 | 200 | 0 | 3,150 | 2568 | 585 | 3150 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 585 | 0 | |
| Rock | 9,480 | 9,480 | 0 | 3,790 | 5,690 | 30 | 0 | 2,840 | 2839 | 0 | 2840 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| South Fork | 31,720 | 34,220 | 15,190 | 13,760 | 480 | 17,180 | 5,910 | 850 | 853 | 0 | 850 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Frenchman | 128,410 | 131,210 | 0 | 70,330 | 60,880 | 980 | 0 | 91,460 | 76374 | 15089 | 91460 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15089 | 0 | |
| Driftwood | 2,050 | 2,050 | 0 | 340 | 1,870 | 0 | 0 | 1,250 | 1150 | 98 | 1250 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 98 | 0 | 98 | |
| Red Willow | 23,370 | 26,970 | 0 | 5,180 | 21,790 | 0 | 0 | 8,730 | 6793 | 1937 | 8730 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1937 | 0 | |
| Medicine | 48,250 | 54,450 | 0 | 4,950 | 49,500 | 0 | 0 | 17,240 | 14356 | 2880 | 17240 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2880 | 0 | |
| Beaver | 19,880 | 19,880 | 3,980 | 7,710 | 8,070 | 120 | 0 | 6,410 | 5964 | 450 | 6410 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 450 | 0 | |
| Sappa | 27,790 | 27,790 | 0 | 11,420 | 4,950 | 0 | 0 | 2,550 | 3495 | 3293 | 6790 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3293 | 0 | |
| Prairie Dog | 21,720 | 28,720 | 0 | 13,190 | 2,180 | 13,410 | 0 | 380 | 0 | 375 | 380 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 375 | 0 | |
| Main Stem | 212,770 | 254,770 | 0 | 130,190 | 124,580 | 0 | -2,560 | 40,580 | 70819 | 101315 | 172130 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 101315 | 0 | |
| Total All Basins | 580,110 | 644,210 | 32,900 | 176,600 | 244,860 | 189,850 | 32,730 | 69,000 | 186,345 | 129,340 | 315,680 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 129,340 | 0 | |
| Main Stem Including Unallocated | | 444,620 | 0 | 227,200 | 217,420 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 580,110 | 644,210 | 32,900 | 273,610 | 337,700 | 0 | 32,730 | 69,000 | 186,345 | 129,340 | 315,680 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 129,340 | 0 | |

Table 1: Annual Virgin and Computed Water Supply, Allocations, and Computed Beneficial Consumptive Uses by State.

| 1998 Basin | Water Supply | | Allocations | | | | Computed Beneficial Consumptive Use | | | | NE CBCU FROM SW | | | | Total SW | | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|---------|-------------|---------|----------|---------|-------------------------------------|-------------|----------|---------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|---------------------|---------|----------|--------|
| | Supply | Water | Kansas | | Nebraska | | Colorado | Unallocated | Nebraska | Kansas | Colorado | NE CBCU GW | NE CBCU SW | NE CBCU M&I | NE CBCU SW - M&I | CBCU NE | Total SW | |
| | | | Supply | Water | Supply | Water | | | | | | | | | | | | Supply |
| North Fork | 43,030 | 43,030 | 0 | 10,590 | 22,800 | 15,150 | 10 | 4,690 | 1045 | 3647 | 4690 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3647 | 0 | |
| Arikaree | 4,320 | 4,320 | 220 | 730 | -20 | 1,240 | 170 | 210 | 206 | 0 | 210 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Buffalo | 5,410 | 5,410 | 0 | 1,790 | 3,620 | 210 | 0 | 3,290 | 2690 | 603 | 3290 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 603 | 0 | |
| Rock | 9,270 | 9,270 | 0 | 3,710 | 5,560 | 40 | 0 | 2,890 | 2694 | 0 | 2890 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| South Fork | 35,940 | 38,240 | 16,980 | 15,370 | 5,350 | 19,710 | 7,750 | 810 | 805 | 0 | 810 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Frenchman | 121,880 | 125,880 | 0 | 67,470 | 58,410 | 720 | 0 | 90,370 | 77370 | 13001 | 90370 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13001 | 0 | |
| Driftwood | 1,810 | 1,810 | 0 | 300 | 1,390 | 0 | 0 | 1,230 | 1196 | 38 | 1230 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 38 | 0 | 38 | |
| Red Willow | 21,890 | 25,190 | 0 | 4,840 | 20,350 | 0 | 0 | 8,230 | 6887 | 1341 | 8230 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1341 | 0 | |
| Medicine | 41,200 | 47,000 | 0 | 4,280 | 42,720 | 0 | 0 | 16,430 | 14993 | 1439 | 16430 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1439 | 0 | |
| Beaver | 12,880 | 12,880 | 2,580 | 5,000 | 5,230 | 70 | 0 | 5,110 | 4978 | 135 | 5110 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 135 | 0 | |
| Sappa | 20,390 | 20,390 | 0 | 8,380 | 3,630 | 0 | 0 | 3,880 | 2419 | 1462 | 3880 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1462 | 0 | |
| Prairie Dog | 19,190 | 21,590 | 0 | 9,870 | 1,840 | 10,080 | 0 | 220 | 0 | 220 | 220 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 220 | 0 | |
| Main Stem | 209,510 | 247,110 | 0 | 126,270 | 120,840 | 0 | -3,330 | 160,390 | 69977 | 90415 | 160390 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 90415 | 0 | |
| Total All Basins | 546,520 | 602,120 | 32,590 | 165,230 | 230,340 | 173,960 | 33,740 | 65,520 | 185,460 | 112,301 | 297,750 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 112,301 | 0 | |
| Main Stem Including Unallocated | | 421,070 | 0 | 215,160 | 205,910 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 546,520 | 602,120 | 32,590 | 254,120 | 315,410 | 0 | 33,740 | 65,520 | 185,460 | 112,301 | 297,750 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 112,301 | 0 | |

