

List of Freshwater Fishes from Argentina - Update 10.

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The aim of this list of species of freshwater fishes from Argentina is to provide an updated supplement to the 'Lista comentada de los peces continentales de la Argentina' published by López, Miquelarena and Menni in 2003. Only those species are listed here that have not been included in that paper or that have undergone systematical changes since then.

This list is not a publication in the sense of the 'Code' (IRZN) and expressions as 'new species', 'new combination' etc. are only used to highlight changes in comparison with López et al. 2003.

'NEW' after species names indicates that this record has not been included in previous updates published by www.pecesciollos.de.

Class **Ostariophysi**

Order **Characiformes**

Family **Parodontidae**

Parodon nasus Kner, 1859

P. tortuosus is a jr. synonym of *nasus* > [details](#)

Family **Prochilodontidae**

Prochilodus lineatus (Valenciennes, 1836)

P. platensis and *P. scrofa* are jr. synonyms of *lineatus* > [details](#) NEW

Family **Crenuchidae**

Subfamily **Characidiinae**

Characidium borellii (Boulenger, 1895)

Valid species from Argentina > [details](#)

Family **Characidae**

Subfamily **Characinae**

Nantis Mirande, Aguilera & Azpelicueta, 2006

nom.nov. (substitute for *Nans*) > [details](#)

N. indefessus (Mirande, Aguilera & Azpelicueta, 2004)

New species > [details](#)

Phenacogaster tegatus (Eigenmann, 1911)

First records from Argentina > [details](#)

Roeboides affinis (Günther, 1868)

R. prognathus is a jr. synonym of *affinis* > [details](#)

R. descalvadensis Fowler, 1932*R. paranensis* is a jr. synonym of *descalvadensis* > [details](#)**R. microlepis** (Reinhardt, 1851)*R. bonariensis* is a jr. synonym of *microlepis* > [details](#)

Subfamily Glandulocaudinae

Cyanocharax Malabarba & Weitzman, 2003
New genus**C. lepiclastus** Malabarba, Weitzman & Casciotta, 2003
New species > [details](#)**C. uruguayensis** (Messner, 1962)
New combination; *C. macropinna* is a junior synonym > [details](#)

Subfamily Cheirodontinae

Cheirodon ibicuhiensis Eigenmann, 1915
First record from Argentina > [details](#)

Subfamily Serrasalminae

Serrasalmus auriventris (Burmeister, 1861)
Overlooked taxon from Argentina > [details](#)**S. maculatus** Kner, 1858
Valid and from Argentina > [details](#)**S. nigricauda** (Burmeister, 1861)
Overlooked taxon from Argentina > [details](#)

Subfamily (Genera Incertae Sedis sensu CLOFFSCA)

Astyanax aramburui Protogino, Miquelarena & López, 2006
New species > [details](#)**A. chico** Casciotta & Almirón, 2004
New species > [details](#)**A. correntinus** (Holmberg, 1891)
New combination (from *Ctenobrycon*) > [details](#)**A. endy** Mirande, Aguilera & Azpelicueta, 2006
New species > [details](#)**A. hermosus** Miquelarena, Protogino & López, 2005
New species > [details](#)**A. latens** Mirande, Aguilera & Azpelicueta, 2004
New species > [details](#)**A. pampa** Casciotta, Almirón & Azpelicueta, 2005
New species > [details](#)

A. puka Mirande, Aguilera & Azpelicueta, 2007
New species > [details](#)

A. pynandi Casciotta, Almirón, Bechera, Roux & Ruiz Diaz, 2003
New species > [details](#)

A. rutilus (Jenyns, 1842)
Valid species from Argentina > [details](#)

A. saguazu Casciotta, Almirón & Azpelicueta, 2003
New species > [details](#)

A. stenohalinus Messner, 1962
First record from Argentina > [details](#)

A. tumbayaensis Miquelarena & Menni, 2005
New species > [details](#)

A. tupi Azpelicueta, Almirón & Casciotta, 2003
New species > [details](#)

Bryconamericus ikaa Casciotta, Almirón & Azpelicueta, 2004
New species > [details](#)

B. pyahu Azpelicueta, Casciotta & Almirón, 2003
New species > [details](#)

B. ytu Almirón, Azpelicueta & Casciotta, 2003
New species > [details](#)

Hyphessobrycon auca Almirón, Casciotta,
Bechara & Ruiz Diaz, 2004
New species > [details](#)

H. isiri Almirón, Casciotta & Koerber, 2006
New species > [details](#)

H. togoi Miquelarena & López, 2006
New species > [details](#)

Triportheus nematurus (Kner, 1858)
T. paranensis is a jr. synonym of *nematurus* > [details](#)

