

HENNEPIN COUNTY (27)

Number of lakes 200
 Lake area, acres. 36,814

The lakes in Hennepin County were formed by ice blocks deposited in glacial drift. Minnetonka, 27-133, the largest lake in the county, was formed when a number of ice blocks created a series of interconnected basins in terminal moraine. The eastern part of the county, Ranges 22 through 24, is characterized by several extensive chains of lakes which were formed from ice blocks in till-filled preglacial valleys. These buried valleys are oriented in a north-south direction. The most prominent chain of lakes includes Twin, 27-42, Sweeney-Twin, 27-35, Wirth, 27-37, Brownie, 27-38, Cedar, 27-39, Lake of the Isles, 27-40, Calhoun, 27-31, and Harriet 27-16. In addition to the ice block lake basins, there are also several along the Minnesota River valley at the southern edge of the county which were flood plain basins that are related to natural levees or were formed by the uneven aggradation of the flood plain by the Minnesota River.

The large lakes listed in the county include the following:

Ident. no.	Name	Area, acres
27-133	Minnetonka	14,310 ¹
27-2	Long Meadow	1,425
27-104	Medicine	924
27-176	Independence	828
27-191	Sarah	586
27-184	Whaletail	582
27-80	Grass	580

Includes 119 acres in Carver County (10)

Reservoirs in Hennepin County

Ident. no.	Name	Remarks
27-3	U.S. Lock and Dam No. 1 Pool	Originally formed by dam built in 1917 across Mississippi River at Minneapolis. Part of U.S. Corps of Engineers Mississippi River navigation system.
27-41	Edina Mill Pond	Former mill reservoir originally formed by dam across Minnehaha Creek at Edina in 1857. Now used as a recreation pool.
27-43	Coon Rapids Pool	Formed by hydropower dam constructed across Mississippi River at Coon Rapids in 1913-1914. Operated by Northern States Power Company as a hydropower storage reservoir.
27-61	Champlin Mill Pond	Originally formed by a flour mill dam built across Elm Creek at Champlin in 1867. Now used as a recreation pool.

Lakes classified by area

Area in acres

	10 to 25	25 to 50	50 to 75	75 to 100	100 to 125	125 to 150	150 to 200	200 to 500	500 to 1000	1000 to 2500	2500 to 5000	5000 and more	Total
Number listed.	67	31	22	19	7	1	23	23	5	1	0	1	200
Number affected by drainage or dry.	1	6	8	6	3	0	9	6	0	0	0	0	39

