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-	Pubic Supply PS [1]	Rest of the Fresh RF [2]	Total Fresh Water Use PS + RF [3]			
1 LEC	797.6	641.3	1,438.9			
2 LWC	119.6	910.6	1,030.2			
3 KSV	44.9	223.3	268.2			
4 UEC	45.8	156.7	202.5			
5 Total SF	1,007.9	1,931.9	2,939.8			
6 Total State	2,267.8	4,131.4	6,399.2			
7 % SF/State	44.4%	46.8%	45.9%			
Source:						

Summed from Marella (2014), Tables 2 & 5, water use by county.

Comparing Population Forecasts with Actual Records, 2000, 2010

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				Popul	ation		
		Population Census Census W'koff % diff					
	No.	Census (thou.)	% growth	(thou.)	slow to fast	W'koff slow	
Region	counties	2000	2000-10	2010	forecast	to Census	
Region	counties	[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]	[5]	
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LEC - Lower East Coast	- 4	5,087	10.8	5,638	6,105 6,195	7.6	
LWC - Lower West Coast	4	739	34.2	992	$ = \frac{1,069}{1,173} $	7.2	
UEC -Upper East Coast	- 2	319	32.9	424	447	5.1	
KSV - Kissimmee Valley	- 3	296	37.5	407	407	0.0	
All South Florida	- 13	6,441	15.8	7,461	8,028 8,236	7.1	
Rest of Florida	- 54	9,541	18.9	11,342	12,726 12,928	10.9	
Florida	67	15,982	17.7	18,803	20,754 21,164	9.4	
Sources:	cols 1-2: US Census.						
sskoff (2005), Table 2.4 for population forecasts; Tables 3.1, 3.3, 3.5 for water forecasts.							
	cols. 7, 10, 11: from Marella (2014), Tables 2 & 5 for county water use.						e.

Table 3. Comparing Water Use Forecasts with Actual Records, 2000, 2010, All Regions

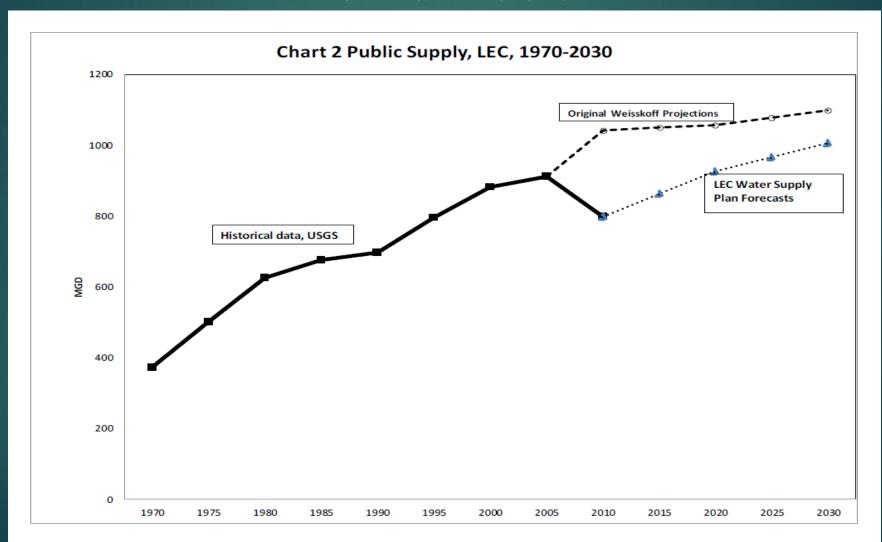
	Fresh Water Use (mgd - millions of gal/day)								
	Public Supply (PS)			Rest of Freshwater (RF)			Total Freshwater Use (PS+RF)		
	W'koff		% diff	W'koff		% diff	W'koff		% diff
	slow to fast	USGS	W'koff slow	slow to fast	USGS	W'koff slow	slow to fast	USGS	W'koff slow
Region	forecast	actual	to USGS	forecast	actual	to USGS	forecast	actual	to USGS
5.0	[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]	[5]	[6]	[7]	[8]	[9]
LEC - Lower East Coast	1,041.7 1,175.3	797.6	23.4	1,512.2 1,891.2	641.3	57.6	2,553.9 3,066.5	1,439.0	43.7
LWC - Lower West Coast	145.2 182.5	119.6	17.6	1,252.3 1,759.7	910.6	27.3	1,397.5 1,942.2	1,030.1	26.3
UEC -Upper East Coast	45.6 56.2	45.8	-0.4	499.0 574.2	156.7	68.6	544.6 630.4	202.5	62.8
KSV - Kissimmee Valley	51.9 65.0	44.9	13.5	239.4 273.3	223.3	6.7	291.3 338.3	268.1	8.0
All South Florida	1,284.4 1,479.0	1,007.9	21.5	3,502.9 4,498.4	1,931.9	9 44.8	4,787.3 5,977.4	2,939.7	38.6
Rest of Florida	1,667.4] 1,732.7]	1,259.9	24.4	NA }	2,199.5	5 NA	NA }	519.9	NA
Florida	2,951.8 3,211.7	2267.8	23.2	NA }	4,131.4	NA	NA }	3,459.6	NA

