



# **Irrigation Infrastructure Renewal Projections - 2013/14 to 2046/47**

## **Report - Logan Tariff Group**

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## 1. Introduction

Seqwater owns and operates the following seven irrigation schemes:

- ▶ Central Lockyer WSS;
- ▶ Lower Lockyer WSS;
- ▶ Logan River WSS;
- ▶ Mary River WSS;
- ▶ Cedar Pocket WSS;
- ▶ Warrill Valley WSS; and
- ▶ Central-Brisbane WSS.

Seqwater also owns and operates a distribution system, the Morton Vale Pipeline.

There are nine tariff groups associated with these schemes.

To assist with the determination of price paths, a forecast of future renewal expenditure is required at the individual tariff group level.

The renewal projections have been developed, in accordance with the scope and methodology separately documented in the Methodology report. The projections have been developed in separate reports, one for each tariff group.

This report outlines the projections for the Logan Tariff group. It should be read in conjunction with the Methodology report.

## 2. Asset Information

### 2.1 Irrigation Infrastructure

A summary of Seqwater's irrigation infrastructure facilities and assets is provided in **Table 1** below.

**Table 1 Summary of Irrigation Infrastructure**

WSS Scheme	Tariff Group	Dams	Weirs	Off-Stream Storage	Other Key Assets
Logan	Logan	Maroon Dam	Bromelton Weir	NA	Gauging Stations, Flowmeters

A schematic drawing of the scheme is provided in Appendix A.

### 2.2 Relevant Asset Information

The following existing information was reviewed and where relevant, utilised to develop the renewal projections:

- ▶ Asset Register
- ▶ Annual, 5 Year and Comprehensive Dam Safety Reviews and Assessments
- ▶ Dams Weirs Valuations 2010
- ▶ Water Meter Upgrade Plan
- ▶ Draft WSS 20 Year Programme of Work 2008/09 – 2028/29
- ▶ 2011 Site Safety Assessments
- ▶ Extracts from Financial Asset Register
- ▶ 2009 Asset Valuation – Cardnos
- ▶ 2010 Asset Valuation – Dams & Weirs – Cardnos
- ▶ Maroon Dam Facility Asset Management Plan 2012

## 3. Projections

### 3.1 Summary

A summary of the renewal and refurbishment projections for the period 2013/14 – 2046/47 is provided in **Error! Reference source not found..**

Further details are provided in Appendix B.

It should be noted that all values are in \$2012-13.

### 3.2 Significant Projects

A list of projects that come under one of the following categories are outlined in Table 2 below:

- ▶ Scheduled between 2013/14 and 2016/17 financial years and having a project value greater than the average project value for that period; and
- ▶ A project that has an impact on the annuity of greater than 10%.

**Table 2      Significant Projects**

Asset	Description of Work	Timing of Work	Project Value	Signif.*
Bromelton Weir	Replacement of telemetry	2013/14	\$35k	HAV
Maroon Dam	Refurbishment of gantry and hoist	2013/14	\$40k	HAV
Maroon Dam	Replenishment of rip rap on dam wall embankment	2013/14	\$40k	HAV

Notes: \*Significance: HAV – Higher than Average Value (for period from 2013/14 to 2016/17) IA – Project has an impact on the annuity of greater than 10% (refer Section 3.3 for commentary)

Table 3 **Summary of Renewal Projections**

Parent Asset	Expenditure Forecast Each Year (\$k)																
	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26	2026/27	2027/28	2028/29	2029/30
Bromelton Weir	35	5	-	-	15	-	-	-	-	15	45	-	-	-	22	-	5
Logan Gauging Station	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Maroon Dam	130	10	-	-	70	-	15	15	20	20	-	45	20	-	-	-	75
Water Flowmeters	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	32	32	32	32
<b>Total</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>112</b>

Parent Asset	Expenditure Forecast Each Year (\$k)																
	2030/31	2031/32	2032/33	2033/34	2034/35	2035/36	2036/37	2037/38	2038/39	2039/40	2040/41	2041/42	2042/43	2043/44	2044/45	2045/46	2046/47
Bromelton Weir	-	-	15	35	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	-	15	45	5	-	-
Burnett Creek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Logan Gauging Station	-	-	52	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52	-	-	-	-
Maroon Dam	-	10	177	40	-	-	-	-	35	15	-	10	822	5	67	-	-
Water Flowmeters	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>921</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>32</b>

### 3.3 Additional Commentary

For some assets, the available asset data indicated the theoretical asset life was either expired or due to expire within the first four years. Where a site assessment was not able to verify the need to renew an asset within the first four years, the timing of the renewal was updated to occur beyond 2016/17 financial year. This was the case for the following assets:

- ▶ Maroon Dam electrical cables and cableways – useful life was extended based on assessment in FAMP.
- ▶ Maroon Dam electrical control and switchboard – renewals scheduled in FAMP after 2016/2017.
- ▶ Maroon Dam fences and gates - useful life was extended based on assessment in FAMP.
- ▶ Maroon Dam ventilation ducting, fan and motor - useful lives were extended based on assessment in FAMP.

