

## UPPER FLOOD LAKE

Talmadge, Washington Co.  
U.S.G.S. Farrow Mountain, Me. (7 ½')

Anglers can access this lake off a small logging road that branches from "Amazon Road" coming off Route 6. To fish the lake by boat anglers must carry-in 300 feet down an old woods trail.

### Fishes

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| Brook trout         | Common sucker  |
| Pumpkinseed sunfish | Minnows:       |
|                     | Redbelly dace  |
|                     | Fathead minnow |

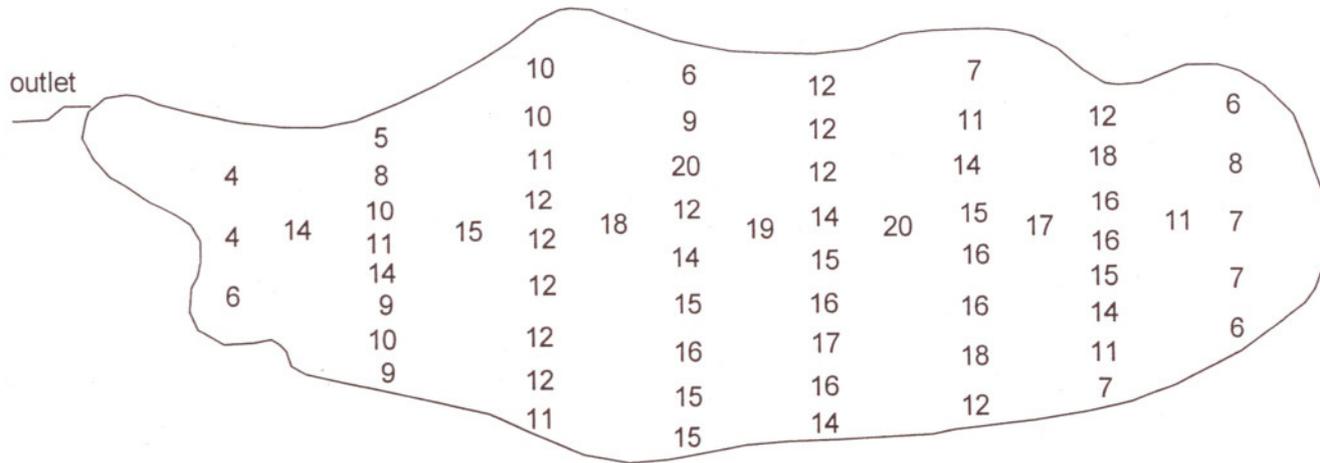
### Physical Characteristics

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| Area – 33 acres       | Temperatures   |
|                       | Surface - 61°F |
| Maximum depth 20 feet | 14 feet - 57°F |

Principal fishery: Brook trout

Upper Flood Lake is a remote self-sustaining wild brook trout water that is able to provide a good trout fishery without any stocking. Natural reproduction of brook trout occurs in the outlet and possibly in the lake its self. Its water quality and fish species assemblage typifies the classic northern Maine trout pond with its cool springy temperatures and scattered minnow populations. An artificial lures only regulation with a 14inch minimum length limit and one fish bag limit was placed on the lake for both the winter and open water seasons to protect this precious wild fishery. Biologist's survey work showed that age I trout averaged 7.8 inches, age II's averaged 11.9 inches, and age III's averaged 14 inches.

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Scraggly Lake Quadrangle  
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