Long Term Precipitation Deficits Across South Central and Southeast CO

The end of January and February were relatively wet across portions of south central and southeast Colorado. However, long term precipitation deficits over the past two to three years are why moderate to exceptional drought conditions persist across the area. The following graphics depict precipitation totals from January of 2010 through February of 2013 across portions of south central and southeast Colorado. The green lines are accumulated precipitation with the brown lines indicating the normal value for each station, which is set back to zero at the beginning of each year.

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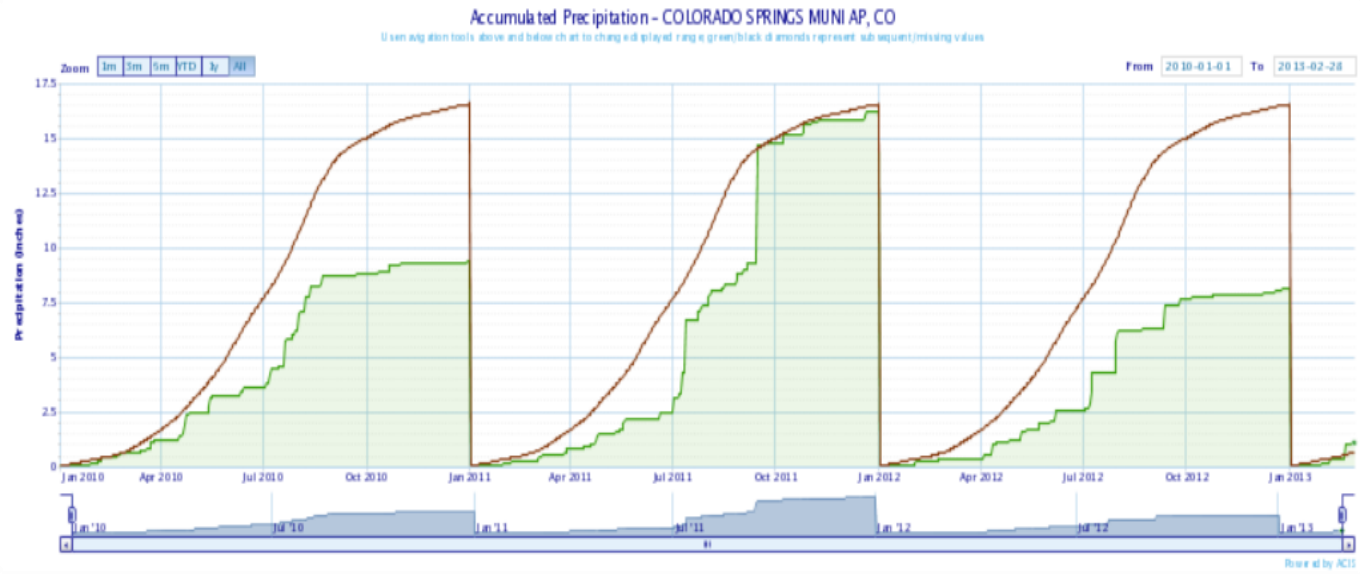
Jan 2010-Feb 2013 Precipitation



