

# 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

#### Zone 8

Period	Species	Catch limit	Length limit	Engine	Note
April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Black crappie	30			
	Rainbow smelt	120			
	Shad	5 in all			
	Striped bass	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Other species	no limit			
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	3		Angling only	
	Rainbow trout	10. For the fluvial portion of the area, there is no catch limit.			
May 2nd, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Pike	6 in all			
	Yellow perch	50			There is a moratorium on recreational and commercial yellow perch fishing. in lac Saint-Pierre and in the St. Lawrence River area, between the Laviolette Bridge and Saint-Pierre-les-Becquets.
May 9th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	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, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

## Water bodies – Exceptions

**Communal Wildlife Area du lac Saint-Pierre (see also zone 7) -River Richelieu (Communal wildlife area of lac Saint-Pierre) - from its mouth in the fleuve Saint-Laurent to the Highway 30 bridge.**

April 1st, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Other species	same as the zone			
April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	Fishing prohibited			
	Striped bass	Fishing prohibited			
	Sucker	Fishing prohibited			
	Yellow perch	Fishing prohibited			
May 2nd, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Pike	6 in all			
May 9th, 2025 to October 31st, 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, 2025	Bass	6 in all			
	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	
December 20th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			
	Pike	6 in all			
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	

December 20th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Other species	same as the zone			
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**Communal Wildlife Area du lac Saint-Pierre (see also zone 7) -River Saint-Laurent (Communal wildlife area of lac Saint-Pierre) - between the eastern boundary of Zone 8 and the downstream side of the power transmission lines of the Hydro-Québec hydroelectric station in Tracy, up to the high water line.**

April 1st, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Other species	same as the zone			
April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	Fishing prohibited			
	Striped bass	Fishing prohibited			
	Sucker	Fishing prohibited			
	Yellow perch	Fishing prohibited			
May 2nd, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Pike	6 in all			
May 9th, 2025 to October 31st, 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, 2025	Bass	6 in all			
	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	
December 20th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			
	Pike	6 in all			
	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 des Deux Montagnes -- the part formed by Carillon bay, north of a straight line running from Aux Roches point (45°31'27" N., 74°18'42" W.) to the ruisseau Portage (45°31'23" N., 74°19'42" W.); - The part formed by Fer-à-Cheval bay, west of a straight line running from the eastern tip of Carillon island (45°30'59" N., 74°15'05" W.) to the eastern tip of Paquin island (45°30'43" N., 74°14'51" W.).**

July 1st, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout) and Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to December 19th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			
	Pike	6 in all			
	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 Saint-François (45°09'25" N., 74°22'22" W.)

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Striped bass	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Sturgeon	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Other species	same as the zone			
April 25th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout) and Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
May 2nd, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Pike	6 in all			
	Yellow perch	50			

May 9th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

### Lake Saint-Louis (45°24'05" N., 73°48'52" W.)

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Striped bass	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Sucker	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Other species	same as the zone			
April 25th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout) and Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	10 in all		Angling only	
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
May 2nd, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Pike	6 in all			
	Yellow perch	50			
May 9th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	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, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all			
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

### National Park du Mont-Saint-Bruno

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	All species	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
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### National Park of the Boucherville Islands

Same as the zone	Bass	6 in all			
	Pike	6 in all			
	Yellow perch	50			
	Other species	same as the zone			
April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	Fishing prohibited			
	Striped bass	Fishing prohibited			
	Sucker	Fishing prohibited			

**River aux Brochets - between the Notre-Dame-de-Stanbridge dam and the mouth of ruisseau Ewing situated downstream of the Highway 133 bridge in the municipality of Saint-Pierre-de-Véronne-à-Pike-River.**

July 1st, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout) and Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	10 in all		Angling only	
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all		Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to December 19th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
July 1st, 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			

**River aux Brochets - from the mouth of brook Ewing situated downstream of the Highway 133 bridge in the municipality of Saint- Pierre-de-Véronne-à-Pike-River up to its outlet in Missisquoi bay.**

