

Wisconsin Fish Species List. - Fishes reliably reported to occur (or to have occurred in the past) in Wisconsin waters. Parentheses around the common name indicates that the species is believed extirpated from Wisconsin. An asterisk (*) indicates that the species is not originally native to the state. An (E, T, or SC) after the common name indicates a species that is either endangered, threatened, or of special concern in Wisconsin.

PETROMYZONTIDAE - LAMPREYS

Lampreys unsp.,	Petromyzontidae
Lampreys,	<i>Ichthyomyzon</i> spp.
Chestnut lamprey	<i>Ichthyomyzon castaneus</i> Girard
Northern brook lamprey	<i>Ichthyomyzon fossor</i> Reighard and Cummins
Silver lamprey	<i>Ichthyomyzon unicuspis</i> Hubbs and Trautman
American brook lamprey	<i>Lampetra appendix</i> (DeKay)
Sea lamprey*	<i>Petromyzon marinus</i> Linnaeus
Southern brook lamprey (SC)	<i>Ichthyomyzon</i> sp. cf. <i>gagei</i>

ACIPENSERIDAE - STURGEONS

Sturgeons unsp	Acipenseridae
Lake sturgeon (SC)	<i>Acipenser fulvescens</i> Rafinesque
Shovelnose sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus platyrhynchus</i> (Rafinesque)

POLYODONTIDAE - PADDLEFISHES

Paddlefish (T)	<i>Polyodon spathula</i> (Walbaum)
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LEPISOSTEIDAE - GARS

Gars unsp.	Lepisosteidae
Longnose gar	<i>Lepisosteus osseus</i> (Linnaeus)
Shortnose gar	<i>Lepisosteus platostomus</i> Rafinesque

AMIIDAE - BOWFINS

Bowfin	<i>Amia calva</i> Linnaeus
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ANGUILLIDAE - FRESHWATER EELS

American eel (SC)	<i>Anguilla rostrata</i> (Lesueur)
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CLUPEIDAE - HERRINGS

Herrings unsp.	Clupeidae
Alewife*	<i>Alosa pseudoharengus</i> (Wilson)
Gizzard shad	<i>Dorosoma cepedianum</i> (Lesueur)
Skipjack herring (E)	<i>Alosa chrysochloris</i> (Rafinesque)

HIODONTIDAE - MOONEYES

Hiodons unsp.	Hiodontidae
Goldeye (E)	<i>Hiodon alosoides</i> (Rafinesque)
Mooneye	<i>Hiodon tergisus</i> Lesueur

SALMONIDAE - TROUTS

Salmons
 Trouts
 Ciscoes and Whitefishes
 (Longjaw cisco)
 Cisco or Lake herring (SC)
 Lake whitefish
 Bloater (SC)
 (Deepwater cisco)
 Kiyi (SC)
 (Blackfin cisco)
 (Shortnose cisco) (SC)
 Shortjaw cisco (SC)
 Pink salmon*
 Chum salmon*
 Coho salmon*
 Kokanee (Sockeye salmon)*
 Chinook salmon*
 Pygmy whitefish (SC)
 Round whitefish
 Rainbow trout*
 Atlantic salmon*
 Brown trout*
 Brook trout (coaster - SC)
 Lake trout
 Siscowet
 Tiger trout, (brook trout x brown trout)
 Splake (brook trout x lake trout)

Oncorhynchus spp.
Salvelinus spp., *Salmo* spp., *Oncorhynchus mykiss*
Coregonus spp. and *Prosopium* spp.
Coregonus alpenae (Koelz)
Coregonus artedii Lesueur
Coregonus clupeaformis (Mitchill)
Coregonus hoyi (Gill)
*Coregonus johanna*e (Wagner)
Coregonus kiyi (Koelz)
Coregonus nigripinnis (Gill)
Coregonus reighardi (Koelz)
Coregonus zenithicus (Jordon and Evermann)
Oncorhynchus gorbusha (Walbaum)
Oncorhynchus keta (Walbaum)
Oncorhynchus kisutch (Walbaum)
Oncorhynchus nerka (Walbaum)
Oncorhynchus tshawytscha (Walbaum)
Prosopium coulteri (Elgenmann and Elgenmann)
Prosopium cylindraceum (Pallas)
Oncorhynchus mykiss Richardson
Salmo salar Linnaeus
Salmo trutta Linnaeus
Salvelinus fontinalis (Mitchill)
Salvelinus namaycush namaycush (Walbaum)
Salvelinus namaycush siscowet (Agassiz)
S. fontinalis x *S. trutta*
S. fontinalis x *S. namaycush*

