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Sommario/riassunto

Estuaries are productive ecosystems of high ecological value. This book highlights possible pollution impacts in a protected estuarine ecosystem, Amvrakikos Gulf, considered as one of the most important wetlands in Greece.