

Notizen zur Phänologie und Larvalökologie von Amphibien in Hochgebirgslagen der Alpen

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Some notes on phenology and larval ecology of amphibians in mountainous regions of the Alps

Based on some observations at spawning-sites in mountainous regions of the Alps (Switzerland, Austria, Italy) surviving strategies of alpine populations of *Rana temporaria*, *Bufo bufo*, and *Triturus alpestris* are discussed. Especially noteworthy are late spawning activities of *Rana temporaria* (4.7.1999) at a pond in Graubünden (Switzerland) at 2500 m asl, partly still covered by snow.

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