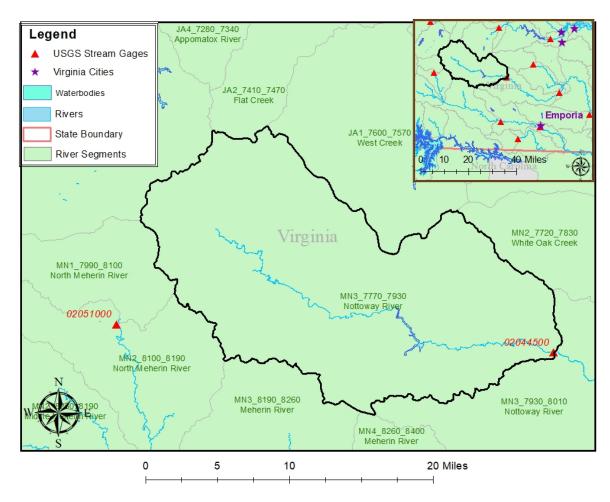
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This river segment follows part of the flow of the Nottoway River, a tributary of the Meherrin River. The gage is located in Brunswick County, VA (Lat 3659'00", Long 7748'00") approximately 25 miles northwest of Emporia, VA. Drainage area is 317 sq. miles. This gage started taking data in 1950 and is still taking data. There are no known anthropogenic alterations in this area that would affect the flow conditions. The average daily discharge error between the model and gage data for the 20 year timespan was 4.04%, with 45.4% of its rolling three month time spans above 20% error.

Table 1: Monthly Low Flows

| | USGS Gage | Model | Pct. Error |
|---------------|-----------|-------|------------|
| Jan. Low Flow | 32 | 14.9 | 53.4 |
| Feb. Low Flow | 93 | 48.9 | 47.4 |
| Mar. Low Flow | 104 | 63.3 | 39.1 |
| Apr. Low Flow | 139 | 114 | 18 |
| May Low Flow | 229 | 211 | 7.86 |
| Jun. Low Flow | 217 | 165 | 24 |
| Jul. Low Flow | 208 | 118 | 43.3 |
| Aug. Low Flow | 137 | 65.2 | 52.4 |
| Sep. Low Flow | 70 | 40.6 | 42 |
| Oct. Low Flow | 35 | 20.1 | 42.6 |
| Nov. Low Flow | 30 | 23 | 23.3 |
| Dec. Low Flow | 22 | 20.3 | 7.73 |

Table 2: Monthly Average Flows

| | USGS Gage | Model | Pct. Error |
|-------------------|-----------|-------|------------|
| Overall Mean Flow | 297 | 285 | 4.04 |
| Jan. Mean Flow | 380 | 384 | -1.05 |
| Feb. Mean Flow | 429 | 489 | -14 |
| Mar. Mean Flow | 567 | 619 | -9.17 |
| Apr. Mean Flow | 451 | 421 | 6.65 |
| May Mean Flow | 341 | 255 | 25.2 |
| Jun. Mean Flow | 208 | 153 | 26.4 |
| Jul. Mean Flow | 134 | 96.7 | 27.8 |
| Aug. Mean Flow | 151 | 139 | 7.95 |
| Sep. Mean Flow | 231 | 252 | -9.09 |
| Oct. Mean Flow | 131 | 133 | -1.53 |
| Nov. Mean Flow | 270 | 239 | 11.5 |
| Dec. Mean Flow | 286 | 259 | 9.44 |

Table 3: Monthly High Flows

| | USGS Gage | Model | Pct. Error |
|----------------|-----------|-------|------------|
| Jan. High Flow | 205 | 154 | 24.9 |
| Feb. High Flow | 747 | 577 | 22.8 |
| Mar. High Flow | 669 | 478 | 28.6 |
| Apr. High Flow | 1120 | 1130 | -0.89 |
| May High Flow | 1150 | 1370 | -19.1 |
| Jun. High Flow | 1780 | 2520 | -41.6 |
| Jul. High Flow | 1470 | 1220 | 17 |
| Aug. High Flow | 830 | 667 | 19.6 |
| Sep. High Flow | 620 | 161 | 74 |
| Oct. High Flow | 311 | 229 | 26.4 |
| Nov. High Flow | 341 | 196 | 42.5 |
| Dec. High Flow | 189 | 151 | 20.1 |

