BF 74233 Hwy 38 Over North Saskatchewan River
Hydrotechnical Summary

Channel Capacity :

S = 0.0004
B = 180 m, h = 9 m, T_h = 240 m
Use AT Equation

At Bank Height : Y = 9.0 m, V = 2.4 m/s, Q = 4600 cms
At Channel Capacity : Y = 10.0 m, V = 2.6 m/s, Q = 5600 cms

Historical Highwater Data :

HW was observed in 1986 (Y ~ 8.5m) and 1972 (Y ~ 7m). DD439 shows Y ~ 12m for 1915 and Y ~ 7m for 1965.

WSC Gauge 05DF001 (DA = 28000km^2, 1911 – Now) reports Q ~ 5800cms in 1915, Q ~ 4500cms in 1986, Q ~ 3700cms in 1952, and Q ~ 3000 – 3500cms in 1944, 1954, and 1972. The highest gauging is at Q ~ 4600cms with a stage rise of 10m.

Basin Runoff Potential :

Gross DA ~ 32500 km^2, beyond range of method.

Conclusion :

Historic observations govern (1915 event). Recommended parameters :

Y = 10.5 m, V = 2.7 m/s, Q = 6000 cms.
HW EL 596.0m (Dwg. 4353)