Sport fishing in Québec Fishing periods, limits and exceptions

(April 1, 2025 to March 31, 2026)

- To know the general rules for one fishing zone, consult the Fishing zones page.
- To know the changes that occur during the season, consult our News page.
- IMPORTANT: catch limits and fishing periods that apply in wildlife territories may differ from those mentioned here. In these cases, you will be informed on the spot.

Rules for the zone

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Period	Species	Catch limit	Length limit	Engine	Note
April 1st, 2025 to April 24th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120		Fishing with dip nets and / or plaice fishing only.	
April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Striped bass	Fishing prohibited			
April 25th, 2025 to May 15th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120		Angling, bow fishing, crossbow fishing, spear fishing while swimming, landing net fishing and plaice fishing	
April 25th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Cutthroat trout and brown trout	5 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Rainbow trout	10			
April 25th, 2025	Yellow perch	50			
to November 30th, 2025	Other species	no limit			
May 16th, 2025	Pike	6 in all			
to November 30th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120		Angling, bow fishing, crossbow fishing and spear fishing while swimming	

May 16th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to October 31st, 2	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only	
June 15th,	Bass	6 in all			
2025 to November 30th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	

Water bodies - Exceptions

Lake Aylmer - the part comprised to the south of Highway 112 in Disraeli (45°49'12" N., 71°20'29" W.).

Same as the zone	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	3 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
April 1st, 2025 to April 24th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120		Fishing with dip nets and / or plaice fishing only.	
April 25th, 2025 to May 15th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120		Angling, bow fishing, crossbow fishing, spear fishing while swimming, landing net fishing and plaice fishing	
May 16th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120		Angling, bow fishing, crossbow fishing and spear fishing while swimming	

December 20th, 2025 to	Landlocked salmon	3	42 cm or more	Angling only	
March 31st, 2026	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
	Rainbow smelt	120			
	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	3 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			Lake trout fishing is prohibited in winter.

Lake Drolet - (45°44'19" N., 70°52'36" O.)

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May 16th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
May 16th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
June 15th,	Bass	6 in all			
2025 to November 30th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	

Lake Elgin - and its tributaries (45°44'54" N., 71°20'10" W.)

zone	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger		Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			

April 25th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120		Lift net and landing net
to November				fishing are prohibited
30th, 2025				in these waters.

Lake Fortin - (46°07'08" N., 70°51'23" W.)

Lake Folilli	- (46 07 06	N., 10 51 25	vv.)		
Same as the	Bass	6 in all		Angling only	
zone	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	
	Pike	6 in all		Angling only	
	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
December	Bass	6 in all		Angling only	
20th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	
	Pike	6 in all		Angling only	
	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			Lake trout fishing is prohibited in winter.

Lake Grand lac Saint-François - (including the parts of the lake included in Frontenac national park)(45°53'55" N., 71°09'30" W.)

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Same as the zone	Bass	6 in all		
	Yellow perch	50		
	Other species	same as the zone		
April 1st, 2025 to April 24th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120	Fishing with dip nets and / or plaice fishing only.	

April 25th, 2025 to May 15th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120		Angling, bow fishing, crossbow fishing, spear fishing while swimming, landing net fishing and plaice fishing	
April 25th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
May 16th, 2025 to November	Pike	same as the zone			
30th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120		Angling, bow fishing, crossbow fishing and spear fishing while swimming	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
December	Bass	6 in all			
20th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Pike	same as the zone			
	Rainbow smelt	120			
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Yellow perch	50			
	Other species	same as the zone			

Lake Louise (45°43'36" N., 71°24'59" O.)

Same as the	Bass	6 in all		Angling only	
zone	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	
	Pike	6 in all		Angling only	
	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
December	Bass	6 in all		Angling only	
20th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	
	Pike	6 in all		Angling only	
	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			Lake trout fishing is prohibited in winter.

Lake McGill (45°35'32" N., 71°17'09" O.)

Same as the	Bass	6 in all		Angling only	
zone	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	
	Pike	6 in all		Angling only	
	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			

December	Bass	6 in all		Angling only	
20th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	
	Pike	6 in all		Angling only	
	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			Lake trout fishing is prohibited in winter.

Lake Mégantic (45°30'50" N., 72°52'40" O.)

