Biodiversity knowledge gaps in marine invertebrates from the southern Gulf of Mexico

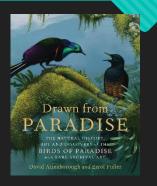
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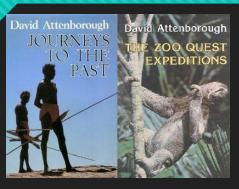


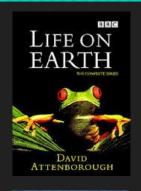
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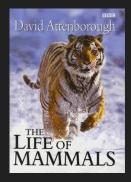
- World population growth
- Increased demand for food and other commodities
- Increased potential for mobility
- More time for recreational activities
- Development of tourism industry
- Increased intensity of use of natural resources
- Need for Regulation

### "Anyone who believes in indefinite growth on a physic finite planet is either mad or an economist" David Attenborough

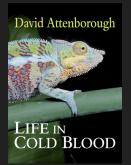


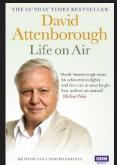


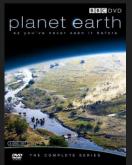


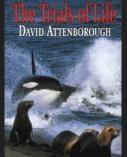


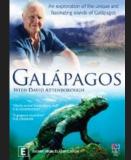


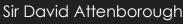


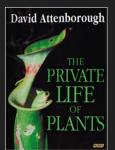


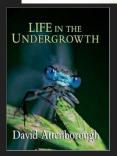


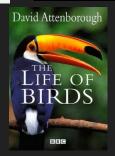


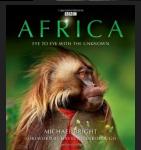


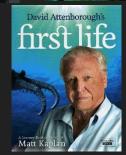












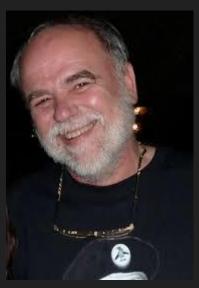
# "The study of species in the era of Biodiversity: a tale of stupidity" Ferdinando Boero



The most popular definitions of biodiversity range from genetic to population, species, community, habitat, ecosystem, and landscape diversity.

Species diversity, however, does have a pivotal role in the study and perception of biodiversity.

The key question that triggered concern about biodiversity was: How many species are there on our planet?



# Why we need to know how many species?

it provides a metric for how much we do and do not know about life in the land and oceans.

and...

"In the end we will conserve only what we love; we will love only what we understand; and we will understand only what we have been taught."

Baba Dioum, activist in favour of Conservation, Senegal



### Have we done it?

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PLOS BIOLOGY

#### How Many Species Are There on Earth and in the Ocean?

Camilo Mora<sup>1,2</sup>\*, Derek P. Tittensor<sup>1,3,4</sup>, Sina Adl<sup>1</sup>, Alastair G. B. Simpson<sup>1</sup>, Boris Worm<sup>1</sup>

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2011

**Spotlight** 



#### Global species richness estimates have not converged

M. Julian Caley<sup>1</sup>, Rebecca Fisher<sup>1</sup>, and Kerrie Mengersen<sup>2</sup>

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### Number of MARINE species described

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Article

The Magnitude of Global Marine Species Diversity 2012

121 (!) authors

~226,000 eukaryotic marine species described. More species were described in the past decade (~20,000) than in any previous one.

Of these,  $\sim$ 7,600 species belong to Plantae,  $\sim$ 19,500 to Chromista,  $\sim$ 550 to Protozoa,  $\sim$ 1,050 to Fungi, and nearly 200,000 to Animalia.

58,000–72,000 species were collected but not yet described

482,000–741,000 more species have yet to be sampled.

Molecular methods may add tens of thousands of cryptic species.

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Thus, there may be 0.7–1.0 million marine species. Past rates of description of new species indicate there may be 0.5 +- 0.2 million marine species.

On average 37% of species in over 100 recent field studies around the world might be new to science.

Conclusions: previous estimates of there being well over one million marine species appear highly unlikely.

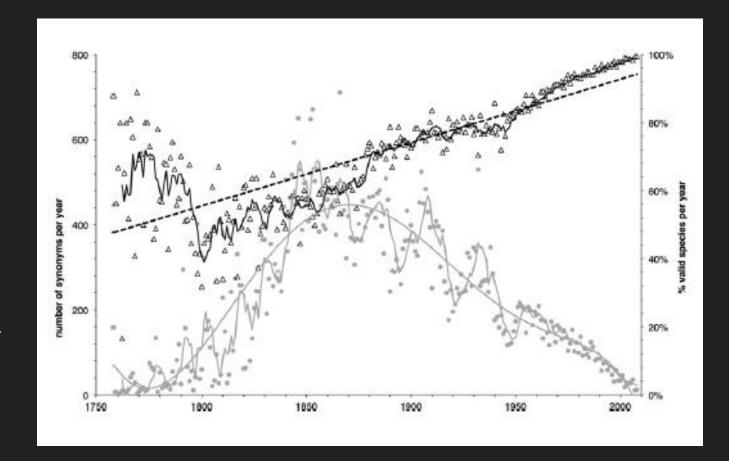
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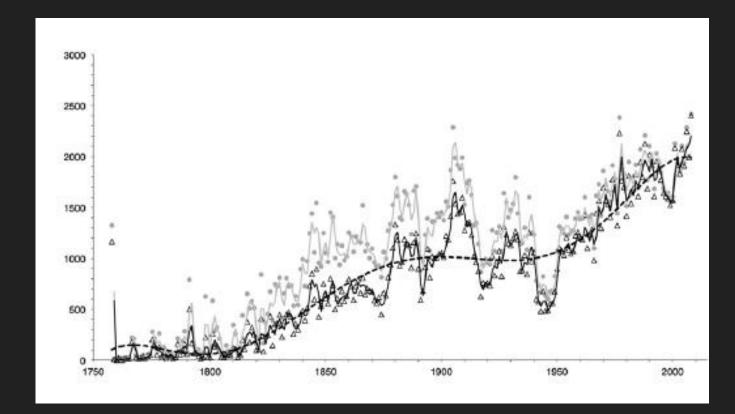
Black - walking average and linear fit number valid species



#### **Article**

#### The Magnitude of Global Marine Species Diversity

Number of species described per year (grey) against number of species recognized as valid



### However...

A name is just a label

For most species, we only know the phenotype of the adult stage

intra and inter-specific variability?

life cycles and components of ecological niches?

