

Table 1

Plant species	Part used	Feasibility and Industrial uses	References
Eichhornia crassipes	Leaves	This plant might be utilized as an efficient, economical and ecological alternative to accelerate the removal and degradation of agro-industrial wastewater polluted with ethion.	[1]
Eichhornia crassipes	roots	Determine the concentration of toxic elements present in surface water such as cadmium (Cd), chromium (Cr), copper (Cu), manganese (Mn), nickel (Ni), lead (Pb), uranium (U), and zinc (Zn).	[5-2]
water hyacinth	Both live plants and dried straw	Applied to a sequential treatment of swine wastewater for nitrogen and phosphorus reduction. So it is an economically feasible means to apply water hyacinth phosphorus straw for the swine wastewater treatment.	[7-6]
water hyacinth	Roots	the possibility of using the thiol group content to assess the bioconcentration of heavy metal ions in water hyacinth and as a general parameter for monitoring the heavy metal pollution of water	[9-8]
Eichhornia crassipes	Roots and leaves	This species is suitable for phytoremediation of waters subject to	[12-10]

		discharge of mixed industrial effluents containing elevated Cu concentrations (≥ 15 mg Cu/L), as well as nutrient-rich domestic wastewaters	
Eichhornia crassipes (Mart).	leaves and roots	potentially useful for phytoremediation programmes in environments contaminated by arsenic (As), and to produce of biogas.	[13, 14]
water hyacinth	Whole plant	was effective for purifying wastewater from an intensive duck farm during the water hyacinth growing season, as harvested water hyacinth had an excellent performance as duck feed and The eggshell thickness and strength were among the egg qualities significantly increased in ducks fed with water hyacinth	[15]
E. crassipes	Roots and leaves	Remove Copper (Cu) pollution in aquaculture ponds poses substantial ecological threats . remediate Cu by phytoextraction with an aquatic macrophyte, Eichhornia crassipes, and establish the efficacy of such endeavors by Clarias batrachus bioassay	[16]
water hyacinth	Whole plant	biogas production, recover bioenergy from anaerobic digestion of water hyacinth (WH)	[17]

		and from its co-digestion with fruit and vegetable waste (FVW) nitrogen can be recovered in the liquid effluent with a potential for use as a liquid fertilizer.	
Eichhornia crassipes	long-root	reclaimed as a multi-functional activated carbon (MFAC) to remove fluoroquinolones (FQs) from contaminated water	[18]
Eichhornia crassipes	Roots and leaves	water hyacinth in serving as an efficient and reliable accumulator for heavy metals.	[19, 20]
Eichhornia crassipes	Roots	Metal(arsenic (As), gold (Au), copper (Cu), iron (Fe), mercury (Hg), manganese (Mn), uranium (U), and zinc (Zn)) removal by absorption and adsorption within or on the external root surfaces	[21-25]
Eichhornia crassipes	macrophytes	promising technology with higher efficiency and no energy consumption to treat textile effluents rich in COD, BOD, dyes, and heavy metals (Pb, Fe, Cd, Cu)by Phytoremediation	[26]
Eichhornia crassipes		promising candidate for fuel ethanol production in tropical countries because of their high availability and high biomass yield	[27-29]

Eichhornia crassipes		enhance the removal of pollutants through their consumption as nutrients by devoid rhizospheric bacteria, to reduce naphthalene (a polyaromatic hydrocarbon) present in wastewater and wetlands.	[30]
Eichhornia crassipes		attractive technology in dealing with this dangerous pollutant. Cyanide BF blow down water could possibly be removed by the water hyacinth because of its high biomass production, and tolerance to cyanide (CN)	[31]
Eichhornia crassipes	stem biochar	remove of Cd(2+) from aqueous solution	[32]
Eichhornia crassipes	Leaves	can be used as an immunostimulant for prawn through dietary administration to enhance immune responses and resistance of M. rosenbergii against L. garvieae.	[33]
Eichhornia crassipes	root powder of long-root	Used as a biosorbent to remove aqueous sulfachloropyridazine (SCP) and other sulfonamides.	[34]
Eichhornia crassipes		exhibited antibacterial activities against both the gram positive bacteria; Bacillus subtilis and Streptococcus faecalis; and the gram negative bacteria; Escherichia coli and Staphylococcus aureus.	[35, 36]

		Growth of <i>Aspergillus flavus</i> and <i>Aspergillus niger</i> were not inhibited by either <i>E. crassipes</i> crude extract nor its five fractions. In contrast, <i>Candida albicans</i> (yeast) was inhibited by all.
<i>Eichhornia crassipes</i>		be feasible for the removal of different pollutants of paper mill effluent, responsible for the eutrophication of the aquatic resources. [37]
<i>Eichhornia crassipes</i>		Alternative fuel source by converting water hyacinth (<i>Eichhornia crassipes</i>) charcoal into briquettes with molasses as binder. [38]
<i>E. crassipes</i>	leaves	Application in ethnomedicine, particularly as drugs preparation against staphylococcal infections due to the biopotency of these plants against pathogenic MRSA present in cattle, and SOSA as well as CoNS bacteria present in rabbits, which could be a serious issue for livestock. [39]
<i>Eichhornia crassipes</i>		as cellulose source and polyvinyl alcohol directly as cross-linker via a facile and environment-friendly process, exhibited excellent oil/solvent sorption capacities, super-hydrophobicity as well as remarkable [40]

	reusability	
Eichhornia crassipes	an excellent bioindicator of water polluted by worrying organic pollutants such as endocrine disruptors and neonicotinoids so it is new perspectives for the remediation of water polluted by alarming organic pollutants.	[41]
Eichhornia crassipes	is a promising biosorbent for the removal of uranium pollutants.	[42]
E. crassipes	could be useful in treating cyanide effluents from small-scale gold mines.	[43]
duckweed	suitable for the uptake of most heavy metals.	[44-46]
water hyacinth, Canna x generalis, Lemna minor, Cyperus alternifolius	showed promising results for the application in the treatment of Cd-polluted waters given its ability to tolerate high Cd concentrations in the media (up to 10 mg Cd/L) and its capacity for uptake and accumulation.	[44, 47, 48]
Eichhornia crassipes straw	as adsorbents for heavy metals by CS(2) sulfonation and magnesium substitution after degumming with alkali, self-isolated A(1) strain and pectase, respectively. the two bio-degumming treatments, especially the pectase degumming treatment, are more	[49]

