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This document lists the Invasive Species Council's recommended regulatory status for species of the Fish and Crayfish Species Assessment Group (SAG). These recommendations are the council's proposed revisions to the Invasive Species Identification, Classification, and Control Rule (Chapter NR 40, Wis. Adm. Code). The council advises the department on a number of invasive species issues, including how to classify invasive species.

SAGs are advisory to the council, and are collections of stakeholders and experts that have valuable input for the species being reviewed. Like the council, they come from a variety of backgrounds including industry, research, education, tribal nations, and local/state/federal government. SAGs review the literature available on the species they're examining and develop recommendations to the council on the regulatory status for each species. The council then votes on these recommendations to produce the list below.

These proposed revisions will be presented by the SAG Coordinator via an online Zoom session on March 13, 2024 from 6:00pm – 7:30pm.

If you would like to register for this Zoom session or have feedback or questions related to the regulatory status of any of the species below, please visit the council website at:

<https://dnr.wisconsin.gov/topic/invasives/InvasiveSpeciesCouncil>

If you would like additional information, such as the literature review for a specific species, please email DNRInvasiveSpecies@wisconsin.gov.

The council will review all feedback received from these sessions before proposing their final recommendations to the department. The department will then begin the official rule making process, during which there will be additional opportunities for public comment.

Fish and Crayfish SAG Species Recommendations

Currently regulated under NR40 with proposed changes

Scientific Name	Common Name	Current Status	Council Recommendation
<i>Monopterus</i>	Asian swamp eel	Prohibited	Prohibited (list specifically by name)

Species newly proposed for regulation under NR40

None.

Species assessed but not proposed for regulation under NR40

None.

Currently regulated under NR40 with no proposed changes

Scientific Name	Common Name	Current Status	Council Recommendation
<i>Alosa pseudoharengus</i>	Alewive	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Salvelinus alpinus</i>	Arctic char	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Salmo salar</i>	Atlantic salmon	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Hypophthalmichthys nobilis</i>	Bighead carp	Prohibited	Prohibited
<i>Rhodeus</i> spp.	Bitterling	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Mylopharyngodon piceus</i>	Black carp	Prohibited	Prohibited
<i>Salmo trutta</i>	Brown trout	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Myxocyprinus asiaticus</i>	Chinese hi-fin banded shark	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Oncorhynchus tshawytscha</i>	Chinook salmon	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Oncorhynchus kisutch</i>	Coho salmon	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Cyprinus carpio</i>	Common carp	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Channidae</i>	Snakehead family	Prohibited (including <i>Channa argus</i> , <i>C. bleheri</i> , <i>C. gachua</i> , <i>C. maculate</i> , <i>C. marulius</i> , <i>C. punctata</i> , and <i>C. striata</i>)	Prohibited (including <i>Channa argus</i> , <i>C. bleheri</i> , <i>C. gachua</i> , <i>C. maculate</i> , <i>C. marulius</i> , <i>C. punctata</i> , and <i>C. striata</i>)

Scientific Name	Common Name	Current Status	Council Recommendation
<i>Gambusia holbrooki</i>	Eastern mosquitofish	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Carassius auratus</i>	Goldfish	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Ctenopharyngodon Idella</i>	Grass carp	Prohibited	Prohibited
<i>Leuciscus idus</i>	Ide	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Cyprinus carpio</i>	Koi carp	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Oncorhynchus gorbuscha</i>	Pink salmon	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Osmerus mordax</i>	Rainbow smelt	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	Rainbow trout	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Cyprinella lutrensis</i>	Red shiner	Prohibited	Prohibited
<i>Lepomis microlophus</i>	Redear sunfish	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Neogobius melanostomus</i>	Round goby	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Scardinius erythrophthalmus</i>	Rudd	Prohibited	Prohibited
<i>Gymnocephalus cernuus</i>	Ruffe	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Orconectes rusticus</i>	Rusty crayfish	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Petromyzon marinus</i>	Sea lamprey	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Hypophthalmichthys molitrix</i>	Silver carp	Prohibited	Prohibited
<i>Acipenser ruthenus</i>	Sterlet	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Tinca tinca</i>	Tench	Prohibited	Prohibited
<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i>	Three-spine stickleback	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Salvelinus fontinalis x Salmo trutta</i>	Tiger trout	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Tilapia spp.</i>	Tilapia	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Proterorhinus marmoratus</i>	Tubenose goby	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Misgurnus anguillicaudatus</i>	Weather loach	Restricted	Restricted

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<i>Gambusia affinis</i>	Western mosquitofish	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Morone americana</i>	White perch	Restricted	Restricted
<i>Sander lucioperca</i>	Zander	Prohibited	Prohibited