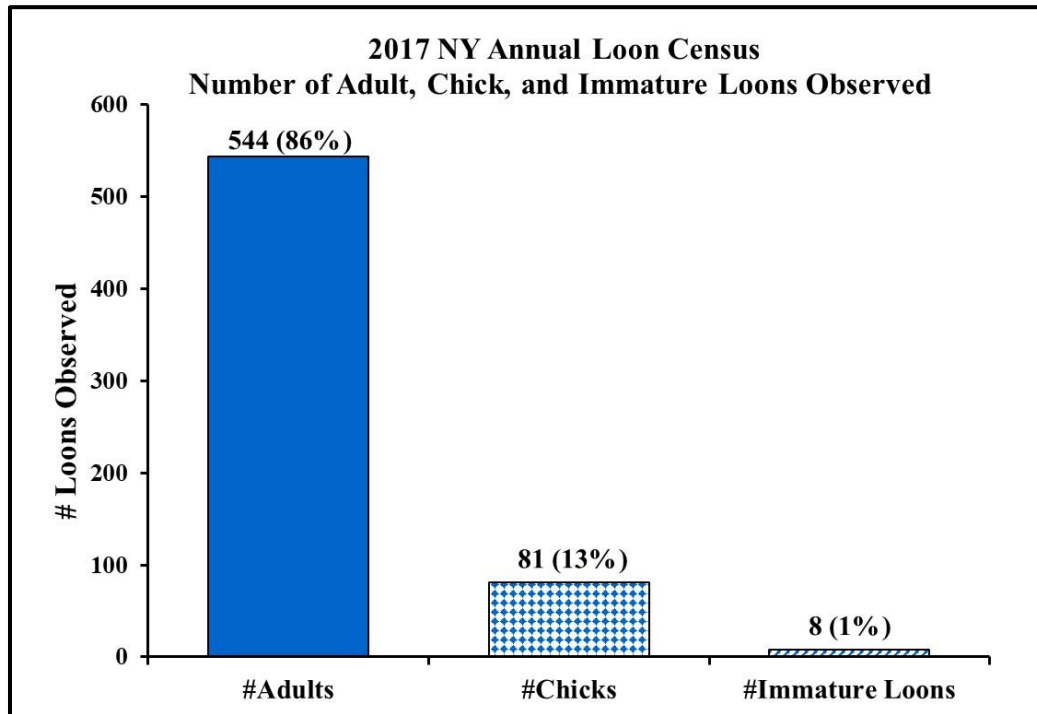




ADIRONDACK CENTER FOR LOON CONSERVATION

2017 NEW YORK LOON CENSUS RESULTS

On July 15, 2017, more than 450 observers participated in the 17th Annual New York Loon Census, observing a total of 633 loons on 155 (81%) of the 192 New York Loon Census lakes, including 544 (86%) adult, 81 (13%) chick, and 8 (1%) immature loons.



