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Planktic foraminifera assemblage composition and flux dynamics inferred from an annual sediment trap record in the Central Mediterranean Sea

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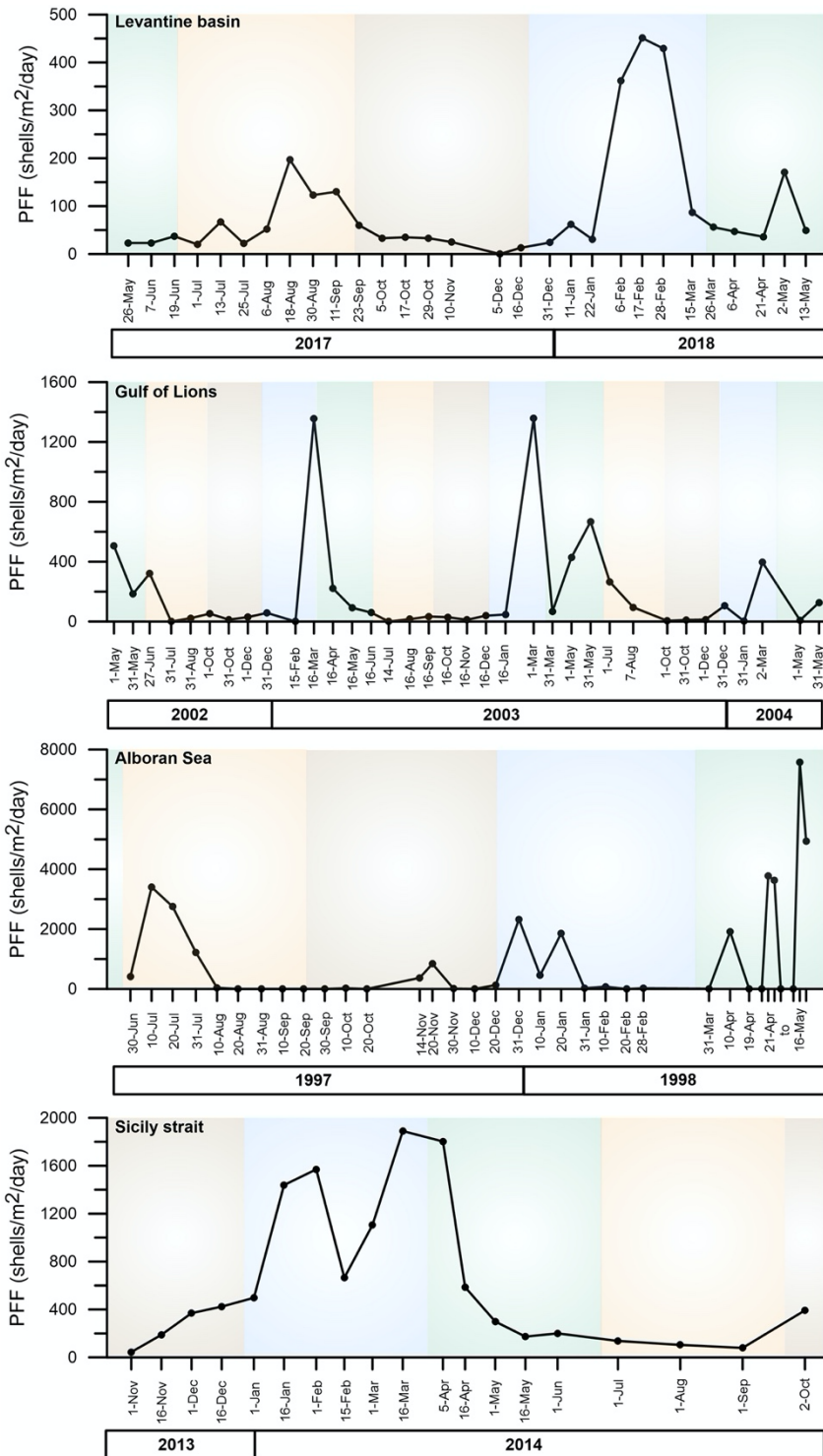
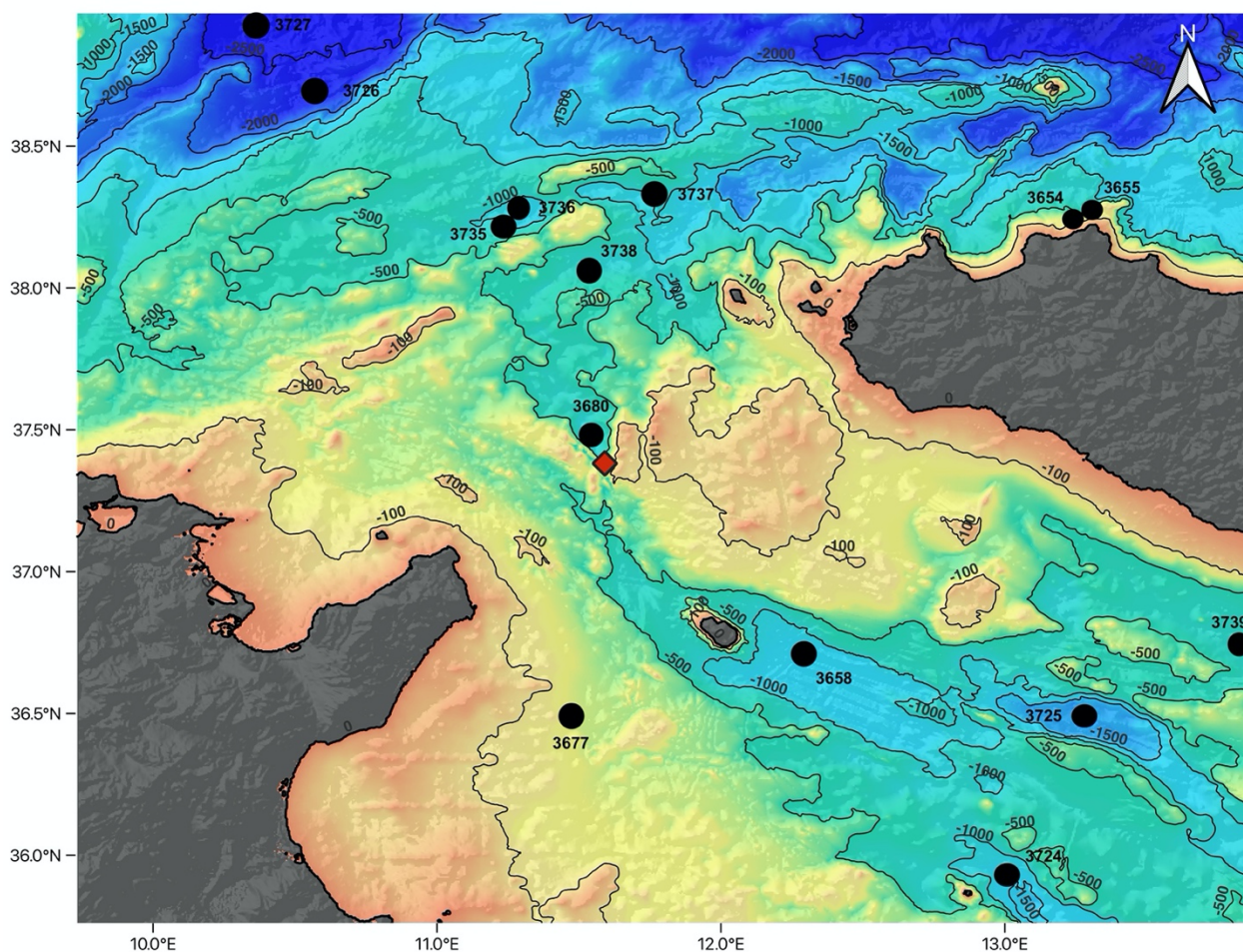

