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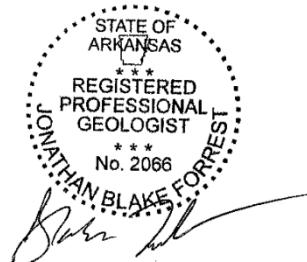


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ABSTRACT

The Arkansas Groundwater Protection and Management Report is produced annually by the Arkansas Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Division (NRD) pursuant to the Arkansas Groundwater Protection and Management Act of 1991, Arkansas Code Annotated 15-22-906. This report provides a summary of groundwater protection and conservation programs administered by the NRD during the years 2018 and 2019, including water-level monitoring and studies of water use trends in the state.

This report focuses exclusively on two aquifers: the Mississippi River Valley Alluvial Aquifer (alluvial aquifer), which is the most important water resource for agricultural production in the state, and the Sparta/Memphis Aquifer (Sparta), which is one of the state's best sources of good quality groundwater for drinking and industrial uses. The report compares water-level data collected in the spring of 2019 to historical water level data in one, five, and ten-year intervals, as well as data collected continuously, monthly, and quarterly, to quantify the aquifers response to the stresses of the 2018 growing season. Climate and water use data are considered along with water level data to explain the water level change results.

Spring 2019 water level data had positive average change values for both the alluvial and Sparta aquifers when compared to 2018, 2004, and 2009 water level data. This result continues the trend of positive average change values in recent years. However, average water level changes can fluctuate throughout the years and do not always accurately portray the general aquifer trend.

The general trend in **Arkansas's long**-term water-level change is that the groundwater levels are declining in response to continued withdrawals at a rate which is not sustainable. Based on 2015 water use data, only approximately 44.2 percent of the current alluvial aquifer withdrawal of 7,636.08 million gallons per day, and approximately 55% percent of the Sparta/Memphis aquifer withdrawal of 160 million gallons per day is sustainable. At these pumping rates, water-level declines and the adverse **impacts on the state's groundwater** system will continue to be observed. As the competition for groundwater becomes more intense, the challenge before Arkansas' **water resources users, scientists, and conservationists, is to continue to work toward** conservation, education, and the conjunctive use of groundwater and excess surface water in a manner that brings about the wise and sustainable use of our valuable water resources.

Introduction

This report is prepared to provide the State of Arkansas with a comprehensive water-quantity and water-quality document to be utilized, in accordance with the Arkansas Water Plan, as a guide for water resources conservation and protection programs. It includes data, analysis, and recommendations for the groundwater protection and management program, as well as data from the Arkansas Water Well Construction Commission.

This report focuses on the two most used aquifers in the state, the Mississippi River Valley alluvial aquifer (alluvial aquifer) and the Sparta/Memphis aquifer. Data collection for the program is dependent upon a strong partnership with other state, federal, and local water resources agencies. A monitoring schedule has been established to obtain data from the alluvial aquifer and the Sparta aquifer on an annual basis. Each spring approximately 300 to 400 wells are monitored in the alluvial aquifer resulting in the largest number of water-level measurements for any one aquifer in the state, and approximately 200-300 wells are monitored each year for water levels in the Sparta/Memphis aquifer. The number of wells monitored will vary from year to year depending on the resources available, well accessibility, and other factors. The drawdown that results from seasonal pumping is taken into consideration by the NRCS and NRD taking measurements of the alluvial aquifer in both the spring and fall. Spring measurements are taken before the irrigation season begins and once again in the fall after the pumping season has ended.

There are areas of the state experiencing groundwater withdrawals of such magnitude that demand on the aquifer exceeds the sustainable yield, resulting in consistently falling groundwater levels, and the development of cones of depression. These areas occur in both the alluvial and Sparta aquifers. Water-level declines are consistently observed in areas where water use is highest, such as portions of the Grand Prairie study area and in the Cache study area for the alluvial and the South Arkansas study area for the Sparta.

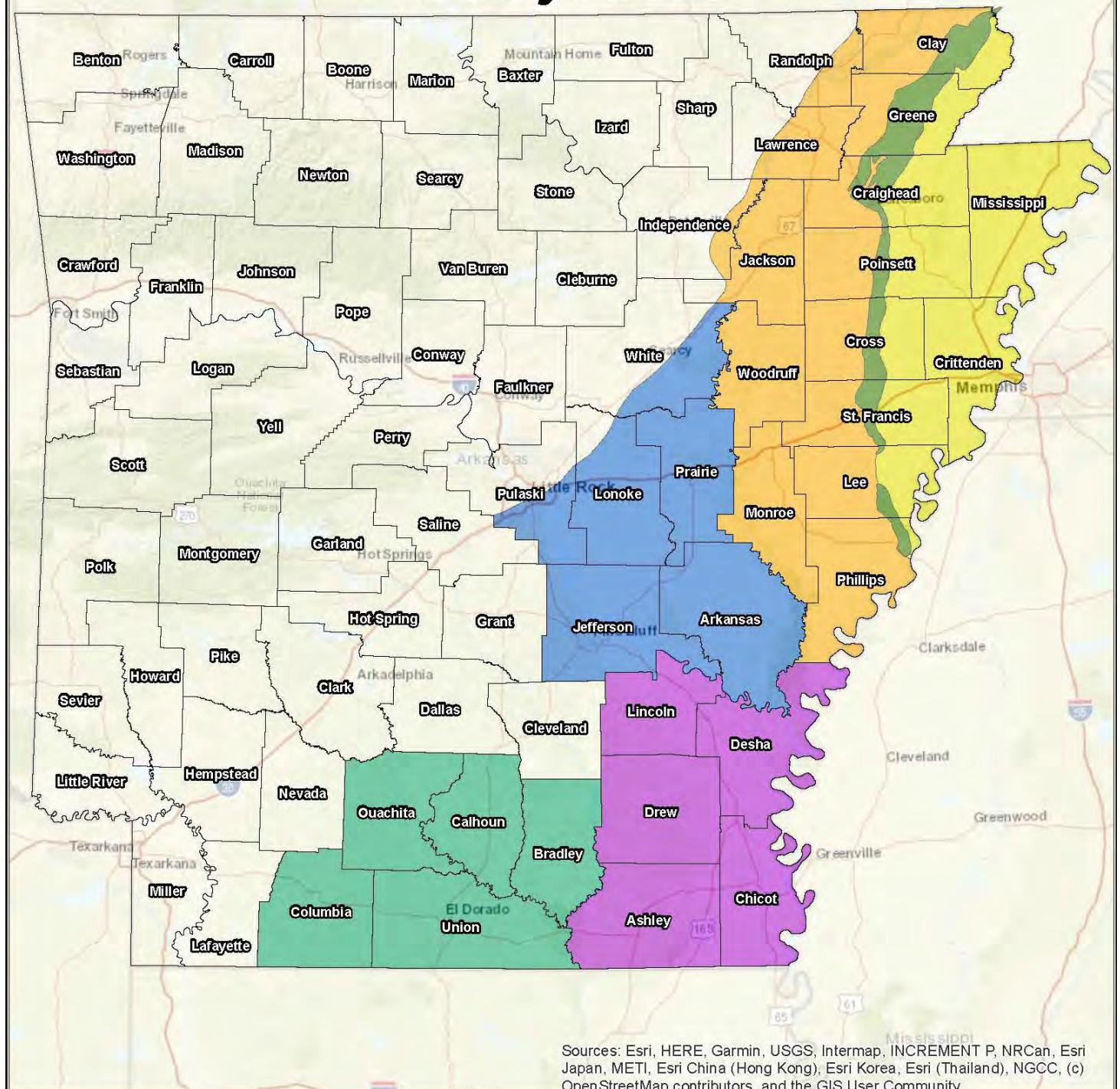
The USGS maintains the Arkansas Masterwell Program that supplies long term groundwater quality monitoring in 25 wells from 14 aquifers. These Masterwells are located throughout 21 counties and each year 5 sites are sampled for a variety of water-quality constituents. Hydrogeologic data is collected statewide; however, resources are focused on study areas where water-level declines and water-quality degradation have been observed historically. Groundwater quality sampling targeting known water quality issues, such as high chlorides, throughout the

Mississippi Alluvial Plain has been conducted by the USGS in 2018 and 2019. The results of this work will be included in this report when they are published.

Water Policy

Water-resources policy in Arkansas was established in the Arkansas Water Plan of 1991, in which the NRD advocates conservation, education, and the conjunctive use of ground and surface water, along with the development of excess surface water to meet future water use needs. It is hoped that protection of the State's groundwater resources can be achieved through these measures rather than management strategies that may require allocation of water. If conservation and the development of excess surface water are not successfully implemented in the impaired areas in the future, the State will have to consider regulatory alternatives to preserve the aquifers at a sustainable level. All water-use strategies must consider the wise use of our State's water resources while protecting the sustainable yield of the State's aquifers. Stream flow needs of the State's surface-water flow system must also be considered if our water resources are to be protected for future generations to utilize and enjoy. The NRD advocates that the State move toward a sustainable yield pumping strategy through conservation and utilization of Critical Groundwater Area designation where needed to focus resources. Designation as a Critical Groundwater Area fosters conservation by offering enhanced tax credit benefits for conservation practices through the State's Water Conservation Tax Credit Program, by increasing educational outreach, and by qualifying the area for federal programs and funding. This is a non-regulatory designation. Regulation cannot be initiated without a new process involving legal proceedings, additional notice, and public hearings. Figure 1 presents the Groundwater Study Areas while Figure 2 presents the Critical Groundwater Areas as designated.

Arkansas Groundwater Study Areas



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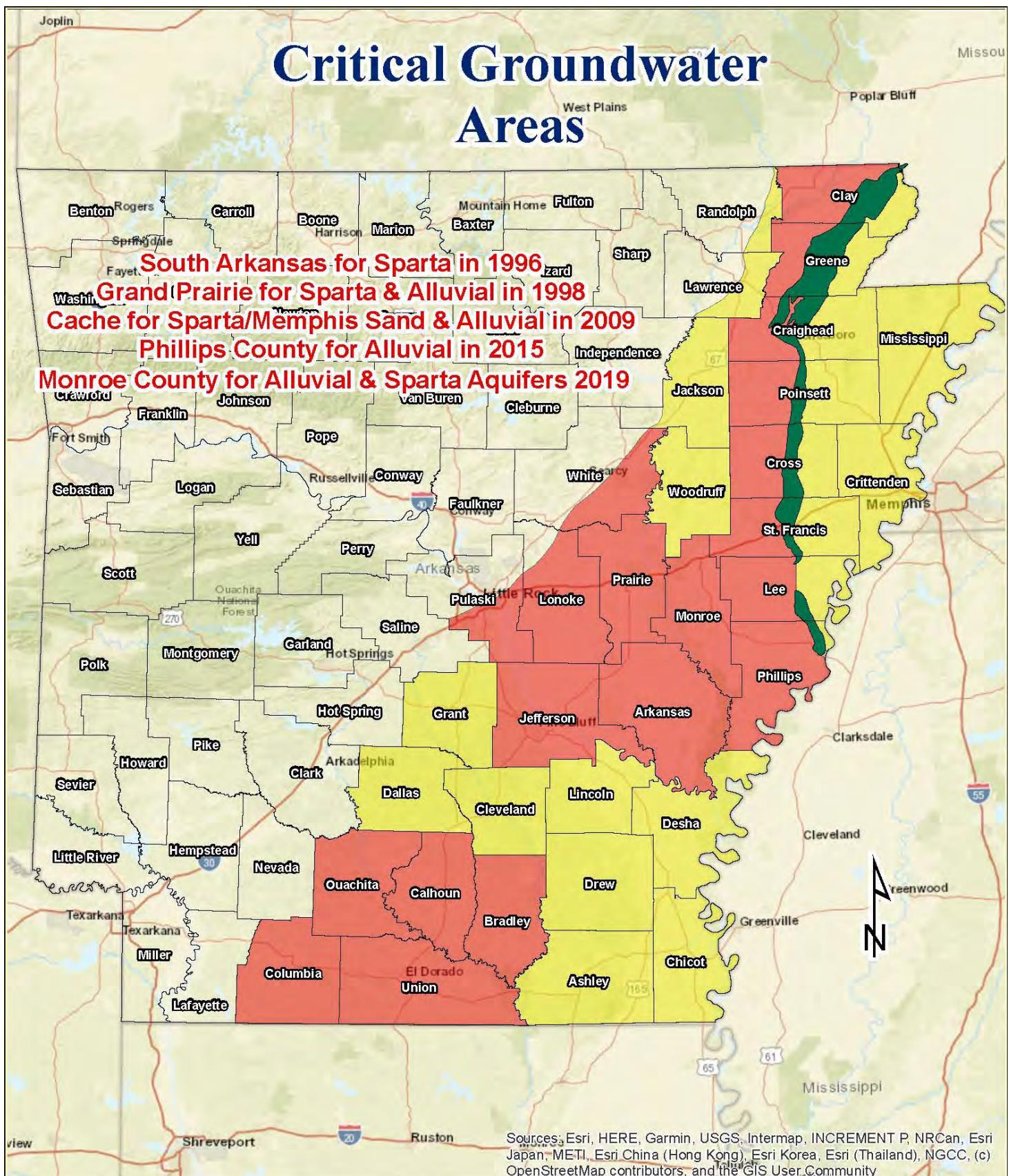
- South Arkansas
- St. Francis
- Grand Prairie
- Cache
- Boeuf - Tensas
- Crowleys Ridge
- County Boundaries

0 12.5 25 50 75 100 Miles



Figure 1

Critical Groundwater Areas



Legend

- Current Critical Areas
- Crowleys Ridge
- Current Study Areas
- County Boundaries

0 10 20 40 60 80 Miles



Figure 2

Hydrogeology and Statewide Water-Level Trends

Alluvial Aquifer

The Mississippi River Valley alluvial aquifer, **hereby referred to as the “alluvial aquifer”**, is the uppermost aquifer in the Mississippi Embayment. The alluvial aquifer is composed of 50 to 150 feet of sand and gravel, grading from coarse gravel at the bottom to fine sand at the top. It generally is overlain by the Mississippi River Confining Unit, which is composed of up to 50 feet of fine-grained sand, silt, and clay. For the purpose of this report, the term alluvial aquifer refers to the portion of the aquifer inside the state boundaries of Arkansas and the extent of the Mississippi River Alluvial Plain; generally the Fall-Line or contact with outcropping Tertiary formations to the west, the Mississippi River to the east, and the state lines to the north and south. The alluvial aquifer is connected hydraulically with several rivers and drainage areas (Ackerman, 1996).

Static water level measurements were collected from 335 wells across the alluvial aquifer prior to the irrigation season in 2019. Figure 3 presents the potentiometric surface data as depth to water values. Figure 4 presents the saturated thickness of the alluvial aquifer as a percentage of the total aquifer thickness. Saturated thickness values were calculated by subtracting the depth to water by the total aquifer thickness on a well to well basis. Aquifer thickness values were obtained from the USGS MERAS model subsurface map. The areas of greatest decline continue to be the historical cones of depression in the Grand Prairie and Cache river regions.

Alluvial Aquifer Depth to Water, Feet 2019

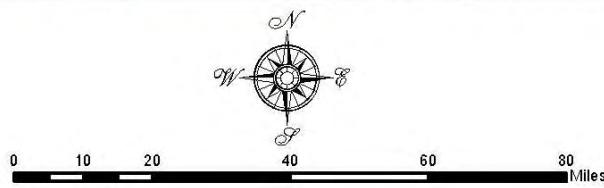
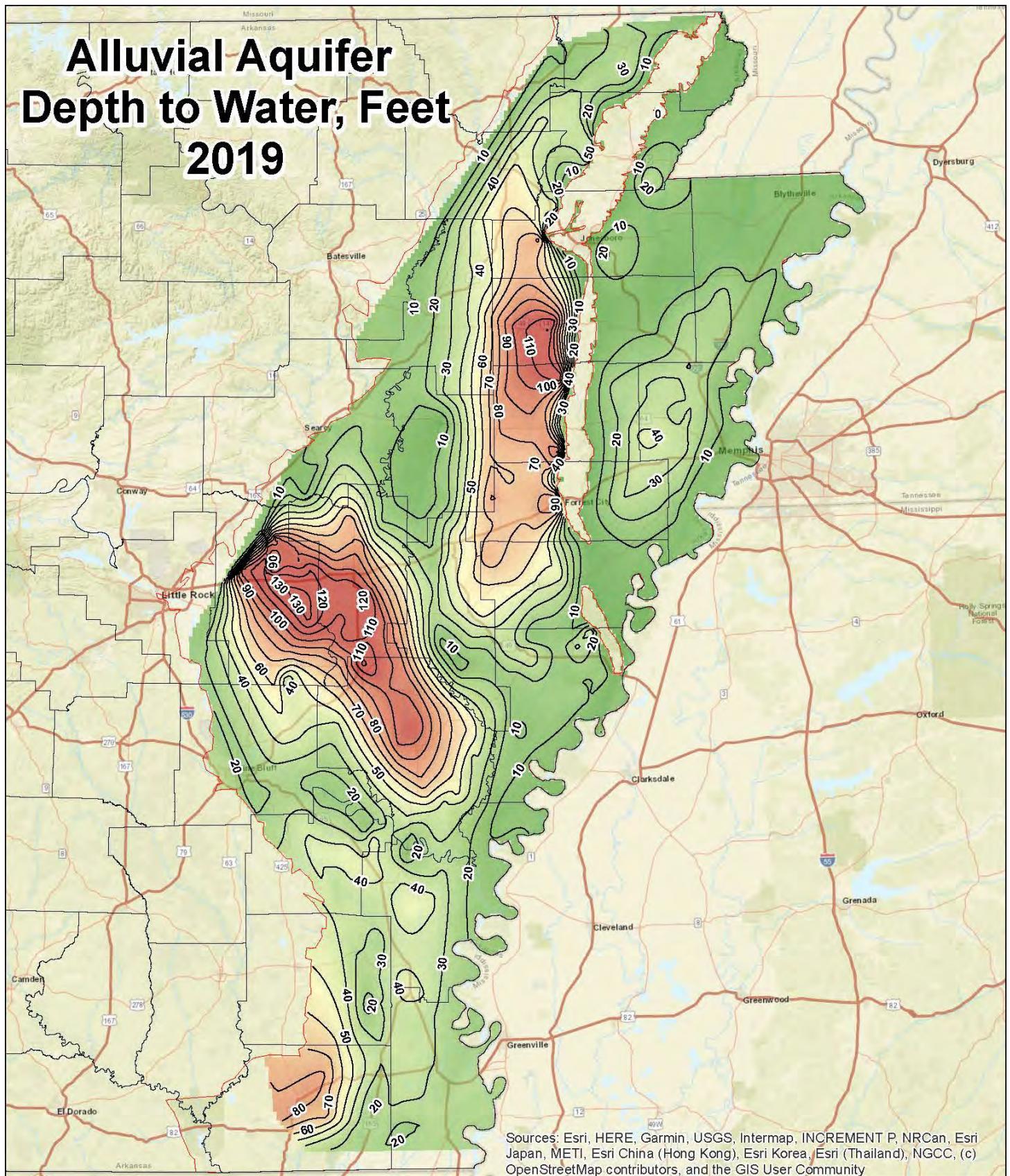


Figure 3

Percent of the Mississippi River Alluvial Aquifer Saturated at Specific Data Collection Sites, Spring 2019

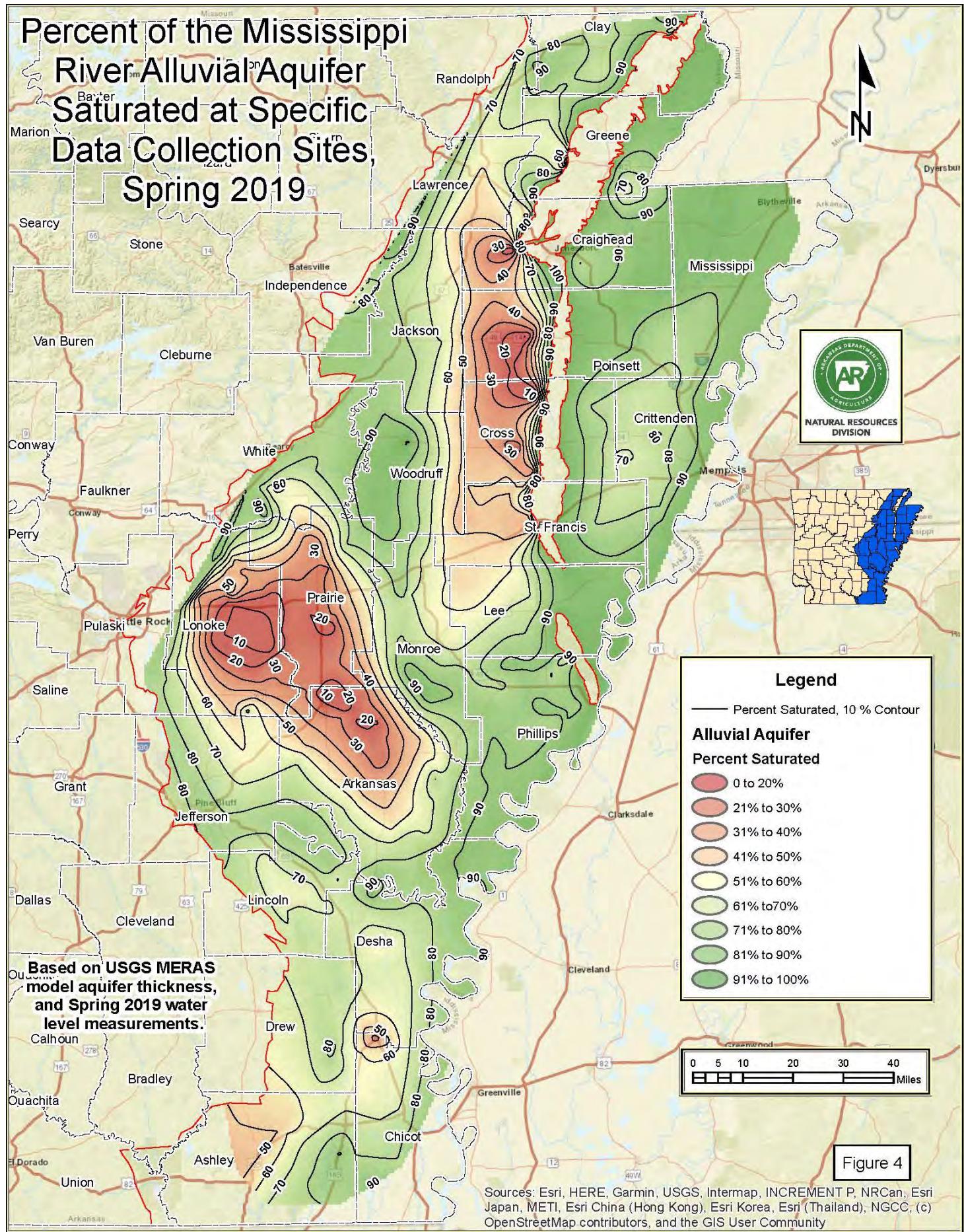


Figure 4

Precipitation

The amount of rainfall is considered for comparison with the water level change during times of drought or excess rainfall. Years of abundant precipitation benefit the alluvial aquifer by increasing the ability for the aquifer to recharge naturally and by reducing the demand for groundwater, especially adequate amounts of rainfall throughout the growing season. In 2018, the total annual average precipitation was 64.2 inches, 14.6 inches more than the annual average, making it the wettest year since 2015 and the 7th wettest year on record. February was the wettest February on record providing a wet start to the monitoring period. However, average to below average rainfall was experienced throughout most of the irrigation season (March through July) (NWS, 2019). Figure 5 shows the monthly precipitation for 2018 compared with the monthly normal values on the following page.

Arkansas has consistently received average to above average rainfall since 2011 except for 2012, and the average change across the alluvial aquifer has been trending upwards since 2012. 2018 was no exception regarding precipitation; however, the average alluvial groundwater level change for 2018 is +0.28 feet, 0.97 feet less than the spring 2018 to spring 2017 average change of +1.25, even though 2018 had far more precipitation than 2017. The difference can most easily be explained by analyzing the timing of the rain. In 2017, the growing season experienced average to above average precipitation during each month which likely reduced the demand for groundwater to irrigate. In 2018, the growing season experienced average to below average rainfall causing groundwater to be in higher demand than the previous year. Figure 6 compares the statewide annual average precipitation to the average change in water levels in the alluvial aquifer from 1997 to 2018. Figure 7 presents data from the National Weather Service illustrating the total monthly precipitation received as a departure-from-normal value across the Mississippi River Valley Alluvial Plain for most of the 2018 growing season, March through August (NOAA, 2019).

