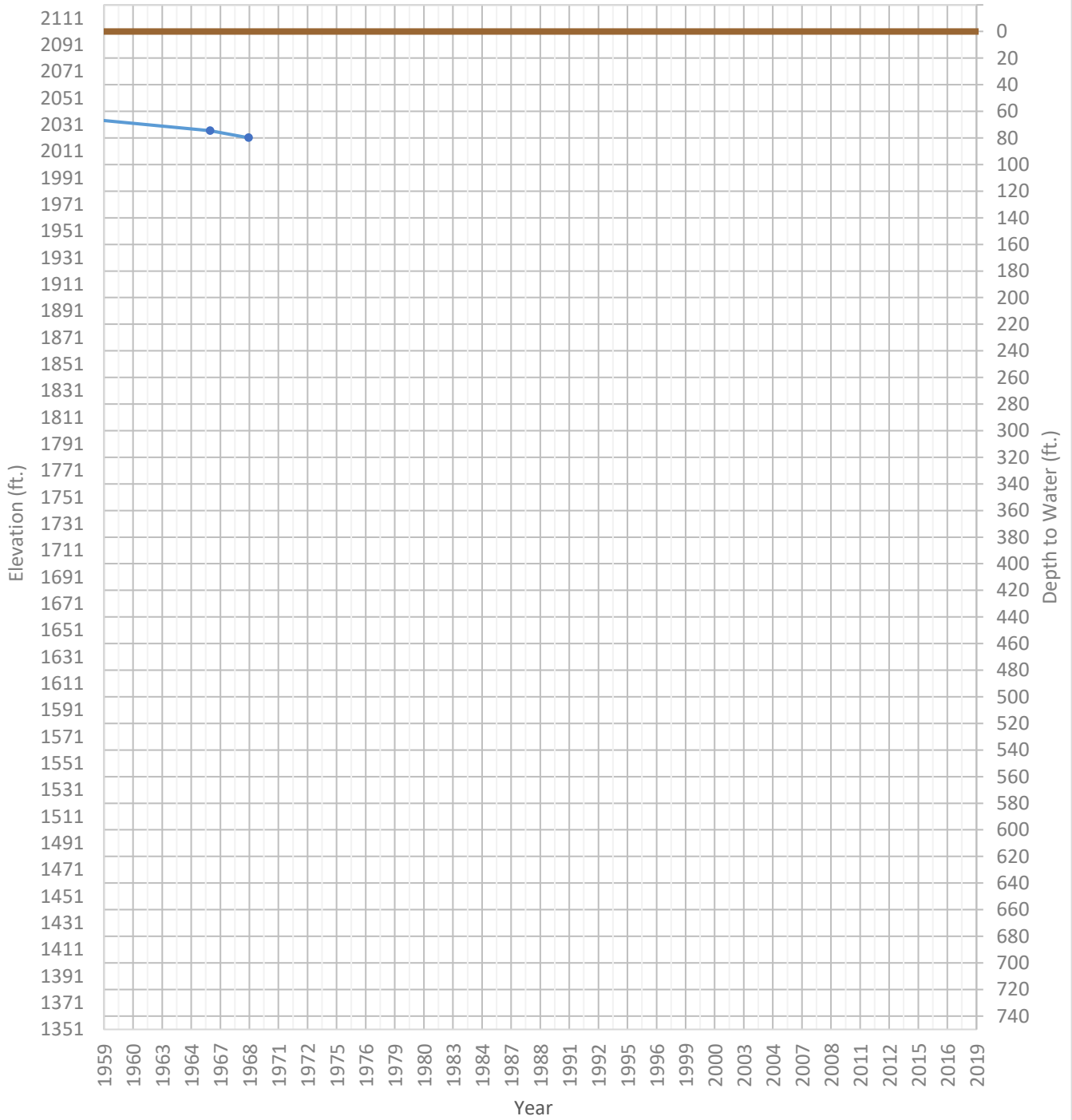


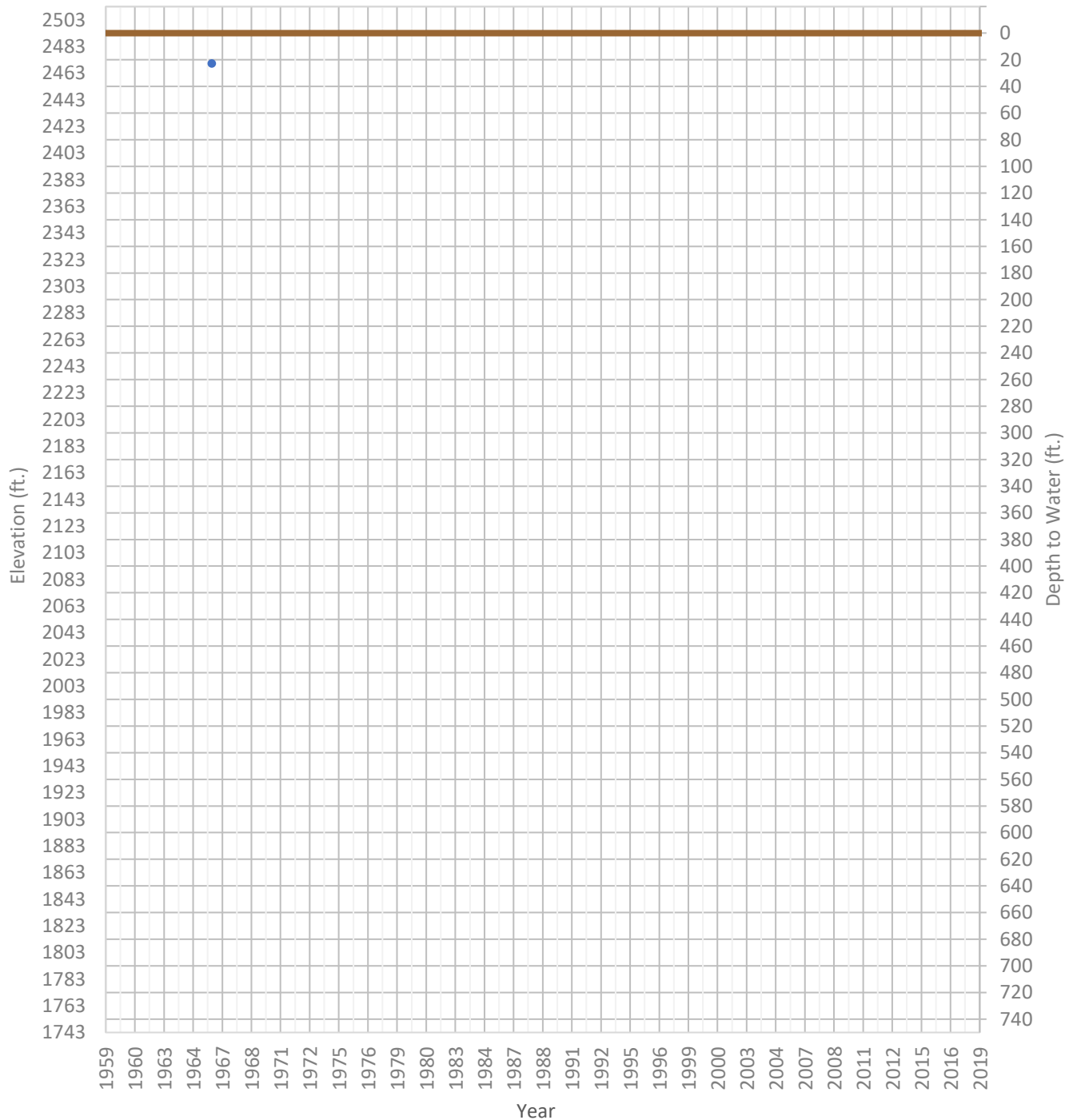
OPTI Well 511 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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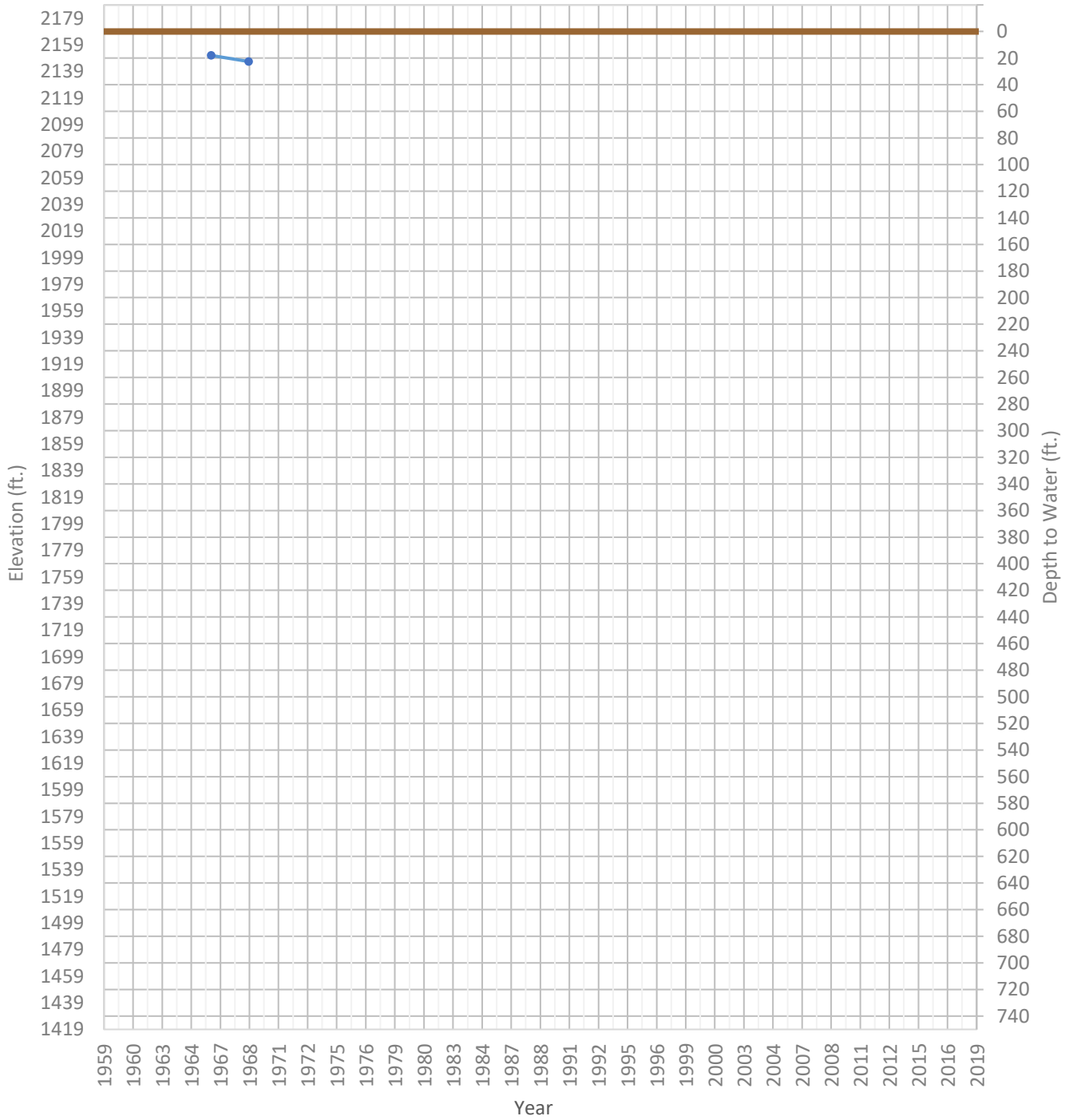
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WSE Min = 2470 ft. WSE Max = 2470 ft. Well Depth = 25 ft.



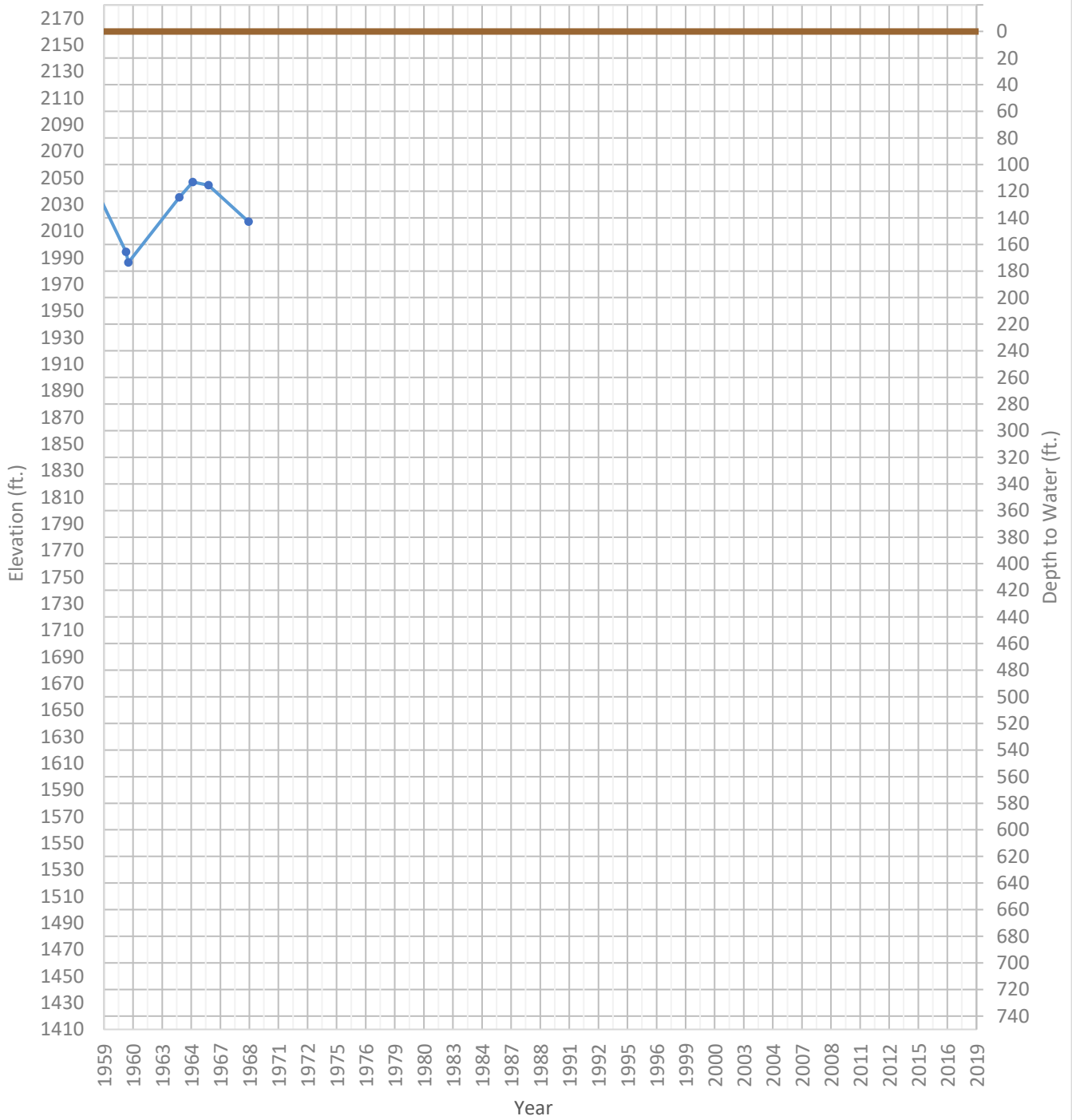
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WSE Min = 2146 ft. WSE Max = 2151 ft. Well Depth = 82 ft.



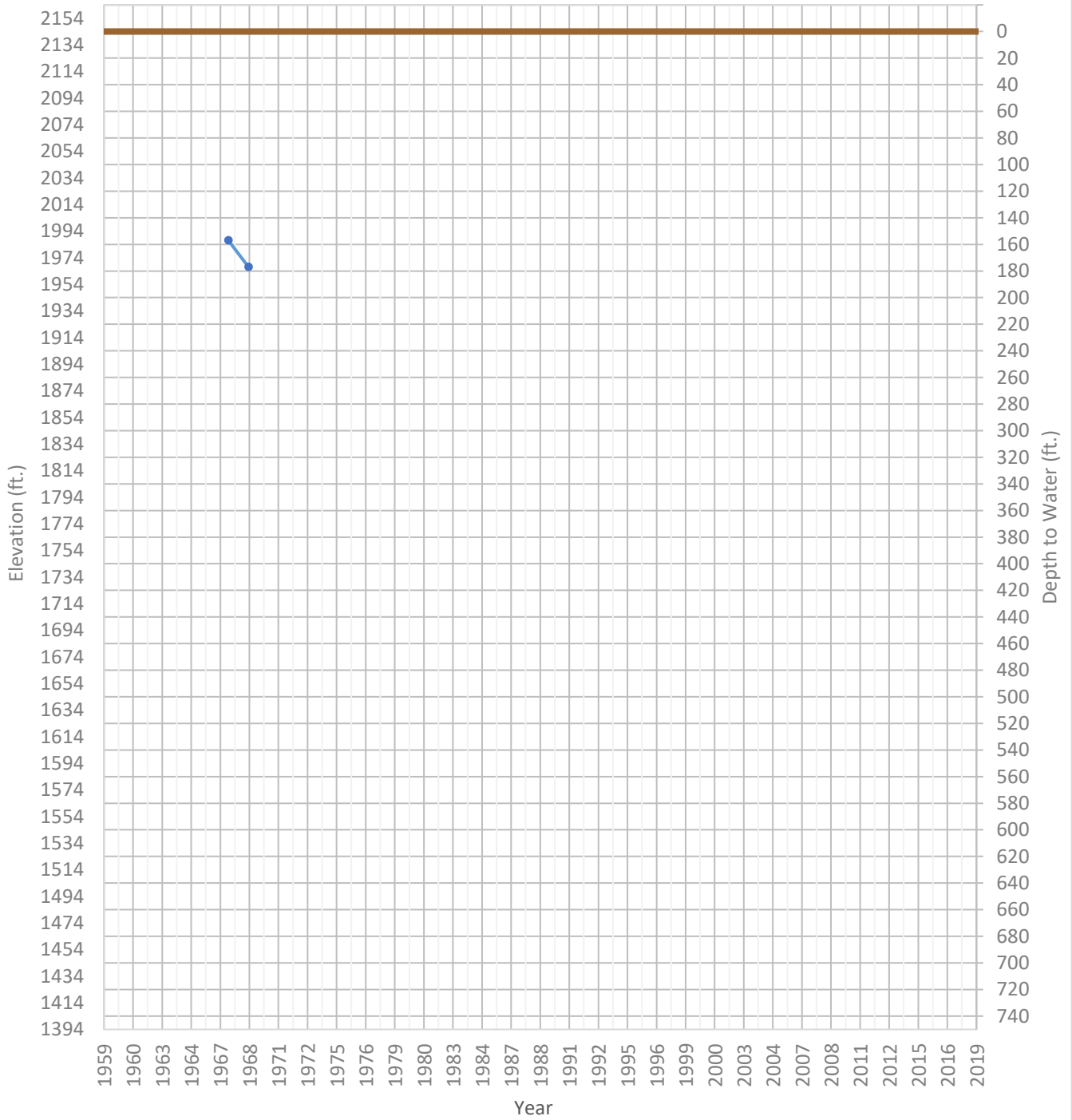
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WSE Min = 1986 ft. WSE Max = 2047 ft. Well Depth = 634 ft.



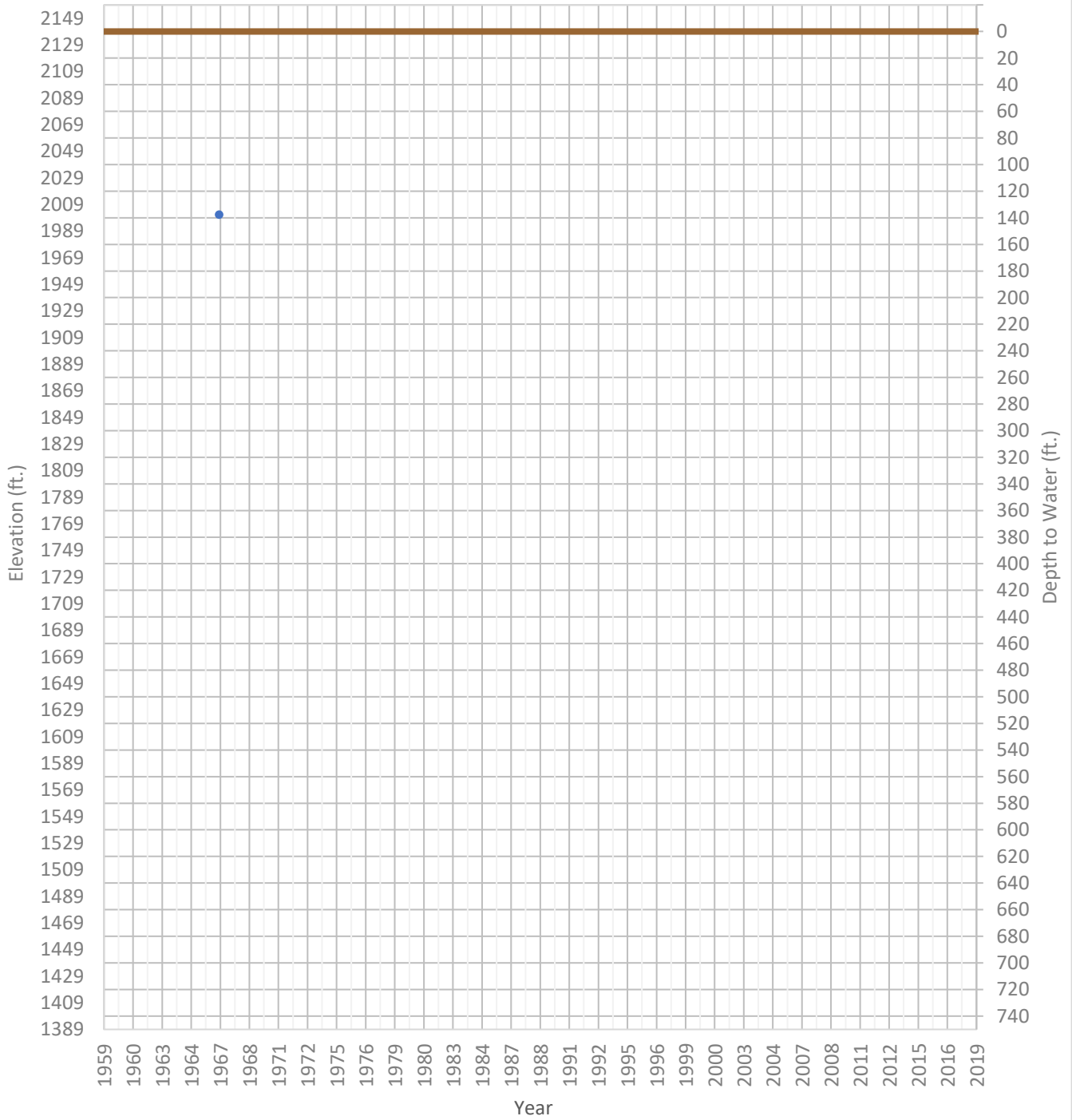
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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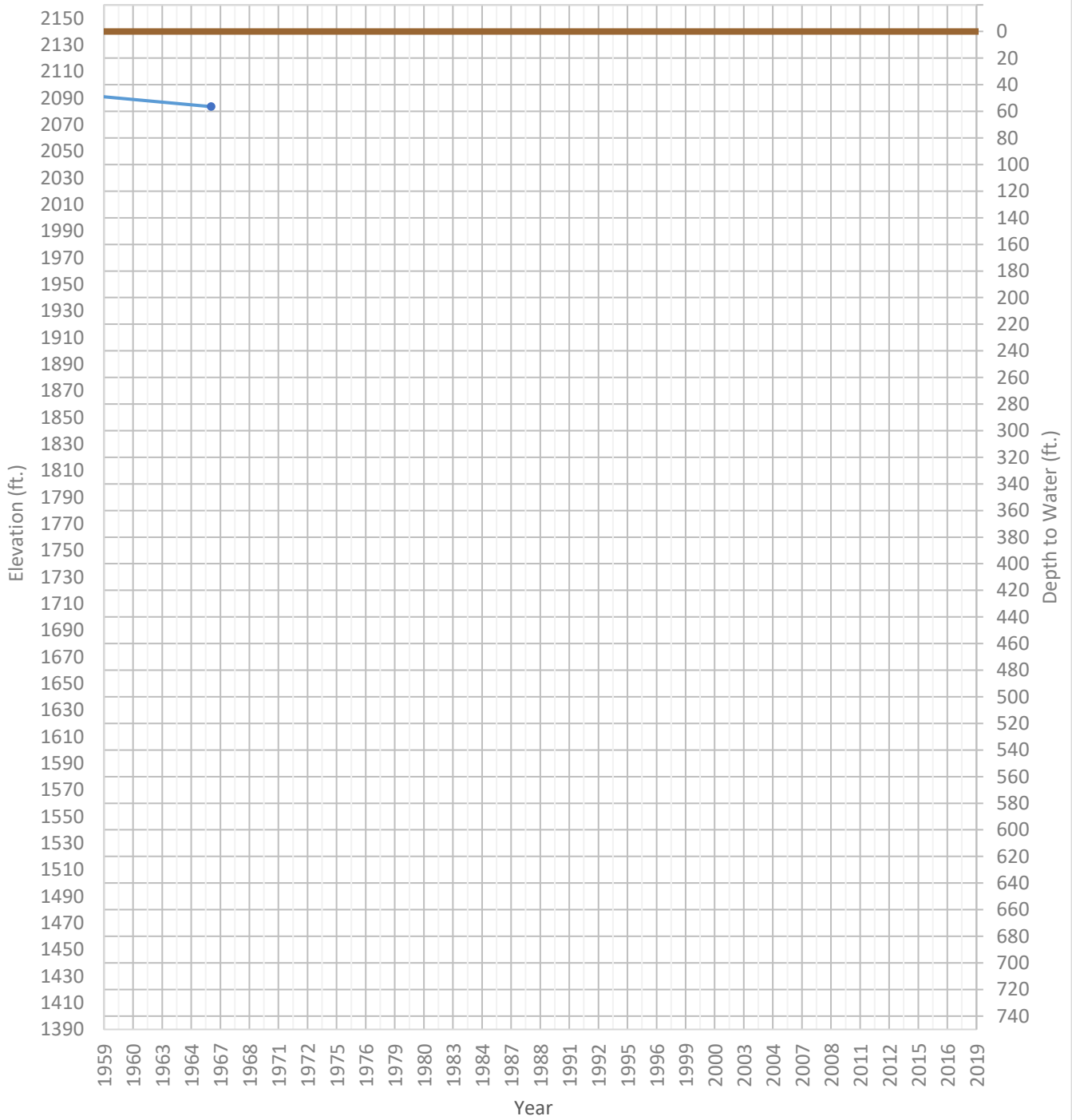
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WSE Min = 2001 ft. WSE Max = 2001 ft. Well Depth = 648 ft.



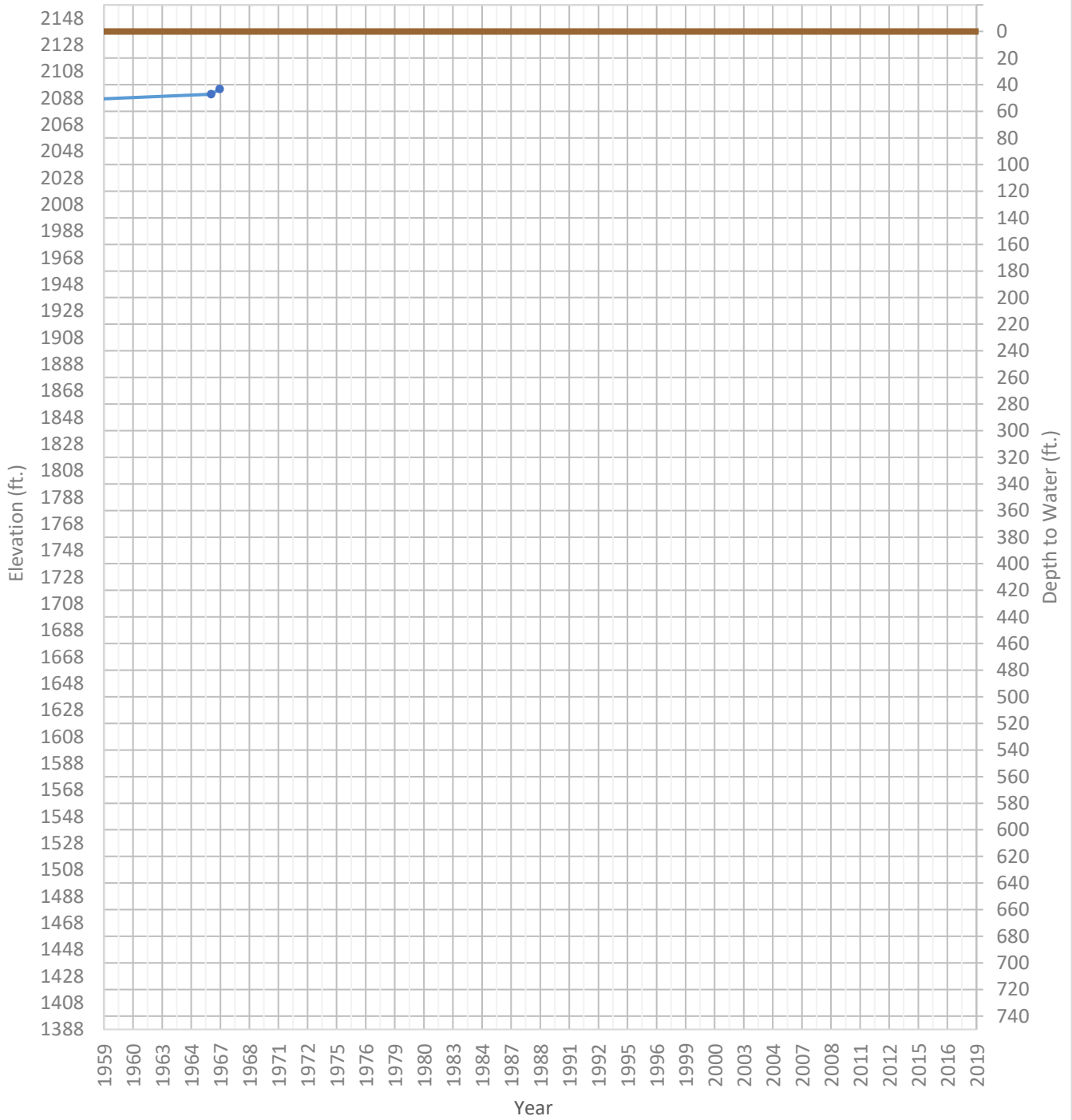
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WSE Min = 2080 ft. WSE Max = 2114 ft. Well Depth = 380 ft.



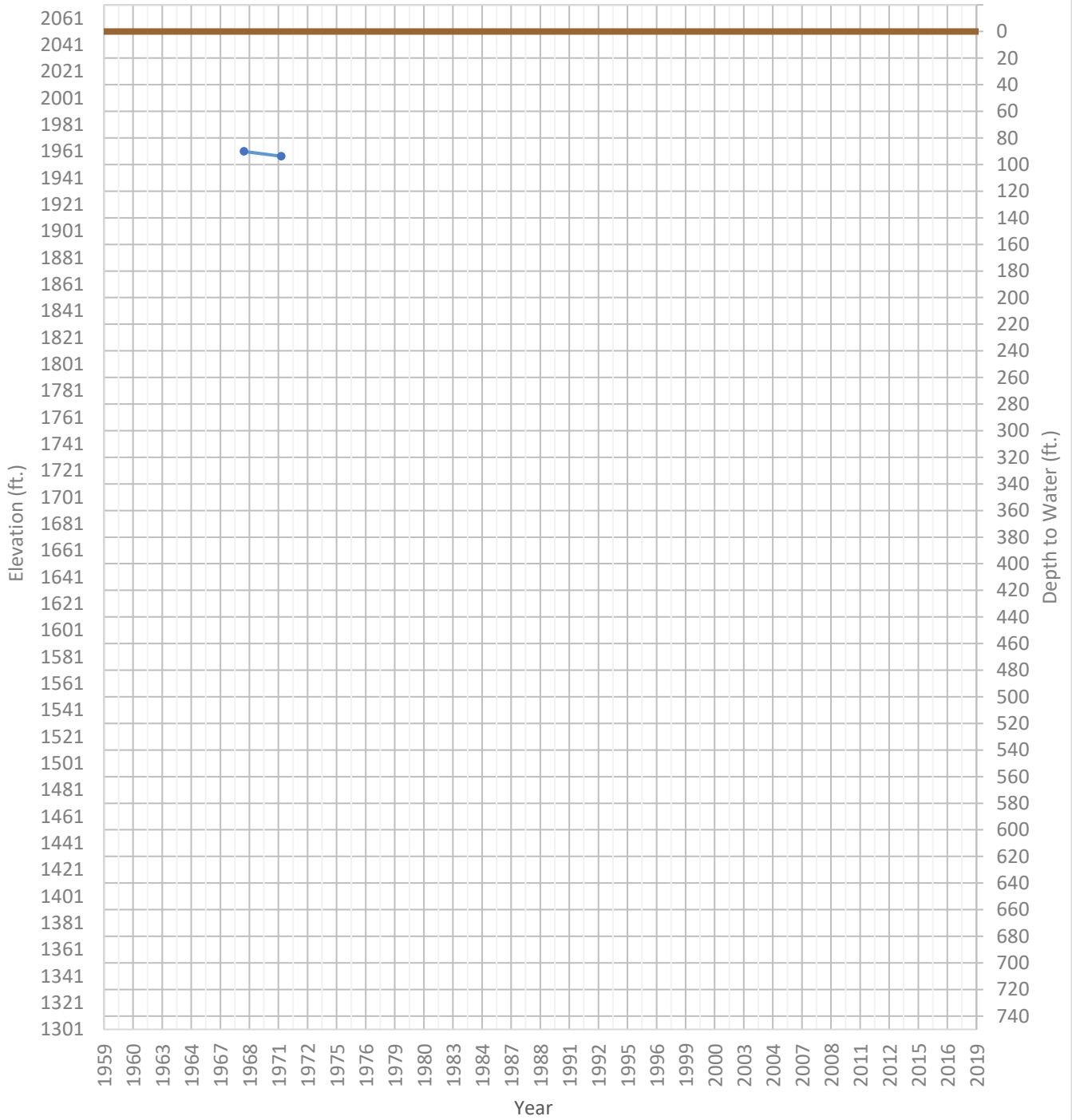
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WSE Min = 2071 ft. WSE Max = 2095 ft. Well Depth = 222 ft.



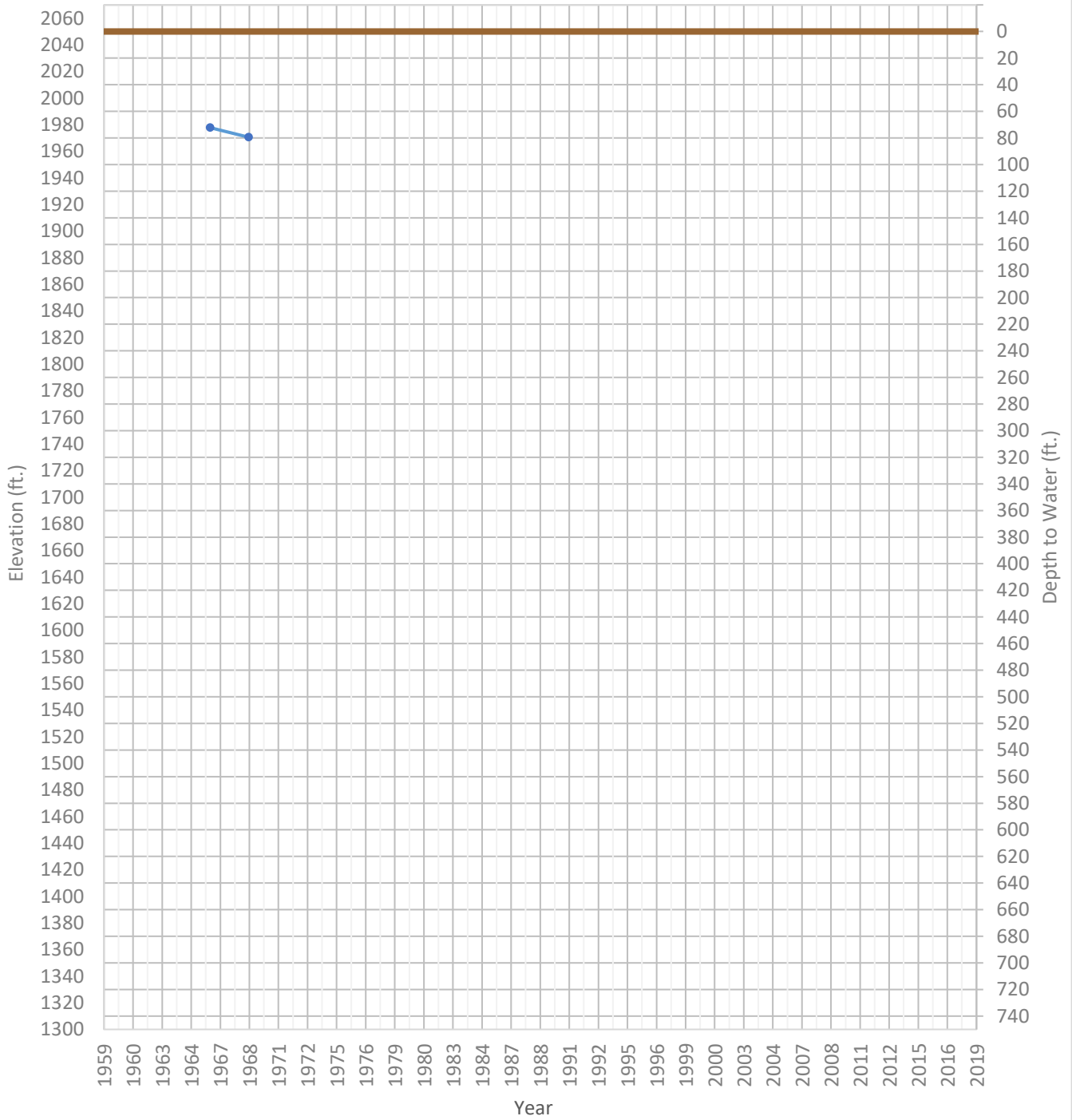
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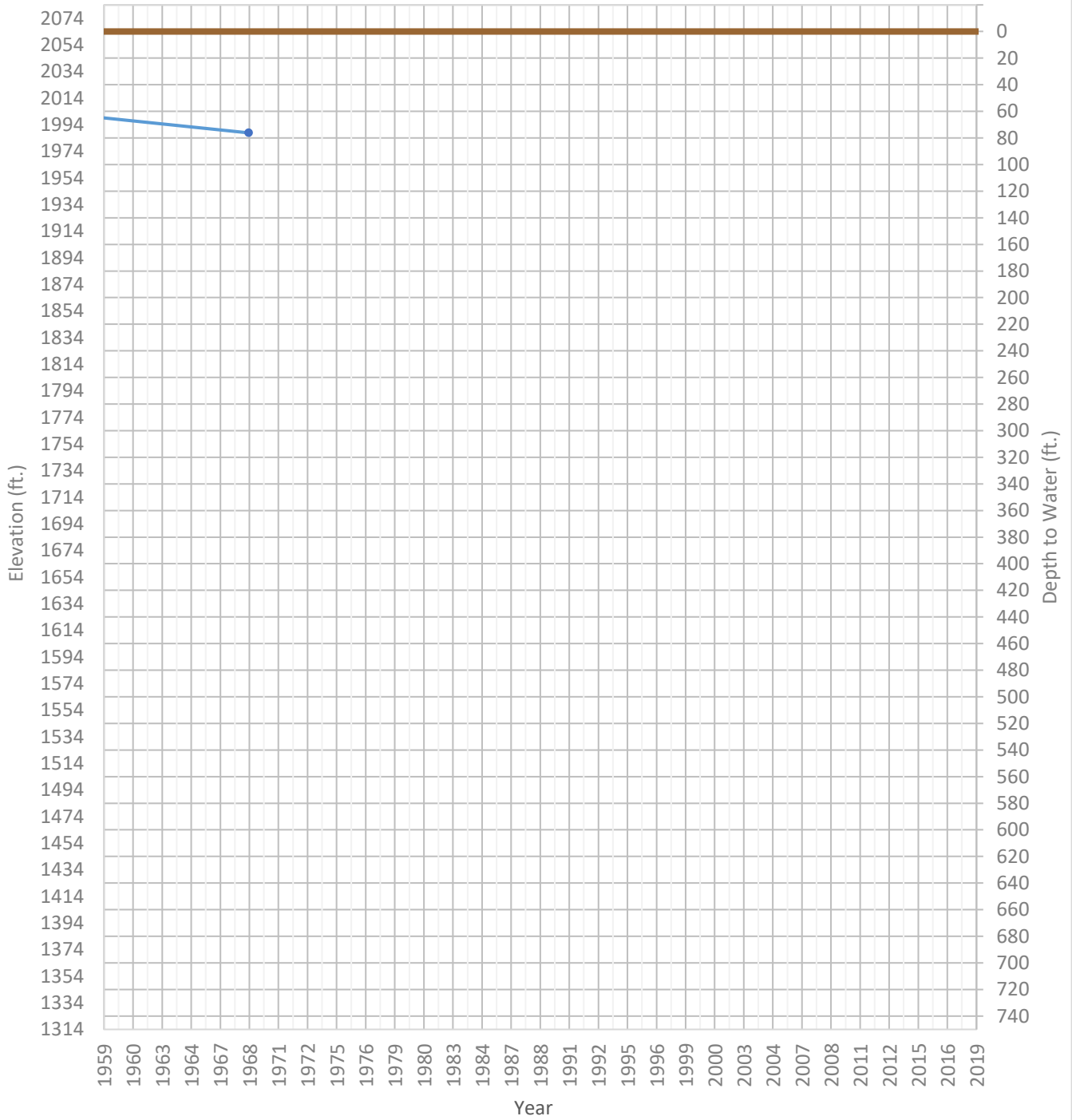
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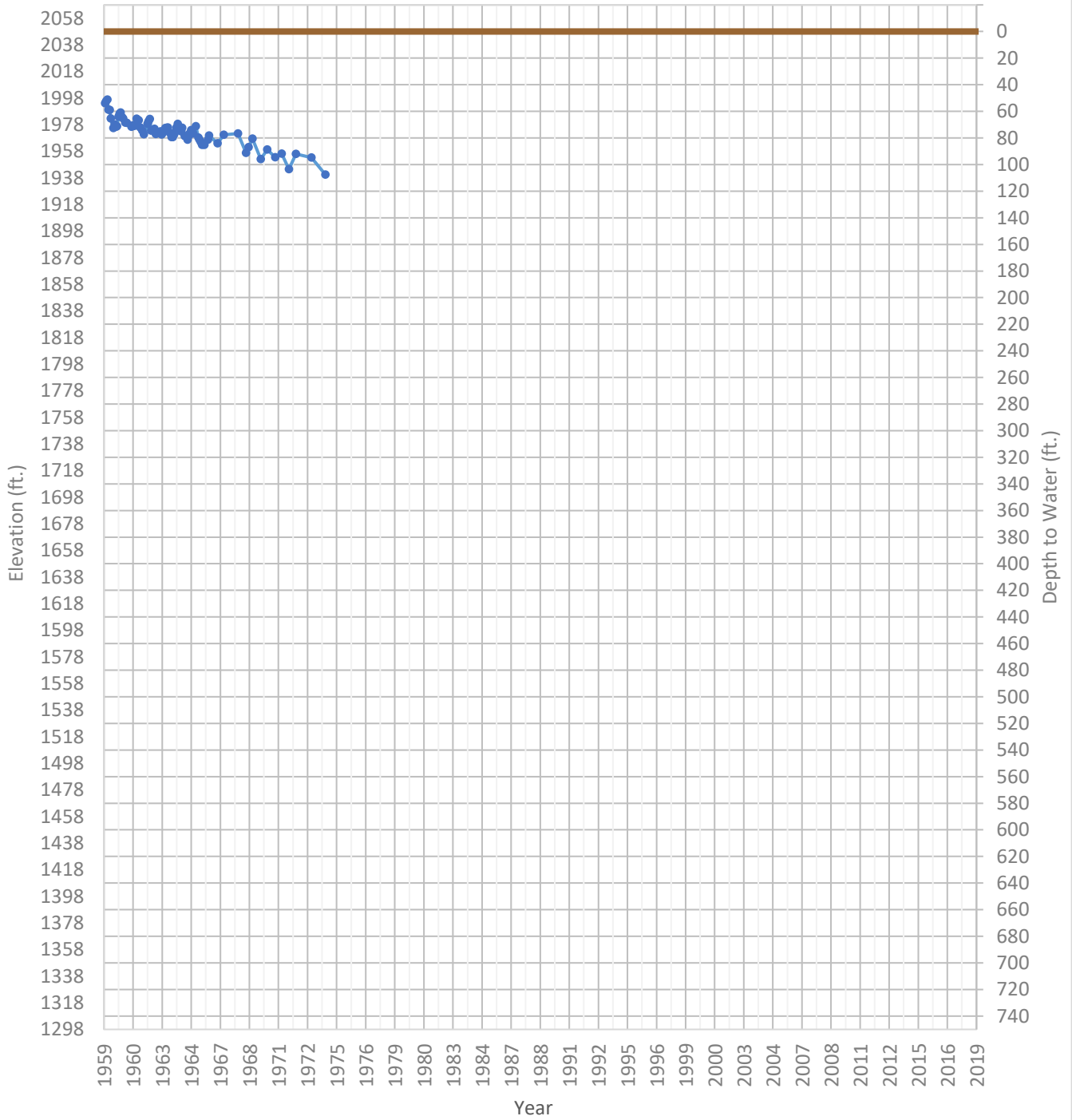
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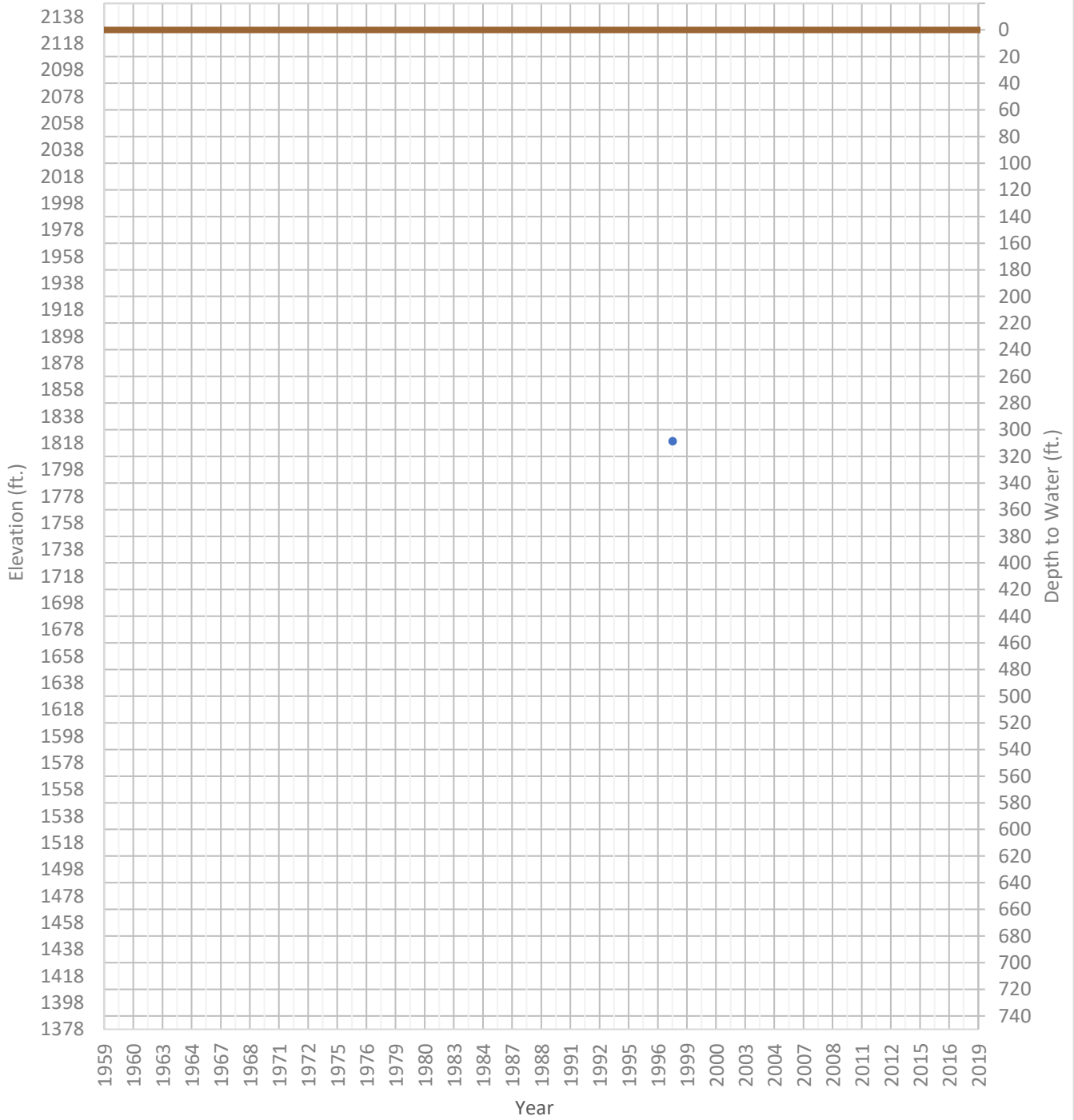
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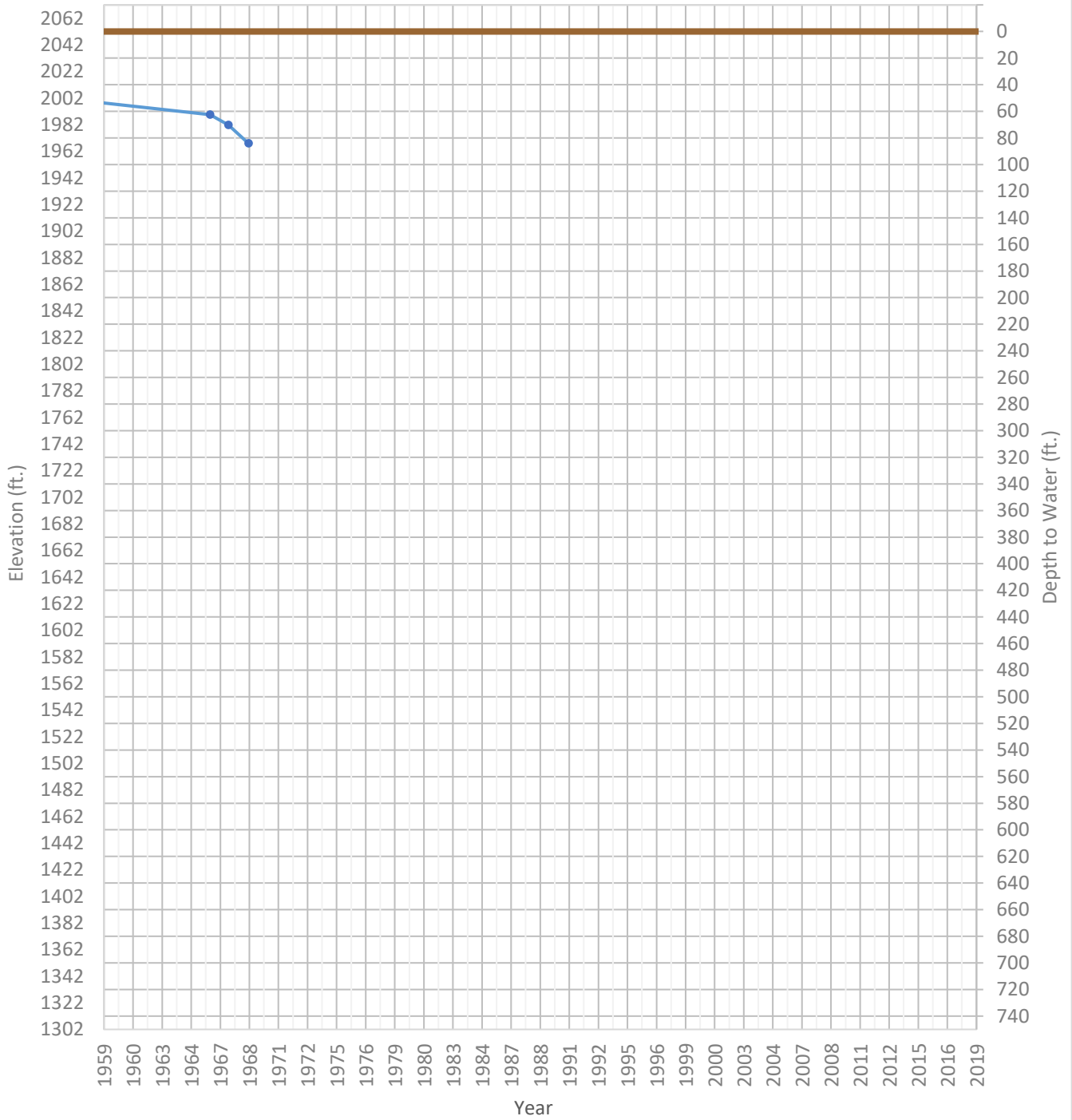
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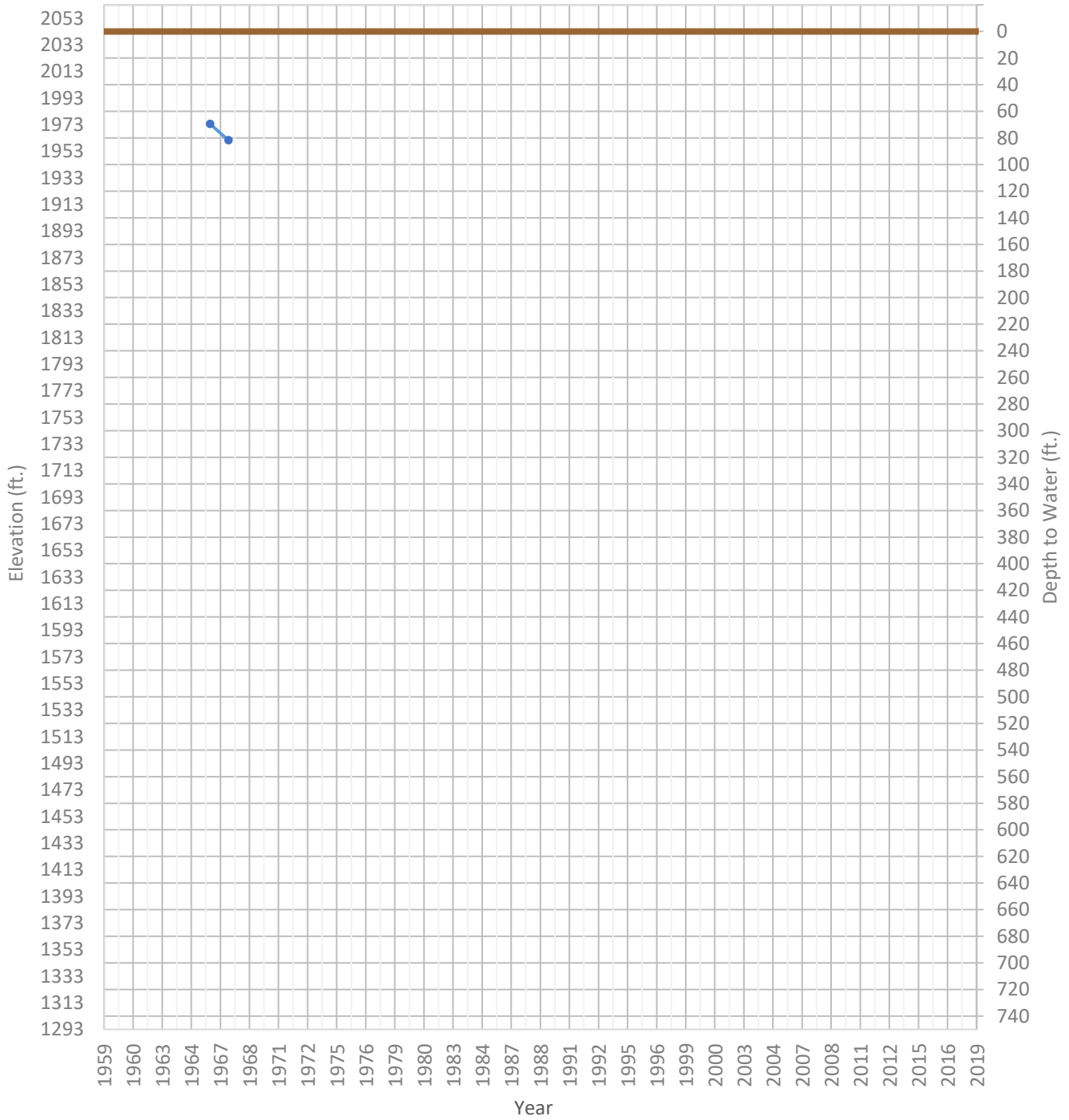
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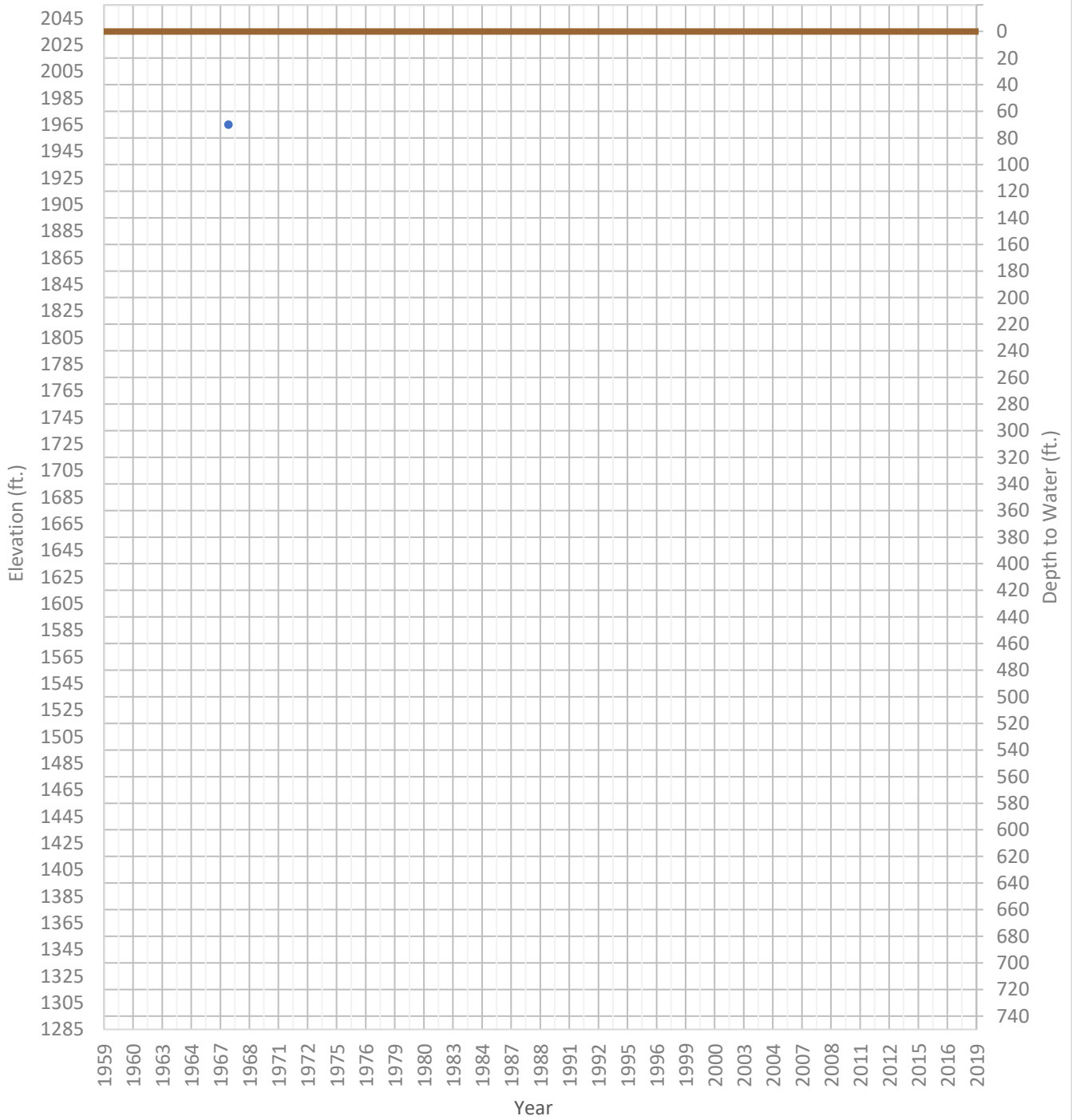
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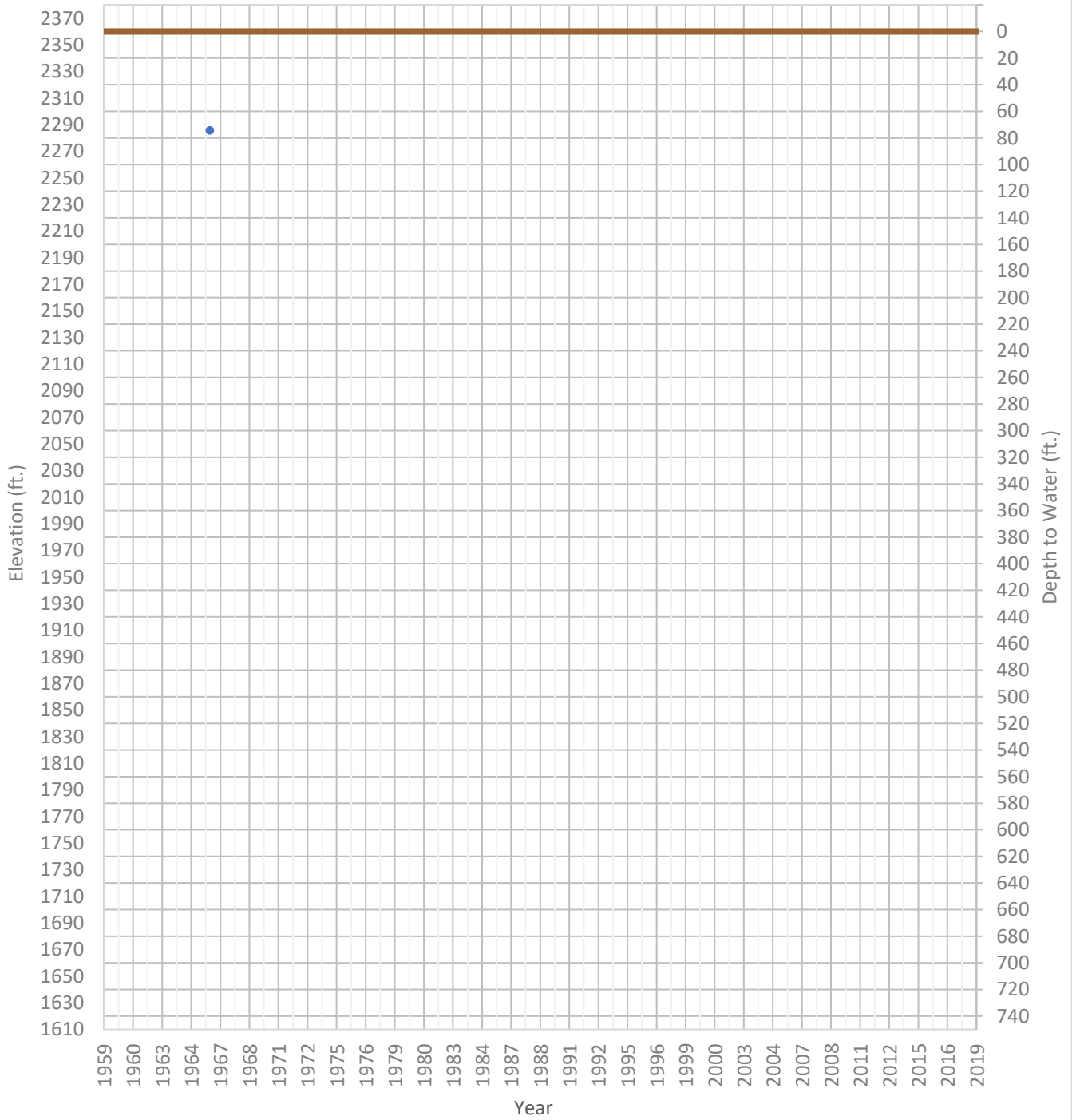
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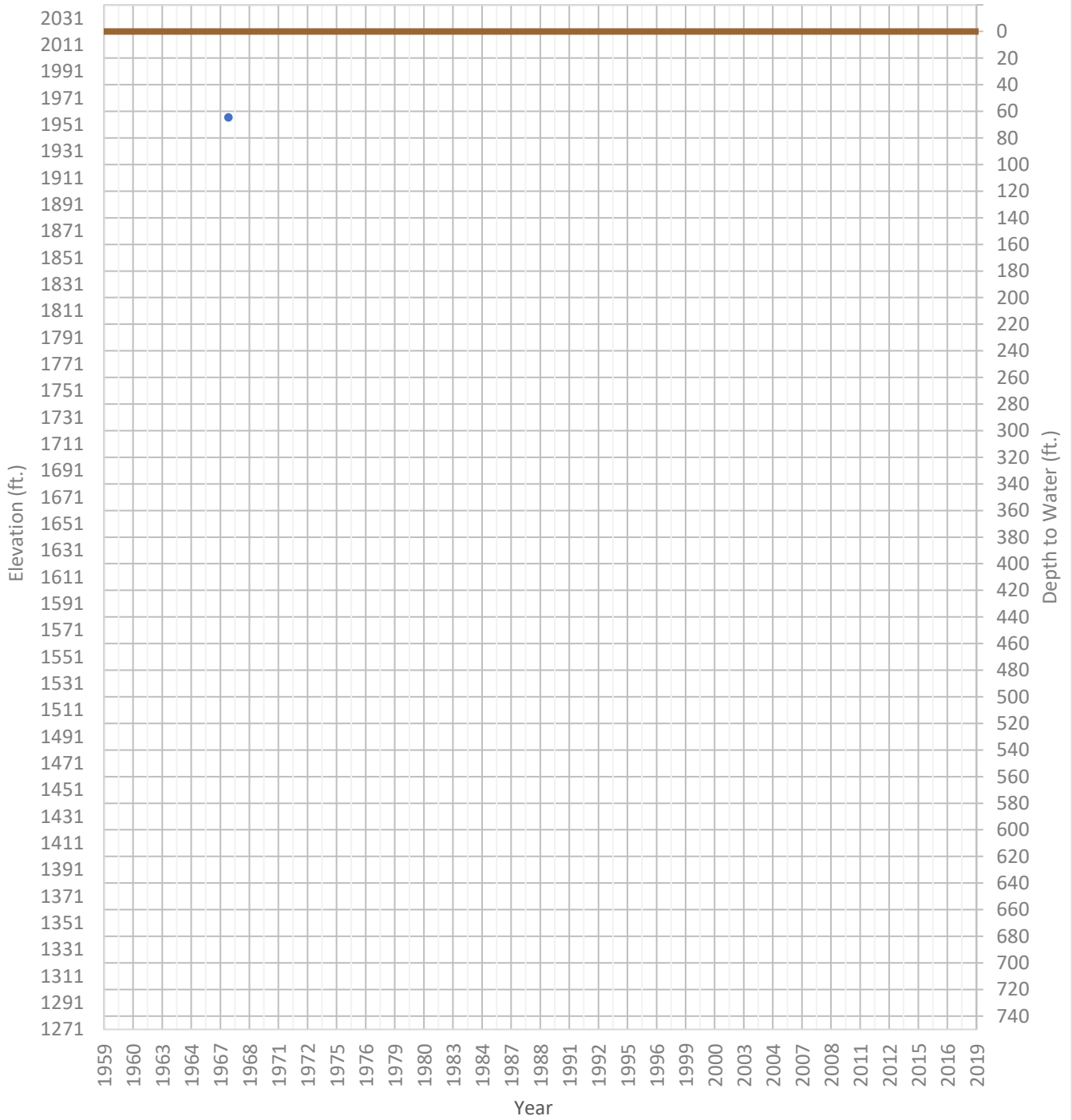
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 2286 ft. WSE Max = 2286 ft. Well Depth = 600 ft.



