

Supplementary Material

Effects of mine tailings on aquatic macroinvertebrate structure within the first year after a major dam collapse

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Table S1. Geographic coordinates of the sampled sites in the Paraopeba River.

Distance from Ferro-Carvão (km)	Latitude (DD)	Longitude (DD)
-23.58	-20.2462	-44.1365
-16.7	-20.2332	-44.1323
-12.25	-20.2138	-44.1215
-10.42	-20.2006	-44.1239
-4.26	-20.1769	-44.1494
4.03	-20.1443	-44.1905
16.25	-20.0836	-44.2073
37.74	-20.0061	-44.2597
99.95	-19.7266	-44.463
185.8	-19.3552	-44.5342
250.62	-19.1208	-44.7036



Fig. S1. Sampled microhabitats in the Paraopeba River. (A) sediment rich in organic matter; (B) sand; (C) mine tailings; (D, E, F) marginal vegetation; (G) boulder and cobble; (H) gravel.

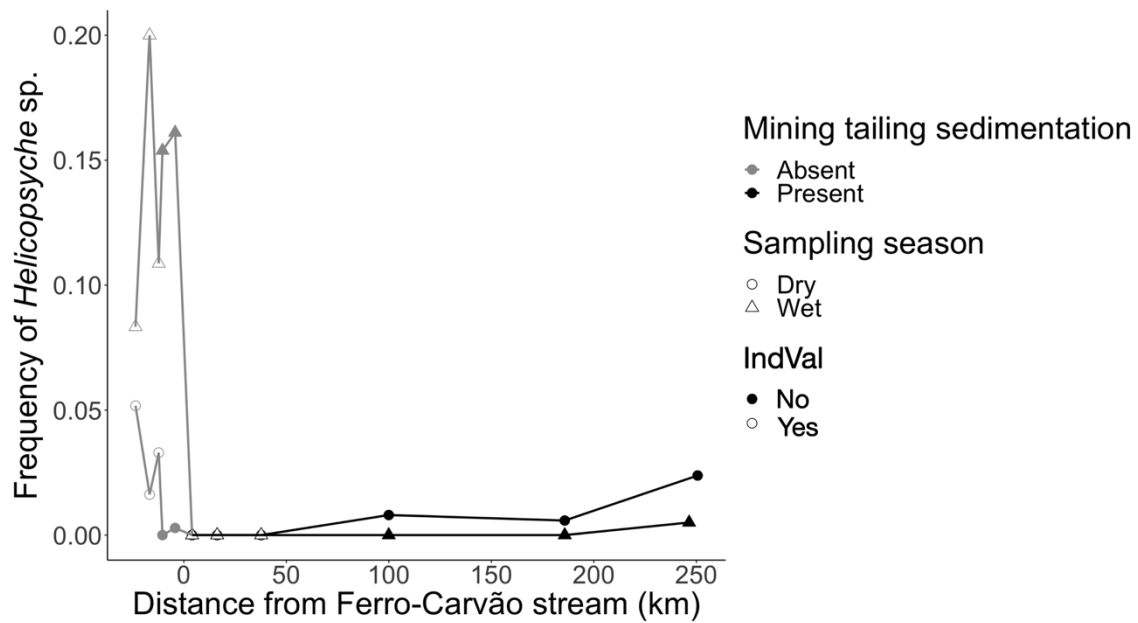


Fig. S2. Frequency of *Helicopsyche* spp. individuals in the aquatic macroinvertebrate assemblages collected along the Paraopeba river in the dry and wet seasons. The distance from the Ferro-Carvão stream equals zero in its confluence with the Paraopeba river.

