Supplementary Information

Routine monitoring of Western Lake Erie to track water quality changes associated with cyanobacterial harmful algal blooms

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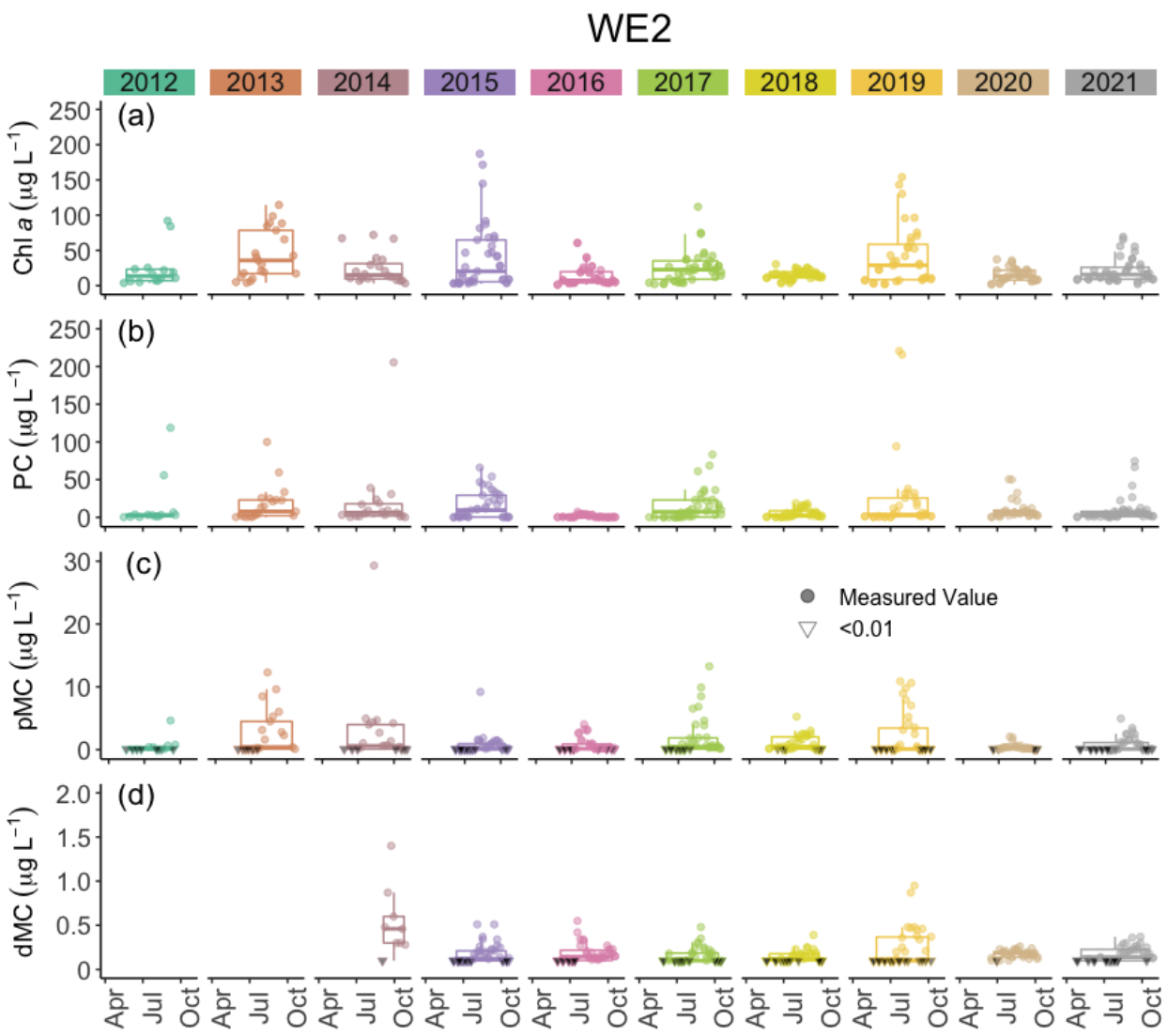
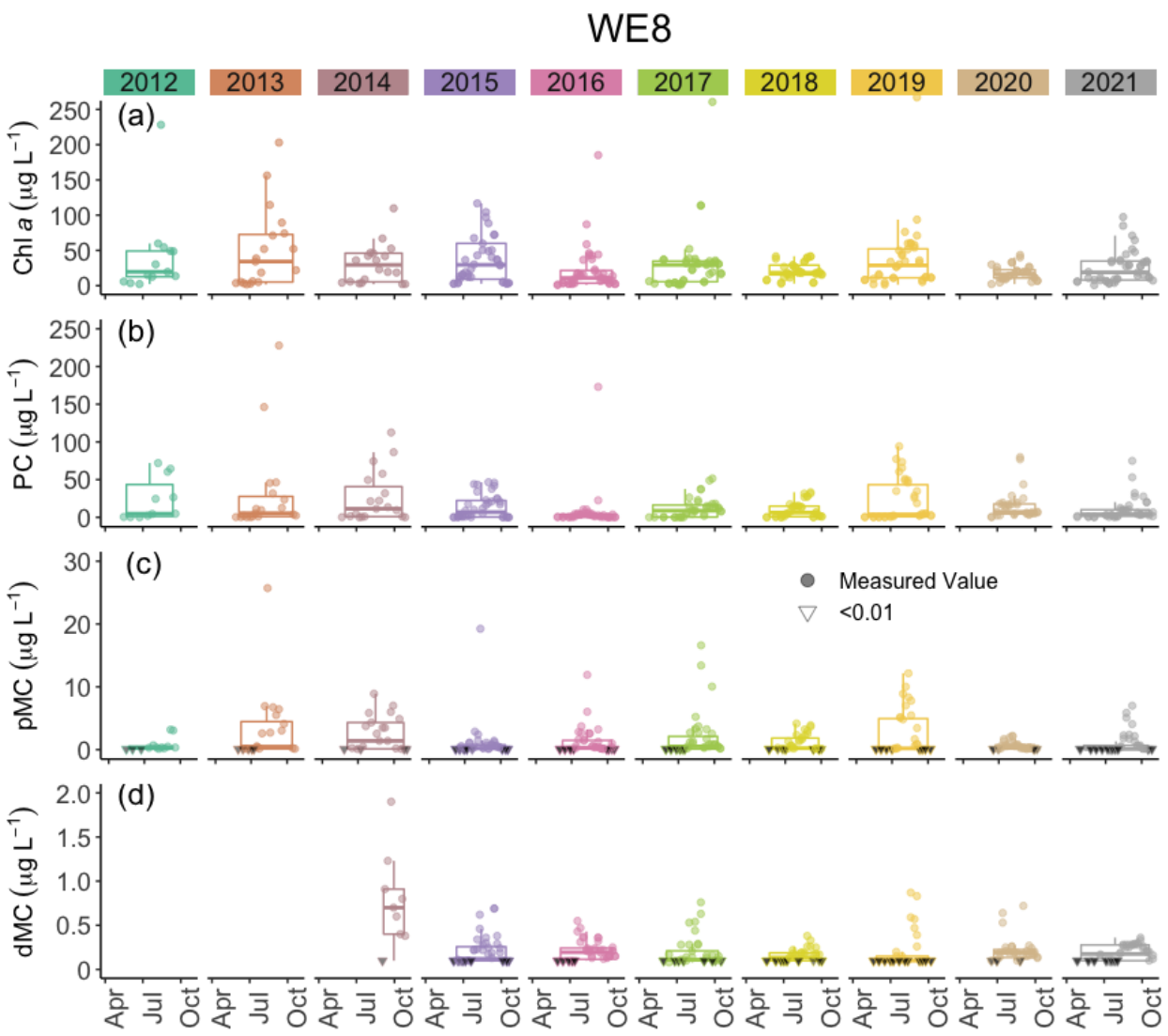


Figure S1. Concentrations of chlorophyll *a* (Chl *a*), phycocyanin (PC), particulate microcystins (pMC), and dissolved microcystins (dMC) at Station WE02 for all years sampled. Boxplots represent the median and 25% and 75% quartiles with whiskers extending to the highest or lowest point within 1.5x the interquartile range. A scatterplot is overlaid on the boxplots.



