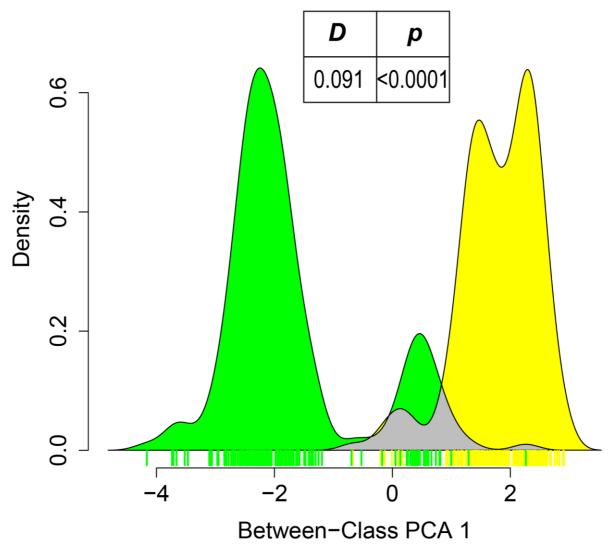
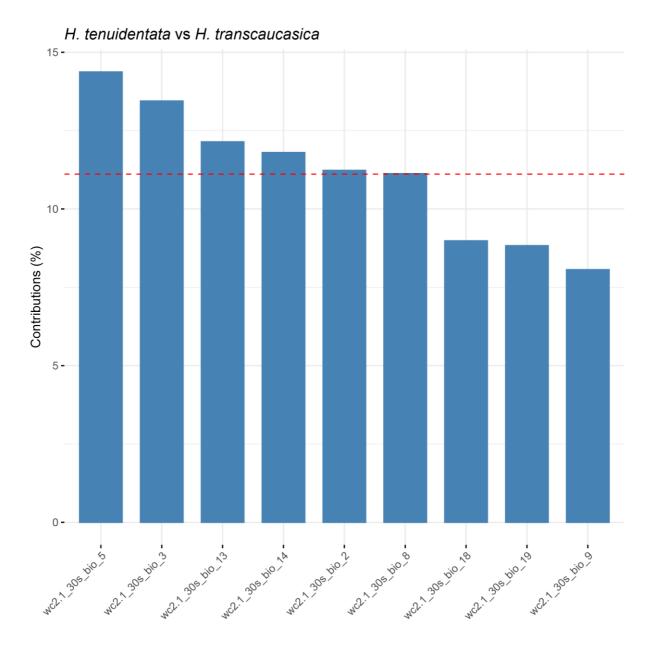
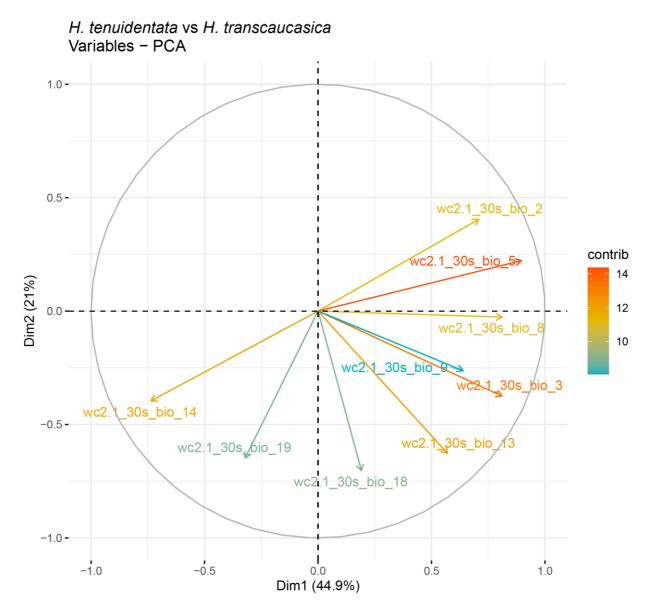
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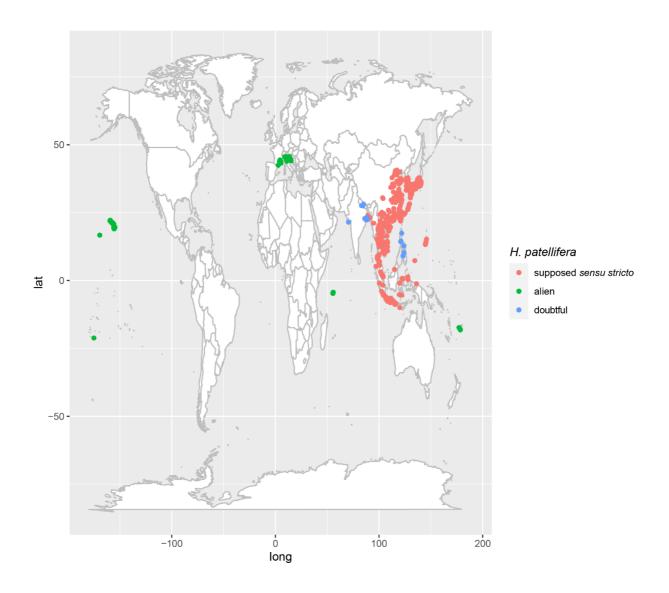
**Supplementary Figure 1.** Niche comparison between *H. tenuidentata sensu stricto* and *H. transcaucasica sensu stricto*. Green: *H. tenuidentata*. Yellow: *H. transcaucasica*. Grey: niche overlap.