		beneficial to prepare heavy metal adsorbents than the alkali degumming treatment.	
Eichhornia crassipes	dried roots	the biomass could remove 54% of the initial uranium present within 4 min of contact time	[50]
Eichhornia crassipes, Hydrilla verticillata		provide an alternative solution for the removal of co-contamination between antibiotics and heavy metals from livestock and poultry wastewater	[51, 52]
Eichhornia crassipes	macrophyte	as an organic fertilizer of Colossoma macropomum (tambaqui) larvae in ponds is provided. It is quite cheap and easily available, it may be conveniently used to enhance fish yield in ponds.	[53]
Eichhornia crassipes	dried roots, stems, and leaves	an effective and inexpensive biomaterial for dye removal from aqueous dye solutions and industrial effluents	[54]
Typha angustifolia and Eichhornia crassipes		as a potential alternative energy source since species is available extensively in freshwater, marine, and aquatic ecosystems throughout the world	[55, 56]
Portulaca oleraceae		used for salinity reduction in the natural conditions.	[57]
E. crassipes	rough surface of E. crassipes leaf	utilize the plants as cost-effective and environmentally friendly oil sorbents	[58]

Eichhornia crassipes	removing two herbicides (mesotrione and fomesafen) with long degradation cycles in water so it is applied as an efficient, economical, and ecological alternative to accelerate the removal and degradation of agro-industrial waste water polluted with mesotrione and fomesafen. [59]
Eichhornia crassipes	has the ability to phytoremediation the antibiotic sulfadiazine (SDZ) is a challenging threat to the health of aquatic organisms, as it frequently occurs in aquatic ecosystems contaminated water. [60]
(Eichhornia crassipes) (WH) and sawdust (SD)	low-cost biosorbents may be used as alternatives to activated carbon in applications including selective separation of Zn(2+) from multi-metal ion solutions containing Ni(2+), and water and wastewater treatment [61]
Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.) Solms (Waterhyacinth)	demonstrated to possess pharmacological activities, the phytochemistry, and several applications [62]
Eichhornia crassipes	low-cost biomass may be used to produce liquids, gases, and biochar in a costefficient and [63]

environmentally
friendly way via
pyrolysis or co-pyrolysis
in the future

Industrial uses

1. Treatment of waste water

A sensible phytoremediation development for the incredible removal of risky poisons and dangerous pollutants from mines wastewater utilizing a few water plants [*Portulaca oleraceae*, *Eichhornia crassipes*, *Hydrilla verticillata*] might be utilized as a compelling, proficient and natural decision to animate the ejection and degradation of agro-current debased wastewater has been inspected effectively (Table 1) [1, 6, 10, 12, 15, 29-31, 51, 56, 61, 63-80].

Applied to a back to back treatment of swine wastewater for nitrogen and phosphorus decline. So it is a fiscally feasible plans to apply water hyacinth phosphorus straw for the swine wastewater treatment. Reclaimed as a multi-practical initiated carbon (MFAC) to expel fluoroquinolones (FQs) from debased water[1, 6, 7, 15, 65, 69, 70, 73, 76, 77, 81-90]

Alluring innovation in managing this hazardous toxin. Cyanide blow down water might be expelled by the water hyacinth in light of its high biomass creation, and resilience to cyanide (CN) be practical for the evacuation of various poisons of paper factory emanating, answerable for the eutrophication of the oceanic assets[31, 43].

An excellent bioindicator of water polluted by worrying organic pollutants such as endocrine disruptors and neonicotinoids so it is new perspectives for the remediation of water polluted by alarming natural organic pollutants [24, 41].

Eichhornia crassipes is consider a promising biosorbent for the expulsion of uranium contaminations and could be helpful in treating cyanide effluents from little scope gold mines[2, 21, 42, 50].

give an elective solution for the expulsion of co-pollution among antibiotics and heavy metals from domesticated animals and poultry wastewater[51, 91]. A viable and economical biomaterial for color expulsion from fluid color arrangements and mechanical effluents [12, 26, 54, 92-95].

use the plants as financially savvy and naturally agreeable oil sorbents, minimal effort biosorbents might be utilized as options in contrast to initiated carbon in applications including specific partition of $Zn(2+)$ from multi-metal particle arrangements containing $Ni(2+)$, and water and wastewater treatment [58, 61].

expelling two herbicides (mesotrione and fomesafen) with long debasement cycles in water so it is applied as an effective, prudent, and biological choice to quicken the evacuation and corruption of agro- industrial waste water contaminated with mesotrione and fomesafen[59].

2. Biogas production

Biogas is a clean and condition agreeable fuel created through the anaerobic assimilation of natural squanders such as: cow excrement and vegetable squanders. It is progressively getting significant in local and industry as fuel because of its expenses and tidiness. The fundamental part of the gas is methane, carbon dioxide, hydrogen, nitrogen and hydrogen sulfide. Water hyacinth can be utilized as a potential feedstock for biogas creation because of its wealth and high carbon-nitrogen proportion. This investigation focuses on assessing the capability of usage of water hyacinth for biogas creation. Conceivably helpful for phytoremediation programs in situations polluted by arsenic (As), and to create of biogas. Biogas creation, recover bioenergy from anaerobic absorption of water hyacinth (WH) and from its co-assimilation with leafy foods squander (FVW) nitrogen can be recuperated in the fluid profluent with a potential for use as a fluid manure. Minimal effort biomass might be utilized to create fluids, gases, and biochar in a cost efficient and ecologically inviting way through pyrolysis or co-pyrolysis in the future[12, 14, 17].

