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FLDWARN for the Bulloo River

1 December 2010 to 31 January 2011

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology
Queensland
FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER
Issued at 9:39 AM on Wednesday the 1st of December 2010
by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.
Moderate flooding is easing in the Bulloo River between Quilpie and South
Comongin. River levels are expected to continue falling into the weekend.
Minor flood levels in the lower Bulloo River at Autumnvale are forecast to
continue rising throughout this week with a moderate flood peak of around 6.4
metres expected during the weekend. Downstream at Thargomindah, moderate flood
levels of around 5 metres should be expected into next week.
The next warning will be issued at about 10am Thursday.
Latest River Heights:
Bulloo R at Quilpie
                          4.71m falling slowly 06:30 AM WED 01/12/10
Bulloo R at Quilpie * 4.68m falling 08:20 AM WED 01/12/10
Bulloo R at South Comongin 3.80m falling slowly 09:00 AM WED 01/12/10
Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 4.67m steady
                                               08:00 AM WED 01/12/10
Bulloo R at Thargomindah 3.97m falling slowly 06:00 AM WED 01/12/10
* from automatic station
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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology
Queensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER
Issued at 10:24 AM on Thursday the 2nd of December 2010
by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Moderate and minor flooding continues to ease along the Bulloo River between
Quilpie and South Comongin. River levels are expected to continue falling going
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into the weekend.

Minor flooding continues a slow rise on the lower Bulloo River at Autumnvale, with river levels forecast to continue rising throughout this week and reach a moderate flood peak of around 6.4 metres during the weekend. Downstream at Thargomindah, moderate flood levels to around 5 metres should be expected into next week.

Weather Forecast:

Mostly fine, only isolated showers and possible late thunderstorms east of about Windorah.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Friday.

Latest River Heights:

Bulloo R at Quilpie 4.55m falling slowly 02:30 PM WED 01/12/10 Bulloo R at Quilpie * 4.18m falling 08:10 AM THU 02/12/10 Bulloo R at South Comongin 3.8m falling slowly 09:00 AM THU 02/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 4.87m rising 08:00 AM THU 02/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 3.86m falling slowly 06:00 AM THU 02/12/10

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Queensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER
Issued at 9:52 AM on Friday the 3rd of December 2010
by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Minor flooding continues to ease along the Bulloo River between Quilpie and South Comongin. River levels are expected to continue falling into the weekend.

Minor flooding continues to rise on the lower Bulloo River at Autumnvale, with river levels forecast to continue rising throughout this week and reach a moderate flood peak of around 6.4 metres during the weekend. Downstream at Thargomindah, moderate flood levels to around 5 metres should be expected into next week.

Weather Forecast:

Isolated showers and thunderstorms east of about Ballera.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Saturday.

Latest River Heights:

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Bulloo R at Quilpie 2.97m falling 08:30 AM FRI 03/12/10
Bulloo R at Quilpie * 3.08m falling 08:20 AM FRI 03/12/10
Bulloo R at South Comongin 3.2m falling fast 08:00 AM FRI 03/12/10
Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.15m rising 08:00 AM FRI 03/12/10
Bulloo R at Thargomindah 3.92m rising slowly 06:00 AM FRI 03/12/10

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Oueensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER
Issued at 9:40 AM on Saturday the 4th of December 2010
by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Minor flood levels continue to rise between Autumnvale and Thargomindah with moderate flood levels are likely during the weekend.

Bulloo River levels at Thargomindah are expected to reach around 5 metres during the next few days and remain high throughout next week.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Sunday.

Latest River Heights:

Bulloo R at Quilpie * 2.62m steady 08:10 AM SAT 04/12/10 Bulloo R at South Comongin 2.40m falling 09:00 AM SAT 04/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.39m steady 08:00 AM SAT 04/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.28m rising slowly 06:00 AM SAT 04/12/10

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Queensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER Issued at 9:04 AM on Sunday the 5th of December 2010 by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Moderate flooding continues a slow rise at Autumnvale. Minor flooding continues rising slowly downstream at Thargomindah with moderate flood levels expected during the next 24 to 36 hours.