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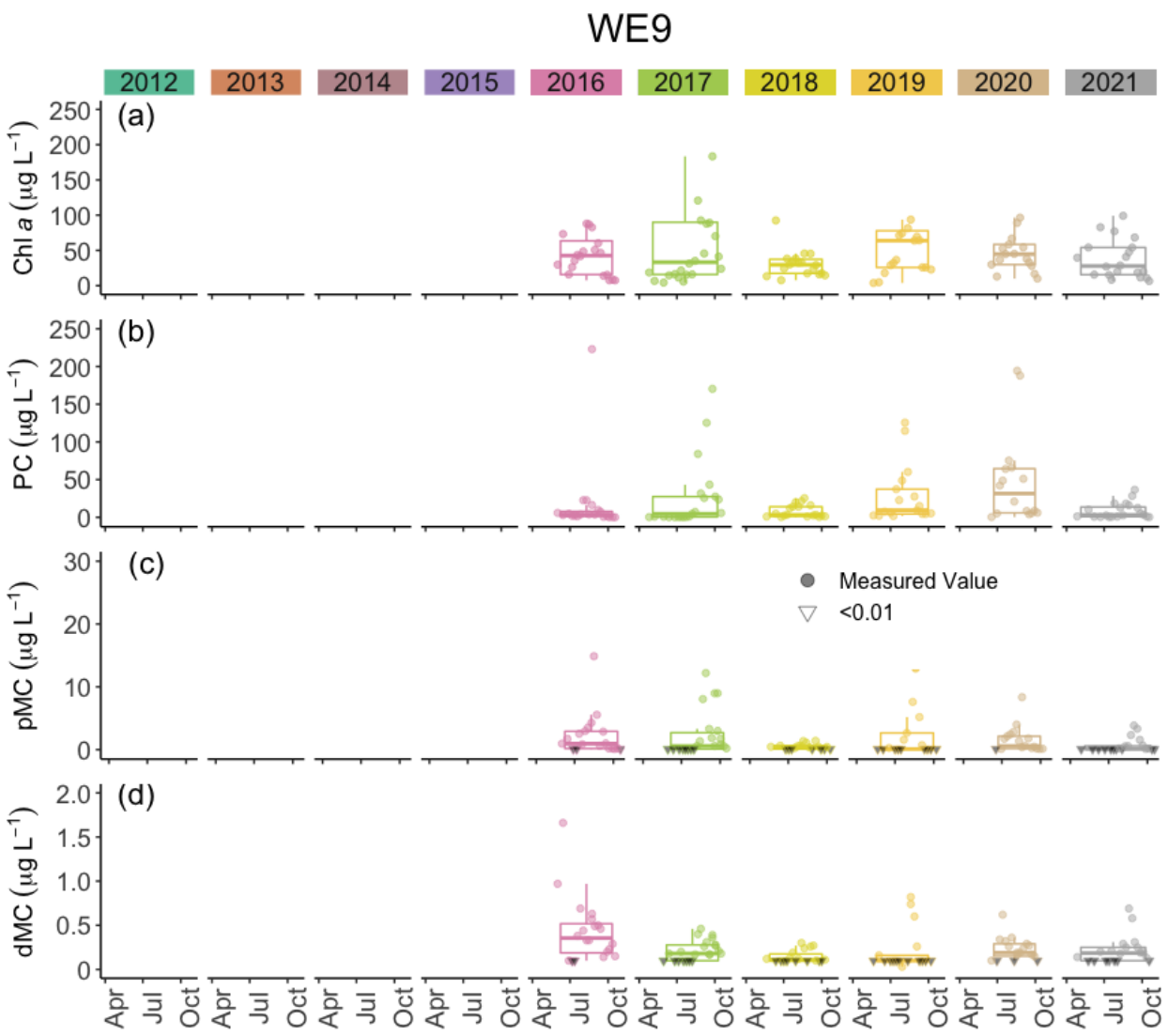

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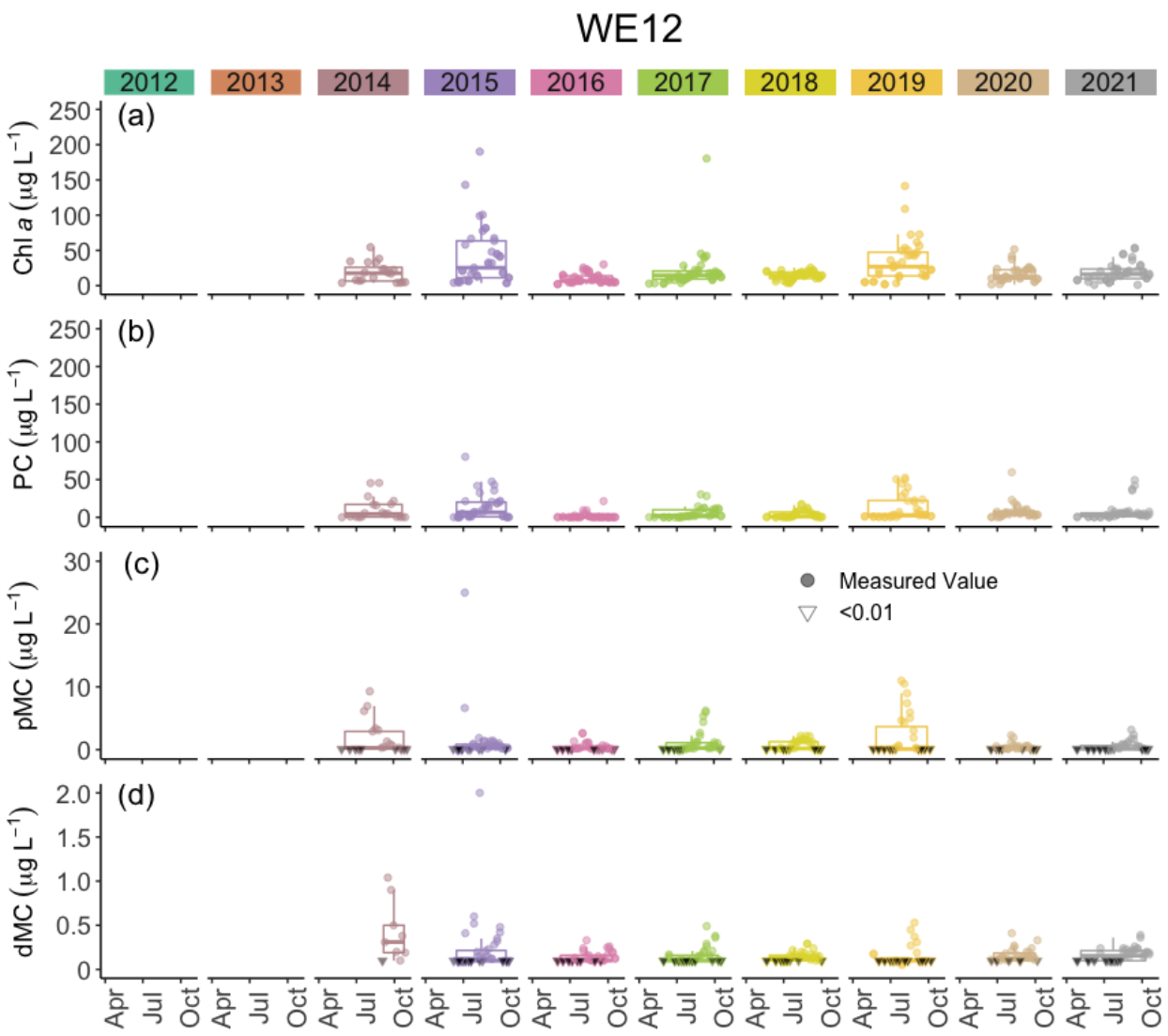

