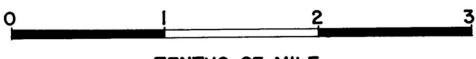




## SABAN POND

PALERMO TWP, WALDO CO., MAINE





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Palermo Twp., Waldo County U.S.G.S. Palermo, Maine

Fishes

White sucker American eel

Brook trout Smallmouth bass Minnows Golden shiner

**Physical Characteristics** 

Area - 11 acres

Maximum depth - 43 feet

Principal fishery: Smallmouth bass

Saban Pond once maintained a small brook trout fishery, but very few trout are taken today. Water quality during the summer months, with very little dissolved oxygen below a depth of 10 feet, is the limiting factor in maintaining a population of brook trout.

The addition of smallmouth bass is another important factor limiting the trout fishery. Brook trout cannot effectively compete with bass under marginal water quality conditions.

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Temperatures: Surface - 78<sup>0</sup>F 40 feet - 40<sup>0</sup>F