| SW - IRR | SW - Evap | SW - M&I | Total SW |
|----------|-----------|----------|----------|
| 3320 | 0 | 0 | 3320 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 585 | 0 | 0 | 585 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 12997 | 2092 | 0 | 15089 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1595 | 341 | 0 | 1937 |
| 2880 | 0 | 0 | 2880 |
| 450 | 0 | 0 | 450 |
| 3293 | 0 | 0 | 3293 |
| 375 | 0 | 0 | 375 |
| 76210 | 25105 | 0 | 101315 |

101802 27539 0 129940

| SW - IRR | SW - Evap | SW - M&I | Total SW |
|----------|-----------|----------|----------|
| 3647 | 0 | 0 | 3647 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 603 | 0 | 0 | 603 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 10951 | 2051 | 0 | 13001 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 945 | 396 | 0 | 1341 |
| 1439 | 0 | 0 | 1439 |
| 135 | 0 | 0 | 135 |
| 1462 | 0 | 0 | 1462 |
| 220 | 0 | 0 | 220 |
| 66832 | 24084 | 0 | 90415 |

85771 26530 0 112301

Table 1: Annual Virgin and Computed Water Supply, Allocations, and Computed Beneficial Consumptive Uses by State.

| 1995 Basin | Water Supply | Allocations | | | Computed Beneficial Consumptive Uses | | | NE CBCU GW | NE CBCU SW | NE CBCU Total | NE CBCU FROM SW | Total SW |
|---------------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------|----------|--------------------------------------|----------|--------|------------|------------|---------------|-----------------|----------|
| | | Colorado | Kansas | Nebraska | Unallocated | Colorado | Kansas | | | | | |
| North Fork | 47,760 | 10,700 | 0 | 11,750 | 25,310 | 13,930 | 10 | 848 | 2302 | 3150 | 0 | 2302 |
| Arikaree | 8,740 | 6,860 | 450 | 1,470 | -40 | 1,870 | 200 | 233 | 0 | 230 | 0 | 0 |
| Buffalo | 5,740 | 0 | 0 | 1,890 | 3,850 | 170 | 0 | 2413 | 0 | 2410 | 0 | 0 |
| Rock | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | 4,000 | 6,000 | 30 | 0 | 2642 | 0 | 2640 | 0 | 0 |
| South Fork | 43,130 | 19,590 | 17,740 | 620 | 6,180 | 18,600 | 9,000 | 889 | 0 | 890 | 0 | 0 |
| Frenchman | 128,710 | 130,110 | 0 | 69,740 | 60,370 | 810 | 0 | 73655 | 12457 | 86110 | 1699 | 12457 |
| Driftwood | 1,290 | 0 | 90 | 210 | 90 | 0 | 0 | 1117 | 0 | 1120 | 0 | 0 |
| Red Willow | 23,500 | 24,800 | 0 | 4,760 | 20,040 | 0 | 0 | 6920 | 825 | 7740 | 320 | 825 |
| Medicine | 40,020 | 46,520 | 0 | 4,230 | 42,290 | 0 | 0 | 14130 | 0 | 14130 | 0 | 0 |
| Beaver | 15,410 | 3,080 | 5,980 | 6,260 | 90 | 0 | 6,920 | 6400 | 0 | 6400 | 0 | 0 |
| Sappa | 24,120 | 24,120 | 0 | 9,910 | 4,300 | 0 | 2,250 | 3551 | 0 | 3550 | 0 | 0 |
| Prairie Dog | 24,650 | 25,350 | 0 | 11,580 | 11,840 | 0 | 9,810 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Main Stem | 234,440 | 260,040 | 0 | 132,880 | 127,160 | 0 | -2,060 | 77515 | 89997 | 167510 | 20065 | 89997 |
| Total All Basins | 607,510 | 644,010 | 40,230 | 178,630 | 243,930 | 181,220 | 33,350 | 190,317 | 105,581 | 295,880 | 22084 | 105581 |
| Main Stem Including Unallocated | | 441,260 | 0 | 225,480 | 215,780 | | | | | | | |
| Total | 607,510 | 644,010 | 40,230 | 271,230 | 332,550 | 0 | 33,350 | 190,317 | 105,581 | 295,880 | 22084 | 105581 |

Table 1: Annual Virgin and Computed Water Supply, Allocations, and Computed Beneficial Consumptive Uses by State.