**Supplementary Figure 2.** Metrics' importance for the PCA between *H. tenuidentata* and *H. transcaucasica*.

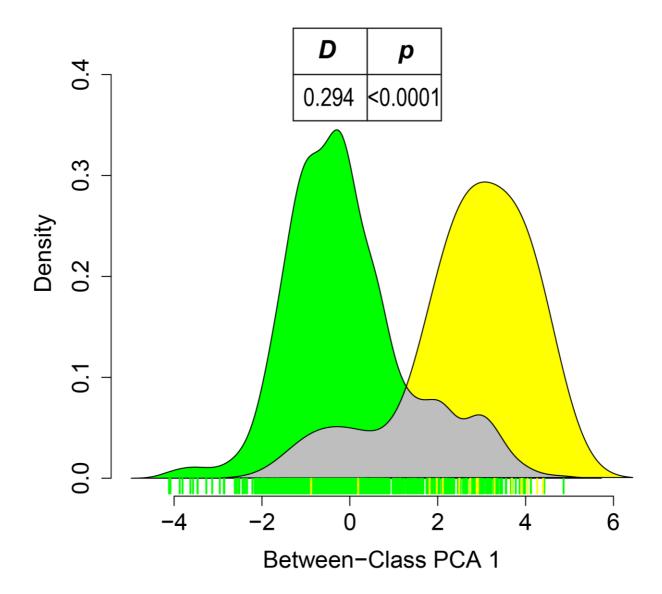


**Supplementary Figure 3.** First two PCs for the PCA between *H. tenuidentata* and *H. transcaucasica*.

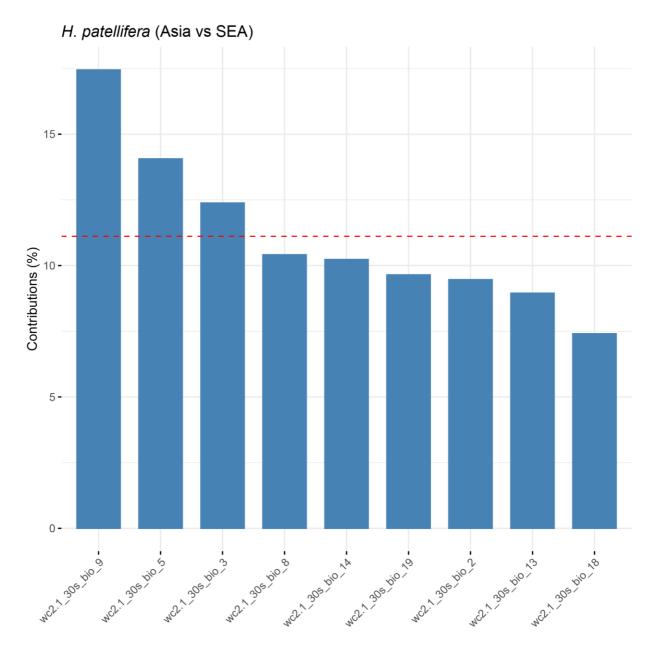


**Supplementary Figure 4.** Presence records used in the analyses for *H. patellifera*.

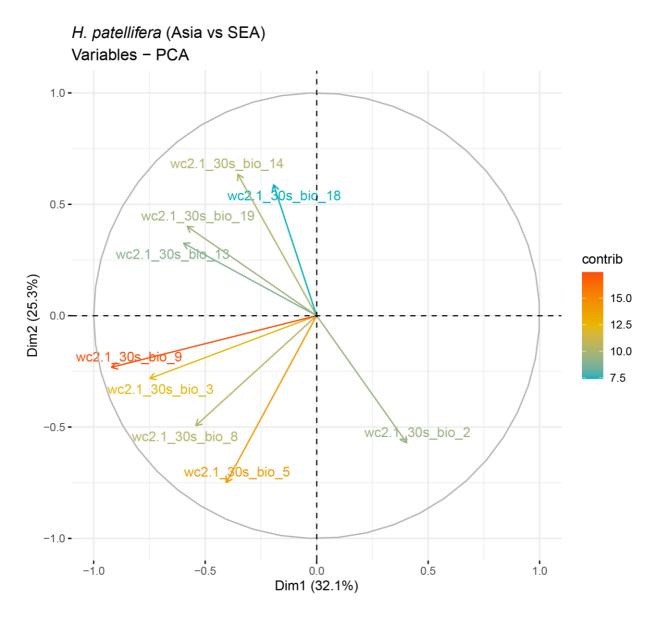
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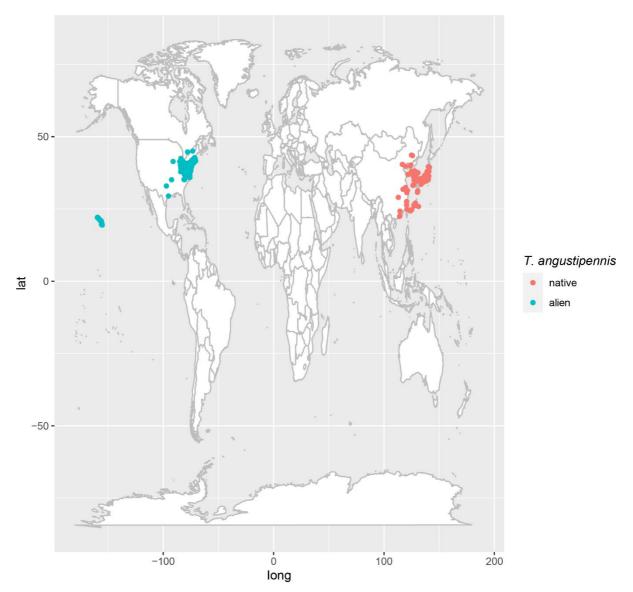
**Supplementary Figure 5.** Niche comparison between dubious *H. patellifera* and the rest of the known distribution. Green: rest of the distribution. Yellow: dubious points. Grey: niche overlap.



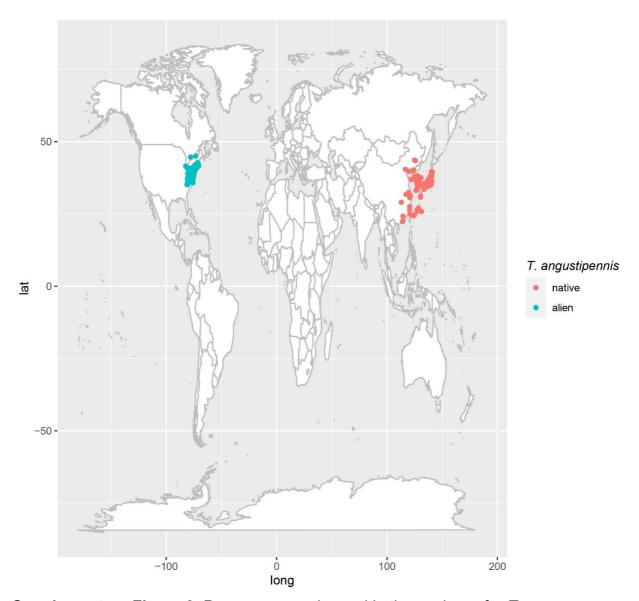
**Supplementary Figure 6.** Metrics' importance for the PCA between dubious *H. patellifera* and the rest of the known distribution.



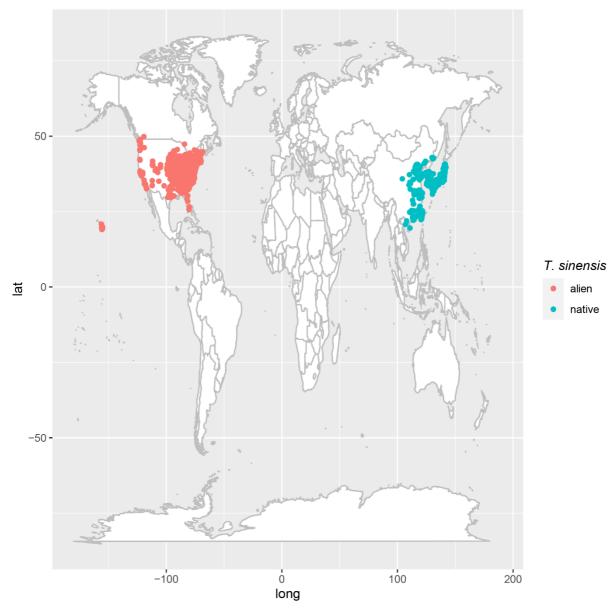
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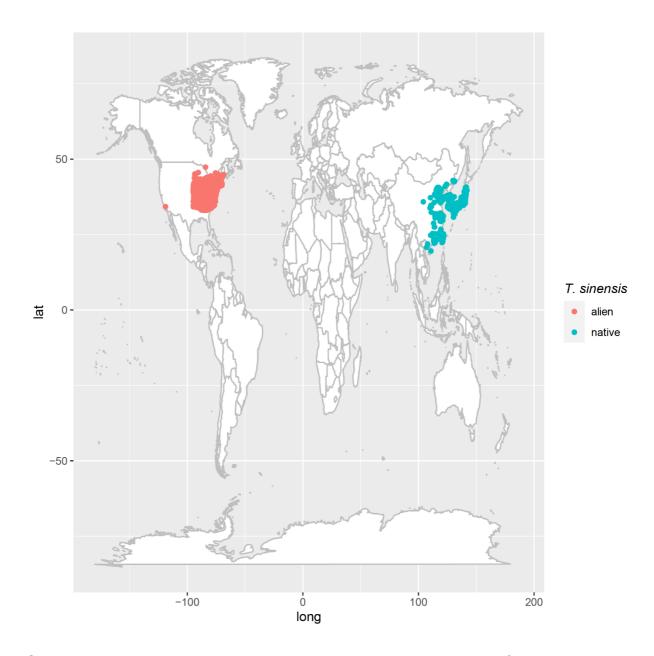
**Supplementary Figure 8.** Presence records used in the analyses for *T. angustipennis* with the full dataset.



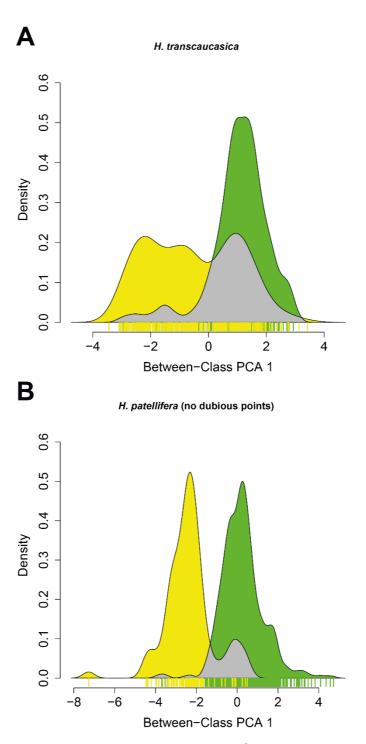
**Supplementary Figure 9.** Presence records used in the analyses for  ${\cal T}$  angustipennis with the trimmed points.



**Supplementary Figure 10.** Presence records used in the analyses for *T. sinensis* with the full dataset.

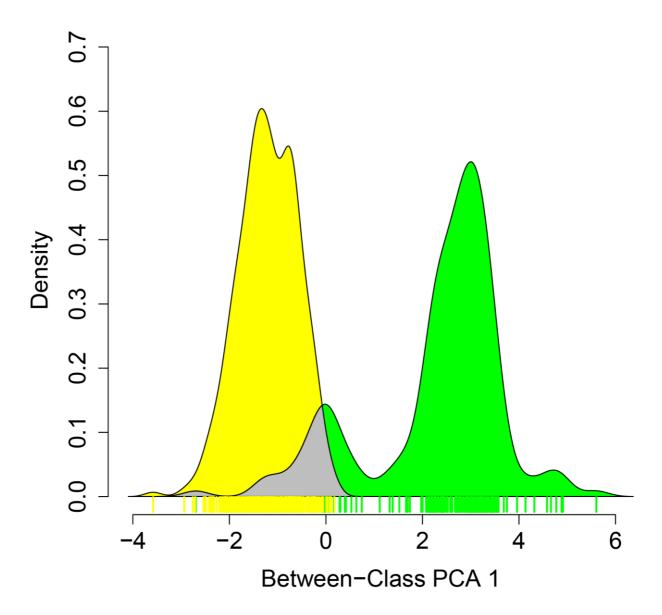


**Supplementary Figure 11.** Presence records used in the analyses for *T. sinensis* with the trimmed points. The single point in California represents Ventura County (see Anderson 2019).



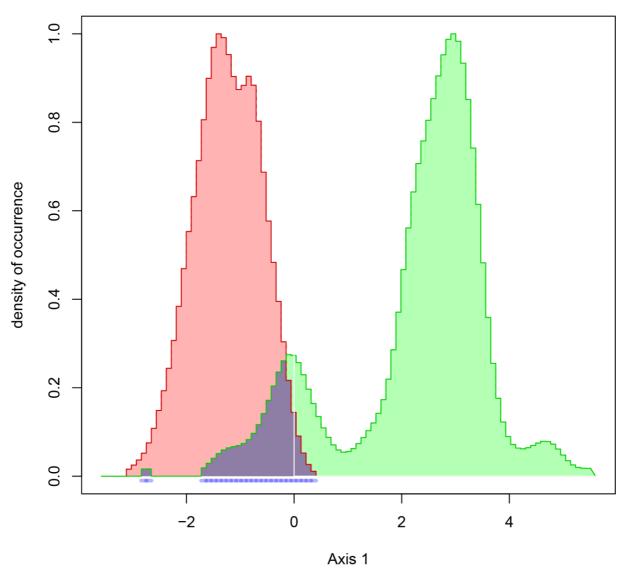
**Supplementary Figure 12.** Intra-species analyses for the niche overlap in *Hierodula* species. A. Results for *H. transcaucasica* sensu stricto; B. Results for *H. patellifera* without dubious points. Yellow: alien niche. Green: native niche. Grey: overlap between native and alien niche. D and p values are in Table 1.

