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## F O R E W O R D

The National Eutrophication Survey was initiated in 1972 as a research project in response to an Administration commitment to investigate the nationwide threat of accelerated eutrophication to fresh water lakes and reservoirs.

### OBJECTIVES

The Survey was designed to develop, in conjunction with state environmental agencies, information on nutrient sources, concentrations and impact on selected fresh water lakes as a basis for formulating comprehensive and coordinated national, regional and state management practices relating to point-source discharge reduction and non-point source pollution abatement in lake watersheds.

### ANALYTIC APPROACH

The mathematical and statistical procedures selected for the Survey's eutrophication analysis are based on related concepts that:

- a. A generalized representation or model relating sources, concentrations and impacts can, in fact, be constructed.
- b. By applying measurements of relevant parameters associated with lake degradation, the generalized model can be transformed into an operational representation of a lake, its drainage basin and related nutrients.
- c. With such a transformation, an assessment of the potential for eutrophication control can be made.

### LAKE ANALYSIS

This report documents the first stage of evaluation of lake and watershed data collected from the study lake and its drainage basin. It is formatted to provide state environmental agencies with specific information for basin planning [§303(e)], water quality criteria/standards review [§303(c)], clean lakes [§314(a,b)], and water quality monitoring [§106 and §305(b)] activities mandated by the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972.

Beyond the single lake analysis, broader based correlations between nutrient concentrations (and loading) and trophic condition are being made to advance the rationale and data base for refinement of nutrient water quality criteria for the Nation's fresh water lakes. Likewise, multivariate evaluations of the relationships between land use, nutrient export and trophic condition, by lake class or use, are being developed to assist in the formulation of planning guidelines and policies by EPA and to augment plans implementation by the states.

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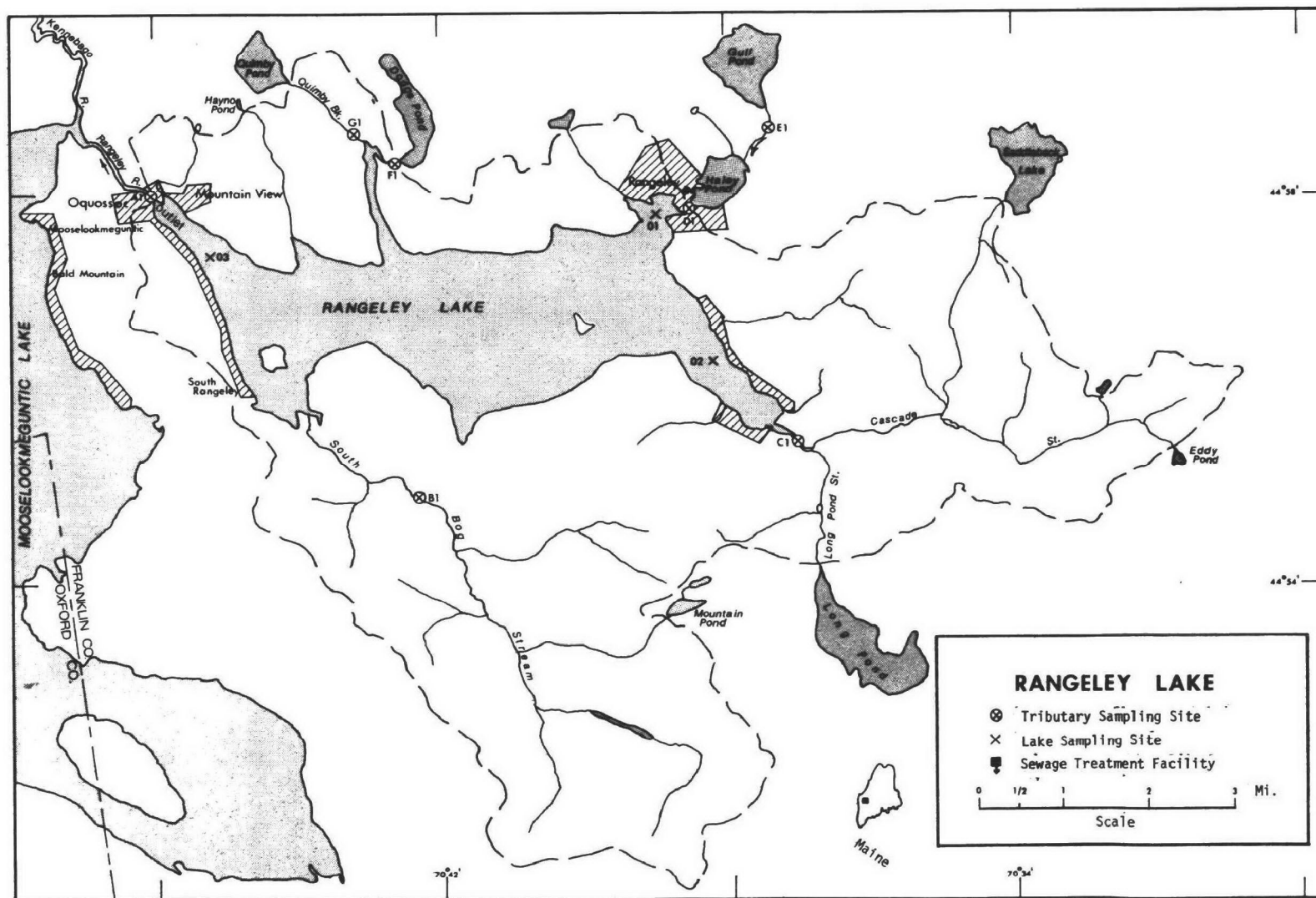
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## NATIONAL EUTROPHICATION SURVEY

## STUDY LAKES

STATE OF MAINE

<u>LAKE NAME</u>	<u>COUNTY</u>
Moosehead Lake	Piscataquis, Somerset
Estes Lake	York
Long Lake	Cumberland
Bay of Naples & Sebago Lake	Cumberland
Rangley Lake	Franklin
Long Lake	Aroostook
Mattawamkeag Lake	Aroostook
Sebasticook Lake	Penobscot



RANGELEY LAKE  
STORET NO. 2310

I. CONCLUSIONS

A. Trophic Condition:

Survey data indicate that Rangeley Lake is oligotrophic. Agency personnel of the State of Maine also consider the lake to be oligotrophic on the basis of their more extensive data.

