

## SPENCER POND Township D, Franklin County U.S.G.S. Houghton, Maine (7½')

Fishes

Brook trout

Rainbow smelt

Physical Characteristics

Area - 15 acres

Maximum depth - 30 feet

Temperatures: Surface - 62°F 28 feet - 44°F

Principal fisheries: Brook trout

Spencer Pond is located southeast of Mooselookmeguntic Lake. The pond has no inlets, but an outlet flows southwest to form the headwaters of Berdeen Stream. The pond's shoreline is mostly undeveloped.

Water quality in Spencer Pond is good for coldwater gamefish. Spawning and nursery habitat is lacking, so annual stockings of brook trout are necessary to provide for a fishery. Growth is good with little competition for food and space.

Spencer Pond is accessible via a trail leading east off Route 17. The pond is open to fly fishing only in the summer and closed to fishing in the winter months. See the lawbook for special regulations.

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