

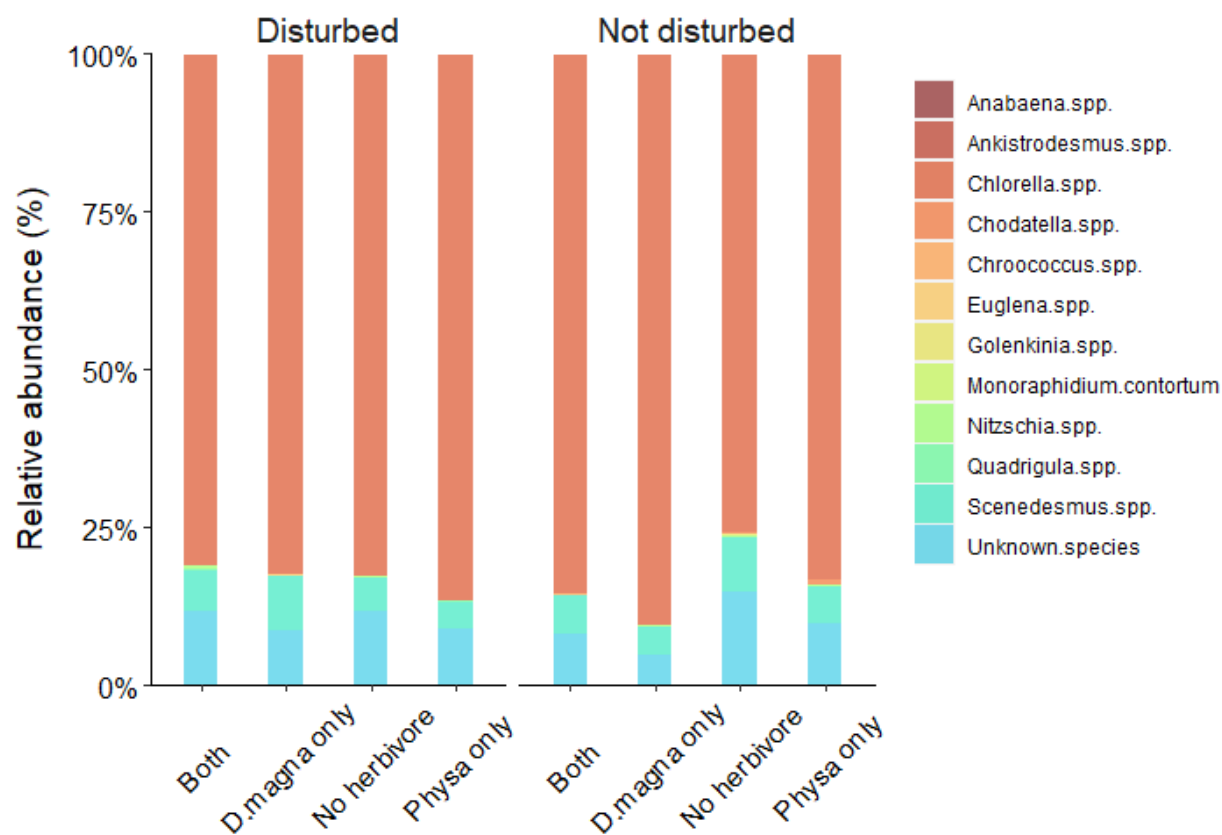


Fig 1: Algal community composition at the starting point.

