

Please let wild animals remain wild. Feeding deer is prohibited. Feeding of wild animals can result in harm to both animals and people. Animals who depend on handouts become a nuisance to visitors and a danger to themselves. Please lock up all food and coolers inside cars or campers. Roll up car windows tightly.

Adena Trace is a large 30-mile-long hiking trail. It combines shorter trails listed under the *DESCRIPTION OF TRAILS* section.

ADENA TRACE

Brookville Lake was constructed in predominantly hilly agricultural surroundings. Most of the 12,000 acres of land surrounding the lake has returned to its natural state. A wide variety of flora and fauna exists throughout the property. Brookville Lake is centrally located between Indianapolis, Richmond, Cincinnati and Dayton. Many attractions are an easy drive away. Step back in time by visiting the unique old canal town of Metamora, along with Whitewater Canal State Historic Site, southwest of the town of Brookville. Whitewater Memorial State Park sits on the northeast corner of Brookville Lake. This living memorial to World War II veterans offers camping, cabins, swimming, boating and hiking in a beautiful natural setting. Two nature preserves are nearby: the Hornbeam Nature Preserve lies within the boundaries of Whitewater Memorial State Park and the Schrader-Weaver Nature Preserve is northwest near the town of Connersville.

SCENIC ATTRACTIONS

Brookville Lake is situated in the picturesque White-water River Valley. The valley and surrounding area are known for their contributions to Indiana. Traces of prehistoric mounds, known for their archaeological significance, can still be found in some parts of the valley. The first section of land that became part of the Indiana territory in 1795 was defined by the Greenville Treaty Line, which runs through the northwest section of Brookville Lake property. The earliest settlers of the region encountered several tribes, notably the Miami and the Delaware. The early natives favored the hills and valleys along the Whitewater River for hunting.

HISTORY

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BROOKVILLE LAKE



Brookville Lake is operated for flood control in the Whitewater Valley and contributes to the reduction of flood flows in the Ohio River. In addition, the lake was developed for fish and wildlife, recreational use, and municipal and industrial water supply.

The lake is in Franklin and Union counties in southeastern Indiana on the east fork of the Whitewater River. It is accessible from state Road 101 to the east and state Road 1 to the west.

General authorization for the Ohio River basin is contained in the Flood Control Act approved June 28, 1938. Pre-construction planning for the project began in 1963. Construction started in November 1965. Impoundment started in January 1974.

THIS IS YOUR LAKE

Visitors shall observe the following rules, which are designed to fulfill the purposes for which the state operates reservoir properties, namely, to manage these areas for the enhancement of wildlife and for the public's use and enjoyment.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- No person shall conduct or participate in a fishing tournament on a reservoir property administered by the Division of State Parks and Reservoirs except under a license.
- No person shall launch, dock, or moor a watercraft or other floating device, except during approved periods and at sites designated by the department for those purposes. No person shall leave watercraft unattended in a courtesy dock.
- Any firearm, BB gun, air gun, CO₂ gun, bow and arrow must be unloaded or un-nocked and stored in a case or locked within a vehicle except in accordance with the terms of a one-day hunting permit and record card obtained from a hunter sign-in station and possessed by the person in the field for a specified date.
- A person who possesses a pet must attend it at all times and keep the animal caged or on a leash no more than 6 feet long.
- Vending or advertising without permission of the DNR is prohibited.
- Camping is permitted only in the campground. No lakeshore camping.
- Fires shall be built only in designated places.
- Please comply with the Carry In/Carry Out trash policy in all day-use areas. Overnight guests must put waste in receptacles provided for that purpose.
- Motorists will observe posted speed limits and park only in designated areas. (30 mph maximum).
- No person shall possess or consume an alcoholic beverage at a swimming beach.
- Drinking water should be taken only from pumps, hydrants or fountains provided for that purpose. This water is tested regularly for purity.
- Report lost or found articles to the property office.
- Feeding of wildlife is prohibited.
- Metal detectors allowed on main beach between Labor Day and Memorial Day with written permission from the property manager.

For a complete list of rules and regulations, inquire at property office.

