

Supplementary Material

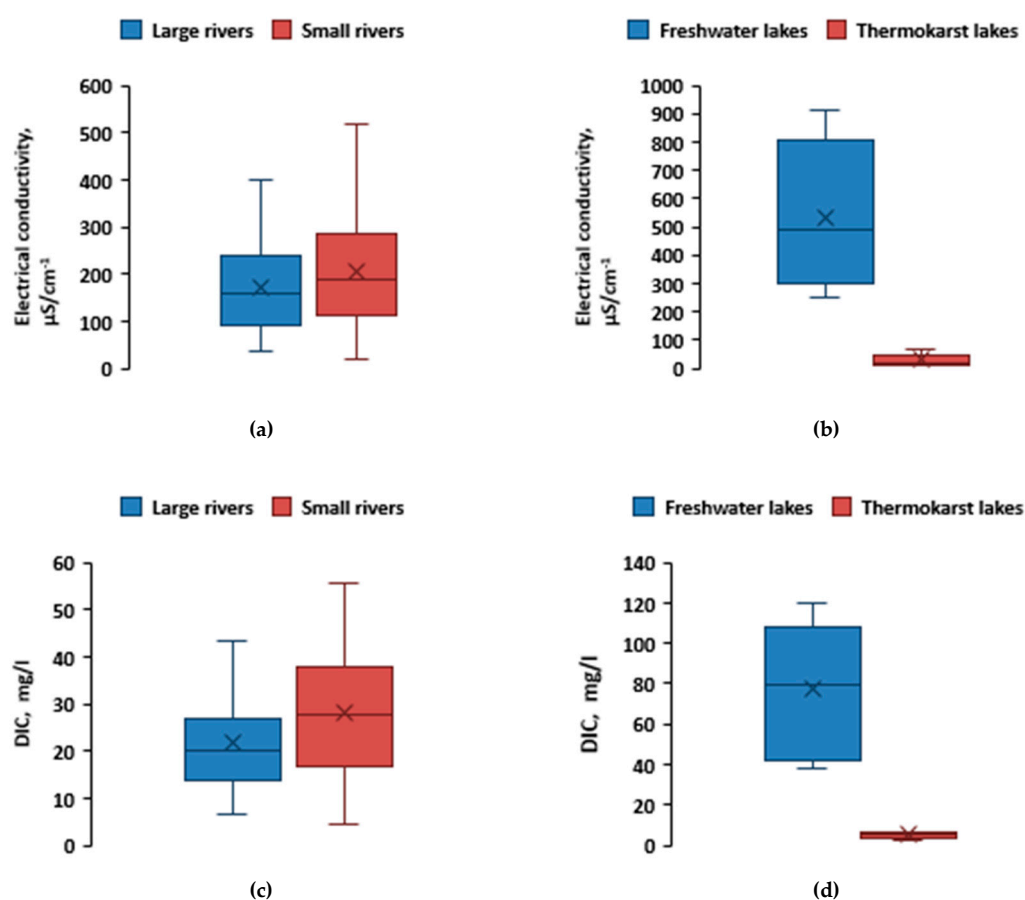


Figure S1. Box plot of median and IQR range (with outliers as dots) of electrical conductivity in rivers (a); lakes (b); DIC concentrations in rivers (c); and lakes (d), averaged across seasons.

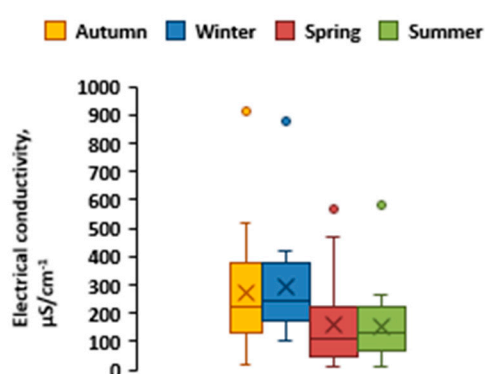


Figure S2. Boxplots (median and IQR range) of electrical conductivity during different seasons (lakes and rivers combined together)

