
San Joaquin River Salinity Management Model (SANMAN)

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Model Description

The purpose of the San Joaquin River Salinity Management Model (SANMAN) is to provide reconnaissance-level decision support in the development of a San Joaquin River Salinity Management Plan by:

- Identifying coordinated management strategies that meet the Vernalis salinity objective
- Estimating water costs of strategies

Model Description (cont'd)

- Microsoft EXCEL
- Post-analysis of CALSIM Sequential Hydrology and CVP-SWP Operations
 - March 1922 thru September 1994
 - April - May: Half month time step
- Prescribes Action Levels (e.g. re-circulation volume) Necessary to Meet Vernalis Salinity Objective Given Pre-defined Action Priorities

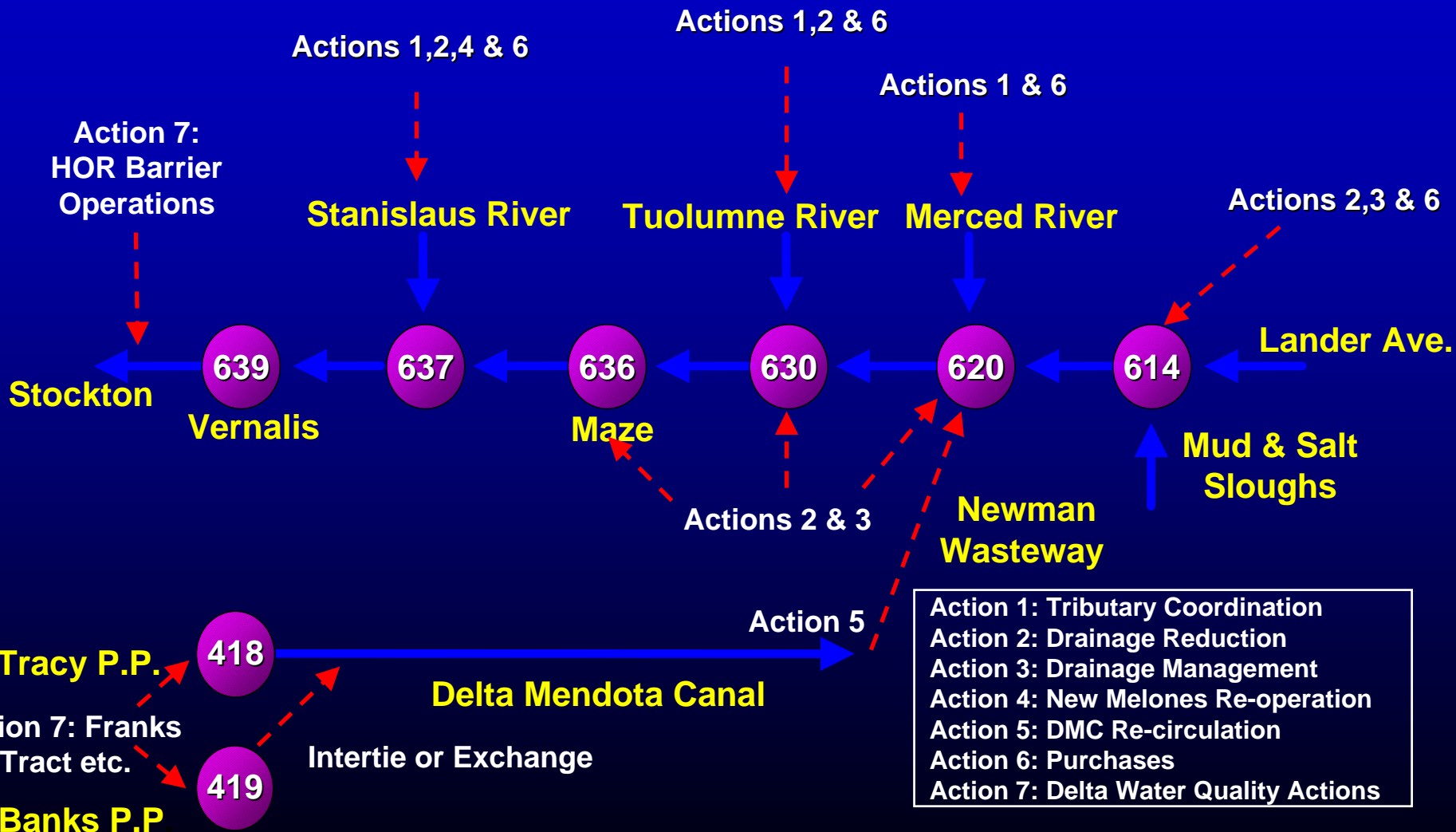
Salinity Management Actions

- Coordinated Tributary Operations
- Drainage Reduction
- Drainage Management
- New Melones Releases
- DMC Re-circulation & Delta Actions
- Purchases



