

Supplementary Table 6. Average specific growth rate ( $\mu$ ) and standard deviation (St. Dev.) of *P. tricornutum* – *A. macleodii* WT co-cultures during 5 rounds of semi-continuous culture transfer.

Transfer Round	Growth Rate ( $\mu$ )	St. Dev.
1	1.62	0.17
2	1.51	0.20
3	1.33	0.05
4	1.25	0.17
5	1.37	0.09