Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

CFPPP Unique ID: VA_1172 LAKE AUDUBON DAM

Bay-wide Diadromous Tier 6
Bay-wide Resident Tier 11
Bay-wide Brook Trout Tier N/A

NID ID VA05921 State ID 1172

River Name Snakeden Branch

Dam Height (ft) 46

Dam Type Gravity
Latitude 38.9328
Longitude -77.3253

Passage Facilities None Documented

Passage Year N/A

Size Class 1a: Headwater (0 - 3.861 sq mi)

HUC 12 Difficult Run

HUC 10 Difficult Run-Potomac River

HUC 8 Middle Potomac-Catoctin

HUC 6 Potomac HUC 4 Potomac







Landcover					
NLCD (2011)		Chesapeake Conservancy (2016)			
% Impervious Surface in Upstream Drainage Area	19.63	% Tree Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	62.08		
% Natural Cover in Upstream Drainage Area	29.4	% Tree Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	72.74		
% Forested in Upstream Drainage Area	22.43	% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	14.92		
% Agriculture in Upstream Drainage Area	1.11	% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	11.29		
% Natural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	46.39	% Barren Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0		
% Natural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	68.27	% Barren Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0.41		
% Forest Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	32.43	% Road Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	6.23		
% Forest Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	49.17	% Road Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	3.9		
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0.65	% Other Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	6.63		
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0.92	% Other Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	5.16		
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Upstream Network	11.7				
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Downstream Network	6.38				



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		Diadro	omous Fish	
	Downstream Alewife	Current	Downstream Striped Bass	None Documented
	Downstream Blueback	Current	Downstream Atlantic Sturgeon	None Documented
	Downstream American Shad	None Documented	Downstream Shortnose Sturgeon	None Documented
	Downstream Hickory Shad	None Documented	Downstream American Eel	Current
One or More DS Anadromous Species Current		# Diadromous Sp Dnstrm (incl eel)	3	

Resident Fish and Rare Species		Stream Health	
Barrier is in EBTJV BKT Catchment	No	Chesapeake Bay Program Stream Health	ERY_POOR
Barrier is in Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber)	No	MD MBSS Benthic IBI Stream Health	Very Poor
Barrier Blocks an EBTJV Catchment	No	MD MBSS Fish IBI Stream Health	Poor
Barrier Blocks a Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber)	No	MD MBSS Combined IBI Stream Health	Poor
Native Fish Species Richness (HUC8)	51	VA INSTAR mIBI Stream Health	Moderate
# Rare Fish (HUC8)	0	PA IBI Stream Health	N/A
# Rare Mussel (HUC8)	4		
# Rare Crayfish (HUC8)	0		
Globally rare or fed listed fish/mussel sp HUC12	No	Rare fish or mussel sp in HUC12	No
Globally rare or fed listed fish/mussel sp in upstream or downstream functional network	No	Rare fish or mussel in upstream or downstream functional network	Yes

