

MIDDLE OXHEAD POND
T40 MD, Hancock Co.
U.S.G.S. Nicasious Lake, Me.

Fishes

Yellow perch	Minnows
Chain pickerel	Creek chub
Hornpout (bullhead)	Pumpkinseed sunfish
White sucker	

Physical Characteristics

Area - 38 acres	Temperatures
	Surface - 70° F.
Maximum depth - 8 feet	6 feet - 69° F.

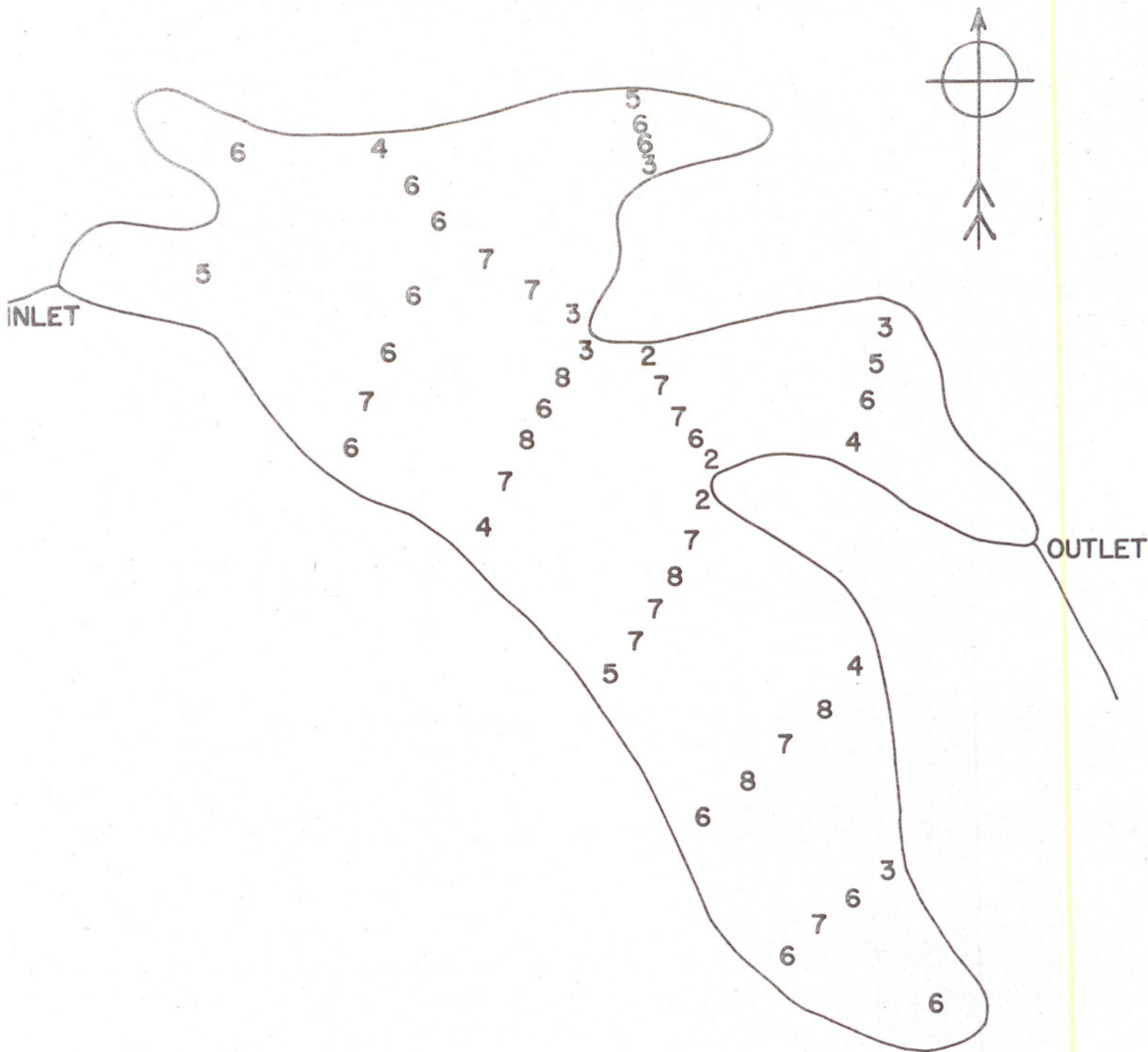
Middle Oxhead Pond is a fairly remote pond located near the so-called "CCC" road in northwestern Hancock County. It is the middle pond in a chain of three that drain into Guagus Stream, part of the drainage of the West Branch of the Union River.

Middle Oxhead is shallow and weedy, and supports an abundance of the warmwater fishes that thrive in this kind of aquatic environment. We recommend management for pickerel, perch, and hornpout. Trout stocking should not be considered.

Upper Oxhead Pond, located just above, apparently does not have populations of the warmwater fish living in Middle Oxhead. The warmwater fish are prevented from reaching the upper pond by the steep stream connecting the two ponds. If you use bait from Middle Oxhead to fish Upper Oxhead, make sure there are no spiny-rayed fish mixed in among your minnows.

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