## Historical Floods: Susquehanna River at Bloomsburg, PA

Latitude: 40.996 Period of Record: 1850-Present Longitude: -76.421 Flood Stage: 19 Last Flood: 8/15/2018 Number of Floods: 27

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Date of Flood	Crest (ft)	Streamflow (cfs)	Category	Code	Date of Flood	Crest (ft)	Streamflow (cfs)	Category	Code
7/19/1850	25.8	-9,999	Moderate	C1	3/30/2005	21.37	-9,999	Minor	none
3/18/1865	28.2	-9,999	Major	C1	4/4/2005	25.08	-9,999	Moderate	none
3/3/1902	26.9	243,000	Moderate	C1 F1	6/28/2006	28.64	-9,999	Major	none
3/9/1904	32.7	-9,999	Major	C1 C4	3/12/2011	22.58	180,000	Moderate	none
3/28/1913	22.3	192,000	Moderate	C1 F1	4/29/2011	22.22	175,000	Moderate	none
3/20/1936	27.8	250,000	Moderate	C1 F1	9/9/2011	32.75	-9,999	Major	none
4/2/1940	25.7	222,000	Moderate	C1 F1	8/15/2018	22.74	179,000	Moderate	none
1/1/1943	23.4	204,000	Moderate	C1 F1					
5/29/1946	25.2	234,000	Moderate	C1 F1					
3/24/1948	22.2	184,000	Moderate	C1 F1					
4/2/1960	22.8	198,000	Moderate	C1 F1					
3/11/1964	24.7	216,000	Moderate	C1 F1					
6/25/1972	31.2	350,000	Major	C1 F1					
9/27/1975	27.5	275,000	Moderate	C1 F1					
3/9/1979	25.17	232,000	Moderate	C1					
4/16/1983	20.7	159,000	Minor	C1					
4/6/1984	24.5	221,000	Moderate	C1					
1/20/1996	26.76	241,000	Moderate	none					
9/19/2004	27.07	-9,999	Moderate	none					
1/15/2005	20.51	-9,999	Minor	none					

Drainage Area: 10560 square miles Gage Datum: 451.37 ft MSL

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## 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.
- C3 Crest height estimated by the USGS.
- C4 Crest height is from the National Weather Service.
- C5 Crest height affected by backwater.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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

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