

PLATTE RIVER WATERSHED

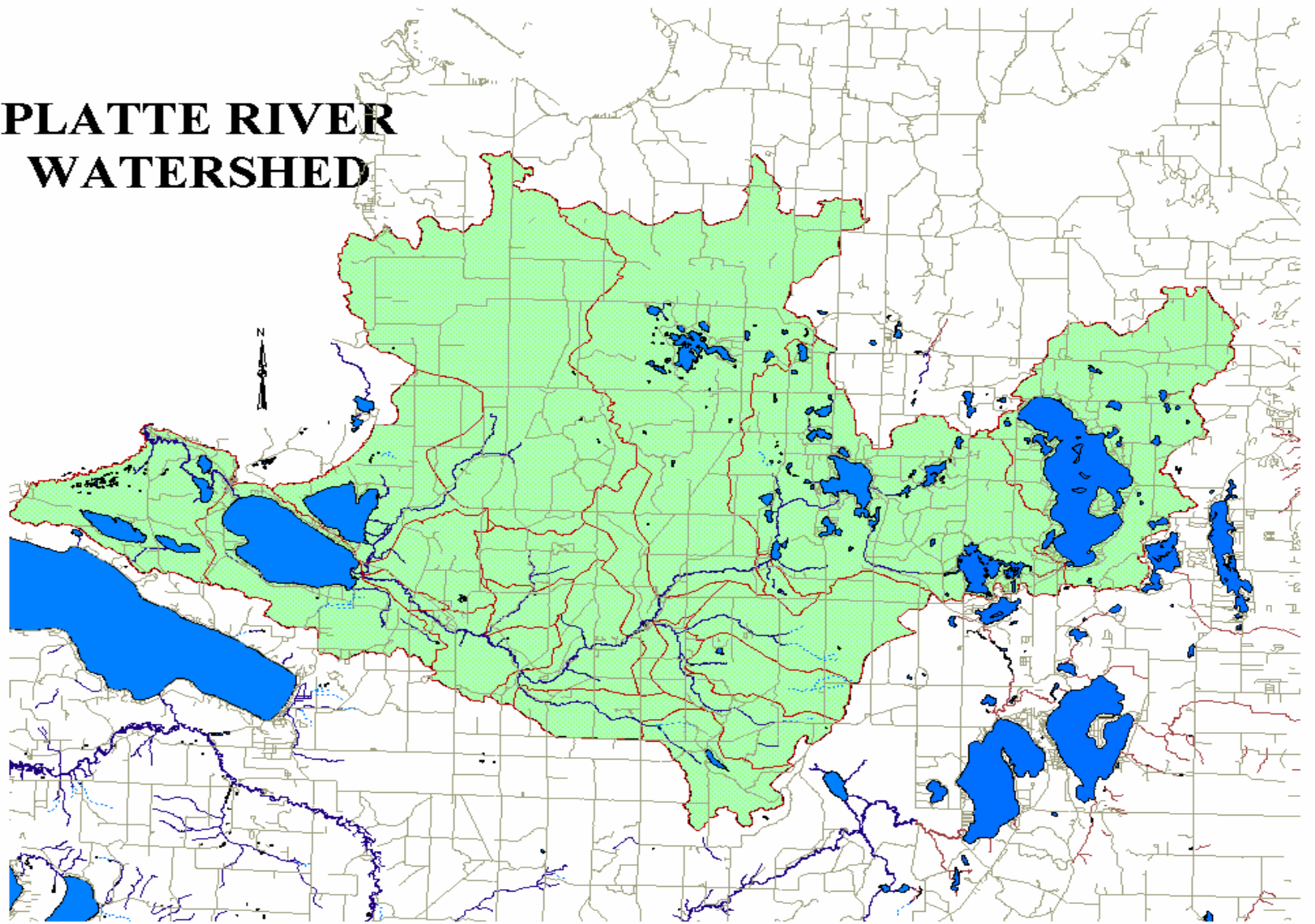


Figure 1. Map of Platte River Watershed.

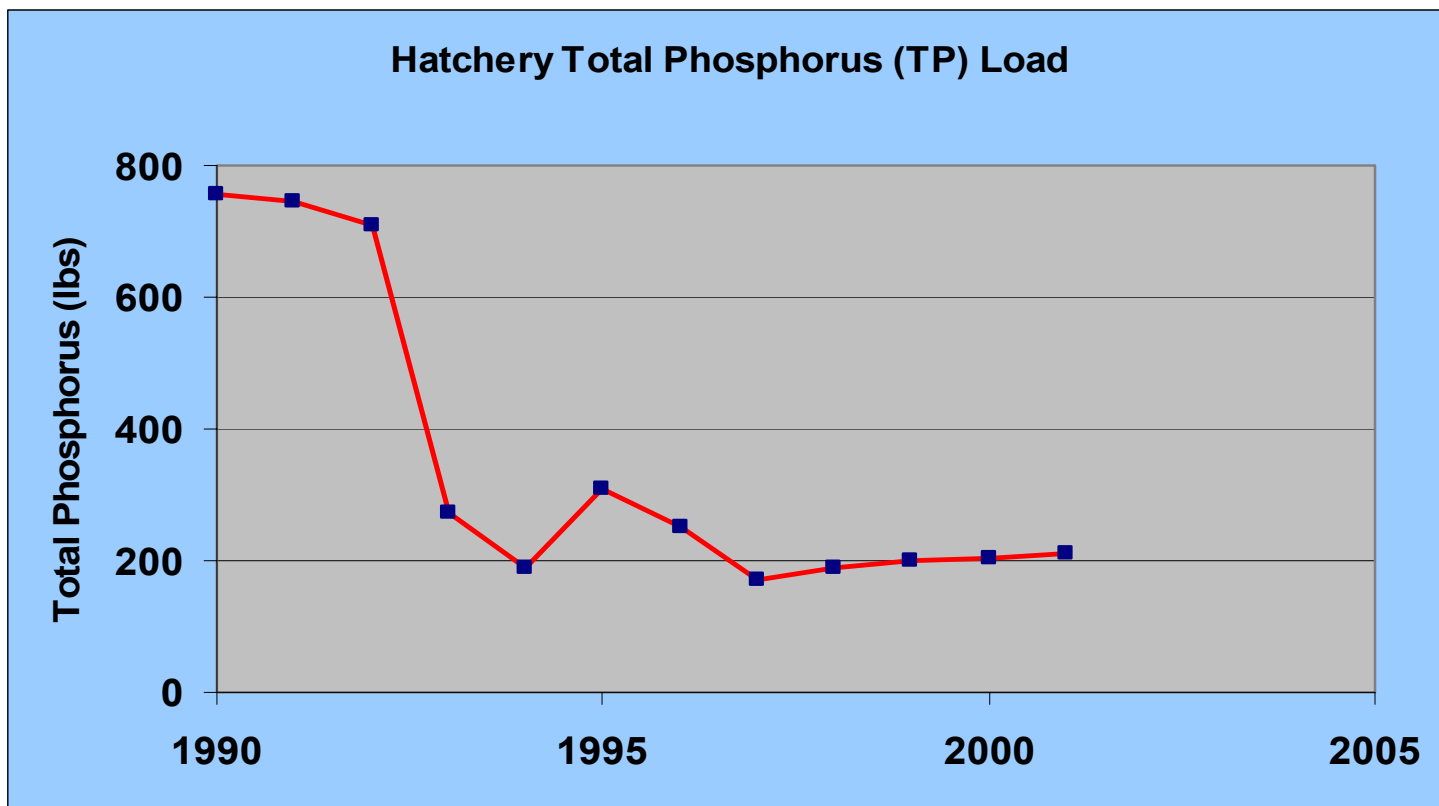


Figure 2. Long-Term Pattern of Hatchery Total Phosphorus Loads.

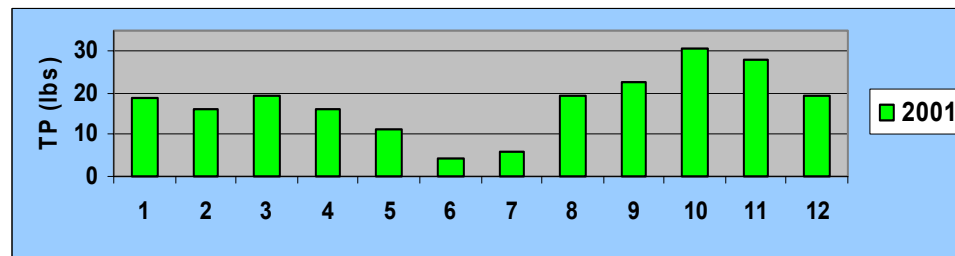
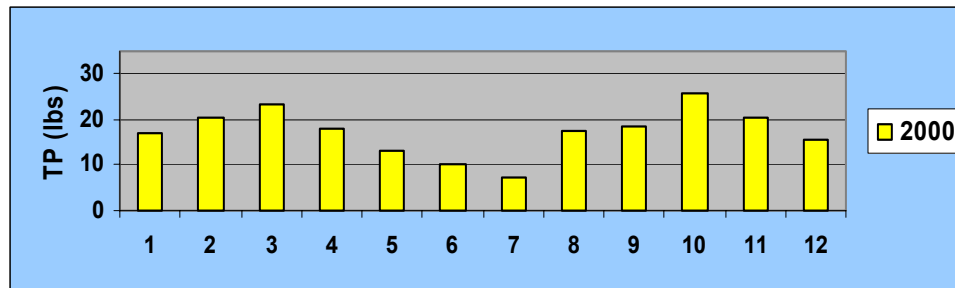
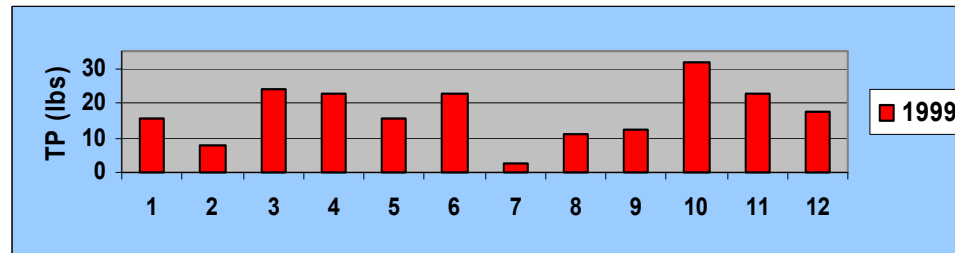
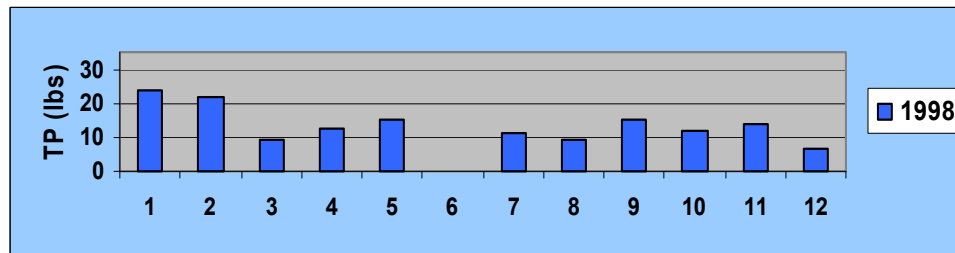


Figure 3. Monthly Hatchery Total Phosphorus Loads for 1998 to 2001.

