Basin Reports

Reservoir Summary for for September 1, 2026

STATE OF MONTANA					Water Year 2026			Water Year 2025		
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Ackley Lake	4320	7	3.6	51	3.391	48	94	4.663	67	130
Bair Res	5330	7	3.2	46	1.084	15	34	2.15	31	67
Beaver Creek	3090	3.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bighorn Lake	3640	1356	973.3	72	820.447	61	84	847.768	63	87
Boysen	4730	757.851	619	82	461.659	61	75	509.632	67	82
Buffalo Bill	5370	646.6	520.8	81	504.538	78	97	437.828	68	84
Bull Lake	5820	151.8	108	71	94.55	62	88	29.576	19	27
Camas (4)	2860	45.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Canyon Ferry Lake	3800	2043	1662	81	1562.395	76	94	1507.465	74	91
Clark Canyon Res	5540	255.6	71.6	28	50.073	20	70	62.194	24	87
Cooney Res	4260	27.4	18.9	69	20.719	76	110	18.358	67	97
Deadman's Basin Res	3890	72.2	44.8	62	34.958	48	78	51.798	72	116
East Fork Rock Creek Res	6060	16.04	5.4	34	5.737	36	106	5.513	34	102
Ennis Lake	4820	41	36.6	89	37.323	91	102	36.947	90	101
Flathead Lake	2890	1791	1753	98	1782.18	100	102	1653.84	92	94
Fort Peck Lake	2240	18910	14788	78	12826.956	68	87	13084.368	69	88
Four Horns Lake	4110	19.2	--	--	11.426	60	--	11.498	60	--
Fresno Res	2570	127	46.6	37	27.248	21	58	38.837	31	83
Georgetown Lake	6380	31	28.9	93	29.614	96	102	27.412	88	95
Gibson Res	4730	99.1	19	19	9.416	10	50	5.636	6	30
Hauser Lake & Lake Helena	3640	74.6	--	--	74.132	99	--	74.132	99	--
Hebgen Lake	6540	378.8	350.8	93	332.237	88	95	327.953	87	93
Helena Valley Reservoir	3820	9.2	7.6	83	8.591	93	113	8.727	95	115
Holter Lake	3580	81.9	80.9	99	80.921	99	100	80.921	99	100
Hungry Horse Lake	3530	3451	3115	90	3194.243	93	103	3249.528	94	104
Lake Como	4210	34.9	10.1	29	12.597	36	125	5.359	15	53
Lake Elwell (Tiber)	2980	1347	842	63	821.278	61	98	723.042	54	86
Lake Frances	3810	112	52.8	47	55.77	50	106	22.879	20	43
Lake Helena	3650	12.7	11	87	10.951	86	100	10.951	86	100
Lake Koocanusa	2410	5748	5090	89	5158.461	90	101	5273.285	92	104
Lake Sherburne	4790	64.3	29.8	46	23.425	36	79	35.075	55	118
Lima Reservoir	6590	84	31.4	37	22.59	27	72	21.388	25	68
Lower Jocko Lake	4770	6.4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Lower Two Medicine Lake	4890	11.9	--	--	6.387	54	--	6.818	57	--
Lower Willow Creek Reservoir	4730	4.9	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Martinsdale Res	4780	23.1	--	--	4.997	22	--	13.595	59	--
Middle Creek Res	6700	10.2	6.5	64	6.482	64	100	6.879	67	106
Mission Valley (8)	3410	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Mystic Lake	7680	21	19.6	93	18.657	89	95	18.355	87	94
Nelson Res	2220	66.8	38.7	58	33.949	51	88	46.885	70	121
Nevada Creek Res	4620	12.6	5.4	43	5.549	44	103	1.29	10	24
Newlan Lake Res	5290	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nilan Reservoir	4450	11.011	6.6	60	3.122	28	47	0	--	--
Noxon Rapids Reservoir	2330	335	322.1	96	322	96	100	324.1	97	101
Painted Rocks Lake	4730	31.7	16.8	53	16.619	52	99	10.12	32	60
Pilot Butte	5470	31.6	16.8	53	23.147	73	138	11.631	37	69
Pishkun Res	4370	32	22.6	71	30.428	95	135	13.743	43	61
Ruby River Reservoir	5400	38.8	14.7	38	13.71	35	93	12.801	33	87
Silver Lake	6440	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Smith River Res	5490	10.6	5.5	52	4.7	44	85	5.247	50	95
Swift Res	4900	30	16.4	55	26.757	89	163	15.695	52	96
Thompson Falls Res	2400	--	14.8	--	15.305	--	103	15.107	--	102
Tongue River Res	3410	79.1	51.4	65	41.545	53	81	50.463	64	98
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Willow Creek Res (Harrison)	4730	--	10	--	6.02	--	60	7.902	--	79
Willow Creek Res - Augusta	4150	32.2	19.8	61	9.799	30	49	4.179	13	21
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