

Zone 28

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Lake trout (including splake trout)

May keep

Lake trout 45 cm or more in length (respecting the daily fishing quotas)

Exception

May keep lake trout 55 cm or more in lacs à la Truite (49°29'52" N., 72°48'10" W.), Augustin (48°27'26" N., 73°21'34" W.), Cécile (48°21'02" N., 73°06'20" W.), Connelly (49°19'01" N., 71°57'54" W.), Du Nylon, Dulain, Gaston (48°30'25" N., 73°24'15" W.), Gilbert (48°28'58" N., 73°24'36" W.), Gouin (49°32'30" N., 70°14'22" W.), Kapahkueshikanapishkatsh, Malfait (49°19'03" N., 72°02'46" W.), Méricanane, Onatchiway, Petit lac Onatchiway, Pamouscachiou, Poisson blanc (49°04'56" N., 71°04'56" W.), Rond (49°25'12" N., 72°58'47" W.) and Vermont as well as in réservoir Pipmuacan.

May keep lake trout 60 cm or less in length in lac aux Hirondelles (50°00'54" N., 70°23'29" W.)

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 fillet).

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.

Walleye

May keep

Walleye between 32 cm and 47 cm inclusively

No length limit for sauger.

This measure also applies to the Ashuapmushuan wildlife reserve and controlled harvesting zones (ZECs).

Exceptions

Establishment of a maximum length limit of 47 cm for walleye and sauger in the lac Saint-Jean Community Wildlife Area, excluding lac à Jim Lake and rivière Micosas.

State of fish

Whole, gutted or [wallet filleted](#). Walleye and sauger don't have to be wallet filleted in the bodies of water where no length limit applies to these species. It must be possible to count and identify

the fish (a piece of skin must adhere to the fillet).

Note

These measurements do not apply in national parks and wildlife reserves (except Ashuapmushuan wildlife reserve) and in certain bodies of water located on some outfitters with exclusive rights areas.

[Learn how to distinguish walleye from sauger.](#)

Nouvelles règles

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

Maps

[Zone map \(PDF 3.11 Mb\)](#)

[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](#).

Use of dead bait fish

Possession of dead smelt as the only bait fish allowed in the zone.

From December 20 to March 31, possession and use are allowed only in the following waters:

- lac Bilodeau (48°43'46" N., 71°12'50" W.)
- lac Bouchette (48°14'32" N., 72°12'21" W.)
- lac Creux (48°42'59" N., 71°12'55" W.)
- lac à la Croix (48°23'48" N., 71°46'35" W.)
- lac des Commissaires (48°11'14" N., 72°15'51" W.)
- lac des Coudes (49°03'35" N., 72°37'45" W.)
- lac Gronick (49°06'24" N., 72°59'17" W.)
- lac des Habitants (48°47'50" N., 72°24'50" W.)
- lac à Jim (49°01'29" N., 72°53'02" W.)
- lac Kénogami (48°19'36" N., 71°22'36" W.)
- lac Kénogamichiche (48°22'05" N., 71°36'05" W.)
- lac Labonté (48°35'28" N., 71°26'44" W.)
- lac Labrecque (48°40'52" N., 71°29'39" W.)
- lac La Mothe (48°47'03" N., 71°09'17" W.)
- lac Montréal (49°04'22" N., 72°54'44" W.)
- lac Ouiatchouan (48°16'22" N., 72°11'02" W.)
- lac aux Rats (zec de la Rivière-aux-Rats)
- lac Rond (48°22'35" N., 72°20'00" W.)
- lac Saint-Jean, the waters surrounded by routes 169, 170 and 373, but excluding, in Alma, the portions of La Grande Décharge (downstream the Isle Maligne dam and the lac Saint-Jean water retention structures) and rivière Petite Décharge (the portion situated between its mouth in the Saguenay and the lac Saint-Jean water retention structures)
- lac Sébastien (48°39'29" N., 71°10'03" W.)
- lac Tchitogama (48°49'58" N., 71°24'00" W.)
- lac Vert (48°21'57" N., 71°38'42" W.)
- rivière Mistassibi, between route 169 and the lac au Foin
- rivière Péribonka, between the Chute-à-la-Savane and latitude 49° N.
- rivière Saguenay, between the portion downstream of the Isle Maligne dam and the lac Saint-Jean water retention structures (Grande Décharge and rivière Petite Décharge), in Alma, and a line perpendicular at the rivière Saguenay passing through the most upstream end of the Chute-à-Caron dam on the south shore of the rivière Saguenay (48°27' N., 71°15' W.)

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 20 to March 31

Map of fishing zone 28

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