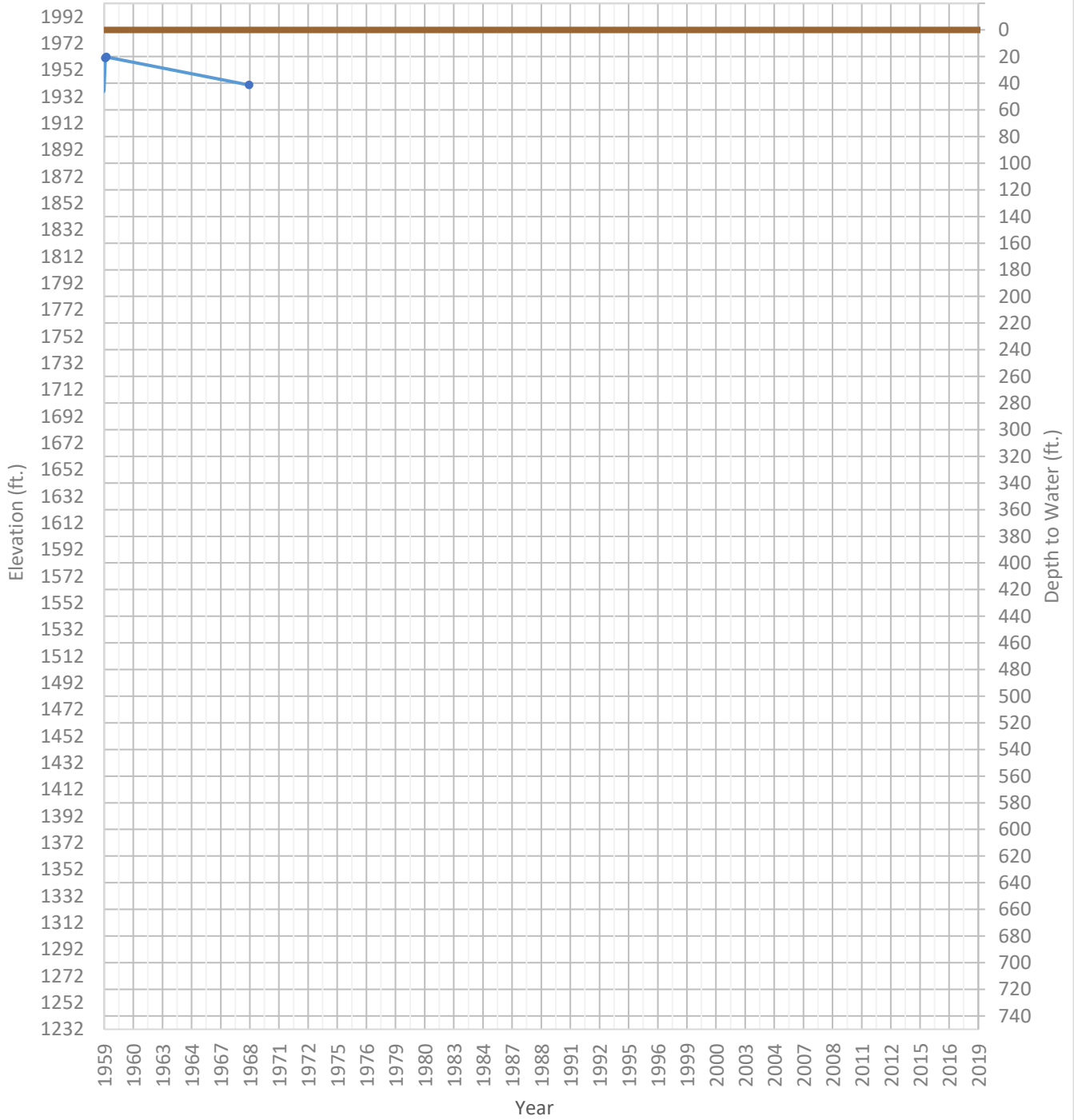
OPTI Well 544 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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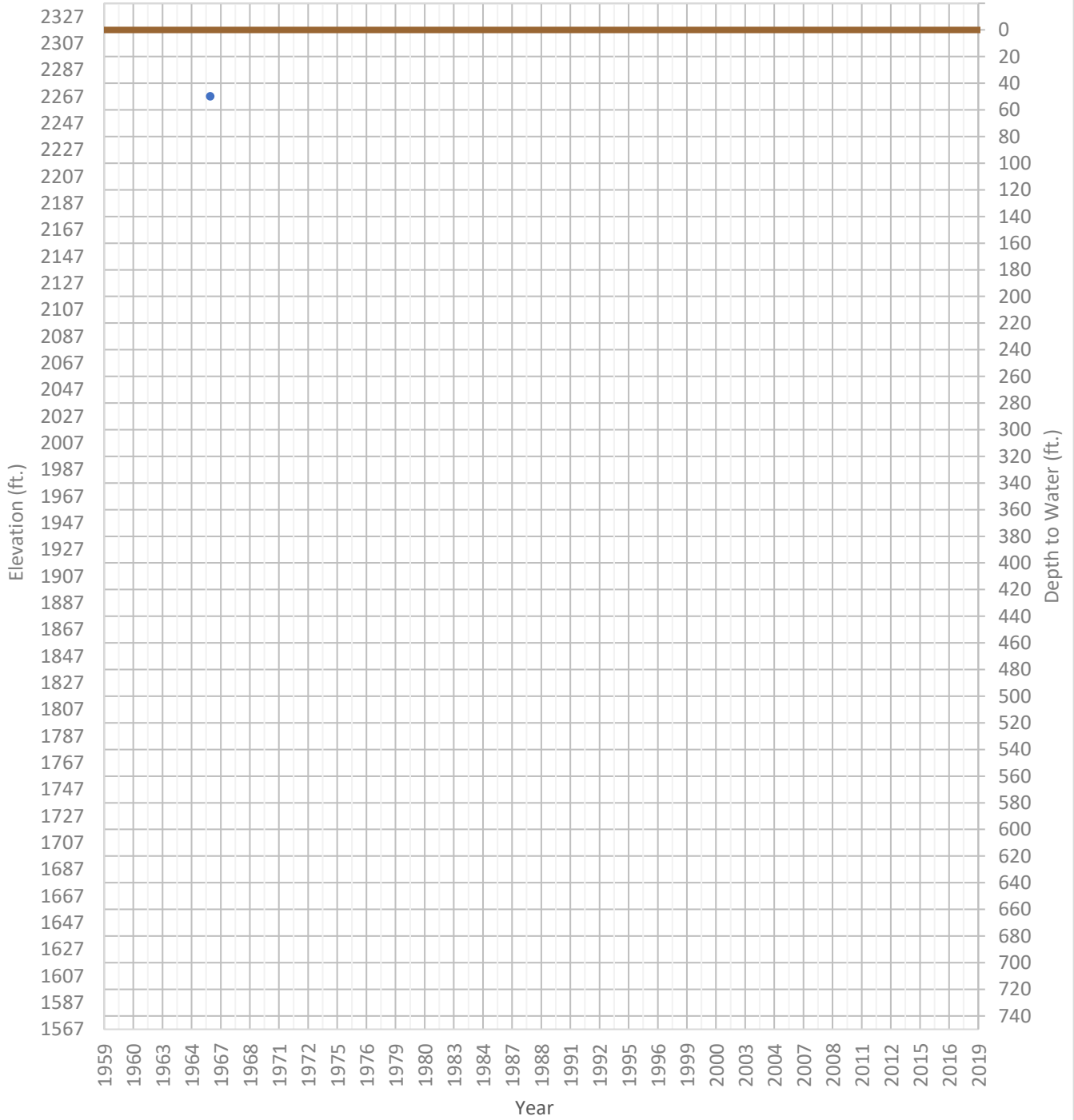
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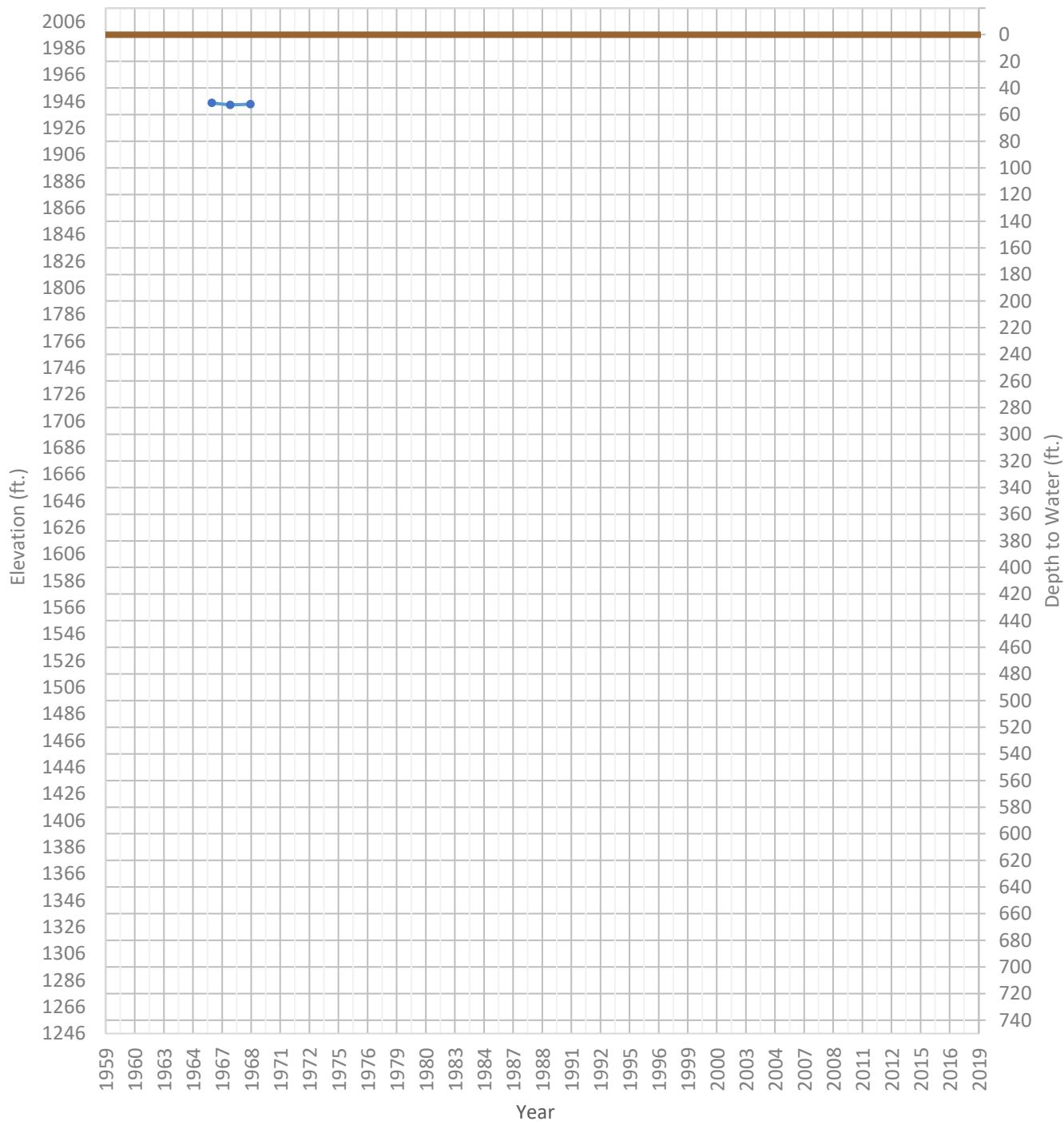
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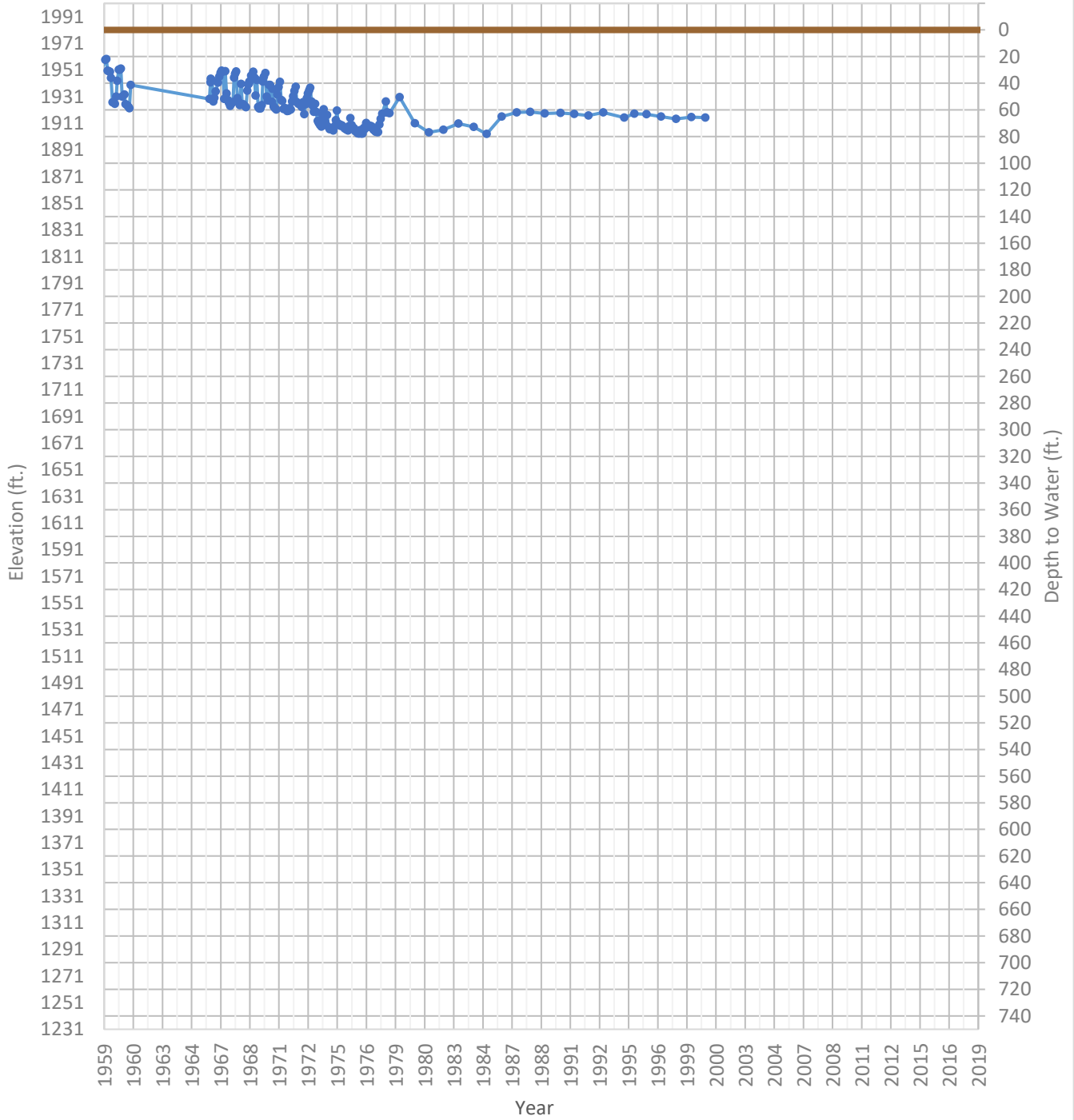
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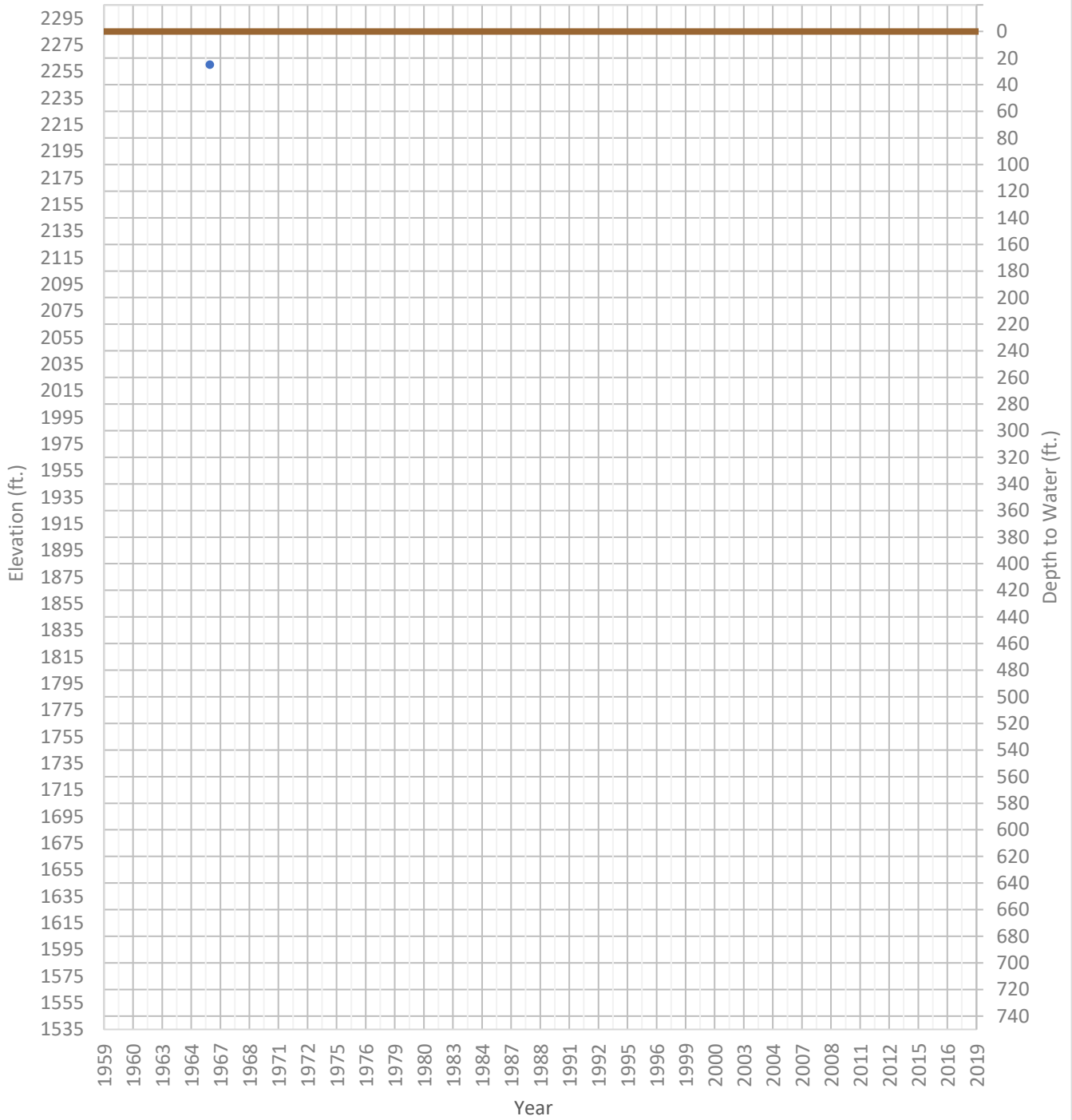
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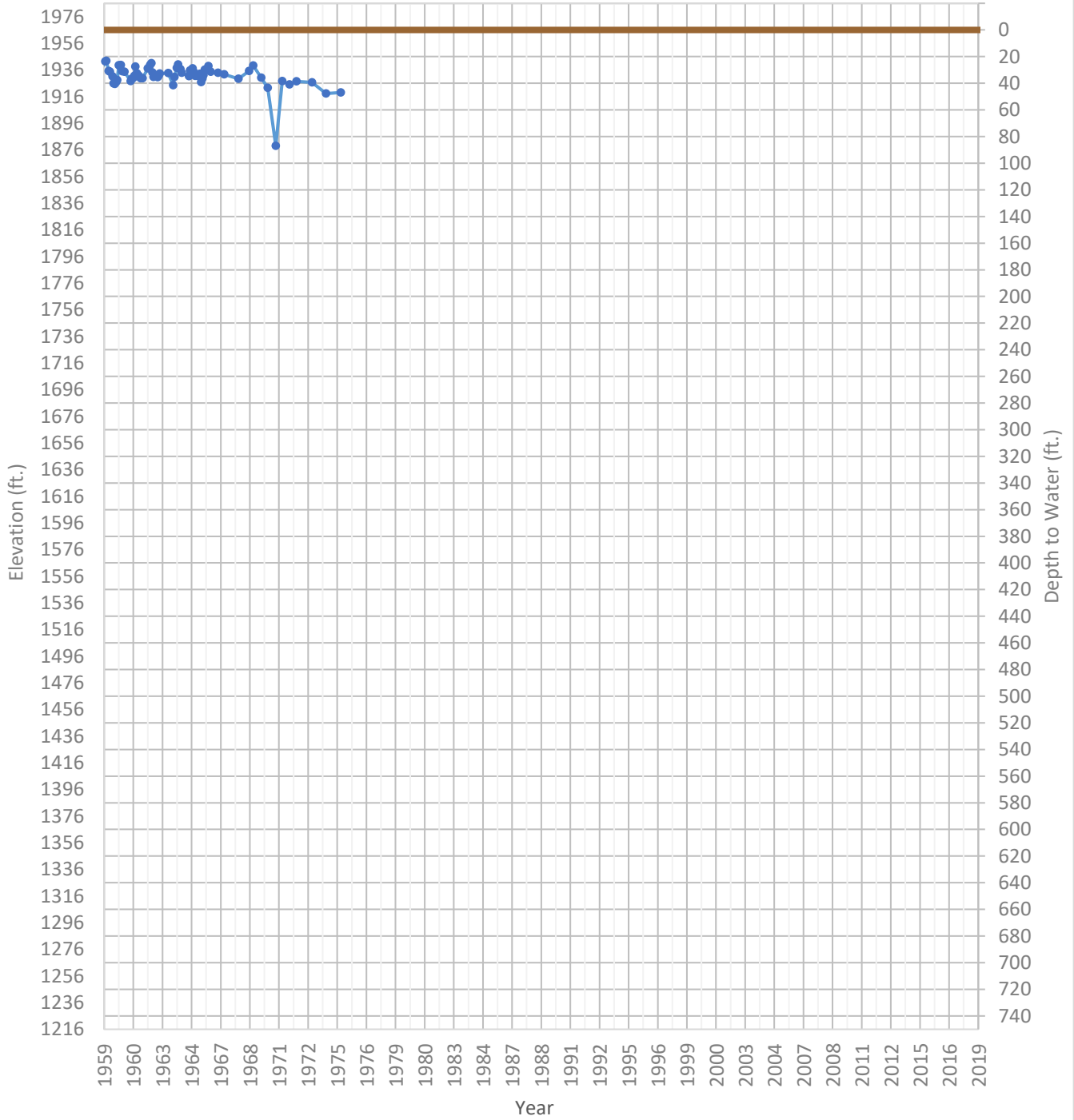
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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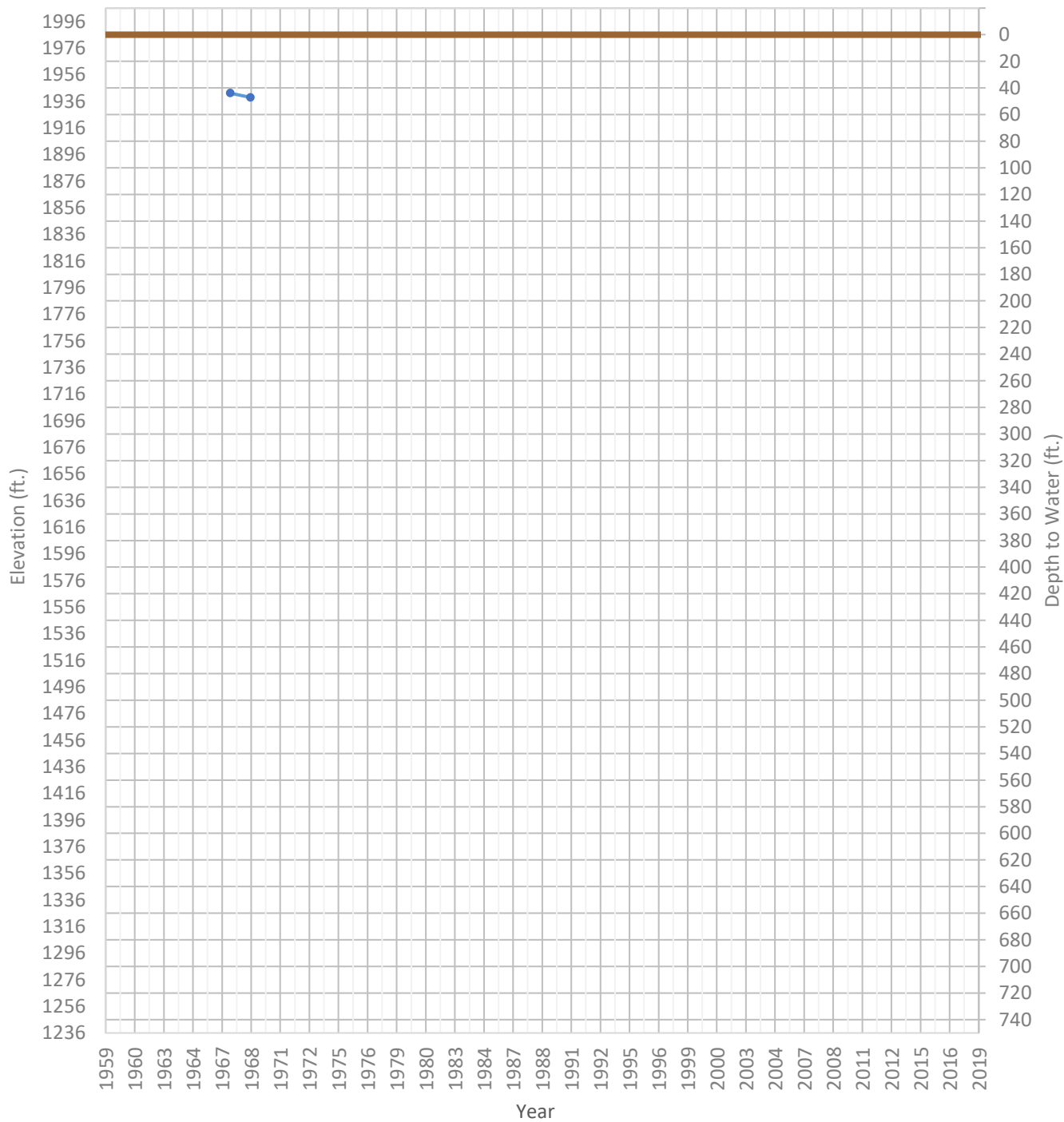
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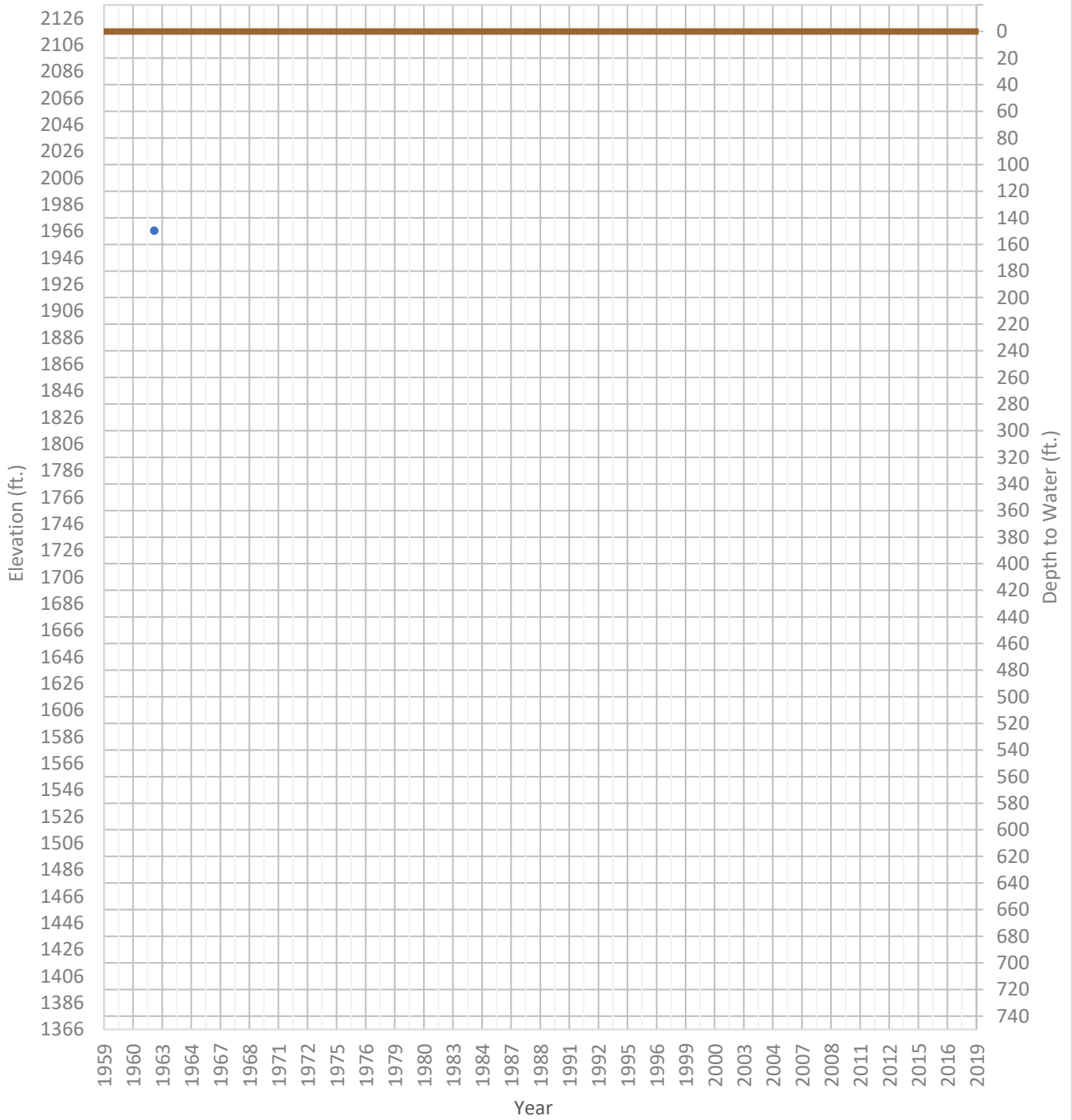
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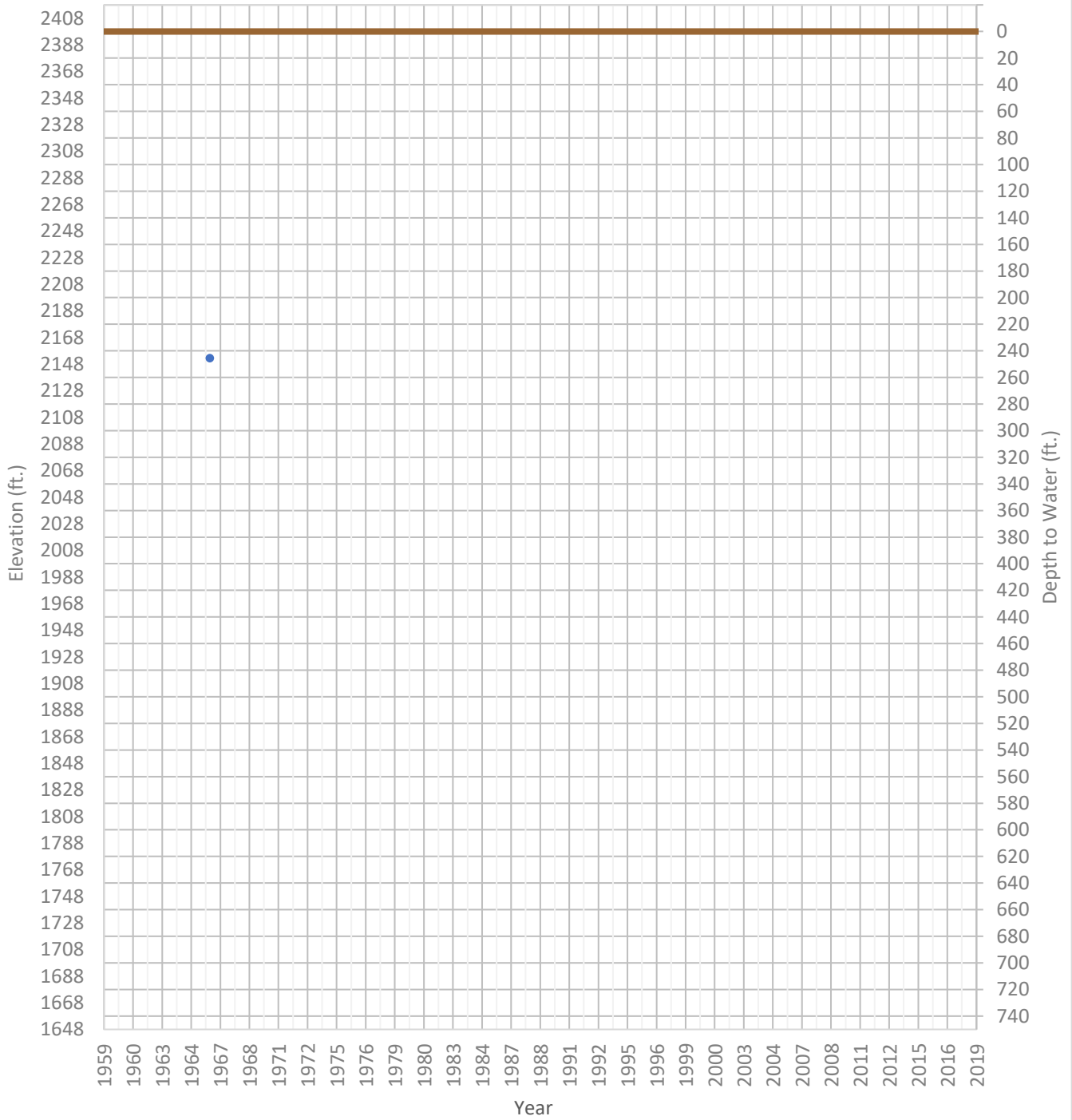
OPTI Well 558 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1966 ft. WSE Max = 1966 ft. Well Depth = 800 ft.



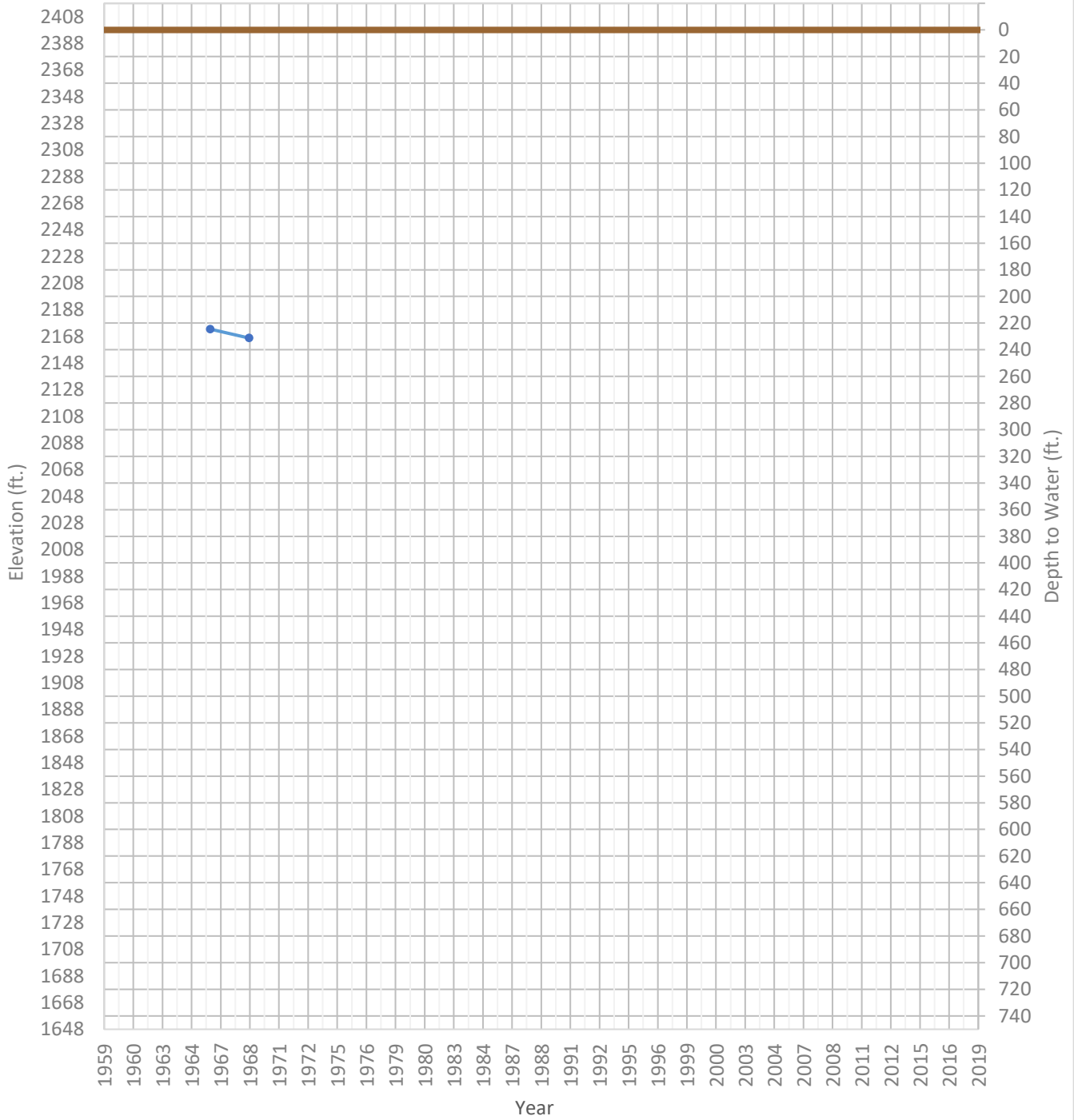
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WSE Min = 2152 ft. WSE Max = 2152 ft. Well Depth = 300 ft.



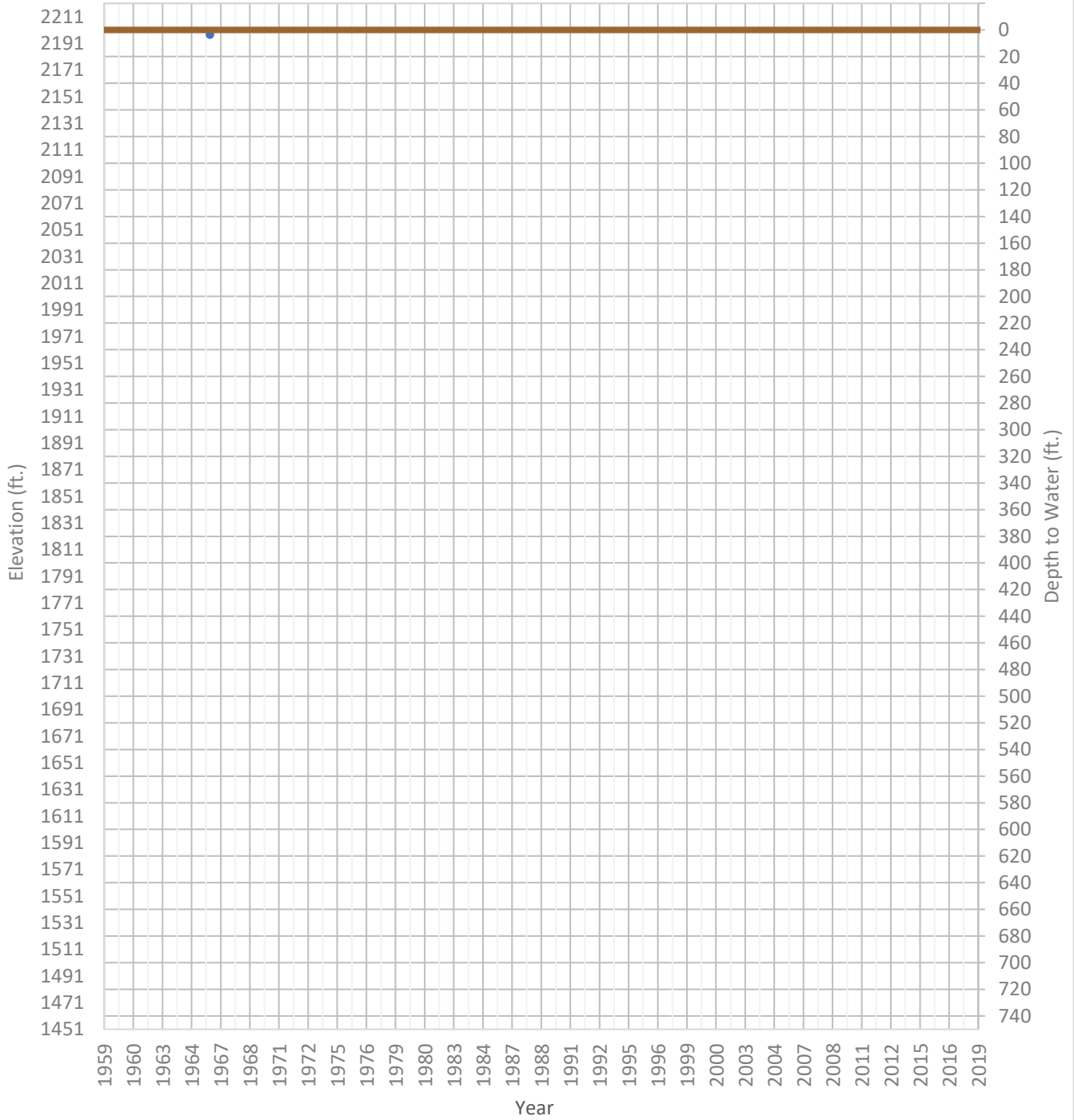
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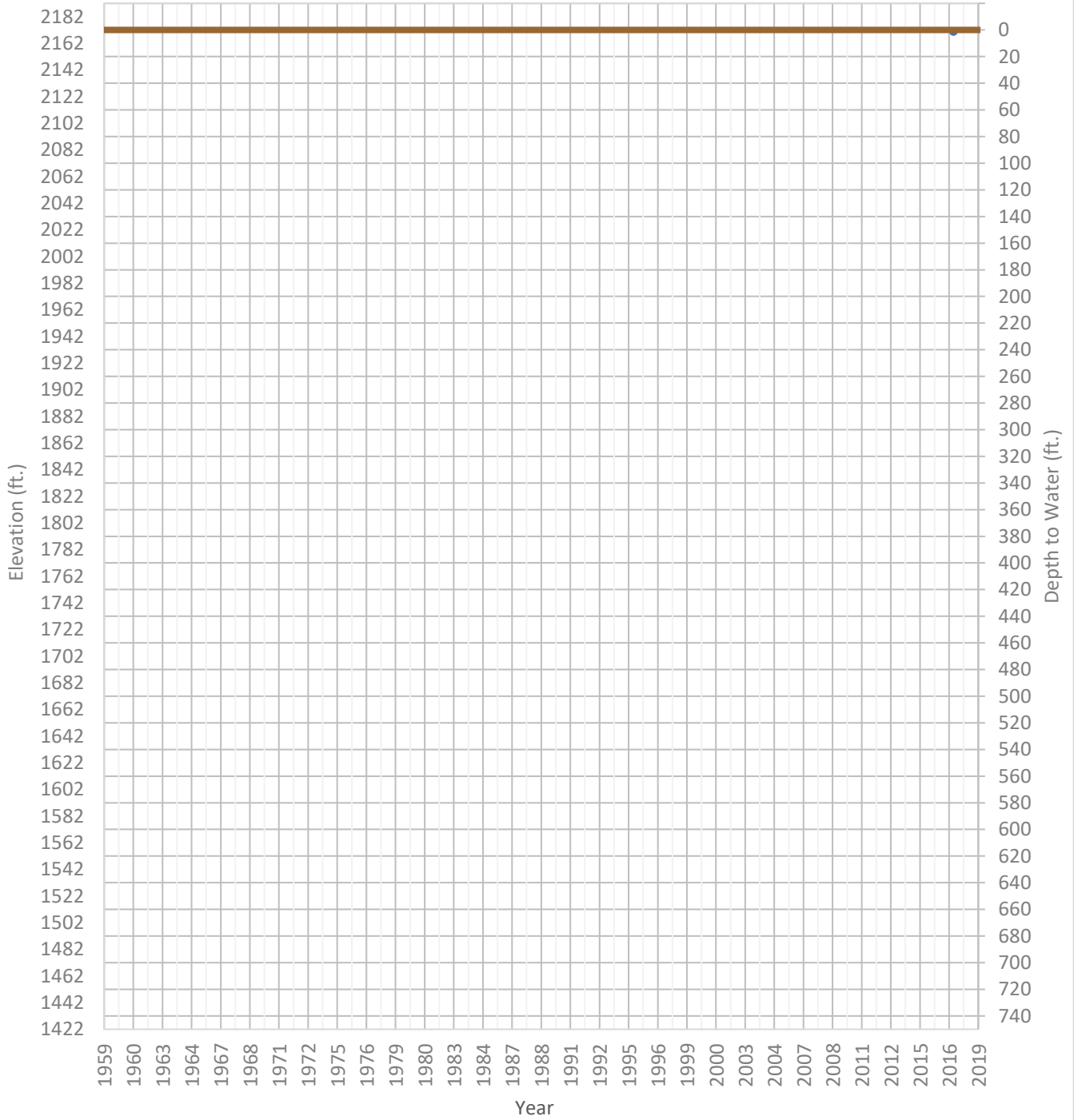
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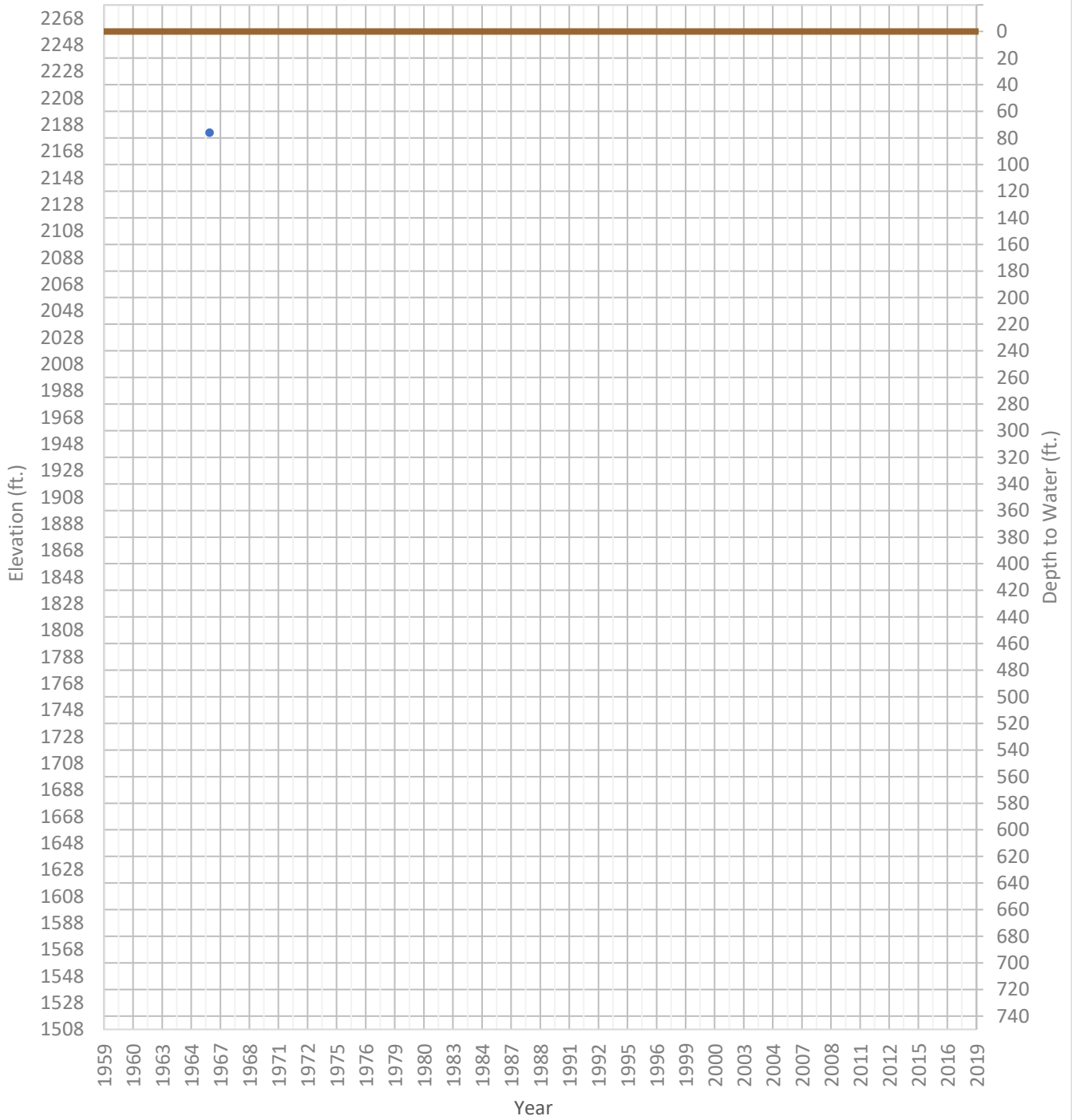
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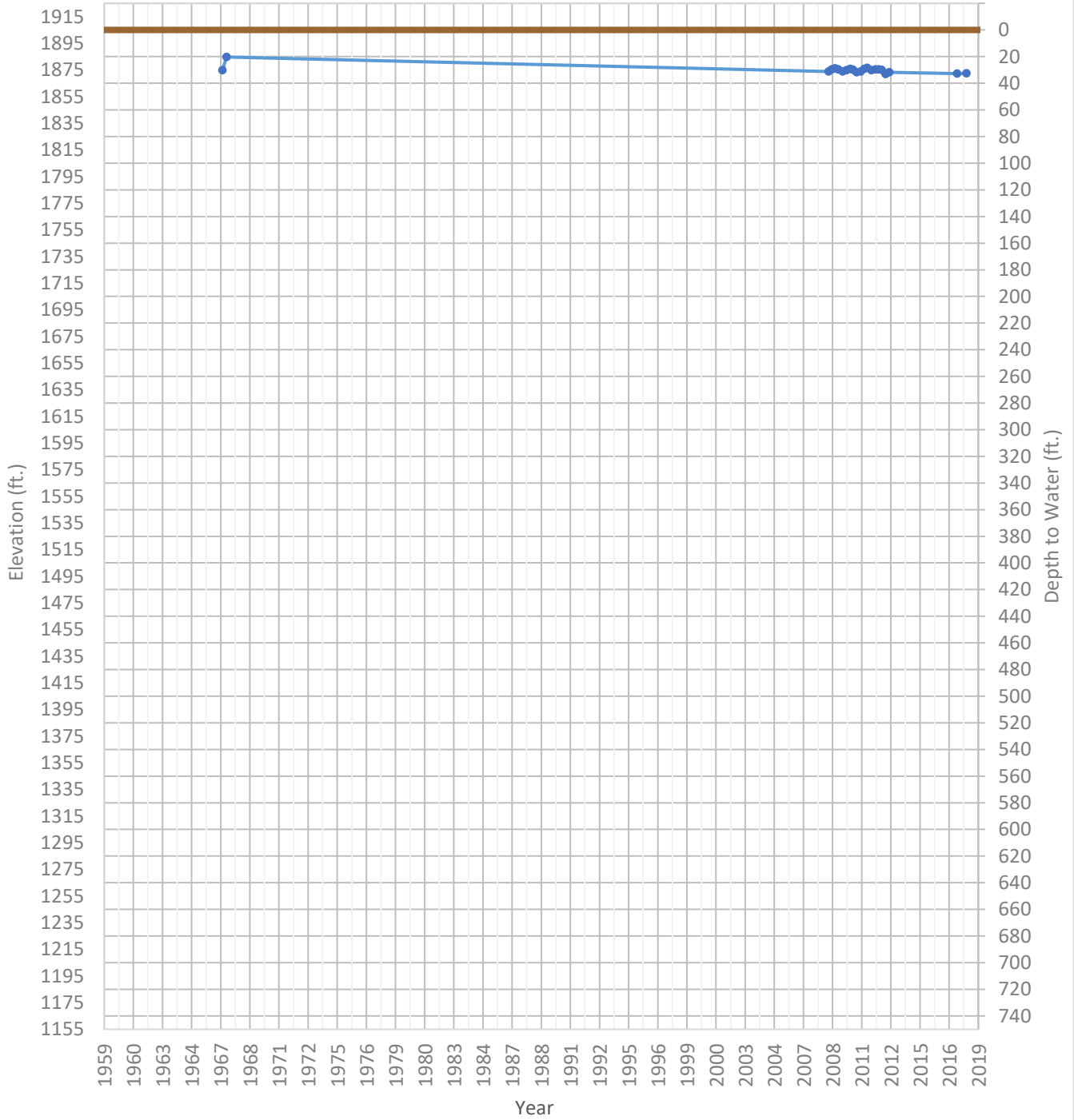
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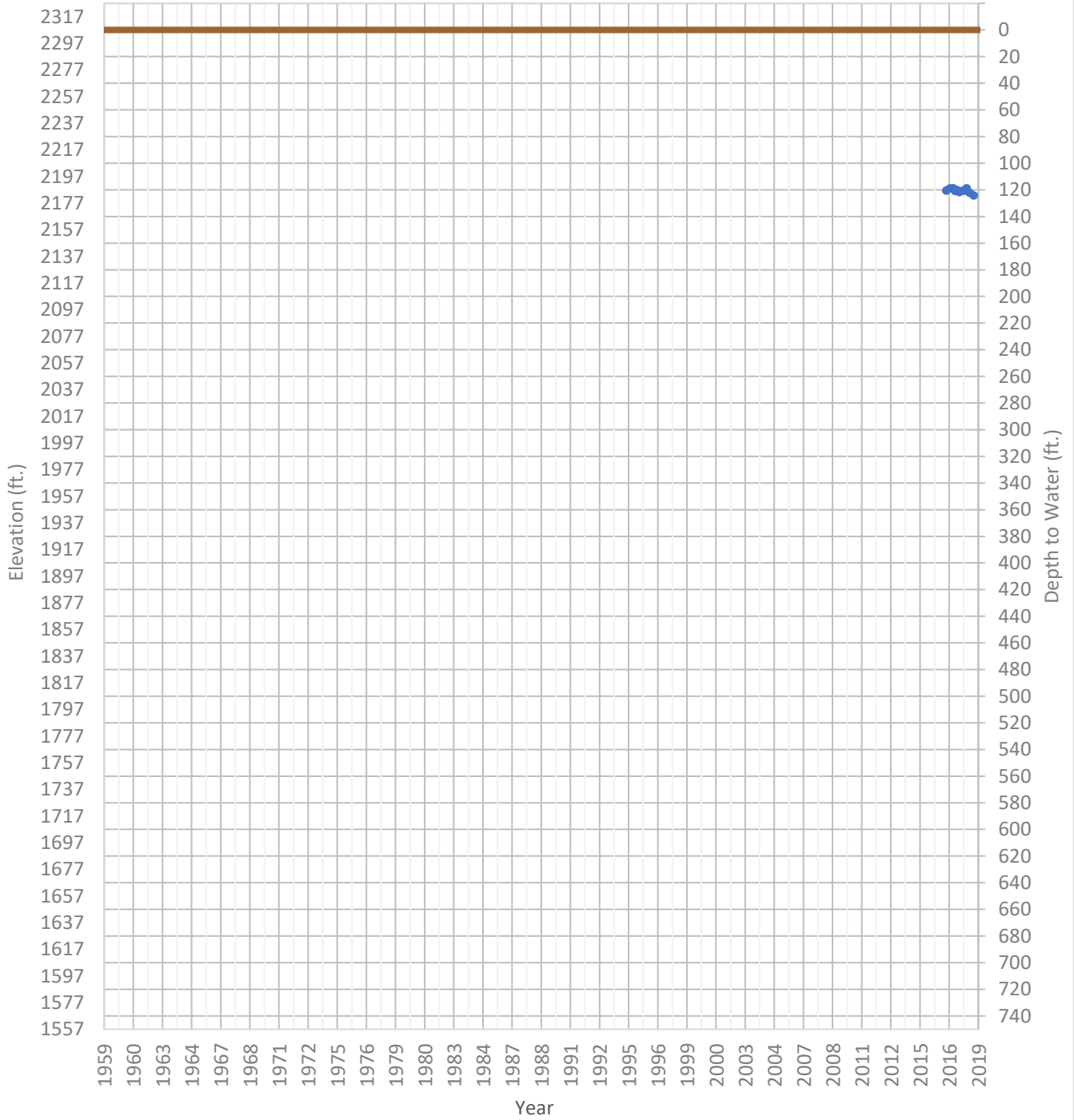
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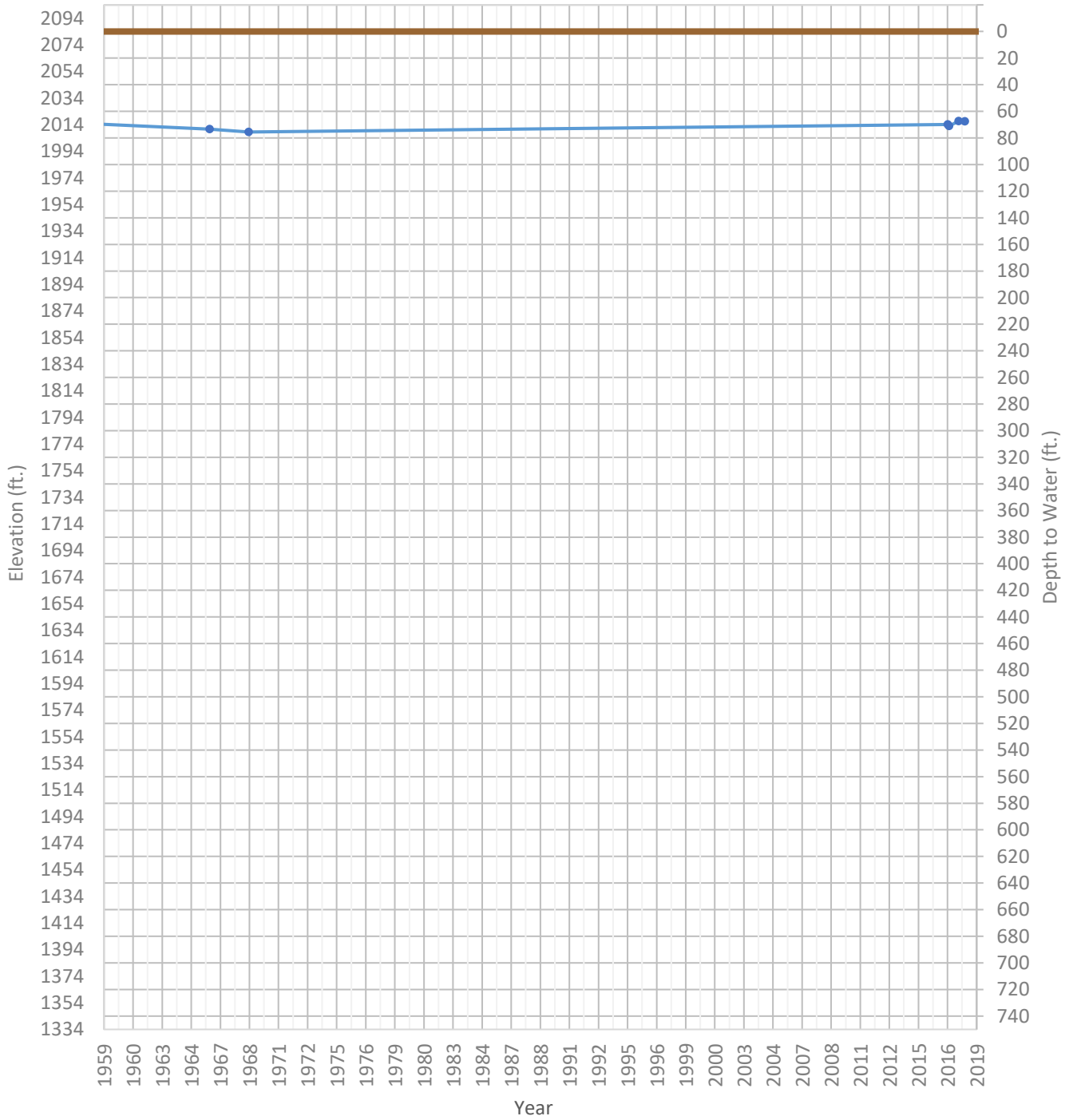
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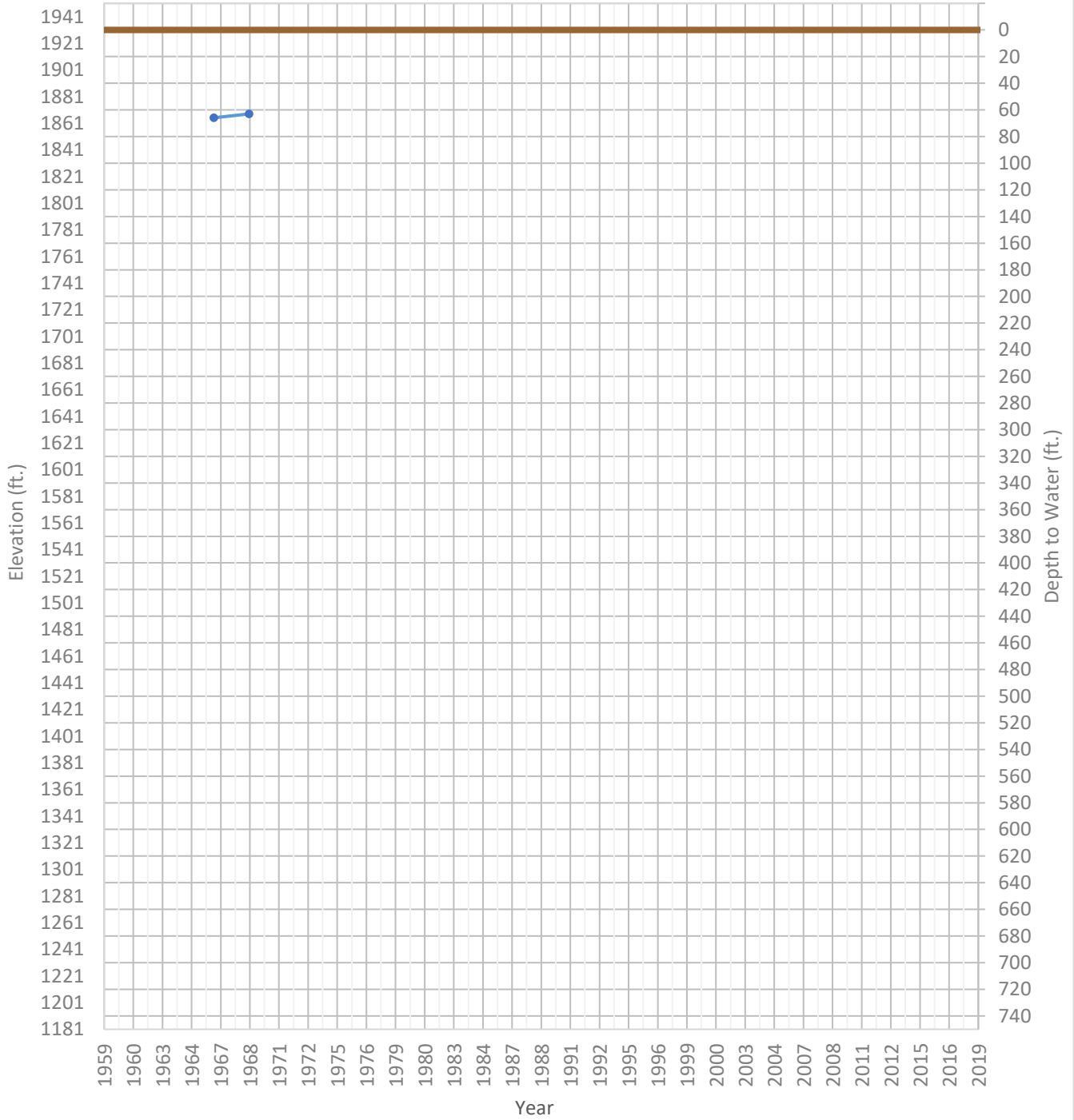
OPTI Well 573 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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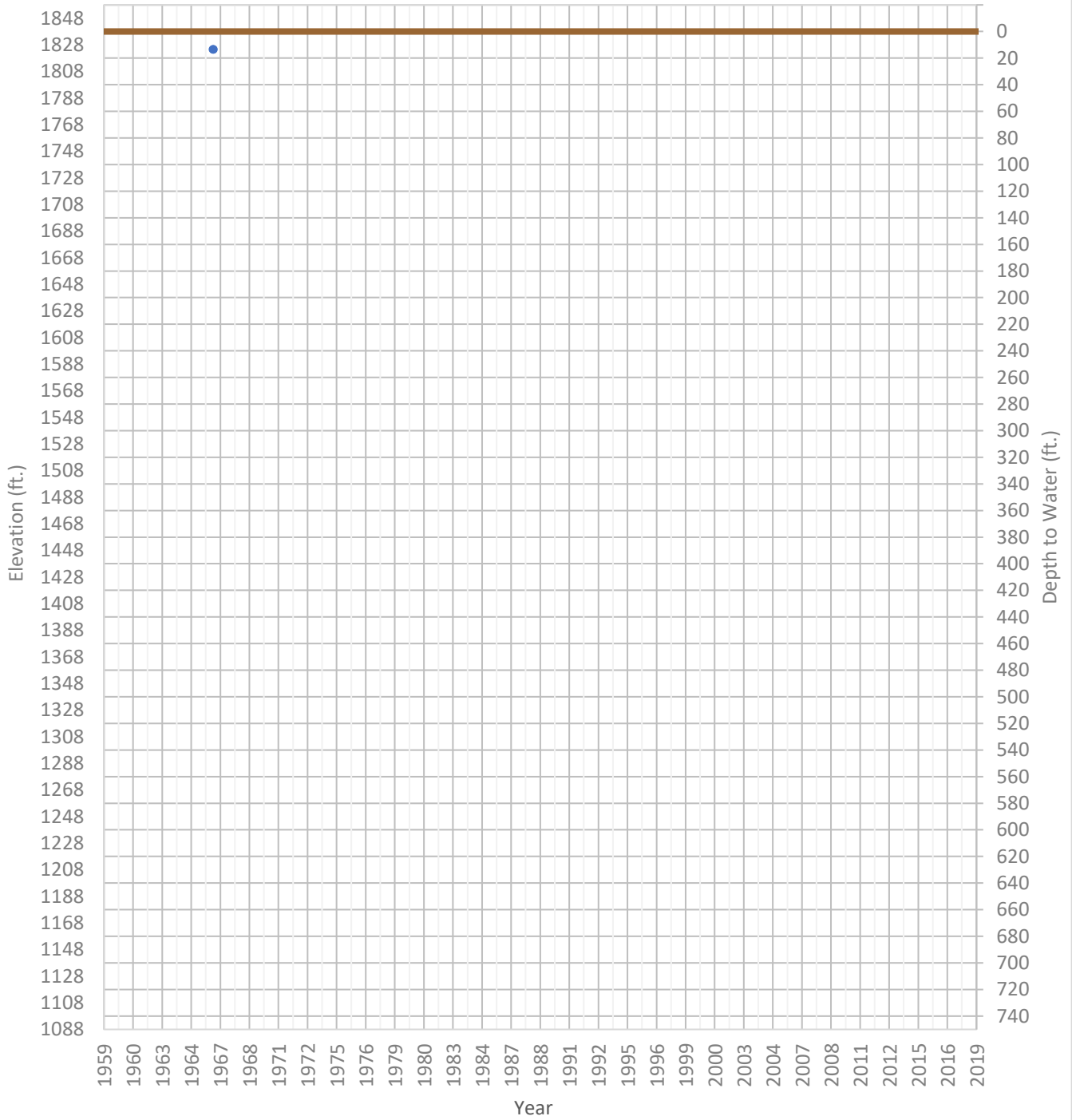
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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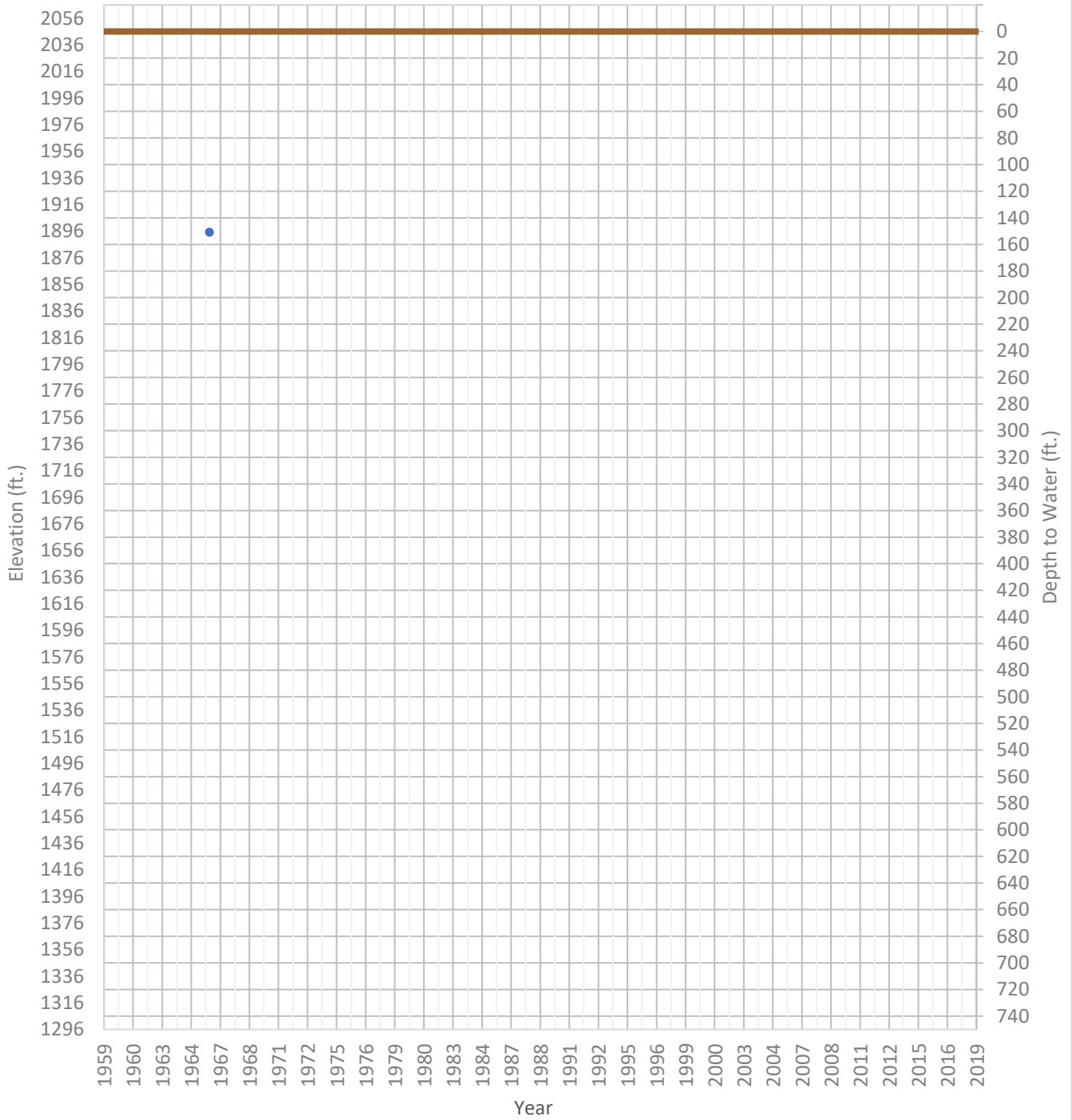
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1824 ft. WSE Max = 1825 ft. Well Depth = 699 ft.



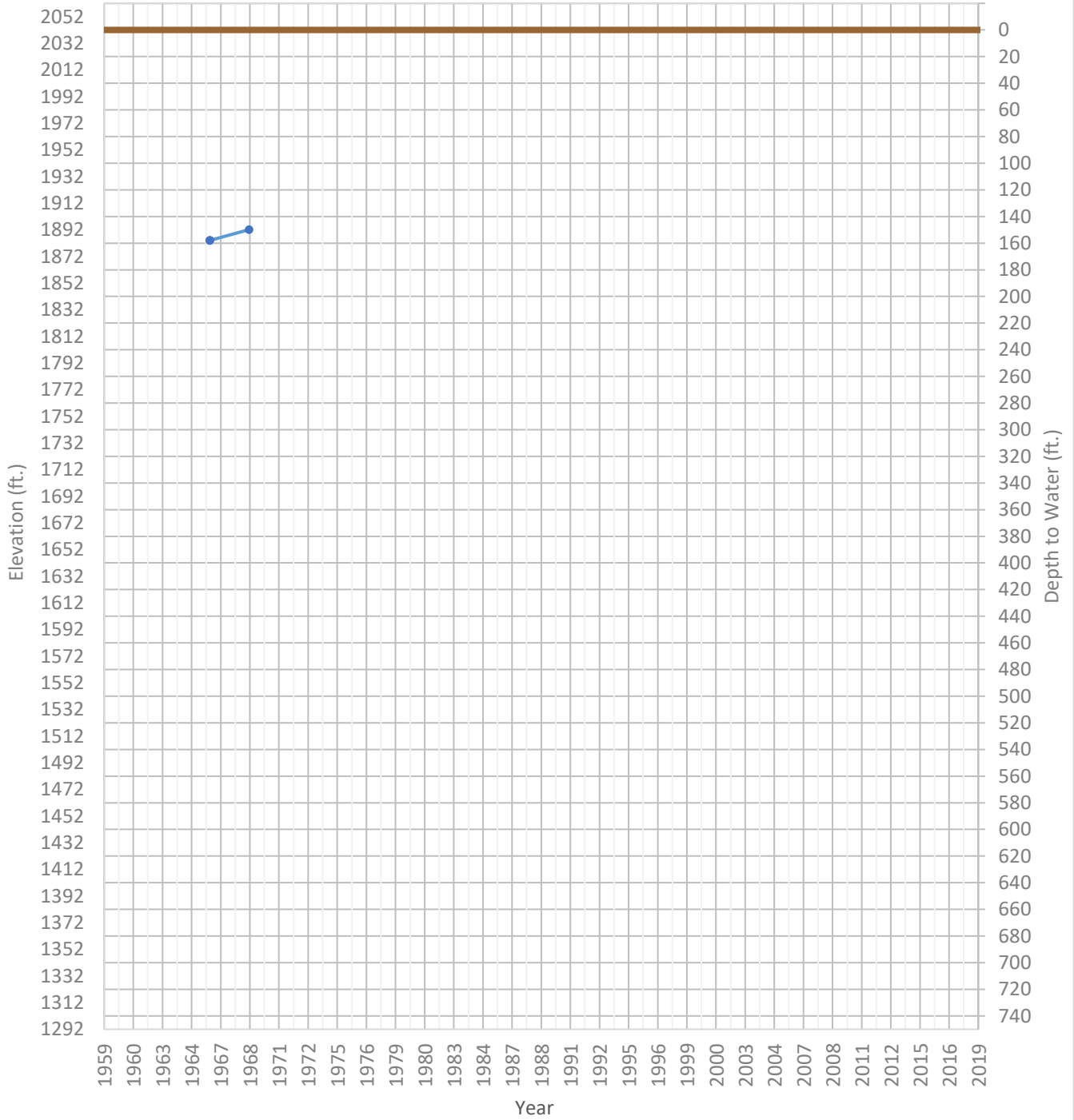
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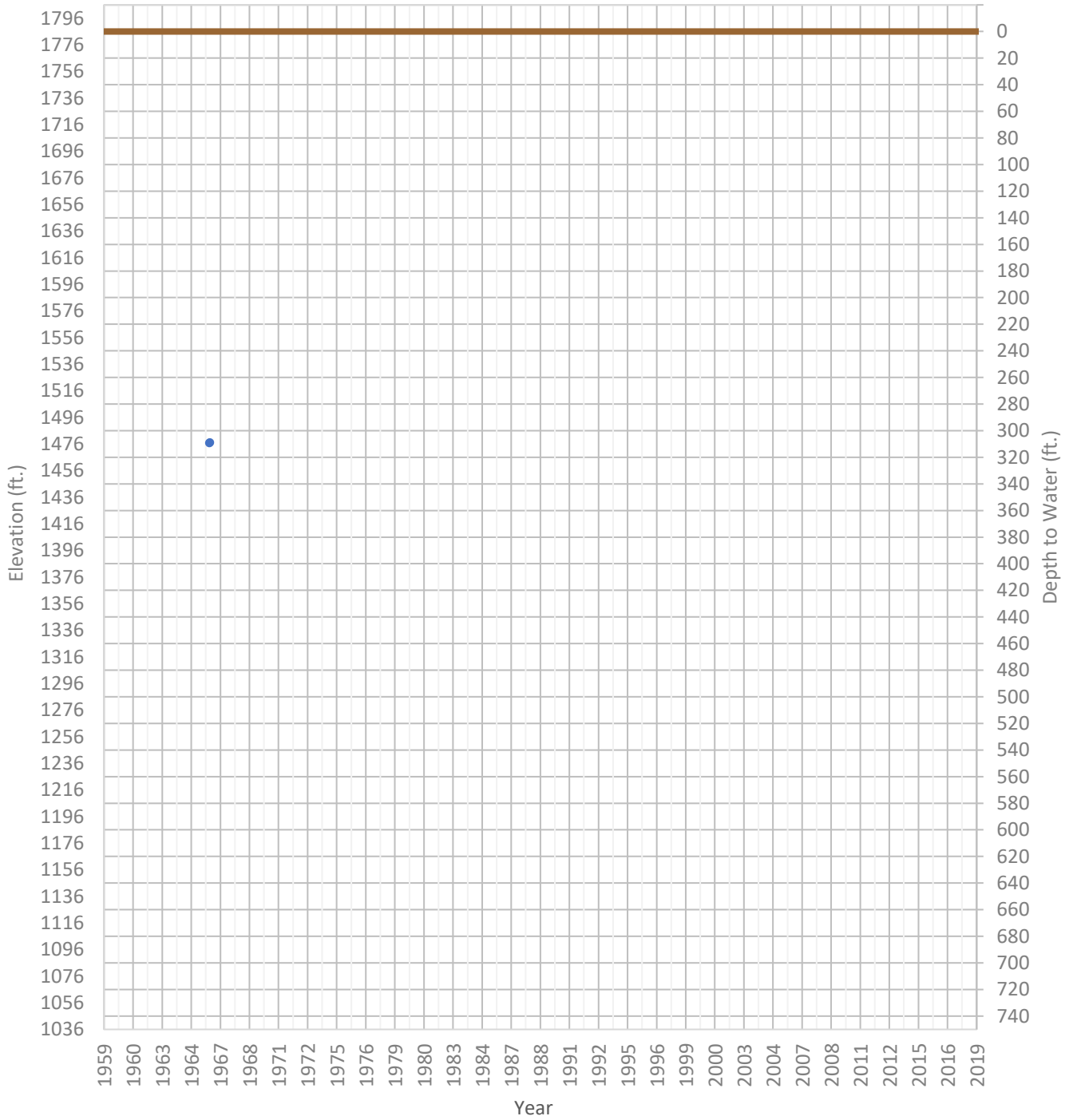
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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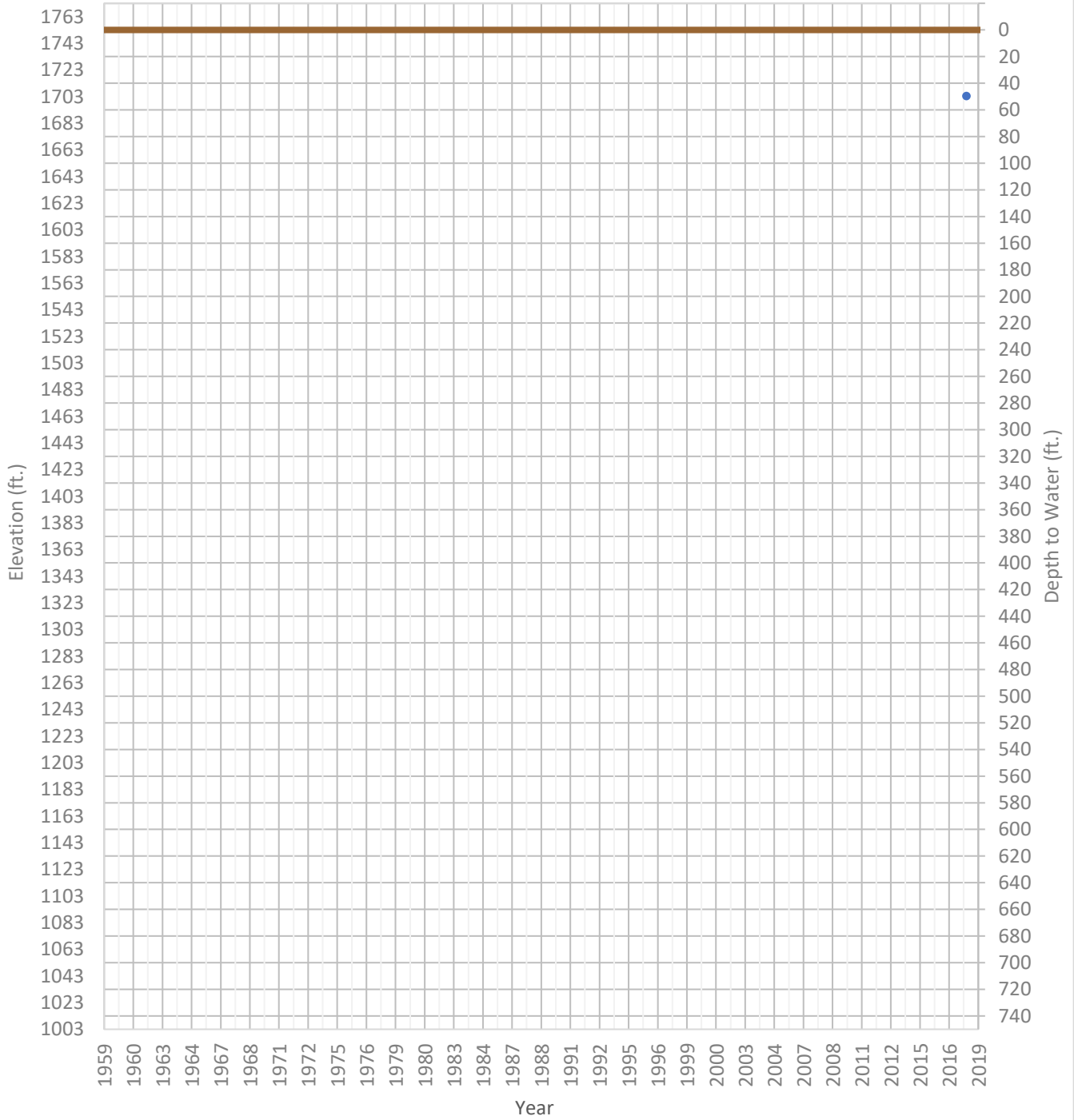
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1477 ft. WSE Max = 1477 ft. Well Depth = Unknown ft.



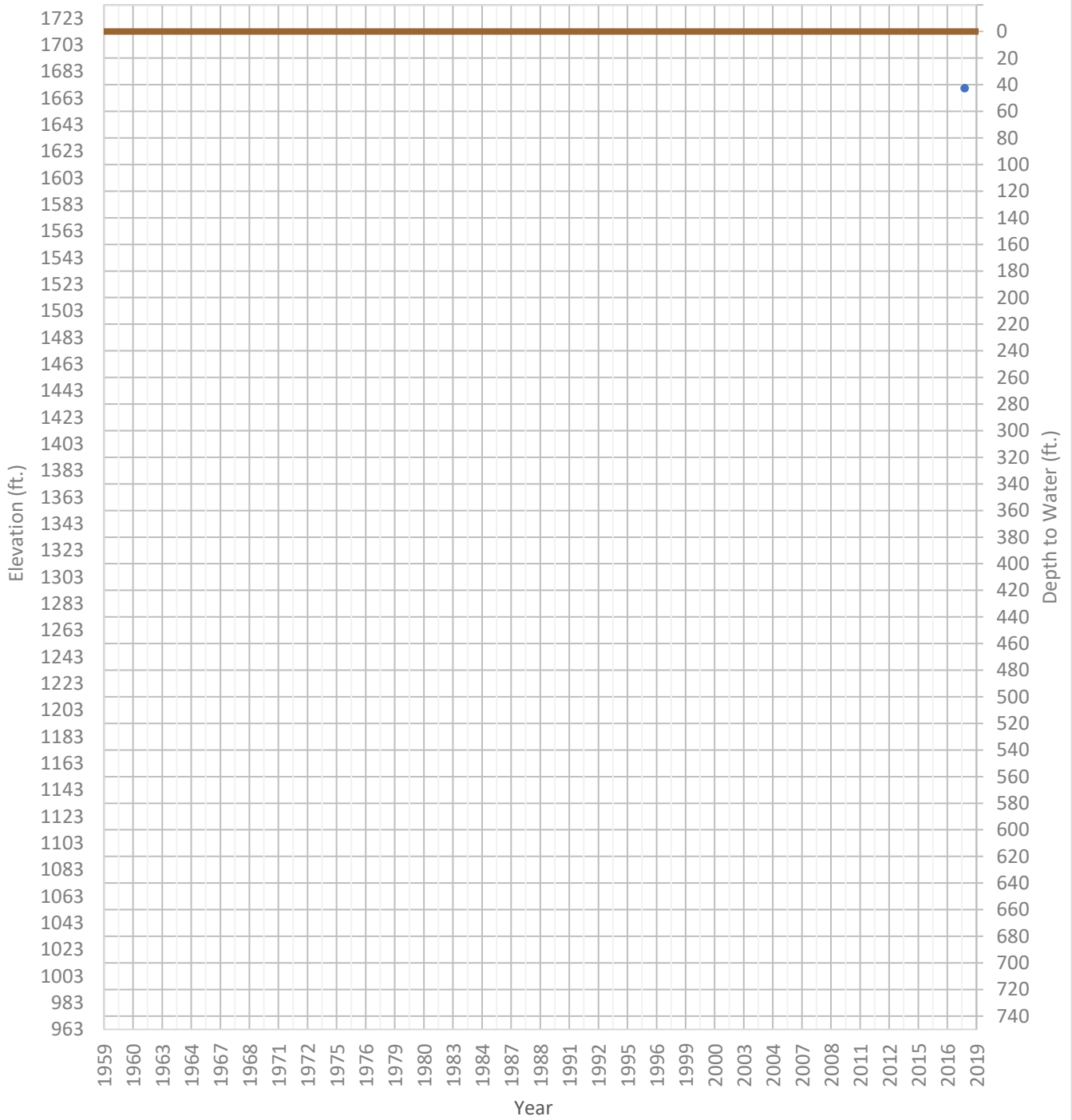
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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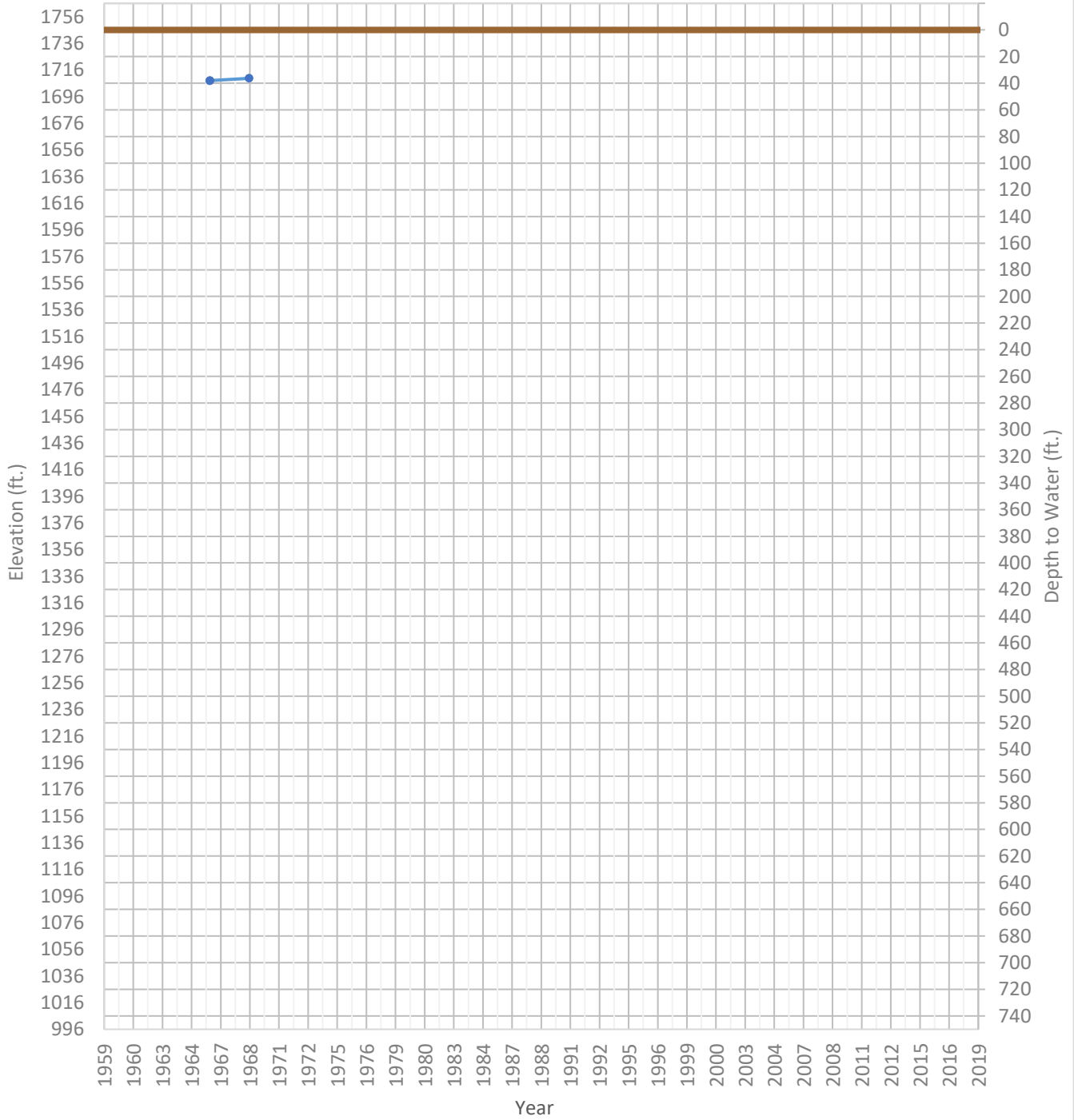
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1670 ft. WSE Max = 1670 ft. Well Depth = 900 ft.



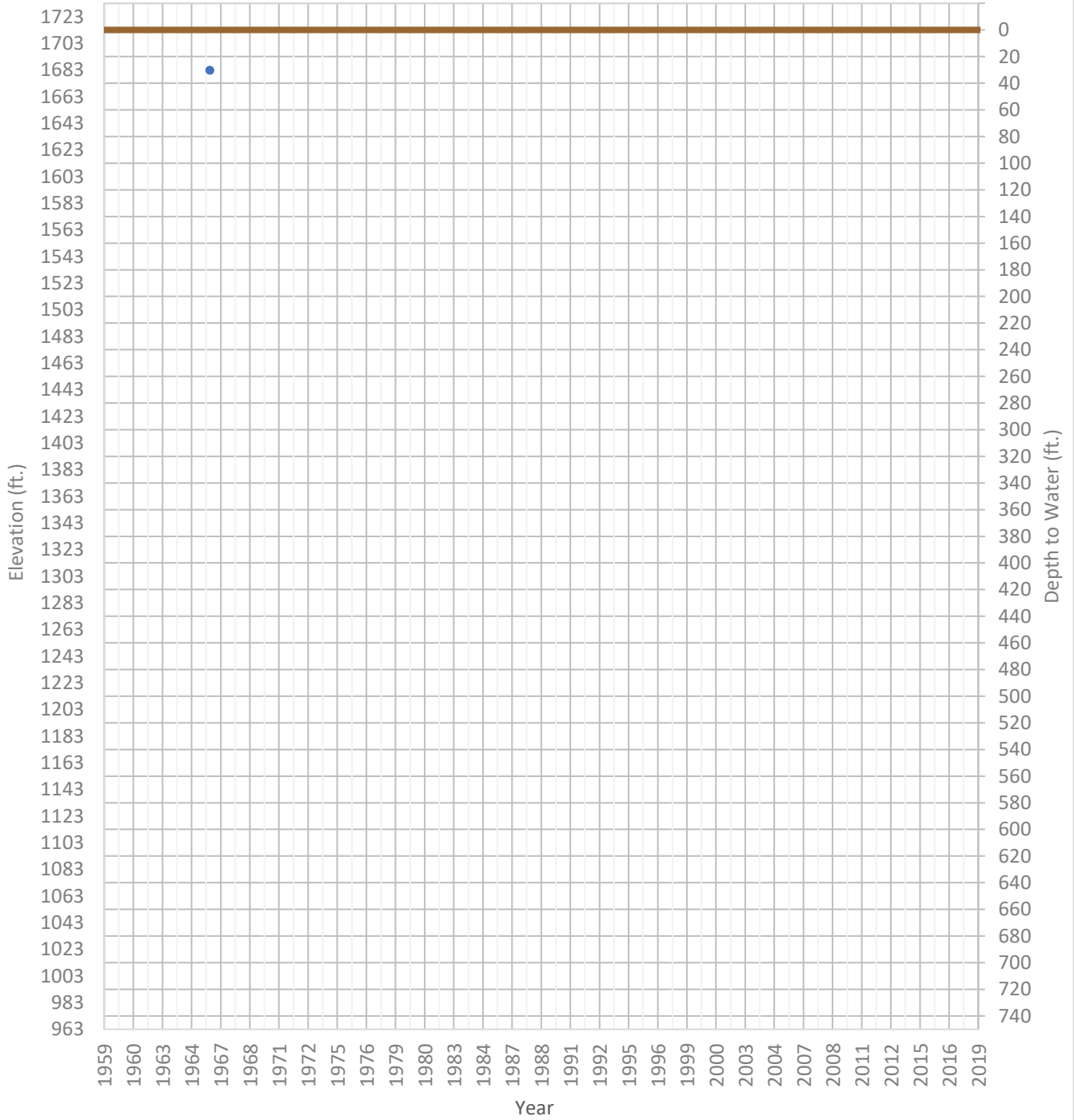
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1708 ft. WSE Max = 1710 ft. Well Depth = 73 ft.



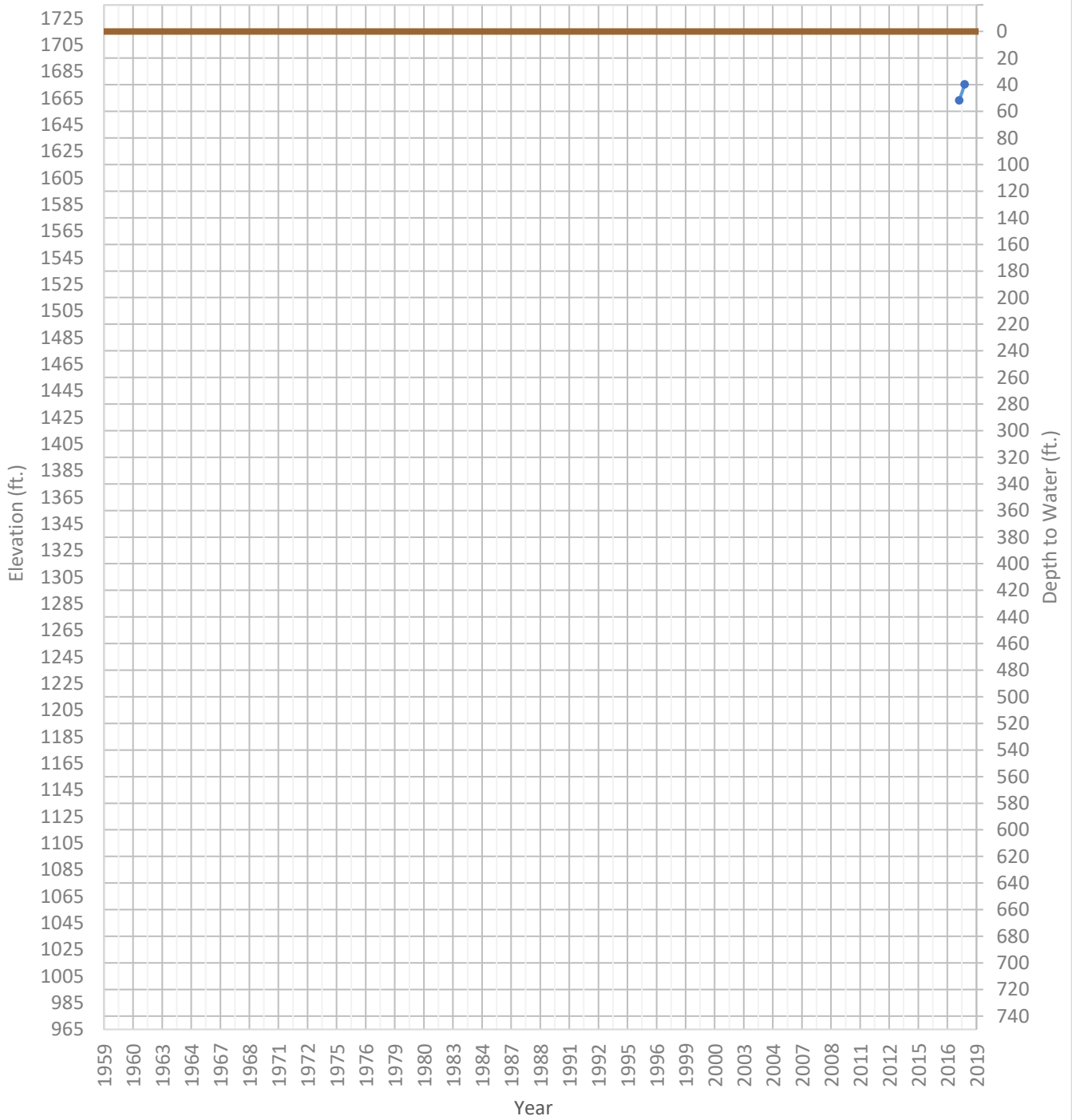
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1683 ft. WSE Max = 1683 ft. Well Depth = 63 ft.



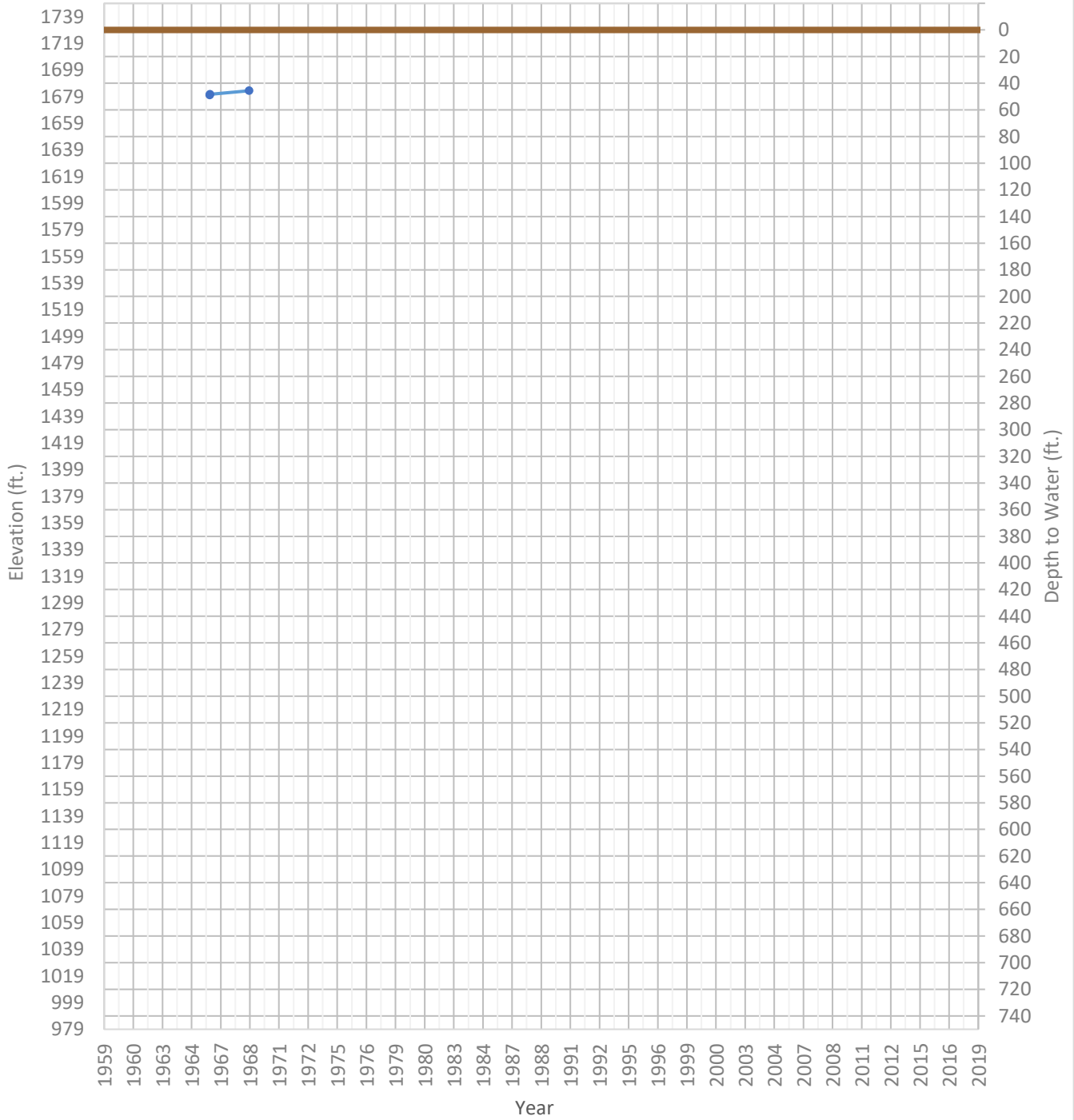
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1663 ft. WSE Max = 1675 ft. Well Depth = 720 ft.



