

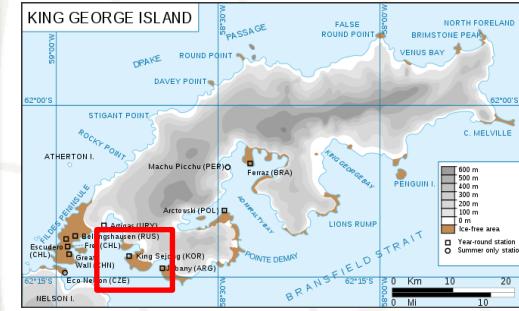
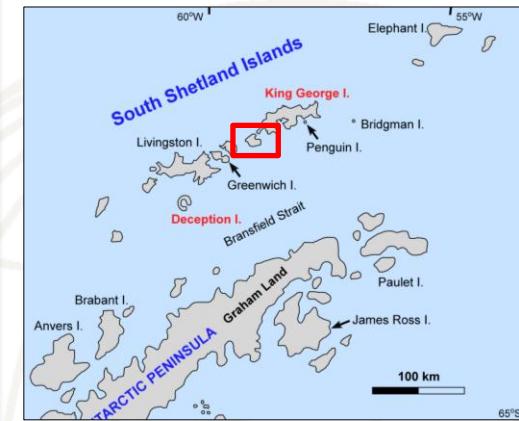
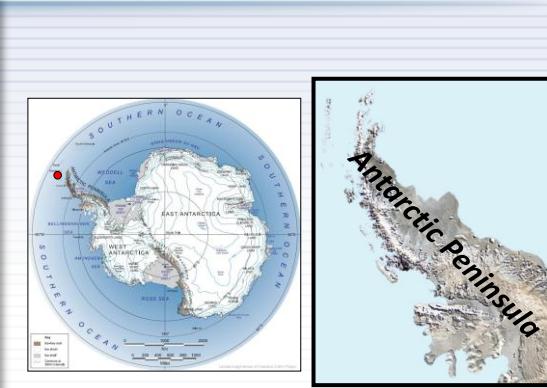
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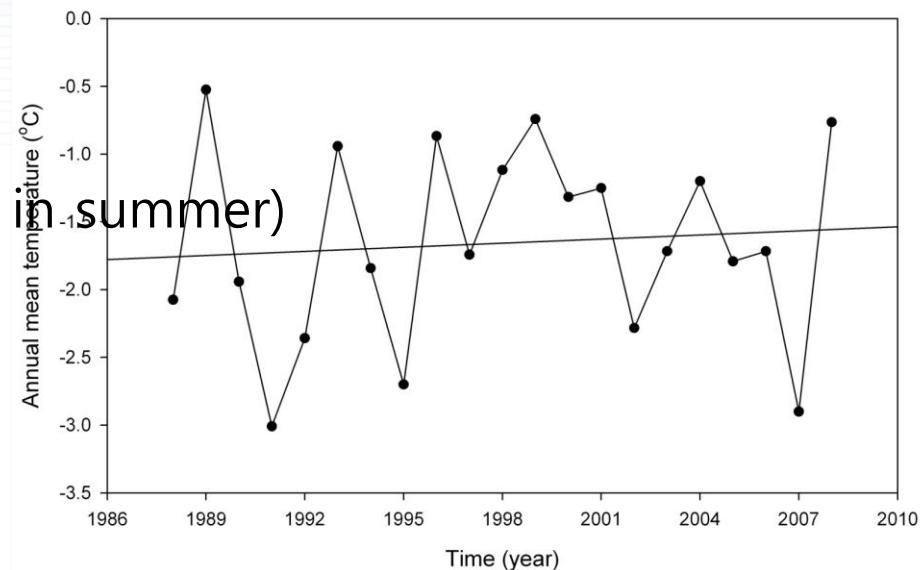
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Location of Barton Peninsula in King George Island



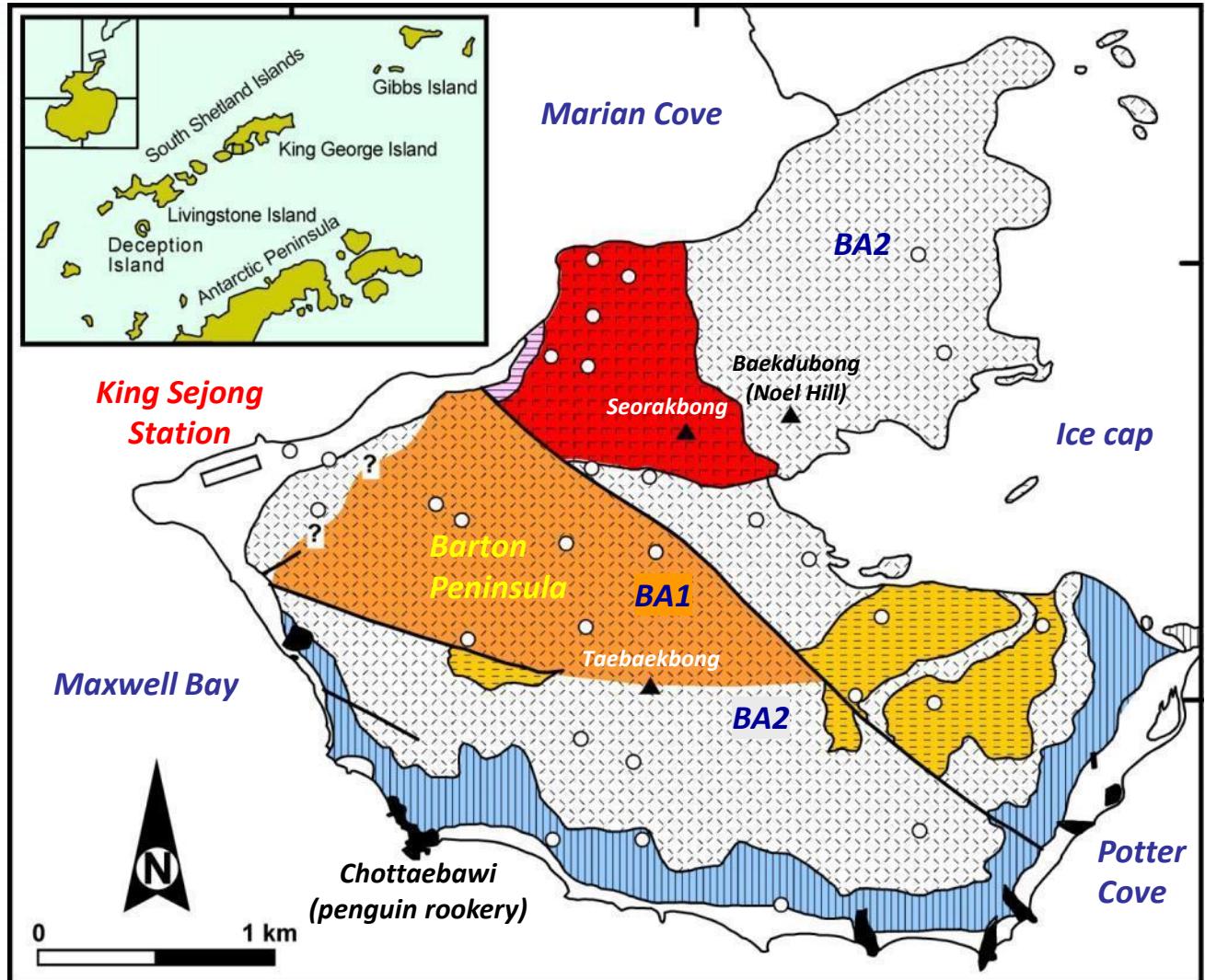
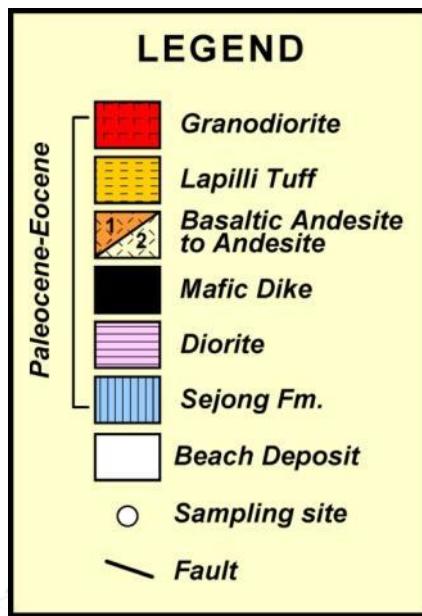
Weather condition

- Cold oceanic climate
- Mostly covered by an ice sheet
- Mean annual temp: -1.8°C ($>0^{\circ}\text{C}$ in summer)
- Relative humidity: 89%
- Precipitation: 437.6 mm
- Wind velocity: 7.9 m/s
- Dominant wind direction: NW/ SW (Lee et al., 1997)



