

**MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF FISHERIES**

Angler ("creel") Survey Summary for Cedar Lake, December 1998 through September 1999

DOW ID Number: 70-0091	County: Scott	Lake Class: 41	Lake Area: 780 Acres	Survey Period: 12/29/98 - 9/30/99
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Fishing pressure (Angler-hours)	52,039	Number of angling trips	16,886
Angler Hours per Acre	66.7	% Use: Winter / Open-Water	33% / 67%
% Fish Catch: Winter/Open-Water	36% / 64%	% Harvest: Winter/Open-Water	23% / 77%

What People Fished for:	Percent of Angling Parties
Bluegill / Sunfish	34
Crappie	24
(Largemouth) Bass	14
(Hybrid/"Tiger") Muskellunge	9
Walleye	8
Northern pike	5
Yellow perch	5

Species/Type Caught	Fish Harvested				Fish Released		
	Number	Pounds	Average		Number	Average	
			Length (in)	weight (lb)		Length (in)	weight (lb)
Sunfish	52,435	11,352	6.7	0.2	46,064	4.9	0.1
Yellow perch	12,510	1,564	8.6	0.3	40,806	6.8	0.2
Crappie (both species)	11,656	3,513	8.6	0.3	2,354	7.0	0.2
Bullhead species	3,742	3,462	12.2	1.0	1,022	9.7	0.5
Largemouth bass	103	80	9.3	0.5	1,706	9.8	--
Northern pike	87	489	27.1	5.6	489	30.2	6.6
Walleye	5	30	24.0	6.0	85	10.0	0.5
Hybrid Muskellunge	0				372	31.8	7.3
All species	80,538	20,490			92,898		

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Angler ("creel") Survey Summary for Cedar Lake, Winter 1998-99

DOW ID Number: 70-0091	County: Scott	Lake Class: 41	Lake Area: 780 Acres	Survey Period: 12/29/98 - 3/23/99
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Fishing pressure (Angler-hours)	14,494	Weekdays surveyed	22
Angler Hours per Acre	18.6	Weekend/Holidays surveyed	16
Average Party Size (all anglers)	1.9	Number of interviews	204
Average Trip Length (hours)	2.6	Estimated number angler trips	5,522

What People Fished for:	Percent of Angling Parties
Crappie	39
Bluegill / Sunfish	21
Yellow perch	15
Northern pike	14
Walleye	9
(Hybrid/Tiger) Muskellunge	2

Type/Species Caught	Fish Harvested				Fish Released		
	Number	Pounds	Average		Number	Average	
			Length (in)	weight (lb)		Length (in)	weight (lb)
Yellow perch	11,461	1,444	7.5	0.1	38,937	5.9	0.1
Crappie	3,917	1,318	8.6	0.3	993	7.1	0.2
Sunfish	3,324	718	6.7	0.2	3,312	4.8	0.1
Northern pike	87	489	27.1	5.6	0		
Walleye	5	30	24.0	6.0	85	10.0	0.5
Largemouth bass	5	1	7.2	0.2	18	6.0	0.1
Bullhead	4	4	12.5	1.0	4	10.0	0.5
Hybrid Muskellunge	0				23	29.8	5.9
All species	18,803	4,004			43,372		

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Angler ("creel") Survey Summary for Cedar Lake, Open-Water Season 1999

DOW ID Number: 70-0091	County: Scott	Lake Class: 41	Lake Area: 780 Acres	Survey Period: 5/1/99 - 9/30/99
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Fishing pressure (Angler-hours / hr per acre)	39,934 / 68.8	Weekdays surveyed	34
Non-fishing boat pressure (hours/hr per acre)	21,499 / 37.1	Weekend/Holidays surveyed	24
Average Party Size (all anglers)	1.8	Number of interviews	197
Average Trip Length (hours)	4.4	Estimated number angler trips	11,364

What People Fished for:	Percent of Angling Parties
Bluegill / Sunfish	39
(Largemouth) Bass	19
Crappie	18
(Hybrid/Tiger) Muskellunge	12
Walleye	7
Northern pike	2

Species/Type Caught	Fish Harvested				Fish Released		
	Number	Pounds	Average		Number	Average	
			Length (in)	weight (lb)		Length (in)	weight (lb)
Sunfish	49,112	10,634	6.7	0.2	42,752	5.0	0.1
Crappie	7,739	2,195	8.6	0.40	1,361	6.9	0.22
Bullhead	3,738	3,458	11.9	0.9	1,018	9.4	0.5
Yellow perch	1,049	120	6.6	0.1	1,870	5.7	0.1
Largemouth bass	98	79	11.4	0.8	1,688	13.5	1.9
Northern pike	0				489	30.2	6.6
Hybrid Muskellunge	0				349	33.9	8.6
All species (totals might reflect rounding errors)	61,735	16,486			49,526		

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