

## LITTLE SEBAGO LAKE

Gray, Windham Twps., Cumberland Co.  
U.S.G.S. Raymond and  
North Windham, Me (7 1/2')

### Fishes

Brown trout	Common shiner
Smallmouth bass	Fallfish (chub)
Largemouth bass	White sucker
White perch	Hornpout (bullhead)
Yellow perch	Banded killifish
Chain pickerel	Redbreast sunfish
Minnows	Pumpkinseed sunfish
Golden shiner	

### Physical Characteristics

Area - 1,898 acres	Temperatures
	Surface - 78°F
Maximum depth - 52 feet	47 feet - 48°F

Principal fisheries: Brown trout, largemouth bass, smallmouth bass, chain pickerel

Little Sebago Lake is well suited for management of both warmwater and coldwater fish species. The many islands, coves, and shallow bars make it one of the premier bass lakes in southern Maine. The bass have an ample supply of forage fish such as white perch, yellow perch, and minnows, and growth is excellent.

Oxygen deficiencies in the deeper areas of each of the four major basins tends to limit the available summertime habitat for coldwater fish species. However,

brown trout survive very well in the shallow band of cool well-oxygenated water located in the thermocline which occurs at about 20-25 feet deep. Growth is slow at first for the newly stocked trout due to the intense competition from other warmwater fishes, but it accelerates once the trout reach a size where they can begin foraging on these competitor species.

Some of the tributaries to Little Sebago Lake provide limited spawning habitat for the brown trout but is not sufficient to sustain a viable population. Thus stocking is necessary to maintain a fishable population.

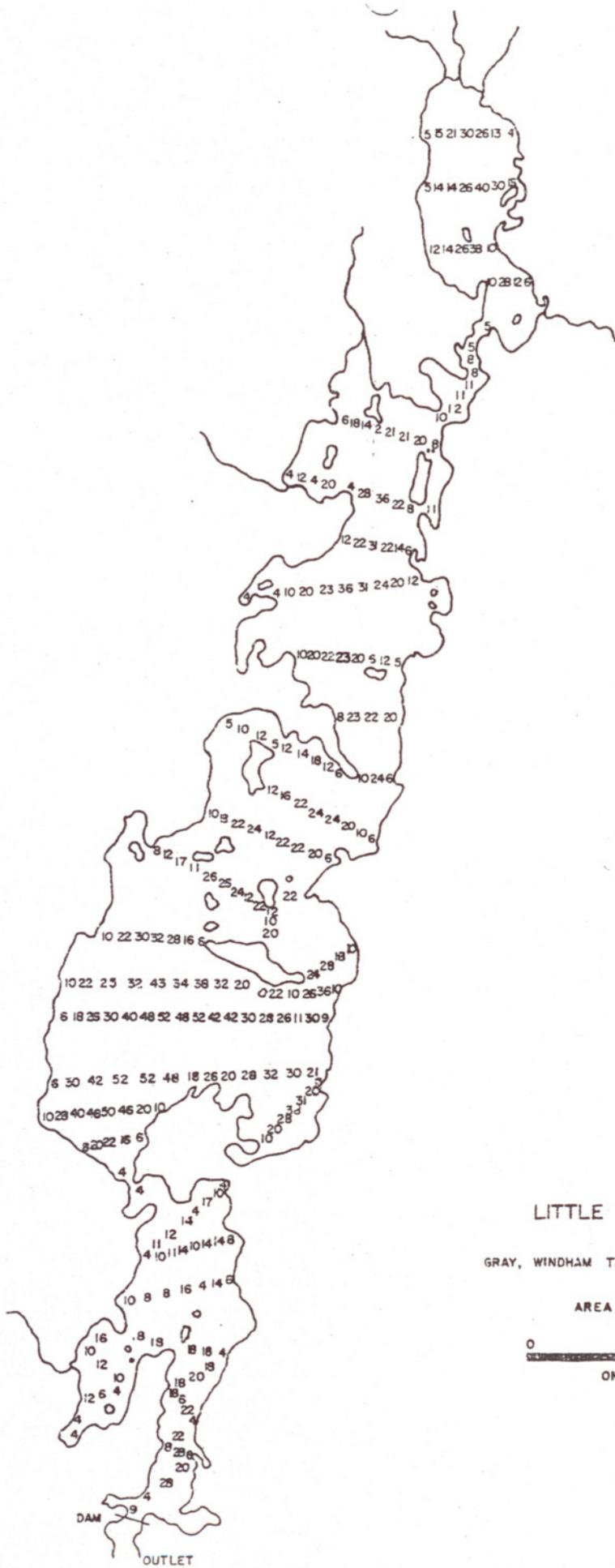
General law fishing regulations are in effect on this lake both summer and winter.

The Maine Department of Fisheries and Wildlife recently developed a public access to Little Sebago Lake. This site is located on the Mt. Hunger Road in Windham.

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