By Namyi Chae

Geological map of Barton Peninsula



By Hyounsoo Lim

50°

40°

30°

20°

10°

58° 47'00"W

50°

Terrestrial Sector-B: Vegetation Map

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Marian Cove

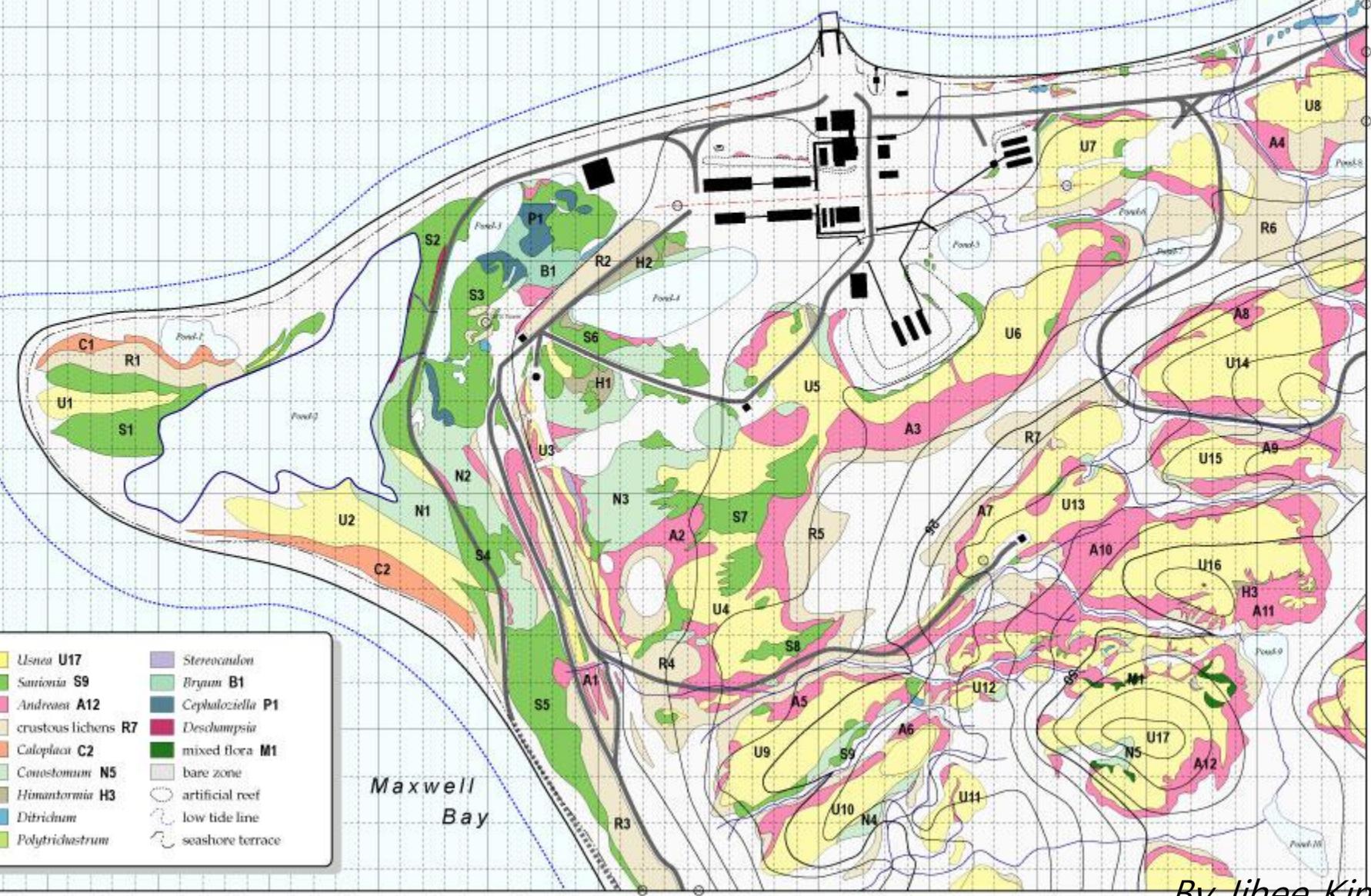
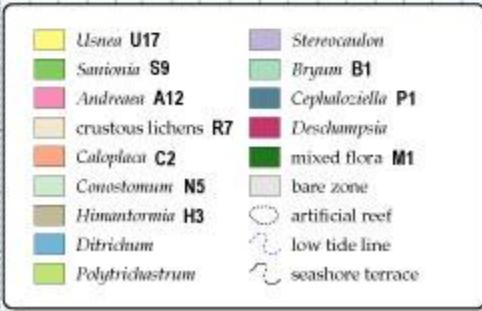
62° 13'20"S

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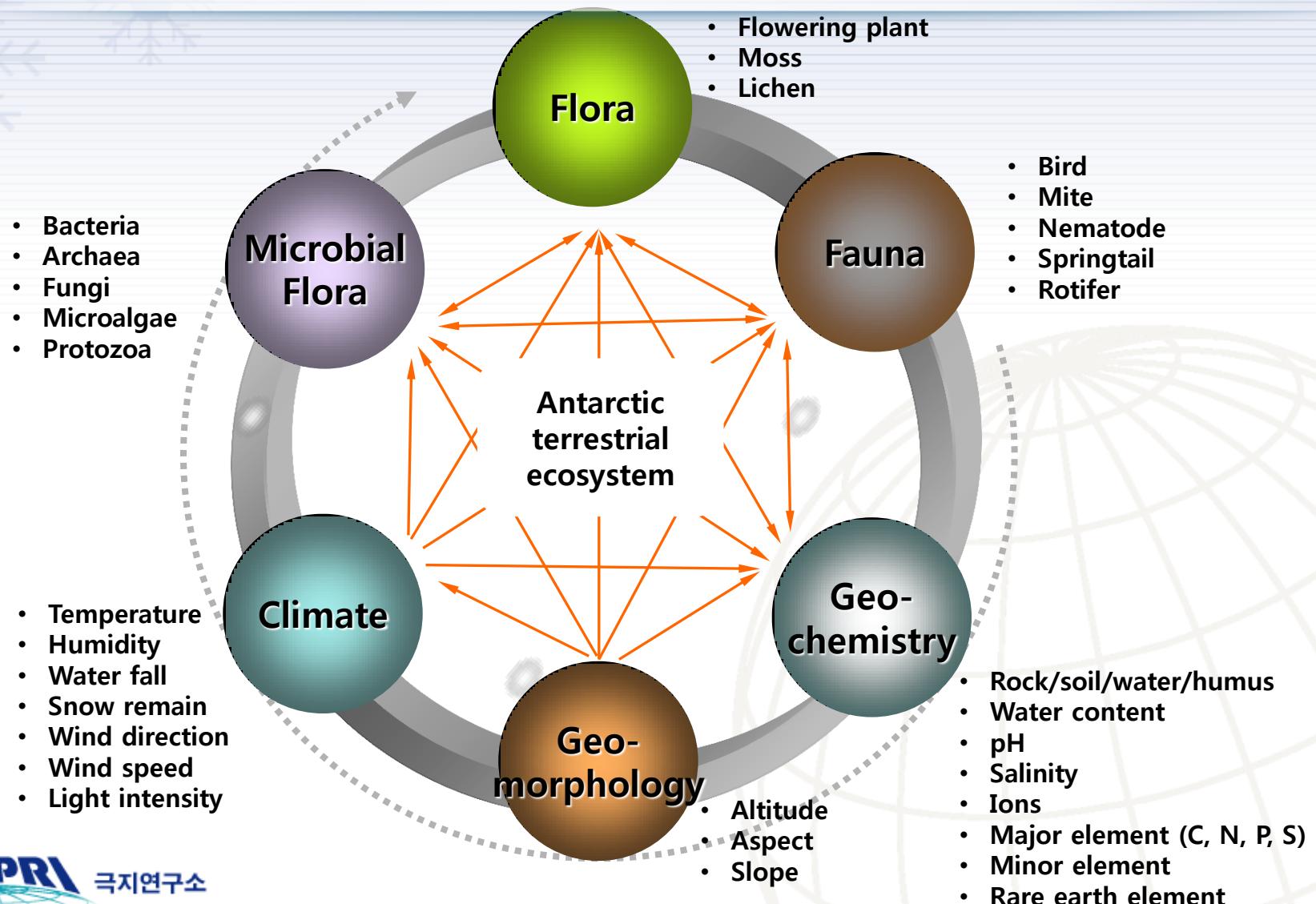
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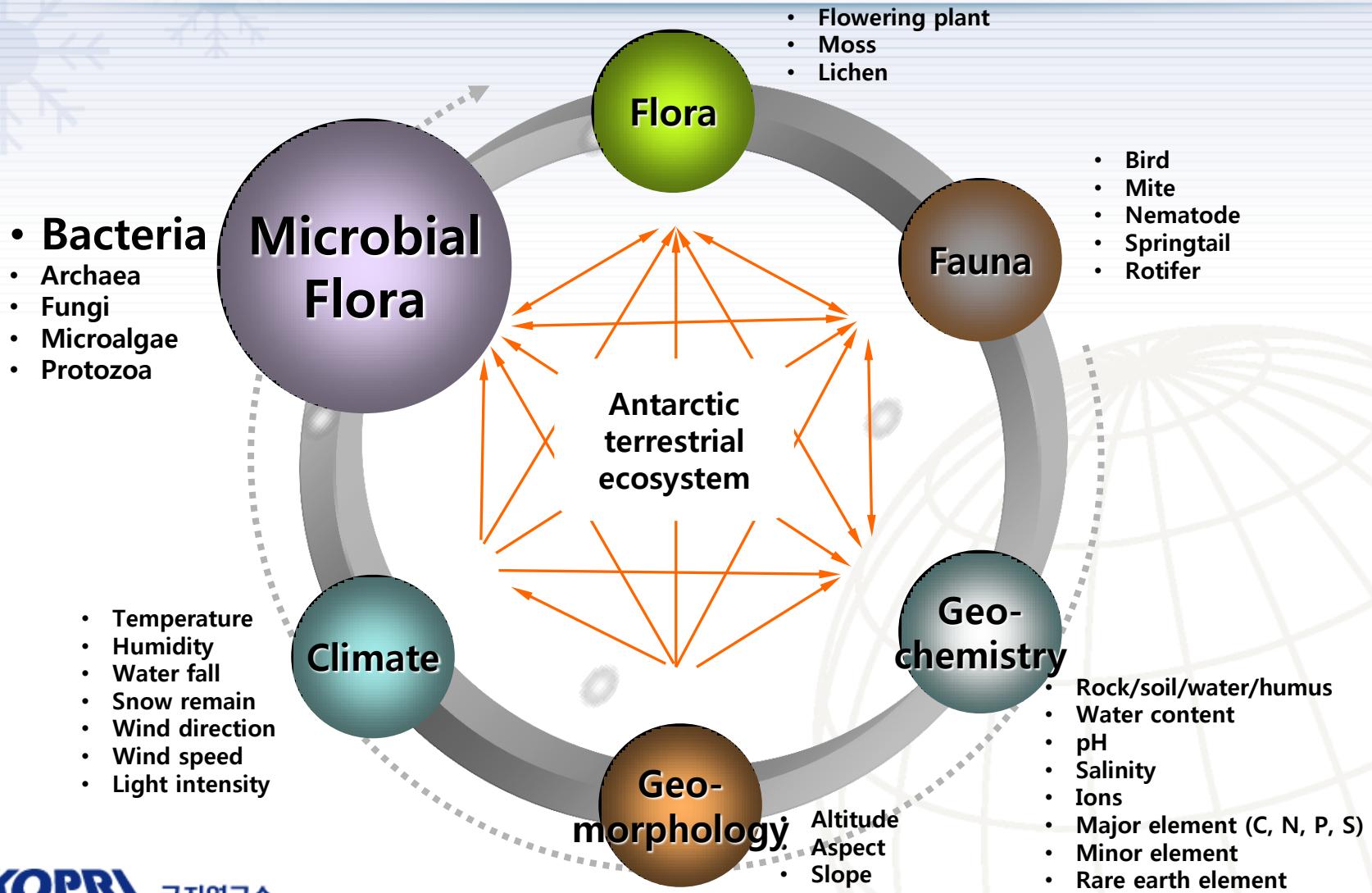
Maxwell
Bay



