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Boats are waiting for tourists to snorkel by the reef.









A crocodile is getting close at the entrance of Yalahau Lagoon water spring.

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Nature Tourism







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La Caleta is the main harbor of Holbox where the ferry that crosses locals and tourists arrives. The high boat traffic in the last decade is afflicting water quality.



Elder fishers recall prosperous artisanal shrimp fisheries existed in this area of the island decades ago.









La Salina is a historical site where early settlers of Holbox extracted salt. The place was far away from the original town of Holbox, but with the island's population growth constructions have expanded to this area of the island.









Landscapes

Coastal Wetlands

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Coastal wetlands are essential for the sequestration and storage of Carbon Dioxide in the atmosphere.









Holbox beach is increasingly famous for international tourism. But this site is vital for local fishing activities.



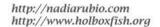
In the past, abundant fauna existed near Holbox beach including large and diverse shark species.

Historical Fishing Site











Los Cuevones a popular site for lobster fishing on Holbox Island.



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Rays were swimming near the coastal area of La Ensenada.

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Seagrass beds near coastal waters of *Holbox Island*. White snails populated these habitats and were highly exploited by islanders.



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A Stingray is resting by the seagrass beds.

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