

GREEN POND

Moro Plt., Aroostook County
U.S.G.S. Green Mountain, Me (7 1/2')

Fishes

Brook trout
Minnows
Redbelly dace

Finescale dace
Pearl dace

Physical Characteristics

Area - 16 acres
Average depth - 5 feet
Maximum depth - 8 feet

Temperatures:
Surface - 63⁰F
7 feet - 59⁰F

Principal fishery: Brook trout

Green Pond provides suitable habitat for brook trout and has long been noted for excellent trout fishing. The pond is surrounded by softwood forest, and views of hardwood ridges and hills make it a picturesque pond. During summer months brook trout utilize cooler springs within the pond for refuge from high water temperatures. Green Pond has no sizable tributaries. The outlet has large rocks and boulders that are intermittently flooded by beaver activity that significantly raises the water level in the pond.

Conservative regulations have been implemented to maintain and enhance sport fishing opportunities and provide a high quality trout fishery. The trout fishery at this small pond can be characterized as high quality with good catch rates for trout 10 to 16 inches in length, although it is unlikely many trout attain lengths greater than the current 18-inch minimum.

Access to Green Pond is via improved private gravel roads maintained by industrial landowners for forest management purposes.

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