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Bass-Lakes (regulation applies to both largemouth bass and smallmouth bass unless noted otherwise)		
Agnes	Douglas	12" maximum, 1 over 20"
Ann (Largemouth only)	Carver	catch and release
Annie Battle including inlets, outlets (Largemouth only)	Otter Tail	catch and release
Balm	Beltrami	12" maximum, 1 over 20"
Bass (Largemouth only)	Todd	1 fish bag
Bear Creek (Largemouth only)	Olmsted	15" minimum
Big Bass	Beltrami	catch and release
Blackwater	Cass	catch and release
Black Bass	Mille Lacs	catch and release
Chisago (Largemouth only)	Chisago	12" maximum
Clear	Waseca	catch and release
Clitherall (Smallmouth only)	Otter Tail	catch and release
Crawford (Largemouth only)	Wright	catch and release
Crooked (Largemouth only)	Anoka	catch and release
Crooked	Stearns	12" maximum, 1 over 20"
Deer	Beltrami	catch and release
Demontreville (Largemouth only)	Washington	catch and release
Eunice	Becker	12" maximum, one over 20"
Fladmark	Otter Tail	catch and release
Flour (Smallmouth only)	Cook	12" maximum, one 20" or larger
Henry	Douglas	12" maximum, 1 over 20"
Horseshoe	Cass	12" maximum
Hovde (Largemouth only)	Cass	catch and release
Hubert	Crow Wing	12" maximum
Hungry Jack (Smallmouth only)	Cook	12 " maximum, one 20" or larger
Jane (Largemouth only)	Washington	catch and release
Jewett	Otter Tail	12" max, 1 over 20"
Little Mantrap (Largemouth only)	Hubbard	12"-18" slot
Little Sauk (Largemouth only)	Todd	1 fish bag
Long (Largemouth only)	Kandiyohi	12" maximum, 1 over 20"
Long	Stearns	12" maximum, 1 over 20"
Mary	Hubbard	catch and release
Maud	Becker	12" maximum, 1 over 20"
Middle (Largemouth only)	Otter Tail	12" maximum, 1 over 20"

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Mille Lac (Smallmouth only)	Aitkin, Mille Lac	21” minimum, bag limit 1
Mink-Somers (Largemouth only)	Wright	12” maximum, one over 20”
Minnewashta (Largemouth only)	Carver	catch and release
Moccasin (Largemouth only)	Cass	catch and release
Moose (Largemouth only)	Todd	12” maximum
Mule	Cass	catch and release
North Ten Mile	Otter Tail	21”minimum, bag limit 1
North Turtle	Otter Tail	12” maximum, 1 over 20”
Norway (Largemouth only)	Otter Tail	catch and release
Olson (Largemouth only)	Washington	catch and release
Ozawindib	Clearwater	12” maximum, 1 over 20”
Pelican	St. Louis	14”-20”slot, 1 over 20”
Pickereel	Otter Tail	12” maximum, 1 over 20”
Pierz (Fish) (Largemouth only)	Morrison	12” maximum, 1 over 20”
Portage	Cass	catch and release
Sewell	Otter Tail	12”max, 1 over 20”
South Lindstrom (Largemouth only)	Chisago	12” maximum
South Ten Mile	Otter Tail	21”minimum, bag limit 1
South Twin	Beltrami	catch and release
Steiger (Largemouth only)	Carver	catch and release
Stony (Largemouth only)	Cass	12” maximum, 1 over 20 “
Thirteen (Largemouth only)	Cass	12” maximum
Turtle (Smallmouth only)	Itasca	12” maximum, 1 over 20”
Turtle (Largemouth only)	Ramsey	catch and release
Twenty One	Otter Tail	catch and release
Two Island (Smallmouth only)	Cook	12” maximum, one 20” or larger

Bass-Rivers

Minnehaha Creek (below Minnehaha Falls)	Hennepin	catch and release; year-round season
Minnesota River (downstream from Mendota bridge)	Hennepin, Dakota, Ramsey	catch and release; year-round season

