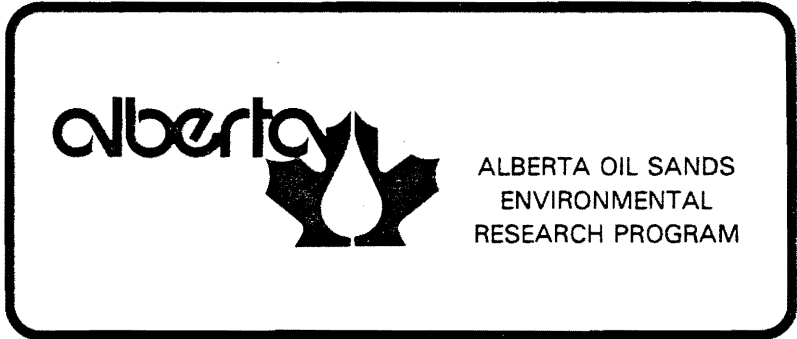


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Sir:

Enclosed is the report "Interim Compilation of Stream Gauging Data, 1979".

This report was prepared for the Alberta Oil Sands Environmental Research Program, through its Water System, under the Canada-Alberta Agreement of February 1975 (amended September 1977).

Respectfully,



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Deputy Minister, Alberta Environment

INTERIM COMPILATION OF
STREAM GAUGING DATA, 1979

DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY

This project continues the provision of adequate hydrometric information from the AOSERP study area by Water Survey of Canada through the operation of a gauging network. In 1979 this network comprised 20 stations. For background information on the inception of the hydrometric program and the methodology employed, the reader is referred to previous AOSERP reports: "Interim Compilation of Stream Gauging Data to December 1976 for the Alberta Oil Sands Environmental Research Program" and "Interim Compilation of Stream Gauging Data, 1977".

The Alberta Oil Sands Environmental Research Program accepts this report as a useful contribution and thanks Water Survey of Canada and the author for their efforts.

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GAUGING DATA, 1979

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ABSTRACT

The present report is an update of the previous report, "Interim Compilation of Stream Gauging Data, 1978" (Project HY 1.1), and contains all available hydrometric data for the study area (Figure 1) for the 1979 calendar year. Presented are daily discharges for streamflow stations with corresponding hydrographs and stage-discharge curves and water level information for gauged lakes.

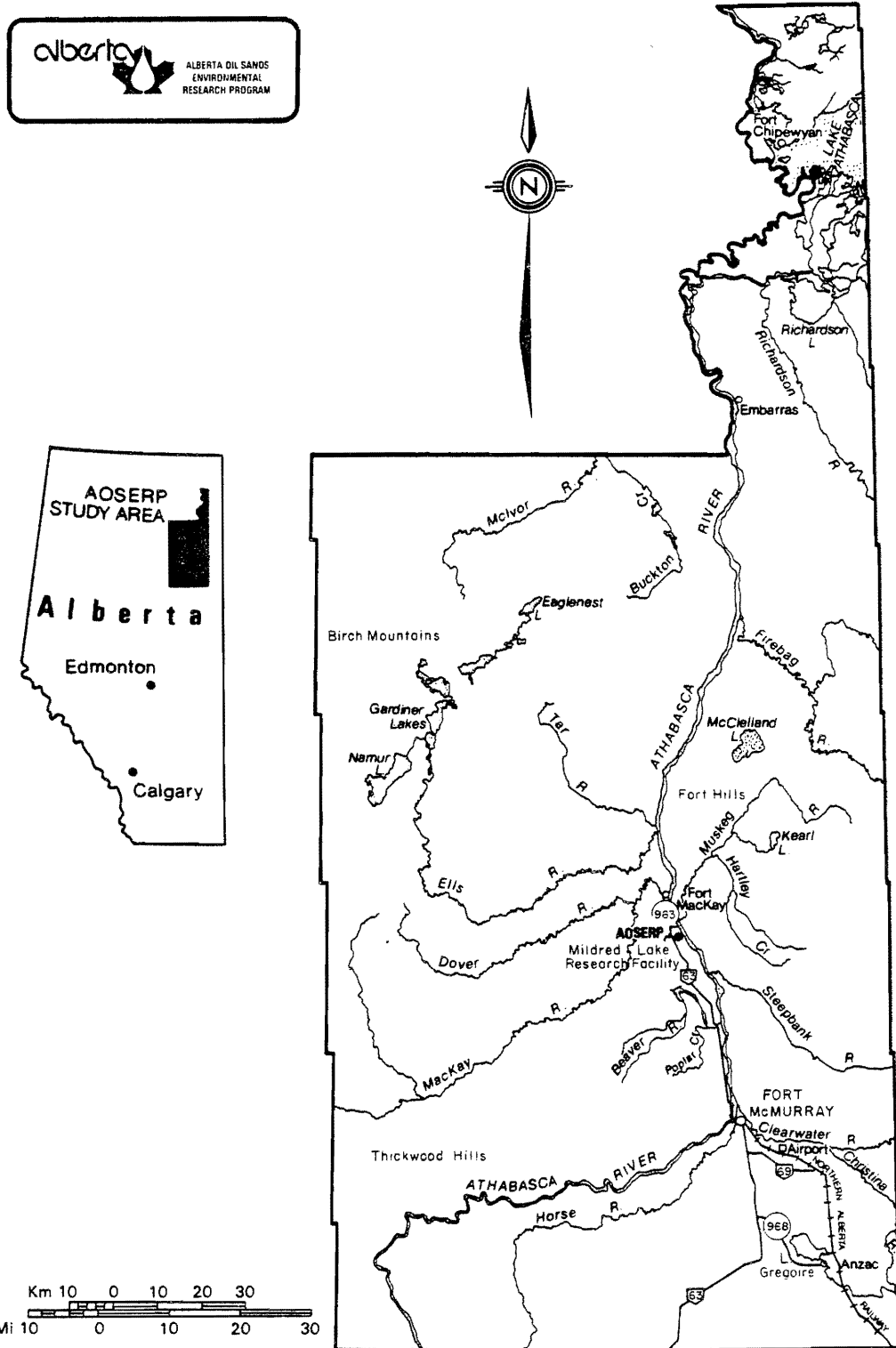


Figure 1. The AOSERP study area.

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1. INTRODUCTION

This 1979 compilation report contains all available hydrometric data in the study area for the 1979 calendar year. Data are presented for 19 streamflow stations and one lake station.

Since the present report is intended as an update to a previous report, "Interim Compilation of Stream Gauging Data, 1977" (Warner and Spitzer 1979), the reader is referred to the report and its introductory portion which details Water Survey of Canada's involvement in the study area and some background concerning the inception of the program. As well, information is given regarding data collection techniques, methodology, and instrumentation and problems encountered in the area. A listing of hydrometric reference work is also included. A compilation report for 1978 data has previously been prepared and is of a similar format to this report "Interim Compilation of Stream Gauging Data, 1978" (Warner 1979).

Table 1 lists the gauging stations operated in the study area for 1979 and provides details as to drainage areas and period of record. The locations of all stations, plotted according to Water Survey of Canada station numbers, are shown on Figure 2.

The Appendix to this report contains the data organized in station name alphabetical order. A description of each station precedes the hydrometric data and includes the station name, number, location, drainage area, period of available record, site description and instrumentation, and general comments concerning the quality of the record and any problems encountered.

Following the description is a graph of the latest stage-discharge relationship with individual streamflow measurements plotted to give some indication of scatter or accuracy. Following the stage-discharge curves are the available daily mean discharges with the corresponding hydrographs for streamflow stations and the available daily mean water levels for lake stations.

Table 1. List of Water Survey of Canada gauging stations operated during 1979.

STATION NUMBER	STATION	DRAINAGE AREA km ²	GAUGE	YEAR STATION ESTAB.
07DD001	ATHABASCA RIVER AT EMBARRAS AIRPORT	155 000	R ^a	1959
07DA001	ATHABASCA RIVER BELOW McMURRAY	133 000	R	1957
07CD005	CLEARWATER RIVER ABOVE CHRISTINA RIVER	17 200	R	1966
07CD001	CLEARWATER RIVER AT DRAPER	30 600	R	1957
07DB003	DUNKIRK RIVER NEAR FORT MacKAY	1 580	R	1975
07DA010	ELLS RIVER BELOW GARDINER LAKES	1 360	R	1975
07DA017	ELLS RIVER NEAR THE MOUTH	2 476	R	1975
07DC001	FIREBAG RIVER NEAR THE MOUTH	6 030	R	1971
07CE001	GREGOIRE LAKE NEAR FORT McMURRAY		R	1969
07CD004	HANGINGSTONE RIVER AT McMURRAY	914	M ^b	1965
07DA009	HARTLEY CREEK NEAR FORT MacKAY	368	R	1975
07CC001	HORSE RIVER AT ABASANDS PARK	2 180	R	1976
07DA016	JOSLYN CREEK NEAR FORT MacKAY	248	R	1975
07DB001	MacKAY RIVER NEAR FORT MacKAY	5 230	R	1972
07DA008	MUSKEG RIVER NEAR FORT MacKAY	1 460	R	1974
07DA007	POPLAR CREEK NEAR FORT McMURRAY	151	R	1972
07DA002	RICHARDSON RIVER NEAR THE MOUTH	2 950	R	1970
07DA006	STEEP BANK RIVER NEAR FORT McMURRAY	1 370	R	1972
07DA001	UNNAMED CREEK NEAR FORT MacKAY	280	R	1975

^aR - Recording.

^bM - Manual.

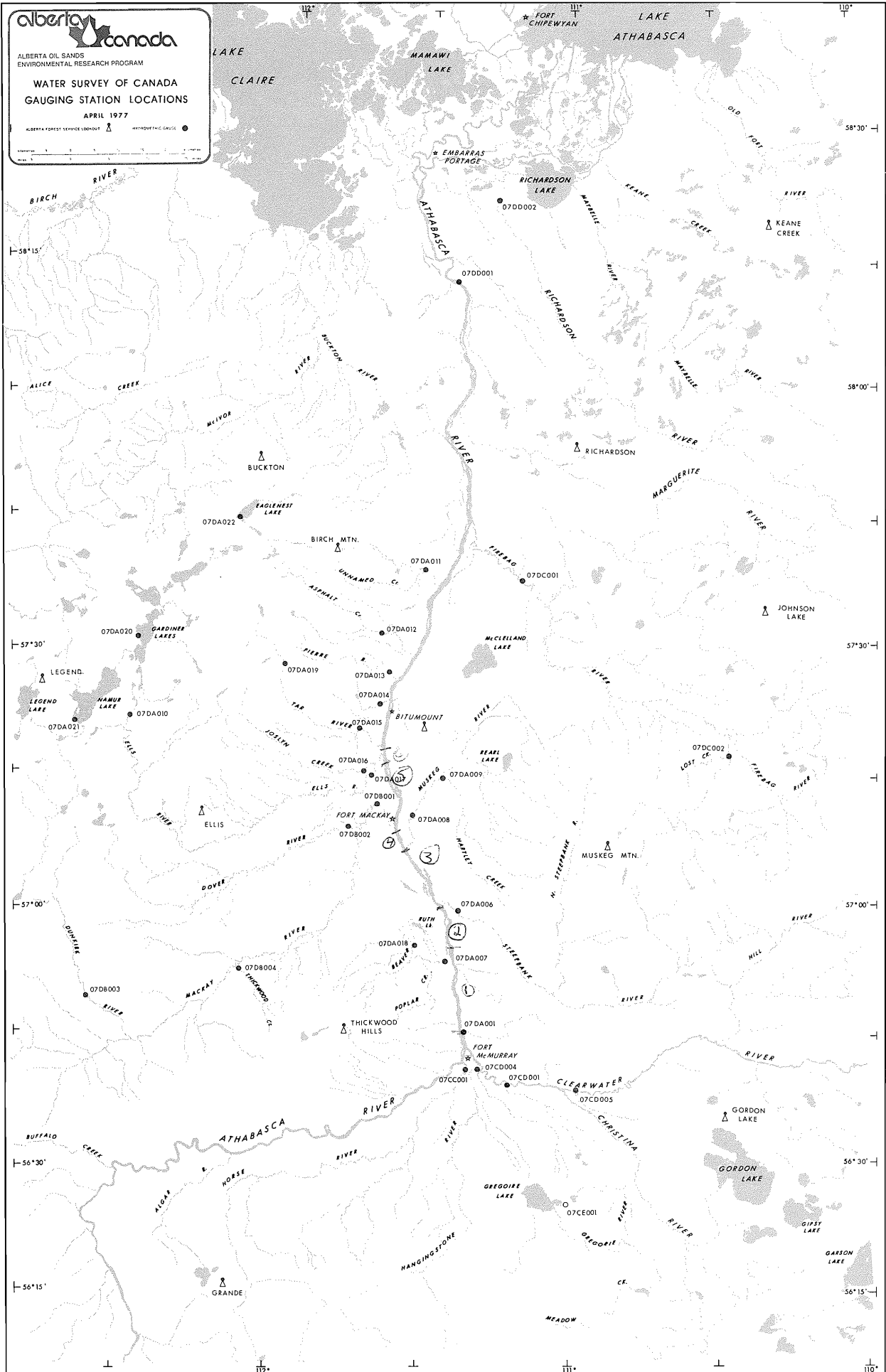


Figure 2. Water Survey of Canada gauging station locations.

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3. APPENDIX

3.1

STATION NAME: Athabasca River at Embarras Airport

STATION NUMBER: 07DD001

LOCATION: Latitude 58°12'18", Longitude 111°23'24",
NE 15-106-09-W4

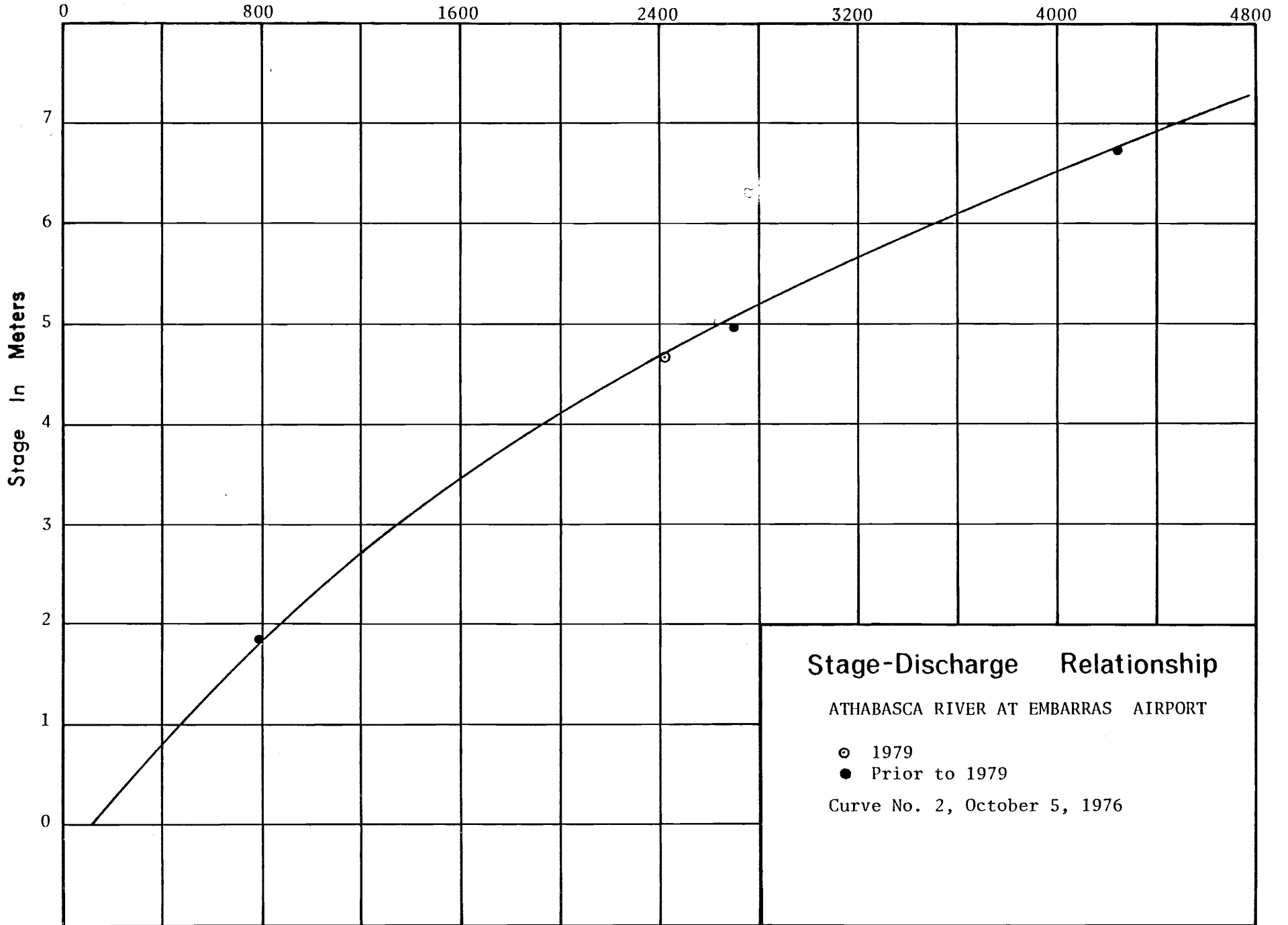
DRAINAGE AREA: 59 800 square miles (155 000 km²)

PERIOD OF RECORD: Discharge records are available on a more-or-less continuous basis from May 1971 to November 5 1976, and open water seasons 1977 to 1979.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is located on a high sand bank on the right side of the river close to a saw-mill power house. This is indicated as Mile 119 on the Athabasca River navigation charts. The station is instrumented with a Stacom manometer linked to a Stevens A-71 water level recorder. The open water discharge measurements prior to June 1974 were made at Mile 123; since then they have been made several hundred feet (30 - 100 m) above the gauge.

GENERAL: The stage discharge curve has been well defined throughout the range of stage and appears to be quite stable, especially at the higher stages.

Discharge In CMS



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ATHABASCA RIVER AT EMHARRAS AIRPORT

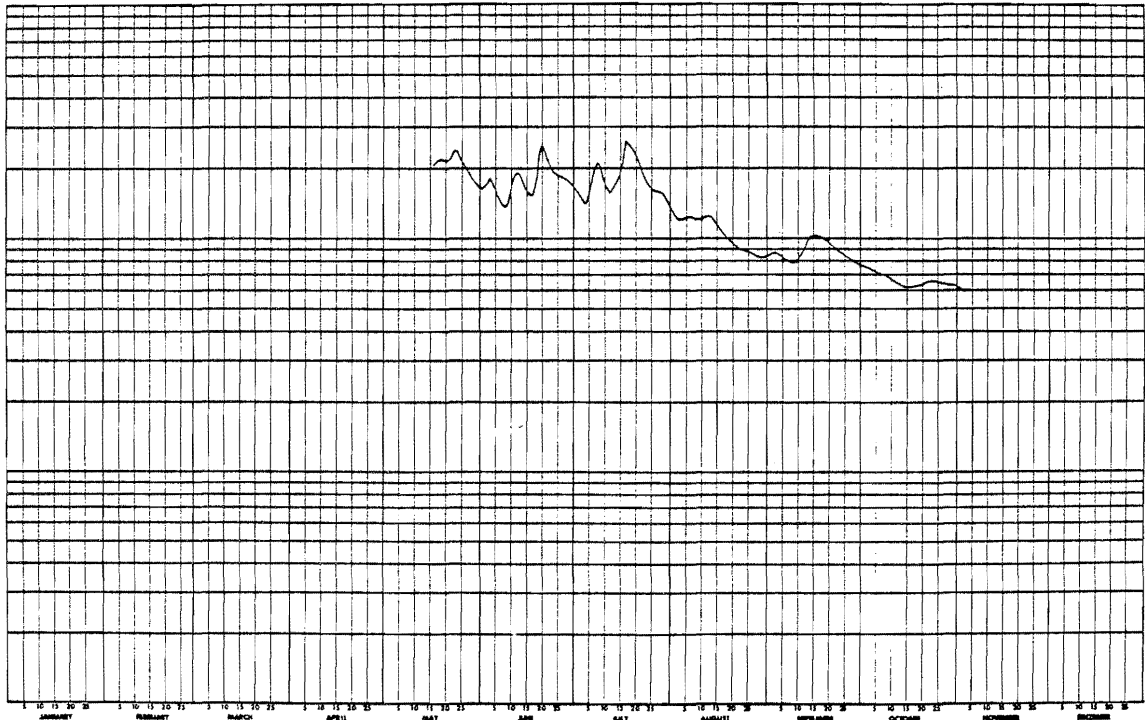
STATION NO. 070001

(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1						1660	1600	1290	850	776	615		1
2						1710	1510	1230	861	766	601		2
3						1620	1440	1210	873	748	596		3
4						1730	1410	1230	855	734			4
5						1580	1480	1260	826	720			5
6						1450	1730	1260	812	714			6
7						1380	2070	1240	805	706			7
8						1370	2140	1220	800	705			8
9						1430	1930	1210	798	688			9
10						1600	1740	1230	805	663			10
11						1860	1600	1250	833	646			11
12						1910	1570	1270	894	641			12
13						1830	1640	1260	971	628			13
14						1690	1750	1210	1010	615			14
15						1590	1840	1160	1030	611			15
16					2070 A	1520	2160	1110	1030	610			16
17					2160	1520	2610	1070	1020	615			17
18					2190	1750	2570	1030	1020	623			18
19					2180	2430	2460	994	1000	633			19
20					2150	2520	2350	971	976	633			20
21					2170	2350	2110	937	942	641			21
22					2370	2140	1930	909	909	652			22
23					2440 A	1980	1760	892	883	651			23
24					2300	1890	1690	886	862	651			24
25					2160	1860	1630	860	849	648			25
26					2040	1840	1610	867	838	648			26
27					1930	1820	1600	855	813	644			27
28					1820	1790	1600	836	796	638			28
29					1720	1740	1550	826	790	634			29
30					1660	1670	1470	832	779	632			30
31					1650		1370	844		627			31
TOTAL						53510	55940	33269	26532	20543			TOTAL
MEAN						1780	1800	1070	884	663			MEAN
DAM3						4620000	4830000	2870000	2290000	1770000			DAM3
MAX						2520	2610	1290	1030	776			MAX
MIN						1370	1370	826	779	610			MIN

A=MANUAL GAUGE

MAXIMUM INSTANTANEOUS DISCHARGE, 2720 M³/S AT 1915 ON July 17



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3.2

STATION NAME: Athabasca River below Fort McMurray

STATION NUMBER: 07DA001

LOCATION: Latitude 56°46'50", Longitude 111°24'00",
NW 05-90-09-W4

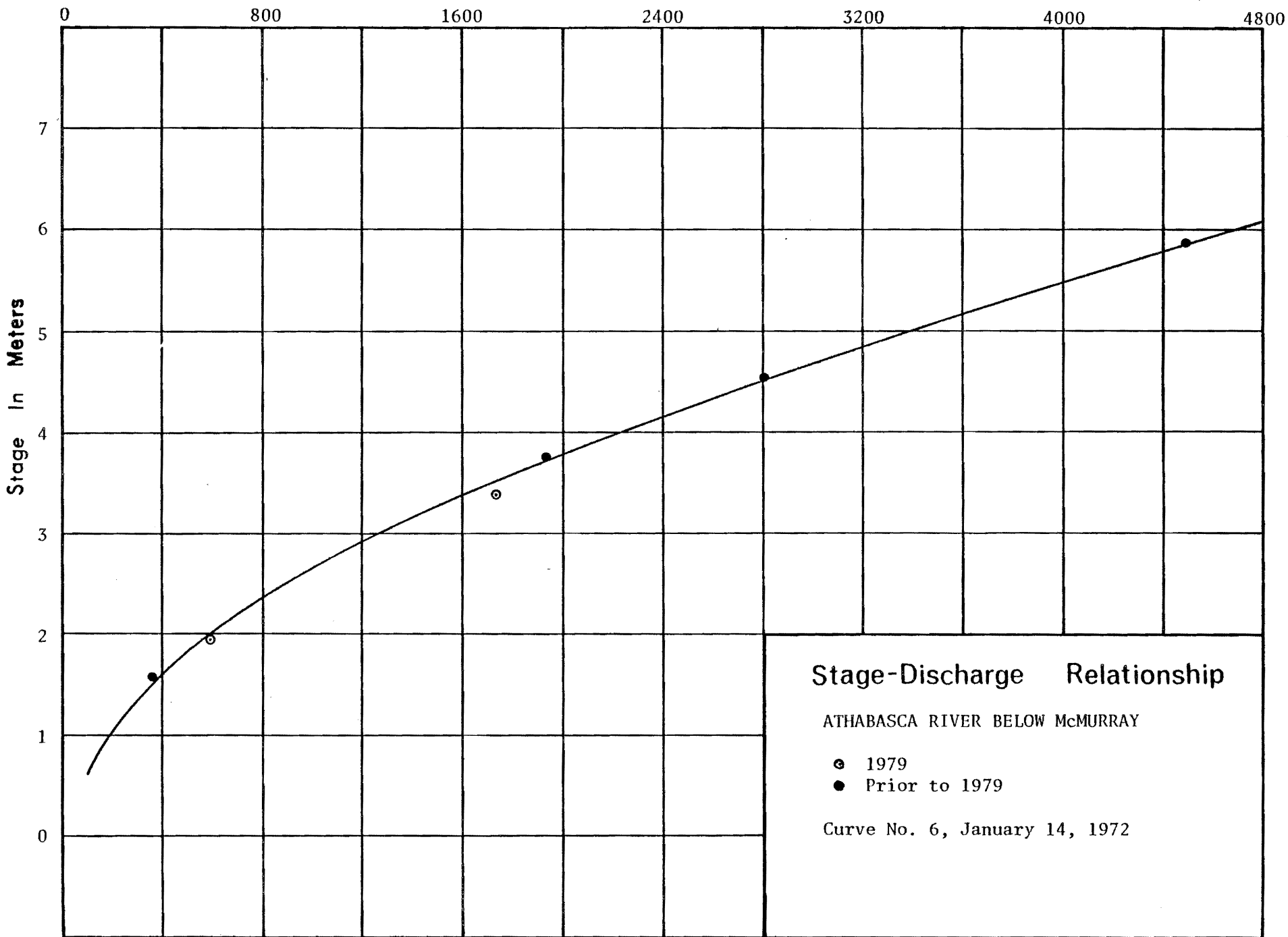
DRAINAGE AREA: 51 300 square miles (133 000 km²)

PERIOD OF RECORD: Discharge data are available from October 1957
to December 1979

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is located on the right bank on top
of a limestone cliff, about 600 feet (180 m)
above Clark Creek at Mile 6.5 on the Athabasca
River as indicated by navigation charts. It
is instrumented with a Stacom manometer linked
to a Stevens A-71 water level recorder. Open-
water measurements are made by boat about one-
half mile (0.8 km) below the gauge.

GENERAL: Data for 1979 are considered reliable as the
stage-discharge relationship continues to
remain reasonably stable.

