

Stocking Summary for Lake Michigan 1976-2004

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This document summarizes all Lake Michigan stocking events that have been reported in the Great Lakes Fish Stocking Database ${ }^{1}$ between the years of 1976 and 2004. Trout and salmon stocking is presented in both lake-wide (Table 1) and by jurisdictional formats (Tables $2-5$ ). US Fish and Wildlife Service 2004 lake trout stocking is reported by rehabilitation zone and stocking site (Table 6). A list of finclipped and otherwise marked fish that were stocked in 2004 are shown in Table 7 by species, strain, and stocking site. Stocking of non-salmonid fishes in Lake Michigan is presented in Table 8. For comparative purposes the numbers of fingerlings, yearlings, and in rare cases adults are combined and fry stockings are footnoted at the bottom of each table. The numbers within these tables were not adjusted to account for differential survival between fingerling, yearling, and adult stockings. To accurately examine trends in adult trout and salmon abundance in Lake Michigan, detailed information on hatchery programs, genetic strains, size at stocking, and stocking practices would have to be considered. Stocking information was provided by the Department of Natural Resources of Illinois, Indiana, Michigan and Wisconsin, the Chippewa-Ottawa Resource Authority and from Federal Fish Hatcheries.

Lakewide Trends: Total stocking of salmonids in Lake Michigan was below 12 million fish in 2004 and at its lowest level since 1977.

Chinook Salmon: Chinook salmon stocking was similar to recent years with 4.3 million fish stocked in 2004. Annual stocking has ranged from 2.8 million fish in 1977 to 6.4 million in 1995.

Coho Salmon: Less than 1.7 million coho salmon were stocked in 2004, 1.5 million fewer compared to 2003. This reduction in coho stocking is driven by a $68 \%$ decline in coho stocking within Michigan waters compared to 2003.

Rainbow Trout/Steelhead: Nearly 1.6 million rainbow trout were stocked in 2004 representing a $21 \%$ decline from 2003 stocking levels.

Brown Trout: Brown trout stocking levels remain stable; in 20041.6 million brown trout were stocked.

Brook Trout: Brook trout stocking levels continue to decline in Lake Michigan. A total of 1,000 brook trout were stocked in 2004 compared to the long term average of over 200,000.

Splake: In 2004, splake stocking remained stable at 122,000 fish stocked.
Lake Trout: The number of lake trout stocked in 2004 declined slightly from last year to 2.3 million and is similar to numbers stocked over the past 10 years.

Marked Fish: Over 3.5 million trout and salmon (excluding lake trout) and close to 1 million nonsalmonids were stocked with designated fin clips or other marks in 2004 (Table 7). Details on the studies or evaluations that include the fish marked are available from the state or tribal agency that stocked the fish.

Nonsalmonid stockings: Lake sturgeon, muskellunge, and walleye were stocked in Lake Michigan during 2004 (Table 8).

Footnote: ${ }^{1}$ Currently, stocking data for Lake Michigan is available through 2002 from the Great Lakes Fish Stocking Database. It is anticipated that all of the data available in this report, current through 2004, will be appended to the Great Lakes Fish Stocking Database by summer, 2005.

Table 1. Salmonid fingerlings and yearlings stocked in Lake Michigan, in millions, from all jurisdictions between 1976 and 2004. All values are rounded to the nearest thousand and additional fry stockings are footnoted at the bottom.