Decreasing
Action
Priority

SANMAN Version 2.0 Schematic



Salinity Management Action: Coordinated Tributary Operations (Priority 1)

- **Actions Applied to East Side Tributaries**
- **Action Levels Defined by Time Series Input**

Salinity Management Action: Drainage Reduction (Priority 1)

- **Actions Applied to 9 Regions:**
 - **East Side (3 regions)**
 - **Upper DMC (3 regions)**
 - **Mud & Salt Sloughs (3 regions)**
- **Action Levels Defined by Time Series Input**

Salinity Management Action: Drainage Management (Priority 2)

- **Actions Applied to 6 Regions:**
 - Upper DMC (3 regions)
 - Mud & Salt Sloughs (3 regions)
- **Model-Prescribed Action Level**
- **User Specifications**
 - Storage diversion period
 - Maximum storage volume
 - Maximum residence time

Salinity Management Action: New Melones Releases (Priority 3)

- **Model-Prescribed Action Level**
 - **Baseline Water Quality Operation Removed**
- **User Specifications**
 - **Period of operation**
 - **Maximum annual release**
 - **Water quality**

Salinity Management Action: DMC Re-circulation (Priority 4)

- **Model-Prescribed Action Level**
- **Accomplished With Available Delta Pumping Capacity**
 - **Tracy first, Banks second**
 - **Available summer capacity “lumped”**
 - **Available capacity limited by E/I ratio, B2-EWA restrictions and higher pumping priorities**

Salinity Management Action: DMC Re-circulation (cont'd)

- Tracy Pumping Priorities
 - CVP contract deliveries
 - Export of additional CVP stored water
 - CVP water transfers
 - SWP exports through JPOD
 - DMC re-circulation

Salinity Management Action: DMC Re-circulation (cont'd)

■ Banks Pumping Priorities

- SWP contract deliveries (including 500 cfs Jul-Sep EWA reservation)
- SWP water transfers
- Additional EWA reservation
- CVP exports through JPOD
- DMC re-circulation

Salinity Management Action: DMC Re-circulation (cont'd)

■ User Specifications

- Period of operation
- Conveyance losses by month and water year type
- Water quality changes by month and water year type resulting from Delta actions (e.g. Frank's Tract)

■ Options

- Upgrade priority
- Increase availability by “paying” E/I cost
- Address Stockton dissolved oxygen targets