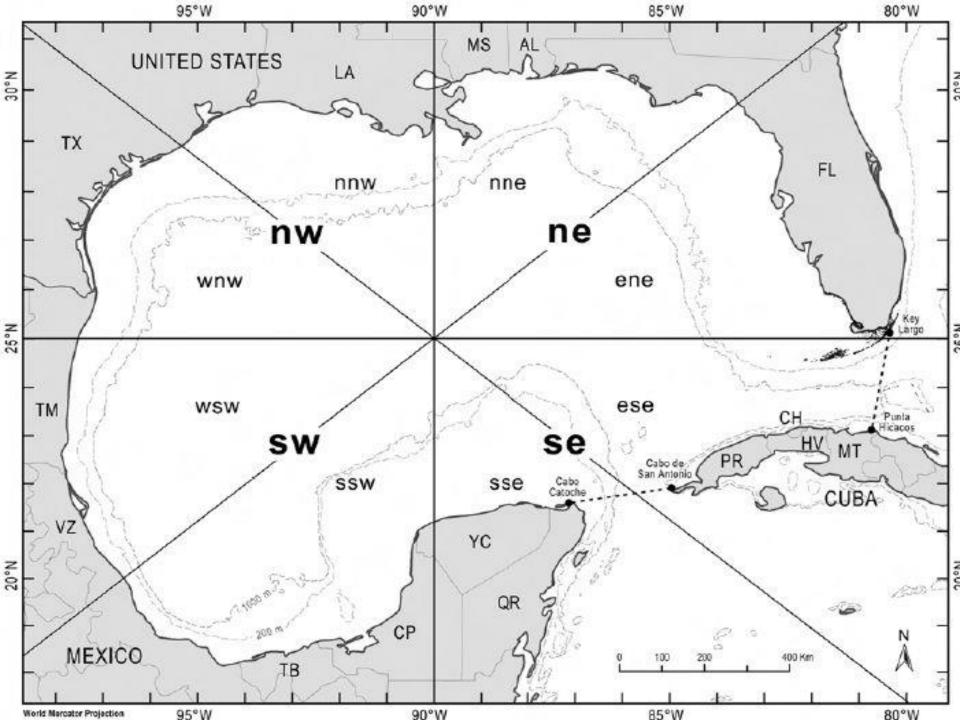
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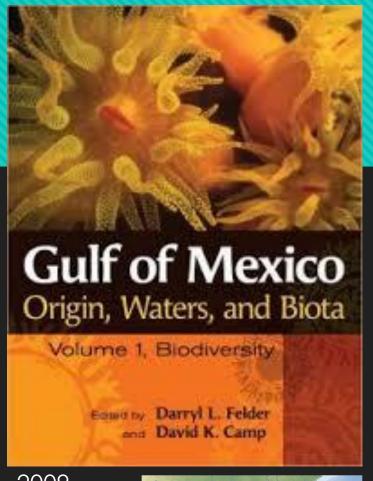
Role in communities and ecosystems?

## Marine Species Diversity?

- O Bias for terrestrial environments
- In marine zoology, a reporting bias for vertebrates
- Gap between regions where diversity is better known and regions where biodiversity is greatest
- Tradeoff between number of taxonomists trained each year and the need for good information on biodiversity for ecologically sustainable decision-making.
- CONABIO in México, but not sufficient...
- Inventories are far from representing the knowledge of species richness in the region
- The taxonomy should be on the IUCN Red List ...



