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PRECIPITATION + SW INFLOW + GW INFLOW + IMPORTED WATER =

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PAN 500 ml

OUT'S

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TCB 45000 AF + 0
PAN 0 + 160 ml

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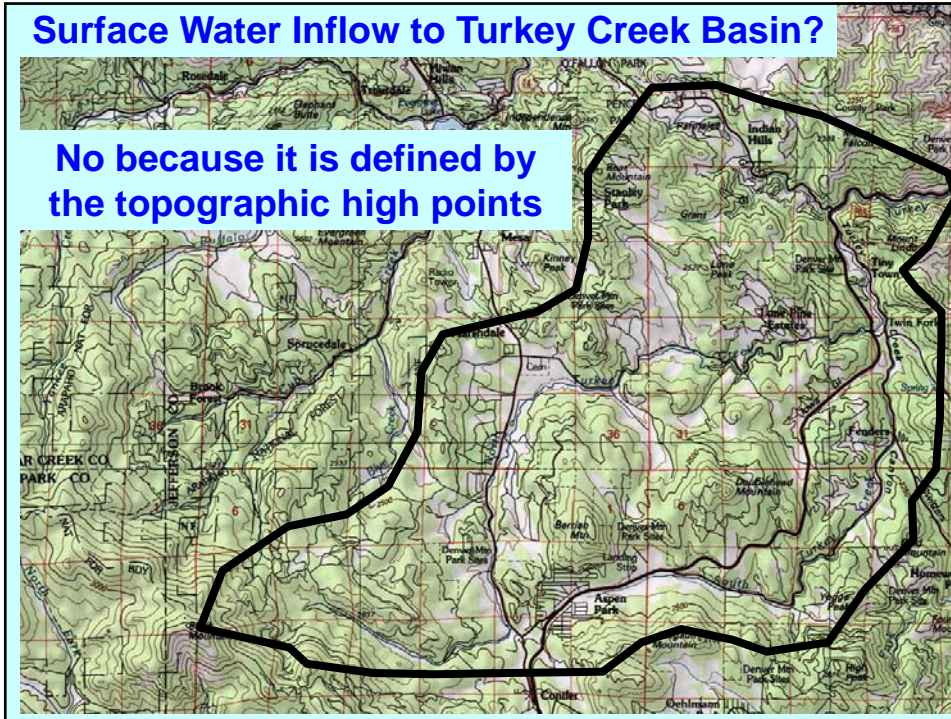
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No potential for surface water inflow here



Surface Water Inflow to Turkey Creek Basin?

No because it is defined by the topographic high points



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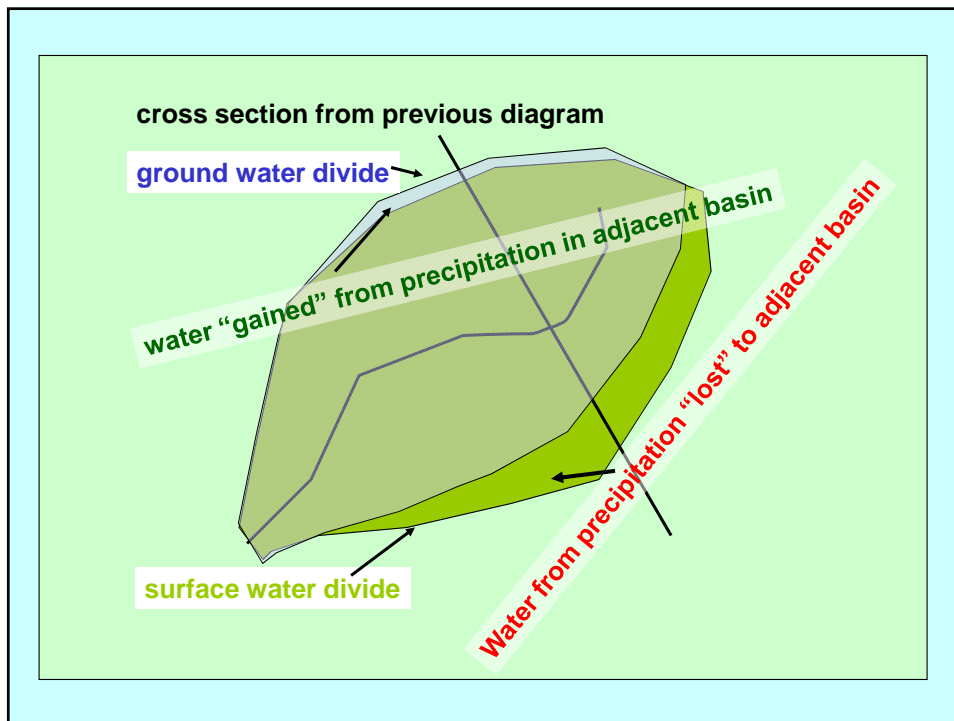
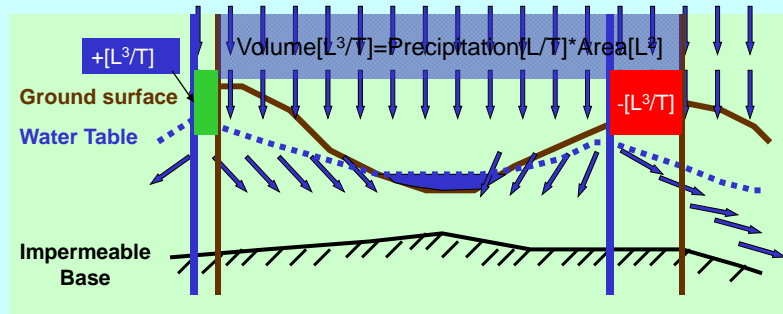
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Ground Water Inflow

DRAINAGE BASIN - Area Surrounded by a Topographic Divide
May Differ from Ground Water Basin

GROUNDWATER BASIN - Surrounded by **Phreatic (Water Table) Divide**
Water Table - Surface below which all cracks and pores in the subsurface are full of water (saturated zone)
Phreatic - Zone at and below the Water Table

WHEN DIVIDES DO NOT CORRESPOND - INTERBASIN FLOW



No potential for ground water inflow here

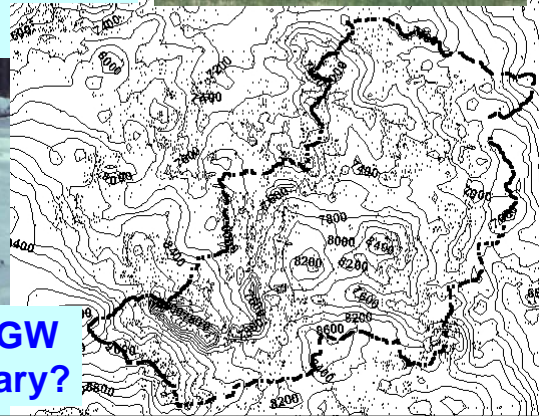


Ground Water Inflow to Turkey Creek Basin?