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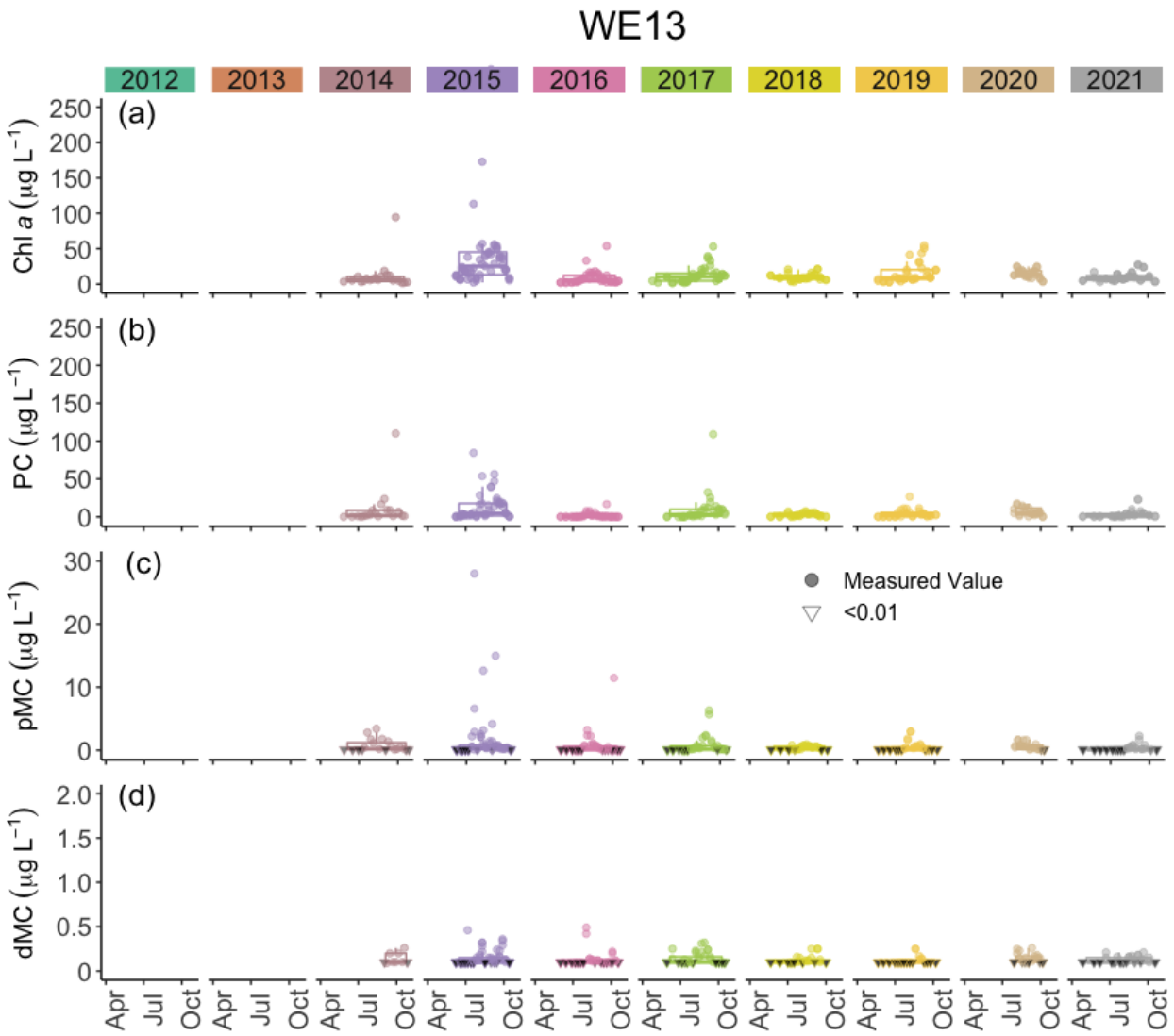


Figure S5. Concentrations of chlorophyll *a* (Chl *a*), phycocyanin (PC), particulate microcystins (pMC), and dissolved microcystins (dMC) at Station WE13 for all years sampled. Boxplots represent the median and 25% and 75% quartiles with whiskers extending to the highest or lowest point within 1.5x the interquartile range. A scatterplot is overlaid on the boxplots.

