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Project(s): Basin-scale genetics of marine zooplankton (Plankton Population Genetics)

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Related dataset containing OTU tables and fasta sequences (representative /

most abundance read for each OTU):

[Metabarcoding zooplankton at station ALOHA: OTU tables and fasta files](#)

Acquisition **SAMPLE INFORMATION**

Description:

Sample identifiers include the following codes.

MOCNESS tow

FA3: Night sampling

FA4: Day sampling

Depth range:

N1: 1500-1000m

N2: 1000-700m

N3: 700-500m

N4: 500-300m

N5: 300-200m

N6: 200-150m

N7: 150-100m

N8: 100-50m

N9: 50m-0m

Wet-sieved zooplankton size fractions

SF1: 0.2-0.5 mm

SF2: 0.5-1.0 mm

SF3: 1.0-2.0 mm

Processing BCO-DMO processing notes:

Description: * commas in the data were replaced with semicolons to support export as csv format.

Deployment Information

Deployment description for R/V Falkor FK140613

Student Cruise #3 More about this cruise from the Schmidt Ocean Institute

page:<https://schmidtocean.org/cruise/net-gains-at-station-aloha/>

Instrument Information

Instrument	Illumina MiSeq
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Description	Illumina MiSeq using V3 chemistry (300-bp, paired-end)
Generic Instrument Name	Automated DNA Sequencer
Generic Instrument Description	General term for a laboratory instrument used for deciphering the order of bases in a strand of DNA. Sanger sequencers detect fluorescence from different dyes that are used to identify the A, C, G, and T extension reactions. Contemporary or Pyrosequencer methods are based on detecting the activity of DNA polymerase (a DNA synthesizing enzyme) with another chemoluminescent enzyme. Essentially, the method allows sequencing of a single strand of DNA by synthesizing the complementary strand along it, one base pair at a time, and detecting which base was actually added at each step.

Instrument	quantitative PCR by the Evolutionary Genetics Core Facility (Hawaii Institute of Marine Biology)
Description	<i>local description not specified</i>
Generic Instrument Name	PCR Thermal Cycler
Generic Instrument Description	General term for a laboratory apparatus commonly used for performing polymerase chain reaction (PCR). The device has a thermal block with holes where tubes with the PCR reaction mixtures can be inserted. The cycler then raises and lowers the temperature of the block in discrete, pre-programmed steps. (adapted from http://serc.carleton.edu/microbelife/research_methods/genomics/pcr.html)

Instrument	Agilent 2100 Bioanalyzer
Description	<i>local description not specified</i>
Generic Instrument Name	Bioanalyzer
Generic Instrument Description	A Bioanalyzer is a laboratory instrument that provides the sizing and quantification of DNA, RNA, and proteins. One example is the Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100.

