

Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

CFPPP Unique ID: **MD_12279** **LAUREL LAKES NO 2 (UPPER)**

Diadromous Tier	18
Brook Trout Tier	N/A
Resident Tier	19
NID ID	MD00231
State ID	12279
River Name	Bear Branch
Dam Height (ft)	14
Dam Type	Earth
Latitude	39.0901
Longitude	-76.866
Passage Facilities	None Documented
Passage Year	N/A
Size Class	1a: Headwater (0 - 3.861 sq mi)
HUC 12	Horsepen Branch-Patuxent River
HUC 10	Upper Patuxent River
HUC 8	Patuxent
HUC 6	Upper Chesapeake
HUC 4	Upper Chesapeake



Landcover

NLCD (2011)		Chesapeake Conservancy (2016)	
% Impervious Surface in Upstream Drainage Area	30.02	% Tree Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	52.5
% Natural Cover in Upstream Drainage Area	21.69	% Tree Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	26.48
% Forested in Upstream Drainage Area	15.38	% Herbaceous Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	27.92
% Agriculture in Upstream Drainage Area	2.79	% Herbaceous Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	21.27
% Natural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	42.33	% Barren Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	2.56
% Natural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	16.87	% Barren Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0
% Forest Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	28.4	% Road Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	5.45
% Forest Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0	% Road Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	4.66
% Agricultural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0.16	% Other Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	10.23
% Agricultural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0	% Other Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	22.42
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Upstream Network	18.4		
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Downstream Network	45.56		

Metric descriptions can be found at:

http://52.53.143.233/chesapeake-dev/plugins/barrier-prioritization-proto2/images/Metric_Glossary.pdf

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Network, System Type and Condition

Functional Upstream Network (mi)	3.17	Upstream Size Class Gain (#)	0
Total Functional Network (mi)	3.91	# Downstream Natural Barriers	0
Absolute Gain (mi)	0.74	# Downstream Hydropower Dams	0
# Size Classes in Total Network	1	# Downstream Dams with Passage	0
# Upstream Network Size Classes	1	# of Downstream Barriers	1
NFHAP Cumulative Disturbance Index	Very High		
Dam is on Conserved Land	No		
% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Upstream Network	1.9		
% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Downstream Network	31.85		
Density of Crossings in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2)	2.33		
Density of Crossings in Downstream Network Watershed (#/m2)	0		
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	Historical	Downstream Striped Bass	None Documented
Downstream Blueback	Historical	Downstream Atlantic Sturgeon	None Documented
Downstream American Shad	None Documented	Downstream Shortnose Sturgeon	None Documented
Downstream Hickory Shad	None Documented	Downstream American Eel	None Documented
Presence of 1 or More Downstream Anadromous Species	Historical		
# Diadromous Species Downstream (incl eel)	0		

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)	51
# Rare Fish (HUC8)	0
# Rare Mussel (HUC8)	1
# Rare Crayfish (HUC8)	0

Stream Health

Chesapeake Bay Program Stream Health	POOR
MD MBSS Benthic IBI Stream Health	Poor
MD MBSS Fish IBI Stream Health	Poor
MD MBSS Combined IBI Stream Health	Poor
VA INSTAR mIBI Stream Health	N/A
PA IBI Stream Health	N/A

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