

## PEMAQUID POND

Damariscotta, Bremen, and Nobleboro Twps., Lincoln County  
U.S.G.S. Waldoboro, Maine

### Fishes

Brown trout	Smelt
Smallmouth bass	Alewife
White perch	Eel
Yellow perch	White sucker
Chain pickerel	Minnnows
Hornpout (bullhead)	Banded killifish
	Pumpkinseed sunfish

### Physical Characteristics

Area — 1515 acres

#### Temperatures

Maximum depth — 61 feet

Surface — 73°F

59 feet — 50°F

Principal Fishery: Brown trout, smallmouth bass, white perch, pickerel

Pemaquid Pond lacks sufficient spawning and nursery areas to support a brown trout fishery by natural reproduction; consequently, stocking is necessary. Annually, fall yearlings are stocked by the Department to perpetuate this fishery.

Smallmouth bass gained entrance to Pemaquid Pond from McCurdy Pond in the early 1960's. The ideal habitat for bass in Pemaquid has resulted in an attractive fishery for them.

This pond serves as a spawning area for alewives. Alewife production was enhanced when an obstruction was removed at Pemaquid Falls in 1970 and a fishway was constructed at Bristol Mills in 1971. Alewives not only provide forage for the gamefish at Pemaquid Pond but also provide benefits to the local economy. Alewives are used primarily as lobster bait.

Boat launch facilities are located at the north end of the pond adjacent to U.S. Route 1 or at campgrounds on the east and west shores.

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