Figure 5 - Average Monthly Precipitation, 2018

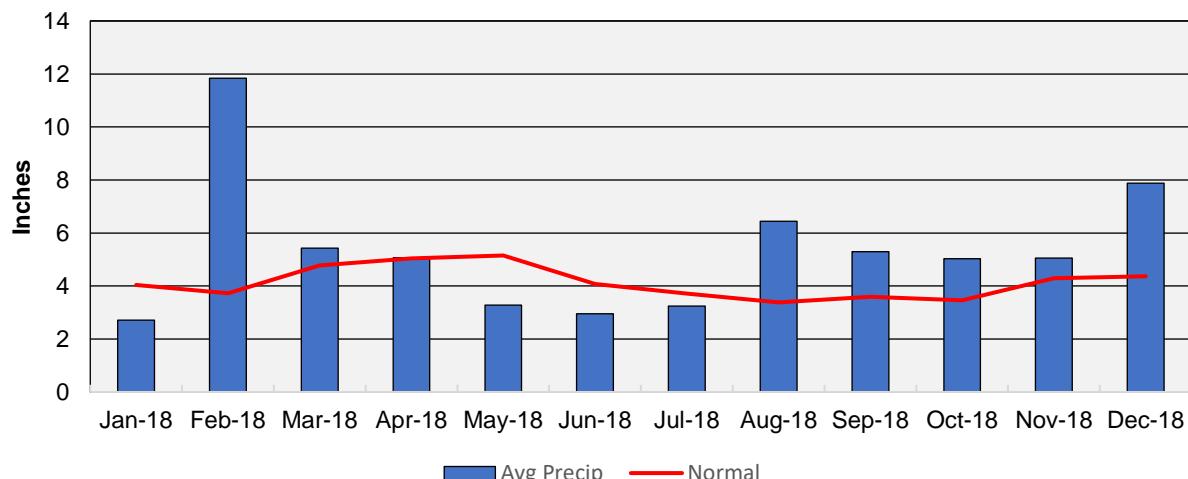


Figure 6 - Average Alluvial Aquifer Ground Water Level Change Vs. Average Annual Precipitation

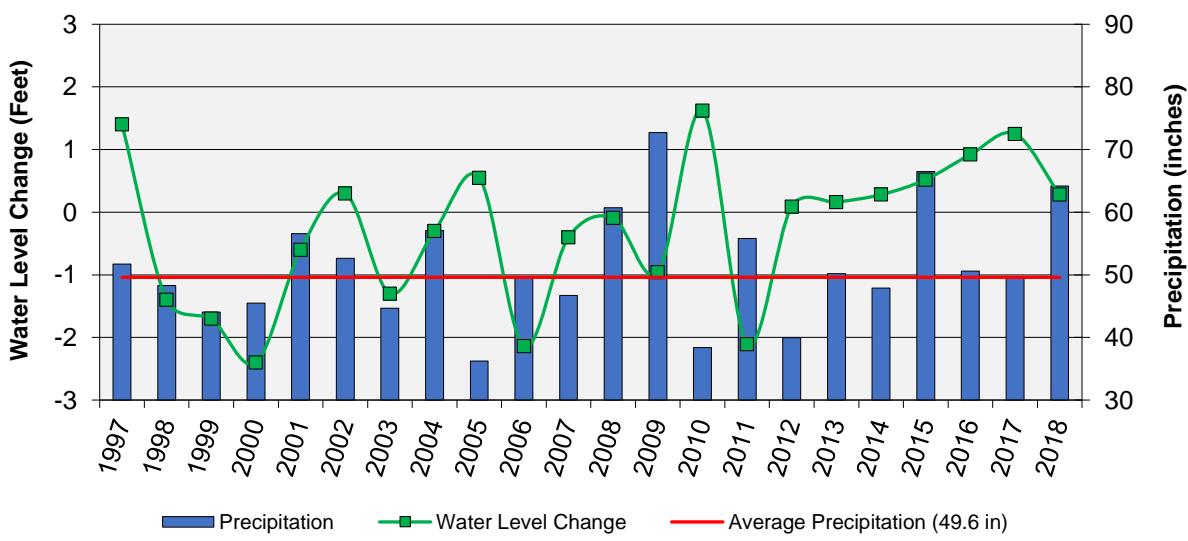
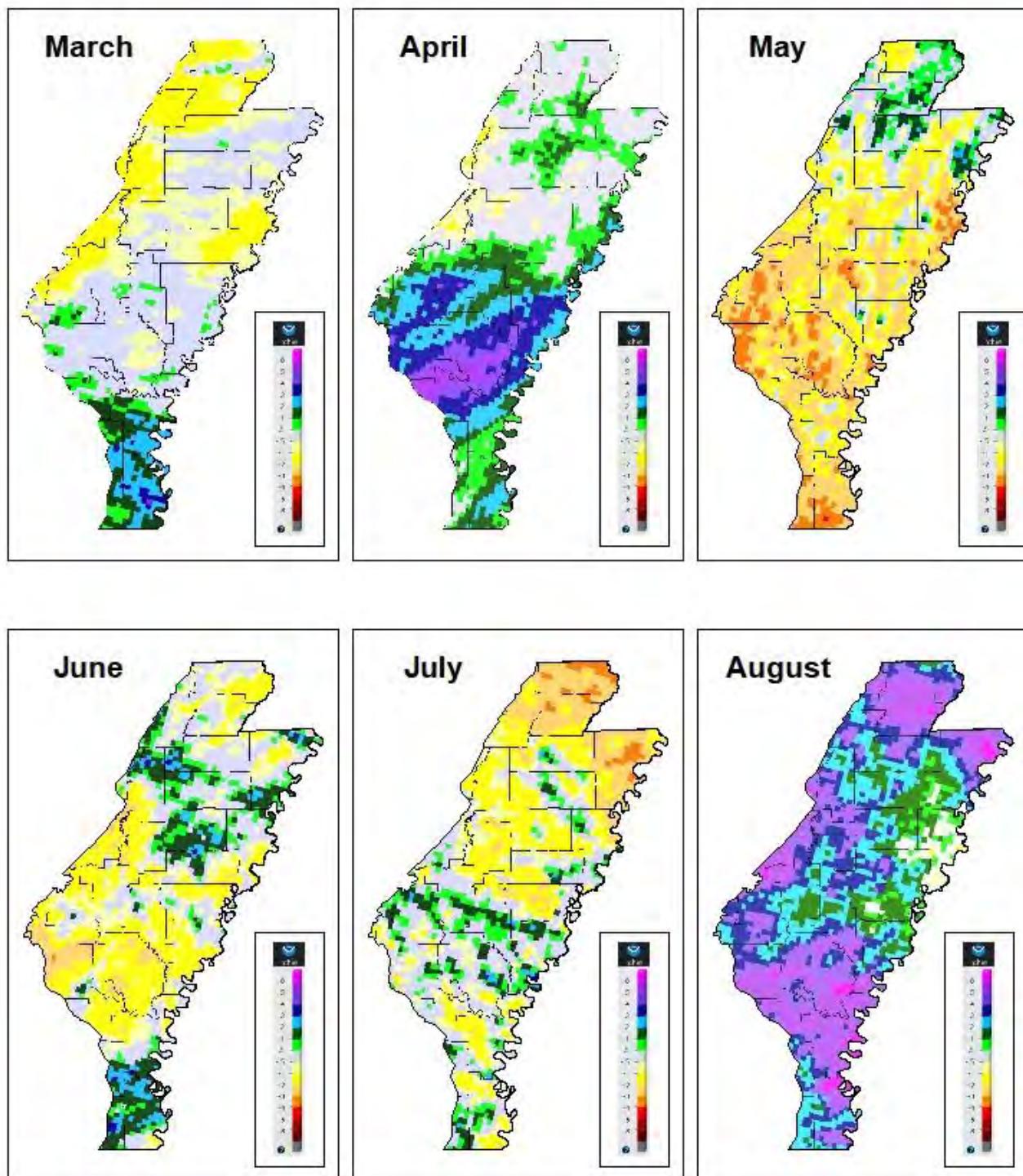


Figure 7.
Mississippi River Valley Alluvial Plain
2018 Total Monthly Precipitation
Departure from Normal (DFN) Value



Water Level Trends

Water level data from the current year are compared with previous data on a well to well basis in one (1), five (5), and ten (10) year intervals to illustrate the water level change of the aquifer over time. For the one-year change comparison, 165 of the 335 wells measured in 2019 had data for 2018, and when compared, yield a total average water level change of +0.28 feet. For the five-year comparison, 198 wells were identified as having data for both 2014 and 2019 giving a total water level change of +1.40 with 63 (31.82%) well having declining static water levels. The ten-year analysis identified 206 wells with water levels for the years 2009 and 2019 with 59 of the 206 wells (28.64%) monitored showing declines and a total average water level change of +2.24 in the alluvial aquifer.

Aquifer-wide water level change maps were created for the different time intervals: Figure 8 presents the one-year spring 2018 to spring 2019 water level change, Figure 9 presents the five-year spring 2014 to spring 2019 water level change, and Figure 10 presents the ten-year spring 2009 to spring 2019 change data. Comparable data was sparse throughout the Cache and St. Francis study areas in the one-year interval, but the five and ten-year change intervals have good data coverage. These maps show that water level declines continue to be concentrated in the Cache and Grand Prairie areas where historical declines have been significant, particularly in the areas of the aquifer furthest from a major surface water source i.e. the Arkansas, White, and Mississippi rivers. Conversely, the areas with increasing water level change values can generally be found along these sources. This is most clear for the five and ten-year change intervals. Some water level decline can be found in the Beauf-Tensas study area, but these declines do not appear to be causing significant aquifer drawdown.

Thanks in large part to a great effort by the USDA NRCS staff, fall water level measurements were collected for alluvial aquifer wells in 2019. Numerous wells were reportedly measured in the fall of 2019, but only 83 wells were found to have also been measured during the spring. When compared, the total average change for spring to fall 2019 measurements was -2.90 feet, up from a -3.57 feet change from the 2018 change. Due to the scarcity of data, the 2019 change value is likely not an accurate representation of aquifer-wide average drawdown. Figure 11 presents the spring to fall data. The data was not contoured because of the lack of points.

Alluvial Aquifer 1 Year Change 2018 - 2019

Alluvial Aquifer 1 Year Change:

Average Change: +0.28 feet
77 of 165 Wells Showed Declines

36 of 165 Wells Had Average Declines
of 1 ft. per Year or Greater



Sources: Esri, HERE, Garmin, USGS, Intermap, INCREMENT P, NRCan, Esri Japan, METI, Esri China (Hong Kong), Esri Korea, Esri (Thailand), NGCC, (c) OpenStreetMap contributors, and the GIS User Community

Legend

- Data Points
- 2 Foot Contour Lines
- Alluvial Extent
- County Boundaries

0 10 20 40 60 80 Miles



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Figure 8

Alluvial Aquifer 5 Year Change 2014 - 2019

Alluvial Aquifer 5 Year Change:

Average Change: +1.41 feet
63 of 197 Wells Showed Declines

41 of 197 Wells Had Average Declines
of 1 ft. per Year or Greater



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- 2 Foot Contour Lines
- Alluvial Extent
- County Boundaries

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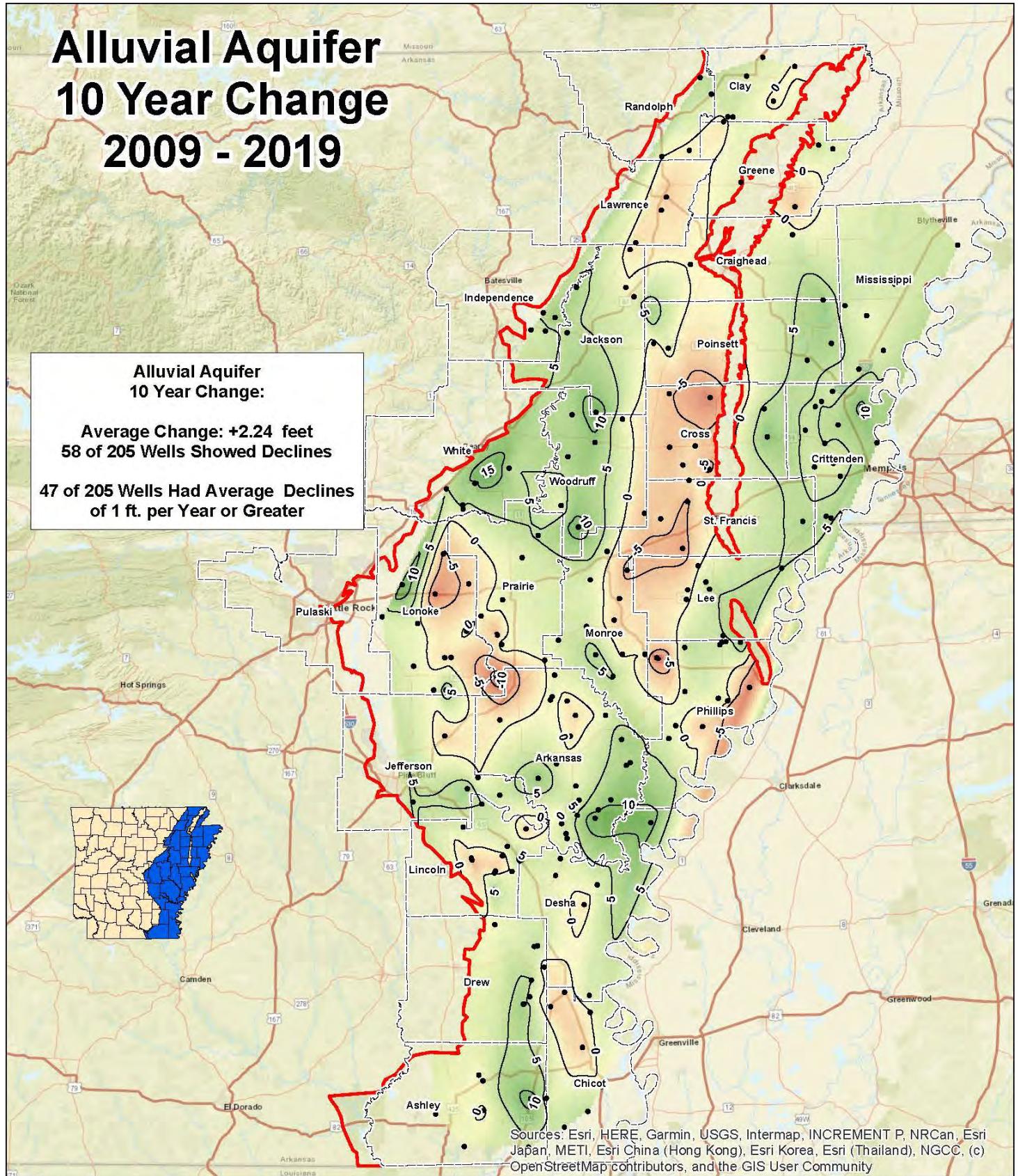
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Alluvial Aquifer 10 Year Change 2009 - 2019

Alluvial Aquifer 10 Year Change:

Average Change: +2.24 feet
58 of 205 Wells Showed Declines

47 of 205 Wells Had Average Declines
of 1 ft. per Year or Greater



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- Data Points
- Alluvial Extent
- 5 Foot Contour Lines
- County Boundaries

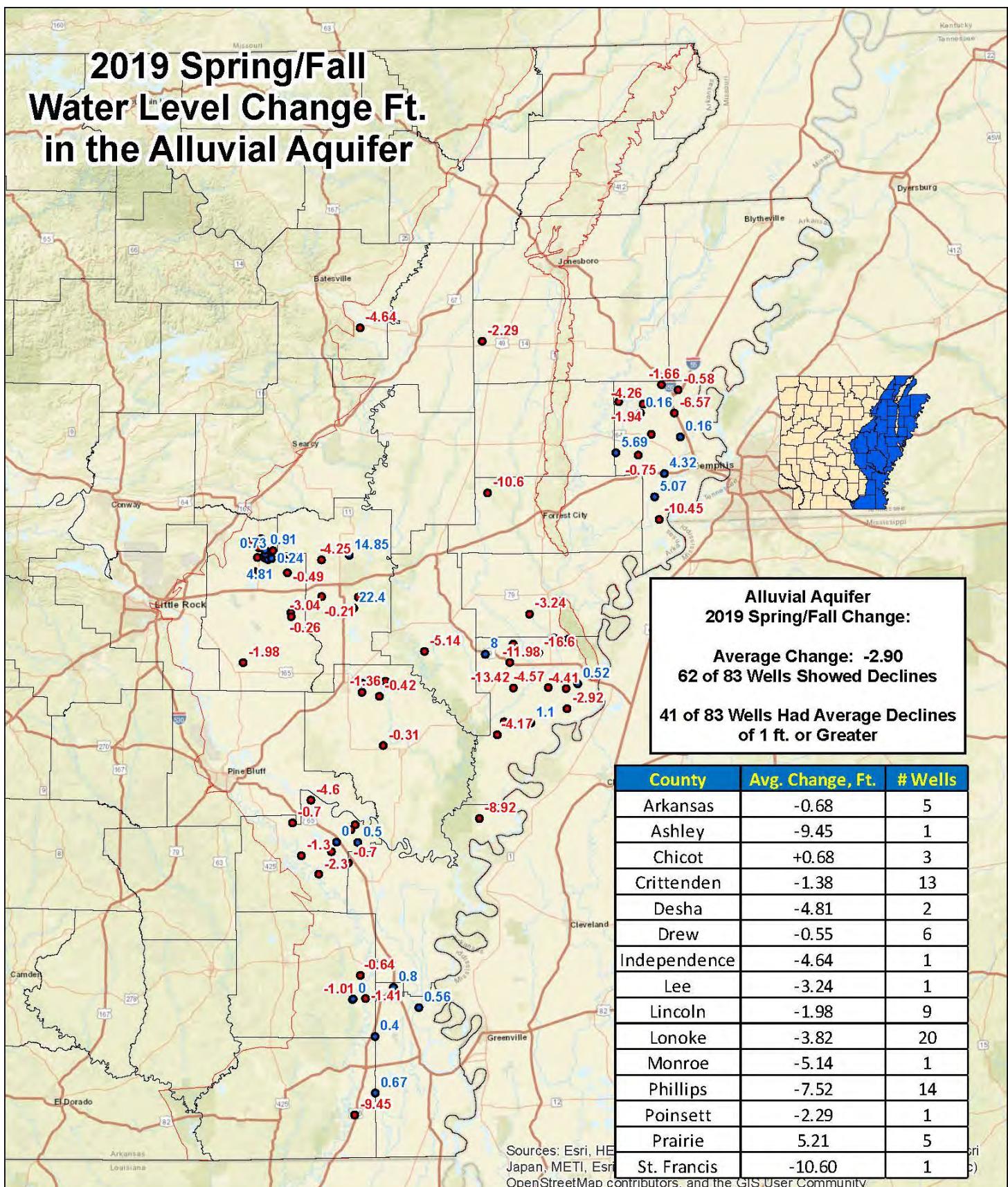


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Figure 10



Legend

- Wells with Increases or No Change
- Wells with Declines

□ County Boundaries

0 5 10 20 30 40 Miles



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Figure 11

Selected hydrographs from the Cache and Grand Prairie cones of depression that illustrate the historical nature of decline in these areas are shown below as Figure 12 and Figure 13. Figure 14 presents hydrographs from the 7 “real-time” alluvial aquifer monitoring wells maintained throughout the Mississippi Alluvial plain from January 2018 through December 2019.

Figure 12. Cache Critical Groundwater Area Hydrographs

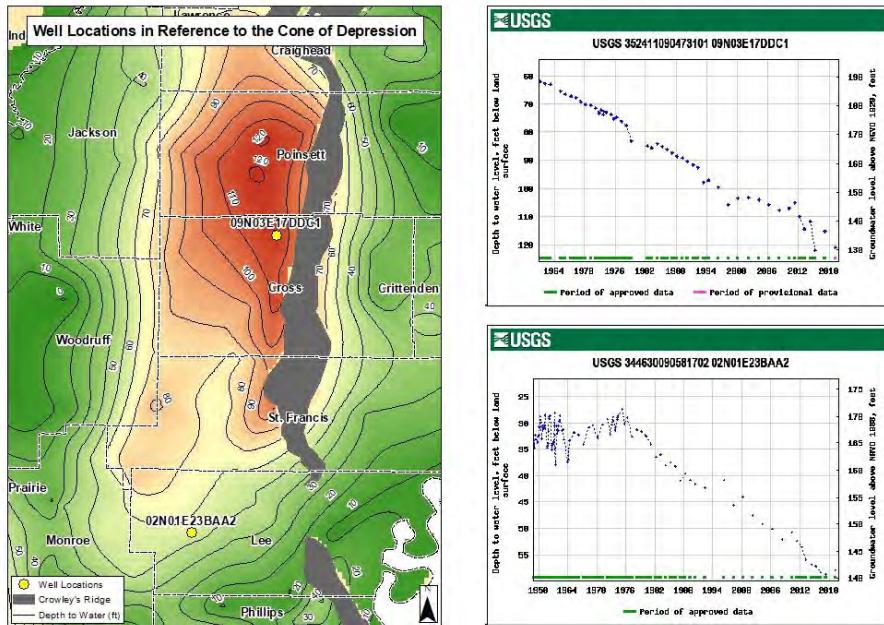


Figure 13. Grand Prairie Critical Groundwater Area Hydrographs

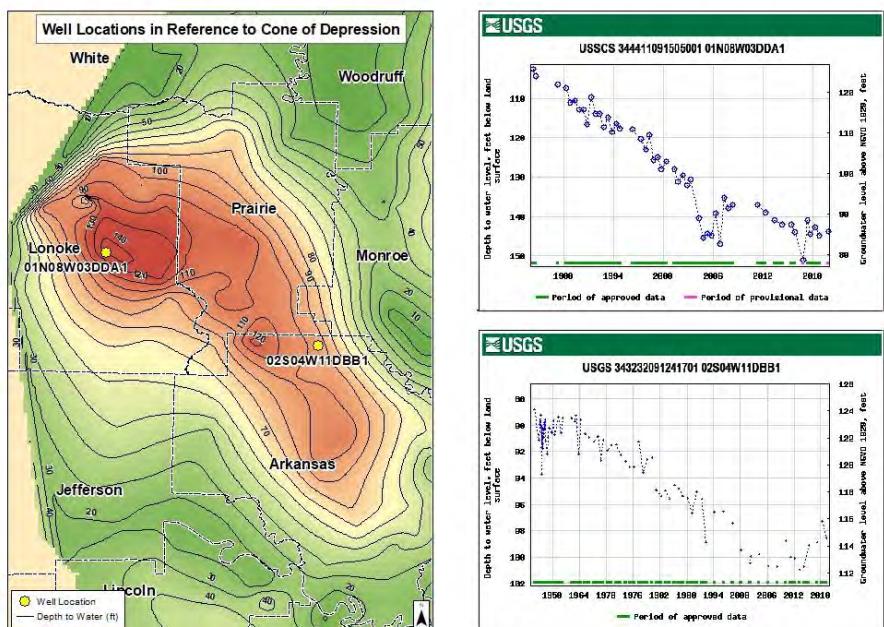
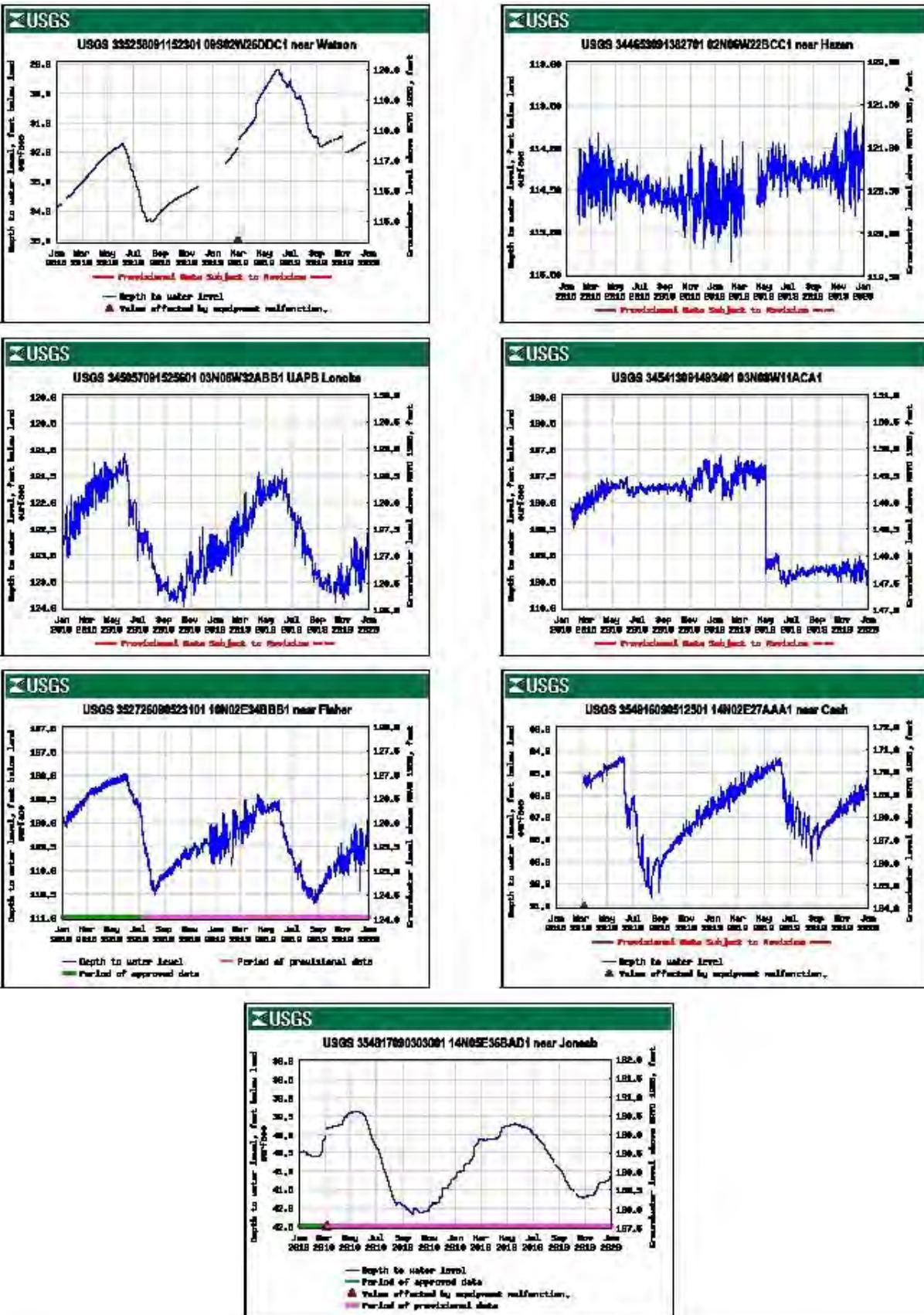
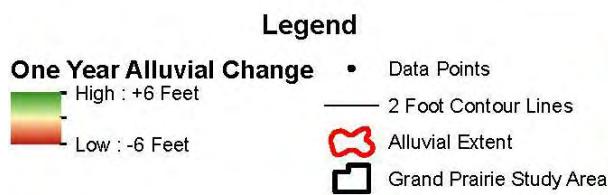
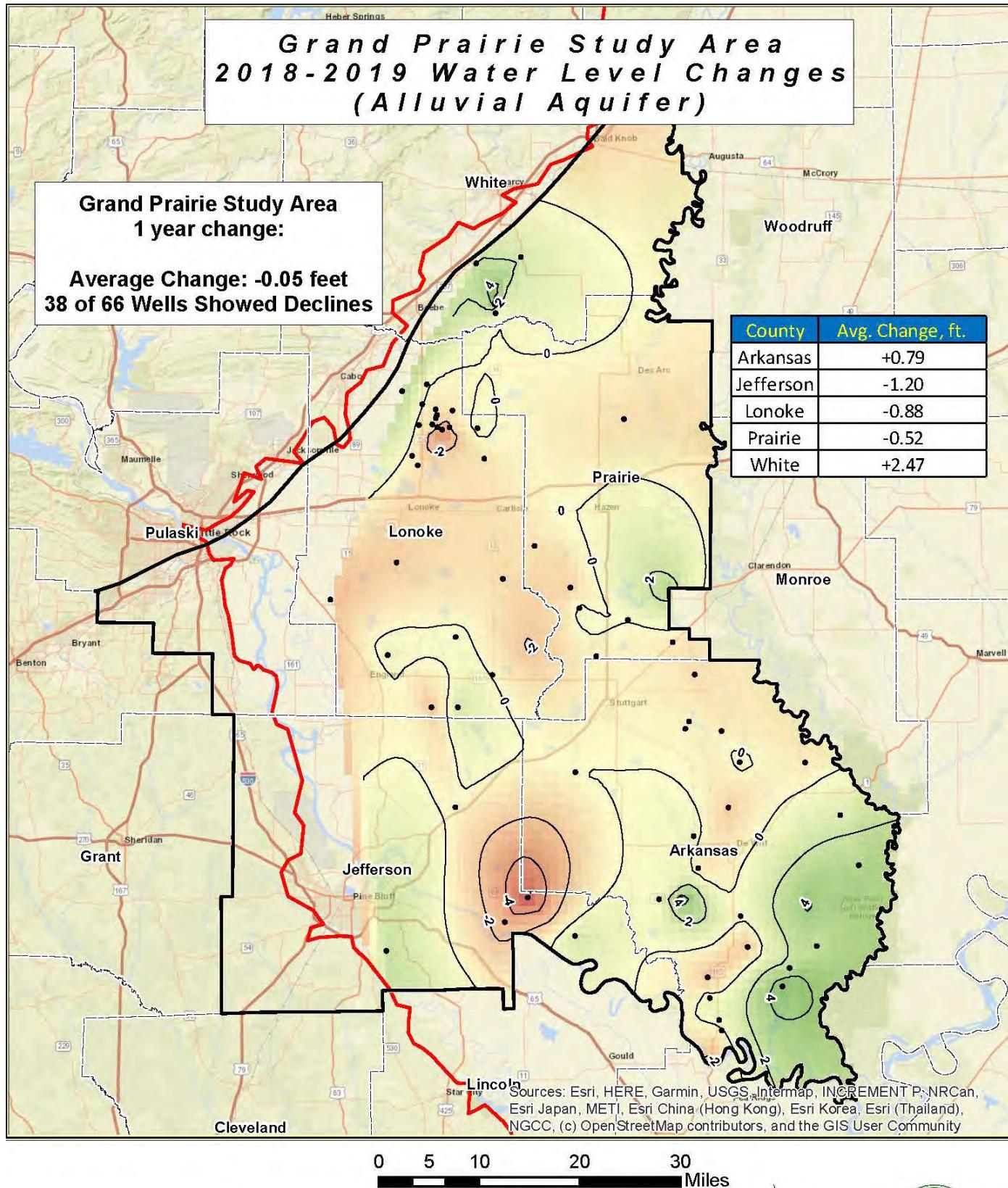


