



## Catfish: Ecology and Characteristics

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**Ecology**

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unmistakable barbels, which take a er a cat's bristles, cat sh run in estimate and behavior from the three biggest species lively, the Mekong monster cat sh from Southeast Asia, the wels cat sh of Eurasia, and the piraiba of South America, to detritivores (species that eat dead fabric on the foot), and indeed to a modest parasitic species commonly