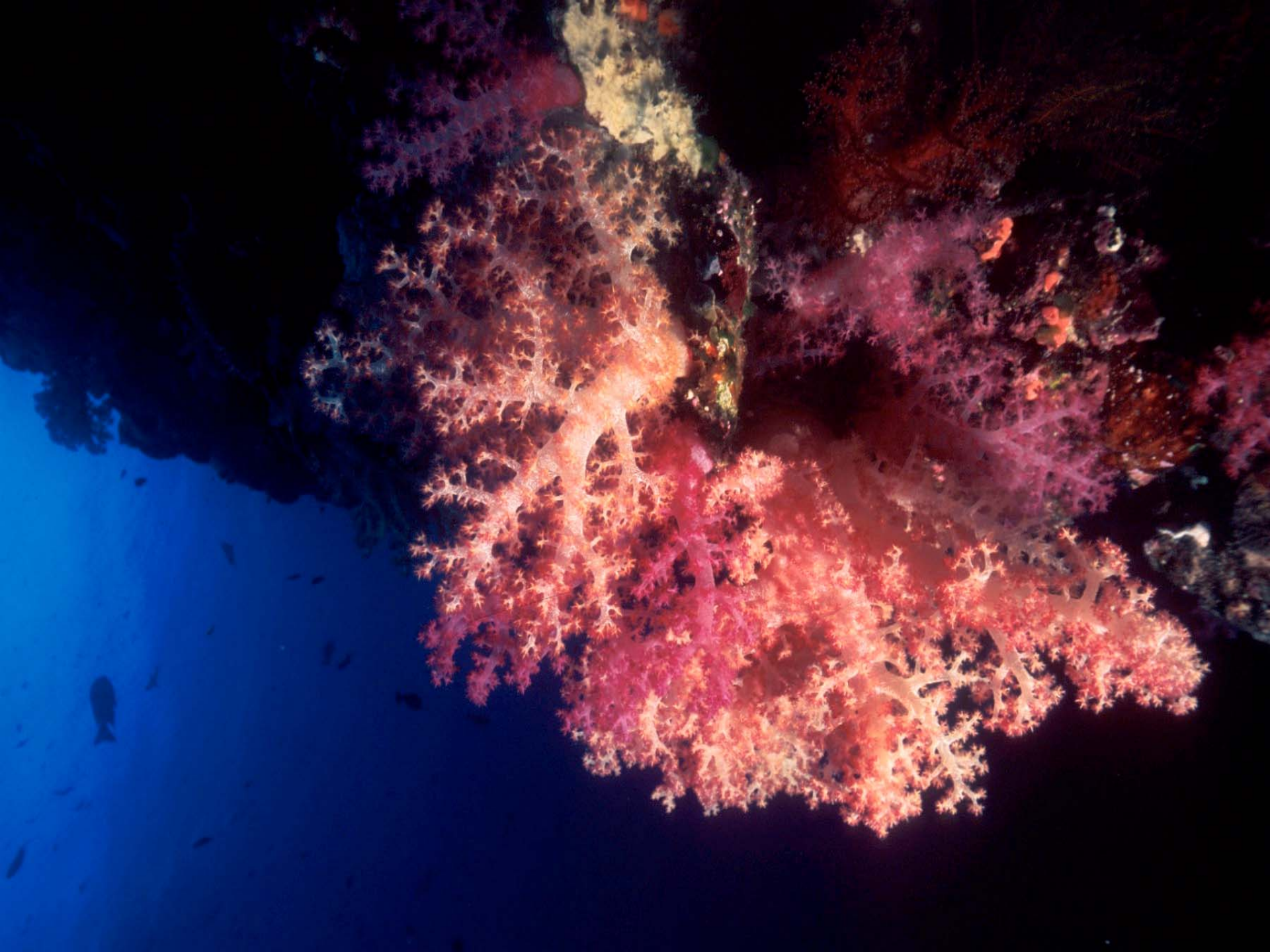


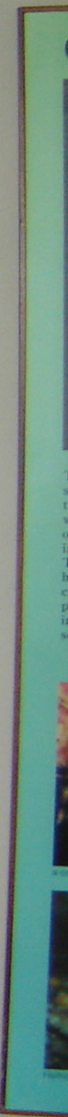
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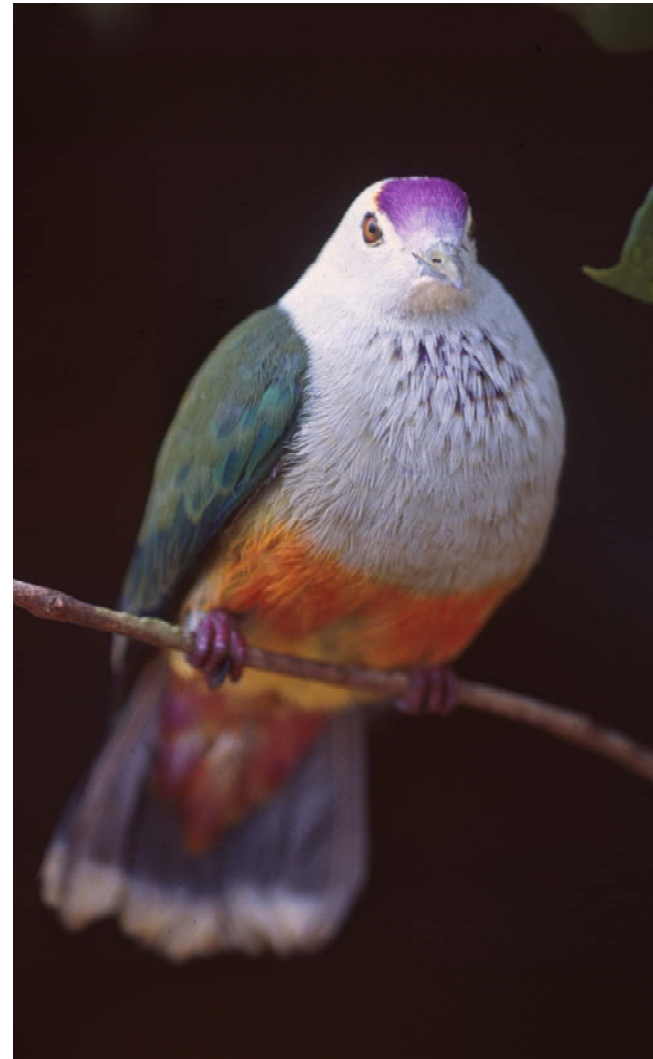
