

# Review of: "Unlocking Natural Capital in the Megadiverse Colombian Pacific Basin: Navigating Challenges and Governance Gaps"

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Thank you for the invitation to review the very interesting article "Unlocking Natural Capital in the Megadiverse Colombian Pacific Basin: Navigating Challenges and Governance Gaps". The topic is extremely relevant, especially for developing countries, in which ecosystems are more preserved and could potentially play an economic role by valuing the various services they provide.

I think overall, the study brings new insights that are useful for economic, developmental, and environmental policies in Colombia and potentially other developing countries. In my view, this is especially the case in terms of the methodological approach developed.

For future studies, I would suggest working on being concise, as this paper was long, and some important points got lost in the text.