

Nitrogen and phosphorus cycling in the digestive system and shell biofilm of the eastern oyster *Crassostrea virginica*

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Table S1. Average (\pm SE) for each flux, for each treatment, on each incubation day. Fluxes are presented in their “raw” form, i.e. as they were calculated before control correction and conversion to $\mu\text{mol indiv}^{-1} \text{hr}^{-1}$ or $\mu\text{g indiv}^{-1} \text{hr}^{-1}$. To convert to flux per oyster, we subtracted the mean flux among control chambers from the flux of each chamber with oysters for each incubation. We then multiplied by the cross sectional area of the chamber (0.00785 m^2) and divided by the number of oysters ($n = 4$ per chamber).

| Date | Treatment | O ₂ flux (mg m ⁻² hr ⁻¹) | Chl-a flux ($\mu\text{g L}^{-1} \text{hr}^{-1}$) | NH ₄ ⁺ flux ($\mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{hr}^{-1}$) | NO ₃ ⁻ flux ($\mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{hr}^{-1}$) |
|--------------------|-----------------|---|---|--|--|
| July 24, 2015 | Control | -12.47 \pm 7.12 | 21.24 \pm 73.24 | -18.53 \pm 10.51 | -18.76 \pm 9.09 |
| | Whole Oyster | -299.60 \pm 28.15 | -14.05 \pm 8.42 | 1011.27 \pm 328.66 | 7.05 \pm 1.97 |
| | Shell Epibiont | -82.68 \pm 8.97 | -28.94 \pm 24.03 | 372.47 \pm 115.81 | -2.23 \pm 3.19 |
| | Digestive Tract | -119.78 \pm 11.67 | -148.40 \pm 27.53 | 457.64 \pm 118.58 | -30.42 \pm 4.82 |
| August 5, 2015 | Control | -108.41 \pm 42.83 | 9.85 \pm 2.76 | 303.44 \pm 19.31 | 2.86 \pm 3.87 |
| | Whole Oyster | -251.55 \pm 17.76 | -0.41 \pm 2.68 | 712.04 \pm 115.32 | 59.10 \pm 33.90 |
| | Shell Epibiont | -133.16 \pm 26.18 | 0.40 \pm 9.03 | 846.67 \pm 113.88 | 92.78 \pm 13.68 |
| | Digestive Tract | -115.11 \pm 33.80 | 1.87 \pm 5.93 | 499.79 \pm 196.04 | 3.46 \pm 3.29 |
| August 13, 2015 | Control | -30.08 \pm 4.76 | -24.54 \pm 11.01 | -25.20 \pm 17.36 | -6.73 \pm 0.90 |
| | Whole Oyster | -204.65 \pm 10.71 | -68.73 \pm 35.53 | 713.58 \pm 78.48 | 72.14 \pm 24.39 |
| | Shell Epibiont | -122.93 \pm 20.10 | -100.38 \pm 6.56 | 959.05 \pm 92.26 | 43.89 \pm 15.49 |
| | Digestive Tract | -76.55 \pm 39.33 | -39.96 \pm 30.82 | 253.51 \pm 134.77 | 16.38 \pm 4.24 |

| Date | Treatment | NO ₂ ⁻ flux (μmol m ⁻² hr ⁻¹) | PO ₄ ³⁻ flux (μmol m ⁻² hr ⁻¹) | N ₂ -N flux (μmol m ⁻² hr ⁻¹) | N ₂ O flux (nmol m ⁻² hr ⁻¹) |
|--------------------|-----------------|---|--|--|---|
| July 24, 2015 | Control | -0.20 ± 0.62 | 1.66 ± 0.46 | -141.83 ± 141.83 | 0 ± 0 |
| | Whole Oyster | 13.70 ± 3.95 | 78.02 ± 25.65 | -171.30 ± 160.67 | 191.57 ± 59.65 |
| | Shell Epibiont | 12.08 ± 5.98 | 24.20 ± 12.27 | -262.58 ± 143.02 | 90.83 ± 52.34 |
| August 5, 2015 | Digestive Tract | 0.99 ± 1.17 | 39.45 ± 16.63 | 190.81 ± 95.41 | 95.57 ± 62.08 |
| | Control | -3.89 ± 1.76 | 40.75 ± 1.68 | -363.68 ± 21.11 | -48.53 ± 48.53 |
| | Whole Oyster | 34.29 ± 14.42 | 62.70 ± 9.88 | 209.08 ± 104.61 | 305.57 ± 118.39 |
| August 13, 2015 | Shell Epibiont | 40.68 ± 2.36 | 433.57 ± 99.07 | -357.40 ± 179.88 | 198.27 ± 198.27 |
| | Digestive Tract | 5.28 ± 1.08 | 66.23 ± 21.30 | -23.27 ± 332.21 | 743.53 ± 544.60 |
| | Control | -0.46 ± 1.50 | 0.64 ± 0.30 | 123.22 ± 123.22 | -19.73 ± 19.73 |
| | Whole Oyster | 22.84 ± 8.61 | 31.09 ± 6.68 | 201.23 ± 103.20 | 0 ± 0 |
| | Shell Epibiont | 18.75 ± 4.90 | 280.54 ± 36.00 | 243.58 ± 134.89 | 21.77 ± 38.55 |
| | Digestive Tract | 1.64 ± 0.94 | 18.30 ± 5.81 | 357.50 ± 73.74 | 593.27 ± 132.71 |

Table S2. Mean concentration (μmol ± standard error) of NH₄⁺, NO₃⁻, NO₂⁻, and PO₄³⁻ in incubation chambers containing only site water at the start of each incubation.

| Incubation Date | [NH ₄ ⁺] | [NO ₃ ⁻] | [NO ₂ ⁻] | [PO ₄ ³⁻] |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| July 24 2015 | 1.45 ± 0.22 | 0.72 ± 0.42 | 0.04 ± 0.01 | 0.08 ± 0.01 |
| August 5 2015 | 7.23 ± 0.18 | 0.11 ± 0.02 | 0.13 ± 0.02 | 0.52 ± 0.01 |
| August 13 2015 | 1.26 ± 0.40 | 0.42 ± 0.06 | 0.08 ± 0.1 | 0.05 ± 0.00 |