Figure 14. NRD Real-Time Monitoring Wells, Alluvial Aquifer



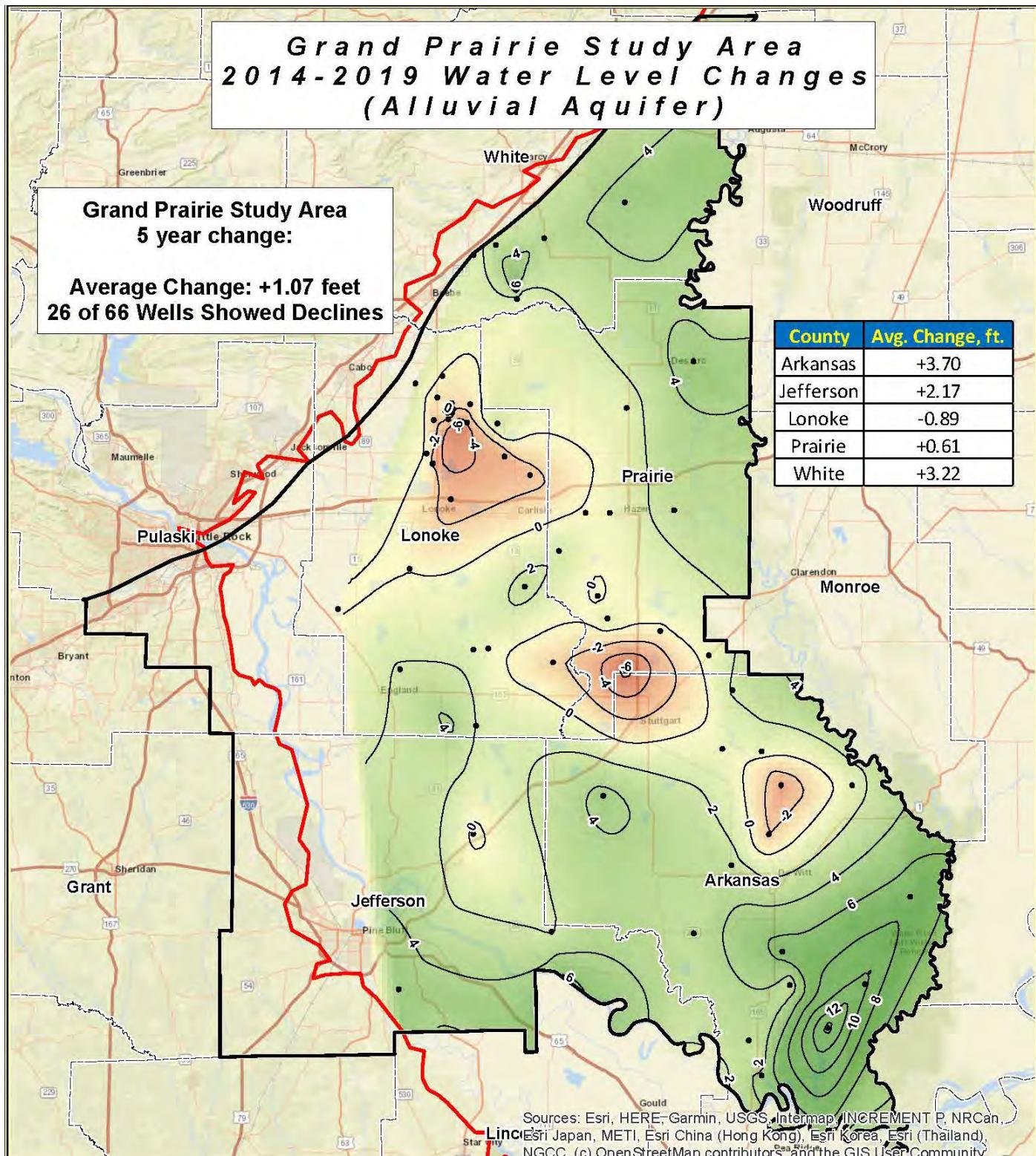
As previously mentioned, the spring 2018 to spring 2019 water level change values showed a positive average change for the entire aquifer for each of the three time periods analyzed. The aquifer-wide data has been focused per the four study areas that include the alluvial aquifer, Grand Prairie, Cache, St. Francis, and Beouf-Tensas, for each time period. The 2019 data shows increasing average water level changes for each study area for all three time periods except for the Grand Prairie one-year change which had an average decline of -0.05 ft. Figures 15 through 26 depict the spring 2019 alluvial aquifer water level change data and well locations for the four study areas over the one, five, and ten-year change intervals.

Appendix A presents the 2019 Mississippi River Valley alluvial aquifer water level data along with the 2009, 2014, and 2018 water level data for wells measured in 2019.



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Figure 15



0 5 10 20 30 Miles

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Five Year Alluvial Change

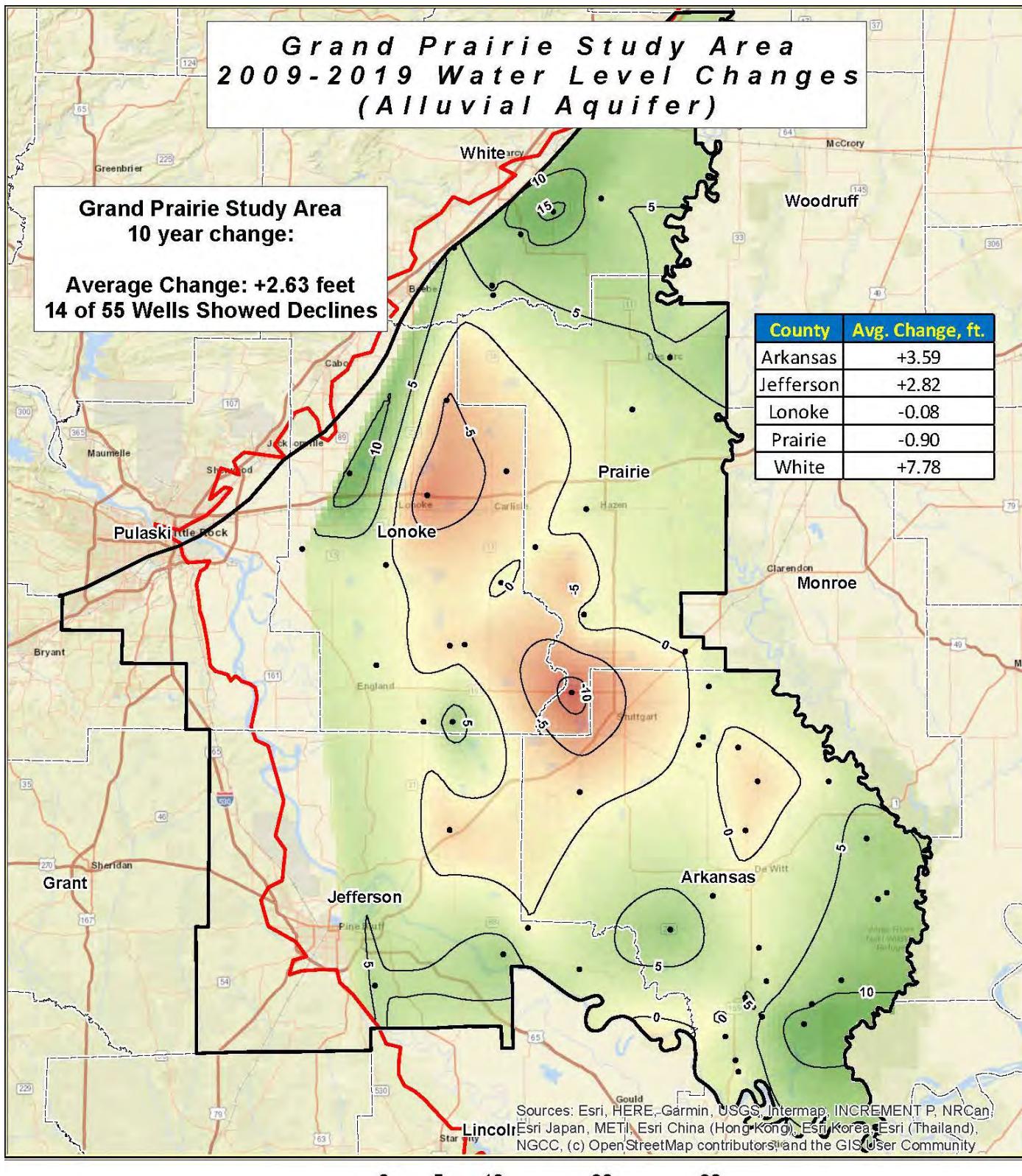
High : +7 Feet
Low : -7 Feet

- Data Points
- 2 Foot Contour Lines
- Red outline: Alluvial Extent
- Black outline: Grand Prairie Study Area



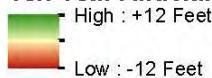
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Figure 16



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Ten Year Alluvial Change

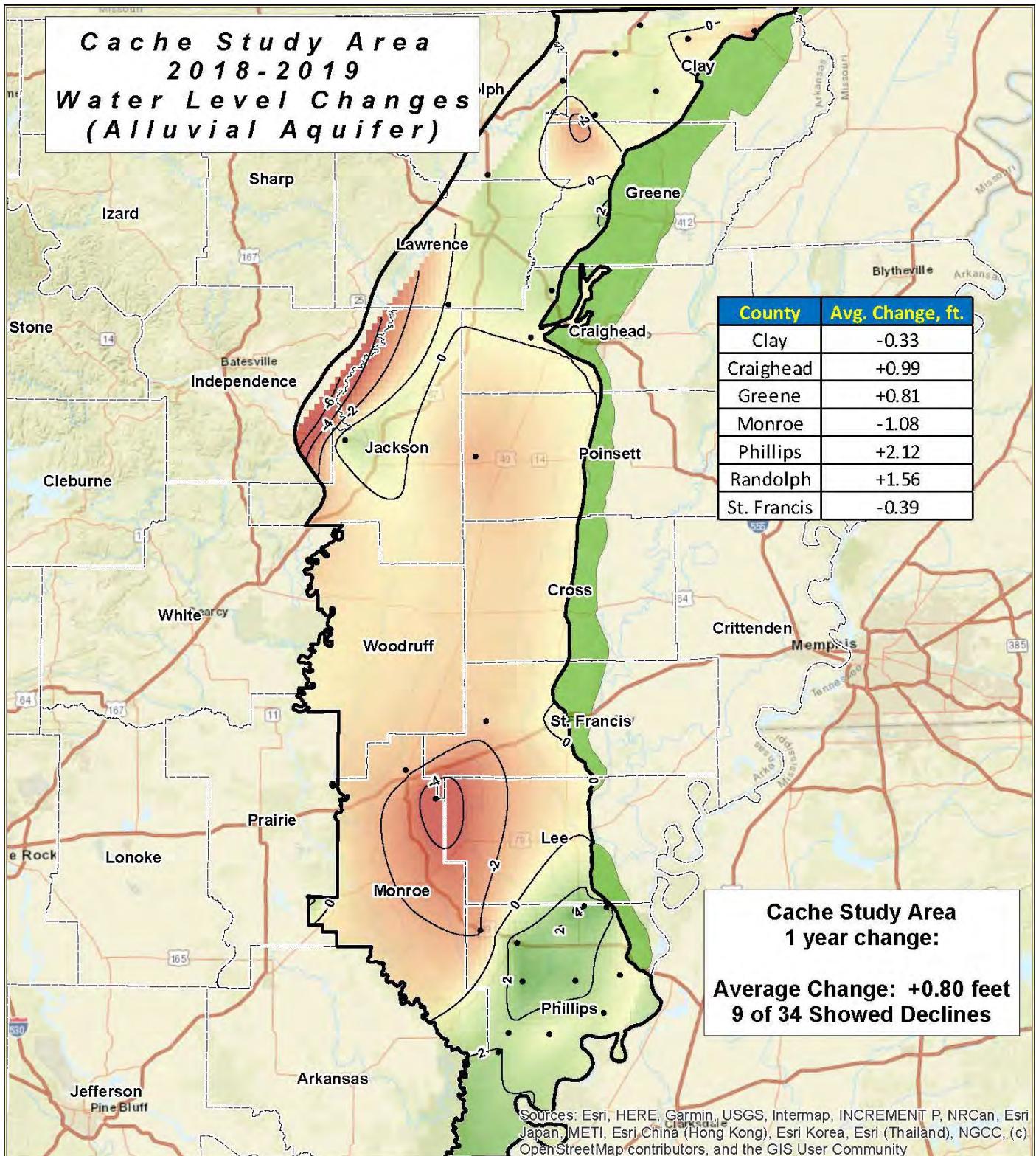


- Data Points
- 5 Foot Contour Lines
- Grand Prairie Study Area
- Alluvial Extent



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Figure 17



0 5 10 20 30 40 Miles

Legend

One Year Alluvial Change

High : +4 Feet
Low : -4 Feet

- Data Points
- 2 Foot Contour Lines
- Crowleys Ridge
- Cache Study Area



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Figure 18

**Cache Study Area
2014 - 2019
Water Level Changes
(Alluvial Aquifer)**

County	Avg Change, ft.
Clay	+1.41
Craighead	+1.17
Cross	-3.40
Independence	+1.24
Jackson	+0.04
Lawrence	-0.28
Lee	+0.34
Monroe	+2.06
Phillips	+6.93
Poinsett	-1.22
Randolph	+0.76
St. Francis	-0.65
Woodruff	+2.21

**Cache Study Area
5 year change:**

**Average Change: +1.00 foot
24 of 65 Showed Declines**

0 3 6 12 18 24 30
Miles



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Figure 19

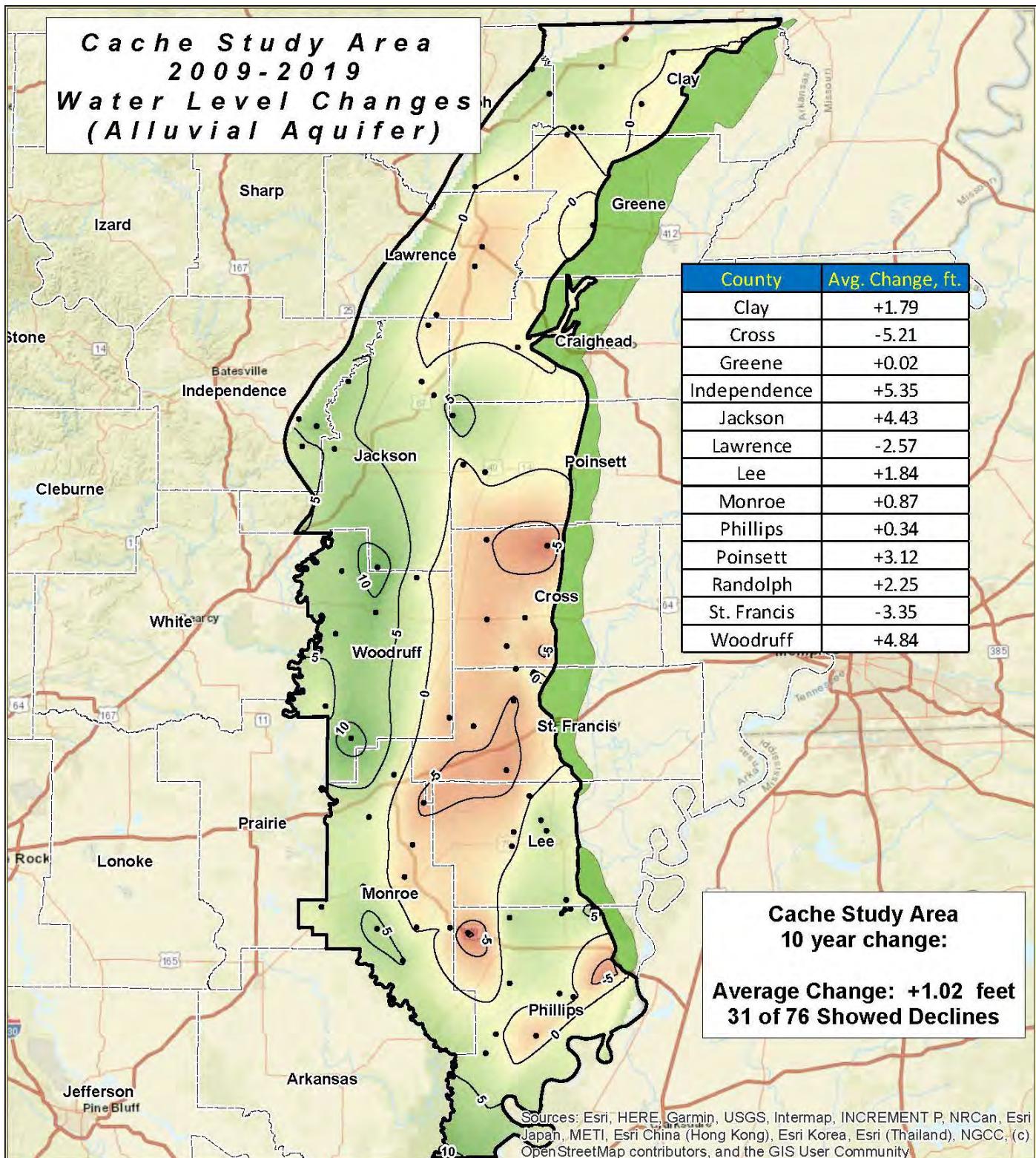
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Five Year Alluvial Change

