

# Animal Fact Sheet

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## Kuhli Loach

*Pangio kuhlii*

The Kuhli loach is a small, slender freshwater fish known for its eel-like body and distinctive striped pattern. Native to Southeast Asia, this nocturnal species spends much of its time burrowing int...

### Quick facts

**Classification:** Fish**Family:** Cobitidae**Habitat:** Slow-moving freshwater streams and rivers with sandy or muddy bottoms**Diet:** Omnivore**Conservation status:** Least Concern**Lifespan:** 7-10 years**Weight:** 2-5 grams**Scientific name:** *Pangio kuhlii*

### Did you know?

- Kuhli loaches can breathe atmospheric air using their intestines when oxygen levels in the water are low.
- Kuhli loaches lack scales on their heads, making them sensitive to water conditions. They can squeeze through surprisingly small gaps thanks to their...

### What I learned

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