

Reservoir Committee Meeting

Agenda Item 3-2, Materials for Allocating
Reservoir Storage

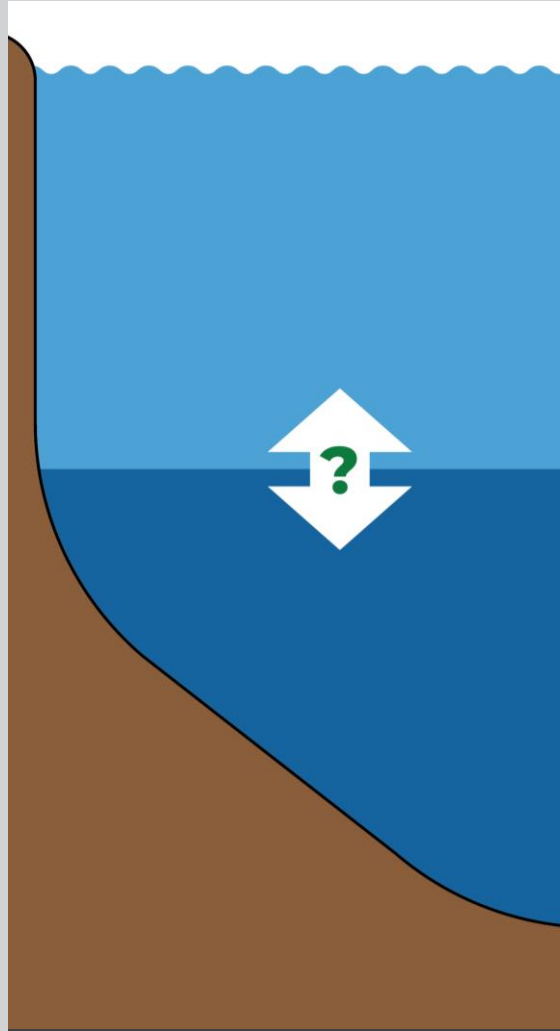
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Allocating Reservoir Storage



STORAGE BENEFITS



**HOW MUCH STORAGE
DO I NEED?**

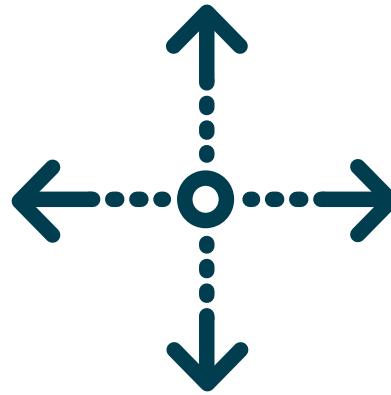


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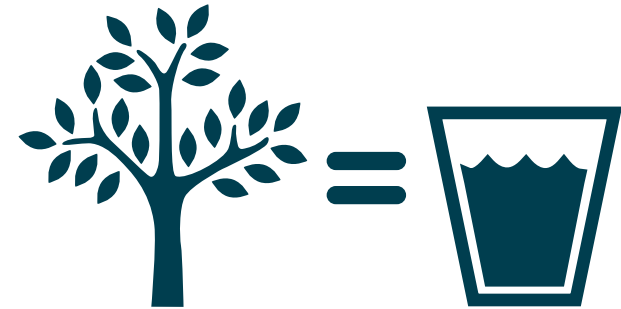
Benefits of Investing in Storage



