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Biodiversity knowledge synthesis: an introduction to meta-analyses and systematic reviews

Quantitative data extraction

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Extraction of quantitative data

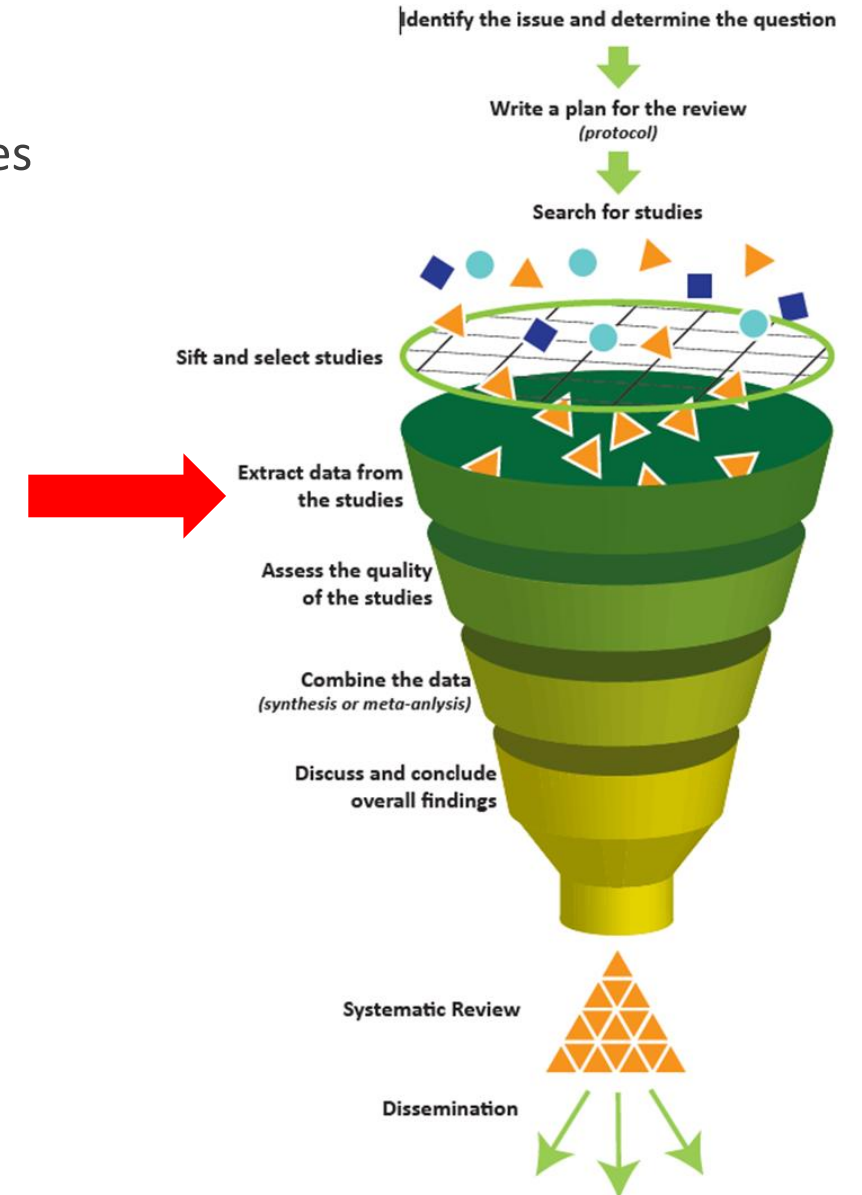
Extraction of the data needed to calculate effect sizes
(e.g. mean, sample size, sd/se/95% CI)

+ extraction of variables that could explain the
heterogeneity of effect sizes (*effect modifiers*)

Extraction from

- text
- table
- figure
- supp. mat.

+ calculations may be needed (keep a record)



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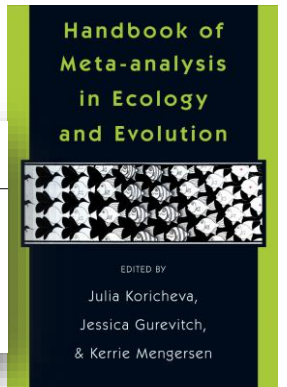
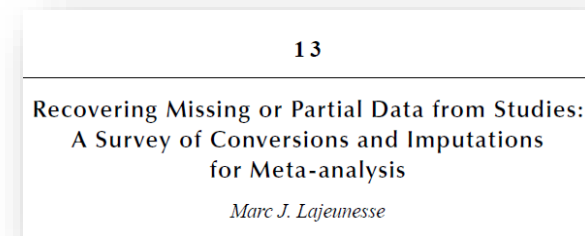
! Warning !

Data extraction is time-consuming: clearly define the extraction grid and the effect modifiers to be extracted

Importance of **testing** the extraction sheet on a sample of articles to check that it matches the content of the studies

Document the work/decisions (transparency, repeatability)

Decide what to do in case of **missing information** ("missing data", contact the authors, imputation)



Consistency check

To be sure that data extraction is objective / robust:

- Data extraction of each study carried out **independently** by 2 people
- if several people share the work, **check the consistency of data extraction** between people on a sample before starting the actual extraction (discuss any disagreements)
- if only 1 person, have someone to check a sample of the extracted data at the start of the work (discuss any disagreements)

Example of extraction sheet

A study = a taxon × an exposure × an outcome

Case study level: ex. several concentrations of a chemical

IDdata	ID_map	author	...	taxon	Population_descri	Life_stage	Type_system	Tempera	pH
ScreenTA_9680	880	Cantin, N.E. ...		<i>Acropora tenuis</i>	Colonies	Adult	500 L outdoor tank	27.5	NA
ScreenTA_9680	880	Cantin, N.E. ...		<i>Acropora tenuis</i>	Colonies	Adult	500 L outdoor tank	27.5	NA
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ScreenTA_9680	884	Cantin, N.E. ...		<i>Acropora valida</i>	Colonies	Adult	500 L outdoor tank	27.5	NA
ScreenTA_9680	889	Cantin, N.E. ...		<i>Pocillopora damicornis</i>	Colonies	Adult	500 L outdoor tank	27.5	NA
ScreenTA_9680	889	Cantin, N.E. ...		<i>Pocillopora damicornis</i>	Colonies	Adult	500 L outdoor tank	27.5	NA

Treatment_description	Control_description	Solvent	Concentration_nom	Concentration_eff	Duration	Measured_variable	Time_after
Diuron	Unfiltered oceanic seawater	No	1 µg/L	0.91 µg/L	53 days	Symbiodinium density / total protein	NA
Diuron	Unfiltered oceanic seawater	No	10 µg/L	8.8 µg/L	53 days	Symbiodinium density / total protein	NA
Diuron	Unfiltered oceanic seawater	No	1 µg/L	0.91 µg/L	90 days	Symbiodinium density / total protein	NA
Diuron	Unfiltered oceanic seawater	No	10 µg/L	8.8 µg/L	90 days	Symbiodinium density / total protein	NA
Diuron	Unfiltered oceanic seawater	No	1 µg/L	0.91 µg/L	67 days	Symbiodinium density / total protein	NA
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Metaanalyse_data	unit	ID_experiment	ID_case	ID_common_control	N_c	Mean_c	Type_variation_c	Variation_c	N_t	Mean_t	Type_variation_t	Variation_t
OK (Fig3, SE, n=6)	x 10 ⁶ / mg protein	1	3	1	6	4.2	sd	1.714642819	6	3.5142857	sd	0.979795897
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What if there is no quantitative data?

