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Community Ecology of Tropical Birds

2010

community ecology of tropical birds the tropical ecosystems is one of the most biological diverse habitats on the earth seventy six per cent of all centers of avian endemism occur in tropical regions and the same is true for many plant and animal communities birds are important component of biological diversity and their ecological cultural recreational and economic benefits are recognized universally they act as vital links in many food webs and often serve as highly visible biological indicators of ecosystem health many bird populations are declining all over the world due to habitat loss and fragmentation predation pesticide use invasive exotic species and other factors this book is about the ecology of tropical bird community all together 12 chapters are described and divided into two parts the first part of this book looks at the forest bird community including status and distribution species abundance relationship seasonal changes vertical distribution and habitat utilisation the second part provides detailed ecology of wetland bird community this book will be an invaluable resource for field scientist researchers students and naturalists in the field of ornithology

Community Ecology

2019-05-24

community ecology has undergone a transformation in recent years from a discipline largely focused on processes occurring within a local area to a discipline encompassing a much richer domain of study including the linkages between communities separated in space metacommunity dynamics niche and neutral theory the interplay between ecology and evolution eco evolutionary dynamics and the influence of historical and regional processes in shaping patterns of biodiversity to fully understand these new developments however students continue to need a strong foundation in the study of species interactions and how these interactions are assembled into food webs and other ecological networks this new edition fulfils the book s original aims both as a much needed up to date and accessible introduction to modern community ecology and in identifying the important questions that are yet to be answered this research driven textbook introduces state of the art community ecology to a new generation of students adopting reasoned and balanced perspectives on as yet unresolved issues community ecology is suitable for advanced undergraduates graduate students and researchers seeking a broad up to date coverage of ecological concepts at the community level

Community Ecology

2009-04-13

community ecology the study of the patterns and processes involving two or more species has developed rapidly in the last two decades driven by new and more sophisticated research techniques advances in mathematical theory and modeling and the increasing pressure on the environment wrought by humans once a purely descriptive science it is now one of the most forward looking areas of scientific inquiry morin skillfully guides the reader through the main tenets and central concepts of community ecology competition predation food webs indirect effects habitat selection diversity and succession in an attempt to introduce the reader to the most balanced coverage possible morin includes examples drawn from both the aquatic and terrestrial realm and from both plant and animal species balancing theory with experimentation and drawing on exciting new studies to complement the historical foundations of the discipline he also stresses that both the empirical and theoretical approaches are necessary to drive ecology forward into the new millenium the final chapter on applied community ecology ably demonstrates how community ecological processes have a wide environmental relevance although in its infancy the application of community ecology to emerging problems in human dominated ecosystems could mitigate problems as diverse as management strategies for important diseases transmitted by animals and the restoration and reconstruction of viable communities required reading for all students and practitioners interested in community phenomena community ecology marks an important contribution to the development of this protean discipline the first serious textbook for a decade on one of the keystone subdisciplines of ecology broad taxonomic and habitat coverage section on implications of community ecology for environmental issues

Community Ecology

2014-02-01

interactions between species are of fundamental importance to all living systems and the framework we have for studying these interactions is community ecology this is important to our understanding of the planets biological diversity and how species interactions relate to the functioning of ecosystems at all scales species do not live in isolation and the study of community ecology is of practical application in a wide range of conservation issues the study of ecological community data involves many methods of analysis in this book you will learn many of the mainstays of community analysis including diversity similarity and cluster analysis ordination and multivariate analyses this book is for undergraduate and postgraduate students and researchers seeking a step by step methodology for analysing plant and animal communities using r and excel microsoft s excel spreadsheet is virtually ubiquitous and familiar to most computer users it is a robust program that makes an excellent storage and manipulation system for many kinds of data including community data the r program is a powerful and flexible analytical system able to conduct a huge variety of analytical methods which means that the user only has to learn one program to address many research questions its other advantage is that it is open source and therefore completely free novel analytical methods are being added constantly to the already comprehensive suite of tools available in r mark gardener is both an ecologist and an analyst he has worked in a range of ecosystems around the world and has been involved in research across a spectrum of community types his knowledge of r is largely self taught and this gives him insight into the needs of students learning to use r for complicated analyses