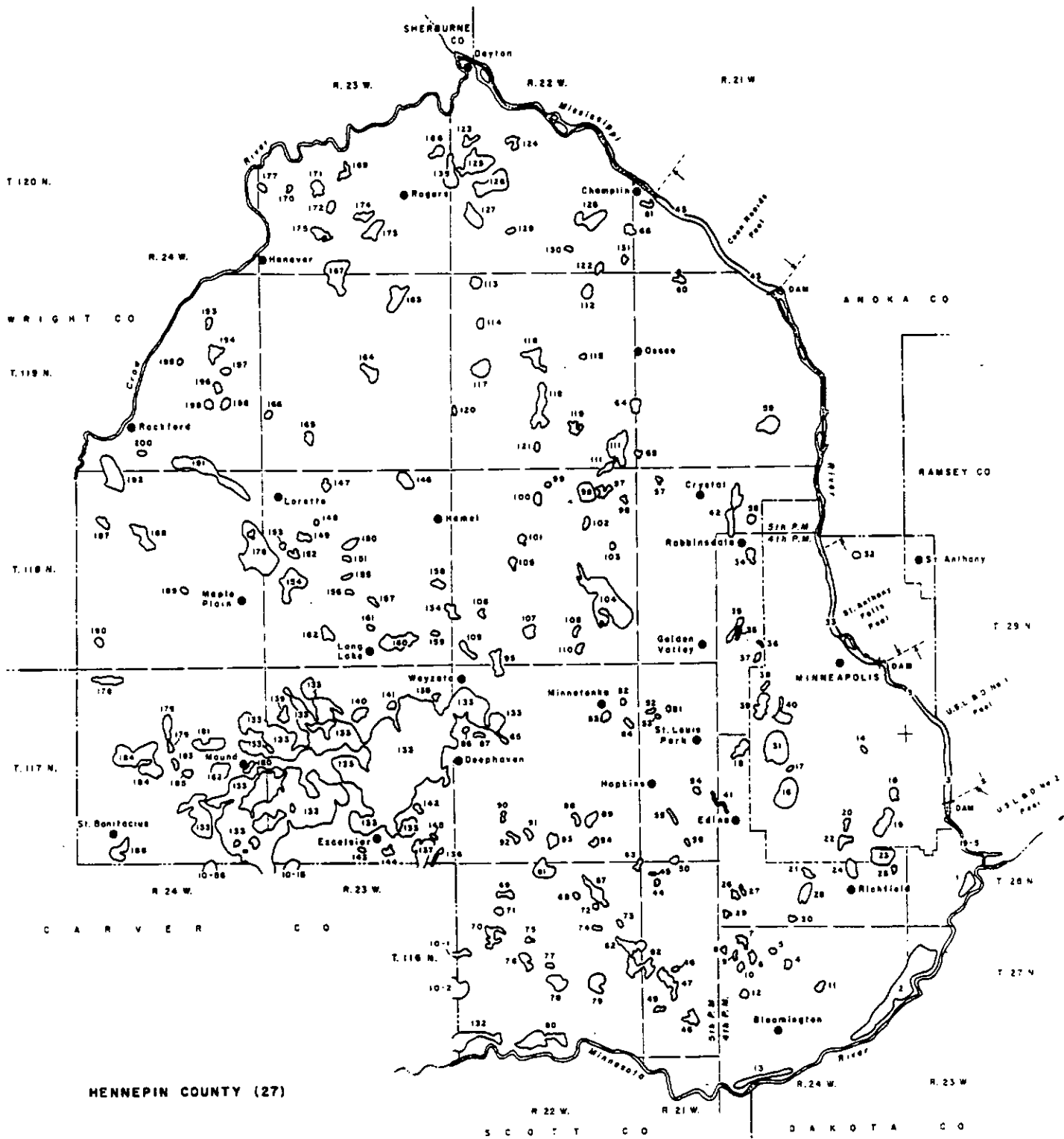
Ident. number	Name	Range	Township	Location Section	Area in Acres	Meandered	Remarks
19-5	U.S. Lock & Dam No. 2 Pool . . .				30 (5,910)	...	See Dakota County (19).
27-1	Snelling.	23	28	28,29,32	110	...	
27-2	Long Meadow . . .	23,24	27	5-8,18;1,12-14,23,24	1,425	x	Dam at outlet.
27-3	U.S. Lock & Dam No. 1 Pool . . .	23,24	28,29	various	354 (491)	...	Also in Ramsey County (62). Federal Reservoir.
27-4	Penn	24	27	4,9	47	...	
27-5	. . . . .	24	27	SE 5	10	...	
27-6	. . . . .	24	27	5,8	20	...	
27-7	. . . . .	24	27	NE 6	50	...	
27-8	. . . . .	24	27	WC 6	15	...	
27-9	. . . . .	24	27	6,7	13	...	
27-10	. . . . .	24	27	NE 7	11	...	
27-11	Oxboro.	24	27	10,15	23	...	
27-12	. . . . .	24	27	NE 18	17	...	
27-13	Nine Mile	24	27	28-31	219	x	Dam at outlet.
27-14	Powderhorn.	24	28	2	11	...	
27-15	Bass	24	28	6	95	...	Affected by C.D. 14.
27-16	Harriet.	24	28	8,9,16,17	337	x	
27-17	Cemetery.	24	28	NW 9	11	...	
27-18	Hiawatha.	24	28	12,13	54	x	
27-19	Nokomis	24	28	13,14,23,24	199	x	Dam at outlet.
27-20	Pearl	24	28	14,15,23,24	32	x	Affected by ditch.
27-21	Richfield.	24	28	21,27,28	155	x	
27-22	Diamond	24	28	22,23	54	x	
27-23	Mother	24	28	23-26	310	x	Affected by C.D. 40.
27-24	Legion.	24	28	23,26	122	x	Do.
27-25	Duck	24	28	25	44	x	Do.
27-26	Wood	24	28	28,33	165	x	
27-27	. . . . .	24	28	NE 30	17	...	
27-28	Cornelia	24	28	C 30	48	...	
27-29	. . . . .	24	28	WC 31	17	...	
27-30	. . . . .	24	28	SC 33	14	...	
27-31	Calhoun.	24	28,29	4,5;32,33	416	x	
27-32	Sandy.	24	29	SC 2	75	...	Affected by ditch.
27-33	St. Anthony Falls Pond	24	29	3,4,10,15,22,23	459	...	
27-34	Crystal	24	29	5,6	74	x	
27-35	Sweeney-Twin . . .	24	29	18,19	96	...	Dam at outlet.
27-36	. . . . .	24	29	NW 20	12	...	
27-37	Wirth	24	29	SW 20	37	...	
27-38	Brownie.	24	29	WC 29	21	...	
27-39	Cedar.	24	29	29,32	167	x	

