

WATFLOOD® / CHARM™

Canadian Hydrological And Routing Model

Programmers Manual

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WATFLOOD overview

WATFLOOD has three distinct components:

CHARM*.exe – the hydrological and routing model

SNW*.exe, MOIST*.exe, RAGMET*.exe and TMP*.exe – point data to gridded data conversion

And then a host of data processing and conversion programs to ingest meteorological and hydrometric data.

The next page shows the complete list with links to the executables.

Following the list of executables are screenshots of the Solution Explorer in Microsoft Visual Studio showing the subroutines (s/r's) in each program

Downloading WATFLOOD code

The watflood code is released as open source with the [GNU Lesser General Public License](http://www.gnu.org/licenses/)

The code may be downloaded by installing TortoiseSVN with the following folders on your computer:

Watflood\model

Watflood\utilities

Watflood\common

The setting the repository browser for each folder:

svn://watflood.uwaterloo.ca/watflood/model

svn://watflood.uwaterloo.ca/watflood/utilities

svn://watflood.uwaterloo.ca/watflood/common

You should then be able to checkout the code

Login is 'anonymous'

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WATFLOOD Components

Function

Watershed model

CHARM64x & CHARM64d

Download the model executables by agreeing to accept the Disclaimers in the WATFLOOD manual and those stated in the code.

Utilities (WATFLOOD Manual)

.map to _shd.r2c converter

Snow course distribution

Soil Moisture distribution

Precipitation distribution

Temperature distribution

Daily Temperature Differences

Event file generator

Dynamically Dimensioned Search - DDS

<http://www.civil.uwaterloo.ca/btolson/papers.htm>

WATFLOOD-DDS coupler

Statistical analysis

Model setup & Env. Can. data conversion

Selecting CCC climate stations

Convert CCC climate data to tb0 format

Convert WSC HYDAT flow data to tb0 format

Convert WSC HYDAT flow data to tb0 format

Convert WSC HYDAT level data to tb0 format

Disaggregation of Gridded Precipitation **NEW**

Forecasting

Create bat files for downloading CaPA, Regl & Glb forecasts & WSC provisional flows

Convert CMC Regl. forecast to watershed r2c format

Convert CMC glb. forecast to watershed r2c format

Convert WSC downloaded provisional flows to tb0 format

File conversion - old to new formats

Executable

To get CHARM x & d respectively:

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manual

[BSN64X.ZIP](#) [BSN64D.ZIP](#)

[SNW64.ZIP](#)

[moist64.zip](#)

[ragmet64x.zip](#) [ragmet64d.zip](#)

[tmp64x.zip](#) [tmp64d.zip](#)

[diff.zip](#)

[make evt.zip](#)

[DDS_p.zip](#)

[dds_wfld_rev5.zip](#)

[stats64.zip](#)

[Utilities_Manual.pdf](#)

[select](#)

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[ECflw](#)

[ECrel](#)

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[Flow_Forecasting_Manual.pdf](#)

