

RESERVOIR SEDIMENTATION  
DATA SUMMARY

Max Miller #1

NAME OF RESERVOIR

35-19

DATA SHEET NO.

River

DAM	1. OWNER <b>Max Miller</b>			2. RIVER <b>Trib. of W. Nishnabotna</b>			3. STATE <b>Iowa</b>		
	4. SEC. <b>29</b> TWP. <b>74 N</b> RANGE <b>40 W</b>			5. NEAREST TOWN <b>Macedonia</b>			6. COUNTY <b>Pottawattamie</b>		
	7. STREAM BED ELEV.			8. TOP OF DAM ELEV.			9. SPILLWAY CREST ELEV.		
RESERVOIR	10. STORAGE ALLOCATION	11. ELEVATION TOP OF POOL	12. SURFACE AREA ACRES	13. STORAGE ACRE- FEET	14. ACCUMULATED ACRE- FEET	15. DATE STORAGE BEGAN			
	a. FLOOD CONTROL		8.24	36.23	43.84	Nov. 1941			
	b. POWER								
	c. WATER SUPPLY		2.94	7.61	7.61	16. DATE NORMAL OPER. BEGAN			
	d. IRRIGATION								
	e. CONSERVATION								
	f. INACTIVE					Nov. 1941			
17. LENGTH OF RESERVOIR				MILES	AV. WIDTH OF RESERVOIR			MILES	
WATERSHED	18. TOTAL DRAINAGE AREA <b>0.223</b>			SQ. MI.	22. MEAN ANNUAL PRECIPITATION <b>29 (26)</b>			INCHES	
	19. NET SEDIMENT CONTRIBUTING AREA <b>0.218</b>			SQ. MI.	23. MEAN ANNUAL RUNOFF <b>4.2 *</b>			INCHES	
	20. LENGTH		MILES	AV. WIDTH		MILES	24. MEAN ANNUAL RUNOFF		AC.-FT.
	21. MAX. ELEV.			MIN. ELEV.			25. CLIMATIC CLASSIFICATION <b>Sub-humid</b>		
	26. DATE OF SURVEY	27. PERIOD YEARS	28. ACCL. YEARS	29. TYPE OF SURVEY	30. NO. OF RANGES OR CONTOUR INT.	31. SURFACE AREA ACRES	32. CAPACITY ACRE- FEET	33. C/W RATIO AC.-FT. PER SQ. MI.	
Nov. 1941	-	-	-	-	2.94	7.61	34.1		
May 1949	7.5	7.5	Range Detailed	3	1.46	1.06	4.75		
SURVEY DATA	26. DATE OF SURVEY	34. PERIOD ANNUAL PRECIPITATION	35. PERIOD WATER INFLOW <del>NO RECORD</del>			36. WATER INFL. TO DATE <del>NO RECORD</del>			
			a. MEAN ANNUAL	b. MAX. ANNUAL	c. PERIOD TOTAL	a. MEAN ANNUAL	b. TOTAL TO DATE		
	May 1949		(inches)				(inches)		
			6.6 *			6.6 *			
SURVEY DATA	26. DATE OF SURVEY	37. PERIOD SEDIMENT DEPOSITS ACRE- FEET			38. TOTAL SED. DEPOSITS TO DATE ACRE- FEET.				
		a. PERIOD TOTAL	b. AV. ANNUAL	c. PER SQ. MI.-YEAR	a. TOTAL TO DATE	b. AV. ANNUAL	c. PER SQ. MI.-YEAR		
	May 1949	6.55 (8.38) <u>1/</u>	0.873 (1.117)	4.00 (5.12)	6.55 (8.38)	0.873 (1.117)	4.00 (5.12)		
SURVEY DATA	26. DATE OF SURVEY	39. AV. DRY WGT. LBS. PER CU. FT.	40. SED. DEP. TONS PER SQ. MI.-YR.		41. STORAGE LOSS PCT.		42. SED. INFLOW PPM		
			a. PERIOD	b. TOTAL TO DATE	a. AV. ANNUAL	b. TOT. TO DATE	a. PERIOD	b. TOT. TO DATE	
	May 1949	65.2 (3)	5,680 (7,270)	5,680 (7,270)	2.55 (11.47) <u>2/</u>	19.1 (86.1) <u>2/</u>	3/ 11,620 (14,870)	3/ 11,620 (14,870)	

\* Estimated

1/ Above-crest deposits within original flow line at emergency spillway crest, and are wholly within flood storage pool.

