Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

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Bay-wide Diadromous Tier 7
Bay-wide Resident Tier 6

Bay-wide Brook Trout Tier N/A

NID ID VA06515

State ID 729

River Name

Dam Height (ft) 41

Dam Type Earth

Latitude 37.9907

Longitude -78.3061

Passage Facilities None Documented

Passage Year N/A

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

HUC 12 Mechunk Creek

HUC 10 Mechunk Creek-Rivanna River

HUC 8 Rivanna
HUC 6 James

HUC 4 Lower Chesapeake







	Land	cover	
NLCD (2011)		Chesapeake Conservancy (2016)	
% Impervious Surface in Upstream Drainage Area	0.5	% Tree Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	37.34
% Natural Cover in Upstream Drainage Area	61.27	% Tree Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	79.1
% Forested in Upstream Drainage Area	54.67	% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	42.12
% Agriculture in Upstream Drainage Area	34.12	% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	15.73
% Natural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	60.82	% Barren Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0
% Natural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	79.33	% Barren Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0.1
% Forest Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	33.33	% Road Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0
% Forest Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	65.28	% Road Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	0.6
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	38.01	% Other Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0.09
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	16.03	% Other Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	0.78
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Upstream Network	0.16		
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Downstream Network	0.71		



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	Network, Sy	/stem	Type and Cond	ition		
Functional Upstream Network	(mi) 0.65		Upstre	Upstream Size Class Gain (#)		
Total Functional Network (mi)	5431.67 # Do		# Dowr	# Downsteam Natural Barriers		0
Absolute Gain (mi)	0.65		# Dowr	# Downstream Hydropower D		2
# Size Classes in Total Networ	k 6		# Dowr	# Downstream Dams with Pa		4
# Upstream Network Size Clas	sses 1		# of Downstream Barriers			4
NFHAP Cumulative Disturband	ce Index			Not Scored / Unav	ailable at th	is scale
Dam is on Conserved Land				No		
% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Upstream Network				0		
% Conserved Land in 100m Bu	ıffer of Downstream Net	twork		11.23		
Density of Crossings in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2			2)	0		
Density of Crossings in Downs	tream Network Watersh	hed (#	ŧ/m2)	0.84		
Density of off-channel dams in	n Upstream Network Wa	atersh	ned (#/m2)	0		
Density of off-channel dams in	n Downstream Network	Wate	ershed (#/m2)	0		
Downstream Alewife	Potential Current	Diadro	mous Fish	triped Pass	None Dec	umanta
			Downstream Striped Bass		None Doc	
Downstream Blueback	Potential Current		Downstream Atlantic Sturgeon		None Documented	
Downstream American Shad	None Documented		Downstream S	None Doc	umente	
Downstream Hickory Shad	None Documented		Downstream American Eel Curre			
Presence of 1 or More Downs	stream Anadromous Spe	ecies	Potential Curre	2		
# Diadromous Species Downs	tream (incl eel)		1			
Reside	ent Fish			Strea	m Health	
Barrier is in EBTJV BKT Catchment No		No	Chesape	Chesapeake Bay Program Stream Health POOR		
Barrier is in Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber) No		No	MD MBS	MD MBSS Benthic IBI Stream Health N/A		N/A
Barrier Blocks an EBTJV Catchment Yes		Yes	MD MBS	MD MBSS Fish IBI Stream Health		N/A
Barrier Blocks a Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber) No		No	MD MBS	MD MBSS Combined IBI Stream Health		N/A
Native Fish Species Richness (HUC8) 36		36	VA INSTA	VA INSTAR mIBI Stream Health		, High
# Rare Fish (HUC8) 0		0		PA IBI Stream Health N/A		
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# Rare Crayfish (HUC8)		0				
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