Name	Type	Description
ID DATASETS	int(11)	Primary key for associated table, cannot be NULL
STUDY ID	int(11)	ID of study
TAXA	varchar(20)	Taxa of study
ORGANISMS	varchar(60)	Organism level of study
TITLE	varchar(200)	Title of study
AB BIO	varchar(2)	Does record have abundance, biomass data or both (A, B or AB)
DATA POINTS	int(11)	Number of years covered by study
START YEAR	int(11)	First year of study
END YEAR	int(11)	Final year of study
CENT LAT	decimal(10,6)	Central latitude of site, i.e. 40.5785
CENT_LONG	decimal(10,6)	Central longitude of site, i.e9.87
NUMBER OF SPECIES	int(11)	Number of species in study
NUMBER OF SAMPLES	int(11)	Number of samples in study
NUMBER LAT LONG	int(11)	Number of geographic points (lat/longs) in study
TOTAL	int(11)	Total number of records in study
AREA SQ KM	float	Area of site in square km
GRAIN SIZE	varchar(100)	Size of spatial grain if available
AB_TYPE	int(11)	Foreign key denoting a relationship with the abundance table
BIO_TYPE	int(11)	Foreign key denoting a relationship with the biomass table
SAMPLE_TYPE	int(11)	Foreign key denoting a relationship with the sample table
REALM	varchar(20)	Realm of site, i.e. marine, terrestrial
CLIMATE	varchar(20)	Climate, i.e. tropical, temperate
CONTACT_1	varchar(60)	First point of contact
CONTACT_2	varchar(60)	Second (if any) point of contact
PERMISSIONS	varchar(60)	Permission pertaining to dataset
WEB_LINK	varchar(200)	URL of any web links
DATA_SOURCE	varchar(200)	Original data source
COMMENTS	varchar(200)	Comments describing any changes introduced during curation
DATES_CHANGED	varchar(10)	If dates given numerical values rather than NULLs
CURATOR	varchar(60)	Name of person curating data
ID_METHODS	int(11)	Primary key for associated table, cannot be NULL
METHODS	text	Detailed method analysis including any treatments known
SUMMARY_METHODS	varchar(100)	Short description of method, i.e. plots, transects
ID_CIT	int(11)	Foreign key denoting a relationship with the citation table
CITATION_LINE	varchar(200)	Citation for general use
ID_ABUNDANCE	int(11)	Primary key for associated table, cannot be NULL
ABUNDANCE_TYPE	varchar(100)	Descriptor, i.e. individual count
ID_BIOMASS	int(11)	Primary key for associated table, cannot be NULL
BIOMASS_TYPE	varchar(100)	Descriptor, i.e. weight in kg
ID_SAMPLE	int(11)	Primary key for associated table, cannot be NULL
ID_TREAT	int(11)	Foreign key for treatment table (not in use as yet)
SAMPLE_DESC	varchar(200)	Descriptor of how ID is made up, i.e. location_depth