

## The Appalachian Trail in Maine Monson to Potaywadjo Spring Lean-to



September 6 - 10, 2010

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September 6: Monson to Wilson Valley Lean-to

September 7: Wilson Valley Lean-to to Chairback Gap Lean-to

September 8: Chairback Gap Lean-to to Carl A. Newhall  
Lean-to

September 9: Carl A. Newhall Lean-to to Mountain View Pond

September 10: Mountain View Pond to Potaywadjo Spring  
Lean-to

Monson to Wilson Valley Lean-to

September 6

10.4 Miles



Signing in to the 100-mile wilderness



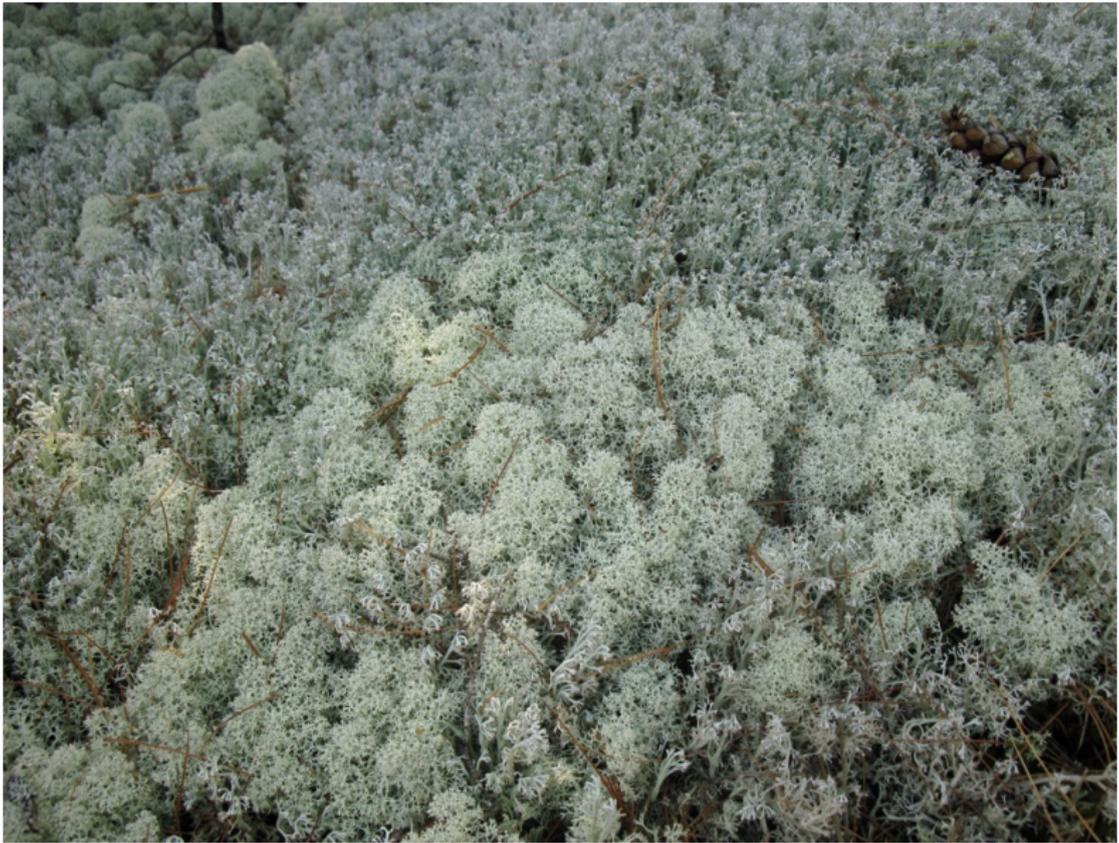
Spectacle Pond



Bell Pond



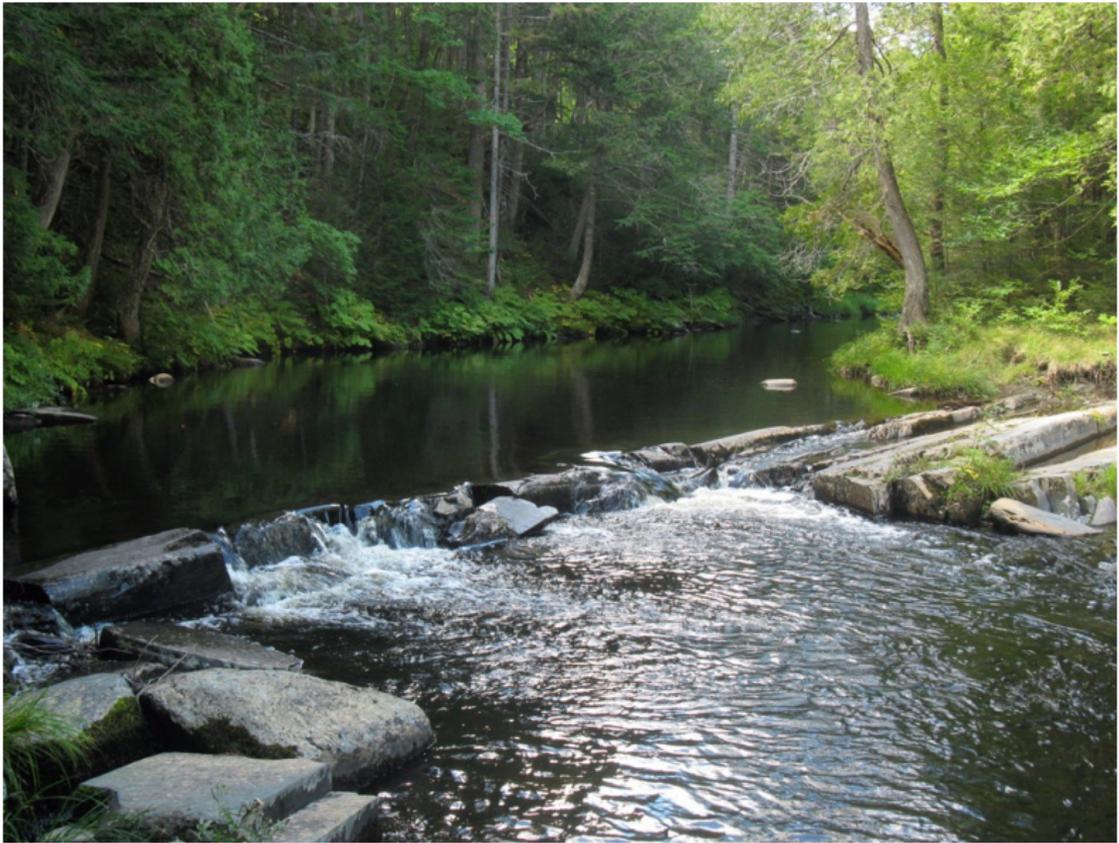
North Pond



Lichen



Mud Pond



Little Wilson Stream



Little Wilson Falls



Interesting trail sign



The view south from Big Wilson Cliffs



Boarstone Mountain from Big Wilson Cliffs



Big Wilson Stream





Fungus on a log



Wilson Valley Lean-to

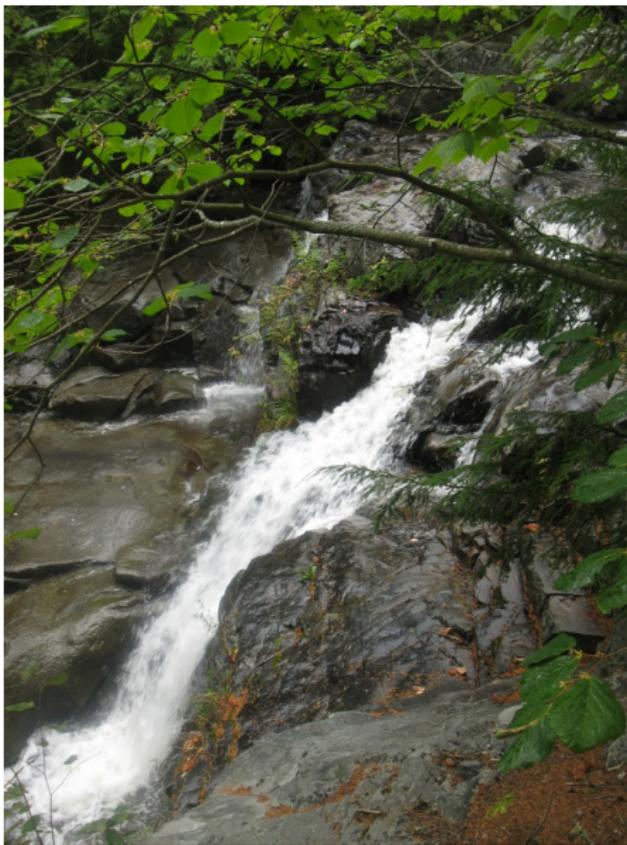