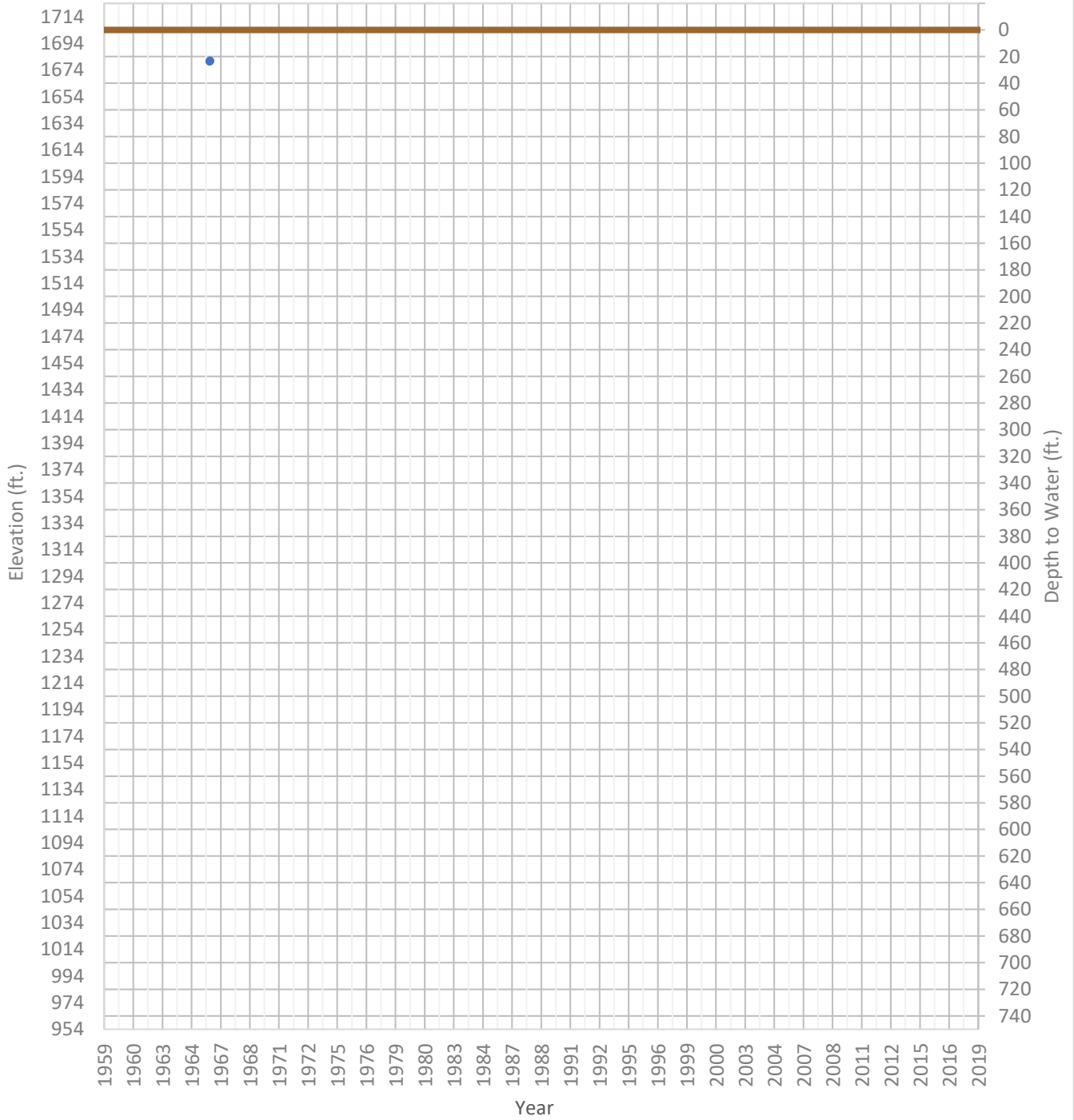
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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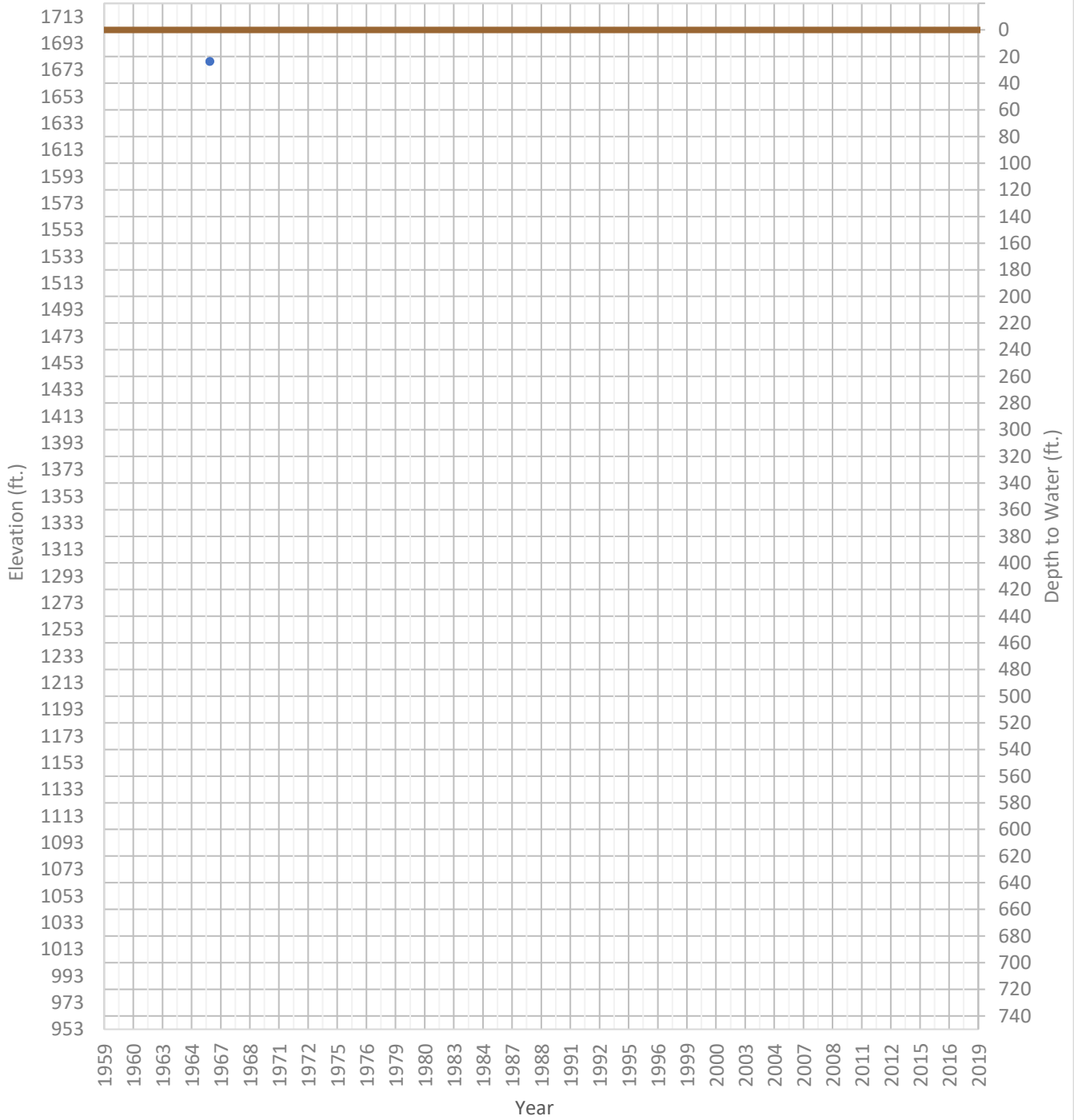
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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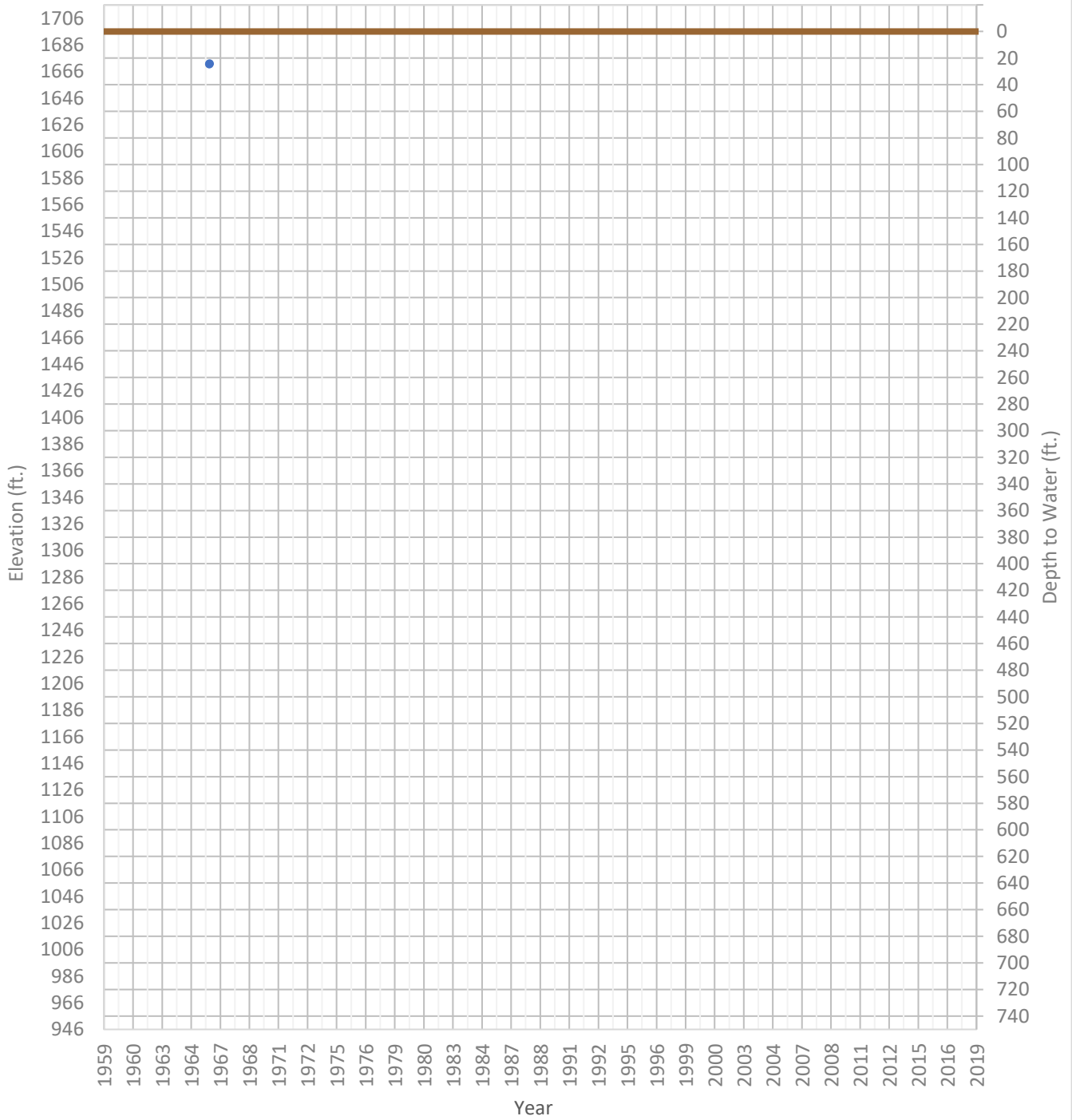
OPTI Well 594 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1679 ft. WSE Max = 1679 ft. Well Depth = 25 ft.



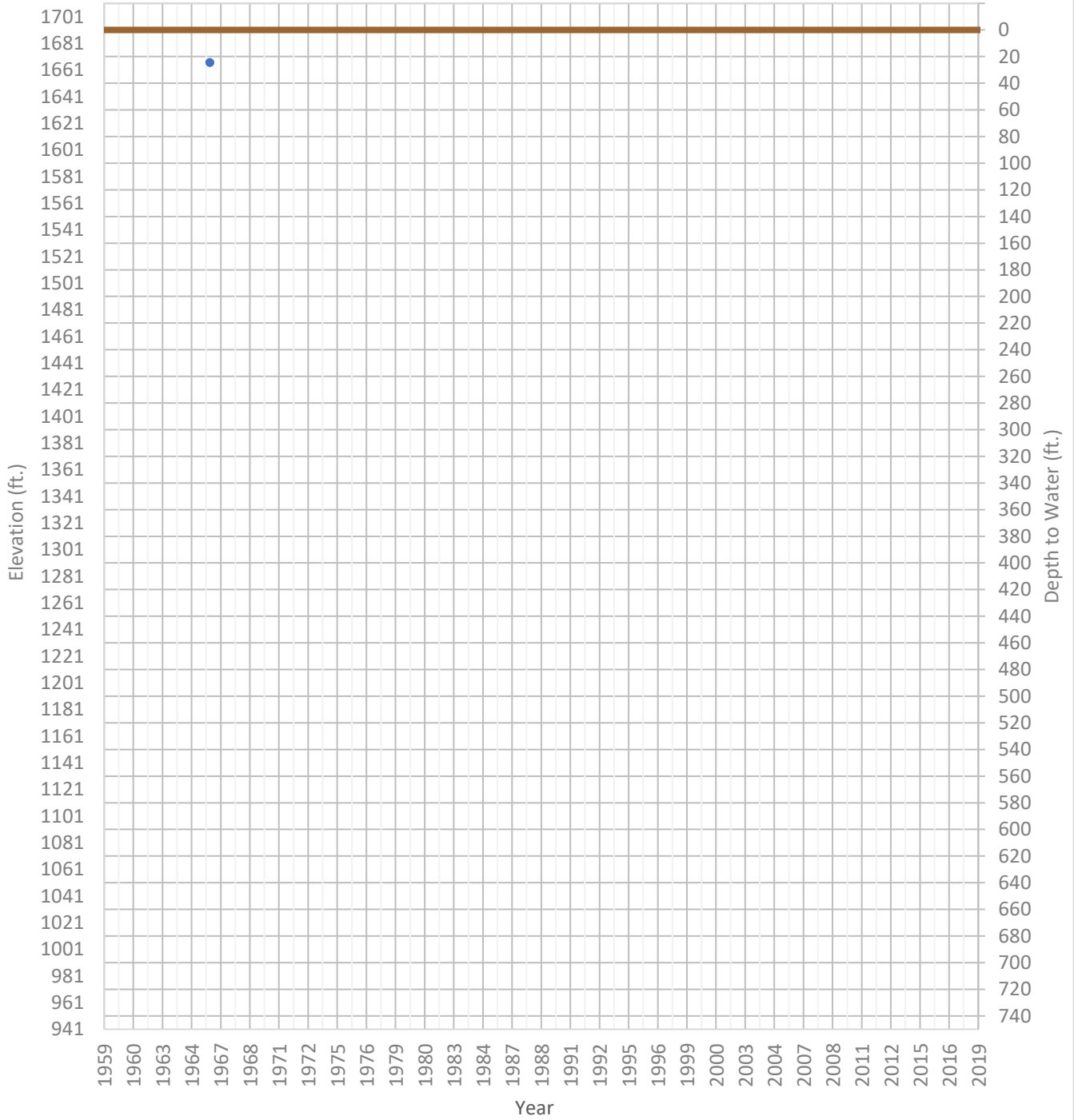
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1671 ft. WSE Max = 1672 ft. Well Depth = 68 ft.



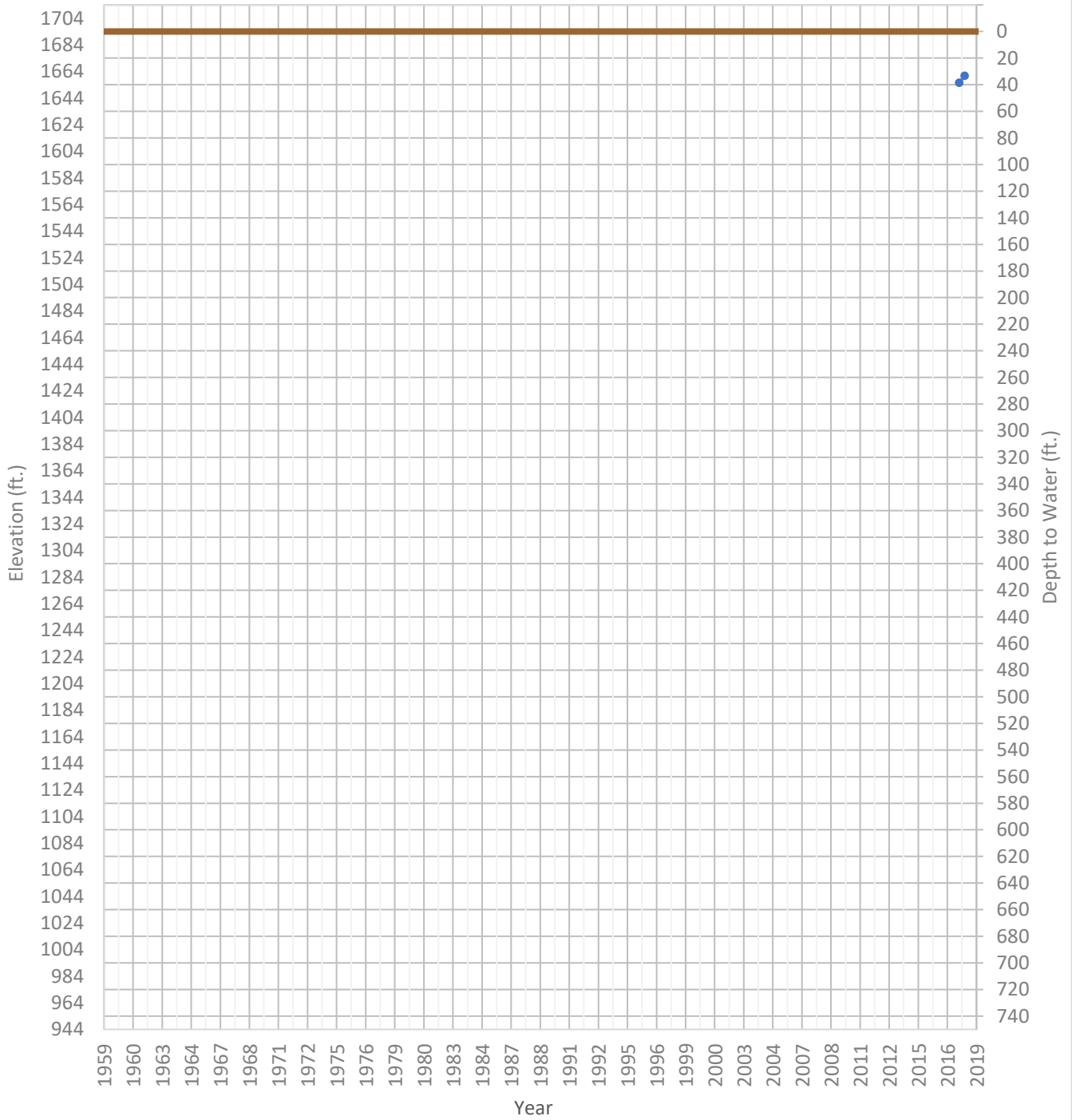
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1666 ft. WSE Max = 1667 ft. Well Depth = 25 ft.



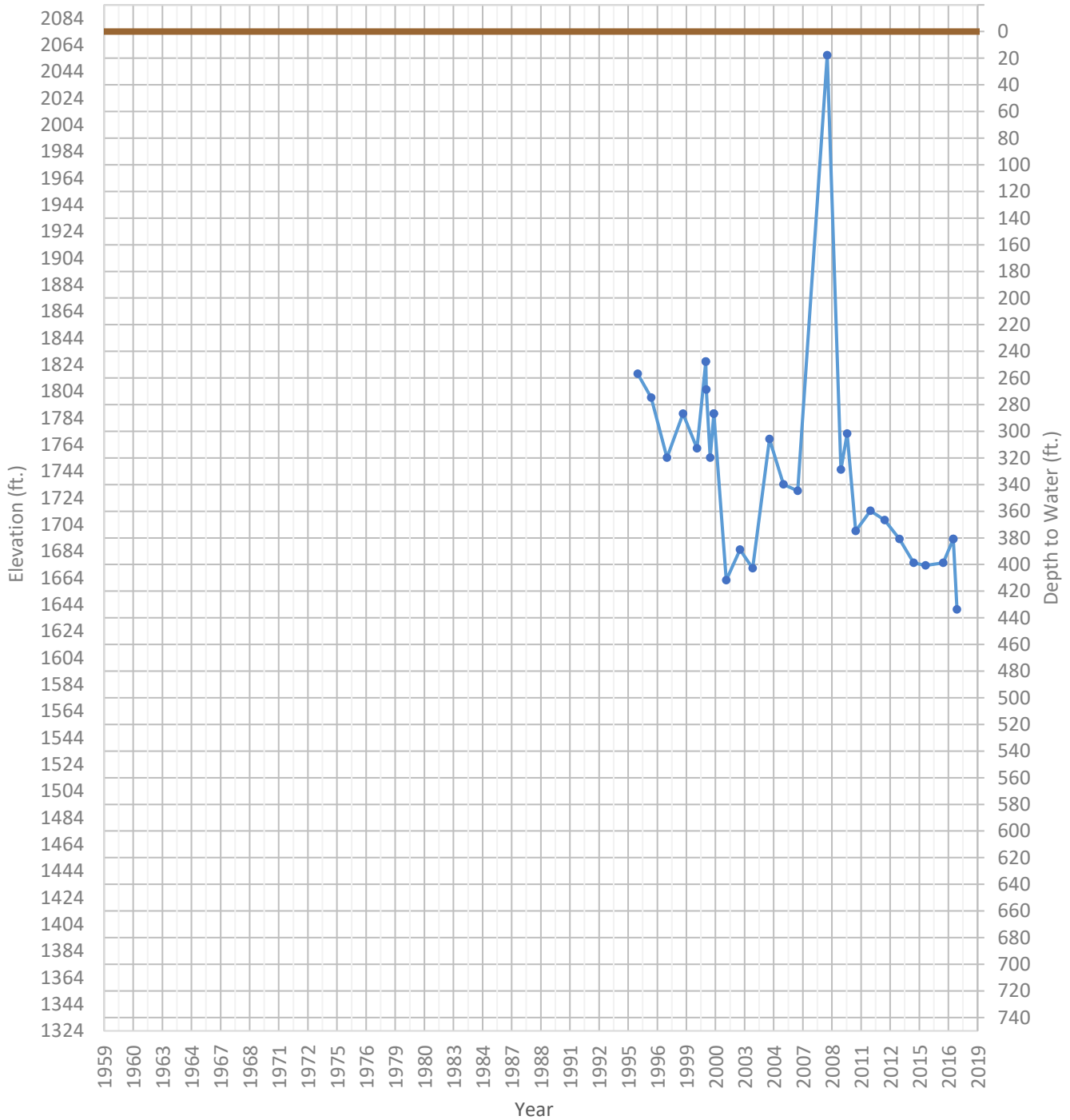
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1655 ft. WSE Max = 1661 ft. Well Depth = 390 ft.



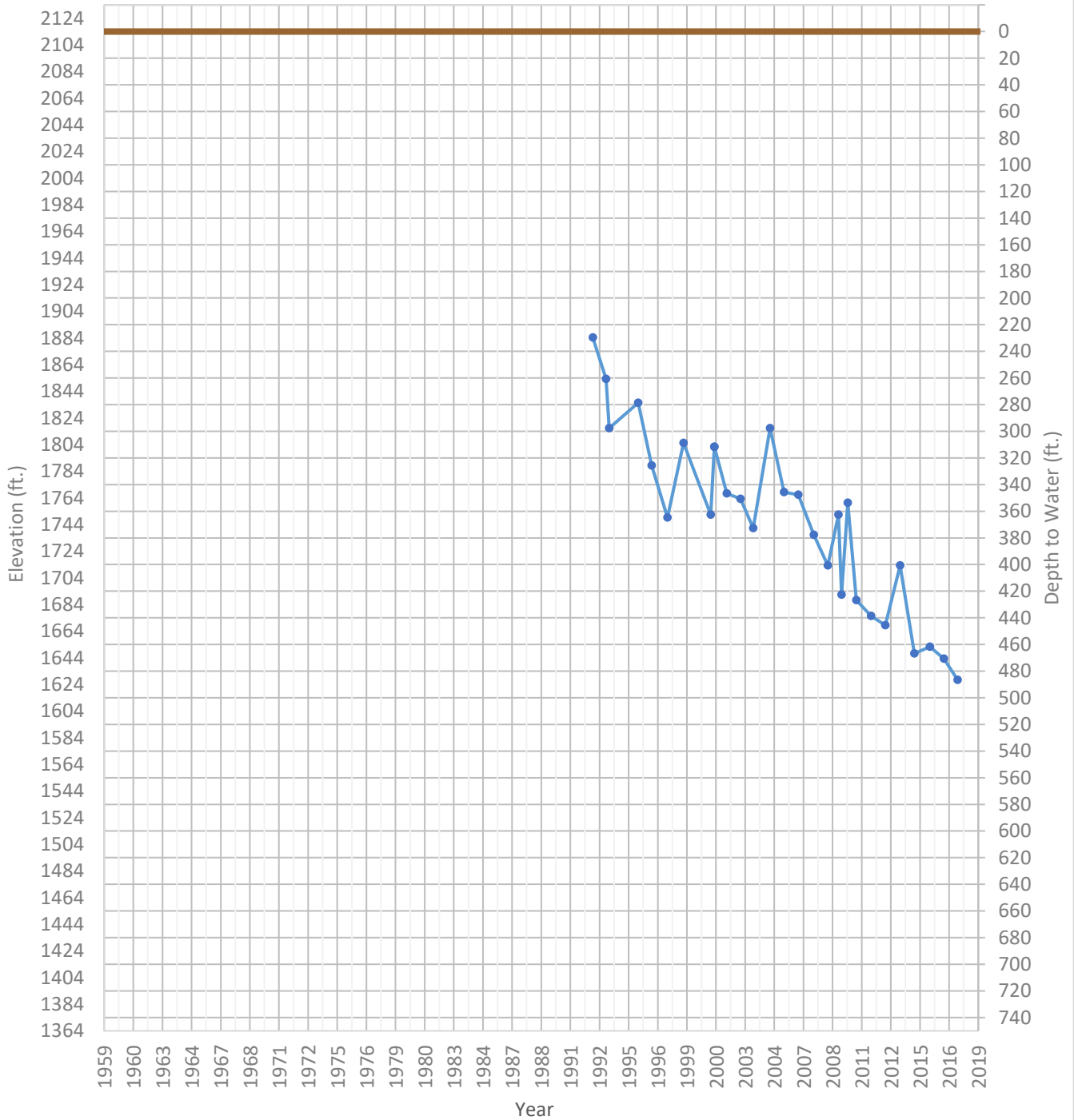
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1640 ft. WSE Max = 2056 ft. Well Depth = 723 ft.



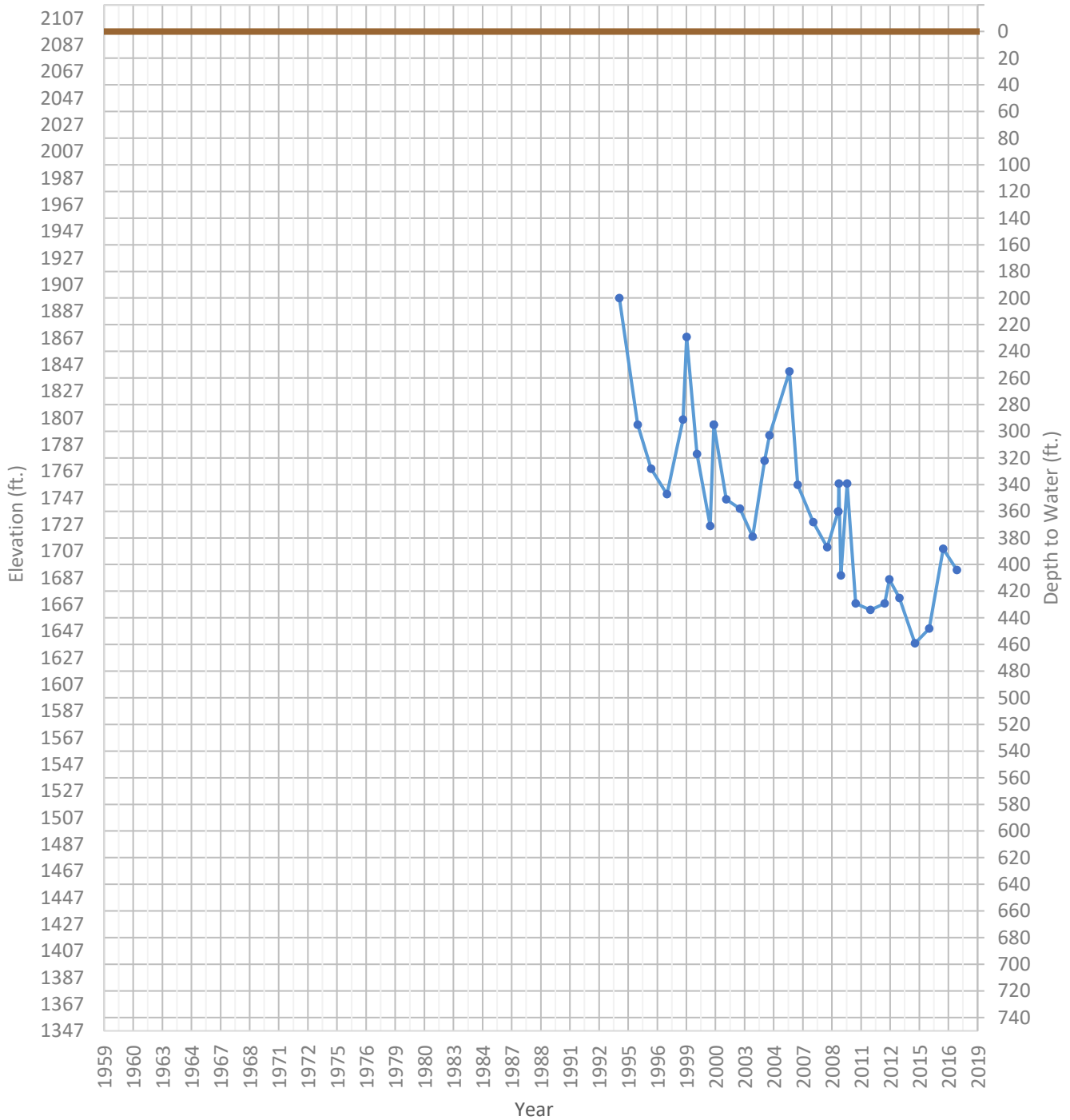
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1627 ft. WSE Max = 1884 ft. Well Depth = 725 ft.



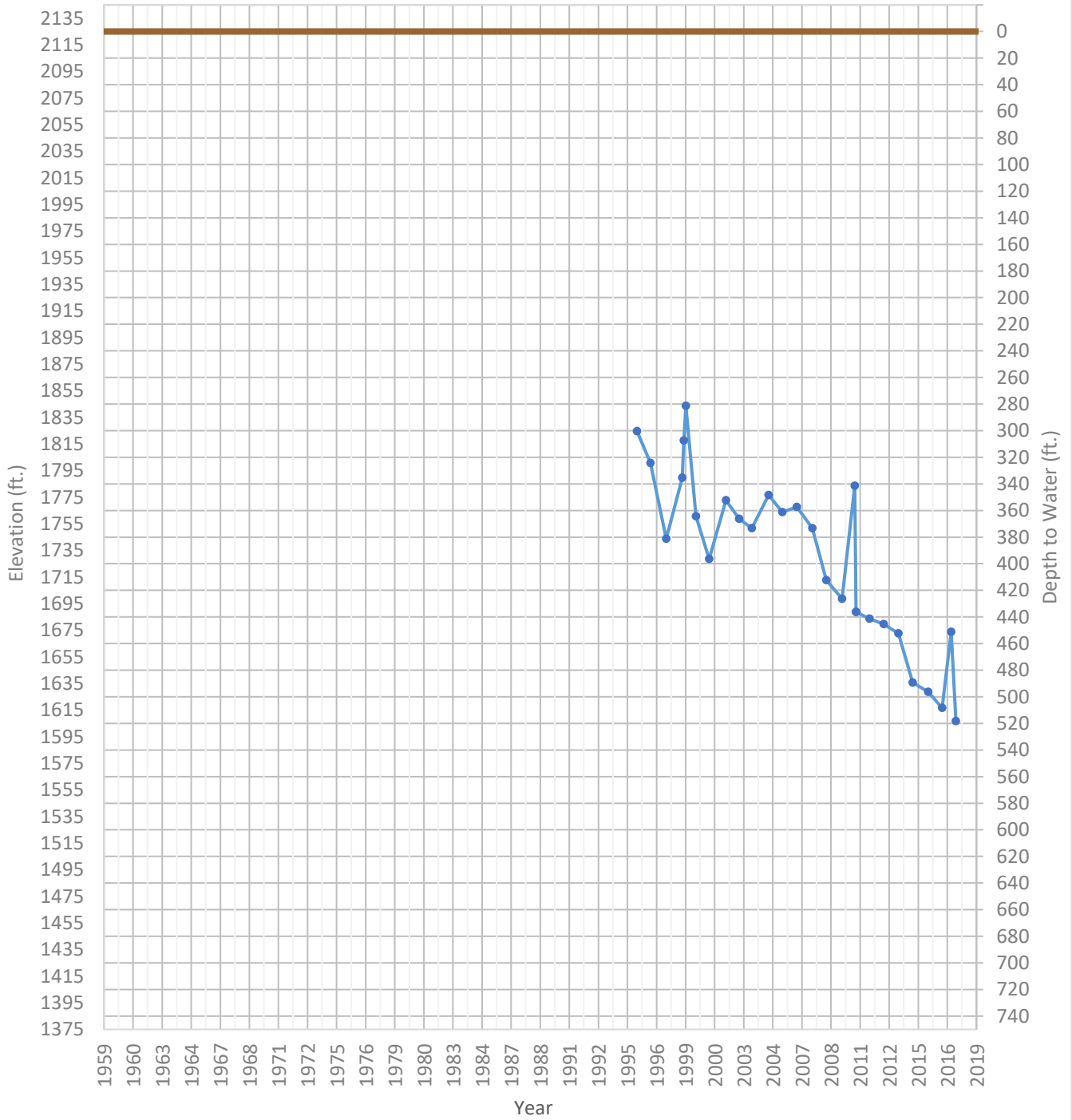
OPTI Well 603 Hydrograph

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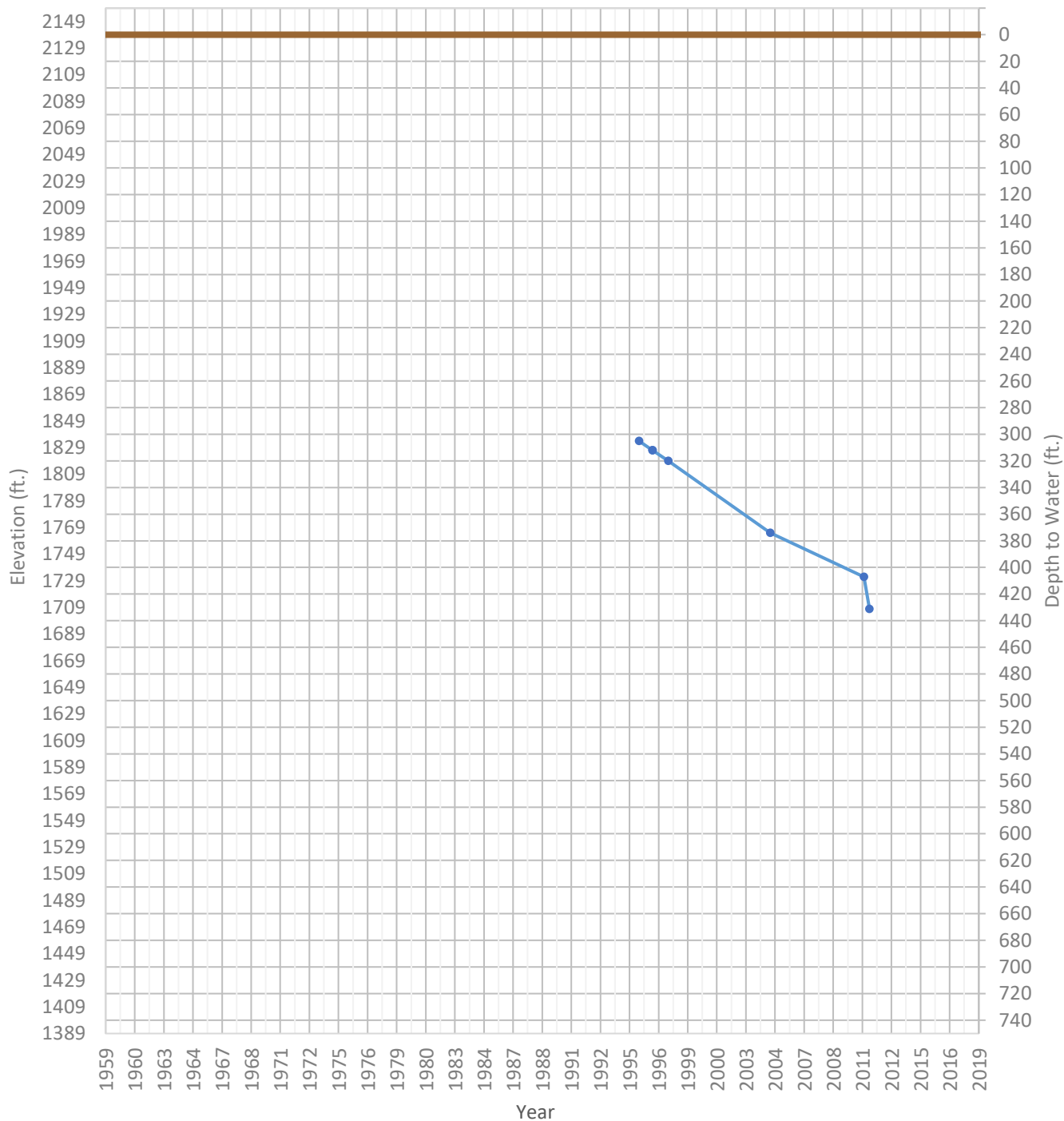
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1607 ft. WSE Max = 1844 ft. Well Depth = 924 ft.



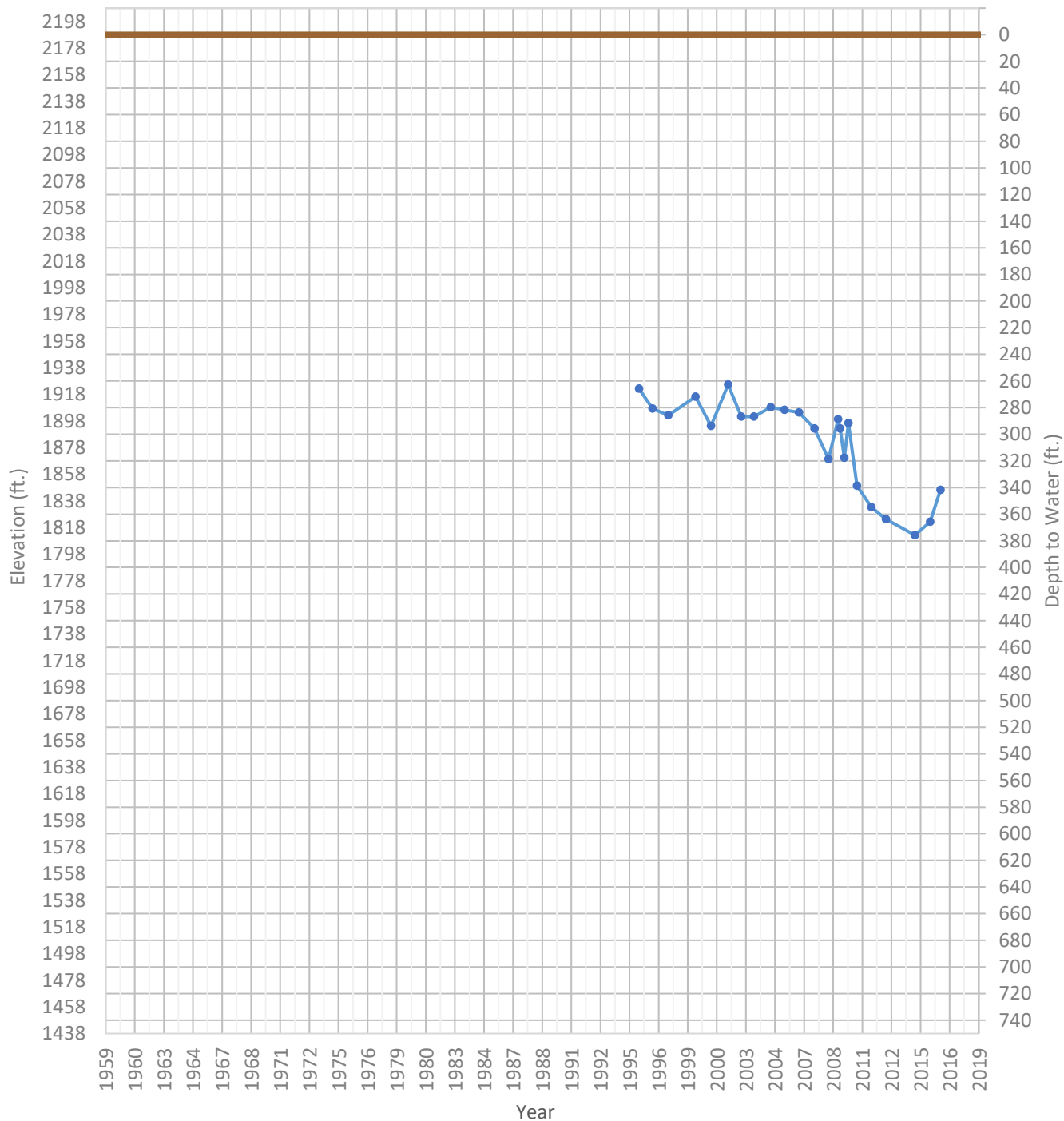
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1708 ft. WSE Max = 1834 ft. Well Depth = 597 ft.



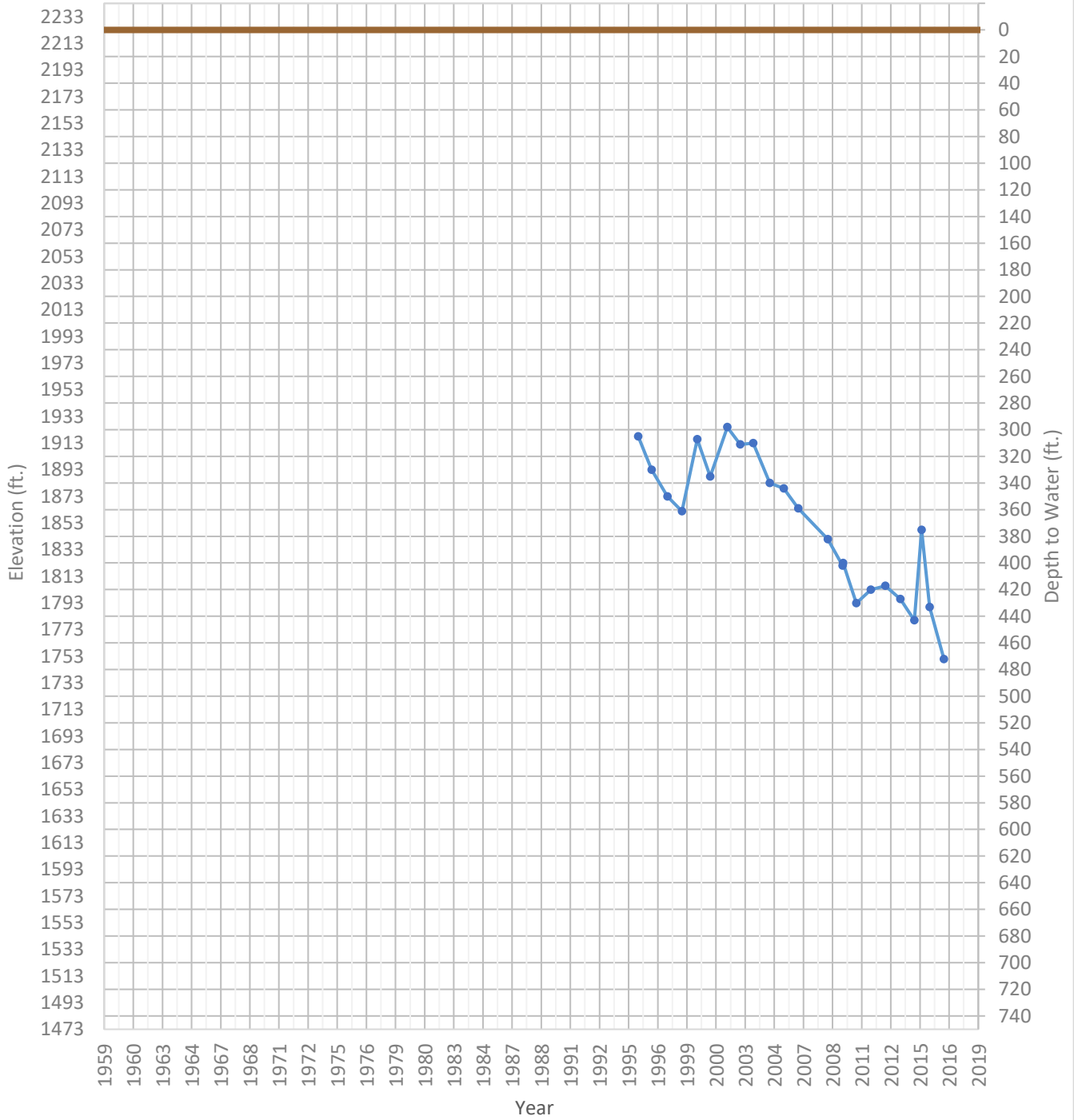
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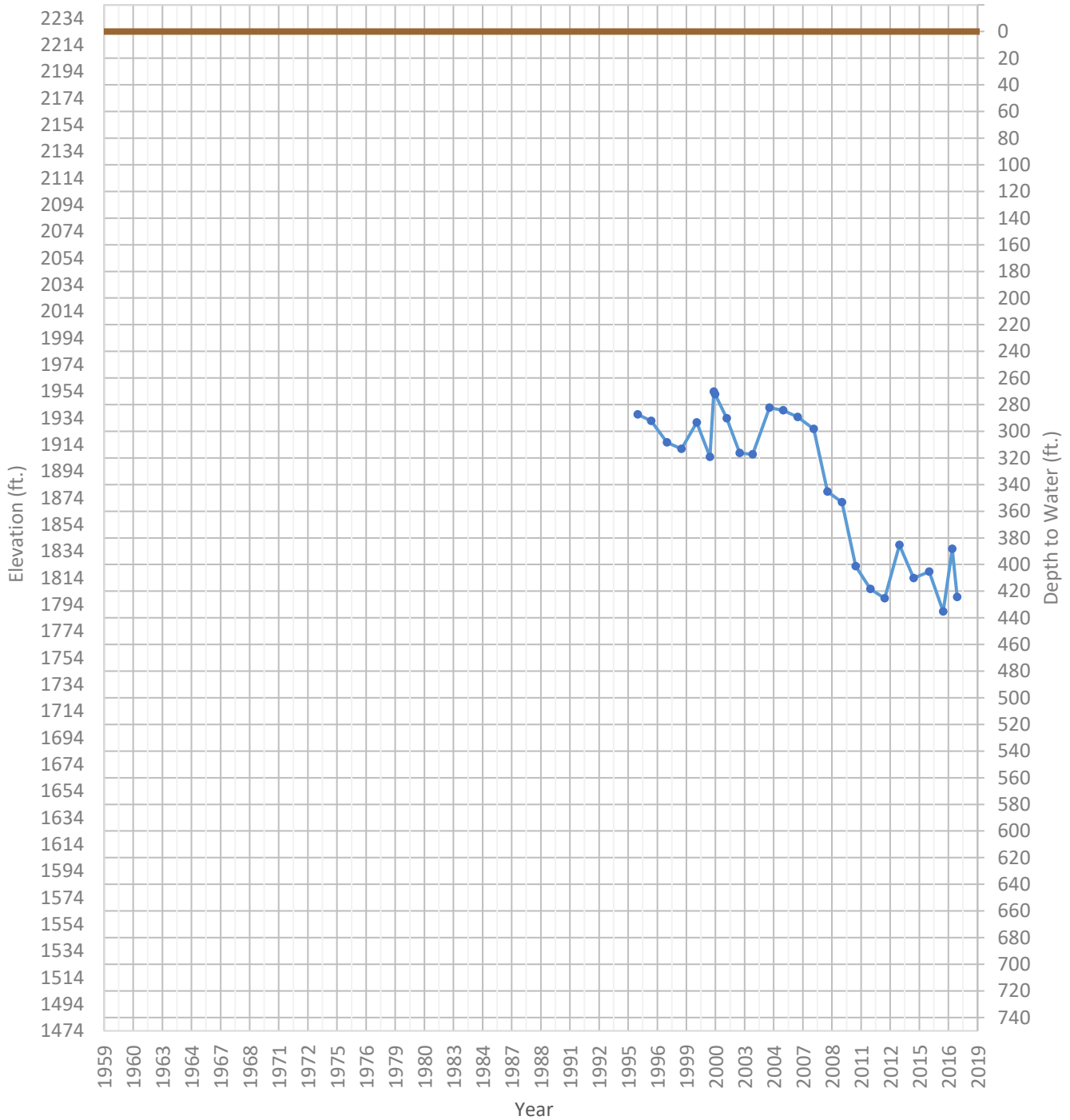
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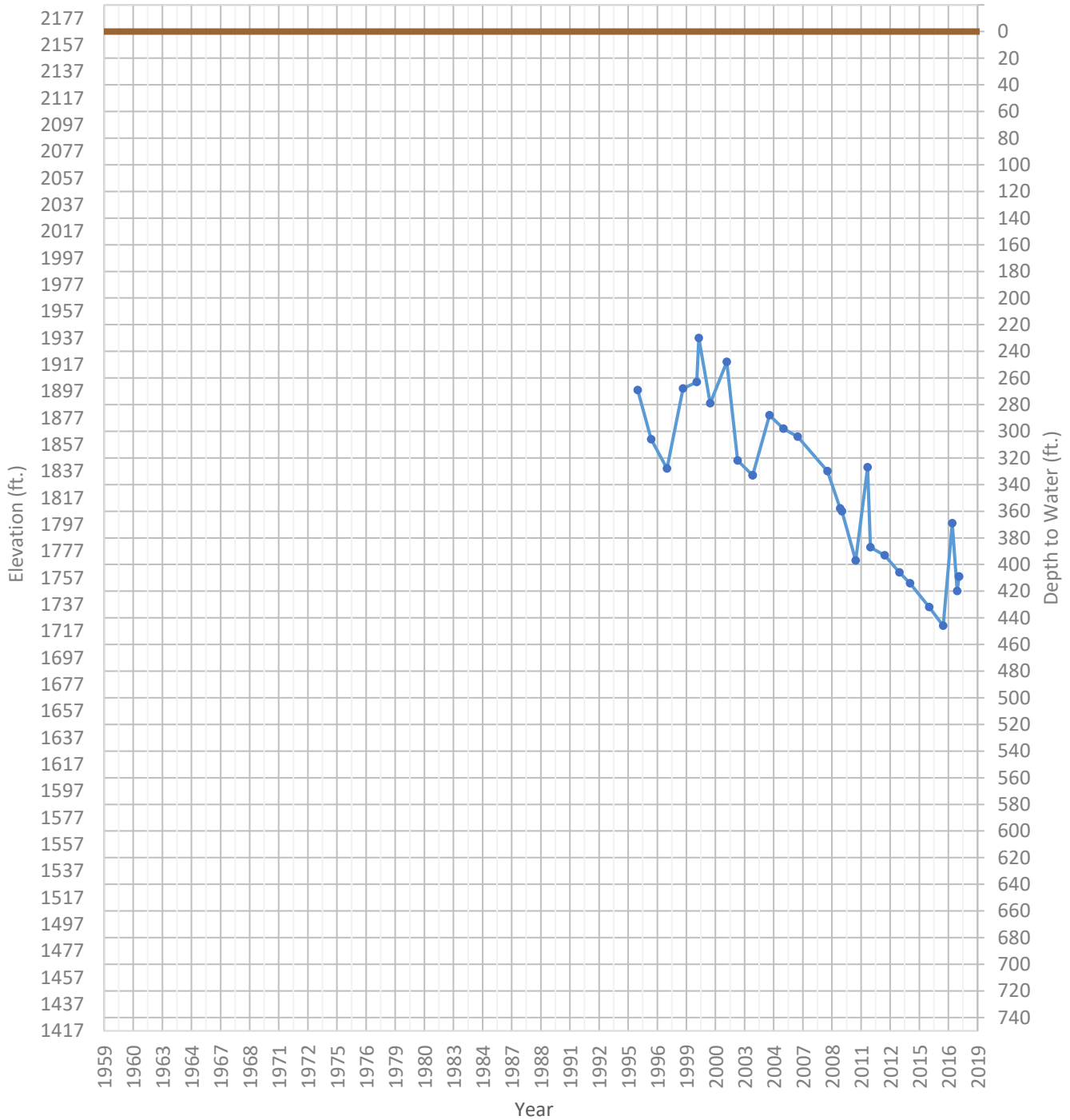
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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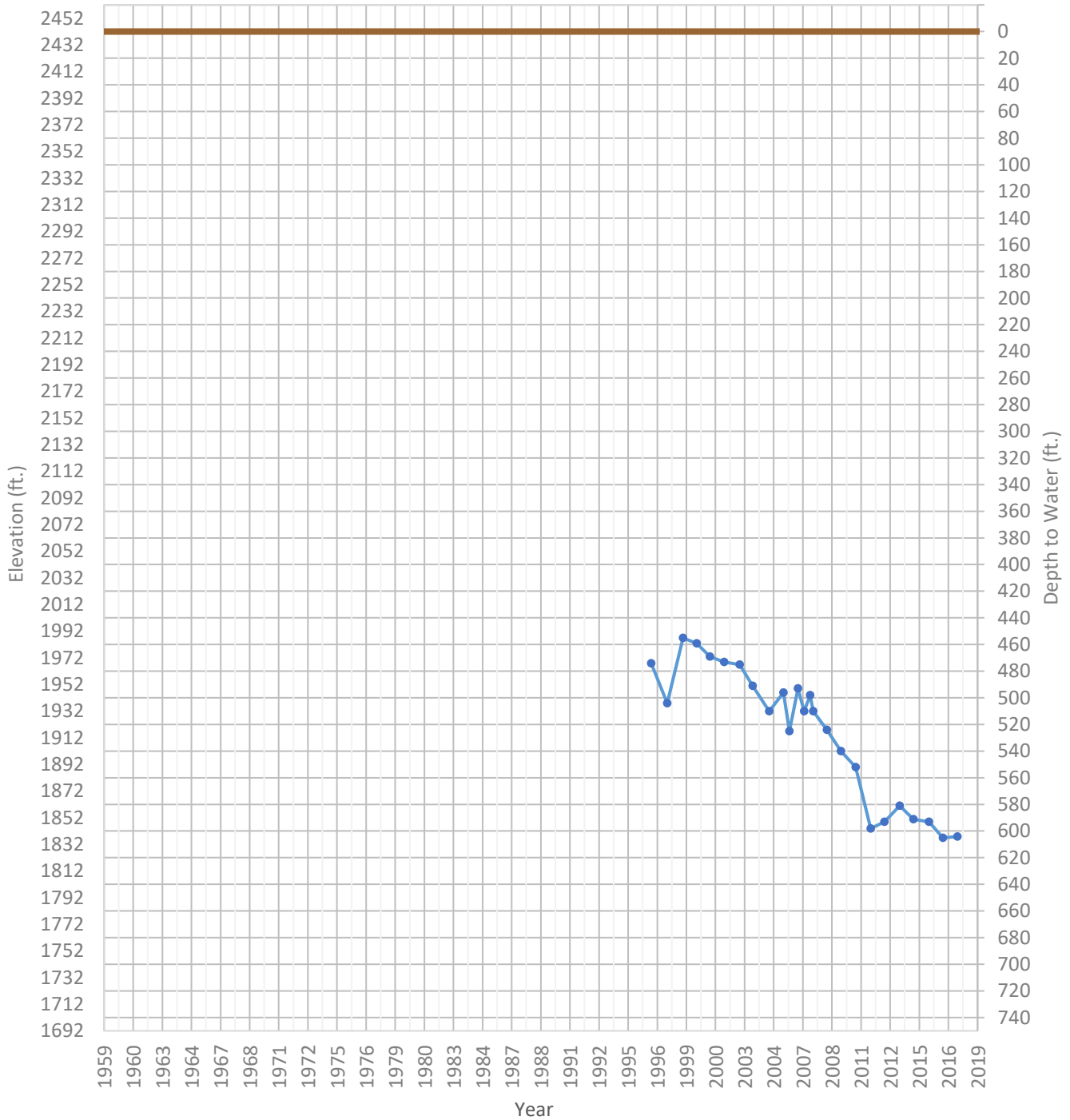
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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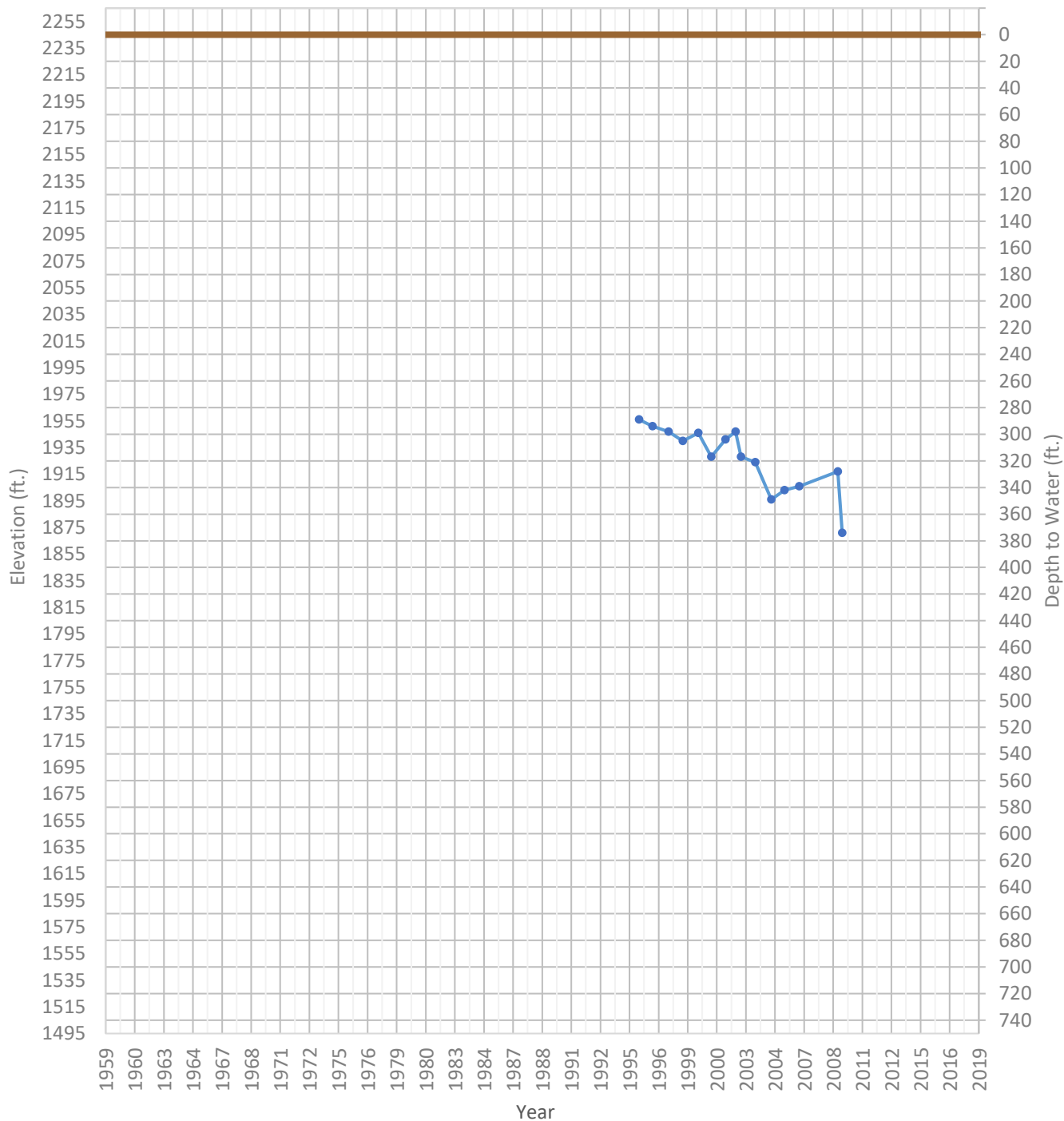
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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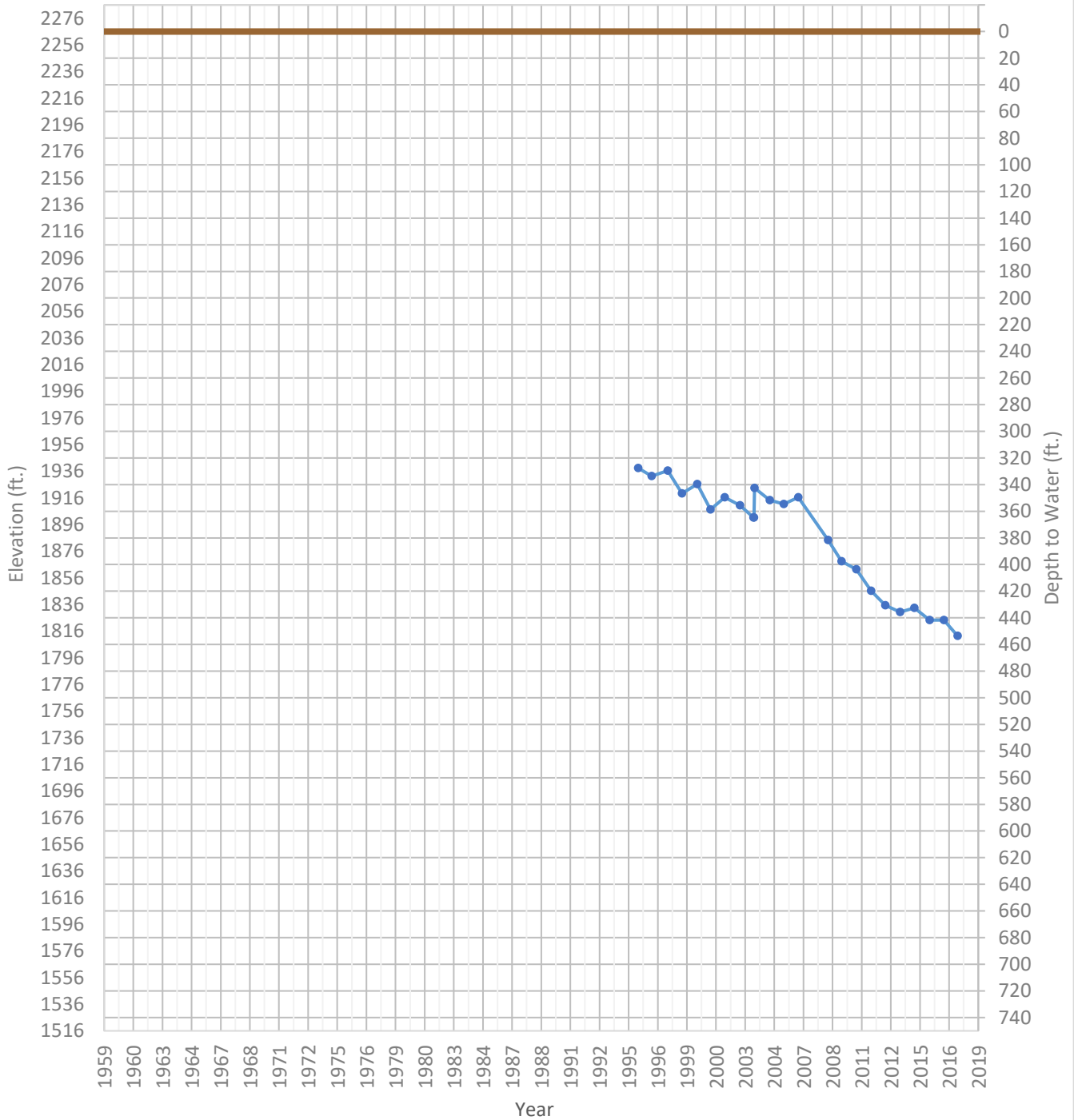
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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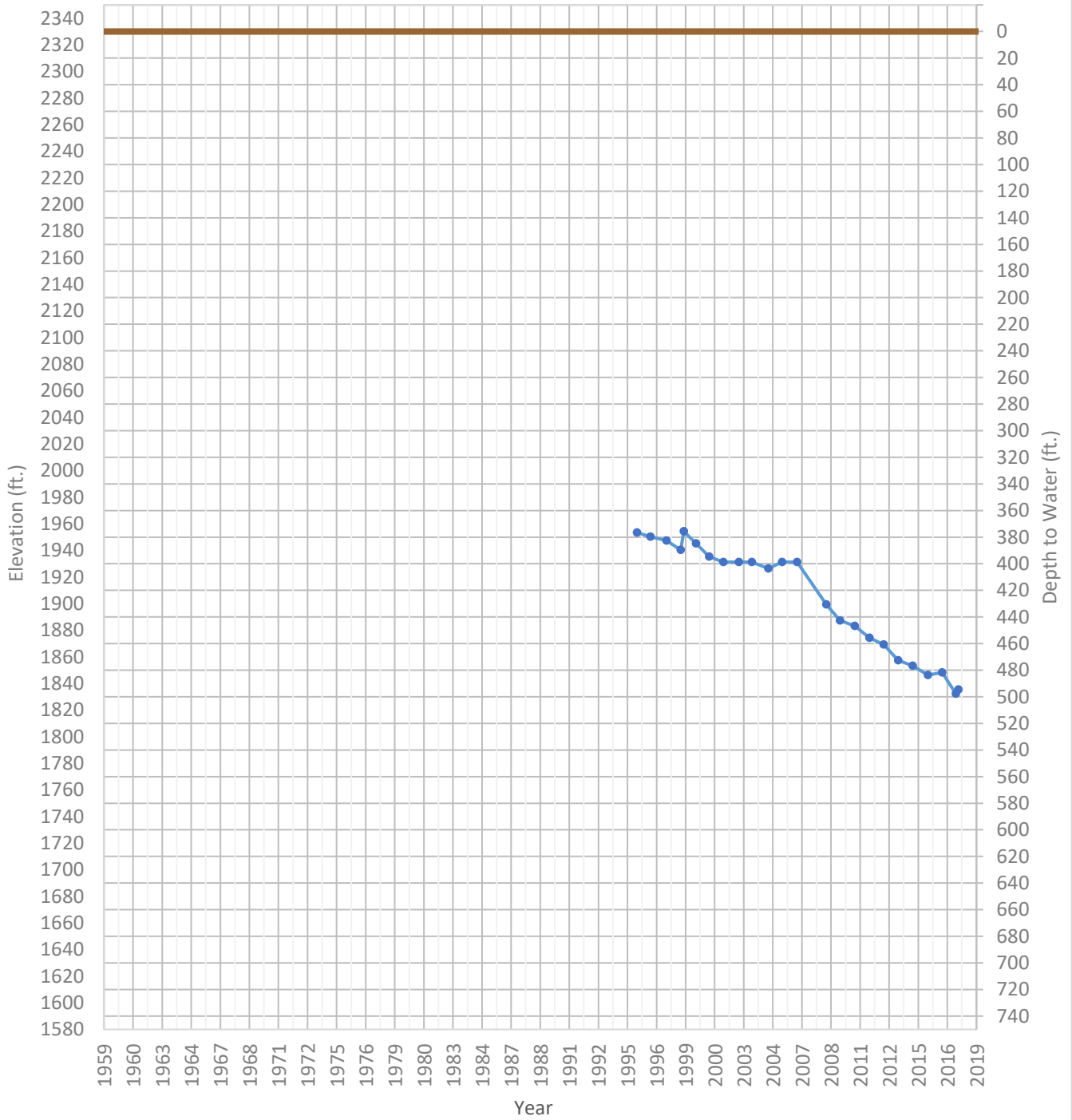
OPTI Well 612 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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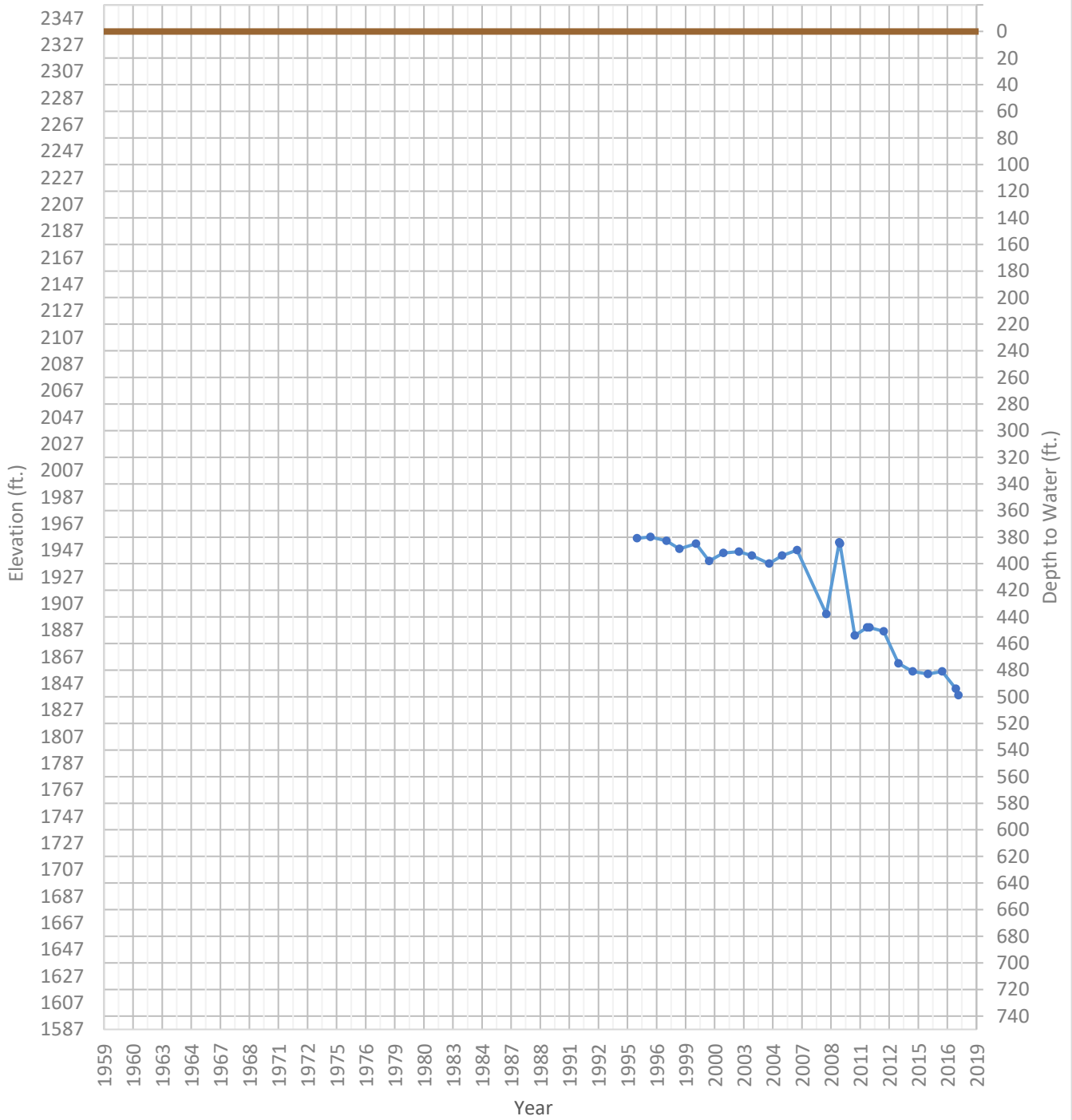
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1832 ft. WSE Max = 1954 ft. Well Depth = 830 ft.



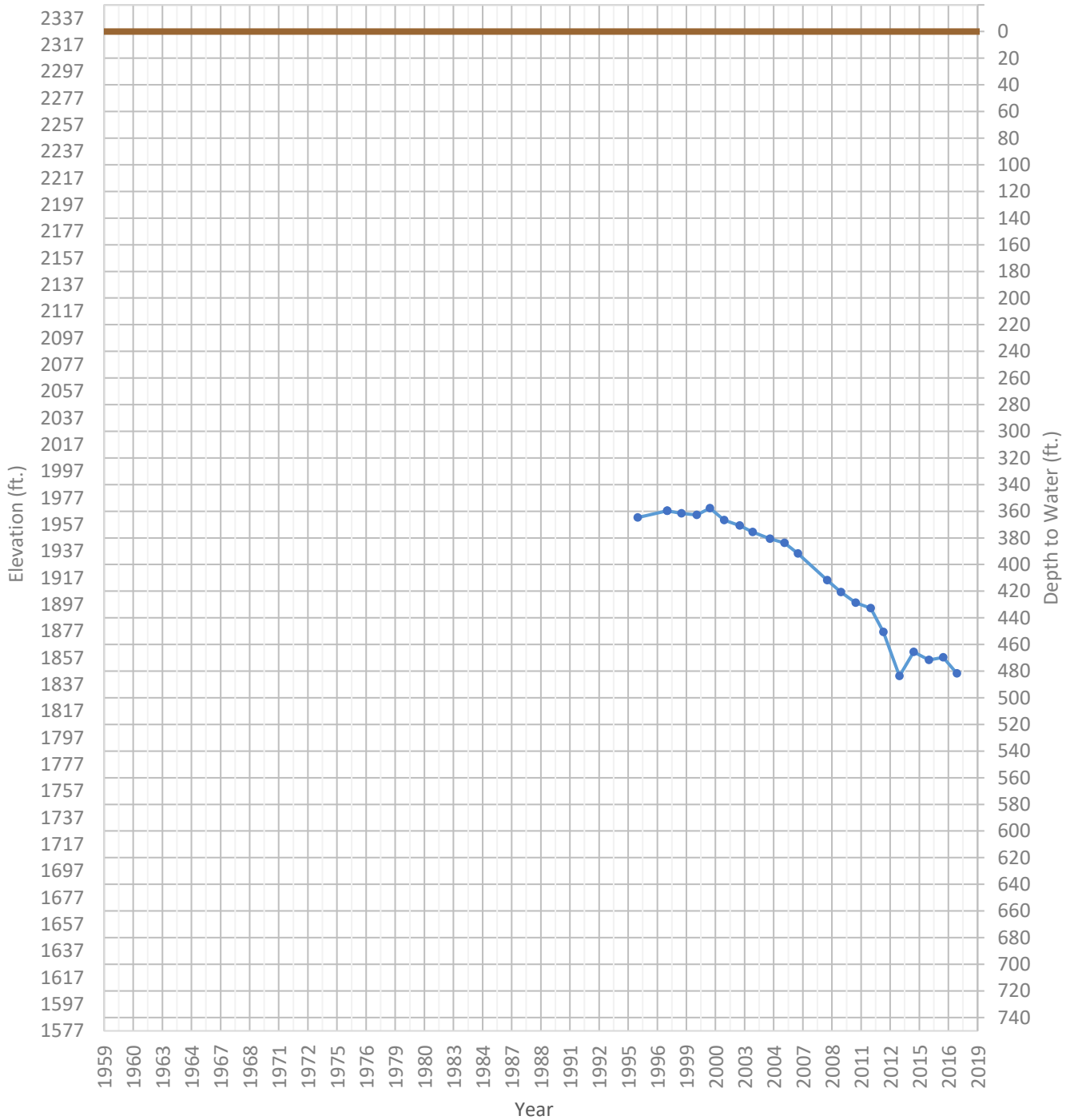
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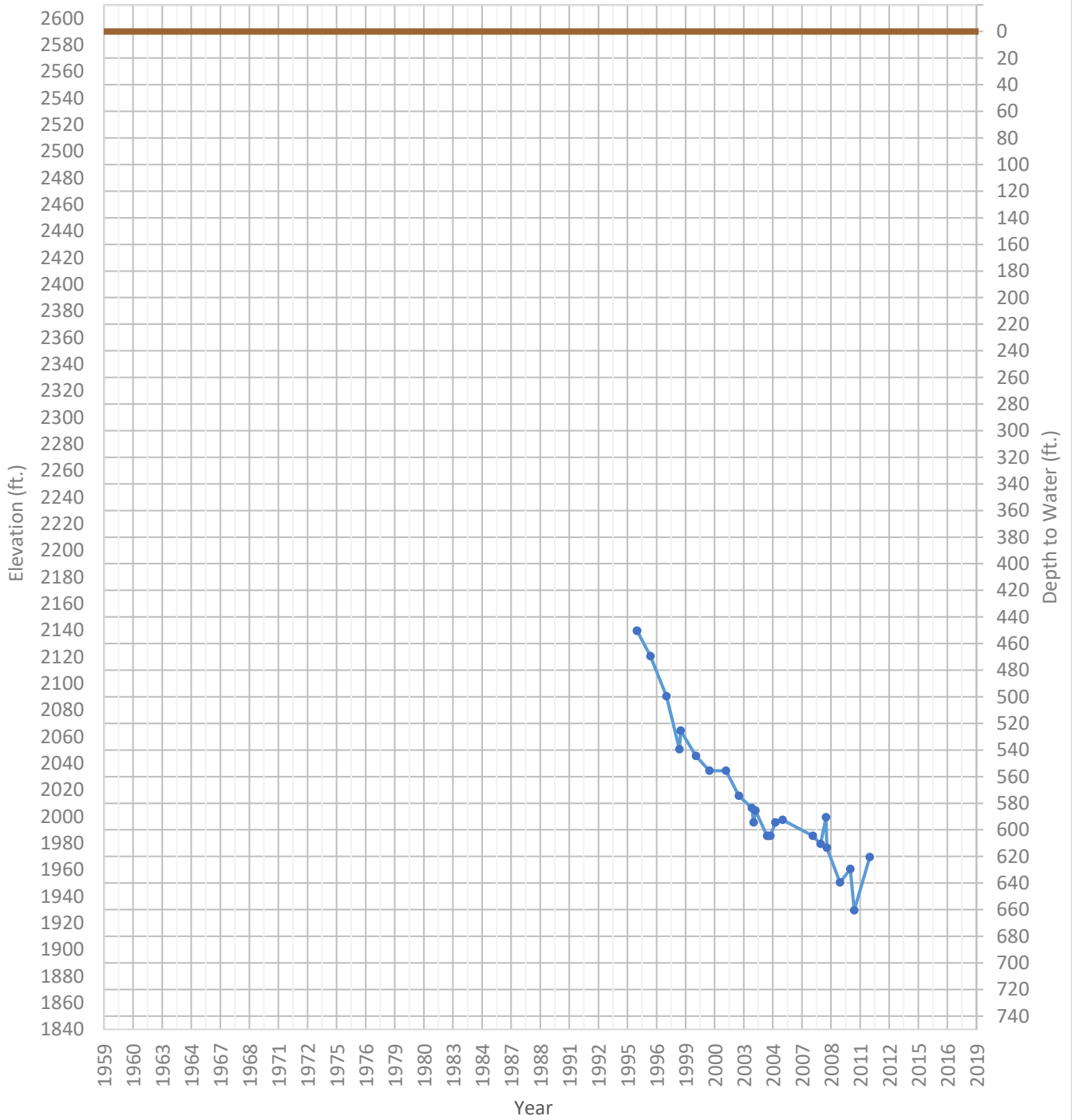
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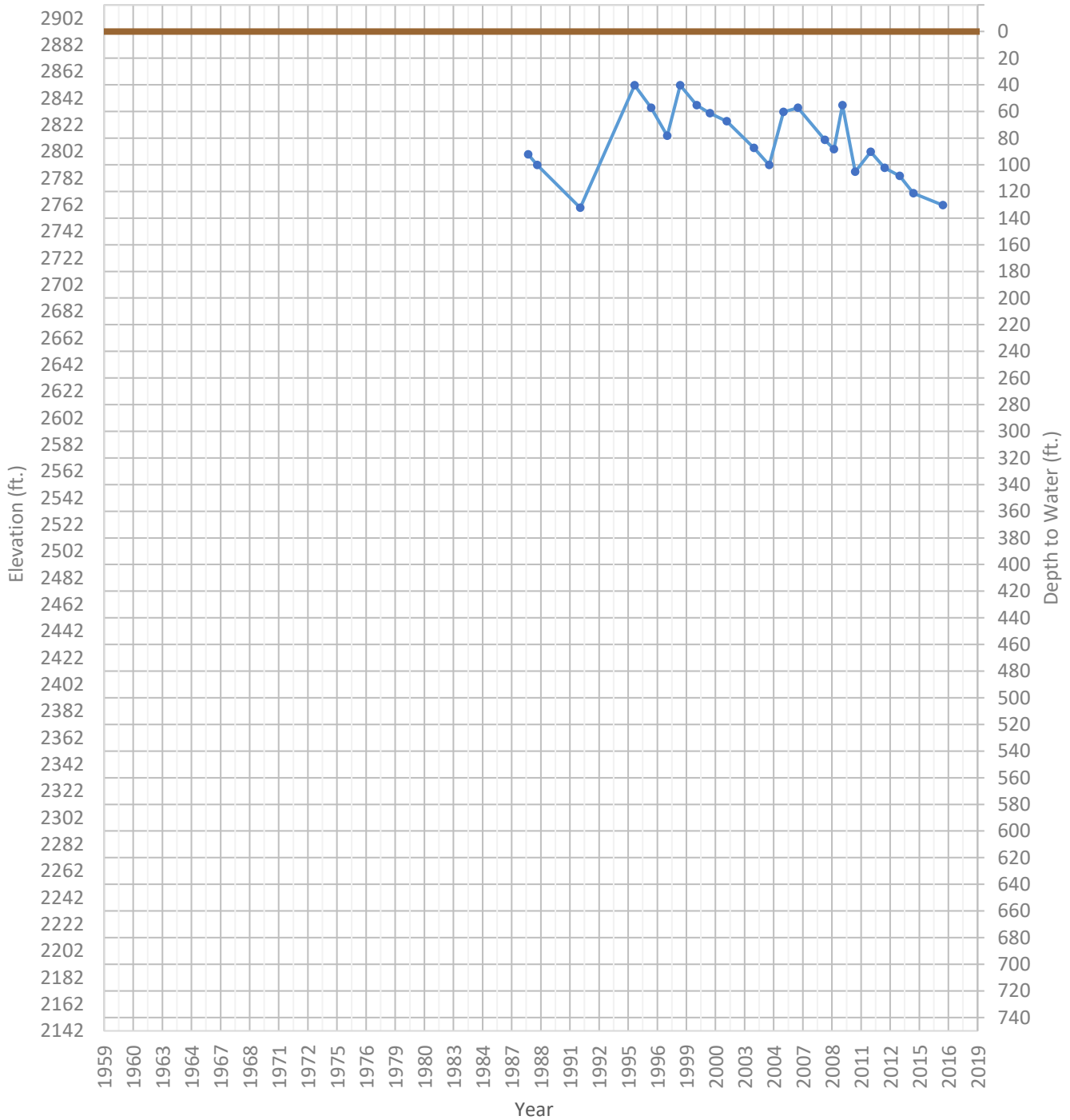
OPTI Well 616 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1929 ft. WSE Max = 2139 ft. Well Depth = 780 ft.



