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Spottail Shiner *Notropis hudsonius*

Characteristics

- large eye, short rounded snout w/ horizontal mouth
- black caudal spot, inconspicuous in large individuals
- dorsal fin origin over or slightly in front of pelvic fin origin
- olive gray above with dusky lateral stripe along silver side

Ecology and Distribution

- reported by PA Fish & Boat Commission from Edinboro & Conneaut Lakes
- southern edge of range; status uncertain in FCW streams