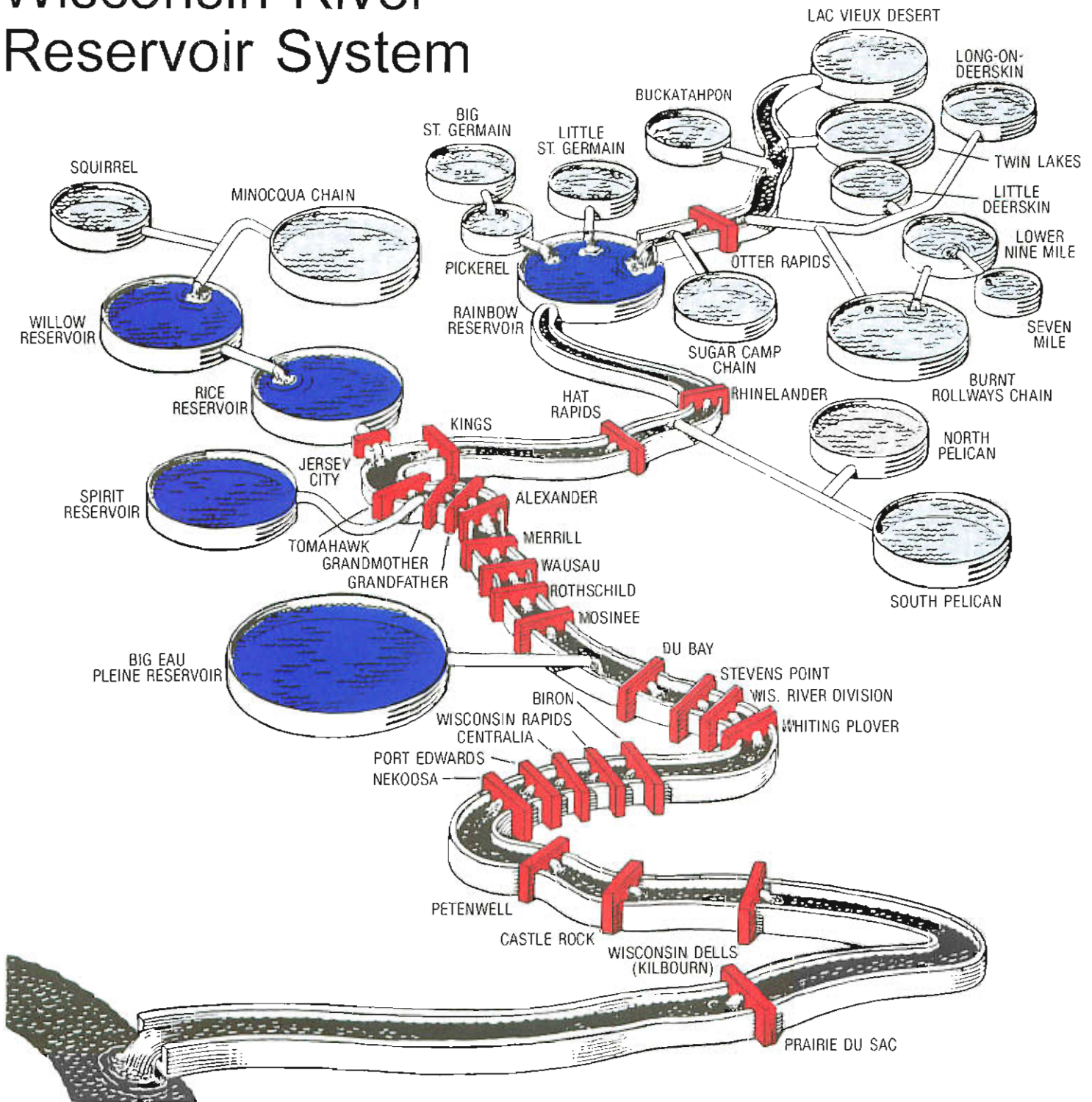





# Wisconsin River Reservoir System



## LEGEND

-  NATURAL LAKE RESERVOIR
-  MAN MADE RESERVOIR
-  HYDRO ELECTRIC PLANTS AND DAMS

Reservoirs conserve water by storing high flows which cause flooding or would be wasted (not used to generate electricity). Water is released from reservoirs when flows are low. Through storage and release, uniform flow is maintained.

Water falls 625 feet in 150 miles along the river's sharpest drop. Hydroelectric dams cluster here to use the hydraulic power of the renewable resource to generate electricity.

25 hydroplants in 31.5 miles generate 1 billion kilowatt hours of electricity annually. Power dams are located below reservoirs to make the greatest use of the water. The largest dam is lowest on the river where flow is greatest.



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