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Bass-Rivers continued

Mississippi River (Pool 2)	Hennepin, Dakota, Ramsey, Washington	catch and release; year-round season
Mississippi River (St. Cloud to mouth of Crow River)	Sherburne, Wright, Stearns	12-20" protected slot; 3 fish bag; 1 over 20"
Ottertail River (for boundaries, see Page 43 in 2009 fishing regulation booklet)	Ottertail, Wilken, Becker	catch and release
Zumbro River (Lake Zumbro dam to Zumbro Falls)	Wabasha	catch and release

Northern Pike-Lakes

Ada	Cass	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Alexander	Morrison	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Alice	Itasca	22-36" protected slot, 1 over 36", bag limit 9
Ann	Carver	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Annie Battle, and inlets and outlets	Otter Tail	catch and release
Ash	St. Louis	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Balsam	Itasca	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Bass	Todd	40" minimum, 1 over 40"
Basswood	Lake	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Battle, West	Otter Tail	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Beltrami	Beltrami	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Big Birch	Todd, Stearns	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Big Carnelian	Washington	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Big Fish	Stearns	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Big Lake	Beltrami	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Big Mantrap	Hubbard	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Big Swan	Todd	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Birch Lake Reservoir	St.Louis	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Black Bass	Mille Lacs	catch and release
Blueberry	Wadena	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Bowstring and connecting waters	Itasca	22-36" protected slot, 1 over 36", bag limit 9
Campbell	Beltrami	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Caribou	St. Louis	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"

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Cedar	Morrison, Todd	40" minimum, 1 over 40"
Center, North	Chisago	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Center, South	Chisago	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Child	Cass	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Coon-Sandwich	Itasca	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Cotton	Becker	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Crooked	Stearns	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Crow Wing, 5 th	Hubbard	40" minimum, 1 over 40"
Crow Wing, 6 th	Hubbard	40" minimum, 1 over 40"
Crow Wing, 8 th	Hubbard	40" minimum, 1 over 40"
Crow Wing, 9 th	Hubbard	40" minimum, 1 over 40"
Crow Wing, 10 th	Hubbard	40" minimum, 1 over 40"
Deer	Beltrami	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Elephant	St. Louis	40" minimum, 1 over 40"
Elk	Clearwater	40" minimum, 1 over 40"
Eunice	Becker	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Farm	Lake	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Fish Trap	Morrison	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Fladmark	Otter Tail	catch and release
Floyd, Big	Becker	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Floyd, Little	Becker	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Fox	Beltrami	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Garden	Lake	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
George	Hubbard	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Girl	Cass	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Haskell	Itasca	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Horseshoe	Cass	30" minimum, 1 over 30"
Island	Itasca	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Knife	Kanabec	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Lake of the Woods	Lake of the Woods, Roseau	30-40" protected slot, 1 over 40"
Latoka	Douglas	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Little Boy	Cass	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Little Cascade	Cook	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Little Sauk	Todd	24-30" protected slot, 1 over 30"

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Little Toad	Becker	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36
Little Woman	Cass	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Long	Aitkin	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Long	Stearns	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Long	Todd	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Loon	Cook	30" minimum, 1 over 30"
Maud	Becker	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Medicine	Beltrami	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Melissa	Becker	24" maximum
Mille Lacs	Aitkin, Crow Wing, Mille Lacs	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Mink-Somers	Wright	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Minnie Belle	Meeker	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Mission, Lower	Crow Wing	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Mission, Upper	Crow Wing	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Mitchell	Crow Wing	40" minimum, 1 over 40"
Movil	Beltrami	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
North Star, Little North Star	Itasca	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
North Twin	Beltrami	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Norway	Otter Tail	1 fish bag
Ogechie	Mille Lacs	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Otter Tail	Otter Tail	30" minimum, 1 over 30"
Pelican	St. Louis	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Prairie	St. Louis	30" minimum, 1 over 30"
Rabbit, Big	Crow Wing	24" maximum
Rabbit, East Big	Crow Wing	24" maximum
Rachel, Little Rachel	Douglas	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Red, Upper	Beltrami	26-40" protected slot, 1 over 40"
Round	Crow Wing	30" minimum, 1 over 30"
Round and connecting waters	Itasca	22-36" protected slot, 1 over 36", bag limit 9
Rush, East and West	Chisago	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Sallie	Becker	24" maximum
Sand and connecting waters	Itasca	22-36" protected slot, 1 over 36", bag limit 9
Scrapper	Itasca	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Shamaineau	Morrison	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"

