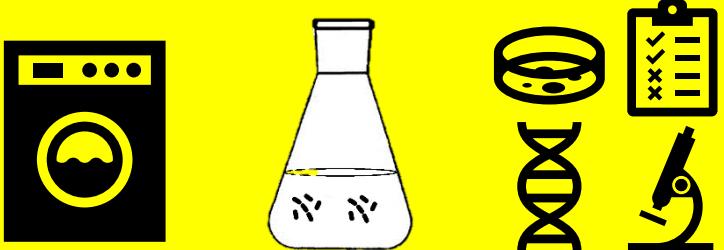


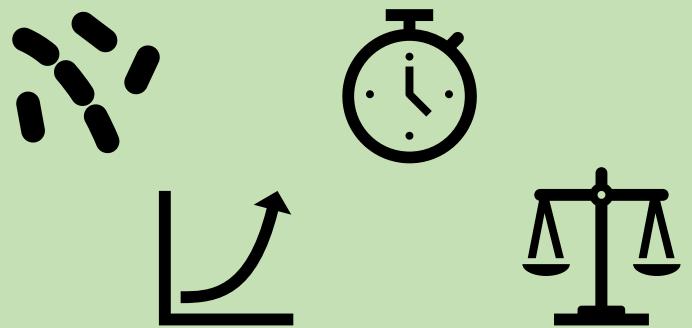
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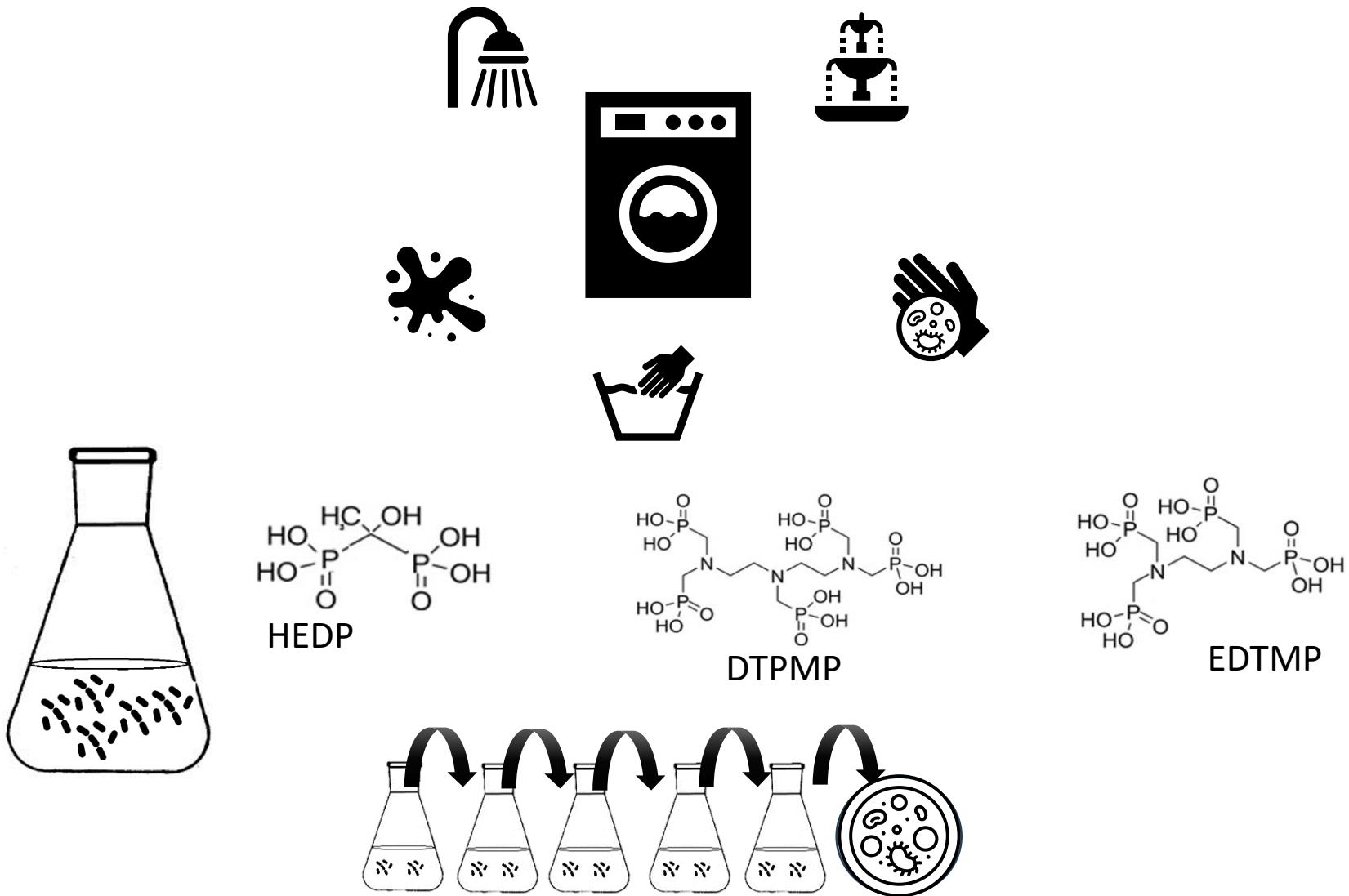
## Isolation and Characterization



