

The accompanying map is an aid only. Regulations and legal descriptions of fishing districts follow in print.

By order of the Montana Fish and Game Commission, the following dates and regulations for the 1980 - 81 fishing season are adopted. Montana Fish and Game Commission Robert F. Wambach, Secretary January 3, 1980

To be in full force and effect through April 30, 1981. All regulations are subject to change by the Commission.

LICENSE REQUIREMENTS

A fishing license is a permit for the lawful holder thereof to fish for and possess any fish within the state as authorized by fishing regulations.

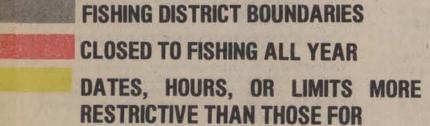
Residents — Each resident 15 years and older must have a license to fish. Residents 14 years old or younger may fish without a license but must observe limits and all other fishing regulations.

Free fishing permits are available from heads of respective institutions for patients at veterans' administration hospitals and for residents of state institutions other than the state penitentiary. Disabled residents who have a permanent physical or mental condition that prevents them from doing substantial gainful work may get free permits to fish from the Department of Fish, Wildlife and Parks upon certification of disability by a doctor licensed to practice medicine in Montana.

Nonresidents - All nonresidents 15 years and older must have a fishing license to fish. Nonresidents 14 years old or younger may fish without a license when accompanied by an adult with a valid Montana fishing license. The total number or pounds of all fish taken by the licensed adult and all persons 14 or younger, accompanied by such licensed adult, shall not exceed one legal limit. However, a nonresident of any age may purchase a nonresident fishing license and be entitled to take a legal limit of fish.

COLOR CODES

Ccored portions of map indicate special regulations apply thre. For details refer to matched colors under regulations



GENERAL FISHING

INDIAN RESERVATIONS, NATIONAL PARKS AND NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGES

Fishing Information Write The Department of Fish, Wildlife & Parks

For A Fisherman's Log



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CARD WHEN YOU INTEND TO BUY HUNTING OR FISHING LICENSES.

In order to apply for a resident Montana hunting or fishing license, one must be a legal resident of Montana for a period of six months immediately prior to making Application.

EXPLANATION, CONSERVATION LICENSES

Excepting for holders of Resident Sportsman Licenses, conservation licenses are prerequisite to purchase of fishing or hunting licenses. A conservation license is composed of two parts: part 1 is a plastic conservation card valid through April 30, 1981; part 2 is a Residency Statement, essentially a

Residency Statement (issued to persons who hold conservation cards). Temporary Conservation License (for persons who do not have a conservation card). A PLASTIC CONSERVATION CARD WILL BE MAILED TO YOU AFTER YOU PURCHASE A TEMPORARY CONSERVATION LICENSE.

Residents 62 or older need only a Conservation (Part 1 & 2) License to fish See explanation above Resident Fishing License Resident Sportsman's License (includes Conservation License, 1 deer, 1 elk, 1 black bear, game birds and fishing . .

NONRESIDENT FISHING LICENSES

A Wildlife Conservation License is required before fishing licenses may be purchased. You may apply for other licenses at the same time you apply for a conservation license. Nonresident Conservation License . . Nonresident Season Fishing License.. \$20.00 Nonresident Temporary Fishing License (6 days) . \$10.00 Nonresident Temporary Fishing License (1 Day)... Nonresident Combination Bird and Fish (serves as a prerequisite to application for several Montana big game licenses). . Nonresident Fish, Bird, and Big Game License (available from Helena, Montana Fish, Wildlife and Parks office only) includes an elk tag, deer "A" tag, black bear tag, authorizes hunting of game birds and fishing. Quota of 17,000. .

LICENSE FEES NONREFUNDABLE

The following steps will insure that a released fish has the bet chance for survival:

1 Play fish as rapidly as possible - do not play to total exhaustion.

2 Keep fish in water as much as possible when nandling and removing hook.

3 Remove hook gently — do not squeeze fish or put fingers in gills. 4 If deeply hooked — cut line — do not pull hook

out. Most fish survive with hooks left in them.

5. Release fish only after its equilibrium is mainained. If necessary gently hold fish upright facing upstream and move fish slowly back and

6. Release fish in quiet water close to the area where it was hooked.

CHECKING STATIONS

Fishermen and hunters are required to stop at checking stations on their routes of travel to and from fishing and hunting areas.

