



Saramugo

The Spanish minnowcarp (saramugo) is a small fish that can reach 7cm. It is native to the Guadiana river and it only exists in the wild in southern Alentejo, Algarve and Andalucía.

It is thought that its disappearance is connected to large drought periods also associated to building of dams, which, block their path through the river.

To avoid the eradication of this fish it is important the awareness about this specie, and to avoid the disappearance of rivers in its habitats in peak heat periods.



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