

**Supporting information for:**

## **Contamination of Urban Stormwater Pond Sediments: A Study of 259 Legacy and Contemporary Organic Substances**

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## I. Characteristics of studied facilities

Facility	Municipality	Facility type	Catchment classification	Catchment imperviousness	Catchment surface area (ha)	Type of inlet	Year of construction	Facility volume (m3)	Facility surface area (ha)
<i>Ös-1</i>	Östersund	Pond	Industrial / commercial	<b>97</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>Pipe</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>9100</b>	<b>0.45</b>
<i>Ör-1</i>	Örebro	Pond	Industrial / commercial	<b>40</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>Pipe</b>	<b>1996</b>	<b>1300</b>	<b>0.13</b>
<i>Ör-2</i>	Örebro	Pond	Industrial / commercial	<b>50</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>Open channel</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>0.48</b>
<i>Ör-3</i>	Örebro	Pond	Residential	<b>22</b>	<b>1490</b>	<b>Pipe</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>20500</b>	<b>1.78</b>
<i>Ör-4</i>	Örebro	Pond	Residential	<b>5</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>Open channel</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>0.33</b>
<i>Ör-5</i>	Örebro	Pond	Industrial / commercial	<b>80</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>Open channel</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>5800</b>	<b>0.5</b>
<i>Ör-6</i>	Örebro	Pond	Industrial / commercial	<b>75</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>Open channel</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>5800</b>	<b>0.8</b>
<i>S-1</i>	Stockholm	Pond	Industrial / commercial	<b>ND</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>Pipe</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>1450</b>	<b>0.17</b>
<i>S-2</i>	Stockholm	Pond	Residential	<b>ND</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>Pipe</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>530</b>	<b>0.05</b>
<i>S-3</i>	Stockholm	Pond	Residential	<b>ND</b>	<b>770</b>	<b>Pipe</b>	<b>1997</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>0.06</b>
<i>S-4</i>	Stockholm	Pond	Road / highway	<b>50</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Pipe</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>498</b>	<b>0.03</b>
<i>S-5</i>	Stockholm	Pond	Road / highway	<b>ND</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>0.06</b>
<i>S-6</i>	Stockholm	Subsurface sedimentation tank	Road / highway	<b>100</b>	<b>1.14</b>	<b>Pipe</b>	<b>1997</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>0.006</b>
<i>V-1</i>	Växjö	Pond	Industrial / commercial	<b>46</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>Pipe / open channel</b>	<b>1989</b>	<b>3300</b>	<b>0.36</b>
<i>V-2</i>	Växjö	Pond	Residential	<b>30</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>Pipe / open channel</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>6600</b>	<b>0.36</b>
<i>V-3</i>	Växjö	Pond	Industrial / commercial	<b>60</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>Pipe / open channel</b>	<b>1994</b>	<b>17600</b>	<b>1.1</b>
<i>V-4</i>	Växjö	Pond	Industrial / commercial	<b>54</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>Pipe</b>	<b>1988</b>	<b>870</b>	<b>0.06</b>

**Table S1.** Characteristics of studied facilities. ND means that data was unavailable for a given site.

## II. Frequency of quantification of all substances

Frequency	Substances			
<b>Never quantified</b>	C <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>8</sub> Aliphatics	Styrene	Dimoxystrobin	Methiocarb
	C <sub>8</sub> -C <sub>10</sub> Aliphatics	MTBE	Diuron	sulfoxide
	Nap	Aldrin	Epoxiconazole	Metconazole
	Acyl	Dieldrin	Fenoxycarb	Metolachlor
	Acen	Endrin	Fipronil	Methomyl
	A	Isodrin	Fipronil sulfone	Methomyl
	Dichloromethane	Telodrin	Fluazifop	oxime
	1,1-dichloroethane	alpha-HCH	Fonofos	Metribuzin
	1,2-dichloroethane	beta-HCH	Phorate	Oxamyl
	1,2-dichloropropane	Lindane	Phosalone	Pendimethalin
	Chloroform	Heptachlor	Phosphamidon	Pethoxamid
	Tetrachloromethane	cis-Heptachlor	Phosmet	Pirimicarb
	Trans-1,2-dichloroethene	epoxide	Phosmet oxon	Prochloraz
	1,1,1-trichloroethane	trans-Heptachlor	Hexazinone	Prometon
	Trichloroethene	epoxide	2-hydroxyatrazine	Prometryn
	Vinyl chloride	alpha-Endosulfan	Imidacloprid	Propazine
	Monochlorobenzene	Simazine-2-hydroxy	Imidacloprid olefin	Propoxur
	1,2,3-trichlorobenzene	Carbofuran-3-	Imidacloprid urea	Pyrimethanil
	1,2,3,4-tetrachlorobenzene	hydroxy	Indoxacarb	Sebuthylazine
	1,2,3,5+1,2,4,5-tetrachlorobenzene	6-chloronicotinic acid	Isoproturon	Simazine
	Diclobenil	Acetamiprid	Isoproturon-desmethyl	Simetryn
	Quintozene-pentachloroaniline	Acetochlor	Isoproturon-monodesmethyl	Tebuconazole
	2-monochlorophenol	Alachlor	Cadusafos	Terbutylazine
	3-monochlorophenol	Aldicarb	Carbaryl	Thiacloprid
	4-monochlorophenol	Aldicarb sulfone	Carbofuran	Thiamethoxam
	2,3-dichlorophenol	Aldicarb sulfoxide	Clomazone	Pentanedial
	2,4 + 2,5-dichlorophenol	Ametryn	Chlorfenvinphos	DeBB
	2,6-dichlorophenol	Atrazine	Chloridazon	HBCD
	3,4-dichlorophenol	Azoxystrobin	Chloridazon-desphenyl	PFHpA
	3,5-dichlorophenol	Boscalid	Chloridazon-methyl-desphenyl	PFOA
	2,3,4-trichlorophenol	Cyanazine	Chlorpyrifos	PFNA
	2,3,5-trichlorophenol	Cyproconazole	Chlorsulfuron	PFDA
	2,3,6-trichlorophenol	Atrazine-desethyl	Chlortoluron	PFBS
	2,4,5-trichlorophenol	Terbutylazine-desethyl	Clothadinin	PFHxS
	2,4,6-trichlorophenol	Atrazine-desisopropyl	Kresoxim-methyl	PFHpS
	3,4,5-trichlorophenol	Desmetryn	Linuron	6:2 FTS
	2,3,5,6-tetrachlorophenol	Diazinon	Malaixon	8:2 FTS
	2,3,4,5-tetrachlorophenol	Difenacoum	Malathion	PFTTrDA
	2,3,4,6-tetrachlorophenol	Diflufenican	Metamitron	DEP
	Pentachlorophenol	Dichlorvos	Metazachlor	DNPP
Benzene	Dicrotophos	Methidathion	DNHP	
Ethylbenzene	Dimethoate	Methiocarb	TetBT	
Xylene		Methiocarb sulfone	TCHT	
			TPhT	
<b>0 &lt; f<sub>quant</sub> ≤ 25%</b>	C <sub>8</sub> -C <sub>10</sub> Aromatics	Hexachlorobenzene	Propional	FOSA
	C <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>35</sub> Aromatics	Toluene	Butanal	PFTeDA
	F	o,p'-DDT	BDE 28	MeFOSA
	BkF	p,p'-DDT	BDE 47	EtFOSA
	DahA	o,p'-DDD	BDE 99	MeFOSE
	Hexachloroethane	p,p'-DDD	BDE 100	EtFOSE
	Cis-1,2-dichloroethene	o,p'-DDE	BDE 153	DMP
	1,1,2-trichloroethane	p,p'-DDE	BDE 154	DPP
	Tetrachloroethene	Terbutylazine-desethyl-2-	TBBP-A	DBP
	1,1-dichloroethene	hydroxy	PFBA	DiBP
	1,2-dichlorobenzene	Hydroxy-	PFPeA	DNOP
	1,3-dichlorobenzene	terbutylazine	PFHxA	BBP
	1,4-dichlorobenzene	Carbendazim	PFUnDA	DCP
	1,2,4-trichlorobenzene	Propiconazole	PFDoDA	MPhT
	1,3,5-trichlorobenzene	Terbutryn	PFDS	DPhT
	Pentachlorobenzene			

