

# Harperella - Potential Habitat, January 2022 - NC Department of Transportation

## File Geodatabase Feature Class



### Tags

Harperella, Ptilimnium nodosum, Ptil\_nodo, Vascular Plant, Terrestrial, endangered, GIS-based model, expert model, Transportation, NRTR, NCDOT, Environment, Location, North Carolina, ATLAS

### Summary

This dataset was originally created in September 2021 as part of the Project ATLAS initiative at NCDOT to support the Environmental Analysis Unit (EAU) Mitigation and Modeling Unit with project delivery in the development phase.

Model output is binary, and includes the identified USFWS species range as listed on ECOS IPAC consultation page. The species model range is split between "High" and "Low" potential habitat. "High potential habitat" represents a GIS based layer of areas deemed suitable habitat, and "Low potential habitat" representing stream lines identified as areas deemed low quality or non-habitat. This model identifies all year-round potential suitable habitat for the species.

The Optimal survey window for Harperella is July - mid September.

This dataset supports the production of the Natural Resources Technical Report (NRTR). This dataset also contains information that may assist biologists in preparing background information for field surveys, in order to address protected species for Threatened & Endangered Species Survey Reports, and/or Biological Assessments.

### Description

The Harperella Potential Habitat dataset is a polyline layer depicting high and low potential habitat locations for Harperella in NC counties that have a USFWS "current" status listing.

Harperella, (*Ptilimnium nodosum* or *Harperella nodosa*) found in North Carolina's eastern Piedmont and western Coastal Plain, comprises occurrences that occupy both riverine and ponded habitats. In the riverine habitat, this annual herb occurs in the Rocky Bar and Shore natural community, and grows on rocky, sandy, or gravelly shoals and margins of clear, swift flowing reaches of seasonally flooded streams. It can also be in such fluvial habitats as crevices of exposed bedrock and, rarely, along sheltered muddy stream banks. The species, which can tolerate a lot of shade, is typically found in riverine microsites, such as the downstream side of large rocks or amidst thick clones of water willow (*Justicia americana*), that are sheltered from the erosive effects of swift water. In harperella's ponded habitat, the species is found in the Coastal Plain along the edges of intermittent pineland ponds, damp meadows, and soggy ground around springs. These areas tend to be seasonally flooded and contain soils of a peat muck overlying sand or sandy silt. An occurrence in Georgia's Coastal Plain also occurs on a granite outcrop that is unrelated to its ponded habitat. In riverine and pond environments, the plant is restricted to a very narrow, intermediate range of mean water depths and moderate, periodic flooding. It is entirely absent from both the shallowest and driest as well as deep waters.

Given the 3 distinctly different habitat types described above, as well as some morphological differences, this species is sometimes split into 3 species. The type or form found in NC, which inhabits rocky or gravelly rivers and streams, has been referred to as *Ptilimnium vivipara* or *Harperella vivipara*.

There are currently 6 element occurrences (EOs) in NC:

-Granville County: 4 locations, all current, found in the Tar River on gravel and sandy bars in the main channel and in sand accumulated around larger rocks.

-Chatham and Lee Counties: 2 locations in the Deep River, which forms the county boundary. The western location is current; the eastern was last observed in 1971.

Habitat for the current population is a large island of gravel and coarse sand accumulated around boulders (NC Natural Heritage Program)

County Information-

- NHP listed counties: Chatham, Granville, and Lee
- FWS listed counties: Chatham, Granville, and Lee
- Additions proposed by reviewers: N/A

For more information please click here

<https://xfer.services.ncdot.gov/gisdot/Metadata/Atlas/TechDocs/>

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### Credits

The Environmental Analysis Unit (EAU) Mitigation and Modeling Unit within NCDOT was tasked to create this dataset. This dataset supports the production of the Natural Resources Technical Report (NRTR). Annual maintenance of this dataset is handled by the EAU.

Support and maintenance of the enterprise spatial database where this data resides is handled by NCDIT's Transportation GIS Unit.

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### Extent

**West** -79.562621    **East** -78.465152  
**North** 36.542506    **South** 35.306095

### Scale Range

**Maximum (zoomed in)** 1:5,000  
**Minimum (zoomed out)** 1:625,000

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THEMES OR CATEGORIES OF THE RESOURCE [biota, geoscientificInformation, location, transportation, environment](#)

\* CONTENT TYPE [Downloadable Data](#)

[EXPORT TO FGDC CSDGM XML FORMAT AS RESOURCE DESCRIPTION](#) [No](#)

PLACE KEYWORDS [North Carolina](#)

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## Resource Details ►

DATASET LANGUAGES English (UNITED STATES)  
DATASET CHARACTER SET utf8 - 8 bit UCS Transfer Format

STATUS completed  
SPATIAL REPRESENTATION TYPE vector

\* PROCESSING ENVIRONMENT Version 6.2 (Build 9200) ; Esri ArcGIS 10.8.1.14362

### CREDITS

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## Extents ►

### EXTENT

#### DESCRIPTION

Data collection is complete.

