

# Flood Event of 10/27/2003 - 10/28/2003

## Main Stem Delaware

Site	Flood Stage	Date	Crest	Flow	Category	Basin	Stream	County of Gage	County of Forecast Point
Cooks Falls	10.00	10/27/2003	11.87	14,970	Minor	Delaware	Beaver Kill	Delaware	Delaware

## Southeastern Pennsylvania

Site	Flood Stage	Date	Crest	Flow	Category	Basin	Stream	County of Gage	County of Forecast Point
Chadds Ford	9.00	10/28/2003	10.13	7,290	Minor	Delaware	Brandywine Creek	Delaware	Delaware
Graterford	11.00	10/27/2003	12.08	17,815	Minor	Schuylkill	Perkiomen Creek	Montgomery	Montgomery

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## Weather Summary

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A slow moving low and its associated frontal boundaries pushed through the Northeast at the end of October in 2003. Heavy rain from this system began to fall late on the 26th and it continued through the 27th resulting in rainfall amounts of at least 1.00 inch across much of Pennsylvania and Southern New York. Minor flooding occurred on the Beaver Kill where over 2.00 inches of rain was reported at nearby Monticello, NY. Likewise, there was minor flooding on the Brandywine and Perkiomen Creeks where nearly 3.00 of rain fell in nearby Pottstown, PA.

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## Crest Statistics and Flood Information

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First flood of 2 that occurred in Oct, 2003

Twentieth flood of 24 that occurred in 2003

Number of Floods at MARFC Forecast Points - 3

Number of Floods Cresting in Minor Range - 3

Number of Floods Cresting in Moderate Range - 0

Number of Floods Cresting in Major Range - 0

Number of Floods Cresting in Missing Range - 0