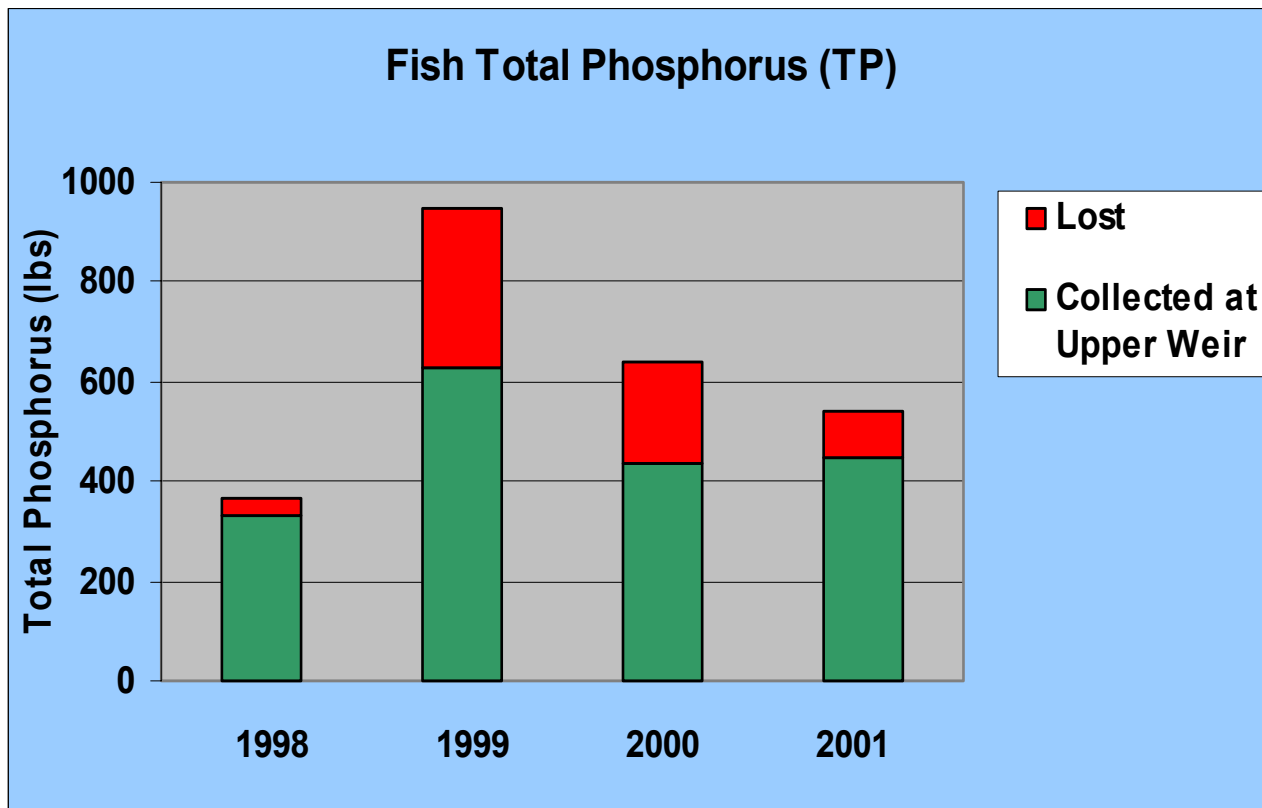
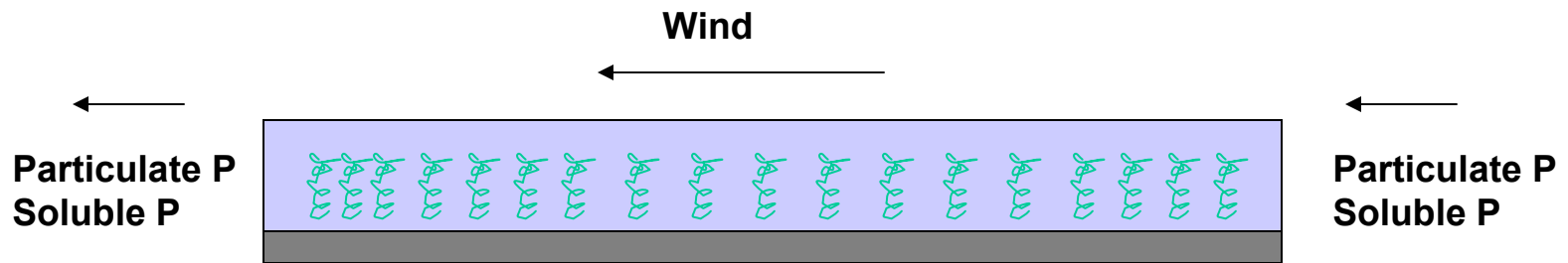


Figure 4. Phosphorus Associated with Salmon that Pass the Lower Weir for 1998 to 2001.

Kinetic Processes

Settling vs Resuspension
Hydrolysis vs Algal Uptake
Macrophyte Uptake and Growth vs Excretion and Sloughing
Sediment release



Measurements

Soluble and Total P
Chlorophyll
Dissolved Oxygen
Turbidity

Sediment TP
Macrophyte species, area, density, tissue P
Wind velocity and temperature
Flow

Figure 5. Processes that Effect Pond TP Removal Efficiency

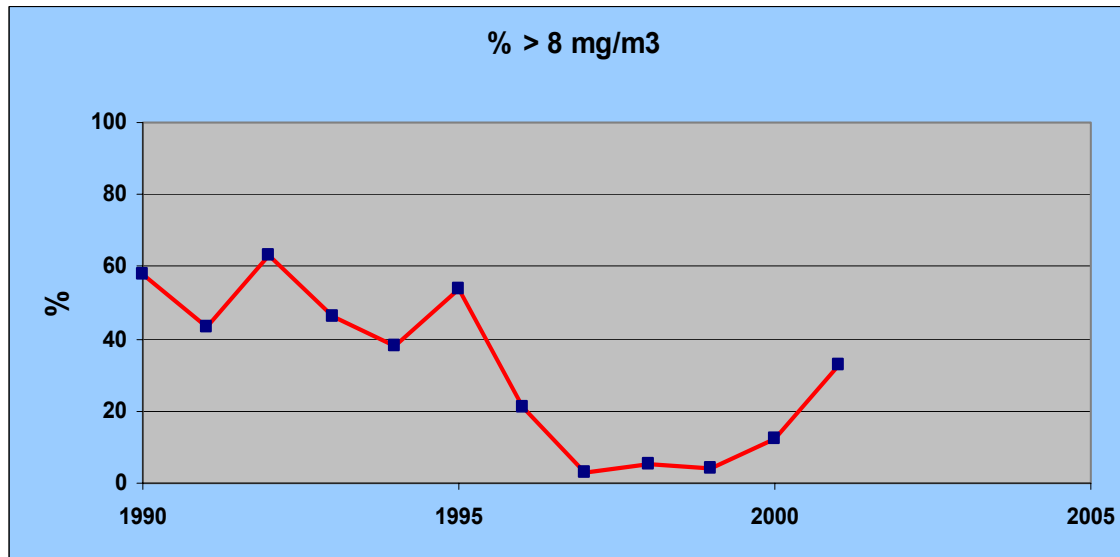
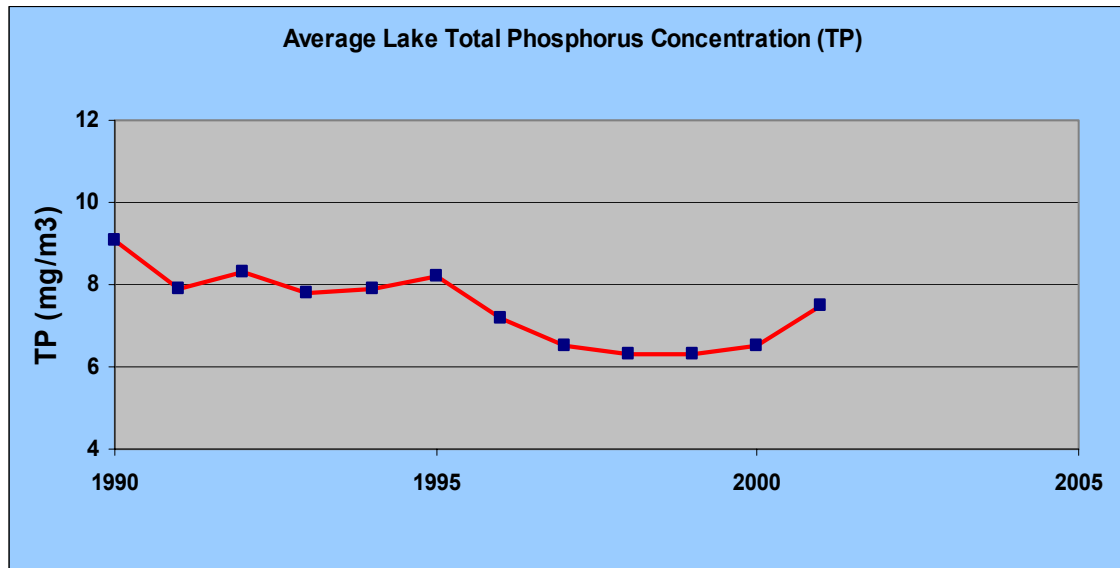


Figure 6. Long-Term Average TP and % > 8 mg/L in Big Platte Lake.

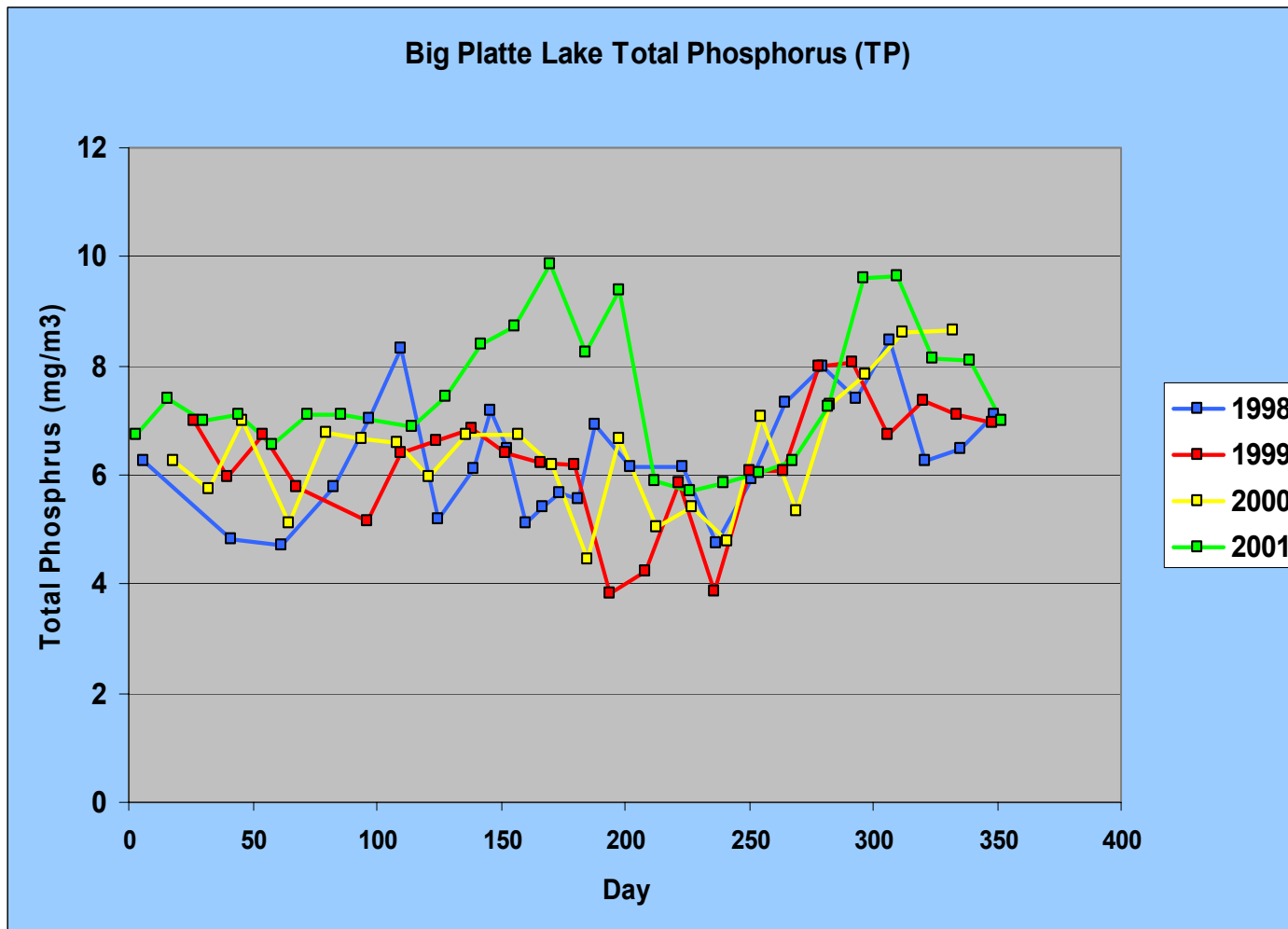


Figure 7. Annual Variation of Volume-Weighted TP in Big Platte Lake for 1998 to 2001.