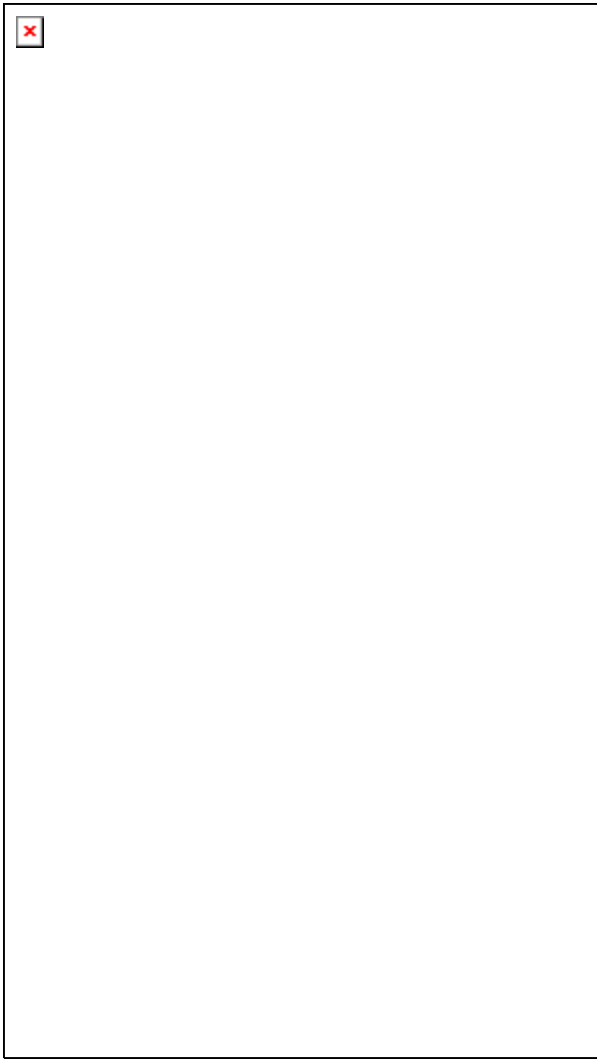
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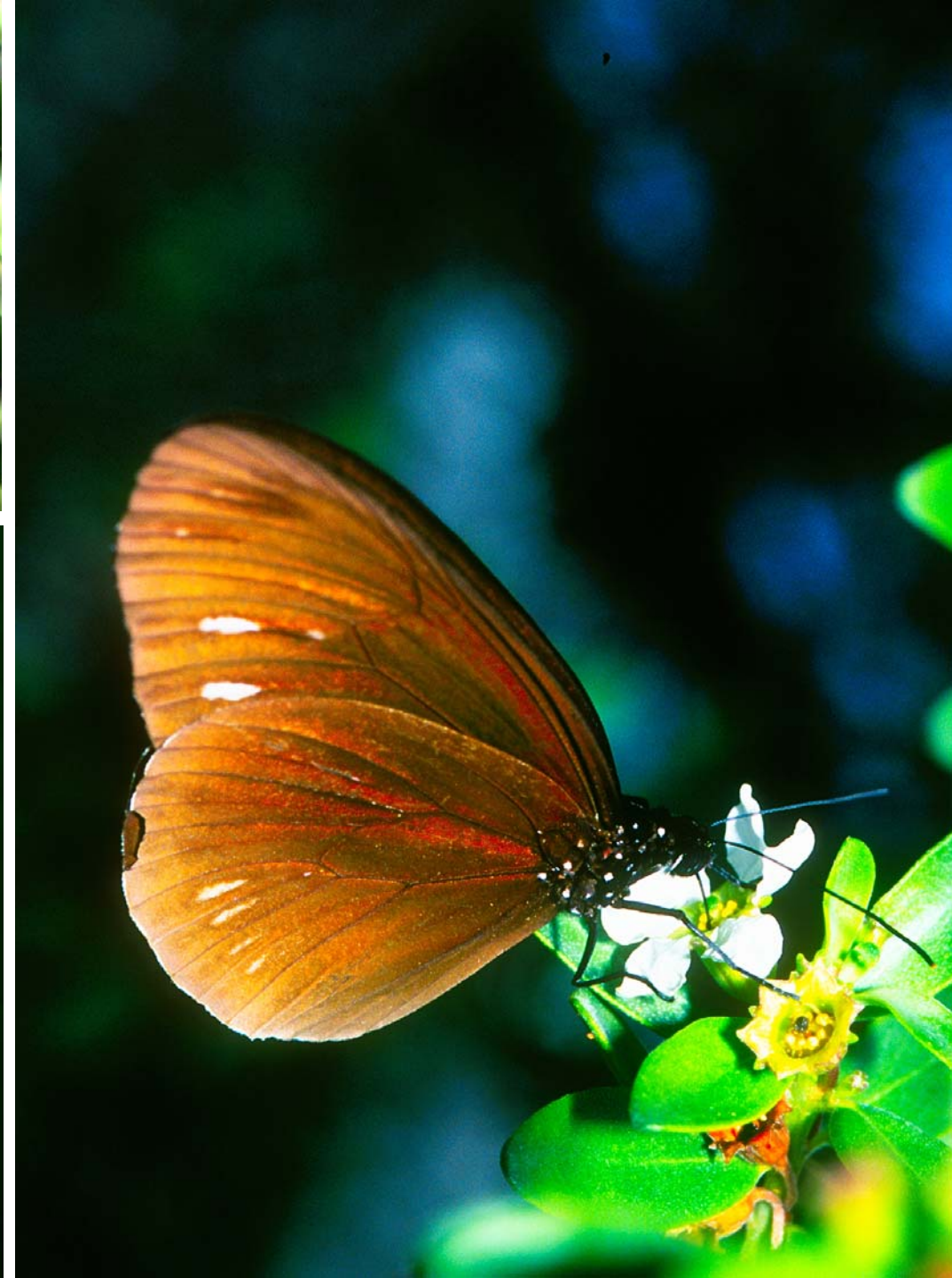
















- GIS mapping showing IPCC sea level rise projections on Palau's coastal areas.
  
- The maps are used to identify and build resilience in vulnerable areas.





