Supplementary Information

Seasonal Dynamics of Epiphytic Microbial Communities on Marine Macrophyte Surfaces

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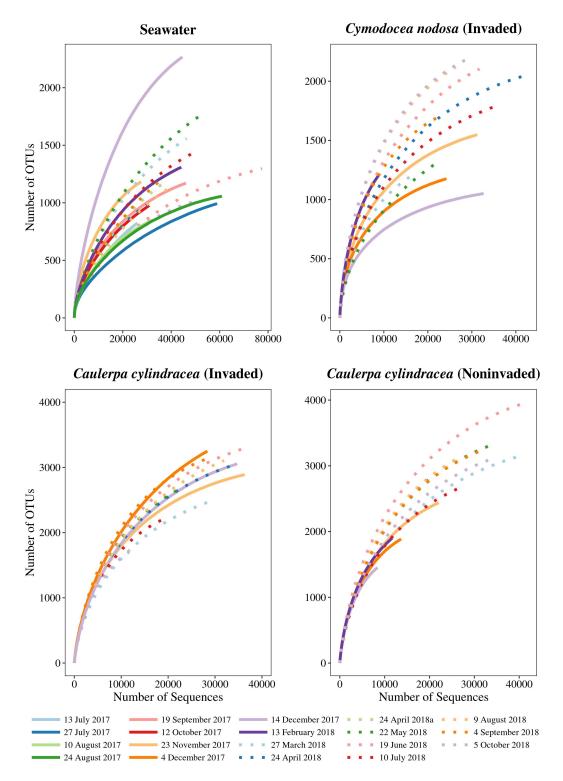


Figure S1. Rarefaction curves of bacterial and archaeal communities from the surfaces of macrophytes (*Cymodocea nodosa* [Invaded] and *Caulerpa cylindracea* [Invaded and Noninvaded]) and in the surrounding seawater.

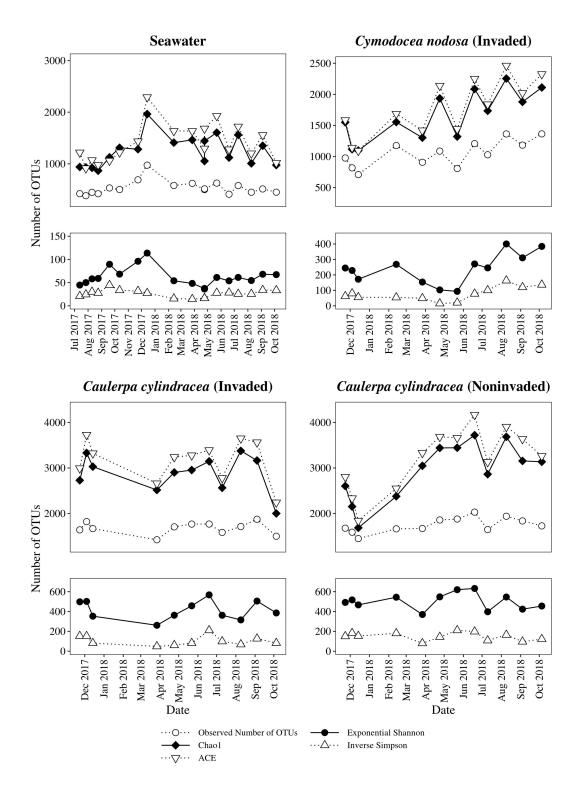


Figure S2. Seasonal dynamics of observed number of OTUs, Chao1, ACE, exponential of the Shannon Diversity Index and Inverse Simpson Index of bacterial and archaeal communities from the surfaces of macrophytes (*Cymodocea nodosa* [Invaded] and *Caulerpa cylindracea* [Invaded and Noninvaded]) and in the surrounding seawater.

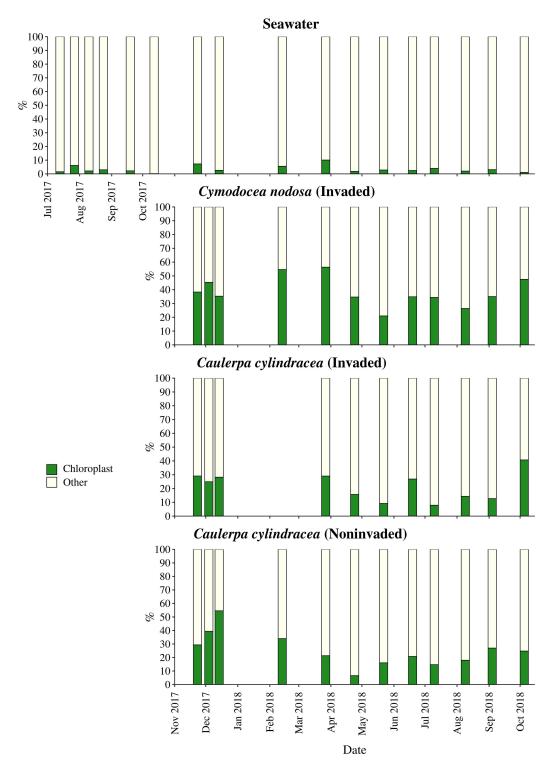


Figure S3. Relative contribution of chloroplast sequences on the surfaces of macrophytes (*Cymodocea nodosa* [Invaded] and *Caulerpa cylindracea* [Invaded and Noninvaded]) and in the surrounding seawater.

