

Supplementary Materials

Orchestrated Response of Intracellular Zwitterionic Metabolites in Stress Adaptation of the Halophilic Heterotrophic Bacterium *Pelagibaca bermudensis*

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Table S1. Concentration of sulfur- and nitrogen-containing zwitterionic metabolites from *T. striata* by LC-HRMS

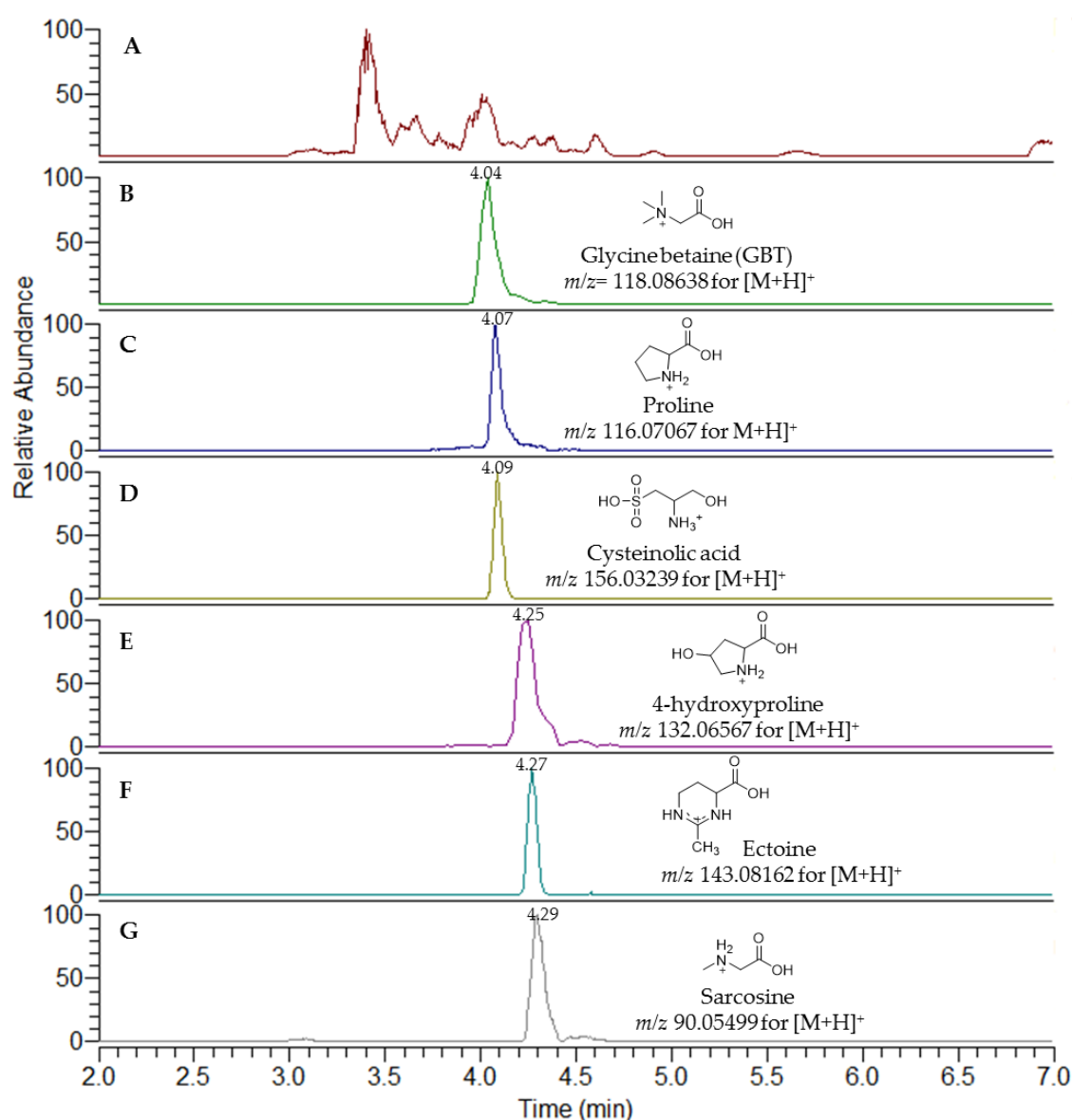


Figure S1.1 Chromatographic profile of zwitterionic metabolites from *P. bermudensis* using UHPLC with detection by ESI-HRMS. (A) Total Ion Count (TIC), (B) GBT ion trace m/z 118.08638, (C) proline ion trace m/z 116.07067, (D) Cysteinolic acid ion trace m/z 156.03239, (E) 4-hydroxyproline ion trace m/z 132.06567 (F) ectoine ion trace m/z 143.08162, (G) Sarcosine ion trace m/z 90.05499.

