



Karta River drainage

Sport Fishing Regulations 2007-2008



BAIT PROHIBITED AT ALL TIMES ~ Only unbaited single hook, artificial lures may be used.

SEASON Open year-round for all species found in this freshwater system.

HARVEST AND SIZE LIMITS

Cutthroat and rainbow trout (in combination):

Karta Lake and Salmon Lake ~ 2 daily, 2 in possession,
14-inch minimum and 22-inch maximum size limit

Remainder of drainage ~ 2 daily, 2 in possession, 11-inch minimum and 22-inch maximum.

Steelhead: 1 daily, 2 in possession, 36-inch minimum size limit.

ANNUAL LIMIT of 2 fish.

Harvest record required → →

Dolly Varden: 10 daily,
10 in possession; no size
restrictions.

**Coho, pink, chum and
sockeye (including
kokanee) salmon:**

16 inches or longer: 6 of each species daily, 12 of each species in possession

Less than 16 inches: a combined limit of 10 salmon daily, 10 in possession.

A nontransferable HARVEST RECORD is required, and must be in possession of each person sport fishing for STEELHEAD in Southeast Alaska. A harvest record appears on the back of each sport fishing license. For anglers not required to have a sport fishing license, harvest records are available free of charge from ADF&G offices and license vendors in Southeast Alaska. Immediately upon landing a steelhead 36 inches or longer, anglers must enter the date and location of catch, in ink, on the back of their sport fishing license or harvest record.

METHODS AND MEANS

Only unbaited single hook, artificial lures may be used. Fish may NOT be taken in the Karta River drainage by means of: (1) fixed or weighted hooks and lures (except those of standard manufacture), (2) multiple hooks, (3) spear, or (4) arrow.

It is unlawful to intentionally snag or attempt to snag any fish in fresh water. "Snag" means to hook a fish elsewhere than in its mouth. A fish unintentionally hooked elsewhere than in its mouth must be released immediately.

Please refer to the most recent Alaska Sport Fishing Regulation Summary for more information. Copies are available in the cabin, at local license vendors, at ADF&G offices, and online at <http://www.sf.adfg.state.ak.us/statewide/regulations/seregs.cfm>. For other questions contact the Craig ADF&G office (826-2498).