TO REPORT VIOLATIONS

If you are unable to contact a local warden or member of the sheriff's office, call toll-free 800-332-6117.

eggs into any waters;

to refuse to show one's license upon demand;

to loan or transfer your fishing or hunting license or tags to any person; to sell game fish except as prescribed by Montana

Fish and Game Commission regulations; to leave or dump any dead animal, fish, garbage or litter in or on any state or private property where

public recreation is permitted; to use any carbide, lime, giant powder, dynamite, or other explosive compounds, or any corrosive or narcotic poison or to have any of the same in one's possession within one hundred (100) feet of any streams where fish are found, for the purpose of stunning or

to hire or retain an unlicensed outfitter or guide; to waste any part of game fish suitable for food.

It is unlawful to operate upon Montana waters a boat which:

is not properly licensed and numbered with registration card carried in boat:

is not carrying equipment required by the Montana Water Safety Law (copies available from Montana Department of Fish, Wildlife and Parks.

does not have one serviceable, Coast Guard approved personal flotation device for each passenger. Persons under 12 years old must wear PFD's when boat is in motion and is less than 26 feet long.

Possession limit shall mean the number or pounds of fish hich may be in one person's possession at any time in any rm — fresh, stored in freezers or lockers, salted, smoked, ried, canned or otherwise preserved.

ISHING HOURS
Fishing is allowed at all hours during open fishing se
scept on Holter Lake and on other posted waters.

Dates, hours or limits more restrictive than general

ASONS
All dates given are inclusive dates. Where dates specify an en season, fishing is closed throughout the remainder of year. An open season is for all species unless otherwise cified. Closed To Fishing All Year

Special requirements and/or regulations COLOR CODES

Setlines may be used as provided under district regulations. Setlines are lines that may be unattended. They may include poles and tipups. Parp or goldfish may not be used in any form as fish bait, her fish may be used dead as bait if they have their heads a entrails removed, or if they have been preserved or zen, except in waters limited to artificial lures only. EANS OF TAKING
Only a single line with hook or hooks, with or without a le, may be used for fishing unless otherwise specified in trict regulations. The pole or line must be in immediate ulpins (see illustration) may be used live for bait wide, except in waters limited to artificial lures and in ladison River between McAtee Bridge and Ennis Lake. wise live fish may not be used for bait except as ded under district regulations. posted. Certain water supply lakes and streams and hazardous areas are closed as posted.

CHILDREN'S FISHING WATERS

Waters posted as Children's Fishing Waters are closed to fishing during the entire year to persons thirteen (13) years of age and older.

BEAVER PONDS, IRRIGATION CANALS AND DITCHES Impoundments formed by beaver dams on streams are governed by the same regulations as govern the streams. Man-made irrigation canals and ditches are open the year around unless shown otherwise under district regulations. Sculpins-(Cottus)

CHECKING STATIONS

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is prohibited or restricted on many waters. lations available from Montana Depart-life and Parks. mal Parks, Indian Reservations ges may have special regulations heir individual areas. Specific ind from the headquarters of the e involved.

FOR ICE FISHING size hole that may be cut for ice fishing is s. This does not apply to waters open to he ice with spear or gig.

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FISHING DISTRICT

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December 1 through March of the following year — Northern pike and nongame fish may be taken by spear or gig through the ice only from Echo Lake, Upper and Lower Stillwater Lakes.

SPECIAL FISHING RESTRICTIONS — LIBBY DAM — Fishing from boats or other floating craft is prohibited in Lake Koocanusa from Libby Dam upstream to the first log boom and in Kootenai River from Libby Dam approximately 500 yards downstream to the David Thompson bridge as posted. Fishing is prohibited from the Libby Dam structure as posted. fish may be taken regardless of weight limit.an may take all of the following limits.

EXTENDED WHITEFISH SEASON — Open December 1 through March of the following year — All waters except Kilbrennan Lake and waters closed entire year.

FISH SIZE LIMITS

Open entire year — Little B Ashley Creek below Smith La Dam, Kootenai River, Clark from Whitefish Lake to Mon

Bitterroot River below its tunnel, Lake, Flathead River below Kerr k Fork River and Whitefish River ontana State Highway 40 Bridge.

Dam structure as posted.

LAKES AND RESERVOIRS

Open entire year with the following exceptions:

Closed entire year — Cedar Creek impoundment, within one thousand (1,000) feet of Columbia Falls water intake as posted.

Open third Saturday in May through September — Kilbrennan Lake.

Open third Saturday in May through March of the following year — Lake Mary Ronan.