What do the dots and contours represent?

No significant ground water inflow across the boundaries

How do we see that here?



Where do you expect GW flow across the boundary?

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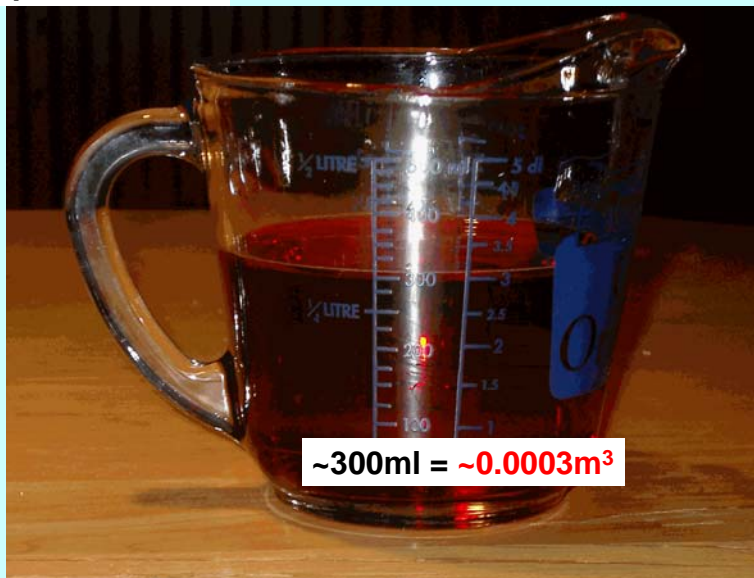
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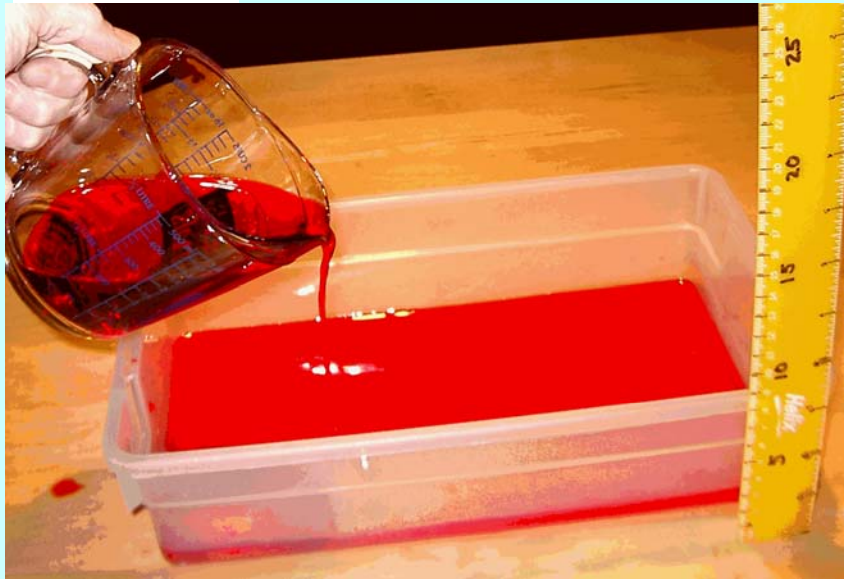
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"imported water"

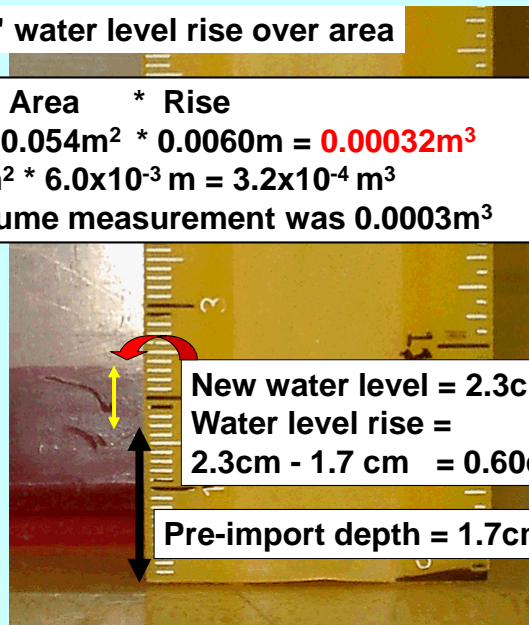


"importation"



"import" water level rise over area

Volume = Area * Rise
Volume = $0.054\text{m}^2 * 0.0060\text{m} = 0.00032\text{m}^3$
 $5.4 \times 10^{-2} \text{m}^2 * 6.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{m} = 3.2 \times 10^{-4} \text{m}^3$
direct volume measurement was 0.0003m^3



New water level = 2.3cm
Water level rise =
 $2.3\text{cm} - 1.7\text{cm} = 0.60\text{cm} = 0.0060\text{m}$

Pre-import depth = 1.7cm

Is water imported to Turkey Creek Basin?