Frequency	Substances			
25 < f <sub>quant</sub> ≤ 50%	C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>12</sub> Aliphatics	Chry	PCB 28	DiDP
	C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aromatics	BbF	PFOS	DiNP
	Phen	BaP	OP	TBT
	Fluo	BPer	NP	MOT
	BaA	IP	DBP	DOT
50 < f <sub>quant</sub> ≤ 75%	C <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aliphatics	PCB 101	PCB 138	MBT
	Pyr	PCB 118	PCB 180	DBT
	PCB 52	PCB 153	DEHP	
75 < f <sub>quant</sub> < 100%	C <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>35</sub> Aliphatics	Formaldehyde	Acetaldehyde	

**Table S2: List of substances by frequency of quantification in stormwater pond sediments, n=32**

### III. Summary of quantified substances

Substance group	Substance	f <sub>quant</sub> (%)	Concentrations		
			Median	Minimum	Maximum
Hydrocarbons	C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>12</sub> Aliphatics (mg/kg TS)	41%	<10	<10	146
	C <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aliphatics (mg/kg TS)	53%	11.5	<10	285
	C <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aliphatics (mg/kg TS)	53%	18	<11	410
	C <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>35</sub> Aliphatics (mg/kg TS)	97%	205	<10	3820
	C <sub>8</sub> -C <sub>10</sub> Aromatics (mg/kg TS)	16%	<0.48	<0.095	1.8
	C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aromatics (mg/kg TS)	28%	<1.24	<0.085	1.24
	C <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>35</sub> Aromatics (mg/kg TS)	25%	<1	<1	4.2
Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs)	F (mg/kg TS)	6%	<0.08	<0.08	0.095
	Phen (mg/kg TS)	38%	<0.08	<0.08	0.628
	Fluo (mg/kg TS)	50%	0.0855	<0.08	1.2
	Pyr (mg/kg TS)	53%	0.109	<0.08	1.41
	BaA (mg/kg TS)	38%	<0.08	<0.08	0.464
	Chry (mg/kg TS)	41%	<0.08	<0.08	0.395
	BbF (mg/kg TS)	50%	0.0935	<0.08	0.773
	BkF (mg/kg TS)	25%	<0.08	<0.08	0.179
	BaP (mg/kg TS)	34%	<0.08	<0.08	0.444
	DahA (mg/kg TS)	22%	<0.08	<0.08	0.13
	BPer (mg/kg TS)	44%	<0.08	<0.08	0.548
	IP (mg/kg TS)	31%	<0.08	<0.08	0.328
	Sum of 16 PAH (mg/kg TS)	53%	0.64	<0.2	6.4
	Carcinogenic PAH (mg/kg TS)	50%	0.28	<0.11	2.6
	Sum other PAH (mg/kg TS)	53%	0.36	<0.092	3.8
	Sum medium-weight PAH (mg/kg TS)	53%	0.215	<0.092	3.2
Sum high-weight PAH (mg/kg TS)	50%	0.32	<0.11	3.2	
BTEX	Toluene (mg/kg TS)	13%	<0.1	<0.1	1.28
Chlorinated aliphatics	Hexachloroethane (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.01	<0.01	0.126
	Cis-1,2-dichloroethene (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.04	<0.04	0.18
	1,1,2-trichloroethane (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.01	<0.01	0.125
	Tetrachloroethene (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.02	<0.02	0.094
	1,1-dichloroethene (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.01	<0.01	0.167
Chlorobenzenes	1,2-dichlorobenzene (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.02	<0.02	0.69
	1,3-dichlorobenzene (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.02	<0.02	0.22
	1,4-dichlorobenzene (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.02	<0.02	0.47
	1,2,4-trichlorobenzene (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.03	<0.03	0.31
	1,3,5-trichlorobenzene (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.05	<0.05	0.39
	Pentachlorobenzene (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.01	<0.01	0.02
	sum tetra- and pentachlorobenzenes (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.02	<0.017	0.04
	Hexachlorobenzene (mg/kg TS)	9%	<0.005	<0.005	0.168
Aldehydes	Formaldehyde (mg/kg TS)	97%	1.2	<0.38	8.4
	Acetaldehyde (mg/kg TS)	88%	0.86	<0.22	3.6
	Propional (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.2	<0.2	0.5
	Butanal (mg/kg TS)	6%	<0.2	<0.2	0.5

