Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

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Bay-wide Diadromous Tier	17
Bay-wide Resident Tier	9
Bay-wide Brook Trout Tier	N/A
NID ID	
State ID	28-044
River Name	West Branch Conococheague Cr
Dam Height (ft)	8
Dam Type	Concrete
Latitude	39.796
Longitude	-77.8593
Passage Facilities	None Documented
Passage Year	N/A
Size Class	2: Small River (38.61 - 200 sq mi
HUC 12	Lower West Branch Conocochea
HUC 10	West Branch Conococheague Cr
HUC 8	Conococheague-Opequon
HUC 6	Potomac
HUC 4	Potomac

Landcover

NLCD (2011)	
% Impervious Surface in Upstream Drainage Area	1.25
% Natural Cover in Upstream Drainage Area	56.58
% Forested in Upstream Drainage Area	55.61
% Agriculture in Upstream Drainage Area	36.01
% Natural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	36.25
% Natural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	32.82
% Forest Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	32.21
% Forest Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	29.62
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	55.07
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	60.49
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Upstream Network	1.73
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Downstream Network	0.83

Chesapeake Conservancy (2016)	
% Tree Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	39.95
% Tree Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	40.66
% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	53.82
% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	55.99
% Barren Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0.45
% Barren Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0.22
% Road Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	1.07
% Road Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	0.99
% Other Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	2.03
% Other Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	1.63

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Network, System Type and Condition

Functional Upstream Network (mi)	168.83	Upstream Size Class Gain (#)	0
Total Functional Network (mi)	260.53	# Downsteam Natural Barriers	1
Absolute Gain (mi)	91.7	# Downstream Hydropower Dams	1
# Size Classes in Total Network	3	# Downstream Dams with Passage	1
# Upstream Network Size Classes	3	# of Downstream Barriers	7

NFHAP Cumulative Disturbance Index	Very High
Dam is on Conserved Land	No
% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Upstream Network	5.36
% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Downstream Network	0.35
Density of Crossings in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2)	0.79
Density of Crossings in Downstream Network Watershed (#/m2)	0.74
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	None Documented	Downstream Striped Bass	None Documented
Downstream Blueback	None Documented	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	None Docume
# 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	Yes
Barrier Blocks a Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber)	No
Native Fish Species Richness (HUC8)	42
# Rare Fish (HUC8)	0
# Rare Mussel (HUC8)	5
# Rare Crayfish (HUC8)	0

Stream Health

Chesapeake Bay Program Stream Health	POOR
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	N/A
PA IBI Stream Health	Fair

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