

## Check List of the Freshwater Fishes of Uruguay (CLOFFUY) - Update 1.

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### General introduction

The aim of this list of species of freshwater fishes from Uruguay is to provide an updated supplement to the 'Checklist of Freshwater Fishes of Uruguay (CLOFFUY)' published by Litz & Koerber (2014) [LK].

Only those species are listed here that have not been included in that paper or which have undergone systematical changes since then. Changes in this sense may be new species, synonymies, re-validations, new generic combinations etc., every factor which might modify the data published at present.

This list is not a publication in the sense of the 'Code' (ICZN) and expressions as 'new species', 'new combination' etc. are only used to highlight changes in comparison with the original CLOFFUY.

'Info' provides hyperlinks to the individual species accounts in [www.pecescriollos.de](http://www.pecescriollos.de), usually with figures and some data from the respective publication.

### Remarks on this update

Only few weeks after releasing the CLOFFUY, a book on the fishes collected in the Río Negro basin in central Uruguay was published by Serra et al. (2014). This already provided sufficient new data to justify an immediate first update to CLOFFUY.

The references in this paper draw our attention to another paper overlooked so far by us: Loureiro et al. (2013). In this second paper more species were accounted for from the freshwaters of Uruguay for the first time. As Loureiro et al. (2013) confirm in the introduction that all included species were listed based on material available in collections we decided to include these despite the fact that this is not a systematical work. Some species listed in the present update have been listed in both papers. In these overlapping cases we have acknowledged the first record to Serra et al. (2014), being the one with detailed information on each species and in most cases indicating the lot number of a collection.

With the present update the number of species has reached 298. The highest increase can be observed in Siluriformes, while a synonymization has diminished the number of cyprinodontiforms.

	CLOFFUY	update # 1	total
Rajiformes	2		2
Acipenseriformes	2	1	3
Clupeiformes	4		4
Cypriniformes	1		1
Characiformes	90	2	92
Siluriformes	103	15	118
Gymnotiformes	9	2	11
Atheriniformes	6	1	7
Cyprinodontiformes	28	-1	27
Synbranchiformes	1		1
Perciformes	28	1	29
Pleuronectiformes	3		3
<b>total</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>298</b>

class           **A C T I N O P T E R Y G I I**  
 order           **ACIPENSERIFORMES**  
 family          **Acipenseridae**

***Acipenser***

***A. gueldenstaedtii*** Brandt & Ratzeburg, 1833  
 first record from Uruguay  
 published in     Serra et al. (2014)  
 remarks          introduced exotic species !  
 origin           Europe and Middle East: Black Sea, Sea of Azov, and Caspian Sea watersheds

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order           **CHARACIFORMES**  
 family          **Characidae**  
 subfamily       Astyanax clade

***Astyanax***

***A. dissensus*** Lucena & Thofehrn, 2013  
 first record from Uruguay  
 published in     Serra et al. (2014)

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subfamily       Bramocharax clade  
 species of the *Bramocharax* clade considered not to be distributed in Uruguay  
*Tetragonopterus multifasciatus* Eigenmann & Norris, 1900 | in LK sub *Hollandichthys m.* | Serra et al. (2014)

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subfamily       Hemigrammus clade

***Hypessobrycon***

***H. igneus*** Miquelarena, Menni, López & Casciotta, 1980  
 first record from Uruguay  
 published in     Serra et al. (2014)  
 sub *Hypessobrycon* aff. *igneus*

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***H. togoi*** Miquelarena & López, 2006  
 first record from Uruguay  
 published in     Serra et al. (2014)

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family          **Crenuchidae**

***Characidium***

***C. zebra*** Eigenmann, 1909  
 first record from Uruguay  
 published in     Serra et al. (2014)  
 sub *Characidium* aff. *zebra*  
 remarks          This is the species which in the past erroneously was addressed as *C. fasciatum*.

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**Crenuchidae considered not to be distributed in Uruguay**

*Characidium fasciatum* Reinhardt, 1867 | in LK sub *Characidium fasciatum* | Serra et al. (2014)

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order **SILURIFORMES**  
 family **Auchenipteridae**  
 subfamily Auchenipterinae

***Trachelyopterus***

***T. galeatus*** (Linnaeus, 1766) [info](#)  
 first record from Uruguay  
 published in Loureiro et al. (2013)  
 original *Silurus galeatus*  
 synonyms *Auchenipterus maculosus* Valenciennes, 1840  
*Parauchenipterus paseae* Regan, 1906

