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EXPLANATION

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DATA SOURCES

- **MAJOR BASINS**
  - Drainage Basin Areas of Connecticut, Nosal, 1977, CT DEP Water Resources Division
  - Connecticut River Drainage System, Nosal, 1978, CT DEP Water Resources Division
  - Connecticut River Basin, Nosal, 1982, CT DEP Water Resources Division
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- **REGIONAL BASINS**
  - Connecticut River Basin, Nosal, 1982, CT DEP Water Resources Division
  - Connecticut River Basin, Nosal, 1983, CT DEP Water Resources Division

- **SUBREGIONAL BASINS**
  - Connecticut River Basin, Nosal, 1982, CT DEP Water Resources Division
  - Connecticut River Basin, Nosal, 1983, CT DEP Water Resources Division

- **LOCAL BASINS**
  - Connecticut River Basin, Nosal, 1982, CT DEP Water Resources Division
  - Connecticut River Basin, Nosal, 1983, CT DEP Water Resources Division

- **SHADED RELIEF ELEVATION DATA**
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