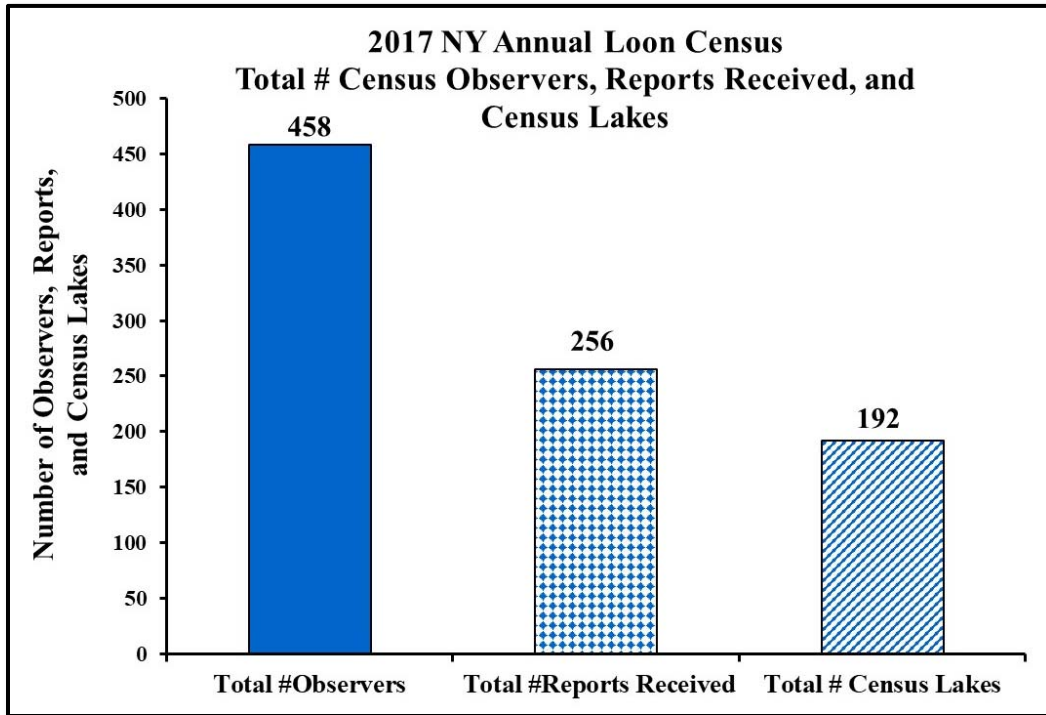
“This is the first year since we have been on Garnet Lake (30+ years) that we have had 2 successful nesting and hatchings! Each family has 1 surviving chick. We are able to count 4 visiting loons enjoying the lake today.”

~Garnet Lake

“They seemed very relaxed - hooting to the kids. Those are some big healthy looking chicks! Also there must have been a lot of fish - they just skimmed their bills in the water to come up with a fish. I don't think I've ever seen that before.”

~Jones Pond

Of the 256 Census reports received in 2017, 253 were included in the analysis, as three reports had observations that were conducted outside the Census hour or were duplicated efforts on a lake.



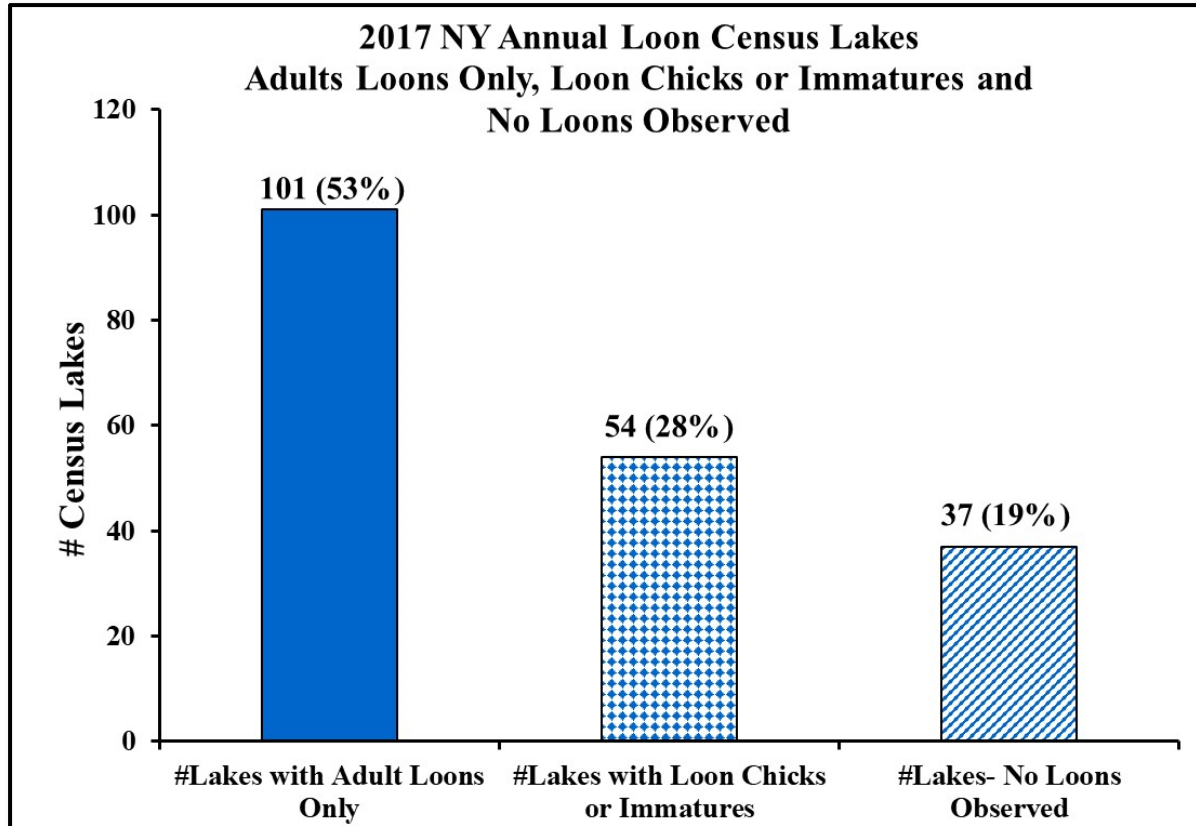
“Population in our area is increasing. Observed a group of 7 adults earlier in spring. As we were observing the second pair this morning, they both began the tremolo call. A minute later a bald eagle flew directly over with an eye on the loons.”

