



Delivery entitlements and casual usage

Customers have been enquiring about purchasing temporary delivery entitlements to complete their autumn watering program.

To date Murray Irrigation has delivered 567GL on farm, with approximately one million delivery entitlements existing within the footprint.

Every 1.2 megalitres delivered uses one temporary delivery entitlement and provides access to the tiered usage fees.

Check your delivery entitlement balance before the end of the March quarter.

To check how many temporary delivery entitlements you have left, simply log onto your customer portal & check your water allocation report (DE Transfer Limit).

If you have a negative balance, think you may require additional or have excess DE's you can purchase or sell from the Water Exchange.

If your water allocation account has a negative DE transfer limit on 31 March, you will be charged the casual usage fee of \$56.46 for each megalitre usage. For more information call Customer

Operations on 1300 138 265.

Asset rationalisation project

Murray Irrigation will continue to work with customers and remove redundant infrastructure in the field.

The initiative aims to reduce further capital expenditure while supporting on farm water use.

In 2021 we were able to negotiate with customers to remove over \$500K worth of underutilised assets from across the Murray Irrigation footprint.

Click [here](#) to contact Murray Irrigation to discuss further.

Releasing water into the drainage system

Approval is required to discharge water into Murray Irrigation's drainage system. Discharge into the drainage system is only permitted via a drainage inlet and after approval has been received.

To download an application form click [here](#).

Finley office closure

Due to on ground works being carried out the Finley office will be closed to the public on Wednesday 9 March.

Announced allocation

Class C General Security.....	110%
Allocation Advance.....	8%
Water resource distribution	3%

Water availability and deliveries* (08/03/2022)

Supplementary Licence.....	121,704 units
Supplementary Diversions.....	121,704 ML
Supplementary Deliveries.....	94,726 ML
YTD deliveries.....	658,814 ML
Customers	567,570 ML
DPIE Deliveries	73,992 ML
WaterNSW Deliveries.....	17,252 ML
Weekly Deliveries.....	12,461 ML
Weekly crop usage.....(Rice)	36%
Customer account balance.....	498,171 ML
WE in customer accounts.....	811,653 WE
Vol. % remaining.....	61.4%

*Provisional data

Channel flows today*

Wakool Offtake	550 ML
Mulwala Offtake	2,500 ML
Billabong Escape	8 ML
Edward River Escape.....	601 ML
Perricoota Escape.....	0 ML
Wakool River Escape.....	0 ML

*Includes DPIE Deliveries

Water trade data

Net trade week.....	1,213 ML
Net trade YTD.....	36,944 ML

Water exchange data

(07/03/2022)	
Internal listings (No. & ML).....	20;4,182 ML
External listings (No. & ML).....	0;0 ML
Int. purchasers (No. & ML)....	25; 3,360 ML
Ext purchasers (No. & ML).....	0;0 ML

Water for sale @ 07/03/22.....	14,257 ML
Weighted average sale price.....	\$26.00
Price range @ 07/03/22.....	\$20 - \$200
Buy offer range @ 01/03/22.....	\$15 - \$8

Storages*

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Dartmouth.....	3,583 GL - 93 % -
Hume.....	2,849 GL ↑95 % ↑
Lake Victoria.....	535 GL ↓79 % ↓
Menindee Lakes.....	1,897 GL ↑ ... 100 % -
Total Storage.....	8,864 GL ↑96 % -

Rivers*

Murray @ Doctors Point.....	10,957 ML/d
Murray d/s Yarra. Weir	7,800 ML/d
Goulburn @ McCoy Bridge	1,025 ML/d
M'Bidgee d/s Balranald	3,051 ML/d
Darling @ Burtundy.....	9,121 ML/d
Flow to SA	22,369 ML/d
Murray to the sea	65 gates open

*This information is provided for general reference purposes only. We take best endeavours to ensure accuracy. This data was correct as at 1pm, Tuesday, 08 March 2022

Resource links

- [MDBA weekly report](#)
- [NSW Water allocation statements](#)
- [Rainfall and evaporation](#)
- [Barmah Choke trade balance](#)

Water Delivery Performance For the period 02/03/22 – 08/03/22

