

Wisconsin Record Fish List

Sources: The National Freshwater Fishing Hall of Fame and Verified Wisconsin Record Fish Reports

Species	Weight		Length in.	Caught by	Address	Date Caught	Place Caught	County
	lbs	oz.						
HOOK AND LINE								
Bass, Largemouth	11	3	none	Robert Milkowski		10/12/40	Lake Ripley	Jefferson
Bass, Smallmouth	9	1	none	Leon Stefonek		06/21/50	Indian Lake	Oneida
Bass, Rock	2	15	none	David Harris	Waupaca, WI	06/02/90	Shadow Lake	Waupaca
Bass, Hybrid Striped	13	14.2	28.00	Cody Schutz	Marquette, WI	03/16/02	Lake Columbia	Columbia
Bass, Striped	1	9.3	17.0	Samuel D. Barnes	Kenosha, WI	05/24/96	Fox River	Kenosha
Bass, White	4	6	17.75	Thomas Poetz	Milwaukee, WI	09/24/77	Okauchee Lake	Waukesha
Bass, Yellow	2	12	16.1	Gary Gehrke	Stoughton, WI	02/13/13	Lake Waubesa	Dane
Bluegill	2	9.8	12.0	Drew Garsow	DePere, WI	08/02/95	Green Bay	Brown
Bowfin	13	1	31.6	Kevin Kelch	Wausau, WI	07/19/80	Willow Flowage	Oneida
Buffalo, Bigmouth	76	8	49.5	Noah Labarge	Ottawa, IL	06/21/13	Petenwell Flowage	Adams
Buffalo, Smallmouth	20	0	30.0	Mike Berg	Cedar Lake, IN	12/03/99	Milwaukee River	Washington
Bullhead, Black	5	8	21.5	William A. Weigus	Portage, IN	09/02/89	Big Falls Flowage	Rusk
Bullhead, Brown	4	2	17.5	Jessica Gales	Eureka, WI	07/07/06	Little Green Lake	Little Green
Bullhead, Yellow	3	5	15.5	Isla M. Hams	Hayward, WI	06/06/83	Nelson Lake	Sawyer
Burbot	18	2	37.8	Louis Belanger	Bayfield, WI	02/02/02	Lake Superior	Bayfield
Carp, Bighead	38	12	45.5	Matt Hohl	Portage, WI	11/28/11	Wisconsin River	Sauk
Carp, Common	57	2	none	Mike Prorok	Chicago, IL	08/28/66	Lake Wisconsin	Columbia
Carp, Sucker, Quillback	8	7.2	24.10	Glenn Fields, Jr.	Berlin, WI	05/02/02	Fox River	Green Lake
Catfish, Channel	44	0	none	Larry Volenec	Richland Center, WI	1962	Wisconsin River	Columbia
Catfish, Flathead	74	5	53.0	Stan Hagensick	Lynxville, WI	03/30/01	Mississippi River	Vernon
Chub, Creek	0	9.6	11.8	Jason Cybula	Ringle, WI	01/17/11	Unnamed Lake	Marathon
Chub, Hornyhead	0	1.9	6.63	Jeffrey Vian	Windsor, WI	05/06/09	Yahara River	Dane
Cisco	4	10.5	none	Joe Miller	Eureka, WI	06/12/69	Big Green Lake	Green Lake
Crappie, Black	4	8	19.75	Allen A. Dollar	Green Bay, WI	08/12/67	Gile Flowage	Iron
Crappie, White	3	13.1	16.50	Shane Cassel	Tomah, WI	05/04/03	Cranberry Marsh	Monroe
Drum (Sheepshead)	35	4	37.5	Raymond Childs	Pr. du Chien, WI	08/29/92	Mississippi River	Crawford
Eel, American	3	6	38.25	Dan Dufek	Ashland, WI	07/09/97	Lake Superior	Ashland
Gar, Longnose	21	4	52.5	Timothy Mastandrea	Palatine, IL	06/14/90	Wisconsin River	Richland
Gar, Shortnose	2	12	29.0	Andrew Lickel	Kewaskum, WI	06/17/06	Wisconsin River	Richland
Goby, Round	0	5.3	8.5	Daniel Haley	Two Rivers, WI	05/11/08	Lake Michigan	Manitowoc
Mooneye	2	1.3	17.5	Samantha Knapp	LaCrosse, WI	05/20/05	Mississippi River	LaCrosse
Muskellunge	69	11	63.5	Louis Spray	Hayward, WI	10/20/49	Chippewa Flowage	Sawyer
Muskellunge, Tiger	51	3	54.0	John Knobla	Land O'Lakes, WI	07/16/19	Lac Vieux Desert	Vilas
