

Biological Invasion  
is the second largest threat  
to the native biodiversity



# NATIONAL SEMINAR ON HABITAT LOSS: A THREAT TO THE BIODIVERSITY OF KERALA

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Giant African Snail



Water Hyacinth



African Catfish