### H. tenuidentata sensu stricto

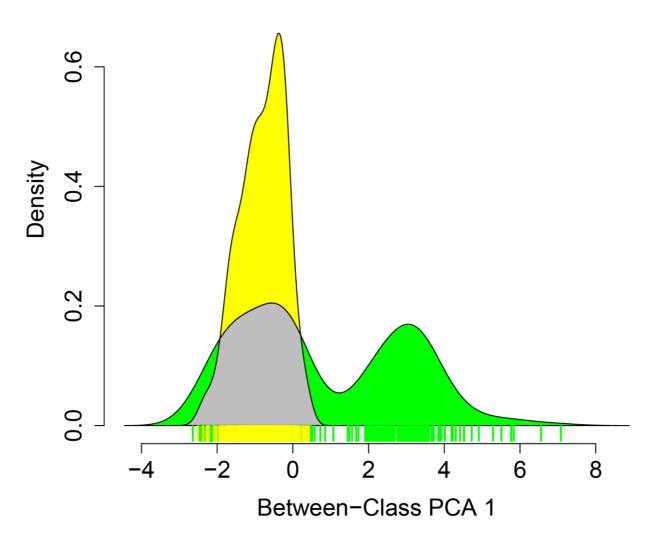


**Supplementary Figure 13.** Intra-species analyses for *H. tenuidentata sensu stricto*. Yellow: alien niche. Green: native niche. Grey: niche overlap. *D* and *p* values are in Table 1.

### H. tenuidentata sensu stricto

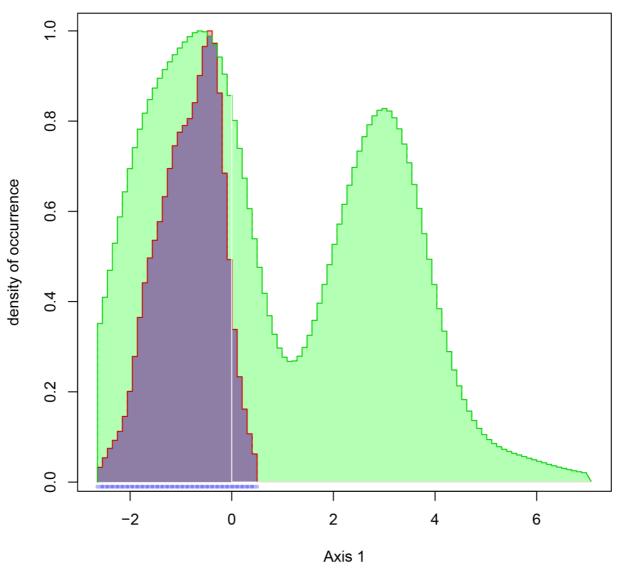


**Supplementary Figure 14.** Intra-species niche dynamics analyses for *H. tenuidentata sensu stricto*. Blue: niche stability. Red: niche expansion. Green: unfilling. *U* and *E* values are in Table 1.



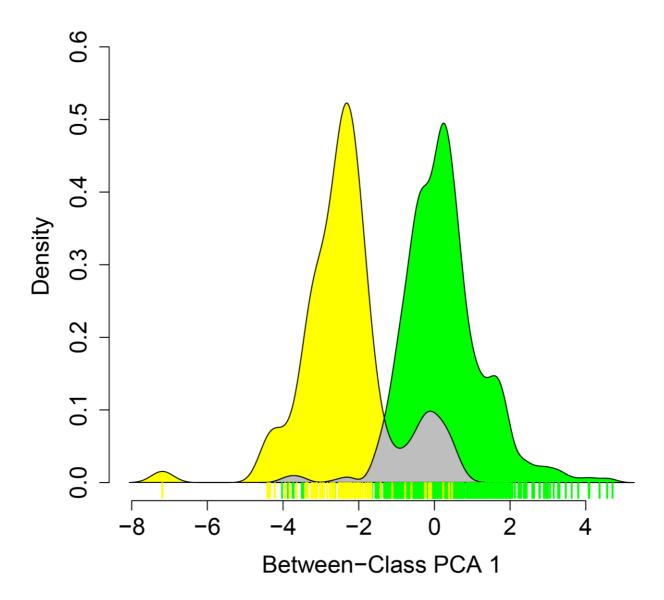
**Supplementary Figure 15.** Intra-species analyses for *H. tenuidentata sensu* Battiston et al. (2018). Yellow: alien niche. Green: native niche. Grey: niche overlap. D and p values are in Table 1.

## H. tenuidentata sensu Battiston et al. (2018)



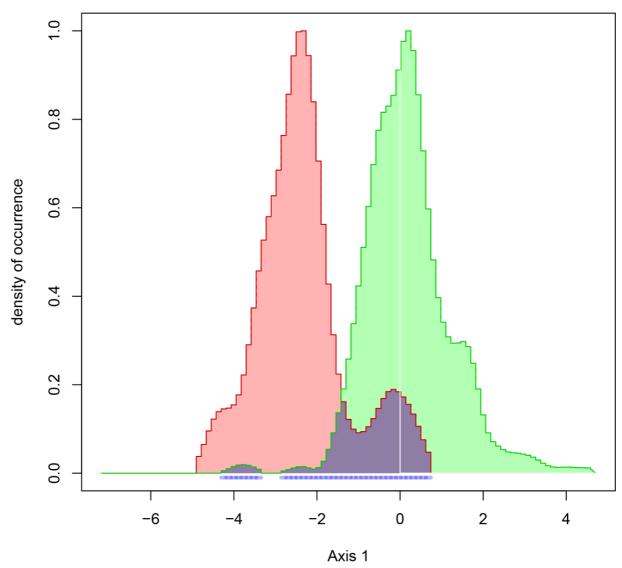
**Supplementary Figure 16.** Intra-species niche dynamics analyses for *H. tenuidentata sensu* Battiston et al. (2018). Blue: niche stability. Red: niche expansion. Green: unfilling. *U* and *E* values are in Table 1.

### H. patellifera (all)

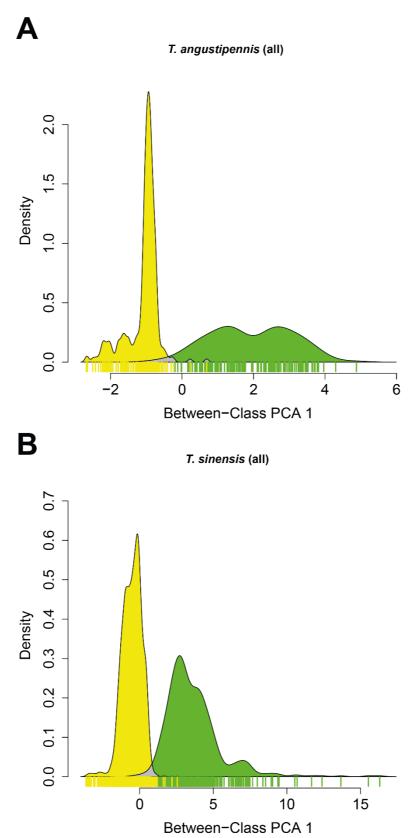


**Supplementary Figure 17.** Intra-species analyses for the full *H. patellifera* dataset. Yellow: alien niche. Green: native niche. Grey: niche overlap. *D* and *p* values are in Table 1.

## H. patellifera (all)

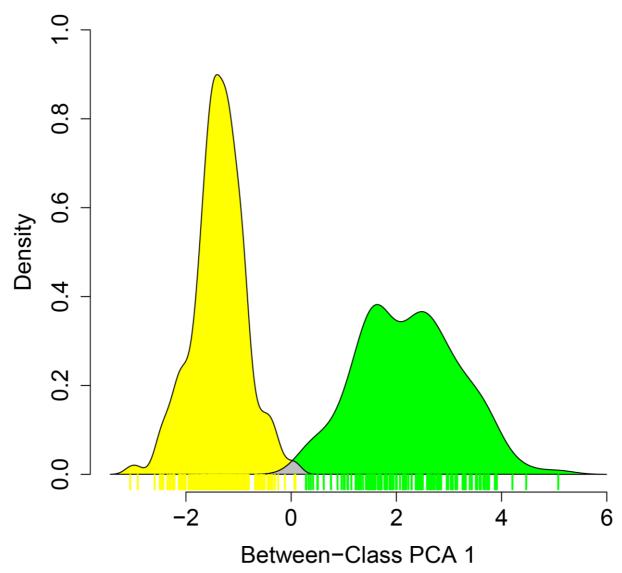


**Supplementary Figure 18.** Intra-species niche dynamics analyses for the *full H. patellifera* dataset. Blue: niche stability. Red: niche expansion. Green: unfilling. *U* and *E* values are in Table 1.



