

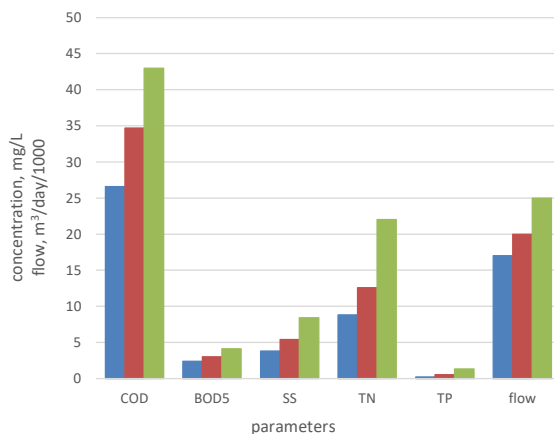


## The quality of effluents from WWTP in Słupsk

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### Physico-chemical parameters of effluents from WWTP in Słupsk

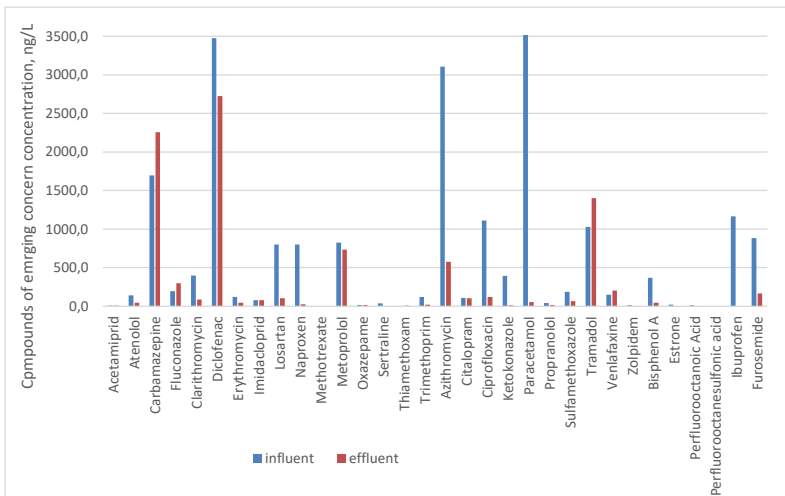


What should we consider choosing a method of removing micropollutants from the effluents from WWTP in Słupsk

- the concentration of organic matter (COD, TOC, DOC, TSS) in effluents
- The concentration of inorganic reductants (e.g. nitrites etc.) in effluents
- The choosing of pharmaceuticals, which are specific for this WWTP catchment area

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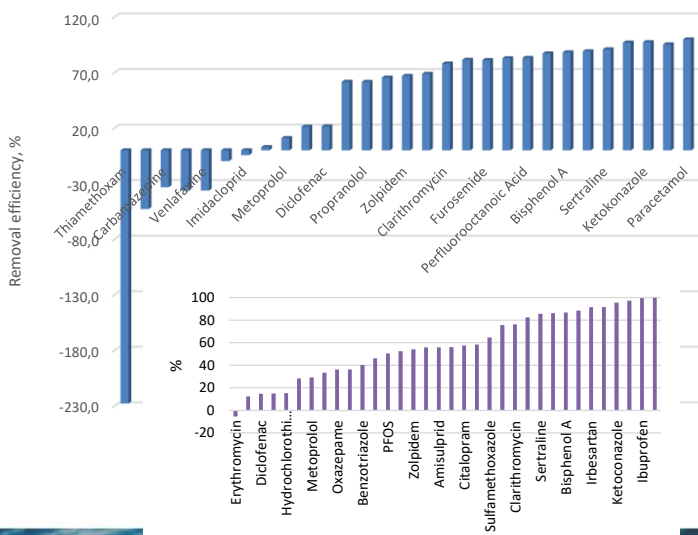
COD ranged between 21 mg/L and 35 mg/L,  
TOC ranged between 8.4 and 13.9 mg TOC/L.



The concentration of CECs in influent and effluent from WWTP in Słupsk

How does choose pharmaceuticals, which are specific for this WWTP catchment area?

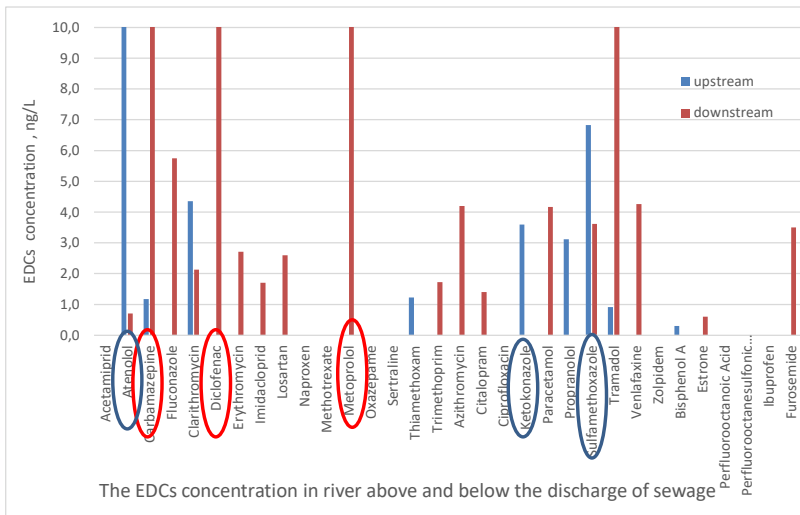
- consumption,
- concentration in raw wastewater,
- biodegradability
- removal efficiency in WWTP
- ability to adsorption



The most difficult was the removal of diclofenac, and carbamazepine as these substances showed low biodegradability.

An increase of concentrations of endocrine-disrupting chemicals (EDCs) in the effluent from WWTPs is observed for about 18% - 20% of all detected EDCs.

In several cases, the increase in final effluent concentrations of the compounds likely results from dissolution of persistent contaminants accumulated in aggregates and/or back-transformation or de-conjugation of metabolites into parental compounds



- Effluent from WWTP in Słupsk was the main source of carbamazepine, diclofenac, metoprolol etc.
- The concentration of atenolol, sulfamethoxazole, ketokonazol and others was higher in upstream than in downstream, the main sources of these EDCs was not the WWTP in Słupsk.
- 6-10 representative substances or organic micropollutants: CBZ, SMX, DCF, TMX

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