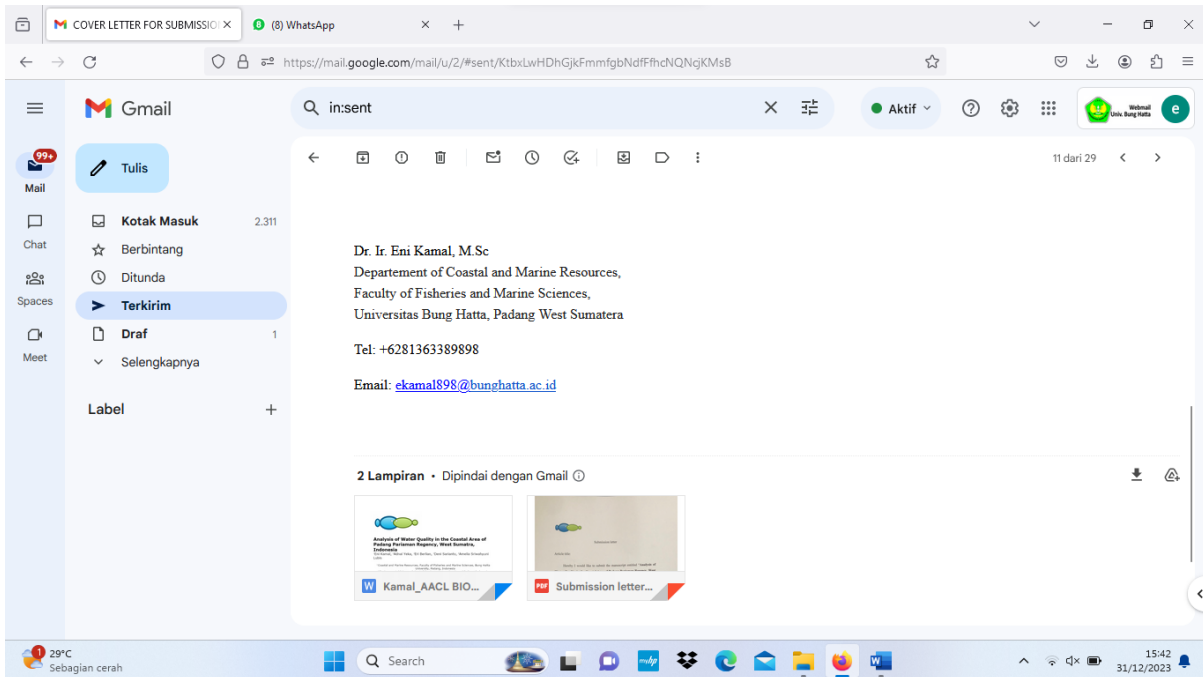
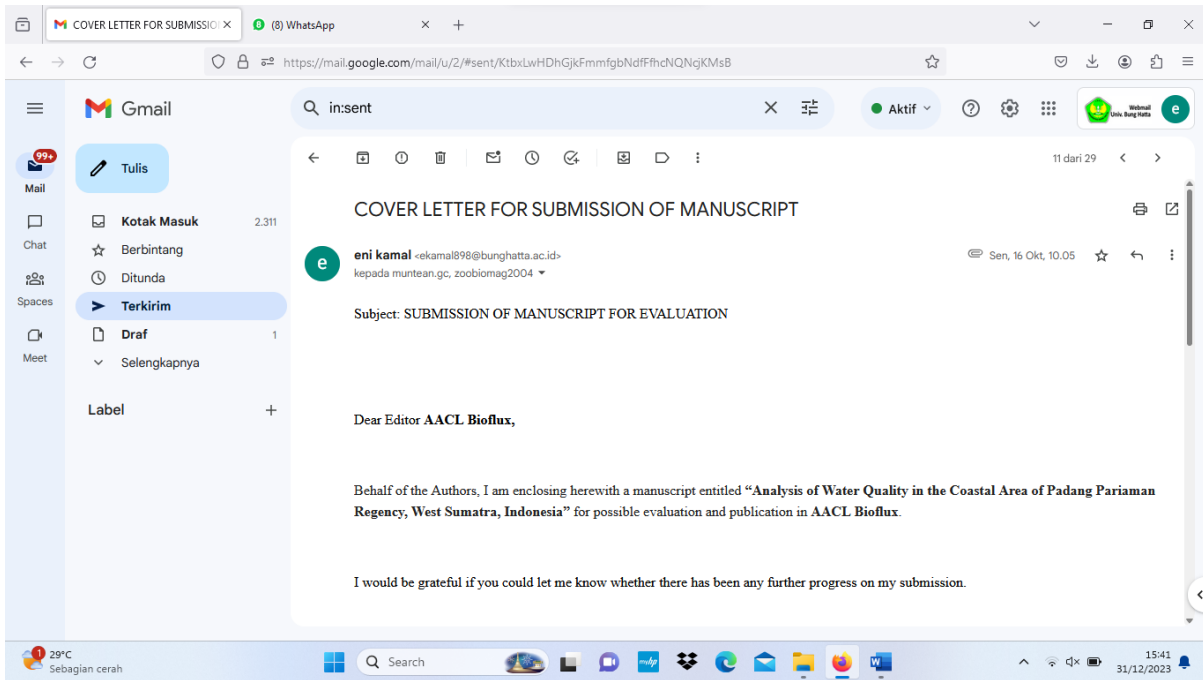