Discharge In CMS



Stage-Discharge Relationship

ATHABASCA RIVER BELOW McMURRAY

- 1979
- Prior to 1979

Curve No. 6, January 14, 1972

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ATHABASCA RIVER BELOW MCMURRAY

STATION NO. 07DA001

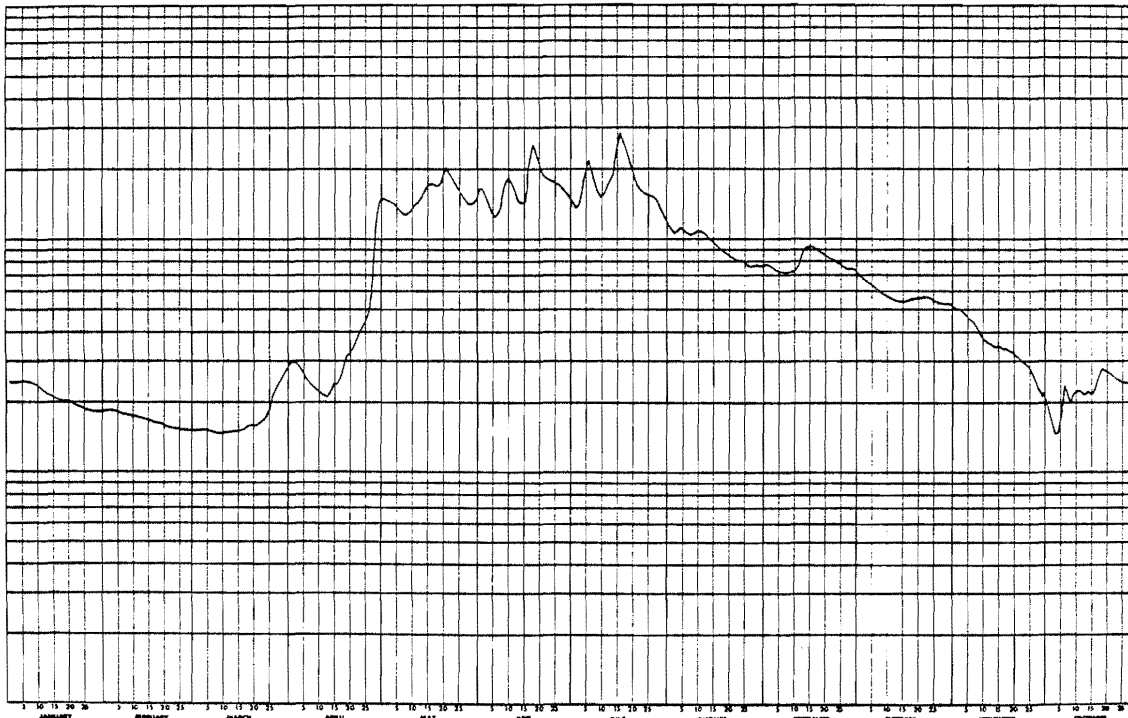
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1	246 B	183 B	152 B	298 B	1500 B	1660	1430	1150 E	790 E	720 E	506	205 B	1
2	243 B	184 B	152 B	301 B	1480 B	1650	1380	1100 E	790 E	700 E	501	183 B	2
3	246 B	183 B	152 B	295 B	1460 B	1490	1420	1080 E	760 E	680 E	503 B	159 B	3
4	245 B	182 B	152 B	283 B	1440 B	1360	1610	1120 E	750 E	660 E	491 B	147 B	4
5	246 B	180 B	151 B	266 B	1400 B	1270	1950	1140 E	740 E	650 E	473 B	149 B	5
6	244 B	179 B	151 B	254 B	1350 B	1260	2210	1100 E	730 E	630 E	457 B	183 B	6
7	243 B	178 B	150 B	242 B	1300 B	1300	2000	1070 E	720 E	620 E	449 B	235 B	7
8	242 B	175 B	149 B	235 B	1280 B	1480	1760	1050 E	720 E	600 E	433 B	206 B	8
9	240 B	174 B	148 B	230 B	1310 B	1770	1610	1070 E	720 E	590 E	402 B	197 B	9
10	235 B	174 B	148 B	225 B	1340 B	1660	1540	1090 E	730 E	580 E	383 B	214 B	10
11	231 B	173 B	149 B	218 B	1410 B	1810	1580	1110 E	740 E	570 E	370 B	221 B	11
12	223 B	171 B	150 B	213 B	1430	1670	1710	1090 E	780 E	560 E	360 B	222 B	12
13	216 B	171 B	150 B	211 B	1490	1540	1800	1050 E	870 E	550 E	360 B	214 B	13
14	216 B	170 B	151 B	224 B	1600	1470	1930	1020 E	920 E	540 E	350 B	221 B	14
15	210 B	168 B	152 B	242 B	1710	1450	2540	990 E	930 E	540 E	350 B	220 B	15
16	208 B	166 B	152 B	241 B	1750	1510	2900	960 E	940 E	540 E	350 B	215 B	16
17	207 B	165 B	154 B	253 B	1750	2200	2720	930 E	930 E	550 E	340 B	225 B	17
18	203 B	163 B	158 B	288 B	1710	2600	2440	910 E	910 E	560 E	340 B	254 B	18
19	204 B	162 B	160 B	319 B	1700	2400	2170	890 E	890 E	560 E	330 B	278 B	19
20	202 B	160 B	159 B	329 B	1870	2170	1950	870 E	870 E	570 E	330 B	275 B	20
21	199 B	157 B	159 B	332 B	2060	1970	1780	850 E	850 E	570 E	320 B	270 B	21
22	196 B	157 B	163 B	357 B	1970	1860	1680	830 E	840 E	570 A	310 B	262 B	22
23	194 B	156 B	170 B	391 B	1850	1820	1620	820 E	820 E	574	300 B	257 B	23
24	193 B	155 B	177 B	409 B	1740	1800	1590	813 A	810 E	569	298 B	251 B	24
25	190 B	154 B	185 B	428 B	1640	1780	1580	804	790 E	557	289 B	247 B	25
26	187 B	153 B	211 B	488 B	1560	1760	1580	785	780 E	550	278 B	240 B	26
27	185 B	152 B	228 B	578 B	1480	1730	1560	773	755 A	542	255 B	240 B	27
28	185 B	152 B	238 B	850 B	1420	1660	1500	770 E	755	538	244 B	240 B	28
29	184 B		252 B	1300 B	1420	1600	1390	780 E	750 A	533	215 B	240 B	29
30	184 B		269 B	1480 B	1460	1530	1290	780 E	750 E	527	220 B	243 B	30
31	184 B		284 B		1510		1220 A	780 E		516		249 B	31
TOTAL	6631	4697	5376	11780	48390	51450	55040	29575	24134	18016	10807	6962	TOTAL
MEAN	214	168	173	393	1560	1720	1790	954	804	581	360	225	MEAN
DAM3	573000	406000	466000	1020000	4180000	4450000	4790000	2560000	2090000	1560000	934000	602000	DAM3
MAX	246	184	284	1480	2060	2600	2900	1150	940	720	506	278	MAX
MIN	184	152	148	211	1280	1260	1220	770	720	516	215	147	MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTHS JAN TO DEC
MEAN DISCHARGE, 749 M3/S
TOTAL DISCHARGE, 23600000 DAM3
MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 2900 M3/S ON JUL 16
MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 147 M3/S ON DEC 4

A=MANUAL GAUGE
B=ICE CONDITIONS
E=ESTIMATED

MAXIMUM INSTANTANEOUS DISCHARGE, 2930 M3/S AT 1550 ON July 16



3.3

STATION NAME: Clearwater River above Christina River
(present site)

STATION NUMBER: 07CD005

LOCATION: Latitude 56°39'40", Longitude 110°55'40"

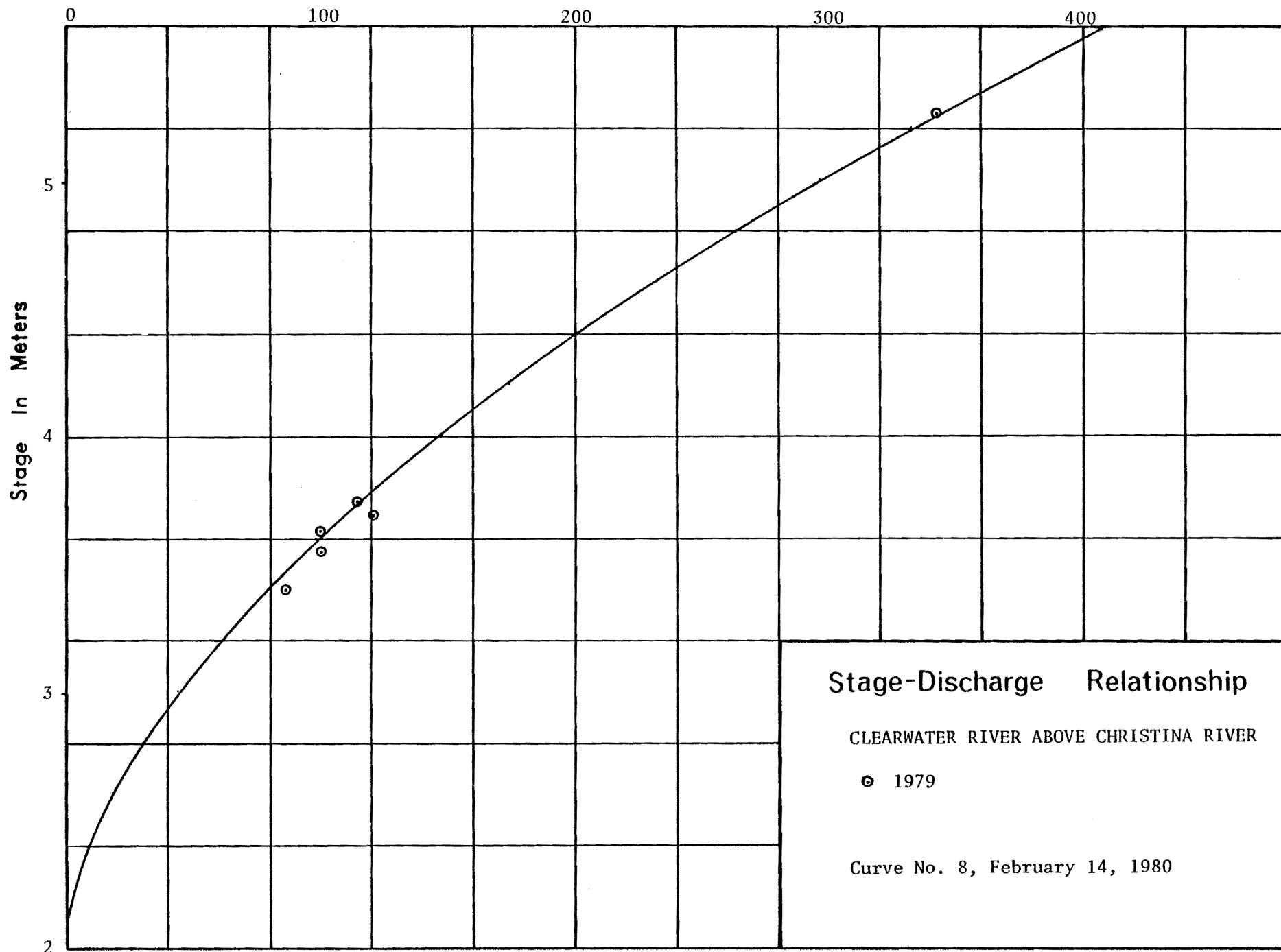
DRAINAGE AREA: 6 630 square miles (17 200 km²)

PERIOD OF RECORD: This station was moved to its present site on September 25 1975 and discharge data are available at this site to December 1979.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The present location is on the right bank approximately five miles (8 km) above the confluence with the Christina River and about 20 miles (32 km) upstream of Fort McMurray. The station is instrumented with a Stacom manometer linked to a Stevens A-71 water level recorder. Open-water discharge measurements are made by boat about 300 feet (90 M) above the gauge.

GENERAL: A new curve was drawn for the 1978 stage-discharge relationship to account for a slight shift in the medium to high flow range. This curve was used for 1979.

Discharge In CMS



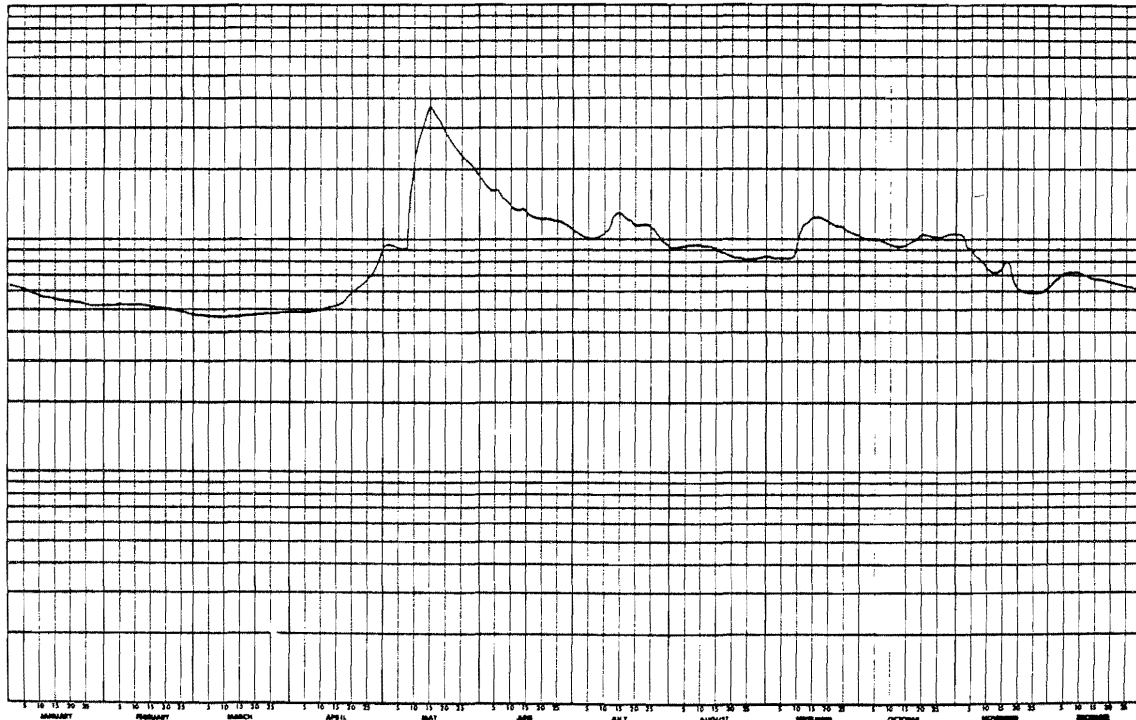
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1	63.7 B	52.2 B	47.6 B	48.8 B	95.0 B	180	107	91.2	84.3	101	103	63.5 B	1
2	62.9 B	52.2 B	47.4 B	48.9 B	94.0 B	173	104	91.2	83.9	100	102	66.0 B	2
3	62.1 B	52.2 B	47.2 B	49.0 B	93.0 B	167	102	92.6	83.5	99.5	91.0 B	67.5 B	3
4	61.3 B	52.3 B	47.0 B	49.1 B	92.0 B	161	101	93.4	83.2	99.9	90.0 B	70.0 B	4
5	60.5 B	52.4 B	46.8 B	49.2 B	91.0 B	160	101	93.3	83.6	98.6	88.0 B	71.0 B	5
6	59.8 B	52.6 B	46.6 B	49.3 B	90.0 B	160	100	93.5	83.2	98.0	85.0 B	71.5 B	6
7	59.1 B	52.9 B	46.5 B	49.4 B	89.0 B	154	98.1	94.9	82.5	97.1	83.0 B	71.5 B	7
8	58.4 B	53.2 B	46.4 B	49.6 B	90.0 B	149	99.1	95.6	82.1	95.6	80.0 B	71.0 B	8
9	57.7 B	53.1 B	46.5 B	49.8 B	151	144	104	96.3	84.0	94.5	78.0 B	70.5 B	9
10	57.0 B	53.0 B	46.6 B	50.0 B	185	140	107	94.5	83.9	94.1	75.0 B	70.0 B	10
11	56.7 B	52.7 B	46.7 B	50.3 B	242	135	109	94.3	106	92.6	73.0 B	69.0 B	11
12	56.4 B	52.4 B	46.8 B	50.6 B	273	133	115	93.5	114	91.5	71.5 B	68.5 B	12
13	56.1 B	52.1 B	46.9 B	50.9 B	311	132	129	92.3	119	90.9	70.0 B	68.0 B	13
14	55.8 B	51.8 B	47.0 B	51.2 B	340	132	131	91.8	122	90.1	73.0 B	67.8 B	14
15	55.5 B	51.5 B	47.1 B	51.5 B	363	131	130	91.1	123	91.9	76.0 B	67.5 B	15
16	55.2 B	51.2 B	47.2 B	52.0 B	366	129	128	89.6	123	94.5	81.0 B	67.0 B	16
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22	53.8 B	49.3 B	47.9 B	62.0 B	261	122	115	83.0	114	103	59.1 B	64.0 B	22
23	53.6 B	49.0 B	48.0 B	64.0 B	249	121	116	82.4	113	102	58.7 B	63.5 B	23
24	53.3 B	48.7 B	48.0 B	66.0 B	241	120	114	81.2	112	101	58.4 B	63.0 B	24
25	53.0 B	48.4 B	48.1 B	68.0 B	234	119	111	80.7	110	100	58.0 B	62.5 B	25
26	52.7 B	48.3 B	48.1 B	69.0 B	225	119	108	80.6	108	101	57.5 B	61.8 B	26
27	52.3 B	48.2 B	48.1 B	71.0 B	219	118	104	80.8	106	102	58.5 B	61.1 B	27
28	52.0 B	48.0 B	48.1 B	77.0 B	211	115	100	82.4	104	104	59.5 B	60.5 B	28
29	52.1 B	48.3 B	48.3 B	87.0 B	203	112	96.7	83.3	103	105	60.5 B	60.0 B	29
30	52.2 B	48.5 B	48.5 B	93.0 B	194	110	94.5	84.0	102	106	61.5 B	59.5 B	30
31	52.3 B	48.7 B	48.7 B		187		92.1	84.3		104		59.0 B	31
TOTAL	1737.9	1429.2	1469.8	1740.6	6747.0	4058	3407.5	2740.0	3120.2	3067.7	2182.2	2042.7	TOTAL
MEAN	56.1	51.0	47.4	58.0	218	135	110	88.4	104	94.0	72.7	65.4	MEAN
DAM3	150000	123000	127000	150000	583000	351000	294000	237000	270000	265000	189000	176000	DAM3
MAX	63.7	53.2	48.7	93.0	366	180	131	96.3	123	106	103	71.5	MAX
MIN	52.0	48.0	46.4	48.8	89.0	110	92.1	80.6	82.1	90.1	57.5	59.0	MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTHS JAN TO DEC
 MEAN DISCHARGE, 92.4 M³/S
 TOTAL DISCHARGE, 2920000 DAM3
 MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 366 M³/S ON MAY 16
 MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 46.4 M³/S ON MAR 8

B-ICE CONDITIONS

MAXIMUM INSTANTANEOUS DISCHARGE, 369 M³/S AT 1645 ON May 15



3.4

STATION NAME: Clearwater River at Draper

STATION NUMBER: 07CD001

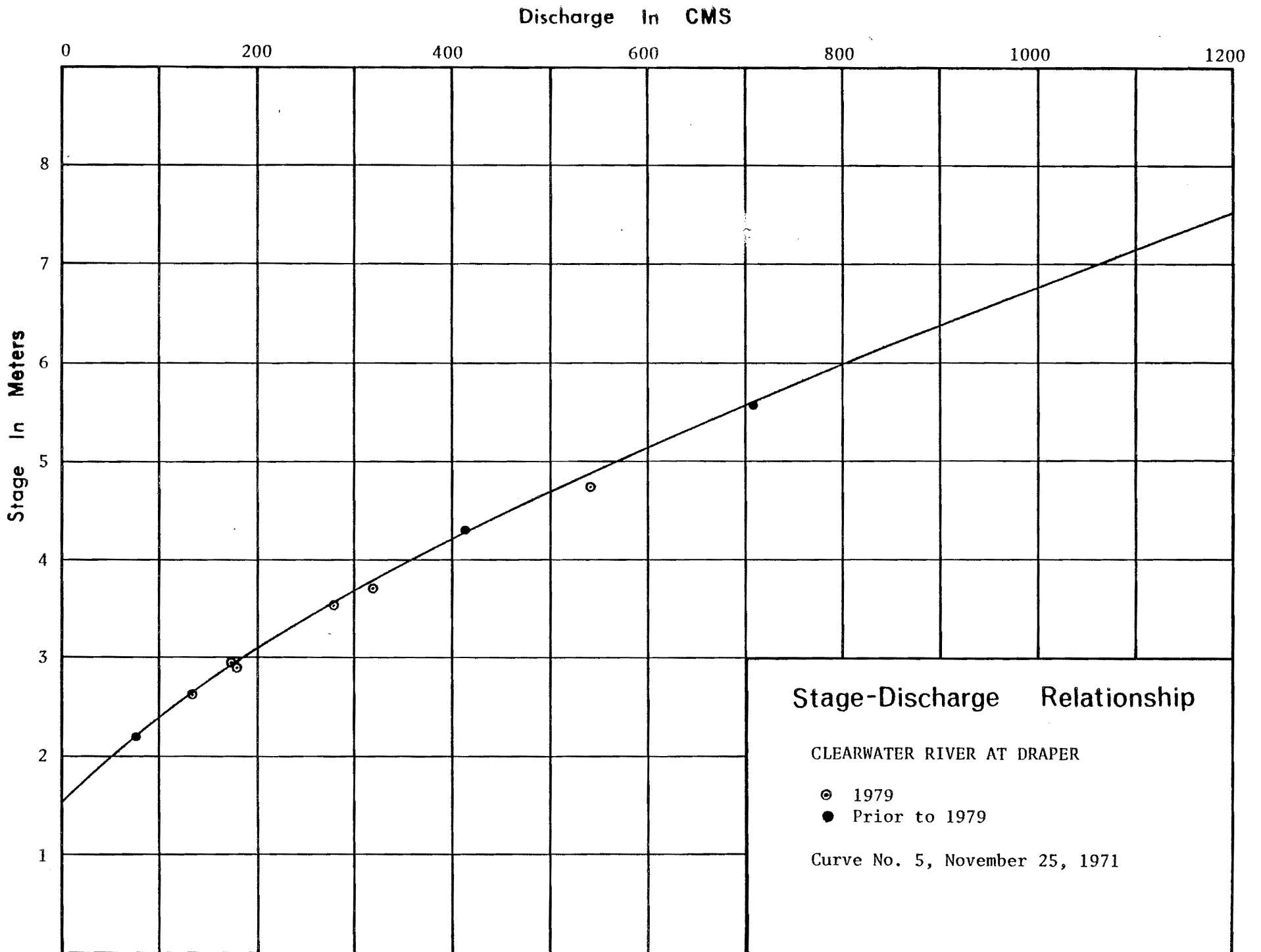
LOCATION: Latitude 56°40'50", Longitude 110°55'40",
NW 32-88-08-W4

DRAINAGE AREA: 11 800 square miles (30 600 km²)

PERIOD OF RECORD: This station was established on August 22
1957. Discharge data are available on a
continuous basis to December 1979.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is located on the left bank about
ten miles (16 km) above the confluence with
the Athabasca River. This station is instru-
mented with a Stacom manometer linked to a
Stevens A-71 water level recorder. Open-
water discharge measurements are made from
the cableway one-half mile (0.8 km) below
the gauge.

GENERAL: The stage-discharge relationship has remained
relatively stable for the entire period of
record.



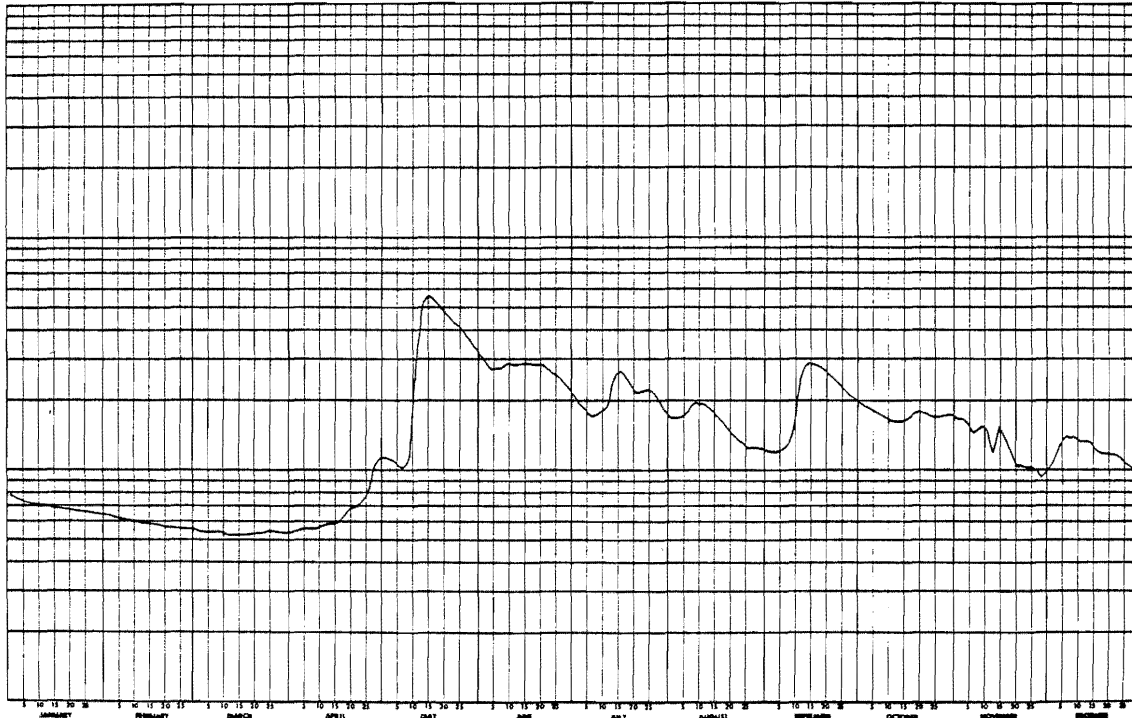
(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1	77.5 B	64.2 H	55.8 B	54.1 B	115 H	308	209	169	122	193	168	101 B	1
2	76.4 H	64.0 B	54.4 H	54.3 B	114 H	295	201	167	121	190	165 B	106 B	2
3	75.8 H	63.7 B	54.8 H	54.8 B	112 B	283	193	168	119	186	167 B	116 B	3
4	74.7 B	63.1 B	54.7 B	55.6 B	110 B	273	187	169	119	184	163 B	123 B	4
5	73.6 H	62.5 B	54.5 B	56.0 B	106 B	269	182	170	121	180	157 B	130 B	5
6	73.0 B	62.0 H	54.4 B	56.6 B	103 B	272	175	174	122	179	146 B	137 B	6
7	72.4 B	61.7 B	54.8 B	56.5 B	102 B	272	171	181	126	175	146 B	140 B	7
8	71.3 B	61.4 B	55.1 B	56.5 B	105 B	277	171	190	130	172	150 B	137 B	8
9	71.0 B	60.8 B	54.6 B	57.0 B	111 B	285	177	196	139	168	153 B	140 B	9
10	70.7 B	60.6 B	53.8 B	57.2 B	156 B	287	179	193	168	167	154 B	137 B	10
11	70.5 B	60.3 B	53.0 B	57.6 B	249	284	181	193	213	164	150 B	132 B	11
12	70.2 B	60.0 H	52.7 B	58.4 B	341	284	190	191	253	162	128 B	132 B	12
13	69.9 B	59.7 B	52.8 B	59.0 B	435	286	224	187	276	161	120 B	133 B	13
14	69.6 B	59.4 B	52.7 B	59.5 B	525	287	246	183	285	160	133 B	133 B	14
15	69.1 B	59.4 B	52.7 B	59.3 B	557	289	259	177	287	163	155 B	129 B	15
16	68.8 B	59.1 B	53.1 B	59.8 B	559	289	265	171	285	167	148 B	123 B	16
17	68.5 B	58.6 B	53.3 B	61.6 B	542	288	260	165	281	171	133 B	120 B	17
18	68.2 B	58.0 B	53.0 B	65.0 B	520	286	249	160	276	174	127 B	118 B	18
19	67.9 B	57.4 B	53.7 B	67.2 B	510	284	237	154	270	177	118 B	117 B	19
20	67.9 B	57.1 B	53.8 B	68.3 B	490	287	228	148	264	178	106 B	117 B	20
21	67.6 B	56.9 B	53.7 B	69.3 B	469	284	216	142	257	177	103 B	117 B	21
22	67.4 B	56.6 B	53.7 B	69.6 B	452	277	215	138	249	174	105 B	117 B	22
23	67.1 B	56.6 B	54.0 B	71.4 B	437	270	218	134	242	172	102 B	116 B	23
24	66.8 B	56.6 B	55.2 B	74.8 B	424	263	220	130	236	170	102 B	114 B	24
25	66.5 B	56.3 B	55.1 B	77.5 B	414	258	223	127	228	168	103 B	111 B	25
26	66.2 B	56.3 B	54.7 B	84.1 B	402	252	222	124	220	169	103 B	107 B	26
27	65.9 B	56.0 B	54.3 B	96.4 B	389	245	213	124	212	170	100 B	105 B	27
28	65.7 B	56.0 B	54.2 B	106 B	374	237	202	126	206	172	94.6 H	103 B	28
29	65.1 B	54.1 B	53.1 B	110 B	356	228	191	126	201	174	93.2 B	101 B	29
30	64.8 B	53.7 B	53.7 B	114 B	338	219	182	125	196	174	97.7 B	99.4 B	30
31	64.5 B	53.8 B	53.8 B		323		174	124		171		97.2 B	31
TOTAL	2154.6	1664.3	1674.2	2047.4	10280	8218	6856	4926	6224	5362	3890.5	3708.6	TOTAL
MEAN	69.5	59.4	54.0	68.2	330	274	208	159	207	173	130	120	MEAN
DAM3	186000	144000	145000	177000	885000	710000	558000	426000	538000	463000	336000	320000	DAM3
MAX	77.5	64.2	55.8	114	559	308	265	196	287	193	168	140	MAX
MIN	64.5	56.0	52.7	54.1	102	219	171	124	119	160	93.2	97.2	MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTHS JAN TO DEC
MEAN DISCHARGE, 155 M³/S
TOTAL DISCHARGE, 4890000 DAM3
MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 559 M³/S ON MAY 16
MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 52.7 M³/S ON MAR 12

B-ICE CONDITIONS

MAXIMUM INSTANTANEOUS DISCHARGE, 561 M³/S AT 1250 ON May 16



3.5

STATION NAME: Dunkirk River near Fort MacKay

STATION NUMBER: 07DB003

LOCATION: Latitude 56°51'20", Longitude 112°42'40",
SE 06-91-17-W4

DRAINAGE AREA: 611 square miles (1 580 km²)

PERIOD OF RECORD: This station was established on August 18 1975. Continuous discharge data are available to March 1979. Station discontinued after March 31 1979.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is located on the right bank 52 air miles (84 km) west of Fort McMurray. This station is instrumented with a Stacom manometer linked to a Stevens A-71 recorder. Open water measurements are made by wading at various locations near the gauge or from the cableway 35 feet (11 m) below the gauge.