B. Rate-Limiting Nutrient:

Algal assay results and lake data show that Rangeley Lake was phosphorus limited when sampled.

C. Nutrient Controllability:

During the sampling year, about 78% of the total phosphorus load to Rangeley Lake was contributed by non-point or areal sources, while the community of Rangeley was contributing about 15%, and camp and home septic tanks around the lake were estimated to have contributed about 7%.

Construction of 95% phosphorus removal facilities at Rangeley is scheduled in 1974. This degree of treatment should help preserve the present excellent quality of Rangeley Lake.

At present, septic tank contributions may not be a problem. However, as lakeshore development progresses to meet increasing recreational needs, consideration should be given to the control of these sources to further protect the lake.



## II. INTRODUCTION

Rangeley Lake has been famous for its cold-water game fishery since the middle of the nineteenth century. Fishing pressure on the lake is presently heavy and increasing, with salmon and trout predominant in the catch.

In addition to fishing, the lake is highly valued for swimming, boating, scenic enjoyment, and storage of water for hydroelectric power generation (the Union Water Power Company, Lisbon, controls about 11% of the volume by means of a small dam at the outlet). The watershed is mostly forested; and until the early 1950's, the lake was utilized periodically for log-driving operations.

The region is now undergoing rapid development for outdoor recreational purposes with steady growth in both permanent (presently about 1,500) and seasonal population (presently peaking at about 13,000). Much of the shoreline of the lake is developed with camps and homes. Most of these are served by septic tanks, although reportedly the soil does not provide adequate absorption of tank effluents. While the lake receives no industrial discharges, it does receive secondary effluent from the Rangeley wastewater treatment plant via Haley Pond, and a nutrient load of unknown magnitude is contributed directly by Rangeley storm sewers.

The Rangeley plant became operational in the fall of 1970; and reportedly algal blooms in Haley Pond have occurred since then. At times, large plumes of algae reach City Cove of Rangeley Lake via the pond outlet and reduce the aesthetic quality of that portion of the lake.

### III. LAKE AND DRAINAGE BASIN CHARACTERISTICS

#### A. Lake Morphometry:

1. Surface area: 6,000 acres.
2. Mean depth: 47 feet.
3. Maximum depth: 149 feet.
4. Volume: 282,000 acre/feet.
5. Mean hydraulic retention time: 2.8 years.

#### B. Tributary and Outlet: (See Appendix A for flow data)

##### 1. Tributaries -

<u>Name</u>	<u>Drainage area</u> <sup>†</sup>	<u>Mean flow</u> <sup>†</sup>
South Bog Stream	15.4 mi <sup>2</sup>	24.6 cfs
Long Pond Stream	21.0 mi <sup>2</sup>	34.2 cfs
Haley Pond Outlet	9.8 mi <sup>2</sup>	13.3 cfs
Dodge Pond Outlet	18.1 mi <sup>2</sup>	27.0 cfs
Quimby Brook	1.6 mi <sup>2</sup>	1.9 cfs
Minor tributaries & immediate drainage -	<u>23.7 mi<sup>2</sup></u>	<u>36.3 cfs</u>
Totals	89.6 mi <sup>2</sup>	137.3 cfs

##### 2. Outlet -

Rangeley River	99.0 mi <sup>2</sup> *	137.3 cfs*
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#### C. Precipitation\*\*:

1. Year of sampling: 38.4 inches.
2. Mean annual: 40.0 inches.

\* Includes area of lake; outflow adjusted to equal sum of inflows.

\*\* See Working Paper No. 1, "Survey Methods".

† Drainage areas are accurate within ±1% and mean annual flows within ±5%.

#### IV. LAKE WATER QUALITY SUMMARY

Rangeley Lake was sampled three times during the open-water season of 1972 by means of a pontoon-equipped Huey helicopter. Each time, samples for physical and chemical parameters were collected from three stations on the lake and from a number of depths at each station (see map, page v). During each visit a single depth-integrated (15 feet or near bottom to surface) sample was composited from the three stations for phytoplankton identification and enumeration; and during the last visit, a single five-gallon depth-integrated sample was composited for algal assays. Also each time, a depth-integrated sample was collected from each of the stations for chlorophyll a analysis. Maximum depths sampled were 14 feet at station 1, 64 feet at station 2, and 20 feet at station 3.

It should be noted that the Survey Secchi disc values are consistently less than those observed by the Maine Department of Environmental Protection. Such variations could be attributed to fluctuations in cloud cover or sun angle (ambient light conditions), observer technique, water surface disturbance, or may, in fact, be the result of short-term water clarity differences.

The results obtained are presented in full in Appendix B, and the data for the fall sampling period, when the lake was essentially well-mixed, are summarized below. Note, however, the Secchi disc summary is based on all values.

For differences in the various parameters at the other sampling times, refer to Appendix B.