**RELIABLE
CERTAIN**



**FLEXIBLE
LOCAL CONTROL**



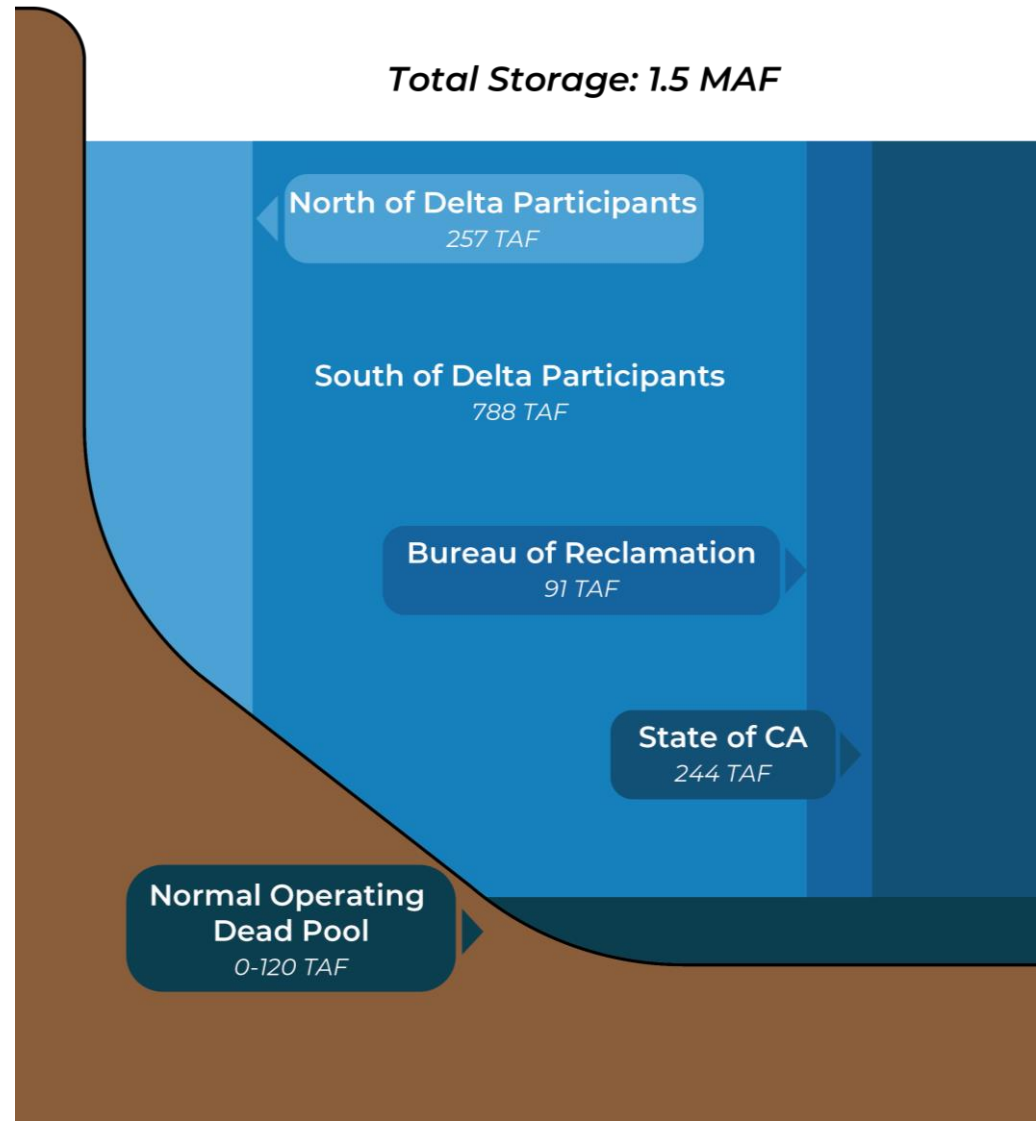
EQUITABLE

Storage Partner Benefits



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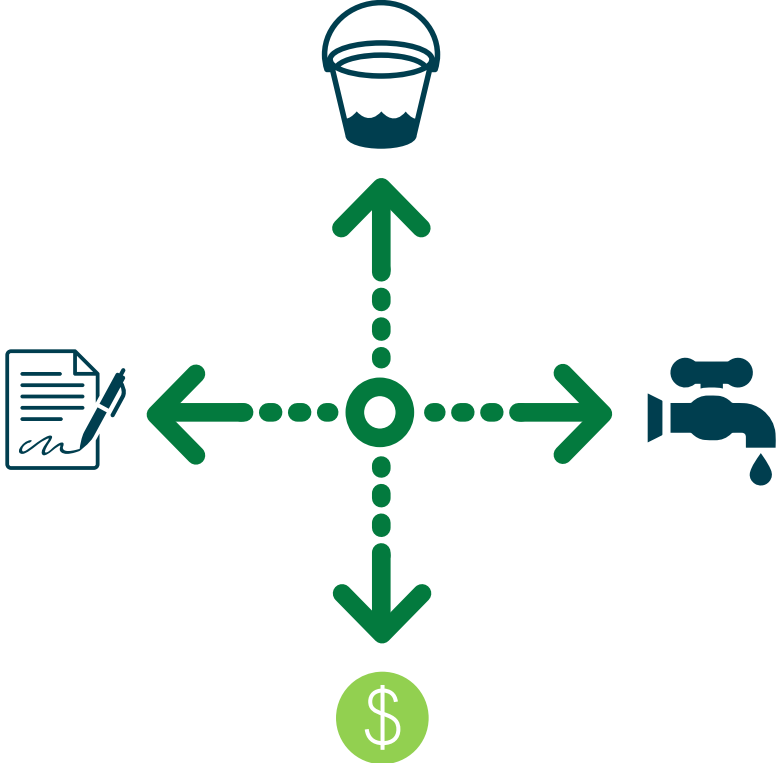
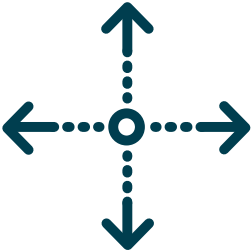
- Known storage space and diversions to storage
- Improved ability to deliver in dry years
- Certainty in availability



