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## **Water allocations for the Lower Murrumbidgee groundwater sources**

NSW Water Commissioner, David Harriss, today announced available water determinations for the Lower Murrumbidgee groundwater source for the new 2013/14 water year, beginning 1 July 2013.

Mr Harriss said that the allocation for local water utility, domestic and stock and aquifer (including subcategory Aboriginal cultural) water access licence holders in both the Lower Murrumbidgee Shallow and Deep groundwater sources is 100 per cent or 1 megalitre per unit share of entitlement.

Mr Harriss said that the volume per unit share for supplementary water access licence holders in the Deep Groundwater source is 0.2 megalitre per unit share of entitlement.

There are no supplementary access licences available in the Lower Murrumbidgee Shallow groundwater source.

Supplementary water access licence holders are reminded that the maximum amount of water they are permitted to take under their supplementary water access licence from the Lower Murrumbidgee Deep groundwater source in a water year is the allocation resulting from the available water determination(s) for that water year.

Information on Available Water Determinations is available on the NSW Office of Water's website: [www.water.nsw.gov.au](http://www.water.nsw.gov.au)

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