#### GEOGRAPHIC EXTENT

##### BOUNDING RECTANGLE

WEST LONGITUDE -84.422111

EAST LONGITUDE -75.416034

SOUTH LATITUDE 33.730557

NORTH LATITUDE 36.617257

EXTENT CONTAINS THE RESOURCE Yes

#### TEMPORAL EXTENT

BEGINNING DATE 2022-01-28 00:00:00

ENDING DATE 2022-01-28 00:00:00

### EXTENT

#### GEOGRAPHIC EXTENT

##### BOUNDING RECTANGLE

EXTENT TYPE Extent used for searching

\* WEST LONGITUDE -79.562621

\* EAST LONGITUDE -78.465152

\* NORTH LATITUDE 36.542506

\* SOUTH LATITUDE 35.306095

\* EXTENT CONTAINS THE RESOURCE Yes

#### EXTENT IN THE ITEM'S COORDINATE SYSTEM

\* WEST LONGITUDE 1834694.471120

\* EAST LONGITUDE 2157145.116571

\* SOUTH LATITUDE 566791.104799

\* NORTH LATITUDE 1016407.042508

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## Resource Maintenance ►

### RESOURCE MAINTENANCE

UPDATE FREQUENCY as needed

SCOPE OF THE UPDATES dataset

#### OTHER MAINTENANCE REQUIREMENTS

Maintenance of this dataset is handled by the Environmental Analysis Unit (EAU) Mitigation and Modeling Unit. Currently updating this dataset has not been planned. Support and maintenance of the enterprise spatial database where this data resides is handled by NCDIT's Transportation GIS Unit.

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CLASSIFICATION unclassified

CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM None

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## Spatial Reference ►

#### ARCgis COORDINATE SYSTEM

- \* TYPE Projected
- \* GEOGRAPHIC COORDINATE REFERENCE GCS\_North\_American\_1983
- \* PROJECTION NAD\_1983\_StatePlane\_North\_Carolina\_FIPS\_3200\_Feet
- \* COORDINATE REFERENCE DETAILS

##### PROJECTED COORDINATE SYSTEM

WELL-KNOWN IDENTIFIER 102719  
X ORIGIN -121841900  
Y ORIGIN -93659000  
XY SCALE 3048.0060960121918  
Z ORIGIN -100000  
Z SCALE 10000  
M ORIGIN -100000  
M SCALE 10000  
XY TOLERANCE 0.0032808333333333331  
Z TOLERANCE 0.001  
M TOLERANCE 0.001  
HIGH PRECISION true

LATEST WELL-KNOWN IDENTIFIER 2264

##### WELL-KNOWN TEXT

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#### REFERENCE SYSTEM IDENTIFIER

- VALUE 2264
- \* CODESPACE EPSG
  - \* VERSION 6.12(9.0.0)

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## Spatial Data Properties ►

#### VECTOR ►

- \* LEVEL OF TOPOLOGY FOR THIS DATASET geometry only

#### GEOMETRIC OBJECTS

FEATURE CLASS NAME HarperellaPotentialHabitat\_\_

- \* OBJECT TYPE composite
- \* OBJECT COUNT 2817

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#### ARCgis FEATURE CLASS PROPERTIES ►

FEATURE CLASS NAME HarperellaPotentialHabitat\_\_

- \* FEATURE TYPE Simple
- \* GEOMETRY TYPE Polyline
- \* HAS TOPOLOGY FALSE
- \* FEATURE COUNT 2817
- \* SPATIAL INDEX TRUE
- \* LINEAR REFERENCING FALSE

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## Data Quality ▶

SCOPE OF QUALITY INFORMATION ▶  
RESOURCE LEVEL **dataset**

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DATA QUALITY REPORT - COMPLETENESS OMISSION ▶  
MEASURE DESCRIPTION

After processing, the dataset is checked for drawing display and number of records and file sizes compared with source materials.

