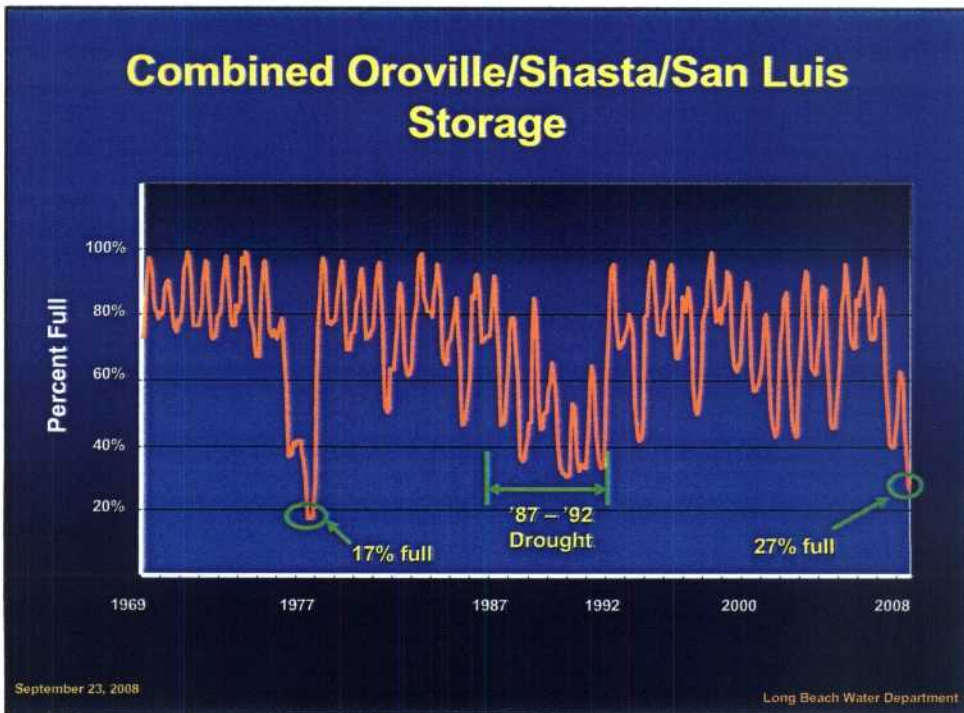
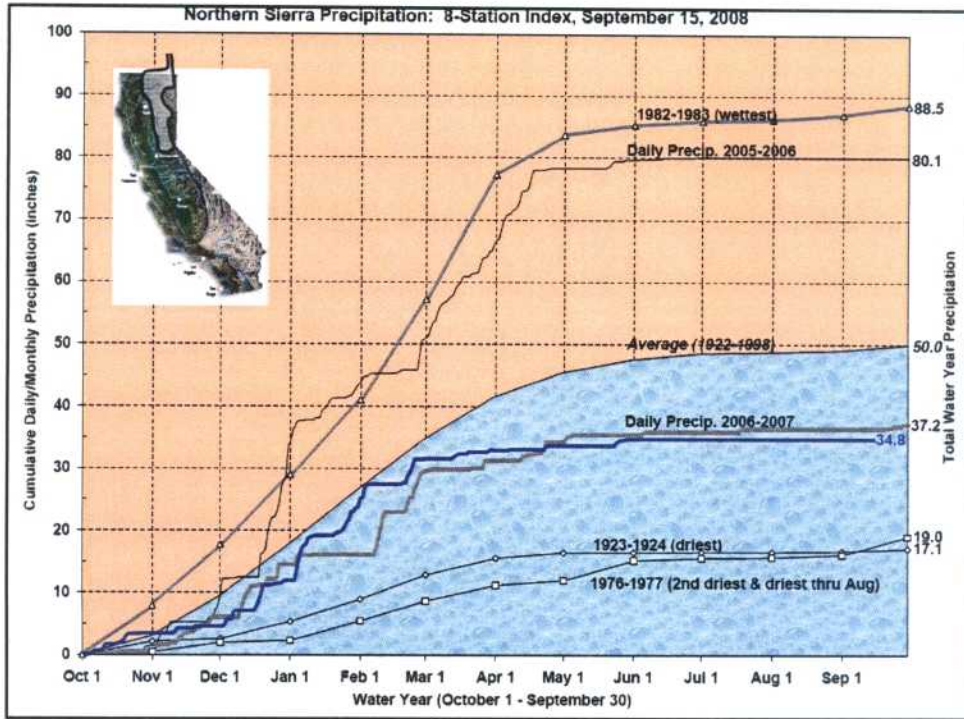


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Major Changes Since 1987-1992 Drought

- Population increase
- Colorado River Quantification Settlement Agreement (QSA)
- State Water Project (SWP) environmental rulings
- Southern California Storage Investments
- Since September 2007
 - LBWD Declaration of Imminent Supply Shortage
 - LBWD Conservation programs and messages
 - Outstanding response

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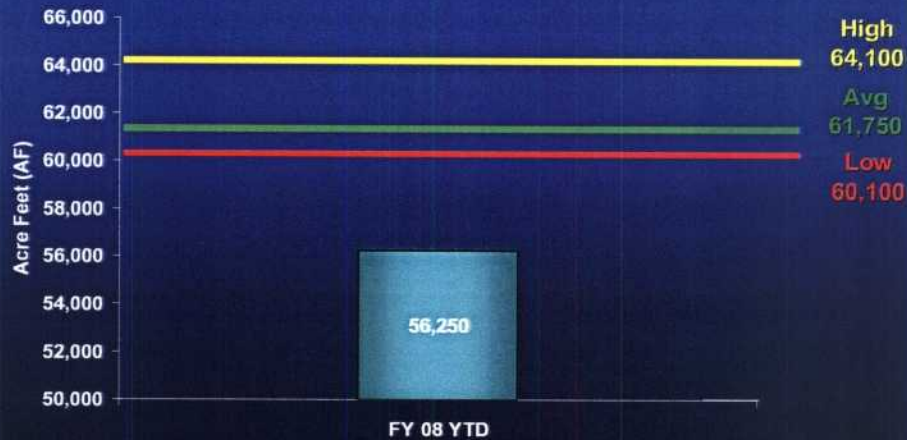
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Eleven Month History vs. 10 Year Average



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Consumptive Demand 10-Year History (Annual)



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What Lies Ahead...

- SWP initial allocation decision – Dec 1
- MWD shortage allocation 2009?

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