

MIDNIGHT POND
T6 R12, Piscataquis Co.
U.S.G.S. Telos Lake, Me.

Fishes

Minnows

Finescale dace
Pearl dace

Minnows

Fathead minnow

Physical Characteristics

Area - 64 acres

Maximum depth - 5 feet

Temperatures

Surface - 71° F.

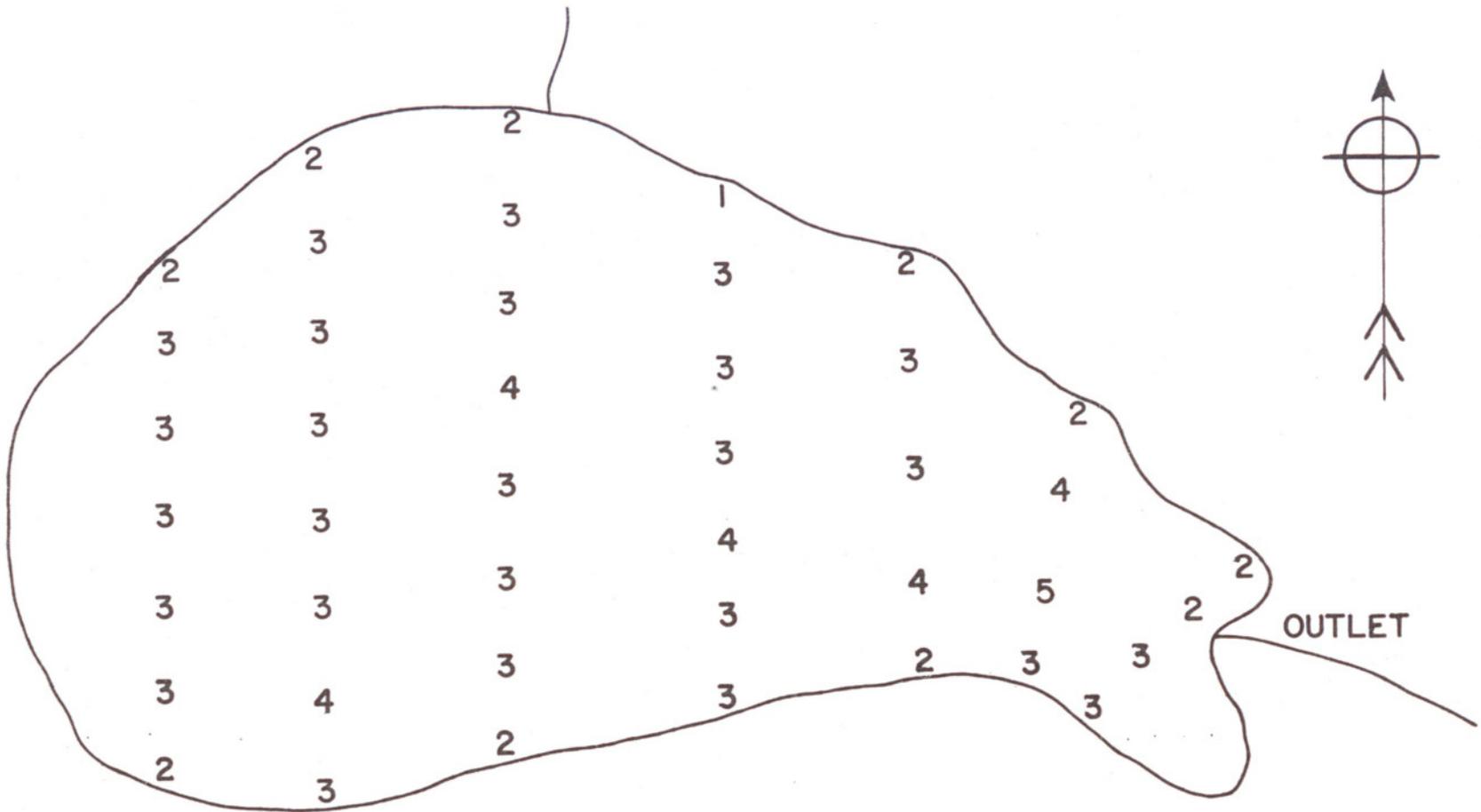
4 feet - 70° F.

Midnight Pond is nearly surrounded by a black spruce and heath bog. The pond is shallow and warm with a soft mud bottom. Aquatic plants are scarce.

Survey findings indicate that no brook trout are present in the pond. Possibly trout never have been present, or a former population may have been "winter-killed" as a result of oxygen depletion under the ice. The pond is poor for trout because of its shallowness, its high water temperatures during the summer, and its lack of spawning areas. Introduction of brook trout under these conditions would not be justified.

Surveyed - August, 1962

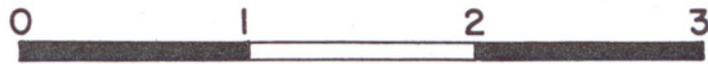
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TENTHS OF MILE