## A. Physical and chemical characteristics:

FALL VALUES

(10/02/72)

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Median</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
Temperature (Cent.)	8.6	13.2	13.7	14.0
Dissolved oxygen (mg/l)	7.2	8.6	9.0	9.4
Conductivity (μmhos)	50	94	105	105
pH (units)	6.4	6.7	6.7	6.8
Alkalinity (mg/l)	10	13	13	18
Total P (mg/l)	0.006	0.008	0.007	0.011
Dissolved P (mg/l)	0.005	0.007	0.006	0.011
NO <sub>2</sub> + NO <sub>3</sub> (mg/l)	0.060	0.074	0.070	0.140
Ammonia (mg/l)	0.020	0.037	0.040	0.060

ALL SAMPLES

Secchi disc (inches)	120	148	153	180
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## B. Biological characteristics:

## 1. Phytoplankton\* -

<u>Sampling Date</u>	<u>Dominant Genera</u>	<u>Number per ml</u>
10/02/72	1. Dinobryon	632
	2. Flagellates	557
	3. Fragilaria	346
	4. Polycystis	331
	5. Achnanthes	271
	Other genera	<u>1,236</u>
	Total	3,373

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\* The June and August phytoplankton samples were lost in transit.

2. Chlorophyll a -  
(Because of instrumentation problems during the 1972 sampling, the following values may be in error by plus or minus 20 percent.)

<u>Sampling Date</u>	<u>Station Number</u>	<u>Chlorophyll a (µg/l)</u>
06/08/72	01	6.1
	02	0.8
	03	3.5
08/07/72	01	2.7
	02	1.7
	03	1.9
10/02/72	01	1.7
	02	1.7
	03	1.8

C. Limiting Nutrient Study:

1. Autoclaved, filtered, and nutrient spiked -

<u>Spike (mg/l)</u>	<u>Ortho P Conc. (mg/l)</u>	<u>Inorganic Conc. (mg/l)</u>	<u>Maximum yield (mg/l-dry wt.)</u>
Control	0.012	0.115	0.4
0.006 P	0.018	0.115	2.7
0.012 P	0.024	0.115	2.4
0.024 P	0.036	0.115	2.6
0.060 P	0.072	0.115	2.4
0.060 P + 10.0 N	0.072	10.115	10.2
10.0 N	0.012	10.115	0.3

2. Discussion -

The control yield of the assay alga, Selenastrum capricornutum, indicates that the potential primary productivity of Rangeley Lake was relatively low at the time the sample was collected. Also, the increased yield resulting from the first orthophosphorus spike shows that Rangeley Lake was phosphorus limited. At ortho-P concentrations higher than about 0.018 mg/l, however, yields do not change significantly until

nitrogen is also added which indicates the lake would become nitrogen limited if ortho-P concentrations in the lake were increased to about 0.018 mg/l. Note that the addition of only nitrogen produced a yield not significantly different than the control yield.

Lake data indicate that Rangeley Lake was phosphorus limited at the other sampling times as well. Nitrogen to phosphorus ratios were 69 to 1 and 20 to 1 in June and August, respectively (phosphorus limitation would be expected with N/P ratios of 14 to 1 or greater).

#### D. Trophic Condition:

Survey data indicate that Rangeley Lake is oligotrophic, and personnel of the Maine Department of Environmental Protection classify the lake as oligotrophic on the basis of their more extensive sampling. Nutrient concentrations were very low, and Secchi disc transparencies were exceptional.

Generally, chlorophyll a levels were quite low. However, at station 1 in City Cove, which receives the Haley Pond overflow, two of the three samples had chlorophyll levels higher than would be expected. It is believed these higher chlorophyll levels resulted from the overflows of Haley Pond. Reportedly, green plumes of algae-laden water from Haley Pond occur frequently in City Cove.

In all other parameters measured, Rangeley Lake is quite comparable to oligotrophic Moosehead and Sebago lakes.

V. NUTRIENT LOADINGS\*  
(See Appendix B for data)

For the determination of nutrient loadings, from September, 1972, through August, 1973, the Maine National Guard collected monthly near-surface grab samples from the tributary sites indicated on the map (page v), except for the high runoff months of April and May, when two samples per month were collected. Stream flow estimates were provided by the Maine District Office of the U.S. Geological Survey through an interagency agreement.

Discharges from the Rangeley wastewater treatment plant were sampled by the operator on a monthly basis and flow data were provided. The phosphorus load reported for the plant was adjusted for partial retention in Haley Pond into which the effluent is discharged (see discussion, pages 12 and 13).

In this report, tributary nutrient loads were calculated with mean concentrations and mean flows. The loads for unsampled "minor tributaries and immediate drainage" ("ZZ" of U.S.G.S.) were calculated with mean ZZ flows and mean South Bog Stream concentrations at station B-1.

Note that though the Gull Pond outlet stream was sampled at station E-1, there are no flow data for that site, and nutrient loads could not be calculated.

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\* Based on sampling frequency and variations in concentrations, single tributary loadings for gaged sites are believed to be within  $\pm 16\%$  of the true value 67% of the time and within  $\pm 32\%$  of the true value 95% of the time.

A. Waste Sources:  
(See Appendix C for all data)

1. Municipal -

<u>Name</u>	<u>Pop. Served</u>	<u>Treatment</u>	<u>Mean Flow (mgd)</u>	<u>Receiving Water</u>
Rangeley	900	Act. sludge	0.071	Haley Pond

2. Industrial - None known



## B. Annual Total Phosphorus Loading - Average Year:

## 1. Inputs -

<u>Source</u>	<u>lbs P/ yr</u>	<u>% of total</u>
a. Tributaries (non-point load) -		
South Bog Stream	480	10.0
Long Pond Stream	740	15.6
Haley Pond outlet	240	5.0
Dodge Pond outlet	580	12.1
Quimby Brook	30	0.6
b. Minor tributaries & immediate drainage (non-point load)* -	720	15.1
c. Municipal STP's -		
Rangeley	730	15.3
d. Septic tanks** -	320	6.7
e. Industrial -		
None known	-	-
f. Direct precipitation* -	<u>940</u>	<u>19.6</u>
Total	4,780	100.0

## 2. Outputs -

Lake outlet 2,430

## 3. Net annual P accumulation - 2,350 lbs.

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\* Estimated; see Working Paper No. 1, "Survey Methods".

