

Sport fishing in Québec (including salmon fishing) - April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018 Fishing periods, catch limits and exceptions - Zone 23 nord

The “Zone Rules” table sets out the **fishing periods** and daily catch limits for fish species of interest to sport fishers in Québec, for the selected zone. There are many **exceptions** to these fishing periods and to the catch and length limits. For further details, please see the table entitled “**Bodies of Water – Exceptions**”.

For information on fishing periods for a specific body of water :

- First check to see if the body of water is mentioned in the exceptions to the zone fishing periods;
- If not, the periods shown in the “Zone Rules” table apply.

Need help ?

If this is the first time you are using the new tool, please read the instructions on the Fishing Periods and Catch Limits page (<http://www.mffp.gouv.qc.ca/english/publications/online/wildlife/fishing-regulations/fishing-periods.asp>)

Key

- The New icon indicates a new element introduced since the last fishing season ;
- The Salmon river icon indicates that the stretch of water has been designated as a salmon river.

Read the news releases (in French only: Actualités) posted after the publication of the « Sport fishing in Québec – Main rules » booklet to follow the late-breaking news concerning the sport fishing regulations.

Rules for the zone

Zone 23 nord -

Period	Species	Catch limit	Note
June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	artic char	5	
	atlantic salmon	1 small	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ A length limit may apply for this species (See "Catch, possession and length limits"). ▶ Salmon fishing licence mandatory.
	brook trout	15 or 8 kg + 1 brook trout, whichever is reached first	
	lake trout and splake trout	3 in all	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ A length limit applies for the lake trout (See "Catch, possession and length limits").
	landlocked salmon	4	
	pike	10 in all	
September 8, 2017 to September 30, 2017	lake trout and splake trout	0 kept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ A length limit applies for the lake trout (See "Catch, possession and length limits"). ▶ Any person who wishes to fish for lake trout during this period must use the services of an outfitter operating on the territory.
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	

Water bodies – Exceptions


lac Aattamialuk - (Category I, Salluit)

eaux du coude Allipaaq - (Category I, Salluit)


lac Mistinibi - (55°56' N., 64°15'04" W. and 55°57'34" N., 64°04'26" W.)

lac Théophile-Poitras - (55°31' N., 64°30' W.)

June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
	atlantic salmon	same as the zone	► Salmon fishing licence mandatory.
	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	landlocked salmon	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	

rivière aux Mélézes  - between point 57°12'00" N., 71°38'00" W. and a line joining points 56°52'30" N., 72°50'00" W. and 56°52'20" N., 72°50'00" W.

April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	all species	Fishing prohibited	
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rivière aux Mélézes  - between a line joining points 57°41'24" N., 69°27'00" W. and 57°41'00" N., 69°27'00" W. and points 57°23'11" N., 70°39'00" W. and 57°23'32" N., 70°38'59" W.

April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	all species	Fishing prohibited	
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rivière aux Mélèzes - between points 57°23'11" N., 70°39'00" W. and 57°23'32" N., 70°38'59" W. and points 57°12'10" N., 71°38'02" W. and 57°12'52" N., 71°38'07" W.

rivière du Gué - between its point of confluence with rivière Aux Mélèzes delimited by a line joining points 57°21'00" N., 70°43'54" W. and 57°21'00" N., 70°45'24" W. and a line joining points 56°37'06" N., 72°20'00" W. and 56°37'10" N., 72°20'00" W.

rivière Delay - between its point of confluence with rivière Du Gué delimited by a line joining points 56°56'42" N., 71°28'18" W. and 56°56'24" N., 71°28'18" W. and a line joining points 56°14'59" N., 70°50'19" W. and 56°14'47" N., 70°50'35" W.

rivière Maricourt - between its point of confluence with rivière Delay delimited by a line connecting points 56°31'38" N., 71°04'40" W. and 56°31'42" N., 71°04'40" W. and point 56°33'04" N., 70°55'00" W.

June 1, 2017 to August 15, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
	atlantic salmon	2, including not more than one large specimen	
	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
	► Angling or fly fishing		
August 16, 2017 to September 30, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
	atlantic salmon	2, including not more than one large specimen	
	► Fly fishing only		
August 16, 2017 to September 7, 2017	brook trout	15 or 8 kg + 1 brook trout, whichever is reached first	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
	► Fly fishing only		
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	

lac Ballantyne - (Category II (Kuujjuaq)), between points 58°47' N., 69°10' W. and 58°27' N., 69°10' W.

lac Diana - (Category II (Kuujjuaq) (58°26' N., 68°58' W.))

lac François-Malherbe - (Category II (Salluit)), between points 62°07' N., 74°15' W. et 61°55' N., 74°15' W.

lac La Roncière - (Category II (Kangihsualujjuaq)), between points 58°23' N., 66°24' W. et 58°09' N., 66°01' W.

rivière Abrat -

➤ (Category II Kangihsualujjuaq), between points 59°15' N., 65°19' W. and 59°04' N., 65°07' W.