|  | Atlantic <br> Salmon | Brook <br> Trout | Brown <br> Trout | Chinook <br> Salmon | Coho <br> Salmon | Lake <br> Trout | Rainbow <br> Trout | Splake | Total |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1976 | 0.021 | 0.075 | $1.130^{(1)}$ | 3.317 | 3.196 | 2.548 | 1.863 | 0.000 | 12.150 |
| 1977 | 0.019 | 0.643 | 1.160 | 2.977 | 3.087 | 2.418 | 1.312 | 0.000 | 11.616 |
| 1978 | 0.046 | 0.248 | 1.503 | 5.365 | 2.685 | 2.539 | 1.933 | 0.000 | 14.319 |
| 1979 | 0.000 | 0.196 | 1.228 | 4.984 | 4.044 | 2.497 | 2.589 | 0.000 | 15.538 |
| 1980 | 0.000 | 0.204 | 1.292 | 6.106 | 2.943 | 2.791 | 2.630 | 0.000 | 15.966 |
| 1981 | 0.020 | 0.208 | 1.169 | 4.747 | 2.451 | $2.643^{(2)}$ | 1.981 | 0.000 | 13.219 |
| 1982 | 0.045 | 0.283 | 2.139 | 6.312 | 2.181 | $2.746^{(2)}$ | 2.525 | 0.000 | 16.231 |
| 1983 | 0.000 | 0.300 | 2.180 | 6.539 | 2.364 | $2.241^{(2)}$ | 2.595 | 0.000 | 16.219 |
| 1984 | 0.000 | 0.233 | 1.803 | 7.710 | 2.954 | $1.565^{(2)}$ | 3.111 | 0.034 | 17.410 |
| 1985 | 0.000 | 0.307 | 1.798 | 5.956 | 3.181 | $3.782^{(2)}$ | 1.825 | 0.054 | 16.903 |
| 1986 | 0.000 | 0.197 | 1.434 | 5.693 | 2.291 | $3.297^{(2)}$ | 2.222 | 0.115 | 15.249 |
| 1987 | 0.000 | 0.117 | 1.342 | 5.801 | 2.305 | $1.998^{(2)}$ | 1.833 | 0.018 | 13.414 |
| 1988 | 0.017 | 0.466 | 1.516 | 5.417 | 3.210 | 2.546 | $1.430^{(3)}$ | 0.104 | 14.706 |
| 1989 | 0.060 | 0.150 | 1.504 | 7.859 | 2.334 | 5.377 | $1.846^{(3)}$ | 0.088 | 19.218 |
| 1990 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 1.772 | 7.129 | 2.380 | 1.317 | 1.600 | 0.050 | 14.648 |
| 1991 | 0.000 | 0.326 | 1.383 | 6.238 | 2.471 | 2.779 | 1.975 | 0.396 | 15.568 |
| 1992 | 0.000 | 0.272 | 1.615 | 5.795 | 2.742 | 3.435 | 1.689 | 0.099 | 15.647 |
| 1993 | 0.000 | 0.294 | 1.759 | 5.530 | 1.709 | 2.697 | 1.680 | 0.141 | 13.810 |
| 1994 | 0.000 | 0.269 | 2.172 | 5.837 | 1.497 | 3.854 | 2.221 | 0.166 | 16.016 |
| 1995 | 0.000 | 0.328 | 1.876 | 6.549 | 2.401 | 2.265 | 1.878 | 0.151 | 15.448 |
| 1996 | 0.000 | 0.180 | 1.787 | 6.193 | 3.112 | 2.115 | 1.849 | 0.201 | 15.437 |
| 1997 | 0.000 | 0.115 | 1.804 | 5.745 | 2.620 | 2.235 | 1.864 | 0.155 | 14.538 |
| 1998 | 0.000 | 0.408 | 1.742 | 5.721 | 2.059 | 2.302 | 1.618 | 0.097 | 13.947 |
| 1999 | 0.000 | 0.191 | 1.649 | 4.324 | 2.765 | 2.348 | 1.680 | 0.077 | 13.034 |
| 2000 | 0.000 | 0.045 | 1.666 | 4.049 | 2.499 | 2.260 | 1.244 | 0.079 | 11.842 |
| 2001 | 0.000 | 0.102 | 1.749 | 4.518 | 2.765 | 2.382 | 1.849 | 0.131 | 13.496 |
| 2002 | 0.000 | $0.050^{(4)}$ | 1.754 | 4.015 | 2.690 | 2.312 | 1.861 | 0.126 | 12.808 |
| 2003 | 0.000 | 0.024 | 1.649 | 4.678 | 3.177 | $2.609^{(5)}$ | 2.014 | 0.104 | 14.255 |
| 2004 | 0.000 | 0.001 | 1.601 | 4.303 | 1.687 | 2.354 | 1.583 | 0.122 | 11.651 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mean | 0.008 | 0.229 | 1.627 | 5.497 | 2.614 | 2.629 | 1.941 | 0.086 | 14.631 |

Footnotes: Additional fry stockings include ${ }^{(1)} 128,000$ brown trout in 1976, ${ }^{(2)} 5,360,000$ lake trout between 1981 and 1987, ${ }^{(3)} 1,224,000$ rainbow trout between 1988 and 1989, ${ }^{(4)} 25,000$ brook trout in 2002, and ${ }^{(5)} 228,000$ lake trout in 2003.