\*\* Estimate based on 504 lakeside residences and camps.

## C. Annual Total Nitrogen Loading - Average Year:

## 1. Inputs -

<u>Source</u>	<u>lbs N/ yr</u>	<u>% of total</u>
a. Tributaries (non-point load) -		
South Bog Stream	28,910	13.6
Long Pond Stream	29,890	14.0
Haley Pond outlet	19,380	9.1
Dodge Pond outlet	21,900	10.3
Quimby Brook	2,150	1.0
b. Minor tributaries & immediate drainage (non-point load)* -	38,950	18.3
c. Municipal STP's -		
Rangeley	2,300	1.1
d. Septic tanks** -	11,840	5.6
e. Industrial -		
None known	-	-
f. Direct precipitation* -	<u>57,800</u>	<u>27.0</u>
Total	213,120	100.0

## 2. Outputs -

Lake outlet	116,500
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## 3. Net annual N accumulation - 96,620 lbs.

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\* Estimated; see Working Paper No. 1, "Survey Methods".

\*\* Estimate based on 504 lakeside residences and camps.

## D. Mean Annual Non-point Nutrient Export by Sub-drainage Area:

<u>Tributary</u>	<u>lbs P/mi<sup>2</sup>/yr</u>	<u>lbs N/mi<sup>2</sup>/yr</u>
South Bog Stream	31	1,877
Long Pond Stream	35	1,423
Haley Pond outlet	24	1,978
Dodge Pond outlet	32	1,210
Quimby Brook	19	1,344

## E. Yearly Loading Rates:

In the following table, the existing phosphorus loading rates are compared to those proposed by Vollenweider (1973). Essentially, his "dangerous" rate is the rate at which the receiving waters would become eutrophic or remain eutrophic; his "permissible" rate is that which would result in the receiving water remaining oligotrophic or becoming oligotrophic if morphometry permitted. A mesotrophic rate would be considered one between "dangerous" and "permissible".

<u>Units</u>	<u>Total Phosphorus</u>		<u>Total Nitrogen</u>	
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Accumulated</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Accumulated</u>
lbs/acre/yr	0.8	0.4	35.1	15.5
grams/m <sup>2</sup> /yr	0.09	0.04	3.93	1.74

Vollenweider loading rates for phosphorus  
(g/m<sup>2</sup>/yr) based on the mean depth and mean  
hydraulic retention time of Rangeley Lake:

"Dangerous" (eutrophic rate)	0.44
"Permissible" (oligotrophic rate)	0.22

## F. Controllability of Nutrients:

### 1. Discussion -

During the sampling year, Rangeley Lake received a total phosphorus load at a rate less than half that proposed by Vollenweider as permissible (i.e., an oligotrophic rate). About 78% of the load was contributed by non-point or areal sources, and the community of Rangeley contributed about 15% via Haley Pond. It is estimated that camp and home septic tanks around the lake contributed about 7%.

Since the Rangeley waste treatment plant discharges effluent to Haley Pond, some portion of the total phosphorus load from the plant would be expected to be sedimented and/or biologically assimilated in the Pond. To determine what proportion of the total load probably reached Rangeley Lake, the following rationale was applied.

It is calculated that 870 lbs. of phosphorus were discharged from the treatment plant during the sampling year. Areal contributions to Haley Pond were estimated by deriving the mean annual P-load, in  $\text{lbs}/\text{mi}^2/\text{yr}$ , from all of the other tributaries sampled and multiplying this mean value by the drainage area of Haley Pond (in  $\text{mi}^2$ ). Areal contributions thus determined were 290 lbs/yr.

The sum of point-source and areal contributions to the Pond, then, totaled 1,160 lbs. However, during the sampling year,

only 970 lbs were measured leaving Haley Pond at station D-1, or 84% of that contributed by all sources. Therefore, the phosphorus loads attributed to the Haley Pond outlet and the Rangeley treatment plant (see phosphorus loading, page 9) are values adjusted for the 16% of these loads estimated to have remained in Haley Pond.

The phosphorus removal facilities to be added to the Rangeley waste treatment plant should help preserve the existing excellent quality of Rangeley Lake. The planned 95% phosphorus removal will result in about a 71% reduction of phosphorus loading to 170-acre Haley Pond as well as a significant reduction in the localized loading rate to City Cove of Rangeley Lake. Furthermore, the improvement in trophic condition of Haley Pond should reduce the occurrence of algal blooms there and the resulting aesthetically unpleasant green plumes of algae in City Cove.

At present, septic tank contributions may not be a problem. However, because the soils in the area prevent effective absorption of tank effluents, and because shoreline developments are expected to increase, consideration should be given to future control of these nutrient sources to further protect the quality of Rangeley Lake.

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VII. APPENDICES

APPENDIX A  
TRIBUTARY FLOW DATA

TRIBUTARY FLOW INFORMATION FOR MAINE

6/25/74

LAKE CODE 2310 RANGELEY LAKE

TOTAL DRAINAGE AREA OF LAKE 99.00

TRIBUTARY	SUB-DRAINAGE		NORMALIZED FLOWS											
	ARFA	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	MEAN
2310A1	99.00	144.00	97.00	127.00	154.00	187.00	129.00	54.00	75.00	185.00	224.00	121.00	160.00	138.32
2310B1	15.40	8.80	8.10	12.00	82.00	70.00	21.00	11.00	9.00	9.70	16.00	27.00	20.00	24.57
2310C1	21.00	19.00	15.00	26.00	96.00	109.00	33.00	14.00	11.00	11.00	18.00	31.00	26.00	34.15
2310D1	9.79	7.20	6.30	11.00	42.00	36.00	11.00	5.00	4.20	3.90	6.40	14.00	13.00	13.34
2310F1	18.10	12.00	10.00	16.00	85.00	80.00	24.00	12.00	9.80	9.30	15.00	28.00	23.00	27.04
2310G1	1.55	1.40	1.50	4.00	6.20	3.30	1.00	0.34	0.29	0.33	0.54	2.00	1.70	1.88
2310Z2	33.10	25.00	28.00	60.00	117.00	74.00	27.00	9.00	6.50	7.20	11.00	38.00	33.00	36.26

