WATER QUALITY CLASSIFICATIONS

HAMPTON, CT

SURFACE WATER QUALITY CLASSES

- A
- B
- C
- D
- E

GROUND WATER QUALITY CLASSES

- GB
- GC
- SA
- SB
- SC

DATA SOURCES

- Water Quality Standards - Connecticut DEEP
- Housatonic River, Connecticut River
- Thames River, Pequabuck River
- South Coastal Attesco Basin
- South Coastal Attesco Basin

EXPLANATION

Water quality classifications are based on the Connecticut DEEP’s Water Quality Standards, which are intended to protect public health and the environment. There are six classifications:

- A: Highest, cleanest water, typically found in pristine natural areas.
- B: Higher than A, suitable for recreation and aquatic life.
- C: Suitable for aquatic life but not human contact.
- D: Industrial and agricultural water supply.
- E: Wastewater discharge.
- F: Unfit for human contact.

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APPROVALS

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