Table 2. Number of salmonids, excluding lake trout, stocked in Wisconsin waters of Lake Michigan, 1976 - 2004. All numbers are rounded to the nearest thousand.

| Year | Brook <br> trout | Brown <br> trout | Chinook <br> salmon | Coho <br> salmon | Rainbow <br> trout | Splake |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

Footnotes: ${ }^{1}$ An additional 25,200 brook trout were stocked as fry in 2002.

Table 3. Number of salmonids, excluding lake trout, stocked in Illinois waters of Lake Michigan, 1976-2004. All numbers are rounded to the nearest thousand.

| Year | Brook trout | Brown trout | Chinook salmon | Coho salmon | Rainbow trout | Splake |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1976 | 6,000 | 94,000 | 142,000 | 80,000 | 45,000 | 0 |
| 1977 | 0 | 42,000 | 347,000 | 103,000 | 276,000 | 0 |
| 1978 | 5,000 | 13,000 | 611,000 | 279,000 | 40,000 | 0 |
| 1979 | 8,000 | 1,000 | 183,000 | 289,000 | 215,000 | 0 |
| 1980 | 20,000 | 24,000 | 152,000 | 39,000 | 113,000 | 0 |
| 1981 | 0 | 65,000 | 431,000 | 324,000 | 186,000 | 0 |
| 1982 | 0 | 18,000 | 793,000 | 159,000 | 170,000 | 0 |
| 1983 | 0 | 51,000 | 534,000 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1984 | 0 | 88,000 | 538,000 | 277,000 | 165,000 | 0 |
| 1985 | 0 | 115,000 | 195,000 | 305,000 | 146,000 | 0 |
| 1986 | 0 | 59,000 | 215,000 | 312,000 | 152,000 | 0 |
| 1987 | 0 | 88,000 | 539,000 | 187,000 | 91,000 | 0 |
| 1988 | 0 | 95,000 | 457,000 | 297,000 | 117,000 | 0 |
| 1989 | 0 | 105,000 | 650,000 | 100,000 | 110,000 | 0 |
| 1990 | 0 | 0 | 479,000 | 303,000 | 0 | 0 |
| 1991 | 0 | 114,000 | 496,000 | 313,000 | 134,000 | 0 |
| 1992 | 0 | 100,000 | 353,000 | 309,000 | 105,000 | 0 |
| 1993 | 0 | 105,000 | 364,000 | 118,000 | 182,000 | 0 |
| 1994 | 0 | 101,000 | 286,000 | 328,000 | 75,000 | 0 |
| 1995 | 0 | 98,000 | 363,000 | 308,000 | 99,000 | 0 |
| 1996 | 0 | 85,000 | 365,000 | 306,000 | 102,000 | 0 |
| 1997 | 0 | 90,000 | 360,000 | 302,000 | 92,000 | 0 |
| 1998 | 0 | 100,000 | 366,000 | 306,000 | 103,000 | 0 |
| 1999 | 0 | 103,000 | 305,000 | 302,000 | 85,000 | 0 |
| 2000 | 0 | 100,000 | 306,000 | 302,000 | 100,000 | 0 |
| 2001 | 0 | 72,000 | 304,000 | 301,000 | 88,000 | 0 |
| 2002 | 0 | 100,000 | 305,000 | 301,000 | 106,000 | 0 |
| 2003 | 0 | 100,000 | 299,000 | 244,000 | 127,000 | 0 |
| 2004 | 0 | 70,000 | 303,000 | 300,000 | 113,000 | 0 |
| Mean | 1,000 | 76,000 | 381,000 | 245,000 | 115,000 | 0 |

Table 4. Number of salmonids, excluding lake trout, stocked in Indiana waters of Lake Michigan, 1976-2004. All numbers are rounded to the nearest thousand.

