

Agreement on Implementation of John Martin Reservoir Revised Elevation-Area-Capacity Tables in the H-I Model

August 2015 as amended January 2024

I. Introduction

This Agreement (“Agreement”) was originally entered in August 2015 by the State of Colorado and the State of Kansas (“States”) to modify the Hydrologic-Institutional Model (“H-I Model”) and the area-capacity (“AC”) information that is used by the model to recognize the resurveys of John Martin Reservoir (“JMR”) in 1999 and 2006/2009 (used for administration in 2013). JMR was resurveyed in November 2017 and the revised information has been used for administration since November 2019. The States agreed to use new preliminary H-I Model coding and AC information developed by Colorado for the new survey in the H-I Model updates for years 2019 through 2021. In 2022, Colorado developed new H-I Model code so that only the RESR.DAT input file and not the code will need to be modified after future JMR resurveys. Kansas reviewed and has agreed to the revisions to the H-I Model AC information and code.

This amended Agreement along with the accompanying DVD reflects the changes described above. This Agreement will be referred to as the *2015 Agreement as amended 2024* in other documents. Integration of future resurvey information into the RESR.DAT text file will not be considered a “Substantive Change” under Amended Appendix B.1 of the *Kansas v. Colorado Judgment and Decree* (U.S. Original No. 105), as long as the States agree to the revised AC information. The revised H-I Model code and information has been integrated into the most current version of the model which includes revisions from the *Agreement on H-I Model Changes to Address Increases in Irrigation Efficiency or Pumped Groundwater (2011 Agreement as amended August 2015)*, this *2015 Agreement as amended 2024*, and an additional *Agreement on H-I Model Changes to Address LAWMA's Section II Accounts, X-Y Water Right, and Spill Factors (2024 Agreement)*.

II. Background and Context

The Arkansas River and its tributaries transport a significant sediment load, and the process of sedimentation in JMR has been causing a steady decrease in storage capacity over time. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (“Army Corps”) resurveys JMR approximately every 10 years. The H-I Model uses a progression of AC relationships to estimate evaporation based on storage and to limit the maximum Compact conservation storage volume. The original version of the H-I Model contained six AC relationships and eight maximum storage values which were applied for different date ranges with the last used information based on the 1994 resurvey.

JMR was resurveyed in 1999 and the resulting elevation-area-capacity (“EAC”) table was used for administration from November 1999 through October 2013. The Army Corp dredged JMR around the outlet works in early 2006, completed a bathymetric survey of the reservoir in March 2006, and completed an aerial survey of the “out of water” areas in 2009. The Army Corp used a FORTRAN program for previous surveys, but Geographic Information System (“GIS”) software was also used in 2013 to develop areas and volumes from mapped contour lines. The Army Corps completed the sedimentation resurvey report in 2013 which included a new EAC

table which was first used for administration in November of 2013. The original *August 2015 Agreement* integrated the 1999 and 2013 EAC information into the H-I Model.

In November 2017, the Army Corps resurveyed JMR using multi-beam Sonar and airborne LiDAR inside and outside the inundated areas, respectively. GIS was used to create a digital elevation model (“DEM”) from the two data sets and develop EAC information using this DEM. The new EAC table was first used for administration in November of 2019. The 2019 EAC table indicates a larger maximum conservation storage than the 1988 through 2013 EAC tables, but the Army Corps is confident in the new higher capacity estimate due to the increased accuracies provided by multi-beam Sonar, Lidar, and DEM processing methods.

The Army Corps has discretized recent versions of the EAC tables to 0.01 foot elevations. To represent the EAC tables in the H-I Model, the following exponential function is used to estimate area as a function of volume for two volume ranges for each dataset using two coefficients that are fit using linear regression.

$$\log(\text{area in acres}) = a*\log(\text{volume in AF})+b$$

and

$$\text{area} = e^{(\log(\text{area}))} = e^{(a*\log(\text{volume})+b)}$$

*where log = natural (base e) logarithm and e = Euler’s number
(a and b are referred to as alpha and beta in the H-I Model code and Appendix C.1)*

Coefficients have been developed by fitting lines using linear regression to a graph of log(area) versus log(volume) over two ranges of the data (above and below a reservoir elevation of 3800 feet has been used). Non-linear data at the lowest capacities has sometimes been excluded (i.e. below 3786 feet for 2019 EAC table). The area capacity (AC) and conservation storage information and applicable dates that were in the original H-I Model and have been developed for the subsequent resurveys are shown in Table 1. The H-I Model code and input file were modified to incorporate the relevant information in Table 1 into the input file, RESR.DAT.

