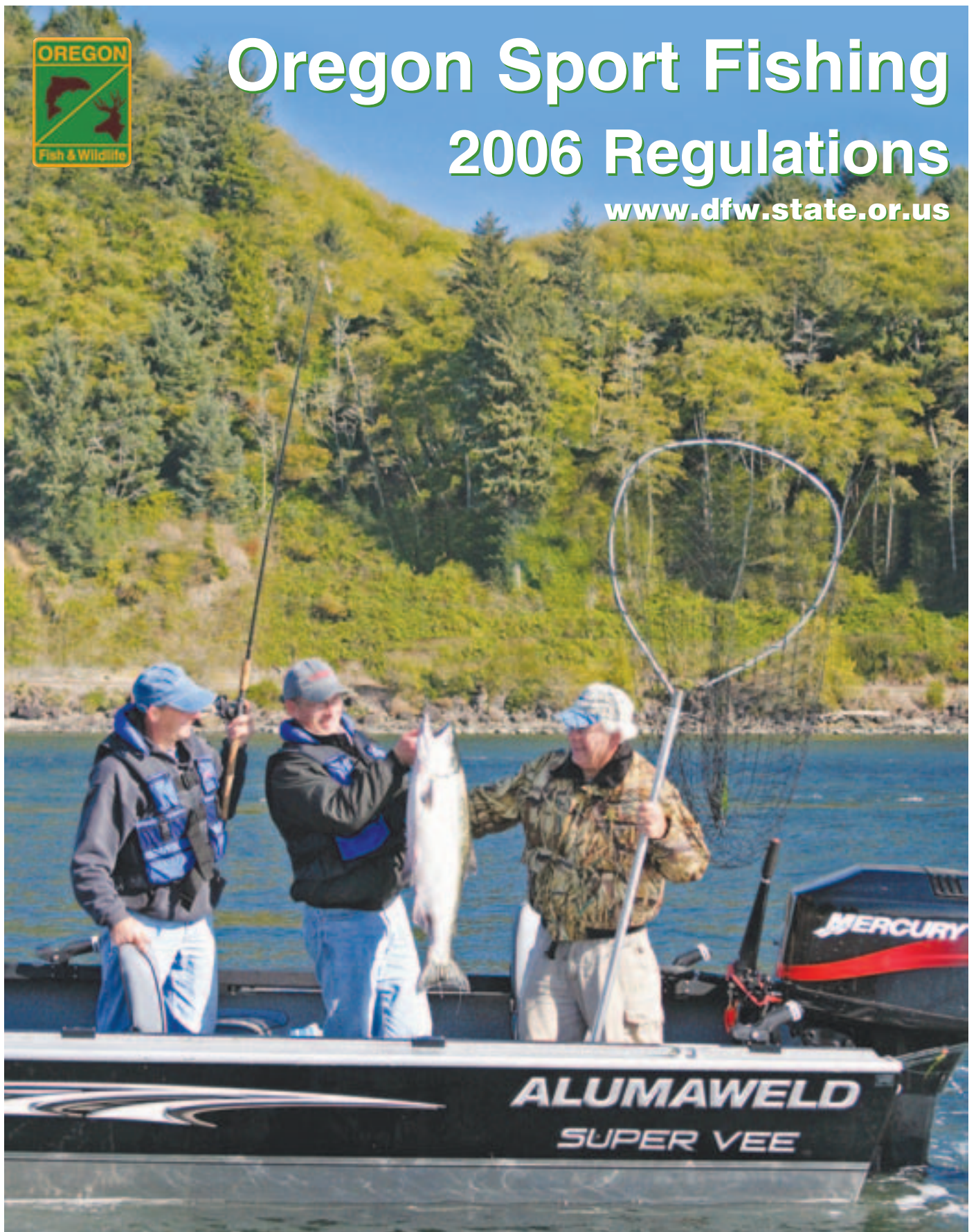




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Regulations May Change

Call the Department of Fish and Wildlife at 503-947-6001 for up-to-date, recorded information about fishing and regulation changes (touch-tone callers only) or visit us on the Internet at www.dfw.state.or.us. This Internet site features the weekly recreation report, the latest department news releases and much more.



HOW TO USE THIS GUIDE

This guide contains information you need to legally fish throughout Oregon.

NOTE – Regulations may change on short notice during the year or season. If you want the latest on regulations or other fishing information, you may call the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife at 503-947-6001 for up-to-date recorded information or visit us at our Internet site: www.dfw.state.or.us.

Oregon has three types of regulations for all fishing waters:

- General Regulations – include information on licenses, tags/harvest cards, permits, catch and possession limits, definitions, gear and bait restrictions, and harvest methods and hours.
- Zone Regulations – apply to entire geographical areas. There are nine zones in Oregon.
- Special Regulations – apply to specific bodies of water or portions of water within a zone. If a body of water or specific references to species, catch limits, length limits, seasons, or other specifications are not made in the Special Regulations for the zone, then Zone Regulations apply.

Before you fish any body of water, always:

1. Check the Special Regulations first.
2. If a body of water is not listed in the Special Regulations for the zone, check the Zone Regulations.
3. Regardless of where you fish, be certain to review the General Regulations.

Let's try an example. You want to go fishing at Crescent Lake in Central Oregon.

1. First, determine the zone where Crescent Lake is located. You locate the lake on the Central Zone map on page 57.
2. Next, determine if there are any special fishing regulations for Crescent Lake.
 - You find Crescent Lake listed on page 60.
 - Crescent Lake has a trout daily catch limit that may include only one lake trout that must be at least 30 inches in length.
 - You then turn back to page 59 and review the Zone Regulations for the Central Zone.
 - By reading the Zone Regulations, you learn you may catch and keep only five trout per day with a minimum size limit of 8 inches, of which only one may be over 20 inches.
 - Thus, if you catch and keep one lake trout that is at least 30 inches in length, you may still catch four other trout in Crescent Lake that are 20 inches or less.
3. Can you fish Crescent Lake year round?
 - On page 59, you note that the season column states lakes in the Central Zone are open to fishing for trout all year.
4. What do you need to legally catch a trout in Crescent Lake?
 - You note that there are no other restrictions listed in the Special or Zone Regulations.

- So you turn to pages 9-14 to review the General Regulations.

5. In the General Regulations you learn that:
 - You need an angling license,
 - You may not use live fish to catch fish in Crescent Lake, and
 - You may only use one fishing rod.

Continue to thoroughly read the General Regulations for other information regarding harvest methods and hours. Regulations highlighted in blue simply means the regulations changed from last year.

We wish you an enjoyable and successful fishing adventure!

OTHER INFORMATION:

Boats and Motors - Only those boating regulations restricting sport fishing are listed in this booklet. General boating regulations are available on the web at:

www.boatoregon.com

or at Oregon State Marine Board, 435 Commercial Street NE, Salem, OR 97301, 503-378-8587, and Marine Board agents.

Guides and Packers - Information on guides and packers can be obtained from Oregon State Marine Board, 435 Commercial Street NE, Salem, OR 97301, 503-373-1405 ex. 225.

Travel Information - Oregon Tourism Telephone 1-800-547-7842.

ANGLER INFORMATION

English

This book includes important information about Oregon's hunting and fishing laws. You can be fined or jailed if you violate these laws. Please have someone who reads English explain the information in this book to you.

Spanish

Este libro tiene información importante acerca de las leyes de caza y pesca de Oregon. Si no cumple con estas leyes se le puede imponer una multa o encarcelar. Por favor pida a alguien que lea inglés que le explique la información contenida en este libro.

Traditional Chinese

此書載有關於俄勒岡州 打獵與捕魚的法律。如您觸犯了這些法例，可能會被判 款或監禁。請您找懂英文的人向您解釋此書 的資訊。

Russian

Эта книга содержит важную информацию о законах штата Орегон об охоте и рыболовстве. Нарушение этих законов карается штрафом или тюремным заключением. Попросите, пожалуйста, кого-нибудь, кто умеет читать по-английски, объяснить вам содержание этой книги.

Ukrainian

Ця книга містить важливу інформацію про закони штату Орегон про полювання та рибальство. Порушення цих законів карється штрафом або ув'язненням. Попрохайте, будь ласка, когось, хто вміє читати англійською мовою, пояснити вам зміст цієї книжки.

Vietnamese

Cuốn sách này bao gồm tin tức quan trọng về luật săn và đánh cá của Oregon. Qui và coi thể bị phạt hoặc bỏ tù nếu bạn qui và vi phạm những luật này. Nếu yêu cầu một người nào đó nói tiếng Anh giải thích cho qui về tin tức trong cuốn sách này.

PLEASE HELP US IMPROVE THE NEXT EDITION

Every year we try to make the contents and layout of this booklet as clear and user friendly as possible. If you have any suggestions to help us improve the presentation of information, please send them to:

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GENERAL (STATEWIDE) REGULATIONS

Instructions:

1. Read the **Special Regulations** for the zone in which you will be fishing. **Special Regulations** apply to specific bodies of water or portions of water within a zone. If specific references to a body of water, species, catch limits, length limits, seasons, or other specifications are not made in the **Special Regulations** for this zone, then **Zone Regulations** apply.
2. Read the section entitled **Regulations for this zone** for the zone in which you will be fishing.
3. Always read the following **General Regulations**, which apply to all zones, for information about licenses; tags/harvest cards, and permits; definitions; catch and possession limits; gear and bait restrictions; and harvest methods and hours, before going fishing.
4. Emergency or permanent rules adopted since January 1 may supersede these regulations. Anglers may call ODFW headquarters or regional offices at the numbers on page 5 of these regulations, or check the ODFW web site, www.dfw.state.or.us for these rules.

Licenses, Tags and Permits:

1. State and federal laws require a Social Security Number to obtain most hunting and fishing licenses.
2. All persons 14 years or older must have in possession a valid Oregon angling license to angle for or assist another in angling for any fish for personal use, except:
 - During "Free Fishing Weekend" (June 10-11, 2006) when no license is required;
 - When taking smelt, *crayfish*, or bullfrogs;
 - Oregon resident landowners and members of their immediate family may angle for fish on land they own and reside upon;
 - When angling in the Pacific Ocean within 3 miles of shore between Cape Falcon, Oregon and Leadbetter Point, Washington either a resident Washington license or an Oregon license is valid. Persons other than Washington residents must have a valid Oregon license to land fish in Oregon which were caught in the ocean.
3. All persons 14 years or older must have in possession a valid Oregon *shellfish* license to take any *shellfish* for personal use, except:
 - During "Free Fishing Weekend" (June 10-11, 2006) when no license is required;
 - When taking *crayfish* or *freshwater clams*.
 - Oregon resident landowners and members of their immediate family may take *shellfish* on land they own and reside upon.
4. All anglers, regardless of age, need in possession a valid Combined Angling Tag to angle for *salmon*, *steelhead*, *sturgeon* or *Pacific halibut*. Anglers may purchase only one Combined Angling Tag (authorizing harvest of 20 *salmon* or *steelhead*) per year. Any *salmon* or *steelhead* may be recorded on the Combined Angling Tag.
5. Anglers may purchase multiple Hatchery Harvest Tags to record adipose or otherwise fin-clipped *salmon* or adipose fin-clipped *steelhead* harvested, in lieu of recording those fish on the Combined Angling Tag. Only adipose or otherwise fin-clipped *salmon* or adipose fin-clipped *steelhead* may be recorded on the Hatchery Harvest Tag.

| Licenses, Tags and Permits - Fish | Fee | Qualifications |
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| Resident Annual Licenses: | | |
| Angling License* | \$24.75 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See definition of "resident", pg. 11. • Oregon driver's license or state nondriver's ID card, or three other pieces of ID, one of which must show name and current address indicating six months of residency in Oregon, must be presented to purchase a resident license. |
| Combination Angling/Hunting License* | \$43.75 | |
| Juvenile Angling License* (14 through 17 years of age) | \$6.75 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be at least 70 years of age and have lived in Oregon for more than 5 years and for at least 6 consecutive months immediately before buying a license. • Available from license agents. • Includes combination angling/hunting license; <i>salmon</i>, <i>steelhead</i>, <i>sturgeon</i>, <i>Pacific halibut</i>, <i>spring turkey</i>, <i>cougar</i>, <i>fall black bear</i>, <i>elk</i> and <i>deer</i> tags; <i>upland bird</i> and <i>waterfowl</i> validations. • Duplicate tags available only at ODFW offices. |
| Senior Citizen Combination Angling/Hunting License* | \$21.50 | |
| Senior Citizen Angling License* | \$12.00 | |
| Sports Pac License | \$130.00 | |
| Duplicate License or Tag | \$6.50 | |
| Resident Permanent Licenses: | | |
| Resident Disabled War Veteran Angling and Hunting License | Free | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Available only at ODFW offices. • Must have resided in Oregon for at least 6 consecutive months immediately before applying for a license and provide written certification of at least 25 percent disability from <i>Veterans Affairs</i> or a branch of the <i>Armed Forces</i>. |
| Resident Pioneer Angling and Hunting Permanent License | Free | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Available only at ODFW offices. • Must be at least 65 years of age and have lived in Oregon for at least 50 years and for at least 6 consecutive months immediately before applying for a license. |
| Nonresident Annual License: | | |
| Angling License* | \$61.50 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No residency requirements. • There are no juvenile nonresident angling licenses. |
| Daily Licenses: | | |
| 1-Day Angling License* | \$12.00 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Salmon</i>, <i>Steelhead</i>, <i>Sturgeon</i> and <i>Pacific Halibut</i> Tag (Combined Angling Tag) is included with daily licenses, and all fish must be recorded on the tag. • The same fees apply to residents and nonresidents. • Nonresidents only. |
| 2-Day Angling License* | \$22.50 | |
| 3-Day Angling License* | \$33.00 | |
| 4-Day Angling License* | \$43.50 | |
| 7-Day Angling License* | \$43.75 | |
| Tags: | | |
| Combined Angling Tag* (Adult) (Annual Tag to fish for <i>salmon</i> , <i>steelhead</i> , <i>sturgeon</i> and <i>Pacific halibut</i> .) | \$21.50 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adult: 18 years and older. Juvenile: Under 18 years of age. • The same fee applies to both residents and non-residents. • Anglers may purchase only one Combined Angling Tag per year. • It is unlawful to alter entries on tags or licenses and to possess an altered tag or license. • Entries must be recorded in ball point pen. No erasures allowed. • Adult <i>salmon</i> (<i>jack salmon</i> only if required under Special Regulations, see Hunter Creek and Pistol River in Southwest Zone) or <i>steelhead</i>, legal size <i>sturgeon</i> and <i>Pacific halibut</i> must immediately upon removal from the water, be recorded on the Combined Angling or Hatchery Harvest Tag in the chronological order caught, except during Free Fishing Weekend (June 10-11, 2006) when no licenses or tags are required. • The angler who landed the fish must record the fish on his or her tag irrespective of who hooked the fish. • See pages 20 and 21 for instructions and codes. |
| Combined Angling Tag* (Juvenile) (Annual Tag to fish for <i>salmon</i> , <i>steelhead</i> , <i>sturgeon</i> and <i>Pacific halibut</i> .) | \$6.50 | |

To obtain mail order license and/or tag see page 103.

GENERAL (STATEWIDE) REGULATIONS

| Licenses, Tags and Permits - Fish | Fee | Qualifications |
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| Hatchery Harvest Tag (Annual Tag to record adult hatchery salmon or hatchery steelhead) | \$12.00 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Angler must purchase Combined Angling Tag, which, along with all purchased Hatchery Harvest Tags, must be in possession and presented when requested while angling. Each Hatchery Harvest Tag purchased authorizes the harvest of a combined total of 10 adipose or otherwise fin-clipped salmon or adipose fin-clipped steelhead. No limit on the number of Hatchery Harvest Tags an angler may purchase per year. Only adipose or otherwise fin-clipped adult salmon or adipose fin-clipped steelhead may be recorded on the Hatchery Harvest Tags. Entries must be recorded in ball point pen. No erasures allowed. |
| Permanent Disabilities Permit Permit holders must still acquire the appropriate license and tags. | Free | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Issued by ODFW Salem (see page 106 for application). Written certification from a licensed physician that the applicant meets one of the following criteria: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Is permanently unable to walk without the use of, or assistance from, a brace, cane, crutch, prosthetic device, wheelchair, scooter or walker; or 2. Is restricted by lung disease to the extent that the person's forced expiratory volume for one second, when measured by a spirometer, is less than 35 percent predicted, or arterial oxygen tension is less than 55 mm/Hg on room air at rest; or 3. Has a cardiac condition to the extent that the person's functional limitations are classified in severity as Class III or Class IV, according to standards established by the American Heart Association; or 4. Has a permanent, physical impairment that prevents the person from holding a fishing rod in hand; or 5. Has a central visual acuity that permanently does not exceed 20/200 in the better eye with corrective lenses, or the widest diameter of the visual field is no greater than 20 degrees; or 6. Has written proof that the last official certification of record by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs or any branch of the Armed Forces of the United States shows the person to be at least 65 percent disabled (ORS496.018). Holders of a Permanent Disabilities Permit; a Permanent Wheelchair Angling License or a Permanent Blind Angler License (issued prior to 2000); or a Walking Disability Permit (issued prior to 1988) may angle from an anchored craft in waters where angling from a floating device is prohibited by ODFW. This allowance does not supersede safety or security regulations enacted by other agencies. A person may assist a disabled angler provided: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The person assisting the disabled angler has the appropriate license and tags in possession and a copy of the disabled angler's Permanent Disabilities Permit while providing assistance. 2. The Permanent Disabilities Permit holder is present and participating in the angling activities. 3. Fish harvested while providing assistance to the Permanent Disabilities Permit holder become part of the Disabled Permit holder's bag and possession limit. 4. The disabled angler and their assistant(s) may only use one fishing rod while being assisted or providing assistance. 5. The person(s) assisting the disabled angler may be in possession of their daily bag limit and still assist the disabled angler. |
| Licenses and Permits - Shellfish | Fee | Qualifications |
| Resident Annual Shellfish License | \$6.50 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Same as Annual Angling License (pg. 9) |
| Nonresident Annual Shellfish License | \$16.50 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No residency requirements. |
| Nonresident 3-day Shellfish License | \$9.00 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No residency requirements. |
| Disabled Clam Digger Permit • A person may assist a disabled clam digger, provided: | Free | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Issued by ODFW Newport, Charleston or Astoria offices. Written certification from a licensed physician that the applicant meets one of the following criteria: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Severely limited mobility because of paralysis or loss of use of some or all of a person's legs or arms; 2. Loss of vision or substantial loss of visual acuity or visual field beyond correction; or 3. Unable to walk without an assistive device or unable to walk more than 200 feet. The doctor's certification must state whether the condition is permanent or temporary and, if temporary, the date when assistance would no longer be required. A Disabled Veterans License, a Permanent Disabilities Permit, Wheelchair Angler License, or a Blind Angler License, issued by ODFW, may be used instead of the Disabled Clam Digger Permit. A shellfish license is required in addition to this permit. |
| Abalone Harvest Permit | Free | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Issued by ODFW Newport, Charleston or Astoria offices. |

GENERAL (STATEWIDE) REGULATIONS

Catch and Possession Limits

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| Catch and Possession Limits: | Catch and possession limits apply to all waters and across Zone boundaries and apply to all fish and <i>shellfish</i> in possession regardless of condition. This includes fish and <i>shellfish</i> which are fresh, and when lawful, frozen, canned, smoked or otherwise processed. |
| Daily Limit: | Maximum number of fish or <i>shellfish</i> which may be legally caught and reduced to possession in one day. An angler may take daily limits of several types of fish per day. |
| Annual Limit: | Applies to <i>abalone</i> , <i>Pacific halibut</i> , <i>salmon</i> , <i>steelhead</i> and <i>sturgeon</i> only. The annual catch limits are: <i>abalone</i> 5; <i>sturgeon</i> 5; <i>Pacific halibut</i> 6; and 20 for <i>salmon</i> and <i>steelhead</i> , in any combination, when recorded on the Combined Angling Tag. Adipose or otherwise fin-clipped <i>salmon</i> or adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> legally recorded on a Hatchery Harvest Tag do not count toward this annual limit. |
| Possession Limit: | Maximum number or amount of a type of fish or <i>shellfish</i> that a person may <i>lawfully</i> possess in the field or forest, or in transit to the place of permanent residence. The possession limit is: 2 daily limits for all species, including jack <i>salmon</i> except 1 daily limit for <i>abalone</i> , 1 daily limit on the vessel or two daily limits on land for <i>Pacific halibut</i> , and no possession limit for adult <i>salmon</i> , <i>steelhead</i> , or <i>sturgeon</i> . Anglers are restricted to 1 daily catch limit and 1 annual catch limit from the Columbia River, even if licensed in Oregon and Washington. |
| Size Limit: | It is unlawful to take or have in possession any fish or <i>shellfish</i> that are smaller than the minimum size or larger than the maximum size limits. All undersized, oversized, prohibited species or unwanted fish or <i>shellfish</i> taken must be immediately released unharmed and should not be removed from the water. |

Definitions:

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| Adipose | A hatchery <i>salmon</i> , <i>steelhead</i> or <i>trout</i> with a clipped adipose fin and having a healed scar at the location of the fin. The adipose fin is the small fatty fin on <i>salmon</i> , <i>steelhead</i> , and <i>trout</i> located between the dorsal fin and the tail (see pg. 14). |
| Aggregate: | The total sum or number; as in 15 fish in aggregate. |
| Angling: | To take or attempt to take fish for personal use by hook and line. |
| Artificial Fly: | A fly is a hook, dressed with conventional fly tying materials. The affixed materials may be natural or synthetic. Tied in conjunction with other materials, the following items may be part of the fly: wire (lead or other metal) used for weighting the fly, dumbbell eyes or beads (metal, glass or plastic). A fly is not a hook to which sinkers, molded weights, spinners, spoons or similar attractors are attached. |
| Bait: | Any item used to attract fish which is not an artificial fly or a lure. Molded soft plastic or rubber imitation worms, eggs, or other imitation baits are considered bait. Scent is not considered bait. |
| Barbless Hook: | A hook manufactured without barbs or a hook with the point barb removed or bent down to the shank. |
| Chumming: | Depositing in the water any substance, not attached to a hook, which may attract fish. |
| Fin Clip: | A healed scar where a fish fin has been clipped. |
| Fly Angling: | Angling with a fly rod, fly reel, (no spinning or fixed spool reel(s)), floating or sinking fly line, leader, any type of backing line, and an artificial fly. In waters restricted to "Fly Angling Only", no additional weights or attractors shall be attached to the hook, leader, or line, and no metal core lines may be used. |
| Game Fish: | Are defined as follows: <i>Trout</i> , <i>salmon</i> when taken by angling, <i>steelhead</i> , <i>largemouth bass</i> , <i>smallmouth bass</i> , <i>bluegill</i> , <i>crappie</i> , other <i>sunfish</i> , <i>cattfish</i> , <i>walleye</i> , <i>yellow perch</i> , <i>hybrid bass</i> (white x striped cross), <i>whitefish</i> , <i>sturgeon</i> and <i>shad</i> when taken by angling, <i>mullet</i> , <i>grayling</i> and <i>striped bass</i> . |
| In the Field, Forest or Transit: | Anywhere other than a permanent residence. |
| Lake: | The slack water portion of all lakes, ponds and reservoirs; excluding beaver ponds and tide-gate sloughs. |
| Length: | The length of any fish (except <i>halibut</i>) is the shortest distance measured in a straight line between the tip of the tail and the tip of the snout while the fish is lying on its side on a flat surface with its tail in a normal position (see sketch, pg. 19). The length of a <i>Pacific halibut</i> is measured in a straight line from the tip of the lower jaw with the mouth closed to the extreme end of the middle of the tail (see sketch, pg. 19) |
| Lure: | An artificial device, complete with hooks, intended to attract and entice fish; excluding molded soft plastic or rubber imitation baits and artificial flies. Corkies, spin-n-glos, go-glos, birdy drifters, lead-head jigs, etc., are considered lures. Molded soft plastic or rubber imitation worms, eggs, or other imitation baits are considered bait. |
| Metal Core Line: | Line which when bent sharply and then released remains bent. |
| Nongame Fish: | Are defined as all fish except those which are defined as Game Fish. See species listed as Nongame in the Harvest Methods, Hours and Restrictions table on page 13. |
| Offshore Pelagic Species: | Includes all species of <i>tuna</i> and <i>mackerel</i> (family Scombridae), <i>swordfish</i> , all species of <i>bill fish</i> (family Istiophoridae), all species of the family jacks (family Carangidae), <i>opah</i> , <i>dorado</i> , <i>Pacific pomfret</i> , and all species of <i>sharks</i> . |
| Permanent Residence: | A residential dwelling where a person normally lives, with associated features such as address, telephone number, utility account, etc. |
| Resident: | A person who has resided in Oregon for at least 6 consecutive months immediately prior to the date of making application for a license, tag or permit. Resident license and tags may also be purchased by: 1) Members of the Armed Forces of the United States who: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Are permanently assigned to active duty in this state, and their spouse and dependent children.• Reside in this state while assigned to duty at any base, station, shore establishment or other facility in this state.• Reside in this state while serving as members of the crew of a ship that has an Oregon port or shore establishment as its home port or permanent station.• Reside in a foreign country and establish Oregon residency by filing Oregon state income taxes no later than 12 months before leaving active duty.• Armed Forces includes Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps and Coast Guard, or their reserve components; the National Guard or Oregon National Guard. 2) Aliens attending school in Oregon under a foreign student exchange program. |
| Salmon: | Includes 5 species: <i>chinook</i> , <i>coho</i> , <i>chum</i> , <i>sockeye</i> and <i>pink</i> . Adult salmon are <i>coho</i> over 20 inches in length and any other <i>salmon</i> species over 24 inches in length, except in the ocean where all legal size <i>salmon</i> are considered to be adults. Jack salmon are <i>coho</i> between 15 and 20 inches in length and any other <i>salmon</i> species between 15 and 24 inches in length when in fresh-water or bays. Jack salmon are not a species of <i>salmon</i> , but a life-history stage of various species of <i>salmon</i> that return to fresh-water and become sexually mature after only a short period in the ocean. Thus, there are jack <i>coho</i> and jack <i>chinook salmon</i> , for example. |
| Shellfish: | Abalone, clams, crabs, crayfish, mussels, oysters, piddocks, scallops, shrimp and other marine invertebrates with shells. |

| | |
|-------------------|--|
| Snagging: | Hooking or attempting to hook fish other than in the mouth. |
| Steelhead: | Sea-run <i>rainbow trout</i> over 20 inches in length except in Northwest and Southwest Zone streams where <i>rainbow trout</i> over 16 inches in length are defined as <i>steelhead</i> . |
| Stream: | The free-flowing portion of all rivers and creeks, including beaver ponds and tide-gated sloughs. |
| Strike Indicator: | A hookless, unscented floating device attached to the line or leader for the purpose of signaling a strike at the fly. The point of attachment must be at least 18 inches from the fly. Strike indicators are not considered an "attachment" or an "attractor" and are therefore permitted in fly angling and artificial fly waters, except the North Umpqua. |
| Sunfish: | <i>Largemouth</i> and <i>smallmouth bass</i> , <i>bluegill</i> , <i>crappie</i> , <i>green sunfish</i> , <i>redeer sunfish</i> , <i>Sacramento perch</i> , <i>pumpkinseed</i> , <i>warmouth</i> and all hybrids of these species. |
| Take: | To kill, reduce to possession or control. |
| Tidewaters: | Stream or estuary waters affected by daily ebb and flow of tides. |
| Tributary: | A stream flowing into a larger stream or a lake. |
| Trout: | All <i>rainbow</i> (except <i>steelhead</i>); <i>cutthroat</i> ; <i>brook</i> ; <i>brown</i> ; <i>bull</i> ; golden and lake <i>trout</i> ; Atlantic <i>salmon</i> ; <i>kokanee</i> ; other landlocked <i>salmon</i> ; and <i>salmon</i> under 15 inches in length, except <i>coho salmon</i> , which are always considered <i>salmon</i> regardless of size. |

Gear, Bait and General Restrictions:

Use of Fish for Bait

1. It is unlawful to transport live fish between bodies of water.
2. Live fish may not be used or held for use as bait, except live nongame fish may be used in the ocean, bays and tidewaters when taken from the waterbody in which they will be used.
3. Dead fish, preserved fish, or parts of fish, *shellfish* and fish eggs may be used as bait. *Goldfish may not be used as bait or in angler's possession while angling.*
4. *It is unlawful to use lamprey as bait in any recreational fishery.*

General Restrictions

The following activities are unlawful:

1. Use of more than 1 rod or 1 line when angling for any fish; except any number of rods or lines are allowed outside of three miles from shore when angling for offshore pelagic species and only if no species other than offshore pelagic species have been retained. Rods or lines must be closely attended.
2. Use of gurdies, winches or reels affixed to a boat to land fish (rod or line must be held in hand) except when used for retrieving crab rings or pots.
3. Sale or purchase of fish or *shellfish*, or parts thereof, which have been taken for personal use. Except the skeletal remains of ocean food fish may be sold; and eggs from ocean-caught *salmon* may be sold to a licensed wholesale fish or bait dealer.
4. Catching all or part of another person's catch limit, except as provided for by a Disabled Clam Digger Permit and Permanent Disabilities Permit. See page 10.
5. Trespassing on a fishway, weir or fish trap; and angling within 200 feet above and 200 feet below a weir or the entrance or exit of a fishway or fish trap either public or private.
6. Taking or attempting to take fish from state or federal hatchery facilities.
7. Removal, alteration or possession of ODFW signs.
8. Angling through a human-made ice hole larger than 12 inches diameter or length.
9. Transporting live fish or live eggs from one waterbody to another or into the state without a permit from ODFW.
10. Wasting fish, *shellfish* or marine intertidal invertebrates.
11. Angling on private land without permission.
12. Denying ODFW employees, peace officers or landowners opportunity to inspect license, catch and gear. *It is also unlawful for any person licensed by the Department of Fish and Wildlife to fail to comply with the directions of authorized Department personnel related to the collection of sampling data or material from salmon or other food fish. It is also unlawful for any such person to fail to relinquish to the Department any part of a salmon or other food fish containing coded-wire tags, including but not limited to, the snouts of those salmon that are marked by having clipped adipose fins.*
13. Taking or attempting to take any fish by means of chumming, or knowingly angle with the aid of chum, except chumming is allowed when fishing for offshore pelagic species outside of three miles from shore and only if no species other than offshore pelagic species have been retained.
14. Continuing to angle for the same type of fish after taking and retaining a catch or possession limit. Exceptions are provided for in *bass* fishing tournament regulations and while anglers are providing assistance to a disabled angler (see page 10). Anglers may continue to angle for *sturgeon* provided all subsequent fish are released.
15. Dispose of dead animal (fish) carcasses, or parts thereof, in Oregon waters.
16. To attach a tag or physically mark any fish in Oregon waters without a scientific taking permit except that adipose or otherwise fin-clipped fish may be tagged as part of angling tournament activities authorized under Department tournament permits. Contact ODFW in Salem for an application.
17. Take a fish which has had a radio tag inserted (a fish with an antenna trailing from its mouth or body) except radio-tagged fish may be retained, when otherwise legal, (consistent with all other existing regulations and applicable laws) in the mainstem Columbia River and its tributaries.
18. Unless authorized by a specific permit issued by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission, no person may angle for or possess any of the following species of fish: Goose Lake lamprey; Pacific lamprey; River lamprey, Western brook lamprey, Miller Lake lamprey, Klamath lamprey, Pit-Klamath lamprey, Klamath Basin lamprey, Goose Lake tui chub; Warner Basin tui chub; Alvord chub; Catlow tui chub; Oregon lakes tui chub; Sheldon tui chub; Summer Lake Basin tui chub; Borax Lake chub; Oregon tui chub of Hutton Spring; Oregon chub (Willamette Basin); California roach; Millicoma dace; Foskett Springs speckled dace; Lahonton reddsie shiner; Goose Lake sucker; Tahoe sucker; Lost River sucker; short nose sucker (*mullet*) of Klamath County; Jenny Creek sucker; Warner sucker; Malheur mottled sculpin; margined sculpin; pit sculpin; grass carp; caribe or piranha; walking *catfish*; Snake River Spring/Summer *Chinook Salmon*; Snake River Fall *Chinook Salmon*; Columbia River *Coho Salmon*. Note: fish listed under state or federal endangered species acts may be harvested under "incidental take permits," which are considered annually. Check regulations to see under what circumstances these fish may be taken.
19. Snag or attempt to snag gamefish.
20. Take, possess, or remove from streams *salmon* and *steelhead* carcasses or parts thereof not legally taken.

Text highlighted in blue is new or changed from 2005

GENERAL (STATEWIDE) REGULATIONS

Hook and Weight Regulations

1. No more than 2 hooks may be used while angling for *Pacific halibut* and no more than 3 hooks may be used while angling for other species. A double or treble point hook is classed as one hook.
2. Measure hooks from point to shank, see sketch at right.
3. When angling for *sturgeon*, use of multiple-point hooks is prohibited in all waters. In the mainstem Columbia and Snake rivers, barbed hooks are also prohibited.
4. When angling for *salmon* or *steelhead*, (except in the ocean or as listed under **Special Regulations** for specific bodies of water) the following regulations apply:
 - a. Single-point hooks larger than 1-inch and multiple-point hooks larger than 9/16 inch are prohibited.
 - b. All weight, if not part of a conventional lure, must be attached above the hooks. When using single-point hooks larger than 5/8-inch or multiple-point hooks, the attachment of the weight must be 18 inches or more above uppermost hook.
5. When angling for *salmon* or *steelhead* in the ocean, anglers must refer to **Marine Zone Regulations for Salmon and Steelhead**, page 96 and the **Northwest Zone Special Regulations** for Tillamook Bay, page 31.
6. Barbless hooks are strongly advised unless specifically required.



Harvest Methods, Hours and Restrictions:

Fish, *shellfish* or *marine invertebrates* may be taken only by the method or gear and during hours listed below.

| Species | Harvest Method | Restrictions |
|---|---|---|
| Game Fish: Salmon, Shad, Steelhead, Sturgeon, Trout, Whitefish, Largemouth Bass, Smallmouth Bass, Hybrid Bass, Striped Bass, Bluegill, Catfish, Crappie, Sunfish, Yellow Perch, Walleye and Mullet | Angling only | <i>Unlawful to:</i> 1. Angle for or take <i>salmon, shad, steelhead, sturgeon, trout</i> or <i>whitefish</i> except in daylight hours (one hour before sunrise until one hour after sunset). 2. Attempt to snag, spear, gaff, net, trap, club, shoot or ensnare any game fish. A net may be used to land legally hooked fish. 3. Take game fish hooked other than in the mouth. 4. Remove eggs from any <i>salmon, steelhead</i> or <i>sturgeon</i> without retaining the carcass while in the field. 5. Possess in the field game fish dressed or mutilated so that size, species or fin clip cannot be determined until the angler has reached their automobile or principle means of land transportation and has completed their daily angling. 6. Angle for <i>sturgeon</i> with lures in waters closed to <i>salmon</i> or <i>steelhead</i> angling. 7. Gaff or penetrate <i>sturgeon</i> in any way while landing or releasing it. 8. Remove oversize <i>sturgeon</i> totally or in part from the water. 9. Take or possess suckers (<i>mullet</i>) in Klamath County. 10. Continue to angle for jack <i>salmon</i> after retaining a limit of adult <i>salmon</i> or <i>steelhead</i> . |
| Nongame Fish and Shellfish - Freshwater: | | |
| Bullfrogs | Angling, Hand, Bow and Arrow, Spear, Gig, Spear Gun, Dip Net | No angling license is required to take <i>bullfrogs</i> . |
| Crayfish and Freshwater Clams | Angling, Hand, Baited Lines, Net, Rings and Traps | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neither an angling nor a <i>shellfish</i> license is required. • NOTE: Unlawful to take or possess <i>Zebra mussels</i> or <i>Asian clams</i>. |
| Pacific Lamprey | Hand or hand-powered tools | 1. May be taken at Willamette Falls only. 2. Must have in possession a Personal Use Permit and a Possession Permit issued from the ODFW Northwest Region Office in Clackamas when harvesting <i>lamprey</i> . 3. Must have a Possession Permit to possess <i>lamprey</i> . Possession Permit does not authorize harvest of <i>lamprey</i> . 4. Season, Harvest Hours and Possession Limits established by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission are printed on Personal Use Permit. 5. Lamprey Harvest Permit with completed catch information must be turned in to the Northwest Region Office within 30 days of the end of season. Failure to report annual catch may jeopardize your ability to obtain a Lamprey Harvest Permit in the future. |
| Smelt | Dip Net only | 1. Each smelt dipper must have their own container. 2. Unlawful to have more than one daily limit of smelt in possession while in the dipping area. No license required to take smelt. |
| Suckers, Northern Pikeminnow, Carp, Chub, Sculpin, and other Nongame Freshwater Fish | Angling, Hand, Bow and Arrow, Crossbow, Spear, Spear Gun, Gaff and Snag Hook | Unlawful to take or attempt to take <i>suckers (mullet)</i> in Klamath County and Lake County. |
| Nongame Fish - Marine: Herring, Anchovy, Sardines and Smelt | Angling, Dip Net, Cast Net and Herring Jig with any number of hooks | Other Marine Regulations are listed in Marine Zone (page 95). |
| Lingcod, Rockfish, Cabezon, Greenling, Flounder, Sole, Perch, other Nongame Marine Fish and Offshore Pelagic species | Angling, Hand, Bow and Arrow, Spear, Spear Gun, Gaff Hook, Snag Hook and Herring Jig | Unlawful to mutilate any marine fish so that size or species cannot be determined prior to landing or to transport mutilated fish across state water. |
| Pacific Halibut | Single Line, no more than 2 hooks; Spears | |
| Marine Shellfish and Other Marine Invertebrates: | See Marine Zone | See Marine Zone (page 95), and License Requirements (page 10). |



ANGLERS!