Commentary on projects that have a higher than average project value includes:

- ▶ Replacement of telemetry equipment at Bromelton Weir as at end of useful asset life.
- ▶ Refurbishment of gantry and hoist at Maroon Dam according to condition and criticality assessment completed as part of the FAMP development process.
- ▶ Replenishment of rock rip rap on Maroon Dam embankment as assessed in Draft WSS 20 Year Programme of Work 2008/09 – 2028/29.

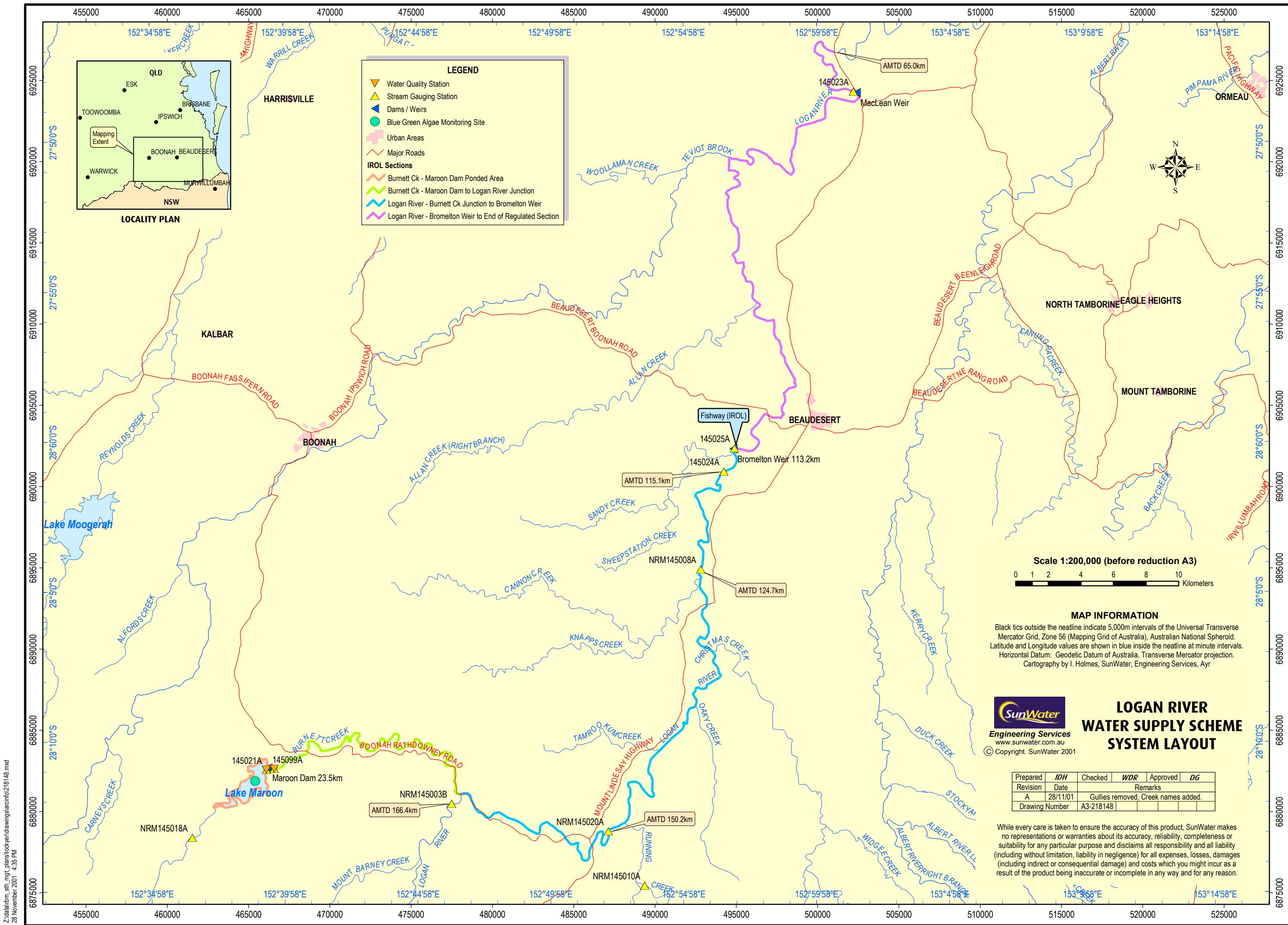
There were no projects identified in this scheme to have a greater than 10% impact on annuity.

