



# Metadata

## GLOBAL SCALE ANALYSIS

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### General information

#### name of the dataset:

full name of the dataset: *GLOBAL SCALE ANALYSIS*

dataset short name: *GLOBAL SCALE ANALYSIS*

**type of dataset ([more information](#)):** *species/taxa database (e.g. red list database)*

specify: *environmental characteristics database*

short description of the dataset/summary:

*The database include both species richness data (from IUCN) and environmental data extracted at the global extent and at the catchment grain (HydroSHED)*

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

topic: *Biosphere, Climate Indicators, Land Surface, Paleoclimate*

keywords: *IUCN, reptiles, amphibians, fish, crayfish, birds, climate, richness, endemism, threatened species*

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

*Biota, Climatology/Meteorology/Atmosphere, Environment*

## Technical and administrative specifications

**data format:** *txt*  
**operating system:** *Linux*  
**data language:** *English*  
**current access level:** *internal*  
**update level:** *continuously updated*

**documentation:**  
type: *internal description*  
language: *English*

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

media for data delivery: *e-mail*  
web address: *e.g., 1600 Amphitheatre Parkway, Mountain View*

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## Intellectual property rights and citation

(if the database is already published):

### dataset creator (data compiler):

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

*single*

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

*Other/Additional criteria*

other/additional criteria:

*Data provider must be offered co-authorship for publications using this dataset. Data must be publicly acknowledged and cited correctly.*

### citation of this dataset:

author(s): *not available*

### citation of the metadata:

## General data specifications

### regional coverage of the dataset:

scale of the dataset: *global*

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

### spatial extend (bounding coordinates):

southernmost latitude [°]: *-90*

northernmost latitude [°]: *+90*

westernmost longitude [°]: *-180*

easternmost longitude [°]: *+180*

minimum altitude: *metres*

maximum altitude: *metres*

countries:

*Africa: Algeria, Angola, Benin, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo, Democratic Republic of, Congo, Republic of, Côte d'Ivoire, Djibouti, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Kenya, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mayotte, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Réunion, Rwanda, Saint Helena, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Swaziland, Tanzania, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, Western Sahara, Zambia, Zimbabwe, Somaliland*

*North America: Anguilla, Antigua and Barbuda, Aruba, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Canada, Cayman Islands, Clipperton Island, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Greenland, Grenada, Guadeloupe, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Martinique, Mexico, Montserrat, Navassa Island, Netherlands Antilles, Nicaragua, Panama, Puerto Rico, Saint Barthélemy, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Martin, Saint Pierre and Miquelon, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Trinidad and Tobago, Turks and Caicos Islands, United States, United States Virgin Islands*

*South America: Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Falkland Islands, French Guiana, Guyana, Paraguay, Peru, Suriname, Uruguay, Venezuela*

*Asia: Afghanistan, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Bhutan, British Indian Ocean Territory, Brunei, Cambodia, China, Christmas Island, Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Cyprus, Georgia, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Korea, Democratic People's Republic of, Korea, Republic of, Kuwait, Kyrgyzstan, Laos, Lebanon, Macau, Malaysia, Maldives, Mongolia, Myanmar (Burma), Nepal, Oman, Pakistan, Palestinian territories, Philippines, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Syria, Tajikistan, Thailand, Timor-Leste (East Timor), Turkey, Turkmenistan, United Arab Emirates, Uzbekistan, Vietnam, Yemen, Abkhazia, China, Republic of, Nagorno-Karabakh, Northern Cyprus, South Ossetia*

*Europe: Åland Islands, Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Faroe Islands, Finland, France, Germany, Gibraltar, Greece, Guernsey, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Isle of Man, Italy, Jersey, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Macedonia, Malta, Moldova, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, San Marino,*

*Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Svalbard, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, United Kingdom, Vatican City, Kosovo, Pridnestrovie (Transnistria)*  
*Oceania: Australia, Fiji, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Micronesia, Nauru, New Zealand, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu*

**comments:**

*Data are extracted at the catchment grain based on the Hydroshed version modified by IUCN*

## Site specifications

**coordinate system/grid data:** *latitude/longitude, format: DD*  
datum (e.g. WGS84): *WGS84*  
site coding available: *yes*  
*alphanumerical*  
example: *AFRI1*  
**number of sites:** *>1000*  
exact number of sites: *39660*

## Biological data

### biological data origin:

*IUCN*

### organism group addressed:

*Extraction of species distribution maps to Hydroshed catchments using GIS  
mammals, water birds, reptiles, amphibians, macro-invertebrates (Crayfish)*

## Species related information

### mammals:

**taxonomic resolution:** *species*

**taxonomic coding:**

coding system: *[genus: 4 digits][species: 8 digits]*

example: *adelcastaneo*

**availability of specific ecological/biological information:**

*origin (native/introduced), endemic species, biogeographical data, Red List status/categories*

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### water birds:

**taxonomic resolution:** *species*

**taxonomic coding:**

coding system: *[genus: 4 digits][species: 8 digits]*

**availability of specific ecological/biological information:**

*origin (native/introduced), endemic species, biogeographical data, Red List status/categories*

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### reptiles:

**taxonomic resolution:** *species*

**taxonomic coding:**

coding system: *[genus: 4 digits][species: 8 digits]*

**availability of specific ecological/biological information:**

*origin (native/introduced), endemic species, biogeographical data, Red List status/categories*

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### amphibians:

**taxonomic resolution:** *species*

**taxonomic coding:**

coding system: *[genus: 4 digits][species: 8 digits]*

**availability of specific ecological/biological information:**

*origin (native/introduced), endemic species, biogeographical data, Red List status/categories*

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### macro-invertebrates:

**taxonomic resolution:** *species*

**taxonomic coding:**

coding system: *[genus: 4 digits][species: 8 digits]*

**availability of specific ecological/biological information:**

*origin (native/introduced), endemic species, biogeographical data, Red List status/categories*

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## Other specifications

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

*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*