## Biodegradation

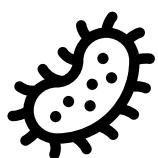


# Isolation and Enrichment



## Identification and Characterization

- 27 bacterial isolates (HEDP, EDTMP)



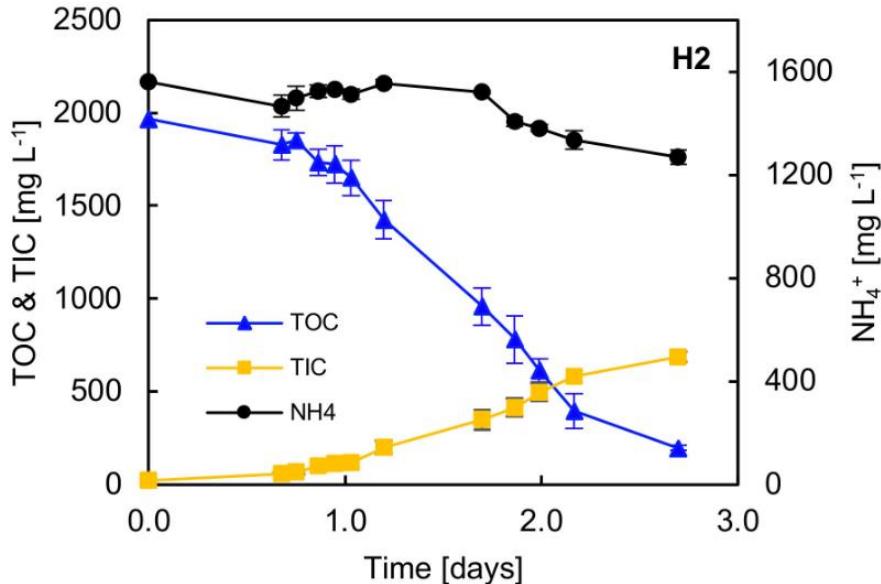
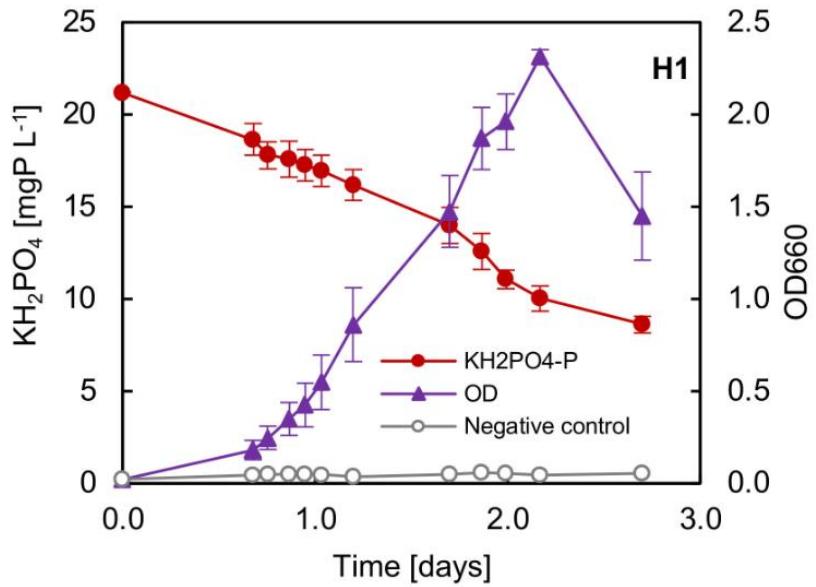
### *Delftia* sp. UMB14