Bulloo River levels at Thargomindah are expected to reach around 5 metres during the next few days and remain high throughout next week.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Monday.

Latest River Heights:

Bulloo R at Quilpie * 2.65m falling 08:00 AM SUN 05/12/10 Bulloo R at South Comongin 2m falling slowly 06:00 AM SUN 05/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.61m steady 08:00 AM SUN 05/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.4m rising slowly 06:00 AM SUN 05/12/10

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Queensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER
Issued at 8:39 AM on Monday the 6th of December 2010
by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Moderate flood levels continue to rise in the Bulloo River between Autumnvale and Thargomindah.

Bulloo River levels at Thargomindah are expected to reach around 5 metres during the next few days and remain high during this week.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Tuesday.

Latest River Heights:

Bulloo R at Quilpie * 2.14m steady 06:00 AM MON 06/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.85m steady 05:00 AM MON 06/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.50m rising slowly 06:00 AM MON 06/12/10

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Oueensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER Issued at 9:26 AM on Tuesday the 7th of December 2010 by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Moderate flood levels continue to rise in the Bulloo River between Autumnvale and Thargomindah, with renewed rises occurring upstream at Quilpie.

Moderate flooding continues to rise slowly at Autumnvale and at Thargomindah. At 6am Tuesday the river level at Thargomindah was about 0.54 metres above the level of the Bulloo River bridge.

River levels at Thargomindah are expected to reach around 5 metres during the next few days and remain high during this week.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Wednesday.

Latest River Heights:

Bulloo R at Quilpie * 2.34m rising 08:00 AM TUE 07/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 6.03m steady 08:00 AM TUE 07/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.64m rising slowly 06:00 AM TUE 07/12/10

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Oueensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER
Issued at 10:15 AM on Wednesday the 8th of December 2010

by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Heavy rainfall in excess of 120mm has been recorded in the upper Bulloo River at Listowel Downs in the 24 hours to 9am Wednesday. This heavy rainfall is expected to produced river level rises downstream to Quilpie during the next few days. Moderate flood levels continue between Autumnvale and Thargomindah.

River level rises are being recorded at in the Bullo River at Quilpie. At 8am Wednesday the river level at Quilpie was 2.66 metres and rising. Minor flood levels are likely at Quilpie during the next 24 hours with further rises possible.

Moderate flood levels are approaching a peak at Autumnvale and are slowly rising downstream at Thargomindah. At 6am Wednesday the river level at Thargomindah was about 0.7 metres above the level of the Bulloo River bridge.

River levels at Thargomindah are expected to reach around 5 metres during the by the weekend and remain at moderate flood levels during the weekend. Renewed rises are expected into next week as upstream floodwaters arrive.

Weather Forecast:

Scattered showers and thunderstorms.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Thursday.

Latest River Heights:

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Bulloo R at Quilpie 2.64m rising 06:30 AM WED 08/12/10 Bulloo R at Quilpie * 2.66m rising 08:00 AM WED 08/12/10 Bulloo R at South Comongin 1.00m falling 09:00 AM WED 08/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 6.01m steady 08:00 AM WED 08/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.8m rising slowly 06:00 AM WED 08/12/10
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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Queensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER
Issued at 9:29 AM on Thursday the 9th of December 2010
by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Recent rainfall is expected to produced river level rises downstream to Quilpie during the next few days. Moderate flood levels continue between Autumnvale and Thargomindah.

River level rises are likely in the Bullo River at Quilpie during the next few

days following recent rainfall. At 8:20am Thursday the Bulloo River level at Quilpie was 2.32 metres and falling.

Moderate flood levels have peaked at Autumnvale and are slowly rising downstream at Thargomindah. At 9am Thursday the river level at Thargomindah was about 0.78 metres above the level of the Bulloo River bridge.

River levels at Thargomindah are expected to peak around 5 metres during Thursday before easing throughout the weekend. Renewed rises are expected next week as upstream floodwaters arrive.

Predicted River Heights/Flows:
Bulloo River at:

Thargomindah Peak around 5 metres during Thursday.

