## CONODOGUINET CREEK BASIN

## 01569460 BIG SPRING CREEK AT BIG SPRING, PA

LOCATION.--Lat $40^{\circ} 07^{\prime} 46^{\prime \prime}$, long $77^{\circ} 24^{\prime} 277^{\prime \prime}$, Cumberland County, Hydrologic Unit 02050305 , on left bank, 100 ft upstream from bridge on SR 3007 , at Big Spring.

DRAINAGE AREA.-- $3.41 \mathrm{mi}^{2}$.

## WATER-DISCHARGE RECORDS

PERIOD OF RECORD.--November 2004 to current year
GAGE.--Water-stage recorder and crest-stage gage. Elevation of gage is 510 ft above National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929.
REMARKS.--Records good except those for estimated daily discharges, which are poor. Several measurements of water temperature were made during the year. Satellite telemetry at station

DISCHARGE, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2004 TO SEPTEMBER 2005
DAILY MEAN VALUES

| DAY | OCT | NOV | DEC | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEP |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | -- | --- | 39 | 37 | 39 | 37 | 43 | 39 | 35 | 32 | 32 | 26 |
| 2 | --- | -- | 39 | 37 | 39 | 37 | 48 | 39 | 35 | 32 | 31 | 26 |
| 3 | - | - | 40 | 37 | 39 | 36 | 51 | 39 | 35 | 32 | 31 | 26 |
| 4 | --- | --- | 40 | 37 | 39 | 36 | 49 | 38 | 34 | 31 | 31 | 26 |
| 5 | -- | --- | 39 | 38 | 39 | 36 | 48 | 38 | 34 | 32 | 31 | 26 |
| 6 | -- | 39 | 39 | 38 | 39 | 36 | 47 | 38 | 35 | 32 | 31 | 26 |
| 7 | -- | 38 | 39 | 39 | 38 | 36 | 46 | 38 | 35 | 32 | 30 | 27 |
| 8 | --- | 38 | 39 | 40 | 38 | 37 | 46 | 38 | 35 | 33 | 30 | 27 |
| 9 | --- | 39 | 38 | 40 | 38 | 37 | 46 | 38 | 34 | 32 | 30 | 27 |
| 10 | - | 39 | 39 | 41 | 38 | 37 | 45 | 38 | 34 | 32 | 30 | 27 |
| 11 | -- | 39 | 41 | 41 | 38 | 37 | 44 | 38 | 34 | 31 | 30 | 27 |
| 12 | --- | 39 | 41 | 40 | 38 | 37 | 44 | 38 | 34 | 32 | 30 | 27 |
| 13 | --- | 38 | 41 | 40 | 38 | 37 | 43 | 38 | 34 | 32 | 30 | 28 |
| 14 | --- | 38 | 40 | 42 | 38 | 37 | 43 | 38 | 34 | 32 | 30 | 28 |
| 15 | --- | 38 | 40 | 43 | 38 | 36 | 43 | 38 | 34 | 32 | 30 | 28 |
| 16 | --- | 38 | 39 | 43 | 38 | 36 | 43 | 37 | 34 | 31 | 29 | 27 |
| 17 | --- | 39 | 39 | 43 | 37 | 36 | 43 | 37 | 34 | 31 | 29 | 27 |
| 18 | --- | 39 | 39 | 43 | 37 | 36 | 43 | 37 | 34 | 31 | 29 | 27 |
| 19 | -- | 39 | 39 | 42 | 37 | 36 | 42 | 37 | 33 | 31 | 28 | 28 |
| 20 | - | 39 | 39 | 42 | 37 | 36 | 42 | 37 | 33 | 31 | 28 | 27 |
| 21 | -- | 39 | 39 | 41 | 37 | 35 | 42 | 37 | 33 | 31 | 28 | 27 |
| 22 | --- | 38 | 38 | 41 | 37 | 35 | 41 | 37 | 33 | 31 | 28 | 27 |
| 23 | --- | 38 | 39 | 40 | 37 | 36 | 41 | 37 | 33 | e31 | 28 | 27 |
| 24 | - | 38 | 38 | 40 | 37 | 37 | 41 | 36 | 33 | 31 | 28 | 27 |
| 25 | --- | 39 | 38 | 40 | 37 | 37 | 40 | 35 | 33 | 31 | 27 | 27 |
| 26 | - | 39 | 38 | 40 | 36 | 36 | 40 | 36 | 33 | 31 | 26 | 27 |
| 27 | --- | 38 | 38 | 40 | 36 | 36 | 40 | 36 | 33 | 32 | 26 | 27 |
| 28 | - | 39 | 38 | 39 | 36 | 39 | 39 | 36 | 33 | 32 | 26 | 27 |
| 29 | --- | 38 | 38 | 39 | --- | 47 | 39 | 36 | 33 | 32 | 26 | 27 |
| 30 | -- | 39 | 37 | 40 | --- | 46 | 39 | 36 | 33 | 32 | 26 | 27 |
| 31 | --- | --- | 38 | 39 | --- | 44 | --- | 36 | -- | 32 | 27 | --- |
| TOTAL | - | 964 | 1208 | 1242 | 1055 | 1157 | 1301 | 1156 | 1014 | 980 | 896 | 808 |
| MEAN | --- | 38.6 | 39.0 | 40.1 | 37.7 | 37.3 | 43.4 | 37.3 | 33.8 | 31.6 | 28.9 | 26.9 |
| MAX | --- | 39 | 41 | 43 | 39 | 47 | 51 | 39 | 35 | 33 | 32 | 28 |
| MIN | --- | 38 | 37 | 37 | 36 | 35 | 39 | 35 | 33 | 31 | 26 | 26 |
| CFSM | --- | 11.3 | 11.4 | 11.7 | 11.0 | 10.9 | 12.7 | 10.9 | 9.91 | 9.27 | 8.48 | 7.90 |
| IN. | --- | 10.52 | 13.18 | 13.55 | 11.51 | 12.62 | 14.19 | 12.61 | 11.06 | 10.69 | 9.77 | 8.81 |