| Year | Brook <br> trout | Brown <br> trout | Chinook <br> salmon | Coho <br> salmon | Rainbow <br> trout | Splake |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 1976 | 0 | 199,000 | 38,000 | 179,000 | 217,000 | 0 |
| 1977 | 0 | 109,000 | 141,000 | 179,000 | 48,000 | 0 |
| 1978 | 0 | 131,000 | 213,000 | 105,000 | 130,000 | 0 |
| 1979 | 0 | 69,000 | 531,000 | 118,000 | 182,000 | 0 |
| 1980 | 0 | 116,000 | 621,000 | 169,000 | 70,000 | 0 |
| 1981 | 0 | 58,000 | 263,000 | 102,000 | 230,000 | 0 |
| 1982 | 0 | 0 | 313,000 | 160,000 | 248,000 | 0 |
| 1983 | 0 | 0 | 238,000 | 128,000 | 378,000 | 0 |
| 1984 | 0 | 0 | 406,000 | 156,000 | 259,000 | 0 |
| 1985 | 0 | 7,000 | 355,000 | 139,000 | 509,000 | 0 |
| 1986 | 0 | 0 | 342,000 | 133,000 | 636,000 | 0 |
| 1987 | 0 | 0 | 311,000 | 162,000 | 511,000 | 0 |
| 1988 | 0 | 0 | 502,000 | 160,000 | 461,000 | 0 |
| 1989 | 0 | 0 | 531,000 | 41,000 | 503,000 | 0 |
| 1990 | 0 | 0 | 477,000 | 114,000 | 539,000 | 0 |
| 1991 | 0 | 0 | 546,000 | 100,000 | 493,000 | 0 |
| 1992 | 0 | 0 | 330,000 | 131,000 | 412,000 | 0 |
| 1993 | 0 | 0 | 292,000 | 12,000 | 316,000 | 0 |
| 1994 | 0 | 0 | 368,000 | 84,000 | 568,000 | 0 |
| 1995 | 0 | 0 | 364,000 | 169,000 | 542,000 | 0 |
| 1996 | 0 | 0 | 362,000 | 281,000 | 578,000 | 0 |
| 1997 | 0 | 0 | 279,000 | 81,000 | 610,000 | 0 |
| 1998 | 0 | 0 | 387,000 | 148,000 | 464,000 | 0 |
| 1999 | 0 | 0 | 265,000 | 147,000 | 552,000 | 0 |
| 2000 | 0 | 0 | 268,000 | 158,000 | 375,000 | 0 |
| 2001 | 0 | 0 | 297,000 | 157,000 | 571,000 | 0 |
| 2002 | 0 | 35,000 | 253,000 | 225,000 | 605,000 | 0 |
| 2003 | 0 | 40,000 | 232,000 | 286,000 | 592,000 | 0 |
| 2004 | 0 | 46,000 | 237,000 | 236,000 | 465,000 | 0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |
| 129 | 0 | 28,000 | 337,000 | 147,000 | 416,000 | 0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |

Table 5. Number of salmonids, excluding lake trout, stocked in Michigan waters of Lake Michigan, 1976-2004. All numbers are rounded to the nearest thousand.