OSMERIDAE - SMELTS

Rainbow smelt*

Osmerus mordax (Mitchill)

UMBRIDAE - MUDMINNONS

Central mudminnow

Umbra limi (Kirtland)

ESOCIDAE - PIKES

Pikes unsp.
 Grass pickerel,
 Northern pike
 Muskellunge
 Northern pike x grass pickerel
 Tiger musky (n. pike x muskellunge)

Esocidae
Esox americanus vermiculatus Lesueur
Esox lucius Linnaeus
Esox masquinongy Mitchill
Esox lucius x *Esox americanus*
Esox lucius x *Esox masquinongy*

CYPRINIDAE - MINNONS AND CARPS

Minnows and Carps unsp.
 Chubs

 Daces

 Redbelly dace

Cyprinidae
 (*Couesius plumbeau*, *Macrohybopsis* spp.,
Erimystax x-punctata, *Nocomis biguttatus*, and *Semotilus*
atromaculatus)
 (*Clinostomus elongatus*, *Phoxinus* spp., *Rhinichthys* spp., and
Margariscus margarita)
 (*Phoxinus eos* and *P. erythrogaster*)

Shiners	(<i>Notemigonus crysoleucas</i> , <i>Luxilus</i> spp., <i>Cyprinella</i> spp., <i>Lythrurus umbratilis</i> , and all <i>Notropis</i> spp. except <i>N. nubilus</i>)
Stonerollers	<i>Campostoma</i> spp.
Central stoneroller	<i>Campostoma anomalum</i> (Rafinesque)
Largescale stoneroller	<i>Campostoma oligolepis</i> Hubbs and Greene
Goldfish*	<i>Carassius auratus</i> (Linnaeus)
Redside dace (SC)	<i>Clinostomus elongatus</i> (Kirtland)
Lake chub	<i>Couesius plumbeus</i> (Agassiz)
Grass carp*	<i>Ctenopharyngodon idella</i> (Valenciennes)
Common carp*	<i>Cyprinus carpio</i> Linnaeus
Brassy minnow	<i>Hybognathus hankinsoni</i> Hubbs
Mississippi silvery minnow	<i>Hybognathus nuchalis</i> Agassiz
Speckled chub (T)	<i>Macrhybopsis aestivalis</i> (Girard)
Silver chub (SC)	<i>Macrhybopsis storeriana</i> (Kirtland)
Gravel chub (E)	<i>Erimystax x-punctata</i> (Hubbs and Crowe)
Hornyhead chub	<i>Nocomis biguttatus</i> (Kirtland)
Golden shiner	<i>Notemigonus crysoleucas</i> (Mitchill)
Pallid shiner (E)	<i>Notropis amnis</i> Hubbs and Greene
Pugnose shiner (T)	<i>Notropis anogenus</i> Forbes
Emerald shiner	<i>Notropis atherinoides</i> Rafinesque
River shiner	<i>Notropis blennioides</i> (Girard)
(Ghost shiner)	<i>Notropis burchanani</i> Meek
(Ironcolor shiner)	<i>Notropis chalybaeus</i> (Cope)
Striped shiner (E)	<i>Luxilus chrysocephalus</i> (Rafinesque)
Common shiner	<i>Luxilus cornutus</i> (Mitchill)
Bigmouth shiner	<i>Notropis dorsalis</i> (Agassiz)
Pugnose minnow (SC)	<i>Opsepoedus emiliae</i> (Hay)
Blackchin shiner	<i>Notropis heterodon</i> (Cope)
Blacknose shiner	<i>Notropis heterolepis</i> Eigenmann and Eigenmann
Spottail shiner	<i>Notropis hudsonius</i> (Clinton)
Ozark minnow (T)	<i>Notropis nubilus</i> (Forbes)
Rosyface shiner	<i>Notropis rubellus</i> (Agassiz)
Spotfin shiner	<i>Cyprinella spiloptera</i> (Cope)
Sand shiner	<i>Notropis stramineus</i> (Cope)
Weed shiner (SC)	<i>Notropis texanus</i> (Girard)
Redfin shiner (T)	<i>Lythrurus umbratilis</i> (Girard)
Mimic shiner	<i>Notropis volucellus</i> (Cope)
Suckermouth minnow	<i>Phenacobius mirabilis</i> (Girard)
Northern redbelly dace	<i>Phoxinus eos</i> Cope
Southern redbelly dace	<i>Phoxinus erythrogaster</i> (Rafinesque)
Finescale dace	<i>Phoxinus neogaeus</i> Cope
Bluntnose minnow	<i>Pimephales promelas</i> Rafinesque
Fathead minnow	<i>Pimephales promelas</i> (Rafinesque)
Bullhead minnow	<i>Pimephales vigilax</i> (Baird and Girard)
Blacknose dace	<i>Rhinichthys atratulus</i> (Hermann)
Longnose dace	<i>Rhinichthys cataractae</i> (Valenciennes)
Creek chub	<i>Semotilus atromaculatus</i> (Mitchill)
Pearl dace	<i>Margariscus margarita</i> (Cope)
(Red shiner) (SC)	<i>Cyprinella lutrensis</i> (Baird and Girard)
Rudd*	<i>Scardinius erythrophthalmus</i>
Channel shiner (SC)	<i>Notropis wickliffi</i>