Examine this carefully

HELP CONSERVE COHO STOCKS

FOLLOW ALL REGULATIONS

Salmon Identification



Chinook (King)

- ① Lower jaw at base of teeth is black - best feature
- ② Tail fin rays smooth
- ③ Spots on both tail lobes



Coho (Silver)

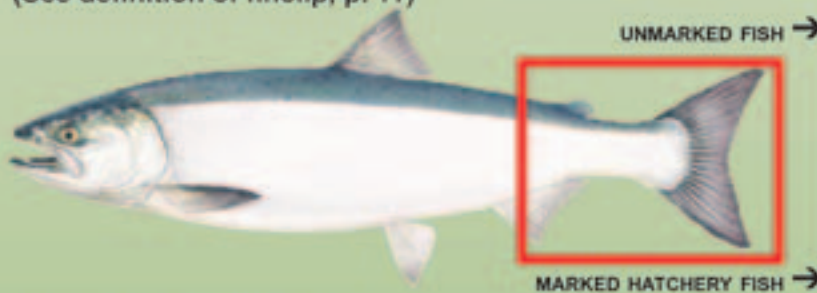


- ① Lower jaw at base of teeth is white - best feature
- ② Tail fin rays ribbed
- ③ Spots mostly on upper tail lobe



Finclip Identification

(See definition of finclip, p. 11)



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NATIVE FISH SPECIES

Rainbow Trout



Redband Trout



Coastal Cutthroat Trout



Westslope Cutthroat Trout



Chinook Salmon (King, Blackmouth)



Coho Salmon (Silver)



Kokanee/Sockeye spawning colors



Kokanee/Sockeye pre-spawning colors



Steelhead



Bull Trout



White Sturgeon



Green Sturgeon



Northern Pikeminnow

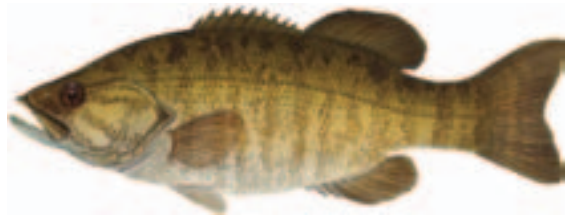


INTRODUCED FISH SPECIES

Largemouth Bass



Smallmouth Bass



Yellow Perch



Walleye



American Shad



Striped Bass



Channel Catfish



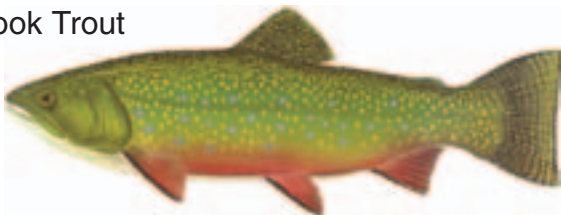
Black Crappie



Bluegill



Brook Trout



Brown Trout



Lake Trout



Atlantic Salmon



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OREGON FISH ADVISORIES

Fish are a nutritious, low-fat source of protein. However, fish in some Oregon waters have contaminants that may be harmful to you and your family's health. Please consult the recommendations below for fish consumption guidelines. For more information call the Oregon Department of Human Services at 503-731-4012 or visit their website at www.healthoregon.org/fishadv. Please note; not all of Oregon's waters have been sampled for contaminants in fish.



| WATERBODY | CONTAMINANT | CONSUMPTION RECOMMENDATION |
|---|--|---|
| Antelope Reservoir (SE Zone) | Very high mercury levels All species | VERY HIGH MERCURY LEVELS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Women of childbearing age, children under 6, and people with liver and kidney damage should avoid eating fish from these waters. Healthy adults should eat no more than one 8 ounce meal per month. |
| Columbia Slough (Willamette Zone) | PCB levels Carp, Crappie | |
| Cooper Creek Reservoir (Willamette Zone) | High mercury levels | HIGH MERCURY LEVELS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Children under 6 should eat no more than one 4 ounce meal every two months. Women of childbearing age should eat no more than one 8 ounce meal every month. Healthy adults should eat no more than one 8 ounce meal every two weeks. |
| Cottage Grove Reservoir (Willamette Zone) | Very high mercury levels All species | |
| Dorena Reservoir (Willamette Zone) | Moderate mercury levels All species | MODERATE MERCURY LEVELS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Children under 6 should eat no more than one 4 ounce meal every month. Women of childbearing age should eat no more than one 8 ounce meal every two weeks. Healthy adults should eat no more than one 8 ounce meal every week. |
| East Lake (Central Zone) Avoid eating brown trout 16" or larger | High mercury levels All species | |
| Galesville Reservoir (SW Zone) | High mercury levels All species | PCBs, DIOXINS & PESTICIDES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All persons should reduce or avoid eating fatty parts of fish. Exposure can be reduced by removing the skin and all fat, eggs and internal organs. See diagram below. |
| Jordan Creek (SE Zone) | Very high mercury levels All species | |
| Lower Columbia River (Columbia River Zone) | PCBs, dioxins, & pesticides All resident species | CRAYFISH AND CLAM ADVISORIES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Crayfish and clams harvested above (east of) Bonneville Dam to the mouth of Ruckel Creek should not be eaten. Crayfish harvested within 1000 feet of the property lines of the former McCormick & Baxter site located south of the Burlington Northern Railroad bridge in Portland Harbor, |
| Owyhee Reservoir and Owyhee River (Upstream to Three Forks) | Very high mercury levels All species | |
| Plat I Reservoir (SW Zone) | Moderate mercury levels All species | |
| Portland Harbor (Lower Willamette River) Avoid eating carp, bass and catfish | PCBs, dioxins, & pesticides All resident species | |
| Snake River, including Brownlee Reservoir (Snake River Zone) | Moderate mercury levels All species | |
| Willamette River and Coast Fork Willamette to Cottage Grove Reservoir | High mercury levels and PCBs, dioxins & pesticides All resident species | |

VERY HIGH MERCURY LEVELS

- Women of childbearing age, children under 6, and people with liver and kidney damage should avoid eating fish from these waters.
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HIGH MERCURY LEVELS

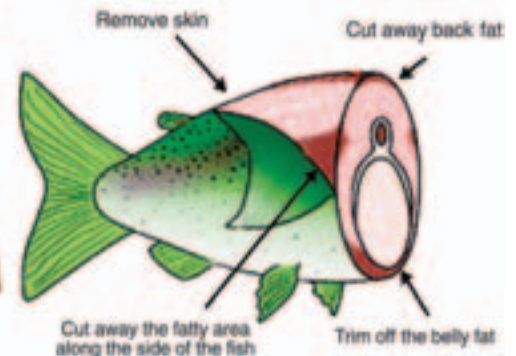
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MODERATE MERCURY LEVELS

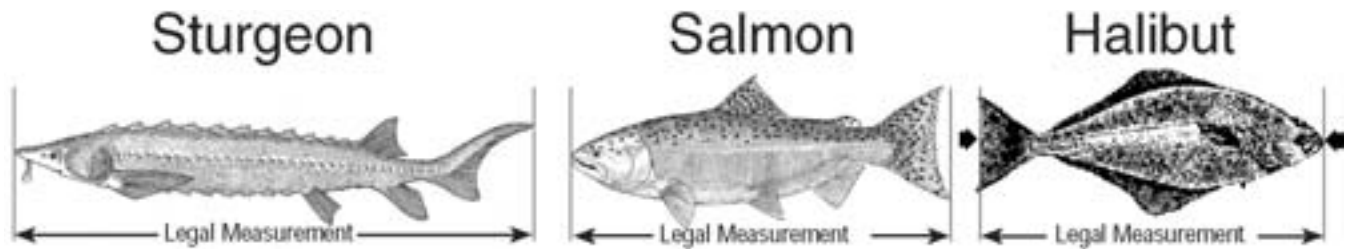
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PCBs, DIOXINS & PESTICIDES

- All persons should reduce or avoid eating fatty parts of fish. Exposure can be reduced by removing the skin and all fat, eggs and internal organs. See diagram below.



FISH MEASUREMENTS



Transfer of Fish and Shellfish to Another Person

Fish and shellfish (whole or parts, including fish eggs) which have been taken for personal use and then given or shipped to another person must be accompanied by the following information or you may complete the Fish and Wildlife Transfer Record below:

1. Kind and number of fish or shellfish;
2. Date caught;
3. Name, address, angling license or shellfish license number and Combined Harvest or Hatchery Harvest tag number (if applicable) of the person who caught them.

The above information must also be provided to the wholesale fish or bait dealer when eggs from ocean-caught salmon are sold.

FISH & WILDLIFE TRANSFER RECORD

Person transferring wildlife:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

License #: _____

Tag#: _____

Location/Date: _____

Species being transferred:

- | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|
| Entire carcass <input type="checkbox"/> | Parts <input type="checkbox"/> _____ |
| Salmon; Coho <input type="checkbox"/> | Chinook <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Steelhead <input type="checkbox"/> | Other <input type="checkbox"/> _____ |
| Elk <input type="checkbox"/> | Deer <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Bear <input type="checkbox"/> | Cougar <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Other <input type="checkbox"/> | <u>Transferred to:</u> |

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

**Turn in Your 2005
Salmon/Steelhead/Sturgeon/Halibut
Harvest Card (Tag) —and WIN!**



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**Instructions for Completing
Salmon, Steelhead, Sturgeon,
and Halibut Harvest (Tag)**

Salmon, Steelhead, Sturgeon & Halibut Anglers:

Upon landing and keeping an adult salmon, steelhead, legal size sturgeon, or halibut, the angler must **IMMEDIATELY** enter the codes for the species caught, (ocean port or stream) and the month and day of catch. Record fish in consecutive order. (See **Southwest Zone Regulations**: jack salmon landed and kept from Hunter Creek and Pistol River are required to be tagged and recorded). Use only 1 line per fish. Only Sturgeon and Halibut handlers **must** record the fish length in inches.

Entries must be recorded in ball point pen.

NO ERASURES ALLOWED

Example of a coded entry while fishing on the N Fk. Umpqua on Jan. 25, a Fin-Clipped Chinook then an Unmarked Steelhead are taken. On Tahkenitch Lk. Nov. 30 a Wild Coho is taken.

| Species | Location | Length inches | Month | Day |
|---------|----------|---------------|-------|-----|
| 1 | 103 | 36 | 1 | 25 |
| 6W | 103 | 28 | 1 | 25 |
| 2W | 93 | 30 | 11 | 30 |

CODES

SPECIES OF FISH

- 1 Chinook **Fin-Clipped (Hatchery)** (king or black mouth) - has black lower gum line
- 1W Chinook **Unmarked (Wild)** (king or black mouth) - has black lower gum line
- 2 Coho **Fin-Clipped (Hatchery)** (silver) - has white lower gum line
- 2W Coho **Unmarked (Wild)** (silver) - has white lower gum line
- 3 Other Salmon - pink (humpy) Chum (dog) or Sockeye
- 4 Jack Salmon
- 6 Steelhead **Fin-Clipped (Hatchery)**
- 6W Steelhead **Unmarked (Wild)**
- 7 White Sturgeon - gray with uniform pale belly
- 8 Green Sturgeon - olive green with dark stripe on belly
- 9 Halibut

HANDLE WITH CARE

When you catch and release fish, you are preserving a valuable resource for other anglers to enjoy in the future. Use barbless hooks in order to easily release your catch. Land fish as carefully as possible. Remove the hook quickly and gently, keeping the fish underwater. See page 33 for Catch and Release guidelines.

Return expired Harvest Card (Tags) to qualify for prizes and help ODFW manage the fisheries and estimate total harvest.

Return to:

ODFW **or** Deposit with any ODFW
3406 Cherry Ave NE License Agent
Salem OR 97303-4924

HARVEST CARD (TAG) LOCATION CODES FOR OCEAN HARVESTED FISH ONLY

(For Bays and Estuaries Use River Systems Codes Below)

| | | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| <u>Code</u> Coastal Port | <u>Code</u> Coastal Port | <u>Code</u> Coastal Port | <u>Code</u> Coastal Port |
| 1 Astoria | 5 Cape Kiwanda & Pacific City | 9 Newport | 13 Charleston |
| 2 Nehalem Bay | 6 Salmon River | 10 Waldport | 14 Bandon |
| 3 Garibaldi | 7 Siletz Bay | 11 Florence | 15 Port Orford |
| 4 Netarts Bay | 8 Depoe Bay | 12 Winchester Bay | 16 Gold Beach |
| | | | 17 Brookings |

COLUMBIA RIVER MAINSTEM

| | | | |
|------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| <u>Code</u> Waterbody | <u>Code</u> Waterbody | <u>Code</u> Waterbody | <u>Code</u> Waterbody |
| 211 Buoy 10 to Tongue Point | 213 Longview Bridge to | 215 Bonneville Dam to | 217 John Day Dam to |
| 212 Tongue Point to | I-5 Bridge | The Dalles Dam | McNary Dam |
| Longview Bridge | 214 I-5 Bridge to | 216 The Dalles Dam to | 218 McNary Dam to |
| | Bonneville Dam | John Day Dam | Stateline |

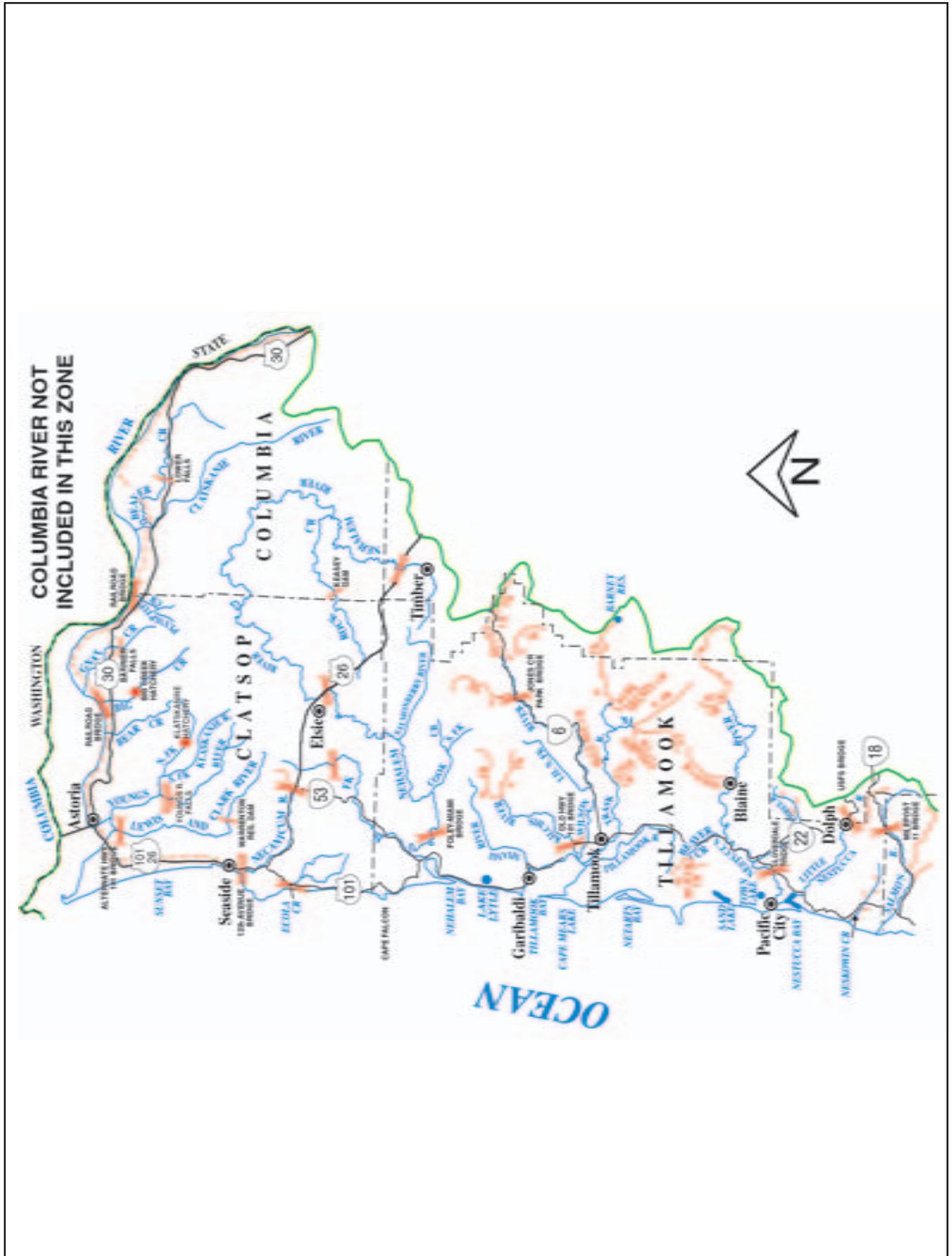
COLUMBIA RIVER TRIBUTARIES

| | | | |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <u>Code</u> Waterbody | <u>Code</u> Waterbody | <u>Code</u> Waterbody | <u>Code</u> Waterbody |
| 112 Abernathy Cr. (Willamette R.) | 138 Gnat Cr. | 220 Long Tom R. | 176 Snake R. |
| 113 Abiqua Cr. (Pudding R.) | 231 Grande Ronde R. from | 156 Luckiamute R. | 177 Sucker Cr. |
| 187 Alton Baker Canoe Canal | Stateline to Wildcat Bridge | 156 Little Luckiamute R. | 178 Tanner Cr. |
| (Willamette) | 232 Grande Ronde R. from | 241 Lookingglass Cr. | 180 Tualatin R. |
| 114 Bear Cr. (Clatsop Co.) | Wildcat Bridge to Island | 157 Marys R. | 236 Umatilla R. below Three |
| 115 Beaver Cr. (Col. Co.) | City Bridge | 155 McKenzie R. below | Mile Dam |
| 116 Big Cr. (Clatsop Co.) | 233 Grande Ronde R. above | Leaburg Dam | 243 Umatilla R. Three |
| 223 Blue R. (McKenzie R.) | Island City Bridge | 158 McKenzie R. above | Mile Dam to Nolin |
| 117 Bull Run R. | 140 Herman Cr. (Col R.) | Leaburg Dam | 237 Umatilla R. above Nolin |
| 118 Butte Cr. (Pudding R.) | 229 Hood R. mouth to | 161 Mill Cr. (Yamhill Co) | 182 Walla Walla R. |
| 120 Catherine Cr. | Powerdale Dam | 162 Milton Cr. (Columbia. Co.) | 234 Wallowa R. mouth to |
| 122 Clackamas R. below | 230 Hood R. above Powerdale | 164 Molalla R. | Minam State Park |
| N Fk. Dam | Dam | 242 Powder R. | 235 Wallowa R. above Minam |
| 202 Clackamas R. System | 142 E Fk. Hood R. | 166 Pudding R. | State Park |
| above N Fk. Dam | 143 W Fk. Hood R. | 165 Rickreall Cr. | 184 Wenaha R. |
| 123 Clatskanie R. | 144 Imnaha R. | 221 Row R. | 203 White R. |
| 124 Clear Cr. (Clackamas. R.) | 208 John Day Arm | 167 Salmon R. (Sandy R.) | 185 Willamette R. & Slough |
| 130 Deep Cr. (Clackamas. R.) | 238 John Day R. below | 168 Sandy R. below Marmot Dam | below Oregon City Falls |
| 131 Deschutes R. below | Cottonwood Bridge | 205 Sandy R. above Marmot Dam | 186 Willamette R. above |
| Sherar Falls | 239 John Day R. above | 169 Santiam R. | Oregon City Falls |
| 203 Deschutes R. above | Cottonwood Bridge | 170 N Fk. Santiam R. | 188 Mid Fk. Willamette R. |
| Sherar Falls | 146 Mid Fk. John Day R. | 171 Little N Fk. Santiam R. | 210 Coast Fk. Willamette R. |
| 132 Eagle Cr. (Clackamas. R.) | 147 N Fk. John Day R. | 172 S Fk. Santiam R. | 189 Willamina Cr. |
| 133 Eagle Cr. (Columbia R.) | 148 Johnson Cr. (Willamette R.) | 173 Scappoose Cr. | 190 Yamhill R. |
| 134 Fall Cr. (Willamette R.) | 151 Klaskanine R. | 174 N Fk. Scappoose Cr. | 191 N Fk. Yamhill R. |
| 209 Little Fall Cr. (Willamette R.) | 152 N Fk. Klaskanine R. | 175 S Fk. Scappoose Cr. | 192 S Fk. Yamhill R. |
| 135 Fifteenmile Cr. | 153 S Fk. Klaskanine R. | 195 Silver Cr. | 193 Youngs R. & Bay |
| 137 Gales Cr. (Tualatin R.) | 154 Lewis & Clark R. | | |

COASTAL RIVER SYSTEMS








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| <u>Code</u> Waterbody | <u>Code</u> Waterbody | <u>Code</u> Waterbody | <u>Code</u> Waterbody |
| 21 Alsea R. & Bay | 47 Elk R. | 69 Nestucca R. & Bay | 93 Tahkenitch Cr. & Lk. |
| 22 N Fk. Alsea R. | 48 Euchre Cr. | 70 Little Nestucca R. | 94 Tenmile Cr. & Lk. (Coos Co.) |
| 23 S Fk. Alsea R. | 49 Fall Cr. (Alsea R.) | 51 New R. & Lk. | 95 Tenmile Cr. (Lane Co.) |
| 24 Applegate R. | 50 Five R. (Alsea R.) | 71 Pistol R. | 96 Three Rivers |
| 25 Beaver Cr. (Lincoln Co.) | 51 Floras Cr. & Lk. | 72 Rock Cr. (Lane Co.) | 97 Tillamook Bay |
| 26 Beaver Cr. (Till. Co.) | 53 Fourmile Cr. (Coos Co.) | 73 Rock Cr. (Nehalem R.) | 98 Tillamook R. |
| 27 Big Cr. (Lane Co.) | 54 Hunter Cr. | 74 Rock Cr. (Siletz R.) | 194 Tioga Cr. |
| 28 Big Elk Cr. (Yaquina R.) | 55 Illinois R. | 225 Rogue Bay to | 99 Trask R. |
| 29 Brush Cr. (Curry Co.) | 240 Isthmus Slough | Elephant Rock | 100 N Fk. Trask R. |
| 206 Calapooya Cr. (Umpqua R.) | 56 Indian Cr. (Siuslaw R.) | Rogue R. from Elephant | 101 S Fk. Trask R. |
| 30 Cape Cr. | 57 Kilchis R. | Rock to Grave Cr. | 102 Umpqua R. & Bay |
| 31 Chetco R. & Bay | 58 Lake Cr. (Siuslaw R.) | Rogue R. from Grave Cr. | 103 N Fk. Umpqua R. below |
| 32 Cook Cr. (Nehalem R.) | 207 Little R. (N Umpqua R.) | to Gold Ray Dam | Winchester Dam |
| 33 Coos R. & Bay | 59 Lobster Cr. (Alsea R.) | 228 Rogue R. above Gold | N Fk. Umpqua R. from |
| 34 S Fk. Coos R. | 60 Miami R. | Ray Dam | Winchester Dam to Rock Cr. |
| 35 Coquille R. & Bay | 61 Middle Cr. (Coquille R.) | 77 Salmon R. (Coast) | 219 N Fk. Umpqua R. from |
| 36 N Fk. Coquille R. | 62 Millicoma R. | 78 Salmonberry R. | Rock Cr. to Soda Springs |
| 37 E Fk. Coquille R. | 63 E Fk. Millicoma R. | 79 Sand Lk. | (Fly area) |
| 38 S Fk. Coquille R. | 64 W Fk. Millicoma R. | 80 Schooner Cr. (Siletz R.) | 104 S Fk. Umpqua R. |
| 39 Mid Fk. Coquille R. | 68 Munsel Lk. | 81 Siletz R. & Bay | 105 Wilson R. |
| 52 Cow Cr. | 65 Necanicum R. | 84 Siltcoos R. & Lk. | 106 S.F. Wilson |
| 40 Cummins Cr. | 66 Nehalem R. & Bay below | 85 Siuslaw R. & Bay | 107 Little N Fk. (Wilson R.) |
| 42 Deadwood Cr. (Siuslaw R.) | Hwy. 26/Elsie | 86 N Fk. Siuslaw R. | 108 Winchuck R. |
| 43 Drift Cr. (Alsea R.) | 204 Nehalem R. above Hwy | 87 Sixes R. | 109 Woahink Lk. |
| 44 Drift Cr. (Siletz R.) | 26/Elsie | 89 Smith R. | 110 Yachats R. |
| 45 Eel Cr. & Lk. | 67 N Fk. Nehalem R. | 90 N Fk. Smith R. | 111 Yaquina R. & Bay |
| 46 Elk Cr. (Clatsop Co.) | 224 Neskowin Cr. | 92 Sweet Cr. (Siuslaw R.) | |

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NORTHWEST ZONE

LEGEND

-  ZONE BOUNDARY
-  FALLS OR DAMS
-  FISH WEIR
-  BRIDGE
-  OTHER LANDMARKS
-  CLOSED ALL YEAR
-  RAILROAD

OREGON ZONES





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NORTHWEST ZONE

Description:

The Northwest Zone is all waters north of the Umpqua River to the Columbia River that drain directly to the Pacific Ocean, but not including the Umpqua River drainage, and tributaries of the Columbia River entering downstream of the City of St. Helens. Portions of Columbia River tributaries upstream of the railroad bridge (near the mouth) are included in the Northwest Zone and those portions of the tributaries below the railroad bridge (near the mouth) are included in the Columbia River Zone (pages 86-94). Regulations for marine fish, marine *shellfish* and *marine invertebrates* are listed under the Marine Zone (pages 95-101).

Instructions:

1. Read the **Special Regulations** for this zone. **Special Regulations** apply to specific bodies of water or portions of water within a zone. If specific references to a body of water, species, catch limits, length limits, seasons, or other specifications are not made in the **Special Regulations** for this zone, then Zone Regulations apply.
2. Read the following **Regulations for this zone**.
3. Always read the **General Regulations**, pages 9-14, which apply to all zones, for information about licenses; tags and permits; definitions; catch and possession limits; gear and bait restrictions; and harvest methods and hours, before going fishing.
4. Emergency or permanent rules adopted since January 1 may supersede these regulations. Anglers may call ODFW headquarters or regional offices at the numbers on page 5 of these regulations, or check the ODFW web site, www.dfw.state.or.us for these rules, or call 503-947-6001 24 hours a day.

Regulations for this zone:

1. Angling for all species in streams above tidewater is restricted to artificial flies and lures May 27-Aug. 31. See exceptions for use of bait in Siletz, Nestucca, Trask, Wilson, John Day, Lewis and Clark, Youngs and Klaskanine rivers, Big and Gnat creeks, and Three Rivers.
2. Use of bait allowed in bays and tidewaters year round.
3. Anglers may not continue to angle for jack *salmon* or *trout* after retaining a limit of adult *salmon* or *steelhead*.

| Species Name | Catch Limits | Length Limits and Other Specifications | Season |
|--|--|--|---|
| <i>Trout</i> | <p>Lakes: 5 per day, 2 daily limits in possession.</p> <p>Streams: (including tidewaters and bays):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neskowin Creek and north (including Lower Columbia River tributaries). Catch and release only. • Salmon River and south, 2 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8-inch minimum length. • Only 1 <i>trout</i> over 20 inches in length may be taken per day. • <i>Rainbow trout</i> over 16 inches are considered <i>steelhead</i> in streams. • <i>Salmon</i> under 15 inches are considered <i>trout</i>, except <i>coho salmon</i>, which are always considered <i>salmon</i> regardless of size. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams above tidewater, May 27-Aug. 31. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | <p>Lakes: Open all year.</p> <p>Streams: (including tidewaters and bays): Open May 27-Oct. 31</p> |
| <i>Salmon and Steelhead</i> | <p>In the aggregate: 2 adult <i>salmon</i> or <i>steelhead</i> per day, 20 per year. 5 jack <i>salmon</i> per day, 2 daily jack limits in possession.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See exceptions to the <i>chinook salmon</i> catch limit under Nehalem, Nestucca and Tillamook bays and tributaries. • Closed to <i>coho</i> and <i>chum salmon</i> (including jacks) angling unless noted under Special Regulations. • NOTE: Changes to <i>salmon</i> regulations for the ocean, bays, coastal rivers and the Columbia River system (page 89) are printed in May and are available at ODFW offices or from license agents. Check for new regulations before you fish. • See Special Regulations in NW Zone to determine where harvest of any <i>chinook salmon</i> is allowed. Harvest of nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> and nonadipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> is prohibited in the NW Zone. There is no annual limit on adipose or otherwise fin-clipped <i>salmon</i> or adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> as long as the appropriate number of Hatchery Harvest Tags have been purchased to record the catch. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams above tidewater May 27-Aug. 31. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | <p>Closed in all waters unless noted by species under Special Regulations.</p> |
| <p>Warmwater Game Fish:</p> <p>Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass</p> | <p>5 per day, 2 daily limits in possession.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No more than 3 over 15 inches in length. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams above tidewater, May 27-Aug. 31. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | <p>Lakes: Open all year.</p> <p>Streams: (including tidewaters and bays): Open during <i>trout</i>, <i>salmon</i> or <i>steelhead</i> seasons, except tidewater areas of Columbia River tributaries downstream from the city of St. Helens are open all year.</p> |
| <p>Bluegill, Catfish, Crappie, Other Sunfish, Walleye and Yellow Perch</p> | <p>No limit.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No minimum length. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams above tidewater, May 27-Aug. 31. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | |
| <p>Other Fish:</p> <p>Sturgeon</p> | <p>1 per day, 5 per year.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum length 42 inches, maximum length 60 inches. • All oversize, undersize, and unwanted legal size <i>sturgeon</i> must be immediately released unharmed into the water. • Oversize <i>sturgeon</i> cannot be removed totally or in part from water. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams above tidewater May 27-Aug. 31. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | |

(Other Fish continued on next page)



All *trout*, *salmon* and *steelhead* that are released must be unharmed and should not be removed from the water.

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| Species Name | Catch Limits | Length Limits and Other Specifications | Season |
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| Other Fish (con't.): Striped Bass | 2 per 24 consecutive hours; 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 30-inch minimum length. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams above tidewater, May 27-Aug. 31. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | Lakes: Open all year. Streams: (including tide waters and bays): Open during <i>trout</i> , <i>salmon</i> or <i>steelhead</i> seasons, |
| Sucker, Northern Pike, Minnow, Carp, Chub, Sculpin and other Nongame Fish and Shad | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams above tidewater, May 27-Aug. 31. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | except tidewater areas of Columbia River tributaries downstream from the city of St. Helens are open all year. |
| Bullfrogs | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An angling license is not required. | Open all year. |
| Crayfish | 100 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neither an angling nor a <i>shellfish</i> license is required. • All streams are open to <i>crayfish</i> harvest including streams listed as closed under Special Regulations. | |
| Freshwater Clams | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A <i>shellfish</i> license is not required. • NOTE: Unlawful to take or possess <i>Zebra mussels</i> and <i>Asian clams</i>. | |
| Marine Fish and Marine Shellfish | See Marine Zone (pages 95-101). | | See Marine Zone (pages 95-101). |

Special Regulations for this zone:

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Alsea River (Lincoln Co.): 1. Mainstem, including tidewater upstream to Fall Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 30 and Aug. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> from Aug. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for marine fish and <i>other fish</i> entire year in Alsea Bay (see pages 25-26). |
| 2. Upstream from Fall Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 30 and Dec. 1-31. • No angling from a floating device upstream from Mill Creek. |
| 3. North Fork Alsea from the mouth upstream to 100 feet below the Alsea Hatchery fishway, and from 100 feet above the Alsea Hatchery fishway upstream 600 feet to the angling deadline marker | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1- April 30 and Dec.1-31. • No angling from a floating device. |
| 4. South Fork Alsea upstream to bridge located 200 feet upstream from Peak Creek at McBee Park | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-Mar. 31 and Dec. 1-31. • No angling from a floating device. |
| Barney Reservoir (Washington Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release only for <i>trout</i>. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Bear Creek (Clatsop Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31, May 27-Aug. 31 and Oct. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> May 27-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Aug. 31 and Oct. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-31 and Oct. 1-31. • Closed Sept. 1-30. |
| Bear Creek and tributaries (Salmon River Basin, Lincoln Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Beaver Creek (Columbia Co.) upstream to 200 feet below lower falls | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> May 27-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. |
| Beaver Creek (Lincoln Co.) upstream to county bridge located at Ona, including tidewater | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Beaver Creek (Nestucca Basin, Tillamook Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Dec. 1-31. • Closed upstream from West Beaver Creek. |
| Big Creek (Clatsop Co.) 1. Upstream from suspended cable, located approximately 225 feet downstream from hatchery weir | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed to all species except open to catch and release <i>trout</i> angling above the hatchery weir May 27-Oct. 31. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures May 27-Aug. 31. |
| 2. Downstream from the suspended cable | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed Sept. 1-30. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-Aug. 31 and Oct. 1-Dec.31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> Jan. 1- July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-31 and Oct. 1-Dec. 31. • Angling from Big Creek railroad trestle bridge near mouth closed Sept. 1-30. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug.1-31 and Oct.1-31. • Use of bait allowed. |

NORTHWEST ZONE

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Big Creek including tidewater (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. Closed April 1-Oct. 31. |
| Big Elk Creek including tidewater (Yaquina Basin, Lincoln Co.) upstream to first bridge located downstream from Grant Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Bob Creek (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed. |
| Cape Creek including tidewater (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. Closed April 1-Oct. 31. |
| Cape Meares Lake (Tillamook Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Limit 1 <i>bass</i> per day, any size, 2 daily limits in possession. |
| Clatskanie River (Columbia Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> May 27- July 31. Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. |
| Cook Creek upstream to South Fork (Nehalem Basin, Tillamook Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Cummins Creek including tidewater (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. Closed April 1-Oct. 31. |
| Deadwood Creek (Siuslaw Basin, Lane Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31. Closed April 1-Dec. 31. |
| 1. Mainstem | |
| 2. Tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed. |
| Devils Lake (Lincoln Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed to take of grass carp. Only adipose fin-clipped <i>trout</i> may be taken. |
| Drift Creek (Alsea Basin, Lincoln Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Aug. 1-Dec.31. Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. |
| 1. Mouth upstream to Lyndon Creek (near head of tidewater) | |
| 2. Lyndon Creek upstream to 200 feet below Bohanon Falls located at river mile 25 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Oct. 16-Dec.31. Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> Oct. 16-Dec. 31. |
| 3. Tributaries not listed and mainstem and tributaries above Bohanon Falls | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed. |
| Drift Creek upstream to Sampson Creek (Siletz Basin, Lincoln Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Ecola (Elk) Creek including tidewater upstream to forks located 1 mile upstream from Hwy 101 bridge (Clatsop Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. Closed April 1-Oct. 31. |
| Fall Creek upstream to Carns Creek (Alsea Basin, Lincoln Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Dec. 1-31. |
| Five Rivers (Alsea Basin, Lincoln/Lane Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Aug. 1-Dec. 31. Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31, except closed for <i>chinook salmon</i> upstream from Cascade Creek. |
| 1. Upstream to Buck Creek | |
| 2. Tributaries not listed and mainstem and tributaries upstream from Buck Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed. |
| Fishhawk Lake (near Birkenfeld on the Nehalem River, Columbia Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>trout</i> May 27-Oct. 31, catch and release only. Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures only May 27-Aug. 31. |
| Gnat Creek (Clatsop Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>coho</i> the entire year. Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> Jan. 1-Jul. 31. Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug.1-Dec. 31. See Special Regulations for Blind Slough/Knappa Slough, pg. 92. |
| 1. Upstream from railroad bridge to the Aldrich Pt. Road Bridge | |
| 2. Upstream from Aldrich Pt. Road Bridge to Barrier Falls which is located 1/4 mile upstream from Hwy 30. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-Aug. 31 and Oct. 1-Dec. 31. Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> Jan. 1-July. 31. Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Aug. 31 and Oct. 1-Dec. 31. Use of bait allowed. Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-31 and Oct. 1-Dec. 31. Closed Sept. 1-30. |

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NORTHWEST ZONE

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Indian Creek (Siuslaw Basin, Lane Co.): 1. Mainstem | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31. • Closed April 1-Dec. 31. |
| 2. Tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| John Day River (Clatsop Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> Jan. 1-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Kilchis River (Tillamook Co.): 1. Upstream to North Fork, including tidewater | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> May 27-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31; except closed for all <i>salmon</i> upstream from old Hwy 101 bridge Aug. 1-Sept. 15. 2 adult <i>chinook salmon</i> per day, 4 in any 7 consecutive days, 10 per season in aggregate from all Nehalem, Tillamook, and Nestucca bays and streams. • Catch and release only for <i>chum salmon</i> Sept. 16-Nov. 15. |
| 2. Upstream from North Fork and all tributaries including North Fork and South Fork | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Klaskanine River upstream from the confluence with Youngs River, North Fork upstream to Klaskanine Hatchery angling deadline and entire South Fork (Clatsop Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> Jan. 1-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. • Closed on the North Fork from 200 feet below hatchery holding pond fishway upstream to hatchery dam. • North Fork Klaskanine is closed upstream of Olney Lane Bridge from Sept. 1-Oct. 15. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Lake Creek (Lane Co.): 1. Upstream to Deadwood Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-Dec. 31. |
| 2. From Deadwood Creek upstream to the mouth of Fish Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Dec. 1-Dec. 31. • Closed Oct. 1-Nov. 30. |
| 3. Tributaries not listed | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Lake Lytle (Tillamook Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limit 1 <i>bass</i> per day, any size, 2 daily limits in possession. |
| Lewis and Clark River upstream to fish ladder located 200 feet downstream from Warrenton Reservoir Dam (Clatsop Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> Jan. 1-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Lily Lake (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release only for all fish. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Miami River (Tillamook Co.): 1. Mainstem only, including tidewater | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> May 27-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. 2 adult <i>chinook salmon</i> per day, 4 in any 7 consecutive days, 10 per season in aggregate from all Nehalem, Tillamook, and Nestucca bays and streams. • Catch and release only for <i>chum salmon</i> Sept. 16-Nov. 15. |
| 2. Tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Necanicum River (Clatsop Co.), downstream of Hwy 53 bridge at Necanicum Jct., including Neawanna Creek tidewater downstream of 12th Avenue bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Sept. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> Sept. 1-Dec. 31. • Closed to angling for <i>coho salmon</i>. • Open for marine fish and other fish entire year below the 12th Avenue bridge located in Seaside. See Marine Zone (pages 95-101). |
| Nehalem Bay up to Miami River-Foley Creek Road bridge including tidewater (Tillamook Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for <i>spring chinook salmon</i> April 1-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. 2 adult <i>chinook salmon</i> per day, 4 in any 7 consecutive days, 10 per season in aggregate from all Nehalem, Tillamook, and Nestucca bays and streams. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31, inland from the tips of the jetties upstream to the confluence of the North Fork Nehalem River. |
| Nehalem River: 1. Mainstem upstream from Miami River-Foley Creek Road bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restricted to artificial flies and lures May 27-Aug. 31 above tidewater (at upstream end of Mohler Sand and Gravel). • Closed upstream from Hwy 26 bridge located at Elsie Sept. 1-Oct. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> upstream to Hwy 26 bridge at Elsie entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> upstream from Hwy 26 bridge at Elsie Jan. 1-March 31, May 27-Aug. 31 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>spring chinook salmon</i> May 27-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. 2 adult <i>chinook salmon</i> per day, 4 in any 7 consecutive days, 10 per season in aggregate from all Nehalem, Tillamook, and Nestucca bays and streams. |

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| Nehalem River (continued) 2. North Fork up to 4th bridge on Hamlet Road located near Milepost 6 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>spring chinook salmon</i> May 27-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. 2 adult <i>chinook salmon</i> per day, 4 in any 7 consecutive days, 10 per season in aggregate from all Nehalem, Tillamook, and Nestucca bays and streams. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. • Closed above Hwy 53 Oct. 1-Nov. 30. • Fishing is authorized during open fishing seasons from the Nehalem Hatchery Barrier Free Fishing Platform by those individuals who possess one of the following Department-issued licenses: a Blind Angler License; a Wheelchair Angling License; a Disabled War Veteran Angling License, or a Permanent Disabilities Permit. A person may assist a Permanent Disabled Permit holder in angling, provided that conditions of the permit (page 10) are followed. |
| Neskowin Creek (Tillamook Co.): 1. Mainstem including tidewater 2. Tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • Closed April 1-Oct. 31. • Closed. |
| Nestucca River and Bay (Tillamook Co.): 1. Mainstem upstream to Farmer Creek and entire bay including upstream to Hwy 101 bridge on Little Nestucca River | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> April 1-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> mouth to Cloverdale Bridge, including upstream to Hwy 101 bridge on Little Nestucca River, Aug. 1-Dec. 31. 2 adult <i>chinook salmon</i> per day, 4 in any 7 consecutive days, 10 per season in aggregate from all Nehalem, Tillamook, and Nestucca bays and streams. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Cloverdale Bridge to Farmer Creek Sept. 16-Dec. 31. 2 adult <i>chinook</i> per day, 4 in any 7 consecutive days, 10 per season in aggregate from all Nehalem, Tillamook, and Nestucca bays and streams. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 2. From Farmer Creek to Moon Creek located at Blaine | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> April 1-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Sept. 16-Dec. 31. 2 adult <i>chinook salmon</i> per day, 4 in any 7 consecutive days, 10 per season in aggregate from all Nehalem, Tillamook, and Nestucca bays and streams. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 3. From Moon Creek located at Blaine to Elk Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Closed to all <i>salmon</i> angling year round. |
| 4. Upstream from Elk Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| 5. Tributaries not listed | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Nestucca River, Little (Tillamook Co.): 1. Hwy 101 bridge upstream to Forest Service bridge located at Dolph (for downstream of Hwy 101 see Nestucca River and Bay) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> May 27-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. 2 adult <i>chinook salmon</i> per day, 4 in any 7 consecutive days, 10 per season in aggregate from all Nehalem, Tillamook, and Nestucca bays and streams. |
| 2. Upstream from the Forest Service bridge located at Dolph | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| 3. Tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |

BAIL SCHEDULES

Most violations of the wildlife and commercial fishing laws and regulations are Class A Misdemeanors, punishable by a maximum \$5,000 fine and a maximum sentence of confinement to the county jail of one (1) year. There is no scheduled bail and mandatory court appearance is required if charged as a Class A Misdemeanor.

