



Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

Fisheries Management

LAKE SURVEY REPORT



DRAFT VERSION - PRELIMINARY DATA (AS OF 06/20/2016)

Lake Name: Wellner-Hageman Reservoir

Survey Type: Standard Survey

DOW Number: 08-0129-00

Survey ID Date: 06/13/2016

Lake Identification

Alternate Lake Name: N/A
Primary Lake Class ID: 33

DNR Sounding Map Number: N/A
Alternate Lake Class ID: N/A

Lake Location

Primary County: Brown

Nearest Town: Dotson

Legal Descriptions

Lake Center: Township - 108N Range - 35W Section - 31
PLS Section Lake Center: 10803531

All Legal Descriptions:

Brown County: Township - 108N Range - 35W Sections - 30, 31

Area Office

Area Name: Windom
Region Name: Southern

ORG Code: F418
Region Number: 4

Lake Access

(Information based on Special Assessment dated 05/14/1996)

Station ID	Ownership	Public Use	Type	Location / Comments
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(Data excludes records where public use is not designated or is designated "No Public Use")

Lake Characteristics

Lake Area (planimetered acres):	70.00	GIS Shoreline Length (miles):	3.48
GIS Lake Area (acres):	74.92	Maximum Fetch (miles):	0.30
DOW Lake Area (acres):	41.00	Fetch Orientation (degrees):	270
Littoral Area (acres):	N/A	USGS Quad Map Number:	V09d
Area in MN (acres):	74.92	USGS Quad 24K GIS Index:	4318
Maximum Depth (feet):	24.0		
Mean Depth (feet):	N/A		

Watershed Characteristics

Major Watershed

Name: Cottonwood River
Watershed Number: 29
Watershed size (acres): 840,782

Minor Watershed

Name: Mound Cr
Watershed Number: 19
Watershed size (acres): 8,596

Surveys and Investigations

Re-Survey: 06/11/2001.
 Population Assessment: 07/12/2010, 06/14/2004, 06/12/2000.
 Special Assessment: 05/14/1996.
 Standard Survey: 06/13/2016.

Current Water Level

Station ID	Date	Level	Reading (feet)	Reading Type
BM - 1	06/16/2016	High	0.20	Above or below Benchmark

Benchmark and Gauge Descriptions / Locations

Station ID	Location Description
BM - 1	N/A

Water Level History - Readings

Station ID	Date	Level	Reading (feet)	Reading Type
BM - 1	06/16/2016	High	0.20	Above or below Benchmark
	07/14/2010	Normal	N/A	Above or below Benchmark

Water Level History - Station Summary

Station ID	Minimum Level		Maximum Level		Range (feet)	Average Level (feet)	Reading Type (and number of readings)
	Feet	Date	Feet	Date			
BM - 1	0.20	06/16/2016	0.20	06/16/2016	0.00	0.20	Above or below Benchmark (1)

Dissolved Oxygen and Temperature Profile of Lake Water

Station ID	Sampling Date	Bottom Depth (Feet)	Sample Depth (Feet)	Water Temperature (°F)	Dissolved Oxygen (ppm)
WQ - 1	06/15/2016	20.0	Surface	74.3	10.3
			5.0	73.0	10.4
			10.0	66.6	6.9
			12.5	63.5	4.5
			15.0	60.8	2.7
			16.0	59.7	2.0
			17.0	59.0	1.3
			18.0	58.5	0.7
			20.0	57.6	0.1

Field Measurements of Water Quality

Station ID	Sampling Date	Sample Depth (Feet)	Secchi Depth (Feet)	Field pH	Alkalinity (ppm)	Water Color	Color Cause
WQ - 1	06/15/2016	0.5	4.4	8.20	240	Green	Algae

Net Catch Summary by Numbers for GN

Standard gill net sets

Number of Sets: 1
First Set Date: 06/14/2016
Last Lift Date: 06/15/2016
Target Species: N/A