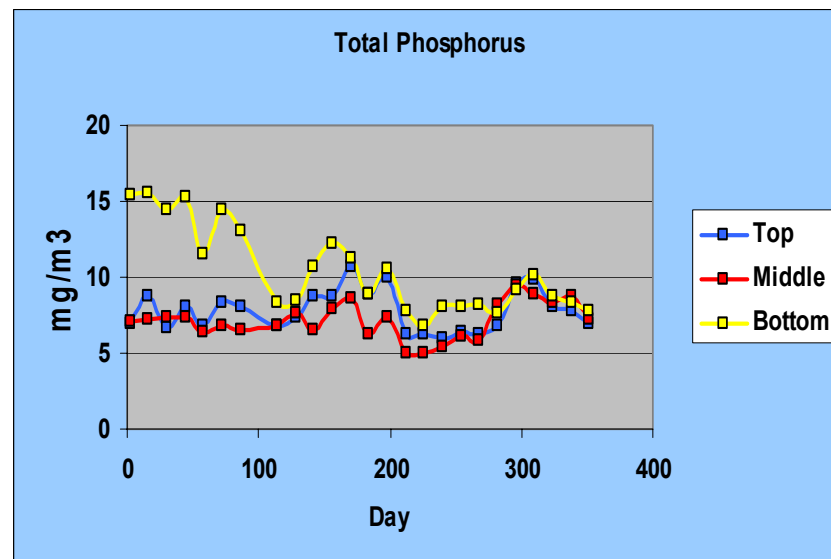
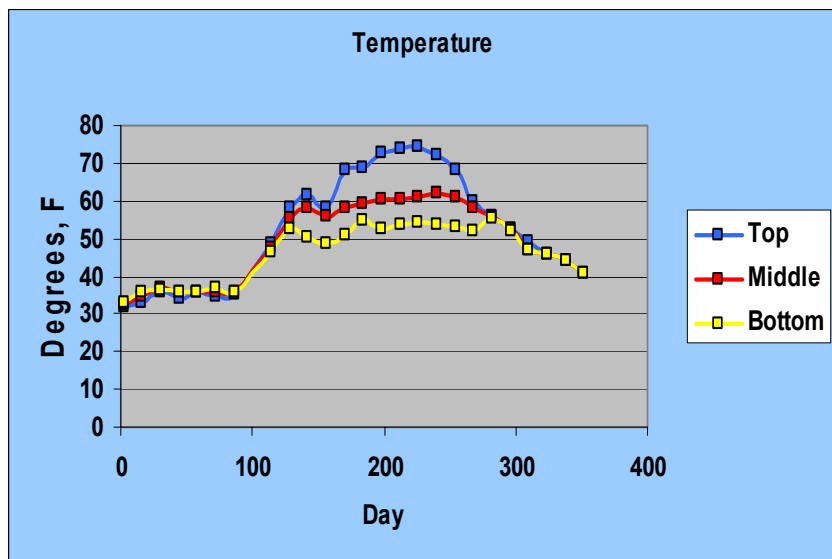
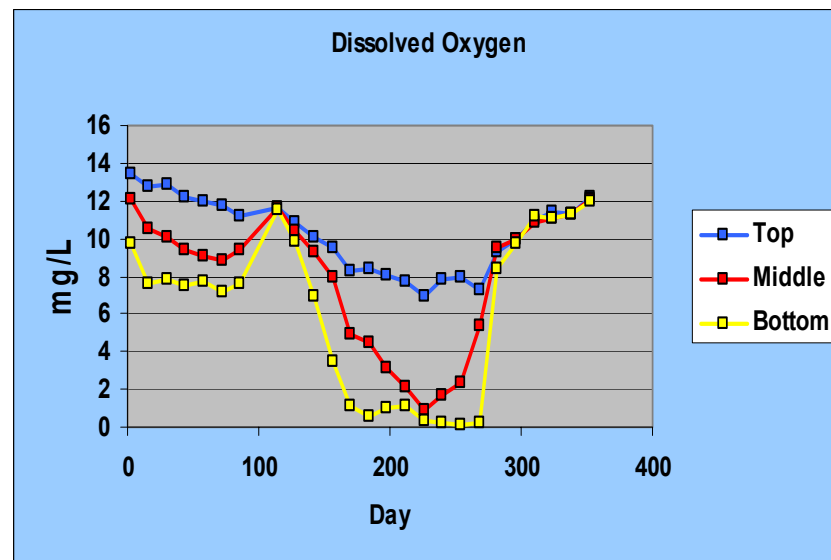
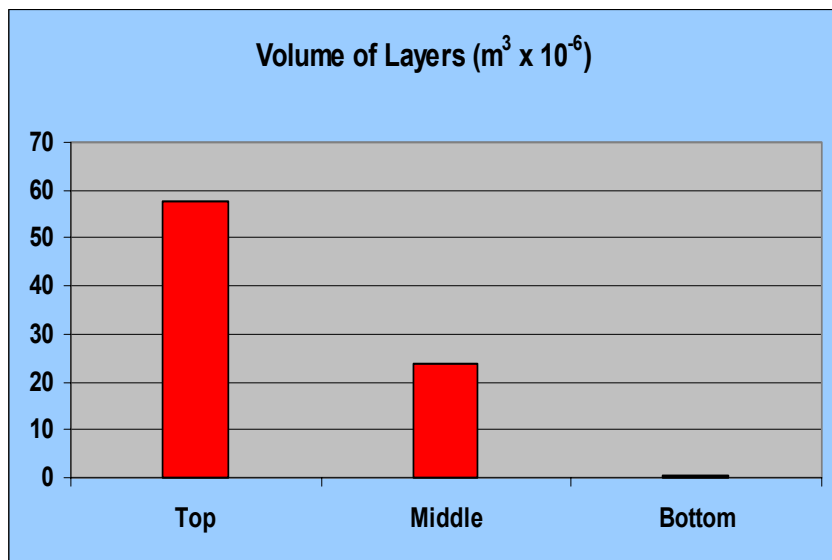


Figure 8. Measurements summarized into Three Layers for 2001.

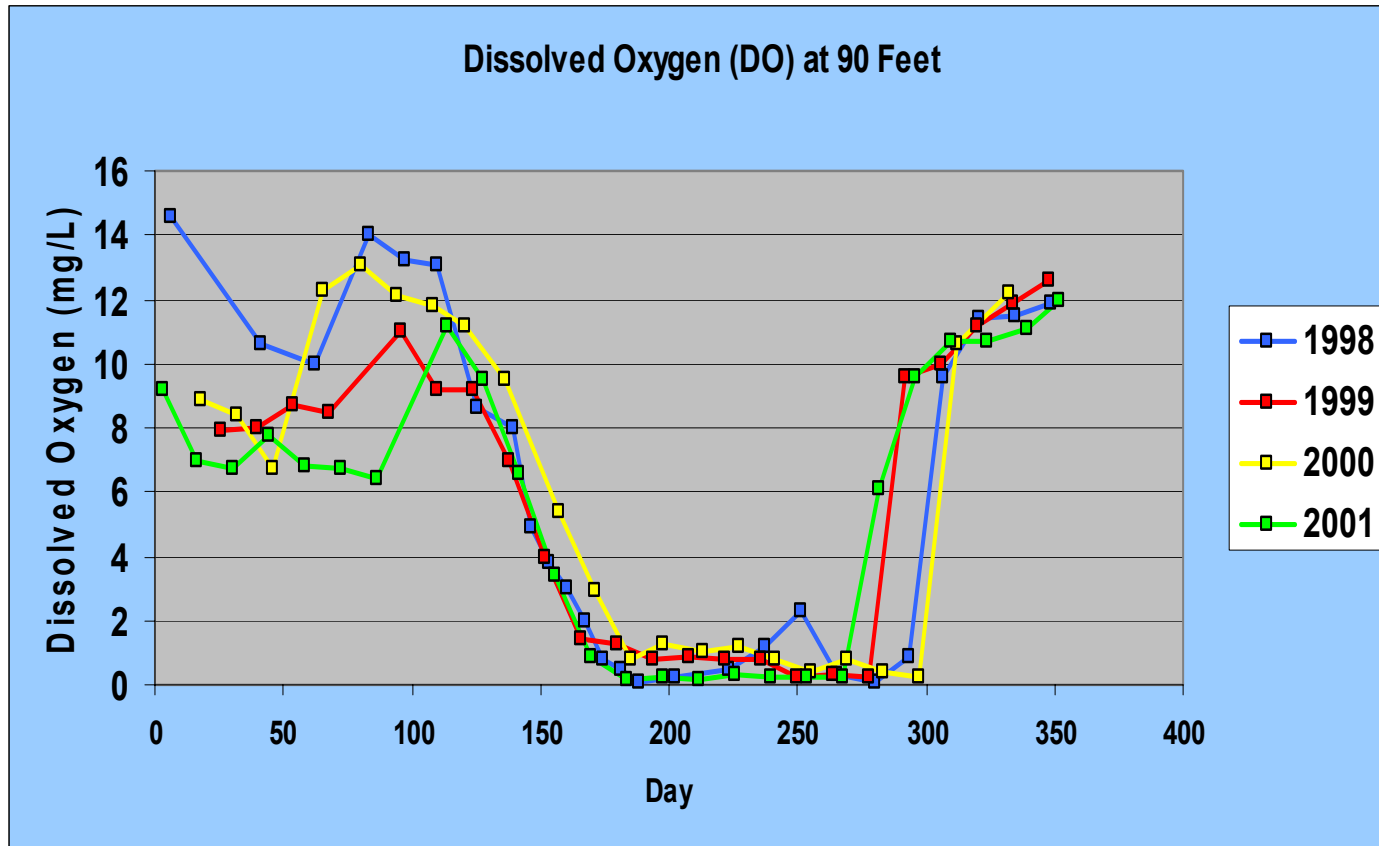


Figure 9. Annual Variation of Dissolved Oxygen at 90 Feet in Big Platte Lake for 1998 to 2001.

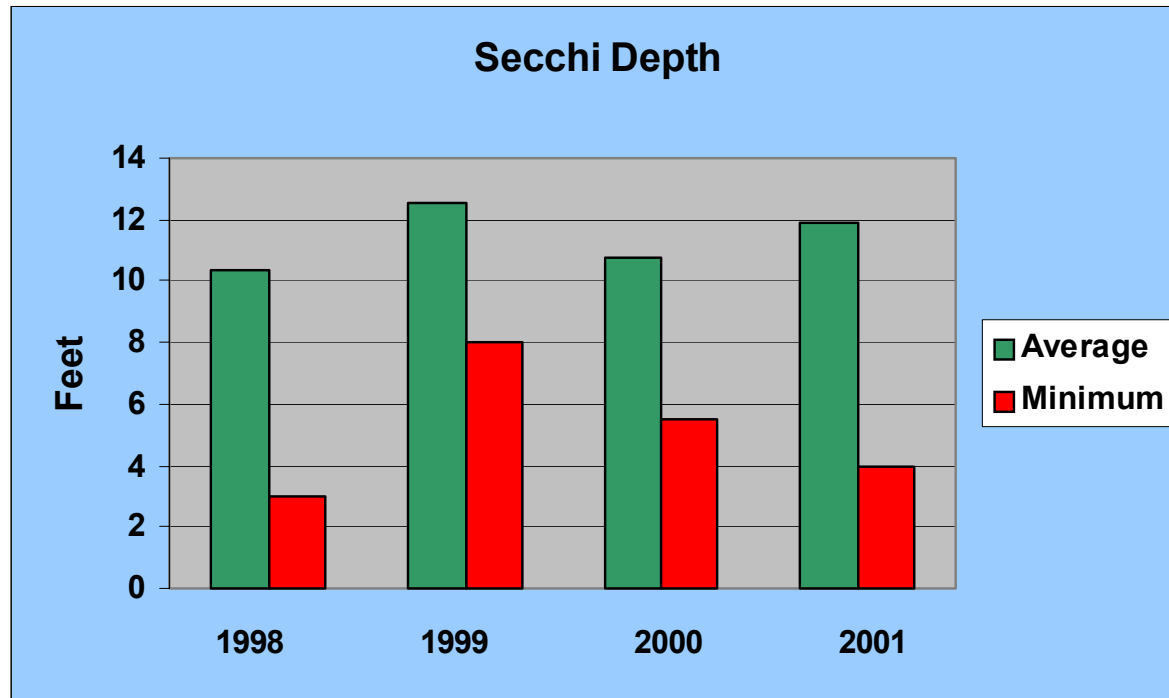


Figure 10. Average and Minimum Secchi Depth (PLIA) in Big Platte Lake for 1998 to 2001.