Components of terrestrial ecosystems



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Microbial community analysis

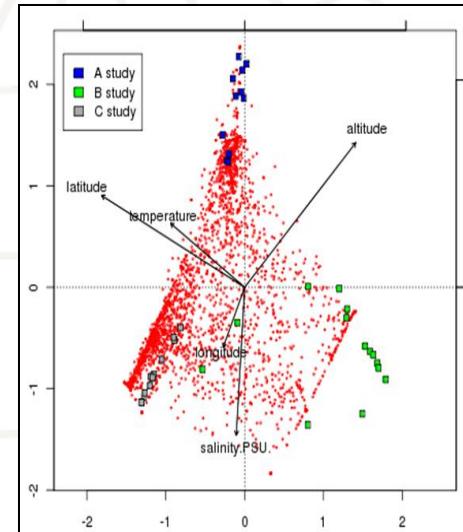
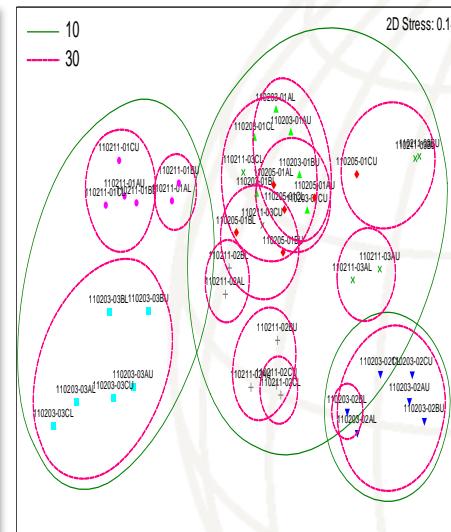
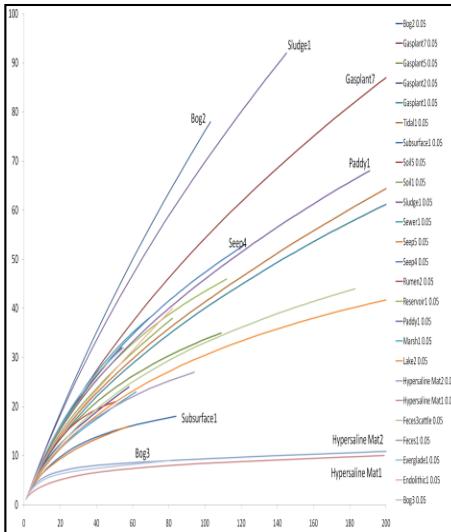
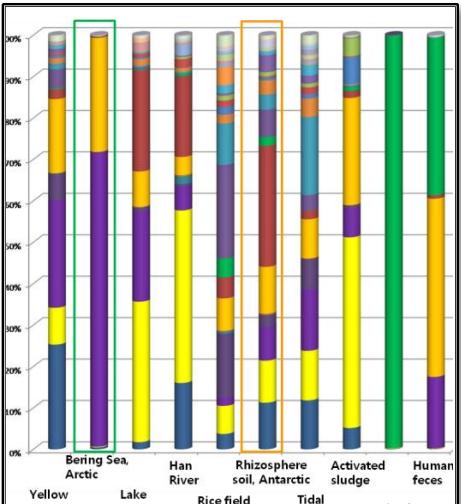
NGS platform
(16S rRNA, *nif*, *amo*, *nir*, *mcr*, *pmo*, *dsr*...)

