

1/2/2011

RDP ISSUES:

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SEQUENCED OFFICERS
JP, PH, PD, ND+GS (GRID MAR),
DB, GG + PD (PERM) KU + MD (QU)

SCENARIOS:

1. ADJUSTMENTS TO RELEASE SCHEDULE

2. FSL 85%

3. ✓ ✓ + 1.

4. ✓ 75% + FLOOD MANUAL @ 100%

5. ✓ ✓ + ✓ ✓ @ 75%

6. ✓ 80% + ✓ ✓ @ 100%

→ REDUCED WATER LEVELS DOWNSTREAM

NO FURTHER ADVICE UNTIL PEER REVIEW
AND INSURANCE (COMPANY) REVIEW

IS IT A QUESTION OF DOES MANUAL + FSL DELIVER
LEVEL OF FLOOD MITIGATION EXPECTED?

OR

IS IT WHAT IS THE LEVEL OF FLOOD
MITIGATION REQUIRED?

CLAUSES 29 + 74

NEXT MONDAY

Scenarios for Operation of Wivenhoe Dam January 2011

Preliminary Modelling results

Variation in Initial Wivenhoe Dam Level

An assessment of the risk criteria for three initial levels of Wivenhoe Dam was undertaken with the following assumptions:

- Initial levels of Wivenhoe Dam were 87.1%, 70% and 50%
- All other storages were set at 100% initially.
- No NPI2 for the duration of the modelling
- Simulation start was February 2011, with initial dam levels January 2011
- Price path 2010 – 2015 demands
- No Tugun desalination above 60% Key Water Grid Storages, full desalination below 60%

All scenarios passed the SOP risk criteria as shown below in the Table 1.

Table 1

SOP			
Volume of water stored by all Key Water Grid Storages	Probability of reaching stored volume		
	1 year	3 years	5 years
40%	<.2%	NA	<5%
30%	NA	<.5%	<1%
Scenario - Wivenhoe 87% (Case 2)			
Volume of water stored by all Key Water Grid Storages	Probability of reaching stored volume		
	1 year	3 years	5 years
40%	<.01%	NA	0.09%
30%	NA	<.01%	<.01%
Scenario - Wivenhoe 70% (Case 4)			
Volume of water stored by all Key Water Grid Storages	Probability of reaching stored volume		
	1 year	3 years	5 years
40%	<.01%	NA	0.20%
30%	NA	<.01%	0.01%
Scenario - Wivenhoe 50% (Case 6)			
Volume of water stored by all Key Water Grid Storages	Probability of reaching stored volume		
	1 year	3 years	5 years
40%	<.01%	NA	0.48%
30%	NA	<.01%	0.01%

Below in Table 2 are some of the results comparing the probability of reaching 40% for the scenarios run so far:

Table 2

Case	% Reduction Wivenhoe (from full supply)	Volume of Water Released from Wivenhoe Dam (ML)	%reduction of Grid 12 Storages (from full supply)	Probability of reaching 60% within 5 years (desalination trigger)	Probability of reaching 40% within 5 years (PRW trigger)
1	10	116,500	5.6		
2	12.9	150,285	7.3		.09%
3	20	233,000	11.3		
4	30	349,500	16.9		.2%
5	40	466,000	22.5		
6	50	582,500	28.1		.48%

Wivenhoe Dam initially at 50%, with varied initial Baroon Pocket and Hinze dam levels

An assessment of the effect on risk criteria of lower initial Hinze and Baroon Pocket dam levels was undertaken with the following assumptions:

- Initial level of Wivenhoe Dam 50%
- Baroon Pocket and Hinze Dam initial levels at 50%
- **All other storages were set at 100% initially.**
- No NPI2 for the duration of the modelling
- Simulation start was February 2011, with initial dam levels January 2011
- Price path 2010 – 2015 demands
- No Tugun desalination above 60% Key Water Grid Storages, full desalination below 60%

Both scenarios passed the risk criteria as shown in Table 3 below.

