

Plant functional groups and communities respond differently to human trampling disturbance

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Background

- Increased recreation in BC's coastal mountains
- Informed trail management

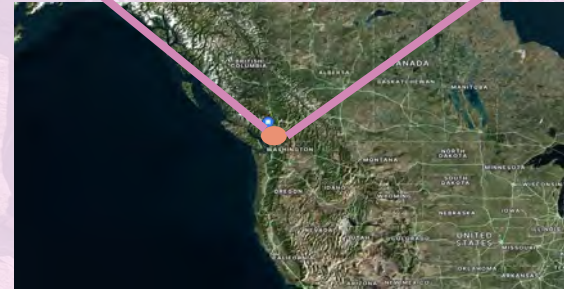
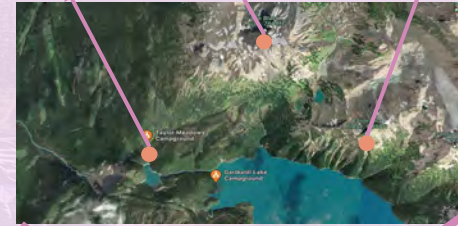
Focal Questions

- Does trampling affect nearby species community composition?
- Which species/taxa are more sensitive to trampling? Which are more resilient?

Taylor Meadows
(TM)

Black Tusk
(BT)

Panorama
Ridge (PR)



Trampling reduces abundance across functional groups