| Year | Brook <br> trout | Brown <br> trout | Chinook <br> salmon | Coho <br> salmon | Rainbow <br> trout | Splake |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 1976 | 61,000 | 538,000 | 1 | $1,845,000$ | $2,220,000$ | 601,000 |
| 1977 | 0 | 206,000 | $1,576,000$ | $2,314,000$ | 276,000 | 0 |
| 1978 | 0 | 125,000 | $2,524,000$ | $1,802,000$ | $1,141,000$ | 0 |
| 1979 | 0 | 199,000 | $2,307,000$ | $3,317,000$ | 981,000 | 0 |
| 1980 | 0 | 105,000 | $2,903,000$ | $2,243,000$ | $1,301,000$ | 0 |
| 1981 | 8,000 | 32,000 | $2,205,000$ | $1,707,000$ | 558,000 | 0 |
| 1982 | 0 | 300,000 | $2,685,000$ | $1,645,000$ | $1,066,000$ | 0 |
| 1983 | 0 | 574,000 | $2,976,000$ | $1,880,000$ | 723,000 | 0 |
| 1984 | 8,000 | 530,000 | $3,874,000$ | $1,969,000$ | $1,307,000$ | 0 |
| 1985 | 0 | 506,000 | $2,665,000$ | $1,693,000$ | 737,000 | 0 |
| 1986 | 9,000 | 492,000 | $2,758,000$ | $1,579,000$ | 633,000 | 0 |
| 1987 | 23,000 | 416,000 | $2,687,000$ | $1,331,000$ | 668,000 | 18,000 |
| 1988 | 0 | 400,000 | $3,048,000$ | $1,733,000$ | 545,000 | 75,000 |
| 1989 | 0 | 426,000 | $3,965,000$ | $1,682,000$ | 736,000 | 88,000 |
| 1990 | 85,000 | 543,000 | $3,793,000$ | $1,465,000$ | 601,000 | 50,000 |
| 1991 | 0 | 288,000 | $3,461,000$ | $1,655,000$ | 761,000 | 249,000 |
| 1992 | 0 | 286,000 | $3,589,000$ | $1,735,000$ | 603,000 | 55,000 |
| 1993 | 0 | 320,000 | $3,273,000$ | $1,579,000$ | 503,000 | 101,000 |
| 1994 | 0 | 811,000 | $3,635,000$ | 627,000 | 780,000 | 95,000 |
| 1995 | 0 | 453,000 | $3,920,000$ | $1,202,000$ | 684,000 | 151,000 |
| 1996 | 0 | 400,000 | $3,739,000$ | $1,962,000$ | 603,000 | 131,000 |
| 1997 | 0 | 434,000 | $3,188,000$ | $1,722,000$ | 592,000 | 115,000 |
| 1998 | 0 | 400,000 | $3,377,000$ | $1,100,000$ | 518,000 | 75,000 |
| 1999 | 0 | 365,000 | $2,446,000$ | $1,796,000$ | 522,000 | 51,000 |
| 2000 | 0 | 510,000 | $2,464,000$ | $1,785,000$ | 572,000 | 79,000 |
| 2001 | 0 | 419,000 | $2,414,000$ | $1,795,000$ | 548,000 | 76,000 |
| 2002 | 0 | 407,000 | $2,038,000$ | $1,569,000$ | 604,000 | 97,000 |
| 2003 | 0 | 428,000 | $2,531,000$ | $2,106,000$ | 537,000 | 82,000 |
| 2004 | 1,000 | 463,000 | $2,260,000$ | 666,000 | 574,000 | 78,000 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mean | 7,000 | 397,000 | $2,902,000$ | $1,720,000$ | 741,000 | 57,000 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Footnotes: ${ }^{1}$ An additional 128,000 brown trout were stocked as fry in $1976,{ }^{2}$ An additional 726,000 rainbow trout were stocked as fry in 1988, and ${ }^{3}$ another 498,000 rainbow trout were stocked as fry in 1989.

Table 6. Lake Michigan lake trout stocking in 2004 by rehabilitation zone; sites are listed in order of stocking priority.

| Fish Age | Rehabilitation Zone/Site | Grid | Number Stocked | Finclipl Mark | Strain | Offl Onshore |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Yearlings | Northern Refuge |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Boulder Reef | 413 | 13,890 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | off |
|  |  | 413 | 36,188 | ADCWT | Lewis Lake | off |
|  |  | 413 | 27,188 | LPRV | Apostle Islands | off |
|  |  | 413 | 40,065 | ADCWT | Apostle Islands | off |
|  |  | 413 | 40,400 | ADCWT | Isle Royale | off |
|  | Richard's Reef | 414 | 96,155 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | off |
|  | Gull Island Shoal | 414 | 13,900 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | off |
|  |  | 414 | 39,930 | ADCWT | Lewis Lake | off |
|  |  | 414 | 24,340 | LPRV | Apostle Islands | off |
|  |  | 414 | 36,860 | ADCWT | Apostle Islands | off |
|  |  | 414 | 40,400 | ADCWT | Isle Royale | off |
|  | High Island | 314 | 23,518 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | off |
|  |  | 314 | 37,728 | ADCWT | Lewis Lake | off |
|  |  | 314 | 4,385 | LPRV | Apostle Islands | off |
|  |  | 314 | 36,433 | ADCWT | Apostle Islands | off |
|  |  | 314 | 12,574 | LPRV | Isle Royale | off |
|  |  | 314 | 35,927 | ADCWT | Isle Royale | off |
|  | Subtotal |  | 559,881 |  |  |  |
|  | Midlake Refuge |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | East Reef | 1904 | 50,440 | ADCWT | Green Lake | off |
|  |  | 1904 | 50,400 | ADCWT | Seneca Lake | off |
|  | Northeast Reef | 1803 | 50,535 | ADCWT | Green Lake | off |
|  |  | 1803 | 54,500 | ADCWT | Seneca Lake | off |
|  | Sheboygan Reef | 1706 | 50,440 | ADCWT | Green Lake | off |
|  |  | 1706 | 50,535 | ADCWT | Seneca Lake | off |
|  | Subtotal |  | 306,850 |  |  |  |