| 1996 Basin | Water Supply | Allocations | | | Computed Beneficial Consumptive Uses | | | NE CBCU GW | NE CBCU SW | NE CBCU Total | NE CBCU FROM SW | Total SW |
|---------------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------|----------|--------------------------------------|----------|--------|------------|------------|---------------|-----------------|----------|
| | | Colorado | Kansas | Nebraska | Unallocated | Colorado | Kansas | | | | | |
| North Fork | 45,980 | 10,300 | 0 | 11,310 | 24,370 | 14,450 | 20 | 860 | 3059 | 3920 | 0 | 3059 |
| Arikaree | 7,890 | 6,190 | 400 | 1,330 | -30 | 1,770 | 210 | 239 | 0 | 240 | 0 | 0 |
| Buffalo | 6,590 | 0 | 0 | 2,170 | 4,420 | 180 | 0 | 2503 | 728 | 3230 | 0 | 728 |
| Rock | 9,620 | 0 | 0 | 3,850 | 5,770 | 30 | 0 | 2775 | 0 | 2780 | 0 | 0 |
| South Fork | 42,340 | 18,620 | 16,860 | 590 | 5,870 | 17,450 | 7,620 | 934 | 0 | 930 | 0 | 0 |
| Frenchman | 137,830 | 134,030 | 0 | 71,840 | 62,190 | 950 | 0 | 74010 | 12642 | 86650 | 1340 | 12642 |
| Driftwood | 5,450 | 0 | 380 | 890 | 4,180 | 0 | 0 | 1146 | 75 | 1220 | 0 | 75 |
| Red Willow | 26,830 | 22,430 | 0 | 4,310 | 18,120 | 0 | 0 | 7297 | 1216 | 8510 | 199 | 1216 |
| Medicine | 47,550 | 34,350 | 0 | 3,130 | 31,220 | 0 | 0 | 14139 | 1673 | 15810 | 0 | 1673 |
| Beaver | 27,430 | 27,430 | 5,490 | 10,640 | 160 | 0 | 7,060 | 6270 | 195 | 6470 | 0 | 195 |
| Sappa | 52,180 | 21,120 | 0 | 8,680 | 3,760 | 0 | 3,060 | 4117 | 1140 | 5260 | 0 | 1140 |
| Prairie Dog | 54,840 | 25,190 | 0 | 11,510 | 11,770 | 0 | 9,490 | 0 | 113 | 110 | 0 | 113 |
| Main Stem | 412,820 | 352,020 | 0 | 179,880 | 172,140 | 0 | -870 | 87242 | 56526 | 143770 | 8723 | 56526 |
| Total All Basins | 877,350 | 734,040 | 40,600 | 228,350 | 293,290 | 171,800 | 33,960 | 201,532 | 77,366 | 278,900 | 10262 | 77366 |
| Main Stem Including Unallocated | | 523,820 | 0 | 267,670 | 256,150 | | | | | | | |
| Total | 877,350 | 734,040 | 40,600 | 316,140 | 377,300 | 0 | 33,960 | 201,532 | 77,366 | 278,900 | 10262 | 77366 |

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| 2001 Basin | Water Supply | | Allocations | | | | Computed Beneficial Consumptive Use | | | | NE CBCU | | NE CBCU | | NE CBCU | NE CBCU | NE CBCU | Total | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--------|----------|-------------|---------|---------|---------|-------|---------|---------|---------|-------|--|
| | Supply | Water Supply | Colorado | Kansas | Nebraska | Unallocated | Colorado | Kansas | Nebraska | Unallocated | GW | SW | SW | Total | | | | | |
| North Fork | 42,800 | 42,800 | 9,590 | 0 | 10,530 | 22,680 | 16,340 | 20 | 4,680 | 1676 | 3007 | 4680 | 3007 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3007 | 0 | |
| Arikaree | 2,370 | 2,370 | 1,860 | 120 | 400 | -10 | 1,290 | 190 | 340 | 341 | 0 | 340 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Buffalo | 6,660 | 6,660 | 0 | 0 | 2,200 | 4,460 | 250 | 0 | 3,410 | 3099 | 310 | 3410 | 310 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 310 | 0 | |
| Rock | 8,930 | 8,930 | 0 | 0 | 3,570 | 5,360 | 50 | 0 | 3,220 | 3216 | 0 | 3220 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| South Fork | 23,960 | 27,160 | 12,060 | 10,920 | 380 | 3,800 | 15,920 | 7,500 | 640 | 641 | 0 | 640 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Frenchman | 116,490 | 117,690 | 0 | 0 | 63,090 | 54,610 | 570 | 0 | 91,220 | 82283 | 8935 | 91220 | 8935 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8935 | 0 | |
| Driftwood | 1,730 | 1,730 | 0 | 120 | 280 | 1,330 | 0 | 0 | 1,220 | 1221 | 0 | 1220 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Red Willow | 21,940 | 27,440 | 0 | 0 | 5,270 | 22,170 | 0 | 0 | 8,400 | 7769 | 635 | 8400 | 635 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 635 | 0 | |
| Medicine | 53,900 | 53,900 | 0 | 0 | 4,900 | 48,900 | 0 | 0 | 28,770 | 28258 | 513 | 28770 | 513 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 513 | 0 | |
| Beaver | 7,480 | 7,480 | 1,500 | 2,900 | 3,040 | 40 | 0 | 3,560 | 3,080 | 3075 | 0 | 3080 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Sappa | 6,720 | 6,720 | 0 | 2,760 | 2,760 | 1,200 | 0 | -890 | 1,310 | 873 | 440 | 1310 | 440 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 440 | 0 | |
| Prairie Dog | 18,310 | 19,110 | 0 | 8,730 | 1,450 | 8,930 | 0 | 9,190 | 170 | 0 | 168 | 170 | 168 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 168 | 0 | |
| Main Stem | 264,730 | 238,630 | 0 | 121,940 | 116,690 | 0 | -4,170 | 35,050 | 145,660 | 80419 | 65438 | 145660 | 65438 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 65438 | 0 | |
| Total All Basin | 576,020 | 560,520 | 25,010 | 147,490 | 214,550 | 173,470 | 30,250 | 54,620 | 292,320 | 212,871 | 79,446 | 292,320 | 79,446 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 79,446 | 0 | |
| Main Stem Including Unallocated | | 412,100 | 0 | 210,580 | 201,520 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 576,020 | 560,520 | 25,010 | 236,130 | 299,380 | 0 | 30,250 | 54,620 | 292,320 | 212,871 | 79,446 | 292,320 | 79,446 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 79,446 | 0 | |

| SW | NE CBCU FROM SW | | Total SW |
|-------|-----------------|---------|----------|
| | IRR | SW-Evap | |
| 3007 | 0 | 0 | 3007 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 310 | 0 | 0 | 310 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 7487 | 1448 | 0 | 8935 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 390 | 245 | 0 | 635 |
| 513 | 0 | 0 | 513 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 440 | 0 | 0 | 440 |
| 168 | 0 | 0 | 168 |
| 49307 | 16131 | 0 | 65438 |

