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Korthausae = after Edith Korthaus, editor of "Das Aquarium magazine" and discoverer of this species.

Nothobranchius korthausae is a small and slender fish, reaching a length of about 3.0cm for the males and slightly smaller for the females. This species is found in the wild in two colour forms, yellow and red.

Ditches on Mafia Island, eastern Tanzania

It is known from temporary pools, swamps and also permanent water on Mafia Island, eastern Tanzania.

A very easy fish to maintain, recommended as a beginners fish for those who are just starting with *Nothobranchius*.

Trios or groups can be left together with no problems of aggression. Eggs stored at 24°C will be ready for hatching at about eight weeks. The fry are able to eat Brine Shrimp nauplii immediately and if kept at a temperature of 24°C, will reach sexual maturity at about six weeks of age.

Endangered



Nothobranchius korthausae © Ruud Wildekamp

