

SEA VEGETABLE RESOURCES



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Seaweed harvesting rules for personal use:

- [California](#)
- [Oregon](#)
- [Washington](#) (WA Department of Natural Resources [Seaweed Harvesting Brochure](#))
- [British Columbia](#)
- [Alaska](#)

Areas NOT to collect:

- Marine Protected Areas and Marine Reserves
- National Marine Sanctuaries (Olympic Coast)
- National Wildlife Refuges
- National Parks and Monuments
- (most) State Parks
- Tribal Reservations

Tide Predictions: [NOAA](#)

Purchasing Sea Vegetables

- [Mendocino Sea Vegetable Company](#)
- [Pacific Botanicals](#)
- [Maine Coast Sea Vegetables](#)

Current Research, Distribution, Nomenclature, and online Herbaria

- [iNaturalist!!!](#)
- [AlgaeBase](#) - A global species database of information on all types of algae
- [Phycological Society of America](#)
- [An in-process online seaweed flora](#) of California (like a Jepson Manual, but for seaweed!)
- [Macroalgal Herbarium Portal](#) (The goal of the NSF funded Macroalgal Digitization Project is to image, database and georeference the macroalgal specimens in 49 herbaria from New England to Florida, to Hawaii and Guam.)
- [Seaweeds of Alaska](#) (Check out their field guide!)
- [Monterey Bay and Central California](#)
- [Seaweeds of the Central Coast of British Columbia](#)
- [List of name changes to Marine Algae of California](#)
- **Europe:** [The Marine Biological Association](#): Information on the biology of species and the ecology of habitats found around the coasts and seas of the British Isles -

Articles:

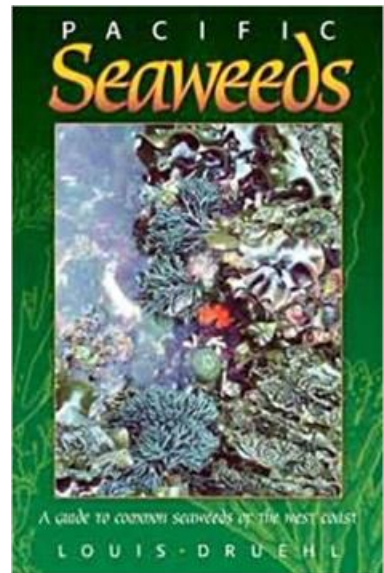
- [Scientists grappling with persistent and alarming collapse of North Coast's bull kelp forests](#) – The Press Democrat
- [Marine heat wave and multiple stressors tip bull kelp forest to sea urchin barrens](#) - Nature
- [95% of Bull Kelp Have Vanished from 200-mile Stretch of CA Coast](#) – EcoWatch
- [Monterey Bay Area Divers Band Together to Thwart Kelp Destruction](#) – Monterey Herald
- [Sea otters maintain remnants of healthy kelp forest amid sea urchin barrens](#) – UC Santa Cruz News
- [Bringing Back Kelp: Can California's Offshore Forests Be Recovered?](#) – Bay Nature
- [The World's Fastest Growing Source of Food](#) - BBC
- [Saved By Seaweeds: Phyconomic Contributions in Times of Crises](#)

For Your Reading Enjoyment:

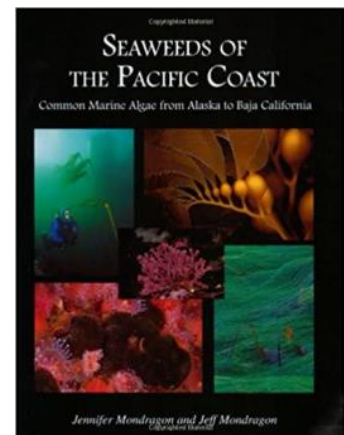
Fremontia (Journal of the California Native Plant Society) – [Special Issue: Seaweeds](#) (a free download)



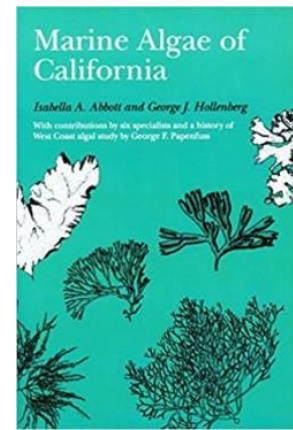
[Pacific Seaweeds](#) by Louis Druehl



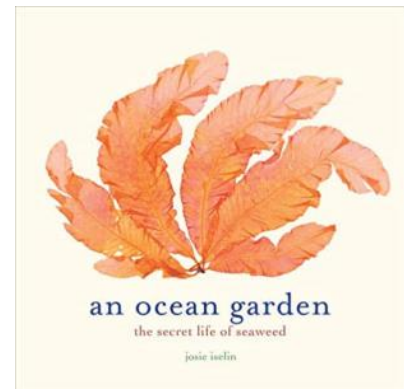
[Seaweeds of the Pacific Coast: Common Marine Algae from Alaska to Baja California](#) by Jennifer and Jeff Mondragon



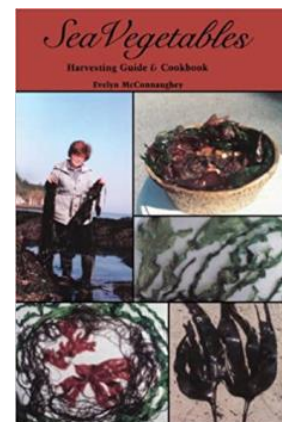
[Marine Algae of California](#) by Isabella Abbott and George Hollenberg



[An Ocean Garden: The Secret Life of Seaweed](#) by Josie Iselin



[Sea Vegetables: Harvesting Guide and Cookbook](#) by Evelyn McConnaughey



[Sea Vegetables Gourmet Cookbook and Wildcrafter's Guide](#) by Eleanor and John Lewallen

