



# RIVER CONSERVATION UNDER WATER SCARCITY

Integration of water quantity and quality in  
Iberian Rivers under global change

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SCARCE is a multipurpose project that aims to describe and predict the relevance of global change impacts on water availability, water quality and ecosystem services in Mediterranean river basins of the Iberian Peninsula, as well as their impacts on the human society and economy. The project has assembled a multidisciplinary team of leading scientists in the fields of hydrology, geomorphology, chemistry, ecology, ecotoxicology, economy, engineering and modelling, in an unknown effort in the CONSOLIDER framework. The topics of the Final SCARCE International Conference are:

- Integrating the effects of chemical quality with environmental stressors on biodiversity and human risks
- Linking chemical exposure and biological effects
- Integrated assessment of water quantity and quality and Global Change
- Integrating results to predict global change impacts on freshwater ecosystem services
- Global change and adaptation and mitigation measures
- Prediction of future threats and mitigation proposals in the light of the analysis of the economic and social impacts
- Water scarcity, freshwater ecosystem services and integration in RBMPs
- Integrating science and policy

Integration of water quantity and quality in Iberian Rivers under global change is a core element in this Conference. This SCARCE conference will provide a multidisciplinary framework for discussion of integration of basic research, like long-term patterns and mechanisms that operate in the hydrology, water quality, habitat dynamics, ecosystem structure and function of watersheds, and the effects of climate and global change on the ecosystem services they provide, with water management practices.

The Conference is planned in form of oral talks, posters and discussions, where experts from different fields can share their knowledge.

The conference invites to anyone working on water sustainability to share knowledge to face a changing world in water resources management.

The conference will be held at:

*Aula Magna Campus Catalunya*  
Avinguda Catalunya, 35  
43002 Tarragona

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# FINAL PROGRAMME

Monday, 20<sup>th</sup> October 2014

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9.00 - 9.30 Registration

9.30 - 10.15 Welcome

Josep A. Ferré<sup>1</sup>, Josep Poble Tous<sup>2</sup>, Marina Villegas<sup>3</sup>, Marta Schuhmacher<sup>4</sup>  
and Damià Barceló<sup>5,6</sup>

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## Introduction to global change and water scarcity

*Chairperson: Marta Schuhmacher*

10.15 - 10.45 *Opportunities for research in water in H2020. Interactions with JPI Water*

Marina Villegas

*Director of Research Projects, Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness, Government of Spain*

10.45 - 11.30 SCARCE: Executive summary results and achievements Dec2009-Oct 2014

Damià Barceló<sup>1,2</sup>

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11.30 - 12.10 Poster session/Coffee break

## Session I: Integrated assessment of water quantity and quality and Global Change

*Chairperson: Ralf Ludwig*

12.10 - 12.40 *Anthropogenic organic pollutants in riverine and coastal waters as indicators for local and regional scale climate change*

Roland Kallenborn

*Department of Chemistry, Biotechnology and Food Sciences (IKBM), Norwegian University of Life Sciences (NMBU), Aas, Norway*

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**12.40 - 13.10** *Climate change effects on seafood safety and physiology in contaminated environments*

Ana Luísa Maulvault<sup>1</sup>, Ana Custódio<sup>1</sup>, Patrícia Anacleto<sup>1</sup>, Tiago Repolho<sup>2</sup>, Maria Leonor Nunes<sup>1</sup>, Rui Rosa<sup>2</sup> and António Marques<sup>1</sup>

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13.10 - 15.00 Lunch

**Session II: Ecological stressors and hydrological and morphological changes**

*Chairperson: Teresa Ferreira*

**15.00 - 15.30** Certainties and uncertainties in river discharge predictions over the Iberian Peninsula in the next decades

Matteo Zampieri<sup>1</sup> and Silvio Gualdi<sup>1,2</sup>

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<sup>2</sup>Istituto Nazionale di Geofisica e Vulcanologia (INGV), Bologna, Italy

**15.30 - 15.50** Effects of flow regulation on the Geomorphic Status of rivers in Spain  
Gemma Lobera<sup>1</sup>, Pedro Besné<sup>2</sup>, Damià Vericat<sup>1,3,4</sup>, José Andrés López-Tarazón<sup>1,5</sup>, Alvaro Tena<sup>1</sup>, Ibon Aristi<sup>6</sup>, José Ramón Díez<sup>7</sup>, Askoa Ibisate<sup>7</sup>, Aitor Larrañaga<sup>6</sup>, Arturo Elosegi<sup>6</sup> and Ramon J. Batalla<sup>1,3,8</sup>

