Biological Reserve List of Amphibians



SPOTTED SALAMANDER photo by Tom D. Schultz

This list includes those amphibian species that have been observed at the Biological Reserve. We welcome any additions or observations, which may be left in the map box or sent to Whitney Stocker or Tom Schultz in the Dept. of Biology and Denison University. Please indicate the species and location of your sighting. An inventory of the amphibians of the Reserve is published in:

Schultz, T. D. and J. R. Mick. 1998. A survey of amphibian species richness and breeding habitats at the Denison University Biological Reserve (Licking County, Ohio). *Ohio Biological SurveyNotes*1:31-38.

KEY: A = large aggregations in breeding season, C = common (should see or hear in breeding season), U = uncommon (present, but not certain to be found during breeding season), O = occasional (seen only a few times each year), R = rare (seen at intervals of 2-5 years);

SPECIES STATUS

CAUDATA - SALAMANDERS

AMBYSTOMATIDAE - Mole Salamanders Spotted Salamander, *Ambystoma maculatum* Small-mouthed Salamander, *Ambystoma texanum*

PLETHODONTIDAE - Lungless Salamanders N. Dusky Salamander, *Desmognathus fuscus* Redback Salamander, *Plethodon cinereus* Ravine Salamander, *Plethodon richmondi* Slimy Salamander, *Plethodon glutinosus* Red Salamander, *Pseudotriton ruber* Two-lined Salamander, *Eurycea bislineata* Longtail Salamander, *Eurycea longicauda*

O, Taylor-Ochs & Spring Peeper Ponds R, Spring Peeper Pond

C, springs throughout

C, old woods throughout

U, Alrutz Sect.

O, old woods Alrutz Sect.

C, springs, brooks

U, springs, ponds, Alrutz Sect.

U, springs, old woods, Alrutz Sect.

ANURA - FROGS AND TOADS

BUFONIDAE - Toads

American Toad, Bufo americanus

HYLIDAE - Treefrogs

Spring Peeper, *Hyla crucifer* Gray Treefrog, *Hyla versicolor*

Western Chorus Frog, Pseudacris triseriata

RANIDAE - True Frogs Green Frog, *Rana clamitans*

Bullfrog, Rana catesbeiana

Northern Leopard Frog, Rana pipiens

Pickerel Frog, Rana palustris

Wood Frog, Rana sylvatica

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C, throughout

A, all ponds

C, all ponds

O, Taylor-Ochs and Spring Peeper Ponds

A, all ponds

C, Alrutz Sect. ponds

U, Wood Duck Pond

O, Old Minnow Pond spring

U, Taylor-Ochs and Spring Peeper Ponds