3. Adsorbent of heavy metals

The contamination of aquatic ecosystems with poisonous substantial metals is speaking to a major natural issue, because of discharging

these metals to biological surrounding without treatment, prompting their determination and non-biodegradation in the earth. Different customary strategies are used as an endeavor to evacuate overwhelming metals from squander water yet at the same time without gaining any real ground. This study estimates that *Eichhornia crassipes* (water hyacinth) dried leaves powder is potential in evacuating a portion of these substantial metals (HM), including lead, copper, cadmium and chrome from fluid arrangements by means of biosorption affected by a few variable test factors. Determine the concentration of toxic elements present in surface water such as cadmium (Cd), chromium (Cr), copper (Cu), manganese (Mn), nickel (Ni), lead (Pb), uranium (U), and zinc (Zn). the possibility of using the thiol group content to assess the bioconcentration of heavy metal ions in water hyacinth and as a general parameter for monitoring the heavy metal pollution of water.[2]

The chance of utilizing the thiol bunch substance to survey the bioconcentration of substantial metal particles in water hyacinth and as a general parameter for observing the overwhelming metal contamination of water. This species is appropriate for phytoremediation of waters subject to release of blended modern effluents containing raised Cu fixations (≥ 15 mg Cu/L), just as supplement rich local wastewaters [11, 19-21, 46, 49, 52, 96-107].

4. Alternative energy source

Environmental change and its effects are driving the advancement of sustainable power source assets internationally. There is a developing mission to enlarge the stockpile of biomass assets for bioenergy creation.

Promising candidate for fuel ethanol production[27, 29] in tropical countries because of their high availability and high biomass yield. Elective fuel source by changing over water hyacinth (*Eichhornia crassipes*) charcoal into briquettes with molasses as fastener[38].

As cellulose source and polyvinyl liquor straightforwardly as cross-linker through a simple and condition amicable procedure, showed incredible oil/dissolvable sorption limits, super-hydrophobicity just as surprising reusability[40]

Typha angustifolia and *Eichhornia crassipes* as a potential alternative energy source since species is available extensively in freshwater, marine, and aquatic ecosystems throughout the world[55, 56]

5. Pharmacological & biological activities

Eichhornia crassipes can be utilized as an immunostimulant for prawn through dietary organization to improve invulnerable reactions and obstruction of *M. rosenbergii* against *L. garvieae*[33]. Also utilized as a biosorbent to expel watery sulfachloropyridazine (SCP) and different sulfonamides[34].

Eichhornia crassipes displayed antibacterial activities against both the gram positive microscopic organisms; *Bacillus subtilis* and *Streptococcus faecalis*; and the gram negative microorganisms; *Escherichia coli* and *Staphylococcus aureus*. Development of *Aspergillus flavus* and *Aspergillus niger* were not repressed by either *E. crassipes* rough concentrate nor its five divisions. Interestingly, *Candida albicans* (yeast) was repressed by all[35].

Application in ethnomedicine, especially as medications readiness against staphylococcal contaminations because of the biopotency of these plants against pathogenic MRSA present in cows, and SOSA just as CoNS microscopic organisms present in bunnies, which could be a difficult issue for domesticated animals[39]

Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.) Solms (Waterhyacinth) demonstrated to possess pharmacological activities, the phytochemistry, and several applications[62]

6. Animal feed [15,30,53]

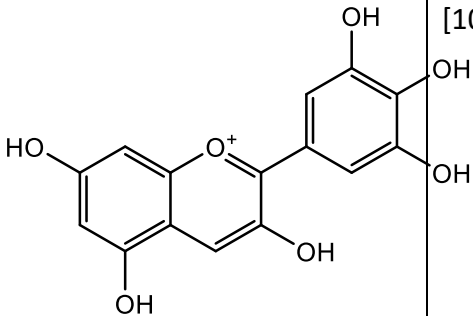
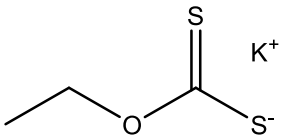
Eichhornia crassipes was viable for cleaning wastewater from an escalated duck ranch during the water hyacinth developing season, as gathered water hyacinth had a great exhibition as duck feed and The eggshell thickness and quality were among the egg characteristics altogether expanded in ducks took care of with water hyacinth[15]

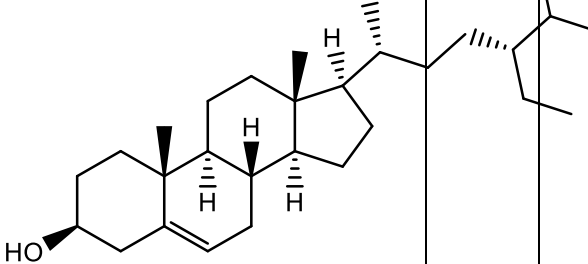
It upgrade the expulsion of contaminations through their utilization as supplements by empty rhizospheric microscopic organisms, to

lessen naphthalene (a polyaromatic hydrocarbon) present in wastewater and wetlands[30].

May be used as a natural compost of *Colossoma macropomum* (tambaqui) hatchlings in lakes is given. It is very modest and effectively accessible, it might be advantageously used to upgrade fish yield in lakes[53]

Table 2

Plant species	Extract/ substances	Structure	Refer ences
water hyacinth	thiol group not found	[8]
water hyacinth	flavonoids, alkaloids, anthroquinones and anthocyanins not found	[108]
(<i>E. crassipes</i>) , <i>Pistacia vera</i> (P. <i>vera</i>)	phenols and saponin content of leaf extracts not found	[39]
blue-purple flowers <i>Eichhornia</i> <i>crassipes</i>	acylated delphinidin glycoside		[109]
<i>Syngonium</i> <i>podophyllum</i> (SP) and <i>Eichhornia</i> <i>crassipes</i> (EC) leaf aqueous extracts	flavonoids, terpenoids, reducing sugars, alkaloids, and saponins.	Not found	[36]
shoot and root biomass <i>Eichhornia</i> <i>crassipes</i>	Alkali-treated straw and cellulose xanthogenate		[110]

Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.) Solms (Waterhyacinth)	Phenalenone compounds and sterols		[62]
roots and leaves of Eichhornia crassipes (Pontederiaceae).	8-phenylphenalenone	Not found	[111]

Chemical Composition

A thiol group protectant, used commonly in peptide and protein chemistry. Therefore, it is often added at high concentrations in preparations of proteins relevant to heavy metal biochemistry. Using the thiol group content to assess the bioconcentration of heavy metal ions in water hyacinth and as a general parameter for monitoring the heavy metal pollution of water[8].