High : +9 Feet

Low : -9 Feet

- Data Points
- 2 Foot Contour Lines
- Crowleys Ridge
- Cache Study Area



0 5 10 20 30 40 Miles

Legend

Ten Year Alluvial Change

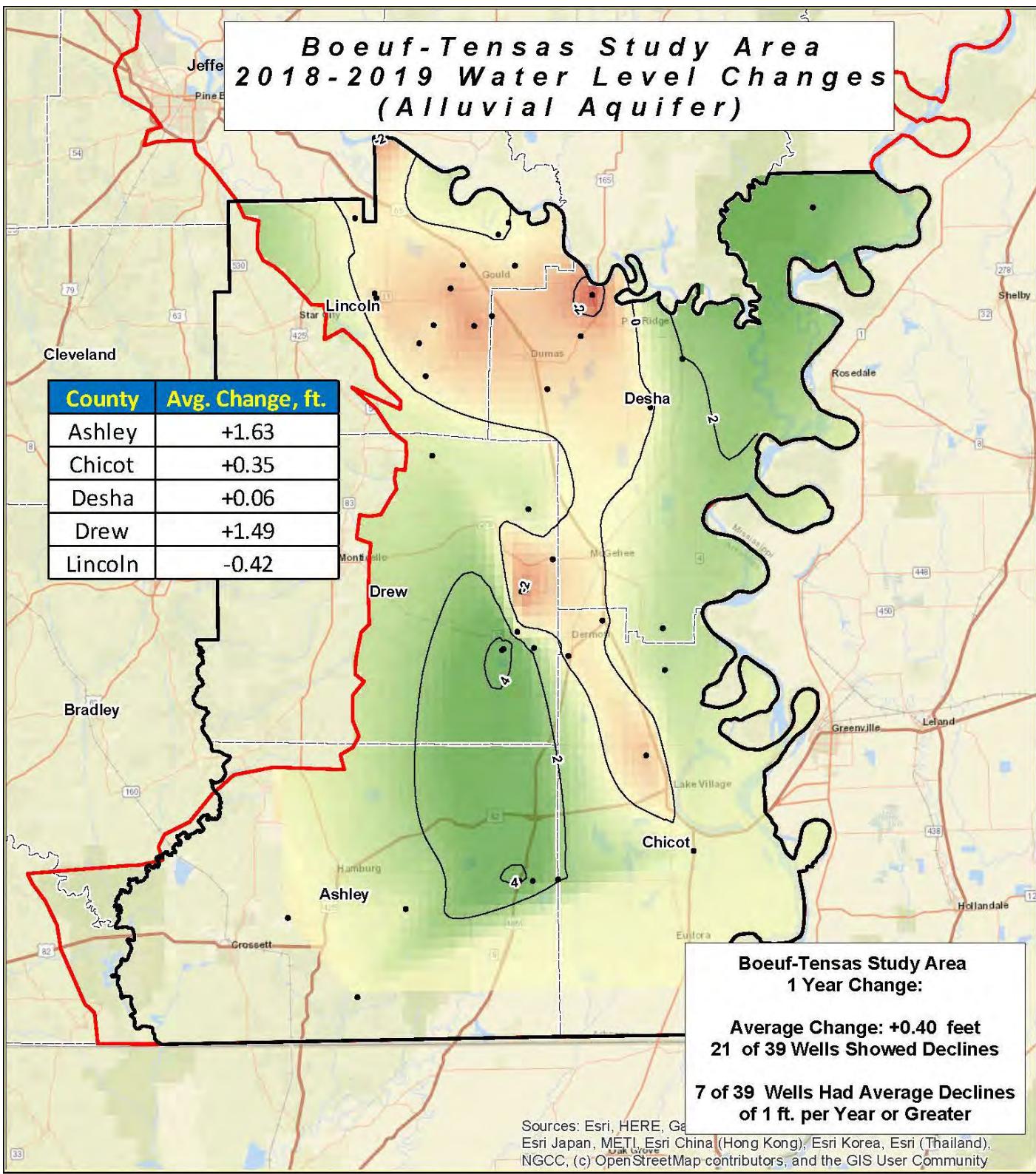
High : +11 Feet
Low : -11 Feet

- Data Points
- 5 Foot Contour Lines
- Crowley's Ridge
- Cache Study Area



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Figure 20



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Legend

One Year Alluvial Change

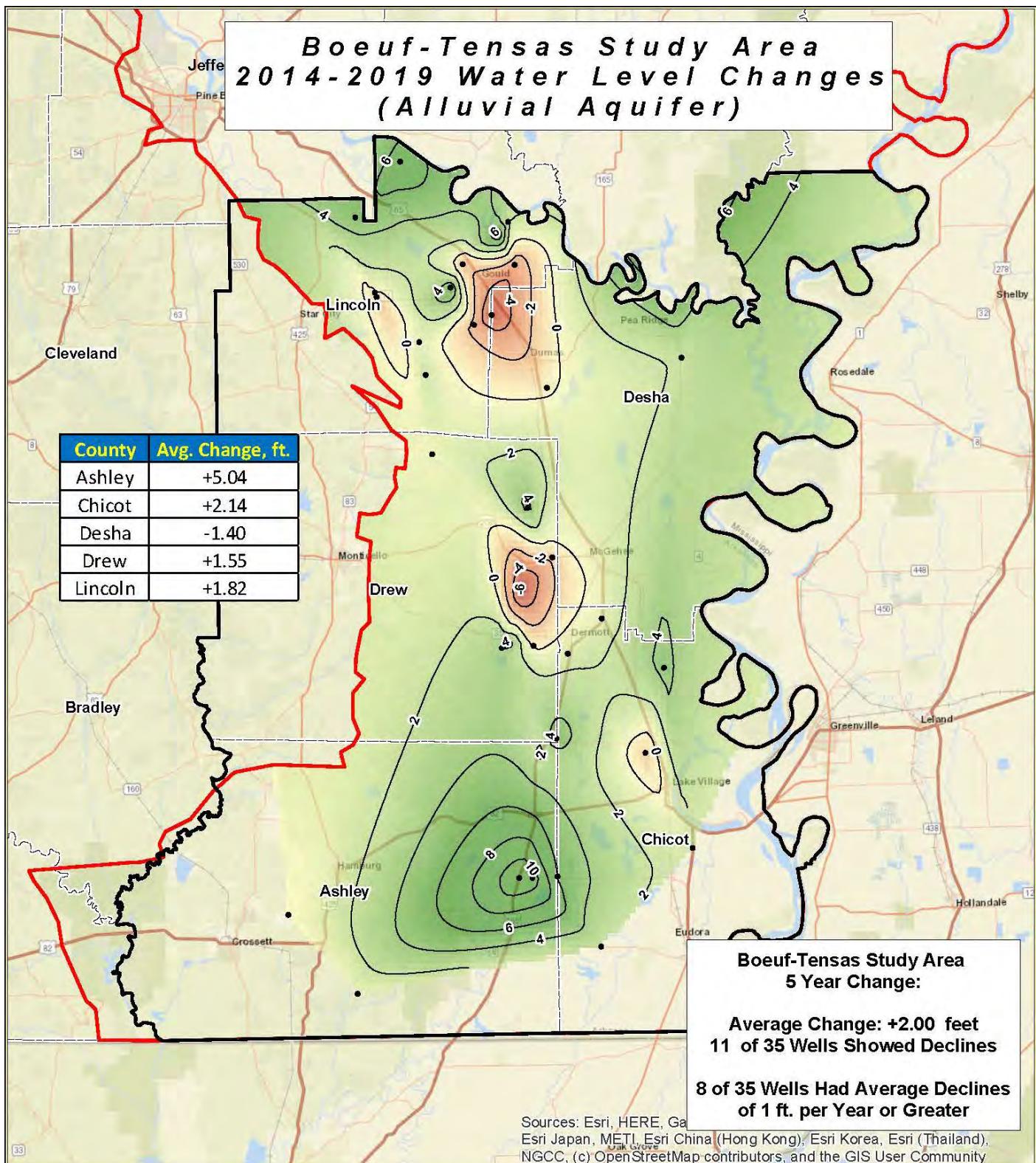
High : +3 Feet
Low : -3 Feet

- Data Points
- 2 Foot Contour Lines
- Alluvial Extent
- Boeuf-Tensas Study Area



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Figure 21



0 3 6 12 18 24 30 Miles

Ten Year Alluvial Change

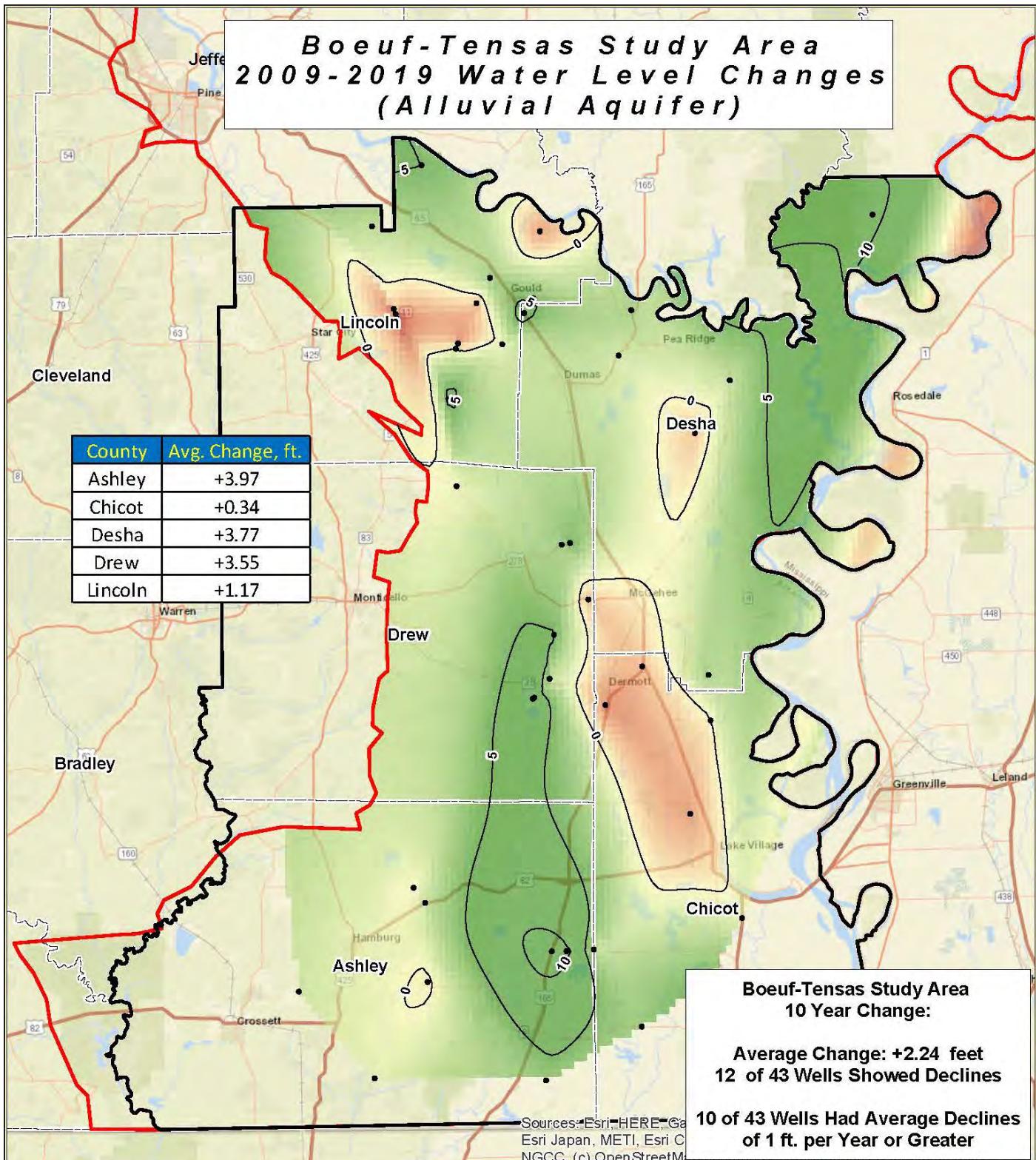
- High : +6 Feet
- Low : -6 Feet

- Data Points
- 2 Foot Contour Lines
- AlluvialExtent
- Boeuf-Tensas Study Area



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Figure 22



0 3 6 12 18 24 30 Miles

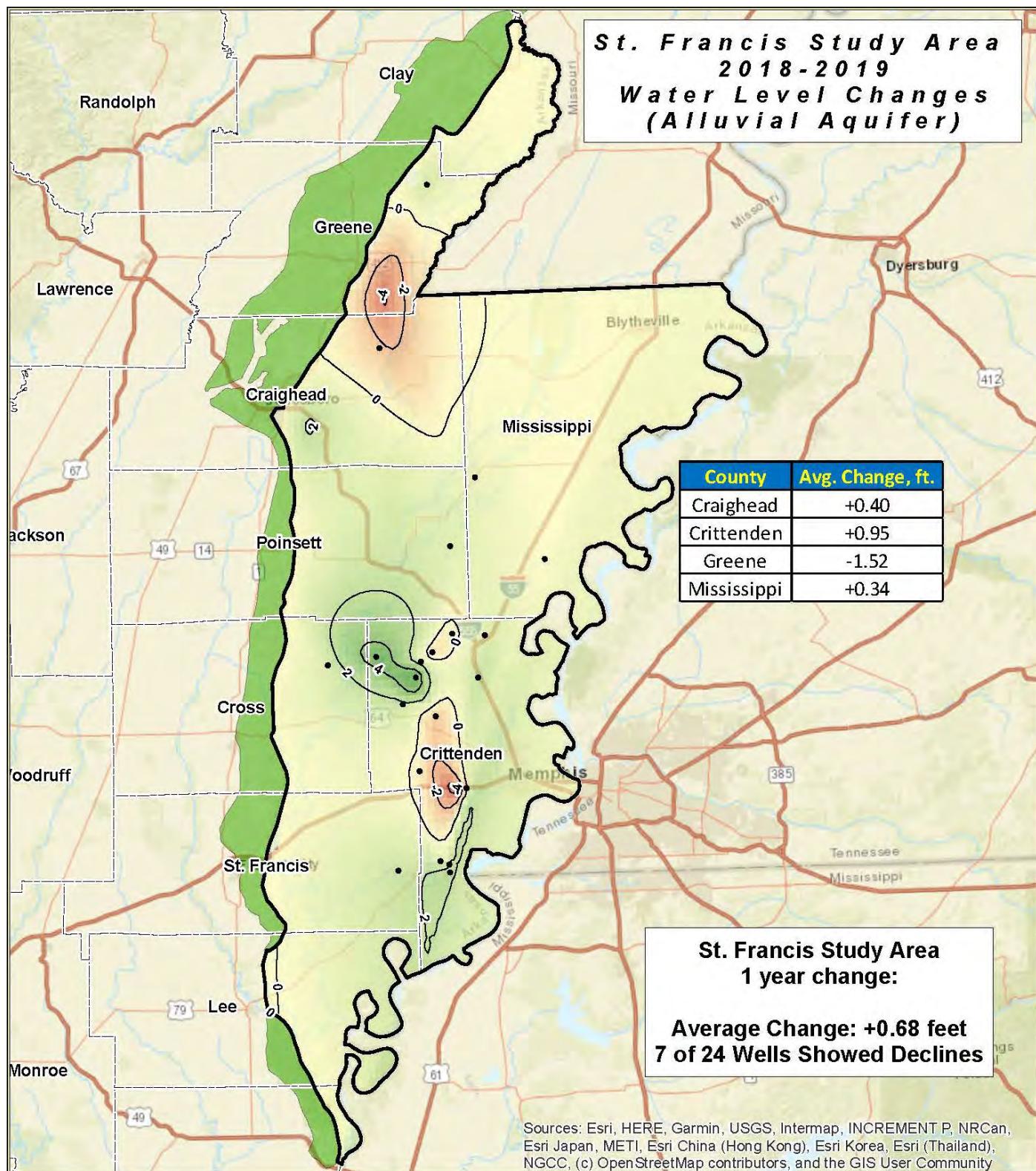
Legend

- Ten Year Alluvial Change**
 - High : +5 Feet
 - Low : -5 Feet
- Data Points
- 5 Foot Contour Lines
- Red outline: Alluvial Extent
- Black outline: Boeuf-Tensas Study Area



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Figure 23



One Year Alluvial Change

- High : +5 Feet

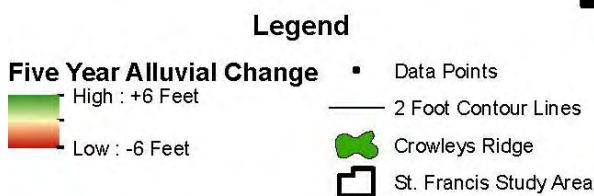
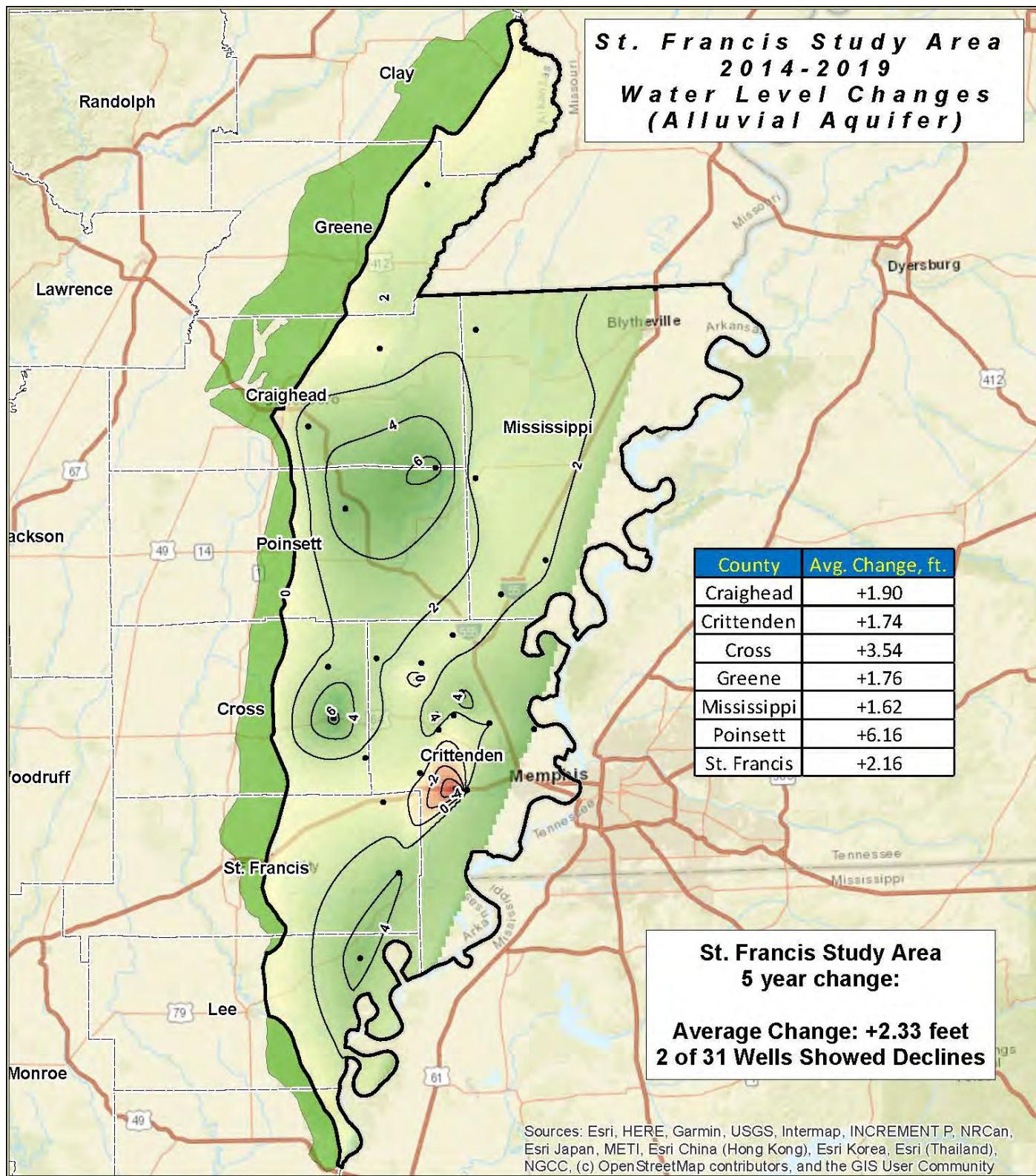
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- Data Points



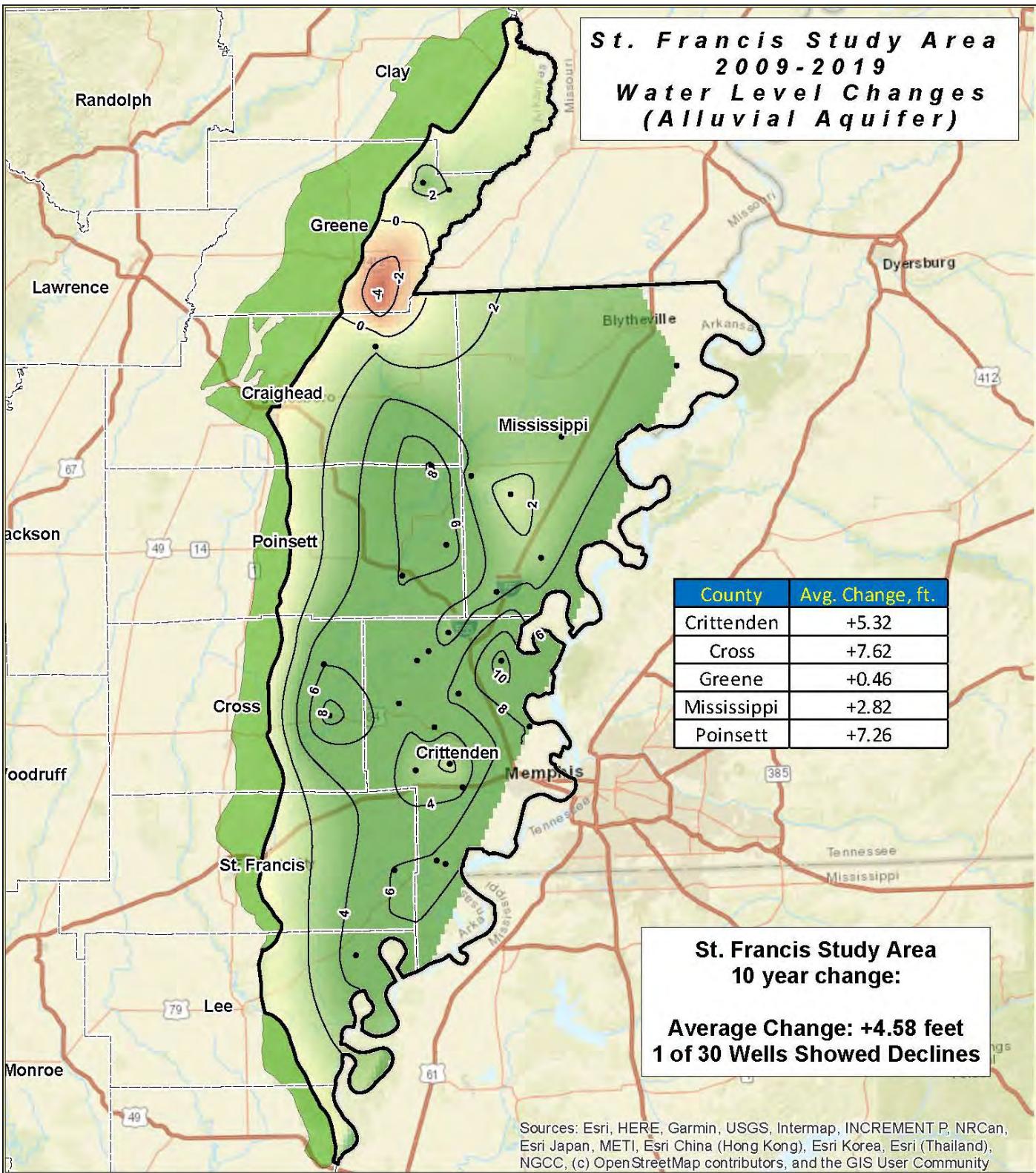
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Figure 24



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Figure 25



0 3 6 12 18 24 30 Miles



Legend

Ten Year Alluvial Change

High : +4 Feet
Low : -4 Feet

- Data Points
- 2 Foot Contour Lines
- Crowley's Ridge
- St. Francis Study Area



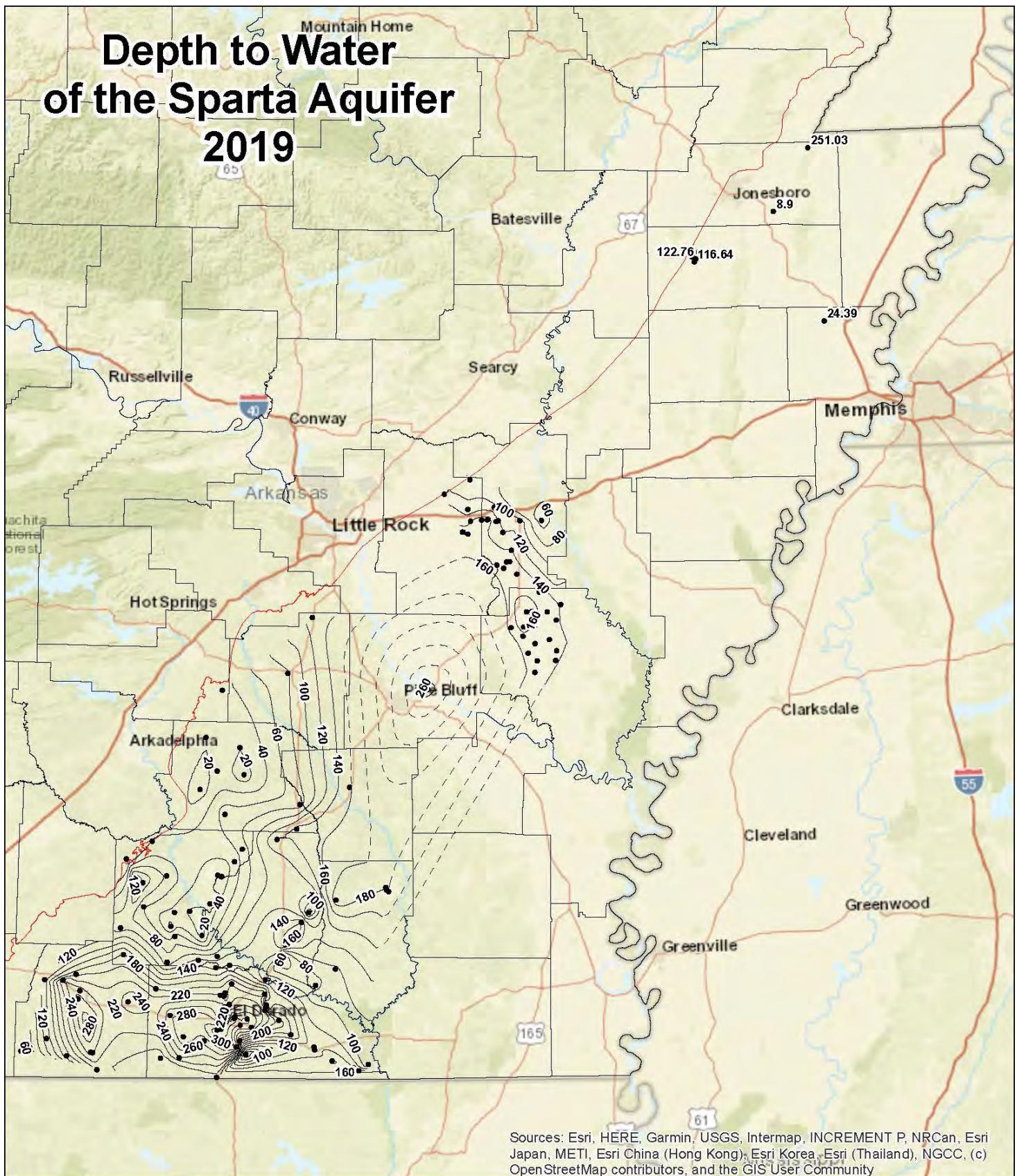
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Figure 26

Sparta Aquifer

The Sparta aquifer, also known as the Sparta Sand or Memphis Sand, is a Tertiary-aged water bearing assemblage composed mainly of sand with considerable amounts of silt, clay, shale, and lignite found in lenses throughout the unit. The formation outcrops along the western edge of the Embayment in south Arkansas and is overlain by the Mississippi River Valley alluvial aquifer throughout central and northeastern Arkansas. The Sparta Sand is the thickest sand unit in the Embayment system, ranging in thickness from 0 to 200 feet along the outcrop to up to 900 ft in the southeastern part of the state. Generally, the Sparta Sand is a confined aquifer system as it is confined by the underlying Cook Mountain formation and overlying Cane River formation. Lithological differences occur in the Sparta aquifer in southern Arkansas and northeastern Arkansas. In southern Arkansas, the Sparta aquifer is divided into two units, Greensand (upper Sparta) and the El Dorado sand (lower Sparta), by a confining layer. In northeastern Arkansas, the underlying Cane River and Carrizo Sand formations become sand and are generally indistinguishable from the Sparta Sand; because of this, the three formations are grouped together and referred to as the Memphis Sand, or the Memphis Aquifer, in this region. (Kresse, T. M., et al., 2014.)

Groundwater levels were collected from 152 water wells in the Sparta/Memphis aquifer throughout the south and east portions of Arkansas in spring 2019. It should be noted that there was a shortage of Sparta measurements this year, particularly throughout the Beouf-Tensas, Cache, and St. Francis Study Areas. Figure 27 depicts the 2019 potentiometric surface as depth to water values for the Sparta/Memphis aquifer.



Legend

- 20 Foot Contour Lines
 - - - Approximate 20 Foot Contour Lines
 - Data Points
- Sparta Boundary
■ County Boundaries

0 10 20 40 60 80 Miles



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Figure 27

Water Level Trends

Water level data from the 152 wells collected in spring 2019 were compared with historical data in one, five and ten-year intervals. The one-year interval had 123 comparable wells giving a total average water level change of +3.09 feet with 35 (28.46%) of the wells in decline. Water level data for 124 comparable wells were found for the five-year interval with a total average change of +9.88 with 17 (13.71%) wells in decline. As for the ten-year interval, shared water level data was compared for 116 wells with total average water level change of +13.30 with 17 (14.66%) wells in decline. These figures summarize the entire dataset but do not provide an accurate characterization of the entire aquifer as the data are mostly concentrated in parts of the Grand Prairie and South Arkansas regions. Due to the lack of data, aquifer-wide water level change maps were not created. One, five- and ten-year change maps were only created for the Grand Prairie and South Arkansas Study Areas where substantial data exists.

