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3 **Benefits And Limitations Of Three-Dimensional Printing Technology For Ecological**
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16 Table 2: Online libraries of 3D imagery relevant for ecological research (as of 2017)

Name	Website	Description
Cgtrader	https://www.cgtrader.com/3d-models	Repository of professional 3D models
GrabCAD	https://grabcad.com/	Allows for printing straight from CAD; has a collaboration tool for working on group projects; also has library of free 3D imagery files
NIH 3D Print Exchange	https://3dprint.nih.gov/	Provides scientifically accurate and medically applicable 3D models that are readily compatible with 3D printers.
Sketchfab	https://sketchfab.com/	Platform for sharing 3D images on social media; also allows for 3D content to be embedded on webpages and social media
Thingiverse (by Makerbot)	http://www.thingiverse.com/	Largest online community for sharing 3D models on an open platform
Dryad	http://datadryad.org/	Repository for scientific files including 3D media
STL Finder	https://www.stlfinder.com/	Search engine for 3D models

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