

BAKER POND

T5 R6 BKP WKR, Somerset County U.S.G.S. Spencer Lake, Maine (7½') and U.S.G.S. Tumbledown Mountain, Maine (7½')

Fishes

Landlocked salmon Brook trout

Minnows
Blacknose dace
Creek chub
White sucker

Physical Characteristics

Area - 282 acres Temperatures:

Surface - 78°F 28 feet - 46°F

Maximum depth - 33 feet

Principal fisheries: Brook trout

Baker Pond is located west of Spencer Mountain. Baker Stream enters the pond's north end and exits from the south into Spencer Stream. The pond's shoreline is undeveloped.

Water quality in Baker Pond is good for coldwater gamefish. Oxygen levels are adequate to 25 feet and there is a large volume of cool water to carry salmonids through the critical summer months. Spawning and nursery habitat in the inlet provides a native brook trout fishery. Salmon are also present, but are slow growing and provide only a limited fishery. The pond is not stocked.

Private gated roads east of Route 27 restrict access to Baker Pond. The pond is open to fly fishing only during the open water season and closed to fishing in the winter months. See the lawbook for additional regulations.

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