

Supplementary Information

Global Retrieval of Diatom Abundance Based on Phytoplankton Pigments and Satellite Data. *Remote Sensing*, 2014, 10, 10089–10106

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Figure S1. Scatterplot of the validation for the global DP_{Zpd} data set (N = 1182) (a) new model (ABA_{Zpd}), (b) model of Hirata *et al.* [1] parameterized with the DP_{Zpd} data set (ABA*) and (c) original model and fitting parameters of Hirata *et al.* [1] (ABA**). The samples located in the SO are presented in grey (N = 460), together with the statistics of the validation. The red line represents the 1:1 line. The statistics were calculated with log₁₀ transformed data (e.g., log₁₀(y + 0.00003)).

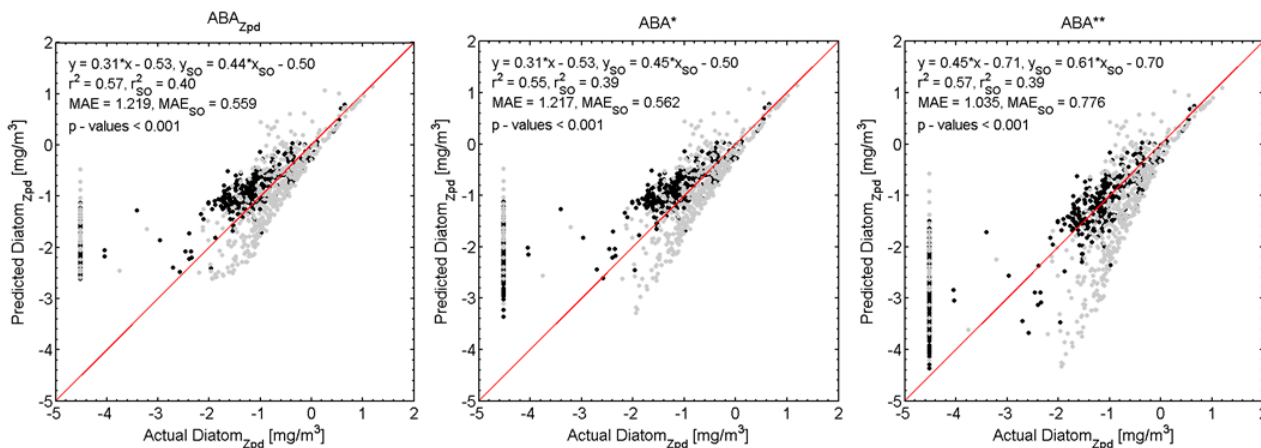


Figure S2. On the left: relationship between TChla_{Zpd} and Diatom_{Zpd} in the SO with the fit function plotted in blue (log₁₀ transformed data). On the right: validation calculated with both log₁₀ transformed data (e.g., log₁₀(y + 0.00003)). The red line represents the 1:1 line.

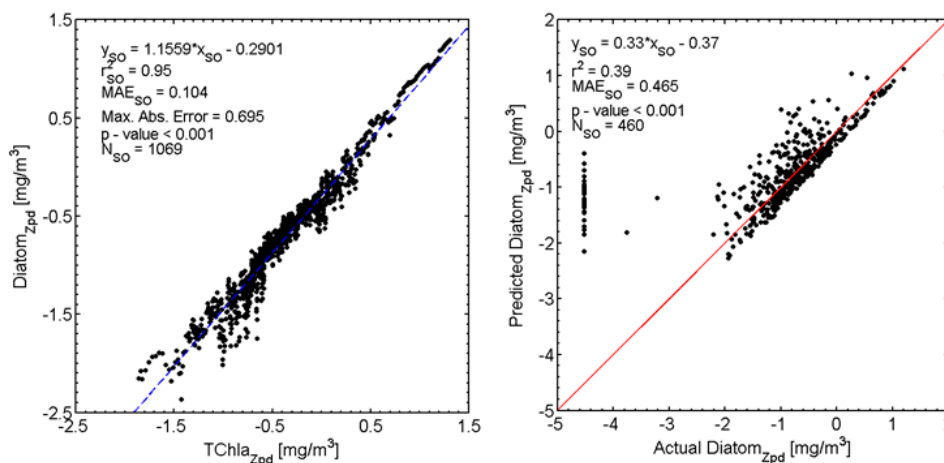


Figure S3. Climatology of TChla_{Z_{pd}} of diatoms (mg/m³) using the regional algorithm for the SO based on 2003–2013 period. The austral winter months of May, June, July and August are not presented due to too few number observations available in these months. White areas correspond to waters with depths shallower than 200 m or without satellite information.