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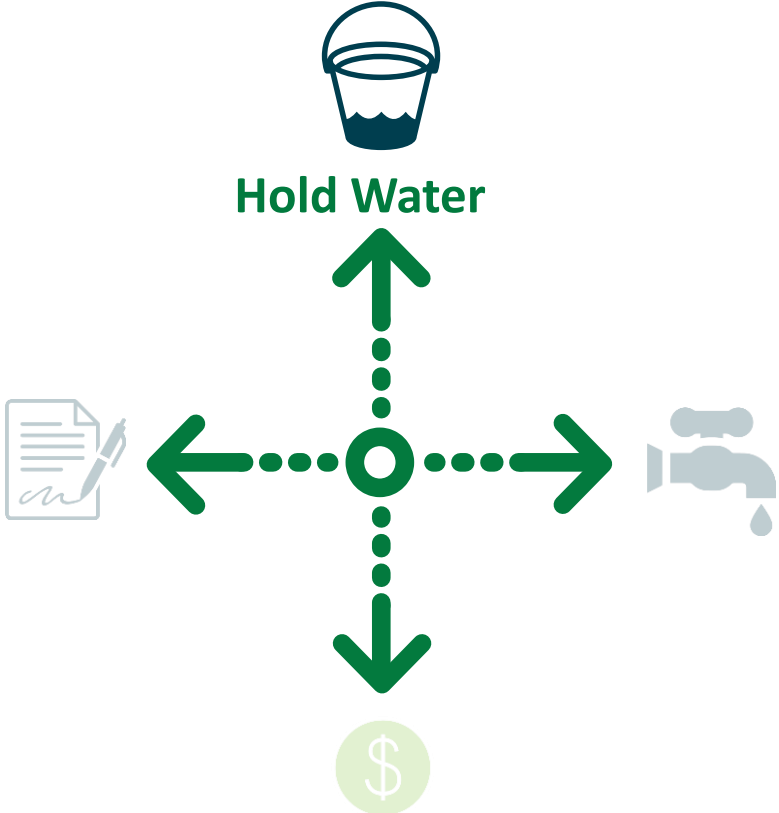
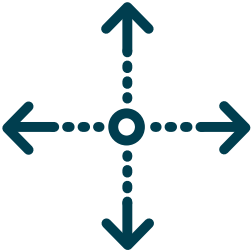
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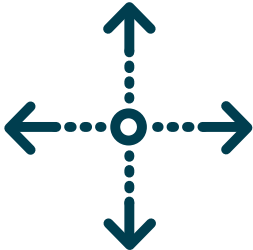
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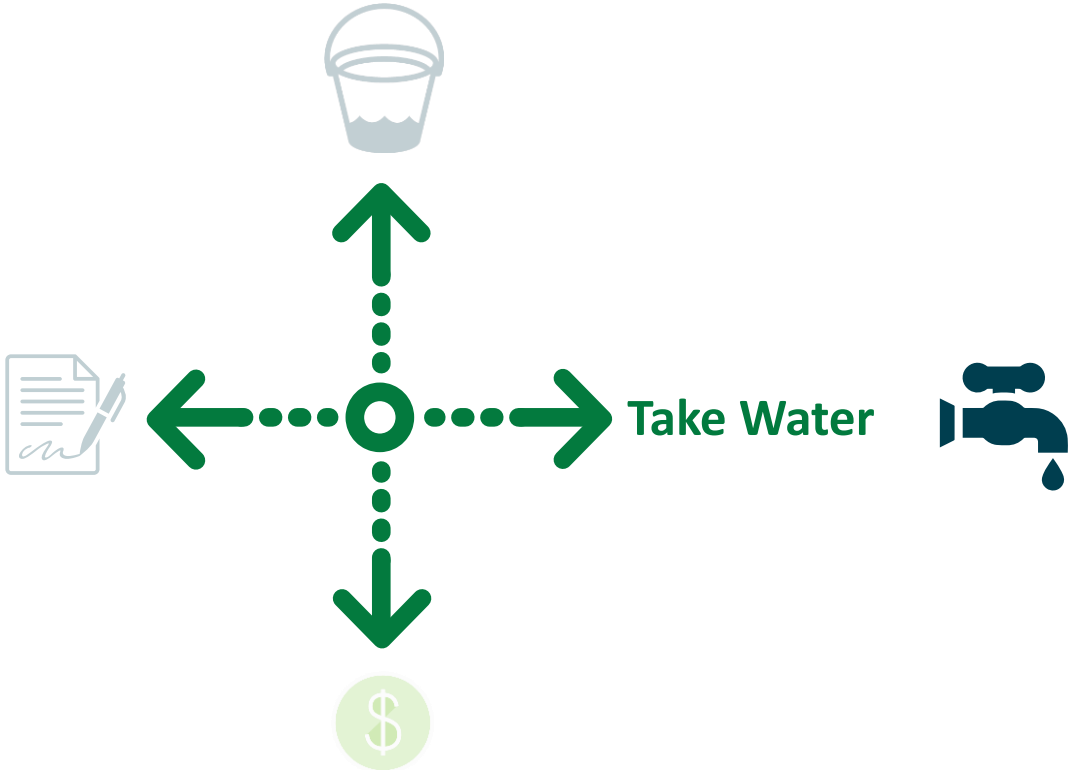
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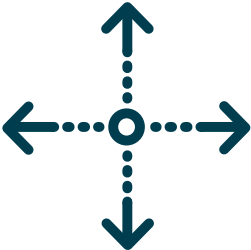


Take Water

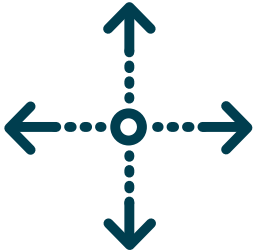
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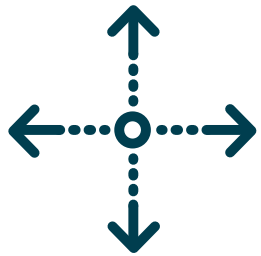
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Lease Storage



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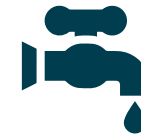
Hold Water