CONFORMANCE TEST RESULTS  
TEST PASSED **Yes**  
RESULT EXPLANATION  
**Pass**

PRODUCT SPECIFICATION ▶  
TITLE **NCDOT Geospatial Data Specifications**  
CREATION DATE **2020-04-01 00:00:00**  
PUBLICATION DATE **2021-05-17 00:00:00**

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DATA QUALITY REPORT - CONCEPTUAL CONSISTENCY ▶  
MEASURE DESCRIPTION

The dataset is converted to file geodatabase (FGDB) format using tools in ArcGIS. The geometry is checked, and if needed repaired

CONFORMANCE TEST RESULTS  
TEST PASSED **Yes**  
RESULT EXPLANATION  
**Pass**

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## DATA QUALITY REPORT - QUANTITATIVE ATTRIBUTE ACCURACY ►

### MEASURE DESCRIPTION

- AGOL Review
  - A model prediction file was shared with select reviewers on ArcGIS Online (AGOL). Points were placed within the USFWS potential habitat as well as the model potential habitat in order to solicit feedback. Reviewers could place additional comments for consideration by modeler.
  - AGOL review was completed in November 2018 on a draft version of this model
  - A field review was completed in November 2020 on the draft model
- Independent Data Review
  - Describe data sources – NHP element occurrences
  - Describe methods – NHP element occurrences were compared to Model output to determine if predicted habitat intersected known habitat.
  - NHP element occurrences intersected predicted habitat.
  - The model was independently reviewed using NCNHP EO data and field survey results from recent natural resource investigations for NCDOT projects.

### CONFORMANCE TEST RESULTS

TEST PASSED Yes

RESULT EXPLANATION

Pass

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## Lineage ►

### LINEAGE STATEMENT

ArcGIS Model Builder version 10.7.1 was used to build a model

Input Environmental data layers for model:

#### Layer 1

- Layer name: County Boundary
- Layer description:
  - o Select Chatham, Granville, and Lee Counties
- Layer selection justification:
  - o The 3 counties listed contain the only known occurrences of harperella in the state according to NHP and USFWS data
- "Habitat" versus "Nonhabitat" designations:
  - o Potential habitat is predicted within the 3 USFWS "current" listed counties.

## Layer 2

- Layer name: NHDflowlines.shp
- Layer description:
  - o NHDPlusV2- National Hydrography Dataset -Version 2, developed by the U.S EPA Office of Water, and U.S. Geological Survey.
  - o Join EROM\_MA0001.dbf table to NHDflowlines.shp
  - o Select "Q0001C > 5 and V0001C > 0". Q0001C and V0001C are measures of natural flow. Q0001C is measured in cubic feet per second (cfs) and V0001C is a measure of velocity in feet per second. This is considered potential high habitat areas for harperella.
- Layer selection justification:

Since harperella is dependent on swift-moving streams and rivers, a hydrology dataset mapping these waterways and containing attribute data on the general size, permanency and substrate of streams was sought. NHDPlusV2 and specifically the Enhanced Unit Runoff Method (EROM) Flow estimates (\EROMExtension\EROM\_MA0001.dbf) were used to select stream natural flows. Q0001C values were used and represent flow with reference gage regression applied to Q0001B (cfs). All streams with values greater than 5 cfs were selected as "habitat". This threshold cut off was established by examining recent field verification data collected across all three counties (n = 35). This layer has replaced the draft version model that was based on National Wetland Inventory mapping and is a better fit due to the finer detail of data associated with NDHPlus2. Most lakes and ponds have been removed due to negative or very low flow values which reflects the potential non-habitat/low habitat values of these areas.

EO polygon areas both historic and current are within the vicinity of the stream polylines of the final high potential habitat model.

"Habitat" versus "Nonhabitat" designations:

- o From the NHDflowlines layer within the three counties, we selected all streams with flow:
  - > 5 cfs
  - Areas with negative velocity were removed. These represented lakes and ponds.

## Known Issues with Model Data Layers

- NHD polylines do not match up perfectly with the current river and stream banks in some areas, partially due to the natural shift of channels over time. However, this is the best data source to represent length of stream since this dataset uses single channel line and not both banks on larger streams.
- The ATLAS hydrology layer(s) will not be utilized at this time. The NHD polyline layer will run better when calculating length in the screening tool.
- Based on where the currently known populations are found in NC, this model likely overpredicts potential habitat by identifying streams. The known occurrences in NC are all in major rivers, but the species has been found in streams in other states so the model includes these habitats as well.

## PROCESS STEP ►

### DESCRIPTION

Geodatabase was forwarded on to the GIS Unit for publishing as part of data for project ATLAS.

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DESCRIPTION

Data was reviewed in ESRI's Data Reviewer tool to verify geometry.

