### THE POLLUTION OF BRAZILIAN URBAN RIVERS, A STUDY ABOUT BOMBAS RIVER, JOAO PESSOA/PARAÍBA-BRAZIL.

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- According to U.S. Geological Survey's over 96% of our water resources are saline, from Oceans, Seas, & Bays.
- The other 4% are from Ice caps, glaciers, permanet snow, grandwater, lakes, rivers, and others.
- Less than 1% are available for comsuption.



https://www.estudokids.com.br/diferenca-entre-mar-e-oceano/

World Water Assessment
 Programme (WWAP) said the
 Over 80% of the world's
 wastewater – and over 95% in
 some least developed countries
 – is released to the environment
 without treatment.



http://www.convertech.com/dont-drink-the-water-without-treatment/

According to the latest census of the Brazilian Institute of Geography and **Statistics** (IBGE, 2010), the urban population of Brazil is about people, 160 million corresponding to 84.4% of the total population. 42.6% of domestic sewage is collected and only 30.5% receives some treatment.



http://noticias.r7.com/sao-paulo/fotos/sabesp-tem-programacao-especial-para-dia-mundial-da-agua-20120320-5.html

Together with the problematic of wastewater we have another kind of problems such as: poor management of solid waste, stormwater networks irregularities, lack of supervision by the Brazilian Public Power among other factors, which pose environmental and health risks.



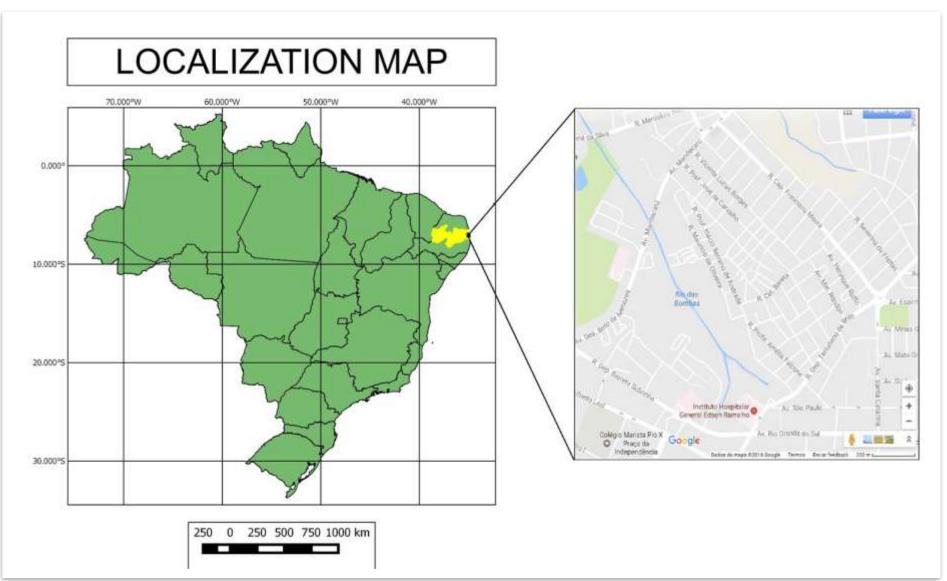
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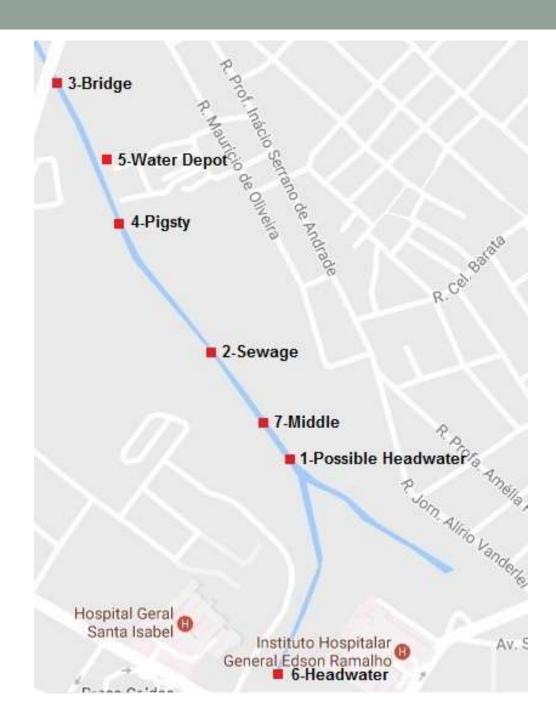
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- Tietê River São Paulo
- Tamanduateí River –
  São Paulo
- Paraíba do Sul River -

