



## General Security Water Allocation

NSW DPIE last week announced a three percent allocation for General Security entitlements.

This has been applied to the relevant entitlement holders water allocation account in Murray Irrigation.

Water account balances and more can be viewed on your customer portal [here](#).

Murray Irrigation welcomed the allocation announcement by NSW DPIE and released a media statement, which can be viewed on our [website](#).

## Winter Operations

Planned maintenance work will commence on Monday, 25 May in the 2020 Maintenance Zones.

This is part of the transition to the new mode of winter operations and incorporates our rolling three-year maintenance strategy, impacting a third of our footprint each year.

A map of the maintenance zones can be found on our website [here](#).

Water will be retained in non-maintenance zones and is available for delivery to customers, however supply is not guaranteed.

Call Customer Operations on 1300 138 265 to place a request.

## Water Exchange Closure

Murray Irrigation's Water Exchange will close at 5.00pm Friday, 19 June 2020.

All unsold listings will be returned to customers' Murray Irrigation water allocation accounts.

For assistance with the closure of all trading for the 2019/20 season, call Customer Operations on 1300 138 265.

The Water Exchange will reopen at 9.00am on Wednesday, 1 July 2020.

## Bridge Works – slow down to 40km/h

Murray Irrigation bridge works are underway around the footprint.

Speed restrictions are in place on designated bridges, and vehicles may be reduced to one lane or temporary detours put in place.

Drivers are urged to slow down and obey all traffic control measures to ensure the safety of staff and contractors.

Please contact Customer Operations on 1300 138 265 with any queries.

## Contacting Murray Irrigation

Murray Irrigation provides phone support to customers from 7am – 7pm, 7 days per week on 1300 138 265.

A telephone message service is available at times for you to leave your contact details so we can promptly return your call.

For Operational Emergencies (failure of MIL infrastructure, significant flooding or severe damage) outside of phone service hours, please call Murray Irrigation's emergency line 1300 657 313.

Customers' can also access their water and financial accounts by logging onto their [portal](#).

A reminder that our offices are currently closed to help reduce the potential spread of COVID-19, in-line with Australian Government recommendations.

## MDBA weekly report (as at 13 May)

The MDBA total active storage increased by 113 GL to 2,624 OGL (or 32% capacity).

Click [here](#) to see the full report.

## Quarterly Invoices

Last issued quarter – Third (March)  
Issue date – 30 April 2020  
Due date – 29 May 2020

## Announced allocation

Class C General Security .....	3%
Allocation Advance.....	5%
Water resource distribution .....	2%

(issued against Delivery Entitlements)

## Water availability and deliveries

(12/05/20)

YTD deliveries.....	261,686 ML
Customers.....	85,071 ML
DPIE Deliveries.....	14,718 ML
WaterNSW Deliveries.....	161,897 ML
Weekly Deliveries.....	1,194 ML
Weekly crop usage.....	52% (Storage)
Customer account balance.....	92,010 ML
WE in customer accounts.....	824,977 WE
Vol. % remaining .....	11%

## Channel flows today

Wakool Offtake.....	0 ML
Mulwala Offtake .....	0 ML
Billabong Escape.....	0 ML
Edward River Escape.....	0 ML
Perricoota Escape.....	0 ML
Wakool River Escape .....	0 ML

## Water trade data

Net trade week .....	3,075 ML
Net trade YTD.....	-4,989 ML

## Water exchange data

(18/05/20)

Internal listings (No. & ML).....	10;593.4 ML
External listings (No. & ML).....	1;9.7 ML
Int. purchasers (No. & ML).....	13;865.26 ML
Ext purchasers (No. & ML).....	2;60.99 ML

Water for sale @ 18/05/20.....	3,619.74 ML
Weighted average sale price.....	\$236
Price range @ 19/05/20.....	\$240 - \$800
Buy offer range @ 19/05/20.....	\$180 - \$140

## Rainfall and evaporation

12/05/20 – 18/05/20 (weather.csiro.au)

..... Rain .....	Evap .....	
Finley .....	0mm .....	10mm
Tullakool.....	0mm .....	11.3mm

## Storages\*

8.30am today (mdba.gov.au)

Dartmouth .....	1,928 GL	↑	50 %	↑
Hume .....	669 GL	↑	22 %	↑
Lake Victoria .....	328 GL	↑	48 %	↑
Menindee Lakes.....	438 GL	↑	25 %	↑
Total Storage.....	3,363 GL	↑	36 %	↑

## Rivers\*

8.30am today (mdba.gov.au)

Murray @ Doctors Point .....	2,680 ML/d
Murray d/s Yarra. Weir .....	8,310 ML/d
Goulburn @ McCoy Bridge.....	1,350 ML/d
M'Bidgee d/s Balranald.....	503 ML/d
Darling @ Burtundy.....	92 ML/d
Flow to SA.....	2,311 ML/d
Murray to the sea .....	2 gates open

*This information is provided for general reference purposes only. Murray Irrigation takes best endeavours to ensure accuracy. It is collated at 8.00am Tuesdays and is subject to change.*