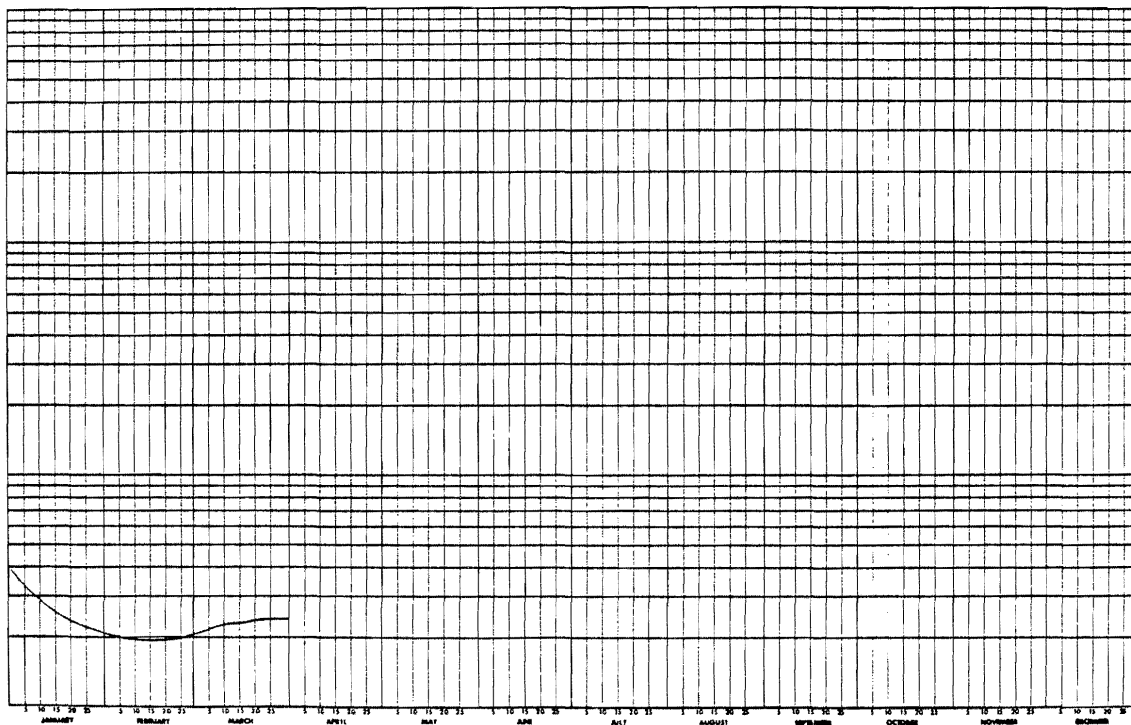
GENERAL: This station appears to have a stable control. The stage discharge relationship has been well defined throughout the measured range in stage.

(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1	.382 B	.206 H	.208 H										1
2	.368 B	.204 B	.210 B										2
3	.354 B	.202 B	.212 B										3
4	.340 B	.200 B	.214 B										4
5	.334 B	.200 B	.216 B										5
6	.326 B	.198 B	.218 B										6
7	.310 B	.198 B	.220 B										7
8	.306 B	.196 B	.222 B										8
9	.294 B	.194 B	.224 B										9
10	.284 B	.192 B	.226 B										10
11	.278 B	.190 B	.229 B										11
12	.275 B	.190 B	.230 B										12
13	.268 B	.190 B	.230 B										13
14	.260 B	.190 B	.232 B										14
15	.256 B	.190 B	.232 B										15
16	.250 B	.190 B	.232 B										16
17	.248 B	.190 B	.234 B										17
18	.244 B	.190 B	.236 B										18
19	.240 B	.190 B	.236 B										19
20	.236 B	.192 B	.238 B										20
21	.232 B	.192 B	.238 B										21
22	.230 B	.194 B	.240 B										22
23	.228 B	.194 B	.240 B										23
24	.224 B	.196 B	.240 B										24
25	.222 B	.198 B	.240 B										25
26	.220 B	.198 B	.240 B										26
27	.216 B	.200 H	.240 B										27
28	.214 B	.204 H	.240 B										28
29	.212 B		.240 B										29
30	.210 B		.240 B										30
31	.208 B		.240 B										31
TOTAL	6,269	5,468	7,137										TOTAL
MEAN	.267	.195	.230										MEAN
DAM3	714	472	617										DAM3
MAX	.382	.206	.240										MAX
MIN	.208	.190	.208										MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTHS JAN TO MAR
MEAN DISCHARGE, .232 M3/S
TOTAL DISCHARGE, 1800 DAM3
MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, .382 M3/S ON JAN 1
MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, .190 M3/S ON FEB 11

B=ICE CONDITIONS



3.6

STATION NAME: Ells River below Gardiner Lakes

STATION NUMBER: 07DA010

LOCATION: Latitude 57°22'30", Longitude 112°33'40",
SE 05-97-16-W4

DRAINAGE AREA: 527 square miles (1 360 km²)

PERIOD OF RECORD: This station was established June 25 1975. Discharge data are available on a continuous basis to March 1979. Station discontinued after March 31 1979.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is located on the left bank approximately five miles (8 km) below Gardiner Lakes and 37 air miles (60 km) northwest of Fort MacKay. This station is instrumented with a Stacom manometer linked to a Stevens A-71 water level recorder. Open water discharge measurements are made by wading 1,000 feet (300 m) above the gauge or from the cableway immediately above the gauge.

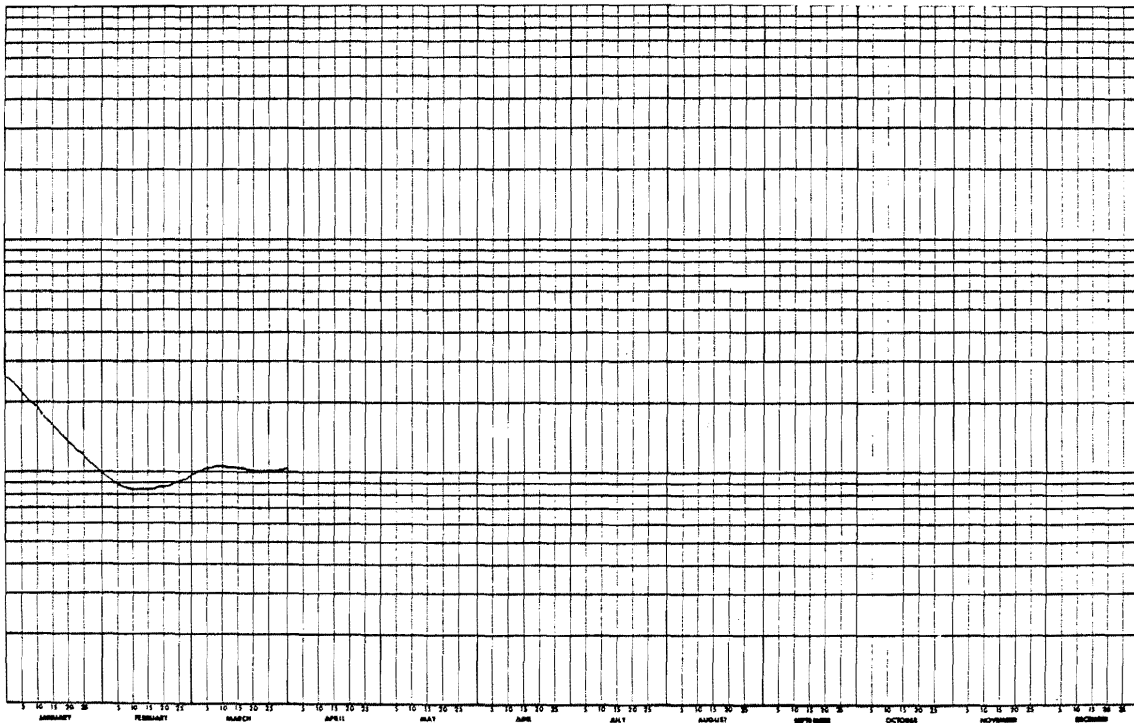
GENERAL: The drainage system of this river consists almost entirely of a series of lakes including Namur, Gardiner, Eaglenest and several small lakes. As a result, the water is relatively clear and the stream responds quite slowly to hydrologic events.

(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1	2.55	.963	.977										1
2	2.46	.949	.991										2
3	2.41	.934	1.01										3
4	2.52	.906	1.02										4
5	2.24	.892	1.03										5
6	2.15	.878	1.05										6
7	2.07	.864	1.05										7
8	2.01	.864	1.06										8
9	1.95	.852	1.08										9
10	1.90	.850	1.08										10
11	1.81	.850	1.06										11
12	1.74	.850	1.06										12
13	1.70	.850	1.06										13
14	1.67	.850	1.05										14
15	1.61	.850	1.05										15
16	1.56	.850	1.05										16
17	1.50	.850	1.03										17
18	1.47	.864	1.03										18
19	1.42	.864	1.02										19
20	1.39	.864	1.02										20
21	1.33	.878	1.01										21
22	1.30	.878	1.01										22
23	1.25	.892	1.01										23
24	1.22	.906	1.01										24
25	1.19	.906	1.01										25
26	1.13	.920	1.01										26
27	1.10	.934	1.01										27
28	1.08	.949	1.02										28
29	1.05		1.03										29
30	1.02		1.06										30
31	.991		1.10										31
TOTAL	50.591	24.757	32.058										TOTAL
MEAN	1.63	.884	1.03										MEAN
DAM3	4370	2140	2770										DAM3
MAX	2.55	.963	1.10										MAX
MIN	.991	.850	.977										MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTHS JAN TO MAR
MEAN DISCHARGE, 1.19 M³/S
TOTAL DISCHARGE, 9290 DAM3
MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 2.55 M³/S ON JAN 1
MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, .850 M³/S ON FEB 10

B-ICE CONDITIONS



3.7

STATION NAME: Ells River near the Mouth

STATION NUMBER: 07DA017

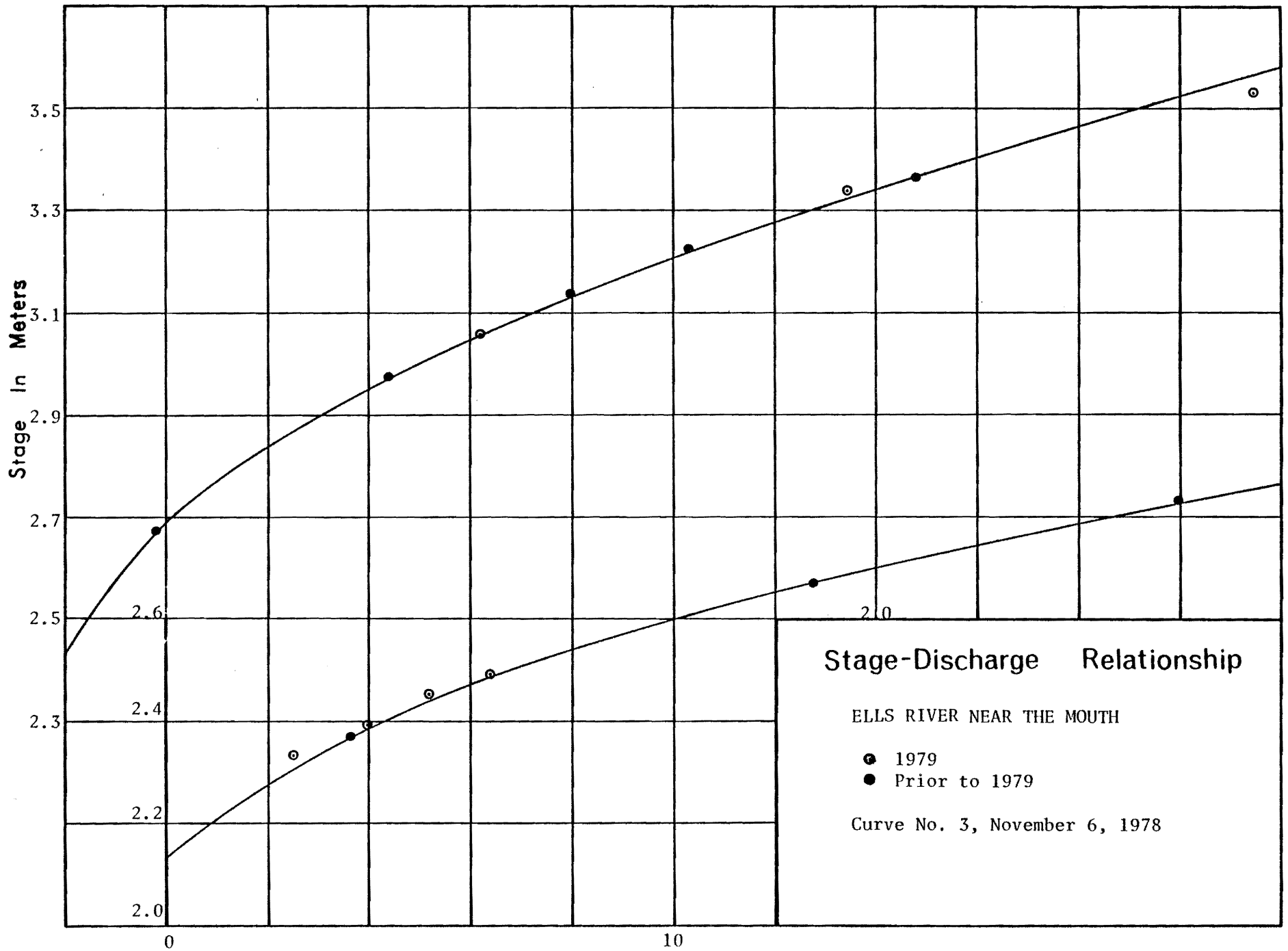
LOCATION: Latitude 57°16'04", Longitude 111°42'51",
SW 27-95-11-W4

DRAINAGE AREA: 960 square miles (2 490 km²)

PERIOD OF RECORD: The station was established July 28 1975.
Discharge data are available on a continuous
basis to December 1979.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is located on the right bank approxi-
mately five miles (8 km) above the confluence
with the Athabasca River and approximately
seven air miles (11 km) northwest of Fort
MacKay. This station is instrumented with a
Stacom manometer linked to a Stevens A-71
water level recorder. Open water discharge
measurements are made by wading near the gauge
or from the cableway located approximately
500 feet (150 m) below the gauge.

GENERAL: The stage discharge relationship is reasonably
well defined and appears quite stable.



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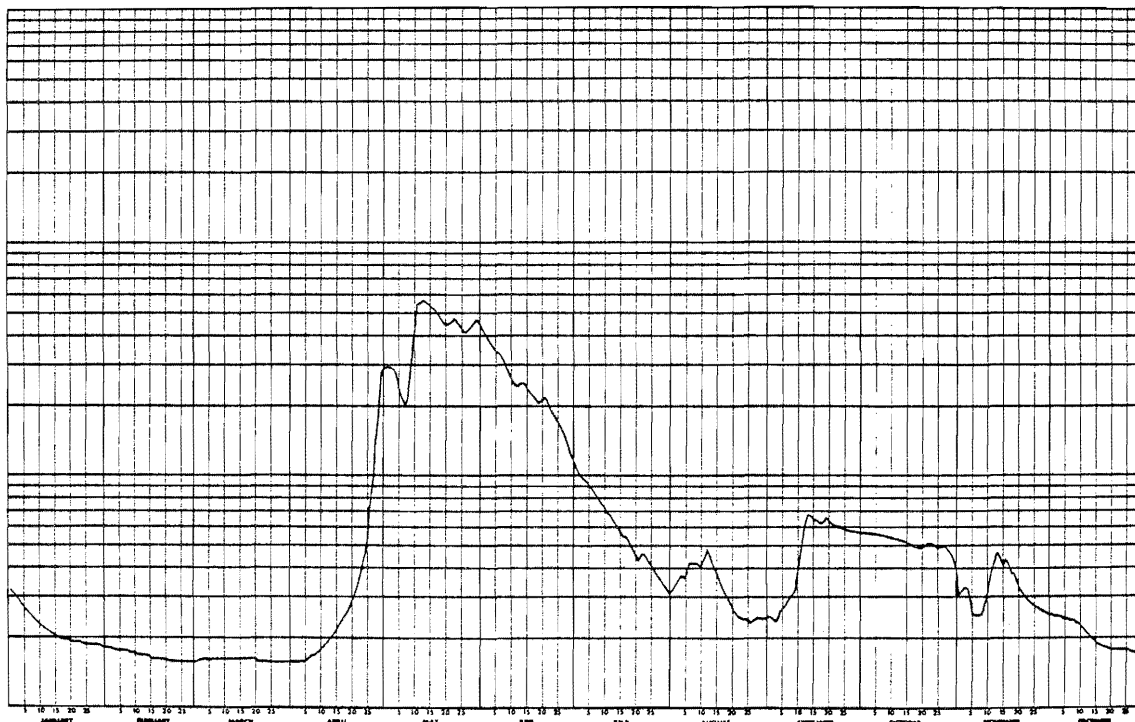
(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1	3.20 B	1.85 H	1.60 H	1.60 B	29.3 H	42.7	10.8	3.19	2.52	5.65 E	3.08 B	2.55 B	1
2	3.10 H	1.85 H	1.65 H	1.60 B	29.4 H	40.6	10.3	3.40	2.44	5.65 E	3.20 B	2.50 B	2
3	2.95 H	1.80 B	1.65 B	1.60 H	29.2 B	38.2	9.79	3.67	2.37	5.65 E	3.36 B	2.50 B	3
4	2.80 B	1.80 B	1.65 B	1.60 B	28.3 B	36.3	9.59	3.74	2.66	5.60 E	3.27 B	2.50 B	4
5	2.70 B	1.80 B	1.65 B	1.63 H	23.4 B	34.7	9.23	3.66	2.72	5.60 E	2.60 B	2.45 B	5
6	2.65 B	1.80 B	1.64 B	1.65 H	21.5 H	33.9	8.90	4.25	2.77	5.60 E	2.55 B	2.45 B	6
7	2.55 B	1.80 B	1.65 B	1.70 H	20.4 H	32.9	8.45	4.22	3.00	5.60 E	2.50 B	2.40 B	7
8	2.45 H	1.77 B	1.65 B	1.70 H	21.1 B	30.1	8.01	4.22	3.06	5.55 E	2.50 B	2.40 B	8
9	2.40 H	1.75 B	1.65 H	1.75 B	29.0 B	28.0	7.62	4.25	3.22	5.55 E	2.80 B	2.35 B	9
10	2.30 H	1.75 B	1.65 B	1.80 B	40.5	26.2	7.42	4.08	3.93	5.50 E	3.15 B	2.30 B	10
11	2.25 H	1.70 H	1.65 H	1.85 B	54.6	24.7	6.95	4.47	4.73	5.45 E	3.58 B	2.20 B	11
12	2.19 H	1.70 H	1.65 B	1.90 H	54.8	24.2	6.81	4.90	6.06	5.40 E	4.22 B	2.15 B	12
13	2.15 H	1.70 H	1.65 B	2.00 B	56.8	25.3	6.38	4.56	6.83	5.35 E	4.69 B	2.05 B	13
14	2.10 H	1.70 H	1.65 B	2.05 B	55.4	25.6	6.06	4.19	6.79	5.30 E	4.58 B	2.00 H	14
15	2.05 B	1.65 B	1.65 H	2.15 B	54.0	24.6	5.92	3.84	6.53	5.20 E	4.11 B	1.95 B	15
16	2.05 B	1.65 H	1.65 B	2.30 B	52.8	23.2	5.56	3.63	6.45	5.05 E	4.40 B	1.90 B	16
17	2.00 H	1.65 H	1.65 B	2.45 H	50.8	22.2	5.52	3.34	6.27	4.98 A	4.15 B	1.85 B	17
18	2.00 B	1.65 H	1.65 B	2.55 B	48.4	21.4	5.20	3.09	6.37	4.98	3.82 B	1.85 B	18
19	2.00 B	1.65 B	1.65 H	2.70 B	45.6	20.4	4.86	2.95	6.66	4.81	3.80 B	1.85 B	19
20	1.95 B	1.65 B	1.65 B	2.90 B	44.6	21.5	4.58	2.73	6.37	4.84	3.35 B	1.80 B	20
21	1.95 B	1.60 B	1.60 B	3.10 H	44.6	22.1	4.32	2.60	6.18	5.03	3.20 B	1.80 B	21
22	1.95 B	1.60 B	1.60 H	3.40 H	45.9	20.7	4.63	2.48	6.15	5.15	3.05 B	1.80 B	22
23	1.95 B	1.60 B	1.60 B	3.90 H	47.5	19.2	4.59	2.48	6.07	5.09	2.95 B	1.80 B	23
24	1.90 H	1.60 B	1.60 B	4.40 H	45.3	18.5	4.33	2.43	5.93	5.01	2.85 B	1.80 B	24
25	1.90 B	1.60 B	1.60 B	5.32 B	43.1	17.0	4.19	2.41	5.89 E	4.88	2.80 B	1.80 B	25
26	1.90 B	1.60 H	1.60 B	7.40 B	40.8	16.6	3.94	2.34	5.85 E	4.96 B	2.75 B	1.80 B	26
27	1.90 H	1.60 B	1.60 B	9.63 B	41.2	15.5	3.78	2.41	5.80 E	5.00 B	2.70 B	1.75 B	27
28	1.90 H	1.60 B	1.60 B	15.0 B	43.1	14.1	3.61	2.49	5.75 E	4.86 B	2.65 B	1.75 B	28
29	1.90 H	1.60 B	1.60 B	20.0 B	45.1	12.7	3.42	2.48	5.70 E	4.84 B	2.60 B	1.75 B	29
30	1.85 H	1.60 B	1.60 B	29.4 B	46.8	11.8	3.25	2.45	5.70 E	4.46 B	2.55 B	1.75 B	30
31	1.85 B	1.60 B	1.60 B		44.9		3.11	2.49		4.14 B		1.75 B	31
TOTAL	68.79	47.47	50.54	141.03	1278.9	744.9	191.12	103.44	150.77	160.53	97.81	63.55	TOTAL
MEAN	2.22	1.70	1.63	4.70	41.3	24.8	6.17	3.34	5.03	5.18	3.26	2.05	MEAN
DAM3	5940	4100	4370	12200	110000	64400	16500	8940	13000	13900	8450	5490	DAM3
MAX	3.20	1.85	1.65	29.4	56.8	42.7	10.8	4.90	6.83	5.65	4.69	2.55	MAX
MIN	1.85	1.60	1.60	1.60	20.4	11.8	3.11	2.34	2.37	4.14	2.50	1.75	MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTHS JAN TO DEC
MEAN DISCHARGE, 6.49 M³/S
TOTAL DISCHARGE, 267000 DAM3
MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 56.8 M³/S ON MAY 13
MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 1.60 M³/S ON FEB 21

A-MANUAL GAUGE
H-ICE CONDITIONS
E-ESTIMATED

MAXIMUM INSTANTANEOUS DISCHARGE, 61.1 M³/S AT 0545 ON May 11



3.8

STATION NAME: Firebag River near the Mouth

STATION NUMBER: 07DC001

LOCATION: Latitude 57°38'30", Longitude 111°10'30",
NE 35-99-08-W4

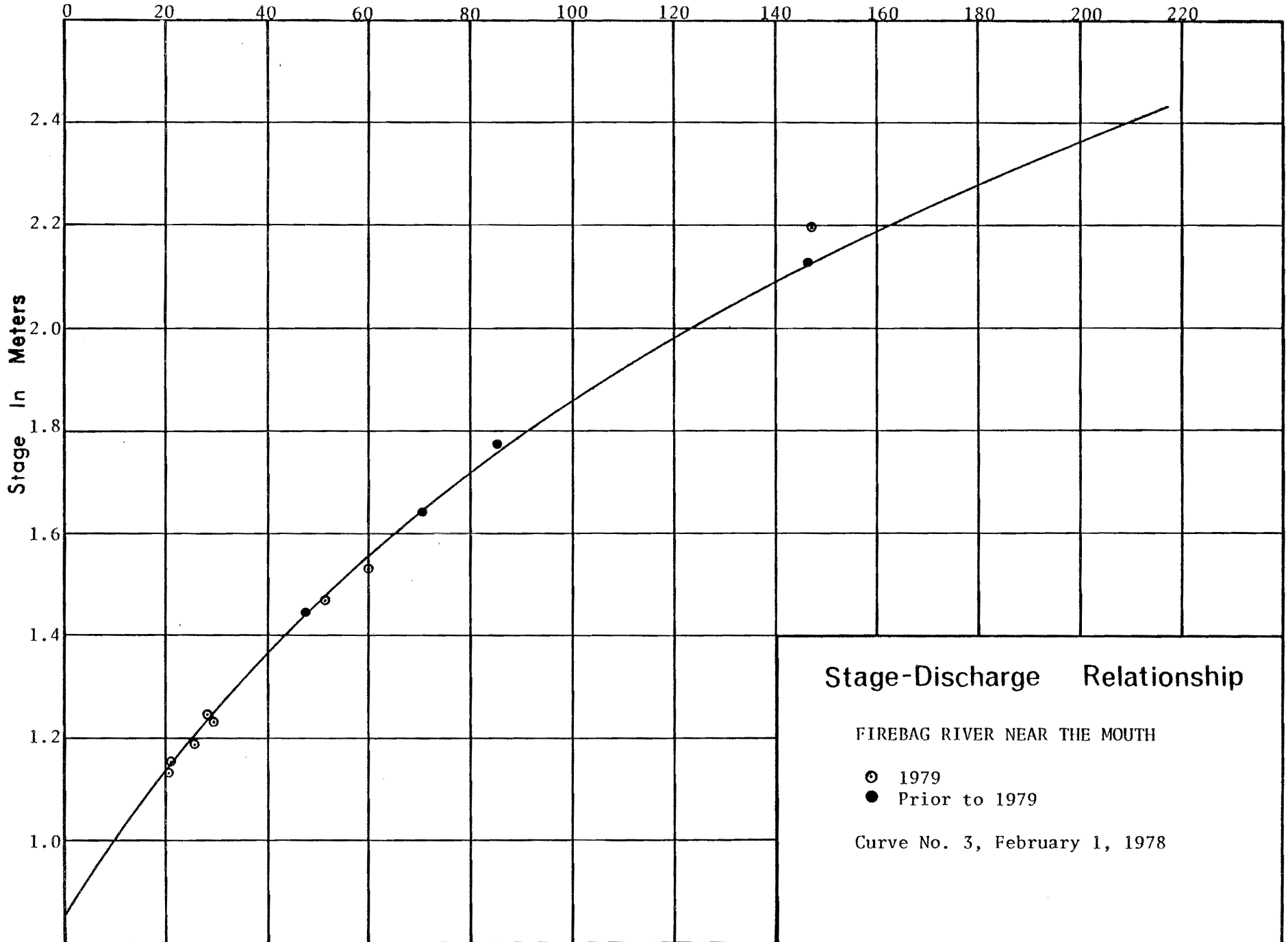
DRAINAGE AREA: 2 330 square miles (6 030 km²)

PERIOD OF RECORD: The station was established on October 16
1971. Discharge data are available on a
more-or-less continuous basis to December
1979.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is located on the right bank about
eighteen and one-half miles (30 km) by river
above the confluence with the Athabasca River
and about 900 feet (270 m) above the Forestry
bridge. The station is instrumented with a
Stacom manometer linked to a Stevens A-71
water level recorder. Open-water discharge
measurements are made from the cableway
approximately three-quarters of a mile (1.2 km)
below the gauge.