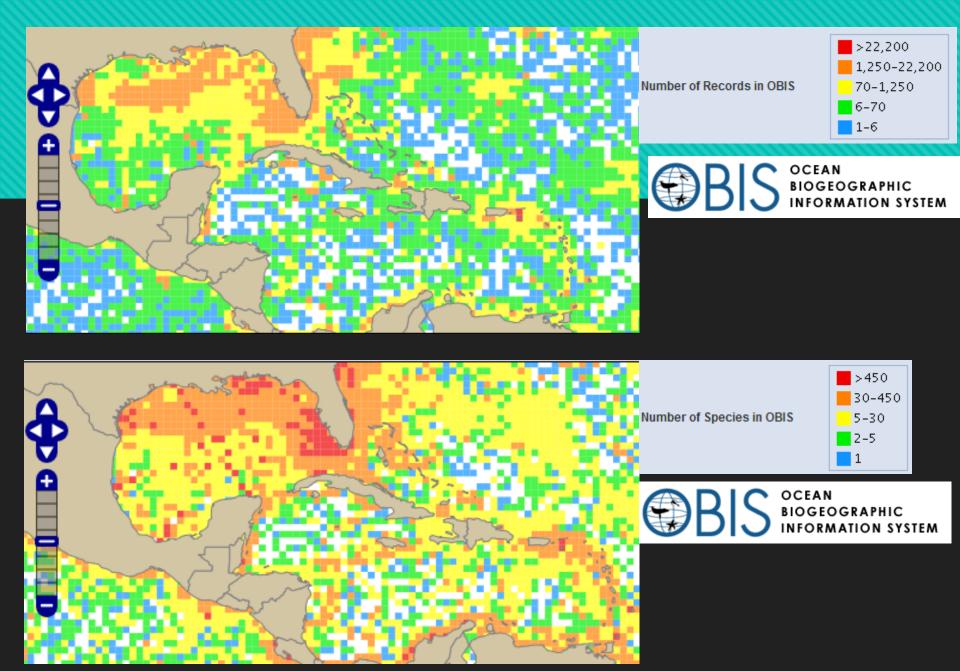




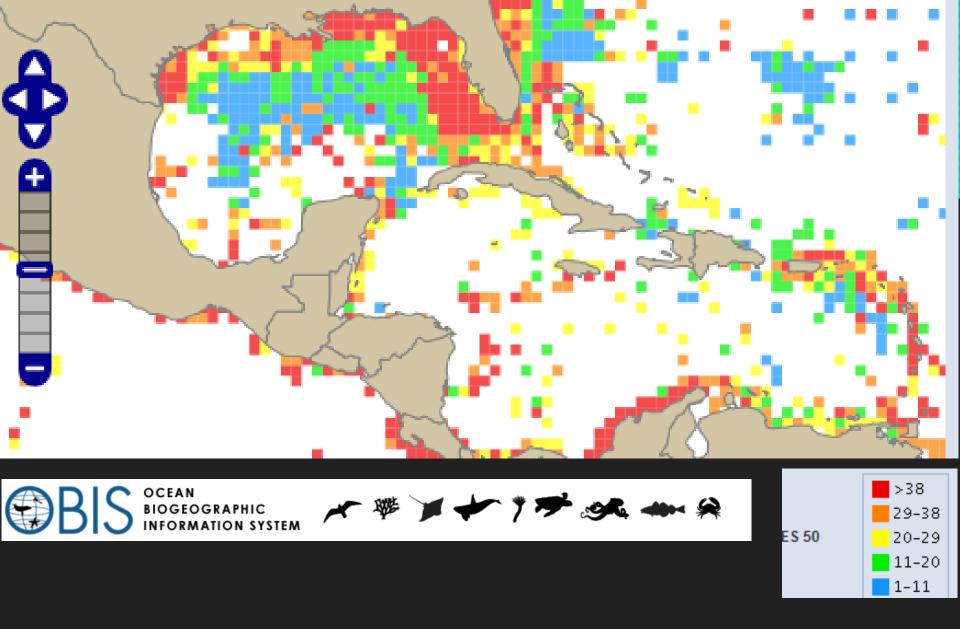
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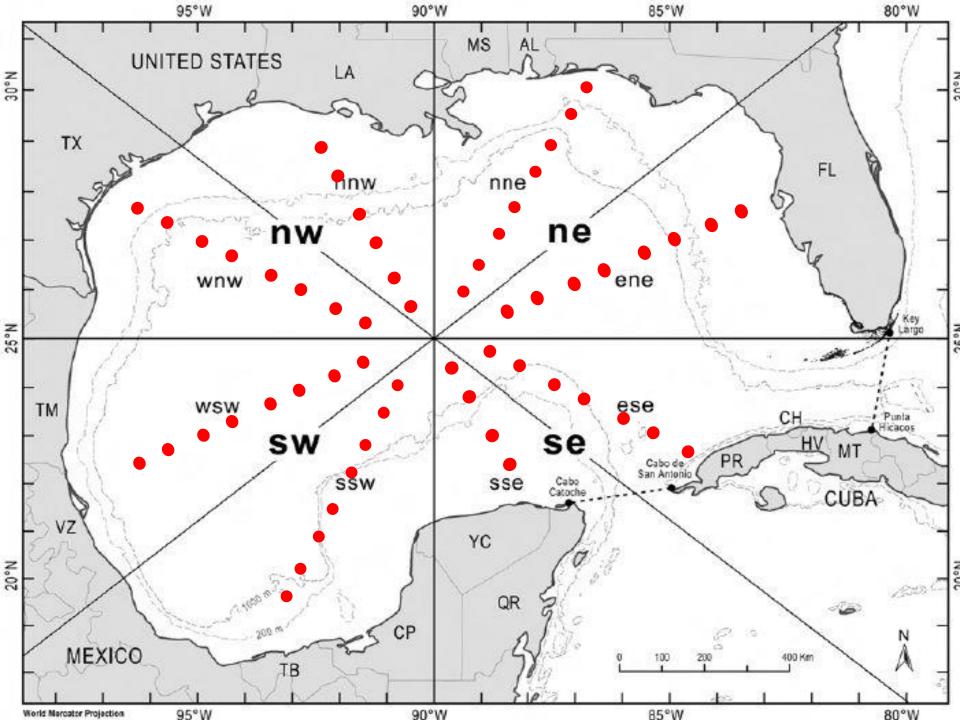
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cnidarians		792	62	7.8
sponges	<b>P</b>	339	109	32.2
crustaceans		2579	388	15.0
moluscs	Th.	2455	257	10.5
anelids		866	120	13.9
equinoderms		522	31	5.9
platelmints		705	191	27.1
briozoans		266	55	20.7
Tunicates		78	5	6.4