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Sissabagamah	Aitkin	20-30" slot, 1 over 30"
South Farm	Lake	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Spider	Itasca	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
St. Olaf	Waseca	30" minimum
Steiger	Carver	catch and release, spearing ban
Sturgeon	Pine	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Sugar	Wright	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Syliva, West Sylvia	Wright	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Ten Mile	Cass	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Three Island	Beltrami	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Turtle, Big	Beltrami	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Turtle, Little	Beltrami	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Turtle River Lake	Beltrami	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Twenty One	Otter Tail	catch and release
Unnamed (Louise)	Cass	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Vermilion	St. Louis	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Wabedo	Cass	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
West Battle	Otter Tail	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
White Iron	St. Louis	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Woman	Cass	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Northern Pike-Streams		
Baudette River	Lake of the Woods	30-40" protected slot, 1 over 40"
North Branch Kawishiwi River (4.8 miles)	Lake	24-36" protected slot, 1 over 36"
Rainy River	Lake of the Woods	30-40" protected slot, 1 over 40"
Warroad River	Roseau	30-40" protected slot, 1 over 40"
Winter Road River	Lake of the Woods	30-40" protected slot, 1 over 40"

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Walleye-Lakes		
Bass	Todd	2 fish bag
Battle	Itasca	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Big Pine	Otter Tail	18-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Big Sand	Hubbard	20-28" protected slot, 1 over 28"
Big Stone	Big Stone	4 fish bag, one 20" or larger
Cedar	Morrison, Todd	2 fish bag
Coon	Anoka	17" minimum
Cottonwood	Grant	3 fish bag
Crane	St. Louis	17-28" protected slot, 1 over 28", 4 fish bag
Crawford	Wright	2 fish bag
Deer	Itasca	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Farm	Lake	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Farm Island	Aitkin	16-19" protected slot
Garden	Lake	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Goose	Chisago	17" minimum
Green	Chisago	17" minimum
Gull	Cook	6 fish bag, 1 over 19.5"
Hendricks	Lincoln	4 fish bag, one 20" or larger
Horseshoe	Cass	3 fish bag
Island	Itasca	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Kabekona	Hubbard	18-26" protected slot, 1 over 26", 4 fish bag
Kabetogama	St. Louis and Koochiching	17-28" protected slot, 1 over 28", 4 fish bag
Knife	Kanabec	18-24" protected slot
Lac qui Parle	Lac qui Parle, Chippewa	4 fish bag, 1 over 20"
Lake of the Woods	Lake of the Woods, Roseau	19.5-28" protected slot, 1 over 28", 4 fish bag
Leech	Cass, Hubbard	18-26" protected slot, 1 over 26", 4 fish bag
Little Cormorant	Becker	17" minimum
Little McDonald	Otter Tail	18-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Little Pine	Otter Tail	18-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Little Sauk	Todd	2 fish bag