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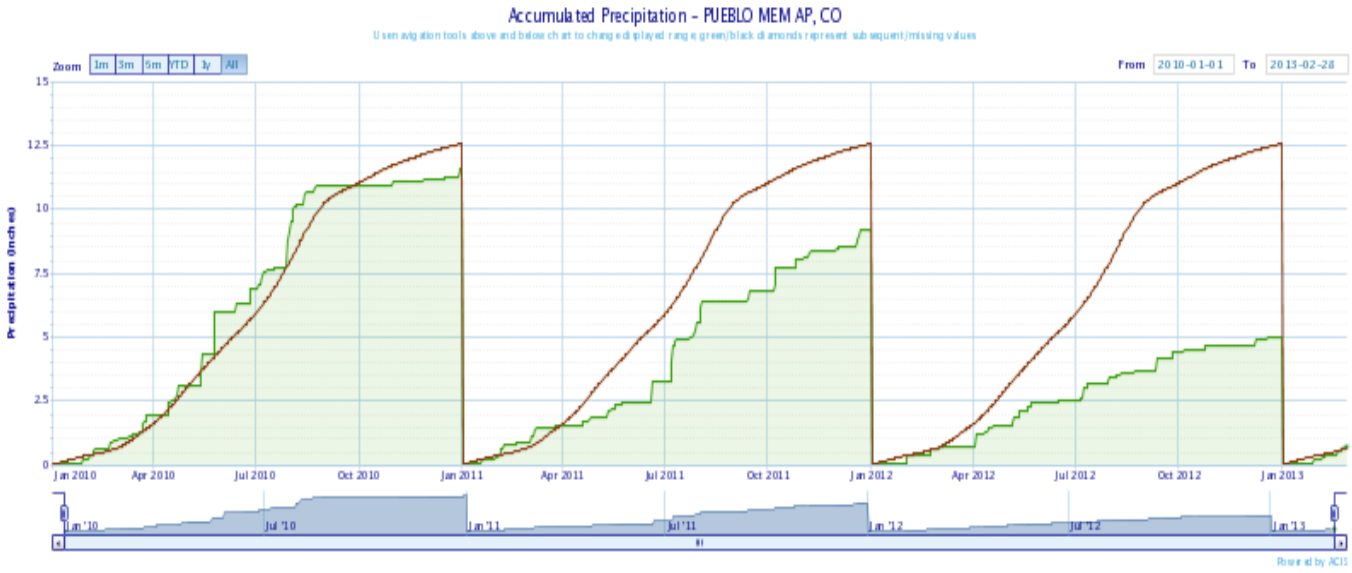

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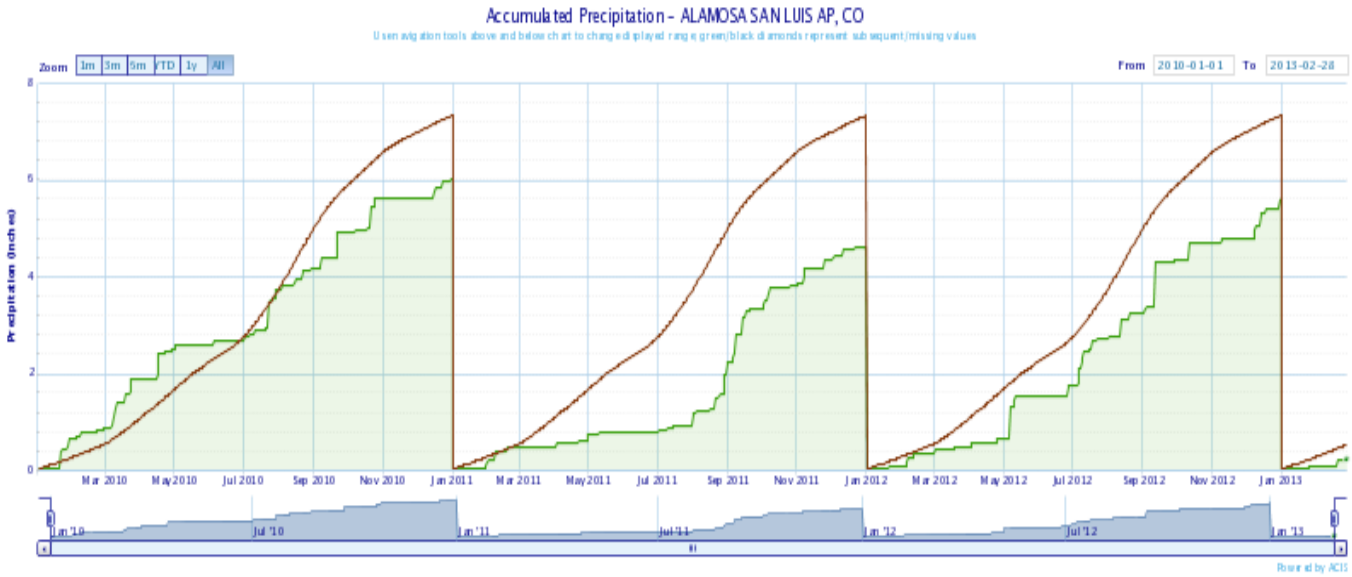