- Isolated from detergent drawer
- Enriched in HEDP
- Utilization of D-malic and D-mannitol
- Multidrug resistant
- No *phnJ* gene (C-P lyase)
- Possesses phosphonoacetaldehyde hydrolase gene *phnX*

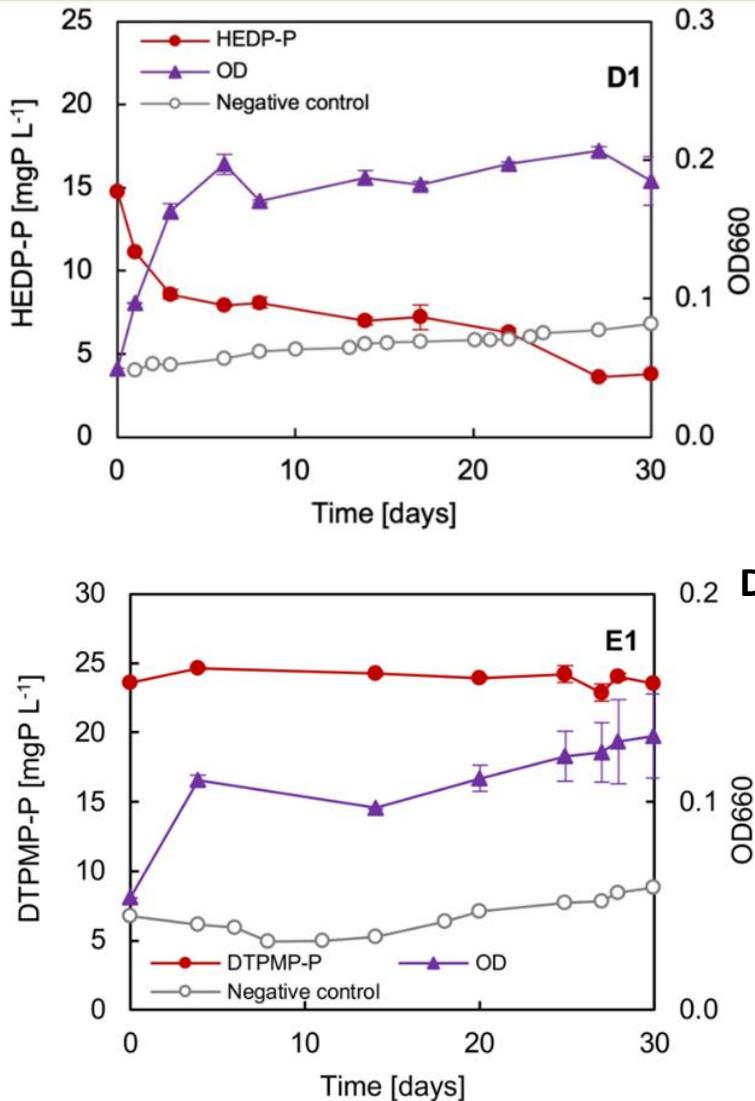
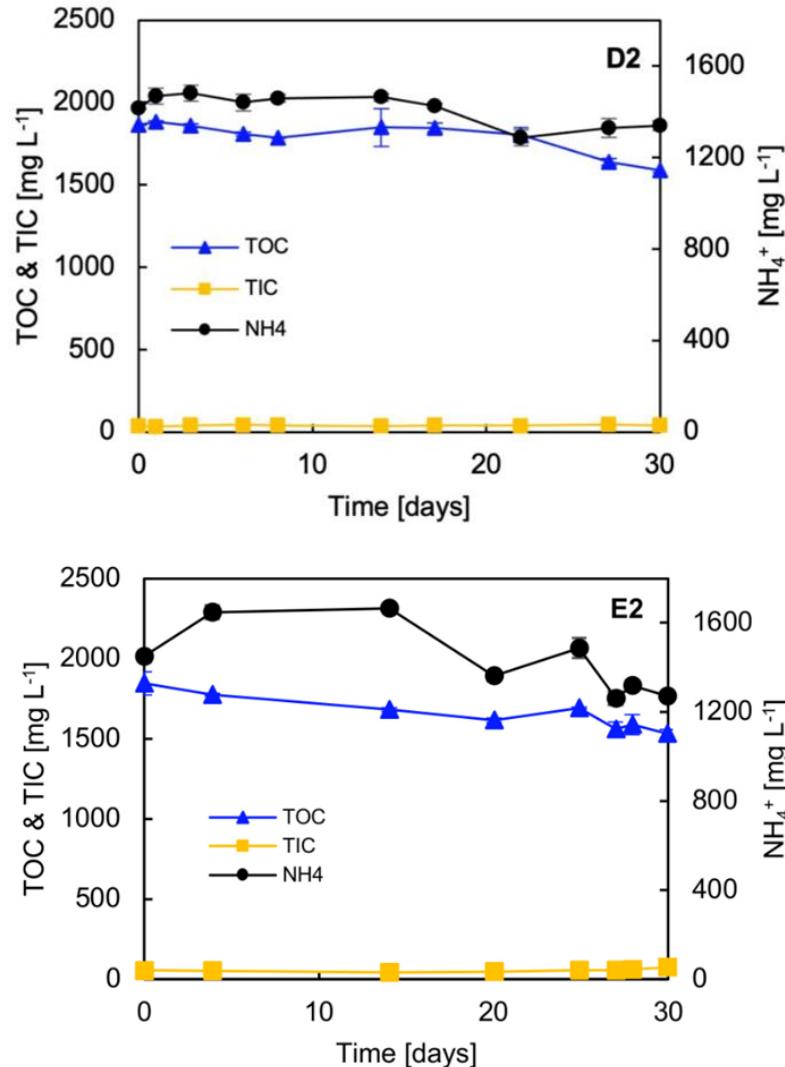
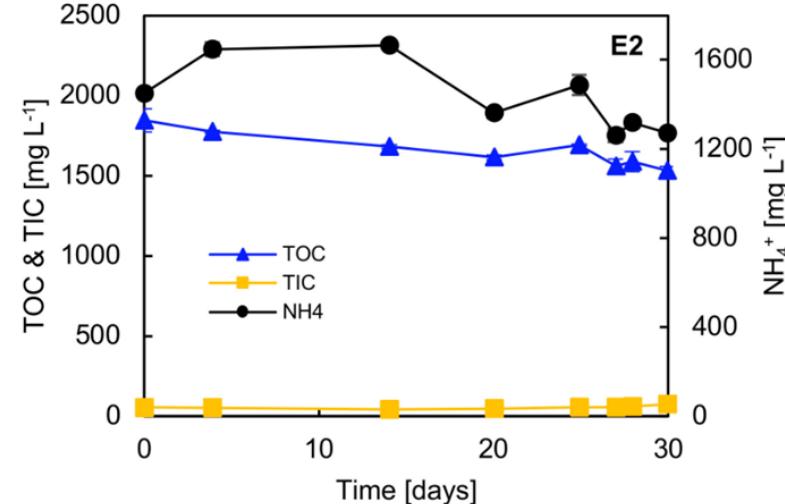
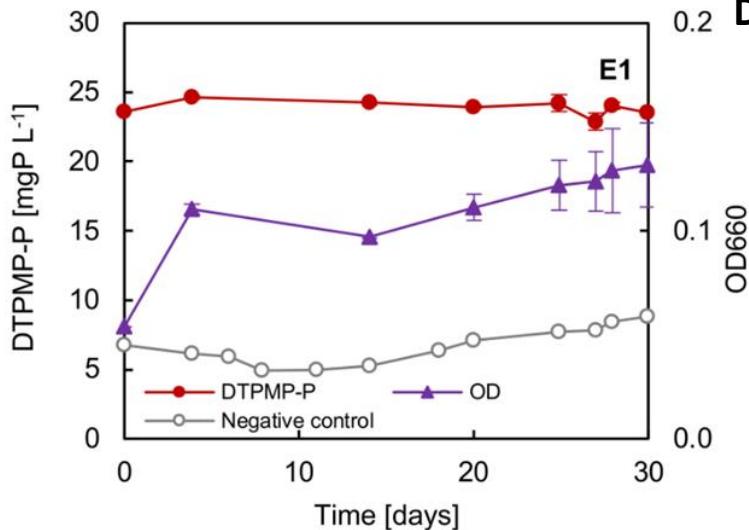
## Biodegradation assays