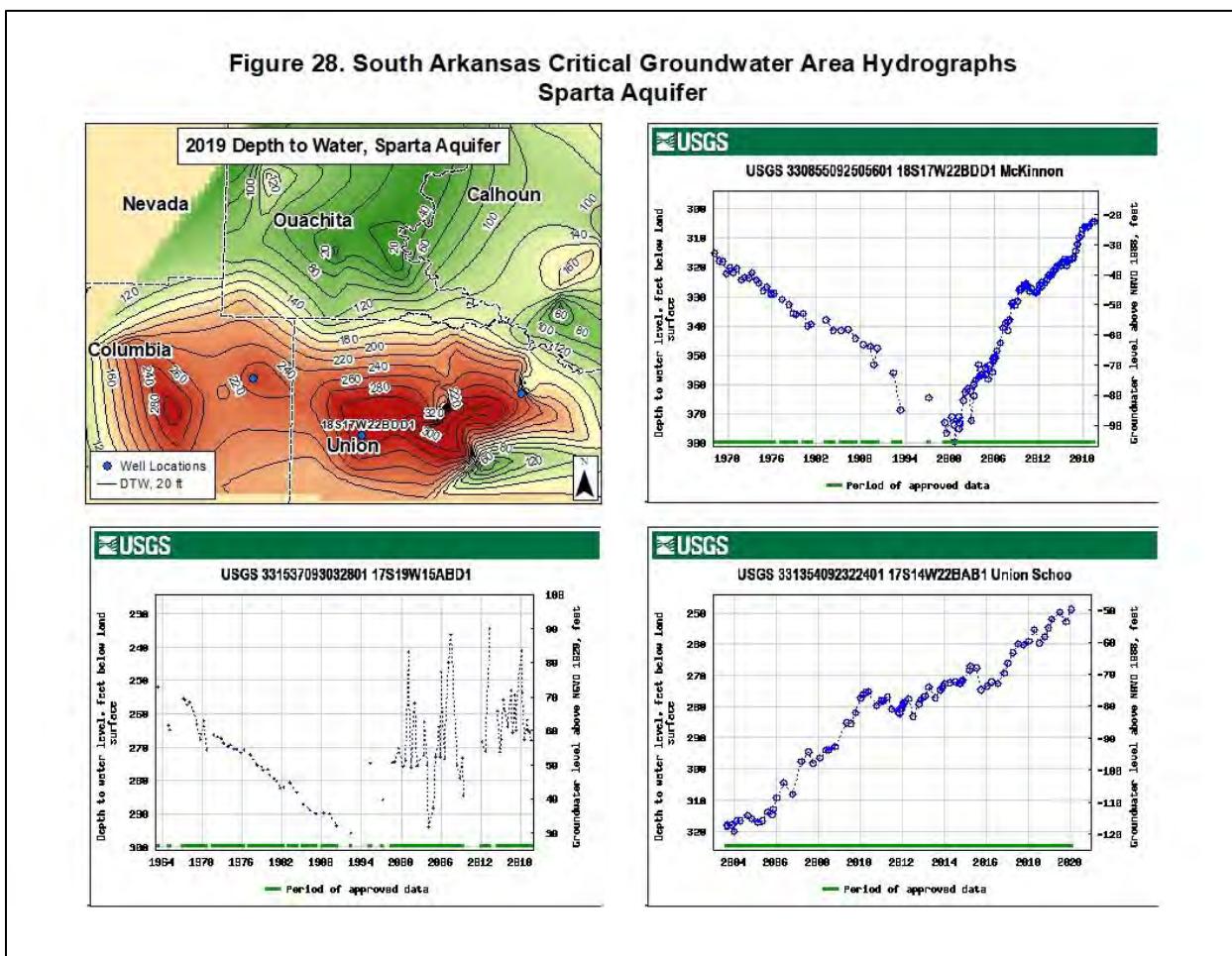
In the Grand Prairie, overall water levels in the Sparta show a study area-wide average water level changes of +4.29, +10.95, and +3.37 feet throughout the one, five- and ten-year intervals, respectively. The primary area with consistently declining water level change values is central Lonoke county where negative change values occur throughout each time interval. Arkansas County wells and the Jefferson County well have positive average water level change values across the three time periods. Prairie County has positive average water level change values in the one- and five-year periods but has a negative change value of -0.36 feet in the ten-year due to declining wells on the west side of the county.

Overall recovery continues in the areas where historical drawdown has been the most significant in South Arkansas with the study area having positive average water level change values of +2.77, +10.62, and +20.05 feet in the one, five- and ten-year intervals, respectively. The 10-year change only had 4 wells in decline across the entire study area. The areas of most significant recovery are Union and southern Ouachita County where several wells have positive water level change values greater than +50 feet.

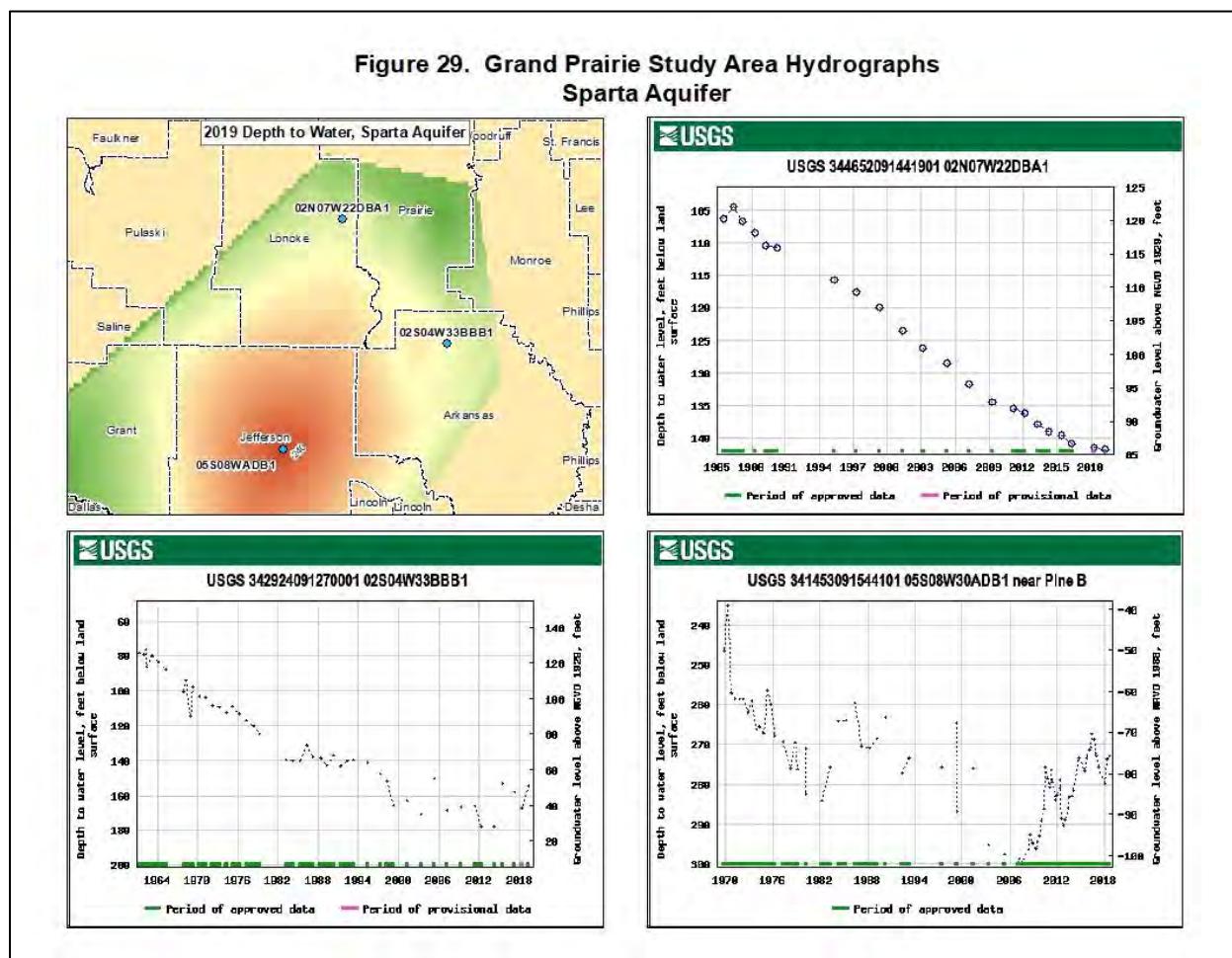
As previously mentioned, there was a shortage of data collected for the Sparta in spring 2019 with the Beauf-Tensas study area having no data and the Cache and St. Francis study areas having only a few data points. The few wells that were measured had little to no comparable historical data and maps were not generated for these areas. However, these wells and their values can be found on Figure 27 and in the Change Table (Appendix B).

While positive average water level changes are present throughout this year's data for the Sparta, decline in the potentiometric surface in the aquifer is expected to continue due to overuse. There has been a statewide increase in water use in the Sparta from 139 million gallons per day (Mgal/d) in 1970 to approximately 160 Mgal/d in 2015. The estimated sustainable yield for the aquifer is 87 Mgal/d leaving an unmet demand of approximately 73 Mgal/d. The most recent significant increase in water use from the Sparta aquifer has been for agriculture-irrigation in the Grand Prairie and Cache Study Areas. In 2018, it is estimated that 68 Mgal/d was used from the Sparta for irrigation; 78% of the estimated yield for the aquifer is being used for irrigation. Groundwater use will be further discussed in the Groundwater Use section below.

The following Figure 28 and Figure 29 present hydrographs from wells in the South Arkansas and Grand Prairie study areas, respectively. Within the cone of depression in Union and Columbia counties in South Arkansas recovery has been steady for approximately 20 years. In two of these hydrographs current water levels are near or above what they were in the 1960's or 1970's when the wells were first measured. In the Grand Prairie depression, the hydrographs show that wells have recovered slightly since approximately 2009-2012 when water levels were at their lowest in the period of record.



**Figure 29. Grand Prairie Study Area Hydrographs
Sparta Aquifer**



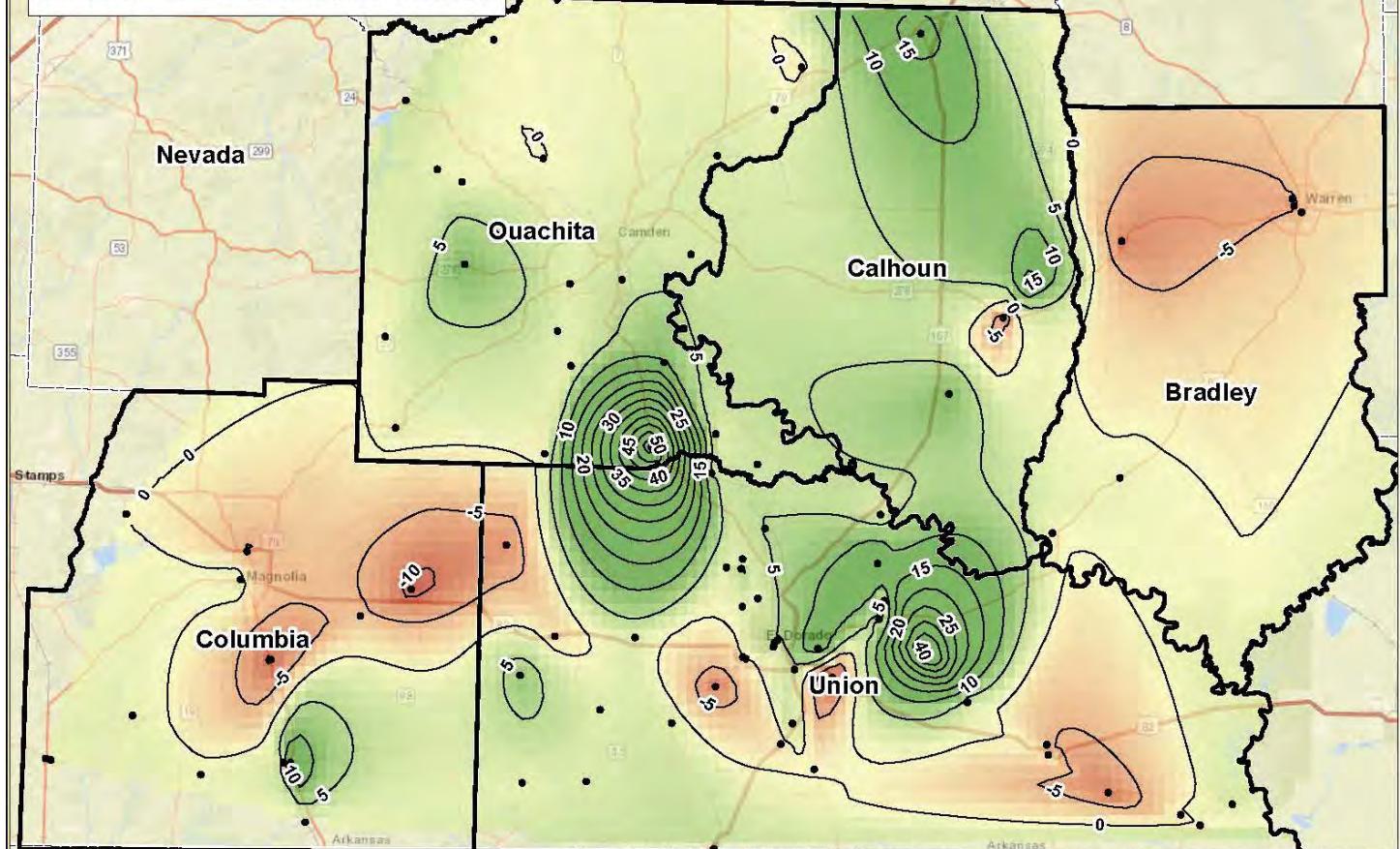
The following Figures 30-35 present the 2019 Sparta aquifer water level change data and well locations for the Grand Prairie and South Arkansas study areas over the one (1), five (5), and ten (10) year change intervals.

Appendix B presents a table of specific water-level monitoring data for the Sparta/Memphis aquifer from the 2018 monitoring period, as well as the 1, 5, and 10-year change comparisons.

**South Arkansas Study Area
2018 - 2019 Water Level Changes
(Sparta Aquifer)**

**South Arkansas Study Area
1 Year Change:**

**Average Change: +2.77 feet
23 of 85 Wells Showed Declines**



County	Avg. Change, Ft.
Bradley	-3.91
Calhoun	+9.47
Columbia	-0.25
Ouachita	+5.18
Union	+2.77

Sources: Esri, HERE, Garmin, USGS, Intermap, INCREMENT P, NRCan, Esri Japan, METI, Esri China (Hong Kong), Esri Korea, Esri (Thailand), NGCC, (c) OpenStreetMap contributors, and the GIS User Community

0 2.5 5 10 15 20 25 Miles

Legend

One Year Change
High : +11 Feet
Low : -11 Feet

- Data Points
- 5 Foot Contour Lines
- South Arkansas Study Area



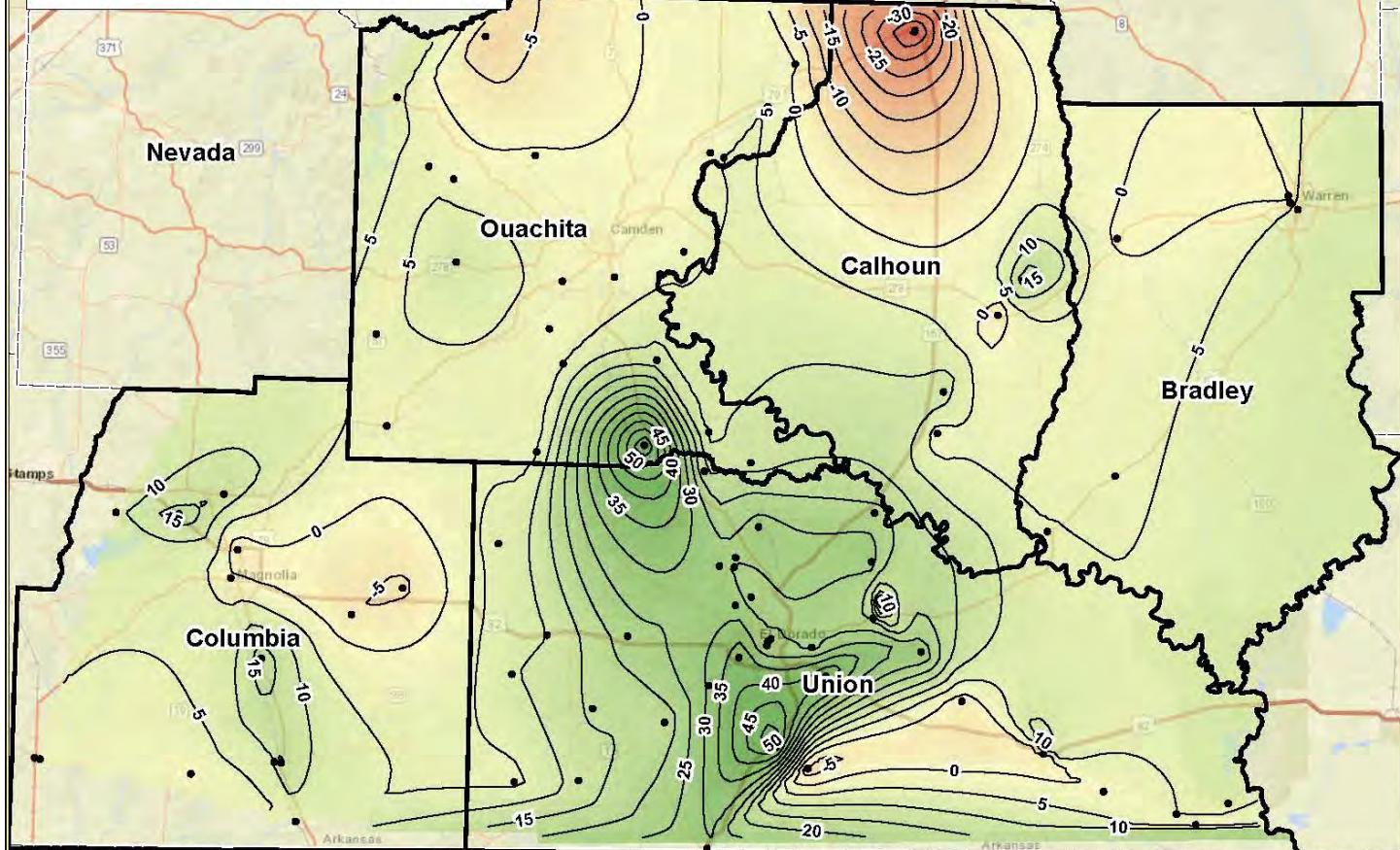
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Figure 30

**South Arkansas Study Area
2014-2019 Water Level Changes
(Sparta Aquifer)**

**South Arkansas Study Area
5 Year Change:**

**Average Change: +10.62 feet
12 of 85 Wells Showed Declines**



County	Avg. Change, Ft.
Bradley	+2.45
Calhoun	-2.81
Columbia	+6.03
Ouachita	+6.57
Union	+17.71

Sources: Esri, HERE, Garmin, USGS, Intermap, INCREMENT P, NRCAN, Esri Japan, METI, Esri China (Hong Kong), Esri Korea, Esri (Thailand), NGCC, (c) OpenStreetMap contributors, and the GIS User Community

0 2.5 5 10 15 20 25 Miles

Legend

Five Year Change

High : +41 Feet
Low : -41 Feet

- Data Points
- 5 Foot Contour Lines
- South Arkansas Study Area

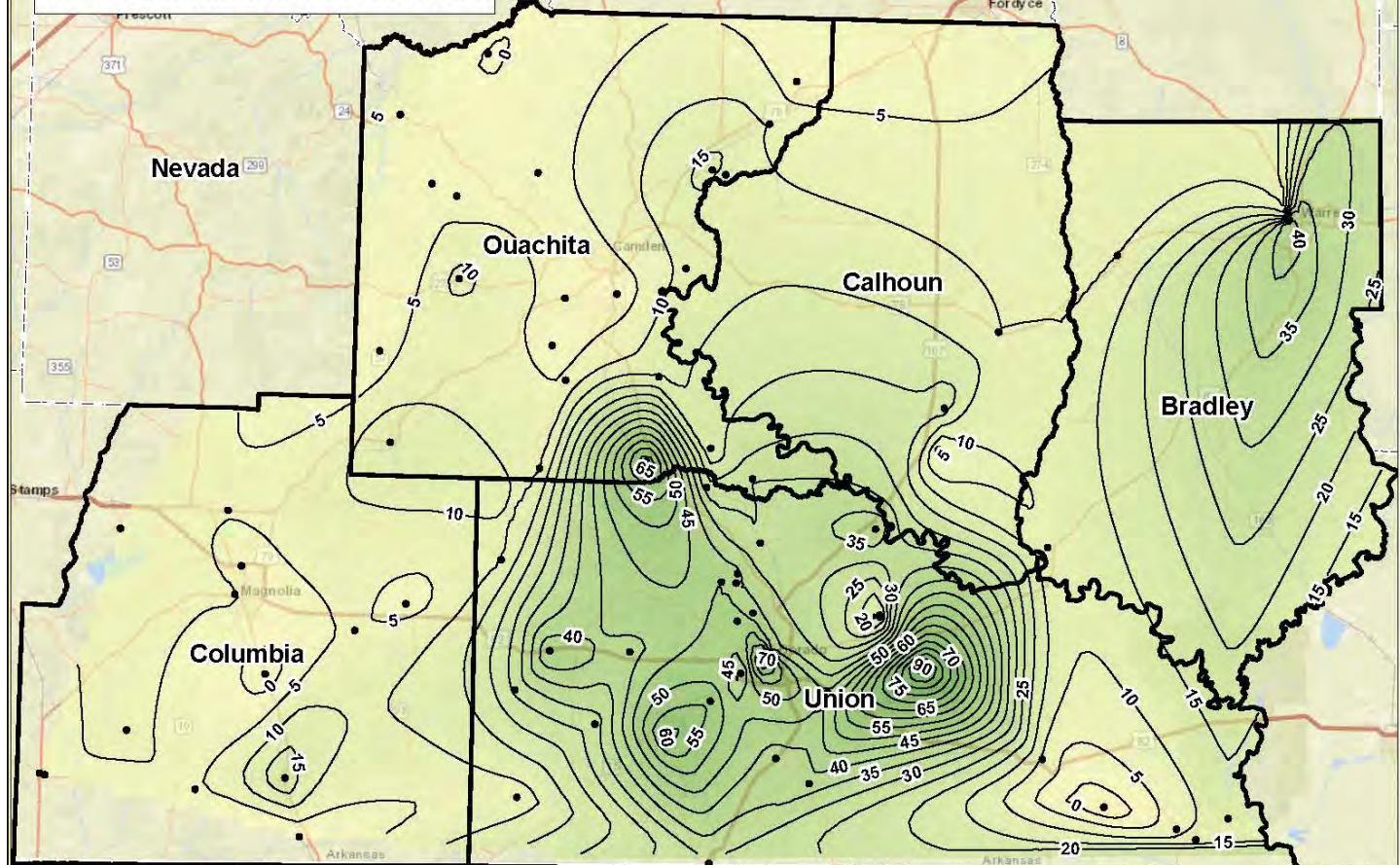


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**South Arkansas Study Area
2009 - 2019 Water Level Changes
(Sparta Aquifer)**

**South Arkansas Study Area
10 Year Change:**

**Average Change: +20.05 feet
4 of 73 Wells Showed Declines**



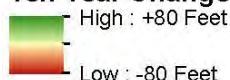
County	Avg. Change, Ft.
Bradley	+18.52
Calhoun	+11.75
Columbia	+4.83
Ouachita	+10.93
Union	+33.91

Sources: Esri, HERE, Garmin, USGS, Intermap, INCREMENT P, NRCAN, Esri Japan, METI, Esri China (Hong Kong), Esri Korea, Esri (Thailand), NGCC, (c) OpenStreetMap contributors, and the GIS User Community

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Legend

Ten Year Change



• Data Points

— 5 Foot Contour Lines

□ South Arkansas Study Area



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Figure 32

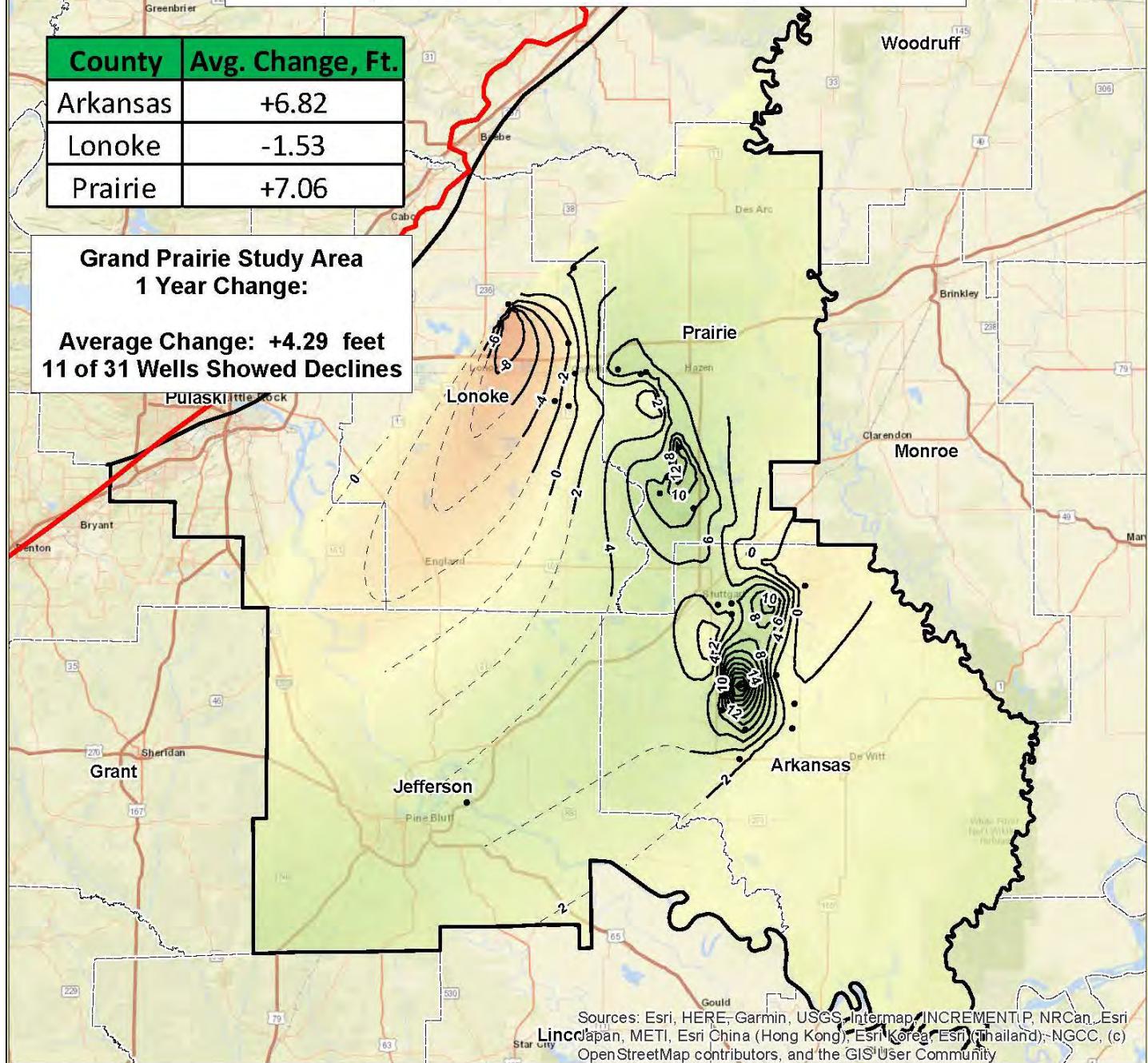
Grand Prairie Study Area

2018 - 2019 Water Level Changes (Sparta/Memphis Aquifer)