➔ Narrative synthesis of the results

Text description of the results + narrative synthesis table

Effects that were **statistically tested**

Table 9 Summary table of the findings detailed in the narrative synthesis (except the "Other category")

Chemical	Exposure	Effect	Species	Bias
Detergent				
Linear alkylbenzene sulfonate [74]	0.75, 1 and 5 mg/L for 24 h	Decrease in horizontal tissue growth	<i>Stylophora pistillata</i> , <i>Pocillopora damicornis</i>	L
Nonylphenol ethoxylate [74]	0.1—5 mg/L for 24 h	[No effect on horizontal tissue growth]	<i>Stylophora pistillata</i> , <i>Pocillopora damicornis</i>	L
4-nonylphenol [75]	1 ppb for 42 days	[No effect on release of planula, cholesterol, estrone, estradiol, testosterone, progesterone, and 3-beta-hydroxysteroid dehydrogenase, cytochrome P450, glutathione-S-transferase, and beta-glucuronidase activity]	<i>Pocillopora damicornis</i>	U
4-nonylphenol [75]	1 ppb for 42 days	increase in UDP-Glycosyltransferase activity and decrease in sulfotransferase 1A1 activity	<i>Pocillopora damicornis</i>	U
Dispersant				
Corexit 9527 [76]	1 ppm for 24 h	[No effect on polyp retraction]	<i>Pseudodiploria strigosa</i>	L
Corexit 9527 [78]	1 ppm for 8 h	[no effect on incorporation of photosynthetic carbon in tissues]	<i>Pseudodiploria strigosa</i>	U
Corexit 9527 [79]	1–50 ppm for 8 h	[No effect on the gene expression of the heat shock protein Hsp90]	<i>Orbicella franksi</i>	U
Corexit 9527 [79]	10 and 50 ppm for 8 h	increase in the gene expression of P-glyco-protein	<i>Orbicella franksi</i>	U
Corexit 9527 [79]	5, 10 and 50 ppm for 8 h	increase in the gene expression of the heat shock protein Hsp70	<i>Orbicella franksi</i>	U

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Example narrative synthesis table

author	title	year	taxon	Treatment_description	Concentration_nom	Measured_outcome_cat	Narrative_result	Result_description	Result_reference	Effect_direction
Shafir, S. and Halperin,	Toxicology of household detergent	2014	Stylophora pi	Linear alkylbenzene sulfonates	0.1 mg/L	Tissue growth	(ns)	At lower doses of 0.1 and Text p. 7		(ns)
Shafir, S. and Halperin,	Toxicology of household detergent	2014	Stylophora pi	Linear alkylbenzene sulfonates	0.25 mg/L	Tissue growth	(ns)	At lower doses of 0.1 and Text p. 7		(ns)
Shafir, S. and Halperin,	Toxicology of household detergent	2014	Stylophora pi	Linear alkylbenzene sulfonates	0.75 mg/L	Tissue growth	(-)	At concentrations of 0.75 Text p. 7		(-)
Shafir, S. and Halperin,	Toxicology of household detergent	2014	Stylophora pi	Linear alkylbenzene sulfonates	1 mg/L	Tissue growth	(-)	At concentrations of 0.75 Text p. 7		(-)
Shafir, S. and Halperin,	Toxicology of household detergent	2014	Stylophora pi	Linear alkylbenzene sulfonates	5 mg/L	Tissue growth	(-)	At concentrations of 0.75 Text p. 7		(-)
Shafir, S. and Halperin,	Toxicology of household detergent	2014	Pocillopora d	Linear alkylbenzene sulfonates	0.1 mg/L	Tissue growth	(ns)	At lower doses of 0.1 and Text p. 7		(ns)
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Shafir, S. and Halperin,	Toxicology of household detergent	2014	Pocillopora d	Linear alkylbenzene sulfonates	1 mg/L	Tissue growth	(-)	At concentrations of 0.75 Text p. 7		(-)
Shafir, S. and Halperin,	Toxicology of household detergent	2014	Pocillopora d	Linear alkylbenzene sulfonates	5 mg/L	Tissue growth	(-)	At concentrations of 0.75 Text p. 7		(-)
Shafir, S. and Halperin,	Toxicology of household detergent	2014	Stylophora pi	Nonylphenol ethoxylate (NPE, h	0.1 mg/L	Tissue growth	(ns)	Horizontal growth under Text p. 7		(ns)
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Shafir, S. and Halperin,	Toxicology of household detergent	2014	Pocillopora d	Nonylphenol ethoxylate (NPE, h	5 mg/L	Tissue growth	(ns)	Horizontal growth under Text p. 7		(ns)
Silva, D.P. and Villela, F	Multi-domain probiotic consort	2021	Millepora alc	Corexit 9500	0.05% v/v	Microbiome	(ns)	Species diversity, repress Text p. 7		(ns)

What if there is no quantitative data?

! Warning !

No vote counting

Table 7 Summary of the main effects found for the specific question Q2 (role of habitat of LTI verges) for each biological group (birds, small mammals, bats, other mammals, amphibians, and reptiles), LTI (roads, waterways, powerlines, and railways), and risk of bias (low or medium)

	Risk of bias	Roads	Waterways	Powerlines	Railways
Birds	Low	(3) – or NS [+ <i>Molothrus ater</i>]	(1) NS or +	(3) NS or + [– forest interior species]	/
	Medium	(10) Depends on species	(2) +	(2) NS [– <i>Iridoprocne bicolor</i>]	/
Small mammals	Low	(4) NS or + [–]	/	(1) NS or + [– <i>Antechinus agilis</i>]	/
	Medium	(5) NS or +	/	/	(3) NS [+]
Bats	Low	/	/	/	/
	Medium	(6) Depends on species	(8) NS or +	/	(1) – or NS
Other mammals	Low	/	/	/	/
	Medium	(2) NS or +	/	(1) NS or +	/
Amphibians	Low	/	/	/	/
	Medium	/	(1) NS or + [–]	/	/
Reptiles	Low	/	(1) NS or +	/	/
	Medium	/	/	/	/

No study about pipelines were included in the review. All outcomes related to abundance, diversity or demography were considered here but outcomes related to similarity between communities were not. The number of studies is indicated in parenthesis, "–" indicates a negative effect of exposure to LTI (i.e. lower biodiversity in LTI verges compared to similar habitats away from LTIs), "NS" statistically non-significant ($P > 0.05$) differences between LTI verges and similar habitats away from LTI, and "+" a positive effect of exposure to LTI (i.e. higher biodiversity in LTI verges compared to similar habitats away from LTIs). Effects indicated in brackets were exceptions to the main effects reported. Studies with no information on biological group [54] or with results mixed for several groups [76] were not included

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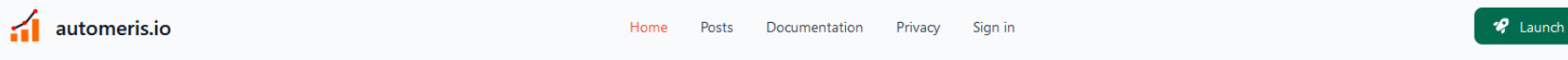
Example narrative synthesis table

Table S4: Key results of the seven studies included in the narrative synthesis of the question: Are vertebrate movements in LTI verges equal to, higher, or lower than their movements in similar habitats away from LTIs? (question Q4)

[ref]	Reference	Risk of bias	Country	Biological group	LTI	LTI verge	Comparison	Key results	Grp.
[80]	Andersen et al., 2017	Low	Australia	Other mammals	Road	Roadsides	4WD tracks that receive limited or no traffic	(+) <i>Sarcophilus harrisii</i> individuals were eight and a half times more likely to be along a sealed road, [...] and almost three times more likely to be along a 4WD track than away from a road (text p. 2, confidence intervals do not overlap in table 1). (ns) <i>Dasyurus maculatus</i> individuals were similarly likely to be along a sealed road or a 4WD track than away from a road (table 1, confidence intervals overlap).	i
[81]	Robley et al., 2010	Low	Australia	Other mammals	Road	Roadsides	Watercourses sides	(+) Wild dogs (<i>Canis lupus dingo</i> , <i>C. l. familiaris</i> and hybrids of the two) displayed differential use of linear habitat features. They were found more often than expected within 25 m of roads, and less often than expected within 25 m of watercourses (text p. 4).	j
[82]	Hinton et al., 2016	Medium	United States of America	Other mammals <i>Canis rufus</i>	Road	Roadsides	Habitat edges	(ns) Transient [i.e. moving] red wolves strongly selected for edges and roads (text p. 12, table 5 confidence intervals overlap).	i
[83]	Trewhella and Harris, 1990	Medium	United Kingdom	Other mammals <i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	Railway	500-m square grid cells with railway lines	500-m square grid cells without railway lines	(ns) There was no evidence that the distribution of dispersal movements was other than randomly distributed for foxes in both "railway" and "non railway" squares (text p. 3).	i
[84]	Syrovodova et al., 2007	Low	Czech Republic	Other mammals	Road	Roadsides	Sides of gravel roads or unstabilized forest paths	(ns) Contrary to the prediction of the "travel line" hypothesis, no difference was found in predation rate between edge and interior nests. Similarly, nest predation was not either significantly associated with the road type (text p. 4).	j
[85]	Vignieri, 2005	Medium	United States of America	Small mammals <i>Zapus trinotatus</i>	Waterway	Distance travelled along river only	Genetic distance	(ns) There was no relationship between genetic distance and river distance (text p.10).	j
[86]	Wilson et al., 2016	Medium	United Kingdom	Small mammals <i>Apodemus sylvaticus</i>	Road, railway, waterway	Distance along roads, rivers, or railways	Genetic distance	(ns) The distance along roads, railways or rivers did not explain significantly genetic differentiation patterns in either [arable or urban] habitat (Table 5) (text p. 5).	j

