

# NINETY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

# STATE OF MAINE

## IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-FIVE

### RESOLVE, to Simplify the Open Water Fishing Laws by Counties.

**Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Game to issue certain rules and regulations. Resolved:** That all open water fishing regulations issued by the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Game are hereby repealed and the Commissioner is hereby authorized and instructed to promulgate the following open water fishing regulations. Where county lines divide a body of water the more liberal county regulation shall apply.

### Androscoggin County

The season opens in Androscoggin County on April 1st in all waters naturally free of ice and all portions of waters naturally free of ice.

The daily bag limit is 10 trout, salmon, togue or bass in the aggregate from any or all of the lakes, ponds, rivers, streams and brooks, which shall not exceed a weight of  $7\frac{1}{2}$  pounds in the aggregate unless otherwise restricted below.

No size or bag limits on white perch.

Black bass, June 1st to June 20th restricted to casting, spinning and fly fishing with single-hooked artificial lures.

Auburn Lake. Beginning at the post set in the ground on the shore of Lake Auburn about 2,500 feet westerly from the Auburn Water District intake; thence northerly about 300 feet to a point (buoy); thence northeasterly about 2,400 feet to a point (buoy) about 3,300 feet northerly from the intake of the Auburn Water District; thence easterly about 2,500 feet to a point (buoy); thence southerly about 3,000 feet to a post on the shore of Lake Auburn and on the line between the Lake Grove lot and the Morrell farm, so-called; thence westerly by the shore

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of Lake Auburn to the point of beginning; containing 340 acres more or less, is closed to all fishing. Lake and tributaries closed to the dipping of smelts.

## **Aroostook County**

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The daily bag limit is 10 trout, salmon, togue or bass in the aggregate from any or all of the lakes, ponds, rivers, streams and brooks, which shall not exceed a weight of  $7\frac{1}{2}$  pounds in the aggregate unless otherwise restricted below.

No size or bag limit on white perch except in Upper and Lower Mattawamkeag Lakes, T. 4, R. 8 and Island Falls, which have a daily bag limit of 25 fish per person.

Black Lake, T. 15, R. 9. Daily limit 5 fish. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited.

Black Ponds, Two, Little, T. 15, R. 9. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Chiputneticook Chain of Lakes. No size or bag limit on pickerel. No bag limit on bass. It shall be unlawful to fish at any time within 75 feet of any dam or obstruction in which a fishway is located.

Crater Pond, T. 15, R. 9. Daily limit 5 fish.

Deboullie Lake, T. 15, R. 9. Daily limit 5 fish. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited.

Denny Pond, T. 15, R. 9. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Ferguson Pond, T. 14, R. 8. Daily limit 5 fish. Use or possession of fish as bait prohibited.

Fifth Negro Brook Lake, T. 15, R. 9. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

First Negro Brook Lake, T. 16, R. 9. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Fish River Chain of Lakes. All tributaries and thoroughfares of Long Lake, Mud Lake Cross Lake and Square Lake, closed to taking of smelts.

Fourth Negro Brook Lake, T. 16, R. 9. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Gallilee Pond, T. 15, R. 9. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Gardner Lake, T. 15, R. 9. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Horseshoe Pond, T. 14, R. 8. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Island Pond, T. 15, R. 9. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Island Pond, T. 14, R. 8. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Lucifee Pond, T. 14, R. 8. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Mantle Lake, Presque Isle. Closed to fishing by persons over the age of 17 years.

Moccasin Pond, T. 14, R. 8. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

North Pond, T. 14, R. 9. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Perch Pond, T. 15, R. 9. Daily limit 5 fish.

Pleasant Lake and Tributaries, Island Falls. Closed to the dipping or netting of smelts.

Pushineer Pond, T. 15, R. 9. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Second Negro Brook Lake, T. 16, R. 9. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Sixth Negro Brook Lake, T. 15, R. 9. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Stink Pond, T. 15, R. 9. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Third Negro Brook Lake, T. 16, R. 9. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Upper Pond, T. 15, R. 9. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

#### Cumberland County

The season opens in Cumberland County on April 1st in all waters naturally free of ice and all portions of waters naturally free of ice.

