

LONG POND

T10 SD, Hancock Co.
U.S.G.S. Tunk Lake, ME(7 1/2')

Fishes

Brown trout	Fallfish(chub)
Rainbow smelt	White sucker
Minnnows	Banded killifish
Golden shiner	Ninespine stickleback
Common shiner	Pumpkinseed sunfish
Redbelly dace	American eel

Physical Characteristics

Area- 205 acres	Temperature
	Surface- 76°F
Maximum depth- 28 feet	27 feet- 65°F

Principal Fishery: Brown trout

Long Pond is located immediately adjacent to Route 182 (the "Black Woods Road") in T10 SD. The pond is part of the Tunk Lake drainage and contains the clear water which is so characteristic of this drainage. Small boats/canoes can be launched with care at the narrow public landing next to the highway.

The pond provides acceptable habitat for salmonids in most years. However, during periods of hot weather, bottom temperatures become stressful and probably limit growth. Salmon, splake, and rainbow trout have been stocked over the years. Both rainbows and salmon provided periods of satisfactory fishing, but returns to anglers were generally insufficient to warrant continuation of stocking programs.

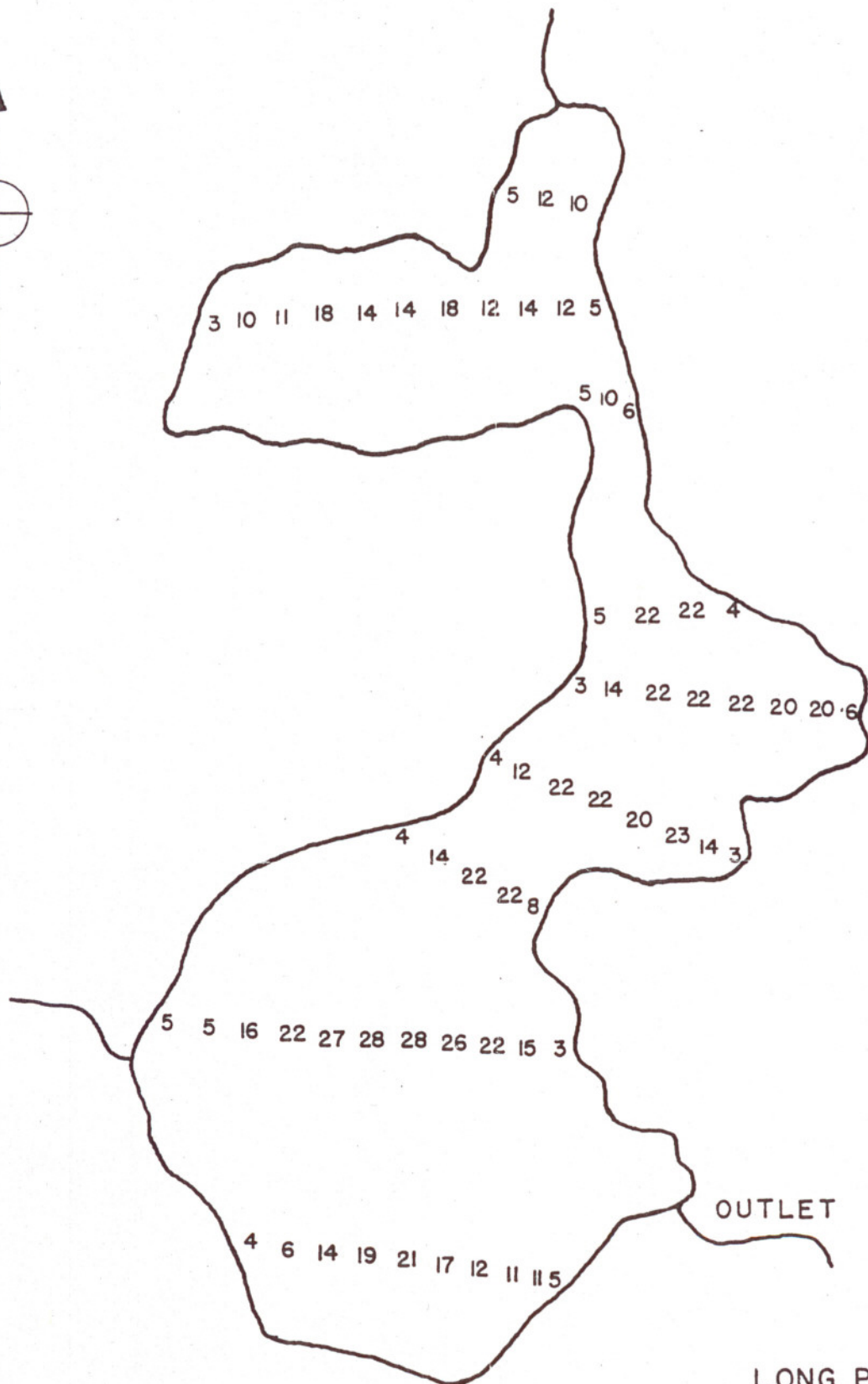
Brown trout were introduced in 1988, and have generally exhibited very good growth. Sticklebacks are an important forage species. Fishery biologists have captured fish up to 5 pounds in fall trap-netting surveys. In 1990, the pond was designated a "catch and release" water with anglers restricted to artificial lures. The pond is closed to ice fishing.

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