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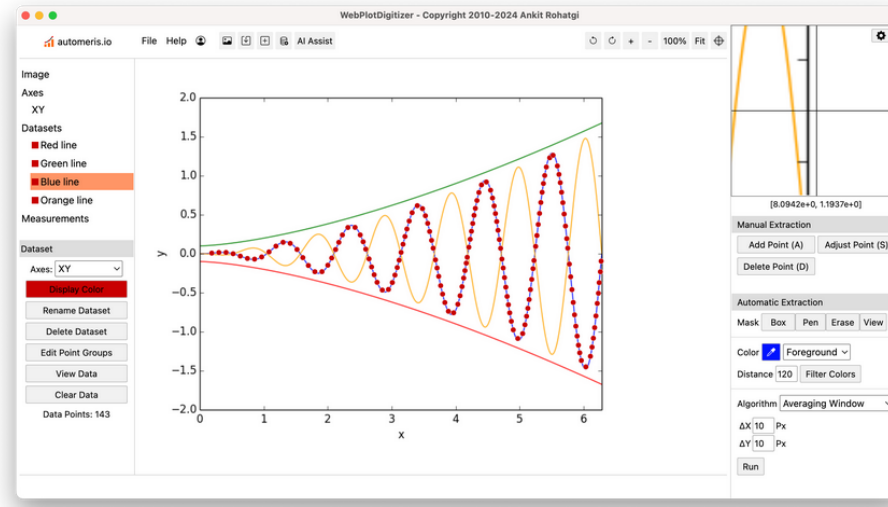
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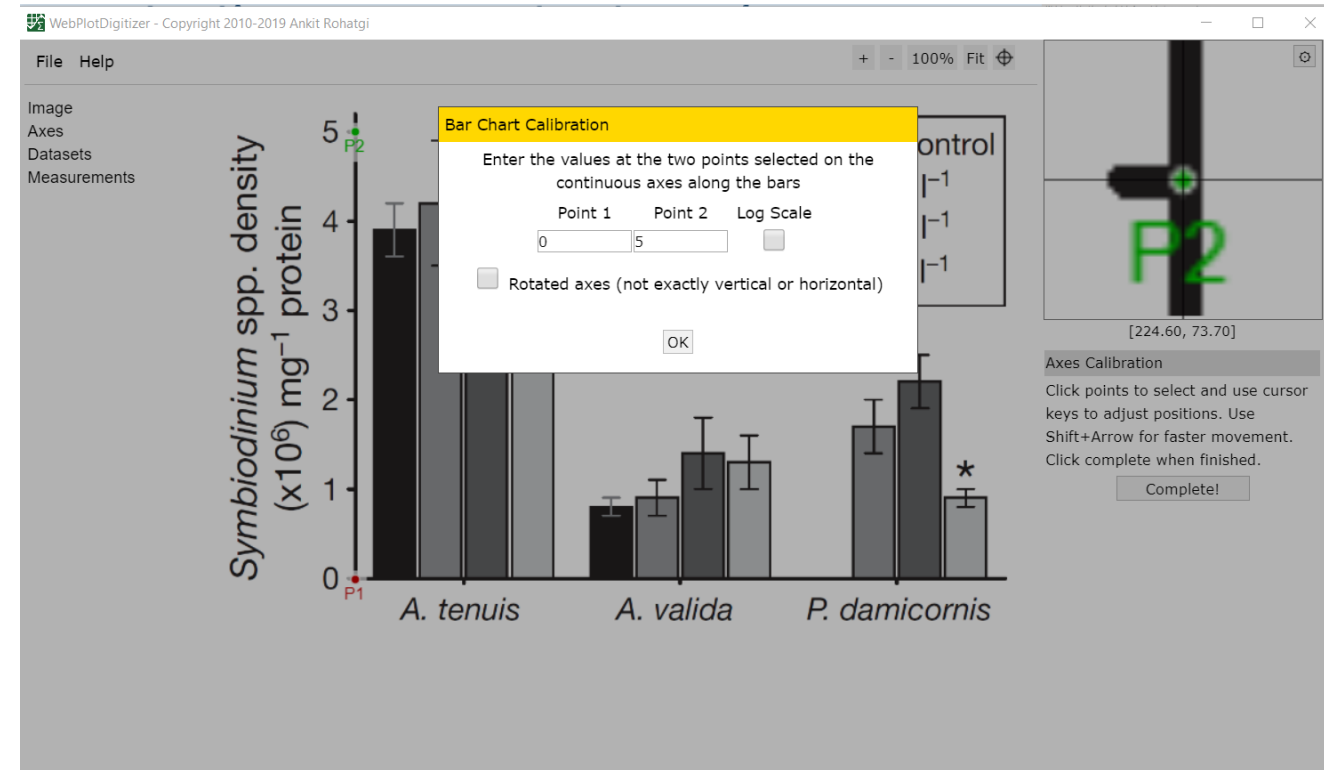
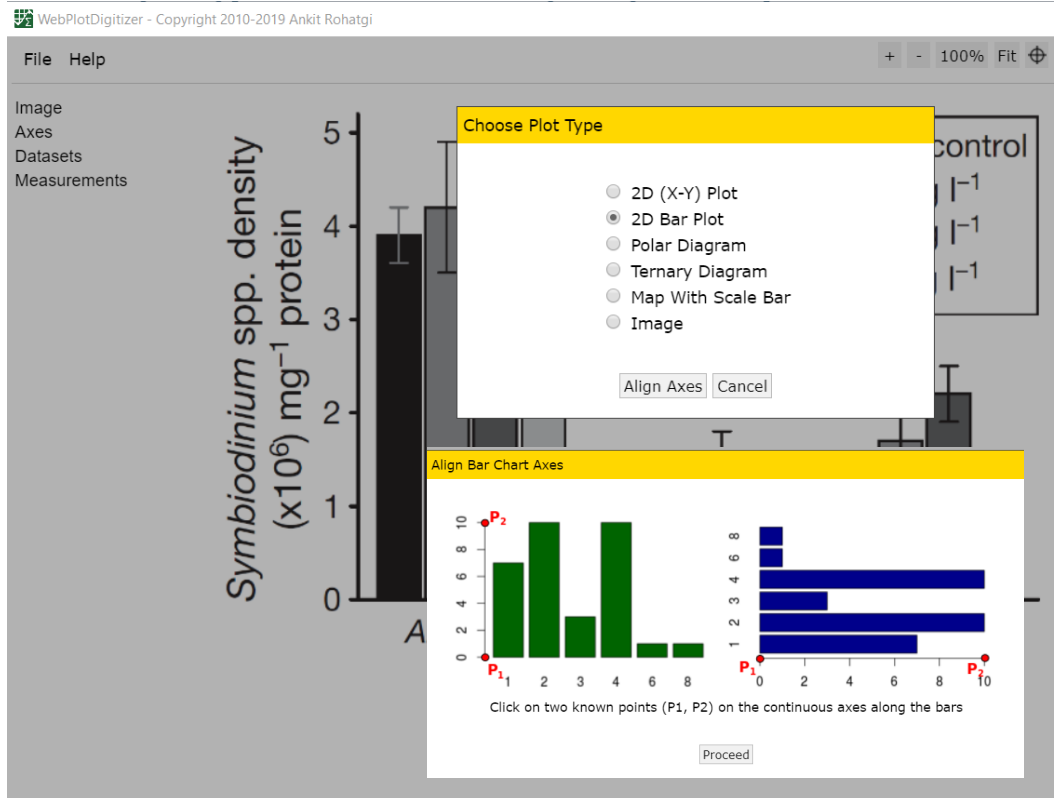
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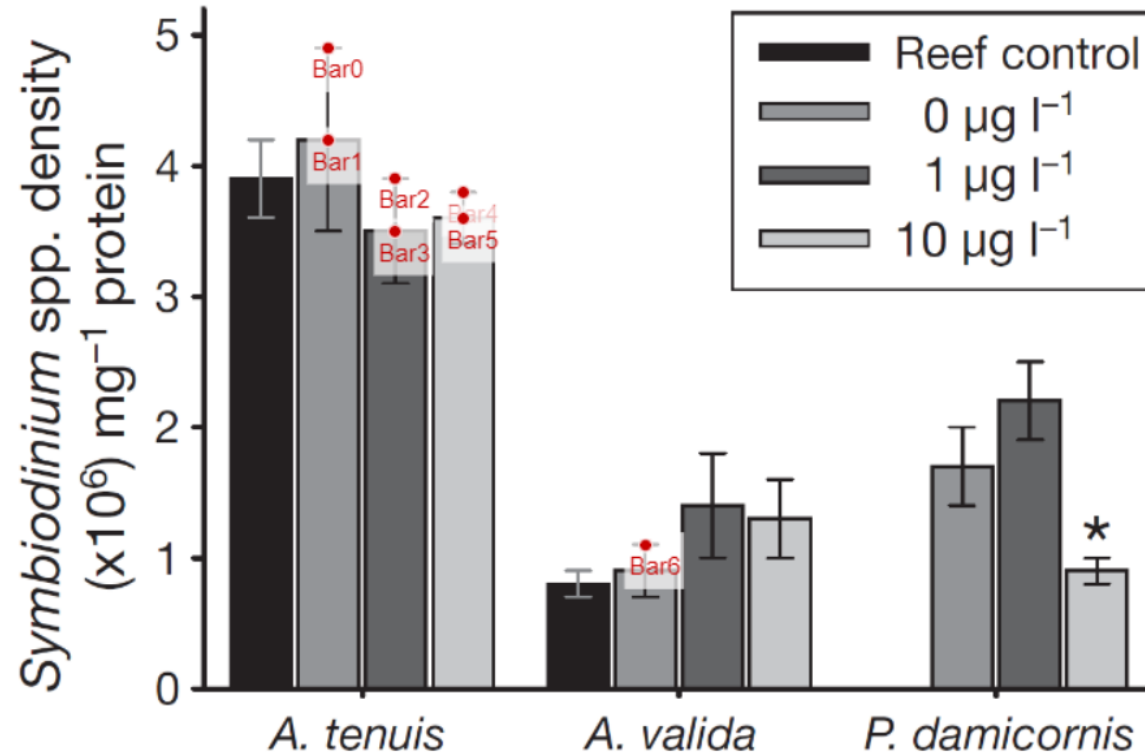
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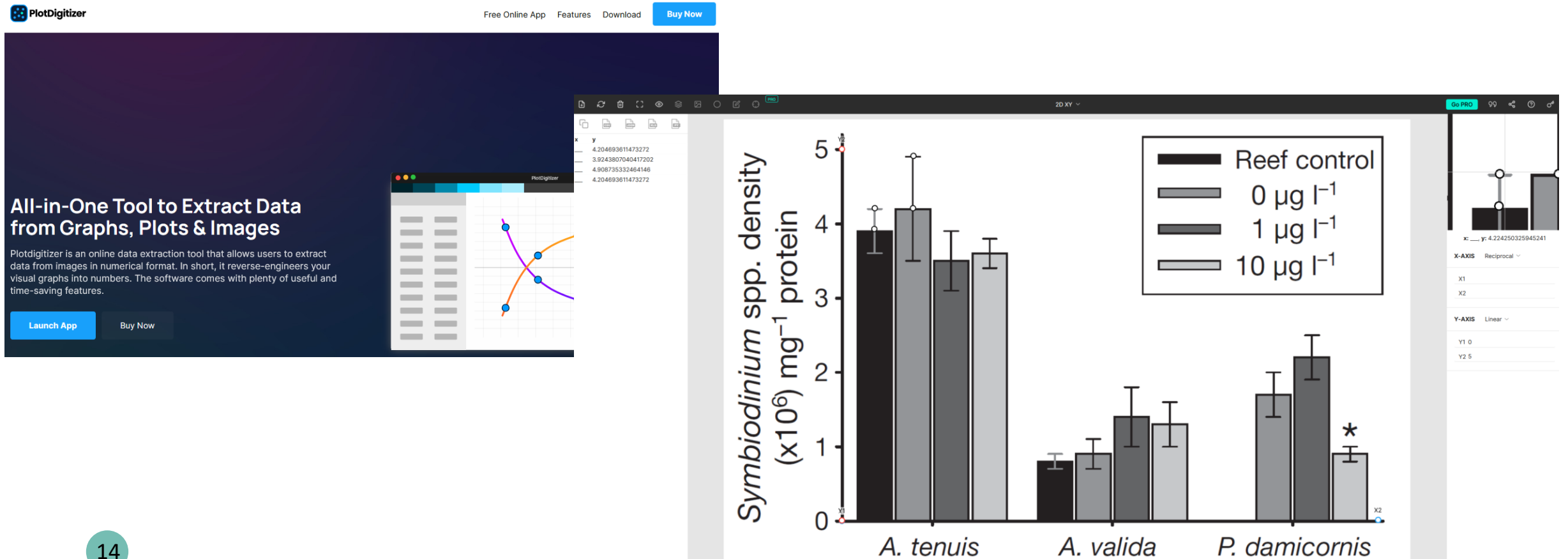
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Plotdigitizer <https://plotdigitizer.com/>