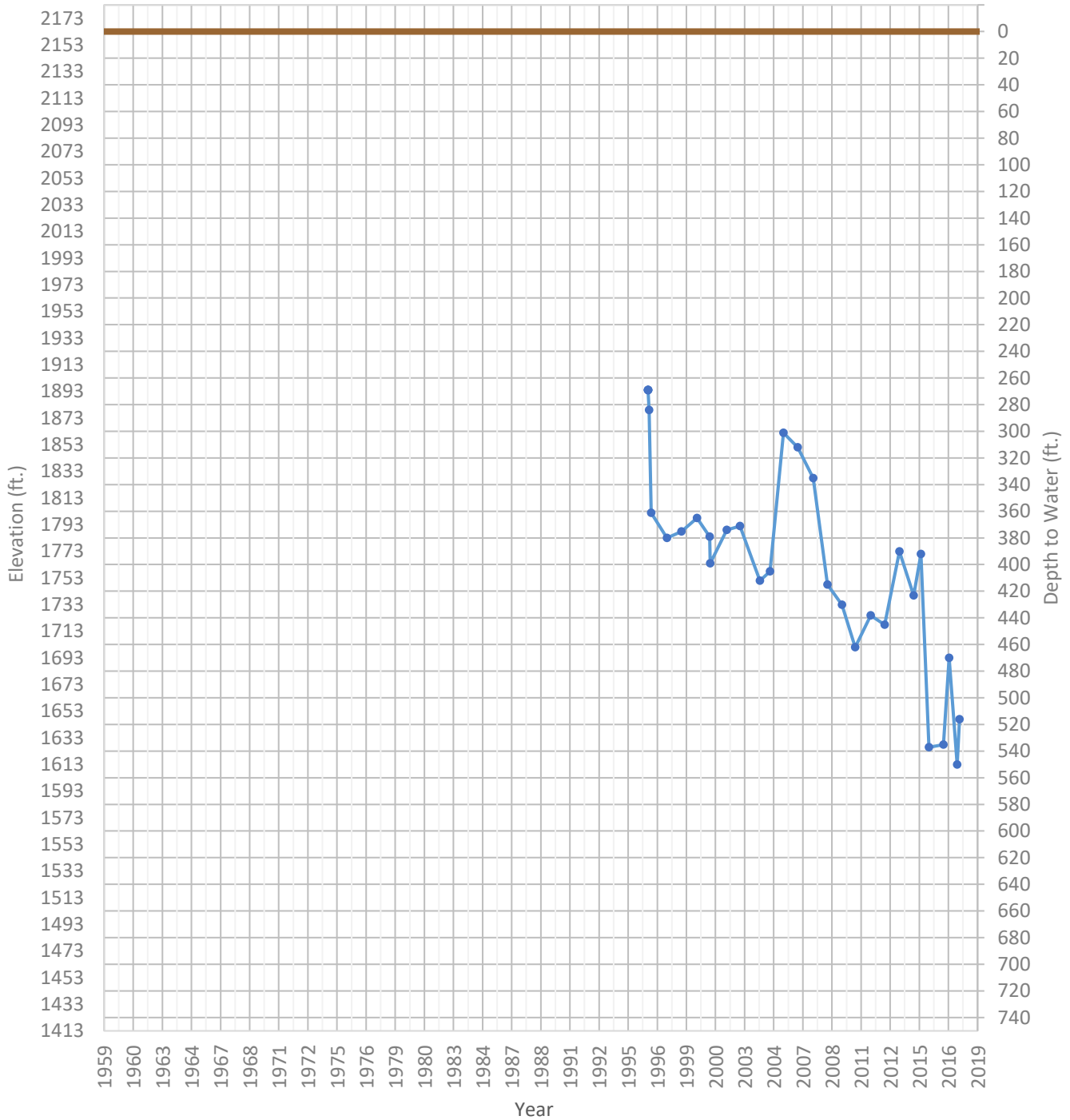
OPTI Well 617 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 2760 ft. WSE Max = 2852 ft. Well Depth = 240 ft.



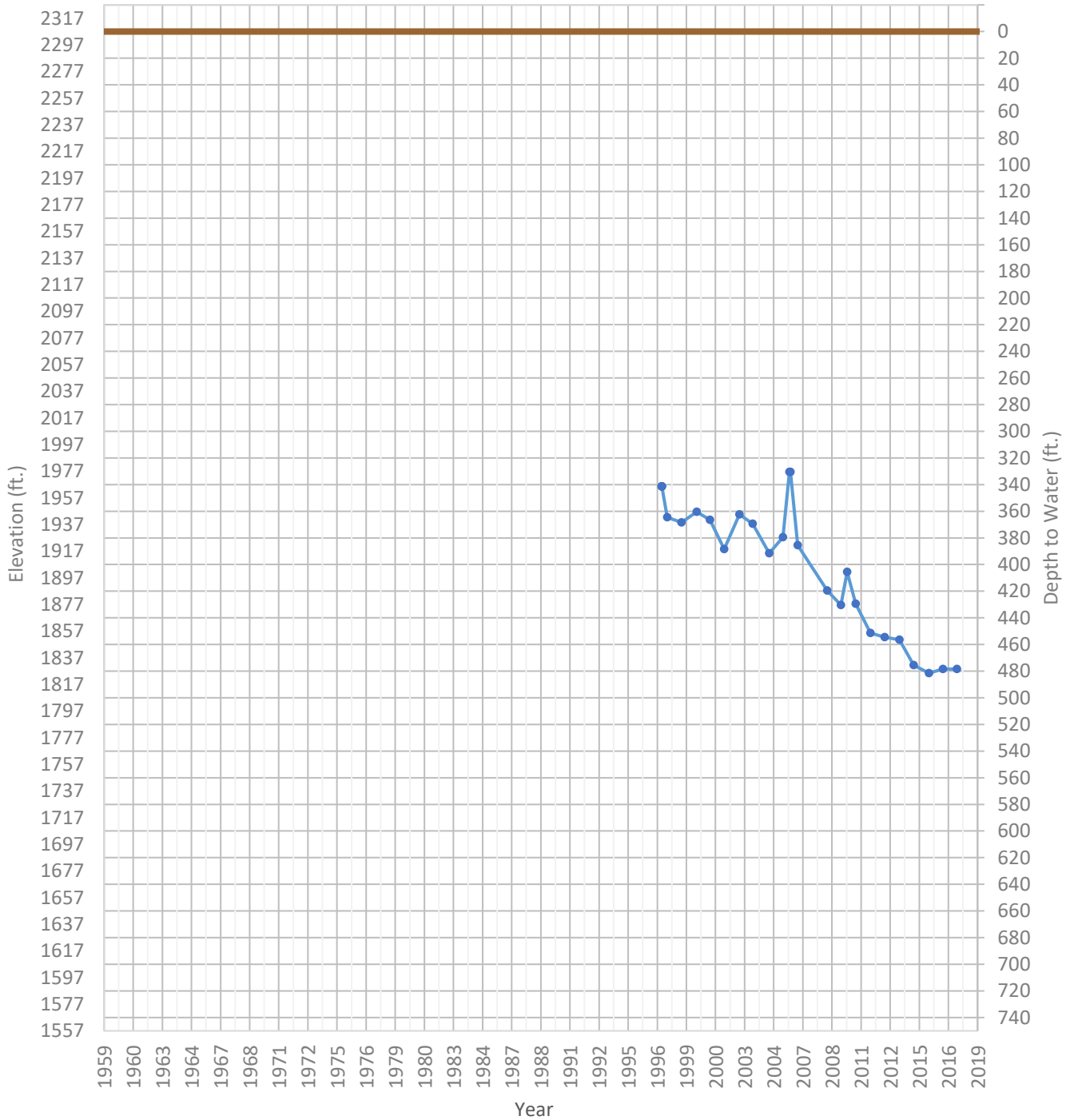
OPTI Well 618 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1613 ft. WSE Max = 1894 ft. Well Depth = 927 ft.



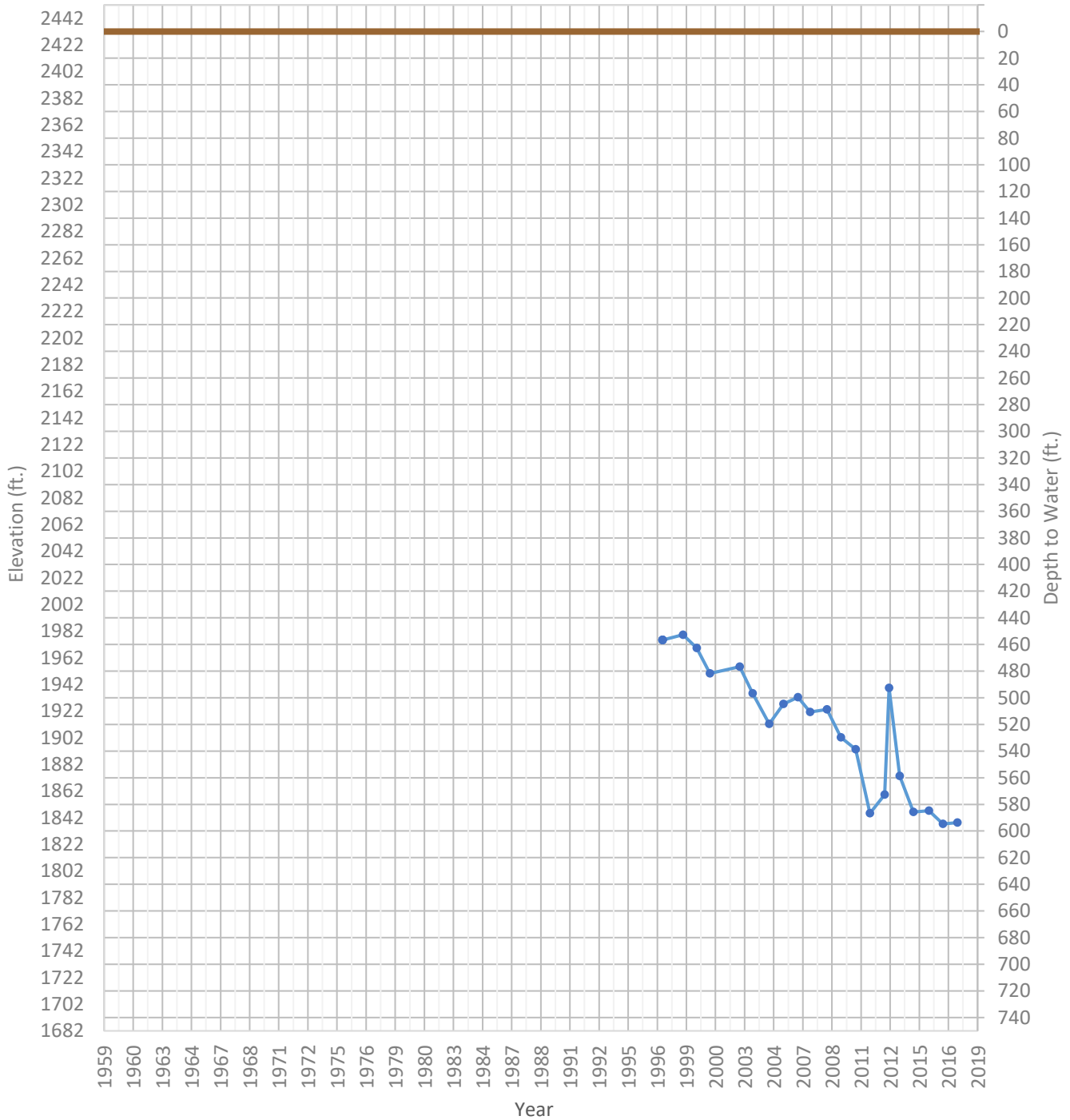
OPTI Well 619 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1826 ft. WSE Max = 1977 ft. Well Depth = 1040 ft.



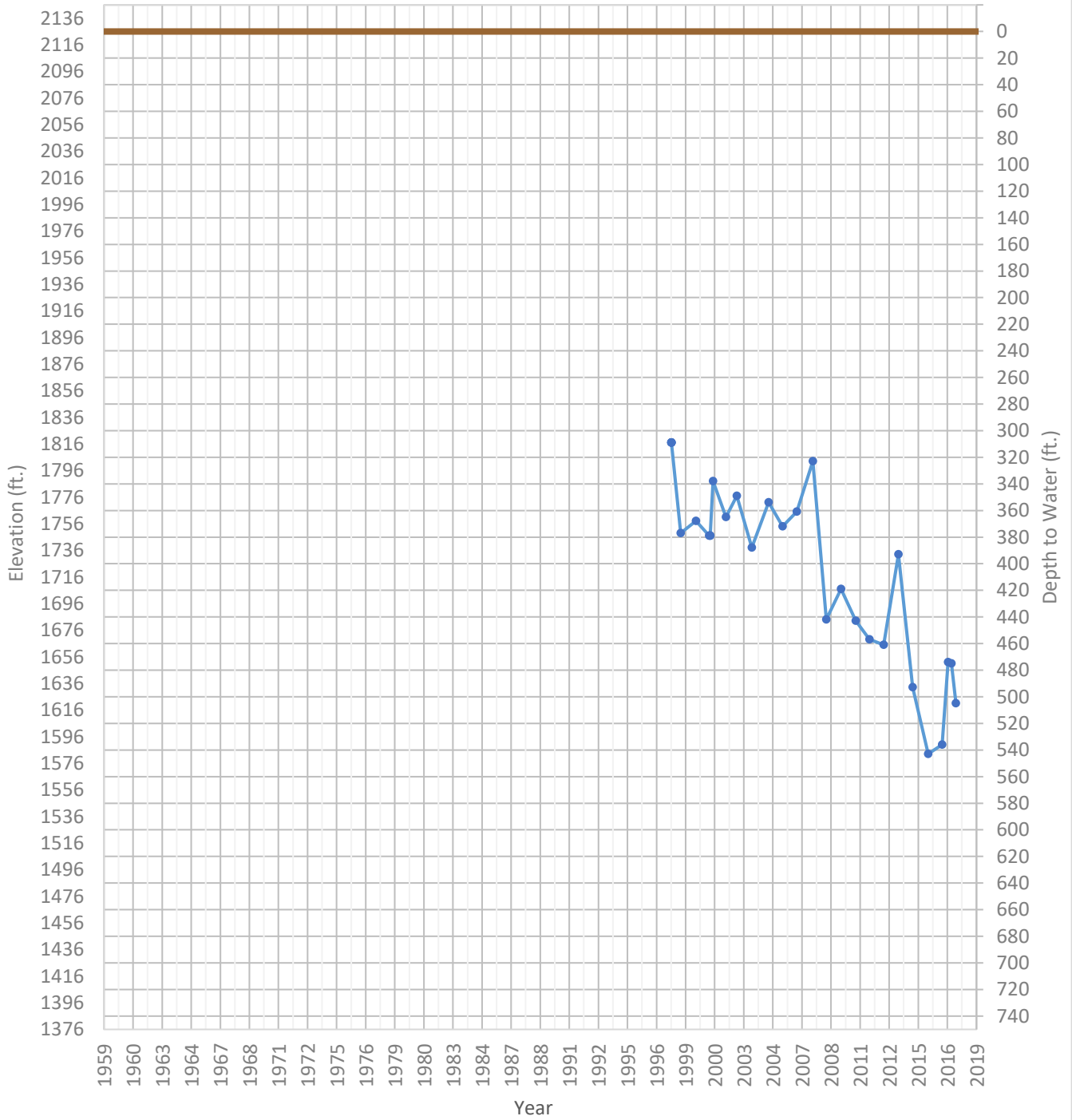
OPTI Well 620 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1837 ft. WSE Max = 1979 ft. Well Depth = 1035 ft.



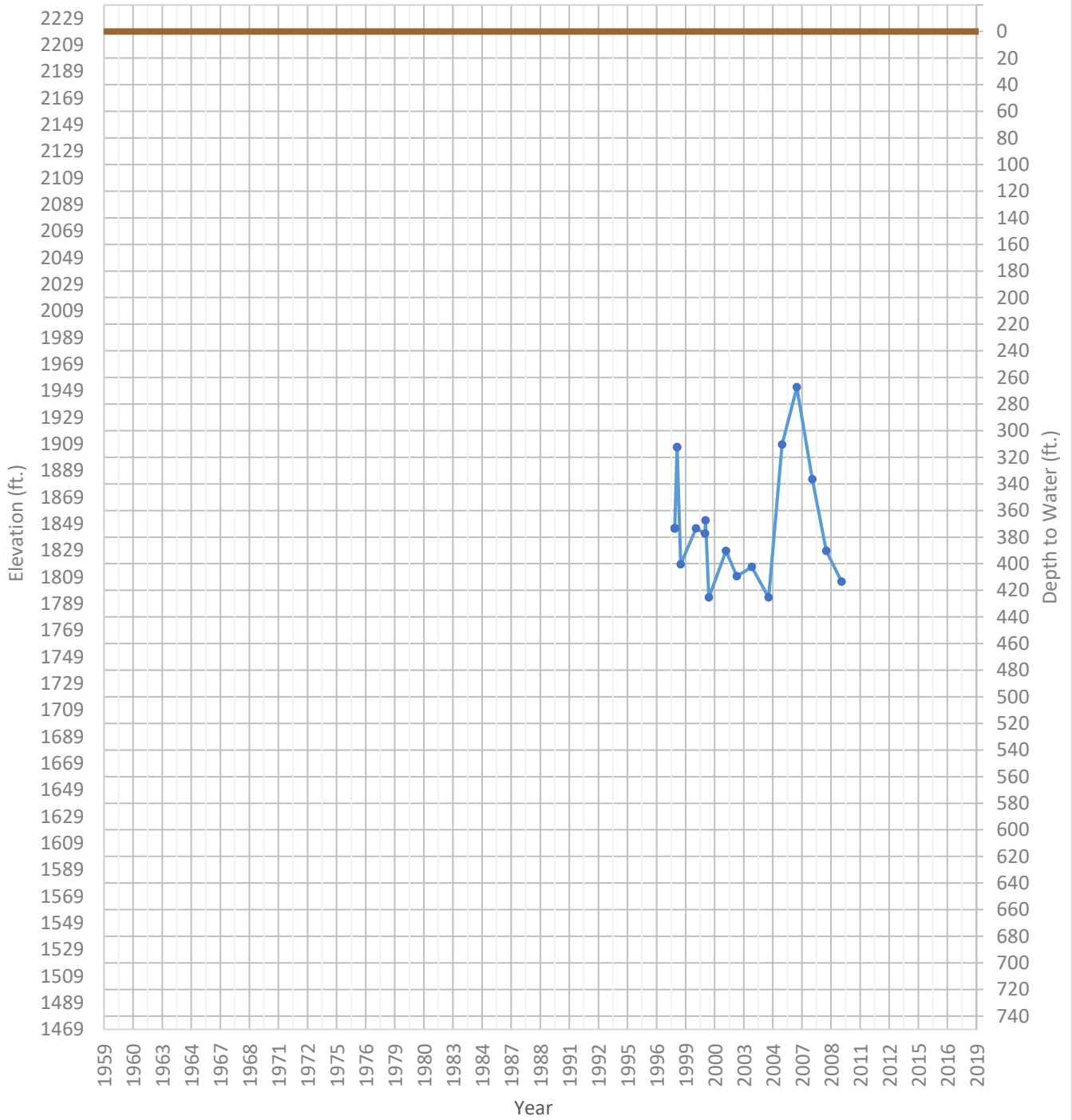
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1583 ft. WSE Max = 1817 ft. Well Depth = 974 ft.



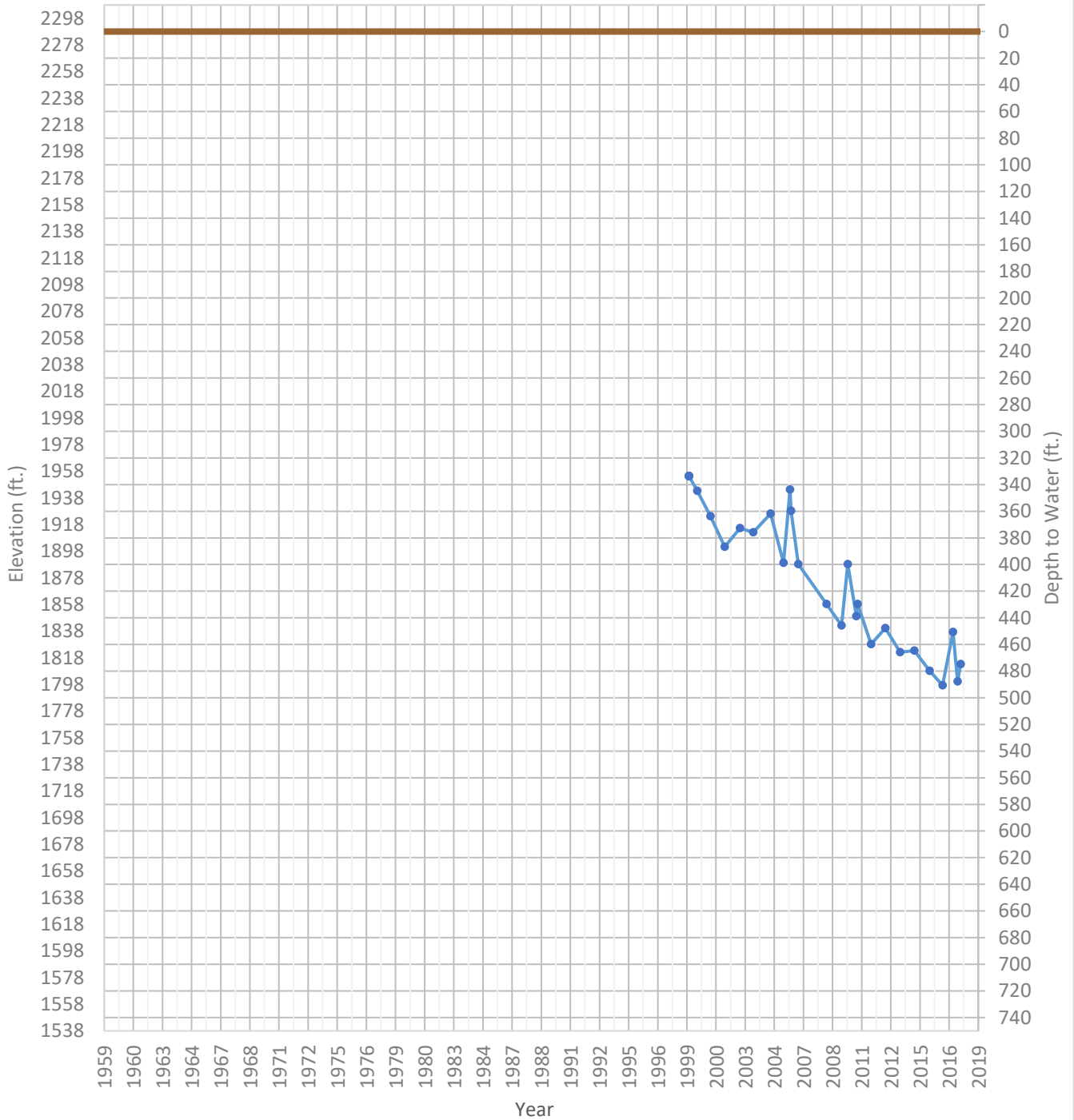
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WSE Min = 1794 ft. WSE Max = 1952 ft. Well Depth = 1200 ft.



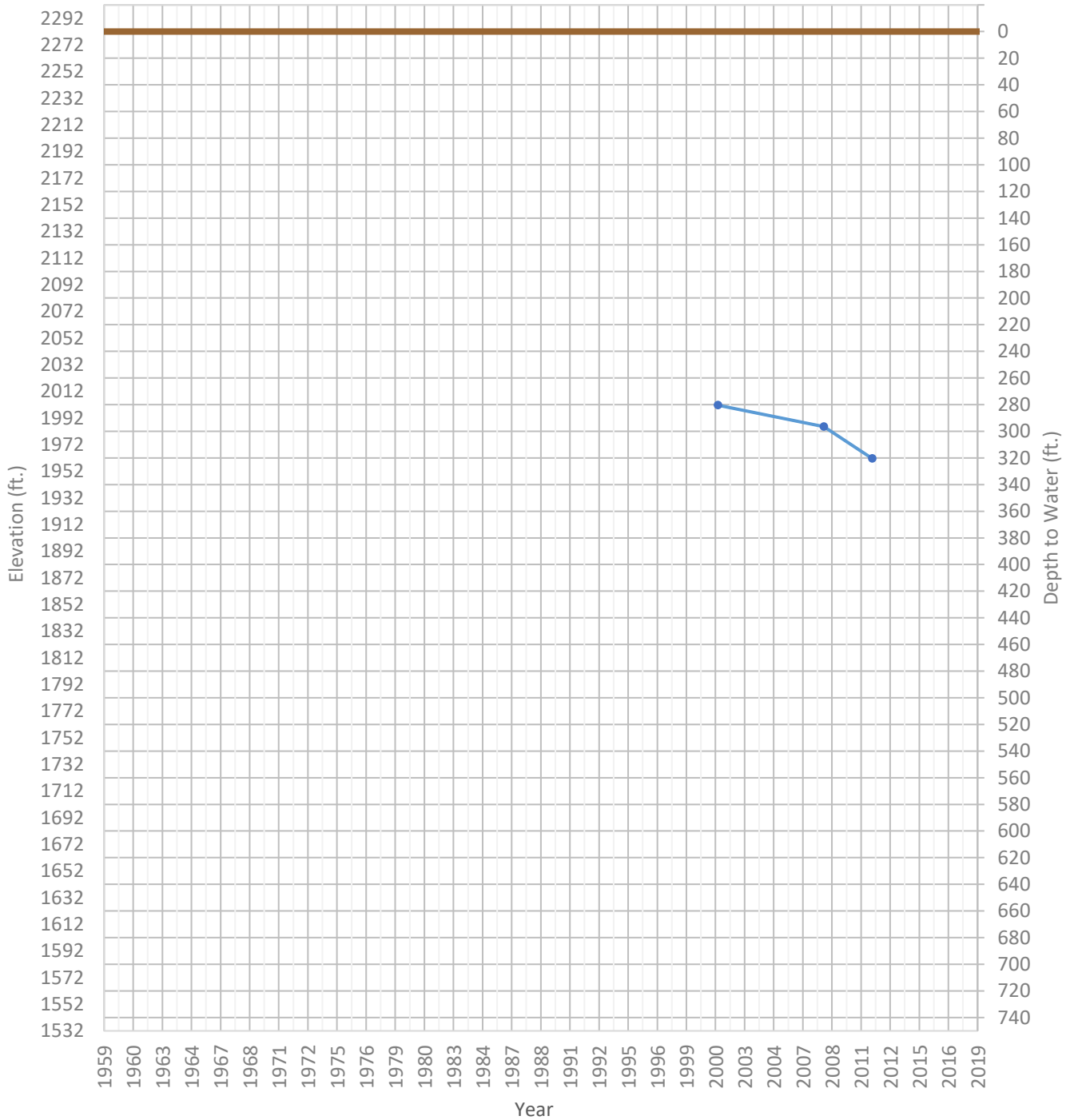
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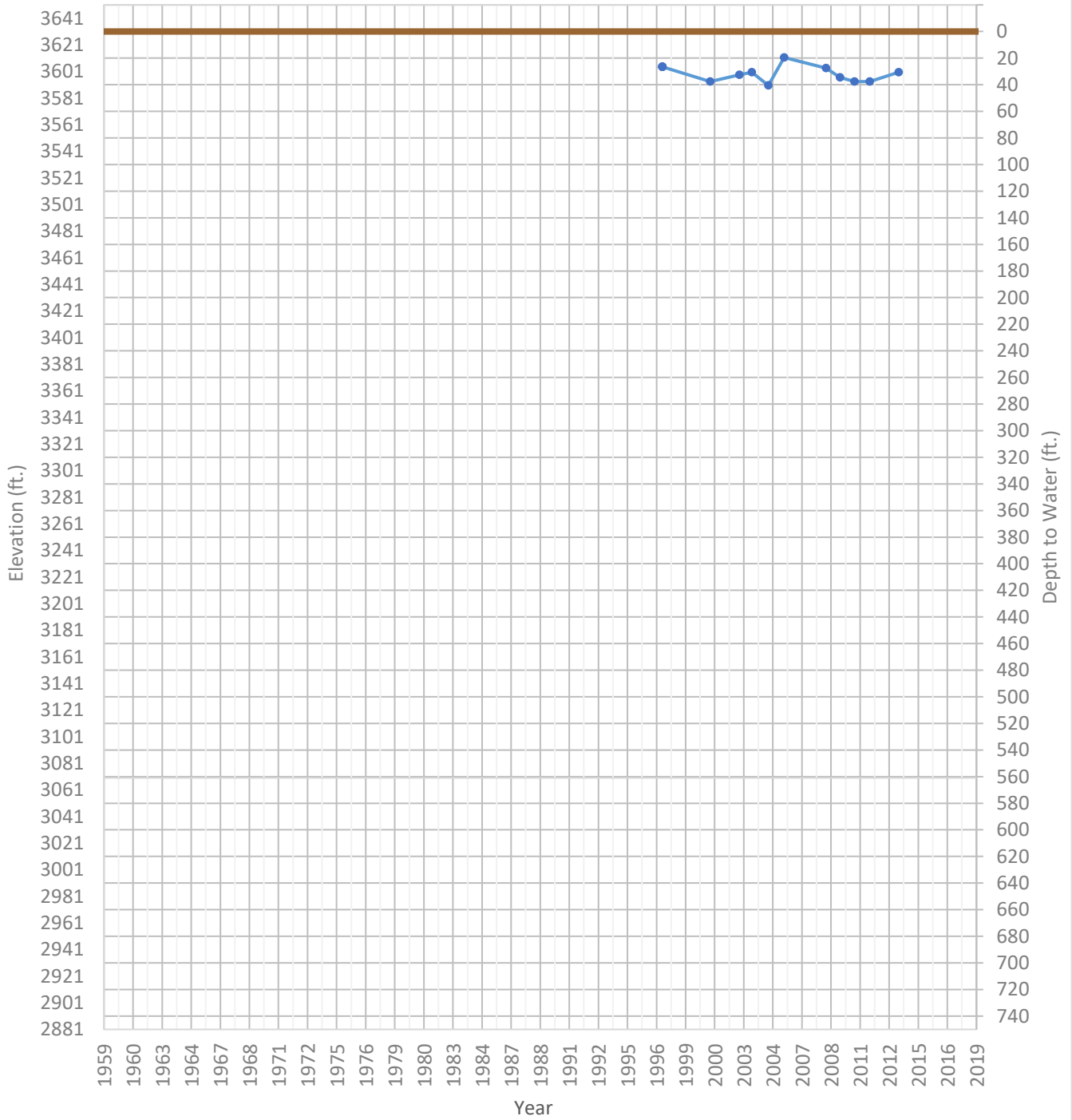
OPTI Well 624 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1962 ft. WSE Max = 2002 ft. Well Depth = 420 ft.



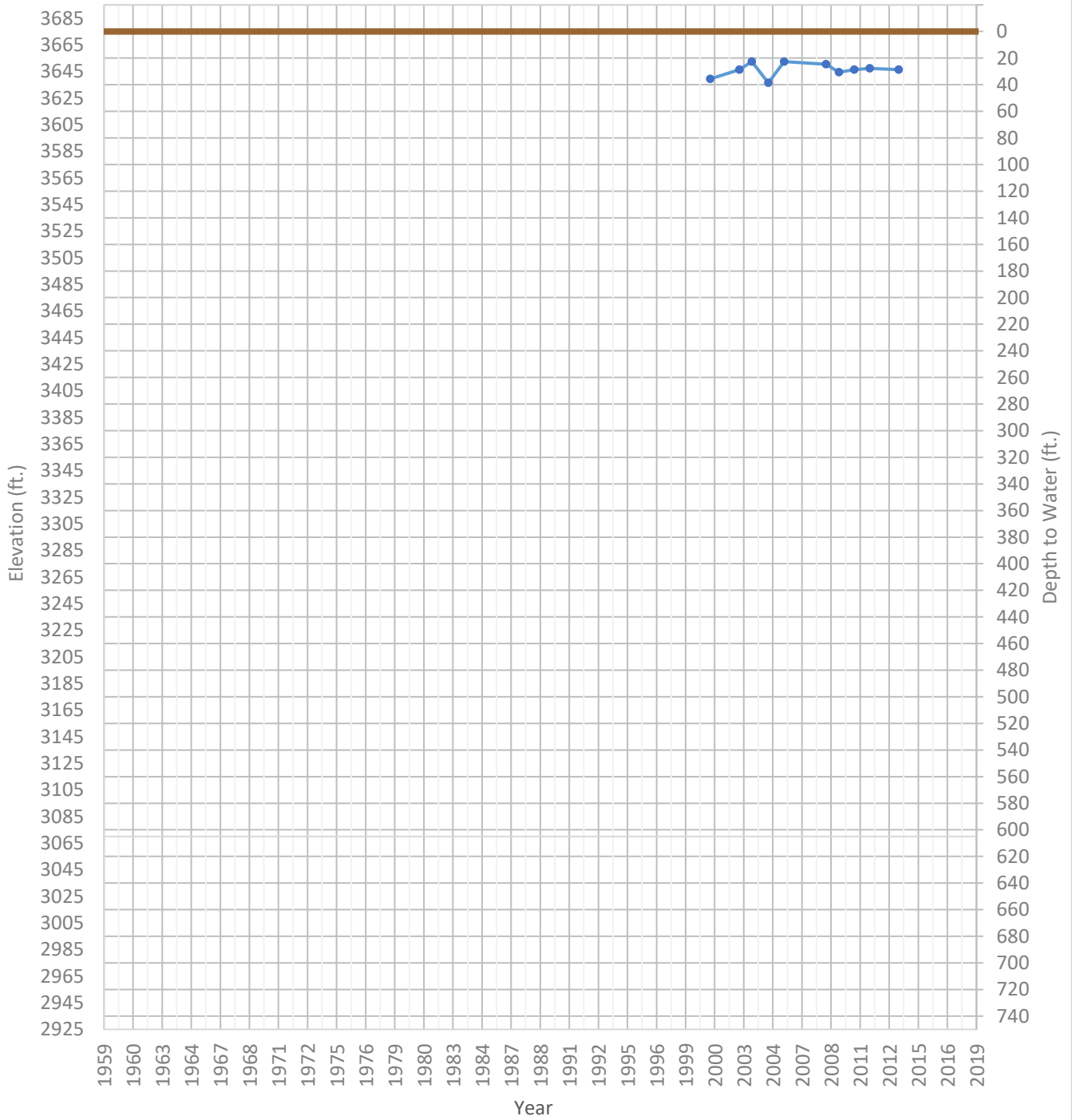
OPTI Well 625 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 3590 ft. WSE Max = 3611 ft. Well Depth = 250 ft.



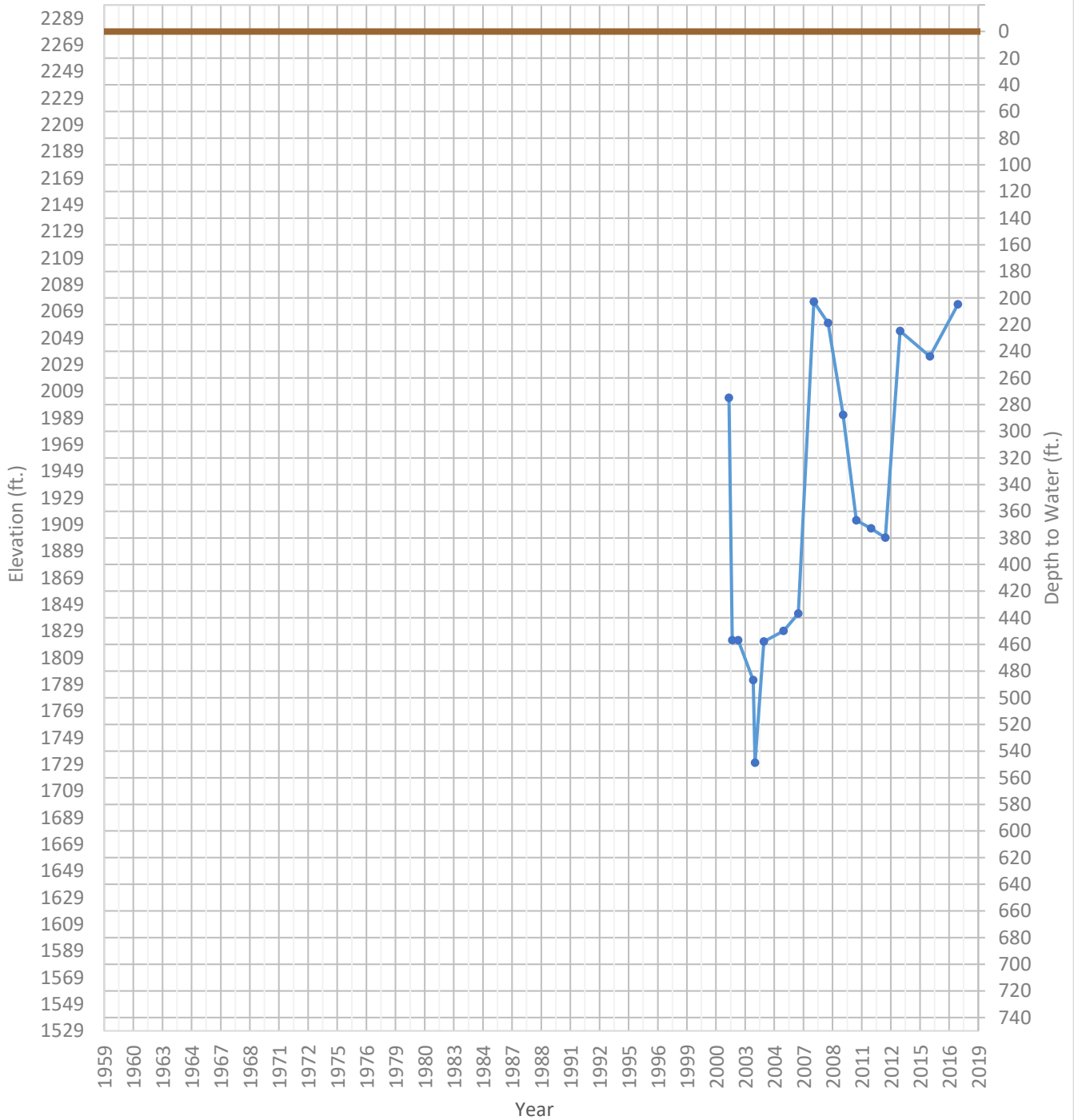
OPTI Well 626 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 3636 ft. WSE Max = 3652 ft. Well Depth = 120 ft.



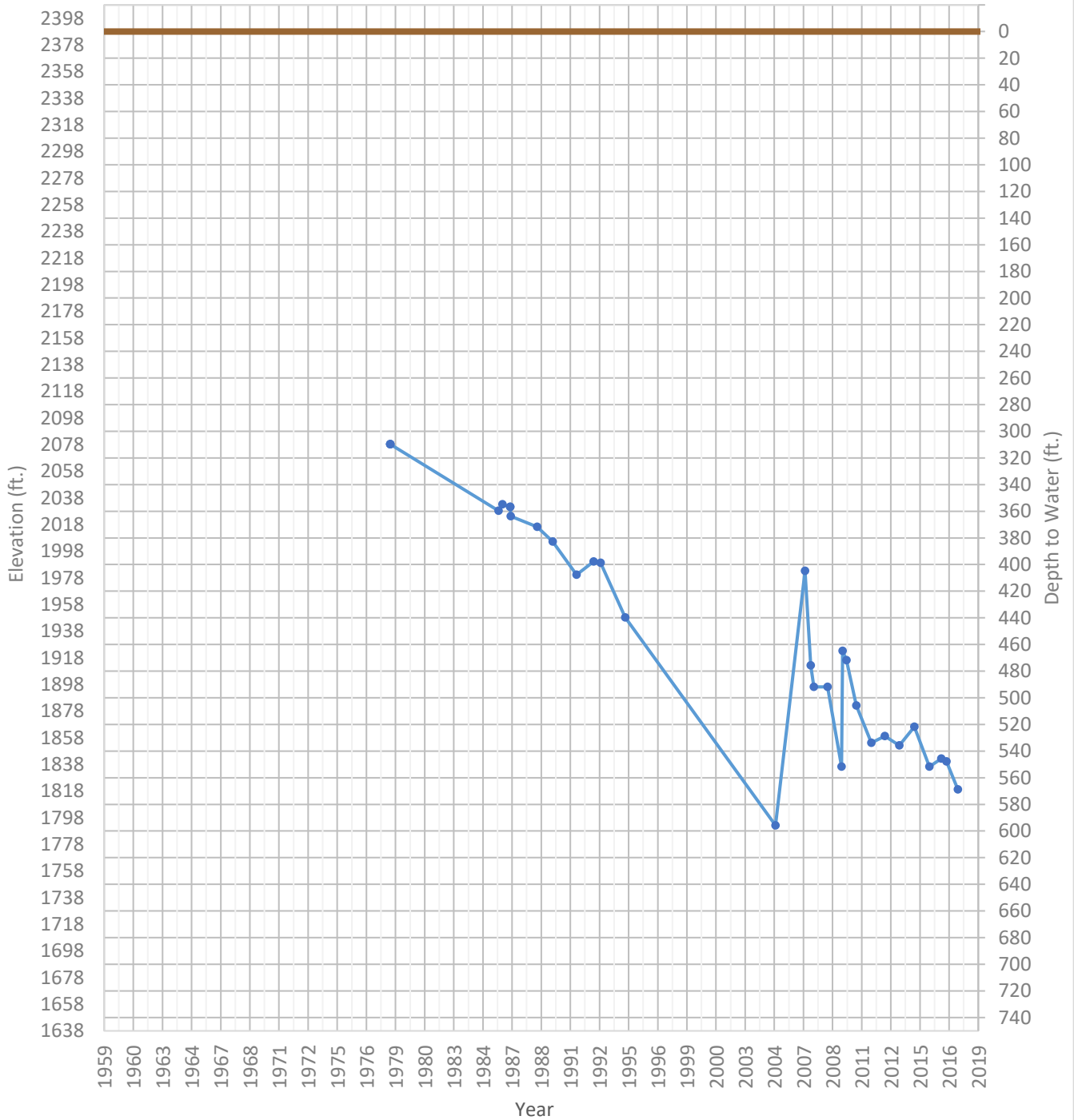
OPTI Well 627 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1730 ft. WSE Max = 2076 ft. Well Depth = 960 ft.



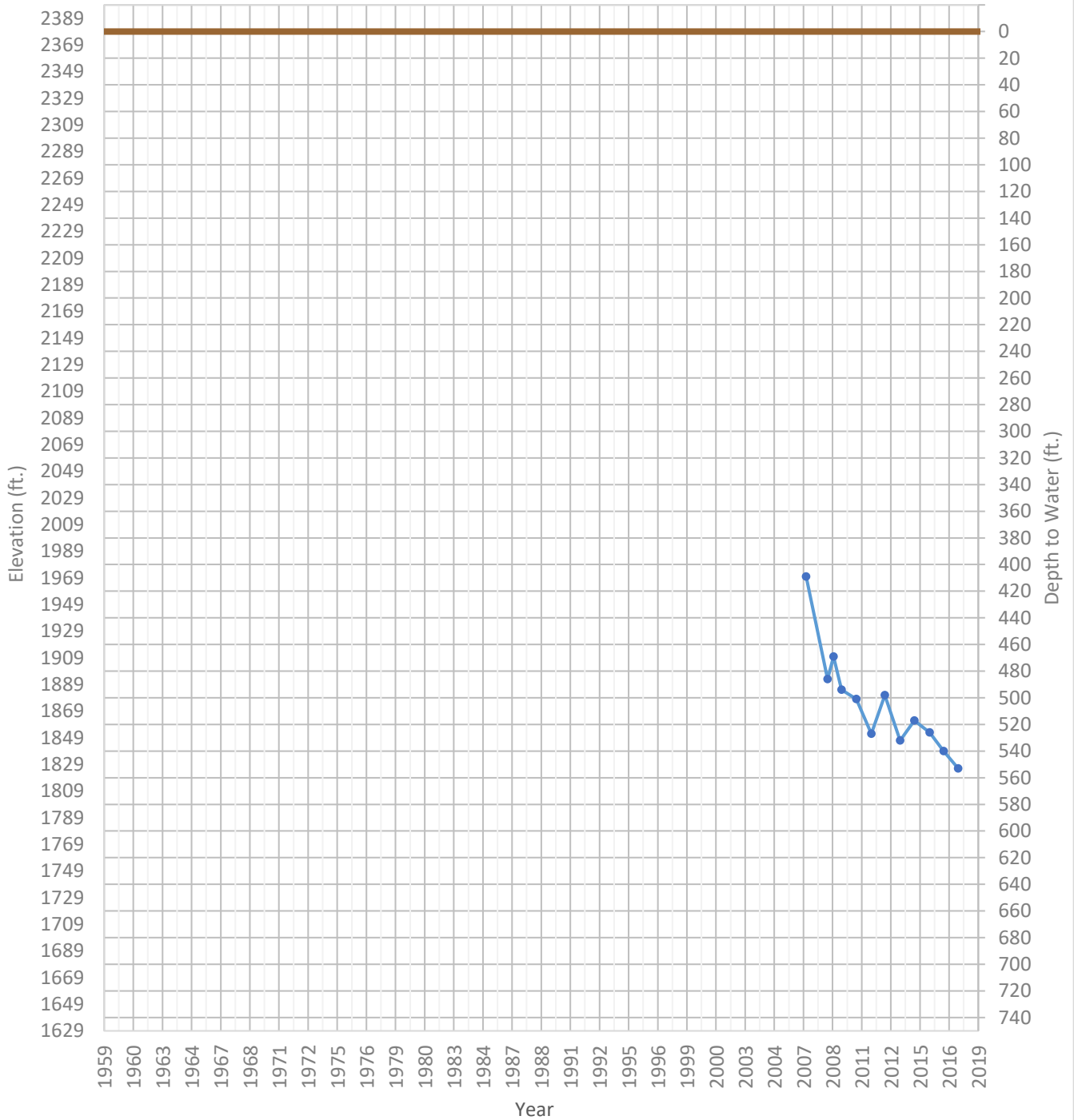
OPTI Well 628 Hydrograph

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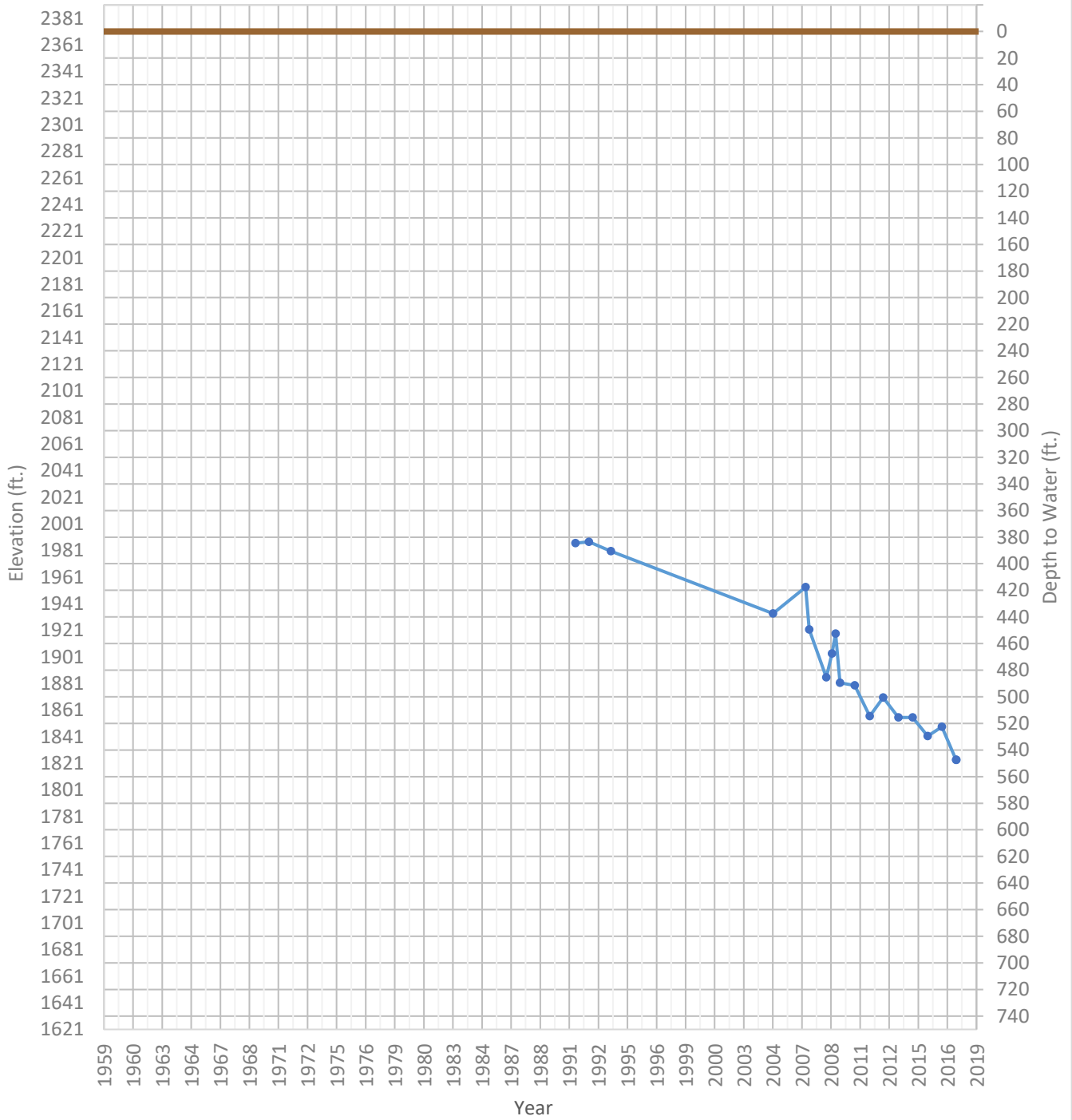
OPTI Well 629 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1826 ft. WSE Max = 1970 ft. Well Depth = 1000 ft.



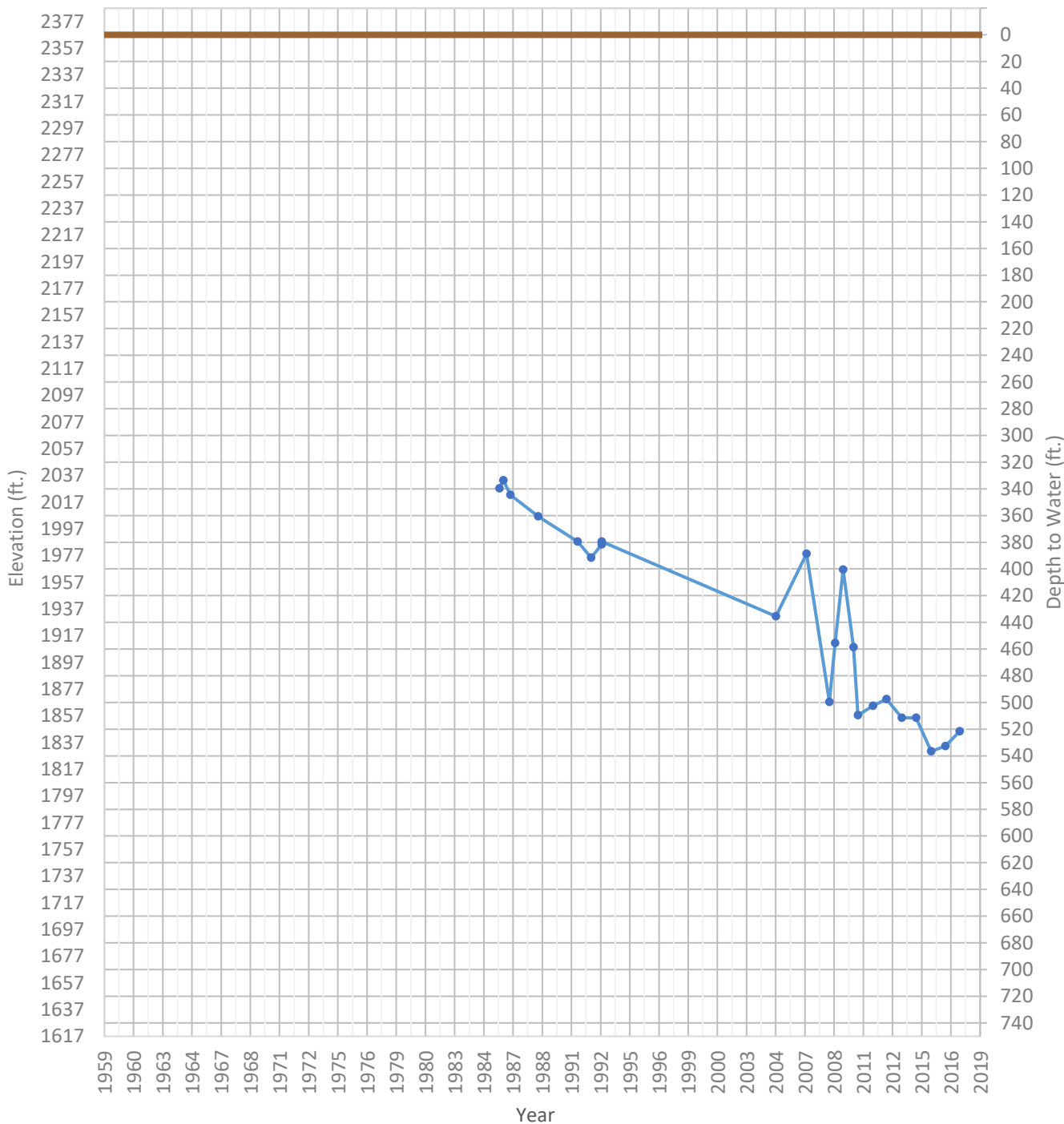
OPTI Well 630 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1823 ft. WSE Max = 1987 ft. Well Depth = 900 ft.



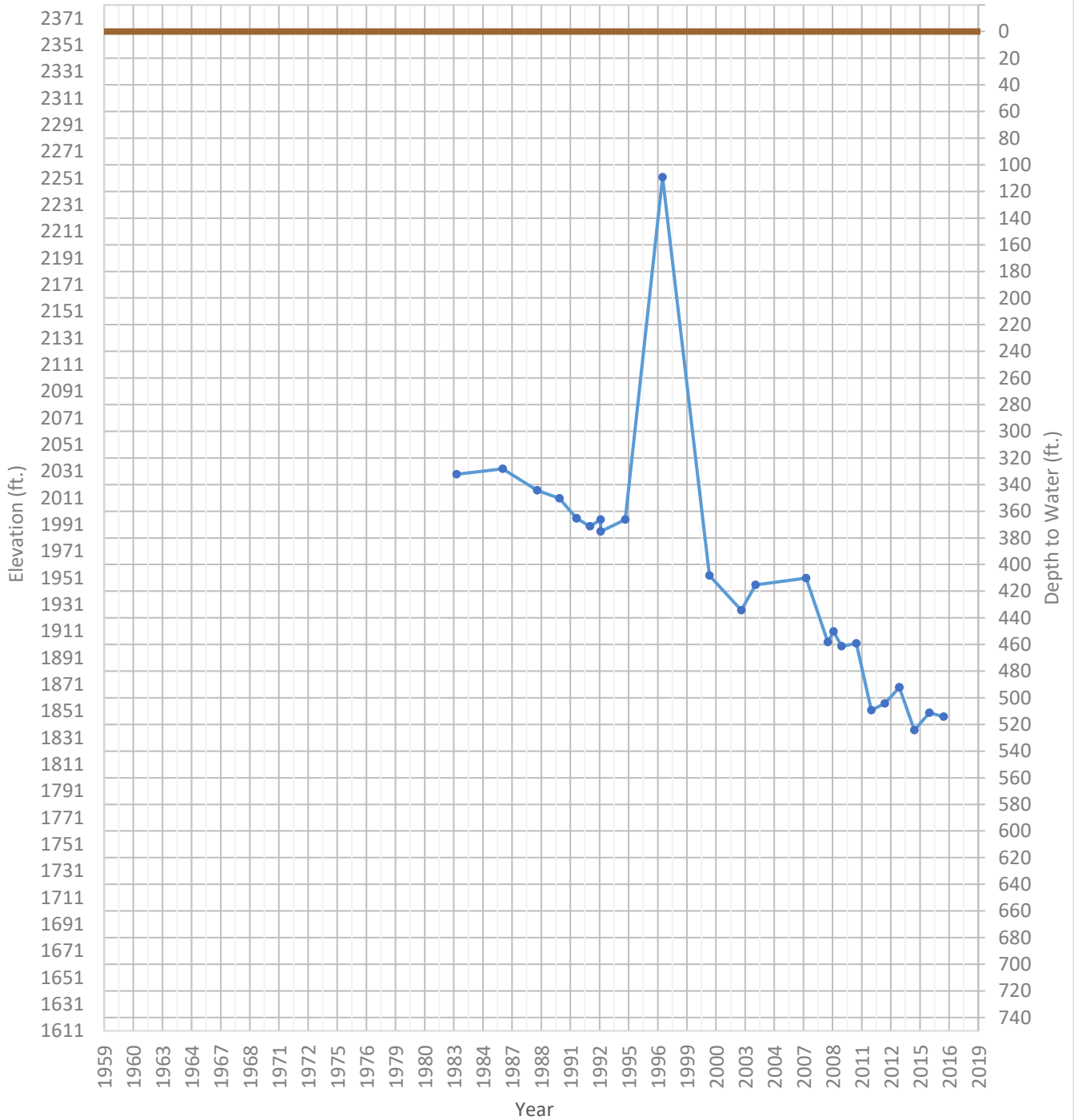
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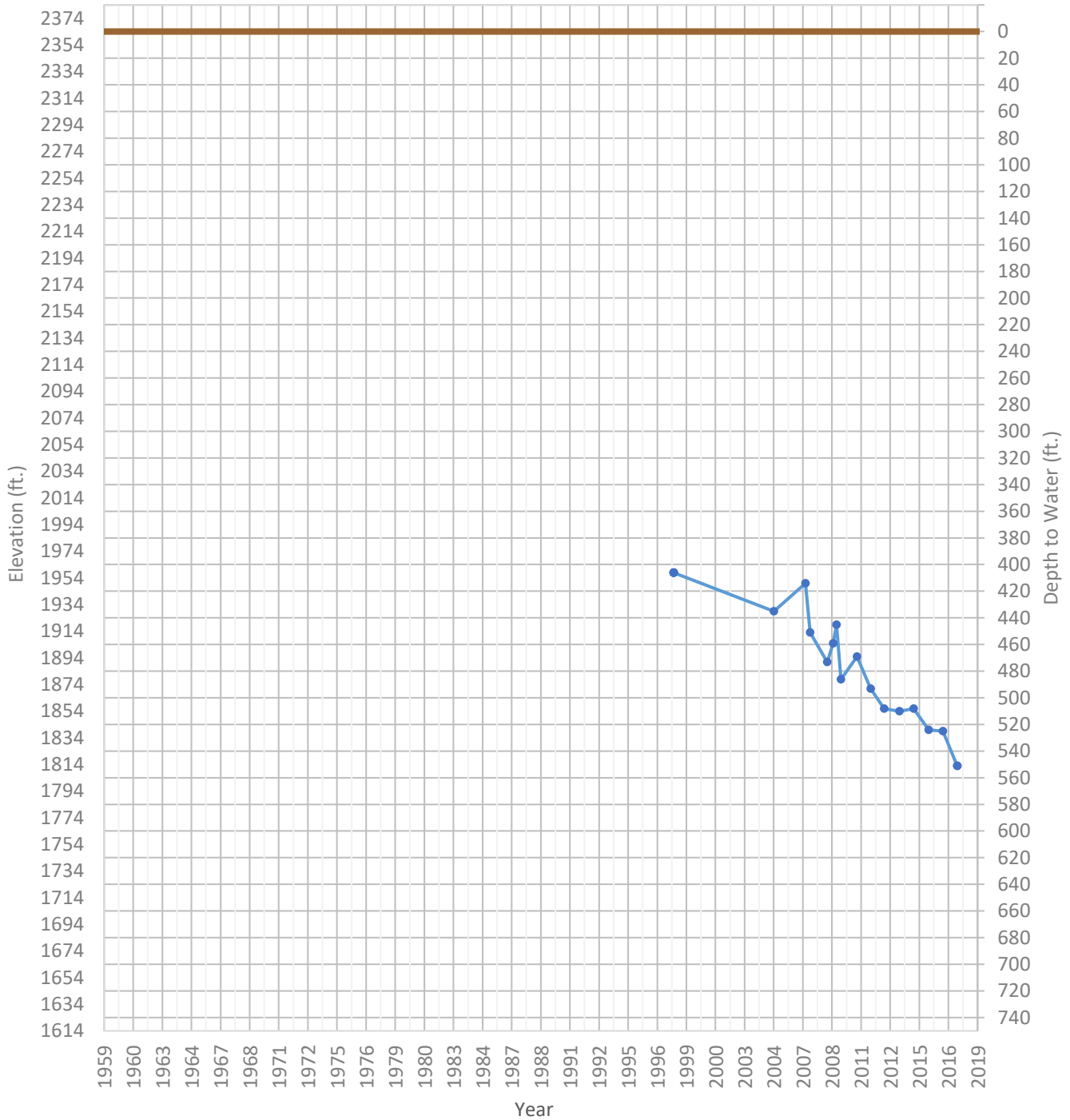
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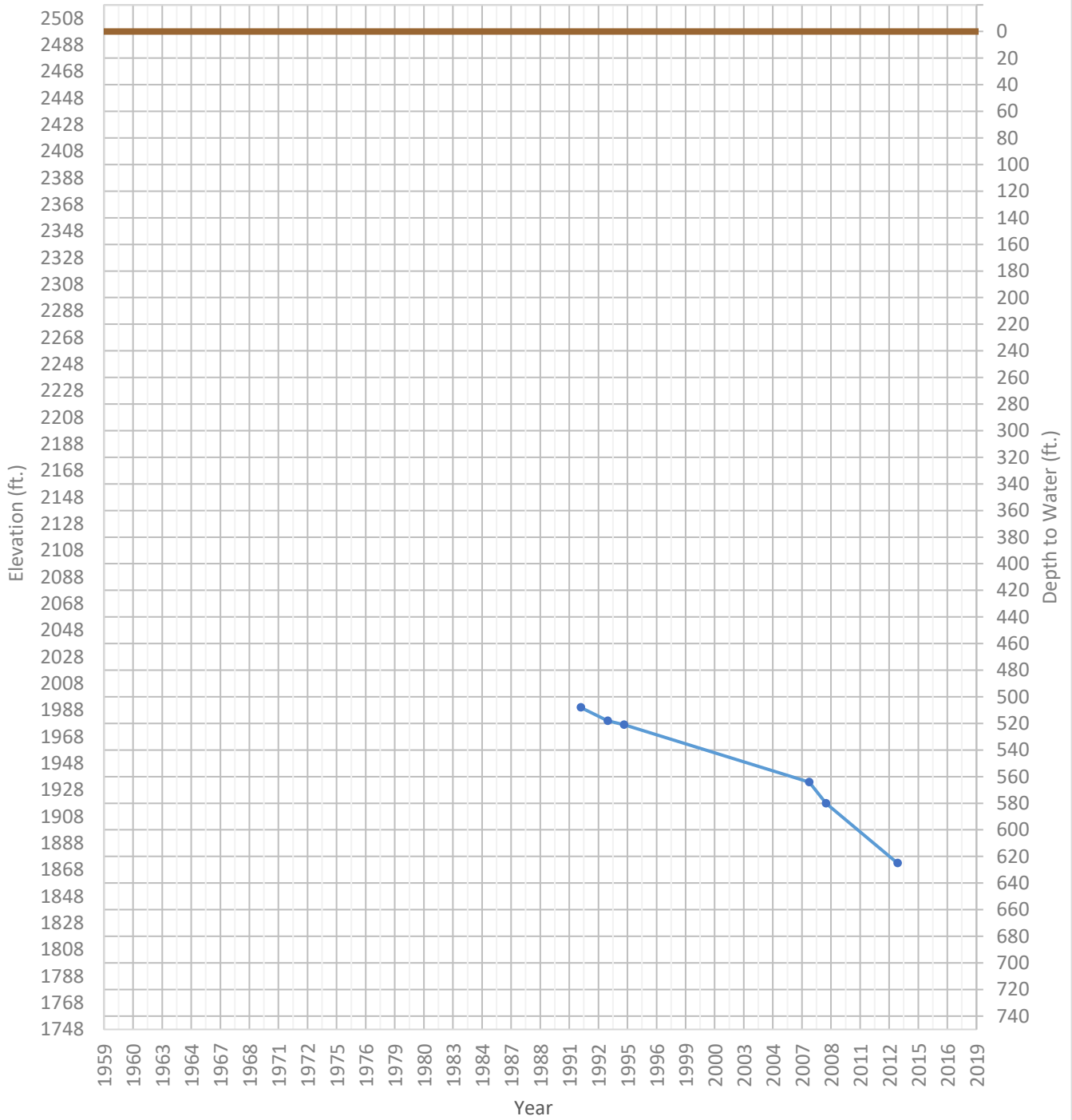
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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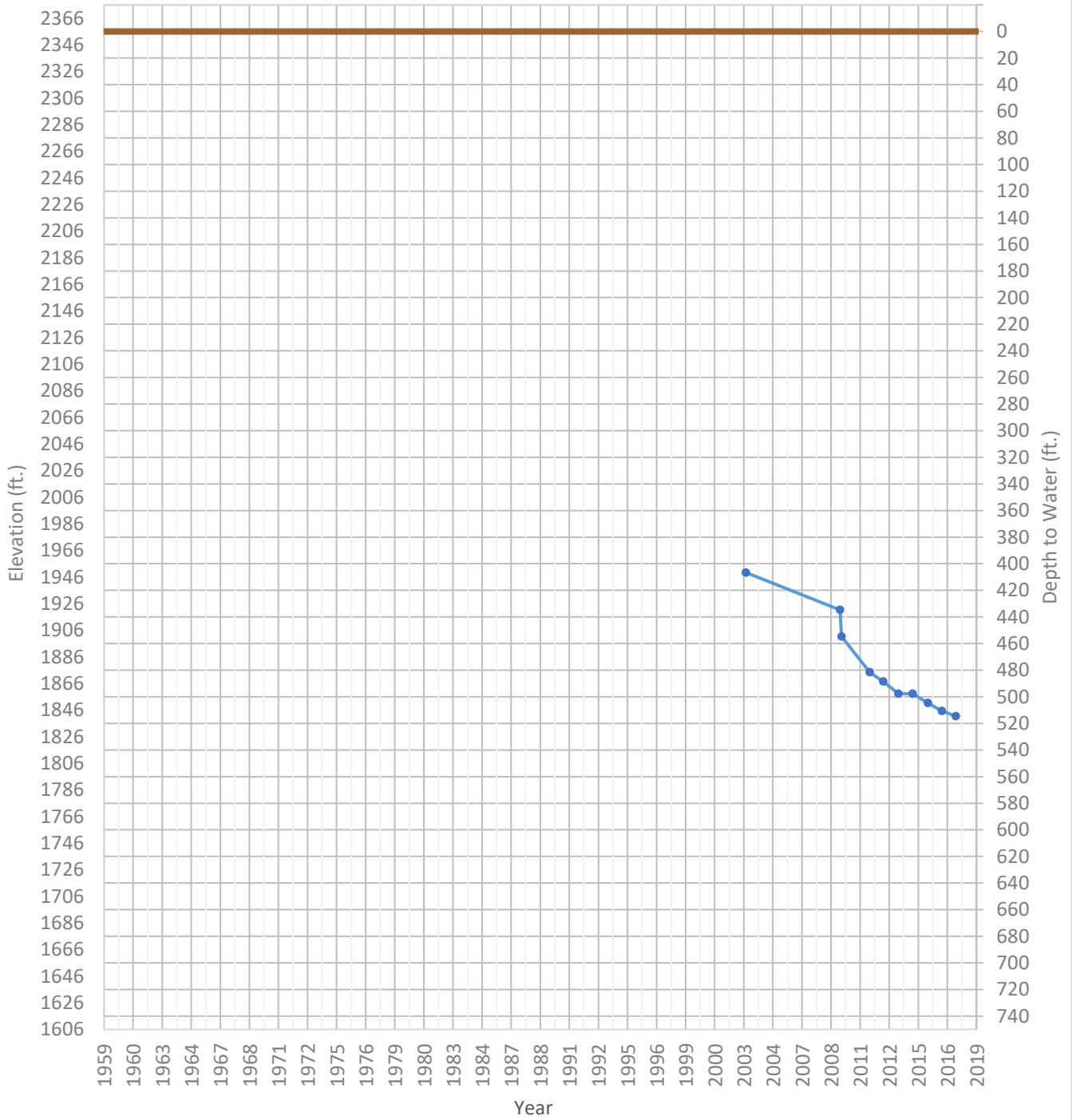
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1873 ft. WSE Max = 1990 ft. Well Depth = 673 ft.



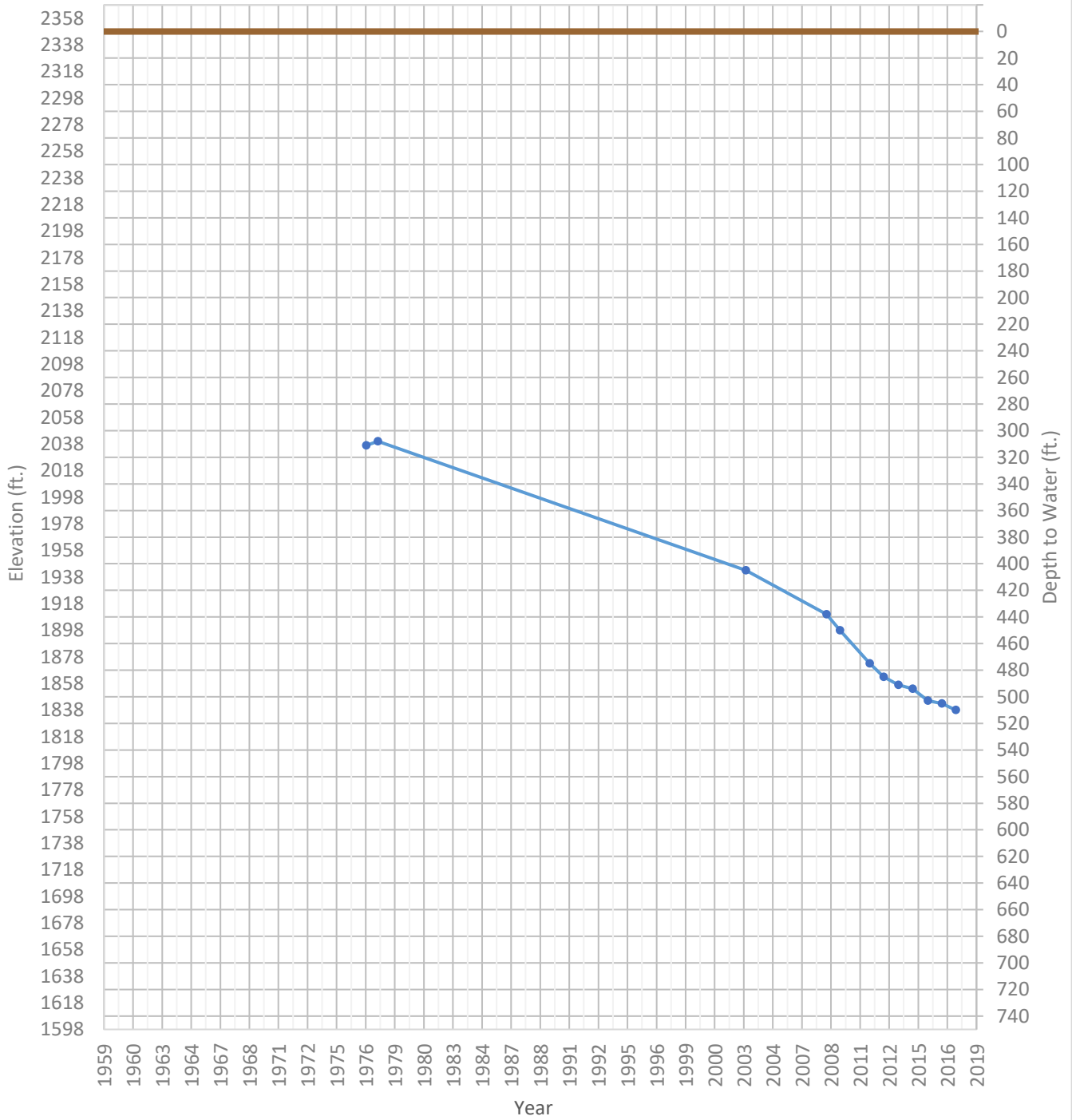
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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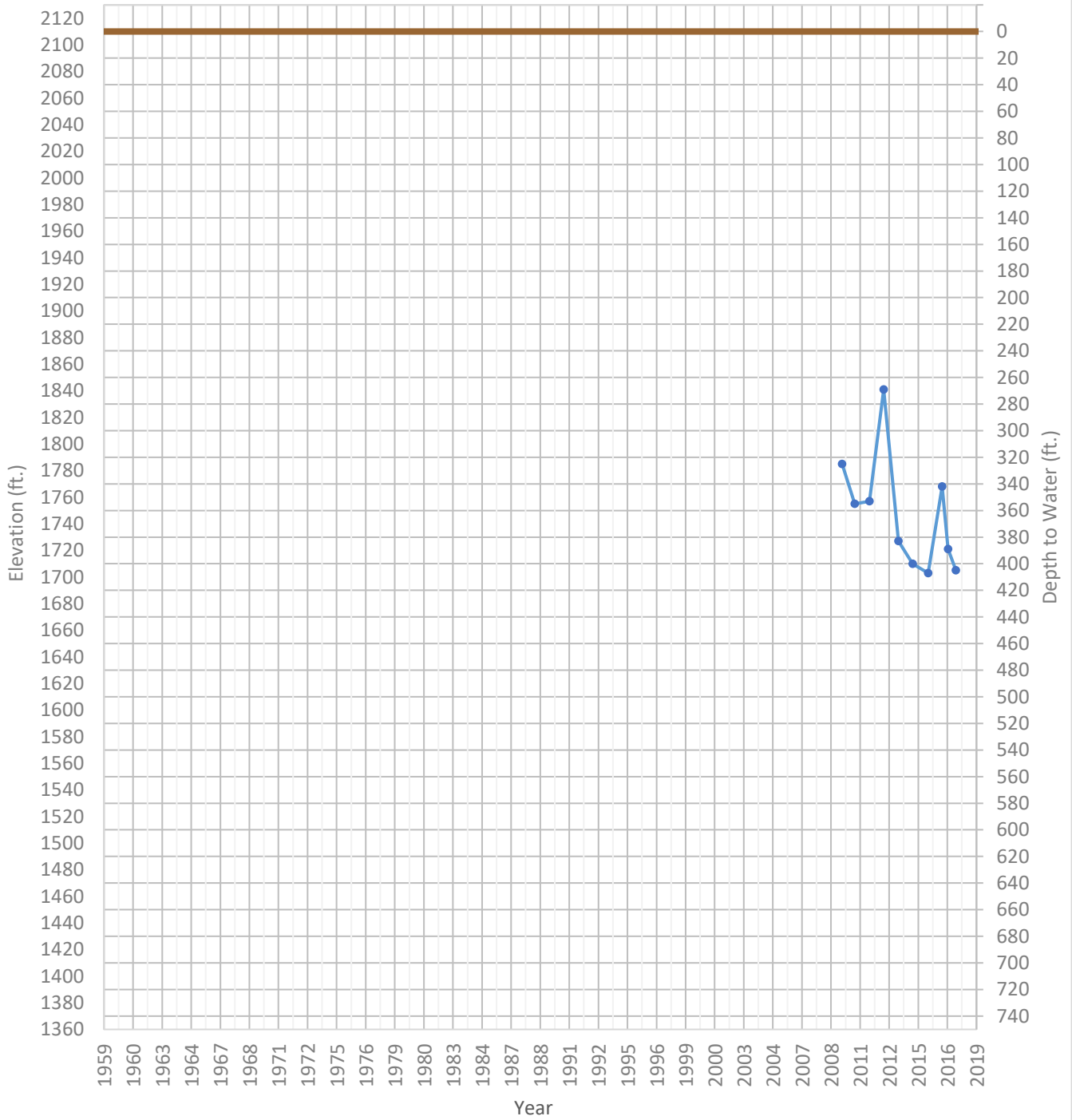
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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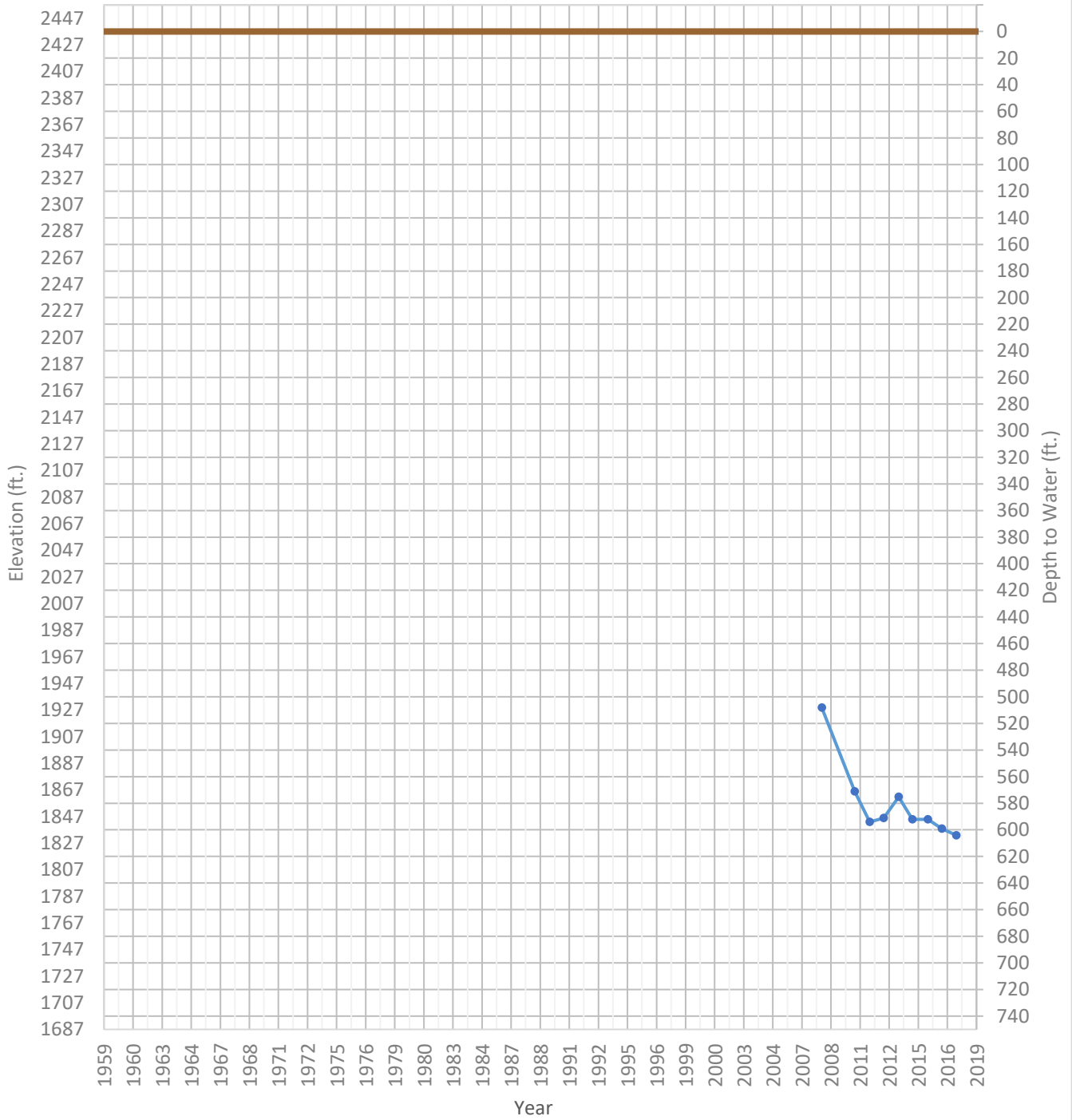
OPTI Well 637 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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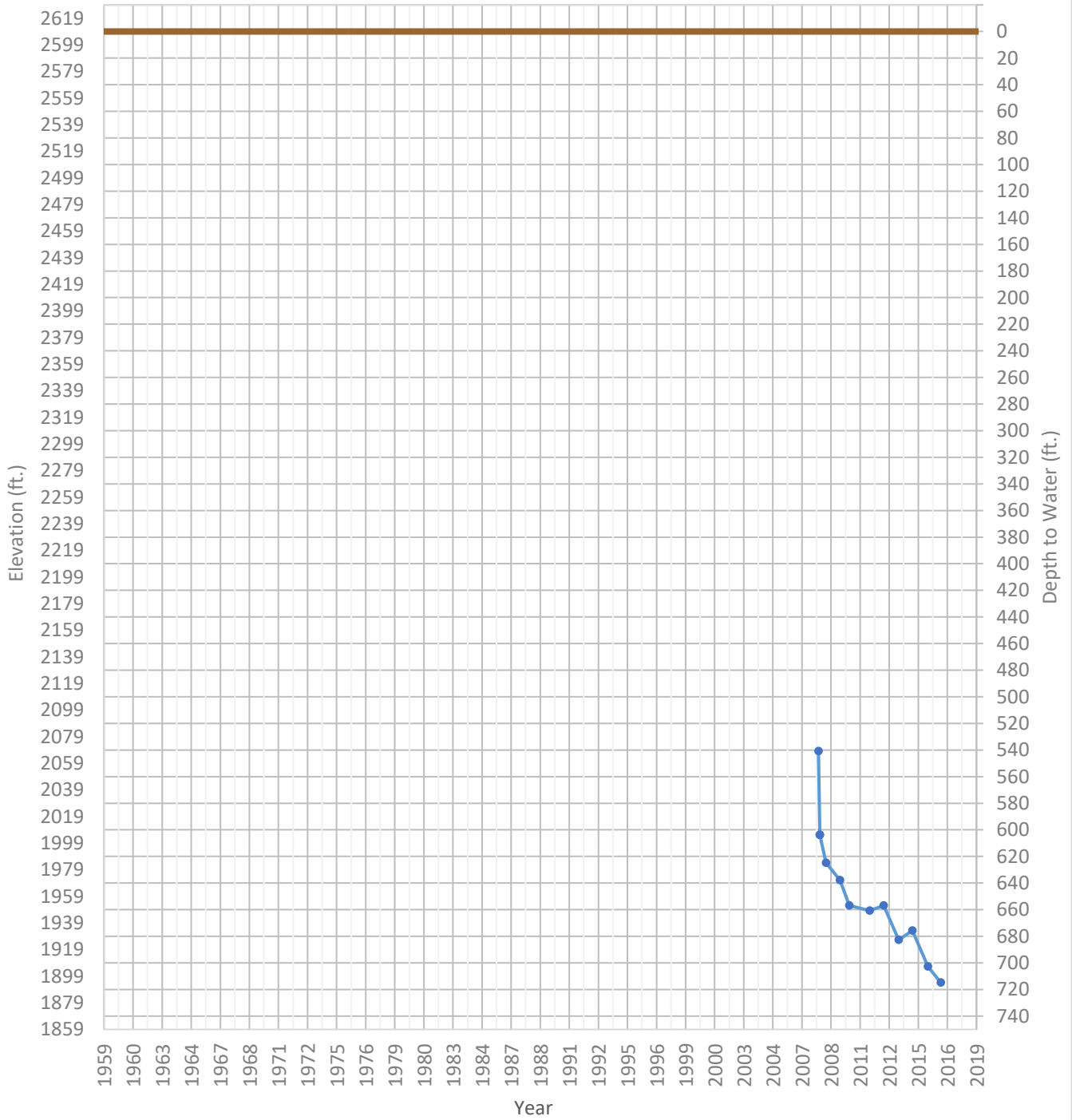
OPTI Well 638 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1833 ft. WSE Max = 1929 ft. Well Depth = 1006 ft.



