

# PROVINCIAL FISH HATCHERIES

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# NOVA SCOTIANS LOVE TO FISH

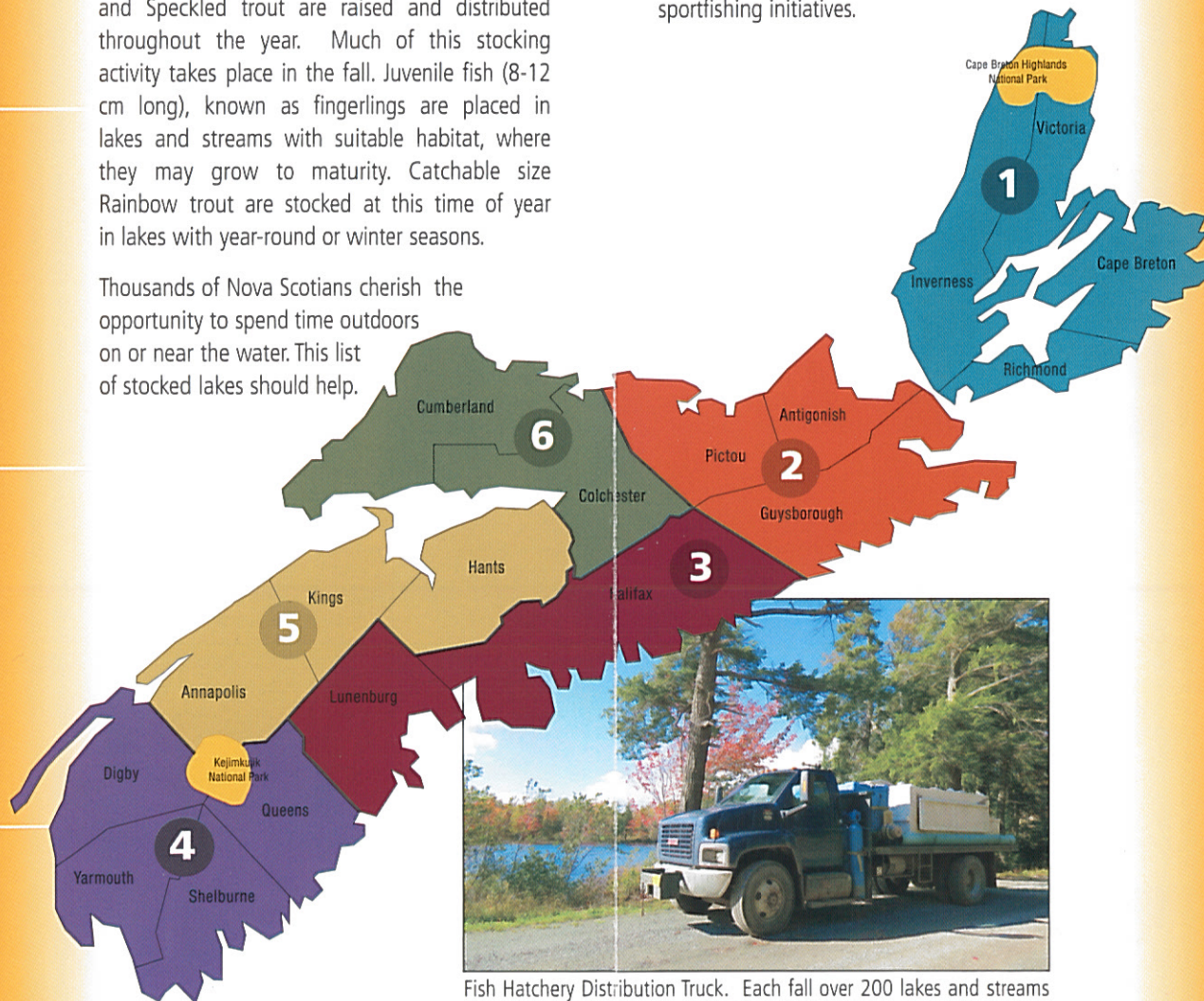
Nova Scotians love to fish. Angling is our most popular outdoor recreational activity. To help sustain this valuable sport, the Provincial Dept. of Fisheries & Aquaculture operates three fish hatcheries; Fraser's Mills Hatchery, Antigonish County, Margaree Fish Hatchery, Inverness County and McGowan Lake Hatchery, Queens County.