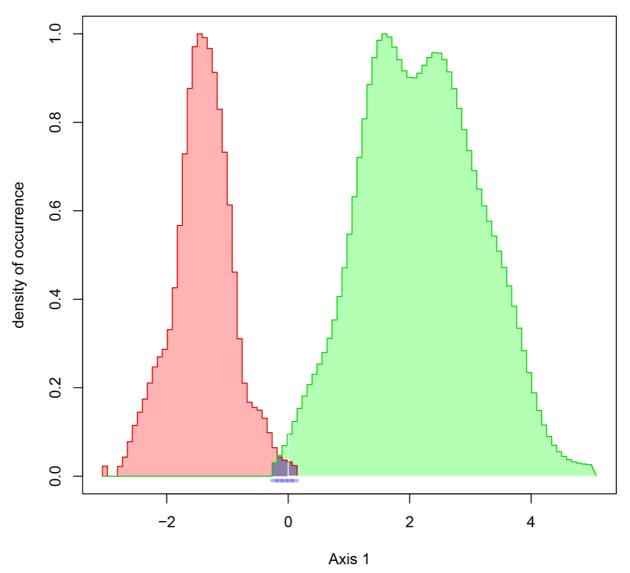
**Supplementary Figure 19.** Intra-species analyses for the niche overlap in *Tenodera* species with the full dataset. A. results for *T. angustipennis*; B. Results for *T. sinensis*. Yellow: alien niche. Green: native niche. Grey: overlap between native and alien niche. D and p values are in Table 1.

### T. angustipennis (Anderson 2019)



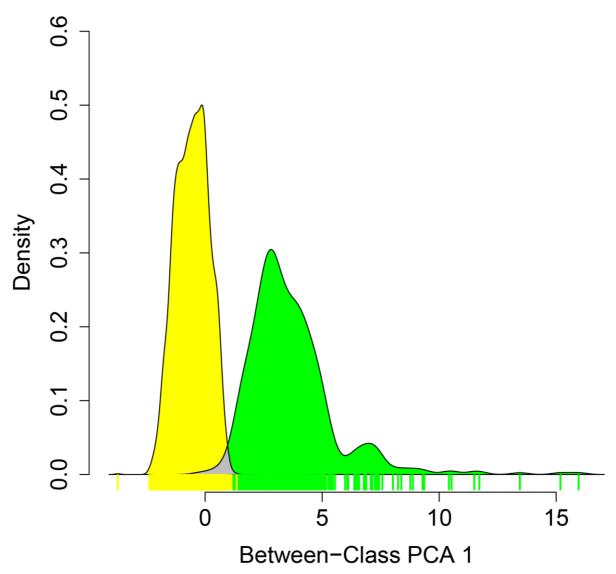
**Supplementary Figure 20.** Intra-species analyses for *T. angustipennis* with the trimmed dataset. Yellow: alien niche. Green: native niche. Grey: niche overlap. *D* and *p* values are in Table 1.

## T. angustipennis (Anderson 2019)



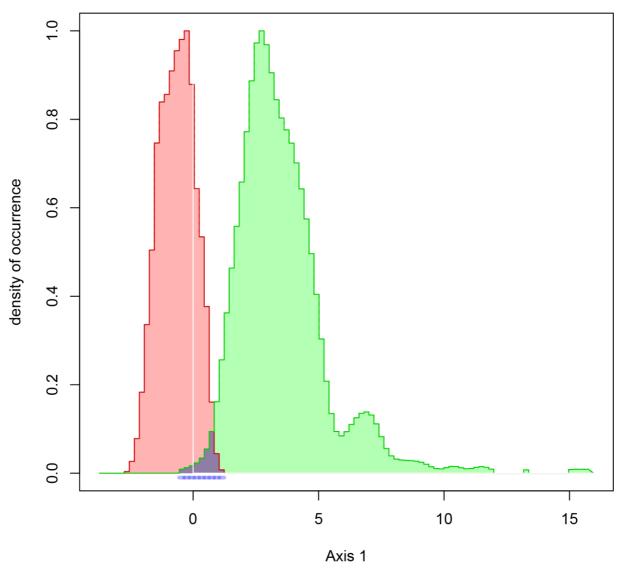
**Supplementary Figure 21.** Intra-species niche dynamics analyses for T. angustipennis with the trimmed dataset. Blue: niche stability. Red: niche expansion. Green: unfilling. U and E values are in Table 1.

### T. sinensis (Anderson 2019)



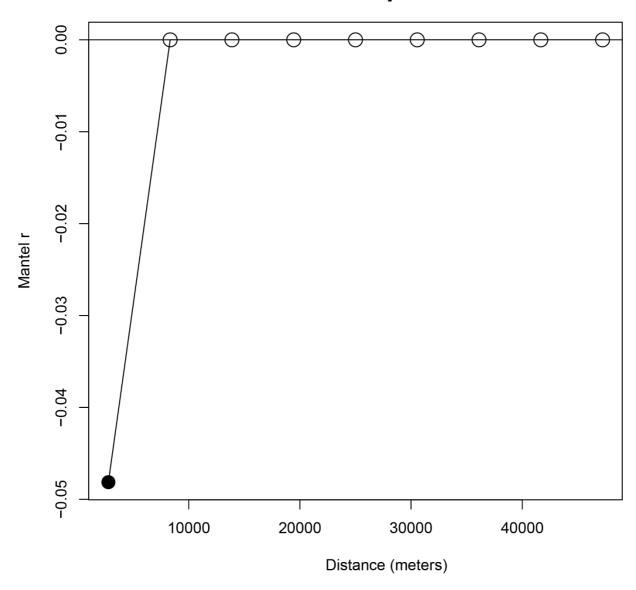
**Supplementary Figure 22.** Intra-species analyses for *T. sinensis* with the trimmed dataset. Yellow: alien niche. Green: native niche. Grey: niche overlap. *D* and *p* values are in Table 1.

## T. sinensis (Anderson 2019)



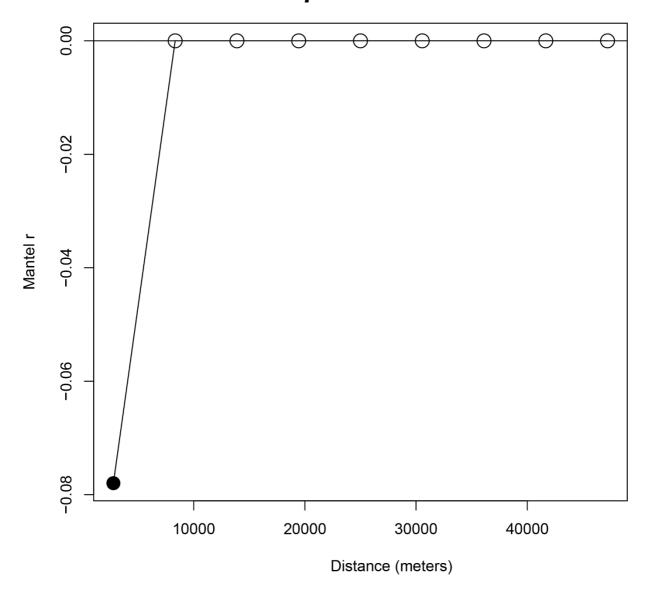
**Supplementary Figure 23.** Intra-species niche dynamics analyses for *T. sinensis* with the trimmed dataset. Blue: niche stability. Red: niche expansion. Green: unfilling. *U* and *E* values are in Table 1.

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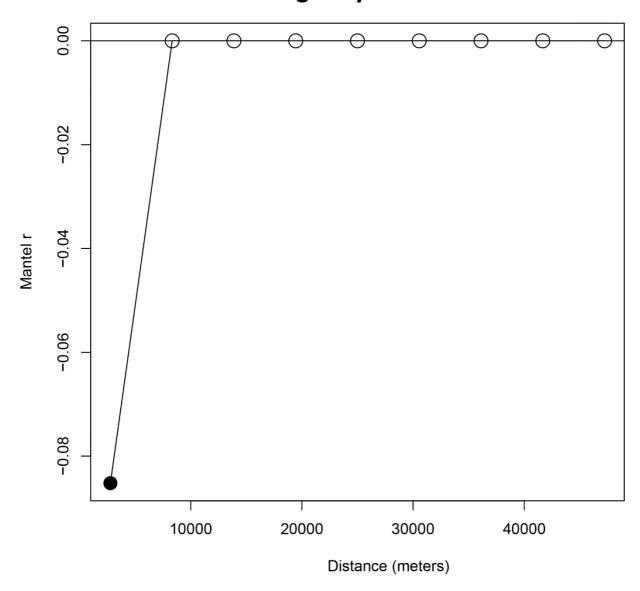
Supplementary Figure 24. Mantel correlogram for the controversial *Hierodula* taxon.

# H. patellifera



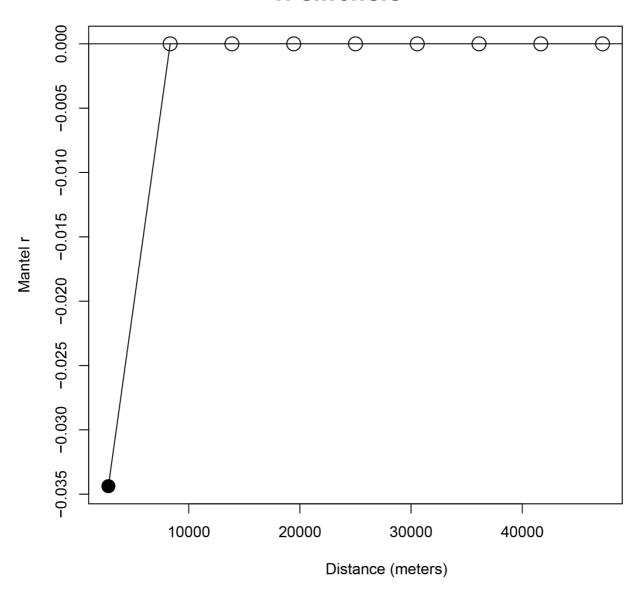
Supplementary Figure 25. Mantel correlogram for *H. patellifera*.

