COPAN LAKE

LOCATION OF DAM—Copan Dam is in the Arkansas River Basin on Little Caney River at mile 7.4, Lat. 36°53′03″, Long. 95°57′51″ in Sec. 30, T28N, R13E in Washington County about 2 miles west of the town of Copan and about 9 miles north of Bartlesville.

CONSTRUCTION STATUS—Constructed by Corps of Engineers—Construction began in November 1972 and was placed in useful operation on April 1, 1983. Cost of the project was \$89,277,000.

PURPOSE/AUTHORIZATION—Flood control, water supply, water quality control, recreation and fish and wildlife. Authorized by the Flood Control Act approved October 23, 1962. Project Document HD 563, 87th Congress, Second Session.

STRUCTURE DATA—The rolled earthfill dam has a top width of 32 feet and a length of 7,730 feet and rises 70 feet above the streambed. The spillway, controlled by four 50×35.5 foot tainter gates, is 495 feet long and has a maximum discharge of 199,000 cfs.

SHORELINE LENGTH-30 miles

DRAINAGE AREA—505 square miles

DEPTH—Mean 8.95 ft., Max. 35 ft. Based on normal pool elevation.

LAKE DATA-

	Elevation	Area	Capacity
	(NGVD)	(Acres)	(Acre-Feet)
Flood pool	732.0	13,380	227,700
Normal pool	710.0	4,850	43,400

RECREATIONAL AREAS	FACILITIES	Boat Ramp	Picnic Area	Designated Campsites	Drinking Water	Group Shelter	Restrooms	Showers	Swimming Beach	Change House	Trailer Dump Station	Electric Outlets	Concession Services	Playground	Nature Trail	Marina	Golf Course	Cabins	Enclosed Fishing Dock	Boat Rentals	Swimming Pool
Post Oak Park				•			•														
Osage Plains		•		•			•														
Copan Point		•	•				•		•	•											
Washington Cove		•		•			•														