2 Supplementary Table

Table S1. Sample ID, Community Type, Sampling Date and Season, No. of Sequences and No. of OTUs of each sample. No. of Sequences and OTUs was calculated after the exclusion of eukaryotic, chloroplast, mitochondrial and no relative sequences.

Sample ID	Community Type	Date	Season	No. of Sequences	No. of OTUs
3	Seawater	13 July 2017	Summer	26,008	824
5	Seawater	27 July 2017	Summer	58,955	993
7	Seawater	10 August 2017	Summer	32,626	852
9	Seawater	24 August 2017	Summer	60,929	1,058
11	Seawater	19 September 2017	Summer	46,111	1,171
13	Seawater	12 October 2017	Autumn	30,937	976
15	Seawater	23 November 2017	Autumn	27,581	1,183
17	Seawater	14 December 2017	Autumn	44,595	2,267
19	Seawater	13 February 2018	Winter	44,186	1,309
21	Seawater	27 March 2018	Winter	46,307	1,559
23a	Seawater	24 April 2018	Spring	30,970	998
23b	Seawater	24 April 2018	Spring	38,560	1,200
25	Seawater	22 May 2018	Spring	53,880	1,783
27	Seawater	19 June 2018	Spring	77,465	1,297
29	Seawater	10 July 2018	Summer	50,794	1,451
31	Seawater	9 August 2018	Summer	39,049	1,129
33	Seawater	4 September 2018	Summer	36,206	1,205
35	Seawater	5 October 2018	Autumn	49,580	1,013
37	Cymodocea nodosa (Invaded)	23 November 2017	Autumn	31,235	1,548
41	Cymodocea nodosa (Invaded)	4 December 2017	Autumn	24,237	1,176
45	Cymodocea nodosa (Invaded)	14 December 2017	Autumn	32,683	1,051
49	Cymodocea nodosa (Invaded)	13 February 2018	Winter	9,087	1,218
52	Cymodocea nodosa (Invaded)	27 March 2018	Winter	17,003	1,218
55	Cymodocea nodosa (Invaded)	24 April 2018	Spring	42,640	2,054
58	Cymodocea nodosa (Invaded)	22 May 2018	Spring	21,337	1,292
61	Cymodocea nodosa (Invaded)	19 June 2018	Spring	31,735	2,104
64	Cymodocea nodosa (Invaded)	10 July 2018	Summer	35,733	1,792
67	Cymodocea nodosa (Invaded)	9 August 2018	Summer	26,362	2,119

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70	Cymodocea nodosa (Invaded)	4 September 2018	Summer	23,278	1,715
73	Cymodocea nodosa (Invaded)	5 October 2018	Autumn	29,909	2,205
38	Caulerpa cylindracea (Invaded)	23 November 2017	Autumn	36,321	2,889
42	Caulerpa cylindracea (Invaded)	4 December 2017	Autumn	28,370	3,249
46	Caulerpa cylindracea (Invaded)	14 December 2017	Autumn	34,720	3,054
53	Caulerpa cylindracea (Invaded)	27 March 2018	Winter	28,696	2,472
56	Caulerpa cylindracea (Invaded)	24 April 2018	Spring	34,773	3,054
59	Caulerpa cylindracea (Invaded)	22 May 2018	Spring	23,397	2,706
62	Caulerpa cylindracea (Invaded)	19 June 2018	Spring	36,477	3,299
65	Caulerpa cylindracea (Invaded)	10 July 2018	Summer	18,485	2,188
68	Caulerpa cylindracea (Invaded)	9 August 2018	Summer	31,940	3,103
71	Caulerpa cylindracea (Invaded)	4 September 2018	Summer	29,281	3,160
74	Caulerpa cylindracea (Invaded)	5 October 2018	Autumn	11,705	1,705
39	Caulerpa cylindracea (Nonnvaded)	23 November 2017	Autumn	22,064	2,438
43	Caulerpa cylindracea (Nonnvaded)	4 December 2017	Autumn	13,661	1,887
47	Caulerpa cylindracea (Nonnvaded)	14 December 2017	Autumn	8,410	1,451
51	Caulerpa cylindracea (Nonnvaded)	13 February 2018	Winter	11,676	1,901
54	Caulerpa cylindracea (Nonnvaded)	27 March 2018	Winter	39,472	3,136
57	Caulerpa cylindracea (Nonnvaded)	24 April 2018	Spring	20,298	2,822
60	Caulerpa cylindracea (Nonnvaded)	22 May 2018	Spring	33,047	3,297
63	Caulerpa cylindracea (Nonnvaded)	19 June 2018	Spring	41,833	3,968
66	Caulerpa cylindracea (Nonnvaded)	10 July 2018	Summer	27,036	2,674
69	Caulerpa cylindracea (Nonnvaded)	9 August 2018	Summer	26,737	3,130
72	Caulerpa cylindracea (Nonnvaded)	4 September 2018	Summer	31,869	3,240
75	Caulerpa cylindracea (Nonnvaded)	5 October 2018	Autumn	33,068	3,086