



*Fish Species* Lake Trout

## Species Description

Lake trout are the dominant trout found in Chicagon Lake and adult fish are stocked on a frequent basis. Lake trout can range from the minimum size limit of 15 inches to more than 30 inches in length. The majority of trout fishing on Chicagon Lake takes place during the winter ice fishing season and anglers have good success using both tip ups with minnows and jig fishing with spoons and other baits. Summer fishing can be productive and trolling is the most popular method during the open water season for lake trout.

# Geographic Coordinates

Lat:46.065012 / Long:-88.489498

## Noteworthy

Chicagon Lake has a county park with campsites, picnic and swimming areas open to the public. The shoreline of this lake is mostly developed and has a high amount of recreational boating at times. Eurasian milfoil and zebra mussels have been found as well, so great care should be taken to follow good aquatic invasive species practices such as cleaning, draining, and drying your boat and equipment to prevent the spread of invasive species.

## Fishing Regulations

Chicagon Lake is an 1,100 acre lake and is a designated Type B trout lake. Please refer to the Inland Trout and Salmon Lake Regulations in the current Michigan Fishing Guide.

## **Directions to Site**

This is one of two designated walk in access locations to Chicagon Lake and it is located along the east shore on CR 639. It is marked by state access boundary markers on the roadside. CR 639 connects CR 424 and US Hwy 2 along the east shore of the lake and is approximately 4.8 miles west of US 141 in the city of Crystal Falls. Parking at this site is roadside parking only and is a popular for walk on access during winter months.

## **Regional Visitor Information (URL)**

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