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Question on Bureau Releases from Caballo Dam on March 8th

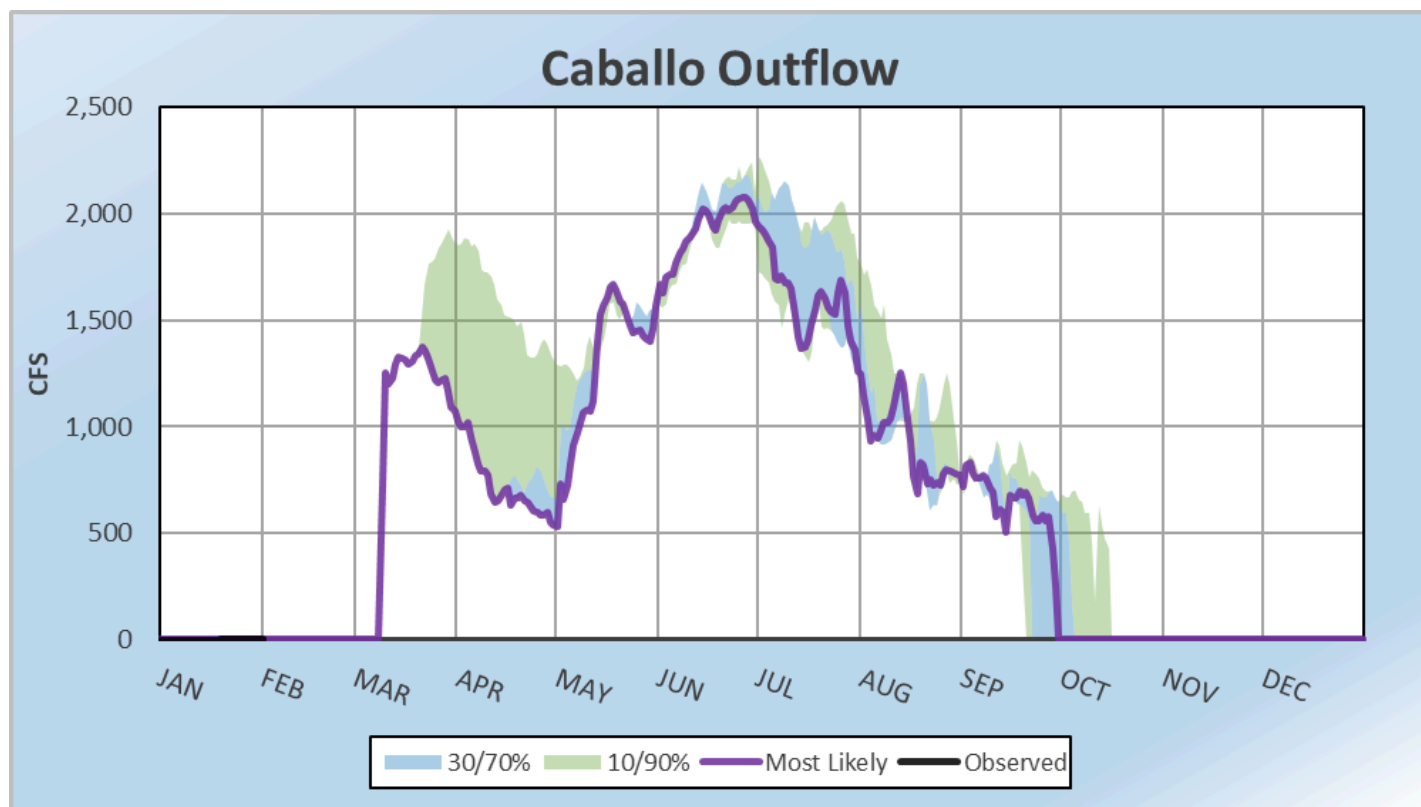
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Hi Beth, these are estimated releases from Caballo Reservoir based on the February NRCS streamflow forecast for San Marcial. These are considered provisional and subject to change. It is possible that initial flows could be as high as 2,200 cfs for the first few days for the purpose of wetting the river channel, then tapering off as both river losses and seeding demand for crops lessen until EBID starts irrigating. Thanks



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