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Aquatic Environmental Science

9. Carbon and nutrient dynamics

Outline (21 June 2010)

- 1. Lecture schedule: Report and presentation
- 2. What is mole?
- 3. Nutrients and essential elements
- 4. Carbon dynamics in aquatic ecosystems
 - River continuum concept
 - Organic matter budget
 - Leaf processing
 - Organic matter sources
- 5. Nutrient and phosphorus dynamics in aquatic ecosystems
 - Nitrogen metabolism
 - Nitrification, denitrification, anammox
- 6. Lake ecosystems
 - Typical characteristics
 - Thermal stratification
 - Eutrophication
 - Vollenweider model
- 7. Exercise