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**15.50 - 16.10** Impact of dams on biogeochemical processes in Iberian rivers

Daniel von Schiller<sup>1</sup>, Lydia Ponsatí<sup>1</sup>, Ibon Aristi<sup>2</sup>, Maite Arroita<sup>2</sup>, Vicenç Acuña<sup>1</sup>, Arturo Elosegi<sup>2</sup> and Sergi Sabater<sup>1,3</sup>

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**16.10 - 16.30** River channel geomorphological adjustments to global change through the analysis of historical images in Iberian rivers

Pedro Besné Torre and Askoa Ibisate González de Matauco

Department of Geography, Prehistory and Archaeology. University of the Basque Country, UPV/EHU, Vitoria-Gasteiz, Spain

16.30 - 17.10 Poster session/Coffee break

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## Session II: Ecological stressors and hydrological and morphological changes (cont.)

*Chairperson: Yolanda Picó*

- 17.10 - 17.30** Novel metabolomic responses in fluvial biofilm exposed to drought and pharmaceuticals compounds  
Diana Álvarez-Muñoz<sup>1</sup>, Albert Serra-Compte<sup>1,2</sup>, Natàlia Corcoll<sup>1</sup>, Belinda Huerta<sup>1</sup>, Sara Rodríguez-Mozaz<sup>1</sup>, Sergi Sabater<sup>1,2</sup> and Damià Barceló<sup>1,3</sup>.  
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<sup>3</sup>Water and Soil Quality Research Group, Department of Environmental Chemistry, IDAEA-CSIC, Barcelona, Spain
- 17.30 - 17.50** Water scarcity in humid-climate streams: a manipulative experiment  
Arturo Elosegi<sup>1</sup>, Ibon Aristi<sup>1</sup>, Maite Arroita<sup>1</sup>, Lorea Flores<sup>1</sup>, José Manuel González<sup>2</sup>, Aitor Larrañaga<sup>1</sup>, Miren Martínez<sup>3</sup>, Aingeru Martínez<sup>1</sup>, Olatz Pereda<sup>1</sup> and Libe Solagaistua<sup>1</sup>  
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<sup>2</sup>School of Experimental Science and Technology (ESCET), University Rey Juan Carlos, Móstoles, Spain  
<sup>3</sup>Department of Engineering, University of the Basque Country, Bilbao, Spain
- 17.50 - 18.10** Modelling hydroecological processes in semi-arid riparian areas  
Alicia García-Arias<sup>1</sup> and Félix Francés<sup>1</sup>  
<sup>1</sup>Research Institute of Water Engineering and Environment, Universitat Politècnica de València, Valencia, Spain
- 19.30 - 21.00** Touristic route
- 21:00** Joint Dinner

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**Tuesday, 21<sup>st</sup> October 2014**


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**Session III: Linking chemical exposure and biological effects**
*Chairperson: Isabel Muñoz*

**9.00 - 9.20** *Atmospheric deposition increases of PCBs and decreases of other organochlorine compounds in remote European areas*  
Joan O. Grimalt

*Department of Environmental Chemistry, IDAEA-CSIC, Barcelona, Spain*

**9.20 - 9.40** **Wastewater effluents as the principal emission source of pharmaceuticals to Iberian River Basins (Spain)**  
Victoria Osorio<sup>1</sup>, Aitor Larrañaga<sup>2</sup>, Jaume Aceña<sup>1</sup>, Sandra Pérez<sup>1</sup> and Damià Barceló<sup>1,3</sup>

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**9.40 - 10.00** **Pharmaceuticals fate and effects in WWTP effluent influenced rivers**  
Vicenç Acuña<sup>1</sup>, Ibon Aristi<sup>2</sup>, Ignasi Aymerich<sup>1</sup>, Damià Barceló<sup>1,3</sup>, María Casellas<sup>1</sup>, Natalia Corcoll<sup>1,4</sup>, Lluís Corominas<sup>1</sup>, Belinda Huerta<sup>1</sup>, Mira Petrovic<sup>1,5</sup>, Manel Poch<sup>6</sup>, Lidia Ponsati<sup>1</sup>, Sara Rodríguez-Mozaz<sup>1</sup>, Albert Ruhl<sup>7</sup>, Sergi Sabater<sup>1,8</sup>, Daniel vonSchiller<sup>1</sup> and Arturo Elosegi<sup>2</sup>