Weather Forecast:

Scattered showers and thunderstorms, increasing to rain areas later in the day with moderate to heavy falls developing.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Friday.

Latest River Heights:

Bulloo R at Quilpie * 2.32m falling 08:20 AM THU 09/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.82m falling 08:20 AM THU 09/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.88m rising slowly 09:00 AM THU 09/12/10

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Oueensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER
Issued at 10:12 AM on Friday the 10th of December 2010
by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Recent rainfall is expected to produced river level rises downstream to Quilpie during the next few days. Minor to moderate flood levels continue between Autumnvale and Thargomindah.

River level rises are being recorded in the Bulloo River at Adavale causing minor flooding, with rises to continue into the weekend. Some small rises are being recorded in the Bullo River at Quilpie, where at 8am Friday the river level at Quilpie was 2.16 metres and rising. Rises will continue into the weekend.

Moderate flood levels are easing between Autumnvale and Thargomindah with renewed rises expected next week as upstream floodwaters arrive. At 6am Friday the river level at Thargomindah was about 0.72 metres above the level of the Bulloo River bridge.

Weather Forecast:

Scattered showers and thunderstorms tending to rain at times. Moderate to heavy falls possible in the east.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Saturday.

Latest River Heights:

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Blackwater Ck at Adavale 3.40m rising 09:00 AM FRI 10/12/10 Bulloo R at Quilpie * 2.16m steady 08:00 AM FRI 10/12/10 Bulloo R at South Comongin 1.80m rising slowly 09:00 AM FRI 10/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.38m falling 08:00 AM FRI 10/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.82m falling slowly 06:00 AM FRI 10/12/10
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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Oueensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER Issued at 9:38 AM on Saturday the 11th of December 2010 by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Recent rainfall is expected to produced river level rises downstream to Quilpie during the next few days. Minor to moderate flood levels continue between Autumnvale and Thargomindah.

Minor flooding is easing in the Bulloo River at Adavale. Some small rises are being recorded in the Bulloo River at Quilpie, where at 8:10am Saturday the river level was 2.72 metres and rising. Rises will continue during the weekend.

Minor to moderate flood levels are easing between Autumnvale and Thargomindah with renewed rises expected next week as upstream floodwaters arrive. At 6am Saturday the river level at Thargomindah was about 0.51 metres above the level of the Bulloo River Bridge.

Weather Forecast:

Isolated showers.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Sunday.

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Latest River Heights:
Blackwater Ck at Adavale 3.50m falling slowly 09:00 AM SAT 11/12/10
Bulloo R at Quilpie * 2.72m steady 08:10 AM SAT 11/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 4.80m falling 08:00 AM SAT 11/12/10
Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.61m falling slowly 06:00 AM SAT 11/12/10
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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Oueensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER Issued at 9:52 AM on Sunday the 12th of December 2010 by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Recent rainfall is expected to produce river level rises downstream to Quilpie. Minor flood levels continue between Autumnvale and Thargomindah with renewed rises to moderate flood levels possible during this week.

Minor flooding is easing in the Bulloo River at Adavale. Minor flooding is occurring on the Bulloo River at Quilpie with further rises to moderate flood levels forecast during the next few days. At 8:10am Sunday the river level was 3.47 metres and rising.

Minor flood levels continue between Autumnvale and Thargomindah with renewed rises expected this week as upstream floodwaters arrive. At 6am Sunday the river level at Thargomindah was 4.33 metres, which was about 0.23 metres above the level of the Bulloo River Bridge.

Weather Forecast:

Dry.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Monday.

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Latest River Heights:
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Blackwater Ck at Adavale 3.3m falling slowly 03:00 PM SAT 11/12/10
                        3.45m rising 3.47m rising
Bulloo R at Quilpie
                                                     06:00 AM SUN 12/12/10
Bulloo R at Quilpie *
                                                    08:10 AM SUN 12/12/10
                                                    12:00 PM SAT 11/12/10
Bulloo R at South Comongin 1.8m rising
Bulloo R at South Comongin 1.8m rising 12:00 PM SAT 11/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.01m steady 08:00 AM SUN 12/12/10
Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.33m falling slowly 06:00 AM SUN 12/12/10
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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Oueensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER
Issued at 7:38 AM on Monday the 13th of December 2010
by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Rainfall recorded late last week is producing river level rises and minor to moderate flooding between Quilpie and Thargomindah. Moderate flood levels are possible between Autumnvale and Thargomindah during this week.

