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		A Green Bay	B Lake Michigan	C Lake Superior
Species	Species			
(a) La	ke trout	No open season	No open season	December 1 to September 30, subject to ss. NR 25.06(1)(a) and 25.07(1)(a)
(b) Sis	scowet	No open season	No open season	At all times in wa ters greater than 55 fathoms in depth
(c) W	hitefish	December 1 to Oc- tober 25	December 1 to Oc- tober 25	December 1 to September 30.
(d) Cł	ubs	No open season	April 1 to Decem- ber 31, subject to ss. NR 25.06(2)(a), 25.07(2)(a) and 25.09	At all times
(e) Ye	ellow perch	July 1 to April 9 except	June 11 to April 9	No open season
		1. Commencing May 20, 1984, gill nets may be used from May 20 to April 9;		
		2. From January 1 to April 9 only commercial ice fishing is legal;		
		3. All to be subject to ss. NR 25.06(2)(b) and 25.07(2)(b)		
(f) No	orthern pike	May 20 to March 9	No open season	No open season
bo sh	ewives, bullheads, bur- t, carp, catfish, gizzard ad, suckers, me- minees, smelt, white ss	At all times	At all times	At all times
(h) La	ake herring	No open season	No open season	At all times
(i) W	alleye, sauger	No open season	No open season	No open season
(j) Ot	thers	No open season	No open season	No open season

(2) SIZE LIMITS. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this chapter, no fish of a length or size less than that specified for each variety of any of the following varieties may be possessed or under control. The measurement of the length of a fish within the meaning of this chapter shall be taken in a straight line in a natural position without manipulation from the tip of the snout to the end of the fully extended tail fin. The measurement of length shall apply without allowance made for the shrinkage of the fish. NR 25

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Species	A Green Bay	B Lake Michigan	C Lake Superior
(a) Lake trout (b) Siscowet			17 inches No size limit
(c) Whitefish	17 inches	17 inches	17 inches
(d) Yellow perch	8 inches in north- ern Green Bay, 7½ inches in southern Green Bay	8 inches	11 menes
(e) Walleye	18 inches		
(f) Northern pike	20 inches	20 inches	
(g) Catfish	16 inches	16 inches	AT 1 1 1
(h) Others	No size limit	No size limit	No size limit

(3) POSSESSION LIMITS. Except as otherwise provided, no person may possess species of fish for which there is no open season. The possession limit for species of fish for which an open season is provided and a quota has been established shall be the individual quota established by commercial fishing boards for the person possessing such fish.

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NR 25.06 Quotas and catch fees. (1) LAKE SUPERIOR. (a) Lake trout. The total allowable annual harvest of lake trout by commercial methods during the open season in Wisconsin waters of Lake Superior shall be determined by the natural resources board based upon recommendations from the department, the U.S. fish and wildlife service and the Great Lakes fishery commission.

1. The total allowable commercial harvest for any license year may not exceed 180,000 pounds of lake trout.

2. That quantity of lake trout to be harvested by non-Indian licensed commercial fishers from the waters of Lake Superior may not exceed 80,000 pounds annually.

3. Eligible members of the Red Cliff and Bad River bands of Lake Superior Chippewas as determined by the respective tribal councils may harvest under permits issued by their respective tribal councils 100,000 pounds of lake trout from Wisconsin waters of Lake Superior annually. Copies of the permits will be provided to the department at the time of issue.

4. All lake trout and siscowet shall be tagged in accordance with sub. (3).

(b) Harvest of fish from Lake Superior for home use by Lake Superior *Chippewas.* Members of the Bad River and Red Cliff bands of Lake Superior Chippewas may harvest species of fish for which there is an open season during said season, under home use permits issued by their respective tribal councils.

1. Home use permits will be issued to the heads of households only, and only one permit will be issued to an individual.

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