

BONY FISHES

TRACHINIDAE

***Trachinus collignoni* Roux, 1957**

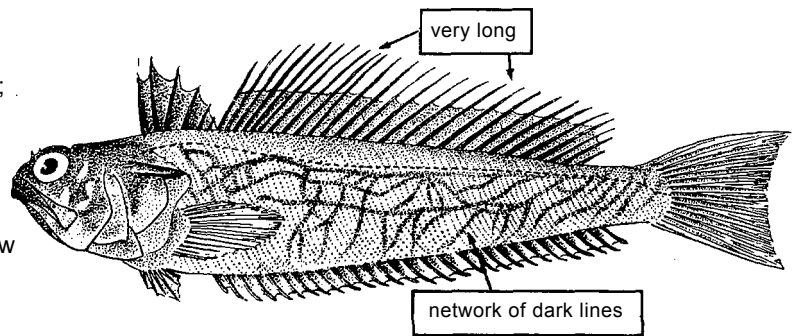
FAO names : **En** - Sailfin weever; **Fr** - Vive peigne; **Sp** - Araña aletona.

Size : 15 cm.

Fishing gear : bottom trawls, beach seines.

Habitat : on soft bottoms in littoral and shallow coastal waters.

Loc.name(s) :

***Trachinus lineolatus* Fischer, 1885**

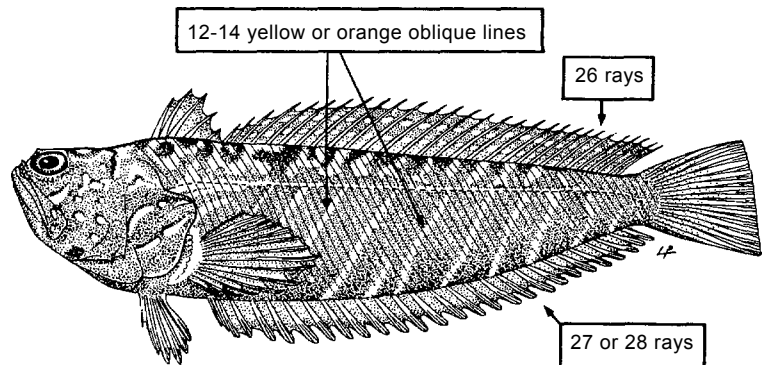
FAO names : **En** - Striped weever; **Fr** - Vive rayée; **Sp** - Escorpión rayado.

Size : 15 cm, common to 10 cm.

Fishing gear : bottom trawls, beach seines.

Habitat : on soft bottoms in littoral and shallow coastal waters.

Loc.name(s) :

***Trachinus pellegrini* Cadenat, 1937**

FAO names : **En** - Cape Verde weever; **Fr** - Vive du Cap Vert; **Sp** - Araña de Cabo Verde

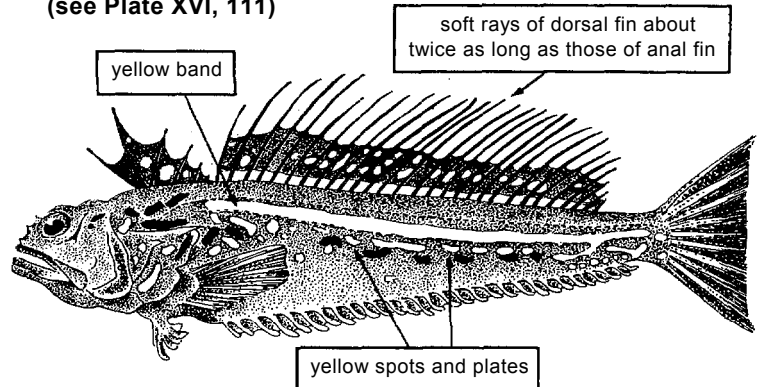
Size : to at least 20 cm, common to 15 cm.

Fishing gear : bottom trawls, beach seines and other artisanal gear.

Habitat : on sandy and muddy bottoms in littoral and coastal waters to about 150 m depth.

Loc.name(s) :

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***Trachinus radiatus* Cuvier, 1829**

Synonyms : *Trachinus pardalis* Bleeker, 1862.