May 9th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout) and Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	

May 9th, 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			
June 15th, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

**River Beaudette - upstream of the Highway 20 bridge (45°13'15" N., 74°19'33" W.).**

July 1st, 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	3		Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to December 19th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
July 1st, 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			

**River Châteauguay - \* That part between the dam upstream of Châteauguay and its extension to the north shore and the Arthur-Laberge bridge in Châteauguay (45°21'40" N., 73°44'49" W.); \* between the Sainte-Martine dam and the mouth of the rivière de l'Esturgeon (45°15'43" N., 73°47'54" W.).**

July 1st, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout) and Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	10 in all			
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July 1st, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to December 19th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			
	Pike	6 in all			
	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			

**River Châteauguay - the portion between 100 meters downstream and 100 meters upstream of the Steel Highway Bridge (30) at Châteauguay.**

June 15th, 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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			
	Pike	6 in all			
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	
	Yellow perch	50			

June 15th, 2025 to March 7th, 2026	Other species	same as the zone			
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**River Chibouet - between its mouth and a point 200 m upstream (45°47'03" N., 72°52'14" W.).**

May 9th, 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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
May 9th, 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			
June 15th, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

**River de l'Achigan - between the railway bridge downstream of Onulphe-Peltier Road (45°51'02" N., 73°28'25" W.) and the dam upstream of Route 341 to the Epiphany (45°50'46" N., 73°29'35" W.).**

July 1st, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout) and Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	

July 1st, 2025 to December 19th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			
	Pike	6 in all			
	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			

**River des Mille Îles - a) That part between Deux Montagnes lake (45°31'49,53" N., 73°53'15,75" W.) and the Highway 25 bridge, corresponding to a straight line joining points 45°41'46,29" N., 73°39'4,27" W. and 45°41'18,03" N., 73°39'0,34" W.**

Same as the zone	Bass	6 in all			
	Pike	6 in all			
	Yellow perch	50			
	Other species	same as the zone			
April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	Fishing prohibited			
	Striped bass	Fishing prohibited			
	Sucker	Fishing prohibited			
May 9th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	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, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	

**River des Mille Îles - b) That part between the Highway 25 bridge, corresponding to a straight line joining points 45°41'46,29" N., 73°39'4,27" W. and 45°41'18,03" N., 73°39'0,34" W., and the downstream side of CP railway bridge (45°41'33" N., 73°37'17" W.).**

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	Fishing prohibited			
	Striped bass	Fishing prohibited			
	Sucker	Fishing prohibited			

July 1st, 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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to December 19th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			
	Pike	6 in all			
	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			

**River des Mille Îles - c) That part between the downstream side of the CP railway bridge (45°41'33" N., 73°37'17" W.), situated downstream from the bridge of Highway 25, to its confluence with the St. Lawrence River.**

Same as the zone	Bass	6 in all			
	Pike	6 in all			
	Yellow perch	50			
	Other species	same as the zone			
April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Striped bass	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Sucker	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
May 9th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	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, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	

**River des Outaouais - a) That part between the Highway 40 bridge and lac Saint-Louis, except for the following sectors : \* between a point 180 m upstream of the CN bridge at Dorion (45°23'17,73" N., 74°00'5,13" W.) and a straight line running from the southern tip of Petite île Besner to Pointe aux Chênes (45°22'58" N., 74°00'31" O.); \* between a point 325 m upstream of the railway bridge at Sainte-Anne-de-Bellevue (45°24'17,25" N., 73°57'40" W.) and a straight line parallel to the Highway 20 bridge via the southern end of the pier at the lock canal (45°24'09" N., 73°57'43" W.) (including part of the river known as 'chenal Proulx' or 'Stocker brook').**

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Striped bass	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Sucker	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Other species	same as the zone			
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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
May 2nd, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Pike	6 in all			
	Yellow perch	50			
May 9th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	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, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	

