



OHIO'S ALL-TACKLE STATE RECORD FISH *as of August 25, 2009*

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Hook & Line Division

Bass, Hybrid Striped- 17.68 pounds. 31" Deer Creek Lake. Rosemary Shaver, Logan, on May 4, 2001
Bass, Largemouth- 13.13 pounds. 25 1/16" Farm Pond. Roy Landsberger, Kensington, on May 26, 1976
Bass, Rock- 1.97 pounds. 14 3/4" Deer Creek near London. George A Keller, Dayton, on Sept 3, 1932
Bass, Smallmouth- 9.5 pounds. 23 1/2" Lake Erie. Randy Van Dam, Kalamazoo, Mich., on June 16, 1993
Bass, Spotted- 5.25 pounds. 21" Lake White. Roger Trainer, Waverly, on May 2, 1976
Bass, Striped- 37.10 pounds. 41 1/4" West Branch Reservoir. Mark Chuifo, Ravenna, on July 2, 1993
Bass, White- 4 pounds. 21" Gravel pit. Ira Sizemore, Cincinnati, on July 1, 1983
Bluegill- 3.28 pounds. 12 3/4" Salt Fork Reservoir. Willis D. Nicholes, Quaker City, on April 28, 1990
Bowfin- 11.69 pounds. 33 1/4" Nettle Lake. Christopher A. Boling, Montpelier, on May 9, 1987
Bullhead- 4.25 pounds. 18 1/2" Farm Pond. Hugh Lawrence Jr., Keene, on May 20, 1986
Burbot- 17.33 pounds. 36" Lake Erie. Bud Clute, Chardon, on Dec.20, 1999
Carp- 50 pounds. 40" Paint Creek. Judson Holton, Chillicothe, on May 24, 1967
Catfish, Blue- 96 pounds. 54-1/2" Ohio River. Chris Rolph, Williamsburg, on June 11, 2009
Catfish, Channel- 37.65 pounds. 41 1/2" LaDue Reservoir. Gus J Gronowski, Parma, on Aug. 15, 1992
Catfish Shovel/Flathead- 76.5 pounds. 58 5/8" Clendening Lake. Richard Affolter, New Philadelphia, July 28, 1979
Crappie, Black- 4.5 pounds. 18 1/8" Private Lake. Ronald Stone, Wooster, on May 24, 1981
Crappie, White- 3.90 pounds. 18 1/2" Private Pond. Kyle Rock, Zanesville, on April 25, 1995
Drum, Freshwater (Sheepshead)- 23.5 pounds. 37 1/8" Sandusky River. James S. Williams, Fremont, on July 21, 2001
Gar, Longnose- 25 pounds. 49" Ohio River. Flora Irvin, Cincinnati, on Aug 31, 1966
Muskellunge- 55.13 pounds. 50 1/4" Piedmont Lake. Joe D. Lykins, Piedmont, on April 12, 1972
Muskellunge, Tiger- 31.64 pounds. 47" Turkeyfoot Lake. Matt Amedeo, Akron, on April 29, 2006
Perch, White- 1.42 pounds. 14 1/16" Green Creek. John Nause, Fremont, on May 3, 1988
Perch, Yellow- 2.75 pounds. 14 1/2" Lake Erie. Charles Thomas, Lorain, on April 17, 1984
Pickerel, Chain- 6.25 pounds. 26 1/4" Long Lake. Ronald P. Kotch, Akron, on March 25, 1961
Pike, Northern- 22.38 pounds. 43" Lyre Lake. Chris Campbell, Dayton, on Oct. 3, 1988
Salmon, Chinook- 29.5 pounds. 42 7/8" Lake Erie. Walter Shumaker, Ashtabula, on Aug 4, 1989
Salmon, Coho- 13.63 pounds. 34 3/4" Huron River. Barney Freeman, Kansas, on Dec.1, 1982
Salmon, Pink- 3.06 pounds. 20 1/8" Conneaut Creek. Andy Janoski, Chagrin Falls, on Sept. 24, 2004
Sauger- 7.31 pounds. 24 1/2" Maumee River. Bryan Wicks, Maumee, on March 10, 1981
Saugeye- 14.04 pounds. 30 1/8" Antrim Lake. Roger Sizemore, Orient, on November 24, 2004
Sucker, Buffalo- 46.01 pounds. 42" Hoover Reservoir. Tim Veit, Galena, on July 2, 1999
Sucker, (other than buffalo)- 9.25 pounds. 27 1/2" Leesville Lake. Wayne Gleason, Wellsville, on April 3, 1977
Sunfish, Green- .99 pounds. 10 5/8" Farm Pond. Timothy C. Hively, Bethel, on May 8, 2005
Sunfish, Hybrid- 2.03 pounds. 12 1/4" Champaign County farm pond. Ray Durham, Mechanicsburg, on July 21, 2003
Sunfish, Longear- .2 pounds. 6 1/2" Big Darby Creek . Brian Zimmerman, Hartsville, on June 6, 2004
*Sunfish, Pumpkinseed- 1.10 pounds. 10 1/2" Portage County farm pond. Scott Boykin, Uniontown, on June 12, 2009
Sunfish, Redear- 3.58 pounds. 15" Licking County farm pond. Bert Redman, Newark, on Oct 2, 1998
*Sunfish, Warmouth- 1.32 pounds. 10 3/4" Mahoning County farm pond. Douglas Koenig, Salem, on July 19, 2009
Trout, Brown- 14.65 pounds. 29 1/4" Lake Erie. Timothy L. Byrne, Brooklyn, Mich., on July 15, 1995
Trout, Lake- 20.49 pounds. 34" Lake Erie. Tom Harbison, Natrona PA, on April 20, 2000
Trout, Rainbow (Steelhead)- 20.97 pounds. 36 1/2" Lake Erie. Mike Shane, New Middletown, on Oct. 2, 1996
Walleye- 16.19 pounds. 33" Lake Erie. Tom Haberman, Brunswick, on November 23, 1999

Bowfishing Division

Bowfin- 8.79 pounds. 31" East Harbor. John Ehrman, Brook Park, on April 30, 1989
Carp- 47.65 pounds. 38" Sandusky Bay. Rich Cady, Newark, on May 28, 2008
Gar, Longnose- 14.72 pounds. 50 1/2" Little Miami River. Jake Kerstetter, Springboro, on July 11, 2008
Sucker, Buffalo- 37 pounds. 40 1/4" Hoover Reservoir. Don Paisley, Columbus, on May 14, 1983
Sucker, (other than buffalo)- 11.21 pounds. 31-1/2" Maumee River. Brent McGlone, Toledo, on May 18, 2007

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