Experimental Seasonal (Apr - Jul) CBRFC Forecast with direct insertion of estimated SWE from airborne lidar survey

Location: Dolores - Dolores (DOLC2)

Date of Flight: May 25, 2023

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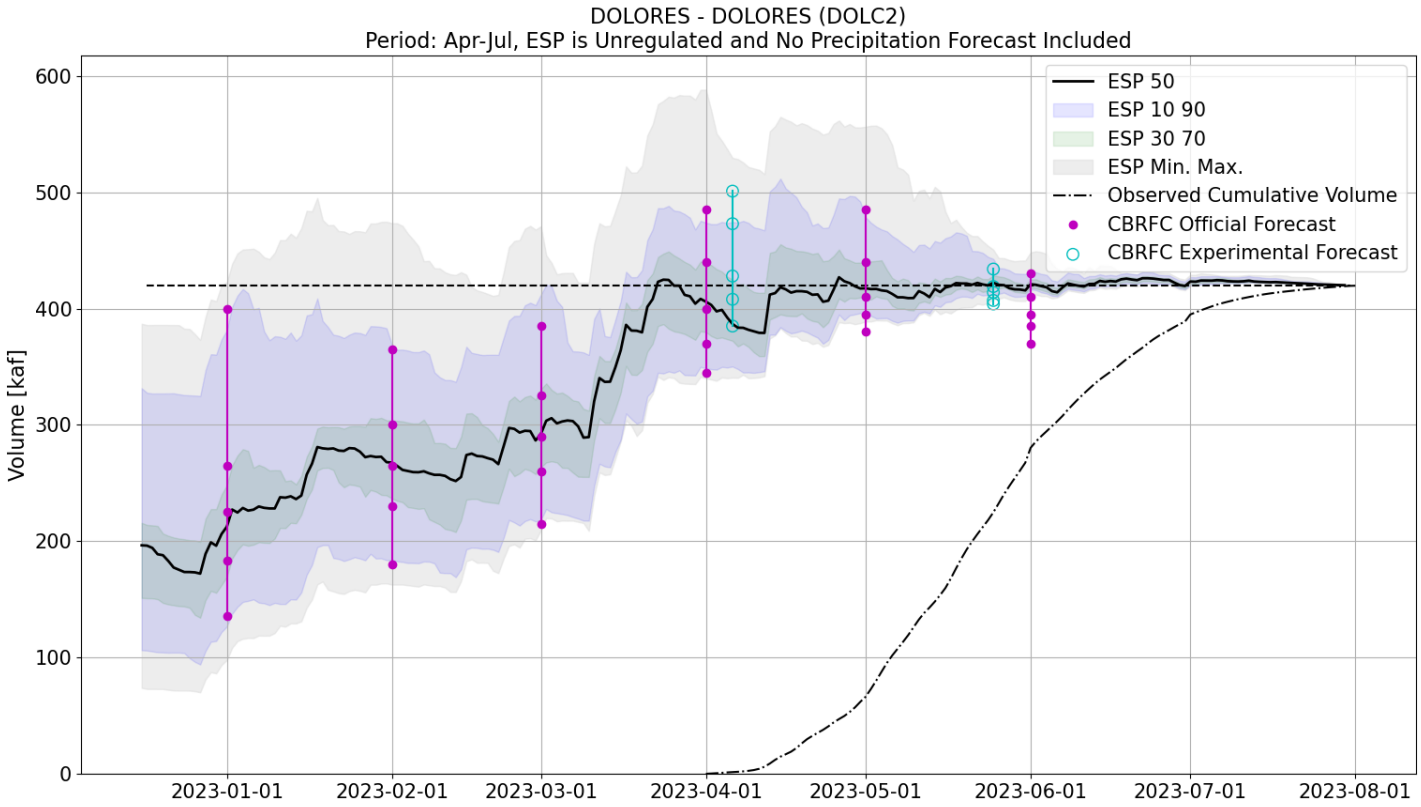

Forecast / Exceedance Value	ESP90	ESP70	ESP50	ESP30	ESP10
CBRFC Experimental Forecast 5/25/2023	404	407	414	419	434
CBRFC ESP Model Guidance 5/25/2023	413	418	422	429	443
April-July Observed Volume			420		

Probabilistic forecast volumes in thousands of acre-feet (kaf). Columns indicate exceedance values.

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