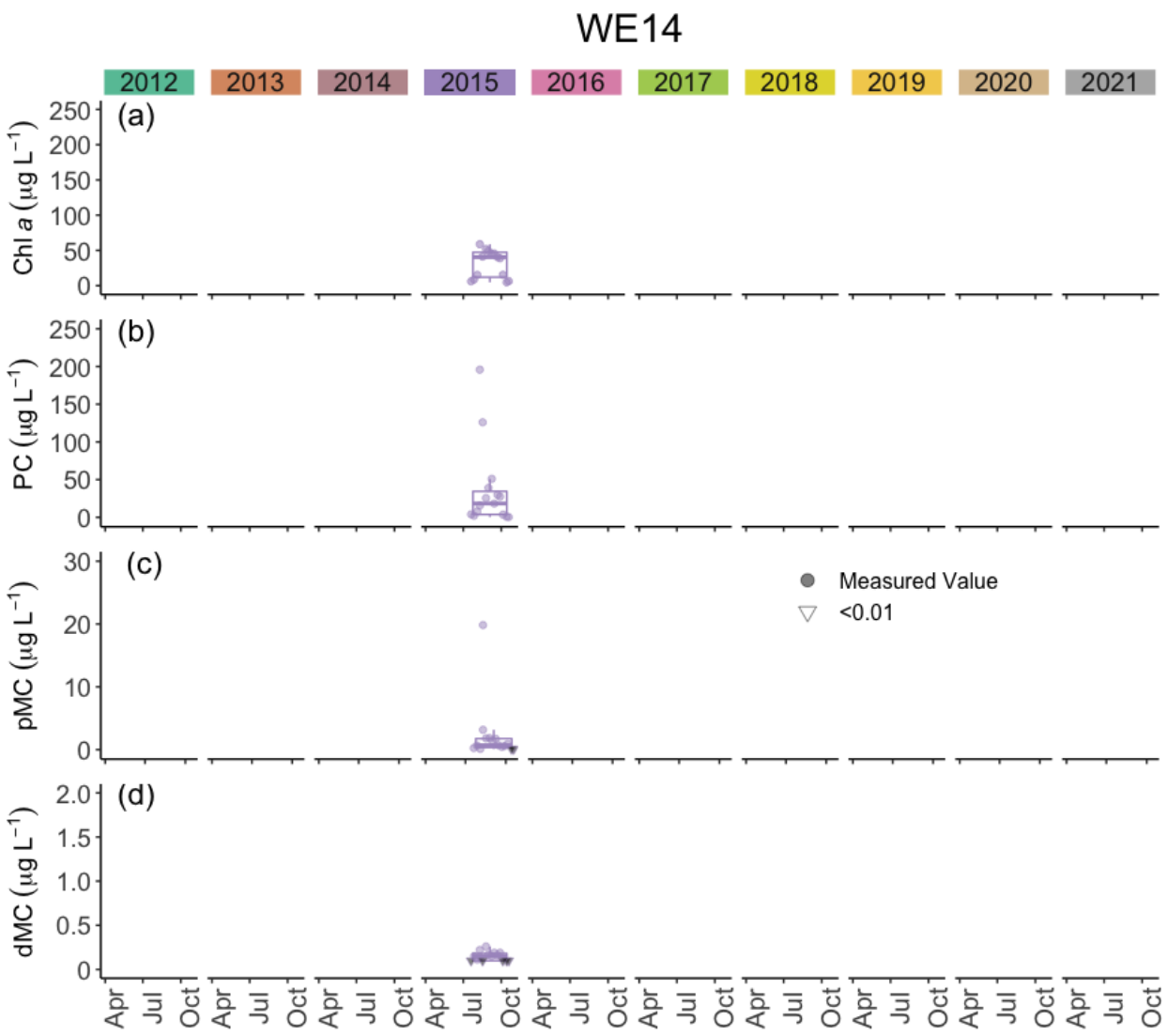
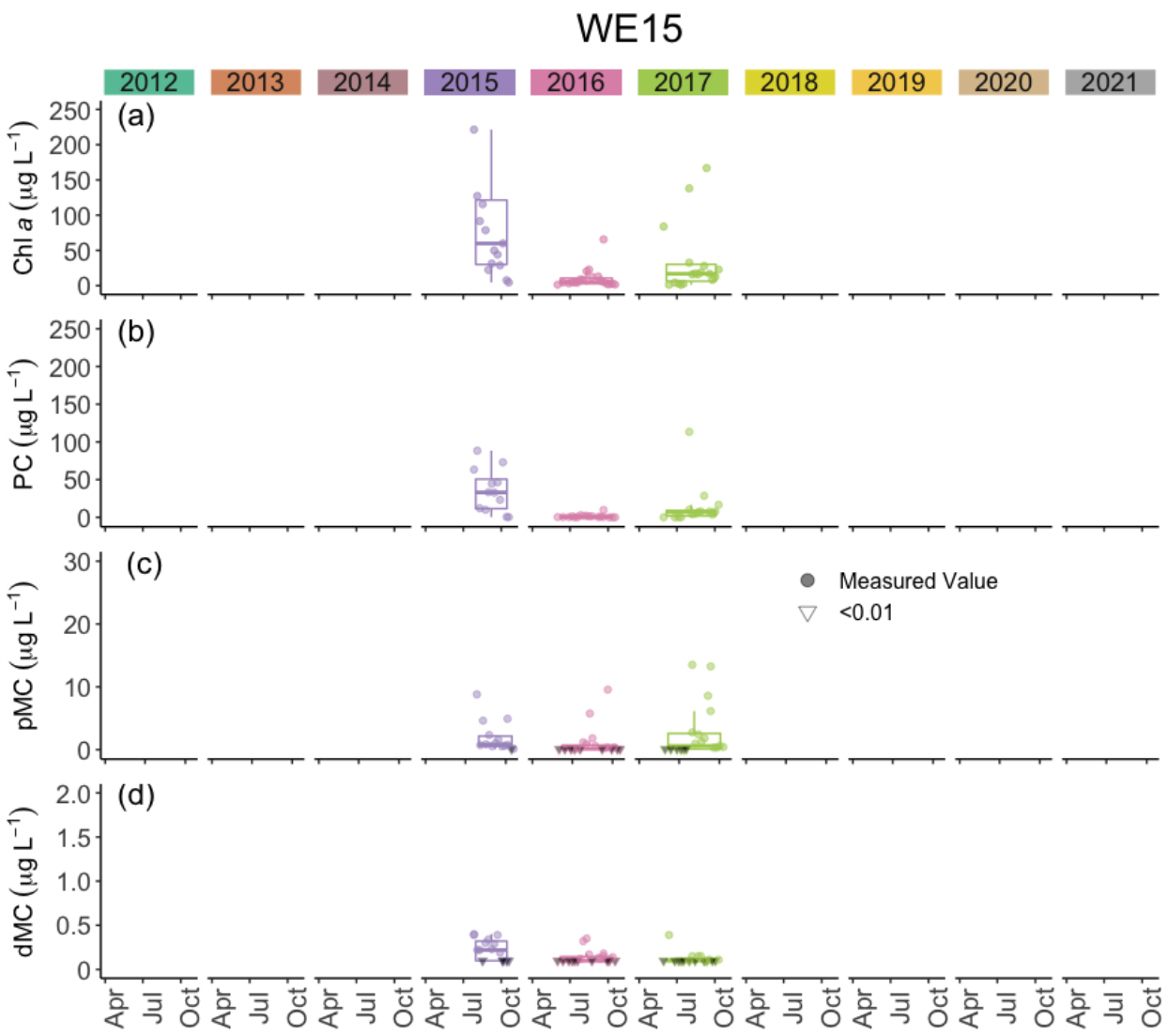


Figure S6. Concentrations of chlorophyll *a* (Chl *a*), phycocyanin (PC), particulate microcystins (pMC), and dissolved microcystins (dMC) at Station WE14 for all years sampled. Boxplots represent the median and 25% and 75% quartiles with whiskers extending to the highest or lowest point within 1.5x the interquartile range. A scatterplot is overlaid on the boxplots.



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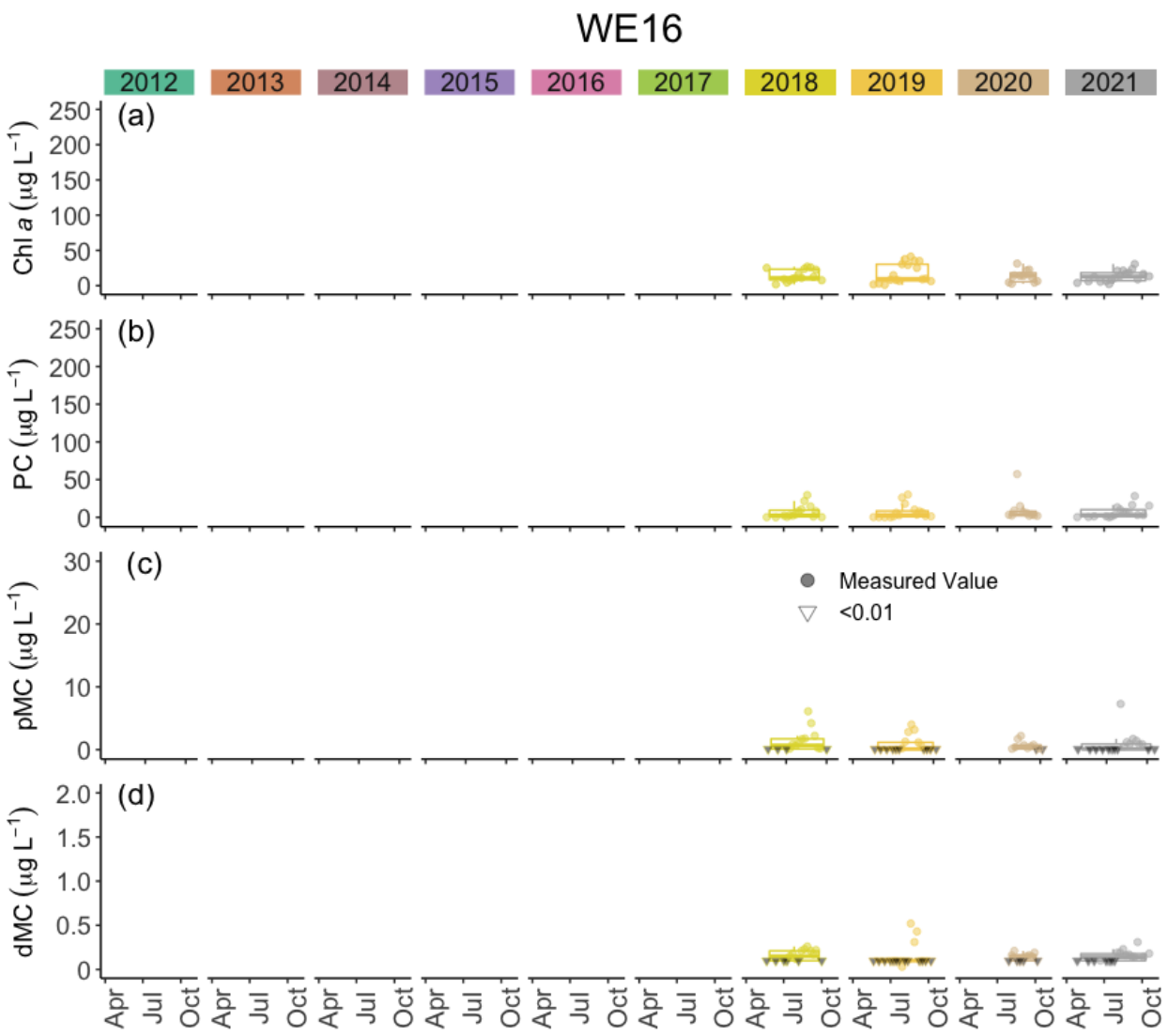


Figure S8. Concentrations of chlorophyll *a* (Chl *a*), phycocyanin (PC), particulate microcystins (pMC), and dissolved microcystins (dMC) at Station WE16 for all years sampled. Boxplots represent the median and 25% and 75% quartiles with whiskers extending to the highest or lowest point within 1.5x the interquartile range. A scatterplot is overlaid on the boxplots.