Table 3

SOP			
Volume of water stored by all Key Water Grid Storages	Probability of reaching stored volume		
	1 year	3 years	5 years
40%	<.2%	NA	<5%
30%	NA	<.5%	<1%
50/50/50%			
Volume of water stored by all Key Water Grid Storages	Probability of reaching stored volume		
	1 year	3 years	5 years
40%	<.01%	NA	0.49%
30%	NA	0.01%	.03%%

Table 4 compares the risk criteria for all scenarios.

Table 4

Wivenhoe/Baroon/Hinze levels	50/50/50	50/100/100	70/100/100	87/100/100	SOP
40% SEQ volume					
1 year	<.01%	<.01%	<.01%	<.01%	<.2%
5 year	0.49%	0.48%	0.20%	0.09%	<5%
30% SEQ volume					
3 years	0.01%	<.01%	<.01%	<.01%	<.5%
5 years	0.03%	<.01%	0.01%	<.01%	<1%

Storage behaviour curves for varying probabilities of exceedance are shown below in Figures 1 and 2.

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Figure 1

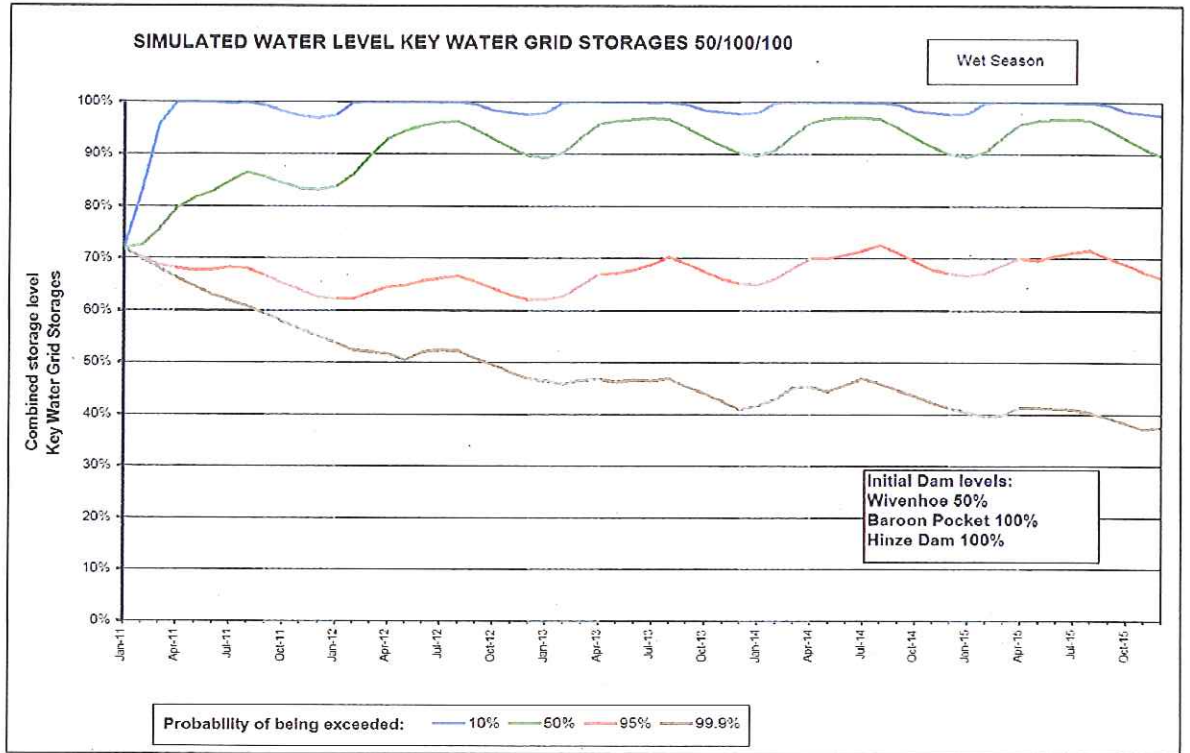


Figure 2