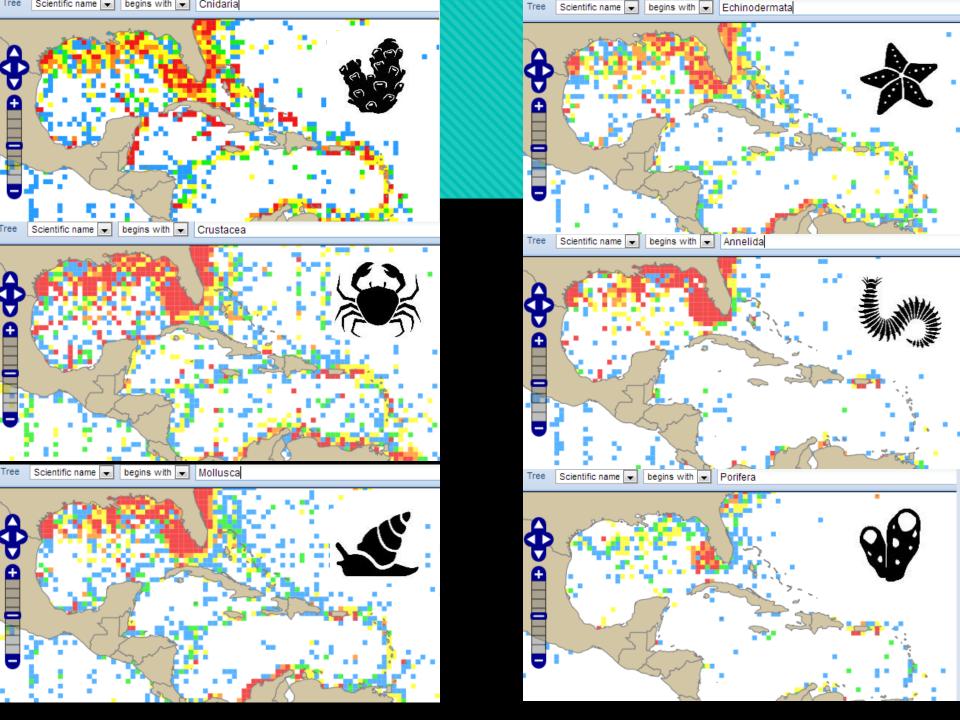


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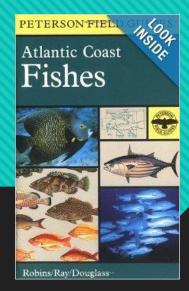
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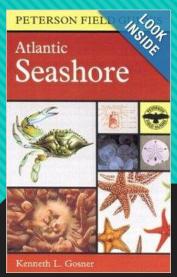


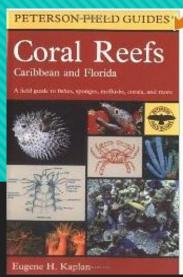


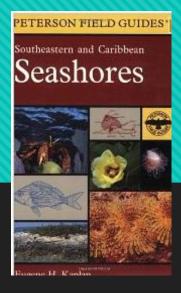
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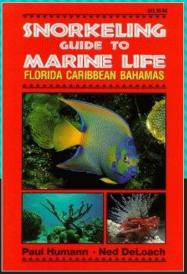
- Cryptic species
  - Reduced size
  - Nocturnal habits
  - O Distribution below SCUBA limits
  - Infauna
  - Rare
  - Need for destructive sampling
- Lack of Specialists
- Few active Biological Reference Colections
- Lack of "light" non-specialised literature

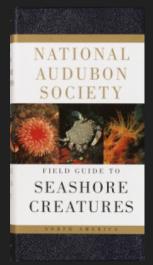


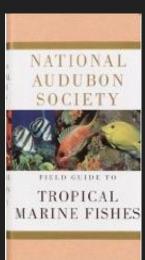


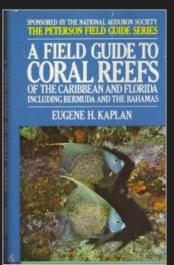






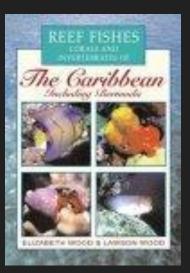




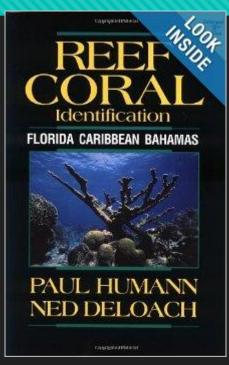


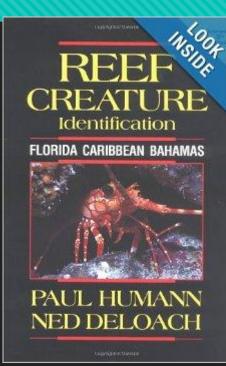


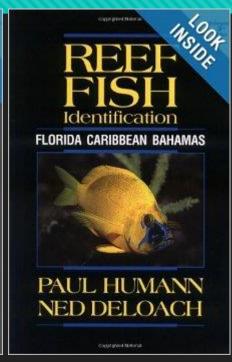
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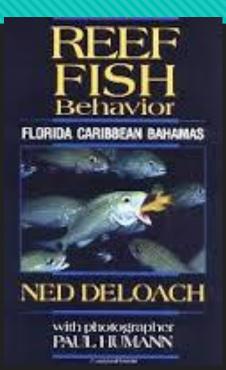


# Perhaps one of the known Guides?







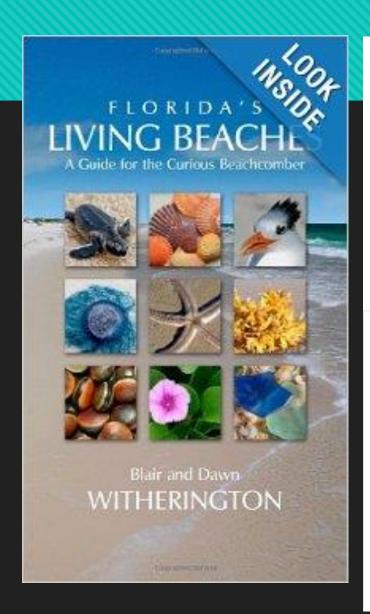


In english and not specific to México...

### Recent Guide on the SeaShore

Sea Foam

FOUND: All beaches.













DID YOU KNOW? Common a feed on soft-bodied animals buried the sand. Canthari get their name fr the cantharus, sacred cup of Bac Roman god of wine. Cantharus prey on worms, harmacles, and attached invertebrates.