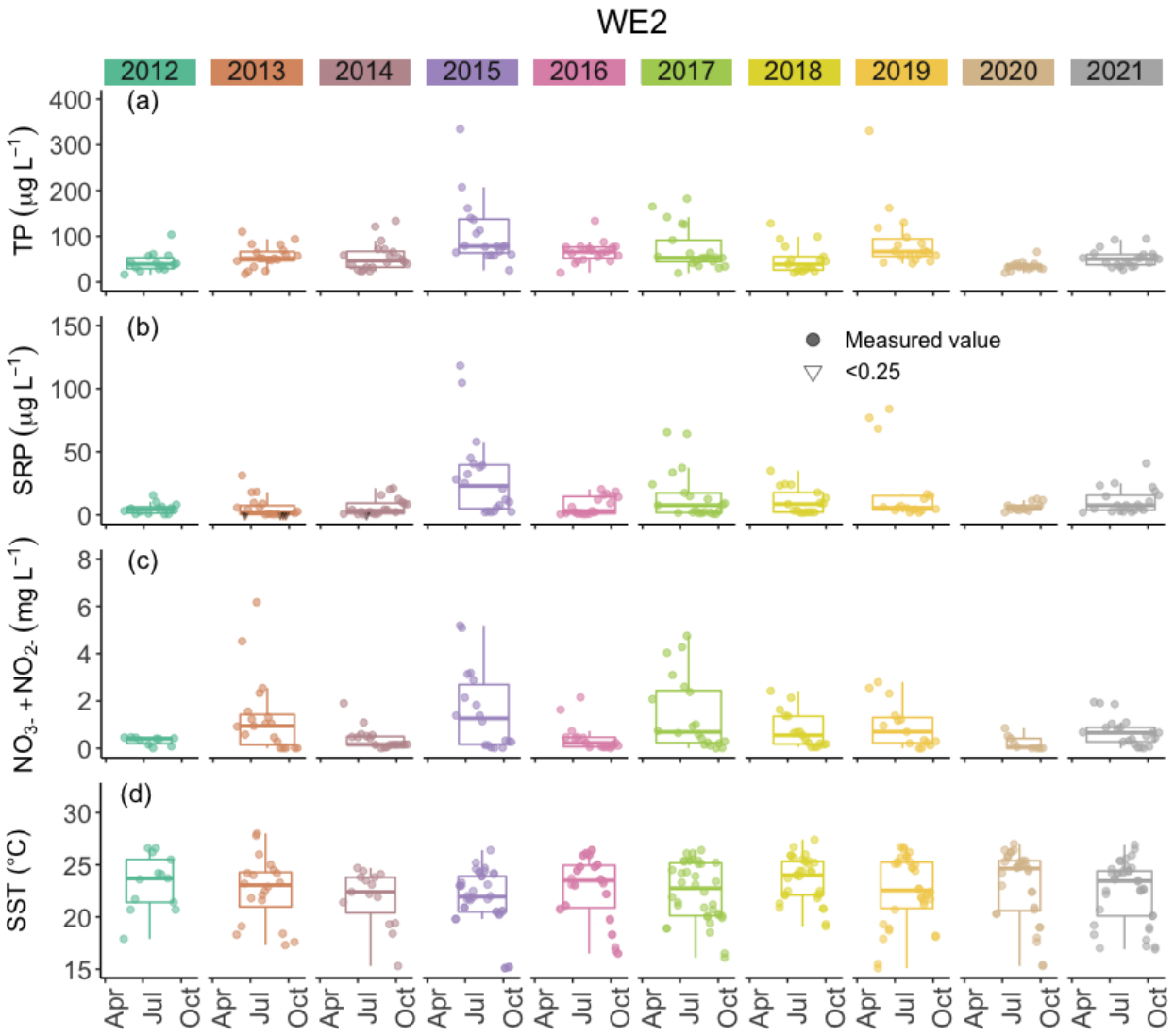
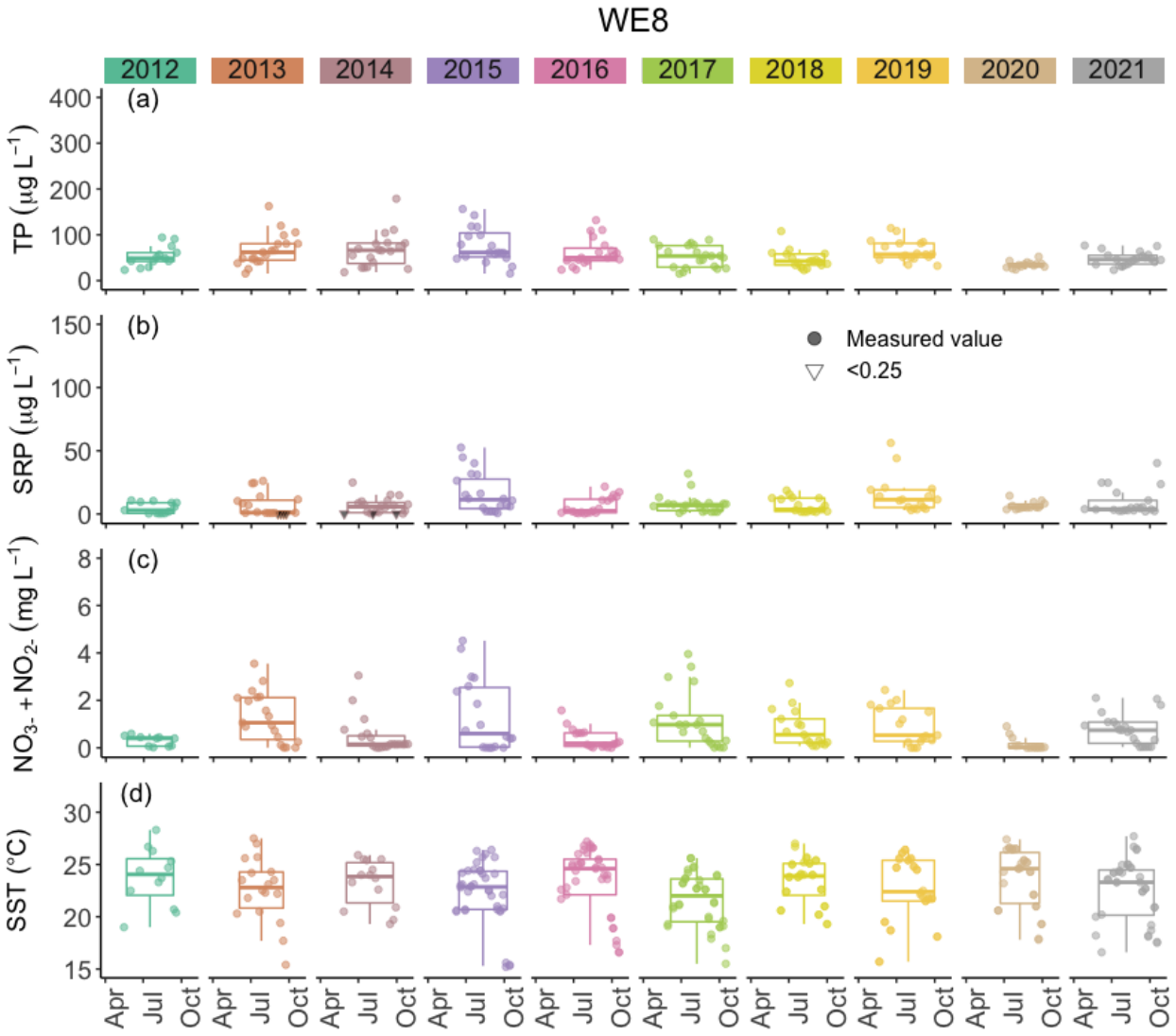


Figure S9. Concentrations of total phosphorus (TP), soluble reactive phosphorus (SRP), nitrate plus nitrite (NO_3^- + NO_2^-), and sea surface temperature (SST) at Station WE02 for all years sampled. Boxplots represent the median and 25% and 75% quartiles with whiskers extending to the highest or lowest point within 1.5x the interquartile range. A scatterplot is overlaid on the boxplots.