Identification

Diversity

Community clustering

Correlation



Sampling sites

3 points in each site

A, B & C

2 layers

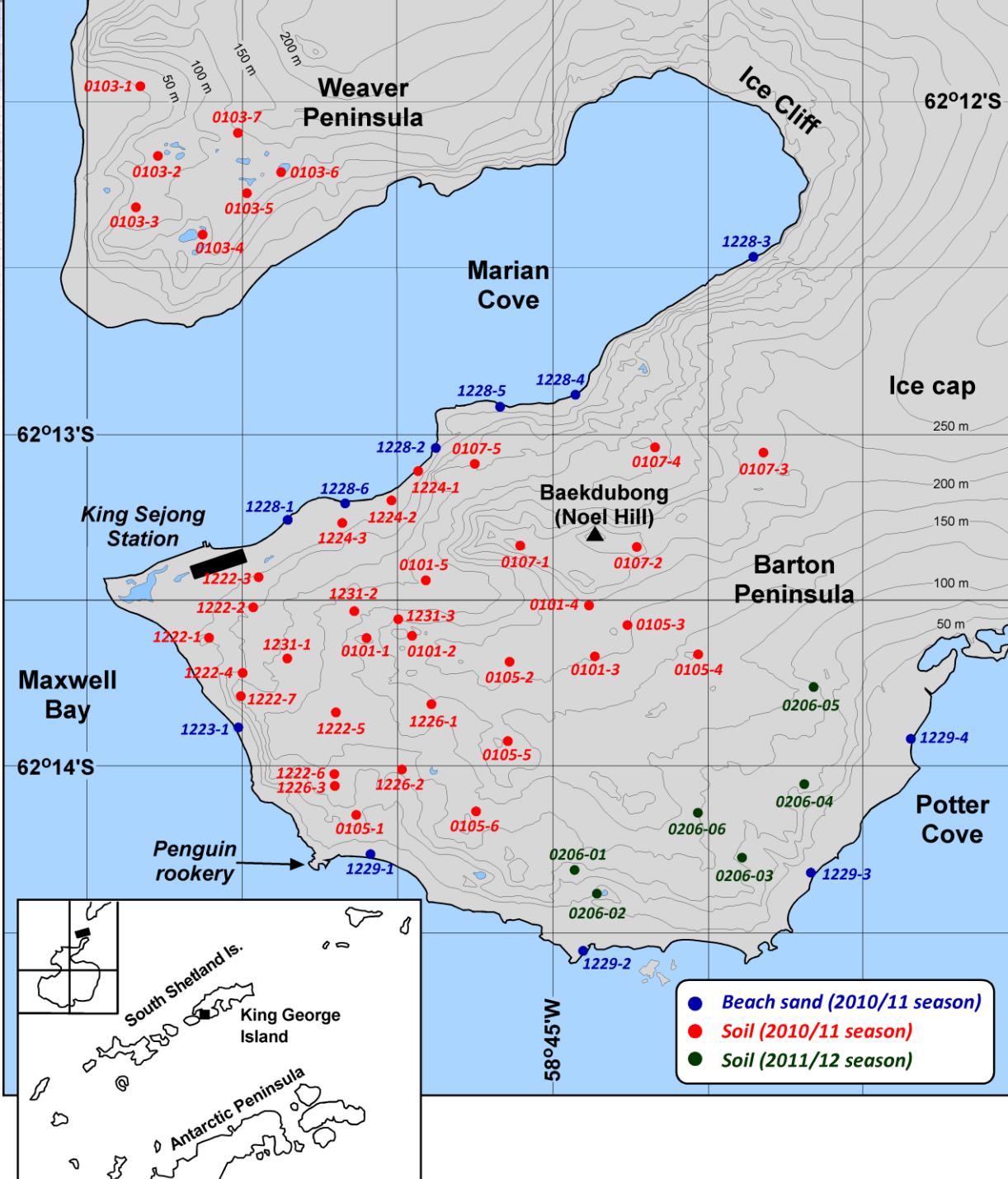
upper (0- 3 cm)

lower (3-10 cm)

57 sites

170 points

385 samples



Sample description

101222-01-A

S $62^{\circ}13'36.7''$ / W $58^{\circ}47'13.1''$ (35 m)

Hill area, small soil patches developed
no PPG, light brown soil containing small pebbles
Usnea dominant, moss sparse
near the skua nest

