



## Enneacanthus gloriosus

### Bluespotted sunfish

#### General

1. Freshwater planktivorous fish growing to 9.5cm

#### Geography and Habitat

1. Native: Atlantic and Gulf Slope drainages below Fall Line from southern New York to lower Tobigbee River, Alabama, south to southern Florida; above Fall Line in New York and Pennsylvania
2. Habitats
  - Oxbows and side ponds characterized by dense submerged aquatic vegetation

#### Invasion Pathways

1. Likely due to an aquarium release

#### Sources

1. <http://nas.er.usgs.gov/queries/FactSheet.aspx?SpeciesID=377>



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