Stripped Bass

Four Steps to Indiana’s Management Program

Step 1
Out of state producers collect **eggs** and **milt** each spring from wild parent stock and hatch them within hatcheries.

Step 2
Newly hatched fish are transported to Indiana’s East Fork State Fish Hatchery (SFH) where they grow to 2 inches in ponds.

Step 3
**62,000** hybrids and **84,000** striped bass from East Fork SFH ponds are stocked annually into **12** Indiana lakes.

Step 4
**Biologists** monitor stocking success, populations, and angler harvest through targeted surveys.

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