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Sell Water



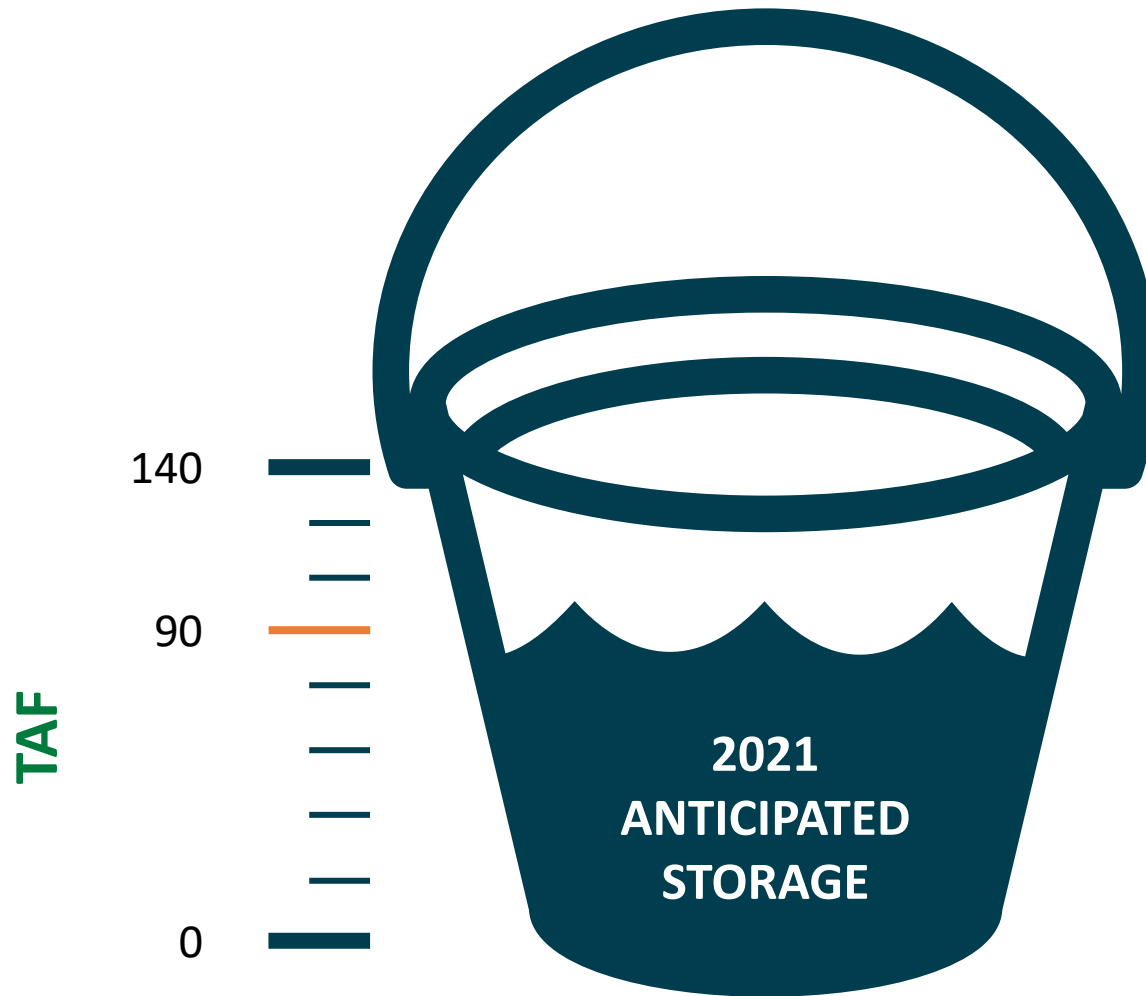
... or combinations

Storage Partner Benefits



- Storage space does not define operations/options
- Unit price for storage same for all
- Current participation level translates directly to amount of storage space
- Beneficiary pays