Open December 1 through September of the following year — Loon Lake tributary to Pipe Creek, 15 miles NW of Libby.

Open third Saturday in llowing exceptions:

FISHING SEASONS
STREAMS

Northwestern Montana

Il be unlawful to take or possess any sturgeon of the cipenser (white sturgeon). Lake Mary Ronan — During regular angling season Ten (10) daily and possession. During snagging ason — Thirty-five (35) daily, seventy (70)

ts or traps for catching fish other prohibited. This does not prohibit for landing hooked fish. A screen (4) feet in length may be used to NETS (Use of)

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FISHING DISTRICT N

Open third Saturday in May through October and third Saturday in December through February of the following year — Georgetown Lake.

SPECIAL SEASONS

BOW AND ARROW AND SNAGGING — All waters open to angling are open to bow and arrow hunting and snagging of nongame fish. SPEAR FISHING — Persons swimming or submerged nay take nongame fish with the aid of rubber or spring ropelled spears in all waters open to fishing except Lower nd Middle Thompson Lakes, Echo and Blaine Lakes near igfork, Lake Blaine near Kalispell, Loon and Horseshoe akes near Ferndale, Murphy Lake near Fortine, Blanchard ake near Whitefish, and Lake Mary Ronan. DAILY AND POSSESSION LIMITS
Unless otherwise specified, the following limits

SNAGGING FOR SALMON — Open September 1 through eccember — All waters except those closed entire year and Hatchery Bay of Flathead Lake near the State Fish Hatchery at Somers as posted until spawn taking is completed.

BOW AND ARROW AND SNAGGING — All waters open to igling are open to bow and arrow hunting and snagging nonmerish.

SPECIAL SEASONS

SNAGGING FOR SALMON — Open September 1 through ecember — Georgetown Lake and tributaries and Clearater Drainage except upstream from the outlet of Placidake as posted. Limits 2 through 5 are the same as those listed under AILY AND POSSESSION LIMITS for the rest of the ishing district.

Rock Creek from its mouth to mouth of Butte Cabin Treek and from mouth of Big Hogback Creek to mouth if West Fork of Rock Creek. Artificial lures only, third aturday in May through November for persons 15 ears and older. Fishermen 14 years and younger may se bait. ut, Dolly Varden and grayling. Catch and release CLARK FORK RIVER DR. River Drainage above th

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Limits 2 through 5 are the same as those listed under AILY AND POSSESSION LIMITS for the rest of the shing district.

Open entire year — Clark Fork River below Warm Springs reek in Deer Lodge County, Clearwater River below the ake Inez fish barrier, Big Blackfoot River below Scotty rown bridge, Bitterroot River below the Stevensville

FISHING SEASONS
STREAMS

West Central Montana

Closed entire year — Rattlesnake Creek and tributary streams from the Missoula water supply dam of the Montana Power Company to its source. Basin Creek from the lower Butte water supply reservoir dam to its source, including all reservoirs and tributaries. Silver Creek above Saltese water supply

DAILY AND POSSESSION LIMITS
Unless otherwise specified, the following limits are bo
daily and possession limits. Limits are in numbers of fis
except where poundage limits are specified.

Closed entire year — Fred Burr Lake (Philipsburg water supply) and Georgetown Lake pump station area approximately three hundred (300) feet along the shore and one hundred (100) feet out into the lake as designated by signs and buoys.

SPECIAL ICE FISHING REGULATIONS

Special regulations apply to Georgetown and Browns Lake
Contact the Department of Fish and Game for details.

ROCK CREEK-SPECIAL REGULATIONS

Rock Creek from mouth of Butte Cabin Creek to mouth of Big Hogback Creek. Artificial lures only, third Saturday in May through November. (See Lures & Bait under General Regulations)

EXTENDED WHITEFISH SEASON — Open December 1 through March of the following year — All waters, except waters closed entire year and waters posted as closed to fishing.

SPEAR FISHING — Persons swimming or submerged ay take nongame fish with the aid of rubber or spring-opelled spears in all waters open to fishing.

LAKES AND RESERVOIRS ex year with the following ex

limits are both umbers of fish,

FISHING DISTRICT ω JEFFERSON RIVER, RIVER DRAINAGES ISON RIVER AND GALLATIN

Squaw Creek (mouth of Squaw Creek to mouth of Wolf Creek closed to fishing) and from mouth of Wolf Creek to McAtee Bridge—catch and release fishing only for trout and grayling. Artificial lures only (see definition under Lures and Bait) Madison River from McAtee Bridge to Ennis Lake—ulpins not allowed for bait. Brown trout, cutthroat trout, rainbow trout, trout and grayling.