Wilson Valley Lean-to to Chairback Gap Lean-to

September 7

15.6 Miles



Crossing a woods road in the rain



Falls on Wilber Brook



“Frenchy” after fording Long Pond Brook



Long Pond Brook



Barren Slide



The rocks above Barren Slide



Lake Onawa



Roots, moss, and rocks



The trail up Barren Mountain





The trail on Barren Mountain



Ferns



A seed pod in Fourth Mountain Bog



Pitcher plants

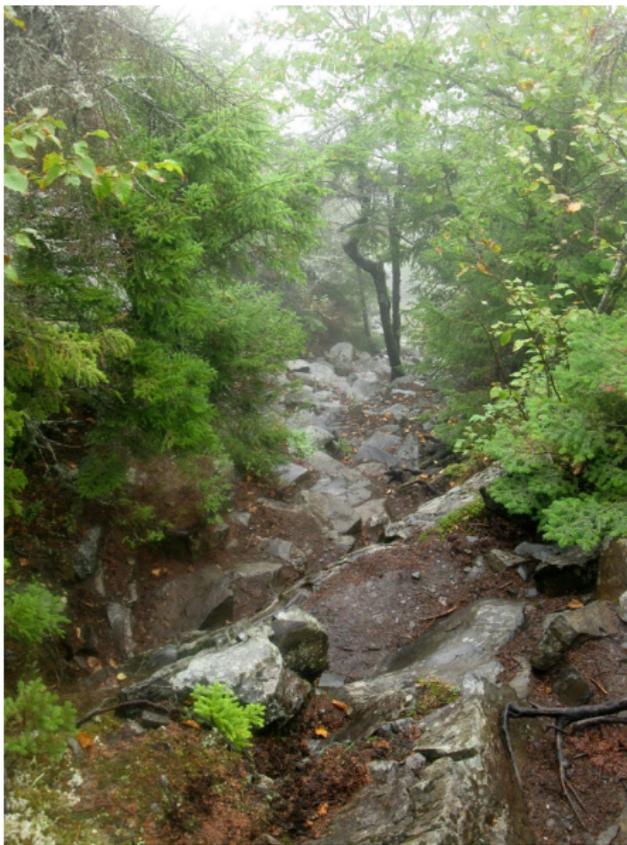
Chairback Gap Lean-to to Carl A. Newhall Lean-to

