Upper Mud Pond Windham Twp., Cumberland Co.

U.S.G.S. North Windham, Me. (7 1/2')

Fishes

Smallmouth bass	Minnows
Largemouth bass	Golden shiner
Yellow perch	Fathead minnow
Chain pickerel	Pumpkinseed sunfish

Physical Characteristics

Area - 7	acres
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Temperatures Surface - 78°F 9 feet - 66°F

Maximum depth - 9 feet

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Principal fisheries: Largemouth bass, chain pickerel

Upper Mud Pond is surrounded by wetland. The pond margin is largely covered by floating vegetation. The northern end of the pond contains a very large spring where the water temperature at the time of the survey was in the low 50's F.

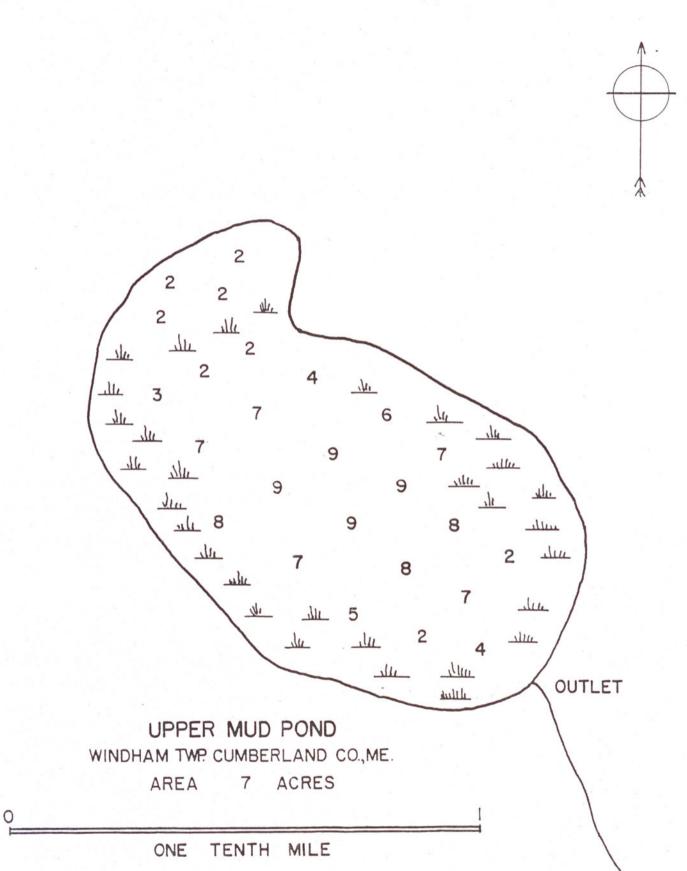
The water quality of Upper Mud Pond is suitable to support a coldwater fishery. However, management for brook trout is not practical because of the competition from the warmwater species. Chemical reclamation is not possible because there is no site on the outlet to locate a barrier dam to prevent rough fish from re-entering the pond.

Management for the warmwater fish species already resident in this pond is recommended.

Access is limited to carry-in across private property.

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