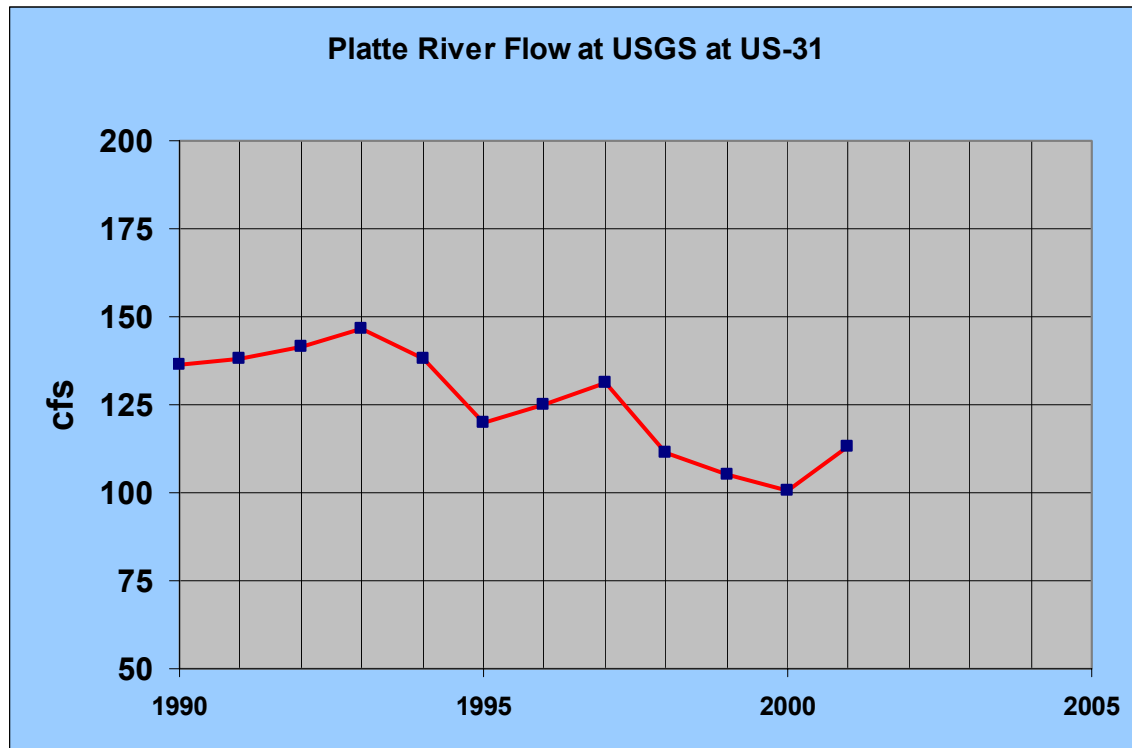


Figure 11. Mean Annual Discharge at USGS Station at US-31.

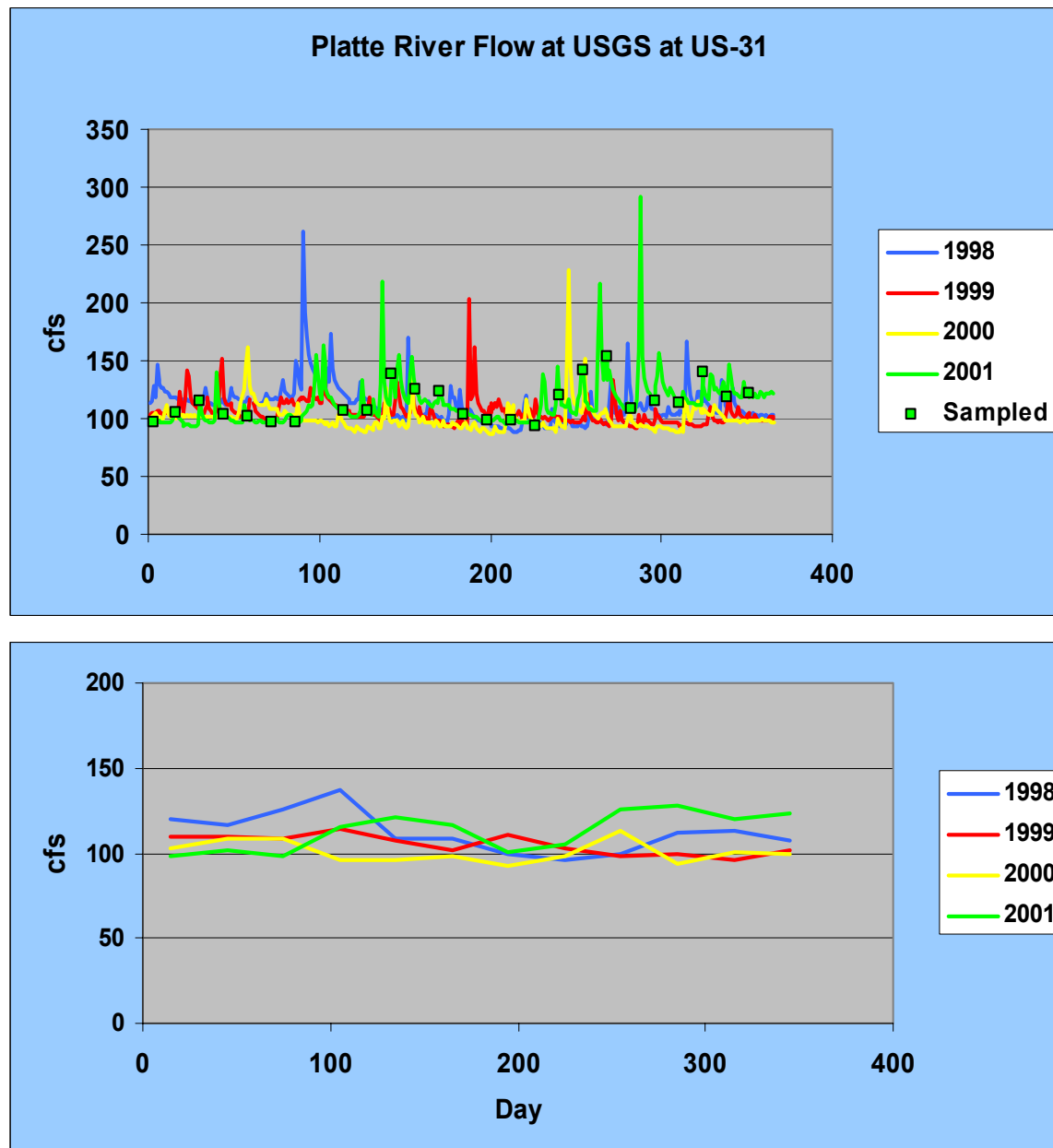


Figure 12. Daily and Monthly Flows of Platte River at USGS Station at US-31 for 1998 to 2001.

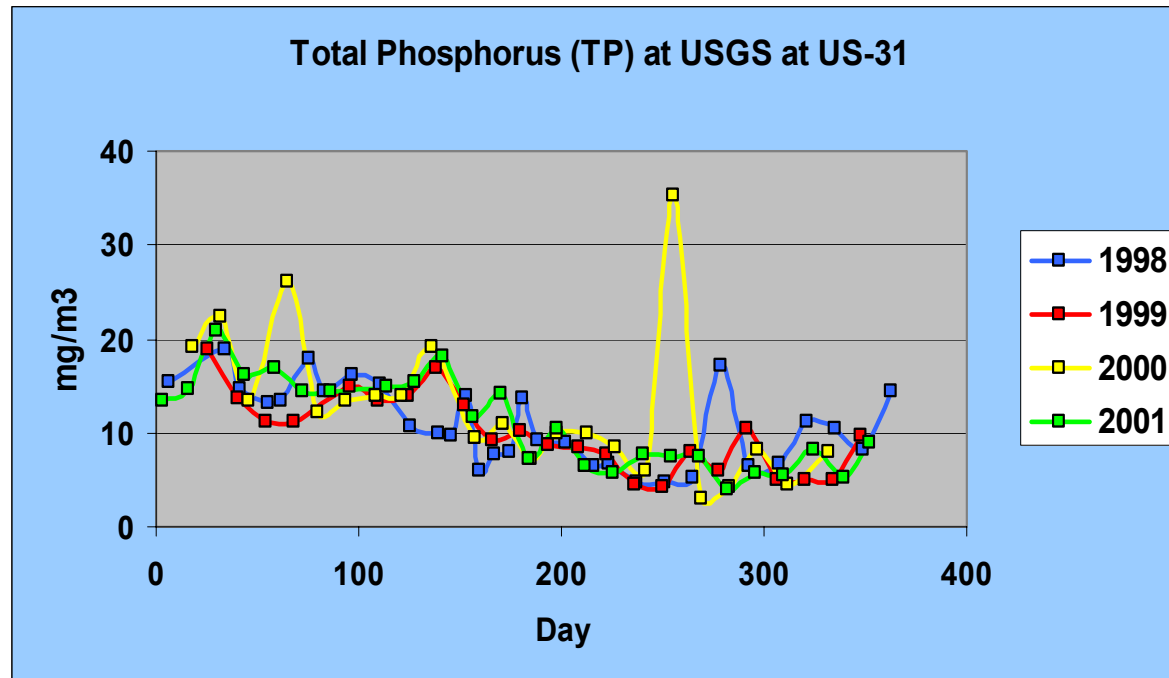


Figure 13. Measured Total Phosphorus (TP) at USGS Station at US-31 for 1998 to 2001.

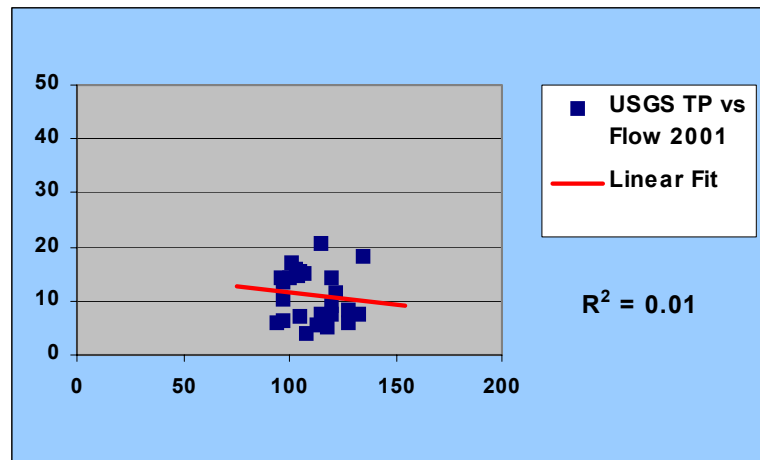
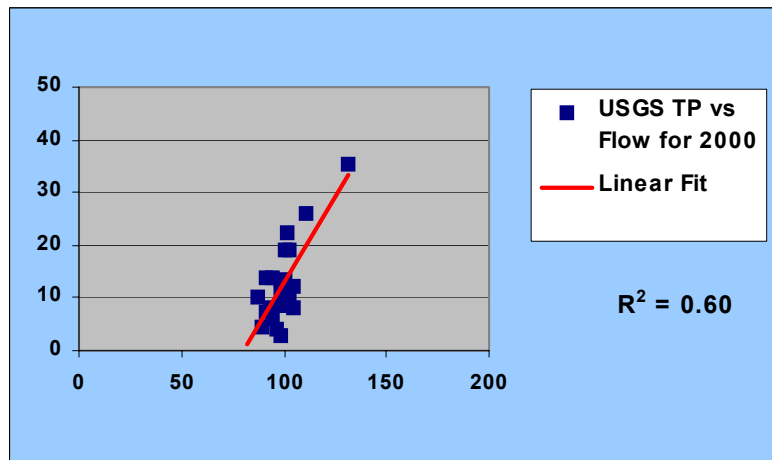
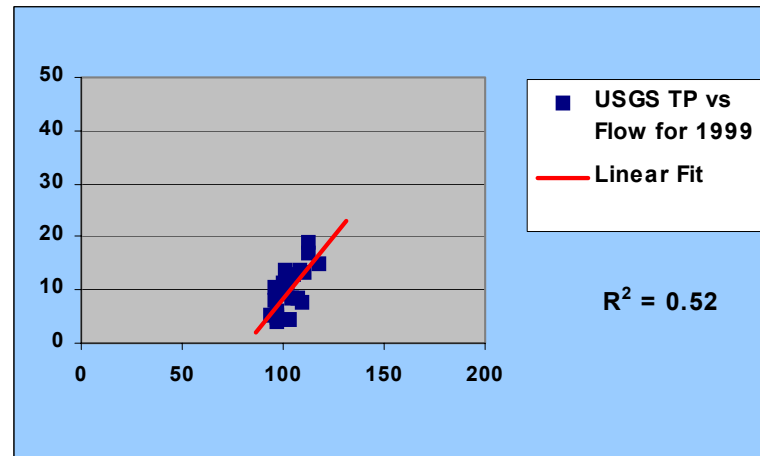
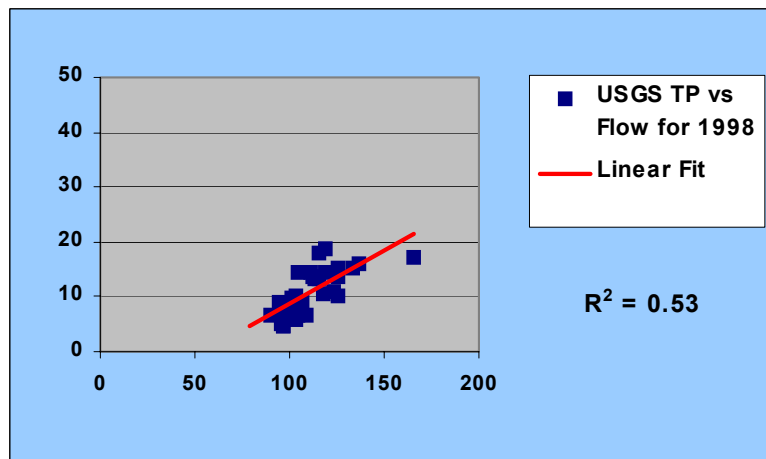


Figure 14. USGS Flow at US-31 Correlation with Total Phosphorus (TP) for 1998 to 2001.

