Fixing the most representative physicochemical and biological variables of Medellín's Parque Norte lake, as a basis for a math modeling of the bioremediation

Oral progress report

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Agenda for today

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- 3. Progress
 - 3.1. Knowledge appropriation

3.2. Selecting quantitative data that describe aquatic ecosystems from previous research

3.3. Synthesizing selected data





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Mathematical Modeling



2. Overall goal

Statistically analyzing secondary information relevant to the wetland Parque Norte Lake from Medellin, Antioquia in order to provide basis for studies on bioremediation by mathematical modeling.



2. Specific goals

- To determine the relationship between physical, chemical and biological variables which are the most representative and the key on the ecological functioning of the lake.

- To select appropriate quantitative data describing the aquatic ecosystem from previous research.



2. Specific goals

- To suggest significant variables to structure the dynamic model that modulates the ecological functioning of the Parque Norte Lake.



3. Progress



Exploratory analysis data



3.1. Knowledge appropriation

Limnology definition Aquatic ecosystem

Water

Structure and performance aquatic ecosystem Abiotic and biotic factors

Aquatic population and communities dynamics



3.1. Knowledge appropriation

Lakes

Flood lakes

Forms and sizes lakes

Gases dissolved in the water

Dissolved oxygen and BOD CO_2 and others gases dissolved in the water



3.2. Selecting quantitative data that describe aquatic ecosystem from previous research

CO_2, alkalinity and pH System Photosynthesis and respiration Alkalinity

Main ions in the naturals water

Total dissolved solids and electrical conductivity

Origins and behavior of ions in aquatic ecosystems



Data Exploratory Analysis





3.2. Selecting quantitative data that describe aquatic ecosystem from previous research

- Standardization
- Eigenvectors and eigenvalues
- PCA- Principal Component Analysis
- Varimax rotation







3.2. Selecting quantitative data that describe aquatic ecosystem from previous research





Thanks for your attention

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