Substance group	Substance	f <sub>quant</sub> (%)	Concentrations		
			Median	Minimum	Maximum
Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)	PCB 28 (µg/kg TS)	28%	<0.1	<0.1	2.2
	PCB 52 (µg/kg TS)	53%	0.135	<0.1	6.6
	PCB 101 (µg/kg TS)	75%	0.415	<0.1	20
	PCB 118 (µg/kg TS)	69%	0.26	<0.1	16
	PCB 153 (µg/kg TS)	75%	0.865	<0.1	24
	PCB 138 (µg/kg TS)	75%	0.935	<0.1	27
	PCB 180 (µg/kg TS)	72%	0.7	<0.1	25
	sum of 7 PCBs (µg/kg TS)	75%	3.2	<0.4	100
Alkylphenols	OP (mg/kg TS)	38%	<0.02	<0.01	0.529
	NP (mg/kg TS)	38%	<0.1	<0.1	30.5
Phthalates	DMP (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.05	<0.05	0.099
	DPP (mg/kg TS)	6%	<0.05	<0.05	0.7
	DiBP (mg/kg TS)	19%	<0.05	<0.05	0.15
	DBP (mg/kg TS)	31%	<0.05	<0.05	0.79
	DNOP (mg/kg TS)	22%	<0.0775	<0.05	7
	DEHP (mg/kg TS)	66%	1.3	<0.05	33
	BBP (mg/kg TS)	6%	<0.05	<0.05	0.2
	DCP (mg/kg TS)	22%	<0.05	<0.05	0.84
	DiDP (mg/kg TS)	28%	<2.5	<2.5	22
DiNP (mg/kg TS)	31%	<4	<2.5	430	
Brominated flame retardants	BDE 28 (µg/kg TS)	3%	<0.26	<0.032	0.7
	tetraBDE (µg/kg TS)	9%	<3.3	<2	21
	BDE 47 (µg/kg TS)	22%	<0.335	<0.16	21
	pentaBDE (µg/kg TS)	9%	<4	<2.4	15
	BDE 99 (µg/kg TS)	25%	<0.425	<0.18	11
	BDE 100 (µg/kg TS)	22%	<0.33	<0.064	3.2
	BDE 153 (µg/kg TS)	9%	<0.275	<0.13	1.4
	BDE 154 (µg/kg TS)	9%	<0.235	<0.027	0.6
	decaBDE (µg/kg TS)	3%	<25.5	<10	110
	TBBP-A (µg/kg TS)	9%	<5	<5	6.66
Perfluorinated substances (PFASs)	PFBA (µg/kg TS)	19%	<0.5	<0.5	1.42
	PFPeA (µg/kg TS)	6%	<0.5	<0.5	0.895
	PFHxA (µg/kg TS)	3%	<0.5	<0.5	0.635
	PFUnDA (µg/kg TS)	3%	<0.5	<0.5	0.872
	PFDoDA (µg/kg TS)	6%	<0.5	<0.5	1.46
	PFOS (µg/kg TS)	44%	<0.5	<0.5	3.18
	PFDS (µg/kg TS)	9%	<0.5	<0.5	0.557
	FOSA (µg/kg TS)	9%	<0.5	<0.5	0.994
	PFTeDA (µg/kg TS)	6%	<0.5	<0.5	1.35
	MeFOSA (µg/kg TS)	3%	<0.5	<0.5	0.584
	EtFOSA (µg/kg TS)	9%	<0.5	<0.5	0.735
	MeFOSE (µg/kg TS)	3%	<0.5	<0.5	0.825
	EtFOSE (µg/kg TS)	13%	<0.5	<0.5	1.19

Substance group	Substance	f <sub>quant</sub> (%)	Concentrations		
			Median	Minimum	Maximum
Organotins	MBT (µg/kg TS)	66%	12	<1	231
	DBT (µg/kg TS)	69%	12	<1	781
	TBT (µg/kg TS)	44%	<1	<1	31.3
	MOT (µg/kg TS)	47%	<1	<1	23.4
	DOT (µg/kg TS)	47%	<1	<1	40.7
	MPhT (µg/kg TS)	13%	<1	<1	10.1
	DPhT (µg/kg TS)	6%	<1	<1	2.69
Pesticides	o,p'-DDT (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.01	<0.01	0.25
	p,p'-DDT (mg/kg TS)	6%	<0.01	<0.01	1.58
	o,p'-DDD (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.01	<0.01	0.328
	p,p'-DDD (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.01	<0.01	0.869
	o,p'-DDE (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.01	<0.01	0.02
	p,p'-DDE (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.01	<0.01	0.216
	Terbutylazine-desethyl-2-hydroxy (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.01	<0.01	0.1
	Hydroxy-terbutylazine (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.01	<0.01	0.1
	Carbendazim (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.01	<0.01	0.1
	Propiconazole (mg/kg TS)	6%	<0.01	<0.01	0.1
	Terbutryn (mg/kg TS)	3%	<0.01	<0.01	0.1

**Table S3: Frequency of quantification (f<sub>quant</sub>), minimal, maximal and median concentrations for compounds quantified in at least one sample**

**IV. Correlation test results between quantified concentrations of each substance and the total number of substances quantified in each sample**

Substance	f <sub>censored</sub>	P-value	tau
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>12</sub> Aliphatics*	0.59	4.25E-07	0.542
C <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aliphatics*	0.47	2.07E-08	0.649
C <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>35</sub> Aliphatics*	0.03	5.16E-09	0.726
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aromatics	0.72	0.963	0.006
C <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>35</sub> Aromatics*	0.75	2.42E-05	0.373
Phen*	0.63	6.18E-07	0.520
Fluo*	0.50	1.01E-08	0.653
Pyr*	0.47	2.6E-09	0.690
BaA*	0.63	2.22E-07	0.540
Chry*	0.59	2.86E-07	0.550
BbF*	0.50	1.25E-08	0.649
BkF*	0.75	4.02E-05	0.363
BaP*	0.66	4.01E-07	0.512
BPer*	0.56	2.63E-08	0.611
IP*	0.69	5.76E-06	0.442
Formaldehyde*	0.03	0.00175	0.389
Acetaldehyde*	0.13	0.00398	0.357
BDE 99*	0.75	0.00278	0.359
PCB28*	0.72	0.00062	0.369
PCB52*	0.47	3.18E-09	0.685
PCB101*	0.25	5.37E-10	0.762
PCB118*	0.31	7.17E-09	0.704
PCB153*	0.25	7E-11	0.800
PCB138*	0.25	5.62E-11	0.804
PCB180*	0.28	9.11E-11	0.792
sum of 7 PCBs*	0.25	4.55E-11	0.808
PFOS*	0.56	5.9E-05	0.442
OP*	0.63	1.49E-05	0.500
NP*	0.63	3.87E-07	0.542
DBP*	0.69	0.00017	0.389
DEHP*	0.34	4.19E-09	0.710
DiDP*	0.72	0.00681	0.300
DiNP*	0.69	0.00406	0.329
Monobutyltin*	0.34	7.67E-09	0.698
Dibutyltin*	0.31	2.16E-09	0.728
Tributyltin*	0.56	0.000127	0.421
Monooctyltin*	0.53	2.94E-06	0.524
Diocetyl tin*	0.53	1.23E-07	0.593

**Table S4:** Results of the Kendall's tau test between censored substance concentrations, n=32. Significant correlations, considering  $\alpha=0.01$  are marked with a \*. The test was only computed for substances quantified in at least 8 of the 32 analyzed samples ( $f_{\text{cens}} \leq 75\%$  censored).



## V. Statistics addressing inter-site variability

Substance	$f_{\text{censored}}$	Inter-site factor of variation
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>12</sub> Aliphatics	0.60	14.6
C <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aliphatics	0.50	28.5
C <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>35</sub> Aliphatics	0.03	382
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aromatics	0.73	14.6
Phen	0.63	7.9
Fluo	0.50	15.0
Pyr	0.50	17.6
BaA	0.63	5.8
Chry	0.60	4.9
BbF	0.53	5.6
BaP	0.67	5.6
BPer	0.57	6.9
IP	0.70	4.1
Formaldehyde	0.03	22.1
Acetaldehyde	0.13	16.4
PCB28	0.73	22.0
PCB52	0.47	66.0
PCB101	0.27	200
PCB118	0.30	160
PCB153	0.27	240
PCB138	0.27	270
PCB180	0.30	250
PFOS	0.60	6.4
OP	0.63	52.9
NP	0.63	305
DBP	0.70	15.8
DEHP	0.37	660
DiDP	0.70	40.0
DiNP	0.67	172
Monobutyltin	0.37	231
Dibutyltin	0.33	781
Tributyltin	0.60	31.3
Monooctyltin	0.57	23.4
Diocetyl tin	0.57	40.7

