

Conservation Cover: Table 1 Summary of Effects to Atlantic Salmon

Practice Information

The purposes of this practice include:

Reduced soil erosion and sedimentation, enhancement of wildlife habitat, and Improved water quality.

Conservation cover applies on land to be retired from agricultural production and on other lands needing permanent protective cover. It does not apply to plantings for forage production or to critical area plantings.



Network Diagram Effect Number	Life cycle affected:	Effect on Essential Fish Habitat (EFH):	Essential Fish Habitat Conservation Measures (CMs):	Effect on EFH (with CMs):
D.4 Decrease in soil erosion	Eggs & Larvae, Juveniles, Adults, Spawning Adults	No effect	none	No effect
I.5 Decrease in contaminants, pathogens, sediments to receiving waters	Eggs & Larvae, Juveniles, Adults, Spawning Adults	No effect	none	No effect
C.3 Increase in fishable and swimmable waters, health and safety issues for humans, domestic and wild animals	Eggs & Larvae, Juveniles, Adults, Spawning Adults	No effect	none	No effect
C.4 Increase in quality of surface waters and aquatic habitats	Eggs & Larvae, Juveniles, Adults, Spawning Adults	No effect	none	No effect