Atlantic salmon, Brown trout, Rainbow trout and Speckled trout are raised and distributed throughout the year. Much of this stocking activity takes place in the fall. Juvenile fish (8-12 cm long), known as fingerlings are placed in lakes and streams with suitable habitat, where they may grow to maturity. Catchable size Rainbow trout are stocked at this time of year in lakes with year-round or winter seasons.

Thousands of Nova Scotians cherish the opportunity to spend time outdoors on or near the water. This list of stocked lakes should help.

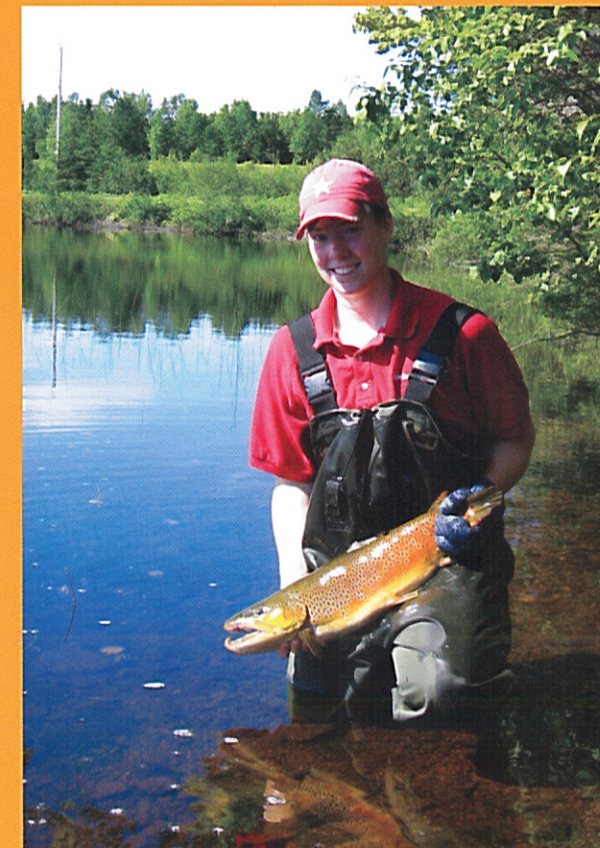
# NS RECREATIONAL FISHING AREAS

To allow management on a regional basis, the province is divided into six Recreational Fishing Areas (RFAs). Each RFA has a Recreational Fisheries Advisory Council that is open to the public and consists of anglers and volunteer sportfishing organizations with participation from other government agencies. The Inland Fisheries Division meets annually in each RFA to present research and discuss and develop regulations, enhancement opportunities and other sportfishing initiatives.



Fish Hatchery Distribution Truck. Each fall over 200 lakes and streams are stocked with trout or salmon fingerlings (parr).

# FALL TROUT & SALMON STOCKING LIST



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**Cape Breton, Inverness,  
Richmond and Victoria Counties**

RECREATIONAL FISHING AREA 1

**CAPE BRETON COUNTY**

<u>Speckled trout</u>			
Black Br.	15V4	<u>Atlantic salmon</u>	
Catelone L.	25V1	Margaree R.	9V3
Cranberry Pond	14Y4	and tributaries	
Donkin Dam P.	15W2		
Front L.	14Y4	<b>RICHMOND COUNTY</b>	
Gabarus L.	24X4	<u>Speckled trout</u>	
Gillis L.	14W4	Barren Hill L.	34Z1
Grand L.	14Y2	Buchanan L.	33Y3
Grand L.	25V1	Cook L.	34W2
Keeffe's L.	14Y2	Cranberry L.	34W2
Long L.	24X4	Ferguson L.	34Y2
MacIntyre's L.	34W1	Grand Lake	33Z4
McAdam L.	14V5	Lake Uist	23Z5
McMullin L.	22W5	Loch Lomand	23Z5
Power L.	14Y3	Mackenzie's L.	34W1
String L.	24X3	Mauger's Pond	34V4
<u>Rainbow trout</u>		Victoria Lake	33Y5
#20 Dam P.	15V1	White's L.	33Y3
Lever's L.	24Y4	<u>Rainbow trout</u>	
<u>Brown trout</u>		Bras d'Or Lakes	34W2
Detter Creek	34X1	Eco-trail Pond	44V1
Salmon R. Mira	24W2	Pottie L.	33Z5