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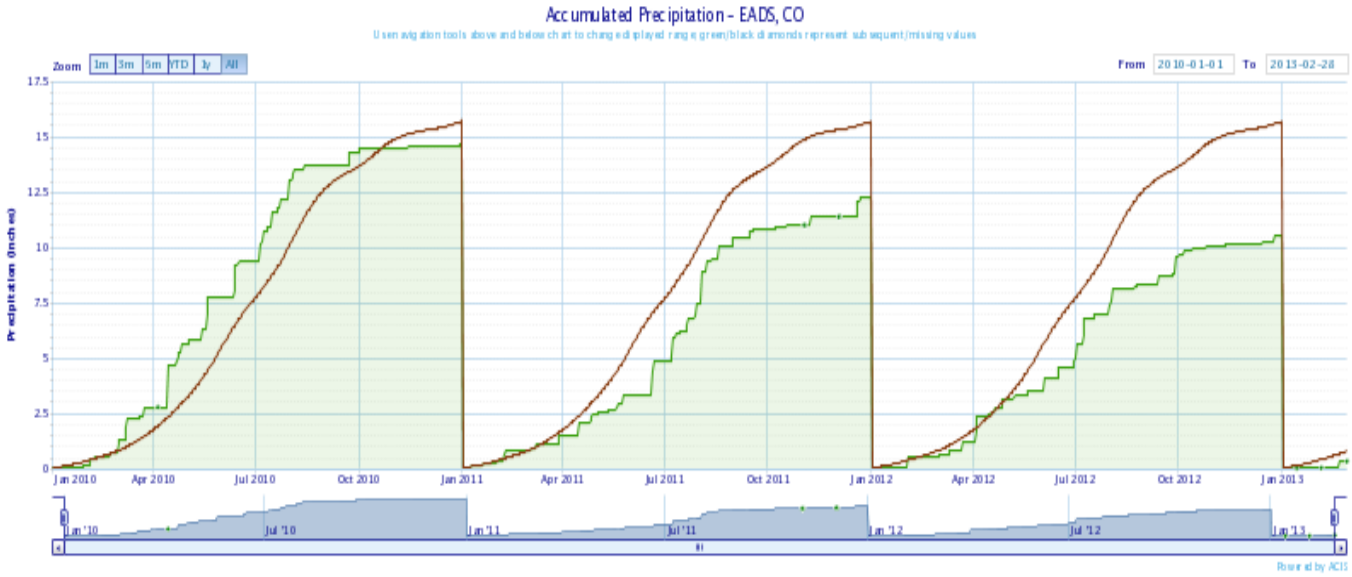
Jan 2010-Feb 2013 Precipitation