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The screenshot shows a Gmail interface with a search bar containing "in:sent". The email list on the left includes "Kotak Masuk" (2,311), "Berbintang", "Ditunda", "Terkirim", "Draf" (1), and "Selengkapnya". The selected email is titled "Manuscript reception confirmation" (Eksternal) from "muntean.gc@gmail.com" to "kepada saya, zoobiomag2004", dated "Sen, 16 Okt, 16.42". The email body contains the following text:

Dear Dr. Eni Kamal,

This is a message of confirmation regarding the reception of your manuscript "Analysis of Water Quality in the Coastal Area of Padang Pariaman Regency, West Sumatra, Indonesia", submitted to our journal "Aquaculture, Aquarium, Conservation & Legislation".

If you sent this manuscript to multiple editors or e-mail addresses at our publishing house (other than zoobiomag2004@yahoo.com), please let me know.

I will contact you with further information regarding your manuscript.

For any questions, please contact me.
Please try to keep one message thread (respond/ask with "Reply") for an easier message management.

Thank you for considering our journal.

Best regards,
George Muntean
Editor, Bioflux SRL

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Tel: +6281363389898
Email: ekamal898@bunghatta.ac.id

Dear George Muntean,

Thank you for the response, we only send our articles to your email address and zoobiomag2004@yahoo.com.

We do not send to other emails. Thank you and we are waiting for further response.

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Dear Dr. Eni Kamal,

Your paper submitted to our journal *Aquaculture, Aquarium, Conservation & Legislation - International Journal of the Bioflux Society (AACL Bioflux)*, is preliminary accepted for publication. The final acceptance or rejection will be confirmed after receiving the double-blind peer reviews.

After this preliminary acceptance you should pay the 300 USD manuscript processing fee or the 500 USD manuscript processing fee with priority (new processing fees as described on our website since the 30th of January 2023).

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The screenshot shows a Gmail interface with a search bar containing 'in:sent'. The email is a reply from 'eni.kamal@bunghatta.ac.id' to 'muntean.gc'. The subject is 'Dear George Muntean, Editor, Bioflux SRL'. The email content is as follows:

Dear George Muntean, Editor, Bioflux SRL

It is very nice to hear from you that my manuscript has been preliminary accepted for publication (Friday 10/20/2023 07:44 PM)

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6. E-mail	: amelialubis@gmail.com
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Thank you very much for your co-operation.

Best regards

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Dear Dr. Eni Kamal,
My editor-in-chief has confirmed me your payment.
The review process will begin now for your manuscript.

eni kamal -ekamal898@bunghatta.ac.id- kepada muntean.gc Min, 5 Nov, 14:09

Dear Editor,

Thank you for your response, we are waiting for further information as soon as possible.

Dr. Ir. Eni Kamal, M.Sc
Department of Coastal and Marine Resources,
Faculty of Fisheries and Marine Sciences,
Universitas Bung Hatta, Padang West Sumatera
Telp. 0898123200000

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Dear George Muntean, Editor, Bioflux SRL

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3. Article No.	: -
4. Sender's First and Last Name	: Amelia Sriwahyuni Lubis
5. Address	: Padang
6. E-mail	: amelialubis6@gmail.com
7. Article Title	: "Analysis of Water Quality in the Coastal Area of Padang Pariaman Regency, West Sumatra, Indonesia"

Thank you very much for your co-operation.

Best regards

Dr. Ir. Eni Kamal, M.Sc
Department of Coastal and Marine Resources,

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Jum, 22 Des, 00:20 (9 hari yang lalu)

Dear Dr. Eni Kamal,
Based on the reviewer's analysis, this final preview of your manuscript was generated. We handled minor issues and formatting, but there are issues you must address yourself. In this e-mail I will ask you about problematic sections and please answer by e-mail as well. Problematic sections are highlighted in red throughout the manuscript.