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Walleye-Lakes continued		
Little Vermilion	St. Louis and Koochiching	17-28" protected slot, 1 over 28", 4 fish bag
Mandell	Chisago	17" minimum
Mille Lacs	Aitkin, Crow Wing, Mille Lacs	Check 2009 regulation synopsis
Mink-Somers	Wright	3 fish bag, 17" minimum
Mud	Traverse	4 fish bag, one 20" or larger
Moose	Itasca	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Mule	Cass	3 fish bag
Namakan	St. Louis and Koochiching	17-28" protected slot, 1 over 28", 4 fish bag
North Lida/Mud	Otter Tail	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Norway	Otter Tail	3 fish bag
Osakis, Little	Douglas, Todd	15" minimum
Pearl	Stearns	3 fish bag, 17" minimum
Pickereel	Itasca	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Rabour	Chisago	17" minimum
Rainy	Koochiching, St. Louis	17-28" protected slot, 1 over 28", 4 fish bag
Rat Root	Koochiching	17-28" protected slot, 1 over 28", 4 fish bag
Red, Upper	Beltrami	Check 2009 regulation synopsis
Round	Itasca	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Saganaga	Cook	1 over 19.5", 6 fish bag
Sand Point	St. Louis and Koochiching	17-28" protected slot, 1 over 28", 4 fish bag
South Farm	Lake	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
South Lida	Otter Tail	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Splithand	Itasca	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Swan	Itasca	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Traverse	Traverse	4 fish bag, one 20" or larger
Trout	Itasca	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Venstrom	Otter Tail	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Vermillion	St. Louis	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26", 4 fish bag
Waconia	Carver	16" minimum
White Iron	St. Louis	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
Winnibigoshish	Itasca, Beltrami	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
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Walleye- Streams		
Ash River	St. Louis	17-28" protected slot, 1 over 28", 4 fish bag
Bois de Sioux River	Traverse	4 fish bag, one 20" or larger
Loon River	St. Louis	17-28" protected slot, 1 over 28", 4 fish bag
Minnehaha Creek (below Minnehaha Falls)	Hennepin	catch and release; year round season
Minnesota River (downstream from Mendota bridge)	Hennepin, Dakota, Ramsey	catch and release; year round season
Mississippi River (Pool 2)	Hennepin, Dakota, Ramsey	catch and release; year round season
(Pool 3)	Washington	
N. Branch Kawishiwi	Dakota, Washington	15" minimum
Rainy River	Lake	17-26" protected slot, 1 over 26"
	Lake of the Woods, Koochiching	19.5-28" protected slot, 4 fish bag
		Spring:2 fish bag, 19.5" maximum
Rat Root River	Koochiching	17-28" protected slot, 1 over 28", 4 fish bag
Crappie-Lakes		
Annie Battle, and inlets & outlets	Otter Tail	11" minimum, 5 fish bag
Big Mantrap	Hubbard	10" minimum, 5 fish bag
Big Stone	Big Stone	10 fish bag
Cedar	Morrison, Todd	5 fish bag
Crawford	Wright	5 fish bag
Dyers	Cook	5 fish bag
Eunice	Becker	10" minimum, 5 fish bag
Fladmark	Otter Tail	5 fish bag
Franklin	Otter Tail	10" minimum, 5 fish bag
Gilbert	Crow Wing	5 fish bag
Goodrich	Crow Wing	5 fish bag

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Crappie-Lakes continued

Goose	Chisago	5 fish bag
Green	Chisago	9" minimum
Horseshoe	Cass	5 fish bag
Inguadona	Cass	5 fish bag
Itasca	Clearwater	5 fish bag
Lida, South and North	Otter Tail	11" minimum
Little Cormorant	Becker	10" minimum, 5 fish bag
Little Sauk	Todd	5 fish bag
Mandall	Chisago	5 fish bag
Maple	Douglas	10" minimum, 5 fish bag
Mary	Hubbard	5 fish bag
Maud	Becker	10" minimum, 5 fish bag
Mink-Somers	Wright	5 fish bag
North Turtle	Otter Tail	10" minimum
Norway	Otter Tail	5 fish bag
Ozawindib	Clearwater	10" minimum
Rabour	Chisago	5 fish bag
Rice (connected to Inguadona)	Cass	5 fish bag
Rogers	Crow Wing	5 fish bag
Spider	Hubbard	10 " minimum
Stuart	Otter Tail	10" minimum
Sugar	Wright	5 fish bag
Sylvan	Cass	5 fish bag
Twenty One	Otter Tail	5 fish bag
Venstrom	Otter Tail	11" minimum

Sunfish -Lakes

Annie Battle, and inlets and outlets	Otter Tail	5 fish bag
Bass	Itasca	5 fish bag
Battle	Itasca	10 fish bag
Bear Creek Reservoir	Olmsted	10 fish bag. 7" minimum during Nov.-April 30
Big Stone	Big Stone	10 fish bag
Black Bass	Mille Lacs	5 fish bag

