



Figure 1. Finally in Tromso with all 10 pieces of our luggage



Figure 2. Northern lights in Tromso (Photo by Mikołaj Mazurkiewicz)



Figure 3. IO PAS benthic team ready to head north (Photo by Mikołaj Mazurkiewicz)



Figure 4. Epibenthic sleds pulled out from the water (Photo by Mikołaj Mazurkiewicz)



Figure 5. Epibenthic sleds catch (Photo by Mikołaj Mazurkiewicz)



Figure 6. Sorted animals ready for the identification (Photo by Mikolaj Mazurkiewicz)



Figure 7. Struggling with a wayward box-corer (Photo by Maria Włodarska – Kowalczyk)



Figure 8. A catch from the benthic trawl (Photo by Maria Włodarska - Kowalczyk)



Figure 9. Searching for an appropriate rocks in the material collected with a triangle dredge





Figure 10. Sieving macrofauna at -8°C. Everything freezes so quickly