









# Species Modeling Report

# Mississippi Gopher Frog

Rana sevosa

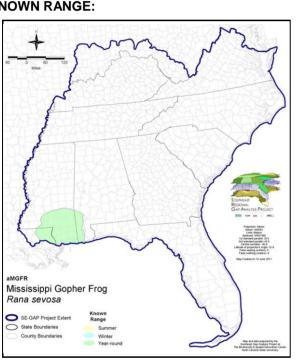
Taxa: Amphibian Order: Anura Family: Ranidae

SE-GAP Spp Code: aMGFR

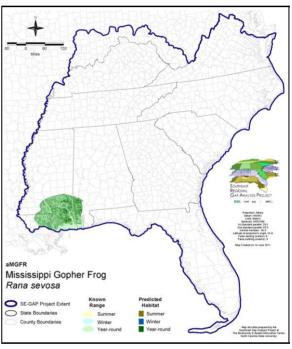
ITIS Species Code: 207019

NatureServe Element Code: AAABH01310

### **KNOWN RANGE:**



### PREDICTED HABITAT:



Range Map Link: <a href="http://www.basic.ncsu.edu/segap/datazip/maps/SE\_Range\_aMGFR.pdf">http://www.basic.ncsu.edu/segap/datazip/maps/SE\_Range\_aMGFR.pdf</a> Predicted Habitat Map Link: http://www.basic.ncsu.edu/segap/datazip/maps/SE\_Dist\_aMGFR.pdf GAP Online Tool Link: http://www.gapserve.ncsu.edu/segap/segap/index2.php?species=aMGFR http://www.basic.ncsu.edu/segap/datazip/region/vert/aMGFR\_se00.zip Data Download:

# **PROTECTION STATUS:**

Reported on March 14, 2011

Federal Status: LE

State Status: AL (SP), MS (LE)

NS Global Rank: G1

NS State Rank: AL (SH), LA (SH), MS (S1)

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### SUMMARY OF PREDICTED HABITAT BY MANAGMENT AND GAP PROTECTION STATUS:

|          | US FWS                |         | US Forest Service     |       | Tenn. Valley Author. |     | US DOD/ACOE           |           |
|----------|-----------------------|---------|-----------------------|-------|----------------------|-----|-----------------------|-----------|
|          | ha                    | %       | ha                    | %     | ha                   | %   | ha                    | %         |
| Status 1 | 4,187.9               | < 1     | 69.0                  | < 1   | 0.0                  | 0   | 0.0                   | 0         |
| Status 2 | 54.2                  | < 1     | 4,941.7               | < 1   | 0.0                  | 0   | 0.0                   | 0         |
| Status 3 | 0.0                   | 0       | 153,232.8             | 10    | 0.0                  | 0   | 32.0                  | < 1       |
| Status 4 | 0.0                   | 0       | 0.0                   | 0     | 0.0                  | 0   | 0.0                   | 0         |
| Total    | 4,242.1               | < 1     | 158,243.6             | 11    | 0.0                  | 0   | 32.0                  | < 1       |
|          | US Dept. of Energy    |         | US Nat. Park Service  |       | NOAA                 |     | Other Federal Lands   |           |
|          | ha                    | %       | ha                    | %     | ha                   | %   | ha                    | %         |
| Status 1 | 0.0                   | 0       | 0.0                   | 0     | 0.0                  | 0   | 0.0                   | 0         |
| Status 2 | 0.0                   | 0       | 10.8                  | < 1   | 0.0                  | 0   | 0.0                   | 0         |
| Status 3 | 0.0                   | 0       | 0.0                   | 0     | 0.0                  | 0   | 2,282.0               | < 1       |
| Status 4 | 0.0                   | 0       | 0.0                   | 0     | 0.0                  | 0   | 0.0                   | 0         |
| Total    | 0.0                   | 0       | 10.8                  | < 1   | 0.0                  | 0   | 2,282.0               | < 1       |
| ĺ        | Native Am. Reserv.    |         | State Park/Hist. Park |       | State WMA/Gameland   |     | State Forest          |           |
|          | ha                    | %       | ha                    | %     | ha                   | %   | ha                    | %         |
| Status 1 | 0.0                   | 0       | 0.0                   | 0     | 0.0                  | 0   | 0.0                   | 0         |
| Status 2 | 0.0                   | 0       | 5.6                   | < 1   | 2,817.5              | < 1 | 0.0                   | 0         |
| Status 3 | 93.2                  | < 1     | 157.1                 | < 1   | 7,581.6              | < 1 | 0.0                   | 0         |
| Status 4 | 0.0                   | 0       | 0.0                   | 0     | 6,352.7              | < 1 | 0.0                   | 0         |
| Total    | 93.2                  | < 1     | 162.7                 | < 1   | 16,751.8             | 1   | 0.0                   | 0         |
|          | State Coastal Reserve |         | ST Nat.Area/Preserve  |       | Other State Lands    |     | Private Cons. Easemt. |           |
|          | ha                    | %       | ha                    | %     | ha                   | %   | ha                    | %         |
| Status 1 | 0.0                   | 0       | 780.8                 | < 1   | 0.0                  | 0   | 0.0                   | 0         |
| Status 2 | 1,312.2               | < 1     | 213.2                 | < 1   | 0.0                  | 0   | 27.6                  | < 1       |
| Status 3 | 0.0                   | 0       | 0.0                   | 0     | 0.0                  | 0   | 86.9                  | < 1       |
| Status 4 | 0.0                   | 0       | 0.0                   | 0     | 0.0                  | 0   | 0.0                   | 0         |
| Total    | 1,312.2               | < 1     | 994.1                 | < 1   | 0.0                  | 0   | 114.6                 | <1        |
|          | Private Land - I      | No Res. |                       | Water |                      |     | Overa                 | ıll Total |
|          | ha                    | %       | ha                    | %     |                      |     | ha                    | %         |
| Status 1 | 0.0                   | 0       | 0.0                   | 0     |                      |     | 5,037.8               | < 1       |
| Status 2 | 0.0                   | 0       | 0.0                   | 0     |                      |     | 9,382.9               | < 1       |
| Status 3 | 0.5                   | < 1     | 0.0                   | 0     |                      |     | 163,466.3             | 21        |
| Status 4 | 1,146,328.4           | 77      | 300.7                 | < 1   |                      |     | 1,159,334.4           | 78        |
| Total    | 1,146,328.9           | 77      | 300.7                 | < 1   |                      |     | 1,337,221.3           | 100       |