**Community water systems have
their supply within the basin
(e.g. wells near Tiny Town for Indian Hills)**

Likely insignificant amounts of bottled water

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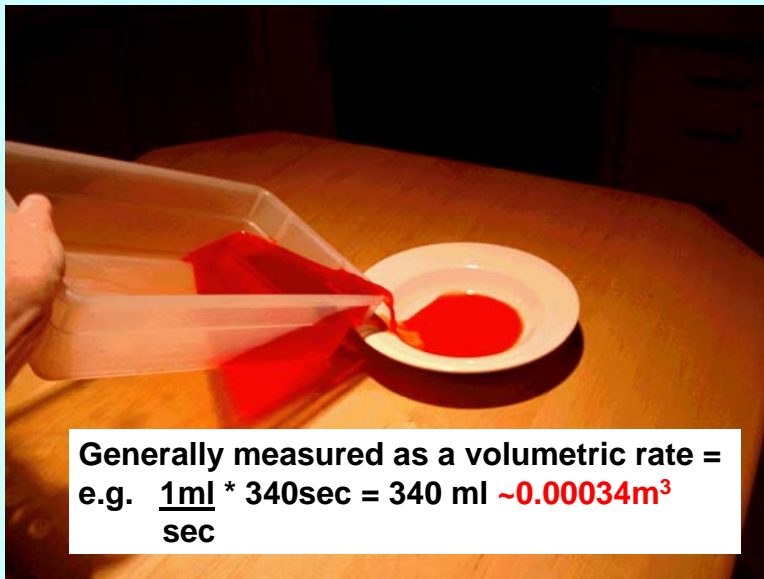
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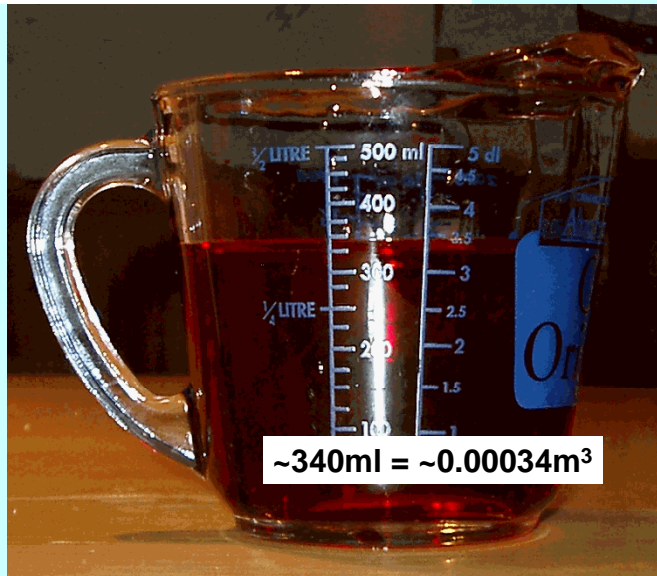
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"stream flow out of basin"



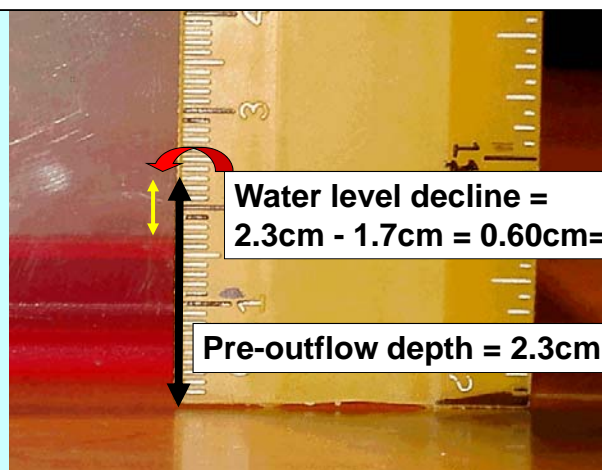
Generally measured as a volumetric rate =
e.g. $\frac{1\text{ml}}{\text{sec}} * 340\text{sec} = 340\text{ ml} \sim 0.00034\text{m}^3$

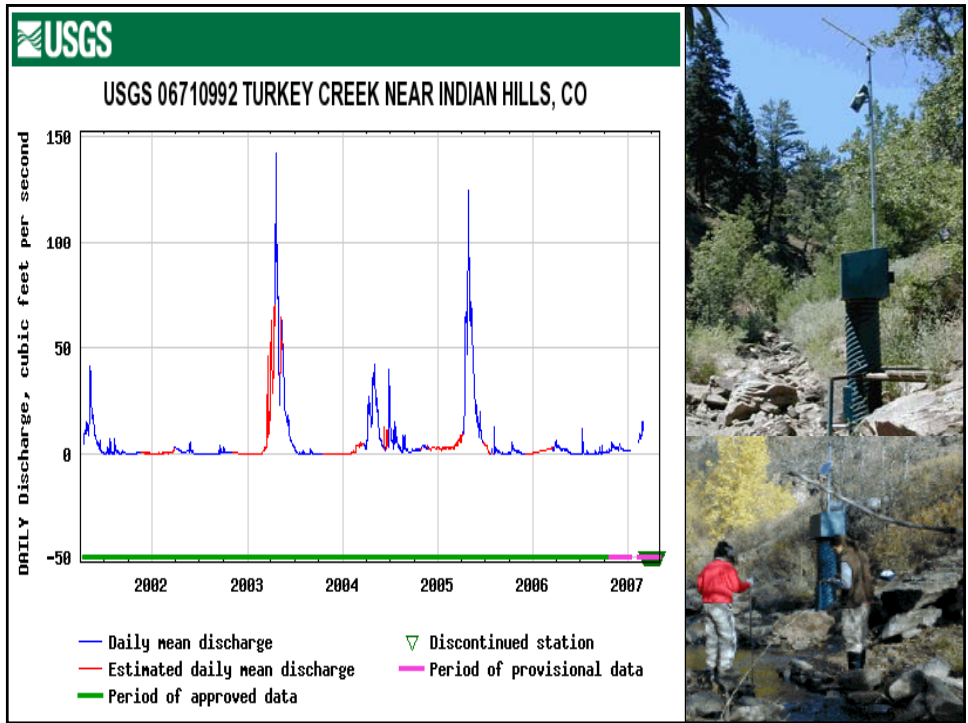
Collected "stream discharge water"



"stream flow" water level decline over area

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direct volume measurement was 0.00034m^3





http://inside.mines.edu/~epoeter/_GW/03Budget2/TCB-StreamGage-GWclass.xls

Turkey Creek Discharge

The volume of water discharged over a period of time is the area under the curve

$$\frac{\text{ft}^3}{\text{sec}} \text{ sec} = \text{ft}^3$$

If you estimate the average flow rate and multiply by the # secs in a year you will have the average volume per year.