County	Avg. Change, Ft.
Arkansas	+6.82
Lonoke	-1.53
Prairie	+7.06

**Grand Prairie Study Area
1 Year Change:**

**Average Change: +4.29 feet
11 of 31 Wells Showed Declines**



0 3 6 12 18 24 30 Miles

Legend

One Year Change

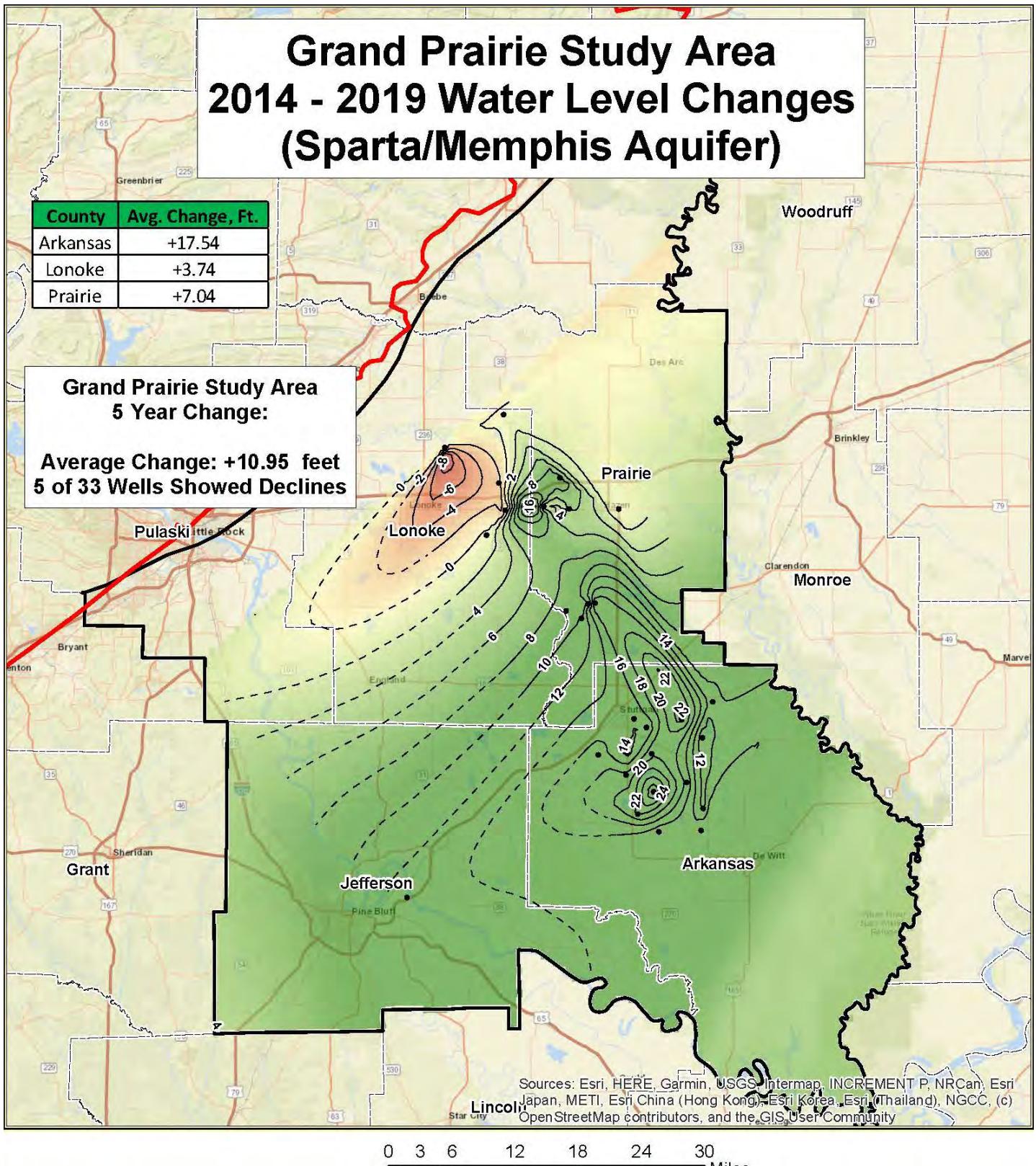
High : +20 Feet
Low : -20 Feet

- Data Points
- 2 Foot Contour Lines
- Sparta Boundary
- Grand Prairie Study Area



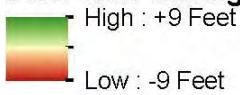
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Figure 33



Legend

Five Year Change



- Data Points
- 2 Foot Contour Lines
- Sparta Boundary
- Grand Prairie Study Area



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Figure 34

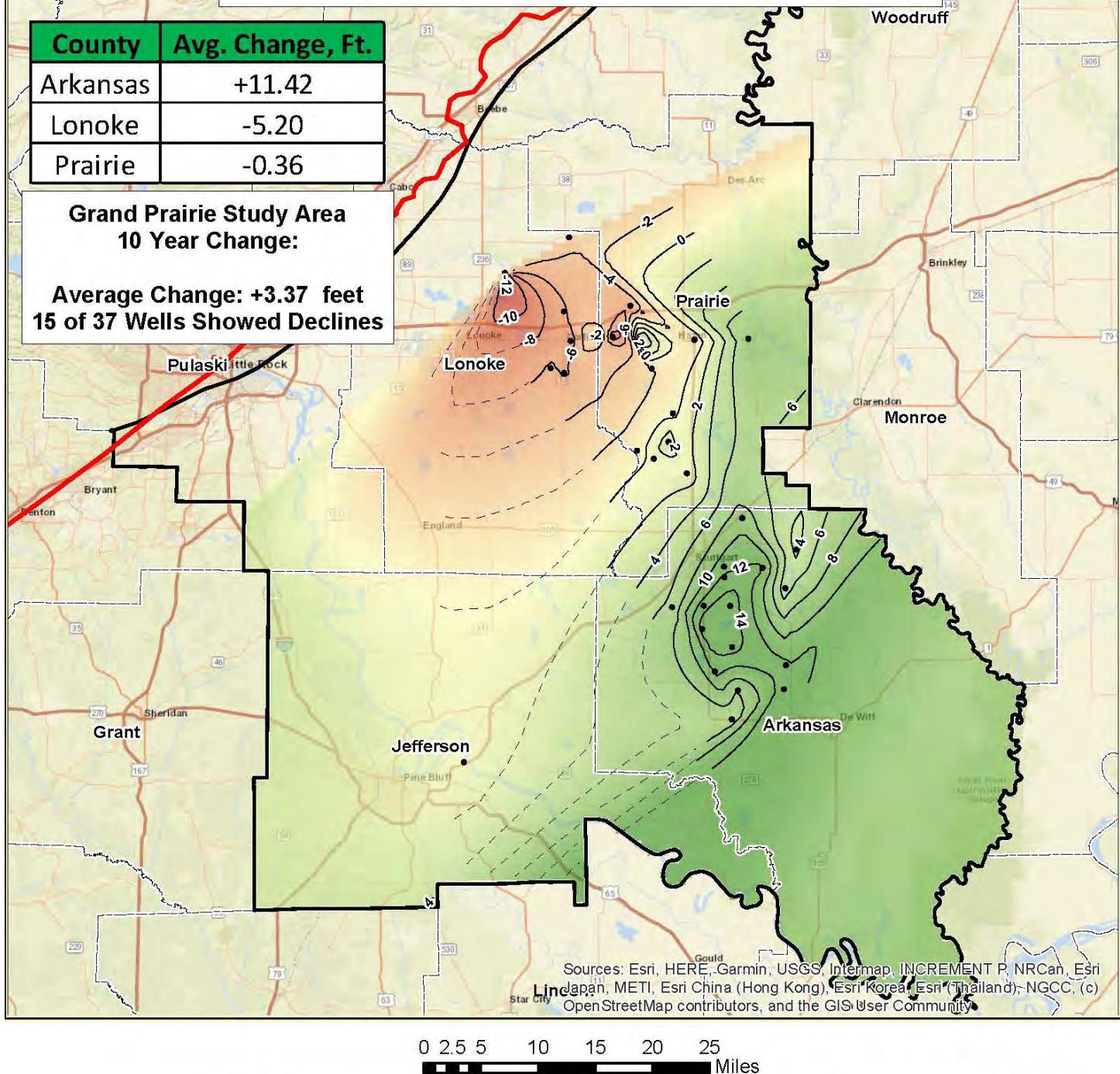
Grand Prairie Study Area

2009 - 2019 Water Level Changes (Sparta/Memphis Aquifer)

County	Avg. Change, Ft.
Arkansas	+11.42
Lonoke	-5.20
Prairie	-0.36

**Grand Prairie Study Area
10 Year Change:**

**Average Change: +3.37 feet
15 of 37 Wells Showed Declines**



0 2.5 5 10 15 20 25 Miles

Legend

Ten Year Change

High : +12 Feet

Low : -12 Feet

• Data Points

— 2 Foot Contour Line

— Sparta Boundary

□ Grand Prairie Study Area



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Figure 35

Groundwater Use

Registered Wells

In accordance with Act 1051 of 1985, all wells in Arkansas that have the capacity to produce fifty thousand (50,000) gallons per day must be registered with the NRD. Domestic wells are exempt. The quantity used must be reported by March 1st of the following year. USGS reports that there are approximately 50,000 registered wells in the State and over 97% are agricultural wells used primarily for irrigation eastern Arkansas. The remaining approximate 3% reported wells are used predominately for commercial, industrial, and public water supply purposes.

Reported Water Use

In 2015 an estimated total of 8,254.60 million gallons per day (Mgal/d) of water were reportedly withdrawn from all the **state's aquifers**. The greatest reported volumes are from the alluvial and Sparta aquifers, with approximately 7,636.08 Mgal/d being used from the alluvial and approximately 160 Mgal/d being used from the Sparta. The 2015 total water use data is still the most recent accurate figure for total water use across the state for various reasons; however, reported agricultural-irrigation water use numbers for 2018 have been provided by the USGS as being nearly complete, as the dataset does not contain the results of the mail-out reporting forms. The remaining water use data, non-agricultural/non-irrigation, for 2018 are still being processed.

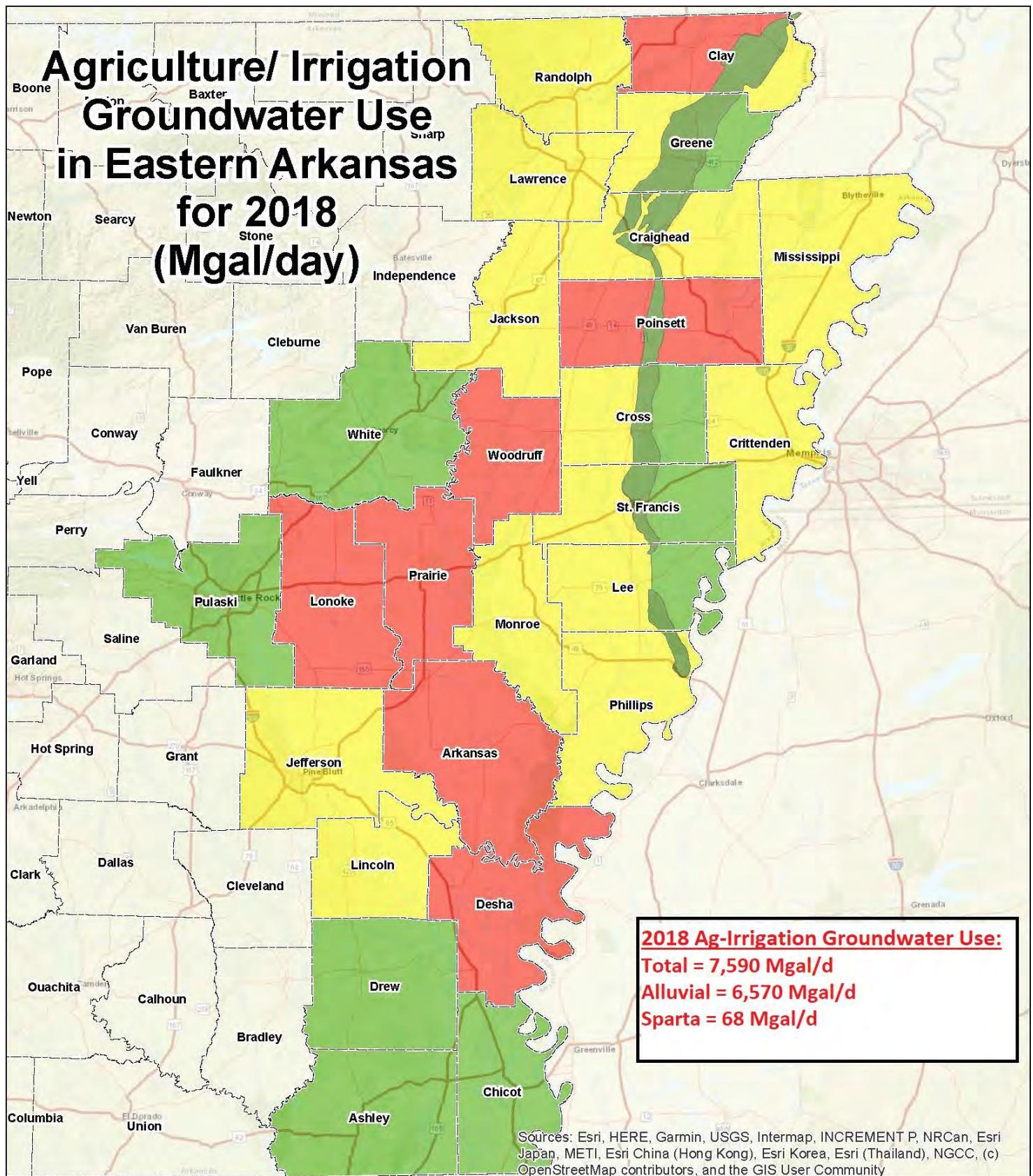
Reported agricultural-irrigation water use in 2018 estimates that a total of 7,590 Mgal/d of groundwater was used for irrigation from all aquifer sources in eastern Arkansas, with 6,570 Mgal/d from 42,452 wells in the alluvial aquifer and 68 Mgal/d from 286 wells in the Sparta aquifer (USGS, 2019). In 2015, reported irrigation groundwater use is estimated to have been 7,434 Mgal/d from 48,410 wells in the alluvial aquifer and 66 Mgal/d from 285 wells in the Sparta aquifer. Based on these numbers, irrigation groundwater use from the alluvial aquifer in 2018 was approximately 864 Mgal/d less than in 2015 with nearly 6,000 fewer wells reported. Reported irrigation groundwater use from the Sparta aquifer in 2018 increased by 2 Mgal/d from 2015 with one more well reported. The discrepancy in the number of wells reported is due partly to the fact that mail-out report forms for 2018 have not yet been received. However, 2018 mail-out forms are expected to be fewer than 6,000 and reported agricultural-irrigation groundwater use is anticipated to be reduced from 2015 reported use.

The estimated sustainable yield of the alluvial aquifer is 3,374 Mgal/d meaning that only 51% of our estimated 2018 irrigation groundwater use is sustainable using an incomplete, conservative estimate. Regarding the Sparta aquifer, 2018 irrigation water use estimates of 68 Mgal/d would account for approximately 78% of the estimated sustainable yield of 87 Mgal/d. Total water use numbers estimate that 160 Mgal/d is being used from the Sparta aquifer, mostly used for municipal and industrial purposes. Based on these figures, only 54% of the total water use from the Sparta is sustainable.

Historically, counties that report the largest groundwater withdrawals from the alluvial aquifer are the same counties with groundwater depletion issues. Using 2018 water use numbers Arkansas, Lonoke, Poinsett, Woodruff, Clay, Desha, and Prairie counties used the most groundwater for irrigation. This is mostly consistent with the areas of significant drawdown in the alluvial aquifer.

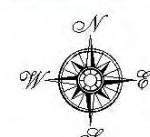
Figure 36 presents the 2018 agricultural-irrigation water use as reported at the time of this report.

Agriculture/ Irrigation Groundwater Use in Eastern Arkansas for 2018 (Mgal/day)



Legend

- 0 to 100 Mgal/day
- 100 to 300 Mgal/day
- Greater than 300 Mgal/day
- No Data Available
- Crowley's Ridge



0 5 10 20 30 40 Miles

*Data Obtained from
United States Geological Survey

The water use values shown in the counties
divided by Crowley's Ridge represent the separation
of water use based on location East or West of the ridge



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Figure 36

Water Conservation Tax Incentive Program

The Water Conservation Tax Incentive Program encourages water users to invest in water conservation practices by offering a tax credit equal to 10% (statewide) or 50% (in a Critical Groundwater Area) of the cost to implement the practice. The following water conservation practices are eligible for tax credits: (1) the construction of impoundments to utilize available surface water and reduce our dependence on ground water; (2) the conversion from ground water use to surface water use when surface water is available; (3) land leveling to reduce agricultural irrigation water use; and (4) the installation of water meters to monitor ground water usage.

Figure 37 shows the locations of the water conservation projects that were approved for a tax credit for the years 2016 through 2019. A summary table of the number and types of conservation practices approved for a tax credit can be found below.

Approved Tax Credits 2016 - 2019				
Conservation Practice	Year Approved			
	2016	2017	2018	2019
Water Meters	22	12	13	9
Impoundments	10	8	15	27
Land Leveling	64	45	22	12
Surface Water Conversions	0	0	23	9
Total Approved	96	65	73	57

Each applicant is required to list the estimated total acre-footage of groundwater used in the year prior to applying for a tax credit and the estimated total acre-footage of groundwater used after the project has been completed. Based on the 291 tax credit projects that were approved in 2016 through 2019, an estimated 129,593 acre-feet per year of groundwater will be conserved after these projects have been completed and implemented. In 2019, a total of 57 conservation practices were approved on 6,322 acres of land in Arkansas.

Water Conservation Tax Credits Approved from 2016 to 2019

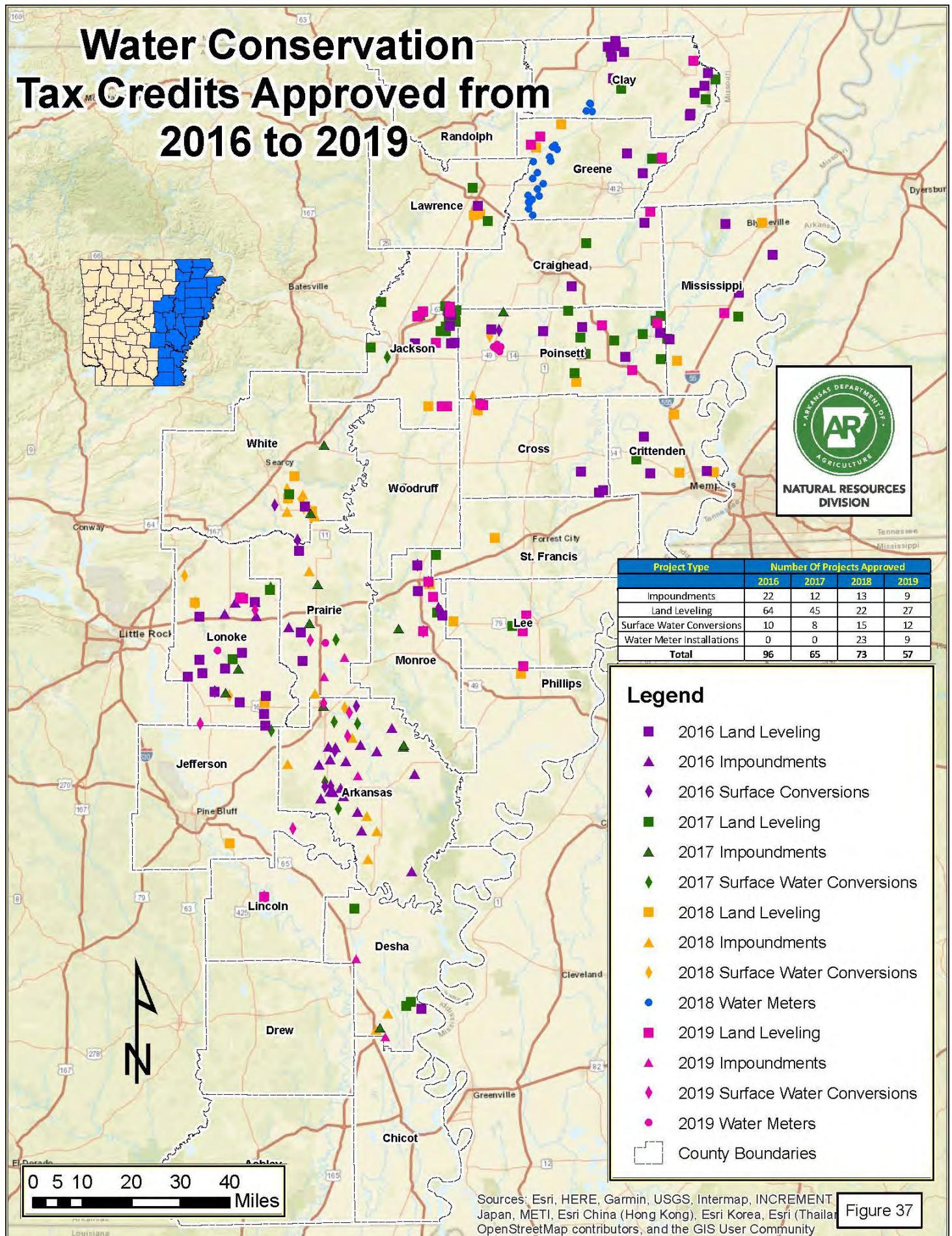


Figure 37

Summary

The Groundwater Protection and Management Report for 2019 is a summary of the activities and significant findings of the Arkansas Department of Agriculture – Natural Resources Division (NRD) Groundwater Section staff. This report is prepared annually in response to legislative mandates that direct the NRD to study the **state's ground**water resources.

The purposes of the programs outlined in this report are to monitor the condition of the **state's ground**water resources and to evaluate trends in water-level and water-quality fluctuations. The NRD, the USDA-NRCS, and the USGS monitor up to approximately 1,000 water wells each year for water levels and prescribed water quality parameters. This monitoring is accomplished through a cooperative agreement with the NRD and the USGS.

In the Mississippi River Valley alluvial aquifer, 2019 spring water-level measurements showed positive average changes when compared to historical data in one, five- and ten-year intervals with values of +0.28, +1.41, and +2.24 feet, respectively. The areas with the most severe groundwater declines continue to be the Grand Prairie and Cache study areas, particularly in the areas of the aquifer furthest from a major surface water source i.e. the Arkansas, White, and Mississippi rivers. Some water level decline has been observed in the Beouf-Tensas study area, but these declines do not appear to be causing significant aquifer drawdown in the area.

In the Sparta/Memphis aquifer, significant data gaps are present in the Cache, St. Francis, and Beouf-Tensas study areas for 2019. The 2019 data shows average water level change values of +3.09, +9.88, and +13.30 feet in the one, five, and ten-year intervals, respectively. While aquifer-wide coverage was lacking, good data exists for the South Arkansas and Grand Prairie study areas. South Arkansas continues to see recovery in the areas where historical drawdown has been the most severe with most counties having positive average water level change values in the one- and five-year change intervals and all counties having positive average change values in the ten-year interval. Union County continues to experience the most recovery, having the greatest average change in the five- and ten-year intervals. In the Grand Prairie, Sparta wells have measured positive average change in Arkansas and Prairie counties in the one and five-year change interval while Lonoke county shows declines. In the ten-year period, Lonoke and Prairie counties have average declines, while Arkansas County continues to show a positive change.

While aquifer and study area wide averages may show that water levels are increasing over the 10-year period, it is important to realize that groundwater levels continue to decline in areas with the highest water use. In the Cache study area, wells Poinsett, Cross, and Woodruff show average declines. Arkansas is withdrawing groundwater from the alluvial and Sparta/Memphis aquifers in eastern and southern Arkansas at a rate far above that which is estimated to be sustainable. So long as water use from these aquifers continues to exceed sustainable yield, the resource will continue to be depleted. The NRD should continue to promote conservation, education, and the conjunctive use of ground and surface-water at rates that are sustainable for current and future water use needs.

