



# Species Modeling Report

## **Three-lined Salamander**

Eurycea guttolineata

- Taxa: Amphibian
- Order: Caudata
- Family: Plethodontidae

#### **KNOWN RANGE:**



SE-GAP Spp Code: **aTHSA** ITIS Species Code: 586362 NatureServe Element Code: AAAAD05290

#### PREDICTED HABITAT:



 Range Map Link:
 http://www.basic.ncsu.edu/segap/datazip/maps/SE\_Range\_aTHSA.pdf

 Predicted Habitat Map Link:
 http://www.basic.ncsu.edu/segap/datazip/maps/SE\_Dist\_aTHSA.pdf

 GAP Online Tool Link:
 http://www.gapserve.ncsu.edu/segap/segap/index2.php?species=aTHSA

 Data Download:
 http://www.basic.ncsu.edu/segap/datazip/region/vert/aTHSA\_se00.zip

#### **PROTECTION STATUS:**

Reported on March 14, 2011

Federal Status: ---

State Status: KY (T), MS (Non-game species in need of management)

NS Global Rank: G5

NS State Rank: AL (S5), FL (SNR), GA (S4S5), KY (S2), LA (S4), MS (S5), NC (S5), SC (SNR), TN (S5), VA (S4)

### 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	7,938.2	< 1	6,037.7	< 1	0.0	0	0.0	0	
Status 2	66,602.3	< 1	26,107.5	< 1	0.0	0	1,523.1	< 1	
Status 3	766.3	< 1	229,886.2	3	3,661.7	< 1	77,701.0	1	
Status 4	9.4	< 1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	
Total	75,316.1	1	262,031.4	4	3,661.7	< 1	79,224.0	1	
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	US Dept. of Energy		US Nat. Park Service		NOAA		Other Federal Lands		
	ha	%	ha	%	ha	%	ha	%	
Status 1	0.0	0	13,245.8	< 1	9.4	< 1	0.0	0	
Status 2	0.0	0	3.2	< 1	1,285.5	< 1	0.0	0	
Status 3	14,304.9	< 1	4,685.3	< 1	0.0	0	983.7	< 1	
Status 4	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	
Total	14,304.9	< 1	17,934.4	< 1	1,294.8	< 1	983.7	< 1	
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	Native Am. Reserv.		State Park/Hist. Park		State WMA/G	State WMA/Gameland		State Forest	
	ha	%	ha	%	ha	%	ha	%	
Status 1	0.0	0	125.6	< 1	0.0	0	0.0	0	
Status 2	0.0	0	1,153.3	< 1	160,733.1	2	19.8	< 1	
Status 3	1,982.5	< 1	66,455.0	< 1	57,628.6	< 1	40,408.2	< 1	
Status 4	0.0	0	0.0	0	10,629.2	< 1	5.9	< 1	
Total	1,982.5	< 1	67,733.8	< 1	228,990.9	3	40,433.9	< 1	
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	State Coastal	Reserve	ST Nat.Area/I	Preserve	Other Sta	ate Lands	Private Cons.	Easemt.	
	ha	%	ha	%	ha	%	ha	%	
Status 1	0.0	0	1,697.5	< 1	0.0	0	0.0	0	
Status 2	532.3	< 1	24,745.6	< 1	0.0	0	126.5	< 1	
Status 3	0.0	0	750.5	< 1	1,282.6	< 1	15,836.5	< 1	
Status 4	0.0	0	0.0	0	682.7	< 1	0.0	0	
Total	532.3	< 1	27,193.6	< 1	1,965.2	< 1	15,963.0	< 1	
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Private Land - No Res.		Water			Overal		all Total		
	ha	%	ha	%			ha	%	
Status 1	0.0	0	0.0	0			29,054.2	< 1	
Status 2	0.0	0	0.0	0			282,832.0	4	
Status 3	347.8	< 1	0.0	0			516,680.7	10	
Status 4	6,132,735.8	85	7,835.9	< 1			6,162,518.7	85	
Total	6,133,083.6	85	7,835.9	< 1			6,991,085.6	100	
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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.

#### Year-round Model:

Habitat Description: In the Coastal Pain the preferred habitat of the three-lined salamander is floodplain forest with logs or piles of flood debris. Outside of coastal plain individuals are often found along the margins of streams or in the vicinity of ditches, vernal ponds and bogs that are fed by seepages or springs. They are especially common in forested floodplains, where they spend daylight hours under logs, in burrows, or in piles of damp debris deposited by floods (Mount 1975). Under mesic conditions, they can be found some distance from water (Martof et al. 1980). This salamander is common in the piedmont and coastal plain, and moderately common but restricted to larger valley areas in the mountains (Martof et al. 1980). They are primarily found below 800 m in elevations, but some populations occur sporadically in the southern Appalachians up to 1000 m. Egg deposition occurs in late fall or early winter. They lay several dozen eggs singly or in small clusters in underground crevices associated with springs, temporary pools, and streams. The larvae are aquatic and hatch in 6-8 weeks. Metamorphosis occurs several months. They are sexually mature in 1-2 years. Stacy Smith, 15April05

Elevation Mask: < 1000m

Hydrography Mask:

Freshwater Only

Utilizes flowing water features with buffer of 60m from selected water features. Utilizes open water features with buffer of 60m from selected water features. Utilizes wet vegetation features with buffers of 60m from and unlimited into selected vegetation features.