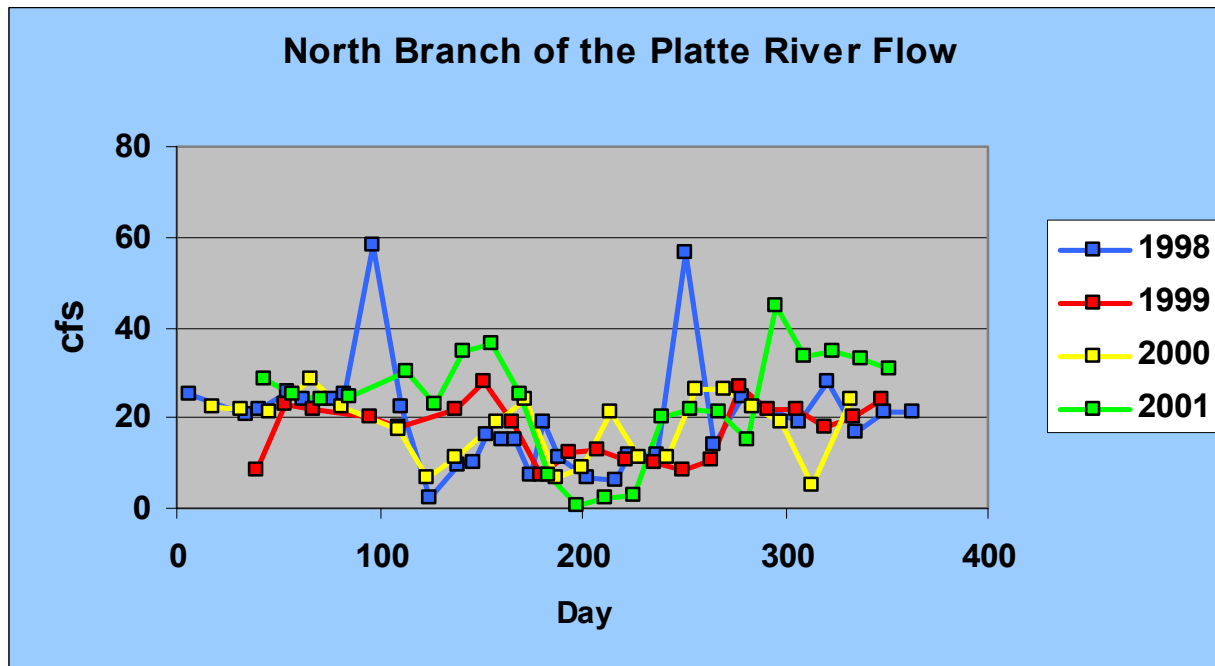


Figure 15. Measured Flow of the North Branch of the Platte River for 1998 to 2001.

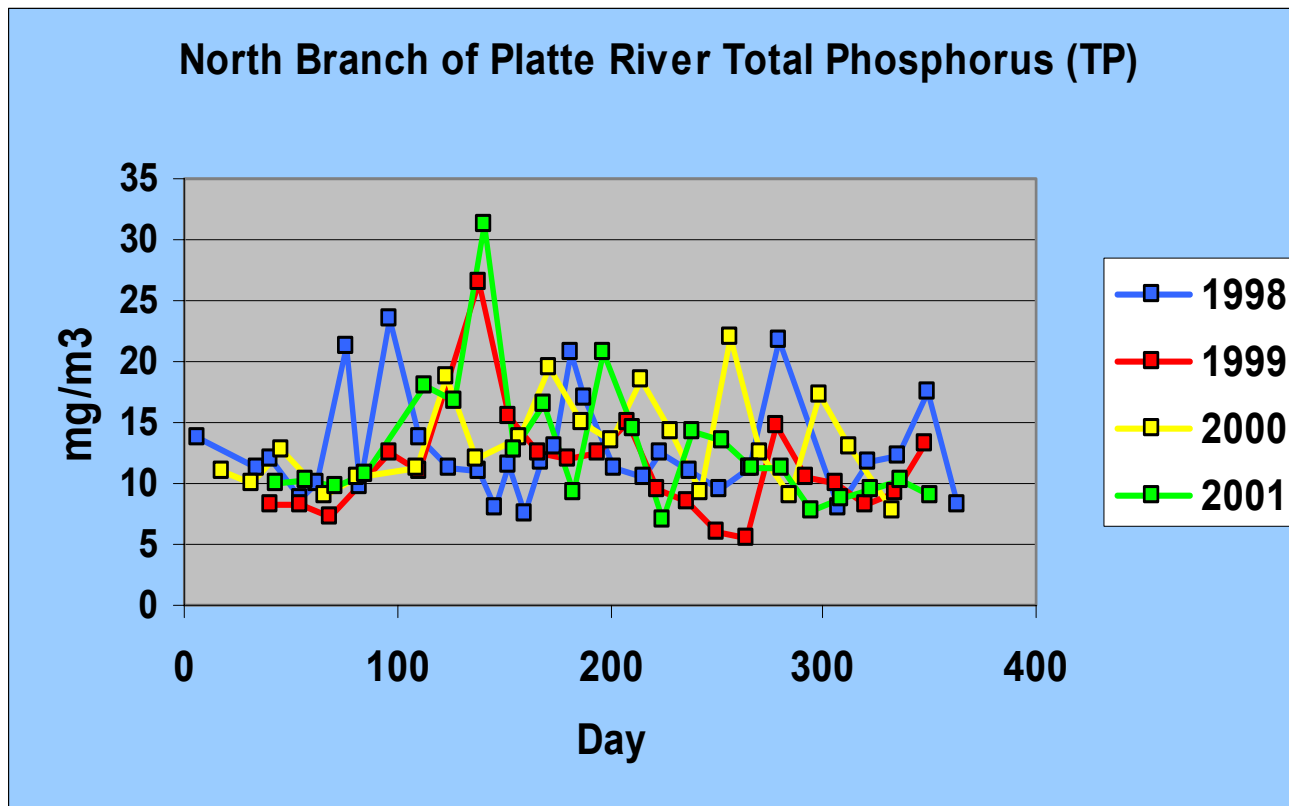


Figure 16. Measured Total Phosphorus (TP) of North Branch of Platte River for 1998 to 2001.

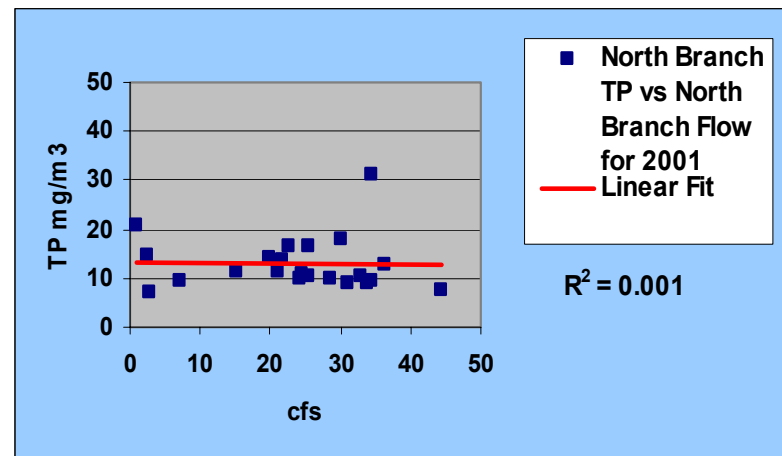
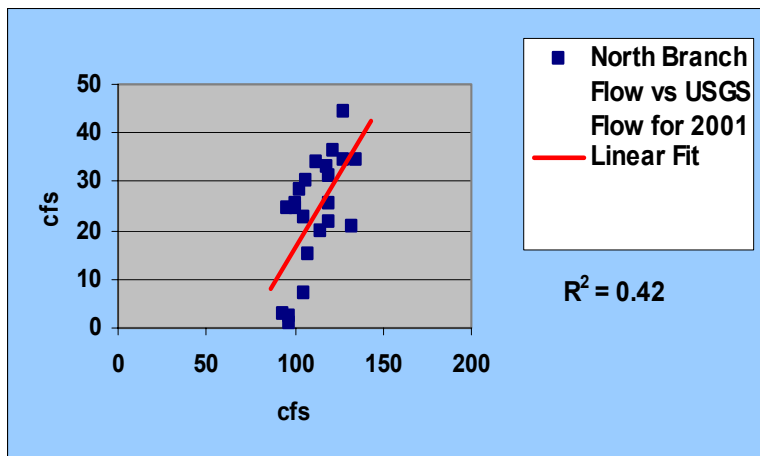
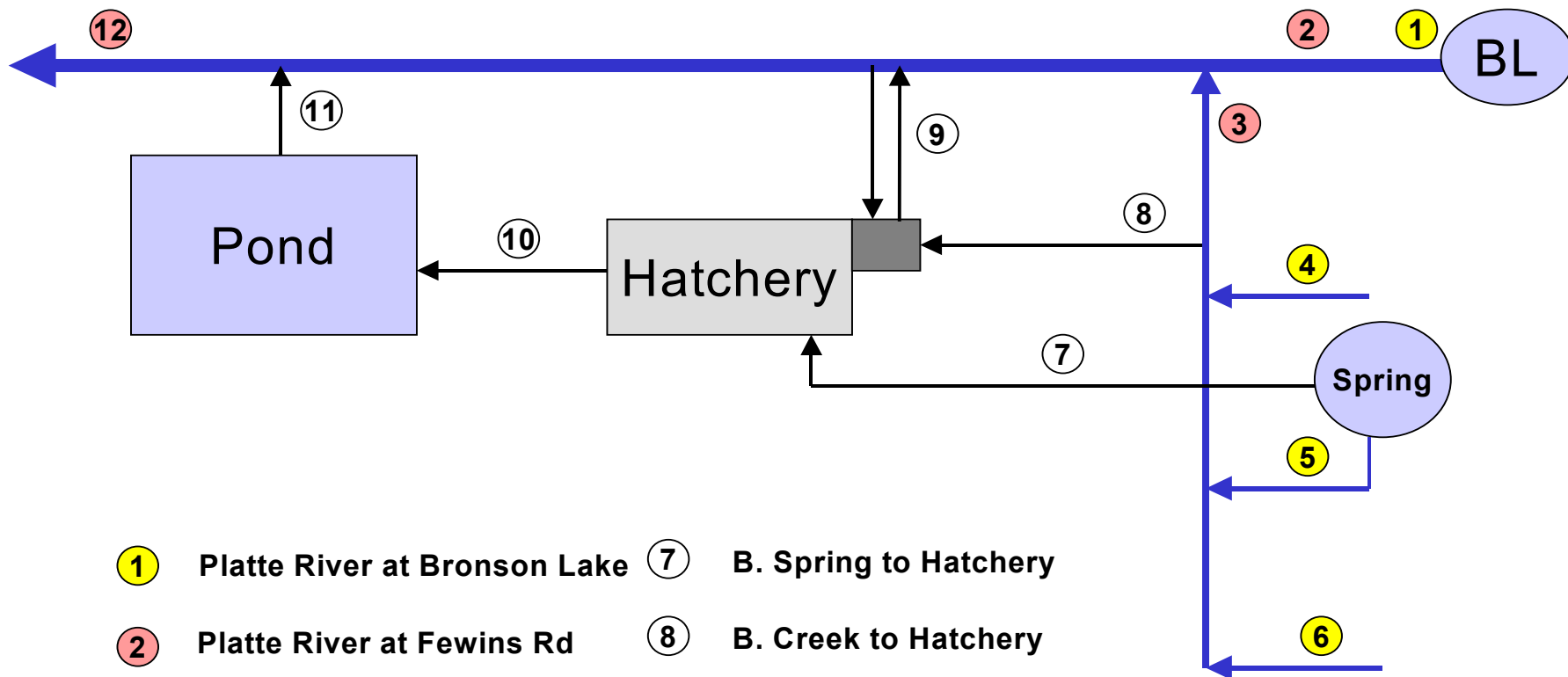
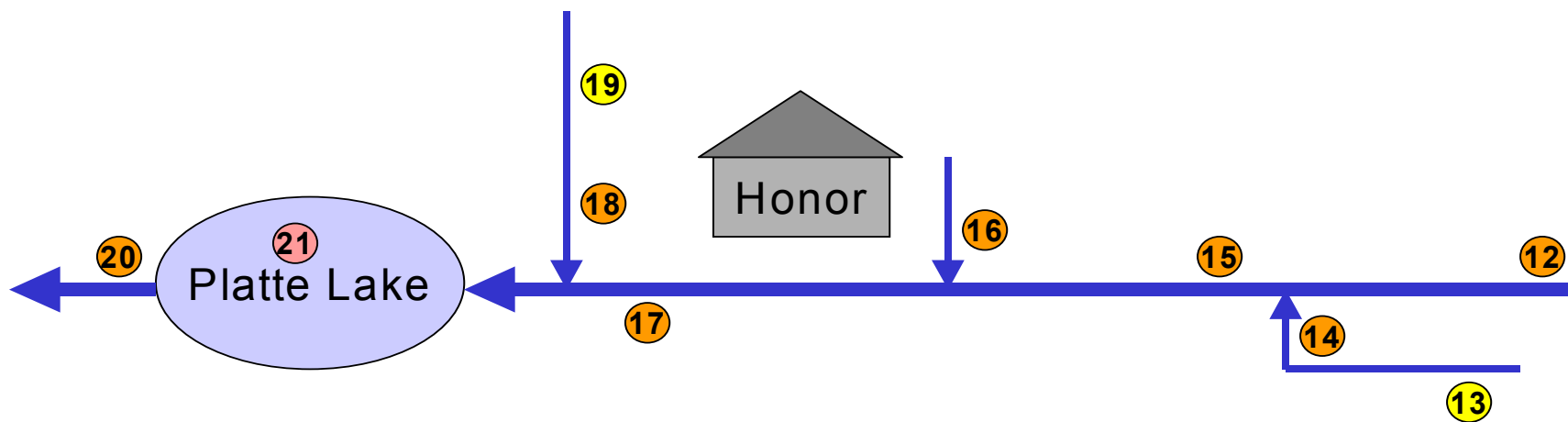


Figure 17. North Branch of Platte River Correlations for 2001.



