

SANBORN POND

Brooks and Knox Twp., Waldo County U.S.G.S. Morrill, Maine

Fishes

Brown trout Rainbow smelt Smallmouth bass White perch Yellow perch Chain pickerel Minnows Golden shiner White sucker Hornpout (bullhead) Pumpkinseed sunfish American eel

Physical Characteristics

Area - 98 acres

Maximum depth - 66 feet

Temperatures: Surface - 68⁰F 60 feet - 42⁰F

Principal fisheries: Brown trout, smallmouth bass, chain pickerel

Sanborn Pond maintains only fair water quality for cold water sport fish. Therefore, to provide a cold water fishery the pond must be managed for brown trout, which are better able to survive under marginal water quality conditions. The lack of suitable spawning nursery areas for trout necessitates the need for stocking.

Sanborn Pond is only moderately developed along the south shore. The pond is easily accessed from State Route 137.

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