Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

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Diadromous Tier	15
Brook Trout Tier	N/A
Resident Tier	15
NID ID	PA00298
State ID	PA00298
River Name	Buttermilk Creek
Dam Height (ft)	17
Dam Type	Earth / Stone / Masonry
Latitude	41.4902
Longitude	-75.7659
Passage Facilities	None Documented
Passage Year	N/A
Size Class	1a: Headwater (0 - 3.861 sq mi)
HUC 12	Buttermilk Creek
HUC 10	Lower Susquehanna River
HUC 8	Upper Susquehanna-Tunkhanno
HUC 6	Upper Susquehanna
HUC 4	Susquehanna

Landcover

NLCD (2011)	
% Impervious Surface in Upstream Drainage Area	0.16
% Natural Cover in Upstream Drainage Area	64.58
% Forested in Upstream Drainage Area	49.39
% Agriculture in Upstream Drainage Area	32.5
% Natural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	78.42
% Natural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	50.5
% Forest Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	29.67
% Forest Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	20.03
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	15.98
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	33.61
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Upstream Network	0.32
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Downstream Network	2.06

Chesapeake Conservancy (2016)	
% Tree Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	43.13
% Tree Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	26.1
% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	16.13
% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	48.55
% Barren Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0
% Barren Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0
% Road Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0.94
% Road Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	3.56
% Other Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0.72
% Other Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	4.84

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Network, System Type and Condition

Functional Upstream Network (mi)	0.43	Upstream Size Class Gain (#)	0
Total Functional Network (mi)	1.18	# Downsteam Natural Barriers	0
Absolute Gain (mi)	0.43	# Downstream Hydropower Dams	4
# Size Classes in Total Network	1	# Downstream Dams with Passage	5
# Upstream Network Size Classes	0	# of Downstream Barriers	8

NFHAP Cumulative Disturbance Index	Not Scored / Unavailable at this scale
Dam is on Conserved Land	Yes
% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Upstream Network	83.89
% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Downstream Network	18.13
Density of Crossings in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2)	0
Density of Crossings in Downstream Network Watershed (#/m2)	3.02
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	No
Barrier Blocks a Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber)	No
Native Fish Species Richness (HUC8)	34
# Rare Fish (HUC8)	1
# Rare Mussel (HUC8)	2
# 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	N/A
PA IBI Stream Health	Fair

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