FLATWOOD SILTSNAIL

Floridobia leptospira

Order:LittorinimorphaFamily:HydrobiidaeFNAI Ranks:G1/S1U.S. Status:noneFL Status:none



Description: This is a "moderately stocky", ca. 5mm snail (Thompson 2000).

Similar Species: Many other snails might look similar to a layperson.

Habitat: This species is only known from a single seepage creek and was found on "dead twigs, leaves and tree rootlets in quieter zones and pools along the stream edge." (Thompson 2000).

Seasonal Occurrence: This species is likely present all year.

Florida Distribution: This species is only known from the headwater section of Glen Branch, a seepage spring run creek, in Lake County.

Range-wide Distribution: This species is only known from the headwater section of Glen Branch, a seepage spring run creek, in Lake County, Florida.

Conservation Status: This species is only known from the headwater section of a seepage spring run creek, in Lake County, Florida. Anything that adversely affects water quality could potentially cause this species to become extinct.

Protection and Management: Manage the one known occurrence for water quality.

References: Thompson 2000



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