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## Vulnerability and Conservation of Freshwater Biodiversity

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Freshwater ecosystems—rivers, streams, lakes, ponds, and wetlands—are simultaneously hotspots of biodiversity and endangerment. Acknowledging these important and hot research topics, in this Special Issue we propose to improve knowledge to assess the vulnerability and optimize protection of aquatic systems from biodiversity loss. Studies focused on aquatic flora and fauna with special emphasis on the functional component of biodiversity, habitat connectivity, invasive species, and global changes are especially welcome.

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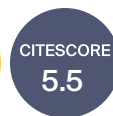


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