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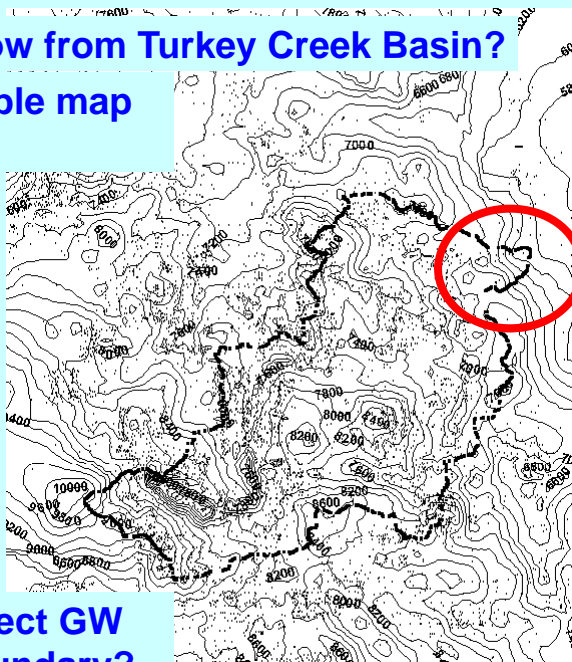
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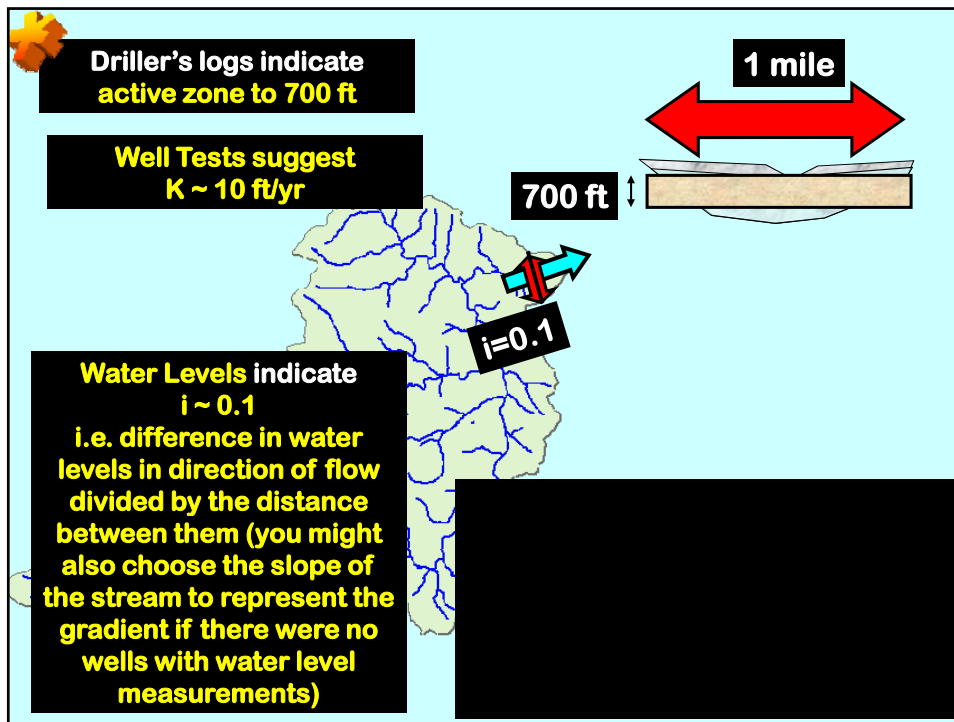
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Ground Water Outflow from Turkey Creek Basin?

Recall the water table map from earlier



Where do you expect GW flow across the boundary?



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Is water exported from Turkey Creek Basin?

Likely insignificant amounts of bottled water

No water is exported from our kitchen pan either

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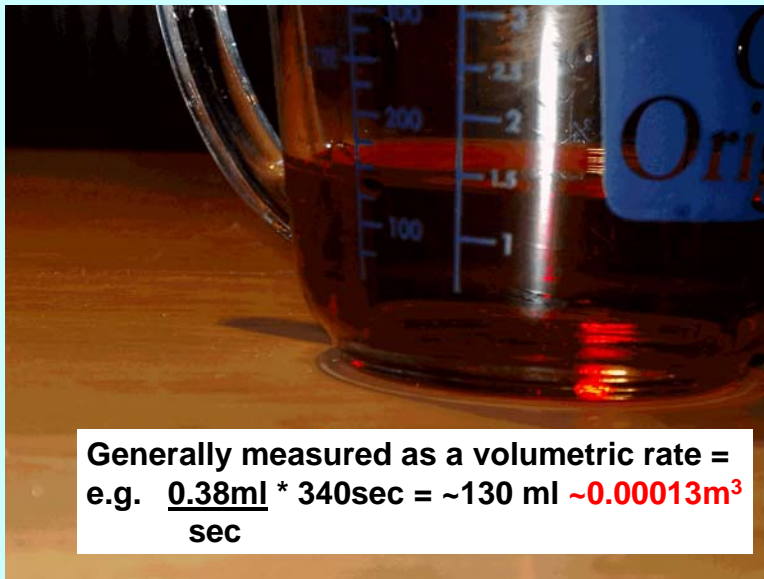
STORAGE

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"pump"



"pumped" volume



Generally measured as a volumetric rate =
e.g. $\frac{0.38\text{ml}}{\text{sec}} * 340\text{sec} = \sim 130 \text{ ml} \sim 0.00013\text{m}^3$

"pumped" water level decline over area

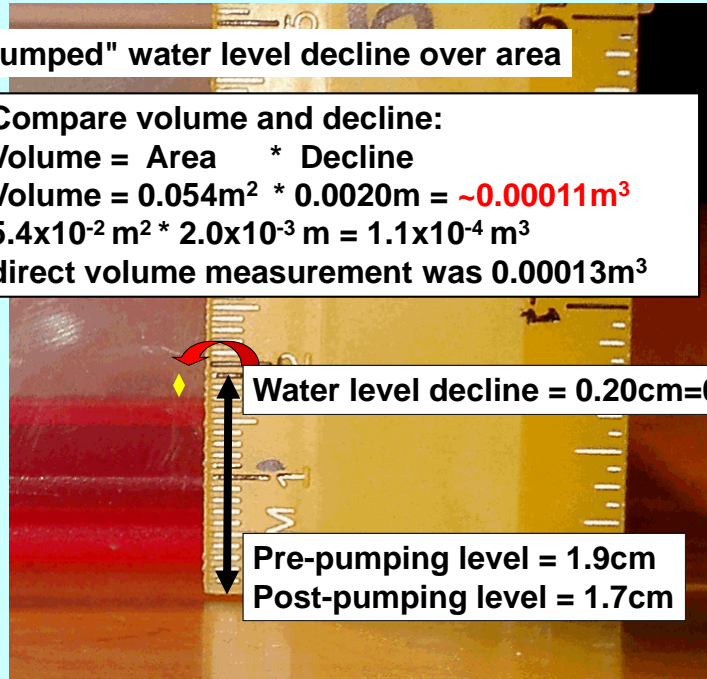
Compare volume and decline:

$$\text{Volume} = \text{Area} * \text{Decline}$$

$$\text{Volume} = 0.054\text{m}^2 * 0.0020\text{m} = \sim 0.00011\text{m}^3$$

$$5.4 \times 10^{-2} \text{m}^2 * 2.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{m} = 1.1 \times 10^{-4} \text{m}^3$$