Flavonoids, a gathering of regular substances with variable phenolic structures, are found in natural products, vegetables, grains, bark, roots, stems, blossoms, tea and wine. These regular items are notable for their advantageous consequences for wellbeing and endeavors are being made to separate the fixings purported flavonoids. Flavonoids are presently considered as a basic part in an assortment of nutraceutical, pharmaceutical, therapeutic and restorative applications. Nearness of metabolites like flavonoids, alkaloids, anthroquinones and anthocyanins in the tried concentrates may be the explanation behind the larvicidal and pupicidal action of the plant concentrates and fractionates of waterhyacinth. It acts as Mosquito-repellent movement[108].

Phenol has various medical advantages and can be useful to treat a couple of various conditions. Saponins are one of the numerous auxiliary metabolites found in regular sources which is found specifically bounty in different plant species. A few saponins are harmful to merciless

creatures and creepy crawlies at specific fixations. The nonsugar part of saponins have additionally an immediate cell reinforcement action. The outcome of the exploitation of methanolic extract of *P. vera*, *Z. amole*, and *E. crassipes* leaves for their possible application in ethnomedicine, particularly as drugs preparation against staphylococcal infections. The study indicates the biopotency of these plants against pathogenic MRSA present in cattle, and SOSA as well as CoNS bacteria present in rabbits, which could be a serious issue for livestock [39].

In human wellbeing, anthocyanins have been related with different advantages due to their antioxidant, hostile to inflammatory, neuroprotective, and against diabetic properties. The chromatof 1 are shown in with aliglycoside was isolated from the blue-purple flowers of *Eichhornia* 3--(6''--(~-D-glucopyranosyl)--D-glucopyranosyl(((by spectral methods. The three dimensional crassipes as a (6''structure of this pigment of the negative Cotton effect at A,,, 535 nm that delphinidin (chromophore) as a binary complex[109].

Plant terpenoids(*Syngonium podophyllum* (SP) and *Eichhornia crassipes* (EC) leaf aqueous extracts) are utilized for their fragrant characteristics and assume a job in customary natural cures. The in vitro cancer prevention agent, antibacterial, and cytotoxic capability of *Syngonium podophyllum* (SP) and *Eichhornia crassipes* (EC) leafaqueousextractsaswellastheir in vivo impact on oxidative pressure and hepatic biomarkers in isoniazid actuated rodents. The two concentrates showed extensive antibacterial action against *Proteus vulgaris*, *Salmonella typhi*,and *Bordetella bronchiseptica*. Coadministration of *E. crassipes* separate with isoniazid in rodents represented 46% lessening in malondialdehyde content and 21% expansion in FRAP estimation of plasma. It additionally alleviated the isoniazid incited changes in serum compounds (SGOT, SGPT, and ALP), complete bilirubin, creatinine, and hemoglobin substance. *S. podophyllum* extricate was seen as hepatotoxic[36].

Soluble base treated straw and cellulose xanthogenate were gotten from shoot and root biomass of *Eichhornia crassipes* by treatment with NaOH and CS₂. Soluble base treatment expanded the crystallinity of crude plant material, while the consequent CS₂ treatment had the switch impact. The

warm security of the plant material was decreased by soluble base treatment yet was reestablished by consequent CS₂ treatment. Antacid treatment evacuated the majority of the lignin and hemicellulose from the crude plant material, though the development of cellulose xanthogenate presented new C@S and O–CS–S utilitarian gatherings[110]

Phenalenones are individuals from a one of a kind class of characteristic polyketides showing different organic potential. *Eichhornia crassipes* (Mart.) Solms (Waterhyacinth), an amphibian enduring herb present all through the world, has a heap of metabolites. Phenalenone mixes and sterols have been detached from this plant. Concentrates, just as unadulterated mixes detached from this plant, have been exhibited to have pharmacological exercises[62].

Phenylphenalenones with a parallel phenyl ring in irregular 8-position have been separated from *Eichhornia crassipes* (Pontederiaceae). The structures were clarified by spectrometric strategies including NMR and MS investigation. The joining of two atoms of [1-¹³C]phenylalanine gives trial proof to the biosynthesis by means of 1,2-aryl relocation from a middle of the road of the 9-phenylphenalenone type[111].

- .1 Xia, H. and X. Ma, *Phytoremediation of ethion by water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes) from water*. *Bioresour Technol*, 2006. **97**(8): p. 1050-4.
- .2 Srivastava, A., et al., *Study of Toxic Elements in River Water and Wetland Using Water Hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes) as Pollution Monitor*. *Glob Chall*, 2019. **3**(6): p. 1800087.
- .3 Chen, X.L., et al., *Nanoscale Zero-Valent Iron and Chitosan Functionalized Eichhornia crassipes Biochar for Efficient Hexavalent Chromium Removal*. *Int J Environ Res Public Health*, 20.(17)16 .19
- .4 Abou-Shanab, R.A., J.S. Angle, and P. van Berkum, *Chromate-tolerant bacteria for enhanced metal uptake by Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.)*. *Int J Phytoremediation*, 2007. **9**(2): p. 91-105.
- .5 Malar, S., et al., *Lead heavy metal toxicity induced changes on growth and antioxidative enzymes level in water hyacinths [Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.)]*. *Bot Stud*, 2016. **55**(1): p. 54.
- .6 Chen, X., et al., *Water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes) waste as an adsorbent for phosphorus removal from swine wastewater*. *Bioresour Technol*, 2010. **101**(23): p. 9025-30.

