

Supplemental material

Supplemental Experimental Procedures (related to Methods, Model 1 and Table 1 in the main text).

Estimated attack risk with and without potential attacks, missing models and replacement models

Attacks were classified in the field as potential attack mark (1), clear attack mark (2), strong attack (3) and missing model (4). First, we tested whether or not the inclusion of missing moth models (values 4) and those models with markings classified as potential attacks (values 1) in the statistical analysis would change the analyses' outcomes (Table S1). Here, we used colour morph as the explanatory variable and transect ID as a random factor. Including the missing models and potential attack markings as attacks in our analyses increased model AIC values considerably in comparison to models where missing models and potential attacks were assigned as not attacked. For this reason, and to make sure that we were only counting true avian attacks, we only considered models with clear or strong beak marks as attacked in all further analyses.

Attacked and missing models were replaced with new models of the same colour to a nearby location to keep the morph frequency constant during the experiment. To test whether including or excluding attacks on the replacement models would change the analysis outcomes, we run the first model (Model 1) with and without attacks on replaced artificial moths (in the latter case, assuming that once attacked, the artificial moths died and could not be attacked again). Attacks to these replacement models are included in Model 1a (Table 1 in the main text), and not included here in Model 1b (Table S2).

Table S1 (related to Supplemental Experimental Procedures and Methods in the main text).

Comparison of datasets including or excluding missing artificial moths and potential attack marks as attacks and with or without attacks on replaced artificial moths separately for each country. All datasets were tested with generalized linear mixed model fit by maximum likelihood (Laplace Approximation) and binomial family with a logit link function. Formula used was `glmer(cbind(attack,time)~colour+(1|transect))`. Values of significance level <0.05 are bolded.

Country	Markings	Repeats included	No of obs.	df	AIC	LRT	p-value
Scotland	clear	yes	1088	2	1343.6	9.6804	0.007905
	all	yes	1195	2	1805.5	7.7808	0.02044
	clear	no	900	2	1078.6	5.1345	0.07675
	all	no	899	2	1401.5	4.1722	0.1242
Georgia	clear	no	900	2	769.0	6.0527	0.04849
	all	no	900	2	987.7	3.1712	0.2048
Estonia	clear	yes	968	2	705.9	0.5334	0.7659
	all	yes	1057	2	1278.2	0.9968	0.6075
	clear	no	900	2	664.6	0.3458	0.8412
	all	no	900	2	1126.2	0.2834	0.8679
Finland	clear	yes	1052	2	1133.2	2.9263	0.2315
	all	yes	1182	2	1659.8	1.4876	0.4753
	clear	no	900	2	1023.4	3.6839	0.1585
	all	no	900	2	1375.9	1.9643	0.3745

Table S2 (related to Model 1a and Table 1 in the main text). (a) Model selection and (b) estimates of the best-fitting model (Model 1b) with a dataset including only first attacks to each of the 60 models per transect (n=3600). Values of significance level <0.05 are bolded. Δ df denotes change in model degrees of freedom.

(a) Model selection	Δ df	LRT	Pr(Chi)	model AIC
colour * morph frequency				3535.2
<u>colour + morph frequency</u>	2	0.2056	0.9023	3531.4

The asterisk (*) denotes both main effects and interaction terms used.

(b) Model 1b

Random effects	Variance	SD		
transect within country	0.3022	0.5497		
country	0.1337	0.3657		
Fixed effects	Estimate	SE	Z-value	p-value
(Intercept): colour[w]	-3.0721	0.2109	-14.569	<0.001
colour[y]	-0.0979	0.0982	-0.997	0.3186
colour[r]	-0.1316	0.0990	-1.330	0.1836
morph frequency	-0.3165	0.1127	-2.808	0.0050

Table S3 (related to Figure 3, Figure 4, Methods and Discussion in the main text). Bird species observed within 25 meters to both sides of the transect centerline during transect counts. The table is arranged by species abundance and three most common species in each country (and in total) are bolded. Only bird species recorded to feed on insects and observed at more than one transect (out of 60) were included as potential predators in analysis (Model 4, Table 4, Figure 3, Figure 4). O=Order (Pa=Passeriformes, Co=Columbiformes, Pi=Piciformes, Ch=Charadriiformes).