The daily bag limit is 10 trout, salmon, togue or bass in the aggregate from any or all of the lakes, ponds, rivers, streams and brooks, which shall not exceed a weight of  $7\frac{1}{2}$  pounds in the aggregate unless otherwise restricted below.

No size or bag limit on white perch.

Adams Pond, Bridgton. Daily limit 5 trout.

Coffee Pond, Casco. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 trout or salmon.

Gay Brook, Raymond. From main highway to Little Rattlesnake Pond, closed to the dipping of smelts.

Miller Brook, Bridgton. Closed to the dipping of smelts.

Nubble Pond, Raymond. Daily limit 5 trout. No size or bag limit on pickerel. Lake, tributaries and outlet, closed to taking of smelts.

Peabody Pond and Tributaries, Naples, Sebago, Bridgton. Closed to the dipping of smelts.

Rolfe Brook, Raymond, tributary to Panther Pond. Closed to the taking of smelts.

Sabbathday Lake, New Gloucester. Tributaries closed to smelt dipping. Daily limit 5 trout or salmon. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited.

Sebago Lake and tributaries, Standish, Baldwin, Sebago, Naples, Casco, Harrison, Otisfield, Raymond, Windham Twps. No size or bag limit on bass or pickerel. All tributaries closed to smelt dipping except the Crooked River and Songo River. Sebago Lake at White's bridge closed to all fishing 100 feet above and 100 feet below said bridge. Jordan River to the hatchery dam closed to all fishing.

Sucker Brook, tributary to Moose Pond, Bridgton. Closed to taking of smelts.

#### Franklin County

The season opens in Frankiln County on April 1st in waters naturally free of ice and portions of waters naturally free of ice.

The daily bag limit is 10 trout, salmon, togue or bass in the aggregate from

any or all of the lakes, ponds, rivers, streams and brooks, which shall not exceed a weight of  $7\frac{1}{2}$  pounds in the aggregate unless otherwise restricted below.

The daily bag limit is 25 white perch per person from any of the waters, unless otherwise stated below.

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Alder Stream. See Dead River, North Branch.

Arnold Pond, Coburn Gore. Daily limit 5 fish. Fly fishing only.

Beaver Pond, Twp. D. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Beaver Pond, Seven Ponds Township. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Bemis Stream, Twp. D. Fly fishing only from April 15th until September 14th, from red posts on Mooselucmeguntic Lake to north side of railroad bridge at summit. Daily limit 5 fish. Tributaries. Closed.

Big Island Pond, Coburn Gore. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Blanchard Pond, Davis and Lang Townships. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Blanchard Pond, Alder Stream Township. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. Chain of Ponds, T. 1, R. 6. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Clearwater Pond, Farmington and Industry. Daily limit 5 trout, salmon or togue. No size or bag limit on bass and white perch. Tributaries, closed to taking of smelts.

Crosby Pond, Coburn Gore. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Cupsuptic Lake. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Day Mountain Pond, Avon. Closed.

Dead River, North Branch, and Tributaries. Daily limit 5 fish. Fly fishing only.

Dodge Pond, Rangeley. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Ell Pond (L), T. 3, R. 5. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Farmer's Brook, Temple, Tributary to Varnum Pond. Closed to the taking of smelts.

Flat Iron Pond, Davis Township. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Grant's Pond, Massachusetts Gore. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Gull Pond, Dallas Plt. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Hathan Bogs, Coburn Gore. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Horseshoe Pond, Coburn Gore and T. 2, R. 6. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Jim Pond, Little, T. 1, R. 5, T. 4, R. 5. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. John's Pond, T. 3, R. 3. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Kemankeag Pond, T. 3, R. 3. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Kennebago Lake, Big, Davis and Stetson Town. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. Tributaries, closed except Little Kennebago Stream.

Kennebago Lake, Little, Stetson Town. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Kennebago River (the outlet of Kennebago Lake). Down to the first power dam, closed. Below the dam, fly fishing only until September 30th. Daily limit I fish. Tributaries, closed.