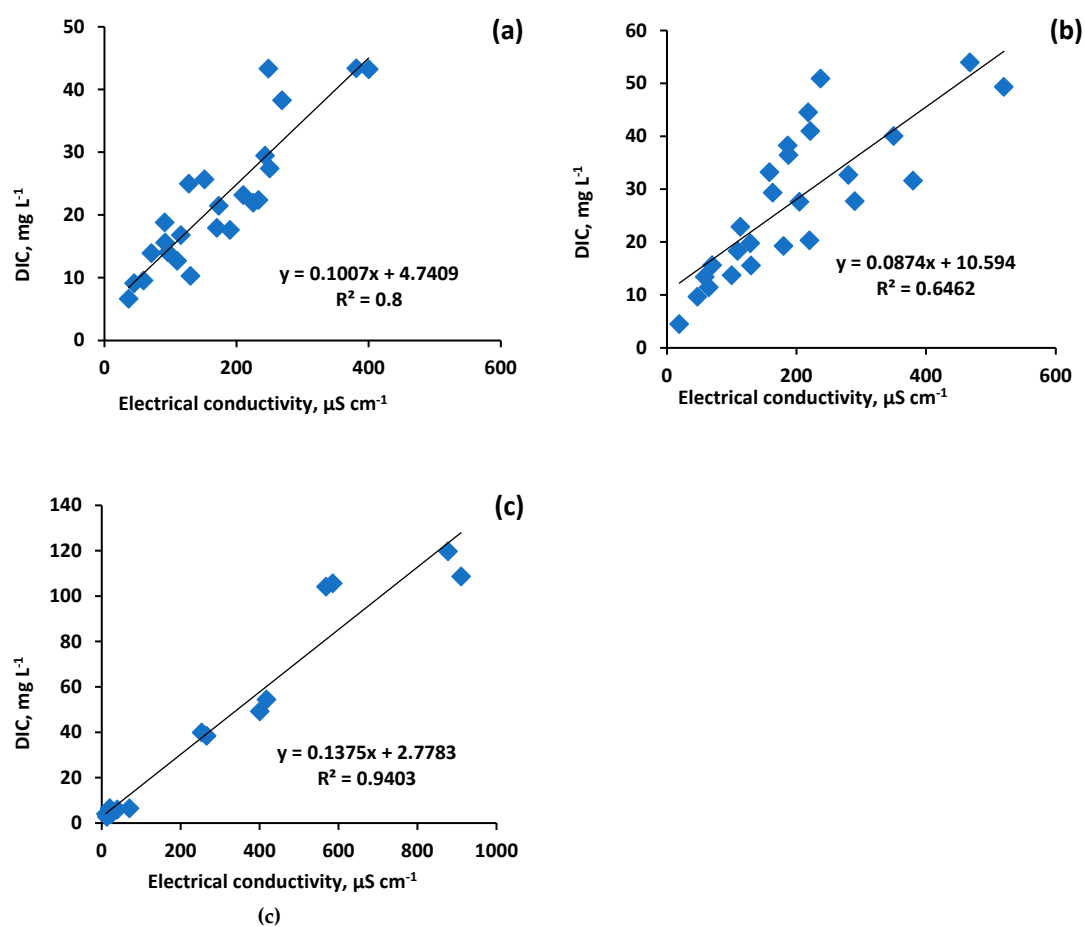


Figure S3. Plots of DIC concentration (mg L⁻¹) as a function of electrical conductivity in large rivers (a), small rivers (b) and lakes (c).

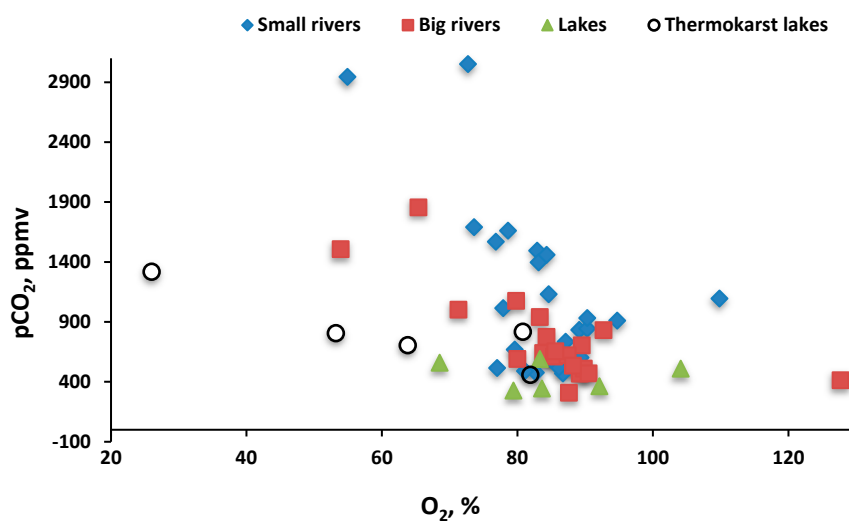


Figure S4. The relationship between pCO₂ and oxygen saturation degree of lake and river waters in the Tyva region (all seasons together).