Table 1. John Martin Reservoir Data in the H-I Model

Sediment Survey	EAC Table	H-I Model Area Capacity Information for Evaporation							H-I Model Max Cons. Storage		
		Dates	Months	a2 if vol>	a1	b1	a2	b2	Dates	Months	maxstor
Oct-51	1956	1950-6/59	<=114	29216	0.6658	0.9478	0.6319	1.2869	1950-7/57	<=91	380858
Aug-57	1958								8/57-2/62	92<=146	365706
Mar-62	1962	7/59-12/65	115<=192	29204	0.6765	1.0992	0.6384	1.2034	3/62-7/68	147<=223	356038
Sep-66	1967										
Aug-68	1969	1/66-12/70	193<=252	23606	0.8388	-0.2694	0.5825	1.8865	8/68-2/72	224<=266	349292
Mar-72	1972	1/71-12/79	253<=360	24187	0.8311	-0.3301	0.5984	1.6973	3/72-5/80	267<=365	348101
Jun-80	1980								6/80-5/86	366<=437	341945
Jul-86	1988	1/80-6/90	361<=486	18468	0.7161	1.0008	0.5796	1.9503	6/86-5/94	438<=533	337166
Jun-94	1994	7/90-12/96	487<=564	18411	0.6900	1.2625	0.6061	1.6480	6/94-10/99	534<=598	335693
May-99	1999	1/97-12/05	565<=672	17808	0.7011	1.0718	0.6131	1.5595	11/99-10/13	599<=766	333912
Mar-06	2013	1/06-12/16	673<=804	15614	0.6307	1.6871	0.6051	1.6691	11/13-10/19	767<=838	330703
Nov-17	2019	1/17-	805-	17178	0.5583	2.3023	0.6248	1.4420	11/19-	839-	338587

Notes: bold/red=new data not in original H-I Model

III. Scope

The H-I Model code and the input file, RESR.DAT, have been revised to incorporate the new 1999, 2013, and 2019 EAC tables that were developed for JMR by the Army Corps. AC coefficients and dates have been developed as detailed in Table 1 to incorporate this information into the H-I Model as agreed to by the States.

With the original H-I Model, the code itself had to be changed to incorporate new JMR AC information. The H-I Model code and input file, RESR.DAT, were revised so that all data are contained in the input file, and only the input file will need to be changed to incorporate future JMR resurveys. This Agreement will not need to be amended to incorporate future JMR resurveys as long as the States agree that the new EAC table used for administration is appropriately represented with new coefficients and dates in the RESR.DAT input file.

IV. H-I Model Code Revisions

Revisions to the H-I Model code and input file, RESR.DAT, are detailed in the following section “A” and grouped by the following tasks:

1. Revisions to incorporate all AC information into the input file
2. Code revisions required for reading other data from the input file
3. Code revisions for variable declaration and dimensioning
4. Code revisions for reading of data from the input file
5. Code revisions to set the AC coefficients
6. Code revisions to set the maximum storage capacity

The States agree to make the changes to the H-I Model code and input file, RESR.DAT, as shown in section A. These changes have been incorporated into a version of the H-I Model code titled “update6eV1_22.for”.

A. Revisions to the H-I Model Input File and H-I Model Code

1. Revisions to Incorporate All Area Capacity Information into the Input File

a. Deleted Portion of Original RESR.DAT Input File

0.6658	0.9478	-- COEFFICIENTS FOR JOHN MARTIN AREA-STORAGE
0.6765	1.0992	
0.8388	-0.2694	
0.8311	-0.3301	
0.7161	1.0008	
0.6900	1.2625	
0.6319	1.2869	
0.6384	1.2034	
0.5825	1.8865	
0.5984	1.6973	
0.5796	1.9503	
0.6061	1.6480	

b. Revised Portion of RESR.DAT Input File

9	-- COEFFICIENTS FOR JOHN MARTIN RESERVOIR AREA-CAPACITY					
1956	114	29216.	0.6658	0.9478	0.6319	1.2869
1962	192	29204.	0.6765	1.0992	0.6384	1.2034
1969	252	23606.	0.8388	-0.2694	0.5825	1.8865
1972	360	24187.	0.8311	-0.3301	0.5984	1.6973
1988	486	18468.	0.7161	1.0008	0.5796	1.9503
1994	564	18411.	0.6900	1.2625	0.6061	1.6480
1999	672	17808.	0.7011	1.0718	0.6131	1.5595
2013	804	15614.	0.6307	1.6871	0.6051	1.6691
2019	9999	17178.	0.5583	2.3023	0.6248	1.4420
11	-- MAXIMUM CONSERVATION STORAGE FOR JOHN MARTIN RESERVOIR					
1956	91	380858.				
1958	146	365706.				
1962	223	356038.				
1969	266	349292.				
1972	365	348101.				
1980	437	341945.				
1988	533	337166.				
1994	598	335693.				
1999	766	333912.				
2013	838	330703.				
2019	9999	338587.				

