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New Jersey's STOCKING PROGRAMS

WARMWATER STOCKING

Raised with pride at New Jersey Division of Fish & Wildlife's Hackettstown State Fish Hatchery

MUSKELLUNGE—8-12"

- Echo Lake Reservoir (268)
- Furnace Lake (106)
- Greenwood Lake (1,000)
- Lake Hopatcong (1,000)
- Little Swartswood Lake (150)
- Manasquan Reservoir (500)
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- Mercer Lake (250)
- Monksville Reservoir (250)
- Mountain Lake (250)

NORTHERN PIKE—6"

- Budd Lake (2,863)
- Cranberry Lake (1,794)
- Deal Lake (1,580)
- Farrington Lake (2,715)
- Millstone River (1,000)
- Passaic River (3,150)
- Pompton Lake (2,162)
- Pompton River (2,783)
- Spruce Run Reservoir (5,580)

WALLEYE—2-4"

- Canistear Reservoir (12,515)
- Delaware River (146,496)
- Greenwood Lake (30,960)
- Lake Hopatcong (72,312)
- Monksville Reservoir (18,670)
- Swartswood Lake (19,344)

HYBRID STRIPED BASS—4"

- Lake Hopatcong (23,091)
- Manasquan Reservoir (7,275)
- Spruce Run Reservoir (10,400)

SMALLMOUTH BASS—2"

- Lake Audrey (5,500)
- Manasquan Reservoir (3,868)
- Split Rock Reservoir (2,200)
- Union Lake (5,500)

LARGEMOUTH BASS—2"

- East Creek Pond (1,505)
- Lake of the Lillies (1,200)
- Maskell's Mill Pond (2,114)
- Mirror Lake (5,000)
- Rising Sun Lake (2,000)
- Shaws Mill Pond (1,505)
- Spruce Run Reservoir (3,000)
- Stone Tavern Lake (2,500)
- Union Lake (5,210)
- 11 other smaller water bodies

LAKE TROUT—7"

- Merrill Creek Reservoir (3,250)
- Monksville Reservoir (2,430)

CHANNEL CATFISH—6"

- Twenty waters

CHANNEL CATFISH—12"

- Twenty-six waters

CHANNEL CATFISH—16"

- Twenty-three waters

- Plus thousands of black crappie, bluegill sunfish, and brown bullheads stocked in over 100 waterbodies throughout the state!

The Hackettstown Hatchery is located in the heart of Hackettstown. It encompasses over 230 acres, consisting of over 65 extensive culture ponds, and a large intensive culture building. The hatchery raises and distributes over 1,500,000 each year, representing 15 species of fish.

TROUT STOCKING

Raised with pride at New Jersey Division of Fish & Wildlife's Pequest Trout Hatchery

The fall of 1982 was a turning point both for the Division of Fish and Wildlife and the anglers who fish New Jersey waters. Trout fishing would never be the same. Over 1.5 million pathogen-free trout eggs arrived at the new Pequest Trout Hatchery. The spring of 1984 saw the first Pequest-raised trout released in the lakes and streams throughout the state. Since then the rearing facility has met and exceeded its production goals in raising brook, brown and rainbow trout. Due to modern technology and a high quality water supply, the hatchery remains one of the nation's leading pathogen-free trout producers.



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SPRING

- Over 570,000 brook, brown and rainbow trout
- Average size: 10.5 inches and ½ pound
- An additional 6,000 breeders 15–21 inches (3–6 pounds)
- Most waterbodies stocked at least three times
- 100 streams and 80 lakes stocked statewide
- All 21 counties stocked
- 180,000 trout released for Opening Day—April 7, 2012
- Stocking continues for seven weeks following Opening Day

FALL

- Second and third weeks in October
- All large, two year old trout, measuring 14–16 inches

- 20,000 trout stocked
- 30 streams, lakes & ponds
- 1,000 rainbow trout breeders, averaging 20 inches
- Best chance to catch big trout

WINTER

- All large two year olds, measuring 15–16 inches
- Over 5,000 trout
- 24 lakes and ponds
- Great fishing all winter long!

SEA RUN BROWN TROUT

- Lower Manasquan River
- 15,000 7–8-inch brown trout
- Try this elusive fishery!

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