

SMITH BROOK POND
T9R10, Piscataquis County
U.S.G.S. Millinocket Lake, Me.

Fishes

Minnows

Creek chub
Pearl dace

Physical Characteristics

Area - 12 acres

Maximum depth - 3 feet

Temperatures

Surface - 74° F.
3 feet - 74° F.

Principal Fishery: Bait fish

Smith Brook Pond is a shallow, marshy pond with a soft, silty bottom. It is too warm and shallow to support cold water fish. None of the inlets contain suitable trout habitat. The outlet is also poorly suited as a spawning and nursery area, as it is shallow and silt-covered. The large numbers of minnows present, however, indicates that the pond is ideally suited for bait fish.

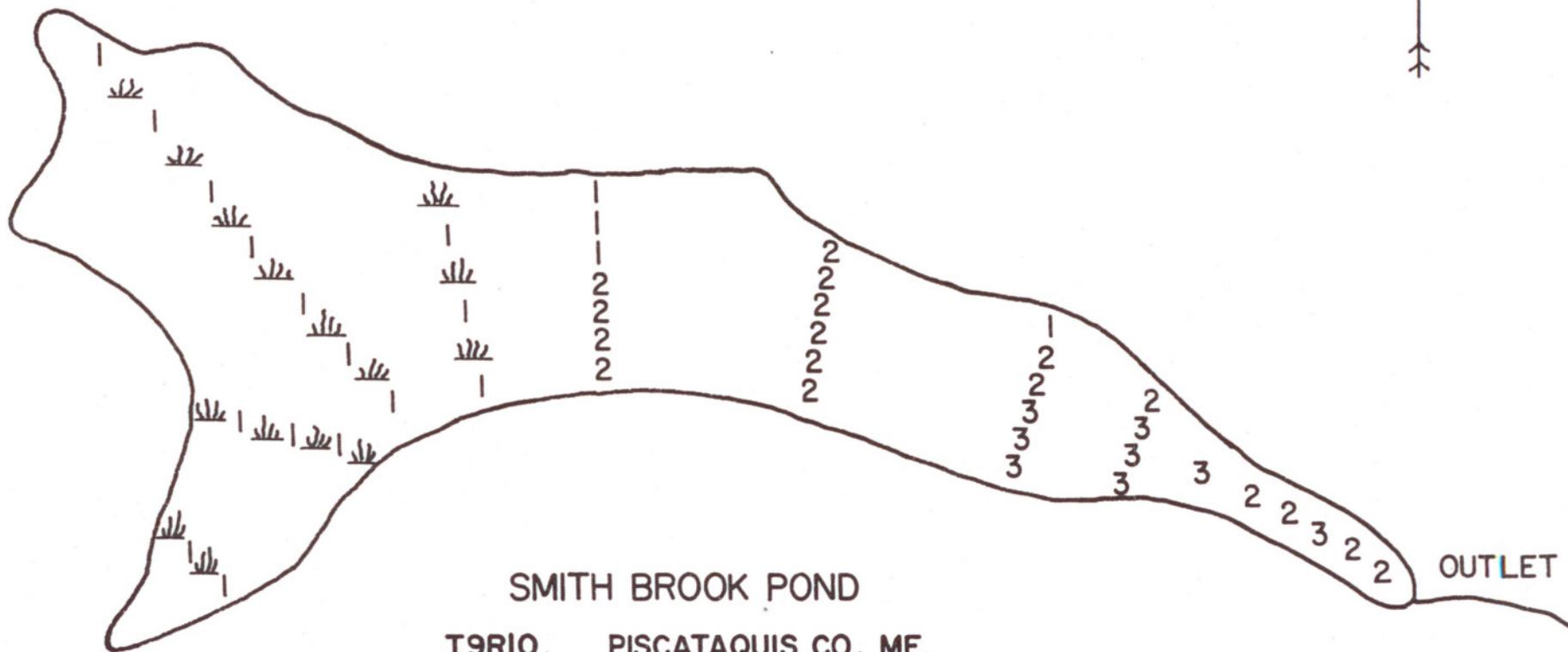
Although a winter woods road passes within one hundred yards of Smith Brook Pond, its poor condition necessitates a one mile walk to reach the pond.

Because of the lack of cold water fish habitat, stocking of brook trout is not recommended.

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