

Lake Żabińskie database metadata

About the lake

- **Database code:** zab,
- **Atlas code**¹: C/555,
- **Coordinates:**
 - 54 ° 07'54.2" N or 54.1318° N,
 - 21 ° 58'56.5" E or 21.9836° E.
- **Elevation:** 117 m a.s.l.,
- **Area:** 0.42 km²,
- **Max depth:** 44.4 m.

Conventions

- All variable names are lower case,
- All variable names are “snake_case”,
- No units in variable names,
- No inferred variables.

Temperature loggers

Equipment

- HOBO Water Temperature Pro v2 loggers (ONSET, USA); operating at 15 minutes interval.

i HOBO U26 Dissolved Oxygen logger

Temperature data from oxygen logger (1h resolution) was used to fill temperature data at the depth of 40 m between 2020.03.08 and 2021.01.07.

¹Jańczak J., (ed.), 1999, Atlas Jezior Polski: Jeziora Pojezierza Mazurskiego i Polski Południowej. Vol. 3. Atlas Jezior Polski / Instytut Meteorologii i Gospodarki Wodnej. Praca zbiorowa pod red. Jerzego Jańczaka, Bogucki Wydawnictwo Naukowe.

Variables

Full resolution data

- **date_time** (UTC time): YYYY-MM-DD HH:MM:SS; *date_time*,
- **day**: YYYY-MM-DD; *date*,
- **temp_01** (temperature at 1.0 m): °C; *numeric*,
- **temp_10** (temperature at 10.0 m): °C; *numeric*,
- **temp_20** (temperature at 20.0 m): °C; *numeric*,
- **temp_30** (temperature at 30.0 m): °C; *numeric*,
- **temp_40** (temperature at 40.0 m): °C; *numeric*.
- **series_nn** (series at 1–40 m): number; *integer*,
- **period_nn** (period at 1–40 m): number; *integer*.

i Series and period

- **Series:** one data *series* means that data logger operated continuously without any interruptions from the beginning of logging to the data offload.
- **Period:** one *period* encompasses one or more *series*. Continued *period* means, that the end of one *series* is followed immediately by the beginning of the next *series*. Change from *series* to *series* means that only short logger offload time is introduced into the data. Continued *period* allows uninterrupted data homogenization procedure. Change in the *period* variable means that the next *series* did not follow preceding one immediately and requires reset of the homogenization procedure.

Daily data

- **day**: YYYY-MM-DD; *date*,
- **temp_01** (temperature at 1.0 m): °C; *numeric*,
- **temp_10** (temperature at 10.0 m): °C; *numeric*,
- **temp_20** (temperature at 20.0 m): °C; *numeric*,
- **temp_30** (temperature at 30.0 m): °C; *numeric*,
- **temp_40** (temperature at 40.0 m): °C; *numeric*.

Processing

- Values > 35 °C are removed from the database (e.g. random readings reaching **100 °C**),
- Values < 0 °C are corrected to **0 °C**,
- Values exceeding the **1 ‰** (quantiles **0.0005** and **0.9995**) are removed by respective *series* variable,
- A ratio of the means for the last **8** readings from a preceding *series* and the first **8** readings from the following *series* is calculated and used as a correction factor for the next series,
- The homogenization procedure is reset every time a gap (*period* variable) is introduced to account for gaps (e.g., no data recorded) in the series and to avoid artificial shifts.

Limnology

Equipment

- EXO 2 Multiparameter Sonde (YSI, Yellow Spring, OH, USA): 2017.09.25 to 2021.12.20,
- EXO 2 Multiparameter Sonde (YSI, Yellow Spring, OH, USA): 2015.08.07 to 2017.09.01,
- Minitracka II C fluorometer (Chelsea Instruments, West Molesey, UK)²: 2012.05.06 to 2015.06.24,
- YSI 6820 Multiparameter sonde (YSI, Yellow Spring, OH, USA): 2012.01.12 to 2015.06.24.

Variables

- **date**: YYYY-MM-DD; *date*,
- **depth**: m; *numeric*,
- **temp** (temperature): °C; *numeric*,
- **sp_cond** (specific conductivity): $\mu\text{S cm}^{-1}$; *numeric*,
- **do** (dissolved oxygen concentration): mg L^{-1} ; *numeric*,
- **p_h**: unitless; *numeric*,
- **chl_a** (chlorophyll): $\mu\text{g L}^{-1}$; *numeric*.

Flags

- **malfunction**: sensor error,
- **ND**: no data.

Processing

Missing (*malfunction* or *ND*):

Linear interpolation between the non-missing profiles.

Hydrochemistry

Equipment

- Spectroquant Prove 600 spectrophotometer (Merck, Germany): 2018.11.12 to 2021.12.20,
- Spectroquant Pharo 300 spectrophotometer (Merck, Germany): 2018.05.31 to 2018.10.28,
- Spectroquant NOVA 400 spectrophotometer (Merck, Germany): 2012.01.12 to 2018.05.31,
- Ion chromatography (ICS 1100, Dionex, USA): 2012.01.12 to 2021.12.20.

²Chlorophyll-a

Variables

- **date**: YYYY-MM-DD; *date*,
- **depth**: m; *numeric*,
- **in_out** (stream id): **I*** – inflow, **O*** – outflow; *character*:
 - **I1**: major inflow from Lake Purwin (54.13590731° N; 21.98398011° E),
 - **I2**: episodic inflow from the direct catchment (54.13160649° N; 21.98812808° E),
 - **I3**: major inflow from Żabinka village (54.12980987° N; 21.98246778° E),
 - **O1**: major outflow to Lake Goldopiwo (54.13060358° N; 21.97381504° E),
- **tn** (total nitrogen): mg L⁻¹; *numeric*,
- **tp** (total phosphorus): mg L⁻¹; *numeric*,
- **ions**: mg L⁻¹; *numeric*:
 - **na**: sodium (Na⁺),
 - **k**: potassium (K⁺),
 - **mg**: magnesium (Mg²⁺),
 - **ca**: calcium (Ca²⁺),
 - **cl**: chloride (Cl⁻),
 - **so4**: sulfate (SO₄²⁻).

Flags

- **bdl**: below detection limit,
- **ND**: no data.

Sediment trap

Equipment

- CNS analyzer Vario El Cube (Elementar, Germany),
- SoliTIC, TIC solids module for Vario El Cube (Elementar, Germany).

Variables

- **date** (trap retrieval date): YYYY-MM-DD; *date*,
- **days** (sample collection time in days): number; *numeric*,
- **mar** (mass accumulation rate): g m⁻² day⁻¹; *numeric*,
- **tc** (total carbon concentration): %; *numeric*,
- **toc** (total organic carbon concentration): %; *numeric*,
- **tic** (total inorganic carbon concentration): %; *numeric*,
- **tn** (total nitrogen concentration): %; *numeric*,
- **ts** (total sulfur concentration): %; *numeric*.

Flags

- **ND**: no data.

i Sediment trap installation

Sediment trap was installed 2 m above the lake bottom and deployed on 2012.05.05.

Ice cover

Variables

- **ice_in**: YYYY-MM-DD; *date*,
- **ice_out**: YYYY-MM-DD; *date*.

i Interpretation

ice_in: the date of ice cover formation is the first day with the whole central part of the lake covered with ice.

ice_out: the date of ice breakup is the first day with central part of the lake completely free of ice (but discontinuous ice cover still possible in the littoral zone).