

MONSON POND
Monson, Piscataquis Co.
U. S. G. S. Sebec Lake and Greenville, Me.

Fishes

Brook trout (squaretail)	Minnows
Lake trout (togue)	Common shiner
Hornpout (bullhead)	Creek chub
Smelt	Banded killifish
White sucker	Yellowbelly sunfish
Longnose sucker	

Physical Characteristics

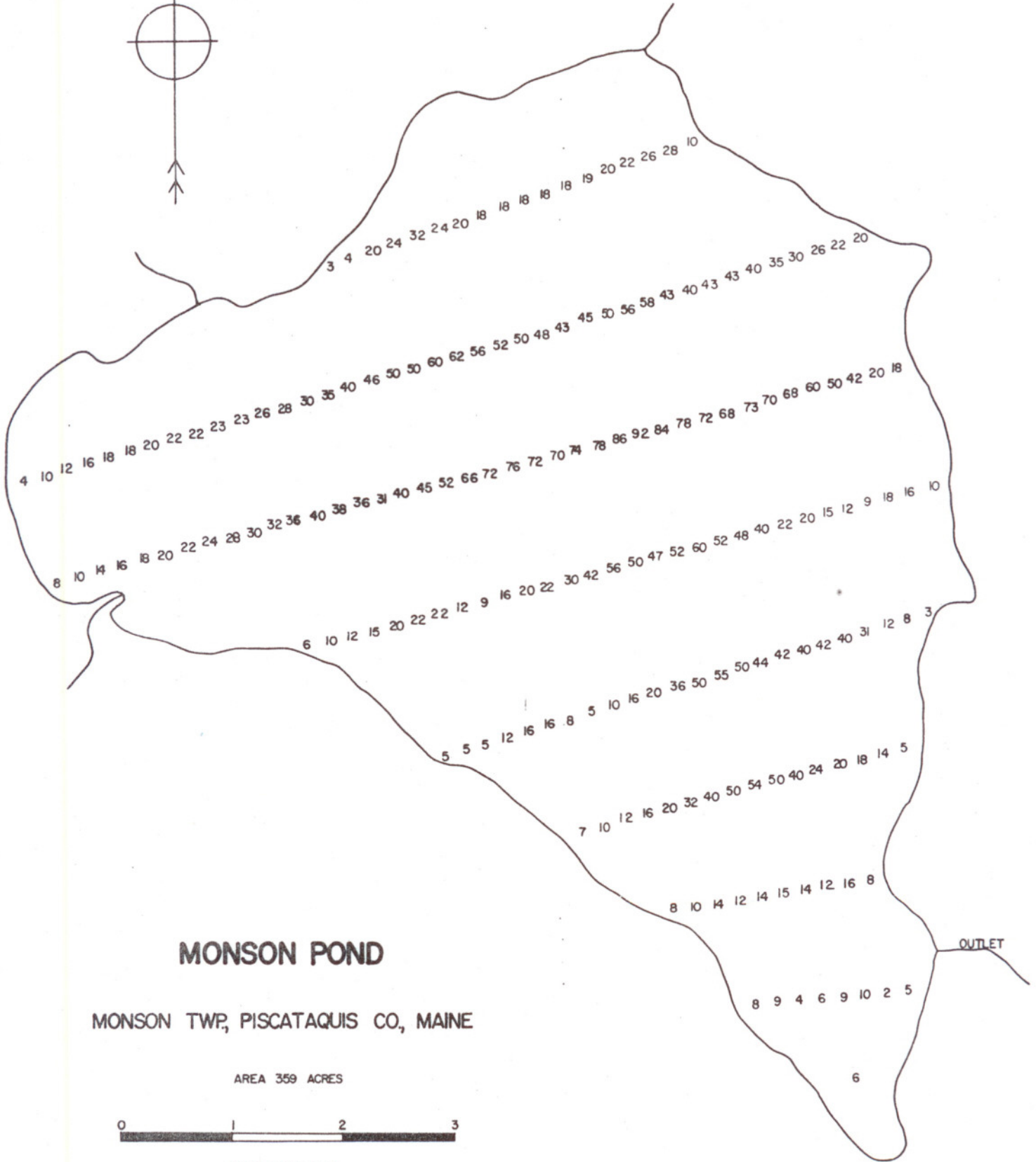
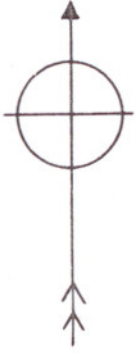
Area - 359 acres	Temperatures
	Surface - 70° F.
Maximum depth - 92 feet	88 feet - 46° F.

Suggested Management

Monson Pond has very good water quality for coldwater game fishes and should be managed for brook trout and lake trout. The tributaries provide excellent spawning and nursery areas for brook trout and should be kept free from obstructions.

The outlet is filled with a tangled mass of debris and should be made passable for migrating fishes.

Suckers, smelts, sunfish and chubs are serious competitors and are undoubtedly limiting the brook trout population. Care should be taken not to introduce more competing species such as the white perch, yellow perch, or pickerel.



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