# CUNNINGHAM POND Pittston Acad Grant, Somerset Co., Me. U.S.G.S. Foley Pond, Me. (7 1/2')

## Fishes

Minnows

Creek chub Blacknose dace

#### Physical Characteristics

Area - 13 acres	Temperatures
	Surface - 72°F
Maximum depth - 2 feet	5 feet - 72°F

# Principal Fishery: No fishery

## Suggested Management

Cunningham Pond is accessible by trail over a winter logging road. The shoreline is floating bog surrounded by alders, spruce, and larch. The bottom of deep organic muck supports an abundance of emergent aquatic vegetation.

Old beaver dams and an abandoned log driving dam form the outlet of the pond. Fish passage is possible through the remains. The driving dam appears to have held about 4 feet of water and may have made the pond suitable for brook trout for a short period. There is a small area of suitable spawning gravel at the outlet. No brook trout were observed during the survey.

There is no evidence of fishing activity on the trail or at the pond. Cunningham Pond is not a suitable candidate for brook trout stocking.

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