

The IUCN Red List web site made easy with a handy Users' Guide ! - <http://www.iucnredlist.org/>



Hey !

Do you get discouraged looking for your "species of interest" and its category and description on the IUCN Red List website.

Do you have questions that you can't find answers for on the site ?

Do you feel that it takes too long to get information?

Well ... you can rejoice ! the IUCN Red List Users' Guide is here !!!!!

I know ! You can't believe it. Doubt not ... these pages are to reassure you -- help is on the way. Here are all the actions and issues you can address with this guide. It is on line at

<http://www.iucnredlist.org> or more specifically http://www.iucnredlist.org/documents/redlist_website_users_guide.pdf

Just below is the contents which indicates what the site covers ... just about everything.

There is even a video on youtube which will take you through the Red List instructions with a variety of examples

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k2LnoLD2ss0>

What more could you want ? Maybe a list of items that are taught ? Here is that also. Now you have no excuse.

1. How do I search for a particular species on the Red List?
2. How do I do a more detailed search?
 - 2.1 Keywords
 - 2.2 Taxonomy

- 2.3 Location
- 2.4 Systems
- 2.5 Habitat
- 2.6 Threats
- 2.7 Assessment
- 2.8 Life History
- 2.9 Complex searches
3. How to find my way around species fact sheets?
 - 3.1 Summary
 - 3.2 Classification schemes
 - 3.3 Images & External links
 - 3.4 Bibliography
 - 3.5 Full Account
 - 3.6 Citation
4. How to create an account and save or export data?
 - 4.1 Creating a user account
 - 4.2 Saving searches
 - 4.3 Exporting search results
5. How to download GIS map data from the web site?

Educators :

The IUCN Red List is a treasure trove of information about species and conservation for a wide range of age and ability of your students.

A USERS' GUIDE TO THE IUCN RED LIST WEB SITE, Version 1.0 (March 2009)

In order to help users to navigate their way through the wider range of functions on the web site, a set of instructions have been developed (*The Users' Guide to the IUCN Red List web site. Version 1.0 (March 2009)*) and this document is now available to download from the link below (PDF, 2.47 MB). The document contains several sections, providing guidance on how to search the web site, how to navigate through the species fact sheets, how to save searches and export data from the site, and where to find and download GIS data for amphibians and mammals. Use the index to access the section you want (just click on the topic in the index).

A video tutorial on how to search the IUCN Red List web site is also available (follow the link below).

Links: (hopefully these will work in the web version of ZOOS' PRINT)

· [A users' guide to the IUCN Red List web site. Version 1.0 \(March 2009\)](#)

· [Video tutorial: how to search the Red List](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k2LnoLD2ss0)