CATOSTOMIDAE - SUCKERS

Carp suckers
 Carpsucker
 Suckers

 Buffalos
 Redhorses
 River carpsucker
 Quillback
 Highfin carpsucker
 Longnose sucker
 White sucker
 Blue sucker (T)
 (Creek chubsucker)
 Lake chubsucker (SC)
 Northern hog sucker
 Smallmouth buffalo
 Bigmouth buffalo
 Black buffalo (T)
 Spotted sucker
 Silver redhorse
 River redhorse (T)
 Black redhorse (E)
 Golden redhorse
 Shorthead redhorse
 Greater redhorse (T)

Carpiodes spp.
Carpiodes carpio and *C. velifer*
 (*Catostomus* spp., *Cycleptus elongatus*, *Erimyzon* spp.,
Hypentelium nigricans, and *Minytrema melanops*)
Ictiobus spp.
Moxostoma spp.
Carpiodes carpio (Rafinesque)
Carpiodes cyprinus (Lesueur)
Carpiodes velifer (Rafinesque)
Catostomus catostomus (Forster)
Catostomus commersoni (Lacepede)
Cycleptus elongatus (Lesueur)
Erimyzon oblongus (Mitchill)*
Erimyzon sucetta (Lacepede)
Hypentelium nigricans (Lesueur)
Ictiobus bubalus (Rafinesque)
Ictiobus cyprinellus (Valenciennes)
Ictiobus niger (Rafinesque)
Minytrema melanops (Rafinesque)
Moxostoma anisurum (Rafinesque)
Moxostoma carinatum (Cope)
Moxostoma duquesnei (Lesueur)
Moxostoma erythrurum (Rafinesque)
Moxostoma macrolepidotum (Lesueur)
Moxostoma valenciennesi Jordan

ICTALURIDAE - BULLHEAD CATFISHES

Bullhead catfishes unsp.
 Catfishes
 Bullheads
 Madtoms
 (Blue catfish)
 Black bullhead
 Yellow bullhead
 Brown bullhead
 Channel catfish
 Slender madtom (E)
 Stonecat
 Tadpole madtom
 Flathead catfish

Ictaluridae
 (*Ictalurus furcatus*, *I. punctatus*, and *Pylodictis olivaris*)
 (*Ameiurus melas*, *A. natalis*, and *A. nebulosus*)
Noturus spp.
Ictalurus furcatus (Lesueur)
Ameiurus melas (Rafinesque)
Ameiurus natalis (Lesueur)
Ameiurus nebulosus (Lesueur)
Ictalurus punctatus (Rafinesque)
Noturus exilis Nelson
Noturus flavus Rafinesque
Noturus gyrinus (Mitchill)
Pylodictis olivaris (Rafinesque)

APHREDODERIDAE - PIRATE PERCHES

Pirate perch (SC)

Aphredoderus sayanus (Gilliams)

PERCOPSIDAE - TROUT-PERCHES

Trout-perch

Percopsis omiscomaycus (Walbaum)

GADIDAE - CODFISHES

Burbot

Lota lota (Linnaeus)

CYPRINODONTIDAE - KILLIFISHES

Killifishes unsp.	Cyprinodontidae
Banded killifish (SC)	<i>Fundulus diaphanus</i> (Lesueur)
Blackstripe topminnow	<i>Fundulus notatus</i> (Rafinesque)
Starhead topminnow (E)	<i>Fundulus dispar</i> (Agassiz)

ATHERINIDAE - SILVERSIDES

Brook silverside	<i>Labidesthes sicculus</i> (Cope)
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GASTEROSTEIDAE - STICKLEBACKS

