

Burbot

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ADULT SIZE

Typically 16-32 inches and 2-12 pounds, occasionally they can reach up to 17 pounds in Ohio.

TYPICAL FOODS

Burbot feed primarily after dark on fish, crayfish and invertebrates such as insect larvae

FISHING TIP

Fishing with minnows on the bottom after dark in November and December, especially around river mouths in eastern Lake Erie, offers the best odds to catch a rare and elusive Lake Erie burbot.

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