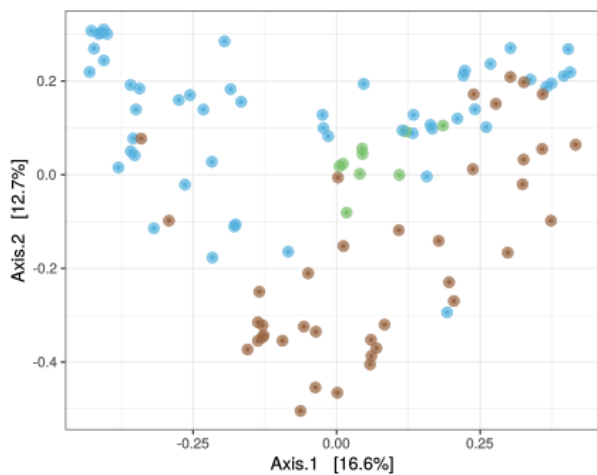
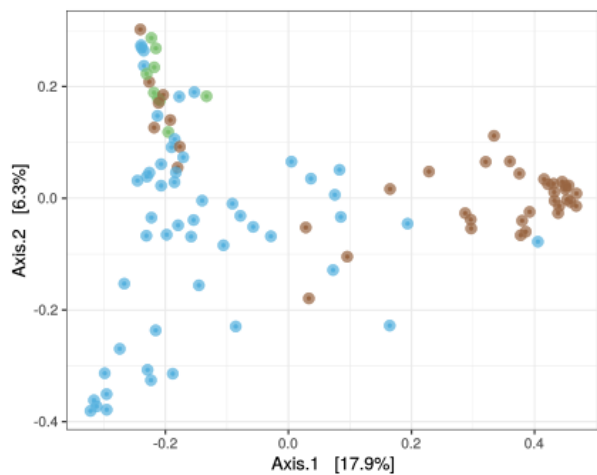


A**B**

Supplementary Figure S4: Differences in community composition. Principal coordinates analyses (PCoA) of the microbial community composition based on Bray-Curtis dissimilarity matrices. Indicate differences in community composition between seawater at tide sites (TS-sw, *blue*), *Sargassum* at tide sites *Sargassum* (TS-sarg, *brown*), and *Sargassum* at inland storage sites (ISS-sarg, *green*). (A) Prokaryotic community; and (B) Eukaryotic community.