Population and Community Ecology

1974

issues in ecosystem ecology 2013 edition is a scholarly editions book that delivers timely authoritative and comprehensive information about rangeland ecology the editors have built issues in ecosystem ecology 2013 edition on the vast information databases of scholarly news you can expect the information about rangeland ecology in this book to be deeper than what you can access anywhere else as well as consistently reliable authoritative informed and relevant the content of issues in ecosystem ecology 2013 edition has been produced by the world s leading scientists engineers analysts research institutions and companies all of the content is from peer reviewed sources and all of it is written assembled and edited by the editors at scholarly editions and available exclusively from us you now have a source you can cite with authority confidence and credibility more information is available at scholarly editions com

Issues in Ecosystem Ecology: 2013 Edition

2013-05-01

a full description of computer based methods of analysis used to define and solve ecological problems multivariate techniques permit summary of complex sets of data and allow investigation of many problems which cannot be tackled experimentally because of practical restraints

Multivariate Analysis in Community Ecology

1982-02-26

this informative book first published in 1987 presents the theories of community ecology within the context of a natural example the text describes and examines issues in community ecology and shows how research on salamanders has helped to solve some of the problems surrounding the theories salamanders exist in stable populations of the kind assumed in community theory and are more appropriate than most other animals for research on the applications of that theory the interesting and meaningful results collected from observation on these excellent subjects posed challenges to beliefs within community ecology life histories of salamanders fieldwork in distinctly differing habitats competition predation and evolution are discussed in an easily readable text professional ecologists and students of community ecology and herpetology will be interested in the

information synthesised in this book

Community Ecology and Salamander Guilds

1987-11-27

researchers now recognize that above and belowground communities are indirectly linked to one another often by plant mediated mechanisms to date however there has been no single multi authored edited volume on the subject this book remedies that gap and offers state of the art insights into basic and applied research on aboveground belowground interactions and their functional consequences drawing on a diverse pool of global expertise the authors present diverse approaches that span a range of scales and levels of complexity the respective chapters provide in depth information on the current state of research and outline future prospects in the field of aboveground belowground community ecology in particular the book s goal is to expand readers knowledge of the evolutionary community and ecosystem consequences of aboveground belowground interactions making it essential reading for all biologists graduate students and advanced undergraduates working in this rapidly expanding field it touches on multiple research fields including ecology botany zoology entomology microbiology and the related applied areas of biodiversity management and conservation

Aboveground-Belowground Community Ecology

2018-10-01

this is an up to date study of patterns and processes involving two or more species the book strikes a balance between plant and animal species and among studies of marine freshwater and terrestrial communities

Community Ecology

2010

written for anyone who works with chemicals or has a general interest in ecology this book examines the interrelationship of life forms in our environment and provides straightforward explanations about the complicated interactions among nature and humans emphasizing basic concepts definitions and descriptions the author presents illustrative problems in terms of commonly used ecological parameters to provide readers with enough information to make technical and personal decisions about ecology

Ecology for Nonecologists

2008

the impetus for this volume comes from two sources the first is scientific by virtue of a preference for certain large benthic invertebrates as food sea otters have interesting and significant effects on the structure and dynamics of nearshore communities in the north pacific the second is political be cause of the precarious status of the sea otter population in coastal california the u s fish and wildlife service usfws announced in june 1984 a proposal to establish a new population of sea otters at san nicolas island off southern california the proposal is based on the premise that risks of catastrophic losses of sea otters due to large oil spills are greatly reduced by distributing the population among two geographically separate locations the federal laws of the u s require that usfws publish an environmental impact statement eis regarding the proposed translocation of sea otters to san nicolas island the eis is intended to be an assessment of likely bio logical social and economic effects of the proposal in final form the eis has an important role in the decision of federal management authority in this case the secretary of the interior of the u s to accept or reject the proposal

