



## Precipitation-Runoff Processes in the Feather River Basin, Northeastern California, and Streamflow Predictability, Water Years 1971-97: Usgs Scientific Investigations Report 2004-5202

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