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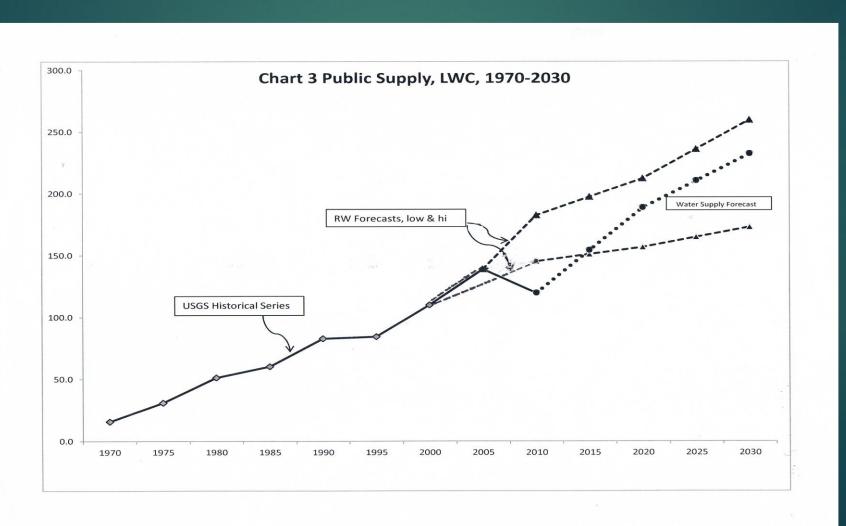
Cols. 1, 4, 7: from Weisskoff (2005), Tables 3.1, 3.3, 3.5. Cols. 2, 5, 8: from Marella (2014), tables 2 & 5 for county water use.

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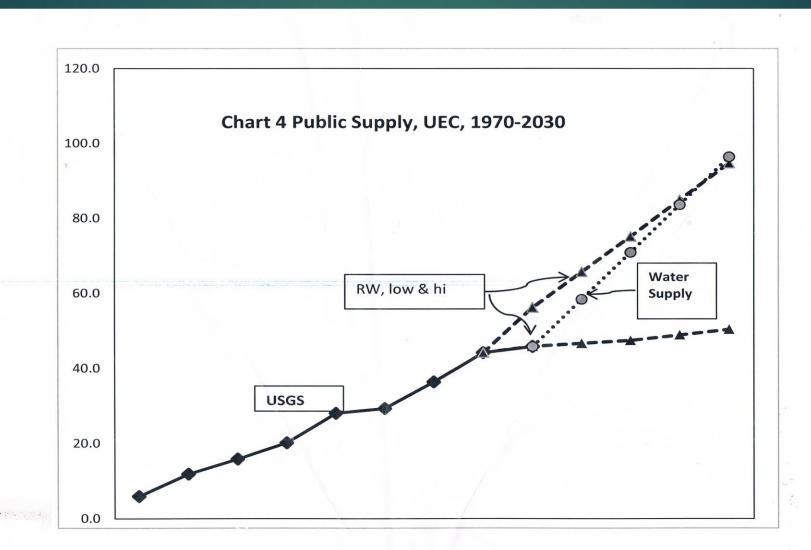
Public Supply, Lower East Coast, 1970-2030



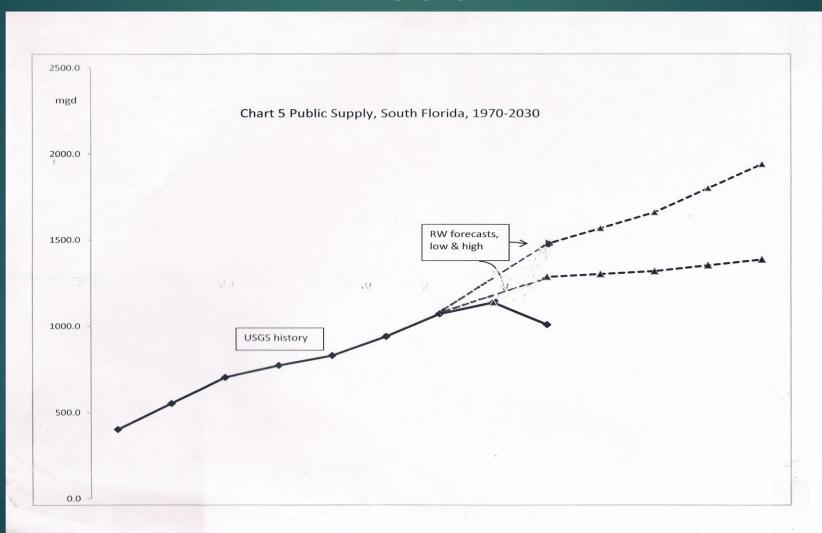
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Public Supply, Upper East Coast, 1970-2030



Public Supply, South Florida, 1970-2030



Lower East Coast: Rest of Freshwater (RF). History & Projections, 1970-2030

