Historical Floods: Little Juniata River at Spruce Creek, PA

Latitude: 40.613 Flood Stage: 8				Period of Record Last Flood: 9					Longitude: -78.141 Number of Floods: 73
Date of Flood	Crest (ft)	Streamflow (cfs)	Category	Code	Date of Flood	Crest (ft)	Streamflow (cfs)	Category	Code
3/18/1936	19.1	39,800	Major	C1	3/1/1954	11.53	9,600	Moderate	none
3/31/1940	10.82	7,760	Moderate	none	10/15/1954	10.77	8,230	Moderate	none
6/8/1940	8.44	4,440	Minor	none	3/8/1956	8.76	5,000	Minor	none
6/5/1941	8.22	4,220	Minor	none	5/13/1956	8.86	5,130	Minor	none
12/24/1941	8.25	4,220	Minor	none	7/2/1956	9.67	6,320	Minor	none
12/30/1942	10.48	7,310	Moderate	none	2/10/1959	8.1	4,140	Minor	none
3/7/1945	8.84	4,980	Minor	none	10/24/1959	8.26	4,380	Minor	none
5/18/1945	9.75	6,280	Minor	none	3/31/1960	9.28	5,700	Minor	none
5/27/1946	9.02	5,230	Minor	none	5/8/1960	8.4	4,500	Minor	none
6/13/1946	8.13	4,160	Minor	none	2/26/1961	10.14	6,980	Moderate	none
4/12/1948	8.41	4,500	Minor	none	4/7/1962	8.01	4,020	Minor	none
4/14/1948	9.7	6,140	Minor	none	3/5/1964	8.43	4,540	Minor	none
11/25/1950	15.77	23,100	Major	none	3/10/1964	11.42	9,440	Moderate	none
3/30/1951	8.24	4,260	Minor	none	2/13/1966	9.14	5,470	Minor	none
6/14/1951	10.68	8,040	Moderate	none	3/6/1967	8.5	4,620	Minor	none
1/27/1952	8.1	4,140	Minor	none	9/28/1967	11.57	9,740	Moderate	none
3/11/1952	10.24	7,150	Moderate	none	7/23/1969	9.68	6,290	Minor	none
11/22/1952	8.19	4,260	Minor	none	4/2/1970	9.54	6,060	Minor	none
3/24/1953	9.32	5,700	Minor	none	2/27/1971	8.19	4,250	Minor	none
5/31/1953	8.2	4,260	Minor	none	10/25/1971	8.45	4,560	Minor	none

Drainage Area: 220 square miles Gage Datum: 751.15 ft MSL

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3/3/1972	9.71	6,340	Minor	none	9/9/2004	12.94	15,800	Moderate	none
4/17/1972	8.85	5,060	Minor	none	9/18/2004	15.46	22,100	Major	none
6/23/1972	16.98	28,600	Major	none	11/29/2005	8.74	6,790	Minor	none
9/26/1975	8.67	5,400	Minor	none	1/25/2010	9.6	8,130	Minor	none
6/21/1976	8	7,160	Minor	none	3/14/2010	9.84	8,540	Minor	none
5/15/1978	8.08	6,650	Minor	none	11/30/2010	8.02	5,900	Minor	none
3/5/1979	8.82	7,900	Minor	none	12/1/2010	11.03	10,700	Moderate	none
2/14/1984	10.17	9,770	Moderate	none	3/11/2011	8.45	6,500	Minor	none
4/5/1987	9.16	7,790	Minor	none	2/16/2018	8.33	6,340	Minor	none
3/29/1993	11.29	6,060	Moderate	none	9/10/2018	12.18	13,000	Moderate	none
4/1/1993	10.48	5,200	Moderate	none					
4/16/1993	14.08	9,470	Major	none					
4/27/1993	11.55	6,350	Moderate	none					
11/28/1993	11.95	13,600	Moderate	none					
3/25/1994	8.64	7,130	Minor	none					
1/19/1996	13	16,000	Moderate	none					
7/19/1996	10.15	9,930	Moderate	none					
9/7/1996	9.68	9,020	Minor	none					
11/8/1996	8	6,090	Minor	none					
11/8/1997	10.31	10,200	Moderate	none					
3/26/2002	8.04	6,150	Minor	none					
1/2/2003	8.6	7,060	Minor	C7					
11/19/2003	9.43	8,540	Minor	none					

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Code

Code Description

- C1 Crest information looks unreliable and incomplete and not used in frequency calculations. Some of the floods are based on current flood stage and nearby gage information.
- C2 Crest information looks reliable despite potential problems. This data was used in frequency calculations.

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- C3 Crest height estimated by the USGS.
- C4 Crest height is from the National Weather Service.
- C5 Crest height affected by backwater.
- C6 Crest occurred at a previous flood stage that is lower than the current flood stage. The crests below the new flood stage are not used in flood frequency calculations.
- C7 Crest from USGS yearly peak and/or date is different than the crest we provide. In many cases MARFC uses crest based on backwater or ice effects.
- C8 Crest month or day of occurrence has been estimated by The Middle Atlantic River Forecast Center usually based on nearby gage information.
- C9 Crest date (day) in the month is unknown.

F1 Flow is an estimate.

- F2 Flow affected by regulation or diversion and in some cases to an unknown degree.
- F3 Flow effected by snow-melt, ice jam or debris jam break up.
- F4 Flow affected by dam failure.
- F5 Flow All or part of the record affected by urbanization, mining, agricultural changes, channelization or other factors.
- G1 Gage height at a different site and/or datum.
- G2 Gage is not an official USGS gage with crests provided by the NWS. Crest information looks unreliable and incomplete and not used in flood frequency calculations.
- G3 Gage datum changed during this year.

none No code; Good Data