SUMMARY

TOTAL DRAINAGE AREA OF LAKE = 99.00  
SUM OF SUB-DRAINAGE AREAS = 98.94

TOTAL FLOW IN = 1646.00  
TOTAL FLOW OUT = 1657.00

MEAN MONTHLY FLOWS AND DAILY FLOWS

TRIBUTARY	MONTH	YEAR	MEAN FLOW	DAY	FLOW	DAY	FLOW	DAY	FLOW
2310A1	9	72	634.00	16	471.00				
	10	72	427.00	14	410.00				
	11	72	288.00	4	243.00				
	12	72	272.00	2	408.00				
	1	73	255.00	6	160.00				
	2	73	272.00	3	647.00				
	3	73	335.00	2	46.00				
	4	73	105.00	7	24.00	21	132.00		
	5	73	626.00	6	422.00	19	740.00		
	6	73	220.00	2	328.00				
	7	73	406.00	14	257.00				
	8	73	273.00	11	354.00				
2310H1	9	72	23.00	16	14.00				
	10	72	20.00	14	19.00				
	11	72	52.00	4	42.00				
	12	72	34.00	2	51.00				
	1	73	16.00	6	10.00				
	2	73	26.00	3	58.00				
	3	73	35.00	2	7.40				
	4	73	86.00	7	71.00	21	91.00		
	5	73	120.00	6	82.00	19	142.00		
	6	73	42.00	2	62.00				
	7	73	70.00	14	38.00				
	8	73	48.00	11	66.00				



TRIBUTARY FLOW INFORMATION FOR MAINE

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LAKE CODE 2310 RANGELEY LAKE

MEAN MONTHLY FLOWS AND DAILY FLOWS

TRIBUTARY	MONTH	YEAR	MEAN FLOW	DAY	FLOW	DAY	FLOW	DAY	FLOW
2310C1	9	72	26.00	16	16.00				
	10	72	22.00	14	21.00				
	11	72	60.00	4	49.00				
	12	72	44.00	2	66.00				
	1	73	35.00	6	22.00				
	2	73	47.00	3	104.00				
	3	73	75.00	2	16.00				
	4	73	101.00	7	83.00	21	107.00		
	5	73	186.00	6	126.00	19	219.00		
	6	73	65.00	2	96.00				
	7	73	89.00	14	48.00				
	8	73	59.00	11	81.00				
2310D1	9	72	9.30	16	5.90				
	10	72	8.00	14	7.50				
	11	72	27.00	4	22.00				
	12	72	22.00	2	33.00				
	1	73	13.00	6	8.30				
	2	73	20.00	3	44.00				
	3	73	32.00	2	6.70				
	4	73	44.00	7	36.00	21	47.00		
	5	73	62.00	6	42.00	19	73.00		
	6	73	22.00	2	32.00				
	7	73	32.00	14	17.00				
	8	73	23.00	11	32.00				
2310F1	9	72	22.00	16	14.00				
	10	72	19.00	14	18.00				
	11	72	54.00	4	44.00				
	12	72	39.00	2	58.00				
	1	73	22.00	6	14.00				
	2	73	32.00	3	71.00				
	3	73	46.00	2	9.70				
	4	73	89.00	7	73.00	21	94.00		
	5	73	137.00	6	93.00	19	162.00		
	6	73	48.00	2	71.00				
	7	73	76.00	14	41.00				
	8	73	53.00	11	73.00				
2310G1	9	72	0.79	16	0.50				
	10	72	0.68	14	0.64				
	11	72	3.99	4	3.20				
	12	72	2.90	2	4.40				
	1	73	2.60	6	1.70				
	2	73	4.70	3	10.00				
	3	73	12.00	2	2.50				
	4	73	6.50	7	5.30	21	6.90		
	5	73	5.60	6	3.80	19	6.60		
	6	73	2.00	2	2.90				
	7	73	2.20	14	1.20				
	8	73	1.60	11	2.20				

TRIBUTARY FLOW INFORMATION FOR MAINE

6/25/74

LAKE CODE 2310 RANGELEY LAKE

MEAN MONTHLY FLOWS AND DAILY FLOWS

TRIBUTARY	MONTH	YEAR	MEAN FLOW	DAY	FLOW	DAY	FLOW	DAY	FLOW
231027	9	72	17.00						
	10	72	14.00						
	11	72	74.00						
	12	72	56.00						
	1	73	46.00						
	2	73	88.00						
	3	73	173.00						
	4	73	123.00						
	5	73	127.00						
	6	73	53.00						
	7	73	57.00						
	8	73	35.00						

