

LRCA - Ontario Low Water Response Monthly Summary – February 2016

Current Declared Low Water Condition LRCA	Date Declared
Area of Jurisdiction	
None in effect	

MNR Low Water Level Indicators

Level I		Level II	Level III
Rain	< 80% of the monthly average	< 60% of the monthly average	< 40% of the monthly average
	of the lowest average	Spring: Monthly flow < 70% of the lowest average summer month flow	Spring: Monthly flow < 50% of the lowest average summer month flow
Streamflow	Other times: Monthly flow < 70% of the lowest average summer month flow	Other times: Monthly flow < 50% of the lowest average summer month flow	Other times: Monthly flow < 30% of the lowest average summer month flow

Precipitation Summary – February 2016

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One Month	One Month	Monthly Average	Percentage	OLWR Condition
Summary	Actual (mm)	(mm)		
February	39.6	27.7	143	No Condition
3 Month Summary				OLWR Condition
December,	154.4	109.7	141	No Condition
January, February				
18 Month Summary	18 Month Actual	18 Month Average	Percentage	OLWR Condition
September 2014 to	(mm)	(mm)		
February 2016	905.7	1030.8	88	No Condition

Note: Based on available gauge data at time of summary

Flow Summary – February 2016

Flow One Month Summary – Based on MNR Lowest Average Summer Flow	Percentage of Actual Flow compared to Lowest Average Summer Flow for area gauged streams	OLWR Condition
	147	No Condition
Flow One Month Summary – Based on Environment Canada Mean Monthly Discharge	Percentage of Actual Flow compared to Mean Monthly Flow for area gauged streams	OLWR Condition
	414	n/a

OPG Kaministiquia River Summary

Kam River Structure	In compliance with Water Management Plan	Status as of
Shebandowan Lake	yes	February 12, 2016
Kashabowie Lake	yes	February 12, 2016
Dog Lake	yes	February 12, 2016
Kakabeka Falls	yes	February 12, 2016

Lake Superior Summary – February 2016

	Metres
Monthly Mean Water Level	183.49 IGLD
Water level (monthly mean) compared	
to 100 year flood level on Lake Superior	-0.72 ²
Compared to one year ago	+0.02

Source: http://tides-marees.gc.ca/C&A/back-arrieres-eng.html

Note: 100 Year Flood Level on Lake Superior in Thunder Bay is 183.9 masl geodetic

²Fisheries and Oceans Canada data reported in International Great Lakes Datum (IGLD); 0.31 metres

subtracted from IGLD data to hydraulically correct and convert to geodetic