STATISTICS OF MONTHLY MEAN DATA FOR PERIOD OF DAILY RECORD, BY WATER YEAR (WY)

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| MEAN | --- | --- | 39.0 | 40.1 | 37.7 | 37.3 | 43.4 | 37.3 | 33.8 | 31.6 | 28.9 | 26.9 |
| MAX | --- | --- | 39.0 | 40.1 | 37.7 | 37.3 | 43.4 | 37.3 | 33.8 | 31.6 | 28.9 | 26.9 |
| (WY) | --- | --- | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 |
| MIN | --- | --- | 39.0 | 40.1 | 37.7 | 37.3 | 43.4 | 37.3 | 33.8 | 31.6 | 28.9 | 26.9 |
| (WY) | -- | --- | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 | 2005 |

e Estimated.

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| SUMMARY STATISTICS | FOR PERIOD OF DAILY RECORD |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| HIGHEST DAILY MEAN |  | Apr |  |
| LOWEST DAILY MEAN | 51 | 3 |  |
| ANNUAL SEVEN-DAY MINIMUM | 26 | Aug $26-30 \mathbf{a}$ |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK FLOW | 26 | Aug 26 |  |
| MAXIMUM PEAK STAGE | 53 | Apr | 2 |
| INSTANTANEOUS LOW FLOW | 1.40 | Apr | 2 |

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## WATER-QUALITY RECORDS

PERIOD OF RECORD.--November 2004 to current year.