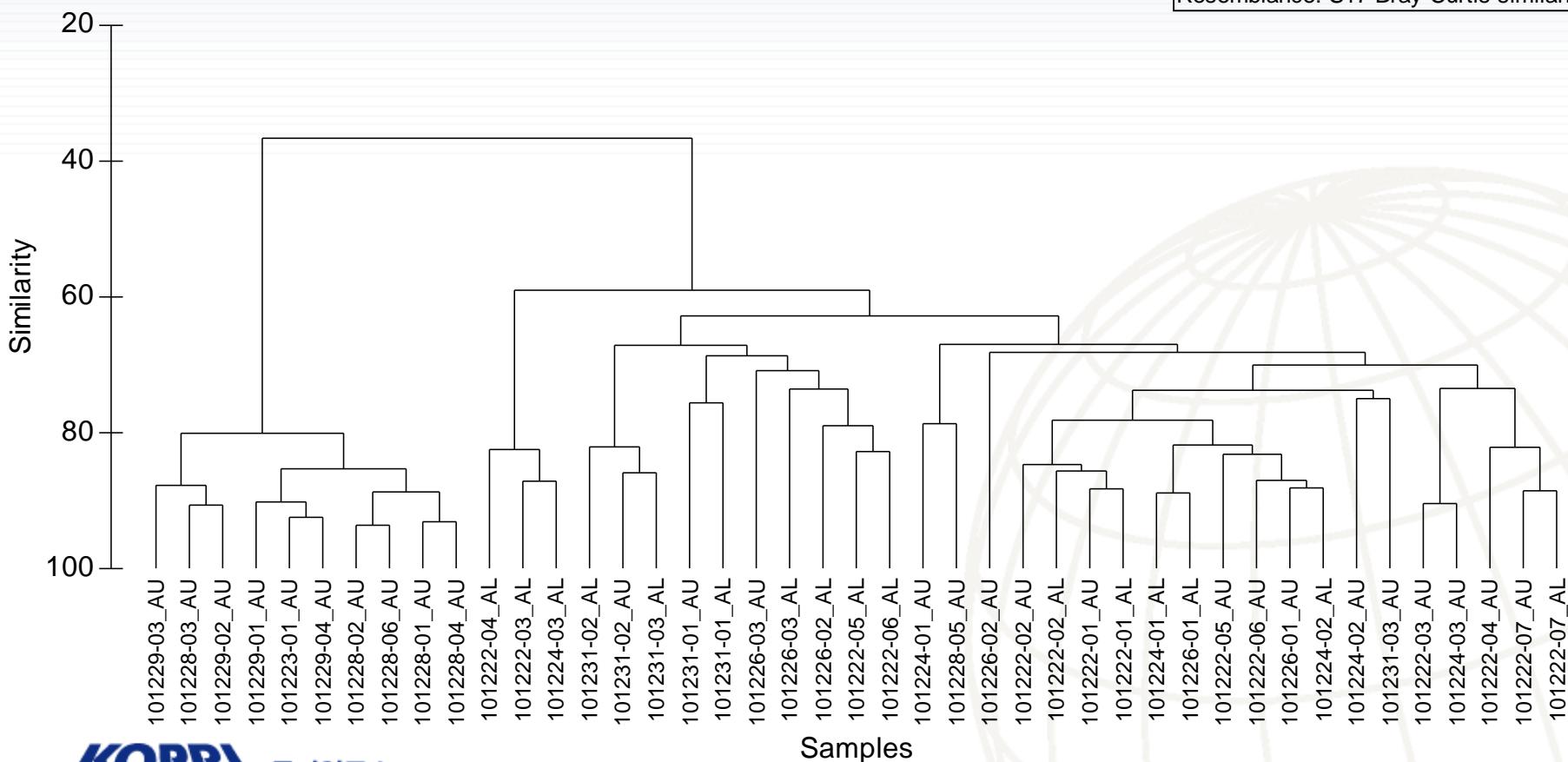


Relationship between samples

Phylum level

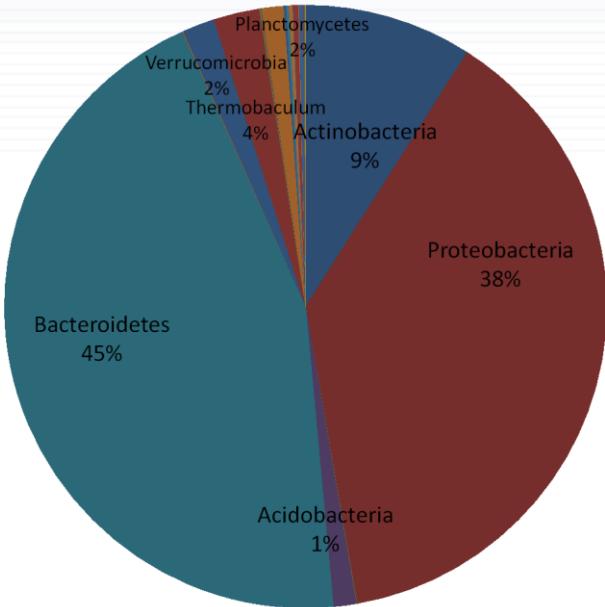
Group average

Standardise Samples by Total
Resemblance: S17 Bray Curtis similarity



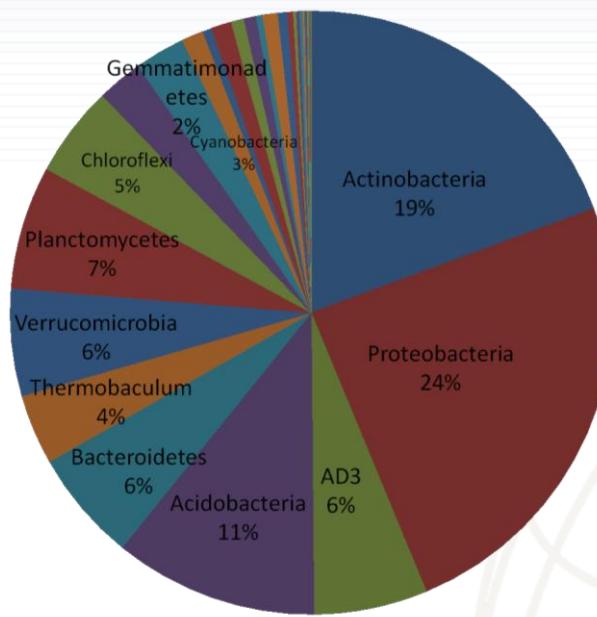
Bacterial community composition

Coastal line



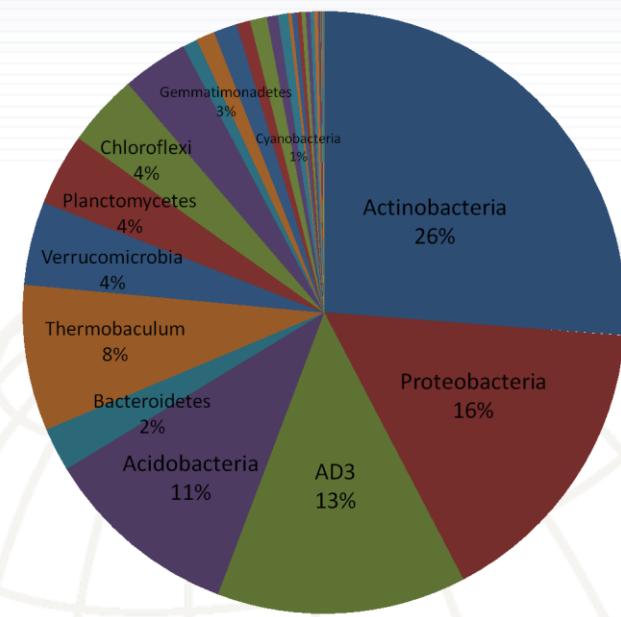
8,576 Reads
1,247 OTUs
23 Phyla

Upper layer



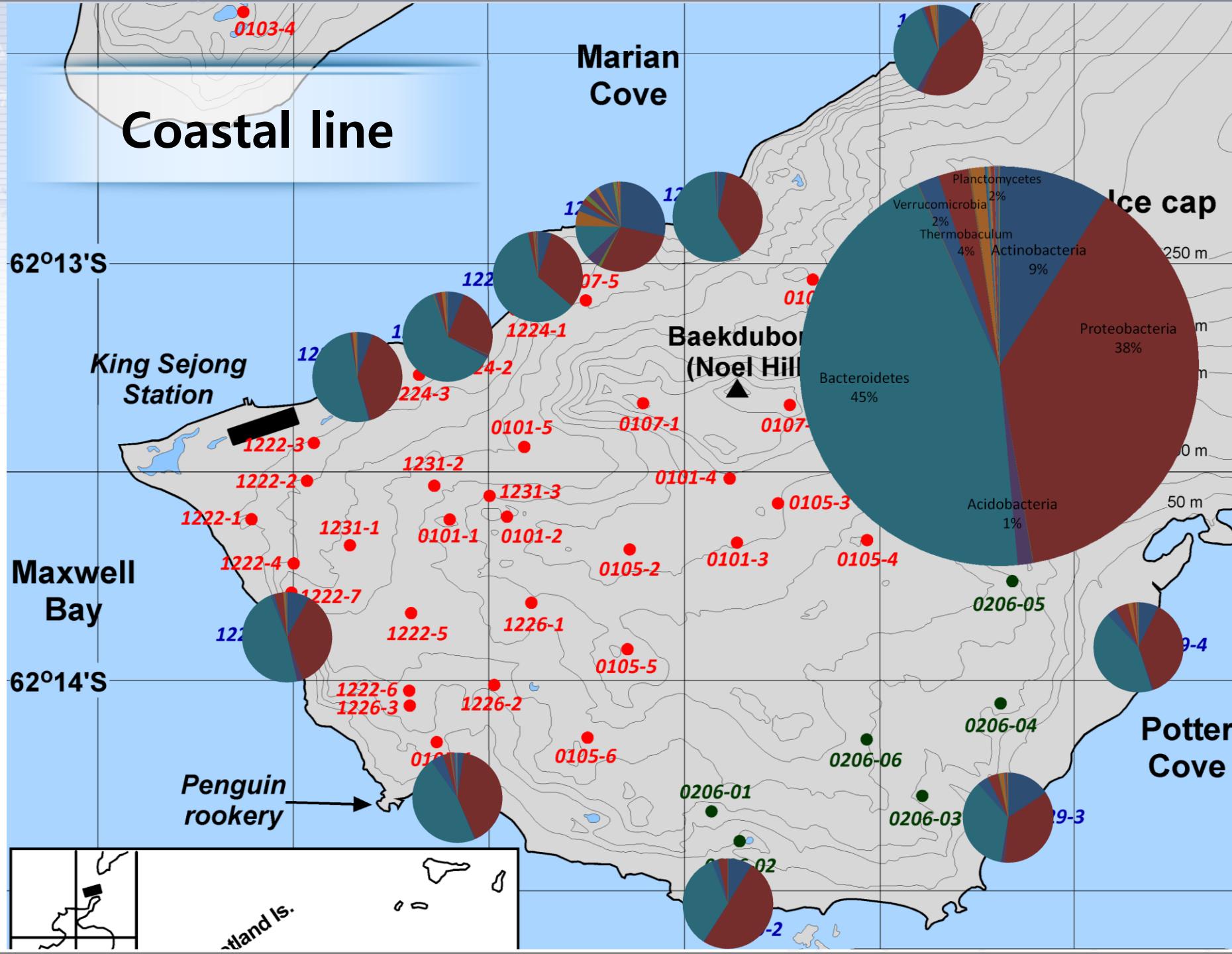
22,236 Reads
4,392 OTUs
37 Phyla

Lower layer



44,111 Reads
5,367 OTUs
41 Phyla

Coastal line



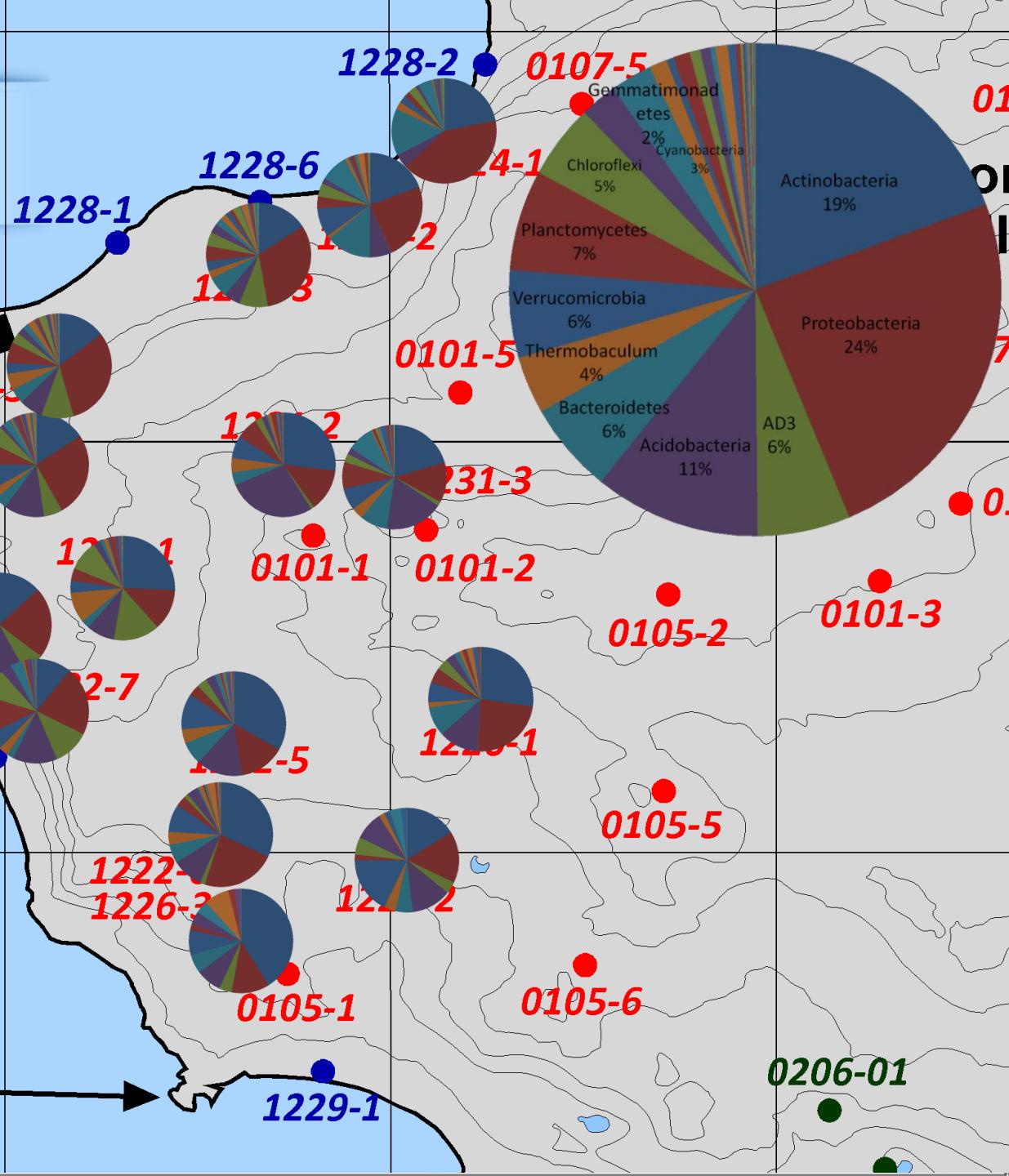
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Upper layer
King Sejong
Station