DESCRIPTION OF TRAILS

1. Fairfield Trail (1.5 miles) MODERATE—Extends from the southwest end of Fairfield Causeway to the Mounds Beach road traveling by the lakeshore up through an old pine plantation and crop fields.
2. Glidewell Trail MODERATE—This trail has a long and short loop that takes you past a 2,000-year-old Native American mound. The long loop is 4.5 miles and the short loop is 2 miles.
3. Templeton Creek Trail (2 miles) MODERATE—Parallel the Mounds Beach road then crosses Templeton Creek and up to the Wildliffe Wander Trail.
4. Wildliffe Wander Trail (.7 mile) EASY—This self-guided trail is a short loop through a mature woods. Brochures available by trail sign.
5. Garr Hill Trail (1.8 miles) MODERATE—This trail goes through crop fields and woods to the Garr Hill Boat Ramp.
6. Scenic Trail (3.25 miles) MODERATE—This paved trail is great for bicycle riding and rollerblading. Goes from Garr Hill to Scenic Vista.
7. Woodland Trail (5 miles) MODERATE—A wooded alternative that runs parallel to the paved Scenic Trail.
8. Eagle Trail (2 miles) MODERATE—Travel through beautiful mature woods to arrive at the Bonwell Ramp road. Simply cross the road and walk to the far corner of the parking lot to continue on Bonwell Trail.
9. Bonwell Trail (1.5 miles) MODERATE—A short connecting trail from Bonwell to the top of the dam. To continue the Adena Loop, just cross the dam to the Wolf Creek Trail. Small parking lot at the end of Keeler Road gives access to trailhead.
10. Midway Trail (2.2 miles) MODERATE—Easy access to Wolf Creek Trail. Beautiful lake views in spring roads or buildings. Beautiful lake views in spring west side of Brookville Lake. It crosses no public hiking trail traverses the hills and ravines on the Wolf Creek Trail (16.5 miles) RUGGED—Primitive end of Keeler Road gives access to trailhead.
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PLEASE STAY ON MARKED TRAILS.

CENTRAL RESERVATION SYSTEMS

Reservations for all types of camping, family cabins, and shelters at state parks, reservoirs and forests can be made online or by calling toll-free.

camp.IN.gov
1-866-6campIN
(1-866-622-6746)



Reservations for the Indiana State Park Inns and Inn-operated cabins can be made online or by calling toll-free.

IndianalInns.com
1-877-lodges1
(1-877-563-4371)



Please carry out all trash you produce in order to keep your property clean and beautiful for others to enjoy.

