

Loddon supply system consists of: Bealiba, Bridgewater, Dunolly, Inglewood, Jarklin, Laanecoorie, Serpentine and Tarnagulla.

All of our supply systems have different sources of water and supply constraints. Please ensure you read the update relevant to your town.

We welcome your feedback on these updates to ensure we are providing information that is relevant and useful. Send your suggestions and feedback to our postal address: 37-45 Bridge Street, Bendigo 3550 or e-mail to: publicaffairs@coliban.com.au

What we need for customer supply

Residential customers	Business and industry	Operational water**	Total (Megalitres)
150ML	70ML	110ML	330ML

Water needs for 12 months based on Stage 4 water restrictions.

For all current water restriction levels refer to - www.coliban.com.au

** Operational water includes all losses eg. evaporation, system losses, seepage and treatment process losses.

What we currently have access to

Loddon River bulk water entitlement*	Carry over water from last season	Temporary water purchased	Total (Megalitres)
410ML	0ML	0ML	410ML

* Under current Conversion Order 2005, Coliban Water has access to 50% of Bulk Entitlement allocation for Essential Human needs until 50% allocation to irrigators is reached. This 50% equates to 410ML.

Current volume extracted for 2008/2009 season

Town	Volumes (Megalitres)	
Bridgewater / Inglewood	117.3	
Jarklin	0.9	
Laanecoorie / Bealiba / Dunolly / Tarnagulla	63.6	
Serpentine^	9.6	Total available
Total	191.4	410ML

^Due to high salinity levels in the Serpentine Creek, a percentage of Serpentine's water is being carted from the Bendigo – Coliban Northern system

Additional water information

Bulk entitlement

Loddon River annual bulk entitlement volume	Current allocation
820ML	0%

Refer to Goulburn-Murray Water for latest allocation announcements.

Water restrictions outlook

Goulburn-Murray Water announced a zero allocation in the Loddon system on 15 January 2009.

	Water Restriction outlook	
	April	June
Wet	Stage 4	Stage 3
Average	Stage 4	Stage 4
Dry	Stage 4	Stage 4

These outlooks are based on allocation predictions from Goulburn-Murray Water.

Wet Inflow conditions that have 1 in 10 chance of being exceeded
Average Inflow conditions that have 5 in 10 chance of being exceeded
Dry Inflow conditions that have 9 in 10 chance of being exceeded