- .7 Li, X., et al., *Comparative proteomics exploring the molecular mechanism of eutrophic water purification using water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes)*. Environ Sci Pollut Res Int, 2015. **22**(11): p. 8643-58.
- .8 Ding, X., et al., *Bioconcentration of cadmium in water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes) in relation to thiol group content*. Environ Pollut, 1994. **84**(1): p. 93-6.
- .9 Lopes, A. and M.T. Piedade, *Experimental study on the survival of the water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.) Solms--Pontederiaceae) under different oil doses and times of exposure*. Environ Sci Pollut Res Int, 2014. **21**(23): p. 13503-11.
- .10 Malignani, E., L.I. de Cabo, and A.M. Faggi, *Copper uptake by Eichhornia crassipes exposed at high level concentrations*. Environ Sci Pollut Res Int, 2015. **22**(11): p. 8307-15.
- .11 Tabinda, A.B., et al., *Phytoremediation potential of Pistia stratiotes and Eichhornia crassipes to remove chromium and copper*. Environ Technol, 2018: p. 1-6.
- .12 Mishra, S .and A. Maiti, *The efficiency of Eichhornia crassipes in the removal of organic and inorganic pollutants from wastewater: a review*. Environ Sci Pollut Res Int, 2017. **24**(9): p. 7921-7937.
- .13 de Souza Reis, I.N.R., et al., *Involvement of glutathione metabolism in Eichhornia crassipes tolerance to arsenic*. Plant Biol (Stuttg), 2019.
- .14 Jayaweera, M.W., et al., *Biogas production from water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.) Solms) grown under different nitrogen concentrations*. J Environ Sci Health A Tox Hazard Subst Environ Eng, 2007. **42**(7): p. 925-32.
- .15 Lu, J., Z. Fu, and Z. Yin, *Performance of a water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes) system in the treatment of wastewater from a duck farm and the effects of using water hyacinth as duck feed*. J Environ Sci (China), 2008. **20**(5): p. 513-9.
- .16 Goswami, S. and S. Das, *Eichhornia crassipes mediated copper phytoremediation and its success using catfish bioassay*. Chemosphere, 2018. **210**: p. 440-448.
- .17 Hernandez-Shek, M.A., et al., *Recovering biomethane and nutrients from anaerobic digestion of water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes) and its co-digestion with fruit and vegetable waste*. Water Sci Technol, 2016. **73**(2): p. 355-61.
- .18 Liu, L., et al., *Removal of aqueous fluoroquinolones with multi-functional activated carbon (MFAC) derived from recycled long-root Eichhornia crassipes: batch and column studies*. Environ Sci Pollut Res Int, 2019. **26**(33): p. 34345-34356.
- .19 Wu, J.S., et al., *Characterization of the high molecular weight Cd-binding complex in water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes) when exposed to Cd*. J Agric Food Chem, 2008. **56**(14): p. 5806-12.
- .20 Sabale, S., et al., *Lake contamination by accumulation of heavy metal ions in Eichhornia crassipes: a case study of Rankala Lake, Kolhapur (India)*. J Environ Sci Eng, 2010. **52**(2): p. 155-6.
- .21 Newete, S.W., et al., *Sequestration of precious and pollutant metals in biomass of cultured water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes)*. Environ Sci Pollut Res Int, 2016. **23**(20): p. 20805-20818.
- .22 Lenka, M., K.K. Panda, and B.B. Panda, *Studies on the ability of water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes) to bioconcentrate and biomonitor aquatic mercury*. Environ Pollut, 1990. **66**(1): p. 89-99.

- .23 Zhang, J., et al., *Concentration Levels, Biological Enrichment Capacities and Potential Health Risk Assessment of Trace Elements in Eichhornia crassipes from Honghu Lake, China*. Sci Rep, 2019. **9**(1): p. 2431.
- .24 Eid, E.M., et al., *Bioaccumulation and translocation of nine heavy metals by Eichhornia crassipes in Nile Delta, Egypt: perspectives for phytoremediation*. Int J Phytoremediation, 2019. **21**(8): p. 821-830.
- .25 Pandey, V.C., *Phytoremediation efficiency of Eichhornia crassipes in fly ash pond*. Int J Phytoremediation, 2016. **18**(5): p. 450-2.
- .26 Tabinda, A.B., et al., *Treatment of textile effluents with Pistia stratiotes, Eichhornia crassipes and Oedogonium sp.* Int J Phytoremediation, 2019. **21**(10): p. 939-943.
- .27 Das, A., et al., *Production of bioethanol as useful biofuel through the bioconversion of water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes)*. 3 Biotech, 2016. **6**(1): p. 70.
- .28 Mishima, D., et al., *Ethanol production from candidate energy crops: water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes) and water lettuce (Pistia stratiotes L.)*. Bioresour Technol, 2008. **99**(7): p. 2495-500.
- .29 Sayago, U.F.C., *Design of a sustainable development process between phytoremediation and production of bioethanol with Eichhornia crassipes*. Environ Monit Assess, 2019. **191**(4): p. 221.
- .30 Nesterenko-Malkovskaya, A., et al., *Eichhornia crassipes capability to remove naphthalene from wastewater in the absence of bacteria*. Chemosphere, 2012. **87**(10): p. 1186-91.
- .31 Saha, P., A. Mondal, and S. Sarkar, *Phytoremediation of cyanide containing steel industrial wastewater by Eichhornia crassipes*. Int J Phytoremediation, 2018. **20** :(12) p. 1205-1214.
- .32 Zhou, R., et al., *Optimization of biochar preparation from the stem of Eichhornia crassipes using response surface methodology on adsorption of Cd(2)*. Sci Rep, 2019. **9**(1): p. 17538.
- .33 Chang, C.C., H.C. Tan, and W. Cheng, *Effects of dietary administration of water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes) extracts on the immune responses and disease resistance of giant freshwater prawn, Macrobrachium rosenbergii*. Fish Shellfish Immunol, 2013. **35**(1): p. 92-100.
- .34 Liu, L., et al., *Adsorption dynamics and mechanism of aqueous sulfachloropyridazine and analogues using the root powder of recyclable long-root Eichhornia crassipes*. Chemosphere, 2018. **196**: p. 409-417.
- .35 Shanab, S.M., et al., *Allelopathic effects of water hyacinth [Eichhornia crassipes]*. PLoS One, 2010. **5**(10): p. e13200.
- .36 Kumar, S., et al., *In vitro antioxidant, antibacterial, and cytotoxic activity and in vivo effect of Syngonium podophyllum and Eichhornia crassipes leaf extracts on isoniazid induced oxidative stress and hepatic markers*. Biomed Res Int, 2014. **2014**: p. 459452.
- .37 Kumar, V., J. Singh, and A.K. Chopra, *Assessment of phytokinetic removal of pollutants of paper mill effluent using water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes [Mart.] Solms)*. Environ Technol, 2018. **39**(21) :(p. 2781-2791.