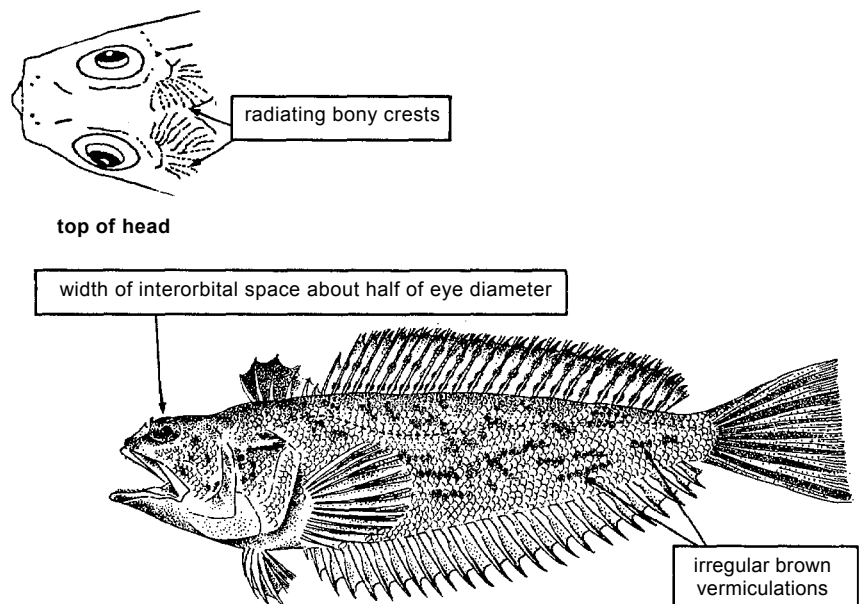
FAO names : **En** - Starry weever; **Fr** - Vive à tête rayonnée; **Sp** - Víbora.

Size : 40 cm, common to 25 cm.

Fishing gear : bottom trawls.

Habitat : on rocky and sandy bottoms in deep waters. Abundant in the warm season.

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***Trachinus vipera* Cuvier, 1829**

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Synonyms : *Echiichthys vipera* (Cuvier, 1829).

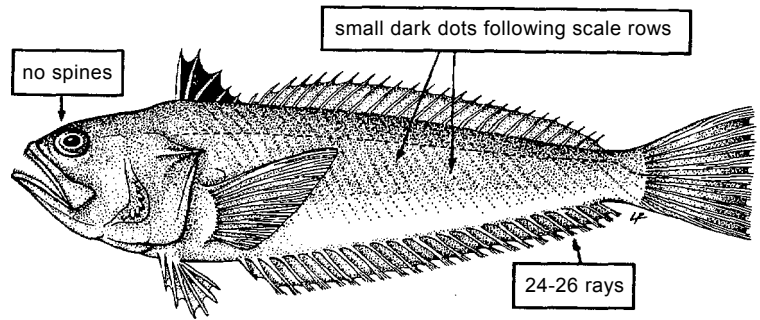
FAO names : **En** - Lesser weever; **Fr** - Petite vive; **Sp** - Salvariego.

Size : 15 cm, common to 10 cm.

Fishing gear : bottom trawls, traps, lines, beach seines.

Habitat : on sandy bottoms in littoral and shallow coastal waters.

Loc.name(s) :

***Aphanopus carbo* Lowe, 1839**

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Synonyms : *Aphanopus microphthalmus* Norman, 1939; *Aphanopus acus* Maul, 1948.

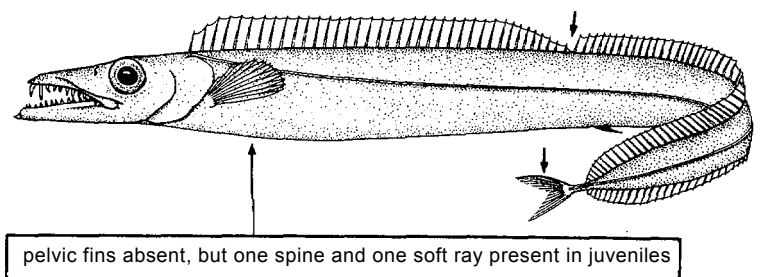
FAO names : **En** - Black scabbardfish; **Fr** - Sabre noir; **Sp** - Sable negro.

Size : 114 cm, common to 75 cm.

Fishing gear : bottom trawls, bottom set longlines.

Habitat : benthopelagic from 20 to 1600 m depth.