**INVERNESS COUNTY**

<u>Speckled trout</u>			
Aucoin Br.	6V3		
Fisset Br.	6V3	<b>VICTORIA COUNTY</b>	
Jim Campbell's L.	6W4	<u>Speckled trout</u>	
Lake Ainslie	12Y3	Burton's Pond	4V3
Lake O'Law	9V5	North Aspy R.	3Z4
Mabou R.	12W4	Dalem L.	14V1
Margaree R.	9V3	Morrison L.	13Z3
and tributaries		South Hbr.	4V3
Pembroke L.	9V1	<u>Rainbow trout</u>	
River Inhabitants	22W5	Bras d'Or Lakes.	13W4
Tower L.	6V4	<u>Atlantic salmon</u>	
Trout Lakes	6W4	Baddeck River	13X3
<u>Rainbow trout</u>		Middle River	13V2
Bras d'Or Lakes	23V1		



**Antigonish, Guysborough  
and Pictou Counties**

RECREATIONAL FISHING AREA 2

**ANTIGONISH COUNTY**

<u>Speckled trout</u>		<u>Brown trout</u>	
Cameron's L.	31Y4	South River	32V4
James R.	31Y4	Tracadie R.	32Z4
Ohio R.	31Z5		
South River	32V4	<b>PICTOU COUNTY</b>	
<u>Rainbow trout</u>		<u>Speckled trout</u>	
Cameron Lake	32V5	Black Brook L.	41Y2
Gillis Lake	32V5	Bourough's L.	41V1



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RECREATIONAL FISHING AREA 2

Calder L.	40Y1	Hart L.	42Z2
Eden L.	41X3	Indian Hbr. L.	52V2
Grant L.	40Y2	Jesse's L.	52Z1
Indian L.	31Y5	John's L.	42V5
Perch L.	40Y4	Little L.	43W4
River John	29Z2	Little Dobson L.	43Y4
Trout L.	41Z3	Meaghers L.	42Z1
West River	30W4	Morrison L.	33V3
<u>Rainbow trout</u>		Mundel's L.	33X5
Gairloch L.	40W1	Narrow L.	42W3
<u>Brown trout</u>		Ocean L.	52Y1
Barney's River	20X3	Pemmon L.	41Y5
French River	31V4	Porcupine	40Y5
		Sheppard L.	32Z5
<b>GUYSBOROUGH COUNTY</b>		Simpson's L.	43V1
<u>Speckled trout</u>		Summer's L.	33V3
Basin L.	43Z4	<u>Rainbow trout</u>	
Charlie L.	42W3	Goose Harbour L.	33V4
Cooycoff L.	43X4	<u>Brown trout</u>	
Cuddihy L.	42X2	Indian Hbr. L.	52V2
Dobson L.	43X4	Milford Haven R.	42Y1
East Loon L.	40X5	St. Francis Hbr. R.	43W1
Fraser L.	42Z2	Salmon River	42Z4
Pottie L.	33V3		



**Halifax and Lunenburg  
Counties**

RECREATIONAL FISHING AREA 3

<b>HALIFAX COUNTY</b>		Lewis Lake	67W2
<u>Speckled trout</u>		Maynard L.	67Z2
Burke L.	50W4	Penhorn L.	67Z2
College L.	50X1	Round L. (Jerry Lawrence Park)	67W2
Conrod L.	59X5	<b>LUNENBURG COUNTY</b>	
Mill L.	58W1	<u>Speckled trout</u>	
Grassy L.	69V1	Card L.	66X1
Halfway L.	67X10	Butler L.	65Y1
Higgins L.	59Y1	Dauphinee's Mill	66Y2
Kearney L.	67X2	Fox Point L.1	66Z3
Little Sandy L.	58X5	Forty River	65Z1
Long Bridge L.	59X5	Huey L.	73X3
Melvin L.	60V1	Indian Lake	57V5
Mill L.	68W1	Lahave R.	74V4
Paces L.	59X4	Lake Ramsey	65Z1
Petpeswick L.	59Y5	Larder Lake	66X3
Sackville River	68Y5	Hirtle L.	65X1
Sandy L.	67X1	Mushamush R.	73Z5
Scots L.	59Y5	North Canoe L.	57W4
Scraggy L.	60W2	Petite Riviere	80V1
Shaw Little L.	59Y1	Lewis Lake	57W5
White's L.	67X5	Martins River	74W1
Moore L.	58X1	Millet Lake	66W3
Moose L.	50X1	Western Lake	66W5
Little Springfield L.	58X4	Whetstone Lake	65Y2
<u>Rainbow trout</u>		<u>Rainbow trout</u>	
Albro Lake	67Z2	Sucker Lake	73Z1