Violations of the wildlife and commercial fishing laws and regulations charged as violations rather than Class A Misdemeanors due to the absence of culpable mental state, or at the direction of the district attorney, have the following bail schedules:

- \$75 Violations that do not involve “taking” of wildlife, except for violations of the nonresident licensing provisions of ORS 497.102 and 497.121 and provisions of ORS 496.994.
- \$150 Violations for the “taking” of nongame mammals or game birds, and size or quantity limit for fish and shellfish, except salmon, steelhead and sturgeon.
- \$299 Violations for the “taking” of salmon, steelhead, sturgeon, wildlife not otherwise provided and all other wildlife offenses.



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| Netarts Bay and tributaries (Tillamook Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed to <i>salmon</i>, <i>steelhead</i> and <i>trout</i> angling. Open only for other fish (see page 25). |
| Pacific Ocean | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Marine Zone (pages 95-101). |
| Plympton Creek (Clatsop Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Columbia River Zone (page 91) for the area downstream from the mainline railroad bridge. |
| Rock Creek including tidewater (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • Closed April 1-Oct. 31. |
| Rock Creek (Nehalem Basin, Clatsop/Columbia Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31, May 27-Aug. 31 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • Closed Sept. 1-Oct. 31. |
| Rock Creek up to Big Rock Creek (Siletz Basin, Lincoln Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Salmon River including tidewater upstream to bridge located between Mileposts 11 and 12 (Lincoln Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> upstream to bridge located between Milepost 11 and 12 on Hwy 18 Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> upstream to bridge located near Milepost 9 on Hwy 18 May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Salmonberry River Basin (Tillamook Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • Closed April 1-Oct. 31. |
| 1. Mainstem | |
| 2. Tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Sand Lake (Tillamook Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Sand Lake tributaries (Tillamook Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Schooner Creek (Siletz Basin, Lincoln Co.) including tidewater up to Erickson Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Scott Creek and tributaries (Alsea Basin, Lincoln Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Siletz River and Bay (Lincoln Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> April 1-Dec. 31, upstream to deadline marker at the Moonshine Park boat ramp. • Use of bait allowed. • Closed. |
| 1. Mainstem upstream to painted boulder located 900 feet downstream from Siletz Falls at river mile 64.5, including tidewater | |
| 2. Mainstem Siletz upstream from 900 feet below Siletz Falls, North Fork Siletz, South Fork Siletz and all tributaries of these streams | |
| Siuslaw River (Lane Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open to angling for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> April 1-April 15, from Whittaker Creek boat launch to 200 yards below Wildcat Creek boat launch. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-Dec. 31. • Open to angling for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for other fish (see pages 25-26) entire year in tidewater. |
| 1. Mainstem upstream to Whittaker Creek including tidewater | |
| 2. Mainstem upstream from Whittaker Creek | |
| 3. North Fork including tidewater | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Dec. 1-31. • Closed Oct. 1-Nov. 30. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-Dec. 31 up to Meadows Bridge located at Milepost 11. • Closed above Meadows Bridge April 1-Dec. 31. |
| a. Mainstem | |
| b. Tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Slick Rock Creek and tributaries (Salmon River Basin, Lincoln Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Sunset Lake (Clatsop Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limit 1 <i>bass</i> per day, any size, 2 daily limits in possession. |
| Sweet Creek (Siuslaw Basin, Lane Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for other fish entire year (see pages 25-26). |
| 1. Tidewater | |
| 2. From head of tidewater upstream to 200 feet below falls located near Milepost 10. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Dec. 1-31. • Closed Oct. 1-Nov. 30. |
| Tenmile Creek including tidewater (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • Closed April 1-Oct. 31. |

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| Three Rivers (Nestucca Basin, Tillamook/Yamhill Co): 1. Mainstem | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> April 1-June 30. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Oct. 1-Dec. 31. 2 adult <i>chinook salmon</i> per day, 4 in any 7 consecutive days, 10 per season in aggregate from all Nehalem, Tillamook, and Nestucca bays and streams. • NOTE: Closed from mouth upstream to hatchery weir deadline July 1-Sept. 30. • Use of bait allowed. • No angling from a floating device. |
| 2. Tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Tillamook Bay (Tillamook Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> April 1-July 31 in Tillamook Bay and the ocean from jetty tips seaward to the green buoy approximately 1/2 mile offshore from the mouth of Tillamook Bay northeasterly to Twin Rocks (45° 35' 49" N. lat.) and southeasterly to Pyramid Rock (45° 29' 49" N. lat.) (Triangular Control Zone). • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. 2 adult <i>chinook salmon</i> per day, 4 in any 7 consecutive days, 10 per season in aggregate from all Nehalem, Tillamook, and Nestucca bays and streams. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1- Oct. 31 inland of the tips of the jetties to the Hwy 101 bridges over the Trask and Wilson rivers, and the Burton Bridge over the Tillamook River. • NOTE: Changes to <i>salmon</i> regulations for Tillamook Bay and its tributaries are printed in May and are available at ODFW offices or from license agents. Check for new regulations before you fish. |
| Tillamook Bay tributaries not listed | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Tillamook River (Tillamook Co.): 1. Tidewater | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> April 1-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. 2 adult <i>chinook salmon</i> per day, 4 in any 7 consecutive days, 10 per season in aggregate from all Nehalem, Tillamook, and Nestucca bays and streams. • Open below Burton Bridge for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. |
| 2. Mainstem, upstream from tidewater | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> May 27-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. 2 adult <i>chinook salmon</i> per day, 4 in any 7 consecutive days, 10 per season in aggregate from all Nehalem, Tillamook, and Nestucca bays and streams. |
| 3. Tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Town Lake (Tillamook Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limit one <i>bass</i> per day, any size, 2 daily limits in possession. |
| Trask River (Tillamook Co.): 1. Mainstem up to North and South forks, (at Trask County Park) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> April 1-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31; except closed for adult <i>chinook salmon</i> upstream from Hwy 101 including tidewater bridge Aug. 1-Sept. 15. 2 adult <i>chinook</i> per day, 4 in any 7 consecutive days, 10 per season in aggregate from all Nehalem, Tillamook, and Nestucca bays and streams. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. • Use of bait allowed. • Closed from marker below Dam Hole located at Milepost 7 upstream to Blue Ridge Creek Sept. 1-Nov. 30. • Closed from Gold Creek, at hatchery, 200 feet upstream and 900 feet downstream June 1-Nov. 30. |
| 2. North Fork | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Dec. 1-31, upstream to Bark Shanty Cr. • Open for <i>trout</i> May 27-June 15 only. |
| 3. South Fork | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Dec. 1-31, upstream to Edwards Creek. • Open for <i>trout</i> May 27-June 15 only. |
| 4. East Fork | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> May 27-June 15 only. |
| 5. Tributaries not listed | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Whittaker Creek (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |

Oregon State Police Fish and Wildlife Division

“Helping to Protect and Preserve Oregon’s Natural Resources Through Effective and Professional Law Enforcement”

Remember, poachers are nothing more than wildlife thieves whose actions can adversely affect Oregon’s fish and wildlife populations and future hunting and angling opportunities. Please report all violations of the wildlife laws by calling your local Oregon State Police office or the Turn In Poachers (TIP) line at 1-800-452-7888.



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| Wilson River (Tillamook Co.): 1. Mainstem upstream to South Fork including tidewater | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> April 1-July 31. Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31; except closed for <i>salmon</i> upstream from railroad bridge Aug. 1-Sept. 15. 2 adult <i>chinook salmon</i> per day, 4 in any 7 consecutive days, 10 per season in aggregate from all Nehalem, Tillamook, and Nestucca bays and streams. Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31 downstream of Hwy 101 bridge. Use of bait allowed. |
| 2. Little North Fork | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Dec. 1-31. |
| 3. South Fork, from mouth upstream to marked deadline at Milepost 1 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-Mar. 31 and Dec. 1-31. Use of bait allowed. |
| 4. Tributaries not listed. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed. |
| Yachats River up to North Fork including tidewater (Lincoln Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-Dec. 31. Only 1 <i>chinook salmon</i> per day and 5 per year. |
| Yaquina River, including Bay, (Lincoln Co.): 1. From ends of jetties upstream to head of tide | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> April 1-Dec. 31. Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. |
| 2. From head of tide upstream to first bridge located 2-1/2 miles upstream from Eddyville on Eddyville-Nashville Road | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Youngs Bay (Clatsop Co.) from Hwy 101 bridge upstream to markers at confluence of Youngs Bay and Klaskanine Rivers | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> entire year. Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> Jan. 1-July 31. Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. |
| Youngs River including tidewater (Clatsop Co.) 1. From confluence of Youngs Bay and Klaskanine River upstream to Youngs River Falls | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> Jan. 1-July 31. Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. Use of bait allowed. |
| 2. Upstream from Youngs River Falls | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Restricted to artificial flies and lures |



All trout, salmon and steelhead that are released must be unharmed and should not be removed from the water.

State and Federal Law Requires Social Security Number Collection

Federal and state laws require ODFW to collect the social security number (SSN) of applicants for hunting and fishing licenses. These laws were enacted as part of a nation-wide effort to improve child support compliance.

Social security numbers will not be displayed on licenses or disclosed except as required by state or federal law. Instead, a Hunter/Angler ID number is printed on all licenses, tags, permits, etc. This is your permanent identification number. It is the primary number for identifying you in our system and maintaining your license history.

Bring any 2005 License or tag to any POS license agent when applying for 2006 licenses and tags. You will be quickly identified within the system and avoid delays.

This agency receives federal financial assistance in Sport Fish and/or Wildlife Restoration and prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, sex or disability.

If you believe that you have been discriminated against as described above in any program, activity, or facility, or if you desire further information, please contact:

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 U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
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 1849 C St. NW
 Mailstop: 3458
 Washington DC 20240





Freshwater Angling Ethics

Enjoying angling in Oregon's waters brings with it some responsibilities. To ensure viable fish populations and continued fishing opportunities, all Oregonians are encouraged to make a personal commitment to the care of the state's fish and their habitats. Positive voluntary efforts can reduce the necessity for future mandatory regulations.

Here are some guidelines to consider when pledging a personal code of ethics, one that reflects your values and your respect for Oregon's natural places.

- Know and follow all state angling rules and regulations. Call 503-947-6001 or visit ODFW's Web site.
- Protect Oregon's waters from pollutants and waste. Dispose of all trash, including fishing line and tackle, at collection stations or disposal sites.
- Ask first! Do not trespass on private land.
- Be courteous to other anglers, boaters, hikers and campers.
- Remember that warm water conditions can stress salmon, steelhead and trout. Seek cooler waters during summer months, especially early in the day.
- Clean angling equipment and boats. Disinfect wading boots to prevent the spread of aquatic "hitch hikers" such as weeds and diseases. See page 81 for details.
- Report angling violations to the Oregon State Police at 1-800-452-7888.
- Avoid actively spawning fish.
- Teach future generations how to enjoy and conserve Oregon's fish and their habitats.

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Visit the ODFW Web site for more information on angler ethics.
www.dfw.state.or.us/resources/fishing/ethics

Catch and Release

Using Tackle

- Use barbless hooks so you can easily release your catch. Use pliers to pinch down barbs.
- Use tackle strong enough to bring your fish in quickly and gently.

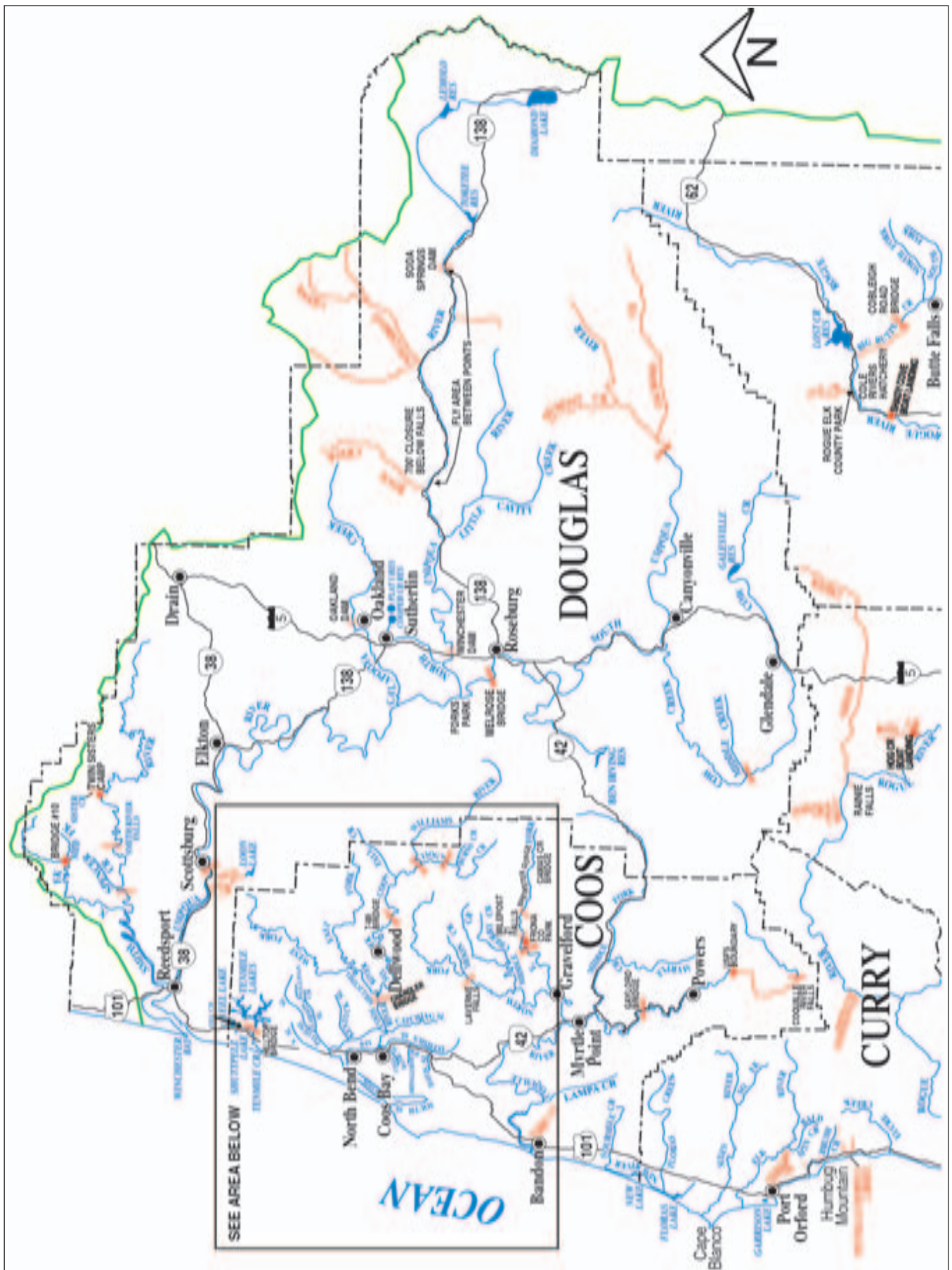
Removing hooks

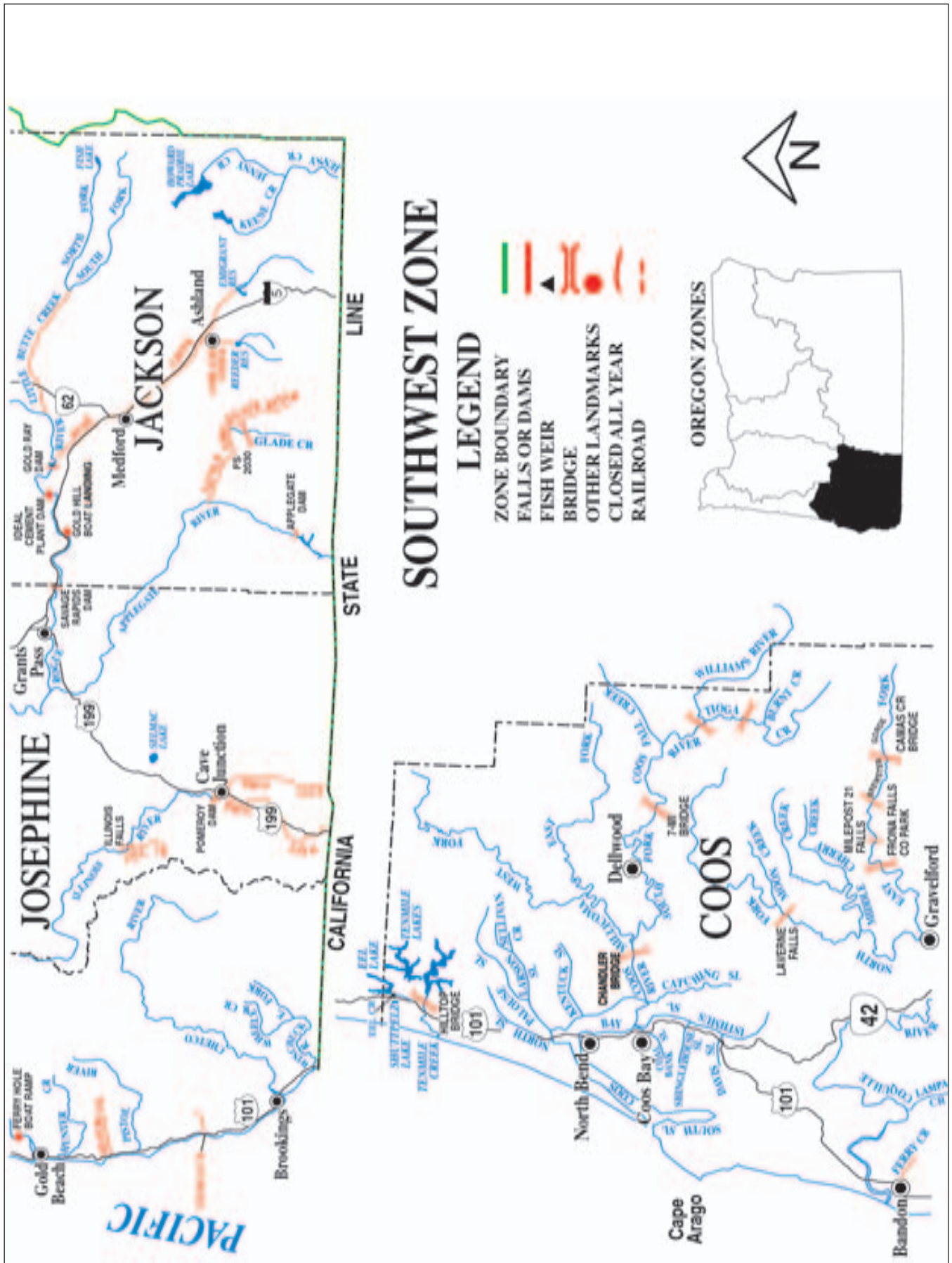
- Land fish as carefully as possible.
- Avoid removing fish from the water, but if you must, use a cotton or rubber net – not nylon.
- Keep your hands wet when handling fish.
- If taking a photo, cradle the fish at water level and quickly take the picture.
- Remove the hook quickly and gently while keeping the fish under water.
- Use long-nosed pliers or hemostats to back out the hook.
- If a fish is hooked deeply, cut the line near the hook, which will dissolve.

Reviving fish

- Point the fish into a slow current or move it back and forth until its gills are working and it maintains its balance on its own. Be patient!
- When possible, let it swim out of your hands.







Southwest Zone

HELP RESTORE DIAMOND LAKE

Once called the "Gem of the Cascades", Diamond Lake's crystal blue waters and large rainbow trout were the attractions that for generations brought families together to fish, camp, hike and relax. For several decades, thousands of anglers of all ages have enjoyed fishing and other beneficial uses at Diamond Lake. Millions of Tui Chub have now replaced the rainbow trout fishery and degraded the clean and swimmable waters.

The **Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife** plans to completely remove the Tui Chub population and reintroduce rainbow trout with fishing to resume in 2007.

The total cost of this project is \$5,568,000.

The **Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife** has asked the **Oregon Wildlife Heritage Foundation** to raise \$1.865 million for this project. We have accepted this challenge and are asking for your help. Your donation of \$25 or more will be used to fund the restoration of this beautiful "Gem of the Cascades". Your donation also gives you a complimentary one year membership in the **Oregon Wildlife Heritage Foundation**, a 501(c)3 non-profit foundation.

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SOUTHWEST ZONE

Description:

The Southwest Zone is all waters draining directly to the Pacific Ocean from the Umpqua River south to the Oregon-California border, and including, the Umpqua River drainage; and those portions of Klamath River drainage in Jackson County. Regulations for marine fish, marine *shellfish* and *marine invertebrates* are listed under the Marine Zone (pages 95-101).

Instructions:

1. Read the **Special Regulations** for this zone. **Special Regulations** apply to specific bodies of water or portions of water within a zone. If specific references to a body of water, species, catch limits, length limits, seasons, or other specifications are not made in the **Special Regulations** for this zone, then Zone Regulations apply.
2. Read the following **Regulations for this zone**.
3. Always read the **General Regulations**, pages 9-14, which apply to all zones, for information about licenses; tags and permits; definitions; catch and possession limits; gear and bait restrictions; and harvest methods and hours, before going fishing.
4. Emergency or permanent rules adopted since January 1 may supersede these regulations. Anglers may call ODFW headquarters or regional offices at the numbers on page 5 of these regulations, or check the ODFW web site, www.dfw.state.or.us for these rules.

Regulations for this zone:

1. Rogue River tributaries below Lost Creek Dam, Applegate River tributaries below Applegate Dam, all Illinois River tributaries, and the Illinois River above Pomeroy Dam are **closed** to all angling, except as noted under **Special Regulations**.
2. Angling in streams above tidewater for all species during May 27-Aug. 31 is restricted to artificial flies and lures. See exceptions for use of bait in Rogue, Applegate and Umpqua river basins.
3. Use of bait allowed in bays and tidewaters year round.
4. Anglers may not continue to angle for jack *salmon* or *trout* after retaining limit of adult *salmon* or *steelhead*.

| Species Name | Catch Limits | Length Limits and Other Specifications | Season |
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| Trout | <p>Lakes: 5 per day, 2 daily limits in possession.</p> <p>Streams: (including tidewaters and bays); 2 per day, 2 daily catch limits in possession.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8-inch minimum length. • Only 1 <i>trout</i> over 20 inches in length may be taken per day. • <i>Rainbow trout</i> over 16 inches are considered <i>steelhead</i> in streams. • <i>Salmon</i> under 15 inches are considered <i>trout</i> except <i>coho salmon</i>, which are always considered <i>salmon</i> regardless of size. • No limit on size or number of <i>brook trout</i> taken from streams. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams above tidewater, May 27-Aug. 31. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | <p>Lakes: Open all year unless noted under Special Regulations.</p> <p>Streams (including tidewater and bays): Open May 27-Oct. 31 unless noted under Special Regulations.</p> |
| Salmon and Steelhead | <p>In the aggregate: 2 adult <i>salmon</i> or <i>steelhead</i> per day, 20 per year. 5 jack <i>salmon</i> per day, 2 daily jack limits in possession.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Special Regulations in SW Zone to determine where harvest of any <i>chinook salmon</i> is allowed. There is no annual limit on adipose or otherwise fin-clipped <i>salmon</i> or adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> as long as the appropriate number of Hatchery Harvest Tags have been purchased to record the catch. • Only adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be kept, except as noted under Special Regulations for the mainstem Chetco, Elk, North Umpqua, mainstem Umpqua, Pistol, Rogue, Sixes and Winchuck rivers and Hunter and Euchre creeks. • Where allowed, no more than a total of 1 per day and 5 per year nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be taken per year statewide. • NOTE: Changes to <i>salmon</i> regulations for the ocean, bays and coastal rivers are printed in May and are available at ODFW offices or from license agents. Check for new regulations before you fish. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams above tidewater, May 27-Aug. 31. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | <p>Closed in all waters unless noted by species under Special Regulations.</p> |
| Warmwater Game Fish : Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass | <p>5 per day, 2 daily limits in possession unless noted under Special Regulations.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No more than 3 over 15 inches in length. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams above tidewater, May 27-Aug. 31. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | <p>Lakes: Open all year.</p> <p>Streams (including tidewaters and bays): Open during <i>trout</i>, <i>salmon</i> or <i>steelhead</i> seasons.</p> |
| Bluegill, Catfish, Crappie, Other Sunfish, Walleye, and Yellow Perch | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No minimum length unless noted under Special Regulations. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams above tidewater, May 27-Aug. 31. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | |



All *trout*, *salmon* and *steelhead* that are released must be unharmed and should not be removed from the water.

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| Species Name | Catch Limits | Length Limits and Other Specifications | Season |
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| Other Fish: Sturgeon | 1 per day, 5 per year. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum length 42 inches, maximum length 60 inches. • All oversize, undersize, and unwanted legal size <i>sturgeon</i> must be immediately released unharmed into the water. • Oversize <i>sturgeon</i> cannot be removed totally or in part from the water. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams above tidewater; May 27-Aug. 31. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | Lakes: Open all year unless noted under Special Regulations . Streams: (including tidewaters and bays): Open during <i>trout</i> , <i>salmon</i> or <i>steelhead</i> seasons. |
| Striped Bass | 2 per 24 consecutive hours; 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 30-inch minimum length. • See Tenmile Lakes for <i>hybrid bass</i>. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams above tidewater; May 27-Aug. 31. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | Lakes: Open all year unless noted under Special Regulations . Streams: (including tidewaters and bays): Open during <i>trout</i> , <i>salmon</i> or <i>steelhead</i> seasons, unless noted under Special Regulations . |
| Sucker, Umpqua Pikeminnow, Carp, Chub, Sculpin, other Nongame Fish, and Shad | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams above tidewater; May 27-Aug. 31. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | Special Regulations. |
| Smelt | First 25 pounds per day. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An angling license is not required. • Separate container for each dipper. • 25 pounds per dipper while in dipping area. | Open all year. |
| Crayfish | 100 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neither angling nor a <i>shellfish</i> license is required. • All streams are open to <i>crayfish</i> harvest including streams listed as closed under Special Regulations. | |
| Bullfrogs | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An angling license is not required. | |
| Freshwater Clams | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A <i>shellfish</i> license is not required. • NOTE: Unlawful to take or possess <i>Zebra mussels</i> and <i>Asian clams</i>. | |
| Marine Fish and Marine Shellfish | See Marine Zone (pages 95-101). | | See Marine Zone (pages 95-101). |

Special Regulations for this zone:

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Applegate Reservoir (Jackson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No harvest of <i>bass</i> between 12-15 inches and no more than 1 <i>bass</i> longer than 15 inches may be taken. • All landlocked <i>salmon</i> are considered <i>trout</i>. |
| Applegate River (Josephine/Jackson Co.): 1. Mainstem upstream to Applegate Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • 2 adipose fin-clipped <i>rainbow trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Nonadipose fin-clipped <i>rainbow</i> and <i>cutthroat trout</i> must be released unharmed. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31. • Use of bait allowed. • No angling from a floating device. • Closed from USGS cable crossing, located 1/4-mile downstream from Applegate Dam, upstream to the Dam. |
| 2. Tributaries upstream to Applegate Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed, except see entry for Glade Creek on page 40 for areas open to <i>trout</i> angling. |
| 3. Mainstem and tributaries upstream from Applegate Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • Use of bait allowed. • <i>Steelhead</i> not present. <i>Rainbow trout</i> are always considered <i>trout</i> regardless of size. |
| Ashland Creek (Jackson Co.) East and West Forks, including all tributaries upstream from Reeder Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Big Butte Creek (Rogue system, Jackson Co.) and tributaries upstream from Cobleigh Road Bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restricted to artificial flies and lures. • Open to <i>trout</i> angling per Zone Regulations. |
| Brush Creek (Curry Co.): 1. Mainstem including tidewater | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • Closed to angling April 1-Oct. 31. |
| 2. Tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Chetco River (Curry Co.) Mainstem including tidewater | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> and <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be taken; 1 per day, 5 per year as part of daily or annual <i>salmon/steelhead</i> catch limit. |
| Cooper Creek Reservoir | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Health Advisory on page 18. |

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| Coos Bay from the tips of jetties upstream to head of tide including: Kentuck Slough (Creek) upstream to tide gate, Larson Slough (Creek) upstream to Sullivan Creek, North Slough upstream to tide gate, Palouse Slough (Creek) upstream to Elliott State Forest Boundary located about 6 miles upstream from highway, Catching Slough upstream to Sumner Road Bridge, Isthmus Slough including Coal Bank and Davis Sloughs upstream to their tidegates, Shinglehouse Slough, and Pony Slough (Creek) upstream to Newmark Avenue in tidewater (Coos Co.). | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31 up to Chandler Bridge. • Isthmus Slough upstream to the tidegate is open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> entire year, excluding Coal Bank and Davis Sloughs (see map on page 35). |
| Coos River (Coos Co.): 1. Mainstem and South Fork up to head of tide located at Dellwood | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> the entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31 up to Chandler Bridge. |
| 2. South Fork from head of tide upstream to concrete bridge located near Tioga Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1- April 30 and May 27-Dec. 31, except closed for <i>salmon</i> upstream from Seven-Mile Bridge. |
| Coquille River (Coos Co.): 1. Inland from the tips of the jetties upstream to the South Fork, including tidewater. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> upstream to Lampa Creek at river mile 11.5 Aug. 1-Dec. 31. |
| 2. East Fork up to marker at lower end of Brewster Gorge. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 30 and Dec. 1-Dec. 31. • Closed 200 feet upstream from and 200 feet downstream from falls above Milepost 21 (above Dora). |
| 3. Middle Fork | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 30 and Oct. 1-Dec. 31. • Closed upstream from Myrtle Creek Sept. 16-Nov. 30. |
| 4. North Fork | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 30 and Oct. 1-Dec. 31. • Closed for <i>salmon</i> upstream from the confluence with East Fork Coquille located at Gravelford. • Closed 200 feet upstream from and 200 feet downstream from LaVerne Falls. |
| 5. South Fork | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 30 and Oct. 1-Dec. 31. • Closed for <i>salmon</i> upstream from Gaylord Bridge. • Closed from U.S. Forest Service boundary (Milepost 4 Powers-Agness Road) upstream to Coquille River Falls (approximately 12 miles) including tributaries. |
| Cow Creek (Umpqua Basin) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Umpqua River Basin. |
| Diamond Lake (Douglas Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • NOTE: Diamond Lake is scheduled to be chemically treated in the fall of 2006 to restore the lake's water quality and trout fishery. Temporary rules will be adopted to close the lake to fishing concurrent with the Marine Board boating closure. Please consult your local ODFW office or the ODFW website (www.dfw.state.or.us) for Temporary Rules that may be in place. |
| Eel Creek (below Eel Lake) (Coos Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> from Jan. 1-April 30. |
| Eel Lake (Coos/Douglas Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • <i>Rainbow trout</i> over 20 inches are considered <i>steelhead</i>. |
| Elk River (Curry Co.) Mainstem inland from the mouth of the river upstream to Bald Mountain Creek, including tidewater | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> May 27-Oct. 31, 2 per day, 8-inch minimum and open for adipose fin-clipped <i>rainbow trout</i> (half pounders), 2 per day, 8-inch minimum length, Jan. 1-March 31 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> and <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be taken; 1 per day, 5 per year as part of daily or annual <i>salmon/steelhead</i> catch limit. |
| Emigrant Creek and tributaries upstream from Emigrant Dam (Jackson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open year round. • Use of bait allowed. • <i>Steelhead</i> not present. <i>Rainbow trout</i> are always considered <i>trout</i> regardless of size. |
| Emigrant Reservoir (Jackson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8-inch minimum length for <i>crappie</i>. • All landlocked <i>salmon</i> are considered <i>trout</i>. |
| Euchre Creek (Curry Co.) Mainstem including tidewater | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be taken; 1 per day, 5 per year as part of daily or annual <i>salmon/steelhead</i> catch limit. |
| Ferry Creek (Coquille Basin, Coos Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed above Fillmore Street bridge near mouth including tributaries. |
| Floras Creek & Floras Lake outlet (Curry Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Floras Lake (Curry Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i>, <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. |
| Fourmile Creek including tidewater (Coos Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Galesville Reservoir (Douglas Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Bass</i> between 12-15 inches must be released and only 1 <i>bass</i> longer than 15 inches may be taken. • All landlocked <i>salmon</i> are considered <i>trout</i>. • See Health Advisory on page 18. |
| Garrison Lake (Curry Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 <i>bass</i> per day, 15-inch minimum length. |

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| Glade Creek (Little Applegate River tributary) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open to <i>trout</i> angling above the lower crossing of Forest Service Road 2030 April 22-Oct. 31. • 2 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Howard Prairie Reservoir (Jackson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. |
| Hubbard Creek and tributaries (Curry Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Hunter Creek (Curry Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31. • Nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be taken; 1 per day, 5 per year as part of daily or annual <i>salmon/steelhead</i> catch limit. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> downstream of Mateer Bridge Oct. 1-Dec. 31; 1 adult or jack <i>chinook</i> per day, 5 per year. • Closed for <i>trout</i>. |
| 1. Mainstem including tidewater | |
| 2. Tributaries | |
| Hyatt Lake (Jackson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. • Open April 22-Oct. 31. |
| Illinois River Basin (Curry/Josephine Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> and <i>trout</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. 1. 5 adipose fin-clipped <i>rainbow trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. 2. Nonadipose fin-clipped <i>rainbow trout</i> and <i>steelhead</i> and all <i>cutthroat trout</i> must be released unharmed and should not be removed from the water. • Closed for <i>salmon</i>. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures. • Closed from mouth of Fall Creek, located downstream from Illinois Falls, to a point 400 feet upstream from Illinois Falls. |
| 1. Mainstem up to Pomeroy Dam located near Cave Junction | |
| 2. Mainstem upstream from Pomeroy Dam | |
| 3. All tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. • Closed. |
| Jenny Creek and tributaries (Jackson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures. • <i>Steelhead</i> not present. <i>Rainbow trout</i> are always considered <i>trout</i> regardless of size. |
| Lemolo Reservoir (Douglas Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. |
| Little Butte Creek and tributaries, upstream from the forks (Rogue Basin, Jackson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Trout</i> catch and release, except no limit on size or number of <i>brook trout</i> taken. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Lost Creek Reservoir (Jackson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All landlocked <i>salmon</i> are considered <i>trout</i>. |
| Middle Creek upstream to Cherry Creek (North Fork Coquille, Coos Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 30 and May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Mill Creek upstream from Hwy 38 bridge (Umpqua Basin, Douglas Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Millicoma River (Coos Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. |
| 1. Mainstem, including tidewater | |
| 2. East and West forks | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 30 and May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Mussel/Myrtle creeks and tributaries (Curry Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Myers Creek (Curry Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| New Lake (Coos/Curry Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-Dec. 31. |
| New River including tidewater (Coos/Curry Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-June 30 and Aug. 16-Dec. 31. |
| Pacific Ocean | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Marine Zone (pages 95-101). |
| Pistol River (Curry Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> May 27-Oct. 31, 2 per day, 8-inch minimum length and open for adipose fin-clipped <i>rainbow trout</i> (half pounders), 2 per day, 8-inch minimum length, Jan. 1-March 31 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be taken; 1 per day, 5 per year as part of daily or annual <i>salmon/steelhead</i> catch limit. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> downstream of Deep Creek Oct. 1-Dec. 31; 1 adult or jack <i>chinook</i> per day, 5 per year. |
| Mainstem including tidewater | |
| Plat I Reservoir (Umpqua Basin, Douglas Co.) | |
| Rogue River (Curry/Josephine/Jackson Co.): | <p>Trout Regulations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • 5 adipose fin-clipped <i>rainbow trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Nonadipose fin-clipped <i>rainbow</i> and <i>cutthroat trout</i> must be released unharmed. <p>Salmon Regulations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i>: |
| 1. Tidewater upstream to Hog Creek boat landing | |
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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Mouth upstream to Whiskey Creek: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Jan. 1-May 31 per Zone Regulations except that for nonadipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i>, no more than 1 per day, 3 per year may be retained as part of the <i>salmon/steelhead</i> catch limit. b) June 1-Dec. 31 per Zone Regulations. 2. Whiskey Creek upstream to Hog Creek boat landing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Jan. 1-July 14 per Zone Regulations except that for nonadipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i>, no more than 1 per day, 3 per year may be retained as part of the <i>salmon/steelhead</i> catch limit. b) July 15-Dec. 31 per Zone Regulations. <p style="text-align: right;">(Rogue River continued on next page)</p> |

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| Rogue River (Curry/Josephine/Jackson Co.): 1. Tidewater upstream to Hog Creek boat landing (continued) | Steelhead Regulations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Jan. 1-April 30 nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> at least 24 inches in length may be kept; 1 per day, 5 per year, as part of daily or annual <i>salmon/steelhead</i> catch limit. Special gear restrictions and closures <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of bait allowed in mainstem Rogue River except from Foster Creek upstream to Whiskey Creek, where all angling is restricted to artificial flies and lures Sept. 1-Oct. 31. • Closed to all angling from Rainie Falls downstream 400 feet (River Mile 66). |
| 2. Hog Creek boat landing to Gold Ray Dam | Trout Regulations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • 5 adipose fin-clipped <i>rainbow trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Nonadipose fin-clipped <i>rainbow</i> and <i>cutthroat trout</i> must be released unharmed. Salmon Regulations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i>: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Jan. 1-July 14 per Zone Regulations except that for nonadipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i>, no more than 1 per day, 3 per year may be retained as part of the <i>salmon/steelhead</i> catch limit. 2. July 15-Sept. 30 per Zone Regulations. 3. Closed for <i>chinook salmon</i> Oct. 1-Dec. 31. Steelhead Regulations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Feb. 1-April 30 nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> at least 24 inches in length may be kept; 1 per day, 5 per year, as part of daily or annual <i>salmon/steelhead</i> catch limit. Special gear restrictions and closures <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of bait allowed in mainstem Rogue River. • Closed to all angling from Savage Rapids Dam downstream to markers located downstream from lowest fishway entrance (River Mile 107). • Closed to all angling from Ideal Cement Co. Powerhouse diversion dam (including diversion canal) downstream to Gold Hill boat landing (River Mile 121). • Closed to all angling from Gold Ray Dam downstream to markers located downstream from lowest fishway entrance (River Mile 126). |
| 3. From Gold Ray Dam to Cole Rivers Hatchery Diversion Dam | Trout Regulations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • 5 adipose fin-clipped <i>rainbow trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Nonadipose fin-clipped <i>rainbow</i> and <i>cutthroat trout</i> must be released unharmed. Salmon Regulations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> entire year except: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Jan. 1-July 31 per Zone Regulations except that for nonadipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i>, no more than 1 per day, 3 per year may be retained as part of the <i>salmon/steelhead</i> catch limit. 2. Nov. 1-Dec. 31 per Zone Regulations. 3. Closed for <i>chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. Steelhead Regulations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year: • Feb. 1-April 30 nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> at least 24 inches in length may be kept; 1 per day, 5 per year, as part of daily or annual <i>salmon/steelhead</i> catch limit. Special gear restrictions and closures <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of bait allowed in mainstem Rogue except: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Gold Ray Reservoir (not including the reservoir) upstream to markers located downstream from Cole Rivers Hatchery Diversion Dam restricted to artificial flies (see definition page 11). Any type of rod and reel permitted but no metal core lines and no added weights or attachments except a bubble or similar floating device may be used Sept. 1-Oct. 31. 2. Gold Ray Reservoir (not including the reservoir) upstream to boat ramp at Shady Cove Park, restricted to artificial flies and lures, Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • No angling from a floating device from deadline markers located downstream of Cole Rivers Hatchery Diversion Dam to markers located 1,200 feet downstream. • Closed to all angling from 7 pm to one hour before sunrise from April 1-July 31 from ODFW markers located downstream from fish ladder entrance at Cole Rivers Hatchery to Hwy 62 bridge at McGregor Park. • Closed to all angling from Cole Rivers Hatchery Diversion Dam downstream to the ODFW markers located downstream from the fish ladder entrance at the Hatchery (River Mile 157) • Closed to all angling in the Cole Rivers Hatchery outflow channel to confluence with main river channel. |
| 4. Tributaries (not listed) downstream from Cole Rivers Hatchery | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed, except as noted under Special Regulations for Applegate River, Illinois River, Ashland Creek, Emigrant Creek, and Big Butte and Little Butte Creeks. |
| 5. Hatchery Diversion Dam upstream to Lost Creek Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year, catch and release only. • Restricted to fly angling with barbless hooks (see fly angling definition, page 11). |

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SOUTHWEST ZONE

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Rogue River (continued) 6. Mainstem and tributaries above Lost Creek Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • No limit on the size or number of <i>brook trout</i> taken in addition to catch limits for other <i>trout</i> species. • Use of bait allowed. • <i>Steelhead</i> not present. <i>Rainbow trout</i> are always considered <i>trout</i> regardless of size. |
| Selmac Lake (Josephine Co.) Schuttpelz Lake (Coos Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One <i>bass</i> per day. • Catch and release for <i>trout</i>. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Sixes River (Curry Co.) Mainstem upstream to South Fork, including tidewater | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> May 27 – Oct. 31, 2 per day, 8-inch minimum and open for adipose fin-clipped <i>rainbow trout</i> (half pounders), 2 per day, 8-inch minimum length, Jan. 1-March 31 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be taken; 1 per day, 5 per year as part of daily or annual <i>salmon/steelhead</i> catch limit. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Smith River Tenmile Creek including tidewater (Coos Co.) Tenmile Lakes upstream from Hilltop Bridge (Coos Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Umpqua River Basin. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 30 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • <i>Rainbow trout</i> over 20 inches are considered <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 30 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. May 1- Oct. 31 <i>rainbow trout</i> over 20 inches are considered <i>trout</i> and may be harvested 1 per day as per the Zone Regulations. • No limits on size or number of <i>hybrid bass</i> taken. • <i>Largemouth bass</i>, 5 per day under 15 inches in length. |
| Thomas Creek and tributaries (Curry Co.) Tioga Creek up to concrete bridge located 1/2 mile downstream from Burnt Creek (Coos Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 30 and May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Umpqua River Basin (Douglas Co.): includes Umpqua River, Smith River, North Umpqua River, South Umpqua River and their tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10 <i>smallmouth bass</i> per day of any size, 2 daily limits in possession. |
| 1. Umpqua River mainstem, including tidewater, from the tips of the jetties upstream to confluence with North and South Forks (includes Winchester Bay) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release for <i>trout</i>. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. Nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be kept Jan. 1- April 30 and Dec. 1-31; 1 per day, 5 per year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> entire year. • Use of bait allowed. • 2 fish per 24 consecutive hours, 30-inch minimum size for <i>striped bass</i>. |
| 2. Tributaries to mainstem Umpqua River, including tidewater portions, from mouth upstream to confluence with North and South Forks | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> May 27-Sept. 15. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures for all tributaries, except tidewater areas where bait is allowed. • Open for <i>striped bass</i> entire year in tidewater areas. • Mill Creek below Loon Lake, not including Camp Creek, closed to angling entire year. • 2 fish per 24 consecutive hours limit, 30-inch minimum size for <i>striped bass</i>. |
| 3. Smith River mainstem from mouth upstream to Spencer Creek and North Fork from mouth upstream to Johnson Creek, including tidewater | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Open May 27-Sept. 15, catch and release for <i>trout</i>. • Open for <i>striped bass</i> entire year. • Use of bait allowed in tidewater areas. • 2 fish per 24 consecutive hours limit, 30-inch minimum size for <i>striped bass</i>. |
| 4. Smith River mainstem from Spencer Creek upstream to Sisters Creek and North Fork from Johnson Creek upstream to Bridge 10 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 30 and Dec. 1-Dec. 31. • Open May 27-Sept. 15, catch and release for <i>trout</i>. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures May 27- Sept. 15. |

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All *trout*, *salmon* and *steelhead* that are released must be unharmed and should not be removed from the water.



