Lower Black Pond

Oxbow Twp., Oxford County U.S.G.S. Twin Peaks, Maine (71/2')

Fishes

Brook trout

Physical Characteristics

Area - 30 acres

Temperatures

Surface - 69°F

Maximum depth - 38 feet

35 feet - 41°F

Principal fisheries: Brook trout

Lower Black Pond is located northeast of Thrasher Peaks. It is a headwater pond to the Magalloway River drainage. A small, cold inlet enters at the northeast corner of the pond and its outlet flows east into the First East Branch of the Magalloway River. The pond's shoreline is mostly undeveloped.

Water quality in Lower Black Pond is good for coldwater gamefish. A population of native brook trout thrives, utilizing spawning habitat found near the inlet. A fishery for trout is easily maintained.

Access to Lower Black Pond is restricted. Private, gated roads prevent the general public from accessing this area. The pond is open to fly fishing only in the summer and is closed to icefishing.

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