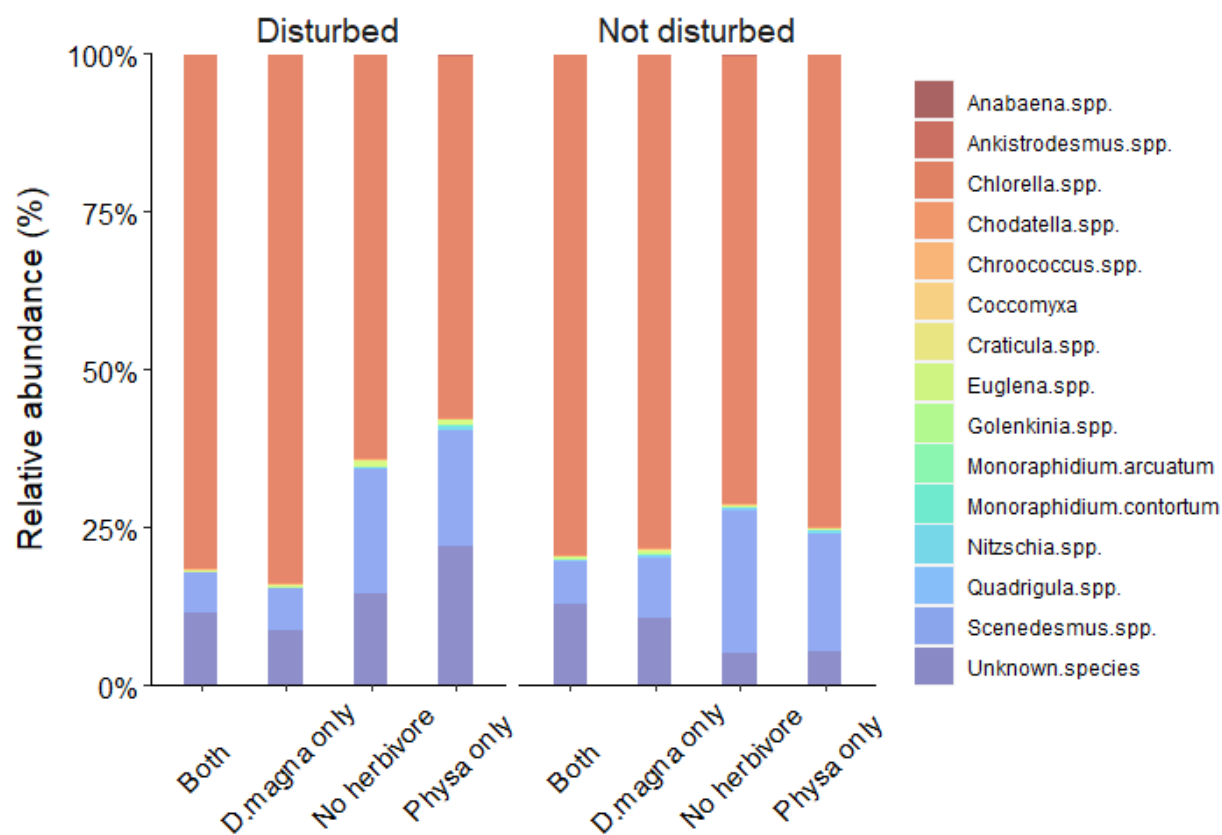


Fig 2: Algal community composition at the mid-point.

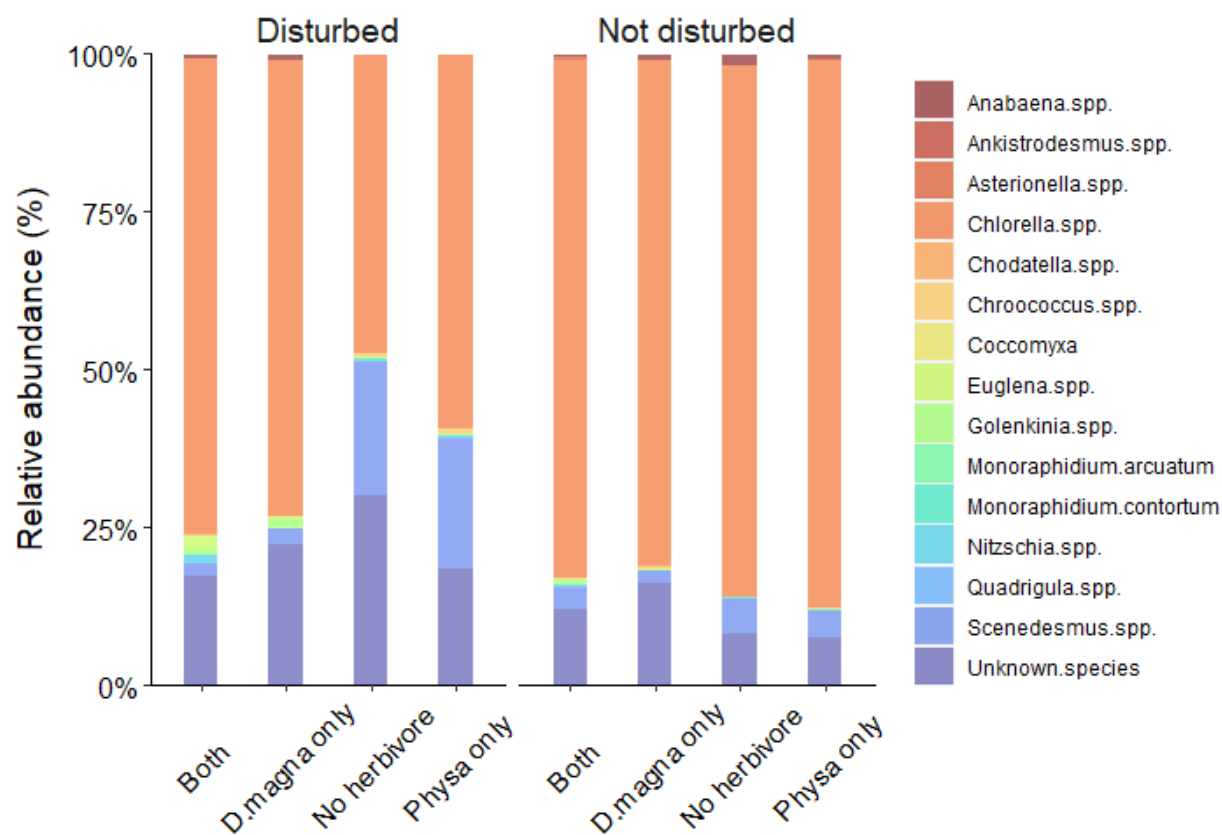


Fig 3: Algal community composition at the end of the experiment.

