#### **Core topics**

# **Riverine communities** (Biocenosis) Prokaryotes Protozoa Meiofauna Macroinvertebrates Body size (M)

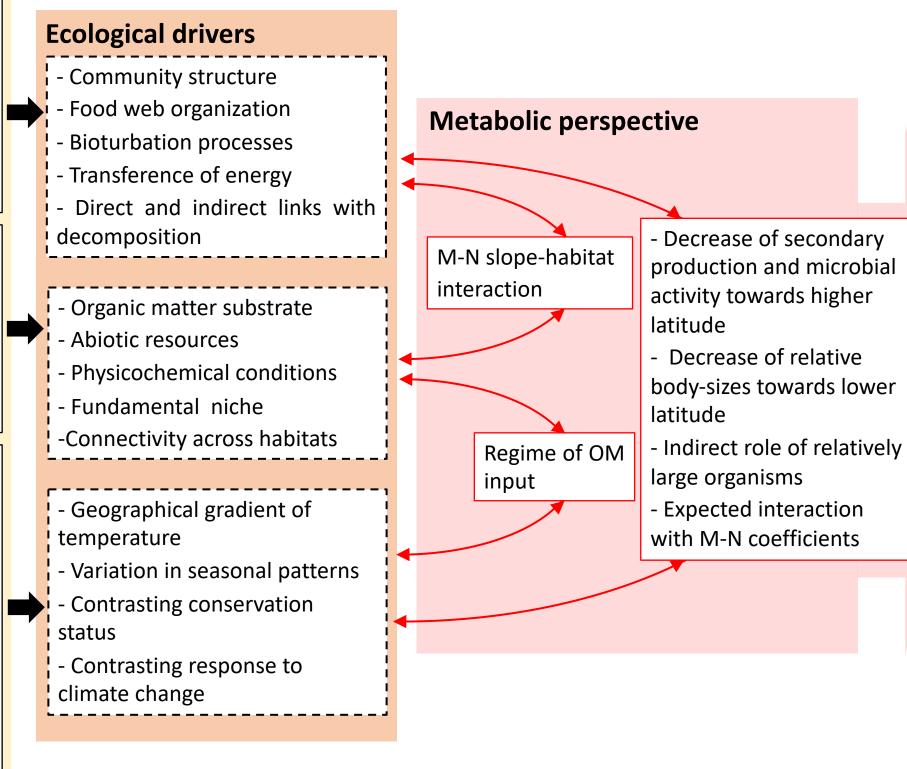
### Habitat (Biotope)

- Pelagic system
- Streambed
- Groundwater systems
- Aquatic-terrestrial ecotones

## **Geographic variance** along latitude

- Contrasting environmental drivers of system functioning
- Lack of knowledge toward tropics

- Potential research lines for future multi-directional transfer of interdisciplinary knowledge



### **Riverine bioreactor**

- Performance
- Size
- Connectivity
- Ecological importance
- Scientific interest