

<b>Western States Average Annual Precipitation</b>	
<u>State</u>	<u>Average Precipitation (inches/year)</u>
Washington	35
Oregon	27
California	24
Idaho	18
Colorado	17
Montana	15
New Mexico	15
Arizona	14
Wyoming	14
Utah	13
Nevada	9
US Average	30

<b>Average Annual Precipitation by River Basin</b>	
<u>River Basin</u>	<u>Average Precipitation (inches/year)</u>
Weber River	26
Jordan River	23
Bear River	22
Utah Lake	22
Kanab Creek/Virgin River	17
Uintah	15
Sevier River	14
Cedar/Beaver	13
Southeast Colorado River	11
West Colorado River	10
West Desert	10
State Average (weighted land areas)	13

\*source: *Utah's Water Resources: Planning for the Future*