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(11-88) (PRES. by WSOM E-41)		Midland, Texas	
MONTHLY R	EPORT OF RIVER AND FLOOD CONDITIONS	REPORT FOR: MONTH YEAR February 1998	
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When no flooding occurs, include miscellaneous river conditions, such as significant rises, record low stages, ice conditions, snow cover, droughts, and hydrologic products issued (NWS Instruction 10-924)

X No flood stages were reached in this HAS for the month above.

No river flooding occurred in southwest Texas or in Eddy and Lea counties of New Mexico during the month of January.

February was another warm, dry, and uneventful month for the HSA. Many locations reported less than a tenth of an inch of precipitation. Snyder was again the wettest location by far, with 1.56 inches of precipitation for the month.

The Midland International Airport reported 0.50 inches of precipitation for the month, which is 0.12 inches below normal for February. Yearly precipitation stands at 0.74 inches, which is 0.28 inches below normal.

Recent precipitation totals remain near normal across most of the HSA. With longer-term precipitation totals still below normal, reservoir levels across the region and in northern Mexico remain well below conservation levels and the flood threat remains low.

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