



## Metadata

# Fish-SPRICH: a database of freshwater fish species richness throughout the World

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### General information

#### name of the dataset:

full name of the dataset: *Fish-SPRICH: a database of freshwater fish species richness throughout the World*

dataset short name: *SPRICH*

**type of dataset ([more information](#)):** *species distribution data*

data type: *shape files, descriptive data*

short description of the dataset/summary:

*Global freshwater fish richness at the drainage basin scale related to native, endemic and introduced species richness.*

**science keywords according to [GCMD](#):**

topic: *Biological Classification*

keywords: *freshwater; fish; species richness; global scale; rivers; basin scale*

**ISO topic category according to [ISO 19115](#):**

*Environment, Inland Waters*

## Technical and administrative specifications

**data format:** *Excel*  
**operating system:** *Win XP*  
**data language:** *English*  
**current access level:** *restricted access*  
**update level:** *continuously updated*

**documentation:**

**Do you plan to publish the data on the Freshwater Biodiversity data portal:**

media for data delivery: *e-mail*

**contact details:**

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## Intellectual property rights and citation

(if the database is already published):

### dataset creator (data compiler):

contact email: *oberdorf@mnhn.fr; brosse@cict.fr*

### data contributors to/owners of this dataset:

*multiple*

number: *2*

### provider 1:

provider institute: *UPS*

contact name: *Sebastien Brosse*

contact email: *brosse@cict.fr*

criteria for using the data in a publication/scientific analysis:

*Other/Additional criteria*

other/additional criteria: *Data can be used without restrictions, but must be publicly acknowledged and cited correctly.*

### provider 2:

provider institute: *IRD*

contact name: *Thierry Oberdorff*

contact email: *oberdorf@mnhn.fr*

criteria for using the data in a publication/scientific analysis:

*Other/Additional criteria*

other/additional criteria: *Data can be used without restrictions, but must be publicly acknowledged and cited correctly.*

### citation of this dataset:

author(s): *Brosse, S., Beauchard, O., Blanchet, S., Dürr, H.H., Grenouillet, G., Hugueny, B., Lauzeral, C., Leprieur, F., Tedesco, P.A., Villéger, S. & Oberdorff, T.*

title: *Fish-SPRICH: a database of freshwater fish species richness throughout the World. Hydrobiologia, doi:10.1007/s10750-012-1242-6  
<<http://dx.doi.org/10.1007/s10750-012-1242-6>>*

year: *2013*

### citation of the metadata:

#### comments:

*Data must be cited as follows: Brosse S., Beauchard O., Blanchet S., Dürr H.H., Grenouillet G., Hugueny B., Lauzeral C., Leprieur F., Tedesco P. A., Villeger S. & Oberdorff T. 2013. Fish-SPRICH: a database of freshwater fish species richness throughout the World. Hydrobiologia 700:343-349.*

## General data specifications

### regional coverage of the dataset:

scale of the dataset: *global*

continents: *Africa, North America, South America, Asia, Europe, Oceania*

### spatial extend (bounding coordinates):

southernmost latitude [°]: *0-90*

northernmost latitude [°]: *0-90*

westernmost longitude [°]: *0-180*

easternmost longitude [°]: *0-180*

## Site specifications

**coordinate system/grid data:** *latitude/longitude, format: DD*  
datum (e.g. WGS84): *WGS84*

**number of sites:** *>1000*  
exact number of sites: *1058*

**comments:** *The spatial extent of the database is the drainage basin, so the "number of sites" referred above is actually the number of drainage bassins*

## Biological data

### biological data origin:

specify method: *general compilation*  
*literature survey*  
organism group addressed: *fish*

## Sample resolution

fish:

**taxonomic resolution:** *species*

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**taxonomic coding:**

## Other specifications

### GIS layers, shapes related to the dataset:

*species distribution*  
*hydrological information (as HydroSHEDS)*  
*catchments, river-sub-basins*  
*land use*  
*population density*  
*environmental variables (freshwater or terrestrial)*  
*climatic variables (current and predictions)*

### availability of photos:

*no*

### availability of maps:

*yes*

### quality control procedures:

Were any quality control procedures applied to your dataset?

*no*

quality control protocols and comments:

*These data files have been quality controled by the BioFresh data team. A number of minor technical and coordinate related issues have been corrected in agreement with the authors.*