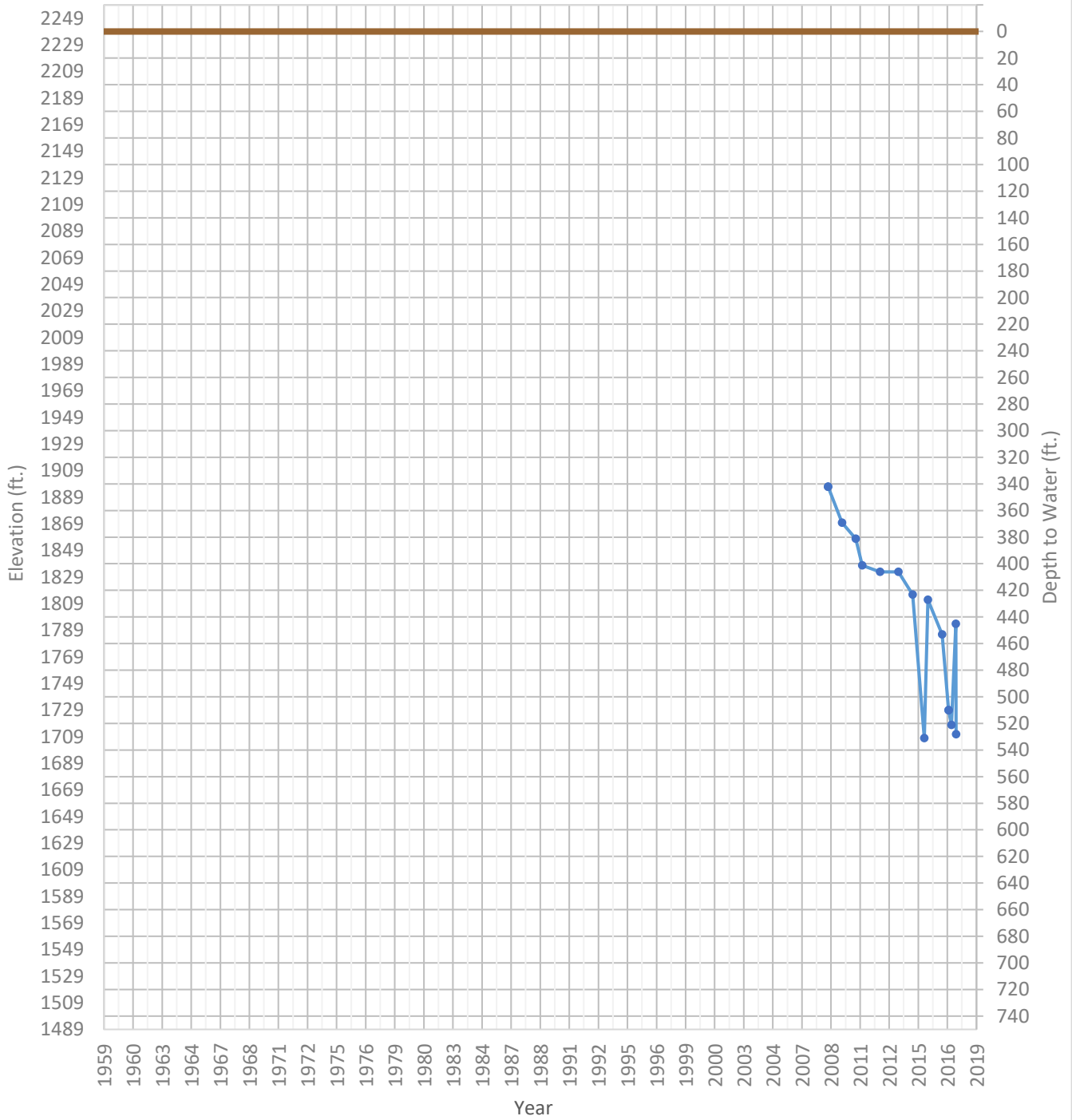
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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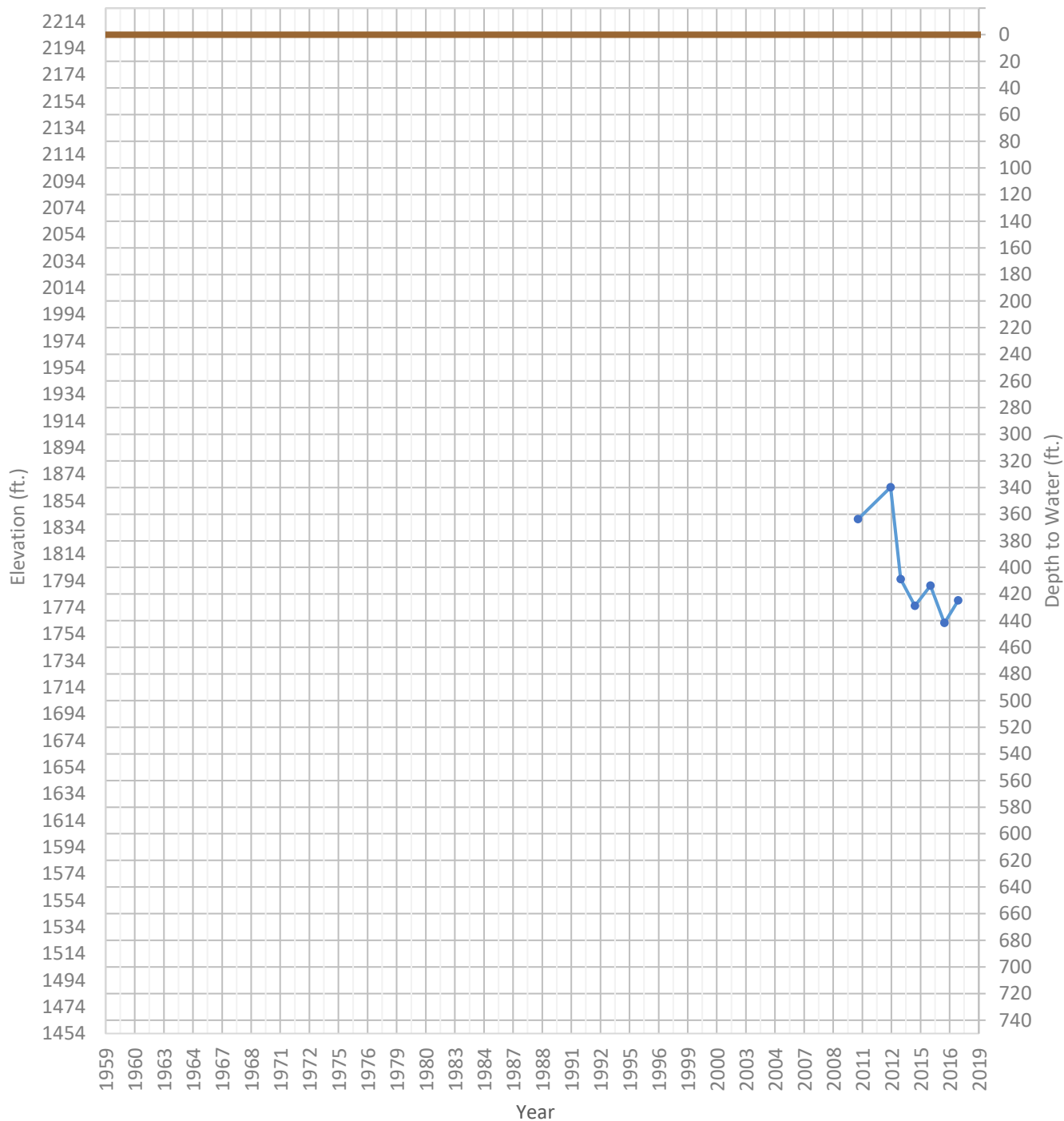
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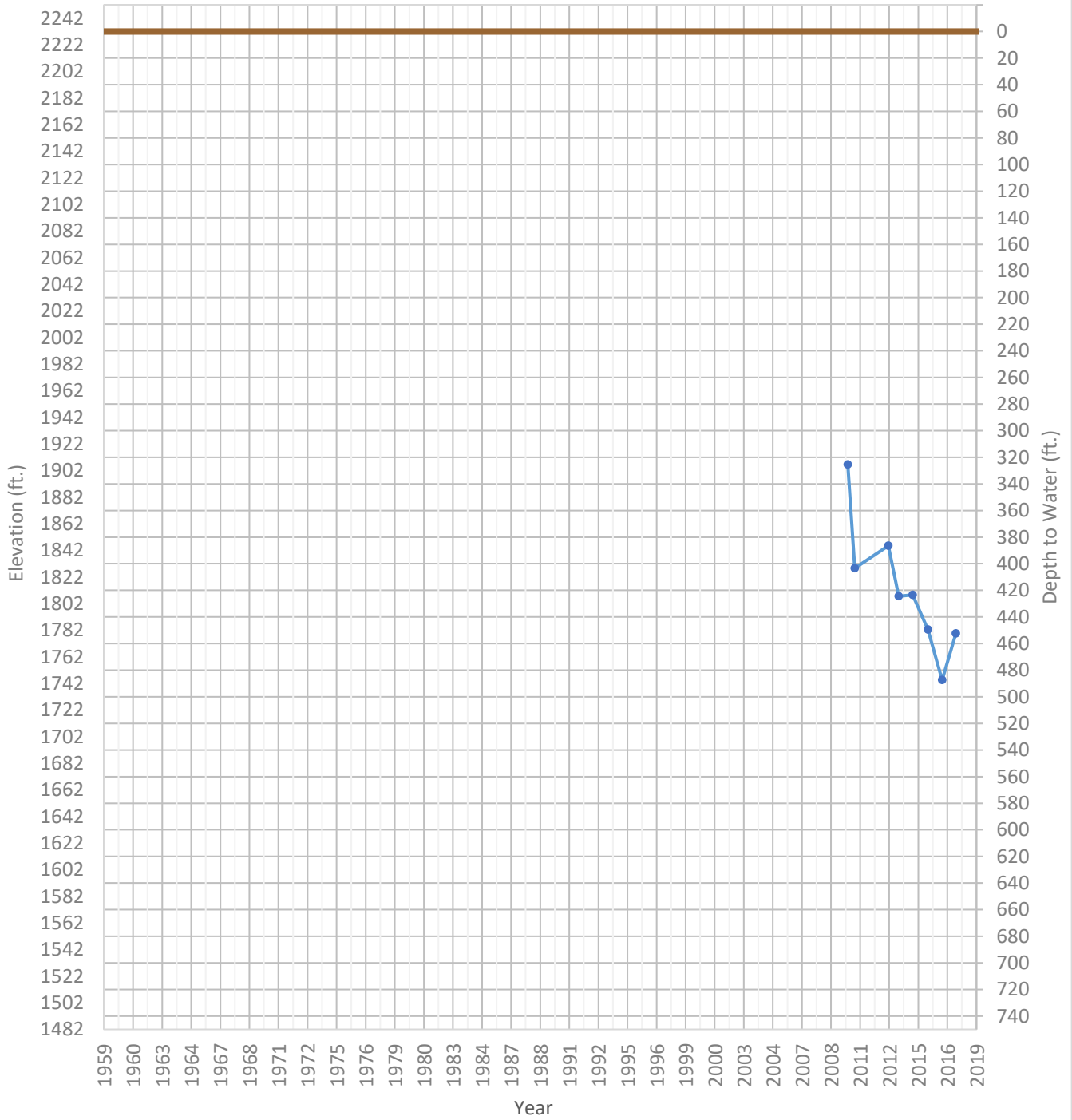
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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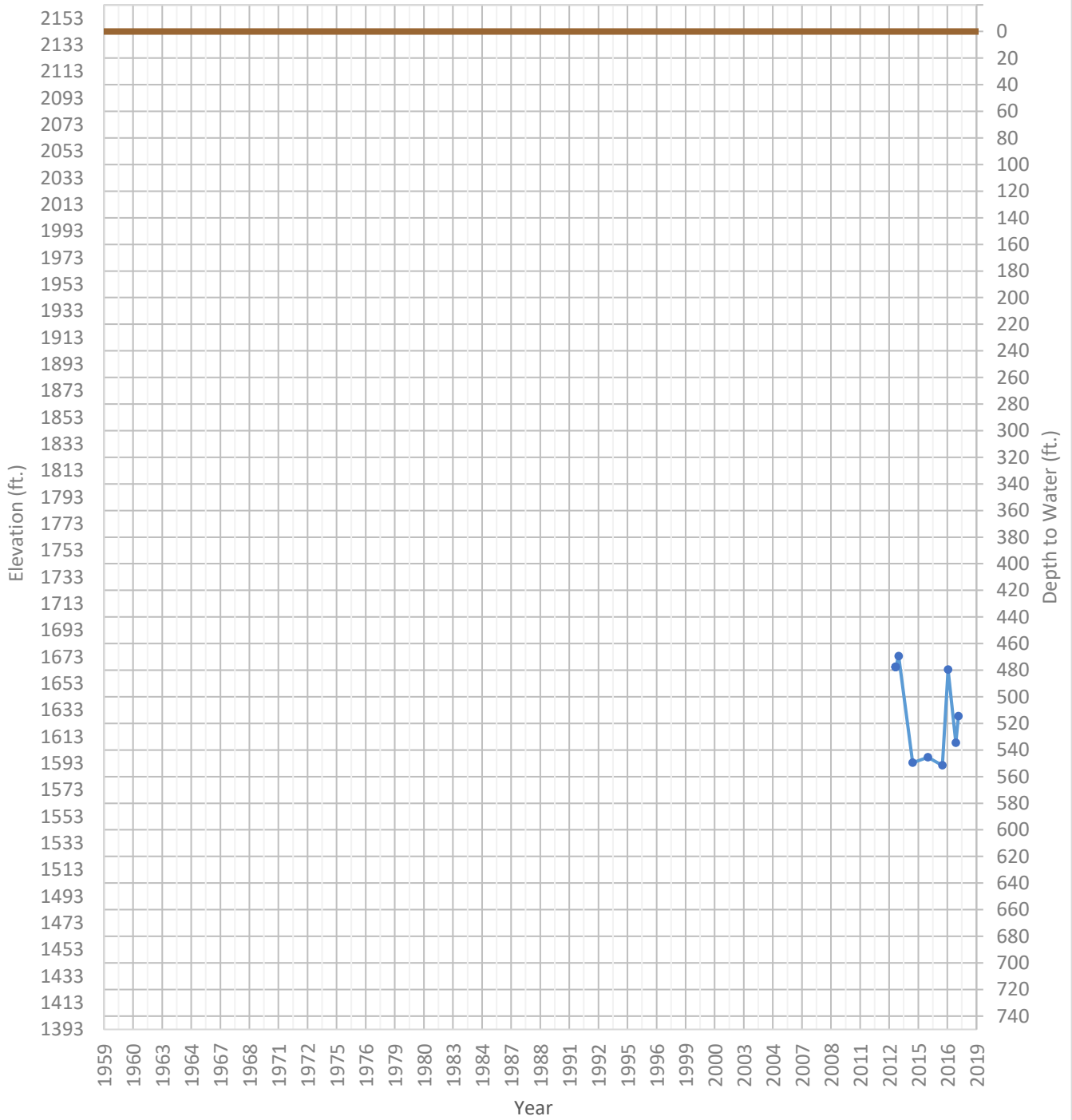
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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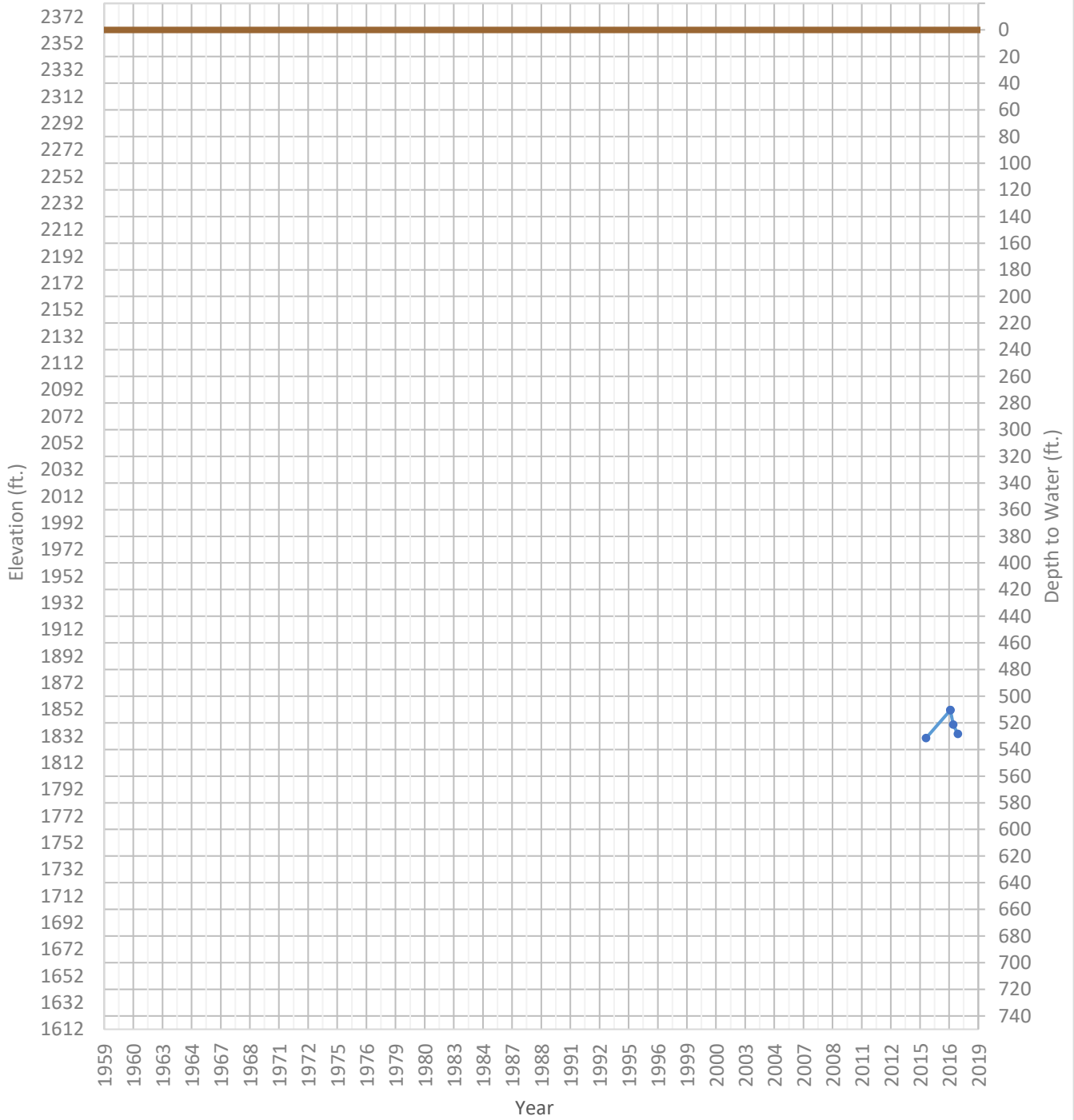
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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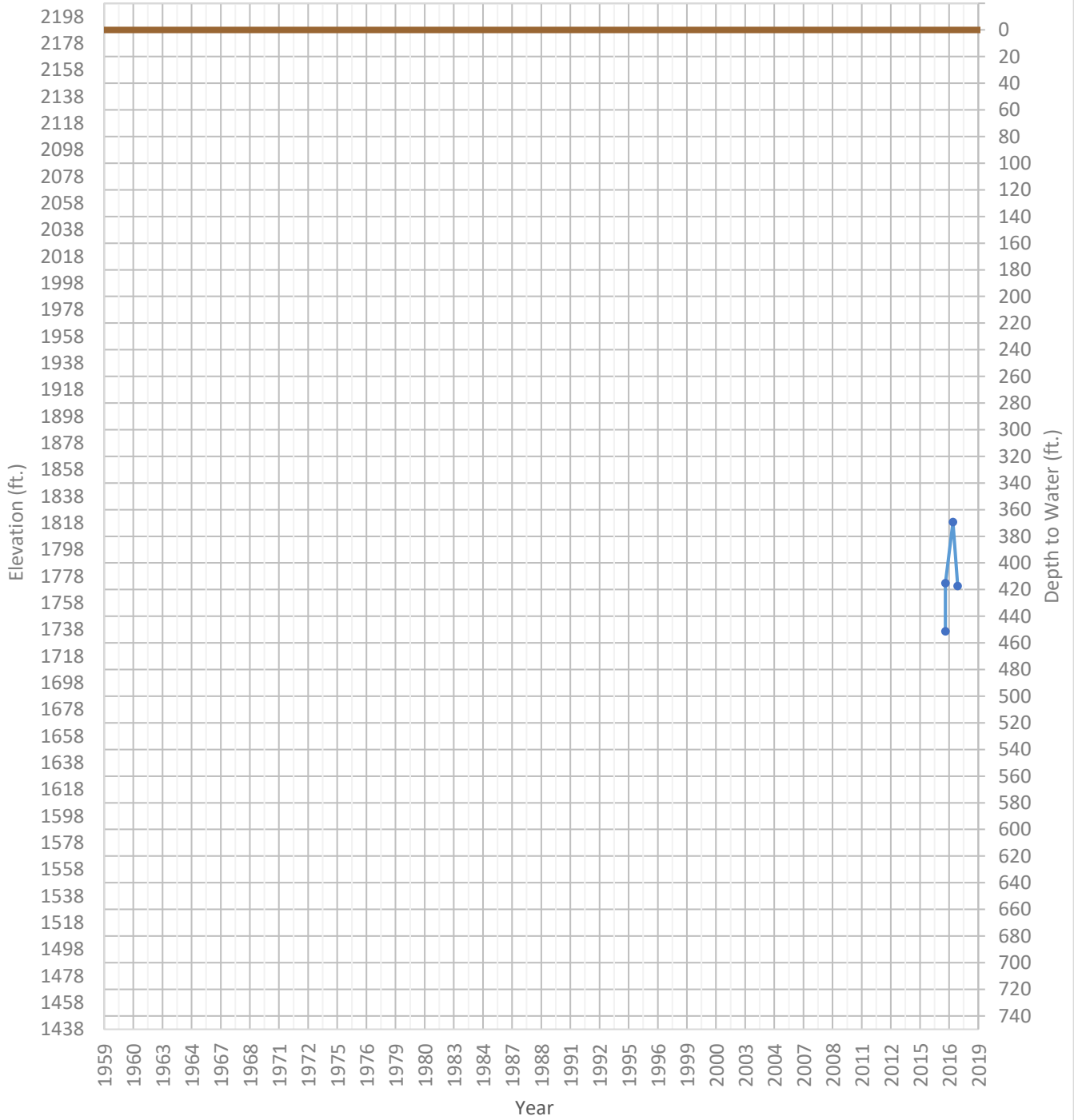
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1831 ft. WSE Max = 1852 ft. Well Depth = 930 ft.



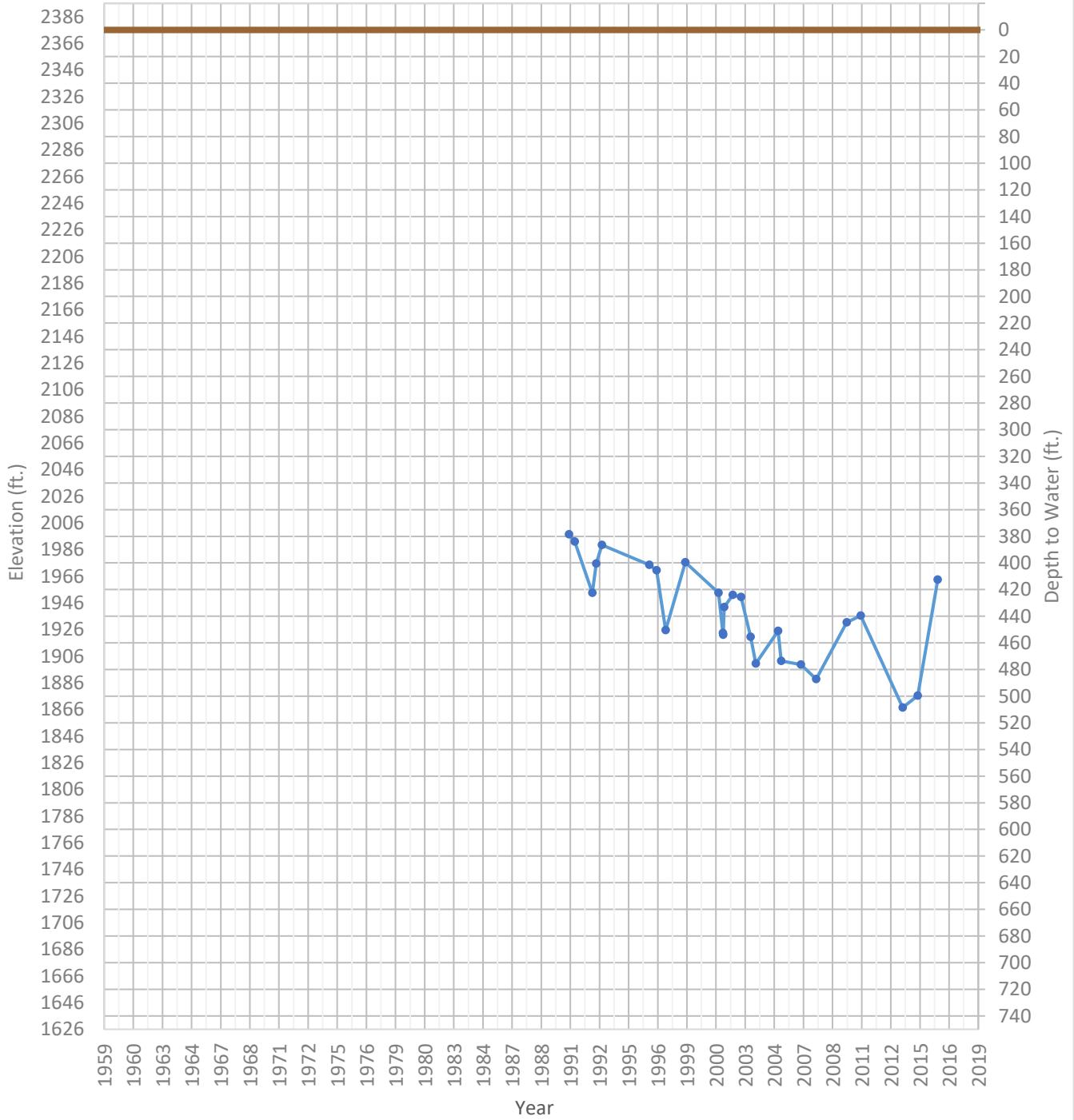
OPTI Well 646 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1737 ft. WSE Max = 1819 ft. Well Depth = 900 ft.



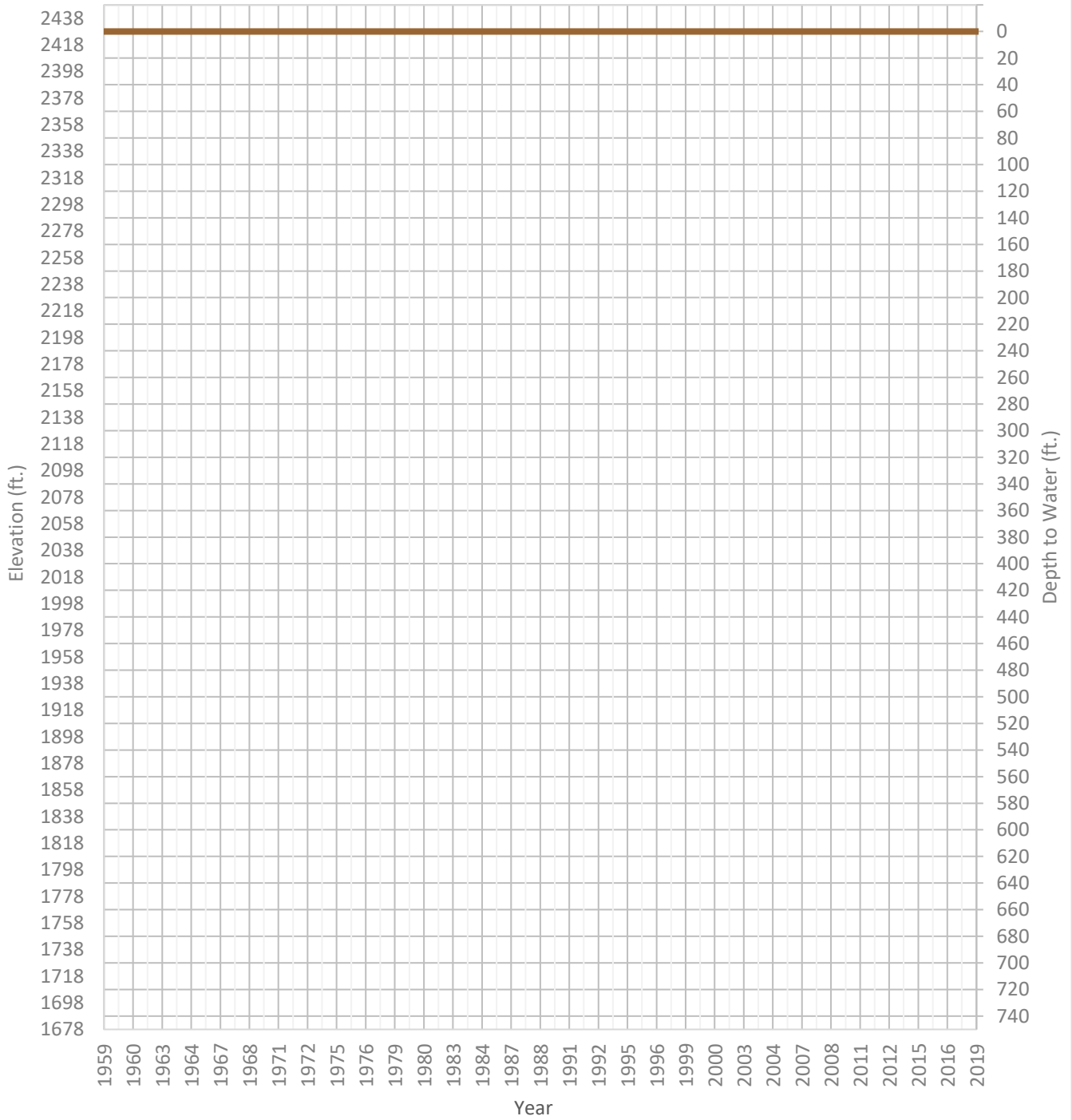
OPTI Well 651 Hydrograph

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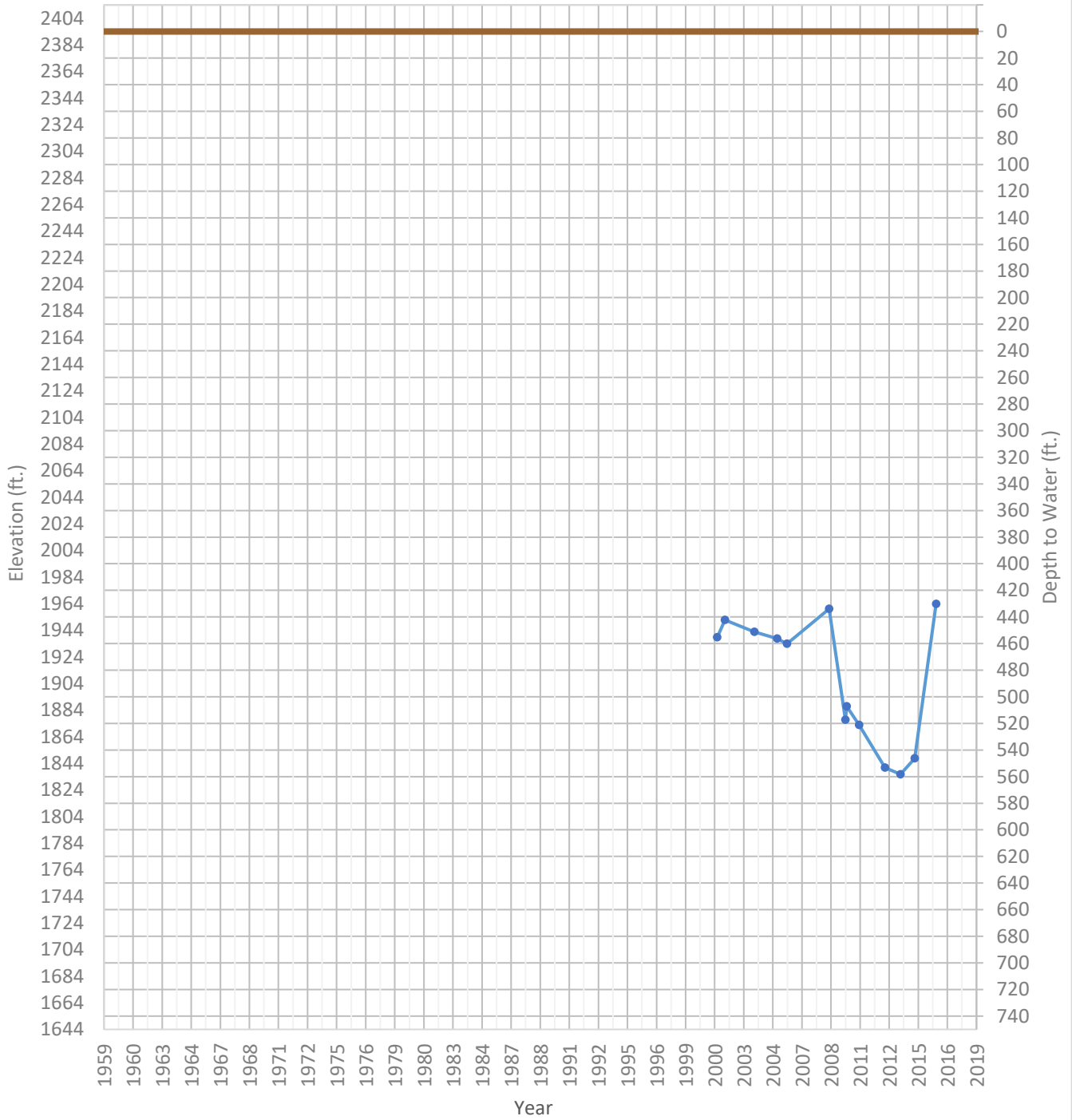
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1896 ft. WSE Max = 1976 ft. Well Depth = 1002 ft.



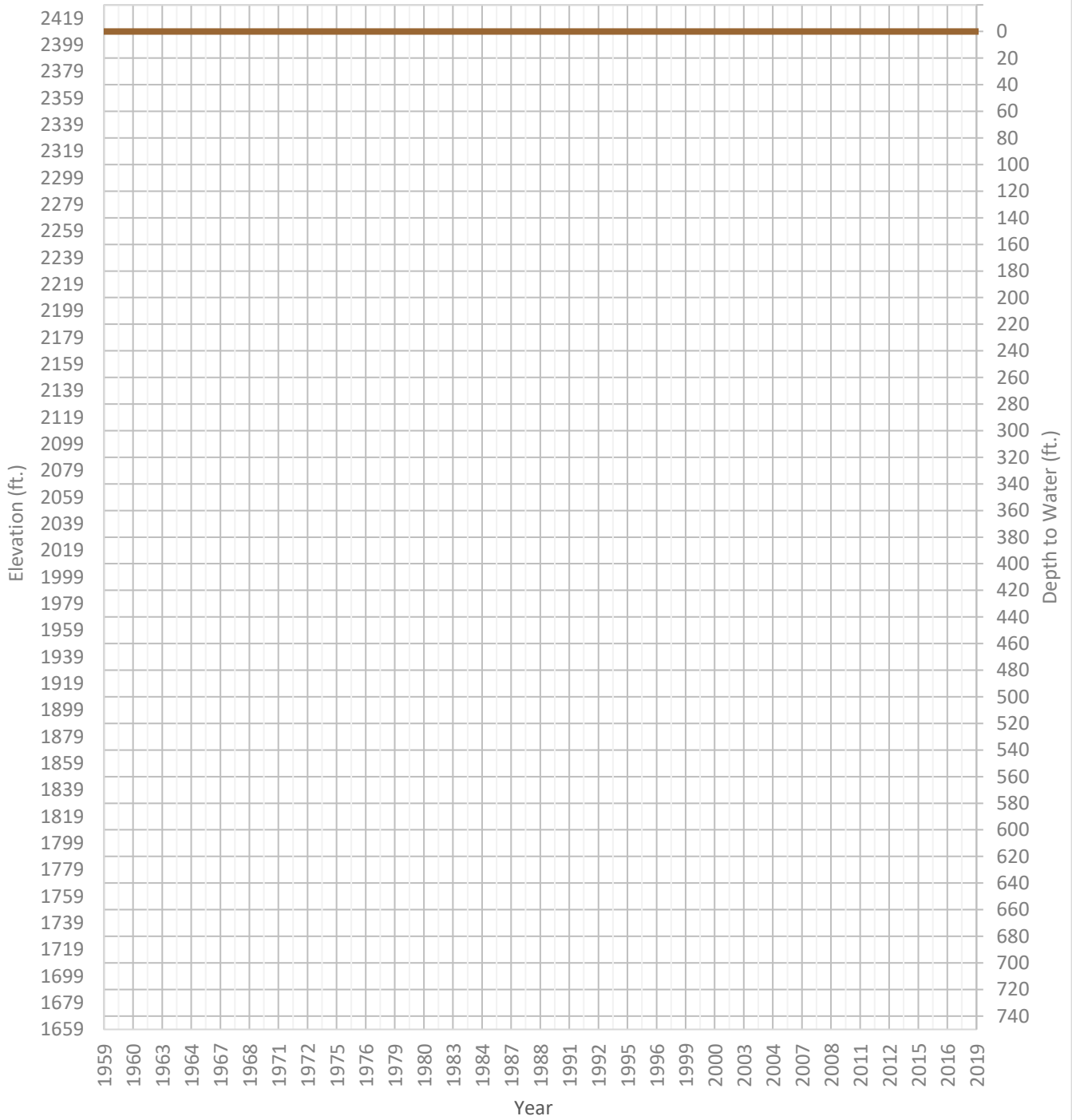
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1836 ft. WSE Max = 1964 ft. Well Depth = 1006 ft.



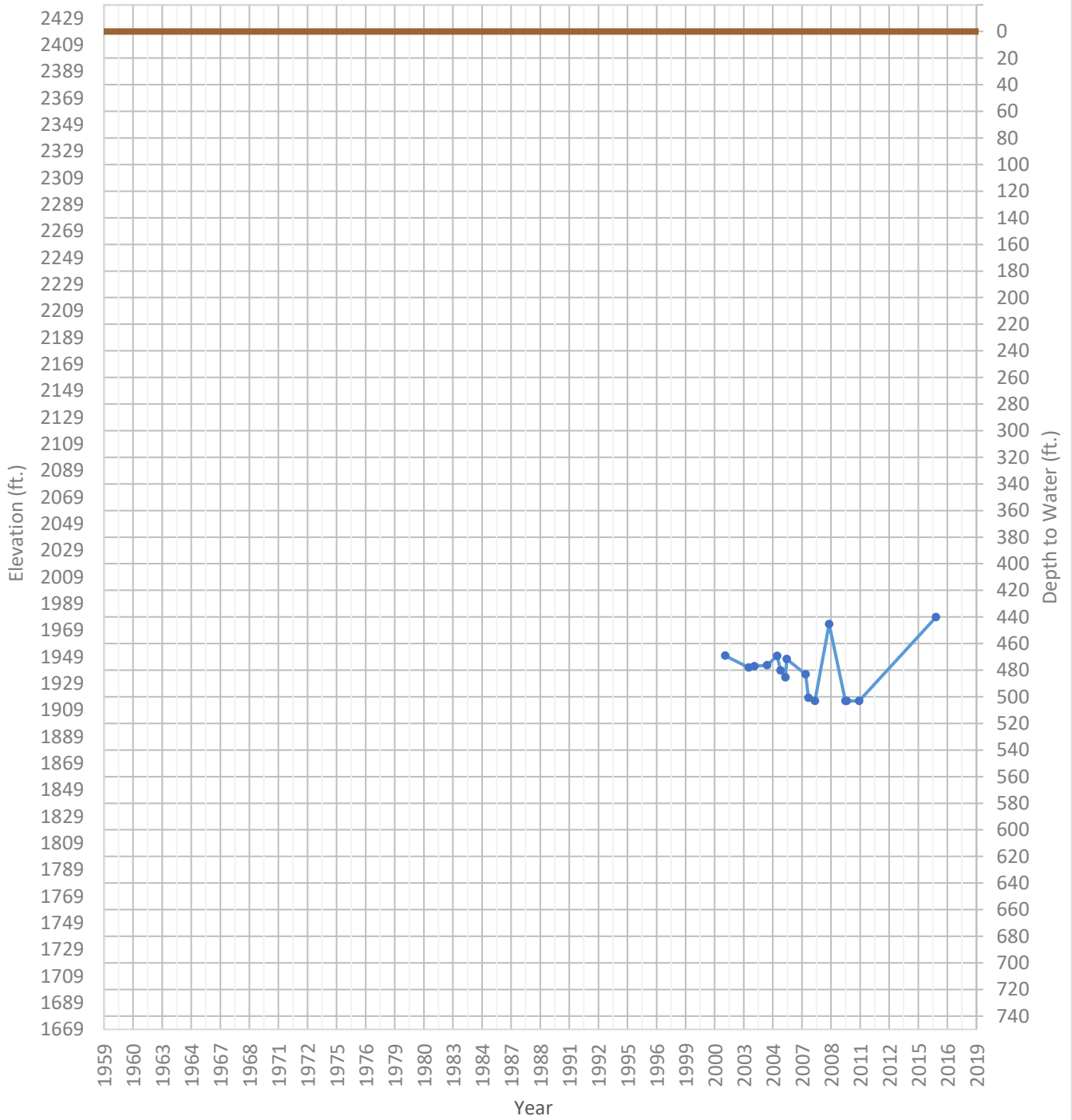
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1900 ft. WSE Max = 1975 ft. Well Depth = 629 ft.



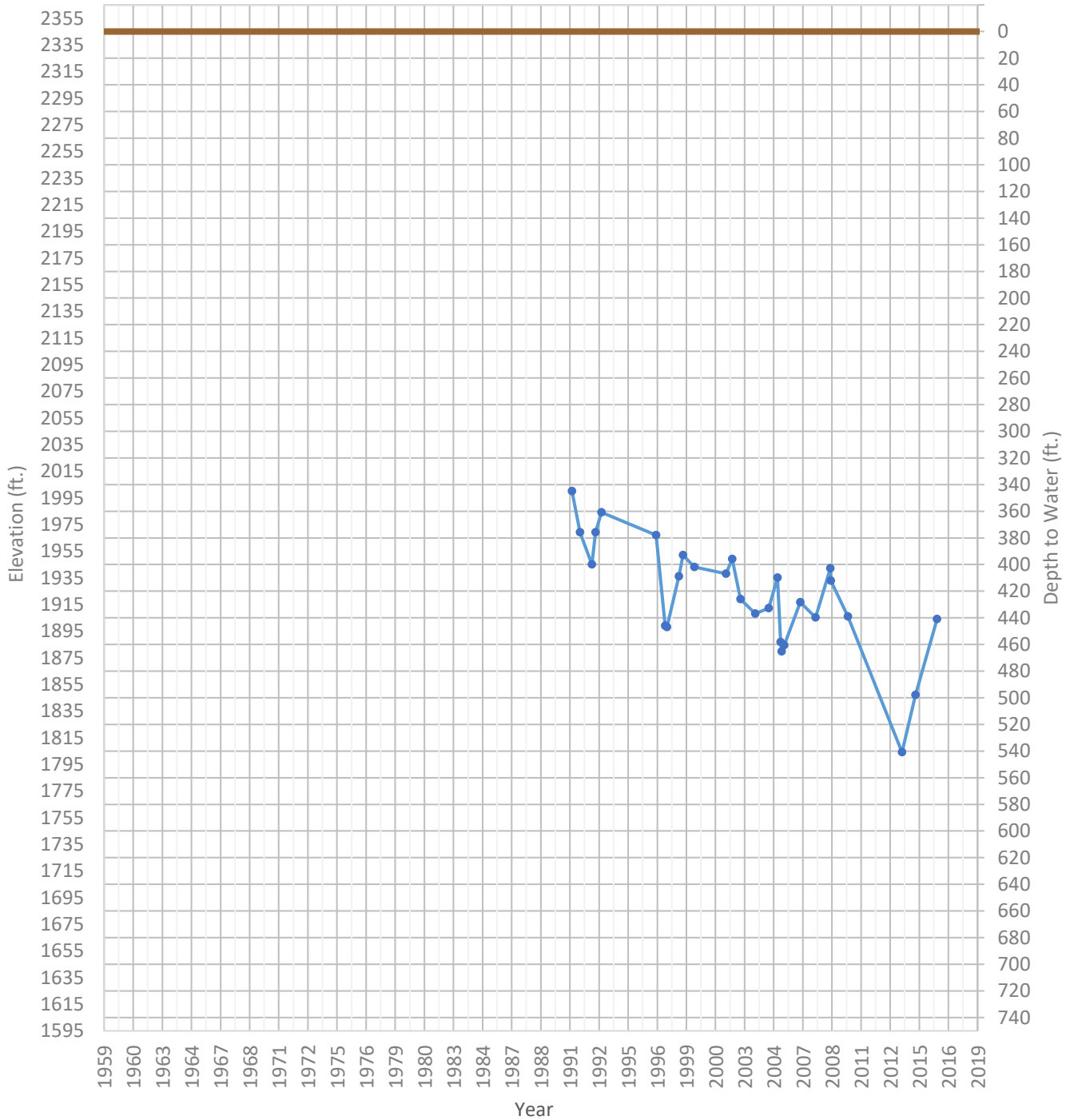
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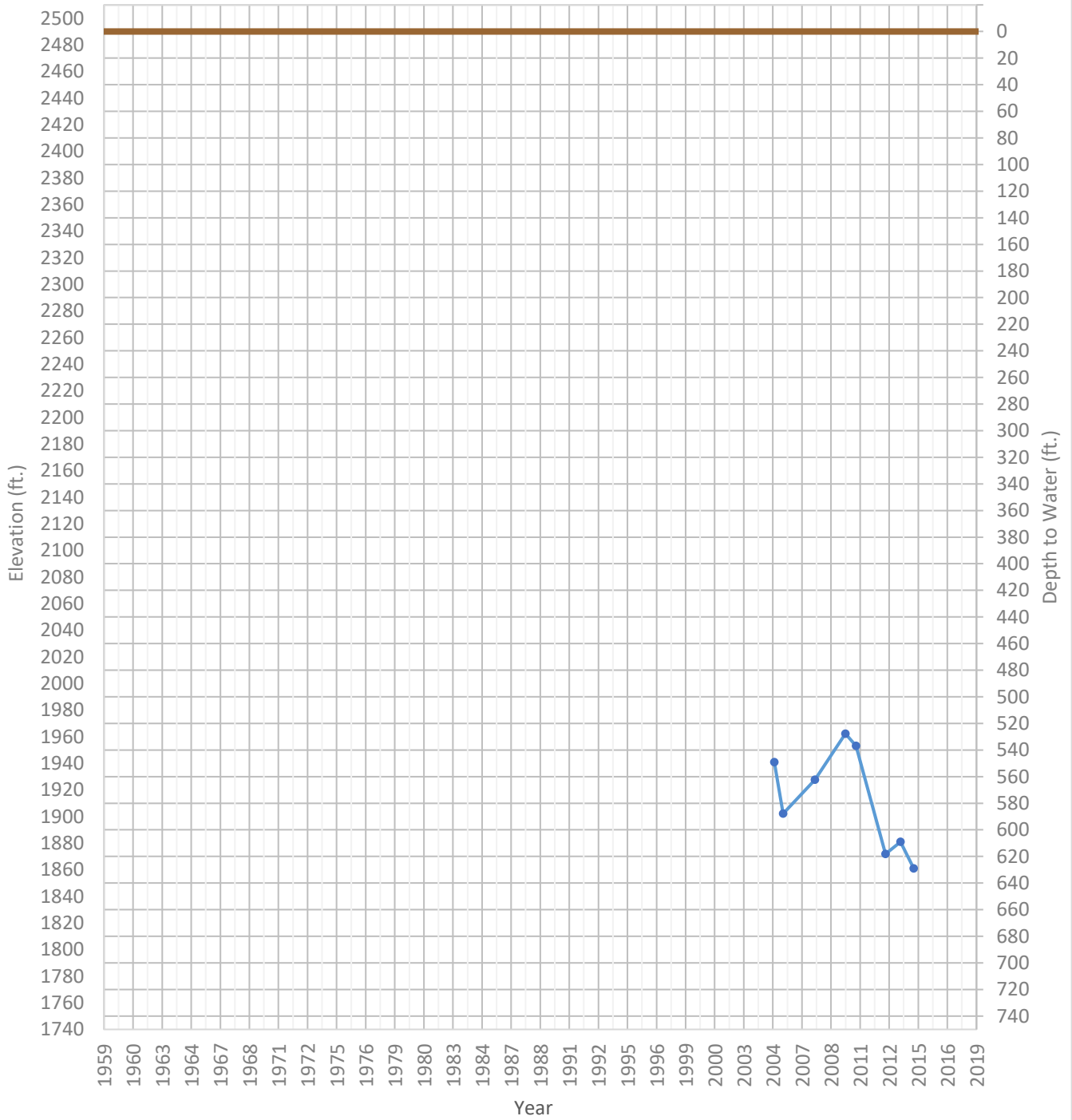
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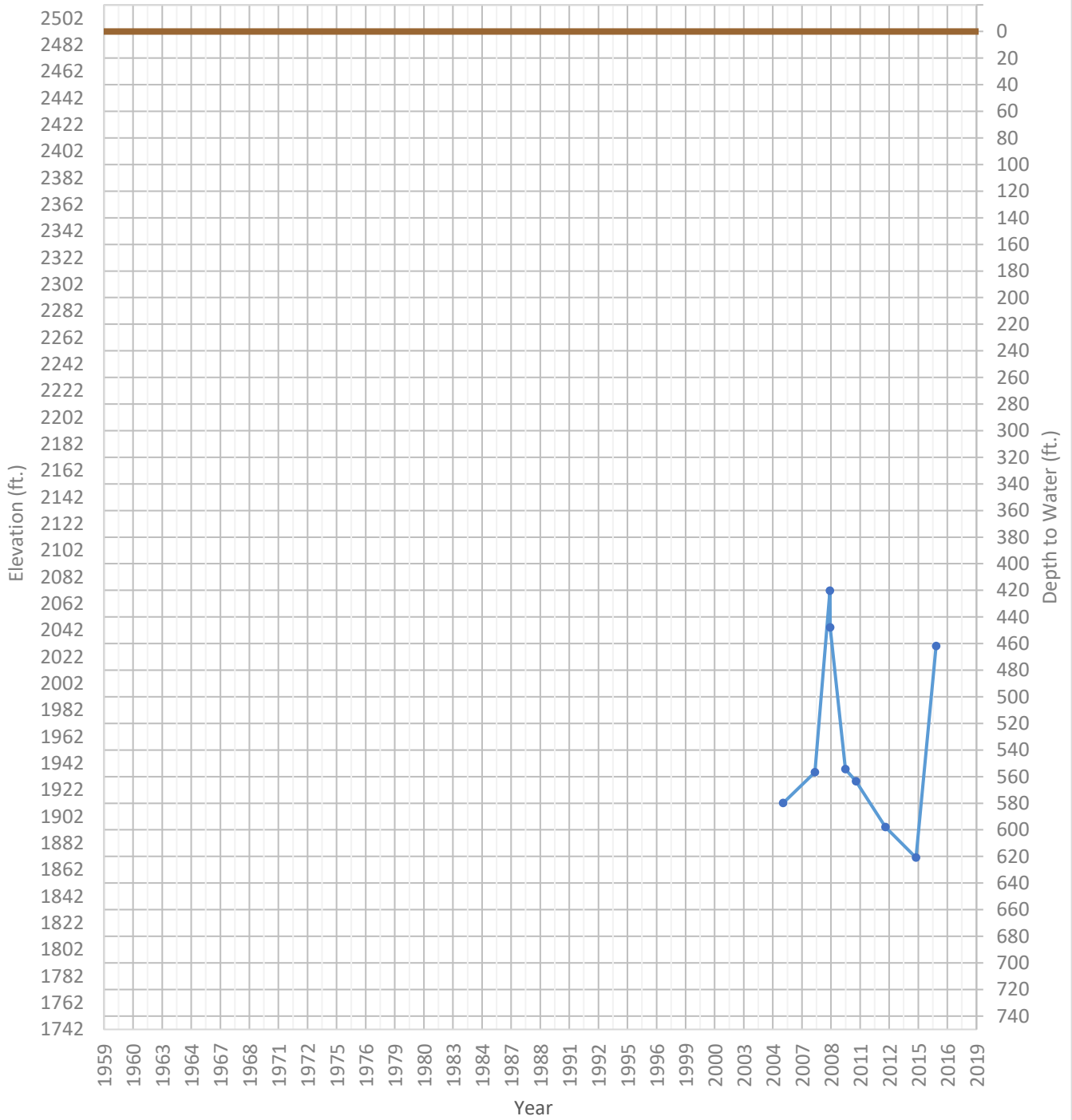
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1861 ft. WSE Max = 1962 ft. Well Depth = 869 ft.



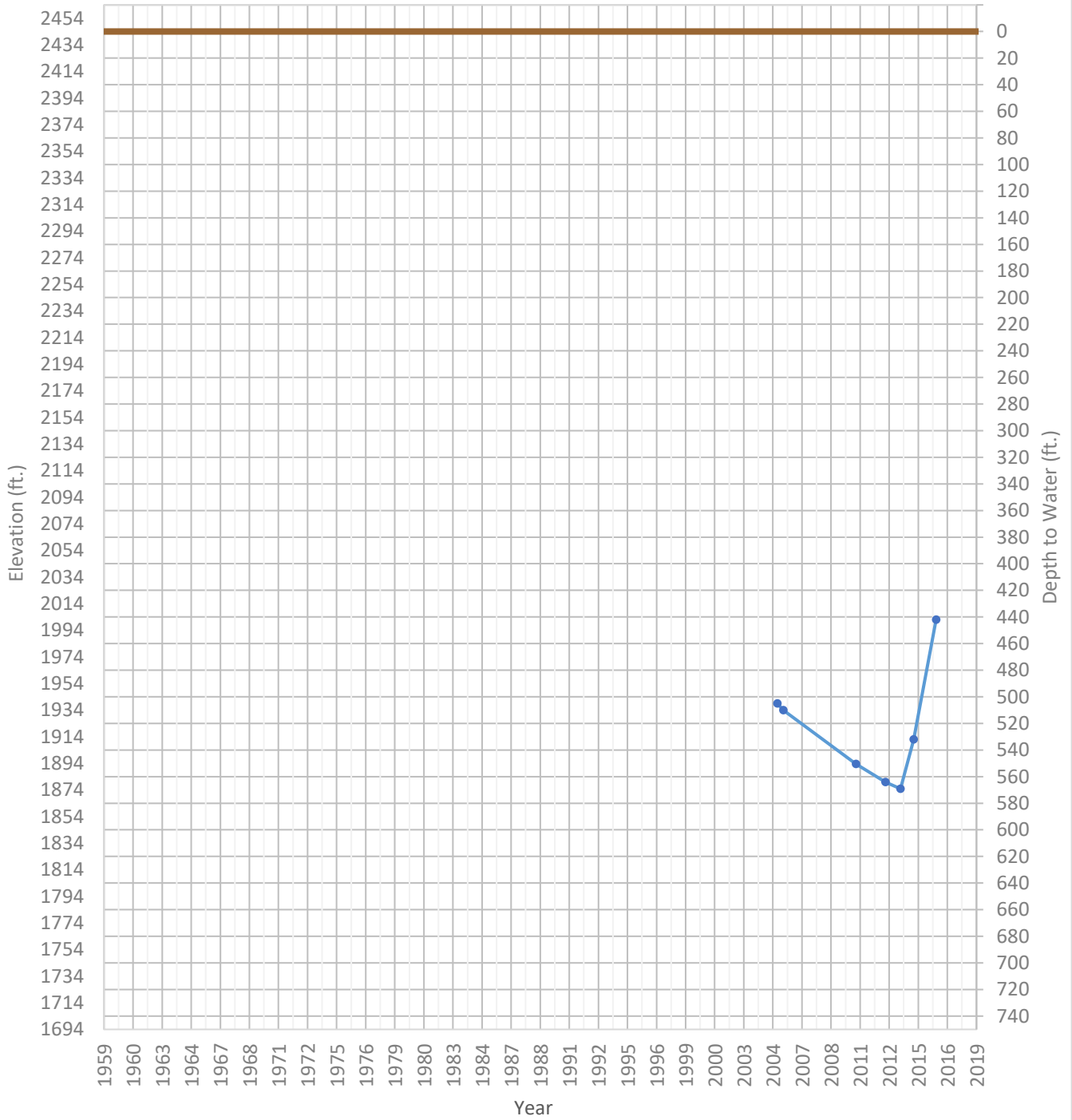
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1871 ft. WSE Max = 2072 ft. Well Depth = 976 ft.



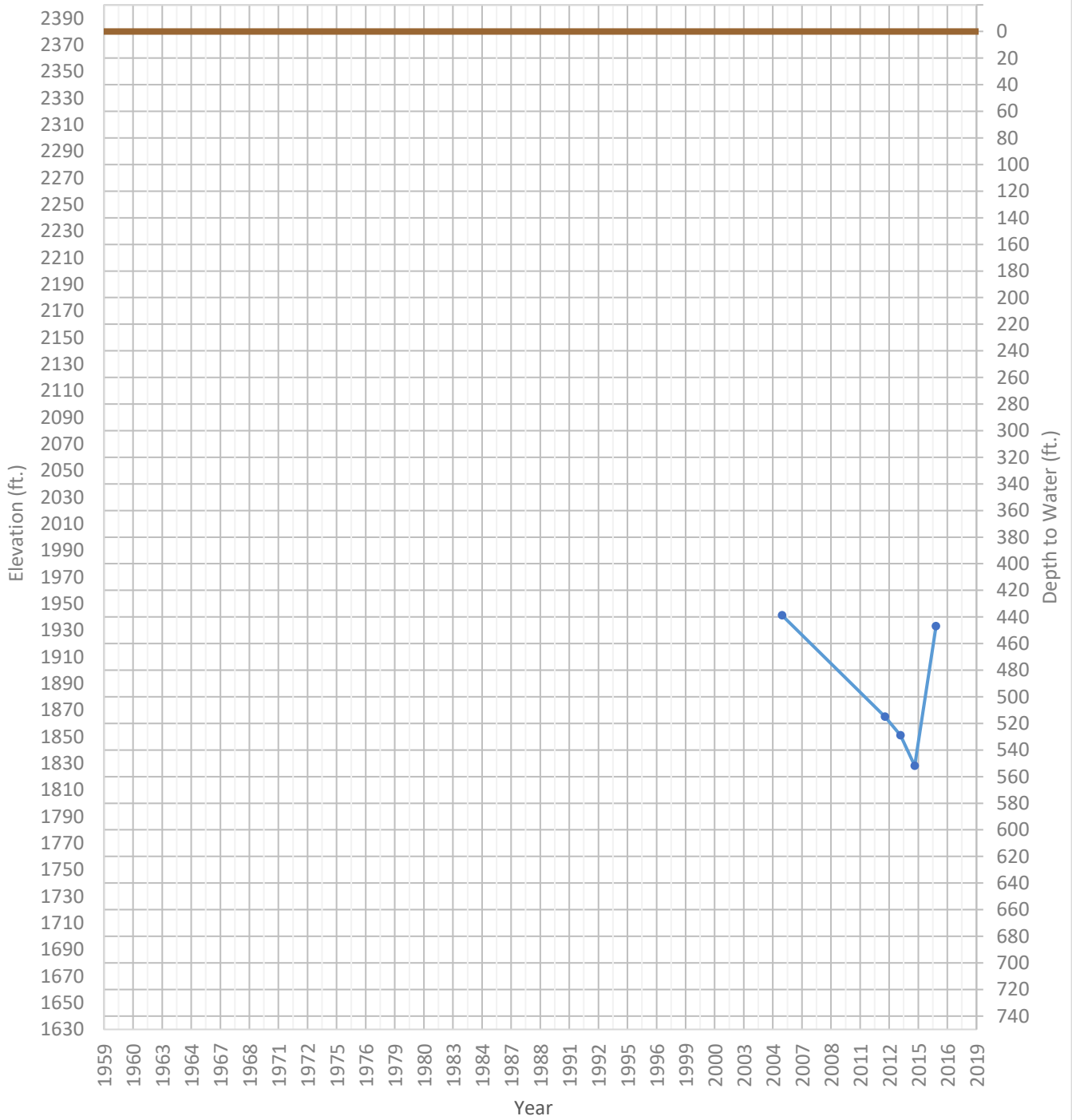
OPTI Well 661 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1875 ft. WSE Max = 2002 ft. Well Depth = 1000 ft.



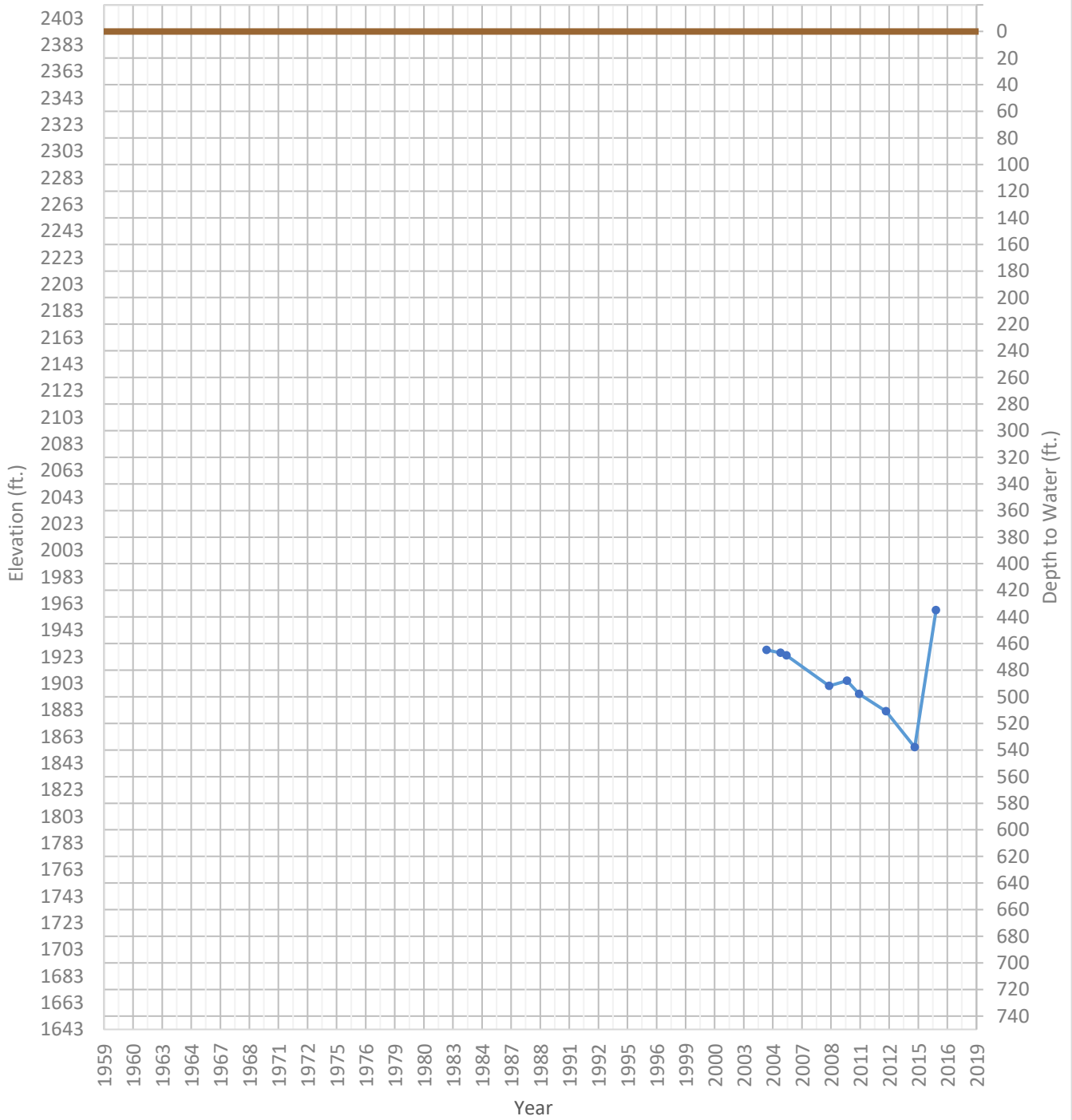
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1828 ft. WSE Max = 1941 ft. Well Depth = 740 ft.



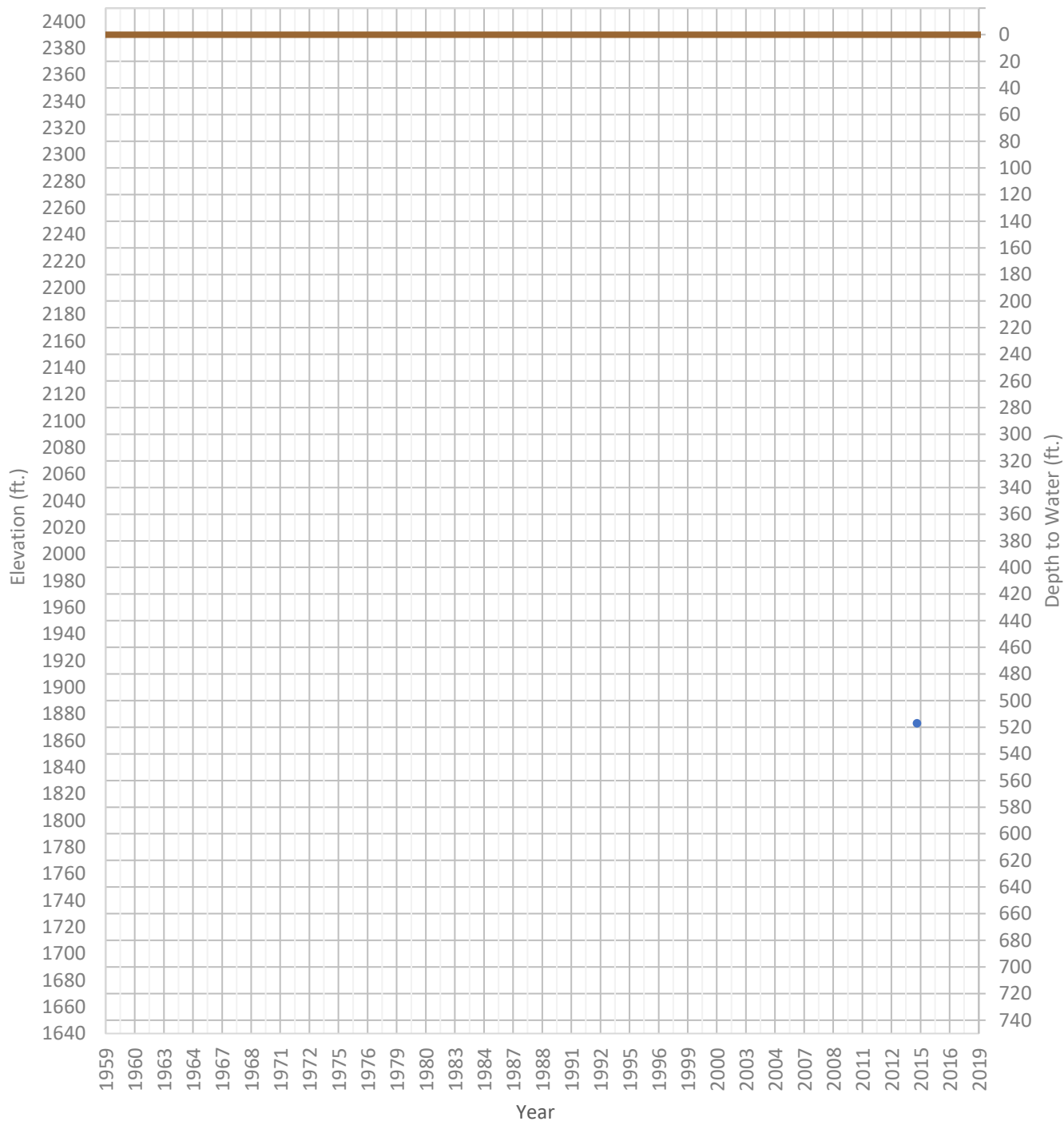
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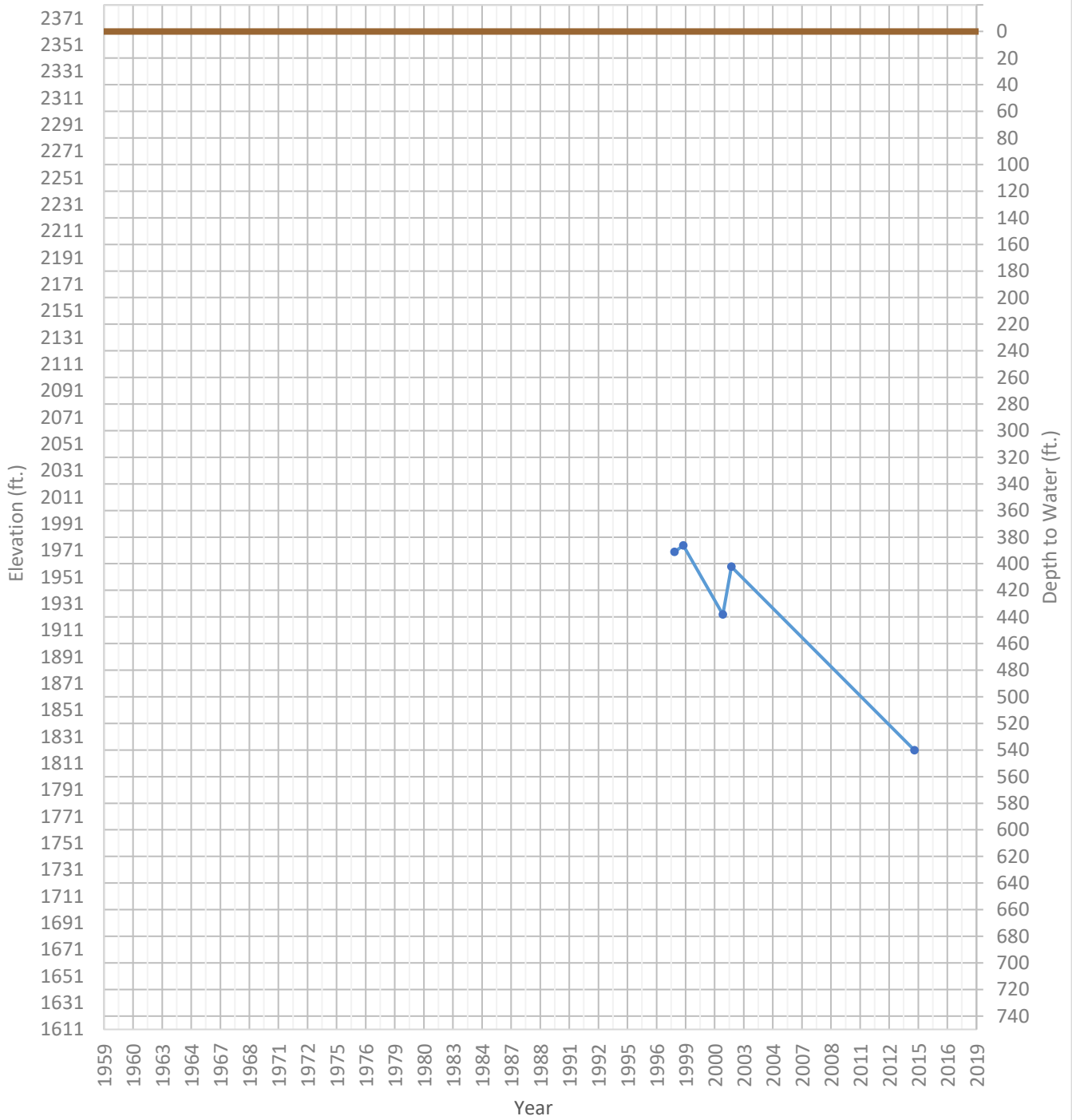
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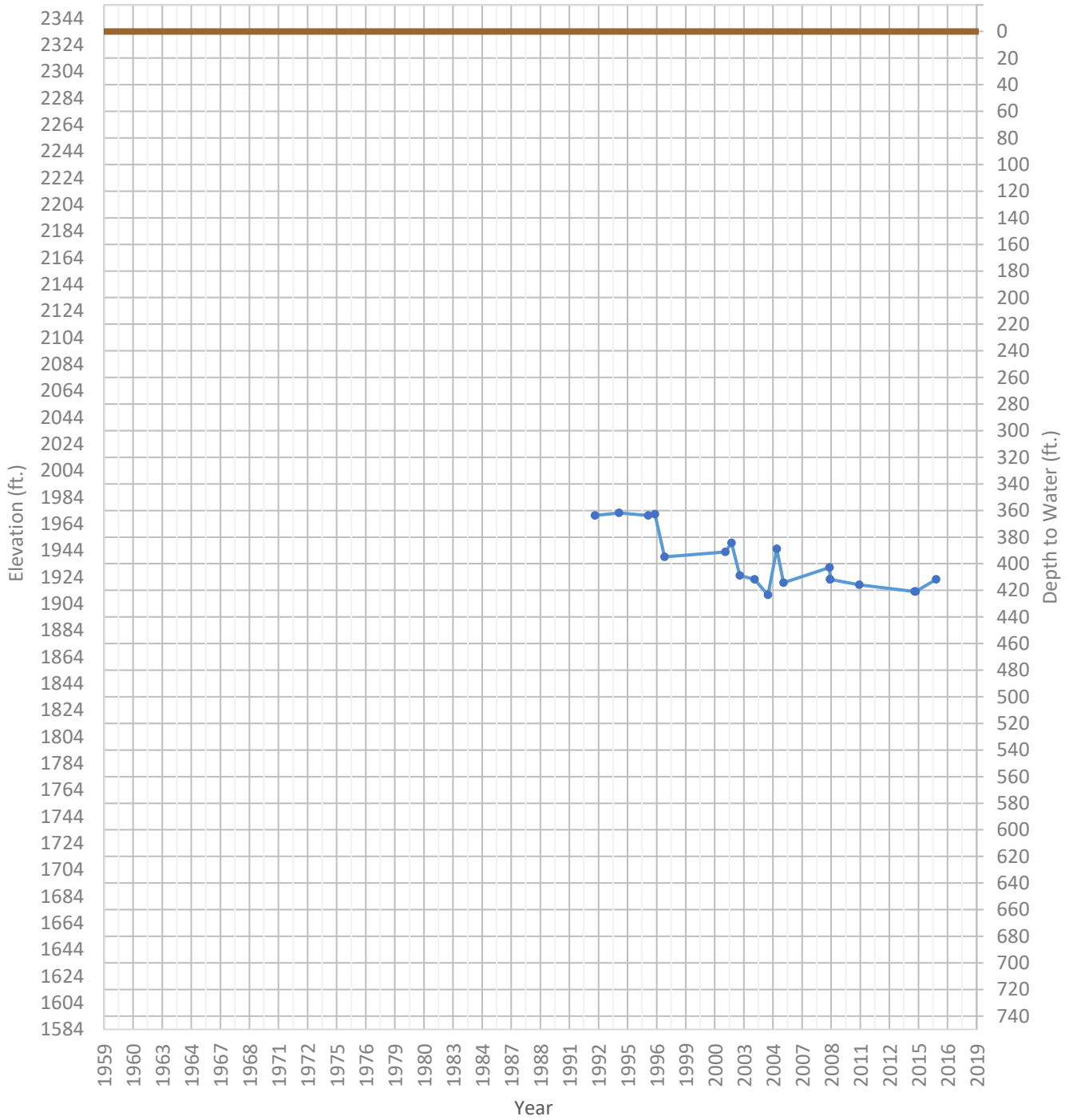
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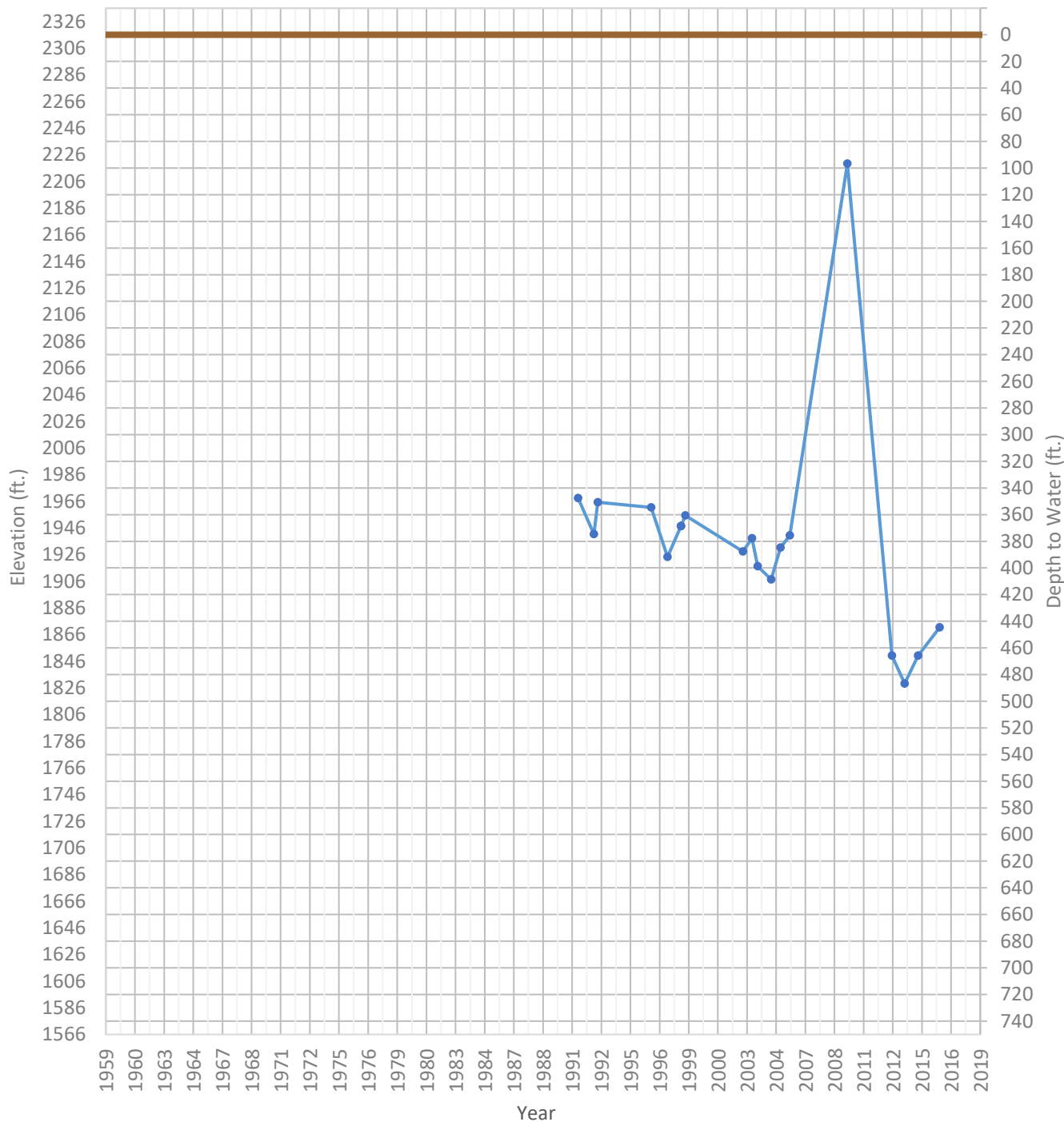
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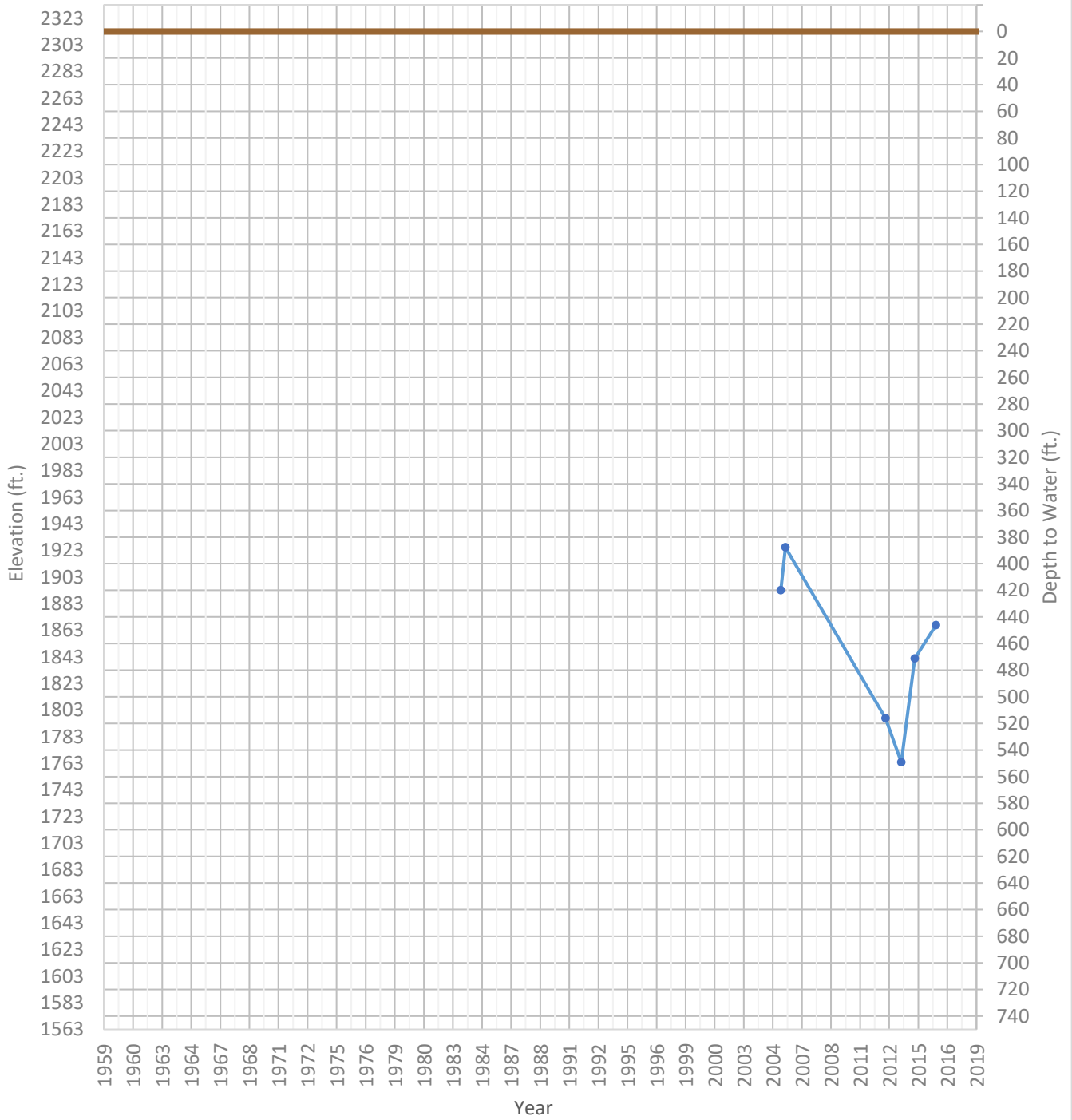
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1829 ft. WSE Max = 2219 ft. Well Depth = 1083 ft.