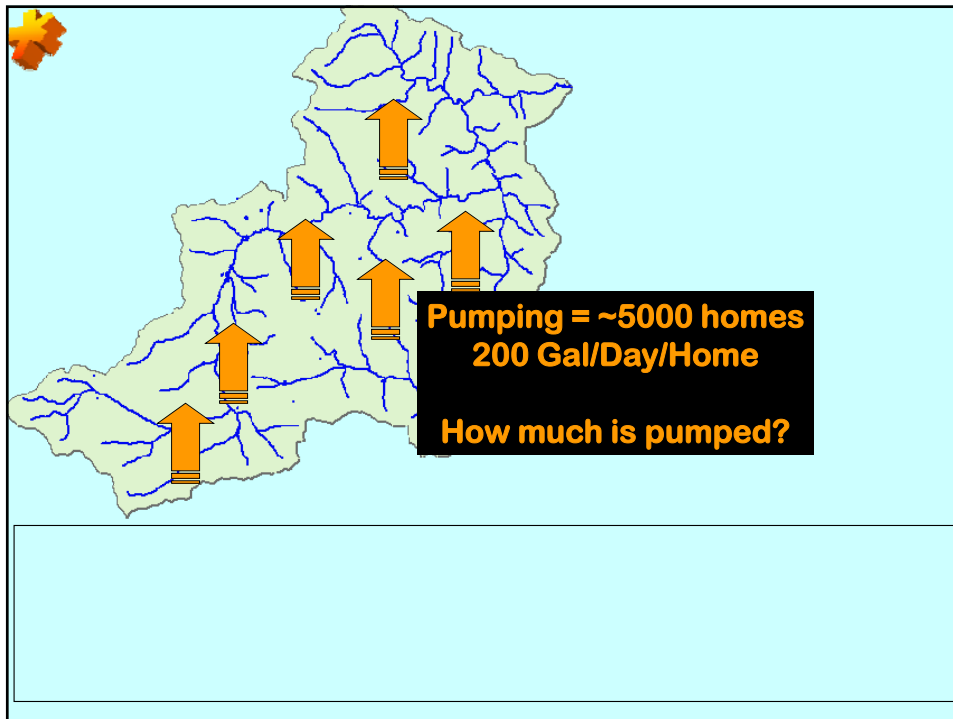
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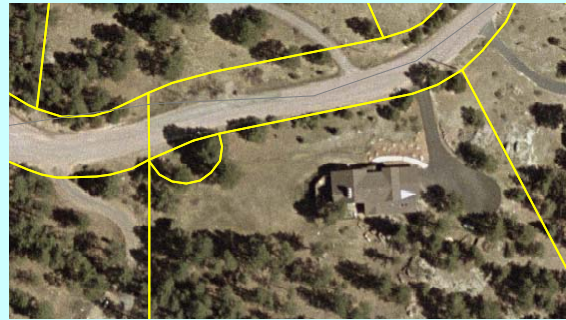
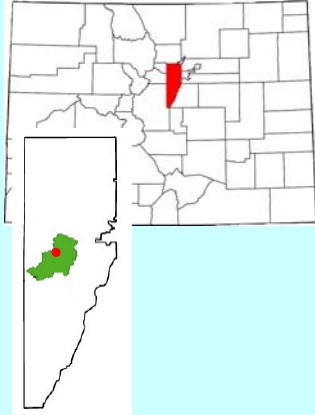
Water level decline = 0.20cm=0.0020m

Pre-pumping level = 1.9cm

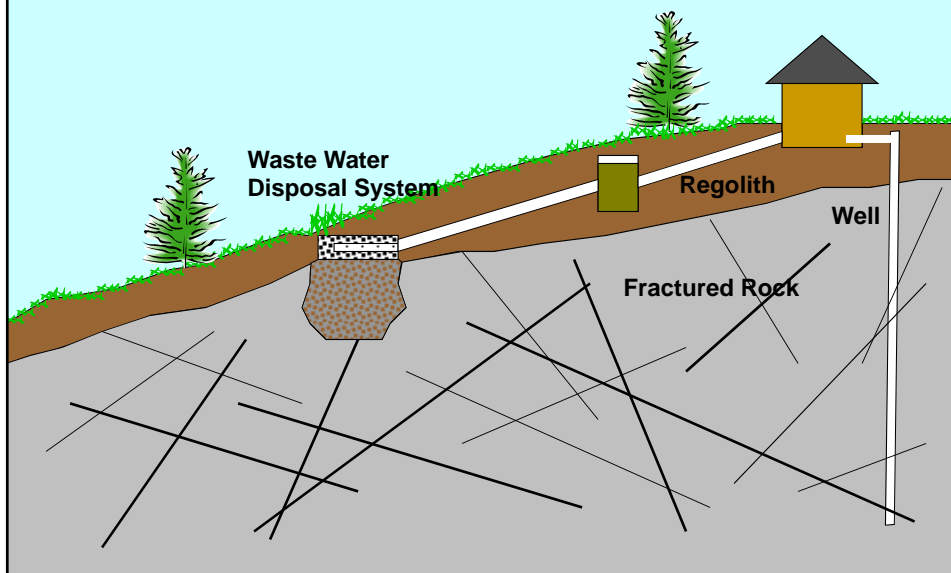
Post-pumping level = 1.7cm



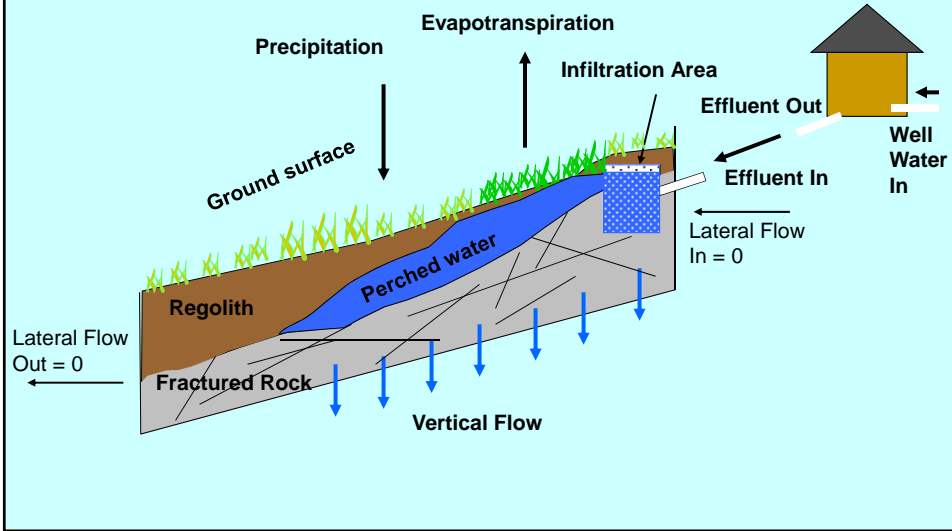
A few years ago we completed a Consumptive Use Study