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Appendix A

Alluvial Aquifer Water Level Monitoring Data

Mississippi River Valley Alluvial Aquifer
Hydrologic Data 2019, 2018, 2014, 2009

County	Local Well ID Number	Latitude	Longitude	Altitude of Land Surface	Well Depth	Meas. Date	2019 DTW (ft)	Aquifer Thickness (ft)	2019 Saturated Thickness (ft)	% Saturated	2018 DTW (ft)	2014 DTW (ft)	2009 DTW (ft)	1 Year Change ('18 to '19)	5 Year Change ('14 to '19)	10 Year Change ('09 to '19)
Arkansas	02S04W11DBB1	34.542500	-91.404167	213.04	152	3/29/2019	98.56	130.64	32.08	24.55%	97.27	100.76	100.20	-1.29	2.20	1.64
Arkansas	02S04W19AA1	34.506350	-91.486031	205.00	155	3/15/2019	107.59	127.00	19.41	15.28%						
Arkansas	02S04W23DA1	34.512319	-91.358119	207.00	140	3/15/2019	95.39	133.00	37.61	28.28%						
Arkansas	02S05W09AA1	34.539619	-91.358139	220.00	162	3/15/2019	124.67	133.00	8.33	6.26%						
Arkansas	02S05W36DDD1	34.478519	-91.488119	212.00	140	3/15/2019	100.74	143.00	42.26	29.55%						
Arkansas	03S02W27ABB1	34.413333	-91.214444	197.00	87	4/3/2019	62.98	126.50	63.52	50.21%	62.32	64.04	64.10	-0.66	1.06	1.12
Arkansas	03S03W05CCD1	34.460556	-91.358839	201.00	145	3/29/2019	99.35	122.47	23.12	18.88%	98.77	100.25	98.10	-0.58	0.90	-1.25
Arkansas	03S03W27BBC1	34.415278	-91.328333	195.00	120	4/2/2019	95.19	137.00	41.81	30.52%	95.69	90.87	92.70	0.50	-4.32	-2.49
Arkansas	03S04W02BBB1	34.475278	-91.415000	197.63	116	3/29/2019	93.50	121.40	27.90	22.98%	93.39	95.00	-0.11			1.50
Arkansas	03S04W03DCA16	34.464722	-91.421944	205.00	126	4/11/2019	100.96	120.82	19.86	16.44%	100.62	101.65	101.87	-0.34	0.69	0.91
Arkansas	03S06W35ADD1	34.404444	-91.614167	190.00		3/27/2019	55.28	105.76	50.48	47.73%	55.30	59.99	54.10	0.02	4.71	-1.18
Arkansas	04S01W19AAD1	34.336667	-91.155278	196.00	157	4/3/2019	59.31	154.40	95.09	61.59%	60.57	67.00	1.26			7.69
Arkansas	04S03W17ADD1	34.350278	-91.349167	200.00		4/2/2019	110.34	145.10	34.76	23.96%	108.61	108.90	-1.73	-2.03		-1.44
Arkansas	04S04W35ABC1	34.309722	-91.410278	197.00		4/11/2019	103.49	166.70	63.21	37.92%	104.10	106.40	0.61	2.91		
Arkansas	04S06W15DBB1	34.356111	-91.640556	190.00	100	3/27/2019	34.72	113.00	78.28	69.27%						
Arkansas	05S01W16BAB1	34.253889	-91.124444	183.00		4/3/2019	41.55	170.46	128.91	75.63%	44.70	48.68	47.70	3.15	7.13	6.15
Arkansas	05S01W17CAD1	34.255833	-91.138889	180.00		4/2/2019	36.48	141.00	104.52	74.13%		42.70				6.22
Arkansas	05S04W14AAD1	34.263611	-91.403056	186.00	160	3/28/2019	91.11	167.00	75.89	45.44%	90.19	93.80	-0.92			2.69
Arkansas	05S04W32BBA1	34.219722	-91.472222	191.00		3/28/2019	54.18	168.31	114.13	67.81%	54.17	57.21	63.20	-0.01	3.03	9.02
Arkansas	05S04W34BAC1	34.219167	-91.434167	191.00	142	3/28/2019	66.58	166.00	99.42	59.83%	71.87					5.29
Arkansas	06S02W03AB1	34.207889	-91.217306	188.00		4/2/2019	60.46	165.00	104.54	63.36%	64.80					4.34
Arkansas	06S02W17CDC1	34.148611	-91.199722	188.00		4/2/2019	52.05	159.00	106.95	67.26%	54.23	62.65	61.00	2.18	10.60	8.95
Arkansas	06S03W10BBA1	34.193611	-91.330833	184.00	155	3/28/2019	79.59	164.03	84.44	51.48%	79.79	86.65	81.00	0.20	7.06	1.41
Arkansas	06S03W27AAA1	34.149167	-91.319722	183.14	132	4/2/2019	65.69	165.11	99.42	60.21%	63.84	68.11	68.10	-1.85	2.42	2.41
Arkansas	06S03W32DDA1	34.127778	-91.354167	180.00		3/28/2019	52.08	160.48	108.40	67.55%		57.99				5.91
Arkansas	07S02W04BBB1	34.117778	-91.247500	176.00		4/2/2019	35.65	158.83	123.18	77.56%	38.08	44.50	42.43			8.85
Arkansas	07S02W17BBC1	34.091389	-91.260556	184.00	95	4/2/2019	36.46	164.30	127.84	77.81%	41.84	51.38	51.30	5.38	14.92	14.84
Arkansas	07S03W10ACB1	34.101944	-91.327222	187.00		4/2/2019	43.32	152.00	108.68	71.50%		48.30				4.98
Arkansas	07S03W18CCD1	34.076389	-91.386667	186.16		3/28/2019	39.15	137.84	98.69	71.60%	40.08	42.48	41.50	0.93	3.33	2.35
Arkansas	07S03W32BBC1	34.044444	-91.371111	176.92	128	3/28/2019	22.77	152.99	130.22	85.12%	23.16	24.26	27.10	0.39	1.49	4.33
Arkansas	07S04W01DDD1	34.106111	-91.390000	186.00	155	3/28/2019	43.70	163.40	119.70	73.26%	41.49	25.75	42.90	-2.21		-0.80
Arkansas	08S03WT2299	34.029444	-91.366944	178.00	158	3/28/2019	19.32	161.02	141.70	88.00%	19.16	24.66	19.70	-0.16	5.34	0.38
												Average % Saturated:	51.91%	Wells in Decline:	11	2
												Min % Saturated:	6.26%	Total Wells:	24	24
												Max % Saturated:	88.00%	Average Change:	0.79	3.70

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Craighead	13N04E12AB01	35.776667	-90.615556	231.00	110	4/24/2019	23.42	109.03	85.61	78.52%	25.80	27.00	2.38	3.58		
Craighead	14N02E27AA01	35.821667	-90.856944	255.00		4/24/2019	85.13	92.46	7.33	7.93%	85.25	86.37	84.70	0.12	1.24	-0.43
Craighead	14N05E36BA01	35.804892	90.508606			2/13/2019	40.40	105.00	64.60	61.52%	39.86			-0.54		
Craighead	15N03E19AD01	35.918333	-90.800556	262.00	116	4/24/2019	53.90	116.00	62.10	53.53%	55.75	55.00		1.85	1.10	
Craighead	15N06E20DD01	35.907222	-90.460833	234.00		4/24/2019	8.55	87.20	78.65	90.19%	6.96	8.77	10.30	-1.59	0.22	1.75

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Cross	07N01E05CDAA1	35.255556	-91.014444	217.00	140	4/3/2019	82.19	143.46	61.27	42.71%	79.23				-2.96		
Cross	07N01E11AAA1	35.250278	-90.951389	217.00	120	4/3/2019	85.13	146.19	61.06	41.77%	82.13	80.00			-3.00	-5.13	
Cross	07N02E02CDCD1	35.252222	-90.853611	225.00		4/3/2019	87.10	109.00	21.90	20.99%	85.63	85.25			-1.47	-1.85	
Cross	07N02E29DDC1	35.193333	-90.902222	220.00	100	4/3/2019	77.70	150.29	72.59	48.30%	76.18	75.10			-1.52	-2.60	
Cross	07N03E32DC1C1	35.178889	-90.803611	251.00	138	4/3/2019	104.67	153.00	48.33	31.59%	101.84	97.90			-2.83	-6.77	
Cross	07N05E25ABA1	35.206389	-90.513056	205.00	140	4/3/2019	36.80	140.38	103.58	73.79%	37.94				1.14		
Cross	08N05E32AD1D1	35.275556	-90.577222	204.00		4/3/2019	20.83	141.42	120.59	83.27%	27.68	30.10			6.85	9.27	
Cross	09N01E12CB1B1	35.418056	-90.948056	226.00		4/3/2019	100.50	148.00	47.50	32.09%	97.62	95.87			-2.88	-4.63	
Cross	09N01E38BB1A2	35.367433	-91.000167	225.00	0	4/3/2019	90.04	150.16	60.12	40.04%							
Cross	09N03E17DDC1	35.403056	-90.791944	105.90	160	4/3/2019	120.90	124.00	3.10	2.50%	111.73	110.60			-9.17	-10.30	
Cross	09N05E32BD1B1	35.364167	-90.586389	210.00		4/3/2019	25.94	121.00	95.06	78.56%	27.00	28.56			31.90	1.06	2.62
										Average % Saturated:	45.15%						
										Min % Saturated:	2.50%						
										Max % Saturated:	85.27%						
										Average % Saturated:	45.15%						
										Min % Saturated:	2.50%						
										Max % Saturated:	85.27%						
Deshna	07S01E19ABA1	34.074444	-91.050333	154.00	120	3/29/2019	6.08	96.40	90.32	93.69%	9.70				0	7	6
Deshna	08S03W33ABD1	33.966944	-91.393611	165.04	60	3/14/2019	8.00	147.00	139.00	94.56%	4.69				1.06	10	8
Deshna	09S02W26DDC1	33.882778	-91.256389	149.27	94	3/4/2019	31.54	129.00	97.46	75.55%	33.55	33.76			-0.88		
Deshna	09S03W17DCB1	33.913889	-91.412500	155.08	126	3/20/2019	37.61	137.00	99.39	72.55%	36.73				39.00		
Deshna	09S04W06BCA1	33.965556	-91.545000	161.00		3/20/2019	37.71	152.00	114.29	75.19%					44.50		
Deshna	09S04W06CB1B1	33.941389	-91.548389	162.00		3/27/2019	47.00	148.00	101.00	68.24%	45.70	41.00			-1.30	-6.00	
Deshna	10S02W20ADA1	33.821111	-91.306944	148.00		3/14/2019	44.83	126.26	81.43	64.49%	44.46	43.09			-0.37		
Deshna	10S03W26CCB1	33.799444	-91.375278	152.00	103	3/14/2019	49.60	128.00	78.40	61.25%					2.01	2.22	1.86
Deshna	10S04W12CB1	33.846667	-91.465000	155.00		3/20/2019	38.17	136.00	97.83	71.93%	37.63	37.76			-0.54		1.39
Deshna	10S04W16DD1	33.824272	-91.503333	157.00	100	3/20/2019	33.36	131.00	97.64	74.33%							
Deshna	11S02W03DD1	33.770107	-91.276505	144.00	105	3/14/2019	35.33	118.00	82.67	70.06%							
Deshna	13S02W27CAC1	33.536667	-91.293333	133.00	120	3/14/2019	32.83	89.00	56.17	63.11%	34.11				36.00	1.28	3.17
										Average % Saturated:	73.76%						
										Min % Saturated:	61.25%						
										Max % Saturated:	94.56%						
										Average Change:	0.06						
										Total Wells:	8						
										Average Change:	3.77						

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Drew	11504W35CD1	33.694444	-91.485000	154.00	65	3/12/2019	27.61	114.00	86.39	75.78%	39.57	39.39	32.64	+0.75	0.57	5.03
Drew	11505W08CC1	33.762778	-91.643611	185.00	153	3/12/2019	38.82	143.00	104.18	72.85%	26.13	29.87	28.30	+0.92	4.66	3.09
Drew	12504W03AB1	33.692500	-91.496944	155.00		3/12/2019	25.21	114.00	88.79	77.89%	35.06	34.00	33.80	-0.61	-1.67	-1.87
Drew	12504W25DB1	33.627500	-91.460556	149.00	90	4/26/2019	35.67	108.00	72.33	66.97%	21.00	21.31	21.00	+3.00	-2.50	-6.81
Drew	13504W09AC1	33.586667	-91.509444	145.00	90	4/26/2019	27.81	100.60	72.79	72.36%	19.38	69.62	78.22%	+21.40	0.30	2.02
Drew	13504W33BA1	33.535000	-91.516667	138.00	130	3/12/2019	31.46	88.00	56.54	64.25%	31.00	33.06	31.00	+1.60	-0.46	-0.46
Drew	14504W03AD1	33.513889	-91.491389	141.00	92	4/26/2019	13.21	86.50	73.29	84.73%	20.00	20.00	6.66	+6.79	6.79	6.79
Drew	14504W05CB1	33.513056	-91.538333	131.00	90	4/26/2019	14.21	85.00	70.79	83.28%	18.97	20.00	22.00	+4.76	3.79	7.79
Drew	14504W05BC1	33.511667	-91.540556	131.00	90	4/26/2019	37.51	93.55	56.04	59.90%	9.97	18.00	43.00	+5.49	5.49	5.49
										Average % Saturated:	73.62%			Wells in Decline:	2	3
										Min % Saturated:	59.90%			Total Wells:	8	1
										Max % Saturated:	84.73%			Average Change:	1.49	1.55
																3.55
Greene	16N06E28AB1	35.994444	-90.448611	251.00		4/23/2019	30.33	83.00	52.67	63.46%	25.83	32.46	25.73	-4.50	-2.13	-4.60
Greene	17N04E28DAA1	36.075278	-90.654722	319.00		4/23/2019	88.80	97.10	8.30	8.55%	93.85	94.38	90.95	5.05	5.58	2.15
Greene	18N03E13CD1	36.195000	-90.709167	257.00		4/23/2019	34.15	112.00	77.85	69.51%	92.45%	92.45%	92.45%	+1.46	1.39	4.10
Greene	18N07E20BB1	36.185833	-90.351111	250.00		4/23/2019	8.50	113.12	104.62	95.41%	112.58	95.41%	7.30	+31.50	-3.43	1.88
Greene	18N07E23CC1	36.172778	-90.2966389	281.00	100	4/23/2019	5.42	118.00	109.41	76.49%	143.03	109.41	30.19	+31.50	-3.43	-2.12
Greene	19N03E26AD1									Average % Saturated:	67.55%			Wells in Decline:	2	0
										Min % Saturated:	8.55%			Total Wells:	4	2
										Max % Saturated:	95.41%			Average Change:	-0.36	3.03
																0.28
Independence	12N04W09CA1	35.679167	-91.425833	236.00		4/12/2019	16.44	52.00	35.56	68.38%	22.50			Wells in Decline:	1	0
Independence	12N04W14DD1	35.663889	-91.380556	231.00	60	4/12/2019	16.26	127.12	110.86	87.21%	12.39	25.00	25.00	+1.40	2.55	8.74
Independence	12N04W34CB1	35.621667	-91.418333	231.00		4/12/2019	14.23	126.62	112.39	88.76%	16.46	15.07	18.10	+2.74	0.84	3.87
Independence	12N05W36AA1	35.625833	-91.473611	226.00		4/12/2019	16.46	132.91	116.45	87.62%	7.54	19.20	19.20	-8.92	-8.92	2.74
Independence	14N03W14DB1	35.851667	-91.274444	230.00	65	4/12/2019	1.25	102.77	101.52	98.78%	1.57			+0.32	0.32	0.32
										Average % Saturated:	86.15%			Wells in Decline:	1	0
										Min % Saturated:	68.38%			Total Wells:	1	3
										Max % Saturated:	98.78%			Average Change:	-8.92	1.24
																5.35

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Lonoke	O1N07W04DD1	34.732489	-91.75431	221.00	182	4/2/2019	137.43	140.00	2.57	1.84%							
Lonoke	O1N07W09DAA1	34.719931	-91.753450	226.00	180	4/2/2019	134.53	136.00	1.47	1.08%							
Lonoke	O1N07W27AAD1	34.684167	-91.736111	220.00	148	4/11/2019	132.86	137.00	4.14	3.02%	131.73	135.69	133.70	-1.13	2.83	0.84	
Lonoke	O1N09W13DAB1	34.709722	-91.921389	226.00	150	4/30/2019	86.78	98.00	11.22	11.45%	85.07	86.72	87.80	-1.71	-0.06	1.02	
Lonoke	O1N10W11BBB1	34.732222	-92.056111	240.00	100	4/8/2019	25.98	126.00	100.02	79.38%			28.50			2.52	
Lonoke	O1S06W31ABA1	34.583056	-91.691944	200.00	120	4/16/2019	83.53	117.00	33.47	81.51%	81.26	81.82		-2.27	-1.71		
Lonoke	O1S07W19DDB1	34.602500	-91.796111	206.00		4/30/2019	89.20	116.00	26.71	23.03%	89.66	87.02		0.37	-2.27		
Lonoke	O1S08W24CDC1	34.601389	-91.820000	210.00	127	4/30/2019	85.13	115.00	29.87	25.97%	85.46	86.50	82.90	0.33	1.37	-2.23	
Lonoke	O1S09W36CC1	34.576389	-91.938611	220.00	95	4/30/2019	63.31	115.00	51.69	44.95%	64.05	65.52	64.90	0.74	2.21	1.59	
Lonoke	O1S10W01ACB1	34.657222	-92.037500	236.00		4/30/2019	44.58	120.00	75.42	62.85%	42.12	44.39		-2.46	-0.19		
Lonoke	O2N08W16ABC1	34.801667	-91.853611	230.00	128	4/8/2019	134.37	146.00	11.63	7.97%		130.98	124.90		-3.39	-9.47	
Lonoke	O2N09W02BBB1	34.831944	-91.978333	251.00	140	4/16/2019	106.78	166.00	59.22	35.67%		122.50				15.72	
Lonoke	O2N10W23BCA1	34.790278	-92.056111	240.35		4/8/2019	16.92	132.00	115.08	87.88%							
Lonoke	O2S07W10CCB1	34.546111	-91.756667	201.00		4/30/2019	67.00	112.00	45.00	40.88%	66.93			-0.07			
Lonoke	O2S08W34DBB1	34.500056	-91.863611	214.00		4/30/2019	63.65	119.00	55.35	46.51%	61.63	68.27	64.50	-2.02	4.62	0.85	
Lonoke	O3N07W08BBB1	34.901667	-91.777222	250.00	125	2/21/2019	99.37	162.00	62.63	38.66%	99.80	101.63		0.43		2.26	
Lonoke	O3N07W29A0A1	34.857778	-91.766111	234.00	120	2/21/2019	98.95	152.70	53.75	35.20%	98.10	95.18		-0.85		-3.77	
Lonoke	O3N07W35CC02	34.832500	-91.725556	232.00		4/11/2019	121.37	145.00	23.63	16.30%	123.63	118.50	117.55			-2.87	
Lonoke	O3N08W03BA0A1	34.921667	-91.840506	260.00	162	2/22/2019	105.54	194.00	88.46	45.60%	104.36	103.33		-1.18		-2.21	
Lonoke	O3N08W03CCC01	34.908053	-91.856389	260.00	162	2/21/2019	112.26	180.00	67.74	37.63%	111.04	109.60		-1.22		-2.66	
Lonoke	O3N08W08ABA0A1	34.907222	-91.879722	258.00	150	2/22/2019	102.68	194.00	91.24	47.07%	102.14	100.59		-0.54		-2.09	
Lonoke	O3N08W10ACB1	34.903889	-91.847778	250.00	150	2/21/2019	99.26	180.00	80.74	44.86%	99.07	97.05		-0.19		-2.21	
Lonoke	O3N08W10ADD1	34.9000278	-91.839444	250.00	165	2/21/2019	107.06	182.00	74.94	41.88%		100.70	98.70		-6.36		-8.36
Lonoke	O3N08W11AAC1	34.903333	-91.826111	256.00	144	2/21/2019	109.42	172.00	62.58	36.38%	107.90	106.29		-1.52		-3.13	
Lonoke	O3N08W29BBB1	34.863056	-91.892222	249	152	2/22/2019	115.08	188.00	72.92	38.79%	114.62	115.00		-0.46		-0.08	
Lonoke	O3N08W32AB0A1	34.849167	-91.882500	250		2/21/2019	122.69	189.20	66.51	35.15%	121.91	121.90		-0.78		-0.79	
Lonoke	O3N08W32AB0B3	34.8494944	-91.881944	250.00	170	4/8/2019	53.91	186.00	132.09	71.02%	50.61					-3.30	
Lonoke	O4N08W16DC0C1	34.9655833	-91.865000	225.00	155	2/22/2019	49.76	163.00	113.24	69.47%	49.77	49.55		0.01		-0.21	
Lonoke	O4N08W19BBB1	34.956389	-91.908611	300.00	34	2/22/2019	2.21	34.00	31.79	93.50%	5.00	3.85		2.79		1.64	
Lonoke	O4N08W28CC01	34.937222	-91.873611	240.00	137	2/22/2019	66.94	178.00	111.06	62.39%	67.01	65.86		0.07		-1.08	
Lonoke	O4N08W34ABD1	34.916633	-91.850083	258.00		2/22/2019	94.45	194.00	99.55	51.31%	93.51	93.42		-0.94		-1.03	
Lonoke	O4N08W33AD0A1	34.916833	-91.856944	257.00		2/22/2019	101.21	194.00	92.79	47.33%	102.87					1.66	
Lonoke	O4N08W33ADD1	34.929277	-91.850194	265.00		2/22/2019	107.22	184.00	76.78	41.73%	106.53	105.71		-0.99		-1.51	
Lonoke	O4N08W36DBB1	34.927778	-91.820556	259.00	130	2/22/2019	98.40	184.00	85.60	46.52%	97.56	97.09	92.78	-0.84	-1.31	-5.62	
														Average % Saturated:	41.18%	Wells in Decline:	18
														Min % Saturated:	1.08%	Total Wells:	24
														Max % Saturated:	93.50%	Average Change:	-0.89

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Phillips	01501E20DDB1	34.591389	-91.016111	185.00	114	3/14/2019	37.00	154.59	117.59	76.07%	34.80	25.00	-2.20		-12.00	
Phillips	01502E09CBB1	34.621667	-90.909167	185.00	110	3/26/2019	8.38	142.79	134.41	94.13%	16.90	13.30		8.52	4.92	
Phillips	01502E32BBC1	34.563889	-90.923389	200.00	120	3/14/2019	40.42	180.13	139.71	77.56%	44.00			3.58		
Phillips	01503E02ADD1	34.637506	-90.753056	200.00	120	4/9/2019	11.00	129.80	118.80	91.53%	14.60		11.00	3.60	0.00	
Phillips	01503E02CBB1	34.635333	-90.767778	200.00		3/27/2019	10.01	139.00	128.99	92.80%			13.00		2.99	
Phillips	01503E10ABB1	34.628056	-90.776111	205.00	120	4/24/2019	10.16	140.80	130.64	92.78%	15.00		14.00	4.84	3.84	
Phillips	01503E20BDD1	34.592500	-90.812778	210.00	120	3/13/2019	16.50	151.00	134.50	89.07%	18.30			1.80		
Phillips	01503E26BBB1	34.597778	-90.753056	220.00	120	3/27/2019	32.42	153.00	120.58	78.81%						
Phillips	01504E05DCD1	34.633889	-90.697500	230.00	120	3/27/2019	42.33	146.90	104.57	71.18%	46.00	55.11	52.20	3.67	12.78	
Phillips	02501E23CAC1	34.501111	-90.978333			3/26/2019	15.86	148.00	132.14	89.28%						
Phillips	02501E28CCB1	34.487778	-91.016111	174.00	108	3/26/2019	15.46	143.50	128.04	89.23%		19.27			3.81	
Phillips	02502E29DDD1	34.483611	-90.912222	180.00	125	4/9/2019	19.58	150.65	131.07	87.00%	23.70		22.00	4.12	2.42	
Phillips	02503E15ACD1	34.482778	-90.779444	115	2/20/2019	8.99	150.65	141.66	94.03%	12.05			20.70	3.06		
Phillips	02503E4BCD1	34.492222	-90.667722	179.00	175	3/18/2019	18.92	122.44	103.52	84.55%	19.30		8.60	0.38	-10.32	
Phillips	02504E27AAC1	34.478056	-90.711389	175.00	120	3/27/2019	6.59	85.78	79.19	92.32%						
Phillips	03503E02DDD1	34.451667	-90.751111	175.00		3/27/2019	21.35	120.60	99.25	82.30%			23.10		1.75	
Phillips	03503E04DAA1	34.459722	-90.786111	171.00		3/27/2019	19.03	120.17	101.14	84.16%			21.62	2.59	1.67	
Phillips	03504E02CAA1	34.414444	-90.710000	104		3/27/2019	8.08	121.81	113.73	93.37%	9.00			0.92		
Phillips	04501E01AAD1	34.377222	-90.950000	156.00	120	4/9/2019	11.33	120.00	108.67	90.56%	12.90		12.00	1.57	0.67	
Phillips	04501E4CDD1	34.337222	-90.976944	155.00	120	4/24/2019	7.83	117.42	109.59	93.33%	10.00		10.50	2.17	2.67	
Phillips	04502E01DBB1	34.372222	-90.848056	163.00		4/24/2019	15.50	118.73	103.23	86.95%	15.50		11.50	0.00	-4.00	

