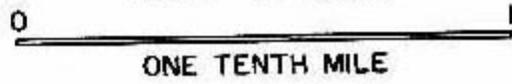


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LITTLE GORDON POND
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AREA 15 ACRES



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Lower Enchanted Twp., Somerset County
U.S.G.S. Enchanted Pond, Maine (7½')

Fishes

Brook trout

Minnows
Creek chub

Physical Characteristics

Area - 15 acres

Maximum depth - 4 feet

Temperatures:

Surface - 79°F

3 feet - 72°F

Principal fisheries: Brook trout

Little Gordon Pond is located west of Grannys Cap. Three small silty inlets enter from the north and its outlet flows south into Tobey Brook and eventually the Dead River. The pond's shoreline is undeveloped.

Water quality in Little Gordon Pond is marginal for coldwater gamefish. It is a shallow pond with a muddy bottom with water temperatures reaching critically high levels in the summer months. The wild brook trout population seeks refuge in spring holes to survive these conditions. Absence of good spawning areas and competition from creek chubs further limits the potential of this fishery.

Little Gordon Pond is accessible via a series of logging roads off the Lower Enchanted Road. The pond is open to general law in the summer and closed to fishing in the winter months.

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