## **Supplemental Data**



**Supplemental Figure 1-** Experimental schematic for effects of turbidity, temperature, and predation cues on the stress response in juvenile delta smelt. Three 15-gal sub tanks were placed in each 400 L holding tank for temperature control. Following a one-week acclimation to temperatures of 17 or 21°C and turbidities of 1-2 or 10-11 NTU, a largemouth bass (*Micropterus salmoides*) predator cue was introduced to sub tanks. Predator cues were inserted into sub tanks every day for eight days at the same time each day (~1300). To investigate the effects of an acute versus chronic predator stress in different environmental conditions, fish were sampled 15 minutes following cue insertion on the first and last day. Samples were analyzed for whole-body cortisol, glucose, lactate, and protein. Sub tanks were randomized within holding tanks. Image not to scale.

	Acclimation		Treatment	
Treatment	Temp (°C)	Turbidity (NTU)	Temp (°C)	Turbidity (NTU)
17°C; 1-2 NTU; NC	$16.98 \pm 0.15$	$1.31 \pm 0.08$	$16.79\pm0.18$	$1.35\pm0.09$
17°C; 1-2 NTU; PC	$16.79\pm0.10$	$1.09 \pm 0.08$	$16.80\pm0.11$	$1.15 \pm 0.04$
21°C; 1-2 NTU; NC	$17.00 \pm 0.13$	$1.31\pm0.07$	$20.43\pm0.09$	$1.57 \pm 0.20$
21°C; 1-2 NTU; PC	$17.02\pm0.18$	$1.25\pm0.11$	$20.64\pm0.07$	$1.09 \pm 0.04$
17°C; 10-11 NTU; NC	$16.91 \pm 0.21$	$1.42\pm0.10$	$16.94\pm0.06$	$10.95\pm0.17$
17°C; 10-11 NTU; PC	$17.2\pm0.18$	$1.43 \pm 0.09$	$16.86\pm0.20$	$11.20\pm0.15$
21°C; 10-11 NTU; NC	$16.90\pm0.18$	$1.58\pm0.03$	$20.44\pm0.10$	$10.52 \pm 0.21$
21°C; 10-11 NTU; PC	16.82 ± 0.09	$1.37\pm0.06$	20.46 ± 0.03	$11.02\pm0.05$

**Supplemental Table 1.** Temperature (°C) and turbidity (NTU) during acclimation and treatment in all eight treatments distinguished by temperature, turbidity, and receival of predator cue (PC= predator cue; NC= no cue). Values are mean  $\pm$  SEM.

Trial	Fork Length (mm)	Wet Mass (g)
Acute Predator Stress	$41.80\pm0.36$	$0.49 \pm 0.01$
Chronic Predator Stress	$43.47\pm0.35$	$0.57\pm0.01$

**Supplemental Table 2.** Fork length (mm) and wet mass (g) of juvenile delta smelt on sampling days for acute and chronic predator stress.

Cortisol (interaction)				
Fixed Effects	Std.Error	df	t-value	p-value
Turbidity	1.71	33	-2.78	0.009**
Predator cue	1.74	33	-1.5	0.1427
Interactive Effects				
Turbidity : Predator cue	2.44	33	1.12	0.2693
Cortisol (full)				
Fixed Effects	Std.Error	$d\!f$	t-value	p-value
Temperature	0.3	33	1.43	0.1635
Turbidity	1.2	33	-2.81	0.0083**
Predator cue	1.2	33	-1.03	0.3098
<i>Timing (acute vs chronic)</i>	0.83	234	0.46	0.6453
Glucose (full)				
Fixed Effects	Std.Error	$d\!f$	t-value	p-value
Temperature	7.47	33	-7.51	0.0000***
Turbidity	29.93	33	3.84	0.0005***
Predator cue	29.88	33	1.67	0.1043
<i>Timing (acute vs chronic)</i>	29.89	227	1.27	0.2046
Lactate (full)				
Fixed Effects	Std.Error	$d\!f$	t-value	p-value
Temperature	6.86	33	1.85	0.0734
Turbidity	27.46	33	3.12	0.0038***
Predator cue	27.44	33	-0.26	0.7968
Timing (acute vs chronic)	27.44	241	4.29	0.0000***
Protein to mass (full)				
Fixed Effects	Std.Error	$d\!f$	t-value	p-value
Temperature	40.66	33	-2.41	0.0217*
Turbidity	162.68	33	1.73	0.0925
Predator cue	162.64	33	1.45	0.1565
Timing (acute vs chronic)	126.12	248	1.88	0.0613
Condition factor (timing only)				
Fixed Effects	Std.Error	df	t-value	p-value
Timing (acute vs chronic)	0.007	843	5.03	0.0000***
Condition factor (interaction)				
Fixed Effects	Std.Error	df	t-value	p-value
Turbidity	0.03	34	2.28	0.0292*
Timing (acute vs chronic)	0.04	842	4.06	0.0001***
Interactive Effects				
Turbidity : Timing	-0.01	842	-0.7	0.4855

