

RAINBOW POND
T10 SD, Hancock County
U.S.G.S. Tunk Lake, Maine

Fishes

Brook trout
Eel

Minnows
Golden shiner
Redbelly dace
Banded killifish

Physical Characteristics

Area - 17 acres

Temperatures

Maximum depth - 15 feet

Surface - 67° F.
15 feet - 66° F.

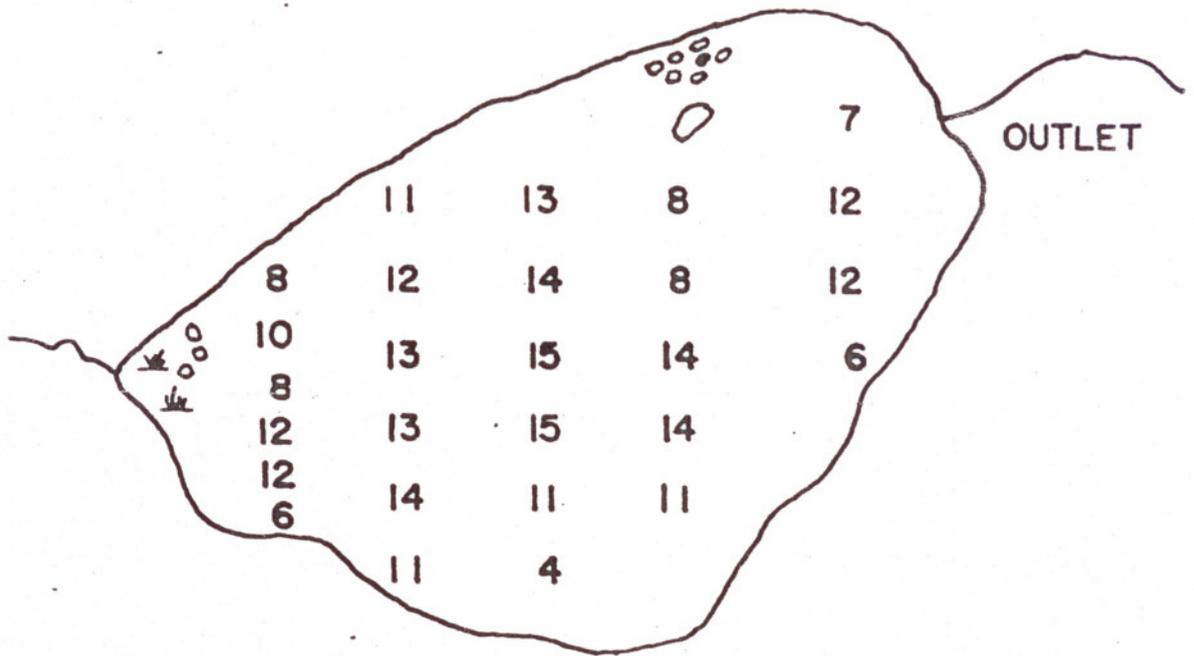
Principal Fishery: Brook trout

Although no brook trout were taken during the survey, the pond provides habitat for this species and sustains a moderate fishery for native trout, as reported by fishermen who are familiar with the pond. A few trout are produced in a tiny, cold tributary in the pond's western end. In addition, the outlet, which drains into Tunk Lake, produces native trout, and some of them move upstream into Rainbow Pond.

Two stockings of hatchery-reared brook trout in the late 1970's apparently failed to produce enough additional trout to anglers to justify continued regular stockings. Occasional stockings may occur in the future when excess trout are available from the hatcheries.

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