

CRYSTAL POND

Washington Twp., Knox Co.
U.S.G.S. Razorville, Me. (7.5')

Fishes

Brown trout	Minnows
Brook trout	Golden shiner
Smallmouth bass	White sucker
Largemouth bass	Hornpout (bullhead)
Yellow perch	Pumpkinseed sunfish
Chain pickerel	American eel

Physical Characteristics

Area - 98 acres Temperatures:
Surface - 71°F
Maximum depth - 24 feet 42 feet - 62°F
Principal fisheries: Brown trout, brook trout, smallmouth bass, chain pickerel

Crystal Pond, a beautiful small pond, has been plagued for many years by a large population of stunted smallmouth bass. In 1999, largemouth bass were found in Crystal Pond, the result of an illegal stocking. The added presence of largemouth bass will likely result in stunted populations of both species.

An experimental brown trout stocking program was initiated in 1967. Good results and the popularity of these stockings warranted continuation and browns are now stocked annually.

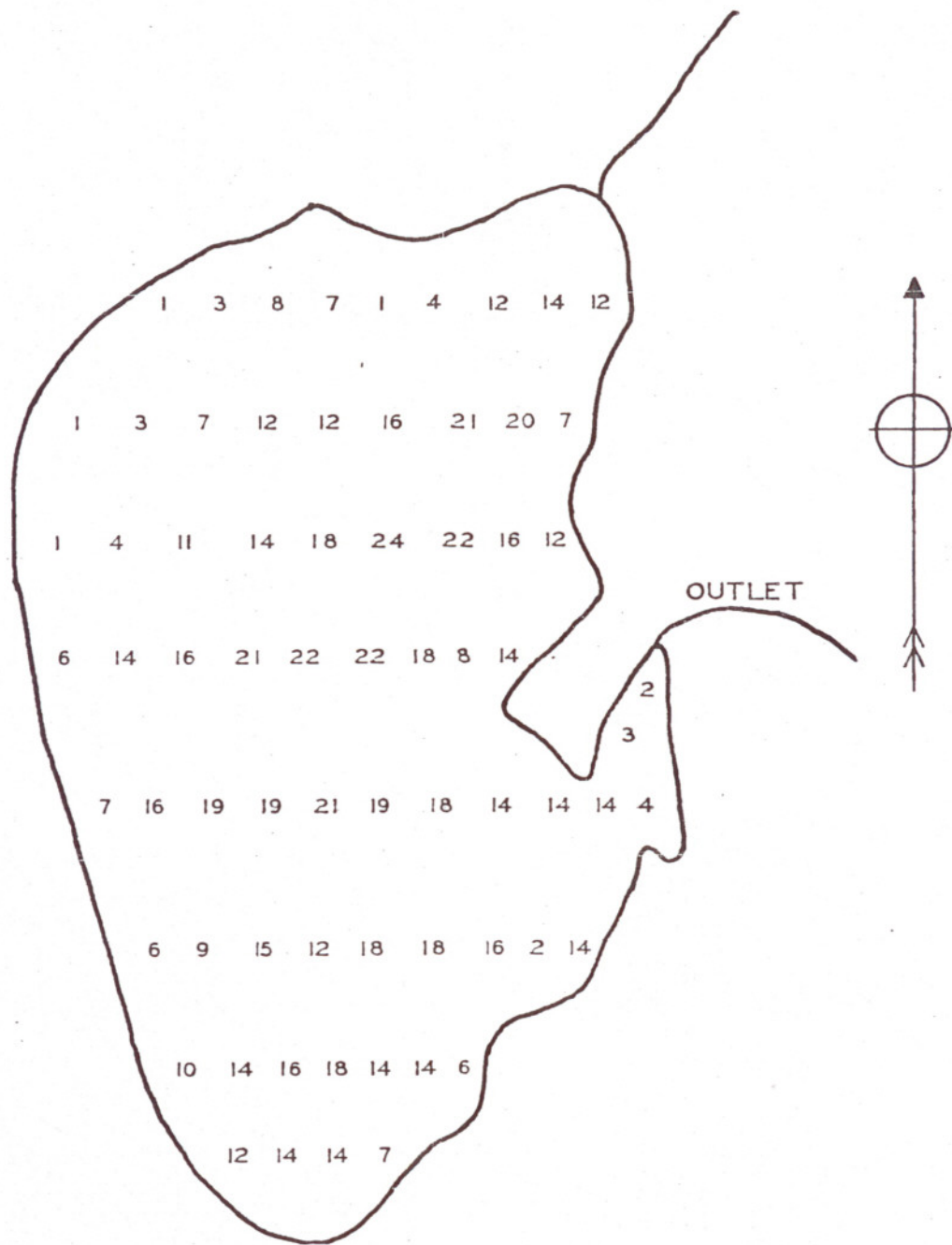
Stockings of legal-size brook trout began in 2004. Spring yearlings are stocked to provide fast action for the

early season angler while larger fall yearling brookies are stocked to provide fall and winter anglers with a trout fishery. These stockings are a direct result of improvements made to the Department's hatchery system to increase the number of fish available for stocking.

Crystal Pond has an unimproved boat landing located on the north shore of the pond off the Crystal Pond Road.

Surveyed - August, 1950
(Revised - 1967, 1987, 2006)
Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife
Funded in part by the Federal Aid in
Restoration Act under
Federal Project F-28-P

L4900B



CRYSTAL POND

WASHINGTON TWP.
KNOX CO. MAINE