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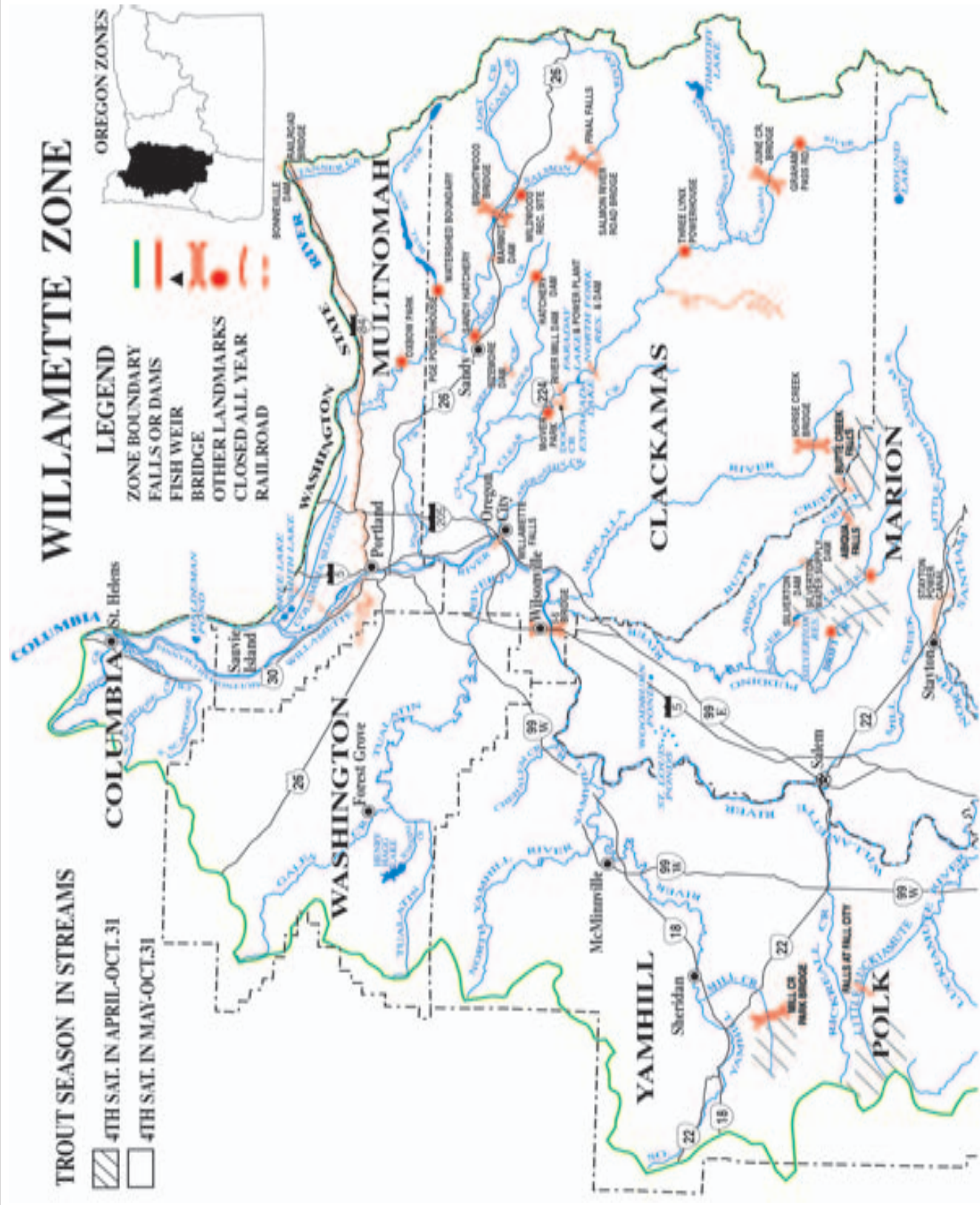
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| 5. Smith River tributaries, including tidewater portions, Smith River mainstem upstream from Sisters Creek, and North Fork and tributaries upstream from Bridge 10 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> May 27-Sept. 15. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, except tidewater areas where use of bait is allowed. • Open for <i>striped bass</i> entire year in tidewater areas. • 2 fish per 24 consecutive hours limit, 30-inch minimum size for <i>striped bass</i>. |
| 6. North Umpqua River from mouth upstream to fly area boundary above Rock Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release for <i>trout</i>. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be kept Jan. 1-Apr. 30; 1 per day, 5-per year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> Jan. 1-July 31. • Closed between old Hwy 99 bridge and Winchester Dam. • Use of bait allowed. • No angling from a floating device upstream from BLM recreation site (Lone Rock ramp) which is located 0.5 miles above the Lone Rock Bridge (Hwy 138). • Closed from markers located upstream from Rock Creek, upstream 700 feet to the fly area boundary. |
| 7. North Umpqua River from fly area boundary above Rock Creek, upstream to Soda Springs Dam (31 miles) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release for <i>trout</i>. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. <p>Special gear restrictions and closures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • July 1-Sept. 30 all angling restricted to use of single barbless unweighted artificial fly. For the purposes of this rule, an unweighted artificial fly is defined as: "a conventional hook that is dressed with natural or artificial materials, and to which no molded weight (such as split shot, jig heads or dumbbell eyes), metal wire, metal beads, bead chain eyes, or plastic body are affixed, and to which no added weight, spinning or attractor device, or natural bait is attached." • Jan. 1-June 30 and Oct. 1-Dec. 31 restricted to fly angling only with single barbless hook (see fly angling definition on page 11). • Any type rod or reel permitted, but no metal core lines and no added weights or attachments to line, leader or fly (including, but not limited to, strike indicators) except nonfly monofilament lines may have a casting bubble or similar floating device. • Closed from Soda Springs Dam downstream about 1/2 mile to marker located downstream from power plant enclosure. • No angling from a floating device. |
| 8. North Umpqua River tributaries from mouth upstream to Soda Springs Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> in tributaries below fly area boundary, except Rock Creek May 27-Sept. 15. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures. • Rock Creek and all tributaries above fly area boundary are closed to angling. |
| 9. North Umpqua River mainstem and tributaries upstream from Soda Springs Reservoir | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. • No limit on size or number of <i>brook trout</i> taken in addition to catch limits for other <i>trout</i> species. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 10. South Umpqua River from mouth upstream to Jackson Creek Bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 30 and Dec. 1- 31. • Open for <i>trout</i> May 27-Sept. 15. • Closed to all angling Sept. 16-Nov. 30. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 11. South Umpqua River and tributaries upstream from Jackson Creek Bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| 12. South Umpqua River tributaries below Jackson Creek Bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> May 27-Sept. 15. • Jackson Creek closed to all angling. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| 13. Cow Creek mainstem (South Umpqua) from mouth upstream to Middle Creek Bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 30 and Dec. 1- 31. • Open for <i>trout</i> May 27-Sept. 15. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures, May 27-Sept. 15. • Use of bait is allowed Jan. 1-May 26 and Dec. 1-31. |
| 14. Tributaries to Cow Creek and mainstem Cow Creek upstream from Middle Creek Bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> May 27-Sept. 15. • Restricted to flies and lures. |
| Winchuck River Mainstem up to Wheeler Creek, including tidewater : (Curry Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. • Nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be taken; 1 per day, 5 per year as part of daily or annual <i>salmon/steelhead</i> catch limit. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> May 27-Dec. 31. • No angling from a floating device. |

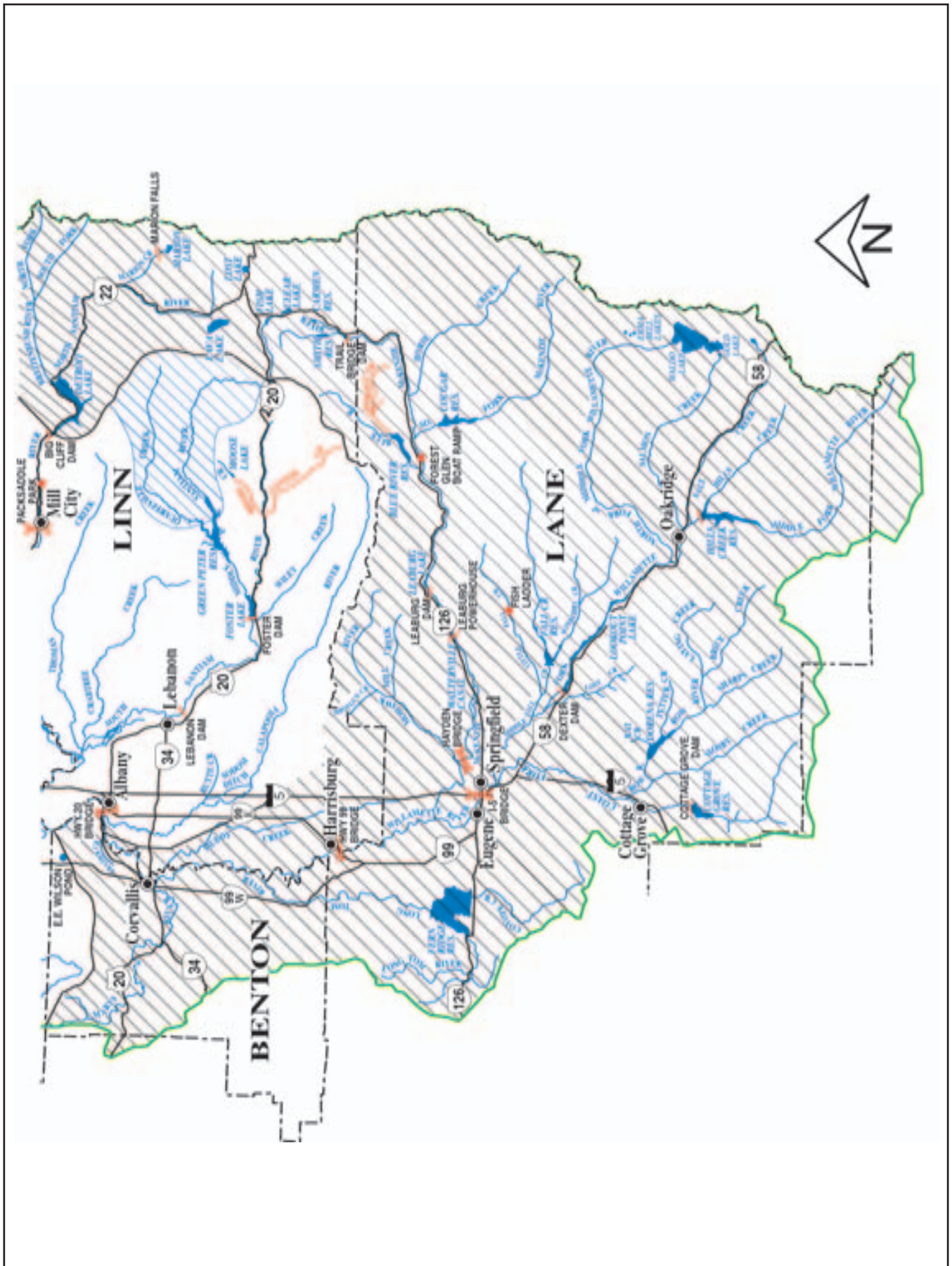
WILLAMETTE ZONE

TROUT SEASON IN STREAMS

-  4TH SAT. IN APRIL-OCT.31
-  4TH SAT. IN MAY-OCT.31

- LEGEND**
-  ZONE BOUNDARY
 -  FALLS OR DAMS
 -  FISH WEIR
 -  BRIDGE
 -  OTHER LANDMARKS
 -  CLOSED ALL YEAR
 -  RAILROAD





WILLAMETTE ZONE

Description:

The Willamette Zone is all waters draining to the Columbia River between the city of St. Helens and Bonneville Dam, except for those portions of tributaries east of the Sandy River that are downstream from the Union Pacific Railroad line (see Columbia Zone page 92, for more details). Includes all waters on Sauvie Island except the Columbia River.

Instructions:

1. Read the **Special Regulations** for this zone. **Special Regulations** apply to specific bodies of water or portions of water within a zone. If specific references to a body of water, species, catch limits, length limits, seasons, or other specifications are not made in the **Special Regulations** for this zone, then Zone Regulations apply.
2. Read the following **Regulations for this zone**.
3. Always read the **General Regulations**, pages 9-14, which apply to all zones, for information about licenses; tags and permits; definitions; catch and possession limits; gear and bait restrictions; hook and weight regulations; and harvest methods and hours, before going fishing.
4. Emergency or permanent rules adopted since January 1 may supersede these regulations. Anglers may call ODFW headquarters or regional offices at the numbers on page 5 of these regulations, or check the ODFW web site, www.dfw.state.or.us for these rules.

Regulations for this zone:

| Species Name | Catch Limits | Length Limits and Other Specifications | Season |
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| Trout | <p>Lakes: 5 per day, 2 daily limits in possession</p> <p>Streams: catch and release only, except as noted under Special Regulations.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. • 8-inch minimum length. • Only 1 <i>trout</i> over 20 inches may be taken per day. • <i>Rainbow trout</i> over 20 inches are considered <i>steelhead</i> in streams. • <i>Salmon</i> under 15 inches are considered <i>trout</i> except <i>coho salmon</i>, which are always considered <i>salmon</i> regardless of size. • Closed to angling for <i>bull trout</i>. • <i>Kokanee</i> included in <i>trout</i> limits except as noted under Special Regulations. | <p>Lakes: Open entire year.</p> <p>Streams: open May 27-Oct. 31. See Special Regulations for this zone and Willamette Zone map on pages 44-45 for streams that are open April 22-Oct. 31.</p> |
| Salmon and Steelhead | <p>In the aggregate, 2 adult <i>salmon</i> or <i>steelhead</i> per day, 5 jack <i>salmon</i> per day, 2 daily jack <i>salmon</i> limits in possession with the exception that in the Willamette River and tributaries of the Willamette Basin above Willamette Falls, 1 additional adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be retained per day for a total aggregate of 3 adult fish harvested daily.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. • NOTE: Changes to <i>salmon</i> regulations for the Columbia River system including changes to the Willamette River system are printed in May and are available at ODFW offices or from license agents. Check for new regulations before you fish. • Harvest of nonadipose fin-clipped <i>salmon</i> or <i>steelhead</i> is prohibited in the Willamette Zone. There is no annual limit on adipose fin-clipped <i>salmon</i> or <i>steelhead</i> as long as the appropriate number of Hatchery Harvest Tags have been purchased to record the catch. | <p>Closed in all waters unless noted by species under Special Regulations.</p> |

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Protecting Oregon's Investment Fish Restoration and Enhancement (R&E) Program



The R&E Program provides grants to organizations to assist with their restoration and enhancement projects that benefit Oregon's fisheries.

R&E projects benefit a diversity of anglers throughout Oregon and provide for education, habitat, angler access, fish rearing, and research and monitoring projects.

For additional information regarding the program, or to apply for an R&E grant, please call 503-947-6259 or visit the website: www.dfw.state.or.us/fish/RE



Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife

WILLAMETTE ZONE

| Species Name | Catch Limits | Length Limits and Other Specifications | Season |
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| Warmwater Game Fish: Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass | 5 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No more than 3 over 15 inches in length. • Willamette River mainstem above Hwy 20 Bridge at Albany, the Santiam and Calapooia basins: no limit on size or number taken. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | Lakes: Open all year. Streams: Open during <i>trout, salmon or steelhead</i> seasons, except mainstem Willamette River and sloughs and tidewater areas of Columbia River tributaries downstream from Bonneville Dam are open all year. |
| Bluegill, Catfish, Crappie, Other Sunfish, and Yellow Perch | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No length limit. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | |
| Walleye | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No length limit. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | |
| Other Fish: Sturgeon | 1 per day, 5 per year. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum length 42 inches, maximum length 60 inches. • All oversize, undersize, and unwanted legal size <i>sturgeon</i> must be immediately released unharmed into the water. • Only one single-point, barbless hook may be used for <i>sturgeon</i> angling in the lower Willamette River below Willamette Falls including the Multnomah Channel and all tributaries to the Multnomah Channel and the lower Willamette River. • Oversize <i>sturgeon</i> cannot be removed totally or in part from the water. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. • NOTE: <i>Sturgeon</i> fisheries are managed on a quota basis. Anglers should check the status of regulations prior to fishing as modifications will be made in-season if necessary to remain within catch guidelines. | |
| Pacific Lamprey | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refer to General (Statewide) Regulations on page 13 for regulations covering the harvest of <i>Pacific lamprey</i>. | |
| Striped Bass | 2 per 24 consecutive hours, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 30-inch minimum length. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | |
| Northern Pikeminnow, Carp, Sucker, Chub, Sculpin, Whitefish, Shad and other Non-game Fish | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No length limit. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | |
| Smelt | First 25 pounds per day. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An angling license is not required. • Separate container for each dipper. • 25 pounds per dipper while in dipping area. | All waters open all year. |
| Freshwater Clams | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A <i>shellfish</i> license is not required. | Open all year. |
| Crayfish | 100 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neither an angling nor a shellfish license is required. • All streams are open to <i>crayfish</i> harvest including streams listed as closed under Special Regulations. | |
| Bullfrogs | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An angling license is not required. | |

Special Regulations for this zone:

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Abiqua Creek upstream from Abiqua Falls near River Mile 19 (Marion Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31, 2 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, as per Zone Regulations. |
| Airport Pond (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Alton Baker Park Canoe Canal (Eugene) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Balch Creek and tributaries (Multnomah Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Blue River (McKenzie Basin, Lane Co.): 1. Mainstem and tributaries downstream from Blue River Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. • 5 adipose fin-clipped <i>trout</i> per day, no minimum length. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 2. Mainstem and tributaries upstream from Blue River Reservoir | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Breitenbush River (Marion Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Santiam River, item 4 on page 51. |
| Bull of the Woods Wilderness Area Lakes (Mt. Hood N'tl Forest, Clackamas Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NOTE: Applies to Beth Lake, Big Slide Lake, Lenore Lake, Pansy Lake, Lower Twin Lake and Upper Twin Lake. • No limit on size or number of <i>brook trout</i> taken. Catch limits on other <i>trout</i> species do not apply to <i>brook trout</i>. |
| Bull Run River up to watershed boundary (Clackamas Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. • Closed between markers 100 feet upstream from and 100 feet downstream from PGE powerhouse. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Butte Creek upstream from Butte Creek Falls near River Mile 26.5 (Marion/Clackamas Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31, 2 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, as per Zone Regulations. |
| Canyon Creek (South Santiam, Linn Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Cedar Creek (Sandy Basin, Clackamas Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed upstream to hatchery dam. |
| Clackamas River (Clackamas Co.): 1. From mouth upstream to North Fork Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. • No angling from a floating device between River Mill Dam and hatchery intake structure. • No angling between markers 400 feet upstream and 100 feet downstream from Faraday Powerhouse June 16-Oct. 31 • No angling from the entrance of the fishway/fish trap at Casadero Dam downstream to yellow deadline markers (approximately 275 feet). • Use of bait allowed. |

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| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Clackamas River (Clackamas Co.): (cont.) 2. River Mill Reservoir up to Hwy 211 bridge (Estacada Lake) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open to angling May 27-Oct. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i>, adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>trout</i> May 27-Oct. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. |
| 3. Mainstem and tributaries not listed upstream from North Fork Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For the length of the Three Lynx Powerhouse (111 feet), no angling from a floating device or from the west shore. • No limit on size or number of <i>brook trout</i> taken. Catch limits on other <i>trout</i> species do not apply to <i>brook trout</i>. |
| 4. North Fork Reservoir upstream to Milepost 32 on Hwy 224 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. • Only adipose fin-clipped <i>trout</i> may be taken. |
| 5. Oak Grove Fork and tributaries between USFS Bridge located on Road 57 and Timothy Lake Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • No limit on size or number of <i>brook trout</i> taken. Catch limits on other <i>trout</i> species do not apply to <i>brook trout</i>. |
| Clear Lake (upper McKenzie R., Linn Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No limit on size or number of <i>brook trout</i> taken. Catch limits on other <i>trout</i> species do not apply to <i>brook trout</i>. |
| Columbia Slough (Multnomah Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Health Advisory on page 18. |
| Cottage Grove Reservoir (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only <i>bass</i> less than 15 inches in length may be taken. • See Health Advisory on page 18. |
| Detroit Reservoir | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Trout</i> greater than 24 inches must be released unharmed Aug. 16-Oct.31. |
| Dog Creek (McIver Park, Clackamas Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Dorena Reservoir (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only <i>bass</i> less than 15 inches in length may be taken. • See Health Advisory on page 18. |
| Drift Creek upstream from Victor Point Road Crossing (Marion Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31, 2 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, as per Zone Regulations. |
| E.E. Wilson Pond (Benton Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open Feb. 1-Sep. 30. • Angling allowed only by free self-service permit available at E.E. Wilson Pond check station. |
| Eagle Creek (Clackamas Co.) up to markers 200 feet below hatchery ladder outlet (Clackamas Basin near Estacada) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Nov. 30. • Closed from 200 feet upstream to 300 feet downstream from fish ladder located 1/2 mile below Eagle Fern Park. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Erma Bell Lakes (Lane Co.) and tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. • 2 <i>rainbow trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • No limit on size or number of <i>brook trout</i> taken. Catch limits on other <i>trout</i> species do not apply to <i>brook trout</i>. |
| Fall Creek (Middle Fork Willamette, Lane Co.) 1. Mainstem downstream from Fall Creek Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open Jan. 1-April 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31, catch and release for <i>trout</i>. • Open April 22-Oct. 31, 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 2. Mainstem and tributaries upstream from Fall Creek Reservoir | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Faraday Lake (Clackamas R., Clackamas Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All <i>salmon</i> are considered <i>trout</i>. • Only adipose fin-clipped <i>trout</i> may be taken. |
| Fish Creek (Clackamas R., Clackamas Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Fish Lake (Linn Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open Jan. 1-May 31. |
| Foster Reservoir (South Santiam, Linn Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only <i>kokanee</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>trout</i> may be taken. • No limits on size or number of <i>bass</i>. |
| Frazier Creek (Benton Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Gold Lake (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open to angling May 27-Oct. 31. • Catch and release only for <i>rainbow trout</i>. • No limit on size or number of <i>brook trout</i> taken. Catch limits on other <i>trout</i> species do not apply to <i>brook trout</i>. • Restricted to fly angling only with barbless hooks (see fly angling definition, pg. 11). • Closed to angling from Gold Lake boat ramp down Salt Creek 100 yards to markers Jan. 1-June 30 and Nov.1-Dec. 31. |
| Green Peter Reservoir (Linn Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 25 <i>kokanee</i> per day (no size limits) may be taken in addition to other <i>trout</i> species catch limits. |
| Haldeman Pond (Sauvie Island, Columbia Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed Jan. 1-April 15 and Oct. 1-Dec. 31. |
| Henry Hagg Lake (Washington Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed Jan. 1-Mar. 3 and Nov. 20-Dec. 31. • Open Mar. 4-Nov. 19. • One <i>bass</i> per day. |
| Hills Creek Reservoir (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 adipose fin-clipped <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. |
| Hills Creek and tributaries upstream from Hills Creek Reservoir (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Lava Lake and tributaries (Linn Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed. • No catch limit or size limit on <i>brook trout</i>. |
| Leaburg Canal and tributaries (Lane Co.) Leaburg Dam to Leaburg Powerhouse | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> entire year, catch and release only. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, as per Zone Regulations. |
| Leaburg Lake (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See McKenzie River, item 2 on page 50. |

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| Little Fall Creek (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped chinook <i>salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year in the mainstem from mouth upstream to concrete fish ladder (12 miles). Open Jan. 1-April 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31, catch and release for <i>trout</i>. Open April 22-Oct. 31, 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. Use of bait allowed. |
| Little Luckiamute River above the falls at Falls City (Polk Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31, 2 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Long Tom River (Benton/Lane Co.): 1. Mainstem upstream to Fern Ridge Reservoir | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open Jan. 1-April 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31, catch and release for <i>trout</i>. Open April 22-Oct. 31, 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. Use of bait allowed. |
| 2. All tributaries above and below Fern Ridge Reservoir, and mainstem above Fern Ridge Reservoir | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open Jan. 1-April 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31, catch and release for <i>trout</i>. Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures Jan. 1-Apr. 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. Open April 22-Oct. 31, 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. Use of bait allowed April 22-Oct. 31. |
| Lookout Creek and tributaries (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed. U.S. Forest Service Research Area. |
| Lost Creek and tributaries (Middle Fork Willamette, Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. Use of bait allowed. |
| Lost Lake (Santiam Pass, Linn Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Catch and release for <i>trout</i>. Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Marion Lake (Linn Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outlet closed between markers and bridge. |
| Marys River and tributaries (Benton Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open Jan. 1-April 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31, catch and release for <i>trout</i>. Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures Jan. 1-Apr. 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. Open April 22-Oct. 31, 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. Use of bait allowed April 22-Oct. 31. |
| McKenzie River (Lane/Linn Co.): 1. Mouth upstream to Hayden Bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>trout</i> entire year, catch and release only as per Zone Regulations. Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> Jan. 1-Aug. 15. Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, as per Zone Regulations. |
| 2. Hayden Bridge upstream to Forest Glen boat ramp near Blue River (see separate entry for Walterville Canal) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. Open Jan. 1-April 21, catch and release for <i>trout</i>. Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures Jan. 1-Apr. 21. Open April 22-Dec. 31, 5 adipose fin-clipped <i>trout</i> per day, no minimum length. Use of bait allowed April 22-Dec. 31. Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> Jan 1-Aug. 15 from Hayden Bridge to the ODFW markers, approximately 200 feet below the fishways at Leaburg Dam. Closed within: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The Leaburg powerhouse tailrace. 200 feet downstream of Leaburg Dam to 200 feet upstream of Leaburg Dam. |
| 3. Tributaries not listed upstream to Clear Lake | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, as per Zone Regulations. |
| 4. Forest Glen boat ramp near Blue River upstream to Trail Bridge Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> April 22-Oct. 31. Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, as per Zone Regulations. Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. Closed to angling within the Carmen Spawning Channel and in the McKenzie River 200 feet downstream from the Carmen Spawning channel entrance. |
| 5. South Fork McKenzie | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, as per Zone Regulations. Closed to angling from Cougar Dam downstream 700 feet (to concrete supports of the old adult fish trap). |
| 6. Carmen Reservoir to Clear Lake | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. Use of bait allowed. No limit on size or number of brook <i>trout</i> taken. Catch limits on other <i>trout</i> species do not apply to brook <i>trout</i>. |
| Mill Creek (Mohawk River System, Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. Use of bait allowed. |
| Mill Creek upstream of Mill Creek Park bridge (Polk Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31, 2 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, as per Zone Regulations. |
| Mohawk River (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. Use of bait allowed. |
| Molalla River upstream to Horse Creek Bridge (Clackamas Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. Use of bait allowed. |
| Mosby Creek (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Row River, page 51. |
| Moose Creek upstream to Moose Lake (South Santiam Basin, Linn Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed. |
| Muddy Creek and tributaries (Linn Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. Use of bait allowed. 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. |
| North Fork Reservoir (Clackamas Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Clackamas River, item 4 on page 49. |
| Quartzville Creek (Linn Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Santiam River, item 6 on page 51. |
| Rainbow Lake (Charles Metzger Co. Park, Yamhill River) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5 adipose fin-clipped <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. |

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| Round Lake (Collawash River, Marion Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Row River and tributaries, including Sharps Creek, Brice Creek, Layng Creek, Mosby Creek, Rat Creek and Teeter Creek (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open Jan. 1-April 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31, catch and release for <i>trout</i>. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures Jan. 1-April 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • Open April 22-Oct. 31, 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed April 22-Oct. 31. • Open the entire year for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> in the mainstem from the mouth upstream to Dorena Dam (tributaries are closed to angling for <i>salmon</i> and <i>steelhead</i>). |
| St. Louis Ponds (Marion Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One bass per day. • Closed from 1 hour after sunset until 1 hour before sunrise. |
| Salmon Creek and tributaries (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed. • No limit on size or number of brook <i>trout</i> taken. Catch limits on other <i>trout</i> species do not apply to brook <i>trout</i>. |
| Salt Creek and tributaries (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed. • No limit on size or number of brook <i>trout</i> taken. Catch limits on other <i>trout</i> species do not apply to brook <i>trout</i>. • Closed to angling from Gold Lake boat ramp down Salt Creek 100 yards to markers Jan. 1-June 30 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. |
| Sandy River (Multnomah/Clackamas Co.): 1. Mainstem upstream to Marmot Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> Feb. 1-Oct. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. • Closed to angling from yellow painted rock or cable upstream approximately 200 feet to Marmot Dam. • Closed within 200 feet of <i>chinook salmon</i> spawning areas located in Oxbow Park where posted by ODFW markers Sept. 16-Nov. 15. • No angling from a floating device upstream from a point that is 200 feet below the Oxbow Park boat ramp. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 2. Mainstem and tributaries upstream from Marmot Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No limit on size or number of brook <i>trout</i> taken. Catch limits on other <i>trout</i> species do not apply to brook <i>trout</i>. |
| Santiam River (Marion Co.): 1. Mainstem | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> Jan. 1-Aug. 15 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 2. Little North Fork | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 3. North Fork up to Big Cliff Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> Jan. 1-Aug. 15 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • Closed: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. From the foot bridge (old railroad bridge) upstream to the falls located upstream from the highway bridge in Mill City, 2. From the markers at Packsaddle Park upstream to 400 feet upstream from the dam and fish trap which is located near Niagara, and 3. Within Stayton Power Canal. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 4. North Fork and tributaries upstream of Big Cliff Dam, including Breitenbush River | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31; 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • No limit on size or number of brook <i>trout</i> taken. Catch limits on other <i>trout</i> species do not apply to brook <i>trout</i>. • Use of bait allowed. • NOTE: Willamette Zone Regulations apply to Big Cliff Reservoir (the area between Big Cliff Dam and Detroit Dam). |
| 5. South Fork to Foster Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> Jan. 1-Aug. 15 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • Closed from Foster Dam downstream about 1/4 mile to ODFW markers. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 6. Middle Fork and tributaries upstream of Green Peter Reservoir, including Quartzville Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • No limit on size or number of brook <i>trout</i> taken. Catch limits on other <i>trout</i> species do not apply to brook <i>trout</i>. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Sauvie Island Wildlife Area (Columbia/Multnomah Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed from 10:00 p.m. until 4:00 a.m. daily. • Closed all areas Jan. 1-April 15 and Oct. 1-Dec. 31, except Columbia River beaches, the Gilbert River boat ramp, and the Disabled Person fishing pier that are open all year. |
| Shotgun Creek (Mohawk River System, Linn Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Silver Creek upstream from Silverton Reservoir to the confluence of the North and South Forks of Silver Creek (Marion Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31, 2 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, as per Zone Regulations. |
| Smith and Bybee Lakes and Canals (Multnomah Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No more than 1 bass over 15 inches in length. |
| Smith River and tributaries above Smith Reservoir (Linn Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Spring Creek Pond (Eugene) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |

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| Tanner Creek (Columbia River) upstream from the mainline railroad bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan.1-March 31 and Dec.1-31. |
| Three Sisters Wilderness, all streams and lakes in the Willamette National Forest portion. (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> in streams April 22-Oct. 31. • No limit on size or number of <i>brook trout</i> taken. Catch limits on other <i>trout</i> species do not apply to <i>brook trout</i>. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Timothy Lake (Clackamas Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 25 <i>kokanee</i> per day (no size limits) may be taken in addition to other <i>trout</i> species catch limits. • No catch limit or size limit on <i>brook trout</i>. |
| Trail Bridge Reservoir (Linn Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only adipose fin-clipped <i>rainbow trout</i> may be taken, 5 per day, no minimum length. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Tualatin River up to Hwy 210 bridge at Scholls (Clackamas/Washington Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of bait allowed May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Walterville Canal (McKenzie River) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> entire year, catch and release only. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, as per Zone Regulations. • Closed within: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Downstream from <i>salmon</i> weir, and 2. The bypass canal from <i>salmon</i> weir upstream to McKenzie River. |
| Willamette River: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Mouth upstream to Hwy 20 bridge located at Albany (including Multnomah Channel/Willamette Slough) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Health Advisory on page 18. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Below Willamette Falls - 10 <i>walleye</i> per day. No more than 5 per day over 18 inches and only one may be over 24 inches, 2 daily limits in possession. • Use of bait allowed. • NOTE: <i>Sturgeon</i> fisheries are managed on a quota basis. Anglers should check the status of regulations prior to fishing as modifications will be made in-season if necessary to remain within catch guidelines. • Closed from 200 feet upstream from the fishway at Oregon City Falls to an imaginary line downstream from fishway described as follows: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Beginning 54 feet below the southwesterly corner of the electric plant on Black Point; then 2. To the northeasterly corner of Mill A grinder room on the west side of river; then 3. Straight downstream 20 feet below the grinder room arches; then 4. West to the bank of the river. 5. No angling from a boat while any part of the boat is inside this closed area. • Closed in the tailrace of the West Linn Paper Company and described as follows: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Beginning at the south of the tailrace on the south bank; then 2. Extending across the tailrace following the line established by the bridge across the tailrace to the north bank; then 3. In a westerly, southerly and easterly direction around the bank of the tailrace to the place of beginning. 4. No angling from a boat while any part of the boat is inside the closed area. • Refer to General (Statewide) Regulations on page 13 for regulations covering the harvest of Pacific lamprey. |
| 2. Hwy 20 bridge located at Albany upstream to Hwy 99 bridge located at Harrisburg and tributaries except see listings for the Calapooia, Marys and Long Tom systems | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Health Advisory on page 18. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year in the mainstem. • Tributaries are closed to angling for <i>salmon</i> and <i>steelhead</i>. • Open Jan. 1-April 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31, catch and release for <i>trout</i>. • Jan. 1-Apr. 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31 bait allowed on single point hooks 3/4" or larger when angling for <i>sturgeon</i> in the mainstem Willamette River. • Open April 22-Oct. 31, 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed April 22-Oct. 31. |
| 3. Hwy 99 bridge located at Harrisburg upstream to McKenzie River mouth and tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Health Advisory on page 18. • Open for <i>trout</i>, adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, as per Zone Regulations. |
| 4. Mouth of McKenzie River upstream to Coast Fork and tributaries except see listing for Alton Baker Canoe Canal | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Health Advisory on page 18. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open Jan. 1-April 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31, catch and release for <i>trout</i>. • Open April 22-Oct. 31, 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 5. Coast Fork and tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Health Advisory on page 18. • Open entire year for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> in the mainstem from the mouth upstream to Cottage Grove Dam. Tributaries are closed to angling for <i>salmon</i> and <i>steelhead</i>, except Row River up to Dorena Dam. • Open Jan. 1-April 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31, catch and release for <i>trout</i>. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures Jan. 1-Apr. 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31 • Open April 22-Oct. 31, 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed April 22-Oct. 31. |
| 6. Middle Fork upstream to Dexter Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Open Jan. 1-April 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31, catch and release for <i>trout</i>. • Open April 22-Oct. 31, 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • From Dexter Dam downstream 400 feet to markers: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Only 1 single-point hook 5/8-inch gap or smaller may be used and 2. No angling from the north shore, from a floating device, or while wading. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 7. Middle Fork from Lookout Point Reservoir to Hills Creek Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> entire year, catch and release only, except anglers may harvest 5 adipose fin-clipped <i>trout</i> per day, no minimum length. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, as per Zone Regulations. |

WILLAMETTE ZONE

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Willamette River (cont.) | |
| 8. North Fork of Middle Fork and tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open Jan. 1-April 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31, catch and release for <i>trout</i>. • Open April 22-Oct. 31, 2 <i>trout</i> per day. • Restricted to fly angling only with barbless hooks (see fly angling definition, pg. 11). • No limits on the size or number of brook <i>trout</i> taken. Catch limits for other <i>trout</i> species do not apply to brook <i>trout</i>. |
| 9. Middle Fork upstream from Hills Creek Reservoir | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, as per Zone Regulations. • 5 adipose fin-clipped <i>trout</i> per day, no minimum length. |
| 10. Tributaries of the Middle Fork upstream from Hills Creek Reservoir | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures, as per Zone Regulations. |
| Winberry Creek and tributaries (Lane Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Woodburn Pond (Marion Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed from 1 hour after sunset until 1 hour before sunrise. |
| Yamhill River up to North and South Forks (Yamhill Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open to angling for <i>warmwater game fish</i> Mar. 1-Oct. 31. • Use of bait allowed March 1-Oct. 31. |



All *trout*, *salmon* and *steelhead* that are released must be unharmed and should not be removed from the water.