Script in R

Loading packages

```
library(ggplot2)
library(data.table)
library(dplyr)
library(viridis)
```

Importing dataset

```
data = fread("data.csv", sep = ",")
```

See data

```
DT::datatable(data)
```

Checking the structure

```
str(data)
```

Converting factors

```
data[, Herbivore_treatment := factor(Herbivore_treatment)]
data[, Eutrophication_treatment := factor(Eutrophication_treatment)]
data[, Collection_point := factor(Collection_point)]
data[, Species := factor(Species)]
```

Converting to numeric

```
names(data)

data[, (5:ncol(data)) := lapply(.SD, as.numeric), .SDcols =
5:ncol(data)]
```

Checking the structure again

```
str(data)
```

Subsetting the data

```
time1 <- subset(data, Collection_point=="1")
time2 <- subset(data, Collection_point=="2")
time3 <- subset(data, Collection_point=="3")
```

Plotting: stacked bars

Define the number of colors you want

```
nb.cols <- 16
```

```
mycolors <- viridis_pal(option = "turbo", direction = -1)(nb.cols)
```

Starting

```
ggplot(timel, aes(fill=Species, y=Count, x=Herbivore_treatment)) +  
  geom_bar( stat="identity", position="fill", width=0.4, alpha = 0.6)+  
  scale_fill_manual(values = mycolors) +  
  scale_y_continuous(expand = c(0, 0), labels = scales::percent)+  
  facet_wrap(~Eutrophication_treatment, ncol=2)+  
  theme(panel.grid.major = element_blank(),  
        panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),  
        panel.border = element_blank(),  
        panel.background = element_blank(),  
        strip.background = element_rect(colour="white", fill="white"),  
        strip.text.x = element_text(angle = 0, size=14),  
        plot.title = element_blank(),  
        axis.text.x = element_text(colour="black", size = 12, angle =  
45, vjws = 0.5),  
        axis.text.y = element_text(colour="black", size = 12, angle =  
0),  
        axis.title.x = element_text(angle = 0, vjws = - 0.5, size =  
14, margin = margin(t = 0, r = 10, b = 0, l = 0)),  
        axis.title.y = element_text(angle = 90, vjws = .5, size = 14,  
margin = margin(t = 0, r = 10, b = 0, l = 0)),  
        axis.line = element_line(size=0.5, colour = "black"),  
        legend.background = element_blank(),  
        legend.justification=c(0,1),  
        legend.position = "right",  
        legend.title = element_blank())+
```

```
labs(title = "", x = "", y = "Relative abundance (%)")
```

Mid-point

```
ggplot(time2, aes(fill=Species, y=Count, x=Herbivore_treatment)) +  
  geom_bar( stat="identity", position="fill", width=0.4, alpha = 0.6)+  
  scale_fill_manual(values = mycolors) +  
  scale_y_continuous(expand = c(0, 0), labels = scales::percent)+  
  facet_wrap(.~Eutrophication_treatment, ncol=2)+  
  theme(panel.grid.major = element_blank(),  
        panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),  
        panel.border = element_blank(),  
        panel.background = element_blank(),  
        strip.background = element_rect(colour="white", fill="white"),  
        strip.text.x = element_text(angle = 0, size=14),  
        plot.title = element_blank(),  
        axis.text.x = element_text(colour="black", size = 12, angle =  
45, vjws = 0.5),  
        axis.text.y = element_text(colour="black", size = 12, angle =  
0),  
        axis.title.x = element_text(angle = 0, vjws = - 0.5, size =  
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        axis.title.y = element_text(angle = 90, vjws = .5, size = 14,  
margin = margin(t = 0, r = 10, b = 0, l = 0)),  
        axis.line = element_line(size=0.5, colour = "black"),  
        legend.background = element_blank(),  
        legend.justification=c(0,1),  
        legend.position = "right",  
        legend.title = element_blank())+  
  labs(title = "", x = "", y = "Relative abundance (%)")
```

End of the experiment

```
ggplot(time3, aes(fill=Species, y=Count, x=Herbivore_treatment)) +
  geom_bar( stat="identity", position="fill", width=0.4, alpha = 0.6)+
  scale_fill_manual(values = mycolors) +
  scale_y_continuous(expand = c(0, 0), labels = scales::percent)+
  facet_wrap(~Eutrophication_treatment, ncol=2)+
  theme(panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
        panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),
        panel.border = element_blank(),
        panel.background = element_blank(),
        strip.background = element_rect(colour="white", fill="white"),
        strip.text.x = element_text(angle = 0, size=14),
        plot.title = element_blank(),
        axis.text.x = element_text(colour="black", size = 12, angle =
45, vjws = 0.5),
        axis.text.y = element_text(colour="black", size = 12, angle =
0),
        axis.title.x = element_text(angle = 0, vjws = - 0.5, size =
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        axis.title.y = element_text(angle = 90, vjws = .5, size = 14,
margin = margin(t = 0, r = 10, b = 0, l = 0)),
        axis.line = element_line(size=0.5, colour = "black"),
        legend.background = element_blank(),
        legend.justification=c(0,1),
        legend.position = "right",
        legend.title = element_blank())+
  labs(title = "", x = "", y = "Relative abundance (%)")
```