Lake Megant	tic (45°30'50'	' N., 72°52'40	" O.)		
April 25th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
April 25th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120			Lift net and landing net fishing are prohibited in these waters.
	Other species	same as the zone			Lake trout fishing is prohibited in winter.
May 16th, 2025	Pike	6 in all			
to November 30th, 2025	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th,	Bass	6 in all			
2025 to November 30th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	
December 20th, 2025 to	Bass	6 in all			
March 31st, 2026	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	

December	Pike	6 in all			
20th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Rainbow smelt	120			Lift net and landing net fishing are prohibited in these waters.
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			Lake trout fishing is prohibited in winter.

Lake Mégantic (45°30'50" N., 72°52'40" W.) Tributaries of the lake.

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Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone		
April 25th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120		Lift net and landing net fishing are prohibited in these waters.

Lake Moffatt (45°34'03" N., 71°18'48" O.)

Same as the	Bass	6 in all		Angling only
zone	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only
	Pike	6 in all		Angling only
	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only
	Other species	same as the zone		
December	Bass	6 in all		Angling only
20th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only
	Pike	6 in all		Angling only
	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only

December 20th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Walleye and sauger		Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			Lake trout fishing is prohibited in winter.

Lake Petit lac Lambton (45°53'54" N., 71°07'02" O.)

Lake Petit la	c Lambton (4	45°53'54" N.,	/1°0/'02" O.)		
May 16th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
May 16th, 2025	Pike	6 in all			
to November 30th, 2025	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
June 15th,	Bass	6 in all			
2025 to November 30th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	
December	Bass	6 in all			
20th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	
	Pike	6 in all			
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
	Other species	same as the zone			

Lake Petit lac Vaseux (45°36'01" N., 71°18'40" O.)

	Bass	6 in all		Angling only	
zone	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	

Same as the zone	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	
	Pike	6 in all		Angling only	
	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
December	Bass	6 in all		Angling only	
20th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	
	Pike	6 in all		Angling only	
	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			Lake trout fishing is prohibited in winter.

Lake Raquette - (St-Benoit-Labre, 46°06'43" N., 70°48'04" W.)

Same as the zone	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
December 20th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			

Lake Ruel (45°49'53" N., 71°08'20" O.)

Same as the	Lake trout and	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
zone	splake trout				

Same as the zone	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
December 20th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			

Lake Sartigan - (Saint-Alfred, 46°08'56" N., 70°46'35" W.)

Same as the zone	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
December 20th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			

Lake Welland (45°40'50" N., 71°32'04" O.)

Same as the	Bass	6 in all		Angling only
zone	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only
	Pike	6 in all		Angling only
	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only
	Other species	same as the zone		
December 20th	Bass	6 in all		Angling only

December 20th, 2025 to	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
March 31st, 2026	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	
	Pike	6 in all		Angling only	
	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			Lake trout fishing is prohibited in winter.
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April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	All species	Fishing prohibited			
National Par	k de Fronter	nac -Lake à la	a Barbue (45°4	<u>1</u> 9'10" N., 71°	11'15" O.)
Same as the	Bass	1 in all			
zone	Pike	1 in all			
	Walleye and sauger	1 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
National Par	k de Fronter	nac -Lake des	s Îles (45°47'2	8" N., 71°11'2	5" O.)
Same as the	Bass	1 in all			
zone	Pike	1 in all			
	Walleye and sauger	1 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
National Par	k de Fronter	nac -l ake des	s Ours (45°51'	08" N., 71°11'	'32" ().)
Same as the	Bass	1 in all		,	
zone	Pike	1 in all			
	Walleye and sauger	1 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the			

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April 1st, 2025	All species	Fishing		
to March 31st,		prohibited		

River Ashberham - between Petit lac Saint-François and Grand lac Saint-François.

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April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Sturgeon	Fishing prohibited			
May 16th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
May 16th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120			Lift net and landing net fishing are prohibited in these waters.
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
June 15th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Bass	6 in all			
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	
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River aux Bluets - between Grand lac Saint-François and the Highway 108 bridge (45°52'59" N., 71°00'58" W.).

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Sturgeon	Fishing prohibited			
May 16th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
May 16th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120			Lift net and landing net fishing are prohibited in these waters.

May 16th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
June 15th,	Bass	6 in all			
2025 to November 30th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	

River Chaudière - c) That part between the southeastern limit of the right-of-way for Route 112 at Vallée-Jonction (46°22' 26.18" N, 70°55'45.05" W.) and the Sartigan dam at St-Georges de Beauce (46°05'47.32" N, 70°39'12.55" W.)

