

Cellular carbon (C) and nitrogen (N) data of the *Karlodinium veneficum* growth experiment conducted in the Horn Point Laboratory between June 2021- January 2022.

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Project

» [Ecology and Oceanography of Harmful Algal Blooms](#) (EcoHAB)

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Abstract

Using a multifactorial design, we studied the interactive effects of temperature (15, 20, 25, 28 and 30 °C), salinity (5, 10, 15, 20 and 30) and light (low-100 and high-300 $\mu\text{mol photons m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$) on growth, thermal niche properties and cellular carbon (C) and nitrogen (N) of the toxic dinoflagellate, *Karlodinium veneficum*, originated from the Chesapeake Bay. Here we report the daily growth data measured as raw fluorescence at each experimental combination in quadruplicates and the C and N cell quota data measured in the final samples for each experimental combination in duplicates.

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Coverage

Temporal Extent: 2021-06-11 - 2021-11-12

Dataset Description

These data (after processing) were published in Vidyarathna et al (2023) as Figure 1, Figure 3 and supplementary table 1 and 3.

Methods & Sampling

Samples (15 mL) for cellular organic C and N were filtered onto 25 mm pre-combusted glass-fiber filters (2h at 450 °C, GF/F, Whatman), dried at 60 °C for 24 h and then stored in a desiccator prior to analyses. Cellular C and N were then quantified with a CHN elemental analyzer (ECS 4010 Elemental combustion system; Costech Instruments, USA), with phenylalanine and EDTA used as standards.

Data Processing Description

No data processing, these are the raw data.

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Data Files

| File |
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| 907463_v1_chn.csv (Comma Separated Values (.csv), 8.20 KB) MD5:5a468afbfa831313c18a59c85059c0da Primary data file for dataset 907463. |

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Related Publications

Vidyarathna, N. K., Ahn, S. H. (Sophia), & Glibert, P. M. (2023). Thermal niche of the dinoflagellate *Karlodinium veneficum* across different salinity and light levels. *Journal of Plankton Research*, 45(4), 604–613.
<https://doi.org/10.1093/plankt/fbad019>
Results

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Related Datasets

IsRelatedTo

Vidyarathna, N., Glibert, P. A., Ahn, S. H. (2023) **Daily growth data of the *Karlodinium veneficum* growth experiment conducted in the Horn Point Laboratory between June 2021- January 2022.** Biological and Chemical Oceanography Data Management Office (BCO-DMO). (Version 1) Version Date 2023-09-01
doi:10.26008/1912/bco-dmo.907393.1 [[view at BCO-DMO](#)]
Relationship Description: Data are part of same experiment.

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Parameters

| Parameter | Description | Units |
|------------------------|---|---|
| sample_no | Sample number (id) | unitless |
| treatment | Culture condition (salinity, light and temperature). LL=Low light (100), HL=High light (300) | unitless |
| filtered_volume | Volume filtered from each culture replicate | milliliters (mL) |
| Cell_density | Final cell density of each culture | cells per mL (cells/mL) |
| N_percent | Percentage of N in the sample (filter) analyzed | percent (%) |
| C_percent | Percentage of C in the sample (filter) analyzed | percent (%) |
| N_mg | weight of N in the sample (filter) analyzed | milligrams (mg) |
| C_mg | weight of C in the sample (filter) analyzed | milligrams (mg) |
| Carbon_blank_corrected | blank corrected weight of C in the sample (filter) analyzed | milligrams (mg) |
| C_to_N_mass | C/N ratio (mass) | unitless |
| C_umol | C content converted to umol | micromoles (umol) |
| N_umol | Ncontent converted to umol | micromoles (umol) |
| C_to_N_atomic | C/N ratio (atomic) | unitless |
| C_per_cell | C content nnormalized per cell | picograms of Carbon per cell (pg/cell) |
| N_per_cell | Ncontent nnormalized per cell | picograms of Nitrogen per cell (pg/cell) |

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Instruments

| | |
|---|---|
| Dataset-specific Instrument Name | CHN elemental analyzer- ECS 4010 Elemental combustion system; Costech Instruments, USA |
| Generic Instrument Name | CHN Elemental Analyzer |
| Generic Instrument Description | A CHN Elemental Analyzer is used for the determination of carbon, hydrogen, and nitrogen content in organic and other types of materials, including solids, liquids, volatile, and viscous samples. |

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Project Information

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Website: <https://coastalscience.noaa.gov/science-areas/habs/ecohab/>

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