Historical Floods: West Branch Susquehanna River at Renovo, PA

Latitude: 41.324 Period of Record: 1889-Present Longitude: -77.751
Flood Stage: 16 Last Flood: 9/11/2018 Number of Floods: 15

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	Date of Flood	Crest (ft)	Streamflow (cfs)	Category	Code	Date of Flood	Crest (ft)	Streamflow (cfs)	Category	Code	
	6/1/1889	27.3	211,000	Major	C1						
	5/21/1894	23	187,000	Major	C1						
	3/1/1902	17	-9,999	Minor	C1						
	3/18/1936	29.39	236,000	Major	none						
	4/1/1940	16.51	92,900	Minor	none						
	7/18/1942	18.92	117,000	Moderate	none						
	12/30/1942	17.74	105,000	Minor	none						
	5/28/1946	20.11	130,000	Moderate	none						
	11/26/1950	21.96	151,000	Moderate	none						
	3/10/1964	21.28	143,000	Moderate	F2						
	6/23/1972	26.56	181,000	Major	F2						
	1/20/1996	21.87	86,000	Moderate	C5 F1 F2						
	9/18/2004	21.84	128,000	Moderate	F2						
	12/1/2010	18.28	93,400	Moderate	F2						
	9/11/2018	16.11	74,900	Minor	none						

Drainage Area: 2975 square miles Gage Datum: 634.19 ft MSL

Data represent all historical events. West Branch Susquehanna Basin County of Gage: Clinton
County of Forecast Point: Clinton

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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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