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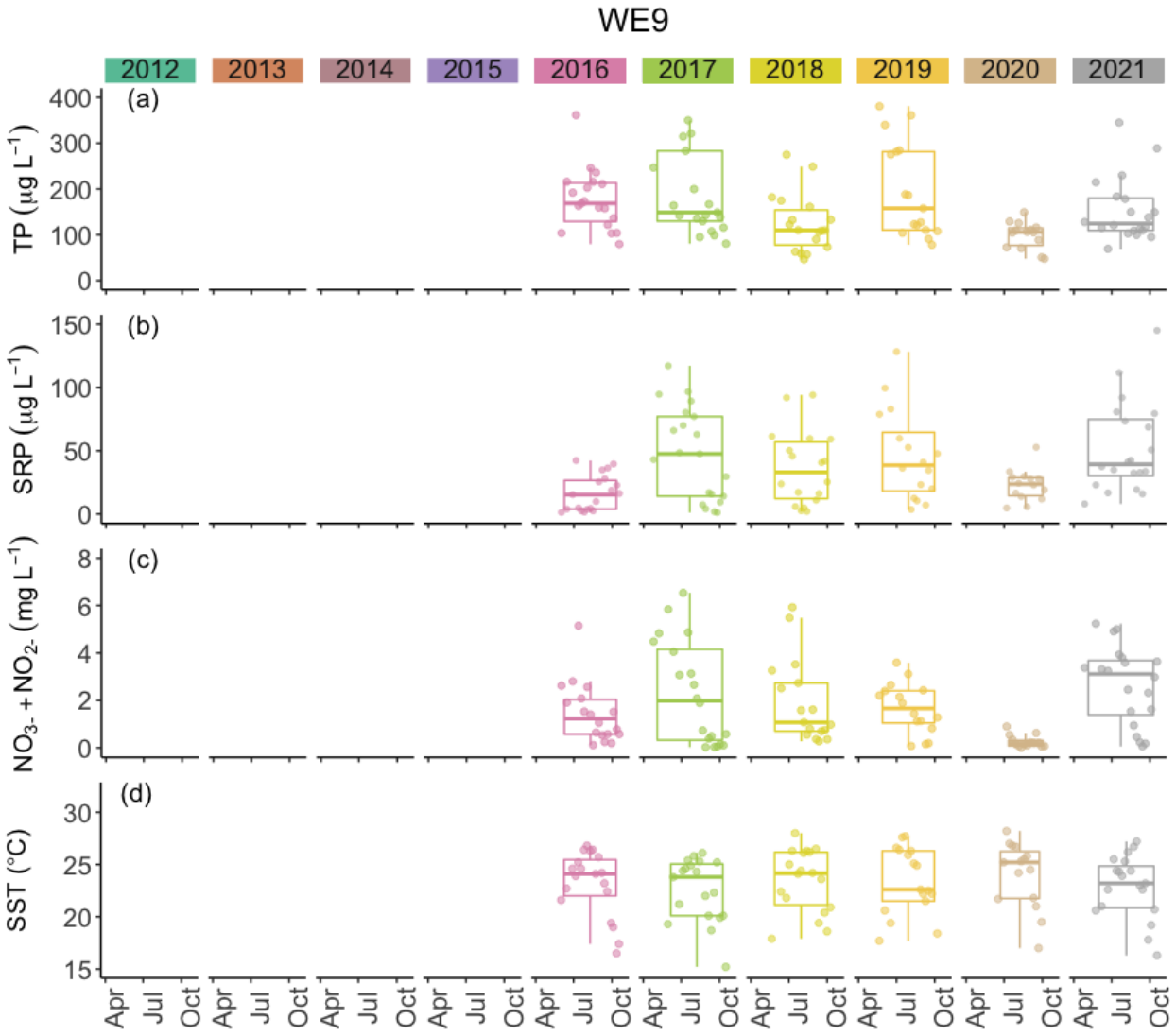

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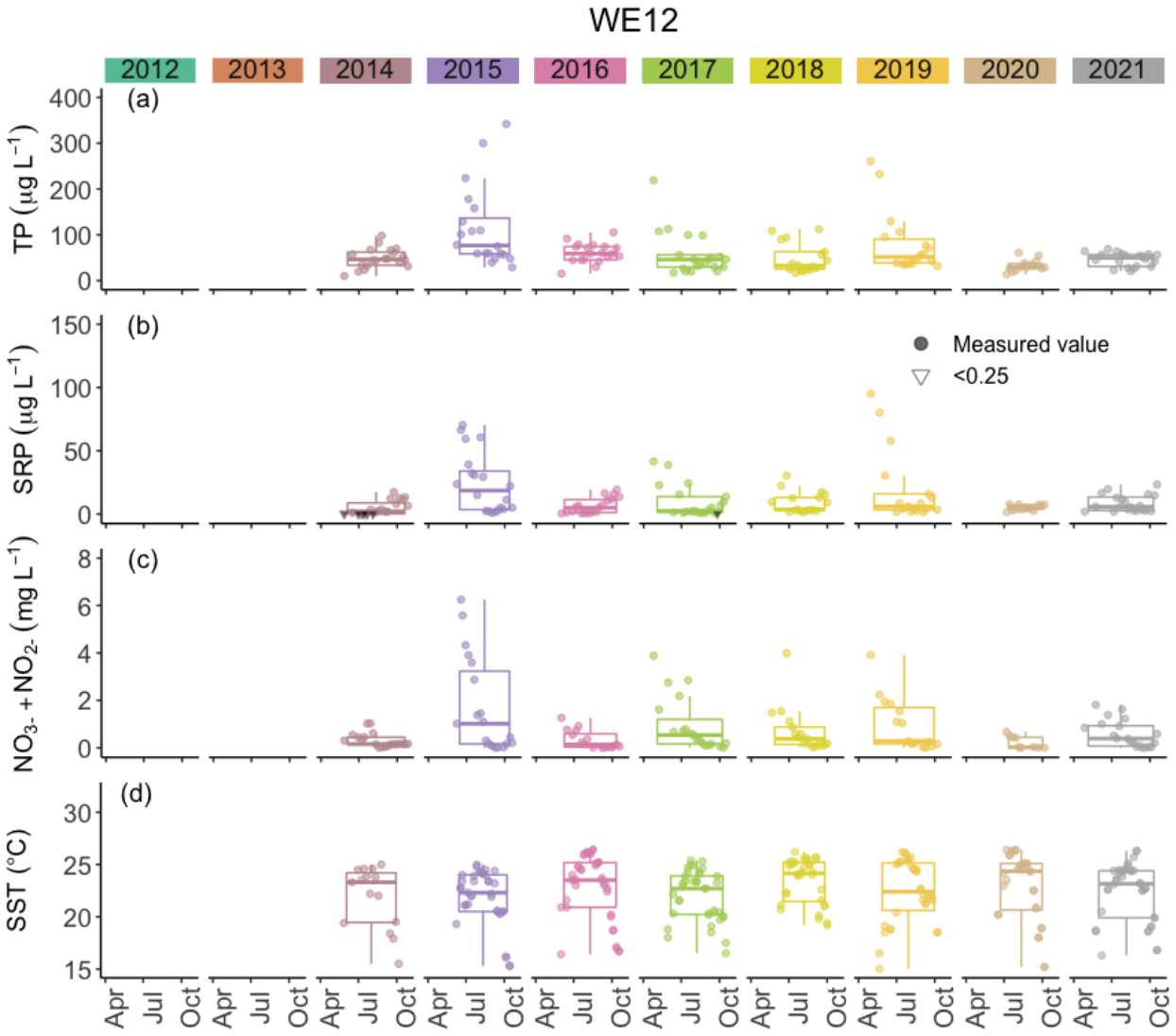

