



Fishing Chart

More than 130,000 miles of streams cross lands administered by the Bureau of Land Management in Alaska. The adjacent matrix is a partial list of some of the better or more accessible fishing waters.

Key to fish species:

AC	arctic char	K	salmon, Chinook
AG	arctic grayling	S	salmon, sockeye
Bu	burbot	CO	salmon, coho
DV	Dolly Varden	P	salmon, pink
LT	lake trout	CH	salmon, chum
NP	northern pike	SF	sheefish
RT	rainbow trout		



WATER	BLM OFFICE	LOCATION	AC	AG	Bu	DV	LT	NP	RT	K	S	CO	P	CH	SF	NOTES
Dalton Highway (listed south to north)																
Yukon River	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 56		Y	Y			Y		Y		Y		Y	Y	turbidity limits fishing in main stream; try tributaries and slough; can boat from Yukon River bridge to mouth
Ray River	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 70		Y	Y			Y							Y	
Kanutu River	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 106		Y				Y								occasional burbot and white fish; access on SE side of bridge
Fish Creek	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 114		Y												also has whitefish
Bonanza Creek, South Fork	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 124.7		Y												access on southeast side of bridge; some burbot, pike & whitefish
Bonanza Creek, North Fork	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 125.7		Y												occasional burbot, pike & whitefish
Prospect Creek	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 135		Y												whitefish, occasional pike; undeveloped campsite at Mile 135.7
Jim River	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 135.7-144		Y												whitefish, occasional pike; undeveloped campsite at Mile 135.7 & 144
Grayling Lake	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 150.8		Y												
Koyukuk River, South Fork	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 156		Y												also has whitefish
Marion Creek	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 180		Y												BLM campground at Mile 180
Minnie Creek	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 187		Y												
Koyukuk River, Middle Fork	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 188.6		Y												launch rafts or canoes near Wiseman; water often silty
Tea Lake	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 270		Y	Y		Y									access west side near Pump Station 4
Galbraith Lake	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 274.7		Y	Y		Y									also has whitefish
Toolik Lake	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 284.3	Y	Y			Y									also has whitefish; no camping
Kuparuk River	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 289		Y												no camping
Oksrukuyik Creek	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 298		Y	Y											
Sagavanirktok River to Prudhoe Bay	Fairbanks	Dalton Highway MP 309		Y	Y											Dolly Varden fishing best in late summer

Fish advisory: north of the Yukon River, all rivers are closed to salmon fishing within 5 miles of the Dalton Highway (except for Ray River). Anglers may see king and chum salmon in the Koyukuk and Jim rivers and Prospect Creek. North of Atigun Pass, only catch-and-release fishing is allowed for lake trout within 5 miles of the Dalton Highway.

Travel advisory: be sure to park well off the Dalton Highway, but don't block gates to pipeline. This is an industrial highway with high speed truck traffic; windshield damage from flying gravel is common.

Other northern and northwestern locations

Anvik River	Anchorage	Anvik			Y	Y		Y		Y		Y		Y		air or boat access only
Boston Creek	Anchorage	tributary of the Fish River		Y		Y				Y		Y	Y	Y		air or boat access only
Etivlik Lake	Fairbanks	150 miles northwest of Bettles		Y			Y									air access only
Fish River	Anchorage	tributary of Golovin Bay		Y		Y		Y				Y	Y	Y		air or boat access only
Grand Central River	Anchorage	Kougarok Road MP 35		Y		Y										access via Kougarok River or air
Kuzitrin River	Anchorage	Kougarok Road MP 75		Y								Y	Y	Y		limited fishing for silvers and pinks
Nigu River	Fairbanks	150 miles northwest of Bettles		Y		Y		Y								air access only
Nome River	Anchorage	Kougarok Road MP 4		Y		Y				Y		Y	Y	Y		road parallels river for 20 miles
Pah River	Fairbanks	tributary of the Kobuk River, east of Kotzebue		Y	Y			Y						Y	Y	air access from Bettles, Fairbanks, Kotzebue
Pilgrim River	Anchorage	Kougarok Road MP 45-65		Y		Y		Y				Y	Y	Y		road parallels river for 20 miles
Salmon Lake	Anchorage	Nome-Taylor Highway MP 40		Y		Y										BLM campground; access to Pilgrim River
Solomon River	Anchorage	Nome-Council Road MP 40		Y		Y					Y	Y		Y		
**Unalakleet River	Anchorage	Unalakleet		Y		Y				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		