Northern pike	38	0	none	J.A. Rahn		08/06/52	Lake Puckaway	Green Lake
Perch, White	1	5.4	13.5	Mike Skupas	DePere, WI	02/26/05	Green Bay	Kewaunee
Perch, Yellow	3	4	none	Mike Lamont		1954	Lake Winnebago	Winnebago
Pumpkinseed	1	2	9.6	Frank Brown	Chippewa Falls, WI	05/27/03	Big Round Lake	Polk
Redhorse, Silver	11	7	29.25	Neal D.G. Long	Sayner, WI	05/29/85	Plum Creek	Vilas
Rudd, European	1	3	12.6	Ivan Christopherson	Hartland, WI	03/10/91	North Lake	Waukesha
Salmon, Atlantic	23	15	37.0	Jack Remus	Milwaukee, WI	07/18/80	Lake Michigan	Milwaukee
Salmon, Coho	26	1.9	38.0	John Gregory	Lone Oak, TX	08/21/99	Lake Michigan	Milwaukee
Salmon, Chinook	44	15	47.5	Josh Bostedt	Oconto, WI	07/19/94	Lake Michigan	Door
Salmon, Kokanee	2	8.2	19.50	Nickolas Smitala	Ringle, WI	09/01/07	Upper Bass Lake	Menominee
Salmon, Pink	6	1.9	24.0	Patrick Couillard	Spring Valley, WI	08/10/99	Lake Michigan	Kewaunee
Salmon, Pinook (pink x chinook)	8	5.4	25.38	John Nusbaum	DePere, WI	08/24/01	Lake Michigan	Kewaunee
Sauger	6	6.7	23.25	Joshua Sahr	Clam Falls, WI	03/19/09	Mississippi River	Pierce
Saugeye	8	14.7	28.5	Jim Byrnes	Waunakee, WI	10/14/09	Wisconsin River	Columbia
Shad, Gizzard	4	7	21.5	Bruce Beecroft	P. Washington, WI	02/10/82	Lake Michigan	Ozaukee
Shiner, Common	0	3.2	7.5	Matthew Stanley	Portage, WI	05/12/13	Neenah Creek	Marquette
Shiner, Golden	0	8.3	12	Justin Vance	Beloit, WI	05/19/12	Yellowstone Lake	Lafayette
Sturgeon, Lake	170	10	79.0	Jon Procai	Danbury, WI	09/22/79	Yellow Lake	Burnett
Sturgeon, shovelnose	7	5.4	29.00	Kathy Morrison	Waterloo, IA	09/07/98	Mississippi River	Vernon
Sucker, Northern hog	1	13	16.0	Glenn F. Fields	Berlin, WI	03/17/04	Fox River	Green Lake
Sucker, White	6	2	23.1	Marina Hoefler	Athens, WI	08/27/97	Miller Flowage	Taylor
Sunfish, Green	1	9	none	Thomas Tart	Wind Lake, WI	08/23/67	Wind Lake	Racine
Trout, Brook (inland)	9	15	none	John Mixis		09/02/44	Prairie River	Lincoln
Trout, Brook (outlying)	10	1	24.5	Nick Randazzo	Milwaukee, WI	06/08/99	Lake Michigan	Ozaukee
Trout, Brown (inland)	18	6	34.3	Perry McKittrick	Lake Geneva, WI	05/07/84	Lake Geneva	Walworth
Trout, Brown (outlying)	41	8	40.6	Roger Hellen	Franksville, WI	07/16/10	Lake Michigan	Racine
Trout, Lake (inland)	35	4	none	Joseph Gotz		06/01/57	Big Green Lake	Green Lake
Trout, Lake (outlying)	47	0	none	Waino Roose		09/09/46	Lake Superior	Bayfield
Trout, Rainbow (inland)	12	3	29.5	Will Lusthoff	Riverside, IL	06/15/06	Elbow Lake	Marinette
Trout, Rainbow (outlying)	27	2	42.5	Debbie Morrison	Bloomington, MN	07/26/97	Lake Michigan	Kewaunee
Trout, Splake (Lk X Bk)	17	14.5	32.0	Peter Radtke	Peshigo, WI	07/06/02	Green Bay	Marinette
Trout, Tiger (Bk x Br)	20	13	33.75	Peter Friedland	Madison, WI	08/12/78	Lake Michigan	Sheboygan
Walleye	18	0	none	Tony Brothers		09/16/33	High Lake	Vilas
Warmouth	1	1	10.50	Guy Hall	Sturtevant, WI	05/26/01	Eagle Lake	Racine
Whitefish, Lake	12	6.4	31.0	Roy Stromsness	Sioux Falls, SD	07/09/13	Lake Michigan	Sheboygan