Kennebago Stream, Little. Fly fishing only, until September 30th. Daily limit 5 fish. Tributaries, closed.

Kimball Pond, New Sharon, Vienna. Closed to all fishing until April 1st, 1956.

Little Island Pond, T. 3, R. 5. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. Long Pond, Twp. D and E. Daily limit 5 fish. Use or possession of fish as bait prohibited.

Long Pond, Sandy River Plt. Use or possession of fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Long Pond, Seven Ponds Twp. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Long Pond Stream, tributary to Rangeley Lake, closed.

Loon Lake, Rangeley and Dallas Plt. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Massachusetts Bog, Massachusetts Gore. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Mooselucmeguntic Lake. Daily limit 5 fish. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited.

Moxie Pond, Twp. D. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Mud Pond, T. 2, R. 4. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Mud Pond, Coburn Gore. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Northwest Pond, T. 3, R. 6. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Northwest Pond, Little, T. 3, R. 6. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Porter Lake, Strong and New Vineyard. Daily limit 5 trout, salmon or togue. Tributaries, closed to the taking of smelts.

Quimby Pond, Rangeley. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. Closed for 20,000 square feet around the Wilbur Spring.

Rangeley Lake. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Rangeley Stream (the outlet of Rangeley Lake). Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Reddington Pond, Reddington Twp. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Rock Pond, T. 2, R. 6. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Round Pond, Twp. E. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. Round Pond, Rangeley. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Round Mountain Lake, T. 2, R. 5. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Sabbathday Pond, Twp. E. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Saddleback Lake, Dallas Plt. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Saddleback Stream, from the Rangeley Water Company Dam to its junction with the outlets of Midway and Eddy Ponds and tributaries, between these points closed.

Secret Pond, T. 3, R. 5. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. Seven Ponds Stream, T. 3, R. 5. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Snow Mountain Pond, T. 2, R. 5. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

South Bog Stream, Rangeley. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

South Boundary Pond, T. 3, R. 6. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Spencer Pond, T. D, R. I. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Stratton Brook Ponds, T. 4, R. 3. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Tim Pond, T. 2, R. 4. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Trout Pond (Beals Pond), Madrid. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Varnum Pond, Wilton and Temple. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 trout, salmon or togue.

Webb Lake and tributaries, Weld. Closed to the taking of smelts.

## Hancock County

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No size or bag limits on white perch.

Debec Pond, Amherst. Fly fishing only.

Hadlock Pond, Upper, Mt. Desert. Daily limit 5 fish. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited.

Mitchell Pond, Dedham. Daily limit 5 trout.

Moulton Pond, Dedham and Bucksport. Daily limit 5 trout.

Tunk Lake, Little, Sullivan. Daily limit 5 fish. Ues or possession of live fish as bait prohibited.

Youngs Pond, Otis. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 trout.

No size or bag limits on bass or pickerel. Open season and means of taking bass corresponds to general law on trout and salmon in the following waters: Echo Lake and tributaries, Mount Desert.

Echo Lake, Little, and tributaries, Mount Desert.

Long Pond and tributaries, Mount Desert.

Round Pond and tributaries, Mount Desert.

Ripple Pond and tributaries, Mount Desert.

Somes Pond and tributaries, Mount Desert.

## Kennebec County

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The daily bag limit is 25 white perch per person from any of the waters unless otherwise stated below.

Basin Pond, Fayette. Daily limit 5 trout per person. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited.

Bean Pond, Sidney. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 trout.

Belgrade Stream. Open until September 30th.

Carleton Pond, Readfield and Winthrop. Closed.

Chamberlain Pond, Belgrade. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Cobbosseecontee Stream. Open until September 30th.

East Pond Stream, from Coffin dam to North Pond, closed to fishing for white perch.

Echo Lake tributaries. Closed to the dipping of smelts.

Emery's (or Mud) Pond, Sidney. Daily limit 5 trout.