Denali Highway (listed east to west)

Ten Mile Lake	Glennallen	Denali Highway MP 10		Y	Y		Y					Y				
Big Swede Lake	Glennallen	Denali Highway MP 16		Y	Y		Y					Y				access via 3-mile primitive road
Little Swede Lake	Glennallen	Denali Highway MP 16					Y									access via 3-mile primitive road
**Delta River	Glennallen	Denali Highway MP 21		Y												enter via Tangle Lakes, exit Richardson Highway
Tangle Lakes	Glennallen	Denali Highway MP 23		Y	Y		Y									BLM Campground and wayside
*Landmark Gap Lake	Glennallen	Denali Highway MP 24.6		Y			Y									access via 4-mile primitive road
Rock Creek	Glennallen	Denali Highway MP 25		Y												
*Glacier Lake	Glennallen	Denali Highway MP 30.6		Y												park on north side of river
Sevenmile (Boulder) Lake	Glennallen	Denali Highway MP 40		Y			Y									
Crooked Creek	Glennallen	Denali Highway MP 47.2		Y												access via 3/4-mile gravel road
Fiftymile Lake	Glennallen	Denali Highway MP 50		Y												
Brushkana Creek	Glennallen	Denali Highway MP 104.5		Y												BLM Campground

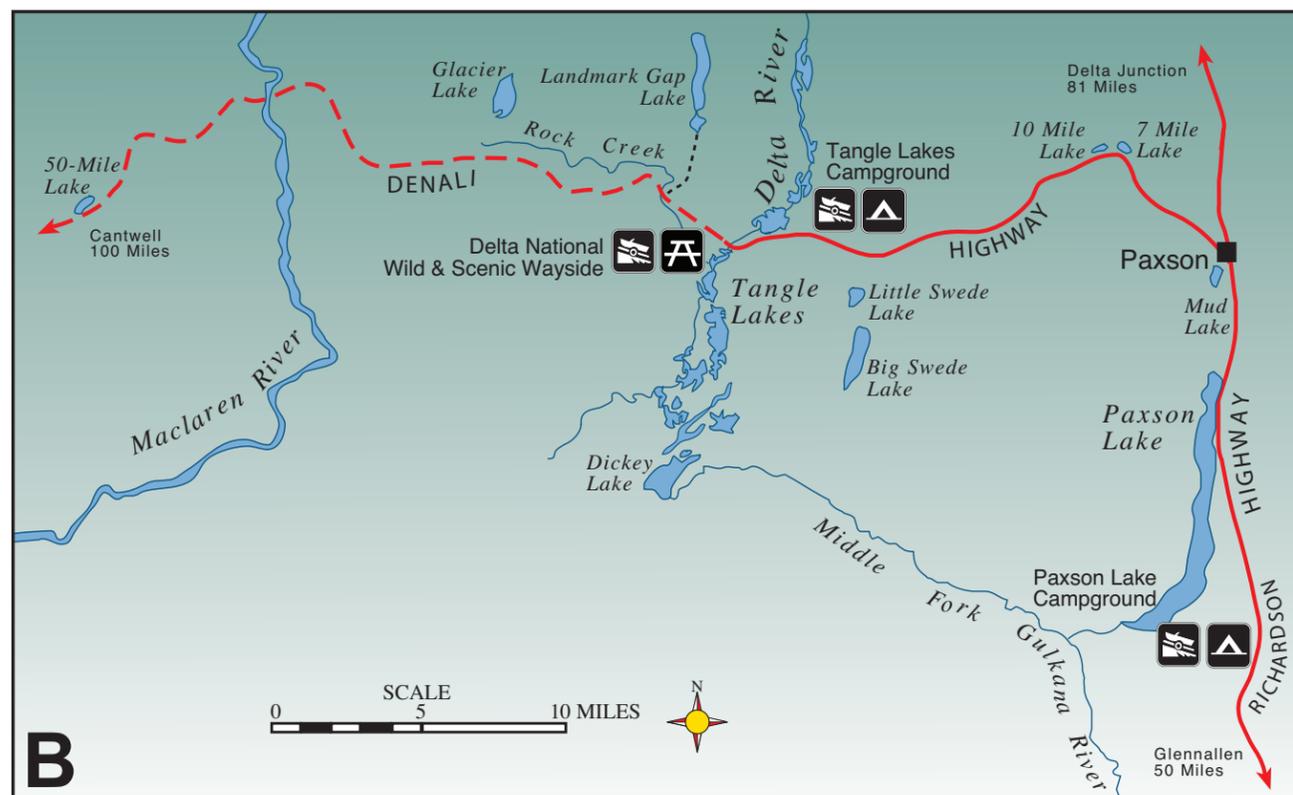
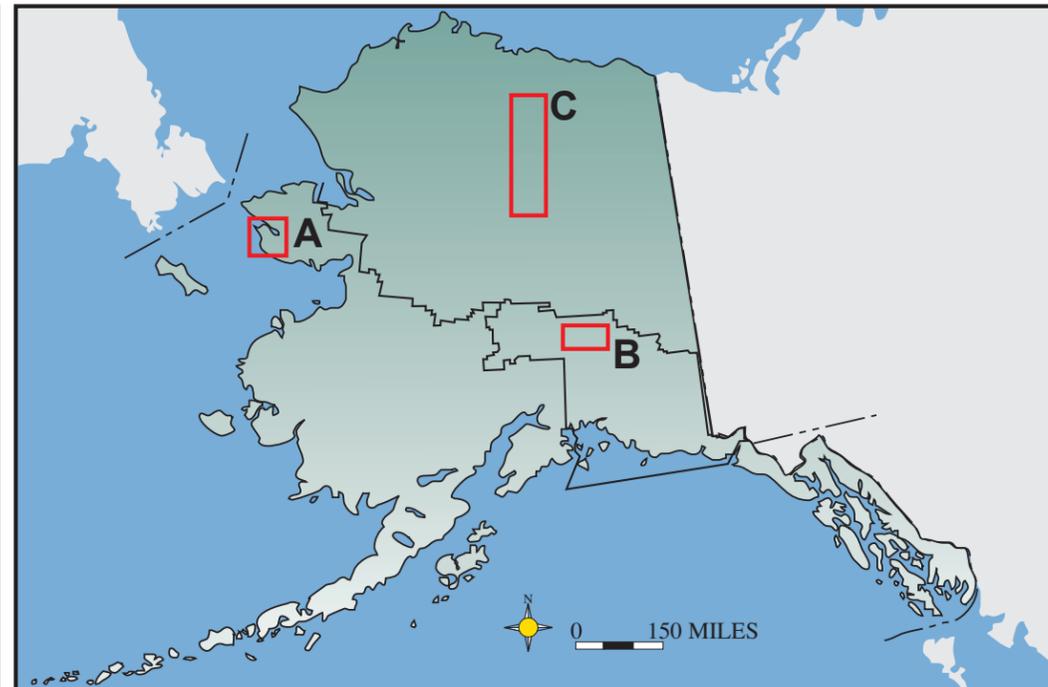
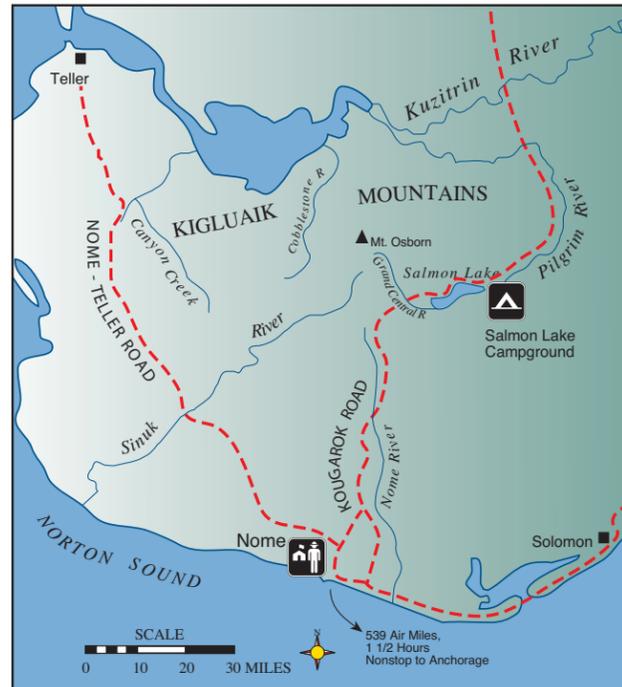
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Interior																
**Beaver Creek	Fairbanks	in White Mountains NRA, 60 mi. NE of Fairbanks		Y	Y			Y							Y	put-in at Nome Creek off Steese Hwy. MP 57; air pickup
**Birch Creek	Fairbanks	in Steese NCA, 95 miles NE of Fairbanks		Y	Y			Y							Y	put-in Steese Hwy. MP 94.5, exit MP 140 and 147
Black River	Fairbanks	50 air miles north of Eagle		Y	Y			Y		Y				Y	Y	air access only; some whitefish
**Fortymile River	Fairbanks	large drainage basin between Tok and Eagle		Y	Y			Y								BLM campgrounds at MP 49 and 82
**Gulkana River	Glennallen	Richardson Highway north of Glennallen		Y	Y				Y	Y	Y					also has steelhead trout; BLM campgrounds and boat launch
Paxson Lake	Glennallen	Richardson Highway MP 175		Y	Y		Y		Y		Y					BLM campground and boat launch