Loc.name(s) :

***Benthodesmus tenuis* (Günther, 1877)**

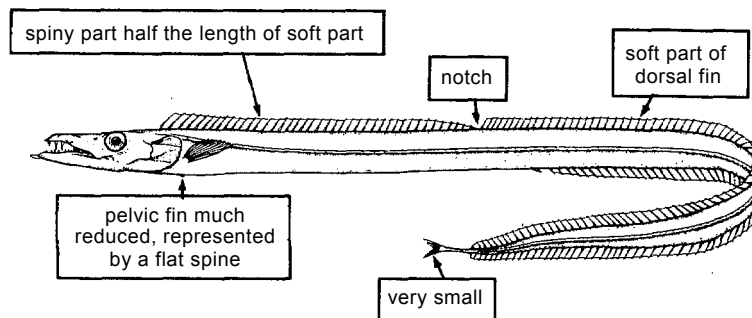
FAO names : **En** - Frostfish; **Fr** - Sabre fleuret; **Sp** - Cintilla.

Size : to 122 cm standard length, common to 90 cm standard length.

Fishing gear : trawls, longlines (bycatch).

Habitat : benthopelagic, mostly over the continental slope; ranges from about 200 to 800 m depth.

Loc.name(s) :

***Lepidopus caudatus* (Euphrasen, 1788)**

Synonyms : *Lepidopus lex* Phillipps, 1932.

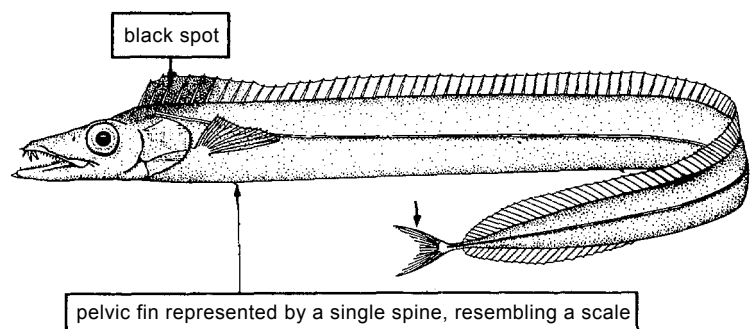
FAO names : **En** - Silver scabbardfish; **Fr** - Sabre argenté; **Sp** - Pez cinto.

Size : 200 cm, common to 150 cm.

Fishing gear : trawls, longlines.

Habitat : benthopelagic, from 400 to 600 m depth.

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Trichiurus lepturus Linnaeus, 1758

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Synonyms : *Trichiurus haumela* (Forsskål, 1775).

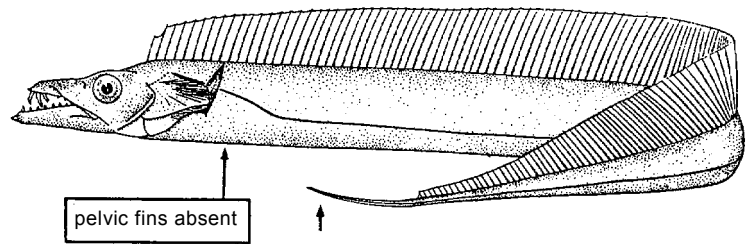
FAO names : **En** - Largehead hairtail; **Fr** - Poisson sabre commun; **Sp** - Pez sable.

Size : 150 cm, common to 100 cm.

Fishing gear : bottom trawls, longlines, gillnets, purse seines, traps, handlines.

Habitat : benthopelagic (to 350 m depth), but also found on muddy bottoms in coastal waters and estuaries.

Loc.name(s) :



Chelidonichthys capensis (Cuvier, 1829)

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Synonyms : *Trigla capensis* Cuvier, 1829.

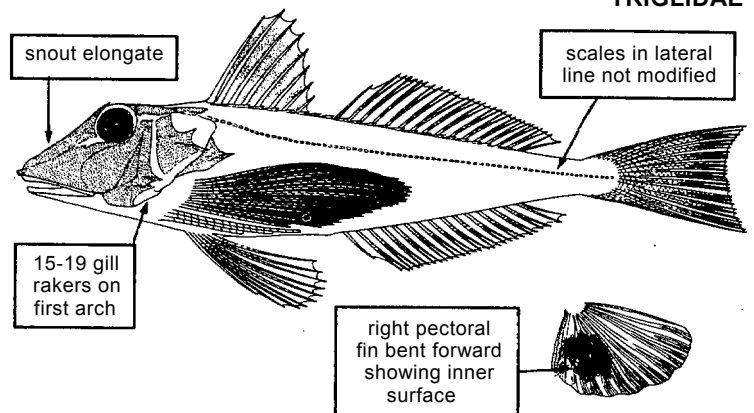
FAO names : **En** - Cape gurnard; **Fr** - Grondin du Cap; **Sp** - Rubio del Cabo.