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**10.00 - 10.20** **Bioaccumulation of emerging pollutants in Mediterranean freshwater fish**  
Yolanda Pico<sup>1</sup>, Vicente Belenguer<sup>1</sup>, Cayo Corcellas<sup>2</sup>, Silvia Díaz-Cruz<sup>2</sup>, Ethel Eljarrat<sup>2</sup>, Marinel.la Farré<sup>2</sup>, Francisca Pérez<sup>2</sup>, Pablo Gago-Ferrero<sup>2</sup>, Belinda Huerta<sup>3</sup>, Alícia Navarro-Ortega<sup>2</sup>, Mira Petrovic<sup>3</sup>, Sara Rodríguez<sup>3</sup>, Laia Sabater<sup>2</sup>, Giselle Santin<sup>2</sup> and Damià Barceló<sup>2,3</sup>

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**10.20 - 10.40** **Occurrence and distribution of perfluoroalkyl substances in Ebro and Guadalquivir Rivers. Two different study cases**  
Julián Campo<sup>1,2</sup>, Ana Masiá<sup>2</sup>, Yolanda Picó<sup>2</sup>, Marinel.la Farré<sup>3</sup>, Damià Barceló<sup>3,4</sup>

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- 10.40 - 11.00 Occurrence, risk assessment and prioritization of 200 organic contaminants and metals in water and sediment of four Iberian rivers  
Maja Kuzmanović<sup>1</sup>, Núria de Castro-Català<sup>2</sup>, Antoni Ginebreda<sup>1</sup>, Mira Petrović<sup>3,4</sup>, Isabel Muñoz<sup>2</sup> and Damià Barceló<sup>1,3</sup>  
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11.00 - 11.30 Poster session/Coffee break

#### Session IV: Integrating results to predict impacts on freshwater ecosystem services and integration in RBMPs

*Chairperson: Vicenç Acuña*

- 11.30 - 12.00 *Riparian communities as sentinels for global changes and providers of ecosystem services*  
Teresa Ferreira  
*Instituto Superior de Agronomia, Universidade Técnica de Lisboa, Lisboa, Portugal*
- 12.00 - 12.20 Maximization of ecosystem services by the implementation of the River Basin Management Plan (RBMP) in the Llobregat basin  
Marta Terrado<sup>1</sup>, Andrea Momblanch<sup>2</sup>, Vikas Kumar<sup>3</sup>, Laurie Boithias<sup>1</sup>, Sergi Sabater<sup>1,4</sup>, Marta Schuhmacher<sup>3</sup>, Abel Solera<sup>2</sup> and Vicenç Acuña<sup>1</sup>  
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<sup>4</sup>Institute of Aquatic Ecology, Universitat de Girona, Spain
- 12.20 - 12.40 Exploring the future of ecosystem services through a participatory approach in Isla Mayor, Andalusia, Spain  
Sherman Farhad<sup>1</sup>, Miquel A. Gual<sup>1</sup> and Francesc La Roca<sup>2</sup>  
<sup>1</sup>Departamento de Economía, Mét. Cuantitativos e Hª Económica, Universidad Pablo de Olavide, Spain  
<sup>2</sup>Departamento de Economía Aplicada, Universitat de València, Spain
- 12.40 - 13.00 In-stream processes in the nutrient retention ecosystem services: the importance of river networks at the watershed scale  
María Sánchez-Canales<sup>1</sup>, Rafa Marce<sup>2</sup>, Vicenç Acuña<sup>2</sup>, F. Javier Eloza<sup>1</sup>  
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- 13.00 - 14.40 Lunch

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## Session V: Global change and adaptation and mitigation measures

