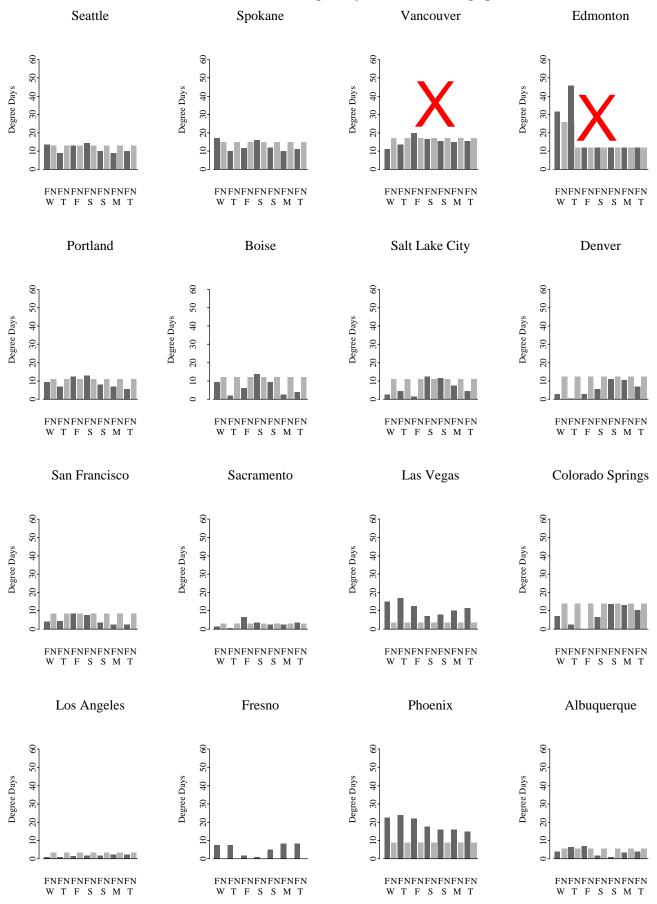
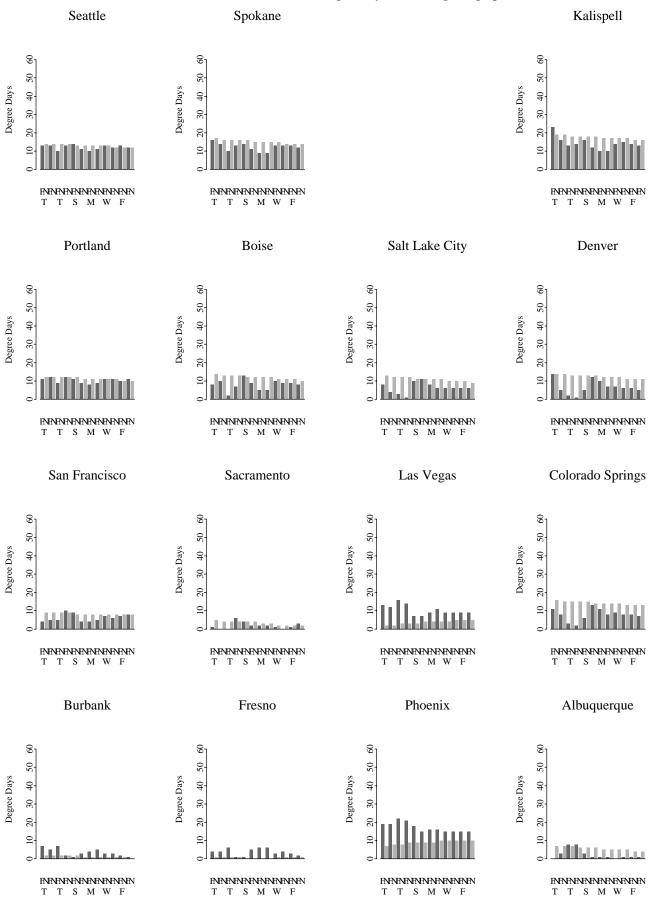
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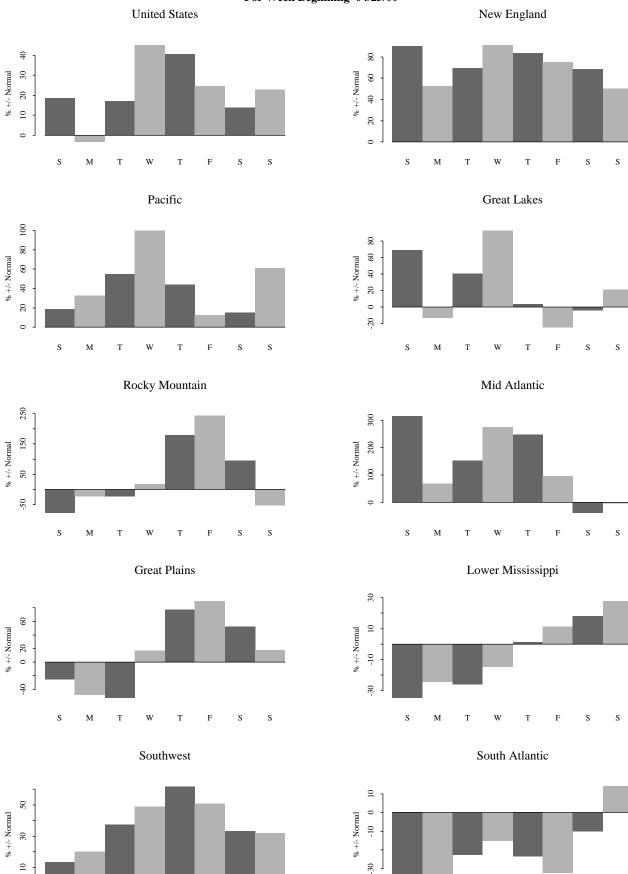
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HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL DISCUSSION

NORTHWEST RIVER FORECAST CENTER PORTLAND OR 12:05 PM PDT MON APR 24 2000

HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS...PAST 24 HOURS...4AM - 4AM

UNSETTLED WEATHER PUSHING ONSHORE MANAGED TO HIT WESTERN WASHINGTON AND NORTHWESTERN OREGON WITH FAIRLY WIDESPREAD .4 TO .6 INCH WATER EQUIVALENT ACCUMULATIONS OF VALLEY RAIN AND MOUNTAIN SNOWS. EAST OF THE CASCADES SCATTERED ACCUMULATIONS REACHING .2 TO NEAR .4 INCHES FOCUSED IN AROUND PENDLETON OREGON AS WELL AS INTO SOUTHWESTERN IDAHO UPPER HEADWATERS OF THE OWYHEE AND BRUNEAU RIVERS. ELSEWHERE JUST SPOTTY LIGHT MIXED SHOWERS WERE REPORTED. INTERIOR TEMPERATURE DEPARTURES TYPICALLY RANGED 3 TO 8 DEGREES BELOW NORMAL EAST OF THE CASCADES...CONSISTENT WITH THE SURFACE BASED FREEZING LEVEL REPORTED AT SPOKANE THIS MORNING. ELSEWHERE...WINTER-LIKE FREEZING LEVELS RANGED FROM 2600 FEET OVER QUILLAYUTE UP TO ONLY 6000 FEET OVER BOISE.

HYDROLOGIC CONDITIONS...

WEST OF THE CASCADES...

DESPITE YESTERDAY'S PRECIPITATION INTO NORTHWESTERN TIER BASINS...MOST FLOWS RECEDED.

EAST OF THE CASCADES...

ALTHOUGH HIGH WATER CONDITIONS CONTINUED ALONG THE ST. JOE AND SPOKANE RIVERS...INCLUDING LAKE COEUR D'ALENE...ELSEWHERE CRESTING TO STEADY SUNDAY FLOWS NOW ARE GENERALLY RECEDING.

HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL FORECAST...24 APR - 28 APR

TODAY LOOK FOR A CHANCE OF LIGHT SCATTERED MIXED SHOWERS ACROSS EAST/
NORTHEASTERN IDAHO INTO WESTERN MONTANA AND NORTHWESTERN WYOMING. BUT
BY EARLY TUESDAY MORNING A PACIFIC DISTURBANCE IS FORECAST TO PUSH IN
OCCASIONAL VALLEY RAIN AND MOUNTAIN SNOW ACROSS WESTERN WASHINGTON AND
NORTHWESTERN OREGON. 6 HOURLY PRECIPITATION ACCUMULATIONS ACROSS THESE
LOCATIONS COULD REACH .2 TO .35 INCHES UP UNTIL NOON TUESDAY. DIMINISHING
LIGHT SCATTERED SHOWERS SHIFTING NORTHEASTWARD ACROSS THE INTERIOR INTO
NORTHWESTERN MONTANA LATER TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON WILL MARK A MINOR
REPRIEVE BETWEEN DISTURBANCES. BUT BY LATE WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY MORNING
EXPECT INCREASING PROSPECTS FOR A RESUMPTION OF OCCASIONAL VALLEY RAIN WITH
MOUNTAIN SNOW MORE WIDESPREAD ACROSS WESTSIDE BASINS INTO FRIDAY MORNING...
SKIPPING EASTWARD OVER THE CASCADES MOSTLY AS LINGERING DIMINISHING SHOWERS
SHIFTING IN ACROSS MOST INTERIOR BASINS THROUGH THE REMAINDER OF FRIDAY
INTO SATURDAY MORNING.

HYDROLOGIC FORECAST...

WEST OF THE CASCADES...

DESPITE POTENTIAL FOR SOME MINOR LOWER ELEVATION HEADWATER RISES BY LATE TUESDAY AND POSSIBLY AGAIN LATER ON THURSDAY...LOOK FOR MOST FLOWS TO RECEDE SLOWLY THROUGH THE PERIOD.

EAST OF THE CASCADES...

SLOW RECESSIONS LIKELY INTO WEDNESDAY WITH WIDESPREAD MINOR SNOWMELT RISES FORECAST TO BUILD THURSDAY-FRIDAY RESULTING PRIMARILY FROM 10 TO 19 DEGREE ABOVE NORMAL TEMPERATURE DEPARTURES BUILDING IN ACROSS SOUTHERN IDAHO WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY.

DESPITE RELATIVELY BENIGN EARLY-MID PERIOD INTERIOR HYDROLOGIC RESPONSES... HIGH FLOWS CONTINUE ALONG THE SPOKANE AND ST. JOE RIVERS...IN COMBINATION WITH HIGH WATER LEVELS ON LAKE COEUR D'ALENE. PLEASE REFER TO THE LATEST NWS SPOKANE FLOOD WARNINGS AND STATEMENTS.

6-10 DAY OUTLOOK...29 APR - 03 MAY

EARLY PERIOD WIDESPREAD MIXED SHOWERY WEATHER ACROSS THE REGION MAY GET SHIFTED UP INTO WASHINGTON AS HIGH PRESSURE RIDGING BUILDING IN ELSEWHERE DRIES THINGS OUT AND RAISES MOST TEMPERATURES ABOVE NORMAL THROUGH MID PERIOD. BUT ANOTHER LATE PERIOD GULF DISTURBANCE PIVOTING INTO BRITISH COLUMBIA IS THEN FORECAST TO RESULT IN POTENTIAL FOR INCREASING OCCASIONAL



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WATER SUPPLY FORECASTS ISSUED BY