June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			
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**River des Outaouais - b) \* between a point 180 m upstream of the CN bridge at Dorion and a straight line running from the southern tip of Petite île Besner to Pointe aux Chênes (45°22'58" N., 74°00'31" W.); \* between a point 325 m upstream of the railway bridge at Sainte-Anne-de-Bellevue (45°24'17,25" N., 73°57'40" W.) and a line parallel to the Highway 20 bridge via the southern end of the pier at the lock canal (45°24'09" N., 73°57'43" W.)(including part of the river known as "chenal Proulx" or "Stocker brook").**

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Striped bass	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Sucker	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
May 9th, 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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
May 9th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Pike	6 in all			
	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			
June 15th, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

**River des Outaouais - c) between the Carillon dam (45°34'2,29" N., 74°23'02" W.) and the power line situated 4 km downstream of this dam (45°32'19" N., 74°21'08" W.).**

May 9th, 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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
May 9th, 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			
June 15th, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

**River des Prairies - a) That part between the Rivière des Prairies hydroelectric power station dam (45°35'19.14" N., 73°39'21.52" W.) and the upstream side of Pie-IX bridge (45°35'57" N., 73°38'49" W.), as well as the south arm to the Moulins dam.**

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Striped bass	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Sucker	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
May 9th, 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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	

May 9th, 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			
June 15th, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

**River des Prairies - b) That part between the upstream side of the Pie-IX bridge (45°35'57" N., 73°38'49" W.) and its confluence with St. Lawrence river (45°42'27,65" N., 73°28'32,03" W.).**

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Striped bass	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Sucker	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Other species	same as the zone			
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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
May 2nd, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Pike	6 in all			
	Yellow perch	50			
May 9th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	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, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	

June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

**River l'Acadie - - The portion between the Highway 112 bridge (45°27'33" N., 73°18'22" W.) and the bridge and the Highway 104 bridge (45°22'34" N., 73°22'11"**

July 1st, 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	3		Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to December 19th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
July 1st, 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			

**River L'Assomption - between the first sill downstream of Chutes à Morin in Joliette (45°59'49" N., 73°25'06" W.) and the power transmission line downstream (45°58'37" N., 73°22'45" W.).**

July 1st, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout) and Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to December 19th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	

July 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			
	Pike	6 in all			
	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			

**River Noire - a) That part between the Père Tarte dam (45°36'10" N., 72°43'20" W.) in Saint-Ephrem d'Upton and the Émileville dam (45°29'12" N., 72°53'39" W.).**

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Sucker	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
May 9th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	

**River Noire - b) That part between the Émileville dam (45°29'12" N., 72°53'39" W.) and the eastern tip of the island (45°30'04" N., 72°54'48" W.) downstream of Saint-Pie.**

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Sucker	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
May 9th, 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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
May 9th, 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			

June 15th, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

**River Noire - c) That part between the eastern tip of the island (45°30'04" N., 72°54'48" W.) downstream of Saint-Pie up to its confluence with the rivière Yama**

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Sucker	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
May 9th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	

**River Ouareau - between Crabtree dam (45°57'56" N., 73°28'03" W.) and its confluence with rivière l'Assomption in Saint-Paul (45°56'25" N., 73°24'26" W.).**

July 1st, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout) and Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	10 in all			
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to December 19th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			
	Pike	6 in all			
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	

July 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Yellow perch	50			
	Other species	same as the zone			

**River Richelieu - a) between the downstream side of the bridge of Highway 30 (46°01'47" N., 73°07'50" W.) and a straight line between Chambly fort to opposite bank, while running at a distance of 50 m, the north-west end of the islands located downstream of the rapids (45°27'20" N., 73°16'30" W.).**

Same as the zone	Other species	same as the zone			
April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	Fishing prohibited			
	Striped bass	Fishing prohibited			
	Sucker	Fishing prohibited			
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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
May 9th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	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, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

**River Richelieu - b) between an line running from Chambly fort to the opposite bank, which follows over a distance of 50 m the northwestern tip of the islands downstream of the rapids and the upstream side of the power line that crosses Chambly rapids (Sectors B and C of the Pierre-Étienne Fortin reserve).**

