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Dam	Stream and County	Owner a/	Year of Completion	Type of Dam b/	Dam Height (feet)	Reservoir Capacity (acre feet)	Purpose of Dam c/	Use of Water d/
Oroville	Feather River, Butte	DWR	1968	ERTH	742	3,537,577	MP	I, M, P, R
New Bullards Bar	North Yuba River, Yuba	Yuba Co. WA	1970	VARA	635	969,600	MP	D, I, M, P, R
New Melones	Stanislaus River, Calaveras	USBR	1979	ROCK	578	2,400,000	MP	I, M, P, R
Don Pedro	Tuolumne River, Tuolumne	Turlock ID	1971	ERRK	568	2,030,000	MP	I, D, P, R
Seven Oaks	Santa Ana River, San Bernardino	USACE	1999	ROCK	550	145,600	FC	
Shasta	Sacramento River, Shasta	USBR	1945	GRAV	521	4,552,000	MP	I, M, P, R
New Exchequer	Merced River, Mariposa	Merced ID	1967	ROCK	479	1,032,000	MP	I, P, R
Trinity	Trinity River, Trinity	USBR	1962	ERTH	458	2,447,650	MP	I, M, P, R
Union Valley	Silver Creek, El Dorado	Sacramento MUD	1963	ERRK	453	230,000	ST	P, R
Pine Flat	Kings River, Fresno	USACE	1954	GRAV	440	1,000,000	MP	I, R
Lower Hell Hole	Rubicon River, Placer	Placer Co. WA	1966	ROCK	410	208,400	ST, DV	D, I, P, R
Mammoth Pool	San Joaquin River, Fresno	So. California Edison Co.	1960	ERTH	406	123,000	ST	D, P
Pyramid	Piru Creek, Los Angeles	DWR	1973	ERRK	386	180,000	ST, DV	I, M, P, R
Pacoima	Pacoima Creek, Los Angeles	Los Angeles Co. DPW	1929	VARA	365	3,777	ST, FC	M
Pardee	Mokelumne River, Amador	East Bay MUD	1929	GRAV	345	179,950	ST, DV	M, P
Castaic	Castaic Creek, Los Angeles	DWR	1973	ERTH	340	323,700	ST	I, M, R
Salt Springs	N Fork Mokelumne River, Amador	PG&E	1931	ROCK	332	141,900	ST, DV	P
San Gabriel No. 1	San Gabriel River, Los Angeles	Los Angeles Co. DPW	1938	ERRK	320	44,183	ST, FC	M, P
Warm Springs	Dry Creek, Sonoma	USACE	1982	ERTH	319	381,000	ST, FC	I, R
Cherry Valley	Cherry Creek, Tuolumne	City & Co. of San Francisco	1956	ERRK	315	273,500	ST, DV	D, I, P
Courtright	Helms Creek, Fresno	PG&E	1958	ROCK	315	123,300	ST, DV	P
O'Shaughnessy	Tuolumne River, Tuolumne	City & Co. of San Francisco	1923	GRAV	312	360,000	ST, DV	D, M, P
Olivenhain	Escondido Creek, San Diego	San Diego County WA	2003	GRAV	309	24,900	ST	M, D, I
B. F. Sisk	San Luis Creek, Merced	USBR	1967	ERTH	305	2,041,000	ST	N, I, P, R
Friant	San Joaquin River, Fresno	USBR	1942	GRAV	299	520,500	MP	I, R
Donnells	MFK Stanislaus River, Tuolumne	Oakdale & So. San Joaquin ID	1958	VARA	291	56,893	ST	I, P
Diamond Valley Lake	Domenigoni Valley Creek, Riverside	MWD	1999	ERRK	284	800,000	ST	M, D, R
Englebright	Yuba River, Yuba	USACE	1941	VARA	280	70,000	DC	P
Casitas	Coyote Creek, Ventura	USBR	1959	ERTH	279	254,000	MP	M, P, R
Beardsley	MFK Stanislaus River, Tuolumne	Oakdale & So. San Joaquin ID	1957	ERRK	278	77,600	ST	I, P
Folsom	American River, Sacramento	USBR	1956	GRAV	275	975,000	MP	I, P, R
Lake Spaulding	So Fork Yuba River, Nevada	PG&E	1913	VARA	275	74,773	ST, DV	P
Briones	Bear Creek, Contra Costa	East Bay MUD	1964	ERTH	273	67,520	ST, DV	M, D
Sly Creek	Lost Creek, Butte	South Feather WPA	1961	ERTH	271	65,050	ST, RG	I, M, D
Cogswell	WFK San Gabriel R., Los Angeles	Los Angeles Co. DPW	1935	ROCK	266	8,969	ST, FC	D, I, P
Wishon	No Fork Kings River, Fresno	PG&E	1958	ROCK	265	118,000	ST, DV	P, D
Mathews	Trib Cajalco Creek, Riverside	MWD	1938	ERTH	264	182,000	ST	I, M
Whiskeytown	Clear Creek, Shasta	USBR	1963	ERTH	263	241,100	MP	I, M, P
New Spicer Meadow	Highland Creek, Tuolumne	Calaveras Co. WD	1989	ROCK	262	189,000	ST	M, P, R
Monticello	Putah Creek, Napa	USBR	1957	VARA	255	1,602,000	MP	I, M, D
Terminus	Kaweah River, Tulare	USACE	1962	ERTH	255	143,000	MP	I, R

