

Barbus fritschii

Region: 1

Taxonomic Authority: (Günther, 1874)

Synonyms:

Capoeta waldoi Boulenger, 1902

Common Names:

Order: Cypriniformes

Family: Cyprinidae

Notes on taxonomy: The taxonomy of the barbels from Morocco is still uncertain and more work is needed before a definitive taxonomy is set for this group in this country.

General Information

Biome Terrestrial Freshwater Marine

Geographic Range of species:

It is restricted to the upper part of the rivers of Morocco.

Habitat and Ecology Information:

No data.

Conservation Measures:

None.

Threats:

No data.

Species population information:

Locally abundant. (Doadrio, I. pers comm)

Country Distribution

	Native - Presence Confirmed	Native - Presence Possible	Extinct	Reintroduced	Introduced	Vagrant
Morocco	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Upper Level Habitat Preferences

Score

Lower Level Habitat Preferences

Score

5.1 Wetlands (inland) - Permanent Rivers/Streams/Creeks
(includes waterfalls)

1

Major threats

Code Description of threat

Past Present Future

12 Unknown

Conservation Measures

Code Conservation measures

In place Needed

3 Research actions

3.1 Taxonomy

3.2 Population numbers and range

3.3 Biology and Ecology

3.4 Habitat status

3.5 Threats

3.8 Conservation measures

3.9 Trends/Monitoring

Utilisation of Species

Purpose/Type of Use

Subsistence

National

International

Other purpose:

Not used

Primary forms removed from the wild

100%

>75%

51-75%

26-50%

<25%

Other forms removed from the wild:

Source of specimens in commercial trade

100%

>75%

51-75%

26-50%

<25%

Other source of specimens:

Trend in wild offtake/harvest in relation to total wild population numbers over last five years:

Trend in offtake/harvest produced through domestication/cultivation over last five years:

CITES:

Red Listing

Red List Assessment: Least Concern (LC)

Possibly Extinct

Red List Criteria:

Rationale for the Red List Assessment: B. fritschii has a widespread distribution and is locally abundant. (Doadrio, I. pers comm)

Current Population Trend: Unknown

Date of Assessment: 31/10/2004

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Notes on Red listing:

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