

MOUNTAIN-PRAIRIE REGION

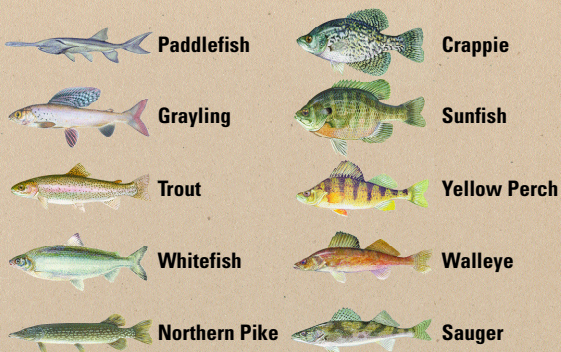
Colorado, Kansas, Montana, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah and Wyoming

The vast grasslands that stretched from Kansas north and west and the great Rocky Mountains were the two defining challenges to westward travelers in the 19th century. Today, they still beckon anglers, who avidly seek out the trophy walleye waters of the Missouri River system. Fly fishers from around the world head to the northern Rockies each year in quest of trout, including the species that Lewis and Clark described as “new” in 1804—the native cutthroat—emblematic trout of the interior West.



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Popular Fish of the Mountain-Prairie Region



COLORADO

Arapaho National Wildlife Refuge
Browns Park National Wildlife Refuge
Rocky Mountain Arsenal National Wildlife Refuge

KANSAS

Flint Hills National Wildlife Refuge
Kirwin National Wildlife Refuge
Marais des Cygnes National Wildlife Refuge
Quivira National Wildlife Refuge

MONTANA

Benton Lake Wetland Management District
Bowdoin Wetland Management District
Charles M. Russell National Wildlife Refuge Complex
Lee Metcalf National Wildlife Refuge
Medicine Lake National Wildlife Refuge
National Bison Range
Ninepipe National Wildlife Refuge
Northwest Montana Wetland Management District
Pablo National Wildlife Refuge
Red Rock Lakes National Wildlife Refuge
Swan River National Wildlife Refuge

NEBRASKA

Boyer Chute National Wildlife Refuge
Crescent Lake National Wildlife Refuge
North Platte National Wildlife Refuge
Rainwater Basin Wetland Management District
Valentine National Wildlife Refuge

NORTH DAKOTA

Arrowwood National Wildlife Refuge
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Audubon National Wildlife Refuge
Camp/Strawberry Lake National Wildlife Refuge
Chase Lake Wetland Management District
Devils Lake Wetland Management District
Hiddenwood National Wildlife Refuge
J. Clark Salyer National Wildlife Refuge
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Kulm Wetland Management District
Lake Ilo National Wildlife Refuge
Long Lake National Wildlife Refuge
Long Lake Wetland Management District
Lostwood Wetland Management District
Sheyenne/Coal Mine Lake National Wildlife Refuge

Tewaukon National Wildlife Refuge
Tewaukon Wetland Management District
Upper Souris National Wildlife Refuge
Valley City Wetland Management District

SOUTH DAKOTA

Huron Wetland Management District
Lacreek National Wildlife Refuge
Lake Andes National Wildlife Refuge and Wetland Management District
Madison Wetland Management District
Sand Lake National Wildlife Refuge
Sand Lake Wetland Management District
Waubay National Wildlife Refuge
Waubay Wetland Management District

UTAH

Bear River Migratory Bird Refuge
Ouray National Wildlife Refuge

WYOMING

National Elk Refuge
Seedskaadee National Wildlife Refuge

