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ABSTRACT

A study on diversity and taxonomy classification of molluscs (gastropods and bivalves) from the Setiu Wetlands was conducted in Julai, September, November and December 2012. The study was done in order to determine the biodiversity of bivalve and gastropod communities at the Setiu Wetland as well as to classify those molluscs into their taxonomy group. Sampling was conducted from Northern to Southern areas of Setiu Wetlands. There were 3 stations at the Beting Lintang, 5 stations near the river mouth (Gong Batu) and 3 stations at the Penarik. The samples were collected using Ponar grab or manually. The samples were divided into two parts which are Gastropoda class and Bivalvia class. These samples were sieved and divided into its different sizes and shape for identification before preserved it in 10% formalin. Overall, there were 10 orders, 12 families, 16 genus and 30 species of gastropods while for bivalves there were 7 orders, 14 families, 17 genus and 20 species were found in the Setiu Wetlands. In July, 19 species of gastropods and 11 species of bivalves were found. 23 species of gastropods and 13 species of bivalves were found in the month of September. In November and January, 22 and 21 species of gastropods and 15 species of bivalves were found in the Setiu Wetlands. A study on diversity index, distribution and sediment analysis of mollusc (gastropod and bivalve) can be done for further research in which contribute to the new information about the species of bivalve and gastropod in Setiu Wetlands.

**Kepelbagaian dan Pengkelasan Taksonomi Molluska (Gastropoda dan Bivalvia)
di Paya Setiu**

ABSTRAK

Satu kajian ke atas kepelbagaian dan pengkelasan taksonomi Molluska (Gastropoda dan Bivalvia) di Tanah Lembap Setiu pada bulan Julai, September, November and Disember 2012. Kajian ini dijalankan untuk menentukan biodiversiti komuniti siput dan kerang di Paya Setiu dan juga untuk mengklasifikasikan siput dan kerang mengikut kumpulan taksonomi. Terdapat 3 stesen di Beting Lintang, 5 stesen di muara sungai dan 3 stesen lagi di Penarik. Kajian ini juga dijalankan dari kawasan utara ke selatan Paya Setiu. Sebelum ini, terdapat beberapa masalah untuk mengenalpasti spesis siput dan kerang tetapi dengan merujuk lebih banyak buku dan jurnal maka masalah ini dapat diatasi. Sampel telah dikumpulkan dengan menggunakan Ponar atau secara manual. Sampel tersebut dibahagikan kepada 2 bahagian iaitu kelas Gastropoda dan kelas Bivalvia. Sampel ini di tapis dan dibahagikan kepada saiz dan bentuk yang berlainan untuk proses pengenalpastian sebelum diawet dengan menggunakan formalin sebanyak 10 %. Secara keseluruhannya, terdapat 10 order, 12 famili, 16 genus and 30 spesis gastropod sementara bivalve terdapat 7 order, 14 famili, 17 genus and 20 spesis telah ditemui di Tanah Lembap Setiu. Pada bulan Julai, 19 spesis gastropod dan 11 spesis of bivalve telah ditemui. 23 spesis gastropod dan 13 spesis of bivalve telah ditemui pada bulan September. Pada bulan November dan Januari, 22 dan 21 spesis gastropod dan 15 spesis bivalve telah ditemui di Tanah Lembap Setiu. Kajian tentang indeks kepelbagaian, taburan dan analisis sedimen siput dan kerang boleh dilakukan untuk kajian selanjutnya yang mana dapat menghasilkan maklumat baru tentang spesis siput dan kerang.