1. An artificial barrier that can impound water for one or more beneficial purposes.

**Initial Setting:** Sites satisfactory for constructing a dam and reservoir with watersheds protected from erosion and water available in sufficient quantity and adequate quality.

**LEGEND**

- **#. Created by practice**
- **D. Direct effect**
- **I. Indirect effect**
- **C. Cumulative effect**
- **Mitigating practice**
- **Associated practice**

**Notes:**
Effects are qualified with a plus (+) or minus (-). These symbols indicate only an increase (+) or a decrease (-) in the effect upon the resource, not whether the effect is beneficial or adverse.