

Występowanie kielbja białopłetwego *Romanogobio albipinnatus* complex (Teleostei: Cyprinidae) w potoku Rzepnik

The occurrence of the whitefin gudgeon *Romanogobio albipinnatus* complex (Teleostei: Cyprinidae) in the Rzepnik Stream (S Poland)

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SUMMARY

Five specimens of *Romanogobio albipinnatus* complex (Fig. 1) were caught in the Rzepnik Stream (49°59'24"N, 19°48'20"E; a tributary of the Skawinka River, within the Upper Vistula drainage basin). The gudgeons were of 52.0–57.5 mm in standard length. It is a very unusual occurrence site of *R. albipinnatus* (Fig. 2), which commonly inhabits large lowland rivers. Due to general morphological resemblance to *G. gobio* complex, small size and mainly nocturnal activity, the knowledge about the distribution of the whitefin gudgeon in the territory of Poland is very limited and it seems underestimated.