



RUDD (SCARDINIUS ERYTHROPHthalmus)

Maximum Weight: 5lb | Maximum Length: 16-18in | Average Size Caught: 8oz

The Rudd lives mainly in lowland, slow-flowing waters, but also inhabits the still waters of dams, ponds, pools and lakes. It prefers densely over-grown waters. The Rudd is mainly a surface feeding fish due to its protruding lower lip.



CHUB (LEUCISCUS CEPHALUS)

Maximum Weight: 8-9lb | Maximum Length: 22-23in | Average Size Caught: 2-3lb

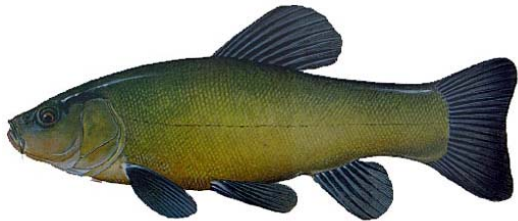
Chub prefer and thrive in rivers, slow moving through to fast moving, small streams through to large rivers. But they can also be found in many still waters around the UK. Small chub eat large invertebrates, worms and fry.



COMMON BREAM (ABRAMIS BRAMA)

Maximum Weight: 16lb | Maximum Length: 14-16in | Average Size Caught: 3-4lb

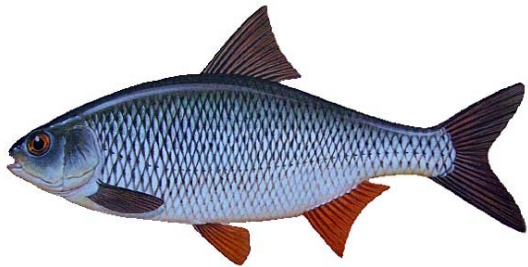
Bream is a typical fish for the lower reaches of larger rivers, known as the bream zone. It also occurs in valley reservoirs, blind river arms, pools, ponds and lakes left behind in abandoned gravel quarries.



TENCH (TINCA TINCA)

Maximum Weight: 15-16lb | Maximum Length: 24-26in | Average Size Caught: 3lb

The Tench prefers still or gently flowing waters with a muddy bottom and rich aquatic plant growth in the lower courses of rivers, in pools, lakes and reservoirs.



ROACH (RUTILUS RUTILUS)

Maximum Weight: 4.5lb | Maximum Length: 14" | Average Size Caught: 4-6oz

Roach, a very hardy fish, will feed at all depths depending on the water temperature. In winter the Roach will feed in deeper water. In summer the opposite applies, this is due to the deeper water being warmer in winter and colder in the summer.



COMMON CARP (CYPRINUS CARPIO)

Maximum Weight: 45-55lb | Maximum Length: 35" | Average Size Caught: 10lb

Carp are mostly found in lakes and they feed mainly during the summer months, when they will take food from the surface. Worm, bread and maggots are the three main carp baits but they will also take potato, banana, green beans, peas, cheese, slugs and freshwater mussels.



CRUCIAN CARP (CARASSIUS CARASSIUS)

Maximum Weight: 7lb | Maximum Length: 18in | Average Weight Caught: 8oz

The Crucian Carp is a very hardy fish able to survive in the smallest of pools they thrive in very weedy muddy pools with little oxygen. Conditions that most other fishes could not survive in. They are not fussy eaters.