Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

CFPPP Unique ID: MD_12068 LAKE NIRVANA DAM

Bay-wide Diadromous Tier 20
Bay-wide Resident Tier 20
Bay-wide Brook Trout Tier N/A

NID ID MD00056 State ID 12068

River Name

Dam Height (ft) 29

Dam Type Earth
Latitude 39.1146

Longitude -77.2394

Passage Facilities None Documented

Passage Year N/A

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

HUC 12 Muddy Branch

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	40.69	% Tree Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	41.46
% Natural Cover in Upstream Drainage Area	7.16	% Tree Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	40.44
% Forested in Upstream Drainage Area	2.07	% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	17.28
% Agriculture in Upstream Drainage Area	0.09	% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	22.78
% Natural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	43.66	% Barren Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0
% Natural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	32.59	% Barren Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0.4
% Forest Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	8.45	% Road Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	3.56
% Forest Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	12.59	% Road Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	3.25
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0	% Other Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	5.19
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% Impervious Surf in ARA of Upstream Network	12.6		
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Downstream Network	19.28		



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LAKE NIRVANA DAM CFPPP Unique ID: MD 12068 Network, System Type and Condition Functional Upstream Network (mi) Upstream Size Class Gain (#) O 0.15 0.54 Total Functional Network (mi) # Downsteam Natural Barriers 1 Absolute Gain (mi) 0.15 \cap # Downstream Hydropower Dams # Size Classes in Total Network n # Downstream Dams with Passage 1 # Upstream Network Size Classes # of Downstream Barriers 3 \cap NEHAP Cumulative Disturbance Index Very High Dam is on Conserved Land Nο % Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Upstream Network 90.37 % Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Downstream Network 12.04 Density of Crossings in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2) Density of Crossings in Downstream Network Watershed (#/m2) 7.23 Density of off-channel dams in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2) Density of off-channel dams in Downstream Network Watershed (#/m2) Λ Diadromous Fish Downstream Alewife None Documented None Documented **Downstream Striped Bass** Downstream Blueback None Documented Downstream Atlantic Sturgeon None Documented Downstream American Shad None Documented None Documented Downstream Shortnose Sturgeon None Documented Downstream Hickory Shad None Documented Downstream American Eel One or More DS Anadromous Species None Docume # Diadromous Sp Dnstrm (incl eel) 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 Nο 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 N/A 0 # Rare Fish (HUC8) PA IBI Stream Health N/A # Rare Mussel (HUC8) 4 # Rare Crayfish (HUC8) 0 Globally rare or fed listed fish/mussel sp HUC12 Rare fish or mussel sp in HUC12 Nο Nο



No

Rare fish or mussel in upstream or

downstream functional network

Globally rare or fed listed fish/mussel sp in

upstream or downstream functional network

No