1. "involving data collection at two observation stations. Data collection was conducted at six stations". Unclear number of observation stations. This also appears in text and must be solved in text and in abstract. Clarification needed.
2. "TSS, COD". Full names will be written after you confirm what water quality parameters you analysed, as requested by Issue 11.
3. Key Words. Please tell us at least two more Key Words that are not in the title.
4. "The utilization of coastal areas with adverse effects on coastal environmental quality is shrimp farming. The negative impacts arise primarily from the common practice of clearing mangrove forests to make way for shrimp ponds, often leaving no green zones". Identical to abstract. Please rewrite for manuscript text.
5. "3,759 hectares, which accounts for 39.78% of the potential 866,550 hectares". Numbers and percentages do not add up. Please clarify the numbers and the percentages.
6. "The technology of shrimp farming has evolved from traditional to semi-intensive and intensive methods. The advancement of shrimp pond technology has raised concerns in coastal areas, particularly related to the high levels of organic waste generated by shrimp farming activities. The objective of this research is to analyze the water quality in the coastal area of Padang Pariaman Regency, West Sumatra, Indonesia". Identical to abstract. Please rewrite for manuscript text.

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6. "The technology of shrimp farming has evolved from traditional to semi-intensive and intensive methods. The advancement of shrimp pond technology has raised concerns in coastal areas, particularly related to the high levels of organic waste generated by shrimp farming activities. The objective of this research is to analyze the water quality in the coastal area of Padang Pariaman Regency, West Sumatra, Indonesia". Identical to abstract. Please rewrite for manuscript text.
7. "This study was conducted from July 2022 to January 2023 in the coastal areas of Padang Pariaman Regency, West Sumatra, Indonesia involving data collection at two observation stations. Data collection was conducted at six sub-stations as follows". Identical to abstract. Please rewrite for manuscript text.
8. "two observation stations. Data collection was conducted at six sub-stations as follows." Related to Issue 1. You need to properly clarify how many stations you had, because they must relate across the manuscript and in tables.
9. Figure 1. The map has absolutely nothing to do with the manuscript. Please send us a map that makes sense for the sampling locations you had and for the research in general. I will add the map to the manuscript. Also, tell us where to mention Figure 1.
10. "This study employed a survey and observational methods conducted at the research sites for data collection". Identical to abstract. Please rewrite for manuscript text.
11. "Water quality analysis, apart from on-site measurements, was further conducted at the water chemistry laboratory of the State University of Padang". You must enumerate in Material and Method section what parameters were analysed, which on-site, which in the laboratory and specify the methodology for each parameter. Write the missing section and we will add it here to the manuscript.
12. "macrozoobenthos". You do not specify the method used to assess macrozoobenthos. Please tell us how you did it, so we can add it to the manuscript text, next to the phytoplankton evaluation method.
13. MENKLH (2003). Reference missing from the reference list. Please tell us the reference, so we can add it to the reference list.
14. Table 1. Are you sure salinity is 0 for the river water station? It can be, but usually there is a level of salinity in freshwater as well. Also, "Fosfat" stands for what parameter? Phosphate? Clarify.
15. Red text after Table 1. Please check and make sure that values are correct here. Some values do not relate to Table 1 values. Please tell us what must be corrected in this text section or in Table 1.

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16. "The calculated diversity index (H') and evenness index (E) values". This cannot be correct. I think you want to refer only to the diversity index. Clarify.
17. **Odum and Barrett (1971)**. Reference missing from the reference list. Please tell us the reference, so we can add it to the reference list.
18. **Lee et al (1978)**. Reference missing from the reference list. Please tell us the reference, so we can add it to the reference list.
19. **Bachtiar (1994)**. Reference missing from the reference list. Please tell us the reference, so we can add it to the reference list.
20. "species evenness index (I)". You mean E, instead of I?
21. **Lee et al (1978)**. Related to Issue 17.
22. **Bachtiar (1994)**. Related to Issue 18.
23. **Conclusions**. Identical to the abstract. Please rewrite the Conclusions section.
24. **Acknowledgements**. You wrote the subtitle, but nothing to it. Do you want to add acknowledgements? If so, write them to me.

Please answer to all these issues by e-mail. I will conduct the necessary changes in the manuscript. Do not send a manuscript with the done modifications, because it is hard to track the changes. Pay close attention to the sections we asked you to rewrite, because they are identical to the abstract. Rewrite to not be similar.