IDENTIFYING FEATURES:

Tinted canthari (Pollia tiocta) have similar shape to nutmegs but withou distinct whool indentations. Their oute

ip is toothed and the columell flossy. Background shell color is cr

Ribbed canthari (Cantharus multany lus), also called false drills, have la ridges that are sharply angled at whorl shoulders. HABITAT: These smile live in

## Field Guide species Numbers





















Book or Filed Guide	Author(s)	year	pages	Species N
Reef Creature	Humann & Deloach	2003	420	499
Reef Coral	Humann & Deloach	2003	278	122
Reef fishes corals and invertebrates	Wood & Wood	2003	144	266
Florida's Seashells	Blair & Dawn	2012	84	252
Field guide to seashore creatures	Audubon	1981	813	310
Atlantic Seashore	Kenneth L. Gosner	1978	329	106
Southeastern and Caribbean seashore	Eugene Kaplan	1988	397	599
Guide Britain and Northern Europe	Andrew Campbell	2011	328	746
Seashore animals of the southeats	Ruppert & Fox	1988	407	319
Florida's living beaches	Blair & Dawn	2012	314	318
TOTALs				353.7

### Field Guide covered taxa



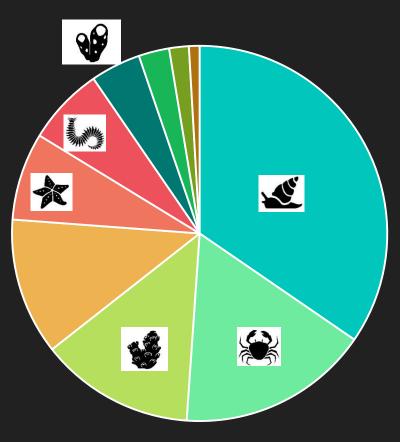












Molluscs

Annelids

Crustaceans

Sponges

Cnidarians

■ Tunicates

■ Other (Fish, etc.) ■ Equinoderms

Bryozoans

Platelmynths

## Why less information for México?

### Divulgación

# Iniciativa mexicana en taxonomía: biota marina y costera

2007

Sergio I. Salazar-Vallejo \*, Elva Escobar-Briones \*\*, Norma Emilia González \*, Eduardo Suárez-Morales \*, Fernando Álvarez \*\*\*, Jesús Ángel de León-González \*\*\*\* & Michel E. Hendrickx \*\*\*\*



Revista Mexicana de Biodiversidad, Supl. 85: S1-S9, 2014 DOI: 10.7550/rmb.43248

El estudio de la biodiversidad en México: ¿una ruta con dirección?

The study of the biodiversity in Mexico: a route with a course?

Enrique Martínez-Meyer<sup>1</sup>, Javier Enrique Sosa-Escalante<sup>2</sup> y Fernando Álvarez<sup>3⊠</sup>

### Brief statistics from Pan-American Coral Reefs Congress, october 2013, Merida, Yucatan, México

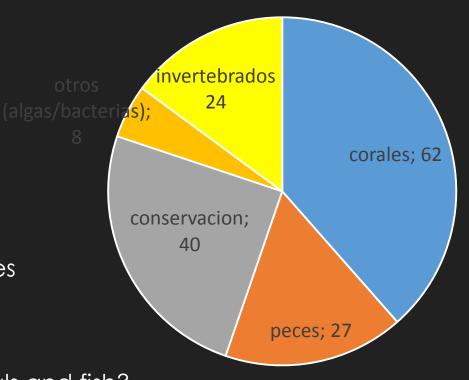


Coral Reefs and Corals... 161 studies

But are Corals species that diverse?

Cumulative number of talks on corals and fish?

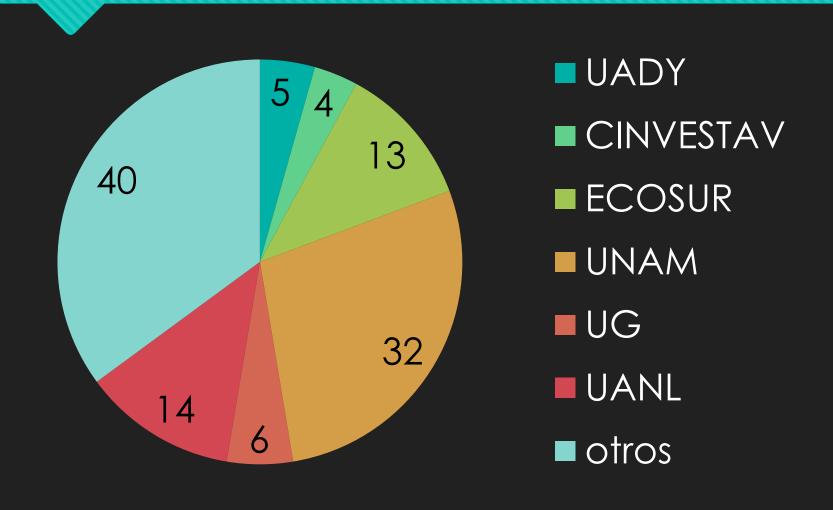
N species described for the GMx



# Biological Colections National Statistics (Zoology, CONABIO)

- 32 States, only 22 have zoologic colections
- 124 "oficial" biological colections
- O 30 are marine-specific or have marine specimens
- 10 fish colections (vertebrates)
- 20 invertebrate colections
- Yucatán península (Campeche, Yucatán, Quintana-Roo and Chiapas) - 25 zoological colections, 7 marine, 4 marine invertebrates
- Yucatan State, 7 zoology colections, 4 with marine specimens and from those, 3 are invertebrates

