

Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

CFPPP Unique ID: **PA_07-085**

BLUE KNOB

Bay-wide Diadromous Tier	14
Bay-wide Resident Tier	10
Bay-wide Brook Trout Tier	N/A
NID ID	
State ID	07-085
River Name	Big Lick Branch
Dam Height (ft)	17
Dam Type	Earth
Latitude	40.3017
Longitude	-78.5513
Passage Facilities	None Documented
Passage Year	N/A
Size Class	1a: Headwater (0 - 3.861 sq mi)
HUC 12	South Poplar Run-Frankstown Br
HUC 10	Upper Frankstown Branch Juniata
HUC 8	Upper Juniata
HUC 6	Lower Susquehanna
HUC 4	Susquehanna



Landcover

NLCD (2011)		Chesapeake Conservancy (2016)	
% Impervious Surface in Upstream Drainage Area	1.62	% Tree Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	95.1
% Natural Cover in Upstream Drainage Area	87.44	% Tree Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	57.04
% Forested in Upstream Drainage Area	84.58	% Herbaceous Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	4.33
% Agriculture in Upstream Drainage Area	0	% Herbaceous Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	35.49
% Natural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	74.6	% Barren Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0
% Natural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	53.46	% Barren Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0.54
% Forest Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	74.6	% Road Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0
% Forest Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	52.03	% Road Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	1.74
% Agricultural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0	% Other Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0.57
% Agricultural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	27.33	% Other Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	3.73
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Upstream Network	0.46		
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Downstream Network	4.5		

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)	1.54	Upstream Size Class Gain (#)	0
Total Functional Network (mi)	1197.41	# Downstream Natural Barriers	0
Absolute Gain (mi)	1.54	# Downstream Hydropower Dams	5
# Size Classes in Total Network	4	# Downstream Dams with Passage	5
# Upstream Network Size Classes	1	# of Downstream Barriers	6
NFHAP Cumulative Disturbance Index	Moderate		
Dam is on Conserved Land	No		
% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Upstream Network	0		
% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Downstream Network	10.66		
Density of Crossings in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2)	0		
Density of Crossings in Downstream Network Watershed (#/m2)	1.53		
Density of off-channel dams in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2)	0		
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Diadromous Fish

Downstream Alewife	None Documented	Downstream Striped Bass	None Documented
Downstream Blueback	None Documented	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	None Documented		
# 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	Yes
Barrier Blocks a Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber)	Yes
Native Fish Species Richness (HUC8)	30
# Rare Fish (HUC8)	0
# Rare Mussel (HUC8)	0
# Rare Crayfish (HUC8)	0

Stream Health

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

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