#### Selected Map Units:

Functional Group	Map Unit Name	
Forest/Woodland	Atlantic Coastal Plain Mesic Hardwood and Mixed Forest	÷
Forest/Woodland	East Gulf Coastal Plain Northern Loess Bluff Forest	
Forest/Woodland	East Gulf Coastal Plain Northern Mesic Hardwood Forest	
Forest/Woodland	East Gulf Coastal Plain Southern Loess Bluff Forest	
Forest/Woodland	East Gulf Coastal Plain Southern Mesic Slope Forest	
Forest/Woodland	South-Central Interior Mesophytic Forest	
Forest/Woodland	Southern and Central Appalachian Cove Forest	
Forest/Woodland	Southern Piedmont Mesic Forest	
Wetlands	Atlantic Coastal Plain Blackwater Stream Floodplain Forest - Forest Modifier	
Wetlands	Atlantic Coastal Plain Blackwater Stream Floodplain Forest - Herbaceous Modifier	
Wetlands	Atlantic Coastal Plain Brownwater Stream Floodplain Forest	
Wetlands	Atlantic Coastal Plain Clay-Based Carolina Bay Forested Wetland	
Wetlands	Atlantic Coastal Plain Clay-Based Carolina Bay Herbaceous Wetland	
Wetlands	Atlantic Coastal Plain Nonriverine Swamp and Wet Hardwood Forest - Taxodium/Nyssa Modifier	
Wetlands	Atlantic Coastal Plain Nonriverine Swamp and Wet Hardwood Forest - Oak Dominated Modifier	
Wetlands	Atlantic Coastal Plain Northern Basin Peat Swamp	
Wetlands	Atlantic Coastal Plain Northern Basin Swamp and Wet Hardwood Forest	
Wetlands	Atlantic Coastal Plain Peatland Pocosin	
Wetlands	Atlantic Coastal Plain Small Blackwater River Floodplain Forest	
Wetlands	Atlantic Coastal Plain Small Brownwater River Floodplain Forest	
Wetlands	Atlantic Coastal Plain Streamhead Seepage Swamp, Pocosin, and Baygall	
Wetlands	East Gulf Coastal Plain Interior Shrub Bog	
Wetlands	East Gulf Coastal Plain Large River Floodplain Forest - Forest Modifier	
Wetlands	East Gulf Coastal Plain Large River Floodplain Forest - Herbaceous Modifier	
Wetlands	East Gulf Coastal Plain Northern Seepage Swamp	
Wetlands	East Gulf Coastal Plain Small Stream and River Floodplain Forest	
Wetlands	Lower Mississippi River Bottomland and Floodplain Forest	
Wetlands	Lower Mississippi River Bottomland Depressions - Forest Modifier	
Wetlands	Lower Mississippi River Bottomland Depressions - Herbaceous Modifier	
Wetlands	Mississippi River Low Floodplain (Bottomland) Forest	
Wetlands	Mississippi River Riparian Forest	
Wetlands	South-Central Interior Large Floodplain - Forest Modifier	
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Wetlands	South-Central Interior Large Floodplain - Herbaceous Modifier
Wetlands	South-Central Interior Small Stream and Riparian
Wetlands	Southern and Central Appalachian Bog and Fen
Wetlands	Southern Appalachian Seepage Wetland
Wetlands	Southern Coastal Plain Blackwater River Floodplain Forest
Wetlands	Southern Coastal Plain Herbaceous Seepage Bog
Wetlands	Southern Coastal Plain Hydric Hammock
Wetlands	Southern Coastal Plain Nonriverine Basin Swamp
Wetlands	Southern Coastal Plain Nonriverine Cypress Dome
Wetlands	Southern Coastal Plain Seepage Swamp and Baygall
Wetlands	Southern Coastal Plain Spring-run Stream Aquatic Vegetation
Wetlands	Southern Piedmont Large Floodplain Forest - Forest Modifier
Wetlands	Southern Piedmont Large Floodplain Forest - Herbaceous Modifier
Wetlands	Southern Piedmont Seepage Wetland
Wetlands	Southern Piedmont Small Floodplain and Riparian Forest
Wetlands	Southern Piedmont/Ridge and Valley Upland Depression Swamp
Wetlands	Western Highland Rim Seepage Fen

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