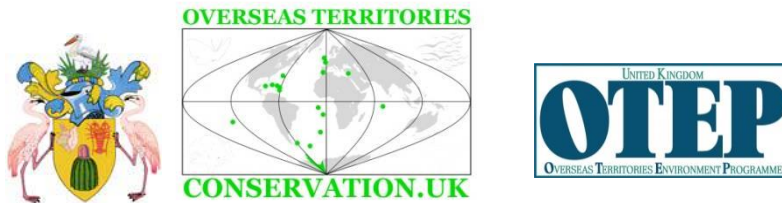


Wonderful Water

A Watery World

Wetland Ecosystems in the Turks and Caicos Islands Part 2

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The Turks and Caicos Islands



Intertidal wetlands, North Caicos



North Caicos, showing shallow sea, inter-tidal and marsh wetlands, a large ecosystem



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A small freshwater ecosystem.



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Freshwater well, Salt Cay

A producer in an ecosystem



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White Top Palm

A consumer in an ecosystem



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Rock Iguana

Predator and Prey in an ecosystem



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Green Heron eating a mouse.

Crops are outputs



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A farm on Middle Caicos

The submerged banks are a rich ecosystem.

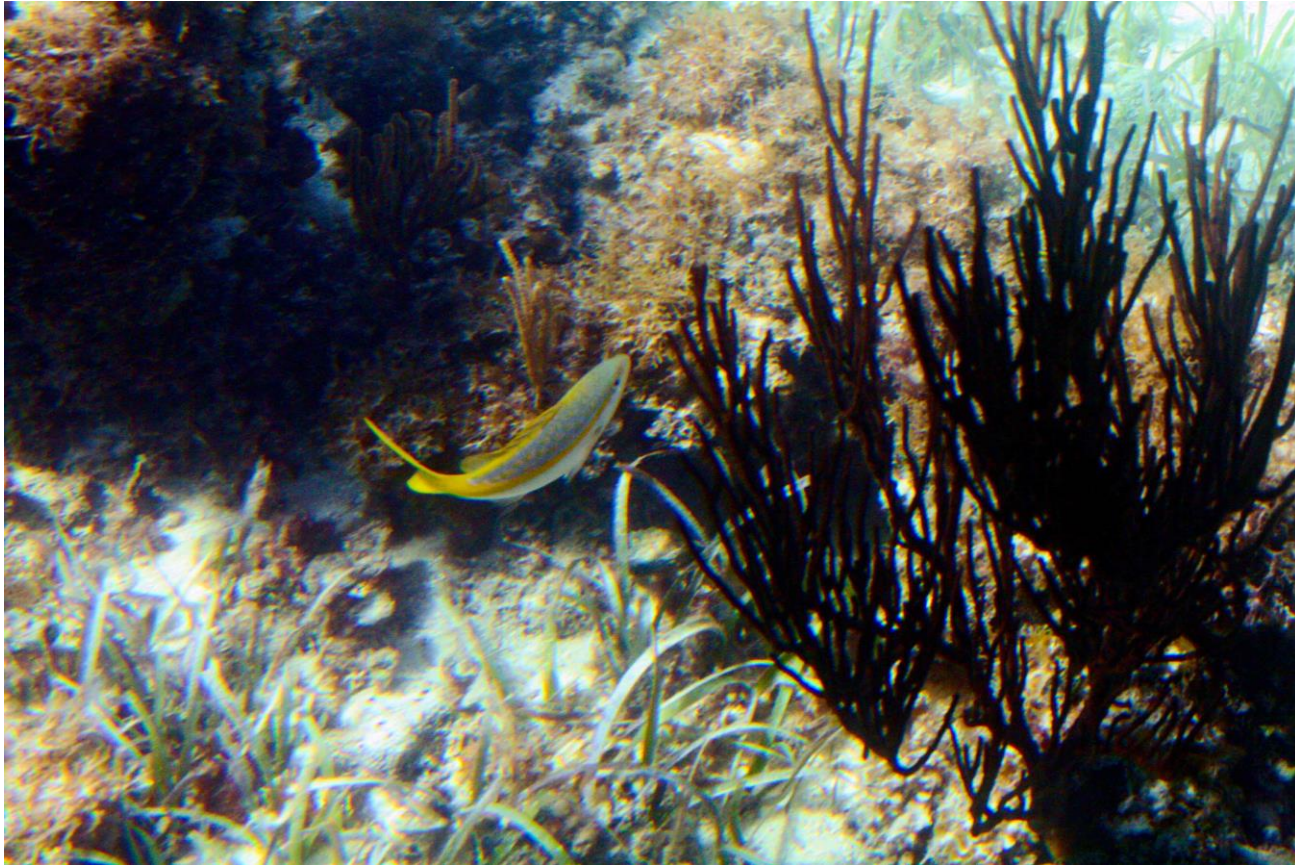


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Corals, seagrass and fish in shallow water, Providenciales

Intertidal flats



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Middle Caicos

Red Mangroves



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Protected lagoon, Providenciales

Salt pond



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Flamingo Pond, North Caicos

Salt Pans



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South Caicos

Marshland



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Grand Turk

Sinkhole



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Freshwater sinkhole on Middle Caicos

Freshwater



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