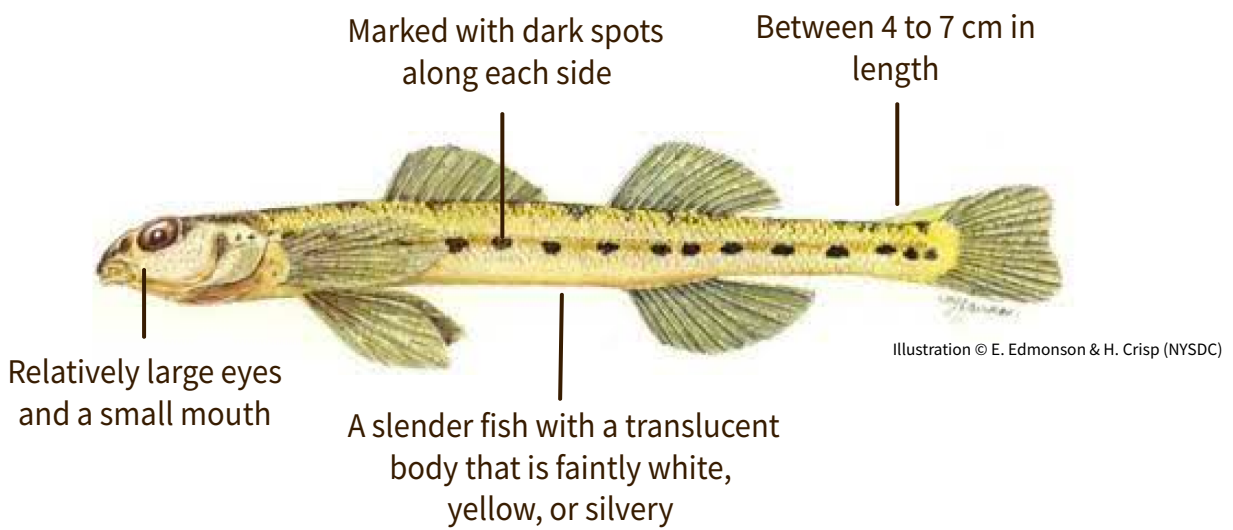


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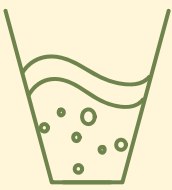
## EASTERN SAND DARTER ONTARIO POPULATIONS

*Ammocrypta pellucida*

SARA\* STATUS: THREATENED



## THREATS INCLUDE



Sediment & nutrient loading



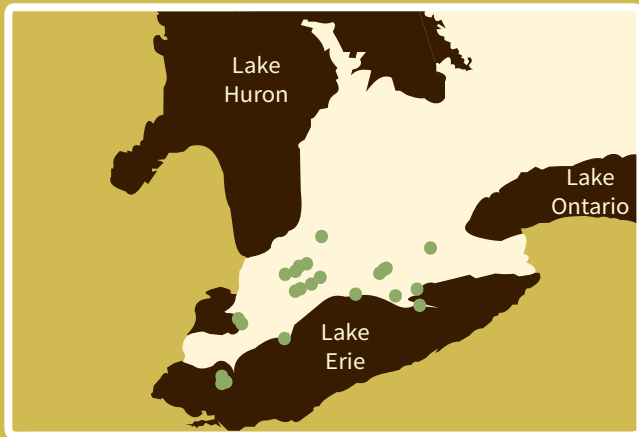
Non-native species



Habitat degradation

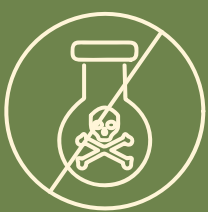
## IN ONTARIO

the Eastern Sand Darter is found in Lake St. Clair, Lake Erie, Big Creek, and in the Grand, Sydenham, Thames, and Detroit rivers.



## ACTIVITIES IN OR NEAR WATER CAN HARM AQUATIC SPECIES

### WHAT CAN YOU DO?



Prevent contaminants from entering the water



Report any aquatic invasive species sightings



Keep your shorelines natural



Protect sensitive habitat. Contact DFO before doing any in-water work

