Differential effects of press versus pulse seawater intrusion on microbial communities of a tidal freshwater marsh

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Setup

Load and clean the data

```
# read in experimental design and change classes and sample names
design <- read_csv("data/design.csv",</pre>
   col types = cols(
     sample_ID = col_character(),
     date = col_date(format = "%m-%Y"),
    treatment = col_factor(levels = c("C", "CS", "F", "PU", "PR"), ordered = T),
     replicate = col_integer())) %>%
  mutate(sample_ID = paste0("s", gsub("\\_", "", sample_ID))) %>%
  arrange(date)
design <- rbind(</pre>
  cbind(design, molecule = "DNA"),
  cbind(design, molecule = "RNA")
design <- design %>%
 mutate(sample ID = ifelse(
   molecule == "DNA",
    sample_ID,
    pasteO(sample ID, " cDNA")))
otus <- read_tsv("data/otu.tsv") %>% select(-taxonomy) %>% t()
```

```
colnames(otus) <- paste0("otu", (otus[1, ]))</pre>
otus \leftarrow otus [-1,]
head(otus[,1:10])
##
                  otu0 otu1 otu2 otu3 otu4 otu5 otu6 otu7 otu8 otu9
## 10_15_C3
                  6766 2523 2702 3391 2465 975 1336 1157 2692 1656
## 10 15 C3 cDNA 20672 12586 7564 4514 4729 2635 4109 4368 11747 4176
## 10_15_C4
                  5101 2487 2478 3797 2534 1321 1104 1884 1880 1262
## 10 15 C4 cDNA 9264 6145 3748 3233 3290 2008 1946 3740 4246 2081
                  2596 1637 2048 5005 1720 1453 2993 1927 1252 1600
## 10 15 C5
## 10_15_C5_cDNA 7777 8289 5486 6732 3642 4192 9127 6692 4319 4162
tax <- read tsv("data/tax.tsv",
                col names = F) %>%
  select(X1, X3) %>%
 rename(OTU = X1, taxonomy = X3)
# create site by species matrices
rna <- otus[(rownames(otus) %>% endsWith("_cDNA")),]
dna <- otus[!(rownames(otus) %>% endsWith("_cDNA")),]
# make rownames of otutable match sample names
rnames <- gsub("7_1", "07_1", rownames(otus)) # make dates two digits</pre>
rnames <- gsub("3_1", "03_1", rnames)</pre>
rnames <- gsub("\\_", "", rnames) # remove underscores</pre>
rnames <- gsub("cDNA", " cDNA", rnames)</pre>
rnames <- paste0("s",rnames)</pre>
rownames(otus) <- rnames</pre>
# update design object to reflect the samples
design <- inner_join(tibble(sample_ID = rownames(otus)), design) %>%
  filter(molecule == "DNA") %>%
 filter(treatment %in% c("C", "F", "PU", "PR")) %>%
 filter(month(date, label = T) %in% c("Oct")) %>%
  filter(year(date) %in% c(2016)) # subset just to sequential fall samples
# reorder the otu table to match design
otus <- otus[match(design$sample_ID, rownames(otus)),]</pre>
all.equal.character(rownames(otus), design$sample_ID) # check that order is correct
## [1] TRUE
# coverage per sample and rarefy to lowest coverage
coverage <- rowSums(otus)</pre>
otus <- otus [which(coverage > 10000),]
otus <- rrarefy(otus, min(coverage))</pre>
# remove empty columns
otus <- otus[,-which(colSums(otus) == 0)]</pre>
# read environmenal data
env <- read_csv("data/env_data.csv")</pre>
env$date <- as_date(paste0(env$Year,'-',env$Month,'-01'))</pre>
colnames(env)[4:5] <- c("treatment", "replicate")</pre>
```