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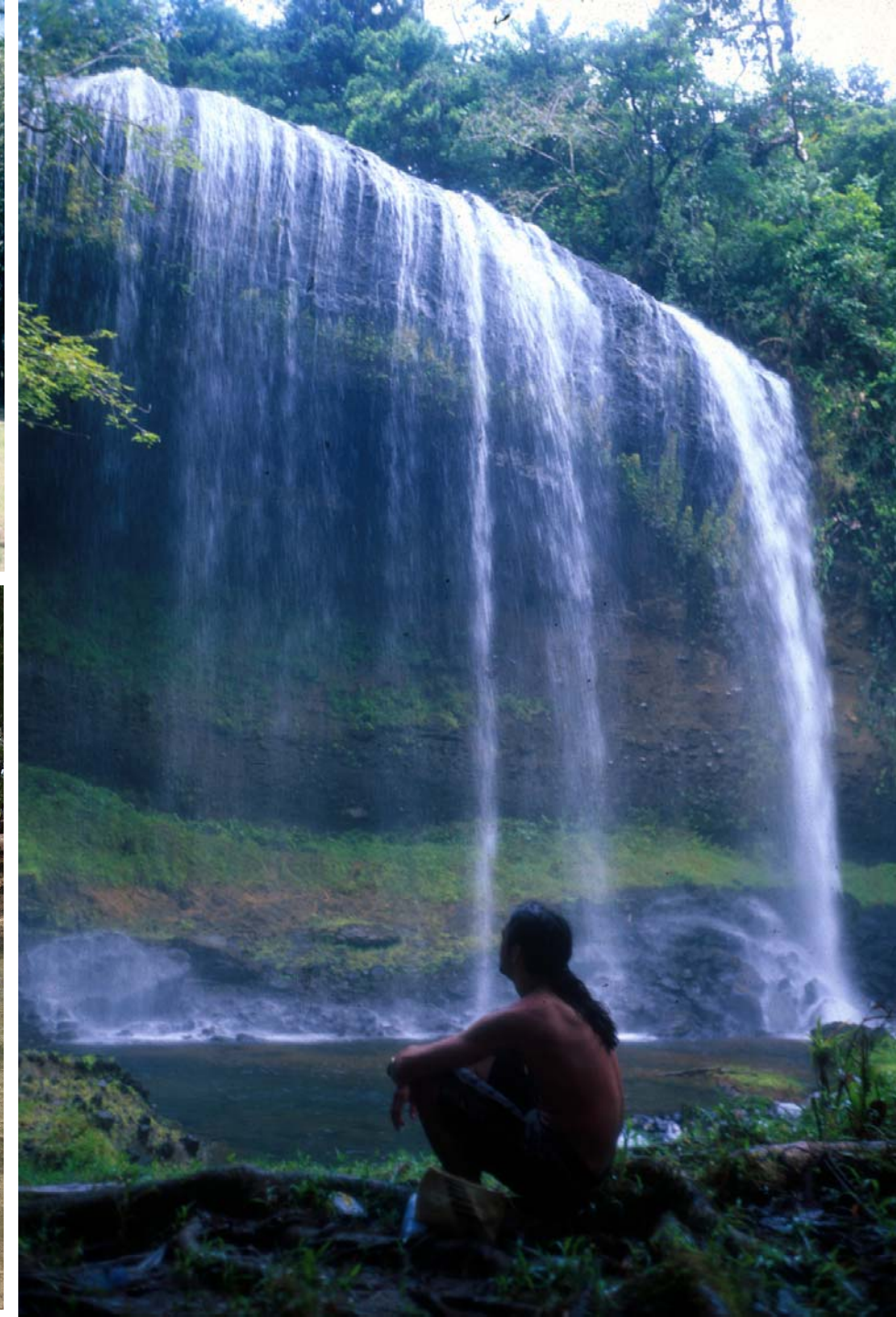
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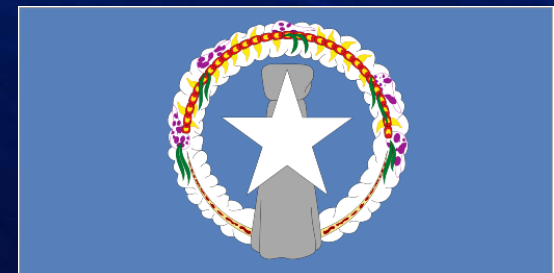
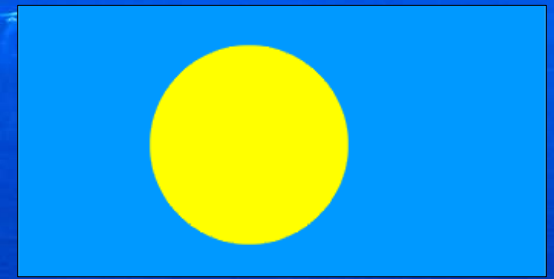