Minas Gerais, São Paulo and Rio de Janeiro.

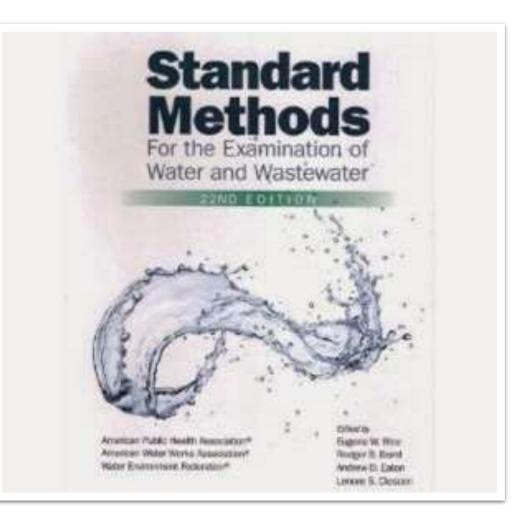
## **Bombas River Localization**



# Collecting points

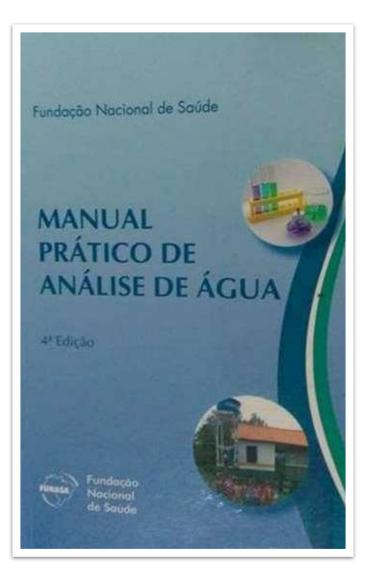


 The method used for the analysis was the Multiple Tubes
 Technique according to Standard Methods
 for the Examination of
 Water and
 Wastewater



To determine the amount of coliforms the table of values of the Practical Handbook of Water Analysis provided by Health FUNASA (National Foundation) was used, it has a reliability limit of 95% where its values can vary between 0 and 1600 MPN (Most Probable Number).