APPENDIX B  
PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL DATA

K - Value is less than indicated  
J - Value known to be in error

STORET RETRIEVAL DATE 74/06/25

231001  
44 58 00.0 070 39 00.0  
RANGELEY LAKE  
23 MAINE

11EPALES 2111202  
5 0010 FEET DEPTH

DATE FROM TO	TIME OF DAY	DEPTH FEET	00010 WATER TEMP CENT	00300 DO MG/L	00077 TRANSP SECCHI INCHES	00094 CONDUCTVY FIELD MICROMHO	00400 PH SU	00410 T ALK CAC03 MG/L	00630 NO2&NO3 N-TOTAL MG/L	00610 NH3-N TOTAL MG/L	00665 PHOS-TOT MG/L P	00666 PHOS-DIS MG/L P
72/06/08	10 40	0000	12.6	10.6	120	20	6.90	10K	0.080	0.020	0.006	0.003
	10 40	0010	11.0	10.8		20	6.80	10K	0.100	0.040	0.004	0.002
72/08/07	08 20	0000			129	50K	6.80	10K	0.070	0.050	0.008	0.005
	08 20	0004	20.1	9.0		50K	6.70	10K	0.060	0.040	0.007	0.005
	08 20	0010	20.1	8.8		50K	6.80	10K	0.060	0.040	0.007	0.007
	08 20	0014	20.0	8.8		50K	6.70	10K	0.070	0.070	0.008	0.006
72/10/02	16 45	0000			156	50K	6.60	13	0.070	0.050	0.011	0.007
	16 45	0004	13.7	9.4		50K	6.80	13	0.060	0.030	0.006	0.005
	16 45	0009	13.7	8.4		85	6.80	14	0.060	0.040	0.008	0.007

32217  
DATE TIME DEPTH CHLRPHYL  
FROM OF A  
TO DAY FEET UG/L

72/06/08	10 40	0000	6.1J
72/08/07	08 20	0000	2.7J
72/10/02	16 45	0000	1.7J

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231002  
44 56 00.0 070 38 00.0  
RANGELEY LAKE  
23 MAINE

11EPALES  
5

2111202  
0033 FEET DEPTH

DATE FROM TO	TIME OF DAY	DEPTH FEET	00010 WATER TEMP CENT	00300 DO MG/L	00077 TRANSP SECCHI INCHES	00094 CONDUCTVY FIELD MICROMHO	00400 PH SU	00410 T ALK CAC03 MG/L	00630 NO2&NO3 N-TOTAL MG/L	00610 NH3-N TOTAL MG/L	00665 PHOS-TOT MG/L P	00666 PHOS-DIS MG/L P
72/06/08	10 55	0000	12.0	11.5	144	20	6.80	10K	0.110	0.070	0.004	0.002
	10 55	0005	12.1	11.5		20	6.80	10K	0.100	0.020	0.002	0.002
	10 55	0010	11.8	11.4								
	10 55	0015	11.6	11.4		20	6.90	10K	0.100	0.020	0.004	0.004
	10 55	0020	11.6	11.5								
	10 55	0025	11.5	11.4		20	6.90	10K	0.120	0.030	0.005	0.002K
	10 55	0030	10.2									
	10 55	0033	5.3	11.6		20	6.50	10K	0.130	0.060	0.002	0.002
72/08/07	08 50	0000				50K	6.60	10K	0.070	0.070	0.005	0.005
	08 50	0004	19.9	8.8		50K	6.60	10K	0.060	0.050	0.006	0.005
	08 50	0010	19.9	11.0		50K	6.60	10K	0.060	0.050	0.007	0.004
	08 50	0014	19.9	8.0		50K	6.60	10K	0.060	0.030	0.005	0.004
72/10/02	17 00	0000				90	6.80	18	0.070	0.040	0.009	0.009
	17 00	0004	14.0	9.0		90	6.70	16	0.070	0.040	0.010	0.009
	17 00	0015	13.7	9.0		100	6.70	16	0.060	0.030	0.006	0.006
	17 00	0025	13.7	9.0		105	6.80	14	0.070	0.040	0.006	0.006
	17 00	0035	13.6	9.0		105	6.80	14	0.070	0.040	0.006	0.006
	17 00	0045	13.5	9.0		105	6.80	10K	0.060	0.060	0.006	0.005
	17 00	0055	13.0	7.2		105	6.80	10K	0.120	0.030	0.007	0.005
	17 00	0064	8.6	7.2		105	6.40	10K	0.140	0.020	0.009	0.005

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DATE FROM TO	TIME OF DAY	DEPTH FEET	CHLRPHYL A UG/L
72/06/08	10 55	0000	0.8J
72/08/07	08 50	0000	1.7J
72/10/02	17 00	0000	1.7J

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231003  
44 57 24.0 070 45 24.0  
RANGELEY LAKE  
23 MAINE

11EPALES  
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2111202  
0012 FEET DEPTH

DATE FROM TO	TIME OF DAY	DEPTH FEET	00010 WATER TEMP CENT	00300 DO MG/L	00077 TRANSP SECCHI INCHES	00094 CONDUCTVY FIELD MICROMHO	00400 PH SU	00410 T ALK CAC03 MG/L	00630 NO2&NO3 N-TOTAL MG/L	00610 NH3-N TOTAL MG/L	00665 PHOS-TOT MG/L P	00666 PHOS-DIS MG/L P
72/06/08	11 45	0000	11.1	11.6	156	20	6.80	10K	0.100	0.020	0.003	0.002
	11 45	0005	9.8	11.8								
	11 45	0009	7.8	11.7		20	6.80	10K	0.110	0.010K	0.012	0.003
72/08/07	08 00	0000			153	50K	6.70	10K	0.070	0.050	0.007	0.006
	08 00	0004	19.0	9.0		50K	6.70	10K	0.030	0.010K	0.005	0.006
	08 00	0009	18.9	9.0		50K	6.60	10K	0.030	0.010K	0.008	0.005
72/10/02	16 20	0000			180	105	6.70	16	0.070	0.050	0.011	0.011
	16 20	0004	14.0	8.7		105	6.70	13	0.070	0.040	0.007	0.006
	16 20	0015	13.4	9.2		105	6.70	12	0.060	0.030	0.008	0.005
	16 20	0020	13.4	7.9		105	6.70	11	0.060	0.020	0.007	0.006