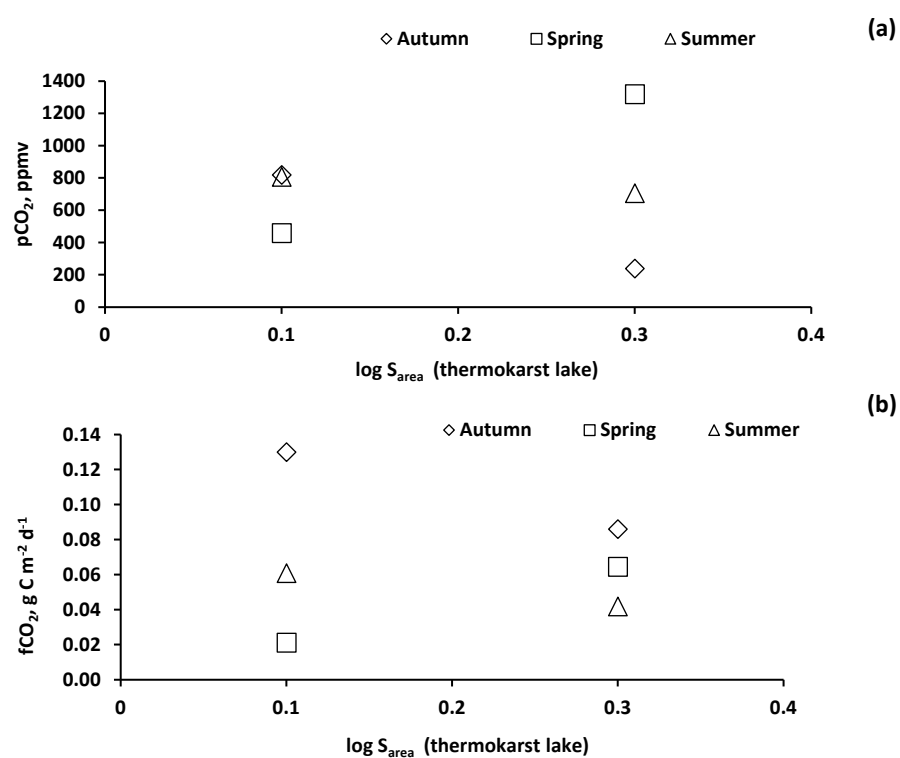


Figure S5. The relationship between (a) pCO₂ and (b) fCO₂ and thermokarst lakes water surface area of the Tyva region.

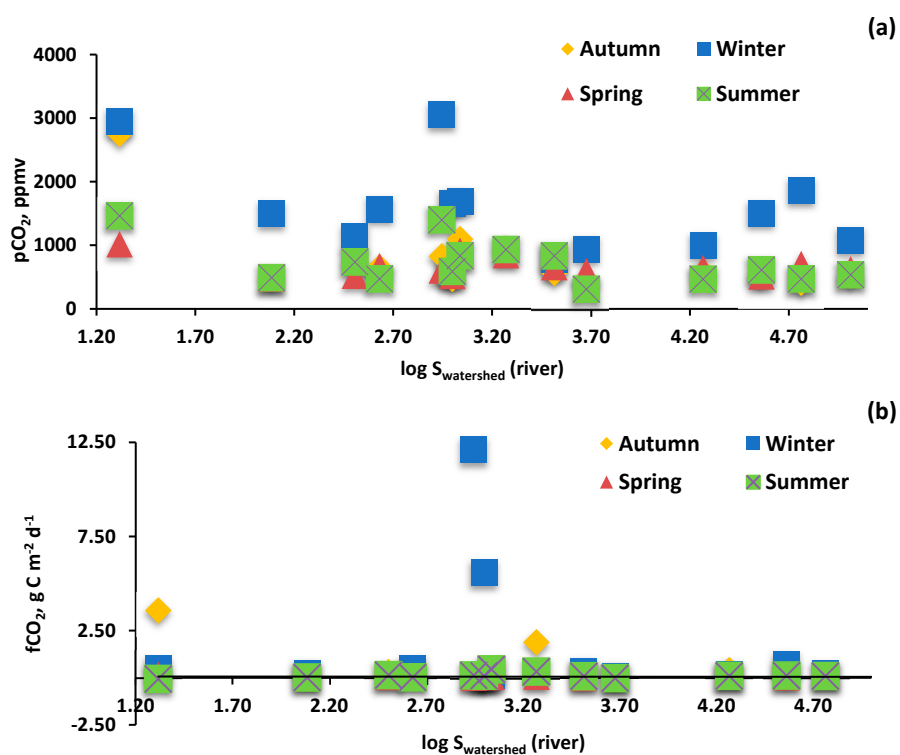


Figure S6. The relationship between pCO₂ (a) and fCO₂ (b) in river watershed area in the Tyva region (all seasons together).