The Community Ecology of Sea Otters

2012-12-06

chapter 1 establishes the context of such a search for pattern presenting essential definitions and exploring

early work on community structure and organization the various biotic and abiotic factors which may influence communities and their dynamics are reviewed in chapter 2 while the way in which the interrelationships between organisms are structured within the community in food webs or in the partitioning of available resources are considered in separate chapters on food webs niche relationships and species guilds later chapters explore the factors determining the assembly of communities species composition and pattern of relative abundance and the relative roles of deterministic and stochastic processes in determining community structure the concluding section explores the implications of observed patterns of structure and organization for stability the mathematical analyses which are an essential component of this topic are included only where essential for understanding and are presented in special box features each mathematical section has been carefully structured and fully explained in biological terms community ecology presents a refreshingly readable course text for advanced undergraduates in ecology book jacket

Community Ecology

1994

over nine successful editions campbell biology has been recognised as the world s leading introductory biology textbook the australian edition of campbell biology continues to engage students with its dynamic coverage of the essential elements of this critical discipline it is the only biology text and media product that helps students to make connections across different core topics in biology between text and visuals between global and australian new zealand biology and from scientific study to the real world the tenth edition of australian campbell biology helps launch students to success in biology through its clear and engaging narrative superior pedagogy and innovative use of art and photos to promote student learning it continues to engage students with its dynamic coverage of the essential elements of this critical discipline this tenth edition with an increased focus on evolution ensures students receive the most up to date accurate and relevant information

Community Ecology in a Changing World

2000

environmental degradation has been a major concern since past few decades because of economic growth and development across the world has caused major impacts on the earth s ecosystems and natural resources to an extent that can limit the well being of future generations india has recently started realizing the importance of environment and the environmental education following the 2001 supreme court directive the environmental education has been or is being included in the curriculum right from the school stage to the college university level this book covers the syllabi of all indian technical universities and other universities for different disciplines may it be in the name of environmental studies environmental science ecology or natural resource management this book is written to bring about an awareness of a variety of environmental concerns and deals from concepts through impacts mitigation auto management

Campbell Biology Australian and New Zealand Edition

2015-05-20

offers a unifying framework for community ecology by addressing how communities are assembled from species pools

Environmental Studies

2017-06-01

r k peet dep of botany university of north carolina chapel hill n c 27514 usa robert whittaker s contributions to ecology were many and remarkably varied his publication record will long stand as a monument to his greatness and whatever we do to honor him will likely be rather small in comparison less well known were his personal interactions and the impact they had on the development of ecology as well as individual scientists over the years he touched many of us and we felt not just a professional but also a deep personal loss in his

passing after his death i was contacted by numerous colleagues who wondered what they might do to honor him whittaker had long served on the editorial board of vegetatio which prompted eddy van der maarel to suggest that a series of papers in the journal might be a fitting memorial and so this project was conceived whittaker was a master of synthesis and during his career he published numerous review papers which showed clearly how his work related to and built on that of others for this reason it seemed inappropriate and redundant to solicit papers reviewing areas to which whittaker made important contributions instead i chose to solicit research papers illustrating current applications of approaches whittaker developed and showing a few of the recent advances which have grown directly from his pioneering work

A Framework for Community Ecology

2021-12-09

symbiosis is the fourth volume in the series cellular origin and life in extreme habitats cole fifty experts from over a dozen countries review their current studies on different approaches to these phenomena the chapters present various aspects of symbiosis from gene transfer morphological features and biodiversity to individual organisms sharing mutual cellular habitats the origin of the eukaryotic phase is discussed with emphasis on cyanelles h syntrophy n₂ fixation and s based symbiosis as well as the origin of mitochondrion chloroplast and nucleus all members of the three domains of life are presented for sharing symbiotic associations this volume brings the concept of living together as one plus one plus one equals one the purpose of this book is to introduce the teacher researcher scholar and student as well as the open minded and science oriented reader to the global importance of this association