| Fish Age | Rehabilitation Zone/Site | Grid | Number Stocked | Finclip/ Mark | Strain | Offl Onshore |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Yearlings | Primary Zone |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Clay Banks | 905 | 50,900 | LPRV | Apostle Islands | off |
|  |  | 905 | 90,000 | LPRV | Seneca Lake | off |
|  | Julien's Reef | 2403 | 60,300 | ADCWT | Green Lake | off |
|  | Little Traverse Bay | 519 | 59,074 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | off |
|  | Maritime Academy | 916 | 164327 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | on |
|  |  | 916 | 7,096 | LPRV | Apostle Islands | on |
|  | Lee's Reef | 815 | 69,974 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | off |
|  | Good Harbor Reef | 814 | 100,200 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | off |
|  | Point Betsie | 911 | 96,542 | LPRV | Green Lake | off |
|  | Trout Island Shoal | 314 | 57,720 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | off |
|  | Sturgeon Bay Coast Guard Station | 905 | 44,500 | LPRV | Green Lake | on |
|  |  | 905 | 4,050 | LPRV | Apostle Islands | on |
|  |  | 905 | 3,570 | LPRV | Seneca Lake | on |
|  | Subtotal |  | 808,253 |  |  |  |
| Yearlings | Secondary Zone |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | S. Milwaukee Reef | 2102 | 62,900 | LPRV | Apostle Islands | on |
|  | Lakeside Reef | 2608 | 12,611 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | off |
|  |  | 2608 | 18,086 | LPRV | Apostle Islands | off |
|  |  | 2608 | 5,886 | LPRV | Seneca Lake | off |
|  | Stony Lake Reef | 1609 | 50,092 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | off |
|  |  | 1609 | 9,908 | LPRV | Apostle Islands | off |
|  | Saugatuck Reef | 2211 | 60,000 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | off |
|  | Manitowoc | 1303 | 38,920 | LPRV | Apostle Islands | on |
|  |  | 1303 | 16,530 | LPRV | Seneca Lake | on |
|  |  | 1303 | 2,030 | LPRV | Traverse Island | on |
|  | Portage Lake Reef | 1111 | 60,073 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | off |


| Fish Age | Rehabilitation Zone/Site | Grid | Number Stocked | Finclipl Mark | Strain | Off/ Onshore |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Ludington Reef | 1409 | 57,780 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | off |
|  |  | 1409 | 2,228 | LPRV | Apostle Islands | off |
|  | Lake MI Beach Reef | 2410 | 57,491 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | off |
|  |  | 2410 | 7,231 | LPRV | Seneca Lake | off |
|  | Sheboygan | 1502 | 60,400 | LPRV | Seneca Lake | on |
|  | Wind Point Shoal | 2102 | 22,000 | LPRV | Apostle Islands | on |
|  |  | 2102 | 40,500 | LPRV | Seneca Lake | on |
|  | St. Joseph | 2509 | 31,767 | LPRV | Lewis Lake | on |
|  |  | 2509 | 62,717 | LPRV | Apostle Islands | on |
|  | Subtotal |  | 679,150 |  |  |  |
|  | Grand Total |  | 2,354,134 |  |  |  |