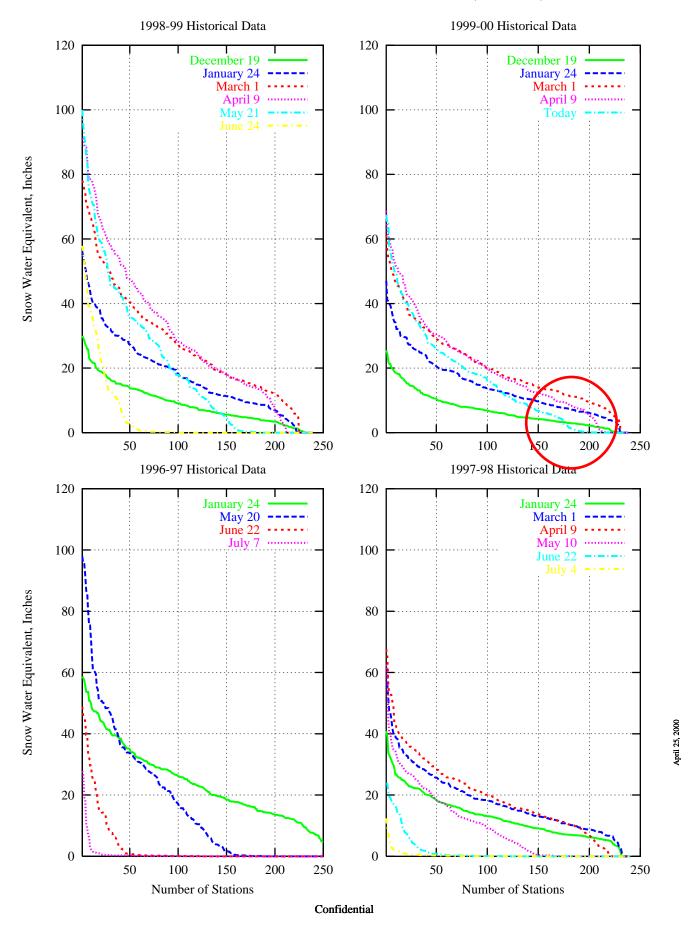
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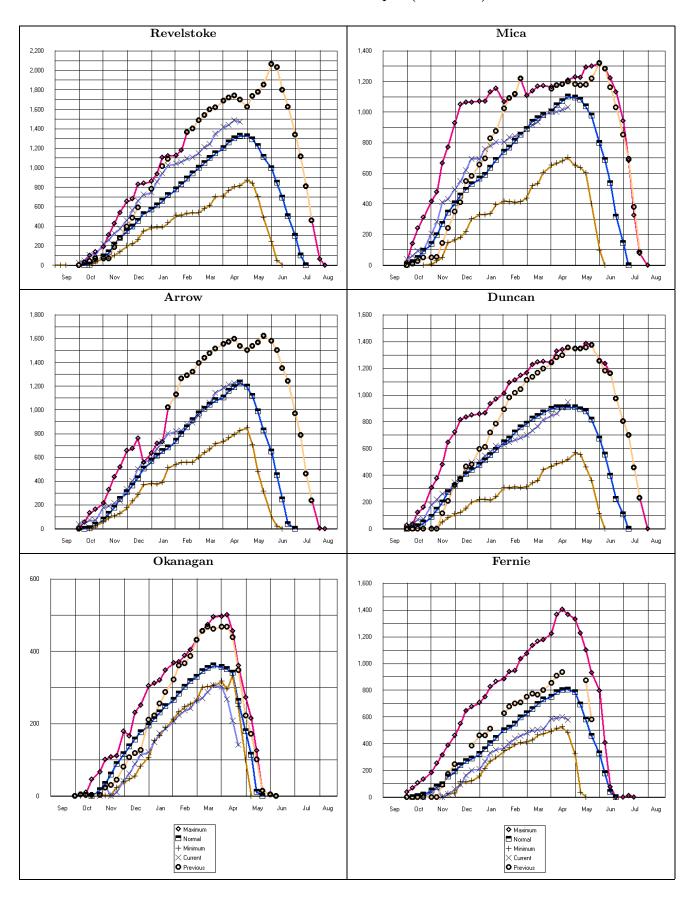
| APR-00MIDMN 1 W A T E R S U P P L Y F O R E C A S T S OBS PREC THRU 17TH; NORMAL PREC REST OF WAY | | | | |
|---|--------------------|----------|-------|------------|
| STREAM AND STATION COLUMBIA RIVER | | FORECAS: | Γ % | AVERAGE |
| MICA RESERVOIR INFLOW, BC | FEB-SEP | 13700.0 | 104 | 13170. |
| | | 13100.0 | 103 | 12730. |
| ARROW LAKES INFLOW | | 29300.0 | | |
| | | 27900.0 | | |
| RIRCHRANK RC (1) | | 47500.0 | | |
| BIRCHBANK, BC (1) GRAND COULEE, WA (1) | | 67000.0 | | |
| GIGIND COOLER, WII (I) | | 69100.0 | | |
| ROCK ISLAND DAM BLO, WA (1) | | 75200.0 | | |
| THE DALLES NR, OR (1) | | 98200.0 | | |
| THE DALLES NR, OR (I) | | 105000.0 | | |
| | | | | |
| | APR-AUG | 92500.0 | 99 | 93250. |
| KOOTENAI RIVER | | 5550 | | 6550 |
| LIBBY RES INFLOW, MT (1) KOOTENAY RIVER | | | | |
| KOOTENAY LAKE INFLOW, BC DUNCAN RIVER | APR-SEP | 17400.0 | 105 | 16650. |
| DUNCAN RESERVOIR INFLOW, BC | FEB-SEP | 2470.0 | 107 | 2319. |
| | APR-SEP | 2380.0 | 106 | 2238. |
| CLARK FORK | | | | |
| | APR-SEP | 3520.0 | 86 | 4095. |
| PEND OREILLE RIVER | | | | |
| PEND OREILLE LAKE IN, ID (1) | APR-SEP | 13600.0 | 95 | 14370. |
| S.F. FLATHEAD RIVER | 11111 021 | 25000.0 | | _ 13 / 0 • |
| HUNGRY HORSE RES IN, MT (1) | APR-SEP | 2180.0 | 100 | 2184. |
| FLATHEAD RIVER FLATHEAD LAKE INFLOW, MT (1) | APR-SEP | 6830.0 | 99 | 6926. |
| COEUR D'ALENE RIVER | | | | |
| COEUR D'ALENE LAKE IN, ID | APR-SEP | 2710.0 | 100 | 2720. |
| SIMILKAMEEN RIVER | | | | |
| NIGHTHAWK NR, WA (1) OKANAGAN RIVER | APR-JUL | 1140.0 | 87 | 1304. |
| TONASKET NR, WA (1) CHELAN RIVER | APR-SEP | 1480.0 | 91 | 1623. |
| LAKE CHELAN INFLOW, WA (1) | APR-SEP | 1160.0 | 100 | 1160. |
| WENATCHEE RIVER PESHASTIN, WA | APR-SEP | 1640.0 | 100 | 1636. |
| | APK-SEP | 1040.0 | 100 | 1030. |
| YAKIMA RIVER | ADD GED | 2020 0 | 1 0 1 | 1004 |
| PARKER NR, WA | APR-SEP | 2020.0 | TOT | 1994. |
| SKAGIT RIVER | | 6400 0 | 0.0 | 6505 |
| CONCRETE NR, WA | APR-SEP | 6490.0 | 99 | 6525. |
| COWLITZ RIVER | | | | |
| MAYFIELD RES INFLOW, WA | APR-SEP APR-JUL | 2050.0 | | |
| | | | | |
| CASTLE ROCK, WA | APR-SEP | 2700.0 | 101 | 2668. |
| SNAKE RIVER | | | | |
| JACKSON LAKE INFLOW, WY (1) | APR-JUL | 670.0 | 86 | 781. |
| PALISADES RES INFLOW, ID (1) | APR-JUL | 2700.0 | 84 | 3226. |
| HEISE NR, ID | APR-JUL | 2910.0 | 84 | 3451. |
| WEISER, ID (1) | APR-JUL | 3630.0 | 66 | 5465. |
| BROWNLEE RES INFLOW | APR-JUL | 4030.0 | 70 | 5794. |
| LOWER GRANITE RES IN, WA (1) | JAN-JUL | 26300.0 | 88 | 29740. |
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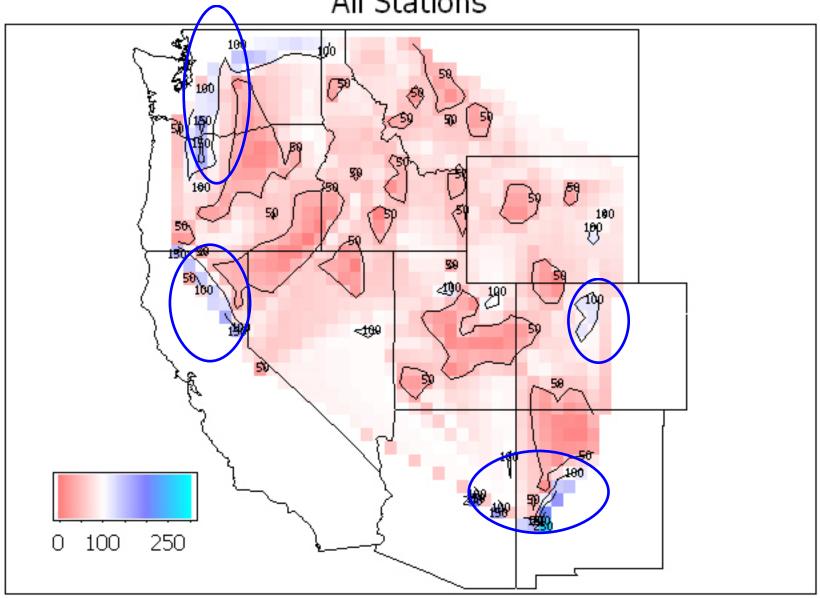
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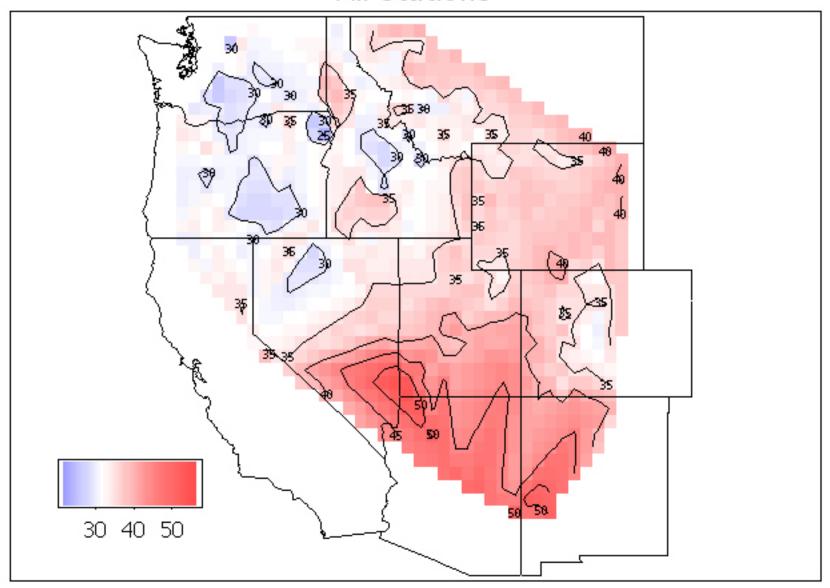
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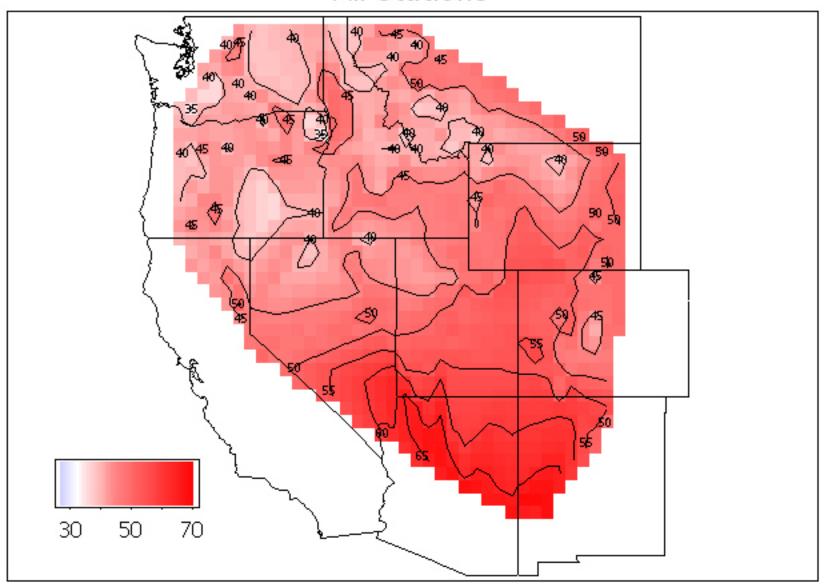
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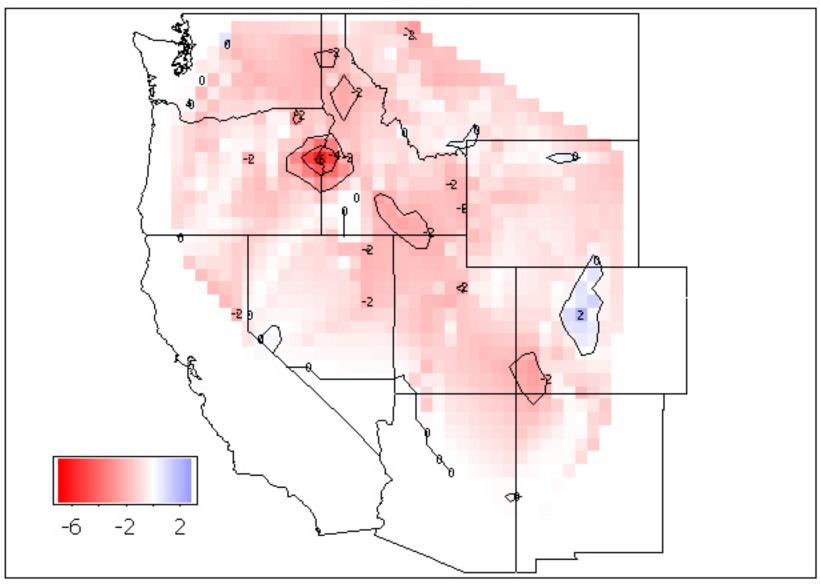
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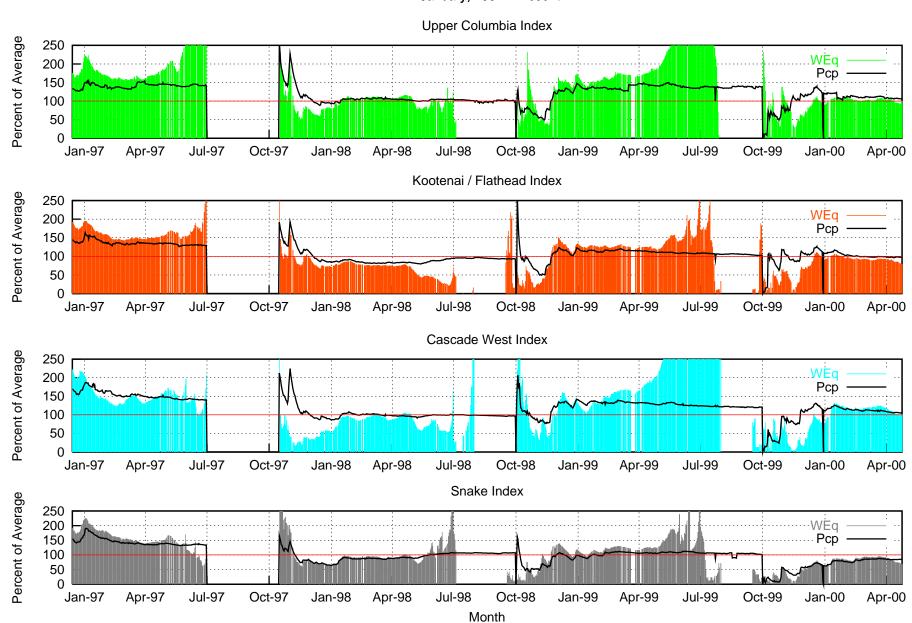
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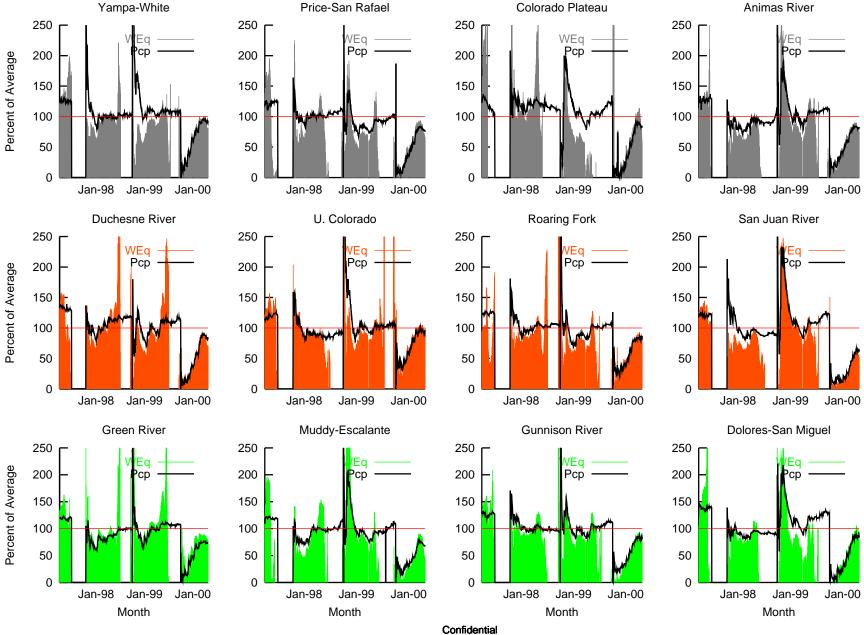