Abbr	Species	Total Fish	Number Per Set	Quartiles for Lake Class 33*		
				25%	50%	75%
BLC	Black Crappie	2	2.00	1.00	2.00	4.25
LMB	Largemouth Bass	1	1.00	0.50	1.00	1.50
WAE	Walleye	3	3.00	0.50	1.50	3.83
WTS	White Sucker	3	3.00	0.50	1.00	2.50
YEP	Yellow Perch	340	340.00	1.88	5.50	19.13
Total Fish/Set:			349.00	* Quartiles for Number Per Set		

Net Catch Summary by Weight for GN

Standard gill net sets

Abbr	Species	Total Weight	Pounds	Mean	Quartiles for Lake Class 33*		
		(Pounds)	Per Set	Weight	25%	50%	75%
BLC	Black Crappie	0.53	0.53	0.27	0.17	0.27	0.48
LMB	Largemouth Bass	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.38	0.70	1.17
WAE	Walleye	9.90	9.90	3.30	1.05	2.00	2.89
WTS	White Sucker	5.89	5.89	1.96	1.00	1.94	2.39
YEP	Yellow Perch	32.69	32.69	0.10	0.10	0.14	0.22
Total Pounds Fish/Set:			49.62	* Quartiles for Mean Weight			

Net Catch Summary by Numbers for TN

Standard 3/4-in mesh, double frame trap net sets

Number of Sets: 7
 First Set Date: 06/14/2016
 Last Lift Date: 06/16/2016
 Target Species: N/A

Abbr	Species	Total Fish	Number Per Set	Quartiles for Lake Class 33*		
				25%	50%	75%
BLB	Black Bullhead	3	0.43	0.67	2.00	16.40
BLC	Black Crappie	9	1.29	0.67	1.75	4.25
BLG	Bluegill	151	21.57	2.92	13.83	41.19
CAP	Common Carp	4	0.57	0.33	0.71	1.66
GSF	Green Sunfish	4	0.57	0.29	0.67	2.80
WAE	Walleye	7	1.00	0.25	0.50	1.19
WTS	White Sucker	1	0.14	0.25	0.50	1.29
YEP	Yellow Perch	152	21.71	0.67	1.50	3.56
Total Fish/Set:			47.29	* Quartiles for Number Per Set		

Net Catch Summary by Weight for TN

Standard 3/4-in mesh, double frame trap net sets

Abbr	Species	Total Weight (Pounds)	Pounds Per Set	Mean Weight	Quartiles for Lake Class 33*		
					25%	50%	75%
BLB	Black Bullhead	1.92	0.27	0.64	0.19	0.32	0.64
BLC	Black Crappie	2.26	0.32	0.25	0.21	0.30	0.45
BLG	Bluegill	31.20	4.46	0.21	0.11	0.15	0.27
CAP	Common Carp	36.03	5.15	9.01	2.14	3.08	5.50
GSF	Green Sunfish	1.47	0.21	0.37	0.05	0.10	0.14
WAE	Walleye	20.20	2.89	2.89	1.36	2.19	3.03
WTS	White Sucker	1.74	0.25	1.74	1.10	1.75	2.44
YEP	Yellow Perch	15.80	2.26	0.10	0.10	0.20	0.28
Total Pounds Fish/Set:			15.80	* Quartiles for Mean Weight			

Length Frequency Distribution for GN

Standard gill net sets

(Field work conducted between 06/14/2016 and 06/15/2016)