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Prairie	01N05W02BB1	34.743989	-91.514481	218.00	150	5/28/2019	123.65	145.00	21.35	14.72%							
Prairie	01N06W05CCB1	34.731111	-91.680278	220.00	155	4/9/2019	119.19	157.04	37.85	24.10%	118.22	120.91	119.00	-0.97	1.72	-0.19	
Prairie	01N06W26CDD1	34.670556	-91.618611	218.00	105	4/9/2019	105.86	142.97	37.11	25.96%	104.23	105.44	99.70	-1.63	-0.42	-6.16	
Prairie	01S04W28BDB1	34.589444	-91.441389	205.00	112	4/9/2019	97.90	137.33	39.43	28.71%	97.22	98.45	98.00	-0.68	0.55	0.10	
Prairie	01S05W14BBC1	34.632278	-91.518889	211.00	118	4/9/2019	209.16	150.17	41.01	27.31%	109.17	108.90	101.01	0.01	-0.26		
Prairie	01S05W31DDA1	34.571111	-91.575278	206.00	120	4/9/2019	100.17	137.31	37.14	27.05%	99.86	93.36	-0.31	-6.81			
Prairie	01S06W12BA1	34.640556	-91.603611	228.00		4/9/2019	116.56	156.88	40.32	25.70%	117.07	118.38	119.17	0.51	1.82	2.61	
Prairie	02N05W24BcA3	34.783056	-91.493611	225.00		4/10/2019	89.30	144.00	54.70	37.99%					2.98		
Prairie	02N05W28CBB1	34.777911	-91.496569	225.00	140	5/28/2019	99.57	144.00	44.43	30.85%							
Prairie	02N05W35DB1	34.750711	-91.506689	220.00	165	5/28/2019	112.28	145.00	32.72	22.57%							
Prairie	02N06W22BCD1	34.781389	-91.636667	234.00	127	2/20/2019	114.35	153.00	38.65	25.26%	114.40	114.61		0.05	0.26		
Prairie	02N06W24CAA1	34.780833	-91.597500	233.00		4/9/2019	118.45	148.00	29.55	19.97%			118.99	120.51	0.54	2.06	
Prairie	02S06W14BBB1	34.536944	-91.624722	201.00	105	4/9/2019	78.05	116.00	37.95	32.72%				65.00		-13.05	
Prairie	03N05W03BDD2	34.912222	-91.520833	207.00	110	4/10/2019	62.31	108.00	45.69	42.31%	61.20		64.20	-1.11	1.89		
Prairie	03N05W03CB1	34.910369	-91.528850	200.00	110	5/28/2019	91.11	115.00	23.89	20.77%							
Prairie	03N06W10CB1	34.886608	-91.635400	216.00	120	5/28/2019	75.17	113.00	37.83	33.48%							
Prairie	04N04W07ADC1	34.980833	-91.458889	195.00	110	4/16/2019	17.60	92.00	74.40	80.87%			22.78	23.10	5.18	5.50	
Prairie	04N05W07CDC2	34.979839	-91.578106	211.00	115	4/10/2019	79.13	108.97	29.84	27.38%							
Prairie	04N05W31DDC1	34.920278	-91.568056	206.00	104	4/10/2019	78.69	115.94	37.25	32.13%			79.81		1.12		
										Average % Saturated:	30.52%	Wells in Decline:					5
										Min % Saturated:	14.72%	Total Wells:					8
										Max % Saturated:	80.87%	Average Change:					-0.52
										Wells in Decline:					-0.90		
Pulaski	01N10W29DC1	34.680339	-92.102050	246.00	90	5/15/2019	11.98	121.00	109.02	90.10%						3	
Pulaski	01S10W19CDC1	34.608489	-92.130739	239.00	91	5/15/2019	14.72	102.00	87.28	85.57%						8	
Pulaski	01S11W22AB1	34.619989	-92.181608	233.00	120	5/15/2019	17.10	97.00	79.90	82.37%							
										Average % Saturated:	86.01%	Wells in Decline:					0
										Min % Saturated:	82.37%	Total Wells:					0
										Max % Saturated:	90.10%	Average Change:					0

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White	05N07W09AAA1	35.079722	-91.744722	205.00	30	3/21/2019	4.06	76.00	71.94	94.66%	10.11	10.76	13.00	6.05	6.70	8.94		
White	05N07W10CC1	35.066944	-91.743056	203.00	80	3/21/2019	7.85	97.00	89.15	91.91%	7.82	8.22	10.00	-0.03	0.37	2.15		
White	06N06W04AAD1	35.176944	-91.644167	217.00		3/21/2019	23.27	89.00	65.73	73.35%			41.40			18.13		
White	06N06W18BBC1	35.147500	-91.697500	210.00		3/21/2019	7.52	15.00	7.48	49.87%	9.18	10.95	15.20	1.66	3.43	7.68		
White	06N07W17DC1	35.139167	-91.776111	217.00	90	3/21/2019	6.62	51.00	44.38	87.02%	8.80	9.48		2.18		2.86		
White	06N08W13ABA1	35.151944	-91.807222	228.00	60	3/21/2019	5.15	50.00	44.85	89.70%		6.45	9.90		1.30	4.75		
White	07N05W32BAB1	35.193611	-91.566611	213.00	80	3/21/2019	22.16	112.00	89.84	80.21%		26.83	27.20		4.67	5.04		
										Average % Saturated:	81.03%			Wells In Decline:	1	0		
									Min % Saturated:	49.87%			Total Wells:	4	6			
									Max % Saturated:	94.56%			Average Change:	2.47	3.22	7.78		
Woodruff	04N03W03ABA1	35.005556	-91.305278	185.00	100	4/16/2019	6.88	92.00	85.12	92.52%		11.60	20.60		4.72	13.72		
Woodruff	05N01W13DCC1	35.045000	-91.053056	210.00	190	4/17/2019	82.30	143.00	60.70	42.45%			77.50			-4.80		
Woodruff	05N02W20DBB1	35.035278	-91.123222	192.00		4/16/2019	12.12	96.00	83.88	87.38%			13.95			1.83		
Woodruff	05N04W12DBA1	35.073889	-91.369722	186.00	92	4/17/2019	2.99	86.00	83.01	96.52%		4.08	4.20			1.09	1.21	
Woodruff	06N01W11ABA1	35.162222	-91.065000	215.00		4/17/2019	68.54	137.00	68.46	49.97%		66.65				-1.89		
Woodruff	07N03W19AAA1	35.226389	-91.340278	202.59	100	4/23/2019	4.21	109.00	104.79	96.14%		9.42	11.30		5.21	7.09		
Woodruff	08N01W06DD1	35.341111	-91.129722	218.00		4/23/2019	47.00	131.00	84.00	64.12%		45.25	48.00		-1.75	1.00		
Woodruff	08N02W31DD1	35.269722	-91.236389	194.55	40	4/23/2019	-1.03	110.00	111.03	100.94%		3.06	8.10		4.09	9.13		
Woodruff	08N03W04BBB1	35.357778	-91.321944	221.00		4/23/2019	12.19	125.00	112.81	90.25%		16.57	18.70		4.38	6.51		
Woodruff	09N03W29AAD1	35.382778	-91.322500	220.00		4/23/2019	16.12	120.00	103.88	86.57%								
									Average % Saturated:	80.58%			Wells In Decline:	0	2			
								Min % Saturated:	42.45%			Total Wells:	0	8				
								Max % Saturated:	100.94%			Average Change:	2.21	2.21	4.84			

Total Wells in Decline:	77	63	58
Total Wells:	165	198	205
Percent of Total Wells in Decline:	46.67%	31.82%	28.29%
Total Average Change:	0.28	1.40	2.24

Appendix B

Sparta/Memphis Aquifer Water Level Monitoring Data

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Arkansas	02S04W06CDB1	124SPRT	34.553056	-91.480278	212	840	151.73	151.1	174.6	160.98	-0.63	22.87	9.25
Arkansas	02S04W23DAA1	124SPRT	34.512222	-91.398333	208	790	138.05	135.85	150.7	141.41	-2.20	12.65	3.36
Arkansas	02S04W23BBB1	124SPRT	34.489444	-91.450556	205	781	154.3	167.1	177.8	166.79	12.80	23.50	12.49
Arkansas	02S05W24ABC1	124SPRT	34.490278	-91.529722	216	758	171.03	176.65	185.3		5.62	14.27	
Arkansas	02S05W35AAB1	124SPRT	34.491667	-91.509444	216	761	165.49	171.33		176.73	5.84		11.24
Arkansas	03S04W02CCB1	124SPRT	34.463056	-91.416111	202	721	145.2		155.2	149.71		10.00	4.51
Arkansas	03S04W33BAA1	124SPRT	34.401667	-91.443611	201	878	146.97	146.95	164.5		-0.02	17.53	
Arkansas	03S05W02AAB1	124SPRT	34.478333	-91.509167	210	801	162.27	165.25	176.1	174.79	2.98	13.83	12.52
Arkansas	03S05W13BDC1	124SPRT	34.441944	-91.501111	210	910	158.98		178.6	174.57		19.62	15.59
Arkansas	03S05W15CBB1	124SPRT	34.442500	-91.541389	206	760	163.4	162.9	176.4	176.86	-0.50	13.00	13.46
Arkansas	03S05W18CAB1	124SPRT	34.441389	-91.550000	196	819	155.41		172.3	161.94		16.89	6.53
Arkansas	03S05W28DAB1	124SPRT	34.413056	-91.544444	204	832	158.33		176.8	173.68		18.47	15.35
Arkansas	04S04W11BCC1	124SPRT	34.365556	-91.416944	198	836	143.27	143.95	154.3	155.82	0.68	11.03	12.55
Arkansas	04S04W19CBB1	124SPRT	34.334167	-91.491111	195	1048	149.96	158.79	164.1	157.76	8.83	14.14	7.80
Arkansas	04S04W22DAA1	124SPRT	34.335000	-91.420833	195	800	145.48	145.49	161.5	158.64	0.42	16.02	13.16
Arkansas	04S05W01BAA1	124SPRT	34.389444	-91.498889	196	929	153.28	180.08	181.7	168.16	26.80	28.42	14.88
Arkansas	04S05W15AAA1	124SPRT	34.358889	-91.525833	201	791	157.06	166.01	179.4	169.79	8.95	22.34	12.73
Arkansas	04S05W36DCC1	124SPRT	34.297778	-91.500833	196	880	151.72	154.26		158.02	2.54		6.30
											No. Wells in Decline:	4	0
										Total Wells:	14	16	16
										Average Change:	6.82	17.54	11.42
Bradley	12S09W31CCB1	124SPRT	33.619722	-92.078889	231	846	187.69	182.3	185.8	196.99	-5.39	-1.89	9.30
Bradley	13S09W06ACA1	124SPRT	33.613056	-92.076944	201	953	162.95	154.27	163.5	207.48	-8.68	0.55	44.53
Bradley	13S09W06DBD1	124SPRT	33.605944	-92.068611	227		176.75	173.97	184.8		-2.78	8.05	
Bradley	13S11W17BCD1	124SPRT	33.581389	-92.268611	250	680	194.19	185.75	193.1	204.04	-8.44	1.09	9.85
Bradley	15S11W31DDD1	124SPRT	33.361667	-92.272500	131		96.38	97.36	100.2		0.98	3.82	
Bradley	16S12W21CAA1	124SPRT	33.310833	-92.347778	100	457	70.74	71.56	75.98	81.12	0.82	5.24	10.38
										No. Wells in Decline:	4	2	0
									Total Wells:	6	6	4	
									Average Change:	-3.91	2.45	18.52	

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Craighead	13N05E22BAD1	12405MP	35.746944	-90.545278	227	8.9	12.32				3.42		
Crittenden	09N07E21BBBB1 near Heafer	12405MP	35.394783	-90.358514	216	604	24.39	25.36	25.69	26.17	0.97	1.30	1.78
Dallas	07S15W33DACL	124SPRT	34.067722	-92.631111	475		21.15		26				
Dallas	07S16W20CAB1	124SPRT	34.099722	-92.761389	322	37.6	21.63	24.2	27.9	26.95	2.57	6.27	5.32
Dallas	08S15W34BDC1	124SPRT	33.981389	-92.616111	240	35.5	7.37	26.73		26.32	19.36		18.95
Dallas	08S16W27DDD1	124SPRT	33.993056	-92.718611	272	154	31.24	32.19	32.7	33.29	0.95	1.46	2.05
Dallas	09S13W35CCD1	124SPRT	33.885833	-92.403611	200	401	70.49		71.47				0.98
Dallas	09S16W19CAA1	124SPRT	33.934722	-92.783611	260	28.2	4.71	5.8	7.9	7.25	1.09	3.19	2.54
Dallas	10S13W34ACA2	124SPRT	33.808056	-92.415833	272	888	148.6	151.01	151.9	151.08	2.41	3.30	2.48
Dallas	10S15W18BCC1	124SPRT	33.855278	-92.688889	328	167	75.21	75.51	77.9	76.44	0.30	2.69	1.23
							No. Wells in Decline:			0	0	0	
							Total Wells:			6	6	6	
							Average Change:			3.63	4.79	4.79	
Grant	03S13W12AAA1	124SPRT	34.479444	-92.351667	361	200	128.79	131.3	134.47	2.51	2.51	5.68	
Grant	05S13W07ADB1	124SPRT	34.302778	-92.446944	270	452	77.75		79.53			1.78	
							No. Wells in Decline:			0	0		
							Total Wells:			1	2		
							Average Change:			2.51	3.73		
Hot Spring	05S16W35ACA1	124SPRT	34.249722	-92.697500	342	54.5	31.85		36.45	35.47	4.60	3.62	
Jefferson	05S08WADB1	124SPRT	34.247867	-91.911167	197	753	268.51	273.52	281.57	269.14	5.01	13.06	0.63

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Lonoke	01N07W03BBC1	124SPRT	34.740278	-91.750833	223	285	138.41	137.57	138.21	131.94	-0.84	-0.20	-6.47
Lonoke	01N07W04BBB1	124SPRT	34.745531	-91.768969	224	280	146.62						
Lonoke	02N07W09AAA1	124SPRT	34.818333	-91.750000	232	568	106.84	104.55	104.1	100.58	-2.29	-2.74	-6.26
Lonoke	02N07W22DBA1	124SPRT	34.780833	-91.740278	227	250	141.68	141.37	138.9	134.45	-0.31	-2.78	-7.23
Lonoke	02N07W24DAC1	124SPRT	34.783889	-91.696944	231	321	153.02		172.9	152.69		19.88	-0.33
Lonoke	02N07W32DDD1	124SPRT	34.744667	-91.771667	226	277	148.01	145.34	148.6	142.3	-2.67	0.59	-5.71
Lonoke	03N07W03CAA1	12405MP	34.912472	-91.740639	235	212	83.98	86.35	84.52	80.55	2.37	0.54	-3.43
Lonoke	03N08W22DAD2	12405MP	34.867939	-91.839964	235	310	102.43	102.35	102.05	99.48	-0.08	-0.38	-2.95
Lonoke	03N08W22DAD3	12405MP	34.867778	-91.84	235	209	111.16	100.22	100.57	97.68	-10.94	-10.59	-13.48
											No. Wells in Decline:	4	3
											Total Wells:	4	5
											Average Change:	-1.53	2.95
											No. Wells in Decline:	4	5
											Total Wells:	4	5
											Average Change:	-1.53	2.95
											No. Wells in Decline:	4	5
											Total Wells:	4	5
											Average Change:	-1.53	2.95
Ouachita	11515W27ABD1	124SPRT	33.744444	-92.623611	200	318	69	67.77	69.47	70.76	-1.23	0.47	1.76
Ouachita	11518W20AAA1	124SPRT	33.770556	-92.966389	301	55.8	43.65	43.64	34.68	43.08	-0.01	-8.97	-0.57
Ouachita	12515W09BBA1	124SPRT	33.705000	-92.653889	213	290	48.72	49.98	53.98	58.57	1.26	5.26	9.85
Ouachita	12516W25BDC1	124SPRT	33.658056	-92.702778	140		24.22		29.82	34.48		5.60	10.26
Ouachita	12516W26ABD1	124SPRT	33.662500	-92.717778	134	250	18.06	20.78	18.97	35.57	2.72	0.91	17.51
Ouachita	12518W25CAB1	124SPRT	33.660278	-92.911389	187	160	77.7	77.6	78.35	80.41	-0.10	0.65	2.71
Ouachita	12519W09BAB1	124SPRT	33.714167	-93.064167	290	35	6.99	10.38	12.95	10.88	3.39	5.96	3.89
Ouachita	12519W35BDD1	124SPRT	33.650278	-93.029167	350	175	155.79	156.82	159.8	157.61	1.03	4.01	1.82
Ouachita	13516W28ADD1	124SPRT	33.571111	-92.747222	106	190	22.56	25.17	25.53	34.19	2.61	2.97	11.63
Ouachita	13518W06BBA1	124SPRT	33.638611	-93.001667	283		113.69	114.26	115.55	114.94	0.57	1.86	1.25
Ouachita	13518W31BDD1	124SPRT	33.561944	-92.998889	242	228	60.13	70.62	70.7	72.04	10.49	10.57	11.91
Ouachita	14516W32BDB1	124SPRT	33.470833	-92.777500	231	69	9.63	19.94	21.64	24.31	10.31	12.01	14.68
Ouachita	14517W02ABB1	124SPRT	33.547778	-92.823889	120	278	16.10	19.71	17.53	17.80	3.61	1.43	1.70
Ouachita	14517W05CAD1	124SPRT	33.543889	-92.881667	157	233	34.16	35.92	37.31	37.40	1.76	3.15	3.24
Ouachita	14517W19DBB1	124SPRT	33.500000	-92.895833	259	99	11.20	13.06	12.56	12.71	1.86	1.36	1.51
Ouachita	14517W32CAD1	124SPRT	33.467778	-92.880833	220	301	73.45	74.80	78.39	79.50	1.35	4.94	6.05
Ouachita	14519W29ABB1	124SPRT	33.495000	-93.086944	280	250	87.83	88.13	90.44	89.04	0.30	2.61	1.21
Ouachita	15515W32DBB2	124SPRT	33.375833	-92.671467	119	500	139.90	143.52	153.00	170.03	3.62	13.10	30.13
Ouachita	15516W23DAC1	124SPRT	33.404167	-92.720278	170	493	112.42	113.84	120.80	127.23	1.42	8.38	14.81
Ouachita	15518W36ADD1	124SPRT	33.386111	-92.910000	160	220	85.95	86.87	89.96	95.24	0.92	4.01	9.29
Ouachita	15519W21CDD2	124SPRT	33.410278	-93.075278	280	300	185.08	186.67	188.10	199.76	1.59	3.02	14.68
Ouachita	15516W30DBD1	124SPRT	33.392222	-92.791389	137	125.39	186.73						
											No. Wells in Decline:	3	1
											Total Wells:	21	22
											Average Change:	5.18	6.57

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Poynsett	11N02E02AAA1	124SPRT	35.622539	-90.840561	245	284	123.35						
Poynsett	11N02E10ABB1	124SPRT	35.605159	-90.864850	245		125.33						
Poynsett	11N02E11BDC1 near Weiner	12405MP	35.601528	-90.851944	244	478	122.76	122.25	119.54		-0.51	-3.22	
Poynsett	11N02E14BBB1	124SPRT	35.59700	-90.856900	244	240	116.64						
Poynsett	Un-84 Truxno	12405MP	35.946389	-90.404722	212		251.03	251.94			0.91		
											No. Wells in Decline:	1	1
											Total Wells:	2	1
											Average Change:	0.20	
Prairie	01N05W19CDC1	124SPRT	34.685944	-91.584444	212	522	141.59	155.55		141.08	13.96	-0.51	
Prairie	01N06W02ABB1	124SPRT	34.744444	-91.616111	223	431	119.35	118.06		117.17	-1.29	-2.18	
Prairie	01S05W06BCB1	124SPRT	34.650833	-91.591944	220	616	150.34	163.93	168.60	154.53	13.59	4.19	
Prairie	01S05W20ABB1	124SPRT	34.610833	-91.564444	220	632	151.71	159.90		152.27	8.19	0.56	
Prairie	01S06W01BDD2	124SPRT	34.649722	-91.603611	226	609	156.16	162.01	165.00		5.85	8.84	
Prairie	01S06W11DBD1	124SPRT	34.630000	-91.615000	226	618	160.78	170.77	170.70	161.40	9.99	9.92	0.62
Prairie	01S06W12BAB2	124SPRT	34.640556	-91.640556	228		159.13		168.10	158.26		8.97	-0.87
Prairie	02N04W19ACB1	124SPRT	34.780278	-91.466944	211	482	50.47			58.54		8.07	
Prairie	02N05W21CBB2	12405MP	34.780278	-91.550000	227	160	111.01		110.89	109.29		-0.12	-1.72
Prairie	02N06W04DBB1	12405MP	34.824444	-91.647778	234	245	107.9		117.60	101.96		9.70	-5.94
Prairie	02N06W20BCB1	124SPRT	34.785000	-91.675556	236	330	152.82	160.90	157.10	141.86		4.28	-10.96
Prairie	02N06W21DAD1	124SPRT	34.773889	-91.641389	232	314	122.84	127.82	124.90	121.35		2.06	-1.49
Prairie	02N06W22BDD1	124SPRT	34.781389	-91.633333	233	451	120.46	127.81	127.70	128.97	7.35	7.24	8.51
Prairie	02N06W24CAA2	124SPRT	34.780833	91.597500	231	535	118.02	117.96	119.23	115.10	-0.06	1.21	-2.92
Prairie	04N06W33ABA1	124SPRT	34.933889	91.643261	220	152	87.08				No. Wells in Decline:	2	1
											Total Wells:	10	10
											Average Change:	7.04	

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Union	16S14W15CAB1	124SPRT	33.3288889	-92.538056	94	466	111.69	113.71	134.00	152.73	2.02	22.31	41.04
Union	16S14W34CBC1	124SPRT	33.283611	-92.541389	150		228.73	246.20	257.20		17.47	28.47	
Union	16S15W20DAA1	124SPRT	33.316389	-92.665833	190	603	223.30	228.70	251.30	252.98	5.40	28.00	29.68
Union	16S15W31ACCI	124SPRT	33.288056	-92.691111	168	630	217.72	219.77	243.80	259.78	2.05	26.08	42.06
Union	16S16W02ABC1	124SPRT	33.368056	-92.725000	116	552	132.20	136.07	146.80	158.63	3.87	14.60	26.43
Union	16S18W34ABC2	124SPRT	33.301389	-92.952500	248	465	201.70	194.03	208.80	211.24	-7.67	7.10	9.54
Union	17S13W31BAC1	124SPRT	33.200000	-92.487500	216	772	211.99	259.35	243.10	303.27	47.36	31.11	96.28
Union	17S14W10DCC1	124SPRT	33.2488889	-92.534167	180	300	87.17	89.62	91.49	99.27	2.45	4.32	12.10
Union	17S14W15ABA1	124SPRT	33.247222	-92.533611	180	250	86.94	89.24	71.76	97.91	2.30	-15.18	10.97
Union	17S14W22BAB1	124SPRT	33.231667	-92.540000	201	607.2	251.98	255.20	272.30		3.22	20.32	
Union	17S15W06BAA1	124SPRT	33.279167	-92.695000	168	630	191.90	199.13	215.20	231.03	7.23	23.30	39.13
Union	17S15W08CDD1	124SPRT	33.251389	-92.674167	174.92	667	236.65	237.33	259.40	279.20	0.68	22.75	42.55
Union	17S15W18DBB1	124SPRT	33.243889	-92.693389	182.93	540	248.10	249.67	275.90	295.76	1.57	27.80	47.66
Union	17S15W28DBA1	124SPRT	33.212778	-92.652500	235	668	292.10	296.19	319.20	334.12	4.09	27.10	42.02
Union	17S15W28DCC1	124SPRT	33.210278	-92.655833	285	754	343.63	354.95	366.90	426.09	11.32	23.27	82.46
Union	17S15W31DCA1	124SPRT	33.195556	-92.687778	272	753	343.85	343.66	384.10	380.73	-0.19	40.25	36.88
Union	17S15W31DCB1	124SPRT	33.196958	-92.690836	258		99.47	100.66			1.19		
Union	17S15W33ABB1	124SPRT	33.206389	-92.659444	267		335.38	335.86	360.10		0.48	24.72	
Union	17S15W36BAB1	124SPRT	33.204722	-92.607778	245		306.28	320.56	329.20		14.28	22.92	
Union	17S16W01BAA1	124SPRT	33.280278	-92.708889	157		222.90	224.06	250.90	268.10	1.16	28.00	45.20
Union	17S17W25DBA2	124SPRT	33.215556	-92.810278	250	648	290.89	292.73	313.40	328.58	1.84	22.51	37.69
Union	17S17W30DCD1	124SPRT	33.216667	-92.898889	280	690	278.75	276.76	288.60	325.07	-1.99	9.85	46.32
Union	18S12W33BBB1	124SPRT	33.114444	-92.352778	112	466	127.19	122.30	140.80	136.20	-4.89	13.61	9.01
Union	18S12W33CBC1	124SPRT	33.105000	-92.353611	112		115.82	115.38	112.40		-0.44	-3.42	
Union	18S13W16ADD1	124SPRT	33.154167	-92.442778	205		181.29	183.36	177.40		2.07	-3.89	
Union	18S14W06CCD1	124SPRT	33.177778	-92.591944	225	783	294.00	280.28	340.50	339.28	-13.72	46.50	45.28
Union	18S15W03DAB2 Welcome Cen	124SPRT	33.185278	-92.633889	240		300.36	304.10			3.74		
Union	18S15W22DCD1	124SPRT	33.135410	-92.636266	188		203.32	207.37			4.05		
Union	18S15W33ADA1	124SPRT	33.116389	-92.649444	253	752	310.56	309.02	365.70	347.84	-1.54	55.14	37.28

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Union	18S16W11DACP1	124SPRT	33.169722	-92.721389	270	767	347.21	337.72	377.70	401.94	-9.49	30.49	54.73
Union	18S16W12ACD1	124SPRT	33.173056	-92.706667	284	229	344.79						
Union	18S16W28BBB1	124SPRT	33.135833	-92.765722	225	636	266.45	269.02	283.00	329.26	2.57	16.55	62.81
Union	18S17W22BDD1	124SPRT	33.148611	-92.848889	285	705	304.34	306.30	320.40	331.58	1.96	16.06	27.24
Union	18S18W11ACD2	124SPRT	33.180556	-92.937500	239		235.48	243.70	245.20	261.67	8.22	9.72	26.19
Union	19S10W16CBC1	124SPRT	33.058056	-92.150833	82	652	77.30	79.18	85.59	89.87	1.88	8.29	12.57
Union	19S11W23ACA1	124SPRT	33.048611	-92.207778	142	500	143.36	144.37	148.40	152.67	1.01	5.04	9.31
Union	19S11W25AAA1	124SPRT	33.038611	-92.186667	135	529	141.12	141.35	143.20	151.75	0.23	2.08	10.63
Union	19S12W13AAA1	124SPRT	33.069722	-92.287778	180	339	165.05	155.24	165.60	159.05	-9.81	0.55	-6.00
Union	19S15W01CCA1	124SPRT	33.092778	-92.612500	182	318	31.30	30.93	21.85	68.93	-0.37	-9.45	37.63
Union	19S16W35DDC1	124SPRT	33.019167	-92.723611	175	601	190.26	194.80	220.80	219.84	4.54	30.54	29.58
Union	19S17W16BAA1	124SPRT	33.081944	-92.864444	238		239.03	241.41	251.00		2.38	11.97	
Union	19S18W14ADA1	124SPRT	33.080833	-92.932778	260	380	185.33	186.58	188.90	192.15	1.25	3.57	6.82
											No. Wells in Decline:	10	4
											Total Wells:	41	31
											Average Change:	2.77	17.71
												33.91	

Total Wells in Decline:	35	17	17
Total Wells:	123	124	116
Percent of Total Wells in Decline:	28.46%	13.71%	14.66%
Total Average Change:	3.09	9.88	13.30