**Table S5:** Summary of factors of variability within ponds for substances quantified in at least 25% of samples

Substance	$f_{\text{censored}}$	P-value (all)	P-value (IC-Res)	P-value (IC-Ro)	P-value (Res-Ro)
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>12</sub> Aliphatics	0.60	0.030	<b>0.0013</b>	0.91	<b>0.0013</b>
C <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aliphatics	0.50	0.12	<b>0.0071</b>	0.83	<b>0.0071</b>
C <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>35</sub> Aliphatics	0.03	0.042	<b>0.00080</b>	0.60	<b>0.00082</b>
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aromatics	0.73	0.018	1	<b>0.0047</b>	1
Phen	0.63	0.011	<b>0.0013</b>	0.18	<b>0.0013</b>
Fluo	0.50	0.041	<b>0.00082</b>	0.38	<b>0.00082</b>
Pyr	0.50	0.041	<b>0.00032</b>	0.35	<b>0.00032</b>
BaA	0.63	0.14	0.045	0.75	0.045
Chry	0.60	0.22	0.054	0.69	0.054
BbF	0.53	0.15	0.013	0.59	0.013
BaP	0.67	0.12	0.58	0.46	0.578515
BPer	0.57	0.049	<b>0.0026</b>	0.67	<b>0.0026</b>
IP	0.70	0.082	0.046	0.75	0.046
Formaldehyde	0.03	0.42	0.19	0.32	0.19
Acetaldehyde	0.13	0.48	0.80	0.48	0.80
PCB28	0.73	0.048	0.011	0.10	0.011
PCB52	0.47	0.054	<b>0.0071</b>	0.19	<b>0.0071</b>
PCB101	0.27	0.15	0.012	0.31	0.012
PCB118	0.30	0.12	<b>0.0038</b>	0.31	<b>0.0038</b>
PCB153	0.27	0.21	0.012	0.52	0.012
PCB138	0.27	0.29	0.026	0.63	0.026
PCB180	0.30	0.25	0.033	0.60	0.033
PFOS	0.60	0.48	0.19	0.63	0.19
OP	0.63	<b>0.0022</b>	<b>0.0094</b>	0.04	<b>0.0094</b>
NP	0.63	0.027	0.046	0.39	0.046
DBP	0.70	0.27	0.12	0.22	0.12
DEHP	0.37	0.11	<b>0.0069</b>	0.35	<b>0.0069</b>
DiDP	0.70	0.37	<b>0.0027</b>	0.76	<b>0.0027</b>
DiNP	0.67	0.037	<b>0.0076</b>	0.12	<b>0.0076</b>
Monobutyltin	0.37	0.013	<b>0.0018</b>	0.10	<b>0.0018</b>
Dibutyltin	0.33	0.081	<b>0.0035</b>	0.36	<b>0.0035</b>
Tributyltin	0.60	0.18	0.054	0.63	0.053592
Monooctyltin	0.57	0.039	<b>0.0045</b>	0.24	<b>0.0045</b>
Diocetyl tin	0.57	0.040	<b>0.0026</b>	0.76	<b>0.0026</b>

**Table S6:** Results of the Peto&Peto generalized Wilcoxon test for differences between substance concentrations observed in each city,  $n=32$ ,  $n_{IC}=18$ ,  $n_{Res}=9$ ,  $n_{Ro}=5$ . P-values for significant differences, considering  $\alpha=0.01$ , are in bold. The tests were only computed for substances for which  $f_{\text{censored}} < 75\%$ .

Substance	f <sub>censored</sub>	P-value (Catchment area)	P-value (Ratio facility to catchment)	P-value (Facility age)	P-value (Sediment age)	P-value (Imperviousness)
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>12</sub> Aliphatics	0.60	0.54	0.44	0.068	0.068	0.077
C <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aliphatics	0.50	0.70	0.36	0.11	0.25	0.16
C <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>35</sub> Aliphatics	0.03	1	0.41	0.011	0.044	0.073
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aromatics	0.73	0.81	0.73	0.84	0.84	0.86
Phen	0.63	0.22	0.85	0.13	0.22	0.19
Fluo	0.50	0.62	0.41	0.18	0.097	0.14
Pyr	0.50	0.64	0.46	0.24	0.085	0.23
BaA	0.63	0.73	0.49	0.21	0.063	0.25
Chry	0.60	0.93	0.34	0.31	0.071	0.22
BbF	0.53	0.83	0.40	0.22	0.057	0.20
BaP	0.67	0.81	0.38	0.27	<b>0.0078</b>	0.11
BPer	0.57	0.58	0.61	0.11	0.043	0.11
IP	0.70	0.94	0.59	0.096	<b>0.0053</b>	0.28
Formaldehyde	0.03	0.86	0.50	0.042	0.021	0.35
Acetaldehyde	0.13	0.76	0.79	0.081	<b>0.0013</b>	0.25
PCB28	0.73	0.84	0.51	0.65	0.53	0.59
PCB52	0.47	0.71	0.25	0.19	0.32	0.034
PCB101	0.27	0.51	0.05	0.058	0.58	0.33
PCB118	0.30	0.66	0.14	0.077	0.32	0.39
PCB153	0.27	0.51	0.05	0.045	0.49	0.25
PCB138	0.27	0.36	0.03	0.063	0.54	0.28
PCB180	0.30	0.36	0.04	0.044	0.38	0.21
PFOS	0.60	0.66	0.10	0.36	0.81	0.44
OP	0.63	0.18	0.98	0.22	0.25	0.077
NP	0.63	1	0.41	0.078	0.012	0.087
DBP	0.70	0.87	0.29	0.50	0.80	0.57
DEHP	0.37	0.87	0.07	0.077	0.75	0.12
DiDP	0.70	0.64	0.42	0.041	0.22	0.039
DiNP	0.67	0.84	0.61	0.10	0.12	0.045
Monobutyltin	0.37	0.45	0.64	0.027	0.12	0.13
Dibutyltin	0.33	0.75	0.30	0.014	0.11	0.21
Tributyltin	0.60	0.38	1	0.034	0.22	1
Monoctyltin	0.57	0.27	0.89	0.022	0.027	0.13
Diocetyl tin	0.57	0.50	0.87	0.12	0.072	0.064

**Table S7: Results of Kendall's tau test for correlation between censored concentrations and catchment and facility properties, n=30 for all except imperviousness for which n=21 P-values for significant correlations, considering  $\alpha=0.01$ , are in bold. The test was only computed for substances for which f<sub>censored</sub><75%.**