32217  
DATE TIME DEPTH CHLRPHYL  
FROM OF A  
TO DAY FEET UG/L

72/06/08	11 45	0000	3.5J
72/08/07	08 00	0000	1.9J
72/10/02	16 20	0000	1.8J

APPENDIX C

TRIBUTARY and WASTEWATER  
TREATMENT PLANT DATA

K - Value is less than indicated  
J - Value known to be in error

STORET RETRIEVAL DATE 74/06/25

2310A1 LS2310A1  
 44 58 00.0 070 46 30.0  
 RANGELEY RIVER  
 23 15 00QUOSSOC  
 O/RANGELEY LAKE  
 ST HWY 4 BRDG E OF 00QUOSSOC  
 11EPALES 2111204  
 4 0000 FEET DEPTH

DATE	TIME	DEPTH	00630 NO2&NO3 N-TOTAL MG/L	00625 TOT KJEL N MG/L	00610 NH3-N TOTAL MG/L	00671 PHOS-DIS ORTHO MG/L P	00665 PHOS-TOT MG/L P
FROM	OF						
TO	DAY	FEET					
72/09/16	13	40	0.063	0.400	0.048	0.005K	0.008
72/10/14	11	45	0.094	0.200	0.050	0.005K	0.007
72/12/02	11	20	0.056	0.200	0.008	0.005K	0.007
73/01/06	11	35	0.078	0.460	0.015	0.005K	0.005K
73/02/03	12	50	0.088	0.250	0.035	0.005K	0.010
73/03/02	12	00	0.105	0.140	0.028	0.005K	0.005K
73/04/07	10	00	0.105	0.220	0.023	0.005K	0.015
73/04/21	09	00	0.080	0.190	0.005K	0.005K	0.020
73/05/19	13	10	0.084	0.910	0.013	0.005K	0.005K
73/06/02	11	10	0.088	0.460	0.012	0.006	0.010
73/07/14	11	00	0.075	0.600	0.198	0.005K	0.005K
73/08/11	10	55	0.010K	0.235	0.021	0.010	0.015



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2310B1 LS2310B1  
 44 58 00.0 070 42 30.0  
 SOUTH BOG STREAM  
 23 15 RANGELEY  
 T/RANGELEY LAKE  
 OFF ST HWY 17 2 MI SE OF S RANGELEY  
 11EPALES 2111204  
 4 0000 FEET DEPTH

DATE FROM TO	TIME OF DAY	DEPTH FEET	00630 NO2&NO3 N-TOTAL MG/L	00625 TOT KJEL N MG/L	00610 NH3-N TOTAL MG/L	00671 PHOS-DIS ORTHO MG/L P	00665 PHOS-TOT MG/L P
72/09/16	13 50		0.084	0.200	0.046	0.005K	0.007
72/10/14	12 00		0.050	0.250	0.063	0.005K	0.010
72/11/04	12 30		0.156	0.370	0.028	0.005K	0.011
72/12/02	11 40		0.170	0.540	0.014	0.005K	0.008
73/01/06	11 50		0.220	0.830	0.024	0.005K	0.005K
73/02/03	13 00		0.270	0.400	0.026	0.006	0.015
73/03/02			0.250	0.120	0.019	0.005K	0.005K
73/04/07	10 00		0.252	0.230	0.017	0.005K	0.010
73/04/21	09 10		0.210	0.210	0.008	0.005K	0.010
73/05/06	10 10		0.120	1.150	0.080	0.005K	
73/05/19			0.082	1.000	0.014	0.005K	0.015
73/06/02	11 20		0.042	0.210	0.008	0.006	0.010
73/07/14	11 00		0.048	0.420	0.025	0.005K	0.005K
73/08/11	10 40		0.067	0.310	0.014	0.005K	0.020

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2310C1 LS2310C1  
 44 55 30.0 070 37 00.0  
 LONG POND STREAM  
 23 15 RANGELEY  
 T/RANGELEY LAKE  
 BRDG AT SE CORNER OF GREENVALE COVE  
 11EPALES 2111204  
 4 0000 FEET DEPTH

DATE FROM TO	TIME OF DAY	DEPTH FEET	00630 NO2&NO3 N-TOTAL MG/L	00625 TOT KJEL N MG/L	00610 NH3-N TOTAL MG/L	00671 PHOS-DIS ORTHO MG/L P	00665 PHOS-TOT MG/L P
72/09/16	14 10		0.096	0.300	0.088	0.005K	0.017
72/10/14	12 15		0.116	0.350	0.115	0.005K	0.011
72/11/04	12 45		0.120	0.190	0.030	0.005K	0.007
72/12/02	12 00		0.090	0.200	0.013	0.005K	0.007
73/02/03	13 10		0.270	0.220	0.044	0.006	0.010
73/04/07	10 10		0.189	0.150	0.008	0.005K	0.005K
73/04/21	09 20		0.138	0.200	0.015	0.005K	0.015
73/05/19			0.091	0.890	0.009	0.005K	0.005K
73/06/02	11 30		0.063	0.240	0.011	0.006	0.010
73/07/14	11 00		0.060	0.420	0.098	0.005K	0.005K
73/08/11	10 30		0.054	0.440	0.026	0.005K	0.030

STORET RETRIEVAL DATE 74/06/25

231001 LS231001  
 44 58 00.0 070 38 30.0  
 UNNAMED OUTLET OF HALEY POND  
 23 15 RANGELEY  
 T/RANGELEY LAKE  
 ST HWY 4 BRDG IN RANGELEY  
 11EPALES 2111204  
 4 0000 FEET DEPTH

