

**GASTROPODS ENCOUNTERED ON A REEF FLAT AT SAMALONA ISLAND,
SOUTH-WEST SULA\VESI, INDONESIA**

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ABSTRACT

The diversity of prosobranch gastropods was studied at four sites on a reef flat on Samalona Island. The study showed that at least 45 species from 12 families existed in the four areas. Some species were distributed in all four areas while others were restricted to certain sites.