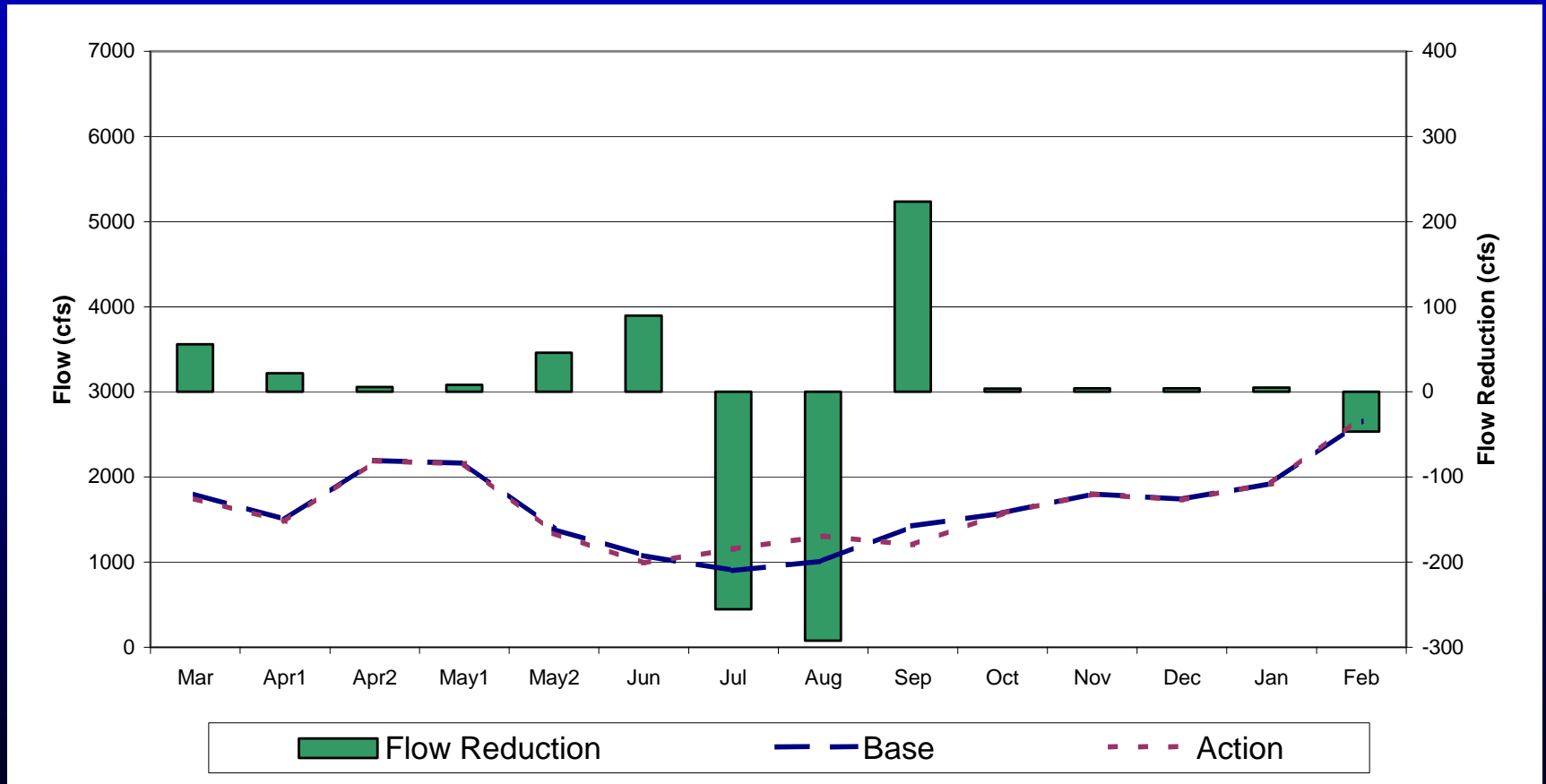
Salinity Management Action: Purchases (Priority 5)

- **Actions Applied to East Side Tributaries and Region Upstream of Merced River**
- **User Specifications**
 - **Period of operation**
 - **Maximum annual purchase**
 - **Water quality**