Gould Pond, Sidney. Daily limit 5 trout.

Kimball Pond, New Sharon and Vienna. Closed to all fishing until April 1, 1956, thereafter daily limit 5 trout. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited.

Minnehonk Lake tributaries. Closed to the dipping of smelts.

Silver Lake (Figure 8 Pond) Manchester. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 trout.

Tyler Pond, Manchester. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 trout.

Wellman Pond, Belgrade and Sidney. Daily limit 5 trout.

No size or bag limits on white perch in the following water:

Annabessacook Lake and tributaries, Monmouth, Winthrop.

Cobbosseecontee Lake and tributaries, Litchfield, Monmouth, Winthrop.

Cochnewagon Pond and tributaries, Monmouth.

Maranacook Lake and tributaries, Winthrop and Readfield.

Wilsin Pond and tributaries, Monmouth, Winthrop.

## Knox County

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No size or bag limits on white perch.

Chickawukee Lake, Rockland, Rockport. Tributaries closed to taking of smelts.

Forest Lake, Friendship. Daily limit 5 trout. Iron Pond, Washington. Daily limit 5 trout.

Lily Pond, Hope. Closed to all fishing until April 1, 1956, thereafter daily limit 5 trout. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited.

Salt Pond, Cushing and Friendship. Daily limit 5 trout.

#### Lincoln County

The season open in Lincoln County on April 1st in all waters naturally free of ice and all portions of waters naturally free of ice.

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No size or bag limits on white perch.

Adams Pond, Boothbay. Daily limit 5 trout. Hastings Pond, Bristol. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 trout. Little Pond, Damariscotta. Closed to all fishing. Peters Pond, Waldoboro. Daily limit 5 trout. Ross Pond, Bristol. Daily limit 5 trout.

## **Oxford County**

The season opens in Oxford County on April 1st in waters naturally free of ice and all portions of waters naturally free of ice.

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No size or bag limit on white perch.

Abbott Brook, Mexico. Closed to fishing by persons over 16 years of age. Daily limit 5 fish.

Anasagunticook Lake and tributaries. Closed to the taking of smelts. No size or bag limits on bass and pickerel.

Aziscohos Lake. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Bartlett Brook, Stoneham. Closed to the dipping of smelts.

Beaver Ponds, Magalloway and Lincoln Plantations. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 trout.

Bryant Pond (or Lake Christopher), Woodstock. Daily limit 5 trout. C Pond, C. Surplus. Daily limit 5 trout.

Colcord Pond and Tributaries, Porter. Closed to the dipping of smelts.

Cupsuptic Lake. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Cupsuptic River and Tributaries. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Halls Pond, Paris. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 trout.

Kennebago River (outlet of Kennebago Lake). Only fly fishing is permitted until September 30th, with a daily bag limit of 1 fish per person. Tributaries. Closed.

Kewayden Lake, Stoneham. No size or bag limit on pickerel.

Lake Christopher see Bryant Pond.

Lincoln Pond, T. 5, R. 3 and Parkertown. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited.

Long Pond, Denmark. Closed to all fishing until April 1, 1956, thereafter daily limit 5 trout. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited.

Long Pond on Little Magalloway River. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Magalloway River, Big and tributaries. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Magalloway River, Little, and tributaries. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Metallak Brook (tributary to Richardson Lake). Closed except to taking of smelts.

Mooselucmeguntic Lake. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Mount Zircon Reservoir. Closed.

Parmachenee Lake, Parmachenee and Lynchtown. Fly fishing and trolling with artificial flies only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Pennesseewassee Lake. Tributaries, closed to the taking of smelts.

Pond-In-The-River, Upton and Township C. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Rapid River. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Richardson Lakes, Upper and Lower. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 trout or salmon.

Richardson Ponds, 2 East and 2 West, T. 4, R. 2. Fly fishing only.

Sand Pond, Norway. No size or bag limit on pickerel and bass.

Shagg Pond, Woodstock. Daily limit 5 trout.

South Ponds, Greenwood. Tributaries closed to the taking of smelts.

