## Meta-data for Cross-strain Growth Medium Reuse Experiment Datasets

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In all datasets, 'NA' indicates data are not available.

#### Data1 Growth.csv

Growth-related variables for each experimental replicate culture. Units in parentheses. Ordered letters below represent CSV file columns, in order.

#### A. Round

- i. Round of experiment (indicates number of reuses of the medium for the recycled medium treatment).
- ii. Number 0 through 4.
- B. Day
  - i. Day of the experiment round.
  - ii. Number 0 through 5.
- C. Algae
  - i. Identity of algae used in the experiment.
  - ii. 'C323' = Staurosira sp. C323; 'D046' = Chlorella sp. D046; 'Navicula' = Navicula sp. SFP.
- D. Treatment
  - i. Experimental treatment.
  - ii. 'F' indicates fresh medium treatment. 'R' indicates reused medium treatment.
- E. Replicate
  - i. Biological replicate per experimental treatment.
  - ii. Letters A through F.
- F. Chl
  - i. In vivo chlorophyll concentration (arbitrary units).
  - ii. Raw value (not blank-subtracted).
- G. OD750
  - i. Optical density of whole culture measured at 750 nm (arbitrary units).
  - ii. Raw value (not blank-subtracted).
- H. DOC
  - i. Biologically-derived dissolved organic carbon concentration of 0.2- $\mu$ m culture filtrate ( $\mu$ M C).
- I. TDN
  - i. Total dissolved nitrogen of 0.2-µm culture filtrate (µM N).
- J. FvFm
  - i.  $F_v/F_m$ , the quantum yield of photochemistry in Photosystem II (unitless).
- K. pH
- i. pH of whole culture.
- L. PO4
  - i. Orthophosphate concentration in 0.2-µm culture filtrate (µM PO<sub>4</sub>).
- M. NH4
  - i. Ammonium concentration in 0.2-µm culture filtrate (µM NH<sub>4</sub>).
- N. Si
- i. Reactive silica concentration in 0.2-µm culture filtrate (µM Si).

## Data2\_Daily.csv

Data common to all experimental replicate cultures. Ordered letters below represent CSV file columns, in order.

- A. Round
  - i. Round of experiment.
  - ii. Number 0 through 4.
- B. Day
  - i. Day of the experiment round.
  - ii. Number 0 through 5.
- C. Date
  - i. Day of experiment sampling (MM/DD/YYYY).
- D. Tstart
  - i. Time of day (24-hour time) that experimental sampling began (HH:MM).
- E. Tend
  - i. Time of day (24-hour time) that experimental sampling ended (HH:MM).
- F. Chl\_medium
  - i. In vivo chlorophyll concentration of the growth medium blank sample (arbitrary units).
- G. OD750 medium
  - i. Optical density at 750 nm of the growth medium blank sample (arbitrary units).

#### Data3 Absolute OTUs.txt

OTU table with samples as columns and OTUs as rows.

Values in the dataset represent absolute OTU abundance. (Samples were rarefied three times each to 10998 sequences. The three rarefactions per sample were averaged to calculate the absolute abundances shown in this dataset.)

Ordered letters below represent txt file columns, in order.

The first line of this file reads "# Constructed from biom file" and contains no data.

#### A. #OTU ID

- Operational taxonomic unit (OTU) identity.
  - Displayed as "OTU\_" followed by a unique number.
- B. SL1
  - Sample representing *Staurosira* sp. C323 inoculum culture on Day 0.
- C. SL2
  - Sample representing Staurosira sp. C323 Fresh medium culture, Replicate A, on Day 8.
- D. SL3
  - Sample representing Staurosira sp. C323 Fresh medium culture, Replicate B, on Day 8.
- E. SL4
  - Sample representing *Staurosira* sp. C323 Fresh medium culture, Replicate C, on Day 8.
- F. SL5
  - Sample representing Staurosira sp. C323 Reused medium culture, Replicate D, on Day 8.
- G. SL6
  - Sample representing Staurosira sp. C323 Reused medium culture, Replicate E, on Day 8.
- H. SL7
  - Sample representing *Staurosira* sp. C323 Reused medium culture, Replicate F, on Day 8.
- I. SL8
  - Sample representing Chlorella sp. D046 inoculum culture on Day 0.
- J. SL9
  - Sample representing Chlorella sp. D046 Fresh medium culture, Replicate A, on Day 8.
- K. SL10
  - Sample representing Chlorella sp. D046 Fresh medium culture, Replicate B, on Day 8.
- L. SL11
  - Sample representing Chlorella sp. D046 Fresh medium culture, Replicate C, on Day 8.
- M. SL12
  - Sample representing *Chlorella* sp. D046 Reused medium culture, Replicate D, on Day 8.
- N. SL13
  - Sample representing *Chlorella* sp. D046 Reused medium culture, Replicate E, on Day 8.