# T. angustipennis

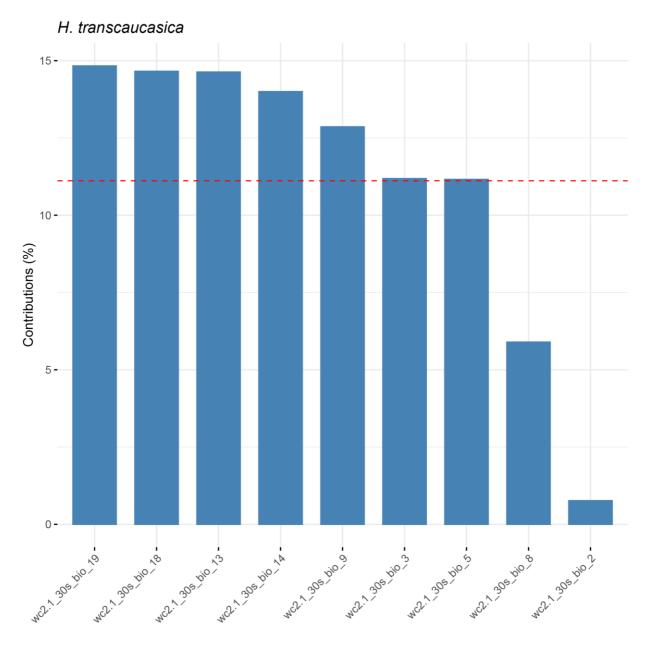


**Supplementary Figure 26.** Mantel correlogram for *T. angustipennis*.

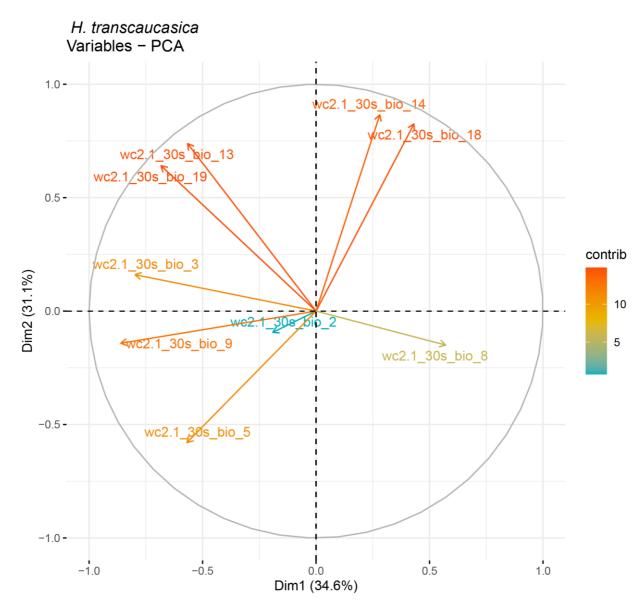
T. sinensis



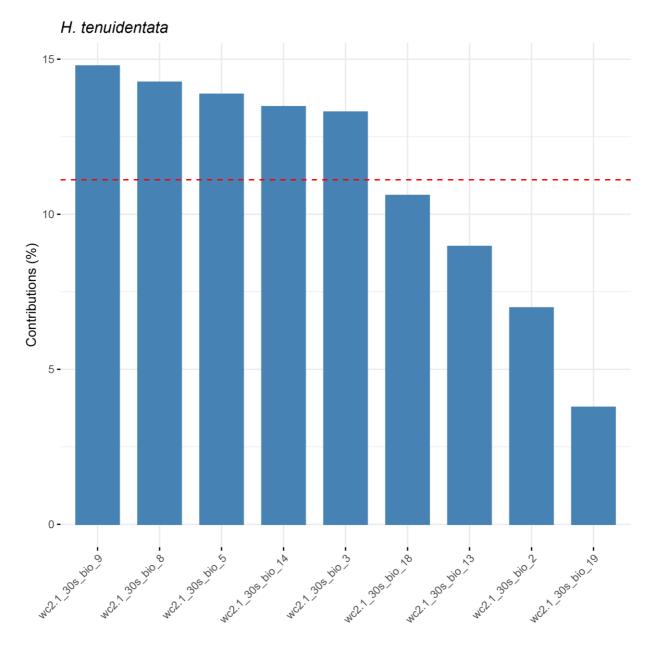
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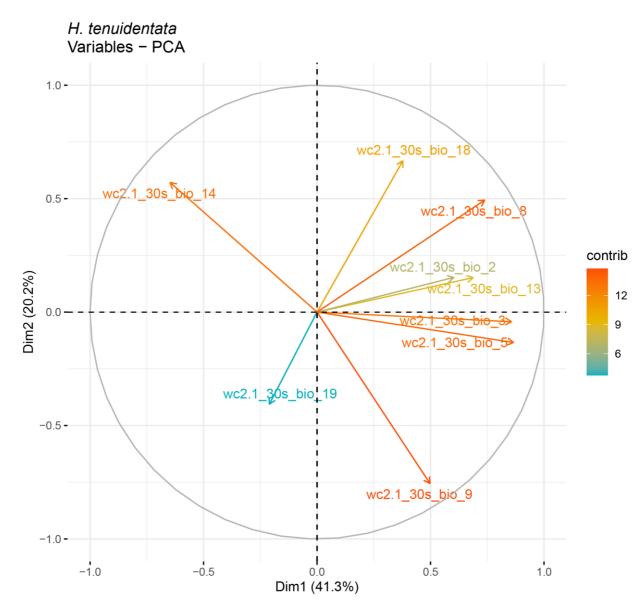
**Supplementary Figure 28.** Metrics' importance for the intra-taxon PCA for *H. transcaucasica*.



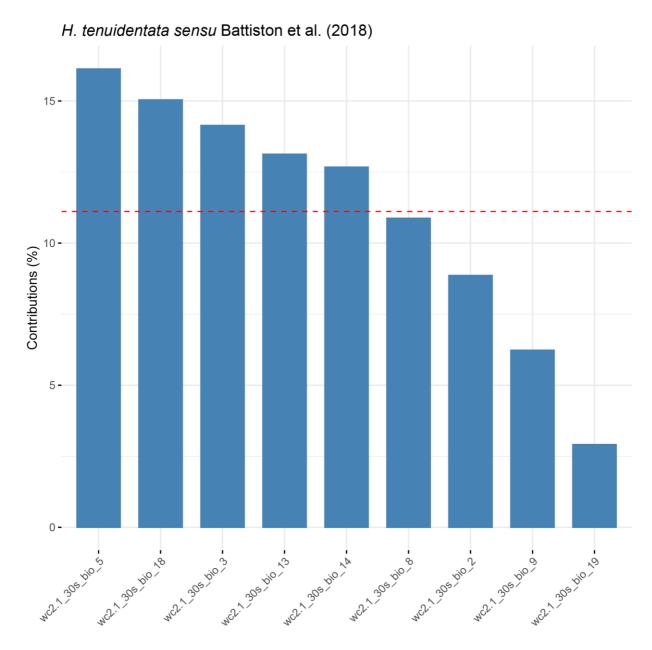
**Supplementary Figure 29.** First two PCs for the intra-taxon PCA for *H. transcaucasica*.



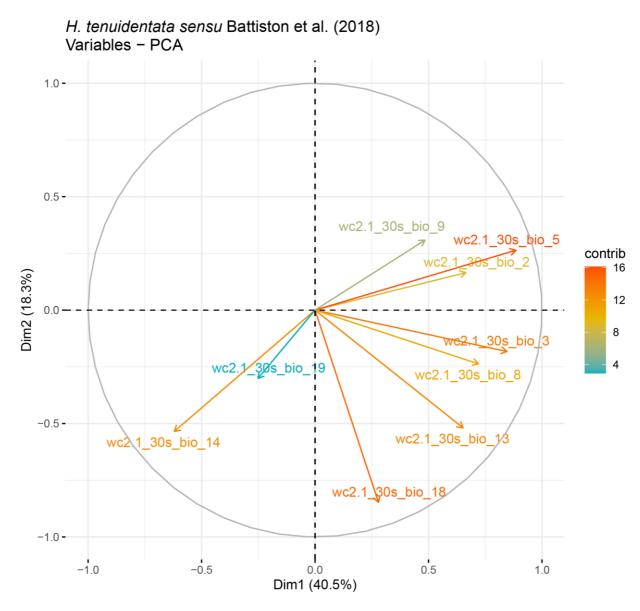
**Supplementary Figure 30.** Metrics' importance for the intra-taxon PCA for *H. tenuidentata sensu stricto*.