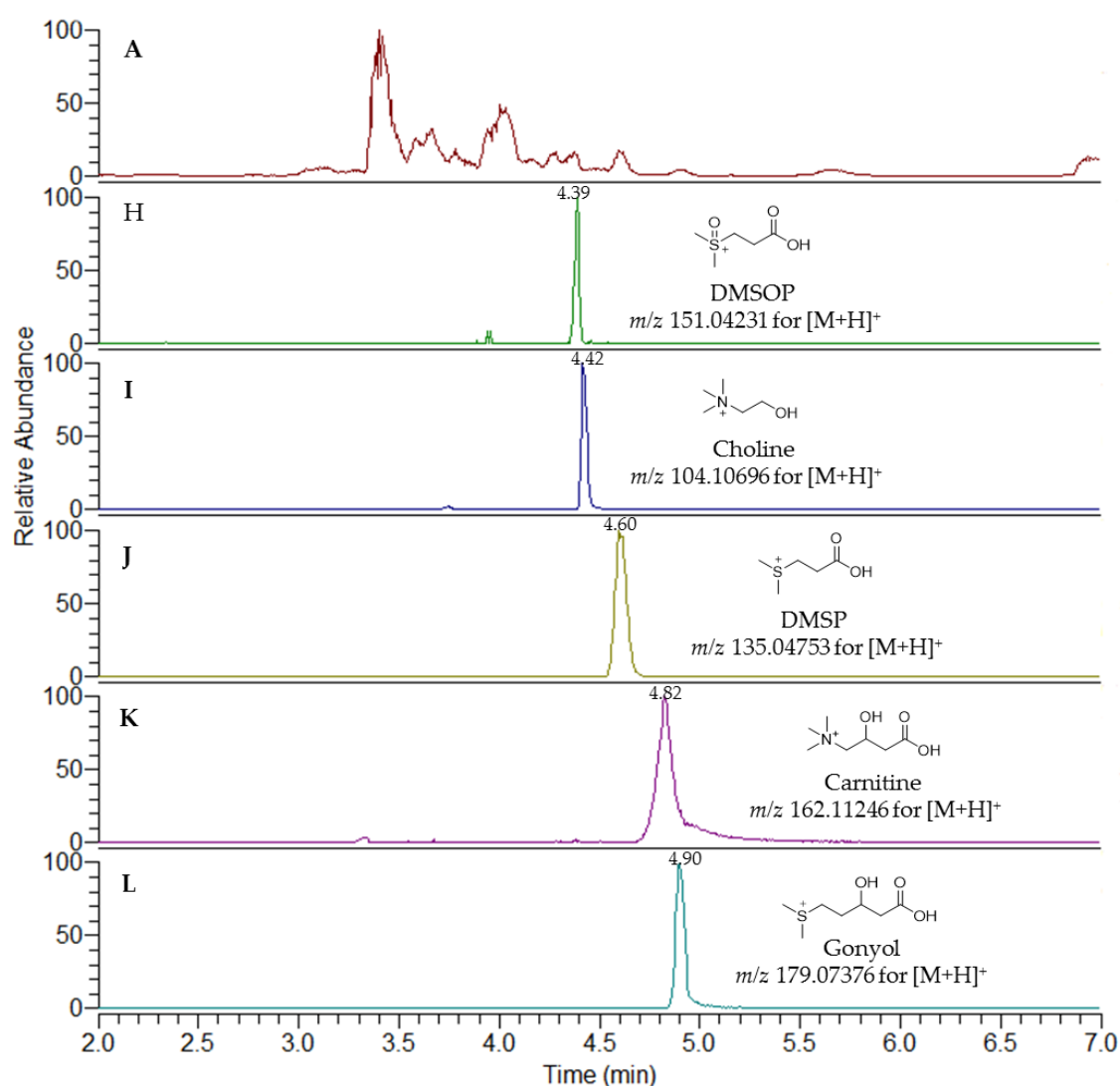


Figure S1.2 Chromatographic profile of zwitterionic metabolites from *P. bermudensis* using UHPLC with detection by ESI-HRMS. **(A)** Total Ion Count (TIC), **(H)** DMSOP ion trace m/z 151.04231, **(I)** Choline ion trace m/z 104.10696, **(J)** DMSP ion trace m/z 135.04753, **(K)** carnitine ion trace m/z 162.11246 **(L)** Gonyol ion trace m/z 179.07376.

Comparison of MS/MS spectra of zwitterionic metabolites from *P. bermudensis* and reference standards

All MS/MS spectra of our reference standards were deposited and publicly available online in the GNPS spectral libraries. The charts were made using the Metabolomics Spectrum Resolver (<https://metabolomics-usi.ucsd.edu/>) [1] and scannable QR-codes link out to the individual annotated charts and library spectra with their metadata. All spectral mirror charts had cosine similarity scores not lesser than 0.98. Identical MS/MS spectra proved the identity of compounds from *P. bermudensis* were identical compounds with reference standards.

