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## Microbial profiling with reference to Water Quality of World Largest Sewage Fed Fish Farms: Role of Sewage and urbanization

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## Abstract

Microbial diversity structure plays a significant role in deciphering the health of wetland ecosystem as it alters the aquaculture dynamics through different functional cycle. In the present study, East Kolkata Wetland (EKWs) i.e World's Largest Sewage Fed Fish Farm was selected as the sampling sites to decipher the microbial community structure along with its predictive functional role in maintaining the different metabolic pathways. In addition to this, effort has been made to correlate the different environmental variables with that of bacterial diversity. Result obtained revealed that genera such as Arcobacter, Pseudomonas, Sulfurospirillum, Cloacibacterium etc. dominated the bacterial diversity in world largest sewage fed fish farm. Furthermore, environmental variables such as BOD, COD, and DO violated the prescribed CPCB norms for water quality required for the propagation of fisheries and irrigation in India. Moroever, present study confirmed the fact that environmental variables such as BOD, COD and DO were the major factors responsible for the proliferation of pathogenic bacterial diversity.

## Biography

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