

PINKHAM POND

Alna Twp., Lincoln, County U.S.G.S. Wiscasset, Maine (7¹/₂')

Fishes

Brook trout White sucker Minnows Golden shiner Pumpkinseed sunfish

Physical Characteristics

Area - 21 acres

Maximum depth - 14 feet

Temperatures: Surface - 72°F 12 feet - 68°F

Principal fishery: Brook trout

Although initial results from an experimental stocking of brown trout were good, subsequent evaluation indicated poor returns to the angler and the program was terminated.

Pinkham Pond was chemically reclaimed in the fall of 1991 to remove undesirable fish species that are competitors with brook trout. Even though 3 fish species have become re-established, the pond is being managed though annual stockings of brook trout. Heavy fishing pressure, on this easily accessible pond, during the spring is probably the main factor for the lack of older aged fish in the population.

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