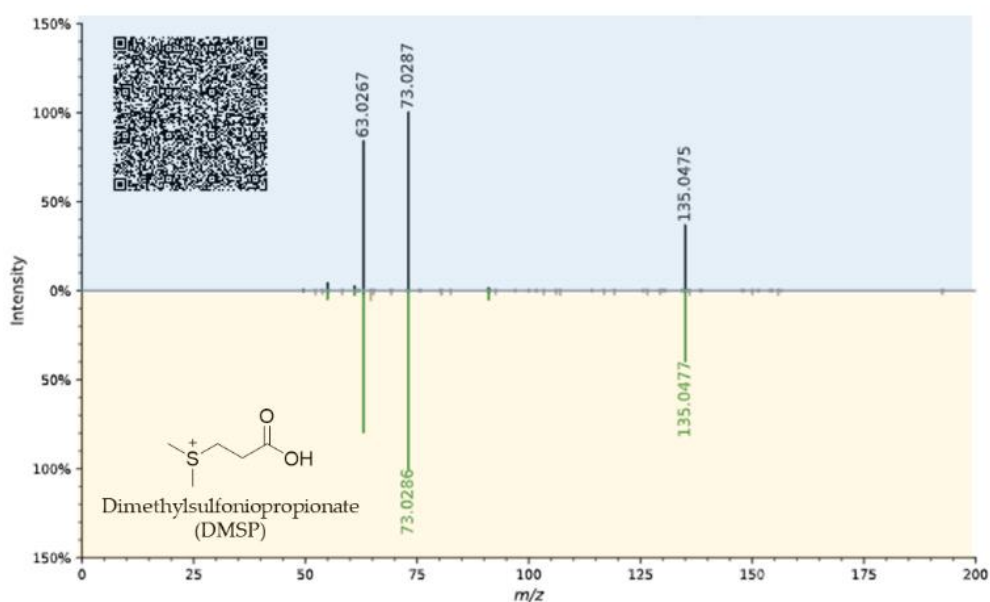


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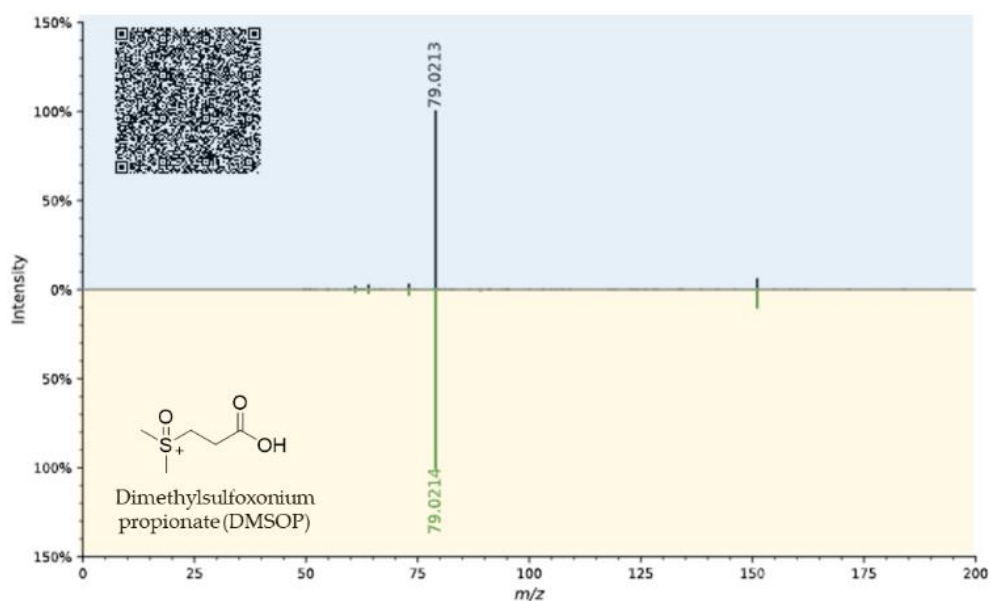


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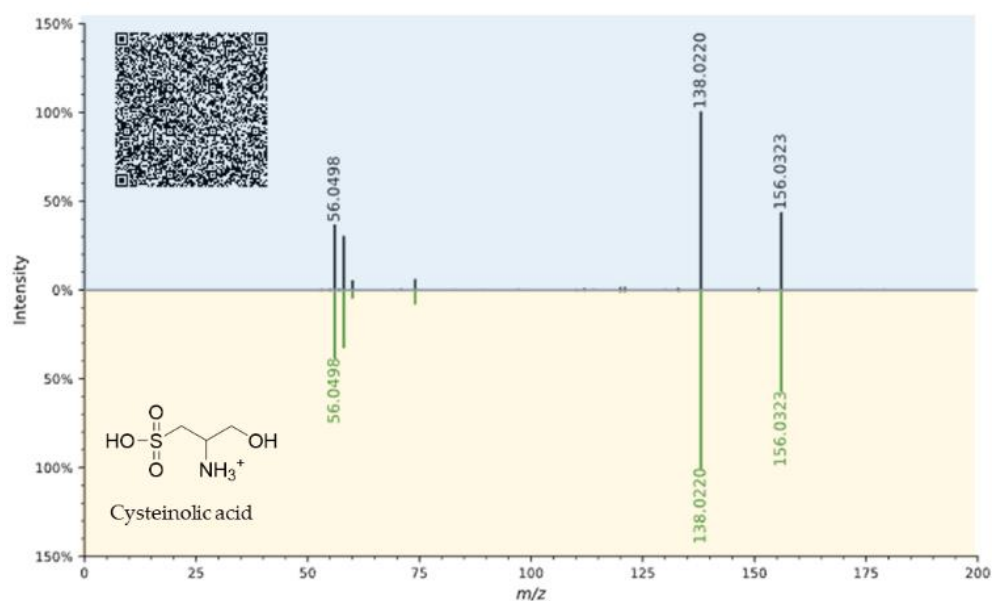


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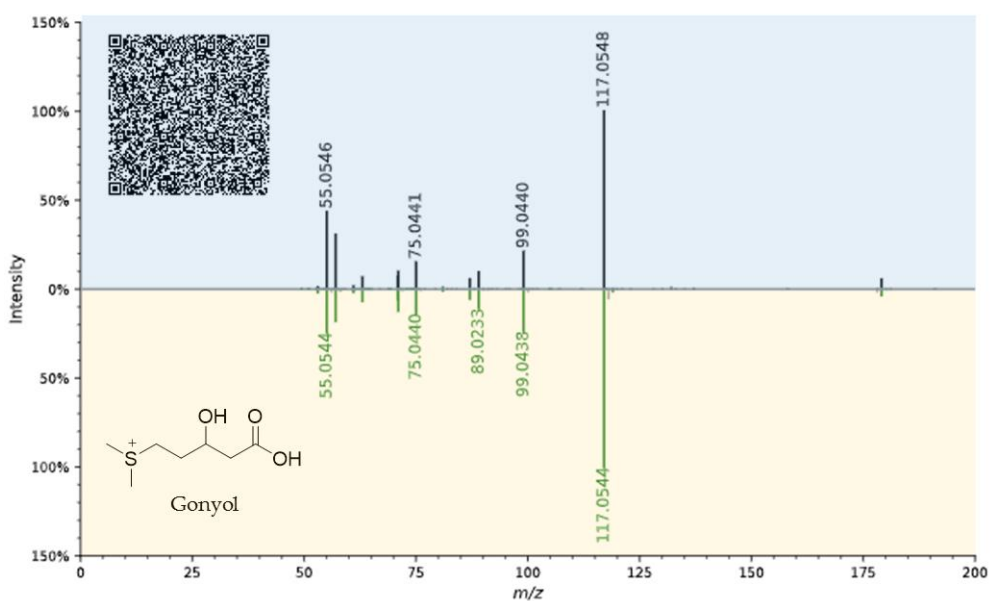