➤ (Category III, Killiniq), between points 59°02'1,7" N., 65°22'19,42" W. and 59°14'29,82" N., 65°32'15" W.

rivière Alluviaq - (Category II, Killiniq) between points 59°22'19,42" N., 64°56'22,44" W. and 59°02'58,98" N., 64°32'20,61" W.

rivière Bérard - (Categories I and II, Tasiujaq), between points 58°35' N., 70°02' W. and 58°38' N., 69°59' W.

rivière Péladeau - (Categories II, Aupaluk and Tasiujaq), between points 58°50' N., 70°45' W. and 58°35' N., 70°30' W.

rivière Arnaud - (Category II, Kangirsuk), between points 59°59' N., 71°53' W. and 60°01' N., 70°44' W.

rivière Barnoin - (Category II, Kangihsualujjuaq), between points 58°40' N., 65°37' W. and 58°32' N., 65°28' W. and 58°28' N., 65°21' W. and 58°16' N., 65°11' W.

June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	atlantic salmon	same as the zone	➤ Salmon fishing licence mandatory.
	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	landlocked salmon	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
June 1, 2017 to September 15, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	

anse Bell - between points 59°58'02,28" N., 65°07'50,13" W. and 59° 53'39,79" N., 65°00'38,45" W.

anse Davis - (Inlet), between points 59°15' N., 65°37' W. and 59°10' N., 65°34' W.

anse Gregson - (Inlet), between points 59°15' N., 65°35' W. and 59°08' N., 65°29' W.

anse Sans nom -

➤ between points 59°28' N., 65°22' W. and 59°24' N., 65°15' W.

➤ between points 59°25' N., 65°25' W. and 59°23' N., 65°19' W.

anse Weymouth - (59°20'42" N., 65°28'25" W.)

fjord Alluviaq - between points 59°29'40,26" N., 65°23'02,57" W. and 59°22'18,84 N., 64°56'23,53" W.

rivière Barnoin - (Category III), between points 58°31'46,15" N., 65°17'18,31" W. et 58°25' N., 65°00' W.

rivière Duquet - between points 62°02' N., 74°31' W. and 61°57' N., 74°40' W.

lac Duquet - between points 62°07' N., 74°34' W. and 62°02' N., 74°31' W.

rivière Qurlutuq - between points 58°26'47,17" N., 66°48'43,90" W. and 58°21' N., 66°40' W.

June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	atlantic salmon	same as the zone	➤ Salmon fishing licence mandatory.
	brook trout	same as the zone	
	landlocked salmon	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
June 1, 2017 to September 30, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	
April 1, 2017 to April 30, 2017 June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017 December 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	lake trout and splake trout	same as the zone	


lac Bérard - (Category II, Tasiujaq - 58°28'40" N., 70°03'21" W.)

lac Dulhut - (Category II, Tasiujaq - 58°41' N., 70°38' W.)

April 1, 2017 to April 30, 2017 June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017 December 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
June 1, 2017 to September 15, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	atlantic salmon	same as the zone	➤ Salmon fishing licence mandatory.
	landlocked salmon	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	

lac Chaunet - (Category II, Kangirsuk)

April 1, 2017 to April 30, 2017 June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017 December 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	atlantic salmon	same as the zone	► Salmon fishing licence mandatory.
	landlocked salmon	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	
June 1, 2017 to September 15, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	

rivière de Pas  - between point 55°28'30" N., 65°07'00" W. and point 55°09'02" N., 65°37'00" W.

August 16, 2017 to September 30, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
	atlantic salmon	2, including not more than one large specimen	
	► Fly fishing only		
June 1, 2017 to August 15, 2017	artic char	5	
	atlantic salmon	2, including not more than one large specimen	
	brook trout	15 or 8 kg + 1 trout, whichever is reached first	
	lake trout	3	
	pike	10 in all	
	► Angling or fly fishing		
August 16, 2017 to September 7, 2017	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
	► Fly fishing only ► Fly fishing only		
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	

rivière de Pas - between its point of confluence with rivière George, delimited by a line joining points 55°53'04" N., 64°45'54" W. and 55°53'04" N., 64°45'18" W. and point 55°49'31" N., 65°03'18" W.