- .38 Carnaje, N.P., et al., *Development and characterisation of charcoal briquettes from water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes)-molasses blend*. PLoS One, 2018. **13**(11): p. e0207135.
- .39 Gutierrez-Morales, A., et al., *Anti-staphylococcal properties of Eichhornia crassipes, Pistacia vera, and Ziziphus amole leaf extracts: Isolates from cattle and rabbits*. Microb Pathog, 2017. **113**: p. 181-189.
- .40 Yin, T., et al., *Resource recovery of Eichhornia crassipes as oil superabsorbent*. Mar Pollut Bull, 2 : (2-1)118 .017p. 267-274.
- .41 De Laet, C., et al., *Eichhornia crassipes: a Powerful Bio-indicator for Water Pollution by Emerging Pollutants*. Sci Rep, 2019. **9**(1): p. 7326.
- .42 Yi, Z.J., et al., *Uranium biosorption from aqueous solution onto Eichhornia crassipes*. J Environ Radioact, 2016. **154**: p. 43-51.
- .43 Ebel, M., M.W. Evangelou, and A. Schaeffer, *Cyanide phytoremediation by water hyacinths (Eichhornia crassipes)*. Chemosphere, 2007. **66**(5): p. 816-23.
- .44 Shirinpur-Valadi, A., A. Hatamzadeh, and S. Sedaghatoor, *Study of the accumulation of contaminants by Cyperus alternifolius, Lemna minor, Eichhornia crassipes, and Canna x generalis in some contaminated aquatic environments*. Environ Sci Pollut Res Int, 2019. **26**(21): p. 21340-21350.
- .45 Li, Q., et al. *Removal of toxic metals from aqueous solution by biochars derived from long-root Eichhornia crassipes*. R Soc Open Sci, 2018. **5**(10): p. 180966.
- .46 Muramoto, S. and Y. Oki, *Removal of some heavy metals from polluted water by water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes)*. Bull Environ Contam Toxicol, 1983. **30**(2): p. 170-7.
- .47 Malignani, E., A.M. Faggi, and L.I. de Cabo, *Growth, accumulation and uptake of Eichhornia crassipes exposed to high cadmium concentrations*. Environ Sci Pollut Res Int, 2019. **26**(22): p. 2282.22834-6
- .48 Modenes, A.N., et al., *Adsorption of Zn(II) and Cd(II) ions in batch system by using the Eichhornia crassipes*. Water Sci Technol, 2011. **64**(9): p. 1857-63.
- .49 Deng, L., et al., *Effect of chemical and biological degumming on the adsorption of heavy metal by cellulose xanthogenates prepared from Eichhornia crassipes*. Bioresour Technol, 2012. **107**: p. 41-5.
- .50 Bhainsa, K.C. and S.F. D'Souza, *Uranium(VI) biosorption by dried roots of Eichhornia crassipes (water hyacinth)*. J Environ Sci Health A Tox Hazard Subst Environ Eng, 2001. **36**(9): p. 1621-31.
- .51 Lu, X., et al., *Interaction of veterinary antibiotic tetracyclines and copper on their fates in water and water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes)*. J Hazard Mater, 2014. **280**: p. 389-98.
- .52 Dixit, S. and S. Dhote, *Evaluation of uptake rate of heavy metals by Eichhornia crassipes and Hydrilla verticillata*. Environ Monit Assess, 2010. **169**(1-4): p. 367-74.
- .53 Sipaubá-Tavares, L.H. and F.M. Braga, *The feeding activity of Colossoma macropomum larvae (tambaqui) in fishponds with water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes) fertilizer*. Braz J Biol, 2007. **67**(3): p. 459-66.
- .54 Wanyonyi, W.C., J.M. Onyari, and P.M. Shiundu, *Adsorption of methylene blue dye from aqueous solutions using Eichhornia crassipes*. Bull Environ Contam Toxicol, 2013. **91**(3): p. 362-6.