61622 17824 0 79446

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| 2002 Basin | Water Supply | | Allocations | | | | Computed Beneficial Consumptive Use | | | | NE CBCU | | NE CBCU | | NE CBCU | NE CBCU | NE CBCU | Total | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--------|----------|-------------|---------|---------|---------|-------|---------|---------|---------|-------|--|
| | Supply | Water Supply | Colorado | Kansas | Nebraska | Unallocated | Colorado | Kansas | Nebraska | Unallocated | GW | SW | SW | Total | | | | | |
| North Fork | 40,220 | 40,220 | 9,010 | 0 | 9,890 | 21,320 | 16,730 | 10 | 5,320 | 1936 | 3388 | 5320 | 3388 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3388 | 0 | |
| Arikaree | 1,090 | 1,090 | 860 | 60 | 180 | -10 | 400 | 110 | 350 | 351 | 0 | 350 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Buffalo | 5,910 | 5,910 | 0 | 0 | 1,950 | 3,960 | 240 | 0 | 3,620 | 3226 | 394 | 3620 | 394 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 394 | 0 | |
| Rock | 9,670 | 9,670 | 0 | 0 | 3,870 | 5,800 | 50 | 0 | 3,300 | 3296 | 0 | 3300 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| South Fork | 22,280 | 26,580 | 11,800 | 10,690 | 370 | 3,720 | 18,800 | 4,920 | 1,280 | 1282 | 0 | 1280 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Frenchman | 97,610 | 98,010 | 0 | 0 | 52,530 | 45,480 | 620 | 0 | 84,160 | 78263 | 5901 | 84160 | 5901 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5901 | 0 | |
| Driftwood | 2,120 | 2,120 | 0 | 150 | 350 | 1,620 | 0 | 0 | 1,270 | 1272 | 0 | 1270 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Red Willow | 16,890 | 22,290 | 0 | 0 | 4,280 | 18,010 | 0 | 0 | 7,690 | 6941 | 745 | 7690 | 745 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 745 | 0 | |
| Medicine | 34,390 | 41,590 | 0 | 0 | 3,780 | 37,810 | 0 | 0 | 20,730 | 20234 | 493 | 20730 | 493 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 493 | 0 | |
| Beaver | 3,870 | 3,870 | 770 | 1,500 | 1,570 | 30 | 0 | 1,700 | 1,840 | 1842 | 180 | 1840 | 180 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 180 | 0 | |
| Sappa | 2,990 | 2,990 | 0 | 1,230 | 1,060 | 530 | 0 | -380 | 880 | 695 | 180 | 880 | 180 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 180 | 0 | |
| Prairie Dog | 5,320 | 13,920 | 0 | 6,360 | 1,920 | 6,500 | 0 | 11,110 | 80 | 0 | 76 | 80 | 76 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 76 | 0 | |
| Main Stem | 88,720 | 173,220 | 0 | 88,520 | 84,700 | 0 | -6,160 | 52,090 | 135,390 | 61100 | 74287 | 135390 | 74287 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 74287 | 0 | |
| Total All Basin | 331,080 | 441,480 | 22,440 | 108,510 | 165,760 | 144,770 | 30,680 | 69,560 | 265,910 | 180,438 | 85,465 | 265,910 | 85,465 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 85,465 | 0 | |
| Main Stem Including Unallocated | | 317,990 | 0 | 162,500 | 155,490 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 331,080 | 441,480 | 22,440 | 182,490 | 236,550 | 0 | 30,680 | 69,560 | 265,910 | 180,438 | 85,465 | 265,910 | 85,465 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 85,465 | 0 | |

| SW | NE CBCU FROM SW | | Total SW |
|-------|-----------------|---------|----------|
| | IRR | SW-Evap | |
| 3388 | 0 | 0 | 3388 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 394 | 0 | 0 | 394 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 3783 | 2118 | 0 | 5901 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 402 | 343 | 0 | 745 |
| 493 | 0 | 0 | 493 |
| 180 | 0 | 0 | 180 |
| 76 | 0 | 0 | 76 |
| 46082 | 28205 | 0 | 74287 |