June 1, 2017 to August 15, 2017	artic char	5	
	atlantic salmon	2, including not more than one large specimen	
	brook trout	15 or 8 kg + 1 trout, whichever is reached first	
	lake trout	3	
	pike	10 in all	
	➤ Angling or fly fishing		
August 16, 2017 to September 30, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
	atlantic salmon	2, including not more than one large specimen	
	➤ Fly fishing only		
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	
August 16, 2017 to September 7, 2017	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
	➤ Fly fishing only		


rivière Ford - between its point of confluence with rivière George, delimited by a line joining points 58° 10'44" N., 65° 47'00" W. and 58° 10'34" N., 65° 47'00" W. and point 58° 08'56" N., 65° 35'00" W.


September 8, 2017 to September 30, 2017	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
	➤ Fly fishing only		
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	
June 1, 2017 to August 15, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
	atlantic salmon	2 including at most 1 large	
	➤ Angling or fly fishing		
June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
	➤ Angling or fly fishing		
August 16, 2017 to September 30, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
	atlantic salmon	2 of which not more than 1 large	
	➤ Fly fishing only		

rivière George

- ▶ between a line joining points 58°41'59" N., 66°03'00" W. and 58°39'11" N., 66°02'58" W. and the northern limit of zone 24 delimited by a line joining points 56°32'07" N., 64°43'58" W. and 56°30'57" N., 64°45'41" W.
- ▶ between the southern limit of zone 24 delimited by a line joining points 56°02'08" N., 64°44'28" W. and 56°01'52" N., 64°44'54" W. and the northern tip of the island at the point of confluence of Georges and De Pas rivers at point 55°53'04" N., 64°45'38" W.
- ▶ between the northern tip of the island at the point of confluence of Georges and De Pas rivers at point 55°53'04" N., 64°45'38" W. and point 55°17'00" N., 64°29'52" W.

August 16, 2017 to September 30, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
	atlantic salmon	2, including not more than one large specimen	
	▶ Fly fishing only		
August 16, 2017 to September 7, 2017	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
	▶ Fly fishing only		
June 1, 2017 to August 15, 2017	artic char	5	
	atlantic salmon	2, including not more than one large specimen	
	brook trout	15 or 8 kg + 1 trout, whichever is reached first	
	lake trout	3	
	pike	10 in all	
	▶ Angling or fly fishing		
	April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited

rivière Goudalie  - the portion of Goudalie river comprised between its point of confluence with rivière Aux Feuilles, delimited by a line joining points 57°56'18" N., 72°58'32" W. and 57°55'44" N., 72°58'44" W., and a line joining points 58°02'42" N., 73°19'00" W. and 58°02'18" N., 73°19'00" W.


rivière aux Feuilles  - between a line joining points 58°45'30" N., 70°08'42" W. and 58°46'56" N., 70°07'57" W. and a line joining points 57°23'36" N., 74°30'00" W. and 57°25'34" N., 74°30'00" W.

June 1, 2017 to September 30, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
	atlantic salmon	2, including not more than one large specimen	
	▶ Angling or fly fishing		
June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
	▶ Angling or fly fishing		
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	

lac Isuilutaq - (Category II, Inukjuak (58°41'46,9" N., 78°12'14" W.))

lac Nauligarvilaap Tasialunga - (Category II, Inukjuak (58°46'07,46" N., 78°03'12,54,43" W.))

April 1, 2017 to April 30, 2017 June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017 December 22, 2017 to March 31, 2018	artic char	same as the zone	
	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	landlocked salmon	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	same as the zone (northern part)	

rivière Koksoak  - between a line joining points 58°32'59" N., 68°11'08" W. and 58°31'50" N., 68°07'32" W. and a line joining points 57°41'24" N., 69°27'00" W. and 57°41'00" N., 69°27'00" W.

June 1, 2017 to September 30, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
	atlantic salmon	2, including not more than one large specimen	
	► Angling or fly fishing		
June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
	► Angling or fly fishing		
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	

rivière Koroc - the stretch on Category III lands.

June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
	atlantic salmon	same as the zone	► Salmon fishing licence mandatory.
	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	landlocked salmon	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	

rivière Koroc - the stretch on Category II lands of Kangiqsualujuaq.

June 1, 2017 to September 15, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	atlantic salmon	same as the zone	► Salmon fishing licence mandatory.
	landlocked salmon	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to April 30, 2017	brook trout	same as the zone	
June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	lake trout	same as the zone	
December 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	pike	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	

rivière Lagrevé - between the lac Qamanikuluk outlet, on Category II lands of Kangiqsualujjuaq, and its junction with Ungava bay, except for Lac Tunulliup.