Results

How does the diversity of a local community change under our different experimental treatments?

```
otus.rich <- rowSums(decostand(otus, method = "pa"))
otus.alpha <- exp(diversity(otus, "shannon"))

data.frame(richness = otus.rich, diversity = otus.alpha) %>%
    rownames_to_column("sample_ID") %>%
    left_join(design) %>%
    group_by(date, treatment, molecule) %>%
    ggplot(aes(x = treatment, y = diversity, fill = treatment)) +
    # geom_point(alpha = 0.5) +
    geom_boxplot(width = .7, position = position_dodge(), alpha = .8) +
    annotate("text", x = "Press", y = 1300, label = "*", size = 4) +
    labs(x = "", y = expression(paste(alpha, "-diversity ("^1, "D)"))) +
    scale_fill_manual(values = my.palette) +
    theme(legend.position = "none") +
    ggsave("figures/Fig1.png", width = 4, height = 3, units = "in", dpi = 500) +
    ggsave("figures/Fig1.pdf", width = 4, height = 3, units = "in")
```

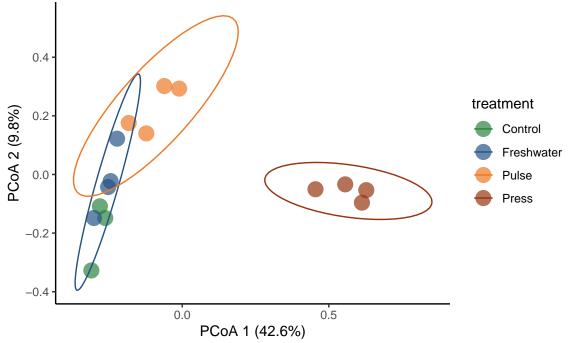
```
1600
     \alpha-diversity (<sup>1</sup>D)
        1400
        1200
        1000
                                      Freshwater
                                                           Pulse
                     Control
                                                                             Press
alpha.by.treat <- data.frame(richness = otus.rich, diversity = otus.alpha) %>%
  rownames_to_column("sample_ID") %>%
  left_join(design)
alpha.mod <- aov(diversity ~ treatment, data = alpha.by.treat)</pre>
summary(alpha.mod)
##
               Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
                 3 323309
                           107770
                                     5.027 0.0196 *
## treatment
## Residuals
                11 235821
                            21438
## ---
                   0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Signif. codes:
(TukeyHSD(alpha.mod))
##
     Tukey multiple comparisons of means
##
       95% family-wise confidence level
##
## Fit: aov(formula = diversity ~ treatment, data = alpha.by.treat)
##
## $treatment
##
                             diff
                                         lwr
                                                    upr
                                                            p adj
## Freshwater-Control -119.39601 -455.9501 217.15808 0.7151170
## Pulse-Control
                       -174.26366 -510.8177 162.29043 0.4387888
## Press-Control
                       -410.31581 -746.8699 -73.76172 0.0166008
## Pulse-Freshwater
                        -54.86765 -366.4562 256.72089 0.9499729
## Press-Freshwater
                       -290.91980 -602.5083 20.66874 0.0695577
```

How does saltwater addition change community structure?

```
otus.hel <- decostand(otus, method = "hellinger")</pre>
otus.dist <- vegdist(otus.hel, method = "euclidean")</pre>
otus.pcoa <- cmdscale(otus.dist, eig = T)</pre>
# explained variance
explained <- round(100*eigenvals(otus.pcoa)[c(1,2)]/sum(eigenvals(otus.pcoa)),1)
as.data.frame(scores(otus.pcoa)) %>%
 rownames_to_column("sample_ID") %>%
 left_join(design) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = Dim1, y = Dim2, color = treatment)) +
  geom_point(size = 5, alpha = 0.7) +
  coord_fixed() +
  scale_color_manual(values = my.palette) +
  labs(x = paste0("PCoA 1 (", explained[1],"%)"),
       y = paste0("PCoA 2 (", explained[2],"%)")) +
  stat_ellipse() +
  ggsave("figures/ordination.png", width = 5, height = 5, units = "in", dpi = 500)
```

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```
# PERMANOVA
perma.otus <- adonis(otus.hel ~ treatment, method = "euclidean", data = design)
pander(perma.otus$aov.tab)</pre>
```

Table 1: Permutation: free

	Df	SumsOfSqs	MeanSqs	F.Model	R2	Pr(>F)
treatment	3	2.369	0.7898	4.43	0.5472	0.001
Residuals	11	1.961	0.1783	NA	0.4528	NA
Total	14	4.33	NA	NA	1	NA