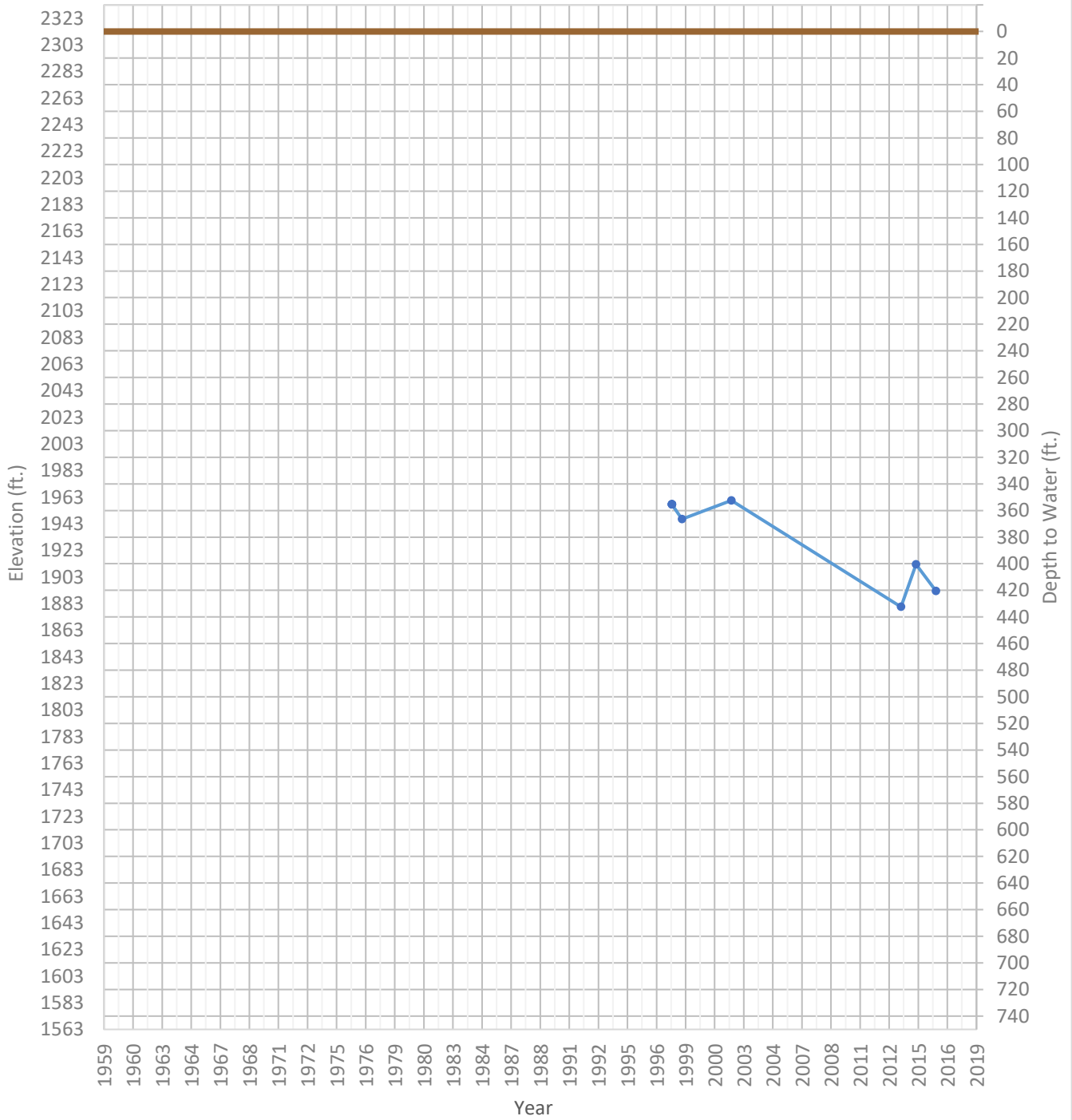
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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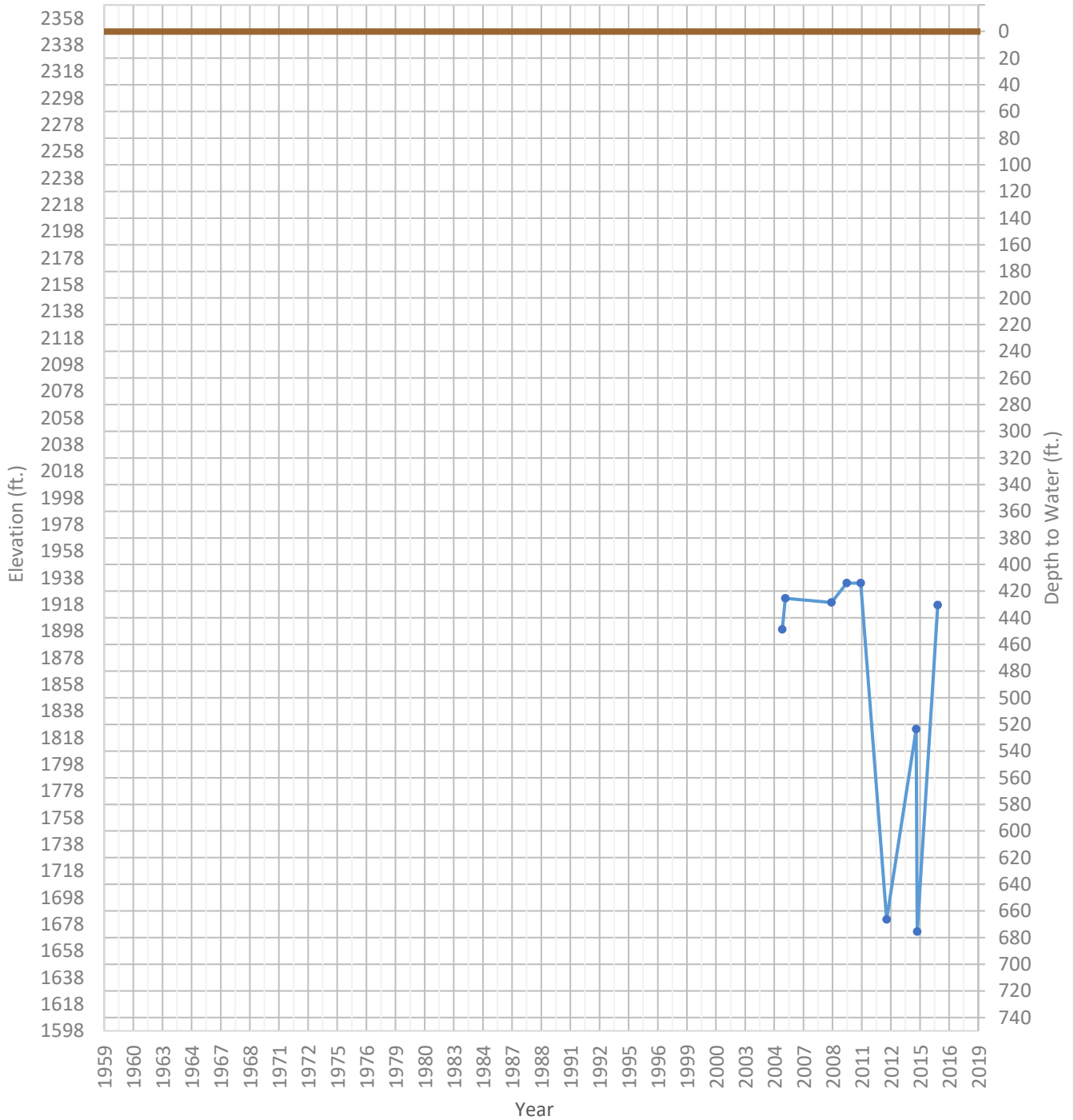
OPTI Well 669 Hydrograph

WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1881 ft. WSE Max = 1961 ft. Well Depth = 1000 ft.



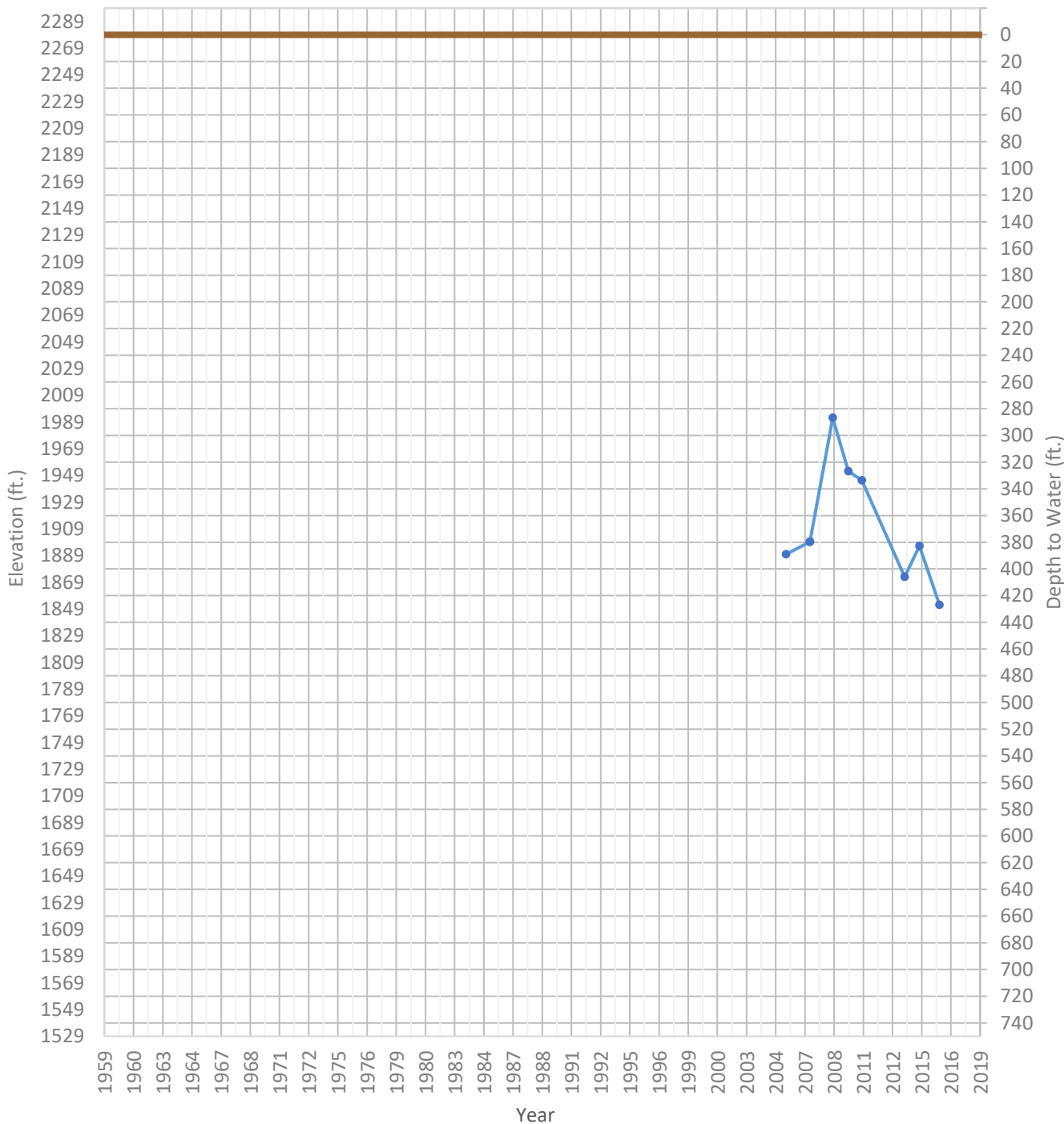
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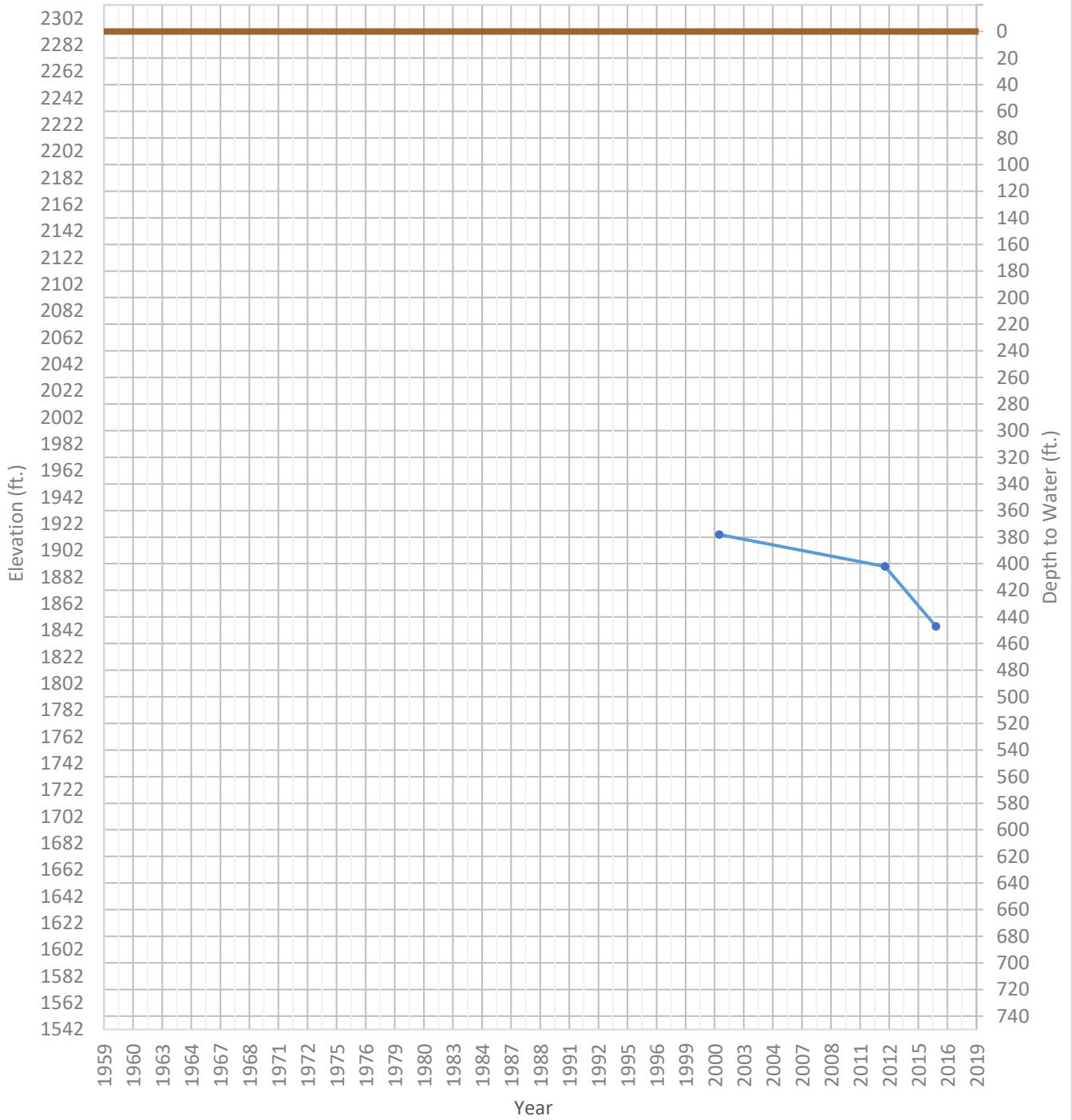
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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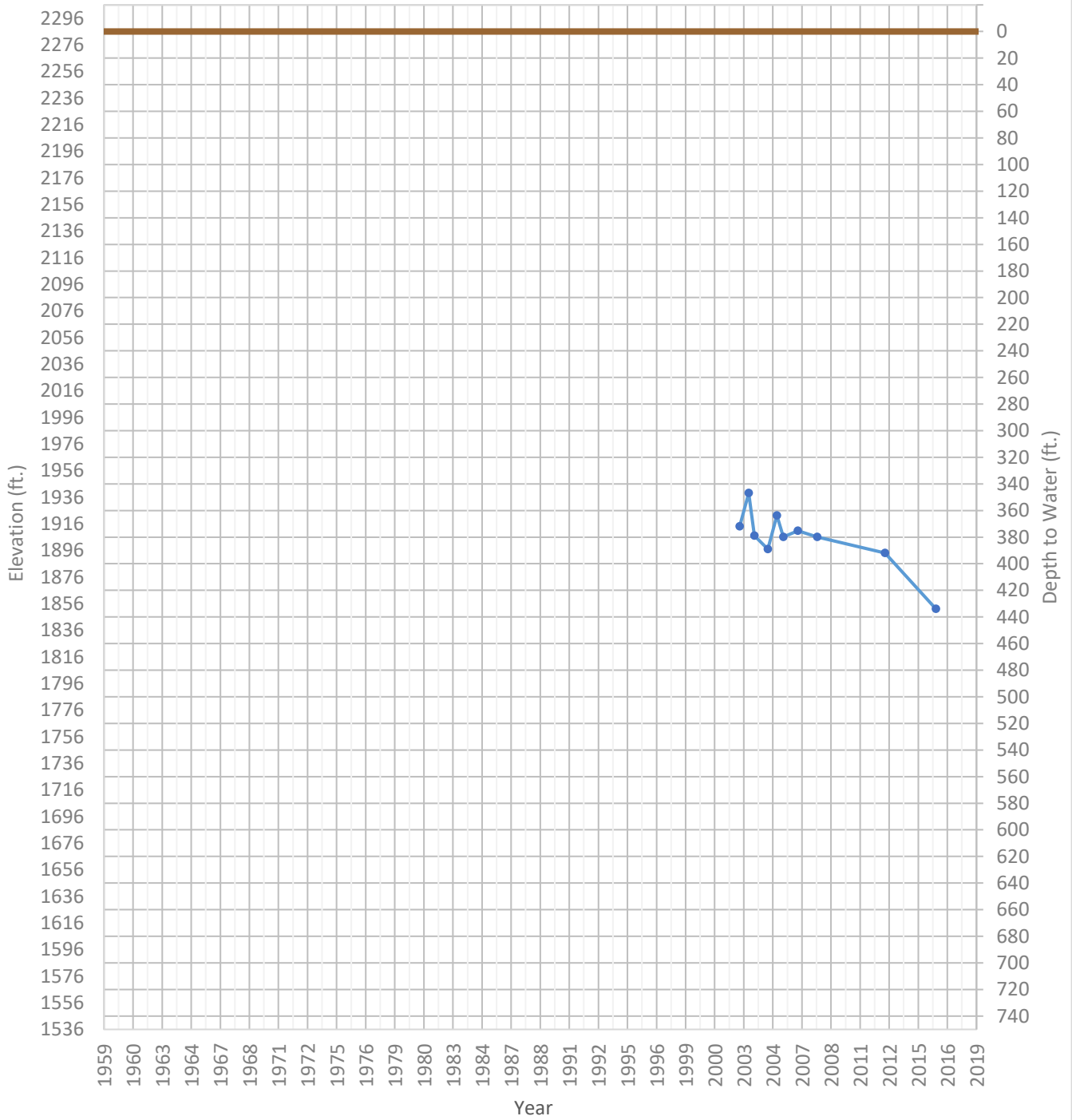
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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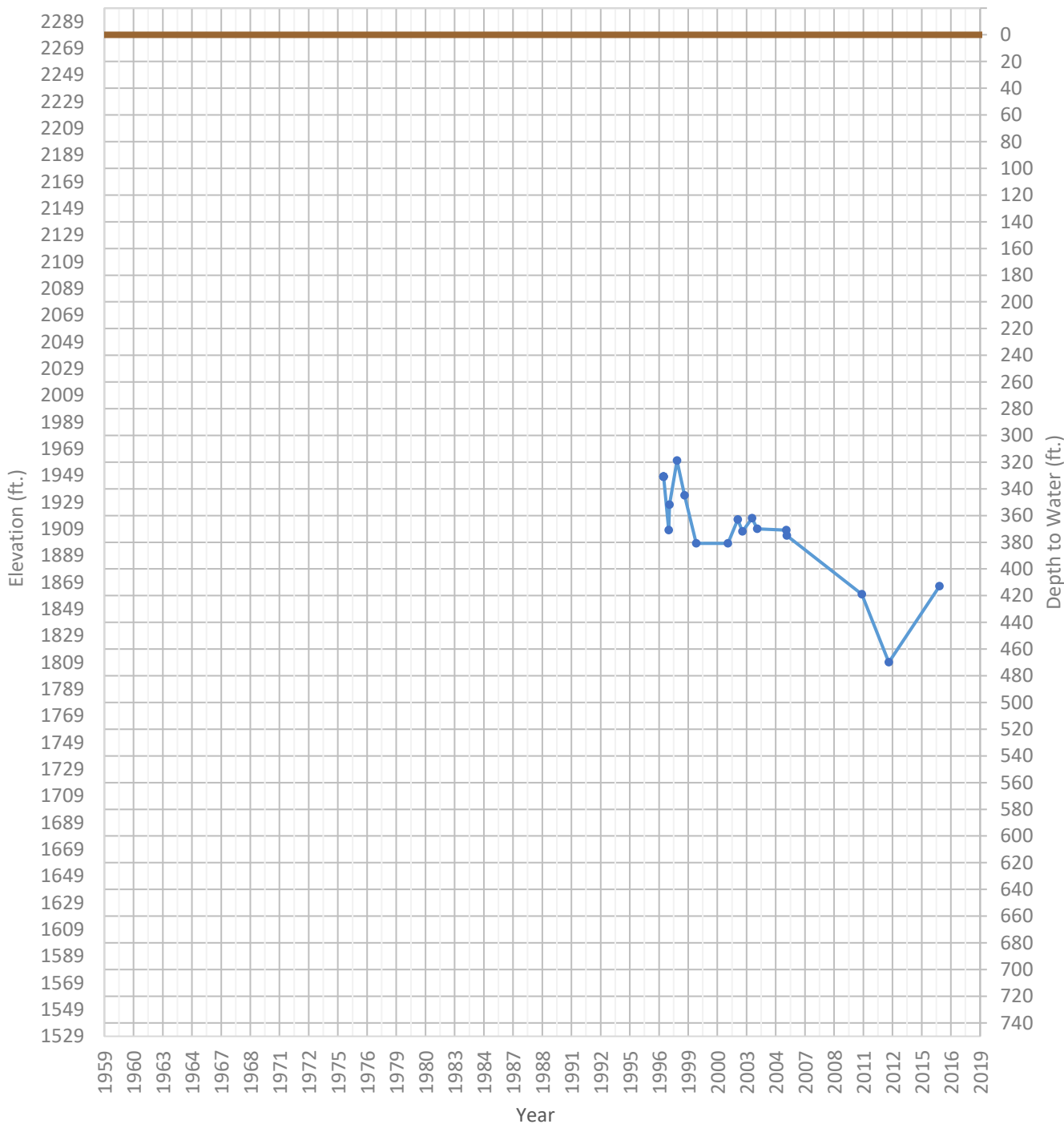
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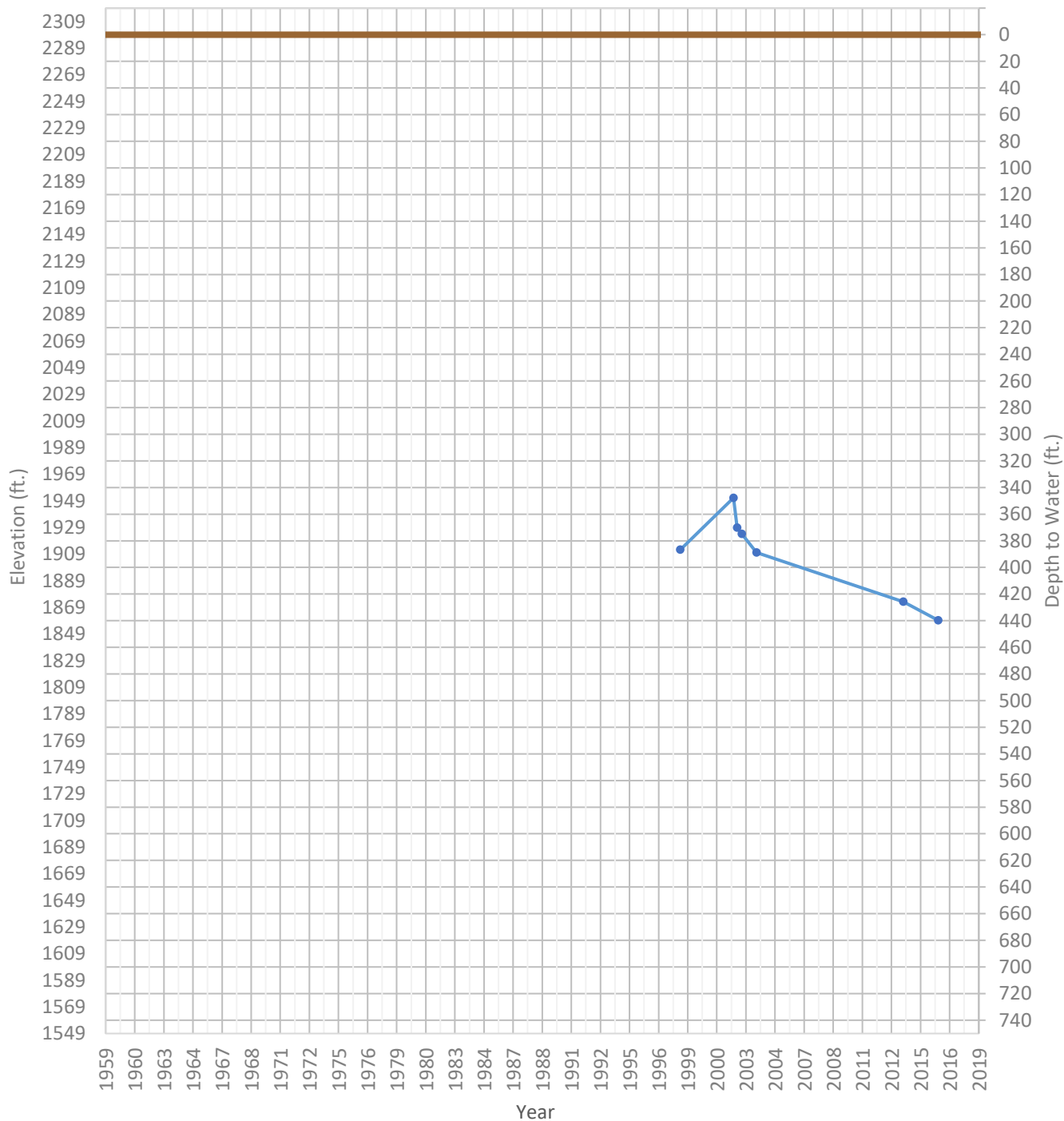
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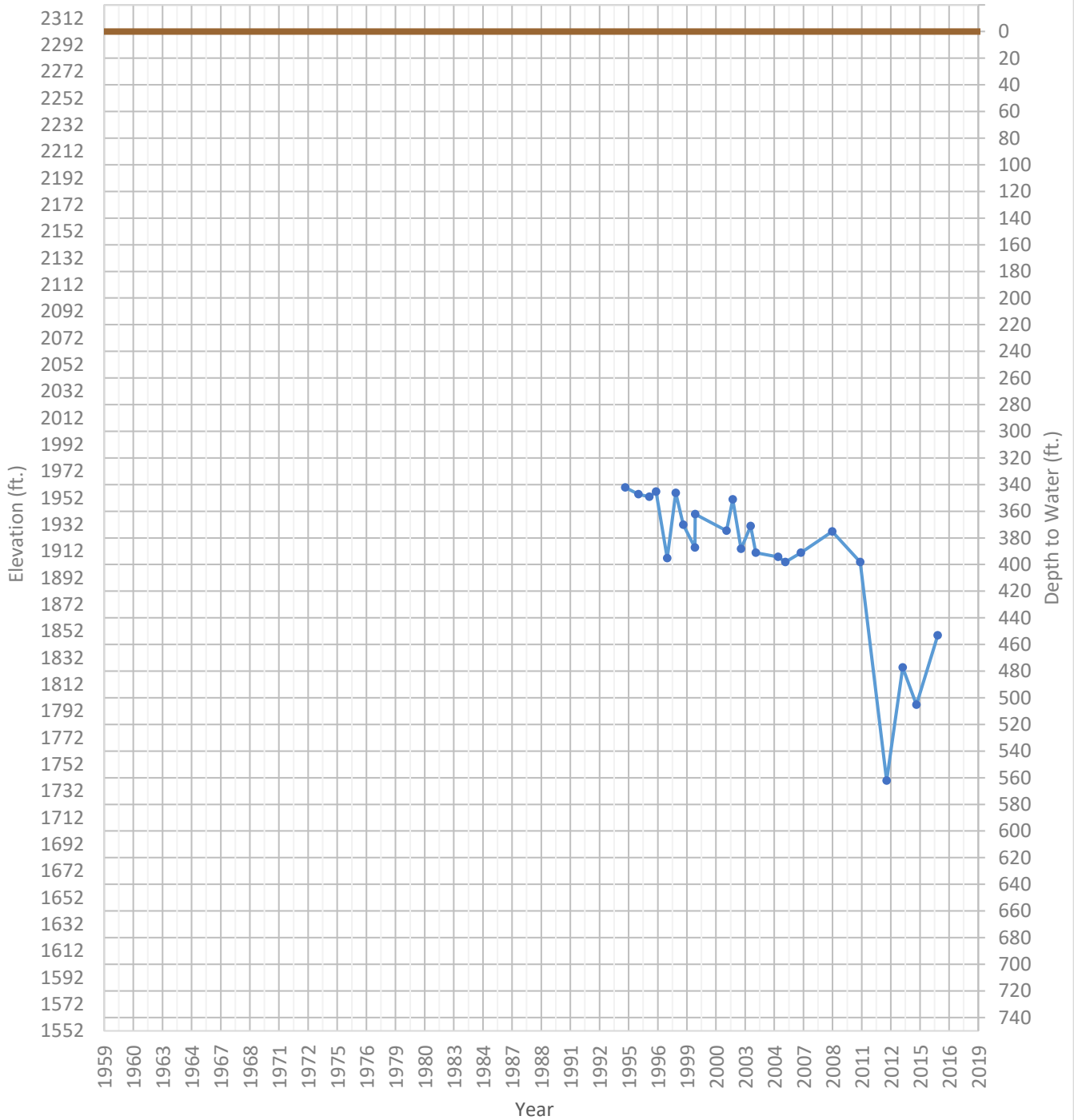
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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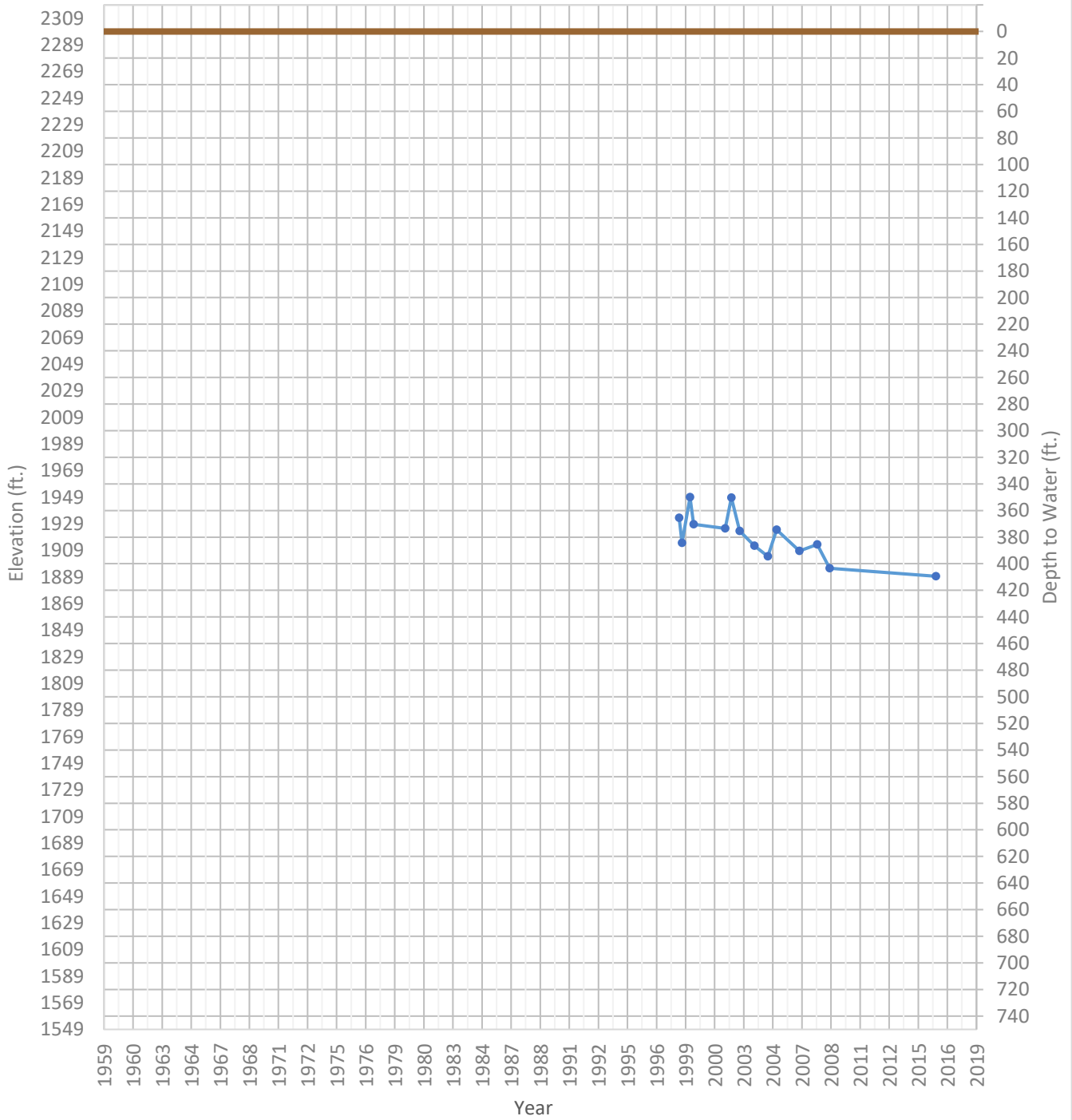
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1740 ft. WSE Max = 1960 ft. Well Depth = 735 ft.



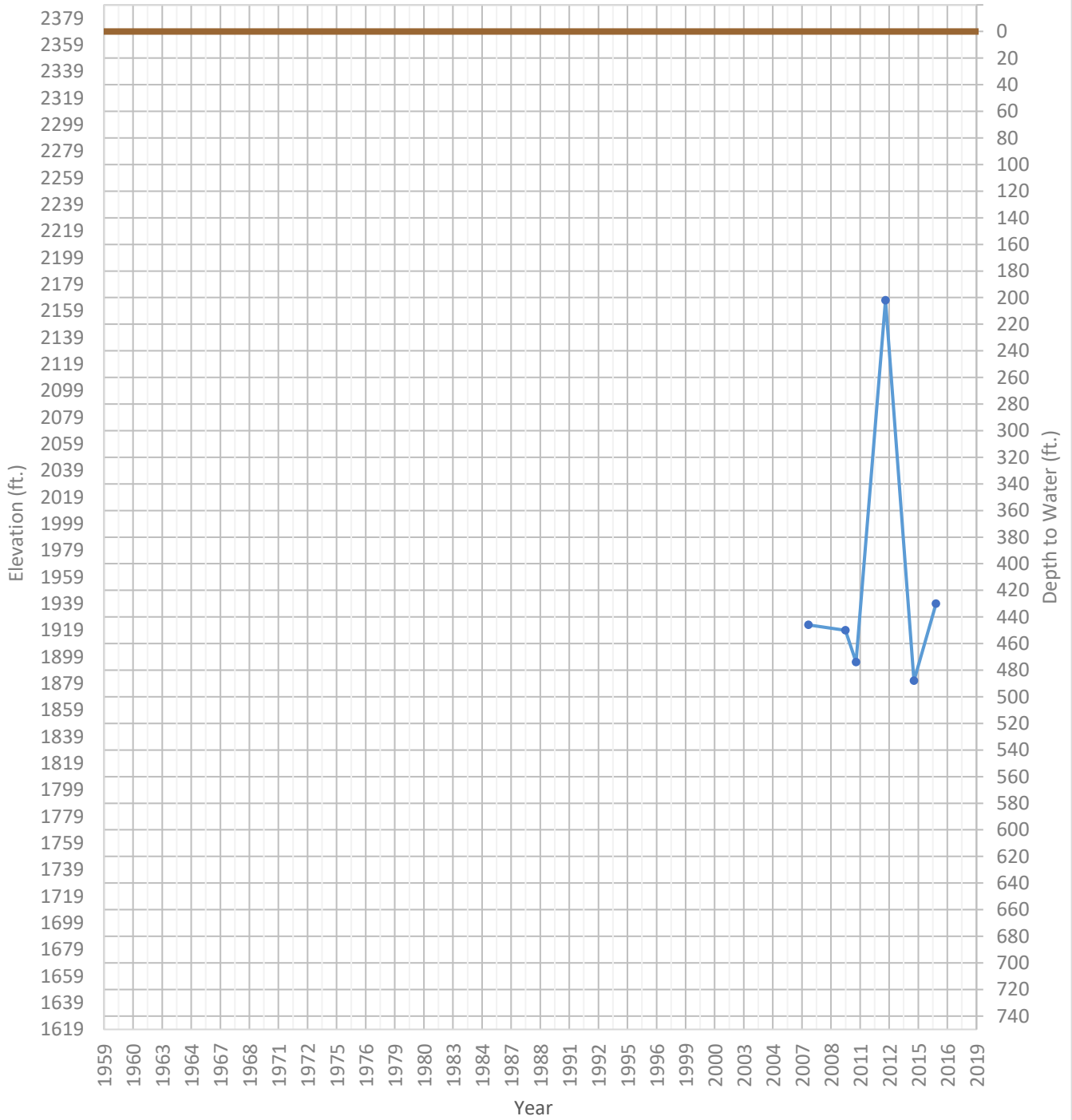
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
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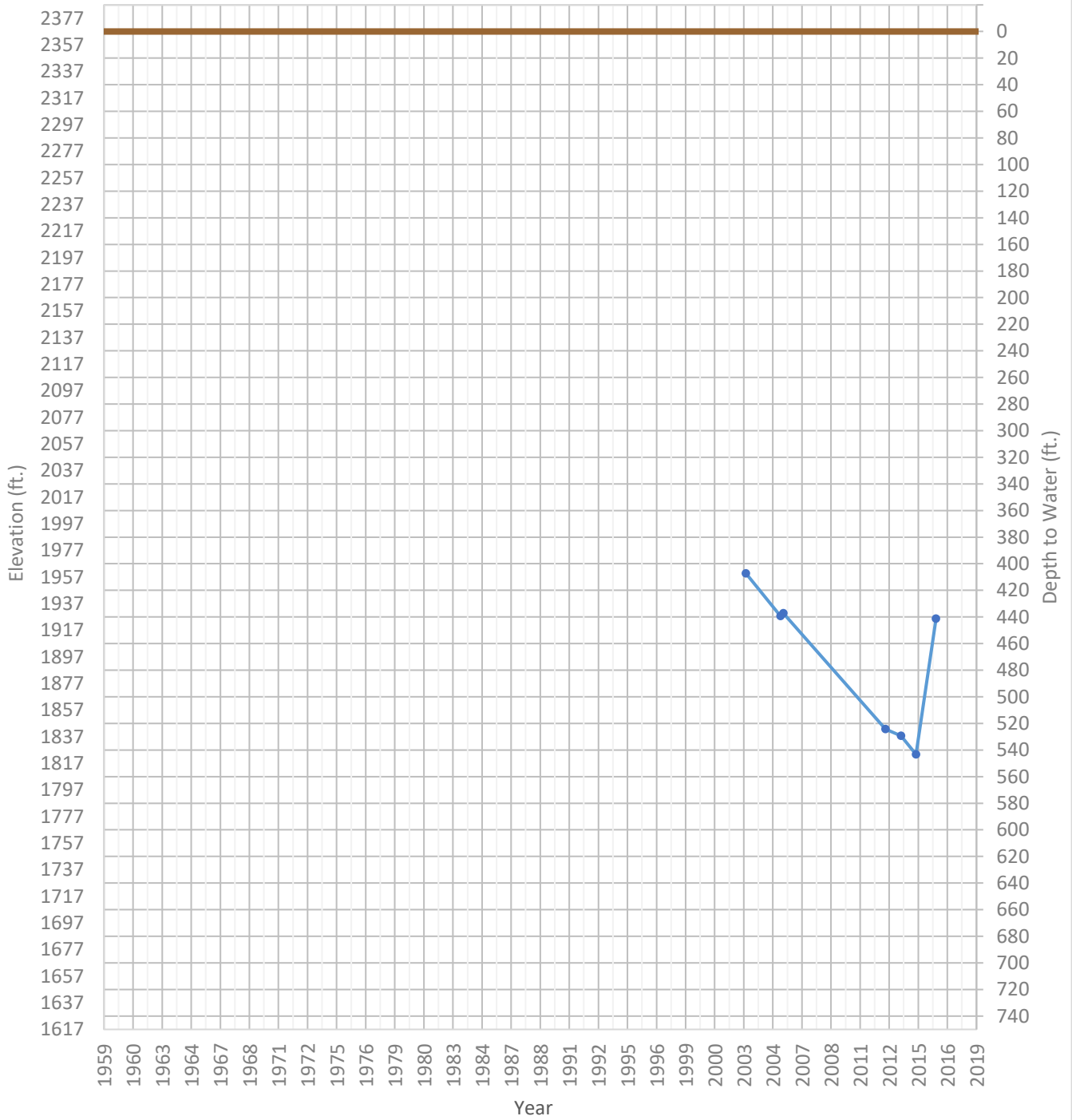
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WSE & Depth-to-Water GSE
WSE Min = 1881 ft. WSE Max = 2167 ft. Well Depth = 881 ft.