**Digby, Queens, Shelburne  
and Yarmouth Counties**

RECREATIONAL FISHING AREA 4

**DIGBY COUNTY**

<u>Speckled trout</u>		<u>Rainbow trout</u>	
Amirault Lake	71W1	Hidden Hills Lake	73W4
Ellison	63X5	<u>Brown trout</u>	
English	76Z2	Mersey River	79V3
Gaspereau L.	76Y3	<b>SHELBURNE COUNTY</b>	
Lac A Pecee	76Z3	<u>Speckled trout</u>	
Salmon River	76Y4	Barrington River	86Z4
Swallow L.	76Z2	Clyde River	87V3
Ticken L.	77V2	Greenwood L.	87V3
<u>Rainbow trout</u>		Sable River	83Z4
Everitt's L.	71W1	Roseway River	83W4
<b>QUEENS COUNTY</b>		<b>YARMOUTH COUNTY</b>	
<u>Speckled trout</u>		<u>Speckled trout</u>	
Broad River	84W1	Big Gull Lake	82X3
Five Rivers Creek	84X1	Quinan Lake	82Y4
Frank (Rebeccas) L	73W2		
Freeman L.	72Y2		
MacAlpines Brook.	84X1		
Medway R.	79X1		
Hen Lake	73V2		
Molega Lake	73W4		
Tupper Lake	73V2		



**Annapolis, Hants and  
Kings Counties**

RECREATIONAL FISHING AREA 5

**ANNAPOLIS COUNTY**

<u>Speckled trout</u>		<b>KINGS COUNTY</b>	
Annapolis River	63Z1	<u>Speckled trout</u>	
Lower Wrights Lake	64W1	Armstrong L.	56X5
Pretty Mary Lake	72Y1	Birch L.	56W3
<u>Brown trout</u>		Peck Meadow Br.	57W1
Shannon L.	64Z1	Chain L.	56X5
Elliot R.	63Z1	Hardwood L.	56Y4
		Lake Torment	65X1
<b>HANTS COUNTY</b>		Lower Sixty L.	65X1
<u>Speckled trout</u>		Mack L.	65X1
Armstrong	57Y4	Nimchin Page L.	56Y4
Cameron	58V2	North Twin L.	56X3
Lewis	58X2	South Twin L.	56X3
Allen Brook	57Y1	Upper Sixty L.	56W5
Zwicker Lake	57X4	<u>Rainbow trout</u>	
Avon River	57X2	Silver L.	46Z3
Black Brook	47Y5	Sunken L.	57V1
Herbert River	48W5		
Little Island Lake	57W4		
Meander River	58W1		
Swinamer River	66W2		

<u>Rainbow trout</u>			
Meadow Pond	57Z1		



**Colchester and  
Cumberland Counties**

RECREATIONAL FISHING AREA 6

**COLCHESTER COUNTY**

<u>Speckled trout</u>		<b>CUMBERLAND COUNTY</b>	
Byers L.	29V4	<u>Speckled trout</u>	
Economy L.	38W1	Farrell's Br.	37W2
Farm L.	18W4	Fountain L.	28X5
Hart L.	28Z4	Gilbert L.	37W1
Simpson L.	28V5	Leak L.	37W2
Sutherland L.	28Y5	Newfound L.	28Y4
Trout L.	39Y5	Parrsboro Abboiteau	37W2
West Branch L.	28V5	Poison L.	28V4
		<u>Rainbow trout</u>	
		Angevine L.	28Z1



Hatchery staff stocking trout in the fall.



Brook trout fall fingerling.