ALTERNATE METHODS (Spear, Speargun, Bow and Arrow, Crossbow)

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Bass, White	speargun	1	8.3	14.50	Geoffrey Otey	Briggsville, WI	06/29/11	Lake Mendota	Dane
Bluegill	speargun	1	2.4	11.0	Shawn Schmidt	DePere, WI	05/26/12	Lake Hilbert	Marinette
Bowfin	bow	10	15.7	31.50	Hunter Folkedahl	Ettrick, WI	08/24/07	Mississippi River	Buffalo
Buffalo, Bigmouth	<i>bow</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>48.75</i>	<i>Mathew Schillinger</i>	<i>Stratford, WI</i>	<i>05/04/13</i>	<i>Castle Rock Flowage</i>	<i>Juneau</i>
Buffalo, Smallmouth	bow	46	2.6	47.75	Kevin Lakey	Trempealeau, WI	07/01/10	Mississippi River	Trempealeau
Burbot	bow	3	9.9	22.0	Andrew Kohlmann	Oakfield, WI	06/14/13	Lake Winnebago	Winnebago
Carp, Common	bow	59	0	46.0	Zachary Seitz	Campbellsport, WI	05/25/12	Long Lake	Fond du Lac
Carp, Quillback	<i>bow</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>7.8</i>	<i>24.25</i>	<i>William Hoyt</i>	<i>Delavan, WI</i>	<i>04/28/13</i>	<i>Petenwell Flowage</i>	<i>Adams</i>
Crappie, Black	speargun	1	4.3	14.0	Shawn Schmidt	DePere, WI	05/26/12	Lake Hilbert	Marinette
Drum (Sheepshead)	bow	28	13	35.0	Nathaniel Fritsch	Ettrick, WI	05/17/10	Mississippi River	Trempealeau
Gar, Longnose	bow	17	4.6	53.25	Joshua Halverson	Woodman, WI	05/18/10	Wisconsin River	Grant
Gar, Shortnose	bow	4	10.2	36.0	Jonathan Eilbes	Brownsville, WI	06/11/12	Lake Winnebago	Winnebago
Goldfish	bow	4	5.3	16.75	Samuel Burgess	Menomonie, WI	07/13/12	Green Bay	Brown
Pumpkinseed	<i>speargun</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>8.5</i>	<i>8.5</i>	<i>Shawn Schmidt</i>	<i>DePere, WI</i>	<i>05/25/13</i>	<i>Elkhart Lake</i>	<i>Sheboygan</i>
Redhorse, Silver	bow	10	15	26.5	Crae Wilke	Hortonville, WI	03/23/10	Weyauwega M Pond	Waupaca
Shad, Gizzard	bow	3	12.3	20.5	Jerod Nelson	Onalaska, WI	05/07/11	Mississippi River	Trempealeau
Sturgeon, Lake	spear	212	3.2	84.25	Ron Grishaber	Appleton, WI	02/13/10	Lake Winnebago	Calumet
Sucker, Spotted	bow	3	8	19.0	Lance Lyga	Independence, WI	05/22/10	Mississippi River	Trempealeau