

Sport fishing in Québec

Fishing periods, limits and exceptions

(April 1, 2019 to March 31, 2020)

• You must also consult the "News" section to see if any regulatory changes made during the season affect your body of water.

• 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 3

Period	Species	Catch limit	Note	Engine
April 1st, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Rainbow Smelt	Fishing prohibited		
	Striped Bass	Fishing prohibited		
April 26th, 2019 to September 2nd, 2019	Lake Trout and Splake Trout	2 in all	These measures concerning lake trout do not apply to national parks, wildlife sanctuaries and zecs, and to certain water bodies situated in those areas where outfitters have exclusive fishing rights of Zones 10 to 15, 18 and 26 to 28.	
April 26th, 2019 to September 8th, 2019	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	15 in all		
	Cutthroat Trout and Brown Trout	5 in all		
	Landlocked Salmon	3		
April 26th, 2019 to November 30th, 20	Yellow Perch	50		
	Other species	no limit		
May 17th, 2019 to November 30th, 2019	Pike	6 in all		
	Walleye and Sauger	6 in all	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone. Angling only	
June 1st, 2019 to August 31st, 2019	Atlantic salmon	1 small catch and kept or 3 captured and returned to the water as part of the quota is caught first	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone. Elsewhere than in salmon rivers. Salmon fishing licence mandatory.	
June 14th, 2019 to November 30th, 2019	Bass	6 in all		
	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	2		

June 15th, 2019 to October 31st, 2019	Sturgeon	1 in all		
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Water bodies – Exceptions

Lake aux Canards - (46°50'01" N., 70°48'53" W.)

Same as zone	Atlantic salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Landlocked Salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Sturgeon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		
April 1st, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Rainbow Smelt	Fishing prohibited		
	Striped Bass	Fishing prohibited		
April 26th, 2019 to September 2nd, 20	Lake Trout and Splake Trout	same as the zone	Angling only	
December 20th, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Landlocked Salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Sturgeon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		

Lake aux Castors - (45°56'04" N., 70°17'52" W.).

April 26th, 2019 to October 13th, 2019	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all		
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Lake Beaumont - (46°46'42" N., 70°59'15" W.)

Same as zone	Atlantic salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Landlocked Salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Sturgeon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		
April 1st, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Rainbow Smelt	Fishing prohibited		
	Striped Bass	Fishing prohibited		
April 26th, 2019 to September 2nd, 20	Lake Trout and Splake Trout	same as the zone	Angling only	
December 20th, 2019 to March 31st,	Landlocked Salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	

December 20th, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Sturgeon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		

Lake Bringé - (47°06'35" N., 70°10'10" W.)

Same as zone	Atlantic salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Landlocked Salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Sturgeon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		
April 1st, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Rainbow Smelt	Fishing prohibited		
	Striped Bass	Fishing prohibited		
April 26th, 2019 to September 2nd, 20	Lake Trout and Splake Trout	same as the zone	Angling only	
December 20th, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Landlocked Salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Sturgeon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		

Lake Champagne - (45°54'57" N., 70°19'03" W.).

Same as zone	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all		
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Lake Coburn - (45°55'17" N., 70°19'41" W.).

April 26th, 2019 to October 13th, 2019	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all		
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Lake Collin - (46°43'00" N., 70°17'32" W.)

Same as zone	Atlantic salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Landlocked Salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Sturgeon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		

April 1st, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Rainbow Smelt	Fishing prohibited		
	Striped Bass	Fishing prohibited		
April 26th, 2019 to September 2nd, 20	Lake Trout and Splake Trout	same as the zone	Angling only	
December 20th, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Landlocked Salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Sturgeon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		

Lake de la Roche - (46°56'40" N., 70°26'13" W., Pourvoirie du Forestier)

Same as zone	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all		
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		
April 26th, 2019 to September 2nd, 2019	Lake Trout and Splake Trout	2 in all	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.	
December 20th, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all		
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		

Lake des Abénakis - (46°09'49" N., 70°21'41" W.)