### Positive control ( $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$ )

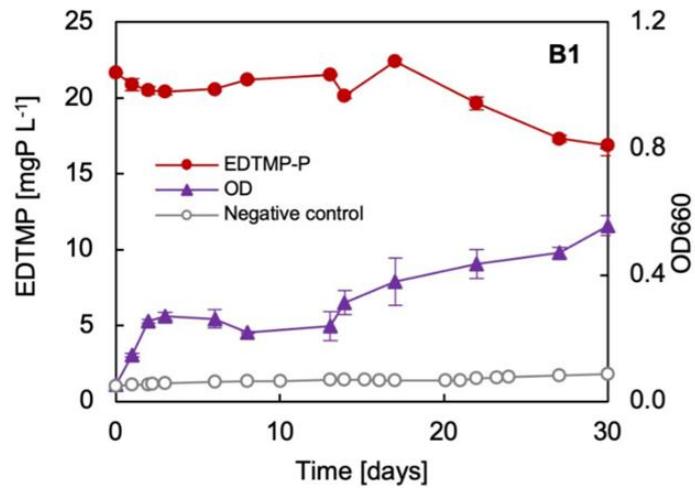
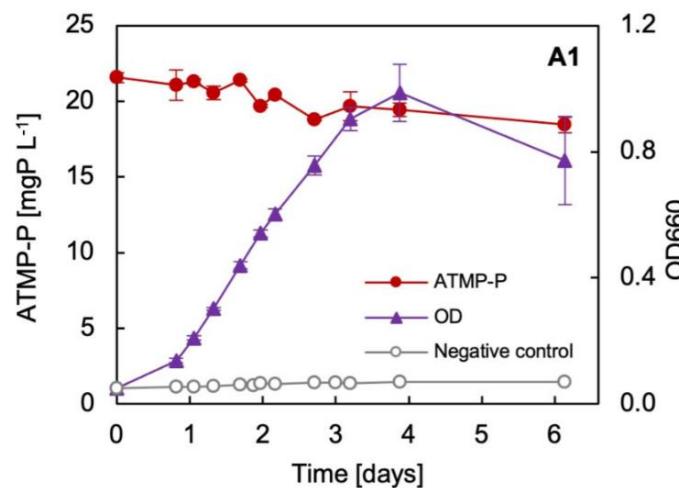
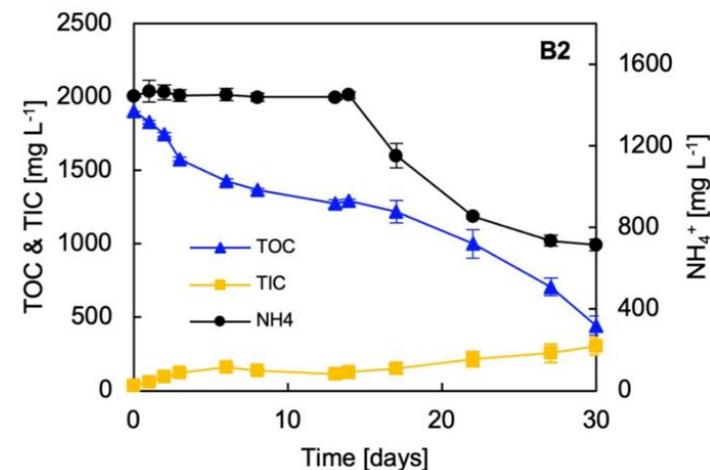
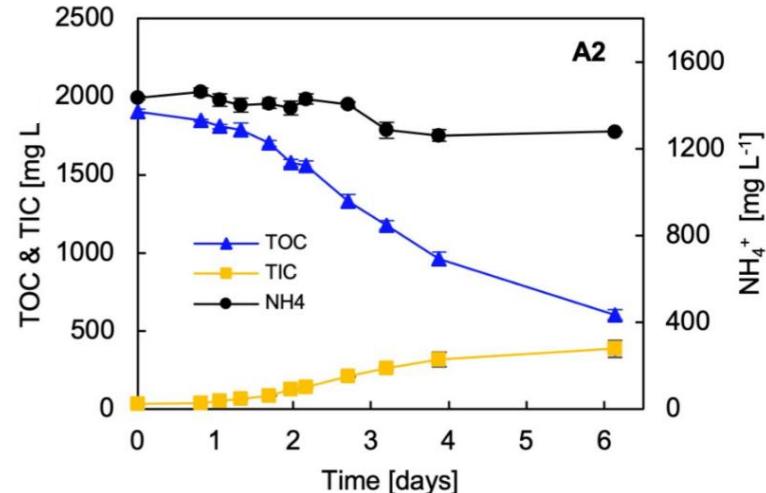