Table 7. A summary of finclipped and otherwise marked fish stocked in Lake Michigan, 2004. Stage codes refer to age and size of fish at stocking ( $\mathrm{Y}=$ yearling, $\mathrm{F}=$ fingerling, $\mathrm{SF}=$ spring fingerling, and FF = fall fingerling. Refer to the Great Lakes Fish Stocking Database for a complete listing of stage and finclip\mark codes (www.glfc.org/fishstocking/).

| Species/ Strain | State/ Tribe | Stocking location | Number stocked | Stage | Fin clip or mark |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Brown trout |  |  |  |  |  |
| Seeforellen | WI | Kewaunee River | 31,642 | Y | ADRP |
|  | WI | Menomonee River | 28,964 | Y | ADRP |
|  | WI | Root River | 26,547 | Y | ADRP |
| Chinook salmon | IL | Waukegon | 99,484 | F | LP |
|  | MI | Big Sable River | 149,760 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Black River | 52,298 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Ford River | 38,344 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Grand River | 337,700 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Kalamazoo River | 54,515 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Kid's Creek | 238,983 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Little Bay DeNoc | 17,000 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Little Manistee River | 293,063 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Little Manistee River | 202,436 | SF | ADCWT,OX |
|  | MI | Macatawa River | 54,512 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Manistee River | 94,080 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Manistique River | 54,616 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Medusa Creek | 93,056 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Medusa Creek | 197,793 | SF | ADCWT, OX |
|  | MI | Muskegon Lake Outlet | 95,457 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Muskegon River | 47,322 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Portage Lake | 49,018 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Saint Joseph River | 152,875 | SF | ADCWT, OX |
|  | MI | Saint Joseph River | 37,383 | SF | OX |
|  | WI | Strawberry Creek | 26,000 | SF | ADLV |

## Coho Salmon

Hinchinbrooke

Steelhead

| Arlee | IL | Chicago | 28,422 | F | LPRV |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | WI | Ahnapee River | 4,997 | Y | LP |
|  | WI | Kenosha Harbor | 4,998 | Y | LP |
|  | WI | Manitowac River | 4,996 | Y | LP |
|  | WI | Milwaukee Harbor Outer | 4,996 | Y | LP |
|  | WI | Sheboygan Harber | 5,008 | Y | LP |
|  | WI | Sister Bay | 4,997 | Y | LP |
| Chambers Creek | WI | Kewaunee River | 40,824 | Y | LM |
|  | WI | Root River | 31,039 | Y | LM |
| Ganaraska | WI | Kewaunee River | 35,950 | Y | ADLV |
|  | WI | Root River | 27,881 | Y | ADLV |
| Kamloops | WI | Ahnapee River | 10,057 | Y | RV |
|  | WI | Kenosha Harbor | 10,020 | Y | RV |
|  | WI | Manitowac River | 10,025 | Y | RV |
|  | WI | Milwaukee Harbor Outer | 10,148 | Y | RV |
|  | WI | Sheboygan River | 10,064 | Y | RV |
|  | WI | Sister Bay | 10,083 | Y | RV |
| Lake Michigan | MI | Bear River | 8,000 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Betsie River | 33,683 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Big S. Br. Pere Marquette River | 10,700 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Black River | 8,900 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Boardman River | 17,310 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Boyne River | 9,300 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Brevoort River | 9,300 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Carp Lake River | 5,500 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Cedar River | 18,600 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Crockery Creek | 5,400 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | East Br. Whitefish River | 14,000 | Y | RP |


|  | MI | Elk River | 11,200 | Y | RP |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | MI | Fish Creek | 5,421 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Flat River | 5,400 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Galien River | 13,400 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Grand River | 32,256 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Jordan River | 9,300 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Kalamazoo River | 14,819 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Manistee River | 51,001 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Manistique River | 8,000 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Menominee River | 10,000 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Muskegon River | 55,004 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | North Br. Pentwater River | 3,502 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Paw Paw River | 8,900 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Pentwater River | 3,502 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Prairie Creek | 5,424 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Rabbit River | 9,069 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Rogue River | 31,069 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Saint Joseph River | 73,044 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | South Branch White River | 22,300 | Y | RP |
|  | MI | Sturgeon River | 22,400 | Y | RP |
|  | IN | St. Joseph River | 40,000 | Y | RP |
| Skamania | IL | Chicago | 28,000 | F | ADLP |
|  | IL | Waukegon | 36,300 | F | ADLP |
|  | MI | Manistee River | 37,415 | Y | RP |
|  | WI | Kewaunee River | 33,590 | Y | RM |
|  | WI | Root River | 35,145 | Y | RM |