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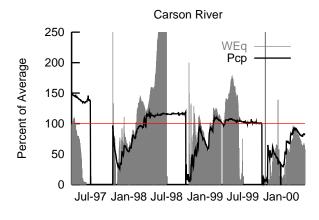


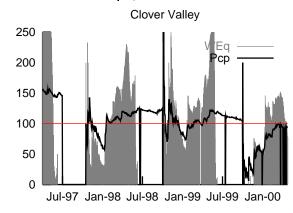
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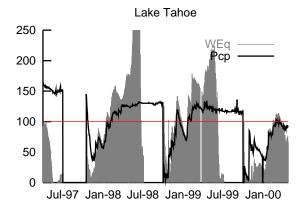
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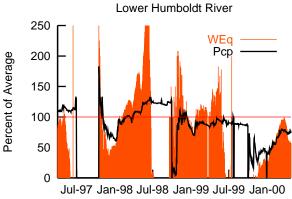


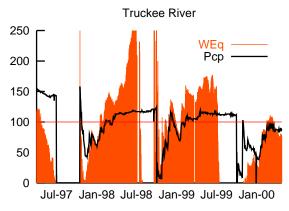
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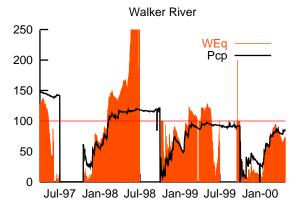