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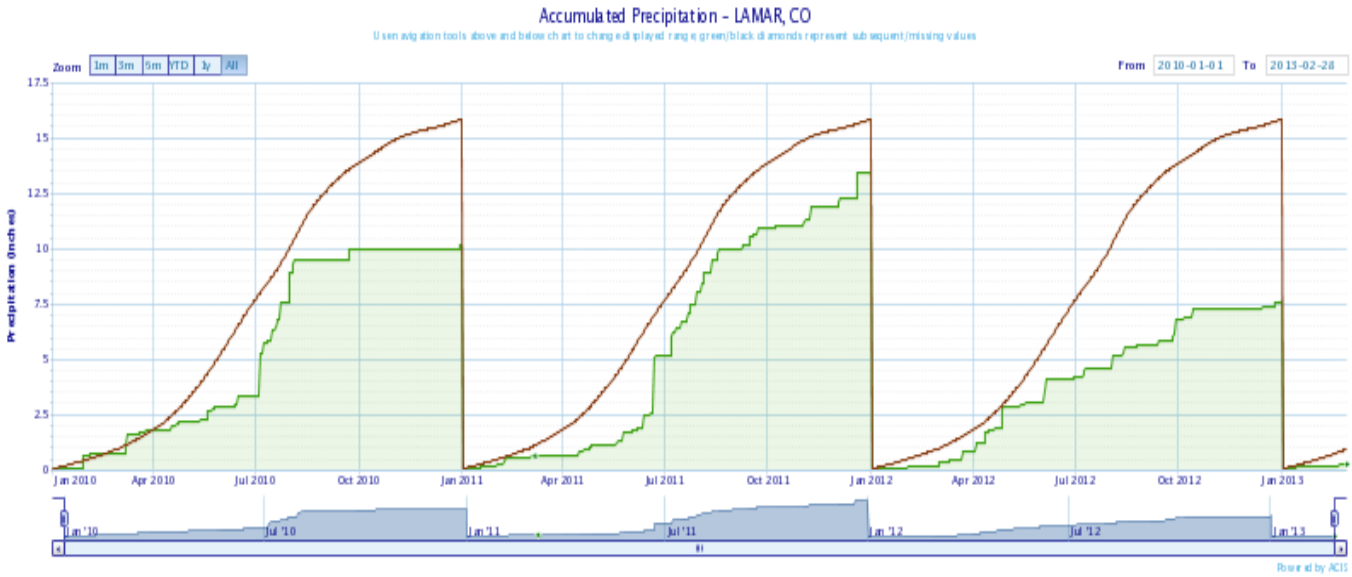
Jan 2010-Feb 2013 Precipitation



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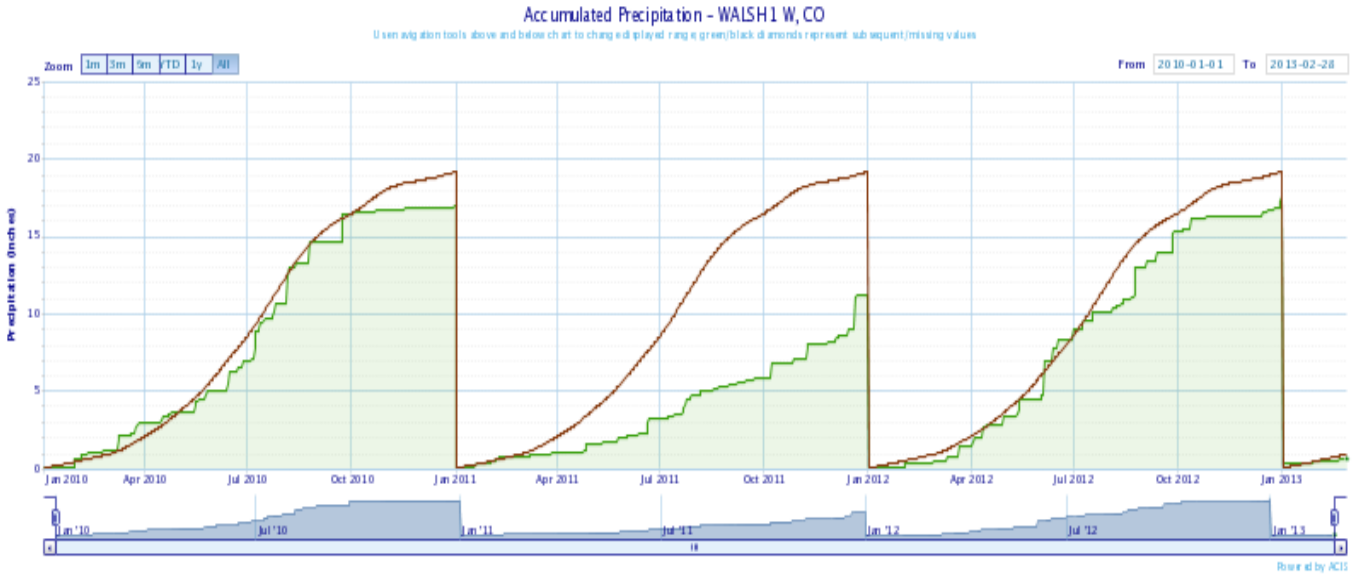