Plant community ecology: Papers in honor of Robert H. Whittaker

2012-12-06

fred and theresa holtzclaw bring over 40 years of ap biology teaching experience to this student manual drawing on their rich experience as readers and faculty consultants to the college board and their participation on the ap test development committee the holtzclaws have designed their resource to help your students prepare for the ap exam completely revised to match the new 8th edition of biology by campbell and reece new must know sections in each chapter focus student attention on major concepts study tips information organization ideas and misconception warnings are interwoven throughout new section reviewing the 12 required ap labs sample practice exams the secret to success on the ap biology exam is to understand what you must know and these experienced ap teachers will guide your students toward top scores

Symbiosis

2006-04-11

although global environmental problems created by the disappearance of tropical rain forests are all too well known the forests themselves vast in size and rich in diversity are the least understood of the world s ecosystems this book presents one researcher s view of southeast asia s tropical rainforests based on a quarter century of fieldwork in a wide range of forest types moving from the mangrove of the coastal belt inland through freshwater and peat swamp forests to the lowly dipterocarp forests of the heartlands and up to the montane forests the author s lively account contains a wealth of detailed observations that effectively communicate the complex natural structure of tropical rain forests while providing the reader with candid first impressions mud mosquitoes and all

Preparing for the Biology AP Exam

2009-11-03

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Tropical Rain Forests of Southeast Asia

1998-01-01

environment why read the classics presents six important essays by some of the world's leading environmental thinkers on six of the most emblematic books ever written on the environment the books walden a sand county almanac small is beautiful silent spring the limits to growth and our common future taken together have been hugely important in the development of global environmental awareness activism and policy the essayists viriato soromenho marques j baird callicott josé lima santos tim o riordan satish kumar and marina silva invite readers to reflect on these ground breaking works and examine their historical importance as well as what they should mean to us today and what relevance they will have to future generations more than just books about the environment these are also philosophical treatises in that they increase our understanding of the natural world and of ourselves calling us to weigh and consider as bacon put it in particular they make us reflect on the need to constantly redefine the purposes of progress the economy and society how we relate to nature is a crucial aspect in the plans we make as a species and as individuals and every one of these books inspires a more respectful relationship both with nature and humanity and consequently with ourselves the six essays in this book are the result of a series of conferences organised in lisbon by the calouste gulbenkian foundation with the support of the american embassy in portugal its raison d'être was to revisit the ideas that have shaped the environmental movement seeking inspiration to deal with what looks like a very challenging future the significance of such timeless concepts is now more apparent than ever and these evergreen books are full of ideas that retain their spark even in our difficult times this is what makes them classics environment why read the classics is a provocative book and will be essential reading for all those concerned about the state of the world

Untangling Ecological Complexity

1999-02

organisms and environment have evolved through modifying each other over millions of years humans appeared very late in this evolutionary time scale with their superior brain attributes humans emerged as the most dominating influence on the earth over the millennia from simple hunter food gatherers humans developed the art of agriculture domestication of animals identification of medicinal plants devising hunting and fishing techniques house building and making clothes all these have been for better adjustment growth and survival in otherwise harsh and hostile surroundings and climate cycles of winter and summer and dry and wet seasons so humankind started experimenting and acting on ecological lines much before the art of reading writing or arithmetic had developed application of ecological knowledge led to development of agriculture animal husbandry medicines fisheries and so on modern ecology is a relatively young science and unfortunately there are so few books on applied ecology the purpose of ecology is to discover the principles that govern relationships among plants animals microbes and their total living and nonliving environmental components ecology however had remained mainly rooted in botany and zoology it did not permeate hard sciences engineering or industrial technologies leading to widespread environmental degradation pollution and frequent episodes leading to mass deaths and diseases

