



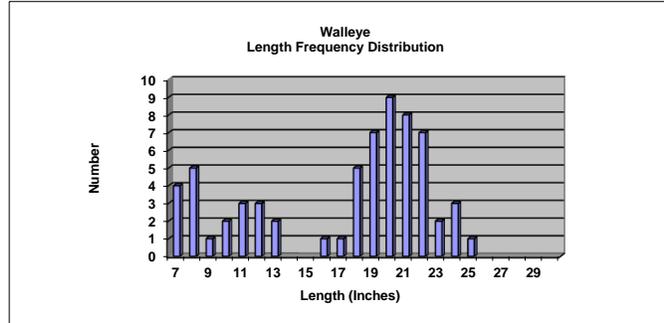
**WISCONSIN DNR
FISHERIES INFORMATION SHEET
LIPSETT LAKE, BURNETT COUNTY, 2013**

The Department of Natural Resources conducted a fisheries assessment of Lipsett Lake, Burnett County, from May 04, 2013 to May 06, 2013.

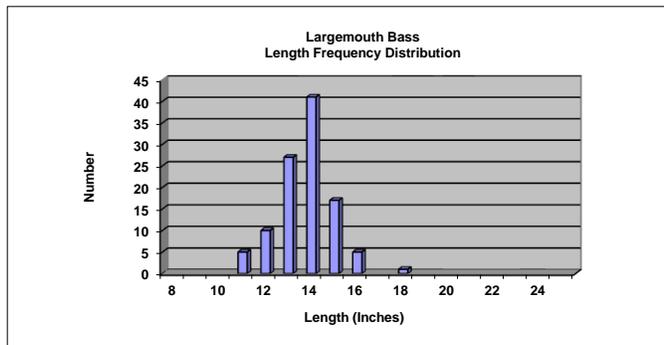
Lipsett Lake is a drainage lake in the St. Croix River basin. The walleye fishery is supported primarily through stocking (see stocking history summary). The population estimate for adult walleye is lower than the average for area lakes with similar characteristics.



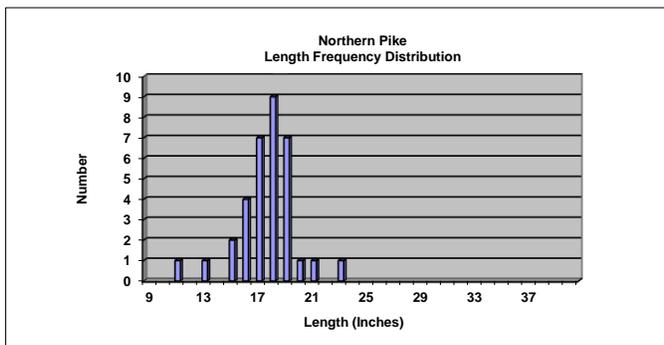
Walleye	
Total Captured	64
Avg. Length (in.)	17.1
Length Range (in.)	7-25
% >15"	69%



Largemouth Bass	
Total Captured	106
Avg. Length (in.)	13.7
Length Range (in.)	11-18
% >14"	60%



Northern Pike	
Total Captured	34
Avg. Length (in.)	17.5
Length Range (in.)	11-23
% >26"	0%



Other species observed but not included in this report are muskellunge, bluegill, rock bass, and yellow perch.

We are also conducting a creel (angler harvest) survey on Lipsett Lake this year. Creel clerk Brian Byrnes will count and interview anglers and examine their catch throughout the fishing season.

Stocking History

Year	Species	Number Fish Stocked	Avg Fish Length (IN)
2002	WALLEYE	21,293	2
2004	WALLEYE	19,600	2
2004	WALLEYE	3,159	2
2004	WALLEYE	3,135	3
2004	WALLEYE	1,700	3
2005	MUSKELLUNGE	157	12
2006	WALLEYE	13,749	2
2006	WALLEYE	14,420	2
2006	WALLEYE	9,666	2
2007	MUSKELLUNGE	105	12
2008	WALLEYE	13,770	1
2009	MUSKELLUNGE	196	9
2011	WALLEYE	4,001	2
2011	MUSKELLUNGE	196	10
2012	WALLEYE	1,965	8

A brief summary of selected fishing regulations is included below. While the regulatory information provided was current at the time the surveys were conducted, it is not comprehensive and should not be used as a substitute for the current fishing regulation pamphlet. You may obtain a copy of current fishing regulations when you purchase your fishing license, or download a copy from our web site at:

<http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/fishing/regulations/>

General Fishing Regulations for Lipsett Lake, Burnett County, 2013

FISH SPECIES	OPEN SEASON	DAILY LIMIT	MINIMUM LENGTH
Walleye	May 04-March 02	1	15" MINIMUM
Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass	May 04-March 02	5	NO MINIMUM
Muskellunge	May 25-November 30	1	40' MINIMUM
Northern Pike	May 04-March 02	5	NO MINIMUM

This report is interim only; data and findings should not be considered final. Results of creel surveys should be available by June of the year following the survey. If you are interested in a summary of the creel survey or want an update on this year's fyke netting and electrofishing survey results contact:

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Reports from other northern Wisconsin fisheries surveys can be found at: <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/fishing/ceded/reports.html>

For answers to questions about fisheries management activities and plans for Lipsett Lake, Burnett County contact:

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