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Lower Bear River	Bear River, Amador	PG&E	1952	ROCK	253	48,750	ST, DV	I, D, P
Sugar Pine	N Fk American Riv, Placer	Foresthill Public Utility District	1981	ERTH	250	6,916	DV, ST	M,D,I,N,R
Morris	San Gabriel River, Los Angeles	Los Angeles Co. DPW	1935	GRAV	245	27,500	ST, FC	M
Rollins	Bear River, Nevada	Nevada ID	1965	ERTH	242	66,000	ST, DV	I, M, D
McCloud	McCloud River, Shasta	PG&E	1965	ERTH	240	35,300	ST, DV	P
El Capitan	San Diego River, San Diego	City of San Diego	1934	HYDF	237	112,800	ST	M
Cedar Springs	WFK Mojave River, San Bernardino	DWR	1971	ERTH	236	78,000	ST, RG	I, M, P, R
Leroy Anderson	Coyote River, Santa Clara	Santa Clara Valley WD	1950	ERTH	235	91,280	ST, DV	I, D, N
Big Creek No. 7	San Joaquin River, Fresno	So. California Edison Co.	1951	GRAV	233	35,000	ST, DV	P
McKays Point Diversion	NFK Stanislaus River, Calaveras	Calaveras Co. WD	1989	CORA	233	2,100	ST, DV	M, P
Slab Creek	S Fork American R., El Dorado	Sacramento MUD	1967	VARA	233	16,600	ST, DV	P, D, M
L.L. Anderson	Mid Fork American R., Placer	Placer Co. WA	1965	ERTH	231	111,333	ST, DV	I, M, D, R
Peters	Lagunitas Creek, Marin	Marin Municipal WD	1954	ERTH	230	32,900	ST	M
Pit No. 7	Pit River, Shasta	PG&E	1965	GRAV	230	34,000	ST, DV	P
Ramona	Green Valley Road Creek, San Diego	Ramona Municipal WD	1988	ERTH	228	12,200	ST	I
Stampede	Little Truckee River, Sierra	USBR	1970	ERTH	226	226,500	ST	I, R
Big Santa Anita	Trib Rio Hondo, Los Angeles	Los Angeles Co. DPW	1927	VARA	225	858	ST, FC	M, D, I
New Lake Arrowhead	Little Bear Creek, San Bernardino	County of San Bernardino	1976	ERTH	225	1,970	ST	R
San Joaquin Reservoir	Trib Bonita Creek, Orange	Irvine Ranch WD	1966	ERTH	224	3,036	ST	M, D
Del Valle	Arroyo Valle, Alameda	DWR	1968	ERTH	222	77,100	ST, FC	I, M, R
Indian Valley	No Fork Cache Creek, Lake	Yolo Co. FCWCD	1976	ERTH	222	300,000	ST, FC	I
Brush Creek	Brush Creek, El Dorado	Sacramento MUD	1970	VARA	213	1,530	ST, DV	P, D, M
Santa Felicia	Piru Creek, Ventura	United WCD	1955	ERTH	213	100,000	ST	I, M, D
Twitchell	Cuyama River, San Luis Obispo	USBR	1958	ERTH	211	240,000	MP	I, R, D
Calaveras	Calaveras Creek, Alameda	City & Co. of San Francisco	1925	HYDF	210	100,000	ST	M, D
Iron Canyon	Iron Canyon Creek, Shasta	PG&E	1965	ERTH	210	24,300	ST, DV	P
Little Grass Valley	S Fork Feather River, Plumas	South Feather WPA	1961	ROCK	210	93,010	ST	I, M, P, D
Nacimiento	Nacimiento River, San Luis Obispo	Monterey Co. WA	1957	ERTH	210	350,000	ST, FC	I, M, P, D
New Hogan	Calaveras River, Calaveras	USACE	1963	ERTH	210	317,000	MP	I, M, R
Big Tujunga No. 1	Big Tujunga Creek, Los Angeles	Los Angeles Co. DPW	1931	VARA	208	5,750	ST, FC	M, D
James J. Lenihan	Los Gatos Creek, Santa Clara	Santa Clara Valley WD	1953	ERTH	208	21,430	ST	I
Tulloch	Stanislaus River, Calaveras	Oakdale, So. San Joaquin ID	1958	GRAV	205	68,400	ST	I, R, P
Box Canyon	Sacramento River, Siskiyou	Siskiyou Co. FCWCD	1969	GRAV	204	26,000	ST	R
Mojave	WFK Mojave River, San Bernardino	USACE	1971	ERTH	204	89,700	FC	
Lake Loveland	Sweetwater River, San Diego	South Bay ID	1945	VARA	203	25,400	ST, DV	I, M, D, N
San Vicente	San Vicente Creek, San Diego	City of San Diego	1943	GRAV	203	90,230	ST, DV	M, D
San Antonio	San Antonio River, Monterey	Monterey Co. WA	1965	ERTH	202	350,000	ST, FC	I, M, D
Bradbury	Santa Ynez River, Santa Barbara	USBR	1953	ERTH	201	205,000	MP	I, M, R
Chet Harritt	Quail Canyon Creek, San Diego	Helix WD	1962	ERTH	200	9,790	ST	I, M, R, D
Jamestown Mines Tailing	Trib Woods Creek, Tuolumne	County of Tuolumne	1994	ROCK	200	12,100	ST	I
Los Vaqueros	Kellog Creek, Contra Costa	Contra Costa Co. WD	1997	ERTH	197	100,000	ST	M, D

