

# **Regulations for Angling and Lure Fishing in the Helsinki-Espoo Fisheries Region**

Helsinki-Espoo Fisheries Region has several fishing regulations. The regulations regarding angling and lure fishing are outlined below. Regulations concerning net and trap fishing can be found on the reverse side.

# ANGLING, ICE FISHING AND LURE FISHING

with the fisheries management fee are prohibited year-round in the following waterways: Gumbölenjoki, Finnoonoja, Gräsanoja, Monikonpuro, Mätäjoki, Haaganpuro, Viikinoja, Mustapuro, Mellunkylänpuro, and Krapuoja.

## **ALL FISHING EXCEPT ANGLING FROM THE SHORE IS PROHIBITED**

in Laajalahti, Vanhankaupunginlahti and Vartiokylänlahti, from May 15 to June 15.

#### LURE FISHING FOR SEA TROUT IN THE BALTIC SEA

Lure fishing for sea trout is permitted only with lures equipped with a maximum of one barbless treble hook or two barbless single hooks.

#### **SIZE LIMITS AND CATCH QUOTAS**

The minimum size for pike perch is 42 cm until March 31, 2026, after which it will increase to 45 cm.

The pike perch catch quota is 3 fish per day per fisher across the entire fisheries region. The quota limit does not apply to net fishing or commercial fishing.

# **ADDITIONAL NOTES**

If you are fishing with permission from the owner of the water area (local permit), the regulations might be stricter than the ones outlined here. Please check national minimum sizes, closed seasons, and catch quotas from the National Fishing Act and Fishing Decree.

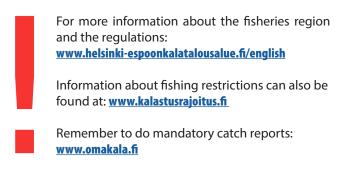
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# WHY ARE FISHING RESTRICTIONS IMPOSED?

The regulations are based on the fisheries region's management plan. The aim is to achieve the goals of the national salmon and sea trout strategy and to improve the spawning stocks of pike perch and whitefish. Restrictions also support the migration of spring-spawning fish and increase the number of spawning fish.

# **FISHING SUPERVISION**

Fishing is supervised by fishing supervisors year-round to ensure that fishers possess the required permits and comply with fishing regulations and restrictions. You can contact the fisheries region's fishing supervisors via email: kalastuksenvalvonta.hki.espoo@gmail.com or by phone: +358 41 577 7486.





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