GENERAL: Prior to construction of the cableway in 1976
the discharge measurements were generally made
by boat at approximately the same location.

Discharge In CMS



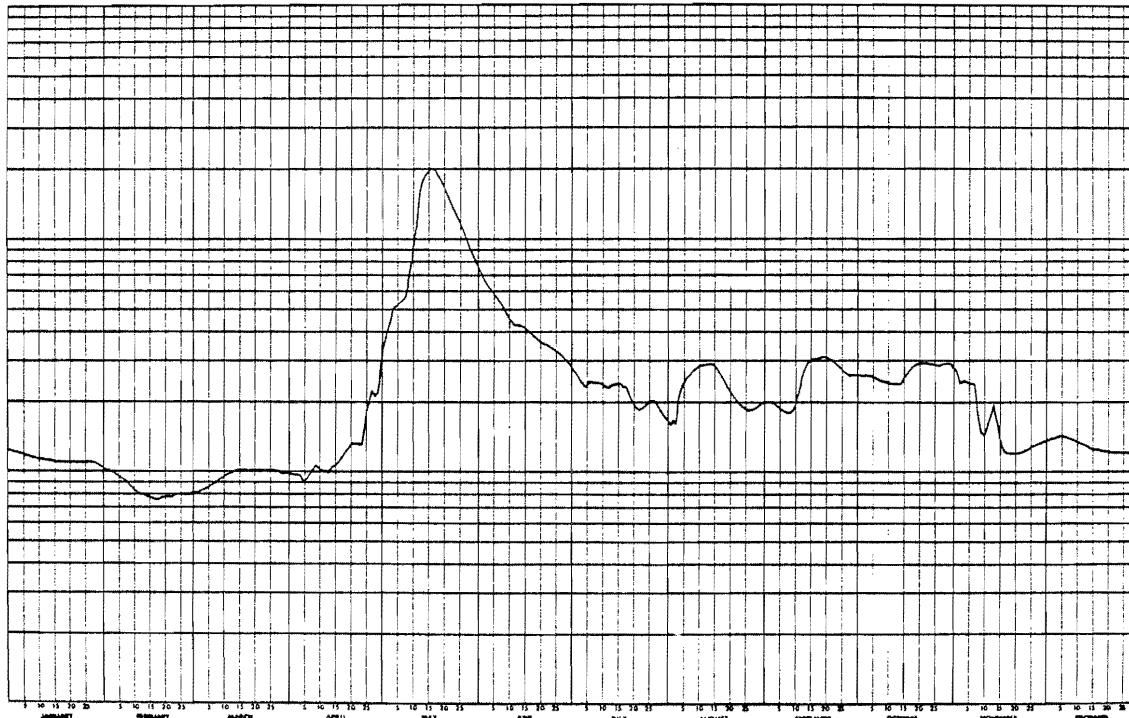
(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1	12.4 B	10.2 H	8.20 H	10.0 H	36.1 H	72.7	26.4	16.2	20.0	26.1	27.7 B	13.8 B	1
2	12.2 H	10.2 H	8.20 H	9.40 H	40.0 H	68.2	25.4	16.9	20.1	26.0	24.0 H	14.0 H	2
3	12.2 H	10.0 H	8.40 H	9.80 H	43.7 B	64.3	24.7	19.2	19.4	26.2	24.7 H	14.0 H	3
4	12.0 H	9.60 H	8.60 H	9.74 H	50.2	61.0	23.6	21.9	19.8	25.7	24.9 H	14.2 H	4
5	12.0 H	9.60 B	8.60 H	9.07 H	50.6	59.5	23.5	23.6	19.1	25.8	24.1 H	14.4 H	5
6	11.8 B	9.37 B	8.80 H	9.27 H	52.3	57.2	24.5	25.4	18.5	25.5	24.0 H	14.4 H	6
7	11.8 H	9.20 B	8.98 H	9.81 H	53.8	54.7	24.5	26.0	18.2	24.8	24.3 H	14.2 H	7
8	11.6 H	9.00 H	9.00 H	10.3 H	55.7	52.1	24.4	27.0	17.9	24.6	24.6 H	14.0 H	8
9	11.6 B	8.60 H	9.40 H	10.8 H	68.0 H	49.2	24.5	27.9	18.1	24.4	14.7 H	13.8 H	9
10	11.4 B	8.40 B	9.60 B	10.6 H	77.1 H	46.7	24.1	28.1	19.3	24.3	14.6 H	13.6 H	10
11	11.4 H	8.20 H	9.80 H	10.2 H	96.2 H	44.3	23.3	28.9	21.9	23.9	15.6 H	13.4 H	11
12	11.2 H	8.00 H	10.0 H	10.1 H	124 H	43.0	23.1	29.3	24.5	24.0	17.0 H	13.2 H	12
13	11.2 H	8.00 H	10.0 H	9.90 H	173 H	43.1	23.7	29.3	24.5	23.8	19.7 H	13.0 H	13
14	11.2 H	7.80 H	10.2 H	10.5 H	185 H	43.1	23.8	29.4	24.5	23.9	16.7 H	12.8 H	14
15	11.1 B	7.80 B	10.2 H	10.7 H	196 H	42.5	24.2	29.0	30.1	25.0	14.5 H	12.6 H	15
16	11.0 H	7.80 B	10.2 B	10.9 H	201	41.3	24.2	28.2	30.8	26.2	12.3 H	12.6 H	16
17	11.0 H	7.60 H	10.2 H	11.3 H	200	39.9	23.3	27.1	30.8	27.8	12.1 H	12.6 H	17
18	11.0 H	7.60 H	10.2 H	12.0 H	193	38.2	22.3	25.5	31.1	28.4	12.0 H	12.4 H	18
19	11.0 H	7.80 H	10.2 H	12.7 H	185	37.0	21.5	23.7	31.4	28.9	12.0 H	12.4 H	19
20	11.0 B	7.60 B	10.2 B	13.1 H	172	36.8	20.2	22.5	31.4	29.2	12.0 H	12.4 H	20
21	11.0 H	7.80 H	10.2 H	13.4 H	158	36.1	18.9	21.5	30.8	29.5	12.2 H	12.2 H	21
22	11.0 H	7.80 H	10.2 H	13.3 H	149	35.5	18.7	20.2	30.2	29.5	12.2 H	12.2 H	22
23	11.0 H	8.00 H	10.2 H	13.3 H	139	34.7	18.8	19.7	29.3	29.3	12.4 H	12.2 H	23
24	11.0 H	8.00 H	10.2 H	13.8 H	129	34.4	19.4	19.0	28.4	29.2	12.6 H	12.2 H	24
25	11.0 B	8.00 H	10.2 H	16.8 H	122	33.5	20.2	18.5	27.4	28.8	12.6 H	12.2 H	25
26	11.0 H	8.00 H	10.2 H	20.2 H	114	32.7	20.3	18.3	26.8	28.9	13.0 H	12.2 H	26
27	11.0 H	8.00 H	10.2 H	22.6 H	105	32.1	20.4	18.3	26.2	28.8	13.2 H	12.2 H	27
28	11.0 H	8.00 H	10.2 H	21.4 H	97.9	31.0	19.6	18.6	26.1	29.1	13.4 H	12.2 H	28
29	10.8 H	10.0 H	10.0 H	21.5 H	90.3	29.5	18.4	19.4	26.0	29.3	13.6 H	12.2 H	29
30	10.6 H	10.0 H	10.0 H	26.9 H	83.6	28.0	17.4	19.4	26.1	29.3	13.8 H	12.2 H	30
31	10.4 H	10.0 H	10.0 H	77.7	77.7	28.0	16.5	19.8	27.8 B	27.8 B	12.0 H	12.0 H	31
TOTAL	349.9	236.37	300.78	393.79	3518.4	1322.3	684.0	718.0	757.1	834.0	493.9	401.8	TOTAL
MEAN	11.3	8.44	9.70	13.1	113	44.1	22.1	23.2	25.2	26.9	16.5	13.0	MEAN
DAM3	30200	20400	26000	34000	304000	114000	59100	62000	65400	72100	42700	34700	DAM3
MAX	12.4	10.2	10.2	26.9	201	72.7	26.4	29.4	31.4	29.5	27.7	14.4	MAX
MIN	10.4	7.60	8.20	9.07	36.1	28.0	16.5	16.2	17.9	23.8	12.0	12.0	MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTHS JAN TO DEC
 MEAN DISCHARGE, 27.4 M³/S
 TOTAL DISCHARGE, 865000 DAM3
 MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 201 M³/S ON MAY 16
 MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 7.60 M³/S ON FEB 17

B-ICE CONDITIONS

MAXIMUM INSTANTANEDUS DISCHARGE, 204 M³/S AT 1215 ON May 16



3.9

STATION NAME: Gregoire Lake near Fort McMurray

STATION NUMBER: 07CE001

LOCATION: Latitude 56°27'00", Longitude 111°03'30"

DRAINAGE AREA:

PERIOD OF RECORD: This station was established August 1, 1969. Water levels are available for open-water seasons to 1979.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is located 30 m west of the outlet to Gregoire River. This station is now instrumented with a Stacom manometer linked to a Stevens A-35 water level recorder.

GENERAL: Water levels are referred to Geodetic datum.

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GREGOIRE LAKE NEAR FT. MCMURRAY

STATION NO. 07CE001

(PRELIMINARY) DAILY WATER LEVEL IN METRES FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1					475.262	475.524	475.389	475.364	475.297	475.483	475.527		1
2					475.267	475.516	475.384	475.355	475.293	475.460	475.340		2
3					475.271	475.504	475.384	475.359	475.299	475.473	475.345		3
4					475.276	475.500	475.377	475.355	475.304	475.450	475.327		4
5					475.281	475.506	475.368	475.349	475.300	475.372	475.339		5
6					475.285	475.525	475.366	475.361	475.299	475.387	475.323		6
7					475.290	475.509	475.372	475.354	475.300	475.369	475.321		7
8					475.296	475.510	475.383	475.355	475.303	475.354	475.322		8
9					475.300	475.502	475.376	475.351	475.348	475.352	475.324		9
10					475.304	475.495	475.368	475.348	475.382	475.353	475.326		10
11					475.311	475.484	475.361	475.361	475.392	475.351	475.325		11
12					475.326	475.490	475.378	475.356	475.403	475.350	475.325		12
13					475.343	475.488	475.404	475.347	475.428	475.349	475.325		13
14					475.367	475.502	475.415	475.343	475.436	475.349	475.325		14
15					475.394	475.494	475.415	475.384	475.450	475.335	475.326		15
16					475.417	475.487	475.420	475.345	475.476	475.352	475.321		16
17					475.442	475.492	475.425	475.342	475.461	475.351			17
18					475.466	475.479	475.421	475.342	475.469	475.357			18
19					475.487	475.488	475.422	475.339	475.465	475.351			19
20					475.501	475.487	475.422	475.345	475.462	475.345			20
21					475.512	475.474	475.403	475.327	475.456	475.341			21
22					475.523	475.469	475.429	475.318	475.457	475.339			22
23					475.530	475.467	475.418	475.327	475.461	475.338			23
24					475.536	475.466	475.403	475.316	475.485	475.339			24
25					475.541	475.503	475.396	475.305	475.536	475.330			25
26					475.539	475.519	475.392	475.303	475.502	475.345			26
27					475.552	475.504	475.388	475.312	475.517	475.347			27
28					475.556	475.492	475.378	475.316	475.505	475.346			28
29					475.549	475.416	475.369	475.307	475.491	475.347			29
30					475.528	475.398	475.364	475.306	475.489	475.342			30
31					475.525		475.359	475.313		475.331			31
TOTAL					14737.777	14264.660	14737.149	14735.465	14262.464	14736.288			TOTAL
MEAN					475.412	475.489	475.392	475.338	475.416	475.364			MEAN
MAX					475.556	475.525	475.429	475.364	475.536	475.483			MAX
MIN					475.262	475.398	475.359	475.303	475.293	475.330			MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE YEAR 1979

MAXIMUM DAILY WATER LEVEL, 475.556 METRES ON MAY 28

MINIMUM DAILY WATER LEVEL, 475.262 METRES ON MAY 1
 MAXIMUM INSTANTANEOUS WATER LEVEL, METRES AT
 WATER LEVELS ARE REFERRED TO GSC

H=ICE CONDITIONS

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3.10

STATION NAME: Hangingstone River at Fort McMurray

STATION NUMBER: 07CD004

LOCATION: Latitude 56°42'18", Longitude 111°21'20",
NW 10-89-09-W4.

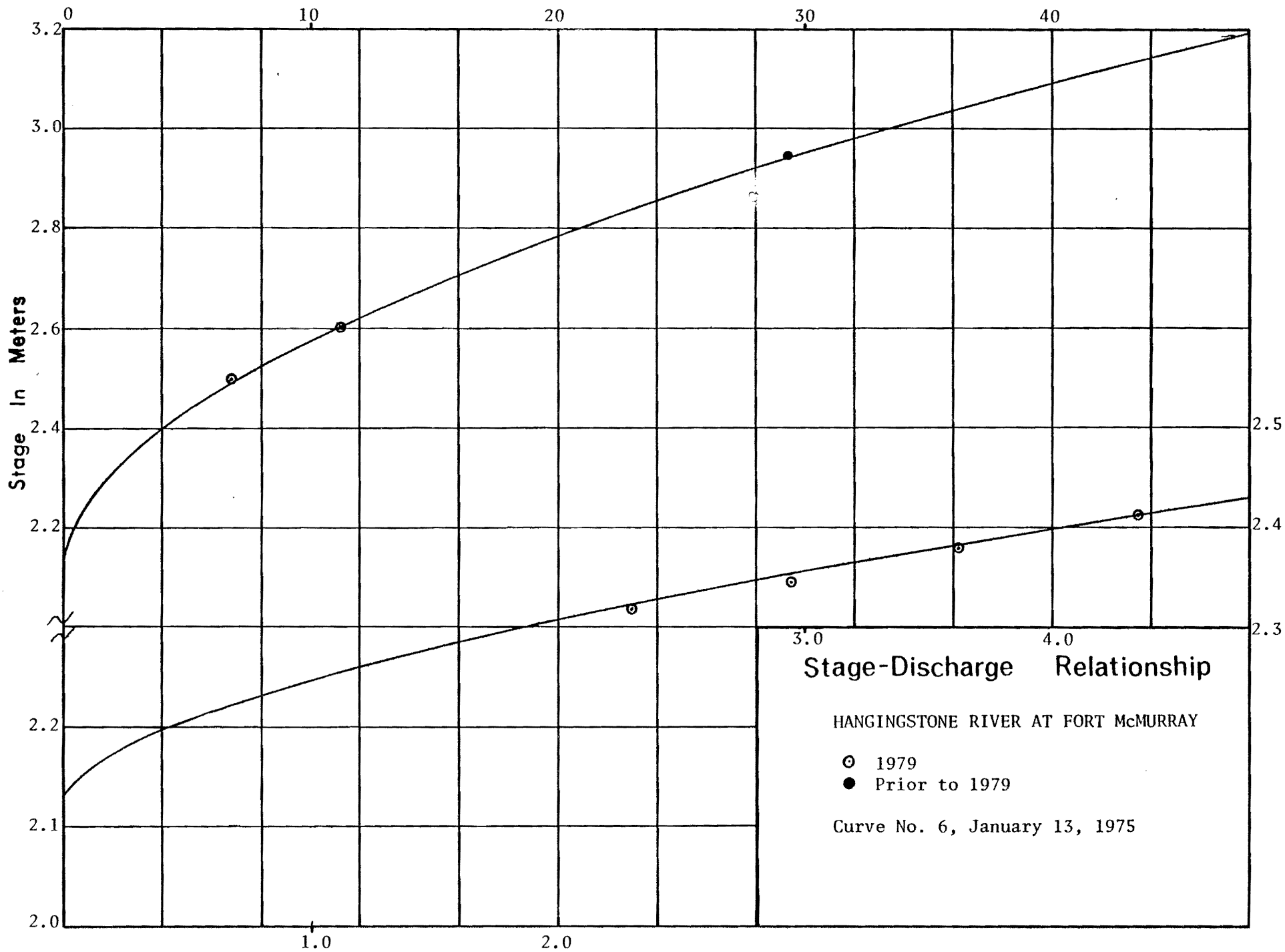
DRAINAGE AREA: 353 square miles (914 km²)

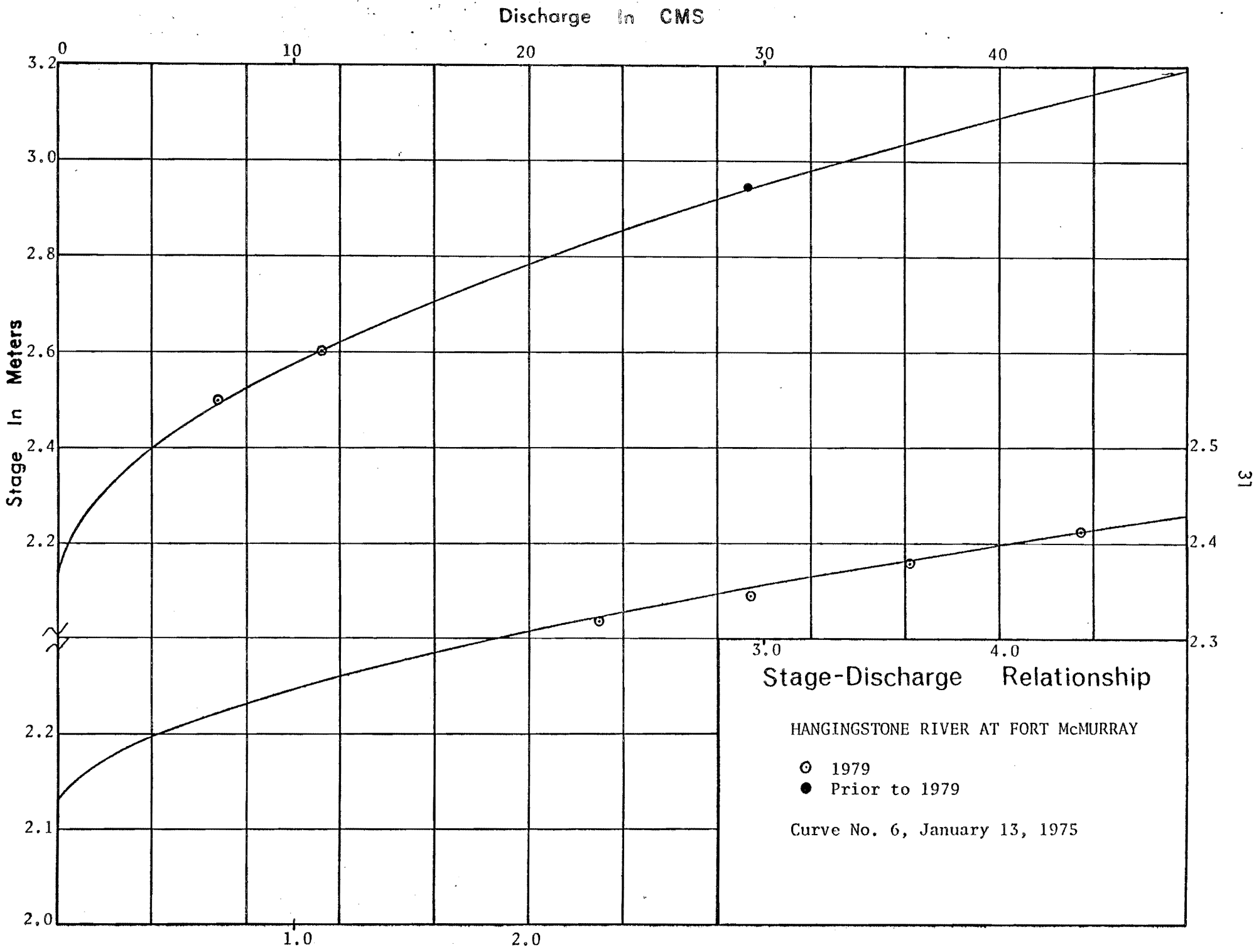
PERIOD OF RECORD: The station was established on April 8 1965. Discharge data for periods of varying length are available to 1969. From January 1970 to December 1979 discharge data were collected on a continuous basis.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is a wire-weight gauge located on the traffic bridge between Fort McMurray and Waterways. The gauge is read on a daily basis during the open-water period by a paid observer. Open-water measurements are made by wading at various locations or from the highway bridge about one-quarter mile (0.4 km) upstream from the gauge.

GENERAL:

Discharge In CMS



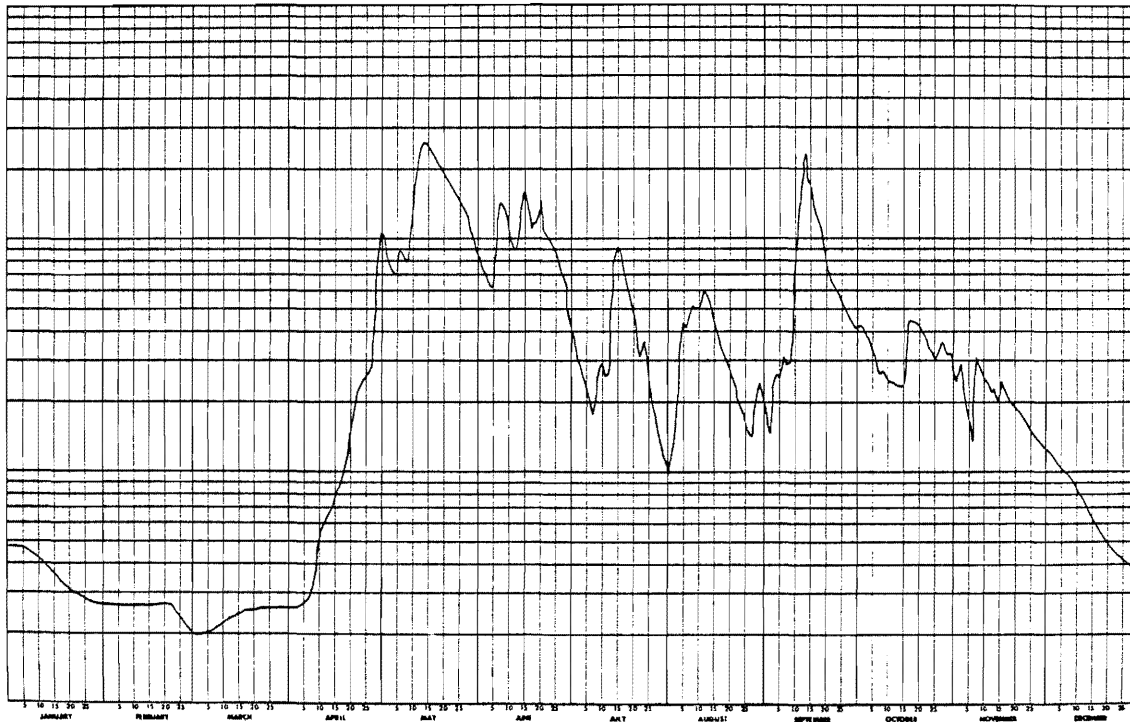


(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1	.485 B	.270 B	.200 B	.260 B	9.80 B	8.19	3.50	1.21	1.80	4.36	2.46	1.20 B	1
2	.480 B	.270 B	.200 B	.260 B	8.40 B	7.14	3.28	1.44	1.44	4.04	2.93	1.16 B	2
3	.480 B	.270 B	.200 B	.260 B	8.07 B	6.86	2.86	2.93	2.46	3.73	2.13	1.13 B	3
4	.475 B	.270 B	.205 B	.265 B	6.86 B	6.15	2.46	4.36	2.59	3.58	1.80	1.08 B	4
5	.470 B	.270 B	.205 B	.270 B	8.19 B	6.25	2.33	4.11	2.52	3.21	1.60 B	1.04 B	5
6	.465 B	.270 B	.210 B	.280 B	9.20 B	9.02	2.07	4.11	3.14	3.14	1.35	1.01 B	6
7	.460 B	.270 B	.215 B	.300 B	8.31 B	14.6	1.74	4.70	2.86	2.65	3.14 B	.970 B	7
8	.450 B	.270 B	.218 B	.370 B	7.85 B	14.0	2.33	5.22	2.93	2.72	2.90 B	.920 B	8
9	.440 B	.270 B	.225 B	.464 B	10.4 B	13.5	2.86	5.04	4.36	2.52	2.70 B	.870 B	9
10	.435 B	.270 B	.230 B	.540 B	13.2 B	11.2	3.00	4.87	11.3	2.46	2.50 B	.830 B	10
11	.415 B	.270 B	.235 B	.600 B	18.6 B	9.14	2.52	6.05	15.1	2.46	2.35 B	.780 B	11
12	.400 B	.270 B	.240 B	.640 B	23.1	8.78	2.72	5.95	23.2	2.39	2.20 B	.730 B	12
13	.390 B	.269 B	.240 B	.690 B	25.4	11.2	7.96	5.58	21.0	2.33	2.33 B	.680 B	13
14	.375 B	.270 B	.245 B	.740 B	26.0	15.6	8.55	5.13	18.0	2.39	1.96 B	.650 B	14
15	.365 B	.270 B	.250 B	.790 B	25.6 E	16.1	9.90	4.36	15.7	3.36	2.46 B	.610 B	15
16	.355 B	.270 B	.250 B	.850 B	24.6	14.0	8.55	3.81	13.0	3.96	2.20 B	.580 B	16
17	.345 B	.270 B	.255 B	.940 B	23.6	11.2	6.86	3.07	12.0	4.53	2.10 B	.560 B	17
18	.335 B	.275 B	.255 B	1.03 B	22.2	11.6	5.49	3.21	10.8	4.36	2.00 B	.530 B	18
19	.325 B	.275 B	.255 B	1.30 B	20.2	11.9	4.53	2.93	9.90	4.36	1.90 B	.510 B	19
20	.315 B	.275 B	.255 B	1.60 B	19.1	14.9	3.66	2.79	8.19	4.04	1.82 B	.490 B	20
21	.305 B	.275 B	.260 B	1.90 B	18.0	10.8	3.36	2.59	7.08	3.81	1.75 B	.480 B	21
22	.300 B	.270 B	.260 B	2.19 B	17.6	10.3	3.07	2.13	6.46	3.58	1.68 B	.460 B	22
23	.295 B	.260 B	.260 B	2.35 B	16.7	9.90	3.73	1.80	6.15	3.36	1.60 B	.450 B	23
24	.290 B	.245 B	.260 B	2.50 B	15.6	9.51	3.28	1.69	5.49	3.14	1.53 B	.430 B	24
25	.285 B	.235 B	.260 B	2.60 B	15.0	8.78	2.65	1.48	5.22	3.07	1.48 B	.420 B	25
26	.280 B	.225 B	.260 B	2.68 B	14.0	7.85	1.80	1.44	4.87	3.43	1.41 B	.410 B	26
27	.275 B	.215 B	.260 B	3.00 B	13.2	7.08	1.69	1.39	4.53	3.66	1.37 B	.400 B	27
28	.275 B	.205 B	.260 B	6.00 B	11.3	5.13	1.44	2.07	4.28	3.43	1.32 B	.390 B	28
29	.270 B		.260 B	9.50 B	9.64	4.62	1.35	2.46	4.11	3.21	1.28 B	.380 B	29
30	.270 B		.260 B	10.7 B	8.78	3.89	1.12	2.26	4.28	3.21	1.24 B	.370 B	30
31	.270 B		.260 B		8.55		.957	2.20		2.59		.360 B	31
TOTAL	11,375	7,344	7,448	55,869	467,05	299,24	111,417	102,38	234,76	103,08	59,49	20,880	TOTAL
MEAN	.367	.262	.240	1.86	15.1	9.97	3.59	3.30	7.83	3.33	1.98	.674	MEAN
DAM3	983	635	644	4830	40400	25900	9630	8850	20300	8910	5140	1800	DAM3
MAX	.485	.275	.260	10.7	26.0	16.1	9.90	6.05	23.2	4.53	3.14	1.20	MAX
MIN	.270	.205	.200	.260	6.86	3.89	.957	1.21	1.44	2.33	1.24	.360	MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTHS JAN TO DEC
MEAN DISCHARGE, 4.06 M3/S
TOTAL DISCHARGE, 128000 DAM3
MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 26.0 M3/S ON MAY 14
MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, .200 M3/S ON MAR 1

