



## Ameiurus catus

### White catfish

#### General

1. Freshwater fish growing to 62cm

#### Geography and Habitat

1. Native: Atlantic and Gulf Slope drainages from lower Hudson river, NY to Apalachicola basin in FL, GA, AL and southern peninsular FL to Peace River drainage
2. Habitats
  - High tolerance to salinity

#### Invasion Pathways

1. Intentionally stocked for sport and food
2. Natural range extension through altered hydrologic pathways

#### Sources

1. <http://nas.er.usgs.gov/queries/FactSheet.aspx?SpeciesID=729>



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