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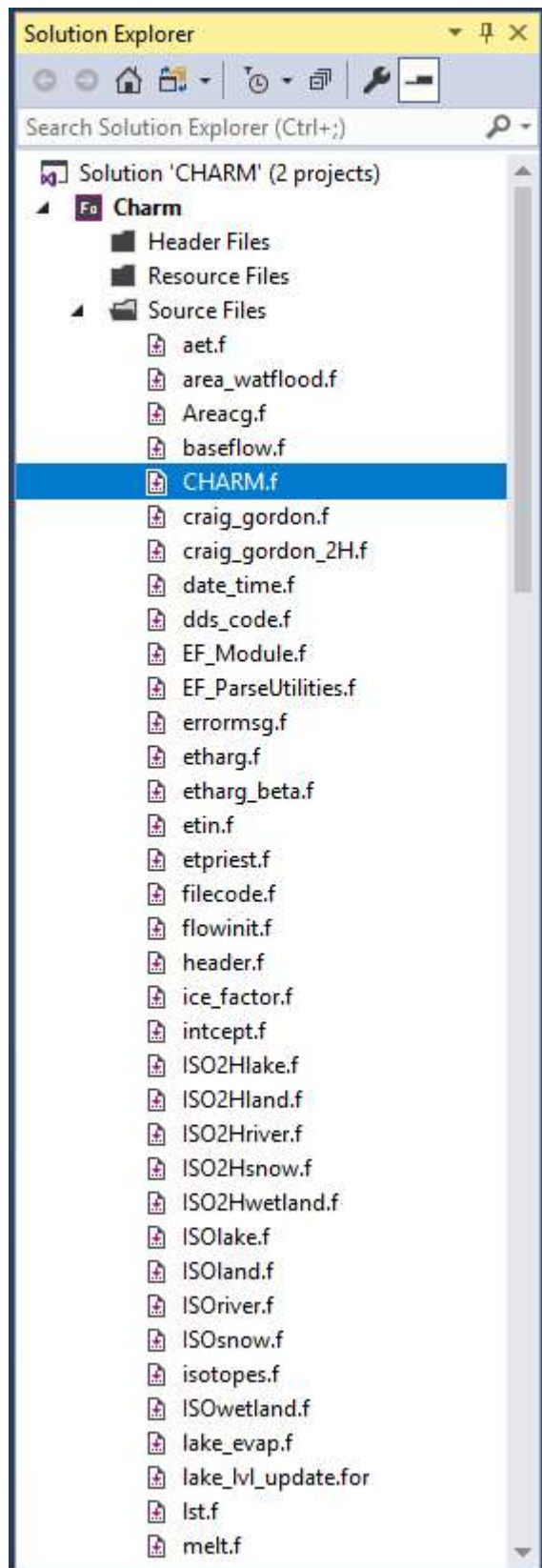
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CHARM program components