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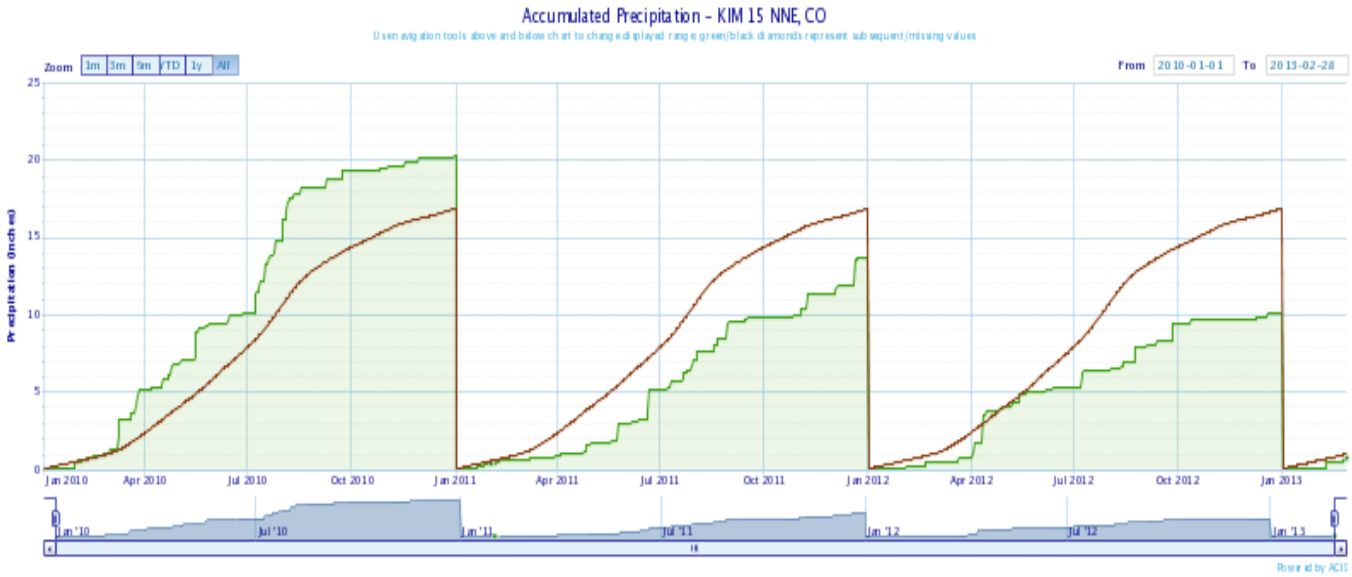