- O. SL14
  - Sample representing Chlorella sp. D046 Reused medium culture, Replicate F, on Day 8.
- P. SL15
  - Sample representing *Navicula* sp. SFP inoculum culture on Day 0.
- Q. SL16
  - Sample representing Navicula sp. SFP Fresh medium culture, Replicate A, on Day 8.
- R. SL17
  - Sample representing Navicula sp. SFP Fresh medium culture, Replicate B, on Day 8.
- S. SL18
  - Sample representing Navicula sp. SFP Fresh medium culture, Replicate C, on Day 8.
- T. SL19
  - Sample representing *Navicula* sp. SFP Reused medium culture, Replicate D, on Day 8.
- U. SL20
  - Sample representing *Navicula* sp. SFP Reused medium culture, Replicate E, on Day 8.
- V. SL21
  - Sample representing Navicula sp. SFP Reused medium culture, Replicate F, on Day 8.
- W. taxonomy
  - OTU taxonomic assignment from RDP classifier.

## Data4\_Relative\_OTUs.txt

Same as Data3\_Absolute\_OTUs.txt, except values in the dataset represent the relative abundances of OTUs within a sample. Relative abundances can range from 0 to 1, and were calculated by dividing the absolute abundance of a given OTU by the cumulative abundance of all OTUs within the sample.

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#### Data5 Relative OTUs noSpiro.txt

Same as Data4\_Relative\_OTUs.txt, except all OTUs within the family Spirochaetacaceae (OTUs 16 and 27) were removed from the OTU table prior to calculating relative abundances.

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### RDP OTU family key.txt

Key for bacteria OTU composition plot categorized at the family taxonomic level. Ordered letters below represent txt file columns, in order.

- A. OTU ID
  - i. OTU ID number, where each OTU has a unique number based on the sequence clustering algorithm.
  - ii. Represented as "OTU X" where X is a unique number for each OTU.
- B. taxonomy
  - i. Full taxonomic assignment from RDP classifier.
- C. Family Legend
  - i. Family-level taxonomic classification, if available.
  - ii. If family level classification is unavailable, taxonomic name is followed by a prefix and underscore, such as "Other\_" or "Order\_".

## Data6\_Pathways.tsv

Predicted metabolic pathways output data from PICRUSt2 pipeline. Values in the dataset represent pathway abundances, predicted from absolute OTU abundances and the 16s RNA sequence of each OTU.

Ordered letters below represent txt file columns, in order.

- A. pathway
  - i. Name of MetaCyc functional pathway.
- B. SL1
  - i. Sample representing *Staurosira* sp. C323 inoculum culture on Day 0.
- C. SL2
  - i. Sample representing *Staurosira* sp. C323 Fresh medium culture, Replicate A, on Day 8.
- D. SL3
  - i. Sample representing *Staurosira* sp. C323 Fresh medium culture, Replicate B, on Day 8.
- E. SL4
  - i. Sample representing *Staurosira* sp. C323 Fresh medium culture, Replicate C, on Day 8.
- F. SL5
  - Sample representing Staurosira sp. C323 Reused medium culture, Replicate D, on Day 8.
- G. SL6
  - Sample representing *Staurosira* sp. C323 Reused medium culture, Replicate E, on Day 8.
- H. SL7
  - i. Sample representing *Staurosira* sp. C323 Reused medium culture, Replicate F, on Day 8.
- I. SL8
  - i. Sample representing *Chlorella* sp. D046 inoculum culture on Day 0.
- J. SL9
  - i. Sample representing *Chlorella* sp. D046 Fresh medium culture, Replicate A, on Day 8.

- K. SL10
  - i. Sample representing *Chlorella* sp. D046 Fresh medium culture, Replicate B, on Day 8.
- L. SL11
  - i. Sample representing *Chlorella* sp. D046 Fresh medium culture, Replicate C, on Day 8.
- M. SL12
  - i. Sample representing *Chlorella* sp. D046 Reused medium culture, Replicate D, on Day 8.
- N. SL13
  - i. Sample representing *Chlorella* sp. D046 Reused medium culture, Replicate E, on Day 8.
- O. SL14
  - i. Sample representing *Chlorella* sp. D046 Reused medium culture, Replicate F, on Day 8.
- P. SL15
  - i. Sample representing *Navicula* sp. SFP inoculum culture on Day 0.
- Q. SL16
  - i. Sample representing *Navicula* sp. SFP Fresh medium culture, Replicate A, on Day 8.
- R. SL17
  - i. Sample representing *Navicula* sp. SFP Fresh medium culture, Replicate B, on Day 8.
- S. SL18
  - i. Sample representing *Navicula* sp. SFP Fresh medium culture, Replicate C, on Day 8.
- T. SL19
  - i. Sample representing *Navicula* sp. SFP Reused medium culture, Replicate D, on Day 8.
- U. SL20
  - i. Sample representing *Navicula* sp. SFP Reused medium culture, Replicate E, on Day 8.
- V. SL21
  - i. Sample representing *Navicula* sp. SFP Reused medium culture, Replicate F, on Day 8.

## Data7\_Pathways\_noSpiro.tsv

Same as Data6\_Pathways.tsv, except all OTUs within the family Spirochaetacaceae (OTUs 16 and 27) were removed prior to performing PICRUSt2 analyses for predicted metabolic pathways.

# pathway\_descriptions.csv

Key of MetaCyc pathways and their descriptions. Ordered letters below represent txt file columns, in order.

- A. pathway
  - i. Name of MetaCyc functional pathway.
- B. description
  - i. Description of MetaCyc functional pathway.