Tools for extracting data from figures: metaDigitise

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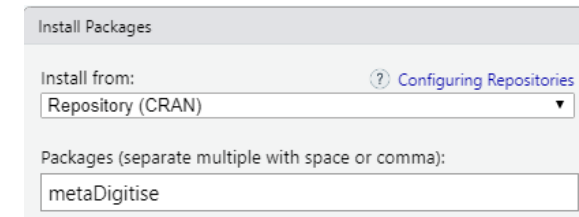
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APPLICATION

Methods in Ecology and Evolution 

Reproducible, flexible and high-throughput data extraction from primary literature: The METADIGITISE R package

Joel L. Pick  | Shinichi Nakagawa | Daniel W. A. Noble 



(+) possible to save, trace and modify data extraction

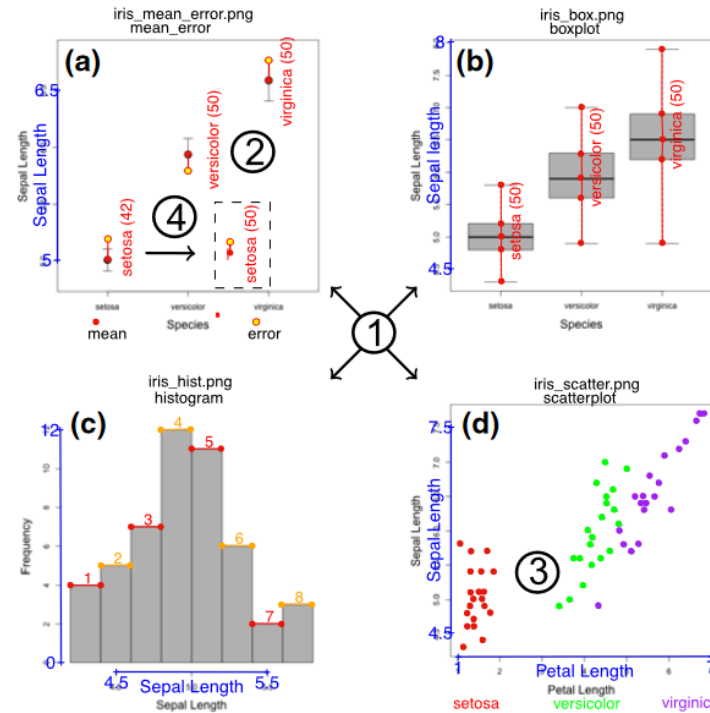
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Tools for extracting data from figures: metaDigitise

metaDigitise

Plot interface



Data output

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iris_box.png	Sepal length	virginica	6.49	0.603	50	NA	boxplot
iris_hist.png	Sepal Length	setosa	4.95	0.364	50	NA	histogram
iris_mean_error.png	Sepal Length	setosa	5.01	0.680	50	NA	mean_error
iris_mean_error.png	Sepal Length	versicolor	5.94	1.025	50	NA	mean_error
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iris_scatter.png	Petal Length	setosa	1.44	0.215	20	0.109	scatterplot
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FUNCTIONALITY

① Different plot types

Capable of handling A) mean error plots, B) boxplots, C) histograms and D) scatterplots

② Entry of Metadata

Enter sample sizes variable and group names while digitising that are displayed on plot

③ Grouped Data

Enter as many groups as needed to capture descriptive statistics for sub-samples of data

④ Digitise, edit or replot digitisations

Simple user interface to guide user. Can digitise new images, edit digitisations or easily replot previous digitisations and metadata by cycling through images or choosing specific images

⑤ Summarising data

Get descriptive statistics automatically calculated for all plot types or use raw x,y data, if desired

⑥ Multiple image processing

Process as many images at once as needed and of varying types efficiently and quickly. New plots automatically plotted for digitisation

Tools for extracting data from figures: metaDigitise

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> dat <- metaDigitise(dir = "./figs")

Do you want to...

