

Floods Caused by Tropical Systems: Antietam Creek near Sharpsburg

Latitude: 39.45
Flood Stage: 8 ft

Period of Record: 1928-Present
Last Flood: 5/16/2014

Longitude: -77.73
Number of Floods: 32

Date of Crest	Crest (ft)	Streamflow (cfs)	Remarks
9/26/1975	14.71	10,100	The remnants of Hurricane Eloise combined with a cold front and produced very heavy rainfall in the Mid-Atlantic. Washington, D.C. reported 9.08" of rainfall. Total damage for Virginia was estimated to be \$17.2 million.
6/23/1972	14.30	9,880	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.
8/24/1933	10.40	5,690	A strong Category 1 storm, the Chesapeake-Potomac Hurricane brought more than 10 inches of rain to Maryland, Delaware and Southern New Jersey. Other locations throughout the Mid-Atlantic measured more than 4 inches of rain.
10/30/2012	9.89	5,130	Hurricane Sandy moved across NJ through PA producing 3 to 7 inches of rain with locally higher amounts in areas that saw flooding. The hurricane rapidly lost its tropical characteristics as it moved northwest.
10/15/1954	8.75	4,180	Hurricane Hazel dumped 6- 10 inches of rain in the western portion of Virginia.

Drainage Area: 281 sq mi
Gage Datum: 311.05 ft MSL

Tropical information before 1940 is limited.
Potomac Basin

County of Gage: Washington
County of Forecast Point: Washington