

Animal Fact Sheet

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Blue Gourami

Trichopodus trichopterus

The Blue Gourami, also known as the Three-spot Gourami, is a popular freshwater fish native to Southeast Asia. It is recognized for its shimmering blue or pale blue coloration and the two distinctive...

Quick facts

Classification: Fish

Family: Osphronemidae

Habitat: Slow-moving freshwater rivers, swamps, and lakes with abundant vegetation

Diet: Omnivore

Conservation status: Least Concern

Lifespan: 4-6 years

Weight: 30-80 grams

Scientific name: *Trichopodus trichopterus*

Did you know?

- Blue Gouramis can breathe air directly from the surface, allowing them to survive in oxygen-poor waters where many other fish cannot.
- Blue Gouramis can change their coloration slightly depending on mood or environment, and males become more vibrant during breeding. They are bubble n...

What I learned
