

# LITTLE Facts about Asian Carp!

Did you know that Asian Carp hurt at least 50 people a year! Naturally they don't jump but, the boat's vibration scares them which makes them jump. While they jump they may give the sailors a bloody nose or a broken nose! YIKES!



## What Do Carp Eat?

Asian carp feed on phytoplankton which is a scientific name for algae! They also eat regular plankton! The carp have no predators they live long live and they can lay up to 1,000,000,000 eggs in a year!



algae



## Size

Asian Carp can grow up to 60 pounds. The biggest an Asian Carp can grow is up to 110 pounds! WHOA! Look out sailors.

## Adapt

Asian Carp can adapt to almost any ecosystem. So, now they live in fresh water but the ocean is salt water. if they pass the great lakes then they will have to adapt to the ocean. that means they'll take over the ocean and that will just be simply awful .

# Bigger Details

## Where They're From

Asian carp originated in Asia of course! They were brought here by us in purpose to keep the algae under control and they may also clean the floors of lakes and ponds, sadly they don't clean house floors. LOL



## What Do You Think

Are the carps bad? In my opinion I don't think they have anything against us, they are probably doing whatever it takes to survive! think if you were in a candy shop... everything is free.... Just you and a couple friends..... What would you do? Eat all the candy or just one jelly bean?

## How Are They Invasive?

Well when we brought the carp here to clean they must have decided that this is the place to have families! And then they spread because female carps have up to 1,000,000,000 eggs! Keep in mind not all eggs make it.

## Other Invasive Species To Be Aware Of:

1. Honey suckle
2. Python
3. Kudzu
4. Giant goldfish
5. Zebra mussels

Beware! YO!