***T. lucenai*** Bertoletti, Pezzi da Silva & Pereira, 1995 [info](#)  
 first record from Uruguay  
 published in Serra et al. (2014)

family **Pimelodidae**

***Parapimelodus***

***P. nigribarbis*** (Boulenger, 1889) [info](#)  
 first record from Uruguay  
 published in Loureiro et al. (2013)  
 original *Pimelodus nigribarbis*

family **Heptapteridae**

***Heptapterus***

***H. sympterygium*** Buckup, 1988 [info](#)  
 first record from Uruguay  
 published in Loureiro et al. (2013)  
 sub *Heptapterus sympterigium*

***Imparfinis***

***I. mishky*** Almirón, Casciotta, Bechara, Ruíz Díaz, Bruno, D'Ambrosio, Solimano & Soneira, 2007 [info](#)  
 first record from Uruguay  
 published in Serra et al. (2014)

family **Aspredinidae**

***Xyliophius***

***X. barbatus*** Alonso de Arámburu & Arámburu, 1962 [info](#)  
 first record from Uruguay  
 published in Loureiro et al. (2013)

family **Loricariidae**  
 subfamily Hypoptopomatinae  
 tribus Hypoptopomatini

***Otocinclus***

***O. vestitus*** Cope, 1872 [info](#)  
 first record from Uruguay

published in Loureiro et al. (2013)

tribus Otothyridini

### ***Hisonotus***

***H. armatus*** Carvalho, Lehmann, Pereira & Reis, 2008  
first record from Uruguay  
published in Loureiro et al. (2013)

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subfamily Hypostominae

tribus Ancistrini

### ***Ancistrus***

***A. taunayi*** Miranda Ribeiro, 1918  
first record from Uruguay  
published in Serra et al. (2014)

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### ***Hemiancistrus***

***H. votouro*** Cardoso & da Silva, 2004  
first record from Uruguay  
published in Serra et al. (2014)

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tribus Hypostomini

### ***Hypostomus***

***H. isbrueckeri*** Reis, Weber & Malabarba, 1990  
first record from Uruguay  
published in Serra et al. (2014)

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***H. roseopunctatus*** Reis, Weber & Malabarba, 1990  
first record from Uruguay  
published in Serra et al. (2014)

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subfamily Loricariinae

### ***Loricaria***

***L. simillima*** Regan, 1904  
first record from Uruguay  
published in Serra et al. (2014)  
sub *Loricaria* aff. *simillima*

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### ***Loricariichthys***

***L. platymetopon*** Isbrücker & Nijssen, 1979  
first record from Uruguay  
published in Serra et al. (2014)

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### ***Rineloricaria***

***R. microlepidogaster*** (Regan, 1904)  
first record from Uruguay  
published in Serra et al. (2014)  
sub *Rineloricaria* aff. *microlepidogaster*  
original *Loricaria microlepidogaster*

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order **GYMNOTIFORMES**

family **Apteronotidae**

***Apteronotus***

***A. ellisi*** (Alonso de Arámburu, 1957)

first record from Uruguay

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published in Loureiro et al. (2013)

original *Porotergus ellisi*

family **Gymnotidae**

***Gymnotus***

***G. inaequilabiatus*** (Valenciennes, 1839)

first record from Uruguay

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published in Loureiro et al. (2013)

original sub *Gymnotus inaequilabiatus*

*Carapus inaequilabiatus*

order **ATHERINIFORMES**

family **Atherinopsidae**

***Odontesthes***

***O. argentinensis*** (Valenciennes, 1835)

first record from Uruguay

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published in Loureiro et al. (2013)

original *Atherina argentinensis*

synonyms *Atherina lessonii* Valenciennes, 1835

*Basilichthys bonariensis* var. *charruanus* Lahille, 1929

*Basilichthys bonariensis* var. *propinquus* Lahille, 1929

*Kronia alba* de Buen, 1953

*Kronia iguapensis* Miranda Ribeiro, 1915

*Kronia rex* de Buen, 1953

*Menidia thomasi* Meinken, 1931

*Pseudothyrina iheringi* Miranda Ribeiro, 1915

order **CYPRINODONTIFORMES**

family **Rivulidae**

subfamily Cynolebiasinae

tribus Cynolebiasini

***Austrolebias***

***A. affinis*** (Amato, 1986)

synonym

*Cynolebias duraznensis* García, Scvortzoff & Hernández, 1995 [Serra et al. (2014)]

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order	<b>PERCIFORMES</b>
suborder	<b>LABROIDEI</b>
family	<b>Cichlidae</b>
subfamily	Cichlinae
tribus	Cichlasomatini

## ***Cichlasoma***

**C. portalegrense** (Hensel, 1870)  
first record from Uruguay  
published in Loureiro et al. (2013)  
original sub *Cichlasoma portalegrensis*  
*Acara portalegrensis*

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