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Blackduck	Beltrami	5 fish bag
Carnelian	Stearns	5 fish bag
Cottonwood	Grant	5 fish bag
Crawford	Wright	5 fish bag
Deer	Itasca	10 fish bag
Dyers	Cook	5 fish bag
Eunice	Becker	5 fish bag
Fladmark	Otter Tail	10 fish bag
Gilbert	Crow Wing	5 fish bag
Goodrich	Crow Wing	5 fish bag
Grave	Itasca	5 fish bag
Gull	Beltrami	5 fish bag
Hendricks	Lincoln	10 fish bag
Horseshoe	Cass	5 fish bag
Inguadona	Cass	5 fish bag
Itasca	Clearwater	10 fish bag
Lind	Cass	5 fish bag
Little Cormorant	Becker	5 fish bag
Little Sauk	Todd	5 fish bag
Little Toad	Becker	10 fish bag
Mary	Hubbard	5 fish bag
Maud	Becker	5 fish bag
Mink-Somers	Wright	5 fish bag
Mud	Traverse	10 fish bag
Norway	Otter Tail	5 fish bag
Ox Yoke	Cass	10 fish bag
Pickereel	Itasca	10 fish bag
Pimushe	Beltrami	10 fish bag
Pleasant	Stearns	5 fish bag
Rice (connected to Inguadona)	Cass	5 fish bag
Rogers	Crow Wing	5 fish bag
Sanburn	Cass	10 fish bag

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Sunfish –Lakes -continued		
Sand	Lake	5 fish bag
Star	Otter Tail	10 fish bag
Sylvan	Cass	5 fish bag
Traverse	Traverse	10 fish bag
Twenty One	Otter Tail	10 fish bag
Sunfish-Streams		
Mississippi River Pools 5, 5a, 8	Wabasha, Winona, Houston	10 fish bag
Bois de Sioux River	Traverse	10 fish bag
Muskellunge-Lakes		
Andrusia	Beltrami	48" minimum
Bald Eagle	Anoka, Ramsey, Washington	48" minimum ; closed to spearing 12/1 to 3 rd Sunday in Feb.
Bemidji	Beltrami	48" minimum
Benedict	Hubbard	48" minimum
Big	Beltrami	48" minimum
Big Boy	Cass	48" minimum
Big Rice	Beltrami	48" minimum
Big Wolf	Beltrami	48" minimum
Blackwater	Itasca	48" minimum
Blandin Reservoir	Itasca	48" minimum
Buck	Beltrami	48" minimum
Carr	Beltrami	48" minimum
Cass	Beltrami	48" minimum
Cedar	Aitkin	48" minimum
Child	Cass	48" minimum
Crane, including Vermilion Gorge	St. Louis	48" minimum
Deer (near Deer River)	Itasca	48" minimum
Eagle	Hennepin	48" minimum; closed to spearing 12/1 to 3 rd Sunday in Feb.
Elk	Clearwater	catch and release
Girl	Cass	48" minimum

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Muskellunge-Lakes continued		
Inguadona	Cass	48" minimum
Irving	Beltrami	48" minimum
Island Reservoir	St. Louis	48" minimum
Jay Gould, Little Jay Gould	Itasca	48" minimum
Kitchi	Beltrami	48" minimum
Leech	Cass	48" minimum
Little Boy	Cass	48" minimum
Little Moose (near Deer River)	Itasca	48" minimum
Little Rice	Beltrami	48" minimum
Little Winnibigishish	Itasca	48" minimum
Little Wolf	Cass, Hubbard	48" minimum
Little Woman	Cass	48" minimum
Louise	Cass	48" minimum
Marquette	Beltrami	48" minimum
Mille Lacs	Aitkin, Mille Lacs	48" minimum
Miltona	Douglas	48" minimum
Moose (near Deer River)	Itasca	48" minimum
North Star, Little N. Star	Itasca	48" minimum
Owasso	Ramsey	48", closed to spearing 12/1 to 3 rd Sunday in Feb.
Pike Bay	Cass	48" minimum
Plantanganette	Hubbard	48" minimum
Pokegama	Itasca	48" minimum
Pug Hole	Beltrami	48 inch minimum
Rebecca	Hennepin	48" minimum; closed to spearing 12/1 to 3 rd Sunday in Feb.
Rice	Cass	48" minimum
Rush, East and West	Chisago	48" minimum
Stump	Beltrami	48" minimum
Swift	Cass	48" minimum
Vermilion	St. Louis	48" minimum
Wabedo	Cass	48" minimum
Winnibigoshish	Cass, Itasca	48" minimum
Woman	Cass	48" minimum