~St. Lawrence River

“Usual nest appears abandoned, possibly due to higher than normal water levels this spring.”

~Gull Pond

One hundred and one (53%) Census lakes were recorded as having adult loons only, while chicks or immature loons were observed on 54 (28%) of the 2017 Census lakes, and no loons were observed on 37 (19%) lakes on the day of the census.

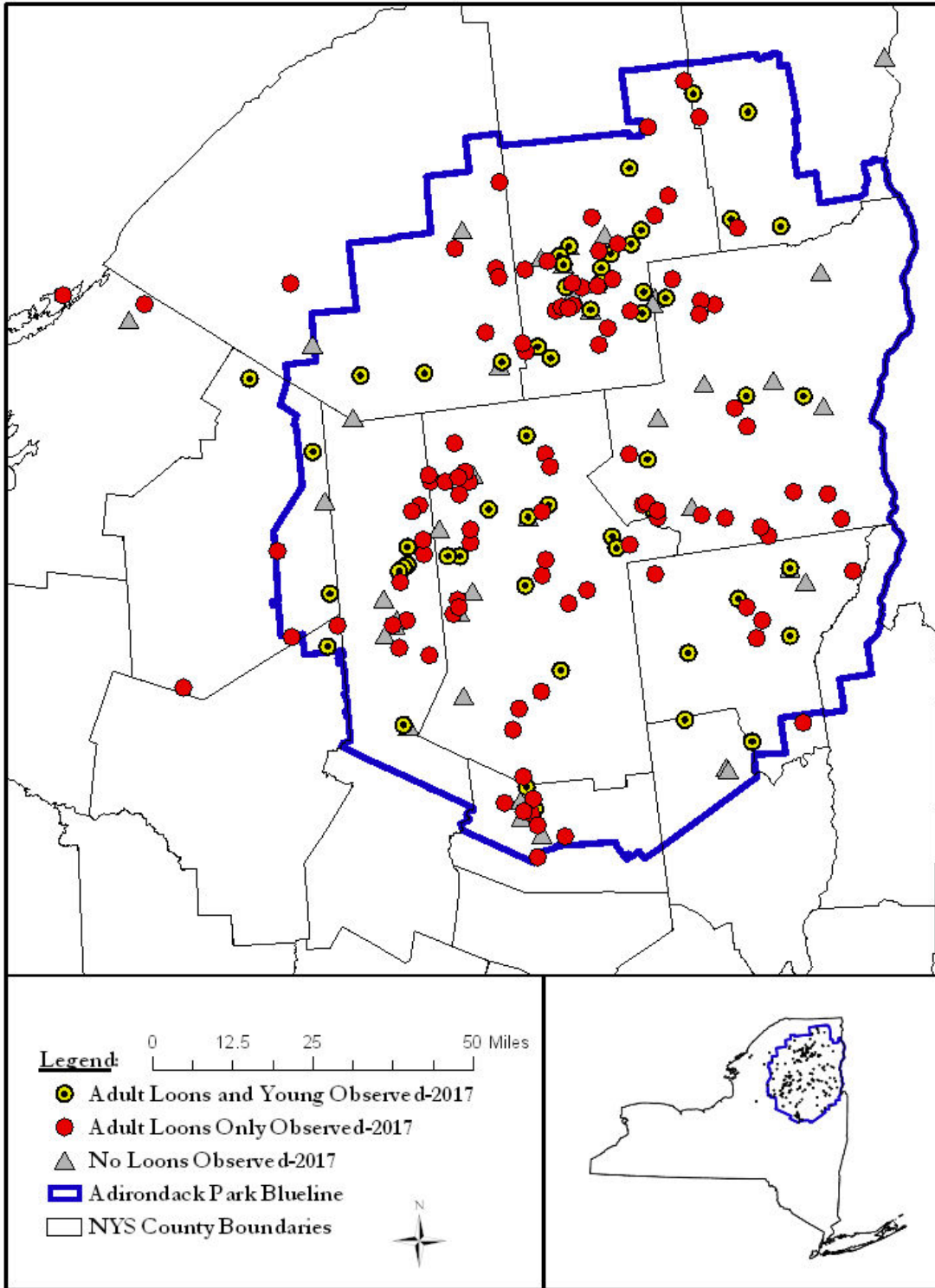


“In late May we observed 3 adults but since then only two remain and in mid-June we observed and watched 2 chicks grow. The loons allow us a fairly close approach, even with the chicks, by kayaks or non-motorized boats.”

~Lake Luzerne

2017 NEW YORK LOON CENSUS MAP

The 2017 NY Loon Census Map shows the locations and results for the lakes and ponds surveyed. One hundred eighty (94%) of the 192 Census lakes were in the Adirondack Park.



2017 NEW YORK LOON CENSUS RESULTS BY LAKE

Lake Name	County	Town	#Adult Loons Observed	#Loon Chicks Observed	#Imm Loons Observed	Total #Loons Observed
AMBER LAKE	St Lawrence	Hopkinton	1	0	0	1
ATWOOD LAKE	Herkimer	Ohio	0	0	0	0
AVALANCHE LAKE	Essex	Keene	0	0	0	0
BALFOUR LAKE	Essex	Minerva	0	0	0	0
BAY POND	Franklin	Santa Clara	3	0	1	4
BEAR POND	Franklin	Santa Clara and Harrietstown	2	1	0	3
BEAVER LAKE - Hamilton Cty	Hamilton	Morehouse	4	0	0	4
BEAVER LAKE - Lewis Cty	Lewis	Watson	0	0	0	0
BLACK POND	Franklin	Brighton	2	0	0	2
BLUE MOUNTAIN LAKE	Hamilton	Indian Lake	3	2	0	5