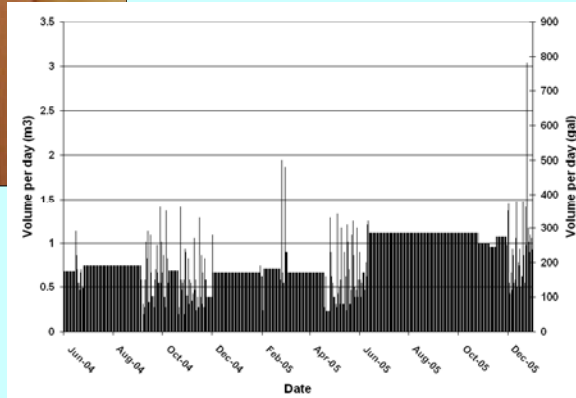
Cross Section of Study Site



Conceptual Model of Study Site

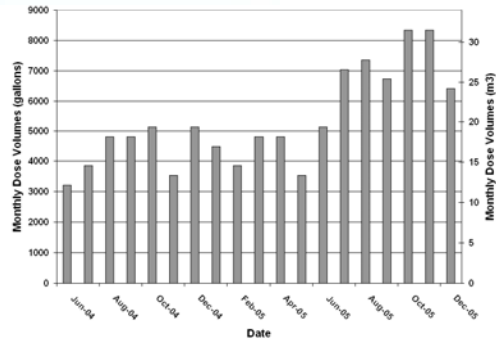
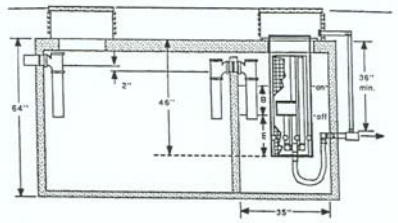


Water Pumped to Home



Effluent to ISDS

(Individual Sewage Disposal System)



% Returned from the Home

% Pumped that flows to the ISDS =

$$\frac{\text{Volume Pumped} - \text{Volume Dosed}}{\text{Volume Pumped}} \times 100$$

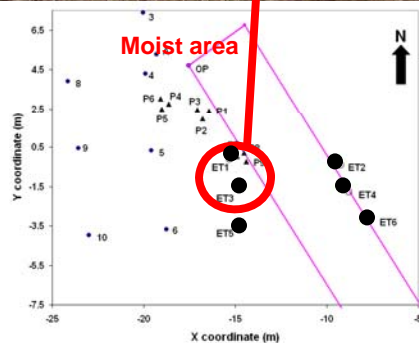
AVERAGE RETURNED ~ 85 %

Owner 1 83.9% (loss of 33.3 gal/day)
Owner 2 88.0 % (loss of 43.6 gal/day)

How Much is Lost to ET?

Need to Know Actual Evapotranspiration

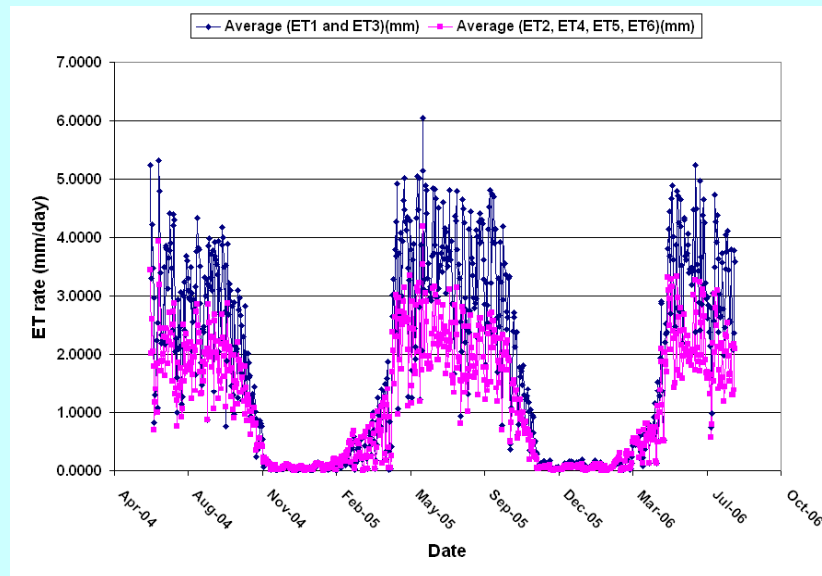
- Continuous POTENTIAL ET from climate data
- Net Radiation
- Soil Heat Flux
- Temperature
- Relative Humidity
- Wind Speed
- Soil Moisture
- Intermittent ACTUAL ET measured using ET chamber
- Used to calibrate a model of continuous AET based on continuous PET