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Attention Anglers!

Bull trout, one of Oregon's native species, is listed as Threatened under the Endangered Species Act. Harvest of bull trout is severely restricted in Oregon as part of conservation efforts to recover this species and rebuild the fishery. Please refer to regulations for the Willamette, Central, Northeast, and Southeast Zones regarding bull trout.

Research has shown that most anglers, experienced as well as inexperienced, have difficulty distinguishing between bull trout and brook trout, an introduced species in Oregon. This Fish Identification Aid is provided to help you distinguish between native bull trout and introduced brook trout.

Please help recover bull trout and restore the fishery by taking the time to learn the characteristics. Your help is essential!

Native Bull Trout



No dark marks on dorsal fin

No red on paired fins

Brook trout and bull trout both have light spots on a dark grey or olive-green background. In general, bull trout have a clear dorsal fin, although in some fish light marks may be seen on the dorsal fin. Bull trout lack the worm-like markings on their backs and the red on their paired fins that characterize brook trout.

Introduced Brook Trout



Dark marks on dorsal fin

Worm-like markings on back

Red on paired fins







Brook trout may be identified by light colored worm-like markings on their back, dark wavy lines on the dorsal fin, and red on the paired fins.

Photos: U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

CENTRAL ZONE

COLUMBIA RIVER NOT INCLUDED IN THIS ZONE

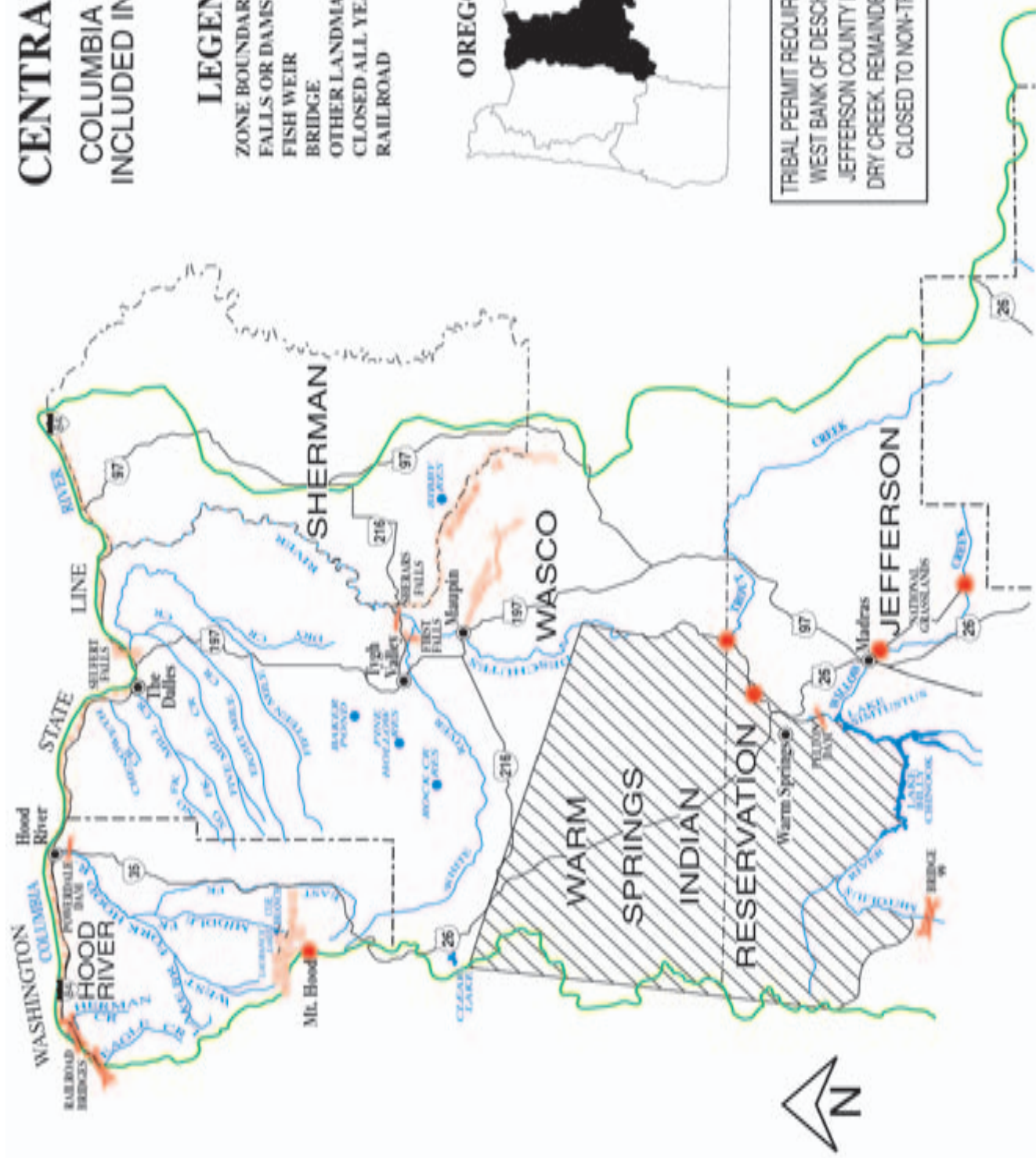
LEGEND

-  ZONE BOUNDARY
-  FALLS OR DAMS
-  FISH WEIR
-  BRIDGE
-  OTHER LANDMARKS
-  CLOSED ALL YEAR
-  RAILROAD

OREGON ZONES



TRIBAL PERMIT REQUIRED FOR ANGLING ON WEST BANK OF DESCHUTES RIVER FROM JEFFERSON COUNTY LINE UPSTREAM TO DRY CREEK. REMAINDER OF RESERVATION CLOSED TO NON-TRIBAL MEMBERS.



CENTRAL ZONE

Description:

The Central Zone is all waters draining into the Columbia River from Bonneville Dam up to and including the Deschutes River.

Instructions:

1. Read the **Special Regulations** for this zone. **Special Regulations** apply to specific bodies of water or portions of water within a zone. If specific reference to a body of water, species, catch limits, length limits, seasons, or other specifications are not made in the **Special Regulations** for this zone, then Zone Regulations apply.
2. Read the following **Regulations for this zone**.
3. Always read the **General Regulations**, pages 9-14, which apply to all zones, for information about licenses; tags and permits; definitions; catch and possession limits; gear and bait restrictions; and harvest methods and hours, before going fishing.
4. Emergency or permanent rules adopted since January 1 may supersede these regulations. Anglers may call ODFW headquarters or regional offices at the numbers on page 5 of these regulations, or check the ODFW web site, www.dfw.state.or.us for these rules.

Regulations for this zone:

Angling for all species is restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under **Special Regulations** where use of bait is allowed.

| Species Name | Catch Limits | Length Limits and Other Specifications | Season |
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| Trout | Lakes: 5 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. Streams: 2 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8-inch minimum length • Only 1 <i>trout</i> over 20 inches may be taken per day. • No limit on size or number of <i>brook trout</i> from streams. • <i>Rainbow trout</i> over 20 inches are considered <i>steelhead</i> in streams except in the Crooked and Deschutes Rivers above Lake Billy Chinook. • <i>Salmon</i> under 15 inches are considered <i>trout</i>, except <i>coho salmon</i>, which are always considered <i>salmon</i> regardless of size. • Closed to angling for <i>bull trout</i> except as noted under Special Regulations. • <i>Kokanee</i> are included in <i>trout</i> limits except as noted under Special Regulations. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | Lakes: Open all year. Streams: Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Salmon and Steelhead | In the aggregate: 2 adult <i>salmon</i> or <i>steelhead</i> per day, 20 per year. 5 jacks per day, 2 daily jack limits in possession, with the exception that 1 additional adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be retained per day for a total aggregate of 3 adult fish harvested daily. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed for <i>coho salmon</i>, except for <i>adipose fin-marked coho salmon</i> as listed under Eagle Creek, Herman Creek and Hood River. • Only adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be taken. • See Special Regulations in Central Zone under Deschutes or Hood River basins to determine where harvest of any <i>chinook</i> or <i>adipose fin-marked coho salmon</i> is allowed. Harvest of nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> is not permitted in the Central Zone. There is no annual limit on adipose or otherwise fin-clipped <i>salmon</i> or adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> so long as the appropriate number of Hatchery Harvest Tags have been purchased to record the catch. • Angling is restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. • NOTE: Changes to <i>salmon</i> regulations for the Columbia River system (page 89) are printed in May and are available at ODFW offices or from license agents. Check for new regulations before you fish. | Closed in all waters unless noted by species under Special Regulations . |
| Warmwater Game Fish: Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass | 5 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No more than 3 over 15 inches in length. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | Lakes: Open all year. Streams : Open during <i>trout, salmon, or steelhead</i> season only, except portions of Columbia River tributaries flooded by Bonneville and The Dalles dams are open all year. |
| Bluegill, Catfish, Crappie, Other Sunfish, Walleye and Yellow Perch | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | |
| Other Fish: Whitefish, Sucker, Northern Pikeminnow, Carp, Chub, Sculpin and other Nongame Fish | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | |
| Bullfrogs | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An angling license is not required. | Open all year. |
| Crayfish | 100 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neither an angling license nor a <i>shellfish</i> license is required. • All streams are open to <i>crayfish</i> harvest including streams listed as closed under Special Regulations. | |
| Freshwater Clams | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A <i>shellfish</i> license is not required. • NOTE: Unlawful to take or possess Zebra <i>mussels</i> and Asian <i>clams</i>. | Open all year. |



All *trout, salmon* and *steelhead* that are released must be unharmed and should not be removed from the water.

CENTRAL ZONE

Special Regulations for this zone:

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Bakeoven Creek and tributaries (Deschutes Basin, Wasco Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Baker Pond (Wasco Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. |
| Billy Chinook, Lake (Round Butte) (Jefferson Co.): 1. Metolius Arm (tribal water): East Boundary - a line running from the west abutment of Round Butte Dam to the southern land point where the Deschutes and Metolius arms intersect. West Boundary - cable car crossing. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open March 1-Oct. 31. In addition to an Oregon angling license, a tribal angling permit is required; see Special Regulations for Warm Springs Reservation at end of this zone. • 1 bull trout per day and 1 bull trout in possession; 24-inch minimum length. • Closed to all angling from the cable car crossing on the Metolius River to a signed point approximately 350 yards downstream. • <i>Bull trout</i> must be immediately released unharmed unless kept in the daily catch limit. • Unlawful to continue angling for any species once a <i>bull trout</i> has been harvested. • 25 <i>kokanee</i> per day (no size limits) in addition to other <i>trout</i> species catch limits. • Closed for <i>crayfish</i> (except tribal fishery) in Metolius Arm (tribal water). |
| 2. Balance of reservoir | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • 1 bull trout per day and 1 bull trout in possession; 24-inch minimum length. • <i>Bull trout</i> must be immediately released unharmed unless kept in the daily catch limit. • Unlawful to continue angling for any species once a <i>bull trout</i> has been harvested. • 25 <i>kokanee</i> per day (no size limits) in addition to other <i>trout</i> species catch limits. |
| Browns Creek (Wickiup Reservoir tributary, Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Buck Hollow Creek and tributaries (Deschutes Basin, Wasco Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Candle Creek (Jefferson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Canyon Creek and tributaries (Jefferson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Chenoweth Creek and tributaries (Wasco Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release for <i>trout</i>. |
| Crane Prairie Reservoir (Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • Closed from 1 hour after sunset until 1 hour before sunrise. • Daily <i>trout</i> limit may include only 1 <i>rainbow trout</i> over 16 inches in length. • <i>Trout</i> daily catch limit may include only 1 <i>lake trout</i>, 30-inch minimum length. |
| Crescent Lake (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • Use of bait allowed May 27-Oct. 31. • Closed for 150 feet downstream from Bowman Dam. |
| Crooked River mainstem (Jefferson/Crook Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. • <i>Trout</i> daily catch limit may include only 1 <i>lake trout</i>, which must be at least 8-inch minimum length. |
| Crystal Creek (Odell Lake, Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 <i>trout</i> per day, 10-inch minimum length and 13-inch maximum length. • No limit on size or number of <i>warmwater game fish</i>. • Restricted to fly angling only with barbless hooks (see fly angling definition, pg. 11). • Closed from 1 hour after sunset until 1 hour before sunrise. |
| Cultus Lake (Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NOTE: <i>Chinook salmon</i> angling closed entire river. • Open for <i>trout</i> entire year. • 2 <i>rainbow trout</i> per day, 10-inch minimum and 13-inch maximum length. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> entire year. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures, except that bait may be used from Sherar Falls downstream to upper trestle (about 3 miles). • No angling from a floating device. • Sherars Falls downstream to Buck Hollow Creek (about 1 mile) closed to angling April 1-July 31. |
| Davis Lake and Odell Creek Channel up to boat ramp at West Davis Lake campground (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Special Regulations for Warm Springs Reservation at end of this zone. • Open to <i>trout</i> April 22-Oct. 31, 2 <i>rainbow trout</i> per day, 10-inch minimum and 13-inch maximum length. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> April 22-Dec. 31. • No angling from a floating device. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures. • Closed from Pelton Regulating Dam downstream about 600 feet to ODFW markers. |
| Deschutes River: 1. Mouth (I-84 bridge) upstream to the northern boundary of the Warm Springs Reservation (including White River upstream to first falls) (Wasco Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> entire year. • 2 <i>trout</i> per day, which may include 1 <i>bull trout</i>, 24-inch minimum length. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| 2. Northern boundary of the Warm Springs Reservation upstream to Pelton Regulating Dam (Wasco/Jefferson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • 2 <i>trout</i> per day. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 3a. Lake Billy Chinook upstream to Benham Falls (Jefferson/Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> May 27-Oct. 31. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, which may include 2 nonfin-clipped <i>rainbow trout</i>. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 3b. Mirror Pond (Deschutes River in Bend) from North Canal Dam to Colorado Street Bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Aug. 31. |
| 4. Benham Falls upstream to Wickiup Reservoir (Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Sept. 30. • Catch and release only for <i>rainbow trout</i>, 2 <i>brook trout</i> per day. |
| 5. Wickiup Reservoir upstream to Crane Prairie Dam (Deschutes Co.) | |
| 6. Crane Prairie Reservoir upstream to Little Lava Lake (Deschutes Co.) | |

CENTRAL ZONE

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Eagle Creek upstream from the mainline railroad bridge (Columbia River near Bonneville Dam, Hood River Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release only for <i>trout</i> May 27-Oct. 31. • Open for <i>chinook</i> and <i>adipose fin-clipped coho salmon</i> May 27-Aug. 15. • Open for <i>adipose fin-clipped steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31, May 27-Aug. 15, and Dec. 1-31. • Use of bait allowed. • See Columbia River Zone (page 91) for regulations concerning the area down stream from the mainline railroad bridge. |
| East Lake (Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • See Health Advisory on page 18. |
| Elk Lake(Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 25 <i>kokanee</i> per day (no size limits) in addition to other <i>trout</i> species catch limit. |
| Fall River (Deschutes Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Sept. 30. |
| 1. Downstream from the falls | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restricted to fly angling only with barbless hooks (see fly angling definition, pg.11). |
| 2. Upstream from the falls | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • Restricted to fly angling only with barbless hooks (see fly angling definition, pg.11). |
| Fifteenmile Creek and tributaries (Wasco Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release for <i>trout</i> May 27-Oct. 31. • Closed from head of slackwater located at the mouth to 200 feet upstream from fishway located at Seufert Falls. |
| Herman Creek upstream from the mainline railroad bridge (Hood River Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release for <i>trout</i> May 27-Aug. 15. • Open for <i>chinook</i>, <i>adipose fin-clipped coho salmon</i> and <i>adipose fin-clipped steelhead</i> Jan 1- March 31, May 27-Aug 15 and Dec. 1-31. • Use of bait is allowed. • Closed downstream from hatchery dam Aug.16-Nov. 30. • See Columbia River Zone (page 91) for regulations concerning the area downstream from mainline railroad bridge. |
| Hood River Basin (Hood River Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>adipose fin-clipped coho salmon</i> and <i>adipose fin-clipped steelhead</i> entire year, mouth to Powerdale Dam (Rivermile 4). • Catch and release only for <i>trout</i>, May 27-Oct. 31. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures when angling for <i>trout</i> in all tributaries and in mainstem Hood River upstream from Powerdale Dam (Rivermile 4). • Use of bait allowed in mainstem Hood River from mouth to Powerdale Dam (Rivermile 4). • Closed from wall of the PP&L plant located at Powerdale downstream 200 feet. |
| 1. Mainstem and tributaries not listed | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| 2. West Fork Hood River and tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| 3. Clear Branch | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| 4. Pinnacle Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Hosmer Lake (Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release only for <i>Atlantic salmon</i>. • Restricted to fly angling only with barbless hooks (see fly angling definition, pg. 11). • No angling from motor-propelled craft while motor is operating. |
| Jack Creek (Jefferson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Jefferson Creek (Jefferson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Laurence Lake (Hood River Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • Only fin-clipped <i>trout</i> may be kept. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Lava Lake, Big (Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. |
| Link Creek (tributary to Suttle Lake, Jefferson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Little Deschutes River including Gilchrist Mill Pond (Klamath/Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of bait allowed. |
| Metolius River (Jefferson Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • Catch and release for all fish, including <i>bull trout</i>. • All <i>bull trout</i> must be released unharmed. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures downstream from Bridge 99. • Restricted to fly angling only with barbless hooks upstream from Bridge 99 (see fly angling definition, pg. 11). • Closed in mainstem upstream from Allingham Bridge and also in Spring Creek Jan.1-May 26 and Nov.1-Dec. 31. • Closed within 100 feet of Camp Sherman Bridge. • No angling from a floating device. |
| 1. Mainstem, including Spring Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| 2. Tributaries, except Lake and Spring creeks | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Mill Creek and tributaries (Wasco Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release for <i>trout</i>. |

CENTRAL ZONE

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Ochoco Creek upstream to Ochoco Dam (Crook Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open Jan. 1-May 26 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. 2 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures Jan. 1-May 26 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31. • Open May 27-Oct. 31, 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Use of bait allowed May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Odell Creek from boat ramp located at West Davis Lake campground up to Odell Lake (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. • Catch and release for <i>trout</i>. |
| Odell Lake (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • 25 <i>kokanee</i> per day (no size limits) in addition to other <i>trout</i> species catch limit. • <i>Trout</i> daily catch limit may include only 1 <i>lake trout</i>, 30-inch minimum length. • Closed within 200 feet of the mouth of Trapper Creek. • Closed to angling for <i>bull trout</i>. Any incidentally caught <i>bull trout</i> must be immediately released unharmed. |
| Odell Lake tributaries (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Paulina Lake (Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. |
| Pelton Regulating Reservoir (Jefferson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Prineville Reservoir (Crook Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Largemouth</i> and <i>smallmouth bass</i>, 12-inch minimum length. |
| Shevlin Pond (Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. • Restricted to juvenile anglers 17 years old and younger. |
| Simtustus, Lake (Pelton, Jefferson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • <i>Trout</i> daily catch limit may include only one <i>bull trout</i>, 24-inch minimum length. • <i>Bull trout</i> must be immediately released unharmed unless kept in the daily catch limit. • Tribal angling permit required, see Special Regulations for Warm Springs Reservation at end of this zone. |
| Sparks Lake and tributaries upstream to Cascade Lake Hwy (Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restricted to fly angling only with barbless hooks (see fly angling definition, pg.11). |
| Spring River (Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Sept. 30. |
| Squaw Creek and tributaries (Jefferson/Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. |
| Suttle Lake (Jefferson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 25 <i>kokanee</i> per day (no size limits) in addition to other <i>trout</i> species catch limit. |
| Trapper Creek (Odell Lake tributary, Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Trout Creek and tributaries (Deschutes Basin, Jefferson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release for <i>trout</i>. |
| Tumalo Creek and tributaries (Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. |
| Twin Lake, South (Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. |
| White River mainstem and tributaries upstream from first falls (Wasco Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>trout</i> entire year. • See Deschutes River, section 1 for regulations downstream from first falls. |
| Wickiup Reservoir (Deschutes Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • <i>Deschutes River Arm, upstream of ODFW marker located near West South Twin boat ramp, restricted to artificial flies and lures only with a 2 trout per day bag limit from July 15-Aug. 31.</i> • Closed upstream of ODFW marker Sept. 1-Oct. 31. • 25 <i>kokanee</i> (no size limits) in addition to other <i>trout</i> species catch limit. • Closed from 1 hour after sunset until 1 hour before sunrise. • No limit on size or number of <i>warmwater game fish</i>. |
| Willow Creek (Jefferson Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release for <i>trout</i> and restricted to artificial flies and lures within National Grasslands. |
| Warm Springs Indian Reservation: telephone number (541) 553-2002 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In addition to an Oregon angling license, tribal permits are required on the Metolius Arm of Lake Billy Chinook, Lake Simtustus and Reservation portions of Deschutes River. • The Reservation borders the Deschutes River for approximately 31 miles from Two Springs Ranch (4 miles downstream from the North Junction railroad bridge) upstream to Pelton Regulating Dam. Anglers are restricted to the eastern half of the river where it borders the Reservation. For exceptions, call the Reservation at (541) 553-2002. • Taking <i>crayfish</i> from Reservation waters is prohibited, except for Tribal use. |

Please don't litter.

It spoils the scenery, hurts wildlife, and results in the posting of private land.



All *trout*, *salmon* and *steelhead* that are released must be unharmed and should not be removed from the water.

Do your part for Oregon's fish...



Volunteer with the Salmon and Trout Enhancement Program.

STEP volunteers work with ODFW biologists to:

- Study, survey, and monitor fish populations and their habitats
- Improve and restore fish habitat
- Provide fish through hatchery programs
- Help inform and educate the public about Oregon's salmon and trout



To learn more or become a STEP volunteer, visit the ODFW Web site at www.dfw.state.or.us/STEP or contact your local ODFW office.

Keep Oregon's Rivers Clean

Discarded fishing line and tackle spoil the scenery and can be dangerous to fish and wildlife.

Through a new program, anglers can dispose of fishing line and tackle at collection stations located at fishing areas throughout the state.

Conservation and outdoor sport groups volunteer to maintain the stations. Materials collected are reused, recycled, or properly disposed.

For additional information about the program, to volunteer, or to find out about placing a collection station in your area, call STEP at 503-947-6232.

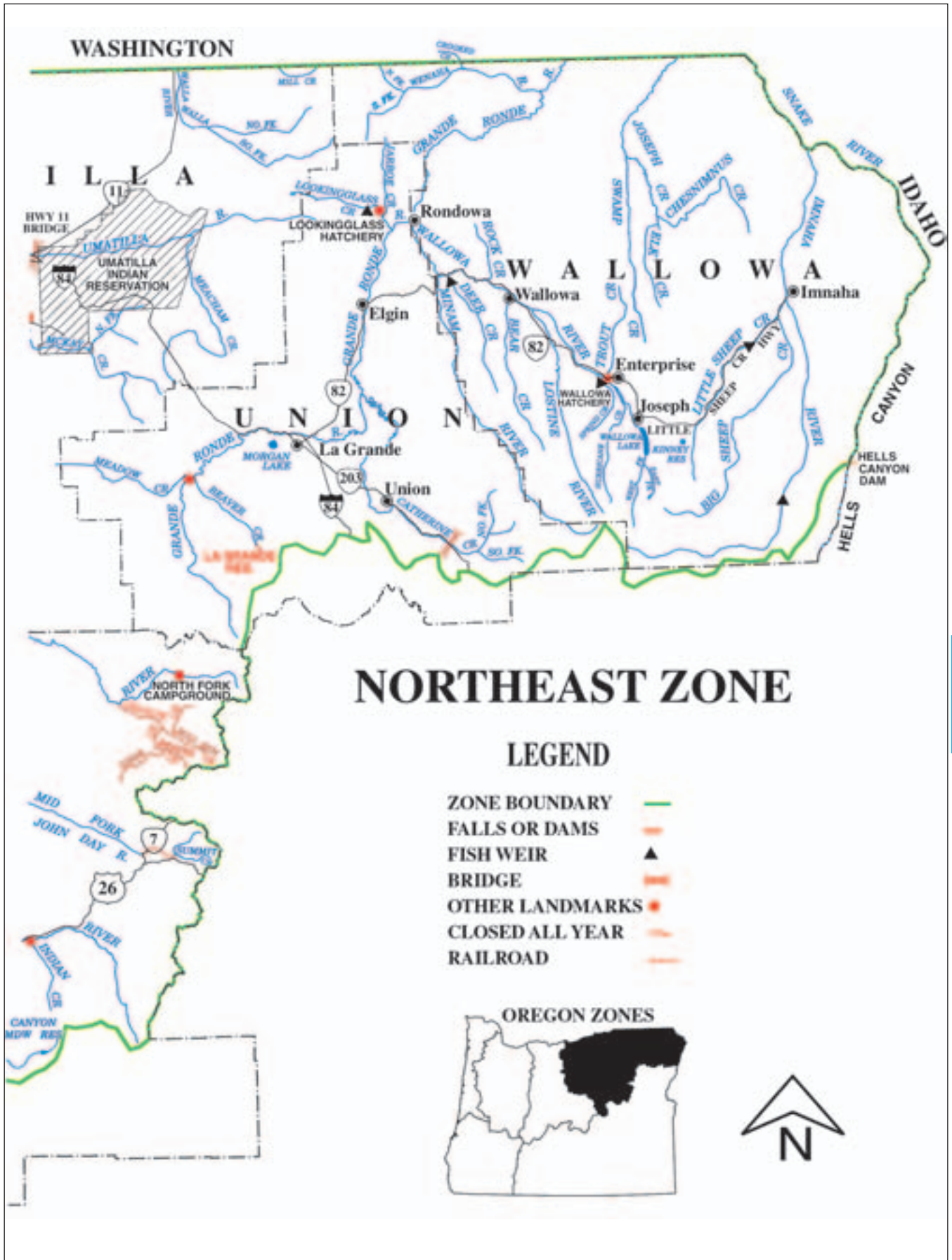


Look for a collection station at established boat ramps or popular streambank access sites and help **Keep Oregon's Rivers Clean.**

COLUMBIA AND SNAKE RIVERS NOT INCLUDED IN THIS ZONE.

TRIBAL PERMIT REQUIRED FOR ANGLING ON THE RESERVATION PORTION OF THE UMATILLA RIVER. FOR INFORMATION CALL THE UMATILLA INDIAN RESERVATION AT 541-276-4109





NORTHEAST ZONE

Description:

The Northeast Zone is all waters draining into the Columbia River east of the Deschutes River and all waters draining into the Snake River system up to Hells Canyon Dam. This zone does not include any portion of the mainstem Columbia and Snake rivers. Regulations for the Columbia River can be found in the Columbia River Zone (pages 86-94), and regulations for the Snake River can be found in the Snake River Zone (pages 82-85).

Instructions:

1. Read the **Special Regulations** for this zone. **Special Regulations** apply to specific bodies of water or portions of water within a zone. If specific references to a body of water, species, catch limits, length limits, seasons, or other specifications are not made in the **Special Regulations** for this zone, then Zone Regulations apply.
2. Read the following **Regulations for the zone**.
3. Always read the **General Regulations** pages, 9-14, which apply to all zones, for information about licenses; tags and permits; definitions; catch and possession limits; gear and bait restrictions; and harvest methods and hours, before going fishing.
4. Emergency or permanent rules adopted since January 1 may supersede these regulations. Anglers may call ODFW headquarters or regional offices at the numbers on page 5 of these regulations, or check the ODFW web site, www.dfw.state.or.us for these rules.

Regulations for this zone:

| Species Name | Catch Limits | Length Limits and Other Specifications | Season |
|---|--|---|---|
| Trout | 5 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8-inch minimum length. • Only 1 <i>trout</i> over 20 inches may be taken per day. • <i>Rainbow trout</i> over 20 inches are considered <i>steelhead</i> in streams. • Closed to angling for <i>bull trout</i>. See exceptions for catch and release angling under Special Regulations for Imnaha and Wenaha rivers. • No limit on the size or number of <i>brook trout</i> taken from lakes, except in Magone Lake, Morgan Lake and Bull Prairie Reservoir. • <i>Kokanee</i> are included in the <i>trout</i> limits except as noted under Special Regulations. | Lakes: Open all year. Streams: Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Salmon | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Umatilla River listed alphabetically under Special Regulations. • There is no annual limit on adipose or otherwise fin-clipped <i>salmon</i> as long as the appropriate number of Hatchery Harvest Tags have been purchased to record the catch. | | Closed in all waters unless noted by species under Special Regulations . |
| Steelhead | 3 per day. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be taken. Unmarked <i>steelhead</i> must be released unharmed. • There is no annual limit on adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> as long as the appropriate number of Hatchery Harvest Tags have been purchased to record the catch. | |
| Warmwater Game Fish: Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass | 5 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No more than 3 over 15 inches in length. | Lakes: Open all year. Streams: Open during <i>trout, salmon, or steelhead</i> seasons only, except portions of Columbia River tributaries flooded by John Day and McNary dams are open all year. |
| Bluegill, Catfish, Crappie, Other Sunfish, Walleye and Yellow Perch | No limit. | | |
| Other Fish: Sturgeon | Catch and release. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any <i>sturgeon</i> caught may not be removed from the water and must be immediately released unharmed. | |
| Sucker, Carp, Northern Pikeminnow, Chub, Sculpin, other Nongame Fish and Whitefish and Shad | No limit. | | |
| Crayfish | 100 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A <i>shellfish</i> license is not required. • All streams are open to <i>crayfish</i> harvest including streams listed as closed under Special Regulations. | Open all year. |
| Bullfrogs | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An angling license is not required. | |
| Freshwater Clams | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neither an angling nor a <i>shellfish</i> license is required. • NOTE: Unlawful to take or possess <i>Zebra mussels</i> or <i>Asian clams</i>. | |
| Protected Fish: Margined Sculpin (Umatilla and Walla Walla river systems) | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It is unlawful to angle for or possess all or any part of these fish because they are listed on the state's sensitive species list for conservation purposes. | Closed. |



All *trout, salmon* and *steelhead* that are released must be unharmed and should not be removed from the water.

NORTHEAST ZONE

Special Regulations for this zone:

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Aldrich Ponds (Grant Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open May 27-Oct. 31. 2 trout per day. |
| Bear Creek and tributaries (Wallowa Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Bull Prairie Reservoir (Grant Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No more than 5 brook trout per day as part of the general trout catch limits. No size limit on brook trout. |
| Butter Creek and tributaries (Umatilla/Morrow Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open April 22-Oct. 31. |
| Catherine Creek up to Hwy 203 Bridge located upstream from Catherine Creek State Park (Union Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped steelhead Jan. 1-April 15 and Sept. 1-Dec. 31. |
| Cold Springs Reservoir (Umatilla Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Portions of refuge are closed to angling and use of motors at times. For information on federal refuge regulations call 509-545-8588. |
| Deer Creek (Wallowa Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed from the mouth upstream to the marker 380 feet upstream from the water intake structure (0.2 mile). |
| Grande Ronde River (Wallowa/Union Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped steelhead Jan. 1-April 15 and Sept. 1-Dec. 31. |
| 1. Stateline upstream to Rondowa | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only adipose fin-clipped trout may be kept. |
| 2. Rondowa upstream to Meadow Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped steelhead Jan. 1-April 15 and Sept. 1-Dec. 31. |
| Hurricane Creek from forest boundary upstream to Slick Rock Creek (Wallowa Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Imnaha River (Wallowa Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped steelhead Jan. 1-April 15 and Sept. 1-Dec. 31. Only adipose fin-clipped trout may be kept. Catch and release for bull trout. |
| 1. Upstream to Big Sheep Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed between 200 feet downstream from the fish weir and the water intake located 1/2 mile downstream from Gumboot Creek (0.3 mile). Catch and release for bull trout. |
| 2. Upstream from Big Sheep Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed between 200 feet downstream from the fish weir and the water intake located 1/2 mile downstream from Gumboot Creek (0.3 mile). Catch and release for bull trout. |
| John Day River (Gilliam/Wheeler/Grant Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped steelhead Jan. 1-March 31 and June 16-Dec. 31. Open for Warmwater Game Fish entire year except as noted below. Closed from ODFW marker 1/4-mile downstream from Tumwater Falls to 200 feet above the falls, which are located near the head of John Day Arm, except open for species other than salmon and steelhead April 1-Aug. 31. |
| 2. Mainstem from Tumwater Falls: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Smallmouth bass, 5 per day, no more than 1 over 16 inches. Smallmouth bass between 12 and 16 inches must be released unharmed. Open for adipose fin-clipped steelhead the entire year. |
| a. Upstream past Cottonwood Bridge (river mile 39.5) to Hwy 207 Bridge at Service Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Smallmouth bass, 5 per day, no more than 3 over 15 inches. Open for adipose fin-clipped steelhead the entire year. |
| b. Hwy 207 Bridge at Service Creek to North Fork | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped steelhead Jan. 1-April 15 and Sept. 1-Dec. 31. |
| c. From North Fork upstream to Indian Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped steelhead Jan. 1-April 15 and Sept. 1-Dec. 31. |
| 3. Middle Fork: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped steelhead Jan. 1-April 15 and Sept. 1-Dec. 31. |
| a. Upstream to Hwy 395 bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Restricted to artificial flies and bait with a single-point hook no larger than 1/4 inch. Lures prohibited. |
| b. Hwy 395 bridge upstream to Hwy 7 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed. |
| c. Hwy 7 upstream to Summit Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed. |
| 4. North Fork: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped steelhead Jan. 1-April 15 and Sept. 1-Dec. 31. Restricted to artificial flies and bait with a single-point hook no larger than 1/4 inch. Lures prohibited. |
| a. Upstream to Hwy 395 bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped steelhead Jan. 1-April 15 and Sept. 1-Dec. 31. |
| b. Hwy 395 bridge upstream to bridge located at USFS North Fork Campground | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Restricted to artificial flies and bait with a single-point hook no larger than 1/4 inch. Lures prohibited. |
| c. Granite Creek and tributaries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed. |
| Kinney Reservoir (Wallowa Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open May 27-Oct. 31. No angling from a floating device. |
| LaGrande Reservoir and tributaries upstream from LaGrande Reservoir (Beaver Creek, Union Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open May 27-Oct. 31. 2 rainbow trout per day. No limit on size or number of brook trout. Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Little Sheep Creek (Wallowa Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed between the fence located 440 feet downstream from the fish weir and the fence located 240 feet upstream from the water intake (0.1 mile). |
| Lookingglass Creek and tributaries (Union Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lookingglass Creek closed between 300 feet downstream from Jarboe Creek and 200 feet upstream from the hatchery water intake (0.4 mile). Lookingglass Creek and Little Lookingglass Creek restricted to artificial flies and lures, with hooks no larger than 1/4-inch gap. |
| Lostine River, mouth to the forks (Wallowa Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |

NORTHEAST ZONE

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Magone Lake (Grant Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No more than 5 <i>brook trout</i> per day as part of the general <i>trout</i> catch limits. No size limit on <i>brook trout</i>. |
| McKay Creek and tributaries upstream from McKay Reservoir (Umatilla Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open April 22-Oct. 31. Open entire year upstream from Spring Creek Road to the upper Umatilla Indian Reservation Boundary. Nov. 1-April 21 restricted to catch and release, artificial flies and lures. |
| McKay Reservoir (Umatilla Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open March 1-Sept. 30. 3 <i>bass</i> per day, 15 inch minimum length. |
| Meacham Creek (Umatilla Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Meadow Creek (Grande Ronde River, Union Co.) from forest boundary upstream to Smith Creek road crossing | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed, U.S Forest Service Research Area. |
| Mill Creek (Walla Walla Basin, Umatilla Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Minam River and tributaries (Wallowa Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minam River, Little Minam River and Elk Creek restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Morgan Lake (Union Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open April 22-Oct. 31. No more than 5 <i>brook trout</i> per day as part of the general <i>trout</i> catch limits. No size limit on <i>brook trout</i>. |
| Snake River | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> See the Snake River Zone (pages 82-85). |
| Spring Creek (Wallowa Hatchery) including pond (Wallowa Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed from 200 feet downstream from the lower fishway upstream to the upper Hatchery Road crossing. |
| Umatilla River (Umatilla Co.): 1. From Hwy 730 bridge upstream to reservation boundary located upstream from Hwy 11 bridge at Pendleton | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 15 and Sept. 1-Dec. 31. Open for <i>spring chinook</i> angling: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> From Hwy 730 bridge upstream to Three Mile Dam, April 16 - May 21. From Three Mile Dam upstream to reservation boundary located upstream from Hwy 11 bridge at Pendleton, April 16-June 30. Only adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> may be kept. <i>Spring chinook salmon</i> bag limit, 2 adults and 5 jacks per day and 10 adults per year. Open for <i>coho salmon</i> and jack <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Sept. 1-Nov. 30. Daily bag limit 2 <i>coho</i> adults and a total of 5 <i>coho</i> or <i>fall chinook</i> jacks in the aggregate. Daily bag limit of adult <i>salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> not to exceed 2 fish in the aggregate with exception that 1 additional adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be retained for a total aggregate of 3 fish. Open for <i>warmwater fish</i> angling all year downstream from the footbridge in the City of Umatilla. Closed to angling for <i>warmwater fish</i> upstream from the footbridge in the City of Umatilla April 16-May 26. |
| 2. Umatilla Indian Reservation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tribal permits are required on Reservation portions of the Umatilla River. For information, call the Umatilla Indian Reservation at (541) 276-4109. |
| 3. Mainstem and tributaries upstream from confluence of Ryan Creek (near eastern boundary of Umatilla Indian Reservation) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Catch and release for <i>trout</i>. Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Walla Walla River and tributaries (Umatilla Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Restricted to artificial flies and lures. Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> in the mainstem Walla Walla River from the Oregon/Washington border upstream to the confluence of the North and South forks, Jan.1-April 15 and Dec.1-31. |
| Wallowa Lake (Wallowa Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5 <i>trout</i> per day, including <i>rainbow</i> and <i>lake trout</i>, with no size limits. 10 <i>kokanee</i> per day, no minimum length and no more than 5 over 12 inches in length. All <i>bull trout</i> must be released unharmed. |
| Wallowa River (Wallowa Co.): 1. Mouth upstream to Rock Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 15 and Sept. 1-Dec. 31. Only adipose fin-clipped <i>trout</i> may be kept. |
| 2. Rock Creek upstream to Trout Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 15 and Sept. 1-Dec. 31 |
| 3. Upstream from Wallowa Lake to falls on West Fork and PPL intake on East Fork | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open May 27-Aug. 31. Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Wenaha River (Wallowa Co.): 1. Upstream to Crooked Creek | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 15 and Sept. 1-Dec. 31. Catch and release for <i>bull trout</i>. |
| 2. From Crooked Creek to confluence of North and South Forks. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Catch and release for <i>bull trout</i>. |
| Willow Creek System (Morrow Co.): 1. Slackwater at wildlife area | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open entire year. |
| 2. Upstream from the wildlife area at the mouth | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open April 22-Oct. 31. |



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Snake River NOT INCLUDED IN THIS ZONE. (SEE SNAKE RIVER ZONE)

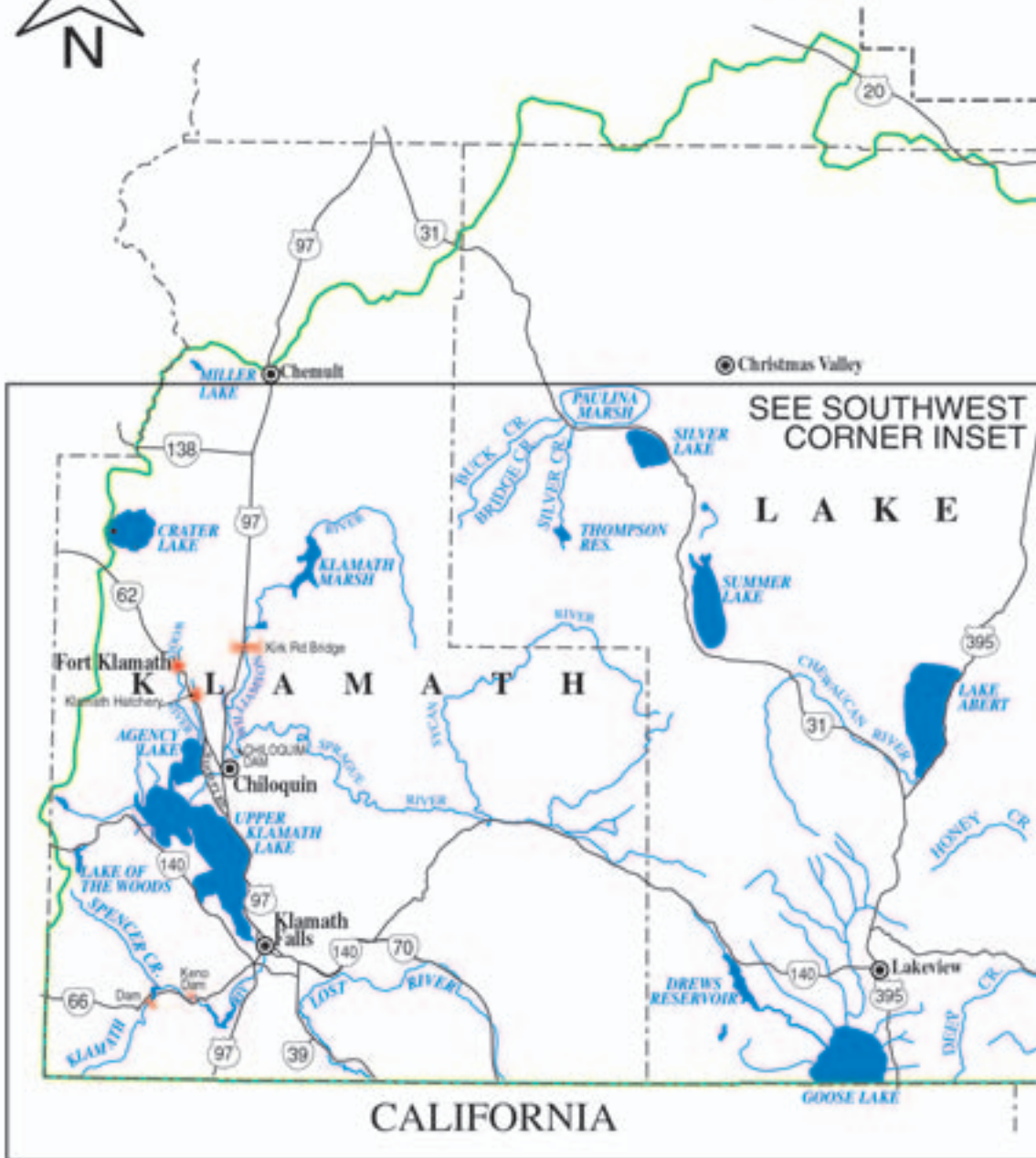
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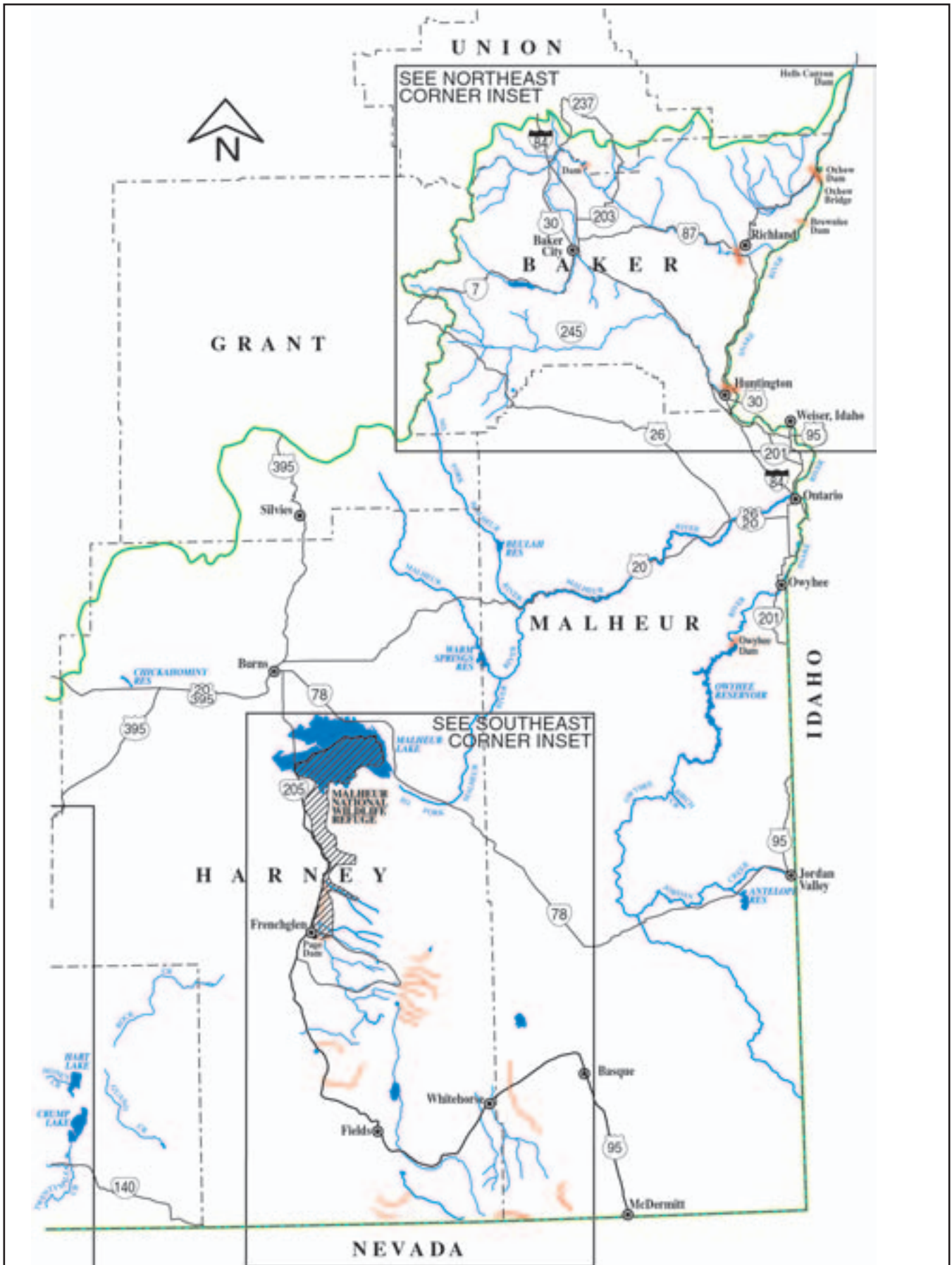
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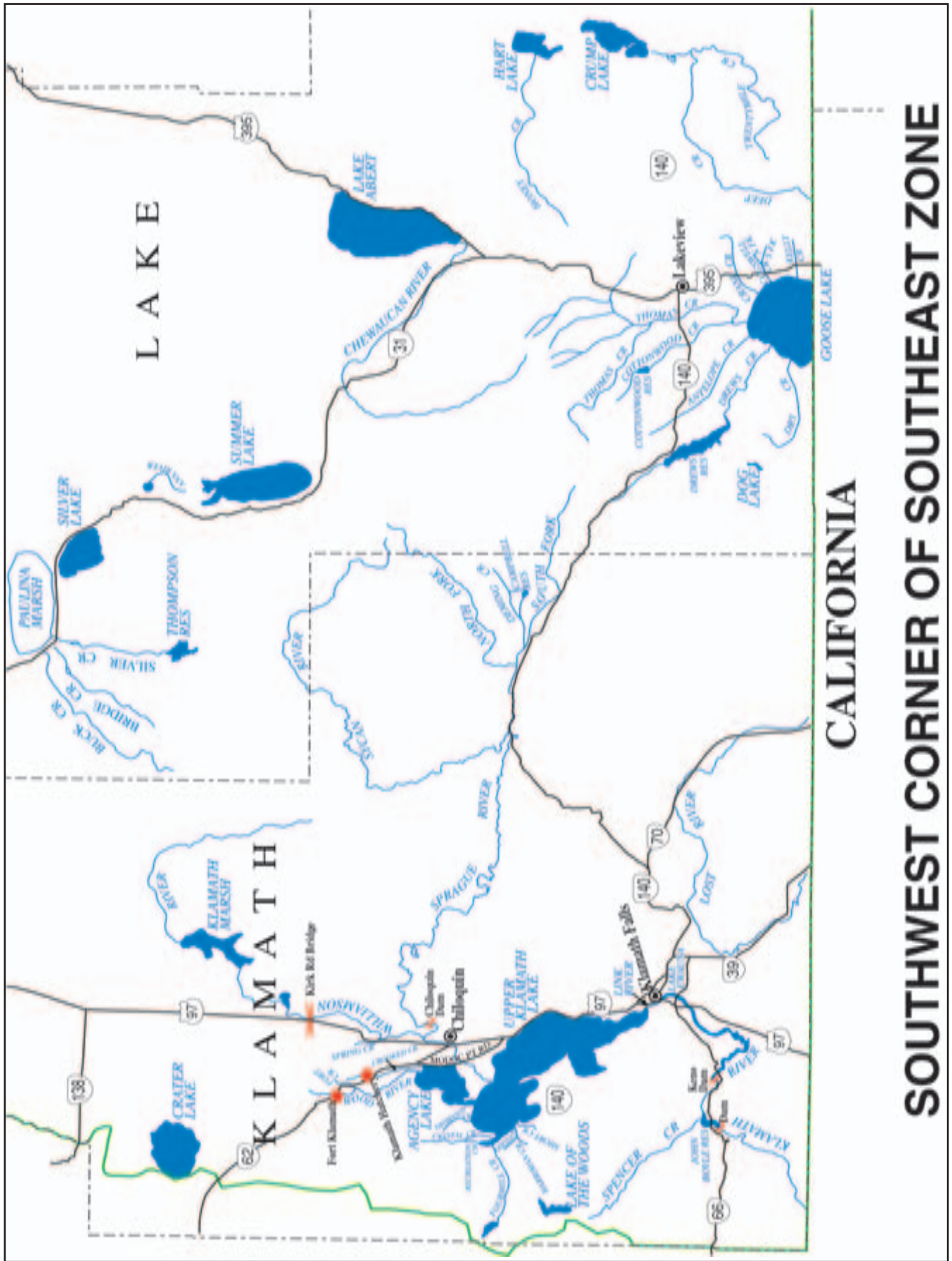
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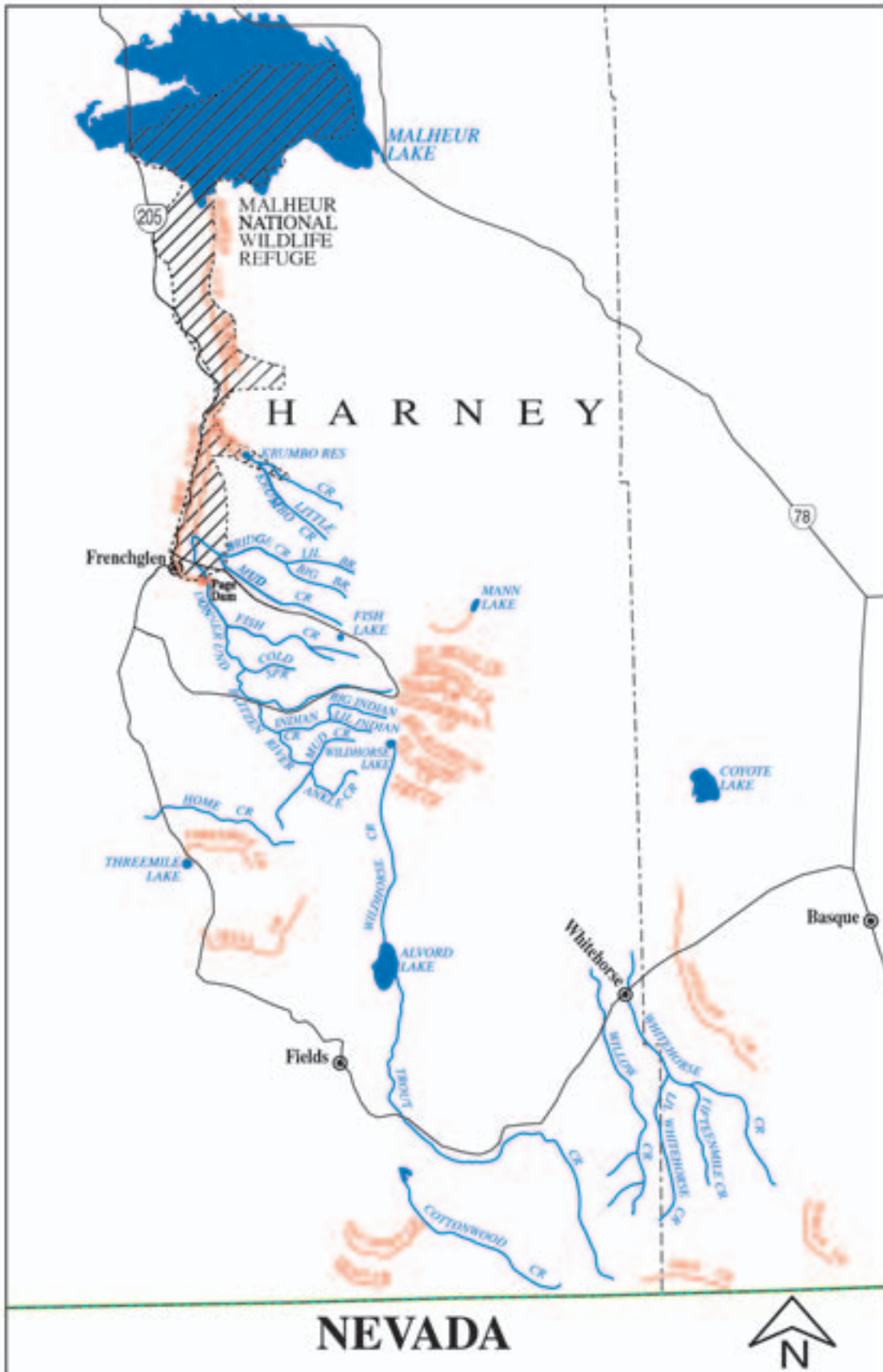




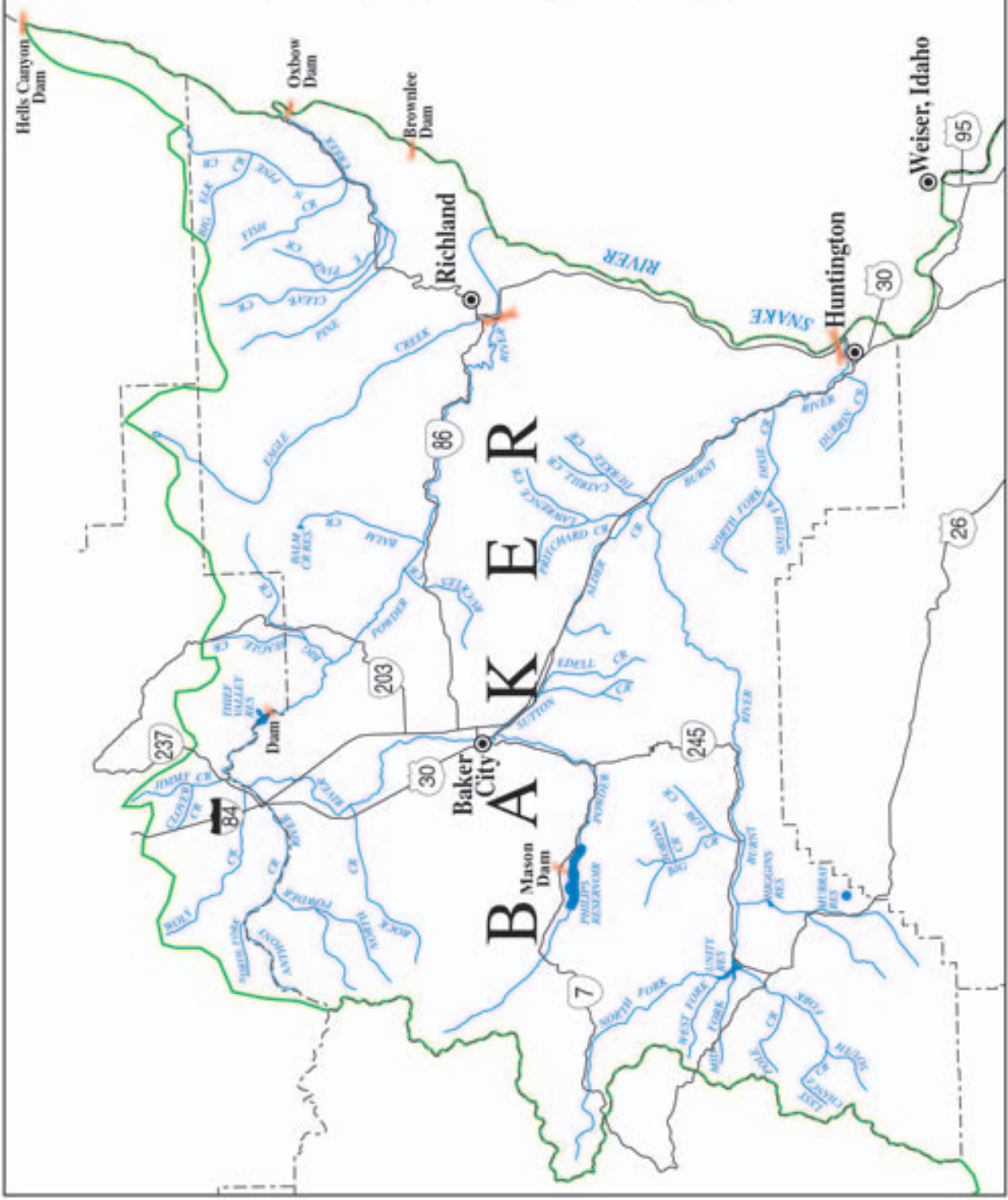
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SOUTHEAST ZONE

Description:

The Southeast Zone is all tributaries (including their impoundments) of the Snake River system above Hells Canyon Dam; the Silvies River drainage in Grant County; all waters in Malheur and Lake counties; all waters in Harney County except South Fork John Day drainage; and all waters of the Klamath Basin in Klamath and Lake counties. This zone does not include any portion of the mainstem Snake River. The Klamath River Basin is all streams and their tributaries that drain toward Upper Klamath Lake or Klamath River. Regulations for the Snake River can be found in the Snake River Zone (page 82-85).

Instructions:

1. Read the **Special Regulations** for this zone. **Special Regulations** apply to specific bodies of water or portions of water within a zone. If specific references to a body of water, species catch limits, length limits, seasons, or other specifications are not made in the **Special Regulations** for this zone, then Zone Regulations apply.
2. Read the following **Regulations for the zone**.
3. Always read the **General Regulations** pages, 9-14, which apply to all zones, for information about licenses; tags and permits; definitions; catch and possession limits; gear and bait restrictions; and harvest methods and hours, before going fishing.
4. Emergency or permanent rules adopted since January 1 may supersede these regulations. Anglers may call ODFW headquarters or regional offices at the numbers on page 5 of these regulations, or check the ODFW web site, www.dfw.state.or.us for these rules.
5. All waters of Malheur National Wildlife Refuge are **closed** to angling unless listed under **Special Regulations**.

Regulations for this zone:

1. Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under **Special Regulations** where use of bait is allowed.

| Species Name | Catch Limits | Length Limits and Other Specifications | Season |
|---|---|--|---|
| Trout | Lakes: 5 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. Streams: 2 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8-inch minimum length. • Only 1 <i>trout</i> over 20 inches may be taken per day. • No limit on size or number of <i>brook trout</i> from lakes and streams, except lakes in the Winema National Forest and streams in the Pine Creek and Powder River systems where the limit is 5 <i>trout</i> per day. • Closed to angling for <i>bull trout</i>. • <i>Kokanee</i> are included under <i>trout</i> limits and seasons unless noted under Special Regulations. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | Open all year, except Klamath River Basin streams not listed are open April 22-Oct. 31. |
| Warmwater Game Fish: Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass | 5 per day, 2 daily limits in possession, except no limits in Klamath Basin, Lost River, Warner Basin Lakes, Abert Lake Basin (includes Summer Lake and Chewaucan basins) and Thompson Valley Reservoir. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No more than 3 over 15 inches in length, except no length limit in Klamath Basin, Lost River, Warner Basin Lakes, Abert Lake Basin (includes Summer Lake and Chewaucan Basins), and Thompson Valley Reservoir. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | Lakes and Reservoirs: Open all year. Streams: Open during <i>trout</i> season. |
| Bluegill, Catfish, Crappie, Other Sunfish, Walleye and Yellow Perch | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | |
| Other Fish: Whitefish, Sucker, Northern Pikeminnow, Carp, Chub, Sculpin, and other Nongame Fish | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed for <i>suckers</i> and <i>mullet</i> in Klamath County and Warner Basin. • Closed to take and possession of Protected Fish (listed under #18 in General Regulations on page 12). • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | Lakes and Reservoirs: Open all year. Streams: Open during <i>trout</i> season. |
| Hybrid Bass | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Ana and Thompson Valley reservoirs under Special Regulations. | |
| Sturgeon | Catch and release only. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Sturgeon</i> may not be removed from the water and must be immediately released unharmed. • Angling restricted to artificial flies and lures in streams. See exceptions under Special Regulations where use of bait is allowed. | |
| Crayfish | 100 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neither an angling nor a <i>shellfish</i> license is required. • All streams are open to <i>crayfish</i> harvest including streams listed as closed under Special Regulations. | Open all year. |
| Freshwater Clams | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A <i>shellfish</i> license is not required. | Open all year. |
| Bullfrogs | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An angling license is not required. | Open all year. |



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SOUTHEAST ZONE

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Agency and Klamath Lakes (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 <i>trout</i> per day. <i>Bait allowed as per Zone Regulations.</i> |
| Ana Reservoir (Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 <i>hybrid bass</i> in 24 hours, 16-inch minimum length. • No minimum length or catch limit on <i>largemouth bass</i>. |
| Ana River (Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Antelope Creek (Coyote Lake Basin, Malheur Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Antelope Creek (Goose Lake Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Antelope Reservoir (Owyhee Basin, Malheur Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Health Advisory on page 18. |
| Balm Creek Reservoir (Baker Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Marine Board regulations which restrict to electric motors only. See page 7. |
| Big Alvord Creek (Alvord Basin, Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Big Creek and tributaries (Malheur River Basin, Grant Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day. |
| Blitzen River Basin (Malheur Lakes Basin, Harney Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| 1. Malheur Refuge waters downstream from Bridge Creek | |
| 2. Mainstem, East Canal, and tributaries upstream and including Bridge Creek, except Little Blitzen River | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31, 2 <i>trout</i> per day. • Open Jan. 1-May 27 and Nov.1-Dec. 31, catch and release for <i>trout</i>. |
| 3. Little Blitzen River | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release for <i>trout</i>. |
| Burnt River and tributaries upstream from Huntington-Richland Road Bridge (Baker Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Chewaucan River and tributaries below Hwy 31 at Paisley (Lake Abert Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31, 2 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Cogswell Creek (Goose Lake Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Cottonwood Creek and tributaries (Goose Lake Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Cottonwood Creek (Alvord Basin, Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Cottonwood Reservoir (Goose Lake Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • 2 <i>trout</i> per day. |
| Crater Lake National Park (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Angling in Crater Lake National Park is regulated by the National Park Service. • For additional information call (541) 594-2211. |
| Crane Creek (Goose Lake Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Crooked Creek (Lake Abert Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Crooked Creek (Wood River Basin, Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • Catch and release for <i>trout</i>. • Closed from the springs located at Klamath Hatchery downstream 1,000 ft. to a posted fence crossing. |
| Crystal Creek (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • 1 <i>trout</i> per day. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Deming Creek including Campbell Reservoir diversion (Sprague Basin, Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Denio Creek (Alvord Basin, Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Dog Lake (Goose Lake Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed for <i>trout</i>. • 3 <i>bass</i> per day, 15-inch minimum length. |
| Drews Creek and tributaries (Goose Lake Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Drews Reservoir (Goose Lake Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 <i>trout</i> per day. |
| Dry Creek and tributaries (Goose Lake Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Eagle Creek and tributaries (Powder River Basin, Baker/Union Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Fort Creek (Wood River Basin, Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • Catch and release for <i>trout</i>. |
| Fourmile Creek (Agency Lake Basin, Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • 1 <i>trout</i> per day. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Fourmile Lake (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 25 <i>kokanee</i> per day (no size limits) in addition to other <i>trout</i> species catch limit. |
| Goose Lake (Goose Lake Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. • 2 <i>trout</i> per day, artificial flies and lures. |
| Harriman Creek (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • 1 <i>trout</i> per day. • Use of bait allowed. |

SOUTHEAST ZONE

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Higgins Reservoir (Baker Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • 2 <i>trout</i> per day, angling restricted to artificial flies and lures. • See Marine Board regulations which restrict to electric motors only. See page 7. |
| Indian Creek (Quinn Basin, Malheur Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Jordan Creek (Owyhee Basin, Malheur Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Health Advisory on page 18. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Kelley Creek (Goose Lake Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Kiger Creek and tributaries (Malheur Lakes Basin, Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Klamath Lake and Agency Lakes (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 <i>trout</i> per day. Bait allowed as per Zone Regulations. |
| Klamath River (Klamath Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • 1 <i>trout</i> per day. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 1. Lake Ewauna downstream to Keno Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open Jan. 1-June 15 and Oct. 1-Dec. 31. • 1 <i>trout</i> per day. |
| 2. Keno Dam downstream to JC Boyle Reservoir | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • 1 <i>trout</i> per day. • Catch and release for <i>trout</i> June 16-Sept. 30. • Closed from Boyle Dam to downstream side of bridge at flume crossing. |
| 3. Boyle Dam downstream to Oregon/California border | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Krumbo Creek (Malheur Lakes Basin Harney Co.), | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| 1. Above Krumbo Reservoir | |
| 2. Below Krumbo Reservoir | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed |
| Krumbo Reservoir (Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. |
| Lake Creek and tributaries (Malheur River Basin, Grant Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day. |
| Lake of the Woods (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 25 <i>kokanee</i> per day (no size limits) in addition to other <i>trout</i> species catch limit. • No more than 1 <i>bass</i> over 15 inches, as part of daily limit. • Angling allowed 24 hours per day. |
| Larkin Creek (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open to angling May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Link River (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • 1 <i>trout</i> per day. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Little Alvord Creek (Alvord Basin, Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Lost River and tributaries (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Malheur River (Harney/Grant/Malheur Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day. |
| 1. Mouth of Bluebucket Creek to Big Creek. | |
| 2. Remainder of basin. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Malheur River, North Fork (Malheur/Harney/Grant/Baker Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day. |
| 1. Mainstem and tributaries upstream of Beulah Reservoir. | |
| 2. Mainstem downstream of Beulah Reservoir. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Mann Lake (Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 <i>trout</i> per day, 16-inch minimum length. • Restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| Mann Lake tributaries (Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| McCoy Creek, Little (Alvord Basin, Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Miller Creek (Outlet of Miller Lake, Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Miller Creek (tributary to Lost River) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Miller Lake (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 25 <i>kokanee</i> per day (no size limits) in addition to other <i>trout</i> species catch limit. • Angling allowed 24 hours per day. |
| Mosquito Creek (Alvord Basin, Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Murray Reservoir (Baker Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No angling from a floating device. |
| Odessa Creek (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • 1 <i>trout</i> per day. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Owyhee Reservoir and tributaries (Malheur Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Health Advisory on page 18. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Owyhee River from the mouth upstream to Owyhee Dam (Malheur Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. • Catch and release for <i>brown trout</i>. |

SOUTHEAST ZONE

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Pike Creek (Alvord Basin, Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Pine Creek (Goose Lake Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Pine Creek and tributaries upstream from Oxbow Bridge (Baker Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • <i>Brook trout</i> are part of the standard 5 <i>trout</i> per day over 8-inch bag limit. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Poison Creek Reservoir (Silvies Basin, Grant Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Powder River (Baker/Union Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. • <i>Brook trout</i> are part of the standard 5 <i>trout</i> per day over 8-inch bag limit. |
| 1. Mainstem and tributaries upstream from Huntington-Richland Road Bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open Jan. 1-April 21 and Nov. 1-Dec. 31, catch and release for <i>trout</i>, restricted to artificial flies and lures. |
| 2. Upstream from Hughes Lane Bridge near Baker City to Phillips Reservoir | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31, 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Rattlesnake Creek and tributaries (Malheur Lakes Basin, Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Recreation Creek (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • 1 <i>trout</i> per day. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Riddle Creek and tributaries (Malheur Lakes Basin, Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Sage Creek (Quinn Basin, Malheur Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Sand Creek (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Scott Creek (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Sevenmile Creek downstream from Nicholson Road (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • Catch and release for <i>trout</i>. |
| Short Creek (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • 1 <i>trout</i> per day • Use of bait allowed. |
| Silvies River and tributaries (Malheur Lakes Basin, Grant/Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Silver Creek and tributaries (Malheur Lakes Basin, Crook/Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Skull Creek (Catlow Basin, Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Snake River and impoundments | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Snake River Zone (pages 82-85). |
| Spencer Creek (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Sprague River and tributaries (Klamath Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. • 1 <i>trout</i> per day. |
| 1. Downstream from Chiloquin Dam. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • Use of bait allowed. |
| 2. Saddle Mountain Pitt Road Bridge (USFS Road 5850) upstream to Godowa Springs Road Bridge. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Spring Creek (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. • 5 <i>trout</i> per day, use of bait allowed. |
| Tandy Creek (Goose Lake Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Thomas Creek and tributaries (Goose Lake Basin, Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| Thomason Creek (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open entire year. • 1 <i>trout</i> per day. • Use of bait allowed. |
| Thompson Valley Reservoir (Lake Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 <i>hybrid bass</i> in 24 hours, 16-inch minimum length. • No length or bag limit on <i>largemouth bass</i>. |
| Threemile Creek (Catlow Basin, Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Threemile Creek (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed upstream of Westside Road. |
| Unity Reservoir (Baker Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed within 200 feet of Dam Jan. 1-March 31 and Dec. 1-31. |
| Van Horn Creek (Alvord Basin, Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Whitehorse Creek Drainage (Coyote Lake Basin, Harney/Malheur Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release angling for <i>Lahontan cutthroat trout</i>. |
| Williamson River (Klamath Co.): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. • 1 <i>trout</i> per day. |
| 1. Mouth upstream to the Modoc Point Road Bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. • 1 <i>trout</i> per day May 27-July 31. • Catch and release for <i>trout</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. • No angling from motor-propelled craft while motor is operating. |
| 2. Modoc Point Road Bridge upstream to Chiloquin Bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. • 1 <i>trout</i> per day May 27-July 31. • Catch and release for <i>trout</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. • No angling from motor-propelled craft while motor is operating. |

(Williamson River continued on next page)



All *trout*, *salmon* and *steelhead* that are released must be unharmed and should not be removed from the water.

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Williamson River (continued) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open May 27-Oct. 31. |
| 3. Chiloquin Bridge to Kirk Bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 <i>trout</i> per day May 27-July 31. • Catch and release for <i>trout</i> Aug. 1-Oct. 31. • No angling from a floating device. |
| 4. Kirk Bridge upstream to headwaters | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • 2 <i>trout</i> per day, except no limit on size or number of <i>brook trout</i>. • No angling from a floating device. |
| Willow Creek (Alvord Basin, Harney Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed. |
| Willow Creek Drainage (Coyote Lakes Basin, Harney/Malheur Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release angling for <i>Lahontan cutthroat trout</i>. |
| Wood River from mouth (mouth of Wood River extends through the Wood River Delta to emergent vegetation line in Agency Lake) upstream including tributaries, except Annie Creek (Klamath Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open April 22-Oct. 31. • Catch and release for <i>trout</i>. |

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- Combined Angling Harvest Tag
- Deer Tag (general or controlled)
- Elk Tag (general or controlled)
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- Cougar Tag (general)
- Turkey Tag (spring)
- Upland Game Bird and Oregon Waterfowl Validation

The combination angling/hunting license as well as the general cougar, spring turkey and angling harvest tags are issued at the time of purchase. Due to the variety of options, black bear, deer and elk tags must be requested before the deadline. Upland game bird and Oregon waterfowl validations are available after July 1 at no additional cost. Controlled hunt applications at \$4.50 must be purchased no later than Feb. 10 for bear and May 15 for deer and elk.

Sport Pac licenses are available at all license agent locations and by fax or mail.



For details, call the ODFW Licensing Department, 503-947-6100, or visit www.dfw.state.or.us.



Stop Harmful Species!

Unwanted plants and animals can ruin your favorite fishing and boating waters.

HYDRILLA



- * Native to Southwest Asia
- * Destroys fish habitat
- * Reduces water movement
- * Interferes with recreation

ZEBRA MUSSEL



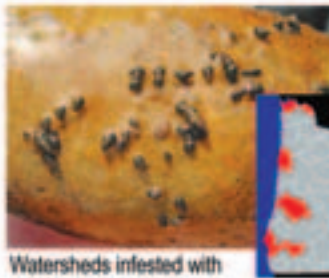
- * Native to Caspian Sea
- * Freshwater mussel
- * Degrades fish habitat
- * Damages boat engines and dock pilings
- * Attaches to underwater surfaces in colonies

MITTEN CRAB

- * Native to Yellow Sea
- * Eats fish eggs and juveniles
- * Found in fresh and saltwater
- * Identified by "hairy" claws, shell width 3-5"

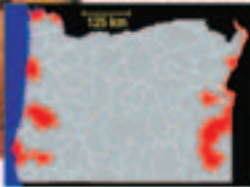


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NEW ZEALAND MUDSNAIL

Watersheds infested with
New Zealand mudsnails as of August '05



- * Present in Oregon since 1990s
- * Small freshwater snail to 1/8 inch in size
- * Clings to waders, anchors and other gear
- * Transported by anglers and boaters
- * Detrimental to native insects
- * May cause declines in fish populations

You can help protect Oregon's waters from invasive plants and animals! Here's how:

CLEAN and INSPECT - Thoroughly rinse and inspect all gear and boating equipment before you leave the area. Clean gear of all material coming from the water and inspect hard to clean areas like laces, insoles, livewells, nets, etc.

DRY - Completely dry all gear and boating equipment for at least 48 hours before using in a different area. Multiple sets of gear are recommended for frequent travelers visiting many areas.

FREEZE, SOAK or SPRAY - Effective cleaning methods include freezing gear overnight, washing gear in hot water (120F; warning, may damage Gortex), or a 5 min soak in Formula 409 Disinfectant (50% dilution recommended). Dispose of all rinse water appropriately.

REMEMBER - Mud, sand, plant fragments and gravel on your gear are all signs that mudsnails and other species may be attached to your equipment (boots, nets, boats, trailers, etc.).

REPORT - Found mudsnails or other invasive species? Call 1-866-INVADER for more information or to report sightings. Visit www.clr.pdx.edu for the latest information on aquatic invaders in Oregon.

