

PLEASANT POND

Sumner Twp., Oxford Co.
U.S.G.S. West Sumner, Me. (7.5')

Fishes

Largemouth bass	Minnows
Yellow perch	Golden shiners
Chain pickerel	White sucker
	Pumpkinseed sunfish

Physical Characteristics

Area - 118 acres Temperatures:
 Surface - 73°F
Maximum depth - 14 feet 14 feet - 71°F

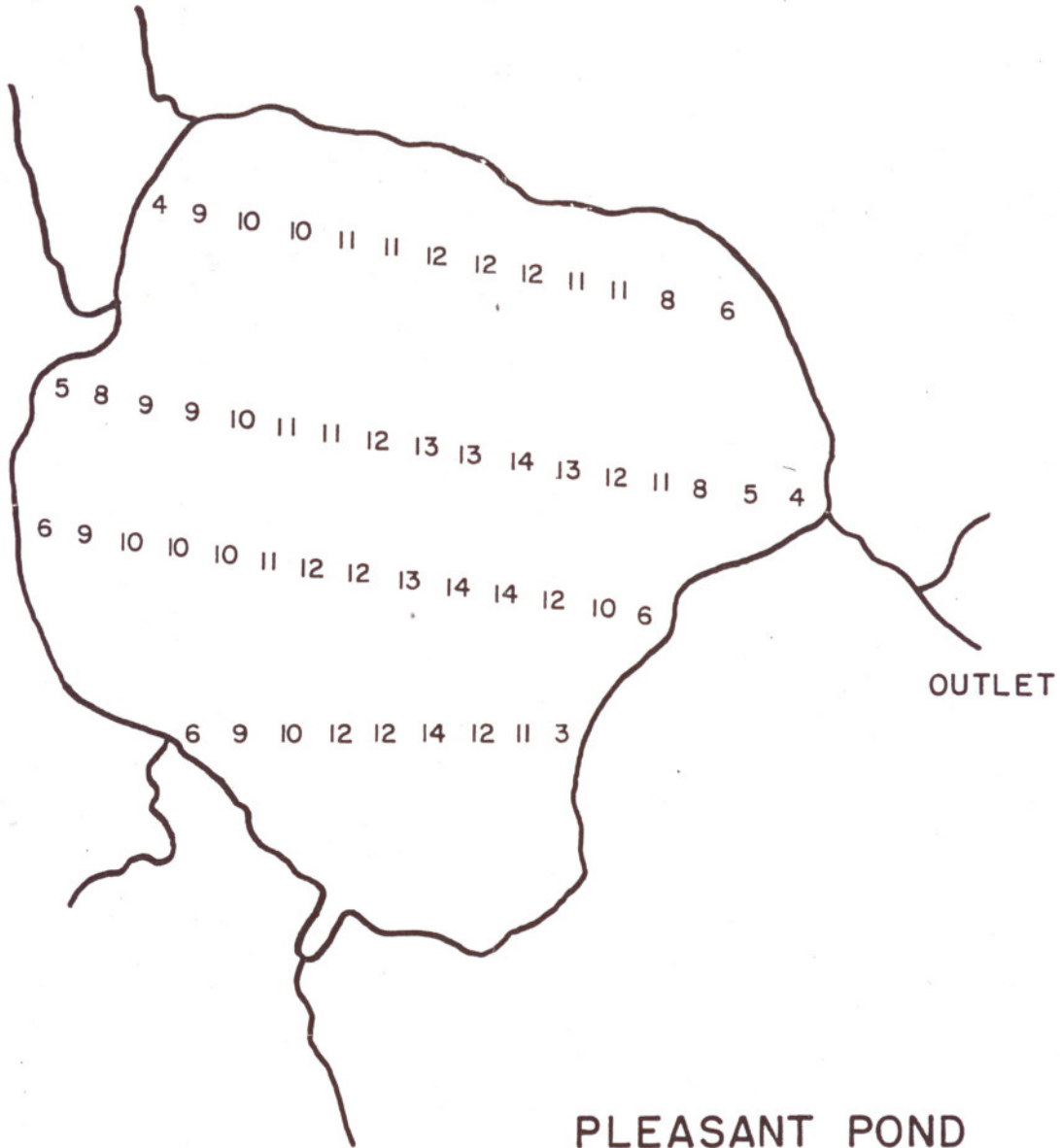
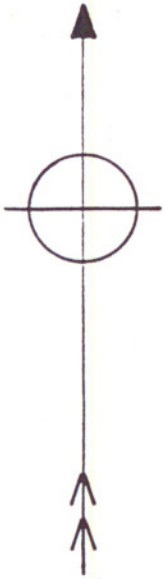
Principal fisheries: Largemouth bass,
Yellow perch, and chain pickerel

This shallow pond does not thermally stratify during the summer. A lack of cold water habitat and competition from existing warmwater fish severely limit opportunities to develop a coldwater fishery. Water quality is well suited for warmwater fish, and in 1966 largemouth bass were introduced by MDIFW to enhance angling opportunities. The pond is managed for warmwater fisheries.

There is no designated public boat access to Pleasant Pond. Angler access occurs by permissive trespass and along Route 219, which borders the northern shore of Pleasant Pond. There is a need to secure safe, permanent public access provisions to Pleasant Pond.

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