B=ICE CONDITIONS
E=ESTIMATED



3.11

STATION NAME: Hartley Creek near Fort MacKay

STATION NUMBER: 07DA009

LOCATION: Latitude 57°15'34", Longitude 111°27'53",
NW 19-95-09-W4

DRAINAGE AREA: 142 square miles (368 km²)

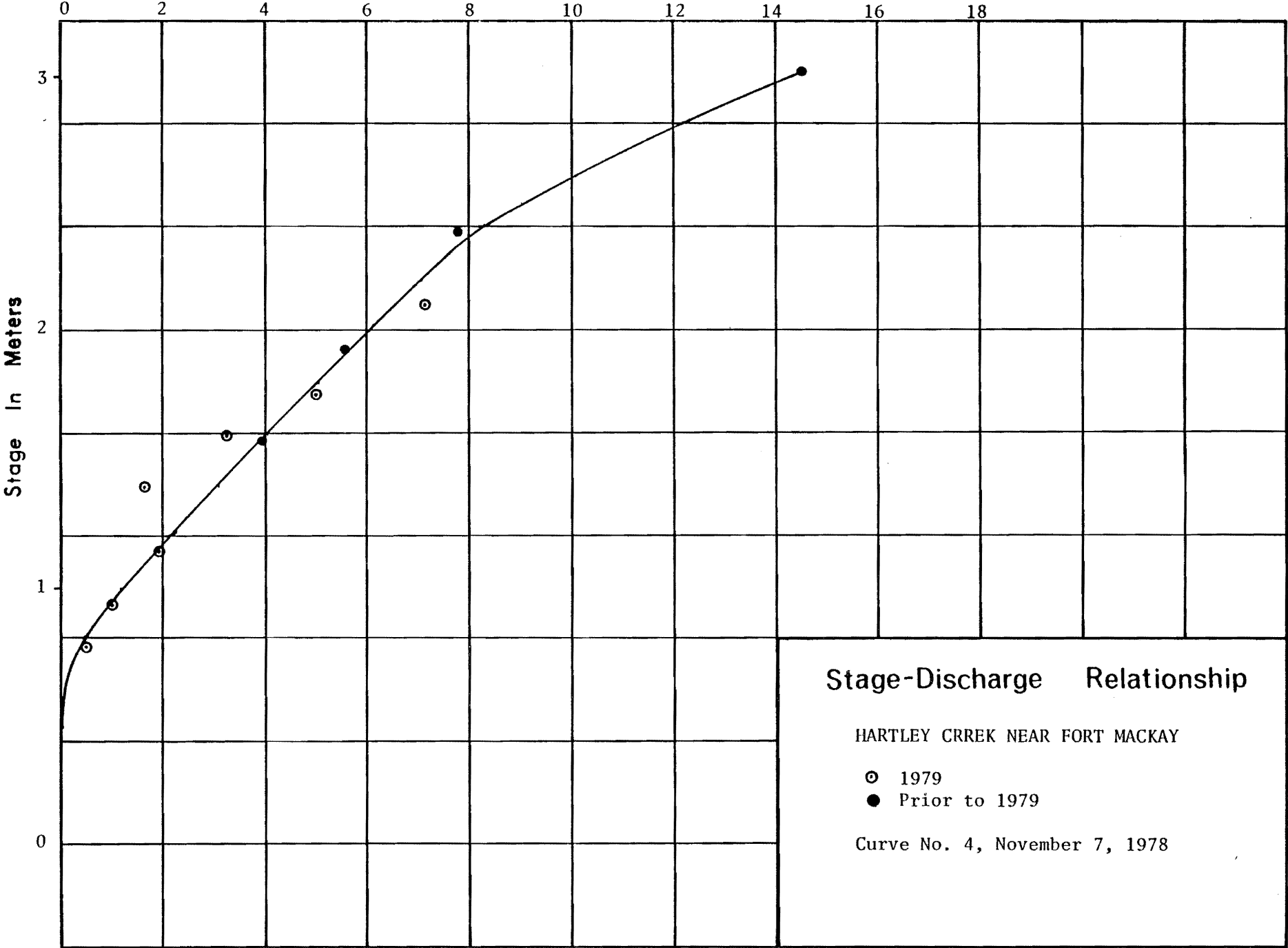
PERIOD OF RECORD: The station was established on June 17 1975.
Discharge data are available on a continuous
basis to December 1979.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is located on the left bank approxi-
mately one-quarter mile (0.4 km) above its
confluence with the Muskeg River and nine air
miles (14 km) northeast of Fort MacKay. This
station is instrumented with a Stacom manometer
linked to a Stevens A-71 water level recorder.

Open water measurements are made from the
cableway immediately below the gauge or by
wading at various locations near the gauge.

GENERAL: The stage discharge relationship is adversely
affected by beaver activity.

Discharge In CMS



Stage-Discharge Relationship

HARTLEY CRREK NEAR FORT MACKAY

- 1979
- Prior to 1979

Curve No. 4, November 7, 1978

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HARTLEY CREEK NEAR FT. MACKAY

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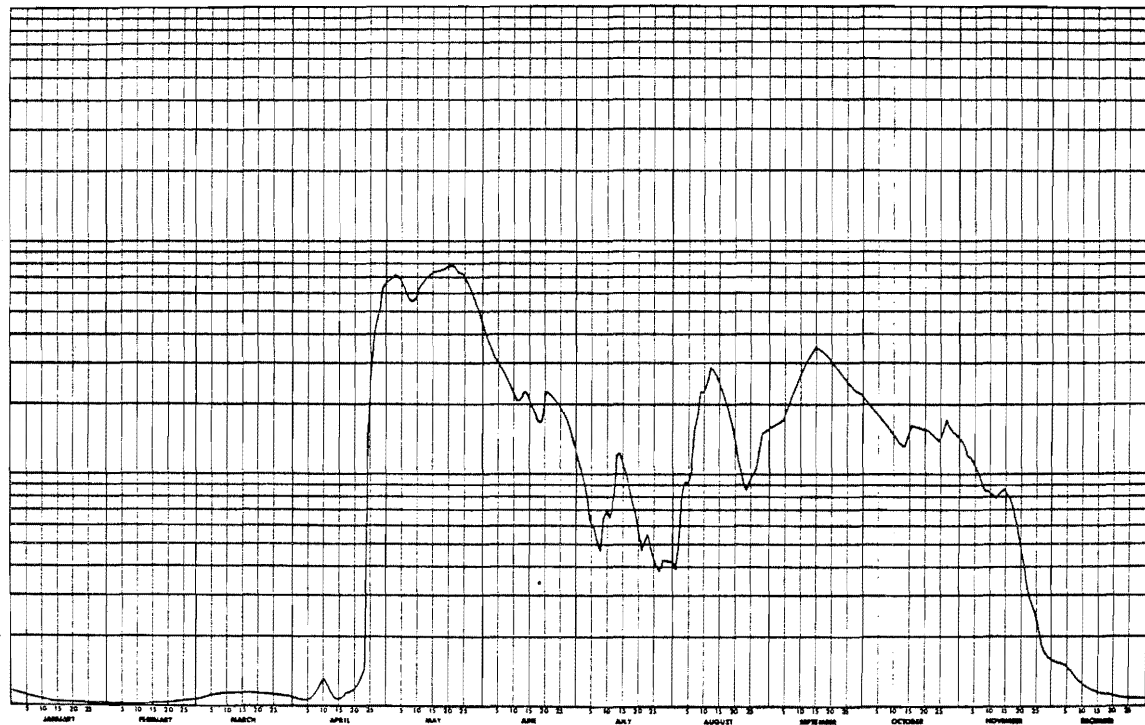
(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1	.032 B	.006 B	.019 B	.018 B	6.90 B	4.00	1.11	.388	1.60 E	2.11	1.40 B	.118 B	1
2	.029 B	.006 B	.020 B	.017 B	7.05 B	3.68	.971	.473	1.63 E	2.06	1.34 B	.110 B	2
3	.026 B	.006 B	.022 B	.016 B	7.22 B	3.38	.850	.831	1.66 E	1.99	1.20 B	.104 B	3
4	.023 B	.006 B	.024 B	.015 B	7.10 B	3.15	.709	.930	1.69 E	1.91	1.19 B	.102 B	4
5	.021 B	.006 B	.026 B	.015 B	6.88 B	3.00	.612	.903	1.73 E	1.85	1.12 B	.098 B	5
6	.020 B	.006 B	.028 B	.020 B	6.42 B	2.91	.594	1.03	1.92 E	1.77	1.05 B	.090 B	6
7	.019 B	.006 B	.029 B	.031 B	5.88 B	2.72	.504	1.55	2.10 E	1.69	.957 B	.078 B	7
8	.018 B	.006 B	.030 B	.040 B	5.50 B	2.56	.467	1.78	2.29 E	1.59	.884 B	.068 B	8
9	.017 B	.006 B	.030 B	.061 B	5.60 B	2.42	.657	2.27	2.47 E	1.53	.843 B	.060 B	9
10	.016 B	.007 B	.031 B	.066 B	6.08	2.27	.709	2.27	2.66 E	1.49	.800 B	.050 B	10
11	.014 B	.007 B	.031 B	.053 B	6.48	2.08	.651	2.47	2.85 E	1.44	.804 B	.044 B	11
12	.012 B	.007 B	.032 B	.029 B	6.81	2.07	.758	2.89	3.03 E	1.36	.791 B	.038 B	12
13	.010 B	.008 B	.032 B	.021 B	7.05	2.25	1.21	2.86	3.22 E	1.32	.809 B	.034 B	13
14	.010 B	.008 B	.033 B	.018 B	7.16	2.27	1.24	2.71	3.41 E	1.31	.849 B	.030 B	14
15	.009 B	.008 B	.033 B	.017 B	7.29	2.12	1.13	2.56	3.59 E	1.52	.847 B	.026 B	15
16	.009 B	.008 B	.033 B	.020 B	7.41	1.96	.979	2.34	3.50 E	1.62	.819 B	.024 B	16
17	.008 B	.009 B	.033 B	.032 B	7.51	1.81	.851	2.12	3.41 E	1.60	.796 B	.022 B	17
18	.008 B	.009 B	.032 B	.034 B	7.52	1.88	.735	1.90	3.31 E	1.58	.726 B	.020 B	18
19	.007 B	.009 B	.032 B	.036 B	7.71	1.68	.673	1.68	3.22 A	1.58	.684 B	.020 B	19
20	.007 B	.010 B	.031 B	.040 B	7.88	2.18	.579	1.46	3.02	1.56	.599 B	.020 B	20
21	.007 B	.011 B	.031 B	.048 B	7.88	2.27	.477	1.27	2.90	1.56	.430 B	.018 B	21
22	.006 B	.012 B	.030 B	.064 B	7.80	2.21	.521	1.07	2.83	1.52	.369 B	.018 B	22
23	.006 B	.013 B	.030 B	.099 B	7.51	2.14	.547	.908	2.75	1.45	.295 B	.018 B	23
24	.006 B	.014 B	.029 B	1.21 B	7.30	2.09	.518	.855	2.65	1.42	.273 B	.018 B	24
25	.006 B	.015 B	.028 B	2.66 B	7.08	1.97	.443	.953	2.56	1.38	.256 B	.018 B	25
26	.006 B	.016 B	.027 B	3.48 B	6.79	1.86	.406	1.01	2.47	1.49	.221 B	.016 B	26
27	.006 B	.017 B	.026 B	4.43 B	6.36	1.74	.380	1.07	2.36	1.62	.173 B	.016 B	27
28	.006 B	.018 B	.025 B	5.08 B	5.91	1.58	.429	1.25	2.27	1.59	.151 B	.016 B	28
29	.006 B		.024 B	6.40 B	5.36	1.41	.423	1.51 A	2.25	1.55	.132 B	.016 B	29
30	.006 B		.022 B	6.65 B	4.86	1.25	.421	1.54 E	2.22	1.49	.122 B	.016 B	30
31	.006 B		.020 B		4.41		.422	1.57 E		1.44 B		.016 B	31
TOTAL	.382	.260	.873	30.720	208.51	68.71	20.976	48.421	77.57	49.39	20.800	1.342	TOTAL
MEAN	.012	.009	.028	1.02	6.73	2.29	.677	1.56	2.59	1.59	.693	.043	MEAN
DAM3	33.0	22.5	75.4	2650	18000	5940	1810	4180	6700	4270	1800	116	DAM3
MAX	.032	.018	.033	6.65	7.88	4.00	1.24	2.89	3.59	2.11	1.40	.118	MAX
MIN	.006	.006	.019	.015	4.41	1.25	.380	.388	1.60	1.31	.122	.016	MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTHS JAN TO DEC
MEAN DISCHARGE, 1.45 M3/S
TOTAL DISCHARGE, 45600 DAM3
MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 7.88 M3/S ON MAY 20
MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, .006 M3/S ON JAN 22

A-MANUAL GAUGE
B-ICE CONDITIONS
E-ESTIMATED

MAXIMUM INSTANTANEOUS DISCHARGE, 8.07 M3/S AT 1900 ON May 20



3.12

STATION NAME: Horse River at Abasands Park

STATION NUMBER: 07CC001

LOCATION: Latitude 56°42'29", Longitude 111°23'40",
NE 08-89-09-W4

DRAINAGE AREA: 842 square miles (2 180 km²)

PERIOD OF RECORD: The gauge was established on September 25 1975 and discharge data are available on a continuous basis to August 1979, then station was discontinued.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is located on the right bank approximately two miles (3.2 km) above the confluence with the Athabasca River. This station is instrumented with a Stacom manometer linked to a Stevens A-71 water level recorder.

A cableway was completed at this site in September 1976. Prior to that, open water discharge measurements were made by wading or by boat.

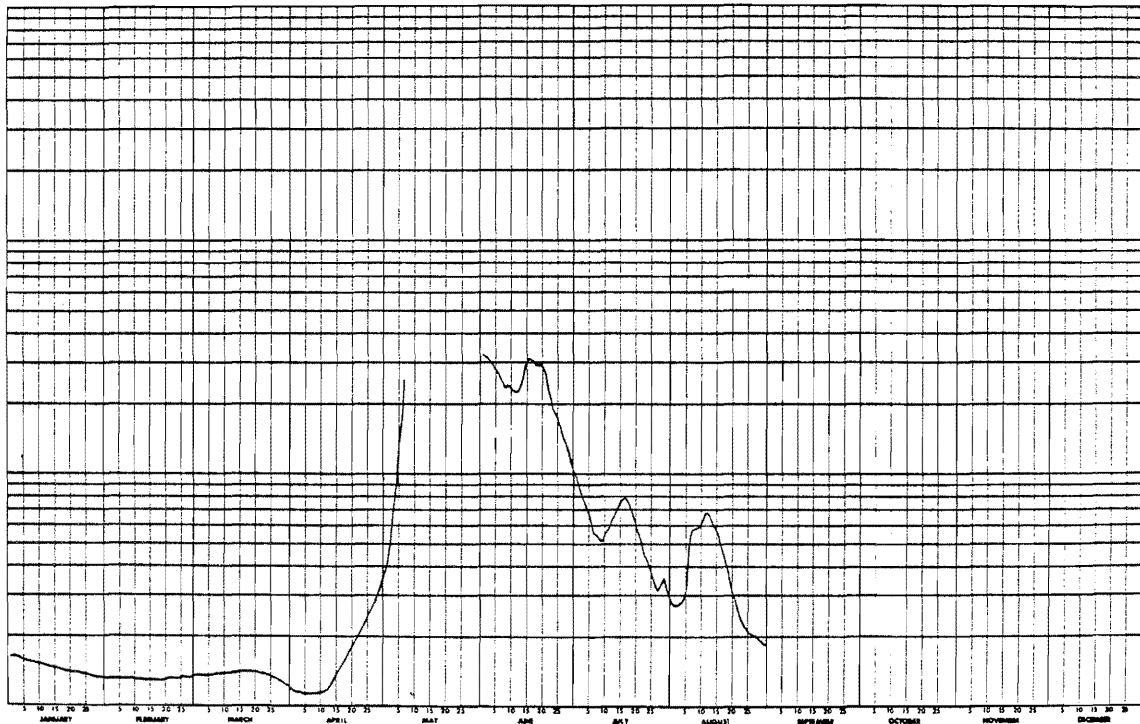
GENERAL: This station has been subjected to many acts of vandalism. The last was in August 1979 and resulted in the complete destruction of the station which greatly influenced the decision to discontinue the station.

(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1	1.30 B	.650 B	.750 B	.400 H	4.00 B	33.0 E	9.76	2.71					1
2	1.30 B	.650 B	.750 B	.400 H	4.00 B	32.0 E	8.75	2.69					2
3	1.25 B	.650 B	.750 B	.350 H	6.00 B	31.0 E	7.92	2.75					3
4	1.20 B	.650 B	.750 B	.350 H	8.00 B	30.0 E	7.25	2.82					4
5	1.15 B	.650 B	.750 B	.300 B	13.0 B	28.0 E	6.62	2.87					5
6	1.15 B	.650 B	.750 B	.300 B	18.5 B	27.0 E	6.01	3.92					6
7	1.10 B	.650 B	.750 B	.300 B	25.8 H	25.0 E	5.46	5.62					7
8	1.10 B	.650 B	.800 B	.300 B		23.3 A	5.49	5.78					8
9	1.05 B	.650 B	.800 B	.300 B		24.4	5.14	5.93					9
10	1.05 B	.650 B	.800 B	.350 B		23.2	5.09 A	5.96					10
11	1.03 B	.650 B	.800 B	.371 H		22.5	5.55 E	6.92					11
12	1.00 B	.650 B	.800 B	.400 B		22.3	6.05 E	6.93					12
13	.950 B	.612 B	.830 B	.500 B		23.2	6.50 E	6.58					13
14	.950 B	.600 B	.850 B	.600 B		26.9	7.00 E	6.08					14
15	.950 B	.600 B	.850 B	.800 B		30.6	7.45 E	5.80					15
16	.900 B	.600 B	.850 B	.900 B		31.5	7.94 A	5.23					16
17	.900 B	.600 B	.850 B	1.10 B		30.5	7.75	4.72					17
18	.850 B	.600 B	.850 B	1.30 B		29.1	7.35	4.21					18
19	.850 B	.600 B	.850 B	1.50 B		29.0	6.79	3.88					19
20	.800 B	.600 B	.850 B	1.70 B		29.0	6.10	3.27					20
21	.800 B	.650 B	.850 B	1.90 B		25.8	5.43	2.99					21
22	.800 B	.650 B	.800 B	2.05 B		22.4	5.01	2.68					22
23	.750 B	.650 B	.800 B	2.15 B		20.6	4.41	2.36 A					23
24	.750 B	.650 B	.750 B	2.30 B		18.4	4.24	2.25 E					24
25	.750 B	.700 B	.700 B	2.45 B		17.4	3.91	2.15 E					25
26	.750 B	.700 B	.700 B	2.61 B		15.6	3.48	2.10 E					26
27	.700 B	.700 B	.650 B	2.75 B		14.3	3.16	2.05 E					27
28	.700 B	.700 B	.600 B	2.95 B		13.2	3.12	1.95 E					28
29	.700 B		.550 B	3.30 B		12.2	3.62	1.90 E					29
30	.650 B		.500 B	3.60 B		11.0	3.32	1.86 E					30
31	.650 B		.450 B				2.98	1.75 E					31
TOTAL	28,830	18,012	23,380	38,581		722.4	178.67	118.65					TOTAL
MEAN	.930	.643	.754	1.29		24.1	5.76	3.83					MEAN
DAM3	2490	1560	2020	3330		62400	15400	10300					DAM3
MAX	1.30	.700	.850	3.60		33.0	9.76	6.93					MAX
MIN	.650	.600	.450	.300		11.0	2.98	1.75					MIN

A=MANUAL GAUGE
B=ICE CONDITIONS
E=ESTIMATED

MAXIMUM INSTANTANEOUS DISCHARGE, M3/S AT UN NOT DETERMINED



3.13

STATION NAME: Joslyn Creek near Fort MacKay

STATION NUMBER: 07DA016

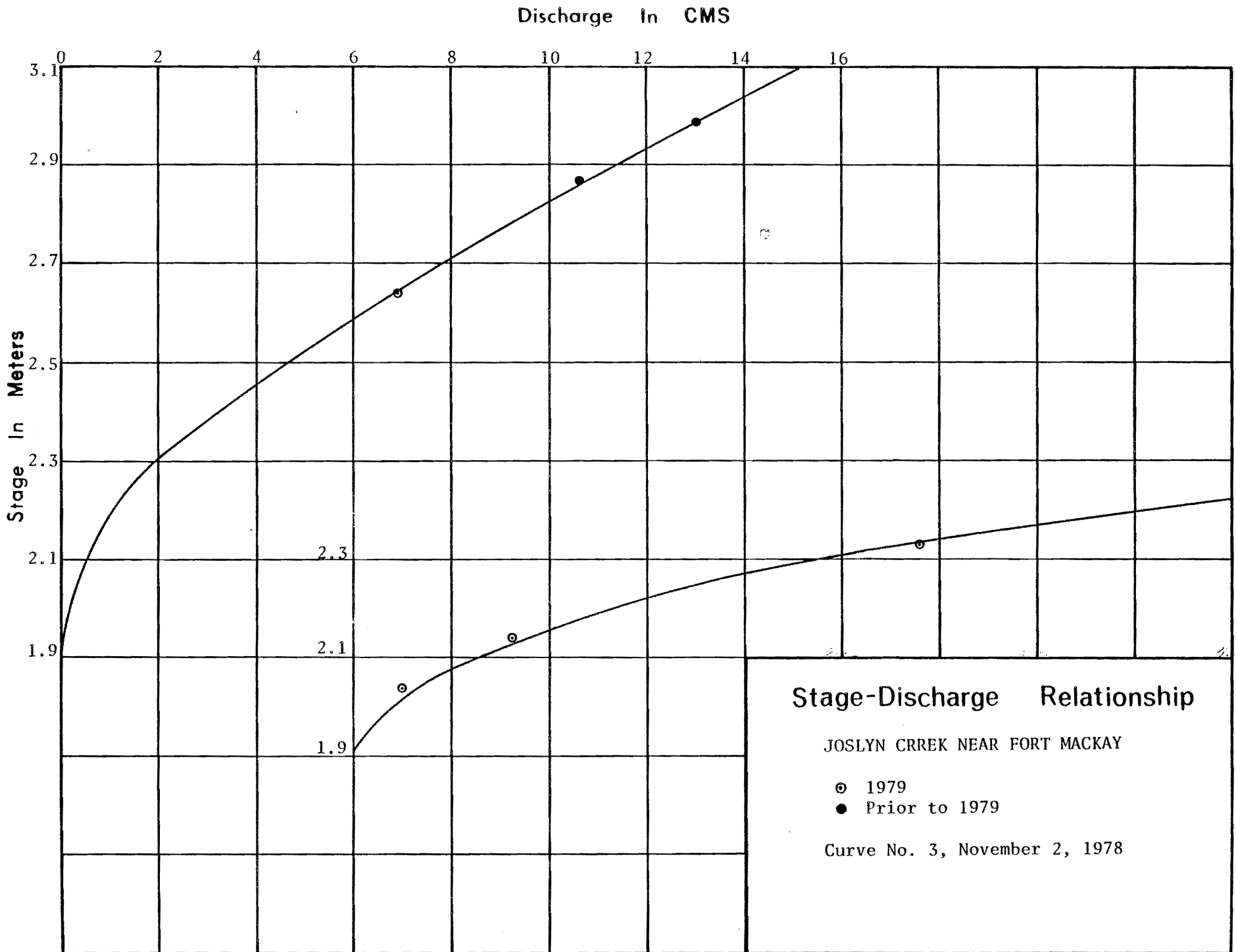
LOCATION: Latitude 57°16'27", Longitude 111°44'30"

DRAINAGE AREA: 93.7 square miles (243 km²)

PERIOD OF RECORD: The gauge was established on July 28 1975. Discharge data are available on a more-or-less continuous basis to December 1979.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is located on the left bank approximately two miles (3.2 km) above the confluence with the Ells River and seven air miles (11.3 km) northwest of Fort MacKay. This station is instrumented with a Stacom manometer linked to a Stevens A-71 water level recorder. Open-water discharge measurements are made by wading at various locations near the gauge or from the cableway immediately above the gauge.

GENERAL: The stage-discharge relationship at this station is affected by beaver activity.