*Chairperson: Sebastian Birk*

- 14.40 - 15.10** *Climate induced changes on the hydrology of Mediterranean basins: Lessons learned from the CLIMB project - Now what?*  
*Ralf Ludwig and the CLIMB consortium*  
*Department of Geography, Ludwig-Maximilian-Universitaet Muenchen, Munich, Germany*
- 15.10 - 15.30** **Assessment of Global change impacts on groundwater resources in Souss-Massa basin**  
**Redouane Choukr-Allah<sup>1</sup>, Abdelaziz Hirich<sup>1</sup> and Abdessadek Nrhira<sup>2</sup>**  
<sup>1</sup>Agronomic and Veterinary Medicine Hassan II Institute, Agadir, Morocco  
<sup>2</sup>Watershed Basin Agency (ABH) of Souss Massa Daraa, Agadir, Morocco
- 15.30 - 15.50** **Detection and attribution of global change effects on river nutrient concentration dynamics in SCARCE basins**  
**Rosana Aguilera<sup>1</sup>, Rafael Marcé<sup>1</sup> and Sergi Sabater<sup>1,2</sup>**  
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<sup>2</sup>Institute of Aquatic Ecology, Faculty of Sciences, University of Girona, Girona, Spain
- 15.50 - 16.10** **Water availability variation at the Ésera River Basin (Spain) due to climate change and its influence on water management**  
**Abel Solera<sup>1</sup>, María Pedro-Monzonis<sup>1</sup>, Gianbattista Bussi<sup>2</sup>, Andrea Momblanch<sup>1</sup> and Félix Francés<sup>1</sup>**  
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- 16.10 - 16.50** **Poster session/Coffee break**

## Session VI: Integrating science, economic and social impacts and policy

*Chairperson: Sergi Sabater*

- 16.50 - 17.20** *Managing multiple stress for multiple benefits: Towards new scientific concepts, methods and tools in river basin management*  
*Sebastian Birk and Daniel Hering*  
*Department of Aquatic Ecology, University of Duisburg-Essen, Essen, Germany*
- 17.20 - 17.40** **Application of outranking method to adaptation strategies for water supply management**  
**Vikas Kumar<sup>1</sup>, Luis Del Vasto-Terrientes<sup>2</sup>, Tzu Chi Chao<sup>2</sup>, Aida Valls<sup>2</sup> and Marta Schuhmacher<sup>1</sup>**  
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## Final programme

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17.40 - 18.00 How can an ES approach linked to deliberative scenarios contribute to the WFD implementation?

Francesc La-Roca<sup>1</sup>, Graciela Ferrer<sup>1</sup> and José Ramón Díez<sup>2</sup>

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18.00 - 18.20 Evaluation of economic impacts of drought events: evidences from some areas in Europe

Dario Musolino and Alessandro de Carli

CERTeT (Centre for Research on Regional Economics, Transport and Tourism), Bocconi University, Milan, Italy

## Final remarks and closure of the meeting

18.20 - 18.30 Final remarks and closure of the meeting

18.30 End of meeting

*In italics, invited presentations*

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**Posters**


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**Session I: Integrated assessment of water quantity and quality and Global Change**

- 1.- **Problems arising from industrial, urban and agricultural activities on the aquifers of the lower reaches of the river Francolí**  
Diana Puigserver, José M<sup>a</sup> Carmona, Xavier Font and Manuel Viladevall  
 Departament of geochemical, geological survey and petrology, University of Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain
  
- 2.- **Is reclaimed water for agricultural irrigation a source of contaminants in vegetables?**  
 Carme Biel<sup>1</sup>, Robert Savé<sup>1</sup>, Pere Muñoz<sup>1</sup>, Diana Calderón<sup>2</sup>, Víctor Matamoros<sup>2</sup> and Josep M. Bayona  
<sup>1</sup>Environmental horticulture, IRTA  
<sup>2</sup>Environmental Biogeochemistry, IDAEA-CSIC, Barcelona, Spain
  
- 3.- **Water resources stochastic modeling and prediction -a comparison between box-jenkins and kalman filtering methods**  
Khadidja Boukharouba and Ahmed Kettab  
 Laboratoire de Recherche des Sciences de l'Eau-LRS-EAU Ecole Nationale Polytechnique (E.N.P), Alger
  
- 4.- **Assessment of the potential of the Wastewater Treatment and Reuse in Morocco under climate and global changes**  
Redouane Choukr-Allah<sup>1</sup> and Abdessadek Nrhira<sup>2</sup>  
<sup>1</sup>Agronomic and Veterinary Medicine Hassan II Institute, Complex of Horticulture, Agadir, Morocco  
<sup>2</sup>Watershed Basin Agency (ABH) of Souss Massa Daraa, Agadir, Morocco
  
- 5.- **Characterizing the importance of regional groundwater systems in the base flow of a Mediterranean stream using hydrochemistry, Ra isotopes and Rn**  
Albert Folch<sup>1</sup>, Anna Menció<sup>2</sup>, Jordi Garcia-Orellana<sup>3</sup>, Joan Bach<sup>4</sup>, Vanessa Galán<sup>1</sup>, Valentí Rodellas<sup>3</sup>, Marc Cerdà<sup>3</sup> and Josep Mas-Pla<sup>5</sup>  
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**Session II: Ecological stressors and hydrological and morphological changes**

