

# Metadata: Lake Partner Program (LPP)

<b>Title</b>	Lake Partner Program (LPP)
<b>Abstract</b>	The Ontario Lake Partner Program (LPP) provides total phosphorus, calcium and chloride concentration, and water clarity data for Ontario's inland lakes. The data are collected annually through volunteer monitoring efforts, known as community (citizen) science.
<b>Purpose</b>	To compile and store total phosphorus, calcium, water clarity, and chloride data for several hundred lakes across Ontario, predominantly on the Precambrian Shield and to track changes in these measures over time. Engaging citizen volunteers to take measurements and collect samples expands the geographic area monitored and fosters public interest in Ontario's water quality.
<b>Status</b>	Ongoing
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<b>Keywords</b>	LAKE, WATER, WATER QUALITY, EMRB, CITIZEN SCIENCE, COMMUNITY SCIENCE
<b>Geographical Bounds</b>	<p>West bound: <b>-95.15699</b></p> <p>East bound: <b>-74.30798</b></p> <p>South bound: <b>41.6723</b></p> <p>North bound: <b>56.850117</b></p>
<b>Supplemental information</b>	<p>DATA AVAILABILITY:</p> <p>*****INTERACTIVE MAP *****</p> <p>Time Period:  Total Phosphorus: 2002 – end of previous calendar year  Calcium: 2008 – end of previous calendar year  Chloride: 2015 – end of previous calendar year  Water Clarity (Secchi) – 1980 – end of previous calendar year</p> <p><a href="http://www.ontario.ca/environment-and-energy/lake-partner-program">http://www.ontario.ca/environment-and-energy/lake-partner-program</a></p> <p>*****DATA CATALOGUE*****</p> <p>Time Period:  Total Phosphorus: 2002 – end of previous calendar year  Calcium: 2008 – end of previous calendar year  Chloride: 2015 – end of previous calendar year  Water Clarity (Secchi) – 1980 – end of previous calendar year</p> <p><a href="http://www.ontario.ca/environment-and-energy/ontario-lake-partner-lpp-programdata">http://www.ontario.ca/environment-and-energy/ontario-lake-partner-lpp-programdata</a></p>
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