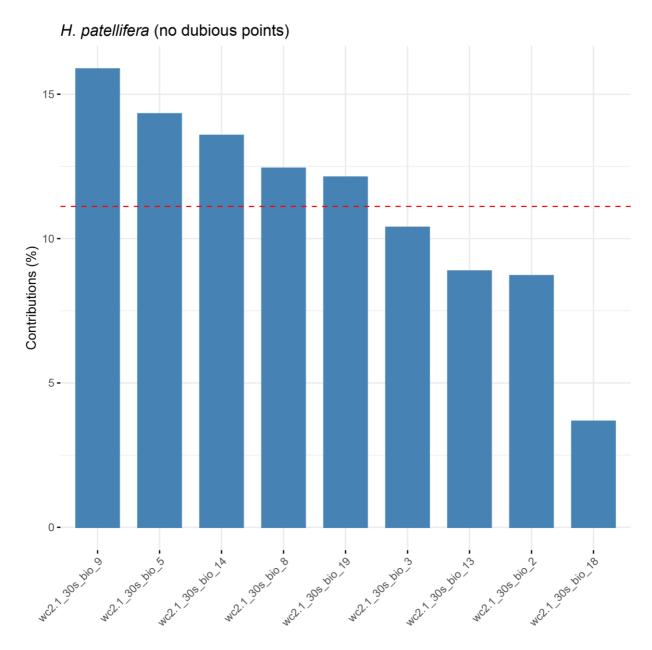
**Supplementary Figure 31.** First two PCs for the intra-taxon PCA for *H. tenuidentata* sensu stricto.



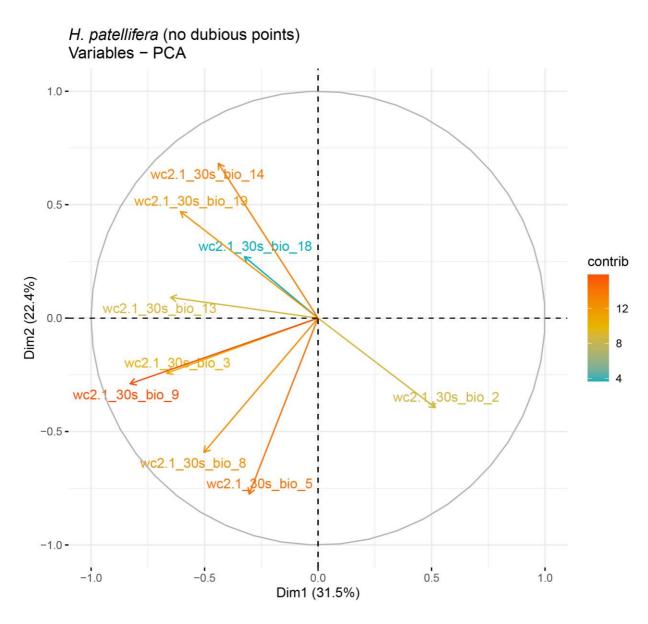
**Supplementary Figure 32.** Metrics' importance for the intra-taxon PCA for *H. tenuidentata sensu* Battiston et al. (2018).



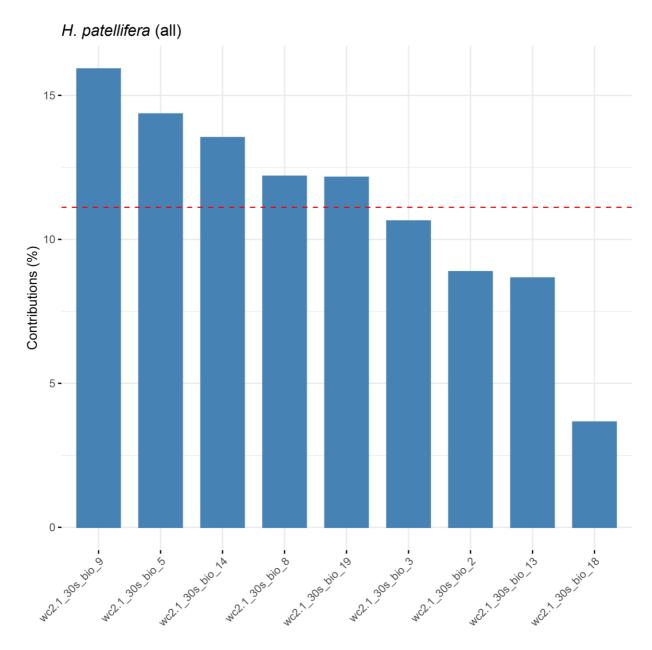
**Supplementary Figure 33.** First two PCs for the intra-taxon PCA for *H. tenuidentata sensu* Battiston et al. (2018).



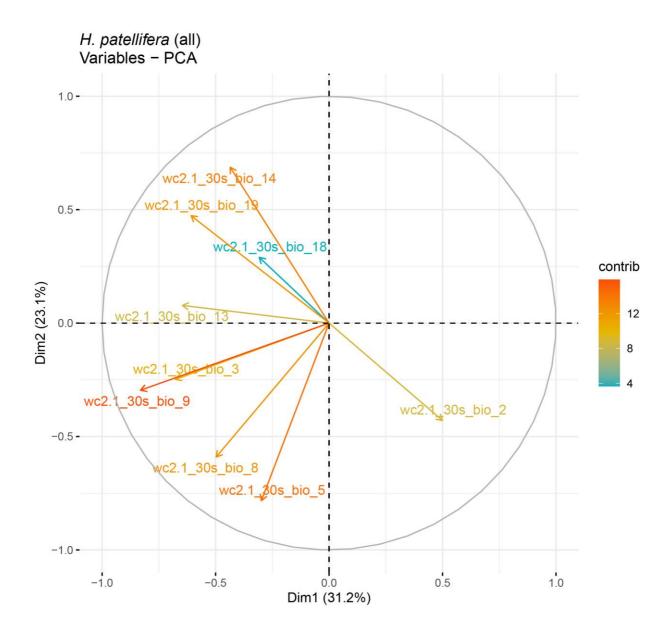
**Supplementary Figure 34.** Metrics' importance for the intra-taxon PCA for *H. patellifera* with no dubious points.



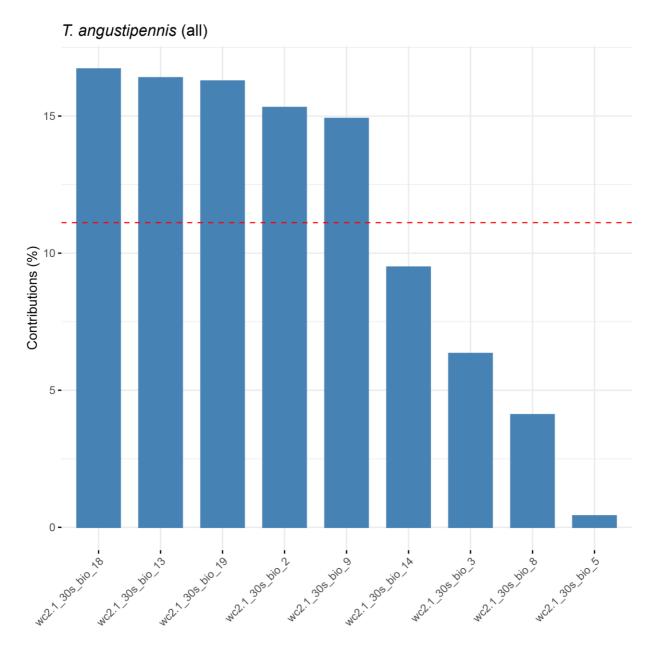
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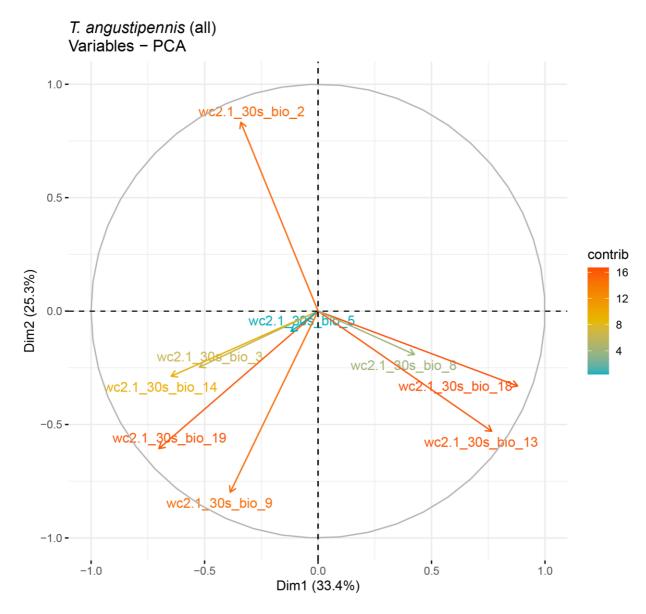
**Supplementary Figure 36.** Metrics' importance for the intra-taxon PCA for *H. patellifera* with the full dataset.



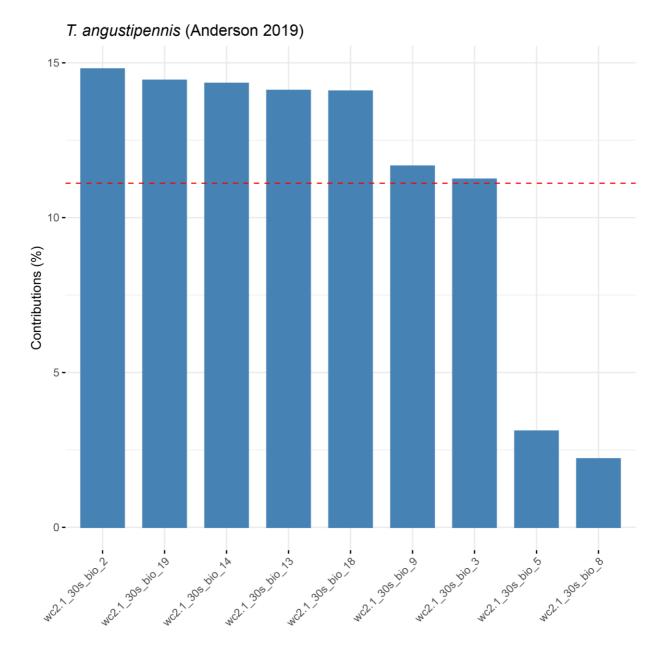
**Supplementary Figure 37.** First two PCs for the intra-taxon PCA for *H. patellifera* with the full dataset.



