

Grading Criteria	Score
Overall	
Author shows an understanding of the data and kinds of data that illustrate the processes important in the Indian Monsoon.	0 1 2
Punctuation and spelling are accurate	0 1 2
All paper sections are included and include the appropriate content. This means that observations are in the observations section and interpretations are in the interpretations section.	0 1 2
Figures are numbered, referred to in the text, have informative captions, and are organized in the order that they are referred to in the text (Credit is reduced for using irrelevant or superfluous figures).	0 1 2
Sources and others' work are adequately referenced throughout the paper.	0 1 2
Pew Report	
The Pew Ocean Commissions Report is adequately introduced and includes some information about the commission's membership and their expertise.	0 1 2
Mentions destruction of coastal wetlands.	0 1 2
Mentions degradation of rivers.	0 1 2
Mentions overfishing.	0 1 2
Mentions invasive species.	0 1 2
Mentions sea level rise.	0 1 2
Mentions loss of coral reefs.	0 1 2
Mentions changes in upwelling patterns.	0 1 2
Mentions management changes that modify government and management functions.	0 1 2
Mentions protection of habitat.	0 1 2
Mentions minimizing pollution.	0 1 2
Mentions national policy on fish farm practice.	0 1 2
Mentions more funding for management.	0 1 2
The Controversy	
Includes in main points of the National Fisheries Institute: US Fisheries are now healthy.	0 1 2
Includes: current management is working well.	0 1 2
Includes: regulations now in place work well.	0 1 2
Includes: overfishing claims are exaggerated.	0 1 2
Includes: no new government agency is needed.	0 1 2
Includes: progress is being made.	0 1 2
Includes: no need to restrict fish farms.	0 1 2
Includes: no need to regulate by-catch. Progress is being made.	0 1 2
My Analysis	
The author accurately summarizes the two sides of the	0 1 2

controversy.	
Data on fisheries is presented, from NMFS or other sources.	0 1 2
Quotes and data are used effectively to support one or the other side of the controversy.	0 1 2 3 4
A credible position is developed, that is supported by the data and quotes used to support it.	0 1 2
Data and sources are accurately referenced.	0 1 2
Sustainability	
A short discussion of sustainability explains that the harvesting of a fish stock should not be so severe that the fish population can no longer survive, or that the replenishment of the stock through natural reproduction should replace fish that are harvested.	0 1 2
Other threats are mentioned. These could include by-catch, destruction of the bottom habitat by trawling, pollution, and nutrient runoff.	0 1 2
Practical ideas for citizen action are offered. These could include donations, involvement in organizations, letters to legislators and newspaper, or making sound choices as a consumer of ocean products.	0 1 2
References	
References are cited in correct format.	0 1 2