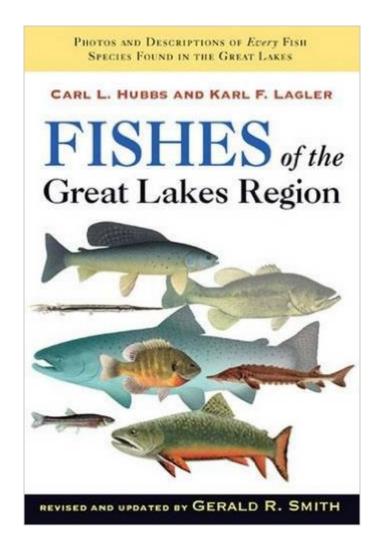
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Fishes Of The Great Lakes Region, Revised Edition





Synopsis

For everyday anglers, armchair enthusiasts, and serious students, Hubbs and Lagler's text remains the definitive work in the identification and study of the fishes of this important freshwater region.Organized by fish family, with sections on waters of the Great Lakes region, zoogeography, field study and collection, preservation of fishes for study, fish identification, anatomy, terminology, and more, Fishes of the Great Lakes Region is comprehensive in its scope and breadth of information-truly the classic book on Great Lakes fishes. The book also documents a half century of changes in fish population in the region that have resulted from pollution, development, and the introduction of nonnative species. This edition will thus inspire future generations of anglers and students to take a fresh look at one of our most important fauna.

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Customer Reviews

This book is a must for anyone interested in fishes that live in the Great Lakes or the inland waters of the Great Lakes Region. It makes identification easy, and includes every possible species you might find, not just the more common fishes.

This has for years been one of the great regional fish books of the United States. This revised edition with the addition of distribution maps, more illustrations showing important ID features, the photos placed within the pages of text and many more quality color illustrations have made this book much more user friendly. The rewritten text gives much more information than the original book contained. This book will be of great use to fisherman, those with a interest in the wildlife of this region and serious student of fishes. If you live in the Great Lakes area and are interested in fishes this book is a necessity.

Smart presentation for the difficult task of fish ID. Key features: range maps, arrows pointing to species diagnostics, appropriate mix of photos & color plates, water repellent pages, nice intro sections to orient amateurs (like me) with fish anatomy and life histories. I highly recommended this book to Great Lakes scuba divers and other naturalists.

Extensively covers fish species in the region specified. Has nice range maps, and photos taken of actual specimens. The book is weak or lacking in the life history of each specific fish, but gives coverage of the different groupings. A good book for fisheries biologists. Serves as a good field guide due to is size.

I really wanted a color book with large pictures to identify generic types of fish I caught - being from CT I know more about LI Sound fish than lake fish (I can barely tell a blue gill from a sturgeon :)This book is much more than I needed and does not really fit the bill for me. I felt like a 4yr old with a copy of War and Peace... Just in over my head! My bad. I should have known from the description but am posting here to help others who may make the same mistake.But for what this book actually is seems extremely comprehensive. I will likely replace this with a "Freshwater fish for dummies" type book and when I'm a bit more knowledgeable in a few seasons I'll likely return to this one and better appreciate it then.

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