

## October 4, 2010 RESERVOIR LEVEL UPDATE

The 2009-2010 hydrologic year is now over. In terms of the total volume of water at San Marcial (547,000 ac-ft) it was less than the 3 previous hydrologic years, but about average looking at the past 10 years. Storage in Elephant Butte dam appears to have bottomed out and it should now begin to refill, while Caballo has been reduced to below 20,000 ac-ft for the fall/winter period, down from its peak of more than 70,000 ac-ft in the spring.

### COMBINED STORAGE at Elephant Butte and Caballo October 3, 2010 385,192 acre-feet