GAP Status 1: An area having permanent protection from conversion of natural land cover and a mandated management plan in operation to maintain a natural state within which disturbance events (of natural type, frequency, and intensity) are allowed to proceed without interference or are mimicked through management.

GAP Status 2: An area having permanent protection from conversion of natural land cover and a mandated management plan in operation to maintain a primarily natural state, but which may receive use or management practices that degrade the quality of existing natural communities.

GAP Status 3: An area having permanent protection from conversion of natural land cover for the majority of the area, but subject to extractive uses of either a broad, low-intensity type or localized intense type. It also confers protection to federally listed endangered and threatened species throughout the area.

GAP Status 4: Lack of irrevocable easement or mandate to prevent conversion of natural habitat types to anthropogenic habitat types. Allows for intensive use throughout the tract. Also includes those tracts for which the existence of such restrictions or sufficient information to establish a higher status is unknown.

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# PREDICTED HABITAT MODEL(S):

## **Year-round Model:**

Habitat Description: Rana sevosa prinicpally occupies open longleaf pine-scrub oak forests developed on sandy soils (Bailey &

Means 2004). Although highly terrestrial they require isolated, temporary wetland breeding sites

(NatureServe 2005, Bailey & Means 2004).

Ecosystem Classifiers: Evergreen, Flatwoods. Amy Silvano 12apr05

| ected Map Units: |  |  |  |  |  |
|------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Functional Group | Map Unit Name  |  |  |  |  |
| Forest/Woodland  | East Gulf Coastal Plain Interior Upland Longleaf Pine Woodland - Loblolly Modifier         |  |  |  |  |
| Forest/Woodland  | East Gulf Coastal Plain Interior Upland Longleaf Pine Woodland - Offsite Hardwood Modifier |  |  |  |  |
| Forest/Woodland  | East Gulf Coastal Plain Interior Upland Longleaf Pine Woodland - Open Understory Modifier  |  |  |  |  |
| Forest/Woodland  | East Gulf Coastal Plain Interior Upland Longleaf Pine Woodland - Scrub/Shrub Modifier      |  |  |  |  |
| Wetlands         | East Gulf Coastal Plain Near-Coast Pine Flatwoods - Offsite Hardwood Modifier              |  |  |  |  |
| Wetlands         | East Gulf Coastal Plain Near-Coast Pine Flatwoods - Open Understory Modifier               |  |  |  |  |
| Wetlands         | ds East Gulf Coastal Plain Near-Coast Pine Flatwoods - Scrub/Shrub Understory Modifier     |  |  |  |  |
| Wetlands         | East Gulf Coastal Plain Treeless Savanna and Wet Prairie                                   |  |  |  |  |

CITATIONS: Bailey, M. A. and D. Bruce Means. 2004. Dusky Gopher Frog, Rana capito sspp. Pages in Mirarchi, Ralph E. ed. Alabama Wildlife, V. 1: a

Checklist of Vertebrates and Selected Invertebrates: Aquatic Mollusks, Fishes, Amphibians, Reptiles, Birds, and Mammals

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