Substance	$f_{\text{censored}}$	P-value (all)	P-value (Or-Os)	P-value (Or-St)	P-value (Or-Va)	P-value (Os-St)	P-value (Os-Va)	P-value (St-Va)
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>12</sub> Aliphatics	0.60	<b>0.0027</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>0.0036</b>	<b>0.00053</b>	0.17	0.77	0.42
C <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aliphatics	0.50	<b>0.00030</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>0.0013</b>	<b>0.00021</b>	0.092	0.35	0.31
C <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>35</sub> Aliphatics	0.03	<b>1.6E-06</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>2.7E-06</b>	<b>4.6E-06</b>	0.041	0.77	0.062
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aromatics	0.73	0.90	1	1	1	0.58	0.65	0.48
Phen	0.63	0.018	0.014	<b>0.0036</b>	<b>0.00053</b>	0.77	1	0.89
Fluo	0.50	<b>0.0014</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>8.6E-05</b>	<b>0.00053</b>	0.92	0.42	0.75
Pyr	0.50	<b>0.00056</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>8.6E-05</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	0.69	0.42	0.68
BaA	0.63	<b>0.0095</b>	0.014	<b>0.0036</b>	<b>0.00053</b>	0.77	0.28	0.54
Chry	0.60	<b>0.0044</b>	0.014	<b>0.0012</b>	<b>0.00053</b>	0.46	0.28	0.48
BbF	0.53	<b>0.00059</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>0.00035</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	0.77	0.42	0.31
BaP	0.67	<b>0.0083</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	0.025	<b>0.00053</b>	0.28	0.42	0.36
BPer	0.57	<b>0.0027</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>0.0012</b>	<b>0.00053</b>	0.40	0.42	0.37
IP	0.70	<b>0.0054</b>	0.014	0.025	<b>0.00053</b>	0.91	0.28	0.12
Formaldehyde	0.03	<b>0.00024</b>	0.35	<b>0.0040</b>	<b>4.5E-05</b>	0.91	1	0.011
Acetaldehyde	0.13	<b>0.000018</b>	0.063	0.24	<b>2.3E-05</b>	0.46	0.88	<b>0.00040</b>
PCB28	0.73	0.014	1	<b>0.0012</b>	0.055	0.35	0.43	0.57
PCB52	0.47	<b>0.00062</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>1.7E-05</b>	<b>0.00053</b>	0.85	0.89	0.79
PCB101	0.27	<b>0.000087</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>2.7E-06</b>	<b>0.00010</b>	0.85	0.42	0.55
PCB118	0.30	<b>0.00037</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>6.0E-06</b>	<b>0.0013</b>	0.85	0.59	0.43
PCB153	0.27	<b>0.000026</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>3.0E-06</b>	<b>8.1E-06</b>	0.54	0.42	0.40
PCB138	0.27	<b>0.000025</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>4.0E-06</b>	<b>5.3E-06</b>	0.54	0.59	0.38
PCB180	0.30	<b>0.000015</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>2.7E-06</b>	<b>4.6E-06</b>	0.28	0.78	0.28
PFOS	0.60	<b>0.0052</b>	0.014	<b>0.0012</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	1	0.88	0.82
OP	0.63	<b>0.0099</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>0.0098</b>	<b>0.00053</b>	0.88	0.53	0.59
NP	0.63	<b>0.0011</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	0.025	<b>6.3E-05</b>	0.17	0.77	0.15
DBP	0.70	<b>0.0093</b>	1	<b>0.0012</b>	<b>0.0082</b>	0.19	0.27	0.77
DEHP	0.37	<b>6.2E-05</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>7.2E-06</b>	<b>4.6E-06</b>	0.85	0.89	0.75
DiDP	0.70	<b>0.0023</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>0.0027</b>	<b>0.0018</b>	0.18	0.92	0.32
DiNP	0.67	<b>0.0027</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>0.0024</b>	<b>0.0031</b>	0.18	0.81	0.44
Monobutyltin	0.37	<b>7.7E-05</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>3.1E-05</b>	<b>4.6E-06</b>	1	0.42	0.44
Dibutyltin	0.33	<b>7.2E-06</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>4.5E-06</b>	<b>4.6E-06</b>	0.85	0.42	0.093
Tributyltin	0.60	<b>0.0011</b>	0.46	0.065	<b>0.00056</b>	0.69	0.14	0.024
Monoocetyl tin	0.57	<b>0.00026</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>0.0036</b>	<b>4.6E-06</b>	0.27	0.55	0.17
Diocetyl tin	0.57	<b>3.3E-11</b>	<b>6.3E-05</b>	<b>0.0036</b>	<b>4.6E-06</b>	<b>0.00013</b>	<b>0.0023</b>	0.49

**Table S8:** Results of the Peto&Peto generalized Wilcoxon test for differences between substance concentrations observed in each city,  $n=32$ ,  $n_{Os}=2$ ,  $n_{Or}=12$ ,  $n_{St}=11$ ,  $n_{Va}=7$ . P-values for significant differences, considering  $\alpha=0.01$ , are in bold. The tests were only computed for substances for which  $f_{\text{censored}} < 75\%$ .

## VI. Statistics comparing inlet and outlet concentrations

Substance	f <sub>censored</sub>	P-value	tau
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>12</sub> Aliphatics*	0.60	0.0052	0.381
C <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aliphatics*	0.50	0.0097	0.419
C <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>35</sub> Aliphatics*	0.03	0.00063	0.667
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aromatics	0.73	1	-0.010
Phen	0.63	0.018	0.305
Fluo*	0.50	0.00093	0.533
Pyr*	0.50	0.00076	0.543
BaA	0.63	0.016	0.295
Chry	0.60	0.015	0.333
BbF	0.53	0.011	0.390
BaP*	0.67	0.00023	0.419
BPer*	0.57	0.0032	0.419
IP	0.70	0.015	0.257
Formaldehyde	0.03	0.164	0.276
Acetaldehyde	0.13	0.0198	0.448
PCB28	0.73	0.047	0.276
PCB52*	0.47	0.0021	0.514
PCB101*	0.27	0.00025	0.695
PCB118*	0.30	0.00066	0.638
PCB153*	0.27	4.6E-05	0.771
PCB138*	0.27	5.6E-05	0.762
PCB180*	0.30	0.00020	0.695
PFOS*	0.60	0.0061	0.448
OP*	0.63	0.0014	0.438
NP	0.63	0.014	0.305
DBP*	0.70	0.00023	0.667
DEHP	0.37	0.042	0.305
DiDP	0.70	0.043	0.314
DiNP*	0.67	0.00035	0.648
Monobutyltin*	0.37	0.00055	0.638
Dibutyltin*	0.33	0.0065	0.371
Tributyltin*	0.60	0.0098	0.381
Monooctyltin*	0.57	1.2E-05	0.638
Diocetyl tin*	0.57	0.0061	0.448

**Table S9:** Results of the Kendall's tau test for correlation between censored inlet and outlet substance concentrations, n=15 paired inlet-outlet concentrations. Significant correlations considering  $\alpha=0.01$  are marked with a \*. The test was only computed for substances for which  $f_{\text{censored}} < 75\%$ .