On Lakes — Ten (10) pounds and one (1) fish not to exceed ten (10) fish. Two (2) fish may be taken regardless of weight limit.

The combined daily and possession limit for a person fishing both lakes and streams is ten (10) fish.

2. Brook trout — Ten (10) pounds, no number limit.

3. Bass, sauger, walleye and northern pike — Ten (10) fish in any combination.

4. Whitefish — Thirty (30) fish daily and sixty (60) fish in possession.

Open entire year — Gallatin River from Squaw Creek idge to confluence with Missouri River, East Gallatin iver below mouth of Bozeman (Sourdough) Creek, Jefrson River, Ruby River below Ruby Dam, Madison River blow Ennis Lake, Beaverhead River below Pipeorgan idge, Alder Gulch Creek and Dredge Ponds from the outh to Virginia City, Mill Creek near Sheridan.

FISHING SEASONS
STREAMS

Open third Saturday in May through February of the following year — Madison River from Hebgen Dam to mouth of Squaw Creek and from mouth of Wolf Creek to Ennis Lake.

EXTENDED WHITEFISH SEASON — Open December 1 through the third Saturday in May — Big Hole River, North Fork Big Hole River, Steel Creek and Red Rock River below Lima Reservoir.

ROOK TROUT — Tributaries of Big Hole River above vide Dam and Big Hole River and tributaries above bridge Wisdom shall be open to fishing for brook trout the entire

Unless otherwise specified, the follo daily and possession limits.

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DAILY AND POSSESSION LIMITS

SPEAR FISHING — Persons swimming or submerged may take nongame fish and burbot (ling) with the aid of rubber or spring-propelled spears in all waters open to fishing.

CLOSED TO FISHING FROM BOATS — Gallatin River from Yellowstone National Park boundary to its confluence with East Gallatin River. Madison River from Quake Lake outlet to mouth of Squaw Creek and mouth of Wolf Creek to McAtee Bridge

Limits 2 through 5 are the same as those listed under DAILY AND POSSESSION LIMITS for the rest of the fishing district.

Limit No. 1 — Brown trout, cutthroat trout, rainbow trout, lake trout and grayling. Three fish per day, only one of which may be over 18 inches. This is both a daily and possession limit.

BOW AND ARROW AND SNAGGING — All waters open to angling are open to bow and arrow hunting and snagging of nongame fish.

Open entire year with the following exceptions:

Open third Saturday in May through February of the following year — Wade Lake.

Open third Saturday in May through September — Boulder River from its mouth upstream approximately four airline miles to the bridge in T2N, R3W, S24.

Open third Saturday in June through Nover Hidden Lake, Goose Lake and Otter Lake.

Josed entire year — Madison River from mouth of uaw Creek to mouth of Wolf Creek. The following earns are closed from the city water supply intake to point one thousand (1,000) feet upstream as posted. Italian Creek near Sheridan, Rattlesnake Creek near slon and Middle Fork Hyalite, Bozeman (Sourdough) d Lyman Creeks near Bozeman.

Open third Saturday in July through Nov Fork and West Fork of Hyalite Creek.

NAGE (Defined as the Clark Fork mouth of the Flathead River)

FISHING SEASONS
ALL WATERS

Closed entire year — Wind Creek from Clear Creek road crossing to its source, excluding Ross Reservoir. Missouri River below the outlet tunnels of Fort Peck Dam as posted.

SETLINE FISHING — Anglers may use up to six (6) unattended setlines with up to six (6) hooks per line in the following waters: SPECIAL SEASONS

BOW AND ARROW AND SNAGGING — All waters open to ngling are open to bow and arrow hunting and snagging of addlefish and nongame fish. Open third Saturday in May through November — Streams south of Highway 2 which originate in the Bearpaw Mountains.

FISHING SEASONS
All Waters

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From December 1 through March of the following year—northern pike, walleye, sauger, burbot (ling), and nongame fish may be taken by spear or gig from all waters.

Open December 1 through March of the All lakes and reservoirs.