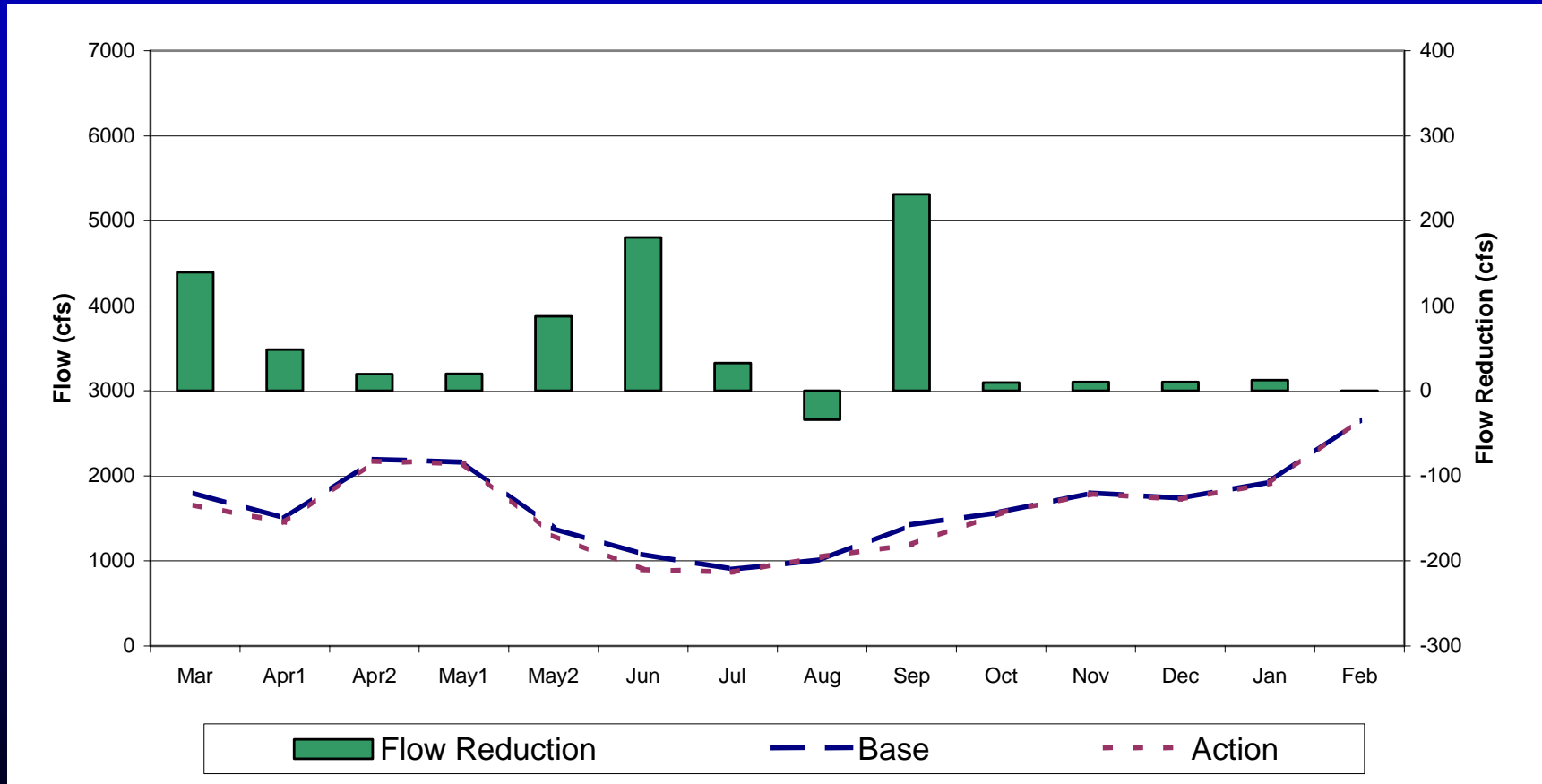
SJRWQMG Study Scenarios

Scenario	Description
ISOLATED ACTION STUDIES	
IA1	No Action
IA2	SJR Improvement Project
IA3a	20% Drain Reduction: Exchanger Region
IA3b	50% Drain Reduction: Exchanger Region
IA3c	20% Drain Reduction: Upper DMC Regions
IA3d	50% Drain Reduction: Upper DMC Regions
IA4	SJRWQMG Refuge Return Flow Management
IA5a	Refuge Return Flow Storage Retention: 5 TAF
IA5b	Refuge Return Flow Storage Retention: 10 TAF
IA6	Mid-Priority DMC Re-circulation: Jul-Sep
IA7	High-Priority DMC Re-circulation: Jul-Sep
IA8	SJRWQMG Water Transfers: Reservoir Rule Curve
IA9	SJRWQMG Water Transfers: Every Year Water
COMPOSITE ACTION STUDIES	
CA1	IA2 + Targeted Re-circulation & New Melones
CA2	Refuge Retention + High-Priority Recirc: Jul-Sep
SENSITIVITY STUDIES	
S1	High-Priority DMC Re-circulation: Year Round
S2	High-Priority Recirc: Year Round w/ Flow Targets
S3	High-Priority Recirc: Jul-Sep w/o DO Releases
DRAFT PREFERRED ALTERNATIVE:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Phased implementation of SJRIP (10-100%) ▪ Strategic water transfers ▪ DMC re-circulation 	
MP-10 thru MP-100	Mid priority re-circulation with modified Stanislaus DO compliance
HP-10 thru HP-100	High priority re-circulation with modified Stanislaus DO compliance
MP-10DO thru MP-100DO	Mid priority re-circulation with existing Stanislaus DO compliance
HP-10DO thru HP-100DO	High priority re-circulation with existing Stanislaus DO compliance