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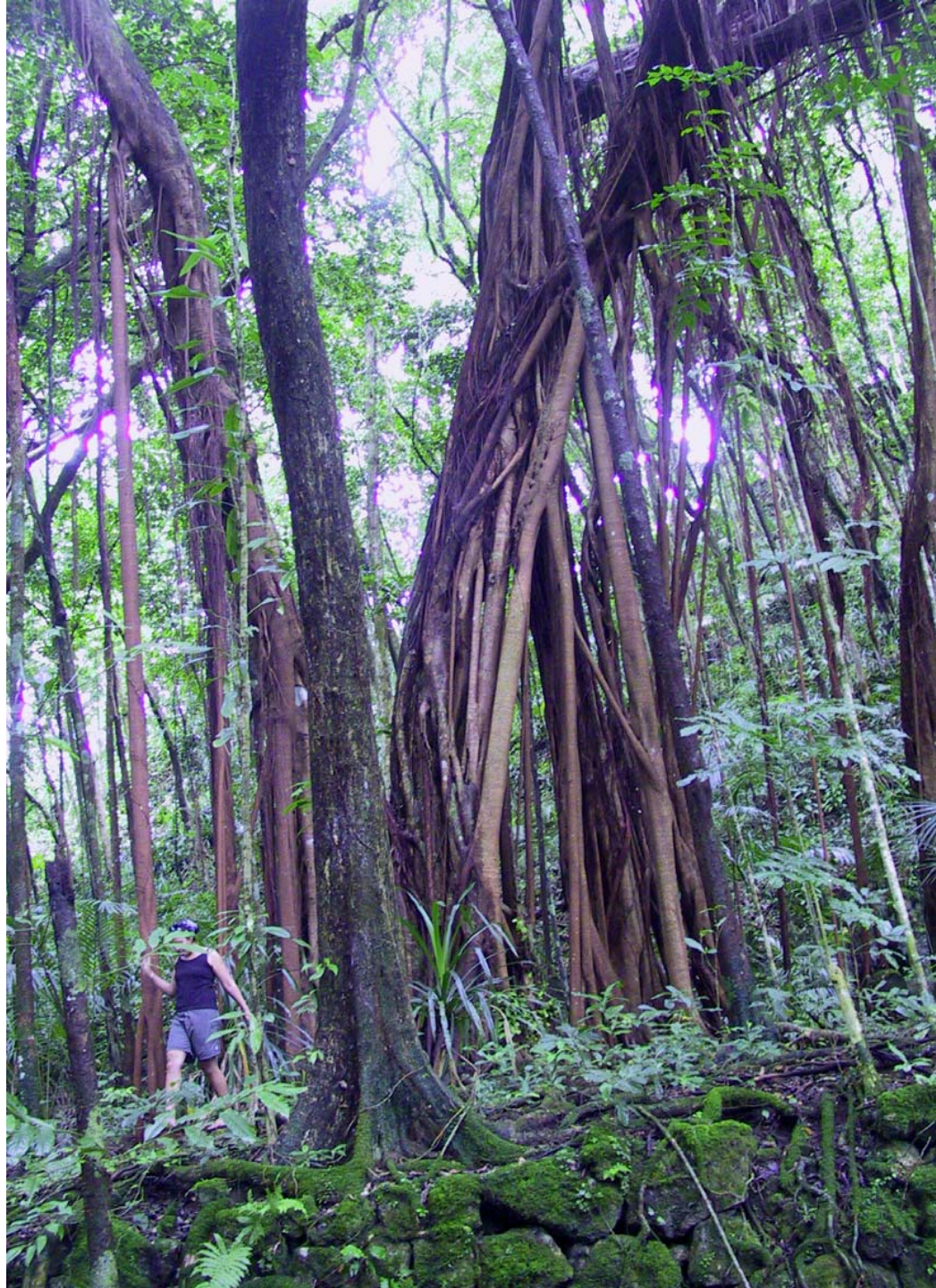














### International Declaration of Reef Rights

All coral reefs have the right to be free from:

- Over-fishing and destructive fishing
- Pollution
