

Zone 18

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Lake trout (including splake trout)

May keep

Lake trout 45 cm or more

Exception

May keep lake trout 55 cm or more in lacs Dubuc, Kakuskanus, des Caribous, du Sault-aux-Cochons, Sédillot and in réservoirs Betsiamites (Bersimis-2), Pipmuacan (Bersimis-1), Outardes-2, Outardes-3, Manic-1 and Manic-2.

May keep lake trout less than 60 cm in lac Fléché.

State of fish

Whole or gutted, only where a length limit applies. Elsewhere, lake trout may be whole or filleted. It must be possible to count and identify the fish (a piece of skin must adhere to the filet).

Note

These measurements do not apply in national parks, wildlife reserves, controlled harvesting zones (ZECs) and on certain water bodies located in the territories of a number of outfitting operation with exclusive rights.

New rules

New rules have been in effect in this zone since April 1, 2024. See [the latest changes](#).

Maps

[Zone map \(PDF 3.81 Mb\)](#)

[Interactive map of fishing zones](#)

Fishing periods and quotas

The opening and closing dates and catch limits may vary from one body of water to another in the same area. You should always check to see if your body of water is a regulatory exception.

[View periods and quotas](#)

[Zone's fishing periods, limits and exceptions \(PDF\)](#)

Printable version.

Length limits for some species

It is prohibited to catch and keep or have in your possession a fish from the waters specified that does not comply with the length limits indicated for your zone. If a fish species or a zone is not mentioned in the table, no length limit applies to the species in this zone.

The fish must be kept in a state allowing its [identification](#).

Striped bass

May keep

Striped bass measuring between 50 cm and 65 cm inclusively where fishing for this species is permitted

State of fish

Whole or gutted

Use of dead bait fish

Possession and use of dead bait fish is prohibited in this zone.

From December 1 to April 15, there may be possession of dead bait fish between parts of autoroutes 20 and 40 and routes 132 and 138, located in zones 1, 2, 3, 18, 19 and 27, and for use in zones 7 and 21.

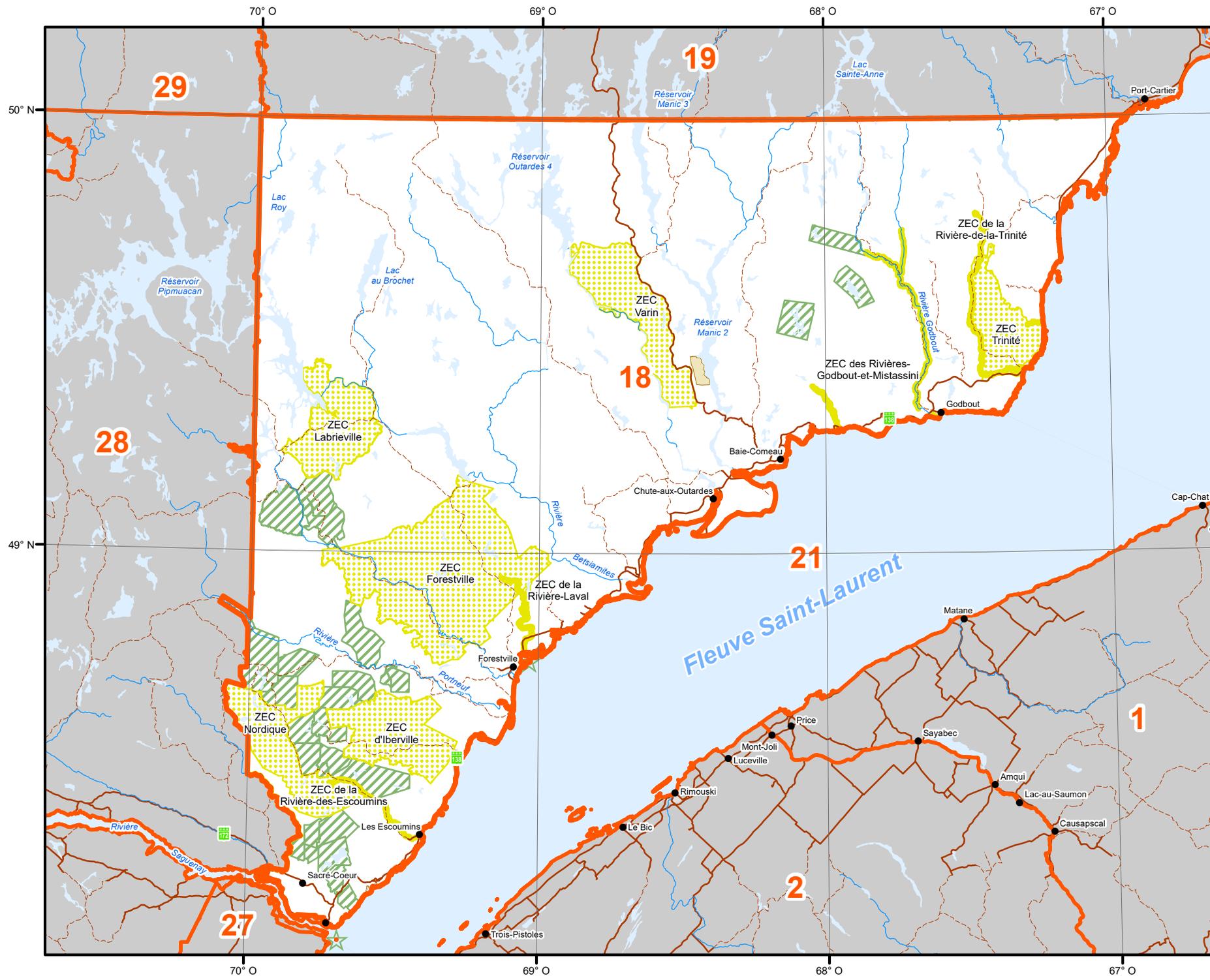
Use the [map of fishing zones](#) to visualize this information by displaying the "Bait Fish" layer.

Number of lines authorized in winter

5 lines on a body of water covered with ice or not, from December 1st to April 15

Map of fishing zone 18

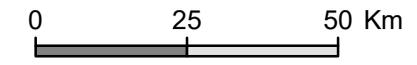
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Territorial Divisions

- Zone
- Zone parts
- Wildlife Sanctuary
- Zec (Controlled Zone)
- Outfitter with exclusive rights
- Québec National Park, Federal National Park, Ecological Reserve and territory where hunting is prohibited
- Territory where hunting is restricted
- Wildlife Preserve
- Category I and II lands
- International border
- Interprovincial and interstate border
- Québec - Newfoundland-and-Labrador border (This border is not final)



METADATA	
Map projection	Conique de Lambert avec deux parallèles d'échelle conservée (46° et 60°)
SOURCES	
Hunting zone	
Wildlife territory	Ministère des Forêts, de la Faune et des Parcs 2018
Park and territory where hunting is prohibited	Ministère de l'Environnement et de la lutte contre les changements climatiques 2017
Ecological reserve	Ressources naturelles Canada 2017
Federal national park	©Gouvernement du Québec 2018

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