



<http://www.assabriver.org/streamwatch/CreekChubsucker.html>

Creek Chubsucker

Erimyzon oblongus



<http://www.nj.gov/dep/wms/bfbm/fish/creekchubsucker.jpg>

Characteristics

- stout body w/ small, oblique, nearly terminal mouth
- two halves of lower lip meet at right angle
- olive to brown above; dark-edged scales; silver belly
- juveniles with dark lateral band fading to blotches in adults; no lateral line

Ecology and Distribution

- originally restricted to eastern PA where it occurs in small streams and creeks
- reported in several glacial lakes in FCW by PA Fish & Boat Commission; probably introduced as a bait fish