

Salmo letnica

Taxonomic Authority: (Karaman, 1924)

Synonyms:

Region: 1

Common Names:

Order: Salmoniformes

Family: Salmonidae

Notes on taxonomy: Taxonomy needs reassessing.

General Information

Biome Terrestrial Freshwater Marine

Geographic Range of species:

It is restricted to Ohrid lake in Albania and FYROM.

Habitat and Ecology Information:

It lives at depths of 60 to 80 m within the lake. Spawning season is in January-February. This trout makes up the bulk of catches of salmonid in the Albanian waters of Ohrid lake.

Conservation Measures:

None

Threats:

Water pollution, hybridization.

Species population information:

No data.

Country Distribution

	Native - Presence Confirmed	Native - Presence Possible	Extinct	Reintroduced	Introduced	Vagrant
Albania	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Macedonia, the former Yugoslav Republ	<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

5.5 Wetlands (inland) - Permanent Freshwater Lakes (over 8ha) 1

Major threats

Code	Description of threat	Past	Present	Future
2	Invasive alien species (directly affecting the species)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2.3	Hybridizers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3	Harvesting (hunting/gathering)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3.1	Food	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3.1.1	Subsistence use/local trade	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3.1.2	Sub-national/national trade	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
6	Pollution (affecting habitat and/or species)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
6.3	Water pollution	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7	Natural disasters	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7.1	Drought	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
9	Intrinsic factors	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
9.1	Limited dispersal	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
9.9	Restricted range	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Conservation Measures

Code	Conservation measures	In place	Needed
3	Research actions	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3.1	Taxonomy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3.2	Population numbers and range	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3.3	Biology and Ecology	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.5	Threats	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3.8	Conservation measures	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3.9	Trends/Monitoring	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Utilisation of Species

Purpose/Type of Use	Subsistence	National	International	Other purpose:		
1. Food - human	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	15 to 30 tonnes/year in the Albanian waters of Ohrid lake.		
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:	Unknown					
Trend in offtake/harvest produced through domestication/cultivation over last five years:	Unknown					
CITES:	Not listed					

Red Listing

Red List Assessment: Data Deficient (DD) Possibly Extinct

Red List Criteria:

Rationale for the Red List Assessment: Taxonomy needs to be confirmed using molecular data. There is also little information on abundance, trend and threats.

Current Population Trend: Unknown

Date of Assessment: 31/10/2004

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Notes on Red listing:

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