

# INVASIVE

## SPECIES

#### Wels Catfish

#### DENTIFICATION

The Wels Catfish is a scale-less fish with an elongated body. It can grow up to 13 feet and can live up to 80 years. It has a darker brown back and sides with an almost white belly.





#### FEATURES

Nocturnal

Very large mouth

Can reach up to 880 pounds

### HABITAT

Lives in large, warm, well-vegetated lakes and deep slow-moving rivers with holes and sunken trees where they can hide.



#### REPORT

Report sightings to:
Iron Baraga Conservation
District (906) 875-3765 or
any local conservation district
or to the Miswest Invasive
Species Information Network
(MISIN)