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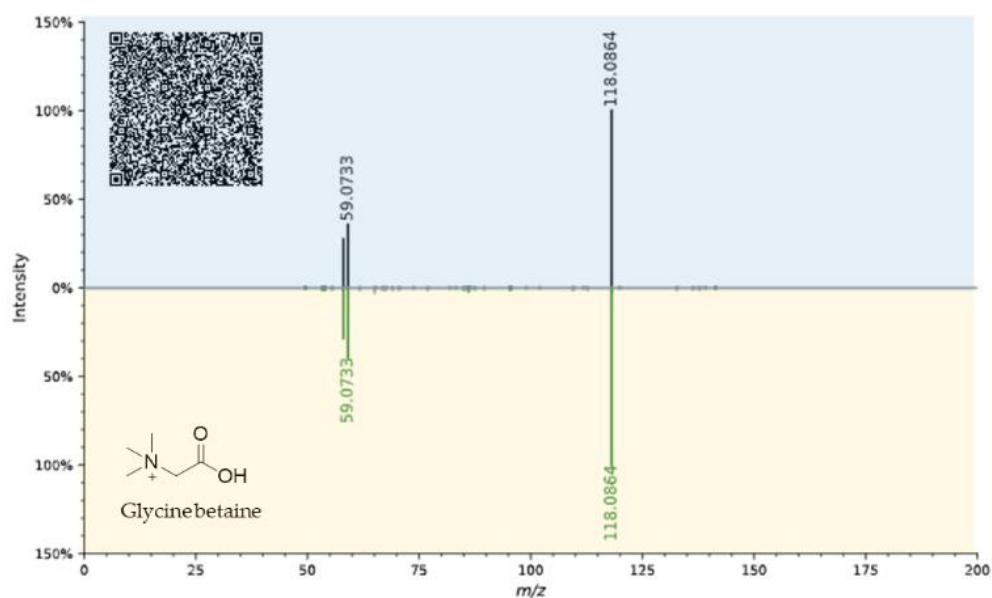


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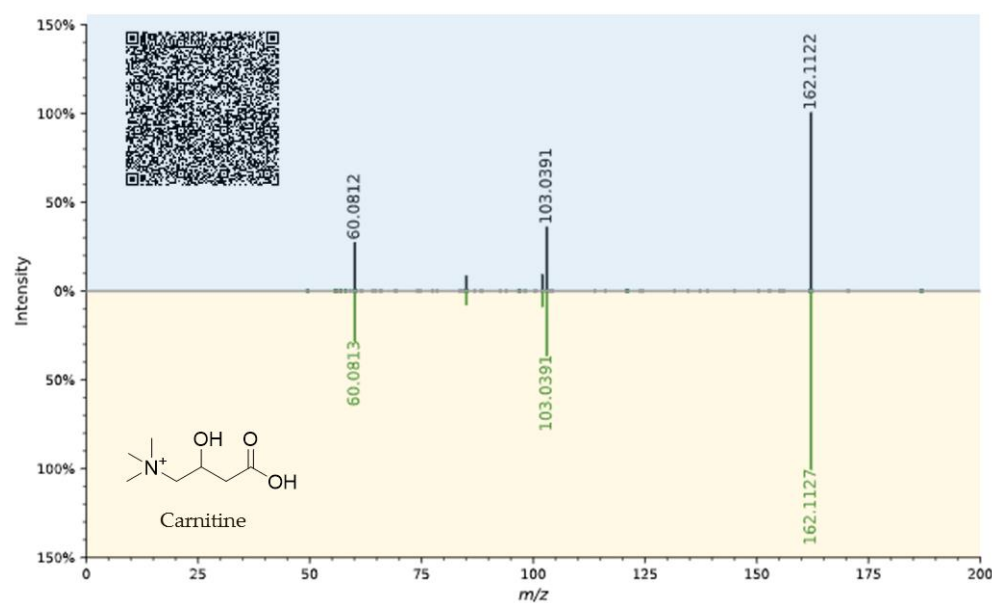


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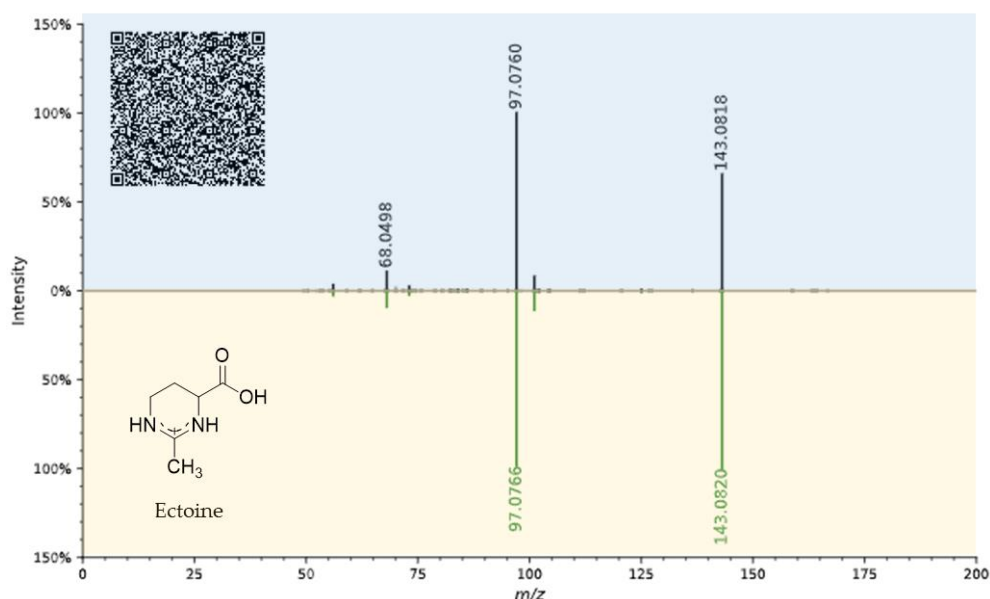