FOR MORE INFORMATION



Write: Brookville Lake
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Brookville, IN 47012
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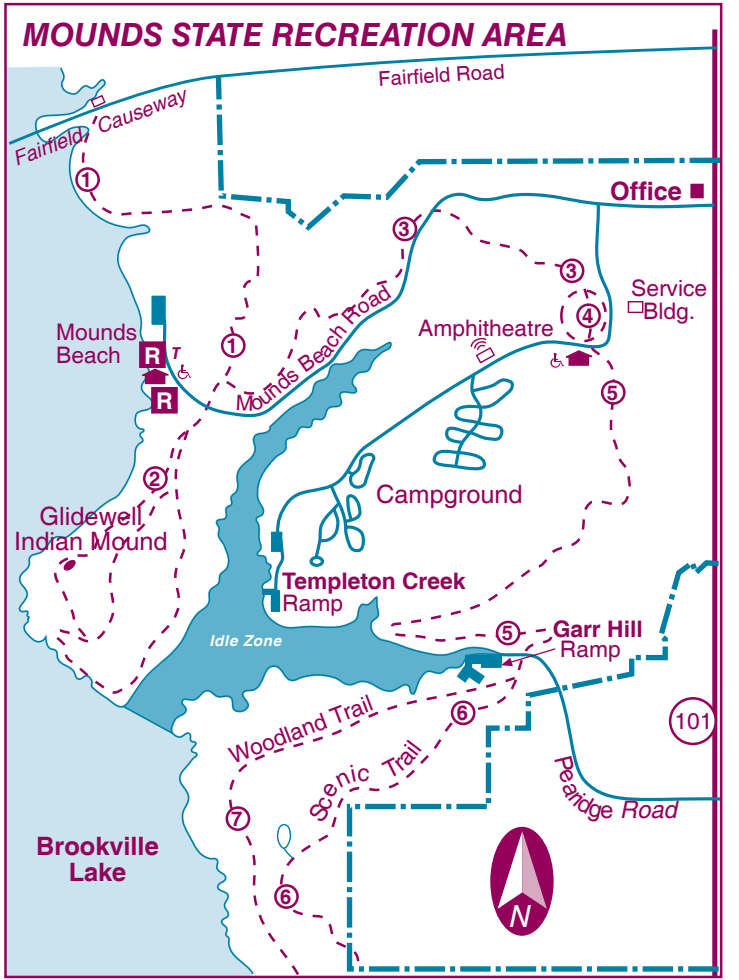
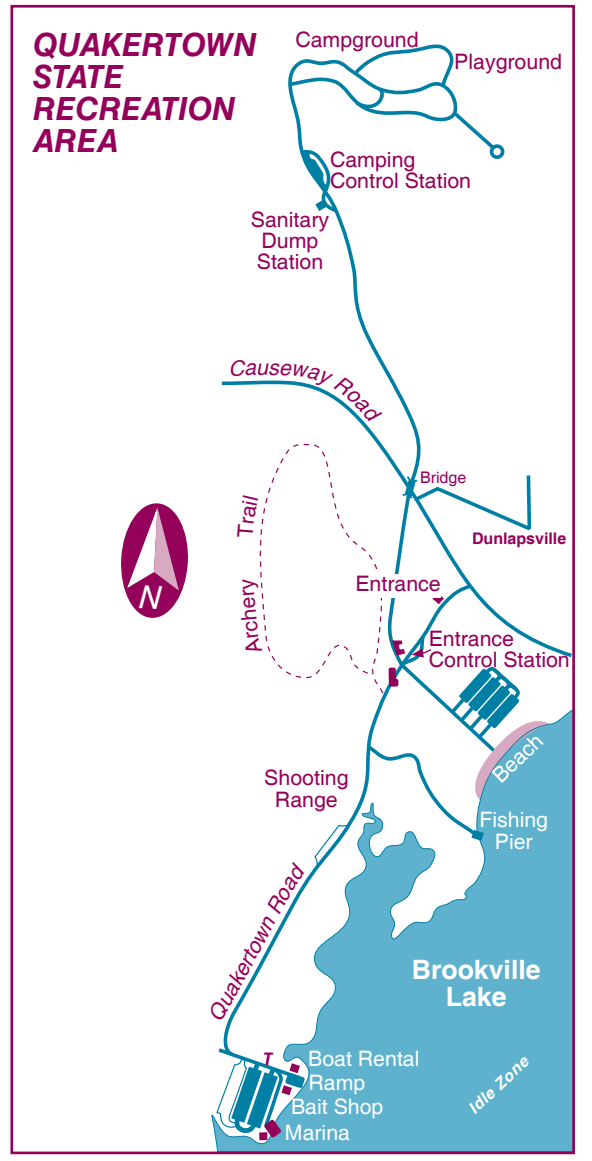
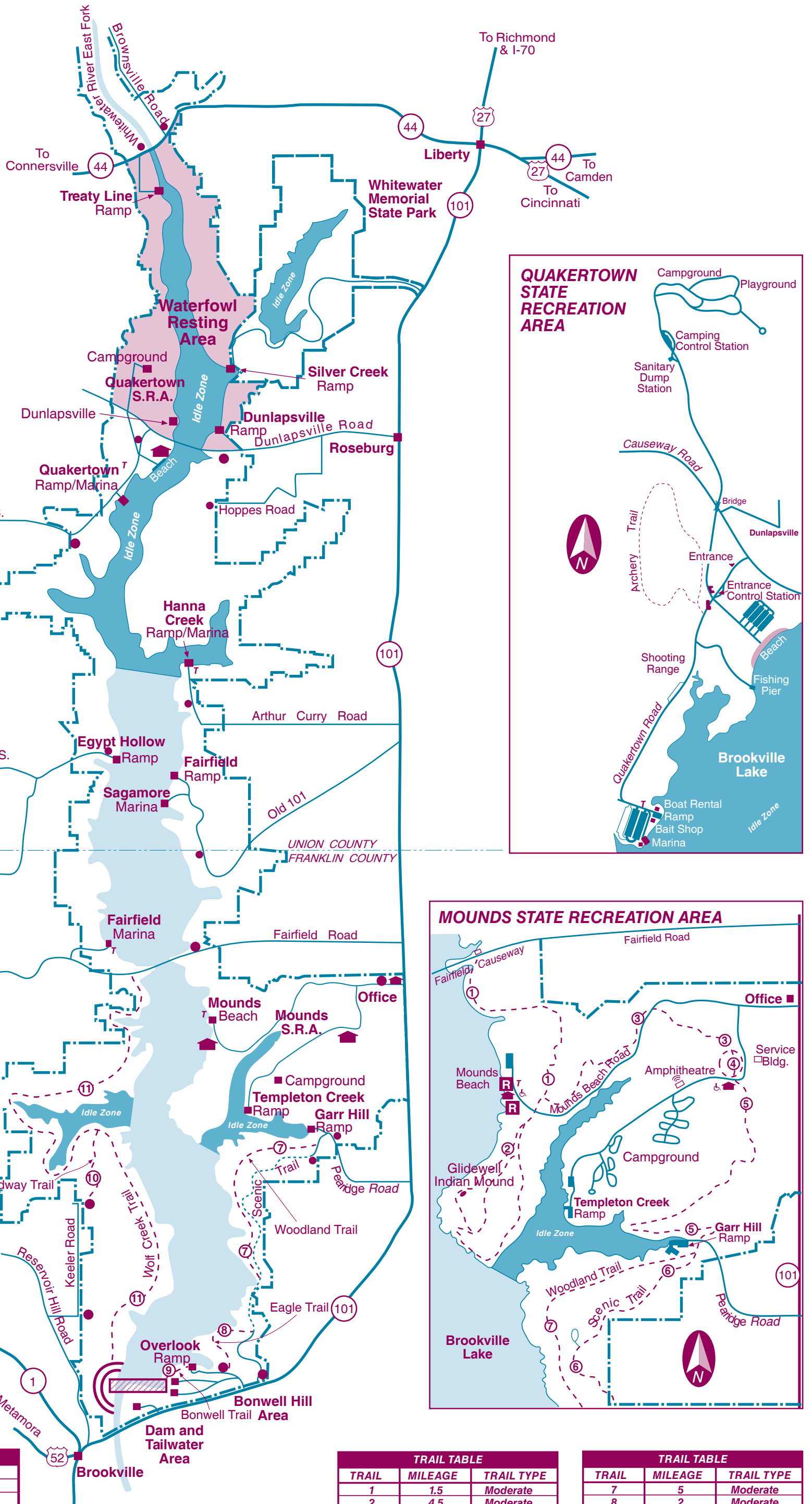
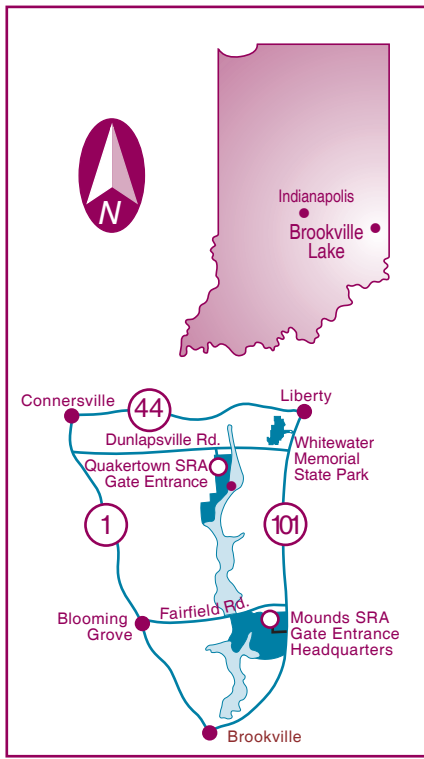
SPECIAL NOTE

Receipts from admission and service charges are used to help defray the operation and maintenance costs of the lake. List of fees available in the lake office.

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BROOKVILLE LAKE

14108 State Road 101 • Brookville, IN 47012 • (765) 647-2657
11,185 Acres • 5,260 Acre Lake Established 1975



RECYCLE
Place used beverage cans in the park's marked recycling containers. Thank you

LEGEND	
	Road
	Hiking Trail
	Hunter Sign-in Station
	Rest Rooms
	Shelters
	Telephone
	Boundary
	Waterfowl Resting Area
	Closed Oct. 1 - Mar. 1
	Idle Zone
	No Wake / No Wash

TRAIL TABLE		
TRAIL	MILEAGE	TRAIL TYPE
1	1.5	Moderate
2	4.5	Moderate
3	2	Moderate
4	.7	Easy
5	1.8	Moderate
6	3	Moderate

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TRAIL	MILEAGE	TRAIL TYPE
7	5	Moderate
8	2	Moderate
9	1.5	Moderate
10	2.2	Moderate
11	16.5	Rugged