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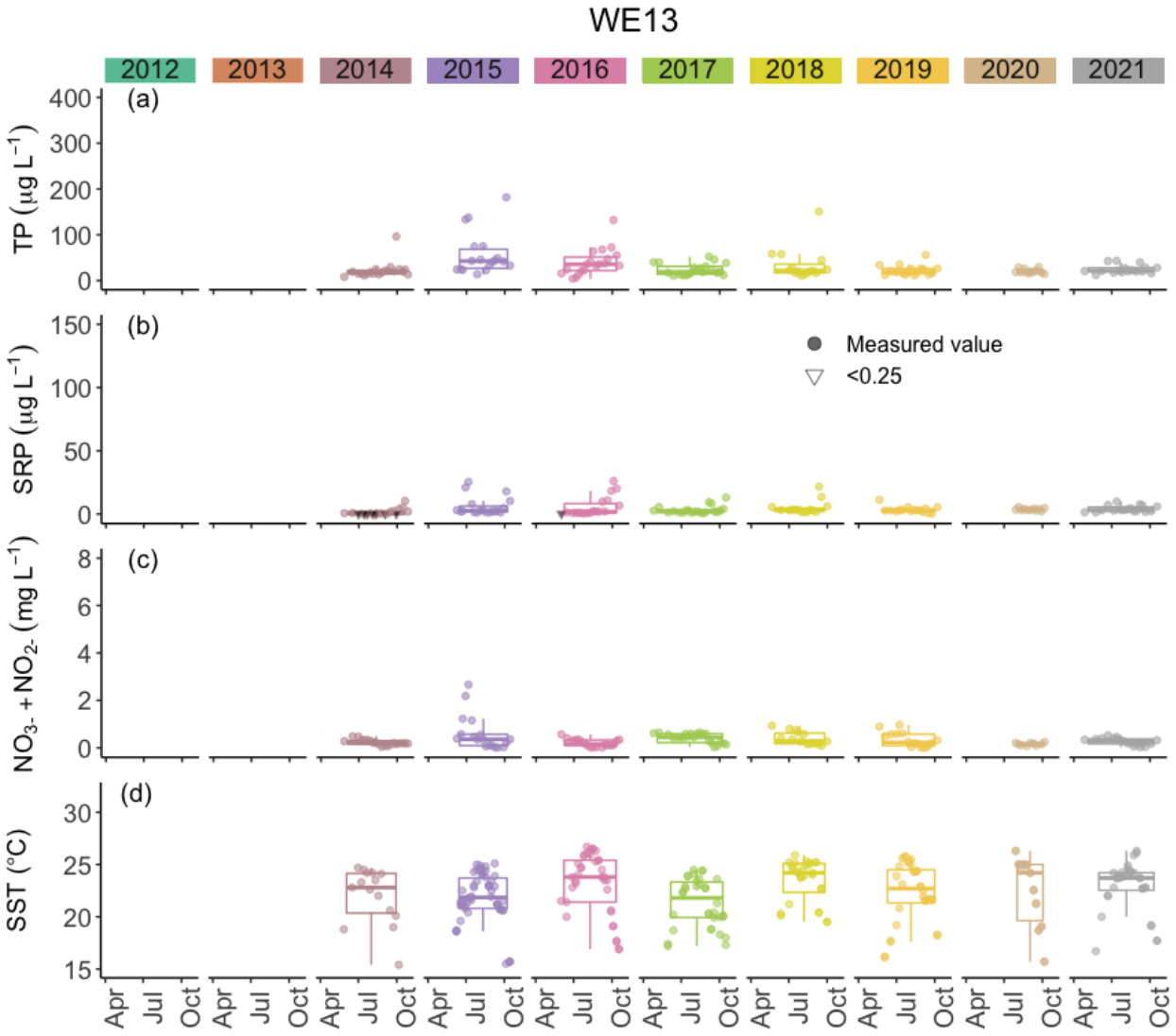

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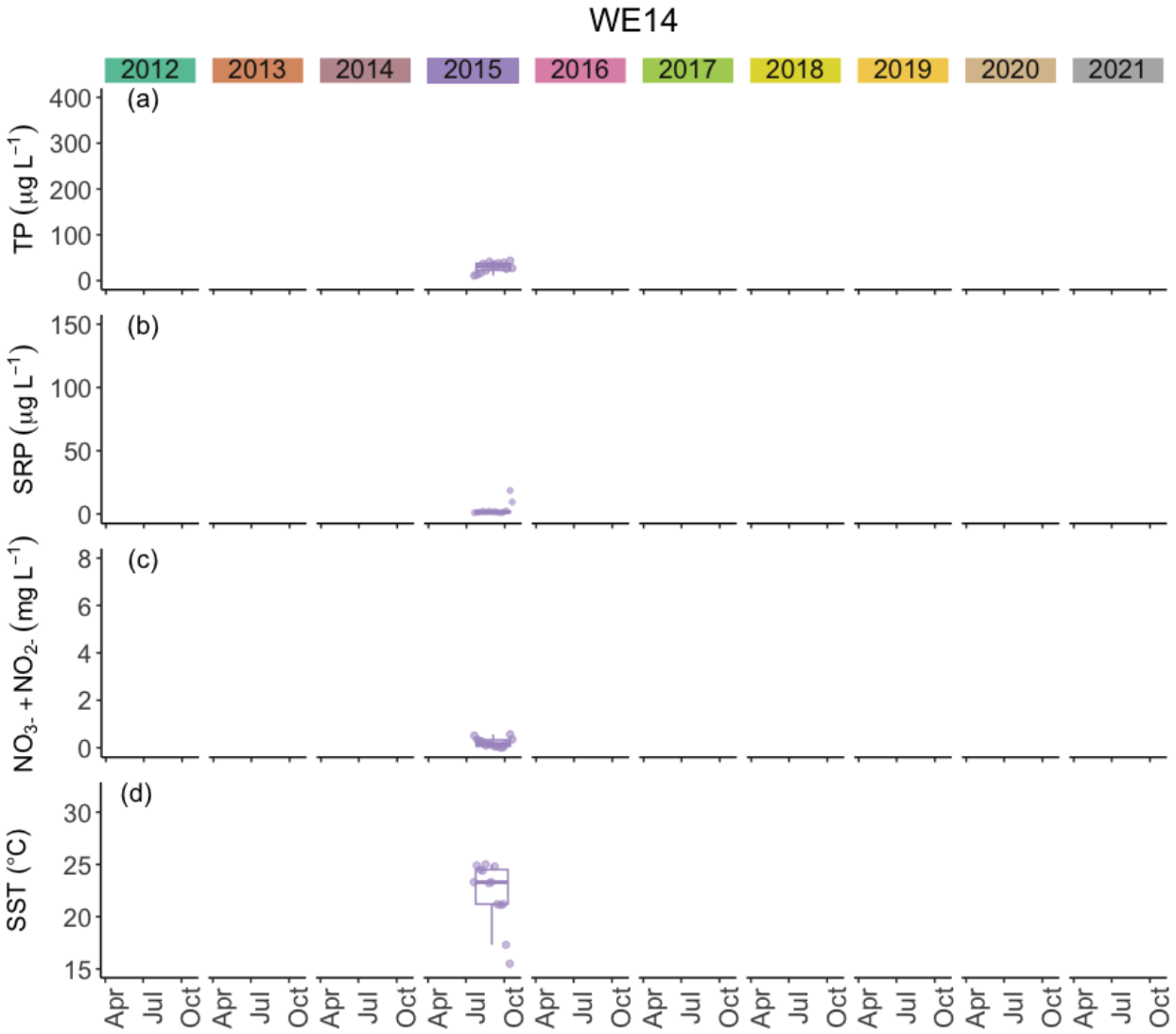