- .55 Venu, H., et al., *Eichhornia crassipes* biodiesel as a renewable green fuel for diesel engine applications: performance, combustion, and emission characteristics. *Environ Sci Pollut Res Int*, 2019. **26**(18): p. 1.18097-8084
- .56 Sricoth, T., et al., *Synergistic phytoremediation of wastewater by two aquatic plants (Typha angustifolia and Eichhornia crassipes) and potential as biomass fuel*. *Environ Sci Pollut Res Int*, 2018. **25**(6): p. 5344-5358.
- .57 de Lacerda, L.P. et al., *Growth and differential salinity reduction between Portulaca oleracea and Eichhornia crassipes in experimental hydroponic units*. *Environ Technol*, 2019. **40**(17): p. 2267-2275.
- .58 Yang, X., S. Chen, and R. Zhang, *Utilization of two invasive free-floating aquatic plants (Pistia stratiotes and Eichhornia crassipes) as sorbents for oil removal*. *Environ Sci Pollut Res Int*, 2014. **21**(1): p. 781-6.
- .59 Chen, Z., et al., *Enhanced disappearance of mesotrione and fomesafen by water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes) in water*. *Int J Phytoremediation*, 2019. **21**(6): p. 583-589.
- .60 Yan, Y., et al., *Effects and Removal of the Antibiotic Sulfadiazine by Eichhornia crassipes: Potential Use for Phytoremediation*. *Bull Environ Contam Toxicol*, 2019. **103**(2): p. 342-347.
- .61 Gwenzi, W., et al., *Adsorption of Zn(2+) and Ni(2+) in a binary aqueous solution by biosorbents derived from sawdust and water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes)*. *Water Sci Technol*, 2014. **70**(8): p. 1419-27.
- .62 Lalitha, P., S.K. Sripathi, and P. Jayanthi, *Secondary metabolites of Eichhornia crassipes (Waterhyacinth): a review (1949 to 2011)*. *Nat Prod Commun*, 2012. **7**(9): p. 1249-56.
- .63 Afzal, I., et al., *Thermodynamics and Kinetics Parameters of Eichhornia crassipes Biomass for Bioenergy*. *Protein Pept Lett* : (2)25 .2018 .p. 187-194.
- .64 Agarry, S.E., et al., *Biotreatment of petroleum refinery wastewater in vertical surface-flow constructed wetland vegetated with Eichhornia crassipes: lab-scale experimental and kinetic modelling*. *Environ Technol*, 2018: p. 1.21-
- .65 Akinbile, C.O. and M.S. Yusoff, *Assessing water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes) and lettuce (Pistia stratiotes) effectiveness in aquaculture wastewater treatment*. *Int J Phytoremediation*, 2012. **14**(3): p. 201-11.
- .66 Anudechakul, C., A.S. Vangnai, and N. Ariyakanon, *Removal of Chlorpyrifos by Water Hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes) and the Role of a Plant-Associated Bacterium*. *Int J Phytoremediation*, 2015. **17**(7): p. 678-85.
- .67 Balasubramanian, U.M., S. Vaiyazhipalayam Murugaiyan, and T. Marimuthu, *Enhanced adsorption of Cr(VI), Ni(II) ions from aqueous solution using modified Eichhornia crassipes and Lemna minor*. *Environ Sci Pollut Res Int*, 2019.
- .68 Feng, W., et al., *Analysis of utilization technologies for Eichhornia crassipes biomass harvested after restoration of wastewater*. *Bioresour Technol*, 2017. **223**: p. 287-295.
- .69 Jayaweera, M.W. and J.C. Kasturiarachchi, *Removal of nitrogen and phosphorus from industrial wastewaters by phytoremediation using water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.) Solms)*. *Water Sci Technol*, 2004. **50**(6): p. 217-25.

- .70 Jayaweera, M.W., et al., *Contribution of water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.) Solms) grown under different nutrient conditions to Fe-removal mechanisms in constructed wetlands*. J Environ Manage : (3)87 .2008 ·p. 450-60.
- .71 Jayaweera, M.W., et al., *Removal of aluminium by constructed wetlands with water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.) Solms) grown under different nutritional conditions*. J Environ Sci Health A Tox Hazard Subst Environ Eng, 2 : (2)42 .007p. 185-93.
- .72 Kaur, P., et al., *Effect of rhizobacteria on arsenic uptake by macrophyte Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.) Solms*. Int J Phytoremediation, 2018. **20**(2): p. 114-120.
- .73 Kularatne, R.K., et al., *Mechanisms of manganese removal from wastewaters in constructed wetlands comprising water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.) Solms) grown under different nutrient conditions*. Water Environ Res, 2009. **81**(2): p. 165-72.
- .74 Mahmood, Q., et al., *Anatomical studies on water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.) Solms) under the influence of textile wastewater*. J Zhejiang Univ Sci B, 2005. **6**(10): p. 991-8.
- .75 Mahunon, S.E.R., et al., *Optimization process of organic matter removal from wastewater by using Eichhornia crassipes*. Environ Sci Pollut Res Int, 2018. **25**(29): p. 29219-29226.
- .76 Petrucio, M.M. and F.A. Esteves, *Influence of photoperiod on the uptake of nitrogen and phosphorus in the water by Eichhornia crassipes and Salvinia auriculata*. Rev Bras Biol, 2000. **60**(3): p. 373-9.
- .77 Rangel-Peraza, J.G., et al., *Optimization of organic matter degradation kinetics and nutrient removal on artificial wetlands using Eichhornia crassipes and Typha domingensis*. Environ Technol, 2019. **40**(5): p. 633-641.
- .78 Valipour, A., V.K. Raman, and V.S. Ghole *Phytoremediation of domestic wastewater using Eichhornia crassipes*. J Environ Sci Eng, 2011. **53**(2): p. 183-90.
- .79 Victor, K.K., et al., *Phytoremediation of wastewater toxicity using water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes) and water lettuce (Pistia stratiotes)*. Int J Phytoremediation, 2016. **18**(10): p. 949-55.
- .80 Yi, Y., et al., *Aging effects on the stabilisation and reactivity of iron-based nanoparticles green synthesised using aqueous extracts of Eichhornia crassipes*. Environ Sci Pollut Res Int, 2019. **26** : (27)p. 28361-28371.
- .81 Albano Perez, E., T. Ruiz Tellez, and J.M. Sanchez Guzman, *Influence of physico-chemical parameters of the aquatic medium on germination of Eichhornia crassipes seeds*. Plant Biol (Stuttg), 2011. **13**(4): p. 643-8.
- .82 Aramburo-Miranda, I.V. and E.H. Ruelas-Ramirez, *Desalination of sea water with aquatic lily (Eichhornia crassipes)*. Environ Sci Pollut Res Int, 2017. **24**(33): p. 25676-25681.
- .83 Dahroug, Z., N.F. Santana, and T.A. Pagioro, *Eichhornia azurea decomposition and the bacterial dynamic: an experimental research*. Braz J Microbiol, 2016. **47**(2): p. 279-86.
- .84 de Souza, T.D., et al., *Optimization of arsenic phytoremediation using Eichhornia crassipes*. Int J Phytoremediation, 2018. **20**(11): p. 1129-1135.

