

BAKER POND

Solon, Somerset County U.S.G.S. Solon, Maine (7½')

Fishes

Brook trout Smallmouth bass White perch Minnows White sucker Redbreast sunfish

Physical Characteristics

Area - 50 acres Temperatures:

Surface - 65°F

Maximum depth - 67 feet

65 feet - 41°F

Principal fisheries: Brook trout, smallmouth bass

Baker Pond is located west of Wentworth Pond in the northeast corner of Solon. Two small inlets enter at the pond's north and south shores and its outlet flows east into nearby Chase Pond. The pond's shoreline is undeveloped.

Water quality in Baker Pond is good for coldwater gamefish. Cool, well-oxygenated water exists in the pond throughout the summer months. A lack of salmonid spawning habitat necessitates annual stockings of brook trout to provide a coldwater fishery.

Baker Pond is accessible via a series of private roads off the Drury Road. The pond is open to fishing under general law in both the summer and winter seasons.

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