

Chinchilla Weir WSS

Fact Sheet – Medium Priority cut off

Supply of medium priority water allocations

The Condamine and Balonne Resource Operations Plan (Operations Manual) defines the water sharing rules by which Sunwater is obligated to operate the Chinchilla Weir Water Supply Scheme. The Operation Manual states that:

- when the scheme water level in Chinchilla Weir is less than 294.39 m AHD then releases from Chinchilla Weir to supply downstream medium priority water allocations must cease; and
- when the scheme water level in the Chinchilla Weir is less than EL 292.71 m AHD the medium priority water allocation holders located on pond must cease to take medium priority allocation water.

Medium priority water allocation holders

Once the trigger to cease taking irrigation water under medium priority water allocation occurs, Sunwater will send a notification directing customers not to take water under your medium priority water allocation. This will remain in effect until the level of scheme water in Chinchilla Weir rises above EL 292.71 m AHD.

Scheme Water

For the purpose of the Chinchilla Weir Water Supply Scheme, scheme water means the water in the scheme water account which results from natural inflow that is managed on behalf of supplemented water allocation holders.

Treated Coal Seam Gas Water (CSG water)

Treated coal seam gas water is water produced during the extraction of gas from coal seams, which is treated and delivered by the Kenya to Chinchilla Weir Pipeline for beneficial use in the Chinchilla Weir Water Supply Scheme. There is no restriction on the releases of CSG water available from the Chinchilla Weir.

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