1: Process new images
2: Import existing data
3: Edit existing data

Sélection : 1

Are all plot types Different or the Same? (d/s)
s

Please specify the plot_type as either:

m: Mean and error
b: Box plot
s: Scatter plot
h: Histogram

m

**** NEW PLOT ****

mean_error and boxplots should be vertically orientated

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If they are not then chose flip to correct this.

If figures are wonky, chose rotate.

Otherwise chose continue

Flip, rotate or continue (f/r/c)
c
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What is the y variable?
Fv/Fm

On the Figure, click IN ORDER:
y1, y2

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y1
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Step 2 ----> Click on another known value on y axis - y2
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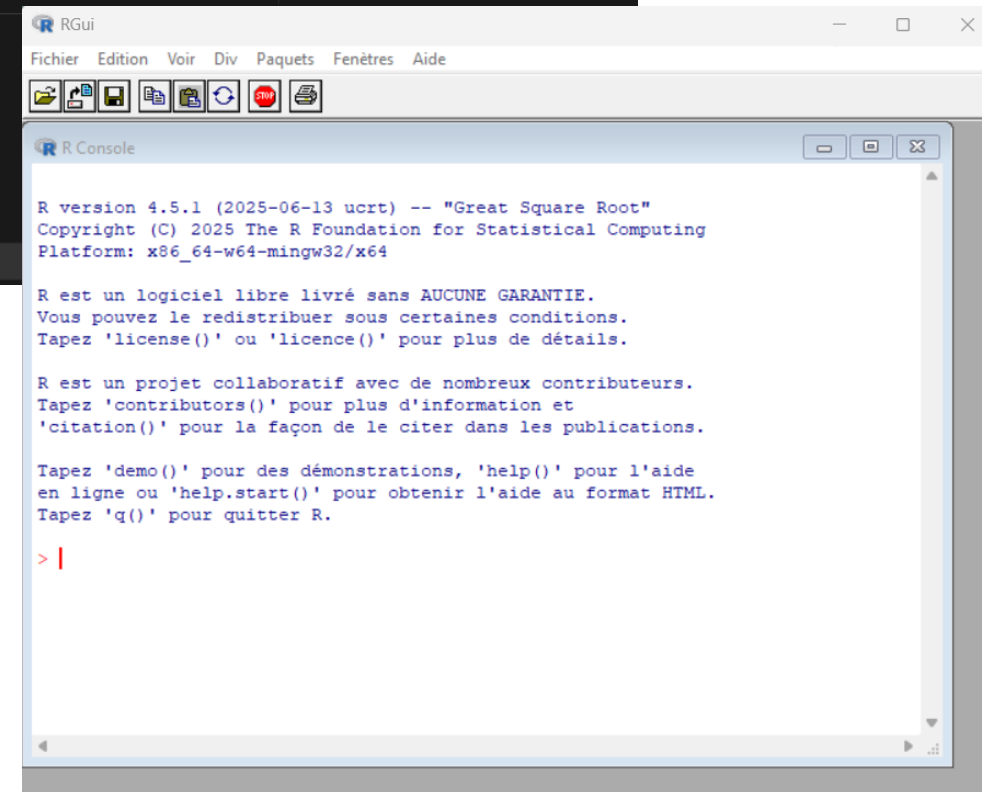
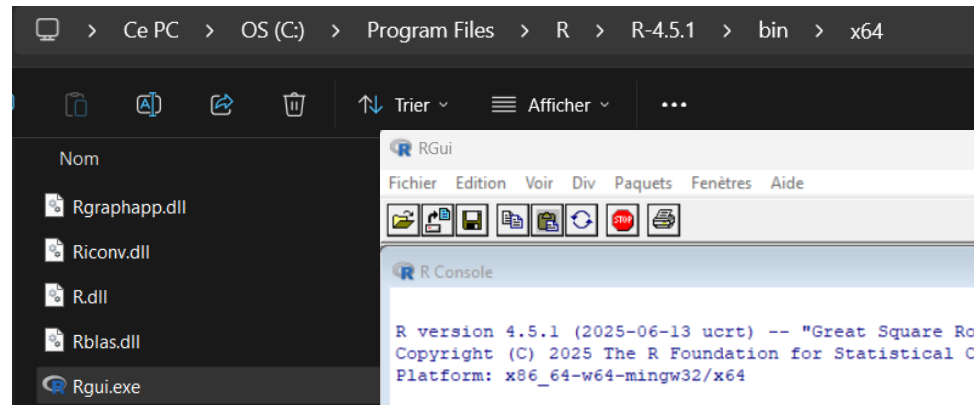
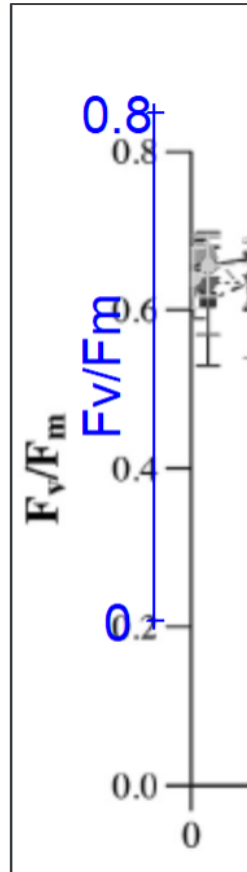
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What is the value of y2 ?
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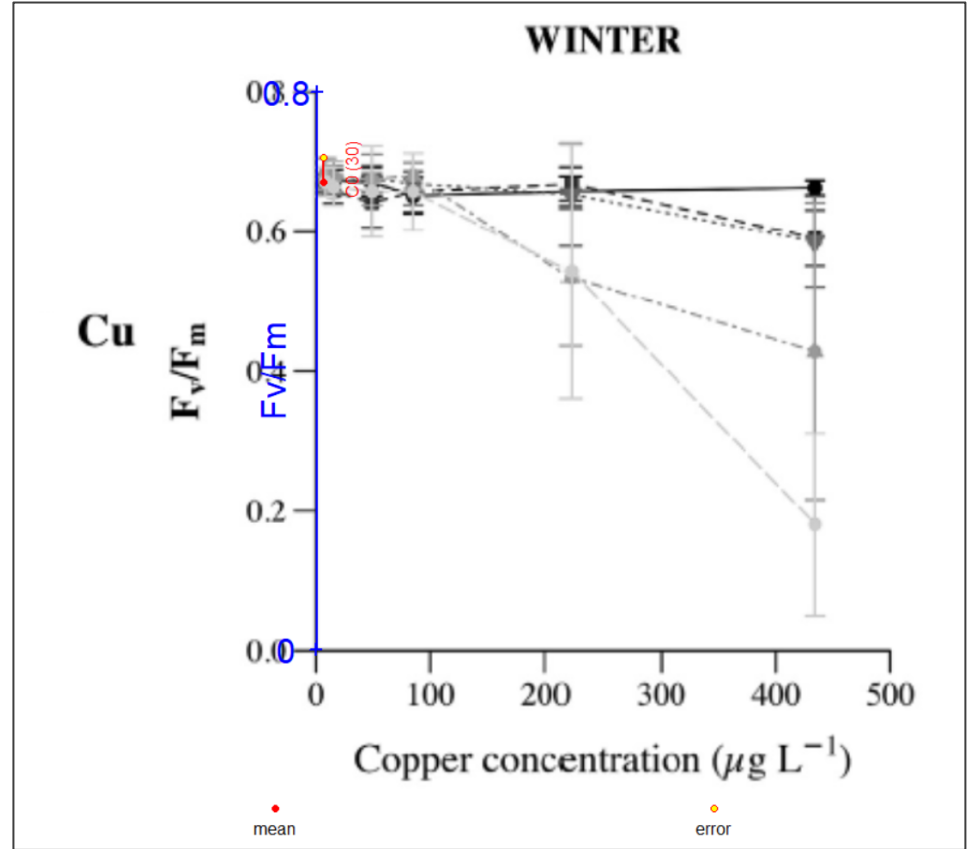
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Do you know sample sizes? (y/n)
y

