Government of Alberta

Flood Warning

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River Basins Currently with Advisories

Information in addition to this advisory may be found at:

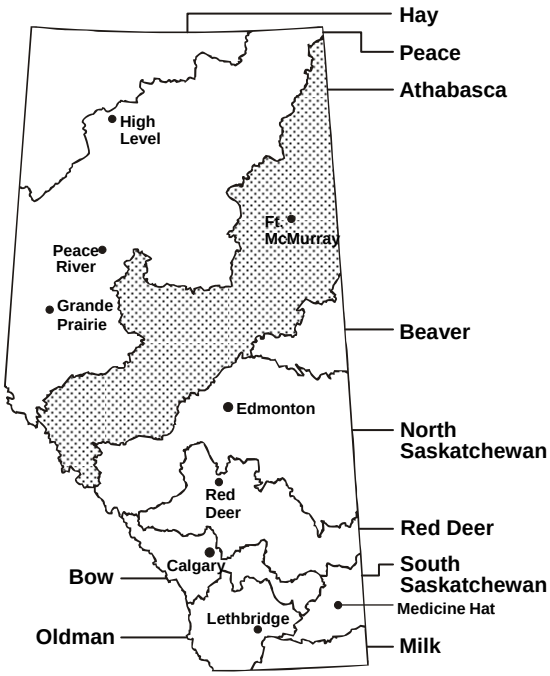
http://www.environment.alberta.ca/forecasting/forecasterscomments

http://www.environment.alberta.ca/apps/basins

High Streamflow Advisory – Stream levels are rising or expected to rise rapidly and no major flooding is expected. Minor flooding in low-lying areas is possible. Anyone situated close to the streams affected is advised to be cautious of the rising levels.

Flood Watch – Stream levels are rising and will approach or may exceed bank full. Flooding of areas adjacent to these streams may occur. Anyone situated close to the river is advised to take appropriate precautionary measures.

Flood Warning – Rising stream levels will result in flooding of areas adjacent to the streams affected. Anyone situated close to the river should take appropriate measures to avoid flood damage.



Streamflow Advisory Overview for Alberta

Advisories apply to streams and their tributaries unless otherwise noted.

- On average, between 30 and 80 mm of precipitation has fallen in the Swan Hills and Grande Prairie regions since yesterday, with as much as 160 mm recorded at one station south of Slave Lake.
- Between 30 and 50 mm of additional precipitation is expected in the Swan Hills area through the weekend and between 80 to 100 mm is expected in the Grande Prairie area over the same period.
- Conditions are being monitored –updates will be issued as required.

Athabasca River Basin

Stream	High Streamflow Advisory	Flood Watch	Flood Warning	Water Level Status	Advisory Status
West Prairie River		✓		rising	Unchanged
East Prairie River		✓		rising	Unchanged
Driftpile River		✓		rising	Unchanged
Swan River		✓		rising	Unchanged

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Stream	High Streamflow Advisory	Flood Watch	Flood Warning	Water Level Status	Advisory Status
Sawridge Creek	✓			falling	Unchanged
Freeman River			✓	rising	**New**
Little Paddle River		✓		rising	Unchanged
Paddle River upstream of Paddle Dam	✓			rising	Unchanged
Paddle River dowsntream of Paddle Dam		✓		rising	Unchanged
Pembina River	✓			rising	Unchanged

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