54798 30667 0 85465

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| 1999 | Water Supply | Water Supply | Allocations | | | | | Computed Beneficial Consumptive Uses | | | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|----------|--------------------------------------|----------|-------------|----------|---------|
| | | | Colorado | Kansas | Nebraska | Unallocated | Colorado | Kansas | Nebraska | Unallocated | Colorado | Kansas |
| Basin | 44,880 | 44,880 | 10,050 | 0 | 11,040 | 23,790 | 15,760 | 20 | 4,920 | 10,900 | 3,887 | 4,920 |
| North Fork | 8,340 | 8,340 | 6,550 | 430 | 1,400 | -40 | 980 | 240 | 310 | 313 | 0 | 310 |
| Arkaree | 6,760 | 6,760 | 0 | 0 | 2,230 | 4,530 | 220 | 0 | 3,400 | 2,799 | 603 | 3,400 |
| Buffalo | 9,350 | 9,350 | 0 | 0 | 3,740 | 5,610 | 40 | 0 | 3,020 | 3,023 | 0 | 3,020 |
| South Fork | 38,210 | 38,210 | 17,280 | 0 | 15,640 | 5,450 | 19,900 | 8,950 | 1,050 | 10,480 | 0 | 10,500 |
| Frenchman | 131,430 | 132,430 | 0 | 0 | 70,980 | 61,450 | 1,010 | 0 | 90,860 | 78,890 | 0 | 90,860 |
| Driftwood | 3,610 | 3,610 | 0 | 250 | 590 | 2,770 | 0 | 0 | 1,210 | 1,171 | 38 | 1,210 |
| Red Willow | 22,750 | 23,250 | 0 | 0 | 4,460 | 18,790 | 0 | 0 | 8,800 | 7,691 | 1,108 | 8,800 |
| Medicine | 40,920 | 29,520 | 0 | 0 | 2,690 | 26,830 | 0 | 0 | 15,850 | 14,407 | 1,439 | 15,850 |
| Beaver | 13,080 | 13,080 | 2,620 | 5,080 | 5,310 | 70 | 0 | 5,700 | 5,010 | 4,870 | 135 | 5,010 |
| Sappa | 16,160 | 16,160 | 0 | 6,640 | 6,640 | 2,880 | 0 | -150 | 2,610 | 1,148 | 1,462 | 2,610 |
| Prairie Dog | 17,240 | 19,840 | 0 | 9,070 | 1,510 | 9,260 | 0 | 8,810 | 2,200 | 0 | 220 | 2,200 |
| Main Stem | 242,600 | 222,900 | 0 | 113,900 | 109,000 | 0 | -750 | 53,350 | 165,630 | 87,158 | 78,473 | 165,630 |
| Total All Basin | 595,330 | 569,030 | 36,500 | 151,010 | 220,130 | 161,390 | 37,160 | 76,920 | 302,890 | 203,488 | 99,390 | 302,890 |
| Main Stem Including Unallocated | | 384,290 | 0 | 196,370 | 187,920 | | | | | | | |
| Total | 595,330 | 569,030 | 36,500 | 293,460 | 299,050 | 0 | 37,160 | 76,920 | 302,890 | 203,488 | 99,390 | 302,890 |

| NE CBCU FROM SW | SW - IRR | SW - Evap | SW - M&I | Total SW CBCU NE |
|-----------------|----------|-----------|----------|------------------|
| 3887 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3887 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 603 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 603 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 10695 | 1331 | 0 | 0 | 12025 |
| 38 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 38 |
| 806 | 301 | 0 | 0 | 1108 |
| 1439 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1439 |
| 135 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 135 |
| 1462 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1462 |
| 220 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 220 |
| 59479 | 18994 | 0 | 0 | 78473 |

78764 20626 0 99390

| 2000 | Water Supply | Water Supply | Allocations | | | | | Computed Beneficial Consumptive Uses | | | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|----------|--------------------------------------|----------|-------------|----------|---------|
| | | | Colorado | Kansas | Nebraska | Unallocated | Colorado | Kansas | Nebraska | Unallocated | Colorado | Kansas |
| Basin | 42,820 | 42,820 | 9,590 | 0 | 10,530 | 22,700 | 16,290 | 20 | 4,710 | 1156 | 3553 | 4710 |
| North Fork | 5,880 | 5,880 | 4,620 | 300 | 990 | -30 | 1,920 | 130 | 200 | 196 | 0 | 200 |
| Arkaree | 5,860 | 5,860 | 0 | 0 | 1,930 | 3,930 | 230 | 0 | 3,370 | 2,912 | 462 | 3,370 |
| Buffalo | 8,780 | 8,780 | 0 | 0 | 3,510 | 5,270 | 40 | 0 | 3,130 | 3,125 | 0 | 3,130 |
| South Fork | 26,000 | 30,900 | 13,720 | 12,420 | 430 | 4,330 | 18,740 | 6,330 | 990 | 962 | 0 | 980 |
| Frenchman | 1,150 | 1,150 | 0 | 80 | 190 | 880 | 0 | 0 | 1,150 | 78724 | 12821 | 91550 |
| Driftwood | 22,360 | 27,360 | 0 | 0 | 5,250 | 22,110 | 0 | 0 | 7,680 | 1153 | 0 | 1150 |
| Red Willow | 38,820 | 47,720 | 0 | 0 | 4,340 | 43,380 | 0 | 0 | 15,430 | 6780 | 895 | 7680 |
| Medicine | 9,690 | 9,690 | 1,940 | 3,760 | 3,930 | 60 | 0 | 4,560 | 3,570 | 15090 | 341 | 15430 |
| Beaver | 8,120 | 8,120 | 0 | 3,340 | 3,340 | 1,440 | 0 | -600 | 3,570 | 3568 | 0 | 3570 |
| Sappa | 11,410 | 16,710 | 0 | 7,640 | 1,270 | 7,800 | 0 | 9,290 | 70 | 792 | 307 | 1100 |
| Prairie Dog | 119,550 | 224,450 | 0 | 114,690 | 109,780 | 0 | -4,240 | 57,700 | 163,590 | 69542 | 66 | 163590 |
| Main Stem | 414,700 | 549,700 | 29,870 | 142,230 | 209,930 | 167,670 | 33,580 | 77,430 | 296,530 | 184,020 | 112,493 | 296,530 |
| Total All Basin | 414,700 | 549,700 | 29,870 | 227,910 | 291,920 | 0 | 33,580 | 77,430 | 296,530 | 184,020 | 112,493 | 296,530 |
| Main Stem Including Unallocated | | 392,120 | 0 | 200,370 | 191,750 | | | | | | | |
| Total | 414,700 | 549,700 | 29,870 | 227,910 | 291,920 | 0 | 33,580 | 77,430 | 296,530 | 184,020 | 112,493 | 296,530 |