Note: for the most current survey, the last month should be entered as 9999

2. H-I Model Code Revisions Required for Reading Other Data from the Input File

a. Lines Deleted from Original Code

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DO 370 I=1,12      0201
  READ(92,*)      0202
370 CONTINUE      0203
  
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b. Revised Code

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READ(92,814)NJMRAC 0200.1JMRKT
DO 370 I=1,NJMRAC 0200.2JMRKT
  READ(92,*)      0200.3JMRKT
370 CONTINUE      203
  READ(92,814)NJMRST 0203.1JMRKT
DO 375 I=1,NJMRST 0203.2JMRKT
  READ(92,*)      0203.3JMRKT
375 CONTINUE      0203.4JMRKT

814 FORMAT(I4)    0242.1JMRKT
  
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3. H-I Model Code Revisions for Variable Declaration and Dimensioning

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2 MAXSPLI=100,MAXSPLJ=18,MAXJM=20) 0293.1SPLKT/JMRKT
REAL ALPHA(MAXJM,2),BETA(MAXJM,2),CFLOW(MAXDVT),DIVTD(MAXDVT), 0295JMRKT
1 SPLFACT(MAXSPLI,MAXSPLJ),JMRACA(MAXJM),JMRSTR(MAXJM) 0320.1SPLKT/JMRKT
5 ISPLUSER(MAXSPLI),ISPLYEAR(MAXSPLI),MJMRAC(MAXJM),MJMRST(MAXJM) 0325.1SPLKT/JMRKT
  
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4. H-I Model Code Revisions for Reading of Data from the Input File

a. Lines Deleted from Original H-I Model Code Used to Read RESR.DAT Data File

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DO 360 IRANGE=1,2 0678
  DO 355 IPER=1,6 0679
    READ(92,913)ALPHA(IPER,IRANGE),BETA(IPER,IRANGE) 0680
355 CONTINUE 0681
360 CONTINUE 0682
  
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b. Revised H-I Model Code Used to Read RESR.DAT Data File

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READ(92,814)NJMRAC 0677.1JMRKT
DO 355 IJMR=1,NJMRAC 0677.2JMRKT
  READ(92,926)MJMRAC(IJMR),JMRACA(IJMR),ALPHA(IJMR,1), 0677.3JMRKT
1 BETA(IJMR,1),ALPHA(IJMR,2),BETA(IJMR,2) 0677.4JMRKT
355 CONTINUE 0681
  READ(92,814)NJMRST 0681.1JMRKT
DO 360 IJMR=1,NJMRST 0681.2JMRKT
  READ(92,927)MJMRST(IJMR),JMRSTR(IJMR) 0681.3JMRKT
360 CONTINUE 0682

926 FORMAT(7X,I7,F10.0,4F10.4) 0731.1JMRKT
927 FORMAT(7X,I7,F10.0) 0731.2JMRKT
  
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5. H-I Model Code Revisions to Set Area Capacity Coefficients

a. Lines Deleted from Original H-I Model Code Used to Set Area Capacity Coefficients

