

Checklist of Bulgarian Freshwater Fishes

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Abstract: The present checklist includes 154 species and subspecies of fishes belonging to 98 genera, 46 families and 17 orders. The Latin (scientific), English and Bulgarian names, basic synonyms and some taxonomic and nomenclature changes are given. The areals and the natural protection status of species according to the Bern Convention, the Bulgarian Red Book and IUCN Red List are noted.

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