Moist Area **12 m²**
represented by
AET stations 1 and 3

AET stations 2,4,5,6
represent the rest of the
site

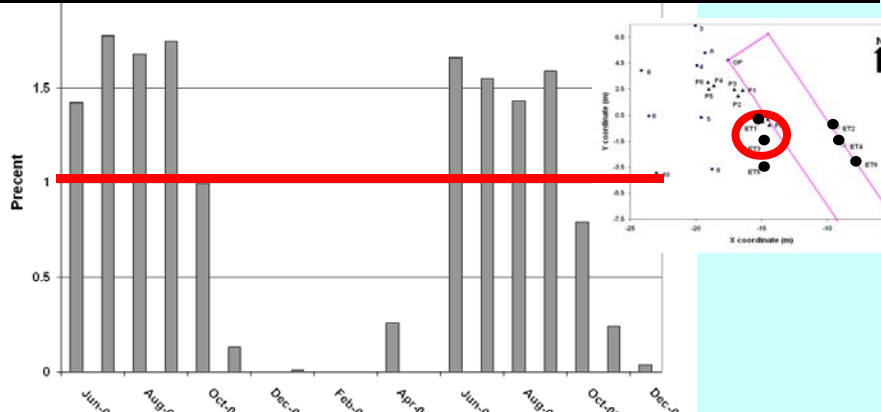
Actual Evapotranspiration



% of Pumped Water Lost to ET

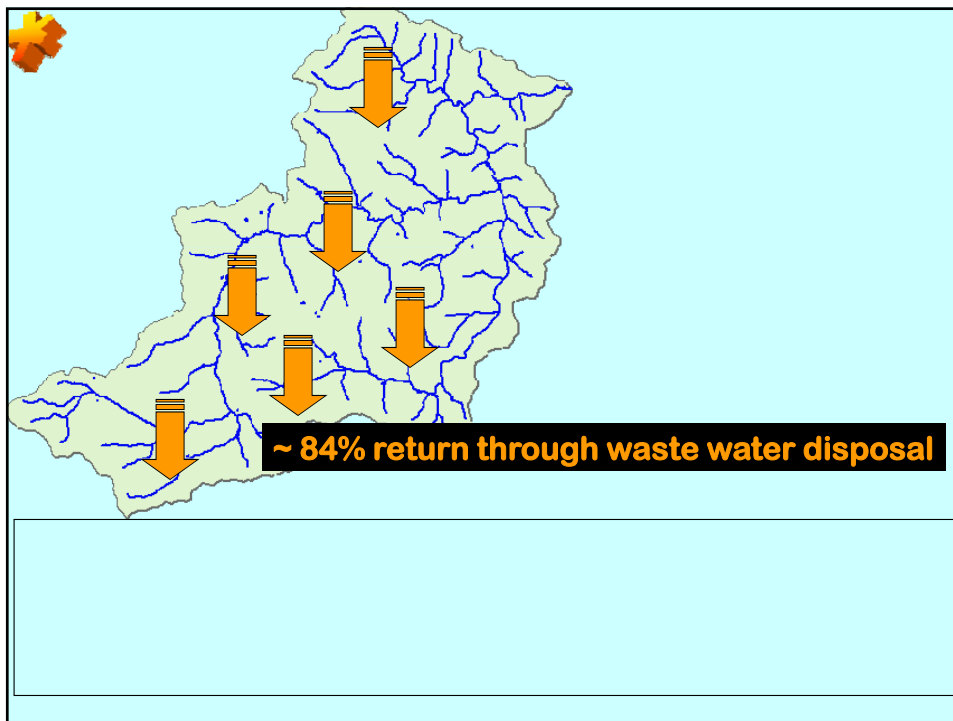
Calculation of Effluent Lost to ET assumes the only loss is the incremental ET over the anomalous area

Preliminary Annual Average ~ 1% FOR THIS SITE



PRELIMINARY CONCLUSION AT THIS SITE

- Residential loss (~15 %)
- Loss to ET (~1 %)
- **OVERALL 84% +/- 4 %
of pumped water returns to subsurface**



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STORAGE

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We started with a water level of 0.9cm (considering the false bottom of the tank) and ended with 1.4cm, so:

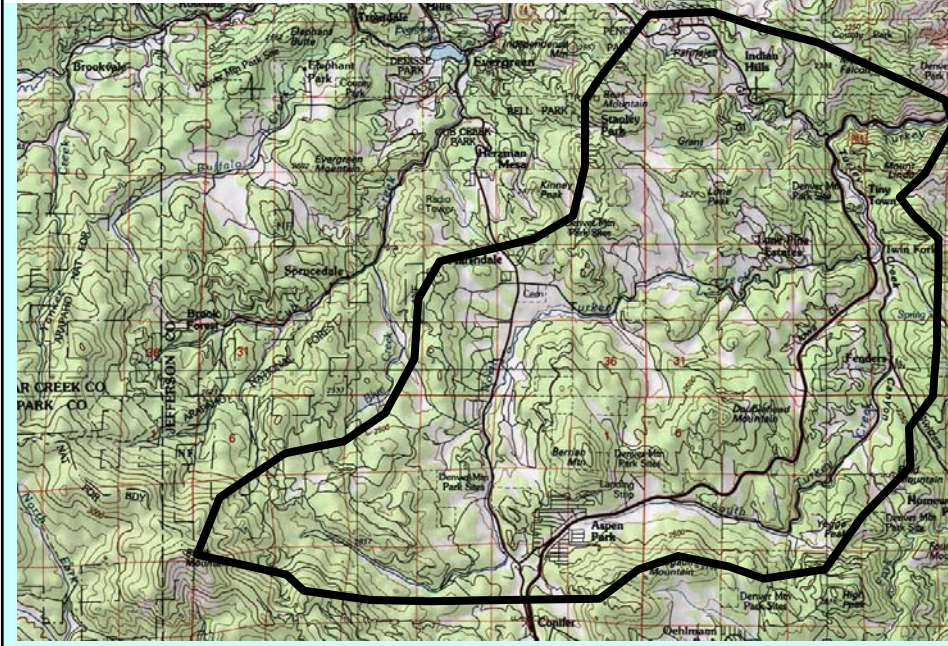
$$\text{Change in Storage} = \text{water level change} * \text{area}$$

$$= (1.4\text{cm} - 0.9\text{cm}) * \frac{1\text{m}}{100\text{cm}} * 0.054\text{m}^2$$

$$= 0.00027\text{m}^3 = 270 \text{ ml}$$

Note: Increase in storage is taken a positive change

There are no significant bodies of water in TCB
 So no need to consider changes in their volume



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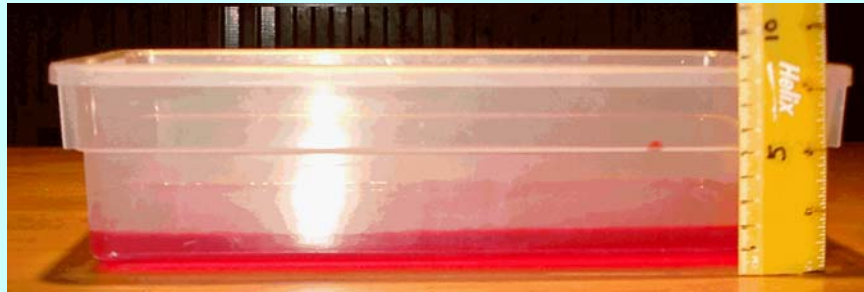
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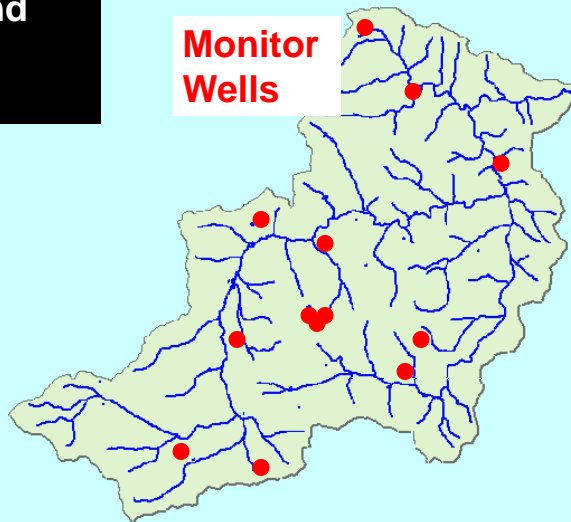