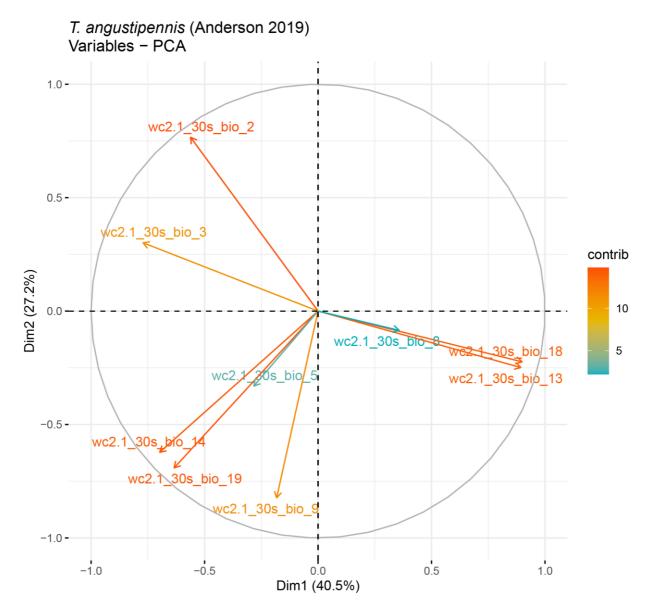
**Supplementary Figure 38.** Metrics' importance for the intra-taxon PCA for *T. angustipennis* with the full dataset.



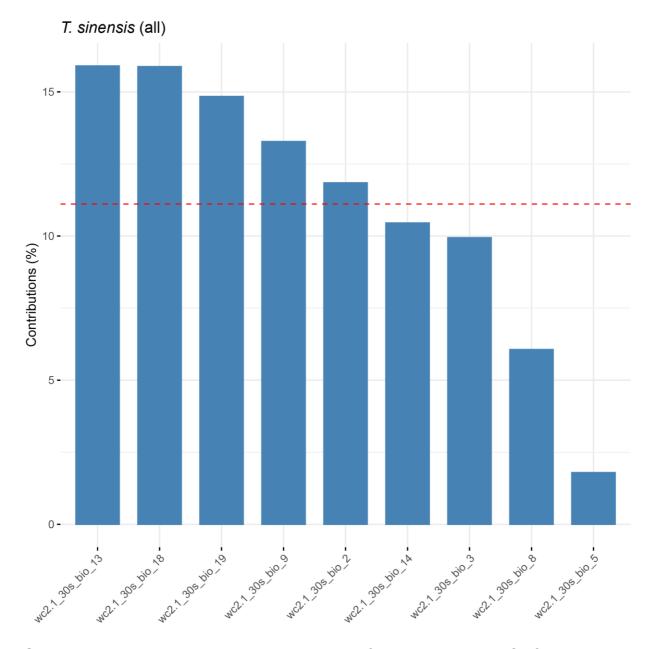
**Supplementary Figure 39.** First two PCs for the intra-taxon PCA for *T. angustipennis* with the full dataset.



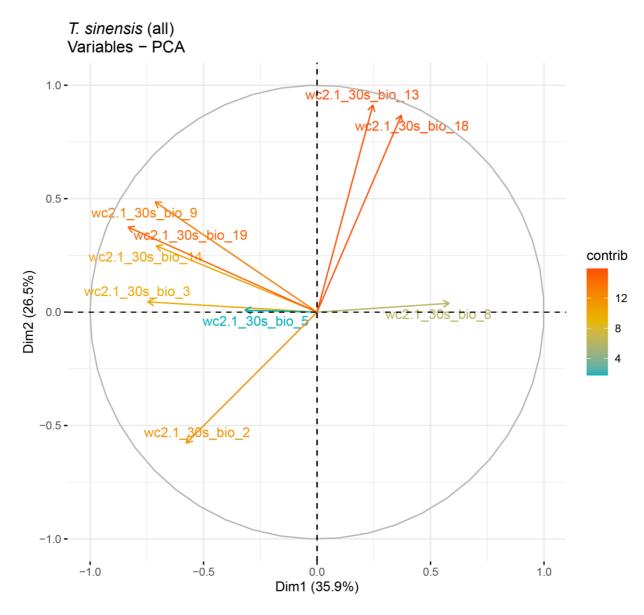
**Supplementary Figure 40.** Metrics' importance for the intra-taxon PCA for *T. angustipennis* with the trimmed dataset.



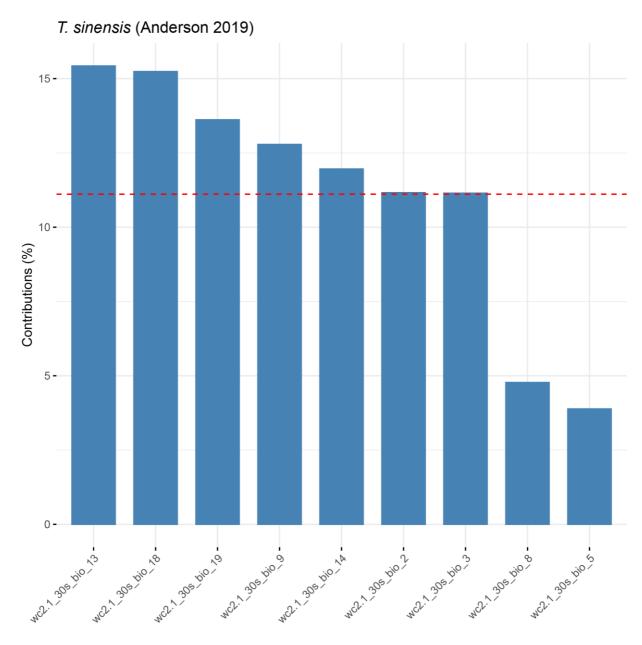
**Supplementary Figure 41.** First two PCs for the intra-taxon PCA for *T. angustipennis* with the trimmed dataset.



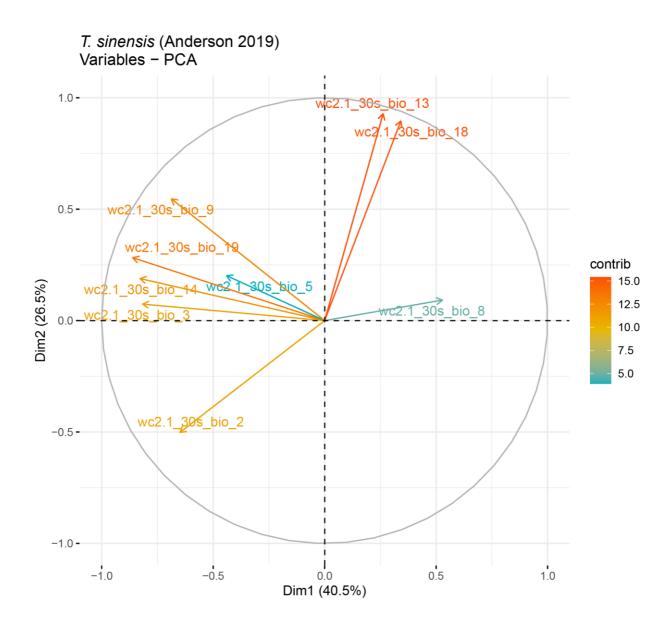
**Supplementary Figure 42.** Metrics' importance for the intra-taxon PCA for *T. sinensis* with the full dataset.



