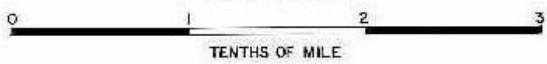


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DAIGLE POND

NEW CANADA PLT, AROOSTOOK CO., MAINE

AREA 36 ACRES



DAIGLE POND

New Canada, Aroostook County
U.S.G.S. Daigle, Me (7 1/2')

Fishes

Brook trout
Minnows
Redbelly dace

Finescale dace
Pearl dace
Banded killifish

Physical Characteristics

Area - 36 acres
Average depth - 7 feet
Maximum depth - 12 feet

Temperatures:
Surface - 70⁰F
12 feet - 68⁰F

Principal fishery: Brook trout

Daigle Pond was chemically reclaimed in 1963 to remove competing species and provide for intensive management of brook trout. Water quality continues to be an issue as the upper basin experiences algae blooms. Since reclamation a good trout fishery has existed at Daigle Pond with annual stocking of fingerling brook trout. Four new species have become established since reclamation in 1967 probably through illegal introductions or the illegal use of live bait. Springs within the pond likely provide a temperature refuge during warmer summer months.

Prohibition on use or possession of live fish as bait is critical to prevent other introductions of undesirable species.

Access to the pond is by paved roads. Small boats or canoes must be hand carried to the pond since no boat launch is available.

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