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Fish Ecology and Responses to Environmental Variation in Streams

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Environmental conditions are important factors in the maintenance and conservation of biodiversity. We have seen advances in anthropic changes in natural ecosystems, which have resulted in a decrease in environmental variation and a loss of biodiversity. Because of their connection to and dependence on their drainage basin, these impacts are of even greater concern in more sensitive systems such as small streams, where changes to the terrestrial system leach into the aquatic system. Streams are major contributors to the biodiversity of river ecosystems, but are among the ecosystems most threatened by human activities arising from land use practices, chemical and physical pollution, and the introduction of exotic or invasive species.

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