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This book, first published in 1976, is a critical review of information on mussels and sets out the material with suggestions for the future direction of research.

Limnology Open Road Media

This book introduces the new discipline of urban oceanography, providing a deeper understanding of the physics of the coastal ocean in an urban setting. The authors explore how the coastal ocean impacts with the humans who live, work and play along its shores; and in turn how human activities impact the health and dynamics of the coastal ocean. Fundamental topics covered include: the governing dynamical equations; tidal and circulation processes; variation of salinity and

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Presents a glossary of marine biology
related terms. Notes that the terms were

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Their Ecology and Physiology Oxford

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[An Introduction to Marine Science](#)
 Cambridge University Press

Blends scientific and legal expertise to demonstrate the seriousness of an ongoing marine mass extinction of many of the most unique and least-understood creatures in the world--creatures which quite possibly might yield the greatest medical, nutritional, and scientific breakthroughs in all of human history.
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