Microplankton presence/absence:

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| Initials | **Controls** | **Experimentals** | **CR Result** | **FR Result** | **Possible Meaning** |
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| Present | **Absent** | **Absent** | NA | NA | ? its so fragile it couldn’t deal with incubation or it was consumed by microbes |
| probaly not intersesting Absent | **Absent** | **Present** | NA | NA | something barely there grew |
| 1 Absent | **Present** | **Absent** | NA | NA | copepods ate it all |
| Less | **Absent** | **More** | NA | NA | some was there, but copepods didn’t eat it and maybe it grew |
| Less | **More** | **Absent** | NA | NA | maybe copepods ate it, but grew in the controls; but if there was one in exp, what would the CR be |
| More | **Absent** | **Less** | NA | NA | ? |
| More | **Less** | **Absent** | NA | NA | maybe copepods ate it |
| Present | **Less** | **More** | Negative | Negative | copepods didn’t eat it and it grew |
| Present | **More** | **Less** | Positive | Positive | copepods ate it |
| Absent | **Less** | **More** | Negative | NA | ? maybe it grew; or trophic cascade; who is opposite? maybe fore xaple clialtes ate flagellates |
| Absent | **More** | **Less** | Positive | NA | ? copepods ate it |

Code each condition, put numbers for the conditions, then add them up to determine importance sum

Also, but if there was one in exp, what would the CR be

Trophic cascade is possible, somehting other than copepods eat the stuff

Or ignore the FR

1. remove the ones that aren’t useful
2. Put all the categoreies
3. Compare contorls and initials
4. Then compare controls and experimentals