September 8

9.9 Miles



The trail on Chairback Mountain



A very steep descent down Chairback Mountain



The trail on Chairback Mountain

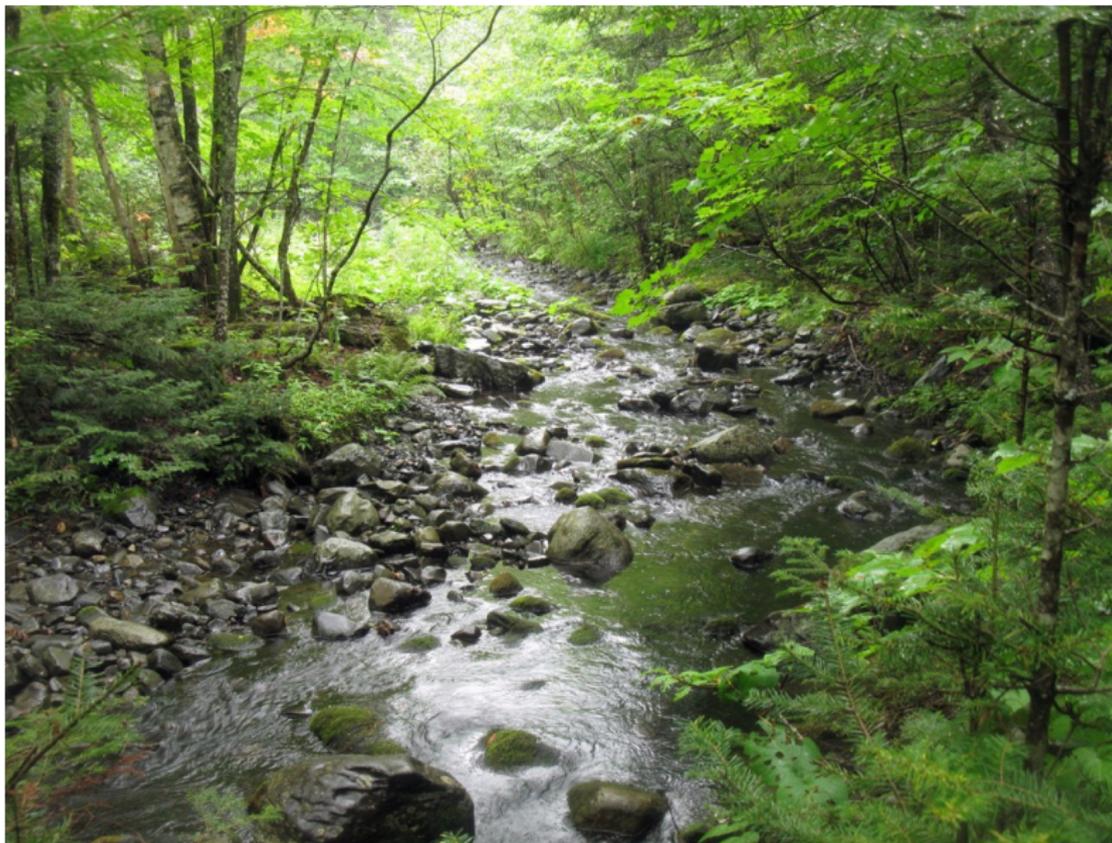


The trail on Chairback Mountain



Hobblebush





Gulf Hahas Brook



Carl A. Newhall Lean-to

Carl A. Newhall Lean-to to Mountain View Pond

September 9

12.7 Miles



Fall colors in ferns



The trail on Gulf Hugas Mountain



Stone walkway



On the summit of White Cap Mountain



The view from White Cap Mountain



The trail on White Cap Mountain



The moss-covered forest floor



The trail through a hemlock forest



Fall colors



Mountain View Pond



Tentsite at Mountain View Pond

Mountain View Pond to Potaywadjo Spring Lean-to

September 10

17.6 Miles



Fall colors in the trail



Crawford Pond



Fall colors



The trail along Cooper Brook



A side stream near Cooper Brook



Cooper Brook Falls



Flowers



Mushroom



Cooper Brook



The trail through white birches



Diverse ground cover



Flowers



The trail along Cooper Brook



Deadwater along Cooper Brook



Lower Jo-Mary Lake



The privy at Antlers Campsite



Ground cover



Lower Jo-Mary Lake



Pool of water next to Lower Jo-Mary Lake



Lower Jo-Mary Lake



Fall colors in the trail



A gnarly tree



Trail humor



Potaywadjo Spring

The End