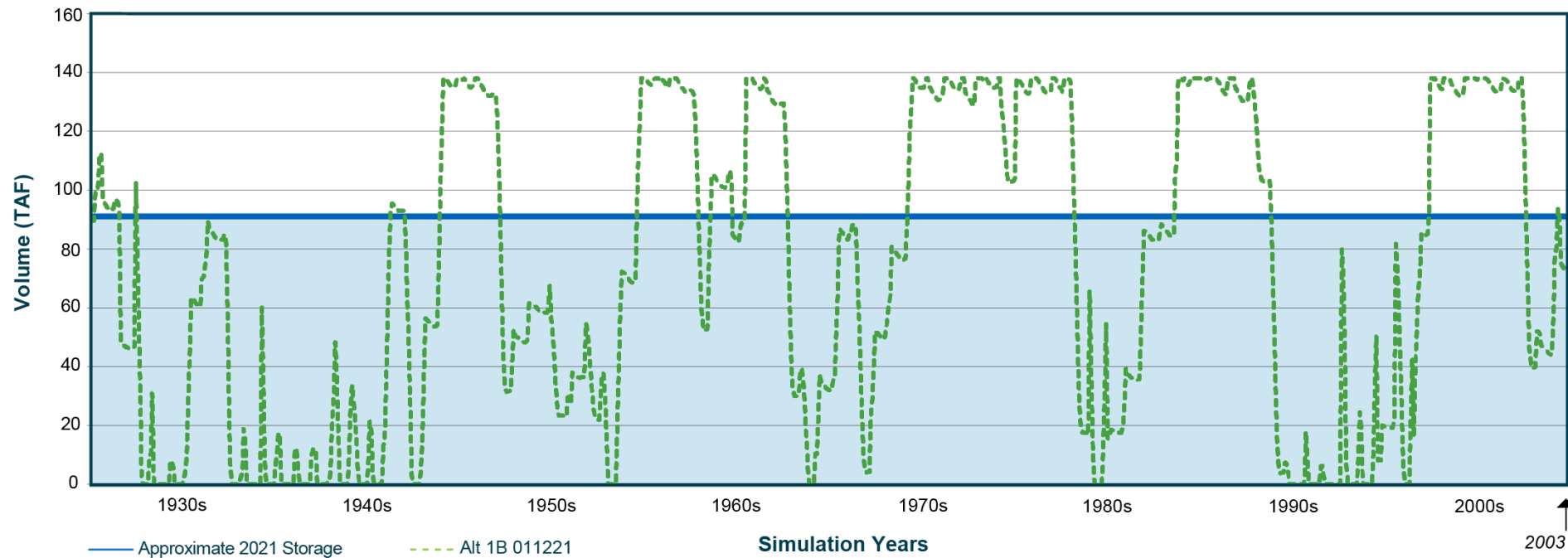
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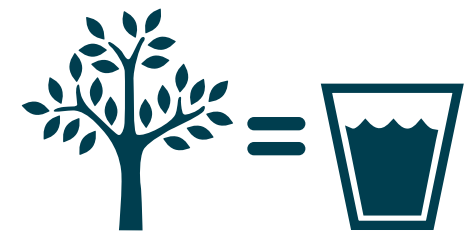
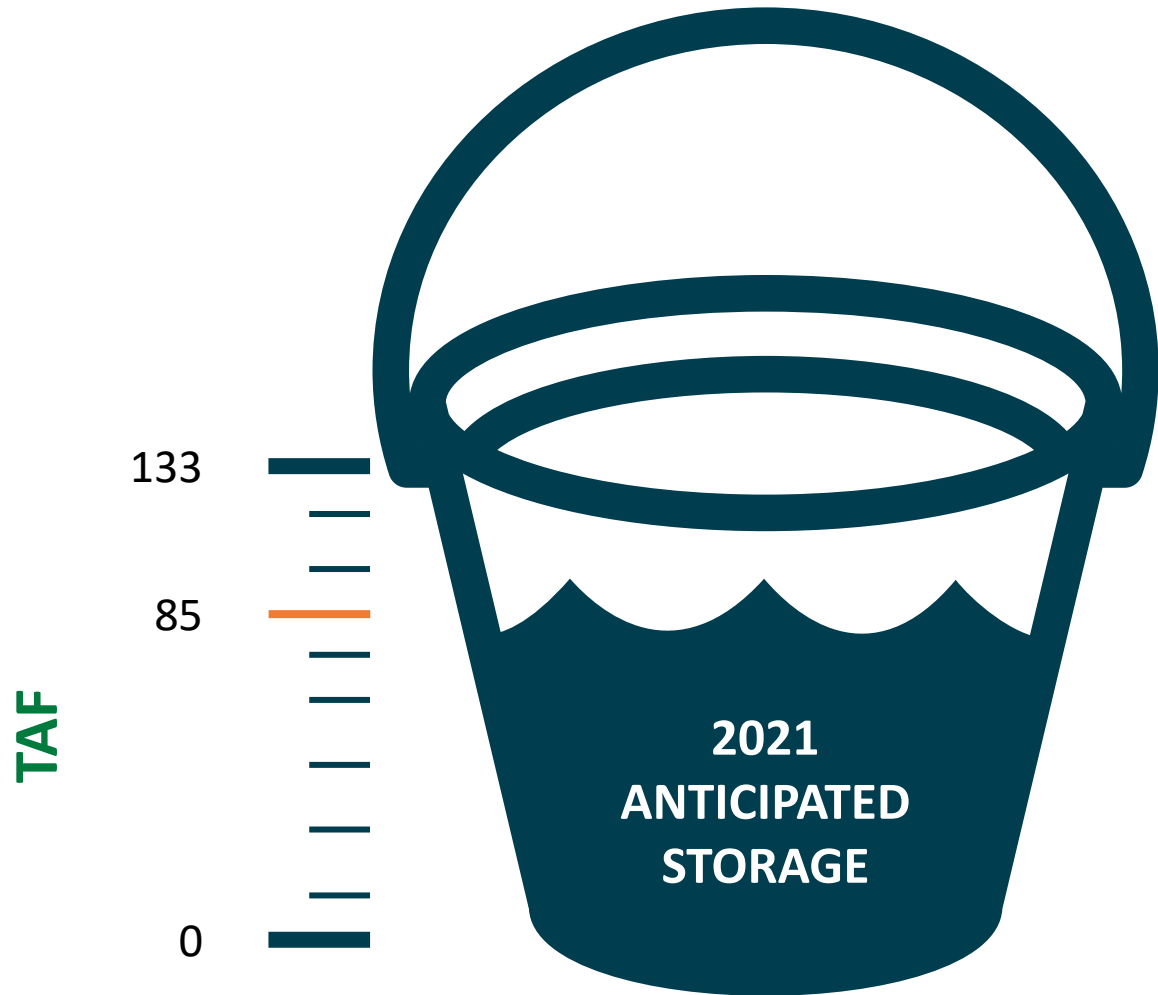
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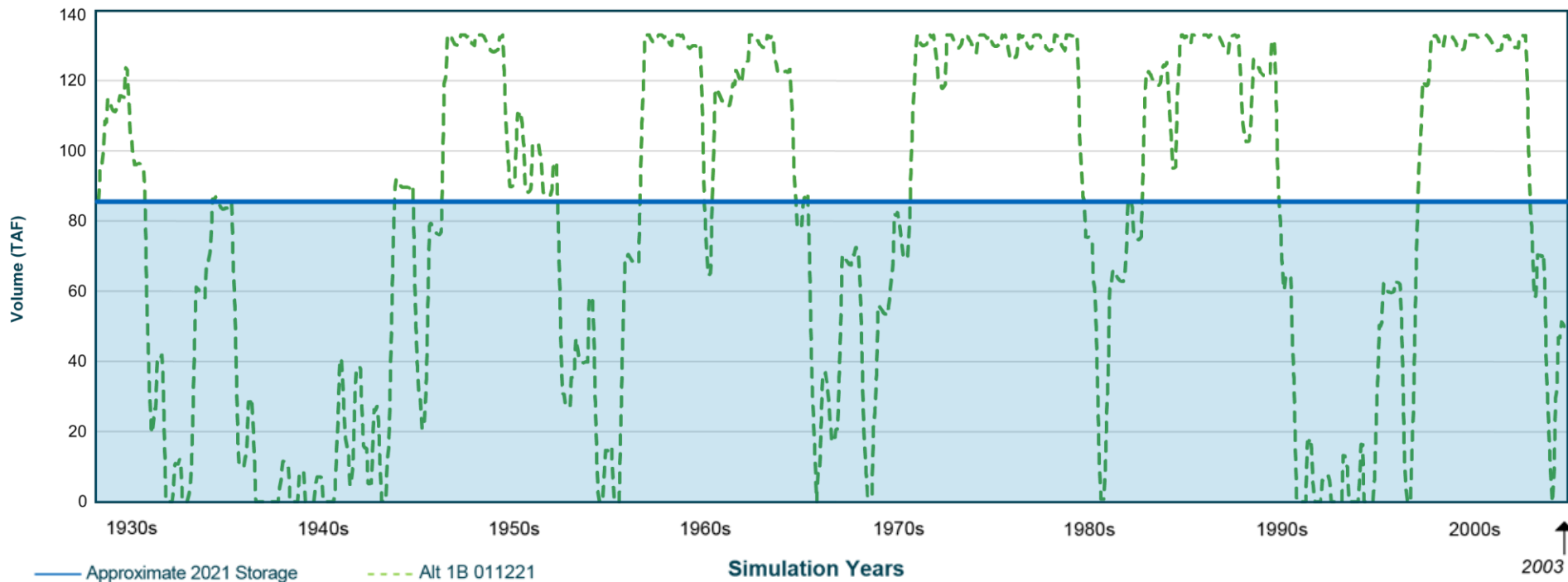
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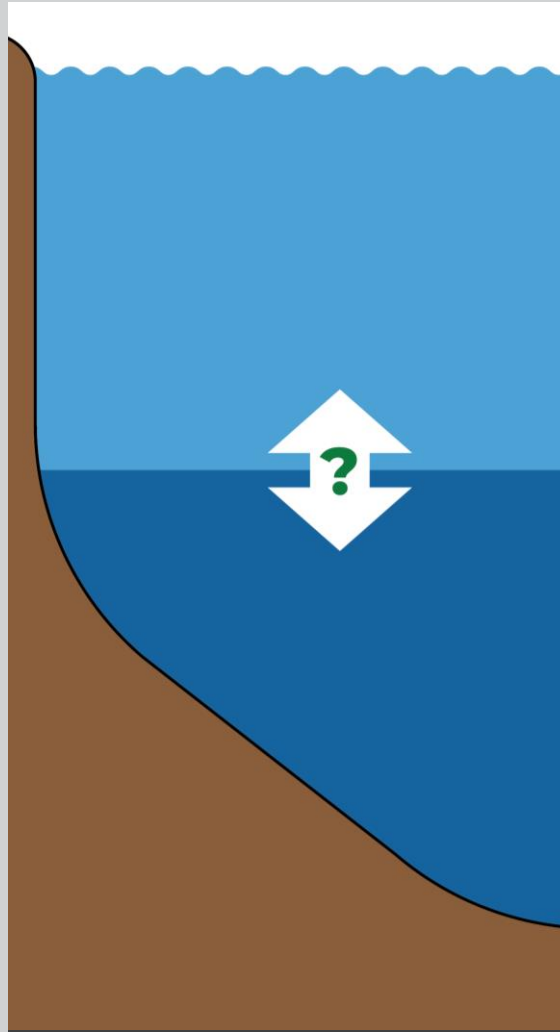


