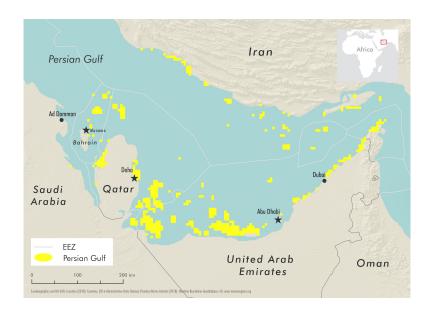
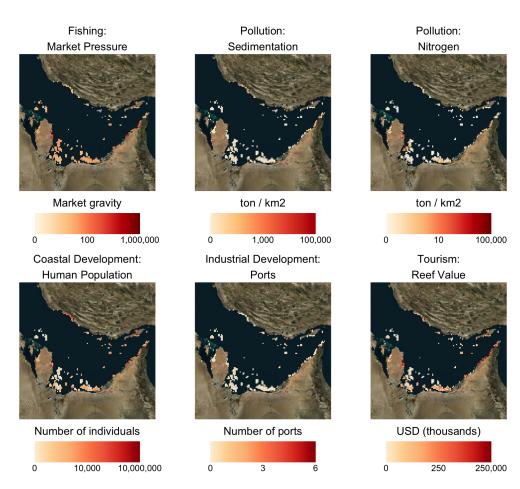




## **Persian Gulf**



### **Global Pressure Indicators**



<sup>1)</sup> This is a mapping exercise that ranks a series of global data layers to understand the different contexts and/or pressures of various reef locations. Local knowledge and validation is crucial.
2) Preliminary results are subject to change following scientific peer review; updated data layers can be found on https://programs.wcs.org/vibrantoceans/Map





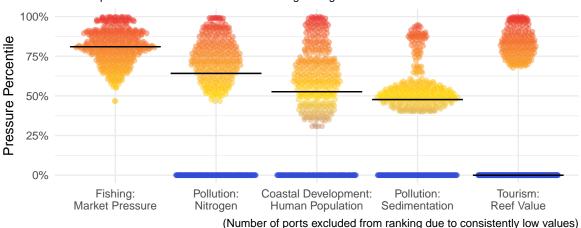
## **Top Two Pressures**

1. Fishing: Market Pressure

2. Pollution: Nitrogen

# **Pressure Ranking**

Pressures ranked from highest to lowest; BCU average and pixels compared to all reef pixels A value in the 50th percentile means that the BCU's average is higher than 50% of the world's coral reefs values



#### **Global Context**

