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## **ABSTRACT**

This study was carried out to survey the incidence of stem damage and disorders that exist in mangrove stands of Tok Bali, Kelantan and Kemaman, Terengganu. A total number of 200 trees were censuses which comprise of *Avicennia alba*, *Sonneratia alba*, *Rhizophora apiculata*, *Ceriops decandra*, *Kandelia candel*, *Bruguiera cylindrica* and *Bruguiera gymnorhiza*. Tok Bali (76 cases) mangrove stands showed higher incidence of stem damage than in Kemaman (28 cases). There are significant difference between the two study sites in term of stem damage and disorders incidence, position, types and severity. In general, incidence of stem damage and disorders in mangrove could be subjected to the variety of disturbances involving the biotic and abiotic factors. However from the observation in this study, stem damage and disorders do not contribute to mangroves tree death.

## **KADAR KEJADIAN KEROSAKAN BATANG PADA DIRIAN POKOK HUTAN PAYA LAUT DI TOK BALI, KELANTAN DAN KEMAMAN, TERENGGANU**

### **ABSTRAK**

Kajian ini dijalankan bagi meninjau kadar kejadian kerosakan dirian batang pokok hutan paya laut yang terdapat di Tok Bali, Kelantan dan Kemaman, Terengganu. Sejumlah 200 batang pokok telah terlibat dalam tinjauan ini yang merangkumi *Avicennia alba*, *Sonneratia alba*, *Rhizophora apiculata*, *Ceriops decandra*, *Kandelia candel*, *Bruguiera apiculata*, *Bruguiera cylindrica* dan *Bruguiera gymnorhiza*. Tok Bali (76 kes) menunjukkan jumlah kadar kejadian kerosakan batang pokok yang lebih tinggi berbanding di Kemaman (28 kes). Terdapat perbezaan yang ketara diantara dua lokasi kajian tersebut dalam konteks kewujudan, posisi, jenis dan darjah keterukan kerosakan batang pokok. Secara keseluruhan, kadar kejadian kerosakan batang pokok di hutan paya laut boleh dikaitkan dengan pelbagai jenis gangguan yang melibatkan faktor biotik dan abiotik. Namun demikian, dari pemerhatian yang telah dilakukan dalam kajian ini tiada kematian pokok bakau yang disebabkan oleh kerosakan batang pokok.