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	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
30th, 2025	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Pike	6 in all		Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Bass	6 in all		Angling only	
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	

River Chaudière - d) That part between the railway bridge and Mégantic dam (Lac Mégantic) (45°34'24" N., 70°52'50" W.).

April 1st, 2025	All species	Fishing		
to March 31st,		prohibited		

River Clinton - from its mouth to the upstream side of the bridge on Highway 212 (45°22'28" N., 70°57'30" W.).

April 1st, 2025	All species	Fishing		
to March 31st,		prohibited		

River Coulombe - from the Highway 161 bridge at its mouth into lac Aylmer, including the small bay facing the mouth.

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Sturgeon	Fishing prohibited			
May 16th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	

May 16th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
May 16th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120			Lift net and landing net fishing are prohibited in these waters.
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
June 15th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Bass	6 in all			
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	

River de l'Or - from Grand lac Saint-François until the Highway 267 bridge (46°01'26" N., 71°13'51" W.).

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April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Sturgeon	Fishing prohibited			
May 16th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
May 16th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120			Lift net and landing net fishing are prohibited in these waters.
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
June 15th,	Bass	6 in all			
2025 to November 30th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	

River des Indiens - The area between its confluence with Spider Lake (45°29'13" N., 70°48'08" W.) and its source.

Same as the	Other species	same as the		
zone		zone		

April 25th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120			Lift net and landing net fishing are prohibited in these waters.
River Felton (45°44'04" N		•	stream side	of the bridge	on Route 108
April 1st, 2025 to March 31st,	All species	Fishing prohibited			
		row bridge (4 71°08'02" W.		71°09'30" W)	until the Highway
April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Sturgeon	Fishing prohibited			
May 16th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
May 16th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120			Lift net and landing net fishing are prohibited in these waters.
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
June 15th,	Bass	6 in all			
2025 to November 30th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	
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May 16th, 2025 to September	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
7th, 2025	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Rainbow smelt	120			Lift net and landing net fishing are prohibited in these waters.
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
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River Saint-François - b) the portion between the downstream side of the Highway 263 bridge and Lake Aylmer and .

May 16th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Whitefish	no limit			
	Other species	same as the zone			
October 25th, 2025 to November 7th, 2025	Whitefish	10 in all		Fishing with dip nets and / or plaice fishing only.	

River Saint-François - c) between the bridge on Highway 161 at Saint-Gérard and the downstream tip of the island which is located at coordinates 45°45'13" N., 71°24'30" W.

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April 1st, 2025 to April 24th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120		Fishing with dip nets and / or plaice fishing only.	
May 16th, 2025 to November	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
30th, 2025	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Rainbow smelt	120		Angling, bow fishing, crossbow fishing and spear fishing while swimming	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			

River Saint-François - d) between the hydroelectric dam at Westbury located at coordinates 45°29'51" N., 71°37'11" W. and the downstream tip of the island at coordinates 45°29'49" N., 71°37'25" W.

April 1st, 2025 to April 24th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120	Fishing with dip nets and / or plaice fishing only.	
	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all		

May 16th, 2025 to September	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
7th, 2025	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
May 16th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120		Angling, bow fishing, crossbow fishing and spear fishing while swimming	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone			
June 15th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Bass	6 in all			
	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	

River Saint-François - e) between the East Angus' dam located at coordinates 45°28'56" N., 71°39'45" W. and the railroad bridge located at coordinates 45°29'04" N., 71°39'55" W.

April 1st, 2025 to April 24th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120		Fishing with dip nets and / or plaice fishing only.	
May 16th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Trout (brown trout, cutthroat trout and rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
May 16th, 2025 to November 30th, 2025	Rainbow smelt	120		Angling, bow fishing, crossbow fishing and spear fishing while swimming	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	

May 16th, 2025 to November 3	Other species	same as the zone			
June 15th,	Bass	6 in all			
2025 to November 30th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	2 in all		Angling only	
River Sauva (45°45'54" N			upstream sid	le of the bride	ge on Route 108
April 1st, 2025 to March 31st,	All species	Fishing prohibited			
River Victori		r source to th	eir mouth (4	5°33' N., 70°56	5' W.).
April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	All species	Fishing prohibited			
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April 25th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout) and Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	same as the zone			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all		Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	2	42 cm or more	Angling only	
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the			

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