

Table 1. Means and standard deviation of measured parameters of oysters grown at 15", 20", and 30" rack heights.

Rack Height	15		20		30	
	Mean	SD	Mean	SD	Mean	SD
Growth rate mm/d	0.307	0.049	0.244	0.057	0.197	0.055
Shell height (mm)	66.939	8.805	65.913	10.840	59.590	8.205
Mortality (%)	21	17.617	4.375	0.809	5.325	0.997
Shell width (mm)	50.2307	6.334	65.712	8.533	48.275	6.215
Shell depth (mm)	21.258	2.569	26.932	3.641	21.593	2.696
Biofouling coverage (%)	73.425	7.719	24.025	5.890	4.795	4.020
Right valve mud blister coverage (%)	18.5	8.638	8.717	11.180	8.875	9.573
Left valve mud blister coverage (%)	19.5	10.114	6.614	8.261	5.512	6.766
Condition	2.777	0.767	0.777	0.936	2.813	0.709
Dry meat weight (g)	1.904	0.670	0.694	0.833	1.711	0.601
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Dry weight left valve	10.983	3.254	3.213	4.266	9.312	3.305
Dry weight right valve	16.217	5.155	5.507	7.007	14.979	5.647
Strength N	644.96	171.641	161.271	212.425	649.227	187.500
Strength standardized (N/g)	42.212	13.219	41.698	14.566	45.633	12.873
Pea crab (proportion)	0.1	0.303	0.049	0.160	0.075	0.266
Makin Score (Dermo)	2.277	2.048	3.25	1.783	0.642	1.008