## PERIOD OF DAILY RECORD.-

TURBIDITY: November 2004 to current year.
INSTRUMENTATION.--Water-quality monitor since November 2004.
REMARKS.--Turbidity record rated poor. Record is affected by excessive suspended algae in the water, which at times does not reflect the true turbidity. All field observations note turbidity of 2 FNU or less. Interruptions in the record were due to malfunctions of the equipment.

|  |  | TURBIDITY, WATER, MONOCHROME NEAR INFRA-RED LED LIGHT, $780-900 \mathrm{~nm}$, DETECTION ANGLE 90 +/ - 2.5 DEGREES, WATER YEAR OCTOBER 2004 TO SEPTEMBER 2005 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| DAY | MAX | MIN | MEAN | MAX | MIN | MEAN | MAX | MIN | MEAN | MAX | MIN | MEAN |
|  | OCTOBER |  |  | NOVEMBER |  |  | DECEMBER |  |  | JANUARY |  |  |
| 1 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 5.3 | 0.2 | 0.8 | 1.8 | 0.1 | 0.5 |
| 2 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 3.1 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 9.9 | 0.0 | 0.5 |
| 3 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 4.6 | 0.1 | 0.7 | 1.1 | 0.1 | 0.4 |
| 4 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 8.4 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 5.0 | 0.1 | 0.5 |
| 5 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 7.7 | 0.2 | 1.1 | 1.4 | 0.1 | 0.4 |
| 6 | - | --- | --- | --- | - | --- | -- | - | --- | 4.4 | 0.0 | 0.5 |
| 7 | --- | --- | - | --- | - | --- | - | --- | --- | 2.4 | 0.1 | 0.4 |
| 8 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | - | 1.0 | 7.3 | 0.1 | 0.7 |
| 9 | --- | --- | --- | --- | - | - | 1.6 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 2.3 | 0.1 | 0.4 |
| 10 | -- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 2.8 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 8.9 | 0.0 | 0.7 |
| 11 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 1.4 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 5.5 | 0.0 | 0.4 |
| 12 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 6.9 | 0.2 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.1 | 0.3 |
| 13 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | - | 2.0 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 4.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 |
| 14 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 1.0 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 6.5 | 0.2 | 0.7 |
| 15 | --- | -- | -- | - | --- | --- | 6.7 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 4.0 | 0.1 | 0.5 |
| 16 | -- | --- | --- | --- | --- | - | 0.7 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 2.9 | 0.1 | 0.4 |
| 17 | - | --- | --- | -- | -- | --- | 0.9 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 2.0 | 0.1 | 0.4 |
| 18 | --- | - | -- | -- | - | - | 0.9 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 2.1 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| 19 | --- | --- | --- | - | --- | --- | 0.9 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 3.4 | 0.0 | 0.5 |
| 20 | --- | - | - | - | --- | --- | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 2.8 | 0.0 | 0.4 |
| 21 | -- | --- | -- | --- | -- | --- | 0.9 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| 22 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 0.9 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.9 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| 23 | -- | --- | --- | 5.3 | 0.3 | 0.9 | 1.4 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| 24 | --- | --- | - | 4.7 | 0.3 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 2.3 | 0.1 | 0.4 |
| 25 | --- | --- | --- | 1.1 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 2.9 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 7.3 | 0.0 | 0.5 |
| 26 | --- | --- | --- | 1.4 | 0.2 | 0.5 | --- | --- | 0.4 | 7.3 | 0.0 | 1.2 |
| 27 | -- | --- | --- | 0.9 | 0.0 | 0.4 | - | --- | 0 | 6.0 | 0.0 | 0.5 |
| 28 | --- | --- | -- | 2.1 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 5.2 | 0.1 | 0.6 | 9.4 | 0.0 | 0.8 |
| 29 | --- | --- | --- | 2.4 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 7.6 | 0.0 | 0.7 | 1.3 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| 30 | -- | _-- | --- | 2.6 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.9 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| 31 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 2.9 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| MONTH | --- | --- | --- | 5.3 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 8.4 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 9.9 | 0.0 | 0.5 |

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[^0]:    a Also Sept. 1-6.