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Muskellunge-Streams		
Big Fork	Itasca, Koochiching	48" minimum
Big Lake Creek (Big Boy Lake to Lake Andrusia)	Beltrami	48" minimum
Boy River (Inguadona Lake to Big Boy Lake to Leech Lake and Child Lake to Girl Lake)	Cass	48" minimum
Little Fork River	Koochiching	48" minimum
Schoolcraft River (Lake Plantaganette downstream to Carr Lake)	Beltrami	48" minimum
Turtle River (Big Rice Lake to Cass Lake)	Beltrami	48" minimum
Mississippi River from Carr Lake downstream to Pokegama Dam	Beltrami, Cass, Itasca	48" minimum
Mississippi River from Blandin Dam downstream to Coon Rapids Dam	Itasca, Aitkin, Crow Wing, Morrison, Benton, Sherburne, Wright, Anoka, Hennepin	catch and release
Prairie River from Prairie Lake Dam downstream to Mississippi River	Itasca	catch and release
St. Louis River Estuary	St. Louis	50" minimum
Lakes Closed to Spearing (see also under muskellunge lakes)		
Baby	Cass	closed to spearing
Beers	Otter Tail	closed to spearing
Big	Beltrami	closed to spearing
Big Mantrap	Hubbard	closed to spearing
Cass	Cass	closed to spearing
Cross	Pine	closed to spearing

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Lakes Closed to Spearing-continued		
Deer	Itasca	closed to spearing
Lobster	Douglas	closed to spearing
Mille Lacs	Aitkin, Mille Lacs	closed to spearing
Minnetonka, + connecting waters: Forest, Libbs, Peavy, Tanager	Hennepin, Carver	closed to spearing 12/1 to 4 th Sunday in Feb.
Moose	Itasca	closed to spearing
North Star, Little N. Star	Itasca	closed to spearing
Rush	Chisago	closed to spearing
Spider	Itasca	closed to spearing
Stieger	Carver	closed to spearing
Sugar	Wright	closed to spearing
Wabedo	Cass	closed to spearing
West Battle	Otter Tail	closed to spearing
Yellow Perch-Lakes		
Crawford	Wright	10 fish bag
Little Sauk	Todd	10 fish bag
Norway	Otter Tail	10 fish bag
Northern Cisco (tullibee)		
Mille Lacs	Aitkin, Mille Lacs	10 fish bag
Trout - Lakes		
Foster-Arends (all trout)	Olmsted	year-round fishing for trout, 3 fish bag, 1 over 16"
Kraut	Cook	catch and release, artificials and flies with single hooks only; closed to winter fishing
North Shady	Cook	catch and release, artificials and flies with single hooks only; closed to winter fishing
Peanut	Cook	catch and release, artificials and flies with single hooks only; closed to winter fishing