BONE POND	Franklin	Santa Clara	0	0	0	0
BRANDRETH LAKE	Hamilton	Long Lake	7	0	0	7
BRANT LAKE	Warren	Horicon	11	0	1	12
BUTLER LAKE	Herkimer	Ohio	2	2	0	4
CANACHAGALA LAKE	Herkimer	Webb and Ohio	8	0	0	8
CANADA LAKE	Fulton	Caroga	3	0	0	3
CAT POND	Franklin	Santa Clara	3	0	1	4
CEDAR RIVER FLOW	Hamilton	Lake Pleasant	2	0	0	2
CHAMBER LAKE	Herkimer	Webb	0	0	0	0
CHAPEL POND	Essex	Keene	0	0	0	0
CHASE LAKE	Lewis	Watson	1	0	0	1
CHATEAUGAY NARROWS	Franklin		2	2	0	4
CHAZY LAKE	Clinton	Dannemora	8	1	0	9
CLEAR POND	Essex	Chesterfield	0	0	0	0
CONNERY POND	Essex	North Elba	3	0	0	3
COPPER LAKE	Lewis	Greig	2	2	0	4
COPPERAS POND	Franklin	Santa Clara	1	0	0	1
CRANBERRY LAKE	St Lawrence	Clifton and Colton	15	4	0	19
CRANBERRY POND	Franklin	Waverly	2	0	0	2
DEBAR	Franklin	Duane	2	1	0	3
DEER POND	Franklin	Tupper Lake	4	0	0	4
DEER POND	Hamilton	Long Lake	2	1	0	3
EAGLE CRAG LAKE	St Lawrence	Piercefield	0	0	0	0
EAGLE LAKE	Essex	Ticonderoga & Crown Point	1	0	0	1
EAGLE LAKE	Hamilton	Indian Lake	2	0	0	2
EAST CAROGA LAKE	Fulton	Caroga	0	0	0	0
EAST POND	Hamilton	Long Lake	0	0	0	0
EAST POND	Herkimer	Webb	1	0	0	1
EIGHTH LAKE	Hamilton	Inlet	4	0	0	4
ELK LAKE	Essex	North Hudson	5	0	0	5
FERN LAKE	Clinton	Black Brook	3	2	0	5
FIRST LAKE - Bisby Chain	Herkimer	Webb	0	0	0	0
FIRST LAKE - Fulton Chain	Herkimer	Webb	2	2	0	4
Fish Creek Reservoir - East Branch = UNNAMED WATER	Lewis	Lewis	1	0	0	1
FOURTH LAKE - Fulton Chain	Herkimer and Hamilton	Webb and Inlet	12	0	0	12