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27-40	Lake of the Isles	24	29	32,33	157	x	
27-41	Edina Mill Pond	24;21	28;117	18;21,28	18	...	Former Mill Reservoir.
27-42	Twin	24;21	29;118	6;3,4,9,10,15,16	201	x	
27-43	Coon Rapids Pool	24;21	31;119; 120	various	245 (461)	...	Also in Anoka County (2). Reservoir.
27-44	Indianhead	21	116	SC 6	13	...	
27-45		21	116	NW 6	23	...	
27-46		21	116	EC 19	11	...	
27-47	Bush	21	116	19,20,29,30	207	x	
27-48	Hyland	21	116	29,32	87	x	
27-49		21	116	SC 30	14	...	
27-50	Swamp	21	116,117	5,6;31,32	78	x	Affected by C.D. 41.
27-51	Victoria	21	117	SE 7	13	...	
27-52	Hannan	21	117	SW 7	38	...	
27-53		21	117	7,18	10	...	
27-54	Meadowbrook	21	117	SE 20	22	...	
27-55	Mirror	21	117	29,30	24	...	
27-56	Hawkes	21	117	NC 32	14	...	
27-57		21	118	NE 6	11	...	
27-58	Ryan	21	118	SE 10	32	...	
27-59	Palmer	21	119	26,27,34,35	325	x	Affected by C.D. 13.
27-60		21	119,120	5;32	38	...	
27-61	Champlin Mill Pond	21	120	29	38	...	Former Mill Reservoir.
27-62	Anderson	21,22	116	18,19;12,24	431	x	
27-63		21,22	116,117	31;1;36	14	...	
27-64	Lime	21,22	119	19,30;24,25	43	x	Affected by ditch.
27-65	Magda	21,22	119	31;36	15	...	
27-66	Lemans	21,22	120	30;25	91	...	
27-67	Bryant	22	116	2,11	199	x	
27-68		22	116	3,10	20	...	
27-69	Duck	22	116	5,8	49	x	
27-70	Mitchell	22	116	7,17,18	116	x	
27-71	Round	22	116	8	34	...	
27-72		22	116	11	24	...	
27-73		22	116	12,13	45	...	
27-74		22	116	14	33	...	
27-75		22	116	WC 16	15	...	
27-76	Red Rock	22	116	16,21	83	x	
27-77	McCoy	22	116	21,22	11	...	
27-78	Staring	22	116	21,22	155	x	
27-79	Neill	22	116	23-25	170	x	Affected by C.D. 36 and 37
27-80	Grass	22	116	32-34	580	x	
27-81	Island	22	116,117	4;33	163	...	Affected by C.D. 34.
27-82	Windsor	22	117	1,12	14	...	
27-83		22	117	EC 11	15	...	
27-84		22	117	SE 12	10	...	
27-85	Libbs	22	117	NW 17	17	...	
27-86	Shavers	22	117	NW 18	11	...	
27-87	Marion	22	117	NE 18	17	...	
27-88	Minnetoga	22	117	26,27,35	16	...	
27-89	Shady Oak	22	117	26,35	90	x	
27-90		22	117	28,29	11	...	
27-91	Wing	22	117	NC 33	11	...	
27-92	Rose	22	117	WC 33	17	...	
27-93	Glen	22	117	34	180	...	Dam at outlet.
27-94		22	117	NC 35	18	...	

