



2010 Fishing Forecast

Jackson Lake

Jackson County
253 Acres- 10 Horsepower Motor Limit



Compared to Other Inland Lakes and Reservoirs

Species	FISH POPULATION STATUS			Stocked	Anglers Seeking(%)
	Overall Numbers	This size or Larger	Largest Sampled		
Largemouth Bass	Fair	8"	21.9	<input type="checkbox"/>	30.5
Bluegill	Excellent	6"	8.1	<input type="checkbox"/>	25.7
Crappie	Fair	8"	10.7"	<input type="checkbox"/>	1.7

Largemouth Bass **OUTLOOK: FAIR**

Largemouth bass are abundant overall at Jackson Lake yet numbers of quality bass are low. During the 2005 electrofishing survey, 19% of the bass captured were 12-inches or larger. Similarly, 14% of the bass captured were 15-inches or larger.

Bluegill **OUTLOOK: EXCELLENT**

Bluegill are plentiful and of good size at Jackson Lake. During the 2008 electrofishing survey, 36% of the bluegill captured were six-inches or larger

Crappie **OUTLOOK: FAIR**

Crappie are found in moderate numbers at Jackson Lake. What Jackson Lake lacks in numbers, it makes up for in size. During the 2006 trapnet survey, 73% of the fish captured were 8-inches or larger. Both black crappie and white crappie are present but white crappie are the predominant species.

NOTES:

Jackson Lake is stocked in alternate years with yearling channel catfish. The channel catfish population has not been investigated.