Maxwell
Bay

62°14'S

Penguin
rookery



-62°13'S

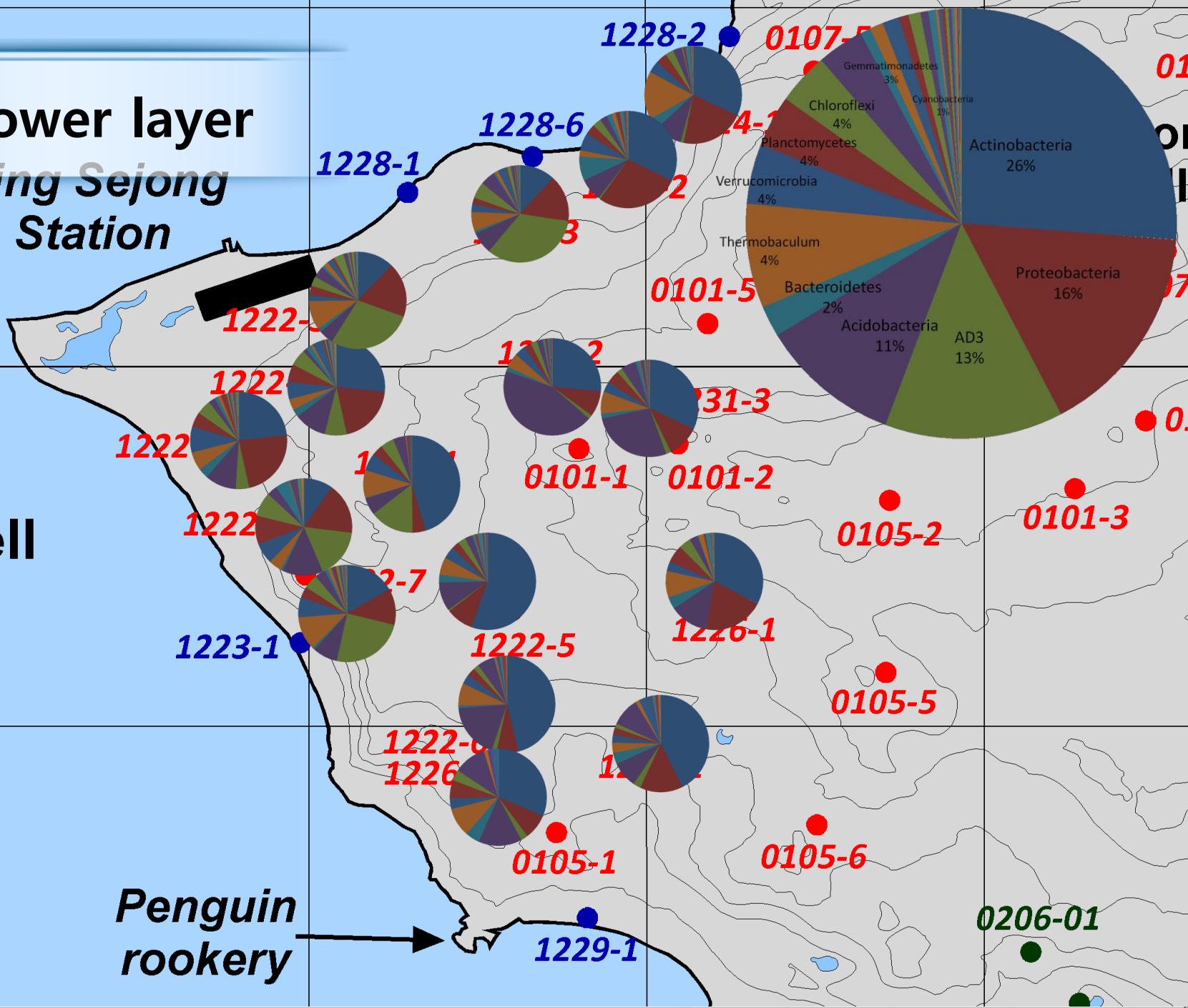
Lower layer

King Sejong Station

Maxwell Bay

-62°14'S

Penguin rookery

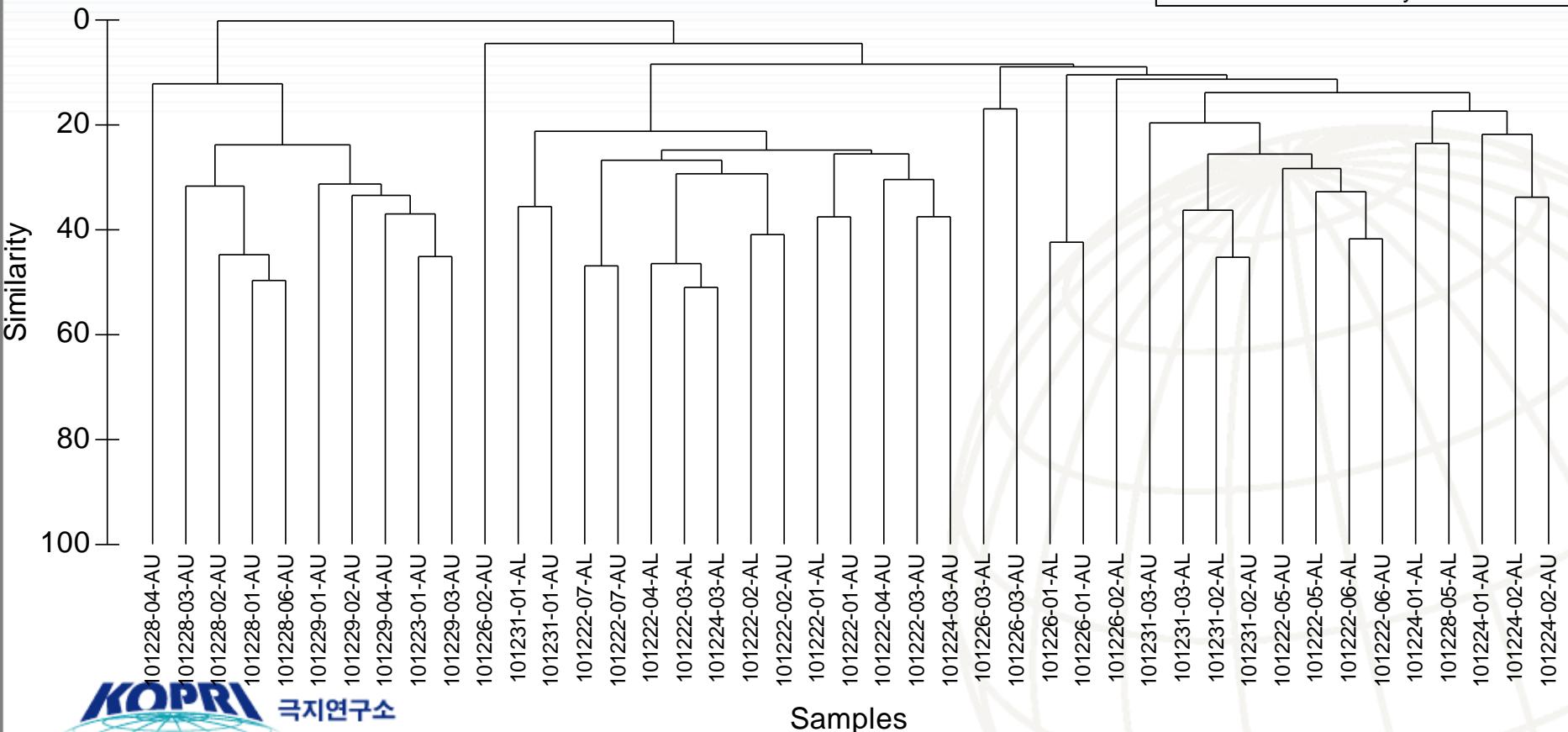


Relationship between samples

OTUs level

*OTUs
Group average*

Standardise Samples by Total
Resemblance: S17 Bray Curtis similarity



Abundant OTUs in soils of coastal line

| | 1223-01 | 1228-01 | 1228-02 | 1228-03 | 1228-04 | 1228-06 | 1229-01 | 1229-02 | 1229-03 | 1229-04 | Phylum | Class | Order | Family | Genus | Species |
|----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------------|----------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| OTU_8816 | 12.8 | 8.9 | 3.0 | 4.2 | 0.8 | 3.8 | 5.0 | 29.6 | 13.0 | 5.1 | Proteobacteria | Gammaproteobacteria | Chromatiales | Granulosicoccaceae | Granulosicoccus | Granulosicoccus_coccoides |
| OTU_7967 | 2.5 | 4.2 | 4.9 | 1.9 | 10.6 | 6.5 | 0.2 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 0.4 | Bacteroidetes | Flavobacteria | Flavobacteriales | Flavobacteriaceae | Cellulophaga_g1 | Cellulophaga_g1_uc |
| OTU_7706 | | 7.0 | 8.1 | 1.4 | 6.0 | 10.7 | | 0.2 | | 0.2 | Bacteroidetes | Flavobacteria | Flavobacteriales | Flavobacteriaceae | Flavobacterium | Flavobacterium_gillisiae |
| OTU_5527 | 2.1 | 3.4 | 3.0 | 1.1 | | 2.2 | 7.9 | 4.6 | 2.3 | 7.3 | Proteobacteria | Gammaproteobacteria | Alteromonadales | Alteromonadaceae | Aestuariibacter | Aestuariibacter_uc |
| OTU_7167 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 5.4 | | 0.9 | | | 1.4 | 0.8 | Actinobacteria | Acidimicrobia | Acidimicroiales | Acidimicroiales_uc | | |
| OTU_7360 | 1.2 | 3.4 | 1.2 | 1.9 | | 2.9 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 2.0 | 4.1 | Bacteroidetes | Flavobacteria | Flavobacteriales | Flavobacteriaceae | Flaviramulus | Flaviramulus_uc |
| OTU_6998 | 3.1 | 0.8 | 5.3 | 1.4 | | 0.7 | 3.6 | 0.5 | 1.4 | 2.3 | Bacteroidetes | Flavobacteria | Flavobacteriales | Flavobacteriaceae | Flavobacteriaceae_uc | |
| OTU_7975 | | | | 3.4 | 0.3 | 2.9 | | | 0.3 | 0.1 | Bacteroidetes | Flavobacteria | Flavobacteriales | Flavobacteriaceae | Flavobacterium | Flavobacterium_uc |
| OTU_4347 | | | | 4.4 | | | | | | | Proteobacteria | Betaproteobacteria | Thiobacillus_o | Thiobacillus_f | Thiobacillus | Thiobacillus_uc |
| OTU_5951 | 1.1 | 1.4 | 0.2 | 1.7 | | 0.7 | | 0.2 | 2.7 | 1.1 | Actinobacteria | Acidimicrobia | Acidimicroiales | Ilumatobacter_f | Ilumatobacter_f_uc | |
| OTU_7479 | 0.2 | 2.0 | 0.2 | 0.7 | 7.0 | 2.0 | 0.2 | | 0.8 | 0.1 | Proteobacteria | Betaproteobacteria | Burkholderiales | Comamonadaceae | Rhodoferax | Rhodoferax_uc |
| OTU_6653 | 2.5 | 1.7 | 3.3 | 0.2 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 4.4 | 0.9 | 0.1 | 0.2 | Proteobacteria | Gammaproteobacteria | Thiotrichales | Thiotrichaceae | Cocleimonas | Cocleimonas_uc |
| OTU_6945 | | 2.8 | 2.1 | 0.1 | 8.6 | 1.8 | | | | | Bacteroidetes | Flavobacteria | Flavobacteriales | Flavobacteriaceae | Maribacter | Maribacter_arcticus |
| OTU_7179 | 0.9 | | 0.7 | 1.2 | | 0.6 | 0.6 | 1.4 | 0.5 | 2.4 | Proteobacteria | Gammaproteobacteria | Chromatiales | Granulosicoccaceae | Granulosicoccus_ae | Granulosicoccus_ae_uc |
| OTU_8288 | | 1.4 | 1.6 | 0.5 | 2.7 | 3.9 | | | 0.1 | 0.1 | Bacteroidetes | Flavobacteria | Flavobacteriales | Flavobacteriaceae | Flavobacterium | Flavobacterium_frigoris |
| OTU_8665 | 0.1 | 1.1 | 1.9 | 0.9 | 4.6 | 1.0 | 0.4 | | | | Bacteroidetes | Flavobacteria | Flavobacteriales | Flavobacteriaceae | Flavobacterium | Flavobacterium_uc |
| OTU_8369 | 2.1 | 1.1 | 0.2 | | | 1.0 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.5 | 0.5 | Bacteroidetes | Flavobacteria | Flavobacteriales | Flavobacteriaceae | Flavobacteriaceae | Flavobacteriaceae_uc |
| OTU_8353 | 3.0 | 2.0 | 0.9 | 0.0 | | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 2.5 | Bacteroidetes | Flavobacteria | Flavobacteriales | Flavobacteriaceae | Flavobacteriaceae | Flavobacteriaceae_uc |
| OTU_4028 | 1.1 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 0.8 | | 0.8 | 3.8 | Bacteroidetes | Flavobacteria | Flavobacteriales | Flavobacteriaceae | Maritimimonas | Maritimimonas_uc |
| OTU_6349 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 2.1 | 1.4 | | 1.0 | | | 0.1 | Bacteroidetes | Flavobacteria | Flavobacteriales | Flavobacteriaceae | Ulvibacter | Ulvibacter_litoralis | |