Environment: Why Read the Classics

2017-09-29

a plethora of different theories models and concepts make up the field of community ecology amid this vast body of work is it possible to build one general theory of ecological communities what other scientific areas might serve as a guiding framework as it turns out the core focus of community ecology understanding patterns of diversity and composition of biological variants across space and time is shared by evolutionary biology and its very coherent conceptual framework population genetics theory the theory of ecological communities takes

this as a starting point to pull together community ecology's various perspectives into a more unified whole. Mark Vellend builds a theory of ecological communities based on four overarching processes: selection among species, drift, dispersal, and speciation. These are analogues of the four central processes in population genetics theory: selection within species, drift, gene flow, and mutation. Together, they subsume almost all of the many dozens of more specific models built to describe the dynamics of communities of interacting species. The result is a theory that allows the effects of many low-level processes such as competition, facilitation, predation, disturbance, stress, succession, colonization, and local extinction to be understood as the underpinnings of high-level processes with widely applicable consequences for ecological communities. Reframing the numerous existing ideas in community ecology, the theory of ecological communities provides a new way for thinking about biological composition and diversity.

Modern Trends in Applied Aquatic Ecology

2012-12-06

Ecological resilience provides a theoretical foundation for understanding how complex systems adapt to and recover from localized disturbances like hurricanes, fires, pest outbreaks, and floods, as well as large-scale perturbations such as climate change. Ecologists have developed resilience theory over the past three decades in an effort to explain surprising and nonlinear dynamics of complex adaptive systems. Resilience theory is especially important to environmental scientists for its role in underpinning adaptive management approaches to ecosystem and resource management. Foundations of Ecological Resilience is a collection of the most important articles on the subject of ecological resilience—those writings that have defined and developed basic concepts in the field and help explain its importance and meaning for scientists and researchers. The book's three sections cover articles that have shaped or defined the concepts and theories of resilience, including key papers that broke new conceptual ground and contributed novel ideas to the field; examples that demonstrate ecological resilience in a range of ecosystems; and articles that present practical methods for understanding and managing nonlinear ecosystem dynamics. Foundations of Ecological Resilience is an important contribution to our collective understanding of resilience and an invaluable resource for students and scholars in ecology, wildlife ecology, conservation biology, sustainability, environmental science, public policy, and related fields.

The Theory of Ecological Communities (MPB-57)

2020-09-15

Biodiversity change and human health brings together leading experts from the natural science and social science realms, as well as the medical community, to explore the explicit linkages between human-driven alterations of biodiversity and documented impacts of those changes on human health. The book utilizes multidisciplinary approaches to explore and address the complex interplay between natural biodiversity and human health and well-being. The five parts examine health trade-offs between competing uses of biodiversity, highlighting synergistic situations in which conservation of natural biodiversity actually promotes human health and well-being; relationships between biodiversity and quality of life that have developed over ecological and evolutionary time; the effects of changing biodiversity on provisioning of ecosystem services and how they have affected human health; the role of biodiversity in the spread of infectious disease; native biodiversity as a resource for traditional and modern medicine; biodiversity change and human health; synthesizes our current understanding and identifies major gaps in knowledge as it places all aspects of biodiversity and health interactions within a common framework; contributors explore potential points of crossover among disciplines both in ways of thinking and of specific methodologies that could ultimately expand opportunities for humans to both live sustainably and enjoy a desirable quality of life.