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FOURTH LAKE--Bisby Chain	Herkimer	Webb	0	0	0	0
FRANK POND	Essex	Minerva	3	0	0	3
FRIENDS LAKE	Warren	Chester	4	0	0	4
GARNET LAKE	Warren	Johnsburg and Thurman	9	2	0	11
GLEN LAKE	Warren	Queensbury	2	0	0	2
GOOD LUCK LAKE	Hamilton	Arietta	1	0	0	1
GOOSE POND	Franklin	Santa Clara	2	0	1	3
GREAT SACANDAGA LAKE	Fulton and Saratoga	Mayfield, Northampton, and Broadalbin	0	0	0	0
GREEN LAKE	Fulton	Caroga	2	1	0	3
GULL POND	St Lawrence and Franklin	Piercefield and Tupper	1	0	0	1
HELLDIVER POND	Hamilton	Inlet	0	0	0	0
HINCKLEY RESERVOIR	Herkimer and Oneida	Russia and Remsen	0	0	0	0
HOEL POND	Franklin	Santa Clara	1	0	0	1
HONNEDAGA LAKE	Herkimer	Ohio	6	0	0	6
HUNT LAKE	Saratoga	Corinth	0	0	0	0
HUNTLEY POND	Essex	Minerva	1	0	0	1
INDIAN LAKE - Franklin Cty	Franklin	Bellmont	1	0	0	1
INDIAN LAKE - Ham Cty #1	Hamilton	Indian Lake	1	0	0	1
INDIAN LAKE - Ham Cty #2	Hamilton	Morehouse	2	0	0	2
ISLAND POND	Warren	Horicon	0	0	0	0
JENNY LAKE	Saratoga	Corinth	0	0	0	0
JOE INDIAN POND	St Lawrence	Parishville	0	0	0	0
JONES POND	Franklin	Brighton	2	2	0	4
JORDAN LAKE	St Lawrence	Hopkinton	2	0	0	2
KIWASSA LAKE	Franklin	Harriestown	2	2	0	4
LAKE ABANAKEE	Hamilton	Indian Lake	4	1	0	5
LAKE ADIRONDACK	Hamilton	Indian Lake	2	1	0	3
LAKE BONAPARTE	Lewis	Diana	4	2	0	6
Lake Champlain	Essex		0	0	0	0
LAKE CLEAR	Franklin	Harriestown	4	0	0	4
LAKE COLBY	Franklin	Harriestown	4	1	0	5
LAKE EATON	Hamilton	Long Lake	4	0	0	4
LAKE FLOWER	Franklin		0	0	0	0
LAKE GEORGE	Warren and Essex		13	0	0	13
LAKE KUSHAQUA	Franklin	Franklin	1	0	0	1
LAKE LILA	Hamilton	Long Lake	1	0	0	1
LAKE LUZERNE	Warren	Lake Luzerne	2	2	0	4
LAKE OF THE WOODS	Jefferson	Theresa	2	0	0	2
LAKE OZONIA	St Lawrence	Hopkinton	5	0	0	5
LAKE PLACID	Essex	North Elba	3	0	0	3
LAKE RONDAXE	Herkimer	Webb	2	1	0	3
LAKE SNOW	Hamilton	Indian Lake	2	0	0	2
LEWEY LAKE	Hamilton	Lake Pleasant	2	0	0	2