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| ① Platte River at Bronson Lake | ⑦ B. Spring to Hatchery |
| ② Platte River at Fewins Rd | ⑧ B. Creek to Hatchery |
| ③ Brundage Creek | ⑨ Platte River in or out of Hatchery |
| ④ Stanley Creek | ⑩ Inlet to Pond |
| ⑤ Brundage Creek | ⑪ Pond Outlet |
| ⑥ Kinney Creek | ⑫ Platte River at US - 31 |

Figure 18. Proposed Hatchery and Tributary Sampling Stations for 2002.



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| 12 | Platte River at US - 31 | 17 | Platte River at USGS |
| 13 | Upstream Carter Creek | 18 | North Branch at Deadstream |
| 14 | Carter Creek at mouth | 19 | North Branch at Hooker Rd |
| 15 | Platte River at Pioneer Rd | 20 | Lake Outlet at M - 22 |
| 16 | Collison Creek | 21 | Platte Lake at Center - Deep |

Figure 19. Proposed Lake and Tributary Sampling Stations for 2002.

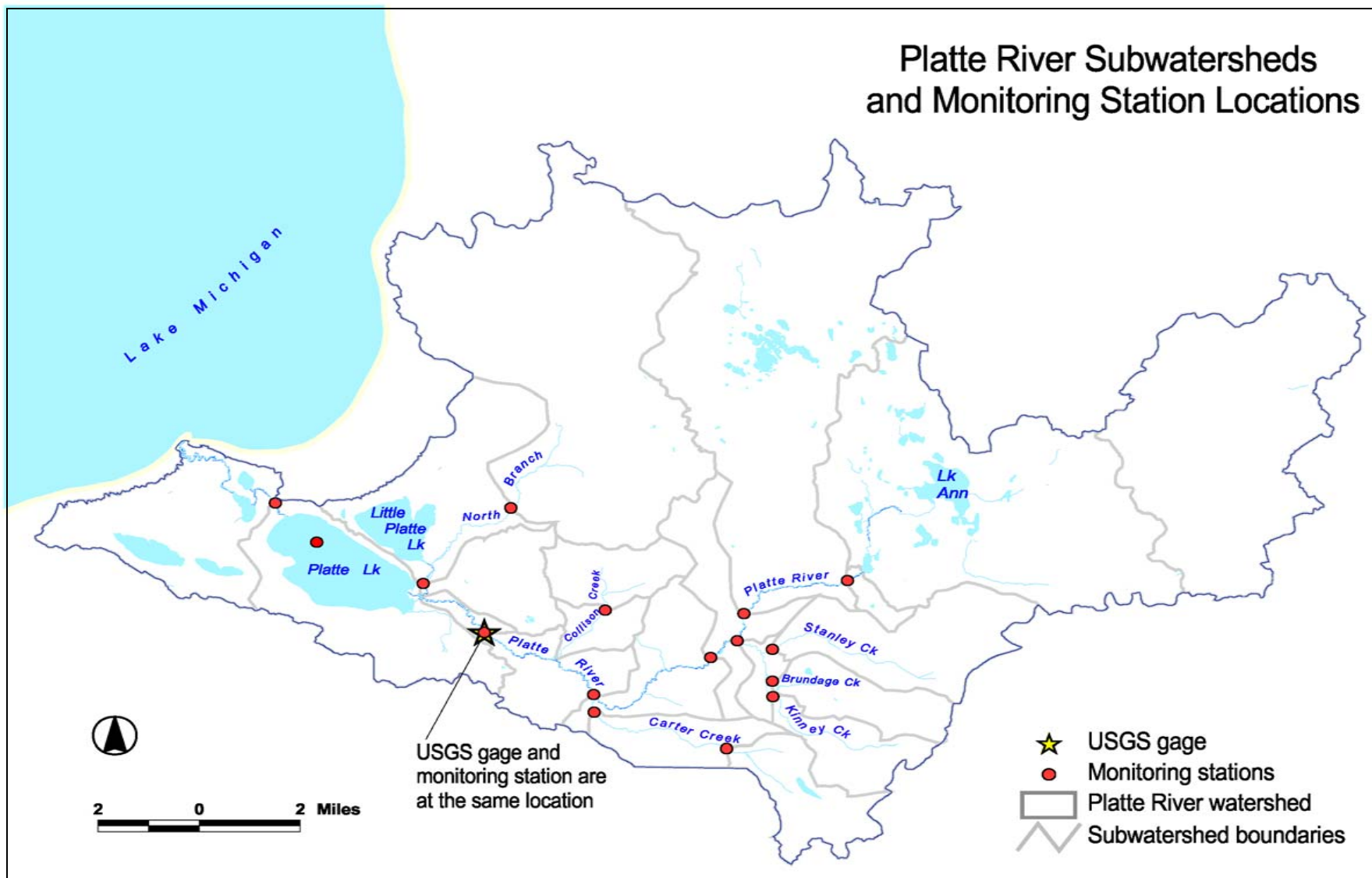


Figure 20. GIS Map of Sub-Watersheds and Proposed Sampling Stations (LTI).

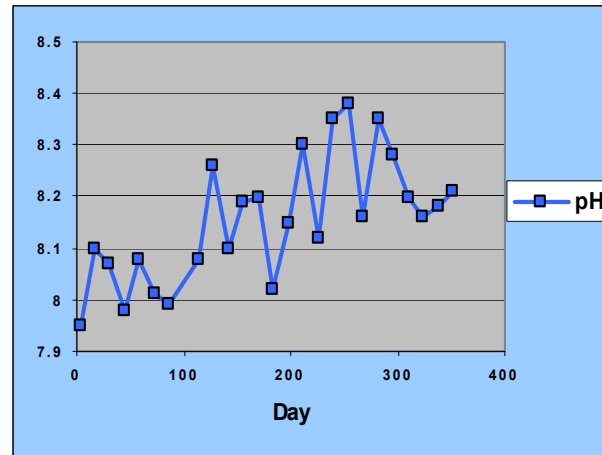
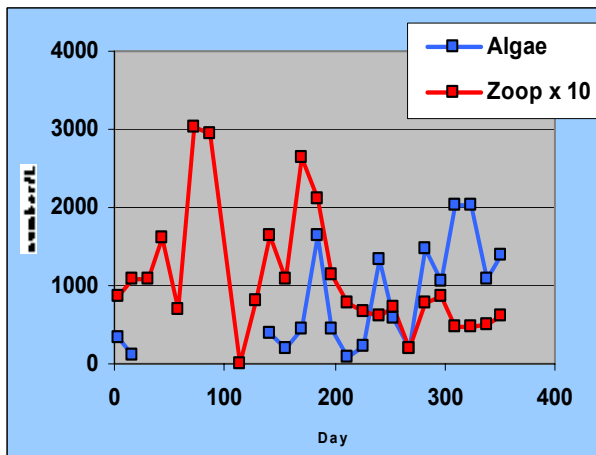
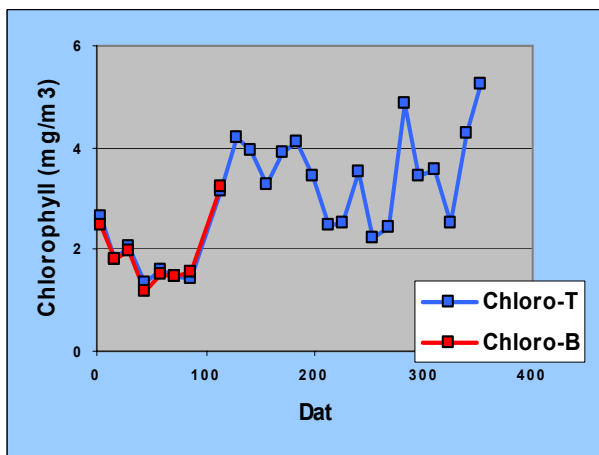
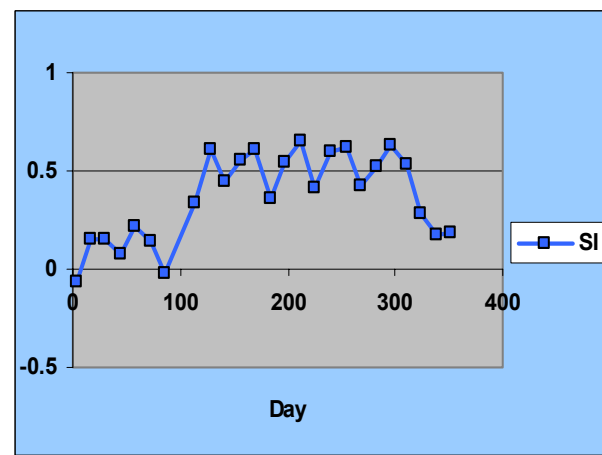
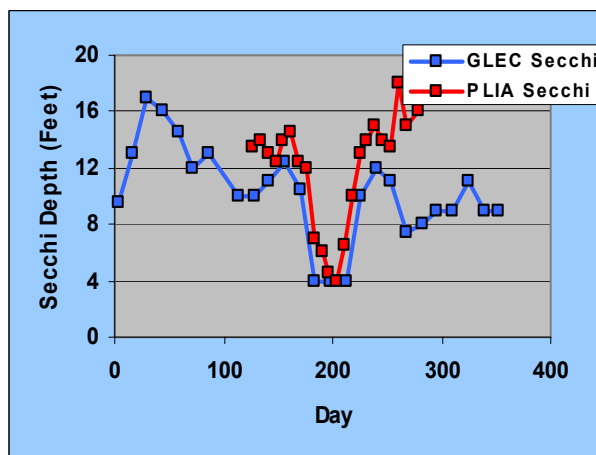
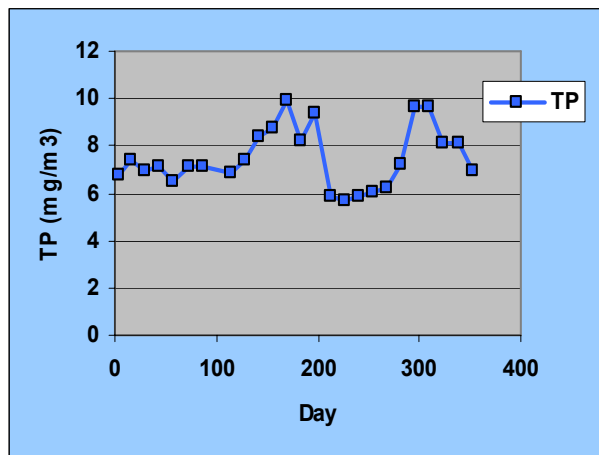


Figure 21. Annual Variation of Total Phosphorus (TP), Secchi Depth, Saturation Index (SI), Chlorophyll, Algae and Zooplankton Numbers, and pH for 2001.