Substance	$f_{\text{censored}}$	Median factor of variation between inlet-outlet samples	Minimum factor of variation between inlet-outlet samples	Maximum factor of variation between inlet-outlet samples
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>12</sub> Aliphatics	0.60	1.0	1.0	14.6
C <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aliphatics	0.50	1.0	1.2	21.7
C <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>35</sub> Aliphatics	0.03	1.1	1.4	17.4
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aromatics	0.73	1.0	1.0	5.7
Phen	0.63	1.0	1.0	4.3
Fluo	0.50	1.0	1.1	8.1
Pyr	0.50	1.0	1.0	11.5
BaA	0.63	1.0	1.0	3.1
Chry	0.60	1.0	1.1	2.8
BbF	0.53	1.0	1.1	7.7
BaP	0.67	1.0	1.0	3.9
BPer	0.57	1.0	1.1	6.2
IP	0.70	1.0	1.0	4.1
Formaldehyde	0.03	1.0	2.0	14.5
Acetaldehyde	0.13	1.0	1.5	5.2
PCB28	0.73	1.0	1.0	10.0
PCB52	0.47	1.0	1.1	9.6
PCB101	0.27	1.0	1.3	21.9
PCB118	0.30	1.0	1.1	17.0
PCB153	0.27	1.0	1.2	21.7
PCB138	0.27	1.0	1.2	22.4
PCB180	0.30	1.0	1.1	25.5
PFOS	0.60	1.0	1.0	4.1
OP	0.63	1.0	1.0	11.9
NP	0.63	1.0	1.0	59.7
DBP	0.70	1.0	1.0	4.0
DEHP	0.37	1.0	1.3	27.9
DiDP	0.70	1.0	1.1	6.0
DiNP	0.67	1.0	1.5	39.1
Monobutyltin	0.37	1.0	1.7	15.1
Dibutyltin	0.33	1.0	1.8	35.0
Tributyltin	0.60	1.0	1.1	13.4
Monooctyltin	0.57	1.0	1.1	15.5
Diocetyl tin	0.57	1.0	1.0	3.9

**Table S10:** Summary of factors of variability within ponds for substances quantified in at least 25% of samples

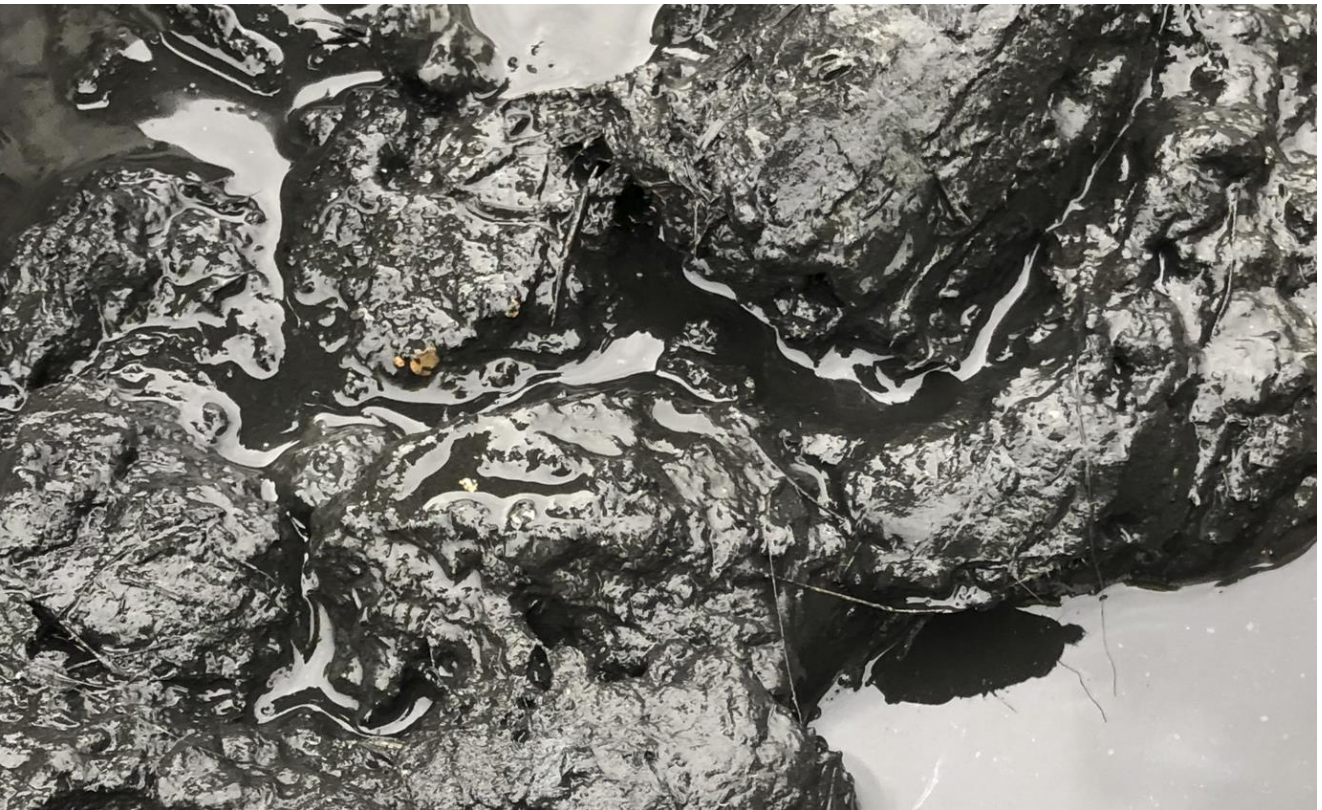
Substance	f <sub>censored</sub>	P-value
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>12</sub> Aliphatics	0.60	0.390
C <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aliphatics	0.50	0.990
C <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>35</sub> Aliphatics	0.03	0.858
C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>16</sub> Aromatics	0.73	0.410
Phen	0.63	0.569
Fluo	0.50	0.638
Pyr	0.50	0.661
BaA	0.63	0.293
Chry	0.60	0.461
BbF	0.53	0.506
BaP	0.67	0.456
BPer	0.57	0.289
IP	0.70	0.661
Formaldehyde	0.03	0.749
Acetaldehyde	0.13	0.608
PCB28	0.73	0.903
PCB52	0.47	0.813
PCB101	0.27	0.981
PCB118	0.30	0.780
PCB153	0.27	0.875
PCB138	0.27	0.931
PCB180	0.30	0.795
PFOS	0.60	0.322
OP	0.63	0.743
NP	0.63	0.842
DBP	0.70	0.767
DEHP	0.37	0.599
DiDP	0.70	0.756
DiNP	0.67	0.544
Monobutyltin	0.37	0.811
Dibutyltin	0.33	0.892
Tributyltin	0.60	0.609
Monooctyltin	0.57	0.813
Diocyltin	0.57	0.752

**Table S11:** Results of the paired Peto&Peto generalized Wilcoxon test for differences between censored inlet and outlet substance concentrations, n=15 pairs. Significant correlations, considering  $\alpha=0.01$  are marked with a \*. The test was only computed for substances for which f<sub>censored</sub><75%.

