

West Branch Sturgeon River Shingle Mill Bridge



Fish Species

Brook Trout; Brown Trout; Rainbow Trout

Species Description

Brown trout, brook trout, and rainbow trout are all found in the river at this location. Brook and rainbow trout are present up to 9 inches, while brown trout are up to 11 inches.

Geographic Coordinates

Lat:45.22822 / Long:-84.69129

Noteworthy

Most of the route north of Thumb Lake Road is comprised of dirt roads, with some sandy areas. Although the road is narrow, there is a clearing near the bridge big enough to park a couple vehicles.

Fishing Regulations

This site on the Sturgeon River at Shingle Mill Bridge is designated a Type 1 trout stream. Please refer to the Inland Trout and Salmon Stream Regulations in the current Michigan Fishing Guide. The Sturgeon River is not stocked with trout, and is dependent upon natural reproduction.

Directions to Site

Take Mason Pit Road north from Thumb Lake Road. When road splits with Perry Road, take Perry Road to the northeast. Follow to Wilderness Road, take a left to the River.

Regional Visitor Information (URL)

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