## Supplementary material

## Plankton ciliate community responses to different aquatic environments in Nan'ao Island, a representative mariculture base in the South China Sea

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Table S1.	Summary of results from one-way variance analysis (ANOVA) showing the
v	ariability of parameters among stations and seasons in Shen'ao Bay

Environmental factor	F	P-value
рН	143.4	0.001
DO	75.6	0.001
COD	11.1	0.001
$\mathrm{NH_{4}^{+}}$	23.8	0.001
PO <sub>4</sub> <sup>3–</sup>	11.9	0.001
Temperature	573.9	0.001
Salinity	203.1	0.001
$NO_2^-$	27.7	0.001
$NO_3^-$	95.3	0.001
DIN	65.2	0.001
Chl-a	2.1	0.16