

# Supplementary Materials: Identifying Causative Agents of a Paretic Syndrome in Waterbirds in Southern Portugal

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**Table S1.** Number of individuals analysed for biotoxins and viruses of each species.

Group of birds	Species	Individuals analysed
<b>Gulls</b>	<i>Larus fuscus</i>	162
	<i>Larus michahellis</i>	97
	<i>Ichthyaetus audouinii</i>	29
	<i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i>	18
	<i>Stercorarius skua</i>	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>307</b>
<b>Anatids and Rallids</b>	<i>Anas acuta</i>	15
	<i>Anas clypeata</i>	15
	<i>Anas crecca</i>	5
	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>	2
	<i>Anas strepera</i>	2
	<i>Aythya ferina</i>	2
	<i>Fulica atra</i>	1
	<i>Tadorna ferruginea</i>	1
	<i>Tadorna tadorna</i>	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>44</b>
<b>Waders</b>	<i>Arenaria interpres</i>	7
	<i>Calidris alba</i>	3
	<i>Calidris alpina</i>	2
	<i>Charadrius alexandrinus</i>	1
	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>	1
	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Others</b>	<i>Morus bassanus</i>	6
	<i>Calonectris diomedea</i>	2
	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>	1
	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	1
	<i>Ciconia ciconia</i>	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>377</b>

**Table S2.** Mass spectrometer conditions used for the analysis of Paralytic Shellfish Toxins and cyanotoxins.

Analogue	ESI+ Transition	Cone (V), (CE (eV))	ESI- Transition	Cone (V), CE (eV)
STX	<b>300.1&gt;204.1</b> ,138.0	10 (23; 30)		
NEO	<b>316.1&gt;126.1</b> ,220.1	10 (26; 23)		
dcSTX	<b>257.1&gt;126.1</b> ,222.0	10 (19; 22)		
dcNEO	<b>273.1&gt;126.1</b> ,225.1	10 (20; 18)		
doSTX	<b>241.1&gt;60.0</b> ,206.1	10 (23; 22)		
TTX	<b>320.1&gt;302.1</b> ,162.1	40 (25; 38)		
GTX2			<b>394.1&gt;351.1</b> , 333.1	10 (16, 24)
GTX3	396.1>298.1	10 (17)	<b>394.1&gt;333.1</b>	10 (22)
GTX1			<b>410.1&gt;367.1</b> ,349.1	10 (15; 22)
GTX4	412.1>314.1	10 (18)	<b>410.1&gt;367.1</b>	10 (15)
GTX5	<b>380.1&gt; 300.1</b>	10 (16)	378.1>122	10 (25)
GTX6	<b>396.1&gt; 316.1</b>	10 (15)	394.1>122	10 (25)
dcGTX2			<b>351.1&gt;164.0</b> ,333.1	10 (30; 17)
dcGTX3	<b>353.1&gt;255.1</b>	10 (18)	351.1>333.1	10 (17)
dcGTX1			<b>367.1&gt;274.1</b> ,349.1	10 (20; 17)
dcGTX4	<b>369.1&gt;271.1</b>	10 (18)	367.1>349.1	10 (17)
C1			<b>474.1&gt;122.0</b> ,351.1	10 (30; 25)
C2	<b>396.1&gt;298.1</b>	18 (20)	474.1>122.0	10 (30)
C3	412.1>332.1	18 (16)	<b>490.1&gt;410.1</b>	10 (20)
C4	<b>412.1&gt;314.1</b>	18 (20)	490.1>,392.1	10 (20)
MC-RR	519.9 > <b>134.9</b> ; 126.9; 102.8	30 (30; 50; 70)		
Nod	825.5 > <b>135.1</b> ; 103.1	55 (60; 100)		
MC-LA	910.1 > <b>135.1</b> ; 106.9	35 (70; 80)		
[Dha <sup>7</sup> ]-MC-LR	981.5 > <b>135.0</b> ; 106.8	75 (75; 80)		
[Asp <sup>3</sup> ] MC-LR <sup>a</sup>	981.5 > <b>134.9</b> ; 106.9	75 (70; 80)		
MC-LF	986.5 > <b>213.0</b> ; 135.0	35 (60; 65)		
MC-LR	995.6 > <b>135.0</b> ; 127.0	60 (70; 90)		
MC-LY	1002.5 > <b>135.0</b> ; 106.9	40 (70; 90)		
MC-HilR*	1009.7 > <b>134.9</b> ; 126.9; 106.9	75 (75; 90; 80)		
MC-LW	1025.5 > <b>134.9</b> ; 126.8	35 (65; 90)		
MC-YR	1045.6 > <b>135.0</b> ; 126.9	75 (75; 90)		
MC-HtyR	1059.6 > <b>134.9</b> ; 106.9	75 (70; 90)		
MC-WR	1068.6 > <b>134.9</b> ; 106.9	80 (75; 100)		
DA	312.1 > <b>266.1</b> ; 161.2; 133.2	(14; 26; 34)		
ATX	166.1 > <b>149.1</b> ; 131.1; 91.1	(14; 18; 30)		
CYN	416.1 > <b>336.2</b> ; 194.1; 177.1	(26; 40; 40)		

Primary MRM for quantitation shown in bold; CE = Collision energy

Function The identifier for a group of MRM transitions acquired within a programmed window

Cone, V Cone voltage in volts

CE, eV Collision energy in electron volts

<sup>a</sup>[Dha<sup>7</sup>]-MC-LR and [Asp<sup>3</sup>] MC-LR unresolved so reported together when detected