

Supplementary Table 2. Summary statistics of variables used in analyses; SD - Standard deviation, CV – Coefficient of variation

			Short-lasting blooms	Long-lasting blooms
Density (Individuals / Liter)	Group 1	Mean	146.25	16.25
		SD	265.92	33.40
		CV	1.82	2.06
	Group 2	Mean	2212.17	338.40
		SD	1708.43	393.40
		CV	0.77	1.16
	Group 3	Mean	128.75	101.45
		SD	240.51	220.44
		CV	1.87	2.17
	Group 4	Mean	33.46	20.45
		SD	27.40	25.59
		CV	0.82	1.25
	Group 5	Mean	367.71	48.40
		SD	507.66	80.70
		CV	1.38	1.67
	Group 6	Mean	439.08	33.75
		SD	660.52	104.85
		CV	1.50	3.11
Biomass (mg / Liter)	Cyanobacteria	Mean	2.57	1.26
		SD	3.50	2.08
		CV	1.36	1.65