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Short communication:

**APPLICATION OF EGGS OF THE SEA URCHIN *DIADEMA SETOSUM* IN
MARINE POLLUTION BIOASSAYS**

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ABSTRACT

A manual of marine pollution bioassay using sea urchin eggs is described. In Thailand, the effects of six toxicants on developmental stages of the sea urchin *Diadema setosum* differed somewhat from results with Japanese sea urchins. However, the relative toxicity at the pluteus stage was similar to previous findings, viz., Cu > Zn > Ni > Cd > ABS > NH₃.