Table 4: Period Low Flows

| | USGS Gage | Model | Pct. Error |
|--------------------------|-----------|-------|------------|
| Min. 1 Day Min | 0.58 | 0 | 100 |
| Med. 1 Day Min | 16 | 8.65 | 45.9 |
| Min. 3 Day Min | 0.59 | 0 | 100 |
| Med. 3 Day Min | 16.7 | 9.13 | 45.3 |
| Min. 7 Day Min | 0.68 | 0.01 | 97.9 |
| Med. 7 Day Min | 18.1 | 11.6 | 35.9 |
| Min. 30 Day Min | 2.12 | 1.8 | 15.1 |
| Med. 30 Day Min | 30.7 | 26.9 | 12.4 |
| Min. 90 Day Min | 10.8 | 13.6 | -25.9 |
| Med. 90 Day Min | 81.5 | 51.1 | 37.3 |
| 7Q10 | 4.54 | 0.74 | 83.6 |
| Year of 90-Day Min. Flow | 2002 | 2002 | 0 |
| Drought Year Mean | 71.6 | 75.7 | -5.73 |
| Mean Baseflow | 139 | 124 | 10.8 |
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Table 5: Period High Flows

| | USGS Gage | Model | Pct. Error |
|-----------------|-----------|-------|------------|
| Max. 1 Day Max | 17000 | 25900 | -52.4 |
| Med. 1 Day Max | 4940 | 6150 | -24.5 |
| Max. 3 Day Max | 12200 | 10800 | 11.5 |
| Med. 3 Day Max | 3420 | 3700 | -8.19 |
| Max. 7 Day Max | 6100 | 6060 | 0.66 |
| Med. 7 Day Max | 1810 | 1980 | -9.39 |
| Max. 30 Day Max | 2150 | 1670 | 22.3 |
| Med. 30 Day Max | 783 | 886 | -13.2 |
| Max. 90 Day Max | 1330 | 1230 | 7.52 |
| Med. 90 Day Max | 525 | 524 | 0.19 |

Table 6: Non-Exceedance Flows

| | USGS Gage | Model | Pct. Error |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-------|------------|
| 1% Non-Exceedance | 7.48 | 3.85 | 48.5 |
| 5% Non-Exceedance | 21.9 | 14 | 36.1 |
| 50% Non-Exceedance | 168 | 135 | 19.6 |
| 95% Non-Exceedance | 848 | 897 | -5.78 |
| 99% Non-Exceedance | 2570 | 2690 | -4.67 |
| Sept. 10% Non-Exceedance | 14.1 | 15.7 | -11.3 |