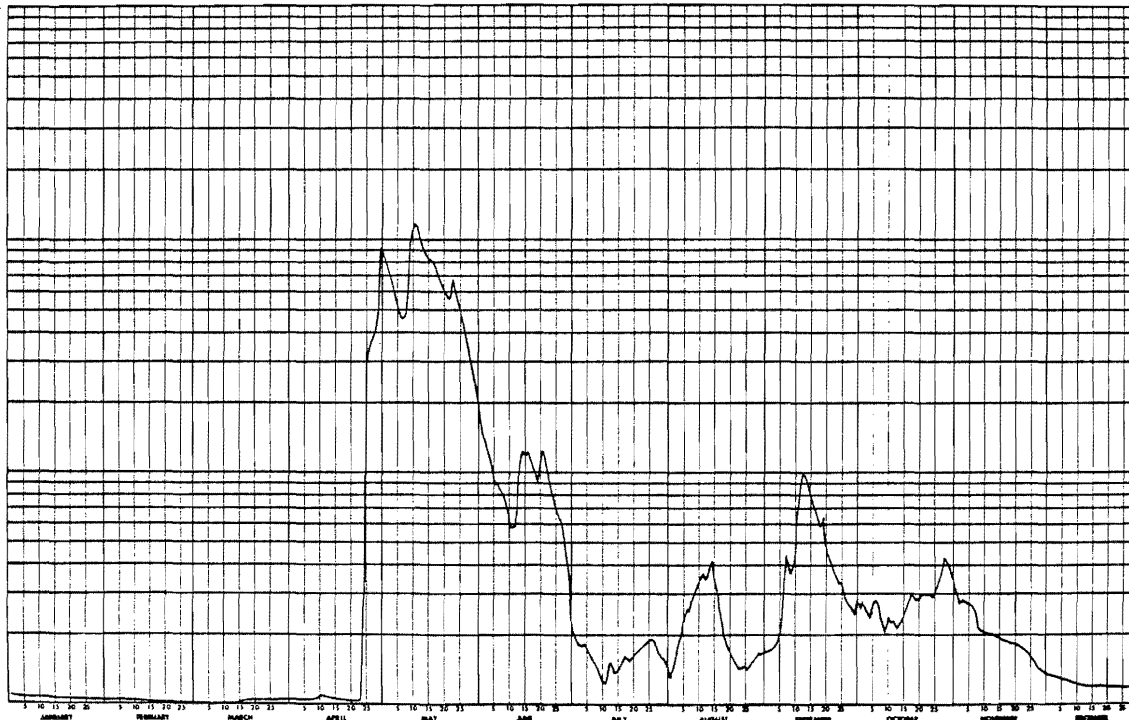
(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1	.021 B	.010 B	.001 B	.011 B	8.30	1.62	.188	.062	.138	.266	.300 B	.072 B	1
2	.020 B	.009 B	.001 B	.011 B	7.34	1.36	.172	.116	.144	.278	.272 B	.069 B	2
3	.019 B	.009 B	.001 B	.011 B	6.65	1.19	.163	.157	.147	.260	.286 B	.066 B	3
4	.018 B	.009 B	.001 B	.011 B	5.96	1.10	.164	.174	.178	.232	.280 B	.062 B	4
5	.018 B	.009 B	.001 B	.012 B	5.21	.989	.150	.230	.199	.278	.275 B	.059 B	5
6	.017 B	.009 B	.001 B	.013 B	4.64	.918	.133	.257	.286	.283	.270 B	.056 B	6
7	.017 B	.009 B	.001 B	.014 B	4.81	.842	.115	.252	.440	.227	.257 B	.054 B	7
8	.017 B	.009 B	.002 B	.015 B	4.80	.812	.094	.288	.362	.231	.217 B	.052 B	8
9	.016 B	.009 B	.002 B	.017 B	7.56	.725	.072	.313	.377	.203	.210 B	.050 B	9
10	.016 B	.008 B	.002 B	.020 B	11.1	.584	.052	.338	.458	.240	.204 B	.048 B	10
11	.016 B	.008 B	.002 B	.018 B	11.6	.574	.054	.368	.771	.228	.203 B	.046 B	11
12	.016 B	.007 B	.002 B	.016 B	11.0	.698	.103	.343	.990	.228	.201 B	.044 B	12
13	.016 B	.007 B	.002 B	.014 B	9.93	1.07	.102	.354	.963	.211	.199 B	.042 B	13
14	.015 B	.006 B	.004 B	.013 B	8.73	1.25	.077	.420	.875	.225	.200 B	.041 B	14
15	.015 B	.006 B	.006 B	.012 B	8.11	1.18	.082	.331	.773	.243	.190 B	.040 B	15
16	.015 B	.006 B	.008 B	.011 B	8.16	1.23	.095	.291	.690	.267	.185 B	.039 B	16
17	.014 B	.005 B	.011 B	.011 B	7.97	1.14	.127	.246	.599	.297	.180 B	.039 B	17
18	.014 B	.005 B	.011 B	.011 B	7.21	.965	.119	.197	.599	.291	.175 B	.039 B	18
19	.014 B	.005 B	.011 B	.011 B	6.85	.910	.109 A	.166	.640	.284	.170 B	.039 B	19
20	.013 B	.004 B	.011 B	.011 B	6.20	1.25	.125 E	.134	.492	.289	.165 B	.039 B	20
21	.013 B	.004 B	.011 B	.011 B	5.62	1.23	.130 E	.116	.409	.300	.160 B	.038 B	21
22	.013 B	.004 B	.011 B	.011 B	5.75	1.07	.145 E	.089	.388	.301	.155 B	.038 B	22
23	.012 B	.003 B	.011 B	.011 B	6.76	.863	.160 E	.087	.348	.297	.150 B	.038 B	23
24	.012 B	.003 B	.011 B	.329 B	5.93	.787	.170 E	.089	.339	.293	.135 B	.038 B	24
25	.012 B	.002 B	.011 B	2.64 B	5.16	.655	.180 E	.091	.339	.287	.125 B	.038 B	25
26	.011 B	.002 B	.011 B	3.58 B	4.41	.672	.190 A	.086	.286	.321	.110 B	.037 B	26
27	.011 B	.002 B	.011 B	3.78 B	3.86	.575	.164	.096	.277	.350	.093 B	.037 B	27
28	.011 B	.001 B	.011 B	4.20 B	3.29	.448	.136	.115	.266	.433	.086 B	.037 B	28
29	.010 B		.011 B	7.10 B	2.78	.340	.114	.135	.243	.417	.080 B	.037 B	29
30	.010 B		.011 B	9.32	2.31	.237	.108	.127	.281	.374	.076 B	.037 B	30
31	.010 B		.011 B		2.03		.078	.138		.330 B		.037 B	31
TOTAL	.452	.170	.202	31.245	199.83	27.284	3.871	6.206	13.297	8.764	5.611	1.408	TOTAL
MEAN DAMS	39.1	14.7	17.5	2700	17300	2360	334	536	1150	757	485	122	MEAN DAMS
MAX	.021	.010	.011	9.32	11.6	1.62	.190	.420	.990	.433	.300	.072	MAX
MIN	.010	.001	.001	.011	2.03	.237	.052	.062	.138	.203	.076	.037	MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTHS JAN TO DEC
MEAN DISCHARGE, .817 M³/S
TOTAL DISCHARGE, 25800 DAMS
MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 11.6 M³/S ON MAY 11
MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, .001 M³/S ON FEB 28

MAXIMUM INSTANTANEOUS DISCHARGE, 12.2 M³/S AT 1515 ON May 10

A=MANUAL GAUGE
B=ICE CONDITIONS
E=ESTIMATED



3.14

STATION NAME: MacKay River near Fort MacKay

STATION NUMBER: 07DB001

LOCATION: Latitude 57°12'38", Longitude 111°41'36",
SE 03-95-11-W4

DRAINAGE AREA: 2 020 square miles (5 230 km²)

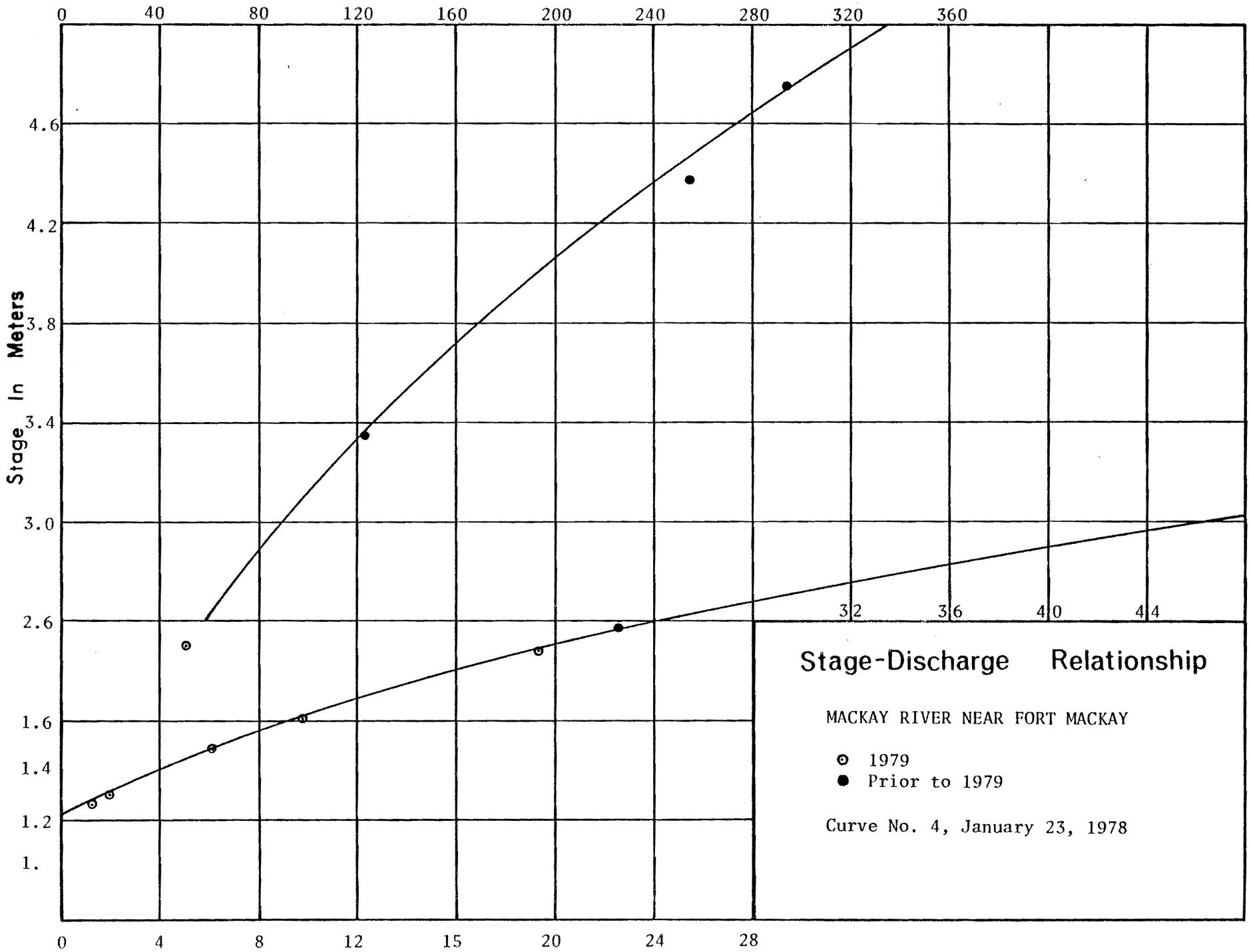
PERIOD OF RECORD: This station was established on June 29 1972.
Discharge data are available on a continuous
basis to December 1979.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is located on the left bank approxi-
mately five miles (8 km) above the confluence
with the Athabasca River and about three air
miles (5 km) northwest of Fort MacKay. This
station is instrumented with a Stacom manometer
linked to a Stevens S-71 water level recorder.

A cableway was constructed at this site about
200 feet (60 m) below the gauge in June 1975.
Prior to that, discharge measurements were made
by boat, wading, or from the Forestry road
bridge near the mouth.

GENERAL: The stage discharge relationship is relatively
stable.

Discharge In CMS



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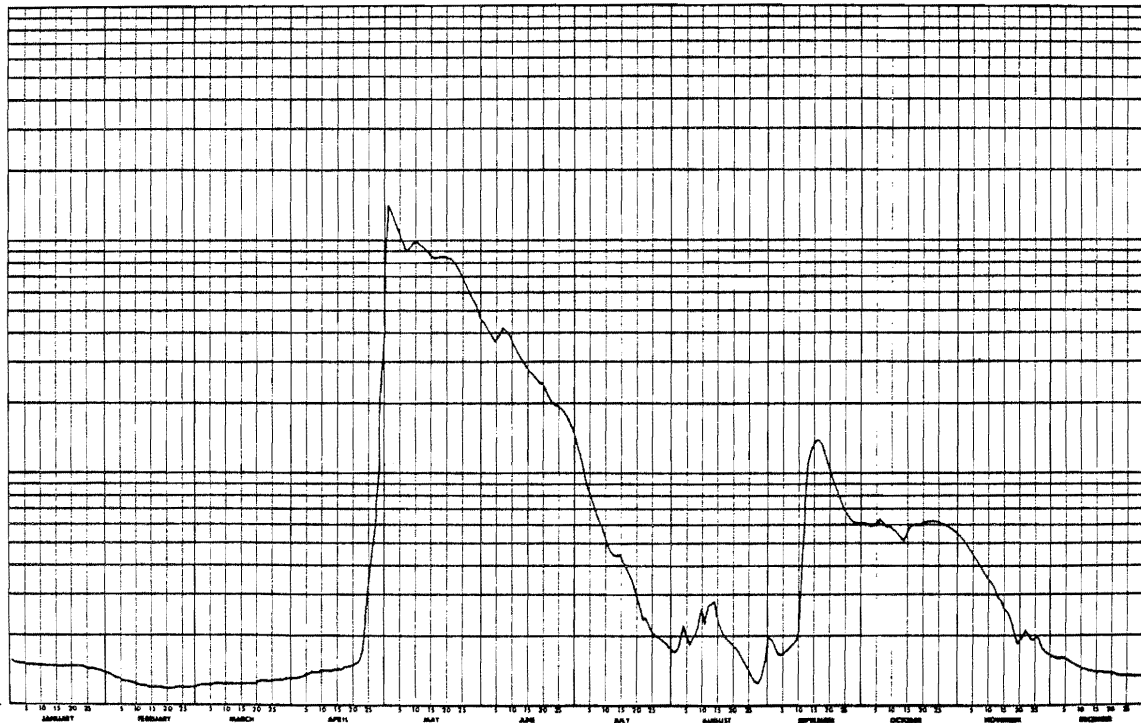
(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1	1.15 B	.800 B	.500 B	.700 B	80.0 B	45.3	13.8	1.47	1.77	6.18	5.40 B	1.25 B	1
2	1.10 B	.750 B	.500 B	.700 B	142 B	42.8	12.2	1.81	1.46	6.04	5.20 B	1.20 B	2
3	1.10 B	.700 B	.500 B	.716 B	132 B	40.5	10.7	2.25	1.32	5.89	5.00 B	1.20 B	3
4	1.10 B	.700 B	.500 B	.750 B	121 B	38.3	9.26	1.94	1.32	5.86	4.80 B	1.20 B	4
5	1.05 B	.650 B	.500 B	.800 B	111 B	36.9	8.11	1.67	1.36	6.00	4.60 B	1.15 B	5
6	1.05 B	.600 B	.547 B	.800 B	100 B	36.7	7.35	1.85	1.55	6.40	4.30 B	1.10 B	6
7	1.05 B	.600 B	.550 B	.850 B	87.0 B	42.3	6.76	2.03	1.66	6.19	4.10 B	1.05 B	7
8	1.05 B	.600 B	.550 B	.850 B	90.5	41.7	6.49	2.33	1.71	5.93	3.85 B	1.00 B	8
9	1.05 B	.566 B	.550 B	.850 B	93.4	40.2	6.00	2.61	1.94	5.85	3.65 B	.950 B	9
10	1.03 B	.550 B	.550 B	.900 B	87.4	38.0	5.42	2.27	3.43	5.79	3.53 B	.900 B	10
11	1.00 B	.500 B	.550 B	.900 B	98.1	34.7	4.82	2.71	7.62	5.66	3.34 B	.850 B	11
12	1.00 B	.500 B	.550 B	.900 B	95.9	32.8	4.55	2.76	11.4	5.39	3.23 B	.800 B	12
13	1.00 B	.500 B	.550 B	.900 B	94.0	31.4	4.47	2.80	12.6	5.23	2.94 B	.800 B	13
14	1.00 B	.450 B	.550 B	.950 B	90.3	30.0	4.48	2.37	13.5	5.07	2.66 B	.800 B	14
15	1.00 B	.450 B	.550 B	.950 B	87.0	28.4	4.51	2.19	13.9	5.07	2.60 B	.750 B	15
16	1.00 B	.450 B	.550 B	.950 B	83.9	27.6	4.17	2.03	13.7	5.87	2.54 B	.750 B	16
17	1.00 B	.450 B	.550 B	.950 B	83.8	26.7	3.86	1.95	12.8	5.99	2.48 B	.750 B	17
18	1.00 B	.450 B	.550 B	1.00 B	84.6	25.6	3.60	1.78	11.6	5.99	2.21 B	.750 B	18
19	1.00 B	.400 B	.550 B	1.00 B	85.7	24.4	3.10	1.71	10.4	5.98	1.90 B	.750 B	19
20	1.00 B	.400 B	.550 B	1.00 B	86.1	24.4	2.68	1.60	9.57	6.10	1.73 B	.750 B	20
21	1.00 B	.400 B	.600 B	1.10 B	83.7	22.7	2.37	1.47	8.58	6.09	1.84 B	.750 B	21
22	1.00 B	.400 B	.600 B	1.20 B	82.4	20.9	2.41	1.28	8.00	6.18	2.22 B	.700 B	22
23	1.00 B	.450 B	.600 B	1.50 B	80.3	20.0	2.27	1.12	7.58	6.17	1.97 B	.700 B	23
24	1.00 B	.450 B	.600 B	2.35 B	75.9	19.7	2.08	.929	7.18	6.15	1.83 B	.700 B	24
25	.950 B	.450 B	.600 B	3.20 B	71.7	19.7	2.04	.764	6.79	6.12	1.85 B	.700 B	25
26	.950 B	.450 B	.600 B	4.10 B	67.5	19.1	1.99	.583	6.41	6.05 B	1.92 B	.700 B	26
27	.950 B	.450 B	.650 B	5.41 B	63.1	18.5	1.91	.528	6.26	6.00 B	1.72 B	.700 B	27
28	.900 B	.450 B	.650 B	8.00 B	59.1	17.5	1.81	.609	6.17	5.95 B	1.47 B	.700 B	28
29	.900 B	.450 B	.650 B	11.0 B	55.7	16.5	1.59	.810	6.14	5.85 B	1.35 B	.700 B	29
30	.850 B	.450 B	.700 B	30.0 B	52.0	15.3	1.49	1.99	6.13	5.75 B	1.30 B	.700 B	30
31	.800 B	.450 B	.700 B		47.8		1.46	1.98		5.60 B		.700 B	31
TOTAL	31,030	14,566	17,697	85,276	2683.9	880.6	147.77	54.193	203.85	182.78	87.73	26,500	TOTAL
MEAN	1.00	.520	.571	2.84	86.6	29.4	4.77	1.75	6.80	5.90	2.92	.855	MEAN
DAM3	2680	1260	1530	7370	232000	76100	12800	4680	17600	15800	7580	2290	DAM3
MAX	1.15	.800	.700	30.0	142	45.3	13.8	2.80	13.9	6.40	5.40	1.25	MAX
MIN	.800	.400	.500	.700	47.8	15.3	1.46	.528	1.32	5.07	1.30	.700	MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTHS JAN TO DEC
MEAN DISCHARGE, 12.1 M3/S
TOTAL DISCHARGE, 382000 DAM3
MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 142 M3/S ON MAY 2
MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, .400 M3/S ON FEB 19

B=ICE CONDITIONS

MAXIMUM INSTANTANEOUS DISCHARGE, M3/S AT ON NOT DETERMINED



3.15

STATION NAME: Muskeg River near Fort MacKay

STATION NUMBER: 07DA008

LOCATION: Latitude 57°11'30", Longitude 111°34'05",
NE 29-94-10-W4

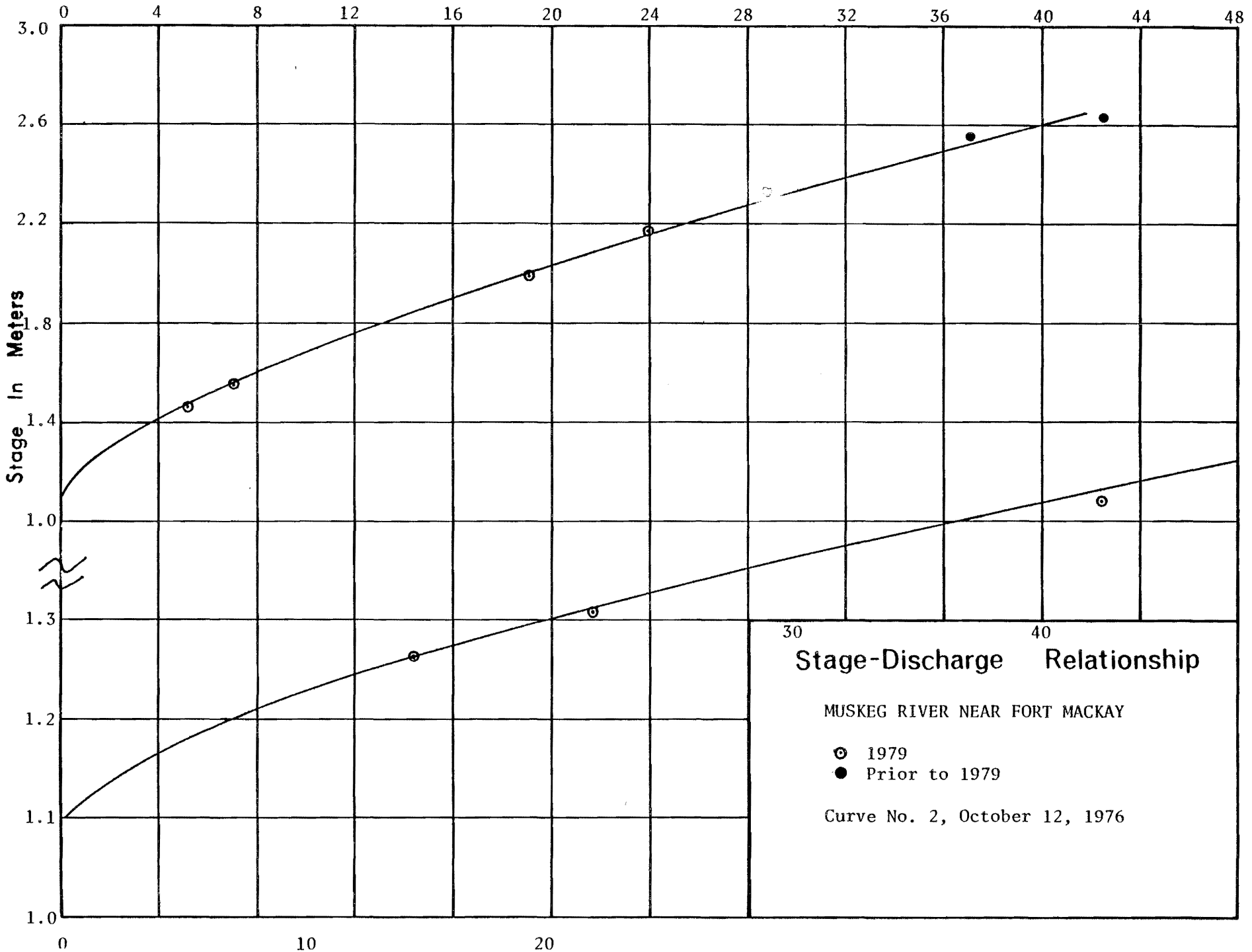
DRAINAGE AREA: 562 square miles (1 460 km²)

PERIOD OF RECORD: This station was established on November 5
1973. Discharge data are available from
January 1974 to December 1979.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is located on the left bank about
seven miles (11 km) above the confluence with
the Athabasca River and two and one-half air
miles (4 km) east of Fort MacKay. This
station is instrumented with a Stacom mano-
meter linked to a Stevens A-71 water level
recorder. Open-water discharge measurements
are made by wading or from the cableway
50 feet (15 m) above the gauge.