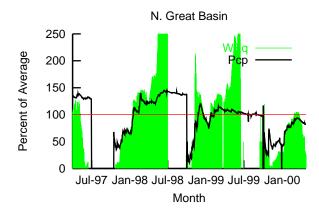


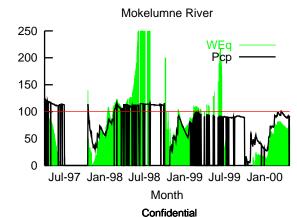


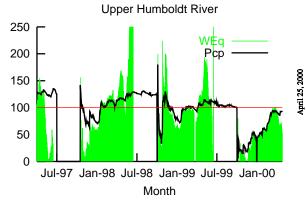




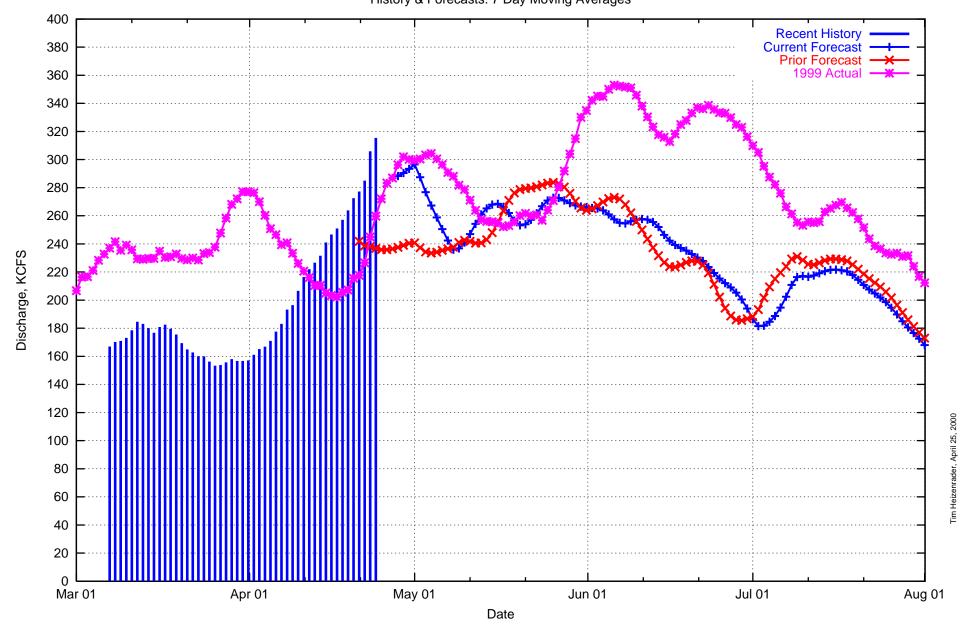




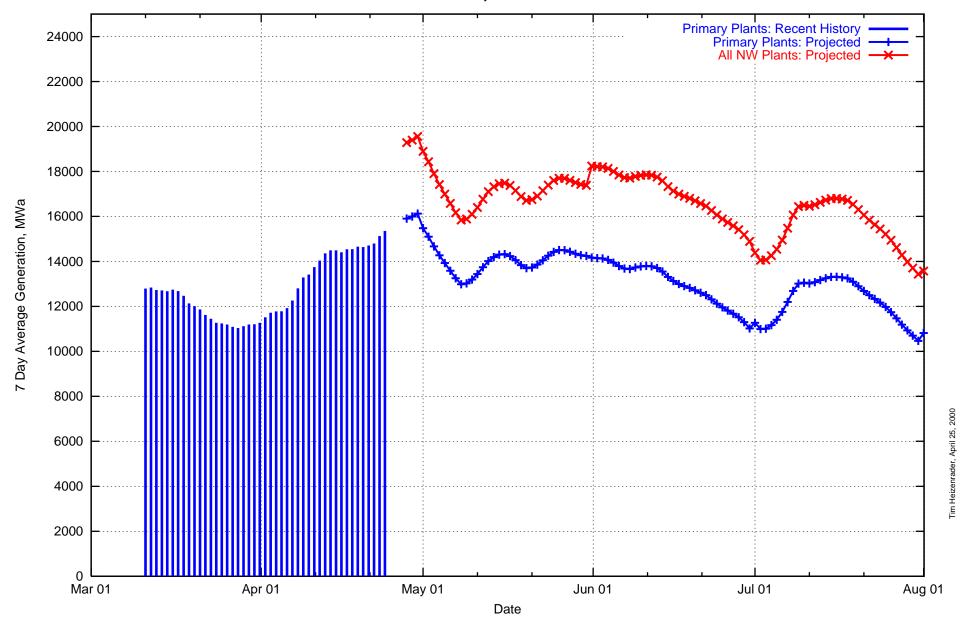


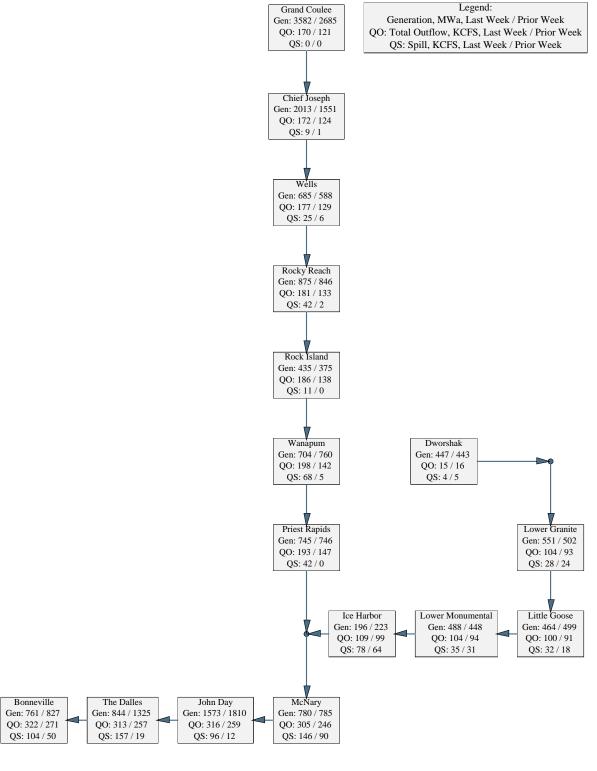


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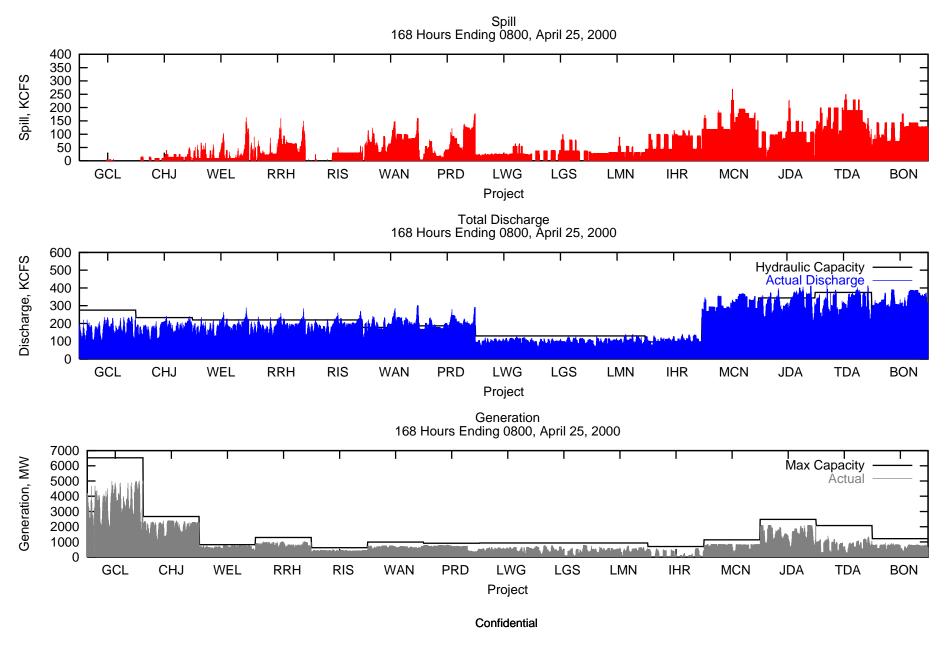