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PROCESS STEP ►  
DESCRIPTION

Summary of model steps: ·

- Select the 3 counties where the species is listed: Chatham, Granville, and Lee, export as Harperella Counties.
- Clip NHDflowlines.shp to Harperella Counties.
- Add "Habitat" field (houses 0 & 1 Values for High Potential Habitat and Low potential habitat)
- Join NHD dbf "EROM\_MA0001" to the Harperella\_Clipped\_Streams FC. Select "Q0001C" >5 AND V0001C > 0". Calculate output of Select and give it a "1" for Habitat. Exported as "Harperella\_Habitat"
- Select ""Q0001C" <5 AND V0001C >-9998" and give a value of "0" for NonHabitat. Calculate output of Select and give it a "0" for NonHabitat or low potential habitat. Exported as Harperella\_NonHabitat". Records with a value of -9998 remove all standing water e.g lakes, reservoirs and ponds.
- Merge Harperella\_Habitat and Harperella\_NonHabitat. Exported as Harperella\_Final.

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DISTRIBUTION FORMAT

\* NAME File Geodatabase Feature Class

VERSION 10.5

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**Fields ▶**

DETAILS FOR OBJECT HarperellaPotentialHabitat\_\_ ▶

\* TYPE Feature Class

\* ROW COUNT 2817

DEFINITION

Potential Habitat areas for Harperella in NC

DEFINITION SOURCE

NCDOT

FIELD OBJECTID ▶

\* ALIAS FID

\* DATA TYPE OID

\* WIDTH 4

\* PRECISION 0

\* SCALE 0

\* FIELD DESCRIPTION

Internal feature number.

\* DESCRIPTION SOURCE  
Esri

\* DESCRIPTION OF VALUES  
Sequential unique whole numbers that are automatically generated.

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FIELD Shape ►

\* ALIAS Shape  
\* DATA TYPE Geometry  
\* WIDTH 0  
\* PRECISION 0  
\* SCALE 0  
\* FIELD DESCRIPTION  
Feature geometry.

\* DESCRIPTION SOURCE  
Esri

\* DESCRIPTION OF VALUES  
Coordinates defining the features.

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FIELD GNISName ►

\* ALIAS GNISName  
\* DATA TYPE String  
\* WIDTH 65  
\* PRECISION 0  
\* SCALE 0

FIELD DESCRIPTION  
GNIS (Geographical Names Information System) name of stream

DESCRIPTION SOURCE  
NCDOT

*Hide Field GNISName ▲*

FIELD PotHabitat ►

ALIAS PotHab  
\* DATA TYPE Integer  
\* WIDTH 4  
\* PRECISION 0  
\* SCALE 0

FIELD DESCRIPTION  
Model Output - 0 or 1 potential habitat

DESCRIPTION SOURCE  
NCDOT

LIST OF VALUES

VALUE 1  
DESCRIPTION High potential  
ENUMERATED DOMAIN VALUE DEFINITION SOURCE NCDOT

VALUE 0  
DESCRIPTION Low potential  
ENUMERATED DOMAIN VALUE DEFINITION SOURCE NCDOT

*Hide Field PotHabitat ▲*

FIELD CommonName ►

ALIAS CName  
\* DATA TYPE String  
\* WIDTH 200  
\* PRECISION 0  
\* SCALE 0

FIELD DESCRIPTION  
Common Name of Species

DESCRIPTION SOURCE  
NCDOT

*Hide Field CommonName ▲*

FIELD Sciname ►

ALIAS SName  
\* DATA TYPE String  
\* WIDTH 200  
\* PRECISION 0  
\* SCALE 0

FIELD DESCRIPTION  
Scientific Name of Species

DESCRIPTION SOURCE  
NCDOT

*Hide Field Sciname ▲*

FIELD Shape\_Length ►

\* ALIAS Shape\_Length  
\* DATA TYPE Double  
\* WIDTH 8  
\* PRECISION 0  
\* SCALE 0  
\* FIELD DESCRIPTION  
Length of feature in internal units.

\* DESCRIPTION SOURCE  
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\* DESCRIPTION OF VALUES  
Positive real numbers that are automatically generated.

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METADATA LANGUAGE English (UNITED STATES)  
METADATA CHARACTER SET utf8 - 8 bit UCS Transfer Format

SCOPE OF THE DATA DESCRIBED BY THE METADATA dataset  
SCOPE NAME \*dataset

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METADATA FORMAT ArcGIS 1.0  
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HAVE BEEN PERFORMED Yes  
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UPDATE FREQUENCY as needed

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