

**Table S1.** Overview of the three sampling sites in Romania; the sampling sites L2 and Z2 are based on 10 kicknet sampling while site R2 it is based on 5 kicknet sampling due to the muddy substratum. The pictures below the table depict the sampling sites and were kindly provided by Dr. Karina Battes.

<b>River Code</b>	<b>River Name</b>	<b>Date of sampling</b>	<b>Coordinates</b>	<b>Altitude (m)</b>	<b>Ecological state (based on expert judgment)</b>
Z2	Călățele	24.06.2016	N 46.74872, E 23.00314	705	Good
L2	Almașul	24.06.2016	N 46.93583, E 22.94882	450	Mediocre to Good
R2	Valea Racilor	25.06.2016	N 46.66156, E 23.66503	528	Mediocre to Bad