Thompson Lake, Oxford (also situated Androscoggin and Cumberland Counties). Daily limit 5 trout, salmon or togue.

Umbagog Lake. Daily limit 5 salmon or trout.

Upper Dam Pool, T. 4, R. 1, is defined as being that area between the dam at the outlet of Mooselucmeguntic Lake and a line drawn between the two rocks and cribwork piers approximately 800 yards west of the dam aforementioned. Only fly fishing is permitted with a daily bag limit of 5 fish per person. From September 15th to September 30th fly fishing only with a daily bag limit of 1 fish per person.

#### Penobscot County

The season opens in Penobscot County on April 1st in all waters naturally free of ice and all portions of waters naturally free of ice.

The daily bag limit is 10 trout, salmon, togue or bass in the aggregate from any or all of the lakes, ponds, rivers, streams and brooks, which shall not exceed a weight of  $7\frac{1}{2}$  pounds in the aggregate unless otherwise restricted below:

No size or bag limits on white perch.

Katahdin Lake, T. 3, R. 8. Daily limit 5 trout.

Rocky Pond, T. 3, R. 8. Daily limit 5 trout.

Round Pond, Little, Lincoln. Closed.

Sand Bank Brook and Tributaries, T. 3, R. 7., Soldiertown, T. 2, R. 7, T. 3, R. 8. Daily limit 5 fish.

Wassataquoik Stream and Tributaries, T. 3, R. 7, R. 3, R. 8, T. 4, R. 8. Daily limit 5 fish.

### **Piscataquis County**

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The daily bag limit is 25 white perch per person from any of the waters unless otherwise stated below.

Alligator Pond, T. A, R. 11, W. E. L. S. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. Baker Pond, Bowdoin College Grant. Fly fishing only. Baxter State Park. Daily limit 5 fish from any of the waters. Bear Pond, T. A, R. 11. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish Birch Ridge Pond, T. A, R. 11. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. Bluff Pond, T. A, R. 13. Fly fishing only. Broadway Pond, Big, T. A, R. 11. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Broadway Pond, Little, T. A, R. 11. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Carpenter Pond, T. 7, R. 11. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Celia Pond, T. 3, R. 10. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. Center Brook, Kingsbury. Closed to the taking of smelts.

Crawford Pond, T. A, R. 11. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Daicey Pond, T. 3, R. 10. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Deer Pond, T. 3, R. 10. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. Draper Pond, T. 3, R. 10. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Duck (Blood) Pond, T. 2, R. 13, W.E.L.S. Fly fishing only.

Duck Pond, T. 4, R. 11, W.E.L.S. Fly fishing only.

Elbow Pond, Upper, T. 10, R. 10, T. 11, R. 10. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Fifth Debsconeag Lake, T. 1 and 2, R. 11, W.E.L.S. Fly fishing only.

Fogg Pond, West Bowdoin College Grant. Fly fishing only.

Foss and Knowlton Pond, T. 2 & 3, R. 10. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Fox Pond, T. A, R. 11. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Frost Pond, T. 3, R. 11. Fly fishing only. Garland Pond, Sebec and Dover-Foxcroft. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 trout. No size or bag limits on bass.

Harrington Lake, T. 3, 4, R. 11. Use or Possession of fish as bait prohibited. Harrington Pond, T. 3, R. 11. Fly fishing only.

Horseshoe Pond, West Bowdoin College Grant. Fly fishing only.

Island Pond, T. 9, R. 10. Daily limit 5 fish.

Jackson Pond, T. 3, R. 11. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Johnson Pond, T. A, R. 11. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Jordan Pond, T. 3, R. 11, W.E.L.S. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Kidney Pond, T. 3, R. 10. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. Knowlton Pond, T. 3, R. 10. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Kokadjo (Roach) River. Daily limit 5 fish.

Lily Pad Pond, T. 3, R. 10. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. Lost Pond, T. 3, R. 10. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. Lyford Pond, Big, T. A, R. 12. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Lyford Pond, Little, West Bowdoin College Grant. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

McKenna Pond, T. 3, R. 11. Fly fishing only.

