HARRINGTON POND T3 R11 WELS, Piscataquis Co. U.S.G.S. Harrington Lake, ME (15')

Fishes

Brook trout Yellow perch Minnows Golden shiner Common shiner Creek chub White sucker Hornpout (bullhead)

Physical Characteristics

Area -	a - 40 acres					Temperatures				
						Su	Surface - 63°F			
Maximu	m	de	epth	-	14	feet	14	feet	-	63°F

Principal fisheries: Yellow perch

Harrington Pond is a remote pond located just outside the western boundary of Baxter State Park. Visitors to Harrington Pond can enjoy impressive views of Doubletop Mountain to the northeast and of Mount Katahdin to the east.

Access to the pond is laborious. Visitors must carry their canoe via foottrail to McKenna Pond, then paddle across the pond to a portage trail which leads to Harrington Pond.

The remoteness of Harrington Pond and its proximity to Baxter State Park might lead an unsuspecting angler to expect a trout fisherman's paradise. Nothing could be further from the truth. Harrington Pond is a shallow pond with an abundant population of yellow perch. Perch gained access to Harrington Pond by traveling upstream from Harrington Lake. Although no brook trout were taken in the survey, anglers have reported catching a trout on occasion.

The inlet contains a small amount of suitable spawning habitat for trout; however, beaver activity has limited access. The outlet also was choked with beaver dams in various stages of deterioration.

Harrington Pond should be managed for yellow perch.

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