

Sheepshead

(Freshwater Drum)

Aplodinotus grunniens



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ADULT SIZE

Typically 12-30 inches and their weight can exceed 20 pounds.

TYPICAL FOODS

Larval insects, small fish, zebra mussels, snails and crayfish.

FISHING TIP

Sheepshead can be taken on live bait fished on the lake bottom, and are also frequently caught by walleye anglers trolling or casting lures and worm harnesses.

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