### National Biological Colections (120)

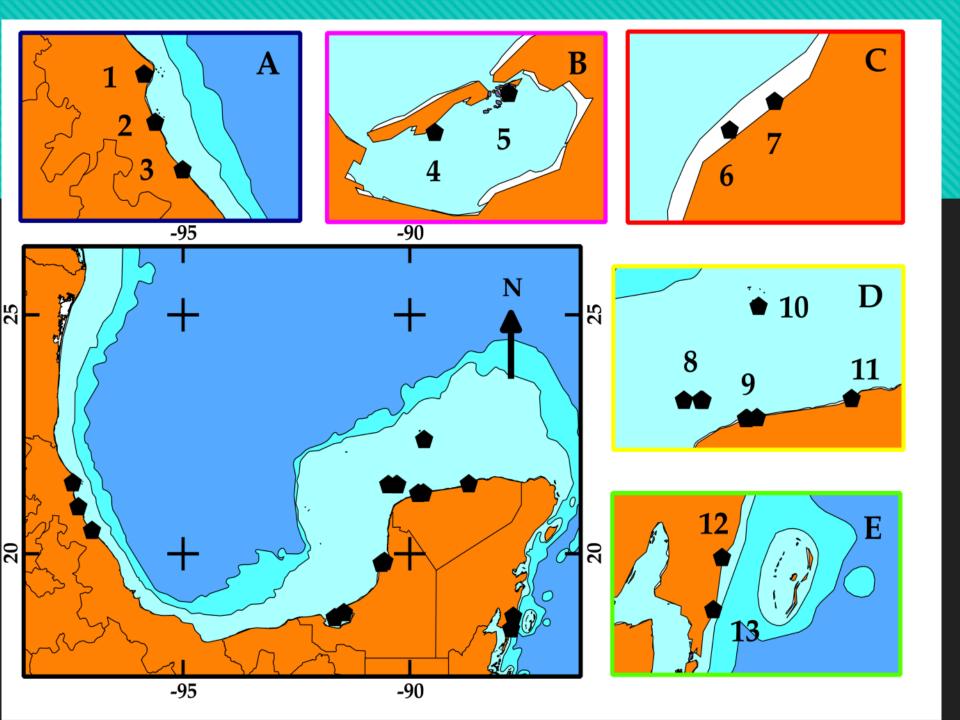








2006 - 2012









#### Riqueza Específica de **Peces Crípticos BDMY** del Parque Nacional Arrecife Alacranes;













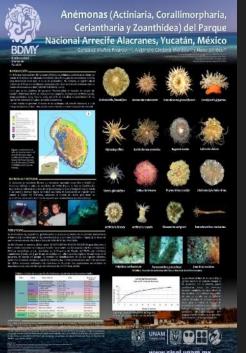
















**Pinnotherid crabs** 







"An update on the Caridean Shrimps (excluding the family Alpheidae) from the shallow waters of the South-eastern















#### SEASLUGS (Mollusca: Opisthobranchia) FROM CAMPECHE BANK, YUCATAN PENINSULA, MEXICO

DENEB ORTIGOSA(1,1), NUNO SIMÕES(1) & GONÇALO CALADO(2)

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Nauplius 21(2): 179-194, 2013

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Intertidal and shallow water amphipods (Amphipoda: Gammaridea and Corophiidea) from Isla Pérez, Alacranes Reef, southern Gulf of Mexico

Carlos E. Paz-Ríos, Nuno Simões and Pedro-Luis Ardisson





Taxonomic paper

Checklist of Fishes from Madagascar Reef, Campeche Bank, México

Salvador Zarco Perello<sup>†,‡</sup>, Rigoberto Moreno Mendoza<sup>§</sup>, Nuno Simões<sup>‡</sup>

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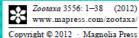
First record of the white-eye goby,

Bollmannia boqueronensis (Teleostei:
Perciformes: Gobiidae) along the coast of the
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#### Article



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First Inventory of Sea Anemones (Cnidaria: Actiniaria) of the Mexican Caribbean

RICARDO GONZALEZ-MUÑOZ <sup>1, 2</sup>, NUNO SIMÕES <sup>1</sup>, JUDITH SANCHEZ-RODRIGUEZ <sup>3</sup>, ESTEFANIA RODRIGUEZ <sup>4</sup> & LOURDES SEGURA-PUERTAS <sup>3</sup>†

ZooKeys 341:77–106 (2013) doi: 10.3897/zookeys.341.5816 www.zookeys.org

RESEARCH ARTICLE



### Sea anemones (Cnidaria, Anthozoa, Actiniaria) from coral reefs in the southern Gulf of Mexico

Ricardo González-Muñoz<sup>1,2</sup>, Nuno Simões<sup>1</sup>, José Luis Tello-Musi<sup>3</sup>, Estefanía Rodríguez<sup>4</sup>



Revista Mexicana de Biodiversidad 84: 676-681, 2013 DOI: 10.7550/rmb.30737

#### Research note

First record of *Ophioderma ensiferum* (Echinodermata: Ophiuroidea) from the southeastern continental shelf of the Gulf of Mexico and from an anchialine cave

Primer registro de *Ophioderma ensiferum* (Echinodermata: Ophiuroidea) del sureste de la plataforma continental del golfo de México y de una cueva anquiahalina

Yoalli Quetzalli Hernández-Díaz<sup>IB</sup>, Francisco A. Solís-Marín², Nuno Simões³ and Laura Sanvicente-Añorve⁴

Nuevos registros de alfeidos (in press) Chitones de Alacranes (sometido) Nuevos registros de esponjas (sometido)



