Historical Floods: South Branch Raritan River at Stanton, NJ

Latitude: 40.572 Period of Record: 1903-Present Longitude: -74.868 Flood Stage: 8 Last Flood: 11/25/2018 Number of Floods: 105

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Date of Flood	Crest (ft)	Streamflow (cfs)	Category	Code		Date of Flood	Crest (ft)	Streamflow (cfs)	Category	Code
10/9/1903	10.52	9,020	Moderate	C1		3/4/1934	10.05	2,980	Moderate	none
1/7/1905	12.51	6,840	Major	C1 C5		9/30/1934	9.22	5,610	Minor	none
3/3/1906	8.8	5,000	Minor	C1		7/9/1935	10.8	8,260	Moderate	none
7/21/1919	10	6,840	Moderate	C1		3/12/1936	9.37	5,800	Minor	none
2/2/1922	9	4,330	Minor	C1		4/6/1936	8.38	4,460	Minor	none
3/16/1923	8.5	4,590	Minor	C1		7/23/1938	8.51	4,600	Minor	none
4/7/1924	10	6,840	Moderate	C1		9/21/1938	10.72	8,130	Moderate	none
2/12/1925	9.8	3,200	Minor	C1 C5		12/6/1938	8.08	4,080	Minor	none
2/19/1926	9.52	-9,999	Minor	none		2/11/1940	8	-9,999	Minor	none
2/25/1926	8.05	4,220	Minor	none		3/15/1940	12.19	10,900	Major	none
1/21/1927	8.01	-9,999	Minor	none		5/21/1940	9.35	5,780	Minor	none
10/18/1927	8	3,730	Minor	none		6/2/1940	8.4	4,460	Minor	none
11/3/1927	8.1	3,840	Minor	none		2/7/1941	8	3,960	Minor	none
11/18/1927	8.05	3,730	Minor	none		8/9/1942	8.92	5,160	Minor	none
2/15/1928	8.57	4,720	Minor	none		3/13/1944	8.46	4,540	Minor	none
2/7/1929	9.34	5,790	Minor	none		4/24/1944	8.15	4,140	Minor	none
2/26/1929	8.42	4,490	Minor	none		7/19/1945	12.22	10,900	Major	none
11/10/1932	9.25	5,660	Minor	none		12/26/1945	9.06	-9,999	Minor	none
11/19/1932	8.1	3,800	Minor	none		6/2/1946	9.03	5,320	Minor	none
8/23/1933	10.46	7,640	Moderate	none		7/23/1946	8.61	4,740	Minor	none

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2/19/1948	8.54	-9,999	Minor	none	8/3/1967	8.17	4,160	Minor	F2
5/13/1948	8.66	4,810	Minor	none	4/2/1970	11.96	10,500	Moderate	F2
12/30/1948	9.85	6,580	Minor	none	8/28/1971	9.99	6,820	Minor	F2
1/6/1949	8.54	4,650	Minor	none	6/22/1972	10.25	7,260	Moderate	F2
11/25/1950	10	6,840	Moderate	none	2/3/1973	8.24	4,250	Minor	F2
12/8/1950	8.35	4,400	Minor	none	12/21/1973	9.77	6,460	Minor	F2
3/30/1951	8.76	4,940	Minor	none	7/13/1975	8.89	5,130	Minor	F2
7/28/1951	8.83	4,930	Minor	none	1/26/1978	9.19	5,560	Minor	F2
11/7/1951	12.01	10,600	Major	none	1/25/1979	12.72	12,100	Major	F2
12/21/1951	8.38	4,440	Minor	none	3/22/1980	8.3	4,330	Minor	F2
3/11/1952	8.43	4,510	Minor	none	2/3/1982	10.02	5,300	Moderate	C5 F2
4/5/1952	8.03	4,010	Minor	none	4/16/1983	9.9	6,670	Minor	F2
11/22/1952	8.29	4,330	Minor	none	7/7/1984	12.04	10,600	Major	F2
1/24/1953	8.47	4,560	Minor	none	4/5/1987	9.11	5,380	Minor	F1 F2
8/13/1955	10.29	7,330	Moderate	none	9/20/1989	9.65	6,240	Minor	F2
8/19/1955	15.22	18,000	Major	none	1/19/1996	9.76	6,430	Minor	F2
10/14/1955	12.55	11,700	Major	none	10/19/1996	9.91	6,680	Minor	F2
12/21/1957	8.29	4,320	Minor	none	9/16/1999	13.9	14,800	Major	F2
2/28/1958	9.04	5,340	Minor	none	10/29/2003	8.15	4,130	Minor	F2
9/12/1960	8.12	4,100	Minor	none	12/11/2003	9.24	5,580	Minor	F2
3/12/1962	8.25	4,260	Minor	none	7/28/2004	8.89	5,062	Minor	F2
3/5/1963	9.07	-9,999	Minor	C5 C7	9/29/2004	8.1	4,080	Minor	F2
2/13/1966	8.75	-9,999	Minor	F2	4/2/2005	10.1	7,010	Moderate	F2

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10/	12/2005	8.49	4,550	Minor	F2
6/2	28/2006	9.33	5,720	Minor	F2
4/1	16/2007	12.21	11,000	Major	F2
3/	8/2008	8.69	4,800	Minor	F2
7/	2/2009	8.19	4,180	Minor	F2
8/	2/2009	11.17	8,940	Moderate	F2
3/1	14/2010	10.57	7,830	Moderate	F2
10,	/1/2010	8.79	4,930	Minor	F2
3/1	11/2011	9.13	5,530	Minor	F2
4/1	17/2011	8.17	4,160	Minor	F2
8/2	28/2011	13.61	14,100	Major	F2
9/	7/2011	9.25	5,590	Minor	F2
9/	8/2011	11.98	10,600	Moderate	F2
9/2	28/2011	9.69	6,310	Minor	F2
11/	23/2011	8.09	4,070	Minor	F2
7/	1/2013	8.75	4,880	Minor	F2
5/	1/2014	8.71	4,830	Minor	F2
1/1	12/2018	8.21	-9,999	Minor	C2 F2
11/	25/2018	9.15	5,710	Minor	none

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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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