

Langsett Weir

Fish Passage

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Langsett weir is a large, sloping masonry weir that acts as a barrier to fish passage on the Little Don River, in particular to Brown Trout. The structure is approximately 20m wide, with a head drop of 2.8m, and is located approximately 150m upstream of Langsett Reservoir (Fig. 1). Just below the weir, under the bridge, there are two additional small weirs which also act as a barrier to fish passage in low flows (Fishtek Consulting, 2016).



a.

b.

Figure 1: a) Location of the Langsett weir (NGR SE1974800605); b) Langsett weir.

We are currently working in partnership with the Environment Agency and Fish Passage specialists (Fishtek and JBA) to review the possible options to enable fish passage upstream of Langsett Weir.



Reference: Fishtek Consulting, 2016. *Fish Pass Detailed Options Appraisal: Langsett*. Darlington: Fishtek Consulting Ltd.



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