Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

CFPPP Unique ID: VA_663 BIGLER MILL DAM

Bay-wide Diadromous Tier 2
Bay-wide Resident Tier 9

Bay-wide Brook Trout Tier N/A

NID ID VA19908

State ID 663

River Name

Dam Height (ft) 15

Dam Type Gravity
Latitude 37.332

Longitude -76.6413

Passage Facilities None Documented

Passage Year N/A

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

HUC 12 Jones Creek-York River

HUC 10 Lower York River

HUC 8 York

HUC 6 Lower Chesapeake

HUC 4 Lower Chesapeake







	Land	cover	
NLCD (2011)		Chesapeake Conservancy (2016)	
% Impervious Surface in Upstream Drainage Area	1.76	% Tree Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	73.02
% Natural Cover in Upstream Drainage Area	79.43	% Tree Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	63.42
% Forested in Upstream Drainage Area	59.05	% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0.26
% Agriculture in Upstream Drainage Area	3.74	% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	9.57
% Natural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	94.32	% Barren Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0
% Natural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	84.92	% Barren Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0.03
% Forest Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	51.42	% Road Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0
% Forest Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	45.18	% Road Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	1.27
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0	% Other Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0.38
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	3.84	% Other Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	1.9
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Upstream Network	0.25		
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Downstream Network	0.92		

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	Network, Sy	/stem	Type and Cor	ndition			
Functional Upstream Network	(mi) 3.8	3.8		Upstream Size Class Gain (#)			
Total Functional Network (mi) 7.31			# Downsteam Natural Barriers		0		
Absolute Gain (mi) 3.51			# Downstream Hydropower Dams			0	
# Size Classes in Total Network	1	1		# Downstream Dams with Passage			
# Upstream Network Size Clas	ses 1		# of Downstream Barriers			0	
NFHAP Cumulative Disturbanc	e Index			Very High			
Dam is on Conserved Land				Yes			
% Conserved Land in 100m Bu	% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Upstream Network			100			
% Conserved Land in 100m Bu	ffer of Downstream Ne	twork	(11.48			
Density of Crossings in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m			12)	2			
Density of Crossings in Downs	tream Network Watersl	hed (#	‡/m2)	0.24			
Density of off-channel dams in	•			0			
Density of off-channel dams in	n Downstream Network	Wate	ershed (#/m2)	0			
		Diadro	omous Fish				
Downstream Alewife	Current	nt		Downstream Striped Bass N		None Documented	
Downstream Blueback	Current		Downstrean	nstream Atlantic Sturgeon None D		cumented	
Downstream American Shad	None Documented		Downstrean	n Shortnose Sturgeon	None Doo	cumentec	
Downstream Hickory Shad	None Documented		Downstream American Eel Current				
Presence of 1 or More Downs	tream Anadromous Spe	ecies	Current				
# Diadromous Species Downs	tream (incl eel)		3				
Reside	nt Fish			Strea	m Health		
Barrier is in EBTJV BKT Catchment No		No	Chesa	Chesapeake Bay Program Stream Health FAIR			
Barrier is in Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber)		No	MD M	MD MBSS Benthic IBI Stream Health N		N/A	
Barrier Blocks an EBTJV Catchment		No	MDM	MD MBSS Fish IBI Stream Health		N/A	
Barrier Blocks a Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber)		No	MD M	MD MBSS Combined IBI Stream Health		N/A	
Native Fish Species Richness (HUC8)		36	VA INS	VA INSTAR mIBI Stream Health		High	
# Rare Fish (HUC8)		1	PA IBI	Stream Health		N/A	
# Rare Mussel (HUC8)		1					
# Rare Crayfish (HUC8)		0					

