**Table S1 Chemical composition of Artificial Sea Water (ASW).** Solutions (A), (B) and (C) were separately prepared with ultrapure water.

| Α                 |                      |
|-------------------|----------------------|
| Elements          | (g L <sup>-1</sup> ) |
| NaCl              | 19.45                |
| MgSO <sub>4</sub> | 3.24                 |

| В                                   |                      |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Elements                            | (g L <sup>-1</sup> ) |
| ${ m MgCl}_2~6{ m H}_2{ m O}$       | 12.59                |
| CaCl <sub>2</sub> 2H <sub>2</sub> O | 2.38                 |
| KCI                                 | 0.55                 |
| FeCl <sub>3</sub> 6H <sub>2</sub> O | 0.1099               |
| KBr                                 | 0.08                 |
| SrCl <sub>2</sub>                   | 0.0572               |
| $H_3BO_3$                           | 0.022                |
| NaF                                 | 0.0024               |

| С                                |                      |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|
| Elements                         | (g L <sup>-1</sup> ) |
| Na <sub>2</sub> HPO <sub>4</sub> | 0.008                |
| NH <sub>4</sub> NO <sub>3</sub>  | 0.0016               |