

CHAPTER 6266
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
BOUNDARY WATERS FISHING REGULATIONS

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6266.0500 TAKING OF FISH ON MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN BOUNDARY WATERS.

[For text of subs 1 and 2, see M R]

Subp 3 **Species, seasons, and limits on Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters.** The following applies to the species, seasons, and limits for taking fish on Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters

Species and Open Season	Daily and Possession Limits
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[For text of items A to M, see M.R]

N	Muskellunge Minimum size limit – 40 inches Saturday nearest Memorial Day through March 1	1	
O	White (striped) and yellow bass Continuous.	25	
P	All other species		Governed by inland regulations of state in which taken.

[For text of subs 4 to 10, see M.R.]

Statutory Authority: *MS s 97A 045, 97C.395; 97C.401*

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6266.0600 MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN BOUNDARY WATERS COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS.

[For text of subs 1 and 2, see M.R.]

Subp. 3 **Commercial fishing restrictions.** The following restrictions apply to commercial fishing on Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters.

[For text of items A to F, see M.R]

G. Commercial operators licensed to fish Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters must submit monthly reports on forms provided by the commissioner, regardless of whether fish are taken or whether any fishing operations have taken place. Reports must be sent to the address identified on the form so that they are received by the tenth day of the month following the month that the activity took place

[For text of subs 4 to 9, see M R.]

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6266.0700 TAKING OF FISH ON MINNESOTA-CANADA BOUNDARY WATERS.

[For text of subpart 1, see M R]

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BOUNDARY WATERS FISHING REGULATIONS 6266.0700

Subp 2 **Species, seasons, and limits on Minnesota–Canada boundary waters.** Except as provided in part 6264 0300, subpart 56, the following applies to the species, seasons, and limits for taking fish on Minnesota–Canada boundary waters.

Species	Open Season	Daily and Possession Limits
A. Walleye and sauger	Saturday two weeks prior to the Saturday of Memorial Day weekend through April 14	6 in the aggregate, except (i) Lake of the Woods, 14 in the aggregate, of which not more than 6 may be walleye, (ii) Rainy Lake, 12 in the aggregate, of which not more than 6 may be walleye and not more than 1 over 19 5 inches, (iii) Rainy River, 6 in the aggregate, with not more than 1 walleye over 19 5 inches except from March 1 through April 14 2 in the aggregate and no walleye over 19 5 mches may be taken, and (iv) Saganaga Lake including Sea Gull River and Gull Lake, where the limit is 6 walleye with only 1 walleye over 19 5 inches

[For text of items B to I, see M.R.]

[For text of subps 3 to 5, see M.R.]

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