

Dynamics of chlorophyceae in phytoplankton of Lake Muchhi Pandharkwada Maharashtra

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Abstract

Phytoplankton study was carried out in muchhi lake from Jan 2013 to Feb 2012 chlorophyceal was the found in abundance from in mucchi lake 60% of phytoplankton i.e. chlorophyceal found in total amounts of phytoplankton density. The class was represents 10 genera and chlorococcales was the dominant class chlorophyceae present and chlorophyceae leaf algae was observed in the month of February 2013 in comparison with total present of phytoplankton chlorophyceae in month of March 2013. *Pediastrum* spp was observed to be consistent and dominant genera in chlorophyceae. It has high percentage of Temperature, light penetration dissolved oxygen and total alkalinity sende much 5 pp and consamrioum 5pp are also occur in mucchi lake.

Keywords: Muchhi Lake, Phytoplanktons, Chlorophytes, *Pediastrum*

1. Introduction

Phytoplankton is present in, most of the lake food web and fish production is depend on the phytoplankton. (Ryder ex. At. 1974) on the basis of water body. Phytoplankton study was carried out in mucchi lake. In activities like washing vegetable boating, commercial fisher. Study of carried out the Samples were collected from Jan 2013 to Feb 2014 water sample are study by analyzed monthly for important physical chemical properties APHA (1981) from study of phytoplankton's 500 ml water samples were collected in plastic container and for immediate fixation lugol's iodine solution was used in field and water 4% formaldehyde was used for long term preservation. The study of phytoplankton's and identification of key (Fritsch, 1979; Bellinger, 1992). For quantities estimation counting was carried out by studying haemocytometer method (Trivedi and goel 1984) Study of phytoplankton and physical chemical parameter was correlated to study the density.

2. Result & Discussion

The density of phytoplankton in mucchi lake was carried out phytoplankton density of mucchi lake varied from 1600 x 10³ to 30,360 x 10³ U/L chlorophyceae cyanophyceae Bacillariophyceae, Xanthophyceae, Euglenophyceae and diatoms member twenty difference genera were recorded. Chlorophyceae was occur in abundant form rather than other phytoplankton. It is about 60% in total phytoplankton density other member of class represented by 4 classes chlorococcales, Volvocales, Charophyceae, most of the species of chlorophyceae was observed in the month of February 2013 (20,240 x 10³ U/L). But immediately there is a great change in density. But immediately there is a great change in density of chlorophyte phytoplankton i.e. it suddenly lower down in next month i.e.

March Zygnematales. Predominance of chlorophyceae has also been reported by Chaudhory *et al.* (2001) *Pediastrum* spp. *Scenedesmus* spp, *Chlorella* spp, *Actinastrum* spp & *Jurguberukka* spp, *Vikvix* spp *Ulothrix* spp *Closterium* spp and *Cosmarium* spp from sample selected phytoplankton spp were recorded during present investigation large number of genera were observed was chlorophyceae (Lewis 1979). According to this observation suitable for the environment of mucchi lake and therefore chlorophyceae observed dominant representation of maximum number of genera observed among different order of chlorophyceae. Chlorococcales was the main feature occur in dominant form. Palmer (1969) opined that continuous occurrence of chlorococcales is indicate the eutrophic nature of water body. *Pediastrum* spp was occur consistent and dominant in chlorococcales higher density 50% of total phytoplankton density.

2.1 *Pediastrum* spp: *Pediastrum* spp occur in large quantity in the month February (2013 20,000 x 10³ uil) while another large amount and *Pediastrum* occur in the month of monsoon, July 1999 (15,000 x 10³ left) (Dehadray, 1982), Aarey pond (Bist, 1987) and Powai lake (Slaskar, 1996), *Scenedesmus* spp with average density of 600.20 x 10³ uil occur in second position of phytoplankton with mucchi lake 5.20% *Pediastrum* spp and *Scenedesmus* spp in almost all the sample & lake mucchi was supported by earlier observation Jain (1968). In Mucchi lake high quantity of *Scenedesmus* spp mucchi lake indicate the organic pollution because *Scenedesmus* indicate pollutin toler and genus (Palmer, 1969). During study period some spp of *Sesimoid* were recorded *Closterium* spp, *Staurastrum* and *Cosmarium* spp. Among these phytoplankton *Cosmarium* occur in abundance within chlorophyceae in mucchi lake *Cosmarium* spp 600 x 10³ U/L was observed 2013 among *Pediastrum* and *Scenedesmus*.

2.2 Correlation with parameter: Chlorophyceae showed positive correlation with temperature. Philipose (1976). Chlorococcales. Can grow in more range of temperature i.e. 15 to 30 °C. In present investigation the chlorococcales observed temperature range between 20 to 25.5 °C while the density was lower at 25 °C. Thus chlorococcales does not require high temperature. Among chlorococcales, *Pediastrum* spp was most large genera which was found to abundant in temperature range 20 to 26 °C thus favoring low temperature. Positive correlation was seen between chlorophyceae population and light in mucchi lake with highest correlation range in case of *Pediastrum* chlorococcales abundance with lower pH range Ashtekar and Kamat (1980) stated chlorococcales grow luxuriantly in water with low as well as high pH. Venkateshwarly *et al.* (1990) reported high DO content as one of the reasons for dominance content of

chlorophyceae. Chlorophyceae show positive correlation between do mucchi lake, pediastrum and scendstrums spp dominant in chlorococcales. Show higher co reation with do ie.e. 6.01 to 7.1 mg/l range of do favourable for abudance of pediastrum chlorophyceae show positive correlation with at kalinity in mucchi lake domanat genera like pediasrum spp and scendesmus spp were highly correlated with toal alkalinity. Dominant desmid, consmarium spp from mucchi lake showed abudance in low as well as high alkalinity range. Chlorohyceae whow low correlation with calcium in mucchi lake abudance of cholorccales was observed at low calcium concentration in water padiastrum is most dominat gera of chlorococcales show weak response with calcium through chlorophycease show positive correlation with nitrate and weak negative correlation with silicate and phosphates.

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