

**Table 1. Categories for the extraction of data collection**

<b>General informations</b>	Authors
	Year
	Periodic
	Field of knowledge
	Language
	Methodology
	Item type
<b>Locality</b>	Country/Region
	Oceanographic region
	Ecoregion
	Kind of environment (beach, estuary, coast)
	Local description
	General observations on the history of the algae's occurrence
<b>Sargassum</b>	Species
	Ecology situation
	Associated conditions
<b>Fishing</b>	Fishery System
	Scale
	Specific species
	Social characteristics of Community
	Kind of interaction with the algae (positive, negative)
	Effects
	Perspectives
	In what aspect is the relationship addressed?
	The interaction is the principal topic?
	Gender issues

<b>Other related activities</b>	Activity
	Principal points

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