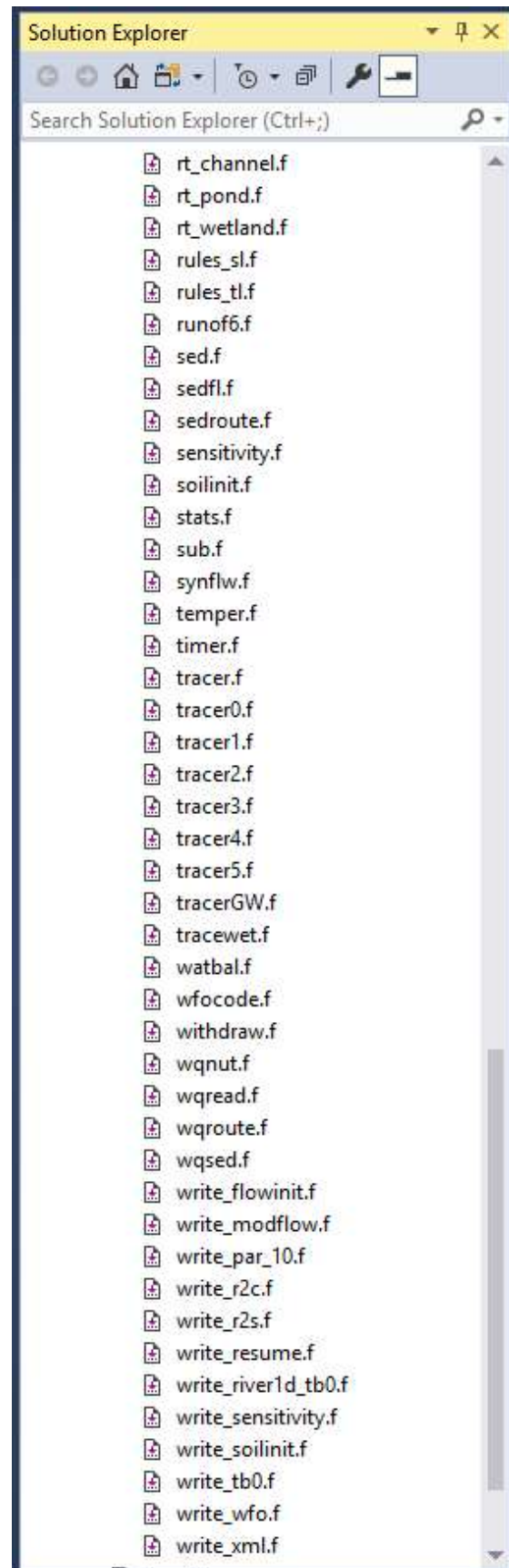
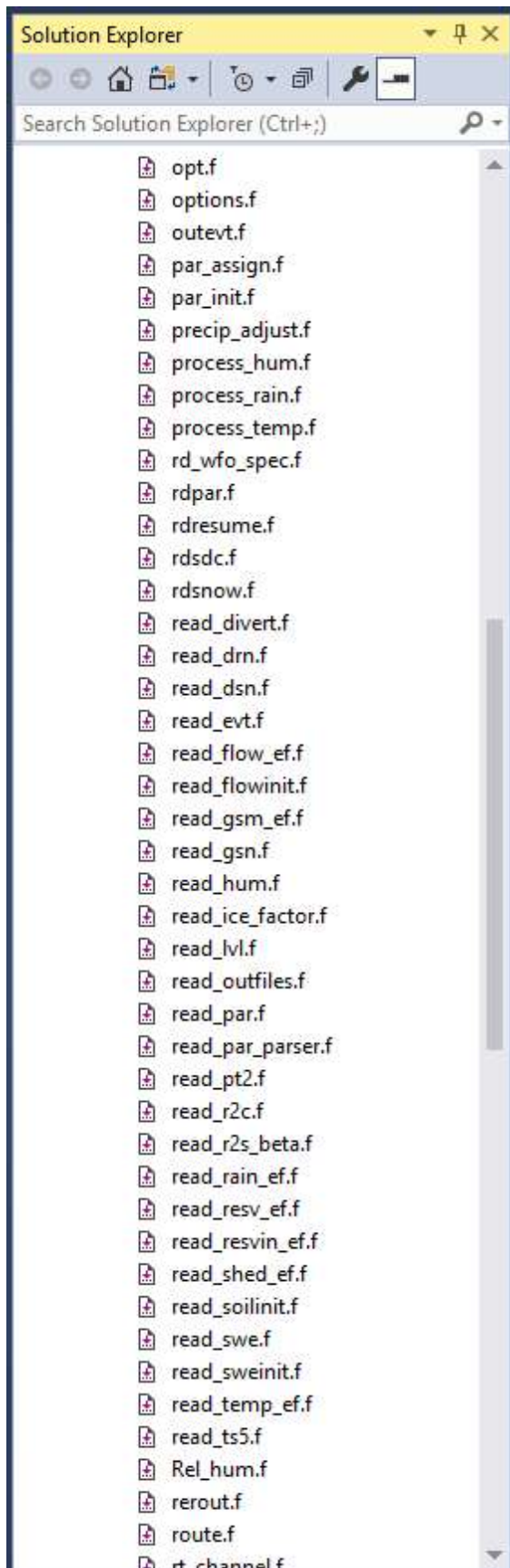
CHARM is the hydrological model.

