

# White Sucker

*Catostomus commersonii*



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## ADULT SIZE

Typically 10-20 inches and can weigh anywhere from 6 ounces to 4 pounds.

## TYPICAL FOODS

As omnivores white suckers feed on invertebrates, vegetative matter and detritus on the lake or river bottom.

## FISHING TIP

A simple worm fished on the lake bottom with a hook catches the most suckers. White suckers make huge migrations from Lake Erie into local streams to spawn in March and April every spring.

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