

## Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

CFPPP Unique ID: <b>VA_VA06147</b>		<b>Volgenau Dam</b>	<b>Shelton Dam</b>
Bay-wide Diadromous Tier	10		
Bay-wide Resident Tier	13		
Bay-wide Brook Trout Tier	N/A		
NID ID	VA06147		
State ID	6147		
River Name			
Dam Height (ft)	34.84		
Dam Type	Earth		
Latitude	38.7862		
Longitude	-77.9738		
Passage Facilities	None Documented		
Passage Year	N/A		
Size Class	1a: Headwater (0 - 3.861 sq mi)		
HUC 12	Thumb Run		
HUC 10	Thumb Run-Rappahannock River		
HUC 8	Rapidan-Upper Rappahannock		
HUC 6	Lower Chesapeake		
HUC 4	Lower Chesapeake		

Landcover			
NLCD (2011)		Chesapeake Conservancy (2016)	
% Impervious Surface in Upstream Drainage Area	0.3	% Tree Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	71.42
% Natural Cover in Upstream Drainage Area	58.18	% Tree Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	60.89
% Forested in Upstream Drainage Area	55.04	% Herbaceous Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	11.54
% Agriculture in Upstream Drainage Area	35	% Herbaceous Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	37.37
% Natural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	81.77	% Barren Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0
% Natural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	43.57	% Barren Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0
% Forest Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	67.83	% Road Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0.67
% Forest Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	42.77	% Road Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	0.51
% Agricultural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	13.94	% Other Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0.2
% Agricultural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	52.5	% Other Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	0.42
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Upstream Network	0.12		
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Downstream Network	0.14		

Metric descriptions can be found at:

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## Network, System Type and Condition

Functional Upstream Network (mi)	1.33	Upstream Size Class Gain (#)	0
Total Functional Network (mi)	72.64	# Downstream Natural Barriers	0
Absolute Gain (mi)	1.33	# Downstream Hydropower Dams	0
# Size Classes in Total Network	2	# Downstream Dams with Passage	0
# Upstream Network Size Classes	1	# of Downstream Barriers	1
NFHAP Cumulative Disturbance Index	Moderate		
Dam is on Conserved Land	No		
% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Upstream Network	43.7		
% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Downstream Network	40.95		
Density of Crossings in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2)	0.8		
Density of Crossings in Downstream Network Watershed (#/m2)	1.11		
Density of off-channel dams in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2)	0		
Density of off-channel dams in Downstream Network Watershed (#/m2)	0		

## Diadromous Fish

Downstream Alewife	Historical	Downstream Striped Bass	None Documented
Downstream Blueback	Historical	Downstream Atlantic Sturgeon	None Documented
Downstream American Shad	None Documented	Downstream Shortnose Sturgeon	None Documented
Downstream Hickory Shad	None Documented	Downstream American Eel	Current
Presence of 1 or More Downstream Anadromous Species	Historical		
# Diadromous Species Downstream (incl eel)	1		

## Resident Fish

Barrier is in EBTJV BKT Catchment	No
Barrier is in Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber)	No
Barrier Blocks an EBTJV Catchment	No
Barrier Blocks a Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber)	No
Native Fish Species Richness (HUC8)	38
# Rare Fish (HUC8)	0
# Rare Mussel (HUC8)	4
# Rare Crayfish (HUC8)	0

## Stream Health

Chesapeake Bay Program Stream Health	FAIR
MD MBSS Benthic IBI Stream Health	N/A
MD MBSS Fish IBI Stream Health	N/A
MD MBSS Combined IBI Stream Health	N/A
VA INSTAR mIBI Stream Health	High
PA IBI Stream Health	N/A

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