

## Supplementary Material

**Table S1.** Concentrations of compounds and ions in Bold's Basal Medium (BBM), modified from Nichols and Bold [106]

Compounds composition			Ions composition	
Compound	Molar mass	Concentration, ppm	Ions	Concentration, ppm
KH <sub>2</sub> PO <sub>4</sub>	136.09	175	PO4	163.1
CaCl <sub>2</sub> × 2H <sub>2</sub> O/ Ca(NO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> × 4H <sub>2</sub> O*	147.02/236.15*	25/45*	NO3	189.0
MgSO <sub>4</sub> × 7H <sub>2</sub> O	246.48	75	NH4	1.7
NaNO <sub>3</sub>	84.99	250	SO4	31.97
K <sub>2</sub> HPO <sub>4</sub>	174.20	75	Cl	31.1
NaCl	58.40	25	P	53.2
Na <sub>2</sub> EDTA × 2H <sub>2</sub> O	372.24	10	N	7.4
FeSO <sub>4</sub> × 7H <sub>2</sub> O	278.02	5	Ca	11.8
H <sub>3</sub> BO <sub>3</sub>	61.80	8	Mg	8.5
NH <sub>4</sub> Cl	53.50	5	K	93.9
Trace Metals			Na	78.0
H <sub>3</sub> BO <sub>3</sub>	61.80	2.86	Fe	1.1
MnCl <sub>2</sub> × 4H <sub>2</sub> O	197.90	1.81	Cu	0.02
ZnSO <sub>4</sub> × 7H <sub>2</sub> O	246.47	0.22	Zn	0.23
Na <sub>2</sub> MoO <sub>4</sub> × 2H <sub>2</sub> O	241.90	0.39		
CuSO <sub>4</sub> × 5H <sub>2</sub> O	249.60	0.08		
Co(NO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> × 6H <sub>2</sub> O	291.00	0.049		

\* compound used in the experiment

**Table S2.** Correlation of the parameters reflecting growth and biochemical composition of the *Chlorella zofingiensis* cells exposed to the range of ABA concentrations in BBM medium for 16 days (see also Table 2).

	ABA, $\mu\text{M}$	Cell density, $n \times 10^7$	Biomass, g/L	TFA, $\mu\text{g}/\text{cell}$	Ch b, ng/cell	CR, ng/cell	TFA/Chla+b	TFA/CR
ABA, $\mu\text{M}$	1.00							
Cell density, $n \times 10^7$	0.95	1.00						
Biomass, g/L	0.97	0.99	1.00					
TFA, $\mu\text{g}/\text{cell}$	0.60	0.51	0.58	1.00				
Chla + b, ng/cell	-0.81	-0.61	-0.66	-0.38	1.00			
CR, ng/cell	-0.50	-0.57	-0.49	0.35	0.48	1.00		
TFA/Chla + b	0.98	0.89	0.93	0.67	-0.86	-0.41	1.00	
TFA/CR	0.96	0.90	0.93	0.77	-0.75	-0.33	0.98	1.00

Chlorophyll-a and -b (Chla + b), total carotenoid (CR), and total fatty acid (TFA)

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