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IF (IMONTH.LT.115) THEN                                0886
  IPER=1                                                0887
  IF (VOL.GT.29216.) THEN                               0888
    IRANGE=2                                            0889
  ELSE                                                  0890
    IRANGE=1                                            0891
  ENDIF                                                0892
ENDIF                                                  0893
IF (IMONTH.GT.114 .AND. IMONTH.LT.193) THEN          0894
  IPER=2                                                0895
  IF (VOL.GT.29204.) THEN                               0896
    IRANGE=2                                            0897
  ELSE                                                  0898
    IRANGE=1                                            0899
  ENDIF                                                0900
ENDIF                                                  0901
IF (IMONTH.GT.192 .AND. IMONTH.LT.253) THEN          0902
  IPER=3                                                0903
  IF (VOL.GT.23606.) THEN                               0904
    IRANGE=2                                            0905
  ELSE                                                  0906
    IRANGE=1                                            0907
  ENDIF                                                0908
ENDIF                                                  0909
IF (IMONTH.GT.252 .AND. IMONTH.LT.361) THEN          0910
  IPER=4                                                0911
  IF (VOL.GT.24187.) THEN                               0912
    IRANGE=2                                            0913
  ELSE                                                  0914
    IRANGE=1                                            0915
  ENDIF                                                0916
ENDIF                                                  0917
IF (IMONTH.GT.360 .AND. IMONTH .LT. 487) THEN        0918
  IPER=5                                                0919
  IF (VOL.GT.18468.) THEN                               0920
    IRANGE=2                                            0921
  ELSE                                                  0922
    IRANGE=1                                            0923
  ENDIF                                                0924
ENDIF                                                  0925
IF (IMONTH.GT.486) THEN                                0926
  IPER=6                                                0927
  IF (VOL.GT.18411.) THEN                               0928
    IRANGE=2                                            0929
  ELSE                                                  0930
    IRANGE=1                                            0931
  ENDIF                                                0932
ENDIF                                                  0933
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b. Revised H-I Model Code Used to Set Area Capacity Coefficients

DO 435	IJMR=1,NJMRAC	0885.1JMRKT
	IF (IMONTH.LE.MJMRAC(IJMR)) THEN	0885.2JMRKT
	IPER=IJMR	0885.3JMRKT
	IF (VOL.GT.JMRACA(IJMR)) THEN	0885.4JMRKT
	IRANGE=2	0885.5JMRKT
	ELSE	0885.6JMRKT
	IRANGE=1	0885.7JMRKT
	ENDIF	0885.8JMRKT
	GO TO 436	0885.9JMRKT
	ENDIF	0885.10JMRKT
435	CONTINUE	0885.11JMRKT
436	CONTINUE	0885.12JMRKT

6. H-I Model Code Revisions to Set Maximum Storage Capacity

a. Lines Deleted from Original H-I Model Code Used to Set Maximum Storage Capacity

IF (IMONTH.LT.92)	STRMAX(1)=380858.	1041
IF (IMONTH.GE.92 .AND. IMONTH.LT.147)	STRMAX(1)=365706.	1042
IF (IMONTH.GE.147 .AND. IMONTH.LT.224)	STRMAX(1)=356038.	1043
IF (IMONTH.GE.224 .AND. IMONTH.LT.267)	STRMAX(1)=349292.	1044
IF (IMONTH.GE.267 .AND. IMONTH.LT.366)	STRMAX(1)=348101.	1045
IF (IMONTH.GE.366 .AND. IMONTH.LT.438)	STRMAX(1)=341945.	1046
IF (IMONTH.GE.438 .AND. IMONTH.LT.534)	STRMAX(1)=337166.	1047
		1048
C--Actual conservation storage capacity as of June 1994		1049
		1050
IF (IMONTH.GE.534)	STRMAX(1)=335693.	1051

b. Revised H-I Model Code Used to Set Storage Capacity

DO 465	IJMR=1,NJMRST	1040.1JMRKT
	IF (IMONTH.LE.MJMRST(IJMR)) THEN	1040.2JMRKT
	STRMAX(1)=JMRSTR(IJMR)	1040.3JMRKT
	GO TO 466	1040.4JMRKT
	ENDIF	1040.5JMRKT
465	CONTINUE	1040.6JMRKT
466	CONTINUE	1040.7JMRKT

IX. General Terms

The States agree to modify the H-I Model code and input file, RESR.DAT, as described in this agreement; incorporating all area-capacity information for John Martin Reservoir into the input file and including new information for the 1999, 2013, and 2019 elevation-area-capacity tables produced by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

The new H-I Model code will not need to be revised to incorporate future resurveys of John Martin Reservoir. The States agree that integration of future resurvey information into the H-I Model input file, RESR.DAT, will not be considered a "Substantive Change" under Amended Appendix B.1 of the Kansas v. Colorado Judgment and Decree (U.S. Original No. 105), and this Agreement will not need to be amended to incorporate future resurveys, as long as the States agree to the representation of a new elevation-area-capacity table with new area capacity information in the RESR.DAT input file.

The States agree that the changes will be implemented with the 2023 H-I Model annual update performed in 2024. The results of the ten year Compact compliance for years prior to the 2023 H-I Model annual update will remain unchanged.

This Agreement shall become effective when both States have approved it by the signatures of their Engineers as provided for below or on counterpart copies, and after telecopies or electronic versions of the same have been received by the other State.


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STATE OF KANSAS


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