Moderate flood levels continue to rise on the Bulloo River at Quilpie with further rises above the major flood level of 5 metres are possible during the next few days. At 6:20am Monday the river level was 4.49 metres and rising.

Minor flood levels are rising between Autumnvale and Thargomindah with moderate flood levels possible during this week. At 6am Monday the river level at Thargomindah was 4.28 metres, which was about 0.18 metres above the level of the Bulloo River Bridge.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Tuesday.

Latest River Heights:

Bulloo R at Quilpie * 4.49m rising 06:20 AM MON 13/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.32m steady 05:30 AM MON 13/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.28m rising slowly 06:00 AM MON 13/12/10

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Oueensland FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER
Issued at 8:03 AM on Tuesday the 14th of December 2010
by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Major flood levels continue at Quilpie. Moderate flood levels should be expected downstream at South Comongin, Autumnvale and Thargomindah during the next 7 days.

Major flood levels are steady at Quilpie. At 6am Tuesday, the level was 5.2 metres. Levels are expected to fall during Tuesday. Moderate flood levels of around 4.2 metres should be expected at South Comongin late today.

Minor flood levels are rising between Autumnvale and Thargomindah with moderate flood levels forecast of around 6 metres during the weekend at Autumnvale. At Thargomindah, river levels of just above 5 metres should be expected early next week. At 6am Tuesday, the river level at Thargomindah was 4.4 metres, which was about 0.33 metres above the level of the Bulloo River Bridge.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Wednesday.

Latest River Heights:

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Bulloo R at Quilpie 5.15m steady 06:00 AM TUE 14/12/10 Bulloo R at Quilpie * 5.21m steady 05:20 AM TUE 14/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.48m rising 11:00 PM MON 13/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.43m rising slowly 06:00 AM TUE 14/12/10
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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Oueensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER Issued at 8:57 AM on Wednesday the 15th of December 2010 by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Moderate flood levels should be expected at Autumnvale and Thargomindah during the week. Levels are expected to continue to fall at Quilpie.

Moderate flood levels are falling at Quilpie. At 8am Wednesday, the level was 4.9 metres. Levels are expected to continue to fall during Wednesday.

Minor flood levels are rising between Autumnvale and Thargomindah with moderate flood levels forecast of around 6 metres during the weekend at Autumnvale. At Thargomindah, river levels of just above 5 metres should be expected early next week. At 6am Wednesday, the river level at Thargomindah was 4.54 metres, which was about 0.4 metres above the level of the Bulloo River Bridge.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Thursday.

Latest River Heights:

Blackwater Ck at Adavale 2.4m rising slowly 09:00 AM TUE 14/12/10 Bulloo R at Quilpie 4.9m falling 06:30 AM WED 15/12/10 Bulloo R at Quilpie * 4.88m steady 08:00 AM WED 15/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.3m steady 08:00 AM WED 15/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.54m rising slowly 06:00 AM WED 15/12/10

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Queensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER
Issued at 7:29 AM on Thursday the 16th of December 2010
by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Moderate flood levels should be expected at Autumnvale and Thargomindah during the weekend and into next week. Levels are expected to continue to fall at Quilpie.

Moderate flood levels are falling at Quilpie. At 6am Thursday, the level was 4.5 metres. Levels are expected to continue to fall during Thursday.

Minor flood levels are rising between Autumnvale and Thargomindah with moderate flood levels forecast of around 6 metres during the weekend at Autumnvale. At Thargomindah, river levels of just above 5 metres should be expected early next week. At 6am Thursday, the river level at Thargomindah was 4.57 metres, which was about 0.5 metres above the level of the Bulloo River Bridge.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Friday.