GENERAL:

Discharge In CMS



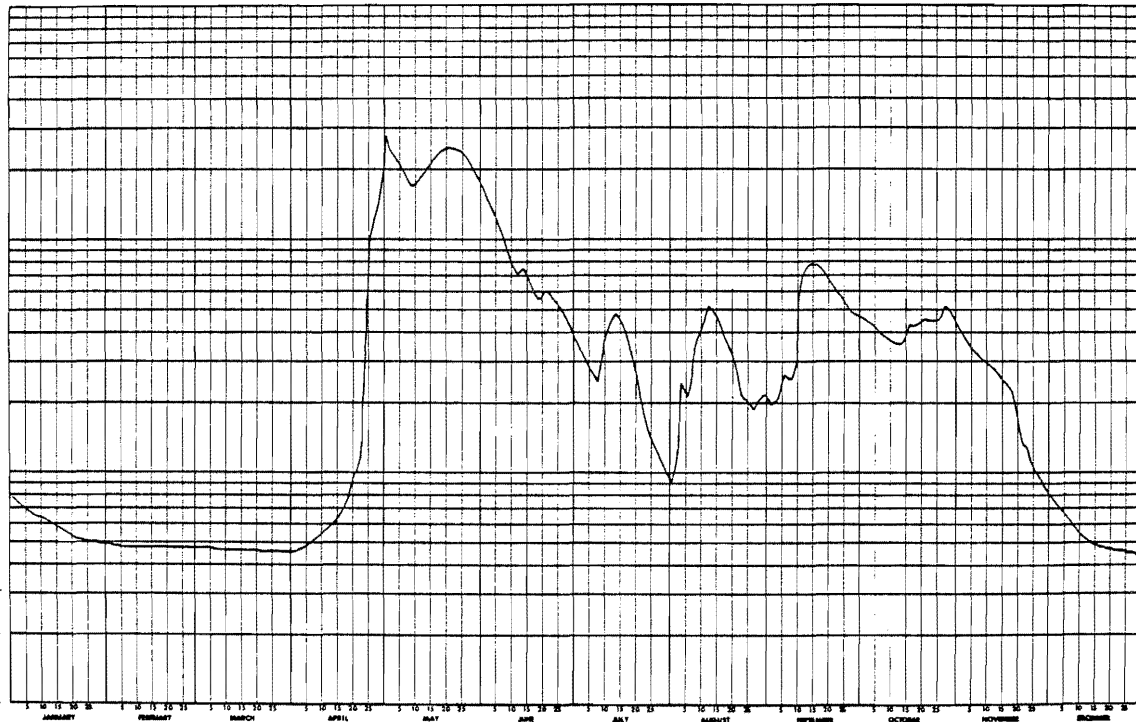
(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1	.780 H	.500 H	.480 H	.460 H	28.2	16.5	3.72	.922	2.06	4.66	4.20 H	.780 B	1
2	.760 B	.490 H	.480 B	.459 H	24.6	15.4	3.44	1.01	1.99	4.56	4.00 B	.750 B	2
3	.740 H	.490 B	.480 B	.470 B	23.4	14.3	3.12 A	1.66	2.01	4.50	3.80 B	.720 B	3
4	.720 B	.490 B	.480 B	.480 B	22.4	13.2	3.00 E	2.44	2.06	4.35	3.60 B	.700 B	4
5	.700 B	.490 B	.480 B	.490 B	21.1	12.4	2.85 E	2.29	2.50	4.19	3.45 B	.680 B	5
6	.680 B	.490 B	.479 B	.500 B	19.8	11.6	2.70 E	2.19	2.63	4.06	3.35 B	.650 B	6
7	.670 B	.484 B	.470 H	.510 B	18.6	10.9	2.55 E	2.66	2.57	3.96	3.20 B	.620 B	7
8	.660 B	.480 H	.470 H	.520 H	17.4	9.90	2.45 E	3.08	2.54	3.84	3.10 B	.590 B	8
9	.651 B	.480 B	.470 B	.530 B	16.7	8.91	2.90 E	3.67	2.65	3.71	3.00 H	.570 B	9
10	.640 H	.480 B	.470 B	.540 B	16.9	8.07	3.40 E	3.90	3.65	3.68	2.95 B	.550 B	10
11	.630 B	.480 B	.470 H	.550 B	17.5	7.42	4.00 E	4.06	5.80	3.66	2.90 B	.540 B	11
12	.620 B	.480 H	.470 H	.560 B	18.0	7.05	4.40 E	5.02	7.09	3.59	2.80 B	.520 B	12
13	.610 B	.480 B	.470 B	.580 B	18.6	7.40	4.60 E	5.22	7.45	3.54	2.72 B	.510 B	13
14	.600 H	.480 B	.470 H	.600 B	19.3	7.53	4.80 E	4.98	7.69	3.54	2.51 H	.500 B	14
15	.590 B	.480 B	.470 B	.620 H	20.2	7.19	4.60 E	4.75	7.79	3.91	2.44 B	.490 B	15
16	.580 B	.480 B	.470 B	.650 B	21.2	6.64	4.30 E	4.41	7.83	4.32	2.41 B	.490 B	16
17	.570 B	.480 B	.470 B	.700 B	22.4	6.18	3.90 E	4.10	7.71	4.25	2.39 B	.480 B	17
18	.560 B	.480 B	.470 B	.750 B	23.5	5.70	3.60 E	3.80	7.50	4.23	2.20 B	.480 B	18
19	.550 H	.480 B	.470 B	.800 B	24.3	5.48	3.00 E	3.50	7.16	4.27	2.00 H	.470 B	19
20	.540 B	.480 B	.470 B	.900 B	24.9	5.70	2.65 E	3.14	6.78	4.38	1.70 B	.470 B	20
21	.530 B	.480 B	.470 B	1.00 H	25.1	6.11	2.35 E	2.83	6.45	4.58	1.42 B	.470 B	21
22	.520 B	.480 B	.460 B	1.10 H	24.9	5.98	2.05 E	2.50	6.16	4.54	1.30 B	.460 B	22
23	.520 B	.480 B	.460 B	1.42 B	24.6	5.78	1.80 E	2.22	5.95	4.50	1.29 B	.460 B	23
24	.510 B	.480 B	.460 B	2.80 B	24.2	5.52	1.60 E	2.09	5.75	4.49	1.11 B	.460 B	24
25	.510 B	.480 B	.460 B	5.20 B	23.7	5.22	1.44 E	2.04	5.45	4.46	1.05 B	.460 B	25
26	.510 B	.480 B	.460 B	10.0 B	23.1	5.09	1.37 A	1.96	5.19	4.63	1.00 B	.450 B	26
27	.510 B	.480 H	.460 B	12.0 H	22.2	4.84	1.29	1.88	5.01	5.16	.960 B	.450 B	27
28	.510 B	.480 B	.460 B	13.5 B	21.0	4.52	1.16	1.99	4.90	5.18	.899 B	.450 B	28
29	.500 B		.460 B	16.0 H	20.0	4.22	1.09	2.04	4.92	4.98	.850 B	.440 B	29
30	.500 B		.460 B	20.0 B	18.9	4.00	1.04	2.16	4.89	4.84	.820 B	.440 B	30
31	.500 B		.460 B		17.7		.963	2.17		4.49		.440 B	31
TOTAL	18,471	13,514	14,529	94,689	664.4	238.75	86,133	90,682	152,13	133,05	69,419	16,540	TOTAL
MEAN	.596	.483	.469	3.16	21.4	7.96	2.78	2.93	5.07	4.29	2.31	.534	MEAN
DAM3	1600	1170	1260	8180	57400	20600	7440	7830	13100	11500	6000	1430	DAM3
MAX	.780	.500	.480	20.0	28.2	16.5	4.80	5.22	7.83	5.18	4.20	.780	MAX
MIN	.500	.480	.460	.459	16.7	4.00	.963	.922	1.99	3.54	.820	.440	MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTHS JAN TO DEC
MEAN DISCHARGE, 4.36 M3/S
TOTAL DISCHARGE, 138000 DAM3
MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 28.2 M3/S ON MAY 1
MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, .440 M3/S ON DEC 29

A=MANUAL GAUGE
B=ICE CONDITIONS
E=ESTIMATED

MAXIMUM INSTANTANEOUS DISCHARGE, 30.4 M3/S AT 0000 ON May 1



3.16

STATION NAME: Poplar Creek near Fort McMurray

STATION NUMBER: 07DA007

LOCATION: Latitude 56°54'50", Longitude 111°27'35",
NE 24-91-10-W4

DRAINAGE AREA:

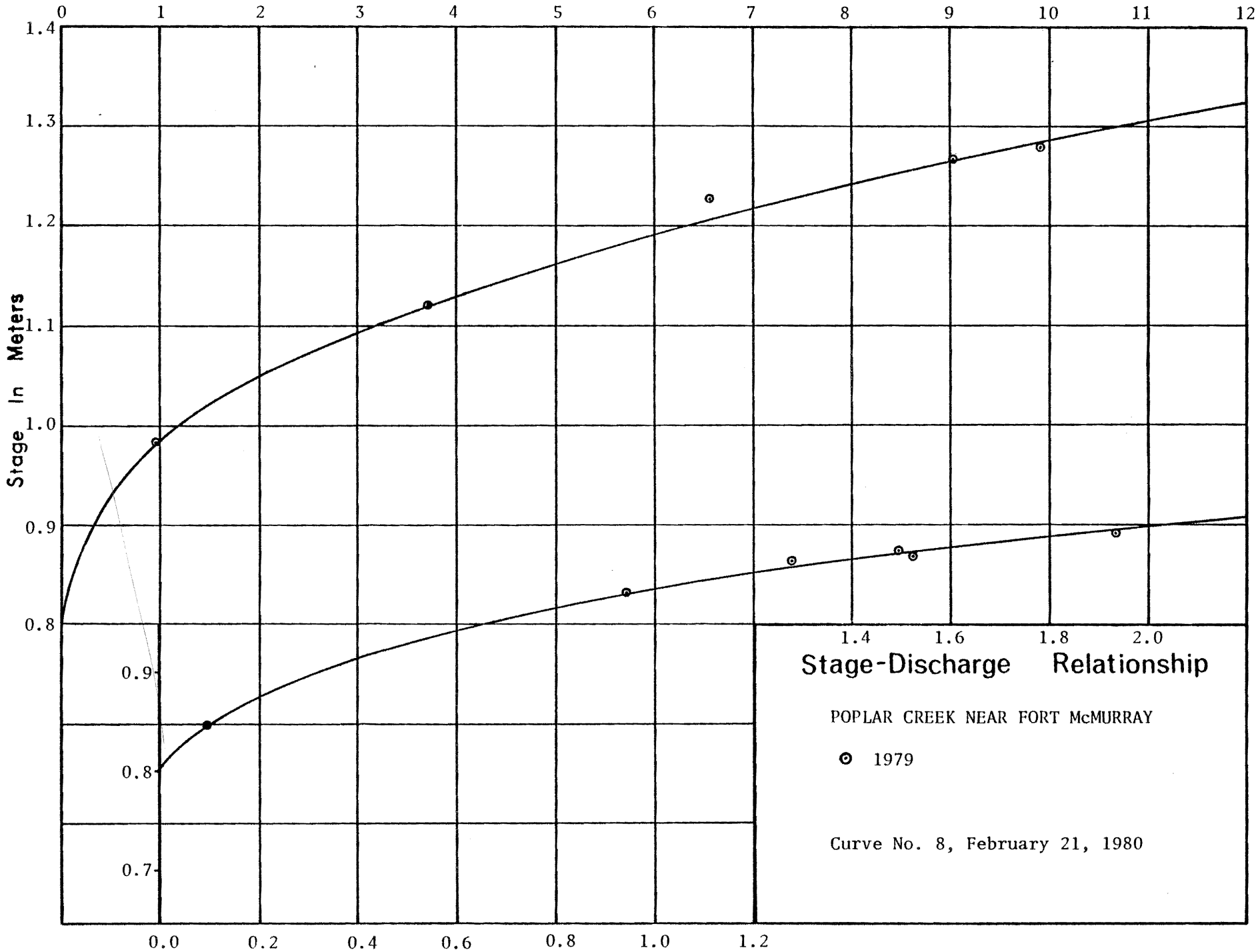
PERIOD OF RECORD: This station was established on November 10, 1972. Miscellaneous discharge data are available during 1972 and continuous discharge data are available from January 1973 to December 1979.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge was located on the left bank 160 feet (49 m) above Highway 63 until August 14 1975, at which time the gauge was removed due to construction activities in the channel. The gauge was relocated on April 16 1976, 200 feet (60 m) below the new bridge on the right bank. This station is equipped with a float-operated Stevens A-71 water level recorder.

Open-water measurements were made by wading or from the cableway prior to the location change and are presently made by wading or from the highway bridge.

GENERAL: Channel improvements were made to allow for the diversion of the Beaver River. Water from this diversion appears to have started to flow down the Poplar Creek in mid-July 1976.

Discharge In CMS



Stage-Discharge Relationship

POPLAR CREEK NEAR FORT McMURRAY

⊙ 1979

Curve No. 8, February 21, 1980

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POPLAR CREEK NEAR FORT McMURRAY

STATION NO. U7DA007

(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

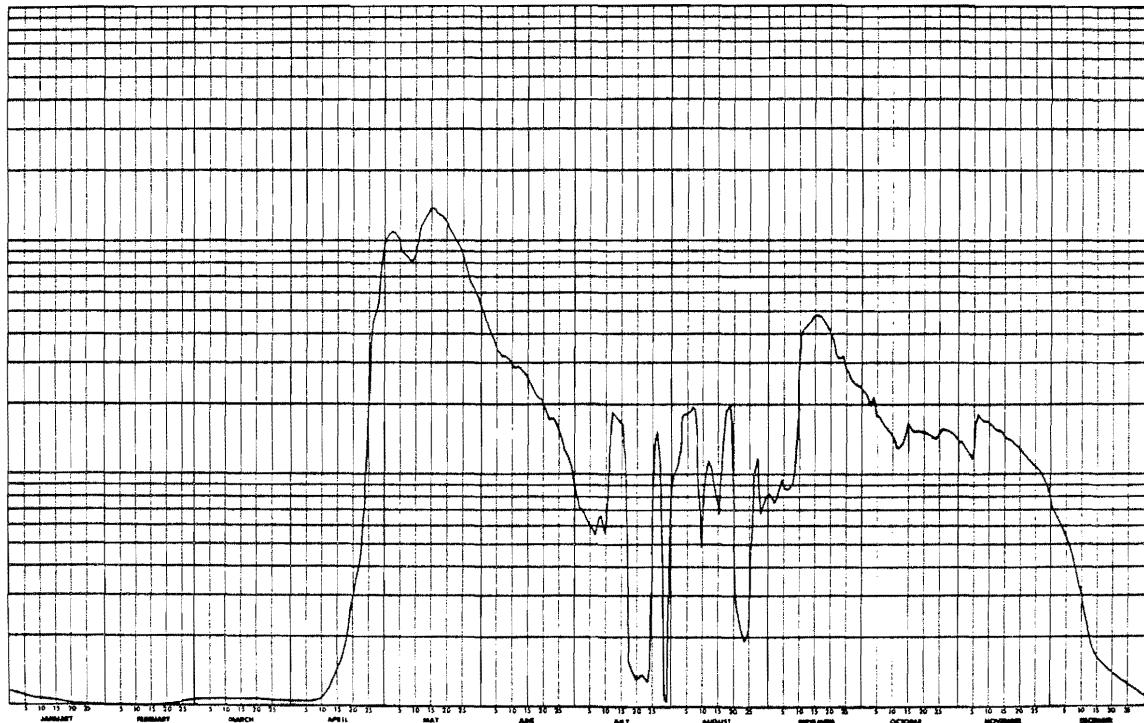
DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1	.028 H	0 H	.013 H	.011 H	10.2 B	4.86	.807	.990	.825	2.23	1.37	.730 H	1
2	.028 H	0 H	.014 H	.011 H	10.9 B	4.47	.722	1.141	.768	2.23	1.38	.670 H	2
3	.024 H	0 H	.014 H	.011 H	10.9 B	4.11	.714	1.17	.757	1.99	1.34	.620 H	3
4	.022 H	0 H	.014 H	.010 H	10.8 B	3.91	.679	1.81	.872	2.19	1.23	.580 H	4
5	.021 H	0 H	.014 H	.010 H	10.2 B	3.72	.628	1.82	.941	1.80	1.17	.550 H	5
6	.020 H	0 H	.014 H	.010 H	9.02 H	3.61	.591	1.84	.855	1.77	1.57	.520 H	6
7	.019 H	0 H	.014 H	.010 H	8.62 H	3.24	.548	1.96	.854	1.66	1.84	.480 H	7
8	.018 H	0 H	.014 H	.011 H	8.15 H	3.24	.649	1.91	.879	1.59	1.73	.420 H	8
9	.017 H	0 H	.014 H	.013 H	7.94 H	3.18	.661	1.03	1.31	1.49	1.69	.360 H	9
10	.017 H	0 H	.014 H	.017 H	8.44	2.95	.543	.478	2.67	1.50	1.67	.310 H	10
11	.016 H	0 H	.014 H	.026 H	9.62	2.82	1.26	.943	4.13	1.40	1.64	.270 H	11
12	.015 H	0 H	.014 H	.040 H	11.1	2.90	1.85	1.14	4.36	1.31	1.59	.240 H	12
13	.014 H	.001 H	.014 H	.055 H	12.0	2.83	1.81	1.09	4.38	1.31	1.54	.200 H	13
14	.012 H	.001 H	.014 H	.070 H	12.8	2.75	1.76	.943	4.63	1.39	1.55	.170 H	14
15	.010 H	.002 H	.014 H	.090 H	13.6	2.55	1.88	.796	4.78	1.69	1.47	.140 H	15
16	.009 H	.002 H	.014 H	.110 H	13.7	2.43	1.61	.662	4.83	1.55	1.43	.125 H	16
17	.008 H	.003 H	.014 H	.142 H	12.9	2.28	1.04	1.49	4.73	1.51	1.42	.115 H	17
18	.007 H	.003 H	.014 H	.180 H	12.8	2.16	.108	1.98	4.53	1.54	1.39	.105 H	18
19	.006 H	.004 H	.014 H	.230 H	12.5	2.11	.086	1.91	4.39	1.54	1.34	.096 H	19
20	.005 H	.004 H	.014 H	.288 H	12.0	1.98	.068	.965	4.01	1.56	1.30	.090 H	20
21	.005 H	.005 H	.014 H	.340 H	11.4	1.80	.069	.297	3.78	1.51	1.25	.080 H	21
22	.004 H	.006 H	.014 H	.400 H	10.8	1.70	.076	.239	3.54	1.46	1.21	.073 H	22
23	.004 H	.007 H	.013 H	.465 H	10.0	1.75	.070	.209	3.36	1.46	1.17	.067 H	23
24	.003 H	.008 H	.013 H	.900 H	9.48	1.74	.056	.191	3.13	1.44	1.13	.060 H	24
25	.003 H	.009 H	.013 H	1.50 H	9.25	1.59	.363	.208	2.88	1.42	1.11	.055 H	25
26	.002 H	.010 H	.013 H	2.80 H	8.13	1.40	1.24	.370	2.79	1.56	1.05	.050 H	26
27	.002 H	.011 H	.012 H	4.65 H	6.84	1.28	1.56	1.02	2.55	1.56	1.04	.045 H	27
28	.002 H	.012 H	.012 H	5.02 H	6.48	1.20	.847	1.19	2.46	1.54	1.01	.040 H	28
29	.001 H	.012 H	.012 H	7.32 H	6.24	1.04	.015	.662	2.41	1.51	.930 H	.035 H	29
30	.001 H	.011 H	.011 H	9.00 H	5.74	.900	.009	.769	2.32	1.48	.820 H	.030 H	30
31	.001 H	.011 H	.011 H		5.21		.745	.814		1.41		.026 H	31
TOTAL	.342	.088	.417	33.740	307.76	76.500	22.864	31.037	84.921	49.60	40.380	7.354	TOTAL
MEAN	.011	.003	.013	1.12	9.93	2.55	.738	1.00	2.83	1.60	1.35	.237	MEAN
DAM3	29.5	7.00	36.0	2920	26600	6610	1980	2680	7340	4290	3490	635	DAM3
MAX	.028	.012	.014	9.00	13.7	4.86	1.85	1.98	4.83	2.23	1.84	.730	MAX
MIN	.001	0	.011	.010	5.21	.900	.009	.141	.757	1.51	.820	.026	MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTHS JAN TO DEC

MEAN DISCHARGE, 1.79 M3/S
TOTAL DISCHARGE, 56600 DAM3
MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 13.7 M3/S ON MAY 16
MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 0 M3/S ON FEB 1

H=MANUAL GAUGE
M=ICE CONDITIONS

MAXIMUM INSTANTANEOUS DISCHARGE, 14.0 M3/S AT 1950 ON May 15



3.17

STATION NAME: Richardson River near the Mouth

STATION NUMBER: 07DD002

LOCATION: Latitude 58°21'48", Longitude 111°14'14"

DRAINAGE AREA: 1 140 square miles (2 950 km²)

PERIOD OF RECORD: This station was established June 14 1970.
Discharge data are available on a continuous
basis to December 1979.

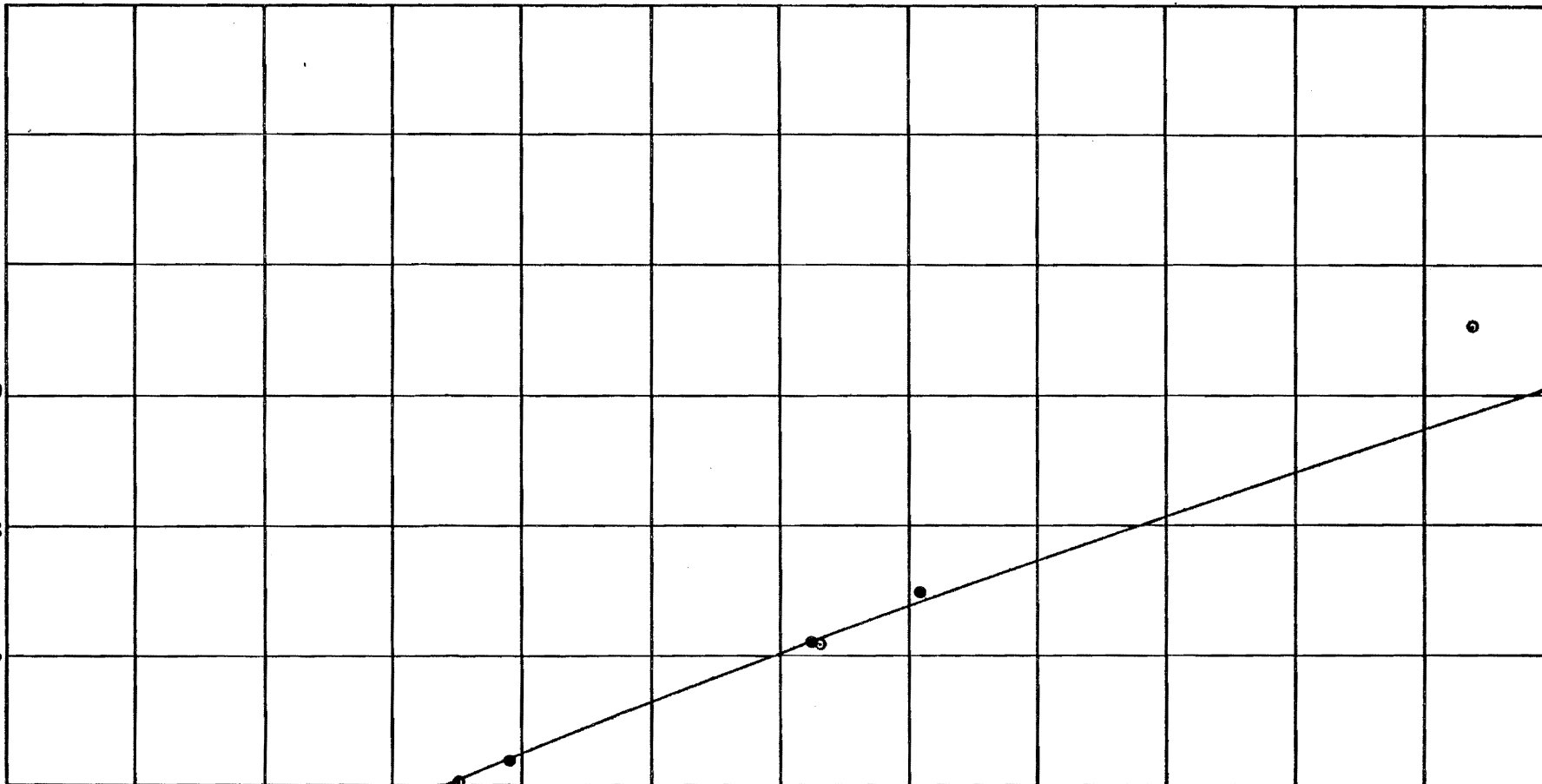
SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is located on the right bank
approximately seven and one-half miles
(12 km) above the confluence with the
Athabasca River and 25 air miles (40 km)
south of Fort Chipewyan. This station
is instrumented with a Stacom manometer
linked to a Stevens A-71 water level
recorder. Open-water discharge measure-
ments are made by boat at the gauge.

Discharge In CMS

12 14 16 18 20 22 24 26 28 30 32 34 36

Stage In Meters

2.0
1.8
1.6
1.4
1.2
1.0



Stage-Discharge Relationship

RICHARDSON RIVER NEAR THE MOUTH

- 1979
- Prior to 1979

Curve No. 2, February 18, 1974

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RICHARDSON RIVER NEAR THE MOUTH

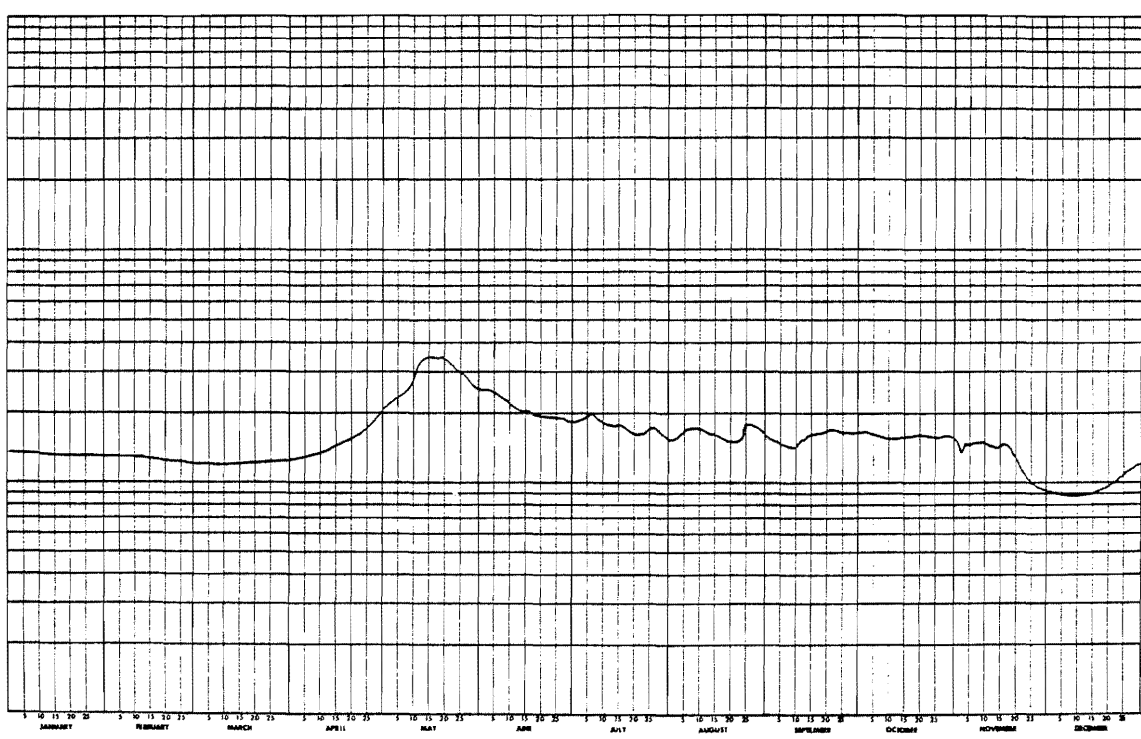
STATION NO. 07DD002

(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1	13.6 B	13.0 B	12.1 B	12.7 B	20.8 B	25.2	18.5	15.3	15.8	16.7	15.5 B	9.20 B	1
2	13.6 B	13.0 B	12.1 B	12.8 B	21.5 B	25.3	18.4	15.3	15.5	16.8	13.6 B	9.10 B	2
3	13.6 B	13.0 B	12.1 B	12.8 B	22.1 B	25.4	18.8	15.6	15.3	16.6	14.0 B	9.00 B	3
4	13.5 B	13.0 B	12.1 B	12.9 B	22.6 B	25.1	18.9	16.3	15.1	16.5	14.9 B	8.90 B	4
5	13.5 B	13.0 B	12.1 B	13.0 B	22.9 B	24.8	19.1	16.7	15.0	16.4	14.8 B	8.90 B	5
6	13.5 B	13.0 B	12.0 B	13.1 B	23.3 B	24.4	19.6	17.2	14.7	16.2	14.7 B	8.90 B	6
7	13.4 B	13.0 B	12.0 B	13.2 B	23.8 B	23.8	20.2	17.3	14.6	15.9	14.9 B	8.80 B	7
8	13.4 B	13.0 B	12.0 B	13.3 B	24.5 B	23.4	19.4	17.2	14.5	15.8	15.0 B	8.80 B	8
9	13.4 B	13.0 B	12.0 B	13.4 B	25.5 B	23.0	18.7	17.3	14.3	15.7	15.0 B	8.80 B	9
10	13.3 B	13.0 B	12.0 B	13.5 B	27.0 E	22.4	18.5	17.1	14.5	15.6	15.0 B	8.80 B	10
11	13.3 B	12.9 B	12.0 B	13.6 B	29.5 E	21.6	18.2	17.3	15.0	15.5	14.7 B	8.90 B	11
12	13.3 B	12.9 B	12.0 B	13.7 B	32.0 E	21.1	17.9	16.9	15.3	15.5	14.4 B	8.90 B	12
13	13.2 B	12.8 B	12.0 B	13.9 B	33.5 E	20.8	17.7	16.6	15.6	15.6	14.5 B	8.90 B	13
14	13.2 B	12.8 B	12.0 B	14.1 B	34.0 E	20.5	17.7	16.2	15.0	15.7	15.1 B	8.90 B	14
15	13.1 B	12.7 B	12.1 B	14.3 B	34.5 E	20.4	17.8	16.1	16.4	15.7	15.7 B	9.00 B	15
16	13.1 B	12.7 B	12.1 B	14.5 B	34.8 A	20.5	18.0	16.1	16.3	15.8	15.9 B	9.00 B	16
17	13.1 B	12.6 B	12.1 B	14.7 B	34.9	20.1	17.7	15.8	16.4	15.9	15.7 B	9.10 B	17
18	13.1 B	12.6 B	12.1 B	14.9 B	34.2	19.8	17.3	15.6	16.4	16.0	15.4 B	9.30 B	18
19	13.1 B	12.5 B	12.2 B	15.1 B	34.6	19.5	16.8	15.3	16.6	16.2	14.5 B	9.40 B	19
20	13.1 B	12.5 B	12.2 B	15.3 B	34.8	19.4	16.4	15.2	16.9	16.3	13.0 B	9.60 B	20
21	13.1 B	12.5 B	12.2 B	15.6 B	34.0	19.3	16.1	15.1	17.1	16.2	12.4 B	9.70 B	21
22	13.1 B	12.4 B	12.3 B	15.9 B	33.2	19.3	16.3	15.0	17.1	16.2	11.4 B	10.0 B	22
23	13.1 B	12.4 B	12.3 B	16.3 B	32.2	19.5	16.4	15.1	17.0	16.1	10.9 B	10.2 B	23
24	13.1 B	12.4 B	12.3 B	16.6 B	30.9	19.7	16.6	15.7	16.7	15.9	10.6 B	10.5 B	24
25	13.1 B	12.3 B	12.4 B	17.1 B	30.2	19.2	17.2	17.9	16.8	15.8	10.2 B	10.7 B	25
26	13.1 B	12.3 B	12.4 B	17.5 B	29.5	19.0	17.5	18.0	16.8	15.8	9.90 B	11.0 B	26
27	13.1 B	12.2 B	12.5 B	18.1 B	29.2	19.1	17.5	18.0	16.7	15.8	9.70 B	11.4 B	27
28	13.0 B	12.2 B	12.5 B	18.7 B	28.2	19.0	17.0	17.7	16.6	16.0	9.50 B	11.6 B	28
29	13.0 B		12.6 B	19.4 B	27.2	18.8	16.4	17.6	16.7	15.9	9.46 B	11.8 B	29
30	13.0 B		12.6 B	20.0 B	26.2	18.4	16.0	16.9	16.6	15.9	9.30 B	12.0 B	30
31	13.0 B		12.7 B		25.3		15.5	16.4	15.8	15.8		12.1 B	31
TOTAL	410.1	355.7	378.1	450.0	896.7	637.6	548.1	509.8	478.1	495.8	399.66	501.20	TOTAL
MEAN	13.2	12.7	12.2	15.0	28.9	21.3	17.7	16.4	15.9	16.0	13.3	9.72	MEAN
DAMS	35400	30700	32700	38900	77500	55100	47400	44000	41300	42800	34500	26000	DAMS
MAX	13.6	13.0	12.7	20.0	34.9	25.4	20.2	18.0	17.1	16.8	15.9	12.1	MAX
MIN	13.0	12.2	12.0	12.7	20.8	18.4	15.5	15.0	14.3	15.5	9.30	8.80	MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTHS JAN TO DEC
MEAN DISCHARGE, 16.1 M³/S
TOTAL DISCHARGE, 506000 DAMS
MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 34.9 M³/S ON MAY 17
MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 8.80 M³/S ON DEC 7
MAXIMUM INSTANTANEOUS DISCHARGE, 35.0 M³/S AT 1415 ON May 17