O	Family	Genus	Species	ES T	FI N	GE O	SC O	Tot al	Incl. :	Notes
Pa	Fringillidae	Fringilla	coelebs	102	19	7	66	194	yes	feed insects to the young
Pa	Sylviidae	Phylloscopus	trochilus	66	35	0	49	150	yes	
Pa	Paridae	Parus	major	37	67	14	28	146	yes	
Pa	Muscicapidae	Erithacus	rubecula	32	25	4	55	116	yes	
Pa	Sylviidae	Regulus	regulus	25	17	9	45	96	yes	
Pa	Troglodytidae	Troglodytes	troglodytes	21	0	11	55	87	yes	
Pa	Muscicapidae	Muscicapa	striata	29	15	8	24	76	yes	
Pa	Paridae	Parus	caeruleus	3	54	11	4	72	yes	
Pa	Turdidae	Turdus	merula	22	14	7	13	56	yes	
Pa	Paridae	Parus	ater	0	1	7	47	55	yes	
Pa	Sylviidae	Phylloscopus	sibilatrix	45	4	0	0	49	yes	
Pa	Sylviidae	Phylloscopus	collybita	41	1	0	7	49	yes	
Pa	Emberizidae	Emberiza	citrinella	0	18	0	23	41	yes	feed insects to the young
Pa	Motacillidae	Anthus	trivialis	21	12	0	5	38	yes	
Pa	Sylviidae	Sylvia	communis	25	0	0	11	36	yes	
Pa	Turdidae	Turdus	philomelos	15	7	0	10	32	yes	
Pa	Sylviidae	Sylvia	atricapilla	19	2	1	7	29	yes	
Pa	Paridae	Parus	montanus	11	13	0	4	28	yes	
Pa	Motacillidae	Anthus	spinoletta	0	0	28	0	28	yes	
Pa	Passeridae	Passer	domesticus	0	0	0	25	25	no	observed in one transect only
Co	Columbidae	Columba	palumbus	6	13	0	4	23	no	
Pa	Prunellidae	Prunella	modularis	3	7	2	11	23	yes	
Pa	Sylviidae	Sylvia	borin	20	2	0	0	22	yes	
Pa	Sylviidae	Phylloscopus	nitidus	0	0	22	0	22	yes	
Pa	Certhiidae	Certhia	familiaris	2	6	4	7	19	yes	
Pa	Fringillidae	Carpodacus	erythrinus	4	0	11	0	15	yes	feed insects to the young
Pa	Motacillidae	Motacilla	alba	6	1	3	2	12	yes	
Pa	Oriolidae	Oriolus	oriolus	11	0	0	0	11	yes	feed insects to the young ¹⁾
Pa	Fringillidae	Pyrrhula	pyrrhula	2	2	3	4	11	yes	feed insects to the young
Pa	Fringillidae	Carduelis	cannabina	0	0	5	6	11	yes	feed insects to the young
Pa	Turdidae	Turdus	viscivorus	7	0	0	1	8	yes	
Pa	Fringillidae	Loxia	curvirostra	1	1	2	4	8	no	specialized seed eater
Pa	Corvidae	Garrulus	glandarius	0	3	4	1	8	yes	
Pa	Fringillidae	Carduelis	carduelis	0	0	4	4	8	yes	feed insects to the young
Pa	Sylviidae	Sylvia	curruca	4	3	0	0	7	yes	
Pa	Laniidae	Lanius	collurio	3	4	0	0	7	yes	
Pa	Paridae	Parus	cristatus	2	5	0	0	7	yes	
Pi	Picidae	Dendrocopos	major	1	2	3	1	7	yes	feed on insects ²⁾
Pa	Fringillidae	Carduelis	spinus	3	0	2	1	6	yes	feed insects to the young
Pa	Motacillidae	Anthus	pratensis	3	0	0	3	6	yes	