**VII. Photographs of different types of sediments**



**Figure S1a.** Grey, clay sediments collected from pond Or-2



**Figure S1b.** Loose, black sediments collected from pond S-1.



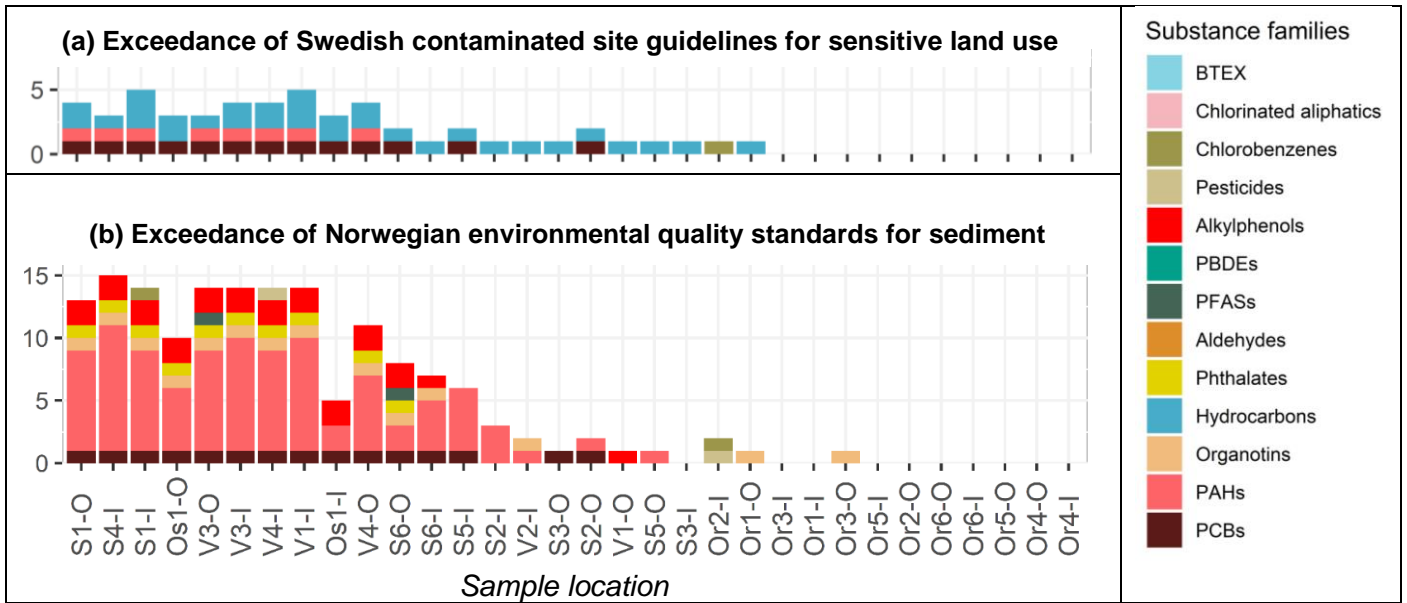


**Figure S3c.** Peat-like sediment collected from pond S-3



**Figure S1d.** Sandy sediment collected from pond S-5

### VIII. Regulatory limits exceeded by each sample



**Figure S2a.** Total number of quantified substances exceeding Swedish contaminated site guidelines for sensitive land use,<sup>50</sup> and **Figure S2b.** total number of quantified substances exceeding Norwegian environmental quality standards for sediment<sup>51</sup>



## IX. Ratios of observed concentrations to regulatory limits

Note: The following graphs present the ratios of substance concentrations quantified in the stormwater sediments to corresponding environmental standards. Substances below the limit of quantification are not included in this graph. The two standard systems (Swedish contaminated site guidelines and Norwegian environmental quality standards for sediment) do not apply to the same lists of substances; in some cases, standards apply to several substances within a family.

