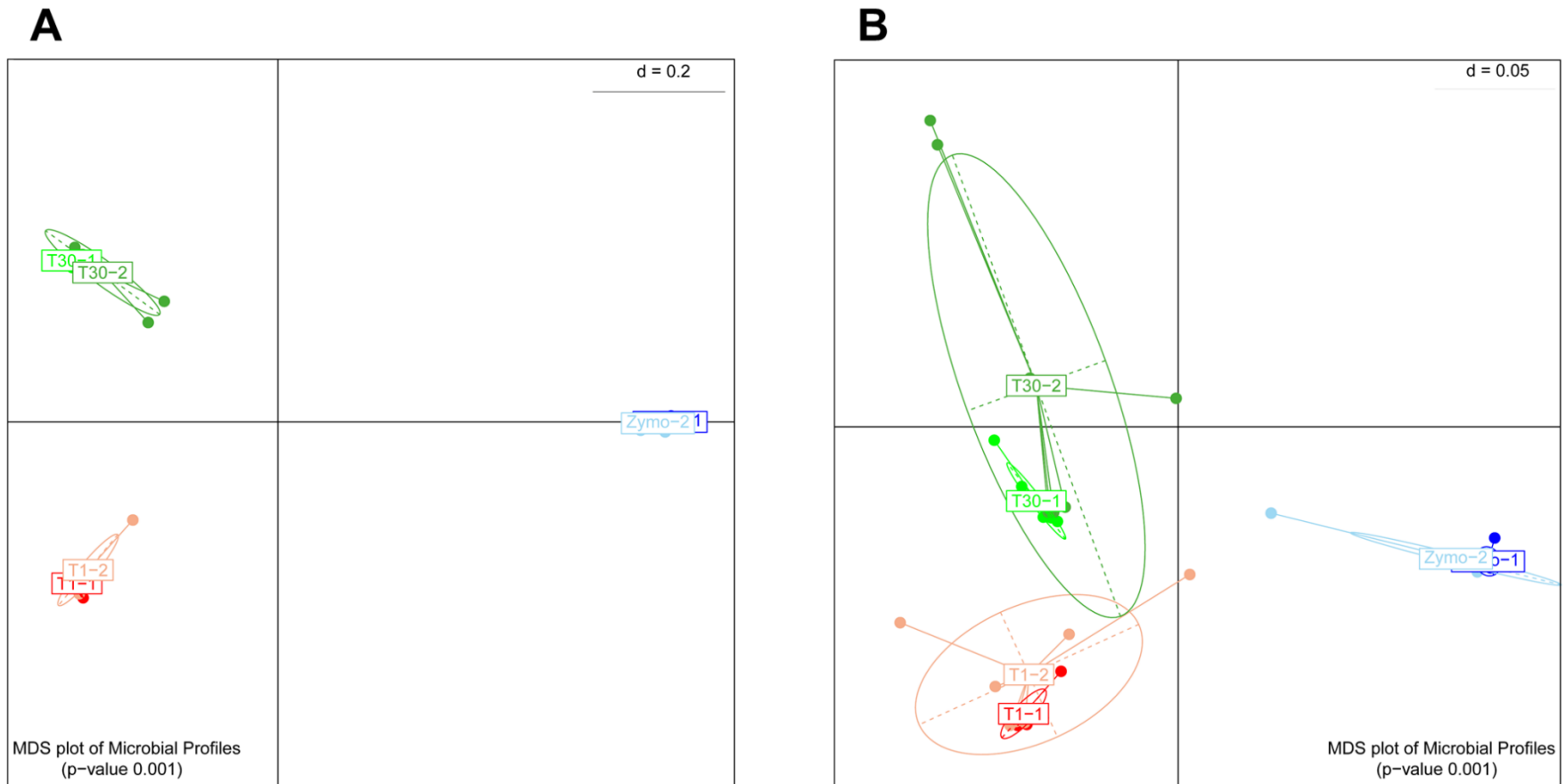




Supplementary Figure 1: Multi-Dimensional Scaling (MDS) plots show that samples cluster significantly differently due to their origin (human donor and mock community). Moreover, time point 1 (e.g., T30-1 samples) and time point 2 samples (e.g., T30-2) cluster in proximity. (A) Clustering is performed only with samples prepared using ≥ 100 pg DNA input (lower limit for V3-V4). (B) All dilution samples were plotted.