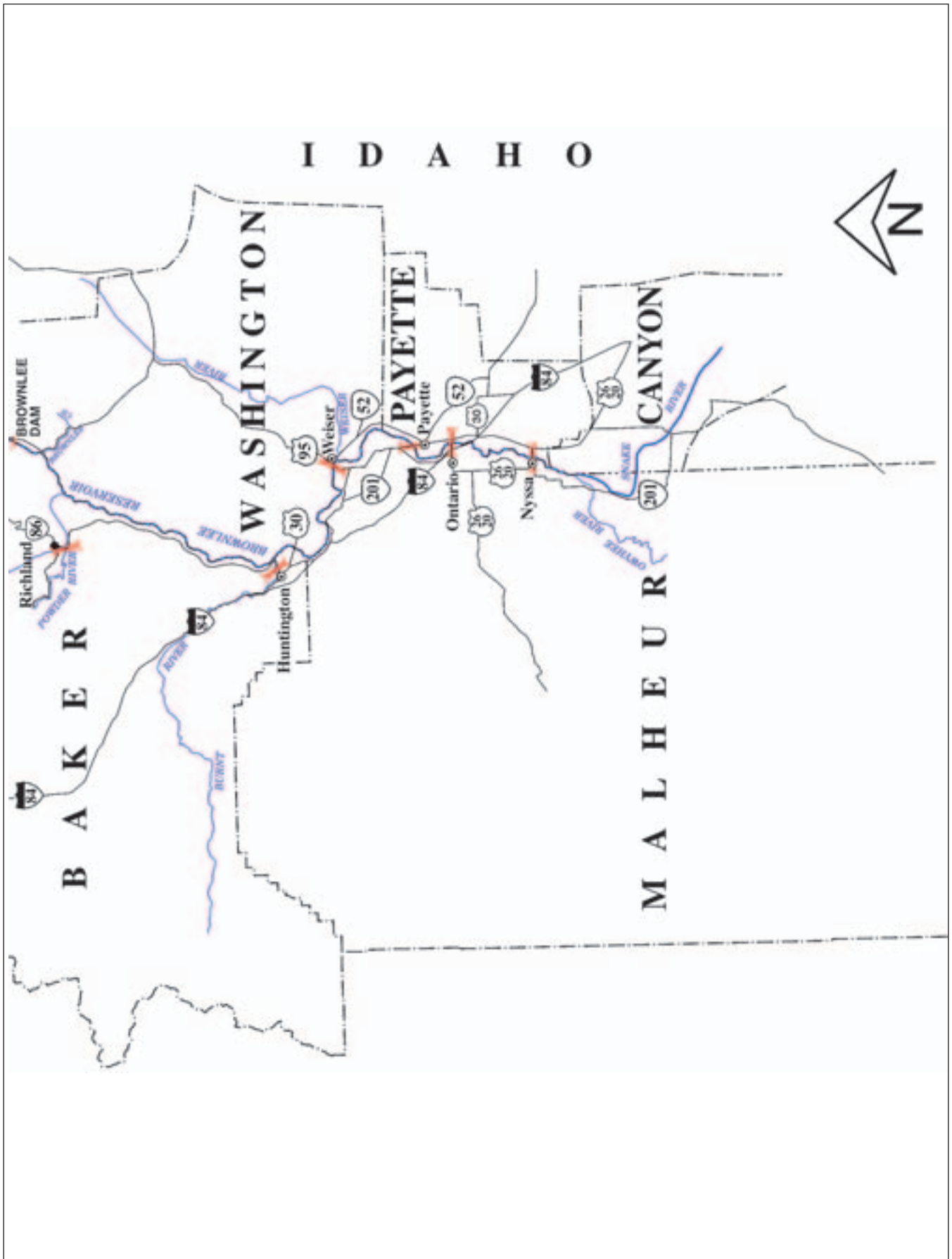
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Snake River Zone

LEGEND

- ZONE BOUNDARY
- FALLS OR DAMS
- ▲ FISH WEIR
- BRIDGE
- OTHER LANDMARKS
- CLOSED ALL YEAR
- RAILROAD





Snake River Zone

Description:

The Snake River Zone is all the waters of the Snake River from the Oregon-Washington border upstream to the Oregon-Idaho border. The boundary between the Snake River and its tributaries is defined as a straight line across the mouths of all rivers. The Snake River Zone includes the portions of the Burnt and Powder rivers downstream of the Huntington-Richland Road near their mouths and includes the portion of Pine Creek downstream of the Oxbow Bridge.

Instructions:

1. Read the **Special Regulations** for this zone. **Special Regulations** apply to specific bodies of water or portions of water within a zone. If Specific references to a body of water, species, catch limits, length limits, seasons, or other specifications are not made in the **Special Regulations** for this zone, the Zone Regulations apply.
2. Read the following **Regulations for the zone**.
3. Always read the **General Regulations**, pages 9-14, which apply to all zones, for information about licenses; tags and permits; definitions; catch and possession limits; gear and bait restrictions; and harvest methods and hours, before going fishing.
4. Emergency or permanent rules adopted since January 1 may supersede these regulations. Anglers may call ODFW headquarters or regional offices at the numbers on page 5 of these regulations, or check the ODFW web site, www.dfw.state.or.us for these rules.

Regulations for this zone:

1. Where the Snake River forms the boundary between Oregon and Idaho, the following rules apply:
 - a. License of either state is valid in the Snake River when angling from a floating device. However, when fishing tributaries, sloughs or from lands within either state, the angler must be licensed by the state where the waters (or land) are located.
 - b. Anglers must follow the rules of the licensing state.
 - c. Anglers are restricted to one daily catch limit, even if licensed by both states.
 - d. Anglers may launch and take out their boats from either state, regardless of licensing state.
2. See Health Advisory on page 18.

| Species Name | Catch Limits | Length Limits and Other Specifications | Season |
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| Trout | 6 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No minimum length limit. Only 1 <i>trout</i> over 20 inches may be taken per day, upstream of Hells Canyon Dam. Closed to angling for <i>bull trout</i>. <i>Rainbow trout</i> over 20 inches are considered <i>steelhead</i> downstream of Hells Canyon Dam. | Open all year. |
| Salmon Steelhead | 3 per day. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed. See Snake River entry from Oregon-Washington border upstream to Hells Canyon Dam. Only adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be kept. Restricted to barbless hooks for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i>. No annual limit on adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> as long as the appropriate number of Hatchery Harvest Tags have been purchased to record the catch. | Closed. Closed in all waters unless noted by species under Special Regulations . |
| Warmwater Game Fish: Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass | 6 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No more than 3 <i>bass</i> over 15 inches in length. | Open all year. |
| Bluegill, Catfish, Crappie, Other Sunfish, Walleye and Yellow Perch | No limit. | | |
| Other Fish: Sucker, Northern Pikeminnow, Carp, Sculpin, other Nongame Fish and Whitefish and Shad | No limit. | | Open all year. |
| Sturgeon | Catch and release only. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Restricted to single-point barbless hooks for <i>sturgeon</i>. <i>Sturgeon</i> may not be removed from the water and must be immediately released unharmed. | |
| Crayfish | 100 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Neither an angling nor a <i>shellfish</i> license is required. | Open all year. |
| Freshwater Clams | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A <i>shellfish</i> license is not required. NOTE: Unlawful to take or possess <i>Zebra mussels</i> or <i>Asian clams</i>. | Open all year. |
| Bullfrogs | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> An angling license is not required. | |



All trout, salmon and steelhead that are released must be unharmed and should not be removed from the water.

Snake River Zone

Special Regulations for this zone:

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Snake River from Oregon-Washington border upstream to Hells Canyon Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-April 30 and Sept. 1-Dec. 31. • <i>Bass</i>, no length limit. • Closed from Hells Canyon Dam downstream 400 feet to cable crossing. • See Health Advisory on page 18. |
| Hells Canyon Reservoir (Wallowa Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Bass</i>, 12-inch minimum length. |
| Oxbow Reservoir (Baker Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch and release only for <i>bass</i> Jan. 1-June 30. • 2 <i>bass</i> per day. • <i>Bass</i> between 12 and 16 inches must be released. |
| Brownlee Reservoir including Snake River upstream to Oregon-Idaho border (Baker Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Powder River Arm from mouth upstream to Huntington-Richland Road Bridge requires an Oregon angling license. • <i>Bass</i>, 12-inch minimum length. • See Health Advisory on page 18. |

Oregon is Black Bear Country



Enjoying Oregon's wild areas brings with it some responsibilities. Co-existing with the state's bear population is one of them.



Please follow these guidelines to avoid conflicts with bears.

- Keep food in bear-proof containers or store in car trunk
- Place all garbage and fish refuse in sealed, bear-proof containers and remember to pack it out
- Keep campsites, campfire sites clean
- Fish with at least one other person
- If you see a bear or fresh bear sign, leave the area
- Stay far away from cubs, their mother is likely nearby
- Make noise while hiking so you do not startle a bear
- Give any bear you encounter a way to escape. Stay calm. Do NOT run or make sudden movements. Back away slowly as you face the bear, avoid direct eye contact.

For more information visit www.dfw.state.or.us



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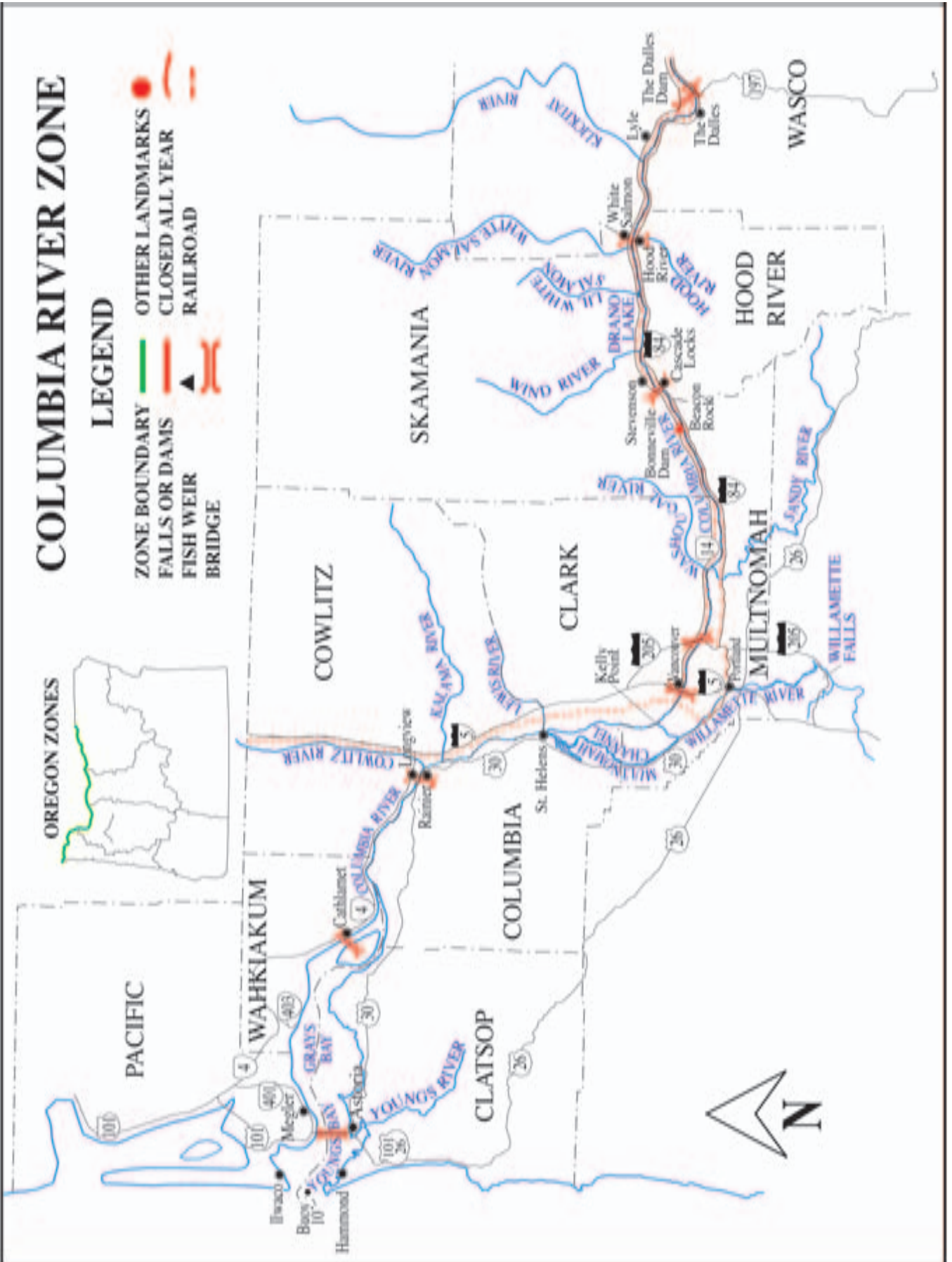
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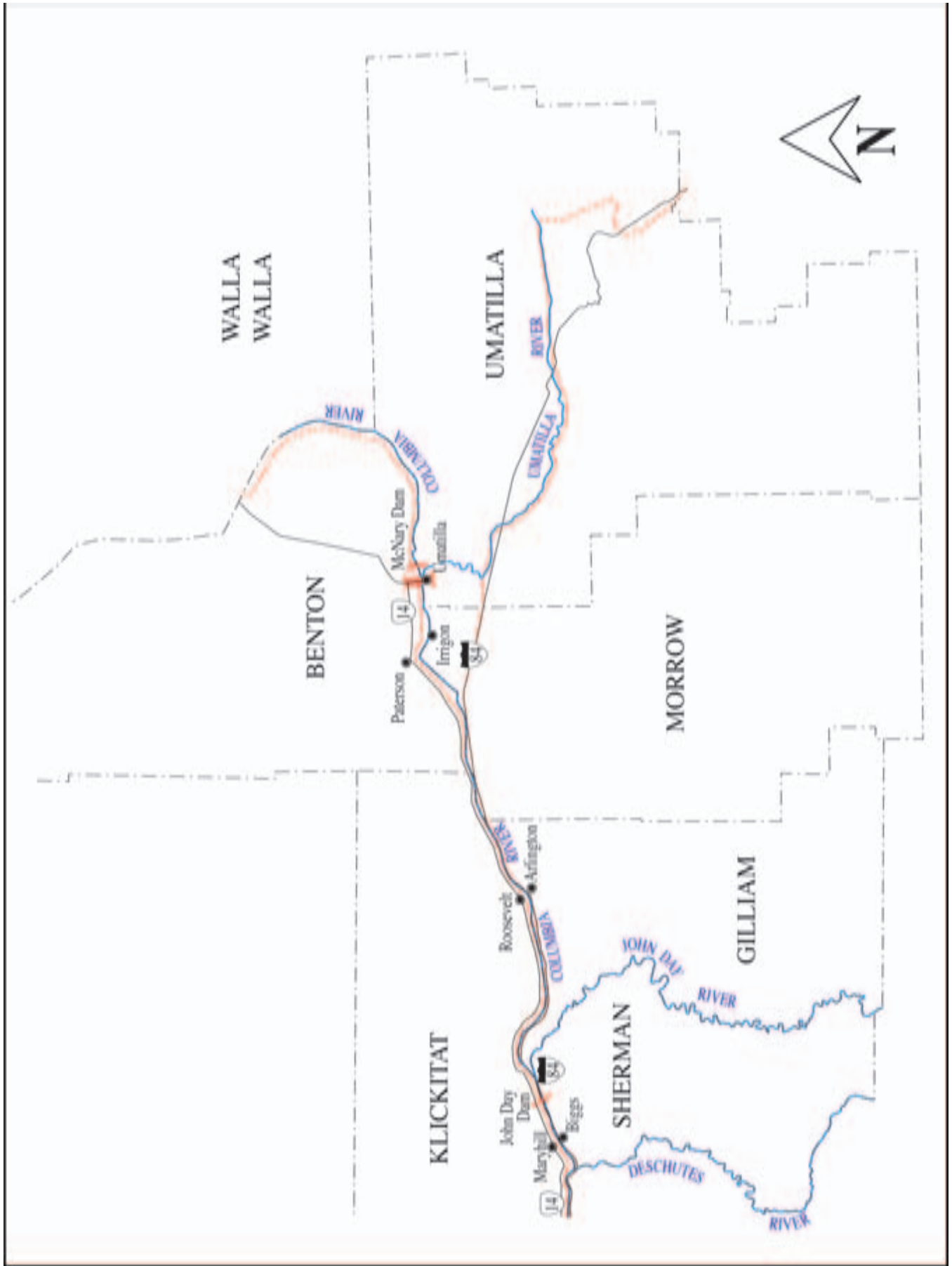
COLUMBIA RIVER ZONE

OREGON ZONES

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COLUMBIA RIVER ZONE

Description:

The Columbia River Zone is all waters of the Columbia River upstream from a north-south line through Buoy 10 at the river mouth and includes those portions of tributaries (including lakes) downstream from the mainline railroad bridges near the tributaries' mouths except for the Willamette (including Multnomah Channel), Sandy, Hood, Deschutes and Umatilla river systems. The Columbia River Zone includes downstream from Hwy 730 on the Umatilla River and from Interstate 84 on the Deschutes River. The boundary is a straight line across the mouths of the Willamette (including Multnomah Channel), Sandy and Hood rivers.

Oregon and Washington state waters are defined by the state line which lies within the waters of the Columbia River. In the area from the mouth upstream to Altoona, WA (river mile 24), the state line is near the Washington shore. In the area from Altoona, WA upstream to above McNary Dam (except near mainstem dams) the state line is in the middle of the ship channel.

Instructions:

1. Read the **Special Regulations** for this zone. **Special Regulations** apply to specific bodies of water or portions of water within a zone. If specific references to a body of water, species, catch limits, length limits, seasons, or other specifications are not made in the **Special Regulations** for this zone, then Zone Regulations apply.
2. Read the following **Regulations for the zone**.
3. Always read the **General Regulations**, pages 9-14, which apply to all zones, for information about licenses; tags and permits; definitions; catch and possession limits; gear and bait restrictions; and harvest methods and hours, before going fishing.
4. Emergency or permanent rules adopted since January 1 may supersede these regulations. Anglers may call ODFW headquarters or regional offices at the numbers on page 5 of these regulations, or check the ODFW web site, www.dfw.state.or.us for these rules.

Regulations for this zone:

1. In the Columbia River where it forms the state boundary line, not including tributaries, sloughs and lands, the following rules apply:
 - a. License and tags of either state are valid except when the other state's season is **closed**;
 - b. Anglers must follow the rules of the state in which they are fishing;
 - c. Anglers are restricted to one daily catch limit and one annual catch limit of *sturgeon* from the Columbia River, even if licensed in Oregon and Washington;
 - d. Anglers that are residents of either Oregon or Washington may launch or take out their boats from either shore, regardless of which state license they hold;
 - e. Anglers that are not a resident of either Oregon or Washington must possess a nonresident license for the state in which they are landing.
2. When fishing on tributaries, sloughs or from the land of a state, the angler must be licensed by that state and obey all angling regulations of that state.
3. **NOTE:** Mainstem Columbia River fisheries for *salmon*, *steelhead* and *sturgeon* are co-managed by the Oregon and Washington Departments of Fish and Wildlife and the four Treaty Tribes, represented by the Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission. Based on discussions among the co-management agencies, Oregon may adopt in-season changes to sport fishery regulations in the Columbia River. Regulation changes can occur on short notice and will be made available to ODFW field offices, the news media and license agents. Anglers should check the status of regulations prior to fishing the Columbia River.

| Species Name | Catch Limits | Length Limits and Other Specifications | Season |
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| Trout | 2 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12-inch minimum length. • <i>Rainbow trout</i> over 20 inches are considered <i>steelhead</i>. • Only fin-clipped <i>cutthroat trout</i> may be kept. • Closed to angling for <i>bull trout</i>. | Open Jan. 1- March 31 and May 27-Dec. 31. |
| Salmon and Steelhead | In the aggregate: 2 adult <i>salmon</i> or <i>steelhead</i> per day, 20 per year. 5 jacks per day, 2 daily jack limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> may be kept. • Closed for <i>sockeye</i> and <i>chum salmon</i>. • See Special Regulations in Columbia River Zone to determine where harvest of any <i>chinook</i> or <i>coho salmon</i> is allowed. Harvest of nonadipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> is not allowed in the Columbia River Zone. • There is no annual limit for adipose or otherwise fin-clipped <i>salmon</i> or adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> as long as the appropriate number of Hatchery Harvest Tags have been purchased to record the catch. • NOTE: Changes to <i>salmon</i> regulations for the Columbia River system are printed in May and are available at ODFW. Check for new regulations before you fish. | Closed in all waters unless noted by species under Special Regulations . |
| Warmwater Game Fish: Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass | 5 per day, 2 daily limits in in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No more than 3 <i>bass</i> over 15 inches in length. | Open all year. |
| Striped Bass | 2 per 24 hours; 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 30-inch minimum length. | Open all year. |



All trout, salmon and steelhead that are released must be unharmed and should not be removed from the water.

COLUMBIA RIVER ZONE

| Species Name | Catch Limits | Length Limits and Other Specifications | Season |
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| Warmwater Game Fish (con't) Bluegill, Catfish, Crappie, other Sunfish and Yellow Perch Walleye | No limit. | | Open all year. |
| | 10 per day, 2 daily limits in possession | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No more than 5 per day over 18 inches and only one may be over 24 inches. | |
| Other Fish: Sturgeon | 1 per day, 5 per year. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See page 92 for tag return information. • 42-inch minimum and 60-inch maximum length from river mouth upstream to The Dalles Dam. • 48-inch minimum and 60-inch maximum length from The Dalles Dam upstream to the Oregon-Washington border. • All oversize, undersize, and unwanted legal size <i>sturgeon</i> must be immediately released unharmed into the water. • Oversize <i>sturgeon</i> cannot be removed totally or in part from the water. • Restricted to one single-point barbless hook for <i>sturgeon</i>. • Catch and release of <i>sturgeon</i> may continue after taking the daily or annual limit or when quota is reached. | <p>NOTE: <i>Sturgeon</i> fisheries are managed on a quota basis. Anglers should check the status of regulations prior to fishing.</p> <p>Catch and Release: Open all year, except as noted under Special Regulations.</p> |
| Northern Pikeminnow, Carp, Sucker, Chub, Sculpin, Whitefish, Shad and other Nongame Fish Smelt | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Shad</i> angling closed from Buoy 10 line upstream to Bonneville Dam April 1-May 15. | Open all year. |
| | First 25 pounds per day. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An angling license is not required. • Separate container for each dipper. • 25 pounds per dipper while in dipping area. | |
| Crayfish | 100 per day, 2 daily limits in possession. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neither an angling nor a <i>shellfish</i> license is required. | |
| Freshwater Clams | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A <i>shellfish</i> license is not required. • NOTE: Unlawful to take or possess Zebra <i>mussels</i> or Asian <i>clams</i>. | |
| Bullfrogs | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An angling license is not required. | |
| Marine Fish and Marine Shellfish | See Marine Zone pages 95-101. | | See Marine Zone. pages 95-101. |

Special Regulations for this zone:

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Columbia River: 1. Buoy 10 line upstream to a line projected from Rocky Point on the Washington bank through red buoy 44 to the navigation light at Tongue Point on the Oregon bank. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed for trout. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and Aug. 1-Dec. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Jan. 1-March 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31, except only adult <i>chinook salmon</i> and adult adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> may be kept Aug. 1-Sept. 30. • Minimum sizes for adult <i>salmon</i> are 24 inches for <i>chinook salmon</i> and 16 inches for <i>coho salmon</i>. • The Columbia River South Jetty is open to <i>salmon</i> fishing seven days a week when the fall Buoy 10 or adjacent ocean <i>salmon</i> fishery is open. Before Aug. 1 barbless hooks are required. • In the waters of the Pacific Ocean and in the Columbia River upstream to a line projected from Rocky Point on the Washington bank through red buoy 44 to the navigation light at Tongue Point on the Oregon bank, each angler aboard a vessel may continue to use angling gear until the daily limit of fish for all legally licensed and juvenile anglers aboard has been achieved. However, no individual angler may exceed any personal daily bag limit. • See Health Advisory on page 18. |
| 2. A line projected from Rocky Point on the Washington bank through red buoy 44 to the navigation light at Tongue Point on the Oregon bank upstream to I-5 Bridge. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>chinook salmon</i>, adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped jack <i>chinook salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> May 16-July 31. • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i>, adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. • Angling from Big Creek railroad trestle bridge near mouth closed Sept. 1-30. • See Health Advisory on page 18. |
| 3. I-5 Bridge upstream to Bonneville Dam. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and June 16-Dec. 31. • Open for adipose fin-clipped jack <i>chinook salmon</i> June 16-July 31. • Open for <i>chinook</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. • Closed: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Between markers located 150 feet upstream and 450 feet downstream from the mouth of Tanner Creek out to center of the Columbia River Aug. 16-Oct. 15; 2. Inside the south navigation lock at Bonneville Dam from a marker on the westernmost point of Robins Island to a marker on the Oregon mainland shore. |

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COLUMBIA RIVER ZONE

| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Columbia River (cont.) 3. I-5 Bridge upstream to Bonneville Dam (continued) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bank angling prohibited: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> From Bradford Island below Bonneville Dam from south shore between the dam and a line perpendicular to the shoreline marker at west end of riprap and from north shore between fishway entrance and a line perpendicular to the shoreline marker 850 feet downstream; From Robins Island below Bonneville Dam downstream to a line perpendicular to the shoreline marker on mooring cell. Angling from a floating device or using a floating device to set lines is prohibited in the area between Bonneville Dam and a line crossing the river downstream from the dam marked by a sign on the Oregon shore at the western-most tip of Robins Island to a sign approximately 50 feet upstream of the Hamilton Island boat ramp on the Washington shore (USACE Boat Restricted Zone). Angling for <i>sturgeon</i> is prohibited from Beacon Rock upstream to Bonneville Dam May 1-July 31. Angling for <i>salmon</i> from a floating device is prohibited from Beacon Rock upstream to Bonneville Dam Nov. 1-Dec. 31. |
| 4. Bonneville Dam upstream to Oregon/Washington border located upstream of McNary Dam | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Health Advisory on page 18. Closed for trout. Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> Jan. 1-March 31 and June 16-Dec. 31. Open for adipose fin-clipped jack <i>chinook salmon</i> June 16-July 31. Open for <i>chinook</i> and <i>coho salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. Only adipose fin-marked <i>coho salmon</i> may be retained between Bonneville Dam and the Hood River bridge at River Mile 169. Open for <i>sturgeon</i> retention Jan. 1-until quota reached, catch and release may continue after quota reached. When angling for <i>salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i>, a single-point hook is required for all nonbuoyant lures. Nonbuoyant lures sink in freshwater. Closed <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Bonneville Dam upstream to a line across the river 1,000 feet from the dam as indicated by USACE signs; Interstate Hwy 197 bridge at The Dalles upstream to the upper line of The Dalles Dam, except bank angling is permitted upstream from the highway bridge for 1,100 feet to the cyclone fence; John Day Dam downstream about 3,000 feet except that bank angling is permitted up to 600 feet below the fishway entrance; From a floating device in USACE designated hazard zones above and below McNary Dam. |
| Benson Lake (Multnomah Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>trout</i>, <i>warmwater game</i> and other <i>fish</i> the entire year. Only adipose fin-clipped <i>trout</i> may be kept. 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. |
| Eagle Creek upstream to mainline railroad bridge (Hood River Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>chinook</i>, adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i>, and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> consistent with regulations for the Columbia River from Bonneville Dam upstream to Oregon/Washington border. See Central Zone (page 61) for the area upstream from the mainline railroad bridge. |
| Hartman Pond (formerly Wahkeena Pond) (Multnomah Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>trout</i>, <i>warmwater game fish</i> and other <i>fish</i> the entire year. 5 <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. |
| Herman Creek upstream to mainline railroad bridge (Hood River Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>chinook</i>, adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i>, and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> consistent with regulations for the Columbia River from Bonneville Dam upstream to Oregon/Washington border; except closed Aug. 16-Nov. 30; except that area west of the peninsula up to the Lower Herman Creek Pond structure open through Dec. 31. An Oregon license and tag are required when angling in an area defined by a line running from the northwest corner of the jetty due south to a marker on the south shore and east into the lagoon. See Central Zone (page 61) for the area upstream from the mainline railroad bridge. |
| Multnomah Creek from Benson Lake downstream to the culvert under Hwy 84 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>trout</i>, <i>warmwater game</i> and other <i>fish</i> the entire year. 5 adipose fin-clipped <i>trout</i> per day, 8-inch minimum length. |
| Plympton Creek upstream to mainline railroad bridge (Clatsop Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for <i>chinook salmon</i>, adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> consistent with regulations for the Columbia River from the Rocky Point-Tongue Point line upstream to I-5 Bridge, except closed Sept. 1-30. See Northwest Zone (page 30) for the area upstream from the mainline railroad bridge. |

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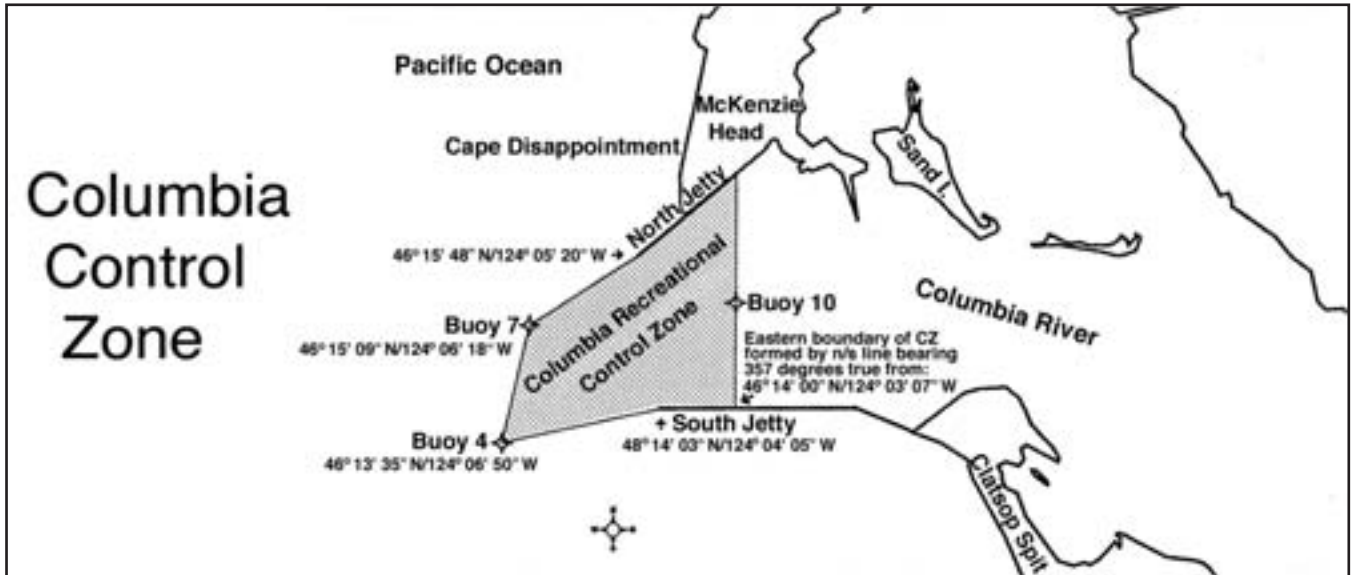
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| Water | Special Regulations |
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| Bridal Veil, Wahkeena, Multnomah, Horsetail, Oneonta and Tanner creeks upstream to the mainline railroad bridge (Multnomah Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for <i>chinook salmon</i>, adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i>, and adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> consistent with regulations for the Columbia River from I-5 Bridge upstream to Bonneville Dam except closed Aug. 16-Nov. 30. • See Willamette Zone (page 47) for the areas upstream from the mainline railroad bridge. |
| Wahkeena Pond (See Hartman Pond) | |
| Youngs Bay Select Area (Clatsop Co.) (see map on page 93) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> entire year. • Open for fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> Jan. 1-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. |
| Blind Slough/Knappa Slough Select Area (Clatsop Co.) (see map on page 94) Including Gnat Creek from railroad bridge up to Aldrich Pt. Road Bridge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>steelhead</i> and adipose fin-clipped <i>coho salmon</i> entire year. • Open for adipose fin-clipped <i>spring chinook salmon</i> Jan. 1-July 31. • Open for <i>fall chinook salmon</i> Aug. 1-Dec. 31. |



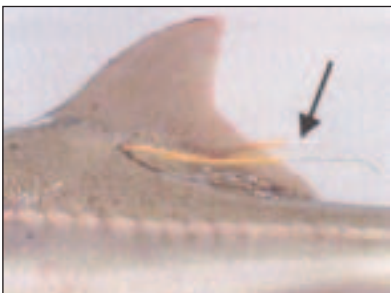
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Asian Clam

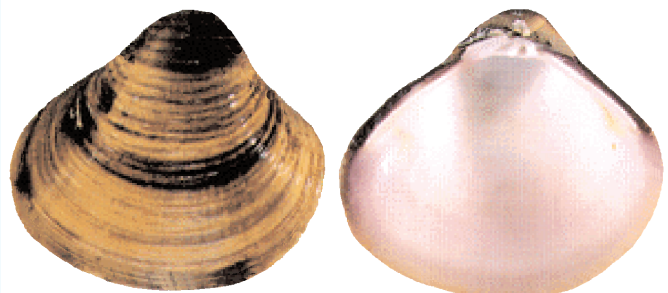
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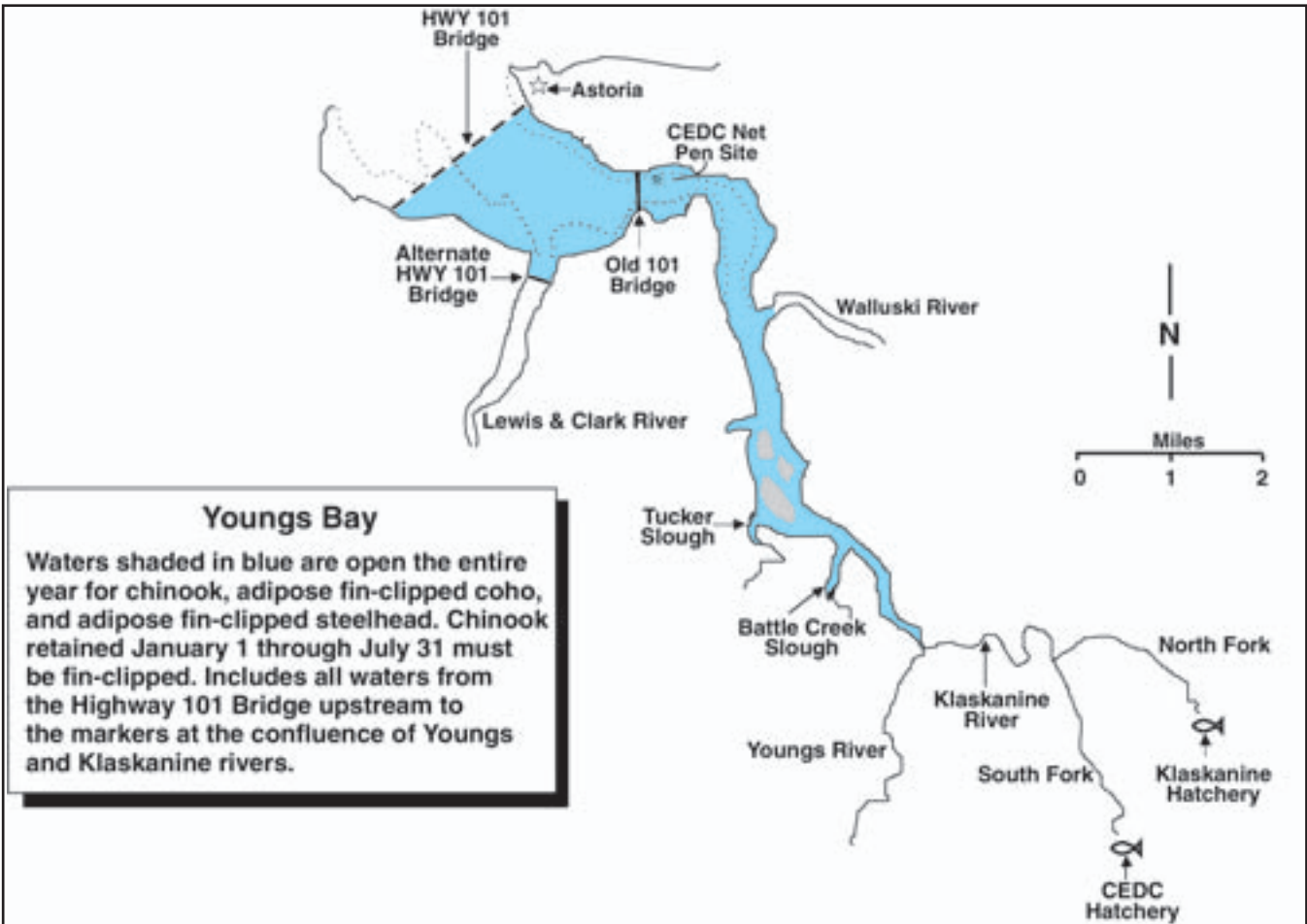
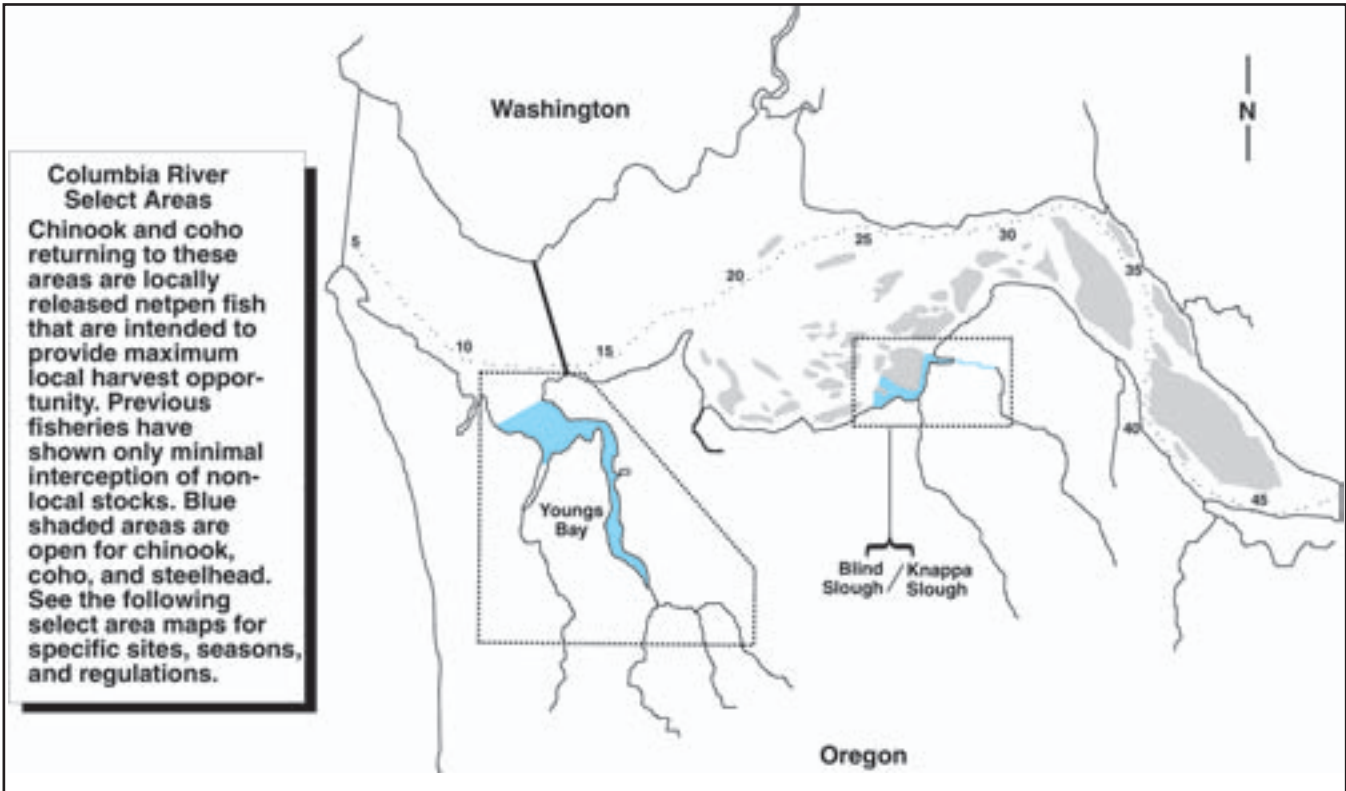
Yellow to brown shell with elevated ridges. Interior of shell has a purple hue.

