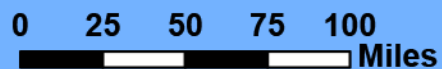
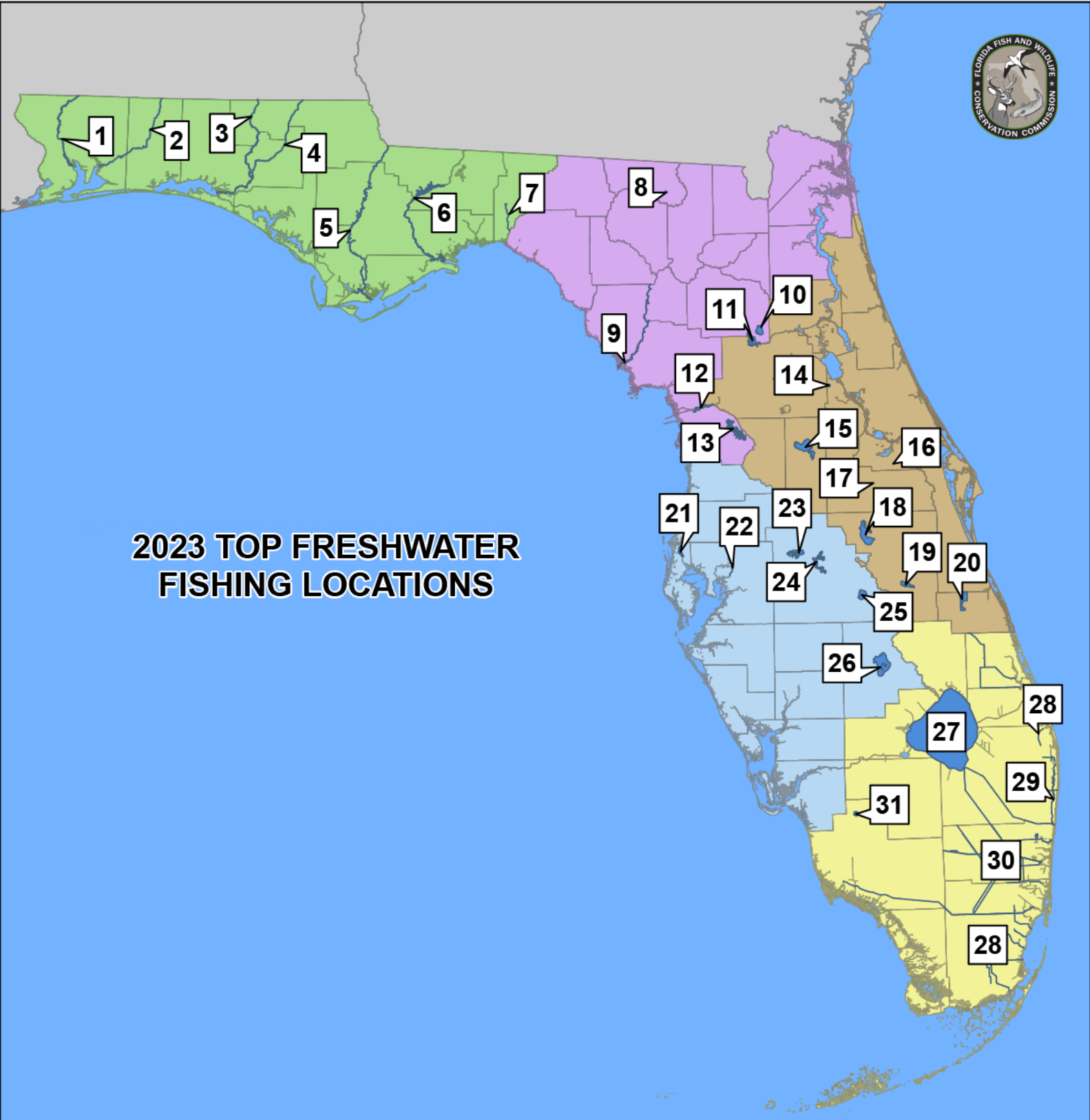




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NORTHWEST REGION							
ID	NAME	COUNTIES	BASS	CRAPPIE	PANFISH	STRIPER	CATFISH
1	Escambia River	Santa Rosa, Escambia	●▲			●	
2	Yellow River	Santa Rosa, Okaloosa, Walton	+		●▲	●	●▲
3	Choctawhatchee River	Walton, Washington			●▲		●▲
4	Holmes Creek	Holmes	+		●▲		
5	Apalachicola River	Jackson, Gadsden, Calhoun, Gulf, Liberty, Franklin			●▲	●	●▲
6	Ochlocknee River and Lake Talquin	Gadsden, Leon, Liberty	●	●		●	▲
7	Wacissa River	Jefferson	●+		●		

NORTH CENTRAL REGION							
ID	NAME	COUNTIES	BASS	CRAPPIE	PANFISH	STRIPER	CATFISH
8	Eagle Lake	Hamilton	▲			▲	
9	Lower Suwannee River	Dixie			+		
10	Lochloosa Lake	Alachua		▲			
11	Orange Lake	Alachua	●		▲		
12	Lake Rousseau	Citrus, Marion, Levy	●▲				
13	Hernando Lake in Tsala Apopka Chain	Citrus	●				

NORTHEAST REGION							
ID	NAME	COUNTIES	BASS	CRAPPIE	PANFISH	STRIPER	CATFISH
14	Wildcat Lake	Lake	●				
15	Lake Harris	Lake				+	
16	Little Econ River (Blanchard Park)	Orange			▲+		
17	Lake Santiago	Orange			▲		▲
18	Lake Tohopekaliga	Osceola	●▲				
19	Lake Marian	Osceola		▲			
20	Fellsmere Water Management Area	Indian River	●▲				

SOUTHWEST REGION							
ID	NAME	COUNTIES	BASS	CRAPPIE	PANFISH	STRIPER	CATFISH
21	Lake Tarpon	Pinellas	●▲		●▲		
22	Tampa Bypass Canal (Sixmile Creek)	Hillsborough				▲+	
23	Tenoroc Fish Management Area	Polk	●▲		●▲	+	▲+
24	Winter Haven Chain of Lakes	Polk	●▲	●▲	●▲		
25	Lake Weohyakapka/Walk-in-Water	Polk	●	●▲			●
26	Lake Istokpoga	Highlands	●▲	●▲	▲		

SOUTH REGION							
ID	NAME	COUNTIES	BASS	CRAPPIE	PANFISH	STRIPER	CATFISH
27	Lake Okeechobee	Palm Beach, Martin, Glades, Okeechobee, Hendry	●	▲			▲
28	Urban Canals	Broward, Miami-Dade, Palm Beach	+		+		
29	Osborne-Ida Chain of Lakes	Palm Beach	+			+	
30	Everglades Canals	Broward, Miami-Dade	▲		+		
31	Lake Trafford	Collier		▲			

● Sites for Trophy or Quality Sized Fish

▲ Sites With High Catch Rates

⊕ Sites with Unique Fishing Opportunities