Size : 75 cm, common to 35 cm.

Fishing gear : bottom trawls.

Habitat : on sandy and muddy bottoms from the coastline to at least 100 m depth.

Loc.name(s) :



Chelidonichthys gabonensis (Poll & Roux, 1955)

Synonyms : *Trigla gabonensis* Poll & Roux, 1955; *Chelidonichthys senegalensis* Puyo, 1957.

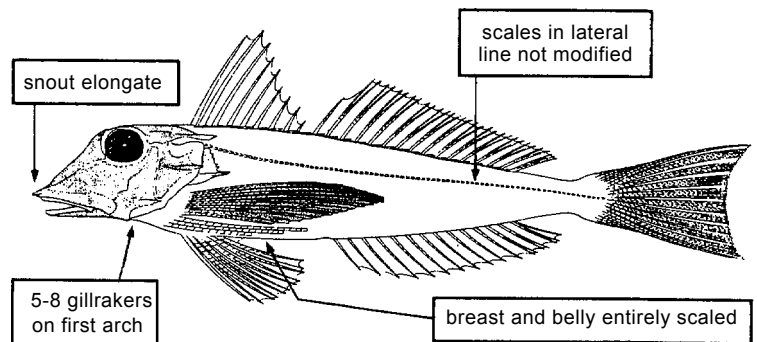
FAO names : **En** - Gabon gurnard; **Fr** - Grondin du Gabon; **Sp** - Rubio del Gabón.

Size : 31 cm, common to 20 cm.

Fishing gear : bottom trawls.

Habitat : on sandy bottoms of the continental shelf to about 200 m depth.

Loc.name(s) :



Chelidonichthys (Trigloporus) lastoviza (Bonnaterre, 1788)

Synonyms : *Trigloporus lastoviza* (Bonnaterre, 1788); *Trigla lastoviza* Bonnaterre, 1788.

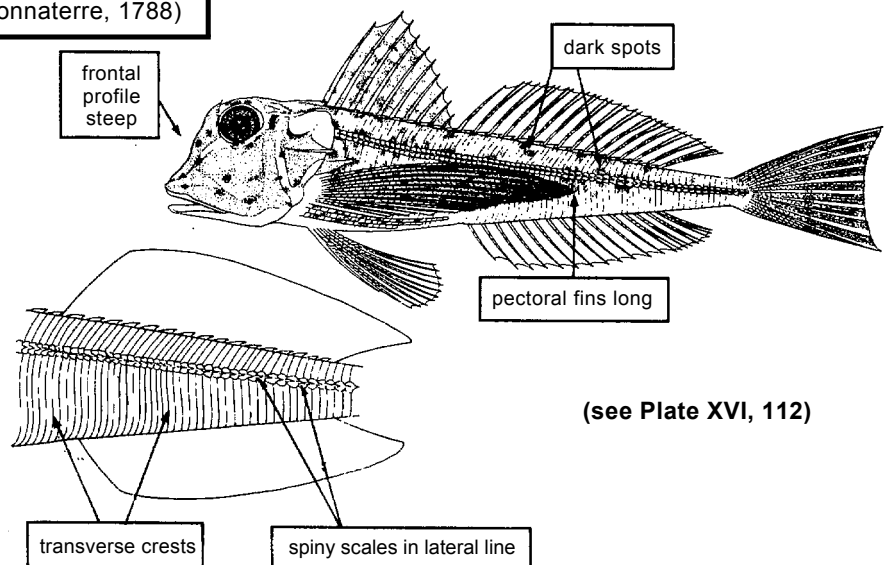
FAO names : **En** - Streaked gurnard; **Fr** - Grondin camard; **Sp** - Rubio.

Size : 40 cm, common to 20 cm.

Fishing gear : bottom trawls.

