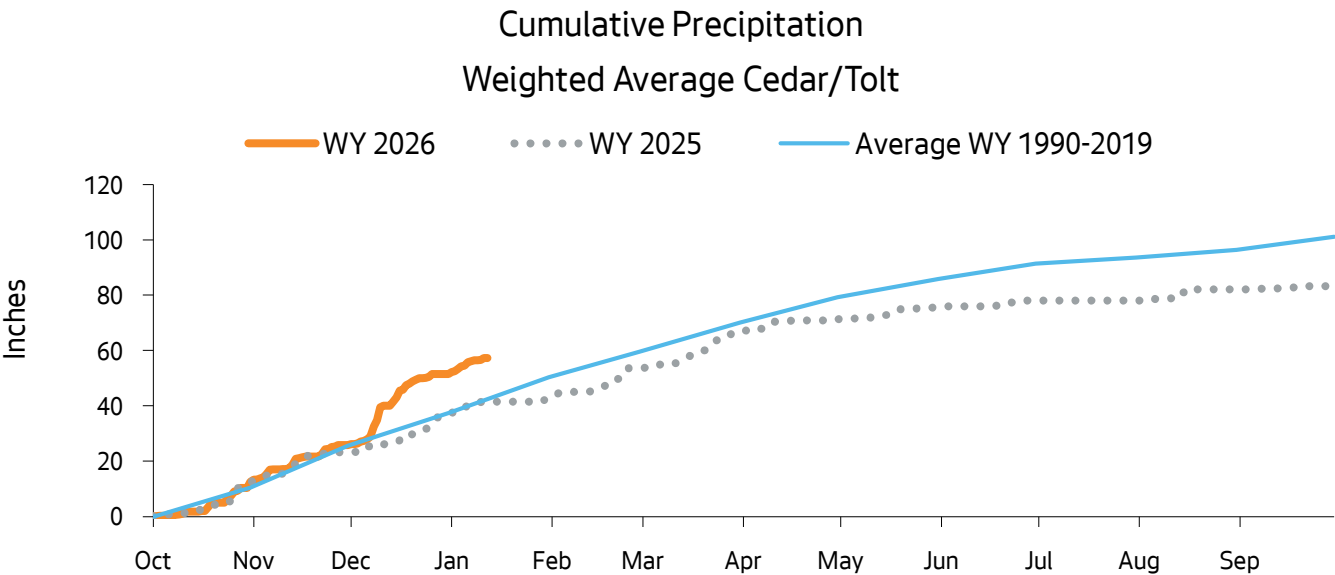
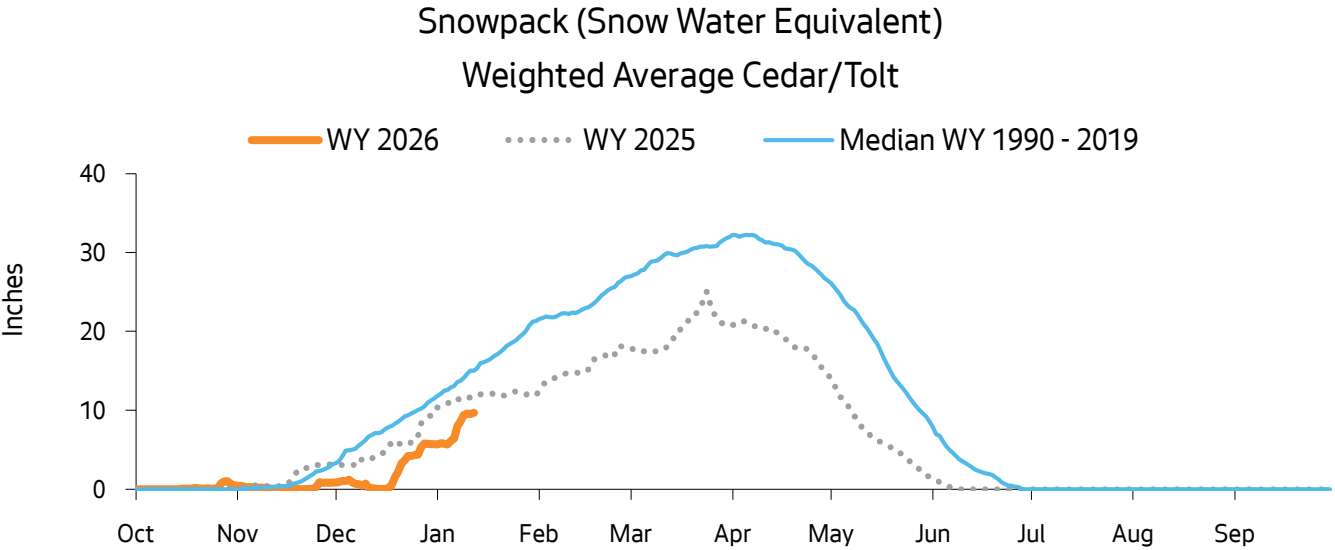