| NE CBCU FROM SW | SW - IRR | SW - Evap | SW - M&I | Total SW CBCU NE |
|-----------------|----------|-----------|----------|------------------|
| 3553 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3553 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 462 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 462 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 10798 | 2023 | 0 | 0 | 12821 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 513 | 382 | 0 | 0 | 895 |
| 341 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 341 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 307 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 307 |
| 66 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 66 |
| 69085 | 24963 | 0 | 0 | 94048 |

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Table 1: Annual Virgin and Computed Water Supply, Allocations, and Computed Beneficial Consumptive Uses by State, 2005 abv

| 2005 abv Basin | Water Supply | | Allocations | | | | Computed Beneficial Consumptive Use | | | | NE CBCU FROM SW | | | | Total SW | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--------|----------|-------------|-----------------|----|---------|---------|----------|---------|----------|
| | Supply | Unallocated | Colorado | Kansas | Nebraska | Unallocated | Colorado | Kansas | Nebraska | Unallocated | NE CBCU | SW | IRR | SW-Evap | SW-M&I | CBCU NE | Total SW |
| North Fork | 44,800 | 44,800 | 10,040 | 0 | 11,020 | 23,740 | 17,530 | 20 | 4,290 | 1443 | 2847 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2847 | 4290 |
| Arikaree | 2,370 | 2,370 | 1,860 | 120 | 400 | -10 | 810 | 160 | 250 | 250 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 250 |
| Buffalo | 6,050 | 6,050 | 0 | 0 | 2,000 | 4,050 | 310 | 0 | 3,510 | 3357 | 149 | 21 | 82 | 0 | 0 | 149 | 3510 |
| Rock | 9,360 | 9,360 | 0 | 0 | 3,740 | 5,620 | 60 | 0 | 3,830 | 3744 | 82 | 0 | 82 | 0 | 0 | 82 | 3830 |
| South Fork | 26,050 | 27,550 | 12,230 | 11,080 | 390 | 3,850 | 18,660 | 7,520 | 1,370 | 1372 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1370 |
| Frenchman | 110,950 | 110,950 | 0 | 0 | 59,470 | 51,480 | 40 | 0 | 86,800 | 82719 | 4079 | 0 | 1382 | 0 | 0 | 4079 | 86800 |
| Driftwood | 3,400 | 3,400 | 0 | 230 | 560 | 2,610 | 0 | 10 | 1,480 | 1481 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1480 |
| Red Willow | 16,360 | 14,560 | 0 | 0 | 2,800 | 11,760 | 0 | 0 | 8,800 | 8305 | 497 | 0 | 405 | 0 | 0 | 497 | 8800 |
| Medicine | 39,990 | 34,390 | 0 | 0 | 3,130 | 31,260 | 0 | 0 | 21,320 | 20766 | 552 | 0 | 300 | 0 | 0 | 552 | 21320 |
| Beaver | 4,560 | 4,560 | 910 | 1,770 | 1,850 | 30 | 0 | 1,660 | 2,730 | 2684 | 51 | 0 | 51 | 0 | 0 | 51 | 2730 |
| Sappa | -310 | -310 | 0 | -130 | -130 | -50 | 0 | -1,180 | 790 | 702 | 83 | 0 | 48 | 0 | 0 | 83 | 790 |
| Prairie Dog | 11,720 | 11,620 | 0 | 5,310 | 880 | 5,430 | 0 | 8,180 | 40 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 40 |
| Main Stem | 116,560 | 90,960 | 0 | 46,480 | 44,480 | 0 | -1,950 | 27,940 | 117,480 | 84056 | 33425 | 0 | 20150 | 0 | 0 | 37 | 117480 |
| Total All Basin | 391,860 | 360,260 | 25,040 | 64,860 | 130,590 | 199,770 | 35,460 | 44,310 | 252,690 | 210,879 | 41,803 | 0 | 210,879 | 0 | 0 | 41,803 | 252,690 |
| Main Stem Including Unallocated | | 230,730 | 0 | 117,900 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 391,860 | 360,260 | 25,040 | 136,280 | 199,940 | 0 | 35,460 | 44,310 | 252,690 | 210,879 | 41,803 | 0 | 210,879 | 0 | 0 | 41,803 | 252,690 |