A=MANUAL GAUGE
B=ICE CONDITIONS
E=ESTIMATED



3.18

STATION NAME: Steepbank River near Fort McMurray

STATION NUMBER: 07DA006

LOCATION: Latitude 57°00'17", Longitude 111°24'53",
SW 29-92-09-W4

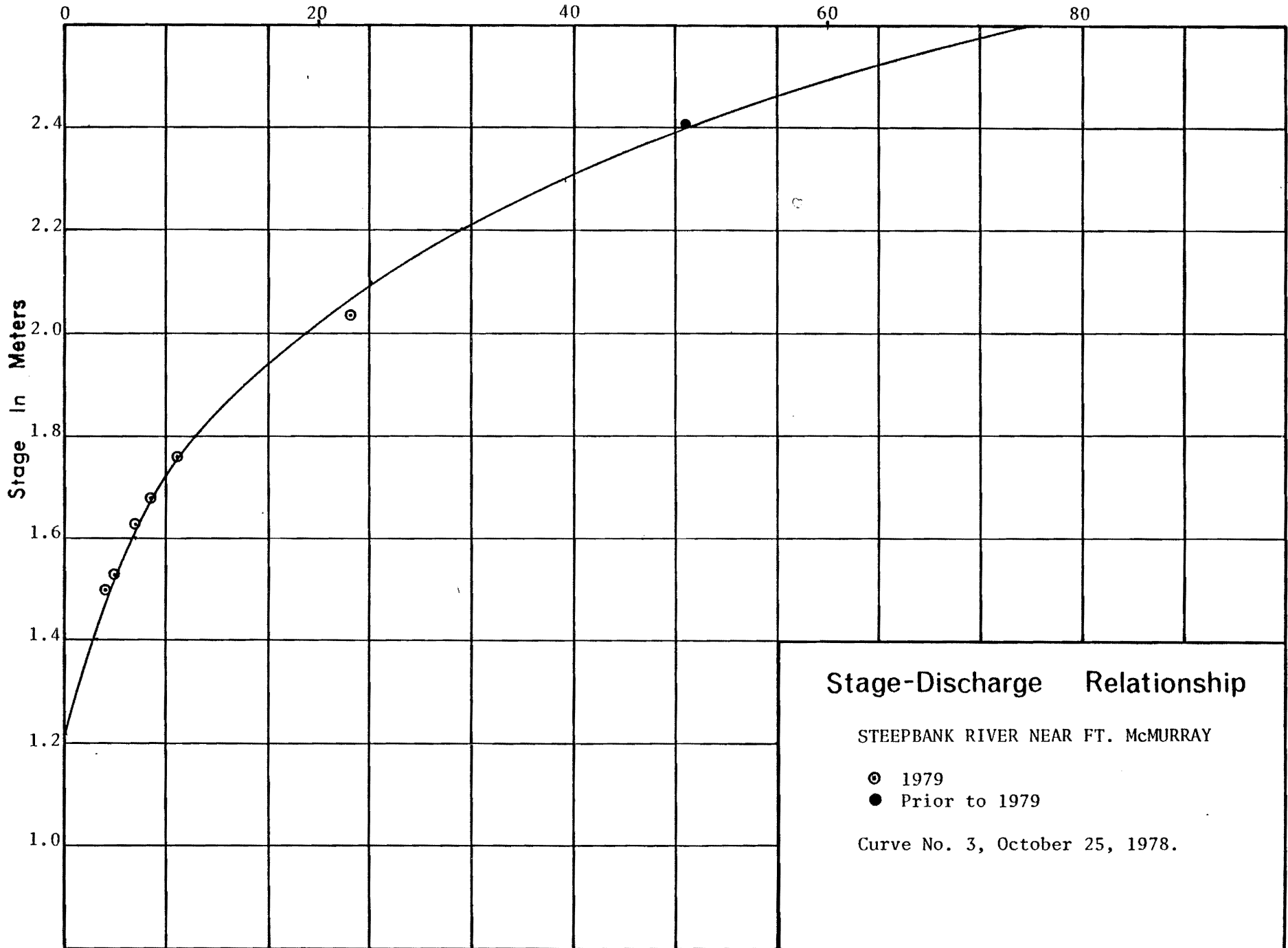
DRAINAGE AREA: 530 square miles (1 370 km²)

PERIOD OF RECORD: This station was established on September 20 1972. Miscellaneous discharges are available for 1972 and 1973. Continuous discharge data are available from January 1974 to December 1979.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge was initially established on the left bank approximately four and one-half miles (7.2 km) above the confluence with the Athabasca River and 15 air miles (24 km) south-east of Fort MacKay. On September 19 1975, the gauge was moved directly across the river. This station is instrumented with a Stacom manometer linked to a Stevens A-71 water level recorder. Open-water discharge measurements are presently made by wading or from the cableway. Prior to the construction of the cableway in June 1975 measurements were made by boat.

GENERAL: The high, steep, left bank made it difficult to keep the orifice line in place so that considerable lost record occurred, particularly during high flows. Hence the gauge was re-located on the right bank in 1975.

Discharge In CMS



Stage-Discharge Relationship

STEEP BANK RIVER NEAR FT. McMURRAY

- ⊙ 1979
- Prior to 1979

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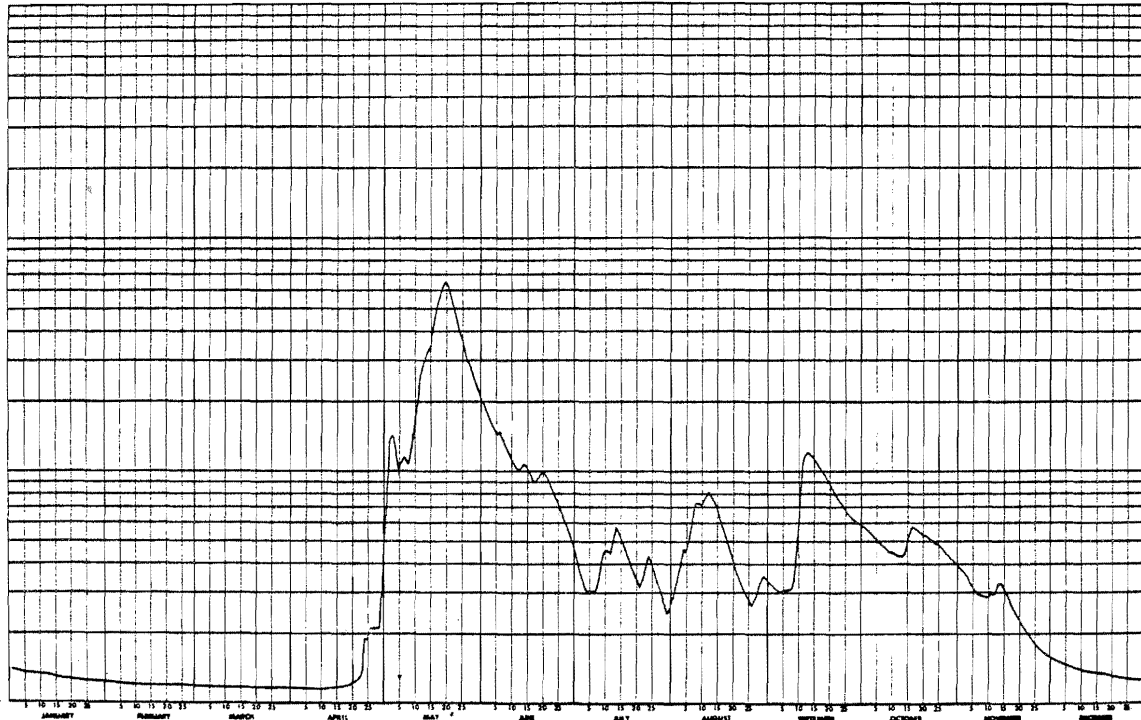
(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1	.800 B	.440 H	.390 B	.360 H	7.20 B	19.5	4.25	2.89	3.31	5.81	3.80 B	1.15 B	1
2	.780 H	.440 H	.380 B	.362 B	15.6 H	17.8	3.69	3.40	3.14	5.70	3.70 B	1.10 B	2
3	.760 B	.430 B	.380 B	.360 B	14.0 B	16.5	3.24	4.12	3.01	5.52	3.61 B	1.05 B	3
4	.740 B	.430 B	.380 B	.350 B	12.8 B	15.3	3.05	4.62	2.99	5.35	3.32 B	1.00 B	4
5	.720 H	.420 B	.380 B	.340 B	9.55 B	14.6	3.06	4.56	3.05	5.07	3.20 B	.980 B	5
6	.700 H	.420 B	.374 B	.330 B	11.1 B	14.9	3.06	4.90	3.08	4.91	3.05 B	.950 B	6
7	.680 H	.410 H	.370 B	.320 B	11.5 B	13.8	3.08	6.33	3.07	4.84	2.94 B	.900 B	7
8	.670 B	.410 B	.370 B	.310 B	10.7 B	13.0	3.36	7.26	3.13	4.64	2.91 B	.880 B	8
9	.660 B	.405 B	.370 B	.310 B	12.0 B	12.1	4.14	7.25	3.75	4.51	2.90 B	.850 B	9
10	.650 B	.400 B	.370 B	.310 B	14.8 B	11.2	4.57	7.08	6.63	4.48	2.89 B	.820 B	10
11	.640 H	.400 B	.370 B	.310 B	20.9 B	10.3	4.59	7.73	10.1	4.42	2.98 B	.790 B	11
12	.630 B	.400 B	.370 B	.320 B	25.8 B	10.0	4.44	8.13	11.7	4.34	2.99 B	.760 B	12
13	.620 B	.400 B	.370 B	.330 B	29.0 B	10.2	5.11	7.87	12.0	4.28	3.29 B	.740 B	13
14	.600 B	.400 B	.370 B	.340 B	31.7 B	10.8	5.75	7.43	11.8	4.34	3.30 B	.720 B	14
15	.590 B	.400 B	.370 B	.350 B	33.3 B	10.4	5.40	6.77	11.3	4.99	3.11 B	.710 B	15
16	.580 B	.400 B	.370 B	.360 B	41.4 B	9.72	4.92	6.20	10.7	5.55	2.90 B	.700 B	16
17	.570 B	.400 B	.370 B	.370 B	49.7 B	8.99	4.50	5.60	10.3	5.79	2.75 B	.690 B	17
18	.560 B	.400 B	.370 B	.390 B	55.2 B	8.84	4.07	5.14	9.77	5.61	2.60 B	.670 B	18
19	.550 B	.400 B	.370 B	.410 B	61.5 B	9.39	3.71	4.59	9.38	5.48	2.45 B	.650 B	19
20	.540 B	.400 B	.370 B	.450 B	65.2 B	10.1	3.44	4.14	8.72	5.36	2.30 B	.630 B	20
21	.540 B	.400 B	.360 B	.520 B	62.8 B	9.80	3.14	3.68	8.19	5.30	2.20 B	.620 B	21
22	.530 B	.400 B	.360 B	.600 B	52.5 B	9.04	3.28	3.34	7.81	5.10	2.10 B	.610 B	22
23	.520 B	.400 B	.360 B	.682 B	47.5 B	8.14	3.82	3.20	7.51	5.00	2.00 B	.600 B	23
24	.510 B	.400 B	.360 B	1.62 B	40.4 B	7.57	4.29	2.96	7.18	4.86	1.85 B	.590 B	24
25	.500 B	.400 B	.360 B	1.78 B	37.2 B	7.09	4.12	2.77	6.81	4.82	1.70 B	.580 B	25
26	.490 B	.390 B	.360 B	2.12 B	33.6 B	6.67	3.70	2.65	6.47	4.65 B	1.55 B	.570 B	26
27	.480 B	.390 B	.360 B	2.12 B	29.6 B	6.19	3.33	2.71	6.26	4.45 B	1.45 B	.560 B	27
28	.470 B	.390 B	.360 B	2.13 B	28.5 B	5.77	3.01	3.08	6.09	4.30 B	1.34 B	.550 B	28
29	.460 B	.390 B	.360 B	2.13 B	25.5 B	5.29	2.69	3.40	6.03	4.15 B	1.25 B	.540 B	29
30	.450 H	.390 B	.360 B	3.90 B	23.3 B	4.88	2.44	3.53	5.90	4.05 B	1.20 B	.530 B	30
31	.450 B	.390 B	.360 B	.310 B	21.5 B		2.61	3.41		3.95 B		.520 B	31
TOTAL	18.440	11.375	11.424	24.784	933.35	317.88	117.86	150.78	209.18	151.62	77.63	23.010	TOTAL
MEAN	.595	.406	.369	.826	30.1	10.6	3.80	4.86	6.97	4.89	2.59	.742	MEAN
DAM3	1590	983	987	2140	80600	27500	10200	13000	18100	13100	6710	1990	DAM3
MAX	.800	.440	.390	3.90	65.2	19.5	5.75	8.13	12.0	5.81	3.80	1.15	MAX
MIN	.450	.390	.360	.310	7.20	4.88	2.44	2.65	2.99	3.95	1.20	.520	MIN

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTHS JAN TO DEC
MEAN DISCHARGE, 5.81 M³/S
TOTAL DISCHARGE, 177000 DAM3
MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 65.2 M³/S ON MAY 20
MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, .310 M³/S ON APR 8

8-ICE CONDITIONS

MAXIMUM INSTANTANEOUS DISCHARGE, 66.1 M³/S AT 2055 ON May 21



3.19

STATION NAME: Unnamed Creek near Fort MacKay

STATION NUMBER: 07DA011

LOCATION: Latitude 57°39'31", Longitude 111°31'11",
SE 11-100-10-W4

DRAINAGE AREA: 108 square miles (280 km²)

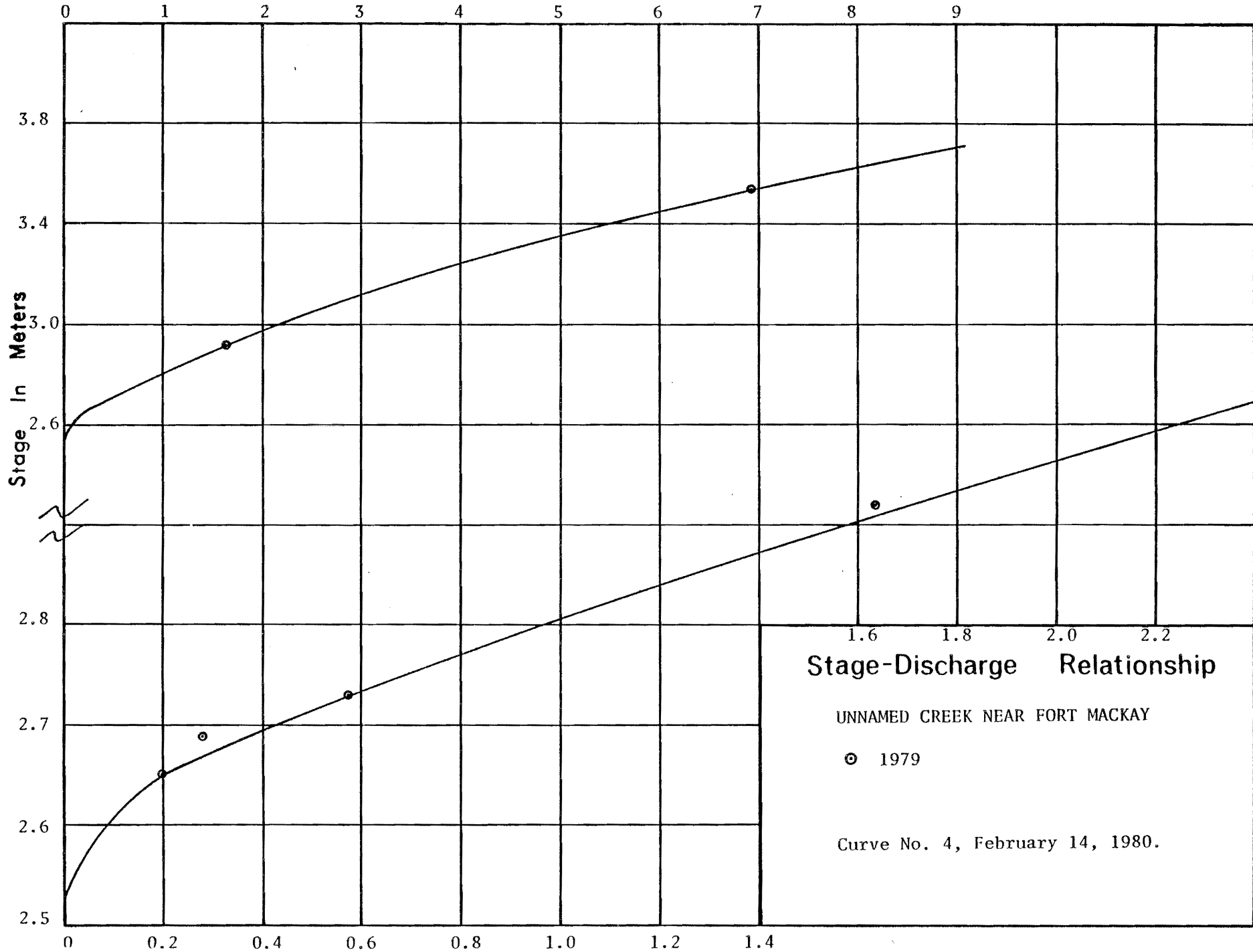
PERIOD OF RECORD: This station was established on July 8 1975.
Discharge data are available on a continuous
basis from September 1975 to December 1979.

SITE DESCRIPTION: The gauge is located on the left bank immediate-
ly below a small unnamed tributary and approxi-
mately 34 air miles (55 km) north of Fort
MacKay. This station is instrumented with a
Stacom manometer linked to a Stevens A-71 water
level recorder.

Open water discharge measurements are made by
wading or from the cableway immediately above
the gauge.

GENERAL: The winter flows at this site have remained
higher than expected when compared to other
streams in the area. To date they have not
fallen below 1.0 cfs (.03 m³/s). The ice is
normally quite thin and bridged and the
summer water temperatures are usually cooler
than those of neighbouring streams which
seems to indicate that it derives a good deal
of its flow from groundwater.

Discharge In CMS



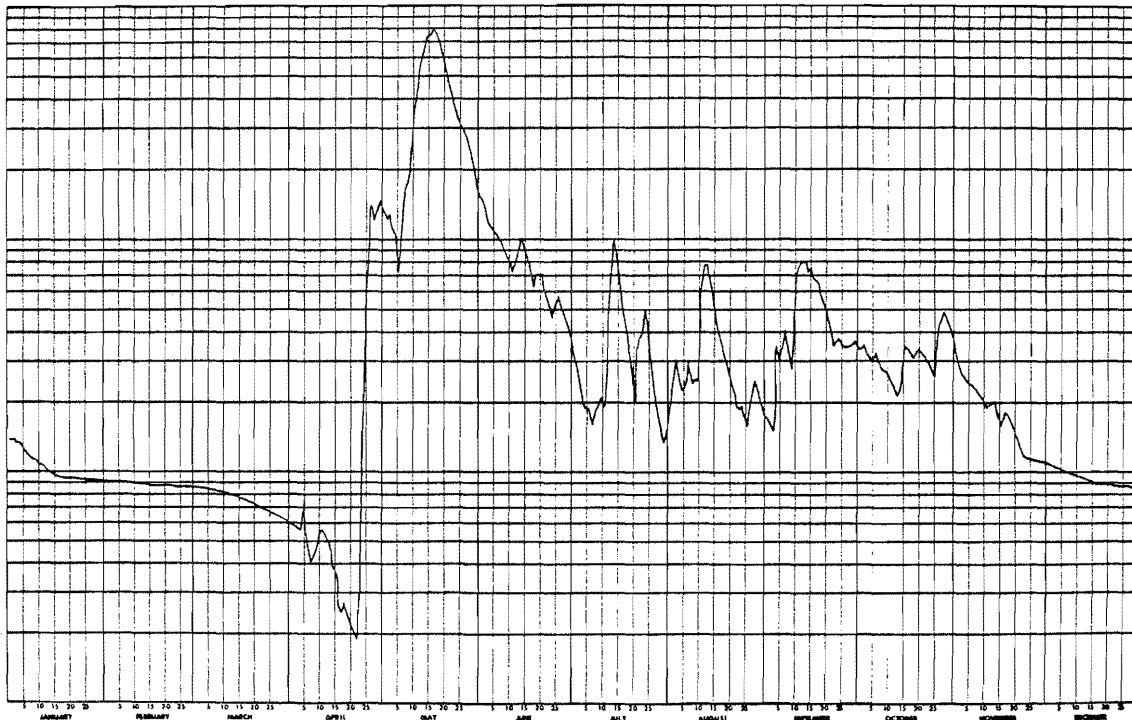
(PRELIMINARY) DAILY DISCHARGE IN CUBIC METRES PER SECOND FOR 1979

DAY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	DAY
1	.140 B	.092 B	.087 B	.061 B	1.33 B	1.54	.323	.196	.172	.337	.330 B	.108 B	1
2	.140 B	.092 B	.086 B	.060 B	1.22 B	1.50	.283	.260	.155	.353	.289 B	.107 B	2
3	.135 B	.092 B	.086 B	.058 B	1.29 B	1.21	.254	.309	.150	.325	.266 B	.106 B	3
4	.135 B	.091 B	.086 B	.057 A	1.09 B	1.14	.197	.241	.335	.314	.250 B	.105 B	4
5	.130 B	.091 B	.085 B	.077	1.05 B	1.12	.192	.224	.296	.306	.245 B	.104 B	5
6	.125 B	.091 B	.085 B	.051	.718 B	1.09	.192	.239	.376	.325	.239 B	.102 B	6
7	.120 B	.091 B	.085 B	.041	1.08 B	1.01	.163	.303	.403	.304	.230 B	.100 B	7
8	.115 B	.091 B	.085 B	.044	1.07 B	.957	.180	.242	.323	.275	.220 B	.098 B	8
9	.115 B	.091 B	.084 B	.047	2.13	.888	.192	.249	.275	.273	.210 B	.097 B	9
10	.110 B	.091 B	.083 B	.055	2.73	.628	.212	.249	.523	.268	.208	.096 B	10
11	.110 B	.090 B	.083 B	.057	3.59	.738	.194	.646	.789	.252	.187	.095 B	11
12	.105 B	.090 B	.081 B	.054	5.06	.763	.339	.816	.816	.231	.199	.094 B	12
13	.102 B	.090 B	.080 B	.048	6.07	.905	.701	.778	.804	.214	.198	.093 B	13
14	.100 B	.090 B	.079 B	.040	6.86	1.03	1.01	.650	.735	.224	.183	.092 B	14
15	.099 B	.089 B	.078 B	.034	7.56	.934	.814	.524	.759	.351	.159	.090 B	15
16	.098 B	.089 B	.077 B	.027	7.58	.802	.634	.452	.684	.324	.175	.089 B	16
17	.097 B	.089 B	.076 B	.025	8.05	.695	.534	.388	.667	.325	.182	.088 B	17
18	.096 B	.088 B	.075 B	.026	7.52	.642	.401	.348	.579	.310	.170	.088 B	18
19	.096 B	.089 B	.074 B	.024	6.67	.722	.326	.296	.538	.314	.160 B	.088 B	19
20	.095 B	.089 B	.073 B	.022	5.96	.715	.240	.258	.497	.341	.150 B	.088 B	20
21	.095 B	.089 B	.072 B	.020	5.12	.713	.187	.239	.420	.327	.134 B	.088 B	21
22	.094 B	.089 B	.071 B	.019	4.45	.568	.379	.196	.349	.322	.123 B	.087 B	22
23	.094 B	.088 B	.070 B	.032	4.01	.498	.387	.188	.358	.300	.117 B	.087 B	23
24	.093 B	.088 B	.069 B	.150	3.62	.471	.510	.195	.370	.270	.116 B	.087 B	24
25	.093 B	.088 B	.068 B	.464 B	3.36	.552	.369	.166	.353	.255	.115 B	.087 B	25
26	.093 B	.088 B	.067 B	.853 B	3.17	.569	.243	.159	.350	.403	.113 B	.087 B	26
27	.093 B	.087 B	.066 B	1.52 B	2.93	.516	.230	.221	.348	.477	.112 B	.087 B	27
28	.093 B	.087 B	.065 B	1.20 B	2.61	.468	.184	.251	.355	.488	.111 B	.086 B	28
29	.092 B	.087 B	.064 B	1.40 B	2.24	.420	.153	.215	.362	.453	.110 B	.086 B	29
30	.092 B	.087 B	.063 B	1.48 B	1.97	.357	.136	.193	.345	.402	.109 B	.086 B	30
31	.092 B	.087 B	.062 B	1.66	1.66	.147	.147	.170	.377	.377	.086 B	.086 B	31
TOTAL	3.287	2.511	2.365	8.048	114.568	24.361	10.306	9.825	13.486	10.040	5.410	2.862	TOTAL
MEAN	.106	.090	.076	.268	3.70	.812	.332	.317	.450	.324	.180	.093	MEAN
DAM3	284	217	204	695	9900	2100	890	849	1170	867	467	249	DAM3
MAX	.140	.092	.087	1.52	8.05	1.54	1.01	.782	.816	.488	.330	.108	MAX
MIN	.092	.087	.062	.019	.718	.357	.136	.154	.150	.214	.109	.086	MIN

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 MEAN DISCHARGE, .567 M³/S
 TOTAL DISCHARGE, 17900 DAM3
 MAXIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, 8.05 M³/S ON MAY 17
 MINIMUM DAILY DISCHARGE, .019 M³/S ON APR 22

A=ANNUAL GAUGE
 B=ICE CONDITIONS

MAXIMUM INSTANTANEOUS DISCHARGE, 8.14 M³/S AT 0300 ON May 17



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