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		Range	Township	Section			
27-95	Gleason.....	22	117,118	5,32	167	x	
27-96	22	118	1,2	68	...	
27-97	22	118	1,12	17	...	
27-98	Bass.....	22	118	2	175	x	
27-99	Mud.....	22	118	3,4	24	...	
27-100	Pomerleau.....	22	118	4,9	50	x	
27-101	Turtle.....	22	118	9,16	58	x	Affected by ditch.
27-102	Smith.....	22	118	11	46	...	
27-103	.....	22	118	13	20	...	
27-104	Medicine.....	22	118	14,23-26	924	x	Dam at outlet.
27-105	.....	22	118	NE 20	52	...	Affected by C.D. 15 and 74.
27-106	Orchard.....	22	118	27,34	10	...	
27-107	Parkers.....	22	118	28,33	92	x	
27-108	Snyder.....	22	118	29,30	16	...	
27-109	Hadley.....	22	118	WC 31	39	...	
27-110	.....	22	118	SE 34	14	...	
27-111	Eagle.....	22	118,119	1,2;25,35,36	470	x	Dam at outlet.
27-112	Mud.....	22	119	2	102	...	Affected by ditch.
27-113	.....	22	119	5,6	91	...	Affected by C.D. 21.
27-114	.....	22	119	WC 8	55	...	
27-115	.....	22	119	SW 14	11	...	
27-116	Rice.....	22	119	15,16,22,23	306	x	Affected by C.D. 24.
27-117	Weaver.....	22	119	17-20	155	x	
27-118	Fish.....	22	119	21,22,27,28	221	x	
27-119	Cedar Island.....	22	119	26,27	88	x	
27-120	Cook.....	22	119	NW 30	43	x	
27-121	.....	22	119	EC 33	11	...	
27-122	Goose.....	22	119,120	2,35	62	x	
27-123	Laura.....	22	120	7,18	37	x	
27-124	.....	22	120	8,9,16	43	...	
27-125	Diamond.....	22	120	17-19	408	x	
27-126	.....	22	120	19,20	197	...	Affected by ditch.
27-127	French.....	22	120	19,29,30	352	x	Do.
27-128	Hayden.....	22	120	23-27	374	x	Do.
27-129	.....	22	120	28,29	17	...	
27-130	Powers.....	22	120	NW 34	27	...	
27-131	.....	22	120	EC 36	13	...	Affected by ditch.
10-1	Rice Marsh.....				50 (180)	...	See Carver County (10).
10-2	Riley.....				125 (296)	...	Do.
27-132	Rice.....	22,23	116	31,32;36	301 (426)	x	Also in Carver County (10).
27-133	Minnetonka.....	22-24	116,117	various	14,191 (14,310)	x	Also in Carver County (10). Dam at outlet.
27-134	Mooney.....	22,23	118	30,25	111	x	
27-135	Grass.....	22,23	120	18,19;13,24	168	x	Affected by ditch.
27-136	Silver.....	23	116,117	1,36	42 (44)	x	Also in Carver County (10).
27-137	Christmas.....	23	116,117	2,35,36	249 (274)	x	Also in Carver County (10). Dam at outlet. Black and Seton Lakes includes part of this lake.
10-15	Virginia.....				3 (121)	x	See Carver County (10).
27-138	Peavy.....	23	117	SW 1	10	...	
27-139	Forest.....	23	117	7	81	...	
27-140	French.....	23	117	9,10	62	x	Affected by C.D. 27.
27-141	Tanager.....	23	117	10,11	50	x	
27-142	William.....	23	117	NE 26	16	...	
27-143	Linden.....	23	117	33,34	10	...	
27-144	Galpin.....	23	117	34,35	46	x	Dam at outlet.
27-145	Como.....	23	117	NW 36	12	...	
27-146	Medina.....	23	118	2	163	x	Affected by C.D. 26.