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ond; Kuester Reservoir in Richland Co.; hman Reservoir, McChesney Reservoir, Little Warm Reservoir, Ester Reservoir in Phillips Co.; Killenbeck Reservoir Ital Lake in McCone Co.; Engstrom ad Reservoir & all waters on Medicine diffe Refuge in Sheridan Co.; Bainville Roosevelt Co.; Sam Lee Reservoir in Peck Reservoir, Milk River and its imfresno Reservoir, Lone Tree Creek and and all streams and rivers, except the tributaries above Fresno Reservoir and its impression of the second reservoir and ghway 2 which originate in the Bearpaw

DAILY AND POSSESSION LIMITS ecified, the following limits are both imits. Limits are in numbers of fish.

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e (1) daily and two (2) in pos and whitefish and all trout, except lake any combination. - Ten (10) in any

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SETLINE FISHING — Anglers may use up to six (6) nattended setlines with up to six (6) hooks per line in the allowing waters: SNAGGING FOR SALMON — September 1 the muary of the following year — Dailey Lake.

EXTENDED WHITEFISH SEASON. — Open December 1 hrough March of the following year. All waters.

BAIT of Live Fish for Bait)

Walleye, sauger, bass and northern pike — Ten (10) fish in any combination.

2. brook trout - Ten (10) pour

It Brown trout, cutthroat trout, rainbow trout, golden trout, lake, trout and grayling. POSSESSION LIMITS
ay take all of the following limits 1

limit for a person

FISH WEIGHT LIMIT (STURGEON)

The maximum weight sturgeon (genus Scaphirhynchus)
which may be taken is 16 pounds.

NETS

Hoop Nets — Hoop nets without wings or leads may be used to take nongame fish, catfish, burbot (ling), and sturgeon in the Milk River downstream from Highway 2 bridge below Dodson Dam except from Vandalia Dam to a point one quarter (1/4) mile downstream and in the Missouri River below the mouth of the Milk River. Each net must be clearly marked with the owner's name and address.

Minnow Seines and Traps — In all waters where the use of live fish other than sculpins (Cottus) is allowed for bait, nongame species may be taken: With a seine not to exceed two
(4) feet in width; or

FISHING DISTRIC

From December 1 through March of the following year—northern pike, walleye, sauger, and nongame fish may be taken by spear or gig from all waters downstream from the mouth of the Bighorn River. BOAT FISHING RESTRICTION

eservoir. In Nelson Reservoir each must be clearly marked with owner's

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1 All trout, salmon, any combination, exce limit shall be ten (10) ten (10) fish.

Each fisherman may take all of the follo

FISHING

SPECIAL SEASONS

open to persons twelve (12) years of age entire year. — Spring Creek from the to Charles Fellows fence below Choteau, Fork Sun River) from Auchard Bridge to town of Augusta, and Fairgrounds Pond,

RIVER, MARIAS RIVER, ST. MARY RIVER AND UPPER MILK RIVER DRAINAGES

(Defined as the Missouri River and tributary drainages from Three
Forks to and including the Marias River, tributary drainages of the
Missouri River on the south side from the Marias to and including
12) years of age
Creek from the drainages and the Milk River and tributary drainages in Glacier

ICE FISHING REGULATIONS
ns apply to Lake Frances, Deadman's
suser Lake and Lake Helena. Contact the
Widdife and Parks for details.

BOW AND ARROW AND SNAGGING — All waters open to ngling are open to bow and arrow hunting and snagging of addlefish and nongame fish.

SETLINE FISHING — Anglers may use up to six (6) nattended setlines with up to six (6) hooks per line in the allowing waters:

Open second Saturday in June through February of the following year — Eyraud (Arod) Lakes.

SNAGGING FOR SALMON — Open September 1 through January of the following year — Helena Valley Reservoir, Pishkun Reservoir, Bynum Reservoir, including inlet and outlet streams and Ackley Lake.

From December 1 through February of the following year Northern pike, and nongame fish may be taken by spear or ig from Eyraud (Arod) Lakes.

Two (2) fish may be isherman may take

taken regardless of weight limit. Each all of the following limits.

DAILY AND POSSESSION LIMITS

FISH WEIGHT LIMIT (STURGEON)

The maximum weight sturgeon (genus Scaphirhynch which may be taken is 16 pounds.

NETS

7. Paddlefish — One (1) daily and two (2) in possession. There is no number limit on catfish, burbot (ling), sturgeon d nongame fish.

Salmon — Ten (10) except during snagging seasons when he daily limit shall be thirty-five (35) and seventy (70) in possession.

Whitefish — Thirty (30) daily and sixty (60) in session.

4. Northern pike - Five (5)

rook trout — Ten (10) pounds, no number limit, except in Flatwillow Creek and tributaries and McDonald Creek and tributaries in Petroleum and Fergus counties where the limit is ten (10) fish.

s are in numbers of fish, specified.