```
pairwise.perm <- pairwise.perm.manova(resp = vegdist(otus.hel, method = "euclidean"),</pre>
                                       fact = design$treatment, nperm = 9999,
                                       R2 = TRUE, F = TRUE)
pairwise.perm$p.value
##
                 Control Freshwater Pulse
## Freshwater 0.08571429
## Pulse
              0.03780000
                             0.0378
## Press
              0.03780000
                             0.0378 0.0378
pairwise.perm$F.value
               Control Freshwater
                                      Pulse
## Freshwater 1.249765
                               NA
                                         NA
## Pulse
              2.440048
                         1.854390
## Press
              6.856599
                         7.396801 5.663425
pairwise.perm$R2.value
##
                Control Freshwater
                                        Pulse
## Freshwater 0.1999699
                                           NA
## Pulse
              0.3279613 0.2360960
                                           NΑ
              0.5782939 0.5521319 0.4855714
## Press
```

Quantitative predictors with Redundancy Analysis

```
env_vars <- env %>% select(DRP, NH4, NO2_3, Sulfides, Salinity, Soil_surface_temp)
rda.out <- rda(otus.hel ~ ., data = as.data.frame(scale(env_vars)))</pre>
# anova(rda.out)
# output:
# Model: rda(formula = otus.hel ~ DRP + NH4 + NO2_3 +
       Sulfides + Salinity + Soil\_surface\_temp, data = as.data.frame(scale(env\_vars)))
#
          Df Variance
                          F Pr(>F)
# Model
          6 0.18684 2.0298 0.004 **
# Residual 8 0.12273
# ---
\# anova(rda.out, by = "axis")
# output: Df Variance F
                               Pr(>F)
           1 0.117692 7.6717 0.003 **
# RDA1
# RDA2
          1 0.024181 1.5762 0.492
# RDA3
          1 0.012699 0.8278 1.000
# RDA4
          1 0.011460 0.7470 1.000
           1 0.010688 0.6967 0.980
# RDA5
# RDA6
           1 0.010116 0.6594 0.835
# Residual 8 0.122729
```

```
\# anova(rda.out, by = "terms")
# output:
#
                  Df Variance
                                  F Pr(>F)
# DRP
                  1 0.070641 4.6047 0.003 **
# NH4
                   1 0.041443 2.7014 0.016 *
                   1 0.013999 0.9125 0.416
# NO2 3
# Sulfides
                  1 0.016840 1.0977 0.297
# Salinity 1 0.025217 1.6438 0.099 .
# Residual
                    8 0.122729
env.vecs <- as.data.frame(rda.out$CCA$biplot[,c(1,2)])</pre>
scale.vecs <- 1
explained <- round(100*eigenvals(rda.out)[c(1,2)]/sum(eigenvals(rda.out)),1)
# create vector labels
env.vecs$labels <- c(</pre>
 "DRP",
 "NH<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup>",
 "NO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup>",
 "Sulfides",
 "Salinity",
 "Soil surface temp"
)
# plot constrained ordination
as.data.frame(scores(rda.out)$sites) %>%
 rownames_to_column("sample_ID") %>%
 left_join(design) %>%
 ggplot(aes(x = RDA1, y = RDA2, color = treatment)) +
 geom_hline(aes(yintercept = 0), alpha = 0.2) +
 geom_vline(aes(xintercept = 0), alpha = 0.2) +
 geom_point(size = 5, alpha = 0.6) +
 stat_ellipse(alpha = 0.8) +
 coord_fixed() +
 scale_color_manual("", values = my.palette) +
 scale_x_continuous(limits = c(-.5, 1.3)) +
 labs(x = paste0("RDA 1 (", explained[1],"%)"),
      y = paste0("RDA 2 (", explained[2],"%)")) +
 geom_segment(data = env.vecs, size = .5,
              aes(x = 0, y = 0,
                  xend = scale.vecs*RDA1,
                  yend = scale.vecs*RDA2),
              alpha = .7, color = "black",
              arrow = arrow(angle = 20,
                            length = unit(.1, "inches"),
                            type = "open")) +
 geom_richtext(alpha = 0.8, data = env.vecs, size = 3,
                 aes(x = (scale.vecs)*RDA1 + .05,
                     y = (scale.vecs)*RDA2 + .05,
                     label = labels),
                 color = "black",
               #label.padding = grid::unit(rep(0,4), "pt"),
```