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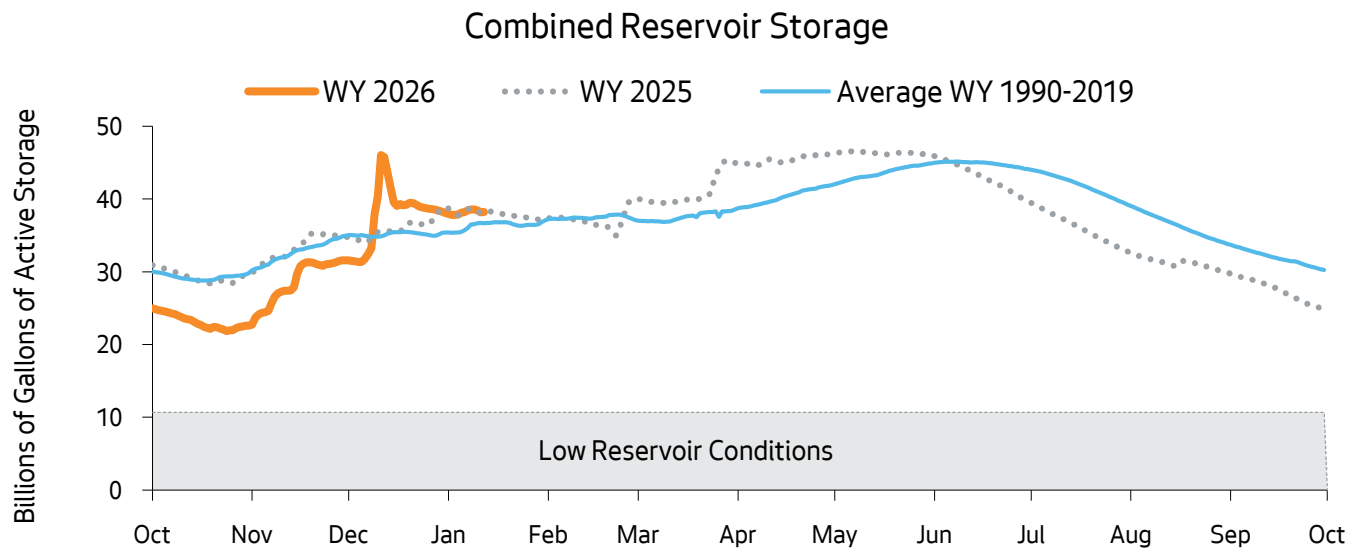


Precipitation was recorded in the Cedar River and South Fork Tolt River Watersheds over the past week.

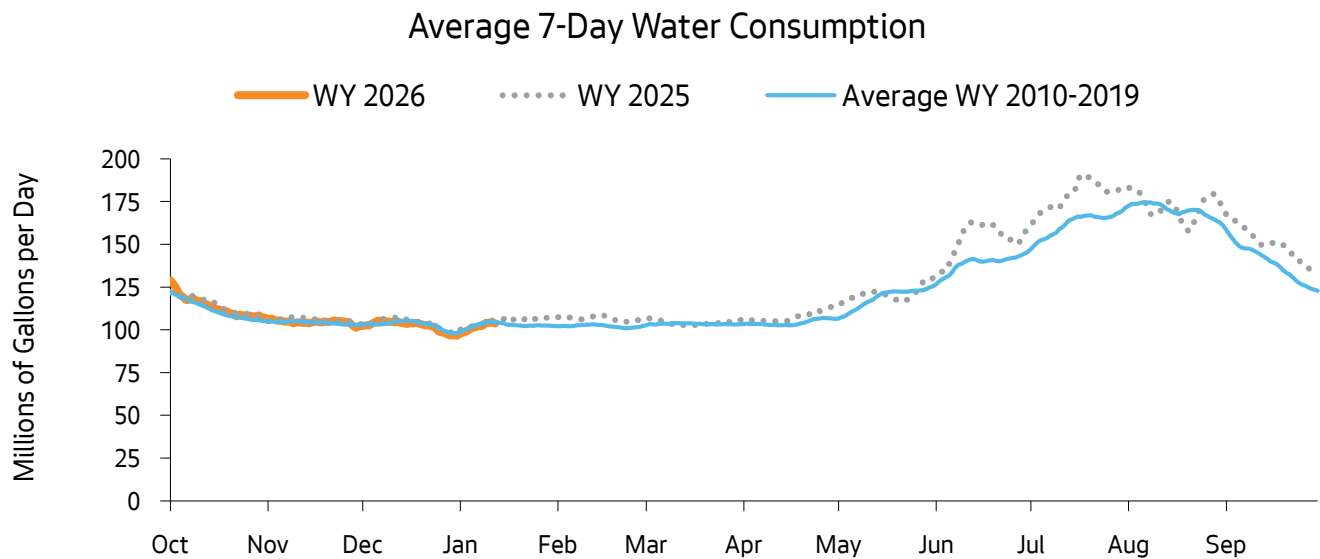


The average snow accumulation across the sites SPU monitors is estimated to be about 10 inches which is below the long-term average for this time of the year

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The combined reservoir storage of Chester Morse Lake, Masonry Pool, Lake Youngs, and South Fork Tolt Reservoir is above the long-term average for this time of the year.



Water use over the past week average about 104 million gallons per day (mgd). Water use during the same period over the years 2010-2019 averaged about 105 mgd.

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