LONG LAKE 18ED, T19ED, Wesley, and Northfield Twps., Washington Co. U.S.G.S. Round Lake, Maine (7½')

## Fishes

Smallmouth bass Largemouth bass White perch Yellow perch Chain pickerel Minnows Lake chub Blacknose dace Fallfish(chub) White sucker Hornpout(bullhead) Pumpkinseed sunfish American eel Alewife

## **Physical Characteristics**

Area -	698 acres	Temperatures
		Surface - 70 °F
Maximum	depth - 28 feet	28 feet - 67 °F

Principal fishery: Smallmouth bass, white perch

This twisting, narrow lake contains numerous rocky coves. The outlet flows into Seavey Stream, a tributary to the East Machias River. Access is over a rough gravel road off Route 192; a 4-wheel drive vehicle is recommended, especially in the spring. A boat launching site is available along the western shore.

This water provides fisheries for the usual assemblage of warmwater sportfish. The lake receives only light fishing pressure due to its location. Biologists collected a random sample of smallmouth bass in 1998 to collect baseline data on this population. Most fish were small, ranging in length from 9-11in. A few largemouth bass were also captured during the survey. This relative "newcomer" was either illegally introduced by the public or migrated up into the lake from the East Machias River where they are continually expanding their range.

White perch provide a good fishery in most years. Some perch reach highly desirable sizes of 12-13in.

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