

Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

CFPPP Unique ID: **MD_PXM11**

Bay-wide Diadromous Tier	7
Bay-wide Resident Tier	17
Bay-wide Brook Trout Tier	N/A
NID ID	
State ID	PXM11
River Name	Southwest Branch Western Bran
Dam Height (ft)	3
Dam Type	Unknown
Latitude	38.8614
Longitude	-76.8848
Passage Facilities	None Documented
Passage Year	N/A
Size Class	1a: Headwater (0 - 3.861 sq mi)
HUC 12	Southwest Branch of the Wester
HUC 10	Western Branch 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	30.72	% Tree Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	60.34
% Natural Cover in Upstream Drainage Area	2.98	% Tree Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	62.66
% Forested in Upstream Drainage Area	2.1	% Herbaceous Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	20.92
% Agriculture in Upstream Drainage Area	0	% Herbaceous Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	24.77
% Natural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	6.67	% Barren Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0
% Natural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	71.7	% Barren Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0.29
% Forest Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	6.67	% Road Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	7.45
% Forest Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	37.4	% Road Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	1.31
% Agricultural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0	% Other Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	11.29
% Agricultural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	12.43	% Other Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	3.67
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Upstream Network	22.81		
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Downstream Network	4.02		

Metric descriptions can be found at:

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Network, System Type and Condition			
Functional Upstream Network (mi)	0.53	Upstream Size Class Gain (#)	0
Total Functional Network (mi)	1231.3	# Downsteam Natural Barriers	0
Absolute Gain (mi)	0.53	# Downstream Hydropower Dams	0
# Size Classes in Total Network	4	# Downstream Dams with Passage	0
# Upstream Network Size Classes	1	# of Downstream Barriers	0
NFHAP Cumulative Disturbance Index		Very High	
Dam is on Conserved Land		No	
% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Upstream Network		0	
% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Downstream Network		19.68	
Density of Crossings in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2)		2.03	
Density of Crossings in Downstream Network Watershed (#/m2)		0.64	
Density of off-channel dams in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2)		0	
Density of off-channel dams in Downstream Network Watershed (#/m2)		0.02	
Diadromous Fish			
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		Stream Health	
Barrier is in EBTJV BKT Catchment	No	Chesapeake Bay Program Stream Health	POOR
Barrier is in Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber)	No	MD MBSS Benthic IBI Stream Health	Poor
Barrier Blocks an EBTJV Catchment	No	MD MBSS Fish IBI Stream Health	Fair
Barrier Blocks a Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber)	No	MD MBSS Combined IBI Stream Health	Fair
Native Fish Species Richness (HUC8)	51	VA INSTAR mIBI Stream Health	N/A
# Rare Fish (HUC8)	0	PA IBI Stream Health	N/A
# Rare Mussel (HUC8)	1		
# Rare Crayfish (HUC8)	0		
Globally rare or fed listed fish/mussel sp HUC12	No	Rare fish or mussel sp in HUC12	Yes
Globally rare or fed listed fish/mussel sp in upstream or downstream functional network	No	Rare fish or mussel in upstream or downstream functional network	Yes

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