Sampling season	Wet											Dry											
Distance from Ferro-Carvão	-23.58	-16.7	-12.25	-10.42	-4.26	4.03	16.25	37.74	99.95	185.8	250.62	-23.58	-16.7	-12.25	-10.42	-4.26	4.03	16.25	37.74	99.95	185.8	250.62	
Corydalus_sp	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ambrysus_sp	0	0	0	13	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Limnocoris_sp	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0
Pelocoris_sp	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Belostomatidae	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	9	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	1
Belostoma_sp	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hebridae	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gerridae	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
Neogerris_sp	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brachymetra_sp	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	55	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	3	0	0
Brachymetra_albinervis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cylindrostethus_sp	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tachygerris_sp	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Trepobates_sp	0	9	0	7	11	1	0	1	0	0	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stridulivelia_sp	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Corixidae	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Tenagobia_sp	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0
Notonectidae	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Martarega_sp	0	5	0	5	1	0	0	2	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
Ranatra_sp	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Veliidae	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0
Rhagovelia_sp	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	7	32	0	59	1	9	0	0	8	0	0
Pyrilidae	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	5	1	1	0	0	0	6	0
Dryopidae	0	0	2	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Dysticidae	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Heterelmis_sp	0	0	1	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
Macrelmis_sp	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	4	13	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	9	0
Microcyloepus_sp	1	0	0	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Neelmis_sp	0	1	0	5	35	0	1	2	0	20	82	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	26	17	0	0
Phanocerus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Elmidae_sp1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Elmidae_sp2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Gyrinidae	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Haliplidae	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Hydrophilidae	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	55	0	0
Lampyridae	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Torrindiculidae	3	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lutrochidae	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Staphylinidae	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coleoptera_NI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Culicoides_sp	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	6	3	4	0	0	9	7	1	12	5	0
Dasyhelea_sp	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Atrichopogon_sp	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chironominae	1	2	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	4	0	144	109	93	5	75	7	108	877	92	559	384	0
Stenochironomus_sp	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	2	0	2	4	6	2	12	0
Orthoclaadiinae	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	192	48	97	0	37	5	71	32	23	87	52	0
Tanypodinae	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	8	6	5	7	1	10	126	3	28	33	0
Tipulidae	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42	2	3	3	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Empididae	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	1	14	0	0	0	2	0	0	58	3	0
Simuliidae	2	0	2	2	2	0	15	0	0	1	0	12	17	136	0	59	0	44	0	0	1	5	0
Stratiomyidae	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Taxonomic richness	12	15	15	26	28	3	15	15	9	14	18	40	29	38	20	38	17	28	18	23	30	36	0
Abundance of individuals	48	45	46	117	149	5	54	33	10	48	198	734	308	576	63	351	42	408	1083	249	1029	797	0

Table S3. Result of the Indicator Value (IndVal) analysis, highlighting the value of IndVal index for each taxon in the upstream and downstream sites' groups and their associated *P*-value

Sampling season Distance from Ferro-Carvão	IndVal		
	Upstream	Downstream	<i>P</i>
Corbicula_fluminea	0.50	0.00	0.189
Bivalvia_NI	0.17	0.00	1.000
Physa_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Oligochaeta	0.22	0.06	0.722
Hydracarina	0.33	0.00	0.449
Progomphus_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Cyanogomphus_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Phyllogomphoides_sp	0.08	0.08	1.000
Epigomphus_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Aphylla_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Macrothemis_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Brechmorhoga_sp	0.33	0.00	0.462
Cloeodes_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Camelobaetidius_sp	0.28	0.03	0.743
Leentvaaria_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Leptohyphes_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Paramaka_sp	0.08	0.08	1.000
Traverhyphes_sp	0.60	0.07	0.514
Tricorythodes_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Atanotia_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Leptophlebiidae	0.17	0.00	1.000
Anacroneuria_sp	0.33	0.00	0.486
Paragripopteryx_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Atopsyche_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Grumicha_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Helichopsyche_sp	1.00	0.00	0.004
Leptonema_sp	0.08	0.08	1.000
Hydroptila_sp	0.28	0.03	0.420
Oecetis_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Limnephilidae	0.17	0.00	1.000
Limnocoris_sp	0.67	0.00	0.067
Belostomatidae	0.23	0.10	0.893
Brachymetra_sp	0.33	0.00	0.454
Trepobates_sp	0.14	0.06	1.000
Corixidae	0.10	0.07	1.000
Notonectidae	0.11	0.06	1.000
Martarega_sp	0.12	0.05	1.000
Rhagovelia_sp	0.42	0.05	0.336
Dryopidae	0.50	0.00	0.168
Dysticidae	0.33	0.00	0.429
Heterelmis_sp	0.44	0.02	0.279
Macrelmis_sp	0.64	0.01	0.108
Microcyloepus_sp	0.53	0.03	0.157
Neelmis_sp	0.36	0.09	0.654
Phanocerus	0.17	0.00	1.000
Elmidae_sp1	0.17	0.00	1.000
Gyrinidae	0.26	0.08	0.867
Torrindiculidae	0.13	0.04	1.000
Lutrochidae	0.44	0.02	0.188
Coleoptera_NI	0.17	0.00	1.000
Atrichopogon_sp	0.17	0.00	1.000
Tipulidae	0.67	0.00	0.066
Empididae	0.48	0.01	0.320
Simulidae	0.62	0.09	0.193