Table 1: Annual Virgin and Computed Water Supply, Allocations, and Computed Beneficial Consumptive Uses by State, 2005 All

| 2005 All Basin | Water Supply | | Allocations | | | | Computed Beneficial Consumptive Use | | | | NE CBCU FROM SW | | | | Total SW | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--------|----------|-------------|-----------------|----|---------|---------|----------|---------|----------|
| | Supply | Unallocated | Colorado | Kansas | Nebraska | Unallocated | Colorado | Kansas | Nebraska | Unallocated | NE CBCU | SW | IRR | SW-Evap | SW-M&I | CBCU NE | Total SW |
| North Fork | 44,800 | 44,800 | 10,040 | 0 | 11,020 | 23,740 | 17,530 | 20 | 4,290 | 1443 | 2847 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2847 | 4290 |
| Arikaree | 2,370 | 2,370 | 1,860 | 120 | 400 | -10 | 810 | 160 | 250 | 250 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 250 |
| Buffalo | 6,050 | 6,050 | 0 | 0 | 2,000 | 4,050 | 310 | 0 | 3,510 | 3357 | 149 | 21 | 82 | 0 | 0 | 149 | 3510 |
| Rock | 9,360 | 9,360 | 0 | 0 | 3,740 | 5,620 | 60 | 0 | 3,830 | 3744 | 82 | 0 | 82 | 0 | 0 | 82 | 3830 |
| South Fork | 26,050 | 27,550 | 12,230 | 11,080 | 390 | 3,850 | 18,660 | 7,520 | 1,370 | 1372 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1370 |
| Frenchman | 110,950 | 110,950 | 0 | 0 | 59,470 | 51,480 | 40 | 0 | 86,800 | 82719 | 4079 | 0 | 1382 | 0 | 0 | 4079 | 86800 |
| Driftwood | 3,400 | 3,400 | 0 | 230 | 560 | 2,610 | 0 | 10 | 1,480 | 1481 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1480 |
| Red Willow | 16,360 | 14,560 | 0 | 0 | 2,800 | 11,760 | 0 | 0 | 8,800 | 8305 | 497 | 0 | 405 | 0 | 0 | 497 | 8800 |
| Medicine | 39,990 | 34,390 | 0 | 0 | 3,130 | 31,260 | 0 | 0 | 21,320 | 20766 | 552 | 0 | 300 | 0 | 0 | 552 | 21320 |
| Beaver | 4,560 | 4,560 | 910 | 1,770 | 1,850 | 30 | 0 | 1,660 | 2,730 | 2684 | 51 | 0 | 51 | 0 | 0 | 51 | 2730 |
| Sappa | -310 | -310 | 0 | -130 | -130 | -50 | 0 | -1,180 | 790 | 702 | 83 | 0 | 48 | 0 | 0 | 83 | 790 |
| Prairie Dog | 11,720 | 11,620 | 0 | 5,310 | 880 | 5,430 | 0 | 8,180 | 40 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 40 |
| Main Stem | 117,610 | 92,010 | 0 | 47,020 | 44,990 | 0 | -1,950 | 27,940 | 118,530 | 84056 | 34476 | 0 | 21201 | 0 | 0 | 37 | 118530 |
| Total All Basin | 392,910 | 361,310 | 25,040 | 65,400 | 131,100 | 199,770 | 35,460 | 44,310 | 253,740 | 210,879 | 42,854 | 0 | 210,879 | 0 | 0 | 42,854 | 253,740 |
| Main Stem Including Unallocated | | 231,780 | 0 | 118,440 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 392,910 | 361,310 | 25,040 | 136,820 | 199,450 | 0 | 35,460 | 44,310 | 253,740 | 210,879 | 42,854 | 0 | 210,879 | 0 | 0 | 42,854 | 253,740 |

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DNR MEMO

Date: February 26, 2007

TO: Ann Bleed

From: Brad Edgerton

Subject: 2006 Surface Water Summary

In 2006 the State of Nebraska compensated Bostwick Irrigation District, Frenchman Valley Irrigation District and Riverside Irrigation Company to forgo irrigation. These lease agreements were done to assist the State of Nebraska with their Republican River Compliance efforts.

Frenchman Valley Irrigation District's natural flow appropriation has a priority date of May 16, 1890 and can divert 130.86 cfs from the Frenchman Creek at their headgate located just north of Palisade Nebraska; 9,292 acres can be irrigated with this appropriation via Culbertson Canal. These acres can also be served with storage water from Enders Reservoir when water is available.

In 2006 Frenchman Valley irrigation district leased to the State approximately 6,400 acre-feet of natural flow that was available at their headgate. Frenchman Valley Irrigation district was paid \$400,000 and agreed not to irrigate with surface water in 2006.

The benefit to the State was a reduction in computed beneficial consumptive use of approximately 2,000 acre-feet and an increase of 2,400 to Nebraska's computed water supply recorded at the Compact gage located on Frenchman Creek near Culbertson Nebraska. The total net benefit to the State was 6,800 acre-feet at a cost of approximately \$59.00 per acre-foot. *2200/AF Benefit* *1400 AF BU @ \$91.00/AF Benefit*

Riverside irrigation Company is located on Frenchman Creek approximately 3 miles above the Compact gage. They have 4 natural flow appropriations with the oldest priority date of December 19, 1893; the total amount that can be diverted is 9.60 cfs and can irrigate 672 acres. Their average total volume diverted the past 5 years has been approximately 2000 acre-feet.

In 2006 Riverside was paid \$100,000 (\$50,000 was provided by MRNRD) to forgo irrigation during 2006. The benefit to the State was a reduction in computed beneficial consumptive use of approximately 800 acre-feet and an increase of ~~1520~~⁸⁰⁰ acre-feet to Nebraska's computed water supply recorded at the Compact gage located on Frenchman Creek near Culbertson Nebraska. The total net benefit to the State was ~~2320~~²³²⁰ *1600* acre-feet at a cost of approximately ~~\$43.00~~ *\$62.50* per acre-foot.

Nebraska Bostwick Irrigation District has both natural flow and storage use appropriations for 22,454 acres located between Harlan County Reservoir and Hardy Nebraska. Approximately 50% of the irrigation supply in Harlan County Reservoir each year can be applied to these acres.

