Supplementary Materials: Temperature Influences the Production and Transport of Saxitoxin and the Expression of *sxt* Genes in the Cyanobacterium *Aphanizomenon gracile*

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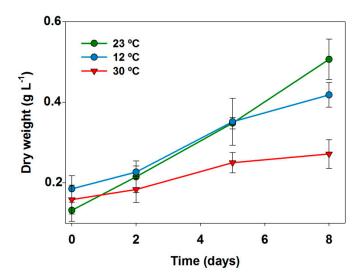


Figure S1. Growth curves of *Aphanizomenon gracile* UAM529 under three different temperatures. Error bars indicate standard deviation of three replicates (n = 3).

Table S1. Flow cytometry analysis of membrane integrity and membrane potential in *Aphanizomenon* gracile UAM529 under three different temperatures. Results are expressed as relative fluorescence units (average ± standard deviation) setting 23 °C as 100% to facilitate comparison. Asterisks indicate significant differences respective to 23 °C (p < 0.05; one-way ANOVA). PI (propidium iodide) and DiBAC4(3) (DiBAC4(3) (Bis-(1,3-Dibutylbarbituric Acid)Trimethine Oxonol) are fluorescent dyes for membrane permeability and membrane potential, respectively.

Temperature	Average value of medians $(n = 6)$	
(°C)	PI	DiBAC4(3)
23	100.0 ± 0.4	100.0 ± 16.6
12	101.2 ± 0.1	89.1 ± 12.0
30	100.2 ± 1.7	$12.6 \pm 2.7^{*}$

Table S2. Flow cytometry analysis of membrane integrity and membrane potential in *Aphanizomenon gracile* UAM529 under two different culture media with combined nitrogen (BG11) and without combined nitrogen (BG11₀). Results are expressed as relative fluorescence units (average \pm standard deviation) setting BG11 as 100% to facilitate comparison. Asterisks indicate significant differences respective to BG11 (p < 0.05; t test). PI (propidium iodide) and DiBAC4(3) (Bis-(1,3-Dibutylbarbituric Acid)Trimethine Oxonol) are fluorescent dyes for membrane permeability and membrane potential, respectively.

Culture	Average value of medians $(n = 6)$	
medium	PI	DiBAC4(3)
BG11	100.0 ± 16.6	100.0 ± 0.4
BG110	$95.5 \pm 2.2^{*}$	$74.2 \pm 5.1^{*}$