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LILY LAKE	Fulton	Caroga	0	0	0	0
LITTLE CLEAR POND	Franklin	Santa Clara	8	4	0	12
LITTLE GREEN POND	Franklin	Santa Clara	1	0	0	1
LITTLE MOOSE LAKE	Herkimer	Webb	4	0	0	4
LITTLE MOOSE LAKE	Hamilton	Arietta	2	2	0	4
LIVINGSTON LAKE	Saratoga	Day	5	1	0	6
LONG LAKE	Hamilton	Long Lake	17	0	0	17
LONG POND	Lewis	Croghan	2	2	0	4
LONG POND - Franklin Cty	Franklin	Santa Clara	10	2	0	12
LOON LAKE #1	Franklin	Franklin	8	0	0	8
LOST POND	Essex	Ticonderoga	2	0	0	2
LOWER AUSABLE LAKE	Essex	Keene	1	1	0	2
LOWER BROWNS TRACT POND	Hamilton	Inlet	1	0	0	1
LOWER CHATEAUGAY LAKE	Franklin	Bellmont	2	0	0	2
LOWER SAINT REGIS LAKE	Franklin	Brighton	9	1	0	10
LOWER SARANAC LAKE	Franklin	Harriestown	1	0	0	1
MASSAWEPIE LAKE	St Lawrence	Piercefield	1	0	0	1
MCDONALD POND	Franklin	Waverly	2	0	0	2
MCKENZIE POND	Essex	North Elba	2	2	0	4
MIDDLE POND	Franklin	Santa Clara	0	0	0	0
MIDDLE SARANAC LAKE	Franklin	Harriestown and Santa Clara	9	0	0	9
MINK POND	Essex	Minerva	3	2	0	5
MIRROR LAKE	Essex	North Elba	8	0	0	8
MOODY POND	Essex	North Elba	0	0	0	0
MOOSE POND	Essex	St. Armand	2	0	0	2
MOSS LAKE	Herkimer	Webb	5	0	0	5
MOUNTAIN POND	Franklin	Brighton	0	0	0	0
MT ARAB LAKE	St Lawrence	Piercefield	2	1	0	3
MUSKRAT POND	Hamilton	Morehouse	0	0	0	0
NEW POND	Essex	North Hudson	2	1	0	3
NEWPORT POND	Essex	Moriah	0	0	0	0
NINE CORNER LAKE	Fulton	Caroga	0	0	0	0
NORTH LAKE	Herkimer	Ohio	3	0	0	3
NORTH POND	Hamilton	Long Lake	1	0	0	1
OLIVER POND	Essex	Schroon	2	0	0	2
OSGOOD POND	Franklin	Brighton	7	0	0	7
OTTER LAKE	Oneida	Forestport	1	0	0	1
OXBOW LAKE	Hamilton	Arietta	1	0	0	1
PACK FOREST LAKE	Warren	Warrensburg	1	0	0	1
PALMER POND	Warren	Chester	2	1	0	3
PARADOX LAKE	Essex	Schroon	5	0	0	5
PECK LAKE	Fulton	Bleecker & Johnstown	6	0	0	6
PIERCEFIELD FLOW	St Lawrence and Franklin	Piercefield and Tupper Lake	1	0	0	1
PINE LAKE	Fulton	Caroga	1	0	0	1
PISECO LAKE -Big Bay	Hamilton	Arietta	2	0	0	2
PLEASANT LAKE	Fulton	Stratford	3	0	0	3