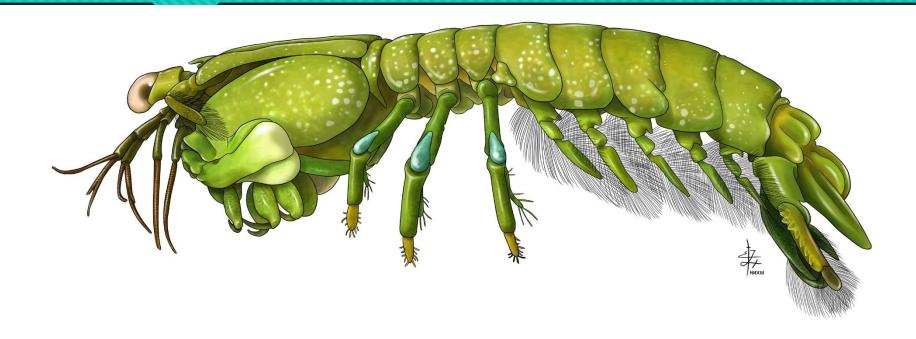
# High Quality Scientific illustrations based on good macro photography





Neogonodactylus bredini Manning, 1969

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## Stomatopod shrimps

Neogonodactylus bredini (Chace, 1958) Aphla ID: 514483 | Pederson cleaner shrimp

Transparent body and legs covered with purple to lavender spots. Two pairs of long, white, hair-like antennae. Rows of pinkish eggs occasionally attached



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Neogonodactylus oerstedii (Chace, 1958) Aphia ID: 514483 | Pederson cleaner shrimp

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## Pinoterid crabs

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# Caridean shrimps

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Superfamily PALAEMONOIDEA - Family PALAEMONIDAE - Subfamily PONTONIINAE

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Pontonia mexicana Guérin-Méneville, 1855 Aphia ID: 421/14 | Caribbean pen shrin

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Tuleariocaris neglecta Chace, 1869 Aphia ID: 107638 | Black-urchin shrimp Tuleariocaris neglecta Cnace, 1889 programme Transparent body and legs covered with purple to laxender spots. Two pairs of long, white, hair-like an programme transparent progr tennae. Rows of pinkish eggs occasionally attached



## Superfamily ALPHEOIDEA - Family HYPPOLYTIDAE

Hyppolyte obliquimanus Dana, 1852 Apha ID: 421777 | Pederson cleaner shrimp Transparent body and legs covered with purple to lavender spots. Two pairs of long, white, hair-like antennae. Rows of pinkish eggs occasionally attached





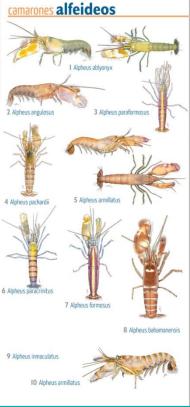
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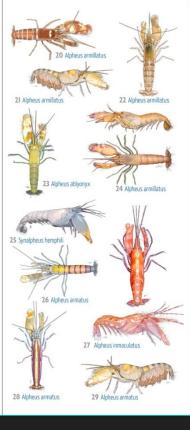
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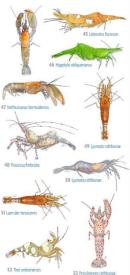




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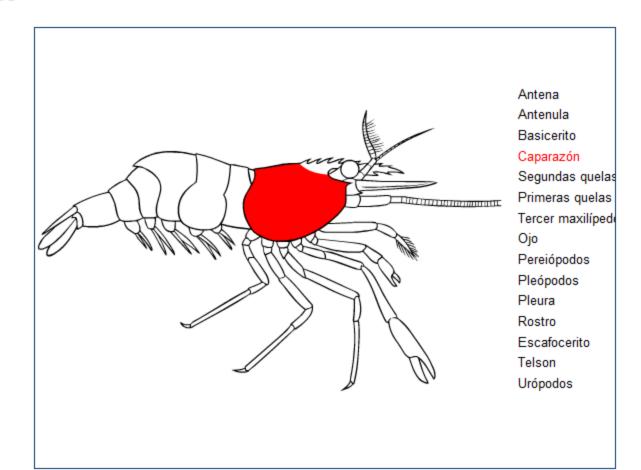


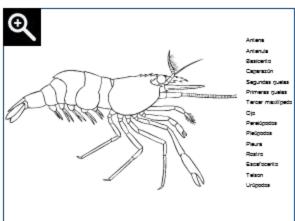
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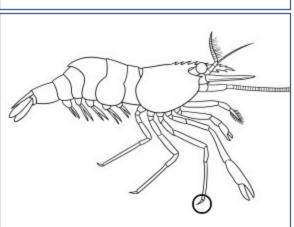
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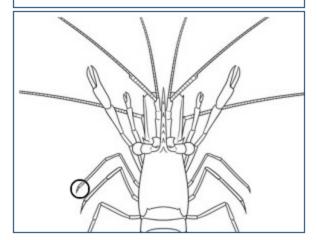
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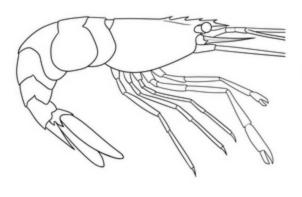
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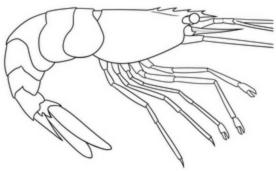
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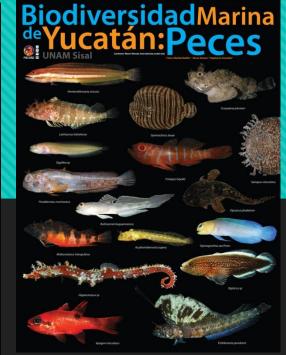
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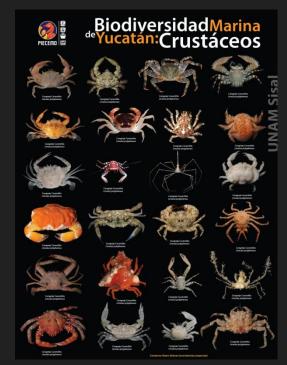












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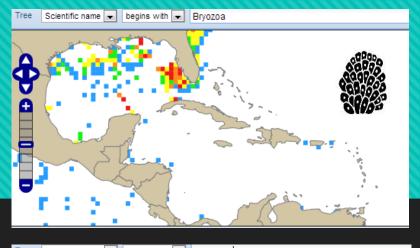