- 6.- **Assessment of the sediment ecotoxicological status in four Iberian rivers**  
 Núria de Castro-Català<sup>1</sup>, Maja Kuzmanovic<sup>2</sup>, Neus Roig<sup>3,4</sup>, Jordi Sierra<sup>3,5</sup>, Damià Barceló<sup>2,6</sup>, Antoni Ginebreda<sup>2</sup>, Sandra Pérez<sup>2</sup>, Mira Petrovic<sup>6</sup>, Yolanda Picó<sup>7</sup>, Marta Schumacher<sup>3,4</sup> and Isabel Muñoz<sup>1</sup>  
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- 7.- Application of Wavelet spectral analysis method to interpretation rivers mebolism  
Jonatan Val, M<sup>a</sup> Rosa Pino and David Chinarro  
San Jorge University, Zaragoza, Spain
- 8.- Evaluation of habitat suitability for redfin barbel under climate change scenarios in the Siurana River  
Rafael Muñoz-Mas<sup>1</sup>, Francisco Martínez-Capel<sup>1</sup>, Pedro Millán-Romero<sup>2</sup>, Francisco J. Vallés Morán<sup>2</sup>, Ignacio Andrés-Doménech<sup>2</sup>, Gianbattista Bussi<sup>2,3</sup> and Félix Francés<sup>2</sup>  
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<sup>3</sup>School of Geography and the Environment, University of Oxford, Oxford, UK
- 9.- Effects of aeration and sediment grain size on invertebrate interactions and litter breakdown  
Olatz Pereda, Aitor Larrañaga, Ibon Aristi, Maite Arroita, Lorea Flores, Libe Solagaistua and Arturo Elosegi  
Faculty of Science and Technology, University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU, Bilbao, Spain
- 10.- Changes in stream discharge affect more benthic than hyporheic breakdown  
Libe Solagaistua, Aitor Larrañaga, Ibon Aristi, Maite Arroita, Lorea Flores, Olatz Pereda and Arturo Elosegi  
Faculty of Science and Technology, University of the Basque Country, Bilbao, Spain
- 11.- Effects of river regulation in bed mobility and invertebrate communities  
Gemma Lobera Galan<sup>1,2</sup>, José A. López-Tarazón<sup>1,2,3</sup>, Isabel Muñoz<sup>4</sup>, Damià Vericat<sup>1,2,5,6</sup> and Ramon J. Batalla<sup>1,2,5,7</sup>  
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### Session III: Linking chemical exposure and biological effects

- 12.- Environmental Concentrations of Metals in the Catalan Stretch of the Ebro River, Spain: Assessment of Temporal Trends  
Lolita Vilavert<sup>1</sup>, Clara Sisteré<sup>1</sup>, Marta Schuhmacher<sup>1,2</sup>, Martí Nadal<sup>1</sup> and José L. Domingo<sup>1</sup>  
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<sup>2</sup>Environmental Engineering Laboratory, Department of Chemical Engineering, University Rovira i Virgili, Tarragona, Spain
- 13.- Incidence and distribution of heavy metals and pharmaceutical products in waters of the Turia River basin  
Vicente Andreu<sup>1</sup>, Eugenia Gimeno<sup>2</sup>, Juan Antonio Pascual<sup>1</sup> and Yolanda Picó<sup>3</sup>  
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- 14.- Analysis of pharmaceuticals and their metabolites in fish from Llobregat river  
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- 15.- Individual and mixture effects of selected pharmaceuticals on larval development of two shrimp species: an experiment on *Palaemon longirostris* and *Palaemon varians*  
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- 16.- Effect of oxytetracycline (OTC) on growth of marine and freshwater microalgae  
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- 17.- Determination of pharmaceuticals in soil samples. Evaluation of QuEChERS advantages and disadvantages  
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- 18.- Assessment of occurrence of 8 pharmaceuticals in the Llobregat river and sensitivity analysis of several parameters using Monte Carlo methods  
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- 19.- Estimation of emission factors of 200 emerging organic microcontaminants by inverse modeling in a Mediterranean river basin (Llobregat, NE Spain)  
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- 20.- Evaluation of four extraction procedures in the analysis of 23 perfluoroalkyl substances in soil and sediment  
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- 21.- Assessment of pesticide occurrence in the Túria and Júcar Rivers  
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- 22.- **On the presence of pesticides in waters and sediments of the river Júcar, Spain**  
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