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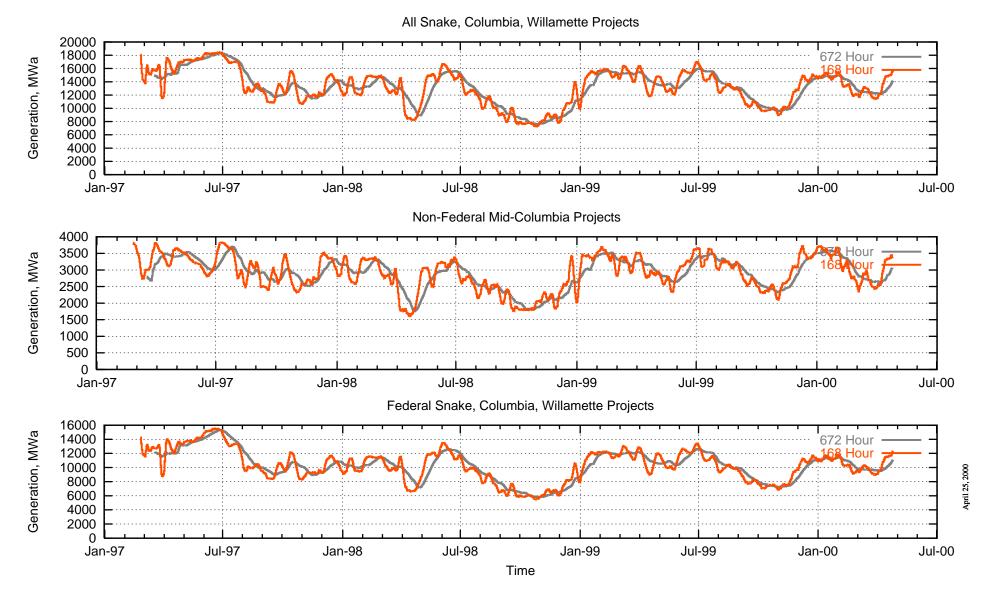
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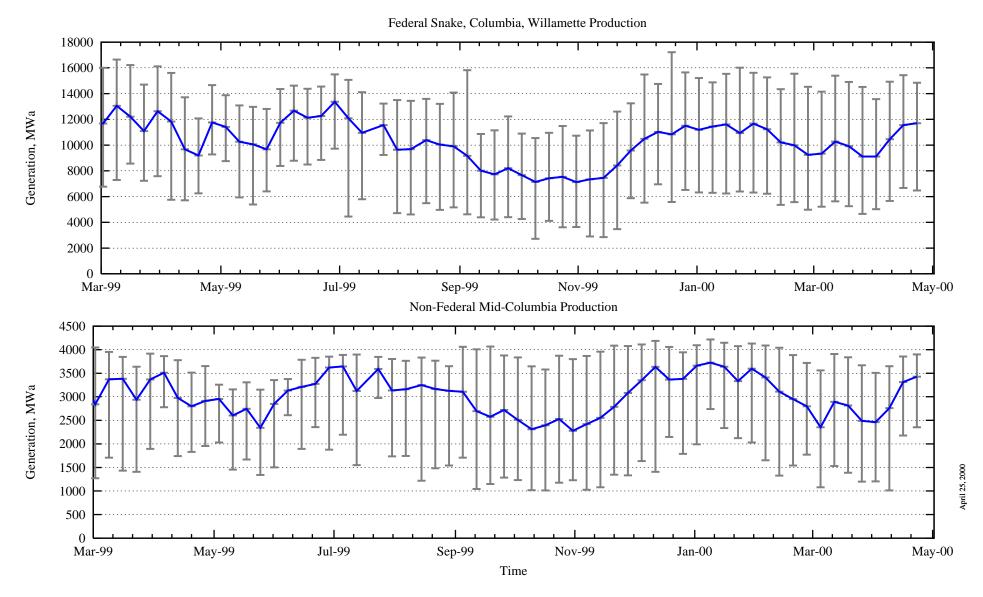
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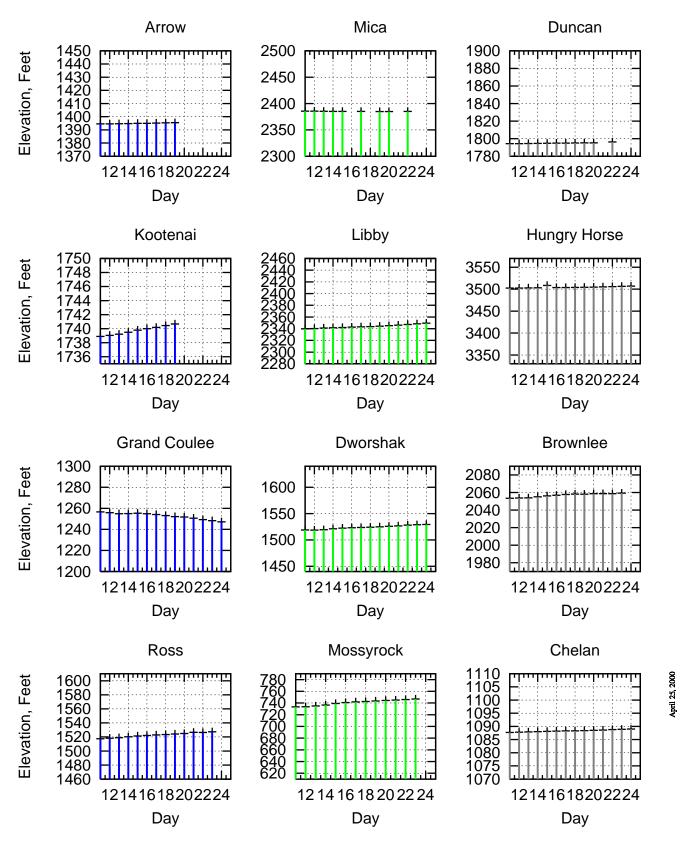
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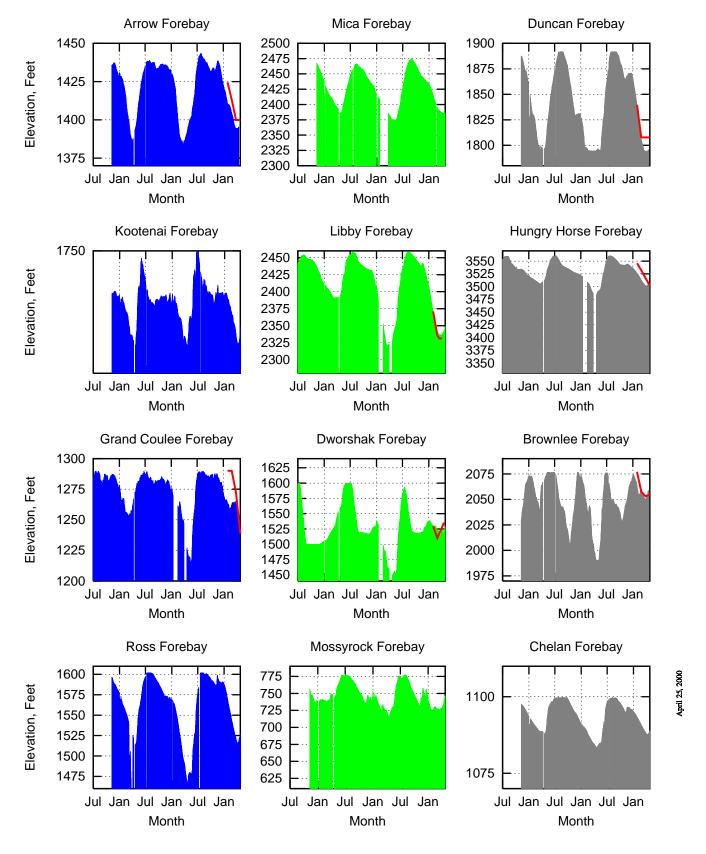


