

Floods Caused by Tropical Systems: Jordan Creek at Allentown

Latitude: 40.623

Period of Record: 1944-Present

Longitude: -75.483

Flood Stage: 8 ft

Last Flood: 10/19/1996

Number of Floods: 4

Date of Crest	Crest (ft)	Streamflow (cfs)	Remarks
6/23/1972	11.61	16,200	Hurricane Agnes made landfall again over southeastern New York on June 22 and moved westward into Pennsylvania. Rainfall totals from June 20-25 range from 2-3 inches in the Upper Potomac to 18 inches near Shamokin, Pennsylvania.
9/9/1987	10.91	14,300	Tropical Depression Nine merged with a cold front to produce over 5 inches of rain in Virginia and 3-7 inches of rain in Pennsylvania.
8/19/1955	8.00	9,520	Hurricane Diane made landfall 5 days after Hurricane Connie. Hurricane Diane produced several inches of rain with locally heavier amounts of 10 to 20 inches.

Drainage Area: 76 sq mi

Tropical information before 1940 is limited.

County of Gage: Lehigh

Gage Datum: 259.82 ft MSL

Lehigh Basin

County of Forecast Point: Lehigh