	<u>BLC</u>	<u>LMB</u>	<u>WAE</u>	<u>WTS</u>	<u>YEP</u>
< 3.00	-	-	-	-	-
3.00 - 3.49	-	-	-	-	-
3.50 - 3.99	-	-	-	-	-
4.00 - 4.49	-	-	-	-	-
4.50 - 4.99	-	-	-	-	-
5.00 - 5.49	-	-	-	-	-
5.50 - 5.99	-	-	-	-	54
6.00 - 6.49	-	-	-	-	224
6.50 - 6.99	-	-	-	-	54
7.00 - 7.49	-	-	-	-	7
7.50 - 7.99	1	-	-	-	-
8.00 - 8.49	1	-	-	-	-
8.50 - 8.99	-	-	-	-	-
9.00 - 9.49	-	-	-	-	-
9.50 - 9.99	-	-	-	-	-
10.00 - 10.49	-	-	-	-	-
10.50 - 10.99	-	1	-	-	-
11.00 - 11.49	-	-	-	-	-
11.50 - 11.99	-	-	-	-	-
12.00 - 12.99	-	-	-	-	-
13.00 - 13.99	-	-	-	-	-
14.00 - 14.99	-	-	-	1	-
15.00 - 15.99	-	-	-	-	-
16.00 - 16.99	-	-	-	-	-
17.00 - 17.99	-	-	-	2	-
18.00 - 18.99	-	-	-	-	-
19.00 - 19.99	-	-	-	-	-
20.00 - 20.99	-	-	2	-	-
21.00 - 21.99	-	-	-	-	-
22.00 - 22.99	-	-	1	-	-
23.00 - 23.99	-	-	-	-	-
24.00 - 24.99	-	-	-	-	-
25.00 - 25.99	-	-	-	-	-
26.00 - 26.99	-	-	-	-	-
27.00 - 27.99	-	-	-	-	-
28.00 - 28.99	-	-	-	-	-
29.00 - 29.99	-	-	-	-	-
30.00 - 30.99	-	-	-	-	-
31.00 - 31.99	-	-	-	-	-
32.00 - 32.99	-	-	-	-	-
33.00 - 33.99	-	-	-	-	-
34.00 - 34.99	-	-	-	-	-
35.00 - 35.99	-	-	-	-	-
= > 36.00	-	-	-	-	-

	<u>BLC</u>	<u>LMB</u>	<u>WAE</u>	<u>WTS</u>	<u>YEP</u>
Total	2	1	3	3	339
Min. Length	7.60	10.63	20.16	14.33	5.67
Max. Length	8.03	10.63	22.76	17.76	7.01
Mean Length	7.81	10.63	21.10	16.52	6.27
# Measured	2	1	3	3	50
No Lengths for	0	0	0	0	290

Note: Unless all fish were measured in the catch, totals shown for some length-frequency distributions may differ from the total number of fish in the catch, due to rounding of fractions used in the estimation of length frequency from a subsample of measured fish

Length Frequency Distribution for TN

Standard 3/4-in mesh, double frame trap net sets

(Field work conducted between 06/14/2016 and 06/16/2016)

	<u>BLB</u>	<u>BLC</u>	<u>BLG</u>	<u>CAP</u>	<u>GSF</u>	<u>WAE</u>	<u>WTS</u>	<u>YEP</u>
< 3.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3.00 - 3.49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3.50 - 3.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4.00 - 4.49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4.50 - 4.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5.00 - 5.49	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	1
5.50 - 5.99	-	-	24	-	-	-	-	15
6.00 - 6.49	-	-	37	-	-	-	-	106
6.50 - 6.99	-	-	78	-	1	-	-	30
7.00 - 7.49	-	1	6	-	2	-	-	-
7.50 - 7.99	-	4	-	-	1	-	-	-
8.00 - 8.49	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
8.50 - 8.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9.00 - 9.49	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9.50 - 9.99	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
10.00 - 10.49	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10.50 - 10.99	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11.00 - 11.49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11.50 - 11.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12.00 - 12.99	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
13.00 - 13.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14.00 - 14.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15.00 - 15.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
16.00 - 16.99	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
17.00 - 17.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18.00 - 18.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19.00 - 19.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20.00 - 20.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21.00 - 21.99	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-
22.00 - 22.99	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
23.00 - 23.99	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
24.00 - 24.99	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
25.00 - 25.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26.00 - 26.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
27.00 - 27.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
28.00 - 28.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
29.00 - 29.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30.00 - 30.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31.00 - 31.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32.00 - 32.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
33.00 - 33.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34.00 - 34.99	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
35.00 - 35.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
= > 36.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