**Supplementary Figure 43.** First two PCs for the intra-taxon PCA for *T. sinensis* with the full dataset.

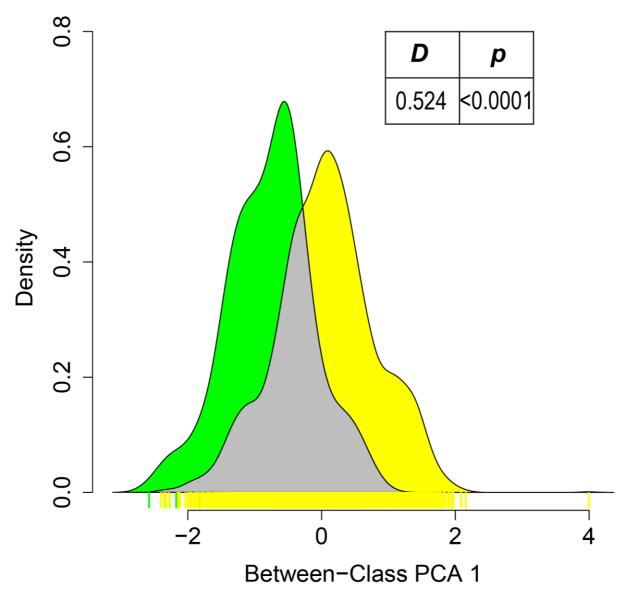


**Supplementary Figure 44.** Metrics' importance for the intra-taxon PCA for *T. sinensis* with the trimmed dataset.

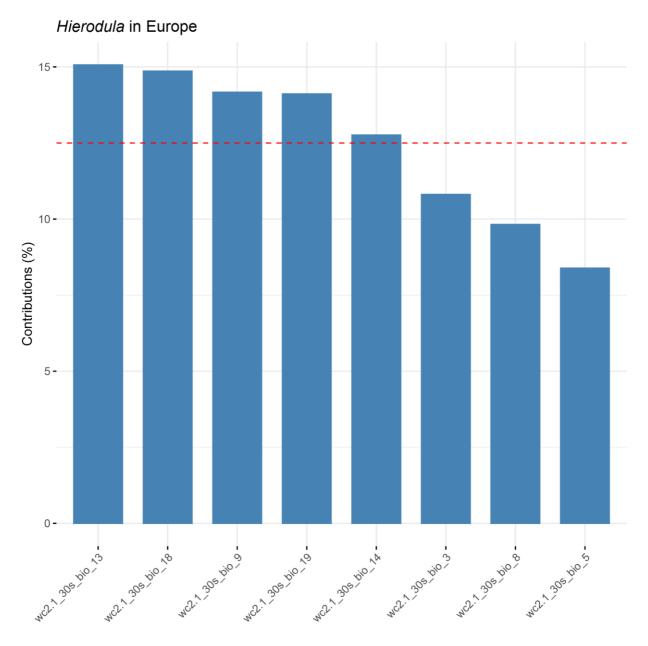


**Supplementary Figure 45.** First two PCs for the intra-taxon PCA for *T. sinensis* with the trimmed dataset.

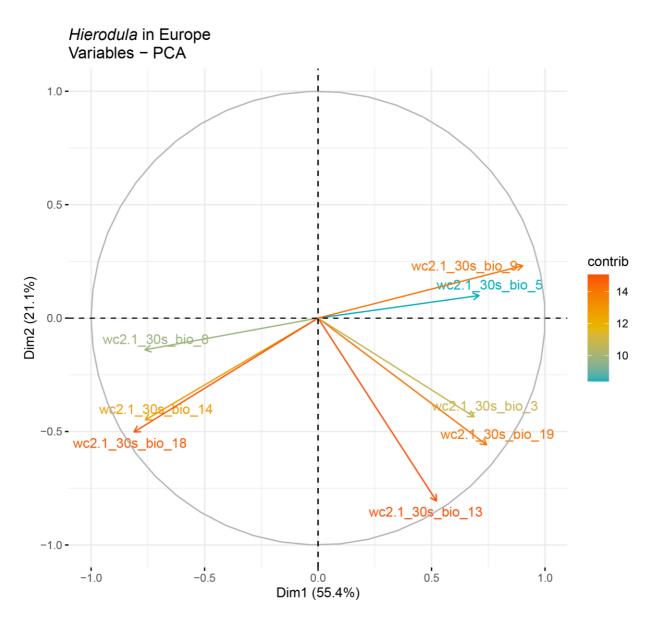
## Tenodera in North America (Anderson 2019)



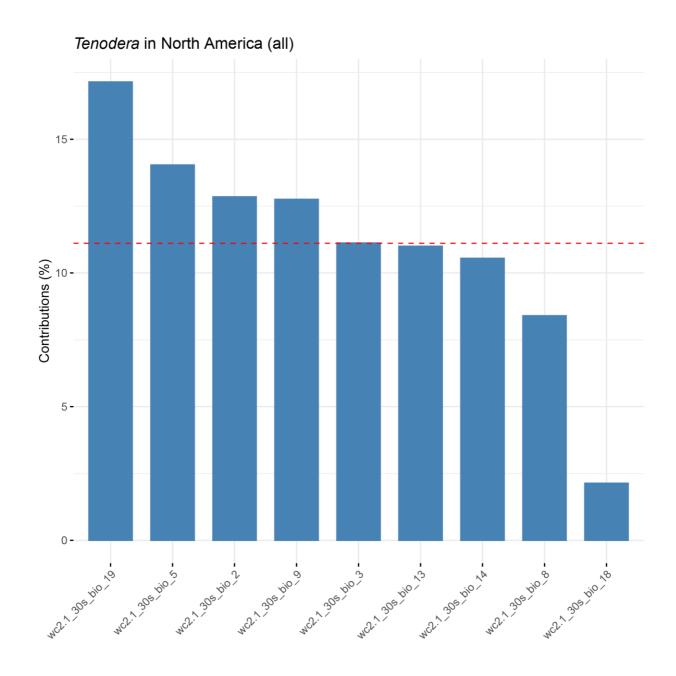
**Supplementary Figure 46.** Inter-species analyses for *Tenodera* species with the trimmed dataset. Green: *T. angustipennis*. Yellow: *T. sinensis*. Grey: niche overlap.



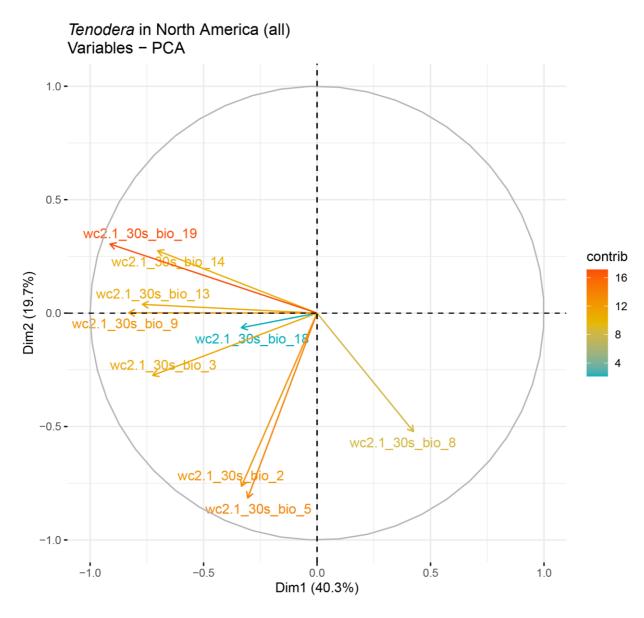
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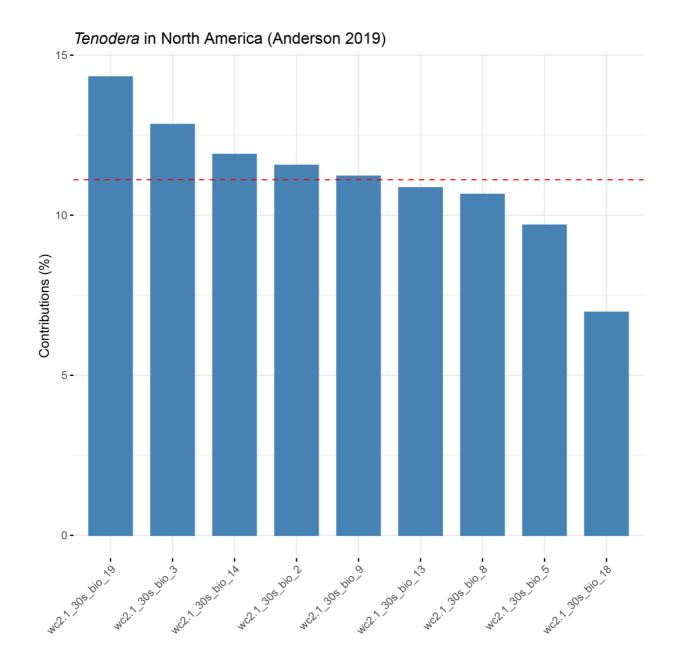
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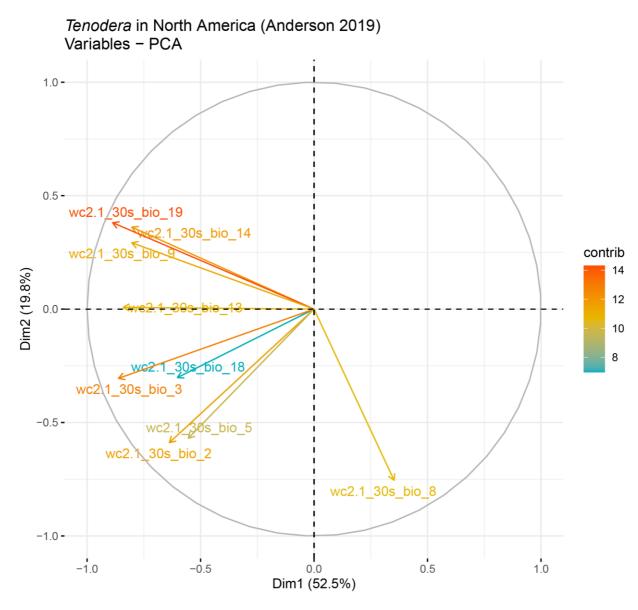
**Supplementary Figure 49.** Metrics' importance for the inter-taxa PCA for the *Tenodera* species in North America with the full dataset.



**Supplementary Figure 50.** First two PCs for the inter-taxa PCA for the *Tenodera* species in North America with the full dataset.



**Supplementary Figure 51.** Metrics' importance for the inter-taxa PCA for the *Tenodera* species in North America with the trimmed dataset.



**Supplementary Figure 52.** First two PCs for the inter-taxa PCA for the *Tenodera* species in North America with the trimmed dataset.