

Where does the water come from?

Much
of the water in
the Lancaster Canal
comes from
Killington Reservoir,
feeding along Peasey
Beck for 8 miles,
before entering the
canal

The Lancaster
Canal north of
Tewitfield Locks is
not navigable, but
transfers water to
the navigable
section

(diverted streams)
supply the canal,
between them
contributing about the
same amount of water
as the reservoir

Many feeders

Locks 1-3
on the Ribble Link get
their water from the
Lancaster Canal,
below lock 3 the
water comes from
Savick Brook

Work began constructing the canal before a southern link into the main canal network had been finalised

The Lancaster
Canal was not
joined to the rest of
the canal network
until the Ribble Link
was completed in
2002

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