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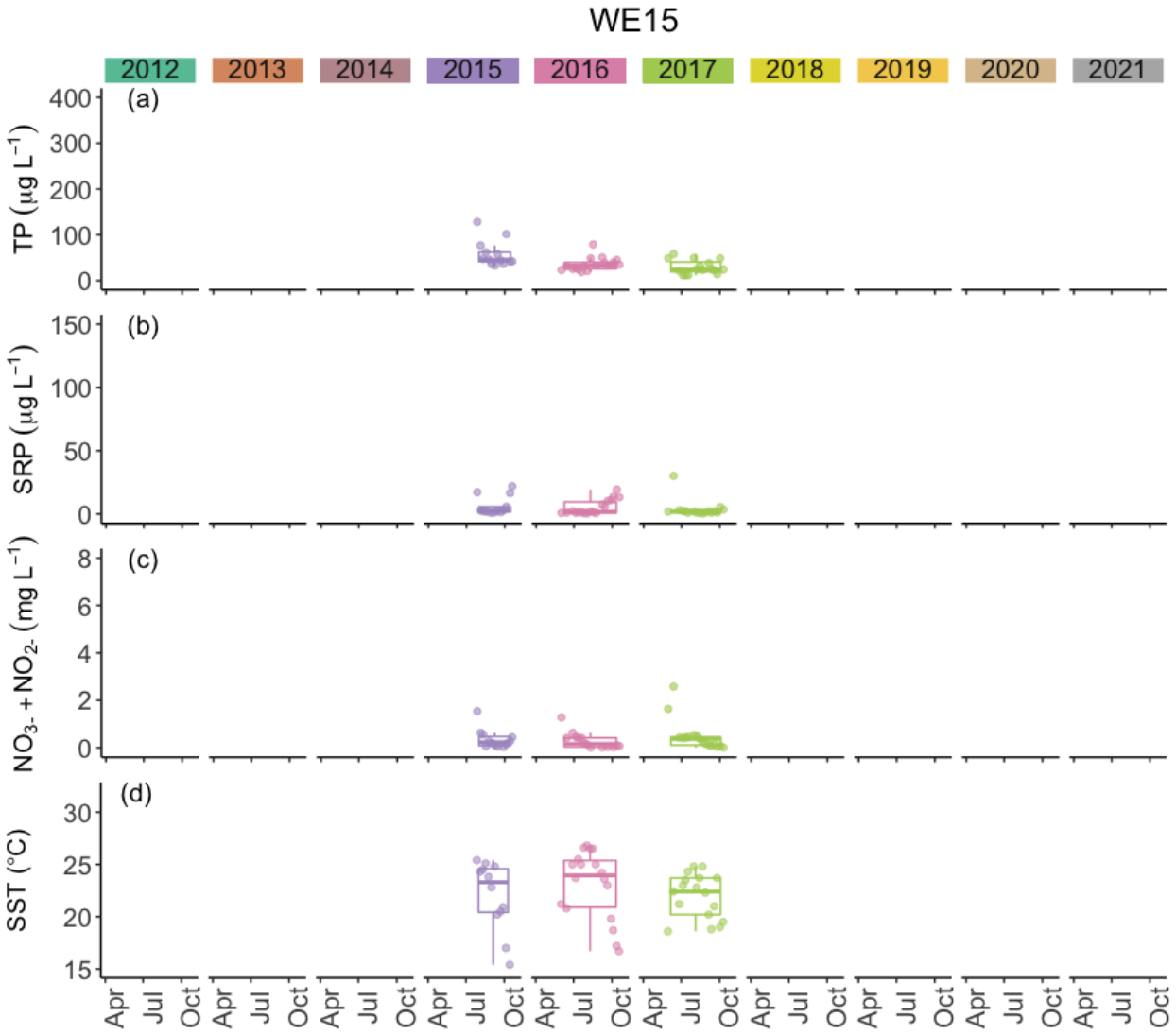

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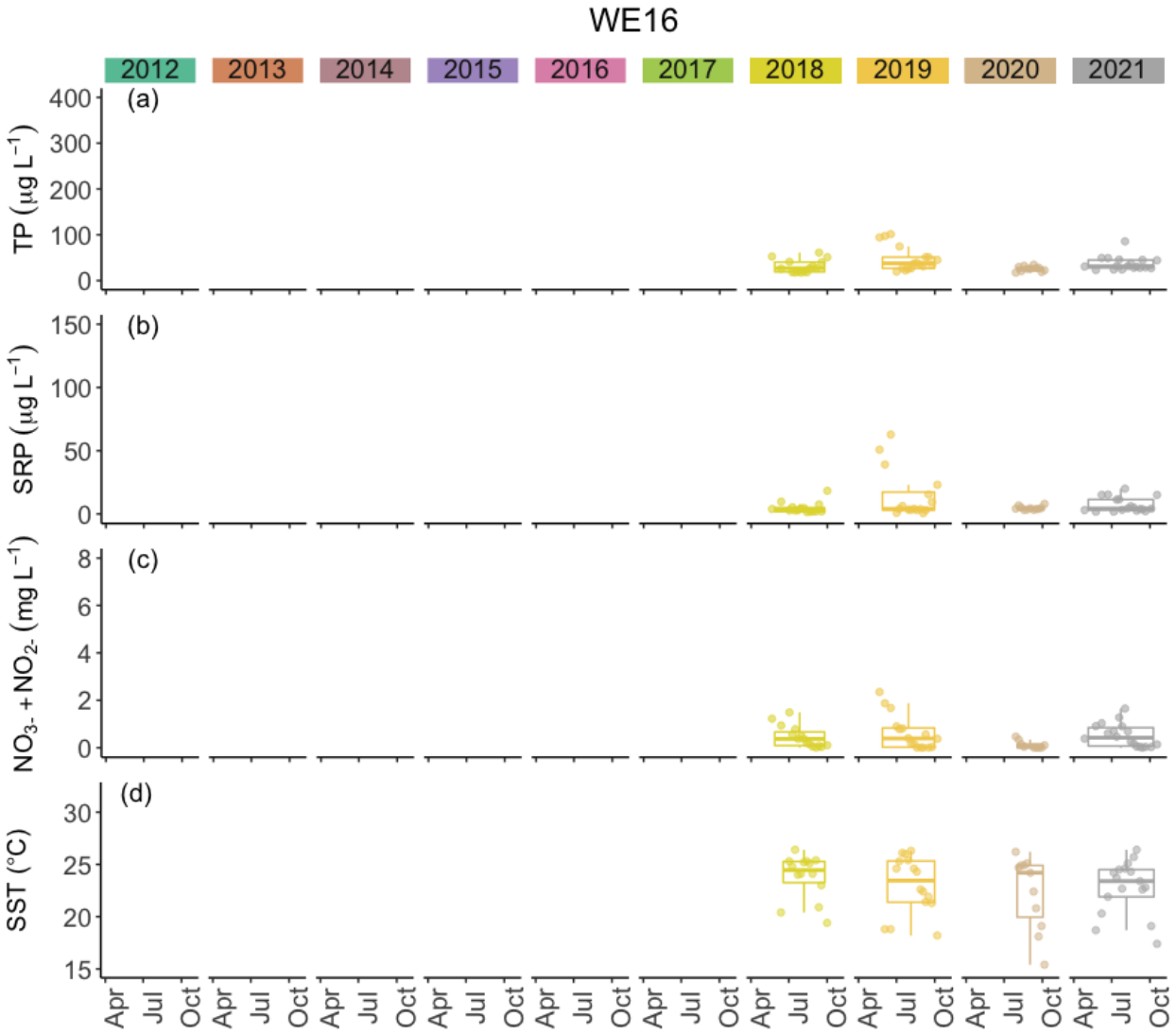

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