



Special Issue on Marine Resource Exploration

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From coastal regions to the deep-sea, we rely on our marine environment for food, energy and raw materials to support the growing human population. We conduct research that provides scientifically robust evidence to support practical decisions about how we sustainably use our marine environment, now and in the future. The goal of this special issue is to provide a platform for scientists and academicians all over the world to promote, share, and discuss various new issues and developments in the area of marine resource exploration.

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- The marine drugs
- Oil and gas resources
- Marine plants
- Marine animals
- Marine resource management

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