2/ Based on water supply pool.

26. DATE OF SURVEY	43. DEPTH DESIGNATION RANGE IN FEET ABOVE, AND BELOW, CREST ELEVATION													
	PERCENT OF TOTAL SEDIMENT LOCATED WITHIN DEPTH DESIGNATION													

26. DATE OF SURVEY	44. REACH DESIGNATION PERCENT OF TOTAL ORIGINAL LENGTH OF RESERVOIR														
	0-10	10-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60	60-70	70-80	80-90	90-100	-105	-110	-115	-120	-125
	PERCENT OF TOTAL SEDIMENT LOCATED WITHIN REACH DESIGNATION														

45. RANGE IN RESERVOIR OPERATION							
WATER YEAR	MAX. ELEV.	MIN. ELEV.	INFLOW AC.-FT.	WATER YEAR	MAX. ELEV.	MIN. ELEV.	INFLOW AC.-FT.

46. ELEVATION-AREA-CAPACITY DATA								
ELEVATION	AREA	CAPACITY	ELEVATION	AREA	CAPACITY	ELEVATION	AREA	CAPACITY

47. REMARKS AND REFERENCES

Gottschalk, L.C., and G.M. Brune. Sediment design criteria for the Missouri Basin Loess Hills. U.S. Soil Conserv. Serv., SCS-TP-97; 21 pp., illus., processed. Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 1950.

Mechanical analysis made of sediment.

$$\frac{3}{42} = \frac{37b \times 39 \times 1,000,000}{35a \times 18 \times \frac{640 \times 62.4}{12}}$$