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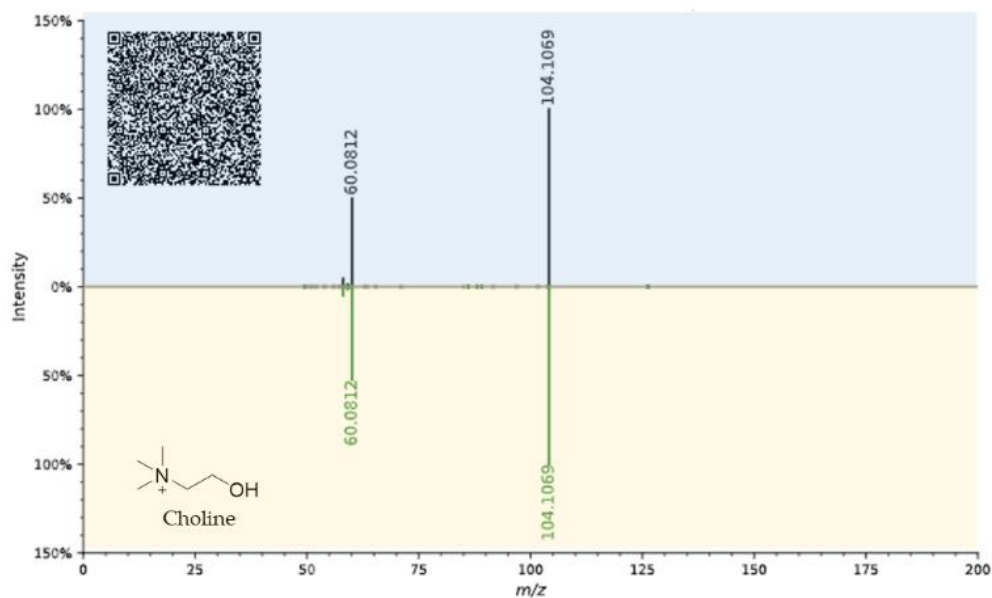


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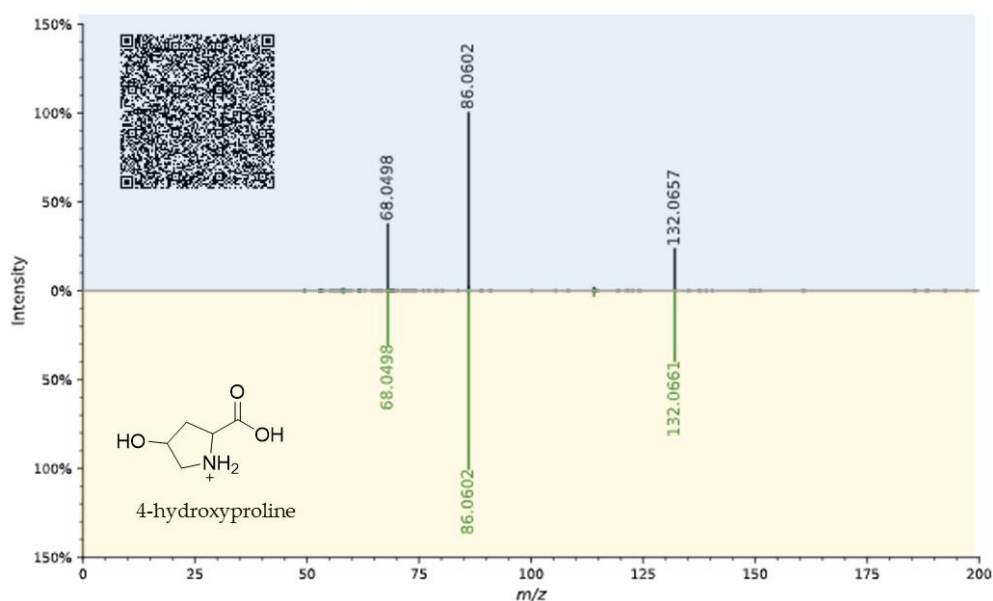


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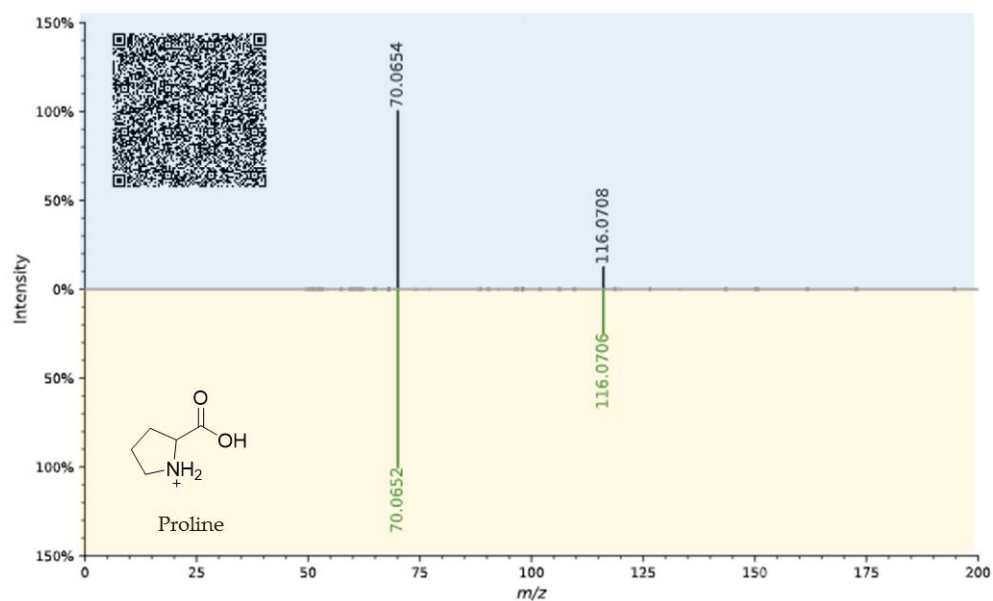