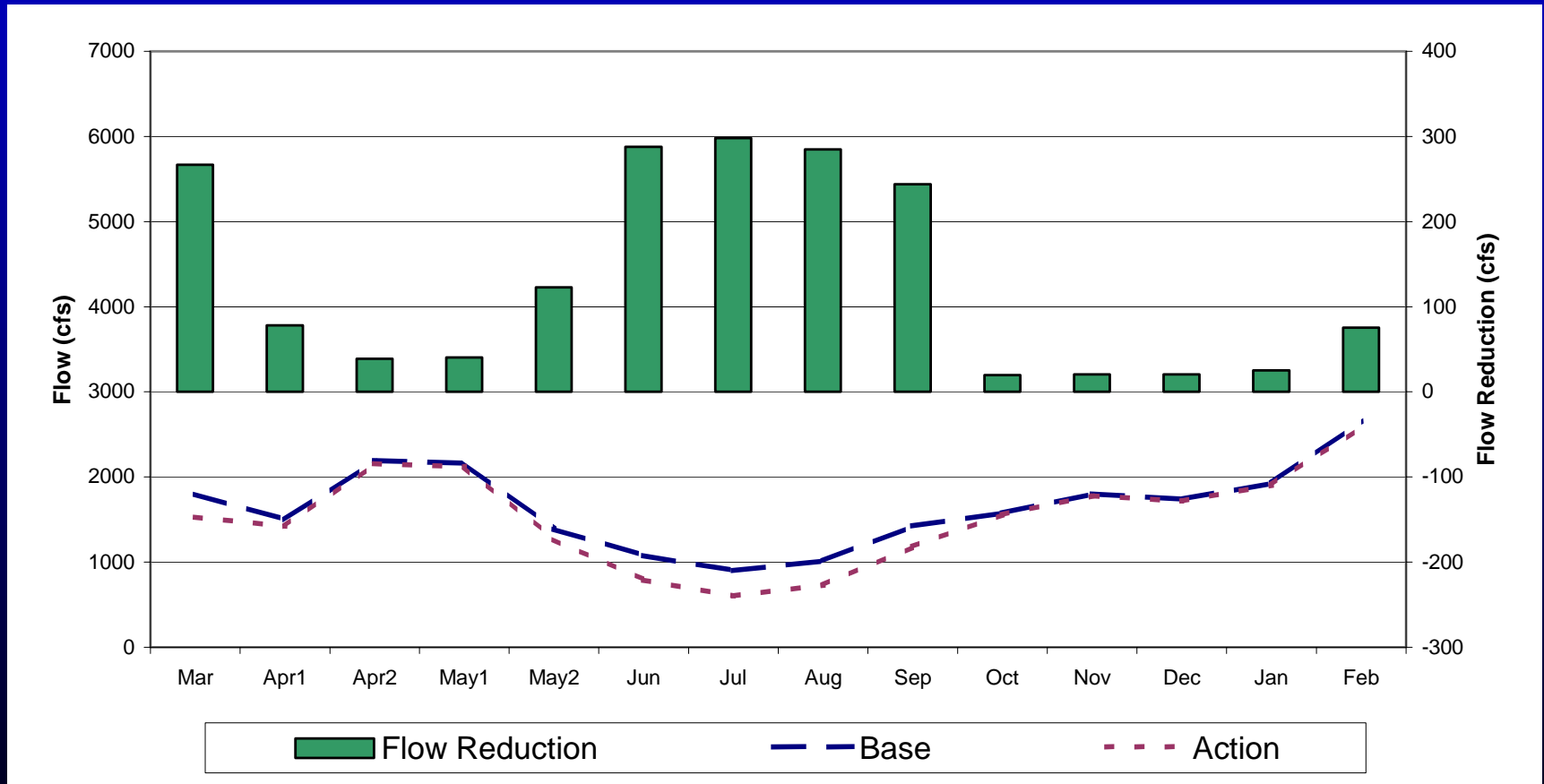
Vernalis Flow: SJRWQMG Draft Preferred Alternative HP-20 Critical Year Average



Vernalis Flow: SJRWQMG Draft Preferred Alternative HP-50 Critical Year Average



Vernalis Flow: SJRWQMG Draft Preferred Alternative HP-100 Critical Year Average



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