Dams in the Mekong Basin, China
Commissioned, Under Construction and Planned Dams in September 2017

Map Description:
The map shows every known commissioned, under-construction, and planned dam in these parts of the Mekong River Basin in China. Only hydropower dams of 15 megawatts installed capacity and above are indicated; only irrigation reservoirs of 0.5 km² and above are indicated. Dams without labels are ones for which names have yet to be identified.

Data Sources:
The locations for the dams displayed on this map are derived from the WLE Greater Mekong Dams database, available here https://wle-mekong.cgiar.org/maps.

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Legend
Dams

- Hydropower (planned)
- Hydropower (under construction)
- Hydropower (commissioned)
- Hydropower (cancelled)
- Irrigation (commissioned)
- Multi-purpose (planned)
- Multi-purpose (under construction)
- Multi-purpose (commissioned)
- Water Supply (commissioned)

Mekong River System

- Mainstream
- Tributaries
- Lakes & reservoirs

Cites

- National capital
- Major city
- National boundary

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- Hydropower dams of 15 megawatts installed capacity and above are indicated; only irrigation reservoirs of 0.5 km² and above are indicated.
- Names of dams and reservoirs are ones for which names have yet to be identified.
- This map covers the Mekong River basin from the source in China to the delta in Vietnam.

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