48. AGENCY SUPPLYING DATA Region 3, Soil Conservation Service 49. DATE January 9, 1950

U. S. Department of Agriculture  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

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	4. SEC. 29 TWP. 74 N RANGE 40W			5. NEAREST TOWN Macedonia			6. COUNTY Pottawattamie			
	7. STREAM BED ELEV.			8. TOP OF DAM ELEV.			9. SPILLWAY CREST ELEV. 100.0			
RESERVOIR	10. STORAGE ALLOCATION	11. ELEVATION TOP OF POOL	12. SURFACE AREA ACRES	13. STORAGE ACRE- FEET	14. ACCUMULATED ACRE- FEET	15. DATE STORAGE BEGAN <sup>assumed</sup>				
	a. FLOOD CONTROL	107.5	8.24	36.23	43.84	Nov. 1941				
	b. POWER									
	c. WATER SUPPLY	100.0	2.94	7.61	7.61	16. DATE NORMAL OPER. BEGAN				
	d. IRRIGATION									
	e. CONSERVATION					Nov. 1941				
f. INACTIVE										
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	19. NET SEDIMENT CONTRIBUTING AREA			0.218	SQ. MI.	23. MEAN ANNUAL RUNOFF			4.2 est.	INCHES
	20. LENGTH		MILES	20. AV. WIDTH		MILES	24. MEAN ANNUAL RUNOFF			AG.-FT.
	21. MAX. ELEV.			21. MIN. ELEV.			25. CLIMATIC CLASSIFICATION Sub-humid			
SURVEY DATA	26. DATE OF SURVEY	27. PERIOD YEARS	28. ACCL. YEARS	29. TYPE OF SURVEY	30. NO. OF RANGES OR CONTOUR INT.	31. SURFACE AREA ACRES	32. CAPACITY <sup>1</sup> ACRE- FEET	33. C/W RATIO <sup>2</sup> AC.-FT. PER SQ. MI.		
	11/41	-	-	-	-	8.24	43.84	196		
	5/49	7.5	7.5	Detailed	3 ranges	6.76	35.46	159		
	6/52	3.1	10.6	"	"	6.02	32.10	144		
	26. DATE OF SURVEY	34. PERIOD ANNUAL PRECIPITATION	35. PERIOD WATER INFLOW ACRE- FEET			36. WATER INFL. TO DATE AC.-FT.				
			a. MEAN ANNUAL	b. MAX. ANNUAL	c. PERIOD TOTAL	a. MEAN ANNUAL	b. TOTAL TO DATE			
	5/49	-	(inches) 6.6 est.	-	-	(inches) 6.6 est.	-			
	26. DATE OF SURVEY	37. PERIOD SEDIMENT DEPOSITS ACRE- FEET			38. TOTAL SED. DEPOSITS TO DATE ACRE- FEET.					
		a. PERIOD TOTAL	b. AV. ANNUAL	c. PER SQ. MI.-YEAR	a. TOTAL TO DATE	b. AV. ANNUAL	c. PER SQ. MI.-YEAR			
	5/49	6.55 (8.38)	0.873 (1.117)	4.005 (5.124)	6.55 (8.38)	0.873 (1.117)	4.005 (5.124)			
6/52	0.94 (3.36)	0.303 (1.08)	1.39 (4.95)	7.49 (11.74)	0.717 (1.11)	3.29 (5.09)				
26. DATE OF SURVEY	39. AV. DRY WGT. LBS. PER CU. FT.	40. SED. DEP. TONS PER SQ. MI.-YR.		41. STORAGE LOSS PCT.		42. SED. INFLOW PPM				
		a. PERIOD	b. TOTAL TO DATE	a. AV. ANNUAL	b. TOT. TO DATE	a. PERIOD	b. TOT. TO DATE			
5/49	65.2 (3)	5,690 (7,280)	5,690 (7,280)	1.99	14.94	11,620 (14,870)	11,620 (14,870)			
6/52	69.7 (3)	2,110 (7,520)	4,980 (7,730)	1.64	17.08					

1/ Below crest. 2/ C/I ratio estimated to be 0.874 in 1941, 0.709 in 1949 and 0.642 in 1952. Trap efficiency estimated to be 97% up to 1952.

26. DATE OF SURVEY	43. DEPTH DESIGNATION RANGE IN FEET ABOVE, AND BELOW, CREST ELEVATION											
	Below crest						Sediment crest and emergency					
	PERCENT OF TOTAL SEDIMENT LOCATED WITHIN DEPTH DESIGNATION											
May 1949	78					22						
June 1952	64					36						

26. DATE OF SURVEY	44. REACH DESIGNATION PERCENT OF TOTAL ORIGINAL LENGTH OF RESERVOIR														
	0-10	10-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60	60-70	70-80	80-90	90-100	-105	-110	-115	-120	-125
	PERCENT OF TOTAL SEDIMENT LOCATED WITHIN REACH DESIGNATION														

45. RANGE IN RESERVOIR OPERATION							
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46. ELEVATION-AREA-CAPACITY DATA								
ELEVATION	AREA	CAPACITY	ELEVATION	AREA	CAPACITY	ELEVATION	AREA	CAPACITY
1941:								
107.5	8.24	43.84						
100.0	2.94	7.61						
1949:								
107.5	8.24	35.46						
100.0	1.46	1.06						
1952								
107.5	8.24	32.10						
100.0	0.72	0.12						

47. REMARKS AND REFERENCES

- Gottschalk, L. C., and G. M. Brune. Sediment Design Criteria for the Missouri Basin Loess Hills. Soil Conservation Service, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 1950.
- USDA Yearbook of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. 1941.

Mechanical analysis made of sediment. June 1952, Log jammed in drop inlet. Gully forming in emergency spillway although it has never overflowed.

48. AGENCY SUPPLYING DATA SCS, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

49. DATE July 20, 1952.