If there are multiple groups, enter unique group identifiers (otherwise press enter)
Group identifier:
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Group sample size:
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Click on Error Bar, followed by the Mean

Add group, Edit Group, Delete group or Finish plot? (a/e/d/f)
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Tools for extracting data from figures: metaDigitise

Do you know sample sizes? (y/n)

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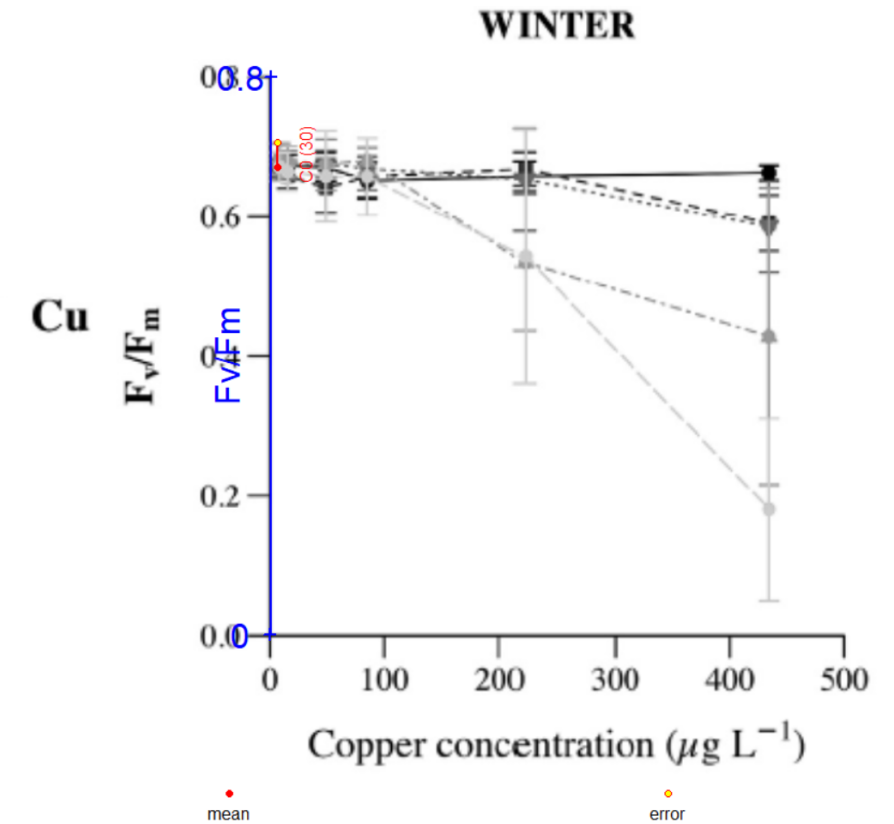
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Tools for extracting data from figures: metaDigitise

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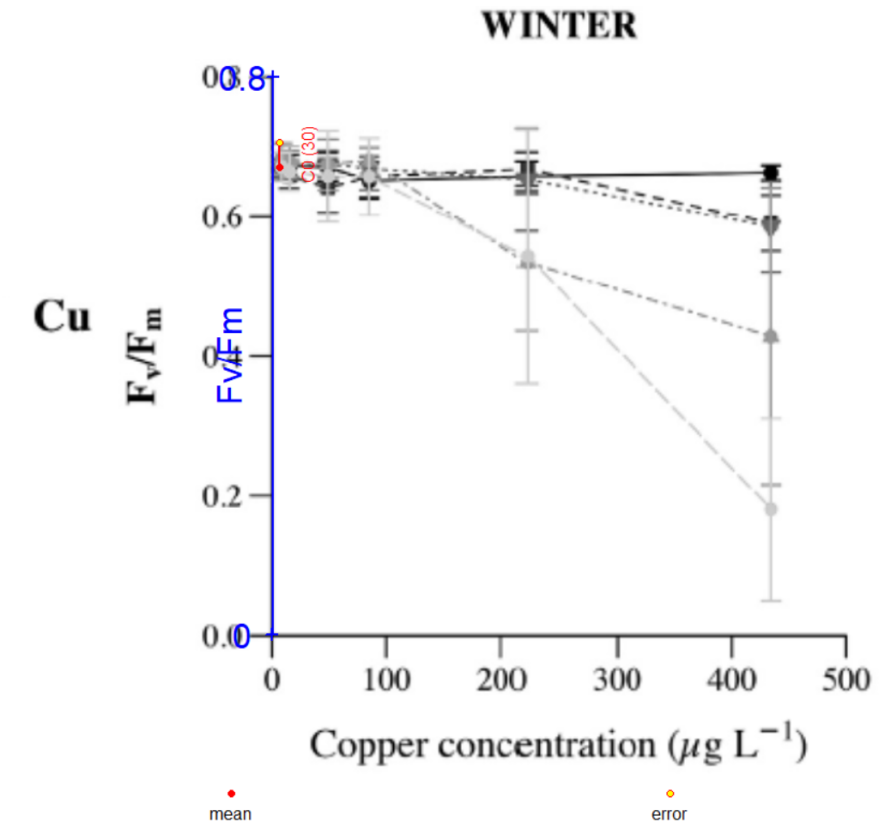
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Congratulations! Looks like you have finished digitising all figures in this directory.

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Question: estimate the effects of chemicals on the photosynthetic performance (*maximum quantum yield, Fv/Fm*) of tropical reef-building corals

A **study** = combination of a taxon × an exposure × an outcome

A **case study** = one tested concentration-duration

Effect size = mean standardized difference

$$d = \frac{\bar{Y}_1 - \bar{Y}_2}{\sqrt{\frac{(n_1 - 1)s_1^2 + (n_2 - 1)s_2^2}{n_1 + n_2 - 2}}} J,$$

where $J = 1 - \frac{3}{4(n_1 + n_2 - 2) - 1}$

If monitoring over time, extraction of the longest duration of exposure

Files:

data_TD.xlsx (sheet 5)

Hedouin2016_Improving.pdf

Hedouin2016_Fig8_SummerCu.png, Hedouin2018_Fig8_WinterCu.png (folder « figs »)

Exercise: extract data using metaDigitise (15-20 min)

Prepare the figures with the data to be extracted (screenshot -> .png), put them in a “figs” folder in the “TD_extraction” working directory