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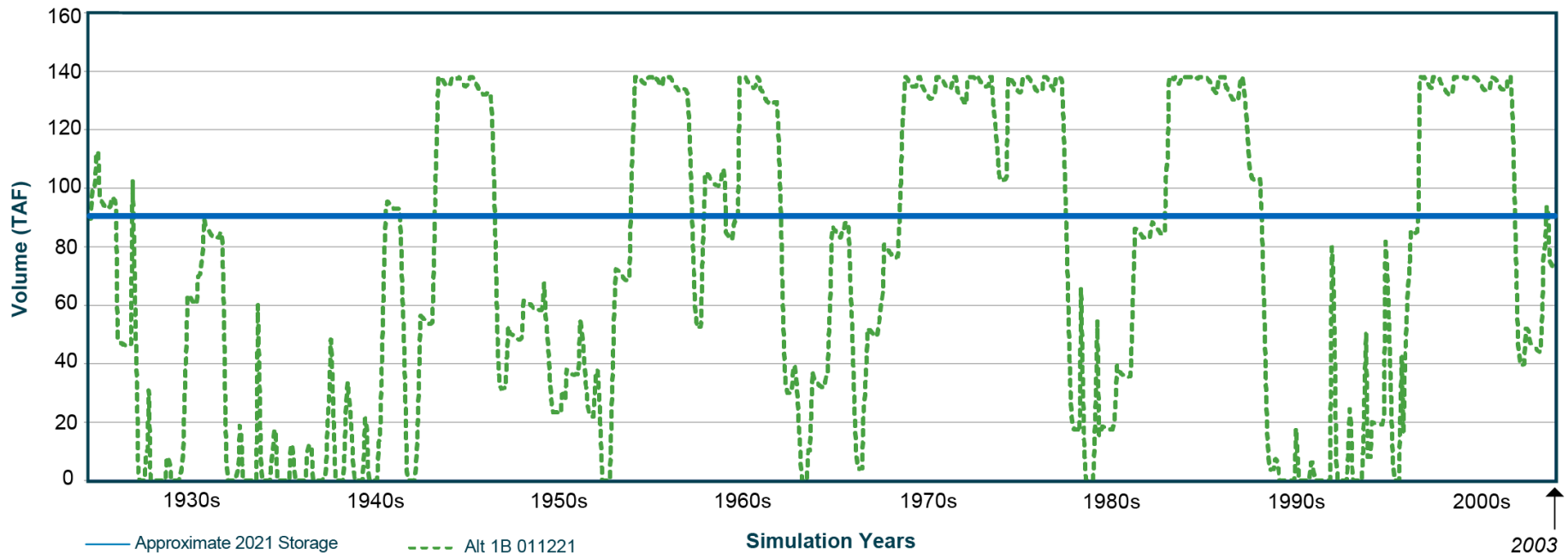
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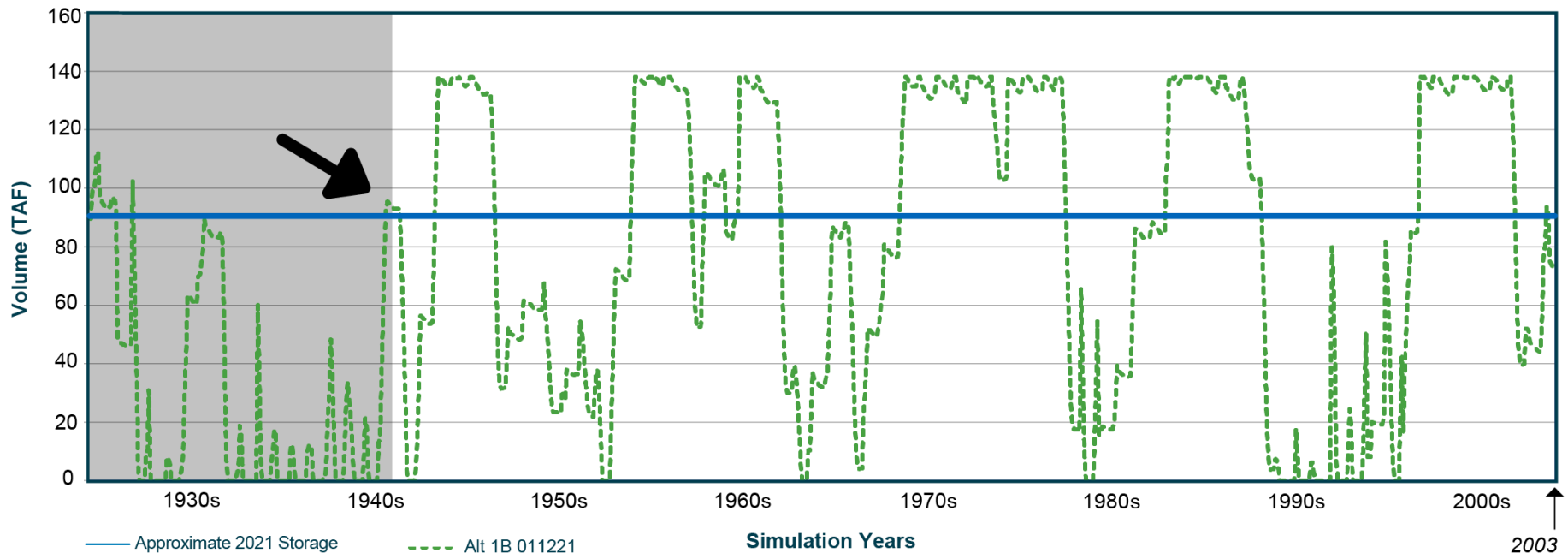