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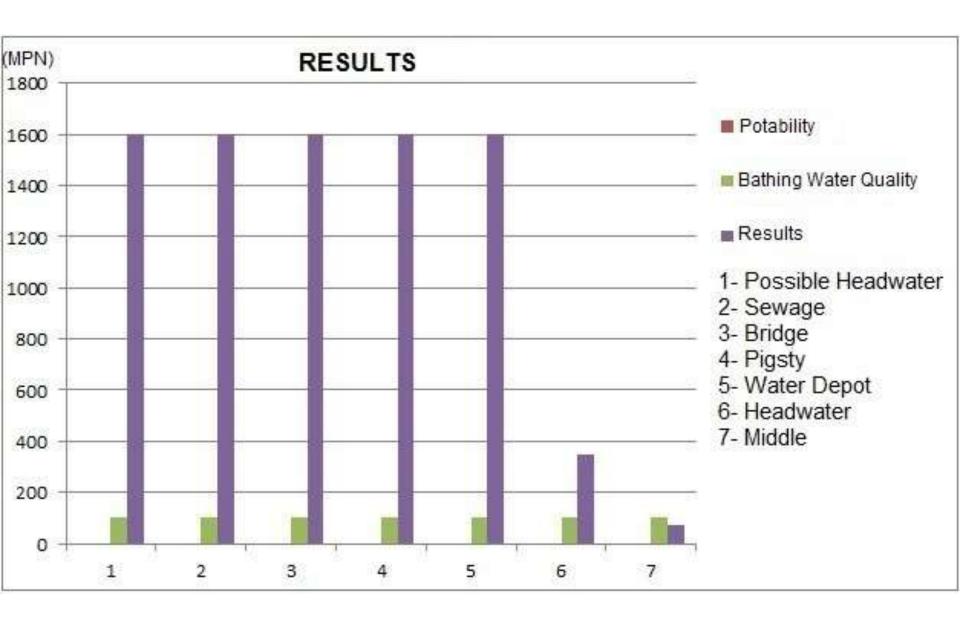
 According to the Decree-Law number Ordinance No. 2,914 of December 12, 2011 of the Ministry of Health that legislates on the issue of potability in Brazil. CONAMA Resolution
 No. 274 of November
 29, 2000 for Bathing.

#### Collecting Samples (3 – Bridge)



1 - Possible Headwater





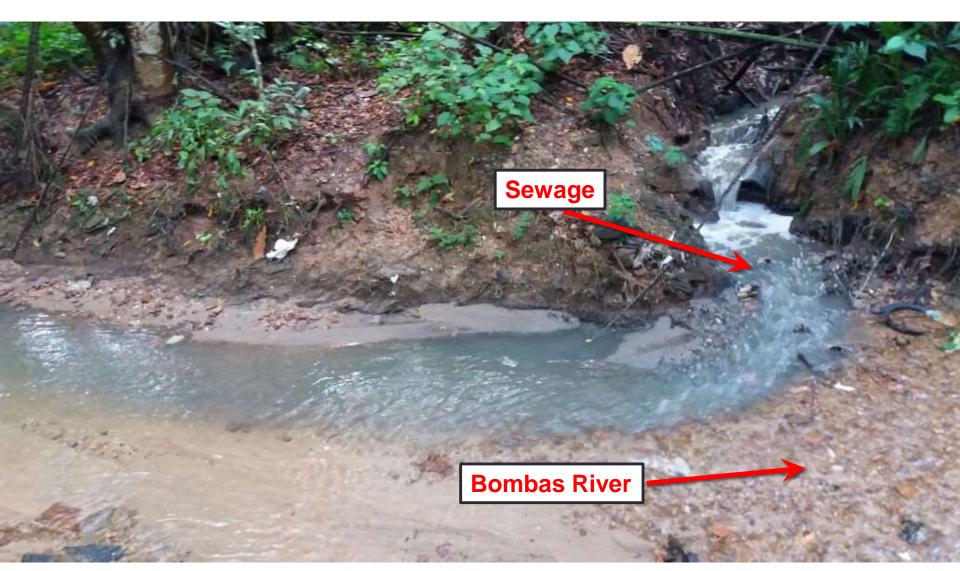


Sewage goes through the Lauro Pires
 Xavier Park until it finds the Bombas
 River.

Other side of broken sewer pipe



• The meeting between the wastewater from the broken sewage network with Bombas River.







