PIERCE POND
Pierce Pond Twp., Somerset County
U.S.G.S. East Carry Pond, Maine (7¾') &
U.S.G.S. Pierce Pond, Maine (7¾')

Fishes

Landlocked salmon Lake chub
Brook trout Blacknose dace
Rainbow smelt Fallfish (chub)
Chain pickerel Banded killifish
Minnows American eel

Physical Characteristics

Area - 1,650 acres Temperatures
Surface - 75°F
Maximum depth - 185 feet 120 feet - 45°F

Principal fisheries: Landlocked salmon and brook trout

Water quality in Pierce Pond is excellent for coldwater gamefish. Brook trout reproduce in sufficient numbers to provide for a fine fishery. Spawning habitat for salmon, however, is limited and annual stockings are made to maintain a fishery. Growth is good with only light competition from other species.

Pierce Pond is accessible at a number of sites reached via gravel logging roads from the south or west. The pond is open to fishing with artificial lures only in the summer and closed to fishing in the winter months. See the lawbook for additional regulations.

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