Sticklebacks unsp.	Gasterosteidae
Brook stickleback	<i>Culaea inconstans</i> (Kirtland)
Ninespine stickleback	<i>Pungitius pungitius</i> (Linnaeus)
Threespine stickleback*	<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i>

PERCICHTHYIDAE (MORONIDAE) - TEMPERATE BASSES

Temperate basses unsp.	Percichthyidae (Moronidae)
White bass	<i>Morone chrysops</i> (Rafinesque)
Yellow bass	<i>Morone mississippiensis</i> Jordan and Eigenmann
White perch*	<i>Morone americana</i>
Hybrid striped bass	<i>M. chrysops</i> x <i>M. saxatilis</i>

CENTRARCHIDAE - SUNFISHES

Sunfishes unsp.	Centrarchidae
Basses	<i>Micropterus</i> spp.
Crappies	<i>Pomoxis</i> spp.
Sunfishes	<i>Lepomis</i> spp. and <i>Ambloplites rupestris</i>
Rock bass	<i>Ambloplites rupestris</i> (Rafinesque)
Green sunfish	<i>Lepomis cyanellus</i> Rafinesque
Pumpkinseed	<i>Lepomis gibbosus</i> (Linnaeus)
Warmouth	<i>Lepomis gulosus</i> (Cuvier)
Orangespotted sunfish	<i>Lepomis humilis</i> (Girard)
Bluegill	<i>Lepomis macrochirus</i> Rafinesque
Longear sunfish (T)	<i>Lepomis megalotis</i> (Rafinesque)
Smallmouth bass	<i>Micropterus dolomieu</i> (Lacepede)
Largemouth bass	<i>Micropterus salmoides</i> (Lacepede)
White crappie	<i>Pomoxis annularis</i> Rafinesque
Black crappie	<i>Pomoxis nigromaculatus</i> (Lesueur)

PERCIDAE - PERCHES

Perches unsp.	Percidae
Darters	(<i>Ammocrypta</i> spp., <i>Etheostoma</i> spp., and <i>Percina</i> spp.)
Walleye or Sauger	<i>Stizostedion</i> spp.
Crystal darter (E)	<i>Ammocrypta asprella</i> (Jordan)
Western sand darter (SC)	<i>Ammocrypta clara</i> Jordan and Meek
Mud darter (SC)	<i>Etheostoma asprigene</i> (Forbes)
(Greenside darter)	<i>Etheostoma blennioides</i> Rafinesque
Rainbow darter	<i>Etheostoma caeruleum</i> Storer
Bluntnose darter (E)	<i>Etheostoma chlorosomum</i> (Hay)

Iowa darter
 Fantail darter
 Least darter (SC)
 Johnny darter
 (Orangethroated darter)
 Banded darter
 Yellow perch
 Logperch
 Gilt darter (T)
 Blackside darter
 Slenderhead darter
 River darter
 Sauger
 Walleye
 Blackside darter x Iowa darter
 Blackside darter x logperch
 Saugeye
 Ruffe*

Etheostoma exile (Girard)
Etheostoma flabellare Rafinesque
Etheostoma microperca Jordan and Gilbert
Etheostoma nigrum Rafinesque
Etheostoma spectabile (Agassiz)
Etheostoma zonale (Cope)
Perca flavescens (Mitchill)
Percina caprodes (Rafinesque)
Percina evides (Jordan and Copeland)
Percina maculata (Girard)
Percina phoxocephala (Nelson)
Percina shumardi (Girard)
Stizostedion canadense (Smith)
Stizostedion vitreum vitreum (Mitchill)
Percina maculata x *Etheostoma exile*
Percina maculata x *Percina caprodes*
Stizostedion vitreum x *Stizostedion canadense*
Gymnocephalus cernuus

SCIAENIDAE - DRUMS

Freshwater drum

Aplodinotus grunniens Rafinesque

COTTIDAE - SCULPINS

Sculpin
 Mottled sculpin
 Slimy sculpin
 Spoonhead sculpin
 Deepwater sculpin
 Mottled sculpin x slimy sculpin

(*Cottus bairdi* and *C. cognatus*)
Cottus bairdi Girard
Cottus cognatus Richardson
Cottus ricei (Nelson)
Myoxocephalus thompsoni (Girard)
Cottus bairdi x *Cottus cognatus*

GOBIIDE - GOBIES

Roundy goby*
 Tubenose goby*

Neogobius melanostomus
Proterorhinus marmoratus