Pa	Fringillidae	Serinus	pusillus	0	0	6	0	6	yes	feed insects to the young?
Pa	Muscicapidae	Saxicola	rubicola	0	0	6	0	6	yes	
Pa	Corvidae	Corvus	corone	0	0	0	6	6	yes	
Pa	Muscicapidae	Ficedula	hypoleuca	3	2	0	0	5	yes	
Pa	Aegithalidae	Aegithalos	caudatus	0	5	0	0	5	yes	
Pa	Hirundinidae	Riparia	riparia	0	0	5	0	5	no	hunt in the air
Pa	Muscicapidae	Ficedula	parva	4	0	0	0	4	yes	
Pa	Muscicapidae	Saxicola	rubetra	2	0	1	1	4	yes	
Pa	Corvidae	Nucifraga	caryocatactes	0	4	0	0	4	yes	
Pa	Hirundinidae	Ptyonoprogne	rupestris	0	0	4	0	4	no	hunt in the air
Pa	Fringillidae	Carduelis	chloris	0	0	1	3	4	yes	feed insects to the young
Pa	Sittidae	Sitta	krueperi	0	0	3	0	3	no	missing data
Pa	Paridae	Parus	palustris	2	0	0	0	2	yes	
Pa	Muscicapidae	Phoenicurus	phoenicurus	2	0	0	0	2	yes	
Pa	Sylviidae	Acrocephalus	schoenobaenus	1	0	0	1	2	yes	
Pa	Corvidae	Pica	pica	0	1	0	1	2	yes	
Pa	Sylviidae	Phylloscopus	sindiatus l.	0	0	2	0	2	yes	
Pa	Hirundinidae	Hirundo	rustica	0	0	1	1	2	no	hunt in the air
Pa	Alaudidae	Alauda	arvensis	0	0	0	2	2	no	observed in one transect only
Pa	Fringillidae	Coccothraustes	coccothraustes	1	0	0	0	1	yes	feed insects to the young
Pa	Corvidae	Corvus	corax	1	0	0	0	1	yes	
Pa	Sylviidae	Locustella	fluviatilis	1	0	0	0	1	yes	
Pa	Turdidae	Turdus	iliacus	0	1	0	0	1	yes	
Ch	Scolopacidae	Tringa	ochropus	0	1	0	0	1	no	
Pa	Muscicapidae	Monticola	saxatilis	0	0	1	0	1	yes	
Pa	Muscicapidae	Phoenicurus	ochruros	0	0	1	0	1	yes	
Pi	Picidae	Picus	viridis	0	0	1	0	1	yes	feed on insects
Pa	Emberizidae	Emberiza	schoeniclus	0	0	0	1	1	yes	feed insects to the young

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Table S4 (related to Figure 3 in the main text). Family level component loadings of the second and third principal components describing 33.7% and 8.5% of the total variation of bird communities across countries, respectively.

Bird family	PC2 loading	PC3 loading
Motacillidae	0.096621248	0.067106914
Troglodytidae	0.014708180	0.210943319
Sylviidae	0.009891431	-0.430736201
Oriolidae	0.005022655	-0.054848221
Prunellidae	0.001358338	-0.042870544
Corvidae	0.001155818	0.011587582
Picidae	-0.013150415	-0.024347383
Certhiidae	-0.014865169	0.011404222
Turdidae	-0.019693893	-0.007807002
Laniidae	-0.022166815	-0.032307565
Muscicapidae	-0.032369494	0.532307129
Fringillidae	-0.062877940	0.687239259
Paridae	-0.991991538	-0.054855828