

Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

CFPPP Unique ID: **MD_GU015**

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| Bay-wide Diadromous Tier | 3 |
| Bay-wide Resident Tier | 8 |
| Bay-wide Brook Trout Tier | N/A |
| NID ID | |
| State ID | GU015 |
| River Name | Little Gunpowder Falls |
| Dam Height (ft) | 4 |
| Dam Type | Unspecified Type |
| Latitude | 39.5422 |
| Longitude | -76.5272 |
| Passage Facilities | None Documented |
| Passage Year | N/A |
| Size Class | 1b: Creek (3.861 - 38.61 sq mi) |
| HUC 12 | Little Gunpowder Falls |
| HUC 10 | Lower Gunpowder Falls |
| HUC 8 | Gunpowder-Patapsco |
| HUC 6 | Upper Chesapeake |
| HUC 4 | Upper Chesapeake |



Landcover

| NLCD (2011) | | Chesapeake Conservancy (2016) | |
|---|-------|---|-------|
| % Impervious Surface in Upstream Drainage Area | 0.54 | % Tree Cover in ARA of Upstream Network | 54.32 |
| % Natural Cover in Upstream Drainage Area | 33.34 | % Tree Cover in ARA of Downstream Network | 57.45 |
| % Forested in Upstream Drainage Area | 30.02 | % Herbaceous Cover in ARA of Upstream Network | 44.03 |
| % Agriculture in Upstream Drainage Area | 58.29 | % Herbaceous Cover in ARA of Downstream Network | 31.31 |
| % Natural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network | 52.77 | % Barren Cover in ARA of Upstream Network | 0.17 |
| % Natural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network | 66.19 | % Barren Cover in ARA of Downstream Network | 0.24 |
| % Forest Cover in ARA of Upstream Network | 43.34 | % Road Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network | 0.2 |
| % Forest Cover in ARA of Downstream Network | 42.51 | % Road Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network | 1.53 |
| % Agricultural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network | 44.33 | % Other Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network | 0.72 |
| % Agricultural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network | 8.39 | % Other Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network | 5.64 |
| % Impervious Surf in ARA of Upstream Network | 0.09 | | |
| % Impervious Surf in ARA of Downstream Network | 5.8 | | |

Metric descriptions can be found at:

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Network, System Type and Condition

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| Functional Upstream Network (mi) | 30.56 | Upstream Size Class Gain (#) | 0 |
| Total Functional Network (mi) | 224.89 | # Downstream Natural Barriers | 0 |
| Absolute Gain (mi) | 30.56 | # Downstream Hydropower Dams | 0 |
| # Size Classes in Total Network | 4 | # Downstream Dams with Passage | 0 |
| # Upstream Network Size Classes | 2 | # of Downstream Barriers | 0 |
| NFHAP Cumulative Disturbance Index | High | | |
| Dam is on Conserved Land | No | | |
| % Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Upstream Network | 38.84 | | |
| % Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Downstream Network | 40.26 | | |
| Density of Crossings in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2) | 0.59 | | |
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| Density of off-channel dams in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2) | 0 | | |
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Diadromous Fish

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|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| 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

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|---|----|
| 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) | 52 |
| # Rare Fish (HUC8) | 1 |
| # Rare Mussel (HUC8) | 0 |
| # Rare Crayfish (HUC8) | 0 |
| Globally rare or fed listed fish/mussel sp HUC12 | No |
| Globally rare or fed listed fish/mussel sp in upstream or downstream functional network | No |

Stream Health

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| Chesapeake Bay Program Stream Health | ERY_POOR |
| MD MBSS Benthic IBI Stream Health | Fair |
| MD MBSS Fish IBI Stream Health | Fair |
| MD MBSS Combined IBI Stream Health | Fair |
| VA INSTAR mIBI Stream Health | N/A |
| PA IBI Stream Health | N/A |
| Rare fish or mussel sp in HUC12 | No |
| Rare fish or mussel in upstream or downstream functional network | No |

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