```
label.color = NA, fill = NA,
                 nudge_y = c(-.05, -.01, 0, 0, 0, -.13),
                nudge_x = c(0.05,0,0.05,0.08,0.08,0)) +
  ggsave("figures/Fig2.png", width = 7, height = 5, units = "in", dpi = 500) +
  ggsave("figures/Fig2.pdf", width = 7, height = 5, units = "in")
## Joining, by = "sample_ID"
## Too few points to calculate an ellipse
## Warning: Removed 1 row(s) containing missing values (geom_path).
## Too few points to calculate an ellipse
## Warning: Removed 1 row(s) containing missing values (geom_path).
## Too few points to calculate an ellipse
## Warning: Removed 1 row(s) containing missing values (geom_path).
                 1.0
                 0.5
                                                    NH
             RDA 2 (7.8%)
                                                 → DRP
                                                                         Control
                                                 Soil surface temp
                                                                         Freshwater
                 0.0
                                                                         Pulse
                                      NØ3-
                                                                         Press
                                         Sulfides
                -0.5
```

Taxonomic analyses

-1.0

-0.5

0.0

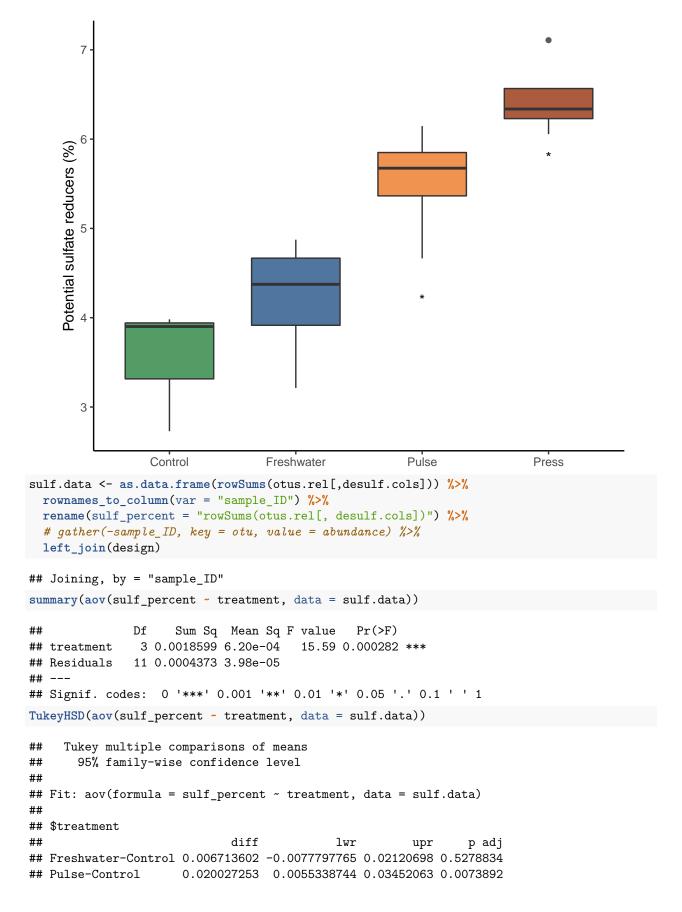
0.5

RDA 1 (38%)

1.0

Salinity

