

MIDAS # 2262

BROOKS POND

CORRINA TWR, PENOBSCOT CO., MAINE

31 ACRES



TENTH OF MILE

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Corinna Twp., Penobscot County U.S.G.S. Stetson, Maine

Fishes

Largemouth bass Chain pickerel White sucker Hornpout (bullhead) Pumpkinseed sunfish

Physical Characteristics

Area - 31 acres

Temperatures:

Surface - 76°F

Maximum depth - 11 feet 10 feet - 70°F

Principal fisheries: Largemouth bass, chain pickerel, brown bullhead

Brooks Pond is a very shallow, weedy pond well-suited for existing warmwater fishes. The pond contains a very healthy population of hornpout with many large fish netted during the survey.

The DIF&W stocked 60 largemouth bass in 1977. These fish were obtained from Johnson Pond, on the campus of Colby College, a source which was free of the bass tapeworm parasite. Unfortunately, the resulting bass fishery has not been adequately evaluated.

The warm water temperatures of summer and the large number of competing fish species are the major limiting factor for cold water sport fish management.

A trailerable boat access site is located on the north shore of Brooks Pond along the Ireland road.

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