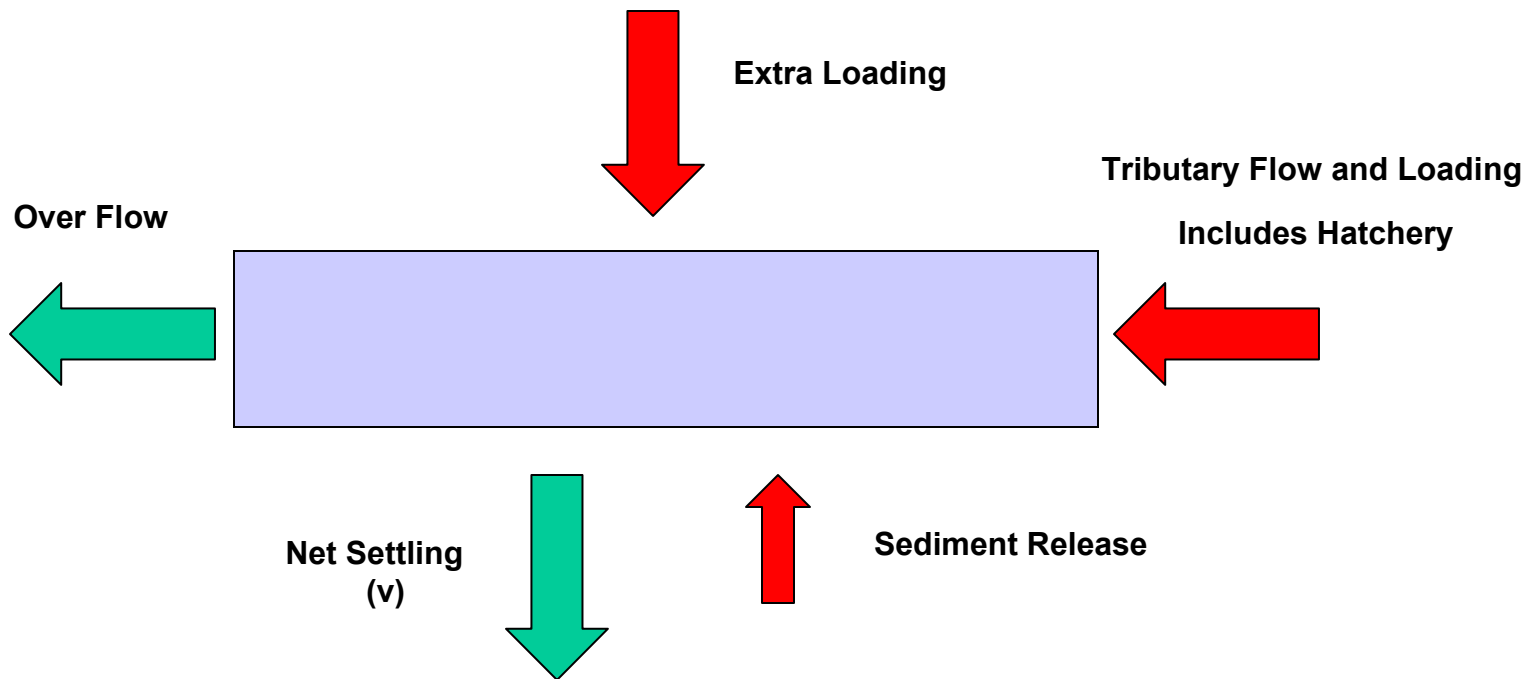


Figure 22. One Layer Model Mechanisms

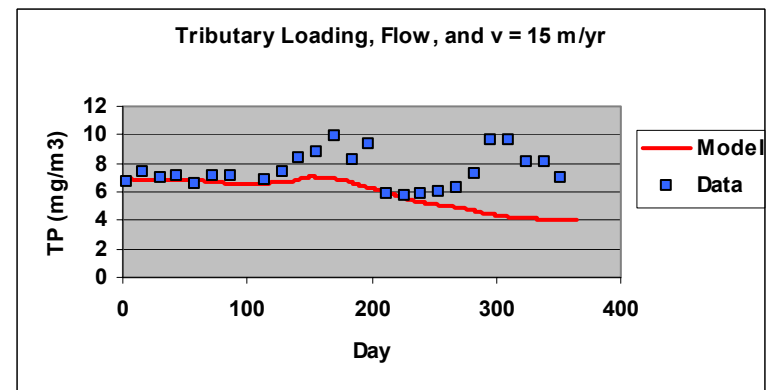
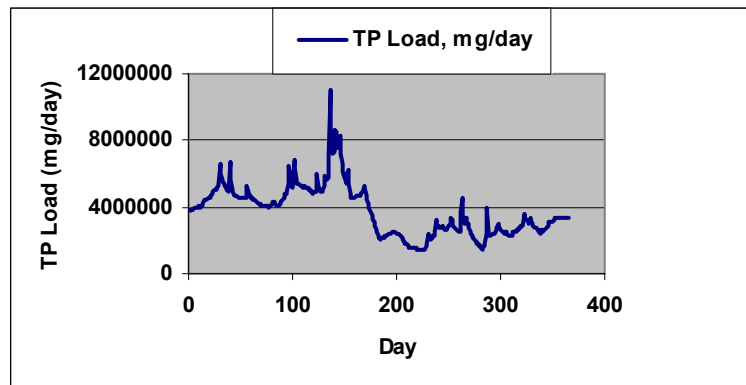
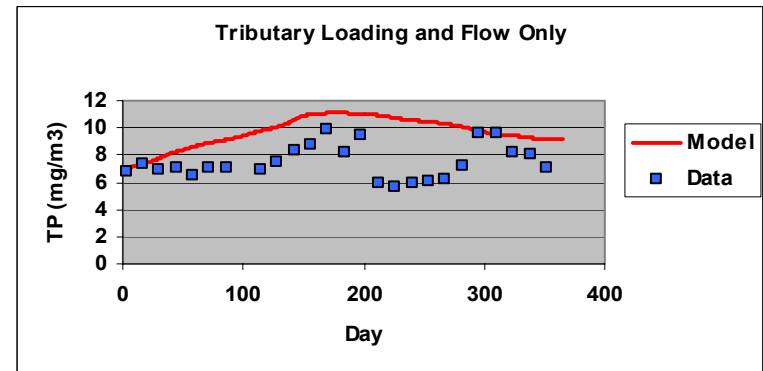
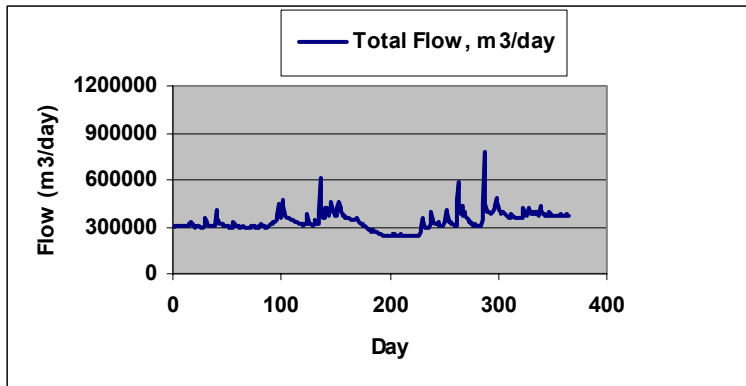


Figure 23. Model Results for Lake TP with Tributary Loads, Flow, and Constant Settling.

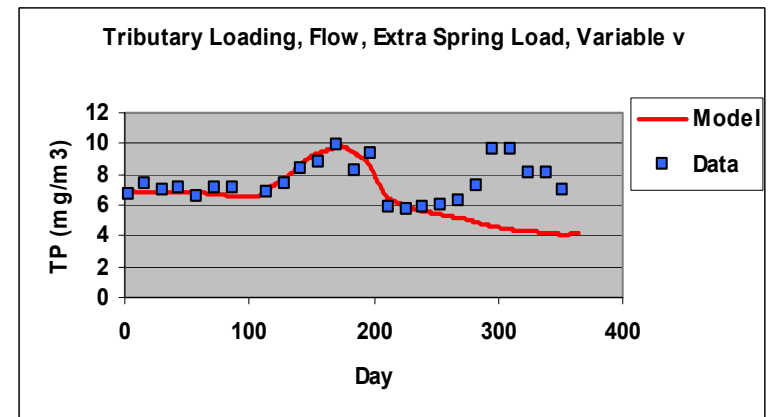
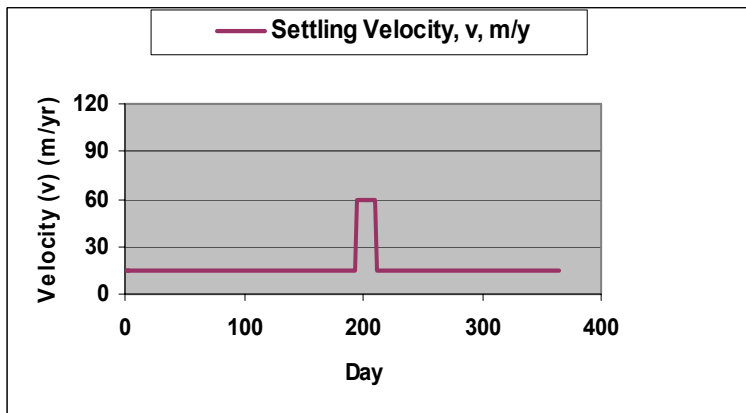
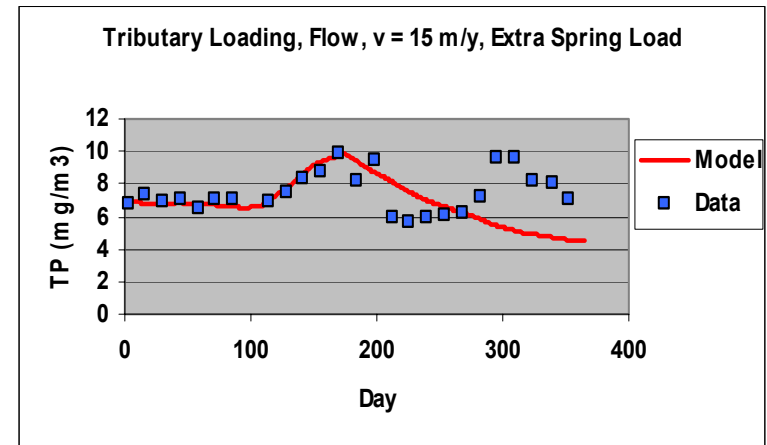
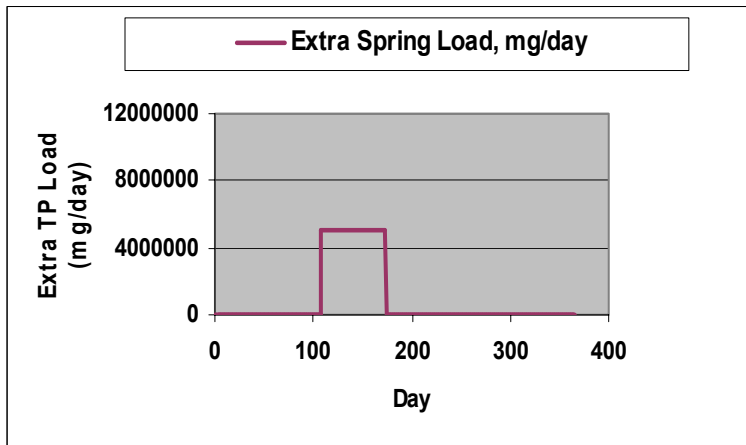


Figure 24. Model Results for Lake TP with Tributary Loads, Flow, Extra Spring Load, and Variable Settling.