Family
Subfamily

Lebiasinidae
Pyrrhulinae

Pyrrhulina australis Eigenmann & Kennedy, 1903
P. macrolepis and *P. rachoviana* are synonyms > [details](#)

Family

(Species Incertae Sedis in Characiformes)

Schizodon succinctus Burmeister, 1861
Overlooked taxon from Argentina > [details](#)

Tetragonopterus signatus Burmeister, 1861
Overlooked taxon from Argentina > [details](#)

Order

Siluriformes

Family

Cetopsidae

Subfamily

Cetopsinae

Cetopsis gobioides Kner, 1857New combination (from *Pseudocetopsis*) > [details](#)***C. starnesi*** Vari, Ferraris & de Pinna, 2005First record from Argentina > [details](#)

Family

Aspredinidae***Pseudobunocephalus iheringii*** (Boulenger, 1891)New combination (from *Bunocephalus*) > [details](#)

NEW

P. rugosus (Eigenmann & Kennedy, 1903)New combination (from *Bunocephalus*) > [details](#)

NEW

Pterobunocephalus depressus (Haseman, 1911)First record from Argentina > [details](#)

NEW

Family

Trichomycteridae

Subfamily

Trichomycterinae

Silvinichthys bortayro Fernández & de Pinna, 2005New species > [details](#)***Trichomycterus pseudosilvinichthys*** Fernández & Vari, 2004New species > [details](#)***T. yuska*** Fernández & Schaefer, 2003New species > [details](#)

Subfamily

Stegophilinae

Homodiaetus anisitsi Eigenmann & Ward, 1907*H. vazferreirai* is a junior synonym of *anisitsi* > [details](#)

Family

Callichthyidae

Subfamily

Corydoradinae

Corydoras longipinnis Knaack, 2007New species > [details](#)

Family

Loricariidae

Subfamily

Loricariinae

R. misionera Rodríguez & Miquelarena, 2005New species > [details](#)

Subfamily

Hypoptopomatinae

Epactionotus aky Azpelicueta, Casciotta, Almirón & Koerber, 2004New species > [details](#)

E. yasi Almirón, Azpelicueta & Casciotta, 2004
New species > [details](#)

Hisonotus charrua Almirón, Casciotta, Azpelicueta & Litz, 2006
First record from Argentina > [details](#)

H. hungy Azpelicueta, Almirón, Casciotta & Koerber, 2007
New species > [details](#)

H. nigricauda (Boulenger, 1891)
First record from Argentina > [details](#)

Otocinclus arnoldi Regan, 1909
Revalidated from synonymy > [details](#)

O. vestitus Cope, 1872
First record from Argentina > [details](#)

Subfamily Hypostominae
Tribus Hypostomini

Hypostomus boulengeri (Eigenmann & Kennedy, 1903)
First record from Argentina > [details](#)

H. microstomus Weber, 1987
New combination (from *Watawata*) > [details](#)

H. roseopunctatus Reis, Weber & Malabarba, 1990
New combination (from *Watawata*) > [details](#)
Treated as 'especie limítrofe' by López et al. (2003)

Tribus Ancistrini

Ancistrus taunayi Miranda Ribeiro, 1918
First records from Argentina > [details](#)

Tribus Pterygoplichthini

Pterygoplichthys anisitsi Eigenmann & Kennedy, 1903
New combination (from *Liposarcus*) > [details](#)

Family Heptapteridae

Imparfinis mishky Almirón et al., 2007
New species > [details](#)

Pimelodella taenioptera Miranda Ribeiro, 1914 NEW
First record from Argentina > [details](#)

Rhamdella cainguae Bockmann & Miquelarena, 2008 NEW
New species > [details](#)

Family Pimelodidae

Pseudoplatystoma reticulatum Eigenmann & Eigenmann, 1889
Elevated to species level > [details](#)

Family

Ariidae***Genidens barbatus*** (Lacépède, 1803)New combination (from *Netuma*) > [details](#)

Family

Doradidae***Platydoras armatulus*** (Valenciennes in Cuvier & Val., 1840)Valid species from Argentina > [details](#)

Family

(Species Incertae Sedis in Siluriformes)***Bagrus tucumanus*** Burmeister, 1861Overlooked taxon from Argentina > [details](#)

Order

Salmoniformes

Family

Salmonidae***Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*** Walbaum, 1792First record from Argentina > [details](#)

NEW

Order

Cyprinodontiformes

Family

Rivulidae

Subfamily

Rivulinae

Tribus

Neofundulini

Pterolebias longipinnis Garman, 1895Valid as listed in López et al. 2003 > [details](#)

