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Naturally occurring green sunfish/pumpkinseed sunfish hybrid. Occurs in many water bodies, especially turbid ones, but they are not unique to turbid water. Also becoming common at Blue Marsh Lake, and I recall them being common in SW Pa streams (green sunfish hybridizing with other sunfish species) during my surveys there in 1976....Dunkard Ck, S Fk Ten Mile Ck, Ten Mile Ck, etc. The hybrids are often larger than the parent stock and grow faster too.....known biologically as "hybrid vigor."