ABOL POND T2 R9, Piscataquis Co. U.S.G.S. Katahdin, Me.

Fishes

Brook trout (squaretail) Minnows Dace

Banded killifish Pumpkinseed sunfish

Physical Characteristics

Area - 70 acres

Temperatures

Surface - 64° F.

Maximum depth - 34 feet

30 feet - 44° F.

Abol Pond, located in the southern portion of Baxter Park in the foothills of Mount Katahdin, offers the angler a beautiful view of Maine's highest mountain. Camping facilities are available in the vicinity. A car may be backed to the beach at the water's edge.

The pond is divided into two basins connected by a thoroughfare. There is sufficient well-oxygenated water for brook

trout.

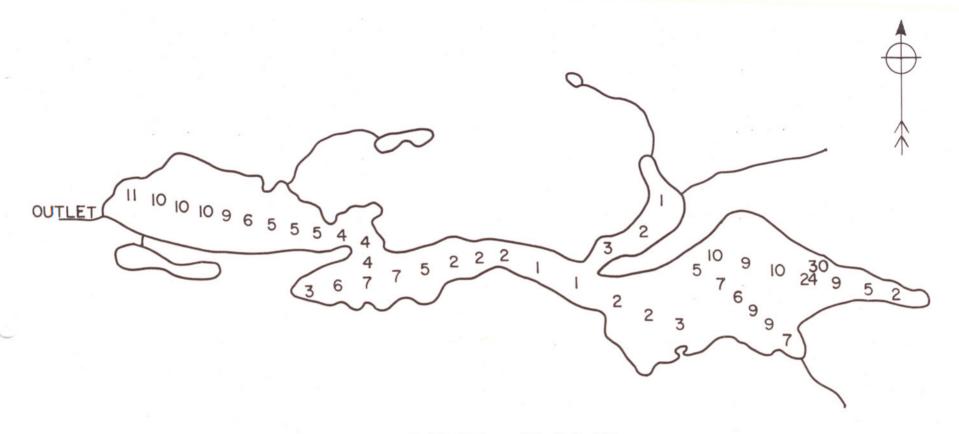
Rocky Brook flows into the pond from the northeast and has good spawning and nursery area for brook trout. Beaver dams should be removed from this tributary to obtain maximum brook trout production.

Abol Pond was reclaimed in the fall of 1963 to reduce competing species and to permit intensive management for brook trout. Conditions for growth and survival of trout have been greatly improved by reclamation. The future fishery will be supported by annual stocking of fall fingerlings.

Special regulations now in effect on Abol Pond are:

- 1. Five trout daily limit.
- 2. Use or possession of live fish as bait prohibited.
- 3. Closed to ice fishing.

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