- .85 Fu, M., et al., *Identification of gene fragments related to nitrogen deficiency in Eichhornia crassipes (Pontederiaceae)*. Rev Biol Trop, 2014. **62**(4): p. 1637-48.
- .86 Hadad, H.R., et al., *Nickel and phosphorous sorption efficiencies, tissue accumulation kinetics and morphological effects on Eichhornia crassipes*. Ecotoxicology, 2009. **18**(5): p. 504-13.
- .87 Mercado-Borrayo, B.M., et al., *Organophosphorus and Organochlorine Pesticides Bioaccumulation by Eichhornia crassipes in Irrigation Canals in an Urban Agricultural System*. Int J Phytoremediation, 2015. **17**(7): p. 701-8.
- .88 Petrucio, M.M. and F.A. Esteves, *Uptake rates of nitrogen and phosphorus in the water by Eichhornia crassipes and Salvinia auriculata*. Rev Bras Biol, 2000. **60**(2): p. 229-236.
- .89 Souza, T.D., et al., *Kinetics of arsenic absorption by the species Eichhornia crassipes and Lemna valdiviana under optimized conditions*. Chemosphere, 2018. **209**: p. 866-874.
- .90 Sung, K., G.J. Lee, and C. Munster, *Effects of Eichhornia crassipes and Ceratophyllum demersum on Soil and Water Environments and Nutrient Removal in Wetland Microcosms*. Int J Phytoremediation, 2015. **17**(10): p. 936-44.
- .91 Yan, Y., et al., *Ecotoxicological effects and accumulation of ciprofloxacin in Eichhornia crassipes under hydroponic conditions*. Environ Sci Pollut Res Int, 2019. **26**(29): p. 30348-30355.
- .92 El Zawahry, M.M. and M.M. Kamel, *Removal of azo and anthraquinone dyes from aqueous solutions by Eichhornia Crassipes*. Water Res, 2004. **38**(13): p. 2967-72.
- .93 El-Zawahry, M.M., et al., *Equilibrium and kinetic models on the adsorption of Reactive Black 5 from aqueous solution using Eichhornia crassipes/chitosan composite*. Carbohydr Polym, 2016. **136**: p. 507-15.
- .94 Ramanathan, S., et al., *Synthesis of reduced graphene oxide/ZnO nanocomposites using grape fruit extract and Eichhornia crassipes leaf extract and a comparative study of their photocatalytic property in degrading Rhodamine B dye*. J Environ Health Sci Eng, 2019. **17**(1): p. 195-207.
- .95 Renganathan, S., et al., *Kinetic studies on sorption of basic dye using Eichhornia crassipes*. J Environ Sci Eng, 2008. **50**(4): p. 249-54.
- .96 Cao, F., et al., *Study on the adsorption performance and competitive mechanism for heavy metal contaminants removal using novel multi-pore activated carbons derived from recyclable long-root Eichhornia crassipes*. Bioresour Technol, 2019. **276**: p. 211-218.
- .97 Elfeky, S.A., H. Imam, and A.A. Alsherbini, *Bio-absorption of Ni and Cd on Eichhornia crassipes root thin film*. Environ Sci Pollut Res Int, 2013. **20**(11): p. 8220-6.
- .98 Hadad, H.R., et al., *Bioaccumulation kinetics and toxic effects of Cr, Ni and Zn on Eichhornia crassipes*. J Hazard Mater, 2011. **190**(1-3): p. 1016-22.
- .99 Li, Q., et al., *Adsorption of heavy metal from aqueous solution by dehydrated root powder of long-root Eichhornia crassipes*. Int J Phytoremediation, 2016. **18**(2): p. 103-9.
- .100 Mahamadi, C. and T. Nharingo, *Competitive adsorption of Pb²⁺, Cd²⁺ and Zn²⁺ ions onto Eichhornia crassipes in binary and ternary systems*. Bioresour Technol, 2010. **101**(3): p. 859-64

- .101 Mishra, V.K. and B.D. Tripathi, *Accumulation of chromium and zinc from aqueous solutions using water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes)*. J Hazard Mater, 2009. **164**(2-3): p. 1059-63.
- .102 Muramoto, S. and Y. Oki, *Influence of anionic surface-active agents on the uptake of heavy metals by water hyacinth (Eichhornia crassipes)*. Bull Environ Contam Toxicol, 1984. **33**(4): p. 444-50.
- .103 Olivares-Rieumont, S., et al., *Water hyacinths (Eichhornia crassipes) as indicators of heavy metal impact of a large landfill on the Almendares River near Havana, Cuba*. Bull Environ Contam Toxicol, 2007. **79**(6): p. 583-7.
- .104 Pal, R., et al., *Induction of non-protein thiols and phytochelatins by cadmium in Eichhornia crassipes*. Int J Phytoremediation, 2019. **21**(8): p. 790-79.8
- .105 So, L.M., L.M. Chu, and P.K. Wong, *Microbial enhancement of Cu²⁺ removal capacity of Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.)*. Chemosphere, 2003. **52**(9): p. 1499-503.
- .106 Tiwari, S., S. Dixit, and N. Verma, *An effective means of biofiltration of heavy metal contaminated water bodies using aquatic weed Eichhornia crassipes*. Environ Monit Assess, 2007. **129**(1-3): p. 253-6.
- .107 Wolverton, B.C. and R.C. McDonald, *Bioaccumulation and detection of trace levels of cadmium in aquatic systems by Eichhornia crassipes*. Environ Health Perspect, 1978. **27**: p. 161-4.
- .108 Jayanthi, P., P. Lalitha, and N. Aarthi, *Larvicidal and pupicidal activity of extracts and fractionates of Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.) Solms against the filarial vector Culex quinquefasciatus Say*. Parasitol Res, 2012. **111**(5): p. 2129-35.
- .109 Toki, K., et al., *(Delphinidin 3-gentiobiosyl) (apigenin 7-glucosyl) malonate from the flowers of Eichhornia crassipes*. Phytochemistry, 1994. **36**(5): p. 1181-3.
- .110 Zhou, W., et al., *The structure characterization of cellulose xanthogenate derived from the straw of Eichhornia crassipes*. Bioresour Technol, 2009. **100**(21): p. 5366-9.
- .111 Holscher, D. and B. Schneider, *The biosynthesis of 8-phenylphenalenones from Eichhornia crassipes involves a putative aryl migration step*. Phytochemistry, 2005. **66**(1): p. 59-64.