NWS FORM E-5 (11-88) (PRES. by NWS Instru	NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRAT	HYDROLOGIC SERVICE AREA (HSA) ION WFO Midland, Texas
, ,	REPORT OF HYDROLOGIC CONDITIONS	REPORT FOR: MONTH YEAR April 2006
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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)

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An X inside this box indicates that no flooding occurred within this hydrologic service area.

April ended another month of below normal precipitation values for much of the HSA with KMAF ending the month with 0.33 inches which was 0.40 inches below the climate value. Other portions of the HSA faired about the same with a handful of locations receiving any where from 0.10 to 0.55 inches for the month and a large portion of the HSA reported no accumulation for April. Listed below are some of the rainfall amounts recorded around the area:

Big Spring	BPG	0.20 inches
Carlsbad	CNM	0.25 inches
Fort Stockton	FST	Trace
Odessa	ODO	0.53 inches
Snyder	SNK	0.55 inches
Dryden	6R6	0.01 inches

Reservoir levels across the Hydrologic Services Area averaged 50.14% of conservation capacity at the end of April compared to 53.86% at the end of March. Champion Creek was lowest at 14% and Lake Colorado City was highest at 88%. The overall flood threat continues to remain low.

Products Issued:

Flash Flood Warnings: 2 Flood Warnings: 0 Flood Statements: 1 Hydrologic Statements: 0 Drought Statements: 4

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