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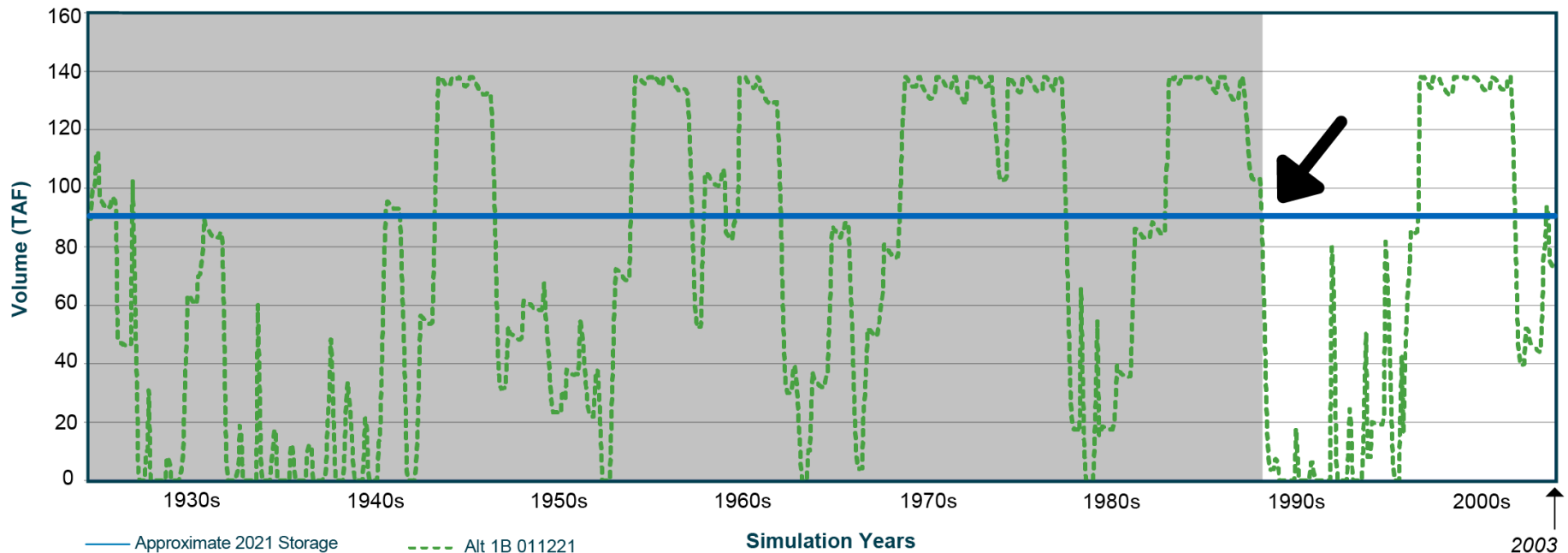