In 2006 Nebraska Bostwick agreed to forgo irrigation and allow Kansas Bostwick Irrigation District the right to use Nebraska's portion of its storage water, which was 10,118 acre-feet. In addition to the storage water Nebraska Bostwick agreed not to divert the natural flow available at the headgate of Superior canal which was estimated at 5,000 acre-feet.

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The benefit to the State was a reduction in computed beneficial consumptive use of approximately 6750 acre-feet and an increase of 3900 acre-feet to Nebraska's computed water supply recorded at the Compact gage located at Guide Rock. An additional reduction in computed beneficial consumptive use of approximately 10,000 acre-feet was realized for Nebraska when Kansas took 100% of the storage water evaporation from Harlan County Reservoir. (Kansas may dispute the evap split) The total net benefit to the State was 20,650 acre-feet at a cost of approximately \$121.00 per acre-foot.

In summary, a total of \$3,000,000 was paid for an approximate net benefit to the Republican River compact accounting of 29,770 acre-feet at a rate of \$101 per acre-foot.

Bureau project lands under permit with the State of Nebraska total 89330 acres. In 2006 an average of \$15.00 per acres was collected by the irrigation districts for each permitted acre for O&M. An addition per acre fee was collected under Cambridge Canal and Bartley Canal of \$2.50 per acre-inch for approximately 8 inches.

The benefit to Kansas was approximately 10,600 acre-feet delivered to 5,925 acres located above Lovewell Reservoir for an estimated 6 inches per acre applied.

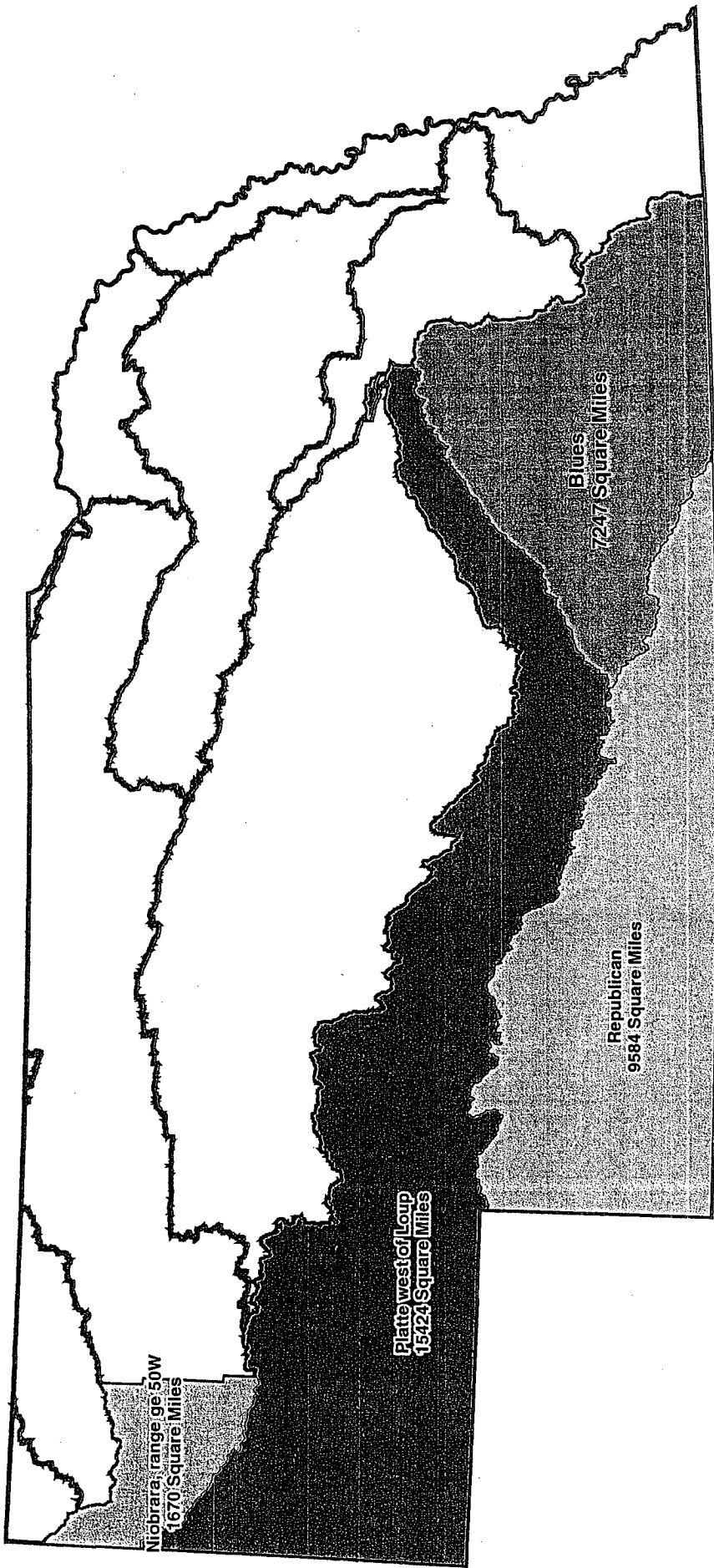
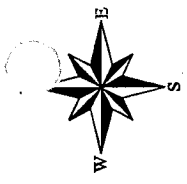
HC this year in irrigation pool
Bureau will collect HS.

Inflow H.C. HS 10,000 AF
Possibly 20,000 AF



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*Approximate total area of the State is 77314 square miles