

SUSQUEHANNA FLATS, LOWER SUSQUEHANNA RIVER & NORTHEAST RIVER

Season	Fishing Locations Allowed	Creel & Size Limits	Regulations	Restrictions & Remarks
Dec. 16 – May 3	Susquehanna Flats, upstream of a line from Sandy Point to Turkey Point and the Susquehanna River downstream from a line connecting the Susquehanna State Park boat ramp at Lapidum to Twin Rocks to Tomes Wharf in Port Deposit; and the Northeast River	No harvest	Catch and release only	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stinger hooks are prohibited. • Barbless hooks are required when trolling. • Non-offset circle or J hooks with less than 1/8 inch gap are required when using bait. • No more than six lines per boat are allowed when trolling. • Eels may not be used as bait.
May 4 – May 15	Susq. Flats closed to striped bass fishing	Closed	Closed	No catch and release fishing
May 16 – May 31	Susq. Flats reopen to striped bass fishing	1 striped bass 18–26 inches per person per day inclusive		Eels may not be used as bait
June 1 – Dec. 15	Susquehanna Flats and all Bay waters including tributaries open to striped bass fishing.	2 striped bass per person per day between 18–28 inches OR 1 fish between 18–28 inches and 1 fish over 28 inches inclusive		