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Trout – Lakes-continued		
Red Wing Pottery Pond	Goodhue	year-round fishing for trout, 3 fish bag, 1 over 16"
Squash	Cook	catch and release, artificials and flies with single hooks only; closed to winter fishing
Square (all trout)	Washington	catch and release during first 28 days of season and during October 1-31; 2 fish bag
Thompson	Cook	catch and release, artificials and flies with single hooks only; closed to winter fishing
Tomato	Cook	catch and release, artificials and flies with single hooks only; closed to winter fishing
Thrush (all trout)	Cook	catch and release, artificials and flies with single hooks only; closed to winter fishing
Turnip (all trout)	Cook	catch and release; artificials and flies with single hooks only; closed to winter fishing
Trout – Streams		
Beaver Creek	Wabasha, Winona	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks.
Beaver Creek, East (Beaver State Park)	Houston	Regular season, 12-16" slot. Winter catch and release season (1/1-3/31), barbless hooks.
Beaver Creek, West (1.9 miles)	Houston	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Bee creek (1.6 miles)	Houston	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Belle Creek (7.3 mile section)	Goodhue	Regular season, catch and release.
Camp Creek (2.7 mile section) (winter: 3.5 mile section)	Fillmore	Regular season, catch and release, artificial lures and flies only. Winter catch and release season (1/1-3/31), barbless hooks.
Canfield Creek (formerly South Branch)	Fillmore	Regular season, 12-16" slot, artificial lures and flies only. Winter catch and release season (1/1-3/31), barbless hooks.
Coolridge Creek (0.13 miles)	Winona	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Crooked Creek (6.4 miles)	Houston	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Crooked Creek, South Fork (1.43 miles)	Houston	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Daley Creek (2.5 miles)	Houston	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Diamond Creek, and Diamind Creek South Fork(5.25 mile section)	Fillmore	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Duschee Creek (5.5 mile section)	Fillmore	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Eagle Creek	Scott	Regular season, catch and release
Ferguson Creek (1.25 mile section)	Winona	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Forestville Creek (North Branch Creek)	Fillmore	Regular season, 12-16" slot. Winter catch and release season 1/1-3/31), barbless hooks.
Garvin Brook (5.0 mile section) (Winter: 1.0 mile section)	Winona	Regular season, 12-16" slot, artificial lures and flies only. Winter catch and release season (1/1-3/31), barbless hooks.

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Gribben Creek(3.8 mile section)	Fillmore	Regular season, 12-16” slot, artificial lures and flies only. Winter catch and release season (1/1-3/1), barbless hooks.
Hay Creek (4.0 mile section) (winter: 7.7 mile section)	Goodhue	Regular season, 12-16” slot, artificial lures and flies only. Winter catch and release season (1/1-3/1), barbless hooks.
Hemmingway Creek(0.83 mile section)	Winona	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks.
Kedron Creek	Fillmore	Regular season, catch and release, artificial lures and flies only.
Logan Creek	Olmsted	Regular season, 12-16” slot, artificial lures and flies only.
Mahoods Creek	Fillmore	Regular season, 12-16” slot.
Money Creek, West (3.14 mile section)	Winona	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Pine Creek (5.6 mile section)	Winona	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Root River, Middle Branch	Fillmore	Regular season, catch and release.
Root River, South Branch (4.8 mile section) (Winter: 2.9 + 3.0 mile sections)	Fillmore	Regular season, 12-16” slot. Winter catch and release season (1/1-3/1), barbless hooks.
Root River, South Fork (7.6 mile section)	Fillmore	Regular season, catch and release, artificial lures and flies only. Winter catch and release season (1/1-3/31), barbless hooks.
Rush Creek (6.4 mile section)	Winona	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Spring Valley Creek (6.8 mile section)	Fillmore	Regular season, 12-16” slot
Stoney Brook	Cass	Brook trout: catch and release
Swede Bottom Creek (1 mile section)	Houston	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Torkelson Creek	Fillmore Creek	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Trout Run Creek (1 mile)	Winona	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Trout Run Creek	Fillmore	Regular season, 12-16” slot, artificial lures and flies only.
Vermillion River (19.5 mile)	Dakota	catch and release
West Indian	Wabasha	Regular season, 12-16” slot
Whitewater River, Main Br. (11.9 mile section)	Winona	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Whitewater River, Middle Branch (9.2 mile section) (winter: 11.2 mile section)	Olmsted, Winona	Regular season, catch and release, artificial lures and flies only. Winter catch and release season, barbless hooks.
Whitewater River, North Branch (12.1 mile section) (winter: 7.7 mile section)	Wabasha, Olmsted, Winona	Regular season, 12-16” slot, artificial lures and flies only. Winter catch and release season (1/1-3/1), barbless hooks.
Whitewater River, South Br. (3.8 mile section)	Winona	Winter catch and release season (1/1 - 3/31), barbless hooks
Wisel Creek (winter: 4.0 mile section)	Fillmore	Regular season, 12-16” slot. Winter catch and release season (1/1-3/31), barbless hooks.

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Zumbro River, North Fork	Goodhue, Wabasha	Regular season, catch and release.

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