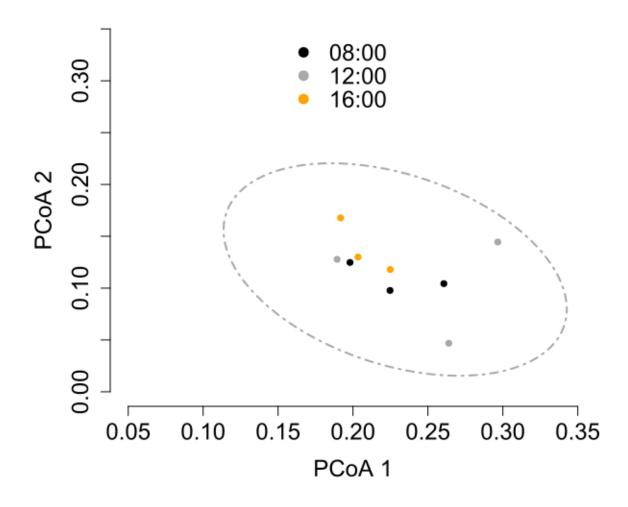


Figure S1. Boxplots of Cq mean values used as indication of initial DNA copy number at Ashmore Reef (charged n=33, active filtration n=9, and non-charged n=39), and , and Daw Island (charged n=38, active filtration n=9, and non-charged n=31), respectively, by treatment and b) by submersion duration and treatment (Ashmore Reef, charged: 4 hours n=6, 8 hours n=9, 12 hours n=8, 24 hours n=8, noncharged: 4 hours n=9, 8 hours n=9, 12 hours n=9, 24 hours n=9, 34 hours n=9, 34 hours=3, noncharged: 4 hours n=9, 8 hours n=9, 12 hours n=9, 24 hours n=9, 34 hours=3). An * indicates significance between treatments (α =0.05) and for treatments at each time interval.



9 Figure S2. A detailed view of the Ashmore Reef principal coordinate analysis plot for active filtration by time of collection on the sample day.

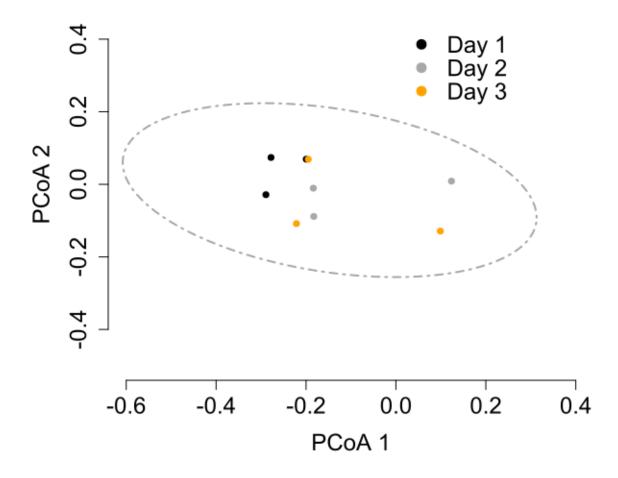


Figure S3. A detailed view of the Daw Island principal coordinate analysis plot for active filtration by day of sample collection.

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