

Current medium priority (MP) volumes available for permanent transfer per operational zone

Upper Burnett Water Supply Scheme

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The Queensland Government's current location of water allocations in the Upper Burnett Water Supply Scheme website can be viewed [here](#). The medium priority volumes included below are for permanent transfers only. Any temporary transfers that have been processed throughout the water year are tracked by Sunwater.

Jones Weir Sub-scheme – capped out

Zone	OA	MA	NC
Min	5863	883	2411
Current	11,427	1346	7867
Max	16,253	10,593	12,861
Water in	4826	9247	4994
Water out	5564	463	5456
Current Combined	20,640		
Max Combined	20,507		
Water in Combined	-133		

Wuruma Dam and Kirar Weir Sub-schemes

Zone	SA	SB	OB	OC
Min	0	0	6405	0
Current	950	1050	6755	1328
Max	4000	4050	11,005	4283
Water in	3050	3000	4250	2955
Water out	950	1050	350	1328
Current Combined	10,083			
Max Combined	11,338			
Water in Combined	1,255			

John Goleby Sub-scheme – capped out

Zone	OD	PA
Min	0	0
Current	390	1170
Max	1560	1560
Water in	1170	390
Water out	390	1170
Current Combined	1560	
Max Combined	1560	
Water in Combined	0	

Claude Wharton Weir Sub-scheme – capped out

Zone	GY	GB	NA	NB
Min	960	913	1951	3488
Current	2908	2646	3717	5766
Max	7410	7363	8601	10,138
Water in	4502	4717	4884	4372
Water out	1948	1733	1766	2278
Current Combined	15,037			
Max Combined	14,444			
Water in Combined	-593			

1. All volumes displayed in the above tables are in megalitres (ML)
2. Explanation of data displayed in the above tables can be found on page 3
3. A combined maximum or minimum volume for two or more zones means the total current volume for all those zones, when added together, must not breach that maximum or minimum figure. For example, if two zones have a combined maximum volume of 1000ML then the current volume of both zones must always be at or below 1000ML. For zones that also have individually specified maximum or minimum volumes, both the combined maximum or minimum and individual zone values must not be breached.

More information



For more information about the zone caps for the scheme please refer to the [Upper Burnett Water Supply Scheme Resource Operations Manual](#), Chapter 4 seasonal water assignment rules.

The data prepared in the above tables should be used as a guide only. Customers and water brokers are encouraged to contact Sunwater prior to finalising a temporary transfer to confirm there is water available to complete the trade. Please see below explanation of the data displayed in the above tables.

Term	Explanation
Zone	A geographic location defined by a reach of a watercourse for defining the location of a water allocation and operational arrangements under the above operations manual.
Min	Minimum trading cap. The potential take volume (water available for temporary transfer) must be greater than or equal to the minimum volume for the zone for the priority group
Current	Potential take volume (water available for temporary transfer) for a zone group. This is the sum of: <ul style="list-style-type: none">> the nominal volumes for all water allocations located within a zone for the priority group at the start of the water year> plus the volume seasonally assigned into the zone for the priority group for the current water year> minus the volume seasonally assigned out of the zone for the priority group for the current water year.
Max	Maximum trading cap. The potential take volume (water available for temporary transfer) must be less than or equal to the maximum volume for the zone for the priority group
Water in	Current volume of water available to trade (temporary transfer) into a zone
Water out	Current volume of water available to trade (temporary transfer) out of a zone

In addition to meeting the scheme's zone caps, additional restrictions on temporary transfers may be applied at Sunwater's discretion in extremely dry conditions or when the temporary transfer results in the transfer of water to high loss areas. Please refer to pages 2 and 3 of the application form [here](#) and the [Upper Burnett local conditions](#) for all terms and conditions that apply to temporary transfers.

For more information, please contact customer support by:

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