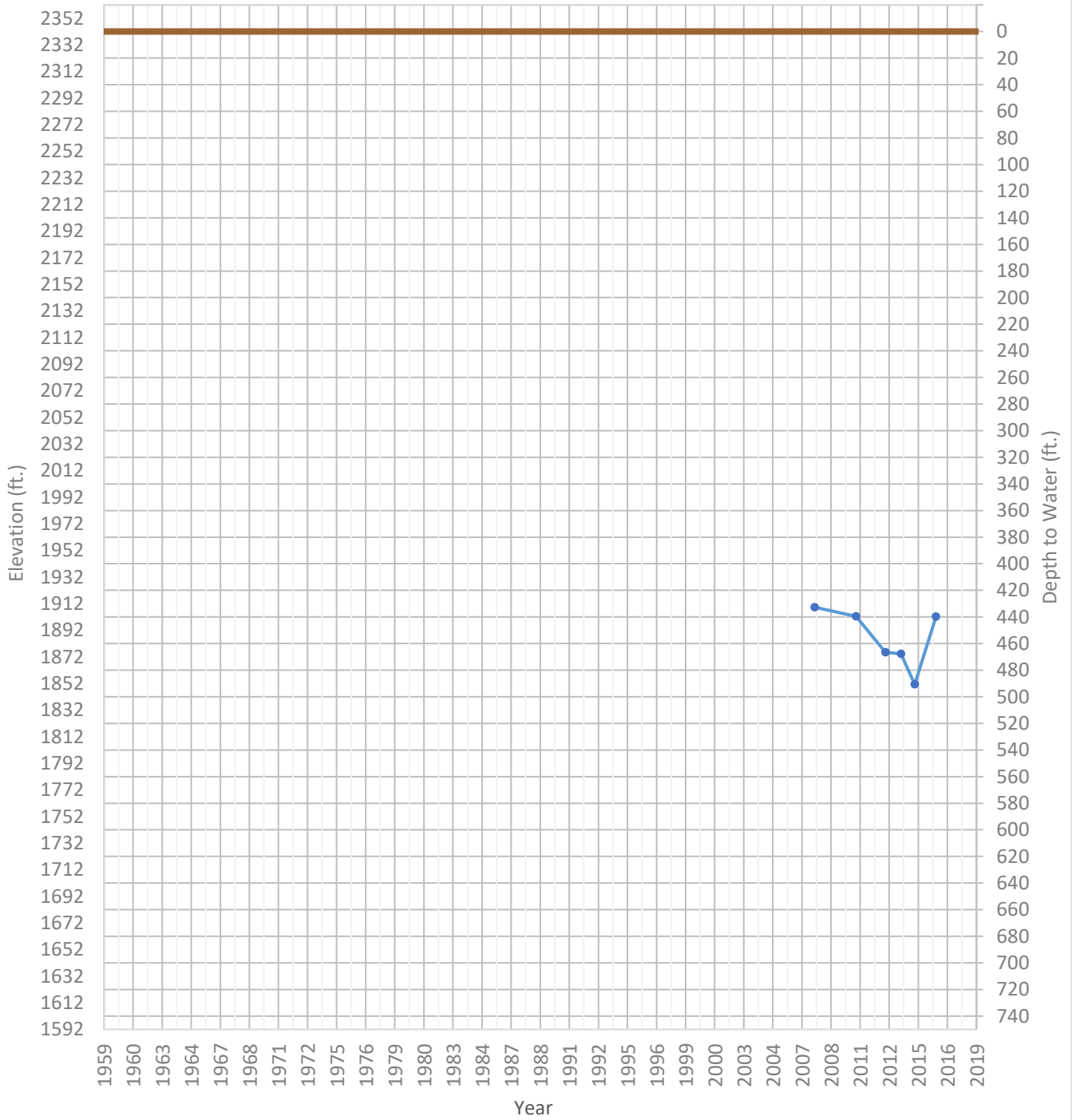
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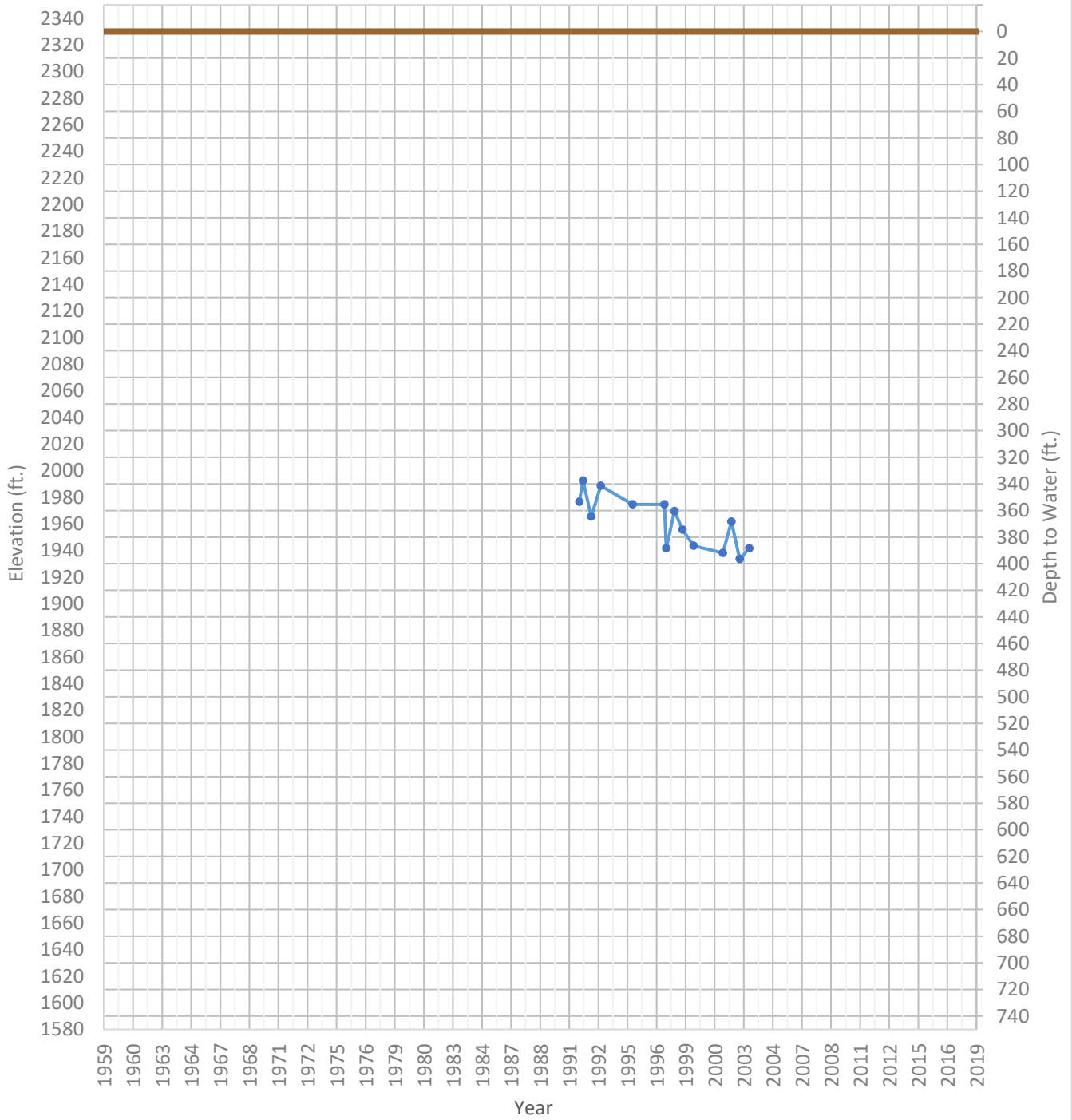
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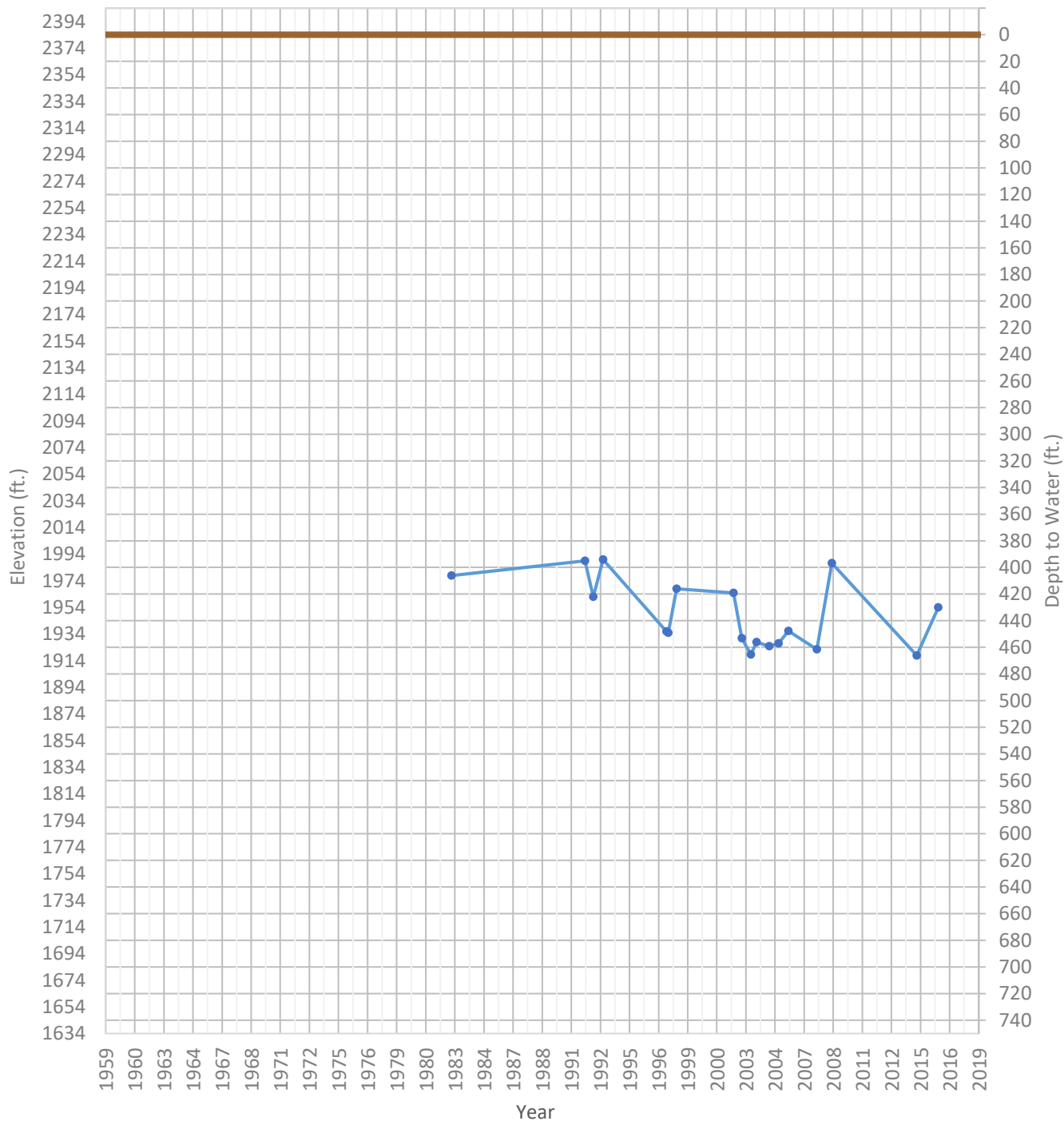
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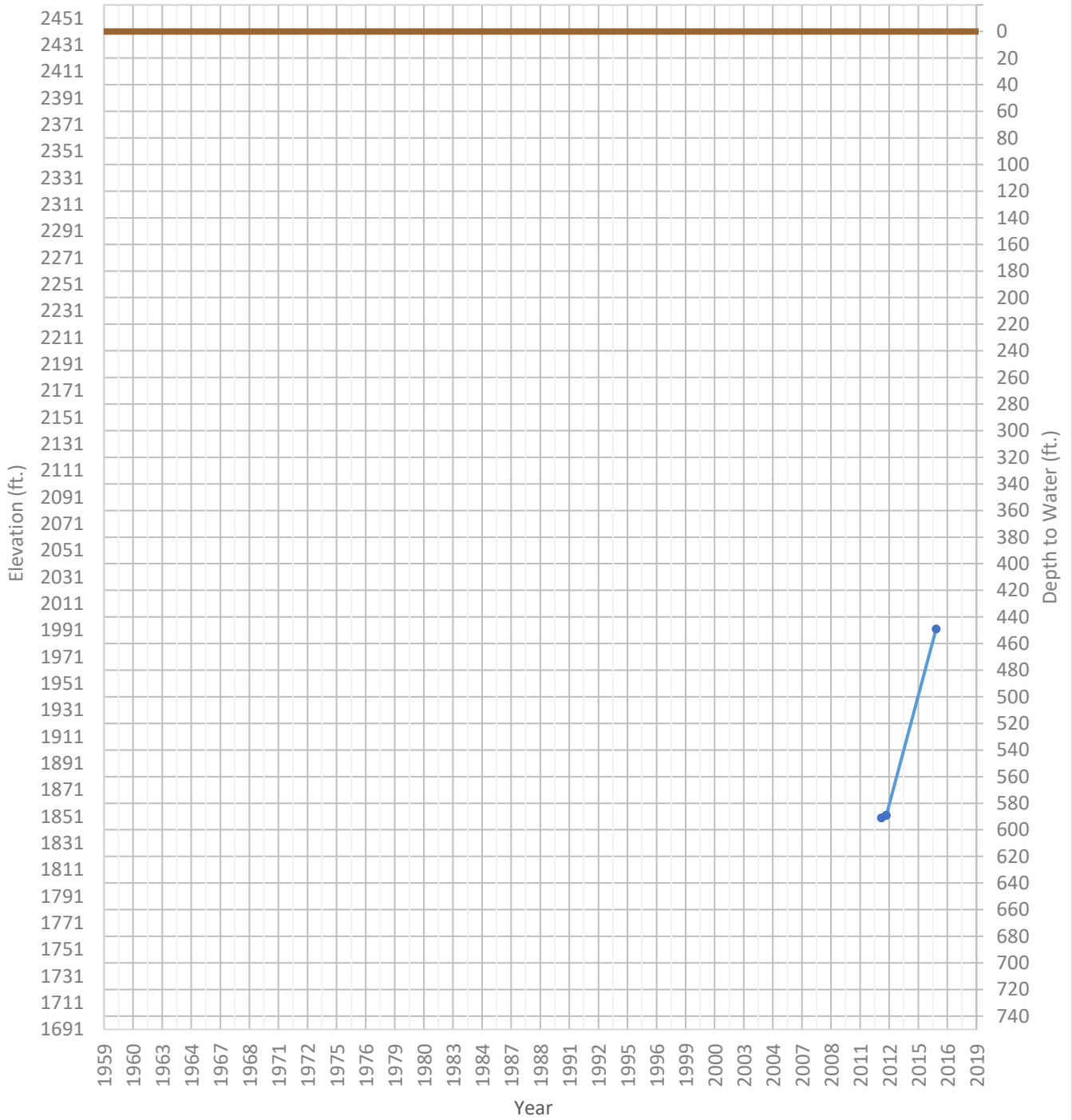
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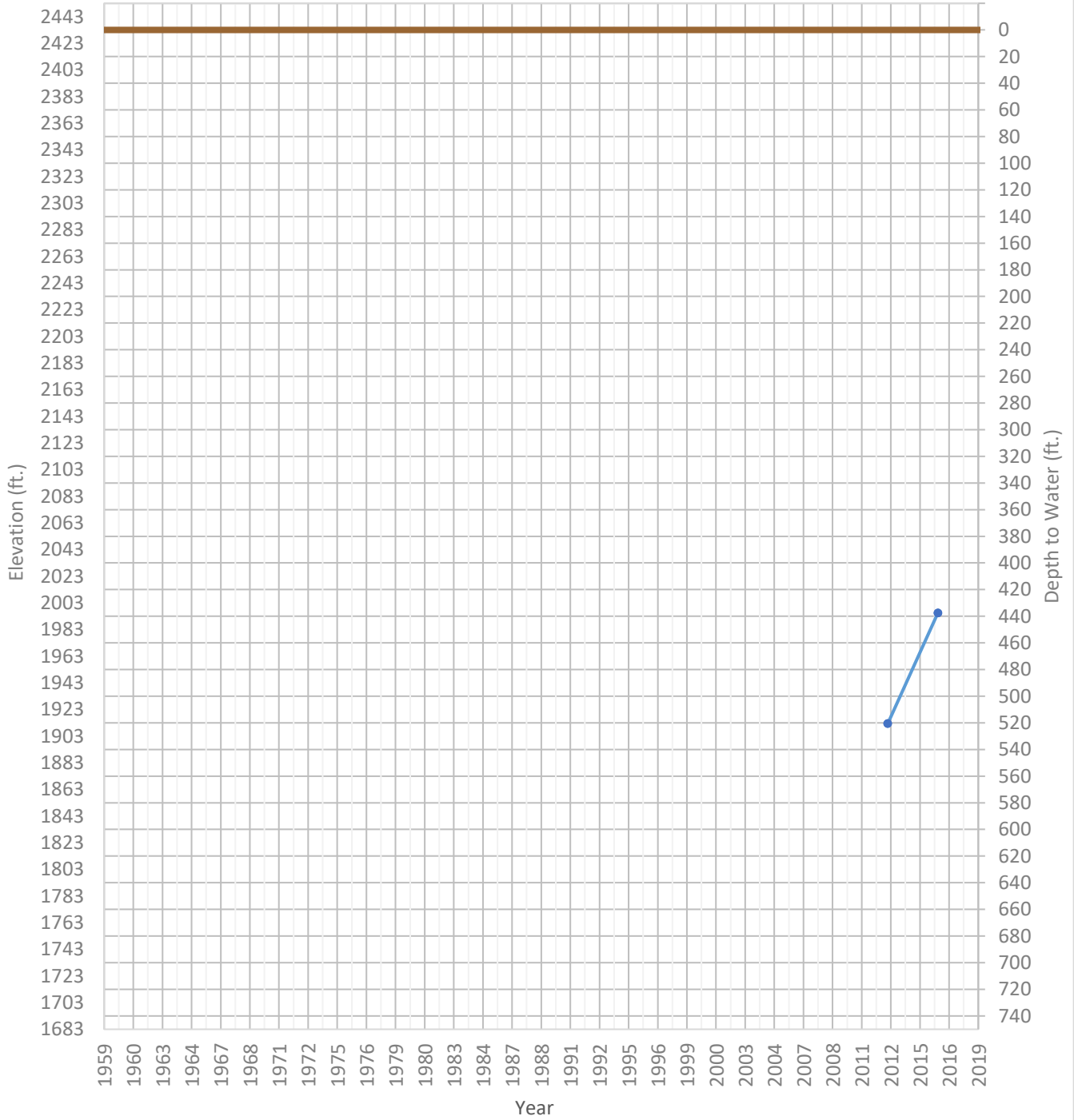
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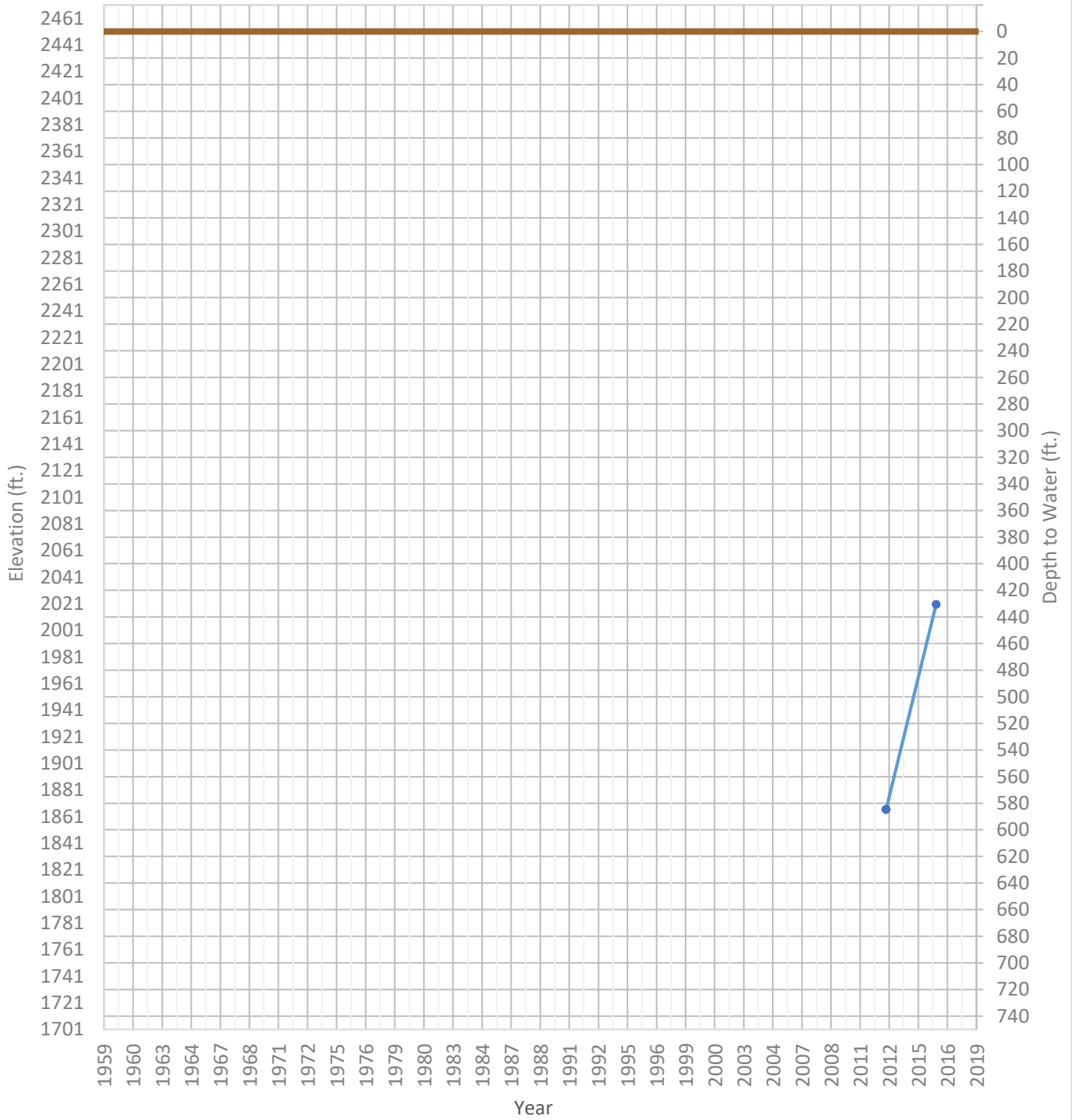
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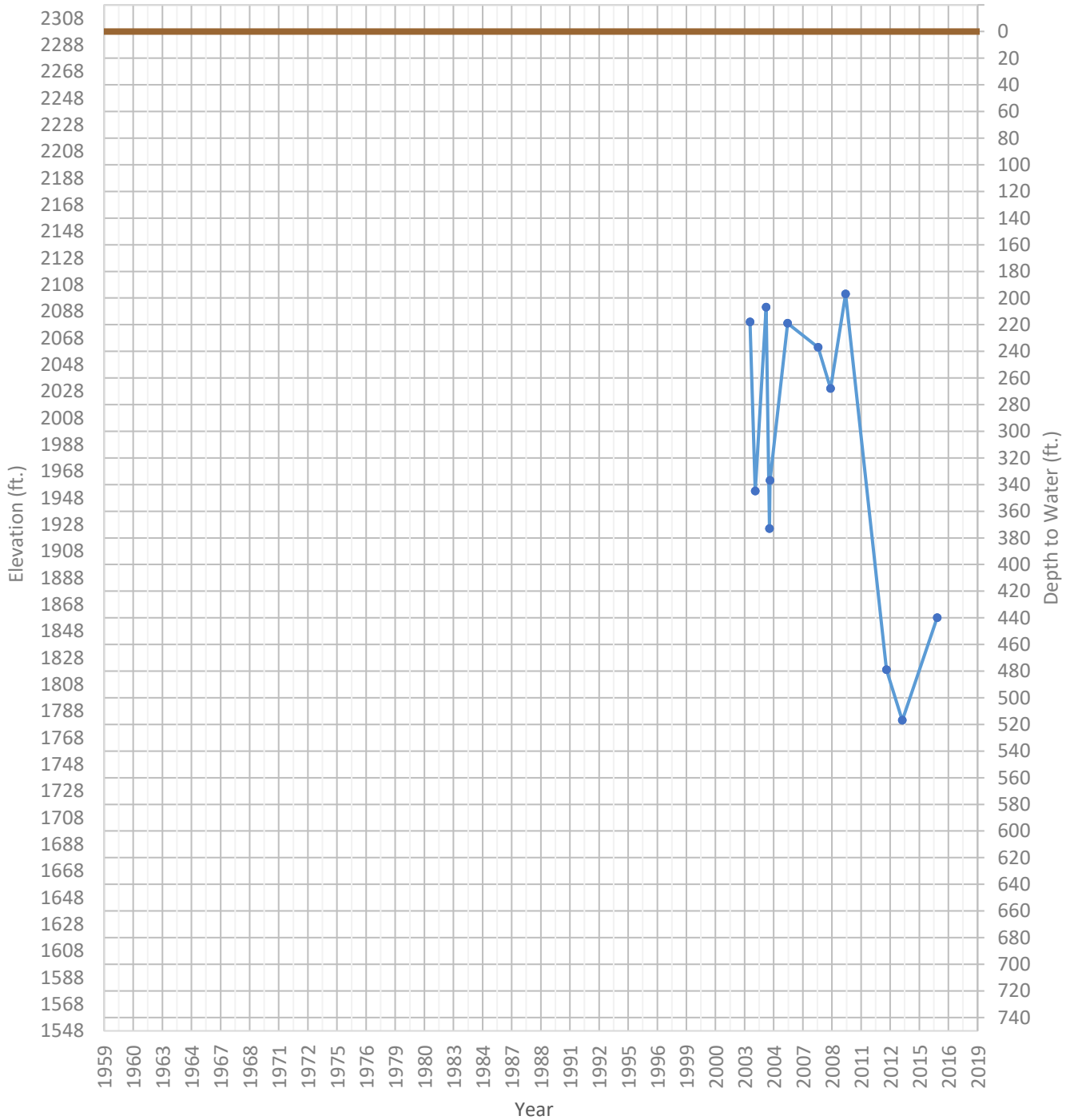
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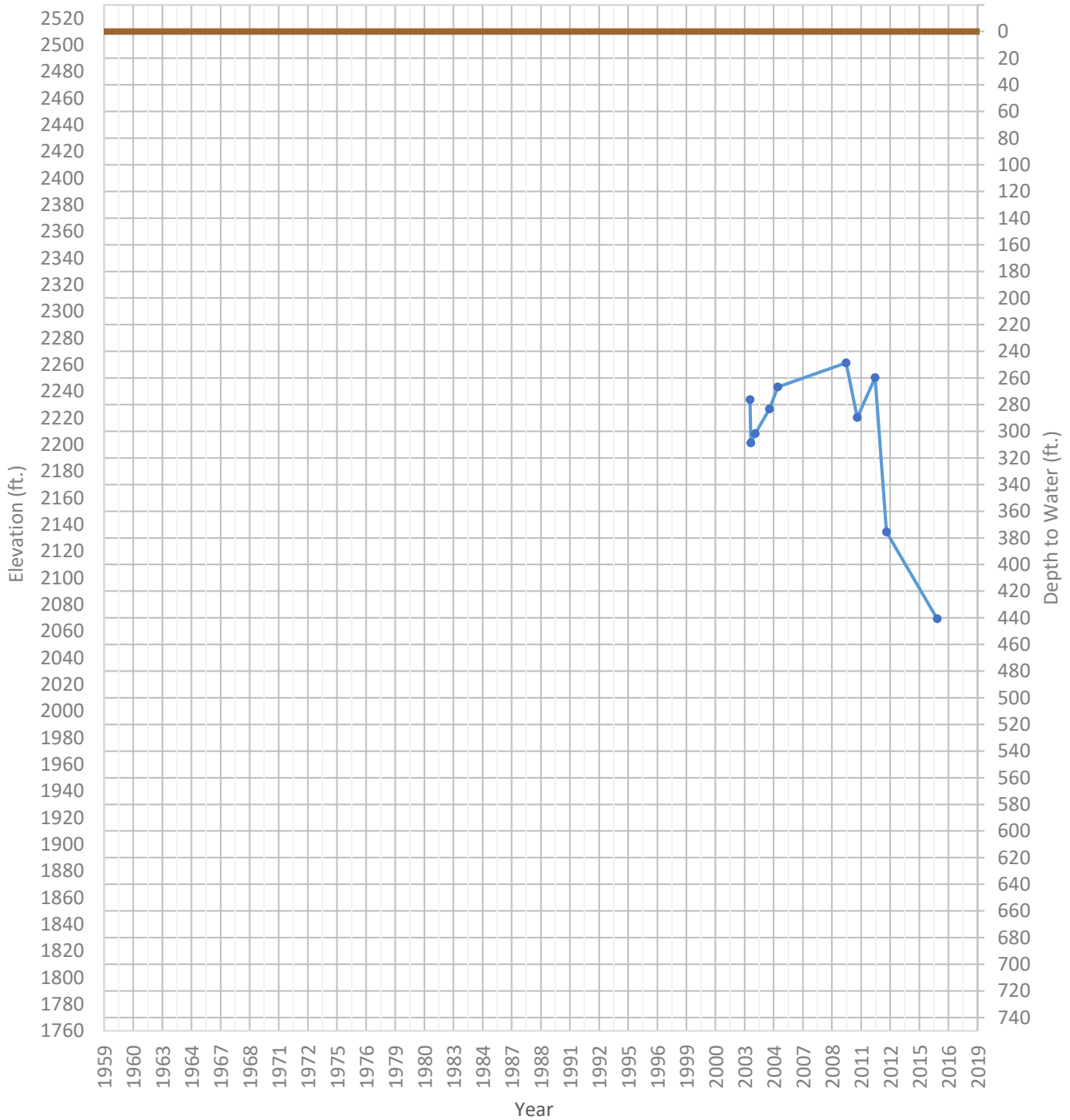
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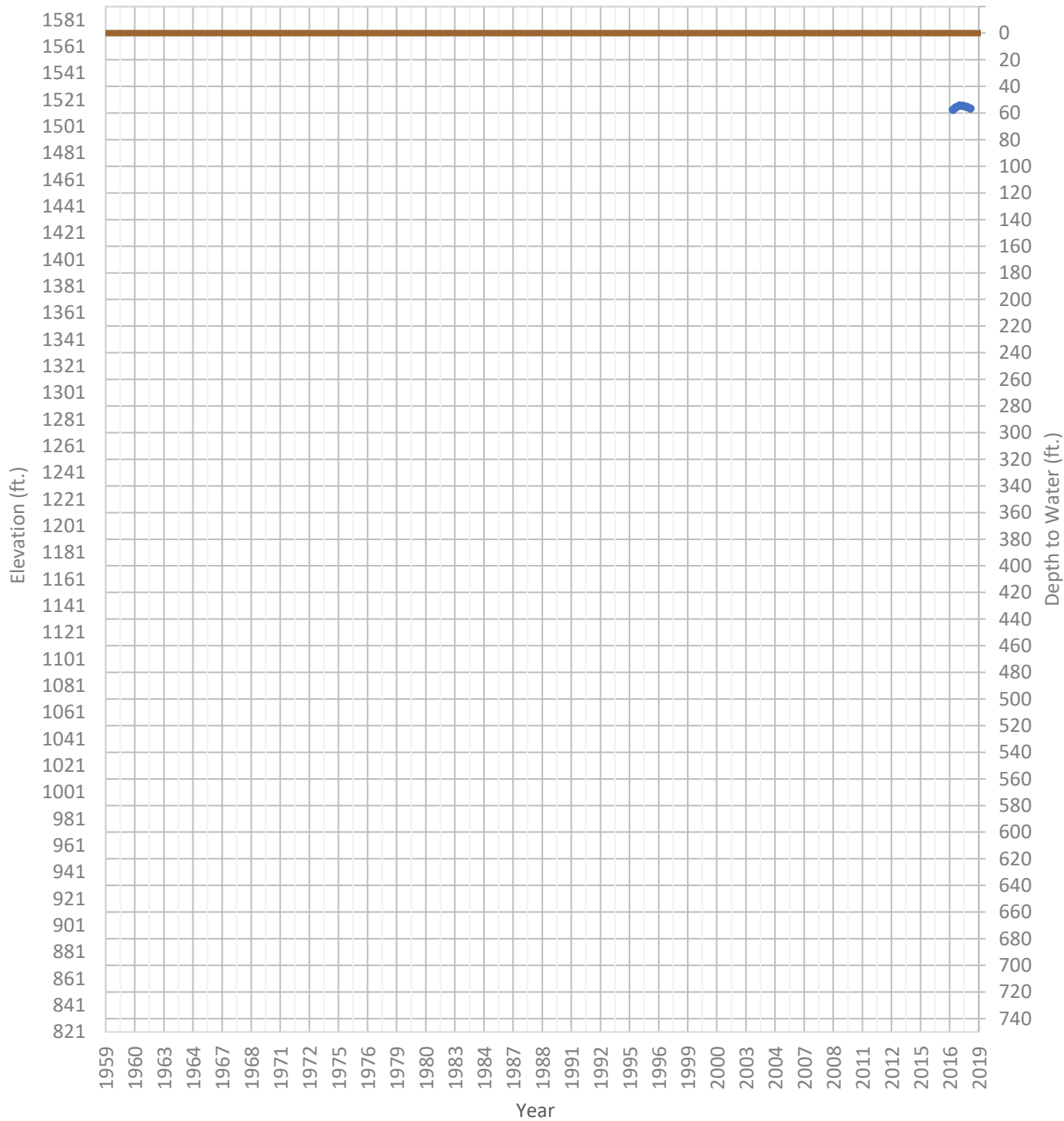
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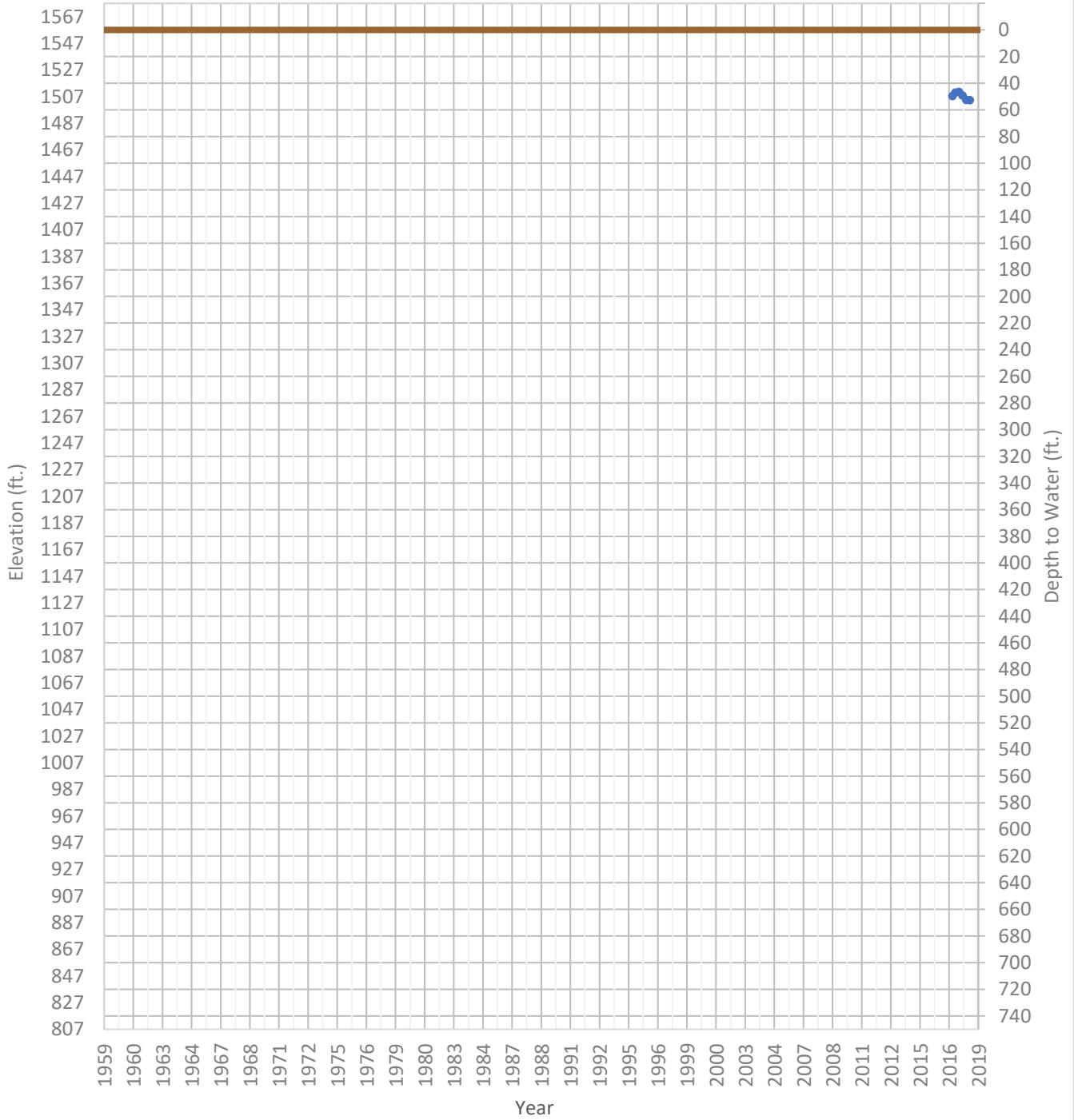
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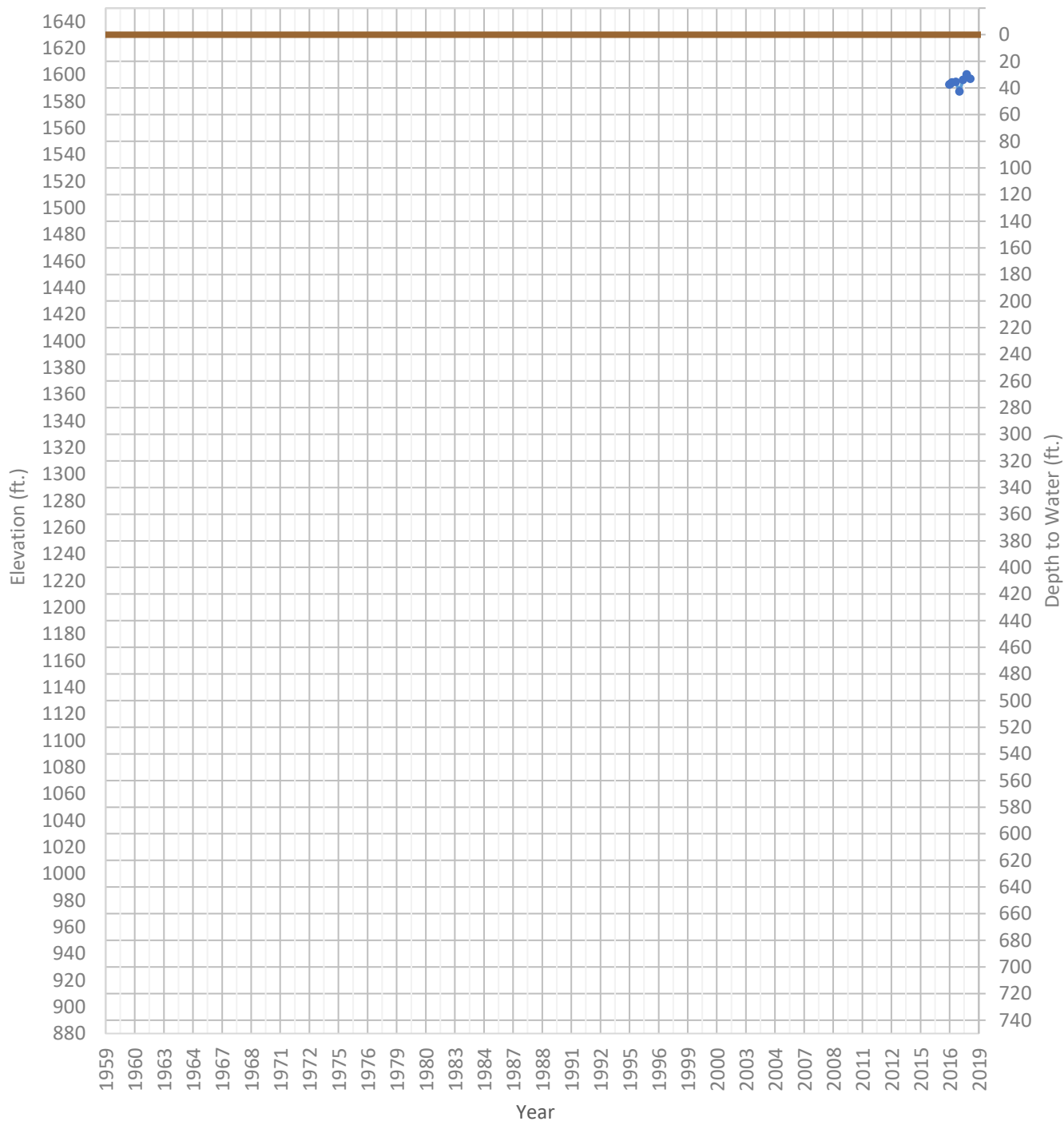
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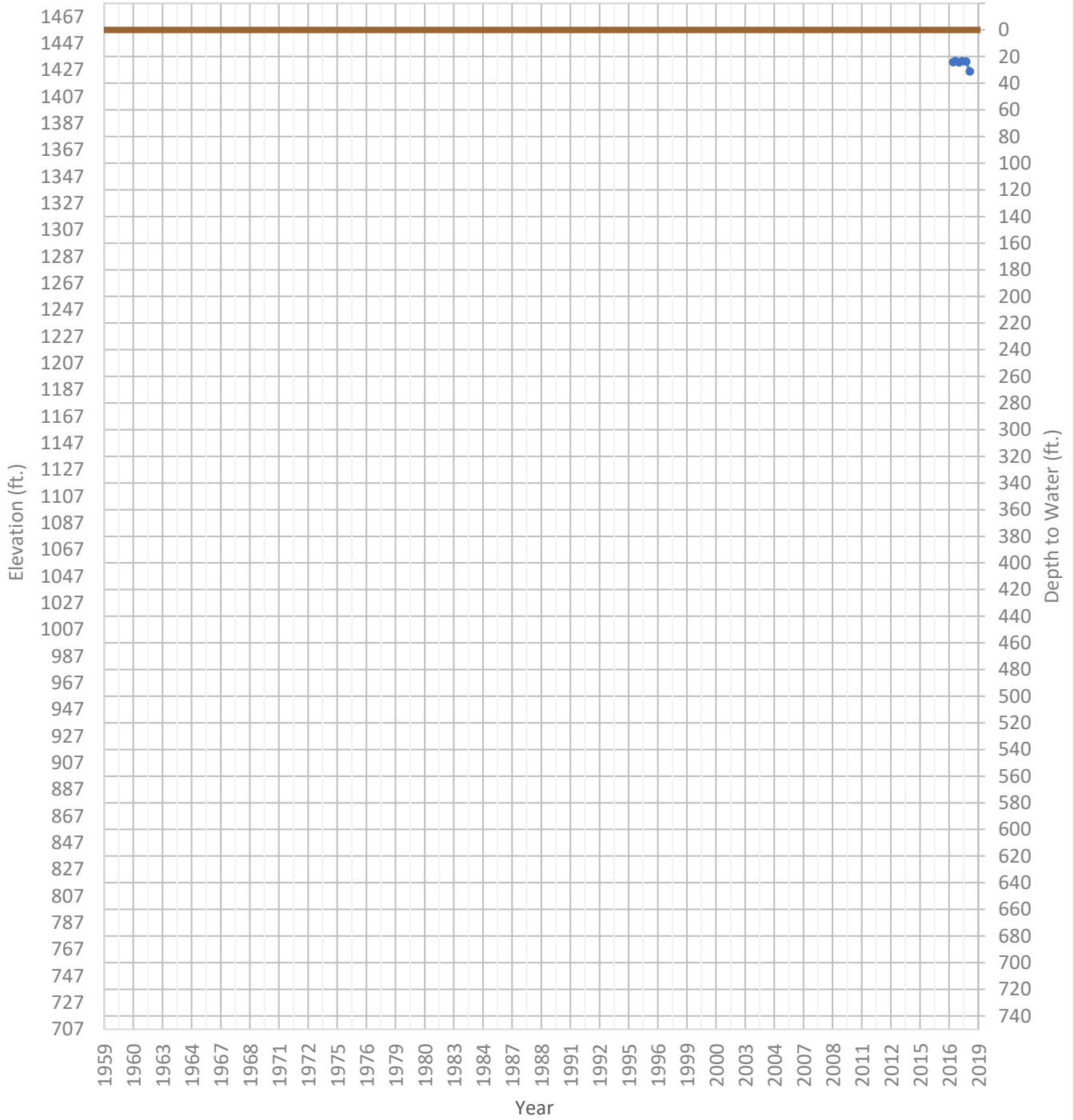
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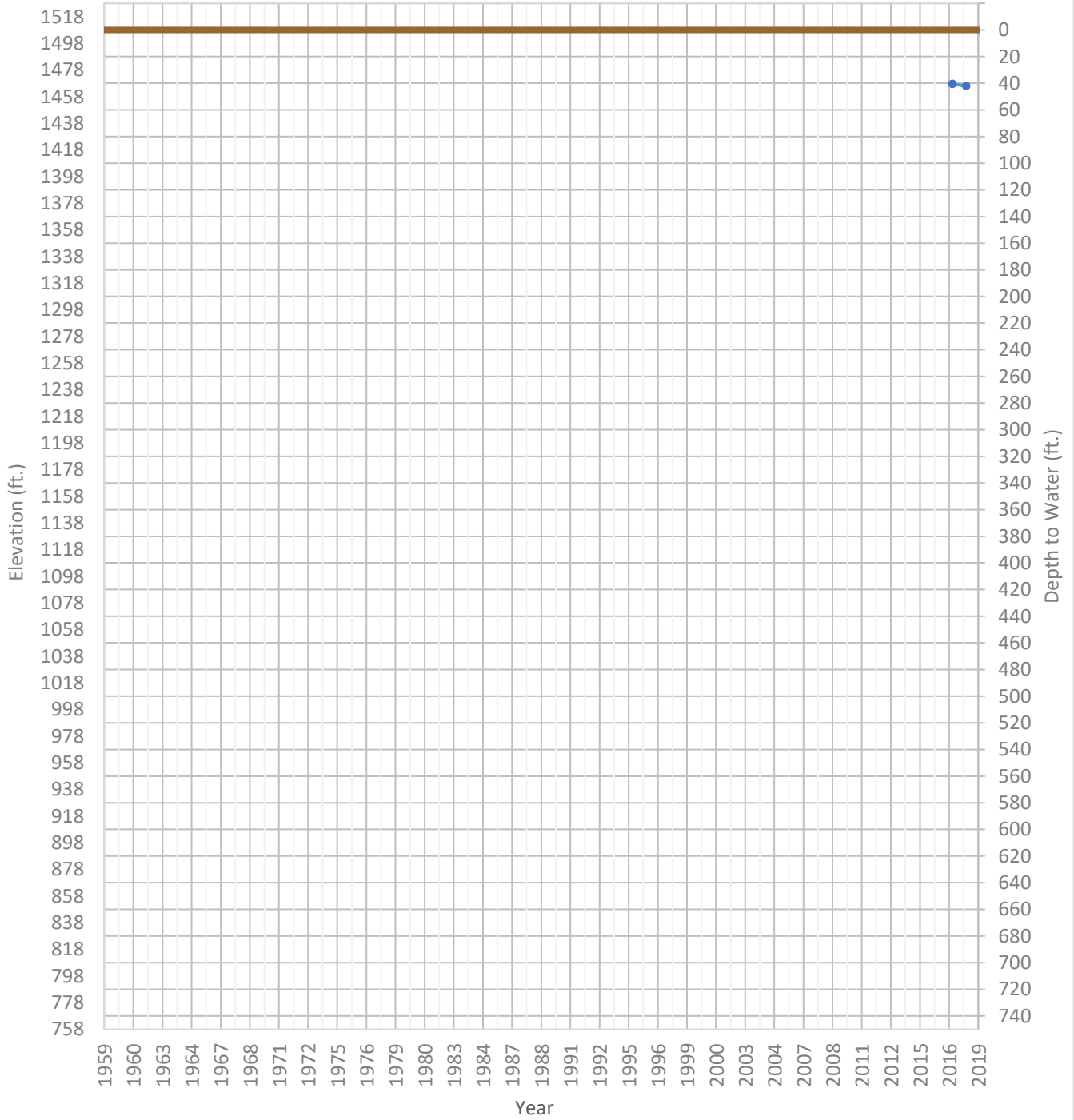
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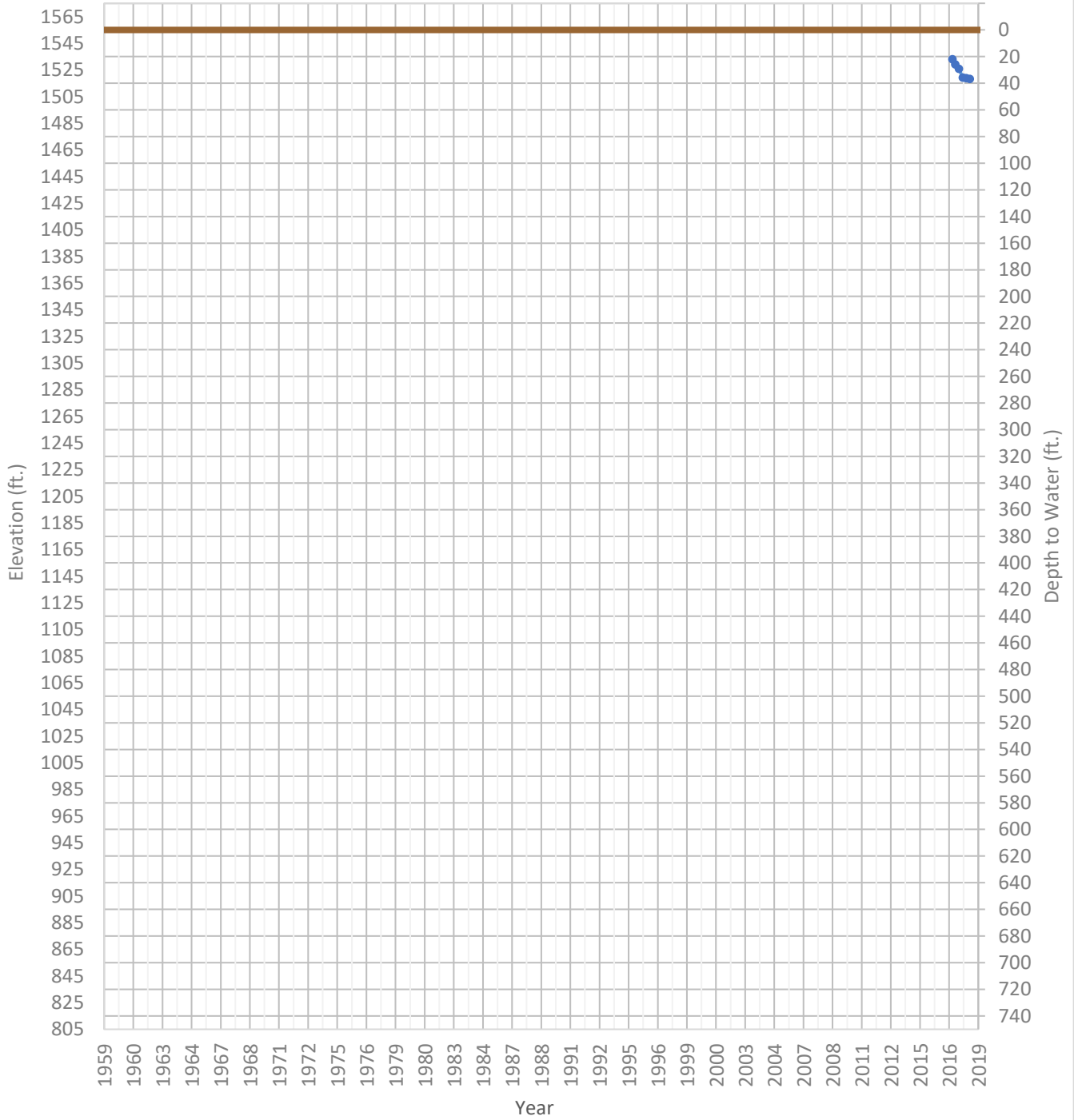
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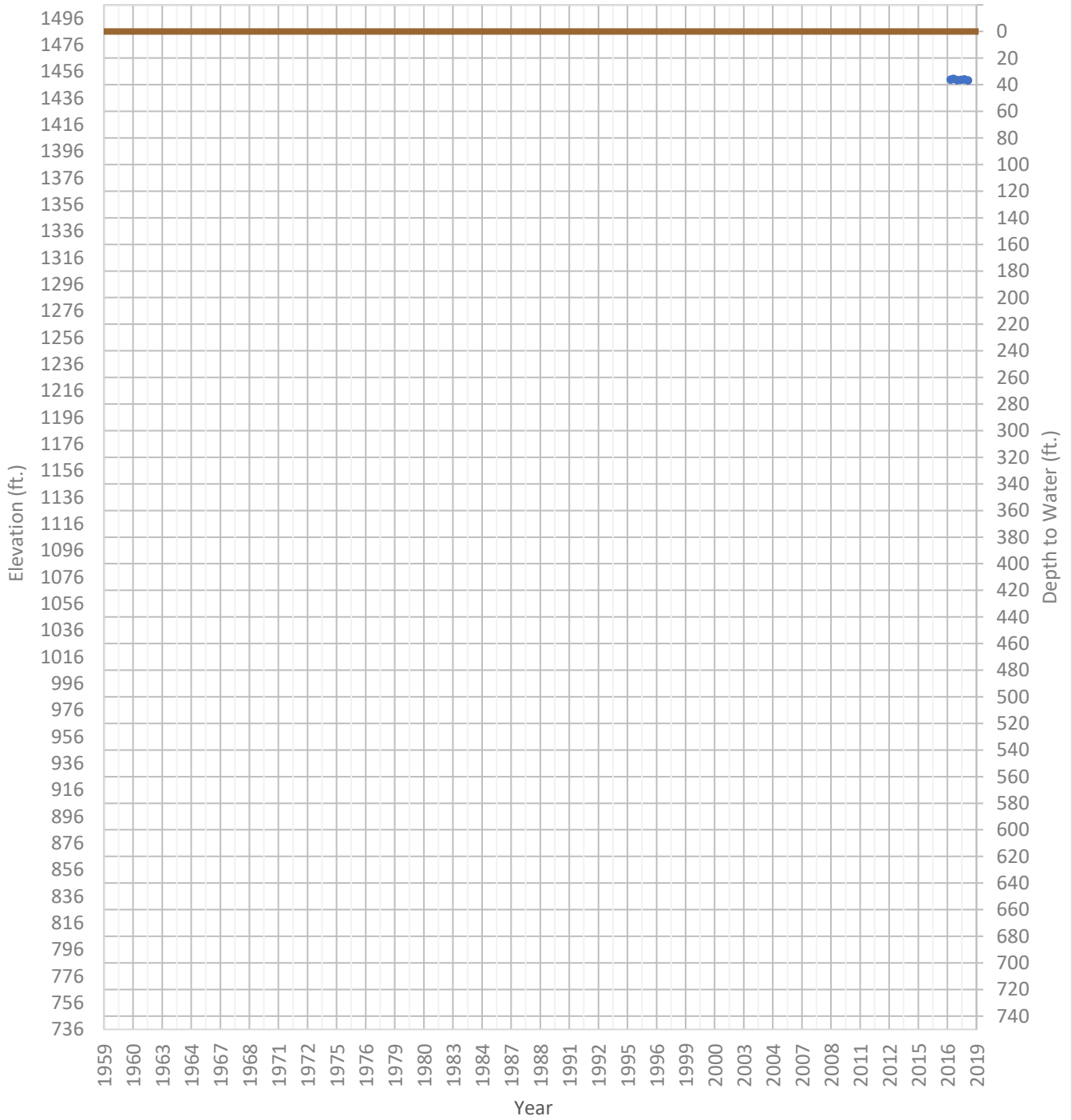
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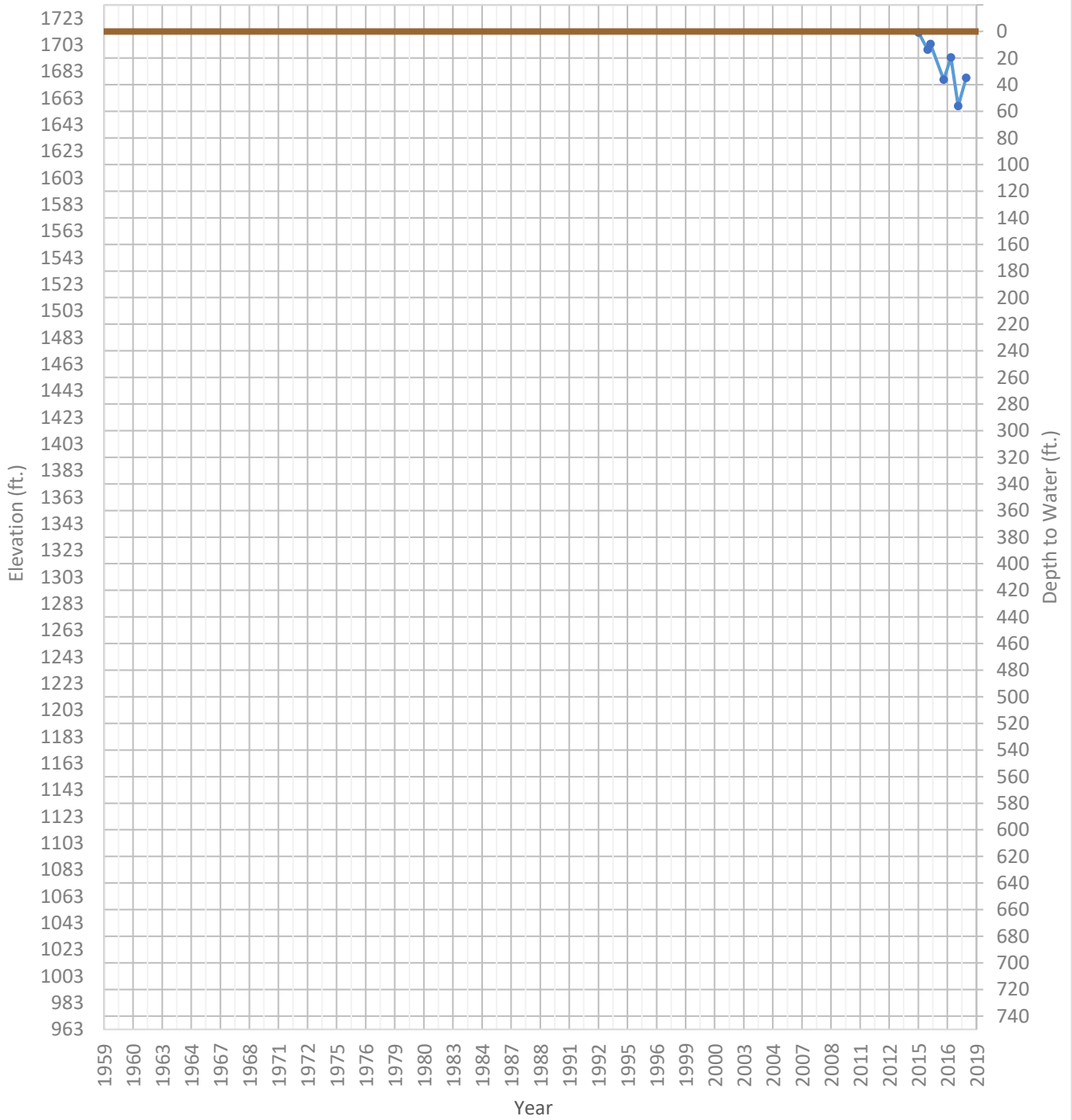
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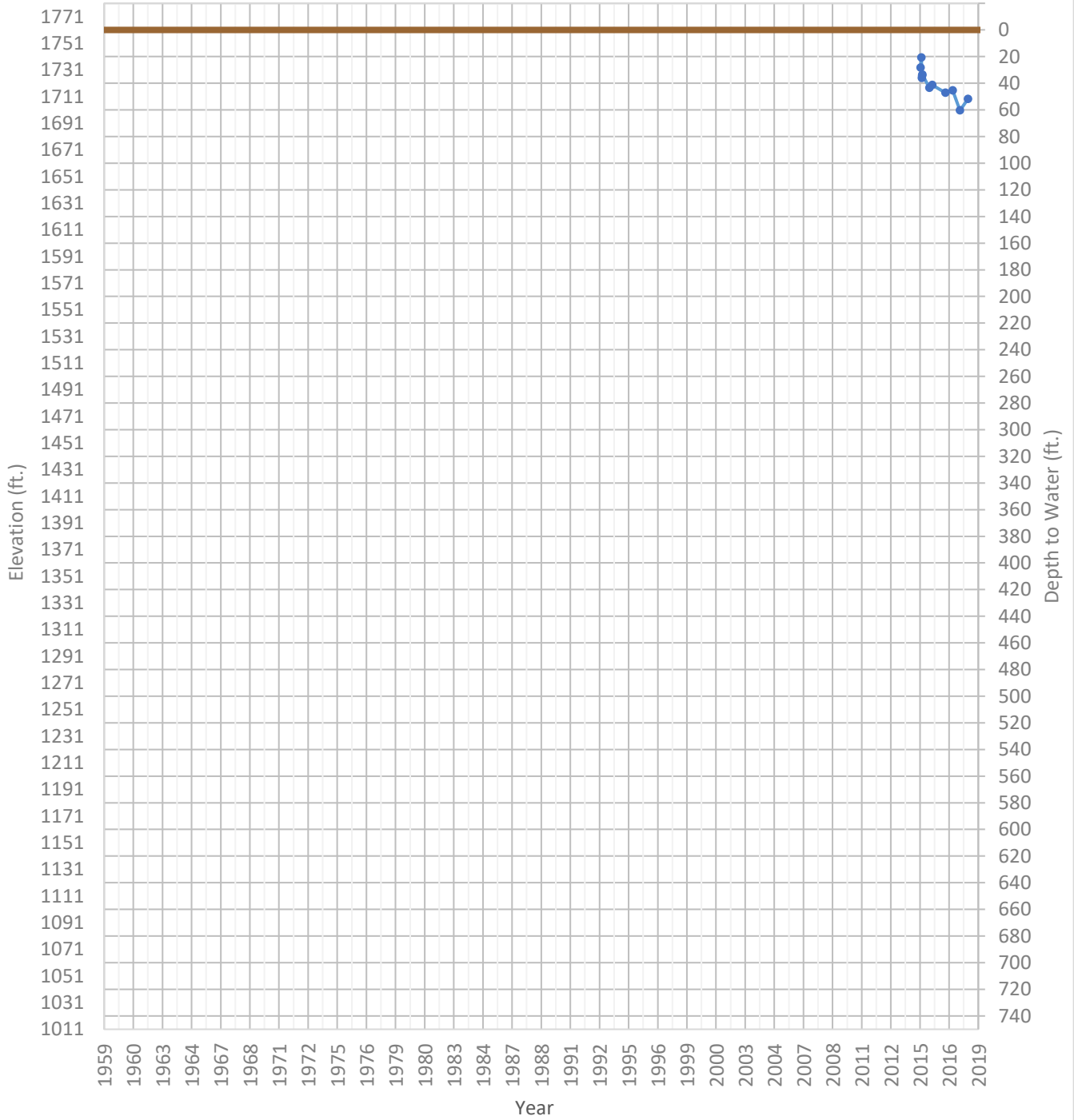
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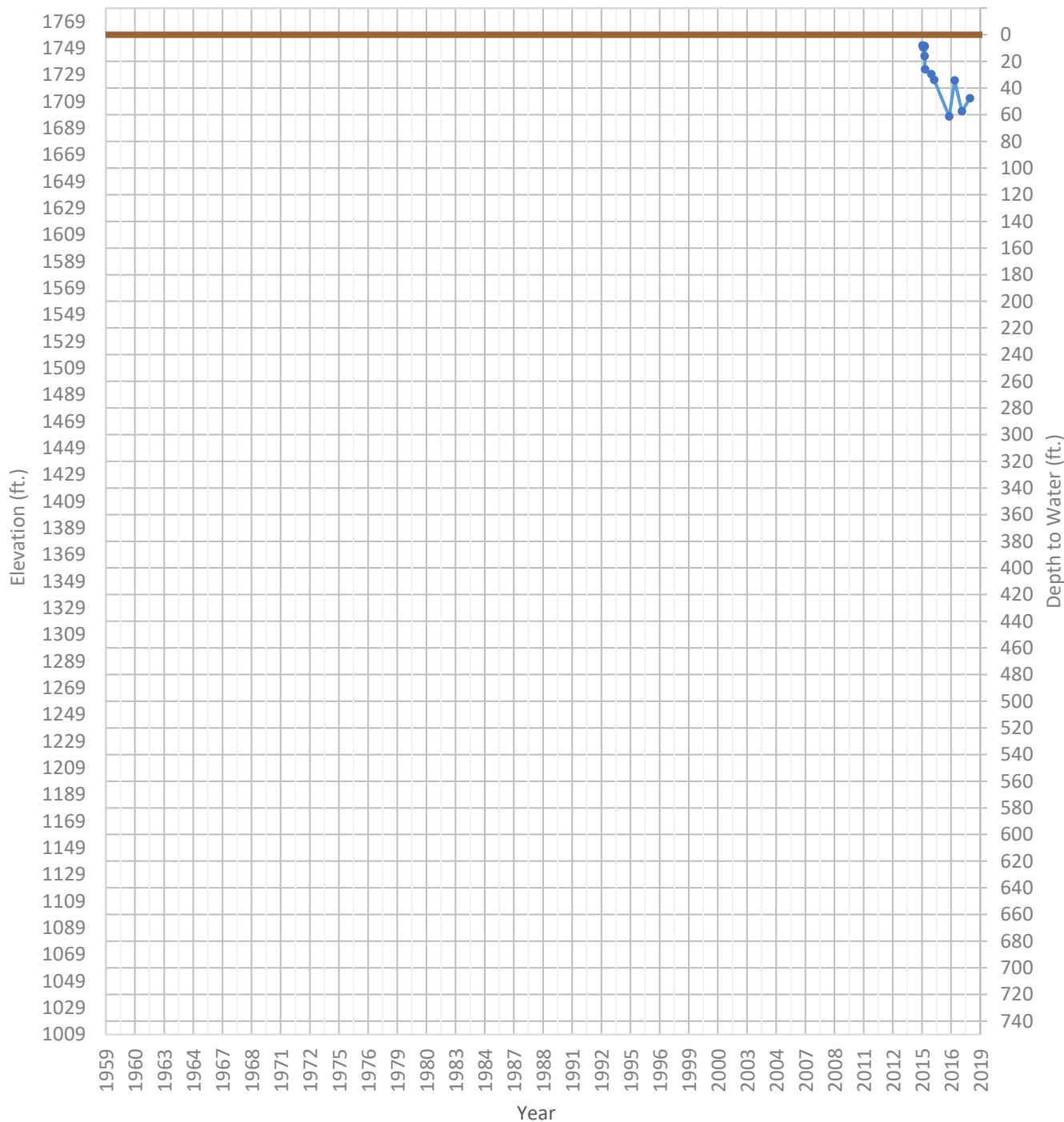
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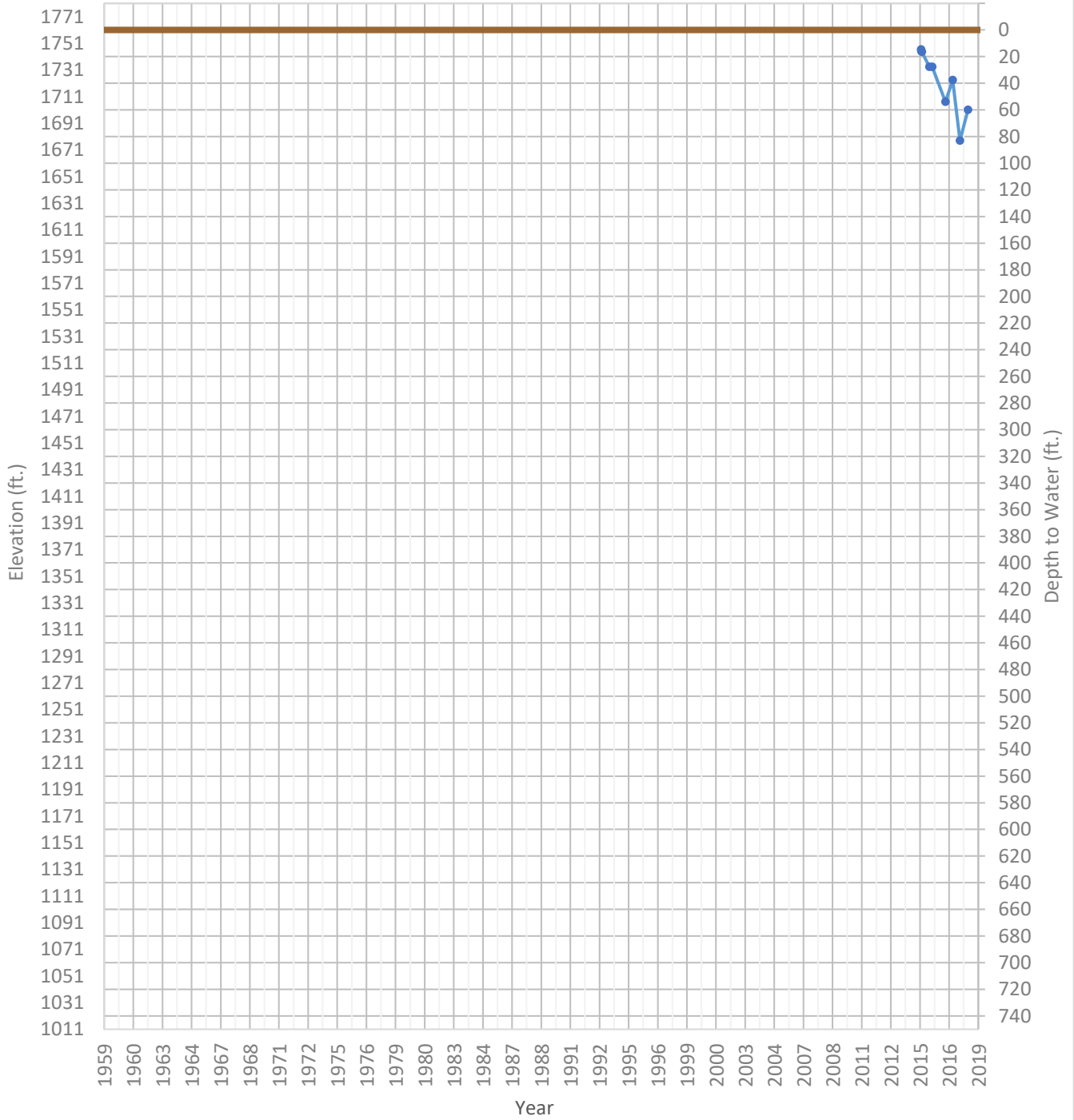
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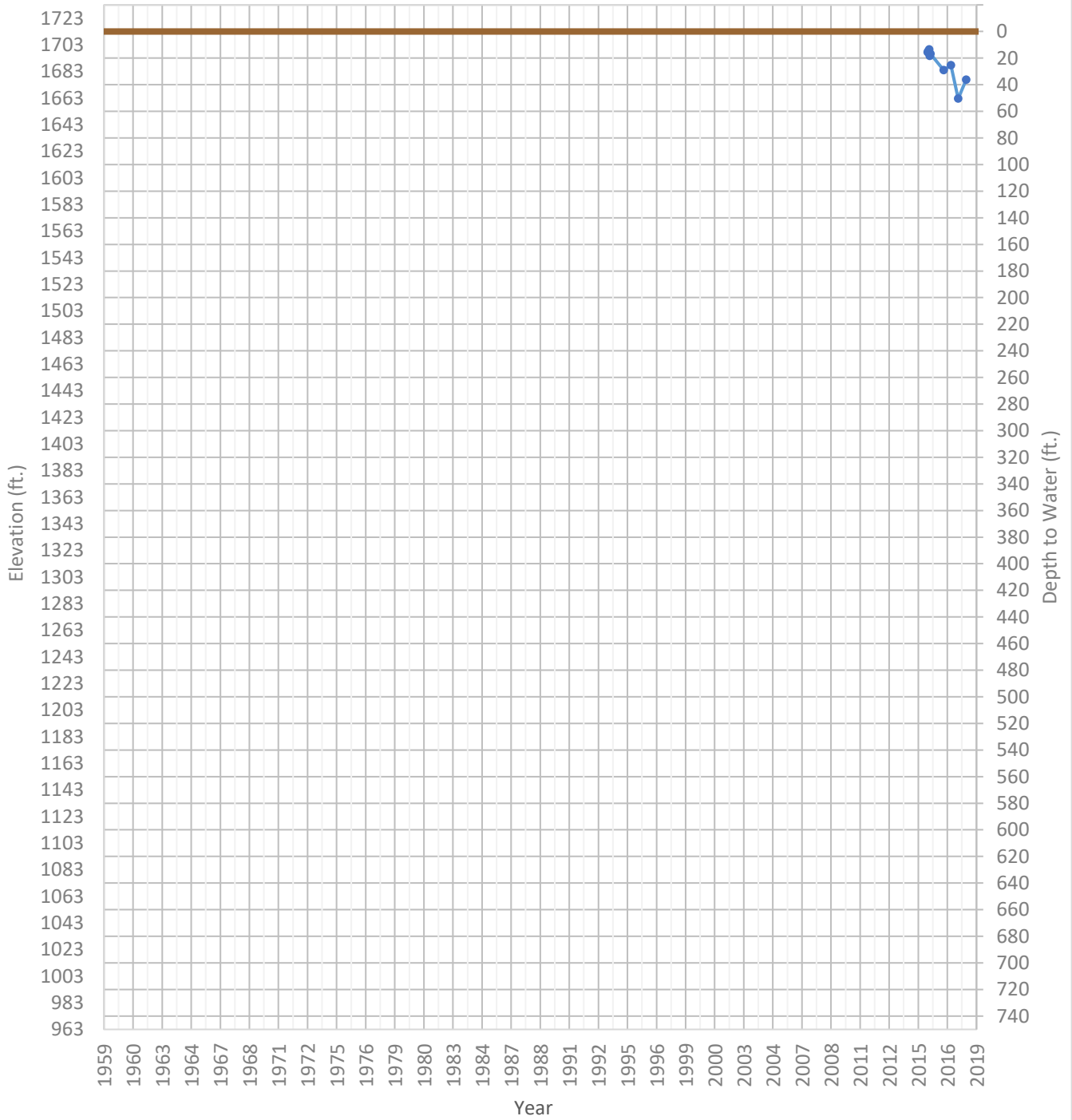
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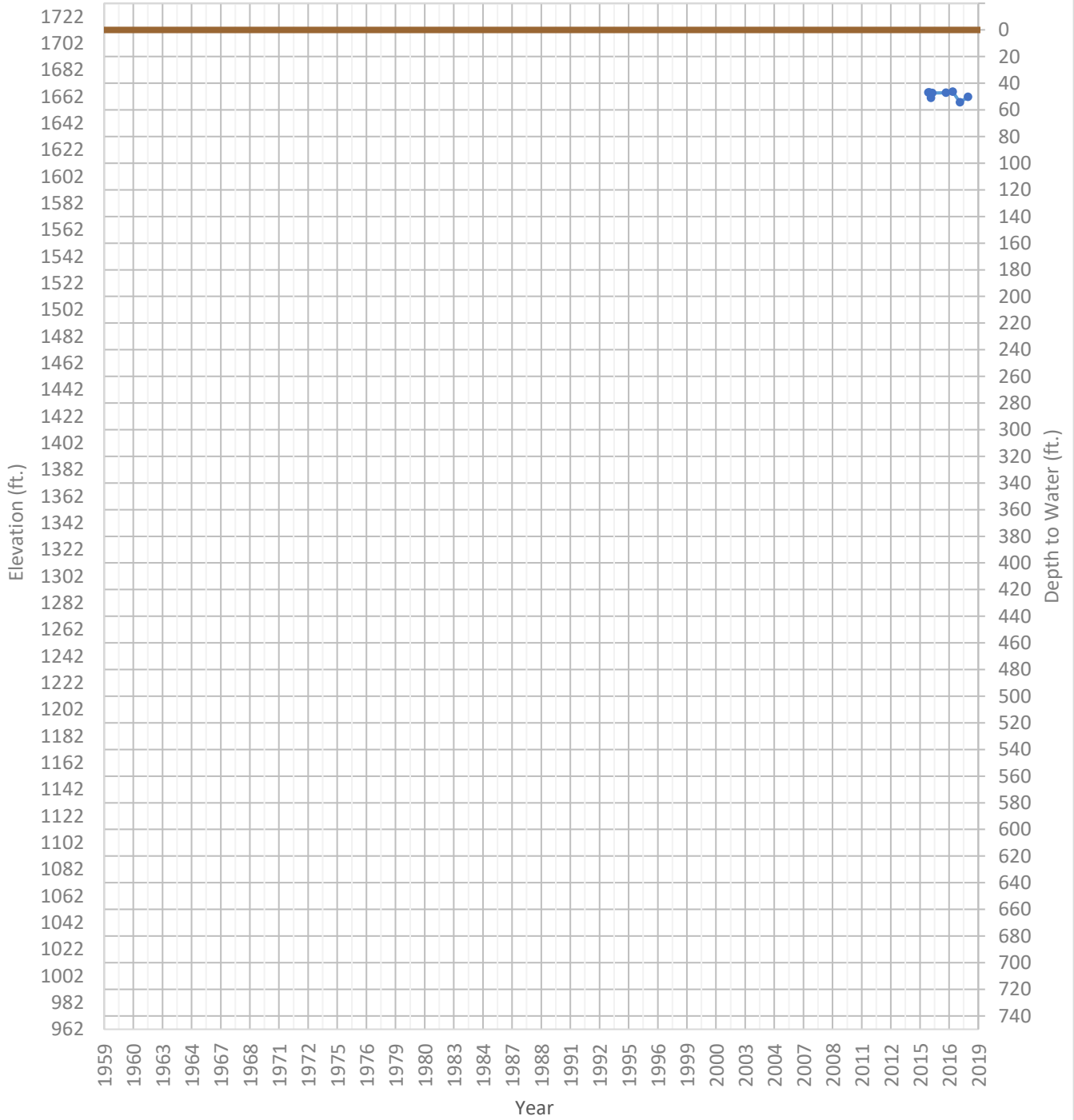
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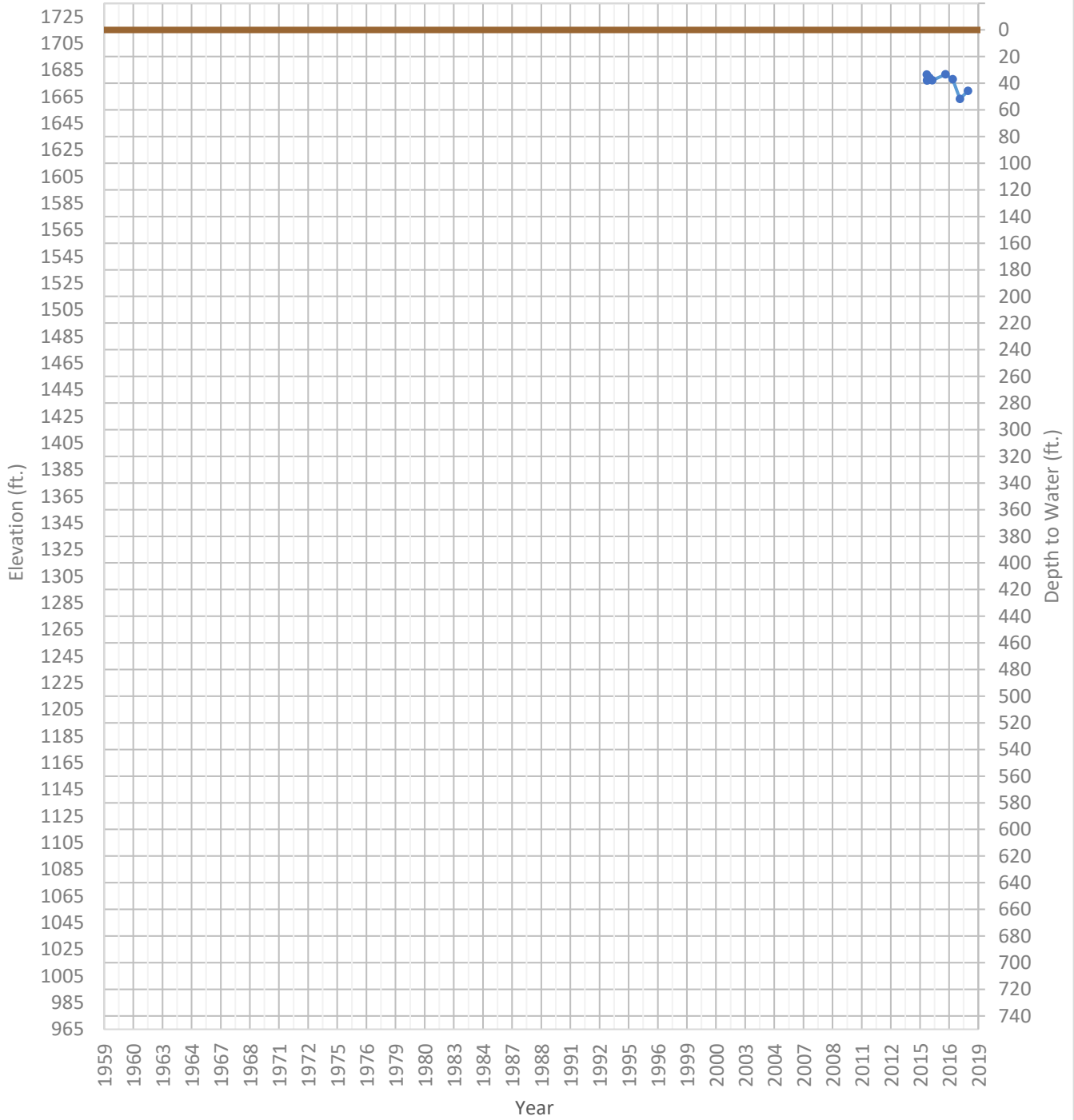
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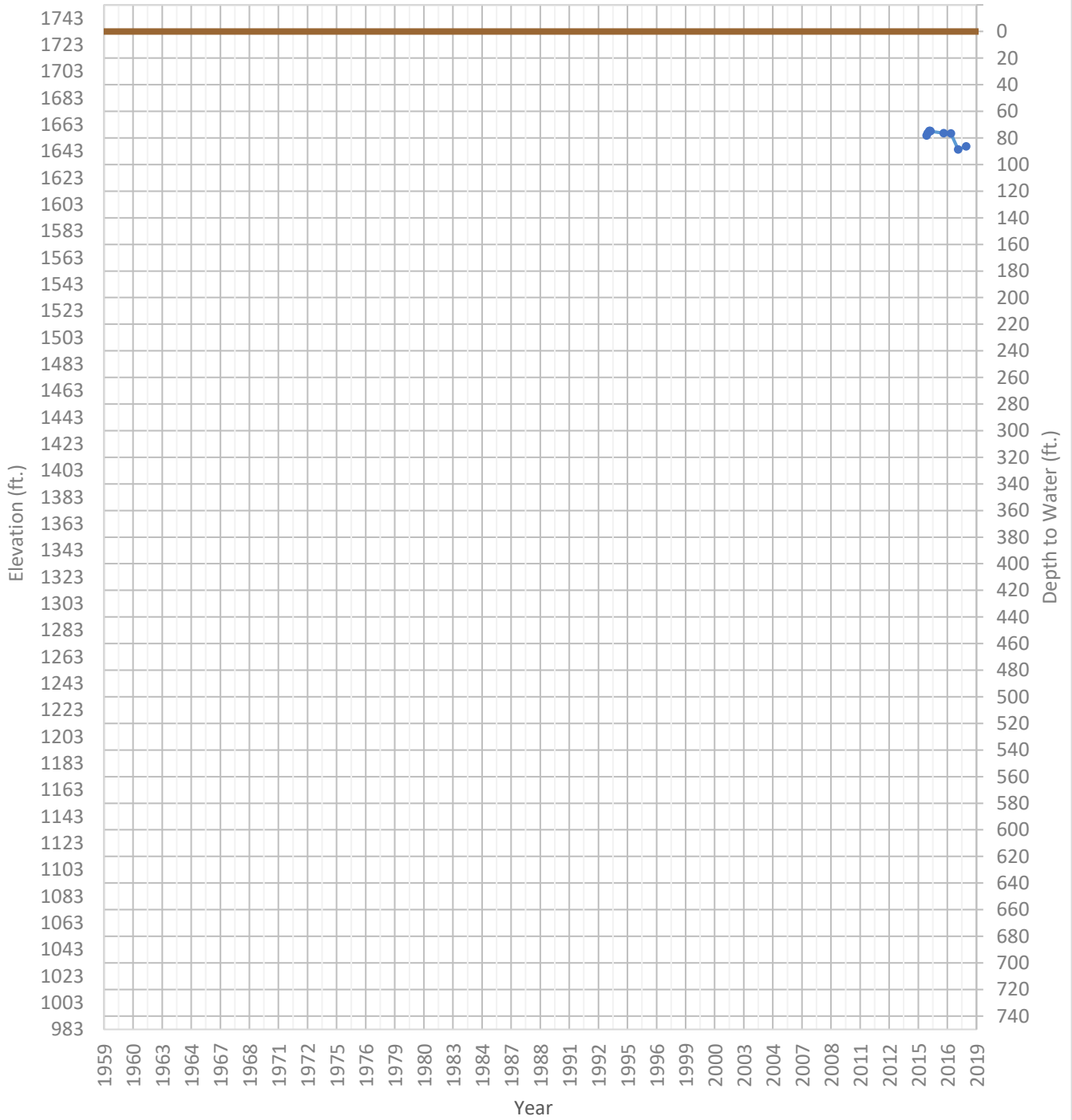
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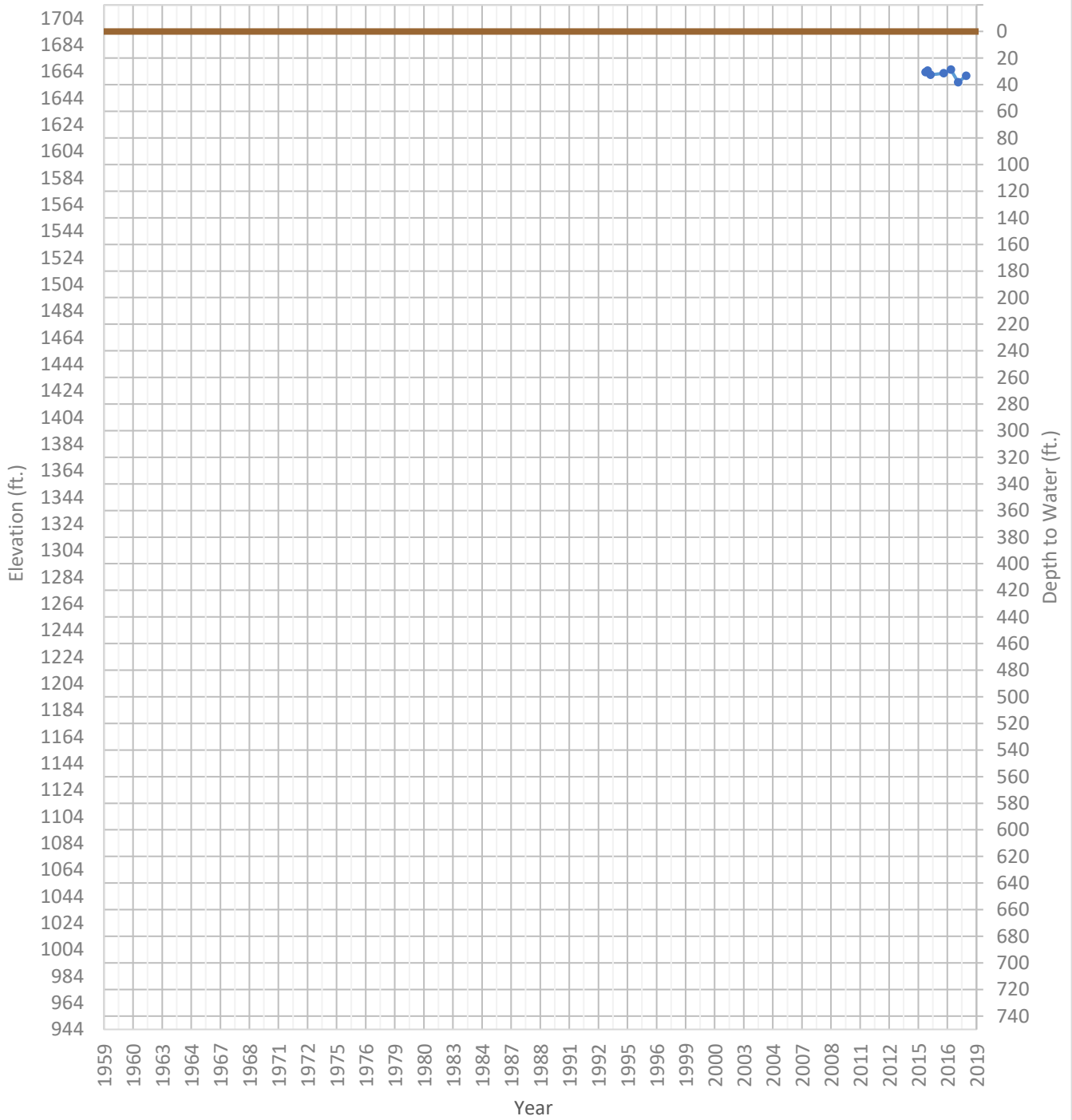
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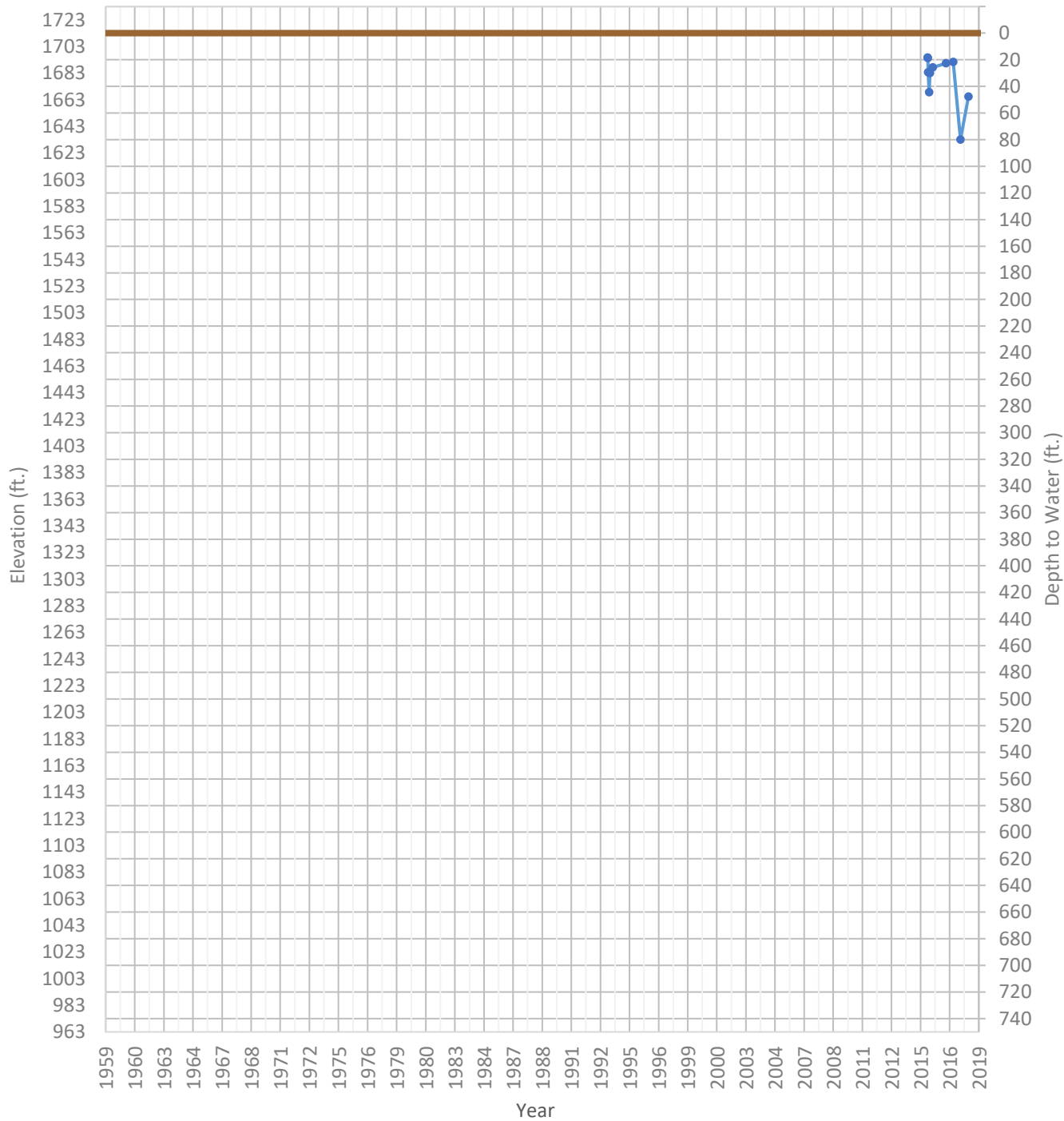
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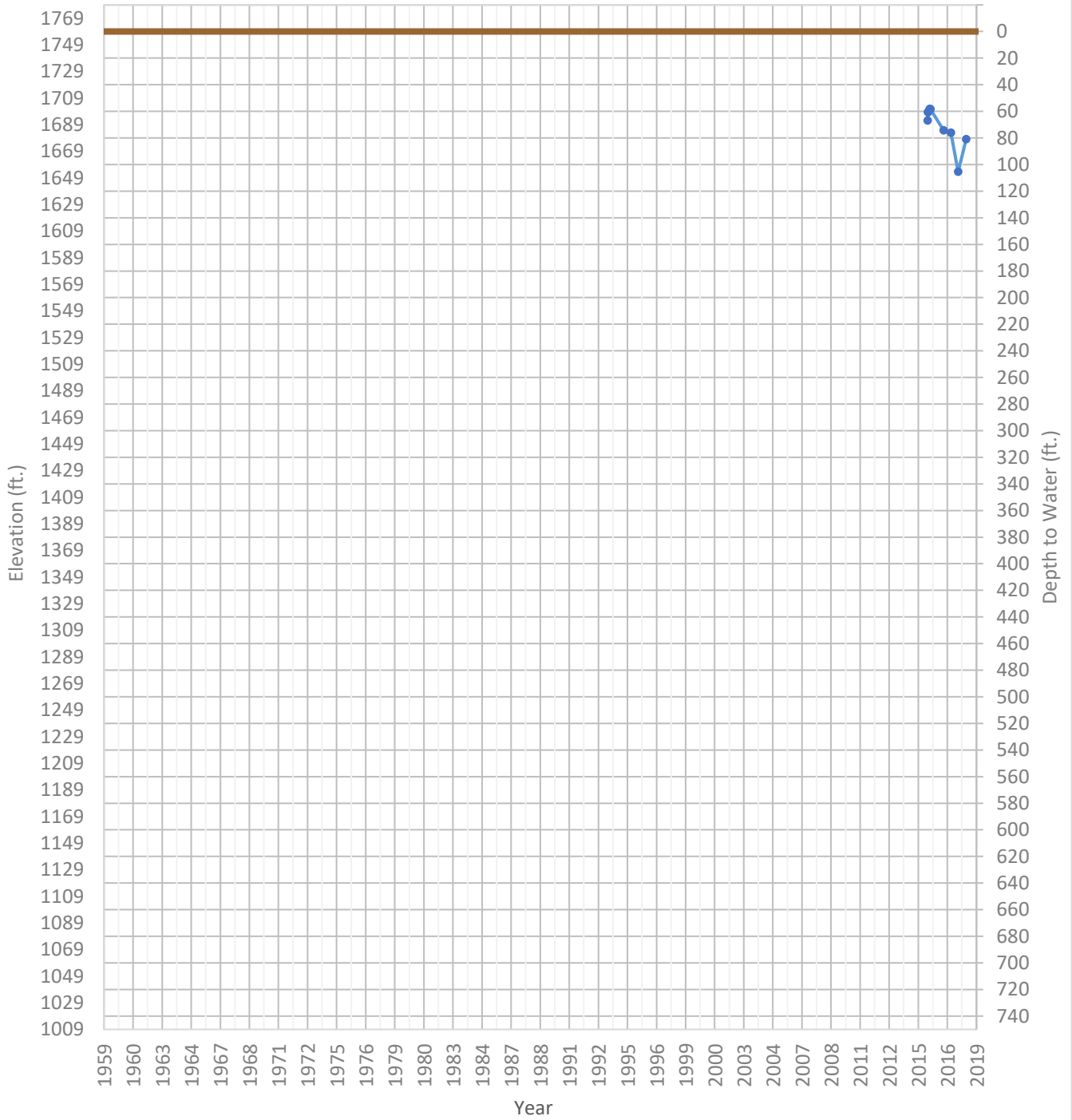
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OPTI Well 850 Hydrograph

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Chapter 2
Appendix B

White Paper: Subsidence and Subsidence
Monitoring Techniques

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Subsidence White Paper

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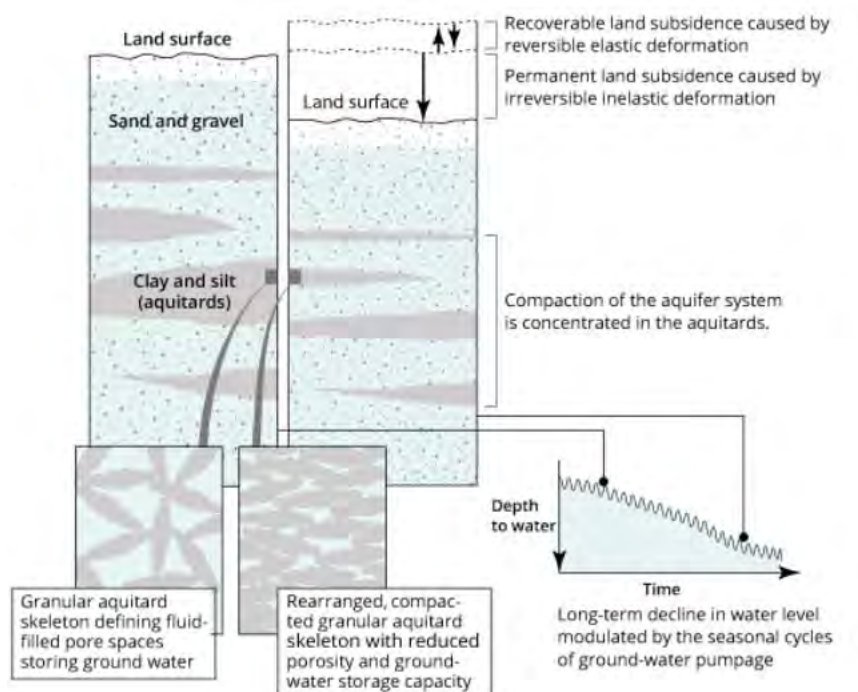
What is Subsidence?

Land subsidence is the sinking or downward settling of the earth's surface, not restricted in rate, magnitude, or area involved. Subsidence is often a result of over-extraction of subsurface water. In these cases, subsidence generally occurs over a large to very large area (10's to 100's of km²) and may happen over several years.

How Subsidence Occurs

Groundwater saturates the sediments in the subsurface where groundwater is present. Sediments in water bearing units are commonly made up of sands, gravels, silts, and clays. Aquitards are composed of clay materials, and may have multiple thin layers or larger extensive, and/or thicker layers. Groundwater in these materials fills the pore spaces and supports the material's structure. As groundwater levels decline, the sands, gravels, silts, and clays in water bearing units are dewatered, and the water's support of the structure of the materials is removed. Clays in particular rearrange when dewatered and clay grains orient in a similar direction, which reduces the amount of pore space and thus, the clay compacts. As the clays compact, ground surface elevation begins to drop.

Figure 1: Subsidence and Compaction Process



Source: USGS, Land Subsidence: Cause and Effect. 9/17/2017. https://ca.water.usgs.gov/land_subsidence/california-subsidence-cause-effect.html#pumping

This is problematic all over the world but is of particular concern in California agricultural communities such as the Cuyama Basin. Cuyama Basin subsidence may have effects on agriculture in a few ways.

1. Water delivery systems that may deliver irrigation water can be affected by land subsidence. Surface canals or gravity lines may not have enough elevation gradient to transport water or may even have reverse flows due to changes in ground surface elevation.
2. Infrastructure such as buildings and roads may be de-leveled and need repair

Not all groundwater pumping results in permanent subsidence. Groundwater reservoirs have an *elastic* and *inelastic* range of stress. Within the elastic range of stress, water levels in a groundwater storage unit can fluctuate without damaging the storage unit's ability to recharge to its original capacity. If water levels in a storage system dip into the inelastic range, the clays compact and cause inelastic land subsidence.

Clays and silts, such as those present in the Younger Alluvium, Older Alluvium, and Upper Morales Formations, generally have lower elastic capabilities, meaning they are not able to recover to their original volume once water has been removed. Once clays and silts are heavily compacted, they often cannot return to their previous saturation capacity even if groundwater levels are increased; this permanently reduces the storage capacity of the aquifer. This loss of aquifer is limited to the water that was stored in the compressed clays, and storage capacity lost is limited to the water that was stored in clays that were compressed, which is reflected in the amount of subsidence measured. Water stored in clay materials is generally not available for use by wells.



Figure 2: Subsidence Visualized

Source: USGS,
https://ca.water.usgs.gov/land_subsidence/

Methods of Measuring Land Subsidence

Measurements of elevations, aquifer-system compaction, and water levels are used to improve our understanding of the processes responsible for land-surface elevation changes. Elevation or elevation-change measurements are fundamental to monitoring land subsidence and have been measured by using interferometric synthetic aperture radar (InSAR), continuous GPS (CGPS) measurements, extensometers, and spirit-leveling surveying.

Interferometric Synthetic Aperture Radar (InSAR)

InSAR is a method and product of remote sensing imagery that measure changes in land-surface altitude by sending radar signals (historically C-band but new equipment often uses L- or X-band) to the land surface and measuring the return time of that signal. Changes in land surface elevation are calculated by taking the difference between two SAR images of the same area taken at different times. The difference between the two shows the ground-surface displacement (range change) between the two time periods.

The spatial resolution of InSAR is dependent on the location and resolution of the remote imagery, and whether it is taken from a plane or by orbiting satellite. At its finest resolution, InSAR has a sampling pixel of approximately 25' by 25' from satellites. The resolution of vertical displacement is dependent upon meteorological, observational, and other conditions, but is typically within a few centimeters to millimeters.

Raw InSAR data requires specialized computer programs to process and view. Some agencies and organizations, such as the California Water Science Center, provide InSAR imagery online. Direct data downloads are possible, but require registration approved with UNAVCO as an affiliate with an institution engaged in SAR research to download data. Data is available for anyone to browse online, and there are several agencies/institutes that publish data for specific regions.

Currently, InSAR imagery is obtained via specialized radar equipment on an aircraft and managed by NASA's Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL). In December 2021, the satellite NISAR is scheduled to launch; NISAR will provide coverage every 12 days and all NASA data will be free.

Continuous Global Positioning System (CGPS)

CGPS stations continuously measure the three-dimensional position of a sensor. There are more than 1,000 sensors in Western North America, with hundreds in California. Most sensors are managed by the Plate Boundary Observatory/UNAVCO and by Scripps Orbit and Permanent Array Center (SOPAC), but other groups such as Caltrans also operate sensors. These monitoring stations help measure tectonic movements as well as subsidence, which means data is taken in the X, Y, and Z axis.

Measurements are typically taken every 15 seconds and are processed to produce a daily position. The CGPS system has data/information published online, however, some use is limited and registration is required for certain data access.

Currently, subsidence measurements in and immediately around the Cuyama Basin are taken through CGPS instrumentation.

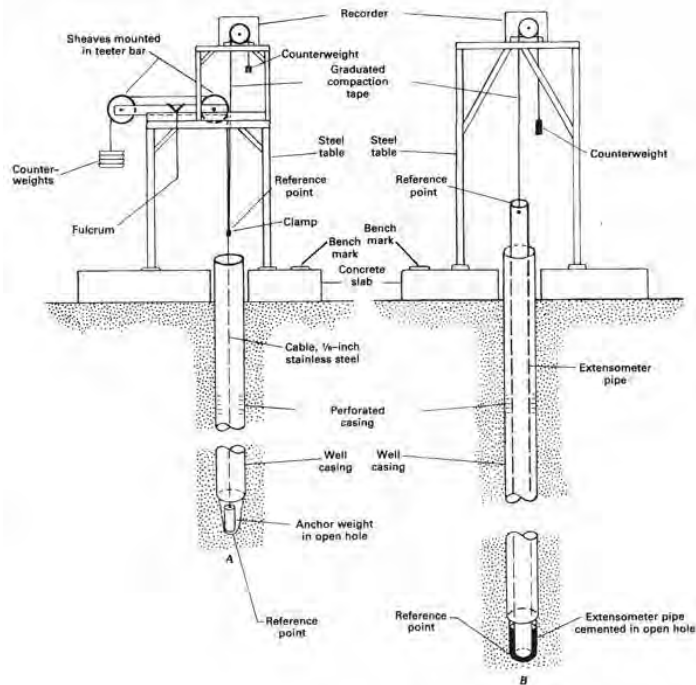
Spirit Leveling

This is the oldest method of measuring subsidence and was used long before electronic aids such as GPS. The primary tool is a Spirit Level in combination with a telescope and graduated vertical rods. Measurements are based on one reference point. This technique is best used for smaller survey areas (5 miles or less) and areas where high spatial density is desired. This is a good option for localized surveying and where cost is a priority.

Extensometers

Extensometers are *one dimensional* indicators of change in a specified depth. In regards to land subsidence, they often measure the change in an aquifer system within a specific depth range – that is to say, if the extensometer extends 20 meters into the ground, it can only measure the change in compaction (or expansion) within those 20m. It is also important to understand that extensometers measure compaction/expansion, *not* elevation.

Between the 1950s and 1970s, more than two dozen extensometers were installed in California's Central Valley by the USGS, with additional units installed since then.



Most extensometers are constructed as cable or pipe borehole extensometers (see the figure to the right above). They function by having a cable or pipe extend to the bottom of a drilled hole to the measuring depth at a specific reference point. At the top of this cable or pipe is a reference point, and attached to the reference point is another cable that extends to the top of a platform near the ground surface, around a wheel, and to a counter weight which maintains tension on all cables. As the ground elevation and bottom reference point change in relation to one another, the wheel turns as the counter weight either drops or rises. This change in the position of the counter weight is equal to the amount of compaction between the two reference points.

Although simple in theory, extensometers can be costly to install due to the drilling that is required and robust equipment needed. In addition, multiple extensometers are often needed to measure compaction across a range of depths and to determine which portion of the subsurface is compacting.

Piezometers

Piezometers measure the hydraulic pressure in a groundwater system. Piezometers are paired with extensometers or CGPS data to analyze stress-strain characteristics of a groundwater system. These systems allow for the calculation of the *skeletal storage coefficient*, which is the standard measure of an aquifer's storage directly related to the compressibility of the soil/storage system. This is what largely controls how "recoverable" an aquifer system is when it is recharged with water.

If water levels continue to decline into the inelastic range of stress, it can become possible to compute the *inelastic storage coefficient* that governs the permanent compaction of the aquifer system. If water levels fluctuate into both of these ranges seasonally or annually, it may be possible to calculate both.

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Appendix C

Cuyama Basin Water Resources
Model Documentation

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Appendix C — Cuyama Basin Water Resources Model Documentation

Introduction

Goals of Model Development

The Cuyama Basin Water Resources Model (CBWRM) was developed to evaluate the recent historical, current, and projected surface water and groundwater conditions in the Cuyama Groundwater Basin (Basin), and simulate various scenarios as part of the Basin's *Groundwater Sustainability Plan* (GSP). The fine temporal and spatial scale of the CBRWM allows the Cuyama Basin Groundwater Sustainability Agency (CBGSA) and its stakeholders to evaluate the effect of changing groundwater conditions in different parts of the Basin.

The CBWRM was developed in consultation with members of the Technical Forum, which includes technical staff and consultants representing a range of public and private entities in the Basin. Technical Forum members are listed in Chapter 1, Section 1.3. The Technical Forum held 14 monthly conference calls over the course of CBWRM development, and model data and outputs were provided to Technical Forum members to facilitate review and feedback on model development. This allowed Technical Forum members to review and comment on all major aspects of CBWRM development.

Basin Overview

The Basin encompasses an area of approximately 378 square miles, and includes the communities of New Cuyama and Cuyama, which are located along State Route (SR) 166 and Ventucopa, which is located along SR 33. Figure C-1 shows the Cuyama Basin and its key geographic features. The Basin encompasses an approximately 55-mile stretch of the Cuyama River, which runs through the Basin for much of its extent before leaving the Basin to the northwest and flowing toward the Pacific Ocean. The Basin also encompasses reaches of Wells Creek in its north-central area, Santa Barbara Creek in the south-central area, and the Quatal Canyon drainage and Cuyama Creek in the southern area of the Basin. Primary land use and development in the Basin is agricultural use, which mostly occurs in the central portion east of New Cuyama, and along the Cuyama River near SR 33 through Ventucopa. Additionally, there has recently been new agricultural development in the western part of the Basin.

CBRWM Platform

The CBWRM was developed based on the Integrated Water Flow Model (IWFM) software platform. The IWFM is an open-source, finite element simulation code that supports triangular and quadrilateral elements (Dogrul et al., 2017b). IWFM was specifically designated in the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA) regulations as a model supported by the California Department of Water Resources (DWR) for evaluation of the integrated surface water and groundwater resources a basin, including detailed water budget development that meets SGMA requirements. IWFM has been used throughout California for planning and management of water resources, including GSP development. IWFM is also used for DWR's California Central Valley Groundwater-Surface Water Simulation Model



(C2VSim), which is the fine-grid version that is being refined and enhanced by DWR to support SGMA activities throughout the Central Valley at the regional scale (DWR, 2018).

The IWFDM Demand Calculator (IDC) is the stand-alone root zone component of IWFDM that simulates land surface and root zone flow processes (Dogrul et al., 2017b). It calculates agricultural and urban water demands using inputs including climatic conditions, soil hydrologic conditions, and land use types and cropping patterns. The IDC can be used as a stand-alone model, or it can be combined with IWFDM. When combined, the full IWFDM model simulates the integrated system of land surface processes and groundwater system and the stream system, as well as interaction among these systems.

CBWRM Development

Model Input Data

The CBWRM historical model simulates Basin hydrologic conditions on a daily time step from water year 1995 through water year 2017 (i.e., October 1, 1994 through September 30, 2017). Table C-1 lists CBWRM files and corresponding major data sources.

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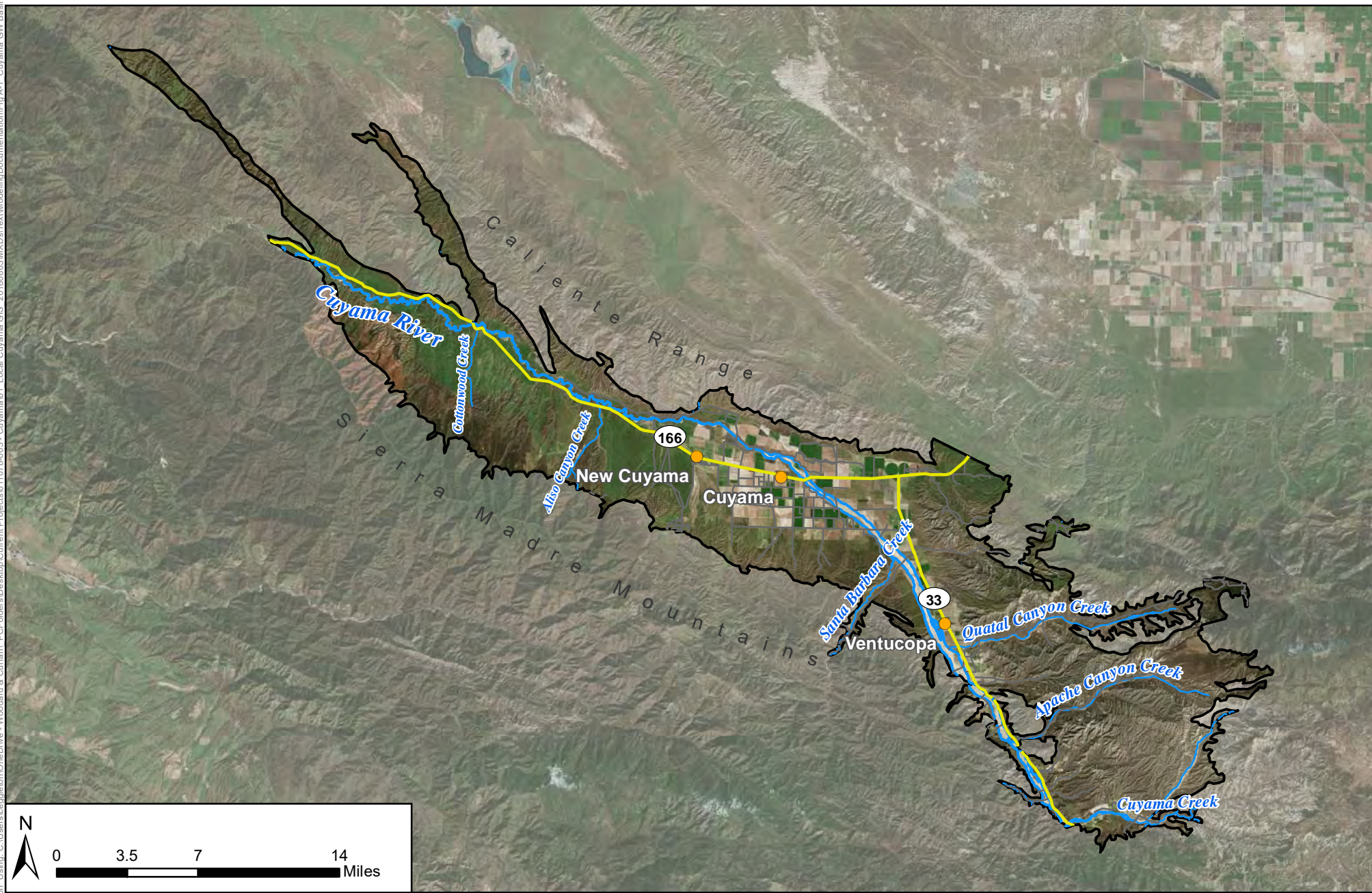


Figure C-1 - Cuyama Valley Groundwater Basin
 Cuyama Basin Groundwater Sustainability Agency
 Cuyama Valley Groundwater Basin Groundwater Sustainability Plan
 April 2019



Legend	Towns	Local Roads
	Cuyama Basin	Cuyama River
Highways	Streams/Creeks	



Table C-1: CBWRM Major Model Data

Major Data Category	Minor Data Category	Data Source
Hydrogeological Data	Geologic Stratification	Diblee Maps and Cuyama Valley Hydrologic Model (CUVHM)
Stream Data	Stream Configuration	National Hydrography Dataset (NHD)
	Streamflow Records	United States Geological Survey (USGS) and California Data Exchange Center (CDEC) Stream Gages
Hydrological Data	Precipitation	Parameter-Elevation Relationships on Independent Slopes Model (PRISM)
Agricultural Water Demand	Land Use and Cropping Patterns	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DWR • Private Landowners • CBGSA-developed data
	Evapotranspiration	California Irrigation Management Information System (CIMIS)
	Soil Properties	Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) Soil Survey Geographic Database (SSURGO)
Urban Water Demand	Population	United States Census Bureau
	Per Capita Water Use	Cuyama Community Services District (CCSD) Local Information
Water Supply	Groundwater Pumping	CCSD
Other	Initial GW Level Conditions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DWR Water Data Library • Private landowners
	Small Watersheds	NHD
	GW Level Records for Calibration Wells	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DWR Water Data Library • Private landowners

Analysts developed the 50-year hydrologic period of water years 1968 through 2017 for use in CBWRM to meet SGMA requirements for long-term water budget representation for current and projected Basin conditions.



CBWRM Grid

Analysts developed the finite element grid using the Groundwater Modeling System (GMS) software's grid development module. The model grid network is composed of a combination of quadrilateral and triangular elements, which allows a detailed representation of various hydrologic, geologic, and jurisdictional features required for development of information about land and water use, water supply, groundwater conditions, and water budget. The CBWRM grid and the specific features used in grid development are shown in Figure C-2. These features include the following:

- The Basin boundary as defined in DWR's Bulletin 118 (DWR, 2004)
- Hydrologic and hydrogeologic features (i.e., Cuyama River and minor streams, faults, and outcroppings)
- The Cuyama Community Services District (CCSD) boundary
- Cuyama Water District boundary

The CBWRM grid contains 6,582 elements with an average element area of 36.8 acres. Primary objectives during grid development were to maintain a manageable number of elements and nodes for model computational performance, to optimize resolution for data analysis, and to contain relatively finer resolution along rivers, which allows for better simulation of stream-aquifer interaction to optimize the model run time and to streamline model output.

Stream Configuration and Watersheds

The CBWRM surface hydrology is represented by nine model stream reaches, representing the Cuyama River. The USGS has two active gages that record flows in the Cuyama River watershed upstream of Lake Twitchell. These include one gage on the Cuyama River downstream of the Basin (ID 11136800), which is located just upstream of Lake Twitchell. This gage has 58 recorded years of streamflow measurements from 1959 to 2017. The other active gage is south of the city of Ventucopa along Santa Barbara Canyon Creek (ID 11136600), and this partial record is limited to seven years (i.e., from 2010 to 2017). In addition, limited data are available from four deactivated gages, as shown in Chapter 1.

The inflow from upper watershed areas originates from unaged watersheds. Figure C-3 shows the upper watershed areas included in the model. Flows from unaged watersheds surrounding the Basin are estimated using a simplified rainfall runoff module incorporated in the small watersheds module of the CBWRM. This module simulates the surface water and groundwater contributions from the small watersheds using daily precipitation rates and runoff and infiltration characteristics assigned to each unaged watershed. The portion of flow from the small watershed that enters the model domain as surface runoff is directed to drain into simulated streams. The portion of flow from small watersheds that infiltrates to ground contributes to the main groundwater system as boundary flows.

All subsurface inflows from these small watersheds are routed to the top model layer in each watershed (Layer 3 in most watersheds) along specified groundwater nodes, with a user-defined maximum percolation rate at each node. Excess flows that do not infiltrate to groundwater enter the simulated streams at user-specified locations. The hydrologic conditions of these small watersheds used to estimate the subsurface and surface flows are represented using parameters (e.g., precipitation, surface layer soil



parameters, runoff coefficient) for each watershed. The soil parameters and runoff coefficients were estimated using data from SSURGO (USDA, 2017a).

Precipitation

Rainfall data for the CBWRM area are derived from the PRISM database (PRISM Climate Group, 2018). The database contains monthly precipitation data starting from 1895 and daily precipitation data from December 1, 1981 on a 4-kilometer grid throughout the model area. To develop data for the daily time step of the CBWRM, monthly precipitation data for the 1968 to 1981 time period was downscaled to daily temporal resolution with a similar water year type analysis using the recorded Cuyama River flows. Each of the model elements was mapped to the nearest PRISM reference node, which are uniformly distributed across the model domain. The resulting average annual precipitation is shown in Figure C-4.

Figure C-5 shows the Basin averaged annual rainfall in the model area and the cumulative departure from mean, which is an indication of long-term rainfall trends in the area. The average annual precipitation during the 50-year hydrologic sequence from October 1967 to September 2017 was 13.1 inches, which ranges from an annual average of 11.4 inches in the valley floor to 14.8 inches in the upper watershed areas.

Attachment C-2 describes the climate change scenarios analyzed for projected future conditions, and the modifications made to the precipitation data to reflect the effects of climate change.

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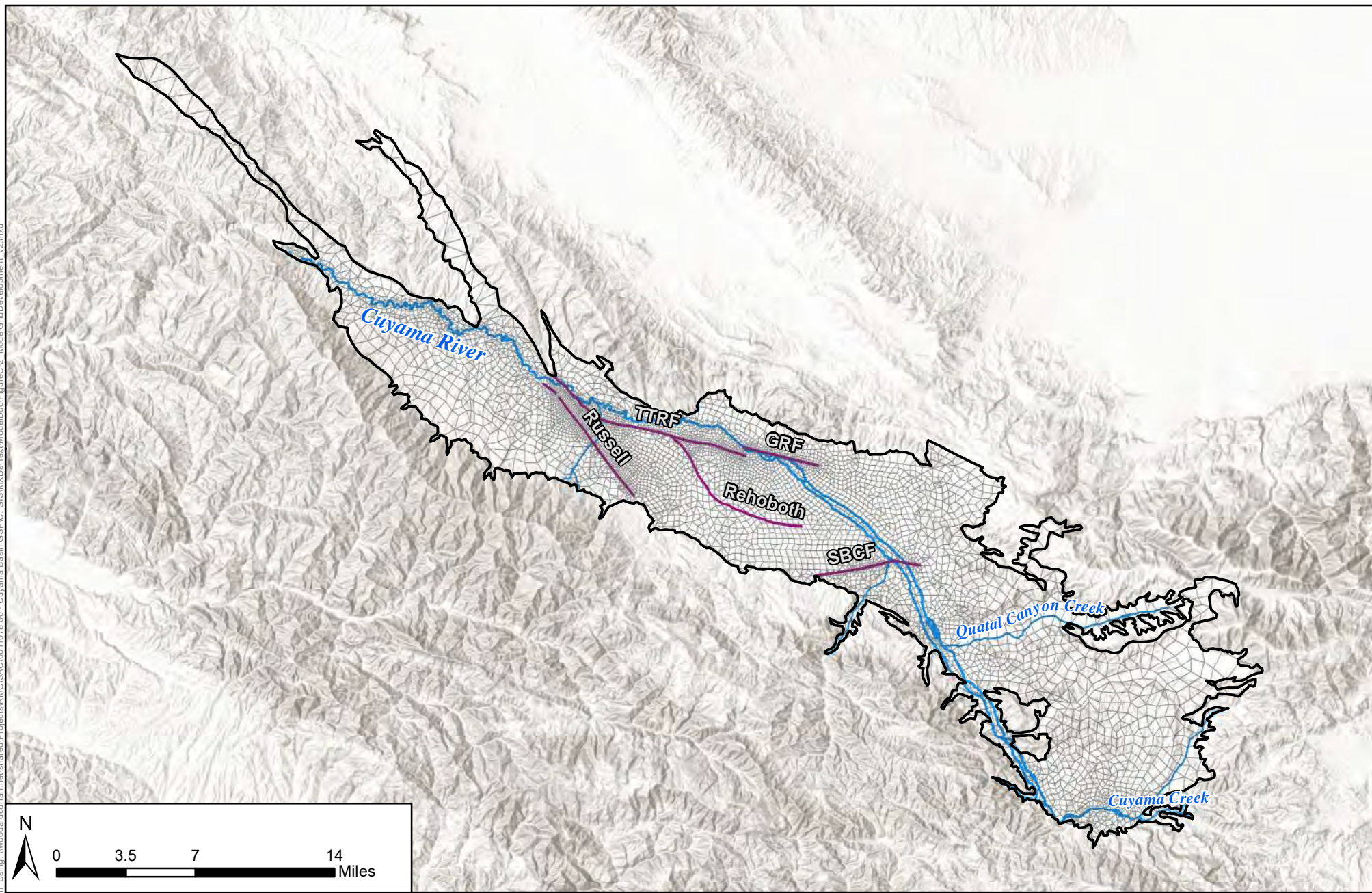


Figure C-2 - Cuyama Valley Groundwater Basin IWFM Grid Development Features

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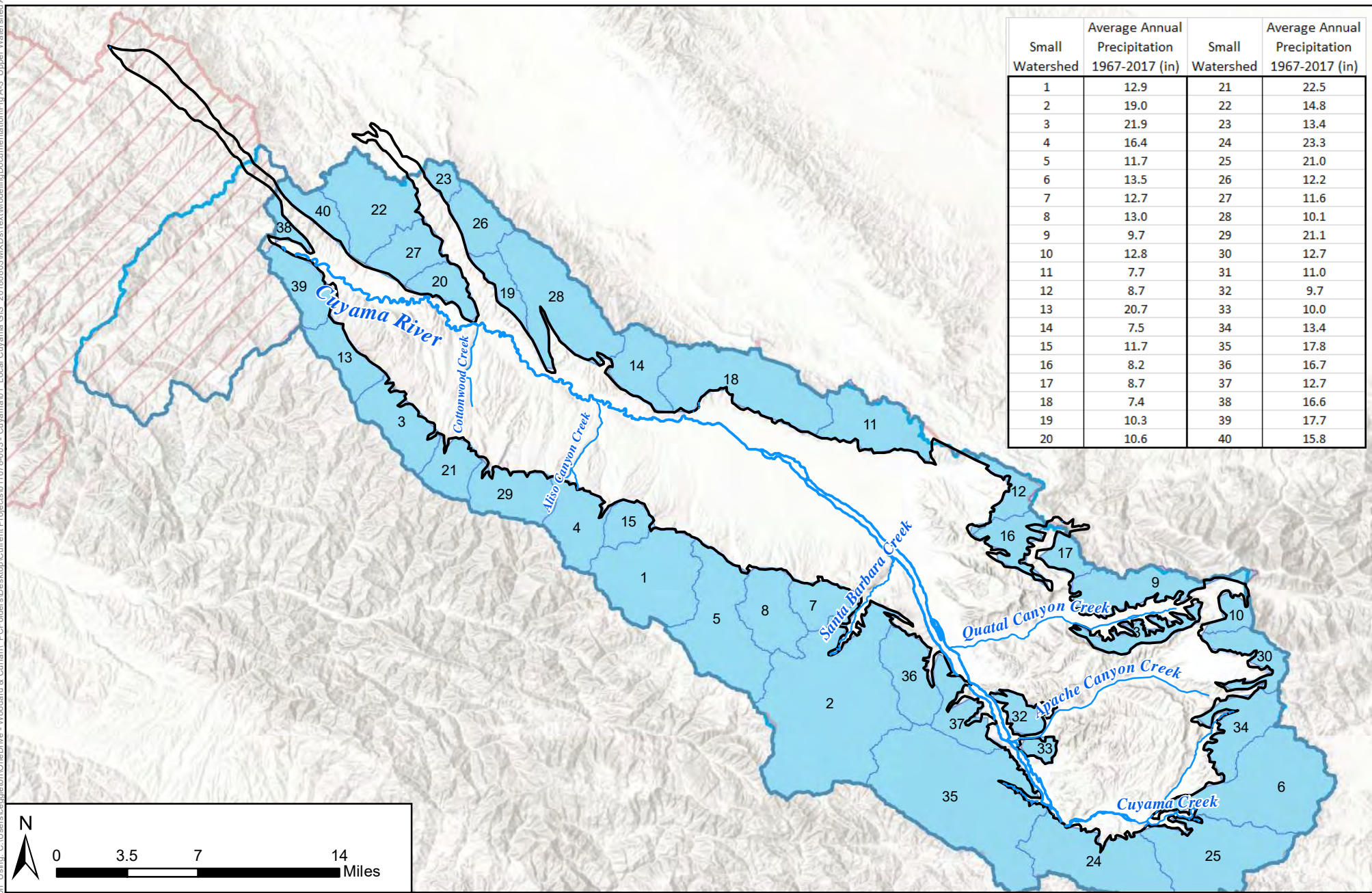
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- Model Grid
- Faults in CBWRM
- Cuyama River
- Streams/Creeks

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Small Watershed	Average Annual Precipitation 1967-2017 (in)	Small Watershed	Average Annual Precipitation 1967-2017 (in)
1	12.9	21	22.5
2	19.0	22	14.8
3	21.9	23	13.4
4	16.4	24	23.3
5	11.7	25	21.0
6	13.5	26	12.2
7	12.7	27	11.6
8	13.0	28	10.1
9	9.7	29	21.1
10	12.8	30	12.7
11	7.7	31	11.0
12	8.7	32	9.7
13	20.7	33	10.0
14	7.5	34	13.4
15	11.7	35	17.8
16	8.2	36	16.7
17	8.7	37	12.7
18	7.4	38	16.6
19	10.3	39	17.7
20	10.6	40	15.8



Figure C-3 - Cuyama Valley Groundwater Basin Upper Watershed Areas in the IWFM Model

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- Cuyama Basin
- Cuyama River
- Streams/Creeks
- Contributes to Cuyama GW Basin
- Does Not Contribute to Cuyama GW Basin
- Watershed
- Small Watersheds (HUC 12)

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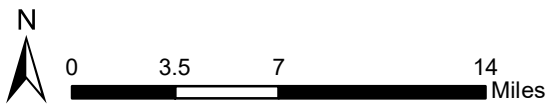
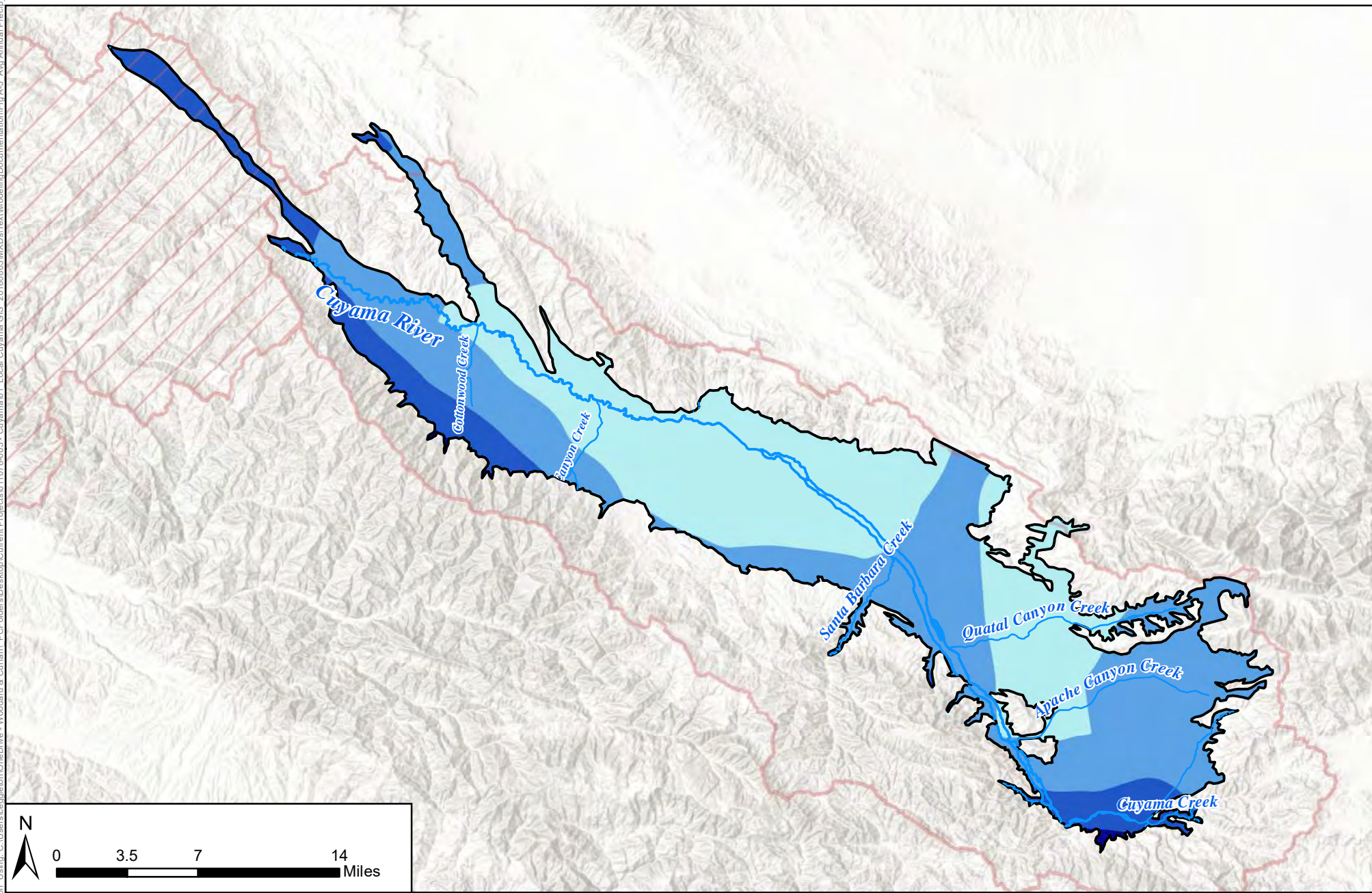


Figure C-4 - Cuyama Valley Groundwater Basin Average Annual Precipitation

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	Cuyama Basin		Average Annual Precipitation (.in) 5.1 - 10
	Cuyama River		11 - 15
	Streams/Creeks		16 - 20
	Contributes to Cuyama GW Basin		21 - 25
	Does Not Contribute to Cuyama GW Basin		

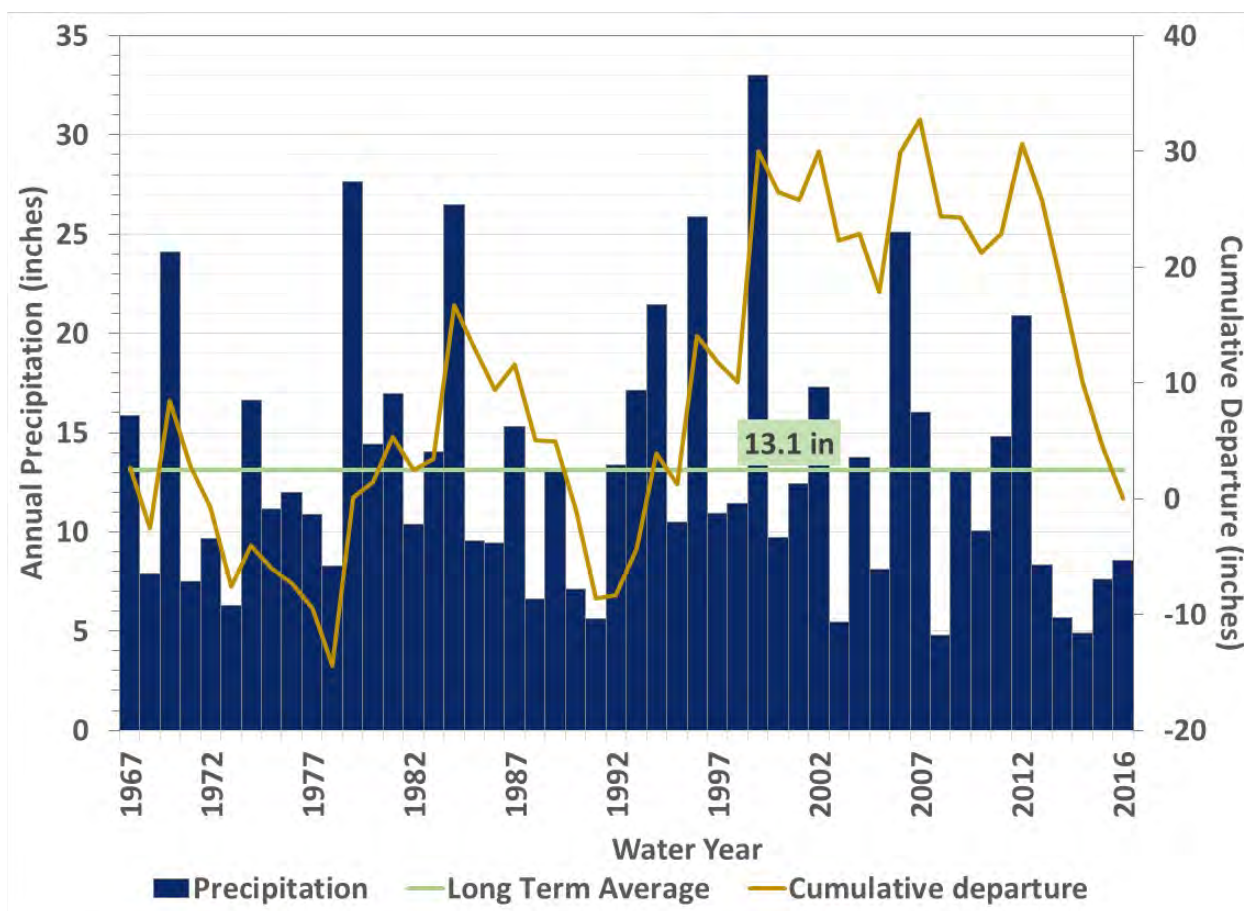


Figure C-5: 50-Year Historical Precipitation and Cumulative Departure from Mean Precipitation



Root Zone Soil Parameters

Soil properties specified in the CBWRM are field capacity, wilting point, total porosity, saturated hydraulic conductivity, and pore size distribution index. These soil properties are specified for each model element, and were used to calculate runoff and infiltration from both rainfall and applied water at each model time step.