Supplementary Figure 1. Seasonal and interannual planktic foraminifera flux (PFF) across different Mediterranean Sea time-series located in the Levantine basin (Avnaim-Katav et al., 2020), the Alboran Sea (Bárcena et al., 2004; Hernández-Almeida et al., 2011) and the Gulf of Lions (Rigual-Hernández et al., 2012).

Supplementary Table 1. Detailed Pearson correlations results between SST, chlorophyll-a, the five dominant species in the C01 sediment trap and the three groups suggested by Jonkers and Kučera, (2015).

	SST	Chl-a	G. inflata	G. truncat.	G. bulloides	G. ruber	G. ruber (pink)	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3
SST		0.010	0.002	0.289	0.555	0.342	0.001	0.120	0.184	0.135
Chl-a	-0.840		0.286	0.508	0.652	0.011	0.045	0.002	0.021	0.000
G. inflata	-0.896	0.808		0.264	0.816	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.110	0.000
G. truncat.	0.256	-0.162	-0.270		0.175	0.768	0.727	0.796	0.063	0.654
G. bulloides	-0.145	-0.111	-0.057	-0.324		0.155	0.890	0.718	0.002	0.449
G. ruber	0.803	-0.567	-0.758	0.072	-0.340		0.984	0.001	0.834	0.000
G. ruber (pink)	0.678	-0.464	-0.763	-0.086	-0.034	0.775		0.000	0.732	0.164
Group 1	0.828	-0.668	-0.919	0.063	-0.089	0.870	0.933		0.411	0.000
Group 2	0.318	-0.525	-0.378	-0.434	0.667	0.052	0.084	0.201		0.013
Group 3	-0.825	0.771	0.927	0.110	-0.185	-0.754	-0.821	-0.924	-0.559	

Supplementary Figure 2. Geographical situation of the Sicily Strait. The red diamond represents the location of the mooring line in which the C01 sediment trap. The black circles represent the location of the MARGO core tops retrieved from the ForCenS database that were used to compare planktic foraminifera populations.

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