

# MEDIA RELEASE



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## WATER STORAGES FULL

Rainfall recorded at South Gippsland Waters storages last week was – Lance Creek 29mm, Ruby Creek 30mm, Coalition Creek 34mm, Deep Creek 37mm, Little Bass 32mm and Battery Creek 84mm.

Steve Evans, Managing Director of South Gippsland Water, said today, “All our reservoirs are full and the river systems are flowing well, this is an excellent position to be in at this time of the year, prior to the summer draw down. This is the first time that all our reservoirs have been full simultaneously since September 2004.”

South Gippsland Water will still continue to closely monitor all systems as the season progresses.

Reservoir	Major towns supplied	Capacity level %	Comments
Lance Creek	Wonthaggi, Inverloch and Cape Paterson	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Ruby Creek	Leongatha & surrounds	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Coalition Creek	Korumburra and surrounds	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Foster Dam – Deep Creek	Foster area	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Little Bass	Poowong, Nyora & Loch	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Battery Creek	Fish Creek	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures

River Systems	Major Town Supplied	Current Status
Tarwin	Meenyan, Dumbalk	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Agnes	Welshpool, Pt Welshpool, Toora, Pt Franklin	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Tarra	Yarram, Alberton, Port Albert	Permanent Water Saving Measures