Mirror Pond, T. A, R. 11. Fly fishing only.

Mountain Brook Pond, West Bowdoin College Grant. Fly fishing only.

Mountain Pond, T. 8, R. 10, N.W.P., and Gore A, No. 2. Fly fishing only.

North Brook and tributaries, Lily Bay, Frenchtown. Daily limit 5 fish.

Notch Ponds, Big and Little, West Bowdoin College Grant. Fly fishing only.

Peaked Mountain Pond, T. 10, R. 11. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Pleasant Pond, T. A, R. 11. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Pleasant Pond, Big, T. 9, R. 11, T. 10, R. 11. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Pleasant Pond, Little, T. 10, R. 11. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Polly Pond, T. 3, R. 11. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Ragged Pond, T. 9, R. 10. Daily limit 5 fish.

Roach River (See Kokadjo River).

Rocky Pond, T. 3, R. 10. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Rocky Pond, Big, T. A, R. 11. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Rocky Pond, Little, T. 3, R. 10. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Rocky Pond, Little, T. A, R. 11. Daily limit 5 fish. Use or possession of fish as bait prohibited.

Rubberneck Pond, T. A, R. 11. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Rum Pond, Greenville and T. 8, R. 10, N. W. P. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Salmon Pond, Guilford. Closed.

Slaughter Pond, T. 3, R. 11. Fly fishing only.

Snake Pond, T. 7, R. 11, W. E. L S. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited Daily limit 5 fish.

Sourdnahunk Lake, T. 4, R. 10, T. 4, R. 11, T. 5, R. 10, T. 5, R. 11. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Sourdnahunk Lake, Little, T. 5, R. 11. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Sourdnahunk Watershed. T. 4, R. 10, T. 4, R. 11, T. 5, R. 10, T. 5, R. 11, T. 2, R. 10, T. 3, R. 10 Daily limit 5 fish from any of the waters

South Brook and tributaries, Lily Bay, T. A. 2, R. 13 and 14. Daily limit 5 fish. Spencer Pond, Middlesex Canal Grant and Spencer Bay Town. Fly fishing only.

Spring Pond, Twp. 7, R. 10. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Squaw Pond, Big, Little Squaw Mountain. Closed.

Sylvan Lake. See Whetstone Pond.

Trout Pond, Little Squaw Mountain Twp. Fly fishing only.

Wassataquoit Stream and tributaries, T. 4, R. 5. Daily limit 5 fish.

West Branch of the Penobscot River. Fly fishing and trolling with artificial flies only, from and including the Big Eddy to the mouth of Sourdnahunk Stream.

West Branch Ponds, 1, 2, 3, 4, in T. A, R. 12. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Whetstone Pond (Sylvan Lake), Blanchard and Kingsbury. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish. Pond and tributaries, closed to the dipping of smelts.

Windy Pitch Pond, T. 3, R. 10. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Yoke Pond, T. A., R. 11. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

## Sagadahoc County

The season opens in Sagadahoc County on April 1st in all waters naturally free of ice, and all portions of waters naturally free of ice.

The daily bag limit is 10 trout, salmon, togue or bass in the aggregate from any or all of the lakes, ponds, rivers, streams and brooks, which shall not exceed a weight of  $7\frac{1}{2}$  pounds in the aggregate unless otherwise restricted below.

No size or bag limits on white perch.

#### Somerset County

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The season opens in Somerset County on April 1st in waters naturally free of ice and all portions of waters naturally free of ice.

The daily bag limit is 10 trout, salmon, togue or bass in the aggregate from any or all of the lakes, ponds, rivers, streams and brooks, which shall not exceed a weight of  $7\frac{1}{2}$  pounds in the aggregate unless otherwise restricted below.

The daily bag limit is 25 white perch per person from any of the waters unless otherwise stated below.

Baker Pond, Hobbstown, T. 5, R. 6. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. Baker Stream, T. 4, R. 5, T. 5, R. 6, and Hobbstown. Daily limit 5 fish.