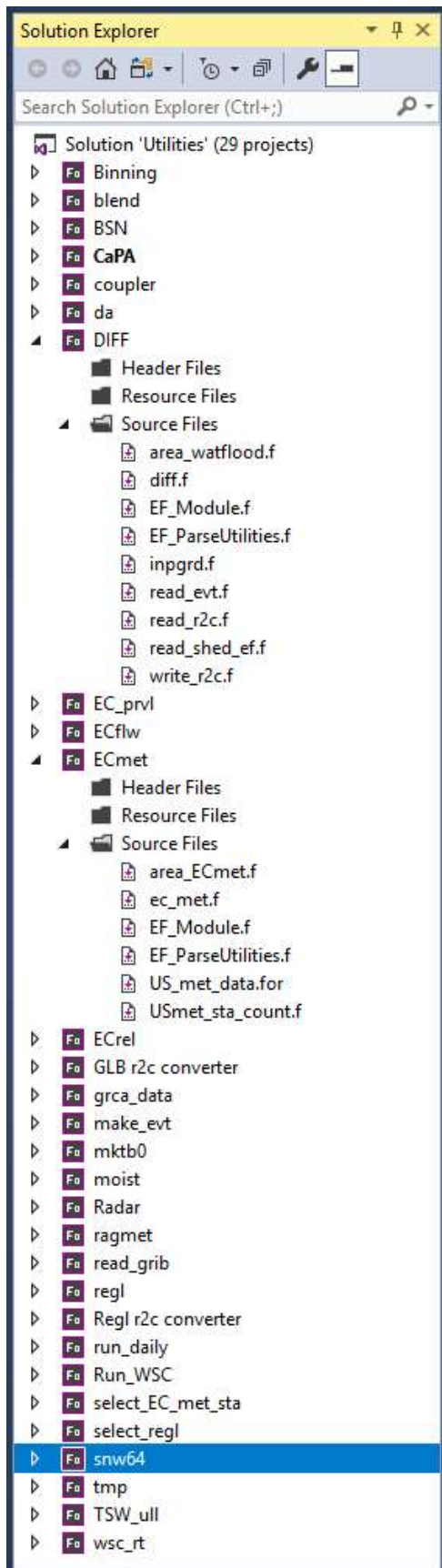
Three charts show the subroutines making up CHARM

Two s/r's EF_Module.f and EF_Parse_utilities.f were written by Dave Watson at NRC as part of the effort to make all (or nearly all) WATFLOOD data files adhere to the Green Kenue formats. Some files were just not amenable to this – e.g. the event files and parameter files so these were left as text and Csv files. These modules are used by most WAFLOOD programs.

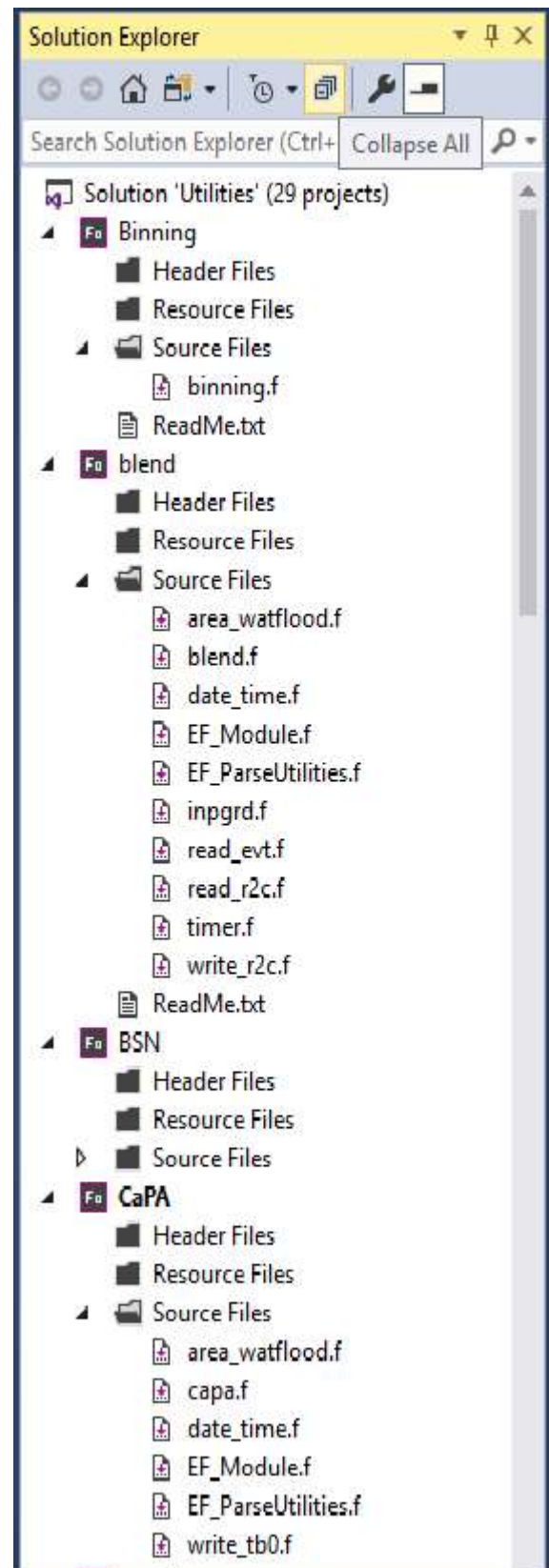
The module area_watflood.f is used by most WATFLOOD programs. Many of the utility programs are composed of the s/r's in the "common" folder.

