2022 FRESHWATER TROPHY FISH AWARDS

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CT DEEP TROPHY FISH AWARDS

<u>Trophy fish awards</u> are acknowledged in two categories for each species that meets or exceeds the minimum size criteria listed on our <u>web page</u>.

A state record fish is the single largest individual of a species that has been submitted and verified by CT DEEP.

Harvest = the largest fish by weight. New state records must be weighed on a certified scale.

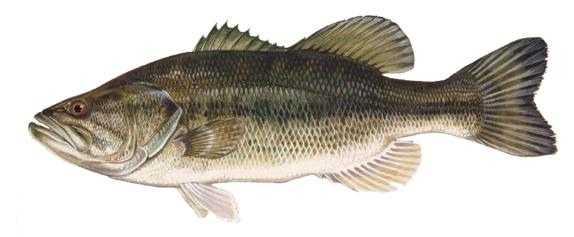
Catch and Release = the largest fish by length. New state records verified by photo next to a ruler.

Submit your trophy fish using the <u>online portal</u>.

Questions about the freshwater catches can be directed to mike.beauchene@ct.gov

HARVEST CATEGORY / 2022

THE LARGEST FISH BY WEIGHT

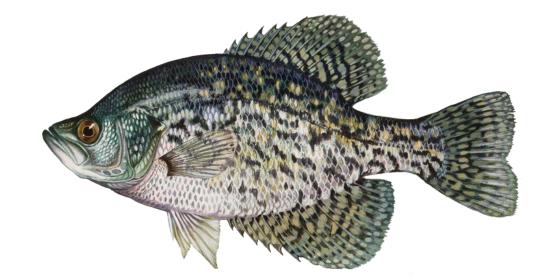


YOUTH (under age 16)

Fish	Weight (pounds)	Waterbody	Angler
Channel Catfish	18.50	Fall Mountain Lake	Peyton Bip
Largemouth Bass	4.13	Meadowview Pond	Noah Savin
Rainbow Trout	4.60	Farmington River	Colton Johnson
Yellow Perch	1.10	Mill Pond	John Altoe

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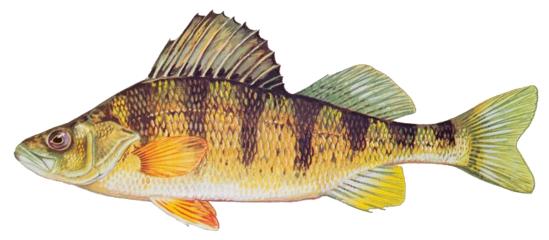
Female

Fish	Weight (pounds)	Waterbody	Angler
Brown Trout	8.20	West Hill Pond	Sarah Behrens
Brook Trout	2.20	Mohawk Pond	Marianne Hade
Walleye	5.30	Saugatuck River	Shkurta DeMattia

HARVEST CATEGORY / 2022

THE LARGEST FISH BY WEIGHT

Male



Weight (pounds)	Waterbody	Angler
9.70	Connecticut River	Fejzo Akaratovic
2.75	Broad Brook	Michael Scully
12.61	West Hill Pond	Chuck Collinge
2.13	Columbia Lake	Thomas Boitsvert
19.30	Shenipset Lake	Jeff Reese
6.28	Fisher Meadows	Blake Arel
18.00	Jacob Gibson	Jacob Gibson
7.99	Salmon River	Giuseppe Sanseverino
2.40	Housatonic River	Bing Shen
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CATCH AND RELEASE CATEGORY / 2022

THE LARGEST FISH BY LENGTH



YOUTH (under age 16)

Fish	Length (Inches)	Waterbody	Angler
Bowfin	28.25*	Pecausett Pond	Adam Chrzanowski
Brook Trout	17.00	Milford Duck Pond	Colton Johnson
Brown Bullhead	16.00	Moosup Pond	Gianna Moore
Brown Trout	22.00	Farmington River	Kenny Lynch
Calico Bass (Black Crappie)	15.25	Pecausett Pond	Adam Chrzanowski
Channel Catfish	31.00	Shetucket River	Danis Michaud
Common Carp	36.00	Stanley Quarter Pond	Adrian Swietek
Northern Pike	44.00	Mansfield Hollow Reservoir	Jacob Davis
Rainbow Trout	25.00	Farmington River	Anthony Schinkel
Rock Bass	11.00	Crystal Lake	Lyla Archambault
White Catfish	22.00	Shetucket River	Luke Michaud
White Sucker	21.00*	Wepawaug River	Colton Johnson

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* New State Record

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CATCH AND RELEASE CATEGORY / 2022 THE LARGEST FISH BY LENGTH



Female

Fish	Length (Inches)	Waterbody	Angler
Channel Catfish	25.00	Silver Lake	Yrma Cordova
Largemouth Bass	22.50	Collins Pond	Anna Gilbert

CATCH AND RELEASE CATEGORY / 2022

THE LARGEST FISH BY LENGTH

Male

Fish	Length (Inches)	Waterbody	Angler
Bowfin	27.75	Connecticut River	Benjamin Florian
Brook Trout	18.50	Wepawaug River	Peter Johnson
Brown Trout	28.50	Long Pond	Calvin Neff
Calico Bass (Black Crappie)	17.00	Black Hall Pond	Edwin McDonough
Channel Catfish	28.00	Connecticut River	David Potter
Common Carp	39.00	Connecticut River	Norman Finke Jr.
Largemouth Bass	24.00	Lake Quassapaug	Travis Lawlor
Northern Pike	42.00	Lake Zoar	Alexander Daignault
Pumpkinseed	9.00	Wepawaug River	Shawn LaLond
Rainbow Trout	26.00	Mohegan Park Pond	Alex Erdmann
Redbreast Sunfish	10.75	Andover Lake	Brandon Powers
Smallmouth Bass	24.00	Connecticut River	Jonathan Dingle
Walleye	30.00*	Lake Zoar	Alexander Daignault
White Perch	15.20*	Candlewood Lake	Jerry Feng
White Sucker	20.50	Wepawaug River	Peter Johnson
Yellow Perch	13.50	Hamilton Reservoir	Justin Atkins
Yellow Perch	13.50	Wyassup Lake	Jacob Gibson

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