



Transition out of Winter Operations

Diversions from the Wakool offtake began as planned yesterday, however, **diversions at the Mulwala offtake have again been delayed due to the water height at Lake Mulwala.** Where impacted, the indicative dates for delivery of water orders (below) have been updated to reflect this change.

IMPORTANT: Customers in non-drainage areas may still access non-guaranteed water. Please place your orders via the [Customer Portal](#) and a team member will contact you to discuss your options.

Murray Irrigation will continue to update the likely delivery dates for each Operational Area as they become more certain.

Indicative delivery dates for 2022-23

Operational Area	Channel System	Estimated delivery date
4, 5, 6, 7, 8	Berrigan, Billabong, Coree, Mairjimmy	30th July - 9th August
17, 18, 19	Tuppall (Mulwala 30), Birganbigil, Mundiwa	8th August
Remaining Operational Areas serviced by the Mulwala offtake:		8th August
27	Wakool Southern Canal	23rd - 25th July
28	Northern upstream of Niemur syphon	8th August
28, 29	Northern downstream of Niemur, Mallan	11th August
Remaining Operational Areas serviced by the Wakool offtake:		30th July

Spring Irrigation Intentions

Your Spring watering intentions are requested to help us plan system filling. [Please click to respond now.](#)

Customer Operational meetings

Murray Irrigation will hold **Customer meetings in late August.** A brief operational update will be given on the company's goals for the next 12 months, more details soon.

MDBA Capacity & Shortfall update

The MDBA will give an update on its Barmah-Millewa sand investigations, shortfall response and water use changes at **Deniliquin RSL on Thursday 21 July at 10am.** [Click here to attend.](#)

Landholder Association Meetings

Local LHA meetings will be held next week, with updates on flood plain harvesting and class action from legal adviser Tim Horne.

Last opportunity to give feedback on LWMP.

Tuesday 26 July Denimein & West Berriquin, Deniliquin Ute Muster meeting room 6pm.

Wednesday 27 July Berriquin Irrigators Council, Finley RS Club 7.30pm

Thursday 28 July Deniboota, Caldwell Hall 4pm and Wakool, Wakool Club 7pm.

2022 Winter Works Reporting



	Planned	Complete
Asset Maintenance civil remediation, servicing & replacement of gearboxes & sensors	393	78%
Inspections structure inspections while the channels are empty	532	100%
Channel Maintenance bank building, de-silting, batter protection & erosion repair, by task	184	73%
De-silting de-silting for weed removal, measured in kilometres	approx. 180km	61%
In Season Works critical maintenance work required in non-maintenance zone areas	65	77%

Winter works are on schedule – we aim to complete works safely and with minimal disruption to our customers. Please let us know if you have concerns.

Announced allocation

Class C General Security..... 49%
Allocation Advance.....5%
Water resource distribution 0%

Water availability and deliveries* (19/07/2022)

Supplementary Licence..... 121,704 units
Supplementary Diversions..... 2,600 ML
Supplementary Deliveries..... 0 ML
YTD deliveries..... 111 ML
Customers..... 111 ML
DPIE Deliveries 0 ML
WaterNSW Deliveries..... 0 ML
Weekly Deliveries..... 89 ML
Weekly crop usage..... (Winter Crops) 51%
Customer account balance..... 766,017 ML
WE in customer accounts..... 800,707 WE
Vol. % remaining..... 95.7%

*Provisional data

Channel flows today*

Wakool Offtake..... 100 ML
Mulwala Offtake..... 0 ML
Billabong Escape..... 1 ML
Edward River Escape..... 1 ML
Perricoota Escape..... 0 ML
Wakool River Escape 0 ML

*Includes DPIE Deliveries

Water trade data

Net trade week..... 501 ML
Net trade YTD..... -70 ML

Water exchange data (18/07/2022)

Internal listings (No. & ML)..... 26; 3,177 ML
External listings (No. & ML) 1; 500 ML
Int. purchasers (No. & ML) ... 26; 2,579 ML
Ext purchasers (No. & ML) 0; 0 ML

Water for sale @ 18/07/22..... 4,820 ML
Weighted average sale price..... \$57
Price range @ 19/07/22..... \$59 - \$200
Buy offer range @ 19/07/22..... \$52 - \$30

Storages*

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Dartmouth 3,673 GL ↑.....95 % -
Hume 2,818 GL ↑.....94 % ↑
Lake Victoria..... 353 GL ↑.....52 % -
Menindee Lakes..... 1,936 GL ↑100 % -
Total Storage..... 8,780 GL ↑ 95 % ↑

Rivers*

Murray @ Doctors Point 19,000 ML/d
Murray d/s Yarra. Weir 14,249 ML/d
Goulburn @ McCoy Bridge..... 1,276 ML/d
M'Bidgee d/s Balranald..... 13,637 ML/d
Darling @ Burtundy..... 16,023 ML/d
Flow to SA..... 43,056 ML/d
Murray to the sea 43 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, 19 July 2022

Resource links

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