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Molluscs	2	29	58	1
Crustacenas	5	29	92	2
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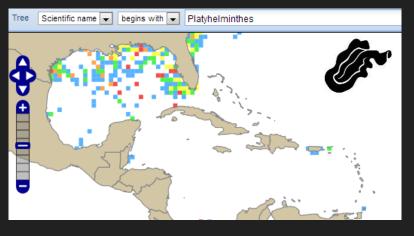
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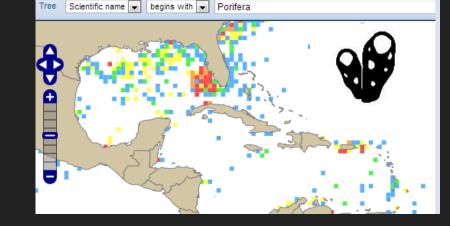






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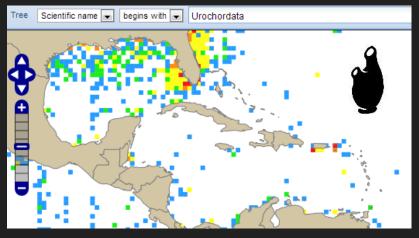
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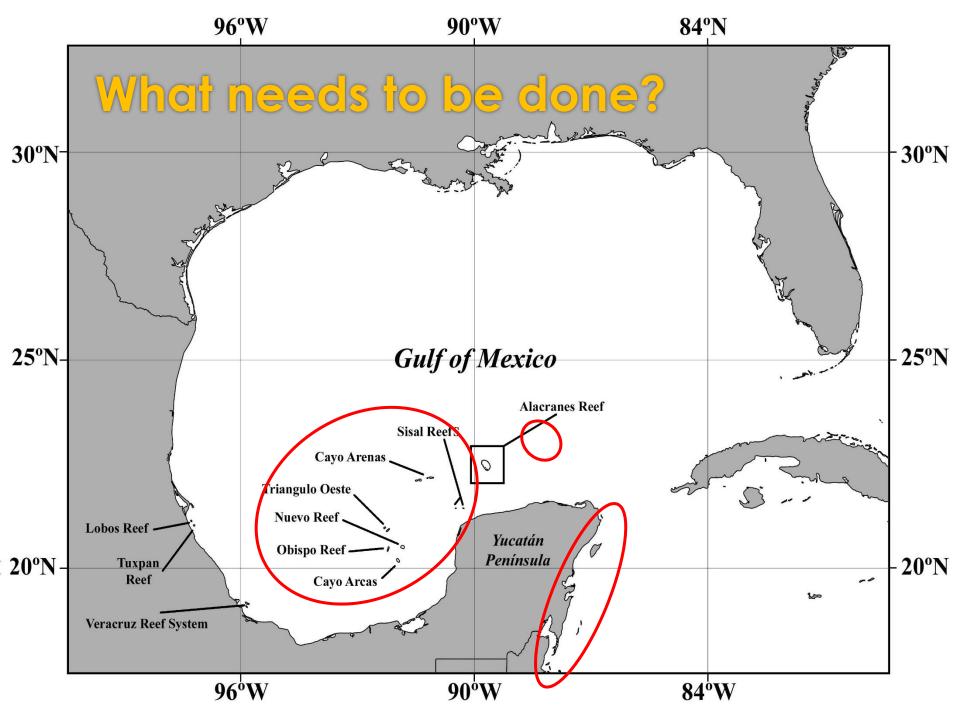


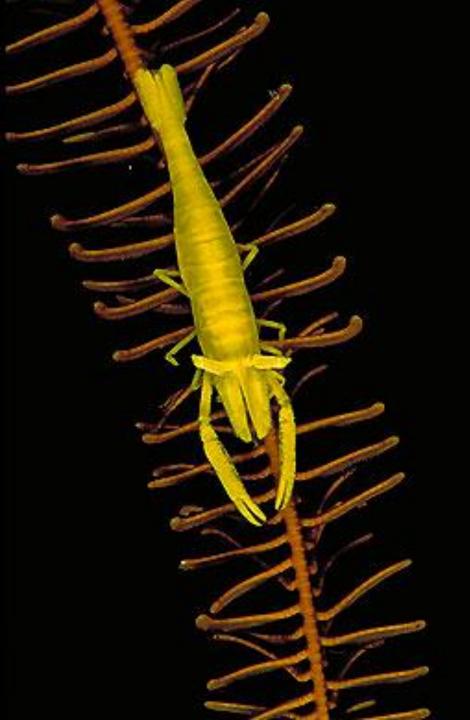


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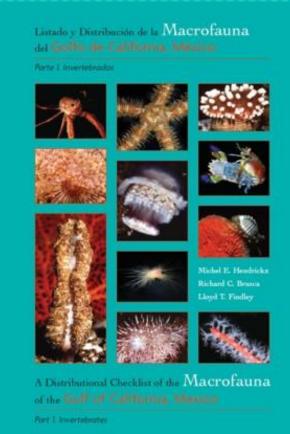


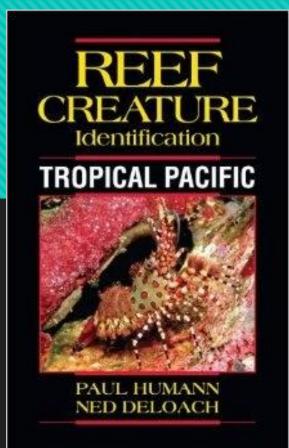


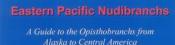




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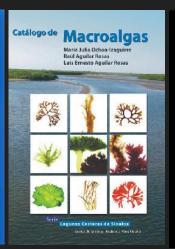








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