

## **MUD POND**

Greenwood, Twp., Oxford Co. U.S.G.S. Greenwood, Me. (7.5')

**Fishes** 

Largemouth bass Yellow perch Chain pickerel Minnows White sucker Hornpout (bullhead)

**Physical Characteristics** 

Area - 52 acres Temperatures:

Surface - No data 6 feet - No data

Maximum depth - 6 feet

Principal fisheries: Largemouth bass and chain pickerel

Mud Pond is located at the base of Patch Mountain in Greenwood. Other than a few camps along the Norway Road, its shorelines remain undeveloped. The pond is very shallow with a mud bottom, which promotes the growth of extensive weed beds. This homothermous pond is poorly suited for coldwater fishery management. On the other hand, largemouth bass and pickerel provide plenty of angling opportunities. However, the pond is so shallow that it is susceptible to winterkill, which may periodically impact the quality of its fisheries.

There is no public boat access available, and angler access is limited to permissive trespass. MDIFW considers public access a high priority and will continue to look for opportunities to create or improve access to Mud Pond and other public waters.

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