# Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

CFPPP Unique ID: **PA_58-009** **COMFORT LAKE**

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|---|---|
| Diadromous Tier | 14 |
| Brook Trout Tier | 9 |
| Resident Tier | 8 |
| NID ID | PA00075 |
| State ID | 58-009 |
| River Name | East Branch Canawacta Creek |
| Dam Height (ft) | 13 |
| Dam Type | Earth |
| Latitude | 41.9198 |
| Longitude | -75.5447 |
| Passage Facilities | None Documented |
| Passage Year | N/A |
| Size Class | 1a: Headwater (0 - 3.861 sq mi) |
| HUC 12 | Canawacta Creek-Susquehanna |
| HUC 10 | Lower Susquehanna River |
| HUC 8 | Upper Susquehanna |
| HUC 6 | Upper Susquehanna |
| HUC 4 | Susquehanna |


## Landcover

| NLCD (2011) | |
|---|---|
| % Impervious Surface in Upstream Drainage Area | 0.39 |
| % Natural Cover in Upstream Drainage Area | 79.07 |
| % Forested in Upstream Drainage Area | 71.14 |
| % Agriculture in Upstream Drainage Area | 16.3 |
| % Natural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network | 72.23 |
| % Natural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network | 75.82 |
| % Forest Cover in ARA of Upstream Network | 42.73 |
| % Forest Cover in ARA of Downstream Network | 70.81 |
| % Agricultral Cover in ARA of Upstream Network | 14.05 |
| % Agricultral Cover in ARA of Downstream Network | 15.54 |
| % Impervious Surf in ARA of Upstream Network | 1.15 |
| % Impervious Surf in ARA of Downstream Network | 0.36 |

| Chesapeake Conservancy (2016) | |
|---|---|
| % Tree Cover in ARA of Upstream Network | 49.55 |
| % Tree Cover in ARA of Downstream Network | 75.01 |
| % Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Upstream Network | 23.8 |
| % Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Downstream Network | 23.72 |
| % Barren Cover in ARA of Upstream Network | 0.13 |
| % Barren Cover in ARA of Downstream Network | 0.04 |
| % Road Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network | 1.93 |
| % Road Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network | 1.04 |
| % Other Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network | 1.18 |
| % Other Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network | 0.19 |

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## Network, System Type and Condition

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|---|---|---|---|
| Functional Upstream Network (mi) | 3.7 | Upstream Size Class Gain (#) | 0 |
| Total Functional Network (mi) | 6.28 | # Downsteam Natural Barriers | 0 |
| Absolute Gain (mi) | 2.58 | # Downstream Hydropower Dams | 6 |
| # Size Classes in Total Network | 1 | # Downstream Dams with Passage | 5 |
| # Upstream Network Size Classes | 1 | # of Downstream Barriers | 12 |

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|---|---|
| NFHAP Cumulative Disturbance Index | Low |
| Dam is on Conserved Land | No |
| % Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Upstream Network | 0.28 |
| % Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Downstream Network | 0 |
| Density of Crossings in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2) | 0.74 |
| Density of Crossings in Downstream Network Watershed (#/m2) | 0.3 |
| 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 |

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|---|---|
| Presence of 1 or More Downstream Anadromous Species | None Docume |
| # Diadromous Species Downstream (incl eel) | 1 |

## Resident Fish

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|---|---|
| Barrier is in EBTJV BKT Catchment | Yes |
| Barrier is in Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber) | No |
| Barrier Blocks an EBTJV Catchment | No |
| Barrier Blocks a Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber) | Yes |
| Native Fish Species Richness (HUC8) | 48 |
| # Rare Fish (HUC8) | 2 |
| # Rare Mussel (HUC8) | 2 |
| # Rare Crayfish (HUC8) | 0 |

## Stream Health

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|---|---|
| Chesapeake Bay Program Stream Health | GOOD |
| 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 | Good |

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