



## **Algoflora of River “Drino” During Summer Season in Gjirokastër (Albania)**

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**Abstract:** Distribution of algoflora in various localities of the river valley of Drino and factors determining them were revealed. The using of algae as an indicator of the ecological state of river ecosystems is analyzed. The determined taxa of the Drino river 149 species of algae, belonging to 5 divisions, were found. By their abundance the algae from the divisions Bacillariophyta and Cyanophyta predominated in all areas of the longitudinal profile of the river and by their relative occurrence. Bacillariophyta 92 taxa (61.74%), Cyanophyta 26 taxa (17.44%), Chlorophyta 16 taxa (10.73%), Euglenophyta 12 taxa (8.05) and Xanthophyta 3 taxa (2.01%).

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