Latest River Heights:

Bulloo R at Quilpie 4.5m falling 06:30 AM THU 16/12/10 Bulloo R at Quilpie * 4.51m falling 06:10 AM THU 16/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.23m steady 05:00 AM THU 16/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.57m steady 06:00 AM THU 16/12/10

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Oueensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER
Issued at 7:44 AM on Friday the 17th of December 2010
by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Moderate flood levels should be expected at Autumnvale and Thargomindah during the weekend and into next week. Levels are expected to continue to fall at Quilpie.

Minor flood levels are falling at Quilpie. At 6am Friday, the level was 3.9 metres. Levels are expected to continue to fall.

Minor flood levels continue at Autumnvale with moderate flood levels forecast of around 6 metres during the weekend. At Thargomindah, river levels of just above 5 metres should be expected early next week. At 6am Friday, the river level at Thargomindah was 4.54 metres, which was about 0.45 metres above the level of the Bulloo River Bridge.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Saturday.

Latest River Heights:

Bulloo R at Quilpie * 3.88m falling 06:10 AM FRI 17/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.27m steady 05:00 AM FRI 17/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.54m steady 06:00 AM FRI 17/12/10

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Queensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER Issued at 8:30 AM on Saturday the 18th of December 2010 by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

River levels at Quilpie have now fallen below minor. Minor flooding continues along the Bulloo River from Autumnvale to Thargomindah with further rises and moderate flooding expected during the weekend and into next week.

Minor flood levels continue at Autumnvale with moderate flood levels forecast to around 6 metres during the weekend.

At Thargomindah, river levels have fallen slowly in the past 24 hours but are expected to rise again to levels of just above 5 metres early next week. At 6am Saturday, the river level at Thargomindah was 4.45 metres, which was about 0.35 metres above the level of the Bulloo River Bridge.

Weather Forecast: Patchy light rain.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Sunday.

Latest River Heights:

Bulloo R at Quilpie * 2.72m steady 06:10 AM SAT 18/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.3m steady 05:00 AM SAT 18/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.45m falling slowly 06:00 AM SAT 18/12/10

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Queensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER Issued at 8:56 AM on Sunday the 19th of December 2010 by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Minor flooding continues along the Bulloo River between Autumnvale and Thargomindah with further rises and moderate flooding expected early this week.

Minor flooding continues at Autumnvale with a moderate flood peak to around 6 metres forecast for early this week.

At Thargomindah, river levels have fallen slowly in the past 24 hours but are expected to rise again to levels of just above 5 metres early this week. At 6am Sunday, the river level at Thargomindah was 4.45 metres, which was about 0.35 metres above the level of the Bulloo River Bridge.

Predicted River Heights/Flows:

Thargomindah: Rise to just above 5.0 metres this week. Weather Forecast: Patchy light rain. Next Issue: The next warning will be issued at about 10am Monday. Latest River Heights: 1.68m steady 08:00 AM SUN 19/12/10 Bulloo R at Quilpie * Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.45m rising 08:10 AM SUN 19/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.45m steady 06:00 AM SUN 19/12/10 * from automatic station Warnings and River Height Bulletins are available at http://www.bom.gov.au/qld/flood/ . Flood Warnings are also available on telephone 1300 659 219 at a low call cost of 27.5 cents, more from mobile, public and satellite phones.

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Oueensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER
Issued at 7:50 AM on Monday the 20th of December 2010
by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Minor to moderate flooding continues along the Bulloo River between Autumnvale and Thargomindah, with a moderate flood peak expected at Thargomindah early this week.

Moderate flooding continues a slow rise on the Bulloo River at Autumnvale. River levels at Thargomindah are expected to exceed the moderate flood level of 4.5 metres during Monday, with further rises expected to reach around 5 metres during this week. At 6am Monday, the river level at Thargomindah was 4.48 metres with minor flooding, which was about 0.38 metres above the level of the Bulloo River Bridge.

Predicted River Heights/Flows:

Thargomindah Peak to around 5.0 metres this week.

Weather Forecast:

Fine.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Tuesday.