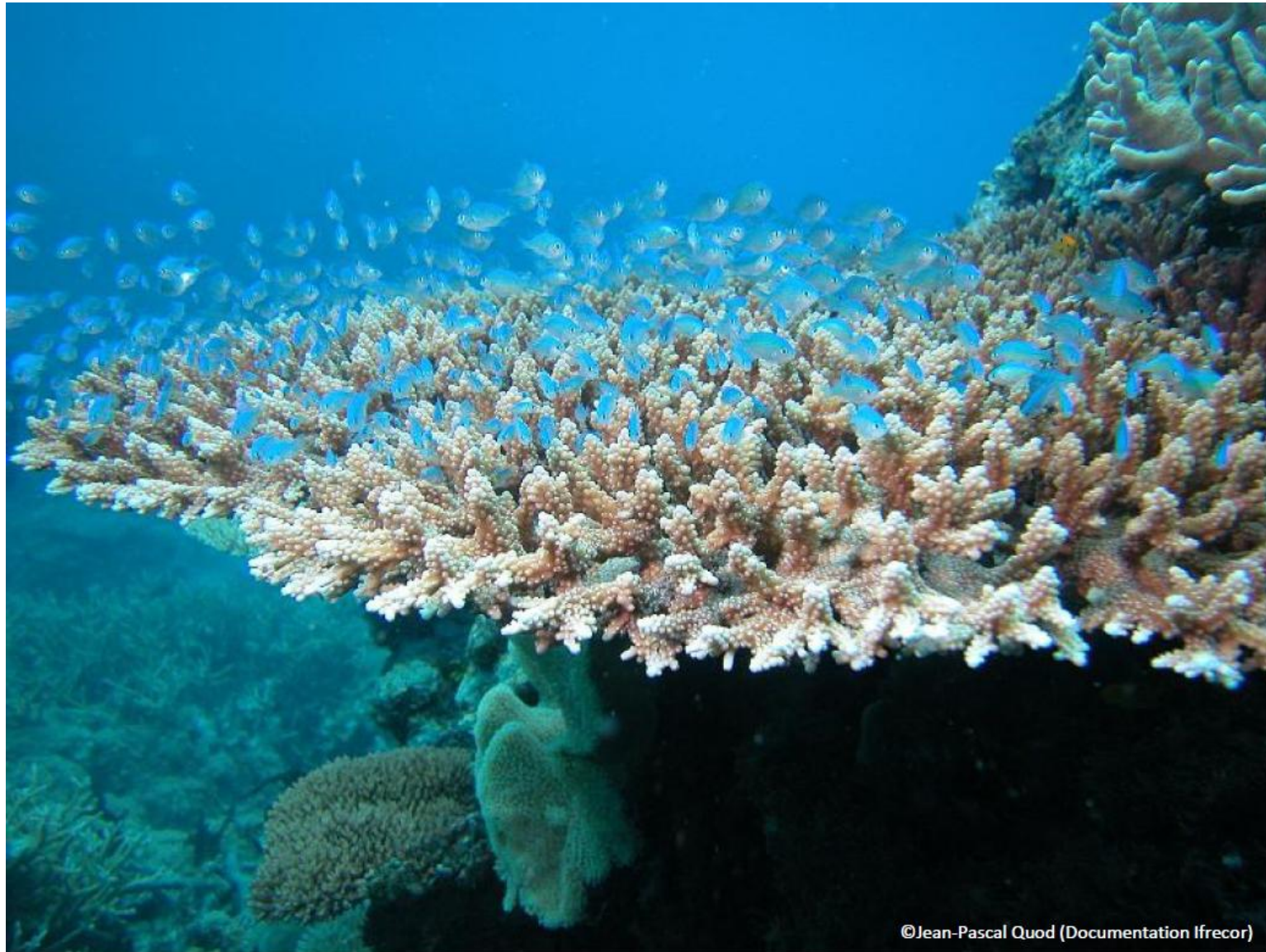
In R: Install & load metaDigitise package `library(metaDigitise)`

Set working directory `setwd("C:/Users/... /TD_extraction")`

`dat <- metaDigitise(dir = "./figs")`

`write.csv2(dat, "extracted_data_TD_metadigitise.csv", quote=F, row.names=F)`

Extract data into data_TD.xlsx (sheet 5)



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Table 1

Nominal versus measured concentrations (mean \pm standard deviation, $n = 3$) of Cu and Pb ($\mu\text{g L}^{-1}$) used in the toxicity experiments for the adult *Pocillopora damicornis* corals.

Condition	Concentration ($\mu\text{g L}^{-1}$)		
	Nominal	Measured – summer	Measured-Winter
Cu			
Control – C ₀	0	1.5 \pm 0.6	8.1 \pm 0.6
Concentration 1 – C ₁	10	12.6 \pm 2.8	15.0 \pm 1.3
Concentration 2 – C ₂	50	49.2 \pm 11.3	48.9 \pm 5.0
Concentration 3 – C ₃	100	90.0 \pm 15.3	85.2 \pm 16.2
Concentration 4 – C ₄	250	206 \pm 33.6	222 \pm 29.4
Concentration 5 – C ₅	500	378 \pm 49.8	434 \pm 72.6
Pb			
Control- C ₀	0	0.5 \pm 0.7	1.9 \pm 3.0
Concentration 1 – C ₁	80	75.6 \pm 4.2	67.9 \pm 7.8
Concentration 2 – C ₂	160	151 \pm 8.2	133 \pm 23.1
Concentration 3 – C ₃	320	308 \pm 10.0	316 \pm 30.6
Concentration 4 – C ₄	640	604 \pm 37.1	605 \pm 34.3
Concentration 5 – C ₅	1280	1200 \pm 92.2	1138 \pm 57.4