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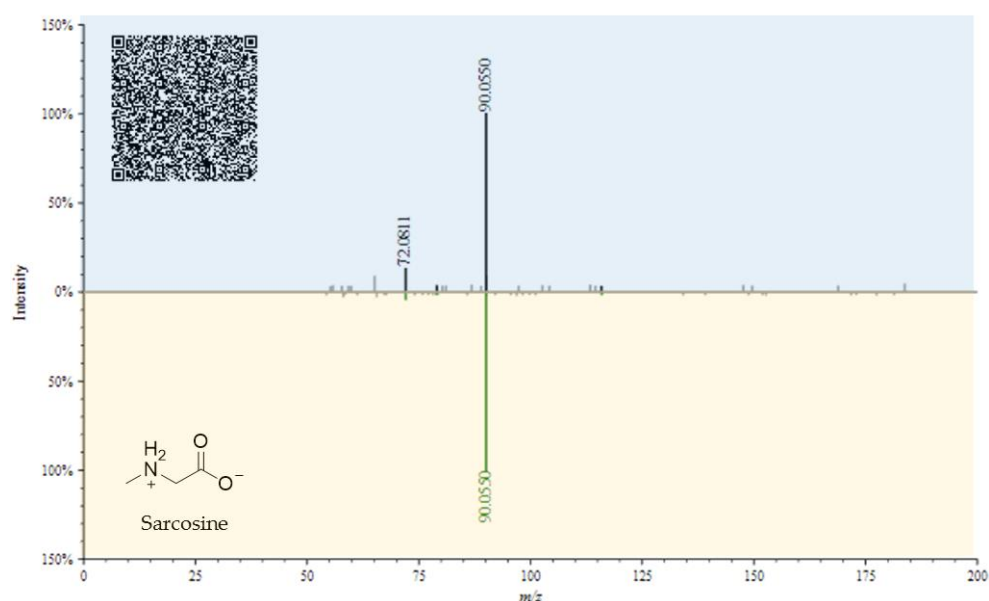


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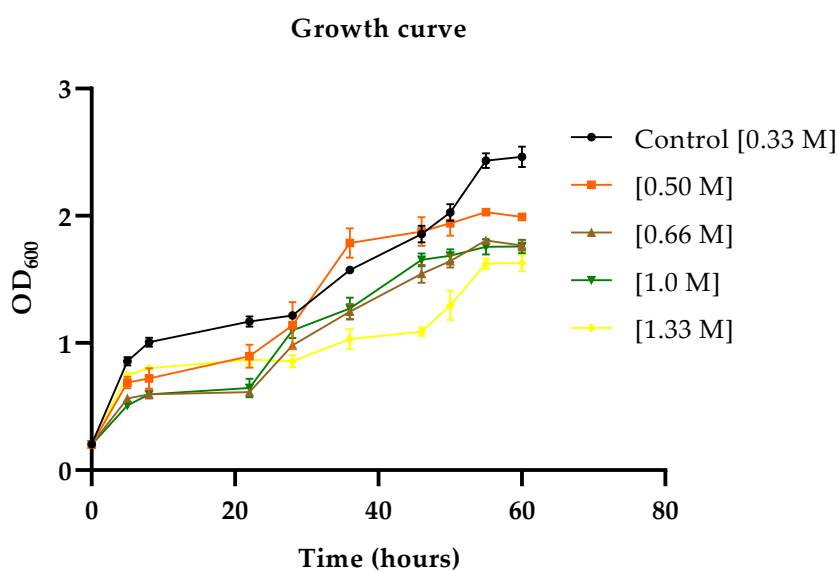


Figure S3.1. OD₆₀₀ during the growth curve of *P. bermudensis* cultures grown in marine broth in NaCl concentration of 0.33 M – 1.33 M. Error bars represent standard deviation of three biological replicates. Sampling for extraction was taken at the late exponential phase.