- Batch assay with tap water based medium
- C/N-source: ammonium acetate
- Trace element solution (SL8)
- P-source: 20 mgP/L as ortho- $\text{PO}_4^{3-}$
- Growth via optical density (OD 660)

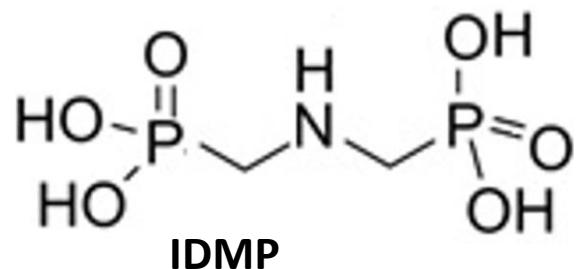
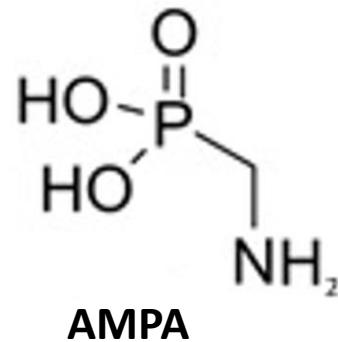
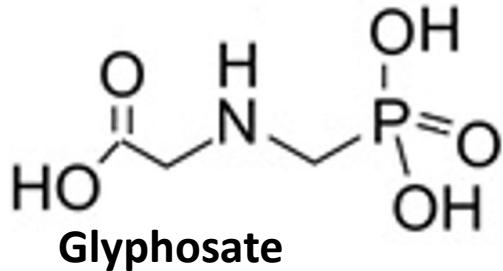
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**HEDP****DTPMP**