Same as zone	Atlantic salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Landlocked Salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Sturgeon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		
April 1st, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Rainbow Smelt	Fishing prohibited		
	Striped Bass	Fishing prohibited		
April 26th, 2019 to September 2nd, 20	Lake Trout and Splake Trout	same as the zone	Angling only	
December 20th, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Landlocked Salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Sturgeon	same as the zone	Angling only	

December 20th, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		

Lake du Curé - (46°56'16" N., 70°26'30" W., Pourvoirie du Forestier)

Same as zone	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all		
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		
April 26th, 2019 to September 2nd, 2019	Lake Trout and Splake Trout	2 in all	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.	
December 20th, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all		
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		

Lake du Portage - (45°56'07" N., 70°16'05" W., Pourvoirie du lac Portage).

Same as zone	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all		
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		
April 26th, 2019 to September 2nd, 2019	Lake Trout and Splake Trout	2 in all	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.	
December 20th, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all		
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		

Lake Frontière - (46°42'24" N., 70°00'04" W.)

Same as zone	Atlantic salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Landlocked Salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Sturgeon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		
April 1st, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Rainbow Smelt	Fishing prohibited		
	Striped Bass	Fishing prohibited		
April 26th, 2019 to September 2nd, 20	Lake Trout and Splake Trout	same as the zone	Angling only	

December 20th, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Landlocked Salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Sturgeon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		

Lake Saint-Charles - (46°46'47" N., 70°57'49" W.)

Same as zone	Atlantic salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Landlocked Salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Sturgeon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		
April 1st, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Rainbow Smelt	Fishing prohibited		
	Striped Bass	Fishing prohibited		
April 26th, 2019 to September 2nd, 20	Lake Trout and Splake Trout	same as the zone	Angling only	
December 20th, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Landlocked Salmon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Sturgeon	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		

Lake Sainte-Thérèse - (46°56'30" N., 70°25'45" W., Pourvoirie du Forestier)

Same as zone	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all		
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		
April 26th, 2019 to September 2nd, 2019	Lake Trout and Splake Trout	2 in all	A length limit may apply for this species. Check the applicable limits for this zone.	
December 20th, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10 in all		
	Walleye and Sauger	same as the zone	Angling only	
	Other species	same as the zone		

Lake Trois-Saumons - (47°07'36" N., 70°11'13" W.)

May 17th, 2019 to September 2nd, 20	All species	same as the zone		
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River Etchemin - upstream of the bridge at St. Clair (46°35'45" N, 70°52'10" W.) and its tributaries..

April 1st, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Rainbow Smelt	Fishing prohibited		
	Sturgeon	Fishing prohibited		
April 26th, 2019 to September 2nd, 20	Lake Trout and Splake Trout	2 in all		
April 26th, 2019 to September 15th, 20	Other species	same as the zone	Except salmon	
May 17th, 2019 to September 15th, 2019	Pike	6 in all		
	Walleye and Sauger	6 in all	Angling only	
June 14th, 2019 to September 15th, 2019	Bass	6 in all		
	Muskellunge and Tiger Muskellunge	2		

River Grande Rivière - between the northeast boundary of Ashford township and its source.

Same as zone	Other species	same as the zone		Angling or fly fishing
April 1st, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Atlantic salmon	Fishing prohibited		

River Ouelle - between the northeast boundary of Ashford township and the downstream side of the Rang 9 bridge (Rang Saint-Joseph) in the municipality of Tourville.

Same as zone	Other species	same as the zone		Angling or fly fishing
April 1st, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Atlantic salmon	Fishing prohibited		

River Rat Musqué - between its confluence with the Grande Rivière and its source.

Same as zone	Other species	same as the zone		Angling or fly fishing
April 1st, 2019 to M	Atlantic salmon	Fishing prohibited		

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April 1st, 2019 to March 31st, 2020	Other species	Fishing prohibited		
April 26th, 2019 to September 15th, 2019	Char (arctic char, brook trout)	10		
	Trout (Brown trout, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout)	same as the zone		