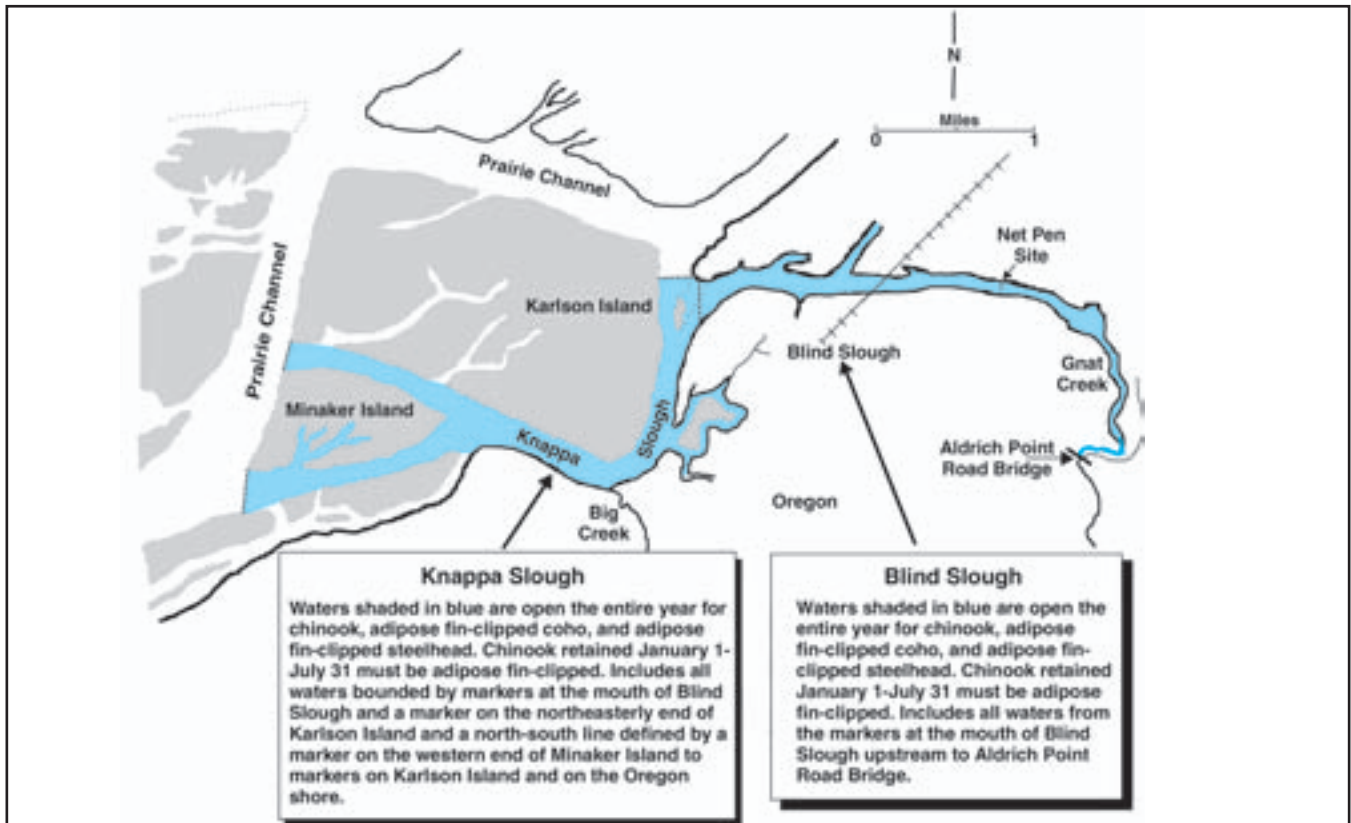
Larger individuals will have worn white area around hinge.

Found in mud and sand substrate in freshwater and upper tidewater areas.

Unlawful to take or possess







Saltwater Angling Ethics

Here are some guidelines to consider when developing a personal code of ethics, one that reflects your values and your respect for Oregon's natural places and resources.

- Select methods, gear and locations that will minimize the catch of prohibited species. Retention of some species is prohibited to allow depressed populations to rebuild.
- Take no more than you will use, and take care of what you keep.

Catch and Release

- Use methods and gear that will minimize harm to fish. Handle fish as little and as gently as possible.
- Intentional catch and release is not appropriate for all species.
- Scales and slime are important for fish survival. Both are lost when a fish comes in contact with a deck, a net, dry hands or a towel.
- If the hook is too deep to remove with long-nose pliers, cut the line near the hook.
- Use recompression methods to release rockfish. Contact ODFW for the "Release Methods for Rockfish" pamphlet.
- Avoid releasing rockfish that are legal to retain in favor of large rockfish.

Intentional catch and release is not appropriate for all species.

- Rockfish species are susceptible to internal injury due to the change in pressure during capture. Reeling them up slowly does not prevent the damage.
- Most clam species must be retained regardless of size or condition. Only unbroken butter, cockle and littleneck clams may be released.

- Report angling violations to the Oregon State Police at 1-800-452-7888.
(Freshwater angling ethics are found on page 33)

Visit the ODFW Web site for more information on angler ethics.
www.dfw.state.or.us/resources/fishing/ethics

MARINE ZONE

Description:

The Marine Zone consists of the Pacific Ocean, coastal bays, and beaches.

Instructions:

1. Read the **Special Regulations** for this zone. **Special Regulations** apply to specific bodies of water or portions of water within a zone. If specific reference to a body of water, species, catch limits, length limits, seasons, or other specifications are not made in the **Special Regulations** for this zone, then zone regulations apply.
2. Read the following **Regulations for the zone**.
3. Always read the **General Regulations**, pages 9-14, which apply to all zones, for information about licenses; tags and permits; definitions; catch and possession limits; gear and bait restrictions; hook and weight regulations; and harvest methods and hours, before going fishing.
4. Emergency or permanent rules adopted since January 1 may supersede these regulations. Anglers may call ODFW headquarters or regional offices at the numbers on page 5 of these regulations, or check the ODFW web site, www.dfw.state.or.us for these rules.

Regulations for this zone:

1. The ocean is separated from rivers and bays by:
 - a. Normal high tide lines along coastal beaches, where there are no jetties;
 - b. The ends of the jetties, where they exist, except for the Columbia River;
 - c. A north-south line running through Buoy 10 in the Columbia River.
2. License requirements for this zone are:
 - a. An Oregon angling license is required to angle for or land marine fish except smelt;
 - b. A license is required to harvest *shellfish*, for those 14 years or older. Permits are required as listed under *abalone, clams, mud and ghost shrimp*, and intertidal invertebrates in the following table. Contact ODFW in Newport 541-867-4741, Charleston 541-888-5515, or Astoria 503-325-2462 for information.
3. Persons coming ashore in Oregon with ocean caught fish or *shellfish* are subject to all Oregon sport fishing and licensing regulations.
4. All areas are open except those areas listed under **Special Regulations** or **closed** by a Public Health Advisory.
5. Oregon Dept. of Agriculture Public Health Advisory for *shellfish*:
 - a. Any estuary or beach with a health advisory will be **closed** immediately until the advisory is removed;
 - b. For current information concerning *shellfish* health advisories, call 503-986-4728 or 1-800-448-2474.
6. Barbed hooks are allowed when angling for marine fish except as noted for *salmon* and *steelhead*.
7. In the waters of the Pacific Ocean and in the Columbia River upstream to a line projected from Rocky Point on the Washington bank through red buoy 44 to the navigation light at Tongue Point on the Oregon bank, each angler aboard a vessel may continue to use angling gear until the daily limit of fish for all legally licensed and juvenile anglers aboard has been achieved. However, no individual angler may exceed any personal daily bag limit or land fish that contribute to another angler's limit (anglers who have retained a species limit must pass their rod to an angler who has not reached a limit prior to the fish being landed (netted or boated), or they must release the fish).
8. It is unlawful for any person to fish for, or take and retain any species of *salmon* or Marine Fish while possessing on board any species not allowed to be taken in the area at the time.
9. These angling regulations apply within the state's Fisheries Conservation Zone, which extends 50 miles from shore. In addition, some fisheries are co-managed with the federal government, so the regulations may apply out to 200 miles from shore.

Harvest Caps and In-Season Changes:

Annual state and federal harvest caps are set for sport fisheries including lingcod, black rockfish, yelloweye rockfish, canary rockfish, cabezon, greenlings and others. When a species' harvest cap is reached or is being approached, an in-season regulation change may be implemented to stop or slow the harvest of that species. In-season changes may include (but are not limited to) reduced bag limits, a change in size limits, non-retention of a particular species, area closures and season closures. Anglers may track the progress toward sport harvest caps on the ODFW Web site at www.dfw.state.or.us/mrp

| Species Name | Daily Catch Limits | Harvest Methods and Other Specifications | Season |
|---|--|---|---|
| Marine Fish: Lingcod (including green colored lingcod) | 2 fish | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24-inch minimum length for <i>lingcod</i>. • 16-inch minimum length for <i>cabezon</i>. • 10-inch minimum length for <i>greenling</i>. • May be taken by angling, hand, bow and arrow, spear, gaff hook, snag hook and herring jigs. | Waters are open all year, 24 hours per day, except ocean closed June 1 through Sept. 30 seaward of the 40-fathom curve (defined by latitude and longitude) for groundfish. See following exceptions on open all-depth Pacific <i>halibut</i> dates: |
| Rockfish ("sea bass," "snapper"), Greenling ("sea trout"), Flounder, Sole, Cabezon and other marine species not listed in the 2006 Oregon Sport Fishing Regulations pamphlet. | 6 fish in total Retention of <i>yelloweye rockfish</i> and <i>canary rockfish</i> is prohibited. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unlawful to mutilate so that the size and species cannot be determined prior to landing. • Unlawful to transport mutilated fish across state waters. | On all open-depth <i>halibut</i> dates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take or possession of groundfish except <i>sablefish</i> is prohibited at all depths north of Humbug Mt. when <i>Pacific halibut</i> is on board vessel. • Take or possession of groundfish except <i>sablefish</i> and <i>Pacific cod</i> is prohibited at all depths north of Cape Falcon when <i>Pacific halibut</i> is on board vessel. <i>Canary rockfish</i> and <i>yelloweye rockfish</i> closed at all times in all waters. |
| Sandbar Surfperch (includes all marine perch species) | 25 fish 15 fish in total | | See also Special Regulations in the 2006 Oregon Sport Fishing Regulations pamphlet. |
| Herring, Anchovy, Smelt and Sardine | 25 pounds in aggregate (total). | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May be taken by dip net, cast net, angling and herring jigs. • Herring jigs may have any number of hooks. | Waters are open all year, 24 hours per day. See also Special Regulations . |
| Striped Bass and/or Hybrid Bass | 2 fish in 24 consecutive hours. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May be taken by angling. • 30-inch minimum length for <i>striped/hybrid bass</i>. | |
| Offshore Pelagic species (see definition Page 11) | 25 fish in aggregate (total) White <i>sharks</i> and basking <i>sharks</i> are prohibited and must be immediately released unharmed. | <p>Methods as described below are only allowed when fishing outside of three miles from shore for offshore pelagic species. Only offshore pelagic species may be in possession, and any other species caught must be immediately released while using these methods.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of <i>chum</i> is allowed. <i>Chum</i> may be live, dead, or cut up <i>squid, herring, sardine, anchovy, smelt</i> or <i>Pacific mackerel</i>. • No restrictions on the number of rods or lines fished per angler. • Unlawful to mutilate fish so that size or species cannot be determined prior to landing, or to transport mutilated fish across state waters. • May be taken by angling, hand, bow and arrow, spear, gaff hook, snag hook and herring jigs. | |
| Sturgeon | 1 per day, 5 per year. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum length 42 inches, maximum length 60 inches. | |

MARINE ZONE

| Species Name | Daily Catch Limits | Harvest Methods and Other Specifications | Season |
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| Salmon and Steelhead | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ocean <i>salmon</i> and <i>steelhead</i> seasons and restrictions are set each April by the Pacific Fishery Management Council (PFMC). Regulations are published each May and are available from license agents. See Northwest Zone, Tillamook Bay for description of control zone off Tillamook Bay. Single-point, barbless hooks required, except in coastal bays, or as noted in Special Regulations. NOTE: Regulations may change on short notice during the season. Changes are available from license agents and news media. | |
| Pacific Halibut | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Catch limits and seasons are set in April by the National Marine Fisheries Service. Regulations are published in May and are available at license agents. May be taken by angling with single line, no more than 2 hooks; and by spear. | |
| Marine Shellfish and Marine Invertebrates: Abalone: | 1 <i>abalone</i> per day, 5 <i>abalone</i> per year. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8-inch minimum length. May be taken by <i>abalone</i> iron only. Special permit required, see Regulations for this zone, item 2. For permit renewals, previous year's catch record must be submitted to ODFW before next year's permit will be issued. <i>Abalone</i> brought ashore shall be whole and in such a condition that the size can be determined. <i>Abalone</i> must not be removed from their shell in the field, except when being prepared for immediate consumption. Every person while taking <i>abalone</i> shall carry a caliper-measuring gauge with fixed opposing arms capable of accurately measuring eight inches by placing the gauge over the shell. | Waters are open all year, 24 hours per day except as noted under Other Specifications (this table) or Special Regulations . |
| Clams: Razor Clams | First 15 taken. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> May be taken by hand or hand-powered tools. Clatsop County beaches north of Tillamook head are closed to razor clams July 15-Sept. 30. | |
| Bay Clams: Butter, Littleneck, Cockle and Gaper | 20 <i>clams</i> , of which 12 may be <i>gaper clams</i> . | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unlawful to remove <i>clams</i> from the shell before leaving the clamming area. Each digger must have own container, dig own <i>clams</i>, and may not possess more than one limit of <i>clams</i> while in clamming area except under a Disabled Clam Digging Permit. See Licenses, Tags and Permits, pg. 10. | |
| Softshell and Others | First 36 taken. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unbroken <i>butter</i>, <i>cockle</i>, or <i>littleneck clams</i> may be returned only in immediate digging area. All other clams must be retained regardless of size or condition. | |
| Mussels | 72 <i>mussels</i> . | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> May be taken by hand or hand-powered tools. | |
| Scallops | 24 <i>scallops</i> . | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> First 36 <i>piddocks</i> taken regardless of size or condition. | |
| Piddocks (Rock Oysters) | First 36 taken. | | |
| Shrimp (edible) | 20 lb. in the shell. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> May be taken by traps, pots or rings. | |
| Sand Crabs, Mole Crabs, Kelp and Sand Worms, Mud and Ghost Shrimp (Bait) | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> May be taken by hand or hand-powered tools. Permit required to harvest <i>mud</i> and <i>ghost shrimp</i> by mechanical methods. See Regulations for this zone, item 2. | |
| Crabs: Dungeness Crab | 12 male <i>crabs</i> , minimum size is 5-3/4 inches. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> May be taken using crab rings, pots, or baited lines, (limited to 3 rings, pots or lines per person); by hand; dip net; or rake. Pots may be left overnight. Female <i>Dungeness crabs</i> may not be kept. Size is measured in a straight line across the back (caliper measurement) immediately in front of, but not including the points. See drawing on next page. Undersize and female <i>Dungeness crabs</i> and unwanted <i>red rock crabs</i> must be immediately released unharmed. No holding pots, holding devices, or live boxes in ocean. Holding pots, holding devices or live boxes in bays and estuaries cannot retain more than 24 <i>Dungeness</i> or 48 <i>red rock crab</i> per holding container. No more than 1 daily catch limit per day. No more than 2 daily catch limits in possession. <i>Crabs</i> may not be mutilated so that sex, size or species cannot be determined prior to landing. Mutilated <i>crabs</i> may not be transported across state waters. | Bays, estuaries, beaches, tide pools, piers and jetties are open all year, except as noted under Special Regulations . Ocean is closed for <i>Dungeness crab</i> . Aug 15-Nov. 30 |
| Red Rock Crab | 24 <i>crabs</i> , any size or sex. | | |
| Oysters | No take allowed. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Harvest of native <i>oysters</i> prohibited. All cultured <i>oysters</i> are private property and may not be taken without owner's permission. | Closed to the take of <i>oysters</i> . |
| Octopus | 1 octopus per day. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> May be taken by angling, dip net, pot, and hand. | Waters are open all year 24 hours per day unless noted under Other Specifications or Special Regulations . |
| Squid | No limit. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> May be taken by angling, (squid jigs and herring jigs allowed), dip net, cast net, hand, and hand powered tools. | |
| Starfish, Urchins, Snails, Shore Crabs, and all Other Marine Invertebrates not listed | 10 in aggregate. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> May be taken by hand or hand-powered tools. Unwanted <i>marine invertebrates</i> must be released alive. | |



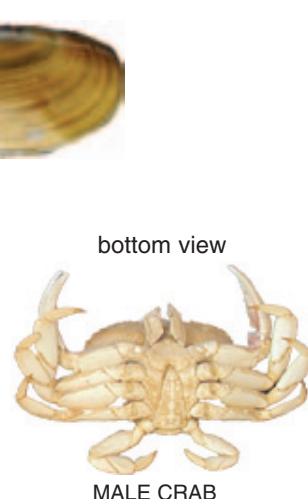
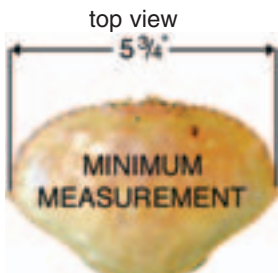
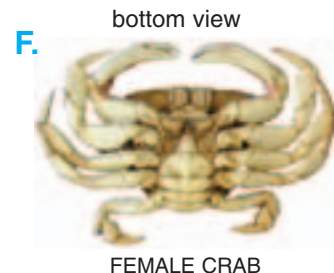
All trout, salmon and steelhead that are released must be unharmed and should not be removed from the water.

MARINE ZONE

Special Regulations for this zone:

| Area | Special Regulations |
|--|---|
| Marine Gardens: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Haystack Rock (Cannon Beach) Cape Kiwanda Otter Rock Yaquina Head Yachats Cape Perpetua Harris Beach | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed to take of <i>shellfish</i> and <i>marine invertebrates</i>, except: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Single <i>mussels</i> may be taken for bait; Razor <i>clams</i> may be taken at Cape Perpetua. See maps on pages 98-100. |
| Subtidal Research Reserves <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Pirate Cove (Depoe Bay) Gregory Point | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed to take of <i>shellfish</i> and <i>marine invertebrates</i>. Scientific take permits may be issued for scientific and educational purposes. See maps on pages 98-100. |
| Intertidal Research Reserves <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Boiler Bay Neptune State Park Cape Arago (Area B) Brookings | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed to take of <i>shellfish</i> and <i>marine invertebrates</i>, except <i>abalone</i>, <i>clams</i>, <i>Dungeness crab</i>, <i>red rock crab</i>, <i>mussels</i>, <i>pidlocks</i>, <i>scallops</i> and <i>shrimp</i> (edible or bait) may be taken. Scientific take permits may be issued for scientific and educational purposes. See maps on pages 98-100. |
| Intertidal Research Reserves <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Cape Arago (Areas A and C) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed to take of all <i>shellfish</i> and <i>marine invertebrates</i>. Scientific take permits may be issued for scientific and educational purposes. See maps on pages 98-100. |
| Habitat Refuges <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Whale Cove (Lincoln Co.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed to take of marine fish, <i>shellfish</i> and invertebrates. See map on page 99. |
| Shellfish Preserves <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Netarts Bay Yaquina Bay | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed to take of <i>clams</i> in posted <i>shellfish</i> preserves. Scientific take permits may be issued for scientific and educational purposes. |
| Other Closures <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Pyramid Rock (Rogue Reef) Three Arch Rocks (Oceanside) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed to take of marine fish, <i>shellfish</i>, and <i>marine invertebrates</i> from 1000 feet around and including Pyramid Rock May 1-August 31. Closed to boats 500 feet around the main rocks May 1-Sept. 15 by authority of the Oregon State Marine Board. See map on page 98. |

CLAM AND CRAB IDENTIFICATION



A. COCKLE

Shell - prominent, evenly spaced ridges (ribs)

B. LITTLENECK CLAM

Shell - radiating ribs, lack deep scalloped edge of Cockle

C. BUTTER CLAM (Martha Washington)

Shell - fine concentric lines of growth

D. GAPER CLAM

(Blue, Empire, Horseneck)
Large gape where neck protrudes





E. RAZOR CLAM

Thin, oval shell has a smooth, lacquer-like, light brown coating that distinguishes it from any of the bay clams.

F. DUNGENESS CRAB

Females crabs have a rounded flap on their underside. Male crabs have an elongated flap. Minimum measurement does not include points.

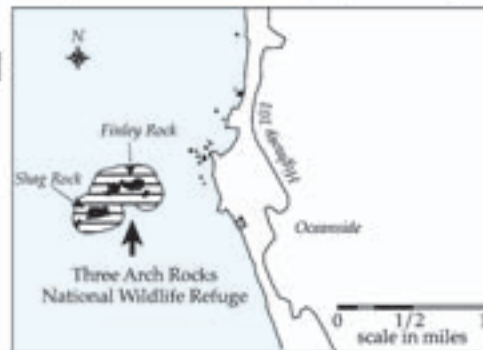
MANAGEMENT DESIGNATIONS FOR MARINE AREAS

-  Marine Garden
-  Intertidal Research Reserve
-  Subtidal Research Reserve
-  Wildlife or Habitat Refuge

Haystack Rock Marine Garden: All rocky areas, tide pools, and sand beaches situated between extreme high tide and extreme low tide lying within a 300 yard radius of the base of Haystack Rock, located at Cannon Beach, Clatsop County.



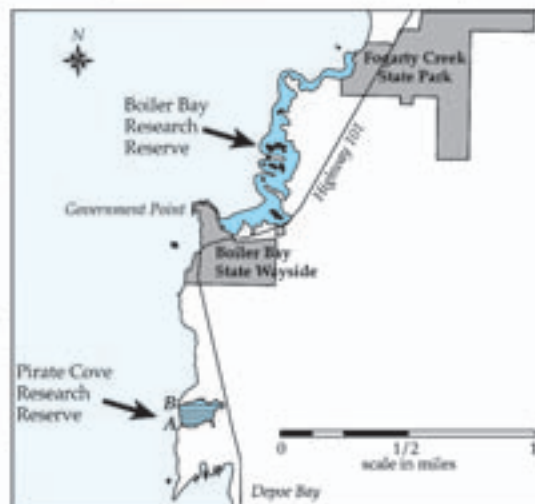
Three Arch Rocks National Wildlife Refuge: Boating is prohibited within a 500 foot radius of Finley Rock, Middle Rock, Shag Rock, and Seal Rock during the period from May 1 to September 15.



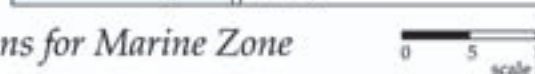
Cape Kiwanda Marine Garden: All rocky areas, tide pools, and sand beaches situated between extreme high tide and extreme low tide lying between the sand beach on the north and the sand beach on the south of Cape Kiwanda. Includes rocky areas abutting the sand beaches on the north and south sides of the headland.



Boiler Bay Research Reserve: All rocky areas, tide pools, and sand beaches situated between extreme high tide and extreme low tide lying between a line projected due west from the mouth of Fogarty Creek, on the north, and a line projected due west from the westernmost tip of Government Point at Boiler Bay State Wayside on the south.



Pirate Cove Research Reserve: All areas in Pirate Cove below extreme high tide east of a line drawn across the mouth of the cove, as defined by points at 44°49'05.0" N. Latitude, 124°04'02.1" W. Longitude (point A) and 44°49'08.8" N. Latitude, 124°04'03.6" W. Longitude (point B).



Refer to Special Regulations for Marine Zone



MANAGEMENT DESIGNATIONS FOR MARINE AREAS

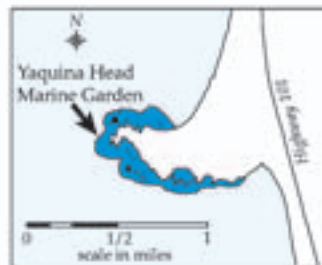
Whale Cove Habitat Refuge: All areas in Whale Cove below extreme high tide east of a line drawn across the mouth of the cove, as defined by points at 44°47'14.2" N. Latitude, 124°40'17.9" W. Longitude (point A) and 44°47'22.0" N. Latitude, 124°40'19.2" W. Longitude (point B).



Otter Rock Marine Garden: All rocky areas, tide pools, and sand beaches situated between extreme high tide and extreme low tide lying between a line projected due west from the highest point of Cape Foulweather visible from the shore (Otter Crest State Wayside) on the north, to a line projected due west from the Devil's Punchbowl on the south.



Yaquina Head Marine Garden: All rocky areas, tide pools, and sand beaches situated between extreme high tide and extreme low tide lying between the sand beach on the north, and the sand beach on the south of Yaquina Head. Includes rocky areas abutting the sand beaches on the north and south sides of the headland.



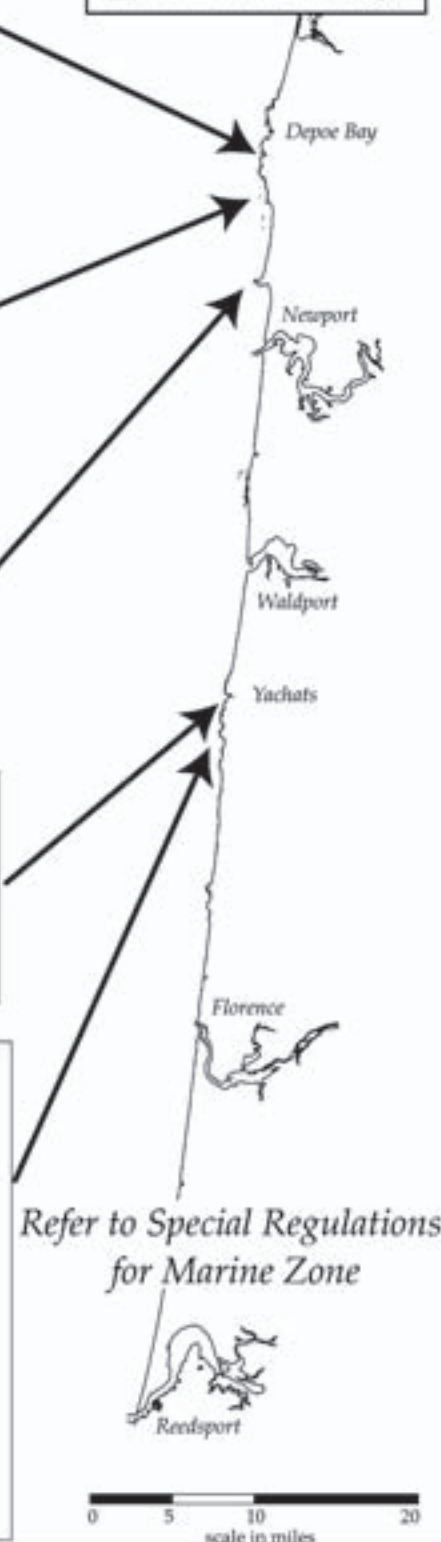
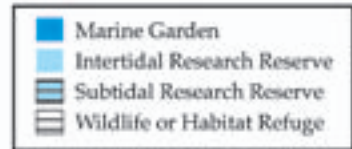
Yachats Marine Garden: All rocky areas, tide pools, and sand beaches situated between extreme high tide and extreme low tide lying between the north and south boundaries of Yachats State Park.



Cape Perpetua Marine Garden: All rocky areas, tide pools, and sand beaches situated between extreme high tide and extreme low tide lying between the north side of Devil's Churn on the north and the northerly boundary of Neptune State Park on the south.



Neptune State Park Research Reserve: All rocky areas, tide pools, and sand beaches situated between extreme high tide and extreme low tide lying between the northerly and southerly boundaries of the northern parcel of Neptune State Park.



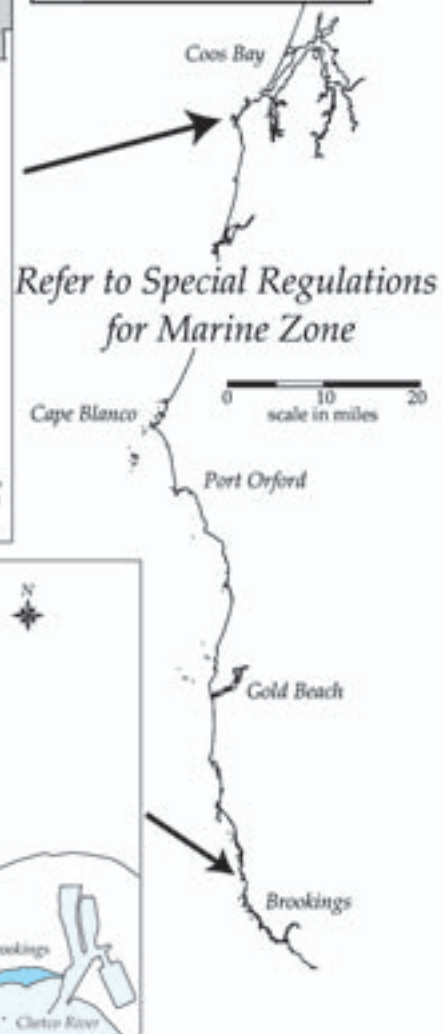
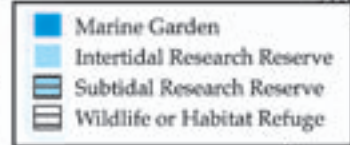
MANAGEMENT DESIGNATIONS FOR MARINE AREAS

Gregory Point Research Reserve: All areas seaward of extreme low tide in the area defined by the points making lines from 43°20'18.7" N. Lat., 124°22'50.3" W. Long. (point A) to 43°20'35.9" N. Lat., 124°22'53.7" W. Long. (point B), and seaward of extreme low tide from 43°20'24.1" N. Lat., 124°22'32.7" W. Long. (point D) to 43°20'39.0" N. Lat., 124°22'38.2" W. Long. (point C).

Cape Arago Research Reserve:
Area A: All rocky areas, tide pools, and sand beaches situated between extreme high tide and extreme low tide lying between a line projected due west from the Cape Arago lighthouse and the southern tip of Norton Gulch. **Area B:** All rocky areas, tide pools, and sand beaches situated between extreme high tide and extreme low tide lying between the southern tip of Norton Gulch and Simpson Reef overlook. **Area C:** All rocky areas, tide pools, and sand beaches situated between extreme high tide and extreme low tide lying between Simpson Reef overlook and a point 3/4 of a mile south of Cape Arago State Park.

Harris Beach Marine Garden: All rocky areas, tide pools, and sand beaches situated between extreme high tide and extreme low tide lying between a line projecting perpendicular to shore from the Harris Beach State Park beach access parking area on the north, and a line projecting perpendicular to shore from the road entrance to Harris Beach State Park off of Highway 101 on the south.

Brookings Research Reserve: All rocky areas, tide pools, and sand beaches situated between extreme high tide and extreme low tide lying between a point 1/2 mile north of Harris Beach State Park on the north, and the mouth of the Chetco River on the south (except that portion of the area within the Harris Beach Marine Garden).



Tidepool Etiquette

Intertidal areas are unique and fragile environments. They can be easily damaged and take a long time to recover. Animals living in this environment are extremely sensitive to human disturbance. Please follow these common sense etiquette tips to help minimize your impact while you are enjoying these special places.

- * Resist picking up animals. This can be stressful and harmful to them. Instead, view them where you find them.
- * If you do pick up an animal, place it back in its original location.
- * Step lightly. Avoid walking on animals. Walk on bare rock or sand when possible.
- * If you uncover an animal, carefully re-cover it so it is protected from weather and predators.
- * Do not pry animals off rocks. This will likely kill them.
- * Know the regulations for the area you are in. If collection is allowed, take only what you will use.
- * Do not handle or take animals in Management Designation areas without a permit. Note: refer to *Special Regulations* for allowable take of some foodfish species in these areas.
- * Some seabirds nest on cliffs or bare rock and feed in the intertidal. Avoid disturbing them and do not climb on cliffs and seaweeds.
- * Seals and sea lions rest on beaches and rocks. Pups are often left while the mother is off feeding. Do not disturb or attempt to rescue these animals.

MARINE SPECIES (NON-SALMONID)

Lingcod ("ling")



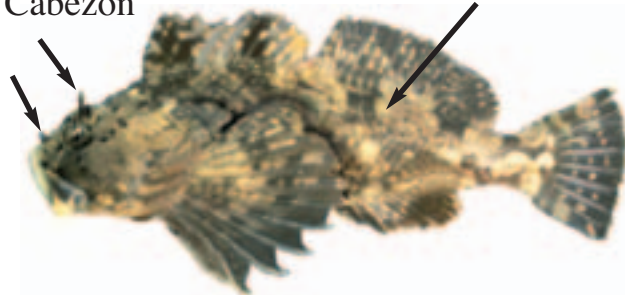
Look for: Large mouth with large, sharp teeth. Upper jaw extends past middle of eye. Body may be brownish, bluish, or greenish with mottling. Green-colored "ling" are often confused with greenlings. To 60 inches.

Kelp Greenling ("sea trout")



Look for: Small mouth with small teeth. Upper jaw does not extend past middle of eye. Males with blue spots around head (shown). Females light gray or brown with orange spots and yellow fins. To 24 inches.

Cabezon



Look for: Smooth skin, no scales. Small flap of skin on snout and above each eye (lies flat out of water). Body may be brownish, reddish or greenish. To 39 inches.

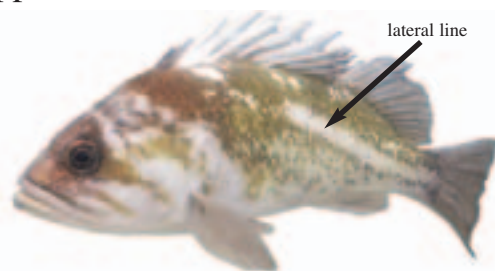
The following rockfish species, sometimes referred to as "red snapper," are easily confused:

Canary Rockfish



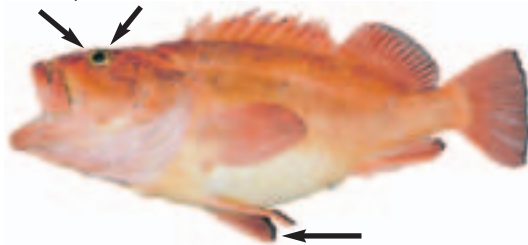
Look for: Gray or dusky mottling on sides. Narrow, light gray zone along lateral line. Tail indented with two distinct tips. Fins bright orange. To 30 inches.

Copper Rockfish



Look for: Broad, light zone along lateral line. Tail not indented. Fins coppery. To 23 inches.

Yelloweye Rockfish



Look for: Color fading to light orange or yellow on belly. Rough pair of ridges above eyes. Eyes bright yellow. Tail not indented. Fins pinkish, commonly with black edges. Smaller fish may have one or two white lines on sides (not shown). To 36 inches.

Vermilion Rockfish



Look for: Red fins (may be dark-edged in smaller fish). Lower jaw with scales. Tail slightly indented. To 30 inches.

WATCH OUT!
 Young salmon are present in estuaries primarily April-June (Coho and Steelhead) and June - September (Chinook). To help **protect our salmon**, please limit your jigging to times and places where young salmon are not caught as they swim with herring, smelt and similar small fishes. Delicate young salmon do not respond well to catch and release, and they cannot be retained.

WANTED:

ANGLER EDUCATION INSTRUCTORS



Remember the thrill of landing your first fish? Are you ready to share the knowledge you've gained since then to teach a child or an adult to fish? ODFW's Aquatic and Angler Education Program needs you.

Aquatic and angler education instructors are people 21 and older who love to fish. You don't need to be an expert angler to teach this course; a strong interest in introducing children and adults to the sport is all that's required.

What is the program?

The Aquatic and Angler Education Program is a certified training program that teaches basic angling skills. The approach is hands-on and fun. Each 6-8 hour program covers:

- Angling skills
- Aquatic stewardship and resources
- Responsible and ethical conduct
- Water safety
- Regulations

How do I become an instructor?

Call ODFW or send the form below for more information. As a trained instructor, you join a team of volunteers committed to teaching youngsters the joy of fishing. Upon certification, you receive program assistance from ODFW including:

- Instruction curriculum and teaching materials
- Student materials
- Loaner equipment
- Teaching aids
- Training
- Communications and program information
- Support resources
- Uniform
- Awards program



Programs are conducted throughout Oregon in conjunction with a variety of groups including schools, boys and girls clubs, 4-H, police athletic leagues, Scout troops, Campfire groups, park and recreation departments, senior centers and retail stores.

AQUATIC AND ANGLER EDUCATION PROGRAM INFORMATION

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail address _____

- Please send me information on becoming an instructor
- Please send me information for my school/community, organization/club

Return to Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, Angler Education Program, 3406 Cherry Ave. N.E., Salem, OR 97303. www.dfw.state.or.us 503-947-6002



Put a salmon on your plate

An additional \$30 for your two-year passenger car license plate helps to support the Oregon Plan for Salmon and Watersheds in its work to reduce negative environmental impacts on salmon and trout streams.

When you buy a car, tell the salesperson you want a salmon license plate or, at renewal time, indicate you want the salmon plate on the Department of Motor Vehicles form. If you are already a supporter, thank you.

The
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For more information,
www.oregon-plan.org

Help Save Oregon's Turtles

Help Oregon's western pond turtles and painted turtles remain healthy and viable by following these guidelines:

- Use artificial lures rather than bait when angling where turtles occur
- Carefully release any turtle you hook immediately—if you cannot unhook the turtle, cut the leader
- Avoid angling near areas where turtles sun, especially in the spring when it is important for turtles to successfully reproduce



For more information call your local ODFW office.



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APPLICATION FOR ODFW PERMANENT DISABILITIES PERMIT

Please print

NAME _____ SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER _____
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MAILING ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

PHONE NUMBER () _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

I hereby swear, under penalty of perjury, that I am permanently disabled as described below.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

TO BE COMPLETED BY A PHYSICIAN:

I, the undersigned, am a licensed physician for the above named applicant, and do hereby certify the applicant to be **permanently** disabled as defined by the following condition(s) (ORS 496.018):

- Is permanently unable to walk without the use of, or assistance from, a brace, cane, crutch, prosthetic device, wheelchair, scooter or walker;
- Is restricted by lung disease to the extent that the person's forced expiratory volume for one second, when measured by a spirometer, is less than 35 percent predicted, or arterial oxygen tension is less than 55 mm/Hg on room air at rest;
- Has a cardiac condition to the extent that the person's functional limitations are classified in severity; as Class III or Class IV, according to standards established by the American Heart Association;
- Has a permanent, physical impairment that prevents the person from holding or shooting a firearm or bow or from holding a fishing rod in hand;
- Has central visual acuity that permanently does not exceed 20/200 in the better eye with corrective lenses, or the widest diameter of the visual field is no greater than 20 degrees.

Licensed Physician (please print) _____

Address _____ Phone _____

Signature _____ Date _____

or **DISABLED VETERANS ONLY:** (Check box below and attach written proof from U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs or Armed Forces)

- I am at least 65% disabled as certified by the last official certification of record by the U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs or any branch of the Armed Forces of the United States.