*Adjacent lands managed by the State of Alaska

**National Wild and Scenic Rivers managed by BLM

Angler's code of ethics

Keep in mind that established fishing laws are designed to provide better fishing for everyone, now and in the future. But there is more to fishing than obeying the letter of the law. Your commitment to respect Alaska's aquatic resources is essential to preserve quality fishing opportunities for the future.

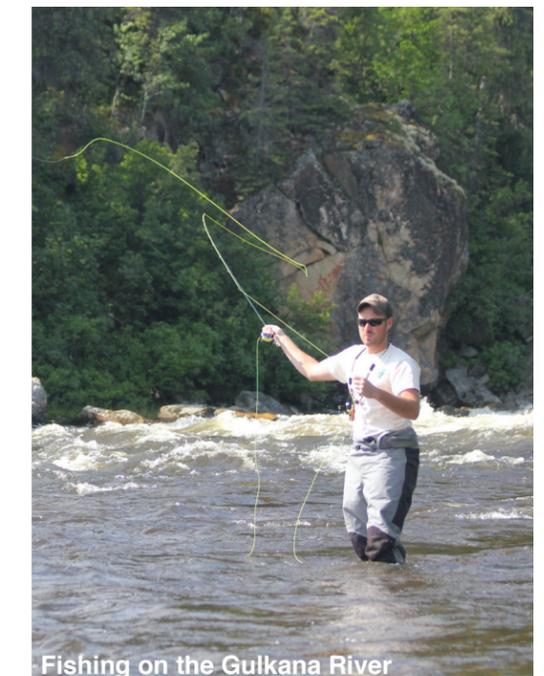


Key for maps:
 Locator maps are intended for general planning purposes only; other facilities may be available in the area. You can obtain detailed information from the BLM, the Alaska Public Land Information Center and others as your trip plans become firm.

-  BLM office or information center
-  dump station
-  BLM campground
-  picnic area



- The ethical angler:
- supports conservation efforts
 - properly recycles and disposes of trash
 - practices safe angling and boating
 - obeys fishing and boating regulations
 - respects the rights of other anglers
 - respects the rights of property owners'
 - shares fishing knowledge and skills
 - doesn't release live bait into waters
 - promotes ethical sport fishing
 - supports conservation efforts by taking only the fish needed



Fishing on the Gulkana River