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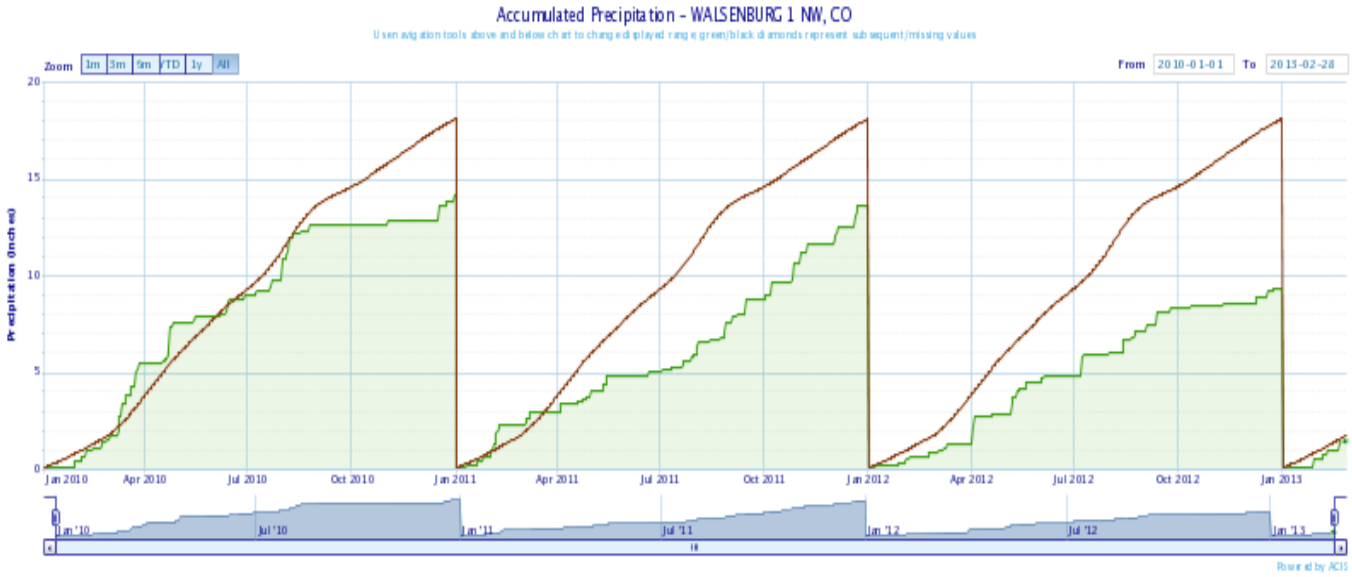

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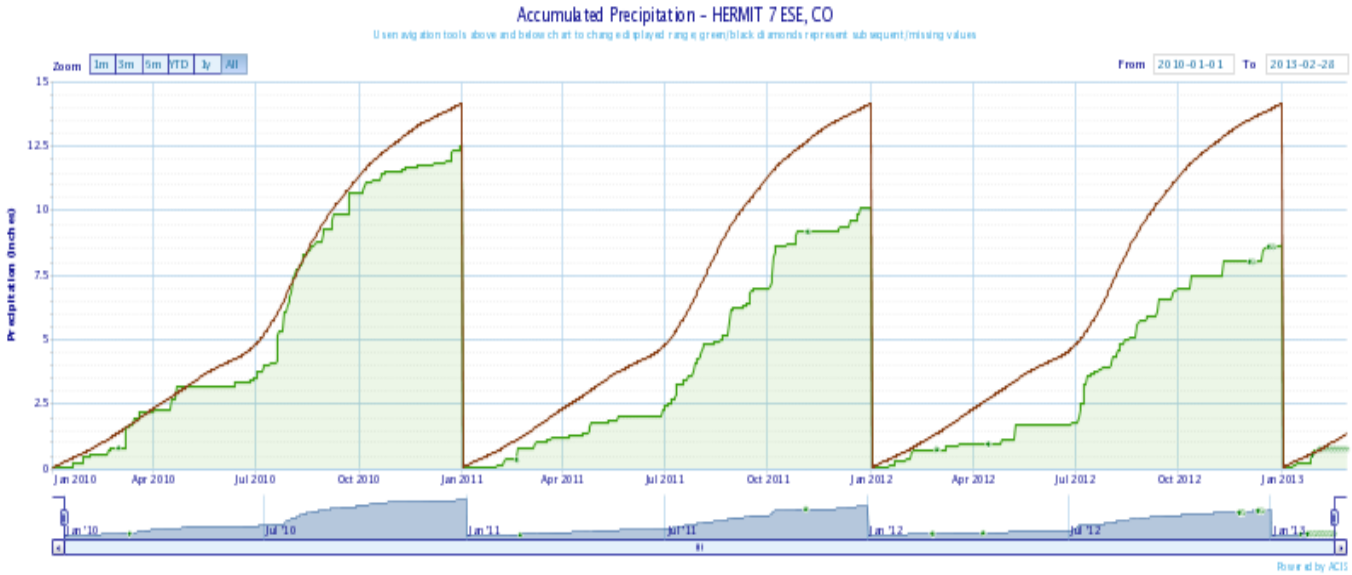

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