

Flood Event of 6/13/1968 - 6/14/1968

Main Stem Delaware

Site	Flood Stage	Date	Crest	Flow	Category	Basin	Stream	County of Gage	County of Forecast Point
Pemberton	2.70	6/14/1968	3.39	1,300	Minor	Delaware	North Branch Rancocas Creek	Burlington	Burlington

Southeastern Pennsylvania

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Chadds Ford	9.00	6/13/1968	10.00	6,840	Minor	Delaware	Brandywine Creek	Delaware	Delaware

Weather Summary

Hurricane Abby made its initial landfall on the west coast of Florida on June 3. It moved off of the east coast of Florida on June 4 before turning northward and making landfall again on the east coast of Florida. The storm slowly meandered in Georgia for several days before moving off of the North Carolina Coast. Abby was then absorbed by an extratropical cyclone and moved northward along the Eastern Seaboard. Rainfall totals in the Mid-Atlantic generally ranged from 1 to 3 inches, with parts of VA, MD and DC reporting 2.5 to 6 inches of rainfall.

Source: HPC, "Hurricane Abby - June 2-13, 1968". HPC <http://www.hpc.ncep.noaa.gov/tropical/rain/abby1968.html>

Crest Statistics and Flood Information

First flood of 1 that occurred in Jun, 1968

Seventh flood of 8 that occurred in 1968

Number of Floods at MARFC Forecast Points - 2

Number of Floods Cresting in Minor Range - 2

Number of Floods Cresting in Moderate Range - 0

Number of Floods Cresting in Major Range - 0

Number of Floods Cresting in Missing Range - 0