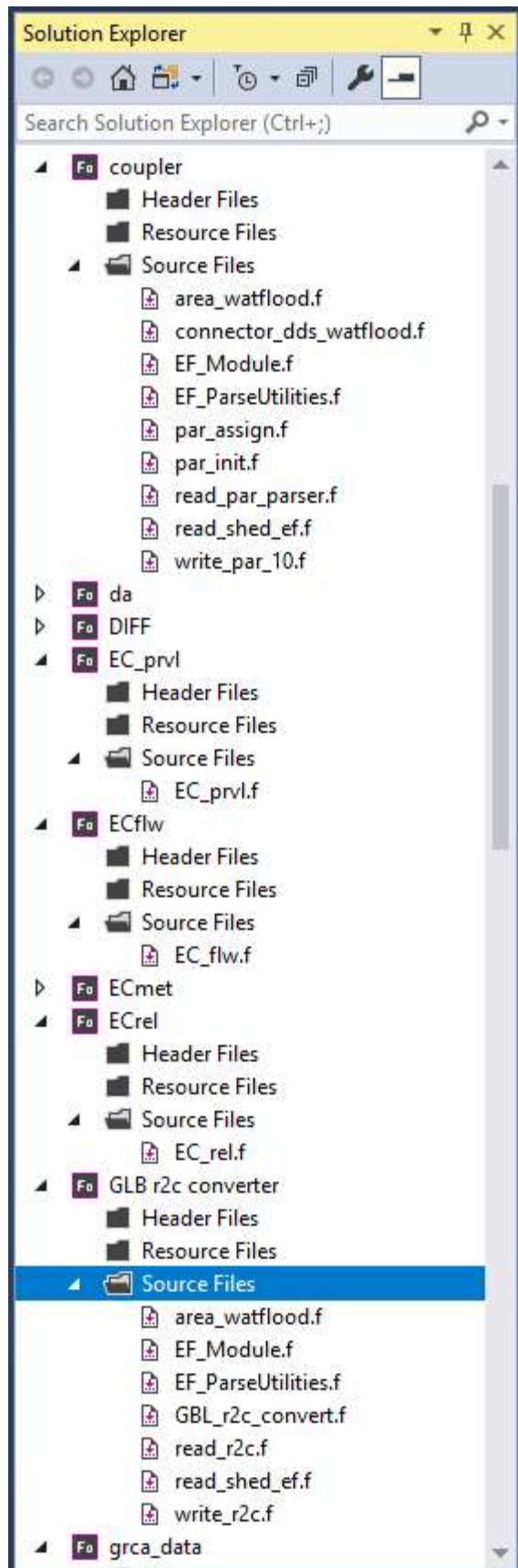
The craig_gordon.f and iso*.f s/r's are for the isotope models





Left: All utility programs





The descriptions and users manuals for each of the programs are in the WAFLOOD, Utilities and Flow Forecasting anuals

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