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Marine ecosystems are being critically impacted by several human activities, such as coastal development, urban and industrial sewage, fishing and aquaculture. These activities may cause perturbations and irreversible changes in marine biodiversity, as well as in the ecosystem structure and its functions. The evaluation and monitoring of these impacts have become increasingly important for scientists and ecosystem managers in order to conserve the marine environment and prevent irreversible changes.

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