DWR's IWFMS Soil Data Builder (DWR, 2017) was used in conjunction with the SSURGO (USDA, 2017a) soil data to determine the five soil parameters for each model element. The IWFMS Soil Data Builder extracts the SSURGO data relevant to the model area and associates it with each model grid element. For the elements where SSURGO data was incomplete, analysts used the USDA's Digital General Soil Map of the United States (STATSGO2) data (USDA, 2017b) to complement SSURGO parameters.

CBWRM elements are associated with the four hydrologic soil groups according to their runoff potential and infiltration characteristics. NRCS defines these hydrological soil groups as follows (NRCS, 2009):

- **Group A** – Soils in this group have low runoff potential when thoroughly wet. Water is transmitted freely through the soil. Group A soils typically have less than 10 percent clay and more than 90 percent sand or gravel and have gravel or sand textures. Some soils having loamy sand, sandy loam, loam or silt loam textures may be placed in this group if they are well aggregated, of low bulk density, or contain greater than 35 percent rock fragments.
- **Group B** – Soils in this group have moderately low runoff potential when thoroughly wet. Water transmission through the soil is unimpeded. Group B soils typically have between 10 and 20 percent clay and 50 to 90 percent sand and have loamy sand or sandy loam textures. Some soils having loam, silt loam, silt, or sandy clay loam textures may be placed in this group if they are well aggregated, of low bulk density, or contain greater than 35 percent rock fragments.
- **Group C** – Soils in this group have moderately high runoff potential when thoroughly wet. Water transmission through the soil is somewhat restricted. Group C soils typically have between 20 and 40 percent clay and less than 50 percent sand and have loam, silt loam, sandy clay loam, clay loam, and silty clay loam textures. Some soils having clay, silty clay, or sandy clay textures may be placed in this group if they are well aggregated, of low bulk density, or contain greater than 35 percent rock fragments.
- **Group D** – Soils in this group have high runoff potential when thoroughly wet. Water movement through the soil is restricted or very restricted. Group D soils typically have greater than 40 percent clay, less than 50 percent sand, and have clayey textures. In some areas, they also have high shrink-swell potential.

Land Use and Cropping Patterns

Land use and cropping patterns are key data sets that support estimation of monthly agricultural water requirements over the period of model simulation. Consistent with the DWR's C2VSim, the CBWRM includes 23 irrigated crop categories and four general land use categories. The general land use categories include urban landscape (e.g., residential areas, school fields, roads, etc.), water surface (e.g., streams,



lakes, and reservoirs), riparian vegetation (e.g., native vegetation in the vicinity of surface water), and native vegetation. The 23 irrigated crop categories are combined into six summary-level crop group with similar water use and/or irrigation practices, which also provides a simpler representation of crop group types for planning and policy purposes. Table C-2 lists the land use categories.

Table C-2: Land Use Categories		
Land Use Type	Model Category	Grouped Categories
Irrigated Crops	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Apple • Berry • Citrus • Olive • Pistachio • Misc. Deciduous • Misc. Subtropical Fruits 	Fruit and Nut Trees
	Vineyards	Vineyards
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alfalfa • Mixed Pasture 	Alfalfa and Irrigated Pasture
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Misc. Grain • Misc. Grass • Wheat 	Grain
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dry Beans • Corn • Misc. Field Crops • Safflowers 	Field Crops
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carrot • Cole • Mixed Greens • Lettuce • Melons • Onion • Potatoes • Misc. Truck Crops 	Truck Crops
	Idle and Fallow Lands	Idle
	Other Land Use	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urban Landscape • Water Surface • Riparian Vegetation • Native Vegetation



Spatial land use data were used to specify land use types and crop acreages for each model element for each year of simulation. The following data sources were used:

- 1996 data from historical DWR county land use surveys¹
- 2014 and 2016 data that were developed for DWR using remote sensing data by LandIQ²
- 2000, 2003, 2006, 2009, 2012 data that were developed for the CBGSA using remote sensing data; development of these datasets is documented in Attachment C-1.
- Data provided by private landowners for portions of the Basin between 1992 and 2017

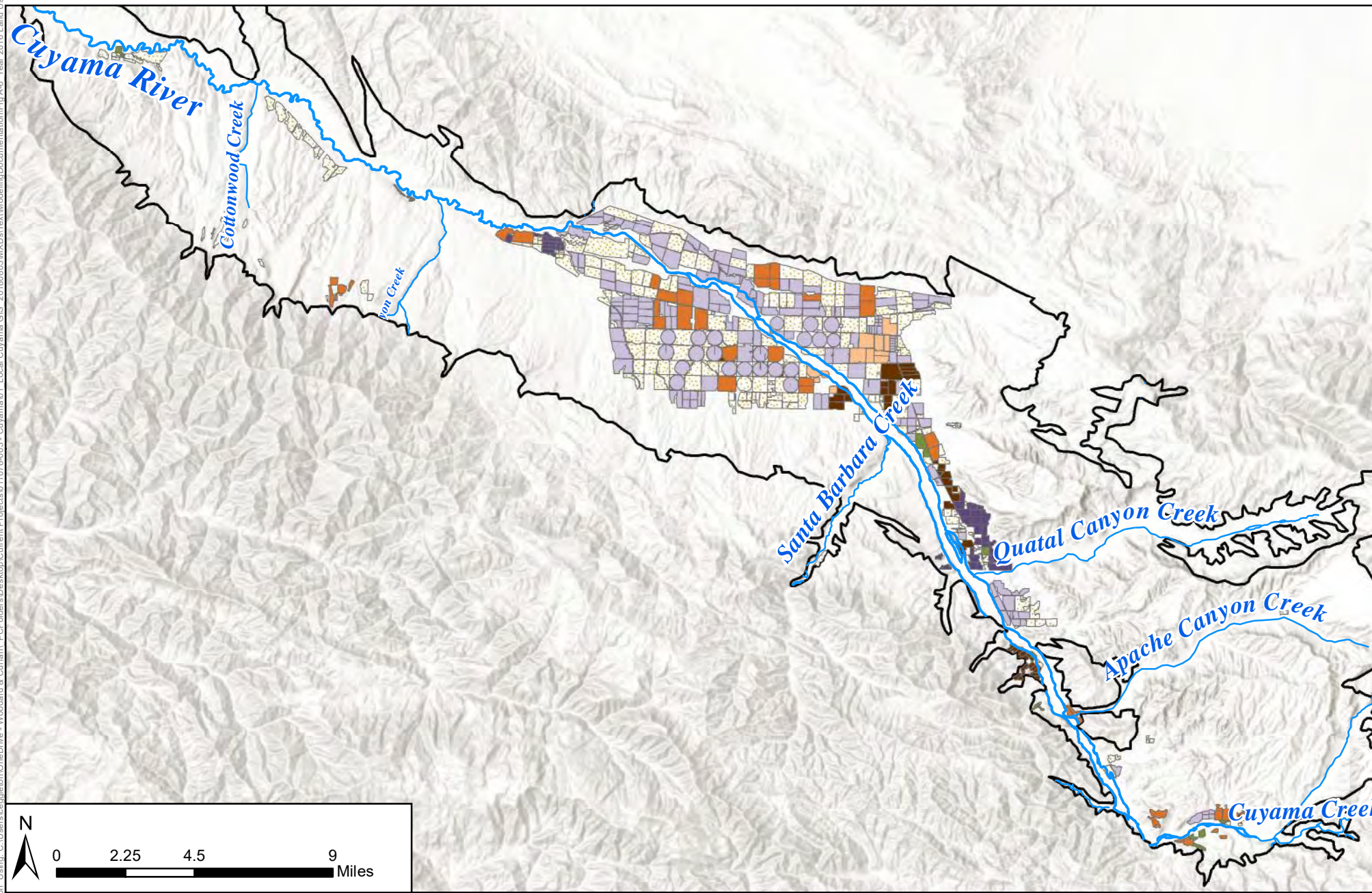
Figure C-6 shows the spatial distribution of the major land use categories in the Basin for 2016.³ Estimated land use in 2016 includes approximately 36,500 acres of irrigated land use. Figure C-7 shows the historical trend of land use categories in the Basin and the projected assumed annual land use pattern for the 50-year hydrologic period used for the projected condition model scenario. The projected annual land use categories are developed based on the 2017 crop categories and acreage values as the basis, with adjustments made for known acreage changes in 2018. Permanent crop acreages were assumed to remain unchanged from 2017-18 values, while annual crop acreages reflect annual variability that was developed based on an autoregressive moving average model that uses the historical land use data sets. The autoregressive moving average was developed such that long-term average acreage for each annual crop type remained unchanged from 2017 values.

¹ <https://www.water.ca.gov/Programs/Water-Use-And-Efficiency/Land-And-Water-Use/Land-Use-Surveys>

² <https://gis.water.ca.gov/app/CADWRLandUseViewer/>

³ Figures for other years can be found in Chapter 1

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**Figure C-6 - Cuyama Valley Groundwater Basin
Year 2016 Land Use**




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-  Cuyama River
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Land Use from 2016 Crop Mapping

- | | |
|---|--|
|  Alfalfa and Irrigated Pasture |  Vineyard |
|  Fruit and Nut Trees |  Grain |
|  Field Crops |  Idle |
|  Truck Crops | |

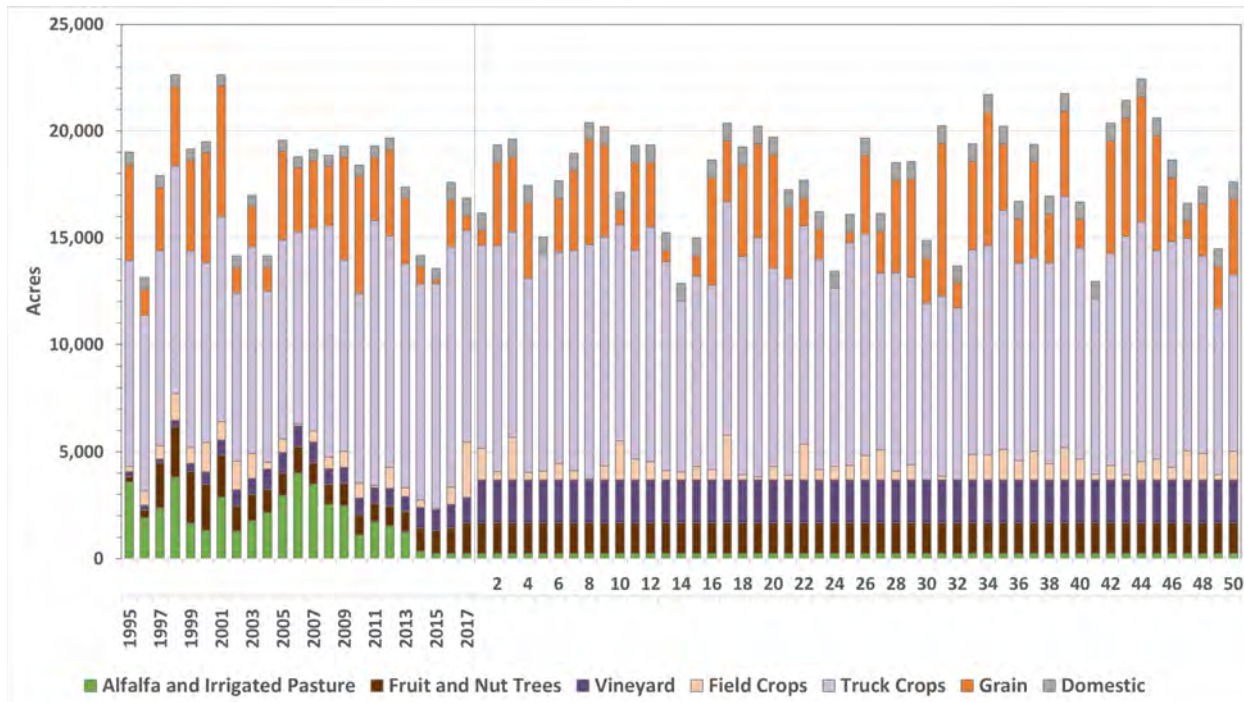


Figure C-7: Historical and Projected Land Use in the Basin

Evapotranspiration

The crop evapotranspiration (ET) requirement is an important factor in agricultural demand estimation. Every land use category must have evapotranspiration assigned for the simulation period. Due to changes in cropping patterns and irrigation practices over time during the historical calibration period, the ET data are specified as a time series during the entire calibration period. ET values are based on the reference evapotranspiration data from Cuyama CIMIS Station. The reference evapotranspiration was converted to crop evapotranspiration using crop coefficients, supplemented by information developed using the Mapping EvapoTranspiration at High Resolution with Internalized Calibration (METRIC) methodology (as described in Attachment C-3). Crop coefficients for each land use category were developed using a daily root zone water balance model (as described in Attachment C-4). This model is driven by the Landsat Normalized Difference Vegetation Index (NDVI) data set, which was originally developed for the Kaweah Delta Water Conservation District in Tulare and Kings counties. The model simulates the rootzone processes on a daily time step, and using remote sensing data, it can capture changes in the timing and intensity of cropping over time.

In the CBWRM, ET represents the net vertical water flux from the land surface and root zone through the upper model layer. Figure C-8 shows the range in annual evapotranspiration rates for each crop category. For climate change scenarios analyzed for projected future conditions, evapotranspiration rates were modified to reflect the effects of anticipated temperature change (Attachment C-2).

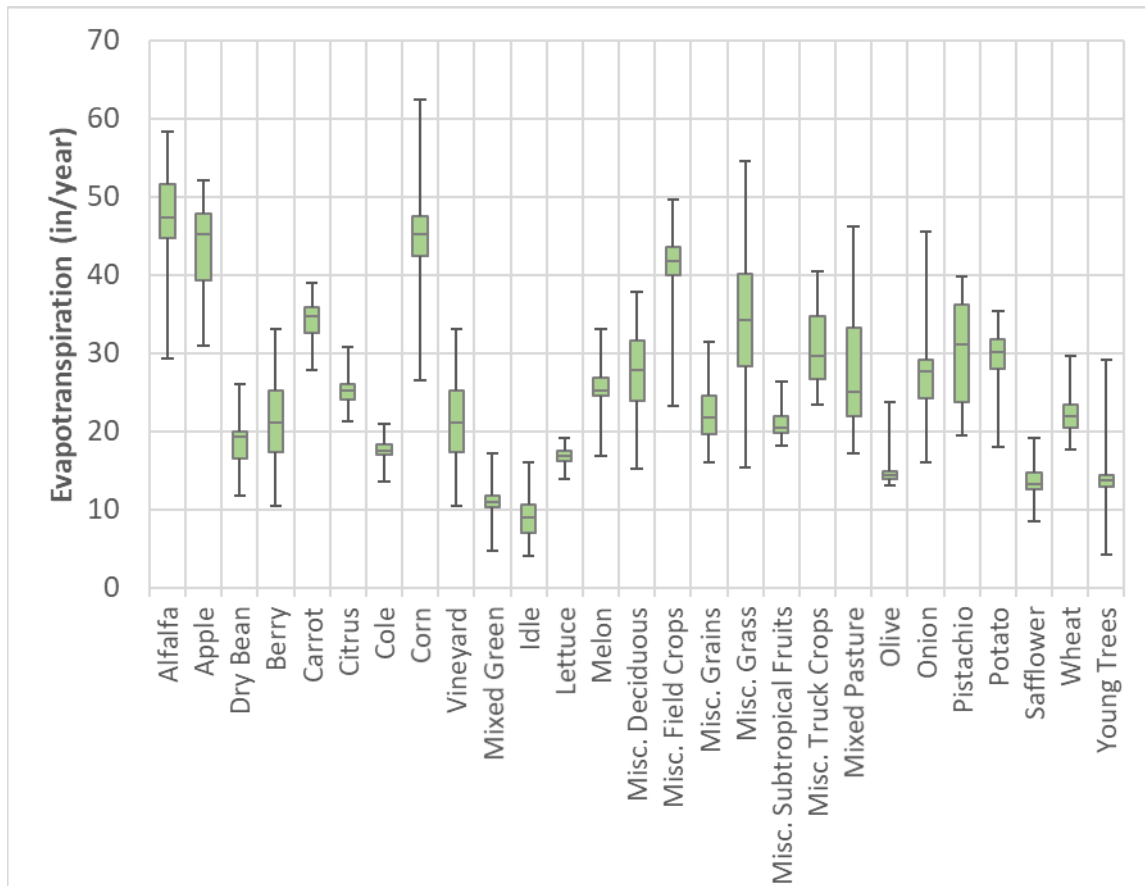


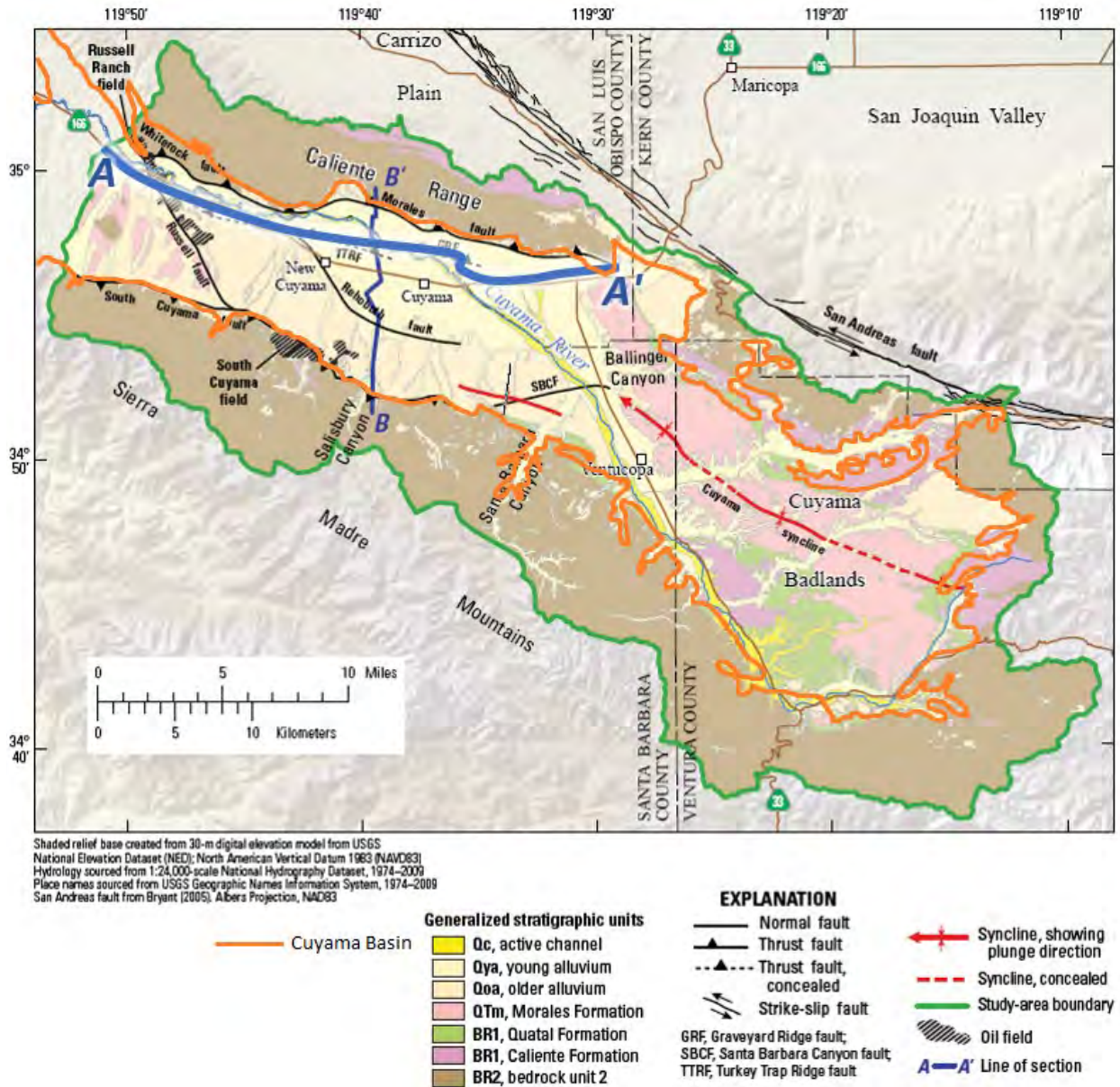
Figure C-8: Annual Evapotranspiration for Each Land Use Type

CBWRM Layering

The CBWRM subsurface zone is characterized by the following three model layers, representing geologic stratification from ground surface to bedrock (listed from top to bottom below) as follows:

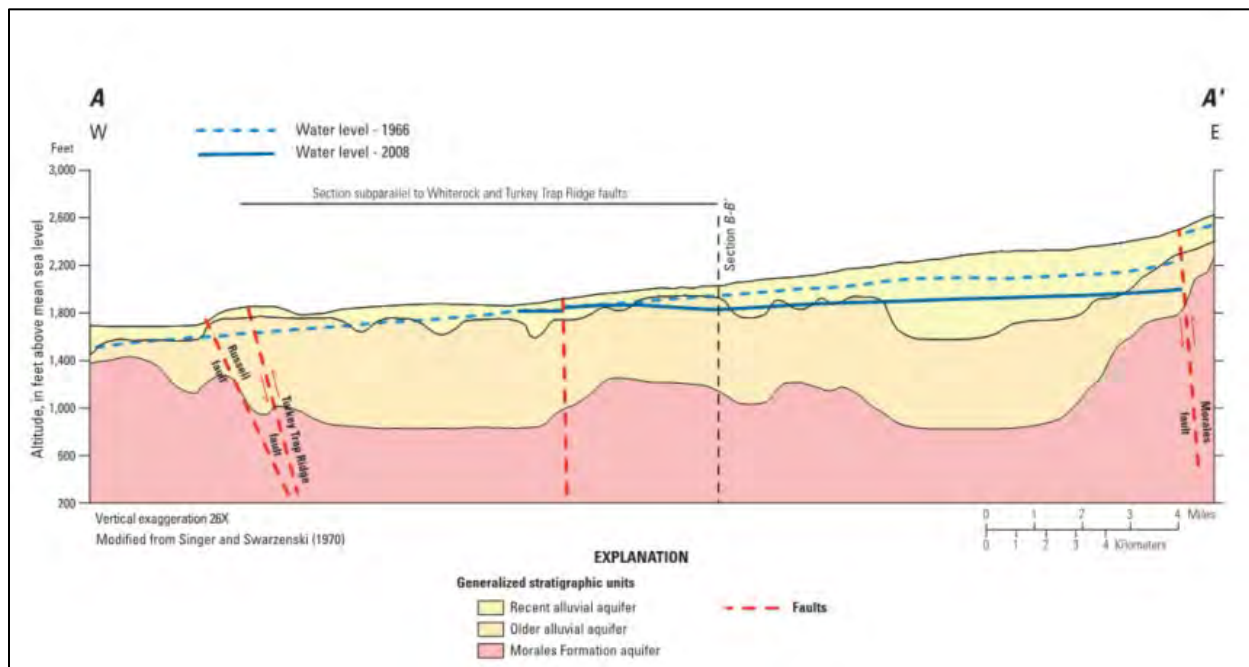
- Layer 1: Recent Alluvial aquifer
- Layer 2: Older Alluvial aquifer
- Layer 3: Morales Formation aquifer

These layers are primarily based on geologic stratification as defined by the USGS (USGS, 2015). They were refined using additional data sets as described in Chapter 2, Section 2.1 of the GSP. Figure C-9 shows the locations of cross sections across the central portion of the Basin as prepared by the USGS in 2013 (USGS, 2013). Figure C-10 shows a west-east cross section that runs near the towns of New Cuyama and Cuyama labeled A-A', and Figure C-11 shows a south-north cross section labeled B-B'. Figures C-12 through C-14 show the extents and thicknesses of layers 1, 2 and 3 in the CBWRM model.



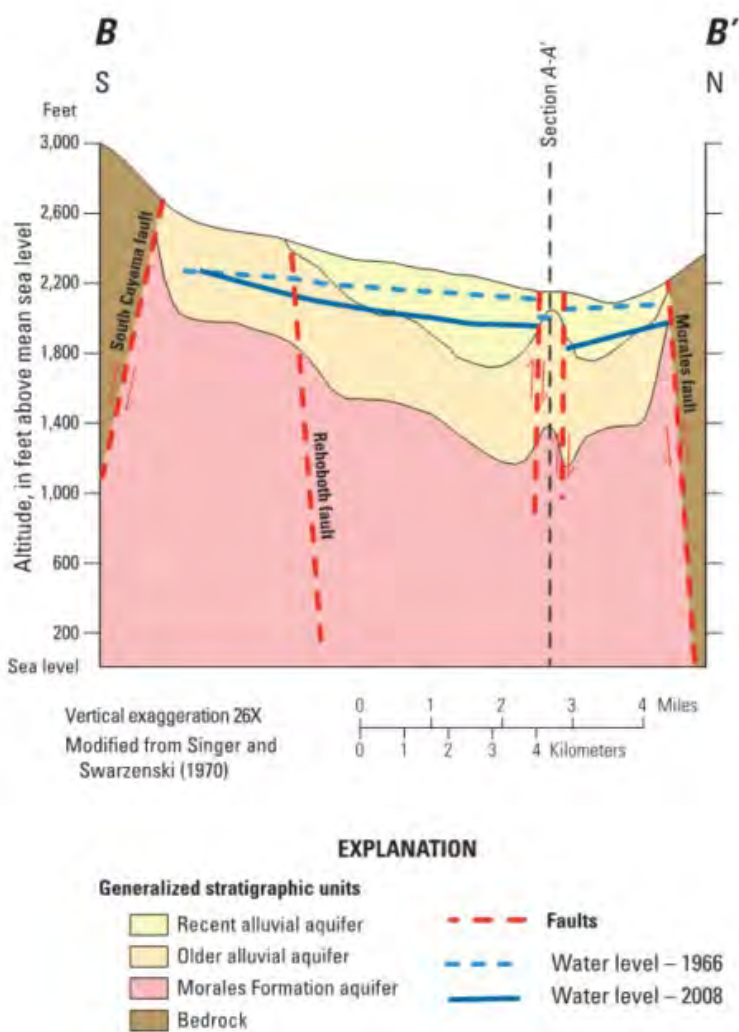
Source: USGS, 2015.

Figure C-9: Location of USGS 2015 Cross Sections



Source: USGS, 2015

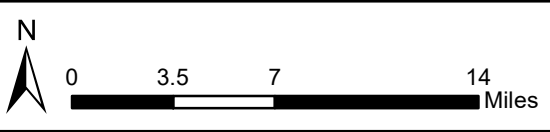
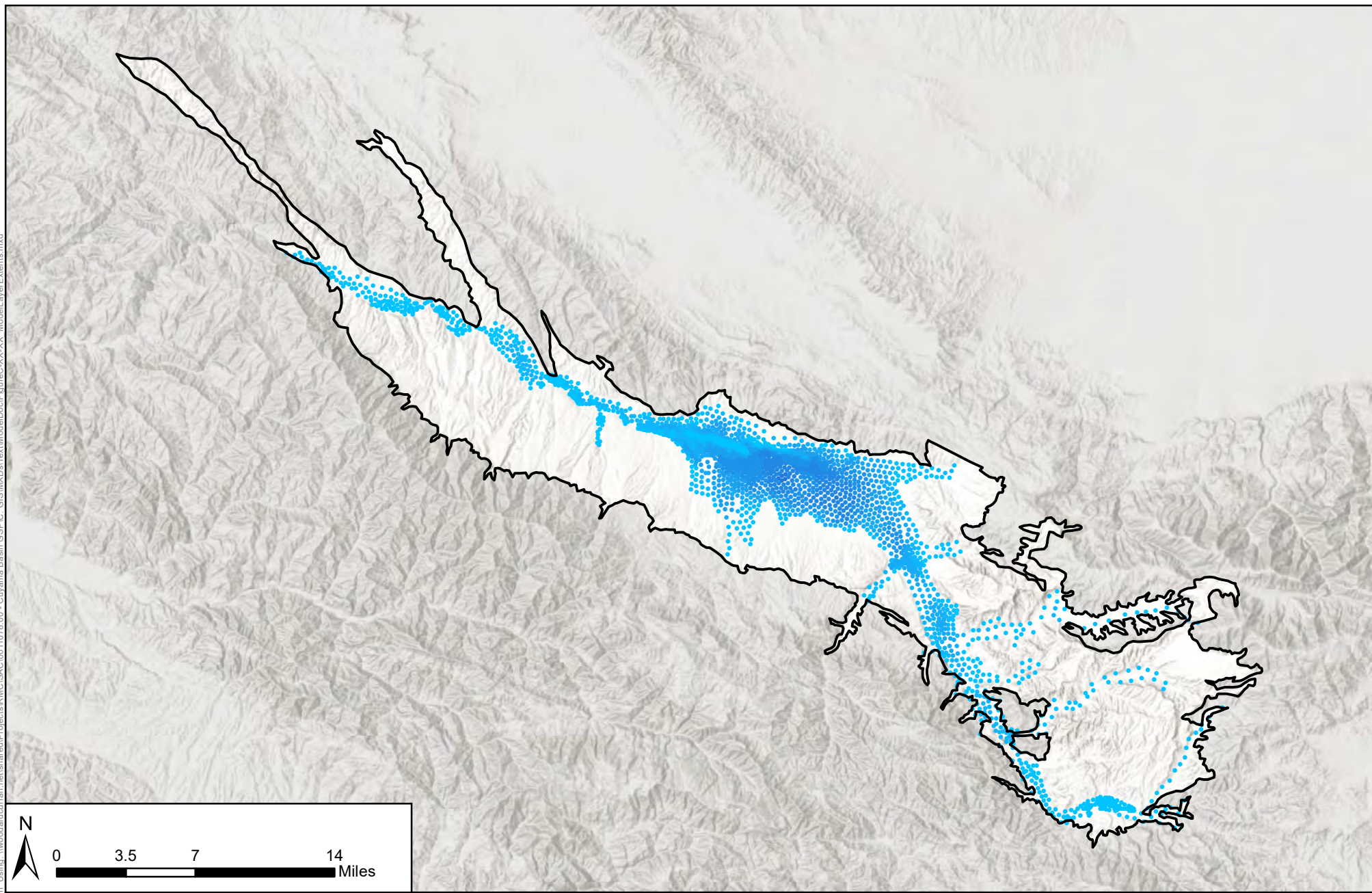
Figure C-10: USGS Cross Section A-A'



Source: USGS, 2015

Figure C-11: USGS Cross Section B-B'

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**Figure C-12 - CBWRM Layer 1
Extent and Thickness**

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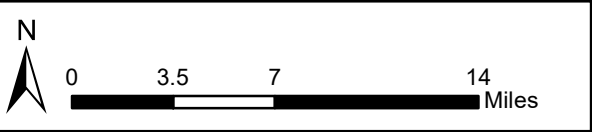
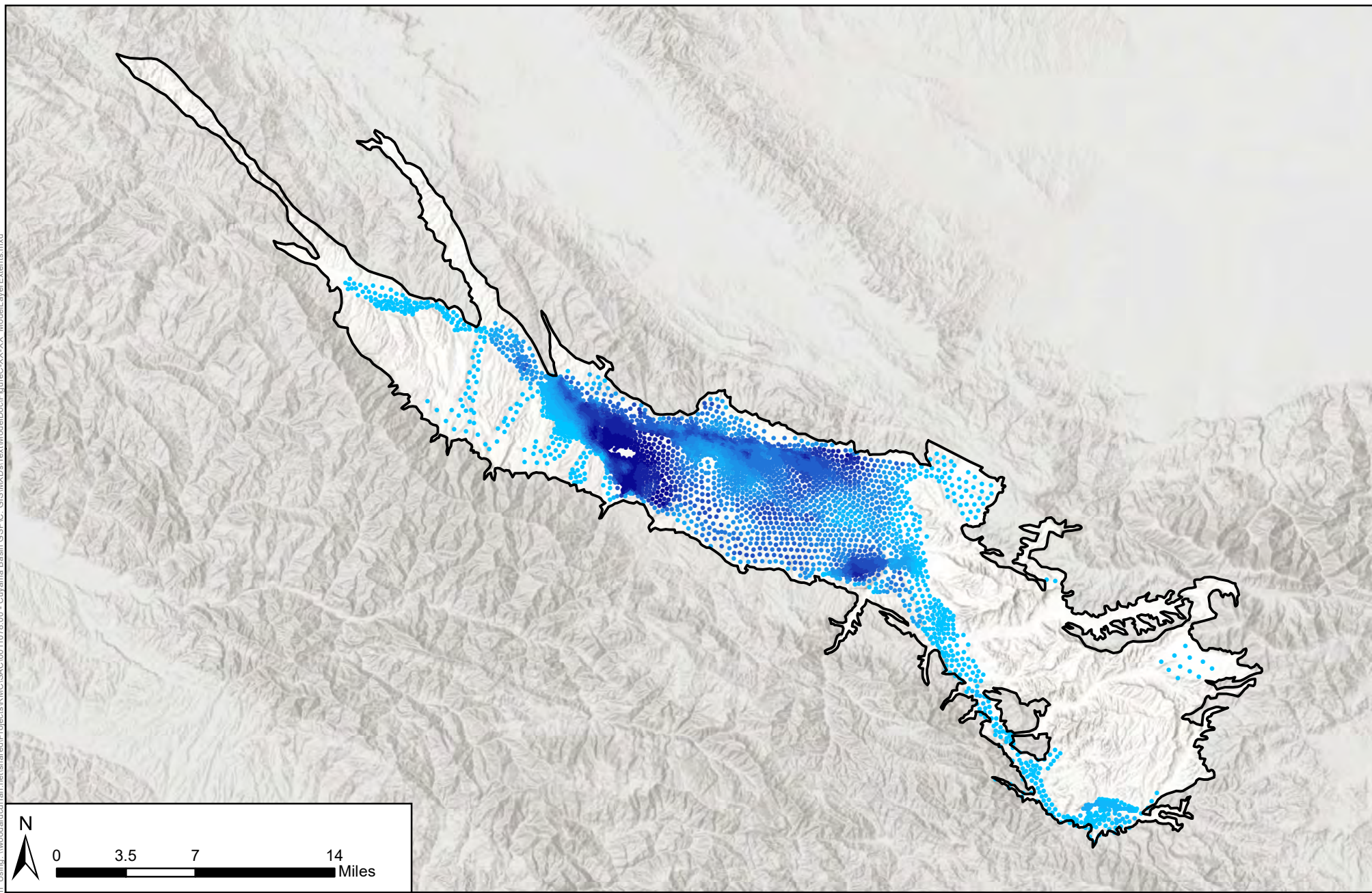
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Layer 1 Thickness (ft)		
• 10 - 100	• 401 - 500	• 901 - 1000
• 101 - 200	• 501 - 600	• 1001 - 1100
• 201 - 300	• 601 - 700	• 1101 - 1200
• 301 - 400	• 701 - 800	
	• 801 - 900	

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**Figure C-13 - CBWRM Layer 2
Extent and Thickness**

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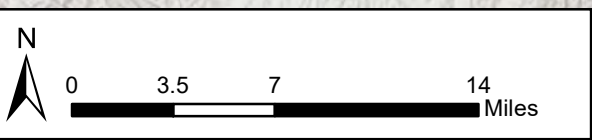
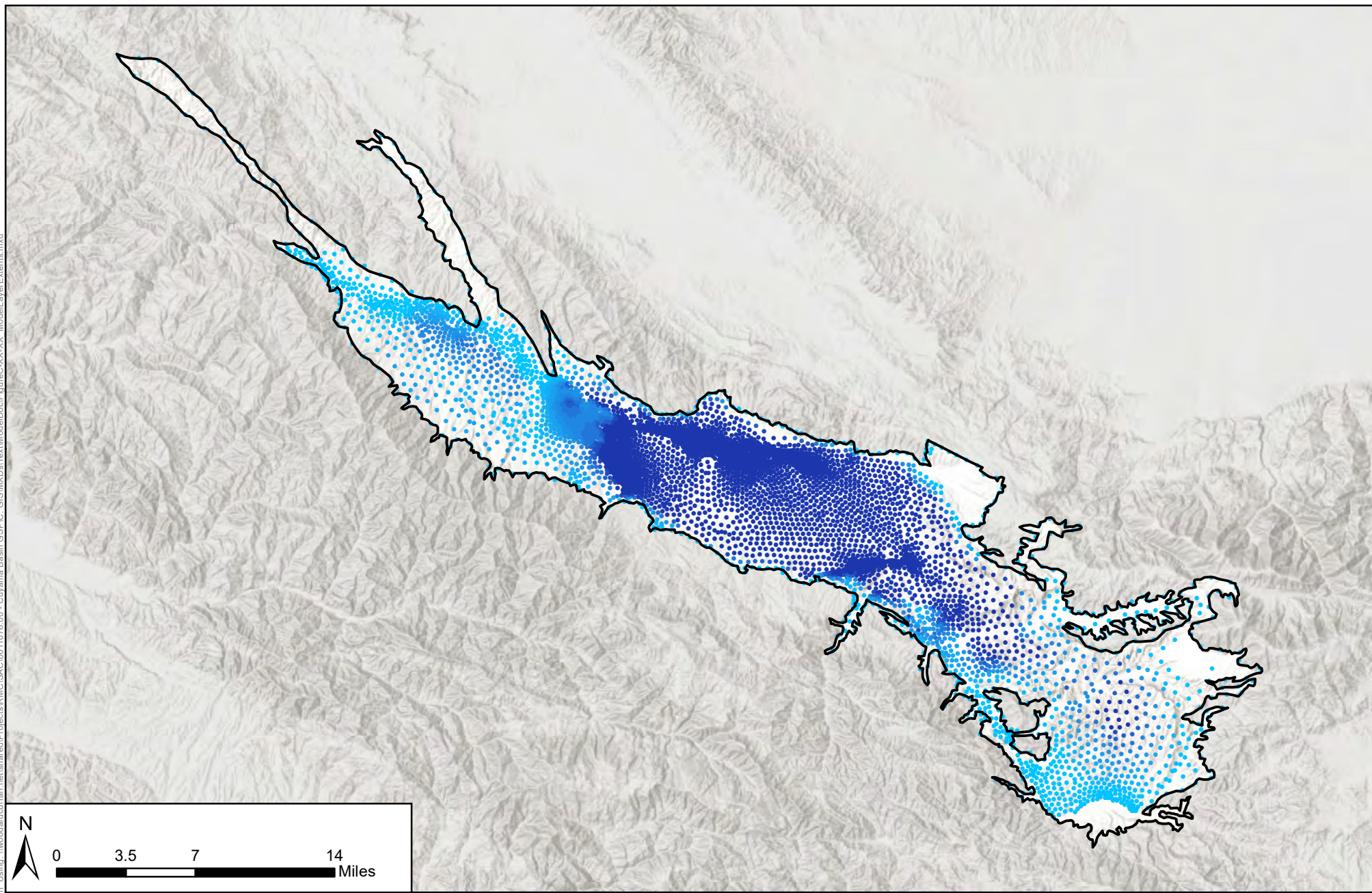
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**Figure C-14 - CBWRM Layer 3
Extent and Thickness**

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Layer 3 Thickness (ft)		
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• 101 - 200	• 501 - 600	• 1001 - 1100
• 201 - 300	• 601 - 700	• 1101 - 1200
• 301 - 400	• 701 - 800	
	• 801 - 900	



Boundary Conditions

As discussed in the previous section, both surface and subsurface inflows within the ungaged watershed areas tributary to the main Basin are simulated using small watersheds module of the CBWRM. No flow boundary conditions were assumed for the rest of the domain boundary.

Initial Conditions

Groundwater heads for each model node and each layer at the beginning of the historical simulation (i.e., October 1, 1994) were developed using groundwater level data described in Chapter 2, Section 2.2. Due to the lack of information on well depth and/or perforation for many of the wells used, groundwater heads for each model layer are assumed to be the same. During the calibration process, some refinements were made by layer, as needed. This assumption, however, results in the use of first few years of simulation for start-up period to stabilize the simulated groundwater levels. Therefore, the model calibration period effectively ends up to be the 20-year period of water years 1996 through 2015.

Water Supply and Demand Data

The following sections describe the data and methodology for the CBWRM water demand and supply calculations. Agricultural water demands were calculated in the IDC portion of IWF. Agricultural and domestic supplies are specified in the CBWRM's groundwater pumping data.

Agricultural Water Demand

Agricultural water demand is the amount of irrigation water that is required to satisfy the crops' evapotranspiration requirement after rainfall. The IDC is designed to estimate the agricultural water demand for each model element through consumptive use methodology. The IDC calculations rely on model input data for historical crop acreage, irrigation practices, soil moisture requirements, effective rainfall (the portion of rainfall available for crop consumptive use), crop evapotranspiration, and localized soil parameters. This data was compiled, analyzed, synthesized, and processed for input into CBWRM.

Domestic Water Use

IDC calculates urban water demand based on population and per capita water use, and the breakdown of indoor versus outdoor water use by month. For the Basin, the per capita water use was estimated using historical pumping estimates provided by the CCSD (CCSD 2010 to 2017) and population records published for the CCSD service area. Domestic water use during the historical period ranges between 100 and 200 acre-feet per year (AFY).



CBRWM Calibration

The goals of CBRWM calibration were as follows:

- Achieve a reasonable water budget for each component of the hydrologic cycle modeled (i.e., land and water use, soil moisture, stream flow, and groundwater) that is acceptable by the stakeholders to support the development of the GSP
- Maximize the agreement between simulated and observed groundwater levels at select well locations, and simulated and observed streamflow hydrographs at select gaging stations

These objectives are achieved through verification of model input data and adjustment of model parameters.

CBRWM calibration begins after data analysis and input data file development are completed. The calibration effort can be broken down into subsets that align with packages within the IWFM platform. As an integrated surface water and groundwater model, the results of each part of the simulation are dependent on one another. The model calibration can be considered a systematic process that includes the following activities:

- Calibrate water demand estimates for agricultural and urban sectors
- Calibrate surface water features, including the small watershed runoff, boundary flows, and streamflows
- Calibrate overall water budgets for the model area, and model subregions
- Calibrate simulated groundwater levels to observed groundwater levels
- Compare calibration performance with the calibration targets
- Conduct additional refinements to model as necessary

The CBWRM was calibrated to historical groundwater elevation data, with the calibration informed by local data provided by private landowners and other stakeholders.

Due to uncertainty in the initial conditions, a one-year warm-up period was included to allow groundwater levels to stabilize. Thus, the model calibration period for the CBWRM is October 1995 through September 2015, or water years 1996 through 2015 (i.e., 20 years).

Calibration of IDC and Root-Zone Parameters

The goal of IDC calibration is to estimate a reasonable urban and agricultural demand and develop the components of a balanced root zone budget. IDC calibration serves as the foundation of IWFM calibration as demand estimates directly affect the estimates of groundwater pumping. This part of the calibration effort focused primarily on refining individual budget items, while maintaining reasonable root zone parameters.

The calibrated IDC was used to estimate monthly agricultural water demand at each model element during the model hydrologic period. To adjust agricultural demand, elemental root zone parameters were adjusted in accordance with the hydrologic soil group. Figure C-15 shows estimates of annual agricultural water demand in the Basin from water year 1998 to water year 2017. The average annual agricultural water demand during these years is estimated to be approximately 59,000 AFY. The year-to-year variability in estimated agricultural demand reflects the variabilities in land use, precipitation, and temperature experienced historically in the Basin.

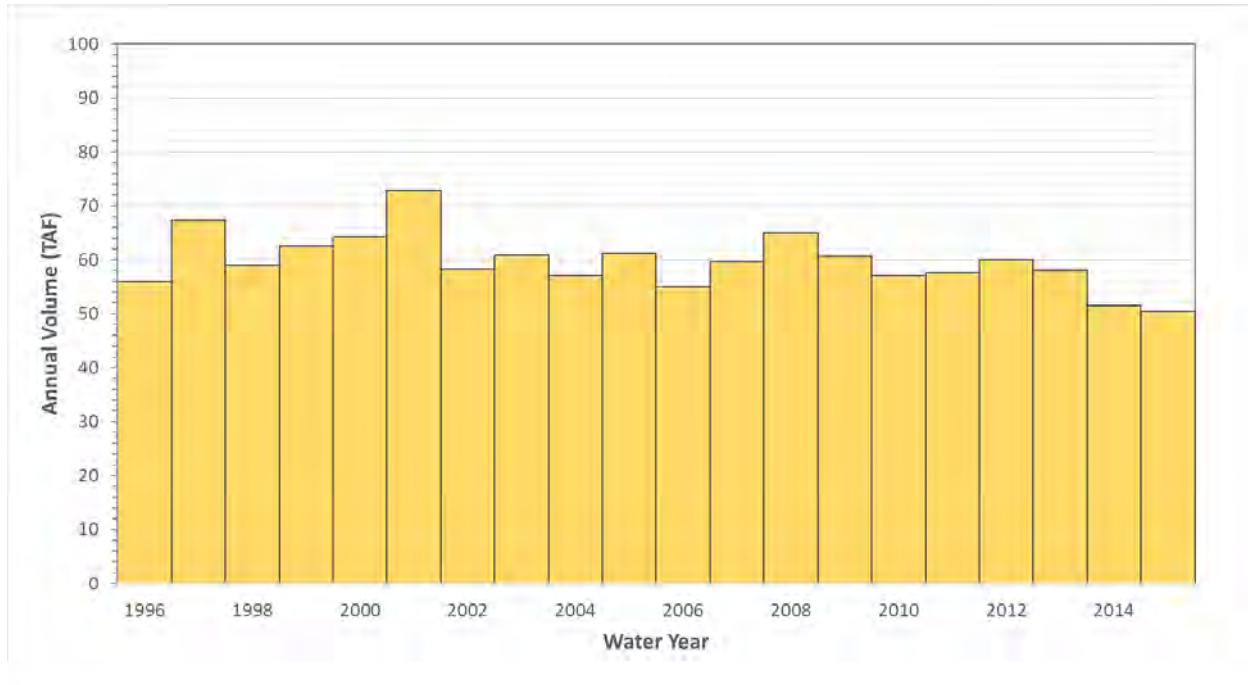


Figure C-15: Annual Agricultural Water Demand

Calibration of Surface Water Features

As discussed above, small watersheds were used to simulate inflows into the model from ungaged watersheds. The small watershed were split between surface water runoff that enters the stream system, percolation that occurs during transport to the streams, and baseflow entering the groundwater system at the model boundary.

In addition to the surface water flows coming from small watersheds, surface water runoff generated over the groundwater basin is collected in the stream network to simulate streamflows and stream-aquifer interaction. Stream-aquifer interaction is calculated based on stream stage, groundwater levels, and channel properties such as streambed hydraulic conductance.



As discussed above, limited streamflow data are available to perform calibration on surface water flows in the model. One USGS gage is available on the Cuyama River downstream of the Basin (ID 11136800), which is located just upstream of Lake Twitchell. The flows from this gage were adjusted to estimate flows at the downstream boundary of the Basin. These adjusted flows as well as available streamflow data from deactivated and active gages on small watersheds were then compared to the flows resulting from the model calibration process.

Calibration of Water Budgets

The aim of the calibration process is to ensure an accurate representation of the hydrologic characteristics of the Basin, confirmed through the analysis of the resulting water budgets. A water budget balances all supplies, demands, and any subsequent change in storage occurring within that specific portion of the hydrologic cycle. IWFM automatically outputs budgets at the subregion scale for processes involving groundwater, the surface layer, streams, the root zone, and small watersheds. IWFM can output select budget information down to a single element or any specific grouping of elements. This feature was used during the calibration process to prepare water budget information by certain geographic areas for planning and comparison purposes.

During this step of the calibration process, CBRWM results are reviewed and summarized into monthly and annual (by water year) budgets. Two key hydrologic components that were reviewed most frequently during the calibration process were the groundwater budget and the land and water use budget. During extensive analysis of water budgets, key model datasets and parameters were adjusted (including parameters related to soil and root zone, small watershed and boundary flows, stream system, and aquifer system), to better match the conceptual understanding of the Basin. CBWRM water budget results are summarized in the following sections.

Land Surface Water Budget

The following components are included in the land surface water budget:

- Inflows:
 - Precipitation
 - Applied Water
- Outflows:
 - Evapotranspiration (Agricultural and Native Vegetation)
 - Domestic Water Use
 - Deep Percolation
 - Runoff

Figure C-16 shows the annual time series of historical land surface inflows and outflows during the calibration period. The Basin experienced about 282,000 AF of inflows each year, of which 223,000 AF is from precipitation and the remainder is from applied water. About 223,000 AFY was consumed as

evapotranspiration and domestic use, with the remainder either recharging the groundwater aquifer as deep percolation, stream seepage or leaving the Basin as river flow.

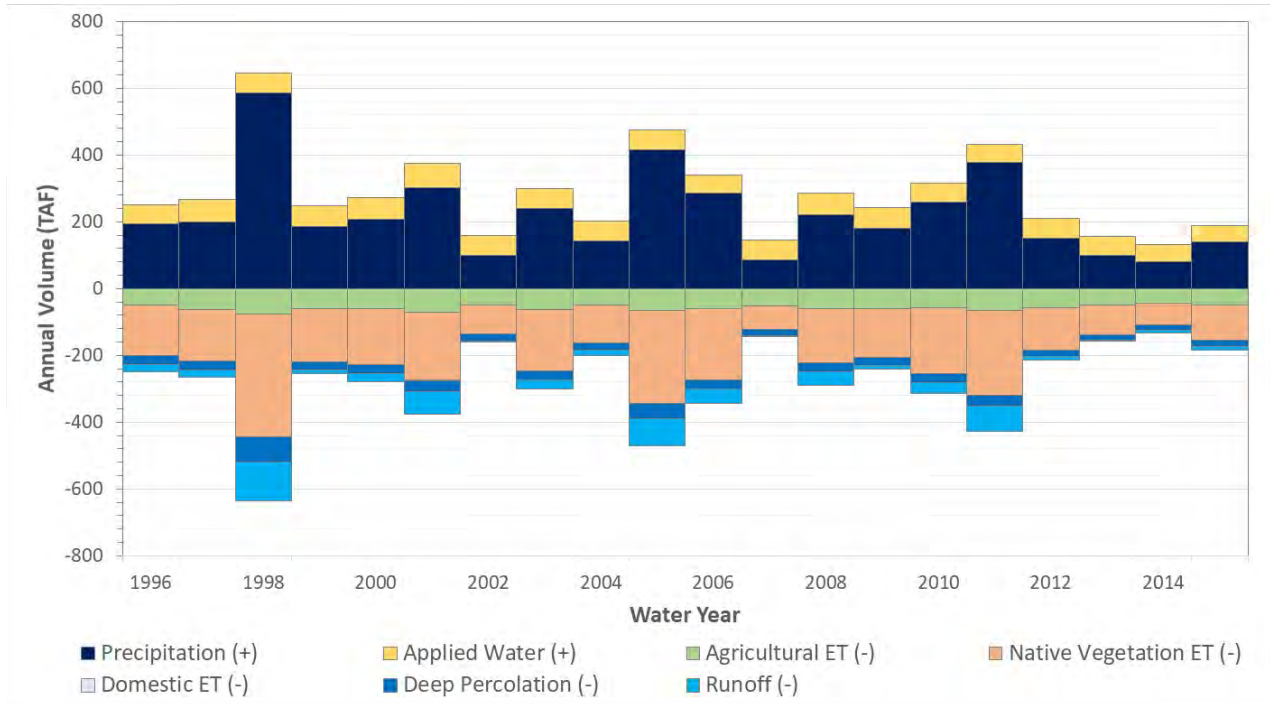


Figure C-16: Land Surface Water Budget Annual Time Series in the Calibration Period

Groundwater Budget

The following components are included in the groundwater water budget:

- Inflows:
 - Deep percolation
 - Gain from stream
 - Subsurface inflow
- Outflows:
 - Groundwater pumping

Figure C-17 shows the annual time series of groundwater inflows and outflows during the calibration period. The Basin average annual historical groundwater budget has greater outflows than inflows, leading to an average annual deficit in groundwater storage of 24,000 AF. The groundwater storage decreases consistently over time, despite year-to-year variability in groundwater inflows.

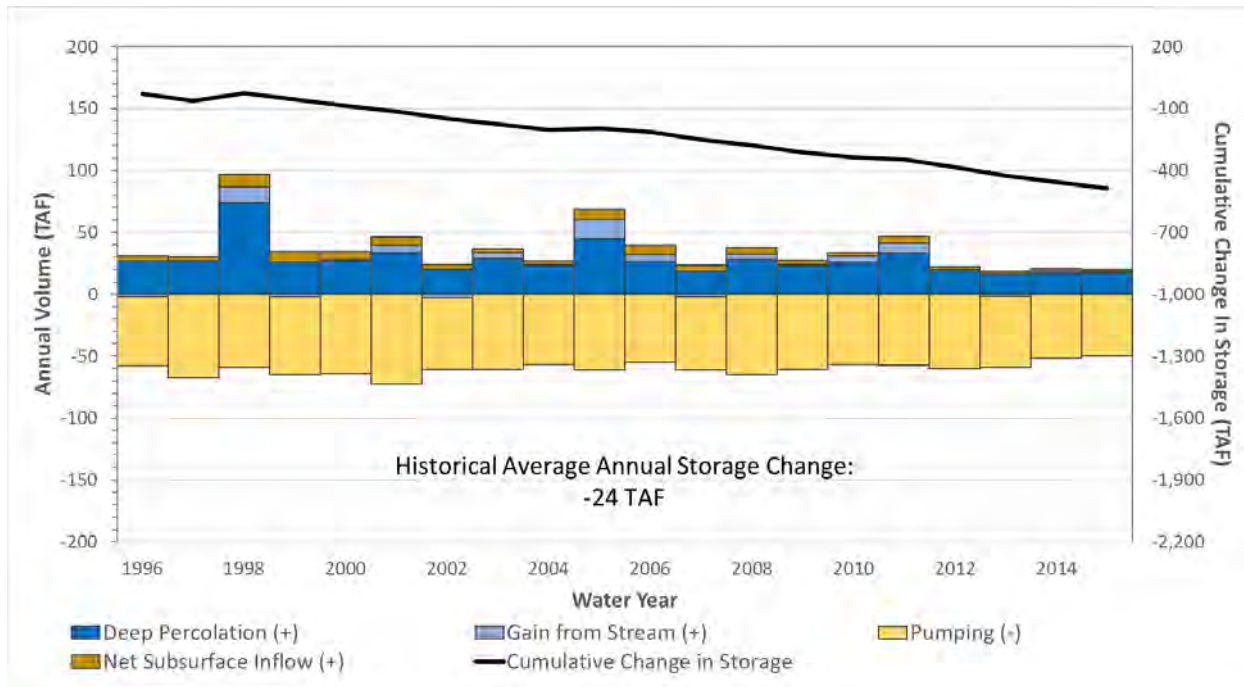


Figure C-17: Groundwater Budget Annual Time Series in the Calibration Period

Groundwater Level Calibration

The goal of groundwater level calibration is to achieve reasonable agreement between the simulated and observed values (in this case, groundwater levels at the calibration wells). Within the CBWRM, 65 wells were used to evaluate the model calibration at both a regional and local scale. These wells are included in the CBGSA's Opti data management system. The calibration wells were selected based on their period of record and availability of observation data, spatial distribution across the model, and trends of nearby wells. These calibration wells are shown in Figure C-18.

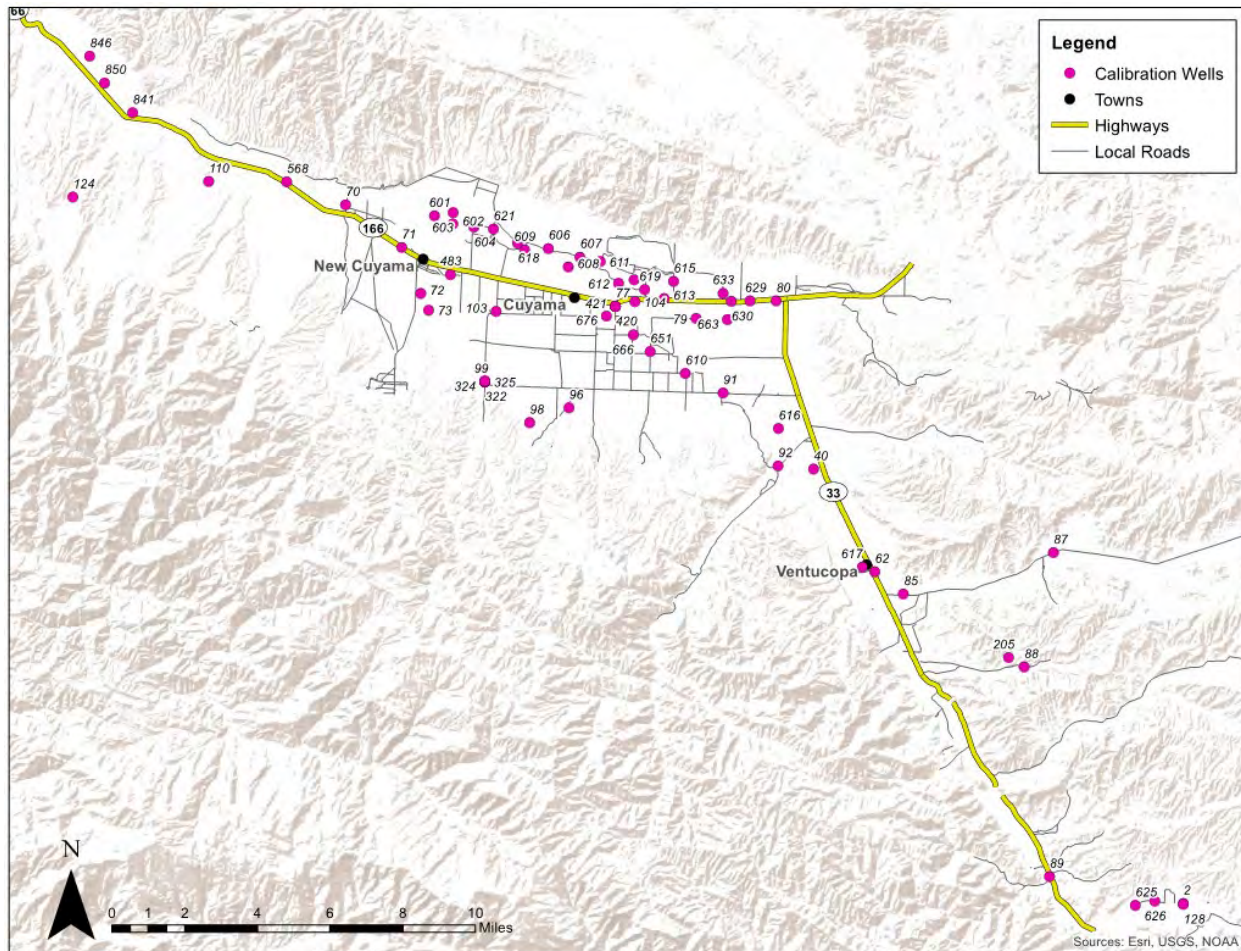


Figure C-18: Location of Calibration Wells



Simulated groundwater levels were calibrated to observed levels through systematic adjustments to aquifer parameters including hydraulic conductivity, specific storage, and specific yield. The goal of groundwater level calibration is to achieve the maximum agreement between simulated and observed groundwater elevations at calibration wells while maintaining aquifer parameters within reasonable range. The groundwater level calibration is performed in two stages as follows:

- The initial calibration effort is focused on the regional scale to verify hydrogeological assumptions made during model data development and confirm the accuracy of general groundwater flow directions. During this stage, simulated groundwater elevation trends, flow directions, and groundwater gradients are compared to those that can be synthesized from the reported data.
- The second stage of calibration of groundwater levels is to compare the simulated and observed groundwater levels at each calibration well. This comparison provides information on the overall model performance during the simulation period. The simulated groundwater elevations at the calibration wells were compared with corresponding observed values for concurrence in long-term trends as well as seasonal fluctuations.

The results of the groundwater level calibration indicate that CBWRM reasonably simulates long-term hydrologic responses under various hydrologic conditions, and the short-term monthly or seasonal fluctuations. Attachment 3 shows a selection of calibration wells with their resulting groundwater level hydrographs.

Figures C-19 and C-20 show a statistical comparison of the final simulated and observed groundwater levels across the entire Basin. As shown in these figures, the model results show a strong correlation with the observed data.

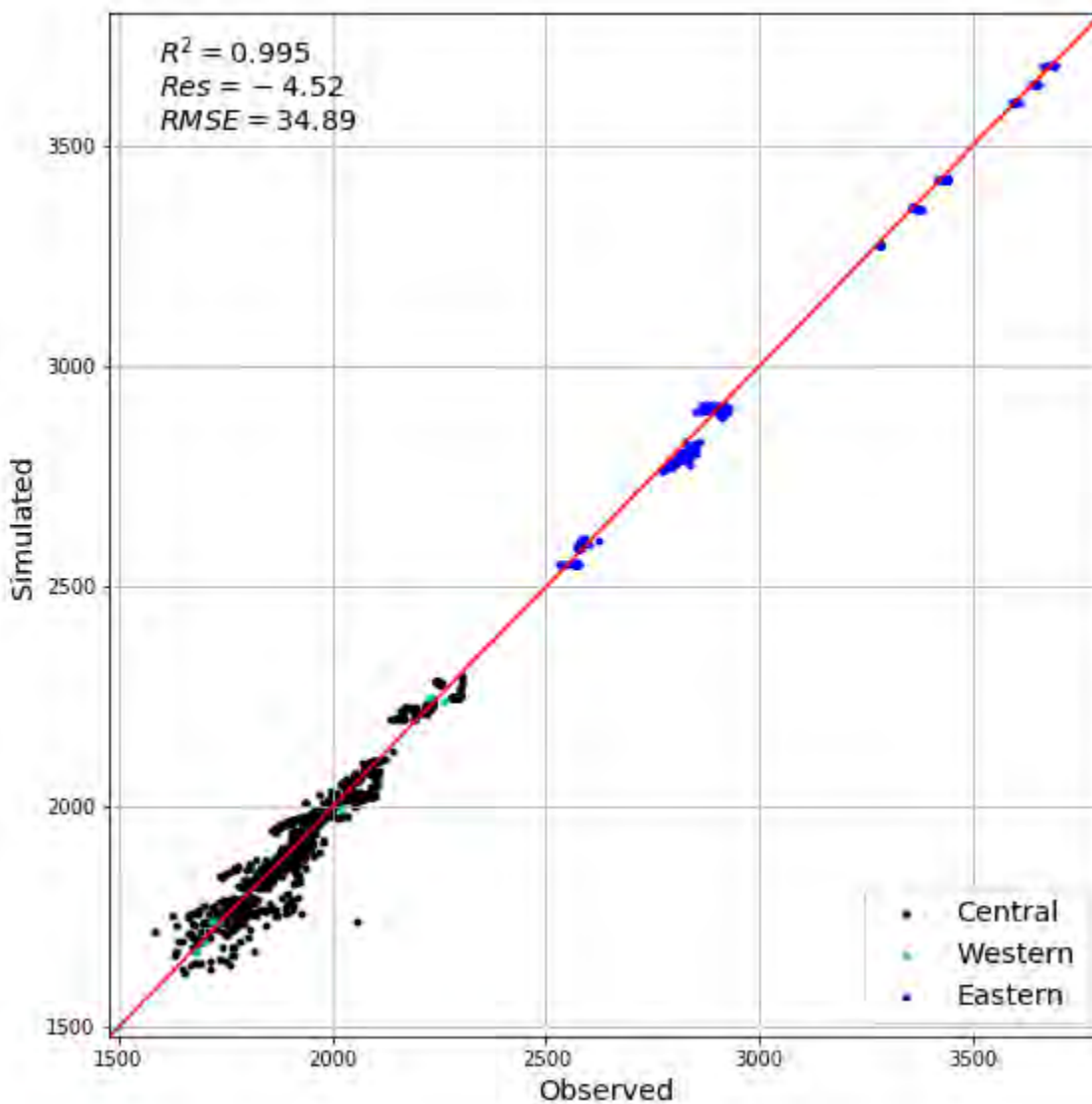


Figure C-19: Comparison of Simulated and Observed Groundwater Levels

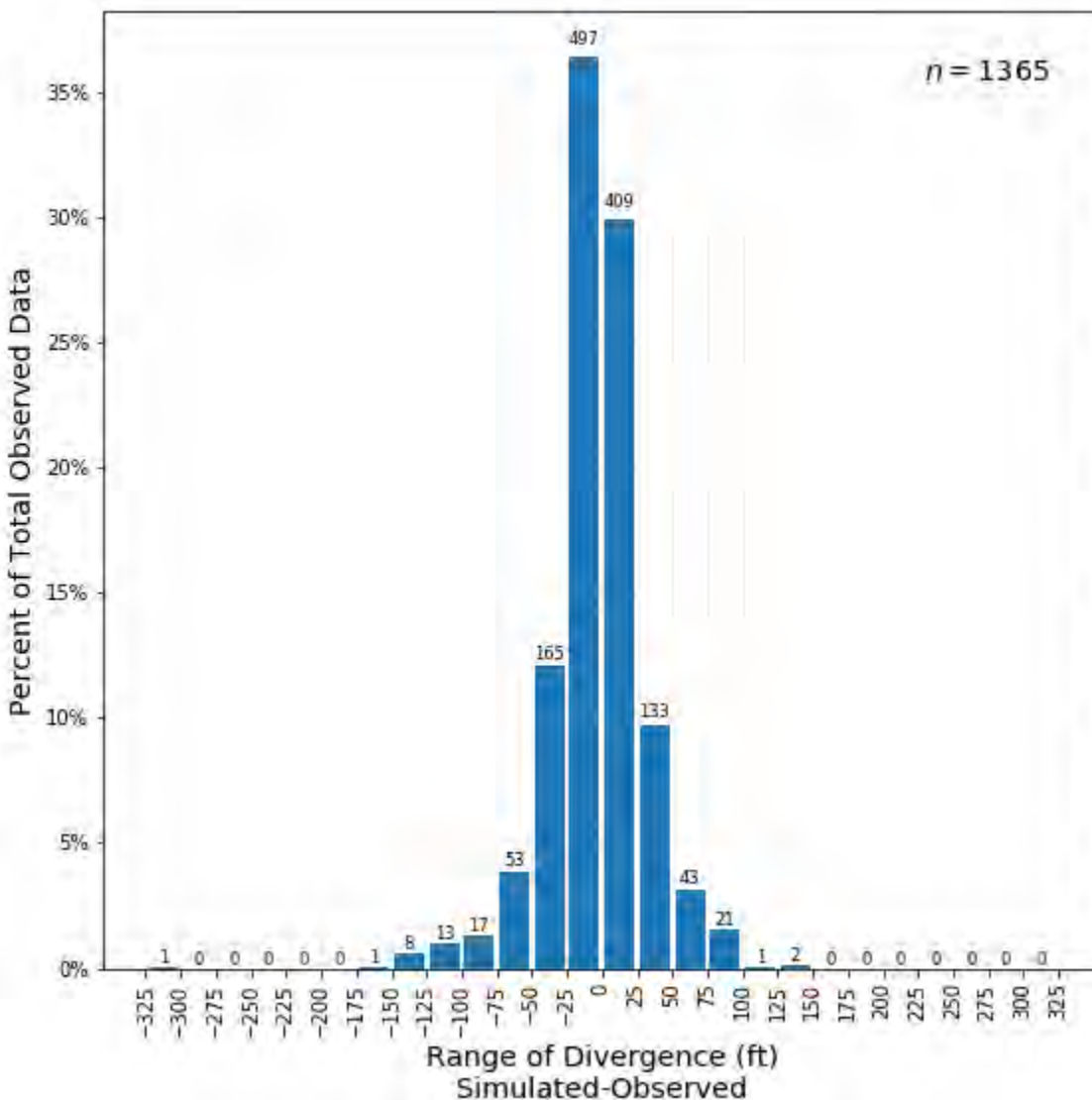


Figure C-20: Histogram of Divergence of Simulated Groundwater Levels from Observed Data

Uncertainty and Sensitivity Assessment

To incorporate the uncertainty that originates from various model inputs such as hydraulic parameters, land use, irrigation practices and agricultural demand, an ensemble of perturbed simulation results were analyzed to quantify the overall effect on the groundwater storage change over the historical simulation period.



Table C-3 shows the range of aquifer hydraulic parameters used in CBWRM as compared to reported values from historical USGS studies. The ranges of horizontal hydraulic conductivity used in CBWRM for layers 1 and 2 is similar to the USGS values. In layer 3, it was necessary to set CBWRM values lower than the reported USGS values in order to provide a good match with historical groundwater levels. The specific yield and specific storage values used in CBWRM are consistent with typical values used for similar geologic formations.

Table C-3: Range of Aquifer Parameters in CBWRM as Compared to Reported Values

Study	Horizontal Hydraulic Conductivity (feet/day)			Specific Yield	Specific Storage
	Layer 1	Layer 2	Layer 3		
CBWRM	3.0x10 ⁻¹ to 2.4x10 ¹	1.0x10 ⁻² to 1.0x10 ¹	1.1x10 ⁻⁴ to 3.5x10 ⁻²	0.08 to 0.25	10 ⁻⁶ to 10 ⁻⁴
USGS Pumping Tests ^a	1.9x10 ⁻¹ to 5.3x10 ¹	5.3x10 ⁻² to 2.6x10 ¹	6.6x10 ⁻² to 2.7x10 ⁻¹	N/A	N/A
USGS Slug Tests ^a	N/A	1.5x10 ⁰ to 2.8x10 ¹	1.6x10 ⁰ to 9.9x10 ⁰	N/A	N/A

^aUSGS, 2013b



Table C-4 shows the sensitivity of Basin-wide storage change to various model parameters. Groundwater pumping was tested by simulating plus or minus 20 percent of the baseline value, while the other parameters were tested by multiplying the baseline values by 0.1 and 10 (for specific storage) or by 0.2 and 5 (for the other parameters). Basin-wide storage was found to be most sensitive to groundwater pumping, followed by soil percolation potential and streambed seepage potential.

Table C-4: Sensitivity of Basin-wide Storage Change to Different Parameters

Parameter	Change Factor	Maximum Range (AF)	Deviation of Maximum Range (percent)	Minimum Range (AF)	Deviation of Minimum Range (percent)	Range of Deviation (percent)
Groundwater Pumping	±20	34,945	+45	13,114	-46	91
Aquifer Hydraulic Conductivity	x0.2/x5.0	26,050	+8	23,103	-4	12
Specific Yield for Shallow Aquifer System	x0.2/x5.0	26,124	+8	23,384	-3	11
Specific Storage for Semi-confined Aquifer Systems	x0.1/x10.0	24,153	0	23,985	0	<1
Streambed Seepage Potential	x0.2/x5.0	29,368	+22	20,054	-17	39
Soil Percolation Potential	x0.2/x5.0	26,688	+11	17,118	-29	40
Tributary Watershed Flows	x0.2/x5.0	25,107	+4	24,103	0	4

Accounting for these uncertainties in combination with comparisons of observed and simulated groundwater elevations, the upper and lower bounds for the cumulative groundwater storage change are presented in Figure C-21 below. The upper and lower bounds for the average groundwater storage change that result in a similar correlation of observed and simulated groundwater elevations are estimated to range from 22,000 to 27,000 AFY.

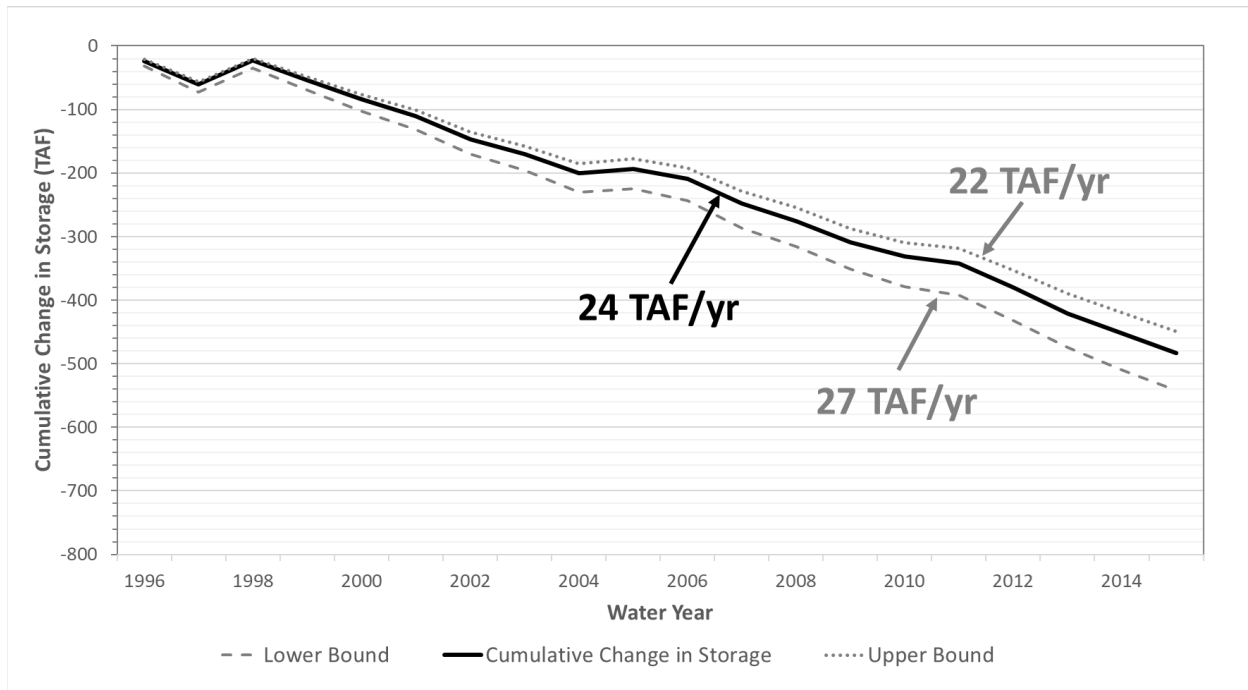


Figure C-21: Lower and Upper Bounds for the Groundwater Storage Change

Conclusions and Recommendations

The CBWRM is the latest analytical model based on DWR’s state-of-the science modeling platform, IWFEM. The CBWRM has relied on data sets from various sources, and was developed to support GSP development with the primary purpose of assessing hydrologic and groundwater conditions in the Basin during the recent historical period from water 1998 to water year 2017. CBWRM also assesses hydrologic and groundwater conditions under the Basin’s current level of development and under projected conditions.

Based on analysis, the following conclusions are made:

- 1- CBRWM is reasonably calibrated, and reflects a reasonable representation of the Basin’s hydrologic and hydrogeologic conditions
- 2- CBRWM calibration meets the intended need to support GSP development
- 3- GSP stakeholders and the Technical Forum have reviewed model development and calibration results, and have agreed that the CBWRM, as it stands, is an appropriate tool to be used for assessment of and planning for sustainable groundwater conditions in the Basin.



The following recommended actions would support future model updates:

- **Continue engagement with local stakeholders.** Continue working with local agencies and groundwater users in the Basin to further understand the local operations of the groundwater system and improve representation of groundwater users in the model by collecting additional data. Specific data to be considered are irrigation practices outside the main District areas, groundwater level data, information on the well profiles and characteristics.
- **Perform additional hydrogeological conceptualization.** Specific areas can benefit from additional hydrogeologic investigations. These include eastern part of the basin in the vicinity of the Ventucopa area, as well as the western part of the model, downgradient from the Russel Fault. In addition, data about effectiveness of the fault system in the area are very sparse. Additional targeted groundwater exploration and/or groundwater level monitoring should focus on the areas near the fault systems.
- **Improve streamflow record collection.** Currently, there are no long-term streamflow gaging stations within the CBWRM. As part of GSP implementation, at least two streamflow gaging stations should be installed and monitored regularly, so that Basin inflows and outflows are properly monitored.
- **Improve representation of small watersheds.** Surface water flow from and evapotranspiration losses in the ungaged watersheds represent a relatively large portion of the Basin water budgets. Additional investigations on the native vegetation ET, and runoff conditions in the ungaged watersheds can improve model representation of this feature.
- **Develop groundwater pumping estimates.** As groundwater pumping is the primary outflow from the groundwater system, an accurate representation of outflow significantly improve CBWRM performance. A pilot project is recommended to monitor and measure groundwater use and well discharge for select parcels based on cropping patterns and geographic location relative to the river and relative to other hydrologic features, such as faults.

Incorporate future data into model calibration. Data will be collected using the CBGSA's groundwater monitoring network, and should be used to re-assess and improve the HCM, CBWRM parameter values and CBWRM calibration, especially in areas of the Basin where little or no data exist currently. In addition, model predictions should be compared to actual future climate and water availability conditions to provide insights into model performance.

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Attachment C-1

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