**09. Reservoirs in the Wet and**

**Dry Seasons**

Learning objectives:

* Learn about how climate affects the storage position of reservoirs

Reservoirs in the wet and dry seasons

Try to differentiate which photo is taken in the dry season and which is in the wet season. Circle the correct answers.

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| Dry season / Wet season | Dry season / Wet season |
| Apr to Sep / Oct to Mar | Apr to Sep / Oct to Mar |
| Frequent rains / Very dry weather | Frequent rains / Very dry weather |
| Storage position increases /  Storage position decreases | Storage position increases /  Storage position decreases |
| Water level drops /  Reservoir overflows | Water level drops /  Reservoir overflows |

Conclusion:

The storage positions in dry and wet seasons vary greatly, the water in reservoirs maybe overflow or the water level may drop to a minimum. In Hong Kong, the   
season usually occurs around to , where there is usually heavy rainfall in and which will sometimes last for a few days, the storage position of reservoirs. Therefore, some reservoirs will experience . On the other hand, the season occurs from to . Since the weather is very dry,   
 will be inadequate, and the water levels of reservoirs will greatly.

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