Abundant OTUs in upper layer

| | 1222-01 | 1222-02 | 122-2-03 | 122-2-04 | 122-2-05 | 122-2-06 | 122-2-07 | 122-4-01 | 122-4-02 | 122-4-03 | 122-6-01 | 122-6-02 | 122-6-03 | 123-1-01 | 123-1-02 | 123-1-03 | Phylum | Class | Order | Family | Genus | Species | |
|----------|---------|---------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|--|
| OTU_8249 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 2.8 | 0.6 | | 0.9 | 0.8 | | 3.3 | | | 3.9 | 4.2 | 0.5 | 1.1 | AD3 | AD3_c | AD3_o | EF018548_f | EF019899_g | EF019899_s | | |
| OTU_8255 | 1.2 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 2.2 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 1.9 | | | | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0.7 | Proteobacteria | Alphaproteobacteria | Rhizobiales | Bradyrhizobiaceae | Afipia_g1 | Afipia_g1_uc | |
| OTU_6916 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 3.2 | 2.0 | 1.2 | 3.9 | 1.8 | | 0.9 | 0.8 | | Proteobacteria | Alphaproteobacteria | Sphingomonadales | Sphingomonadaceae | EU979111_g | EU979111_g_uc | |
| OTU_6689 | 0.6 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.0 | | | 1.1 | | | 2.0 | | | | 5.1 | 0.1 | | AD3 | AD3_c | AD3_o | AD3_f | AD3_f_uc | | |
| OTU_8456 | | | | 0.1 | | 2.4 | 0.1 | | | | 0.7 | | | 1.1 | 9.4 | 3.2 | Acidobacteria | Solibacteres | FJ479064_o | FJ479064_f | EF494375_g | EU223939_s | |
| OTU_8900 | 1.7 | 1.1 | 0.4 | 2.1 | | | 1.4 | | | 1.1 | | | | 3.2 | | | Actinobacteria | Thermoleophilia | Solirubrobacterales | Conexibacteraceae | Conexibacter | Conexibacter_uc | |
| OTU_8784 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.0 | | 1.3 | 0.4 | | 0.3 | | 0.1 | 0.2 | | 2.0 | 0.2 | 8.7 | 1.4 | Acidobacteria | Solibacteres | FJ479064_o | FJ479064_f | EU132075_g | EU132075_g_uc | |
| OTU_8054 | 0.2 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 1.0 | | 0.1 | 0.9 | | | 0.6 | | | | 0.3 | 0.2 | | Proteobacteria | Alphaproteobacteria | Rhizobiales | Bradyrhizobiaceae | Pseudolabrys | Pseudolabrys_uc | |
| OTU_5679 | | 0.0 | | | 0.1 | | | 7.2 | 2.0 | | | 1.8 | | | | | Proteobacteria | Gammaproteobacteria | Pseudomonadales | Moraxellaceae | Psychrobacter | Psychrobacter_glaucincola | |
| OTU_7240 | 1.0 | 0.7 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 0.2 | | 0.4 | | | 3.3 | | | | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.2 | Proteobacteria | Gammaproteobacteria | Xanthomonadales | Xanthomonadaceae | Rudaea | 4P000036_s | |
| OTU_7446 | 0.9 | 0.1 | 0.0 | | 1.8 | 3.3 | 0.2 | | 0.6 | | | | 5.9 | 1.1 | 2.4 | 0.2 | Actinobacteria | Rubrobacteria | Gaiellales | Gaiellaceae | EF516148_g | EU861844_s | |
| OTU_6296 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 1.4 | 0.4 | | | 0.2 | | | 0.4 | | | | 2.7 | 0.9 | 0.5 | Thermobaculum | Thermobaculum_c | AY221067_o | EF516242_f | EF516242_g | EF018866_s | |
| OTU_7572 | 0.1 | 0.7 | 0.3 | 1.0 | | 0.7 | 2.1 | | | 0.4 | | | | 0.1 | | 0.2 | AD3 | AD3_c | AD3_o | EF018548_f | EF018548_g | EF018976_s | |
| OTU_8291 | | | | | 7.5 | 1.8 | | | | | | | | 1.4 | 1.4 | | Actinobacteria | Thermoleophilia | Solirubrobacterales | DQ413118_f | DQ413118_g | EF516859_s | |
| OTU_7493 | | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.7 | | | 2.2 | | | 0.2 | | | | 0.1 | | | AD3 | AD3_c | EU861914_o | EF516692_f | EF516692_g | EF516692_g_uc | |
| OTU_7883 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.4 | 0.4 | | | 1.9 | | | 0.1 | | | | 0.2 | | | AD3 | AD3_c | EU861914_o | EU861914_f | EF018387_g | EF018387_s | |
| OTU_8602 | | 0.0 | 0.1 | | | 2.7 | | 3.2 | 0.4 | 0.1 | | | 5.9 | | 0.2 | | Proteobacteria | Betaproteobacteria | Burkholderiales | Comamonadaceae | Polaromonas | Polaromonas_glacialis | |
| OTU_8794 | | 0.1 | 0.3 | | | 0.1 | | 3.7 | 1.4 | 0.3 | | | | | | | Proteobacteria | Betaproteobacteria | Burkholderiales | Comamonadaceae | Curvibacter | Curvibacter_uc | |
| OTU_8662 | 1.0 | 0.4 | 1.3 | 1.4 | | | 0.4 | | | 0.1 | | | | 0.6 | | | Actinobacteria | Thermoleophilia | Solirubrobacterales | Solirubrobacter | Solirubrobacter_uc | Solirubrobacter_uc | |
| OTU_8623 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 1.8 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 1.8 | | 0.4 | 0.5 | | Proteobacteria | Alphaproteobacteria | Sphingomonadales | Sphingomonads | Sphingomona | Sphingomonas_uc | |