Fig. 1: Hydrograph

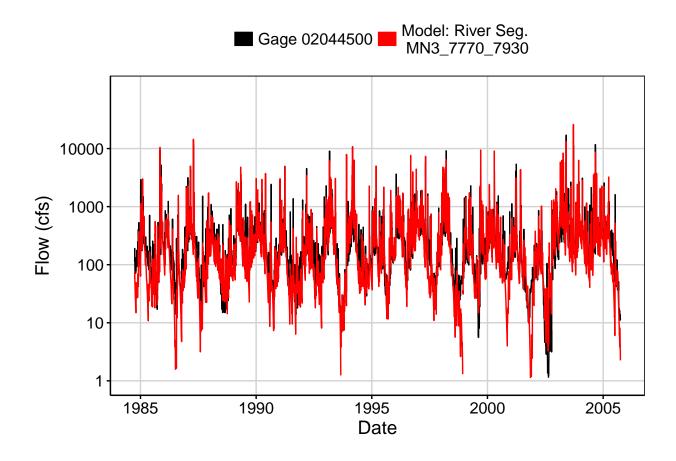


Fig. 2: Zoomed Hydrograph

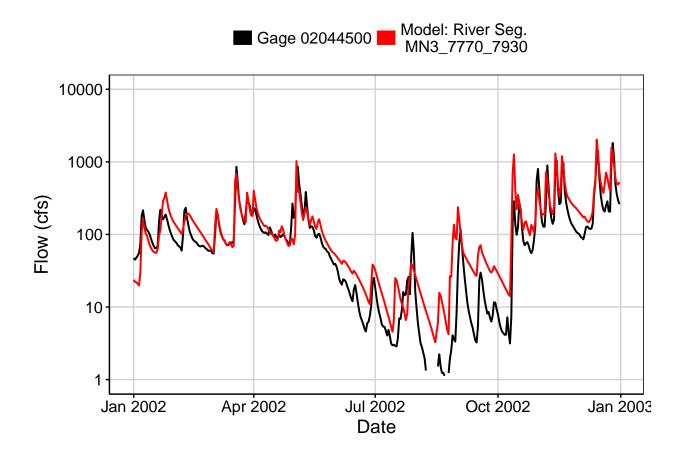


Fig. 3: Flow Exceedance

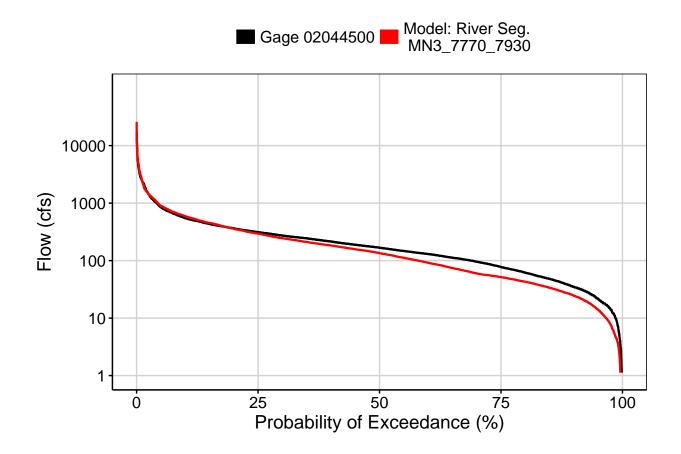


Fig. 4: Baseflow

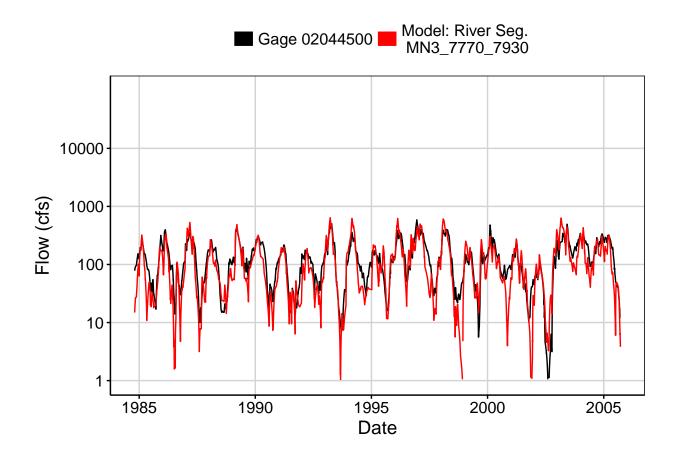


Fig. 5: Combined Baseflow

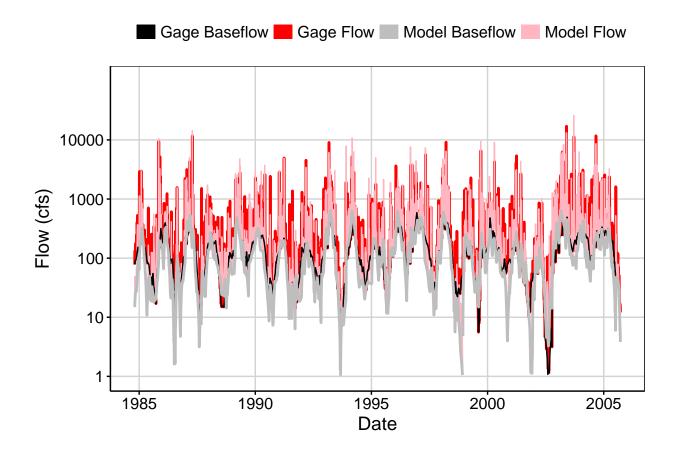


Fig. 6: Largest Error Segment



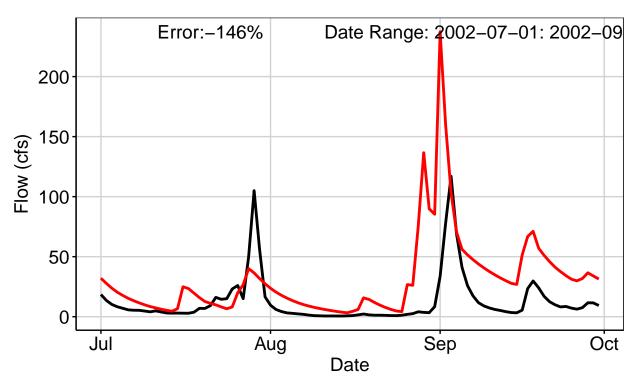
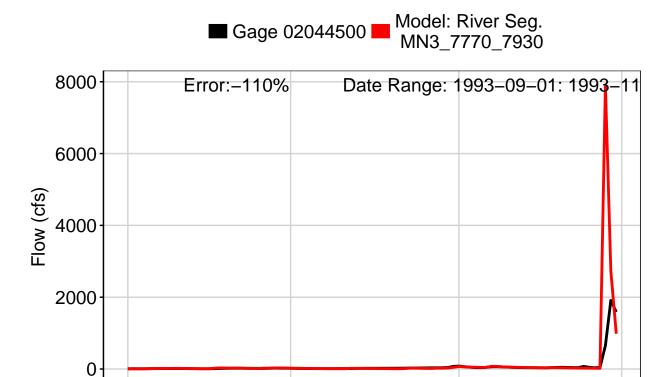


Fig. 7: Second Largest Error Segment

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Fig. 8: Third Largest Error Segment



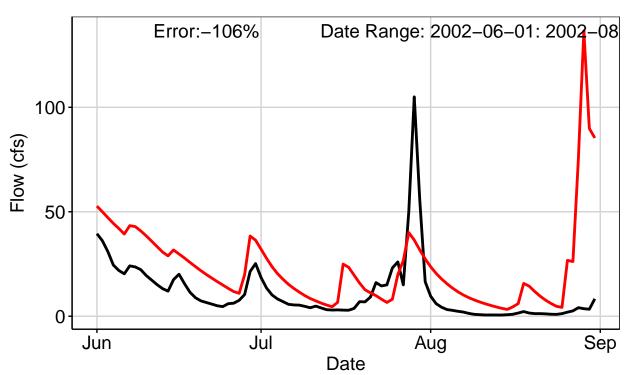


Fig. 9: Residuals Plot