(Use of Live Fish for Bait)
s (Cottus) is allowed in all waters. Other pt carp or goldifsh) may be used in the winstream from Morony Dam, in the dding Tiber Reservoir, in Teton River bridge near Dutton, in all streams and ne Muddy Creek drainage near Vaughn River below the bridge at Lavina.

Brown trout, cutthroat trout, rainbow trout, golden trout, lawetrout and grayling — Ten (10) pounds and one (1) fish or ten (10) fish, whichever is reached first, in any combination, except the Smith River where five (5) fish is allowed, and in streams of the Sun River Drainage above Gilson Reservoir where not more than two (2) cutthroat and-or rainbow trout may be included in this bag and possession limit.

2. With minnow traps not to exceed eighteen (18) inches in length and ten (10) inches in diameter.

A screen or net not to exceed four (4) feet in length may be sed to take sculpins (Cottus).

1. With seines not to exceed twelve (12) feet in length and four (4) feet in width; or

In waters where use of live fish other than sculpins (Cotus) is allowed for bait, nongame species may be taken:

Closed between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m. Aountain Standard Time or Daylight Savings Time, whichever is in effect — Holter Reservoir.

FISHING SEASONS
STREAMS **South Central Montana**

Open entire year — Clarks Fork Yellowstone River, ellowstone River and Bluewater Creek, Boulder River Main Boulder River), Stillwater River, Rock Creek and Red odge Creek below Cooney Dam.

Closed entire year — West Fork of Rock Creek from the Red Lodge city water intake to the mouth of Washoe Creek as posted.

Sculpins (Cottus) are the only fish that may be used live as ait. See "Lures and Bait" under General Regulations.

On Streams — Five (5) fish, only one (1) of which may exceed 18 inches.

On Lakes — Ten (10) pounds and one (1) fish not to exceed ten (10) fish. Two (2) fish may be taken regardless of weight

UPPER YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (Defined as the Yellowstone River Drainage above and including Clarks Fork Yellowstone River)

4. Salmon — Ten (10) fish, except during the snagging season when the daily limit shall be thirty-five (35) fish and possession limit seventy (70) fish. There is no limit on catfish, burbot (ling), and nongame fish. 6. Paddlefish ossession. 5. Whitefish — Thirty (30) fish daily, and sixty (60) fish in ossession. - One (1) fish daily and two (2) fish in

Use of nets or trans for catching fish other than confriend (Cottus) is prohibited. This does not prohibit the use of a landing net for landing hooked fish. A screen or a net not to exceed four (4) feet in length may be used to take sculpins (Cottus).

There is no number limit on bass, catfish, burbot (ling), sturgeon and nongame fish. VER and MILK RIVER DRAINAGES (Defined as the Missouri River Ausselshell River, the Missouri River and all drainages from the north which enter the Missouri River between the Marias River and the Musselshell River and the Milk River Drainage outside of Glacier County.

A screen or net not to exceed four (4) feet in length may be ed to take sculpins (Cottus).

With minnow traps not to exceed th and ten (10) inches in diamet eighteen (18) inches

the Yellowstone STONE RIVER and LITTLE MISSOURI RIVER DRAINAGES (Defined as River Drainage below and excluding the Clarks Fork Yellowstone River, and all other drainages in Montana southeast of the Yellowstone River)

FISH WEIGHT LIMITS (STURGEON) The maximum weight sturgeon (genus which may be taken is 16 pounds.

NETS (Use of) ng hooked fish allo

HOOP NETS — Hoop nets without wings or leads may be sed to take nongame fish, catfish, burbot (ling), and turgeon in the Yellowstone River downstream from the nouth of Bighorn River (except for approximately two undred (200) yards below all irrigation diversion dams). ach net must be clearly marked with the owner's name and ddress. A screen or net not to exceed four (4) feet in leased to take sculpins (Cottus).

walleye — Ten (10) in any combination ke — Five (5).

One (1) daily and two (2) in possession Specified, the following limits are both in limits. Limits are in numbers of fish dage limits are specified. grayling and whitefish — Ten (10) in ept Bighorn River Drainage where the pounds and one (1) fish not to exceed Minnow Seines and Traps — In all waters where the use of ve fish other than sculpins (Cottus) is allowed for bait, ongame species may be taken:

1. With a seine not to exceed twelve (12) feet in length and our (4) feet in width; or

traps not to exceed eighteen (18) inches in 10) inches in diameter.