Beane Pond, Pleasant Ridge Plt. Fly fishing only.

Berry Ponds (including Chain Ponds) Johnson Mountain Twp. Fly fishing only.

Blakesley Lake, T. 5, R. 6. Fly fishing only.

Brassua Lake, T. I, R. I, N. B. K. P. Closed from mouth of Misery Stream in a northeasterly direction to a line between two red posts set on opposite shores. That portion of Brassua Lake between the line above described and a line between two yellow posts placed further in a northeasterly direction is closed after August 15th.

Clear Pond (Mill), Pleasant Ridge Plt. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish. Coburn Pond, Moose River Plt. Fly fishing only.

Cold Stream Pond, Johnson Mountain, Parlin Pond and Misery Townships. Fly fishing only.

Davis Brook, T. 5, R. 6. Daily limit 5 fish. Davis Pond, T. 5, R. 6. Daily limit 5 fish.

Daymond Pond, Moose River Plt. Fly fishing only.

Desolation Pond, T. 8, R. 16. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Dingley Ponds, The Three, T. 4, R. 5. Fly fishing only.

East Carry Pond, Carrying Place Plt. Use or possession of fish as bait prohibited.

East Pond Stream from Coffin Dam to North Pond. Closed to fishing for white perch.

Ellis Pond, Ten Thousand Acre Tract. Fly fishing only.

Enchanted Pond, Little, Upper Enchanted Twp. Fly fishing only.

Everett Pond, T. 4, R. 5, B.K.P., W.K.R. Fly fishing only.

Fernald Pond, T. 2, R. 6 and Parlin Pond. Fly fishing only.

Fish Pond, Pierce Pond Twp. Fly fishing only. Fish Pond, Big, T. 3, R. 3. Fly fishing only.

Fish Pond, Holeb. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Fry Pan Pond, Squaretown. Fly fishing only.

Grace Pond, Upper Enchanted. Fly fishing only.

Hall Pond, Prentiss Twp. Fly fishing only.

Heald Pond, Caratunk Plt. Fly fishing only.

Horseshoe Pond, Ten Thousand Acre Tract. Fly fishing only.

Iron Pond, Hobbstown, T. 5, R. 6, B.K.P., W.K.R. Fly fishing only.

Jackson Pond, Concord. Closed.

Jim Pond, Little, T. 1, R. 5, T. 4, R. 5. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Lang Pond, Parlin Pond Twp. Fly fishing only.

Lang Pond, Little, Parlin Pond Twp. Fly fishing only.

Lone Jack Pond, Johnson Mountain Twp. Fly fishing only.

Long Pond, Forsythe and Holeb. Daily limit 5 fish.

Long Pond, Ten Thousand Acre Tract. Fly fishing only.

Lost Pond, Pleasant Ridge. Fly fishing only.

Lost Pond, T. 5, R. 16. Fly fishing only.

Macdougall Pond, Caratunk. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 trout.

Marie Petush Pond, Prentiss Twp. Fly fishing only.

Markham Pond, Johnson Mountain. Fly fishing only.

Martin Pond, The Forks Plt. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 trout.

Mill Pond see Clear Pond.

Rancourt Pond, Dennistown Plt. Fly'fishing only.

Rock Pond, T. 5, R. 6, B.K.P., W.K.R. Fly fishing only.

Round Pond, Squaretown. Fly fishing only.

Round Pond, Ten Thousand Acre Tract. Fly fishing only.

Russell Pond, T. 5, R. 16. Fly fishing only.

Snake Pond, Johnson Mountain. Fly fishing only.

Spencer Stream and Tributaries. Fly fishing only.

Split Rock Pond, Pierce Pond Town. Fly fishing only.

Tobey Pond, Johnson Mountain. Fly fishing only.

Turner Ponds, Big and Little, Forsyth Twp. Daily limit 5 fish.

Wilson Pond, Little (Little Wilson Hill Pond), Johnson Mountain. Fly fishing only.

#### Waldo County

The season opens in Waldo County on April 1st in all waters naturally free of ice and all portions of waters naturally free of ice.

