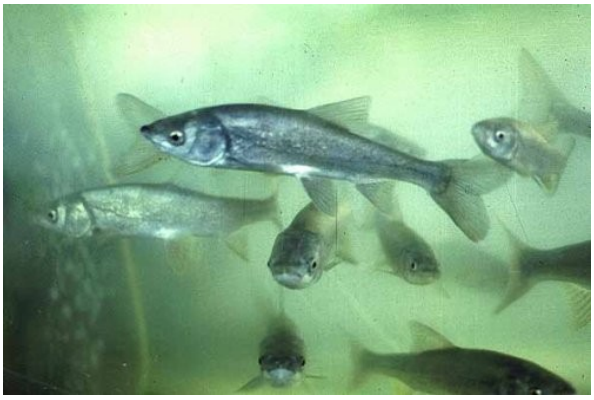
Orthodon microlepidotus

Sacramento blackfish



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General
1. Freshwater, brackish, benthopelagic
2. Growing to 55cm

Geography and Habitat
1. Native: Sacramento, CA: San Joaquin, Pajaro, and Salinas River drainages; Clear Lake, CA
2. Introduced: Elsewhere in California, Nevada
3. Habitats
    - Demersal zone
    - Temperate; 39°N — 35°N

Invasion Pathways
1. Aquaculture release/escape

Sources
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