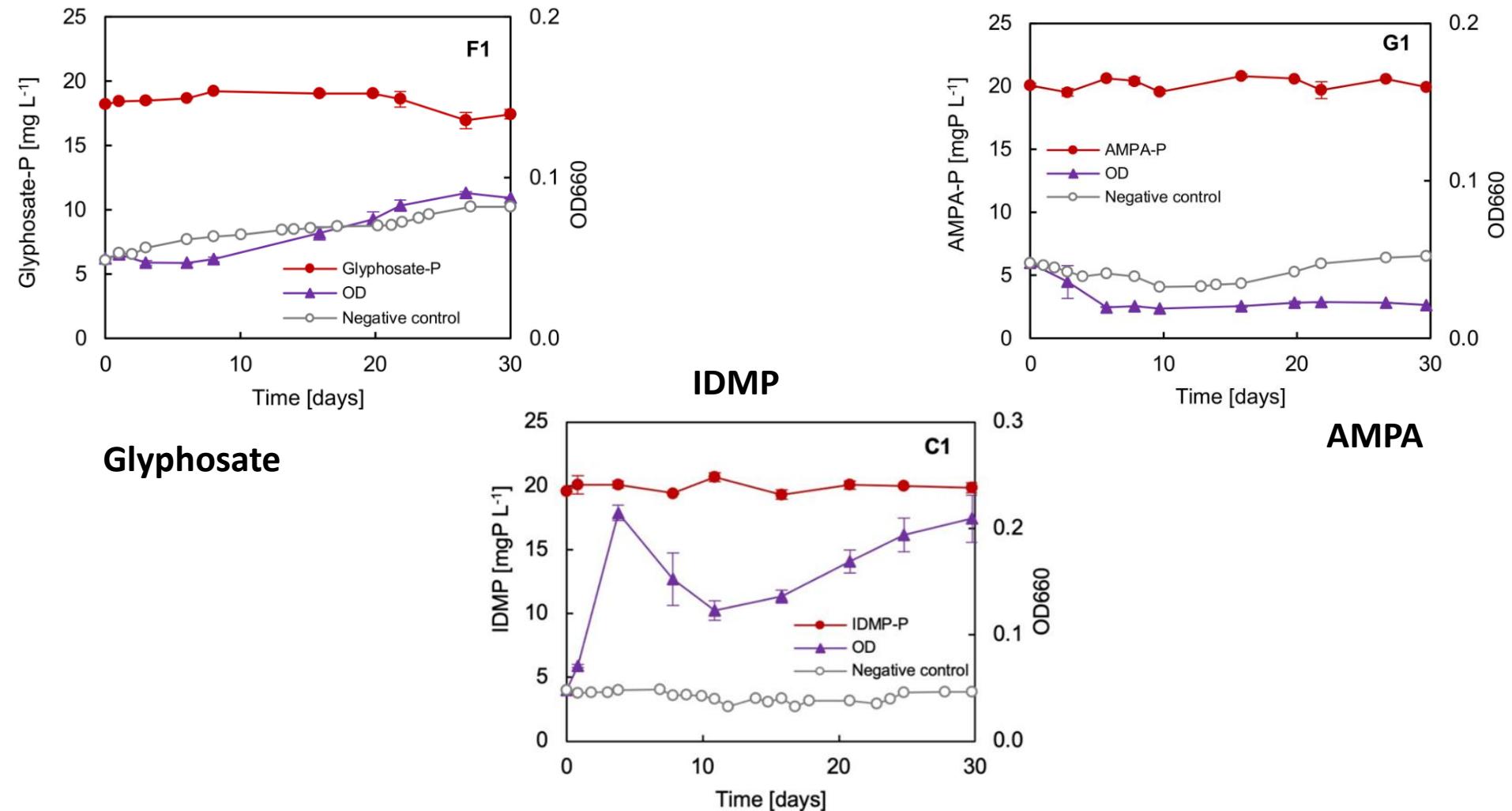
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**EDTMP****ATMP**

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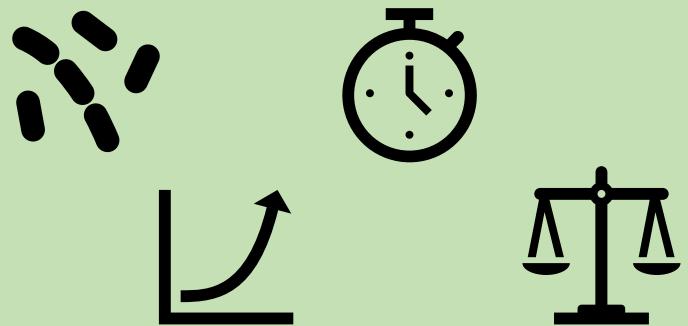


## Isolation and Characterization



- **27 isolates** from washing machines
- different **genetical preconditions**  
*Delftia* sp. UMB14:  
phosphonoacetaldehyde hydrolase PhnX

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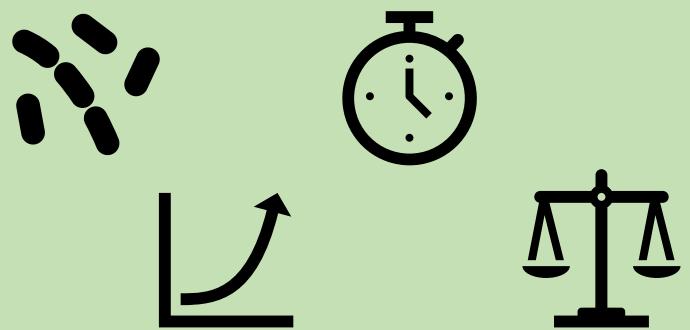


- Biodegradation batch tests in **tap water based medium**
- **P-utilization:**  
ATMP > EDTMP > IDMP > HEDP > DTPMP
- **No growth:** glyphosate, AMPA

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## Biodegradation



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