Latest River Heights:

Bulloo R at Quilpie * 1.53m steady 06:00 AM MON 20/12/10

Bulloo R at South Comongin NA

Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.61m rising slowly 05:40 AM MON 20/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.48m rising slowly 06:00 AM MON 20/12/10

* denotes automatic station.

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FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER Issued at 8:56 AM on Tuesday the 21st of December 2010 by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Moderate flooding continues along the Bulloo River between Autumnvale and Thargomindah, with a moderate flood peak up to 5 metres expected at Thargomindah during this week.

Moderate flooding continues a slow rise on the Bulloo River at Autumnvale. At 6am Tuesday, the river level at Thargomindah was 4.55 metres with moderate flooding, which was about 0.45 metres above the level of the Bulloo River Bridge.

Predicted River Heights/Flows:

Thargomindah Peak up to 5.0 metres during this week.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Wednesday.

Latest River Heights:

Bulloo R at Quilpie * 1.46m steady 06:00 AM TUE 21/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.80m steady 05:00 AM TUE 21/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.55m rising slowly 06:00 AM TUE 21/12/10

* from automatic station

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Queensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER Issued at 8:34 AM on Wednesday the 22nd of December 2010 by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Moderate flooding remains near a peak on the Bulloo River at Autumnvale, with a moderate flood peak up to 5 metres expected at Thargomindah during this week.

Moderate flooding is slowly approaching a peak on the Bulloo River at Autumnvale, with moderate flooding slowly rising downstream at Thargomindah. At 6am Tuesday, the river level at Thargomindah was 4.63 metres, which is about 0.62 metres above the level of the Bulloo River Bridge.

Predicted River Heights/Flows:

Thargomindah Peak up to 5.0 metres during this week.

Weather Forecast:

Fine.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Thursday.

Latest River Heights:

Bulloo R at Quilpie * 1.42m steady 06:00 AM WED 22/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.92m steady 07:00 AM WED 22/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.63m rising slowly 06:00 AM WED 22/12/10

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Australian Government Bureau of Meteorology Oueensland

FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER
Issued at 6:50 AM on Thursday the 23rd of December 2010
by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

Moderate flooding is easing on the Bulloo River at Autumnvale, with a moderate flood peak up to 5 metres expected at Thargomindah during Thursday.

Moderate flooding is easing on the Bulloo River at Autumnvale, following a peak of 5.92 metres recorded at 9am Wednesday.

Moderate flooding continues to slowly rise downstream at Thargomindah, where at 6am Thursday the river level was 4.75 metres and about 0.65 metres above the level of the Bulloo River Bridge.

Predicted River Heights/Flows:

Thargomindah Moderate flood peak up to 5.0 metres during Thursday.

Weather Forecast:

Mostly fine, only isolated showers and thunderstorms in the far northeast.

Next Issue:

The next warning will be issued at about 10am Friday.

Latest River Heights:

Bulloo R at Quilpie * 1.43m steady 05:00 AM THU 23/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 5.75m falling 05:20 AM THU 23/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.75m rising slowly 06:00 AM THU 23/12/10

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FINAL FLOOD WARNING FOR THE BULLOO RIVER
Issued at 9:03 AM on Friday the 24th of December 2010
by the Bureau of Meteorology, Brisbane.

River levels have eased below minor on the Bulloo River at Autumnvale, with moderate flooding easing slowly at Thargomindah. As further rainfall is forecast for the district, the situation will continue to be monitored.

Moderate flooding has commenced to ease on the Bulloo River at Thargomindah following a moderate flood peak of 4.78 metres recorded at about 6pm Thursday. At 6am Friday the river level was 4.75 metres and falling, which was about 0.65 metres above the level of the Bulloo River Bridge.

Weather Forecast:

Isolated showers and thunderstorms in northern and eastern parts. Remaining fine in the southwest.

Next Issue:

This is the final warning. River Height Bulletins will continue to be issued.

Latest River Heights:

Bulloo R at Quilpie * 1.38m steady 08:00 AM FRI 24/12/10 Bulloo R at Autumnvale * 4.05m falling 08:20 AM FRI 24/12/10 Bulloo R at Thargomindah 4.75m falling slowly 06:00 AM FRI 24/12/10

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