Habitat : on sandy and rocky bottoms, to 150 cm depth.

Loc.name(s) :



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***Chelidonichthys lucerna* (Linnaeus, 1758)**

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Synonyms : *Trigla lucerna* Linnaeus, 1758.

FAO names : **En** - Tub gurnard; **Fr** - Grondin perlon; **Sp** - Bejel.

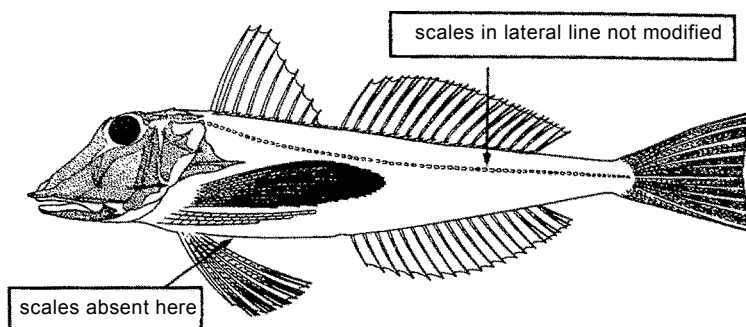
Size : 75 cm, common to 35 cm.

Fishing gear : bottom trawls.

Habitat : on sandy, muddy and gravel bottoms, from 20 to 200 m depth.

Remarks : presence to be confirmed.

Loc.name(s) :

***Lepidotrigla cadmani* Regan, 1915**

Synonyms : *Lepidotrigla laevispinnis* Blache & Ducroz, 1960.

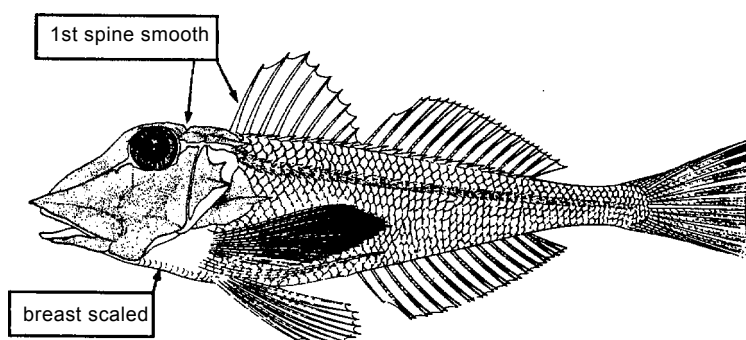
FAO names : **En** - Scalebreast gurnard; **Fr** - Grondin écailleux; **Sp** - Cabète escamudo.

Size : 30 cm, common to 20 cm.

Fishing gear : bottom trawls.

Habitat : on sandy and muddy bottoms from 30 to 400 m depth.

Loc.name(s) :

***Lepidotrigla carolae* Richards, 1968**

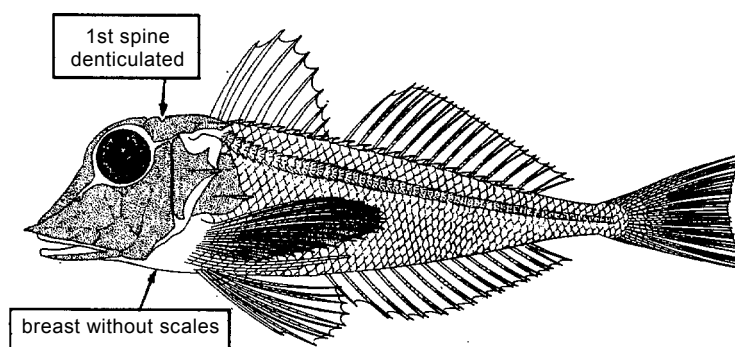
FAO names : **En** - Carol's gurnard; **Fr** - Grondin de Carole; **Sp** - Carolina.

Size : 18 cm, common to 15 cm.

Fishing gear : bottom trawls, set nets.

Habitat : on sandy and muddy bottoms, from 10 to 300 m depth.

Loc.name(s) :

***Trigla lyra* Linnaeus, 1758**

FAO names : **En** - Piper gurnard; **Fr** - Grondin lyre; **Sp** - Garneo.

Size : 60 cm, common to 30 cm.

Fishing gear : bottom trawls.

Habitat : found on the continental shelf and the upper slope.

Loc.name(s) :