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	Fishing prohibited			
	Striped bass	Fishing prohibited			
	Sucker	Fishing prohibited			

May 9th, 2025 to June 19th, 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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		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			
June 15th, 2025 to June 19th, 2025	Bass	6 in all			
	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	
July 21st, 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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
July 21st, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
July 21st, 2025 to December 19th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
July 21st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			
	Walleye and sauger	6 in all	Walleye: 37 cm to 53 cm inclusively Sauger: no length limit	Angling only	

July 21st, 2025 to March 31st,	Other species	same as the zone			
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**River Richelieu - c) between the upstream side of the power line that crosses Chambly rapids and the Chambly dam. (Sector A of the Pierre-Étienne Fortin reserve).**

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	Fishing prohibited			
	Striped bass	Fishing prohibited			
	Sucker	Fishing prohibited			
May 9th, 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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
May 9th, 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			
June 15th, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

**River Rigaud - between the Highway 40 (45°29'10" N., 74°17'57" W.) bridge and the dam upstream (45°28'28" N., 74°18'42" W.) of the city of Rigaud.**

May 9th, 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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	

May 9th, 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			
June 15th, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

**River Saint-Jean - its mouth in the fleuve Saint-Laurent (45°52'23" N., 73°16'56" W.) and chemin Joliette in Lanoraie (45°58'21" N., 73°15'09" W.), including rivière Saint-Antoine, as well as the other tributaries of rivière Saint-Jean.**

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Sucker	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
July 1st, 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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
July 1st, 2025 to December 19th, 2025	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
July 1st, 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			

**River Saint-Laurent (sector not located in Communal wildlife area of lac Saint-Pierre) - between the downstream side of the Beauharnois and Pointe-des-Cascades dams and the downhill side of the power transmission lines of the Hydro-Québec hydroelectric station in Tracy, , excluding the Lachine Canal.**

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	Fishing prohibited			
	Striped bass	Fishing prohibited			
	Sucker	Fishing prohibited			
	Other species	same as the zone			
April 25th, 2025 to September 7th, 2025	Char (arctic char, brook trout) and Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	10 in all		Angling only	
	Lake trout and splake trout	2 in all	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
May 2nd, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Pike	6 in all			
	Yellow perch	50			
May 9th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	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, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all			
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

**River Yamaska - at Farnham, between the footbridge dam and the Highway 10 bridge.**

May 9th, 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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	

May 9th, 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			
June 15th, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

**River Yamaska - at Saint-Hyacinthe, between the T.D. Bouchard power station (45°37'17" N., 72°57'02" W.) and the Concorde Avenue bridge (45°37'21" N., 72°56'18" W.).**

May 9th, 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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
May 9th, 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			
June 15th, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

**River Yamaska - That part between a point located 1 km downstream of the bridge at Saint-Hugues (45°47'04" N., 72°52'31" W.) and a point located 1 km upstream of the same bridge.**

May 9th, 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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
May 9th, 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			
June 15th, 2025 to October 31st, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			

**River Yamaska - That part between the T.-D. Bouchard hydroelectric power station dam in Saint-Hyacinthe (45°37'17" N., 72°57'02" W.) and the Highway 10 bridge (45°22'35" N., 72°59'39" W.)**

April 1st, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Redhorse	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Sucker	<b>Fishing prohibited</b>			
	Other species	same as the zone			
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	60 cm or more	Angling only	
	Landlocked salmon	3		Angling only	
May 2nd, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Pike	6 in all			
	Yellow perch	50			

May 9th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	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, 2025	Sturgeon	1 in all	Lake sturgeon: 80 cm to 130 cm inclusively Atlantic sturgeon: no length limit	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to December 19th	Muskellunge and tiger muskellunge	1 in all	137 cm or more	Angling only	
June 15th, 2025 to March 31st, 2026	Bass	6 in all			