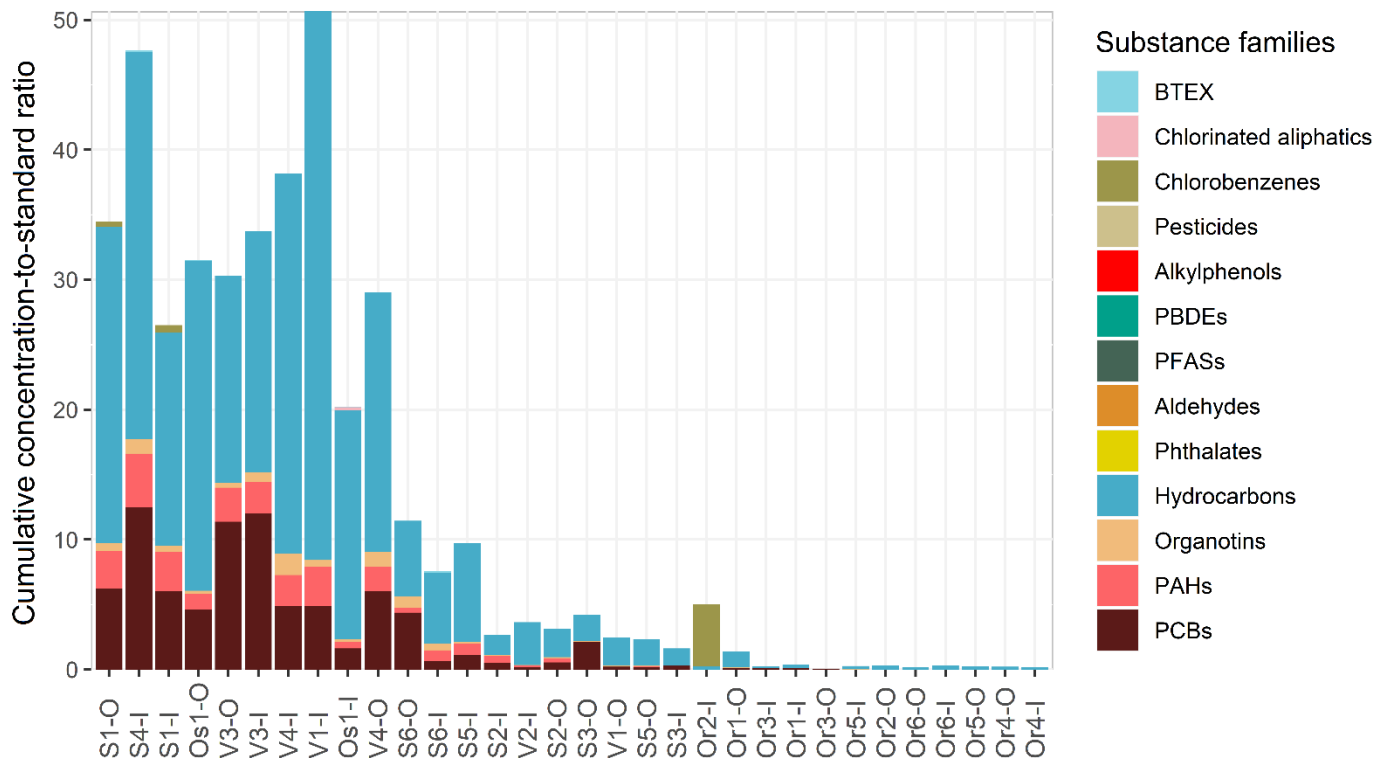
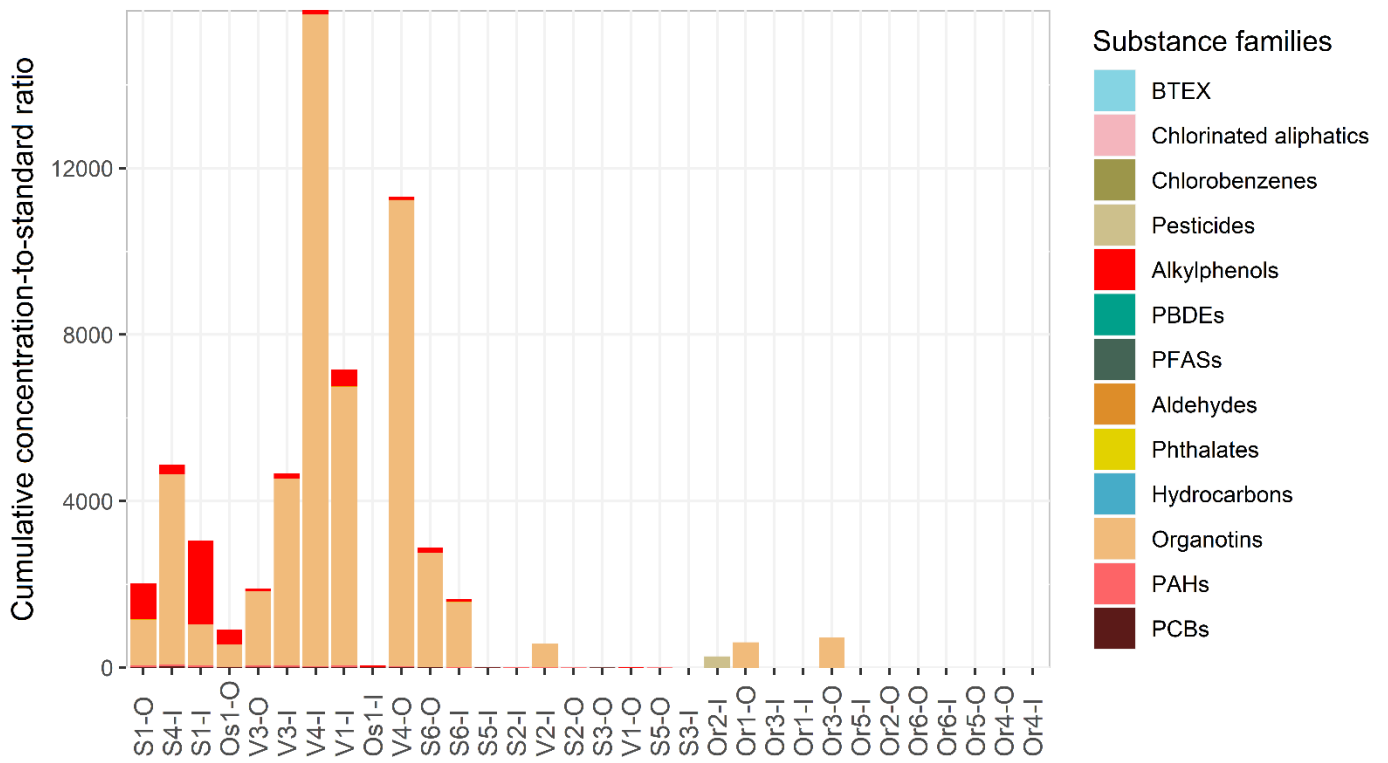
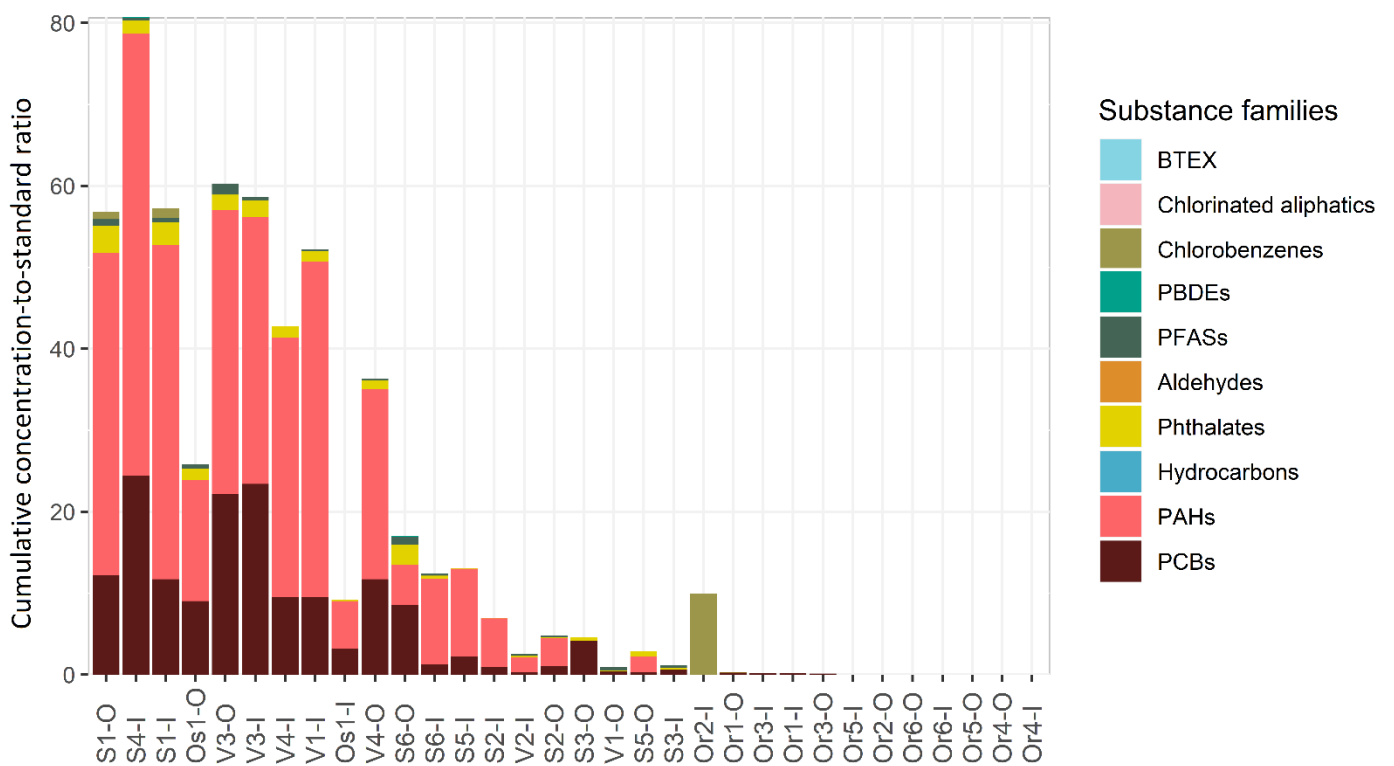


Figure S3a. Sum of ratios of quantified substance concentrations to Swedish contaminated site guidelines for sensitive land use,<sup>46</sup> sorted by substance family.



**Figure S3b.** Sum of ratios of quantified substance concentrations to Norwegian environmental quality standards for sediment<sup>47</sup> sorted by substance family.



**Figure S3c.** Sum of ratios of quantified substance concentrations to Norwegian environmental quality standards for sediment<sup>47</sup> sorted by substance family, excluding organotins, alkylphenols and pesticides