Murray–Darling Basin water in government storages

17 March 2021

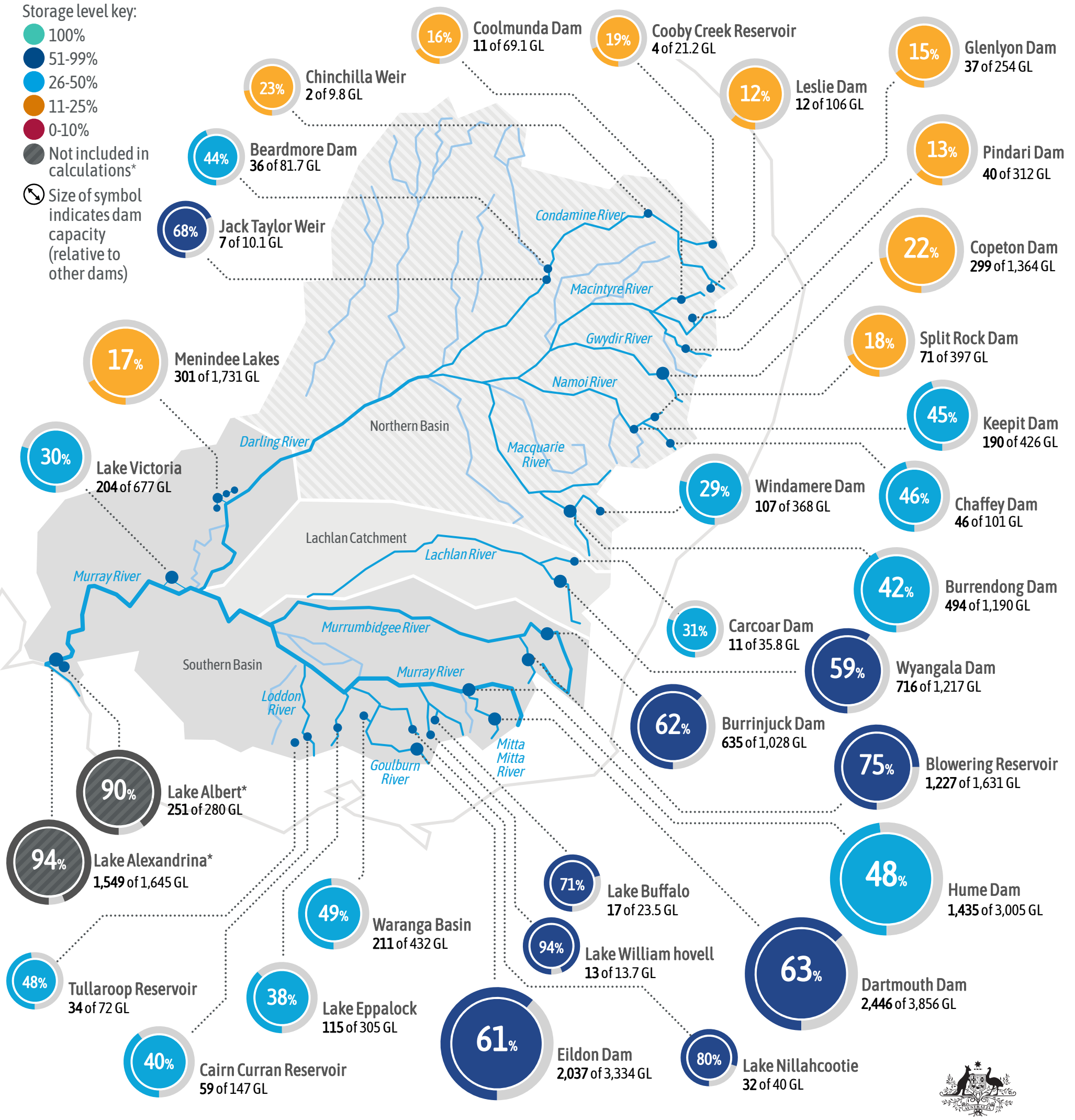
49% **Whole of Basin**
10,850 of 22,258 GL

54% Southern Basin
8,766 of 16,296 GL

29% Northern Basin
1,358 of 4,710 GL

58% Lachlan
727 of 1253 GL

Storage level key:
- 100%
- 51-99%
- 26-50%
- 11-25%
- 0-10%
- Not included in calculations*
- Size of symbol indicates dam capacity (relative to other dams)



16% Coolmunda Dam
11 of 69.1 GL

19% Cooby Creek Reservoir
4 of 21.2 GL

15% Glenlyon Dam
37 of 254 GL

23% Chinchilla Weir
2 of 9.8 GL

12% Leslie Dam
12 of 106 GL

44% Beardmore Dam
36 of 81.7 GL

13% Pindari Dam
40 of 312 GL

68% Jack Taylor Weir
7 of 10.1 GL

22% Copeton Dam
299 of 1,364 GL

17% Menindee Lakes
301 of 1,731 GL

18% Split Rock Dam
71 of 397 GL

30% Lake Victoria
204 of 677 GL

45% Keepit Dam
190 of 426 GL

29% Windamere Dam
107 of 368 GL

46% Chaffey Dam
46 of 101 GL

42% Burrendong Dam
494 of 1,190 GL

31% Carcoar Dam
11 of 35.8 GL

59% Wyangala Dam
716 of 1,217 GL

62% Burrinjuck Dam
635 of 1,028 GL

75% Blowering Reservoir
1,227 of 1,631 GL

90% Lake Albert*
251 of 280 GL

94% Lake Alexandrina*
1,549 of 1,645 GL

48% Hume Dam
1,435 of 3,005 GL

71% Lake Buffalo
17 of 23.5 GL

49% Waranga Basin
211 of 432 GL

94% Lake William hovell
13 of 13.7 GL

63% Dartmouth Dam
2,446 of 3,856 GL

48% Tullaroop Reservoir
34 of 72 GL

38% Lake Eppalock
115 of 305 GL

40% Cairn Curran Reservoir
59 of 147 GL

61% Eildon Dam
2,037 of 3,334 GL

80% Lake Nillahcootie
32 of 40 GL

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The assessment of water in storage does not include water in private storage. If the current storage volume figure is higher than the total storage capacity, this is due to surcharge levels. The total storage capacity published for the Lower Lakes (Alexandrina and Albert) is an approximate value.

* Lower Lakes storage volume is not included in southern Basin calculations. Visit mdba.gov.au/managing-water/water-storage for more information.

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