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No size or bag limits on white perch.

Prescott Pond, Palermo. Daily limit 5 trout.

St. Georges Lake, Liberty. Daily limit 5 salmon or trout.

St. Georges Lake, Little, Liberty. Daily limit 5 salmon or trout.

Swan Lake, Frankfort, Searsport, Swanville. No bag or size limit on bass. Open season and means of taking bass corresponds to general law on trout and salmon.

## Washington County

The season opens in Washington County on April 1st in all waters naturally free of ice and all portions of waters naturally free of ice.

The daily bag limit is 15 trout, salmon, togue or bass in the aggregate from any or all of the lakes, ponds, rivers, streams and brooks, which shall not exceed a weight of  $7\frac{1}{2}$  pounds in the aggregate unless otherwise restricted below.

No size or bag limits on white perch.

Chiputneticook Chain of Lakes. No size or bag limit on pickerel. No bag limit on bass. It shall be unlawful to fish at any time within 75 feet of any dam or obstruction in which a fishway is located.

Dennys River, from the lower dam site in Dennysville to red posts near the narrows. Fly fishing only for Atlantic Salmon. The season opens May 1st. Daily limit 2.

East Machias River, from the dam below Route 1 to a line across the river at Sampsons Wharf. Fly fishing only for Atlantic Salmon. Daily limit 2.

Grand Lake Outlet (See Chiputneticook Chain of Lakes).

Ledge Pond, Charlotte. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited.

Machias River, from Whitneyville Dam to Blaine Davis' Mill. Fly fishing only for Atlantic Salmon. Daily limit 2.

Narraguagus River. Closed until May 1st south of the north line of the town of Deblois. Taking of fish prohibited except by use of a single hook on a line above Deblois Bridge. Fly fishing only below Deblois Bridge. Open September 15th to September 30th from site of old foot bridge to cement bridge on Route 1. Daily limit 2 salmon.

Pleasant River. Unweighted fly hook, not larger than No. 4 and fly line must be used in taking Atlantic Salmon. Daily limit 2.

Schoodic Brook, Cherryfield. Closed from red post at its mouth to red post 1,000 feet up stream.

Schoodic Lake, T. 18, M. D., Columbia, Cherryfield. No size or bag limits on bass. Season to conform with general law open water fishing for trout and salmon.

Smelt Brook, Marshfield. Closed.

West Pike Brook Pond, T. 18, M. D. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited.

#### York County

The season opens in York County on April 1st in all waters naturally free of ice, and all portions of waters naturally free of ice.

The daily bag limit is 15 trout, salmon, togue or bass in the aggregate from any or all of the lakes, ponds, rivers, streams and brooks, which shall not exceed a weight of  $7\frac{1}{2}$  pounds in the aggregate unless otherwise restricted below.

No size or bag limits on white perch.

Boulter Pond, York. Closed Chase's Pond, York. Closed Deer Pond, Hollis. Daily limit 5 trout. Ell Pond, Sanford and Wells. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.

Folly Pond, York. Closed.

Goose Pond, Shapleigh. No size or bag limits on pickerel and bass. Open season and means of taking bass corresponds to general law on trout and salmon. Littlefield Pond, Sanford. Closed.

Lone Pond, Waterboro. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 fish.

Middle Pond, York. Closed.

Milliken's Mill Pond and Tributaries, Old Orchard Beach. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 trout.

Mousam Lake, Acton and Shapleigh. No size or bag limits on pickerel and bass. Open season and means of taking bass corresponds to general law on trout and salmon. Tributaries closed to taking of smelts.

Ossipee Pond, Little, Waterboro. No size or bag limits on pickerel and bass. Open season and means of taking bass corresponds to general law on trout and salmon.

Round Pond, Lyman. Fly fishing only. Daily limit 5 trout.

Square Pond, Acton and Shapleigh. No size or bag limits on pickerel and bass. Open season and means of taking bass corresponds to general law on trout and salmon.

Warren Pond, South Berwick. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited. Daily limit 5 fish.