

THE BEST FISHING SUNGLASSES OF 2022

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POLARIZED SUNGLASSES CAN MAKE OR BREAK YOUR SUCCESS ON THE WATER. HERE ARE THE BEST FISHING SUNGLASSES FOR 2022.



Without the right pair of glasses, you may be left without the ability to see what you're fishing for — in more ways than one. Sunglasses protect your eyes from harmful UV rays that can cause permanent damage to your vision, but they also provide a shield from the sharp hook you're flinging through the air. No one wants to catch a streamer in the eye.

There are a lot of factors that go into a good pair of shades, but it really comes down to who makes the best lens that's comfortable to wear. A good polarized lens allows you to peer through the water in ways the naked eye just can't. Technology has come so far, and there are nearly limitless lens options for your specialty of fishing.

That being said, here are my recommendations for the shades I think will suit you well on the water.

Best Shallow Ocean: **WILEY X P-17**

The **Wiley X P-17** (\$176) features a low-profile frame with a lightweight, incredibly durable polycarbonate lens. These shades have been a favorite for years both for their sleek, athletic profile and because they meet ANSI Safety Standards for high-impact resistance. That's right — these are fishing sunglasses that are also classified as safety glasses.

All that is to say, they are durable.

One of the major perks of such an aggressive wrap style is the ability to block out ambient light from your peripheral vision. That in itself makes it an awesome shallow-water pair of shades. No one needs all that crazy bright light reflecting in from the sides.

The polarized lenses are offered in multiple colors, all of which offer 100% UVA/UVB protection.

The P-17 is a solid choice for those bright fishing scenarios, or any performance fishing situation where durability and light management are important.

KEY FEATURES

- **CAPTIVATE™ Color-Enhancing Polarized Lenses**
- **ANSI Z87.1+ High Velocity Impact Protection**
- **ANSI Z87.1+ High-Mass Impact Protection**
- **Shatterproof Selenite™ Lenses**
- **Super-Tough Triloid Nylon Frames**
- **Superior Lens Optics**
- **Lightweight**
- **Prescription-Ready**



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P-17 ACTIVE

ANSI Z87.1+ RX READY

Year after year, the P-17 continues to be a staple, and one of the top-selling models, in our Active Lifestyle series. Built to fit most face shapes and sizes, it's a compact fusion of simplicity and performance. A traditional rectangular lens shape exudes classic style while the light-weight, dual-injected nose bridge and temple arms ensure secure and comfortable wearability all day long. The P-17 is sleek, sporty, and ANSI Z87.1+, meeting the highest safety standards for optical clarity and protection. <https://www.wileyx.com/p17>



P-17R
F: BLACK CRYSTAL
L: CAPTIVATE POLARIZED RED MIRROR (GREY BASE)
CAPTIVATE



P-17
F: GLOSS BLACK
L: POLARIZED SMOKE GREEN



P-17GM
F: GLOSS BLACK
L: POLARIZED EMERALD MIRROR (AMBER BASE)



P-17M
F: MATTE BLACK
L: SMOKE GREY
BALLISTIC BLACK OPS



P-17CB
F: GLOSS DEMI
L: CAPTIVATE POLARIZED BLUE MIRROR (GREY BASE)
CAPTIVATE