**Supplemental Table 3.** Statistical output for linear mixed effects models for whole-body cortisol, glucose, and lactate as well as protein to mass, and condition factor measurements. Sub tanks were included as random effects and fixed effects include temperature, turbidity, predator cue, and the timing of that cue (acute vs. chronic). The full model was the most parsimonious model for glucose, lactate, and protein to mass ratio data. The interactive model of turbidity and predator cue data followed by the full model were the most parsimonious for cortisol data, while the model exploring timing alone followed by the interaction of turbidity and timing were the best fit models for condition factor data. \* = p<0.05; \*\* = p<0.01; \*\*\* = p<0.005.

Model	df	AICc			
Cortisol					
Full	7	1845.636			
Turbidity x Temperature	6	1847.446			
Turbidity x Predator Cue	6	1841.789			
Turbidity x Timing	6	1845.36			
Temperature x Predator Cue	6	1851.362			
Temperature x Timing	6	1854.806			
Predator Cue x Timing	6	1851.249			
Tubidity	4	1845.73			
Temperature	4	1853.776			
Predator Cue	4	1851.964			
Timing	4	1853.421			
Glucose					
Full	7	3633.643			
Turbidity x Temperature	6	3643.419			
Turbidity x Predator Cue	6	3672.5			
Turbidity x Timing	6	3674.021			
Temperature x Predator Cue	6	3674.021			
Temperature x Timing	6	3674.021			
Predator Cue x Timing	6	3678.504			
Tubidity	4	3689.686			
Temperature	4	3670.536			
Predator Cue	4	3694.789			
Timing	4	3695.399			
Lactate					
Full	7	3795.238			
Turbidity x Temperature	6	3819.027			
Turbidity x Predator Cue	6	3817.554			
Turbidity x Timing	6	3799.743			
Temperature x Predator Cue	6	3826.536			
Temperature x Timing	6	3812.457			
Predator Cue x Timing	6	3809.94			

Tubidity	4	3832.69			
Temperature	4	3841.394			
Predator Cue	4	3841.623			
Timing	4	3824.599			
Protein to Mass					
Full	7	4770.067			
Turbidity x Temperature	6	4786.318			
Turbidity x Predator Cue	6	4780.09			
Turbidity x Timing	6	4781.968			
Temperature x Predator Cue	6	4785.036			
Temperature x Timing	6	4786.714			
Predator Cue x Timing	6	4783.523			
Tubidity	4	4807.529			
Temperature	4	4807.708			
Predator Cue	4	4808.327			
Timing	4	4807.225			
Condition Fo	actor				
Full	7	-1404.214			
Turbidity x Temperature	6	-1385.569			
Turbidity x Predator Cue	6	-1396.154			
Turbidity x Timing	6	-1413.471			
Temperature x Predator Cue	6	-1384.901			
Temperature x Timing	6	-1406.741			
Predator Cue x Timing	6	-1410.912			
Tubidity	4	-1406.743			
Temperature	4	-1400.432			
Predator Cue	4	-1404.176			
Timing	4	-1426.002			

**Supplemental Table 4.** Akaike information criterion (AICc) scores for singular, combined, and interactive fixed effects for determination of best fit linear mixed effect models for cortisol, glucose, lactate, protein to mass ratio, and condition factor data.