June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	atlantic salmon	same as the zone	► Salmon fishing licence mandatory.
	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	landlocked salmon	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
June 1, 2017 to September 15, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	

lac Tasirluk - (Category I of Kuujjuak, (58°05'42" N., 68°28'00" W.))

lac Stewart - (Category I of Kuujjuak, (58°10' N., 68°26' W.))

lac Amaluttuq - (Category II, (Quaqtaq))

lac Deharveng - (Category II, (Tasiujaq))

lac Iqaluppilik - (Category II, (Quaqtaq))

lac Lachance - (Category II, (Tasiujaq))

lac Moriné - (Category II, (Kangirsuk))

lac Nagvaraaluk - (Category II, (Quaqtaq))

lac Woussen - (Category I, Kangirsuk, (60°04' N., 70°16' W.))

lac Nigniugninnait Tassignat - (Category I, Kangiqsualujjuaq, (Old Women))

lac Ujarasujjulik - (Terres I, Kangiqsualujjuaq)

lac Iqalattuq - (Category II, Kangiqsujjuaq)

lac Tasikallapik - (Category I, Kangiqsualujjuaq - (58°28'55" N., 65°57'33" W.))

lac Fougeraye - (Category II, Kangiqsualujjuaq)

lac Kupaaluk - (Category II, Kangiqsualujjuaq)

baie Tasikallak - (Category II, Kangiqsualujjuaq)

lac aux Goélands - (Category III)

lac Le Fer - (Category III)

lac Roberts - (Category III)

lac Tasiataq - (Category III)

lac Tesialuk - (Category III)

April 1, 2017 to April 30, 2017 June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017 December 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	artic char	same as the zone	
	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	atlantic salmon	same as the zone	► Salmon fishing licence mandatory.
	landlocked salmon	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	

lac Tassy - (Category II, Kawawachikamach)

lac Aannaniavik - (58°39'41" N., 66°26'29" W.)

lac Amarutaliup - (58°38' N., 66°28' W.)

lac Ducreux - (57°45' N., 69°33' W.)

lac Inconnu - (57°48'21" N., 69°31'45" W.)

lac Livaudière - (57°50'30" N., 69°30'56" W.)

lac Turcotte - (58°08' N., 68°49' W.)

lac Annabel - (55°03'42" N., 67°06'34" W.)

lac Cacher - (54°48' N., 66°50' W.)

lac Vacher - (54°55' N., 66°55' W.)

lac Tait - (55°07' N., 66°48' W.) Terres I-BN Kawawachikamach

April 1, 2017 to April 30, 2017 June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017 December 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	artic char	same as the zone	
	brook trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	atlantic salmon	same as the zone	► Salmon fishing licence mandatory.
	landlocked salmon	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	
June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	lake trout and splake trout	same as the zone	

lac Tunulliup - (58°28' N, 66°34' W.)


April 1, 2017 to April 30, 2017 June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017 December 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to April 30, 2017 June 1, 2017 to September 15, 2017 December 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	artic char	same as the zone	
June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	atlantic salmon	same as the zone	► Salmon fishing licence mandatory.
	landlocked salmon	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	

rivière Wakeham - the stretch on Category III lands.


June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
	atlantic salmon	same as the zone	► Salmon fishing licence mandatory.
	brook trout	same as the zone	
	landlocked salmon	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	
April 1, 2017 to April 30, 2017 June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017 December 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	lake trout and splake trout	same as the zone	

rivière Wakeham - the stretch on Category II lands of Kangiqsujuaq.

April 1, 2017 to April 30, 2017 June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017 December 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
June 1, 2017 to September 15, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
June 1, 2017 to September 7, 2017	atlantic salmon	same as the zone	► Salmon fishing licence mandatory.
	landlocked salmon	same as the zone	
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	

rivière à la Baleine  - between a line joining points 58°00'00" N., 67°43'33" W. and 58°00'00" N., 67°42'18" W. to point 56°50'22" N., 66°29'36" W. downstream from lac Ninawawe.

June 1, 2017 to August 15, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
	atlantic salmon	2, including not more than one large specimen	
	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
	➤ Angling or fly fishing		
August 16, 2017 to September 30, 2017	artic char	same as the zone	
	atlantic salmon	2, including not more than one large specimen	
	➤ Fly fishing only		
August 16, 2017 to September 7, 2017	brook trout	same as the zone	
	lake trout	same as the zone	
	pike	same as the zone	
	➤ Fly fishing only		
April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	other species	Fishing prohibited	
	➤ Angling or fly fishing		

rivière à la Baleine  - between a line joining point 56°50'22" N., 66°29'36" W. downstream from lac Ninawawe and point 56°37'24" N., 66°12'00" W. at the mouth of lac Ninawawe.

April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018	all species	Fishing prohibited	
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