Abundant OTUs in lower layer

| | 1222-01 | 1222-02 | 1222-03 | 1222-04 | 1222-05 | 1222-06 | 1222-07 | 1224-01 | 1224-02 | 1224-03 | 1226-01 | 1226-02 | 1226-03 | 1228-05 | 1231-01 | 1231-02 | 1231-03 | Phylum | Class | Order | Family | Genus | Species |
|----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| OTU_8249 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 10.0 | 8.2 | | 0.9 | 1.4 | | 0.4 | 19.1 | | 1.9 | | 0.6 | 6.8 | 1.0 | 1.3 | AD3 | AD3_c | AD3_o | EF018548_f | EF019899_g | EF019899_s |
| OTU_6296 | 1.8 | 1.6 | 2.8 | 4.4 | | 0.4 | 0.9 | 0.1 | | 2.7 | | 0.2 | 1.2 | | 3.0 | 0.4 | 2.1 | Thermobaculum | Thermobaculum_c | AY221067_o | EF516242_f | EF516242_g | EF018866_s |
| OTU_5505 | 0.0 | | 0.0 | 3.5 | | | | | | 0.0 | | | | 13.8 | | | | Actinobacteria | Rubrobacteria | Gaiellales | Gaiellaceae | EF516148_g | EF516148_guc |
| OTU_7502 | 0.0 | | 7.4 | 2.0 | | | | | | 1.2 | | | | | | | | AD3 | AD3_c | AD3_o | EF018548_f | EF019899_g | EF019899_s |
| OTU_8456 | 0.0 | 0.1 | | 0.0 | 0.5 | 3.8 | 1.2 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | | | 0.6 | 22.5 | 7.5 | Acidobacteria | Solibacteres | FJ479064_o | FJ479064_f | EF494375_g | EU223939_s |
| OTU_7446 | 1.2 | 0.1 | | 0.2 | 5.8 | 3.9 | | 0.4 | 8.8 | 0.2 | | | 7.2 | 1.3 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 1.5 | Actinobacteria | Rubrobacteria | Gaiellales | Gaiellaceae | EF516148_g | EU861844_s |
| OTU_8054 | 2.1 | 3.0 | 2.6 | 1.9 | | 0.1 | 0.7 | 0.0 | | 3.4 | | 0.3 | | | 0.5 | | 0.2 | Proteobacteria | Alphaproteobacteria | Rhizobiales | Bradyrhizobiaceae | Pseudolabrys | Pseudolabrys_uc |
| OTU_6689 | 1.2 | 0.7 | 2.0 | 2.8 | | | 0.7 | | 0.0 | 3.4 | | | | | 3.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | AD3 | AD3_c | AD3_o | AD3_f | AD3_f_uc | |
| OTU_8310 | 0.1 | 10.6 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 1.7 | 2.2 | | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | | 1.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 2.3 | Actinobacteria | Rubrobacteria | Gaiellales | Gaiellaceae | FJ479094_g | FJ479094_s |
| OTU_8118 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 2.3 | 1.4 | | | 1.2 | | | 3.0 | | | | | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.2 | Gemmimonadetes | Gemmimonadetes_c | EU421850_f | EU421850_g | EU421850_guc | |
| OTU_8865 | 0.1 | | | | 1.7 | 3.9 | | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.2 | | | 3.6 | | 5.2 | 2.8 | 2.2 | Actinobacteria | Rubrobacteria | Gaiellales | Gaiellaceae | EU881252_g | EU881252_guc |
| OTU_8830 | 0.4 | 0.7 | | | 4.2 | 2.2 | | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | | | | 4.3 | 2.7 | 4.6 | Actinobacteria | Rubrobacteria | Gaiellales | Gaiellaceae | EU881141_g | EU881141_guc |
| OTU_8255 | 0.7 | 2.6 | 1.2 | 0.9 | | 0.1 | 1.9 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 1.8 | 0.1 | 0.3 | | 0.7 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.6 | Proteobacteria | Alphaproteobacteria | Rhizobiales | Bradyrhizobiaceae | Afipia_g1 | Afipia_g1_uc |
| OTU_7493 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 1.4 | 2.5 | | | 2.5 | | | 3.6 | | | | | 0.0 | | | AD3 | AD3_c | EU861914_o | EF516692_f | EF516692_g | EF516692_guc |
| OTU_7572 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 0.9 | 2.3 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 3.9 | 1.0 | 0.0 | 2.4 | | | 2.4 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | AD3 | AD3_c | AD3_o | EF018548_f | EF018548_g | EF018976_s | |
| OTU_6913 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 1.3 | | 0.2 | 0.6 | 0.5 | | 1.5 | | | 2.1 | 0.2 | 1.0 | Actinobacteria | Rubrobacteria | Gaiellales | Gaiellaceae | EF516148_g | EF516148_guc |
| OTU_8291 | | | | | 17.6 | 5.7 | | | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | | | 0.0 | 2.6 | 0.2 | Actinobacteria | Thermoleophilia | Solirubrobacterales | DQ413118_f | DQ413118_g | EF516859_s |
| OTU_8590 | 1.3 | 0.5 | 1.5 | 0.9 | 0.6 | | 1.3 | | | 1.7 | | | | | 0.1 | 0.2 | | Proteobacteria | Alphaproteobacteria | Rhizobiales | Beijerinckiaceae | DQ823227_g | DQ823227_guc |
| OTU_8903 | | | 1.3 | | 1.6 | | | 0.4 | | | | 0.1 | | | 4.2 | | | AD3 | AD3_c | AD3_c | AD3_c_uc | | |
| OTU_8784 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 2.4 | | 0.6 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.3 | | 0.4 | 0.6 | 4.6 | 5.0 | Acidobacteria | Solibacteres | FJ479064_o | FJ479064_f | EU132075_g | EU132075_guc |

Future works

- Different bacterial communities have been significantly observed between coastal soils and inland soils.
In addition, inland soil bacteria between upper and lower layer showed similar composition but different proportion.
- What are the core microorganisms that drive terrestrial ecosystems of Barton Peninsula?
- How do bacterial community composition correlate with other biotic/abiotic environmental components?
- Where can be the representative site to establish long-term monitoring of bacterial community impacted by climate change?



**Thank you
for your attention!!!**