There were no projects identified in this scheme to have a greater than 10% impact on annuity. For the forecasted renewal expenditure between 2013/14 and 2016/17, values were compared with Sunwater's renewals projections which were the basis of the SunWater irrigation prices for 2006/07 to 2010/11. When excluding the water meter upgrade costs which will be excluded from the annuity, it was noted the total value of Seqwater's renewal forecast was approximately 57% of Sunwaters. The difference is believed to be primarily due to:

- ▶ Seqwater projections being based on more up-to-date information.
- ▶ Seqwater projections include low expenditures in the period 2015/16 to 2016/17.

## Appendix A

# Water Supply Scheme Schematic



## Appendix B

# Renewal Projections

Parent Asset	Asset Details		Renewal Details		Comments	Costing Source	Expenditure Forecast Each Year (\$k)																																						
	Asset Description	Works Description	Comments	Costing Source			2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26	2026/27	2027/28	2028/29	2029/30	2030/31	2031/32	2032/33	2033/34	2034/35	2035/36	2036/37	2037/38	2038/39	2039/40	2040/41	2041/42	2042/43	2043/44	2044/45	2045/46	2046/47					
Bromelton Weir	Bromelton Weir Amtd 111.2km	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Bromelton Weir	Bromelton Weir Amtd 113.2km	Refurbish	Refurbish: Regrade Bromelton access road ; 3KM access in ascent	20yr WP	-						15	-																																	
Bromelton Weir	Fishladder	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Bromelton Weir	Concrete Works	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Bromelton Weir	Trashscreen	Replace	-	DW VAL 2010																																									
Bromelton Weir	Outlet Works	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Bromelton Weir	Outlet Works	Refurbish	Refurbish Valve - OWKS2	20yr WP	5																																		5						
Bromelton Weir	Baulks (3 Off)	Replace	-	DW VAL 2010																																									
Bromelton Weir	Concrete Works	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Bromelton Weir	Trashtracks (3 Off)	Replace	-	DW VAL 2010																																									
Bromelton Weir	600 Dia Gate Valve	-	-	-																																									
Bromelton Weir	Valve, 600Mm Gate John	Refurbish	Refurbish: Refurbish Valve	20yr WP	-																																		10						
Bromelton Weir	Valve, 600Mm Gate John	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Bromelton Weir	Gearbox,10:1 Eurodrive	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Bromelton Weir	Rockfill & Mattresses	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Bromelton Weir	Structure	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Bromelton Weir	Telemetry	Replace	-	DW VAL 2010	35																																		35						
Bromelton Weir	Water Level Recorder	Replace	-	DW VAL 2010	-																																								
Burnett Creek	Burnett Creek	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Burnett Creek	Access Crossing-Watson'S Xing	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Burnett Creek	Protection Works	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Burnett Creek	Structure- Headwalls And Pipes	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Logan Gauging Station	Gauging Stations-Logan River	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Maroon Dam	Maroon Dam	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Maroon Dam	Buildings (All)	-	-	-																																									
Maroon Dam	Core Shed	Replace	-	Est																																									
Maroon Dam	Fuel Store	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Maroon Dam	Garages, Workshop	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Maroon Dam	Office	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Maroon Dam	Piezometer Hut	Replace	-	FAMP	10																																								
Maroon Dam	Compound	-	-	-																																									
Maroon Dam	Electrical Services	-	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Maroon Dam	Cables & Cableways	Replace	-	FAMP	-																																								
Maroon Dam	Surveillance	Replace	-	FAMP	-																																								
Maroon Dam	Switchboard	Replace	-	FAMP	-																																								
Maroon Dam	Fencing (All)	Replace	-	-																																									
Maroon Dam	Fencing	Replace	-	Buss Case	-																																								
Maroon Dam	Gate	Replace	-	Est from site visit - distributor	-																																				25				
Maroon Dam	Float Well Recorder	Replace	-	FAMP	5																																			5					
Maroon Dam	Instrumentation	Replace	-	FAMP	15																																								
Maroon Dam	Surf Movement Monitor Points	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Maroon Dam	Telemetry	-	-	FAMP	-																																								
Maroon Dam	Intake & Outlet Works	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Maroon Dam	Intake & Outlet Works	Refurbish	Maroon Dam - refurbish concrete structure outlet	20yr WP	-																																								
Maroon Dam	Intake & Outlet Works	Refurbish	Regulating Valve 1 Assembly	FAMP	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-								
Maroon Dam	Guard valve refurbish	Replace	-	Guard valve refurbish	FAMP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-								
Maroon Dam	Regulation valve refurbish	Replace	-	Regulation valve refurbish	FAMP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-								
Maroon Dam	Conduit sour valve -	Replace	-	FAMP	-																																								
Maroon Dam	Conduit sour valve -	Replace	-	Operation Control Panel	-																																								
Maroon Dam	Intake Bulkhead Gate 1	-	-	-																																									
Maroon Dam	Gate, Bulkhead	Replace	-	Static Asset Data																																									
Maroon Dam	Intake Bulkhead Gate 2</td																																												