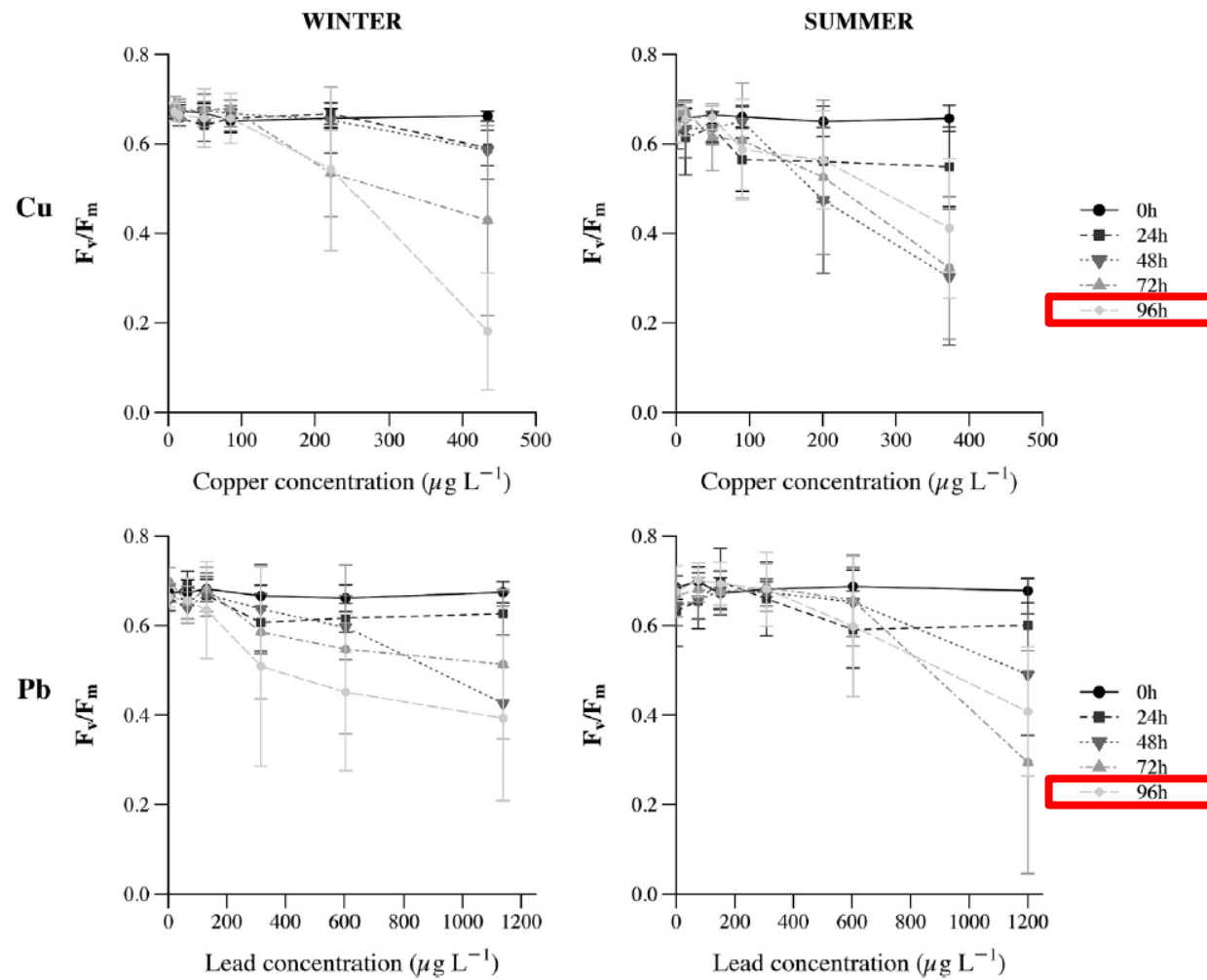
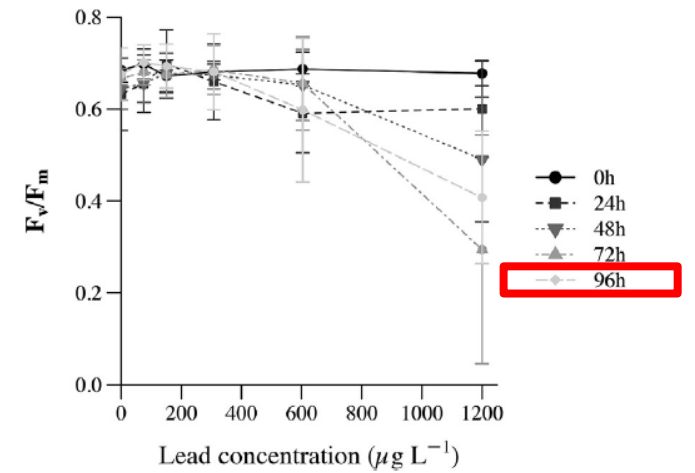
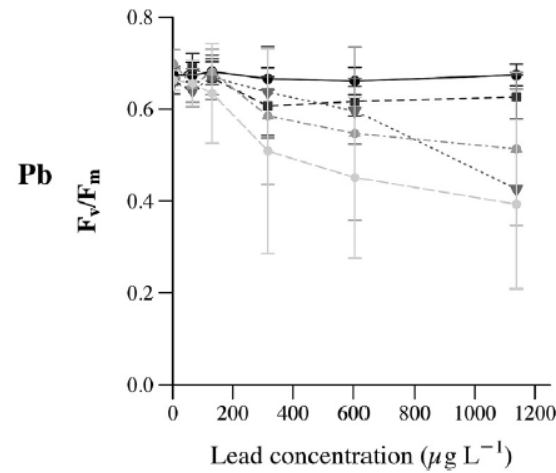
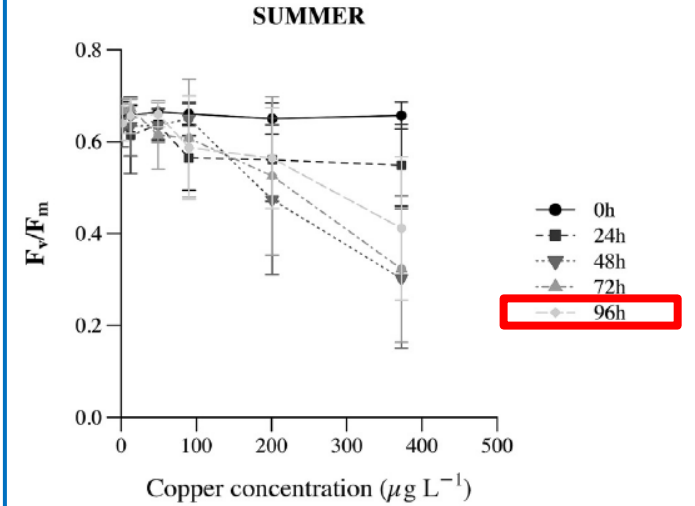
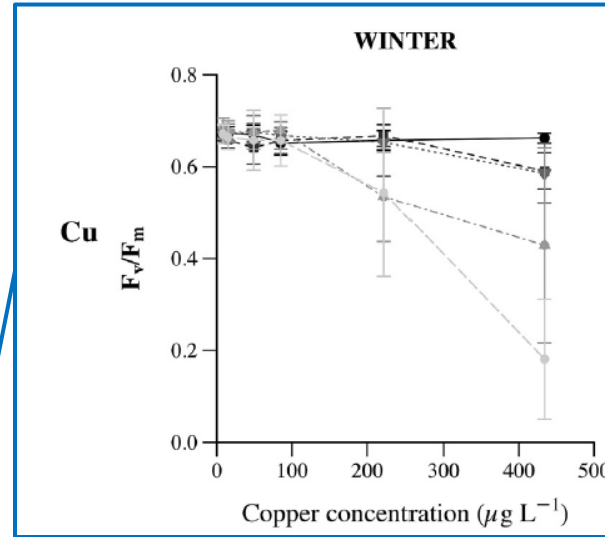
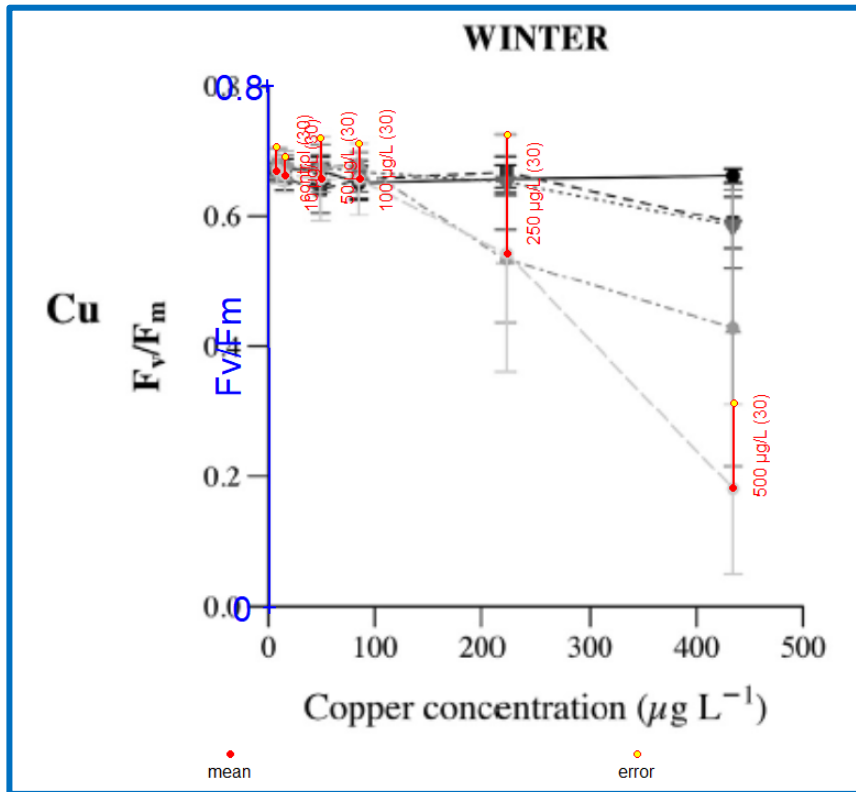


Fig. 8. Dark-adapted quantum yield (F_v/F_m , mean \pm standard deviation, $n = 30$ nubbins per condition, -pooled data-) of *Pocillopora damicornis* corals exposed for 96 h to a range of dissolved Cu and Pb concentration in the summer and winter seasons.

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10 µg/L	12.6 µg/L	96h	Fv/Fm (Maximum dark-	Summer_Exp	1	30	0,63969171	sd	0,04007707	30	0,65510597	sd	0,03699422	Figure	Figure 8
50 µg/L	49.2 µg/L	96h	Fv/Fm (Maximum dark-	Summer_Exp	2	30	0,63969171	sd	0,04007707	30	0,66127168	sd	0,02928709	Figure	Figure 8
100 µg/L	90 µg/L	96h	Fv/Fm (Maximum dark-	Summer_Exp	3	30	0,63969171	sd	0,04007707	30	0,58728324	sd	0,11560694	Figure	Figure 8
250 µg/L	206 µg/L	96h	Fv/Fm (Maximum dark-	Summer_Exp	4	30	0,63969171	sd	0,04007707	30	0,56570328	sd	0,10944123	Figure	Figure 8
500 µg/L	378 µg/L	96h	Fv/Fm (Maximum dark-	Summer_Exp	5	30	0,63969171	sd	0,04007707	30	0,41001927	sd	0,15722543	Figure	Figure 8
10 µg/L	15 µg/L	96h	Fv/Fm (Maximum dark-	Winter_Exp	6	30	0,67076923	sd	0,03538462	30	0,66461538	sd	0,02769231	Figure	Figure 8
50 µg/L	48.9 µg/L	96h	Fv/Fm (Maximum dark-	Winter_Exp	7	30	0,67076923	sd	0,03538462	30	0,65846154	sd	0,06307692	Figure	Figure 8
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250 µg/L	222 µg/L	96h	Fv/Fm (Maximum dark-	Winter_Exp	9	30	0,67076923	sd	0,03538462	30	0,54	sd	0,18615385	Figure	Figure 8
500 µg/L	434 µg/L	96h	Fv/Fm (Maximum dark-	Winter_Exp	10	30	0,67076923	sd	0,03538462	30	0,17692308	sd	0,13230769	Figure	Figure 8