

Summer Risk Update - 14/03/24 - 20/03/24

Current Level

2

Ban on sprinklers and irrigation systems

Chance of Level 3

16%*

Chance of Level 4

5%*

Thanks, Wellington!

By keeping a close eye on your water use, we have held off Level 3. We're close to the end of the risk period, and cooler weather is on the way.

This has reduced the chance of tighter water restrictions.

Factors like low river levels mean it's not time to move to Level 1 just yet, but continuing to follow Level 2 restrictions will help us get there sooner.

Buffer Average past 7 days

17%

Buffer is above 10%**

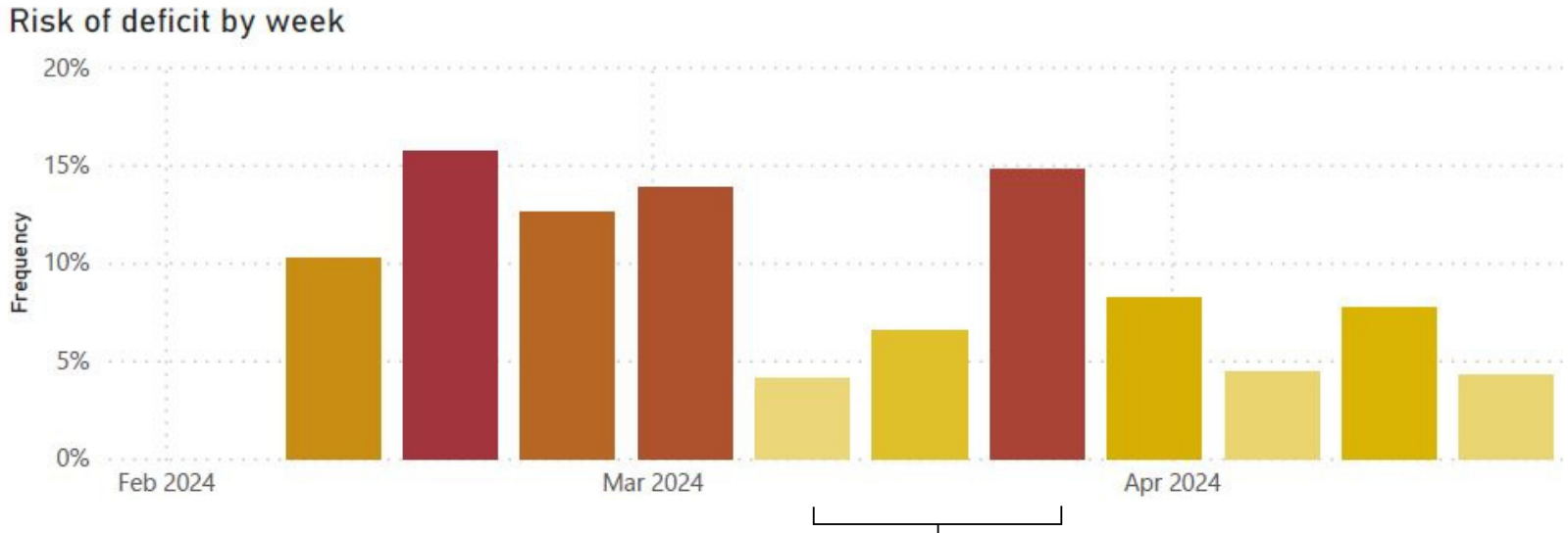
We are at Level 2

Buffer Forecast next 7 days

14%

Buffer is above 10%**

We can remain at Level 2



The risk of tighter water restrictions has reduced, but factors like low river levels means a move to Level 1 is still a few weeks away.

*This modelling is reviewed each month and updated as necessary.

*The efforts of the public following water restrictions can reduce this chance, but this requires everyone to do their bit.

**The buffer is one key indicator of risk, and is offered as a guide only. Other factors are monitored as part of level risk assessment. The buffer is reviewed weekly.