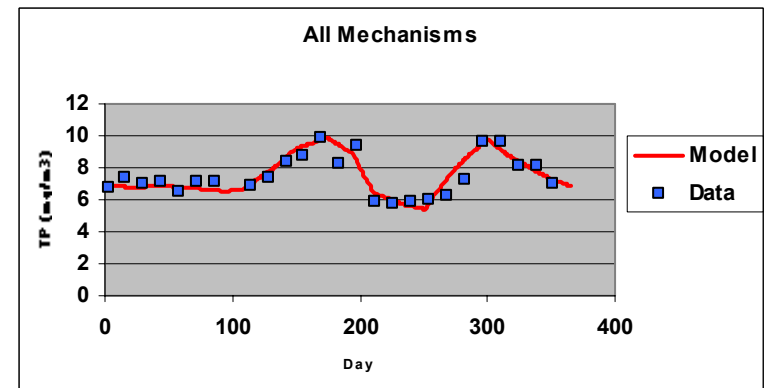
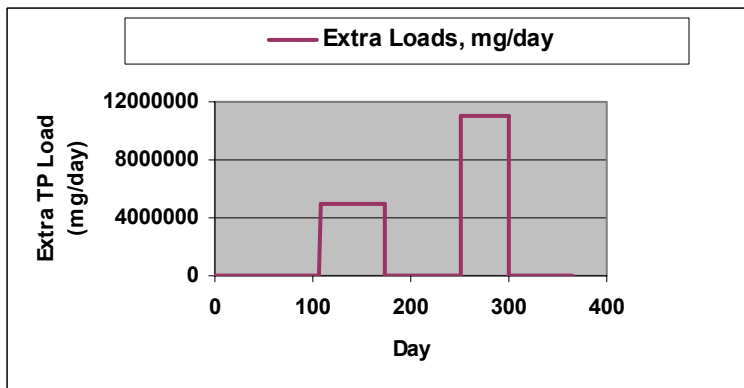
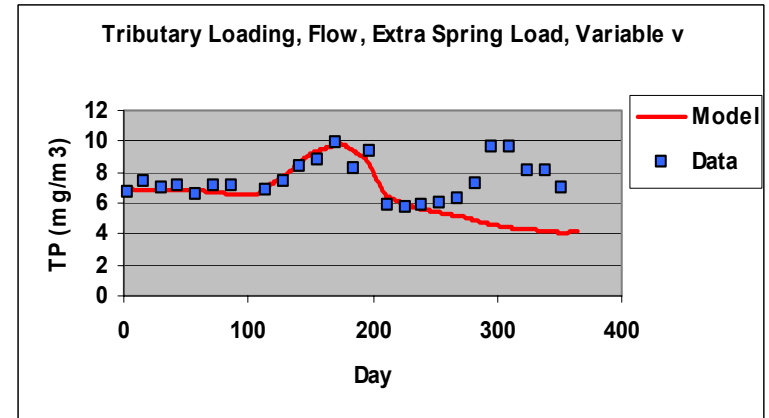
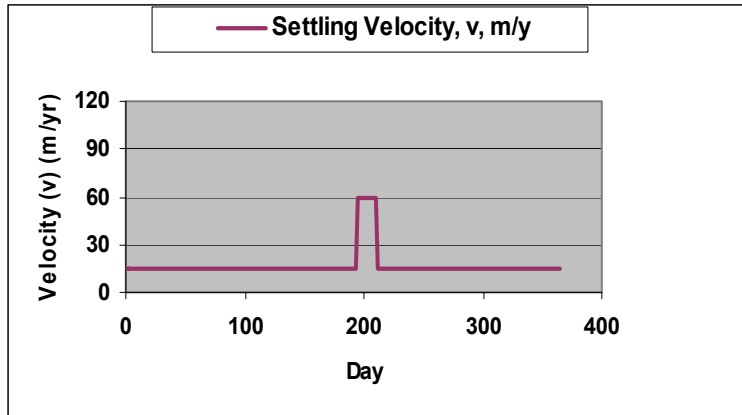


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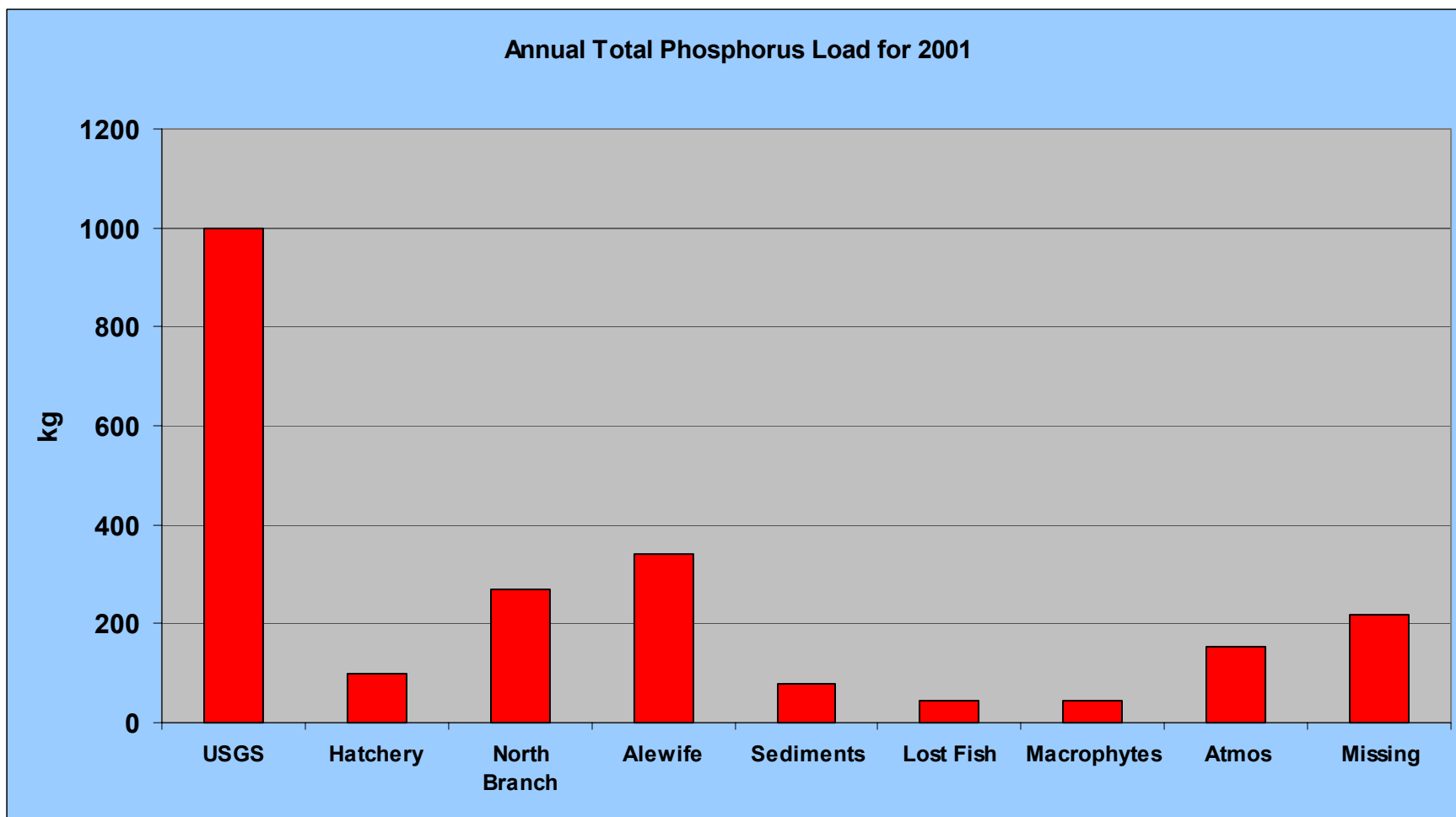


Figure 26. Components of the Total Phosphorus (TP) Loading to Big Platte Lake for 2001.

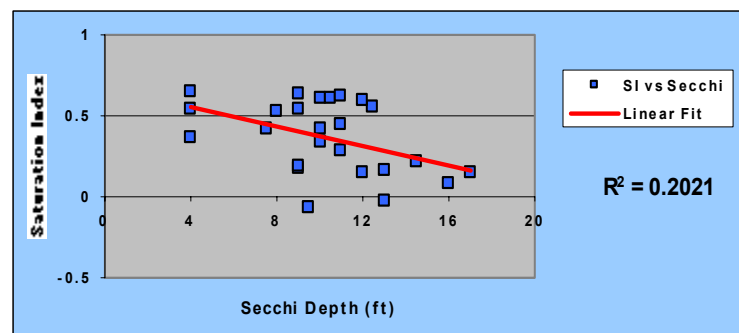
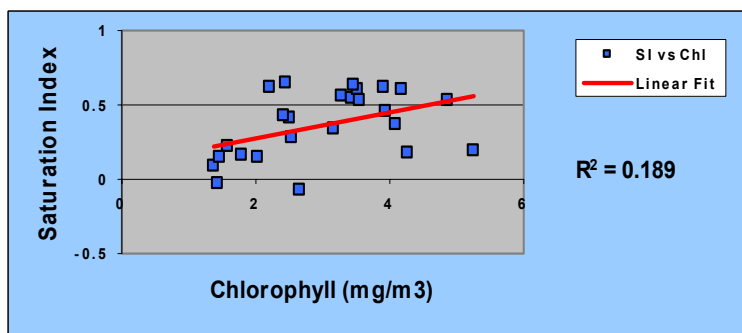
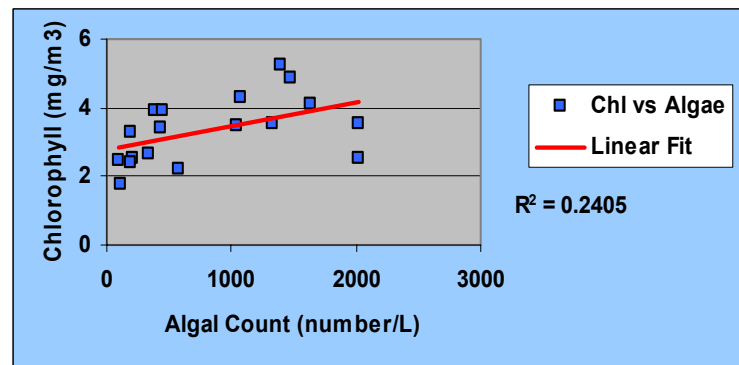
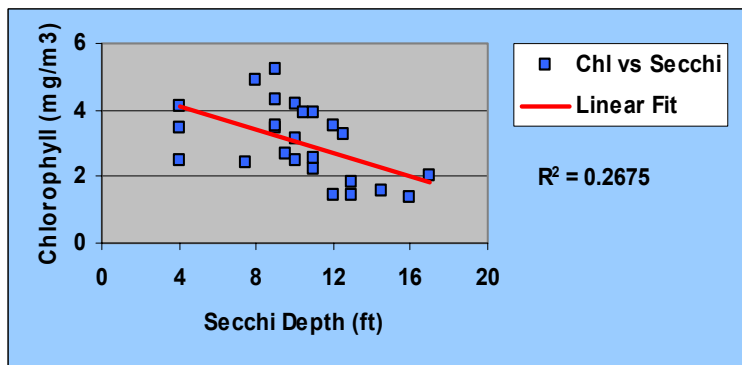
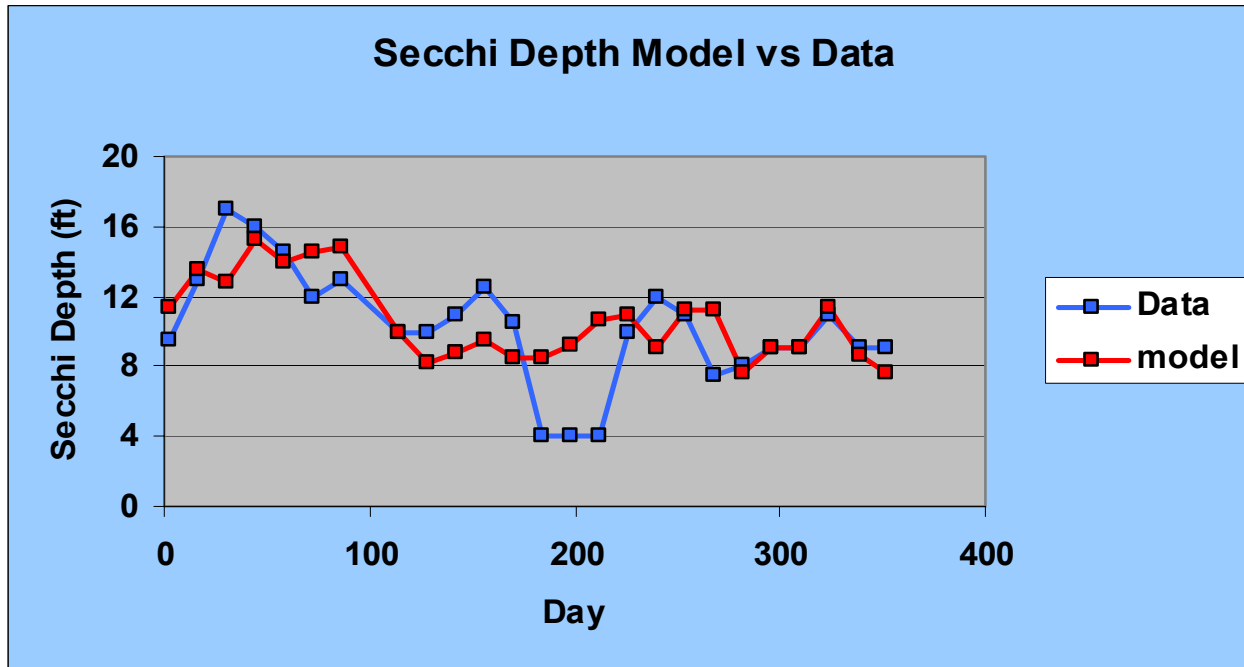


Figure 27. Correlation among Various Big Platte Lake Measurements for 2001.



$$K_e = 0.1 + 0.025 (\text{Chl}) + 0.05 (\text{SI})$$

And

$$SD = 1.8 / K_e$$

Where:

K_e = Extinction Coefficient (1/ft)

SI = Saturation Index

Chl = Chlorophyll (mg/m³)

SD = Secchi Depth (ft)

Figure 28. Preliminary Model for Secchi Depth vs 2001 Big Platte Lake Measurements.