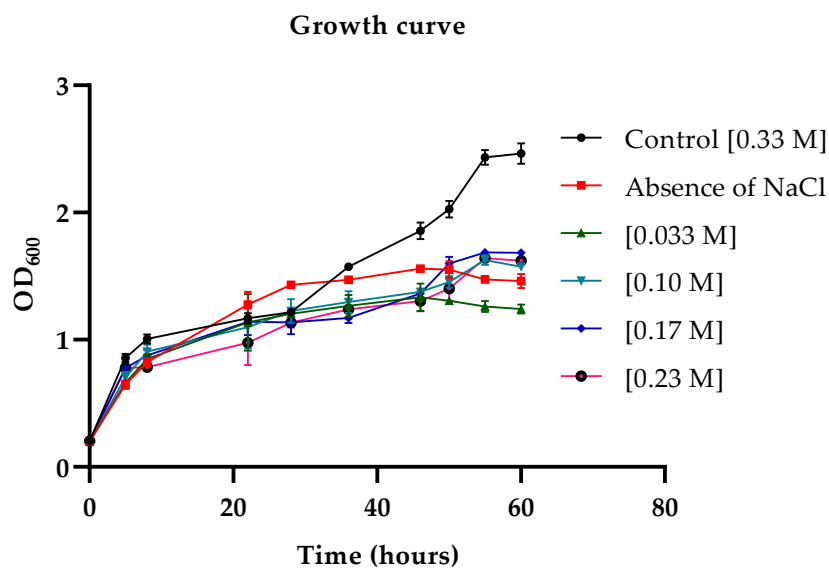


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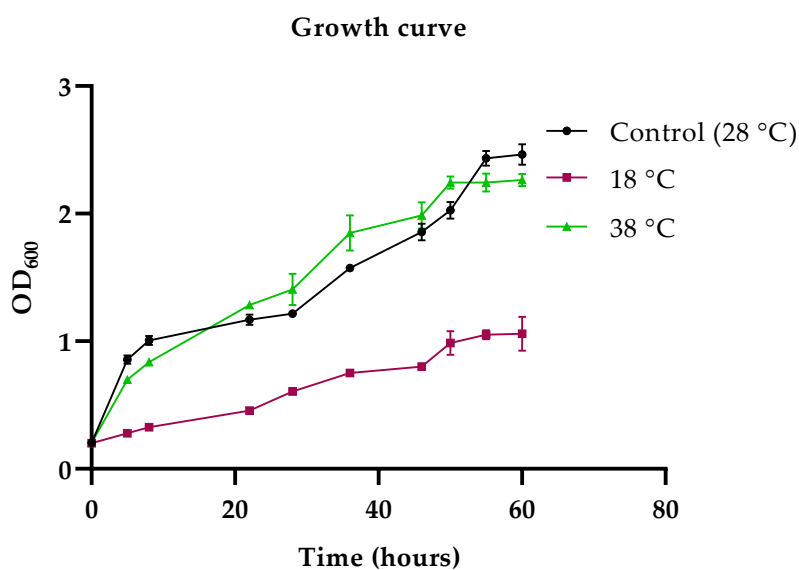


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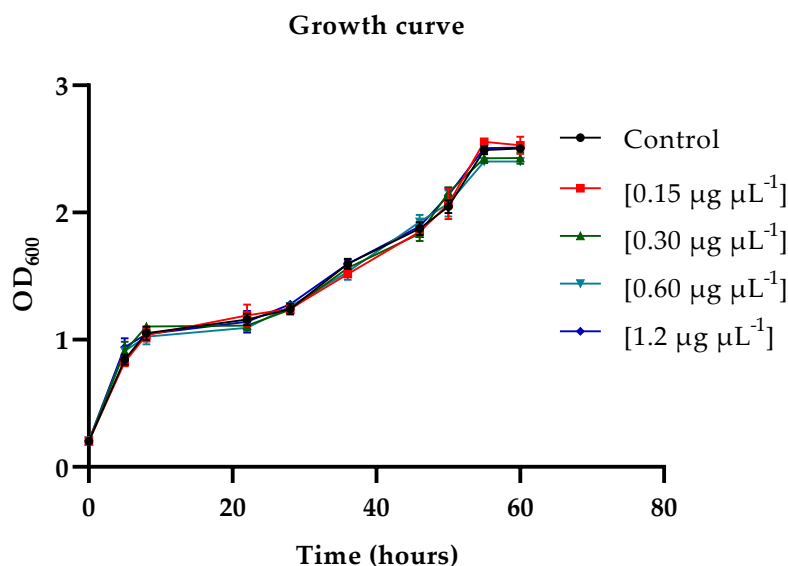


Figure S3.4. OD₆₀₀ during the growth curve of *P. bermudensis* cultures grown in marine broth under the exposure to *T. striata* extract in different concentrations (0.15 µg µL⁻¹, 0.30 µg µL⁻¹, 0.60 µg µL⁻¹, and 1.2 µg µL⁻¹). Error bars represent standard deviation of three biological replicates.

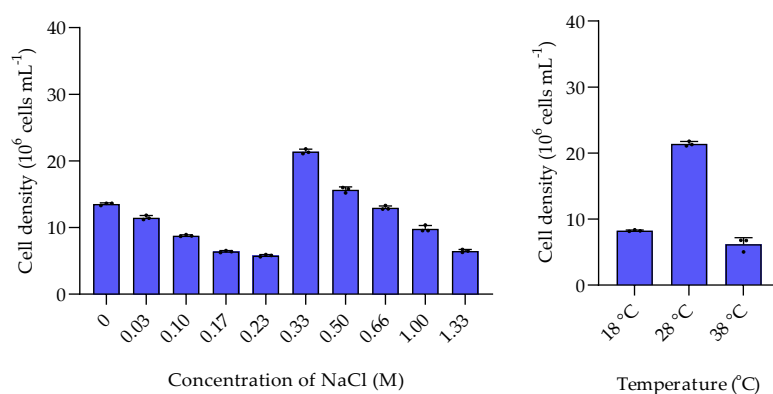
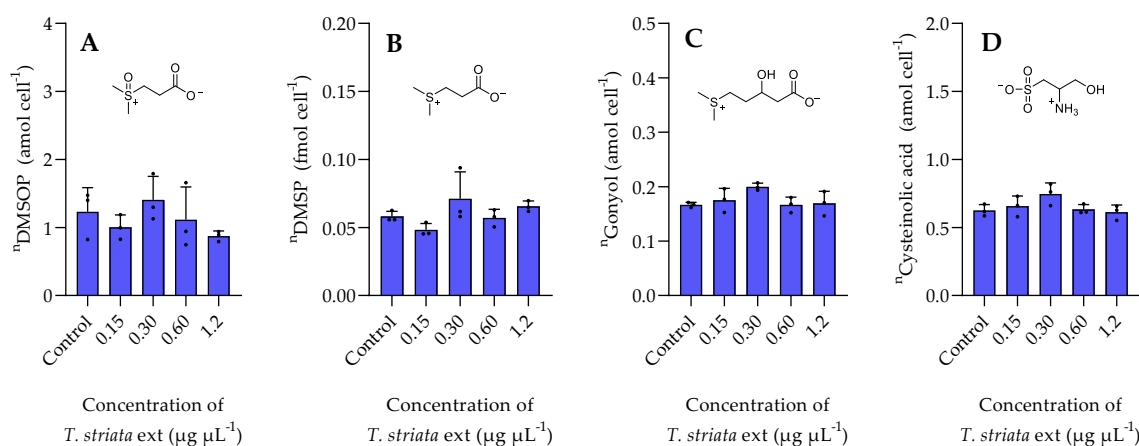