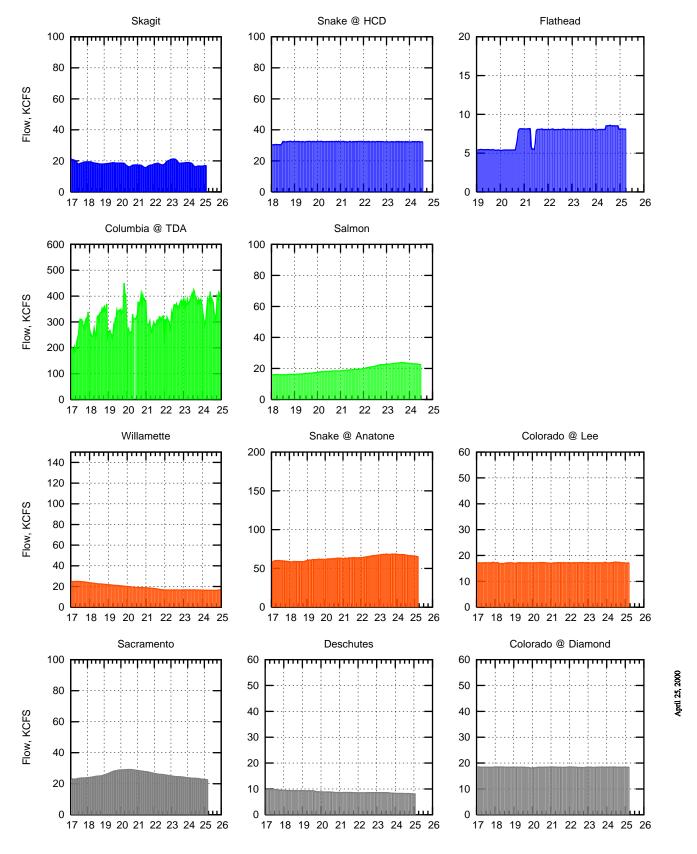
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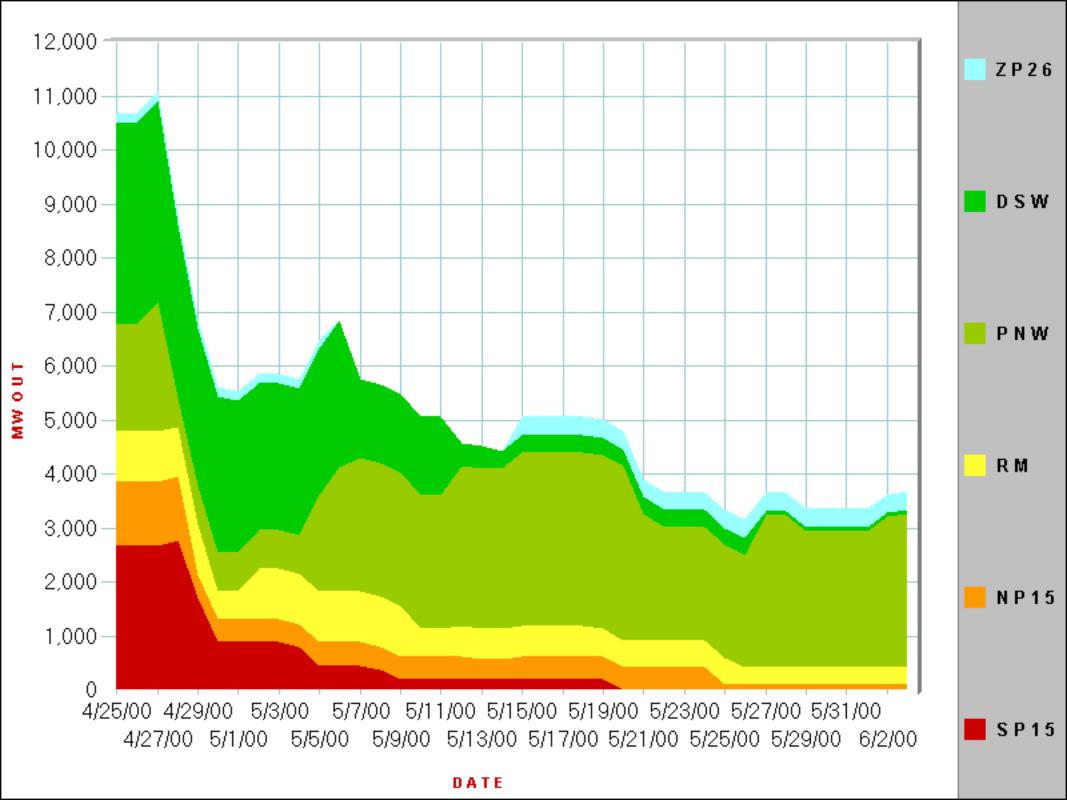


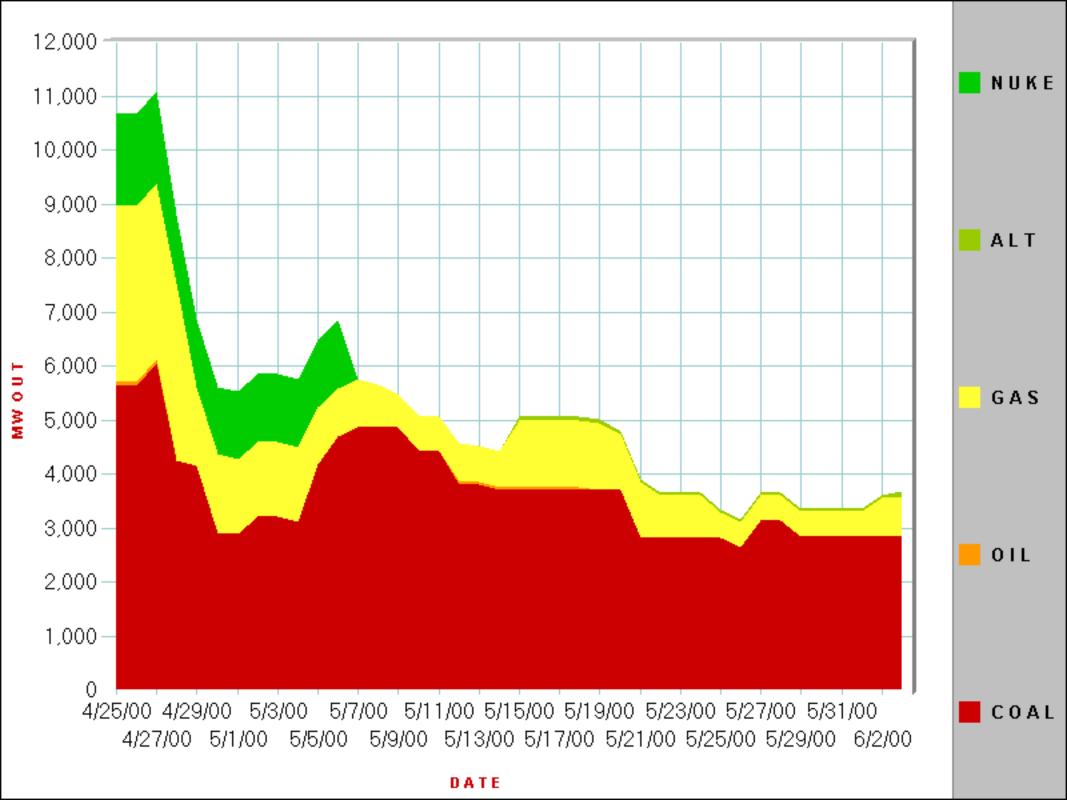
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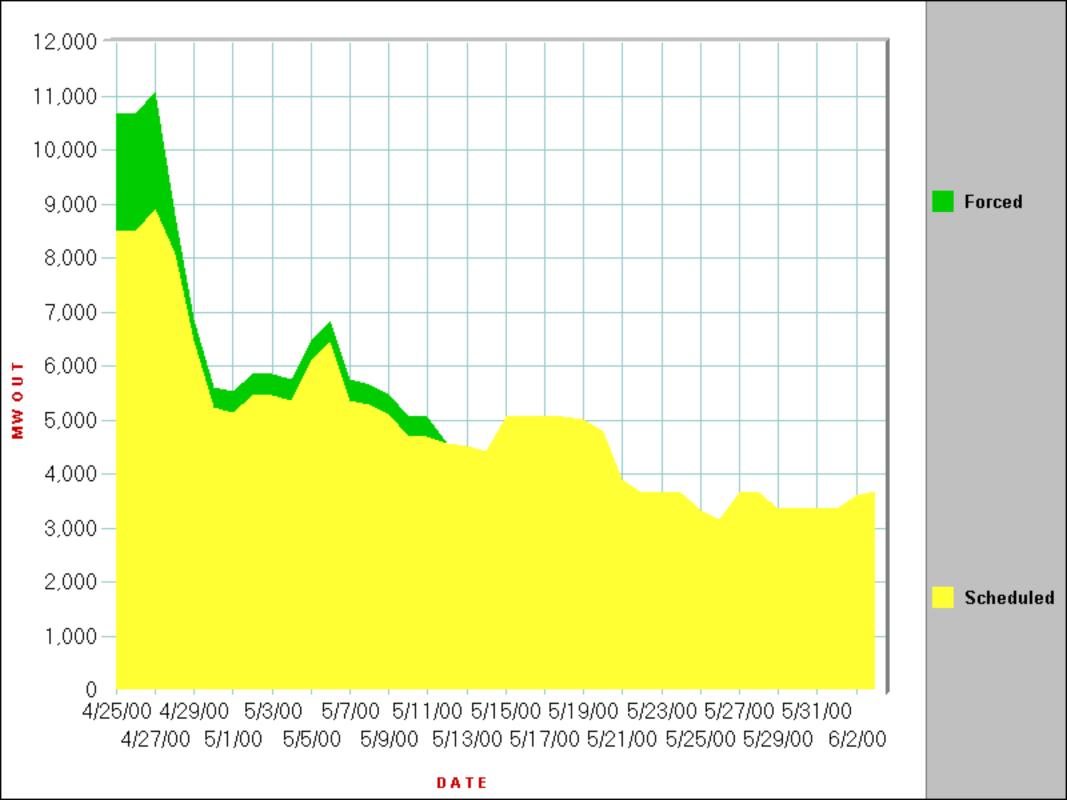


