

Interlinked temporal changes in environmental conditions, chemical characteristics of sediments and macrofaunal assemblages in an estuarine intertidal sandflat (Seto Inland Sea, Japan)

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At the proof correction stage, the author overlooked a significant error in Table 1. Please find the correct version below.

Table 1 Correlation coefficient *R* between hydrological variables

| | Temp | Sal | DO | Chl <i>a</i> | Pheop | POC |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| DO | | 0.68** (<i>n</i> = 19) | | | | |
| NH ₄ ⁺ -N | -0.62** (<i>n</i> = 23) | -0.52** (<i>n</i> = 27) | -0.56** (<i>n</i> = 21) | | | |
| Pheop | | -0.62** (<i>n</i> = 26) | | 0.42* (<i>n</i> = 35) | | |
| POC | | -0.61** (<i>n</i> = 27) | | 0.40* (<i>n</i> = 35) | 0.99*** (<i>n</i> = 35) | |
| TSM | | -0.52** (<i>n</i> = 27) | | | 0.95*** (<i>n</i> = 35) | 0.96*** (<i>n</i> = 36) |

Only statistically significant correlations are indicated: **P* < 0.05, ***P* < 0.01, ****P* < 0.001; in bold: negative correlations

DO dissolved oxygen, Chl *a* chlorophyll *a*, Pheop pheopigments, POC particulate organic carbon, TSM total suspended matter, *n* number of samples

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