DATE FROM TO	TIME OF DAY	DEPTH FFET	00630 NO2&NO3 N-TOTAL MG/L	00625 TOT KJEL N MG/L	00610 NH3-N TOTAL MG/L	00671 PHOS-DIS ORTHO MG/L P	00665 PHOS-TOT MG/L P
72/09/16	12 45		0.104	0.550	0.063	0.014	0.046
72/10/14	11 15		0.135	1.250	0.138	0.005K	0.030
72/11/04	11 45		0.208	1.080	0.138	0.010	0.070
72/12/02	12 10		0.154	0.880	0.140	0.007	0.029
73/01/06	12 50		0.200	0.660	0.132	0.016	0.024
73/02/03	13 30		0.340	0.380	0.154	0.029	0.050
73/03/02			0.380	0.670	0.150	0.040	0.060
73/04/07	10 20		0.231	0.540	0.042	0.008	0.025
73/04/21	09 30		0.168	0.270	0.013	0.005K	0.025
73/05/19	12 00		0.038	1.000	0.010	0.005K	0.030
73/06/02	11 40		0.010K	0.310	0.005K	0.007	0.030
73/07/14	11 00		0.013	0.560	0.037	0.005K	0.025
73/08/11	11 20		0.010K	0.630	0.071	0.005	0.040

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2310E1 LS2310E1  
 44 58 30.0 070 37 30.0  
 OUTLET OF GULL TO HALEY POND  
 23 15 RANGELEY  
 T/RANGELEY LAKE  
 ST HWY 16 BRDG NE OF RANGELEY  
 11EPALES 2111204  
 4 0000 FEET DEPTH

DATE FROM TO	TIME OF DAY	DEPTH FEET	00630 NO2&NO3 N-TOTAL MG/L	00625 TOT KJEL N MG/L	00610 NH3-N TOTAL MG/L	00671 PHOS-DIS ORTHO MG/L P	00665 PHOS-TOT MG/L P
72/09/16	13 00		0.054	0.200	0.063	0.005K	0.007
72/10/14	11 25		0.078	0.650	0.072	0.005K	0.007
72/11/04	12 00		0.084	0.670	0.086	0.005K	0.009
72/12/02	12 20		0.013	0.230	0.011	0.005K	0.008
73/01/06	13 00		0.035	0.310	0.018	0.005K	0.006
73/02/03	13 20		0.086	0.320	0.018	0.017	
73/03/02	12 00		0.096	0.310	0.022	0.006	0.010
73/04/07	10 30		0.126	0.230	0.015	0.005K	0.005K
73/04/21	09 30		0.069	0.500	0.012	0.005K	0.025
73/05/06	10 00		0.072	0.780	0.050	0.005K	0.005K
73/05/19	12 30		0.034	0.750	0.026	0.005K	0.005K
73/06/02	11 50		0.015	0.345	0.019	0.006	0.015
73/07/14	11 00		0.029		0.132	0.005K	0.005K
73/08/11	12 00		0.010K	0.280	0.016	0.005K	0.015

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2310F1 LS2310F1  
 44 58 30.0 070 42 30.0  
 UNNAMED OUTLET OF DODGE POND  
 23 15 RANGELEY  
 T/RANGELEY LAKE  
 ST HWYS 4/16 BRDG W OF RANGELEY  
 11EPALES 2111204  
 4 0000 FEET DEPTH

DATE FROM TO	TIME OF DAY	DEPTH FEET	00630 NO2&NO3 N-TOTAL MG/L	00625 TOT KJEL N MG/L	00610 NH3-N TOTAL MG/L	00671 PHOS-DIS ORTHO MG/L P	00665 PHOS-TOT MG/L P
72/09/16	13 15		0.052	4.100	0.060	0.005K	0.019
72/10/14	11 35		0.086	0.250	0.060	0.005K	0.010
72/12/02	11 00		0.060	0.360	0.017	0.005K	0.011
73/01/06	11 15		0.120	0.310	0.021	0.005K	0.005K
73/02/03	12 30		0.220	0.250	0.010	0.009	0.009
73/03/02	12 00		0.250	0.230	0.015	0.005K	0.015
73/04/07	10 30		0.189	0.460	0.015	0.005K	0.005K
73/04/21	08 45		0.160	0.210	0.007	0.005K	0.005K
73/05/06	10 40		0.140		0.094	0.005K	0.010
73/05/19	12 30		0.084	0.310	0.010	0.005K	0.005K
73/06/02	12 00		0.052	0.200	0.005K	0.006	0.040
73/07/14	11 00		0.010K	0.420	0.018	0.005K	0.005K
73/08/11	11 15		0.010K	0.300	0.016	0.005K	0.015

STORET RETRIEVAL DATE 74/06/25

2310G1 LS2310G1  
 44 58 30.0 070 43 30.0  
 QUIMBY BROOK  
 23 15 RANGELEY  
 T/RANGELEY LAKE  
 ST HWYS 4/16 BRDG W OF RANGELEY  
 11EPALES 2111204  
 4 0000 FEET DEPTH

DATE FROM TO	TIME OF DAY	DEPTH FEET	00630 NO2&NO3 N-TOTAL MG/L	00625 TOT KJEL N MG/L	00610 NH3-N TOTAL MG/L	00671 PHOS-DIS ORTHO MG/L P	00665 PHOS-TOT MG/L P
72/09/16	13 30		0.195		0.072	0.006	0.010
72/10/14	11 45		0.156	0.150	0.060	0.005K	0.007
72/12/02	11 10		0.180	0.300	0.011	0.005K	0.011
73/01/06	11 25		0.170	0.260	0.015	0.005K	0.005K
73/02/03	12 45		0.280	0.320	0.025	0.006	0.006
73/03/02	12 00		0.240	0.260	0.056	0.005K	0.005K
73/04/07	10 40		0.315	0.340	0.017	0.005K	0.005K
73/04/21	08 00		0.270	0.180	0.006	0.005K	0.010
73/05/06	10 30		0.132	0.360	0.033	0.005K	0.005K
73/05/19	12 30		0.096	0.920	0.033	0.005K	0.005K
73/06/02	12 10		0.097	0.980	0.032	0.005K	0.005K
73/07/14	11 00		0.120	0.310	0.011	0.005K	0.005K
73/08/11	11 00		0.094	0.360	0.015	0.005K	0.020



