



# DODGE POND

Rangeley, Franklin County  
U.S.G.S. Rangeley, Maine (7½')

## Fishes

Landlocked salmon	Finescale dace
Brook trout	Blacknose dace
Rainbow smelt	Creek chub
Yellow perch	Fallfish (chub)
Minnnows	Longnose sucker
Lake chub	White sucker
Golden shiner	Slimy sculpin
Common shiner	

## Physical Characteristics

Area - 230 acres

Maximum depth - 51 feet

Temperatures:

Surface - 68°F

47 feet - 47°F

Principal fisheries: Landlocked salmon and brook trout

Dodge Pond is located north of Rangeley Lake. Its major inlet enters the pond at the north end from nearby Round Pond and the outlet flows west into Hunter Cove of Rangeley Lake. The pond's shoreline is mostly developed.

Water quality in Dodge Pond is good for coldwater gamefish. Good spawning and nursery habitat located in the main inlet supplies the pond with native brook trout and salmon. The salmon are slow growing, but brook trout growth is good despite heavy competition for food and space from other fish species. The pond is stocked annually with brook trout to supplement the wild population.

Dodge Pond is accessible from Routes 4 and 16. The pond is open to fishing with no live fish as bait in the summer and closed to fishing in the winter months.

Surveyed - August, 1937

Resurveyed - 1958, 1975, 1997

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