

# Basic Detail Report

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## Railroad Bridge North Tonawanda, from the series "Bridges-Symbols of Progress"

### Date

May 20, 1986

### Primary Maker

Richard Margolis

### Medium

Gelatin silver print

### Description

This photograph depicts the CSX Erie Canal Bridge, a Baltimore warren through truss bascule bridge with overhead counterweight over the Barge Canal (Erie Canal) between Tonawanda and North

Tonawanda. It was built by the Strauss Bascule Bridge Co. of Chicago, Illinois. The length of its largest span is 127 ft. and its total length is 489.9 ft.

### Dimensions

Composition/Sheet: 16 x 20 in. (40.6 x 50.8 cm)