Foundations of Ecological Resilience

2012-07-16

Evolutionary community ecology develops a unified framework for understanding the structure of ecological communities and the dynamics of natural selection that shape the evolution of the species inhabiting them. All species engage in interactions with many other species, and these interactions regulate their abundance, define

their trajectories of natural selection and shape their movement decisions mark mcpeek synthesizes the ecological and evolutionary dynamics generated by species interactions that structure local biological communities and regional metacommunities mcpeek explores the ecological performance characteristics needed for invasibility and coexistence of species in complex networks of species interactions this species interaction framework is then extended to examine the ecological dynamics of natural selection that drive coevolution of interacting species in these complex interaction networks the models of natural selection resulting from species interactions are used to evaluate the ecological conditions that foster diversification at multiple trophic levels analyses show that diversification depends on the ecological context in which species interactions occur and the types of traits that define the mechanisms of those species interactions lastly looking at the mechanisms of speciation that affect species richness and diversity at various spatial scales and the consequences of past climate change over the quaternary period mcpeek considers how metacommunity structure is shaped at regional and biogeographic scales integrating evolutionary theory into the study of community ecology evolutionary community ecology provides a new framework for predicting how communities are organized and how they may change over time

Biodiversity Change and Human Health

2012-09-26

historically tropical ecology has been a science often content with descriptive and demographic approaches which is understandable given the difficulty of studying these ecosystems and the need for basic demographic information nonetheless over the last several years tropical ecologists have begun to test more sophisticated ecological theory and are now beginning to address a broad array of questions that are of particular importance to tropical systems and ecology in general why are there are so many species in tropical forests and what mechanisms are responsible for the maintenance of that vast species diversity what factors control species coexistence are there common patterns of species abundance and distribution across broad geographic scales what is the role of trophic interactions in these complex ecosystems how can these fragile ecosystems be conserved containing contributions from some of the world s leading tropical ecologists tropical forest community ecology provides a summary of the key issues in the discipline of tropical ecology includes contributions from some of the world s leading tropical ecologists covers patterns of species distribution the maintenance of species diversity the community ecology of tropical animals forest regeneration and conservation of tropical ecosystems

Evolutionary Community Ecology, Volume 58

2017-08-29

helping you to do your best on exams and excel in the biology course the study guide contains many types of questions and a variety of exercises for each chapter in the textbook important notice media content referenced within the product description or the product text may not be available in the ebook version

Tropical Forest Community Ecology

2011-08-31

functional and phylogenetic ecology in r is designed to teach readers to use r for phylogenetic and functional trait analyses over the past decade a dizzying array of tools and methods were generated to incorporate phylogenetic and functional information into traditional ecological analyses increasingly these tools are implemented in r thus greatly expanding their impact researchers getting started in r can use this volume as a step by step entryway into phylogenetic and functional analyses for ecology in r more advanced users will be able to use this volume as a quick reference to understand particular analyses the volume begins with an introduction to the r environment and handling relevant data in r chapters then cover phylogenetic and functional metrics of biodiversity null modeling and randomizations for phylogenetic and functional trait analyses integrating phylogenetic and functional trait information and interfacing the r environment with a popular c based program this book presents a unique approach through its focus on ecological analyses and not macroevolutionary analyses the author provides his own code so that the reader is guided through the

computational steps to calculate the desired metrics this guided approach simplifies the work of determining which package to use for any given analysis example datasets are shared to help readers practice and readers can then quickly turn to their own datasets

Study Guide for Solomon/Martin/Martin/Berg's Biology, 10th

2014-02-11

solomon martin martin berg biology is often described as the best majors text for learning biology working like a built in study guide the superbly integrated inquiry based learning system guides you through every chapter key concepts appear clearly at the beginning of each chapter and learning objectives start each section you can quickly check the key points at the end of each section before moving on to the next one at the end of the chapter a specially focused summary provides further reinforcement of the learning objectives and you are given the opportunity to test your understanding of the material the tenth edition offers expanded integration of the text s five guiding themes of biology the evolution of life the transmission of biological information the flow of energy through living systems interactions among biological systems and the inter relationship of structure and function important notice media content referenced within the product description or the product text may not be available in the ebook version