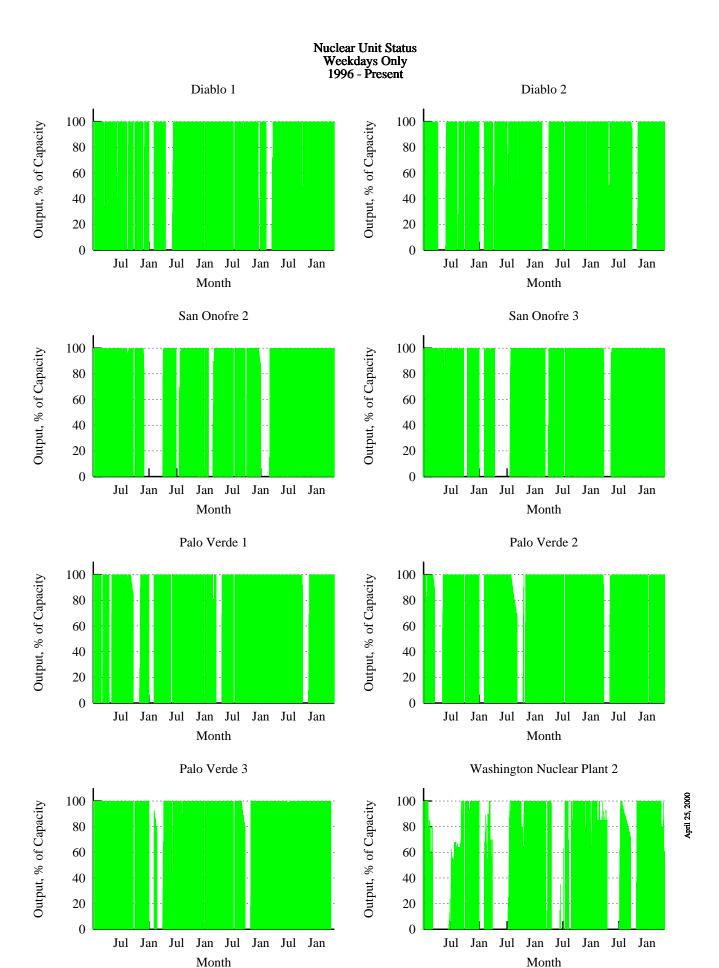


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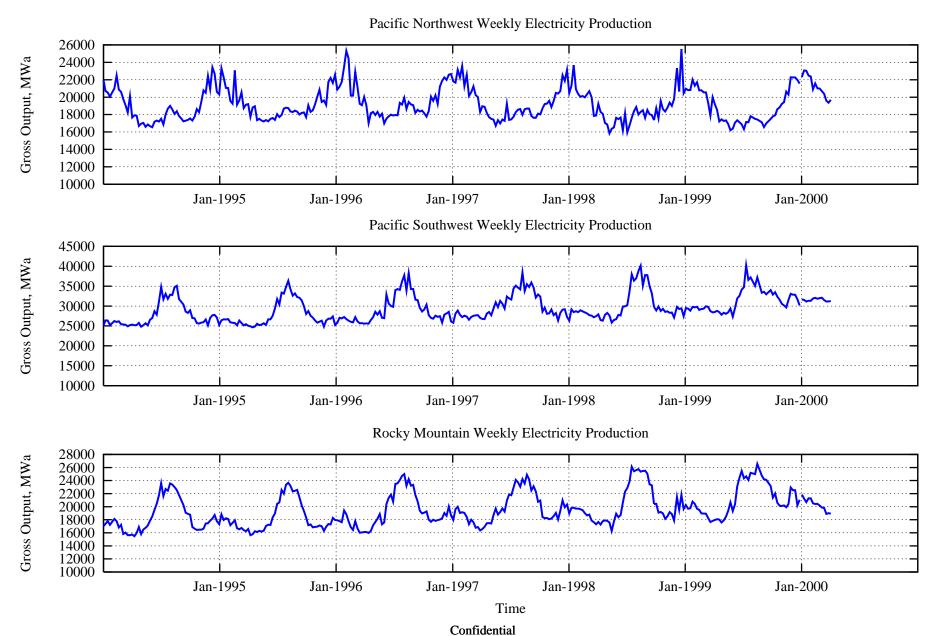






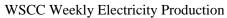
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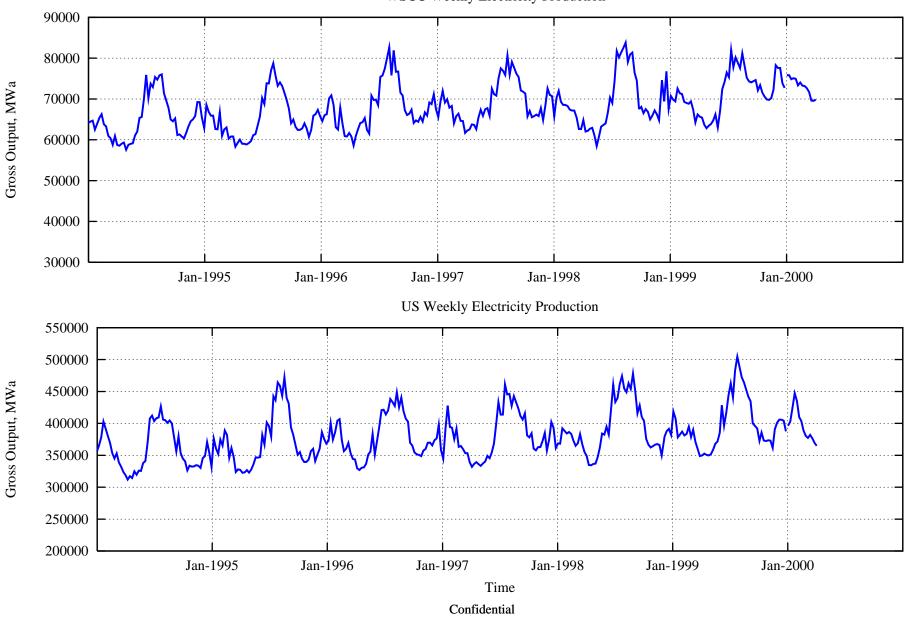
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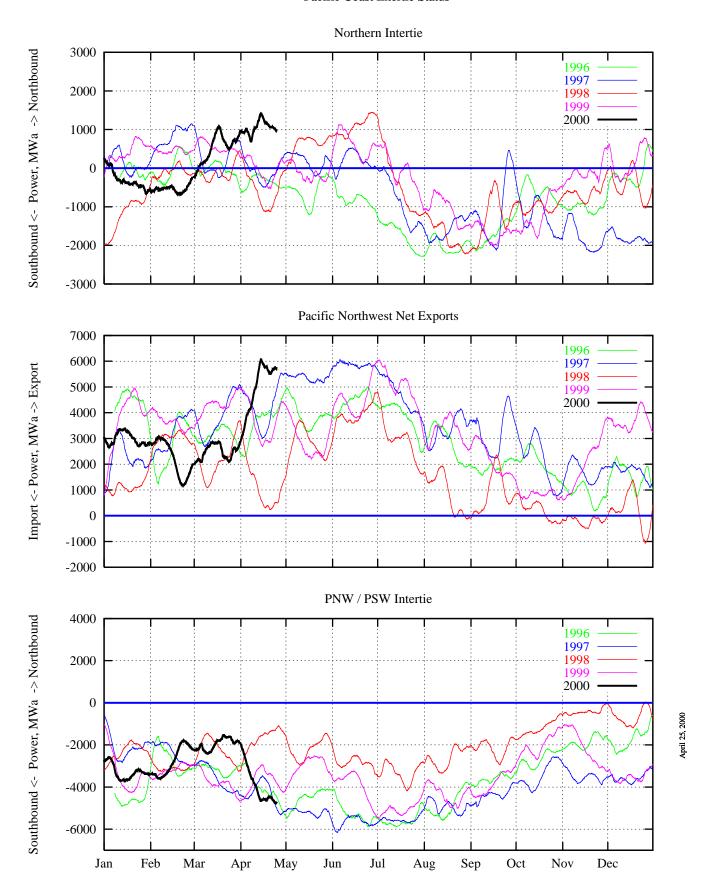
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