Lake Sturgeon
Wolf River
WI
WI
WI

| Milwaukee River | 1,508 |
| :--- | ---: |
| Milwaukee River | 200 |
| Milwaukee River | 492 |


| FF | RV |
| ---: | ---: |
| $Y$ | RV, PIT Tag |
| FF | RV, PIT Tag |

Muskellunge

| Great LakesSpotted | WI | Fox River | 10,613 | FF | LV |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | WI | Fox River | 61 | Y | RV, Floy tag |
|  | WI | Little Sister Bay | 1,509 | FF | LM |
|  | WI | Little Sturgeon Bay | 25 | Y | RV, Floy tag |
|  | WI | Menomonee River | 2,353 | FF | LM |
|  | WI | Menomonee River | 25 | Y | RV, Floy tag |
|  | WI | Peshtigo River | 2,353 | FF | LM |
|  | WI | Peshtigo River | 25 | Y | RV, Floy tag |
|  | WI | Sturgeon Bay | 3,136 | FF | LM |
|  | WI | Sturgeon Bay | 25 | Y | RV, Floy tag |
| Walleye |  |  |  |  |  |
| BD | MI | Cedar River | 105,542 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Ford River | 145,284 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Green Bay | 22,931 | SF | OX |
|  | MI | Little Bay DeNoc | 540,386 | SF | OX |
| St. Mary's River | CORA | Northpoint Bay | 60,000 | SF | OX |
| L. Bay DeNoc | CORA | Sutton's Bay | 20,000 | SF | OX |
| Lake Michigan | WI | Milwaukee River | 1,924 | FF | RP |

Table 8. Actual numbers of non-salmonid fingerlings, yearlings and adult stages of fish stocked in Lake Michigan from all jurisdictions between 1989 and 2004. All fry stockings are footnoted at the bottom.

|  | Bluegill | Hybrid <br> Sunfish | Lake <br> Sturgeon | Muskellunge | Northern <br> Pike | Smallmouth <br> Bass | Walleye | Yellow <br> Perch |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 1989 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11,291 | 0 | 39,284 | $592,310{ }^{(1)}$ | 3,796 |
| 1990 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1,274 | 467,000 | 0 | $3,261,495$ | 0 |
| 1991 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 39 | 0 | $1,000,416{ }^{(2)}$ | 0 |
| 1992 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | $1,024,539$ | 0 |
| 1993 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 413,179 | 0 | 445,369 | 0 |
| 1994 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | $1,309,036$ | 4,025 |
| 1995 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 832,548 | 145,402 |
| 1996 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 706,850 | 0 |
| 1997 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 481,189 | 0 |
| 1998 | 0 | 0 | 4,972 | 2,109 | 150 | 0 | $1,503,4211^{(3)}$ | 0 |
| 1999 | 2,257 | 0 | 8,615 | 963 | 0 | 0 | $715,4091^{(4)}$ | 0 |
| 2000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 105,000 | 0 |
| 2001 | 0 | 0 | 1,427 | 629 | 0 | 0 | $10,102,303$ | 2,003 |
| 2002 | 0 | 1,296 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 50 | $4,283,547$ | 5,726 |
| 2003 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 24,723 | 0 | 0 | $4,597,735$ | 0 |
| 2004 | 0 | 0 | 2,200 | 20,125 | 0 | 0 | $1,171,300$ | 0 |
|  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 |  |  |  |
| Mean | 141 | 81 | 1,076 | 3,820 | 55,023 | 2,458 | $2,008,279$ | 10,060 |

Footnotes: Additional stockings of walleye fry: ${ }^{(1)} 2.775$ million in 1989, ${ }^{(2)} 1.182$ million in 1991, ${ }^{(3)} 5.8$ million in 1998, and ${ }^{(4)} 6.5$ million in 1999.