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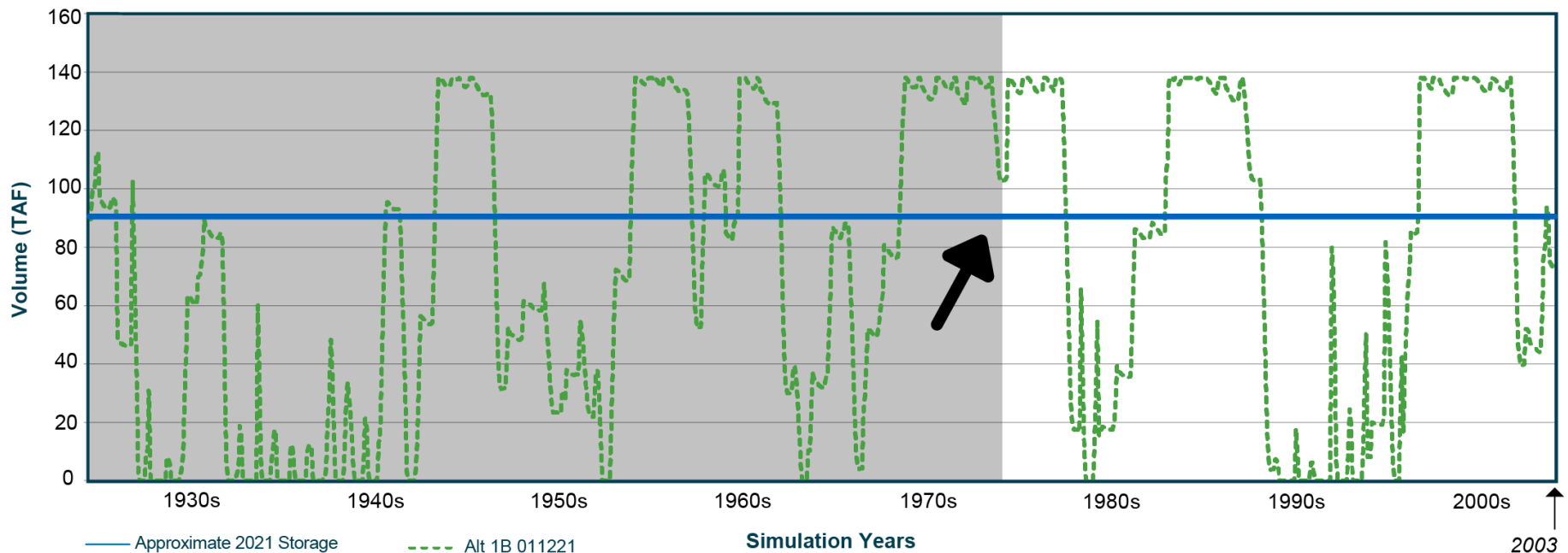


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Summary



- ***Benefits of Storage***

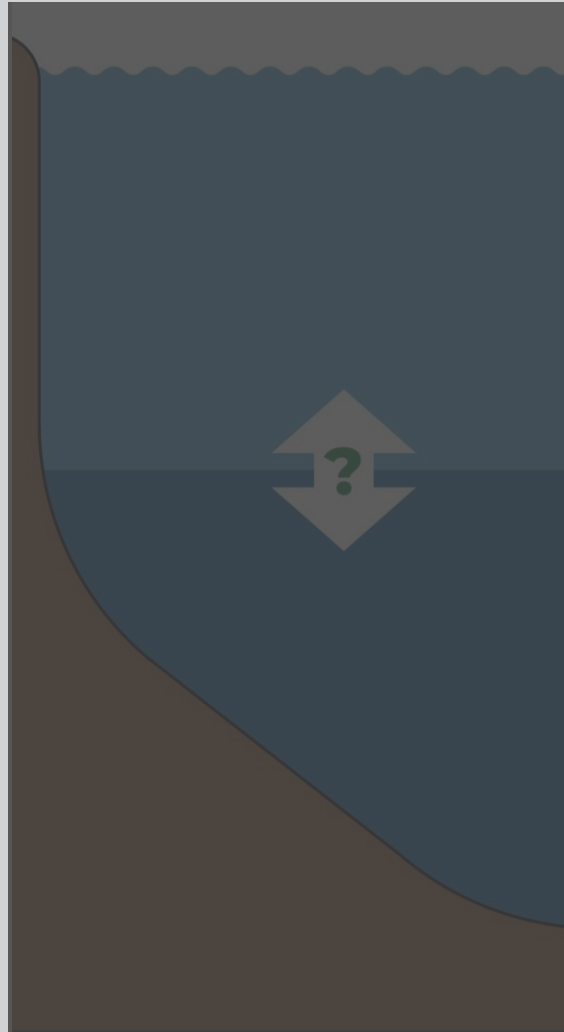
- ✓ Reliable and certain
- ✓ Flexible, local control
- ✓ Equitable

- ***How much do I need?***

- ✓ Consider multiple dry years
- ✓ Consider sale/lease of water and storage
- ✓ Future uncertainty
 - Climate variability
 - CVP/SWP Reliability
 - Regulatory
 - Economic



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