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		Range	Township	Section			
27-147	Peter	23	118	4,5	53	x	
27-148	Winterhalter	23	118	EC 8	16	...	
27-149	Spurzen	23	118	8,17	67	x	
27-150		23	118	NC 16	75	...	
27-151	School	23	118	SW 16	11	...	
27-152	Half Moon	23	118	17,18	32	x	
27-153	Admore	23	118	NC 18	11	...	
27-154	Katrina	23	118	19,20,29,30	497	x	Affected by C.D. 10.
27-155		23	118	NE 21	12	...	
27-156	Thies	23	118	SE 21	11	...	
27-157	Wolsfeld	23	118	22,27	36	x	
27-158	Holy Name	23	118	C 24	80	...	
27-159	Lydiard	23	118	25,36	50	x	
27-160	Long	23	118	26,34,35	279	x	Dam at outlet.
27-161	Dickeys	23	118	SW 27	13	...	
27-162	Classen	23	118	28,29,32,33	78	x	
27-163		23	119	2,11	153	...	Affected by C.D. 21.
27-164		23	119	16,21,22	155	...	Affected by C.D. 7.
27-165	Jubert	23	119	29,32	75	x	
27-166		23	119	NW 30	26	...	Affected by C.D. 3.
27-167		23	119,120	4,33	158	...	Affected by C.D. 6.
27-168		23	120	C 13	66	...	Affected by ditch.
27-169	Cowley	23	120	16,21	78	x	
27-170		23	120	NC 19	10	...	
27-171	Sylvan	23	120	20	137	x	
27-172		23	120	21,28	29	...	
27-173	Tiltons	23	120	26,27,34,35	105	...	Affected by C.D. 12.
27-174		23	120	WC 27	79	...	Do.
27-175	Henry	23	120	28,29,32,33	77	x	
27-176	Independence	23,24	118	7,18,19,12,13,24	828	x	
27-177		23,24	120	19,24	34	...	
10-56	Stone				9 (93)	...	See Carver County (10).
27-178	Ox Yoke	24	117	5,6	186	x	
27-179	Long	24	117	9,15,16	104	x	
27-180	Lost	24	117	13,23,24	60	...	Affected by ditch.
27-181	Dutch	24	117	14,15	170	x	
27-182	Langdon	24	117	14,23	168	x	
27-183		24	117	15,22	23	...	
27-184	Whaletail	24	117	16,17,20,21	582	x	
27-185		24	117	NE 22	36	...	
27-186	Mud	24	117	32	177	...	Affected by J.D. 4 and C.D. 2.
27-187	Hughey	24	118	7,8	50	...	
27-188	Mud	24	118	8,9,16,17	349	x	
27-189		24	118	SC 22	29	...	
27-190	Fox	24	118	29,32	42	x	Affected by private ditch.
27-191	Sarah	24	118,119	1-2,34,35	586	x	
27-192	Rebecca	24	118,119	5,31,32	290	x	
27-193		24	119	WC 11	14	...	
27-194	Schwappauff	24	119	14	102	...	Affected by C.D. 9.
27-195		24	119	SW 15	13	...	
27-196	Schandell	24	119	EC 23	64	x	Affected by C.D. 9.
27-197	Schauer	24	119	N 23,24	45	x	Do.
27-198		24	119	23-26	50	...	Do.
27-199	Haften	24	119	23,26	52	x	Affected by C.D. 9. Dam at outlet.
27-200		24	119	32,33	14	...	



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