- Unsound coastal planning and zoning practices
- Unsustainable tourism practices and facilities

The right to

and to be used for the benefit of the community and the environment

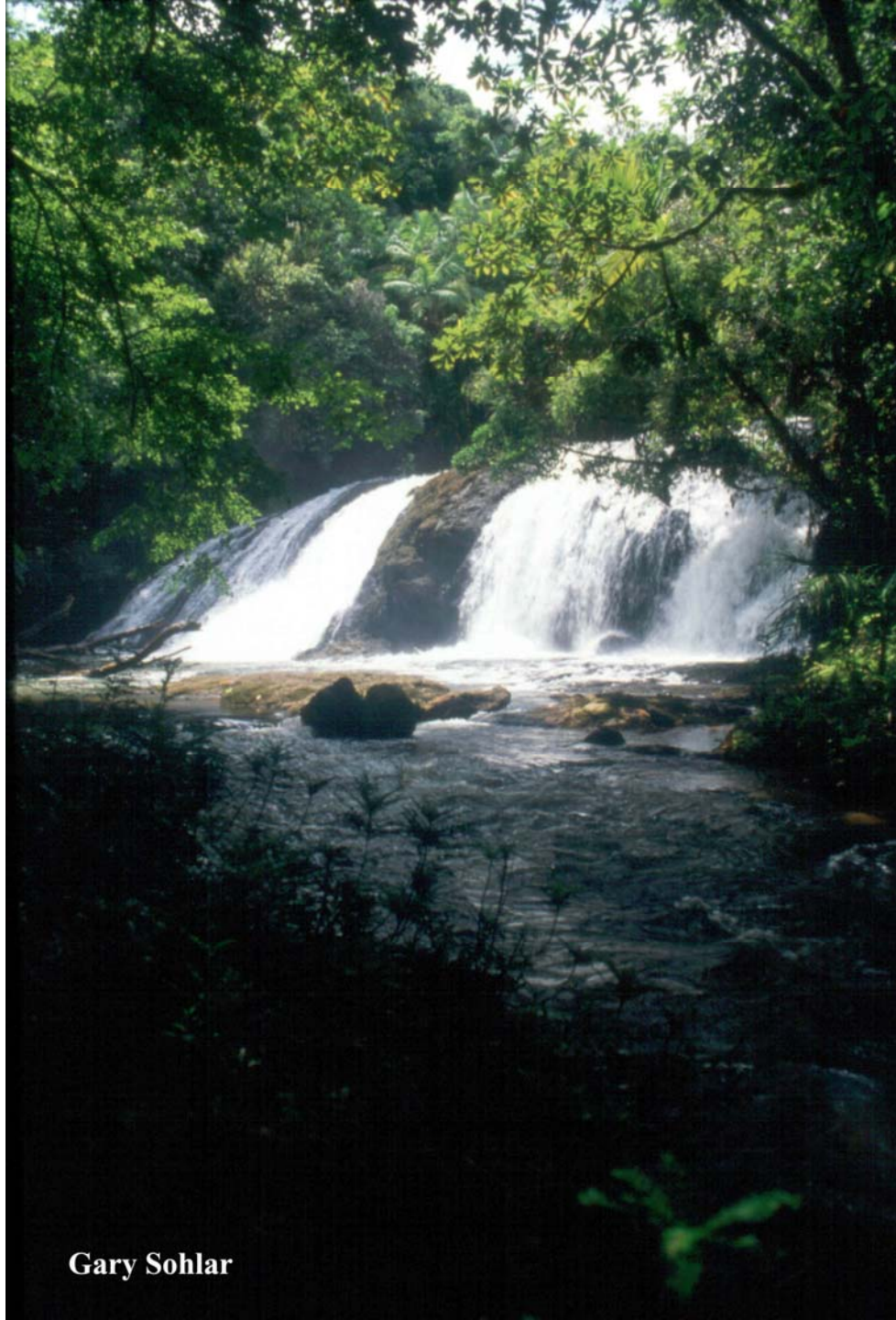
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