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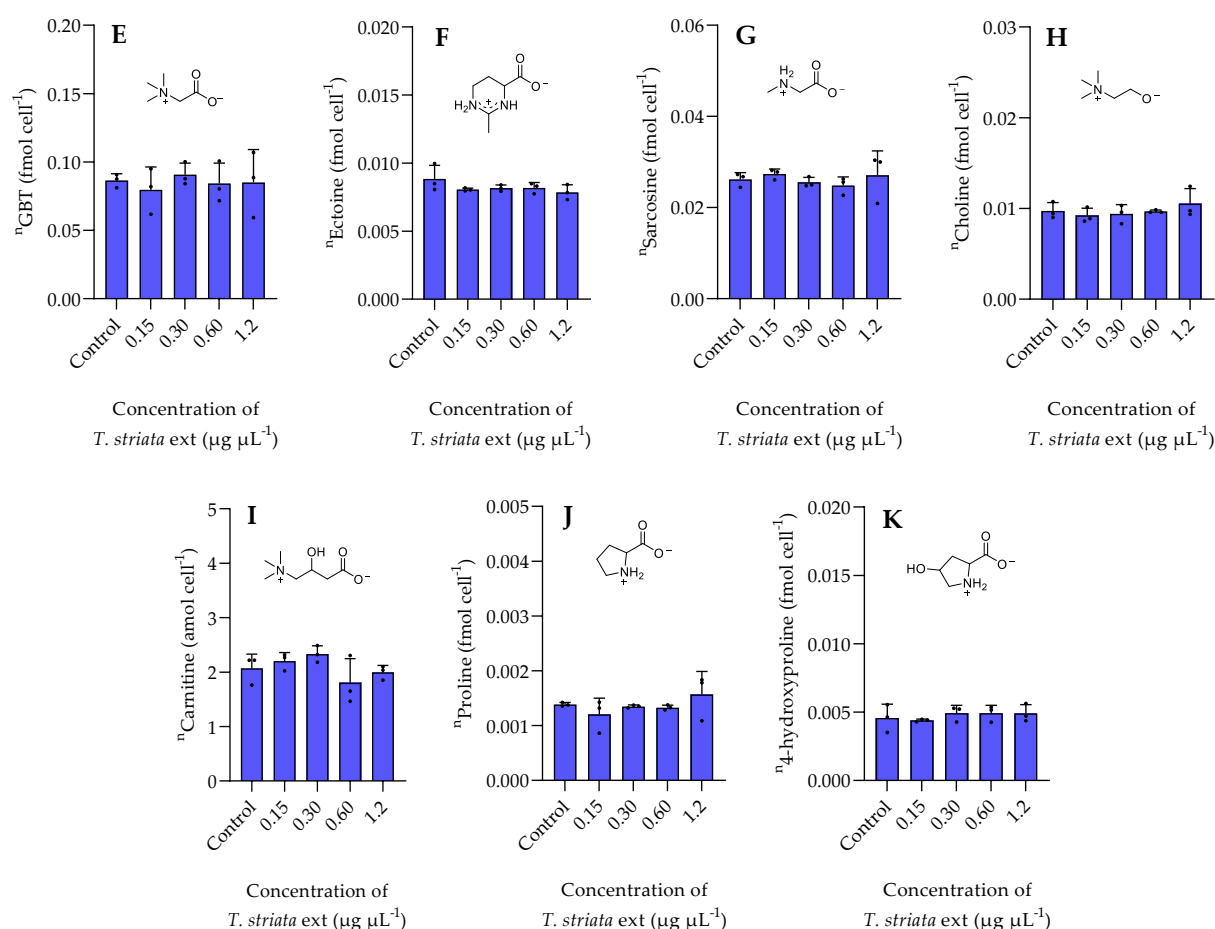


Figure S5. The intracellular concentration of sulfur- and nitrogen-containing zwitterionic metabolites in *P. bermudensis* HTCC2601 after treatment with *T. striata* extracts in different concentrations. (A) DMSOP, (B) DMSP, (C) gonyol, (D) cysteinolic acid, (E) GBT, (F) ectoine, (G) sarcosine, (H) choline, (I) carnitine, (J) proline, and (K) 4-hydroxyproline. Concentrations are normalized based on the cell count, error bars represent standard deviation (biological replicates, N = 3). Statistical analysis is based on One-Way ANOVA with a Tukey test for multiple comparison procedures. All statistical analyses were performed with a 95% confidence interval using GraphPad Prism 9.3.1 version. $p > 0.05$ is considered not significantly different. No statistically significant changes upon addition of *T. striata* extract were observed. Ext: extract; n = amounts per cell.

Table S1. Concentration of sulfur- and nitrogen-containing zwitterionic metabolites from *T. striata* by LC-HRMS

Zwitterionic metabolites	Concentration of metabolites*
	(Mean \pm Standard Deviation)
Glycine betaine (GBT)	0.98 \pm 0.11
DMSP	0.19 \pm 0.013
Cysteinolic acid	0.046 \pm 0.0016
Ectoine	0.016 \pm 0.00089
Sarcosine	0.010 \pm 0.00036
DMSOP	0.0091 \pm 0.0017
Proline	0.00068 \pm 0.00012
Choline	0.00040 \pm 0.000043
Hydroxyproline	0.00045 \pm 0.000045
Carnitine	0.000039 \pm 0.0000047

* Mean \pm Standard Deviation were expressed in $\mu\text{g mg}^{-1}$ dried algal extract (biological replicates, N = 3)

Reference:

1. Bittremieux, W.; Chen, C.; Dorrestein, P. C.; Schymanski, E. L.; Schulze, T.; Neumann, S.; Meier, R.; Rogers, S.; Wang, M. Universal MS/MS visualization and retrieval with the metabolomics spectrum resolver web service. *bioRxiv* **2020**.