

## South Branch Au Sable River Chase Bridge



### ***Fish Species***

Brook Trout; Brown Trout

### ***Species Description***

Wild brook and brown trout are present here. Brook trout up to ten inches are common and brown trout can grow to 18 inches or larger in this reach.

### ***Geographic Coordinates***

Lat:44.540566 / Long:-84.55045

### ***Noteworthy***

Cobble, gravel and sand substrate are all present here. This is a popular location to fish and is mostly for kayaks, canoes and drift boats to begin the trip into the Mason Tract. Many anglers here take the paralleling Mason Tract pathway to fish this area both upstream and downstream. Anglers should be aware of predominately private land upstream of the bridge, thus needing to stay in the river.

### ***Fishing Regulations***

The south Branch Au Sable River at Chase Bridge is a designated Gear Restricted/Type 1 trout stream depending on your location. Please refer to the Inland Trout and Salmon Stream Regulations in the current Michigan Fishing Guide.

### ***Directions to Site***

Chase Bridge can be reached from Grayling or Roscommon. In Grayling, from the intersection of the I-75 Business Route and M-72, travel 9.2 miles east on M-72 and turn right on Chase Bridge Road. Follow this road south through its twists and turns for 7.5 miles to the bridge. From Roscommon follow M-18 northeast and then east out of town 2.5 miles to Chase Bridge Road. Turn left and continue 2 miles to the bridge. There is ample parking on the south side of the bridge, a canoe/riverboat launch site and a pit toilet.

### ***Regional Visitor Information (URL)***

[grayling-mi.com](http://grayling-mi.com)