Subfamily

Cynolebiinae

Tribus

Cynolebiini

Austrolebias apaii Costa, Laurino, Recuero & Salvia, 2006New species > [details](#)***A. elongatus*** (Steindachner, 1881)New combination (from *Megalebias*) > [details](#)***A. monstrosus*** (Huber, 1995)New combination (from *Megalebias*) > [details](#)***A. patriciae*** (Huber, 1995)First record from Argentina > [details](#)***A. robustus*** (Günther, 1883)Revalidated from synonymy > [details](#)***A. toba*** Calviño, 2006New species > [details](#)

Family **Poeciliidae**
 Subfamily Poeciliinae
 Tribus Cnesterodontini

Cnesterodon raddai Meyer & Etzel, 2001
 New species > [details](#)

Family **Anablepsidae**
 Subfamily Jenynsiinae

Jenynsia tucumana Aguilera & Mirande, 2005
 New species > [details](#)

Order **Perciformes**

Family **Percichthyidae**

Percichthys laevis (Jenyns, 1840)
 Revalidated from synonymy with *P. trucha* > [details](#)

P. trucha (Valenciennes, 1833)
P. altispinis and *P. vinciguerrae* are junior synonyms
 of *P. trucha* > [details](#)

Family **Sciaenidae**

Plagioscion ternetzi Boulenger, 1895
P. macdonaghi is a junior synonym of *ternetzi* > [details](#)

Family **Cichlidae**
 Subfamily Astronotinae

Astronotus crassipinnis (Heckel, 1840)
 Revalidated from synonymy with *A. ocellatus* > [details](#)

Subfamily Cichlinae

Crenicichla hadrostigma Lucena, 2007
 New species > [details](#)

C. jupiaensis Britski & Luengo, 1968
 First record from Argentina > [details](#)

C. yaha Casciotta, Almirón & Gómez, 2006
 New species > [details](#)

Subfamily Cichlasomatinae
 Tribus Heroini

Australoheros facetus (Jenyns, 1842)
 New combination (from '*Cichlasoma*') > [details](#)

A. forquilha Rican & Kullander, 2008
 New species > [details](#)

A. kaaygua Casciotta, Almirón & Gómez, 2006
New species > [details](#)

A. scitulus (Rican & Kullander, 2003)
New combination (from ,*Cichlasoma*') > [details](#)
New species as '*Cichlasoma*' *scitulum* > [details](#)

A. tembe (Casciotta, Gómez & Toresani, 1995)
New combination (from ,*Cichlasoma*') > [details](#)

Subfamily Geophaginae

Apistogramma trifasciata (Eigenmann & Kennedy, 1903)
Confirmed record from Argentina > [details](#)

Family Mugilidae

Mugil curema Valenciennes, 1836
First record from Argentina > [details](#)

NOT from Argentina

In the past the following taxa, mostly using other generic combinations,
have been reported erroneously from Argentina:

Bunocephalus hypsiurus Kner, 1855 > [details](#)

Chirodon piaba Lütken, 1874 > [details](#) NEW

Creagrutus beni Eigenmann, 1911 > [details](#) NEW

Dysichthys coracoideus Cope, 1874 > [details](#)

Heptapterus collettii Steindachner, 1881 > [details](#)

Holotaxis melanostomus Cope, 1870 > [details](#)

Lobotes ocellatus Agassiz & Spix, 1831 > [details](#)

Mugil liza Valenciennes, 1836 > [details](#)

Odontostilbe hastatus Eigenmann, 1913 > [details](#) NEW

Otocinclus flexilis Cope, 1894 > [details](#)

Parodon suborbitalis Valenciennes, 1850 > [details](#)

Pimelodella cochabambae Fowler, 1940 > [details](#)

Prochilodus argenteus Spix & Agassiz, 1829 > [details](#) NEW

Pyrrhulina brevis Steindachner, 1876 > [details](#)

Silurus coecutiens Lichtenstein, 1819 > [details](#)

Silurus costatus Linnaeus, 1758 > [details](#) NEW

Silurus fasciatus Linnaeus, 1766 > [details](#) NEW

Tridentopsis pearsoni Myers, 1925 > [details](#)

Of course I am highly interested in getting separata, copies or pdf's of any work that has been published on freshwater fishes from Argentina, being of systematic relevance or not.

Authors of new species are kindly asked to send by email a photograph of an alive animal or the photo of the dead Holotype as usually published within the papers.

I try to keep both, the above mentioned homepage and the present list as updated as possible. I invite all members of the ichthyological community to cooperate and keep me informed about works that contain related information.

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