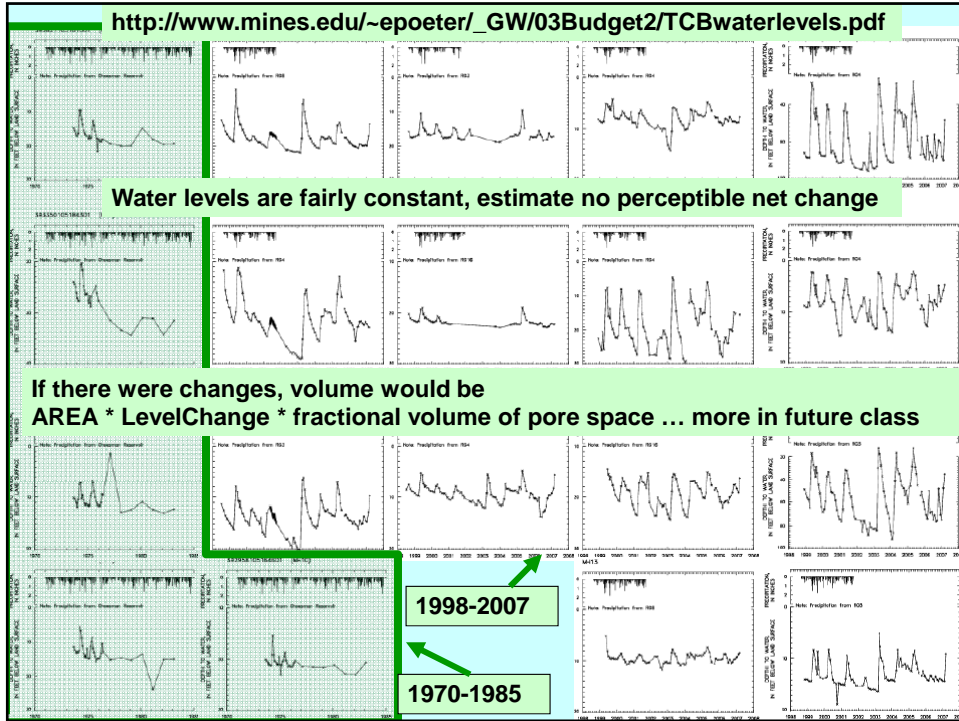
There is no ground water in the pan

So Increase in Ground Water Storage = 0 ml

**Change in Ground
Water Storage
Volume?**

**Monitor
Wells**





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STORAGE
+ INCR SW STORAGE + INCR GW STORAGE (OUT+INCR STOR)

TCB	+	0	+	0	=	0	(49280 AF)
PAN	+	270 ml	+	0	=	270 ml	(900 ml)



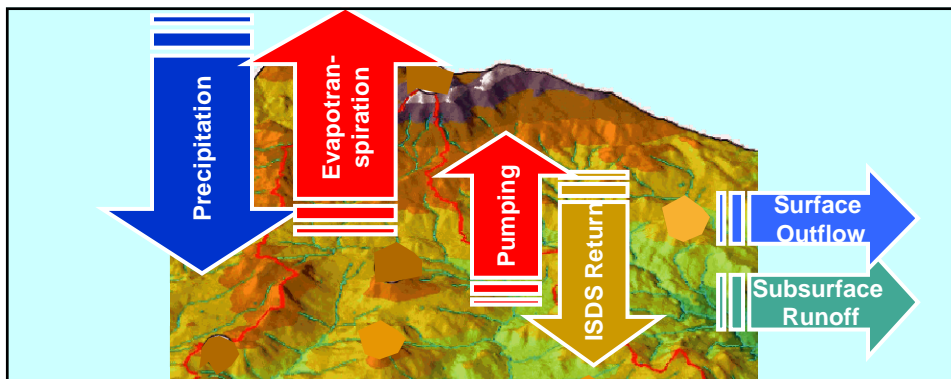
Budget =
Inflow = Outflow + Change in Storage =
 (Rain + Imports) = (Evaporation + Streamflow + Consumption) + (Change in Storage) =

IN	OUT	STORAGE	ERROR
$(0.0005\text{m}^3 + 0.0003\text{m}^3)$	$(0.00016\text{m}^3 + 0.00034\text{m}^3 + 0.00013\text{m}^3)$	(0.00027m^3)	?

ERROR = IN - OUT including STORAGE
ERROR = $(0.0008\text{m}^3) - (0.0009\text{m}^3) = -0.0001\text{m}^3$

% imbalance = $0.0001 / 0.00085 = 12.0\%$ error

Often a budget item is calculated rather than measured so the error is unknown



Budget =
Inflow = Outflow + Change in Storage =
 (Precip) = (ET + SrfWaterOut + GrndWaterOut + Consumption) + (Change in Storage) =

IN	OUT	STORAGE	ERROR
(50000AF)	$(45000\text{AF} + 4000\text{AF} + 80\text{AF} + 200\text{AF})$	+ 0	+ ?

ERROR = IN - OUT including STORAGE
ERROR = $50000\text{AF} - 49280\text{AF} = 720\text{AF}$

% imbalance = $720 / 49640 = 1.5\%$ error
 Note error is larger than some of the components



Consider a BUDGET for a STREAM SEGMENT

Conceptually isolate the system and consider the boundaries

Join with a fellow student

Pull a "Domain" from the hat

Talk for a few minutes to Determine the budget items for the Domain for One Year

Take a few minutes to:

Quantify Each by Assigning Numerical Values that you feel are Reasonable

USE: Precipitation in/year Area ft² OR mi² Flux ft³/sec OR AcreFeet/year

Choose your own units for any parameter that cannot be defined by these units

Take a few minutes to calculate the budget

Questions?

Observations?