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ICHTHYOFAUNA OF THE NAREW RIVER DRAINAGE BASIN. PART III. THE SUPRAŚL RIVER AND OTHER RIVERS OF THE BIAŁOSTOCKA UPLAND

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ABSTRACT

In the rivers of the Białystok Upland, flowing across forested moraine hillocks (the Narew River drainage basin), 24 fish and 1 lamprey species were identified. In natural or in only regulated (i.e. not affected by other stresses) rivers of the area a successful introduction of rainbow trout was recorded, and the introduction was particularly good where autochthonous minnow and bullhead occurred.

The Supraśl, the largest and also the most strongly regulated and medially or strongly polluted river has a severely qualitatively and quantitatively limited ichthyofauna. It is already lacking in virtually all species important for angling, except roach. A similar situation was also recorded in several other streams, either along their whole lengths or only in their sections.