Also, make sure that everything else is correct throughout the manuscript, especially the authors names, affiliations and e-mails at the beginning of the manuscript and in the information cassette at the end of the manuscript.

Please answer in a timely manner, so we can respect the deadline we promised you, to have the manuscript published until the end of the year.

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Dear editor,

Thank you for your response to our manuscript. Here we sent the clarify and revised of our manuscript. We wait for the further information.

Best regards,
Eni Kamal

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Dear Dr. Eni Kamal,
We conducted the necessary changes, but there are a few issues remaining. Issues are highlighted in red in this final preview.

- BOT.** What is BOT? Please explain.
- Yamaji 1979.** Reference missing for this citation. Please tell me the reference, so I can add it to the reference list.
- Hyman 1995.** Reference missing for this citation. Please tell me the reference, so I can add it to the reference list.
- Reich 2015.** Reference missing for this citation. Please tell me the reference, so I can add it to the reference list.
- Minister of the Environment red reference.** Tell me the website where it can be viewed and when you last accessed it.

Also, make sure that everything else is correct throughout the manuscript, especially the authors names, affiliations, and e-mails at the beginning of the manuscript and in the information cassette at the end of the manuscript.

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Kam, 28 Des, 10.59 (3 hari yang lalu)

Dear Editor,

Thank you for your response for our manuscript, here we sent few issues.

- BOT is total organic matter, that BOT is an abbreviation in Indonesian, so you can change it to total organic matter or keep using it along with its meaning.
- Yamaji I. E., 1979 Illustration of the marine plankton of Japan. Hoikusha Publishing. Co. Ltd. Osaka. Japan.
- Hymen L. H., 1995. The Invertebrata Echinodermata VII. Class Holothuroidea, the coelomate Vol IV. Mac Graw-Hill Book. Company, New York: 212 – 224.
- Reich 2015 changed with Bähler et al 2015. The reference is "Bähler C., Huber C. A., Brüngger B., Reich O., 2015 Multimorbidity, Health Care Utilization, and Costs in an Elderly Community-Dwelling Population: a Claims Data Based Observational Study. BMC Health Services Research, 15 (23) 1-12
- The website is <https://luk.staff.ugm.ac.id/atur/sda/KepmenLH15-2003StatusMutuAir.pdf> last accessed on December 22th 2023. [Indonesian]

We made an affiliate addition to co-author Adnal Yeka. He uses 2 affiliations, namely Environmental Science, School of Graduates, Universitas Negeri Padang, Indonesia and Polytechnic AUP, Jakarta Indonesia

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Dear Dr. Eni Kamal, There is an issue regarding the Bähler et al 2015 citation and reference. This reference is totally out of context for your manuscript. See

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Kam, 28 Des, 19:41 (3 hari yang lalu)

Dear Dr. Eni Kamal,

There is an issue regarding the **Bähler et al 2015 citation and reference**. This reference is totally out of context for your manuscript, regarding macrozoobenthos. Please clarify this situation.

Regarding **Adnal Yeka affiliations**, are you sure that I wrote correctly the **second affiliation**? Also, make sure that everything else is correct throughout the manuscript, especially the authors names, affiliations, and e-mails at the beginning of the manuscript and in the information cassette at the end of the manuscript.

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Dear editor,

Thank you for your response. Based on the results of the author(s) discussion, can the Bähler et al 2015 reference be deleted and just use Hyman 1955 as the reference?

If you have to use the latest references, please use this Sahidin et al. (2018). The references are as follows "Sahidin A., Zahidah., Herawati H., Wardiatno Y., Setyobudiandi I., Partasasmita R., 2018 Macrozoobenthos as bioindicator of ecological status in Tanjung Pasir Coastal, Tangerang District, Banten Province, Indonesia. BIODIVERSITAS 19(3):1123-1129.

Regarding **Adnal Yeka affiliations**, you correctly wrote the second affiliation.

According to the author(s), everything in the manuscript is correct. Thank you

Best regards,

Eni Kamal

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Dear Dr. Eni Kamal, I am pleased to announce you that necessary modifications have been conducted and your article is published and available on our website...

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Dear Dr. Eni Kamal,
I am pleased to announce you that necessary modifications have been conducted and your article is published and available on our website.
Thank you for publishing with us.

eni kamal -ekamal898@bunghatta.ac.id- kepada muntean.gc 08.22 (7 jam yang lalu) ☆ ↶ ⋮

Dear editor,

31 Des 2023, 08.22

Thank you for your response and hard work for our article. We wish you stay healthy and keep going.

Best regards,
Eni Kamal

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