	<u>BLB</u>	<u>BLC</u>	<u>BLG</u>	<u>CAP</u>	<u>GSF</u>	<u>WAE</u>	<u>WTS</u>	<u>YEP</u>
Total	3	9	150	4	4	7	1	152
Min. Length	9.37	7.36	5.20	9.61	6.77	12.44	15.98	5.39
Max. Length	10.79	8.27	7.09	34.29	7.72	23.39	15.98	6.97
Mean Length	10.09	7.94	6.39	22.98	7.21	19.96	15.98	6.23
# Measured	3	9	124	4	4	7	1	60
No Lengths for	0	0	27	0	0	0	0	92

Note: Unless all fish were measured in the catch, totals shown for some length-frequency distributions may differ from the total number of fish in the catch, due to rounding of fractions used in the estimation of length frequency from a subsample of measured fish

Other Species

Gear Type (1)	Other Species (Gender) (2)	Total Num	Number Measured	Length (inches) Min - Mean - Max	Number Weighed	Weight (pounds) Min - Mean - Max
TN	Painted Turtle	14	0	N/A	0	N/A
	Snapping Turtle	3	3	13.39 - 15.09 - 16.14	0	N/A

(1) Key to sampling gear abbreviations:

TN = Standard 3/4-in mesh, double frame trap net sets

(2) Gender: If identified and reported.

Approval Dates And Notices

Date Approved By Windom Area Fisheries Supervisor: _____

Date Approved By Southern Region Fisheries Manager: _____

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(as of 06/20/2016), and is therefore subject to change at any time.**



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REPORT OVERVIEW - FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

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Lake Name: Wellner-Hageman Reservoir

Survey Type: Standard Survey

DOW Number: 08-0129-00

Survey ID Date: 06/13/2016

Survey Status: Field Work Complete

The following 19 (of 32) report components are not included in this Lake Survey Report:

1. Water Level History¹
2. Lake Inlets
3. Additional Inlet Information
4. Lake Outlets
5. Additional Outlet Information
6. Water Control Structure (Dam)
7. Surrounding Watershed Characteristics, Shoreline Characteristics, and Riparian Landscape Observations²
8. Resorts And Campgrounds
9. Fish Spawning Conditions
10. Erosion And Pollution
11. Fish Diseases And Parasites
12. Aquatic Vegetation And Shoalwater Substrates
13. Laboratory Analysis Of Water Chemistry
14. Length At Capture With Last Incremental Length*
15. Back-Calculated Lengths
16. Age Class Frequency Distributions
17. Status Of Fishery And Field Notes
18. Water Quality (Winter Observations) (added to revision 01/21/2010)
19. Survey Attachments (added to revision 20150622)

¹ Water Level History report: This data has not yet been migrated into the Fisheries LSM database. On 01/08/2009, two additional Water Level History report components (Readings and Station Summary) were added.

² Effective 03/25/2014, the Surrounding Watershed Characteristics, Shoreline Characteristics, and Riparian Landscape Observations report component was modified to be included in the Lake Survey report if it did not include any Watershed and Shoreline characteristics and only consisted of Riparian Landscape Observations.

* Length At Capture With Last Incremental Length report: The following criteria must be met for a report to be generated:

1. The fish species must have an assigned body scale constant.
2. Fish must have an "official" age assigned.
3. Fish must have a digitized measurement marked for back calculation use.

Note: The data source for Length and Age Class Frequency Distribution tables is updated twice daily - once at noon and once overnight. Any changes to the data made before noon on 06/20/2016 may not be reflected in the Distribution tables until after 12:30 pm on 06/20/2016.

The following survey component was flagged to be specifically excluded from this report: TN - 3

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