Functional and Phylogenetic Ecology in R

2014-03-26

a major study of avian community ecology

Biology

2014-01-01

a comprehensive analysis of ecological specialisation and generalisation in natural communities first published in 1995

The Ecology of Bird Communities

1992-03-12

this book presents the proceedings of a workshop on community ecology organized at davis in april 1986 sponsored by the sloan foundation there have been several recent symposia on community ecology strong et al 1984 diamond and case 1987 which have covered a wide range of topics the goal of the workshop at davis was more narrow to explore the role of scale in developing a theoretical approach to understanding communities there are a number of aspects of scale that enter into attempts to understand ecological communities one of the most basic is organizational scale should community ecology proceed by building up from population biology this question and its ramifications are stressed throughout the book and explored in the first chapter by simon levin notions of scale have long been important in understanding physical systems thus in understanding the interactions of organisms with their physical environment questions of scale become paramount these more physical questions illustrate the role scale plays in understanding ecology and are discussed in chapter two by akira okubo

Ecological Versatility and Community Ecology

1995-09-21

the identification and analysis of the particular habitat needs of a species has always been a central focus of research and applied conservation in both ecology and wildlife biology although these two academic communities have developed quite separately over many years there is now real value in attempting to unify them to allow better communication and awareness by practitioners and students from each discipline despite

the recent dramatic increase in the types of quantitative methods for conducting habitat analyses there is no single reference that simultaneously explains and compares all these new techniques this accessible textbook provides the first concise authoritative resource that clearly presents these emerging methods together and demonstrates how they can be applied to data using statistical methodology whilst putting the decades old pursuit of analyzing habitat into historical context habitat ecology and analysis is written for senior undergraduate and graduate students taking courses in wildlife ecology conservation biology and habitat ecology as well as professional ecologists wildlife biologists conservation biologists and land managers requiring an accessible overview of the latest methodology

Community Ecology

2013-11-11

now reissued in paperback with an updated preface by the authors biology of amphibians remains the standard work in its field

Habitat Ecology and Analysis

2021-01-29

scenarios are an invaluable tool for analyzing complex systems and understanding possible outcomes this second volume of the ma series explores the implications of four different approaches for managing ecosystem services in the face of growing human demand for them the global orchestration approach in which we emphasize equity economic growth and public goods reacting to ecosystem problems when they reach critical stages order from strength which emphasizes security and economic growth adapting mosaic which emphasizes proactive management of ecosystems local adaptation and flexible governance technogarden a globalized approach with an emphasis on green technology and a proactive approach to managing ecosystems the scenarios volume will help decision makers and managers identify development paths that better maintain the resilience of ecosystems and can reduce the risk of damage to human well being and the environment

Biology of Amphibians

1994-02

this work is the first to focus systematically on a much debated topic the conceptual issues of community ecology including the nature of evidence in ecology the role of experiments attempts to disprove hypotheses and the value of negative evidence in the discipline originally published in 1984 the princeton legacy library uses the latest print on demand technology to again make available previously out of print books from the distinguished backlist of princeton university press these editions preserve the original texts of these important books while presenting them in durable paperback and hardcover editions the goal of the princeton legacy library is to vastly increase access to the rich scholarly heritage found in the thousands of books published by princeton university press since its founding in 1905

Ecosystems and Human Well-Being

2005

a bird s eye view of community and population effects of ontogenetic development life history processes ontogenetic development and density dependence biomass overcompensation emergent allee effects through biomass overcompensation emergent facilitation among predators on size structured prey ontogenetic niche shifts mixed interactions ontogenetic niche shifts predators and coexistence among consumer species dynamics of consumer resource systems dynamics of consumer resource systems with discrete reproduction multiple resources and confronting model predictions with empirical data cannibalism in size structured systems demand driven systems model hierarchies and ontogenetic asymmetry

Ecological Communities

2014-07-14

Population and Community Ecology of Ontogenetic Development

2013-01-15

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