Table S1. Pearson correlation coefficients between major hydrochemical and microbiological parameters of the water column, including pH, O₂, S.C., DOC, DIC and optical parameters of DOM reflecting DOM quality. S_{area}, S.C., and TBC represent area of the lake surface or river watershed, Electrical Conductivity, and Total Bacterial Count, respectively.

Large rivers													
	E.C.	T _{water}	pH	O ₂	pCO ₂	TBC	DIC	DOC	SUVA ₂₅₄	E2:E3	E ₂₅₄ :E ₄₃₆	S _R	fCO ₂
S _{area}	0.05	0.28	0.04	-0.11	0.18	0.27	0.12	0.80	0.14	-0.23	0.55	-0.47	0.08
E.C.		-0.31	0.80	0.54	-0.05	-0.17	0.96	-0.29	-0.88	0.53	-0.64	0.35	0.85
T _{water}			-0.50	-0.83	0.64	0.84	-0.09	0.49	0.29	-0.81	0.57	-0.52	-0.39
pH				0.66	-0.41	-0.22	0.73	-0.42	-0.74	0.78	-0.69	0.52	0.64
O ₂					-0.47	-0.77	0.31	-0.44	-0.48	0.78	-0.60	0.78	0.61
pCO ₂						0.29	0.06	0.15	-0.02	-0.69	0.22	-0.37	-0.01
TBC							0.10	0.41	0.09	-0.60	0.38	-0.57	-0.41
DIC								-0.20	-0.87	0.37	-0.55	0.15	0.72
DOC									0.54	-0.52	0.90	-0.64	-0.16
SUVA ₂₅₄										-0.43	0.82	-0.35	-0.55
E2:E3											-0.67	0.66	0.54
E ₂₅₄ :E ₄₃₆												-0.60	-0.39
S _R													0.44
Small rivers													
	E.C.	T _{water}	pH	O ₂	pCO ₂	TBC	DIC	DOC	SUVA ₂₅₄	E2:E3	E ₂₅₄ :E ₄₃₆	S _R	fCO ₂
S _{area}	0.54	0.38	0.52	-0.01	-0.53	-0.43	0.63	-0.20	-0.52	-0.03	-0.30	-0.01	-0.58
E.C.		0.01	0.77	0.54	-0.05	-0.01	0.81	-0.16	-0.68	0.31	-0.46	0.33	-0.16
T _{water}			-0.24	-0.66	-0.28	-0.54	0.27	-0.14	0.03	-0.71	0.04	-0.49	-0.45
pH				0.67	-0.32	-0.13	0.57	-0.04	-0.83	0.46	-0.44	0.35	-0.22
O ₂					-0.02	0.30	0.02	-0.01	-0.49	0.71	-0.32	0.50	0.04
pCO ₂						0.21	-0.11	-0.38	0.27	0.32	-0.27	0.49	0.94
TBC							-0.10	0.30	0.31	0.23	0.23	-0.07	0.17
DIC								-0.06	-0.50	-0.04	-0.28	0.00	-0.22
DOC									0.42	-0.16	0.89	-0.59	-0.28
SUVA ₂₅₄										-0.32	0.71	-0.54	0.24
E2:E3											-0.38	0.73	0.40
E ₂₅₄ :E ₄₃₆												-0.68	-0.22
S _R													0.51
Freshwater lakes													
	E.C.	T _{water}	pH	O ₂	pCO ₂	TBC	DIC	DOC	SUVA ₂₅₄	E2:E3	E ₂₅₄ :E ₄₃₆	S _R	fCO ₂
S _{area}	0.84	0.40	0.69	-0.34	-0.64	0.44	0.99	0.92	-0.85	0.79	-0.69	0.58	-0.88
E.C.		-0.14	0.89	0.08	-0.81	-0.02	0.89	0.93	-0.62	0.97	-0.19	0.91	-0.85
T _{water}			-0.31	-0.86	0.29	0.73	0.31	0.16	-0.61	-0.23	-0.94	-0.42	-0.26
pH				0.44	-0.99	0.13	0.77	0.68	-0.27	0.97	-0.03	0.74	-0.53
O ₂					-0.50	-0.29	-0.23	-0.29	0.74	0.27	0.78	0.17	0.45
pCO ₂						-0.23	-0.72	-0.57	0.17	-0.92	0.02	-0.62	0.41
TBC							0.41	0.04	-0.26	0.05	-0.77	-0.44	-0.02
DIC								0.91	-0.79	0.85	-0.61	0.63	-0.86
DOC									-0.86	0.83	-0.45	0.83	-0.98
SUVA ₂₅₄										-0.46	0.78	-0.46	0.92
E2:E3											-0.11	0.85	-0.71

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