

Federal status of the Texas mussels listed by the State of Texas

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

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Mussel Species		Package Grouping ¹	Historic Range	Federal Listing Status ²	Federal Register	Status in	
Common Name	Scientific Name		Texas River Basins (+other states)		Reference	Texas ³	
Texas fatmucket	<i>Lampsilis bracteata</i>	Central Texas Mussels	Colorado, Guadalupe, San Antonio	Five Candidates. Petitioned with positive 90-day findings and warranted 12-month findings. Per MDL settlement agreement, proposed rule to list (or withdrawal) will be after FY2016.	12/15/09, 74FR66261; 10/6/11, 76FR62166	Threatened	
golden orb	<i>Quadrula aurea</i>		Guadalupe, San Antonio, Nueces-Frio			Threatened	
smooth pimpleback	<i>Quadrula houstonensis</i>		Brazos, Colorado			Threatened	
Texas pimpleback	<i>Quadrula petrina</i>		Colorado, Guadalupe			Threatened	
Texas fawnsfoot	<i>Truncilla macrodon</i>		Brazos, Colorado			Threatened	
Texas hornshell	<i>Popenaias popeii</i>	Rio Grande Mussels	Rio Grande (+NM in Black R.)	Candidate since 2001. Per MDL settlement, a proposed rule (or withdrawal) is due by FY2016	11/10/10, 75FR69222	Threatened	
salina mucket	<i>Potamilus metnecktayi</i>		Rio Grande (+NM, Mexico)			Threatened	
false spike	<i>Quadrula mitchelli</i>		Rio Grande (+Mexico), Brazos, Colorado, Guadalupe			12/15/09, 74FR66261	Threatened
Mexican fawnsfoot	<i>Truncilla cognata</i>	Rio Grande, Pecos, Rio Salado	Threatened				
triangle pigtoe	<i>Fusconaia lananensis</i>	East Texas Mussels	Neches, San Jacinto	Three Petitioned. Positive 90-day finding made. Per MDL settlement; 12-month finding will be made after FY2016.	12/16/09, 74FR66866	Threatened	
Louisiana pigtoe	<i>Pleurobema riddellii</i>		San Jacinto, Trinity, Neches, Sabine (+LA)			11/16/09, 74FR66866	Threatened
Texas heelsplitter	<i>Potamilus amphichaenus</i>		Neches, Trinity, Sabine			11/15/09, 74FR66261	Threatened
southern hickorynut	<i>Obovaria jacksoniana</i>	---	Mobile, Neches (+MS, AR, LA, OK, MO, AL, TN)	None. Petitioned with negative 90-day finding.	3/23/10, 75FR 13717	Threatened	
Texas pigtoe	<i>Fusconaia askewi</i>	---	Neches, Sabine, San Jacinto (+LA)	None.		Threatened	
sandbank pocketbook	<i>Lampsilis satura</i>	---	Neches, Sabine (+AR,LA,MS)	None.		Threatened	
Ouachita Rock pocketbook	<i>Arkansia wheeleri</i>	---	Red (+OK, AR) - tributaries	Endangered since 1991	10/23/91, 56FR54950	---	

Notes: 1 - Grouping based on similar ranges for multi-species packages for listing or findings under the Endangered Species Act; subject to change.

2 - Listing status under the Endangered Species Act. MDL is the multi-district litigation settlement agreement. Projects are based on current workload plans. FY is Fiscal Year. More information is available here: http://www.fws.gov/endangered/improving_ESA/listing_workplan.html

3 - Listing status by the State of Texas (<http://www.tpwd.state.tx.us/huntwild/wild/species/endang/animals/invertebrates/>)