#### **Tietê River**



http://ultimosegundo.ig.com.br/brasil/sp/2015-06-23/espuma-depoluicao-do-rio-tiete-invade-cidade-na-grande-sao-paulo-vejafotos.html



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#### Paraíba do Sul River



https://blogdopedlowski.com/2014/06/05/ururau-informa-policiamilitar-realiza-prisoes-por-causa-de-lancamento-de-esgoto-no-rioparaiba-do-sul/

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#### **Tamanduateí River**



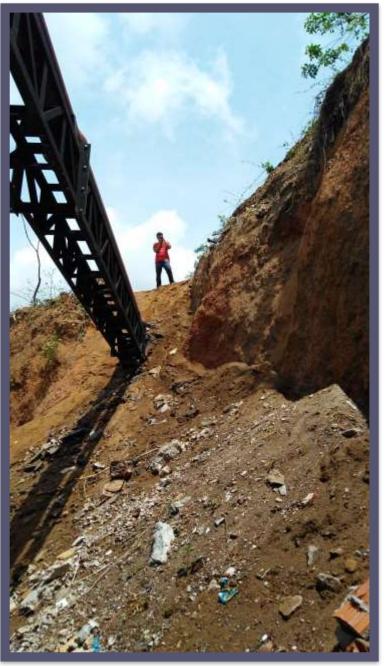
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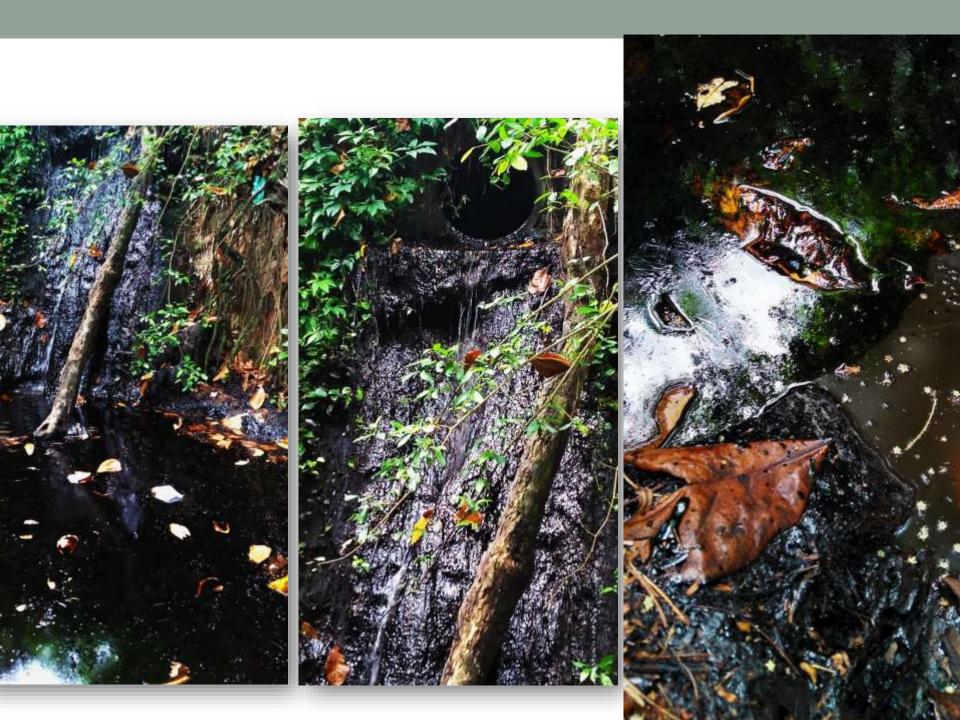
- The release of pollution in urban river by humans, may cause problems in the environment, such as the morphological change of rivers, death of special animals and plants in general (Santos, 2004)
- In addition to the damages caused to the environment the pollution of rivers can cause numerous diseases in humans, some of them if not taken properly care in time can be lethal, such as: GASTROENTERITIS, PARATYPHOIDS FEVER, INFECTIOUS HEPATITIS, LEPTOSPIROSIS and others.

 Urgent measures have to be taken so that it can still be possible to save urban rivers, which can bring us so much, both in relation to water availability and in aspects of quality of life. World's population is increasing and instead of taking care of these water sources we are going to the opposite way.



## Actions





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Apps 😡 Compre os melhores



Denúncia: Rio das Bombas está sendo poluído, em João Pessoa





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