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PORTAFERRY LAKE	St Lawrence	Pitcairn	0	0	0	0
QUEER LAKE	Hamilton	Long Lake	0	0	0	0
RAINBOW LAKE	Franklin	Franklin	6	2	0	8
RAQUETTE LAKE	Hamilton	Arietta	20	2	0	22
RAQUETTE POND	Franklin	Tupper Lake	4	1	0	5
RICE LAKE	Franklin	Brighton	2	0	0	2
RICH LAKE	Essex	Newcomb	2	0	0	2
ROCK POND	Herkimer	Webb	0	0	0	0
ROCKWOOD LAKE	Fulton	Johnstown	1	0	0	1
ROLLINS POND	Franklin	Santa Clara and Tupper Lake	5	0	0	5
ROSE POND	Hamilton	Long Lake	2	0	0	2
SACANDAGA LAKE	Hamilton	Lake Pleasant	6	2	0	8
SAND LAKE	Hamilton	Arietta	1	0	0	1
SCHROON LAKE	Essex and Warren	Schroon and Chester	1	0	0	1
SECOND LAKE	Herkimer	Webb	2	2	0	4
SECOND LAKE - Bisby Chain	Herkimer	Webb	1	0	0	1
SEVENTH LAKE FULTON CHAIN	Hamilton	Inlet	2	1	0	3
SHINGLE SHANTY POND	Hamilton	Long Lake	3	0	0	3
SILVER LAKE	Clinton	Black Brook	5	1	0	6
SIMON POND	Franklin	Tupper Lake	6	1	0	7
SIXBERRY LAKE	Jefferson	Theresa	0	0	0	0
SIXTH LAKE	Hamilton	Inlet	2	1	0	3
SLANG POND	Franklin	Santa Clara	2	0	0	2
SOUTH POND	Hamilton	Long Lake	2	0	0	2
SPLIT ROCK POND	Essex	Minerva	2	0	0	2
SQUAW LAKE	Hamilton	Morehouse	4	0	0	4
ST. GERMAIN POND	Franklin	Harriestown	0	0	0	0
ST. LAWRENCE RIVER	St.Lawrence		11	0	0	11
STAR LAKE	St Lawrence	Fine	4	1	0	5
STARK FALLS RESERVOIR	St Lawrence	Colton	4	0	0	4
STONY CREEK PONDS	Franklin	Harriestown	1	0	0	1
STONY POND	Essex	Minerva	4	0	0	4
TAYLOR POND	Clinton	Black Brook	2	0	0	2
THAYER LAKE	Hamilton		1	0	0	1
THIRD LAKE-- Fulton Chain	Herkimer	Webb	2	2	0	4
THIRTEENTH LAKE	Warren	Johnsburg	6	0	0	6
THUMB POND	Essex	Minerva	2	0	0	2
THURMAN POND	Essex	Schroon	1	0	0	1
TRIPP LAKE	Warren	Warrensburg	1	0	0	1
TROUT LAKE	Warren	Bolton	2	2	0	4
TROUT LAKE	St Lawrence	HERMON	2	0	0	2
TURTLE POND	Franklin	Santa Clara	0	0	0	0
TWITCHELL LAKE	Herkimer	Webb	1	0	0	1
UNNAMED WATER="Smith's Pond"	Oneida	Lyonsdale	2	0	0	2

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UPPER AUSABLE LAKE	Essex	Keene and North Hudson	6	0	0	6
UPPER CHATEAUGAY LAKE	Clinton	Dannemora	4	0	0	4
UPPER SARANAC LAKE	Franklin	Brighton	24	3	1	28
UTOWANA LAKE	Hamilton	Indian Lake	1	0	3	4
WAKELY POND	Hamilton	Lake Pleasant	2	0	0	2
WEST CAROGA LAKE	Fulton	Caroga	2	0	0	2
WEST LAKE	Fulton	Caroga	2	0	0	2
WEST POND	Hamilton	Long Lake	1	0	0	1
WEST STONER LAKE	Fulton	Caroga	2	2	0	4
WHEY POND	Franklin	Santa Clara	3	0	0	3
WHITE LAKE	Oneida	Forestport	2	1	0	3
WHITNEY POND	Franklin	Waverly	0	0	0	0
WILMURT LAKE	Hamilton	Morehouse	0	0	0	0
WOODRUFF LAKE	Essex	Newcomb	2	2	0	4
Totals:			544	81	8	633