```
## Warning: Expected 7 pieces. Missing pieces filled with `NA` in 36880 rows [1, 2,
## 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, ...].
# separate putative sulfate reducers
desulf.tax <- tax.expand %>%
 group_by(domain, phylum, class, order, family, genus, species) %>%
 filter(stringr::str_detect(order, "sulf")|stringr::str_detect(order, "Sulf"))
#unique(desulf.tax$OTU)
desulf.cols <- which(colnames(otus) %in% paste0("otu",desulf.tax$OTU))</pre>
otus.rel <- decostand(otus, method = "total")</pre>
# plot
sulf.plot <- as.data.frame(rowSums(otus.rel[,desulf.cols])) %>%
  rownames_to_column(var = "sample_ID") %>%
  rename(sulf_percent = "rowSums(otus.rel[, desulf.cols])") %>%
  # gather(-sample_ID, key = otu, value = abundance) %>%
 left_join(design) %>%
  group_by(date, treatment, molecule) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = treatment, y = sulf_percent*100, fill = treatment)) +
  #geom_jitter(alpha = 0.25, show.legend = F) +
  geom_boxplot(alpha = .8, width = .7) +
  #scale y log10() +
  annotate("text", x = "Press", y = 5.8, label = "*", size = 4) +
  annotate("text", x = "Pulse", y = 4.2, label = "*", size = 4) +
  scale_fill_manual(values = my.palette) +
  theme(legend.position = "none") +
  labs(y = "Potential sulfate reducers (%)", x = "") +
  ggsave("figures/Fig3a.png", width = 4, height = 3, units = "in", dpi = 500) +
  ggsave("figures/Fig3a.pdf", width = 4, height = 3, units = "in")
## Joining, by = "sample_ID"
sulf.plot
```



```
## Press-Control
## Pulse-Freshwater 0.013313651 -0.0001046102 0.02673191 0.0519878
## Press-Freshwater 0.022509696 0.0090914347 0.03592796 0.0017966
## Press-Pulse
                     0.009196045 -0.0042222161 0.02261431 0.2243040
# separate putative methanogens
methan.tax <- tax.expand %>%
 group_by(domain, phylum, class, order, family, genus, species) %>%
 filter(domain == "d:Archaea") %>%
 filter(stringr::str_detect(order, "Meth") | stringr::str_detect(genus, "Meth"))
#unique(methan.tax$OTU)
methan.cols <- which(colnames(otus) %in% paste0("otu",methan.tax$OTU))</pre>
methan.plot <- as.data.frame(rowSums(otus.rel[,methan.cols])) %>%
 rownames_to_column(var = "sample_ID") %>%
 rename(methan_percent = "rowSums(otus.rel[, methan.cols])") %>%
 # gather(-sample_ID, key = otu, value = abundance) %>%
 left_join(design) %>%
 group_by(date, treatment, molecule) %>%
 ggplot(aes(x = treatment, y = methan_percent*100, fill = treatment)) +
 #geom_jitter(alpha = 0.25, show.legend = F) +
 geom_boxplot(alpha = .8, width = 0.7) +
 scale fill manual(values = my.palette) +
 theme(legend.position = "none") +
 #scale_y_log10() +
 labs(y = "Potential methanogens (%)", x = "") +
 ggsave("figures/Fig3b.png", width = 4, height = 3, units = "in", dpi = 500) +
 ggsave("figures/Fig3b.pdf", width = 4, height = 3, units = "in")
## Joining, by = "sample_ID"
methan.plot
```

```
2.0
       1.5
    Potential methanogens (%)
       0.5
                   Control
                                    Freshwater
                                                         Pulse
                                                                            Press
methan.dat <- as.data.frame(rowSums(otus.rel[,methan.cols])) %>%
  rownames_to_column(var = "sample_ID") %>%
  rename(methan_percent = "rowSums(otus.rel[, methan.cols])") %>%
  # gather(-sample_ID, key = otu, value = abundance) %>%
 left_join(design)
## Joining, by = "sample_ID"
summary(aov(methan_percent ~ treatment, data = methan.dat))
##
               Df
                      Sum Sq
                               Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
## treatment
                3 2.954e-05 9.848e-06
                                         0.476 0.705
## Residuals
               11 2.273e-04 2.067e-05
TukeyHSD(aov(methan_percent ~ treatment, data = methan.dat))
##
     Tukey multiple comparisons of means
##
       95% family-wise confidence level
##
## Fit: aov(formula = methan_percent ~ treatment, data = methan.dat)
##
## $treatment
##
                                diff
                                               lwr
                                                           upr
                                                                    p adj
## Freshwater-Control 0.0015728544 -0.008877024 0.012022733 0.9676605
## Pulse-Control
                        0.0026821798 -0.007767698 0.013132058 0.8652156
## Press-Control
                       -0.0008746492 -0.011324527 0.009575229 0.9940594
## Pulse-Freshwater
                        0.0011093253 -0.008565382 0.010784032 0.9851204
```

