BASIL POND  
Fort Kent, Aroostook County  
U.S.G.S. Daigle, Maine (7 1/2')

FISHES
Brook trout  Blacknose dace
Minnows     Creek chub
Redbelly dace Hornpout (bullhead)

Physical Characteristics
Area - 26 acres  Temperatures
Surface - 70°F
Maximum depth - 7 feet  7 feet - 70°F

Principal fishery: Brook trout

Basil Pond is surrounded by a border of floating heath bog partly broken away from shore. Water temperatures are about equal from top to bottom, and trout seek spring areas during the warmer summer months.

Tributary spawning areas for brook trout are lacking, and trout must reproduce in spring areas within the pond.

Basil Pond is accessible by an improved road. The boat landing is unimproved and best suited to the launching of small boats.