WHEELOCK LAKE

St. John Plt., Aroostook County U.S.G.S. Wheelock, Me. (7½')

Fishes

Brook trout

Minnows, cont.

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Creek chub

Northern redbelly dace

Pearl dace

Finescale dace Blacknose dace White sucker

Brook stickleback

Physical Characteristics

Area - 114 acres

Temperatures:

Surface - 67°F

14 feet - 64°F

Maximum depth – 20 feet Mean depth – 10 feet

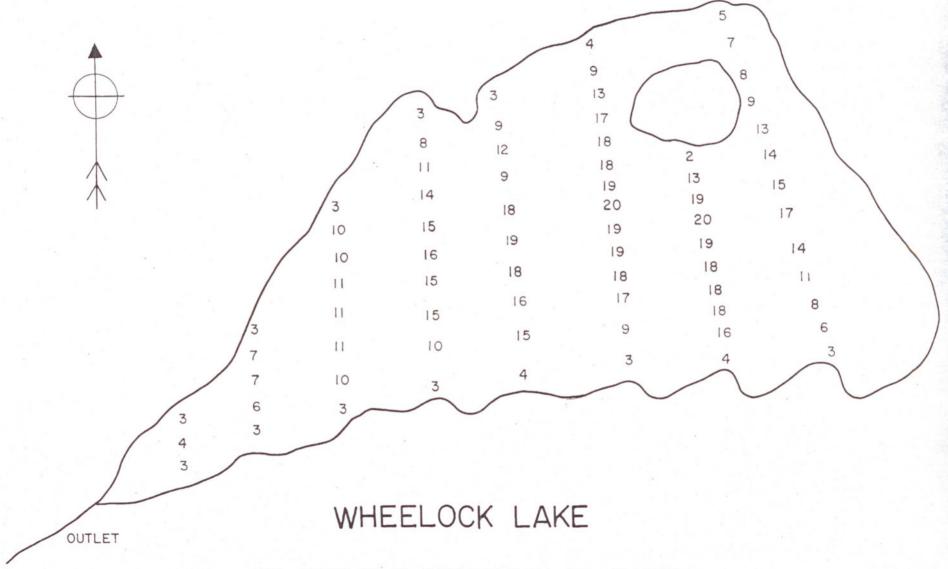
Principal fisheries: Brook trout

Wheelock Lake has almost equal water temperatures at all depths. The lake has marginal habitat conditions for brook trout. A large population of white sucker reduces trout production considerably. A few small tributaries provide limited spawning and juvenile habitat for trout. A beaver dam on the outlet occasionally increases the size and depth of the lake. Wheelock Lake also supports a winter fishery for brook trout.

The pond can be accessed via private gravel roads used and maintained for forest management activities. An unimproved boat landing exists in the northwest corner of the lake.

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