

## Fish Consumption Advisory Flaming Gorge Reservoir



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The Wyoming Game and Fish Department has tested fish from this waterbody for mercury. The Wyoming Department of Health has provided consumption advice according to mercury levels. To determine the recommended maximum number of meals that may be consumed per month, find the species and length of the fish you caught and follow the recommendations described below. A meal is 8 oz. of uncooked fish or 6 oz. of cooked fish.

Data are available for the species and length-classes shown in the table. Where data are not reported, data are not available, and we recommend that sensitive individuals follow the [General Fish Consumption Advice](#).

Fish species	Length (inches)	Women who might become pregnant, nursing mothers, and children less than 15 years of age	All other persons
<b><u>Flaming Gorge Reservoir</u></b>			
Brown trout	15-20	Up to 4 meals per month	Up to 8 meals per month
Burbot	Less than 15"	Up to 8 meals per month	Unrestricted consumption
	15-25	Up to 4 meals per month	Up to 8 meals per month
	25-30	Up to 1 meal per month	Up to 4 meals per month
	Greater than 30"	Do not consume	Up to 1 meal per month
Crayfish	N/A	Up to 8 meals per month	Unrestricted consumption
Kokanee	Less than 20"	Up to 8 meals per month	Unrestricted consumption
Lake trout	Less than 20"	Up to 8 meals per month	Unrestricted consumption
	20-25	Up to 4 meals per month	Up to 8 meals per month
	Greater than 25"	Up to 1 meal per month	Up to 4 meals per month
Rainbow trout, cutthroat trout, and hybrids	Less than 20"	Up to 8 meals per month	Unrestricted consumption
Smallmouth bass	8-12	Up to 4 meals per month	Up to 8 meals per month
	12-20	Up to 1 meal per month	Up to 4 meals per month

This document is part of the Wyoming Fish Consumption Advisory. The complete advisory is posted on the Wyoming Game and Fish Department Website <https://wgfd.wyo.gov/Fishing-and-Boating/Fish-Consumption-Advice>

For more information, call Dr. Tracy Murphy, State Epidemiologist 307-777-7172. Detailed sampling results are available upon request (307-777-4600).